

Training Program for Community Leaders on Human Trafficking & Child Protection System in Moreh



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FXB India Suraksha in association with Centre for development Activities (CDAC) organized a one day awareness program for Community Leaders on Human Trafficking and strengthening child protection activities in Moreh at Conference Hall of Meitei Council Office Moreh, Manipur on Friday. The main objective of the programme was to bring together community leaders representing different communities such as Meitei, Tamil, Punjabi, etc in Moreh and discuss on the major role the leaders play in strengthening mechanisms to ensure protection and safety of the children as well combating trafficking of persons from the bordering region. 32 representatives participated during the training programme. The programme was conducted as part of project Mukti-an Anti Trafficking initiative to combat human trafficking and child sexual abuse in Manipur implemented with the support of ECPAT

Luxembourg since 2015 in Imphal and Ukhrul. The day long training programme started with note by Satya Prakash, Program Manager, FXB India Suraksha introducing the purpose and objective of the training programme. He stressed upon the fact that Moreh due to its geographical location and sharing border with Myanmar in itself stands vulnerable in terms of trafficking of persons and smuggling of persons. The recent case where around 55 Nepalese women and men were rescued in Moreh in a suspected case of trafficking in the month of February is very alarming. Moriangerth Sushilkumar, founder Centre for Development Activities (CDAC), Wangjing Manipur adding his thoughts to the inaugural session highlighted the importance community can play in combating human trafficking and child sexual abuse in the district. He shared as an important stakeholders it is our prime duty to be active participants in this initiative to protect our children. Taking the programme

forward, Mr. Sunil Meitei, Project Officer, FXB India Suraksha initiated the session discussing about abuses against children with special emphasis to child sexual abuse. He shared why protection of children is important and how there are different rings of responsibilities at family, community, institutional and national level in ensuring a protective environment for children. He also shared the ways of action to be taken whenever there is any kind of emergency situation and immediate action is required. He also went on to discuss the various provisions under Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 which criminalizes any form of abuse such as uncomfortable touch, penetrative, showing pornographic content, passing sexually abusive comments etc. as sexual offences. Mr. Satya Prakash, Programme Manager, FXB India Suraksha addressing the question put forward by the participants on the laws and policies available in the

country to address child protection, shared about the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 which is the strongest law available for the complete welfare of children. He also urged the community leaders to come together to reach out to larger number of population and aware them on the issue and encourage them to report any kind of abuse happening with the children and addressing it with utmost care and sensitivity. Ms. Pranjita Borah, Programme officer, FXB India Suraksha in her session spoke about Human Trafficking, vulnerability of persons, modus operandi of traffickers and how community members can play their role in being vigilant in preventing and combating trafficking in persons. A movie titled "Annie" was also screened for better understanding of the social crime. A similar training programme was conducted with the community members and religious leaders representing 12 Units of Hill Tribal Council, Moreh was held on April 24, 2019 at the Conference Hall, HTC Office, Moreh, Manipur. 55 persons attended the programme. A group activity was also conducted with the participants where they were asked to share their views on what role they would play as community members in strengthening child protection systems in their own communities, the support they would need from Government and other institutions. Good suggestions and recommendations were laid forward during the activity.

Assam Rifles Organises Free Medical Camp And Health Awareness Drive



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Units of 9 Sector Assam Rifles under the aegis of IGAR (South) organized free Medical Camp at Kakyai village in Nambol and Health Awareness Drive at Khamran village of Imphal East. Responding to the medical requirements of local populace projected during the last security meet, a Medical cum Health Awareness Camp was organised by Nambol Company Operating Base (COB) of Tulihal Battalion. Over 200 locals from Kakyai and neighboring villages were provided with free medical treatment, consultation on various diseases and health

related issues as well as free medicines were distributed to the needy patients by the unit medical team under the Regimental Medical Officer. A lecture cum interactive session was also conducted as part of the camp to enlighten the villagers about basic healthcare including precautions against common viral diseases as well as importance of hygiene and sanitation for maintaining a healthy lifestyle. As part of the Health Awareness Drive, a lecture cum interactive session was organised by the Koirengi COB of Mantripukhri Battalion at Khamran Primary School. The lecture

was organised to spread awareness on the importance of good health and hygiene and further encourage efforts to keep our environment clean. The lecture was followed by an interactive session. Over 50 students and staff of the school keenly participated and shared their views and suggestions on maintaining good health. The medical camp and health awareness drive conducted by the Sector received positive response from the local populace who conveyed their heartfelt gratitude to the Assam Rifles for their sincere endeavour and requested for more such camps in the near future for the benefit of the entire community.

Pooja Rani stuns world champion; Amit wins gold as India finish campaign with 13 medals at Asian Championships 2019

India win 2 golds, 4 silver and 7 bronze in a best-ever haul

From a Correspondent
New Delhi, April 27,

Former Asian Games bronze medallist Pooja Rani (81kg) stunned reigning world champion Wang Lina in the final while Asian Games gold medallist Amit Panghal (52kg) brought the second gold as the Indian contingent finished campaign with a best-ever haul of 2 gold, 4 silver and 7 bronze medals at the Asian Boxing Championships 2019 in Bangkok, Thailand on Friday.

In her very first year of competing in the 81kg category after having fought in the 75kg, the national champion had to stave off a stiff resistance from the Chinese to secure a 4-1 victory in an enthralling contest. This was the 28-year-old Bhiwani boxer's third medal from the Asian Championships after a silver in 2012 and a bronze in 2015. This is also India's first ever gold in the 81kg category from this elite tournament. Korea's Kim Inkyu was no match for the 23-year-old Amit Panghal who continued his Asian domination in his continental competitive debut in the 52kg category after moving up from 49kg. With a sizzling display of power and precision, an aggressive Amit emerged a 5-0 winner to add to the gold medal he won at the start of the season at the Strandja Cup. This is Amit's second medal from the Asian Championships following a bronze in 2017. Panghal had earlier beaten the reigning Olympic champion

Hasanboy Dusmatov this week after having accounted for the Uzbek at the Asian Games 49kg final last year. However, besides Amit and Pooja Rani, India had to settle for silver in the rest of the four finals. In 56kg, Kavinder Singh Bisht put up a spirited display and a lionhearted performance despite a cut over his right eye, which he had sustained in the semi-finals at the Asian Boxing Championships 2019 in Bangkok, Thailand on Friday. In her very first year of competing in the 81kg category after having fought in the 75kg, the national champion had to stave off a stiff resistance from the Chinese to secure a 4-1 victory in an enthralling contest. This was the 28-year-old Bhiwani boxer's third medal from the Asian Championships after a silver in 2012 and a bronze in 2015. This is also India's first ever gold in the 81kg category from this elite tournament. Korea's Kim Inkyu was no match for the 23-year-old Amit Panghal who continued his Asian domination in his continental competitive debut in the 52kg category after moving up from 49kg. With a sizzling display of power and precision, an aggressive Amit emerged a 5-0 winner to add to the gold medal he won at the start of the season at the Strandja Cup. This is Amit's second medal from the Asian Championships following a bronze in 2017. Panghal had earlier beaten the reigning Olympic champion

Tursynbay Kulakhmet. Among the women, 2018 World Championships bronze medallist Simranjit Kaur (64kg) showed her grit and determination but came up short 1-4 against China's Dan Dou, the same boxer she had lost to in the semi-finals of the world event at home last year. This is the maiden Asian Championships medal for each of Bisht, Deepak, Ashish Kumar, and Simranjit. Earlier on Thursday, India secured seven bronze medals. Shiva Thapa (60kg) added a record fourth consecutive medal to his kitty while former world champion Sarita Devi (60kg) won her eighth medal from this prestigious tournament. Also winning the bronze was Nikhat Zareen (51kg), Manisha Moun (54kg), Sonia Chahal (57kg), Ashish (69kg), and Satish Kumar (+91kg). India had the second best number of finalists at 2019 Asian Championships. With 6 pugilists on the final day, India trailed only China who had 7. This was the very first time that the women's competition was held simultaneously as the men at the Asian Championships.

Intellectual Property Rights Day Celebrated at RGU

From a correspondent
Rono Hills (AP), April 27,

A day-long awareness workshop was organized to celebrate the Intellectual Property Rights Day at the Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU) Campus by the Arunachal Pradesh State Council for Science & Technology, Itanagar in collaboration with RGU. The programme was graced by Satya Gopal, IAS, Chief Secretary, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh as Chief Guest and Prof. Saket Kushwaha, Vice Chancellor, RGU as Chief Patron in the august presence of C. D. Mungyak, Director cum Member Secretary, A.P. State Council for Science & Technology, Prof. Tomo Riba, Registrar, RGU, Prof. A. Mitra, Director, IQAC, RGU, Prof. D. N. Das, Org. Chairman, RGU, Prof. Sanjeev Kumar, HoD, Physics, RGU, Dr. Boa Reena Tok, Associate Professor, Dept. of Education, RGU and faculty members and students of Rajiv Gandhi University. In his address, Chief Secretary Satya Gopal highlighted the importance of Intellectual Property Rights and the potential of youngsters in Arunachal Pradesh in the field and said that the only thing



that was required was to establish a sound scouting mechanism through which we can easily trace, scout and find out the inventors, pathfinders, pioneers and innovators in the state. He also highlighted the richness of biodiversity of Arunachal Pradesh and urged to file Geographical Indicator (GI) tag of all the unique horticultural, agricultural products and unique designs of traditional costumes and handicrafts. RGU Vice-Chancellor Prof. Saket Kushwaha, in his address stressed on having a strong framework for promoting Intellectual Property Rights among scholars and researchers. It is important not only to

recognize intellectual property and copyright as fundamental to research, but also to set in place processes that will ensure that copyright violations do not occur, he said. The achievements and activities of the Patent Information Centre (PIC) under the aegis of A.P. State Council for Science & Technology, Itanagar was highlighted by Shri C. D. Mungyak during his introductory speech. He also urged upon the faculties and students of RGU to come forward to file more and more patents/GI in the coming years. Dr. R. K. Barman, Head, Science & Technology Division, Assam Science

Technology & Environment Council, Guwahati, Mr. Vineed Nair, Patent Attorney, Mumbai, Shri Priyadarshan Kumar, Patent Attorney, Advocate, Kolkata High Court and Mr. Anitaggu, Head, Computer Science Department, RGU were the resource persons of the programme. The programme culminated with vote of thanks offered by Prof. Sanjeev Kumar, HoD, Physics, RGU. Sahara went on to clarify that NASA has an outreach office that distributes several educational materials, for free, including certificates (to be used for achievement awards to children) that 'anyone' can get a print out of from the organization's website.

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