

Element Name:

Dautatu: Ritual during the Chawmos festival in which collection, cooking and distribution of Kidney beans takes place predominantly carried out by young girls

Community (ies) Concerned:

Kalasha community of Bumburet, Birir, and Rumbur valley are involved in the direct practice and enactment of the element while the neighbouring Muslim community of the valleys are involved in distributing kidney beans as well. Young girls from the community are particularly involved as they go door to door to collect beans first, and distribute cooked beans the next day.