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Provincial Forestry and Grassland Bureau: Heroes Who Put themselves in Harm' s Way and Ensured Daily Function of the Bureau Amid the Raging Pandemic

In March 2022, the COVID-19 resurged in Jilin Province. By May 19th, Chanchun, the capital of the province, had a total of 25 024 confirmed cases and 22 172 asymptomatic patients. Faced with the grim outbreak, officials and employees of Jilin Provincial Forestry and Grassland Bureau, no matter their rankings and seniorities, have assumed their responsibilities and rushed to the frontline of the battle against the pandemic. For over 50 days, when it comes to crunch, they have become a major force in carrying out community-level work such as sanitizing, tracking the origins, running tests, distributing daily necessities. Meanwhile, they have ensured smooth operation of the routine work in the daily fire-prevention, administrative review and approval, ecological preservation, and wildlife protection. Their heroic actions will be remembered as a vivid chapter in this saga of combating the pandemic.

Changchun Forest Resources Supervision Commissioners Office of the National Forestry and Grassland Administration: Jointly Fighting Against the Pandemic and Duly Delivering Supervisions

In March, to support local pandemic control, Changchun Forest Resources Supervision Commissioners Office (also the Management Bureau of Tiger and Leopard National Park) of the State Forestry and Grassland Administration, without delay, sent a task force of six CPC members to see to community work. This team have fulfilled their mission successfully, winning the hearts and minds of the locals. Meanwhile, they established a communication mechanism to realize whole-process supervision, which has improved administrative licensing. The Management Bureau of Tiger and Leopard National Park led its ten divisions to ensure airtight prevention and monitoring of wildlife. With concerted efforts, the Bureau has fulfilled its role as a resource supervisor and proved with concrete actions its loyalty, solidarity, integrity, responsibility and pragmatism.

Coordinated Actions by the 10 Bureaus of Northeastern China Tiger and Leopard National Park for Ensuring Air-tight Pandemic Control and Wildlife Protection

Northeast National Park Administration of Tiger and Leopard has galvanized its ten sub-bureaus in Jilin (Hunchun Municipal Bureau, Municipal Bureau, Wangqing County Bureau, Tianqiaoling Bureau, Daxinggou Bureau) and Heilongjiang (Dongning Municipal Bureau, Suiyang Bureau, Dongjingcheng Bureau, Muling Bureau). Together all the sub-bureaus have accomplished the daily administrative and supervising work and ensured an air-tight epidemic control and prevention.

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What Modern China Can Learn from the Narrations of Ancient Epidemics

Documents that chronicle how ancient Chinese people fought against the epidemics are critical texts to understand the patriotism, filial piety, and ethics of the Chinese nation. They also show how our ancestors channeled fear and unpredictability into a cultural force and governance wisdom that were conducive to national stability and moral value. Currently, as the COVID-19 pandemic is still raging, we should review the texts, study its deep connotation, and advocate the philosophy of harmony to cope with the pandemic, so as to gain modern enlightenment for our own sustainable development.

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Leveraging the "Two Circulations" for Pandemic Control: Practical Experience of a Shanghai Residential Compound

Haitangmingyuan Residential Compound, located in Pudong District of Shanghai, attributes its success in warding off the pandemic to its young volunteers, who have managed to establish effective access to external daily supply and disease control when the city was plunged into the chaos of supply chains. Those young men and women have pioneered a brand new community administration that featured organized circulation of materials inside and outside the residential compound.

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Zero Infection for 58 Days: A Story about a Pudong Community Under Lockdown

During the recent pandemic outbreak in Shanghai, Beicai Town of Pudong District was right in the eye of the storm. Over the recent two months' lockdown, nucleic acid testing, neighborhood sanitation, garbage treatment and grocery group-purchasing have become the new normal. Faced with such challenges, the residents kept an upper lip and toed the line to keep the disease at bay. In the arduous moment, neighbors reached to and took care of each other. They have set good examples for other communities grappling with the COVID-19 and testified to the strength and resilience of Shanghai.

Chronicling the Work of Teachers and Students of Shanghai Vocational Schools: Professionals Fending off the COVID-19

In the spring of 2022, the teachers and students of vocational schools in Shanghai actively played their part to keep the COVID-19 in check. For instance, digital information majors and their supervisors developed user-friendly platforms for group-buyers, which the grey population found especially helpful. Nursing majors, after proper training, volunteered to perform nucleic acid tests on campus. With passion, professionalism and dedication, they have safeguarded the safety of schools.

In the Times of Pandemic, Have You Ever Noticed the Campus Life ?

How people outside the campus coped with the COVID-19? Some real-life experiences are shared by the author, who is a high-school teacher. Under the shadow of the raging pandemic, teachers had to break away from the conventional teaching and shifted to online classrooms. When disease control and prevention came to the fore, people had to adapt to this new life and reexamine the present. Resigning ourselves to such changes, we are warmed by a lot of moving stories: delivery workers working around the clock in Shenzhen and online poem communication to pass the encouragement between students in Shenzhen and Hong Kong in the grips of the pandemic.

Diaries of a Local Official from Shiyuan Street of Bao' an District, Shenzhen

In the early 2022, Shiyuan Street had four confirmed cases. This article is an excerpt from the diaries of a local official, who documented how the grassroots civil servants scarified family reunion opportunities in Spring Festival vacation to carry out orders and fulfil disease control duties. Thanks to their efforts and the support from the locals, the flare-up in Shenzhen did not go worse.