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HEADLINES:-

- 1. Prime Minister Narendra Modi says that Yoga is becoming a unifying force, bringing together people across cultures and backgrounds.
- 2. Meghalaya Governor Phagu Chauhans leads the International Yoga Day celebrations at Raj Bhavan in Shillong.
- 3. Manipur Raj Bhavan celebrates International Yoga Day under the supervision of Governor Sushri Anusuiya Uikey.
- 4. Meghalaya Chief Minister, Conrad K Sangma inaugurates the Mallangkona Police Outpost in West Khasi Hills.
- 5. Indian Documentary Producers Association Award for Best Student Film at MIFF 2024 awarded to 'Chanchisoa (Expectation); a film directed by Ms Elvachisa Ch Sangma and Shri Dipankar Das.
- 6. Manipur Chief Minister N. Biren Singh says that India is concerned about influx of people from Myanmar into North Eastern States.

YOGA

Prime Minister Narendra Modi says that Yoga has become a unifying force, bringing together people across cultures and backgrounds. He said, it is gladdening to see the youth participating in Yoga sessions with such zeal and dedication. In a social media post yesterday, the Prime Minister said, the 10th International Yoga Day was held at a great scale across the world. He thanked for the collective efforts of individuals, communities and organizations, for practicing Yoga.

YOGA-NE

Meghalaya Governor Phagu Chauhan led the International Yoga Day celebrations held at Raj Bhavan in Shillong. The programme was organised by the NCC Directorate, NER and Group Headquarter, Shillong on the theme "Yoga for Self and Society," which emphasises yoga's impact on personal well-being and community health. The Governor along with the Principal Secretary to the Governor, Harish ChandraChaudhary, Additional Director, NCC, NE region, Maj Gen. Gagan Deep, 700 cadets of the NCC, officers and staff of Raj Bhavan performed the asanas under the guidance of experienced yoga instructor Bramachari Prem Swaroop from the Art of Living.

Nagaland joined the rest of the world and observed the 10th International Day of Yoga. Various programmes were organised at various locations by the different state departments, NGOs and Assam Rifles.

In Kohima, the Department of Youth Resources and Sports in collaboration with the National AYUSH Mission, and the Directorate of Health & Family Welfare organised a Yoga session at IG Stadium.

ADD-YOGA-NE

In Manipur, International Yoga Day was celebrated at Raj Bhavan in Imphal. It was led by Governor Sushri Anusuiya Uikey. She practised yoga asanas with officers, staff and security

personnel at Raj Bhavan. Yoga day events were also organised at different places in the state. In Arunachal Pradesh, various yoga training sessions and awareness programmes were organized on the occasion of Yoga Day. In Itanagar, the State Legislative Assembly also organized a Yoga session. Department of Health and Family Welfare in association with Vihangam Yog organized another yoga awareness session at Hornbill Futsal Ground in Itanagar city.

Sikkim celebrated International Day of Yoga. The state-level event was held at Paljor Stadium of the State capital Gangtok with State Governor Lakshman Prasad Acharya as Chief Guest. Speaking on the occasion, Governor Acharya emphasized the significance of yoga in promoting the stability of both the body and the mind. In Tawang, the International Day of Yoga was observed at Gyalwa Tsangyang Gyatso High altitude stadium in collaboration with the Indian Army. Indian Army also organized yoga sessions for students and the public at the Jung sub-division in the district.

INAUGURATION

Meghalaya Chief Minister, Conrad K Sangma, yesterday inaugurated the Mallangkona Police Outpost in West Khasi Hills. Delivering the inaugural address, Chief Minister, Conrad K Sangma said that safety and security of the people of the state is of utmost priority of the government. He also said that in other critical locations across the state similar police setups would be put in place to ensure protection of the citizens. Further, the Chief Minister also said that having the outpost in an area that is close to the border with Assam will instil in the people of the area a sense of security and prevent untoward incidents.

AWARD

Indian Documentary Producers Association Award for Best Student Film at MIFF 2024 has been awarded to 'Chanchisoa (Expectation); a film directed by Ms Elvachisa Ch Sangma and Shri Dipankar Das. The film is produced by Dr Bhupen Hazarika Regional Govt Film & TV Institute. Maharashtra Minister for Cultural Affairs Shri Sudhir Mungantiwar, President IDPA Shri Sanskar Desai, Festival Director and Joint Secretary, Ministry of Information & Broadcasting Shri B Prithul Kumar and actor Shekhar Suman presented the Award. The Award carries a trophy and prize money of Rs. 1 lakh.

MEETING

Manipur Chief Minister N. Biren Singh said that India has made it clear in the meeting of United Nations Human Rights Council held recently that increased influx of people from Myanmar into India's Northeastern States and the challenge of transnational crimes such as drug and human trafficking continue to remain an area of grave concern. While replying to the questions from media persons during the celebration of International Yoga Day held at Imphal yesterday, the Chief Minister said that the Government of India is taking the conflict in Manipur seriously and trying to resolve the conflict as soon as possible.
