Governor inaugurates International Crafts Exchange Programme

Governor Ramesh Bais today inaugurated the International Craft Exchange programme at Bamboo and Cane Development Institute, Agartala. This ten-day event organised by Bamboo and Cane Development Institute in association with Ministry of Textiles, Government of India, is being held with the participation of India and Bhutan. In his inaugural speech the Governor said, although Tripura is a small state, it has a very ancient history. Tripura and other Northeastern states are replete with natural resources. The central government and the state government have taken various initiatives to encourage the bamboo artisans of the state. He hoped that this exchange programme between India and Bhutan would prove beneficial.

Dhalai district level health fair from November 22

Speaking on the occasion the secretary of industry and commerce department Kiran Gitte said, Tripura earns about Rs. 200 crore by selling bamboo and cane products every year. Before commencement of the programme the Governor visited various species of bamboos at BCID. Head of BCID Dr. K. Kanda was also there.

Dhalai district level health fair will be held from November 22-23. This fair will be organized jointly by the health and family welfare department and Longtharai Valley subdivision. Specialists will be there to provide their medical services. MLA Dibachandra Hrangkhawl will be inaugurating the fair on November 22 while on the concluding day MP Rebati Tripura will remain present as the chief gust. Several committees have been constituted to organize the fair smoothly.

Loko Sanskriti Utsav at Teliamura town hall today
Pic. By Siddhartha Shankar Paul, ICO

Assistances provided under PDF of Bishalgarh Panchayat

Various assistances have been provided to the beneficiaries of Bishalgarh block

through various departments under PDF of Bishalgarh Panchayat Samiti. 166 pump sets and 250 spray machines spending of Rs 10 lakh 17 thousand have been provided to the farmers of the block through agriculture and farmers welfare department. 100 Berjals (fishing net) have been provided to fish farmers of the block at the cost of Rs 6 lakh 10 thousand under PDF through fisheries department. Moreover, fingerlings, fish feed and medicines have been provided to 100 families. On the other hand, distribution of seeds worth Rs 2 lakh 64 thousand among the farmers for cultivation of coriander and spinach is going on. Bishalgarh block office has informed this.

Mini deep tube wells installed in Kamalpur subdivision

New sources have been created in Durga Chowmuhani block of Kamalpur subdivision during the 2019-19 financial year for supplying pure drinking water. Mini deep tube well has been installed by the office of Kamalpur subdivision executive engineer of DWS department at New Chulubari S.B School of Chulubari panchayat of Kamalpur subdivision. Rs 5 lakh 81 thousand 816 has been spent for this purpose. A mini deep tube well has been installed at new homeless colony of Noagao panchayat. Renovation of old pipe line and extension of 4.5 K.M long new water pipeline have been done in Dhanchandra ADC village at the cost of Rs 2 lakh 56 thousand 502. Digging of one small bore deep tube well at Bamanchhara English Medium School of Chulubari panchayat is going on. The office of Kamalpur subdivision DWS executive engineer has informed this.

Assistance provided for pisci culture in Kanchanpur

Assistance has been provided to 20 fish farmers of Kanchanpur subdivision under integrated fish cultivation scheme during the current financial year. 4 persons from each of Dasda, Laljuri, Jampuihill, Damchhara and Pacherthal blocks of the subdivision have been benefited under the scheme. Moreover, fish feed, oil cake, lime, medicine alongwith fingerling have been provided to each fish farmer under the scheme at the cost of Rs 1 lakh 3 thousand 920. Subdivisional fishery superintendent office has informed this.

World Heritage Week inaugurated at Unokoti

World Heritage Week was observed at Unakoti. The programme was inaugurated by SDM Dr. Bishal Kumar. Among others present were district education officer Shymal Das as guest of honour, subdivisional forest officer Pallab

Chacraborty, assistant archeologist of ASI M Jackson and K Larinchani both as special guests. Dr. Bishal Kumar also inaugurated a documentary on Unakoti. Extempore speech competition on Unakoti was held. Biju, Bihu, Manipuri, Rabindra and Classsical dances alongwith rhythmic gymnastics were presented. Artistes of Kailashahar unit of Sanskar Bharati performed the opening song. Assistant archeologist of ASI M Jackson delivered welcome address and K Larinchani delivered vote of thanks.

A disaster management training camp held at Manughat hall, Sabroom today
Pic. By Rupak Acharjee, ICO

International Divyangan Day to be observed on Dec 3

Sepahijala district level International Divynagan Day will be observed at Bishramganj mini stadium on December 3. This decision was taken in a meeting held under chairmanship of Supriya Datta, Sabhadhipati of Zilla Parishad at the conference hall of D.M of Sepahijala district. D.M of Shipahijala district C K Jamatia, Officer of District Divyagan Rehabilitation Project Dr. Dipti Bikash Roy, district social welfare officer Dr. Chandrani Biswas, SDM of Bishalgarh Subdivision Jayanta Bhattacharjee, BDOs of various blocks, officers of Education, rural development, youth affairs and sports, ICA department and the representatives of various voluntary organizations were present in the meeting.

This International Divyangan Day will be observed jointly by district social welfare and social education office and District Divyagan Rehabilitation Project. On the occasion, sports competitions and distribution of prize will be held for the Divyangans. Moreover, an demonstrative cricket match among four teams will be held. 1st, 2nd, 3rd position holders and every participant will be awarded. 250 Divyangans from various Divyangan organizations, schools etc will participate in these events. Individuals, organizations, and clubs will be awarded for outstanding performance in the welfare of Divyangan. For availing the prizes the concerned organizations and persons have to apply in black and white alongwith the Xerox copy of Aadhaar card.