

# Mass tree plantation will focus on nurturing the saplings till maturity

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The main focus of the mass tree plantation commemorating the World Environment day, 2019 is to make sure that the saplings planted during the observance is properly nurtured till its maturity. This was stated by Director, Education Department, Thokchom Kirankumar Yesterday at his office chamber at SSA, Babupara. He said that Education Minister will launch the mass tree plantation at the S. K. Ideal High School, Ngairangbam of Imphal West, Zone-1. As part of the programme around 500 numbers of saplings is being

targeted to be planted at the premise of the said school. Stating that necessary preparation for the mass tree plantations is being carried out in full swing, he said that the mass tree plantation is aimed to achieve the target of planting more than 65,000 saplings in and around the educational institutions throughout the State. The initiative is being taken up under the leadership of Education Minister, Thokchom Radheshyam in collaboration with Forest Department and All Manipur Working Journalist Union (AMWJU). Thokchom Kirankumar said that the major thrust of the mass tree plantation is to

monitor each sapling and also to make sure that each planted saplings attains maturity. He said regular monitoring of the saplings will be tasked to the teachers and students of the educational institutions. A survey for the saplings planted on the occasion of the World Environment Day will be carried out during the festival of Van Mahotsav in July and in November to verify the number of surviving saplings. Highlighting the preparations being made by the concerned departments for the mass tree plantations, he elaborated that school from each of the seventeen zones has been selected by the Education Department for the inaugural

programme of Tree Plantation on 5<sup>th</sup> June, 2019. Number of selected schools selected as per district are from Zone 1, Imphal West 1s 64, Wangoi, Imphal West 94, Ukhrul 42, Senapati 15, Kamjong 13, Tamenglong 11, Chandel 40, Noney 27, Pherzawl 9, Churachandpur 19, Tengenoupal 14, Kakching 190, Kangpokpi 28, Zone II/E 99, Thoubal 28, Bishnupur 20, Jiribam 108, CBSE 6 and Private Schools 215. In colleges overall 80 colleges will be participating in the mass tree plantation of the World Environment Day out of which 35 is Government colleges, 10 Government aided colleges and 35 Private colleges.

## Sport News

### Maisnam Meiraba wins 4th consecutive BS U19, Malvika Bansod takes home the GS U19 title



From Correspondent  
New Delhi, June 4,

Manipur's Maisnam Meiraba continued his fine run in the domestic circuit, securing his 4th consecutive Boys Singles (BS) U19 title while Maharashtra's Malvika Bansod sealed the Girls Singles U19 title at the Yonex Sunrise All India Junior Ranking Tournament in Trivandrum, earlier today. Meiraba, who won the previous junior ranking tournament in Chennai as well, made a solid case as the performance in both the tournaments will be counted for the Junior ABC squad selection. The top seed looked in sublime form as he outclassed Sankar Muthusamy 21-14, 21-10 in the BS U19 summit clash. He has earlier won titles at Vijaywada and Bengaluru as well. Second seed Malvika Bansod too maintained her spectacular run to notch up a dominating victory against

Uttarakhand shuttler Unnati Bisht without dropping any game to win the match 21-7, 21-9. In the BD U19 summit clash, Ishaan Bhatnagar and Vishnuvardhan Goud P prevailed against the pair of Ravikrishan PS/Manav Raj Smith with a comfortable 21-12, 21-14 victory. The young and upcoming Girls Doubles pair of Treesa Jolly/Varshini VS made a strong impact with their performance to overcome a tough challenge from second seeds Aditi Bhatt/Tanisha Crasto in the summit clash. Going down by 14-21 in the opening game, Treesa and Varshini marched back into the match, pocketing two consecutive games to seal the tie at 14-21, 25-23, 21-12 in a thrilling one hour encounter. In the Mixed Doubles U19 final, Dingku Sing Konthoujam and Ritika Thaker caused an upset to eclipse past the second-seeded pair of Edwin Joy/Shruti Mishra in a well-

fought 16-21, 21-12, 21-15 win. Earlier in the day, tenth seed Aditi Bhatt got the better of Keyura Mopati to guarantee the third place in the Girls Singles U19 category with a convincing 21-19, 21-16 win while Satish Kumar overturned an aggressive Sidhant Gupta 21-18, 21-18 to assure the bronze in BS U19. Finishing at the third place in Chennai last week, the top-seeded BD U19 pair of Manjit Singh Khwalrakpam/Dingku Singh Konthoujam did an encore in Trivandrum after getting the better of Kush Chugh/Nithin HV 21-17, 19-21, 21-18. It was a double bronze for Manjit Singh Khwalrakpam as he also finished third in XD U19 category with partner Mehreen Riza, defeating the pair of Ravi and Sakshi Gahlawat 21-18, 21-19. The GD U19 bronze was won by the sixth seed pair of Simran Singhi/Ritika Thaker, who eked out the team of Trisha Hedge/Arya Shetty in a well-fought 21-15, 18-21, 21-17 win.

## Collective effort for fighting hemophilia & thalassemia required :JayanKumar



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Imphal, June 4,

A launching ceremony of Free Treatment Initiatives for Hemophilia & Thalassemia organized by State Health Society National Health Mission was held in the conference hall of JNIMS, Blood Bank, Porompat Yesterday. Speaking at the occasion Health & Family Welfare Minister L. Jayantakumar Singh said that there has been a new challenge developed in the health sector. New and complex diseases have been detected with the advancement of medical science. We need to be well conscious and aware about the new development, he

added. Minister appealed the people for a collective effort in fighting such life threatening diseases with positive attitude. It is also a first time introduction in the state by NCDC and expect for bringing a fast solution to control these life threatening diseases. As described by experts, hemophilia is a rare inherited, sex linked bleeding disorder due to deficiency or missing of clotting factors VIII or IX in the body. Male are sufferers while females are carriers of hemophilia gene. On the other hand Thalassemia is an inherited blood disorder in which the body makes an abnormal form of

hemoglobin. The disorder results in excessive destruction of red blood

cells, which lead to anemia. In case of any suspected relevant incident occurs, they may be advised to consult a. The launching program was also attended by Dr. Th. Bhimo Singh, Director, JNIMS, Dr. L. Tomcha Khuman, SNO, NHM, Manipur and Dr. Dr. Jitendra Singh, Medical Superintendent, JNIMS, Doctors and Medical staff of JNIMS. NHM staff and others also attended the function. Free medicines were also distributed to the patients who are suffering from Hemophilia & Thalassemia as a part of the program.

## Chandel district observed world no tobacco day 2019

IT News  
Chandel, June 4,

District Health Society, Chandel & National Tobacco Control Programme, Chandel observed "WORLD NOTOBACCO DAY" at DRDA Hall DC complex Chandel. This year, this day is being observed under the theme "Tobacco and Lungs Health". Yesterday's function was attended by SDO, Chandel Loktongbam Leander, MCS, CMO, Chandel, Dr. Serthani Serbum, Dy. Superintendent of Police, Chandel. Shri

Bimolchandra Singh, MPS and Chairman Japhu Bazaar, HL, Lordson Anal as chief guest, president and guests of honour respectively. Speaking as the Chief Guest SDO, Chandel Loktongbam Leander, talked about tobacco control laws i.e. COTPA 2003, he also reiterated the about the diseases cause by tobacco. Interacting with the students and the teachers present in the function he asked them to spread the awareness about the ill effects of using tobacco products. He also said that they should be ambassadors of the no tobacco movement.

## Sri Lanka to take on Afghanistan in 2nd round-robin match

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New Delhi June 4,

In the ICC Cricket World Cup, Sri Lanka will take on Afghanistan at Cardiff this afternoon in their second round-robin match. The game will begin at 3 PM (Indian Standard Time). Both teams had lost their opening matches. While Sri

Lanka lost to New Zealand by 10 wickets, Afghanistan was beaten by Australia by 7 wickets. Last night, Pakistan defeated hosts England by 14 runs. It was Pakistan's first win in two games, while they handed England their first defeat. India will play its opening game tomorrow against South Africa at Southampton. The Proteas

have lost both of their first two matches. Prasar Bhatti CEO Shashi Shekhar Vempati has said, All India Radio will broadcast live commentary on the World Cup every day starting from tomorrow. In a tweet, Mr Vempati said, the commentary originated by Akashvani will also be available via Internet streaming on a pilot basis for the first time.

## India sends net bowlers to presser, media boycotts interaction

Agency  
New Delhi June 4,

There is something about ICC World Cups where inevitably the relationship between Indian media and the national team becomes frosty. It wasn't great during the 2015 World Cup in Australia and New Zealand and the start seemed to have been on a discordant note during this edition as well after the Indian media contingent decided to boycott an interaction session with net bowlers Deepak Chahar, Avesh Khan and Khaleel Ahmed. With two days left for India's first game against South Africa, it was expected that at least coach Ravi Shastri or a senior player or support staff would address the media as it has been the norm in any bilateral series with skipper Virat Kohli coming on the pre-match day. However to everyone's

disbelief, Indian team's media manager informed the waiting journalists that since Chahar and Avesh are going back on Tuesday (Khaleel is staying back), it was felt that they should get an opportunity to interact with the media. Livid with decision, senior members of the fraternity protested vehemently to this outrageous idea and he was told that if the team wants to cancel the session, they are free to do so as it is unfair both for the media as well as the two youngsters, who don't have any authority to answer team related queries. When asked why no player or support staff was made available, the media manager said that it was done since India haven't started its World Cup campaign yet. The logic didn't seem convincing as it has never happened two days before a

marquee event. It seemed more like a case where the Indian media was being told that you have to make do with whatever we make available for you. This seemed to be in complete contrast with the relationship that the jumbo Bangladeshi media share with their 'Tigers' or even the handful of Pakistani journalists with their players. Many were reminded of the 2015 World Cup, when there was a complete gap on media save pre and post-match days and skipper Dhoni would come for every post-match interaction instead of day's performer, who would be interviewed by the official BCCI website. Bumrah called for random dope test: The Indian players may have had issues with NADA conducted dope tests but at the global event, there's no such problem.

GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR  
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, KANGPOKPI  
NOTICE  
Kangpokpi, The 31<sup>st</sup> May 2019

No. DC(KPI)2/12187/Vol-III: It is hereby notified for general Information that Smt. Hatchingthem Kipgen W/o Kamginmang Kipgen of K. Gannomphai Village, under Saitu Gamphazol Sub division, P.O. Motbung-795107 & P.S. Gannom Sapormeina has applied for registration of Gift Deed of an area of 0.23 acre between shri Kamginmang Kipgen S/o Holkam Kipgen of K. Gannomphai village, under Saitu Gamphazol Sub-division. P.O. Motbung-795107 & P.S. Gannom Sapormeina, Kangpokpi District as donor and Smt. Hatchingthem Kipgen W/o Kamginmang Kipgen of K. Gannomphai village, as donee. The boundary of the said land is prescribed hereunder:

Schedule of the land:

- North : Inter village road;
- South : by the homestead land of Mrs. Boinu;
- East : Kamginmang paddy field; and
- West : by the homestead land of Mr. Tongpu.

Objection is hereby Invited from any Interested person(s) to file objection if any within 7 days from the date of publication of this Notice in Newspaper. If objection is not received within the stipulated period, It will be presume that there is no objection.

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