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Regional Livestock Mela ends on positive note

NAMSAL, Feb 23: A two-day 'Regional Livestock Mela' was organized by AH & Veterinary Department on the occasion of the 30th Statehood Day celebrations at Namsai which concluded on Feb 21.

As part of the Mela held under the National Livestock Mission, an exhibition-cum-sale of livestock and pets was held wherein scientists, professionals, entrepreneurs, farmers and SHGs from the state as well as from neighboring state Assam participated.

People thronged in large numbers to see and buy various livestock and pets being exhibited. Improved breeds of goat, pigs, dogs of various breeds, ornamental birds, cattle, rabbit, Khaki Campbell, Kamrupa bird besides, processed foods were put on exhibition and sale.

Zenith Child School, Namsai, Skill India from Hyderabad, Spice Board of India, Animal Health division of Pharmaceutical companies, Krishi Gyyan



Kendra also put up exhibition stalls.

On the sidelines of Livestock Mela, a farmers' trainings and farmers-scientist interactions were also conducted which was attended by the farmers, principal scientist from NRC on pig, District Veterinary Officers and Veterinary Officers of Lower Dibang Valley, Lohit, Anjaw, Tirap and Changlang districts, Krishi

Vigyan Kendra, ATMA among others.

The district administration also awarded government employees with commendation certificates in recognition of their meritorious services on the occasion of the Statehood Day celebrations. The awardees included Lekang, E A C H N Dubey, i/c DVO Dr Keshab Sarmah, AE PHED O Pada, JE-WRD Babulityavarah,

JE WRD CC Shaji, Lineman Anil Gogoi and sanitation worker of UD department Raju Tanti and Pradip Patra.

Meanwhile, the Arunachalee students in Pune under the aegis of Arunachal Students Welfare Association of Pune (ASWAP) also celebrated the Statehood Day along with the Silver Jubilee celebration of ASWAP with much enthusiasm on Feb 20

at Pune.

Addressing the students on the occasion, AAPSU President Kamta Lapung advised the students to refrain from unwanted activities and remain more dedicated towards their studies.

Director of the Students' Welfare Board, Pune University, Dr. Dalvi Sanjay Kumar also assured to extend all possible support to the students of Arunachal Pradesh in regards to their academic as well as co-curricular activities.

AAPSU Spokesperson Tanya Agu in his address urged the students to remain united and to concentrate most of their time in academic pursuit which is the ultimate mantra for succeeding in life.

ASWAP President Rujah Gyamar also spoke on the occasion.

Various sports, literary and cultural competitions were held in order to mark the silver jubilee celebration of ASWAP. (DIPRO/ Correspondents)