

Significant Events of Central Regional Centre of February, 2020

(i) Project: ‘Anthropological Study on Nomadic, Semi-Nomadic & Denotified Communities’:

(i) Six teams of this regional centre have returned back from tour after conducting fieldwork on the allotted communities for a period of 30-45 days under the project proposed by NITI Aayog.

(ii) Documentation and Dissemination’:-

(a) Zonal Anthropological Museum:

(i) Exhibit of the month “**Marriage Pillar**” is displayed in the gallery for the visitors. Film shows and Power Point display were arranged for visitors and also for school and college students. 1820 visitors visited the Zonal Anthropological Museum including School Students (750 Nos.) & College Students (110) and General Visitors (960) during the month of February, 2020.

(b) Library:

Total number of 07 books, 30 journals and 09 magazines were added to the stock of the library during the month of February, 2020. 28 scholars including outside readers and researchers of this regional centre visited the library for consultation. Library services were provided to the readers/users through internet also. Data entry of books and journals through Libsys were carried out.

(iii) Seminar/Workshop attended by the staff of CRC, Nagpur

- (i) A contingent of about 14 eminent journalists and photographers along with senior officials from Press Information Bureau, a department under the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh visited CRC on 17th Feb, 2020. They were given information about the organization, the various projects and research updates till date and an exhibition on **Tribes of India** was mounted at Zonal Anthropological Museum.
- (ii) Dr.Ratna Dhar, SA (Cultural) & Head of Office visited field area of Shri. Chandra Sekhar Roy, RA(Cul) and Ms.Shruti Mishra, JRF from 18th Feb-22nd Feb, 2020 for 3 days who are conducting study among the Gujjar community of Madhya Pradesh.
- (iii) Shri. S.K.Shukla, Asstt. Keeper had been nominated as an official delegate to participate in a Collaborative International Conference organized by Department of Anthropology, Dr.H.S.Gaur Vishwavidyalaya, Sagar, Madhya Pradesh on “Indigenous Knowledge and Prevalent Practice” held from 27th to 29th February, 2020.