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The marathon will be held under two categories – 21.1 km and 5 km – for students and open, informed Anil Chettri, the university's PRO.

The registration will start from September 29. The candidates can collect registration forms from Sikkim Tourism Information Centre, M.G. Marg or register online at [youtoocanrun.com/races/Sikkim-runathon](http://youtoocanrun.com/races/Sikkim-runathon).

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Sikkim Reporter Bureau

Gangtok, Sept 27

ICFAI University Sikkim has announced to organise a marathon event 'ICFAI Sikkim Runathon 2016' to create awareness on child abuse on 6 November. Vice Chancellor of the university, SG Tashi announced in a press conference here today.

The event will have marathons of 21.1 KMs and 5 KMs in students and open categories. Interested can register online on <http://youtoocanrun.com/races/sikkim-runathon/> and offline registration forms will be available at Tourism Information Centre at MG Marg from 29 September.

Mr Tashi mentioned that the university want everyone to join the event



to come together and stand up against child abuse. He stated that sport was a strong medium to engage youngsters in healthy and creative activities. He expressed that through marathon the university wanted to engage in sports and to promote the thought

of 'healthy mind, healthy body'.

Vice Chancellor informed that the event will have cash prizes in both categories. He appeals various organisations and companies working in the State to come forward to support the event.

Likewise, Dean ST Vonchungpa mentioned the marathon will now be an annual event of the university on first Sunday of November. He also shared to make it grander in coming years with attractive prize money to attract good runners from outside.

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## बाल शोषणाविरुद्ध जागरूकता फैलाउन म्याराथन



गान्गटोक, २७ सेप्टेम्बर (हिता)। इकाफी विश्वविद्यालयले बाल शोषणविरुद्ध मानिसहरूमा जागरूकता फैलाउन अगामी ६ नोभेम्बरको दिन गान्गटोकमा म्याराथन आयोजना गर्ने भएको छ। यो सँगै प्रतियोगिता दुरु गर्न छुट्टा अघि विद्यार्थी (पुरुष-महिला)-हरूको निम्ति आयोजना गरिने छ। यो जानकारी इकाफी विश्वविद्यालयका उपकुलपति एस.टी. देन्चुङ्गपाले उनले बाल शोषणका घटनाहरू दिर्घकालीन रूपमा हुनाले पराजति मानिसहरूलाई जागरूक गर्न आवश्यक रहेको बताए। म्याराथनमा अधिकतम अघि मानिसहरूको सहभागिता रहने हुनाले बाल शोषणविरुद्ध जागरूकता फैलाउन म्याराथन चयन गरिएको उनले बताए।

एस.टी. देन्चुङ्गपाले बाल शोषणसम्बन्धी अन्य प्रकारका कार्यक्रमहरूको फुलाउने योजना हुदाउन यो म्याराथन आयोजना गरिएको बताए। विश्वविद्यालयले अघोपान्त प्रत्येक वर्ष नोभेम्बर महौलाको प्रथम आइतबार यो कार्यक्रम आयोजना गर्ने जानकारी दिए। म्याराथनमा राज्य अघि देशवाहिका प्राबन्धकलाई पनि आमर्षित गर्ने लक्ष्य लिए। यो सँगै प्रतियोगिता शुरू गरिएको उनले बताए। यसपाली लगभग २५० भावस्नेहको प्रतियोगितामा भाग लिने उनले आशा प्रकट गरे। उनले यो प्रतियोगिता २२.१ अघि ५ किलोमिटर सम्म सम्पन्न गरिने बताए। उनले इकाफी प्राबन्धकले २९ सेप्टेम्बरदेखि १९ अक्टोबरसम्म फर्जीकरण गर्नुभन्ने

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टाशीले यस विषयमा जानकारी गराएका हुन्। प्रतियोगितालाई विद्यार्थी र खुल्ला गरी दुई भागमा विभाजन गरिएको छ। दुवै वर्गका प्रतियोगीहरूले २१.१ किलो मिटर दौडनु पर्ने उपकुलपतिले जानकारी दिएका छन्। प्रतियोगिता ६ नोभेम्बर बिहानीको ७ बजी डिस्ट्रिक्ट कोर्टबाट आरम्भ हुनेछ।

प्रतियोगितामा भाग लिनेहरूको निम्ति युनिभर्सिटीले अनलाइन रेजिस्ट्रेशनको सुविधा उपलब्ध गराएको छ भने अफलाईन रेजिस्ट्रेशन २९ सितम्बरदेखि एसजी मार्गको पर्यटक सूचना केन्द्रमा फारम पाइने जानकारी दिएका छन्। उनले फारम भर्ने अन्तिम मिति १६ अक्टोबर रहेको छ। पत्रकारहरूलाई सम्बोधन गर्दै उनले भने,