

1. Event name: Khamba Thoibi Dance & Tribal Dance(Kabui Naga Dance)
2. Venue: JNV Imphal East
3. Date: 31.10.2017
4. State-Pair

5. Brief about event :



1: Khamba Thoibi dance:

Khamba Thoibi dance is a duet of male and female partners, a dance of dedication to the sylvan deity, Thangjing of Moirang. Khamba and Thoibi are actually two mythological characters who have become immortal in Manipuri folklore. This, with the "Maibi" dance (Priestess dance), the "Leima Jagoi" etc. form the "Laiharaoba" dance. The "Laiharaoba" dance, in many ways, is the fountainhead of the modern Manipuri dance form. This dance is a part and parcel of Moirang Lai-Haraoba. It is believed that the legendary hero - Khamba and heroine - Thoibi danced together before the Lord Thangjing, a celebrated deity of Moirang for peace and prosperity of the land.



2. Kabui Naga Dance:

The Kabuis or Rongmeis, one of the Zeliangrong brothers of the western hills are the most primitive groups of the Indian tribe and they develop a deep taste for dance and music. The Kabui Naga dance, known popularly throughout India, accompanied with drum beatings enhances the liveliness and intrinsic interest of its audiences and sway their hearts as the dancers move. 'Laam' meaning dance in Rongmei dialect depicts the true individuality of the Rongmeis.

6. Report of the event: In connection with “**Ek Bharat Shershta Bharat**” a cultural programme was organized at JNV Imphal East as per the instruction from NVS RO Shillong. Various cultural activities were conducted.

**7. Attached images/video on google drive and share the link: Photographs of 1) Khamba Thoibi Dance
2) Tribal Dance(Kabui Naga Dance)**