

LIFE BETWEEN FURROWS



1. A.H.T. (Peren)

Sept. 4th-7th, 2025

A training was organized on Livelihood Development of CRPs of 11 villages on Polyhouse based Nursery Management of Agricultural crops supported by A.H.T. at Nkio-B Village under Peren District. The Resource Speaker, Dr. Nini R. Kuotsu, Assistant Professor (Horticulture Technology Programme Department of VSSD), N.U. Medziphema, covered topics on production technology of crops cultivation, regional significance, nature of damage and advantage of rising, seedling in nursery and its treatment. The session was followed by practical learning on soil solarization inside the poly-house, bed preparation, fertilizer application, mulching, spacing transplant up to harvesting.



2. A.P.P.I. (Peren)

Sept. 17 - 30th

The community leaders' meetings were conducted across 10 villages in the Nsong area with the purpose of engaging local leaders and farmers in preparation for the upcoming agricultural activities under the APPI project. The discussions helped strengthen coordination among the communities and reinforced the importance of collective effort through the FPO for sustainable agricultural growth and improved livelihood opportunities.

5. VITAMIN ANGELS



Sept. 17th Kuhuboto Block

Pro Rural, in collaboration with the Social Welfare Department, Kuhuboto Block, Niuland District, participated in the Poshan. Maah activities. Serving as technical support partners, the Pro Rural and Vitamin Angels teams engaged with the Supervisor, Block Coordinator, and AWWs during a session on Infant and Young Child Feeding (IYCF) practices.



Humane World for Animals

3. HWAI

Sept. 16th - 18th Dimapur HWAI team carried out community engagement and development initiatives aimed at women vendors and

entrepreneurs. The team gathered data and profiled 30 women vendors at the supper market and Diphupar weekly markets, while also identifying potential participants.

HWAI team visited beneficiaries from various locations for profiling and engaged with women's groups. The team also participated in the 10 Regional SARAS fair 2025 on 5th Sept. engaging with SHGs, JLGs, and artisans.



4. S2S Skills & Entrepreneurship



Sept.16th -18

Pro Rural in partnership with Quest Alliance conducted a three-day Livestock Development Management Training focused on piggery at the HWAI Office. The program benefited 29 participants and emphasized the adoption of

scientific piggery practices. covering housing, feeding, breeding, health care, and digital literacy for effective management, introduction to government schemes for farmers and many more. The training successfully strengthened local capacity for profitable and sustainable piggery farming and fostered collaboration for rural development and sustainable livelihoods among livestock entrepreneurs.

Sept. 22th Chumoukedima

Pro Rural in collaboration with NHM and Vitamin Angels, participated in one of the Mega Health Camps held at Chumoukedima PHC organized under the Swasth Nari Sashakt Parivar Abhiyaan. Serving as technical support partners, the teams worked together to promote women and child health and nutrition. The photo captures the DIO of NHM, health officials, and representatives from Pro Rural and Vitamin Angels during the camp held at Chumoukedima PHC.



6. ENVIRONMENT & WASTE MANAGEMENT

September 26th 2025



Pro Rural in partnership with the Dimapur Municipal Council (DMC) organized a Community Awareness Programme under the theme, “Swachhotsav.” The program focused to sensitize the community, especially the micro-business enterprises and the general public on sustainable waste management and civic responsibilities. A total of 100 participants and 6 staff members attended the program. The spokesperson were councillor Neingutoulie Kenguruse, Pro Rural Director Paul Lokho, DMC CEO Thungchanbemo Tungoe, Councillor Mahesh Agarwal, Mr. Boka Rochill, climate champion (NYCC) and Ms. Tolivi N Sumi, Project Coordinator (EWM).

September 27th 2025



Pro Rural participated in the “Run 4 Green Dimapur” Marathon as a supporting partner with the DMC under the theme, ‘Greening Dimapur.’ A remarkable turn of over 900 Participants registered for the Marathon, with youngest as 6 years to the oldest of 50 years from different regions, and states. Officials from the District Administration, Nagaland Pollution Control Board, and DMC highlighted the growing challenges of climate, change in Dimapur, emphasizing the need for active participation and better waste management systems. The event ended successfully, inspiring participants to take greater responsibility for community and environmental well-being and to continue joining similar initiatives in the future.



7. HEALTH



Pro Rural successfully conducted health camps across multiple villages from 2nd to 5th September, providing essential healthcare services and consultations to rural communities.

The camps ensured improved access to medical checkups, maternal health services, and health education for underserved populations. Looking ahead, Pro Rural plans to (in October 2025) enhance outreach through regular follow-up visits and collaborative health initiatives with project’s vision, goals, and emphasize school health programs, women’s health awareness, and capacity strengthening of community volunteers to deepen the impact of grassroots healthcare as the project moves forward.



8. BREAD FOR THE WORLD

A two-day Orientation and Strategic Planning Workshop was held in September 2025 in Dimapur, Nagaland. In this program, the PRO-Rural team delivered plans and techniques to strengthen the understanding of the project’s vision, goals, and implementation strategies; participants gained practical skills in project management, financial accountability, and donor reporting, while agreeing to prioritize community participation and robust internal monitoring as the project moves forward into its implementation.

Pro Rural Team Meeting, at Pro Rural HQ

