

आदिवासी जनजाति महिला शान्ति सञ्जाल, नेपाल  
Indigenous Women Peace Network



लोकतान्त्रिक सगुन फुल आन्दोलन  
Loktantric Sagun Phool Andolan!

(People Democratic Flower Movement)



Press release

Hundreds and thousands of people in Chabel continued People's Peaceful Protest today also. Suddenly, at about five o'clock, the security forces indiscriminately started to baton charge to disperse the peaceful demonstrators. Many demonstrators including old and handicapped, women and children were brutally beaten and were injured.

The members of Indigenous Women Peace Network, Stella Tamang and Sita Tamang were also injured during the security force attack. In support of the people's democratic movement, they were there offering Sagun Flower to the security forces urging them not to suppress people's struggle for democracy and to join with people. They were also distributing Loktantric Snacks and water to the protesters with other members of the network. The other member of network, Angdawa Sherpa lost her camera while trying to escape the security forces.

Indigenous Women Peace Network condemns the brutality of the security forces on the peaceful demonstrators and appeals the security forces to show courage, use their wisdom and join with the peoples in the struggle for democracy. Indigenous Women Peace Network has launched, "Loktantric Phool Andolan" and is distributing Loktantric Khaja to the Loktantric protesters.

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