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NONGSTOIN SOCIAL SERVICE SOCIETY
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ABOUT NSSS

NONGSTOIN SOCIAL SERVICE SOCIETY is a non-profit organization and was registered under the Meghalaya Societies Registration Acts 7, of 1990 on 7th, May, 2007 with its registrar office at Nongstoin West Khasi Hills, Meghalaya, INDIA. Since its inception NSSS is involved in developmental initiatives to reach out to the poor and marginalized of the region. It plays a major role to empower them with knowledge and information and animate them to form people's organization so that they can work for their self development and live a dignified life.

VISION

“We envision a holistically developed society where justice, peace and love reign”

Mission

“Our mission is to empower the people, especially the vulnerable and marginalized section of the society by working in partnership with them through education, animation and formation of people's organization”

FARM NORTHEAST

Sl. No	Date	Activities	Venue	No of Participants
1	23.04.15	Interface of farmers club with KVK	Diengsyiang	23
2	23.04.15	Interface of farmers club - with NABARD	Lumpyngngad	27
3	19.01.16	Celebration of farmers day at Block level	Mawthawphet	56
4	07.05.15	Interface meeting with the departments	Sohparu	28
5	19 Nos of Training	Training on organic farming	16 Villages	428
6	April 15 th Jan 2016	Soil testing and Seed treatment campaign for farmers	17 No of villages	
7	3 Nos	Training on fodder management, feeding practices & fodder treatment / Training on turmeric/mushroom for commercial cultivation	3 Villages	56
8	April 2015 to January, 2016	Promotion of Kitchen garden	19 Villages	20 No of villages
9		Demonstration of terrace cultivation	April 2015 to January, 2016	
10	6 Nos	Training on rights& entitlements and available government schemes	6 Nos of Villages	148 Nos of Participants

Interface meeting with the departments: The Interface meeting with Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Animal Husbandry and Agricultural Departments was held on 07.05.15 at Sohparu, Nongstoin C& RD Block. The meeting was conducted with the aim to increase awareness on different schemes/ benefits that the farmers can tap from the department. The meeting was conducted at the village itself. The Interface meeting also was conducted with NABARD on 23rd April 2015 at Lumpyngad with twenty seven farmers participated in the meeting.

Soil Testing: FARM Project is facilitating soil testing in its Twenty Five (25) Project Areas. The total numbers of sample tested is 589 and the total number of Soil Card received is in 2015-2016.

Demonstration of organic pits: The demonstration training is conducted with the aim to enable the farmer to procure their own manure and promotion of organic farming. The community was contributing in physical construction of organic pit and labour creating a sense of ownership and

sustainability of the project in the long run.

MAHATMA GANDHI NATIONAL RURAL EMPLOYMENT GUARANTEE SCHEME (MGNREGS)

Sl. No	Name of Block	No of Villages Covered	No of Participants presents
1	Mawshynrut C & RD Block	98	2461
2	Nongstoin	375	10420
3	Mawkyrwat C & RD Block	223	5800
4	Ranikor C & RD Block	120	2954
Total		816	21635

Capacity Building of the Project Team under MGNREGS:

Sl. No	Date	Name of Training	No of Staff	Venue	Organizer
1	23 rd - 25 th June 2016	Training on Booking and Format of Social Audit	4	Conference Hall DC Office	MSSAT
2	6 th - 12 th April 2015	Gracious Syiemlieh	Social Audit under MGNREGA	State Institute of Rural Development Assam	Ministry of Rural Development and NIRD Hyderabad
3	26 th February 2016	Gracious Syiemlieh	State Level Workshop on Record Maintenance under MGNREGS	Secretariat Shillong, East Khasi Hills.	State Rural Employment Society (SRES), Shillong.

NATIONAL SECURITY ASSISTANT PROGRAM (NSAP)

Sl. No	Name of Block	No of Villages Covered
1	Nongstoin C & RD Block	30
2	Mairang C & RD Block	30
3	Mawthadraishan C & RD Block	32

4	Mawshynrut C & RD Block	33
5	Mawkyrwat C & RD Block	30
6	Ranikor C & RD Block	26
Total	6 Blocks	181

INTEGRATED BASIN DEVELOPMENT AND LIVELIHOOD PROMOTION PROGRAM (IBDLP)

The IBDLP Program started from May 2015 with the support of Meghalaya Basin Management Agency (MBMA) covering Mairang, Nongstoin C& RD Blocks of West Khasi Hills District and Ranikor C& RD Block of South West Khasi Hills District.

Capacity Building for the Project Team: The Capacity Building Program is planned by MBMA in collaboration with Institute of

Sl. No	Date	Name of Trainings	No of Staff	Venue
1	6-8 th April 2015	Achievement Motivation	5	Moreau Institute of Integral Training, Dhankheti
2	2 nd - 6 th June 2015	Fundamental of Livelihood Promotion I	5	Meghalaya Housing Cooperative, Nongrim Hills
3	20 th - 25 th July 2015	Fundamental of Livelihood Promotion II	5	Meghalaya Housing Cooperative, Nongrim Hills
4	7 th - 8 th August 2015	Focused Behavioral Event Interview (FBEI)	5	Moreau Institute of Integral Training, Dhankheti
5	7 th - 9 th January 2016	Training Methodology	4	Meghalaya Housing Cooperative, Nongrim Hills
6	9 th March 2016	Exposure Visit on Pomgamia Plantation	1	Wahliewlong
7	14 th – 19 th March 2016	Training of Trainers on Springshed Management at SIRD	1	SIRD, Nongsder
8	12 th June 2015	Participating on Compost Development at	1	Umkrem, Mawthadraishan Block

Activities Conducted:

Sl. No	Activities	No of Activities
1	Focused Group Discussion	4
2	Household Port- Folio Mapping	4
3	Market Assessment	6
4	Training Need Assessment	2
5	Case Studies	4
6	Follow up WEEFI Partners	112
7	Follow up Bee keepers	38
8	Registration of partners in EFC	21 Individual and 1 Nos SHG group
9	Convergence Effort	Kiwi Plants with Horticulture
10	Facilitate training on Cooperative	1

Training on Book Keeping for the Cooperative Society: Nongstoin Social Service Society had conducted training on book keeping for the members of ‘Mawiong Women Tailoring Cooperative Society’ on 13th November 2015 in collaboration with Basin Development Unit West Khasi Hills, District Meghalaya. The training was conducted with the aim to enable the members of the society to understand the concept of book keeping, documentation system and make them realize its importance and furthermore to enable them to plan for improvement of their records and book keeping which includes all the important books of record to strengthen their society. The training was facilitated by Smt Genavafa Behphat, Program Manager, NSSS,



Mr. Pynshngain Rymbai, Program Associate MBDA-IRLT and Mr. Archibor Accountant, BDU. The total number of participants was 25, out of which 10 are male and 15 are female.

CHILDLINE

CHILDLINE is a national, 24 x 7 hour, free, emergency phone and outreach service for children in need of care and protection. 1098 is a countdown to a better life of children. Callers at the Helpline number (1098) could be children themselves, concerned individuals like School Teachers, Police, corporate sector etc. However, the CHILDLINE helpline encourages the children to be the primary callers who trust the service and identity with it as their own.



I. CHILDLINE NSSS Mass Awareness Programme: To sensitize the people on the function of CHILDLINE 1098 at Nongstoin West Khasi Hills District, CHILDLINE Nongstoin Social Service Society conducted 8 Mass Awareness programmes in the villages. The people were sensitized on how to identify issues relating to children. The team also distributed pamphlets to disseminate

information on CHILDLINE Services.



Nondein village

Sl. No	Date	Name of Village
1		Mawthawphet
2		Rambrai Village
3		Farmer's group and SHG members
4		RSETI, Nongstoin
5		Spengthawlangmlah, New Nongstoin
6		Mawkynjoin village
7		K.J.P Higher Secondary School Upper New Nongstoin
8		St. Xavier's Secondary Morning School New Nongstoin

ii) School Outreach Program:

In order to reach out to a large number of Children, the CHILDLINE NSSS is organising Outreach program for the students. The students were oriented on the significant role of



St. Peter's Higher Secondary School

CHILDLINE to protect the Children's Right. Around 1161 students participated in 8 numbers of programmes. Students actively participate in the programme and are willing to inform or help others, to use the CHILDLINE service through 1098

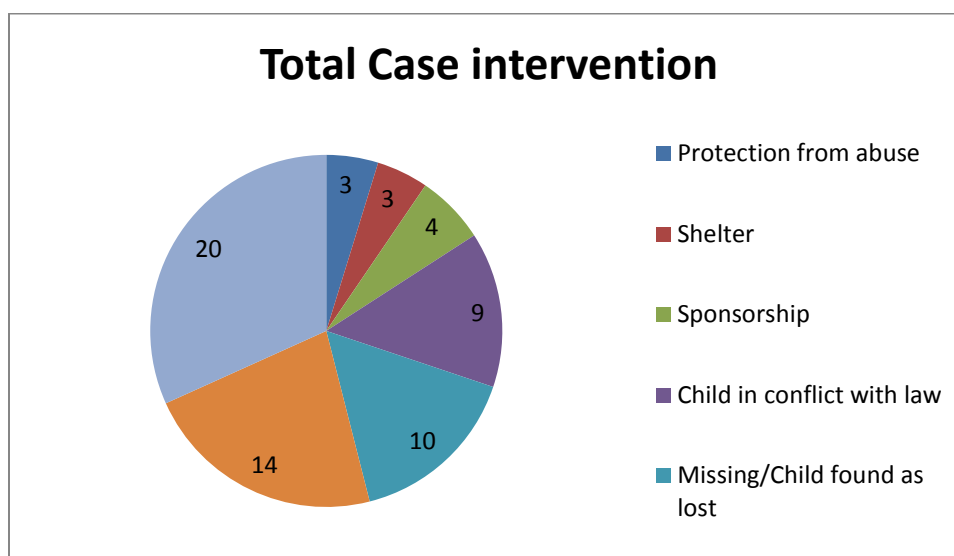
Sl. No	Name of School
List of Open House in School	
1	B.M Press Higher Secondary School, Nongstoin
2	Christ Disciple School, Mawkawah
3	Free Morning School, New Nongstoin
4	JJM Higher Secondary School, Nongstoin
5	Nongstoin College, Nongstoin
6	St. Francis D'Assisi Higher Secondary School, Siejlieh
7	St. Peter's Higher Secondary School, Pyndengrei
8	RiLyngngam Secondary School, Nongstoin
9	St. Xavier's secondary School, New Nongstoin

III. Open House: The open House was conducted on 5th March, 2016 at Bishop's Hall. 35 children participated in the programme. The Programme was conducted to enable the children to understand the message on CHILDLINE 1098 service. Movies related to child labour, orphan age, out of school children, Rights of children on wages and Abuse was shown to the children. Action Songs and interaction were also part of the programme. During the programme the children shared many issues affecting at large such as cleanliness, family crisis, etc. A logical conclusion of the open House was to take a possible decision to address the identified issues. It was planned to conduct a cleaning drive in which the participants from schools, colleges, Govt departments and the individuals would be invited. The programme was successful and ended with light refreshment.

IV. Celebration of World Day against Child Labour: CHILDLINE Nongstoin Social Service Society in collaboration with the District Task Force West Khasi Hills District conducted an awareness programme to celebrate the World Day against Child Labour. Around 100 participated in the programme included the Officers from different Government departments, Corporate sectors, Local NGO's office of the kingship of Nongstoin and the individuals as well. The theme of the programme was 'No' to child labour and 'Yes' to quality education.

V. Operation Suskaan: To improve in wellbeing of children in difficult circumstances and also seek to reduce vulnerabilities to situation and action that lead to abuse, neglect, employment abandonment and separation of children from families. Under the Integrated Child Protection Scheme there is a system for Tracking “Missing” and found support of the National Informatic Centre and has develop a portal “Tract Child”. Members from CHILDLINE constituted as members of joint Team Operation for West Khasi Hills District and South West Khasi Hills District. with the help of this portal Join Team Operation of the Districts conducted an awareness programme for villages, search drive in Shelter home, Bus stands, Market area like restaurants/ shops and roads.

CHILDLINE Nongstoin calls statistics from April, 2015 to March 2016:



Capacity Building Program for Project Team:

Sl. No	Date	Name of Capacity Building	No of Staff	Venue
1	15 th & 16 th July, 2015	Workshop on Child right/Child Protection/ Juvenile Justice Act and POCSO Act conducted by the State Child Protection Society Unit		State convention hall shilling
2	8 th -9 th September, 2015	Capacity Building for the CHILDLINE Team Nongstoin and Role of ICPS, JJA and Pocso Act.	9 Nos	NSSS Hall
3	12 th -15 th May, 2015	Orientation Programme on Child Rights and Child Protection for Functionaries of Voluntary Organizations being organized by NIPCCD, Regional Centre,	1	NIPCCD,

4	18 December, 2015	Orientation on CHILDLINE	9 Nos	CHILDLINE BIDS
5	14 th - 18 th March, 2016	In-House Training for CHILDLINE Team	9 Nos	NSSS Hall
6	29th-06-2015	Deitilin Kharjahirin	Operation Muskaan	Police Training Hall Mawroh

COMMUNITY BASED REHABILITATION PROGRAM

Capacity Building for the Project Team: The CBR Forum is regularly organizing training for the project team to enhance the capacity of the team in implementation of the project and equip the team with the right skill in facilitating the people with disability.

Sl. No	Date	No of Staff	Name of Training	Venue	Organizer
1	15 th -17 th June 2016	1	Northeast CBR Workshop	NEDSSS Guwahati	CBR Forum
2	18 th -29 th July 2016	1	CBR Coordinotor	Bethany Society	CBR Forum
3	22 nd -27 th July 2016	1	Need based Training	NSSS	CBR Forum
4	16 th -17 th Sept 2016	1	Training of Trainers	Bosco Reach Out Guwahati	CBR Bangalore
5	19 th -21 st Sept 2016	1	CBR Coordinator Training	ZEP- Aizawl	National Institute for Empowerment of PWDs and Perkin Vocies and Vision India Mumbai.
6	10 th -11 th March 2016	1		Mumbai	

REGIONAL ACTION FOR INITIATING SAFETY AND EMPOWERMENT OF WOMEN, IN NORTHEAST

NSSS has conducted one day workshop on Gender Mainstreaming for Priest and Religious and two days for the Youth of the Dioceses of Nongstoin. The workshop is conducted with the support of North East Diocesan Social Service Society (NEDSSS) with the aim to streamline gender empowerment in all the sectors of society including the church institution so



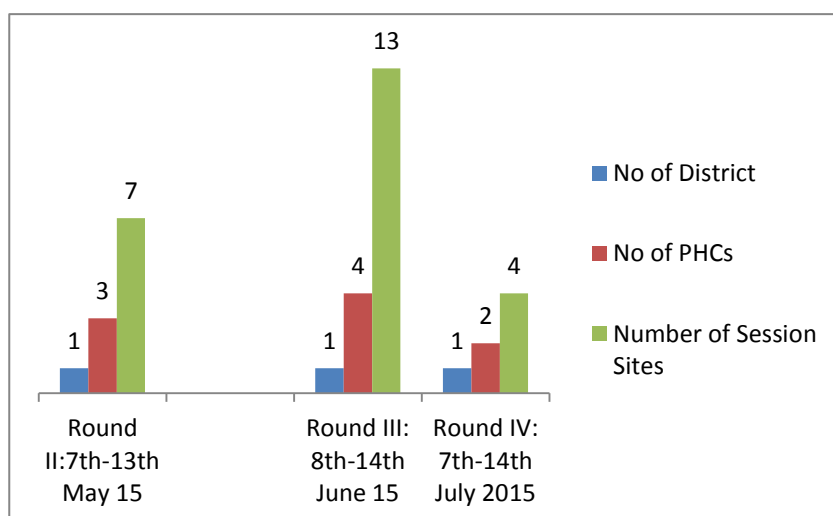
that they can contribute to achieve gender equality in the society. The workshop is divided into two parts where one day was separately conducted for the priest and two days for the youth. This was done so enable the youth to actively participate and contribute to the expected learning outcomes of the workshop. The workshop was facilitated by Smt. Genavafa Behphat Program Manager, NSSS. The total number of priest and religious were 44, out of which 18 female and 26 males and the Youth of Diocese were 32, out of which 16 were female and 16 were females.

MISSION INDRADHANUSH

Nongstoin Social Service Society (NSSS) involve in monitoring and follow up the immunization program of Mission Indradhanush Phase II, III and IV in West Khasi Hills District, Meghalaya. The monitoring and follow up process consisting of interaction with the Head of the PHC and site visit. The monitoring and follow up of Phase II started from 7th-14th July 2015; Phase III started from and Phase IV started from to 2015. The “Mission Indradhanush” is launched on 25 December 2014 to achieve more than 90% full immunization coverage in the country by 2020. This initiative is a strategic endeavour that eventually close immunity gaps and strengthen immunization coverage.

The follow up and monitoring process was conducted at District level communication monitoring, PHC/ Planning Unit level communication monitoring and Session Site level communication monitoring with the help of defined tool. The defined tool capture most of the input, process & output indicators related to communication initiatives for Routine Immunization and Mission Indradhanush. The major aspects of information collected are:-

- ✓ Status of all planned IEC/BCC activities mentioned in state/district communication plan
- ✓ Progress of various IEC/BCC activities at a particular time and at a particular implementation level
- ✓ Status of capacity building activities as per the training plan



- ✓ Status of dissemination (achieved against planned) and stock position of IEC material at various levels, i.e. state; district; block
- ✓ Status of planned initiatives related to advocacy, coordination, convergence, etc

OTHER PROGRAMS CONDUCTED

Workshop on Peace Building for Priest and Religious: The peace building workshop was organized from 5th-6th August 2015 at Diocese Hall for the priest and religious of Nongstoin Diocese with the support of North East Diocesan Social Service Society (NEDSSS), Guwahati. The aim of the workshop was to introduce the participants the concept of peace and its dynamic, Role of Priest and Religious in peace building and how to streamlining peace building in the church's structure, organizations, institutions and different commissions. The sessions were given by Most. Rev. Archbishop Thomas Menampampil having a vast experience in peace initiatives and peace building and Fr. Richard Iawphniaw, Director NSSS. The participants were the parish priests of different parishes and representatives of different congregations situated in the Diocese of Nongstoin. The total number of participants was 50



Observance of 26th June as “International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking”: As part of observing the International Day, the Nongstoin Social Service Society conducted Awareness Programme of Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking on 3rd July 2015 at St. Xavier Secondary School, New Nongstoin. The program aims at imparting knowledge to the youth about the danger of drugs and problems associated with drugs. Ms. Genavafa Behphat, Program Manager and Mrs. Jenita Lyngdoh Marshillong Coordinator of NSSS facilitated the awareness programme. The student of SaintXavier's from class VI to class X, 3 teachers and headmistress participated in the program. The total numbers of students are Ninety (90). The students expressed their like of the programme and wish to have one of different types of awareness in a near future.

CAPACITY BUILDING OF NSSS TEAM

Sl. No	Date	Name	Name of Training	Venue	Organizer
1	3 rd -5 th November 2016	Richmond J. Syiemlieh	Soil and Moisture Management	ICAR	ICAR
2	26 th April-11 th May 2015	Roseline L. Marshyllong	Development Dynamic Course	NEDSSS	NEDSSS
3	29 th February-6 th March 2016	Lapynshai Khardewsaw	Solid Liquid and Resource Management (SRLM)	Trysem Hall, DC Office West Khasi Hills District	BDU, West Khasi Hills District
4	12 th -15 th May 2015	Adventure Behphat	Child Right and Child Protection Rights	NIPCCD-Guwahati	

AS ON 31ST MARCH 2016

Sl. No	Name of the Post	Female	Male	Total Number
1	Program Manager	1		1
2	Project Coordinator	3	2	5
3	Accountant	1	1	2
4	Field Staff	14	7	21
5	Driver		1	1
Total Number of Staff		19	11	30