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'Muskan' to take up more social programmes

Itanagar, Oct. 10: First Lady of the State Smti Anupama Singh reviewed the social programmes initiated by Muskan Welfare Society (MWS) at Raj Bhavan, Itanagar on October 10, yesterday. In the meeting, the members of the society decided to take up more activities in the coming days for the welfare of downtrodden, underprivileged, children in distress and Clean and Green Arunachal, a initiative of Governor of Arunachal Pradesh, General (Retd) J.J. Singh.

In today's meeting, a decision was taken to organize voluntary Blood donation camp and tree plantation in the coming month.

The member secretary MWS informed that as a token of love for the people of the State, the First Lady contributed an amount of Rs. 50,000.00 (Rupees Fifty Thousand) only, which she got from the 'Dual Identity' a three-day solo exhibition of bespoke art deco pieces held at New Delhi from 1st to 3rd September 2012.

Since its inception, the MWS, led by the State First Lady had organized many health and social benefitting programmes in the State. Cleanliness drives and plantation programmes were initiated throughout the State. In order to encourage self employment amongst the women folks, the society had conducted skill development programme on computer literacy and spoken English in coordination with IGNOU. It also conducted beautician and tailoring courses in coordination with Oju Welfare Association (OWA).

MWS has also organized breast cancer awareness programme in the State. Blood donation camp and facilitating free heart surgeries were also some of the many welfare programme of society. It has organized a hiking expedition as a part of its commitment to encourage adventure tourism in the state, **the RajBhawan release stated**.

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