

National Youth Day Celebrated At Thoubal



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The Nehru Yuva Kendra Thoubal and NSS Units of Waikhom Mani Girls College, Thoubal celebrated the National Youth Day in the College Hall on the 12th January, 2019.

Tekcham Rameshor Singh, Prof. L. Sanatombi Devi and Prof. Jotin Singh were the main Speakers in the function. The life, philosophy and teachings of Swami Vivekananda to the youths were deliberated at length. The need for having a deeper Knowledge, Developing of skills and the build up a strong discipline and character among the youths were pointed by the Resource persons. The love affection and concern for

others are highly important in the present day society. In his Inaugural address the District Youth Coordinator Yumnam Lakshman Singh highlighted the week long programme of National Youth Week from 13th -19th January, 2019. The District, State and National Level Programmes of Nehru Yuva Kendra and NSS for the Youths were also announced in the function.

Prof. Sadananda reminded the quotation of Swami Vivekananda "Take up one idea. Make that one idea your life - think of it, dream of it, live on that idea. Let the brain, muscles, nerves, every part of your body, be full of the idea, and just leave every other idea alone. This is the way to success".

The Principal thanked NYK & NSS for celebrating the National Youth Day at College Hall. She further advised the youths to read the books of Swami Vivekananda and follow the principals in their life. A good person and successful life should begin from the family and the women have a big role to play in shaping and moulding the career in future. The message given by Swami Vivekananda is still relevant to the present day Youths, she added.

A R Conducts Free Medical Camp

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Chassad and Kakching battalions of IGAR(South) organised two medical camps at Kamjong village and Beru Khudem village, Chandel Dist on 12th January 2018.

Chassad Battalion of 10 Sector Assam Rifles under the aegis of IGAR (South) conducted a medical camp at Kamjong village public ground on 12th January 2019. The camp also included Dental Unit of the Assam Rifles. Over 250 patients including children were checked by the team for various ailments and free medicines were distributed to all. In addition over 50 patients were attended to by the dental doctors. The aim was to provide medical and dental treatment and consultation to the remote villages of Kamjong district where requisite



medical and dental facilities are not available due to poor infrastructure. All the patients were provided necessary medicines as per the diagnosis. They were also educated about various lifestyle diseases such as High BP, diabetes and dental disorders etc. Apart from providing necessary medical assistance, basic know how in health education, hygiene and sanitation

including Dental Hygiene was also imparted. Kakching Battalion of 28 Sector Assam Rifles conducted a free medical camp at Beru Khudem village, Chandel Dist. Medical officer of Kakching battalion along with the medical staff provided treatment to more than 114 people including 40 males, 50 females and 24 children and distributed free

medicines. Apart from providing necessary medical assistance, basic knowledge on health education, hygiene and sanitation was also imparted. The medical camps received overwhelming response from local populace. The locals expressed their gratitude to Assam Rifles for the support and noble effort being undertaken by them.

CM Meets Union Home Minister Rajnath Singh

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Chief Minister Shri N. Biren Singh along with Rajya Sabha MP Ksh. Bhabananda Singh today met Union Home Minister Shri Rajnath Singh and submitted a memorandum for giving Presidential assent to Manipur People's Protection Bill 2018. The Bill was passed by Manipur Assembly on 23rd July 2018. It is currently with the home ministry since then after the Governor had forwarded the bill to get the nod of the President of India. In the meeting, Chief Minister also urged the Home Minister to protect the rights of the indigenous people of Manipur that might be impacted by Citizenship Bill. Shri Rajnath Singh has assured the Chief Minister that the interests

of Northeastern states especially Manipur along with the cultures and customs of its peoples will always be protected and requisite safeguards will be made in this regard. The memorandum mentioned that population of the state is only about 0.2 percent of that of the whole India. Manipur has a large number of ethnic groups, each with unique dialects, customary laws and practices. Adequate constitutional protection is considered necessary to protect these small indigenous populations. The Manipur People's (Protection) Bill, 2018 was passed by the State Legislative Assembly to protect the interest of indigenous population of the State. The passage of the Bill had restored the confidence of the people of the State. The bill has since been moved to the



President of India for getting his assent. It may be mentioned that the Citizenship Amendment Bill (CAB) had been passed by the Lok Sabha on January 8. There is apprehension in the minds of the people of the state that the proposed CAB will not be in the interest of the indigenous people of the State. There is apprehension also that once the CAB is implemented in the state, the state could be flooded with a large number of

illegal immigrants and foreigners from neighbouring countries such as Bangladesh, Pakistan, and Myanmar and so on, as international borders are porous. Taking into account of all these factors, the memorandum requested the Union government to give assent to Manipur Peoples' (Protection) Bill, 2018 and also to exclude the state of Manipur from the jurisdiction of Citizenship Amendment Bill.

Moreh Battalion Apprehends One Ogw Of Kykl



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Moreh Battalion of 26 Sector Assam Rifles under the

aegis of IGAR (South) and Moreh Police jointly apprehended an OGW of KYKL from Moreh Ward No 7, Tengnoupal district on

11th January 2019.

The accused is identified as Md Rajauddin @ Apikpa, a resident of Sora/ Ward No. 7, Moreh. Illegal sandalwood weighing 61.53 kgs, 02 Axis Bank ATM cards, 02 SIM card each of India and Myanmar, cash amounting to Rs. 11,400/- and Identity card were recovered from his possession.

The apprehended individual along with recovered items was handed over to Moreh Police Station for further investigation.

Mizoram Woman IAS officer allegedly molested by advocates in Delhi court

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An Indian Administrative Officer (IAS) officer posted in Mizoram was allegedly molested by a group of advocates and their associates in the premises of Saket Court here, police said on Friday. Police said the incident occurred on Thursday noon when the officer had come to the Saket court for a case hearing. "When the victim - a 2014 batch IAS officer who had earlier served as SDM of Mehrauli in 2015-16 - was walking out of the courtroom, a group of advocates and their associates molested her and misbehaved with her," Deputy Commissioner of Police Vijay Kumar told Agency. "We have registered a case against the advocates and their associates," Kumar said. "The police are scanning CCTV footage to establish the identity of the accused."

Medical Aid To An Accident Victim

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Timely administered first aid by Sehlon Battalion of 28 Sector Assam Rifles under the aegis of IGAR (South) saved the life of a young lady and prevented her from succumbing to her injuries caused by an accident that occurred amidst the dense forests of Samtal salient. On 10 January 2019, Mrs Nemneiting, aged 25 years of Changial village, along with her husband,

entered the woods astride the village to carry out the unavoidable mundane chore of chopping and gathering firewood. At around 1600 hours, while they were absorbed at the task at hand, a heavy branch, chopped from a tree accidentally landed on her head and knocked her unconscious for a few moments. Her husband immediately sought help from the Company Operating Base. On receiving this information, about the mishap, the

Company Commander of the Changial Company Operating Base rushed to the spot and rescued the lady from the forest. Mrs Nemneiting was evacuated to the Company Operating Base where she was administered with first aid to heal the injuries on her forehead as a result of the accident. Mrs Nemneiting and her husband were extremely grateful to Sehlon Battalion for their efforts at a crucial time when it was needed the most.

India invites Chinese participation in its plans to expand Electric Vehicles

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India plans to achieve electric mobility by 2030 and welcomes Chinese industries participation and investment in the expansion of Indian Electric Vehicles (EV) Market, NITI Aayog Principal Advisor Anil Srivastava, has said. Srivastava, who led an industry delegation from India and addressed summit forum 'Global Zero Emission and All Electric Vehicle' held from January 11-13, met Chen Qingta, President of China EV100, and invited China's ambitious plans to go for full electric mobility. "He mentioned that for India's ambitious objective of achieving electric mobility by 2030, we see very substantive role for the Chinese EV players," a press release from the

Indian Embassy here said on Sunday. China EV100, a private electric vehicle association of over 200 leading Chinese electric mobility industries, is organising the 5th China EV100 Forum in Beijing. The government as well as industry representatives from all over the world attended the event. China is both the biggest manufacturer and the biggest market for cars globally. But the car sales fell in 2018 by about six per cent to 22.7 million units for the first time in 20 years, sending shock waves across the industry. The drop is largely attributed to the continued slowdown of the Chinese economy, stringent measures to restrict new car sales to cut automobile pollution and the ongoing trade war with the US. The most recent figures show that New Energy Vehicles (NEVs), a category which includes

electric and hybrid models, has defied trend of slowdown, growing substantially over the past year, a recent BBC report said. China's NEV market made a major gain this month with Elon Musk, the CEO of US electric carmaker Tesla, on Monday laying foundation to set up USD seven billion plant in Shanghai. Tesla became the first to benefit from a new C policy allowing foreign carmakers to set up wholly-owned subsidiaries in China. The new plant, Tesla's first outside the US, is located at a high-end manufacturing park in the southeast harbour of Shanghai. It is designed with an annual capacity of five lakh electric cars. In his meeting with Chen, Srivastava said that given the market size of India and China together, there is huge cooperation potential for EV industries of both

countries. He said EV industries of both countries should have more interaction and proposed to establish a formal interaction mechanism between an Indian EV Industry association, supported by NITI Aayog, and China EV100, which can meet periodically. He proposed to organise an industry meet of players of two sides in the first half of this year in Beijing or a suitable venue to explore cooperation possibilities between EV Industries of two countries, the release said. "When mentioned that India is an important country for Chinese EV players and he welcomes Chinese industries participation and investment in Indian EV market," it said. Earlier, Srivastava spoke about the Indian government's policy for promotion of electric mobility, current state of play and future roadmap. Addressing the forum, he said EV sales were expected to be 30 per cent of total sales in 2030 with 25.36 million EVs and 59.17 million (Internal Combustion Engines) ICEs. The total automobile sales in India were expected to 84.53 million in 2030. He mentioned that India is committed to global environmental commitments, and will encourage development and adoption of clean energy and new energy transportation. Leading Indian auto-makers such as Maruti Suzuki, Tata, TVS, and industry associations such as Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers (SIAM) and Automotive Component Manufacturers Association of India (ACMA) took part in the event.

Assam Rifles Celebrates National Youth Day

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Units of IGAR (South) celebrated National Youth Day on the occasion of 156th birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda on 12th January 2019. As part of the celebrations Andro Company Operating Base (COB) of Keithelmanbi Battalion conducted a friendly football match in association with All Andro Youth Club. The match was played between teams of Andro village and Shanti Nagar village. Chingmeirang COB of Mantripukhri

Battalion organised a friendly football match which was played between the teams of Neroca Football Club and the troops of Assam Rifles. Tulihal COB of Tulihal Battalion conducted a friendly volleyball match which was played between Youth of Heigrujam and troops of the COB. On the other hand Patsoi COB organised a friendly football match between youth of Patsoi Village and troops of the COB. Shangshak Battalion of 10 Sector Assam Rifles conducted friendly

volleyball matches with Leingangching and TM Kasom village teams on 12th January 2019. Volleyballs were presented to the teams on the occasion. The matches witnessed a large number of villagers including village authorities, members of youth club and locals attending the events. The events were widely appreciated by the locals, in having broken the monotony of regular routine, as well as of giving them an opportunity in increasing bonhomie with the Assam Rifles.