

**NORTH EAST NEWS BULLETIN**  
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**HEADLINES:-**

- Prime Minister Narendra Modi says India is moving towards One Nation Civil Code that is a Secular Civil Code.
- Arunachal Pradesh Minister of Health & Family Welfare, and Water Resources, Biyuram Waghe inaugurates Butterfly Park at Pakke Tiger Reserve.
- North East Adventist University & Adventist Higher Secondary School celebrate the National Unity Day at North East Adventist University Khlihtyrchi in Meghalaya.
- In Meghalaya, numerous cultural events get on the way during this festive season to attract domestic and foreign tourists from around the world.
- Two women arrested, and heroin worth Rs 22.7 lakh was seized from their possession in Mizoram's Aizawl.
- All Souls' Day is being observed in Meghalaya by Catholic Church and some Christian denominations to commemorate the departed souls.

**NEWS IN ORDER:-**

**PM:**

Prime Minister Narendra Modi has said that India is moving towards One Nation Civil Code that is a Secular Civil Code. Addressing 'Rashtriya Ekta Diwas' celebrations at Kevadia in Gujarat yesterday, Mr Modi said that the pursuit of a secular civil code is key to ending discrimination. Prime Minister said, today we are all seeing the success of One Nation Identity – Aadhar and the world is also discussing it. He said, earlier, there were different tax systems in India, but we created the One Nation One Tax System – GST. Prime Minister said, his government strengthened the country's power sector with One Nation One Power Grid and integrated the facilities available to the poor through One Nation One Ration Card. Mr Modi said, we have provided the facility of One Nation One Health Insurance to the people of the country in the form of Aayushman Bharat.

**PARK:**

Arunachal Pradesh Minister of Health & Family Welfare, and Water Resources, Biyuram Waghe inaugurated a Butterfly Park at Pakke Tiger Reserve yesterday. Located at the West Bank Forest Camp, Seijosa in Pakke Kessang District, this new park aims to enhance biodiversity conservation efforts and encourage eco-tourism in the area. The minister also launched the new Pakke Tiger Reserve website, offering accessible information on conservation, tourism, and biodiversity. Speaking on the occasion, Mr. Wahge highlighted the importance of community engagement in conservation and the need for eco-tourism practices that honour local traditions and the natural environment. He commended Pakke Tiger Reserve as a model sanctuary in Arunachal Pradesh, blending conservation with community involvement.

#### **UNITY:**

In Meghalaya, North East Adventist University & Adventist Higher Secondary School on Thursday celebrated the National Unity Day at Main Football Ground of North East Adventist University Khlihtyrchi. National Unity Day is observed every year to commemorate the birth Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhai Patel and this year is his 150 birth Anniversary. Mr. Frederick Roy Kharkongor IAS Principal Secretary Arts and Culture, who was the Chief Guest, in his speech said he sees the growing of this University compared to the last twenty years, when he went to inaugurate the Library block. Speaking with the Chancellor of the University, said North East Adventist University has been celebrating the National Unity Day since 2021, as one of the reasons that India being a nation with cultural diversity. The day was marked with a colourful cultural programme.

#### **FESTIVAL:**

In Meghalaya, numerous cultural events have started during this festive season to attract domestic and foreign tourists from around the world. This year, visitors will have the opportunity to experience the cherry blossom season capturing Meghalaya's natural beauty. Alongside this, the musical festivals will serve as major attraction. Kicking off the season, a special programme named "KoreM", a unique cultural collaboration between Korea and Meghalaya, hosted at Shillong's picturesque Ward's Lake commenced today. Tourists have shared their excitement for these festivities, with many calling the cherry blossoms a breathtaking natural spectacle and the music events an ideal fusion of tradition and festivity.

#### **ARREST:**

Two women were arrested after heroin worth Rs 22.7 lakh was seized from their possession near Mizoram's Aizawl, Assam Rifles said in a statement. Acting on a tip-off, a joint team of Assam Rifles and the Mizoram Police launched an operation at Maubawk village and recovered 32.4 grams of the narcotics substance from the two women, it said. One of the two accused is a resident of Maubawk and another hails from Manipur's Churachandpur district.

#### **DAY:**

The All Souls' Day is being observed in Meghalaya today by Catholic Church and some Christian denominations to commemorate the departed souls. The main function of the All Souls Day is being organized by the Catholic Church at the Laitumkhrach Cemetery in Shillong, where the Requiem Mass will be concelebrated by priests and to be attended by the faithful. On this occasion, Shillong decked with the colors and fragrances of fresh flowers as families prepare to

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