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Tsirang Dzongkhag Vision

An economically vibrant, culturally rich, harmonious Dzongkhag with pristine environment.

Our Humble Felicitations



Tsirang Dzongkhag joins the nation to Wish Your Majesty the King Long Life, Good Health and peace and prosperity under your Golden Reign on the joyous occasion of
His Majesty's 40th Birth Anniversary
21 February 2020
Lha Gyelo

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The Family of Dzongkhag Administration, Tsirang joins the nation on this joyous occasion of Our Beloved and Adorable Gyalsay Jigme Namgyal Wangchuck on his Fourth Birthday. We offer our sincere and humble prayers for our Gyalsay's good Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Long Live our Kings and Royal Family..Pelden Drukpa Gyelo.

Tsirang Incident Command System(TICS) has setup the Hotline for queries on Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)

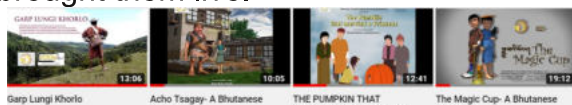
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Reminder: Please be informed that Damphu Municipal is under CCTV surveillance

Bhutanese Animation play in Local TV channel

The Dzongkhag Administration in collaboration with Kuenzang TV cable, Damphu broadcasted the Bhutanese animation movies to our children in order to bring interest of watching our own folkstale, which are long forgotten of story telling, now with technology brought them live.



Digital Literacy Training

First Digital Training was conducted by Dzongkhag ICT Office with a financial support from Department of Technology and Telecom (DITT). Digital Literacy is one of the componenet of Digital Drukylul Flagship. In the 12 five year plan (FYP) Department has targetted to train 8500 people on ICT.

The training was well received by the people and 18 participants were trained in Professional Development Center (PDC), Damphu. the participant were from different background which comprises of student, farmer, business, police and civil servants.

The opening of programme is graced by Offtg. Dzongdag, Dasho Namgay Dorji, Dzongrab. In the opening remark, Dasho asked all the participants to take the opportuniy as ICT is spreading in manifold.

The training was imparted in three section Basic ICT, G2C services and Media Literacy. The gtraining was conducted for five days. which started from 3rd Feb to 7th Feb 2020.

Mid Year Budget Review Meeting

Mid-Year Budget Review Meeting was held on 9/1/2020 in the Dzongkhag Conference Hall between Dzongkhag sector heads led by Offtg. Dzongdag, Dasho Namgay Dorji and Department of National Budget (DNB) officials led by Mr. Namgyal Wangchuk, Chief Budget Officer. Dy. CFO Mr. Nar Bir Tamang welcome the official from DNB and thanked the Dasho Dzongrababd sector heads for participating in the meeting.

Dasho Dzongrab also welcome the team and highlighted the importance of Budget Review. He said to sector heads to be rationalized in re-appropriation of budget. Chief from DNB shared the

government concern of fiscal deficit and reminded the participants when re-appropriation of budget to keep fiscal deficit in mind. Meeting deliberated on the

following points

1. Budget utilisation plan
2. Budget align to agency APA
3. Propose adequate budget of spill over works
4. shortage of TA/DSA budget
5. shortage of Maintenace budget of pool vehicles



Dzongkhag Administration had setup Dzongkhag Help Desk. Please use the service of Dzongkhag Help Desk

"We are compelled to take this drastic measure in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. As you have been made aware through various government bulletins, the virus is spreading, causing immense disruption worldwide, and drawing closer to us each day.."

New Staffs Join

Dzongkhag Administration welcomes the New recruit and transferred Teachers, Supporting staffs, Vice-Principals and Principals. The 45 new staffs under Tsirang Dzongkhag shall be placed at various schools under Tsirang Dzongkhag. Event was initiated by Education Sector.



Two team for Space Quiz

Two team from Damphu Central School is taking part in the Space Quiz today in the Dzongkhag Administration. Team Damphu Helios comprises of Mr.Hari Prasad Acharya, Team Leader, Mr.Abin Chapagai, Ms.Jetsun Wangmo and Mr.Ashish Pradhan all are XI standard. Other team is Damphu Comets lead by Mr.Kalden Ghallay, Team Leader, Mr.Passang Dorji Tamang, Ms. Reena Ghimeray and Ms.Leki Wangmo Tamang all from XII standards.

Bhutan Space Week is celebrated in the commemoration of 40th Birth Anniversary of our Beloved His Majesty the King Jigme

Khesar Namgyel Wangchuck. Space quiz is part of the programme. As per the reliable sources, there are 23 teams from all the dzongkhags appearing for Online Test on space quiz. Out of 23 team only 10 teams will be selected. The Ten winner team will be called in Thimphu.



ICT Tips and Tricks

Find your Wi-Fi password In Windows, go to the "Network and Sharing Center." Right click on the Wi-Fi network connection icon > Wireless Properties. Click on Show Characters box to show your Wi-Fi password.

In macOS all passwords are stored in the Keychain app. Use Spotlight to find "Keychain Access." Open the app and find your Wi-Fi network name in the list of saved credentials. Double click it and then click the box to show your password (it will require your OS level password).

"As a small country with a small population, we can overcome any challenge we are faced with, if the people and the government work together."

- HM the King JKNW (22 March 2020)

EM Technology poultry farm

On 7th February 2020, EM Technology model poultry farm was formally inaugurated by Honorable Director General, Department of Livestock, MoAF and Chief of JICA, representative from Miyagi farm, Japan and Honorable Dasho Dzongrab, sectors heads, Gups, Adm Officer, extension staffs, members of Poultry Cooperatives of Tsirang Dzongkhag. There were also distinguish guest Regional Director from RLDC

Wangdue, Program Director of NPRDC Sarpang, Farm Manager, NPRDC Paro. The EMT model poultry farm was located at Pelrithang village under Goserling geog in Tsirang Dzongkhag. It is basically established as poultry model shed which will utilize only EM solution to prevent majority of problem and with vision to replicate similar shed within the Dzongkhag to promote effective and efficient use of natural resource. EM Technology could play an important role in the development of sustainable farming system in the Bhutan.

Contributed by Dorji Rinzin, Livestock sector

**GC Road to Dzongkhag**

The Department of Roads Tsirang handed over the ownership of Gewog Connectivity (GC) roads of Tsirang to the Dzongkhag Administration on 13th February 2020.

Tsirang Dzongkhag is the only Dzongkhag with 100% Blacktopped GC road connectivity.

A total of 81.224 Kms of GC roads has been handed over to the Dzongkhag Administration.



Dasho Dzongdag with Executive Engineer, DoR, Sarpang

"It is important, however, to not lose sight of our national objectives, and aim to bring normalcy as soon as possible so that when this pandemic is behind us, we can continue to work on making our future better and stronger"

HM the King JKNW (22 March 2020)

present.

Monthly APA Meeting

Monthly Dzongkhag APA review meeting was held on 10th February 2020 in the Dzongkhag Conference Hall. It was organized by Planning unit in order to keep every one on board.

According to Ms.Karma Choden, Offtg.Planning Officer, Dzongkhag has 34 Success Indicator for this year 2019-2020. Meeting discussed the strategy to complete the activities on time.

Meeting was chaired by Hon'ble Dasho Dzongdag. All the sector heads were



9th Raising Day of Desuup

Total 54 Dessups from Tsirang participated for the celebration of 9th Raising Day of Dessup. Dasho Dzongdag was a Chief Guest. Lam Neten, Dasho Drangpon, SP, Sector Heads graced the occasion. The Day was celebrated by offering thousands butter lamp in the Melamthang hall, in Damphu. Tsirang Desuup offered Zhabten for His Majesty the King.



"Parents must guide their children, and children must take it upon themselves to use this opportunity to continue studying- at your age, education should be your most important concern. Do not waste time."

- HM the King JKNW (22 March 2020)

Second Digital Literacy Training

Second Batch Digital Literacy Training is graced by Hon'ble DASHO DZONGDAG. About 30 participants attending the training comprises of RBP, Youth, Teachers, Civil servants and Students in the Municipal Conference Hall, Damphu Municipal Office.

Training is conducted by Dzongkhag Administration with financial support from Department of Information Technology and Telecom

(DITT).

DASHO DZONGDAG highlighted that in 21st Century, ICT is the tool for Development.



Hospital Staffs celebrated HM's Birthday

108 fruits trees plantation graced by Honorable DASHO DZONGDAG today at Tsirang Hospital. Hospital Staffs celebrated His Majesty's birthday by planting 108 fruit trees in and around Hospital compound in commemoration of His Majesty the King Jigme Khesar Namgyal Wangchuck's 40th Birth Anniversary.



"According to experts, the elderly population is at the greatest risk from COVID-19. We must take care of our elderly, protect them, and ensure that their environment is safe and clean"

HM the King JKNW (22 March 2020)

Google Apps Training in Gewogs

ICT section is conducting two days training on Google Apps in the 12 Gewogs. Training is mainly targeted to civil servants in the gewog to make use of Google Apps. Till now they have only known Google Apps is Email system. This training will help them to unearth the apps integrated with Gmail. ICT Officer is teaching them Google drives, Google docs, Google sheets and other useful features like Hangouts and Google Earth. In three Gewogs training is completed and rest of the

Gewogs will be covering soon.

Due to COVID-19, the training is withheld.



Dzongkhag Tshogdu held

Tsirang's 9th Dzongkhag Tshogdu was held on 19/3/2020. During the Tshogdu, members deliberated on the review of 8th DT resolution.

Budget proposal for the year 2020-2021 was presented by Dy. Chief Finance Officer in DT for endorsement. Members consensually approved the budget.

Dzongkhag preparedness on the global pandemic of Covid-19 was also discussed.

The day long Dzongkhag Tshogdu was concluded by reciting Zhabten to our beloved King and Tashi Monlam for the well being of our Nation.



"Climb higher on the shoulders of past achievements-your last is not to fill old shoes or follow a well trodden path, but to forge a new road leading towards brighter future"

- HM the King JKNW (2019)

Glimpses of Events happened in Tsirang



Lam Neten, Dasho Drangpon, Dasho SP and Dasho Dzongrab lead the sector heads and celebrated our beloved HRH Gyalsay Fourth Birth Anniversary in Namgaycholing Dratshang. Part of celebration offered butter lamps and prayers for His Highness Welbeings and everlasting happiness



Tsirang Dzongkhag bid farewell to our colleagues Mr.Sangay Chopel D,Chief DEO,who served in Tsirang Dzongkhag for more than 5 years and transfer to Ministry of Education as Chief Monitoring Officer and respectively Mr.Milam Tashi,REDCL Fund Officer,who served for 4 years in Tsirang and now will work in Dagana in same office.

Designed and Layout

Tshering Dorji
Sr.ICT Officer

"Where we live must be clean, safe, well-organized and beautiful; for national integrity, national pride and for our bright future. This too is nation building."

- HM the King JKNW (2019)