

Mega Legal Services Camp rescheduled to April 9 in Kamalpur

With the initiative of Kamalpur Sub-Divisional Legal Services Committee, the first part of Mega Legal Services Camp at Mayachari Market ground under Durgachowmuni RD Block was held on March 6, 2020. The second phase of Mega Legal Services Camp which scheduled for April 3, 2022 at Janthum English Medium School under Janthum Village Committee of Salema block in Kamalpur has been rescheduled to April 9, 2022.

It was informed that resource persons from District and Sub-Divisional Legal Services Authority, Sub-Divisional Administration and various line departments will be present in the camp and will make people aware about different public welfare schemes. They will also be providing necessary legal advices to the public. SDM office, Health, Fisheries, Agriculture, Forest, ICDS, DWS, ARDD, Horticulture, Labour department, Sub-ZDO of TTAADC and Postal department will be opening stalls carrying information about respective department schemes and facilities. This was informed by Member Secretary of Sub-Divisional Legal Services Authority, Kamalpur.

CM launches 'Mukhyamantri Nibir Matsyachash Prakalpa'



Fish production as well as fish consumption at present has increased in the state which is one of the factors for economic development of the state. Pisciculture plays a special role in the state's economy, enunciated Chief Minister Biplab Kumar Deb after inaugurating one-day State-Level Workshop on Biofloc Fish Farming at Rabindra Bhawan today. The Chief Minister also launched 'Mukhyamantri Nibir Matsyachash Prakalpa' in the programme. Successful Biofloc fish farmers of eight districts of the state were felicitated and a book on success in fish farming was unveiled by the guests. A key for Live Fish Vending Centre/ Van was also handed over to a woman beneficiary.

The Chief Minister said, there is scope for huge income generation in short span of time through fish farming. Besides the usual way of fish farming, scientific way of

fish farming including Biofloc is being exercised with the right management and interest. Fish farming area has increased by 8.20%. Fish mongers have increased by 4.62%. Fish production has increased by 5.97%. Success is being achieved due to simplifications in distribution process of different facilities, financial assistance by identifying fishermen at all levels of the state.

The Chief Minister said, the state government is prioritizing fish production through various modern techniques including Biofloc and the usual way of fish farming. During the period of the present government, due to simplification and amendment in certain rules, now the fish farmers are able to reap the benefits. Original fish farmers are now able to avail loans and have found their path to becoming self-reliant.

Fisheries Minister Mevar Kumar Jamatia said, it is possible to earn much more with willingness and making use of the new system of fish farming which smoothens the way towards becoming financially self-dependent. The state government is working with bunch of plans to increase fish production, keeping up with the demand of time. Works are ongoing to create different water bodies in the state for fish farming. Others present in the programme were Sabhadhipati of West

Tripura Zilla Parishad Antara Sarkar Deb, Secretary of Fisheries department T. K. Debnath, and General Manager of NABARD M. R. Gopal.

UD Minister inaugurates flat allotment under Light House Project

Light House Project is being implemented with the joint efforts of Prime Minister and Chief Minister. Economically weak families will be able to find a stable shelter under this modern project. Many people want to build their house in Agartala but could not due to financial strains. Keeping them in mind, the government has come up with such a unique and modern project, enunciated Urban Development Minister Santana Chakma after inaugurating flat allotment programme on Light House Project at Muktheadhara Auditorium Hall yesterday. The lottery event was organized by Urban Development department. Secretary of the department Kiran Gitte, Director Tamal Majumdar and other officials were present at the event.

UD Minister said, about 1 thousand houses are being built under this Light House Project. The beneficiaries will be distributed houses in two phases. The

state government is making efforts to make people financially self-reliant through different ways and not only through government jobs. The state government has taken special initiative to empower women, one of which is 33% reservation for women in jobs. She said, initiatives have been taken to build women self-dependent through different SHGs and Skill Development trainings as well. The main agenda of the present government is Sabka Sath, Sabka Vikas, and Drug free India and Tripura.

Secretary of the department Kiran Gitte highlighted important aspects of the Light House Project. He said, each flat will cost 16 lakh 25 thousand rupees and including the land cost it is about 30 lakh rupees. But the beneficiaries will only have to pay a specific amount. Rest amount will be borne by the government. He said, the flat allotment is being done in transparent system with video recording.

Flats will be available in two categories – in the price range of 5 lakh rupees and 7 lakh rupees respectively. The amount is being taken in two instalments. Those who have already paid are being allotted flats through lottery. Prior to this, 150

beneficiaries have already been allotted flats through lottery system under Light House Project.

Free drinking water connection to 3,66,553 houses under AJM

Total 3,66,553 houses have received free drinking water connection under Atal Jaldhara Mission from November 28, 2018 till March 27, 2022. Under this scheme, total 23,628 houses have received free drinking water connection from March 1, 2022 till March 27, 2022. If we see District-wise, total 4,451 houses in North Tripura district, total 1,785 houses in Unakoti district, total 2,990 houses in Dhalai district, total 2,414 houses in Khowai district, total 3,952 houses in West Tripura district, total 2,129 houses in Sepahijala district, total 2,558 houses in Gomati district and total 3,349 houses in South Tripura district were provided with free drinking water connection. This was informed by Drinking Water & Sanitation department.

Assistance for animal rearing in Karbook under CMSPY

With the initiative of Animal Resources Development Department's Karbook sub-divisional office, assistance for animal rearing was provided to 53 beneficiary families of Karbook block through a small

function. Each beneficiary was given 10 broiler chicks and 5 kilograms of feed. Total expenditure incurred was 53 thousand rupees. Chairman of Karbook block advisory committee Asim Tripura was present during the distribution program.

Besides, at Karbook multipurpose hall, on behalf of ARDD department, a workshop was conducted where 100 animal rearing beneficiaries participated. An awareness camp was also conducted for animal rearing beneficiaries at Bairagi Dukan Community Hall of the block. There 50 beneficiary families were given 10 ducklings each and 5 kilograms of feed. Total expenditure was 50 thousand rupees. This was informed by ARDD office, Karbook.

Deputy CM inaugurates Basanta Festival at Narayan Khamar

Cultural development is essential for development of the society. It is everyone's responsibility to keep their own culture alive by sharing the culture from one generation to another by organizing different festivals, enunciated Deputy Chief Minister Jishnu Dev Varma after inaugurating Basanta Festival yesterday at Durgapur High School located at Narayan Khamar. The programme was organized jointly by

Information & Cultural Affairs department and Dukli Panchayat Samiti.

Deputy Chief Minister said, the government is working to make sure that every community or any religious community may celebrate their festival merrily. Basanta Festival is a traditional festival. Basanta Raas Festival has been celebrated during the reign of the Kings, which is why there is a familiar pull of the royal family towards the festival. In the period of the present government, people of different religions are able to celebrate their festivals and practice their rituals properly. He said, India means village, culture and tradition.

Cooperative Minister Ramprasad Pal as the chief guest said, this festival is mainly celebrated by the Manipuri community. Participation of people from different communities and religious backgrounds has given this festival a universal form. He hoped the festival will be celebrated in future in a much grand manner. Chairman of Dukli Panchayat Samiti Ajoy Kumar Das also spoke on the occasion. Others present were member of West Tripura Zila Parishad Bhulan Saha, member of Dukli Panchayat Samiti Narayan Chakraborty and Chowmuni Bazar Panchayat Pradhan Manik Sarkar. Welcome speech was delivered by Dukli block BDO Bipul Das.