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SBI Sanjeevani Clinic on Wheels: Team Orientation Concludes

Hazaribag, 31
August 2026: A
two-day orientation
programme for
healthcare
professionals under
the SBI Sanjeevani
Clinic on Wheels,
supported by SBI

Foundation and implemented by Nav Bharat Jagriti Kendra (NBJK), concluded today.

The programme covers 60 villages across Kunda and Lawalong in Chatra, Poraiyahat in Godda, and Pakuria in Pakur districts, providing free medical consultation, essential diagnostic services and medicines through Mobile Medical Units.

Doctors, lab technicians, pharmacists and drivers participated in sessions on clinical services, medico-legal aspects, data management, community participation, health education, maternal-child-adolescent health, menstrual hygiene, infection prevention, rational drug use, counselling, communication and teamwork.

👉 The orientation strengthened the team's capacity to deliver quality, accessible and community-centred primary healthcare in remote rural areas.

A New Step towards Preventing Avoidable Blindness in Nawada!

Nawada, 23 August 2026: Nav Bharat Jagriti Kendra (NBJK), in collaboration with Sightsavers India and with the support of Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited, has launched a four-year Netra Vasant Programme in Nawada district, Bihar.

The programme aims to strengthen eye health services and contribute towards the prevention of avoidable blindness. The



inaugural programme was jointly attended by Civil Surgeon Dr. Vinod Kumar Chaudhary, ACOMO Dr. Aftab Kaleem, District Immunization Officer Dr. Yogendra Prasad and other distinguished guests. In its first phase, the programme will be implemented in Narhat, Meskaur, Sirdala and Hisua blocks, where systematic outreach screening camps will help connect communities with eye examinations, treatment and referral services.

The LNJP Eye Hospital, Kajha (Wazirganj, Gaya), operated by NBJK, will play a key role in ensuring accessible and quality eye care services.

Together, we are working towards early detection, timely treatment and a future free from avoidable blindness. 🙏🌟



Marking Raksha Bandhan with a Pledge for a Drug-Free India 🌿🇮🇳

Hazaribagh, 20 August 2026: A special Raksha Bandhan, Drug Awareness and Pledge Ceremony was organized at the Coordination Office of Nav Bharat Jagriti Kendra, Amrit Nagar (Hazaribagh), by Prajapita Brahma Kumaris Ishwariya Vishwa Vidyalaya.

On the occasion, BK Rajmati Sister tied Rakhi and applied Tilak to NBJK President Shri Girija Satish and the staff members. She also presented him with a memento in recognition of his

contributions. The participants took a pledge to stay away from all forms of addiction and promote a healthy, positive and value-based lifestyle.

Let us join hands in building a drug-free, aware and developed India. 🇮🇳🌟

🇮🇳 Celebrating India's 80th Independence Day with Pride! 🇮🇳

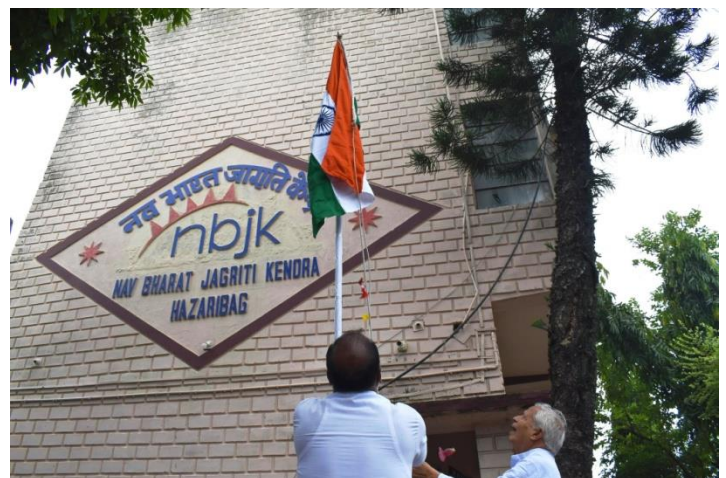
Nav Bharat Jagriti Kendra (NBJK) celebrated the 80th Independence Day with enthusiasm at its Coordination Office, Amrit Nagar, Hazaribagh. 🇮🇳

The national flag was hoisted by Shri Girija Satish, President, NBJK.

Addressing the gathering, Shri Girija Satish called for collective efforts to address the challenges facing India and emphasized the need to build a drug-free society for a brighter future for the younger generation.

Shri Satish Girija, Secretary, NBJK, highlighted the organisation's contributions in education, healthcare, agriculture and livelihoods, while Program Director Shri Gandharv Gaurav urged youth to help eliminate casteism and communalism from society.

Independence Day was also celebrated with active participation at NBJK-run schools, eye hospitals and branch offices. 🇮🇳





✿ From Skill to Self-Reliance: Malti's Inspiring Journey

Golmuri-Jugsalai (East Singhbhum), 12 August 2026: At 21, Malti Singh of Chhota Banki village is an inspiring example of women's empowerment. About a year ago, she joined the Sunahari Jute Bag Production Kendra, established by Nav Bharat Jagriti Kendra (NBJK) under Model Village Project Chhota Banki with support of Cummins India Foundation, where she learned jute bag production and developed leadership, communication and teamwork skills.

Today, Malti earns ₹300–400 per day, supports her college education and contributes to her family's income. She also supervises production and trains SHG members and institutions such as Tata Steel Foundation. Her success is encouraging other women to earn within the village instead of migrating for daily wage work.

"Today I am earning, learning and confident. This centre has given me identity and courage."

✿ World Tribal Day Special | Tribal Women of Khunti Rewrite the Story of Self-Reliance

Khunti, 09 August 2026: On World Tribal Day, the tribal women of Murhu, Khunti, are demonstrating how collective ownership, traditional knowledge and women-led entrepreneurship can transform rural livelihoods.

Promoted by Nav Bharat Jagriti Kendra (NBJK) and Collectives for Integrated Livelihood Initiatives (CINI) – Tata Trusts, the Murhu Nari Shakti Kisan Producer Company Ltd. (MNSKPCL) has enabled more than 3,766 tribal women to become shareholders and owners, while over 8,113 farmers benefit from its services.

✓ The women-led company has grown from a turnover of ₹48 lakh in 2018–19 to ₹6.11 crore in 2025–26, with a target of ₹6.78 crore for 2026–27.

✿ From Kodo millet flour and lac handicrafts to tamarind, fruits, vegetables, livestock and fisheries, traditional knowledge is being transformed into profitable enterprises.

With 4,620 families earning over ₹1.20 lakh annually and 6,690 families engaged in multiple livelihood activities, Murhu's women are proving that when women own, lead and decide, entire communities prosper.





🌿🌟 Empowering Women through the Art of Lac! 🌟🌿

Khunti, 05 August 2026: From raw lac to beautiful handcrafted jewellery, accessories and décor items, the Lac Handicraft Processing Unit under Murhu Nari Shakti Kisan Producer Company Limited (MNSKPCL) is transforming traditional skills into sustainable livelihoods for rural women in Khunti, Jharkhand.

💎 FY 2025–26 Highlights

🌸 Sales worth ₹1.83 lakh

👩👧 Women-led enterprise creating sustainable livelihoods

🌱 Eco-friendly handcrafted products with domestic & export potential

👉 Promoted by NBJK and facilitated by CInI–Tata Trusts, the initiative has grown into a self-sustaining enterprise after its initial support from the ONGC Foundation under the CInI Lakhpati Kisan programme. Together, we are preserving Jharkhand's rich lac heritage while creating brighter economic opportunities for rural women.

🏠 Gandhi House Clinches Girls' Inter-House Basketball Championship! 🏆

Hazaribagh, 03 August 2026: The Girls' Inter-House Basketball Competition at Surekha Prakash Bhai Public School, Bahera (Chouparan, Hazaribagh) concluded with an exciting final.

After defeating Tagore House in the semi-final, Gandhi House faced Subhash House in the title clash. In a closely fought final, Gandhi House emerged victorious with a 12–8 win, lifting the championship trophy. 🏆👏

🌟 Mary Kumari was adjudged Player of the Tournament for her outstanding performance.

Congratulations to the winning team and all participants for their wonderful display of teamwork, discipline and sporting spirit! 🏀

The competition was inaugurated by Principal Ms. Reena Pandey, who later felicitated the winner and runner-up teams with trophies.



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