## **Annual Activity Report**

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### Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Wellfare Society

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# Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Wellfare Society (Backward Community Welfare Service Ngo)

**Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Welfare Society** is a Voluntary Organization which is registered under Society Registration Act-1961. It was established by group of likeminded social workers who are working in the field of basic health, education, vocational training, employment generation and skill development training programmes , environmental protection, rural development, women empowerment and child protection, Social Justice and other important social developmental

issues with the local Scheduled caste and Scheduled tribes as well as with the other backward class. Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Welfare Society works as a non-profit, non-

political and non-religious organization. **Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Welfare Society** works among rural women, children, unemployed youth of local Scheduled caste and Scheduled

tribes Community and backward poor villagers. Major areas of interest of the organization are Vocational Training, women empowerment, Primary and non-formal education, Basic health, HIV/ AIDS Awareness, Environmental Protection, Agriculture and Horticulture Crops Cultivation & Production, Small scale & home Industry protection, Self Help Groups (SHGs), Employment Oriented Vocational Training, Old age home construction, Women & Child Protection and Social Justice, Youth Development, Promotion of Arts and Culture, Reproductive Child health and other Awareness Programs on various Social, Health & Education and Current Issues

#### Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Welfare Society has successfully ventured

since its inception for social development work. We are delighted to present our annual report ending 31 March 2017. An overview of what "Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Welfare Society" means not only to us, but also to our supporters and our targeted beneficiaries the years of

our growth, We believe that the various problems that the society faces are interconnected - Poverty and illiteracy, unemployment, social injustice and middleclass apathy, health and environmental degradation, and so on.

#### The primary objective of "Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Welfare

**Society**"is to improve the quality of living of people-primarily those people who are marginalized, disadvantaged and underprivileged and the concern for the protecting the resources and environment. This is indeed a colossal task. Our national and state governments, even after 70 years of independence with massive resources under their disposal have not been able to achieve much in these areas. The people need to be given the appropriate opportunities and they need to be motivated. This is where the social development sector can play an effective role at grassroots level. NGOs, the Government and the civil societies need to work closely to empower the underprivileged.

This annual report should not only be a narrative of activities. Those who receive copies of our annual reports should know why we have undertaken to do the activities that we do, how do we do it and an evaluation of activities for improving our efforts for incorporating the change. That is the reason why this annual report is so detailed. Please read on.

## **Our activities**



Computer Training Programmes What is digital literacy. To have basic knowledge of computer and ICT (Information and communication technology) so that a person can do his or her basic work in computer or technology related gadgets e.g. mobile phones, use of ATM machines, net banking etc. Digital literacy is very important for rural India as for the huge population rendering services is possible through digitization of services. Fastest growing countries like in India digital literacy plays major role. In India around 70% of people lives in rural areas. Earlier we don't used to have access of electricity and basic education. We can achieve employment by injecting digital era into their life. Digital literacy has direct impact on people's per capita income. Consider importance of digital literacy in education which is help students to learn things around the world besides book knowledge. They can learn different kind of online courses which improves their employability criteria. Digital literacy will improve social and financial status of people. We can see women in remote areas are selling their handcraft products in e-commerce platform like Amazon. People can learn their interesting factors like organic farming, health precautions.

In this regards **Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Welfare Society** is providing free computer training to the poor girls and women of Sundarbans area with the help of CSR funds of LINDE GLOBAL SERVICE PVT LTD, KOLKATA. so that they can earn their breads by using this knowledge. *This project has been awarded by PMI INDIA 2019(National Award) in CSR category.*Mr.Susanta Mohanty & Subimol Chakroborty has received the award as a donor agency of this project "Digital Literacy of Sundarban"

Name of the programme	<b>Funding Agency</b>	Place of Programme	Nos of beneficiaries
Computer Training	LINDE GLOBAL SERVICE PVT.LTD., KOLKATA	Sandeshkhali	200

#### Drinking Water:





India is the largest user of groundwater in the world. Annual usage is estimated at around 230cubic kilometers (World Bank, 2010), which supports around 85% of rural water supply schemes, a varying but often large percentage of urban schemes, and more than 60% of irrigated agriculture. Reliance on groundwater increased significantly over the last 5decades, largely to combat water-borne diseases arising from the use of surface water for drinking. In that, the borehole expansion programmer has been hugely successfuland, for most, the microbial quality of groundwater has been a significant advance on previous traditional supplies. However,

in some groundwater sources, the occurrence of arsenic or fluoride in high concentrations poses a replacement threat to health and livelihoods. The Government of India, Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation, integrated management information system(IMIS)groundwater data for the 3 years,2014–2017, indicate that out of 47,062 water samples tested from 22 blocks in North 24 Parganas, 8,609 (18.3%) exceeded  $10\mu g/L$  (Table4).8More than 30% of the tested samples in Sndeskhali, Baduria, Basirhat I, Gaighata, HabraI, and Swarupnagar had arsenic concentrations above the  $10\mu g/L$  limit.Distributions of the arsenic exceedances in the district are shown in Figure 2. Details of sample design are not known, but the distribution of arsenic concentrations is assumed to be representative of the distribution in the groundwater of the district. In this regards **Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Welfare Society** has installed 7 numbers of deep Bore wells with the help of CSR funds of ONGC.

Name of the programme	<b>Funding Agency</b>	Place of Programme	Nos of beneficiaries
Sinking of Deep Bore Wells	ONGC	Sandeshkhali	3500



The objective of the coaching is to provide coaching of good quality for economically disadvantaged Scheduled Castes (SCs), Scheduled Tribes (STs) and Other Backward Classes (OBCs) candidates to enable them to appear in the Entrance examinations of JNVS. **Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Welfare Society** has provided Finanacial & Book donation to the poor students so that they can get good quality of education.

Name of the programme		Place of Programme	Nos of beneficiaries
Free Coaching ,Book donation Scholarship for poor student	Sitaram Jindal Foundation &		160
	individuais donor	Sandeshkhali	

Free Medical Treatment & Blood donation Camps- To raise awareness that individuals can save lives and improve the health of others by donating blood. To encourage people to donate blood voluntarily without compensation. To support the operation of safe and reliable blood services. Blood donation is safe. New, sterile disposable equipment is used for each donor, so there's no risk of contracting a bloodborne infection by donating blood.

If you're a healthy adult, you can usually donate a pint of blood without endangering your health. Within 24 hours of a blood donation, your body replaces the lost fluids. And after several weeks, your body replaces the lost red blood cells. **Sandeshkhali Maa Saroda Women & Rural Welfare Society** has

organized blood donation camp with the help of Local NGO at Kalinagar under Sandeshkhali-I Block with help of Barast cancer Hospital,North24Parganas.





Name of the programme	<b>Funding Agency</b>	Place of Programme	Nos of beneficiaries
Free Medical treatment & Blood donation camp	Individuals donor	Kalinagar, Sandeshkhali	150

Health awareness Camps— Organizing various health camps at regular intervals are targeted towards providing health solutions. These health camps impart health education and sensitize the community on preventive and promotive health grounds. These camps are aimed at generating awareness, diagnosis and treatment of numerous health hazards.



Name of the programme	Funding Agency	Place of Programme	Nos of beneficiaries
Health Awareness camp	Individuals donor & Sitaram Jindal Foundation	Sandeshkhali	235

COVID—19 Awareness & Samitizer Distributions— We are collectively facing a Pandemic threat that is sweeping across the humanity beyond oceans and borders. Considering the seriousness of COVID—19, it's about time we step up against this deadly disease. For the sake of lives lost and the rest of humanity, let us all pledge to beat Corona back. Acknowledge the issue, care for precautions, act in the best health interests of your society and isolated, yet together, we shall hurt Corona. We are providing the following information to local peoples and teach them how to sanitize himself/herself daily.

#### Wash your hands frequently

Regularly and thoroughly clean your hands with an alcohol-based hand rub or wash them with soap and water.

Why? Washing your hands with soap and water or using alcohol-based hand rub kills viruses that may be on your hands.

#### **Maintain social distancing**

Maintain at least 1 metre (3 feet) distance between yourself and anyone who is coughing or sneezing.

Why? When someone coughs or sneezes they spray small liquid droplets from their nose or mouth which may contain virus. If you are too close, you can breathe in the droplets, including the COVID-19 virus if the person coughing has the disease.

#### Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth

Why? Hands touch many surfaces and can pick up viruses. Once contaminated, hands can transfer the virus to your eyes, nose or mouth. From there, the virus can enter your body and can make you sick.

#### Practice respiratory hygiene

Make sure you, and the people around you, follow good respiratory hygiene. This means covering your mouth and nose with your bent elbow or tissue when you cough or sneeze. Then dispose of the used tissue immediately.

**Why?** Droplets spread virus. By following good respiratory hygiene you protect the people around you from viruses such as cold, flu and COVID-19.

#### If you have fever, cough and difficulty breathing, seek medical care early

Stay home if you feel unwell. If you have a fever, cough and difficulty breathing, seek medical attention and call in advance. Follow the directions of your local health authority.

**Why?** National and local authorities will have the most up to date information on the situation in your area. Calling in advance will allow your health care provider to quickly direct you to the right health facility. This will also protect you and help prevent spread of viruses and other infections.



Name of the programme	Funding Agency	Place of Programme	Nos of beneficiaries
COVID 19 Awareness & Sanitizer Distribution	Individuals donor & Good Share	Sandeshkhali	180

Blankets & Sharee Distribution: The population of Sandeshkhali-I & II Blocks are near about four lakhs & maximum numbers of peoples are under BPL. They are so poor that they can not earn their breads and their daily commodities. We have distributed blankets and shares among the poor villagers of Nazat and Bermajur.



Name of the programme	<b>Funding Agency</b>	Place of Programme	Nos of beneficiaries
Blankets & Sharee Distribution	Individuals donor	Nazat & Bermajur	165

Sports & Cultural Development: There are so many talented youth who are interested in sports & Cultural Development but due to poverty they are unable to do so .We Provided sports materials among the youth and arranged the free coaching center for their skilled development in the field of sports.

Name of the programme	Funding Agency	Place of Programme	Nos of beneficiaries
Sports & Cultural Development	Govt. of West Bengal	Basirhat & Sandeshkhali	60

**Relief Activities**: Due to COVID-19 Situation ,lots of became jobless as well as income less here in Sundarbans area. We distributed dry ration among the jobless peoples at Sandeshkhali.



Name of the programmeFunding AgencyPlace of ProgrammeNos of beneficiariesDry Ration DistributionLinde Global ServiceSandeshkhali350

#### Common Digital Service Point:-

We have set up four numbers of CDSP for digital service where our trained is working and earnings by providing various online services. There are 12 SHG members working here and earning 300 to 400 per day.

#### SOLAR LIGHT INSTALLATION :-

Many peoples of Sundarban area are struggling with the electricity still now. We have installed solar light at the road side so that the road may become visible in the dark and the accident in the night time reduced.

**THANK YOU**