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The Secretary's Note

e feel proud of completing 52 successful years in the Rural Development Sector in Jharkhand & Bihar, with significant growth in programs and number of people we served, every year.

In the reporting year NBJK also got two national prestigious awards, 1. Role Model NGO working on the issue of Disability outside CHAI network in the country and 2. Social Impact Award 2022. NBJK, being dedicated to enhancing the lives of over 40,000 persons with disabilities in Jharkhand and Bihar for more than two decades, it has been honored with the Mary Glowrey-Liliane Brekelmans Disability Award 2022, with Rupees Two Lakh award money, presented by the Catholic Health Association of India (CHAI)-Hyderabad and Liliane Foundation-The

Netherlands.NBJK also honored as "First runner-up" of Bridgestone Mobility Social Impact Award2022, including a citation, trophy and Rs. 10 lakh award money. We received this award for our outstanding work in restoring eyesight to rural poor suffering from avoidable blindness and improving their mobility in activities of daily living, access to education and livelihood opportunities.

The new initiatives of the year have been (1) A computer center for visually impaired children & youths, that provides a free & certified computer training course and supports them in leading productive independent lives. (2) We developed smart classes in 8 government schools and developed 16 Anganwadi centers as model centers that enabled 2500 rural children to access online education in a joyful way. (3) SBI Sanjeevani Clinic on Wheels equipped with advanced diagnostic instruments and a competent medical team has played a crucial role to improve health facility in Gaya district. We went at 590 distant villages and organized 1246 outreach health camps with 21,248 OPD & free medication in Hazaribagh district. (4) Community Based Inclusive Development (CBID) of 5000 Person with Disability (PwDs) in 20 slums/rural areas of Patna, targeting to link 508 PwDs with sustainable livelihood, UDID card to 2000 PwDs, made aware 2000 children of schools on disability issues, assistive devices to 400 PwDs, mental health support to 300 persons with mental illness, organizing 21 DPOs with 100 SHGs of PwDs, 275 home based rehabilitation services etc. (5) In Chanho block of Ranchi district, we promoted another FPO by farmers while an earlier women-FPO at Khunti district performing well with annual business of more than Rs. 03 crore in the reporting year. (6) NBJK extended its RCC program in Maharashtra too in Raigad district, running 20 centres in Karjat and Khalapur tehsils, improving academic performance of about 800 girls of high schools.

We also want to inform that as usual the success of students in Remedial Coaching Centers and Schools has been extraordinary, with 84% students secured 1st division, in eye health services 166491 people provided medical consultation in OPD in our 4 eye hospitals and we did 25647 cataract surgeries, the number of farmers getting annual income over Rs. 01 lakh becomes 6510.

Despite all these achievements, NBJK lost two very closely associated persons in the year 2022. Mrs. Ine Burna-le Blanc from The Netherlands has left this world on 25 June 2022. She supported us to initiate and continue Lord Buddha Home for Children since 2005. Also Mr. Philman Baxla, the secretary of Lok Prema Kendra, Simariya, Chatra is no more. He breathed his last on 16 November 2022 due to brain hemorrhage. Mr. Baxla, a dedicated social worker promoted by NBJK since his youth and he was working well among marginalized communities. We pay our rich tribute to Mrs. Blanc and Mr. Baxla!!

We also are happy to inform about our two second line competent & qualified leaders to NBJK, Anand & Gaurav, showing their potentials and creativity, in taking over the values, mission, vision, work culture of transparency & honesty with sincerity and successfully carrying forward all the activities with desired impact.

Here I take this opportunity to express sincere gratitude to all the donors, supporters, friends, staffs and most importantly the people of Jharkhand & Bihar for granting us the chance to deliver our services.

Expressing our sincere gratitude again!!

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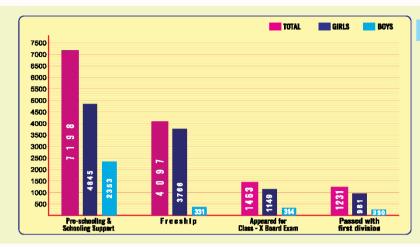
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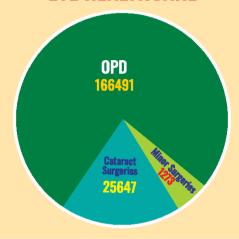
ANNUALHIGHLIGHTS



EDUCATION

- Pre-schooling & schooling support to 7198 children (girls-4845, boys-2353), Sponsorship/no fees/ fees relaxation to 4097 children (girls-3766, boys-331), 1463 students (girls-1149, boys-314) appeared for class X board exam, 1231 (girls-981, boys-250) or total 84% passed with first division.
- Worked with 12512 children through schools, education centers and other child friendly projects.

EYE HEALTHCARE



II. Health, Hygiene, Environment & Disability -

- 1246 Rural General health camps in 590 villages, 21,248 OPD & free medication.
- Menstrual Hygiene training to 4,400 women & girls, Cancer Awareness training to 4,458 women,
 Cancer Care Insurance registration for 2,225 women and risk assessment for 1,654 women.
- 04 Eye Hospitals, 15 Vision Centers and 843 Screening Camps.
- 1,66,491 OPD, 25,647 Cataract Surgeries (70% fee) and 1,273 minor/other surgeries.
- Sanitation ensured through taking away 55 tons garbage, Wastes recycled as 800 MT Vermicompost & 360 MT Green Millboard.
- Safe Drinking Water to 1257 HHs.
- Processing of govt. pension-other entitlements to 35 and UDID cards to 800 PwDs, vocational training to 225 and assistive devices to 111 PwDs. Psychiatric treatment to 113 PwMIE.

Socio-Economic & Livelihood Development -

- Ensured Farmer HHs with Dairy-18, Mulching-Sprinkler-Drip Irrigation-50, Backyard Poultry/Duck Farming-51, Renovated Water Bodies-200, Fishery-281, Pig Rearing-500, Electric Motor Pump-550, HV Veg. Cultivation-2000, Goat Rearing-3616, and Lac Cultivation-3957.
- Skill Development Training, Financial Support and Livelihood Generation for 8275 Women.
- Skill Training to 1443 Youths, 848 are placed or self-employed.



Support to Small VOs & Peaple's Action-

- Supporting three small organizations to promote the inclusion of marginalized communities in 40 villages through initiatives in education, healthcare, skill development, afforestation, and anti-liquor campaigns.
- 11 impactful events in Jharkhand-Bihar, addressing critical issues such as social harmony, ban on liquor, women's rights, laborer's rights, farmer's welfare, unemployment, and prohibition.
- Intervention and safety ensured for 102 children trapped in vulnerable situations.
- Counseling service to 133 families experiencing marital or other domestic disputes, successful reconciliation in 86 cases.

NBJK has positively impacted the lives of around 2,66,000 people across 5,000 villages in 47 districts of Jharkhand and Bihar.

INTRODUCTION

Genesis:

Inspired by Mahatma Gandhi's autobiography "My Experiments with Truth", four young engineering graduates established Nav Bharat Jagriti Kendra in the year 1971 with support from Loknayak Jayprakash Narayan "JP".



To establish a progressive, peaceful and just society based on the values of equality, fraternity and mutual help.



To educate, organize and empower the rural poor to promote development as a liberating force for achieving social justice, economic growth and self-reliance

RECOGNITIONS:

Members of -

- Jharkhand State Mental Health Authority, GoJ.
- Clinical Establishment Council of Jharkhand State, Govt. of Jharkhand.
- Jharkhand State Supervision Board on PC & PNDT Act (Dept. of Health, Medical Education & Family Welfare), Govt. of Jharkhand.
- State Advisory Committee on Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016, Govt. of Jharkhand.
- Managing Committee, RINPAS (Ranchi Institute of Neuro-Psychiatry & Allied Sciences), Kanke, Ranchi.
- Executive Committees of National Networks like AVARD, INAFI, VANI etc.

Ex-Members of -

- Planning Commission, 10th Five Year Plan Steering Committee on Voluntary Sector & Planning Commission Task Force on Decentralized Funding.
- Expert Committee, National Commission for Women on SC Women's Condition & Problems.
- National Standing Committee (CAPART under MORD-GOI), Governing Board of Credibility Alliance-New Delhi, Sa-Dhan, New Delhi, National Literacy
 Mission Council and other important bodies.

Awards -

- Father Tong Memorial Award in category of Best Community Health Organization for the year 2000 by Bihar Voluntary Health Association, Patna.
- Best Enterprises Development Service Provider in East Zone for the year 2003 by SIDBI. Ranchi.
- 5th Sarda Equal Opportunities Award 2005 for Outstanding Contribution Towards the Improvement in Quality of Life among Tribal and Backward Classes by Sarda Equal Opportunity Foundation, Nashik.
- 10th Water Digest Water Award 2016, Winner under category of Best NGO for Revival of Rural Water Resources by Times Group, Delhi
- 2019 APA Lifetime Achievement Award for Philanthropic Works by Asia Philanthropy Awards Committee, Seul (South Korea).
- Jyotirmaya Award 2019 for Dedication towards the Cause of Humanity under CSR Initiative of Prasad Group of Companies, Ahmedabad.
- Man of Change Award 2022 by Tarang Group-Hazaribagh in association with Lions Club of Hazaribagh Roaring.
- Mary Glowrey-Liliane Brekelmans Disability Award 2022 and Rs. 2 lakh prize by Catholic Health Association of India and Liliane Foundation, The Netherlands for mainstreaming PwDs with focus on their identification, treatment, certification, organization, rehabilitation and rights advocacy.
- Bridgestone Mobility Social Impact Award 2022 (first runner-up) and Rs. 10 lakh prize by Bridgestone India Pvt. Ltd. for outstanding work in restoring
 eyesight to rural poor suffering from avoidable blindness and improving their mobility, social life, access to education and livelihood opportunities.

Legal Status:

- Registered under Society Registration Act XXI, 1860, Registration No. 390/2005-06, Dtd. 22 March 2006 (Govt. of Jharkhand) and Registration No. 61/1974-75, Dtd. 26 September 1974 (Govt. of Bihar).
- Registered under FCRA 1976, Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India, New Registration No. 337750015, valid up to 31 March 2027, Old Registration No. 031110001, Dtd. 04 January 1985.
- Registered under IT Act 12A, Registration No. AAAANO398RE2021401, Dtd. 28 May 2021 from AY 2022-23 to 2026-27.
- Exempted under Section 80G of IT Act vide Memo No. AAAAN0398RF20211401, Dtd. 28 May 2021 from AY 2022-23 to 2026-27.
- PAN (Permanent Account Number): AAAAN0398R
- TAN (Tax Deduction at Source Account Number): RCHN00140A
- GST No. (Jharkhand): 20AAAAN0398R1ZB
- GST No. (Bihar): 10AAAAN0398R1ZC
- Unique Identification No. on Niti Ayog Portal: JH/2009/0020483
- PFMS Code of Central Social Welfare Board: JHHA00003347
- CSR Registration Number: CSR00001693

PROGRAMS

EDUCATION

01. Amoli Apurva Primary School

Support: Local Community, NBJK, Mission Every Child in School, Mission Keep No Child Hungry, Givelndia, IT Alliance-Australia

- At village-Prajapat Nagar, block-Chouparan, district-Hazaribagh, Coverage of Prajapat Nagar, Mangarh, Lohandikala, Navdiha, Koilikala, Purnadih, Khurd Koili villages.
- Classes from Nursery to VI, total students-175 (87 girls, 88 boys), Sponsorship to 34 girls and free-ship to 25 (13 girls, 12 boys), 100% result of the students.
- Play-way education, CBSE syllabus, Co-curricular activities including sports, gardening, song & dance-drama, exposure visits, most comfortable & unique school in the panchayat.
- Visit of Mr. Rattesh Gumbar & family from IT Alliance, Australia, they provided 08 nos.
 Metal Benches for the school ground.



02. Amoli Apurva Middle School

Support: Local Community, NBJK, Smt. Amoli & Shri Apurva-Ahmedabad



- At village-Bahera, block-Chouparan, district-Hazaribagh, Coverage of Bahera, Goshla, Mahdande, Sardarpur, Tilaiya villages, U-DISE Code-20040515906, School Code-210284.
- Classes from I to VIII, Total 220 students (111 girls, 109 boys), Free-ship for 85 students (50 girls, 35 boys), JCERT syllabus, Hindi medium instruction, 21 students passed in class VIII board exam.
- Play-way method, Rhythmic memorization, fearless children, teachers-parents meeting, regular PT, cultural & sports activities.
- · Visit of Mr. Clifford D'Costa from SBI General Insurance-Mumbai.
- Basic infrastructures like playground, toilets, safe drinking water, indoor-outdoor games facility for children.
- Celebration of 525th birth anniversary of Goswami Tulsidas, a great saint and an outstanding poet of medieval India, 220 school children had group meal on this occasion.

03. Amoli Apurva High School

Support: Local Community, NBJK, Smt. Amoli, Shri Apurva, Shir Prakash Bhai Shah, GiveIndia



- At village-Mangarh, block-Chouparan, district-Hazaribagh, Coverage of 18 villages in Chouparan, Mayurhand blocks of Hazaribagh & Chatra districts.
- Classes from VI to X, Total 556 students (248 girls, 308 boys), Sponsored children-32 (19 girls, 13 boys), Affiliation with Jharkhand Academic Council, Ranchi.
- Extra-curricular activities, outdoor games, sports competitions, annual day celebration, speech, debate etc.
- 163 students (72 girls, 91 boys) appeared for class X board exam by JAC, 147 (65 girls, 82 boys) passed with first division and 16 (07 girls, 09 boys) achieved second division. 100% result, 90% first division.
- Satish Kumar Yadav (92%) as school topper, followed by Abhishek Kumar Pandey (88%) and Pooja Chakran (85%).

04. Chandrakala Devi Daga High School

Support: Local Community, NBJK, Mission Every Girl in School, Mission Keep No Child Hungry, Givelndia, Danamojo, Online Donors

- At village-Kewalia, block-Chouparan, district-Hazaribagh, Coverage of 20 villages likes Kewalia, Karma, Darjichak, Iguniya, Machla, Kedli, Ambajit, Bara, Jokat etc.
- Classes from VI to X, total enrollment-342 (217 girls, 125 boys), Sponsorship/Free-ship to all 217 girl children as through NBJK (22), Givelndia (102), Online Danamojo (80), Online Individual (13) and Free-ship to 15 boys through NBJK.
- 50 students (24 girls, 26 boys) have appeared for class VIII board exam, 45 came out with Grade A+,
 54 students (31 girls, 23 boys) achieved Grade A+ & A out of 89 students (54 girls, 35 boys) passed class IX board exam.
- 118 students (78 girls, 40 boys) appeared in class X board exam, 111 (72 girls, 39 boys) passed with 1st division and 07 (06 girls, 01 boy) achieved 2nd division.
- A harbinger for girls' education in the area, poor villagers send their daughters to the school and they are doing well.
- Visits by Mr. Gandharv Gaurav (Programme Director, NBJK), Mr. Clifford D'Costa (Manager-CSR, SBI General Insurance), Mrs. Savnit Kaur and Mr. Tanveer Singh (Both Sponsors).



05. Surekha Prakash Bhai Public School Support: Local Community

- At village Bahera in Chouparan block of Hazaribagh district, coverage of 250 villages in Chouparan, Itkhori, Mayurbhanj blocks of Hazaribagh & Chatra districts.
- Life-size premises, all required facilities, CBSE affiliation, Nursery-XII classes, excellent
 education with all-round activities.
- Caters 1596 students (girls-525, boys-1071) and 168 (girls-66, boys-102) avail free-ship, scholarship or fees relaxation.
- For class XII board exam, 68 children appeared and 48 got first division, Aarav Raj emerged as the topper with 92% marks, overall result of the school is 96%.
- 98% result in class X board exam, 105 out of 174 students secured first division, Sweety Gupta & Sanni Kumar shared the top position with 94% marks for each.
- Three students Navneet Kumar (class IX), Riya Kumari (class VIII) and Nisha Kumari (class VIII) have qualified for National Gatka (Boys & Girls) Championship-2022 in Delhi & Bhatinda (Punjab), achieved Third Position.
- Mr. Rattesh Gumber (Founder, IT Alliance-Australia) visited Science Exhibition at the school and praised the students for their creativity.

O6. Birsa Public School Support: Local Community, NBJK & Action Village India-UK

- At village-Devkuli, block-Ichak, district-Hazaribagh, coverage of 08 nearby villages, prefers girls to complete their schooling.
- Co-education, classes from Nursery to X, total strength-178 (116 girls, 62 boys), AVI sponsors 95 girl children to complete their school education.
- Extra-curricular activities, big campus, drinking water, toilets, regular classes, good result.
- Total 22 girl students appeared for class X board exam conducted by Jharkhand Academic Council, Ranchi, 20 have obtained first division while 02 could achieve second division.
 100% result, 91% came out with first division.
- Fulfillment of learning materials & other requirements to the girl children on time. Sonali
 Kumari (d/o-Mr. Puroshottam Pandey, village-Devkuli) is the top scorer with 82% marks.



07. Roshni Dhruva High School Support: Local Community, NBJK, Smt. Roshni & Shri Dhruva Shah, Prakash Bhai-Ahmedabad

- At village-Nagri, block-Churchu, district-Hazaribagh, Coverage of 36 villages in Churchu, Daru blocks of Hazaribagh district and in Mandu block of Ramgarh district.
- Co-education, classes from VI to X, total enrollment-225 (90 girls, 135 boys), fees relaxation to 20 students (10 girls, 10 boys) belong to poor families.
- Visits by Mr. Girija Satish (President, NBJK), Mr. Gandharv Gaurav (Programme Director, NBJK) and Mr. Rajeev Kumar Singh (Sr. Prog. Manager, NBJK), issues like quality education: discipline and better future of children have been discussed.
- Digital classrooms, trained teachers, playground, science lab & other facilities make the school different from other existing schools in the area.
- In class X board exam by Jharkhand Academic Council, total 49 students (21 girls, 28 boys) appeared, 42 (18 girls, 24 boys) resulted with first division and 07 (03 girls, 04 boys) with second division, 100% result, 86% achieved first division.
- On Annual Sports Competition for Girls, events held like 100 Meters Race, Kabaddi, Speech & Music competitions. All the winners were awarded with books, shields and medals.
- School girls have tied Rakhi on the wrists of police personnel at nearby Churchu police station as well as CRPF camp. Mr. Indradev Rajwar (Officer In-charge, Churchu PS) and Mr. Manoj Kumar Singh (DSP, CRPF) have greeted their small sisters.



08. Komal Pujan Public School

Support: J.J. Visser-The Netherlands, Local Community, NBJK,

Prakash Bhai Shah & Bhavin Bhai Shah-Ahmedabad

- At village-Silaunja near Bodhgaya in Gaya district of Bihar, Coverage of 34 villages in Bodhgaya, Mohanpur and Fatehpur blocks of Gaya district.
- Classes from Nursery to X, Total strength-520 (200 girls, 320 boys), CBSE pattern, English medium, ICT mode of teaching, computer education, smart classes.
- Residential, co-education, co-curricular activities, counseling facility, sports & music, auditorium, playground & special teachers.
- Free-ship to 10 students (05 girls, 05 boys), Fees relaxation to 10 students (06 girls, 04 boys).
- Among 10 students (girls-04, boys-06) appeared for class X board exam, 04 (girls-02, boys-02) bagged first division and 06 (02 girls, boys-04) got second division. In class XII board exam, 05 (girls-02, boys-03) students appeared and 02 (both boys) clicked first division while 03 (girls-02, boy-01) have passed with second division.
- Showcasing students' versatile talent in singing, dancing, drawing, painting, writing etc. during various events & occasions.
- Japanese football coach Mr. Nojomo Hadihara & his friends have provided training to the students on every Sunday at the school campus



09. Girls' Education & Remedial Coaching Centers Support: Action Village India, U. K.



- Focuses upon completion of secondary school education for marginalized girls in villages by sponsoring their school fees, dress, books-notebooks, extra tuition etc.
- Addresses issues like gender disparity, child marriage and resource crisis among poor families those hinder girls' empowerment.
- Covered 1110 girl children (sponsored 435, at RCCs 675) from 07 blocks in Hazaribagh, Chatra, Dumka, Ranchi and Gaya districts of Jharkhand and Bihar states.
- 363 girls appeared for class X board exam, 94% result, 244 (67%) passed with first division, 91 (25%) obtained second division and 28 (8%) had either third division / marginal / pending result or they couldn't join the exam.
- 17 Remedial Coaching Centers (RCCs) at villages in Sadar, Katkamsandi and Katkamdag blocks of Hazaribagh district, enrolled 675 girl children of class VIII, IX & X, provided those free coaching classes for Science, Math and English.
- 230 girls from RCCs have appeared for class X board exam, 99% result, 184 secured 1st division, 42 got 2nd division, 02 passed with 3rd division and 02 counted for pending/marginal results.
- RCCs offers amicable milieu for teachers & students through orientation training to teachers, their monthly review meetings, monthly test & extracurricular activities for students, parents-teacher meetings and so on to ensure improved output.

CASE STORY Riya Raj: The Girl on the Top

eet Riya Raj, the girl child from village-Pabra, block-Katkamsandi, district-Hazaribagh (Jharkhand) and a regular student of her village based Remedial Coaching Centre. This RCC is one among 17 such centres as a part of the Girls' Education Programme at villages in Katkamsandi, Katkamdag and Sadar blocks of the district by NBJK with support of Action Village India.

Riya Raj is the topper among 230 girl children from all RCCs appeared for class X board exam conducted by Jharkhand Academic Council, Ranchi and scored 94% marks.

"In class IX, I have joined the RCC and at that time I was quite weak in Maths, Science & English. But by attending my classes regularly and following the teacher's instructions, I have focused upon these three subjects primarily", Riyal says and shares further that how she could obtain Grade a + in all subjects during class IX with daily 2 hours' study that increased up to 5 hours per day in class X.

Riya Raj wants to be an engineer. Her father Mr. Chandan Kumar runs a small grocery shop in his village and mother Mrs. Reena Kumari is a housewife. Riya's parents are very happy over her result and show determination to educate their daughter. They praise the very idea of RCC for valuable contribution to girls' education in villages.

Its noteworthy that 80% girl children from these RCCs have secured first division in Class X Board Exam and five girls from RCC-Pabra could achieve 90% or above marks. Md. Farukh, the teacher gets much appreciation for this successful performance of the centre.





10. Remedial Coaching Centers

Support: UTI Mutual Fund, Mumbai

- To enhance academic performance of school girls of class VIII, IX & X in villages through regular extra free tuition upon comparatively tough subjects like Math, English & Science.
- Coverage of around 100 villages with 30 Remedial Coaching Centres, enrollment of 1020 students (girls-928, boys-92) from remote rural areas of Sadar, Daru and Churchu blocks in Hazaribagh district.
- Each RCC facilitated with a competent teacher responsible for organizing 2.5 hours pre / post school classes and monthly test for students.
- Parents-teacher meeting, subject wise quiz competition-exposure visit-motivational input for students and periodical training to teachers.
- Total 297 students appeared for class X board exam, 235 achieved first division, 58 got second division and only 04 had marginal or pending result.

11. Remedial Coaching Centre

Support: SBI General Insurance- Mumbai

- Ensuring quality education to 1200 marginalized & poor rural girls studying in village-based government & government aided Hindi /Marathi medium high schools in villages of Maharashtra & Jharkhand
- Identification and selection of 20 schools in Karjat & Khalapur Tehsil of Raigad district in Maharashtra and 10 Schools in Chauparan block of Hazaribagh district in Jharkhand.
- 1200 girls' students of high schools class 8th, 9th and 10th (about 8% bovs).
- Remedial learning classes in English, Math and Science. Regular monthly test and assessment
 of progress of each student. Meeting with parents.
- Impact: 99% results in 10th board exam of RCCs' students with about 70% girls scoring 1st division and continuing their education after 10th. No marriage of any girl of RCC reported.
- Visit by Mr. Clifford D'Costa (SBI General Insurance CSR Manager), Mr. Clifford and Team member Ms. Rasagna Kalaspati visited running RCCs in the field at Raigad on 23rd Nov 2022 & 31 Jan 2023 & Hazaribagh on 7th Feb 2023.



12. Lord Buddha Home for Children

Support: Stichting Kinderhulp Bodhgaya-The Netherlands, Givelndia, Goonj - New Delhi/Bihar, Kiran Bhai Shah-Ahmedabad, Shamdasani Foundation-Hong Kong and Online Individual Donors



- A place of safety for needy children at village-Silaunja near Bodhgaya (Gaya, Bihar) to provide them quality food, cloth & education free of cost.
- Takes responsibility of total 57 children (33 girls & 24 boys) out of which 22 (07 girls & 15 boys) live in campus and enrolled in NBJK run Komal Pujan Public School in the same premises.
- The alumni are performing well as 03 have joined engineering college, 01 pursues post-graduation in agriculture, 04 got job after completion of diploma in vocational courses, 12 are doing graduation in arts or science streams, 08 have passed class X board exam and 10 children chosen to be with their legal guardians for better education.
- Live activities, celebration of important Days, Yoga sessions, sports, regular study hours, extra tuition, computer classes, plantation and participation of children in institutional management responsibility.

13. Child Reporters

Support: UNICEF Jharkhand

- A program upon Child Rights with special focus upon COVID Communication, Nutrition and Ending Child Marriage in three districts of Jharkhand.
- To enable school children to be catalysts for better COVID-19 prevention, trust building for vaccination among their peers and to be vocal advocates for child rights for a happy childhood including access to nutrition & health services.
- Works with 5200 children in 13 blocks namely Ratu, Nagri, Itki, Angara, Namkum, Ormanjhi, Kanke, Giridih Sadar, Gandey, Bengabad, Chaibasa Sadar, Manihari, Khuntpani of Ranchi, Giridih and West Singhbhum districts.
- Conducted 1668 thematic capacity building sessions on Child Rights, Child Marriage, Breast Feeding, Child Labour, Parenting and Routine Immunization at schools with 5214 children.
- 130 drawing competitions with 4849 children, 130 quiz competitions with 4706 children on child rights issues like End Child Marriage, Sustainable Development Goals, Education, Routine Immunization etc.
- 329 children participated in 13 Bal Charcha when they met elected representatives, Govt. officials and media persons over issues of their rights.
- 14 Learning Visits at Anganwadi Center, Police Station, Block Office, Collectorate, Bank, Skill Development Center, Tussar Center, Agriculture Hub, Mental Health Hospital, Media House etc by 321 child reporters.
- 130 village level meetings & signature campaigns with Mukhiya, PRI member, Ward member and frontline worker to ensure people's commitment on child rights and to make panchayats/districts child friendly as well as free from child marriage, participation of 6032 people.
- O3 district level capacity building events for 133 teachers & block education extension/program officers upon children's well-being like child rights, ending child marriage, education, mental health, climate change etc.
- 13 block level orientation events for parents on child rights in presence of 781 children-parents, State level Adolescent summit held with 217 selected
 participants.
- On occasion of Children's Day & Child Development Week, Child Reporters met Hon'ble Speaker, Jharkhand Legislative Assembly and Hon'ble Chief Minister of Jharkhand at their offices as well as Hon'ble Governor attended Child Development Conference at Ranchi.





14. Tanya Computer Center for Visually Impaired Children & Youths

Support: Sightsavers & Madison Resource Foundation, Mumbai

- To enhance capacity of the children & youths with visual impairment in digital literacy and personality development.
- Started on 15th Sep'22 and provides a free & certified computer training course to visually impaired children-youths above 15 years of age group and belong to poor-disadvantaged communities.
- Located at the premises of NBJK run Lord Buddha Home for Children, Silaunja (Bodhgaya) and coverage area of 19 villages in O4 blocks of Gaya district with objective of social inclusion.
- An initiative to enable such youngsters with all required proficiency with tools & techniques on computer, spoken English, health & hygiene, mobility etc to lead productive independent lives.
- Enrollment of 12 students in two batches, training completed for 06, a group of visually challenged girls have been shortlisted for next batches.
- Specially designed O6 months course with practical learning upon basics of computer, its applications, keyboard orientation, NonVisual Desktop Access, Hardware, Software, Internet, and Typing etc.



Case Story From Darkness to Digital

ishal Kumar, a tenacious 20-year-old hailing from Murarpur village in Gaya's Chandauti block, has embarked on an extraordinary journey that defies the odds and inspires all who cross his path. Born with a significant visual impairment, Vishal's life has been marked by resilience and an unwavering pursuit of knowledge, with only 30% of his eyesight intact.

Vishal's parents, Shri Sanjay Prasad and Smt. Sangita Devi, instilled in him the values of perseverance and education, and he successfully graduated from Gaya College, a testament to his indomitable spirit.

However, it was a twist of fate that truly transformed Vishal's life when Tanya Computer Center discovered him. Undaunted by his lack of prior computer knowledge, Vishal joined the institute fueled by curiosity and determination. He declared, "I never imagined that a semi-blind person like me could gain knowledge of such things."



Through his journey in computer classes, Vishal's intelligence and unwavering focus ensured rapid progress. He mastered the fundamentals of computers, excelling in keyboard operations, typing, basic software handling, and even delving into Excel sheets and NVDA setup.

With unshakable confidence, Vishal envisions a future where, within six months of training, he will navigate the digital realm with ease. His newfound skill promises to open new avenues in his life, proving that Vishal Kumar is not just a survivor but a beacon of inspiration, showing that one's dreams can be achieved, regardless of the challenges life presents.

15. Smart Classes at Schools

Support: HDFC Bank, Mumbai

- To monitor transformation of one classroom as a Smart Classroom at 400 selected Middle, High & +2 schools run by the Govt, of Jharkhand.
- Covered Hazaribagh, Chatra, Ramgarh, Giridih, Bokaro, Ranchi, Sahibganj and East Singhbhum districts.
- Ensured a complete makeover of one classroom at each school with paint-putty, repair, floor matting, electricity wiring, TV-Inverter & LCD Projector, one tube light, two ceiling fans as well as blackboard coloring and setting up a channel gate for security purpose.
- Two-phased intervention from June-September 2022, made Online Education smooth and accessible for school children in rural areas.



HEALTH, HYGIENE, ENVIRONMENT & DISABILITIES

Lok Nayak JayPrakash Eye Hospital, Hazaribagh

Support: Sightsavers India-Kolkata, Seva Foundation-USA, Mukul Madhav Foundation-Pune, DBCS-Hazaribag, DVC-Hazaribagh, NTPC-Hazaribagh, Give Foundation, Give Trust, D'Decor-Mumbai, Mission for Vison-Mumbai, Shri Jayant Sinha MP-Hazaribag, Individual Donors

- A leading 120 bedded eye hospital at village-Bahera in Chouparan block of Hazaribagh district, with a large coverage area of Hazaribagh, Chatra, Giridih, Koderma, Nawada, Gaya, Aurangabad districts in Jharkhand & Bihar.
- Provides affordable, quality, wide ranged eye healthcare services by hi-tech equipments, an
 experienced medical team, hygienic atmosphere and excellent facilities for patients with their
 caretakers.
- 10 Vision Centers at Hazaribagh, Keredari, Barkagaon, Barkattha, Chalkusha, Charhi, Bagodar, Chatra, Sherghati and Ramgarh to make eye care easily accessible for rural population.
- Implementation of Netra Vasant-Rural Eye Health Program in Chatra and Hazaribagh districts. In Chatra, it ensured eye checkup for 15000 people through 168 outreach camps, identified 5237 with Cataract out of these 3575 have reported to the base hospital for surgery.



- In Hazaribagh district through REHP, total 32277 persons availed their eye screening (primary-12125, secondary-20152) and 4125 went through surgery.
- Special drive to attend PwDs with eye screening (425), cataract surgery (20) and free spectacles (200).
- Resulted as 04 Panchayats namely Katkamsandi, Kanchanpur, Bargadda and Gadokhar as Free from Cataract Blindness Backlog in Katkamsandi block of Hazaribagh district.
- Enriched 08 Govt. Community & Primary Health Centers with essential eye health care devices.
- Promotion of LNJP Paramedical Institute (Govt. recognized) with 2-years diploma course of Ophthalmic Assistance, enrollment of 63 youths (female-22, male-41) in two
 batches, 100% scholarship support to 20 meritorious students from Central Mine Planning & Design Institute Ltd., Ranchi.
- Sightsavers, NBCS & JSLPS have conferred World Sight Day Honor to Senior Ophthalmologist Dr. Alok Kumar for his record number of Cataract surgeries.
- Total OPD 80034, total Cataract Surgery 9692, and total Other Surgery 984.
- Introduced ICL (Implantable Collamer Lens) surgery, performed successful vision restoration surgeries to badly injured eyed patients.
- Capacity building trainings and exposures to management and medical staffs.

CASE STORY Needle-in-Retina: A Remarkable Recovery

n a significant surgical feat on May 31, 2022, at LNJPEH-Hazaribagh, a tailoring needle fragment, measuring 8 mm in length, was successfully removed from the left eye of Md. Gufran, son of Sattar Miyan from Nawadih, Gaya. Astonishingly, this metallic intruder had resided within his eye for a staggering four years.

Gufran, a skilled tailor, recounted the fateful incident when a needle fragment swiftly penetrated his eye, leaving behind a persistent pricking sensation. Despite seeking various treatments, his pain endured, until he sought refuge at LNJPEH. Here, Dr. (Ms.) Archna Kumari and her dedicated team diagnosed the presence of the foreign body within his retina.

Dr. Archna, who performed the life-changing surgery, emphasized the importance of timely intervention. She stated that the gradual decline in Mr. Gufran's vision could have led to irreparable eye damage if the needle had not been removed promptly.

Post-surgery, Mr. Gufran expressed his profound gratitude, acknowledging that the medical team at LNJPEH had not only restored his vision but also safeguarded his livelihood and the well-being of his dependent family members.



02. LokNayak Jay Prakash Eye Hospital, Dumka

Support: Sightsavers India-Kolkata, DBCS-Dumka and CBM India-Bangalore

- A distinguished 40 bedded eye hospital with well-trained doctors & support team which offers eye
 healthcare services with all needful facilities and facilitates rural eye health program considerately.
- Covers a large number of eye patients across Dumka, Jamtara, Pakur and Godda districts with affordable
 or sponsored high quality ophthalmic services to common people.
- Runs Vision Center at Saraiyahat, Dumka to provide accessibility of eye care services to villagers.
- Under Sightsavers' Netra Vasant-Rural Eye Health Program (REHP), total 15171 (male-7900, female-7240, boy-18, girl-13) inhabitants of distant villages have availed their primary level eye screening through total 81 Screening Camps.
- REHP provided OPD to 12634 (male-6103, female-6329, boy-98, girl-104) at the Vision Center, Cataract Surgery to 1990 (male-952, female-1038) at the base hospital and Refraction to 9070 (male-4570, female-4483, boy-10, girl-07).



- At the base hospital, total general & paid OPD-13311 (male-6037, female-7012, male child-120, female child-142), total special OPD-742 (male-207, female-387, male child-72, female child-76), total free/paid review OPD-5299 (male-2211, female-2987, male child-47, female child-54).
- Total Cataract Surgery-3977 (male-1878, female-2099), Minor Surgery-289 (male-157, female-132).
- · An empowered and trained Counseling Team to promote Phaco method eye surgery.
- Enlisted as a service provider under PMJAY-Avushman scheme to reach more poor people in need of getting rid of avoidable blindness.
- Training to and linkage with Sahiva Didis (village based frontline health workers) to identify people with eve problem and to ensure their treatment.
- Consultation workshop (23 June'22) with District Blindness Control Society-Dumka in presence of Dr.Anand Mohan Soren (ACMO), discussion over training, financial & technical support to control and prevention of blindness as well as treatment of Cataract.

03. LokNavak JavPrakash Eve Hospital. Gava

Support: Wen Giving Foundation-Australia, Mission for Vision-Mumbai, CBM India-Bangalore, Sightsavers India - Kolkata, Seva Foundation-USA, DBCS-Gaya, Standard Chartered Bank-Mumbai.

- Located at village-Kajha, about 22 km from Gaya on Gaya-Nawada highway, covers needy population of 45 blocks in Gaya, Nawada and Jehanabad districts.
- 80 bedded modern eye hospital with adequate infrastructure, big campus, advanced equipments, well-trained medical team, all facilities for patients including an ambulance & a bus for their easy accessibility.
- OPD-19443 (male-9088, female-9371, male child-566, female child-418). Review OPD-13751 (male-6303, female-7002, male child-262, female child-184).
- Cataract Surgery-8767 (free-7567, paid-848, Ayushman-352).
- Outreach Camp-400, Camp OPD-23194 (male-11163, female-13031).
- Eye Health Care Orientation & Training-04 nos., 780 Participants (ASHA-120, Anganwadi Sevika-160, Anganwadi Worker-120, SHG Woman-380).
- Donation of 08 medical equipments like Slit Lamps, Auto Refractometer, Non-Contact Tonometer, A-Scan, Yag Laser, Operating Microscope and Phaco-Machine from the People of Japan.
- Opening of two new Vision Centers at Mohanpur and Guraru blocks, total 03 Vision Centers including the
 previous one at Gaya city.
- Certificate of Appreciation (second time in a row) from the Central Government's Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana and Bihar State Swasthya Suraksha Samiti, Govt. of Bihar, for exemplary performance under Ayushman Bharat Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana.
- Celebrations of World Sight Day and 3rd Foundation Day.
- Honourable visitors like Ms Elizabeth Kurien, Dr. Uday Gajiwala (Mission for Vision), Mr. Ken Moon, Mr. R. N. Mohanty, Mr. Suvendu Mitra (Sightsavers), Mr. Matsutaro Yamasaki (Consulate General office of Japan).



04. Vimla Ramkrishna Bajaj Eye Hospital, Deoghar

Support: Jamnalal Bajaj Foundation-Mumbai, Sightsavers India - Kolkata, SBI Foundation-Mumbai, Naraindas Morbai Budhrani Trust-Mumbai, Vision Foundation of India-Mumbai, ICICI Securities-Mumbai, Sankara Eye Foundation-Coimbatore, DBCS-Deoghar

- Serving as the fourth unit of LNJP Eye Hospital group, located at Deoghar City, covers 05 districts of Deoghar, Giridih, Jamui, Lakhisarai and Banka in Jharkhand & Bihar.
- 30 beds, up to date devices, experienced ophthalmologists, qualified medical team, spacious premises, high-class management, all amenities for patients & their attendants.
- 156 outreach eye screening camps at far-flung villages, ensured vision checkup for 4657 people not having any eye care service, reached to weaker section of society.
- At outreach camps, medical teams identify Cataract patients and arrange their transportation, food, surgery, medicines, black glasses etc at the base hospital and bring them

back to their places after vision restoration. Also they conduct post-surgery follow up services.

- Free eye screening camps for more than 400 students at different schools in Deoghar, found Refractive Errors among 25% to 30% urban children.
- On invitation of a Citizens' forum i.e. "Castairs Town Bawan Bigha Pariwar" and municipality members, an
 urban Eye Screening Camp was organized and inaugurated by Dr. Yugal Kishor Choudhary (Civil Surgeon,
 Deoghar), eye checkup for 158 persons, detected 18 patients with Cataract as well as 45 with Refractive Error
 and 01 with Pterigium.
- On World Sight Day, Team VRBEH visited Blind School-cum-Orphanage at Saraskunj (Jasidih) and examined 26 blind/semi-blind children, found 04 with restorable vision and offered eye care service.
- Installation of an OCT Machine to diagnose internal eye screen, retina, angiography, glaucoma, diabetic
 retinopathy etc very easily with perfection to make treatment successful.
- Total OPD 10717, total Cataract Surgery 3211 (about 90% free).
- Runs a Vision Center at Bengabad (Giridih) on the mode of community awareness & household screening.
- Two training camps for Sahiva Didis (ASHA workers) in Deoghar district, orientation upon Eve Healthcare, participation of more 50 frontline health workers.



05. SBI Sanjeevani Clinic on Wheels

Support: SBI Foundation, Mumbai

- To provide free primary health service with On the Spot Checkup and Medicines at the doorstep of people in villages.
- Coverage of around 50,000 inhabitants at 20 villages in Bodhgaya and Sadar blocks of Gaya district, Bihar.
- Weekly outreach health camps in each village to provide quality health service, follow
 up and to take dedicated care of the poor, old aged, dependent persons or women in
 need of preventive, curative & referral services as well as unable to visit hospitals or
 orivate clinics.
- Regular visit by a medical team on Mobile Clinic Van ready with high-tech devices like portable microscope, ECG, gastro fiberscope, autoclave, stretcher, lab facility and other needful diagnostic kits.
- The medical team comprises a doctor, lab technician, pharmacist and health assistant-cum-driver.
- Total 1056 camps, 9434 (female-7075, male-2359) OPD, successful treatment to the patients of fever, dehydration, anemia, diabetes, blood pressure, fungal infection, fever, cough & cold, joint/spasmodic pain, arthritis, kidney stones and gynecological disorders etc.
- Organized three special health camps upon Anemia, Diabetes and Hygiene, awareness-cum-sanitation drive under Swachh Bharat Abhiyan, Sanitary Pads distribution & counseling on personal health & hygiene among adolescent girls.
- Field visit by Shri Lalit Mohan (President-cum-COO, SBI Foundation-Mumbai) on 26 Sep'22.



CASE STORY

Reviving Lives on Wheels

bout 50 years old Shri Ramji Prased lives at Barki Basadhi village of Bodhgaya block. He is a farmer with modest means. He was suffering from general weakness and skin problems.

When SBI Sanjeevani Clinic on Wheels rolled into his village, he met Dr. Syed Faizan

Amin, the physician and explained his problems. The physician delved into Ramji Prasad's health concerns, conducting a comprehensive examination that included vital tests for Blood Pressure, Blood Sedimentation Rate, Blood Sugar Profile, and overall health indicators. The diagnosis revealed that Ramji Prasad was grappling with Diabetes (Type I) and Tinea pedis (commonly known as Athlete's foot).

Ramji Prasad received the necessary medications and was provided guidance on a controlled diet plan, coupled with the promise of monthly check-ups when the



medical van returned to the village. After two months of dedicated treatment, his sugar level declined from a staggering 374 mg/dL to a manageable 147 mg/dL, and the fungal infection receded.

Filled with gratitude, Ramji Prasad now credits the transformative impact of the SBI Sanjeevani Clinic on Wheels, a ground-breaking initiative by NBJK and SBI Foundation, for rejuvenating his life. He rejoices in the convenience of receiving essential healthcare services right at his doorstep, a testament to the remarkable change this program has brought to his village.

06. Outreach General Health Camps in Villages

Support: AID-USA, AVI-UK and Vision 2020-Australia



- To provide health services at doorstep of the poor people residing at remote rural areas and lack proper treatment due to dearth of money, trained doctors, medical personnel, diagnostic facilities and medicines.
- Extensive operational area like Chouparan, Barkattha, Padma, Barkagaon, Keredari, Ichak, Tatijhariya, Vishnugarh, Churchu, Kakamsandi, Katkamdag and Sadar blocks in Hazaribagh district.
- Experienced physicians led two medical teams with ANMs, lab technicians, optometrists and medicines.
- Offered almost free treatment with required tests & medication for diabetes, blood pressure, cold-cough, fever and other common diseases along with eye related problems through a minor registration charge of Rs. 10 for each patient, free of cost registration & surgery (by LNJPEH) for Cataract patients.
- Medical treatment reached to 11814 patients from about 570 villages at 190 health camps.

07. Waste to Wealth: Solid Waste Recycling-cum-Demonstration Units (Self-Sustainable)

- Successful demonstration of value addition to wastes by their recycling as environment friendly products, promoting organic farming & packaging activities.
- Two units of Vermi-compost and Millboard from cow dung and scrap papers respectively, at village-Chakla in Ormanjhi block of Ranchi district.
- Made 800 MT Vermi-compost, being used by local farmers, nurseries, agriculture enterprises, forest department etc.
- Prepared 360 MT Green Millboard, in demand from bookbinders, sweet/shoe box makers, notebook printers, photo framers etc across many districts of Jharkhand.
- Provided skill growth & employment to 16 women-men from local villages.

08. Clean Jharkhand Project, Phase II (Self-Sustainable)

- Ensures hygienic environment at two big premises of Damodar Valley Corporation and Hotel Canary Inn at Hazaribagh city.
- Services like cleanliness drive, housekeeping and drainage clean-up along with waste collection and disposal to municipal garbage van.
- 15 members' team of Safai Mitras including a supervisor, segregation of about 55 tons garbage.
- Experience, expertise and reliability in sanitation field, clients' appreciation and consistency.
- Damodar Valley Corporation-Hazaribagh conferred a memento to Shri Girija Satish (President, NBJK) and honoured Team CJP during Swachhta Pakhwada (16-31 May, 2022) under Swachh Bharat Abhiyan.



09. Community Based Inclusive Development & Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities Support: Bajai Finsery Limited, Pune



- To ensure socio-economic inclusion and community based rehabilitation of 5000
 Persons with Disabilities by providing them opportunities for sustainable livelihood,
 health, education, organization building and to get other needful services.
- Coverage area of 20 slum pockets in Patna, the capital city of Bihar where focused population has very high ratio of Below Poverty Line people.
- For Unique Disability Identity Cards to PwDs (including children), 800 applications have been processed online and 430 applications submitted to authorities for physical verification.

- 113 Persons with Mental Illness have received treatment by Psychiatrist and avail medication.
- O4 Children with Disabilities in need of Corrective Surgery have got surgeon's appointment at Patna Medical College & Hospital.
- Assistive devices like 52 Tricycles, 19 Wheelchairs and 40 Calipers have been provided to 111 PwDs.
- Formation of 20 Disabled People's Organizations with 425 members, their monthly meetings & orientation towards Rights to Persons with Disabilities Act 2016, 60 office bearers of such DPOs met together to figure out their Federation.
- Survey in coverage areas to identify PwDs, identification of 5460 PwDs, process continues.
- Vocational training to 225 PwDs in their favorite trades like Tailoring-55. Beautician-25. Computer-03. Counter Sales-69. Vegetable Vending-55 & Egg Selling-18.
- 280 PwDs received Seed Capital ranging from Rs. 10,000 to 20,000 to start their own business and they carried on successfully.
- Formation of 14 Self-Help Groups of PwDs, 35 applications for Govt, pension & Ayushman Bharat entitlements are in process.
- Preparation of Individual Rehabilitation Plans for 60 Children with Disabilities under supervision of Special Educator & team, enrollment of 29 CwDs at Aanganwadis & 18 CwDs at Primary Schools, Teaching-learning materials distribution among 45 CwDs.
- O4 schools covered under Sensitization campaign to develop positive attitude for fellow CwDs & their rights, participation of 450 students & 25 teachers.
- Orientation & training to CBR workers-Special Educator, 75 CwDs/PwDs got regular home based services of special education & physiotherapy, related training to their parents also
- 75 ward members & 100 parents have attended special sessions upon sensitization to the rights of CwDs/PwDs.

CASESTORY

A Journey from Adversity to Independence

Shri Pappu Kumar, a 28-year-old from a disadvantaged background in Patna, faced numerous challenges. He had polio as a child and struggled to walk properly. Despite these obstacles, Pappu had a strong desire to earn and support his family.

Through the Community Based Inclusive Development and Rehabilitation program by NBJK, supported by BAJAJ FINSERV, Pappu was identified. His dream was to have a source of income. The program team recognized his potential and connected him with a local Betel Shop, where he trained for three months, gaining valuable skills and boosting his confidence.

To further ease Pappu's life, he was provided with a modified Tricycle that served as a mobile Betel Shop. With a small financial boost from the program, Pappu started his own mobile shop. He moves around daily, serving customers and selling daily items, all with the goal of living independently and not being a burden to his family.

Pappu's shop was inaugurated by the Bajaj Finserv team, who suggested he implement a QR code-based payment system for customers, making transactions easy, safe, and modern. Pappu embraced the idea and plans to implement it soon. His story is evidence to his determination and the transformative power of support and opportunity.



10. Caring of Careers Support: Carers Worldwide, U.K.

- An initiative to improve family care service for people with disabilities, diseases, mental or geriatric
 problems by supporting their caretakers.
- Highlighted the issue of Carers as they serve in challenging situation, devote their personal lives and deserve a policy support.
- Coverage area of O5 blocks namely Sadar, Daru, Katkamsandi, Katkamdag and Ichak blocks in Hazaribagh district.
- Identified more than 1000 Carers from poor families in villages, organized them in 88 self-help groups, 05 clusters, a Govt. regd. federation i.e. Pragati Carers Seva Sansthan and supported above 200 Carers for their livelihood.
- Intense advocacy activities over a Charter of Demands to the Government from Carers that includes their recognition, allowance, fund in local bodies, linkage with employment/social security schemes, setup of caring-vocational training centers, medical aid for dependents etc.
- Memorandum submitted to the Deputy Commissioner and Block Development Officers.
- Visit by Dr. Anil Patil (Founder & ED of Carers Worldwide) on 9-10 Aug'22, Project team's representation in an Inter-State Dissemination Workshop at Bhubaneswar (Odisha) on 14 Dec'22 and Celebration of Carers' Day on 19 Oct'22.



SOCIO-ECONOMIC & LIVELIHOOD DEVELOPMENT

01. Parivartan: Holistic Rural Development Program



Support: HDFC Bank, Mumbai

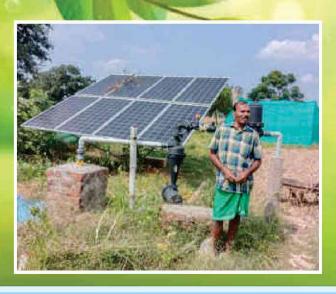
- Goal: Holistic Development across 15 villages of Chanho block under Ranchi district in 4
 years period making every family happy and prosperous.
- Formation of a Farmers Producers Organization namely Chanho Birsa Munda Sangathan Producer Company Limited which runs 03 units of Solar Mobile Pump, Solar Cold Storage and Oil Expeller, provides rental facility to villagers. 425 farmers have been registered with CBMSPCL and the process is on.
- A farmers' group associated with the FPO visited Murhu Nari Shakti Kisan Producer Co. Ltd., another FPO facilitated by NBJK in Khunti district, where they learnt about Strawberry & Dragon Fruit farming.
- For Dairy development, 18 farmers have been provided good breed milch cows and related orientation.
- Distribution of seeds among 273 farmers to grow Mustard, Banana, Potato, Beans, Green Pea,

Strawberry, Elephant Foot Yam and Ginger. Promotion of "Half Acre Model".

- 10 farmers selected for especially Strawberry plantation as a High Value Crop.
- More than 2000 farmers have been supported for high yield & high value vegetable cultivation.
- Exposure Visits for 360 farmers at Birsa Agriculture University, ICAR-RCER Plandu, MASS in Jharkhand and an inter-state visit at KVK-Nawada, Bihar for 44 farmers.
- Promotion of Backvard Poultry, Duck Farming among 51 farmers and Kitchen Gardening for 30 farmers.
- · Completion of 24 Mulching, 22 Drip and 04 Sprinkler units, functional for 50 farmers.
- 51 growers availed Soil Testing facility while 126 have been facilitated with Advance Technique Training to enhance their productivity.
- Farmer Field School approach that brings together a group of small-scale food producers to solve production problems through sustainable agriculture.
- Supported organic farming through use of Vermi-compost, 15 production units. Construction of 15 Azolla tanks to cultivate nutritious fodder for livestock. Feed-fodder management training to 70 animal keepers.
- Renovation of O8 Anganwadi Centers as Model Centers to impart quality services & education to children amid clean, comfortable environment, special caring for pregnant & lactating mothers.
- O7 Govt. Middle and Primary Schools have been introduced with "Smart Classes" for their students.
- On the occasion of International Child Rights Week, 16 boys' teams and 08 girls' teams have participated in a three days Inter School Sports Competition.
- 30 Health Camps upon general health & menstrual hygiene, coverage of all 15 villages.
- District Agriculture Officer, Govt. of Jharkhand has visited Strawberry cultivators, appreciated the initiative and offered all possible support to the program.

CASESTORY

Bandhu Oraon and His Farmer Field School



hri Bandhu Oraon's ride from a humble agricultural background to a catalyst for innovative farming practices in his village serves as an inspiring story. A resident of Tangar village in Chanho block of Ranchi district, Bandhu's limited educational opportunities did not deter his determination to succeed in agriculture. His involvement with the Parivartan: HRDP initiative marked a turning point in his life.

Bandhu's extensive farming experience and innovative approach led to his selection as the leader of the Farmer Field School (FFS) in his village. Under his guidance, the FFS became a center for agricultural innovation, equipped with modern technology such as Poly Houses, Green Houses, Solar Pumps, Vermi-composting, Drip irrigation, and Mulching, provided by HRDP.

Bandhu's knowledge, gained from training sessions, interactive meetings, and exposure visits, enabled him to not only grow high-value crops but also establish a nursery for fruit and timber trees. He has become a key supplier of plantlets for the MGNREGA scheme and trains fellow farmers in adopting sustainable organic farming practices.

Today, Bandhu Oraon and his FFS stand as a beacon of success, increasing annual income above Rs.

1.5 Lakh inspiring all other farmers in the region and showcasing the transformative power of knowledge, innovation, and community engagement in rural agriculture.

02. SBI Gram Seva

Support: SBI Foundation, Mumbai

- Committed for all-inclusive development with interventions on education, health, livelihood, skill
 development, cost-effective farming and digitalization at villages.
- Coverage area as 05 villages Nawadih, Barsatia, Sahari, Gadi, Ramaldih in Deoghar Sadar block in Deoghar and 05 villages - Heth Chakai, Patjori, Chhachudih, Garahi, Mamtadih in Chakai block of Jamui districts, benefitting more then 7000 people from 1470 HHs.

In Deoghar Sadar -

- Mathematics test for children of 05
 Remedial Coaching Centers, 05
 students received SBI Ojas
 Scholarship, Kabaddi competition,
 celebration of International Yoga
 Day, World Environment Day Conservation Day, and No Tobacco
 Day etc.
- Health Camps (12) at villages, Farmers' training, Registration campaign for eShram Cards, Tree plantation (4000) and branding.
- Repair & branding of Community platforms (4) and Hand-pumps (22).
- Renovation/repair/replacement/updating/purchase of the belongings like photocopier machine, UPS, LED, software etc for Community Information Centers at all five villages.
- Assets Handover Ceremony on Gandhi Jayanti, 02 October 2022 at village-Ramaldih, all assets
 created under the program have been transferred to the community in presence of the members of
 VDCs, PRIs & user groups.
- A short documentary film was made upon the field activities.

In Chakai -



- Quiz competition at 05 Remdial Coaching Centers, SBI Ojas Scholarship to 05 students, Branding work of water tanks in 05 schools and Renovation of 02 Anganwadi Centers.
- Celebration of Special Days like National No Tobacco Day, International Yoga Day, World Conservation Day, Inter-village Kabaddi competition, participation of youngsters & children.
- Repaired 07 hand pumps, branding work for all repaired & newly installed hand pumps with 05 community platforms & 01 water tank.
- O7 Farmers' training at O2 villages, Motivational training for 11 youths & women to join short vocational courses by RSETI.
- Updating of O5 Community Information Centers with replacement/repair of Xerox machines, computers & software to make services, digital class rooms and computer labs more resourceful.
- Making of a documentary film to showcase program activities.
- Dedicated all assets or infrastructure to the community through a Handover Ceremony at Patjori village on the birthday of Mahatma Gandhi i.e. 02 October 2022.

03. SBI Gram Saksham

Support: SBI Foundation, Mumbai

- An innovative and participatory intervention with farmers to make villages self-sustainable through water conservation initiatives, best practices of watershed management, farm equipments support, leverage on the Govt./institutional schemes, improvement in agricultural productivity and farmers' income.
- Launched in January 2023, operational area of 20 villages in Deoghar Sadar as well as Chakai blocks under Deoghar and Jamui districts of Jharkhand and Bihar respectively, continued connection with the adopted villages under previously implemented "SBI Gram Seva" project in the same localities.

In Deoghar Sadar block-

- Coverage of 10 villages like Modidih, Babudih, Gokhuldih, Jormoh, Joruwadih, Tetariya, Semradih, Bandarbasa, Dumarkundi and Dighriya.
- Baseline survey, pre-project video documentation, community meetings and formation of farmer groups.
- Renovation of 05 Wells and 05 Ponds with increased water storage capacity, distribution of 50 Electric Motor Pumps with accessories among 50 Farmer Groups of 250 small/marginal farmers, and the groups took responsibility for further maintenance of the pump sets.



In Chakai block –

- Coverage of 10 villages namely Gajhi, Baljori, Kashjor, Sone, Narodih, Badiyadih, Guriyadih, Pipra, Kalibak and Gosaedih.
- Household survey, video documentation of early status, village meetings and organization of farmers' groups.
- Renovation of 05 Wells and 05 Ponds with increased water storage capacity, distribution of 50 Electric Motor Pumps among 50 Farmer Groups of 300 small/marginal farmers, collective responsibility for maintenance of the pump sets.



04. Poverty Reduction through Self-Help Groups (Self-Sustainable)

- A pioneering intervention of NBJK since the year 1991 with a rich work experience of organizing women and wider concern of their socio-economic development.
- Coverage of 12 blocks in Hazaribagh, Ramgarh, Ranchi, Khunti districts of Jharkhand and 15 Slum areas of Patna in Jharkhand – Bihar.
- Organized women as their Self-Help Groups and men under Joint Liability Groups, responsibilities adhere to groups' office bearers.
- SHGs & JLGs hold regular meetings, ensure groups' internal saving and the members support each other to promote their livelihood activities.
- The program offers micro credit support service at doorstep of the groups with processing & monitors their minor businesses or income generation activities.
- Total 953 SHGs with 21102 members, micro credit provided to 5277 members of 588 SHGs, total loanee JLGs-384 with 1209 borrower members.
- Cumulative recovery rate is around 93.37% despite two consequent years halted by COVID pandemic.
- Direct support to bread-winners (81% women) of 6486 families and contributes to women's empowerment at large scale.



CASE STORY

Empowering Women through Microcredit



rs. Tabassum Parveen, a resident of Lohsinghna in Hazaribagh, faced financial challenges with her husband, Syed Arshad Hussain, being the sole breadearner as a newspaper hawker. In 2020, she joined a women's Self-Help Group (SHG) promoted by NBJK in her locality. With the support of the SHG, Tabassum borrowed a modest amount of Rs. 3,000 to tackle immediate needs, which she successfully repaid.

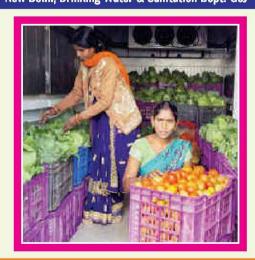
Buoyed by her initial success, Tabassum ventured into entrepreneurship: using a Rs. 30,000 loan to establish a mini shop at her home. The business thrived, leading her to expand further with microcredits of Rs. 38,000 and Rs. 44,000. These funds not only enriched her shop but also enabled her husband to purchase an electric three-wheeler, boosting their income.

Today, Tabassum's daily business exceeds Rs. 5,000, with a daily income ranging from Rs. 500 to Rs. 700. Her children attend an English medium school, and she dreams of a comfortable family life. With her recent loan of Rs. 49,000, she aims to further develop her shop. Tabassum's journey showcases the transformative power of SHG-microcredit and the empowerment it brings to women like her.

05. Lakhpati Kisan Smart Village

Support: Clnl-an associate organization of Tata Trusts-Jamshedpur, JSLPS-Ranchi, ONGC Foundation-New Delhi, Drinking Water & Sanitation Dept.-GoJ

- Dedicated to income enhancement of the farmers through HVA (High Value Agriculture), irrigation and agro plus
 activities for achieving quality lives.
- Covers more than 7000 farmers in 144 villages of Murhu and Khunti blocks under Khunti district.
- An example of participatory development with community institutions like SHGs, farmers' clusters and an apex body/FPO as "Murhu Nari Shakti Kisan Producer Co. Ltd." with turnover of Rs. 03 crore 13 lakh during 2022-23.
- 3110 shareholders from 102 producer groups across 15 panchayats in Murhu block, a cash credit loan of Rs. 20 lakh under JOHAR project of JSLPS, GoJ, to grow its business.
- Diversified livelihood activities like High Value Agriculture as primary activity with NTFP Lac Cultivation & animal husbandry as secondary activity. 4516 farmers are lakhpati.
- Ensured economic returns as 4849 households benefitted by increased income from agriculture and allied activities.
- 2635 or 43.91% of HHs with improved irrigation facility as each HH avails irrigation for at-least 0.3 acre of land with water distribution system (solar micro-lift irrigation with pipeline distribution).





- 4516 or 75.2% HHs with increased income from improved animal husbandry practices, 4849 or 80.81% HHs benefitted from market linkage and 51% of SHGs categorized as grade 1 as per the NRLM
- During Kharif season, 5750 HHs engaged with paddy & HVA upon 2983.31 acres, for Rabi HVA (3897) HHs, 712.37 acres) and for Summer HVA (2892 HHs, 448.62 acres).
- Pig rearing HHs-500, Goat rearing HHs-3616, NTFP (lac) HHs-3957 & Fishery HHs-281.
- Letter of Appreciation to MNSKPCL from Khunti District Administration for its remarkable works upon High Value Agriculture, Minor Forest Produce and Livestock Development.
- Visit of Mr. Rajeev Topno (Senior Advisor & Representative of World Bank).
- Integrated Drinking Water Project in partnership with Jal Jeevan Mission, coverage of 38 villages in Murhu block.
- Village level water committee (36), community training (166), people trained upon WASH (575), drinking water scheme completion (14), households with access to safe drinking water through tap connection (1257), villages collecting regular water tariff from users (14).
- Integrated Project on Menstrual Hygiene Management & Cancer Care, operational in the same villages as of "Lakhpati Kisan".
- MHM training (module I-IV) to 4400, refresher training to 768 and Cancer awareness training to 4458 women & adolescent girls.
- Organized and facilitated 22 awareness camps on MHM & Cancer Care, setup of 282 Matka Incinerators in villages for safe disposal of sanitary pads.
- Cancer Care Insurance registration for 2225 women (>30 years) shareholders of MNSKPCL, Risk Assessment for 1654 women shareholders/SHG members of 30+ age group, 08 Screening Camps for 326 women, Diagnosis of 06 women (all found negative).

CASE STORY The Remarkable Transformation of Dabgana Village

abgana, a remote village in the heart of Khunti district, once grappled with relentless poverty, limited water resources, and seasonal paddy cultivation that barely sustained its inhabitants, who were primarily migrant workers. The village nestled near the birthplace of renowned Adivasi leader and hockey player. Late Javoal Singh Munda, yearned for change.

In 2022, hope arrived in the form of the "Lakhpati Kisan Smart Village" program. A producer group was born, leading to the linkage with Murhu Nari Shakti Kisan Producer Co. Ltd. This initiative introduced a Solar Micro-Lift Irrigation system, prioritizing families with little to no access to irrigation.

Water Use Groups were formed, ensuring proper asset maintenance, and user fees collection, High-Value Agriculture took root, with watermelon cultivation revolutionizing the villagers' fortunes. 16 farmers, on 3.2 acres of land, harvested 108 MT of watermelons, yielding a staggering return of Rs. 6,48,000.

Dabgana's transformation showcases the power of participatory intervention, eradicating migration and ushering in prosperity, making it a guiding light for rural communities.

06. Young India Mission Rozgar Support: UTI Mutual Fund, Mumbai

- A project upon skill development training for disadvantaged youths in various trades to address the issues of their livelihood, unemployment, forced migration and socio-economic enhancement.
- Designed with the components of well-equipped training centers, experienced faculties, technical know-how, practical classes, placement/self-employment assistance, sustainable livelihood opportunities, entry level job and skilled human resources for business houses & industries.
- Mission Rozgar Training Centers at Hazaribagh, Giridih and Koderma, O3 months skill development courses in the trades of Basic Computer Applications, General Duty/Nursing Assistance, Beautician-Menhdi-Bridal Makeup, Tailoring-Embroidery and Tally-Accountancy.
- Support activities like mobilizing aspirant youths for enrollment, counseling, mid-course exposure, motivational guest lecture, on job training, employers' meet etc.
- Training to total 1443 youths, out of which 848 are either placed or self-employed.



07. Usha Silai School





Support: Usha International-New Delhi, SIDBI & Individual Donors

- To develop rural women as entrepreneurs like capable tailors & trainers through comprehensive training upon tailoring, machine maintenance, life skills and all required inputs to start Usha Silai Schools in villages of Jharkhand-Bihar.
- Training to 50 women under Usha Classical Silai School segment at Godda (15), Ranchi (15), Giridih (10) and Gaya (10). The trainees got a new sewing machine, service mannual book, syllabus, guidebook, and signage board with course completion certificate for each.
- Training to 300 women under Satellite Silai School part at Simdega (40), Gumla (40), Latehar (40), Lohardaga (40), Khunti (20), West Singhbhum (40), Dumka (40) and Nawada (40).
- SIDBI supported exposure visit of 23 Usha Silai School Teachers from Hazaribagh & Ranchi to Kishor Exports, a textile manufacturing unit at Ormanihi, Ranchi.
- Organized Usha Archery Championship in Bolba block of Simdega district, participation of total 100 young archers and 30 have bagged medals as Gold-10, Silver-10 and Bronze-10.
- O6 Usha Silai School teachers from Hazaribagh have joined "Har Ghar Tiranga" campaign by SIDBI and made total 6,000 Khadi tricolor flags, later distributed among inhabitants in their respective areas through concerned Mukhiyas.
- Running 767 Usha Silai Schools & 557 Usha Satellite Schools in 47 districts of Jharkhand-Bihar, direct employment to 1,324 needy women from villages, average monthly income of Rs. 5,000-10,000 for each.

CASE STORY Catalyzing Women's Empowerment

uman Devi, a resident of Sirsiya village in Giridih Sadar block of Giridih district, Jharkhand, exemplifies the transformative power of the Usha Silai School program. For over two decades, Suman's life was constrained by societal norms and in-law restrictions, limiting her opportunities for personal growth. However, a chance encounter with a program volunteer changed everything.

Suman's determination led her to participate in a 7-day residential training program organized by NBJK-UIL-SIDBI in Hazaribagh. Despite initial family opposition, she persevered and completed the training, receiving the necessary resources to establish her Usha Silai School at home.

Her dedication and engaging teaching methods attracted students, with her school eventually growing to twenty students.

Suman's entrepreneurial spirit allowed her to earn a monthly income, boosting her confidence and financial independence. Her children now attend a good school, and she manages her own bank account.

Her story highlights how the Usha Silai School program empowers women, enabling them to become responsible, independent decision-makers, and leading to increased productivity and fulfillment in their lives.



SUPPORT TO SMALL INITIATIVES

01. Community Action - Small Groups Support: Action Village India, U. K.

- To mainstream marginalized communities through initiatives upon health, education, livelihood, liquor prohibition and environment.
- A teamwork with O3 small organizations Gram Nirman Kendra, Wazirganj (Gaya), Lok Shakti Shikshan Kendra, Paraiya (Gaya) and Lok Prerna Kendra, Simariya (Chatra).
- Coverage of around 40 villages with over 3000 population of scheduled castes, scheduled tribes and backward communities. Special focus upon Musahar, Manjhi and Birhor (Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Group) people.
- With Gram Nirman Kendra-Wazirganj, 19 girls from weaker section families have received tailoring training and a nursery was developed that distributed 4610 plantlets among villagers.



- In Paraiya block with Lok Shakti Shikshan Kendra, a Non-Formal Education Center caters 30 girl children from displaced nomadic families rehabilitated at village-Lenin Nagar.
- Through Lok Prerna Kendra run NFE Center at village-Piri in Simariya block, 26 Birhor tribe children got primary education, while village-Birhu based Health Center has provided basic health facility to about 1000 poor people living at remote villages.
- Two days (11-12 Nov'22) workshop on Gender Mainstreaming, topics like sex & gender, gender norms, gender based discrimination and its impacts, 22 narticinants.
- By Local units of Lok Samiti, people have been made aware of hazardous effect of liquor consumption upon their health, families and children.



PEOPLE'S ACTION, NETWORKING & GOVERNANCE

01. Lok Samiti

Support: Jamnalal Bajaj Foundation, Mumbai, Action Village India-U.K. & Likeminded VOs of Bihar-Jharkhand

- A non-political and unregistered people's organization initiated on 30 June 1977 by well-known freedom fighter & Sarvodaya leader Loknayak Jay Prakash Narayan (JP).
- Follows Gandhian ethos of non-violence, peace and harmony to address wide ranging socio-economic issues affecting women, youths, farmers, laborers etc.
- 45th Foundation Day celebrated at JP's native place (village-Sitab Diara, Saran, Bihar) and Lok Samiti's national president Shri Girija Satish appealed to get rid of social evils like alcoholism, superstition, dowry, casteism and communalism.
- Jharkhand State Lok Samiti accepted declarations on prohibition, individual/family based development plan, non-government sector's participation for affordable education-health facilities, GM land to landless people etc in a meeting on 23 Sep'22.
- Bihar State Lok Samiti passed resolutions like exemption in electricity charge/taxes/revenue, irrigation facility, restoration of mandi system & minimum support price for farmers, libraries & subject wise teachers in schools and ending of Russo-Ukraine war in its executive committee meeting on 28 Sep'22.
- 20 places, 2730 participants, 11 events of convention, symposium, meeting, fasting, special days etc in Bihar-Jharkhand over the themes of Gandhi, JP, Emergency 25 June 1975, Anti-alcoholism, Unemployment, Social Harmony, Women, Laborers, Farmers, Sarvodaya, Lok Samiti etc.





02. Childline 1098

Support: Childline Foundation, Mumbai

- Under aegis of Ministry of Women and Child Development (Gol) 24-hour, toll free, emergency, phone outreach service for children (O-18) in distress to protect their rights, to rescue and assist them by responding on 1098 and by physically reaching out to such children.
- Covers a population of about 2 lakh 40 thousand at 426 villages of 71 panchayats under Chouparan, Barhi, Barkattha and Padma blocks in Hazaribagh district.
- Initiative taken in total 102 cases as Child Marriage 05, Child Labour 03, Child Trafficking – 01, Sexual Exploitation – 02, Physical Abuse – 03, Mental Torture – 01, Teasing – 01, Medical Aid – 01, Missing – 03, Shelter – 03 and Others – 79.



CASE STORY

Daya's Triumph

n a serene village, Daya (fictitious name), a 13-year-old farmer's daughter in 8th grade, faced a distressing challenge. Her school was 3 km away, and she used to walk there with her friends. However, an ill-behaved boy began to harass her, forcing her to stop attending school.

Concerned for Daya's well-being, a friend provided her with Childline's toll-free number, 1098. They sought help together. Childline acted swiftly, visiting Daya's home, and engaging with her family and the boy's parents.

Through counseling, the boy understood the gravity of his actions and apologized to Daya. His guardian expressed remorse, and the case was resolved amicably. This initiative impressed the villagers, prompting them to ensure a safe environment for all school-going girls.

Daya, once a victim, reclaimed her education, inspiring her community. Childline's dedication showed that collective action can protect children's rights and create a safer world for all.

03. Family Counseling Center

Support: Central Social Welfare Board, New Delhi & Jharkhand State Social Welfare Board, Ranchi

- To reconcile family disputes through proper counseling & guidance, connecting broken and shattered families.
- Operational area of O6 blocks in Hazaribagh district, strength of O4 staff members including one female and a male counselor.
- Total registered cases-133 as dowry-02, domestic violence-56, alcoholism-22, marital dispute-07, extra-marital relationship-11, property dispute-09 & others-26. Overall solved cases-86.
- Quarterly program monitoring by a sub-committee comprised of PRIs' members, social workers, legal experts and other prominent citizens.
- Visit by Mr. Mahesh Chouhan from JSSWB-Ranchi for coordination with district social welfare dept. and program guidance.
- Counselor Dr. Sanjay Kumar participated in the Consultation meeting organized by National Commission for Women on 25th August 2022.
- Provided Internship for Asian Law College, Noida.
- Representation in District Social Welfare Department's Sponsorship Foster Care Approval Committee and Inspection Committee for all registered Govt. & Non-Govt. Child Care Institutions.



CASE STORY Overcoming Challenges in Love



sha Kumari and Sandeep Kumar, a courageous couple in Hazaribagh, embarked on a journey of love that transcended caste boundaries, only to face vehement opposition from their families. The Family Counseling Center (FCC) played a pivotal role in their remarkable story of love and resilience.

Asha, determined to preserve their love, sought help from the FCC after enduring insults and humiliation at her in-laws' place. Recognizing the depth of their love and Sandeep's struggle with his family's opposition, compassionate counselors guided them through their tumultuous

journey.

The counselors encouraged Asha and Sandeep to take control of their lives by finding a rented house in Hazaribagh town, away from familial influences. This decision marked a turning point. In their new home, they learned to communicate effectively, support each other's aspirations, and nurture their love.

GAINS & GRIEF

NBJK Wins Mary Glowrey-Liliane Brekelmans Disability Award 2022



NBJK, dedicated to enhancing the lives of persons with disabilities in Jharkhand and Bihar, has been honored with the Mary Glowrey-Liliane Brekelmans Disability Award 2022. Presented by the Catholic Health Association of India (CHAI) and Liliane Foundation-The Netherlands, this recognition highlights NBJK's exceptional work.

At Secunderabad, Telangana on 30th Nov'22, Mr. Satish Girija, Secretary of NBJK, received the award and Rs. 2 lakh prize, applauding NBJK's two-decade-long commitment to mainstreaming marginalized communities with focus on identification, treatment, certification, organization, rehabilitation, and rights advocacy, especially for the visually impaired and caregivers. This award underscores NBJK's remarkable contribution to the betterment and inclusion of persons with disabilities.

NBJK Honored with Bridgestone Mobility Social Impact Award 2022 as "First Runner-up"

NBJK was honored with the Bridgestone Mobility Social Impact Award 2022 "First Runner-up" at a ceremony held at Hotel Ritz Carlton, Pune on November 22, 2022. Mr. Satish Girija (Secretary) and Mr. Anand Abhinav (Program Director) accepted the award, including a citation, trophy, and Rs. 10 lakh prize, from Ms. Lila Poonawala and Mr. Firoz Poonawala, in the presence of Mr. Parag Satpute (MD, Bridgestone) and Mr. Apurv Choube (CHRO, Bridgestone).

NBJK received the award for its outstanding work in restoring eyesight to rural poor suffering from avoidable blindness and improving their mobility, social life, access to education and livelihood opportunities. These efforts made eye care services easily accessible through various initiatives in Jharkhand and Bihar villages.



Tragic Loss: Lok Prema Kendra's Philman Baxla Passes Away

In a heart-wrenching turn of events, Mr. Philman Baxla, the dedicated Secretary of Lok Prerna Kendra, Simaria (Chatra, Jharkhand) left this world on November 16, 2022, because of a sudden and massive brain hemorrhage. Despite immediate medical attention in a private hospital in Ranchi, Mr. Baxla slipped into a coma and could not be revived. The community and NBJK lost a trusted ally!

The NBJK co-ordination office held a somber condolence meeting, with staff members paying their heartfelt respects. Mr. Satish Girija (Secretary, NBJK) and Mr. Girija Satish (President, NBJK), though out of town, conveyed their condolences, acknowledging Mr. Baxla's firm commitment to social causes and his profound humanitarian values. The loss of this noble soul leaves a void that will be deeply felt by all who knew him.





A Heartfelt Goodbye to Mrs. Ine Buma-le Blanc

On June 28, 2022, a sad gathering convened at the NBJK Coordination office in Hazaribagh to bid a tearful adieu to the late Mrs. Ine Buma-le Blanc, the founder of Stichting Kinderhulp Bodhgaya in the Netherlands. Her unwavering support since 2005 had nurtured and sustained the Lord Buddha Home for Children in Bodhgaya, Bihar, providing a refuge for orphaned children.

In a poignant tribute, Mr. Satish Girija (Secretary, NBJK) fondly recalled Mrs. Ine Buma's boundless kindness and generosity, praising her tireless dedication to the children's education and well-being. Mr. Gandharv Gaurav highlighted her mission to create a loving, homely atmosphere for these children.

Mrs. Ine Buma-le Blanc's exceptional commitment earned her royal recognition from the Dutch queen in 2011. Her sudden departure has cast a shadow over the entire NBJK family. May her soul rest in eternal peace!

Human Resources

552 experienced personnel as Branch Managers, Program Managers / Asst. PMs, Project Coordinators / Asst. PCs, District / Block Coordinators, Supervisors, Field / CBR Workers, Ophthalmologists, Medical Staffs, Special Educators, Physiotherapists, Trainers, School Teachers, Accountants, Drivers, Office Support Staffs etc.

Distribution of Staffs According to Salary Levels as on 31 March 2023

Slab of Gross Salary plus benefits (Rs. per month)	Male Staff	Female Staff	Total Staff
Less than 10,000	115	129	244
10,000 – 25,000	177	63	240
25,000 – 50,000	44	05	49
50,000 – 1,00,000	13	03	16
Greater than 1,00,000	03	00	03
Total	352	200	552

Details of Board Members as on 31 March 2023

Name	Position on Board	No. of Meetings Attended (2022-2023)	Remuneration and reimbursement in Rs. (per month)
Er. Girija Nandan "Girija Satish"	President	11	1,02,641.00
Er. Satish Kumar "Satish Girija"	Secretary	11	89,547.00
Er. Bhagwan Singh	Member	11	Nil
Shri Banwari Kumar	Member	03	8,359.00
Sr. Lily Bahen	Member	00	Nil
Smt. Roshni Dhruv Shah	Member	01	Nil
Shri Tulsi Dubey	Member	11	Nil
Smt. Indira Pradhan	Member	01	Nil
Shri Swaroop Chand Jain	Member	09	Nil

Salaries and benefits of the NGO Head, the highest paid staff member and the lowest paid staff member:

Person	Name	Designation	Remuneration (Rs. Monthly)
Operational Head of the Organization	Shri Girija Nandan "Girija Satish"	President	1,02,641.00
Highest Paid person in the Organization	Dr. Umesh Prasad	Opthalmologist	1,44,000.00
Lowest paid person in the organization	Shri Rajesh Kumar Sharma	Block Coordinator	7,000.00

Total Cost of International Travel by All Personnel (Including Volunteers) and Board Members: Nil Please visit at www.nbjk.org for more Financial Information

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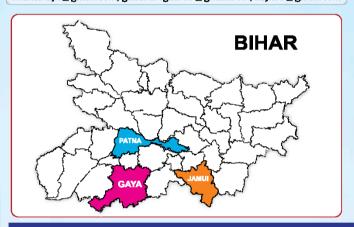
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