

## Morning News Script

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Chief Minister Niephiu Rio, Neiphu Rio has expressed regret over the abstention of the Eastern Nagaland People's Organisation from the Urban Local Body elections. Rio said this during the felicitation program for the newly elected Urban Local Body Councilors from Dimapur and East Dimapur, representing the NDPP, held at Chümoukedima. He said the government is serious in filling up the empty ULB in the eastern districts. Rio also said despite the setback of non participation of ENPO, he remained optimistic that better things will come and pave the way for them to work together for comprehensive development of the state. Rio also assured that grants would be allocated within permissible limits to facilitate development in the state including Eastern Nagaland. Rio emphasized the need for a dedicated directorate to oversee Urban Local Bodies, advocating for improved efficiency in governance. He also disclosed the government's consideration of an Anti-Defection law to ensure stability in governance, highlighting its importance in the functioning of elected bodies. Extending congratulation to the elected Councillors from the Dimapur and East Dimapur, the Chief Minister exuded hope that their dedicated service to the communities will pave the way for a better future and progress of Nagaland.

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NEET-PG Entrance Examination 2024 will be held on 11th of next month and to be conducted in two shifts. The National Board of Examinations in Medical Sciences has issued the revised schedule of the examination

yesterday . The exam was postponed in last month a day ahead of the scheduled date of examination. The decision was taken in the wake of allegations regarding the integrity of certain competitive examinations.



The Women Entrepreneurs Network Nagaland in collaboration with the Department of Industries & Commerce conducted a workshop on business governance for women entrepreneurs at Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSME) - Development and Facilitation Office yesterday. The aim was to spread awareness on mandatory business regulations as well as information on various government policies for women entrepreneurs of Dimapur, Chumoukidema and Niuland districts. The workshop was held under the theme 'Year of Business Governance' on the topic 'Importance of regulatory business compliances & documentation' where around 40 women entrepreneurs from various fields attended the workshop. The participants were highlighted on various aspects including Regulatory Business Compliances, Trade License, UDYAM, Food Safety and Standards Authority of India registration and Pradhan Mantri Formalisation of Micro Food Processing Enterprises scheme. It is part of a series of workshops planned in several districts of Nagaland by WENN on the theme 'Year of Business Governance' to empower women entrepreneurs.



Deputy Commissioner Mokokchung Thsuvisie Phoiji has ordered the closure of the vehicular movements along the on-going widening of existing single lane to an intermediate lane road between Mokokchung to Chare via Dikhu, until the end of monsoon season or further notice, The closure was initiated, following massive landslides and rock falls

along the stretch of the highway, posing threat to safety of the commuters and onsite workers. In a travel advisory, DC Mokokchung advised the travellers from Mokokchung to Chare and vice versa to take alternative route Sewak Gate- Moalenden-Meyilong-chare.



In Football, Nagaland team defeated Meghalaya by 5-0 in the last league match of the tournament to progress in the semifinals round of the ongoing Women Sentinel's Cup at Sonitpur, Assam yesterday. The tournament is organised by Assam Rifles with teams from North Eastern states, including Assam, Mizoram, Meghalaya, Tripura, Nagaland and Arunachal Pradesh, and one from the Director General Assam Rifles Women Football Team are taking part. The women's football club "Naga Damsels" is representing the state at the first Sentinel NorthEast Cup 2024 .In the last match of Pool B, also the last league match of the Championship, Nagaland defeated Meghalaya 5-0, thanks to Neke Konyak hat-trick. While Chimmushe & Watijungla scored a goal each for Nagaland. While, Nagaland lost against Arunachal Pradesh by 5-1, but won against Mizoram 6-0 in the second match. Nagaland sails to the Semis finals as Pool B Runner-up & will now play Director General Assam Rifles the Winner of Pool A on 8th of July

