

Pragati Gramin Vikas Sansatha – Khedisanwaligharh, Betul, M.P.

Annual Report – 2013-2014

In 2013-2014, Pragati gramin vikas sansthan Khedisanwaligarh Betul organized various activities connected with Read-to-room's girl's education programme in the five villages Peepaldhana, Jhapal, Manakdand, Singarchawadi and Bhandawa of the block Bheempur. Under the "Dalit-Adhikar-Abhiyan" programme of ActionAid, Bhopal And the institute conducted various activities and programmes in the block Aamla, 10 villages of district Betul, 80 villages of district Harda, 10 localities of district Bhopal, 10 villages of district Sehore and 10 villages of district Sagar, with the objective to aware and co-ordinate with dalit, tribals, marginalized, poor, orphans of society. In which they counselled mainly on importance and necessity of education, improvement in education, better co-ordination, unity of community, remove discrimination and untouchability, cleanliness, to save and preserve water, afforestation, to protect environment, de-addiction, land rights, active participation of community in all tri-level panchayat-elections, child-rights, active participation of women representative in the elections, coordinate meetings at village level to change the economical and social condition of village-community, raise a voice on women-violence. The efforts have been made to encourage village communities to form local communities for village development. As a result the exploited people of these communities and the socially, economically and morally marginalized people can be connected with the main stream of development. For which regional members of institute regularly co-ordinate meetings, trainings and counselling with village communities in their work-area.

Girls' Education Programme under Room-to-Read Delhi:

1. **Regular teaching:** In 2013-14, under Girl's education programme, regular tuition classes has been provided on some difficult subjects like Maths, English, science, Sanskrit to improve the performance of girl-students by the tutors of the

regular tuition centers and the social-mobilizers, in all five villages (Peepaldhana, Bhandawa, Jhapal, Singarchawadi and Manakdand) of block Bheempur, the work-center of Pragati Gram Vikas Sansatha. It provided extra teaching and knowledge to the girl-students of all five sub-teaching centers.

2. We organize quarterly meeting with parents, health-checkup, Tarang Bal-panchayat, contact with government offices, training of life-skill, formation of Bal-cabinet and child –group’s meetings, distribution of study material, quarterly assessment, training of parents, celebration of special-days, re-view meeting, monthly assessment, girl’s day, national youth day, international women day, institutional policies. Due to heavy rains students face problem to go to schools and sub-teaching centers. For work parents migrate to other places.

Under the Dalit Adhikar Abhiyan programme of ActionAid, Bhopal:

1. **Village survey, contact with community, advertisement of programme and meetings:** with the help of ActionAid Bhopal the regional members of Pragati Gramin Sansatha Betul counselled dalit and tribal communities and organized meetings on untouchability, discrimination, employment, livelihood, education, health, social security, security and protection of women and children, disability, land-right, connection to the government-programmes, self-respect, women-violence, harrasment, harrassment by higher caste community on related to the atrocity. And organize meetings to protect them from discrimination and harrassment provide employment, and meetings to protect their rights and self-respect in the 10 villages of block Harda of betul district, 80 villages of Harda district, 20 villages of Sehore district and 20 colonies of Bhopal district. Organized various programmes, meetings and workshops on schools, aanganwadi, survey, inspection and co-ordinate with panchayats, village survey and profile work, health-security, employment, self-respect, community meetings on land-rights, celebration of Dr. Bheemrao Ambedkar jayanti, P.R.R.P. Harda and Sohagpur, group-meetings, Dalit leadership schools, Kesla, fact-finding, public-hearing and awareness

programmes on land-right and International women's day, public-hearing on land rights in Bhopal.

Navankur Jan Abhiyan Parishad (2012-2013):

In the ten villages of block Bheempur, Pragati gramini vikas sansatha conducted various activities as Navankur sanstha of Jan-abhiyan –parishad,M.P.

water conservaon programme, aforestation, coference on de-addiction, habit of cleanliness, programme on children admission in schools, honouring children who scored good marks,awareness programme on malnutrition, sharing information on government policies, programme and workshop on organic farming and vermicompost, temporary sand-bund programme, plant conservation and International women's day.

Aspected Results:

1. In the meetings of Health issues, including 35 women, 38 men total 93 people participated. With it 67 women and 93 men participated in the monthly meetings.
2. **Children's Day:** in village Susandra, including 22 women,213 girls,20 men,122 boys participated.
3. **Fact-finding:** In the harrssment cases of dalit-tribal, four fact-finding has been done, in which, total 70 people participated including 24 women ,4 girls,35 men and 7 boys.
4. Including 90 women, 65 girls, 305 men,86 boys total 546 people participated in the Dr. Ambedkar's jayanti programme.
5. Capacity building workshops, Betul: Including 13 women, 42 men total 55 people joined the programme and worked on the new policies and resposibilities.
6. In 2013, this programme provided work to the 1065 people under MANREGA,including 494 women and 571 men of 10 villages.Regularised 06 Ration-shops. Prepared two women-groups.Provided benefits to the women and two men in Indira-Aawas Yozana.
7. 9 women and 12 men were linked with Pension-scheme. (social-protection) provided widow-pension to the four women.Provided the benefits of Janani-

suraksha-yozna to women.63 women and 75 men submitted application to link them to the B.P.L. list.

8. Ended the practice of untouchability based on caste in 17 schools.Arranged the drinking water supply in five schools.S.M. C. has been activated and in 19 schools 56 women and 86 men members joined at village level .
9. Including 19 women and 15 girls total 44 members joined with the 21 women-groups. In Youth groups including 37 men and 2 boys total total 39 members joined.
10. The house of Mrs. Vimla Bai chandelkar of Women of Nayagaon, who lived below poverty line has been damaged in natural –disaster was helped with 2000/- rupees.

Achievements of Girls Education Programme:

1. 175 girl-students of variation 8 and 3 passed.
2. In board examination 3 girl-students of class 12th and 5 girl-students of class 10th passed with first division.
3. In board examination 4 girl-students of class 12th and 13 girl-students of class 10th passed with second division.
4. Exposure took changes in girl-students.
5. Girl-students represent their thoughts in Bal-panchayat.
6. They try to make a picture of thjeir views.
7. After enterpneuership-development girl-students knew about business and in the market they did business in impressive way.

Achievements of the Schedule-right:

1. Gave final touch to built the statue of Dr. Baba Saheb Bheem-Rao Ambedkar in the two villages Ambada and Susndra.
2. Dates 26-Jan-2014 in village Susandra and 01-Feb-2014 in village Ambada have been decided to unveil the statues of Dr. Baba Saheb Bheem-Rao Ambedkar

Challenges to the Dalit–Rights:

1. Higher caste communities practiced discrimination and untouchability with schedule caste.
2. The practice of discrimination and the belief of higher and lower among dalits.
3. Lack of the complete leading capacities of the Panchayat members of schedule-caste and their exploitation by non-dalits.
4. To be economically backward of dalit-tribal communities, due to lack of resources and unemployment-
5. Ignorance of local administration to provide the complete benefits of government policies to the dalit-tribals.

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