

Senapati Forest Division observes Van Mahotsav

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Senapati, Jul 13: Creating awareness to conserve forest and plant new trees, the Senapati Forest Division organised a tree plantation program as part of 71st Van Mahotsav celebration at different places of the Senapati district.

Speaking at the outset of the programme, Lalithambigai, IAS, DC, Senapati said that the day marks to create awareness among the people on the importance of conserving forest and planting trees which would benefit the people in many ways.

Trees help in reducing pollution, combating global warming, reducing soil erosion etc he said. The DC asserted that it is one's foremost responsibility to protect and conserve the forests as well as plant more trees.

As part of developmental program, the DC requested all to plant 10,000 trees this year.

D John Sha, MFS, DFO, Senapati Forest Division stated that Van Mahotsav is also called "Festival of forest" to encourage everyone to plant more trees and urged all to pledge to plant more trees.

Tree saplings consisting of various kinds including delonix regia (gulmohar), cinnamomum camphora (karpoor), mimosop elengi (bokul), thuja compacta (leirikheibi) were planted along side the Mini Secretariat road and Mini Stadium, Senapati.

Source from the Department also added that they are planning to organise more plantation programmes in near future. The program was held in the presence of DC, SP, CSO leaders along with staff of District Forest Department.

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