

THE HEADLINES :-

- **Nagaland Governor Nand Kishore Yadav underscores critical role of education in India's journey towards Viksit Bharat 2047.**
- **Department of Youth Resources and Sports, Nagaland organizes 12th International Day of Yoga.**
- **Advisor, Nagaland, Picto Shohe emphasizes importance of quality education in shaping future of children.**
- **Centre approves continuation of DISHA restructured as DISHA 2.0 for five years.**



Governor of Nagaland, Nand Kishore Yadav today described education as the most powerful instrument of transformation and underscored its critical role in India's journey towards Viksit Bharat 2047. Addressing the Byatikram Education Conclave 9.0 in Dimapur, he stated that the country's education system must equip young people with knowledge, skills, values and creativity to meet the challenges and opportunities of the future. Referring to the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, the Governor said that the policy provides a strong roadmap for educational advancement through multidisciplinary learning, critical thinking, innovation and skill development. He noted that in an era marked by Artificial Intelligence and rapid technological advancements, students must develop as lifelong learners, innovators and responsible citizens. The Governor stressed that education should empower young people not only to seek employment but also to become creators of opportunities and contributors to society's progress.



The Department of Youth Resources and Sports, Nagaland today organized the 12th International Day of Yoga at Indira Gandhi Stadium in Kohima under the theme "Yoga for Healthy Ageing." Yoga instructor Lawrence led the participants through the Common Yoga Protocol session, including a series of yoga asanas, breathing exercises and relaxation techniques. Addressing the gathering before the session, Mr. Lawrence said this year's theme highlighted the importance of maintaining physical, mental and emotional well-being as people age. He said yoga is not merely a form of physical exercise but a way of life that helps keep the body fit, the mind calm and the soul peaceful. Mr. Lawrence encouraged participants to practice yoga regularly and correctly, stressing that yoga should not be approached as a competition.



Advisor for New and Renewable Energy, Nagaland, Picto Shohe today emphasized the importance of quality education in shaping the future of children. The Advisor was speaking after inaugurating the new building of Government Primary School at Thilixü Village in Medziphema under Chumoukedima district. Stating that government school teachers today are well-qualified and capable of providing quality education, he urged parents to have confidence in the government education system. Mr. Shohe added that community participation plays a vital role in strengthening educational institutions and ensuring a better learning environment for children.



Extra Assistant Commissioner of Meluri district, Zuchibemo Ezung today stressed the importance of proper training for Census officials to minimize errors during data collection. Emphasized that the Census 2027 would be conducted through a

fully digital platform, he urged Supervisors and Enumerators to maintain accuracy in order to avoid cross-enumeration. Mr. Ezung was speaking at the second phase of Census Training for Supervisors and Enumerators under Meluri District. Meanwhile, the Second Batch of Census 2027 for enumerators and supervisors for the Sardar area under Zunheboto District also commenced today at the Deputy Commissioner Office Conference Hall. A total of 50 participants from Sardar areas are undergoing the training programme, which is aimed at equipping enumerators and supervisors with the necessary skills and knowledge for the upcoming Census 2027 exercise.



Centre has approved the continuation of the Central Sector Scheme ‘Designing Innovative Solutions for Holistic Access to Justice (DISHA)’ restructured as DISHA 2.0 for a period of five years from 1st April this year to 31st March 2031. Ministry of Law and Justice in a statement said that the scheme has a total approved financial outlay of 255 crore rupees, to be funded entirely through 100 percent Gross Budgetary Support of the Government. The Ministry noted that DISHA 2.0 is a rationalized and restructured scheme initiated along with a new component, VIDHI (Vision for Integrated Delivery of Harmonized Legal Initiatives) Sanjeevani featuring Centralized Digital Platform and AI-Powered Nyaya Setu Chatbot for Technology-Enabled Justice Delivery. It said that DISHA 2.0 comprises the four components and will be implemented on a pan India scale across all States and Union Territories. These components include Tele-Law, Nyaya Bandhu Programme, Legal Literacy and Legal Awareness Programme, and VIDHI Sanjeevani. It further said that the scheme targets a cumulative outreach of three Crore beneficiaries across all the four Programme Components.



In continuation of its resolution to combat drug menace in Wokha district, the Lotha Youth Hoho has expelled two more individuals from Wokha district for their alleged involvement in drug peddling. According to the Union, a joint checking exercise was conducted in collaboration with two Youth Organization, during which two individuals identified as Nzanthung and Zuthunglo were allegedly found selling sunflower drugs. It stated that a discussion was held with the two individuals today, following which they were directed to leave Wokha district for a period of five years. The Union has appealed to the public to extend further support by reporting any information related to drug peddling and substance abuse in the district.



The Department of Information & Public Relations (DIPR) today commenced a three-day Photography and Videography Training Programme for its interns at the Directorate Conference Hall. The training is aimed at equipping students with practical skills in visual storytelling and digital media production. Recognizing the growing importance of vocational and skill-based education, the Department has designed an intensive, hands-on and interactive training programme to provide interns with valuable exposure to the professional aspects of photography and videography. The sessions are structured to blend theoretical knowledge with practical exercises, enabling participants to gain firsthand experience in handling cameras, composing visual content, capturing impactful images and videos, and understanding the fundamentals of media documentation. A total of 16 interns representing various universities and educational institutions across the state, along with a few participants from outside the state, are currently undertaking their internship with the Department.

