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CHIEF OF AIR STAFF VISITED ATI BAF



Chief of Air Staff visiting ongoing project of ATI complex

Chief of Air Staff Air Chief Marshal Shaikh Abdul Hannan, BBP, BUP, nswc, fawc, psc, GD(P) {now, on LPR} paid a visit to ATI BAF on 12 February 2024. COAS visited ongoing construction of ATI and expressed his satisfaction to see the progress of the project. COAS also gave valuable guidelines regarding the construction of the project. Air Officer Commanding BAF Base Zahurul Haque, Commandant ATI BAF and senior officers of BAF were present during the visit.

BRIEFING SESSION ARRANGED FOR TTB-17



Commandant ATI delivering speech to the Trade Training Basic Trainees

A briefing was held for Trade Training Basic trainees on 01 February 2024 at Alauddin Auditorium. Commandant ATI BAF Air Commodore Raahim Mahmood, BPP, fawc, psc, GD(P) graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. While addressing the trainees, Commandant ATI highlighted the importance of the basic course in their service career. He gave the trainees valuable directives. He advised them to take part in all the events of the course actively including academic classes, PT, Parade and Morning health run. Heads of different departments, officers and all instructors were present at the briefing.

CERTIFICATE AWARD CEREMONY OF MANAGEMENT COURSE-359



Commandant ATI BAF delivering speech in Certificate Award Ceremony of No-359 Mgt Course

Certificate award ceremony of No 359 Management Course was held at ATI BAF on 4 February 2024. Commandant ATI BAF Air Commodore Raahim Mahmood, BPP, fawc, psc, GD(P) graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and handed over the certificates among the trainees. BD/468215 Sgt Md Rabbiul Hasan, Medical Assistant secured first position in the course. During his speech, the Chief Guest highlighted few significant points regarding the course and directed them to implement the knowledge acquired from this course. Invited guests, heads of all departments, officers and instructors were present at the ceremony.



Commandant ATI BAF handing over the certificates



Group photography of No-359 Management Course

CELEBRATION OF BOSHONTO BORON



AOC BAF Base Zahurul Haque, Commandant ATI and other officers with their spouses in 'Boshonto Boron'

Pohela Falgun, the first day of spring, heralds a new beginning filled with colors and joy in the heart of Bangladesh. It symbolizes the rejuvenation of nature, renewal of life and the triumph of light over darkness. Celebration of Boshonto Boron-1430 was held at the play ground of BAF Shaheen College Chattogram on 14 February 2024 with joy and happiness. A Boshonto Mela and cultural program was arranged on that day. ATI BAF participated in the Boshonto Mela with a stall named 'ATI Corner' where various types of delicious Pithas and Cakes were available. Air Officer Commanding BAF Base Zahurul Haque and President BAFWWA Regional Branch Zahur visited 'ATI Corner' and tasted some Pithas and Cakes. Commandant ATI, OC Wings, Officers along with their spouses visited 'ATI Corner'. Commandant ATI thanked all the participants of ATI family for contributing in 'Pitha Utsab' and expressed his heartfelt greetings.



Air Officer Commanding BAF Base Zahurul Haque visiting ATI Corner in the Boshonto Mela



Commandant ATI BAF exchanging greetings with the participants in 'Pitha Utsab'

CULTURAL PROGRAM 'MAYABI BOSHONTE'



Commandant ATI along with the participants of cultural program 'Mayabi Boshonte'

Cultural program 'Mayabi Boshonte' participated by the ATI personnel and family members was held at Alauddin Auditorium on 22 February 2024. Commandant ATI BAF Air Commodore Raahim Mahmood, BPP, fawc, psc, GD(P) graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. It was very nice and memorable evening for all the members of ATI BAF. The program was furnished by the popular songs, classical dance, prank, short drama, band song and fashion show. The performance of the participants was praiseworthy specially the performance by the children. The audience enjoyed the program with their heart's content. Commandant ATI highly appreciated the program and expressed his heartfelt greetings to the participants. Spouse of Commandant ATI, Heads of all departments, officers, instructors with their families and Trade Training Advance Trainees attended the spectacular cultural program.



Children performing fashion show in the program



A scene of short drama in the program

PICNIC AT PATENGA SEA BEACH



Group photography of picnic at Patenga Sea Beach

ATI BAF arranged a picnic at Patenga Sea Beach for all the members of ATI BAF with their families on 24 February 2024. Trade Training Basic Trainees (TTB-17) also joined in the picnic. Air Commodore Raahim Mahmood, BPP, fawc, psc, GD(P), Commandant, ATI BAF graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. Commandant, ATI BAF expressed his heartfelt greetings to the family members for joining such an impressive program. The family members and Trade Training Basic trainees enjoyed a lot in the picnic. They enjoyed different rides like beach motor vehicle, horse ride etc. A raffle draw was arranged in the program. Commandant ATI BAF gave thankful speech to the family members during the picnic and wished their good health and success. He also thanked them who worked hard to make the program a successful one.



Children performing dance in the picnic



A raffle draw winner receiving prize from Commandant ATI

ROUTE MARCH OF TRADE TRAINING ADVANCE-15



Route March starting from the parade ground

A route march of Trade Training Advance course (TTA-15) was held on 29 February 2024 as the part of training program. The route was about 40 km from ATI to Halisahar Firing Range and back. The route march started at about 0600 hrs from Base parade ground and Commandant ATI gave the starting whistle. The route march followed the Karnafully guard room to Airport road to Sea Beach following marine drive to Halisahar Firing Range. A short break for lunch was arranged after reaching the Halisahar Firing Range. After the short break, the route march started again and finished at about 1600 hrs at ATI BAF. Route march in military training plays an important role for building physical fitness, endurance and mental strength. Commandant ATI, all officers and instructors of ATI BAF participated in the route march.



A scene of Route March



Commandant ATI delivering speech to the trainees in the Route March

ORIENTATION CLASS FOR TTB-17



Commandant ATI BAF delivering lecture on 'Introduction to Air Power'



Head of ICETD delivering lecture on 'Kilo Flight'



Head of GATD delivering lecture on 'Organization Chart of BAF'



Chief Instructor delivering lecture on 'Training Program'



Head of Support Department delivering lecture on 'Discipline'



Head of TPED delivering lecture on 'Air Headquarters'

OTHER ACTIVITIES



An instructor conducting Model Class



Trainees attending essay writing competition on the occasion of 'Independence Day'



Trainees appearing at exam on the orientation class



A singer of ATI performing in the Base cultural program

ACTIVITIES OF DIFFERENT CULTURAL CLUBS



Trainees of 'Gardening Club' learning practical knowledge on tree plantation



Trainees attending "Art & Crafts Club'



Trainees of 'Judu Club' learning tactics of self protection



Trainees of 'Magic Club' attentively watching the tactics of magic



Trainees of 'Photography Club' attentively watching the function of a camera



Trainees of 'Music Club' performing song

BRIEFING ON PSYCHOLOGY



Briefing to the management trainees on psychology was held at ATI BAF



SWO AZM Towhidur Rahman promoted to the rank of MWO on 28 February 2024



SWO Md Shahiduzzaman promoted to the rank of MWO on 28 February 2024



SWO Md Anwar Hossain promoted to the rank of MWO on 28 February 2024



SWO Md Abdul Based promoted to the rank of MWO on 28 February 2024



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