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Dzongkhag Administration, Paro



ANNUAL PARO TSHECHU PROGRAM

21-25 March 2025



DAY ONE:**Nangcham Program: 21st March ,2024**

8.30 AM: Arrival of Dasho Dzungdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads and Gups at Gomo Rabsel.

9.00 AM: Dasho Dzungdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads and Gups escort Lam Neten to Kuenrey.

Lam Neten administers Tshogtam to dancers, subsequently escort Lam Neten to Zigrel in Chipdrel procession by Atsaras & Zheypas accompanied by Dasho Dzungdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads and Gups.

Dasho Dzungdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Zheypas and Dancers join in Buelrey Thromshag.

PROGRAM

Sl.No	Program	Presenter	Remark
1	Atsara Program	Dzungkhag Mask Dancers	
2	Welcome Dance	Dzungkhag Dancers	
3	Shingjey Yab Yum Chham	Rinpung Rabdey	Astara will receive Aakha from Lam Neten
4	Woochupai Zhey	Dzungkhag Zheypas	
5	Durdag Chham	Rinpung Rabdey	
6	Menjong Choegi Zheyre	Dzungkhag Dancers	
7	Zhana Nga Ku Chham	Rinpung Rabdey	
8	Dramitse Nga-Chham	Dzungkhag Mask Dancers	
9	Atsara's Feast	1 st offer by public of Paro Dzungkhag	
10	Bumla Nalen Wogi	Dzungkhag Dancers	
11	Dey-Gye Mang Chham	Dzungkhag Mask Dancers	
12	Woochupai Zhey	Zheypas	
13	Dram-Nyen Dance	Dzungkhag Mask Dancers	
14	Ya Gi Guen Ngyen Yue la	Dzungkhag Dancers	
15	Zhugdrel	Dzungkhag	
16	Dzungdag, Drangpon, Sector Heads & Gups, will escort Lam Neten from Zigrel to Gongma Rabsel Staircase.		

DAY TWO Tshechu Program: 22nd March, 2024

- 08.30 AM: Dasho Dzungdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Zheypas, Dancers and Mask Dancers line up for Chipdrel procession.
- 09.00 AM: Escort Lam Neten and Rabdey monks in Chipdrel procession from Dzong to Deyangkha.
- 09.25 AM: Offer Nyendhar in Karsel Lhakhang and leave for Zigrel.
- 09.40 AM: Zhugdrel at Zigrel by Dzongkhag.
- 09.50 AM: Thangra Dewa Dance by Ji-pai Pawos.
- 10.05 AM: Dasho Dzungdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Zheypas, Dancers & Drangzhaps participate in Buelrey Thromshag.

PROGRAM

Sl.no	Program	Presenter	Remark
1	Atsaras prostration to Lam	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	
2	Woochupi Zhey	Zheypas	
3	ShinjeYab Yum Cham	Rinpung Rabdey	
4	Welcome Dance	Dzongkhag Dancers	
5	Zhana Ngachu	Rinpung Rabdey	<i>Zigrel tea by Dratshang</i>
6	Boedra-(Sa Yuel Kaype Yuel-cho)	Dzongkhag Dancers	
7	Boecham Nyulima	Ringpung Rabdey	
8	Boecham Ju-Ging	Dzongkhag maskdancers	<i>Zigrel lunch by Dzongkhag</i>
9	Ngayab Ling La	Dzongkhag Dancers	
10	Durdag Chham	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	
11	Dri-Ging Chham	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	
12	Zhungdra Dance	Dzongkhag Dancers	
13	Nga-Ging Chham	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	

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14	Zhungdra -(<i>Tshenden Tshopai Tsho La</i>)	Dzongkhag Dancers	
15	Sha-wa sha-chi Chham and Atsara Meditation	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	(<i>Zigrel tea by Dzongkhag</i>)
16	Boedra (<i>Gung Gi Thri Du Nima</i>)	Dzongkhag Dancers	
17	Zhugdrel	Dzongkhag Drangzhaps	
18	Dasho Dzongdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Zheypas, Dancers and Mask dancers escort Lam Neten and Rabdey monks in Chipdrel procession from Deyangkha to Du-khang courtyard.		
19	Sector Heads, Gups, Zheypas & Mask dancers escort Dasho Dzongdag and Dasho Drangpon upto Dzong Gongma courtyard and receive Zhugdrel Doma.		



DAY THREE Tshechu Program: 23rd March, 2024

08:30 AM: Dasho Dzongdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sectoral Heads, Gups, Zheypas, Dancers and Mask Dancers line up for Chipdrel procession at Dzong Gongma.

9.00 AM: Lam Neten and Rabdey monks leave from Dzong to Deyangkha in Chipdrel procession.

PROGRAM

Sl.No	Program	Presenter	Remark
1	Atsara program	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	
2	Woochupai Zhey	Zheypas	
3	Durdag Cham	Ringpung Rabdey	
4	Shing-jey Yab Yum	Ringpung Rabdey	
5	Tung-NgamCham	Ringpung Rabdey	<i>(Zigdrel tea by Dratshang)</i>
6	Boedra (Zhingcho Zamling la)	Dzongkhag Dancers	
7	Guen-Druk Pawo Cham and Atsara Wang	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	<i>(Sham drel served by Dratshang-Tshempoen)</i>
8	Zhungdra	Dzongkhag Dancers	
9	PholayMolay opera	Dzongkhag Mask	<i>Zigrel lunch by Dzongkhag)</i>
10	Woochupai Zhey	Zheypas	
11	Shawasha-chi, Acho and Lam Rel-Chungpa Cham. Goenpoi Soelkha by Atsaras.	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	Dzongrab to present scarf to Acho and Lam Rel-
12	Boedra(Gung La Mi Cha)	Dzongkhag Dancers	
13	Zhugdrel	Dzongkhag	
14	Dasho Dzongdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups,Zheypas,Dancers and Mask dancers escort Lam Neten and Rabdey in chipdrel procession from Deyangkha to Du-khang courtyard.		
15	Sectoral heads, Gups, Zheypas & Mask dancers Escort Dasho Dzongdag and Dasho Drangpon upto Dzong Gongma courtyard and receive Zhugdrel Doma.		

DAY FOUR Tshechu Program: 24th March, 2024

8.00 AM: DashoDzongdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Zheypas, Dancers and Mask Dancers line up for Chipdrel procession at Dzong Gongma Courtyard.

8.30 AM: Escort Lam Neten and Rabdey monks in Chipdrel Procession from Dzong to Deyangkha.

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Sl.No	Program	Presenter	Remark
1	Atsara Program	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	
2	Woochupai Zhey	Zheypas	
3	Boedra (Ya-Nam-Kha yang-bi Kilkhor)	Dzongkhag Dancers	
4	Shingje Yab Yum Cham	Rinpung Rabdey	
5	Boedra (Gadhen Sala Phebpa)	Dzongkhag Dancers	
6	Shazam Cham	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	
7	Boedra (Ashi Kuzu Tshari)	Dzongkhag dancers	
8	Rak-Sha Go Cham	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	<i>(Zigrel tea by Dratshang)</i>
9	DrukWangyal Cham episode 1 by RBA.		
10	Archery Dance	Olathang PS	
11	DrukWangyal Cham episode 2 by RBA.		
12	Boedra (Nam Gawi Pedmi Thangchen)	Dzongkhag Dancers	
13	DrukWangyal Cham episode 3 by RBA.		
14	Atsara Reception and Raksha Mangcham Dzongkhag Maskdancers		
	<p>* Dasho Dzongdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Zheypas, Dancers & Drangzhaps participate in Buelrey Thromshag.</p> <p>* Dzongdag & Drangpon will offer Dhar to Duenak & Lha Karpo at the back of the Cham khang. And Atsara will Make Thromshag.</p> <p>* Dzongrab will offer Dhar to Choegyal, Ragsha Lango, Chhampon Chhamju, 4 Lekhens & Chimdag.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>(Zigrel lunch by Dzongkhag)</i></p>		

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15	Boedra (<i>Dhari Tenpo</i>)	Dzongkhag Dancers	
16	Woochupai Zhey	Zheypas	
17	DrametsiNgacham	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	
18	Dzongrab to offer Dhar to Chhampoen and Chamjug		<i>Zigrel Tea ByDzongkhag</i>
19	Zhugdrel	Dzongkhag	
20	Dasho Dzongdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Dancers and Mask Dancers escort Lam Neten and Rabdey Monks in Chipdrel procession from Deyangkha to Dukhang entrance.		
21	Sector Heads, Gups, Dancers, Mask Dancers to escort Dasho Dzongdag and Dasho Drangpon up to Dzong Gongma Courtyard & receive Zhugdrel Doma.		



DAY FIVE Tshechu Program: 25th March, 2024

12.00 AM: Monks start Sungchog at Dukhang.

3.00 AM: Sungchog ends.

3.30 AM: Dasho Dzongdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Zheypas and Mask Dancers gather at Dukhang.

4.00 AM: Dasho Dzongdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Zheypas and Mask Dancers escort Thongdroel Chenmo from Dzong to Deyangkha in Chipdrel procession, and unfurl Throngdrel over the Chamkhang.

4.30 AM: Dasho Dzongdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Zheypas and Mask Dancers will return to Dzong Gongma and escort Lam Neten and Rabdey Monks in Chipdrel procession from Dzong to Deyangkha.

4.40 AM: Lam Neten, Dasho Dzongdag and Dasho Drangpon offer Khadhar and Nyendhar to Thongdroel Chenmo.

* Offering of seven prostrations by Tshoempon.

* Lam Neten to stand at the Zhugdhen.

* Choepon and Choe-wog hand over Roelmo/ Si-nye to Umzey and Drelgong.

* Rabdey to perform Metok-Dampa.

* Rabdey to sit and perform Moendrel.

4.50 AM: Serve Zhugdrel Doma by Dzongkhag Drangzhaps.

* Rabdey to start Sungchog.

* Start Soeldep Zheng-Shig Pema.

* Tshog-Jap Jinlap.

* Throngdroel Thruesoel & Tashi Moenlam.

Continuation of Day FIVE

- 5.10 AM Serve Zhudrel Drizang by Dzongkhag Drangzhabs.
Receive Ngou by Dasho Dzongdag.
Offer Zongcha by Dasho Dzongrab.
Offering of Tshogjab.
- 5.45 AM Goenpo Tsepagmed and Sampa Nyudrup.
Baza Guru and Choepen to offer Thruelchu.
Serve Zheldeb Tea.
Receive various Zheldeb Ngou.
- 6.00 AM Begin Moelam Tungshag.
- 6.30 AM * Kudrung receive Dhar from Maha Guru.
- * Offer Sonam ChoeJa by Dzongkhag Drangzhapas.
 - * Final Ngou by Dratshang Nyerpa.
 - * Offer Moenlam Gay-Jor Duepa, Chab and Trashi Dru.
 - * Offer Zhugdrel at Thongdroel Chenmo by Dzongkhag Drangzhabs.
 - * Moenlam Desheytoenpa
 - * Monks with Dung Jaing and Dram-nyen, choeshay performers take leave.
 - * 3 Nos of Zhungdra & Boedra by Dzongkhag Dancers
 - * Wochupai Zhey by Zheypas.
 - * Dram-nyen Choejay by Dzongkhag Mask Dancers.
- 7.45AM - Escort Thongdroel Chenmo from Deyangkha to Dzong in Chipdrel procession.
- Receive blessings from Gongdue Kilkor at Dukhang.
- 8.00AM Dasho Dzongdag, Dasho Drangpon, Sector Heads, Gups, Mask Dancers and Zheypas gather at Dzong Gongma for Chipdrel procession.

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9.00AM Escort Zhabdrung Khamsum Zilnoen Kudra and GongdueTorma from Dzong to Deyangkha in chipdrel procession.

PROGRAM

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1	Thangra Dewa Dance	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	
	Tshomen Performance	Atsaras	
	Buerol Throm-shag and Atsara giving birth	Atsaras	
2	Pacham	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	
3	Boedra(Keypai Drukyul)	Dzongkhag dancers	
4	Tsholing Cham	Rinpung Rabdey	
5	Ging-Cham	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	<i>(Zigrel tea by Dratshang)</i>
6	Eight Manifestation of Guru Cham by Monks.	Dashos, Sector Heads, Gups, and Drangzhabs participate in the Throm Shag.	
7	Boedra Dance	Dzongkhag Dancers	
8	Rig-Nga Chudruk Dance	Rinpung Rabdey	<i>(Zigrel lunch by Dzongkhag)</i>
9	Choe-Zhey Dance	Dzongkhag Mask Dancers	
10	Zhabdrung Khamsum Zilnoen Wang.	Rinpung Rabdey	

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11	Boedra (<i>Gung gi Thridue Nima</i>)	Dzongkhag Dancers	
12	Tashi Moelam Zhugdrel	Dzongkhag	
13	Escort Lam and Rabdey Monks from Deyangkha to Dzong Dukhang in Chipdrel after Tashi Laybey at Deyangkha.		
14	- Offer Ngoe-Drup Langched Zhugdrel at Dukhang by Dzongkhag. - Receive blessings from Kilchor Du-Tshoen.		
15	Trashi Moenlam	Rinpung Rabdey	
16	Proceed to Dzong Wogma Courtyard		
17	Woochupai Zhey Conclusion	Zheypas	
18	All participants to join for Trashi Leybay		
19	Mask Dancers and Zheypas take leave and exit from Monks & Lam Neten.		
20	Escort Dasho Dzongdag and Dasho Drangpon from Dzong to their residences by Sector Heads, Gups, Mask Dancers in Chipdrel procession. -Mask Dancers and Zheypas to receive Soelra from Dasho Dzongdag and Dasho Dranpon.		

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