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**Agriculture Minister Urges All to Join Tree Plantation Drive**

Tree plantation is not just about afforestation, but also a symbol of collective consciousness in tackling climate change. With the global temperature rising steadily, it is essential to prevent deforestation and plant more trees to maintain nature's balance. People should plant trees during family occasions, in the names of children, or in memory of parents. Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare Minister Ratanlal Nath said this while addressing a mega tree plantation program held on 18<sup>th</sup> August at ground of the Swami Vivekananda College, Mohanpur. The event was organized by Rotary Club of Aspiring Agartala in collaboration with the Swami Vivekananda college. The minister called upon everyone to actively take part in such tree plantation initiatives.

Present at the program were Dr. Damodar Chatterjee, President of Rotary Club of Aspiring Agartala; Secretary Jhumur Banik Sengupta; Principal of the Swami Vivekananda College Dr. Haradhan Saha; and Mohanpur Municipal Councillor Kartik Acharjee, among others. Guests planted saplings in the college premises, while the agriculture minister also interacted with students on different topics.

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