

## NORTH EAST NEWS BULLETIN

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### **HEADLINES:-**

- ✓ Students' protest escalates in Manipur, indefinite curfew and internet shut down in valley districts.
- ✓ Meghalaya Government launches EasyLottery.In, India's first fully digital lottery.
- ✓ Nagaland Deputy Chief Minister Y Patton says government taking all steps to prevent any influx of illegal immigrants into state.
- ✓ Meghalaya government schedules decisive meeting with Harijan Panchayat Committee in the last week of September.
- ✓ On World Suicide Prevention Day, the District Mental Health Program, South West Garo Hills, Meghalaya hosted an event yesterday.
- ✓ Teams from Red FM 93.5 Shillong to organize On-Ground Activities/Roadshows/Studio Shifts at Tura on 13<sup>th</sup> September under 'Opening Doors for Education to Children' and 'Back to School Campaign'.
- ✓ Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad organizes Pa Togan Sangma Best Student Award 2024 ceremony at Tura.
- ✓ Laban Bengalee Boys' Higher Secondary School, Shillong, organizes 22nd Inter School/College Debate Competition on the topic 'Reality television is harmful to the society'.
- ✓ Manipur and Meghalaya teams meet in finals of 63rd Subroto Cup International Tournament Junior Boys Under-17 competition today.

### **MANIPUR:**

In Manipur, the students' protest escalated at different valley areas and the State Government imposed indefinite curfew in three valley districts and shut down internet services till the 15th of this month. In Imphal city, thousands of students took to the road towards Raj Bhavan demanding the Governor to translate their charter of demands. These include removal of Security Advisor and DGP, entrusting the Unified command charge with the Chief Minister and withdrawal of Central forces.

### **LOTTERY:**

The Meghalaya Government yesterday announced the launch of EasyLottery.In, India's first fully digital lottery in the presence of chief minister Conrad Sangma at New Delhi. With the first winner prize of fifty crore rupees, EasyLottery.in promises to be a game changer in terms of giving a seamless and transparent lottery experience, an official statement said.

### **ALERT:**

Deputy Chief Minister of Nagaland, Y Patton has said the state government is on high alert and will take all steps to prevent any influx of illegal immigrants into the state. Mr Patton who holds the Home portfolio, assured the public that district administrations, police and other state and central agencies were well prepared to

prevent any influx of illegal immigrants. The Deputy Chief Minister called upon the civil society organizations of Nagaland to remain calm and extend full co-operation to the government so as to ensure the security and integrity of the state.

#### **HPC:**

The Meghalaya government has scheduled a decisive meeting with the Harijan Panchayat Committee (HPC) in the last week of September, to be chaired by the Chief Secretary. This meeting comes after the HPC requested an extension from the government to provide their final decision on the proposed relocation from Them Iew Mawlong to Bishop Cotton Road in Shillong. Deputy Chief Minister in charge of Urban Affairs, Sniawbhalang Dhar, confirmed the development, stating, the Harijan Panchayat Committee has requested an extension until the last week of September.

#### **DAY:**

In observance of World Suicide Prevention Day, the District Mental Health Program, South West Garo Hills, Meghalaya hosted an event at Chengkompara Adolescent Health Resource Centre yesterday, under the global theme 'Changing the Narrative on Suicide'. The event saw active participation from educational institutions, health professionals, and community leaders, aimed at raising awareness on mental health and suicide prevention. Superintendent of Police Vikash Kumar emphasized the impact of social media on mental health and the growing concerns of its influence on the younger generation.

#### **FM:**

The Teams from Red FM 93.5 Shillong will be arriving at Tura to organize On-Ground Activities/Roadshows/Studio Shifts on the 13th of this month from 9 AM onwards under the Campaign, "Opening Doors for Education to Children" and "Back to School Campaign". The programme is being organized by District Legal Services Authority, Tura in collaboration with Meghalaya State Legal Services Authority under the aegis of National Legal Services Authority.

#### **AWARD:**

The Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad (ABVP) organized the Pa Togan Sangma Best Student Award 2024 ceremony at the District Auditorium, Tura. The award ceremony concluded with students being recognized for their academic achievements.

#### **DEBATE:**

The Laban Bengalee Boys' Higher Secondary School, Shillong, yesterday organized the 22nd Inter School/College Debate Competition on the topic 'Reality television is harmful to the society'. Altogether 10 different schools participated in the competition. The champion's trophy was bagged by Vanessa Theodora Diengdoh from Ramakrishna Mission Higher Secondary School, Sohra and the first runner-up trophy was bagged by T Hangshing from St. Edmund's Higher Secondary School, Shillong. Nazia P Sooting from BSF Senior Secondary School, Shillong won the second runner-up trophy.

#### **SUBROTO:**

Manipur and Meghalaya are the two teams who made it to the finals of the 63rd Subroto Cup International Tournament Junior Boys Under-17 competition. Meghalaya defeated Arunachal Pradesh in the semifinal and Manipur went past Sri

Lanka. Meghalaya's Myngken Christian Higher Secondary School versus Manipur's T.G English School final will be play at the Ambedkar Stadium in New Delhi today. Live telecast viewing options of the final match will be available on the DD Sports TV channel and Prasar Bharti Sports Youtube Channel.

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