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## Two-day special training camp in Charilam block.

## Government has given priority to socio-economic upliftment of the tribal: Deputy Chief Minister

The government has given priority to socio-economic upliftment of the tribal people. For this purpose, various central flagship schemes and state government schemes have been implemented in the state. Deputy Chief Minister Jishnu Dev Varma said this at the closing ceremony of the two-day long special training camp held on September 14-15 at Charilam block office yesterday. In the camp, the Deputy Chief Minister said that most importance has been given to the overall development of the tribal people through self-help groups. Development of the rural economy is not possible without the role of self-help groups. All over the state, the women of the tribal communities are empowered by linking them with self-help groups. A specific plan has been taken for this.

In the two-day training camp, members of different Gram Panchayats and Village Self Help Groups of Charilam Block were trained on becoming self-reliant by engaging in economic activities. Besides, post-matric scholarship and LPG connection under Ujjwala Yojana have been given in the camp. At the closing ceremony of the training camp, Deputy Chief Minister Jishnu Dev Varma handed over Ujjwala Yojana gas connections to 20 women and a loan cheque to 4 self-help group women.

Charilam Panchayat Samiti Chairman Rakhi Das Kar, Charilam BAC Chairman Jeklu Debbarma, Sepahijala District Magistrate Vishwasree B, Bishalgarh Sub-Divisional Magistrate Binay Bhushan Das, Charilam BDO Ripon Das and others were present at the closing ceremony of the training camp.

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