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EVENTS: BEGINNING
OF A PRIMARY
SCHOOL AND
FOUNDATION STONE
LAYING CEREMONY
(SEPT-OCT, 2018)

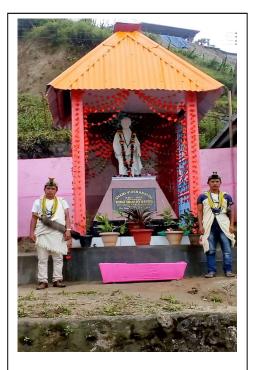
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RAMAKRISHNA MISSION LUMDUNG

P.O. SEPPA, EAST KAMENG DIST. A.P



By the the Foundation ceremony about with wonderful October, 2018, one of Nava Ratri. milestone event in Ramakrishna Mission by the former one i.e. the Primary School Mission Shishu Lumdung on the 11th This year the **Brotherhood Day i.e.**



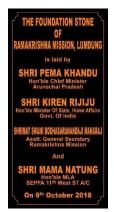
grace of the Holy Trio Stone Laying exquisitely brought team-spirit on the auspicious day-This was the second the history of Lumdung preceded the inauguration of "Ramakrishna Vidyamandir", at September, 2018. **Universal** 11th September was

earmarked for commemorating the **125**th **anniversary** of the famous Speech of Swami Vivekananda at Chicago in 1893.

The threat of monsoon could not defeat the spirit of Sri Mama Natung and his team on either of the occasions. Of course for last 7 days before 9th October it was providentially dry and the damaged road up to the hilltop could be well



repaired to facilitate people and vehicles to go up to the hilltop and prepare for 5000 people to sit in the audience to hear from



Sri Pema Khandu, Hon. Chief Minister of Arunachal Pradesh and Sri Kiren Rijiju, Hon. Union Minister of State, Home Affairs. On

the D-day at the hilltop the public meeting was presided over by Swami Bodhasaranandaji Maharaj, Asstt. General Secretary of Ramakrishna Math and Mission. The children of Class 1 and Class 2 of the Shishu Vidyamandir received the guests at the Puja Sthanam. All the



guests and the Secretary, RKM, Lumdung laid the **foundation stone** followed by symbolic **Tree Plantation program** by all dignitaries on the



adjacent land. From the Helipad the ministers were led by Monks of Ramakrishna Order and MLA's by car to the venue where Cultural Troupe of Aka community received the guests with music and dance. After the Puja the honourable guests were escorted by the students of EMRS, Bana with Band Party to the main Venue. The entire audience

who came from three districts of Arunachal Pradesh to attend the meeting were later entertained with sumptuous lunch. The VIP's had a separate venue for lunch near the main pandal. The Chief Minister as well the Union Home Minister expressed their gratitude and



high expectation from the Ramakrishna Mission in the improvement of Educational environment of Arunachal Pradesh. It was a real marvel to see the huge arrangement made on that difficult terrain at this remote place. Perhaps the people of Papu Valley had never witnessed a grandeur of this ilk. Many many thanks to the youth organization of Lumdung and to Sri Kapil Natung, AE, PWD for back-end support to the entire programme.

The first ever milestone was the event of inauguration of a Primary



School on 11th September, 2018, by Sri Mama Natung in presence of Swami Divyanandaji Maharaj, Trustee and Secretary of Ramakrishna Mission Saradapith, Belur Math and Sri Gaurav Singh Rajawat, Dy. Commissioner,

East Kameng. The School started with total 81 students in Classes 1 and 2, with Education for Free. They are also given good nourishing diet for free everyday during their recess time.

Swami Divyanandaji unveiled a



statue of Swami Vivekananda as well in the precincts of Govt. Secondary School, Lumdung. In the same evening he also inaugurated a small Shrine room at the PWD Inspection Bungalow for temporary use as the Prayer Hall. There



was overwhelming response for admission to the Primary School in June 2018. Thanks to the Education Department for allowing us to operate on a portion of the GSS. Of course the buildings needed thorough renovation at our own cost which is expected to be reimbursed by the

State Govt. Teachers have been appointed teach Languages, Maths and EVS. These local children are partially provided a transport from Seppa, the nearest District Town. Ex-Students of Ramakrishna Mission are there everywhere in Arunachal Pradesh. We are happy that their enthusiasm got highly

boosted by the inspiration of Sri Mama Natung, Hon. MLA who has a dream to



make the targeted inauguration of the High School more splendid after the completion of the entire

construction work. Over and above the East Kameng district has been successful in consecrating RKM in the Nishyi belt and the people of Nishyi tribe are determined to make

this project a super success above all other educational institutions in Arunachal Pradesh.





GRATITUDE

OUR GRATEFUL THANKS TO ALL THE DIGNITARIES WHO WERE PRESENT ON THE DAY OF FOUNDATION STONE LAYING CEREMONY. OUR THANKS TO THE YOUTH OF LUMDUNG VILLAGE, DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS OF THE GOVT. E.G. PHED, PWD, WRD, ELECTRICITY AND POWER, DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION, THE SUSHEE INFRA PVT. LTD., THE PARTICIPANTS OF CULTURAL ACTIVITIES, THE BAND OF EMRS, SRI MAMA NATUNG AND HIS CATERING TEAM, THE VOLUNTEERS OF ITANAGAR AND OTHER PLACES IN ASSAM, THE DECORATORS OF ASSAM, ALL THE GUARDIANS AND PATRONS OF SHISHU VIDYAMANDIR AND THE MONASTIC AND NON-MONASTIC



And, the dedicated monks of Ramakrishna Mission are there to make their dream come true. Sri Satya Gopal, the Chief Secretary as well as the Education Secretary Dr. Mrs Madhu Rani Teotia visited the Shishu Vidyamandira on different dates and expressed their great expectation for a vibrant and progressive educational institution which Ramakrishna Mission

alone can achieve. The cooperation of all the relevant departments deserve mention with thanks. The entire sequence of events prove that Swami Vivekananda's messages have a great demand among the masses of our nation and moreover the people of Arunachal have testified their genuine hunger for the best Education. Hon. MLA's have contributed from their own fund for the School and assured a constant flow of fund as and when it will be needed. Swami Bodhasaranandaji Maharaj mentioned about Nalanda and Takshila and expressed his dream to see this School also become like one of them in the North-Eastern region of our country. Swami Vivekananda said, 'Education is the panacea of all the evils of our country' which is yet to be understood and translated in reality with our own honesty, sincerity and true love for the nation.

ISSUED BY SWAMI SARVAGANANDA:

SECRETARY

BEING OF ONE MIND IS THE SECRET OF SOCIETY. OUR SOLUTION IS RENUNCIATION, GIVING UP FEARLESSNESS AND LOVE FOR ALL -- SWAMI VIVEKANANDA

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