



Wishing Everyone a Happy
Vijaya Dashami 2072 !



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XINHUA NEWS AGENT IN NATTA

Mr. Steven Cleary representing Xinhua News Agency Vientiane Bureau called on NATTA Secretariat on Monday, the 12th October to gather information regarding the post-earthquake situation of Nepal and the tourism status in particular. He also discussed on the possibilities of tourists from Laos. President Mr. D.B. Limbu, CEO Prof. Dr. Hari Sarmah provided the answers to

Mr. Cleary's questions. Mr. Steven Cleary said that he would write a story on Nepal and include the points raised by NATTA during the discourse.



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THOUGHT WEEKLY

“ Since we cannot change reality, let us change the eyes which see reality. ”

-Nikos
Kazantzakis

Notice on NATTA Membership Renewal Extension

This is to inform all NATTA Members that the deadline for the Membership Renewal of FY 2072/73 has been extended till 22nd November 2015.

Extension has been decided by the board meeting held on 14th October 2015.

Member companies renewing after deadline have to pay the fine of Rs. 1,000/-.

JAPAN EMBASSY OFFICIAL AT NATTA

Mr. Tomohira Koyama, Researcher and Advisor at the Embassy of Japan in Nepal accompanied by Mr. Rahish Shrestha, Economic Researcher visited NATTA Secretariat on Thursday, the 15th October, 2015 and met Secretary General Ms. Mihika Dhakhwa and CEO Prof. Dr. Hari Sarmah. His mission of visit had been to know how Nepalese tourism was carrying on in a situation of blockade of supplies in the recent days and what the plannings of Nepalese tourism stakeholders were to overcome this situation. NATTA officials explained that



the current situation in tourism is all due to political reasons and soon the ways will open for tourism to revive.

**CHANDRA PRASAD RIJAL ELECTED TAAN PRESIDENT**

Kathmandu, Oct 16: The 37th annual general assembly of Trekking Agencies' Association of Nepal (TAAN) has elected a new working committee under the leadership of Chandra Prasad Rijal.

Rijal, a contender from the progressive alliance, was elected the chairman of TAAN by defeating his rival Sagar Pandey. Rijal got 411 votes while Pandey secured 322 votes in the vote counts completed last night.

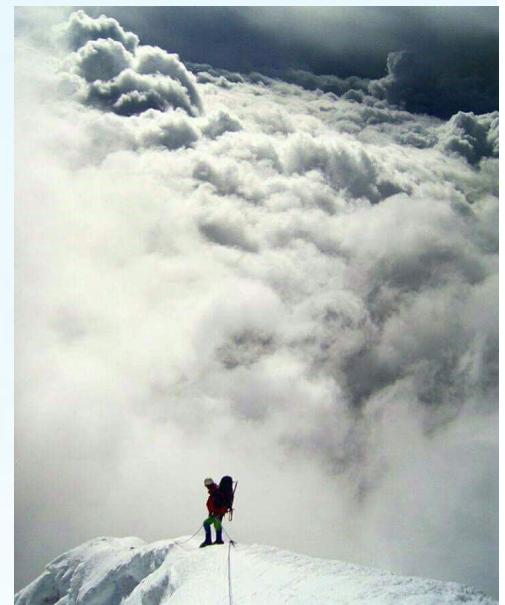
Media Coordinator of TAAN Machhindra Acharya said that the team Rijal won 15 seats in the 17-member working committee of TAAN.

Likewise, Tasi Lakpa Sherpa was elected the senior vice chairperson while Tej Prasad Gurung as the first vice chairman.

Likewise, Karna Bahadur Lama, Mukti Pandey, Lilaballav Dahal and Krishna Man Shrestha were elected the general secretary, secretary, treasurer and joint-treasurer, respectively. After his victory, newly elected chairman Rijal has pledged unity and coordination among the members by making the TAAN further professional. As high as 1,000 trekking companies are associated with the TAAN, it is said. Earlier, Nepali Congress senior leader and former prime minister Sher Bahadur Deuba had inaugurated the annual general assembly of the TAAN on Thursday. RSS



Vehicles on Queue due to ongoing Fuel Crisis



Heaven or Nepal ?

SHESH GHALE RE-ELECTED AS NRNA PRESIDENT

KATHMANDU, Oct 15: Shesh Ghale has been elected as the president of Non-Resident Nepalese Association (NRNA) with an overwhelming majority for the second term.

He secured 867 votes of total 1089 while his contender TB Karki garnered just 226 votes. Meanwhile, Bhuwan Bhatta has been elected as the vice president securing 538 votes. His contender Kumar Pandey secured 513 votes. Dr Badri KC (555 votes) has been elected as the general secretary and Hitmat Thapa (264 votes) as treasurer.

Ghale is building a five-star hotel in Kathmandu. Prime Minister Sushil Koirala had laid foundation stone of the 17-storey five-star Sheraton Kathmandu Hotel in October last year.

The hotel is being built with investment of Rs 8 billion. The hotel, which is expected to come into operation in February 2018, is being built by MIT Group Holdings Nepal -- a member of the Ghale Group of Companies which has diverse businesses in Australia and other countries.

Ghale is been appointed Nepal's special envoy for reconstruction in the aftermath of the devastating earthquakes that floored down thousands of houses, infrastructures and heritage sites.



Happy Dashain 2072 fever has already started!! Here are some collections of Dashain wishes for your friends, family and relatives to share.

दशै पिङ जस्तो चन्चलता कायम रहोस्
चङ्गा झै उचाइ पुग्न पओस्
सदा देबिको आशिर्वाद रहन्
निर्मल बनोस भावना
बिजयदशमि २०७२ को यहाँ छ मंगलमय शुभकामना



Long live the tradition of Hindu culture,
as the generations have passed by,
Hindu culture is getting stronger and
stronger
lets keep it up.
Best Wishes for Dashain 2072.

Good Health And Success
Ward Off Evil
Lords Blessings
Happy Dashain
Yummy Dashain
Triumph Over Evil
Joyous Festive Season
Spirit Of Goodness....
Happy Dashain.. !

मुहार चम्किलो रहोस्,
चम्कियोस तपाईं को द्वार,
खुसी छाियोस जीवन मा,
स्मृधी बार बार,
यही छ दशै को शुभकामना विथ प्यार

आयो दशै आयो, खुशीयाली ल्यायो
चारै तीर बातावरण उमंगलले छायो
मनका दुःख कस्ट, छेडिक भयेपनि बिसायो
हासी खेली रमाइ मनाइने पर्व आयो
दशैको सबैलाई शुभकामना

pyaara istamitraharu sada petrol paiyos,
loadshedding nahos, bandha ra hadtaal
naparos,
mobileko network laagos, netaharuma
samriddhi aaos,
mahangi kam hos, pura hos sabaiko
manokaamana
yehi chha mero dashain ko subhakaam-
mana

दसैको साइत

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- कालिक ५ गते आइतबार फूलपाती
- ६ गते महाअष्टमी
- ७ गते महानवमी
- ८ गते विजयादशमी, टीका साइत बिहान ११:२९ बजे
- १३ गते सोमबार कोजाग्रत पूर्णिमा

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