



The Royal heritage Museum, Trongsa



Created pond with number 40- to celebrate 40th birth anniversary of His Majesty 5th King of Bhtan.



On June 9, we received chief engineer, project DANTAK and his team



In October, we lost our *lopen Tse Tshampa* – he was mediating in museum campus for life. At the age of 82, he passé away after mediating for more than 20 years. His cremation was conducted at *Tamzhing* cremation ground by Dorji Lopen of center monastic body



The management decided to engage ourselves in some activities when there was no visitors. Cleaning museum entrance gate by staff



During septemeber month, we had received two CLCS student for internship program. Mr. Sangay Lungten and Mr. Sangay Lhendup, graduate from ILCS, Taktse were 3rd batch that musuem managemt started the program.



About 90 students from college of Language and cultural Studies visited our museum as a part of our education program



Thank you lopen Ugyen Tashi free facemask to the museum staff. We hope to prevent covid-19 by wearing mask and washing our hand frequently...

Like most of the counties around the world, Bhutan too was not spared by covid-19 virus. The covid-19 virus was confirmed to have penetrated Bhutan on 6th March 2020. It was first detected from 76 –year old American tourist who had travelled to Bhutan from India tested positive. With first detection, government started to close only active international border in the south. Soon it was followed by government’ decision to close air traffic by grounding Bhutan’ two airlines. With the closing of international border and air traffic, international tourist visiting Bhutan come to momentary halt. Due aforementioned reasons, Bhutanese museum too did not receive any visitors as of now. To make matter worst, Bhutan had to go under two lockdowns whereby by the number of local visitors to the museum also fell sharp. Sometimes, we have no visitors for many days – that is due to covid-19 protocol of the government as well as people fear of contracting covid-19 virus. There lots of covid-19 vaccine being rolled out, we are expecting international visitors soon in our galleries. Taking such situations, the museum management is exploring ‘virtual exhibitions’ in coming years ..