REPORT OF AWARENESS CUM PHOTO EXHIBITION PROGRAMME

Date: 14-03-2023 Venue: Sao Chang College Conference Hall

Central Bureau of Communication, Ministry of Information & Broadcasting Field Office, Tuensang, in collaboration with **Sao Chang College** organised an Awareness – cum - Photo Exhibition on 14th March 2023 during "**Yuva Utsav**" at **Sao Chang College conference hall**, Tuensang. The exhibition showcases the *Yuva Utsav* and freedom struggle(mainly focusing on unsung heroes of Northeast) of India through a series of photo exhibits.

The Programme was inaugurated by Chief Guest Shri Zerutso, IAS, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Tuensang, Nagaland. Chief Guest inaugurated the photo exhibition and in his speech he appreciated the efforts of the department for organizing the multimedia exhibition and urged students to visit the exhibition. He said that India is the world's largest democracy and every country looks towards India to study how Democracy is functioning so vibrantly even after 75 years of its independence. He also added that even the election system in India is a learning experience for many foreign countries. The speaker highlighted the tremendous improvement in the last 75 years and described how life expectancy from 28 in 1947 has gone up to 78 which is example of the development in health infrastructure.

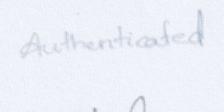
Addressing the gathering, the Chief Guest recalled the supreme sacrifices made by our forefathers while fighting for independence from the repressive British rule and urged the people particularly the youths from the audiences to imbibe in them the spirit of patriotism and emulate the paths shown by our freedoms fighters and all such issues of national interests. Describing India as a vibrant and largest democracy in the world, he pointed out that many nations today looks upon India as a world leader and seeks suggestions for solutions from on various social, cultural, economical and political issues afflicting the world today. "They are in awe and look upon India with respect because of our successful running and functioning of various democratic institutions like Judiciary, Parliament and Election Commission of India", he added. Explaining the idea of a nation as an entity where all sections of the people co-exists and lives in harmony cutting across caste, culture, language and religious differences, he propagated the concept of oneness inclusiveness. Concluding his speech, the chief guest reminded the audience to have a sense of responsibility and abide by the Fundamental Duties while enjoying one's Fundamental Rights as enshrined in the Constitution of India.

Guest of Honour, **Shri Chuba Onen, OC of Police, Tuensang District, Nagaland** highlighted about YUVA UTSAV, saying that this is the platform for our country especially the youth for youth empowerment. He also spoke about district level, state level, National level competitions and encouraged the students to register for participation at all levels. Guest of Honour also mentioned that the eligible candidate/person to participate at the programs/competition should be at the age group of 15 to 29 years. He also urges the audience to spread the awareness about *Yuva Utsav* and *Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav* to their families, friends and neighbours.

Shri. **Hingnamdi Newme**, Field Publicity Officer In-charge, gave an overview of the functioning, structure and working of Central Bureau of Communication in the region. Speaking about the exhibition, Shri. H. Nemwe said that it is an effort to familiarize people with the objectives and vision behind *Yuva Utsav* and how common people can be a part of the campaign. He also briefed the audience about various outreach activities that will be organized for the dissemination of information at the grassroot level. The exhibition showcased the *Yuva Utsav* and freedom struggle(mainly focusing on unsung heroes of

Aurila principal Gao Chang College Tuerrang Nagaland Northeast) of India through a series of photo exhibits. The programme ended with a vote of thanks by Shri Longtichang Tzudir, Vice Principal, Sao Chang College, Tuensang, Nagaland. All together 70 participants attended the programme.





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