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Street Lighting Systems

12V/37WP P.V. Module
12V40Ah Exide MF battery
10 - 40Watt LED (as required)
16' G.I pole

Flood lighting systems
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12V40Ah Exide MF battery
10 - 40Watt LED (as required)

Flood lighting systems

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SINDUR TARA

SEVA KENDRA TRAINING CENTER
AT
DIGHA

Maximum Accommodation capacity 50 persons

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SEVA KENDRA CALCUTTA

Social Service Centre of the Archdiocese of Calcutta

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VISION

“A self-reliant society based on peace, love and justice, respecting the human dignity and natural environment”.

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

- ❖ Decrease dropout rate/mainstream dropout children from school
- ❖ STAG methodology for mainstreaming the dropout
- ❖ Train youth for employment
- ❖ Support and mobilize Government Programme for development.
- ❖ Prevent occurrence of early marriage
- ❖ Promote Safe Migration & Stop human trafficking
- ❖ HIV/AIDS community care & counseling centres
- ❖ Teach importance of Herbal medicinal plants growth and use
- ❖ Support TB (RNTCP) programme
- ❖ Develop solar and renewable energy
- ❖ Harnessing natural resources
- ❖ Promote forest protection through children
- ❖ Build self reliant SHGs & CBOs
- ❖ Mobilize Govt. Programmes for food and livelihood
- ❖ Empower and encourage youth to work for the community
- ❖ Mobilize Task Forces to work for local issues
- ❖ Peace building through reconciliation
- ❖ Promote organic and indigenous methods of cultivation
- ❖ Community Based Disaster Risk Reduction
- ❖ Emergency relief & rehabilitation
- ❖ Mobilize local funds

MISSION

Building of a Harmonious Society, based on Cultural Ethos, inspired by Spiritual Heritage, Socially and Environmentally sound through Participatory Process.

SEVA KENDRA CALCUTTA

Seva Kendra Calcutta is a social service centre of the Archdiocese of Kolkata. Across the years it has built up a reputation of service, trustworthiness and integrity. It serves the struggling, suffering, poor and disadvantaged people of West Bengal and is being constantly challenged to improve upon itself as a catalyst for social change through service, animation and mobilization of people and build a network of partnership with the like-minded organization.

GENERAL OBJECTIVES

- ❖ Achieve education of all children at least till class VIII
- ❖ Promote gender equality and empower women
- ❖ Improve maternal and child health
- ❖ Combat HIV/AIDS/Malaria/TB/Leprosy
- ❖ Promote eco-sustainability and natural resource mobilization
- ❖ Safe migration and anti-human trafficking
- ❖ Build a network of partnership with local NGOs
- ❖ Mobilize local resources

MEMBERS OF GOVERNING BODY

Archbishop Lucas Sirkar, President
Fr. Reginald Fernandes, Vice President
Fr. Rudolf D'Souza, Secretary
Fr. John Mohandas, Member
Fr. Soosai Manickam, Member
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Prof. Maria Fernandes, Member

A Big Thank you to All

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Caritas Internationalis, Germany
- Catholic Relief Services, Baltimore, USA
- Deaf Child Worldwide, UK
- Indienhilfe e.V., Germany
- Kirche in Not/Ostpriesterhilfe, Germany
- L. L. Likvidace Lepry, Czech Republic
- Manos Unidas, Spain
- Misereor, Germany
- Missio, Austria

NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Archdiocese of Calcutta (Parishes, Religious Societies, Educational Institutions, Associations)
- Association of Bengal Collaborators for Development, Kolkata
- Caritas India, New Delhi & Kolkata
- Catholic Relief Services, New Delhi & Kolkata
- CBCI-Health Commission, New Delhi & Kolkata
- Indo Global Social Service Society, New Delhi and Kolkata
- RNTCP, Kolkata
- UNICEF, Kolkata
- WBSAPS
- NABARD

GOVERNMENT SECTOR

- Government of India, Ministry of Labour & Employment (DGET)
- Regional Directorate of Apprenticeship
- Training (RDAT-Eastern Region/Kolkata)

A special thanks also to all Parishes, Schools, Colleges and Convents of the Archdiocese of Kolkata for the generous support

CHARITABLE BEQUEST TO SEVA KENDRA CALCUTTA

Bequests to Seva Kendra Calcutta can come in many forms. The donation received will be utilized as per the wishes and intentions of the donor. For further details kindly contact the Director, Seva Kendra Calcutta.



COMMUNITY COLLEGE SEVA KENDRA CALCUTTA “MAKING PEOPLE FIT FOR LIFE AND FIT FOR JOB”

(Job Oriented, Work Related, Skill Based and Life Coping Education)

Community College is the need of the hour. It provides education for livelihood. It responds to the challenges of exclusion and elimination from the formal system, mismatch between education and employment capability, poverty and problems of unemployment, under-employment, unemployability as well as school dropouts.

COURSES:

1. Life Coping Skills
2. Interpersonal Relationship & Communicative Skills
3. Developmental English
4. Basic Computer Applications

TRADE

1. Nursing Assistant
2. Basic Electronics-Renewal Energy
3. Assistant Cook
4. Computer Hardware

Duration of the Course : one year

Session Starts : **January & June**

Time: Morning 9. 30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.
OR

Afternoon- 1.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.
Eligibility: Class VIII

Admission Fee Rs. 1000 (*Refundable)

Exam Fee each subject Rs. 800 (*Refundable)

*Money will be refunded once the candidate passes the examination and receives the certificate.

CONTACT :
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Seva Kendra Calcutta- A Vocational Training Provider

We got registration as Vocational Training Provider (VTP) approved by The Regional Directorate Apprenticeship Training (RDAT), Government of India, Ministry of Labour & Employment (DGE&T) and to run Modular Employable Scheme Courses as mentioned below. Here students will get a chance to learn below mentioned courses *free of cost. For that they have to pay a refundable amount of Rs. 1,000 at the time of admission and Rs. 800 for examination fees.

Name of the courses offered:

- ❖ Computer Fundamental, Ms-Office, Internet
- ❖ Tally
- ❖ Desktop Publication
- ❖ Computer Hardware
- ❖ Computer Networking
- ❖ Assistant Cook
- ❖ Soft skill for Baseline Staff
- ❖ Soft skill for Frontline Office Assistant

For further queries contact:

Seva Kendra Calcutta, 52B Radhanath Chowdhury Road, Kolkata-15

* Conditions apply. The amount will be refunded once the candidate passes the examination and receives the certificate.

Seva Kendra Calcutta
*Working in 9 districts
of West Bengal
Touching the lives of over
15 lakh people*



Major Concern of SEVA KENDRA CALCUTTA

Seva Kendra Calcutta

Seva Kendra Ext. Kharagpur

Seva Kendra Ext. Dum Dum

Sindhu Tara Training Centre, Digha

Campaign Against Hunger & Disease

Place	Amount spent
Seva Kendra Calcutta	179375.00
Seva Kendra Calcutta (KGP)	18400.00
Seva Kendra Dum Dum	16400.00
Caritas	400000.00
Blankets	15000.00
Other expenses	61650.00
Total	690825.00



SKC-Calcutta

Name	Designation
Mr. Andrews Tapan	Section Head
Mrs. Baxla Daisy	Assistant Coordinator
Mr. Behera Narayan	Security Personnel
Mr. Biswas Robi	Security Personnel
Mr. Branger Ronald	Senior Accountant
Mr. Das David	Support Staff
Ms. Ekka Asha R.	Section Head
Sr. Ful Kuwari	Field Re
Mrs. Ganpat Harriet	Logistician
Mr. Hasda Boidyanath	Support Staff
Mr. Kisku Montu	Light Vehicle Driver
Mr. Mondol Francis	Field Reviewer

Mrs. Mondal Magdalen	Secretary
Mr. Mondal Rana	Assistant Accountant
Mr. Murmu Rupai	Cook
Ms. Naskar Benu	Field Reviewer
Mr. Naskar Nikodim	Light Vehicle Driver
Mr. Rana Samir	Assistant Accountant
Mr. Sarkar Bablu F.	Section Head
Mr. Tewari N.K.	Security Personnel
Ms. Tudu Salomi Mamta	Field Reviewer
Sr. Michael SDS	Section Head
Sr. Kausalya	Field Reviewer

Training Centre

Name	Designation
Sr. Amita SJA	Coordinator
Sr. Goretti SS.CC	Coordinator
Sr. Premkata DSA	Coordinator
Mr. Hansda Bishnu	Support staff
Mr. Rajak Chandan	Support staff
Ms. Gomes Jennifer	Support staff
Ms. Kisku Sonia	Support staff

SKC-Kharagpur

Name	Designation
Fr. Anthony Rodricks	Director
Sr. Sukeshini/ Sr. Mary DC	Coordinator DRR
Mr. Dey Sudarsan	Coordinator, Projects
Ms. Ruth Mary Roy	Assistant Coordinator
Mr. Forhad Ali	Assistant Coordinator
Mr. Lawrence Adhikari	Area Coordinator
Mr. Moven Domingo	Area Coordinator
Mr. Ranjit Gomes	Area Coordinator
Mrs. Vanessa Smith	Accountant cum Office Assistant

Ms. Nilima Bhunia Account Assistant

CCC-Dum Dum

Name	Designation
Mr. Mukul Haldar	Coordinator
Ms. Suparna Raychaudhury	Counselor
Dr. Prasenjit Saha	Doctor
Dr. Ashis Mukherjee	Doctor
Ms. Rita Panda	Staff Nurse
Ms. Jolsen Toppo	Staff Nurse
Ms. Prasen Minj	Staff Nurse
Mr. Chinmoy Mahanti	Outreach Worker
Ms. Jayanti Boidya	Outreach Worker
Sr. Bharati Baskey	Outreach Worker
Mr. Rajender Roy	Outreach Worker
Ms. Soma Hansda	Cook
Ms. Kalpana Biswas	Janitor
Mr. Albert Kujur	Janitor
Mr. Ronald Branger	Accountant

St. Joseph's Hospital-Midnapore

Name	Designation
Sr. Lizy Sebastian	Nurse cum Administrator
Sr. Rani Joseph	Nurse cum Assistant Administrator
Dr. Partha Sarathi Samanta	Doctor
Dr. Susanta Bera	Doctor
Ms. Jaicinta Roy	Coordinator
Mr. Prasenjit Mondal	Counselor
Ms. Jui Sen Gupta	Nurse
Ms. Mithu Midya	Out reach Worker
Mr. Dilip Pal	Out reach Worker
Mr. Debasis Magi	Out reach Worker
Ms. Manti Das	Out reach Worker
Ms. Sumita Singh	Janitor
Ms. Koyeli Hembrom	Janitor
Ms. Arshu Murmu	Cook
Mr. Havel Rana	Driver
Mr. Kishore Biswas	Night guard.

Seva Kendra Calcutta Community College

Name	Designation
Sr. Bianca	Vice Principal
Mrs. Rosemary D'Rozario	Teacher
Mr. Mukherjee Arindam	Computer Trainer

Seva Kendra Calcutta

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- Samonnay - SHG Network
- Community Based Disaster Preparedness (CBDP)
- Community Development Programme
- Food Aid
- Tuberculosis Programme
- Training Centre
- Computer Centre

Seva Kendra Ext. Kharagpur

- Integrated Development Project
- Community Based Disaster Preparedness
- Training Centre

Local Resource Mobilisation

Finance

Campaign Against Hunger & Disease

Message from the Director



I asked one of the bank officers who was born and brought up in Chamrusai in Midnapore District, what his opinion was about Catholic Relief Services (CRS) food. He told me "*ami bulgar keyeyi manush hohechi*" ("What I am today is because of Bulgar"). This could be said by many of our people who were brought up in our tribal hostels. Now that this programme is closed down, Seva Kendra Calcutta has to search for new identity. In this process we are looking for new avenues, new roles and new ways by which Seva Kendra Calcutta still can have impact on the lives of people.

Community College is a new way of making the youth "fit for job and fit for life". Youth who come out of our modern day formal educational institutions have very little chance to go for professional training. The Central Government of India has many professional training programmes for the youth. Seva Kendra Calcutta has been able to get the recognition for Modular Employable Scheme (MES). Through MES we have been able to make our Community College studies affordable for even the poor youth and where we can give certificate from the Central Government. Our new center at Serampur in Hooghly District would be the second center for the activities of Seva Kendra Community College.

Community Care Centers for HIV/AIDS is another new venture of Seva Kendra Calcutta. We have one center at Dum Dum and another at Midnapore. Both these centers have accommodation for 10 patients each and have been rendering service last one year. At Midnapore we are also developing a hospital for TB and Leprosy patients with the support of Likvidace Leproy of Czech Republic. Outdoor patients are treated at present and in future the hospital would have facility for 40 indoor patients.

"Save the Mother Earth", is the cry of the time. Seva Kendra Calcutta, in its little way has been able support the work for Renewable Energy. We have a workshop to produce Solar Lamps, Solar Home Lighting Systems, Solar Street Lights and Solar Hot Water arrangements. We train people on roof water harvesting system, production of solar lights and developing of solar hot water systems. Lutheran World Services and Development Research Communication Services Center have requested us to train their personnel in this field.

We are looking for more appropriate (meaningful) avenues to make Seva Kendra Calcutta a more relevant institution and able to answer needs of the time.

Fr. Reginald Fernandez
Director

Mainstreaming the Dropout Children to School

Palbari Midnapur ASTAG (Skill Targetted Academic Growth) Centre

(We express our sincere thanks and gratitude to Catholic Relief Services, Stitching Actie Calcutta, and Indienhilfe for supporting this project)

Batch 2009-2010

Present status



While studying in Class II, Laxmi Kisku stopped going to school. At home she played with her two sisters and her friend Sonali instead.

Laxmi lives with her parents and two sisters. Both her parents are daily laborers and work in the field. After they return in the evening, they drink and quarrel unaware that Laxmi is frightened of this daily affair. At the STAG centre Laxmi always remains happy as she loves to study. She hopes to be a good woman in the future. Her teachers describe her as a child who *“always remains happy with a special smile on her face and loves to make others happy too.”*

A Case Study

- Seven children have shown tremendous improvement. They need to be mainstreamed.
- Nineteen children are being prepared for mainstreaming six months from now.
- One child has been mainstreamed into Class IV
- Three children left the centre on medical grounds.
- Three more left as child and parents were not motivated enough.



Achievements

- Identified twenty-seven dropped out children between the age group 7 to 12 years.
- Created homely atmosphere/environment for children coming especially from tribal areas of Midnapore district.
- Managed to run the centre smoothly even when there was no cook or few teachers.
- Conducted ICDP monthly meetings with satisfied number of parents every month
- Local contribution collected 80.67% (Rs. 9,600.00 out of Rs. 11,900.00)



(We express our sincere thanks and gratitude to Caritas Germany for supporting this project)

A call to come together

The “Rag pickers development program” was initiated in November 2008 in four clusters under jurisdiction 57 & 58 ward of Kolkata metropolitan city namely Kilkhana, Lanedhar, Kuliatangra and Muslim camp. The habitats of these places are mostly vulnerable and neglected population of Urban Kolkata. The purpose of launching this programme is to empower these people who are unaware of the detrimental situation in which they are living.

Impact Vs Activity

- ◆ Aspirations of the people is to become a change agent people in groups and as individual are organizing community meetings, participating in Para level meetings, Stake holder meeting and mobilizing the target people to attend and take part at the community level programs. The ceaseless



Finance

Schedule of Projects for the year ended 31st March,2010 (foreign)				
Name of Projects	Opening Balance	Receipt	Utilised	Closing Balance
ABCD-Anti Trafficking Program	nil	237000	217484	19516
Holy Child	135625	nil	101249	34376
Caritas-Assistance to the victims of fire	nil	100000	nil	100000
Caritas-Natural Resource Management	(-) 39569	78400	38831	nil
Caritas-Rag Pickers	414819	300000	714819	nil
Caritas-Relief to the victims of Aila	nil	3700000	2398638	1301362
Community Care Center-Dum Dum	3581	318622	320358	1845
Community Care Center-Midnapore	408789	104945	533525	(-) 19791
Consulate of Germany	nil	527656	527656	nil
CRS-Aila Economic Recovery	nil	802069	802069	nil
CRS-Aila Relief	nil	854984	854984	nil
CRS-DRR-1409,1550 &6788	219764	3945460	3452439	712785
CRS- Dropout Extension	137257	nil	137257	nil
CRS-Sahayog support to MC sisters	nil	228780	106260	122520
CRS-Salary	83742	104031	165729	22044
CRS-Shantineer	121622	nil	121622	nil
CRS-T.B	28547	41769	70316	nil
CRS-west Midnapore Recovery Phase	618189	nil	618189	nil
Deaf Child- Use of Office space	nil	195365	55944	139421
Deaf Child World Wide	32867	1503861	1486892	49836
Financial Assistance	217714	2304061	2008742	513032
IGSSS-Empowerment	(-)77360	284500	207140	nil
Indienhilfe-Capacity Building	102941	50000	118278	34663
Indienhilfe-Child Labour	170922	600000	507287	263635
Indienhilfe-Emergency Fund	nil	500000	155334	344666
Indienhilfe-Gratuity of IDP Staff	200000	260000	312158	147842
Indienhilfe-Integrated Development Program	460506	3889600	3246337	1103769
Indienhilfe-Use of Office space	3056	290400	233917	59539
Kircheinot/Ostpriesterhilfe	155123	nil	155123	nil
Likvidace/Hospital	7303863	18380139	20019992	5664010
Manos Unidas	2433215	nil	2433215	nil
Misereor-Community Development Program	89182	388602	615255	137471
Misereor-Emergency Relief Fund	nil	166715	166715	nil
Missio EV	nil	2038743	1456033	582710
Richard Saldana	43672	261610	238417	66865
SAC	53334	1066480	1094063	25751
SAC-Dropout	111578	nil	111578	nil
Serampore Land	161398	nil	161398	nil
Caritas-CBDP	4467	1032533	1030928	6072
Total	13598844	44556325	46996172	11158997

Schedule of Projects for the year ended 31st March,2010 (Indian)				
Name of Projects	Opening Balance	Receipt	Utilised	Closing Balance
Campaign against Hunger & Disease	1298140	947128	126527	2118741
Emergency Relief Fund	44696	nil	nil	44696
Good Friday Walk	245730	49153	214175	80708
Herbert & Ellen Barber Scholarship Fund	42000	nil	38300	3700
Herbert Eustace Barber & Ellen Barber	41000	nil	nil	41000
Unicef - Aila Relief	nil	394500	394500	nil
St. Xavier's College-Aila Relief	nil	56000	56000	nil
Total	1671566	1446781	829502	2288845

*To reach out....To touch....
To make a difference.....*

*Be our partners in this
movement*

Donation Form

From: -

Phone
Mobile
Date of Birth
Email

Please accept my contribution of :

You can make a difference by
contributing:

LOCAL RESOURCE MOBILIZATION

Name of Parishes	Total
Church of Christ the King, Park Circus	80,000
St. Mary's Church, Ripon Street	67,293
Sacred Heart Church, Lenin Sarani	37,376
St. Thomas Church, Middleton Row	28,550
Auxilium Parish Church, Mahendra Roy Lane	28,503
Sacred Heart Church, Kharagpur	22,514
Fatima Shrine, C.I.T. Road	22,170
Bandel Church, Hooghly	20,834
St. Francis Xavier's Church, B.B.Ganguly Street	17,777
St. Xavier's College Chapel	17,000
Prabhu Jishu Girja, Rafi Ahmed Kidwai Rd	15,000
St. Anthony's Church, Kharagpur	14,781
St. Joseph's Chapel, Market Street	13,728
St. Ignatius Church,Ekbalpore Road	11,000
St. Teresa's Church, AJC Bose Road	10,050
Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Barasat	9,500
St.Patrick's Church, Dum Dum	9,000
St. Joseph's Church, Barrackpore	6,500
Queen of Peace Church, Tollygunge	6,200
St. Joseph's Church, Bongaon	6,000
St. John's Church, A.P.C. Road	5,527
Church of Our Lady of Dolours, Boitakhana	5,110
Church of Our Lady of Happy Voyage, Howrah	5,000
Infant Jesus Church, Behala	5,000
St. Joseph the Worker Church, Santragachi	4,500
The Cathedral of the Holy Rosary, Kolkata	4,445
Holy Family Church, Keshtopur	4,200
Sacred Heart Church, Kowgachi	4,166
St. Lawrence Chapel, Ballygunge	4,165
Church of Our Lady of Consolation, Haldia	4,010
Stella Maris, Nimak Mahal Road	3,880
Catholic Church, Midnapore	3,342
Nirmala Mata Maria Girja, Andul Road	3,200
Catholic Church, Premnagar, Santragachi	2,600
Holy Cross Church, Thakurnagar	2,500
St. Peter's Church, Haldia	2,110
Mary Immaculate Church, Kanchrapara	2,001
Catholic Centre, Jholi, Kharagpur	2,000
John Bosco Parish, Liluah	2,000
Church of the Immaculate Conception of Blessed Virgin Mary, Serampore	2,000
Holy Trinity Church, Jhargram	1,911
St. Ignatius' Church,Premananda Ashram, Midnapore	1,100
Sacred Heart Church,Chandannagar	1,100
St. Francis Xavier's Church, Guma	1,060
Jishu Ashram, Pandua	650
Maria Sneha Sadan, Gurap	338
	5,21,691

Name of Schools/Colleges	Total
Auxilium Convent School, P.K. Guha Road, Dum Dum	60,000
St. Teresa's Secondary School,Kidderpore	40,000
Carmel School, Deshapriya Park	23,100
Our Lady Queen of the Missions School, Salt Lake	20,000
Marian Education Centre, Picnic Garden	18,000
Morning Star College, Barrackpore	16,230
Loreto Day School, Elliot Road	15,000
St. Paul's Boarding & Day School, D.H. Road	15,000
Don Bosco School, Bandel	15,000
Loreto Day School, Lenin Sarani	14,023
St. Joseph's Convent, Chandannagar	12,500
Lavinia House, Kolkata	12,020
Our Lady Queen of the Missions School, Syed Amir Ali Avenue	10,000
Don Bosco School, Park Circus	10,000
Auxilium Convent School, Bandel	10,000
Loreto College, Middleton Row	8,000
Loreto Convent, Entally	7,710
Loreto Day School, B.B. Ganguly Street	7,092
St. Mary's Orphanage, Dum Dum	6,000
St. Xavier's Collegiate School, Park Street	5,000
Holy Child Girls H.S.School, C.I.T.Road	5,000
St. Mary's School, Ripon Street	4,186
Holy Child Institute, Beadon Street	4,101
Meghmala Roy Education Centre, Behala	4,000
St. Albert's Home, Monsadah	3,685
St. Aloysius Orphanage & Day School, Howrah	3,500
Sacred Heart Chinese School, Weston Street	3,170

Loreto Convent, Asansol	3,000
Convent of Our Lady of Providence Girls' (Hindi High School) AJC Bose Rd	3,000
Don Bosco Technical School, Liluah	2,200
St. Francis School, Guma	2,000
Auxilium Convent School, Syed Amir Ali Avenue	2,000
Holy Family Convent School, Liluah	2,000
St. Mary's High School, Entally	1,159
Christopher Day School, Malancha	1,000
St. Mary's Convent School, Santragachi	1,000
Nirmal Hriday Ashram Girls' School, Midnapore	1,000
St. Teresa's School, A.J.C.Bose Road	970
St. George's School & St. Joseph's College, Bowbazar	812
St. Luigi Nursery School, Barrackpore	500
St. John's Berchman School, A.J. C. Bose Road	500
St. Mary's School, Kharagpur	500
	3,73,958

Name of Religious Institutions	Total
Sisters of Charity, Kolkata Province	109,000
The Carmelite Convent, Outram Street	60,000
Sisters of Charity, Holy Child Convent, Sonapat	20,000
Convent of Our Lady of Providence, AJC Bose Road	15,000
Little Sisters of the poor, St. Joseph's Home, A.J.C.Bose Road	10,300
St. Vincent's Home, D.H. Road	10,000
Sisters of the Sacred Heart, Anjali Bhawan	10,000
Sisters of Charity, Purulia	10,000
Shanti Niloy, Azimganj	10,000
Sisters of Charity, Junior Holy Family, Krishnanagar	10,000
St. Catherine's Home,Daughters of the Cross, Diamond Harbour Road	6,500
Auxilium Convent, Taki Road, Barasat	6,000
Missionaries of Charity, Shishu Bhawan	5,187
Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary (SS.CC) Damien House	5,000
Don Bosco Nitika,Tangra	5,000
Missionaries of Charity, Nirmala Kennedy Centre, Dum Dum	5,000
St.Agnes Convent, Kings Road, Howrah	5,000
Don Bosco Ashalayma, Belilious Rd, Howrah	5,000
Convent of Immaculate Heart of Mary, Tollygunge	3,500
Daughter's of St. Paul, Royd Street	3,000
Holy Cross Convent, Pandua	2,500
Sister of Mary Immaculate, Gurusaday Road	2,500
Auxilium Convent, Mahendra Roy Lane	2,015
Bethany Novitiate, Barasat	2,000
Daughters of the Cross,Novitiate, Barasat	2,000
Nava Jeevan, Barasat	2,000
Helper Sisters, Barasat	2,000
Carmel Niketan, Moore Avenue	1,500
Sisters Adorers, Nazareth Villa, C.I.T. Road	1,500
Apostolic Carmel Novitiate, "Anjali" Gidha, Nilganj	1,500
Jisu Hriday Cluny Niketan, Birbhum	1,500
Servite Convent, Jholi	1,400
Christo Jyoti Ashram, Kamalasole,Basinda	1,300
Sacred Heart Convent, Behala	1,000
Daughters of St. Anne, Novitiate, Barrackpore	1,000
Fernando Convent, Hooghly	1,000
Servite Convent, Santragachi	1,000
FMM Sisters, Adivasipara, 24 Parganas (N)	1,000
Apostolic Carmel Convent Bongaon, Choyghoria	900
Holy Spirit Sisters Nihon Apartments	700
Oasis Gerosa,Udayrajpur	600
Missionary Sisters of the Immaculate, (MSI) Sundari Mohan Avenue	500
Nirmala Nilayam, Portuguese Church Street	500
Sisters of the Divine Saviour, Sunrise Apartments	500
St. Ann's Convent, Bamandanga	500
St. Anne's Convent, B.B. Gunguly Street	500
Golgotha Seva Ashram, Baligeria	410
St. Anne's Home for the Aged, Barasat	400
Formation House, Prado Sisters, Barasat	220
Sisters of Mary Immaculate, Dum Dum	200
	3,48,132

Name of Individuals/Groups	Total
Daniel Tirkey, Rashbehari Avenue	11,000
Trans Scan Securities Pvt. Ltd	6,000
Kerala Catholic Social Service Centre, Kolkata	5,000
	22,000

GRAND TOTAL	12,65,781
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efforts of the animators, Task Force, Youth and Child Parliament members, could make this possible. Trainings in various subjects like Participatory Learning and Action, Leadership, Communication, HIV, Tuberculosis, DOTs, Climatic changes etc were provided by SKC.

Emerging leadership - The youths are mobilized and capacitated through trainings and various activities of all four clusters. They are well organized and enlightened to undertake competitive programs for the people of all age group, generating awareness and cohesiveness in them.

People's participation One after other trainings and meetings made the people aware of their present hazardous and deprived situation and helped them to take adequate measures to tackle the situation. To develop plan of action and execute the same effectively, they have organized themselves and achieved the desired participation of the target population from the four clusters.



Landmark Achievements

- ❖Task force, Youth and Child Parliament members together started coaching for the 'Urdu' medium weak students in the community.
- ❖16 youths took admission in Open Universities for further study.
- ❖Task force, Youth and Child Parliament members managed distributing relief materials for the fire victims, donated by the Govt. departments, NGOs, Local Clubs, Political parties and individuals.

Journey to continue . . .

(We express our gratitude to Disaster comes and goes but rehabilitation takes long time. Even total destroyed can't be fulfilled but human support is always needed for the affected people. 'Aila' had struck in last year 25th May'09 in many places of West Bengal mainly Gangetic place of West Bengal . In this Super Cyclone called 'Aila” made people home less more than 1 million in North 24 Paragans. Seva Kendra had aim to restoring the living condition of Aila families in North 24 Parganas, Sandeshkhali I, II Block . With the help of donors like CRS, Concern World Wide , Taraulins, medicine, health services, cooking materials, household items and lastly Cash for work. But continuous 47 days cooked food

Aila

served one of the remarkable services to the affected people. We have fed people per day ten to twelve thousand. It was observed that when people returned to their home, nothing with them. They have no money, no work except open sky above their head. So they are forced to migrate for money. We have distributed 7000 mosquito nets, 3500 plastic buckets with lead and cooking materials. Lastly we have started Cash for work for the affected people. So that they will get money and remain in their place. Here we have furnished one table showing benefited people from cash for work.

Cash for Work						
Place	Total Budget	Number benefited	Migrated families	No. of families returned	No. of Ponds excavation New	Old
Sandeshkhali -1	39 Lakhs	5988	1600	600	26	772
						Total
						799



The “Development Programme for Rag Pickers” (DPRP) was started in December 2008 in the Kilkhana cluster, Kuliatangra, Lanedhar and Muslim camp. While conducting PLA (Participatory learning and action) Para-level meetings to share the information about various Government schemes like Widow pension, Old age pension, BPL etc. Three widows came up to a Task Force member named Md. Alam, asking him about widow pensions. Nagma Bibi, whose husband died in an accident, Rashida Bibi, whose husband died because of liver damage and Fatima Bibi whose husband, died of cancer. Md. Alam took them to the Councilor and there they were asked to fill up a form which was submitted to concerned department. Three months later the three women (mentioned above) received Rs. 10,000.00 each.



SAFE MIGRATION/ANTI - HUMAN TRAFFICKING

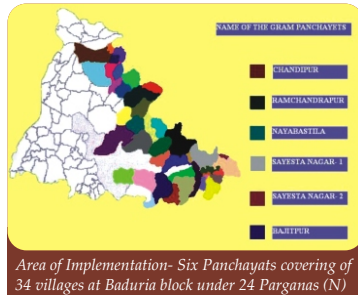
(We express our sincere thanks and gratitude to Manos Unidas and Association of Bengal Collaborators for Development (ABCD)



Impact of the Intervention

- In 30 villages - Village level awareness programs on the issues of trafficking, safe migration, early marriage, child labour
- Community Vigilance Committees (CVC) - in 21 villages - register their names of the people who go out for work in the register which is given by Seva Kendra Calcutta and kept in the concerned Panchayat offices of Baduria Block.

- Adolescent Girls Groups (AGG) in 15 villages ensuring and promoting safe migration
- Information dissemination - Festival Campaign (MIKING) during Puja and Display of IEC material during "ICHHAMATI MELA"
- Legal Awareness programs on Immoral Trafficking Prevention Act 1986, Early Marriage, Land dispute and other local issues.
- Networking and Advocacy Local PRI, Police, Schools, ICDS, SJGSY (Sarna Jayente Gram Swarojgar Yojona) clubs etc...



"GULI MAROON" (Shoot ME)

Resma (name changed) is 16 years old and living with her parents and two sisters at Katiahat village... Her father is working in a shop and mother is a house-wife. She is a member of our Adolescent Girls Group (AGG) who attended training on Legal awareness in the pilot phase 2008.

Resma stopped her study last year and she is at home doing household work. She has a boy friend named Biswajit (name changed) and most of the people in the village knew that they will be married later. Taking advantage of the situation her neighbour Mr. Rahul (name changed) who is a trafficker said to Resma that Biswajit her boy friend has asked him to bring her to Baduria to meet him. She believed him since she knew him earlier. He was accompanied with his

wife and two daughters. So she went with them and she found a stranger instead of Biswajit. Then she was told that her boy friend is waiting at Bashirhat making arrangements for their marriage. They gave her a set of new sari, Churidar and a mobile phone.

Resma saw t h a t

Mr.Rahul is getting money from the stranger, suddenly she remembered the poster where a dhalal/agent is giving money and buying a girl (*used during our training program where she attended*) and she became suspicious and alert.

Mr.Rahul and his wife understood and they moved back leaving their two daughters and the stranger behind.

Reshma insisted on going to Horhortai village as she had some work. On reaching the village, she contacted the near by club members and narrated her story.

Immediately club members gathered and called Mr.Mejman Ali, our animator he guided them to call Katiahat police phari and Resma was rescued and the culprit was arrested and put into jail.

The case is on. But Resma said to the police please "Amake Guli Maroon ... ami bari jabo na....."Shoot me "I do not want go home" She was frightened of her father.

Seva Kendra Calcutta's Intervention:

Mr. Mejman Ali ATP animator along with Ms. Anowara Begum SHG Animator took initiative to support the club members and to do all legal procedure.

Sr. Micheal SDS, ATP coordinator visited Resma and her parents and counseled them at home.

Resma's father welcomed his daughter back leaving behind everything that had happened. He is happy that Resma is safe and sound at home.

A Case Study

Seva Kendra Extn. Kharagpur

"Seva", as the very name denotes "Service", is the sole purpose of Seva Kendra Calcutta, Extension Kharagpur. The so called, "backward masses", who were excluded from the community are now interacting and communicating their problems and SKK is providing a platform to express their views. Hence a glance at the various projects undertaken by SKK:

IDP (Integrated Development Project)

(We express our sincere thanks and gratitude to Indienhilfe e.V. Germany for supporting this project)



The IDP which is at force in 55 tribal villages, including 5 blocks and touching the lives of 5,500 people benefiting directly or indirectly, in the district of West Midnapur. Women are not left behind in this revolution but they have become a very integral part of this new era, through involvement in 311 SHGs (Self Help Groups). It is successful in putting an end to the huge masses migrating to cities in search of better jobs through its number of self employment schemes and IGA (Income Generation Activities). Youth power has also been given a good recognition and streaming them to various leadership and capacity building programs, voluntary actions, Awareness programs etc. Today IDP claims to secure 100% enrolment in

schools, 80% awareness and practice on hygienic and healthy living. It has also included the need to change detrimental government policies, use grassroots experiences and innovations as the basis for improved policies, and strengthen local capacities. It has also enabled this "low income population" to participate in the governmental process, which acts as a crucial vehicle for exercising their rights and holding government accountable. As such, they play a vital role in strengthening democracy and the skills of citizenship essential to healthy society.

DOTs (Direct Observed Therapy Short course)

(We express our sincere thanks and gratitude to CBCI-Health Commission for supporting this project)



DOTs was initiated by SKK, in the year 2009, keeping in mind, to cure and aware, the victims suffering from this fatal disease, Tuberculosis, in Kharagpur town. It is the first impact project from CBCI under the RNTCP scheme. We have a tie up with the WB State Health Department (State General Hospital, Kharagpur and Hijli Rural Hospital), from where we get patients, who are defaulting. Altogether we have covered 13 wards, where we have DOTs providers, who carry on the task as directed by the DOTs supervisor from SKK. Presently we have 6 patients (2 have already completed the course and are referred for the sputum test), who are getting treatment under this DOTs supervision. Besides this SKK conducts trainings for the DOT providers, Sensitization and Awareness programs, regular home visit etc.

Training Centre

The well equipped, clean spacious surroundings of the "Training Centre", which is erected in the SKK campus, is a very vital part of SKK, because it carries on its dreams, as most of the trainings are conducted here. It not only provides food and stay but also offers a perfect combination of mental relief and relaxation, to its participants. The well furnished training centre of SKK has 24 rooms and 1 dormitory, which can accommodate up to 60 people. There are three conference halls (small, medium and large) and can accommodate 30 500 people at a time. The training halls are equipped with laptops, LCDs, OHP, TVs, VCD and quality sound system. With time, it has developed a far reaching effect, which is not only limited to the local participants but also attracting participants from outside. Across the years Seva Kendra Kharagpur, has built a reputation of service and trust worthiness and is now considered, a boon in disguise for the entire district.

Achievements of Seva Kendra Calcutta Extn. Kharagpur

IDP (Integrated Development Project).		DOTs (Direct Observed Treatment Short course).			Training Centre.	
Name of the Govt. Scheme.	No of Beneficiary.	Name of the patient.	Treatment Started.	Treatment Completed	Trainings conducted.	Total no of Participants. (Approx)
SJSY (Swarna Jayanti Surozgar Yojana).	40 SHGs.	Rajesh Nag.	23/06/09	24/12/09	PNRD (Sep'09 - Mar'10).	40 per month.
JAY (Indira Abbas Yojana).	92 families.	Kedar Singh.	15/10/09	10/04/10	IDP Monthly Meetings.	25 per month.
JSY (Janani Suraksha Yojana).	116 mothers.	Upendra Panda.	6/08/09	6/02/10	OBT	160
IGA (Income Generation activities).	62 SHGs.	Rinky Nayek.	18/11/09	18/05/10	Youth Animation.	25
NOAPS (National Old age pension Schemes).	189 individuals.	Sk Atanu Rehman	25/03/10	Under treatment.	Vocation camp for the youth.	45
Widow Pension.	55 individuals.	Sanatan Singh	12/05/10	Under treatment.	BCC	60
Antorday Yojana.	409 families.				ICDP Refreshers training	10
SHGs involved in Midday meal.	27 SHGs.				DRR VDC and CBO Training.	90
Asset given to the SHG by the Govt.	30 SHGs.				Stake Holders training on Child Rights.	30
High School Enrolments.	289 students.				New Catechumenal	20
Child Immunization.	947 children.					
Animal Vaccination.	2088 animals.					
Sanitation.	200 families.					
NREGA (No of working days).	On an average of 40 days.					
Samanay.	Attended by more Than 1500 people.					

SAC (Stitching Actie Calcutta, the Netherlands)

*A foundation supporting disadvantaged children in India
(We are extremely grateful to SAC for their generous support)*

The aim of SAC implies the education of poor



children and consequently the abolition of poverty in specific regions in West Bengal, Jharkhand and Orissa. To accomplish this aim SAC involves people mainly in The Netherlands to support one or more impoverished children via so-called sponsorships. For the past year almost 15,000 children were helped by about 2,000 sponsors directly or indirectly in hostels, schools, balwadis and tuition centres.

SAC started its first activities in Calcutta in 1974 and has since then used Seva Kendra Calcutta as operating base in India much to its satisfaction.

In the year under review Mrs Joke Jansen was installed as chairman of the board and Mr. Wim de Jongh as treasurer.

Every year a delegation of SAC members comes to India to visit various centres for meeting the children, monitoring the finances, animating the teachers and mutual commitment.

Since Mrs. Joke Jansen was new she made a tour to various centres supported by SAC to get acquainted with the situation in November last year. She was accompanied by

her husband and the couple Boekema, who has frequented India for many years. In Bhubaneswar the delegation met all the hostel-in-charges in the district Khandhamal in Orissa and heard also the latest developments in that district since the riots. Children there are still frightened. The delegation paid a visit to the leprosy colony at Korunalaya with the Beatrix School in Puri and thereafter a number of hostels in Balasore diocese. There was a meeting with all the hostel-in-charges in Dumka diocese and a visit to



two balwadis. The trip ended up in Kolkata with visits amongst others to Loreto School Sealdah & Sr. Cyril and Calcutta Social Project.

Meeting the children was everywhere a great happening. Their welcome was everywhere heart-warming with songs and skits.

At the end of the tour there were meetings with the Dutch Embassy and Caritas India in Delhi.

The delegation arrived at the following conclusions.

At large the delegation is quite satisfied

with the situation of the centres supported by SAC.

There is a growing interest for education of



children in balwadis or village schools. But for follow-up the children are bound for a hostel. Introduction of vocational training is very urgent as follow-up of basic education.

A great number of centres have been supported by SAC for more than 20 years. The management is not alert to become self-sustaining and to involve the local community in so-called Community Based Organisation (CBO). In many hostels there are specifically selected children which do not represent the children of the local communities. This should be improved.

SAC is aware that its contribution for the education of poor children and the abolishment of poverty is a drop in the ocean in a country like India. On the other hand it is better to light a candle than to curse the darkness. Every educated child is a seed which will grow to bear fruit for the prosperity of future generations.

COMMUNITY BASED DISASTER PREPAREDNESS (CBDP)

We express our sincere thanks and gratitude to Caritas India and ABCD for supporting this project)

Dialogue and Discussion held with Govt., NGOs and Local bodies

.Linkage meeting with PRI (Panchayati Raj Institute), Influential person, ICDS (Integrated Child Development Scheme)	160	1197	782	415
Linkage Meeting at Block Level	2	5	3	2
Training of Partner Staff for CBDP	3	48	36	12
Orientation of Project Staff	12	152	99	53
Meeting with Task Forces	13	546	312	234
Block Level Mobilization for Gram Sabha (GS)	01	58	43	15
Sensitization of Community on Care for Phy/Psy Challenged	10	287	103	184
Para Level meeting with NHC Families	80	2052	950	1126
Community Preparedness in Spl. Focus G.S	38	964	487	477
Awareness on Disaster related Govt. Scheme	8	152	82	70
Awareness on NREGA (National Rural Employees Guarantee Act)	35	1423	1022	401
Promotion of Village Resource Centres	1	55	23	32
Monthly Internal Review Meeting	12	504	264	240

Major Outcome 2009-2010

- Community Members are getting benefits from the Village Resource Centres.
- 6 Community Based Monitoring and Evaluation teams are formed, (2 at Sarapul G.P., 2 at Hakimpur G.P and 2 at .Kaijuri G.P.)
- Sabhapati and 12 Block members of Swarupnagar have made a team for advocacy, pass and implement Plan of Action (POA)
- 80 POAs are prepared and submitted at Gram Sansad Meeting. 60 out of 80 POAs are accepted and the following activities are on progress:-
 - Rs. 64 lakhs is sanctioned for raising 33 village roads



Challenges

- To strengthen and functional of GPDMC
- Utilization of Government resources for risk reduction.
- Addressing disaster issue in the platform of development work and bringing CBDP's activities in the limelight of social and economic life.
- New elected members are less interested in CBDP activities at the initial stage.
- New elected members having inadequate knowledge on Govt. Schemes.
- GPDMC (Govt. level) formed but not yet start functioning.

- Rs. 5 lakhs is sanctioned for raising 6 low school grounds.
- Rs. 7 lakhs is sanctioned for constructing 19 culverts
- Rs. 9 lakhs is sanctioned for repairing 7 k m river embankment
- Information about various Government scheme (Male-2126, Female- 1614) are shared to 3740 people in 70 various workshops.
- 7 persons enrolled in Differently Able scheme, Rs. 750/- per month/ per person is allotted
- 33 mothers enrolled in Janani Suraksha scheme, each person is allotted Rs.500/-
- 126 Senior Citizens applied for Old age Pension scheme.

Status Report on Govt. Schemes 2009-2010

Schemes	January	February	March	Total
IAY (Indira Abash Yojana)	12	8	13	33
Old-age Pension	23	55	36	114
JSY (Janani Suraksha Yojana)	12	10	21	43
Widow Pension	10	21	19	50
Sanitation	39	19	21	79

Major Learnings

- Awareness made the community people demand and obtain ration card, voter ID, Handicapped certificate and the benefit from the available Govt. schemes.
- Panchayet does not have proper implementation plan for NREGA, so the community is not fully accessing the benefit out of it.

PRESSURE MAKES THE CAT TO CLIMB A TREE

93 Women participated in an awareness program on Right to food at Sarapul GP conducted by Mr. Rijaul Mondol, member of Block standing committee and CBDP District Coordinator Mr. Ashutosh Biswas. 35 women of Sarapul got the information on Right to Food and got the courage to approach the M.R.O dealer and requested him to keep the Ration shop open everyday. In reply the dealer Mr. Sajjak Mondol of M.R.O shop no-132 said, 'There is no circular to keep the shop open everyday'. Thus he disagreed to keep the shop open every day.

In this situation, all the women agitated in front of the shop and showed the order (Xerox copy) of the Honorable Supreme Court regarding keeping the shop open everyday and started signature campaign to file a petition at the higher level. Seeing all these finally the dealer requested the group not to go to the higher level and agreed to keep the MRO shop open twice a day for five days in a week. This is what people say, "Pressure makes the cat climb a tree".



FOOD AID PROGRAMME

We express our gratitude to Catholic Relief Services for supporting this project)

The year 2009-2010 was the closing year for this major food programme, so all 67 centers were reviewed on the conditions and declared closed:-

- Proper documentation
- Warehouse condition
- Programme criteria and success

With this Food programme SKC had touched many hearts and reached out to the grass root level people during the major cyclone named "AILA". Bulgur and Vegetable oil which was an encouragement for the children to provide good health and also to stay in the boarding for study.



Seva Kendra Community Care Centre, Dum Dum

93/1, P.K. Guha Road, Kumarpara, Dum Dum Cantonment, Kolkata 700 028.

During the World AIDS day celebration on 1st December 2008 the Seva Kendra Community Care centre was inaugurated. Fr. Reginald Fernandence, Director of Seva



Kendra requested Msgr. Francis Gomes to bless the house and inaugurate the Community Care Centre. Since then we are running a 10 bedded Community Care Centre at Dum

Dum Cantonment to provide care, support and treatment to people living with HIV/AIDS under GFATM Round 6 PACT program with the support from Catholic Bishop's Conference of India Commission for Health (CBCI-HC).

ACHIEVEMENT FROM DECEMBER 2008 MARCH 2010

Initially there was an opposition from the neighboring families for having a center in this locality to provide services to the PLHA (full form). Gradually we have strengthened linkages with the District level Net work and established good linkages with Secondary stake holders at Dum Dum area. We were able to conduct advocacy program to remove stigma against HIV/AIDS on 1st December 2009 at

the ground of Dum Dum Auxillium Convent School. It was a remarkable day where local people appreciated our work and promised to provide assistance to run the CCC in a better way. Since then our achievement as follows:-



• New Client enrollment = 525, Out of which 452 are ON ART,(full form)

- Number of PLHA received counseling on Drug adherence(New Registration) 417
- Number of PLHA received counseling on Drug adherence (Conversion Cases from Non ART to ART) - 35
- Number of PLHA whose families have been counseled (New Registration)- 133
- Number of PLHA visited at home during the period 778
- Number of PLHA referred to various service delivery points -439
- In Patient admitted at CCC On ART 445, Non ART -53
- Out Patient treated On ART - 461, Non ART - 151

MONTH	IN PATIENT										OUT PATIENT									
	ON ART					NON ART					ON ART					NON ART				
	M	F	C	T	T	M	F	C	T	T	M	F	C	T	T	M	F	C	T	T
				G					G					G					G	
DECEMBER	5	2	1		8	2				2	3	2			5	7	2			9
JANUARY	16	2	1		19		2			2	12	8	1		21	4	4	2		10
FEBRUARY	12	4			16	1	2			3	8	1	3		12	10	10	5		25
MARCH	22	3	1		26	4	4			8	21	13	4		38	10		5		15
APRIL	22	11		1	34	1	4	3		8	20	10	1		31	7	3	6		16
MAY	18	11	2		31	2	3	1		6	24	15	1		40	5	6	5		16
JUNE	18	8			26	5				5	19	9	2		30		4	4		8
JULY	21	7			28	2	1	1		4	24	8	1		33	1	7	1		9
AUGUST	18	10	1		29	1	1	1		3	20	9	1		30		1			1
SEPTEMBER	19	12			31		1			1	16	12	2		30	4	2	1		7
OCTOBER	28	12	4		44		1			1	26	12			38		9			9
NOVEMBER	16	11	1		28	2	1			3	25	6	1		32	4	4			8
DECEMBER	22	12			34		1		1	2	25	11	2		38	1	2			3
JANUARY	14	9			23			1		1	18	8	1		27	1	3	1		5
FEBRUARY	18	14			32					0	20	5			25	1	2			3
MARCH	24	12			36	3	1			4	19	12			31	4	3			7
TOTAL	293	140	11	1	445	23	22	7	1	53	300	141	20		461	59	62	30		151

M = MALE, F= FEMALE, C = CHILD, TG= TRANS GENDER, T= TOTAL, PLHA= People living with HIV/ AIDS, ON ART- Anti Retroviral Therapy started, NON ART- Anti Retroviral Therapy not started

SEVA KENDRA CALCUTTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE (SKCCC)

I, Michelle Wood, a second batch student of SKCCC, feel proud for what I am today. I left formal schooling when I was doing my Class X due to illness. I was bewildered about my future. I came to know about SKCCC, which is imparting an alternative



system of formal education. I was absolutely new to the system but in no time I made friends with all the students. The amazing part is that the teachers are extremely friendly and always ready to stretch out a helping hand. We are taught here that "Every thing is possible in this life as long as one has a willing heart."

The striking thing about this college that I felt while I was going through the course was that some of the subjects like English and Computer we could have got in any other system but the main advantageous training that we get for our whole life is how to 'Cope in Life'- through our life skills. It teaches us how to stand up for the moral values of life and fight against all odds, not to fall back with negative

thinking or attitude. Whatever happens, we learn to keep our hands on our heart and say 'All is Well.....'

Though I came here to do a Computer Hardware course and its time for me to say good bye, I think I am taking with me much more than I had expected before admission. Seva Kendra Calcutta established a Community College with 20 students on 1st. December 2008. The purpose of opening a Community College is to create a space and include the excluded and eliminated from the formal system of education. It is an alternative system of education, aimed at the empowerment of the disadvantaged and the underprivileged urban poor, rural poor and tribal women through appropriate skills development, leading to gainful employment in collaboration with local industry to achieve adequate skills for employment and self-employment of the aforesaid section of people.

Industrial Partners

Community College cannot succeed



without the active participation and collaboration of local Industrial Partner. Our partners are:

- Jindal Computers- provide Computer Hardware training to the students, enabling them to upgrade knowledge and develop skill (hand on experience) on Computer Hardware.
- Mission of Mercy Hospital- Provide Nursing Assistant training to the students, enabling them to upgrade knowledge and develop skill (hand on experience) on Nursing Assistant.

Courses undergoing

Seva Kendra Calcutta Community College is offering the following courses:

1. Computer Fundamentals, MS-Office, Internet
2. Soft Skill for Base Line Staff in Service Sector (Includes- Developmental English, Communication, Interpersonal Relation)
3. Soft Skill for Frontline Office Assistant
4. Computer hardware
5. Assistant Cook
6. Nursing Assistant
7. Basic Electronics (Solar-Renewal of Energy)

Achievement Details of courses conducted and students enrolled

Batch	Computer Fundamentals, MS-Office, Internet	Soft Skill for Base Line Staff in Service Sector	Soft Skill for Front line Office Assistant	Computer Hardware	Assistant Cook	Nursing Assistant	Basic Electronics(Solar -Renewal of Energy)
1	20			11	6	3	
2	26	26	26	13	7	6	
3(morning)	19	19	19	2	12	1	4
3(afternoon)	21	21	21	1	16	4	

SKILL DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE SCHEME (SDIS)

Based On Modular Employable Skills (MES)

Seva Kendra Calcutta got the registration as a Vocational Training Provider (VTP) from The Directorate General of Employment and Training (DGET), Ministry of Labour & Employment, Govt. of India under SDIS to run the VTP and conduct the following MES courses :-

1. Computer Fundamentals, MS-Office, Internet
2. Desktop Publication
3. Tally
4. Computer Hardware
5. Computer Networking
6. Soft Skill for Base Line Staff in Service Sector

7. Soft Skill for Frontline Office Assistant
8. Assistant Cook

Background

The need for giving emphasis on the Skill Development, especially for the less educated, poor and out of school youth has been highlighted in various forums. The skill level and educational attainment of the workforce determines the productivity, income levels as well as the adaptability of the working class in changing environment. A large percentage of people in India are living below poverty line. One of the important causes is a lower percentage of skilled persons in the workforce.



The skill development at present is taking place mostly in the formal way i.e. persons acquire skill at the work-place when they help their parents, relatives and employers etc. Such persons do not have a formal certificate and thus earn lower wages and

are exploited by employers. They have come through informal system due to socio-economic circumstances of the family and the compulsions of earning livelihood rather than attending a formal course. While their productivity is low, their contribution to the nation GDP cannot be ignored. To address this issue, the Govt. of India have introduced a system of certification which not only recognizes their skills but also provides education and training in a mode that suits their economic compulsions, it will not only benefit the workforce to earn a decent living but also contribute to the nation economy by better productivity of this workforce.

Another related problem to be tackled is a large number of students drop out (About 60% of the school students drop out at different stages before reaching Class X).

The Concept of MES

* Identification of 'minimum skills set' which is sufficient to get an employment in the labour market.

* It allows skills up gradation, multi skilling, multi entry and exit, vertical mobility and Lifelong learning opportunities in a flexible manner.

* It also allows recognition of prior learning (certification of skills

acquired informal) Effectively.

* The modules in a sector when grouped together could lead to a qualification equivalent to National Trade Certificate or higher.

* MES would benefit different target groups like:

- Workers seeking certification of their skills acquired informally
- Workers seeking skill up gradation
- Early school drop-outs and unemployed
- Previously child labour and their family

Achievement Details of the courses conducted and students passed out

Batch	Computer Fundamentals, MS-Office, Internet	Soft Skill for Base Line Staff in Service Sector	Soft Skill for Front line Office Assistant	Computer Hardware	Assistant Cook	Nursing Assistant
ICT 101/1	14					
SS 101/1		9				
HOS 104/1					2	
ICT 101/2	3					
ICT 205/1				7		
ICT 101/3	15					
ICI 101/4	19					
SS/101/2		4				
ICT 101/5	9					
ICT 101/6	12					
SS 202/1			6			
ICT/101/7	18					
CC-B1						3

All over the world there is realization that the best way to tackle poverty and enable the community to improve its quality of life is through social mobilization of poor, especially women into Self Help Groups. Ever since Independence a number of innovative schemes have been launched for the upliftment of women in our country. Self Help Groups are fast emerging as "women's movement" throughout the world and the groups are formed to attain the collective goal and come together for a common cause and manage the resources for the benefit of the society. It is mainly concerned with the poor and it is for the people, by the people and of the people. At the micro level Self Help Groups has been a focus on the weaker sections particularly women for social political and economic development.

Achievements:

- Awakening is becoming a global phenomenon for women after centuries of

exclusion from mainstream activities of public life women are refusing to be silenced and are slowly



reclaiming their place in the society. They are capable of thinking acting and contributing to life

- Women are able to manage their economic activities better and are gaining empowerment in direction which is appropriate to their needs.
- Increased their financial independence and security.
- The efforts are being taken by the Self Help Groups for their sustainability and many have

become self sufficient today.

• Decision making is the ultimate level of development and empowerment of women. And so women have started taking control over their lives and situations through attending group meetings, public functions, involving in income generating activities and join other women in social causes.

• The SHGs members are sensitized against various abuses, knowledge about their rights and other social issues.

• Women are able to interact and communicate with Government officials and other NGOs thus bringing about integrated development of women.

• The CBO (Community Based Organization) committee of Haur in Midnapore District they have been successful in registration Act xxvi of 1961.

Rupantor # of Groups-55

Total Savings Loan Income, Cash in Hand Cash in Bank 40265, 28349, 10747, 11792, 37925

Seva Kendra Calcutta Computer Training Centre



Seva Kendra Calcutta computer training centre has successfully completed 5 years of its journey. This is such a training centre where all are dedicated to give their best services to the students. The main important thing is that we are not professional. We started this institute with a great motto to increase the computer literacy among the students who are financially not well. Our goal is to bring those students who have lost their self



confidence and think that they are unable to do anything. This year we got the affiliation to Central Government VTPs (Vocational Training Provider) under SDIS (Skill Development Initiative Scheme). So now we are running a course named as MES (Modular Employable Scheme) where there are several trades like Computer Fundamental, Tally, DTP, Hardware etc. This course is beneficial for the students because it is a *cash back* course. Students after passing the examination and obtaining certificate get the money back.

YEAR	CIC	DIC	OMCB	MIS	MES	TOTAL
2006-2007	35	44	16	Nil	Nil	95
2007-2008	59	41	20	12	Nil	132
2008-2009	129	32	Nil	Nil	Nil	161
2009-2010	37	Nil	Nil	Nil	155	192



Seva Kendra Calcutta Training Centre

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300 training programmes were conducted with total number of 9,803 residential participants from April 2009 to March 2010.

Facilities

Type	Name	Number
Accommodation	Guest & special rooms	57 beds
	Ordinary rooms	40 beds
	Dormitories	28 beds
	Emergency dormitories	35 beds
Conference Halls	Mother Teresa, Picachy, Henricks, Gomes, Allen	5
Other facilities	Scorpio vehicle	1
	Swift vehicle	1
	DVD player	1
	Slide projector	1
	Overhead LCD	1
	CD player	1

Community Development Program Phase II (CDP)

(We express our sincere thanks to MISEREOR, Germany)

This year, six District level meetings were conducted at Rupantar, Sutia,



Narit, Kharia, Kazipara south and Khardah in two districts Howrah and North 24 parganas. About 365 Participant six areas took part in district level meeting. The facilitator's highlighted important issues like situation analysis, several Government Schemes, Bank linkages like BPL groups will get the Govt. subsidy and APL group will get the loan from the bank but they will not get the Govt. subsidy

❖ Workshop on Woman's Rights and Issues Workshop on women right was held on 19th June 2009 and 35 members of village people took part. Women form half of the human beings inhabiting planet Earth. Since human rights are the rights of all human beings, male and female alike, human rights are women's rights. By the same token, a society in which men are not willing to extend human rights to their

mothers, the women who bore and nurtured them; their daughters, products of their own loins; and their wives, the women who bear and raise their treasured sons, is a society in which men are unwilling to extend human rights to men of another family, tribe, language, religion, race, ethnic tradition, or nation. If a society does not hold justice and equality for all women in the highest regard, neither will it hold justice and equality for the many varieties of men in high regard. In a very real sense, women's rights are the basis of all human rights. Women's rights belong to women as members of the human family, and, as such, are not dependent either on a woman's marital status or on the number or sex of the children she has borne.

❖ Workshop on Disaster Preparedness phase II

Workshop on Disaster Preparedness phase II: It was held in two districts of Howrah and North 24 Parganas in two Panchayat Narit and Sayestanagar, in two blocks Amta I & Baduria. 92 participants took part in this workshop. The objective of this training was equipping the participants with knowledge and skill on Disaster Preparedness specially making LIFE JACKET.



❖ Construction of Community hall at Tulsiberia

Kanai Lal Memorial community Hall was constructed with help of German consulate of the Federal Republic of Germany at Tulsiberia Gram Panchayat in Ulluberia Block, Howrah district. Ms. Andrea Fischboeck the representative of German consulate of the Federal Republic of Germany inaugurated the community hall on 21st December 2009. The women Self Help Group Members can have their meeting and skill training for the SHG members.



DISTRICT WISE BENEFICIARIES DISTRIBUTION AS PER PROGRAM

Name	# Groups	Total savings	Loan	Income	Cash in hand	Cash in bank	Total asset
Barasat	10	57620	37775	11123	25798	4500	63573
Kazipara south	32	142540	75700	9761	76601	0	152301
Kharia	20	82160	21700	8358	68818	58997	90518
Narit	24	21640	0	2984	59624	0	24624
Sahachowk	17	57090	3300	2655	59745	29022	59745
Sayestanagar	36	477820	455450	50431	72801	67491	528251
Subhasnagar	20	100800	88650	17941	30091	0	118741
Thakurnagar	34	467440	462150	41467	46757	33670	508907
Tulsiberia	64	559790	336090	73989	126689	281797	633779
Total	257	1966900	1480815	218709	566924	475477	2180439

ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL

Community Care Center



St Joseph Community Care Center "the name itself bears a credulous transformation into the lives of HIV infected person. This Center was blessed by his Grace Archbishop Lucas Sirkar on 12th March 2009 for "Creating Caring Communities". The Financial and technical assistance for this center is provided by Catholic Bishop' Conference of India (CBCI-HC).

The year 2009-2010 was a golden period for Our CCC as we succeeded in providing care and treatment to 329 new clients through our IP and OP amenities .Our Outreach visited more than 1200 thousand houses our Bed utilization rate was 7% our bed utilization rate was 94%. Lot of activities took place this year we attended trainings, seminars orientation programs for the benefit of staff .We also took active part in advocacy where we had sort out different stigmatic problems and conducted meeting with the panchyat and higher authorities .We have a good referral with MMCH, ICTC and with other NGOs .

Quality services was provided by our experience Doctors, nurses and well knowledge Counselor.

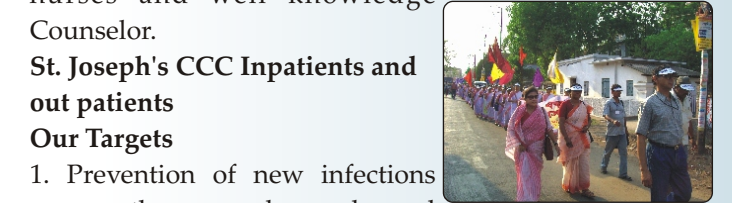
St. Joseph's CCC Inpatients and out patients

Our Targets

1. Prevention of new infections among the general people and through targeted intervention among people with the high risk behavior through awareness programmes and counseling.

2. Providing greater care, support and treatment to a large number of people living with HIV (PLHIV).

World TB Day celebrated Midnapur where our Staff took active participation.



St. Joseph's Dispensary

St. Joseph's dispensary for general patients started in the month of June 2009. Every day around 25 to 30 patients come with different ailments and they are treated with quality medicine, on free of cost. In the month of September 2009 we have received medicines and few types of equipment from Action Medioer as free gift. During this one year we have treated around 6000 patients.

Tuberculosis Programme

1. A new DOT centre is initiated in the Convent of Francisca Missionaries of Mary at Adivasipara, Kawgachi, Shyamnagar, and North 24 Paraganas.

2. List of Patients under Seva Kendra Calcutta DOTS Centre

No. Patient Completed the Course	No. of Default Patient	No. of Patient Under Treatment
14	3	5

3. World TB Day Celebration:



On 24th March 2010, Seva Kendra Calcutta celebrated the World TB Day in association with the Schools and Health

Care Centers. The names of the schools and the Health Care



Centers are as follows

1. Chowringhee High School, Chowringhee Lane
2. Loreto Day School, Sealdah.
3. Our Lady of Providence, A.J.C. Bose Road.
4. Holy Child Institute, Beadon Street.
5. Holy Child Girls High School, C.I.T. Road.
6. St. Joseph's College, Bowbazar.
7. Prem Dan, Missionaries of Charity, Tiljala.
8. Shanti Bhawan, Missionaries of Charity, Tangra.
9. Seva Kendra Calcutta Community College.

The activities which were organized by the Schools and Health Care Centers are Rally, Poster Competition, Skit Performance and Visiting the TB/HIV People in the health centers.