

## **Workshop on folk dance in Dashami Reang para**

Fortnight long folk dance workshop has been started from August 23 at Dashami Reang para community hall in Santirbazar subdivision. 45 young artistes of Santirbazar are participating in this folk dance workshop organized jointly by Hojagiri and Sangrai Dance Academy in association with Sanrtirbazar subdivisional information and cultural affairs office. Folk artist Halenjoy Reang has provided training on Hojagiri dance in the workshop. On the other hand, artist Raju Mog giving training on Sangrai dance.

## **Dibyangjan identification camp at Jampuijala**

Block level camp on identification of Dibyangjan was organized by West Tripura district DDRC at Jampuijala block office on August 23. Specialist doctors identified the Dibyangjans after medical test of 15 persons. Among them, seven Dibyangjans had been provided certificates. Moreover, one wheel chair, one tri-cycle and one walking stick were distributed in the camp. Orthopedic surgeon Dr. Anupam Debnath, Ophthalmologist Dr. Uttam Bhattacharjee,

ENT Surgeon Dr. Anurangshu Roy and Psychologist Dr. Sajal Gupta were present in the camp as specialist medical service providers.

## **Under 17 & 21 years State level Kabbadi Competition held**

Under 17 & 21 years boys-girls Kabbadi competition as a part of state level Khelo Tripura and School Sports Meet- 2019-20 part-VI was held at the ground of Kumarghat PWD office on August 24. North Tripura and Dhalai districts won championship and runners up respectively in boys division under 17 years. West Tripura and Sepahijala districts won championship and runners up respectively in girls division under 17 years. North Tripura and Unakoti districts won championship and runners up respectively in boys division under 21 years. Sepahijala and Dhalai districts won championship and runners up respectively in girls division under 21 years. More than 350 players from 8 districts of the state participated in the tournament held from August 22-24. MLA Bhagaban Das, social activist Ristulal Deb and other prominent persons were present in the tournament. Two teams will be selected from the boys-girls of 8 districts under 17 years for participation in National level Kabbadi

competition, physical instructor Pramode Das informed.

### **Pass port service centre inaugurated at Dharmanagar**



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MP Rebati Tripura inaugurated the branch office of International passport service centre at Dharmanagar through a programme on August 24. Deputy Speaker of Tripura Legislative Assembly Bishwabandhu Sen thanked the state government for opening of the second passport service centre (of Tripura) at Dharmanagar. Regional Passport Officer from Kolkata Bibhuti Bhusan Kumar and other officers were present in the programme. This passport service centre has been launched at the Dharmanagar post office complex.

### **South district level 'Parashmoni' Scheme launched**

Leprosy detection scheme, Parashmoni' has been launched in South Tripura

district alongwith rest of the state for leprosy detection for building leprosy-free Tripura on August 26. MLA Shankar Roy inaugurated the South district level, 'Parashmoni' programme being implemented by the health department at Basundhara Ban Chetana centre of Manubazar on August 26. He appealed to all for cooperation to make leprosy free Tripura. Sabhadhipati of South Tripura Zilla Parishad Kakali Das Datta, chairman of Satchand Panchayat Samiti Anil Chandra Majumdar, member of South Tripura Zilla Parishad Debasish Majumdar, CMO of South Tripura district Sankar Das and other distinguished guests delivered speeches.

The programme was presided over by Saha Sabhadhipati of South Tripura Zilla Parishad Bibhishan Das. A colourful procession of students marched on various roads of Manubazar on appeal of leprosy detection before starting the programme. Health and ASHA staffs will participate in door to door campaign for leprosy detection and treatment from August 26 to September 9. Treatment will be provided to detected patients free of cost. Facility of treatment will be provided to all patients suffering from leprosy including children above 2 years old.