

CM COVID Special relief distributed in Karbook

Distribution of relief under the Chief Minister COVID Special Relief Package had started in Karbook yesterday. MLA Burbomohan Tripura inaugurated the distribution programme at the Kaptali ration shop in presence of Karbook BAC chairman Asim Tripura, SDM L. Darlong and other dignitaries and officials. In the first phase relief kits were handed over to more than 2000 families under ration shop in remote areas of the subdivision. In total 13,419 families of Karbook subdivision will be covered under this scheme.



Pic. by Anupam Paul, ICO

Similarly relief kits were distributed in six places of Ampinagar block under the CM COVID Special Relief Package today. These six places were Ampinagar ration shop no. 1, Ampinagar community hall, New Sinaihani JB School, Palku village office, Palku School, and Santang School no. 2.

CM launches organic products of SHGs from Mohanbhog

Chief minister Biplab Kumar Deb officially launched the products of different self-help groups of Mohanbhog block from the state secretariat yesterday. The producers of the products like jam of pineapple, bael (aegle marmelos) and juice of locally available fruits handed over their products to the chief minister. In response the chief minister advised them to maintain quality and hygiene in manufacturing so that these products could be sustainable. These SHGs are manufacturing these items in complete organic method under the PMFME scheme.

Through the Tripura Livelihood Mission Reeta Das Sarkar and Ratnarani Das were trained by the horticulture and soil conservation department's food processing centre to make such products from bael. Similarly, Purnima Nandi and Kalpana Nandi of Mohanbhog block are making jam and juice of pineapple. No artificial flavor has been added to these products. These home-based products will fetch a profit of Rs. 22 per bottle for the manufacturers. They have been provided loan under PMFME and license from Sepahijala district administration.

Entrepreneur Siddiq Mia of Mohanbhog block handed over Surjadim mango to the chief minister. These mangoes are said to be in high demand and are profitable fruits. He informed the chief minister that initially it was his own venture but from next year he will be taking up mango cultivation with the assistance of horticulture and soil conservation department. Similarly there were some self-employed persons who are producers of honey. With such initiatives Mohanbhog block is showing rays of building an Atmanirbhar Tripura.

Huge ranching of fingerlings in Rudrasagar Lake

Ranching of fingerlings in Rudrasagar lake was done recently for the development of livelihood of the people around Rudrasagar living on fish farming. Under the initiative of the fisheries department and Rudrasagar Fishermen Cooperative Society 60,000 fingerlings were released. A total of 1,200 families under the society are living on fishing. The fisheries office at Melaghar has provided this information.

Development works under MGNREGA in Bakaga block

Under the aegis of Bakafa block various developmental activities have been executed in Radhakishoreganj gram panchayat during the current financial

year under MGNREGA. In the current financial year 13 irrigation canals have been constructed spending Rs. 9 lakh and creating 4500 mandays. In addition, during the 2020-21 financial year 119 works were implemented under MGNREGA. Of these, number of renovation of irrigation canals done was 10, and 17 new canals were made. Bank paving was done in 13 places of Betaga stream for flood control.

Then 15 compost pits were made to produce fertilizer in every household and 46 earth leveling works were done. For these works total Rs. 60,9,934 was spent. These works had generated 32,960 mandays. Radhakishoreganj gram panchayat office has provided this information.

Text books and uniform grants under Jirania inspectorate of schools

During the last financial year free text books were distributed among 13,787 students of primary and upper primary level under Jirania inspectorate of schools. Among them, 7692 students of Belbari, Old Agartala, Mandwi and Jirania block were of primary level and 6095 students were of upper primary level. In addition, uniform grants have been given to 10,737 students of different schools of Jirania subdivision. For this, expenditure per student was Rs. 600. This information has been provided by the Jirania inspectorate of schools.