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Ernakulam, Kochi, Kerala, India

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Message from Director

Fr. Dr. Jose Kuriedath CMI

Only the wise and kind shall make the best use of Philanthropy in supporting the needy. Since the commencement of the organization, Rajagiri outREACH has never missed an opportunity to serve society in the best way possible. We gracefully thank God Almighty for the strength bestowed on us to reach out to the needy through numerous endeavours. With the perspective of empowering the vulnerable, Rajagiri outREACH was able to contribute and uplift the community through well-planned developmental initiatives.

The unending support and appreciation of our well-wishers and beneficiaries added to our desire to serve, provide and support lives. I take this opportunity to express our heartfelt gratitude to the Central and State Governments, Sponsors, Corporates, Well-wishers and Partners for their efforts, continued support and contributions. Rajagiri outREACH wishes to remain an asset to society, nurturing the lives with love and compassion.



Message from CEO

Dr. Binoy Joseph

Rajagiri outREACH, as the name upholds the goal of reaching out to the needy, has been continuing the interventions in all spheres of life despite being in the post-pandemic phase. The preceding year focused on the holistic development of the community along with extending psychosocial support to stride the effects and impacts of the pandemic. Since the focus was laid on empowering the vulnerable population, Rajagiri outREACH paved the path to empowerment through the amalgamation of numerous interventions. The success rate of the implemented projects and programmes as well as the appreciation we received from the well-wishers and beneficiaries, would be an added fuel for future initiatives.

I take this opportunity to express our sincere gratitude for the immense support extended by our Sponsors, Partners, and Well-wishers during the years 2022–23. We look forward to their continued patronage, as we humbly accept the fact that whatever we have achieved is due to the trust they have showered on Rajagiri outREACH.

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YEAR OF ESTABLISHMENT 1982

Registered under: Travancore – Cochin Literary, Scientific & Charitable Societies
Registration Act XII of 1955

Establishment Started: 1982

**Registration Number & Year of Registration as Rajagiri outREACH
Society: ER: 157/02 Dated 27-03-2002**

FCRA Registration No: 052850501(Valid from 01-11-2016)

**Exemption under 80 G (5) of the IT Act
Unique Registration Number: AAATR5978CF20213
(Valid From AY 2022-23 to AY 2026- 2027)**

GSTIN: 32AAATR5978C1ZI

**CSR Registration No. CSR00011814 (From Ministry of Corporate
Affairs, GOI)**

VISION

To become a centre par excellence of learning, unique in experience, value based in its approach and pioneering in its efforts for enriching and fulfilling LIFE.

MISSION

To facilitate comprehensive and integrated development of individuals, to effectively function as social beings, imbued with righteousness and courage of conviction.

RAJAGIRI outREACH PROGRAMMES



Social Impact Assessment & Need Assessment Studies



Research, Training & Consultancy



Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Projects



Child Centered Programmes



Programmes for Women Empowerment



Programmes for Elders



Programmes for Environment Protection



Programmes for Community Health



Student Internship



Staff



Jal Jeevan Mission Project



Expert Committee Meeting

OBJECTIVES

- To organize developmental projects in the area of community development, education, health, sanitation etc., and implements rural development programmes in various villages in India for the development of marginalized section of the society.
- To create awareness among people in the area of gender justice and empowerment of women and other weaker sections of the society through various awareness generation and action oriented programmes.
- To undertake experiments and research in the area of social work, identify alternative & sustainable development models and appropriate technologies.
- To undertake programmes for environmental protection and preservation of bio-diversity with special focus on rare medicinal plants and use of herbal medicine in communities.
- To work for the welfare of farmers and agricultural workers and to develop model farms and eco-friendly farming practices.
- To organize training programmes for entrepreneurship development for poverty alleviation and employment generation.
- To conduct Social Impact Assessment Studies as per the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013.
- To undertake Need Assessment Studies.
- To ensure holistic development of the Child from poor socio-economic background through Child Education Scholarship Programme.
- To support meritorious students from underprivileged families for higher education.
- To empower Women by creating an Entrepreneurship and strengthening their skills.
- To implement the CSR activities of various Corporates.
- To integrate the Elderly with the community by providing non-institution and community based services (CBS).
- To create awareness among Migrant Labourers about prevention of HIV/AIDS/STDS through medical camps and related activities.
- To sensitize the Society about child rights and the need to protect the children.
- To provide opportunities for the Students to do Internship in the organization and to get expertise in the various fields of social work.
- To organize Training for various groups for human resource development in school, colleges and communities.
- To promote World Peace and Religious Harmony through inter religion dialogue and consultation.
- To facilitate Field Based Studies, Action Research and involvement of Social Work Students in the various programmes and projects of outREACH.
- To spread awareness on disaster preparedness during the time of COVID-19 and natural calamities like flood and provide psychosocial support and rehabilitation for those who are in need.

- To provide psycho-social support for children in conflict with law and survivors of child sexual abuse and child in need of care and protection.
- To spread awareness on prevention of Substance use in Community settings and also to rehabilitate the Drug users.
- To provide Consultancy in Waste Management.
- To act as the Implementation Supporting Agency (ISA) of Jal Jeevan Mission project which aimed at providing Functional Household Tap Connections in all the rural households in various panchayats in Idukki, Ernakulam and Thrissur districts.
- To do all other lawful acts, deeds and things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above subjects or any of them and to the moral, social, educational and welfare for the people in India irrespective of Cast, Creed, Race or Religion.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We wish to place on record the names of those institutions and individuals who have given us considerable support and assistance, and have extended invaluable guidance and goodwill to Rajagiri outREACH during its course of activities in the year 2022-2023.

- Rev. Dr. Fr. Benny Nalkara CMI, Provincial, Sacred Heart Province
- Rev. Dr. Fr. Jose Kuriedath CMI, Director, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences
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- Rev. Fr. Francis Sebastian CMI, Assistant Professor, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences
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- Rev. Fr. Paul CMI, Chairman, Sahrudaya Services and Charity
- Dr. Manoj Mathew, Controller of Examination, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences
- Ministry of Women and Child Development, Govt. of India
- Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India
- Ministry of Jalshakti, Water Resource Department, Government of India
- Director of National Institute of Social Defence (NISD), New Delhi
- Secretary & Director of Department of Social Justice, Govt. Kerala Thiruvananthapuram
- Secretary & Director of Women and Child Development, Thiruvananthapuram, Govt. of Kerala
- Secretary, Revenue (B) Department, Govt. of Kerala
- District Collectors of 14 Districts in Kerala
- Deputy Collectors (LA) of 14 Districts of Kerala
- All Local Self Governments of Kerala
- District Tribal Development Office, Ernakulam
- Suchitwa Mission and Haritha Keralam Mission, Govt. of Kerala
- National AIDS Control Organization, Government of India
- Kerala State AIDS Control Society, Govt. of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
- UNICEF and Childline India Foundation
- District Child Protection Unit of 14 Districts, Kerala
- Kerala Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Agency, Govt. of Kerala
- Kerala Water Authority, Government of Kerala
- Department of Power, Government of Kerala & Energy Management Centre
- National Commission for Women – Research & Study Cell, Govt. of India, New Delhi
- All Print and Electronic Media
- All Department Heads, Faculties and Non-teaching Staff of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences
- Live Labs in Rajagiri for their supportive role

- Organic Kerala Trust, Ernakulam
- Our CSR Partners - Geojit Financial Services, Sud-Chemie India Pvt. Ltd., Carborundum Universal Ltd. (CUMI), K.P. Paul Foundation, Manjilas Food Tech Pvt. Ltd. (Double Horse), ITC Rural Development Trust, Kolkata, Cochin Shipyard Limited, Malayala Manorama, Indian Oil Corporation Ltd. (IOCL), Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd. (BPCL), Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd. (HPCL)
- Our Child Scholarship Partners - CASP, TdH – Denmark, Kinder for Kinder – KELI – Switzerland, Joy For Kids, Belgium
- Our Higher Education Scholarship Partners - Rajan and Grace Foundation, Kinder for Kinder – a project of KELI - Switzerland, SRAMPUT (Sri Ramuni Paniker Udbodhan Trust), Sud-Chemie (India) Pvt. Ltd., GSF (George and Sushila Foundation), Prof. Fons Vandormael – Belgium, Mr. Jeff & Mr. Sam Mathew
- Rotary Club Kalamassery
- Rajagiri Group of Institutions, NGOs and all Individual Sponsors
- Rajagiri Staff Welfare Association, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous)
- Management and Staff of Rajagiri outREACH who have been our constant source of inspiration

CREDENTIALS OF RAJAGIRI outREACH

Rajagiri outREACH is empanelled as State and District Level Social Impact Assessment Study Unit as per (RFCTLAR&R Act 2013)

State Level Empanelment

- State Level Social Impact Assessment Study Unit for Conducting Social Impact Assessment Study issued by Revenue (B) Department, Govt. of Kerala vide order No.G.O. (Rt) No.5182/2017/RD dated 01.12.2017 as per Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act 2013 (RFCTLAR&R Act).

District Level Empanelment

- Ernakulam District Level Social Impact Assessment Study Unit for Conducting Social Impact Assessment Study issued by District Collector, Ernakulam vide order No.C8-66661/2016(2) dated 28.11.2016 as per RFCTLARR Act 2013.
- Idukki District Level Social Impact Assessment Study Unit for Conducting Social Impact Assessment Study issued by District Collector, Idukki vide order No.C7-49761/2015 dated 20.02.2017 as per RFCTLARR Act 2013.
- Palakkad District Level Social Impact Assessment Study Unit for Conducting Social Impact Assessment Study issued by District Collector, Palakkad vide order No.C5-DCPKD/1658/2018 dated 28.09.2018 as per RFCTLARR Act 2013.
- Pathanamthitta District Level Social Impact Assessment Study Unit for Conducting Social Impact Assessment Study issued by District Collector, Pathanamthitta vide order No.C2-19948/2014 dated 01.04.2019 as per RFCTLARR Act 2013.
- Kottayam District Level Social Impact Assessment Study Unit for Conducting Social Impact Assessment Study issued by District Collector, Kottayam vide order No.G1-1593/16 dated 16.10.2018 as per RFCTLARR Act 2013.
- Alappuzha District Level Social Impact Assessment Study Unit for Conducting Social Impact Assessment Study issued by District Collector, Alappuzha vide order No.G1-35625/13 dated 24.12.2018 as per RFCTLARR Act 2013.
- Thrissur District Level Social Impact Assessment Study Unit for Conducting Social Impact Assessment Study issued by District Collector, Thrissur vide order No.E3-42948/2016 (1) dated 15.01.2018 as per RFCTLARR Act 2013.

Other Empanelment of Rajagiri outREACH

Kaval Programme Ernakulam

- Empanelled as an NGO by the Department of Women and Child Development Govt. of Kerala as per the order No. ICPS 3/9665/17 (1) dated 05/10/2017 to implement the Kaval Project in Ernakulam District. Kaval is the programme initiated by Women and Child Development Department, Govt. of Kerala in order to provide Psychosocial Care and Support for the children in conflict with law.

Kaval Programme Thrissur

- Empanelled as an NGO by the Department of Women and Child Development Govt. of Kerala as per the order No. ICPS 3/684/20 (1) dated 14/09/2020 to implement the Kaval Project in Thrissur District. Kaval is the programme initiated by Women and Child Development Department, Govt. of Kerala in order to provide Psychosocial Care and Support for the children in conflict with the law.

Kaval Plus Programme Ernakulam

- Empanelled as an NGO by the Department of Women and Child Development Govt. of Kerala as per Order No. D C P U/E/1132/21 dated 27.07.2021 to implement Kaval Plus Programme in Ernakulam District. Kaval Plus is the programme initiated by the Department of Women and Child Development, Govt. of Kerala, in order to provide Community Based Rehabilitation of Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse & Community Based Rehabilitation and Reintegration of Children in Need of Care and Protection.

Kaval Plus Programme Thrissur

- Empanelled as an NGO by the Department of Women and Child Development Govt. of Kerala as per Order No. GO (Rt) No. 190/2022/WCDD dated 30.04.2022 to implement Kaval Plus Programme in Thrissur District. Kaval Plus is the programme initiated by the Department of Women and Child Development, Govt. of Kerala, in order to provide “Community Based Rehabilitation and Reintegration of Children in Need of Care and Protection”.

Haritha Sahaya Sthapanam

- Empanelled as Haritha Sahaya Sthapanam for Consultancy Services in Waste Management for Local bodies in Vazhakkulam and Vypin blocks of Ernakulam District as per the order No. H.K.M/A2/625/18 dated 27.03.2018 by Haritha Keralam Mission, Govt. of Kerala.
- Empanelment of Haritha Sahaya Sthapanam of Rajagiri outREACH, has been renewed by Nava Keralam Karmapadhathi – Haritha Keralam Mission – Suchitwamalinya Samskarana Upamission, Govt. of Kerala, vide order number H.K.M./A2/625/18 dated 19.02.2022.

Zero Waste Management

- Empanelled for developing Model Zero Waste Management for Local Self Government Institutions by Suchitwa Mission, Govt. of Kerala vide order No. 463/C6/2017/S.M dated 28.03.2017.

House Hold Solid Waste Management

- Empanelled as Service Provider for Household Solid Waste Management by the Department of Local Self Government, Govt. of Kerala vide order No. 1826/2016/ തിരുവനന്തപുരം dated 02.06.2016.

House Hold and Community Level Mobilization for Solid Waste Management

- Empanelled as Service Provider for Household and Community Level Mobilization for Local Self Government Institutions Waste management vide order No. 191/C2/2008/S.M dated 17.08.2015 by Suchitwa Mission, Govt. of Kerala.

Community Mobilization Activities for Scientific Solid Waste Management

- Empanelled by Suchitwa Mission, Govt. of Kerala, for organizing Community Mobilization activities in Local Self Government for Scientific Solid Waste Management vide order No. 3510/G/2015/S.M dated 27.03.2017.

Jalanidhi Project

- Empanelled as supporting organization by Kerala Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Agency (KRWSA) Govt. of Kerala vide order No. 1551/OP/10/KRWSA dated 27.07.2011 to implement Jalanidhi Project in 4 Grama Panchayats, which are Kunnanthanam (Pathanamthitta Dt.), Arakkulam (Idukki Dt.), Puthenchira and Annamanada (Thrissur District).

Jal Jeevan Mission Project

- Rajagiri outREACH is empanelled as Implementation Support Agency for implementation of Jal Jeevan Mission Project by Ministry of Jal Sakthi (Water Resources), Government of India and Kerala State Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Agency (KRWSA) & Kerala Water Authority, Government of Kerala vide Order No. DB-4243/19 dated 07.06.2021 to implement Jal Jeevan Projects at 10 different Panchayats in Ernakulam, Thrissur and Idukki District. (Aikkaranadu, Mookkannoor, Okkal, Kunnathunad, Kunnukara and Karumalloor in Ernakulam District; Kattoor & Karalam in Thrissur District and Udumbanoor and Arakulam in Idukki District.

Childline

- Empanelled as Supporting Organization of Childline India Foundation in Malappuram District as per the Agreement.

Kerala State Planning Board Accreditation

- Empanelled as Consultant in the area of Social Welfare and Education by Kerala State Planning Board vide order No. 7820/11-12/EV/RO/SPB dated 07.05.2015.

NGO Accreditation by Social Justice Department

- Empanelled as an Accredited NGO by Social Justice (C) Department Govt. of Kerala vide order No. G.O.(Rt) No. 111/2016/SJD dated 25.02.2016.

Suraksha Migrant Project at Kalamassery and Perumbavoor in Ernakulam District

- Empanelled Agency for implementing Suraksha Migrant Project in Ernakulam District (in Kalamassery and Perumbavoor) as per the agreement between Rajagiri outREACH and Kerala State AIDS Control Society and National AIDS Control Organization to prevent HIV/AIDS among migrant labourers.

Best Performing Project Certificate from Kerala State AIDS Control Society Govt. of Kerala

- Rajagiri outREACH Suraksha Migrant Project Perumbavoor has been selected as the best performing project in the state of Kerala by National AIDS control organisation and Kerala State AIDS Control Society based on annual review of TI Projects as per NACO guidelines during the year 2019-2020.

Green Protocol Certificate

- Rajagiri outREACH was awarded Certificate of Appreciation by District Administration of Ernakulam for implementing “Green Protocol” during Haritha Souhardha Onam 2017.

UNICEF Post Flood Monitoring Agency

- UNICEF entrusted Rajagiri outREACH to monitor the post flood activities supported by UNICEF through NGOs in four districts of Kerala during the period from September 15, 2018 to January 15, 2019.

Outreach Drop In Centre (ODIC) and Community Based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI)

- Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment Govt. of India, entrusted Rajagiri outREACH to implement ODIC and CPLI Projects in Ernakulam and Kozhikode district, respectively, for Substance Use Prevention in Community Setting.

ABOUT RAJAGIRI outREACH

(RAJAGIRI COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, KALAMASSERY, KOCHI, KERALA)

Rajagiri outREACH (Rajagiri Educational Alternatives and Community Health) Service Society is the Professional Service Wing of **Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery**, and is registered under the Travancore-Cochin Literary, Scientific & Charitable Societies Registration Act XII of 1955.

RAJAGIRI outREACH - Rajagiri Educational Alternatives and Community Health (outREACH) Service Society was established in the year 1982 and has been registered in 2002. Rajagiri outREACH holds FCRA registration (No.052850501) and Exemption under 80G (5) (vi) of the IT Act (CIT/ CHN/ 12A/ Tech-11/2002-03), GST etc. RAJAGIRI outREACH is Accredited / Supported by and Affiliated to and Associated with various States, National and International organizations. RAJAGIRI outREACH is an NGO empanelled by the Social Justice Department, Suchithwa Mission-Government of Kerala, Revenue Department for conducting Social Impact Assessment Studies, Kerala State AIDS Control Society (KSACS) and National AIDS Control Organization, Haritha Keralam Mission and Kerala Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Agency (K.R.W.S.A), Department of Women and Child Development Govt. of Kerala, National Institute of Social Defence, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Govt. of India, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of India.

Programmes and Services provided by Rajagiri outREACH:

- Social Impact Assessment Studies
- Need Assessment Studies
- Research Studies, Training and Consultancy, Capacity Building
- Corporate Social Responsibilities (CSR) Projects
- Child Centered Programmes - Child Scholarship / Higher Education Scholarship / Child Rights and Human Rights / Education programmes / Childline Support Services / Career Guidance Camps / Souhrudam Camp / Parent Awareness Events / Parent Management Training / Life Skill Training
- Kaval Programme - Child in Conflict with Law
- Kaval Plus Programme - Community Based Rehabilitation of Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse & Community Based Rehabilitation and Reintegration of Children in Need of Care and Protection
- Crèches for Children
- Women Entrepreneurship Programmes / Empowerment
- Day Care Centre for the Elderly - Geriatric Services / Programmes
- Programmes for Community Health / Community Health Insurance Scheme / Community Development
- Prevention of HIV/AIDS among Migrant Labours / Suraksha Migrant Projects of Kerala State AIDS Control Society
- Jalanidhi Projects
- Community Outreach Events
- Natural Resource Management, Energy Conservation and Environmental Protection

- Disaster Management
- Consultancy in Waste management and preparation of Detailed Project Report for Local Self Government
- Substance use prevention in Community setting
- Students Internship
- Post Flood Relief Activities
- Jal Jeevan Mission Projects in 10 Panchayats
- COVID – 19 Relief Activities
- Road Safety and First Aid Awareness Programme

The implementation of the programme always comprises of a participatory approach with the involvement of the beneficiary community.

1. SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STUDIES

Rajagiri outREACH has been empanelled as a Social Impact Assessment Study Unit for conducting SIA studies as per The Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act 2013. Rajagiri outREACH is empanelled by Kerala State Revenue (B) Department to conduct Social Impact Studies at State Level and is also empanelled by the District Administration of Pathanamthitta, Kottayam, Idukki, Alappuzha, Ernakulam, Thrissur and Palakkad District to conduct District Level SIA Studies as per Sub-Section (I) of Section 4 of the RFCTLAR&R Act 2013. The SIA Study includes the Survey of the affected persons, Public-Hearing meetings and eventually to submit the report to the concerned District Collectors, Requiring Bodies and other officials after incorporating the comments received from the affected families and the authorities.

Rajagiri outREACH is Empanelled as a State Level Social Impact Assessment Study Unit by Revenue (B) Department, Govt. of Kerala & 7 Districts.
91 Studies were Conducted/Sanctioned in all 14 Districts of Kerala State

Since November 2016, **Ninety One (91) Social Impact Assessment Studies** have been entrusted by Revenue (B) Department, Government of Kerala and District Administration, to Rajagiri outREACH. During this reporting period, **12 SIA Studies were sanctioned** out of which **3 State Level Studies** were sanctioned. **10 SIA Studies** have been completed and the Final Reports have been submitted before the Revenue (B) Department, Government of Kerala and concerned District Administration. **13 Public Hearings** were held in various districts during this period. **125 SIA Proposals for New Bids** were submitted. A brief summary of different SIA studies conducted in the reporting year of 2022-2023, is furnished below:

1. A. STATE LEVEL EMPANELMENT AS SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STUDY UNIT

RAJAGIRI outREACH is empanelled as a State Level Social Impact Assessment Unit as per the G.O. (Rt.) No. 5182/2017/RD dated 01/12/2017 by Revenue (B) Department, Government of Kerala as per The Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act 2013.

1.B. DISTRICT LEVEL EMPANELMENT AS SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STUDY UNIT

RAJAGIRI outREACH is empanelled by District Collectors as Social Impact Assessment Unit for conducting the District Level SIA Studies in 7 Districts, viz., Pathanamthitta, Kottayam, Idukki, Alappuzha, Ernakulam, Thrissur and Palakkad.

1.C. PUBLIC HEARING OF SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STUDIES

1. Land Acquisition for the Construction of Kalady New Bridge in Chelamattom and Kalady Villages of Aluva Taluk in Ernakulam District

The Public hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Kalady New Bridge in Chelamattom and Kalady Villages of Aluva Taluk in Ernakulam District, was held at Okkal Grama Panchayat Hall on June 7, 2022. Shri. Eldhose Kunnappilly, MLA, Perumbavoor, inaugurated the public hearing, and the presidential address was delivered by Shri. Manoj Thottappilly, President of Okkal Grama Panchayat. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Chairperson, SIA Unit, gave an introductory speech, which was followed by Shri. M P Antony, President, Kalady Grama Panchayat, who gave the felicitation address. The affected family members, Officers from the Land Acquisition Office, Requiring Body Officials from PWD (Bridges Division) and Representatives of Social Impact Assessment Unit from Rajagiri outREACH were the participants in the public hearing.

Ward members, politicians, and community leaders from Okkal and Kalady Grama Panchayats spoke at the Public Hearing as well. Shri. C. P. Biju, Development Officer, SIA Unit, delivered the welcome speech, and Shri. K.O. Varghese, Research Investigator proposed the vote of thanks. Shri. V. S. Vinayan, Research Associate, presented a draft report of the SIA Study, during which Special Tahsildar (LA), Aluva, and Executive Engineer, PWD, clarified the concerns and queries of the public.



Public Hearing- SIA for Land Acquisition for the Construction of Kalady New Bridge in Chelamattom and Kalady Villages of Aluva Taluk in Ernakulam District was held on 07.06.2022

2. Construction of 350 mts of Road from Moolampilly-Pizhala Connectivity Bridge to Pizhala Road in Kadamakudy Village of Ernakulam District

Construction of 350 mts of Road from Moolampilly-Pizhala Connectivity Bridge to Pizhala Road in Kadamakudy Village of Ernakulam District was held on 15th June 2022 at 11.00 am at Pizhala St.Francis Xavier's Church. Smt. Mary Vincent, President, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayat inaugurated the public hearing. Mr.Biju C.P. welcomed the gathering. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Chaired the hearing and gave an introduction about the purpose of the public hearing. Followed by the SIA draft report presentation done by Mrs. Maria Tency. The affected people and LSG representatives shared their queries about the acquisition. Mrs. Lekha.N., Special Tahsildar and Mr. Thomas A.J., Liaison Officer, GIDA, had replied regarding the acquisition procedures. Mr. Vipin Raj, Vice President, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath and the ward members namely Mrs. Lisamma Jacob, Mrs. Jiya Santhosh and Mrs. Rajani Pradeepkumar shared their views. The officials from Special Tahsildar's office and Kadamakudy Grama panchayat were also present in the hearing. Mr. Ranjith K.U. extended the vote of thanks to the participants and officials.



Public hearing for SIA study on the Land Acquisition for the Construction of 350 mts of Road from Moolampilly-Pizhala Connectivity Bridge to Pizhala Road in Kadamakudy Village of Ernakulam District was held on 15th June 2022 at 11.00 am at Pizhala St.Francis Xavier's Church.

3. Land Acquisition for the Construction of Railway Over Bridge in lieu of Railway L.C. No. 15 between Mulamgunnathukavu and Punkunnam Stations in Pottoor Village, Thrissur Taluk in Thrissur District

A Public Hearing was held on 15.07.2022 at G.P. Hall Kolazhy, as part of the SIA study of the Land acquisition for ROB Mulankunnathukavu. Smt.Lakshmi Viswambharan, President, Kolazhy Grama Panchayath presided over the meeting. Smt. Usha Ravindran and Smt. Beena Radhakrishnan, the members of the Kolazhy GP were also present. Mr. Biju gave an introduction on the Public hearing. The draft report of the SIA was presented by Mrs. Maria Tency. Mr. Haridasan, Deputy General Manager, KRDC and Smt. Jyothi.V.B, Special Tahsildar LA (General) Thrissur replied to the questions related to the project and land acquisition respectively. Smt. Linda Chacko extended the vote of thanks.



Public hearing Construction of Railway Over Bridge in lieu of Railway L.C. No. 15 between Mulamgunnathukavu and Punkunnam Stations in Pottoor Village, Thrissur Taluk in Thrissur District held at G.P.Hall Kolazhy, Thrissur, on 15.07.2022

4. Land Acquisition for the Road Widening of Ettumanoor – Ernakulam Dangerous Curves in Kannakkari, Kothanalloor, Manjoor, Muttuchira, Kadathuruthy and Vadayar Villages in Kottayam District

Public hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Road Widening of Ettumanoor – Ernakulam Dangerous Curves in Kannakkari, Kothanalloor, Manjoor, Muttuchira, Kadathuruthy, and Vadayar Villages in Kottayam District, was held on 29.07.2022 at 11.00 a.m. at Kadathuruthy Panchayat Hall, Kottayam. The affected family members, Officers from the Land Acquisition Office, Requiring Body Official from the PWD, and the Representatives of the Social Impact Assessment Unit from Rajagiri outREACH were the participants in the public hearing. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Chairperson SIA Unit chaired the Public Hearing and gave an introductory speech. Shri. C.P. Biju, Development Officer, SIA Unit, welcomed the gathering, Mr. Vinayan, SIA Unit, presented the Draft Report, and Mrs. Linda Chacko, Development Promoter, SIA Unit, coordinated the Public Hearing. Smt.Sainamma Shaju, President, Kadathuruthy Grama Panchayat, inaugurated the function and Shri.Mohammed Shafi, Deputy Collector, Kottayam, delivered the keynote address. Elected representatives of Kadathuruthy Grama Panchayat viz. Smt. Shanthamma Remasan, Smt. Pauly George, Shri. Stephen Panavelil, Smt. Jincy Elizebath, Shri. N.V. Tomy, Shri. Manoharan and Shri.C N, Noby Mundakkan, Assistant Executive Engineer Smt. Renju, Special Tahsildar Smt. Pushpalatha and Village Officers from the Kanakari, Kadathuruthy,

Kothanelloor, Manjoor, Vadayar, and Muttuchira villages have also participated in the public hearing. The participants shared their queries and concerns on the project, wherein Special Tahsildar (LA), Assistant Executive Engineer, PWD, and SIA Chairperson clarified the questions of the public. The public hearing concluded at 2 pm with a vote of thanks by Smt. Linda Chacko, Research Associate.



Public Hearing- SIA for Land Acquisition for the Road Widening of Ettumanoor – Ernakulam Dangerous Curves in Kannakkari, Kothanelloor, Manjoor, Muttuchira, Kadathuruthy and Vadayar Villages in Kottayam District, was held on 29.07.2022

Submission of Draft Report to MLA

Mr. Biju and Mrs. Maria Tency met Adv. Monce Joseph MLA of Kaduthuruthy for the submission of draft report of SIA- Ettumanoor Dangerous Curves correction on 26.07.2022.



Submission of Draft Report for the Road Widening of Ettumanoor – Ernakulam Dangerous Curves in Kannakkari, Kothanalloor, Manjoor, Muttuchira, Kadathuruthy and Vadayar Villages in Kottayam District to the MLA on 26.07.2022

5. Land Acquisition for the Construction of Bypass at Kuttiyadi in Kuttiyadi Village of Vadakara Taluk in Kozhikode District

The Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the construction of the Kuttiyadi Bypass in Kozhikode district, was held at Kuttiyadi Grama Panchayat Hall on 25th August 2022 at 10.30 a.m. Shri. C. P. Biju, Development Officer, SIA Unit, welcomed the gathering, followed by an introductory speech by Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Chairperson, SIA Unit. During her address, Smt. Kuruvilla gave a brief on the features of the LARR Act. Shri. Mohandas T K, Vice President, Kuttiyadi GP, delivered the inaugural address, wherein he spoke about the necessity of the Kuttiyadi Bypass. Shri. Hashin Nambattic and Shri. Kuttiyali T.K, ward members of Kuttiyadi Grama Panchayat, delivered the felicitation address. Shri. V S Vinayan, Research Associate, presented the draft report of the SIA Study, during which Special Tahsildar (LA), Koyilandi, Shri. Anilkumar K. K, Deputy Collector, RBDCK Ltd., and Shri. Athul Unni, Project Engineer, RBDCK Ltd., clarified the concerns and queries of the public. The Public Hearing was concluded at 1.00 pm with a vote of thanks by Shri. K.O. Varghese, Research Investigator, SIA Unit.



The Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the construction of the Kuttiyadi Bypass in Kozhikode district, was held at Kuttiyadi Grama Panchayat Hall on 25th August 2022 at 10.30 a.m.

6. Construction of Four Laning of Road from S.N. Junction (Tripunithura) to Poothotta in Nadama and Manakunnam Villages of Kannayanur Taluk in Ernakulam District

As part of the Social Impact Assessment Study of the Land Acquisition project to develop the road from Tripunithura S.N Junction to Poothotta into a 4 lane road, the Public Hearing was held for the affected people of Nadama Village on 31/08/2022 from 10:30 am to 1:30 pm at Tripunithura Municipality Hall. For the people affected in Manakunnam village, the Public Hearing was held at Udayamperoor Grama Panchayat Hall from 2:30 pm to 5:30 pm. Tripunithura Municipal Chairperson Mrs. Rama Santhosh inaugurated the public hearing held in the morning and Mr. K.K. Pradeepkumar, Vice Chairman was also present in the public hearing. For the meeting held in the afternoon, Udayamperoor Gram Panchayat Vice President, Mr. S.A Gopi inaugurated the public hearing in the presence of Panchayat President Mrs. Sajitha Murali. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Chairperson, Social Impact Assessment Study Unit presided over the Public Hearing and briefed about the purpose of holding the public hearing.

Mrs. Maria Tency, Research Associate in Social Impact Assessment Unit, presented the draft report. KIIFB Special Tahsildar Mr. T.N. Devarajan answered the queries of the affected people regarding the acquisition process. Smt. K.M. Shilpa, K.F.R.B P M U, Assistant Executive Engineer, answered to the questions regarding the project and its alignment. Employees of the Special Tahsildar’s office, Revenue Inspector Mr. Vinod T.N, Valuation Assistant Mr. Unnikrishnan A.G, K.R.F.B Employees Mrs. Veena S., Assistant Engineer, Mr. Rahul Krishna, Project Engineer, Manakunnam Village Officer, Mr. Sreejith Kumar, and Tripunithura Municipality Division 39 Counsellor Mrs. Savithri Narasimharao were present in the public hearing. Mr. Biju C.P., Development Officer of the SIA Unit welcomed the Officials and Project Stakeholders who participated in the public hearing and members of the study team, Mr. Varghese and Mrs. Linda Chacko expressed their vote of thanks.



The Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Four Laning of Road from S.N. Junction (Tripunithura) to Poothotta in Nadama and Manakunnam Villages of Kannayanur Taluk in Ernakulam District on 31st August 2022 from 10:30 am to 1:30 pm at Tripunithura Municipality Hall for the affected people of Nadi/Thekubhagam Village



The Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Four Laning of Road from S.N. Junction (Tripunithura) to Poothotta in Nadama and Manakunnam Villages of Kannayanur Taluk in Ernakulam District on 31st August 2022 at Udayamperoor Grama Panchayat Hall from 2:30 pm to 5:30 pm for the people affected in Manakunnam village



Data Collection of SIA for S.N. Junction Road Widening during May 2022 and Distribution of Public Hearing Notice

7. Development of Kalasamala Eco Tourism in Kunnumkulam Taluk of Akathiyoor Village in Thrissur District

The Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Development of Kalasamala Eco Tourism in Kunnumkulam Taluk of Akathiyoor Village in Thrissur District was held on 26th September 2022 at 11.00 a.m., at Kalasamala Eco Tourism Hall, Kallayikkunnu. Shri. C. P. Biju, Development Officer, SIA Unit, welcomed the gathering, followed by an introductory speech by Smt. Maria Tency, SIA Unit. During her address, she gave a brief on the features of the LARR Act. Adv. K. Ramakrishnan, President, Porkulam Grama Panchayat, delivered the inaugural address, wherein he highlighted the project's benefits to the local people. Smt. Chithra Vinobaji, President, Chowanoor GP, Shri. Sumesh N S, Vice president, Chowanoor GP, Smt. Jisha Sasi, Vice President, Porkulam GP, and Shri. Biju K.I, Ward Member, Kalasamala spoke on occasion. Smt. Nimisha Vijeesh, Smt. Akhila Mukesh, and Smt. Sudhanya Sunilkumar, Ward members, Porkulam GP, Smt. Giji C.C, Village Officer, Chowanoor and Smt. Princy P.J, Village Officer, Akathiyoor, had participated in the Public Hearing. Shri. V S Vinayan, Research Associate, presented the draft report of the SIA Study, during which Shri. P.R Anoop, Valuation Assistant, Special Tahsildar (LA) Office, Thrissur, Shri. Joby George, Secretary, District Tourism Department (DTPC), Thrissur and Smt. Vidhya K.V, Project Engineer, DTPC, clarified the concerns and queries of the public. The Public Hearing was concluded at 1.45 pm.



The Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Development of Kalasamala Eco Tourism in Kunnumkulam Taluk of Akathiyoor Village in Thrissur District held on 26th September 2022 at 11.00 a.m., at Kalasamala Eco Tourism Hall, Kallayikkunnu

8. Construction of Approach Road of Pallana-Kumarakodi in Thrikkunapuzha Village, Karthikapally Taluk of Alappuzha District

As part of the Social Impact Assessment Study of the Land Acquisition project for the Construction of Approach Road of Pallana-Kumarakodi in Thrikkunapuzha Village, Karthikapally Taluk of Alappuzha District, a Public Hearing was held at 11.00 a.m. on 11/11/2022 at SNDP Hall, Lakshmithoppe. Mr. Biju C.P., Development Promoter, SIA welcomed all the participants to the meeting. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Chairperson of the SIA unit chaired the hearing. Mrs. Maya J., Member, Thrikkunappuzha Grama Panchayath inaugurated the hearing. Mrs. Maria Tency, Research Associate of the study presented the Draft report of the SIA study in the hearing. Mrs. Sunu Rose, Valuation Assistant from the office of Special Tahsildar, Alappuzha answered to the queries of the participants related to acquisition procedures. Mr. Biju Varghese, Thrikkunappuzha Village Officer, Mr. Nizary and Mrs. Jeejimol, Overseers of PWD (Bridges), Alappuzha were also present in the Public Hearing. The Public Hearing was concluded with a vote of thanks by Shri. Biju C.P., SIA Unit.



The Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Approach Road of Pallana-Kumarakodi in Thrikkunapuzha Village, Karthikapally Taluk of Alappuzha District held on 11th November 2022 at 11.00 a.m., at SNDP Hall, Lakshmithoppe, Alappuzha

9. Public Hearing at HDPY Arts and Science College Hall, Mattuppuram, Ernakulam, in continuation of the Social Impact Assessment Study conducted as part of acquiring land from Chendamangalam Village in Paravur Taluk for Constructing the Chendamangalam - Mattuppuram Bridge and Its Approach Road

A public hearing was organized on 15th December 2022 at HDPY Arts and Science College Hall, Mattuppuram, in continuation of the Social Impact Assessment Study conducted as part of the Land Acquisition for Constructing the Chendamangalam - Mattuppuram Bridge and Its Approach Road in Ernakulam district. The programme commenced with a silent prayer followed by the welcome address of Shri. C P Biju, Development Officer, SIA Unit, Rajagiri outREACH. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH and Chairperson, SIA Unit, gave an introduction on the LARR ACT, 2013 and Social Impact Assessment Study during her introductory speech. Smt. Divya Unnikrishnan, President of the Chendamangalam Grama Panchayat, delivered the inaugural address. Shri. Benny Joseph, Vice President, and Shri. Fasal Rahman, Ward Member, also spoke on occasion.

A presentation of the draft report of the SIA Study by Shri. V S Vinayan, Research Associate, Rajagiri outREACH followed the inaugural session. Later, the participants were given an opportunity to share their queries and concerns on the project and the land acquisition, wherein Smt. Shilpa K M, Assistant Executive Engineer, and Smt. Veena S, Assistant Engineer, from the KRFB-PMU, Ernakulam Division, and Shri. Unnikrishnan A.G, Valuation Assistant from the KIIFB, clarified the queries of

the project-affected persons. Smt. Reena Raphel, Secretary, Chendamangalam Grama Panchayat, and Shri. Vinod T.N, Shri. Santhosh T A, and Shri. Vinod Kumar from KIIFB also participated in the programme.



Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Chennamangalam – Mattupuram Bridge and Approach Road in Chennamangalam Village of Paravur Taluk in Ernakulam District, held at HDPY Arts and Science College Hall, Mattupuram, Ernakulam, on 15.12.2022

10. Construction of Kallumala Railway Over Bridge in Mavelikkara Village of Mavelikkara Taluk in Alappuzha District

As part of the SIA study of the Land acquisition for the Construction of the Railway Over Bridge at Kallumala, Mavelikkara, a Public Hearing was held on 17th January 2023 at 11.00 am at IEM Bible College Hall, Mavelikkara. Mr. Biju C.P., Development Officer, SIA welcomed the gathering and gave an introductory speech. Mrs. Kavitha Srijith, Counsellor, Mavelikkara Municipality, inaugurated the gathering. Mrs. Maria Tency, Senior Donor Service Officer, presented the draft of the SIA report. All the affected families actively contributed to the discussion followed by the presentation. Mrs. Sindhu S, Special Tahsildar L.A.(KIIFB) and Mrs. Kavitha Bharathan, Junior Superintendent of Special Tahsildar’s office answered to questions related to the land acquisition procedure as pre RFCTLARR Act 2013. The questions related to the project were answered by Mr. Mohsin Backer, Manager and Mr.Noorulla Khan, Deputy Tahsildar of RBDCK.





Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Kallumala Railway Over Bridge in Mavelikkara Village of Mavelikkara Taluk in Alappuzha District, held on 17th January 2023 at 11 am at IEM Bible College Hall, Mavelikkara

11. Widening of Kannanoor – Chungamannam Road in Kannadi, Kuzhalmannam, Mathur 1 and Mathur 2 Villages of Palakkad and Alathur Taluks in Palakkad District of Kallumala Railway Over Bridge in Mavelikkara Village of Mavelikkara Taluk in Alappuzha District

A public hearing was held at Mathur Grama Panchayat Hall, Chungamannam, Palakkad on 16th February 2023 in continuation of the Social Impact Assessment Study conducted as part of the Land Acquisition for Kannanoor - Chungamannam Road Improvement. The programme commenced with a silent prayer followed by the welcome address of Shri. C P Biju, Development Officer, SIA Unit, Rajagiri outREACH. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH and Chairperson, SIA Unit, gave an introductory speech wherein she spoke on the LARR ACT, 2013 and Social Impact Assessment Study. Smt. Pravitha Muralleedharan, President of the Mathur Grama Panchayat, delivered the inaugural address. The ward members of Mathur Grama Panchayat viz. Smt. Jayasree Prakasan, Rameshkumar V, Sasikala.S, Nisha. V.R. and Udayaprakasan also spoke on the occasion.

The inaugural session was followed by a presentation of the draft report of the SIA study by Shri V S Vinayan, Research Associate, Rajagiri outREACH. Later, the participants shared their queries and concerns about the project and the land acquisition. Shri. Muralleedharan, Special Tahsildar, KIIFB, Palakaad and Shri. Fiju, Assistant Executive Engineer from the KRFB-PMU, Palakkad/Malappuram Division, clarified the queries of the project-affected persons. Shri. Muralleedharan also detailed the formalities involved in land acquisition and Shri. Fiju on technical details of the project.

Officials from KIIFB, Palakaad viz. Shri. Nanda Kumar, Shri. Sadik A, Smt. Rajina A, and Smt. Munida, Officials from the KRFB-PMU viz. Shri. Dheeraj Nair, Shri. Ajith V, and Shri. Rahul T participated in the programme. In addition, the Village Officers of Kannadi-I, Kuzhalmannam-II, Mathur-II, and Mathur-I villages, the Secretary of Kannadi GP, and the Head Clerk of Kuzhalmannam GP were also present.



Public Hearing of Widening of Kannanoor – Chungamannam Road in Kannadi, Kuzhalmannam, Mathur 1 and Mathur 2 Villages of Palakkad and Alathur Taluks in Palakkad District on 16.02.2023 at Grama Panchayat Hall, Mathur, Palakkad

12. IIST, Valiyamala in Karipoor Village of Nedumangad Taluk in Thiruvananthapuram District

As part of the Social Impact Assessment Study of the land acquisition project for IIST, Thiruvananthapuram, a Public Hearing was held on 16th March 2023 at Karinga Community Hall, Nedumangad at 11.30.a.m. The study was entrusted to Rajagiri outREACH by Kerala Government Revenue (B) Department as per G.O. (P)No.30/2023/RD dated 02/02/2023. In addition to the affected parties, Mr. Ramanathan, Deputy Registrar (Admn.) IIST, Mr. S.N. Chandrasekharan, CMD, IIST, Mr. Sathar.S., Village Officer, Karipoor, Mr. Bijin, SGO, Nedumangadi Municipality, Mr. Harikeshan Nair, Standing Committee Chairman, Nedumangad Municipality etc., were the officials participated in the Public hearing. Mr. Biju C.P., Development Officer, SIA Unit, Rajagiri outREACH, welcomed the gathering. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH and Chairperson, SIA Unit, gave a briefing about the objectives of the Public Hearing. Mrs. Maria Tency, Senior Donor Service Officer, Rajagiri outREACH, presented the SIA Draft report and Mr. Varghese extended vote of thanks.



Public Hearing of the Social Impact Assessment of Land Acquisition for the IIST, Valiyamala in Karipoor Village of Nedumangad Taluk in Thiruvananthapuram District, was held at Karinga Community Hall, Nedumangad Municipality, Valiyamala, Thiruvananthapuram on 16.03.2023

13. Construction of Regulator cum Bridge in Pinarayi and Mavilayi Villages in Kannur and Thalassery Taluk of Kannur District

Public Hearing at Pinnarayi Grama Panchayat Hall, Kannur, in continuation of SIA Study conducted as part of acquiring land from Mavilayi village in Kannur Taluk and Pinnarayi village in Thalassery Taluk for the construction of Regulator Cum Lock (Bridge) across Ancharakandy River at Parapram, Kannur. Smt. Sheeba A.V, President, Peralassery Grama Panchayat, inaugurated the public hearing held at Pinnarayi Grama Panchayat Hall, Kannur, on 29th March 2023 in continuation of the Social Impact Assessment Study conducted as part of the Land Acquisition for construction of Regulator Cum Lock (Bridge) across Ancharakandy River at Parapram, Kannur. Shri. C P Biju, Development Officer, SIA Unit, Rajagiri outREACH, delivered the welcome address. This was followed by an introductory speech by Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH and Chairperson, SIA Unit. She spoke on the LARR ACT, 2013 and Social Impact Assessment Study. Shri. Venugopalan P.V, Development Standing Committee Chairman Pinnarayi GP, delivered the felicitation address. The inaugural session was followed by a presentation of the draft report of the SIA study by Shri V S Vinayan, Research Associate, Rajagiri outREACH. Later, the participants shared their queries and concerns about the land acquisition. Shri. Priyesh Kumar K N, Revenue Inspector, Special Tahsildar (LA) Office, Thalassery and Shri. Sijo Varghese, Project Engineer, KIIDC, Kannur, clarified the queries of the project-affected persons. Shri. Priyesh Kumar also detailed the formalities involved in land acquisition and Shri. Sijo on technical details of the project. Shri.Manu NP, Asst. Engineer, Minor Irrigation Project, also spoke on occasion. Shri. Sajeewan.CP, Secretary, Pinarayi GP, Smt. P.P Sajitha, Secretary, Peralassery GP, Shri.Sandeep A.K, Village Officer, Pinarayi, Shri. Rajeesh B.R., Village Officer, Mavilayi were also present in the meeting. The public hearing concluded at 1.00 pm with a vote of thanks by Shri. Varghese K O, Rajagiri outREACH.



Public Hearing of the Social Impact Assessment of Land Acquisition for the Construction of Regulator cum Bridge in Pinarayi and Mavilayi Villages in Kannur and Thalassery Taluk of Kannur District was held on 29.03.2023 at Pinarayi Grama Panchayat Hall

**NEW SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STUDIES SANCTIONED DURING THE PERIOD
2022-2023**

Sl. No.	Name of the Project	Name of the District	State / District Level
1.	Construction of 350 mts of Road from Moolampilly-Pizhala Connectivity Bridge to Pizhala Road in Kadamakudy Village of Ernakulam District	Ernakulam	District Level
2.	Kalady New Bridge in Chelamattom and Kalady Villages of Aluva Taluk in Ernakulam District	Ernakulam	District Level
3.	Construction of Bypass at Kuttiyadi in Kuttiyadi Village of Vadakara Taluk in Kozhikode District	Kozhikode	State Level
4.	Construction of Railway Over Bridge in lieu of Railway L.C. No. 15 between Mulamgunnathukavu and Punkunnam Stations in Pottoor Village, Thrissur Taluk in Thrissur District	Thrissur	District Level
5.	Development of Kalasamala Eco Tourism in Kunnumkulam Taluk of Akathiyoor Village in Thrissur District	Thrissur	State Level
6.	Construction of Approach Road of Pallana-Kumarakodi in Thrikkunapuzha Village, Karthikapally Taluk of Alappuzha District	Alappuzha	District Level
7.	Construction of Chennamangalam – Mattupuram Bridge and Approach Road in Chennamangalam Village of Paravur Taluk in Ernakulam District	Ernakulam	District Level
8.	Construction of Kallumala Railway Over Bridge in Mavelikkara Village of Mavelikkara Taluk in Alappuzha District	Alappuzha	District Level
9.	Widening of Kannanoor – Chungamannam Road in Kannadi, Kuzhalmannam, Mathur 1 and Mathur 2 Villages of Palakkad and Alathur Taluks in Palakkad District	Palakkad	District Level
10.	IIST, Valiyamala in Karipoor Village of Nedumangad Taluk in Thiruvananthapuram District	Thiruvananthapuram	State Level
11.	Construction of Regulator cum Bridge in Pinarayi and Mavilayi Villages in Kannur and Thalassery Taluk of Kannur District	Kannur	District Level
12.	Development of Service Road leading to Haripad Fire Station in Chingoli Village, Karthikapally Taluk in Alappuzha District	Alappuzha	District Level

SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STUDIES STATUS AT A GLANCE FROM 1st APRIL 2022 TO 31st MARCH 2023



2 Expert Committee Meetings

Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director and Smt. Maria Tency, Senior Donor Officer, Rajagiri outREACH were appointed as Chairman and Member of SIA Expert Committee by District Collector, Alappuzha, to evaluate and approve the Social Impact Assessment Report submitted by the SIA Units. A total of **10 Expert Committee Meetings** were attended and the SIA Reports were approved by the Expert Committee. The details of the meetings are detailed below:

1. Land Acquisition for Mitchel Junction Development at Mavelikkara, Alappuzha District

As per the Order No. G.2/5935/2019 dated 19/04/2022, Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Maria Tency V.S. were designated by the District Collector, Alappuzha as the Chairperson and Social Scientist of the Expert Committee on the SIA report submitted by Centre for Research Innovation and Consultancy, St. Thomas College of Engineering & Technology, Chengannur on the Land Acquisition for Mavelikkara Mitchel Junction Development. The Expert Committee was convened in PWD Rest House at Mavelikkara on 05/05/2022 at 10.30 am. Mrs. Sobha S., Deputy Collector (LA), Alappuzha, Mr. K. S. Santhoshkumar, Special Tahsildar (LA) General, Alappuzha, Mrs. Smitha S.B, Assistant Executive Engineer, PWD (Roads), Alappuzha, Sri. Ani Varghese, Councilor, Mavelikkara Municipality and Smt. Lalitha Raveendranad, Vice President, Mavelikkara Municipality were the other members of the Expert Committee.



Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for Mitchel Junction Development at Mavelikkara, Alappuzha district, held on 05.05.2022 at PWD Rest House at Mavelikkara

2. Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Nedumbrakkad bridge at Nedumbrakkad, Alappuzha District

As per the Order No G.4/2246/2019 dated 26/06/2022, Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Maria Tency V.S. were designated by the District Collector, Alappuzha as the Chairperson and Social Scientist of the Expert Committee on the SIA report submitted by Smt. Princy Jacob, Parampathussery, Alinchuvadu, Edappally on the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Nedumbrakkad Bridge. The Expert Committee was convened in worksite office of the project at Nedumbrakkad on 07/07/2022 at 11 am. Mr. Sudheesh R., Deputy Collector (LA), Alappuzha, Mr. T. Vijayan, Special Tahsildar, L.A. (KIIFB), Alappuzha, Mr. Aravind Sachil, Executive Engineer, PWD (Bridges), Alappuzha, Mrs. Prabhavathy, Member, Chennam Pallippuram Gramapanchayat, Mr.Salji, Councillor, Cherthala Municipality were the other members of the Expert Committee.



Expert Committee on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Nedumbrakkad Bridge at Nedumbrakkad, Alappuzha District, was held on 07.07.2022

3. Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the construction of Muthalukurissi Road, Alappuzha District

As per the Order No DCALP/4187/2019/G2 dated 29/06/2022 Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Maria Tency V.S. were designated by the District Collector, Alappuzha as the Chairperson and Social Scientist of the Expert Committee on the SIA report submitted by Connectors Consultancy, Poopparambil House, Alissery ward, Alappuzha on the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Muthalakkurissi Road. The Expert Committee visited the project area and was convened at PWD Rest House, Alappuzha 21/07/2022 at 11.00 am. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla was virtually present and chaired the expert meeting. Mr. Sudheesh R., Deputy Collector (LA), Alappuzha, Mr.Santhoshkumar , Special Tahsildar, L.A. (General), Alappuzha, Mrs. Rekha T., Asst. Ex-Engineer PWD (Roads), Alappuzha, Mrs. Susmitha, Member, Karuvatta Panchayath and Mr. Mohankumar, Member, Karuvatta Panchayat were the other members of the Expert Committee.,



Expert Committee on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the construction of Muthalukurissi Road, Alappuzha District, held on 21.07.2022

4. Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the construction of Punnamada Nehru Trophy Bridge and approach road at Punnamada, Alappuzha District

As per the Order No. DCALP/465/2022/G5 dated 11/07/2022 Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Maria Tency V.S. were designated by the District Collector, Alappuzha as the Chairperson and Social Scientist of the Expert Committee on the SIA report submitted by Centre For Management Development, Thykkaud on the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Punnamada Nehru Trophy Bridge and Approach Road. The Expert Committee visited the project site and convened at Karuvatta Grama Panchayath hall on 21/07/2022 at 3 pm. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla was virtually present and chaired the meeting. Mr. Sudheesh R., Deputy Collector (LA), Alappuzha, Mr. T. Vijayan, Special Tahsildar, L.A. (KIIFB), Alappuzha, Mr. Aravind Sachil, Executive Engineer, PWD (Bridges), Alappuzha, Mrs. Jayamma K.K., Councillor, Alappuzha Municipality and Mrs. Sreelekha, Councillor, Alappuzha Municipality were the other members of the Expert Committee.

5. Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Kumbalam-Thuravoor Railway Doubling Project in Alappuzha District

As per the procedures of the District Collector, Alappuzha (No.G1/5165/2022 dated 20/10/2022) Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Maria Tency were appointed as Chairperson and Social Scientist respectively of the Expert Committee of the SIA report evaluation of Kumbalam-Thuravoor Railway doubling project. The first meeting of the Expert Committee was held on 4/11/2022 in Ezhupunna Grama Panchayath Hall.



Expert Committee on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Kumbalam-Thuravoor Railway Doubling Project in Alappuzha District, held on 04.11.2022

6. Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Kainakary-Muttel Bridge from Kainakary North and South Villages in Alappuzha District

As per the procedures of the District Collector, Alappuzha (No. DCALP/750/2020/G3 dated 19/11/2022) Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Maria Tency were appointed as Chairperson and Social Scientist respectively, of the Expert Committee of the evaluation of the SIA report of the land acquisition from Kainakary North and South villages for the construction of Kainakary-

Muttel bridge. The meeting of the Expert Committee was held on 7/12/2022 at V.C Hall in Alappuzha District Collector's office at 10.30 am.



Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Kainakary-Muttel Bridge from Kainakary North and South Villages in Alappuzha District, held on 07.12.2022

7. Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Manorama Junction Development Project in Alappuzha District

As per the procedures of the District Collector, Alappuzha (No.G2/326602/2022 dated 08/12/2022) Mrs.Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Maria Tency were appointed as Chairperson and Social Scientist respectively of the Expert Committee of the SIA report evaluation of Manorama Junction Development Project. The meeting of the Expert Committee was held on 30/12/2022 at PWD Rest House Cherthala.



Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Manorama Junction Development Project in Alappuzha District held on 30.12.2022

8. Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Rowing Track Maintenance and Hostel Construction Project at Mannanchery village in Alappuzha District – 1st meeting

As per the procedures of the District Collector, Alappuzha (No.G5/8124/2018 dated 05/12/2022) Mrs.Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs.Maria Tency were appointed as Chairperson and Social Scientist respectively of the Expert Committee of the evaluation of the SIA report of the land acquisition for Rowing track maintenance and Hostel construction project at Mannanchery village. The meeting of the Expert Committee was held on 30/12/2022 at Mannanchery Panchayath Hall at 10.30 am.



Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Rowing Track Maintenance and Hostel Construction Project at Mannanchery village in Alappuzha District, held on 30.12.2022

9. Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Rowing Track Maintenance and Hostel Construction Project at Mannanchery village in Alappuzha District – 2nd meeting

As per the procedures of the District Collector, Alappuzha (No.G5/8124/2018 dated 05/12/2022) Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Maria Tency were appointed as Chairperson and Social Scientist respectively, of the Expert Committee of the evaluation of the SIA report of the land acquisition for Rowing track maintenance and Hostel construction project at Mannanchery village. The meeting of the Expert Committee was held on 30/12/2022 at Mannanchery Panchayath Hall at 10.30 am. And the project site was visited on that day. The 2nd meeting of the Expert committee was held on 13th February 2023 at Mannanchery Panchayath Hall.



Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Rowing Track Maintenance and Hostel Construction Project at Mannanchery village in Alappuzha District – 2nd meeting held on 13.02.2023

10. Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Kakkathuruthu Bridge in Ezhupunna Village in Alappuzha

As per the procedures of the District Collector, Alappuzha (No.G4/2782/2019 dated 30/01/2023) Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Maria Tency were appointed as Chairperson and Social Scientist respectively, of the Expert Committee of the evaluation of the SIA report of the land acquisition from Ezhupunna village for the construction of Kakkathuruthu bridge. The meeting of the Expert Committee was held on 13/02/2023 at Ezhupunna Panchayath Hall at 2.00 p.m. Followed by the meeting the Expert committee members visited the project site.



Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Kakkathuruthu Bridge in Ezhupunna Village in Alappuzha, held on 13.02.2023

2. RESEARCH, TRAINING & CONSULTANCY

I. COLLABORATION WITH INDIAN OIL CORPORATION LIMITED (IOCL)



India Oil Corporation Ltd. (IOCL) is an agency that has been taking part in the efforts of the Government for the last few years to minimize road accidents. Over the years, the IOCL has taken the lead to impart road safety awareness to its drivers. In previous years, the IOCL in association with Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Rajagiri Research Institute, and Rajagiri outREACH has organized a series of training programs on 'Road Safety and First Aid' for their Tank Truck Crew as per OISD STD 154. At this juncture, as a continuation of this program, the IOCL in association with the Research Institute and Rajagiri outREACH, organized a series of training programs on 'Road Safety and 'Basic Life Support (BLS) & First Aid' for its remaining Tank Truck Crew from April 2022.

AWARENESS SEMINAR ON ROAD SAFETY & FIRST AID - OISD 154 TRAINING TO TANK TRUCK CREW OF INDIAN OIL CORPORATION LTD. (IOCL) – IRUMPANAM

Indian Oil Corporation Ltd., (IOCL), had granted sanction for conducting 24 Awareness Seminars on Road Safety and First AID - OISD 154 Training to Tank Crew of IOCL. The venture was jointly organized by the Research Institute, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, in association with Rajagiri outREACH. The training in collaboration with IOCL was the outcome of the efforts of a number of personnel.

During this reporting year, 20 training programmes were successfully completed, thereby conducting **24 training sessions** in total. The topics covered were: Use of Extinguishers Action in Emergency, Road Safety Rules & Regulations, Defensive Driving, and First Aid & Basic Life Support. Total of **877 Tank Truck Crew of IOCL** benefitted from this training. The sessions were taken by Officials from the Motor Vehicle and Police Departments, Officials of IOCL, Irumpanam and Doctors and Health Personnel trained in Basic Life Support & First Aid.

Indian Oil Corporation Limited (IOCL)

Road Safety and First-Aid Training to Tank Truck Crews

1st April, 2022 to 31 March, 2023

Sl. No.	Date	Number of Participants	Venue
1.	6 th April, 2022	50	IOCL Training Hall
2.	7 th April, 2022	50	IOCL Training Hall
3.	8 th April, 2022	50	IOCL Training Hall
4.	12 th April, 2022	50	IOCL Training Hall
5.	19 th April, 2022	46	IOCL Training Hall
6.	20 th April, 2022	49	IOCL Training Hall
7.	26 th April, 2022	50	IOCL Training Hall
8.	27 th April, 2022	55	IOCL Training Hall
9.	10 th May, 2022	47	IOCL Training Hall
10.	11 th May, 2022	54	IOCL Training Hall
11.	12 th May, 2022	48	IOCL Training Hall
12.	18 th May, 2022	37	IOCL Training Hall
13.	19 th May, 2022	34	IOCL Training Hall
14.	20 th May, 2022	47	IOCL Training Hall
15.	3 rd June, 2022	29	IOCL Training Hall
16.	22 nd June, 2022	14	IOCL Training Hall
17.	23 rd June, 2022	11	IOCL Training Hall
18.	27 th June, 2022	27	IOCL Training Hall
19.	20 th July, 2022	05	IOCL Training Hall
20.	10 th August, 2022	07	IOCL Training Hall
21.	6 th December 2022	19	IOCL Training Hall

22.	16 th December 2022	38	IOCL Training Hall
23.	4 th January 2023	25	IOCL Training Hall
24.	25 th January 2023	35	IOCL Training Hall
	Total Beneficiaries	877	

1. IOCL Training on 06.04.2022



Session by Shri. Prejin, Asst. Manager, IOCL & Welcoming the Resource Person Dr. K.G Radhakrishnan, Medical College, Thrissur



CPR Demonstration by Dr. Radhakrishnan & Session by Shri. Chanthu, Asst. Motor Vehicle Inspector

2. IOCL Training on 07.04.2022



Session by Shri. Chanthu, Asst. MVI & Vote of thanks by Shri. Varghese K.O.

3. IOCL Training on 08.04.2022

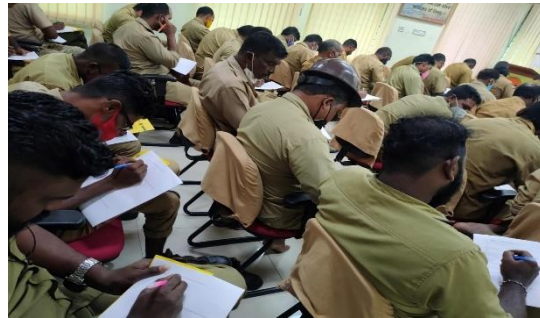




Session by Shri. Prejin S. Asst. Manager, IOCL; Welcoming the Resource Person Shri. Nidheesh, ICU Head, Rajagiri Hospital & Session and Demonstration by Shri. Nidheesh



Session by Shri. Jain T Lukose, Asst. Motor Vehicle Inspector, Ernakulam



Session by Shri. Prejin S., Asst. Manager, IOCL & Participants attended the quiz



Session by Shri. Nidheesh, Rajagiri Hospital



CPR Demonstration & Session by Shri. Madhusudhanan P.M, Asst. MVI, Ernakulam



Feedback session

4. IOCL Training on 12.04.2022



Road safety awareness programmes for the Truck Crew of IOCL - Session by Shri. Prejin S Asst. Manager, IOCL



Participants attending the quiz



Session by Shri. Nidheesh, Rajagiri Hospital



CPR Demonstration



Session by Shri. Madhusudhanan P.M, Asst. MVI, Ernakulam & Feedback session

5. IOCL Training on 19.04.2022



Introduction to seminar by Shri. Prejin .S, Asst. Manager (Ops- Safety) IOCL



Shri. Varghese K.O, welcoming the Resource Person & Participants attended the quiz



Live Demonstration shown by Dr.Andrew, Govt. Medical College, Ernakulam & Session by Shri. Chandu R, Asst. Motor Vehicle Inspector, Ernakulam

6. IOCL Training on 20.04.2022



Introduction to seminar by Shri. Prejin. S, Asst. Manager (Ops- Safety) IOCL & Session by Shri. Prejin. S, Asst. Manager (Ops-Safety) IOCL



Participants attended the quiz & Session by Dr. Anil Narayanan, Govt. Medical College, Ernakulam



CPR demonstration by Dr. Anil Narayanan & Live demonstration by Shri. Dr. Anil Narayanan



CPR demonstrations & Vote of thanks by Soniya Sujith



Session by Shri. Madhusudhanan PM, Asst. Motor Vehicle Inspector, Ernakulam & Vote of Thanks by Mr. Varghese K.O, Rajagiri outREACH



Evaluation done by participants & viewed the IOCL video

7. IOCL Training on 26.04.2022



Introduction to seminar by Shri. Prejin. S Asst. Manager IOCL & Session by Shri. Prejin. S Assistant Manager (OPS Safety)



Participants attended the Quiz



Session on Basic Life Support and First Aid by Shri. Nidheesh & Live demonstration by Shri. Nidheesh



Live Demonstration shown by Shri. Nidheesh, Rajagiri Hospital & Vote of thanks by participant



Session by Shri. Madhusudhanan P.M, Asst. Motor Vehicle Inspector, Ernakulam

8. IOCL Training on 27.04.2022



Welcoming the Resource Person by Shri. Varghese K. O., Rajagiri outREACH & Session handled by Shri. Prejin S Asst. Manager, IOCL



Distribution of training materials



Session on Basic Life Support and First Aid by Dr. Anjana Udayan, Govt. Medical College, Kalamassery & CPR Demonstration - Practical session by Dr. Anjana Udayan



Session on Defensive Driving and Road Signs by Shri. Chandhu & Vote of thanks

9. IOCL Training on 10.05.2022



Introduction by Shri. Raju Joseph, Senior Manager, IOCL & Session by Shri. Nidheesh, Rajagiri Hospital



Session by Shri. Chandhu, Asst. Vehicle Inspector & Vote of Thanks by a Participant

10. IOCL Training on 11.05.2022



Training session handled by Shri. Prejin. S Asst. Manager, IOCL & Session by Dr. Aysha, Medical College, Ernakulam



Session by Dr. Sachin, Medical College & Session by Shri. Chanthu, Asst. Motor Vehicle Inspector



Shri. Varghese K.O delivered the Vote of Thanks

11. IOCL Training on 12.05.2022



Session by Shri. Prejin. S, Asst. Manager, IOCL & Session by Dr. Athira, Medical College, Ernakulam



Session by Shri. Madhusoodhanan and Shri. Abbas, AMVI, Ernakulam & Shri. Varghese K.O, Rajagiri outREACH delivered the vote of thanks

12. IOCL Training on 18.05.2022



Session by Shri. Prejin, Asst. Manager, IOCL & Demonstration by Shri. Prejin, Asst. Manager



Session by Shri. Nidheesh, Rajagiri Hospital & Vote of Thanks by Smt. Shamila



Session by Shri. Chanthu, Asst. motor Vehicle Inspector & Vote of Thanks by Shri. Rajeev

13. IOCL Training on 19.05.2022



Varghese K. O delivered welcome speech & Session by Shri. Prejin S, Asst. Manager IOCL



Ms. Vismaya welcomed Shri. Nidheesh & Shri. Nidheesh explained about CPR through practical session



Shri. Chanthu R Asst. Vehicle Inspector, conducted the session on Road Safety

14. IOCL Training on 20.05.2022



Session by Shri. Prejin, Asst. Manager, IOCL & The participants.....



Session by Dr. Ayana, Medical College, Ernakulam



CPR Demonstration by Dr. Ayana & Dr. Biji, Medical College, Ernakulam & Session by Shri. P.N Raj, Asst. Transport Commissioner (Rtd)....

15. IOCL Training on 03.06.2022



Introduction by Shri. Varghese K.O, Rajagiri outREACH & Session by Mr. Prejin S, Asst. Manager, IOCL



Mr. Prejin S, explained and gave demonstration & Participants attended the quiz



Participants actively participated in interactive sessions & Mr. Nidheesh, conducted the session on Basic Life Support & First Aid



Mr. Nidheesh, demonstrated CPR



Demonstration of steps to follow if a person gets a stroke & Session by Mr. P. N Raj, Asst. Transport Commissioner (Rtd)

16. IOCL Training on 22.06.2022



Mr. Varghese K.O Introduced about the programme & Class on Fire and Safety by Mr Prejin S.



Class on First Aid by Ms Blessie Johnson



Session handled by Shri. P.N Raj, Asst. Transport Commissioner (Rtd), Ernakulam

17. IOCL Training on 23.06.2022



Mr. Varghese K.O, Rajagiri outREACH, delivered the welcome address & Dr. Muqusith, Government Medical College, Ernakulam on 'Basic Life Support & First Aid'



Session handled by Shri. P N Raj Asst. Transport Commissioner (Rtd.), Ernakulam

18. IOCL Training on 27.06.2022



Dr. Muqusith demonstrated BLS among participants & Use & application of different types of Fire Extinguishers and Demonstrated CPR and Artificial respiration



Shri. Sadik Ali, RTO (Rtd) Ernakulam

19. IOCL Training on 20.07.2022



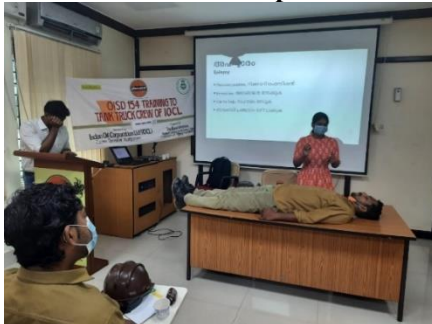
Introduction to seminar by Mr. Varghese K.O, Training Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH & Session on use of fire extinguisher by Mr. Abishek, Trainee, IOCL



Participants attending the quiz & Session on Basic Life Support by Dr. Anandhapadmanabhan, Govt. Medical College, Ernakulam



Session on First Aid by Dr. Anagha, Govt. Medical College, Ernakulam & Live demonstration shown by Dr. Anandhapadmanabhan, Govt. Medical College



Live demonstration has been shown by Dr. Anagha, Govt. Medical College & Live demonstration performed by the participants



Session by Asst. Transport Commissioner (Rtd) & Deputy Director, Institute of Driver Training & Research, Malappuram & Feedback by the participant



Feedback of the session & Vote of thanks by Mr. Varghese K.O, Rajagiri outREACH



Group Photo at the end of the programme

20. IOCL Training on 10.08.2022



Introduction of the seminar Shri. Varghese K.O., Rajagiri outREACH & Shri. Prejin Asst. Manager conducted the session on Fire Extinguishers



Vote of thanks by participant & Live demonstration shown by Dr. Akshaya, Govt. Medical College



Session on Basic Life Support by Dr. Akshaya, Govt. Medical College, Ernakulam & Live demonstration shown by Dr. Akhil, Govt. Medical College



Vote of thanks & the participants

II. COLLABORATION WITH HINDUSTAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION LTD., (HPCL)

SAFETY TRAINING TO TANK TRUCK CREW OF HINDUSTAN PETROLUUM CORPORATION LTD. (HPCL) - IRUMPANAM

Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd., (HPCL) had granted sanction for conducting 3 Safety Training to Tank Crew of HPCL. The venture was organized by Rajagiri outREACH. The training in collaboration with HPCL was the outcome of the efforts of a number of personnel.

During this reporting year, 3 training programmes were successfully completed. The topics covered were: Use of Extinguishers Action in Emergency, Road Safety Rules & Regulations, Defensive Driving, and First Aid & Basic Life Support. Total of **127 Tank Truck Crew of HPCL** benefitted from this training. The sessions were taken by Officials from the Motor Vehicle and Police Departments, Officials of HPCL.

L, Irumpanam and Doctors and Health Personnel trained in Basic Life Support & First Aid.

HPCL Safety and First Aid Training to Tank Truck Crew: 2022-'23 **1st April, 2022- 31st March, 2023**

Sl. No.	Date	Number of Participants	Venue
1.	19 th October, 2022	45	HPCL Training Hall
2.	22 nd November, 2022	47	HPCL Training Hall
3.	25 th January, 2023	35	HPCL Training Hall

Details of the Programme:

The foremost training programme began with a formal inaugural session. Shri. Darshan Das, Operations Officer-Safety, HPCL welcomed the participants and all other dignitaries and staff from the organizing team. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri OutREACH introduced the topics and resource persons to the participants. She also briefed about the topics that would be covered in the technical sessions and the reasons behind the initiation of road safety awareness programmes for the TT Crew of HPCL. She also mentioned about the need of delivering the products transported in the tank trucks safely to the destination. A clear awareness should be acquired and the drivers should strive to become skilled drivers. She then thanked the team of HPCL for being a part of this project. Shri. Abraham Varghese, Dy. General Manager, HPCL delivered the inaugural address. During his address, he emphasized on the importance of conducting refresher trainings on safety for the Tank Truck drivers. He highlighted on the major role of drivers in minimizing road accidents.



Shri. Darshan Das, Operations Officer- Safety, HPCL



Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH



Inaugural Address by Shri.Abraham Varghese, Dy.General Manager, HPCL

Following the session, Shri. Shabeer P.M, RTO, Ernakulam, who was the Chief Guest for the day gave some really valuable insights to the participants. He began with the recent accident cases in Kerala, there are so many people losing life including young children. The drivers on road should have a clear idea on driving in a way which will ensure their safety along with the others. He then briefed about real life situations where we disrespect the rules of driving for our own emergency needs. He then explained about importance of installing GPS tracker on the vehicle. Most of the accidents takes place due to a moment of inattention. Accidents bring grief to the families like if accident happened to the breadwinner of the family then the family is losing its income. Even though the drivers are skilful they should put safety as their first priority while driving. Always we should keep in mind the after effect and consequences of reckless driving. The inaugural sessions was followed by the technical sessions.



Shri. Chanthu R., Asst. Motor Vehicle Inspector, Ernakulam, dealt with the first technical session, Workshop on Road Safety.

He said that the attitude and mental status of a driver have an important role in reducing the



accidents. He discussed with the TT crew about the responsibilities and essential qualities of a driver. A Driver has to practice ontogenic learning where, the abbreviation stands for D=Discipline, R=Respect, I=Intelligent, V=Vision, E=Efficiency, R=Responsibility.

The following session on **Basic Life Support & First Aid**, was handled by **Dr. Alwin Antony, Govt. Medical College, Ernakulam**. He started off by elucidating the term First Aid, where participants shared their answers with regards to the basic meanings of how they have understood what First Aid is.

First Aid is a temporary and immediate treatment given to a person who comes across an emergency situation. He elaborated the aim and principles of first aid. He said that the first aider should have qualities like good observation, quick action not panicky or excited control over the crowd and get help from them, and the ability to judge the situation. Golden rules of first aid were also discussed. The resource person then moved on to the topic 'Basic Life Support' or BLS wherein he explained Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR).



He started off with the following four important steps in administering CPR Viz.

1) Ensure the surrounding is safe, 2) Check for normal breathing and if not, shouting him with shaking shoulders. 3) Call for emergency number and seek help loudly

4) Checking pulse over the carotid artery for 10 seconds and then and then lay him on the floor straight and start CPR. He also highlighted the various ways, wherein casualties may become unresponsive



including cardiac arrest and a seizure or shock. He demonstrated the step-wise First Aid methods to save a person from choking. Shri. Alwin then spoke about some do's and don'ts in seizure. If we see a person suffering from a seizure - the best thing we have to do is to keep the person safe until the seizure stop on its own. Stay calm and loosen anything around the person's neck. Clear the area around them, and stay with them after the seizure stops. He also elaborated on the First Aid methods of other emergency situations like heart attack, wound, burn, electric shock, finger cut, fainting, etc.

The post-noon session concluded with the clarification of doubts of participants by the Resource Person.

The Final session was handled by **Shri. Jose Varghese**. His session was based on the **Use of Fire Extinguishers and Action in Emergency**. A fire extinguisher consists of a hand-held cylindrical pressure vessel containing an agent that can be discharged to extinguish a fire. A fire extinguisher is a handheld active fire protection device usually filled with a dry or wet chemical used to extinguish or control small fires, often in emergencies. He began the session with the basics of how we can handle a situation in real Life. The basic elements required for fire to break out is oil, heat and oxygen. The opposite of where to extinguish the fire we need to break off any one element which would help in getting saved from an emergency situation and avoid sever hazards. He asked the participants some common questions like what would happen if a fire breaks out in presence of oil.



The basic types of fires are Classes A, B, C, and D as defined in the following:

Class A: Ordinary combustible materials, such as wood, cloth, paper, rubber, and many plastics.

Class B: Flammable and combustible liquids.

Class C: Energized electrical equipment.

Class D: Combustible metals, such as magnesium, titanium, zirconium, sodium, and potassium.

Class K fire: Kitchen

The resource person also demonstrated a practical session of spraying the 3 different types of Fire extinguishers. When carbon dioxide is released in an emergency situation, the level of oxygen is reduced. Action in emergency means we have to make sure that humans or animals are saved when a

fire breaks out. He then moved on to the rules to be followed viz.,

The acronym PASS. After ensuring the extinguisher class is appropriate for the type of fire

Pull the safety pin that holds the plunger.

Aim for the base of the fire- not at the flames above what's burning.

Squeeze the plunger, discharging the agent at about 6–8 foot distance from fire.

Sweep the nozzle across the base of the fire careful to not disperse any flammable liquid (kitchen grease, etc.). Later he



continued with the emergency tool kit that is required in order to extinguish fires. For example, we need to put together a first aid kit as part of our fire emergency kit that includes a selection of supplies, such as adhesive bandages in various sizes, gauze pads, hypoallergenic tape, scissors, roller bandages, tweezers, alcohol wipes, hand sanitizer, latex gloves, antiseptic rinse, antibiotic ointment, etc. Moreover we need to make sure we take care of our own safety, understand our role and have the presence of mind to act according to an emergency situation.

The training ended with an evaluation session by the participants. 3 participants came forward to share about the sessions that were conducted. Most of them had a very high opinion of the classes. It was a very useful session. Some of them also suggested that organizing a full day session would be helpful especially so that more practical sessions can be demonstrated by the participants.

Training No. 2

Day/Date : **November 22, 2022**

Venue : **HPCL, Irumpanam**

No. of Participants : **47**

Details of the Program: (Detailed narration of the activities performed)

The foremost training program began with a welcome speech by Shri. Akkudev, Operations Officer, HPCL, a formal inaugural session by Shri. Abraham Varghese, Deputy General Manager, HPCL, welcomed the participants and all other dignitaries and staff from the organizing team. Shri. Varghese K O, Rajagiri OutREACH, introduced the topics and resource persons to the participants. He also

briefed the topics that would be covered in the technical sessions and the reasons behind the initiation of road safety awareness programs for the TT Crew of HPCL. He also mentioned the need for awareness classes to TT Crews. A clear awareness should be acquired and the drivers should strive to become skilled drivers. He then thanked the team of HPCL for being a part of this project. Shri. Abraham Varghese, Dy. General Manager, HPCL, delivered the inaugural address. During his address, he emphasized on importance of conducting refresher training to tank truck drivers. He highlighted on the major role of drivers in minimizing road accidents.



Welcome speech by Shri Akkudev, Operations Officer, HPCL & Inaugural Address by Shri. Abraham Varghese, Dy. General Manager, HPCL



Vote of Thanks by Shri. Varghese K O, Rajagiri outREACH & Session on Basic Life Support & First Aid by Dr. Alwin Antony, Govt. Medical College Ernakulam

The following session on **Basic Life Support & First Aid**, was handled by Dr. Alwin Antony, Govt. Medical College, Ernakulam. He started off by elucidating the term First Aid, where participants shared their answers with regards to the basic meanings of what they have understood about First Aid.



Demonstration by Dr. Alwin Antony Govt. Medical College Ernakulam



Session on Road Safety by Shri. P.N Raj Asst. Transport Commissioner (Rtd), Ernakulam



Session on Action in Emergency by Shri. Jose Varghese, Rtd. Senior Supdt. Cochin International Airport Ltd. (Fire)



Demonstration by Action in Emergency by Shri. Jose Varghese, Rtd. Senior Supdt. Cochin International Airport Ltd. (Fire)



Feedback session by Participant

Training No. 3

Day/Date : Wednesday, 25th January, 2023

Venue : HPCL, Irumpanam

No. of Participants : 35

The training program took place on 25th January 2023 at HPCL, Irumpanam. The session commenced with a silent prayer followed by a welcome speech by Shri. Varghese K.O., Coordinator at Rajagiri outREACH. The inaugural address was given by Shri. Abraham Varghese, Deputy General Manager at HPCL. He addressed the current issue of the ever-increasing rate of road accidents. He emphasized the importance of fire and safety among the truck drivers. He also explained how important it is to be cautious on the road, especially the tank truck drivers as they are transporting highly inflammable and dangerous goods like petroleum etc. He requested them to consider this session as a reminder that road accidents can be prevented through caution. The formal session was concluded with vote of thanks by Shri. Tomlin Tomichan, Intern of Rajagiri outREACH.



Welcome address by Mr. Varghese K.O



Inaugural address by Shri. Abraham Varghese, Deputy General Manager, HPCL



Session handled by Shri. Adarshkumar, Rtd RTO Officer, Ernakulam and Faculty at IDTR, Malappuram





CPR Demonstrations by Dr. Riyas & Dr. Mubarish & Choking Demonstrations by Dr. Mubarish Govt. Medical College, Ernakulam



Shri. Jiji Cherian T, Faculty CIAL Academy, demonstrating Fire Extinguisher

III. Collaboration with Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment (KSCSTE), Government of Kerala

‘One Day Workshop on Effective Waste Management and Water Conservation’ organized under the Co-Scholarship of Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment (KSCSTE)

The Rajagiri outREACH, in association with the Department of Social Work and ENCON CLUB, organized a workshop on 'Effective Waste Management and Water Conservation' at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS) on 15th November 2022. Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal, RCSS, inaugurated the programme, held under the Co-Scholarship of Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment, Sasthra Bhavan, Pattom, Thiruvananthapuram. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, the Programme Convener and the Project Director of outREACH, welcomed the gathering, and Dr. Fr. M K Joseph, Head of the Social Work Department, delivered the presidential address. Dr Giji George, Asst. Professor, Social Work Department, RCSS had the felicitation address, and Mr Vinayan V.S, Research Associate, Rajagiri outREACH, proposed the vote of thanks. A total of 103 participants comprising Social Work (BSW) first-year students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and various colleges, Kudumbashree members, Community Members and Faculty Members from Ernakulam District participated in the workshop.

Dr Manoj C.N, Managing Director of Pelican Ventures, Ernakulam, handled the morning session on Effective Waste Management, and Dr Haridas V.R, Thematic Lead – Climate Justice Caritas India, led the afternoon session on Water Conservation and Water Purification. The programme concluded at 3.30 pm with a valedictory session, wherein Dr Fr Shinto Joseph, Assistant Director, RCSS, gave the valedictory address. He also distributed the Certificate of Participation to the students.



Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal, RCSS, inaugurated the workshop on 'Effective Waste Management and Water Conservation' at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS) on 15th November 2022 held under the Co-Scholarship of Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment



Felicitation address by Dr. Giji George, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, RCSS & Lighting the Lamp



Dr. Haridas V.R. handling the session on water purification and conservation



Certificate Distribution

IV. Collaboration with the Australian Consulate, Chennai

Interactive Meeting with Australian High Commissioner and Consulate General, Chennai at Thiruvananthapuram

Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH had attended an interactive meeting with Australian High Commissioner and Consulate General on 17th February 2023 at Thiruvananthapuram. The Australian High Commissioner congratulated Rajagiri outREACH on receiving the project on Road Safety Awareness Programme in Kerala State. Dr. Binoy Joseph Principal RCSS briefed about the methodology of the implementation of Road Safety Awareness programme.



Meeting with Australian High Commissioner and Consulate General on 17th February 2023 at Thiruvananthapuram



3. CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

This has been an inevitable part of any corporate business establishment in India.

These corporates should invest a certain percentage of their profit share into education, poverty, gender equality and any other philanthropic activities. Almost all the projects at Rajagiri outREACH are supported by these corporates in implementing the projects in different areas of the state.

Certain corporates like Carborundum Universal Ltd, K.P. Paul Foundation, Rotary Club (Kalamassery), Geojit Financial Services Ltd., Sud-Chemie India Pvt. Ltd., Manjilas Food Tech Pvt. Ltd. (Double Horse), Cochin Shipyard Limited and many others are part of the funding in implementing these projects along with Rajagiri outREACH. CSR should always be sustainable by involving activities that an organization can uphold without negatively affecting their business.

Rajagiri outREACH has partnered with Companies and Corporate Foundations since its inception and has carried out many pioneering social projects in Kerala. With the introduction of CSR as Section 135 in Companies Act, 2013, the partnership has further strengthened and now offers an array of unique programmes. The programmes are uniquely designed and implemented to cater to the interest of both corporates and the community. The thematic area of these programmes falls in Education, Elder Care, Women / Tribes Empowerment, Health and Environment amongst many others. Gist of CSR programmes conducted in the reporting year is given below:

1 SUD CHEMIE INDIA PVT. LTD.



The company intends to provide, contribute and share time and resources, in a responsible manner, with the society and environment they operate in and with the nation at large. Their vision is to uphold and promote the principles of inclusive growth with equitable development to serve national priorities and create enduring societal values aimed to enhance national wealth by enriching value chains that encompass the less privileged and to provide meaningful emphasis to environmental sustainability.

As part of the CSR programme Sud-Chemie India Pvt. Ltd., focuses on Higher Education Scholarship programme, Women Entrepreneurship, Child Scholarship, Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens and Summer Vacation Souhrudam Camps.

2 CARBORUNDUM UNIVERSAL LTD (CUMI)



The Murugappa Group is known for its tradition of philanthropy and community service. The Group's philosophy is to reach out to the community by establishing service-oriented philanthropic institutions in the field of education and healthcare as the core focus areas. Carborundum Universal Limited "The Company" has been upholding the Group's tradition by earmarking a part of its income for carrying out its social responsibilities.

As part of CSR programme, CUMI focuses on child Scholarship programme, educational kit distribution, honoured the students of the community, those who had secured high marks in Std. 10th

& 12th, observation of important days like environment day, elders' day, personality development programmes, counselling & guidance, Souhrudam and career guidance camps, Women empowerment, youth empowerment programmes, etc.

3

GEOJIT FINANCIAL SERVICES



Geojit Financial Services Ltd. is a leading retail financial services company in India with a growing presence in the Middle East. The company rides on its rich experience in the capital market to offer its clients a wide portfolio of savings and investment solutions.

Right from inception Geojit Financial Services Ltd. has been carrying out its business in a socially responsible manner. From carrying out extensive campaigns on financial literacy on savings and investments to giving contributions to philanthropic and charitable causes such as support for pursuing higher education, for treatment of chronic diseases etc, the Company has been doing its bit to promote the welfare of the society. In 2005, a more focused approach was adopted in supporting social causes and since then the emphasis shifted to undertaking more long term and sustainable projects.

As part of CSR programme, Geojit Financial Services Ltd., focuses on Child Scholarship and Vayovandhanam Programmes.

As part of extending the CSR initiatives of Geojit Financial Services Ltd and Geojit Foundation the Geojit Student Development Program has been newly launched at Karumalloor and Alangad Grama Panchayats in the Ernakulam District. The inauguration of the Student Development Program at Karumalloor and Alangad was launched on 15th October 2022 with the inclusion of 100 children in each Panchayat. The total students supported by Geojit has presently reached to 865 children in 7 Panchayats.

4

K. P. PAUL FOUNDATION



K.P. Paul Foundation commenced in the memory of K.P Paul Founder of M/s Popular Vehicles & Services and began its association with Rajagiri outREACH in the year 2008. The programme is being implemented at Thrissur with the intention to make women self-reliant and sustainable through Entrepreneurship Programmes. They aim to provide financial assistance, technical and professional support to needy and eligible women to become micro-entrepreneurs and thus making them self-reliant and self-sustainable.

K. P. Paul Foundation focuses on Women Entrepreneurship activities like Jewellery making, drums making, goat/cow rearing, DTP, snacks making, flour mill, candle making, flower making, etc. There are 453 Women Beneficiaries in 470 units under this project. During this reporting period, the beneficiaries were supported to initiate Entrepreneurship in Beauty parlour, coconut oil making, pappadam making, ornamental fish farming, tailoring, grass gardening, poultry farming, provisions

shop, cake baking unit, serial lights unit, DTP Centre, cow / goat rearing, pig farming, fish farming, jasmine flower nursery, catering, mobile fish and vegetable unit and other such activities.

5

MANJILAS FOOD TECH PVT. LTD



Manjilas, the Mother brand of Double Horse, was founded in the year 1959, as a rice milling company selling high-quality rice grains. The brands, on the strength of its commitment to deliver only the best to its customers have witnessed a phenomenal growth over the years, today, Manjilas Double Horse offers its customers the widest variety of good food with more than 20 superior types of rice and 250 premium quality food products in different ranges. Manjilas Double Horse revolutionized the food sector in Kerala becoming the first ISO 9001:2000 certified Rice Mill in the state and the first food brand to introduce sortex rice, stoneless rice and colour grading.

As a part of CSR initiative Manjilas Food Tech Pvt. Ltd., focuses on Child Scholarship Programme, observation of important days, excursions, field trip, Souhrudam camp, etc., at Nenmara in Palakkad District and Kottekad in Thrissur District.

6

INDIAN OIL CORPORATION LTD. (IOCL)



Indian Oil Corporation Limited

As a Brand with one of the largest customer interfaces in India, Indian Oil reaches precious petroleum fuels to every nook and corner of the country through its network of over 58,000 plus customer touch-points, surmounting the challenges of tough terrain, climate and accessibility. The marketing network is bolstered by 70.05 MMTPA of Refining Capacity and more than 15,000 KM of cross-country pipelines. Moreover, Indian Oil's R&D Centre at Faridabad, one of Asia's finest in down stream petroleum R&D, offers a competitive advantage to the Corporation through world-class technology and process solutions and innovative products. Indian Oil R&D has also been instrumental in pioneering path-breaking research to leverage the potential of Hydrogen and other cleaner fuels for the sustainable progress of the nation. One of India's most socially responsive brands, Indian Oil, has successfully combined its corporate social responsibility agenda with its business offerings. The Corporation has been partnering with communities in which it operates by supporting numerous initiatives connected with health, family welfare, education, environment protection, potable water, sanitation, empowerment of women and other marginalised groups.

Indian Oil Corporation Ltd. (IOCL) is such an agency that has been taking part in the efforts of the Government for the last few years in minimizing the road accidents. Over the years, IOCL has taken lead to impart road safety awareness to its truck crew. In previous years, the IOCL in association with Rajagiri College of Social Sciences had organized a seminar on '**Road Safety and First Aid**' for its **37 Tank Truck Crew**. At this juncture, as a continuation of this program, the IOCL in association with Rajagiri outREACH had organized **24 training programmes** on '**Road Safety**' and **Basic Life Support (BLS) and First Aid**' for its Tank Truck Crew.



Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd. (HPCL) is one of the largest public sector enterprises under the administrative control of the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Government of India, having ‘Maharatna’ status. HPCL stands 149th and 147th by market capitalisation as of March 31, 2023, at the BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE). It has a strong presence in the petroleum refining and marketing sector.

HPCL has always strived to be a model of excellence and a catalyst of transformation in all its endeavours be it business prosperity or its commitment to society. It has always believed in creating shared values and delivering happiness through its various initiatives that have touched millions of lives. The CSR projects are well established and are in sync & seek inspiration from issues of national importance and Government of India policies like National Health Mission, National Skill Development Mission, Clean India Movement, ‘Transformation of Aspirational Districts’ program and other policies on rural/community development. HPCL has been conferred with the first National CSR Awards by the Government of India in the category ‘Contribution to National Priority Areas: Education’ for project Nanhi Kali and Honourable Mention in the category ‘Contribution to National Priority Areas: Support to Differently Abled’ for project ADAPT.

Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd. (HPCL) is an agency that has been taking part in the efforts of Government for the last few years in minimising the road accidents. Over the years, the HPCL has taken the lead to impart road safety awareness to its crew. HPCL had organized **3 Road Safety Awareness Training** for it’s tank & truck crews in collaboration with Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery.



Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL) is an Indian government-owned oil and gas explorer and producer. It is under the ownership of the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Government of India, headquartered in Mumbai, Maharashtra. It operates two large refineries in Kochi and Mumbai. India's second-largest downstream government-owned, it was ranked 309th on the 2020 Fortune list of the world's biggest corporations, and 792nd on Forbes's 2021 "Global 2000" list.

Implementation of the “**Ban Single-Use Plastic Campaign**” **across Schools in Ernakulam District under Swachhata Pakhwada**, Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, was jointly organized by Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL), Kochi, Kerala, India, Malayala Manorama, Kochi, Kerala, India, Deputy Director of Education, Government of Kerala and the Council of CBSE Schools, Rajagiri outREACH and Department of Social Work, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, Kerala, India, from 1st July 2022 to 15th July, 2022, as part of creating awareness among school children about (a) avoiding single-use plastic (b) need to reduce reuse recycle other plastic.

4. CHILD CENTERED PROGRAMMES



Child development is a process or method of support provided to the child so as to enable the achievement of their maximum potential despite the various socio-economic disadvantages they face in the current society. It's a continuous process that focuses on making the child capable of self-reliance. Financial support for their education, personality development, socialization, health and security interventions are a few of the initiatives that come under the Child Development Programme.

A child's development can also be achieved through community development initiatives that can have a positive indirect impact on the child. An important feature of the Child Development Programme is that it ensures that the interventions are carried out keeping in mind that she/he stays with a family (either with their own parents or a relatives' family or in foster care) and never is she/he placed in an institutionalised care.

Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, reaches out to eligible children through Scholarship Programme, for bettering their future.

Rajagiri outREACH is presently supporting **1738** children from all over Kerala, by initiating and conducting a variety of child-centered programmes namely:

- Distribution of Education Kit
- Medical Assistance
- Children's meet
- Parent's meet
- Awareness class on various topics beneficial to children and parents
- Offline / Online Sessions
- Observation of Important days / Festivals
- Child Rights' week observation
- House visits
- Submission of progress report to sponsors
- Community teaching programme, Camps, etc.
- Distribution of Academic Excellence Award

Rajagiri outREACH has
attained the mark of
supporting **1738**
Children spread over **29**
Centres in Kerala

Rajagiri outREACH has scaled new heights in this area with the support of Management, Central & State Government Departments, Corporate Sectors, Foundations, CASP, NGOs and Individuals in India as well as Overseas

Objectives

- To support the families through the Child Education Scholarship Programme; continue the education of a child until she/he completes the school education or reaches the age of 18, whichever is earlier
- To ensure the holistic development of the child in spite of their poor socio-economic background
- To help the children to choose their career according to their capabilities
- To provide support to the communities of children for development and to improve the quality of their life style

CHILD EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME UNDER CORPORATES, ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS, AND NGOs

The Education Scholarship programme reaches out to deserving children by providing them with the means for a better future.

Rajagiri outREACH reaches out to children who are:

- *Economically backward, differently-abled and from broken families.*
- *Flood Affected, COVID-19 survivors, etc.*

**Rajagiri outREACH - Educational Scholarship Fund Distributed to 1738 Sponsored Children at
29 Locations
From 1st April 2022 to 31st March 2023**

SL.NO	CENTRE	NUMBER OF STUDENTS	DATE OF DISTRIBUTION	SOCIAL WORKER	INAUGURATION	SPONSOR
1.	KALAMASSERY- RAJAGIRI COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES	64	September 2022	LINDA	Transfer	Kinder, Individual, Rajagiri Public School, High School
2.	KAKKANAD - TRANSCEND	53	June 18, 2022	LIGI	Dr. Manoj Mathew	Rajagiri Buiness School
3.	CHRISTU JAYANTHI	75	September 17, 2022	RANJITH	Fr. Varghese Puthusserry	RCJPS
4.	KARAKUNNU	30	September 15, 2022	RANJITH	Transfer	Kinder For Kinder, Individual & Sabs
5.	PARAVOOR - Scattered	6	November 2022	RANJITH	Mr. Ranjith K.U.	Kinder For Kinder
6.	NJARACKAL	10	November 2022	RANJITH	Kudumbashree Cds Vice Chairperson, Njarcakal	Kinder For Kinder
7.	KUTTANAD - Scattered	26	December 2022	RANJITH	Mr. Ranjith K.U.	Kinder For Kinder
8.	KOTHAD - Scattered	7	December 2022	RANJITH	Mr. Ranjith K.U.	Kinder For Kinder
9.	KUNNATHUNADU	44	December 2022	LIGI	Mr. Ranjith K.U.	Kinder For Kinder
10.	CHUNANGAMVELY- KRIPA	28	Jun-22	CANDICE	Fr. Dibin	Kinder For Kinder
11.	VISWAJYOTHI	52	May-22	CANDICE	Fr. Joshy	Viswajyothi Public School, Kinder For Kinder , Individual Sponsors
12.	EDAVANAKKAD	110	Jan 13, 2023	LINDA & RANJITH	Transfer	TdH,Denmark , Kinder For Kinder

13.	OLLUR	4	March 25, 2023	DIVYA	Mr. Ranjith K.U.	Kinder For Kinder
14.	RAMANCHERY	26	March 5, 2023	RANJITH	Mr. Pramod Chandran	Kinder For Kinder
15.	KALAMASSERY- ASK CENTRE	50	September 8, 2022	DONY	Mr. Suresh	CUMI Kalamassery
16.	KORATTY	30	September 25, 2022	DONY	Mr. Suresh	CUMI, Koratty
17.	VADAKARAPATHY	100	July 17, 2022	GRACIOUS	Mr. Murali	Geojit Financial Services
18.	PERUMANNA	100	July 28, 2022	GRACIOUS	Mr. Vishnu	Geojit Financial Services
19.	POTHANIKKAD	115	June 10, 2022	GEORGE	Mr. N.M. Joseph, GP President	Geojit Financial Services
20.	PAINGOTTOOR	150	June 10, 2022	GEORGE	Ms. Seema Sibi GP , President	Geojit Financial Services
21.	BUDHANNOOR	200	July 15, 2022	GEORGE	Ms. Pushpa Latha GP, President	Geojit Financial Services
22.	KARUMALLOOR	100	October 15, 2022	GEORGE	Ms. Sathilal, G.P.President	Geojit
23.	ALANGAD	100	October 15, 2022	GEORGE	Mr. M. Manaf,GP President	Geojit
24.	NENMARA	50	Jan-23	DIVYA	Mr. Akhil Tm, Secretary	Manjilas Food Tech (Double Horse)
25.	KOTTEKKAD	50	Jan-23	DIVYA	Mr. Sanjay George , CEO	Manjilas Food Tech (Double Horse)
26.	PADAVARAD	20	May-22	DIVYA	Sr. Lee Jose Sabs	Padavarad Adoration Centre
27.	EDAYAR - BINANIPURAM	72	September 24 & 28, 2022	BINISHA	Transfer – Mr. Saji V. Mathew	Sud Chemie
28.	ARATTUPUZHA	43	April 1, 2022	RANJITH	Mr. Vijayan	TdH Denmark
29.	ONE TIME SCHOLARSHIP (SCATTERED)	23	September 2022	RANJITH	Mr. Ranjith K.U.	CASP
	TOTAL	1738				

CHILD EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME UNDER CORPORATES

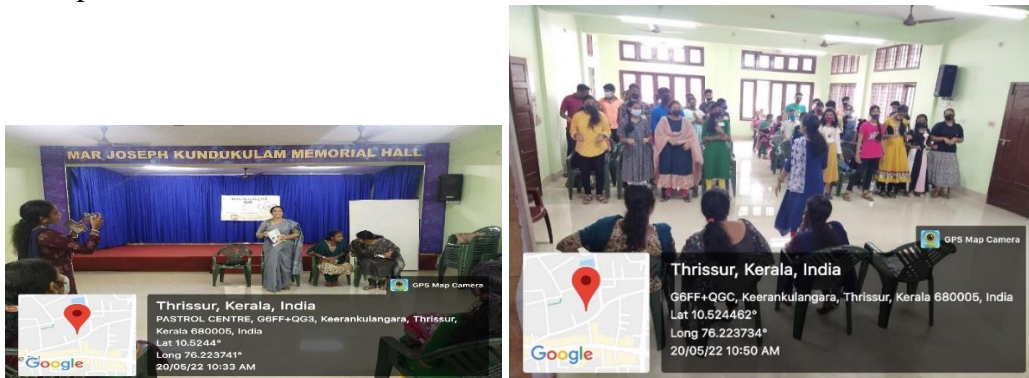
A. CSR Initiatives of Manjilas Food Tech Pvt. Ltd., (Double Horse) – Child Education Scholarship Programme

Manjilas Food Tech Pvt. Ltd. (Double Horse) sponsored **50 children** at Nenmara in Palakkad District and **50 children** at Kottekad in Thrissur District. A total of **100 children** were sponsored as part of their CSR Project, during this reporting period.

Activities conducted from April 2022 to March 2023:

1. Souhrudam Camp 2022 held on 20/05/2022 at Catholic Center, East Fort, Thrissur

Rajagiri outREACH and Double Horse organized the one day Souhrudam camp at Thrissur. The camp was inaugurated by Shri. Reji Roy, Corporation Councillor of Thrissur. Mrs. Divya Rajesh, Social Worker of Rajagiri outREACH, Kalamassery delivered the welcome speech. Mrs. Maria Tency, Senior Donor Service Officer of Rajagiri outREACH gave a brief introduction about the aim of the camp. Ms. Athira and Mr. Jaison Varghese also participated in the camp and took a session about Kaval project. The theme of the Camp was ‘**Sasthram Souhrdhathinayi**’ The classes were taken by the internship social work students of Rajagiri outREACH. The programme concluded at 4 pm.



Souhrudam Camp inaugurated by Mr. Reji Roy, Corporation Counsellor, Thrissur, on 20.05.2022 & Game Session conducted during the camp’



News Report & Group Photo of Souhrudam Camp for Double Horse Scholarship Children at Thrissur held on 20.05.2022

2. PIC Meeting held on 11/07/2022 at Thrissur

The Project Implementation Committee Meeting scheduled with Manjilas Food Tech. Pvt. Ltd., (Double Horse) and Rajagiri outREACH was held on 11th July 2022 at their office in Thrissur. The meeting commenced at 10.00 AM, where the Company Secretary Mr. Akhil T M, pitched about the various programs they have initiated and how it will be impactful to the children. Considering the drawbacks that occurred due to Covid-19, the company have come up with skillful plans and camps. The Program Budget (each) was requested by the Company Secretary to understand the various aspects before implementation. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH suggested to provide nutritional food to the children during the meetings conducted regularly for the children. The GM & HR of Double Horse, Mr. Stanley Chirayath, promised to lend a helping hand in supporting the future of the children by providing educational support who are interested to join for ITI. Refreshments were provided to all and the program was officially concluded by 4.00 PM.



Delegates of the Meeting held at Paravattani, Thrissur on 11.07.2022

3. Children's Meeting at Kotttekad

The Children's Meeting was organized with the support of Double Horse at Thanal Hall Choolissery, Kootekad on 2nd July 2022. This monthly organized event was conducted by Ms.Divya P G (Social Worker at Rajagiri outREACH) and it focused on appreciating the students those who secured A+ Grade during their SSC Class X. Among the 36 students, two students who met this criterion were awarded and felicitated by the officials and everyone received an opportunity to interact with each other.



Children's Meeting at Kotttekad held on 02.07.2022 at Thanal Hall Choolissery, Kotttekad, Thrissur

4. Adolescence Education Class held on 06.08.2022 at Kotttekad, Thrissur

An Adolescence Education Class was conducted on 06.08.2022 at Kotttekad, Thrissur, as part of Rajagiri outREACH initiative to the students to engage them in understanding the concepts of physical change, adolescent health and various other topics. The introductory speech was given by Ms. Divya and the classes were administered by Ms. Reshmi, Junior Health Inspector, Avannoor Panchayath. With a crowd of 42 students, the children interacted with each other and attained a great experience for themselves. The Vote of thanks was delivered by Ms.Nandini A V, the Committee President. The class commenced by 10:30 AM, the event concluded by 1.00 PM and refreshments were provided to the children.



Session on Adolescent Education held on 06.08.2022 at Kotttekad, Thrissur

5. Onam Celebration held on 02.09.2022 at Kotttekad

Onam Celebration was organized for the Children on 02.09.2022 at Bedhani Convent, Kotttekad, Thrissur, in collaboration with Double Horse Manjilas. The celebration commenced by 10:30 a.m., with a prayer by Aswathy (Scholarship Child). The program was inaugurated by Ms. Aggi Elsa, the Board Member of Double Horse and the welcome speech was addressed by Ms. Divya. Gift boxes were distributed to the students who attained A+ grade in SSC & SSLC Examinations. Onam Sadhya was prepared together by all the people who attended the program spreading happiness and gratitude.



Onam Celebration for the Scholarship Children of Manjilas at Kotttekad held on 02/09/22

6. Children's Day Celebration at Kottekad, Thrissur

On 05.11.2022, children's day was celebrated at Kottekad for the Scholarship Children supported by Manjilas. About 36 students along with some of their parents attended the programme. The programme began with prayer and welcome speech by the students. Mrs. Divya, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH, gave an introduction to the programme and four MSW 1st year internship students namely Aneena P.S., Anu Rose Augustine, Ananthan Padmanabhan and Sumalu Thomas of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences assisted in the programme. The session was on making crafts such as Home décor, bookmarks etc. Refreshments were provided at the end of the session. The decisions were also made related to the excursion for the children.



Children's Day Celebration at Kottekad, Thrissur, held on 05.11.2022

7. Christmas and New Year Celebration, at Kottekad, Thrissur on 31.12.2022

Christmas and New Year Celebrations were hosted for children of the Child Scholarship Program at Kottekad, Thrissur on 31.12.2022. The program was conducted in collaboration with Manjilas Food Tech Ltd and Rajagiri outREACH at Choolissery Thanal Hall. About 40 students participated in the celebration along with 6 committee members.



The program began at 10:30 AM with a prayer song by Ms. Malavika, a Scholarship Student, and an opening speech by Mrs. Usha V. R., Committee President. Rajagiri outREACH staff member Mrs. Divya P. G., delivered a message for the new year. Following that, the kids sliced the cake. Juice and cake slices were served to the children. At 1:00 pm, Master Joel Joseph gave a vote of gratitude to conclude the program.



Christmas celebration conducted on 31st December 2022 at Kottekad, Thrissur

8. Children's Meeting at Kottekad Thrissur, held on 07.01.2023

The children's meeting at Kottekad was conducted on the 7th of January 2023, (Saturday) for the children of Child Scholarship Programme at Kottekad, Thrissur. The programme was conducted in collaboration with Manjilas Food Tech. Pvt. Ltd. (Double Horse) and Rajagiri outREACH at Thanal Hall, Kottekad, Thrissur. About 40 students participated in the programme. The programme started at 10:30 am and the welcome speech was given by committee president Ms Mariyamma. The programme was conducted by Mrs Divya PG, outREACH staff about the value of personal relationships. Afterwards, juice and biscuits were distributed among the children. The program ended by 1 pm with a vote of thanks delivered by Mr. Manikandan, a student attendee of the programme



9. Community Awareness at Kottekad, Thrissur, held on 04.03.2023

On the 4th of March 2023, the Kaval Plus team conducted a training program on **Parent-Child Relationship Management** in collaboration with Rajagiri outREACH at Kottekad. Awareness among participants of the practical strategies for resolving parent-child conflict through group discussions and activities was discussed and elaborated. More than 25 parents and children participated in the training session.



Community awareness programme at Kottekad held on 4th March 2023

B. Activities of Child Scholarship at Naripatta, Nenmara, Palakkad under Manjilas Food Tech Pvt. Ltd. (Double Horse)

1. Souhrudam Camp 2022 held on 26/05/2022 at Nenmara, Erimayoor - Palakkad

Rajagiri outREACH and Manjilas Double Horse organized a one-day Souhrudam camp at Erimayur, Palakkad. The camp was inaugurated by Mr. Premkumar, Panchayath President of Erimayur. Mrs.Divya Rajesh, Social Worker of Rajagiri outREACH, conveyed the welcome speech and introduce the camp. The classes were taken by the internship social work students of Rajagiri outREACH. The theme of the camp was ‘Sasthram Souhrdhatinayi’. The programme concluded at 4.30 pm.



Souhrudam Camp inaugurated by Mr. Prem Kumar, Grama Panchyath President Erumayoor, Palakkad, on 26.05.2022 & Group pic of Souhrudam Camp

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മഞ്ഞിലാസ് ഗ്രൂപ്പും കളമശേരി രാജഗിരി ഓട്ട് റിച്ജും ചേർന്ന് കുട്ടികൾക്കായി സൗഹൃദം ക്യാമ്പ് സംഘടിപ്പിച്ചു. ‘ശാന്ത്രം ബാല സൗഹൃദത്തിനായി’ എന്ന വിഷയത്തിൽ ക്യാമ്പ് പഞ്ചായത്ത് പ്രസിഡന്റ് എ പ്രൊക്യൂമാർ ഉദ്ഘാടനം ചെയ്തു.



Camp News at Erimayoor

Ice breaking session

2. Adolescent Education Class at Nenmara on 22nd July, 2022

An adolescence education class was conducted at Erimayoor Panchayat in Nenmara on 22nd of July, 2022. Officials from CHC (Community Health Centre), Pazhambalacode interacted with the students about the importance of adolescent age. JHI Sugathan and JPHN Panjajam, officials from FHC (Family Health Centre) Kunissery educated the children by sharing their life experiences with them. Adolescent Health Counsellor, Bibi T.K., shared the events she had witnessed throughout her career to make the students better understand the importance of adolescent education. 34 students took part in the event. The programme was coordinated by Mrs. Divya P.G., Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH. The children were provided refreshments. The programme began by 11 a.m. ended by 1 p.m.



Adolescence Class at Nenmara, Palakkad, held on 22.07.2022

3. Onam Celebration at Nenmara, Palakkad, held on 17.09.2022

Onam Celebration was organized for the children in collaboration with Manjilas Food Tech (Double Horse) and Rajagiri outREACH at Erumayur Panchayath Hall, Nenmara, Palakkad on 17.09.2022. The program began by 10:30 am with a prayer song by Ms.Sini and welcome speech by Ms. Divya Rajesh, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH. A beautiful heartfelt Onam message was delivered by Ms. Malathy M, Guest Lecture at GHSS Kunissery. Many games and small events were organized for the children and they made Pookalam (Flower Carpet), and the celebration concluded after having Onam Sadhya by 2.00 pm.

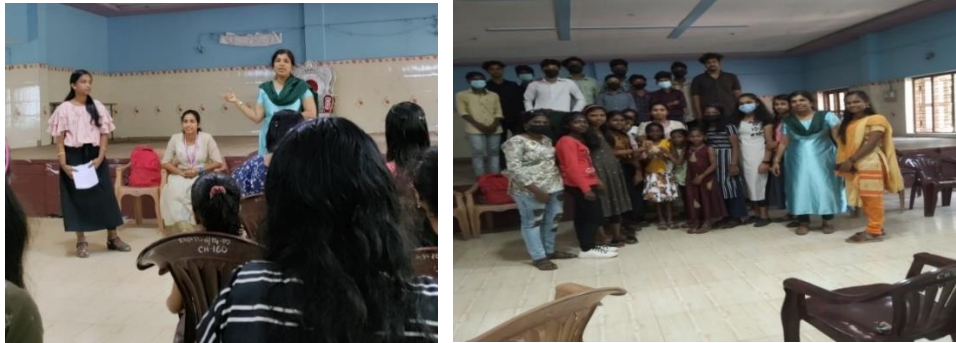


Onam Celebration at Nenmara, Palakkad, held on 17.09.2022

4. Spoken English Class at Cheramangalam, Nenmara

Spoken English class was conducted at Cheramangalam for the children's of Manjilas Food Tech PvS. Ltd., Child Education Scholarship Programme on 15.10.2022. The class was conducted at

Cheramangalam Panchayat Community Hall. The session was conducted by Ms. Sumalu Thomas, MSW 1st year internship student of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery. The class began at 10:30 am. The session began with a prayer. Kumari Sivaranjini delivered the welcome speech. Mrs. Divya, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH, gave an introduction to the session and Ms. Sumalu Thomas handled the spoken English class. About 28 students participated in the class. The class concluded with vote of thanks by Shilpa. The programme came to an end at 1.00 pm.



Spoken English Class conducted for the Manjilas Scholarship Children at Cheramangalam, Nenmara, on 15.10.2022

5. Children’s Day Celebration at Alathoor, Nenmara

Children’s day was celebrated for the Students of Manjilas at Palakkad on 19.11.2022. The programme was conducted at Erimayoor Panchayat Hall. About 30 students and some of their parents participated in the program. The programme began with prayer and welcome speech by a student. Mrs. Divya, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH, gave the introduction and Ms. Sumalu Thomas, MSW 1st year internship student of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, conducted the session, on life skills and interacted with the children. Sweets were distributed at the end of the session



Children’s Day Celebration at Alathoor, Nenmara held on 19.11.2022



Children's Day Celebration at Nenmara, Palakkad, held on 19.11.2022

6. Children's Meeting at Nenmara, Palakkad, held on 21.01.2023

The Children's meeting was conducted on the 21st of January, 2023 for the children of the Child Education Scholarship Programme at Nenmara, Palakkad. The programme was conducted in collaboration with Manjilas Food Tech Pvt. Ltd. (Double Horse) and Rajagiri outREACH at Narippatta Mill. About 24 students participated in the programme. The programme started at 11.00 am with a prayer song by one of the Scholarship students Ms.Apsara. The programme was conducted by Mrs. Divya P, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH, about the value and importance of personal relationships. Afterwards, tea and snacks were distributed for the children. The programme ended by 1 pm with a vote of thanks by Ms Rudhra



Session on values of Personal Relationships conducted by Mrs. Divya P G, Social Worker, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences on 21st of January 2023

7. Children's Meeting at Nenmara, Palakkad, held on 25.02.2023

The children's meeting was held on the 25th of February, 2023 as a part of the Child Scholarship Programme at Nenmara, Palakkad. The programme was conducted in collaboration with Manjilas Food Tech Pvt. Ltd., and Rajagiri outREACH at Naripatta mill, Palakkad.



Around 30 students took part in the event. The programme started at 11.00 am with a prayer song by one of the students, Kumari. Sini and later on followed by sessions conducted by Mrs Divya PG, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH on the topic **Value of Time Management** for the children.

The programme ended at 1.00 pm with a vote of thanks delivered by the student, Pramod. Afterwards tea and snacks were distributed for the children and other participants.

8. Parents' Meeting held at Nenmara, Palakkad, on 25.03.2023

A Parents' meeting was held on 25th of March 2023, at Nenmara. The programme was conducted in collaboration with Manjilas Food Tech Pvt. Ltd. (Double Horse) and Rajagiri outREACH at Naripatta Mill. Around 35 parents took part in the program. The meeting began at 11.00 am with a prayer song by the child Scholarship student, Kumari. Mrudhula.

Mrs Divya P G, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH, was in- charge of the session and discussed about keeping and cherishing healthy parent-child relationship and bond within the family. The programme ended around 1.00 pm with a vote of thanks speech by the Scholarship student Kumari. Anagha. Later on, tea and snacks were distributed for the parents and volunteers.



Parents meeting held at Nenmara on 25th March 2023 on the Values of Parenting

9. INSPIRE 2022

Career Guidance and Skill Building Programme, held on 29.12.2022 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery



Rajagiri outREACH and Rajagiri College of Social Sciences organized a one-day Career Guidance and Skill Building program for students of class 10th, 11th and 12th respectively. The program was jointly conducted with the extended CSR support of 'Sud Chemie', 'CUMI' and 'Double Horse'. Students gathered around from different parts of Kerala such as Ernakulam, Thrissur and Palakkad districts to take part in the program. A total of 75 students, affiliated to various Scholarship programmes provided at Rajagiri outREACH, attended the sessions effectively.

The Career Guidance and Skill Building sessions were taken by Ms. Jaseela M, representing Triple 'N' Training Academy. With respect to the main event, a 'Drug Prevention Awareness session' was also conducted for the students by Mr. Krishnakumar, ODIC (Outreach Drop-In Centre), Rajagiri outREACH. The Inaugural ceremony officially began with a hearty welcome speech by Mr. Gracious George, greeting all the distinguished dignitaries on the dais. Ms. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director at Rajagiri outREACH, inaugurated the event and addressed the gathering.



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, addressing the gathering at Career Guidance and Skill Building - Inaugural Ceremony, Rajagiri outREACH

The first session of Career Guidance and Skill Building, led by Ms. Jaseela M, turned out to be an interactive and informative one, with the inclusion of selected games and group activities. She assisted the students by introducing them to different career prospects to be opted after Higher Secondary Education. The session benefitted the students by creating an understanding on different career options available and the trajectory to be followed towards a suitable career that aligns with the student's interests.



Career Guidance and Skill Building Programme on 29th December 2022 at Chavara Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences

After lunch, the programme resumed with a session on 'Substance abuse and prevention' by the ODIC member Mr. Krishnakumar. He elaborated on the instances that could encourage the youth into substance abuse and viable solutions to tackle and prevent the same.



The program ended successfully with a final session on Skill Building led by Ms. Jaseela, providing insights to the students as well as stressing on the development of various skills such as leadership, critical thinking, creative thinking, etc. that would assist them in building apt career prospects in the near future.

C. CSR Initiatives of Carborundum Universal Ltd., (CUMI) – Child Education Scholarship Programme

CUMI's CSR activities are rooted in the principle, “**towards prosperity in harmony with people and planet**”. For CUMI, Social Responsibility is a great opportunity to make a difference in the society they base in, rather than just a legal obligation. Each and every CSR programme formulated and implemented by CUMI are focused on achieving inclusive growth and sustainable development of the communities with which CUMI is engaged. **50 children are being sponsored from 4 wards in Kalamassery**, Ernakulam District. This year **30 more children were selected from Koratty** for the child Scholarship programme. A total of **80 children are being supported by CUMI**. The Launching of ASK Centre at Koratty for conducting the programmes, was during this reporting year.

Skill Development, Education, Health, Women Empowerment and Sustainability are the areas in which CUMI's CSR initiatives are programmed. Community development projects under CUMI's CSR initiative are exemplary tales of a special bond with its stakeholders. Community development initiatives of CUMI are based on the principle “of the people, by the people and for the people”. CUMI Centre for Skill Development (CCSD) and ASK Centre (Attitude, Skill & Knowledge Development Centre) are the two major community development initiatives of the company. These projects are implemented and monitored by a steering committee as well that includes representatives from the beneficiary community.

CUMI invests in a very committed manner in socially responsible activities with the help of Rajagiri outREACH. The major programme of interventions formulated and implemented through Rajagiri outREACH partnership are in the areas listed below:

- **Child Development**
- **Community Level Interventions**
- **Education & Skill Development**

Activities conducted for the Children of Child Education Scholarship Programme of CUMI

1. World Environment Day Observation 2022

The World Environment Day 2022's theme was '**Only One Earth**', and it was hosted in Sweden. Only One Earth' — **focusing on living sustainably in harmony with nature** — as the theme. In commemorating the World Environment Day, CUMI, through Rajagiri outREACH, conducted a celebration on 5th June 2022. Every year CUMI Ask Center, Karmakendra initiated to conduct environment day observation and CUMI Scholarship children planted a sapling and Kalamassery municipality 41th ward counselor joined and distributed saplings to CUMI Scholarship children.



World Environment Day Observation 2022

i. Awareness Class on Child Abuse held at CUMI ASK Centre Kalamassery, on 21st May 2022

Day 1- Class for Children

The programme was conducted at Rotary Club, Karma Kendra, Vattekunnu, Kalamassery. It was organized by Childline Kochi and Rajagiri outREACH and sponsored by CUMI (Carborundum Universal Ltd), South Kalamassery. The programme was initiated through the welcome speech by Mrs. Joicy Thomas, Kaval Plus project, Rajagiri outREACH.



Ms Joicy Thomas giving Welcome Speech

It's the project done by Belgium students Kaylee and Eva as part of their internship in Rajagiri outREACH. The program was hosted by Ms. Punya Prathap from Christ College, Irinjalakuda, Session started with a game organised by Kaylee and Eva to make the children familiarise with the Child Rights. They were made into 5 groups and said to match the cards.



Game Session for CUMI Scholarship Children

After the entertaining and knowledgeable game session, intern student of outREACH Mr. Dhanesh Sukumaran from Sree Narayana Guru College, Paingottor, gave a brief on what is child abuse and different types of child abuses followed by Aswathy Shaju from the same college who made the children familiarise with the situation for abuse that children are never themselves to blame for maltreatment and what to do if you are a victim. The children got to know about laws which is only meant for them, includes the POCSO Act and JJ Act by Hema Thomas from Sree Narayana Guru College, Paingottor. As defence against every abuse, Ms. Punya Prathap and Ms. Anna Baby from Christ College, Irinjalakuda gave 7 important tips to self-defence.



Internship students conducted class

Students from Mar Gregorios College of Law, Trivandrum did the Photography of the class and BSW students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery, Mr. Rohit Francis and Sam assisted Eva and Kaylee for the game session and did the videography of the entire programme. The class began at 2.30 pm and ended at 4.30 pm, 37 students participated in the class. The registration procedures was taken care by internship students of Rajagiri outREACH Eldo from Mar Baselious College, Kothamangalam and Punya Prathap, concluded the program by giving the Vote of Thanks.

Day 2 - Class for Parents

The Second day's programme occurred under the guidance of Staff, Ms. Rose Maria from FCC (Rajagiri Family Counselling Centre) and Mr. Anandhu from Jananidhi Project, Rajagiri outREACH. The class started at 11.30 am and only 6 parents came for the session so we formed a circle and began the class. Ms. Punya Prathap from Christ College, Irinjalakuda hosted the program. Mr. Dhanesh Sukumaran from Sree Narayana Guru College, Paingottoor conducted a class about **“what is child abuse and types of child abuse”**. Ms. Hema Thomas from the same college conducted an awareness session on **“How do we talk and warn children about child abuse and how do we react when a child has been abused –DO's and DON'Ts”** followed by Ms. Aswathy Shaju, from Sree Narayana Guru College, Paingottoor, who spoke about **“ What are the signs of a child being possibly abused”** and **“How, Where and When do we report child abuse”**. Ms. Punya Prathap and Ms. Anna Baby from Christ College, Irinjalakuda briefly explained the role play exercise to the parents.



Internship students interacting with parents

The internship students allowed the parents to quote and share their worries and thoughts on the topic child abuse and screen addiction, which lead the session into a more interactive and fruitful one. BSW students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery, Mr. Rohit Francis and Sam Sunil did the arrangements along with other internship students and did the videography of the entire programme. At the end, Ms. Rose Maria from FCC, briefed the parents about Rajagiri Family Counselling Centre and concluded the programme by giving the Vote of Thanks. The programme ended at 1.00 pm.



Effective Session on Parenting by Ms. Rose Maria, Rajagiri Family Counselling Centre

ii. **Summer Souhrudham camp held at CUMI ASK CENTRE Kalamassery on 11th and 12th May 2022**

The Souhrudham Camp was conducted at Chavara Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery on 11th May from 9am to 5pm. The camp was conducted in the Chavara hall (RCSS). A total of 60 children participated in the program. The camp started with a prayer song. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Assistant Director of RCSS and Live Lab Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH, Mr. Ranjith K.U., Senior Development Officer, Mr. Suresh, Senior Manager of Carborandum Universal Limited, Mrs. Linda Chacko, addressed the gathering, Mr. Gigin P S, Social Worker, Mr. George V.A., Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo also presented for the camp. Mr. Ranjith tutored the theme song to the children and volunteers enacted each word of the theme song with an action. After that Mrs.Sini K. S., DCPU interacted with the children.

Date: 12th May 2022

The second day of the camp was conducted in Kalamassery on 12th May 2022 from 9am to 4 pm. The social trainees in order to build rapport building started the session with few games. The activities consisted of vocational activities such as drawing competitions, teaching various group songs, training regarding meditation, breathing exercise. The afternoon session consisted of lessons on life skills which were taught through various fun activities. The camp was successful as the children actively participated in all activities.





Photos of sessions carried out during the CUMI Summer Souhрудam camp at Chavara Hall, RCSS, Kalamassery

iii. Session on “Health” to Adolescent children under CUMI Scholarship

A Health class was conducted for the adolescent children in the CUMI Child Scholarship program, Kalamassery. The class was taken by Dr. Mathew Paul, Physician at PHC Kalamassery on 13/08/2022, Saturday at CUMI ASK Centre, Karma Kendra, Kalamassery. The program was arranged with the intention to provide basic health knowledge and practice to adolescent children and through which, develop a young new generation with good health practices. The class covered the topics of, Types of diseases, Need and duties of Immunity, and Ways through which immunity can be maintained. The program was successful with the active participation of the children and they asked and cleared their health concerns with the resource person. Mr. Suresh Kumar A.S., Senior HR Manager of CUMI, Mr. Gigin P S, Project Coordinator, and Mr. Gracious George, Project Coordinator were present for the program. 22 students attended the session.



Dr. Mathew Paul conducted a Session on “Health” for the Adolescent children under CUMI Scholarship on 13.08.2022

iv. Orientation Program on Spoken English Training

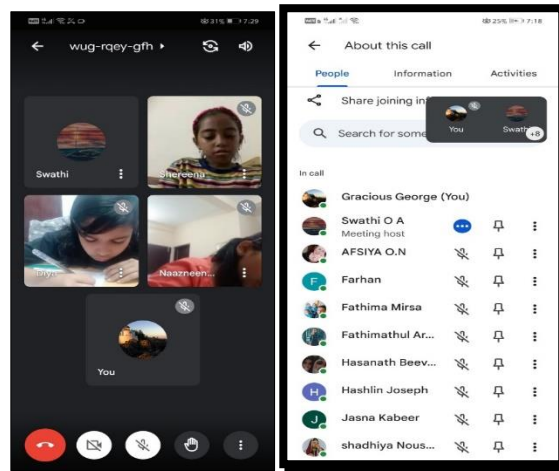
The Child Scholarship Program is ultimately aiming at the development of children in their abilities, from that concern it has planned to provide good and effective communication training to the group. The Scholarship children were informed and gathered together at CUMI Ask Centre Karma Kendra,

Kalamassery, on 15th August 2022, and they were given an orientation on the need and scope of communication through English Language. The class was taken by Rony Michael's Institute one of the leading institutes in Kochi to deal with spoken English training. Students were so excited to listen to the class and all of them showed their interest to join the spoken English training program. It was completely an interactive session so that many students conveyed their doubts and concerns with the representatives of the institute.



Orientation Program on Spoken English Training on 15.08.2022

v. Spoken English Training, held at CUMI Ask Centre on 14-12-2022



The children of CUMI Ask Centre, Kalamassery had gone through 20 sessions of Spoken English training as it was mentioned in the proposal. The training was taken by Bharath Academy, who are pioneers in the field of training and the training was conducted online. The intention behind the training was to make the children capable and confident to deal with the English language especially when they are speaking. The training was following a different method and which was fully focused on the active participation of each participant, and at the end of all the sessions each student showed progress in their English-speaking skill. The classes were conducted on the stipulated time schedule.

vi. PSC Training Orientation

Training for Competitive exams is one of the major objectives of CUMI CSR Project, which aims to make the youth community to be confident enough to attend competitive exams like, PSC, SSC, Civil Service, etc. As part of this, a PSC training orientation program was conducted at CUMI Ask Centre, Karmakendra, Kalamassery, on 15th August 2022 and 24th September 2022. The sessions were taken by the experts from Bharat Academy, an institution working in the field for almost 40 years. The team has conveyed the scope and wide opportunity in the Public Sector and how a person can easily deal with and achieve these opportunities within a short period. The participants were curious to listen to the speakers and most of them haven't even registered at PSC portal till then. The session motivated them and Mr. Suresh Kumar A S, Senior HR Manager of CUMI, Mr. Gigin P S, Project Coordinator, and Mr. Gracious George, Project Coordinator were present for the program. 11 students attended the orientation.

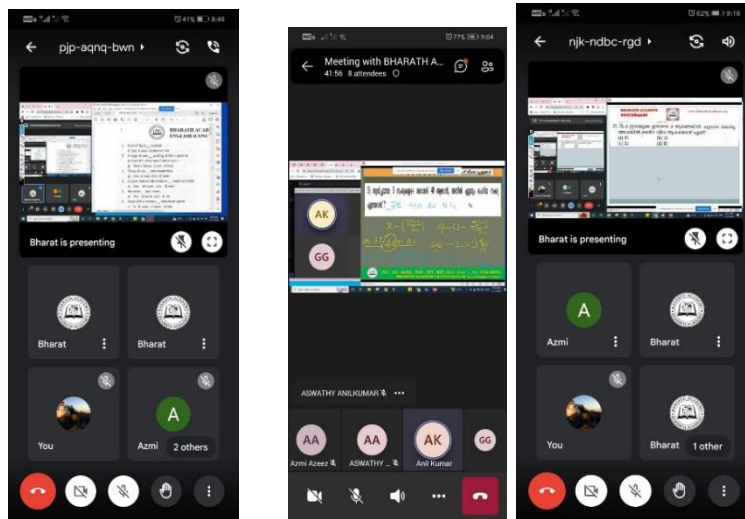


PSC Training Orientation for CUMI Scholarship Children on 15th August 2022 & 24th September 2022

vii. PSC Training

PSC training is a prestigious program implemented as part of the CUMI CSR Project. We could provide 20 days of free PSC training to the people of CUMI ASK CENTRE Kalamassery. The first 10 sessions of classes were conducted at Karma Kendra Vattekkunnam, and rest of the 10 classes conducted through online. The training was taken by Bharat Academy from Kakkanad which has 30 years of experience in the competitive exam training field. The classes started from 28/09/2022 and the last class of the training was held on 04/11/2022. The subjects preferred by the participants were Mathematics and English so that the trainers spent more time on dealing with the preferred subjects.

There were overall 10 participants for the training and since most of them were married and having small children, they attended the class in the alternative days.



viii. **Academic Excellence Award Festival held at CUMI Ask Centre on 05.09.2022**

CUMI ASK Centre Kalamassery, honoured the students from the 38, 39, 40, and 41 wards of Kalamassery Municipality who have secured full A+ in their 10th and 12th standard board exams. There were 12 students who received the awards, and all of them were given a memento and a cash award of Rs.1000/-. CUMI ASK Centre formed this program as an encouragement for the coming generation to bring their best in their future studies. The award ceremony was conducted on 05/09/2022, during the Onam celebration of CUMI ASK Centre, Kalamassery. Many of them received the award during the ceremony and those who couldn't attend the program collected it from Rajagiri outREACH office.





CUMI Academic Excellence Award distribution held on 05.09.2022

ix. Onam Celebration

Onam is a festival celebrated by all the Keralites despite of their religion and caste. Since it is considered as the celebration of prosperity and peace people celebrate the festival with Flowers, Food (Sadya), and Games. CUMI child Scholarship group had conducted an onam celebration on 05/09/2022 Monday, at CUMI Ask Centre, Karmakendra, Vattekkunnam. The program included games, Prize Distribution and serving Paysam, etc. and the children actively participated in all the events of the celebration. After conducting different games the winners were awarded with gifts and all the participants gathered there received gifts as an appreciation of their participation.



Observation of Onam on 05.09.2022 for CUMI Scholarship Children

x. **Drug Prevention Awareness Class**

Considering the present problem with regard to the increased use of drugs among youth and children, a drug prevention awareness class was conducted for CUMI Scholarship Children. The class was conducted by the R-COMBAT project members of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery as part of the Central Government Project Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyan. The Children gathered at CUMI Ask Centre, Karma Kendra Vattekkunnam on 25/09/22 at 10am to attend the program and the program became successful with the active participation of the children. Mr. Ajimsha Jalal took the session representing R-COMBAT project of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery. 14 Children attended the class.



Awareness Session on Drug Prevention conducted for CUMI Scholarship Children on 25.09.2022

xi. **Road Safety Awareness Class**

As part of spreading awareness on '**Road Safety and Rules**' among the young generation, an informative session was arranged by CUMI ASK CENTRE at Karamakendra Vattekkunnam on 16th October 2022. The session was taken by Mr. Chanthu R, Assistant Motor Vehicle Inspector, Kakkannad. There were 40 participants including some parents, who came along with their children to attend the class and all of them actively attended the program. It was an interactive session where all the participants cleared their doubts and made clarification on all their queries. The session included the responsibilities and rules needed to be followed by school children and what were the common mistakes children commit while following the traffic rules. The gathered parents have also shared their doubts and opinions in the meeting. Mr. Suresh Kumar A S, Senior HR Manager of CUMI, and Mr. Gracious George, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH were also present for the program.





Awareness session on 'Road Safety and Rules' conducted by Mr. Chanthu R., Assistant Motor Vehicle Inspector, Kakkanad at Karma Kendra Vattekkunnam on 16.10.2022

xii. Sex Education Class

Rajagiri outREACH coordinated a session on **Sex Education**, conducted at Karmakendra Vattekkunnam, for the Scholarship children on 06/11/2022. CUMI ASK CENTRE has always been concentrating on the liberalistic growth of an individual so that providing information and knowledge to support the process is important. The class covered the topics of 'good touch and bad touch', awareness about sexual identity, abuse prevention techniques and the class discussed about the puberty changes, that children may face during their yearly growth. 12 children participated in the class and they cleared all their doubts during the question answer session at the end of the program. It was an interactive session so that the children could actively participate in the class.



xiii. **Exposure Visit to Kothad Hand Embroidery Unit, held on 07.12.2022 at CUMI Ask Centre**



As part of encouraging the women empowerment activities of the community, CUMI ASK CENTRE conducted an exposure visit to a hand embroidery unit in Kothad on 7th December 2022. The unit is working under the ownership and strong guidance of Mrs. Shosha Varghese, who has expertise in the field of hand embroidery. 15 women from the community around the Carborundum Universal Ltd. of Kalamassery Municipality participated in the exposure visit. It was a full day program where participants got an outstanding experience of the world of hand embroidery. All the participants were brought to the Embroidery Unit; Kothad through Special Bus arranged by Rajagiri outREACH. The program began with the introduction of Mrs. Shosha Varghese about the hand embroidery unit and the history of success led by a single woman herself, and then she showed some eminent hand embroidery works of hers to the visitors. The team had a great collection of hand embroidery works and there was demonstration on working on the large frame of hand embroidery, at the end of the demonstration, some of the participants got a chance to practice on the large frame too.

xiv. **Hand Embroidery Class Inauguration, held on 06-02-2023 at CUMI Ask Centre**



The hand embroidery class inauguration of the CUMI Ask Centre, Kalamassery was carried out at Sacred Heart Church auditorium Kothad on 06-02-2023. There were 8 embroidery students who are residing at Nos: 38,39,40 and 41 Wards of the Kalamassery Municipality and all of them were present for the inaugural ceremony. The programme was a wonderful occasion for the students to know more about what they were doing at their classes. The presence of the Sri. Suresh Kumar, Assistant General Manager of CUMI, Sri. Meena Kuruvilla, Rajagiri outREACH, Project Director and Sri. Sosa, Hand Embroidery Teacher, etc. made the occasion even more wonderful. The teacher and other dignitaries on the stage shared their experiences and also about the programme.

xv. **Christmas and New Year Celebration, held on 28.12.2022 at CUMI Ask Centre, Kalamassery**



Christmas and New Year Celebration was conducted for the beneficiary children of CUMI Ask Centre, Kalamassery at Karma Kendra, Vattekkunnam on 28th December 2022. The internship students of Rajagiri outREACH prepared and conducted the celebration programs in a most wonderful way. They prepared a colourful program for the children and made each child participate actively in the programme. There were different colourful charts prepared by the interns and the children also prepared some greeting cards as per the instructions of the internship students. Before concluding the celebrations, delicious cakes was distributed among the group.

xvi. **Parenting Class, conducted on 08-01-2023 at CUMI Ask Centre**



A session on **Parenting** was conducted for the Parents of the beneficiary children of CUMI Ask Centre Kalamassery at Karma Kendra, Vattekkunnam on 8th January 2023. The resource person of the session was Smt.

Shyji Suresh, who is working among families for the past 20 years as part of women empowerment programs of Ernakulam-Angamaly diocese. The resource person conveyed about the role of a parent in the physical, mental and social development of a child, and how they can effectively make changes in the nurturing process of their child. There were 10 participants in total and at the end of the session, all of them shared their queries and reviews on the class. Mr. Gracious George, Social Worker of Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the programme.

xvii. **Zumba Dance Training, held on 26.01.2023 at CUMI Ask Centre**



A Zumba Dance training was conducted for the Children of CUMI Ask Centre, Kalamassery on 26th January 2023. The session was handled by Mrs. Sajna Siyad, who is a trained Zumba Performer. The session started with a class that discussed the importance of nutritious food among children and she also advised certain healthy food diets for the children, following to that she showed certain warm-up and aerobic and Zumba exercises performed along with the music. The session was really helpful for the children and there were 15 children in total to attend the program. She insisted all the children to continue these steps every day at their home. It was an interactive session and the children asked their doubts and were cleared by the Zumba trainer.

xviii. **Session on Self-defence, conducted on 11.03.2023 at CUMI Ask Centre**



Rajagiri outREACH organized a session on self-defence, which was taken for the children under the CUMI-Child development Programme. The session was conducted on 11-03-23. The session was taken by United Martial Arts Club Chalakudy along with two other team members of the club. They demonstrated very neatly about how to deal with scenarios in which there is chance of harming by a stranger or someone else. The team taught the children how to make quick reflexes and escape if someone tries to attack them. It is very important nowadays when girls are going outside of their homes for jobs and other study purposes and the chances of them being attacked by other people are also increasing, the need to teach these girls some life-saving tricks like these are also necessary. The resource persons were really helpful and was collaborative.

xix. **Women’s Day Celebration, held on 11-03-2023 at CUMI Ask Centre**



Rajagiri outREACH, observed Women’s Day celebrations and Session on Self-Defense were conducted for the women of the Kalamassery Municipality and girl children of the CUMI- Student Development Programme. The session was conducted on 11-03-2023 from 3:30 pm to 05:00 pm. The Resource Person of the session was Mrs. Sandhya V K and also the resource persons from the previous session United Martial Arts Club team members. Mrs. Sandhya took the session about the topic ‘**Domestic Violence**’ and also how women can deal with these kinds of issues. Cake Cutting Ceremony was also done with the involvement of women from the Kalamassery Municipality. The United Martial Club team members demonstrated to these women how to deal with life-threatening issues and life-saving tricks. The resource persons were really helpful and was very collaborative.

1. Activities conducted for the CUMI Scholarship Children at Koratty

SI No.	Activities	Venue	Date	No. of participants
1.	Launching Programme at Koratty	St. Joseph LP School Nalukettu	25-09-2022	40
2.	Class on Cyber Security and Cyber Crimes	St. Joseph LP School Nalukettu	23-10-22	30
3.	Children’s Day Celebration	CUMI ASK Centre Koratty	27-11-22	55
4.	Observation of Environment Day	CUMI ASK Centre Koratty	17-12-22	50
5.	New Year Celebration	CUMI ASK Centre Koratty	21-01-23	40
6.	Interactive Session on Parents and Children	St. Joseph’s L.P school Naalukettu,	11-02-23	30
7.	Interactive Session on Parents and Children	St. Joseph’s L.P School Naalukettu	11-02-23	40
8.	Mother’s Day Celebration and Session on Parenting & Care	St. Joseph’s L.P School Naalukettu	11-02-23	25

9.	Observation of Father's Day and Session Girl Child Parenting & Care	St. Joseph's L.P school Naalukettu,	11-02-23	15
10.	Souhрудam Camp for beneficiary Children of CUMI-KORATTY	St. Joseph's L.P school Naalukettu,	11-02-23	35
11.	Inauguration of training for tailoring class-CUMI KORATTY	Nalukettu-Koratty	22-02-23	30
12.	Awareness Programme on Road Safety	CUMI-ASK Centre	25-02-23	36
13.	Communication Skill Development Session	CUMI-ASK Centre	25-02-23	36
14.	Session on Sex Education	CUMI-ASK Centre	25-02-23	36
15.	Session on Public Speaking and Extemporary	CUMI-Koratty	25-02-23	36
16.	Exposure visits for women entrepreneurs	Nadathara	02-03-23	46

1. LAUNCHING OF CUMI ASK CENTRE KORATTY

Carborundum Universal Ltd. (CUMI) started the concept of ASK CENTRE with an intention to support in the process of comprehensive development of an individual by providing input into their Attitude Skill and Knowledge. CUMI ASK CENTRE is successfully functioning among the Kalamassery community along with Rajagiri outREACH for past 9 years and in the year 2022 CUMI has extended the benefits of ASK CENTRE to the people of Koratty Panchayat in Thrissur District, and ward number 6 and 7 of Koratty Panchayat will be the effective area of this project in the beginning stage. Rajagiri outREACH will be the implementing agency of CUMI ASK CENTRE Koratty.

The official commencement of CUMI ASK CENTRE KORATTY occurred at St. Joseph LP School Nalukettu on 25th September 2022. Shri. Suresh Kumar A S, Assistant General Manager- HR at CUMI, delivered the welcome speech and during the speech he conveyed the vision of CUMI on the new ASK CENTRE in Koratty. Smt. Shiny Shaji, Vice President of Koratty Grama Panchayat delivered the inaugural Speech and she expressed her sincere gratitude and offered their full support for running the project in the Panchayat. The presidential address of the meeting was delivered by Mr. Biju Issac, General Manager, CUMI Koratty, and in his speech he remembered about the good legacy of relationship between CUMI and people of Koratty community throughout the years. Fr. Paul Raj Kodyan, Manager, St. Joseph LP School Nalukettu, delivered the benedictory speech, Smt. Gissy Paul (Ward Counsellor), 25 students and their parents from ward number 6 and 7 of Koratty Panchayat attended the program and each child was given a school bag and a set of 10 notebooks. The program started by 3.00 pm, the total duration of the program was 2 Hours and the program wound up by 5.00 pm with a refreshment party.

Smt Shiny Jose (Head Mistress, Nalukettu LP School), Shri Nibu John (HR-Manager, CUMI, Koratty), and Shri Gracious George (Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH) were present for the program.



25/09/2022 CUMI ASK CENTRE Launching Program at Koratty



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2. Class on Cyber Security and Cyber Crimes

Considering the elevated use of Smartphone and technology in the community, an informative session was conducted on the topic ‘**Cyber Security and Cyber Crimes**’ for the children and their parents of CUMI ASK CENTRE Koratty on 23rd October 2022. The class was led by Mr. Thalath P M, Senior Civil Police Officer, Cyber Crime Police Station, Aluva. The class was aimed to enlighten the group about how they can safely approach and utilize the technology without falling into the hidden fraud acts. Resource Person shared many real life incidents cyber crimes from his experience as a

Cyber Security Police. He informed some of the important tips and techniques to avoid this kind of online fraud acts. The session also dealt with consequences of mobile game addiction among children. 20 children and their parents attended the program, and Smt Shiny Jose (HM – St. Joseph LP School Nalukettu), Sri.Suresh Kumar A S (Asst. General Manager- HR, CUMI), and Mr. Gracious George (Social Worker- Rajagiri outREACH) were also present for the program.



Session on ‘Cyber Security and Cyber Crimes’ for the children and their parents of CUMI ASK CENTRE Koratty on 23rd October 2022

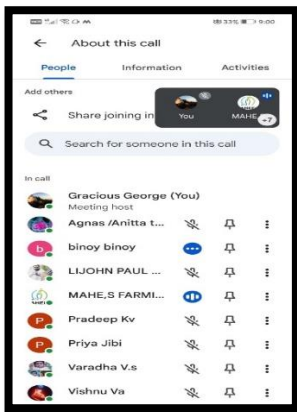
3. Children’s Day Celebration conducted on 27.11.2022 at CUMI Ask Centre, Koratty

As part of the important day celebrations, a children’s day celebration program was conducted at CUMI ASK CENTRE, Koratty on 27/11/2022. The MSW internship students of Rajagiri outREACH from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences coordinated the celebration program as part of their community engagement program. There were multiple games and group activities as part of the celebration, and children actively participated in all the activities. The five MSW students taught the life skill concept through the different group activities, and at the end of the program the team introduced the practice of journal writing to the group, they helped the children to write a demo journal during the session itself and distributed a model to the children with which they continued the practice. 20 children along with their parents attended the program and each participant received refreshment food packets.



Children's day celebration program conducted at CUMI ASK CENTRE, Koratty on 27/11/2022

4. **Observation of Environment Day, held on 17.12.2022 at CUMI Ask Centre, Koratty**



As part of observing the important days, CUMI Ask Centre, Koratty celebrated **World Soil Day** instead of celebrating environment day. The program was conducted on 17th December 2022 at 11 AM in the morning. A set of five different vegetable seeds was given to all the children and an online class was conducted for the children to guide them on how efficiently the vegetable seeds can be planted. The class was taken by Ms. Maheswary, an organic farmer who has devoted her life to the field of organic cultivation and spreading awareness in the society regarding protecting our plants and developing the culture of vegetable cultivation in every single family.

5. New Year Celebration, conducted on 21.01.2023 at CUMI Ask Centre, Koratty



New Year celebration was conducted for the beneficiary children of CUMI Ask Centre, Koratty. The celebration happened on 21st January 2023 from 10 AM in the morning. As part of the celebration, there were certain games and a competition for greeting card preparation. All the children prepared their own greeting cards and the best cards were evaluated by the parents gathered there to find the best out of them. After the games and competition, a cake-cutting ceremony was there and all the children were given sweets and refreshments. There were 18 children in total to attend the program along with some of their parents. To coordinate the program Mr. Gracious George, Social worker, and two internship students of Rajagiri outREACH were present.

6. Interactive Session for Parents and Children, held on 11-02-2023 at St. Joseph's LP School, Nalukettu



Rajagiri outREACH, conducted an interactive session on Parents and Children for the CUMI beneficiary children at Koratty. The session was carried out on 11/02/2023 at the St. Joseph's L.P School auditorium, Naalukettu, Koratty and the resource person was Ms. Shilpa V Yohannan, Research Scholar of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery. She had good knowledge in carrying out these kinds of interactive sessions and was very knowledgeable. The parents and children were seen very active throughout the programme and had a very wonderful experience. To coordinate the programme Mr. Dony Benny, Project Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH and two other internship students were there for the programme.

D. CSR Initiatives of Sud-Chemi (I) Pvt. Ltd. - Child Education Scholarship Programme

Sud-Chemie India Pvt. Ltd., has set up its Edayar (Kochi) unit in the year 1969. Considering the need of the community, the company has been focusing on Education and Geriatric Care and have partnered with Rajagiri outREACH to make a sustainable impact. To achieve next generation targets in the segments, it was proposed to continue the existing programmes with necessary changes in the implementation process. The major programmes were recurring in nature.

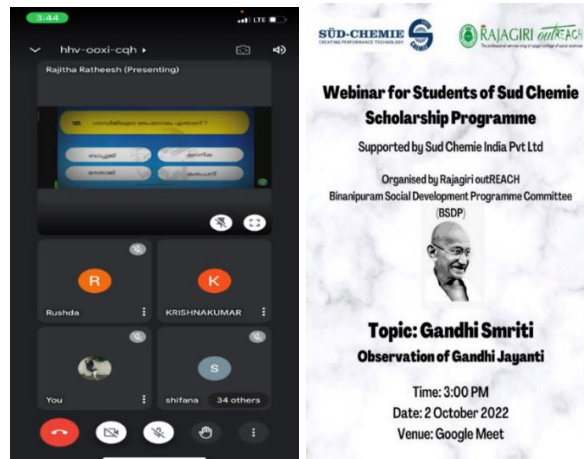
Sud Chemie (I) Pvt. Ltd. had sponsored **75 children** from 16th and 18th Wards of Kadungallor Grama Panchayath. Activities such as Parents' meet, Children's meet, group sessions, observations of important days, awareness camps, educational kit distribution, career guidance camp etc., were conducted during this reporting period. In addition to this, higher education scholarship fund was distributed to 23 children of Head load workers. Below are some of the activities:

- i. **Webinar for Students of Sud Chemie Scholarship Programme based on the topic “Gandhi Smriti” as part of observation of the day – Gandhi Jayanti - organized by Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous) and Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee**

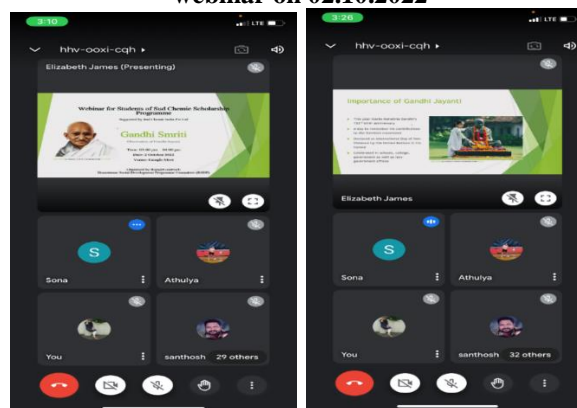
A webinar for students of Sud Chemie scholarship programme based on the topic “**Gandhi Smriti**” supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd was organized by Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS), Kalamassery and Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee (BSDP) on **2nd October 2022** as part of observation of the day – Gandhi Jayanti. The webinar started at 3.p.m through using the google meet platform. There were around 37 participants for the webinar. Shri. Shaji (BSDP Committee Representative) and Smt. Shibina (Tuition Teacher for the Scholarship students), Ms. Nikhitha Johny, Rajagiri outREACH Social Worker along with 29 Scholarship students and five MSW 1st year internship students from RCSS were present for the function. The main aim of the webinar was to make the children aware about the importance of celebrating Gandhi Jayanti and telling the students more about our Father of the Nation – “Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi”.

The webinar started by a prayer song led by Ms. Devika, one among the scholarship students of Sud-Chemie. Ms. Nikhitha Johny, welcomed everyone present for the meeting. After that the MSW students of RCSS, took a class with power point presentation regarding the life story of Mahatma Gandhi and the importance of celebrating October 2nd as Gandhi Jayanti. After this session the MSW students have asked few questions from the prepared slide and many of them have replied which showcased the student's concentration and interest towards arranging such classes. Ms. Nikhitha Johny asked the students to describe how they have celebrated Gandhi Jayanti and many of them said about how they celebrated Gandhi Jayanti at School. Ms. Hana Fatima another scholarship student of Sud-Chemie said that when they were at school they usually go for rallies with placards saying the slogans delivered by Gandhi as well as clean the nearby roads of their school. After the children shared on how they celebrated Gandhi Jayanti a quiz session was arranged by Ms. Devika Ratheesh, scholarship student of Sud Chemie, who is also a quiz master who participated in various quiz competitions at district and state levels. She is a differently abled student with 30 percentage speaking disability and is very sharp and intelligent.

She had arranged a quiz competition for all the participants by playing a video of quiz questions and answers from YouTube related to Gandhi. This session also went well. After that the students were asked to provide feedback and they said it was a great class and they enjoyed the way the class was taken by students of RCSS. Shri. Shaji delivered the vote of thanks and thanked Rajagiri outREACH and Sud – Chemie for arranging such informative classes for the students. The class ended by 4.30 pm.



Quiz Master Ms. Devika Ratheesh conducted quiz competition and the poster created in accordance with the webinar on 02.10.2022



Online class taken by MSW internship students from RCSS on the topic “Gandhi Smriti” on 02.10.2022

ii. **Inauguration of Child Education & Higher Education Scholarship Programme supported by Sud –Chemie organized by Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS) and Binanipuram Social Development Welfare Committee (BSDP)**

On 21st October 2022, the Inauguration of Child Education & Higher Education Scholarship Programme supported by Sud –Chemie organized by Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS) and Binanipuram Social Development Welfare Committee (BSDP) was held at Ganashyam Binani Community Hall, Edayar at 4.00 pm. Ms. Nikhitha Johny, Rajagiri outREACH Social Worker along with the Rajagiri outREACH internship students reached the venue at 3.15 pm to do some arrangements before the function. The function started at 4.00 pm by a prayer song delivered by Kumari Devika and Kumari Athulya (Child Scholarship students). Ms. Nikhitha Johny delivered the welcome speech. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH inaugurated the function by lighting the lamp along with Smt. Sunitha Kumari, Master Syam and Kumari Sneha (Scholarship students) and the inaugural address was delivered by her. Smt. Meena

Kuruvilla, in her speech asked every student to work hard and study well so that they come up with flying colors and can thereby support their families and also the society, she also thanked Sud –Chemie for their sincere support. Smt. Sunitha Kumari, Ward Member – 18, Kadungallor Panchayat delivered the Presidential Address. Shri. Ragesh Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee Member (BSDP) delivered the felicitation. He requested every scholarship student to increase their participation in the programmes organized for them jointly by Sud-Chemie, Rajagiri outREACH and BSDP. Kumari Athulya Abilash and Kumari Sneha Hareesh sung a beautiful song. Shri. Shaji M.A along with Shri. Zaffarulla P.A, BSDP Committee members also delivered the felicitation speech. Ms. Sneha performed Mona Act. She through her act pointed out the corruption in the medical field. Shri. Vishnu, BSDP Committee Member delivered the vote of thanks. Around 85 persons participated for the function. Tea and Snacks were served for each participants who attended the programme.



Higher Education and Child Education Scholarship students along with Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Ms. Nikhitha, BSDP Committee Members, internship students and parents of scholarship students



Kumari Sneha performing the Mono Act Kumari Sneha and Ahulya singing a song

iii. **Scholarship for the Children of Unloading Workers**

The scholarship programme was proposed with the aim on focusing on ensuring the holistic development of the children in spite of their poor socio-economic background. The target audience for this programme are children of unloading workers. Around 20 children of Head Load workers have been selected for the programme and various events and camps were planned for the same. The programme is an amalgamation of both Child Scholarship Programme and Higher Education Scholarship Programme.

iv. **Personality Development and Life Skill Training (Online/Offline)**

a. Interactive Sessions with Children (Community Teaching Programme)

Regular online and offline interactive sessions were organized for the scholarship’s students on weekly basis. The sessions were coordinated by the Animator Mrs. Shibina Shaji. The classes were

organized well with the coordination of students. The theme of each class was based on the importance of various days of months, student's interests and also on understanding the development of their skills.

b. Session on Personality Development, Awareness & Communications Skills (Online/Offline)

Session on "Personality Development and Life Skills" for Students of SUD-CHEMIE Scholarship Programme

On 24th September 2022, meeting and a class for students of Sud-Chemie scholarship programme based on the topic "Personality Development and Life Skills" was held at Ganashyam Community Hall, Binanipuram supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd, Rajagiri outREACH and Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee (BSDP). The programme started at 4 pm by a prayer song led by MSW 1st year internship students from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery. There were 52 participants altogether including the scholarship students, BSDP Committee members, Rajagiri outREACH Social Worker and MSW interns.



Shri. Shaji, BSDP Committee Member delivered the welcome speech. Smt. Sunitha, 13th Ward Member of Kandungalloor Panchayat delivered the Presidential address. She in her speech asked every Scholarship student to attend all the meetings regularly and told them the importance of attending the classes particularly arranged for them. Shri. Zubair, BSDP Committee Member delivered the felicitation speech. Ms. Nikhitha Johny, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH, took the session on Personality Development and Life Skills for the students.

c. Drug Abuse Awareness Session for Students under SUD-CHEMIE Scholarship Programme



A "Drug Abuse" awareness workshop was organized on November 12, 2022, for the Sud Chemie Scholarship students. The session began by 10:30 AM at Ganashyam Community Hall. Ms. Devika, a scholarship recipient for child education, took the lead in recording attendance. Thereafter, an ice-breaking session was conducted among the students and by 11 am, the class commenced. The programme started with a prayer song, after which Ms. Devika, address,gave a welcome and Ms. Binisha addressed the audience on the session's objective. A Resource Person from Kandungalloor Gram Panchayat, Mr. Aravindhakshan, led the session on the topic of 'Drug Abuse & its Prevention' among 48 students. Ms. Shibina and Smt. Rosily Thomas, Committee Member, portrayed their gratitude by attending the program along with the children.

d. Session on ‘Well Being’ under the SUD-CHEMIE Scholarship Programme

An awareness class for the Child and Higher Education Scholarship Students supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd, Rajagiri outREACH, and Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee was conducted on 27th December 2022. The session was held at Ganashyam Community Hall, Binanipuram Edayar. The class was taken by, Mrs. Ashlin Mary Mathew, Pre-Doctoral Fellow, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery. A hearty welcome was conveyed to the Resource Person by Ms. Binisha, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH. 35 students from child and higher education Scholarship attended the programme. Mrs. Ashlin Mary Mathew focused on different dimensions in the session in which the major key-points were about - Self-Discipline, Social Media Influence, Self-Motivation, Peer Influence and Inner Peace.



Awareness class taken by Mrs Ashlin Mathew Pre Doctoral Fellow, RCSS on 27th December 2022

e. A session of Sud Chemie Scholarship Programme based on the topic “Mental- Health” conducted on January 22nd 2023

The awareness class for the child and higher education Scholarship students supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd, Rajagiri outREACH, and Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee was conducted on 22nd January 2023. The awareness programme was held at Edayar North Anganwadi. The session was led by ODIC Project, Centre in Charge, Mr. Krishnakumar I.P. A total number of 31 students attended the session. The session started with a prayer song led by the Scholarship students, then Mrs Shibina Shaji welcomed the resource person for the session. Ms Binisha, Social worker, Rajagiri outREACH addressed the participants and briefed about the awareness session, thereafter the class begun.



The session was carried out through group activities, where the resource person divided the students into two groups and involved them in discussions regarding mental health. Mr. Krishnakumar gave a basic idea about the topic for the students in the beginning of the session and then through the group activity grasped the knowledge of the students about Mental Health. An interactive session was conducted in the end to clarify the queries of the children and provided them with clear insights about their ideas and thoughts.



Awareness session led by Mr. Krishnakumar for Scholarship Children on 22nd January 2023

f. A session on the topic “Life Skills” on February 25th 2023

The awareness class for the child and higher education Scholarship students supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd, Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS), Kalamassery and Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee was conducted on 25th February 2023 at Ganashyam Community Hall, Binanipuram, Edayar. A total of 46 students attended the awareness session which was led by Mr. Abhijithlal, Project Officer, Rajagiri outREACH. Ms. Binisha., Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH addressed the students and gave an introductory talk. After the prayer, a welcome address was given by Ms Devika Scholarship student.



The class commenced and it focused on educating students on the importance of Self-Awareness, Critical Thinking and Creative Thinking. As the ice-breaking session was over, they discussed further and conducted different activities regarding the topic and involved the students throughout the entire session.



Awareness program led by Mr Abhijithlal for Child and Higher Education Scholarship Students Supported by Sud-Chemie India Pvt Ltd., on 25.02.2023

g. Observation and Celebration of Festivals

Christmas Celebration for Parents and Children of Child and Higher Education Scholarship Supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd

The Christmas Celebration for the parents and children of child and higher education scholarship programme supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd, Rajagiri outREACH, and Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee (BSDP) was conducted on 27th December 2022. The program began by 10.30 am. Both the parents and children reached the Ganashyam Community hall on time. The programme started with an inaugural ceremony. Ms Binisha, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH, addressed the gathering. Thereafter the programme started with a prayer song led by the Scholarship programme students. Ms Ninny invited Mrs. Shibina, Animator of Child and Higher Education programme to propose the welcome address, Mr. Shaji M A., BSDP Committee Member gave the key note address, and Mr. Saffarulla BSDP Committee Member also proposed key note address.



Various competitions was conducted for the participants. The internship students of Rajagiri outREACH assisted in the programme. The programme began with the carol competition, followed by Christmas message competition, runner number game, and musical chair competition. Tea and snacks were provided for the participants. The programme was conducted well, and every participants were involved in the programmes and made the Christmas celebration event a success. Later the prices for the winners were distributed. By 1.00 pm the program was ended. Ms. Binisha proposed the vote of thanks.



Various games conducted during Christmas celebration for the Scholarship students, on 27.12.2022

h. INSPIRE 2022-2023

Career Guidance and Skill Building Programme at RCSS Campus on 29.12.2022

Rajagiri outREACH and Rajagiri College of Social Sciences organized a one-day Career Guidance and Skill Building program for students of class 10th, 11th and 12th respectively. The program was co-organized with the extended CSR support of ‘Sud Chemie’, ‘CUMI’ and ‘Double Horse’. Students gathered around from different parts of Kerala such as Ernakulam, Thrissur and Palakkad districts to take part in the program. A strength 75 students, affiliated to various Scholarship Programmes provided at Rajagiri outREACH, attended the sessions effectively. The Career Guidance and Skill Building sessions were taken by Ms. Jaseela M, representing Triple ‘N’ Training Academy.



With respect to the main event, a **‘Drug Prevention Awareness session’** was also conducted for the students by Mr. Krishnakumar, ODIC (Outreach Drop-In Centre), Rajagiri outREACH. The Inaugural ceremony officially began with a hearty welcome speech by Mr. Gracious George, greeting all the distinguished dignitaries on the dais. Ms. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, inaugurated the event and addressed the gathering.

The first session of Career Guidance and Skill Building, led by Ms. Jaseela M, turned out to be an interactive and informative one, with the inclusion of selected games and group activities. She assisted the students by introducing them to different career prospects to be opted after Higher Secondary Education. The session benefitted the students by creating an understanding on different career options available and the trajectory to be followed towards a suitable career that aligns with the student’s interests.



After lunch, the programme resumed with a session on **‘Substance abuse and prevention’** by Mr. Krishnakumar, Rajagiri outREACH ODIC Project. He elaborated

on the instances that could encourage the youth into substance abuse and viable solutions to tackle and prevent the same.



The program ended successfully with a final session on **Skill Building** led by Ms. Jaseela, providing insights to the students as well as stressing on the development of various skills such as leadership, critical thinking, creative thinking, etc. that would assist them in building apt career prospects in the near future

i. Vacation Camp for Children

Rajagiri outREACH organized a Summer Vacation Camp 2022-23, namely, **Souhrudam Camp** which focused on the theme **Disaster Management, Waste Management, Water Conservation, Media, Culture and Health and Hygiene**. The dates organized was from May 5th, 10th and 17th, 2022 from 9.30 am to 3.30 at Govt. HSS, Binanipuram and Ghanashyam Binani Community Hall.

Inauguration session was held under the Chairmanship of Smt. Sunitha Kumara, Member, Kandungalloor Grama Panchayath, Govt. High School, Binanipuram. Mr. Ranjith K.U, Senior Development Officer, inaugurated the Camp. Sri. Zubair, Executive Committee member BSDP delivered the welcome speech and Sri. Shaji Muuthirakkala, Executive Committee member BSDP delivered the vote of thanks. Sri. Safarulla, Executive Committee member BSDP Sri.Rakesh, Exe. Committee member BSDP Smt.Shibina Shaji felicitated. Kumari Lija Mathew and other Interns from Rajagiri outREACH conducted various sessions and Ms.Angelina took the session on Group dynamics.

Around 60 students and 10 parents participated in the camp. Tea and snacks were served to all. The follow up of the session was held on May 10th and May 17th, 2022 along with Senior Citizens Programme. Students showcased their talents and presented a skit on various themes in front of Senior Citizens.

j. Session for Parents

Awareness session for Parents of Child and Higher Education Scholarship Students of Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd on the topic “Parenting Skills”

An Awareness session for Parents of Scholarship students of both child and higher education supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd, Rajagiri outREACH, and

Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee (BSDP) was conducted on 15th November 2022. The session on “**Parenting Skill**” was taken by Ms Rosemaria Devassy, Family Counselor, Rajagiri Family Counseling Centre, Kalamassery. A total number of 30 parents attended the programme. The programme was assisted by five internship MSW students from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery.



The awareness programme’s inaugural ceremony was at 2.30 pm, with a prayer song. Welcome address was given by Ms Ayarin, MSW student. The Presidential address was by Mr Shaji, Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee Convenor, Key note address was given by Mrs Shibina. Ms Rosemaria Devassy commenced the session which focused on ‘Parenting Skills: Family based Assessment and Intervention’.

The major areas covered during the class was about the strategies of good parenting and its aspects. The resource person made the session more interactive by involving the participants during the entire session. At the end of the session Ms Shiya Sara proposed the vote of thanks and tea and snacks was served to the participants.



k. Awareness session for Parents of Child and Higher Education Scholarship Students of Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd on the topic “Effective Parenting”

An Awareness session for Parents of Scholarship students of both child and higher education supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd, Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS), Kalamassery and Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee (BSDP) was conducted on 27th December 2022. The Rajagiri outREACH intern Ms Ninny welcomed Dr Mary Metilda for the session. Around 15 parents and 13 internship students joined for the programme. The session on “Effective Parenting” was took by Dr. Mary Matilda P. V, Motivational Speaker, corporate trainer & life skills/soft skills coach.



Awareness program led by Dr Mary Metilda at Ganashyam Community Hall on 27th December 2022

E. CSR Initiatives of Geojit Financial Services Ltd. - Geojit Student Development Programme for the Year 2022-2023 Implemented by Rajagiri outREACH

The association between Geojit Financial Services Ltd., and RAJAGIRI outREACH in child Scholarship programmes had commenced in the year 2006. The area covered are Pothanikkad and Paingottoor Grama Panchayat in Ernakulam District, Budhannur Panchayat in Alappuzha District; Perumanna Panchayat in Kozhikode District, and Vadakarapathy Panchayat in Palakkad District. A total of **665 children** in **5 Panchayats** have benefitted through this Scholarship Project with the support of Geojit Financial Services Ltd., during this year. An additional of 200 children were granted Scholarship from the **Karumalloor (100 children)** and **Alangad (100 children)** Grama Panchayats of Ernakulam District. **The Child Scholarship Support from Geojit Financial Services Ltd., has reached out to 865 children in 7 Panchayats during this reporting year.**

Mr. George V.A., Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH, organized the activities for the Children. Mr. Gigin P.S. and later on Mr. Gracious George, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH, coordinated all the programmes/activities for the Geojit Scholarship Children at Perumanna and Vadakarapathy, Ernakulam District.

Brief Report of the activities conducted at Paingottoor, Pothanikkad, Budhannur, Vadakarapathy and Perumanna from 1st April 2022 to 31st March 2023 & at Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayaths during the period from 15th October 2022 to 31st March 2023

As part of extending the CSR initiatives of Geojit Financial Services Ltd and Geojit Foundation the Geojit Student Development Program has been newly launched at Karumalloor and Alangad Grama Panchayats in the Ernakulam District. Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the survey and selection process of the children for the Geojit Student Development Program in two new Grama Panchayats. The survey was conducted during the months of August and September of 2022, and the Case history and details of 100 children from each of the Panchayats were handed over to Geojit Financial Services by the 1st week of October 2022. The launching ceremony of the Student Development program had taken place on 15th October 2022.

Geojit Student Development Programme at a Glance in 7 Panchayats:

Present Status of Children as on 31st March 2023

Name of The Centre/Panchayat	District	No. of Children
Pothanikkad	Ernakulam	115
Paingottoor	Ernakulam	150
Budhannur	Alappuzha	200
Perumanna	Kozhikode	100

Vadakarapathy	Palakkad	100
Karumalloor	Ernakulam	100
Alangad	Ernakulam	100
Total		865

Report of Activities conducted at Paingottoor, Pothanikkad, Budhannur, Perumanna and Vadakarapathy Grama Panchayats during the period from 1st April 2022 to 31st March 2023

The association between Geojit Foundation and Rajagiri outREACH in Student Development Programme had commenced in the year 2006 with the support to 100 children each at Pothanikkad and Paingottoor Grama Panchayat in Ernakulam District. The project has been progressing rapidly and launched in 3 more areas that is, Budhannur in Alappuzha district, Vadakarapathy in Palakkad, Perumanna in Kozhikode and currently 665 children from the above mentioned five panchayats had been benefiting through this Student Development Programme with the support of Geojit Foundation.

I. Selection of new students for Replacement

I.1 Selection process of new students from Pothanikkad and Paingottoor on 1st and 23rd of April 2022

Rajagiri outREACH staff visited Pothanikkad and Paingottoor Grama panchayat and conducted house visits and collected the data of 65 new children for Geojit Student Development Program during the year 2022-23. These children were taken for the replacement of +2 completed. We have selected 15 children from Pothanikkad panchayat and 50 children from Paingottoor panchayat.

During the selection process the children and their family members gathered at Paingottoor and Pothanikkad Grama panchayat on 1st April 2022 and the Social Workers of Rajagiri outREACH introduced the aim and objective of Geojit student development programme to them. An explanation session on the aims and objectives of Student Development programme was conducted in both the Grama Panchayaths. Staff of Rajagiri outREACH assisted for filling up the family details of the children for Geojit Student Development Programme for preparing the Case Histories.

1st April and 23rd April 2022, the selection of new cases for Geojit Student Development Program and class continued at Pothanikkad Grama panchyath. The details of 15 more children were prepared on this day. Rajagiri outREACH staff filled the questionnaire and conducted house visits of the children.



An Awareness class for parents and children on Student Development Program of Geojit Foundation held on 1st April 2022 at Paingottoor

I.2 Selection process of new children from Budhannur on 6th May 2022

Rajagiri outREACH staff visited Budhannur Grama panchayath and collected the data of 47 new children for Geojit Student Development Program 2022. These children were selected as replacement for the +2 completed 47 children of the Geojit Student Development Program at Budhannur. Mr. V.A George, Senior Coordinator Rajagiri outREACH had taken a detailed awareness session on the aims and objectives of the student development program.



An awareness for the parents and children on student development program at Geojit Foundation on 6th May 2022 and collection of family data from Budhannur panchayath

II. Study Material Distribution

Study Material Distribution was one of the main activities of the Geojit Foundation which aims to give the beneficiary children of the Geojit Foundation a new set of notebooks, bags and umbrella

so that these beneficiary children do not lack any study materials in their school, these beneficiary children are especially from the underprivileged category and their families cannot afford to provide these materials each year, and by providing these study materials the Geojit Foundation aims to fulfil the needs of these children.

II.1 Study Material Distribution held at Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath Hall on 2nd July 2022

Study material distribution had been held at Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath Hall on 2nd July 2022 at 11:00 am. Shri. Saji Varghese, Vice President Pothanikkad Grama panchayath inaugurated the programme. Ten College notebooks and umbrella were distributed to each of the 115 children. Out of 115 children 15 children were newly selected and school bag was also distributed along with notebook and umbrella to the newly selected children. Sri. Deepak John, Geojit Assistant Manager and Pothanikkad G.P Ward members also participated for the Study Material Distribution. Mr. V A George, Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the programme.



Shri. Saji Varghese, Pothanikkad panchayath Vice President inaugurated the programme and Shri. Deepak John along with other ward members distributed the study materials on 2nd July 2022

II.2 Study material Distribution held at Paingottoor Grama Panchayath Hall on 2nd July 2022

The study material was distributed to children of Geojit Student Development Programme belonging to Paingottoor Grama panchayath on 2nd July 2022 at 02:00 pm. Smt. Seema Sibi, Paingottoor Grama Panchayath President inaugurated the programme by distributing the study material to the children. Shri. V.A. George, Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the programme. Ten college notebooks and umbrella were distributed to each of the 150 children. Out of 150 children 40 were newly selected and for these children school bag was also distributed along with notebooks and umbrella.



Study material distribution and awareness session held at Paingottoor Grama panchayat on 2nd July 2022 at 02:00 pm

II.3 Study Material Distribution held at Budhannur Grama Panchayath Hall on 09th July 2022

Study material was distributed to children of Geojit Student Development Program belonging to Budhannur Grama panchayath on 09th July 2022 at Panchayat Hall. Smt. Pushpalatha Madhu, Budhannur Grama Panchayath President inaugurated the programme by distributing the study material to the children. Ten college notebooks and umbrella were distributed to each of the 200 children. Out of 200 children 45 were newly selected children and school bag was also distributed along with notebooks and umbrella to the newly selected children. Ward members of Budhannur Grama Panchayath, Mr. Deepak John, Assistant Manager of Geojit Foundation also distributed the study materials, Sri. V.A. George, Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the programme.



Smt. Pushpalatha Madhu, Sri. Deepak john inaugurating the programme and distributed study material on 09th July 2022 at Budhannur Grama Panchayath

II.4 Study Material Distribution held at Vadakarapathy Grama Panchayath Hall on 23rd July 2022

Study material had been distributed to children of Geojit Student Development Program belonging to Vadakarapathy Grama panchayath on 23rd July 2022 at St. Francis School

Chunnambukalthodu. Ten college notebook and umbrella were distributed to each child. Mr.Gigin, Social Worker Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the programme.



Book Distribution programme held at Vadakarapathy on 23rd July 2022

II.5 Study Material Distribution held at Perumanna Grama Panchayath on 21th July 2022

Study material had been distributed to children of Geojit Student Development Program belonging to Perumanna Grama panchayath on 21th July 2022 at Nanma Learning Centre, Puthoomadam. Each child was given ten college notebooks and umbrella. Mr Gigin, Social Worker Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the programme.



Book Distribution programme held at Vadakarapathy on 21th July 2022

III. 'MY TREE MY FRUIT' Mango Sapling Distribution Program

The main aim to organize such a programme is to create an awareness among the children to protect our nature and prevent it from getting destroyed. It helps in developing an interest about nature in the minds of these students. With the help of this programme students can develop a good relationship with the nature. It is an opportunity for the students to nurture the nature. The main objective of the programme is to familiarize the children with the nature which helps the children to nurture the nature.

III.1 Mango Sapling Distribution held at Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath on 6th August 2022

One of the major activities during this period is Mango Sapling Distribution, one each budded mango sapling was distributed to the 115 children of Geojit Student Development programme belonging to Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath at Grama Panchayath Community Hall on 06th

August 2022 at 11:00 am. Sri. NM Joseph, Grama panchayath President inaugurated and distributed the mango saplings. Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath Ward Members and Mr. Deepak John Mattom, Assistant Manager, Geojith Foundation Ltd., also distributed the mango saplings. Mr. V A George, Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH, coordinated the programme. The objective of the programme of ‘MY TREE MY FRUIT’ is to develop the interest of environment friendly nature among the children. The children will also get an opportunity to nurture the plant.



Shri. NM Joseph and Shri. Deepak John Mattom inaugurated the programme and distributed Mango Saplings on 06th August 2022 at Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath Hall

III.2 Mango Sapling Distribution held at Paingottoor on 6th July 2022

As one of the major activities mentioned in the proposal is Mango Sapling Distribution, one each budded mango sapling was distributed to all the 150 children of Geojit Student Development programme belonging to Paingottoor Grama Panchayath at Grama Panchayath Community Hall on 06th July 2022 at 02:00 pm. Sri Santhosh Grama panchayath Vice President inaugurated and distributed the mango saplings. Paingottoor Grama Panchayath Ward Members and Mr. Deepak John Mattom, Assistant Manager Geojit Foundation also distributed the mango saplings. Mr. V A George, Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the programme.



Inauguration of Mango Sapling Distribution by Shri Santosh, Vice President, Paingottoor Grama Panchayath, held at Paingottoor Grama panchayat Hall held on 6th July 2022

III.3 Mango Sapling Distribution held at Budhannur Grama Panchayath on 13th August 2022

Mango Saplings were distributed to all the 200 Geojit Student Development Program children of Budhannur Grama panchayath. Budhannur Grama Panchayath Standing Committee Member, Shri. Sumesh inaugurated the programme, and distributed the saplings along with the other ward members. Shri. V.A George, Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH, coordinated the programme.



Mango sapling distribution inaugurated and distributed by Shri. Sumesh, Standing Committee Chairperson Budhannur Grama panchayath on 13th August 2022

III.4 Mango sapling distribution held at Perumanna on 14th August 2022

As it was planned in the proposal of Geojit Student Development Programme for the year 2022 to 2023, 100 Mango Saplings were distributed to the children involved in student development programme of Perumanna. 'My Tree My Fruit' is a program that aimed at creating a feeling among the younger generation towards the nature and plants. The program was conducted on 14/08/2022 Sunday at Nanma Education Trust, Puthoormadam, Perumanna. The programme was coordinated by Mr. Gigin P S and Mr. Gracious George, Social Workers, Rajagiri outREACH, who distributed the saplings to the children. The children gathered were curious to receive the mango sapling and all of them promised that they will definitely take care of their saplings till it reaches fruition. The program was witnessed by some of the parents of the Geojit Student Development Program children.



Mango sapling distribution conducted at Namma Education Trust, Perumanna on 14th August 2022

III.5 “My Tree My Fruit” Mango Sapling distribution at Vadakarapathy, Palakkad on 07th August 2022

As it was planned in the proposal of Geojit Student Development Programme for the year 2022 to 2023, the distribution of 100 Mango Sapling was done with Student development programme children of Vadakarapathy Panchayat. ‘**My Tree My Fruit**’ is a program that aimed at creating a feeling among the younger generation towards the nature and plants. The program was conducted on 07/08/2022 Sunday at St. Francis School Parasikkal, Vadakarapathy. The program was coordinated by Mr. Gigin P S and Mr. Gracious George, Social Workers of Rajagiri outREACH, who had distributed the saplings to the children. The children gathered were eager to receive the mango sapling and all of them promised that they will definitely take care of their saplings till it fruits. The program was witnessed by some of the parents of the Geojit Student Development Programme children.



Mango Sapling Distribution conducted at Vadakarapathy on 07th August 2022

IV. ONAM CELEBRATION

Onam is a traditional festival that brings together all communities in Kerala. On this day religion, caste or creed is not of importance. Due to the COVID Pandemic the children were not allowed to celebrate onam for the past two years and this time it was an opportunity for them to come together and celebrate the Onam festival together and they did show great enthusiasm in participating in the programmes for the Onam festival.

IV.1 Onam celebration at Pothanikkad Gram panchayath on 3rd September 2022

Onam Celebration Programme was conducted on 3rd September 2022 for the Geojit Student Development Program children belonging to Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath. Shri. N.M Joseph, Grama Panchayath President inaugurated the programme. Children had cultural activities to do and as a part of it they had to bring flowers from their home and make a Pookalam. Onam Sadhya was served to the children on this occasion and Quiz competitions were conducted in between the cultural activities and prizes were awarded to the winners of the cultural activities.



Onam celebration inaugurated by Shri NM Joseph, Panchayath president on 3rd September 2022 at Pothanikkad

IV.2 Onam celebration at Paingottoor on 3rd September 2022

Onam Celebration had been conducted at Paingottoor Grama Panchayath Hall on 3rd September 2022. Smt. Seema Sibi, Paingottoor Grama panchayath President inaugurated the program. Thereafter Geojit Student Development Programme children had some attractive Cultural programmes and Quiz competitions. The children enjoyed the Onam Sadhya with Payasam along with their parents. Geojit student development program conducted many activities as the students were part of them and the

games were really entertaining. They really enjoyed their time being there with all the other children and parents.



Onam celebration conducted at Paingottoor Grama Panchayath hall on 03rd September 2022

IV.3 Onam celebration for the children of Budhannur Grama Panchayath held on 1st October 2022

Onam celebration conducted for the children of Budhannoor Grama Panchayath on 1st October 2022. Shri Unnikrishnan G., Budhannur Grama panchayath Standing Committee Chair Person inaugurated the programme. Children performed attractive cultural programmes and Quiz competitions were conducted. The active participation of children made the programme successful. The children and their parents really enjoyed with had Onam Sadhya and payasam. They really enjoyed their time with all other children.



Onam Celebration inauguration speech by Unnikrishnan, Standing Committee Chairperson held on 1st October 2022 at Budhannur Grama Panchayath

IV.4 Onam Celebration at Perumanna panchayath on 11th September 2022

As part of celebrating the important festivals, Onam celebration was conducted at Perumanna Panchayat on 11th September 2022. The program was arranged at Nanna Education Trust, Puthoormadam, Perumanna. The children were so happy to attend program because they were not allowed to celebrate Onam along with their friends for the last two years due to the COVID Pandemic. The active participation of the children made the program successful. There were a lot of games arranged for the group and each of the winners received gifts also all the participants received appreciation gifts for their participation in the program. At the end of the program Onam sadya was

served for the children and their parents who all came for witnessing the celebration. They really enjoyed their time celebrating onam.



Onam celebration held at Perumanna panchayath on 11th September 2022 and children enjoying their activities

IV.5 Onam Celebration held at Vadakarapathy on 3rd September 2022

The festival celebration of Onam was conducted among Geojit Student Development Program Children at Vadakarapathy on 3rd September 2022. Due to COVID-19 all the gatherings were prevented for the last two years. All the children were so much happy to gather together again for a celebration. The program was arranged in Marriyamman Kovil Mandapam at Chunnambukalthodu, and a variety of games were arranged to entertain the gathered group and Onam sadya was also arranged for the children. The children who won prizes in different games were given gifts and rest of the children who gathered there was provided with gifts as an appreciation for their effort for participating in the programme.



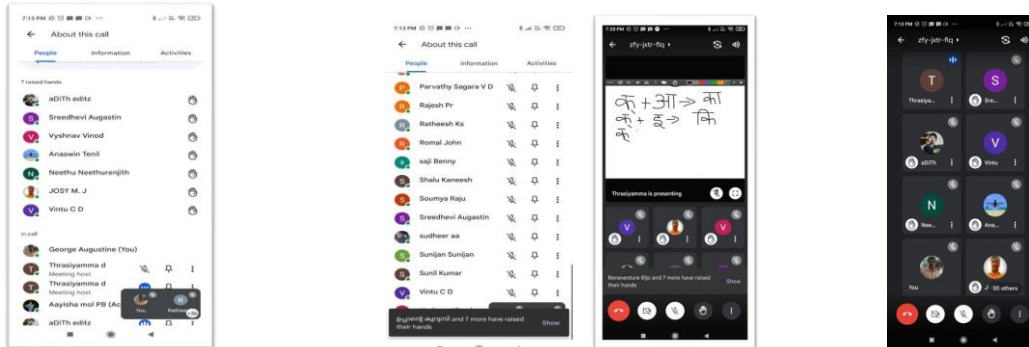
Onam celebration held at Vadakarapathy on 3rd September 2022

V. Session on Hindi Speaking and Grammar

Hindi is our National Language. In addition to being an official language of India. Hindi is also used as a second language by people living outside of India. This makes it a very useful language for international communication. Having such a large population of Hindi speakers, the language is also commonly taught in schools across the world. In Kerala Schools also Hindi is a subject for the students, so by giving sessions on spoken Hindi and Hindi grammar the beneficiary children of the Geojit Foundation will be able to handle the language in a much easier manner.

V.1 Online Session on Hindi speaking conducted by Smt. Mary Soumya, Hindi Teacher of St. Teresa's High School, Ernakulam

As mentioned in the project proposal, Hindi speaking class was conducted for the beneficiary children. During the Academic year Smt. Mary Soumya, Hindi Teacher of St Teresa's High School, Ernakulam had conducted eighteen Hindi speaking classes for the Geojit Student Development Program children belonging to Pothanikkad and Paingottoor. This has enabled the children to improve their language skills. With the help of simple stories in Hindi, the children could learn to speak Hindi language. The Hindi teacher also introduced simple grammar for the children during this class.



Session on Hindi speaking held through Online (Google Meet)

V.2 Hindi speaking class by Smt. Thresiamma, Hindi teacher from St. Sebastian's HSS Chennamangalam

Online Hindi speaking classes were conducted by Smt. Thresiamma, Hindi Teacher from St. Sebastian's HSS Chennamangalam. During this academic period, she conducted seventeen Hindi classes for the Geojit Student Development Program Children in Budhannur, Vadakarapathy and Perumanna. The main objective of this class was to impart the basics of using Hindi as a language and in that way, the children will not struggle in scenarios where they have to use Hindi.



Online Hindi classes for the Geojit Student Development Program Children in Budhannur, Vadakarapathy and Perumanna

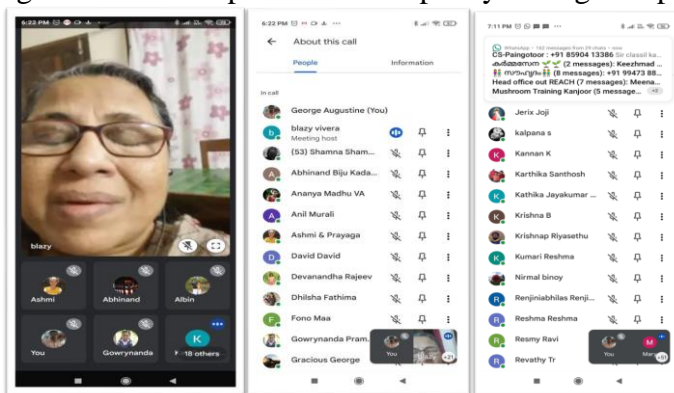
VI. Session on English Speaking

English is the most commonly spoken language in the world. English is the official language of majority of the countries and is used as a mutually known language. It is easy to see just how important English is around the world. It will allow you to communicate effectively with people

from all over the world, making travelling a lot easier and helping you to learn more about the different cultures. The importance of English language can be seen in almost every aspect of our lives.

VI.1 English speaking class done by Smt. Blazy Vivera, Retd. Faculty English Department St. Joseph’s College, Alappuzha

As mentioned in the Annual plan, Rajagiri outREACH conducted 46 online English-speaking sessions with monthly evaluation. This has enabled the children to improve their English language skills. The classes were handled by Smt. Blazy Vivera, Retd. Faculty, English Department, St. Joseph’s College, Alappuzha. English is becoming more and more important nowadays because it has become a global language. The outcome of this English session was that the students were equipped with English grammar and improved their capacity in English speaking.



Session on Spoken English and Grammar by Smt Blazy Vivera Retd. Faculty, English Department, St. Joseph’s College, Alappuzha held through Online

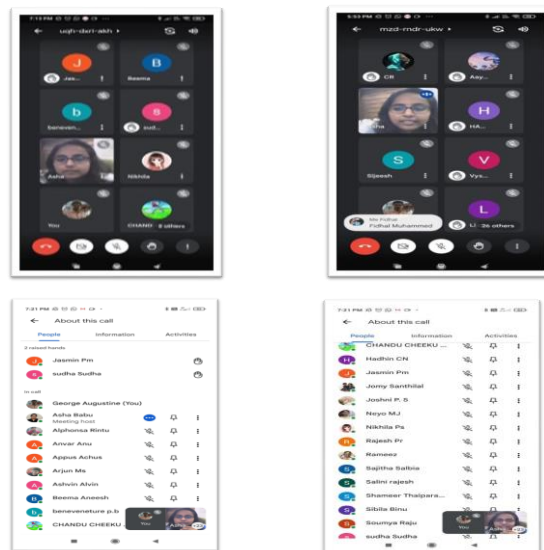
VII. Session on Child Rights and Constitutional Law

The Constitution of India recognized the Rights of Children and included several articles dealing with their liberty, and development of childhood, non-discrimination in educational spheres, free and compulsory education and prohibition of their employment in factories, mines and hazardous industries. A child means a person below the age of 18 years. Children have equal rights as adults. Every child deserves a shield of security of its nation but there are specific classes that are vulnerable to exploitation and violence more than the others. Tender age of children is not abused and they are given opportunities and facilities to develop in a healthy manner and in conditions of freedom and dignity and that childhood and youth are protected against exploitation. The outcome of the programme is to create awareness among children about Child Protection and Child Rights.

VII.1 Online class conducted by Smt. Asha Babu on Child Rights and Constitutional Law (10th December 2022) at Pothanikkad

Online Classes were conducted by Smt Asha Babu, Adv High Court of Kerala, on Child Rights and Constitutional Laws for the Geojit Children belonging to Pothanikkad Panchayath on December 10, 2023. The main objective of this class was to create an awareness among children about the basic rights that these children have and is enacted in the Indian Constitution. Along with this she also gave

an overall idea about the Structure of the Indian Constitution and about the Indian Constitutional Laws.



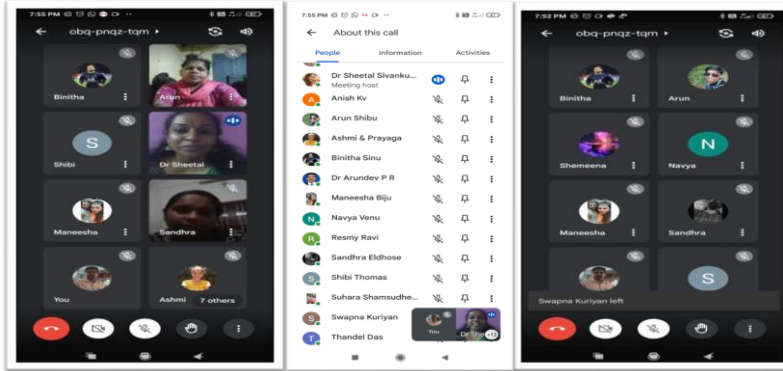
Session on Child Rights and Constitutional Law by Smt Asha Babu on 10th December 2022

VIII. Session on Effective Parenting

Effective Parenting is very much important for the overall development of the child. As children grow and develops there are many things a parent can do to help their child. A child needs a loving, secure, and stimulating environment for their optimum growth and development. For the proper growth and development of the child it is very important that their physical, emotional and psychosocial needs have to be met. Love is just as important as nutritious food for a child's development and proper parenting is one of the ways through which this is met.

VIII.1 Online class about Parenting conducted by Dr Sheetal, a Mentor of Bharath Academy on 3rd October 2022 (Pothanikkad and Paingottoor)

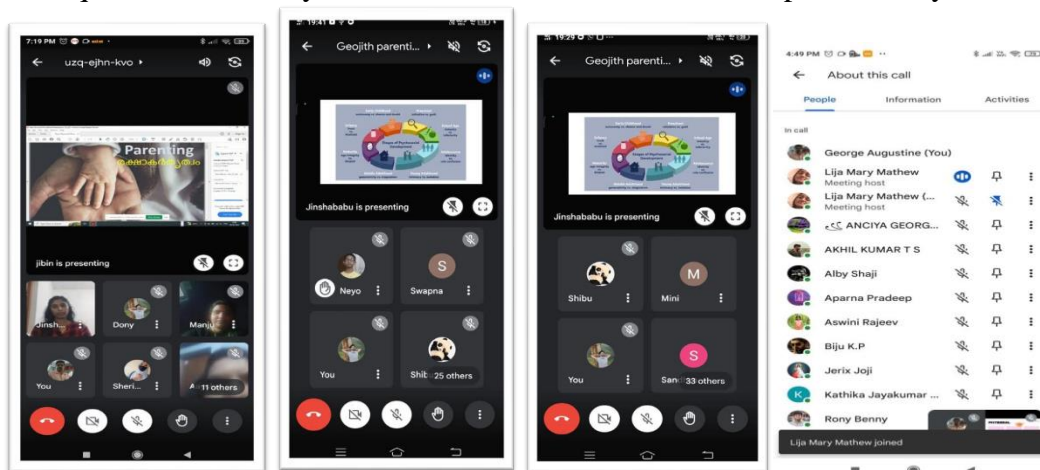
These classes were very productive and communicative for the parents of Geojit Student Development Programme Children belonging to these panchayaths. Effective Parenting can result in effective and proper development of the child and for this to happen, the Geojit Foundation and Rajagiri outREACH conducted classes about parenting for the parents of the beneficiaries of the Geojit Foundation. Parents clarified their doubts with regard to screen addiction, poor academic performance, and violent nature. Dr. Sheethal clarified the doubts raised by the parents.



Online class on Parenting conducted by Dr Sheetal, a Mentor of Bharath Academy on 3rd October 2022 at Pothanikkad and Paingottoor

VIII.2 Online class conducted by Ms. Jinsha Babu, Social Worker Kaval Programme about parenting on 4th, 9th, 10th, 14th and 22nd February 2022 (Budhannur, Perumanna, and Vadakarapathy)

The classes were conducted for the Geojit Student Development Program children as mentioned above was very effective and parents actively participated in the discussions. Smt. Jinsha Babu conducted the session with a PowerPoint presentation and mentioned about effective parenting, different types of parenting, parenting techniques, and how to handle children and adolescent issues. The parents clarified their doubts with regards to the changes in their behaviour during adolescent period, how to control the anger of the children, etc. The session was very much interactive and the parents also mentioned about the good qualities of their children and the parents also discussed about the screen addiction and new digital techniques and they suggested that if they got an opportunity to understand the digital techniques it will be easy for them to handle the children in a positive way.



Online session on Parenting conducted by Ms. Jinsha Babu, through Google Meet for Budhannur, Perumanna and Vadakarapathy Panchayaths

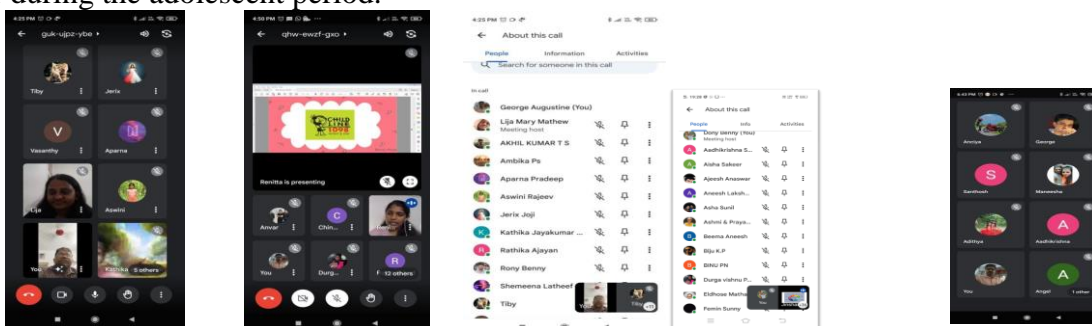
IX. Adolescent Education Session

Adolescence is a period of rapid development when young people acquire new capacities and are faced with new challenges. Adolescence and young people are agents of change in their societies. The

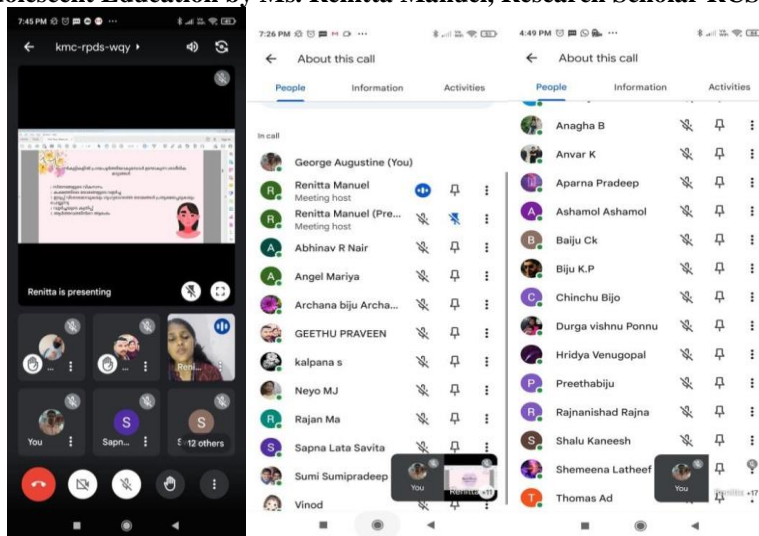
government of India has taken a decision to implement the Adolescence Education Programme (AEP) in all Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools. It is imperative that they must be provided with standardized material and the right and expert teachers. It is very important the children of this generation should be aware about adolescent education.

IX.1 Online Session on Adolescent Education by Ms. Renitta (Budhannur and Paingottoor)

Classes about Adolescence Education were taken by Ms. Renitta Manuel, Ph.D Scholar, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences for the Budhannur and Paingottoor Panchayath beneficiaries of the Geojit Foundation. The objective of this class was to make the children aware of the changes that occur physically, biologically and psychologically to an individual during the period of Adolescence. The class was taken on 18th March 2022 through Google Meet due to the COVID-19 Pandemic situation. The children actively participated in the session and they clarified their doubts regarding the changes that occur during the adolescent period.



Session on Adolescent Education by Ms. Renitta Manuel, Research Scholar RCSS on 18.03.2022



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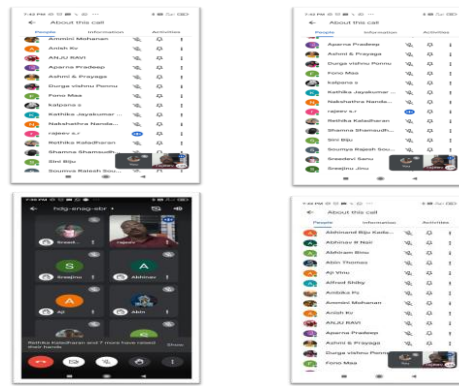
X. Life Skill Training and Career Guidance

The World Health Organization (WHO) has defined Life skill as “The abilities for adaptive and positive behavior that enable individuals to deal effectively with the demands and challenges of

everyday life”. The Life Skill training will support the children to handle the challenges faced by them. It also helps them to establish productive and interpersonal relationships with others.

X.1 Online class by Shri. S R Rajeev, DDU-GKY Coordinator about Life skills on 23rd October 2022 (Budhannur)

Conducted an online class on Life skill by Shri. S R Rajeev, Coordinator DDU-GKY, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. A motivation session for the Geojit Student Development Program Children belonging to Budhannur Panchayath were also given during this academic year. The aim of the programme was to give an orientation on the life skills such as problem solving, logical thinking, critical thinking, creative thinking, assertive skills, etc. The outcome of the life skill training is to help the children to make decisions in difficult situations. It was an interactive session; all the children actively participated in the programme.



A session on Life Skills by Shri. S R Rajeev on 23rd October 2022 at Paingottoor Grama panchayath

X.2 Offline class conducted by Dr. Arun Mathew, Faculty, S.N. College, Paingottoor about Career Guidance and Life Skill Training on 12th November 2022 at Paingottoor panchayath

A Career Guidance and Life Skill Training session had been conducted at Paingottoor Grama panchayath with a variety of ice breaking sessions. The Class was taken by Dr. Arun Mathew, Faculty, Sree Narayana College, Paingottoor. The class was highly useful and productive and the children really enjoyed the session by actively participating in various activities. The aim of the programme was to give an orientation on the life skills such as problem solving, logical thinking, critical thinking, creative thinking and assertive skills etc. The outcome of the life skill training is to help the children to make decisions in difficult situations. It was an interactive session; all the children actively participated in the programme.



A session about Carrier guidance and life skill training class was conducted for children at Paingottoor Grama panchayath by Dr. Arun Mathew

X.3 Offline class conducted by Dr. Arun and Dr. Nitheesh at Pothanikkad about Career Guidance and Life Skill Training held on 19th November 2022

A Career Guidance and Life skills' training session was conducted for the Geojit beneficiary children belonging to Pothanikkad panchayat. The classes were conducted by Dr. Arun and Dr. Nitheesh, Faculty at Sree Narayana College, Paingottoor. The aim of the session was to equip the children with the necessary Life Skills such as critical thinking, creative thinking, Decision-Making skills, etc., which are necessary for the optimum development of the child, this has helped the children to make more rational decisions.



A session about Career Guidance and Life Skill Training was conducted for Children at Pothanikkad Grama panchayath by Dr. Arun and Dr. Nitheesh on 19th November 2022

X.4 Offline Session on Life Skill and Career Guidance at Vadakarapathy on 20th November 2022

As part of the Geojit Student Development Program, Life Skill and Career Guidance Training was conducted for the children of Vadakarapathy Panchayat of Palakkad district on 20th November 2022. It was a full-day program in which all the sessions were handled by Triple N Institute of Training from the Palakkad district itself. The team conducted the sessions with group activities and games so that children could actively participate in the program and understand the concepts. There were 60 students in total to attend the program and parents of these children, also attended the program. The morning session was dealing with the topic; of 'Life Skills' and afternoon they got intensive training on 'Career Guidance'. Lunch and refreshments were arranged for all the participants.



Career Guidance and Life Skill training at Vadakarapathy on 20th November 2022

X. 5 Offline Session on Life Skill and Career Guidance at Perumanna on 27th December 2022

As part of the Geojit Student Development Program, Life Skill and Career Guidance Training was conducted for the children of Perumanna Panchayat of Kozhikode district, on 27th December 2022 at Nanma Learning Centre in Puthoormadam. The sessions were handled by Dr. P M Mathew, Asst. Professor, Christ University, Bengaluru. The first session was dealt with Life Skill which was followed by a Career Guidance Class at the end. The concepts were communicated through group activities and games and the children were very active throughout the session. There were 64 children in total to attend the program and some of the parents were also present for the program.



Career Guidance and Life Skill training at Perumanna on 27th December 2022

XI. SOUHRUDHAM CAMP

Souhrudam Camp is a summer camp that is organized by Rajagiri outREACH for the beneficiary children of its programmes. As the name itself describes friendship, the main aim of this programme is to develop friendship among children in a good way and also the camp is an opportunity for the children to learn new plays, songs, dances, etc. Along with this the importance of ‘saving habits among children’ “*Kuttikalude Sampathyam*” is also shown through meaningful plays. It is also an opportunity for the children to mingle with others.

XI.1 Souhrudam Camp conducted at Budhannur Grama panchayath on 17th December 2022

Souhrudam Camp was conducted at Budhannur Panchayat Community Hall on 17th December 2022. 135 Geojit beneficiary children attended the Camp. Panchayat President Smt.Pushpalatha Madhu, inaugurated the Camp. Topic for the Camp was *Kuttikalude Sampathyam [Savings in Children]*. Various games, activities and songs were introduced to the children on the topic. Resource Person for the Camp was Mrs Sheela Solomon, Kudumbashree Mentor, Mr, George V.A., Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH, coordinated the programme. Rajagiri outREACH Internship students from Marian College, Kuttikanam and Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery, organized games for the children. Children were served tea and snacks.



Souhrudam Camp conducted at Budhannur Grama Panchayath on 17th December 2022

XI.2 Souhrudam Camp conducted at Pothanikkad on 26th January 2023

Souhrudam Camp was conducted at Pothanikkad Community Hall. Geojit Student Development Program children attended the Camp. Smt. Jinu Mathew, Pothanikkad Panchayath President inaugurated the Camp. The topic for the Camp was” *Kuttikalude Sampathyam [Savings in Children]*”. Various games, activities and songs were introduced to the children on the topic. The Resource Person for the Camp was Mr. Nitheesh, MSW Faculty from Sree Narayana College Paingottoor, Mr. George V.A., Senior Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH, coordinated the programme. Rajagiri outREACH internship students from Marian College, Kuttikanam and Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery, organized games for the children. The Children were provided with tea and snacks.



Souhrudam camp inaugurated by Smt. Jinu Mathew Panchayath president of Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath held on 26th January 2023

XI.3 Souhrudam camp conducted at Paingottoor on 11th February 2023

Souhrudam Camp was conducted on 11 February 2023 at Paingottoor Grama Panchayath Hall. Dr. Nitheesh, Faculty, Sree Narayana College, Paingottoor was the Resource Person of the programme. Mr. V.A George, Senior Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the programme. Internship students from Rajagiri outREACH also participated in the programme. 130 children and 30 parents of Geojit student development programme attended the programme. Tea and refreshment were served to the children. The topic for the camp was “*kuttikalude sambadhyam*”. During the camp games, songs, ice breaking sessions and cultural programs were conducted. The children were seen very energetic after the game sessions and were very enthusiastic throughout the programme. Along with this Souhrudam camp, New Year celebration was also carried out by cutting the New Year Cake.



Souhrudam camp at Paingottoor Grama Panchayath held on 11th February 2023

XI.4 Souhrudam Camp conducted at Perumanna on 5th March 2023

Souhrudam camp was conducted for the children at Perumanna on 5th March 2023. The session was taken by Mr. Vinayan V S., Research Associate, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. About 50 students and their parents were present for the session and the topic of the session was **Financial Management** for the children and the session was handled through play and engaging activities for the children which developed a very good interest for the children. The session gave the parents and their children a deep look into how they must manage their budget, wealth and what are the needs of the children. The objective of the programme was to impart the basic part of budget management.



Souhrudam camp at Perumanna Grama Panchayath held on 05th March 2023

XI.5 Souhrudam Camp conducted at Vadakarapathy on 25th March 2023

Souhrudam camp was conducted for the children at Vadakarapathy on 25th March 2023. The session was taken by Mr. Vinayan V S., Research Associate, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. About 50 students and their parents were present for the session and the topic of the session was **Financial Management** for the children and the session was handled through play and engaging activities for the children which developed a very good interest for the children. The session gave the parents and their children a deep look into how they must manage their budget and save the money, what are the needs of the children. The objective of the programme was to provide awareness on money management and savings.



Souhrudam Camp Session at Vadakarapathy on 25th March 2023

XII. CRAFT MAKING SESSION

Craft is defined as the art of making new things from all sort of materials in a skill full way. One feature of craft is that it involves a high degree of hands-on craftsmanship and application of technique rather than the use of a skilful machine or a mechanical technology. Besides education, art and craft also play a significant role in our life that is a hobby in our daily life. It helps in improving handwriting, skills, creativity and mental health. Art and craft are gaining importance in all aspects of life. For the Geojit Development Programme beneficiary students, it is an opportunity for them to learn new skills in a very innovative manner.

XII.1 Craft making session conducted at Pothanikkad grama panchayath on 26th January 2023

Craft making Session was conducted on 26th January 2023 at Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath. Geojit Student Development Program Children had participated in this activity. Ms. Shilpa V. Yohannan Ph.D., Scholar from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences was the Trainer for this programme. Craft making programme was supported by Mr. George V.A., Senior Coordinator, and internship students from Marian College Kuttikkanam and Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery. Children could learn to make different articles like, flower, flower vase, decorating articles, birds etc. The Craft Making Session helped the students to identify their skills and also got an opportunity to exhibit their craft making items.



Craft making session conducted at Pothanikkad grama panchayath held on 26th January 2023

XII.2 Hand Craft Making Session held at Perumanna on 5th March 2023

A session on Hand Craft Making was conducted for the children at Perumanna. The session was taken on 5th March 2023, Saturday by Ms. Seethal Jose, Social Worker, who had expertise in making hand craft materials, conducted the hand craft session for the children. The session was very engaging for the children and they were actively involved in making the craft items and showed their enthusiasm after making the craft items. The session taught the children how to make things like photo frames and pencil stands using plastic bottles. A total of 50 students and their parents attended the programme.



Hand craft making session conducted at Perumanna on 5th March 2023

XII.3 Craft Making session conducted at Budhannur Grama Panchayath on 18th March 2023

A session on hand craft making was conducted for the children at Budhannur on 18th March 2023 Saturday, by Ms. Jinsha Babu, Social Worker, Kaval Programme who had expertise in making hand craft materials. Ms. Jinsha Babu took a session on craft making for the children. The session was very effective for the children. And the children were actively involved in listening to the craft making session. Through this session the children learnt to make things like wall hanging, pen-stand, flowers, photo frames by using Newspaper and chart paper. A total of 164 students and their parents attended the programme.



Craft Making session at Budhannur on 18th March 2023



Craft making session at Budhannur Grama panchayath on 18th March 2023

XII.4 Hand Craft Making Session at Vadakarapathy on 25th March 2022

A session on hand craft making was conducted for the children at Vadakarapathy on 25th March 2023, by Ms. Jinsha Babu, Case Worker, Kaval Programme who had expertise in making hand craft materials. Ms. Jinsha Babu took a session on craft making for the children. The session was very effective for the children. And the children were actively involved in listening to the craft making. Through this session the children learnt on how to make things like wall-hanging, pen-stand, flowers, photo frames by using newspaper and chart paper. A total of 130 students and their parents attended the programme.



Hand Craft Making Session at Vadakarapathy on 25th March 2023

XII.5 Hand Craft Making Session at Paingottoor on 11th March 2022

A session on hand craft making was conducted for the children at Paingottoor on 11th March 2023, by Ms. Jinsha Babu, Case Worker, Kaval Programme, who had expertise in making hand craft materials. Ms. Jinsha Babu took a session on craft making for the children. The session was very effective for the children. Through this session the children learnt on how to make things like wall-hanging, pen-stand, flowers, photo frames by using newspaper and chart paper. A total of 134 students and their parents attended the programme. The children were enthusiastic throughout the session since the session involved the participation of all the students.



Hand Craft Making Session at Paingottoor on 11th March 2023

XIII. NEW YEAR CELEBRATION

On the night of 31st December 2022 and the morning of 1st January 2023, people in many countries all over the world celebrate the beginning of a new year. There have been celebrations to mark the beginning of the New Year for thousands of years. The New Year is a perfect time to make a change for the better. New Year celebration is a time for all to come together and enjoy the beginning of a happy new year!

XIII.1 New Year Celebration held at Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath on 26th January 2023

New Year Cake cutting celebration was conducted at Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath on 26th January 2023. The programme was inaugurated by Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath President and two of the Geojit Student Development Program Children, ie, Abhinav, Niranjana and Jinu Mathew. The programme was coordinated by Mr. George V.A., Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH. The children actively participated in the celebration.



New Year celebration held at Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath on 26th January 2023

XIII.2 New Year celebration at Budhannur Grama Panchayath on 18th December 2022

The Christmas & New-year Celebration for the Geojit Student Development Programme was held on 18th December 2022 at Budhannur. Cake cutting was inaugurated by Shri. Mohanan, Vice President, Budhannur Grama Panchayat. A session on Life Skills was conducted by Smt. Sheela Solomon and Seema Sunil, Kudumbashree Mentors. After the Cake cutting programme, Smt. Pushpalatha Madhu, Budhanur Grama Panchayath President delivered a speech to the Geojit Student Development Programme children and their parents.



New Year celebration inaugurated by Shri. Mohanan, Vice President, Budhannur on 18th December 2022

XIV Innovative Fund Distribution programme

Innovative Fund Distribution is a programme that is carried out by the Geojit Foundation in which a certain amount of fund from the student development programme is used to buy story Books and other motivational Novels by famous writers and is distributed to the children belonging to each of the Five Panchayats of the Geojit Foundation. The objective of this programme is to develop the reading habit of the children and along with this they learn the stories of these very famous

individuals like Kunjunnimash, Dr APJ Abdul Kalam, Mohan Das Karam Chand Gandhi, etc., which helps these children to understand how to overcome in difficult situations of their lives. This programme is definitely an opportunity for the children to get a glimpse on how great personalities are born.



Books distributed for the Geojit Innovative Fund Distribution programme to the Students

XIV.1 Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held at Paingottoor on 12th November 2022

The innovative fund distribution programme was held on 12th November 2022 at Paingottoor Grama Panchayath Hall. The programme started with the inaugural ceremony by Dr. Nitheesh, Faculty, SN College, Paingottoor. Along with this, we have also distributed a book named “Ente Sathyanveshana Preekshanangal” by Mohan Das Karam Chand Gandhi as part of the innovative fund distribution. The objective of this book distribution was to develop the reading habit of the children and also to give them an idea about how great personalities shaped our Nation and what are their contributions to this. A total of 140 beneficiary students participated in the programme and Mr. V A George, Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the programme.



Geojit Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held on 12th November 2022 at Paingottoor

XIV.2 Innovative Fund Distribution programme held at Pothanikkadu on 19th November 2022

The innovative fund distribution programme was held at Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath Community Hall on 19th November 2022. The programme started with the inaugural ceremony by Shri. N M Joseph, Grama Panchayath President Pothanikkad by handing over the books named “Ente Sathyanveshana Preekshanangal” by Mohan Das Karam Chand Gandhi as part of the innovative fund distribution programme. A total of 105 beneficiary students participated for the

programme and the children were very excited to receive the books and they promised that they will definitely read the books. Mr. V A George, Rajagiri outREACH, coordinated the programme.



Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held at Pothanikkad Grama Panchayath on 19th November 2022

XIV.3 Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held at Budhannur on 17th December 2022

The Innovative Fund Distribution Programme was held at Budhannur on 17th December 2022. The programme started with the inauguration by Smt. Pushpalatha Madhu, Grama Panchayath President, Budhannur and along with this she distributed the books named ‘Agnichirakukul’ by Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam and ‘Nallathupole Padikkan Kunjusoothrangal’ by Kunjunnimash to the beneficiary children. A total of 165 beneficiary children were present for the programme. All the children were very happy to receive the books in their hand and all of them agreed to read the books during their leisure time. Shri. V. A. George, Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH, coordinated the programme.



Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held at Budhannur on 17th December 2022

XIV. 4 Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held at Perumanna on 27th December 2022

As mentioned in the proposal submitted to Geojit Foundation by Rajagiri outREACH an innovative fund was allotted for all the children of the Geojit Student Development Program. This year the fund was utilized to purchase certain books that can inspire the children and it was also aimed to develop the reading habit among the children. The two books distributed among the Children of Perumanna Panchayat were ‘Wings of Fire’ and ‘Nallathupole Padikkan Kunjusoothrangal’. All the children were happy to receive the books and many of them already had a good habit of reading from their childhood itself.



Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held at Perumanna on 27 December 2022

XIV.5 Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held on Vadakarapathy on 20th November 2022

As mentioned in the proposal submitted to Geojit Financial Services an innovative fund was allotted for all the children of Geojit Student Development Program. This year the fund was utilized to purchase certain books that can inspire the children and it was also aimed to develop the reading habit among the children. The two books distributed among the Children of Vadakarapathy Panchayat were ‘The Diary of a Young Girl’ and ‘Hitopadesha’. All the children were happy to receive the books and many of them already had a good habit of reading from their childhood itself.



Innovative Fund Distribution Program held on Vadakarapathy on 20th November 2022

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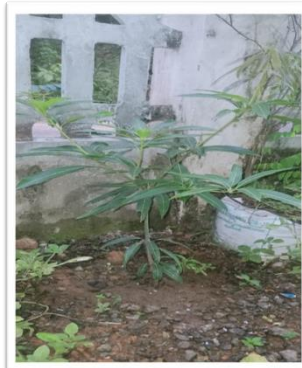
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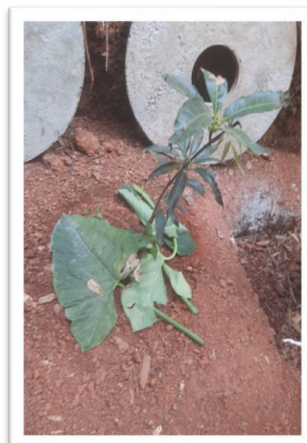


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**ONLINE CLASSES CONDUCTED FOR THE GEOJIT SPONSORED CHILDREN FOR
THE YEAR 2022-2023**

**[CENTERS, POTHANIKAD, PAINGOTTUR, BUDHANNUR, PERUMANNA AND
VADAKARAPATHY]**

Sl #	Spoken English Class	Resource Person	Attendance	Center Name	Date	Time
1	“	Smt. Blaizy [2 Sessions every Sunday]	70,67	Budhannur Paingottoor	7.8.22	3pm,6pm
2	“	“	60,78	Pothanikkad Perumanna	14.8.22	3pm,6pm
3	“	“	79,57	Paingottoor Budhannur	21.8.22	3pm,6pm
4	“	“	56,67	Vadakarapathy Budhannur	28.8.22	3pm,6pm
5	“	“	81,77	Budhannur Paingottoor	4.9.22	3pm,6pm
6	“	“	79,54	Perumanna Vadakarapathy	11.9.22	3pm,6pm
7	“	“	78,81	Budhannur Paingottoor	18.9.22	3pm,6pm
8	“	“	67,65	Perumanna Budhannur	9.10.22	3pm,6pm
9	“	“	60,75	Pothanikkad Paingottoor	16.10.22	3pm,6pm
10	“	“	46,45	Pothanikkad Vadakarapathy	30.10.22	3pm,6pm
11	“	“	61,64	Budhannur Paingottoor	6.11.22	3pm,6pm
12	“	“	67,56	Paingottoor Budhannur	13.11.22	3pm,6pm
13	“	“	68,71	Pothanikkad Paingottoor	27.11.22	3pm, 6pm
14	“	“	45,61	Vadakarapathy Perumanna	4.12.22	4pm, 6 pm
15	“	“	65,67	Budhannur Paingottoor	11.12.22	“
16	“	“	78,70	Pothanikkad Perumanna	18.12.22	“

17		“	65,77	Vadakarapathy Budhannur	08.01.23	“
18		“	67 ,79	Paingottoor Budhannur	15.01.23	“
19		“	56,67	Pothanikkad Perumanna	22.01.23	“
20	“	“	76,70	Budhannur Paingottoor	29.01 .23	
21	“	“	56,78	Vadakarapathy Paingottoor	05.02.23	
22	“	“	67 ,65	Budhannur Paingottoor	12,02.23	
23	“	“	71,67	Paingottoor Budhannur		

Sl. #	Hindi Speaking	Smt.Thressiamma	Attendance	Center Name	Date	Time
1		“	61	Pothanikkad	13.8.22	6to7pm
2		“	53	Perumanna	15.8.22	3 to 4
3		“	45	Vadakarapathy	27.8.22	6 to 7
4		“	67	Pothanikkad	5.9.22	7 to 8
5		“	52	Perumanna	17.9.22	7 to 8
6		“	34	Vadakarapathy	21.9.22	7 to 8
7		“	58	Pothanikkad	24.9.22	6 to 7
8		“	56	Perumanna	1.10 22	7 to 8
9		“	51	Vadakarapathy	7.10.22	7 to 8
10		“	67	Perumanna	14.10.22	7 to 8
11		“	63	Pothanikkad	24.10.22	7 to 8
12		“	45	Vadakarapathy	30.10.22	7 to 8
13		“	62	Perumanna	5.11.22	3 to 4
14		“	42	Vadakarapathy	12.11.22	3 to 4
15		“	76	Pothanikkad	20.11.22	7 to 8
16		“	58	Perumanna	28.11.22	7to 8
17		“	51	Vadakarapathy	6.12. 22	7 to 8
		Mary Soumya				
18		“	65	Budhannur	23.7.22	7 to 8
19		“	68	Paingottoor	24.7.22	7 to 8
20		“	56	Budhannur	29.7.22	7 to 8
21		“	59	Paingottoor	31.7.22	7 to 8

22		“	67	Budhannur	5.8.22	7 to 8
23		“	64	Paingottoor	12.8.22	7 to 8
24		“	62	Budhannur	18.8.22	7 to 8
25		“	56	Paingottoor	27.8.22	7 to 8
26		“	69	Budhannur	6.9.22	7 to 8
27		“	58	Paingottoor	17.9.22	7 to 8
28		“	67	Budhannur	26.9.22	7 to 8
29		“	62	Paingottoor	17.11.22	7 to 8
30		“	78	Budhannur	18.10.22	7 to 8
31		“	72	Paingottoor	23.11.22	7 to 8
32		“	75	Budhannur	24.11.22	7 to 8
33		“	72	Paingottoor	6.12.22	7 to 8
34		“	78	Budhannur	9.12.22	7 to 8
35	Educating Life Skills	“	73	Paingottoor	10.12.22	7 to 8
1	“	Sri. Rajeev	63	Pothanikkad	23.10.20 22	7 to 8
2	“	Radical Mentor Kothamangalam	76	Paingottoor	12.10.22	10to 11.30
3	“	Radical Mentor Kothamangalam	67	Pothanikkad	19.10.22	11.45 to 1.15 pm
4	“		58	Vadakarapathy	20.11.22	10 am to 11.30
5	“	Sheela Solaman and Preetha	178	Budhannur	18.12.22	10.to 11.30 am
1	Basics of Indian Constitution and Child Rights	Advocate Asha Babu High Court. Advocate Ekm. Advocate Unnikrishnan Mavelikara	68 79	Paingottoor Budhannur	24.10.22 19.11.22	7 to 8

2	Career Guidance	Radical Mentor Kothamangalam	79 71 56	Paingottoor Pothanikkad Vadakarapathy	12.11.22 19.11.22 20.11.22	10 to 12.30 10 to 12.30
3	Souhrudam Camp, Christmas & New year	Smt. Beena, Kudumbashree Mentor & George .VA Dr. Nitheesh & George VA Mr. Vinayan & Mr. Dony Mr. Vinayan & Dony	174 130 160 90 70	Budhannur Pothanikkad Paingottoor Perumanna Vadakarapathy	17.12.22 26.01.23 11.02.23 05.03.23 25.03.23	10to4pm 10 to 4 10 to 4 10to 4 10to 4
4		Bharath academy	50	Vadakarapathy	20/11	12 -1
	Parenting Class	Radical mentor “ Nitheesh Bharath academy Dr.Nitheesh Jinsha Jinsha Jinsha Jinsha Nitheesh Bharath Academy Nitheesh Nitheesh	67 78 61 56 67 45 71 56 89 71 80 62 61	Pothanikkad Paingottoor Pothanikkad Perumanna Paingottoor Pothanikkad Paingottoor Perumanna Budhannur Pothanikkad Paingottoor Budhannur Budhannur	10.12 10-12 23.1 4.2.23 4.2.23 9.2.23 10.2.23 14.2-23 22.2.23 25.2.23 25.2.23 2.3.23 3.3.23	6-7.30 7.30-9 2-4pm 7- 8.30 10-12 6-- 7.30 7.30-9 7-7 30 7- 7.30 10.-12 2- 3.30 6.30.8 6.30.8
5	Craft Making	Smt. Shilpa Smt. Seethal Smt.Jinsha Smt. Jinsha	115 56 78 123	Pothanikkad Perumanna Paingottoor Budhannur	26.1.23 5.3.23 11.03.23 18.3.23	10 – 1 12.-3.0 10 -1 10to 1
6	Adolescent Education	Shillpa Yohannan Shilpa, Lija Lija AswinGeorge “ Aswin George	67 56 62 67 61 62 67	Pothanikkad Paingottoor Paingottoor Budhannur Budhannur Paingottoor	04.03.23 05. 03.23 05.03.23 5.3. 23 11.3.23	6-8pm 4.3-6pm 3.30- 5.3-7 6 -7.3 3.30pm 6.30pm

	Lija	67	Vadakarapathy	12.03 23	4-5.30
	Renita	56	Perumanna	12.3.23	6-7.30
	Shilpa	58	Vadakarapathy	12.3.23	6to 7.3
	Renita	57	Budhannur	12.3.23	6to 7.3
	Aswin George	61	Paingottoor	15.3.23	
				18.3.23	

Launching of Geojit Student Development Programme at Karumalloor and Alangad Grama Panchayath on 15th October 2022

Geojit Student Development Programme launching at Karumalloor Panchayat on 15th October 2022

The launching of Geojit Student Development Program in Karumalloor Grama Panchayat commenced with an official inaugural function arranged at the Panchayat Community Hall on 15th October 2022. The program started at 11 am with a silent prayer. The inauguration of the program was done by Smt. Latha Lalu, President of Karumalloor Grama Panchayat, at the inaugural speech; she offered all the support and GP level cooperation to the educational development program for the selected children. The Chief Guest of the program was Smt. Mini Nair, Chief Financial Officer, Geojit Financial Services, who delivered a beautiful message to the gathering about the importance of education during her keynote address. The program was presided by Shri. George Menachery, Vice President of Karumalloor Grama Panchayat and Smt. Jaya Jacob Alexander, CEO of Geojit Foundation, rendered the felicitation address and she highlighted the vision of the Geojit Student Development Programme. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director of Rajagiri outREACH delivered a brief description about the project to the gathering.

During the launching programme the 100 selected children were given study material kit including a school bag, and 10 numbers of notebooks by the dignitaries of the program. Mr. George V A, Senior Coordinator and Mr. Gracious George, Social Worker at Rajagiri outREACH delivered the welcome note and vote of thanks respectively. The presence of Mr. Deepak John, Asst. Manager of Geojit Financial Services, and Mr. Varghese K O, Mr. V S Vinayan and Mrs. Ligi Benny, Staff at Rajagiri outREACH, along with 5 internship students of Rajagiri outREACH were there to give support, assistance in the total coordination of the program. A total of 225 people participated for the program including children, parents and ward members.





Geojit Student Development Programme launched at Karumalloor on 15th October 2022

Geojit Student Development Programme Launching at Alangad Panchayat on 15th October 2022

The inauguration of Geojit Student Development Program in Alangad Panchayat was conducted on 15th October 2022, at 3.00 pm at Alangad Panchayat Community Hall. The program started with a silent prayer followed by Welcome Speech by Mr. George V A, Senior Coordinator at Rajagiri outREACH. Sri. P M Manaf, President of Alangad Grama Panchayat inaugurated the program and during his address he expressed his support for the programme. The Chief Guest of the function was Smt. Jaya Jacob Alexander, CEO of Geojit Foundation, and she delivered the keynote address to the gathering. In her keynote address she shared the vision of Geojit Financial Services and the importance of education. The meeting was presided by Sri. Jabbar, Panchayat Standing Committee, Chairperson, and a brief description about the Student Development Program of Geojit was delivered by Smt.Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH. The selected 100 children for the Student Development Program received study material kit that included a schoolbag and 10 numbers of college notebook for each of the children. Distribution of the study material kit was inaugurated by the dignitaries of the program. Mr. Gracious George, Social Worker at Rajagiri outREACH delivered the vote of thanks at the end of the program. The presence of Mr. Deepak John, Asst. Manager of Geojit Financial Services, and Mr. Varghese K O, Mr. V S Vinayan and Mrs. Ligi Benny, Staff Rajagiri outREACH, along with 5 internship students of Rajagiri outREACH attended the programme to give support and assistance for the total coordination of the program. A total 220 participants attended the program including children, their siblings, Parents and Ward Members of the Grama Panchayat.



Geojit Student Development Programme launched at Alangad on 15th October 2022

Sessions Conducted for Geojit Supported Children under Student Development Programme 2022-2023 at Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayath

Sl #	Topic	Resource Person	Centere	Date	Time	Attendance
1	Spoken English	Bharath Acadamy	Alangad	26.11.22	7 to 8pm	78
2			Karumalloor	3.12.22	7to 8pm	75
3			Alangad	17.12.22	7to 8pm	70
4			Karumalloor	24.12.22	7.to 8pm	74
5			Alangad	31.12.22	7to 8pm	70
6			Karumalloor	07.10.22	7to 8pm	64
7			Alangad	14.01.23	7 to 8pm	65
8			Karumalloor	21.1.23	7to 8pm	63
9			Alangad	28.1.23	7to 8pm	78
10			Karumalloor	11.2.23	7to 8pm	65

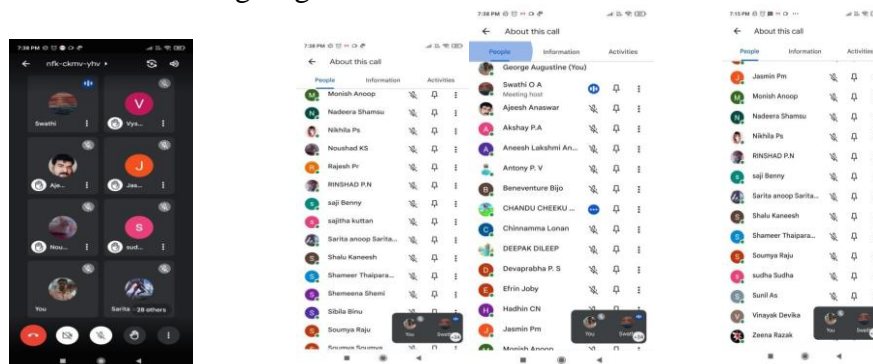
1	Hindi Speaking	Thressiamma	Alangad	13.11.22	7to 8 pm	65
2			Karumaloor	19.11.22	7 to 8 pm	76
3			Alangad	25.11.22	7to 8 pm	70
4			Karumaloor	5.12.22	7to 8 pm	78
5			Alangad	27.12.22	7to 8pm	67
6			Karumaloor	30.12.22	7-8 pm	57
7			Alangad	09.01.23	7-8pm	56
8			Karumaloor	16.1.23	7-8pm	45
9			Alangad	1.2.23.	7-8pm	65
10			Karumaloor	6.2.23	7-8pm	61
11			Alangad	11.2.23	7-8pm	60
12			Karumaloor	18.2.23	7-8pm	70
13			Alangad	27.2.23	7-8pm	64
14			Karumaloor	6.3.23	7-8pm	61
1	Constitutional Law and Child rights	Advocate Asha Babu	Alangad Karumaloor	10.12,22	5.30 to 6.30 pm 6.45 to 8.15 pm	65 80
1	Life Skills Career Gudance Life skill and Career guidance	Dr. Nitheesh	Alangad	3.12.22	10- 11.30	78
2		Dr.Arun	Karumaloor	3.12.22	12.- 1.30	87
3		Dr.Nitheesh	Alangad	3.12.22	12-130	78
4		Dr.Arun	Karumaloor	3.12.22	10- 11.30	87
1	Parenting	Dr. Nitheesh	Alangad	3.12.22	10- 11.30	61
2		Dr.Nitheesh	Karumaloor	3.12.23	12- 1 .30	56
3		Renita	Karumaloor	15.03.23	6-7.30	65
4		Renita	Alangad	16.3.23	6-7.30	61
5		Renita	Karumaloor	18.03.23	6 -7.30	71
1	Craft Making	Shilpa Yohannan	Alangad	14.01.23	10 am to 12	74
			Karumaloor			2pm to 4pm
1	Souhrudham Camp	Mr. George	Alangad	14.0123	10 am to	74
2			Karumaloor	14.01.23	4pm	78
1	Adolecent Education	Rose FCC	Karumaloor	12.03.23	6.30-8pm	70
2		Rose	Alangad	13.03.23	6.30-8pm	67
3		Shilpa	Alangad	04.03.23	6.30-8pm	45
4		Aswin	Karumaloor	5.03.23	6.30-8pm	56
1	International Women's Day Class for Parents	Mrs Laicy	Alangad Karumaloor	08.03.2023	6.30	78

I. Session on English Speaking

English is the most commonly spoken language in the world. English is the official language of majority of the countries and is used as a mutually known language. It's easy to see just how important English is around the world. It will allow you to communicate effectively with people from all over the world, making travelling a lot easier and helping to learn more about the different cultures. The importance of English language can be seen in almost every aspect of our lives. The objective of the programme is to learn English and Grammar at an early age for the Geojit Student beneficiary children.

I.I Online Session on Spoken English Training at Karumaloor and Alangad Grama Panchayaths

As mentioned in the proposal submitted to Geojit Financial Services Pvt. Ltd by Rajagiri outREACH for the Student Development Programme, a total of 5 sessions each on Spoken English in both panchayath were taken by Mrs. Swathi from Bharath Academy, Kakkanad. The objective of this English training Session was to equip the children the skills in using English language such as speaking, writing and correct grammar for a sentence. The outcome of this session was the children became confident on the usage of English language and they learned how to use the appropriate grammar while using English as a medium of communication.



Online Session on Spoken English by Mrs. Swamy, Bharath Academy Trainer

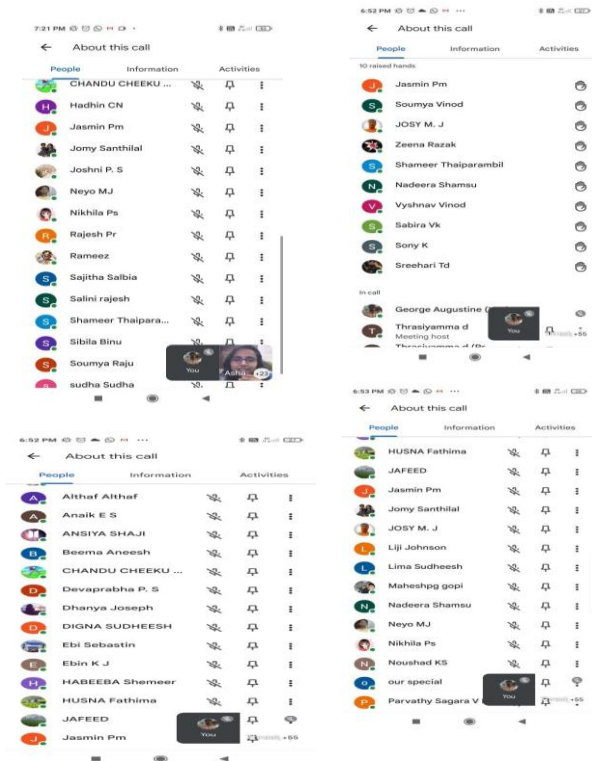
II. Session on Hindi Speaking and Grammar

Hindi is our National Language. In addition to being an official language of India, Hindi is also used as a second language by people living outside of India. This makes it a very useful language for international communication. Having such a large population of Hindi speakers, the language is also commonly taught in schools across the world. In Kerala Schools, Hindi is also a subject for the students, so by giving sessions on spoken Hindi and Hindi grammar, the beneficiary children of the Geojit Student Development Programme will be able to handle the language in a much easier manner.

II.1 Online Hindi Speaking Session at Karumaloor and Alangad Grama Panchayaths

As it is mentioned in the proposal submitted to Geojit Financial Services Pvt. Ltd by Rajagiri outREACH for the Student Development Programme a total of 5 sessions each on Spoken Hindi

was taken by Mrs Thresiamma, Hindi Teacher, St. Sebastian’s HSS, Ernakulam. During this academic period, she conducted 5 Hindi Sessions each for the Geojit Student Development Program children in Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayaths. The main objective of this class was to impart the basics of using Hindi as a language and in that way the children won’t struggle in scenarios where they have to use Hindi.



Online Session on Hindi Speaking by Mrs. Thresiamma, Teacher from St. Sebastian’s HSS Chennamangalam

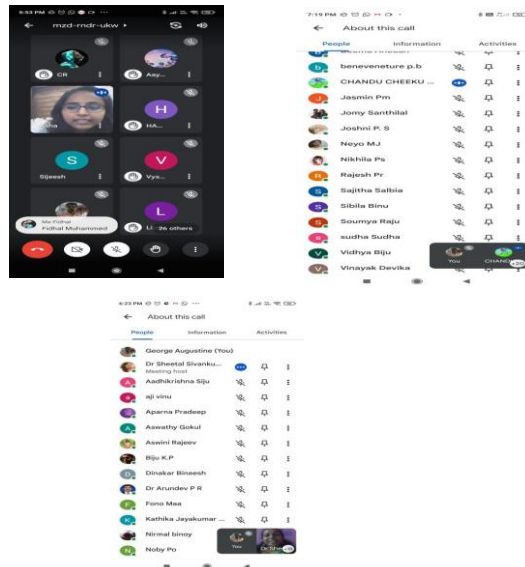
III. Session on Constitutional Law and Child Rights

The Constitution of India recognized the rights of children and included several articles dealing with their liberty, and development of childhood, non- discrimination in educational spheres, free and compulsory education and prohibition of their employment in factories, mines and hazardous industries. Children have equal rights as adults. Every child deserves a shield of security of its nation but there are specific classes that are vulnerable to exploitation and violence more than the others. Tender age of children is not abused and they are given opportunities and facilities to develop in a healthy manner and in conditions of freedom and dignity and that childhood and youth are protected against exploitation. The outcome of the programme is to create awareness among the Geojit beneficiary children about Child Protection and Child Rights.

III.1 Online Sessions conducted on Child Rights and Constitutional Law at Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayaths on 10th December 2022

Online Classes were conducted by Smt. Asha Babu, Adv. High Court of Kerala on Child Rights and Constitutional Laws for the Geojit children belonging to Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayaths on 10th December 2022. The main objective of this class was to create an awareness

among children about the basic rights that these children have and is enacted in the Indian Constitution. Along with this she also gave an overall idea about the Structure of the Indian Constitution and about the Indian Constitutional Laws.



Online Session Constitutional Law and Child Rights by Mrs. Asha Babu, High Court Advocate Ernakulam on 10.12.2022

IV Online Session on Effective Parenting and Care

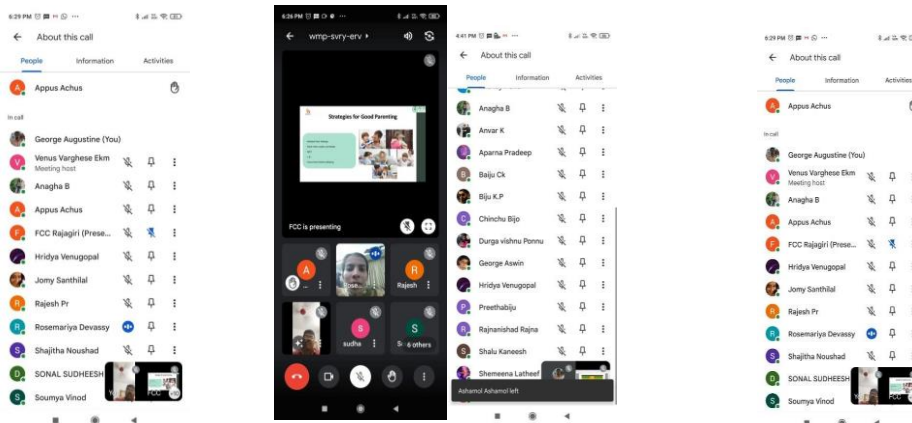
Effective Parenting is very much important for the overall development of the child as children grow and develop. A child needs a loving, secure, and stimulating environment for their optimum growth and development. For the proper growth and development of the child it is very important that their physical, emotional and psychosocial needs have to be met. Love is just as important as nutritious food for the development and proper parenting is one of the ways through which this is met.

IV.1 Session on Effective Parenting & Care

As mentioned in the Annual plan submitted to Geojit Financial Services Pvt. Ltd., by Rajagiri outREACH for the student development programme Session on **Effective Parenting and Care** was taken by Ms. Renitta Manuel, Research Scholar, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences for the Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayaths. Effective Parenting can result in effective and proper development of the child and as such conducted sessions about parenting for the parents of beneficiaries of the Geojit Student Development programme. Parents clarified their doubts during the session with regard to screen addiction, poor academic performance and violent nature of their children.

V.2 Session on Adolescent education for Alangad Grama Panchayath on 13th March 2023 by Ms. Rose and Mrs. Venus counsellors, Family Counselling Centre Rajagiri College of Social Sciences.

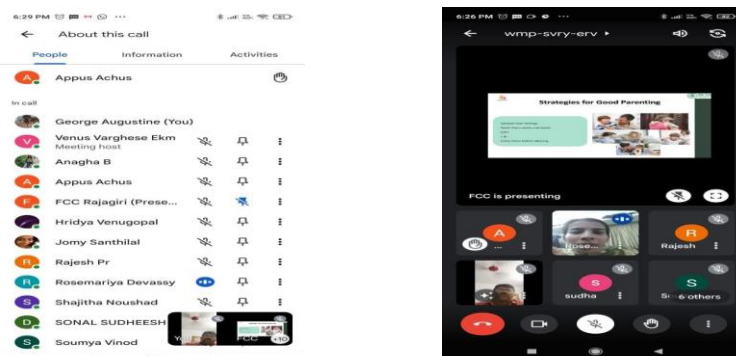
A Session on **Adolescent Education** was taken by Mrs Venus and Ms Rose, Family Counselling Centre, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), for the Alangad Grama Panchayath on 13th March 2023. The objective of this session was to provide an opportunity for the students to understand the adjustment problems faced by the children during adolescent period. The resource persons also highlighted the importance of attending counselling session when the problems arise. The session was taken on 13th March 2023 through Google Meet. The children actively participated in the session and they clarified their doubts regarding the changes that occurred during the adolescent period.



Session on Adolescent Education by Ms Rose and Ms Venus, Staff of Family Counselling Centre, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, held on 13.03.2023

V.3 Session on Adolescent Education by Ms Rose on 12th March 2023 for Karumalloor Student beneficiaries

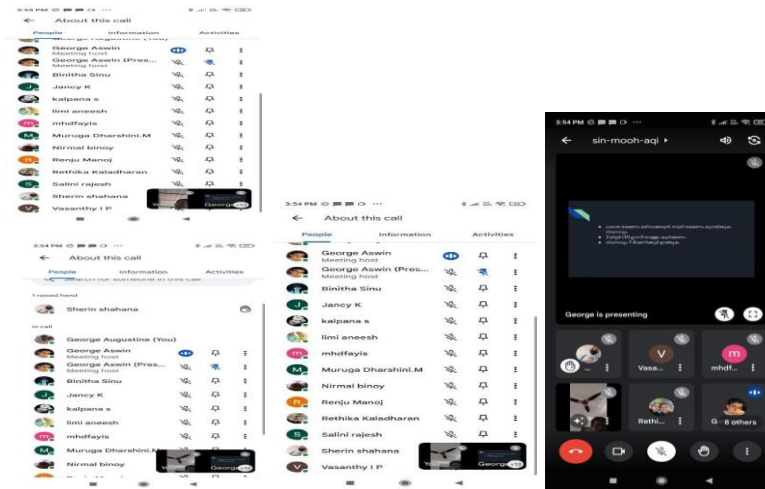
Online Session on Adolescent Education was taken by Ms Rose, Family Counselling Centre, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous) as part of Geojit Student Development Programme. The objective of this session was to equip the children with the right knowledge about the changes that occur in adolescent period and what precautions one should take during adolescent period. After the session the children cleared their doubts regarding this topic and was more knowledgeable about the topic.



Session on Adolescent Education by Ms Rose, Family Counselling Centre Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), held on 12.03.2023

V.4 Session on physical changes during Adolescent period on 05th March 2023 for the Beneficiaries of Karumalloor Grama Panchayath

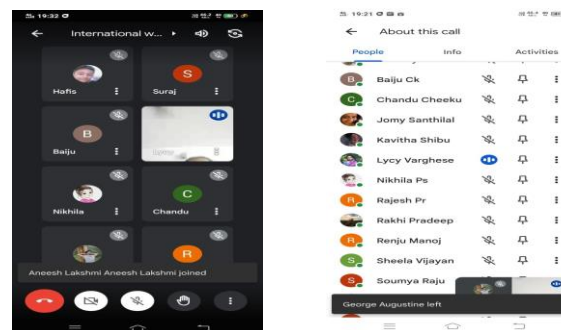
Mr. Aswin George, MBBS Final year student took a session on **Physical Changes** during the Adolescent period for the Geojit supported students of Karumalloor panchayath on 05th March 2023. The session helped the children to be more aware about the changes that occurred during puberty period and the children cleared their doubts during the interactive session about adolescent period.



Online Session on Adolescent Education by Mr. Aswin George, MBBS final year student, conducted on 05.03.2023

VI. Awareness Session on Observation of International Women’s Day for the mothers of beneficiaries of the Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayaths on 08th March 2023

International Women’s Day is celebrated on 08th March 2023. As a part of celebrating this, the Geojit Financial Services along with Rajagiri outREACH conducted an awareness session for the mothers of the beneficiaries of the Alangad and Karumalloor Panchayaths on 08th March 2023. The session was handled by Mrs. Licy M P, Coordinator Welfare Services Ernakulam. During the session she motivated the mothers and also encouraged them to do something that is productive and to their liking. The mothers seemed to be very happy and they actively participated in the games.



Awareness Session for mothers of beneficiary students of Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayaths as part of observation of International Women’s Day, held on 08.03.2023 by Mrs Licy M P, Coordinator Welfare Services Ernakulam

VII Offline Session on Life Skill Training and Career Guidance

The World Health Organization (WHO) has defined Life skills as “**The abilities for adaptive and positive behaviour that enable individuals to deal effectively with the demands and challenges of everyday life**”. The Life Skill training supported the children to handle the challenges faced by them. It also helped them to establish productive and interpersonal relationships with others. Career guidance or career counselling refers to a type of support provided by career counselors. The objective of the Geojit Student Development Programme is to support the students to choose their right Career in their life.

VII.1 Life Skill Training and Career Guidance programmes conducted for the Beneficiaries of Alangad Grama Panchayath on 3rd December 2022

A Career Guidance and Life Skill Training session had been conducted at Alangad Grama panchayath on 3rd December 2022. The Class was taken by Dr. Arun Mathew, Faculty from Sree Narayana Guru College, Paingottoor. The class was highly useful and productive and the children really enjoyed the session by doing various activities. The aim of the programme was to give an orientation on the life skills such as problem-solving, logical thinking, critical thinking, creative thinking, assertive skills, etc. The outcome of the life skill training is to help the children to make decisions in difficult situations. It was an interactive session; all the children actively participated in the programme. The Career Guidance Session was handled by Dr. Nitheesh, Faculty Sree Narayana Guru College Paingottoor. He described about the various Career opportunities in detail to the children.



Session on Life Skill training and Career Guidance at Alangad Grama Panchayath on 3rd December 2022

VII.2 Life skill training and Career Guidance programme conducted for the beneficiaries of Karumalloor Grama Panchayath on 3rd December 2022

A Career Guidance and Life Skill Training session was conducted at Karumalloor Grama panchayath on 3rd December 2022. The Life Skill Session was taken by Dr. Arun Mathew Faculty from Sree Narayana Guru College, Paingottoor. The class was highly useful and productive and the children really enjoyed the session by participating in various activities. The aim of the programme was to give an orientation on the life skills such as problem solving, logical thinking, critical thinking, creative thinking, assertive skills, etc. The outcome of the life skill training was to help the children to make decisions in difficult situations. It was an interactive session; all the children actively participated in

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Session on Life Skill training and Career Guidance at Karumalloor Grama Panchayath on 3rd December 2022

VIII Craft Making Session for Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayaths

Craft is defined as the art of making new things from a variety of materials in a skillful way. One feature of craft is that it involves a high degree of hands-on craftsmanship and application of technique rather than the use of a skilful machine or a mechanical technology. Besides education art and craft also plays a significant role in our life, that is a hobby in our daily life. It helps in improving handwriting, skills, creativity and mental health. Art and craft are gaining importance in all aspects of life. For the Geojit Student Development Programme beneficiary students, it is an opportunity for them to learn new skills in an engaged manner.

VIII.1 Craft making session at Karumalloor Panchayath on 15th January 2023

Craft making Session was conducted on 15th January 2023 at Karumalloor Grama Panchayath. Ms. Shilpa V Yohannan Ph. D Scholar from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences was the Trainer for this programme. Craft making programme was supported by Mr. George V A, Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH, Kalamassery and internship students from Marian College Kuttikkanam. Through this session Children learned to make different articles like flowers, flower vases, decorating articles, birds, etc. The Craft Making Session helped the students to identify their skills and they got an opportunity to exhibit their craft-making items thereby reducing their stress.



Hand Craft Making Session held at Karumalloor on 15th January 2023

VIII.2 Hand Craft Making Session at Alangad on 14th January 2023

Handcraft training was provided to the beneficiary children of Alangad Panchayat on 14th January 2023 at Alangad Panchayat Community Hall. It was a half-day program extending from 10 am to 1 pm. The Resource Person for the program was Ms. Shilpa V John, Staff at the Rajagiri Research Centre and Research Scholar at the Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. The children were divided into five groups and then given training for individual attention. 30 students received this training. A short entertainment session was also arranged for the students to showcase their individual talents, led by Mr. Varghese and Ms. Jyothy, interns at Rajagiri outREACH. The program was coordinated by Mr. Gracious George, Social Worker at Rajagiri outREACH. The program ended with a lunch session.



Hand Craft Making Session held at Alangad on 14th January 2023

IX. Souhрудam Camp Session

Souhрудam Camp is a summer a camp that was organized by Rajagiri outREACH for the beneficiary children. As the name itself describes friendship, the main aim of this programme is to develop the friendship among children in a good way and also the camp is an opportunity for the children to learn new plays, songs, dances, etc. Along with this the importance of ‘**saving habit among children**’ “**Kuttikalude Sampathyam**” is also shown through meaningful plays. It is also an opportunity for the children to mingle with others and showcase their talents.

IX.1 Souhрудham Camp at Karumalloor Grama panchayth on 14th January 2023

Souhрудam camp was conducted at Manackapady Govt. L.P School, Karumalloor. 89 students participated in the camp. The topic of the camp was ‘**Kuttikalude Sambadhyam**’ (encourage saving habit among children). Various activities, games and cultural programmes were conducted for the children. The camp was conducted by Mr. V A George, Senior Coordinator Rajagiri outREACH and 6 internship students from Marian College, Kuttikkanam. The children were divided into seven groups and different groups performed various activities. Lunch and refreshment were also served for the day.



Souhрудam Camp and Cake cutting at Karumalloor Grama Panchayath on 14th January 2023

IX.2 Souhrudam Camp conducted for the beneficiaries at Alangad Grama Panchayat on 14th January 2023

Souhrudam Camp is a major part of the Student Development program because this is the occasion where children are gathered together to learn things through experience. The camp was conducted at the Community Hall of Alangad Panchayat on 14th January 2023. This year Souhrudam Camp focused on the earning culture among children. There was a workbook for the program that included a number of group activities and games that described the concept. The program was conducted by Mr. George V.A, and Mr. Varghese, Rajagiri outREACH Staff with the help of an internship student. The program aimed to create a culture and attitude among the children and the importance to earn from childhood itself because that habit will help them in the future to be a successful person in dealing with money. There were 40 students in total who attended the programme.



Souhrudam Camp at Alangad Grama Panchayath held on 14th January 2023

X. Christmas and New Year Celebrations held at Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayaths

The month of December brings a lot of warmth, hope and glad tidings to spread the message of love and cheer. The night of 31st December and the morning of 1st January, people in many countries all over the world celebrate the beginning of a new year. There have been celebrations to mark the beginning of the New Year for thousands of years. The New Year is a perfect time to make a change for the better. New Year celebration is a time for all to come together and enjoy the beginning of a happy new year. Along with New Year, Christmas is also celebrated. The Geojit Financial Services along with Rajagiri outREACH also celebrated this with the beneficiary children of the Alangad and Karumalloor Grama Panchayaths.

X.1 Christmas and New Year celebrations held at Karumalloor Grama Panchayath on 14th January 2023

Christmas and New Year Celebrations were conducted at Karumalloor Grama Panchayath on 14th January 2023. A cake cutting ceremony and along with this several games were also arranged for the children. All the children actively participated in the programme. The programme was full of entertainment and joy for the children. The children sang songs and danced during the programme. A total of 60 children were present for the programme.



Christmas and New Year Celebrations held at Karumalloor on 14th January 2023

X.2 Christmas and New Year celebrations held at Alangad Grama Panchayath on 14th January 2023

As part of observing the festival days, Christmas and New Year celebrations were conducted for the Geojit beneficiary children at Alangad Panchayat on 14th January 2023. A cake-cutting ceremony was there and two children representing the whole gathering along with Mr. Gracious, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH, cut the cake and distributed it to all the members. Rajagiri outREACH Senior Staff, Mr. Varghese K O, and internship student Ms. Jyothy were present at the occasion. On this occasion the children danced and sang songs about Christmas and New Year. A total of 70 children were present for the programme.



Christmas and New Year Celebrations held at Alangad on 14th January 2023

XI Innovative Fund Distribution Programme

Innovative Fund Distribution is a programme that is carried out by the Geojit Financial Services in which a certain amount of money from the student development programme is used to buy story Books and other motivational Novels by famous writers and was distributed to the children belonging to Alangad and Karumalloor Panchayath. The objective of this programme was to develop the reading habit of the children and along with this they learn the stories of these very famous individuals like Kunjunnimash, Dr APJ Abdul Kalam, Mohan Das Karam Chand Gandhi etc., which helps these children to understand how to overcome the difficult situations of their lives. This programme is definitely an opportunity for the children to get a glimpse on how great personalities are born.



Books distributed as part of Innovative Fund distribution programme at Alangad and Karumalloor

XI.1 Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held at Alangad Panchayat on 12th November 2022

As it has mentioned in the proposal submitted to Geojit Financial Services an innovative fund has been allotted for all the children of the Geojit Student Development programme. This year we utilized the fund to purchase certain books that can inspire the children and it has also aimed to develop the reading habit among the children. The two books distributed among the Children of Alangad Panchayat were ‘Wings of Fire’ and ‘Nallathupole Padikkan Kunjusoothrangal’. All the children were happy to receive the books and many of them already had a good habit of reading from their childhood itself.



Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held at Alangad Grama Panchayath on 12th November 2022

XI.2 Innovative Fund Distribution Programme for the beneficiaries of Karumalloor Grama Panchayat on 12th November 2022

Innovative Fund Distribution conducted at Karumalloor Panchayath on 12th November 2022. Dr. Nitheesh and Dr. Arun, Lecturers, from SNGC College, Paingottoor and 95 students of Geojit supported students attended the programme. This programme was held at Karumalloor Grama Panchayath Community Hall. Smt. Latha Lalu, Panchayath President, inaugurated the programme. Two books written by Dr APJ Abdul Kalam named “Agnichirakukal”, and second book written by Kunjunni Mash, book named “Nallathupole padikkanulla kunjsoothrangal” were distributed to the children. They were very happy with this programme and they agreed that they will definitely spare some time to read these books.



Innovative Fund Distribution Programme held at Karumalloor Panchayath on 12th November 2022

X11 ‘My Tree My Fruit’ Programme

My Tree My Fruit is a prestigious initiative by Rajagiri outREACH as part of the Geojit Student Development Program. This initiative aims to create a nature friendly attitude among the young generation and planting 100 numbers of saplings in a Panchayat will be a greater model for the society around them. Through this initiative, children will develop a feeling of care towards their tree and so, to the nature around them in the future days.

XII.1 ‘My Tree My Fruit’ Programme held at Karumalloor Grama Panchayat on 05th November 2022

‘My Tree My Fruit’ is a prestigious initiative of the Geojit Child Development Program, and it was the first program conducted at Karumalloor Panchayat after the launching of the Geojit Child Development Program. The Program was conducted on 5th November 2022 at Karumalloor Grama Panchayat Community Hall. All the children were happy to receive the saplings because many of them haven’t had the experience of planting saplings before. Most of the children came along with their parents to collect the sapling. Smt. Latha Lalu, President of Karumalloor Grama Panchayat inaugurated the program by distributing saplings to three of the beneficiary children, and thereafter 100 mango saplings were distributed to the beneficiary child.





Mango Sapling Distribution at Karumalloor on 5th November 2022

XII.2 ‘My Tree My Fruit’ Programme held at Alangad Grama Panchayat

The first program organized at Alangad Grama Panchayat after the launching ceremony of Geojit Child Development Programme was the distribution of mango saplings to the 100 children of the Geojit Child Development programme. The venue of the program was Alangad Grama Panchayat held on 5th November 2022. Shri. P M Manaf, President of Alangad Grama Panchayat inaugurated the program by distributing mango saplings to the gathered children. During the program, Mr. George V A, Senior Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH explained the ‘**My Tree My Fruit**’ program and what is the expected outcome of this program too. All the children received the saplings with smiling faces because they felt the value of the gift given to them. 70 children participated in the program and received mango saplings, and made arrangements for availing saplings to those who couldn’t attend the program.



Mango Sapling Distribution held at Alangad Grama Panchayath on 5th November 2022

Geojit Financial Services Ltd and Geojit Foundation in coordination with Rajagiri outREACH supports 865 children belonging to Seven Grama Panchayath. The funds were utilized for the overall development of the children as well as indirectly benefitting the community by assisting them with

adequate opportunities for their wholesome development. Rajagiri outREACH was able to identify that the prime factor that led to the success of the project was the support and initiatives by the community Panchayath Officials and Parents of the children. Geojit Financial Services Ltd., and Geojit Foundation had provided their staff support for timely-evaluation and presence of all the functions conducted in the communities. Timely fund flow and evaluation also helped to complete the project activities very successfully on time. Rajagiri outREACH takes this opportunity to emphasize sincere gratitude to Geojit Financial Services for the support and guidance given from time to time. Rajagiri outREACH also acknowledges all the Seven Grama Panchayath Officials, Ward Members, Parents’ of the children, Community Leaders, and NGOs.

E. Child Education Scholarship Programme under Sacred Heart Province of Carmelites of Mary Immaculate (CMI) – Rajagiri Group of Institutions – In Collaboration with Rajagiri outREACH

Under the Child Scholarship Programme of Rajagiri Group of Institutions, House visits, Children and Parents’ meetings, Arranging of Tuition Teachers (Mentors), Observation of Important Days, Education Kit Distribution, etc., were conducted during the reporting period. A total of **245 children** were sponsored by Rajagiri Group of Institutions. Details are given below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Rajagiri Institution	Number of Children Sponsored
1	Sahrudaya Services and Charities	35
2	Rajagiri Higher Secondary School	15
3	Rajagiri Public School	15
4	Viswajyothi CMI Public School	52
5	Rajagiri Christu Jayanthi Public School	75
6	Rajagiri College of Social Sciences & Rajagiri Business School:	
	a) Rajagiri Valley Campus Neighbourhood Community	53
	Total	245

I. Sahrudaya Services and Charities, Sacred Heart Province of Carmelites of Mary Immaculate (CMI)

In total **130 children** were sponsored from the three centres of Sahrudaya Services and Charities, Sacred Heart Province of Carmelites of Mary Immaculate (CMI) viz., Aluva, Kalamassery and Kripa Chunangamveli. Out of the 130 children, 35 children were directly sponsored by Sahrudaya Services and Charities.

I. Study Material Distribution at Kripa Chunangamvely on 20th May 2022

Fr. Dibin Mangalath CMI, Director of Kripa Bhavan distributed the study material at Kripa Chunangamvely on 20.05.2022. Fr. Jacob Menachery and Mr. Varghese, Kripa staff felicitated during the programme.



Study Material Distribution to Scholarship Children at Kripa Chunangamvely on 20th May 2022

II. Children's meeting at Kripa Chunamgumvely

Children's meetings were conducted on the various topics to the Scholarship Students of Kripa, Chunangamvely. Fr. Dibin Mangalath CMI, Director of Kripa Bhavan, Fr. Jacob Menachery, Smt.Linda Chacko & Smt. Candice Maria Pereira of Rajagiri outREACH interacted with the children during the sessions. Following are the details of the sessions:

Sl. No.	Topic	Date	Venue
1.	Importance of Study	13.08.2022	Kripa Chunangamvely
2.	Games and Sports	21.09.2022	Kripa Chunangamvely
3.	Career Guidance	08.10.2022	Kripa Chunangamvely
4.	Life Skill Training	11.02.2023	Kripa Chunangamvely
5.	Self Awareness	30.03.2023	Kripa Chunangamvely



Children's meeting at Kripa Chunangamvely 13th August 2022

III. Children's Meeting at Kripa Chunangamvely on September 21st 2022

Children's meeting was conducted at Kripa on 21st September 2022. There were 40 students, who had participated in the programme. Chair games, cultural programmes were conducted and the children actively participated.





Children's Meeting held at Kripa, Chunangamvely on 21.09.2022

IV. Children's meeting at KRIPA Chunangamvely on 08.10.2022

The children's meeting was conducted on 8th October 2022 at 3.00 pm at Kripa Bhavan. There were 15 Scholarship students who had participated in the meeting. The class on "Career Guidance" was taken by Mrs. Linda Chacko, Rajagiri outREACH.



Children's meeting at KRIPA Chunangamvely on 08.10.2022

V. Children's meeting and New Year Celebration

The first meeting of this new academic year was held along with the New Year Celebration at KRIPA Bhavan Chunangamveli. 12 students had attended the meeting along with their parents. New Year message was given by the Director of Kripa, Fr. Dibin Mangalath, followed by the distribution of sweets and also held the Handover of Scholarship programme of Kripa center to the new Rajagiri outREACH staff.



Children's meeting conducted for Scholarship students on 11th February 2023 by Ms. Candice Maria, Rajagiri outREACH



Children's meeting conducted on 30th March, 2023 at Kripa Classroom

II. Activities of Kalamassery Child Scholarship Centre:

i. **Rajagiri Higher Secondary School**

Rajagiri Higher Secondary School, Kalamassery have sponsored **15 children** from its neighbouring community at Kalamassery.

ii. **Rajagiri Public School**

Rajagiri Public School, Kalamassery have sponsored **15 children** from its neighbouring community at Kalamassery.

1. **Onam Celebration at Kalamassery on September 15th 2022**

The Onam celebration was conducted at Chavara Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery on 15.09.2022. Fr. Paul Nedumchali, Chairman Sahrudaya inaugurated the function Mrs. Maria Tency, Biju C.P., felicitated. The colouring competition was conducted and various cultural programmes were performed by the students and their parents. Prizes were distributed to all the winners. Snacks, tea and Onasadhya were provided for the participants.



Onam celebration conducted on September 15th 2022 at Chavara Hall, RCSS, Kalamassery



Onam celebration of Sahrudaya Scholarship Children at Chavara Hall, RCSS, on 15.09.2022

2. Child Education Scholarship Distribution at Kalamassery held on 16.07.2022 supported by Rajagiri Group of Institutions

Child Scholarship Aid Distribution at Kalamassery was conducted on 16.07.2022 for the Scholarship Children of Rajagiri Public School, Kalamassery, Rajagiri Higher Secondary School, Kalamassery and Sahrudaya Services and Charities, Kalamassery. A total of 40 students benefitted from this programme.



Child Education Scholarship Aid Distribution & Cultural Activities at RCSS, Kalamassery on 16.07.2022



Child Education Scholarship Distribution at RCSS, Kalamassery on 16.07.2022

3. Activity: Awareness class on ‘Substance Abuse’ - Date: 26th November 2022

The children’s meeting was conducted at Chavara Hall, RCSS, Kalamassery on 26th November 2022. A class on “**Substance Abuse**” was handled by Mr. Ajimsha, Staff, ODIC project. There were 58 students who participated in the programme.



Awareness class on ‘Substance Abuse’ for children at Chavara Hall, RCSS, Kalamassery on 26th November 2022

4. Activity: Session on Waste Management - Date: 14th January 2023

As part of the monthly meeting, a class was taken for the children under Child Scholarship Programme at Kalamassery on 14th January 2023. The session was conducted at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences on the topic for the class was '**Waste Management**'. Ms. Sayana, Coordinator of the 'Haritha Keralam Waste Management Project' of Keezhmadu Grama Panchayath was the Resource Person for the session. 8 students were present for the session. Children were in the age group of 9 to 12. Ms. Sharilakshmi, Social Worker introduced Ms. Sayana to the children and also conducted game session for the children.

By understanding the age group, Sayana took a wonderful session for the children. As the participants were kids she focused more on the wasting of food, drawbacks of using plastics, health and environmental issues by burning of plastics misuse of energies and cleanliness of surroundings. Children were really interactive in the class and they expressed their curiosity and enthusiasm in receiving new information. It motivated the resource person. Children informed about the way they clean their classrooms and also asked Sayana how to dispose plastic waste. Overall the session was very good and beneficial to the children.



Session on Waste Management at Kalamassery on 14th January, 2023

III. Viswajyothi CMI Public School, Angamaly

In total **50 children** were sponsored from the Kunnu, Paramon and Harijan colonies of Angamaly, the neighbourhood community of Viswajyothi CMI Public School, Angamaly.

1. Study Material distribution at Viswajyothi Jubilee Hall on 30-5-2022

Fr. Don CMI, Vice Principal of Viswajyothi inaugurated the Distribution of Study Materials at Viswajyothi Jubilee Hall on 30.05.2022 and cut the cake. Mr. Benny K..P., Teacher of Viswajyothi, conveyed the New Year messages.



Study Material distribution for the Scholarship Children at Viswajyothi Jubilee Hall on 30.05.2022

2. Children’s meeting and Education Fund Distribution

The monthly children’s meeting was conducted on July 13th 2022 at Westpark Hall. Education Fund distribution was organized and **Personality Development** class was taken by Mrs. Linda Chacko, Rajagiri outREACH.



Children’s meeting and Cheque distribution at Westpark hall, Viswajyothi center for Scholarship student, on 13.08.2022

3. Onam Celebration at Viswajyothi Kindergarten held on September 06, 2022

Onam celebration was conducted at Viswajyothi Kindergarten Auditorium for the Viswajyothi Scholarship Children. There were 50 students and parents, who had participated in the celebration. Musical chairs, music competition and cultural programmes were conducted as part of the celebration. Pookalam was arranged by the children. Onasadhya was served to all the participants.



Viswajyothi Scholarship Children Onam Celebration at Viswajyothi Kindergarten Auditorium on 06.09.2022

4. Children’s meeting conducted at Viswajyothi on 08.10.2022

The class was taken by Health Superintendent of Angamaly Taluk Hospital Mrs. Jalaja. The session was taken on the topic “**Drug Awareness** “. There were 25 Scholarship students who had participated in the programme.



Children’s meeting conducted at Viswajyothi on 08.10.2022

5. **Children’s Meeting**

The children’s meeting in February was held on 11th February, 2023 at Vishwajyothi Kindergarten hall. The session was based on the topic “Introduction to Life Skills”. The session was taken by the coordinator. An Introduction was given regarding the 10 core Life skills laid down by WHO. The students were familiarized with the topic of ‘Self Awareness’. An ice breaking session was also conducted to help children warm up the conversation among the session.



Vishwajyothi Scholarship Students with the Principal, Fr. Joshy

6. **Children’s Meeting**

English class by Ms. Rosemary, English Teacher at Vishwajyothi Public School on 18th March, 2023. Basic pronunciation and usage of common English sentences in our daily life was the topic in focus.

The session was very informative and fruitful. After the meeting a photo session was held at the Principals office.



English class conducted for Scholarship students on 18.03.2023 by Ms. Rosemary, English Teacher, Viswajyothi Public School

7. Christmas and New Year Celebration

The first meeting of this new academic year was done along with the New Year Celebration January 14th, 2022 at VPS Open Hall. 39 students had attended the meeting along with their parents. New Year message was given by the Vice Principal Fr. Don CMI followed by the cake cutting and gifts distribution also held the Handover of center to the new staff.



Christmas and New Year Celebration at Jubilee Hall, Viswajyothi Public School, Angamaly

IV. Rajagiri Christu Jayanthi Public School Scholarship Programme for 76 students

RCJPS Scholarship programme commenced from 2010 onwards and 100 students were selected from Thevackal GVHSS and GLPS. All students have successfully completed their studies. This year the Committee decided to select 76 deserving students from Vaikom, Ernakulam, Njarackal, Koonammavu, Kothad, Fort Kochi areas in collaboration with P.S. Mission Paramedical Institute, Maradu, Govt. UP School, Iyer Kulangara, St. Joseph's Higher Secondary School, Koonammavu, St. Joseph HSS, St. Joseph UPS, Koonammavu, St. Mary's CGHS, CHF, Koovapadam, St. Mary's Girls

High School and Little Flower High School. On August 7th 2022 under the leadership of Fr. Varghese Puthussery, a team visited all the centres and organized meetings for implementing the Scholarship Programme.

Inaugural Ceremony of Rajagiri Christu Jayanthi Scholarship Programme held on 21st September, 2022

The Inaugural Ceremony started with a prayer by the students from P.S. Mission Paramedical Institute. Additional Director General of Revenue Intelligence for Kerala and Lakshadweep inaugurated the programme on September 21, 2023 at Rajagiri Christu Jayanthi Public School, Kakkanad under the Chairmanship of Fr Varghese Puthussery CMI, Director, Christu Jayanthi Public School, Rajagiri Valley.

Dr. Tiju Thomas IRS, after inauguration, led a class on the topic of **Holistic Development of Children - Spiritual-Physical-Mental**. Fr. Paul Nedumchalil CMI, Chairman, Sahrudaya Services & Charities, Fr. Dr. Joel CMI, Dean and Administrator of Rajagiri School of Engineering and Technology and Superior of Siyanna Bhavan , Fr. Ajeesh Puthussery, Principal, Rajagiri College of Management and Applied Sciences, Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, Sr. Norberta CTC, Principal of P.S. Mission Paramedical Institute, Maradu, felicitated during the inaugural function. Mr. Ranjith K.U., Senior Development Officer, Rajagiri outREACH, delivered the welcome speech. Headmistress of Little Flower High School, Njarackal. Sr. Jini John CMC., delivered the vote of thanks. Govt. UP School, Iyer Kulangara, St. Joseph's Higher Secondary School, Koonammavu, Sr. Shaleena, Principal, St. Joseph HSS, Sr. Seena Jose, HM. St. Joseph's UPS, Koonammavu, Sr. Preethy CMC. St. Mary's CGHS, Smt. Lincy C.C, HM, Govt UPS, Iayerkulangara, Sr. Elsa Grace CHF, Koovapadam and Teachers from St. Mary's Girls High School and Little Flower High School coordinated the programmes of Children from various centres. A total of 76 students and 35 parents participated in the event, followed by a children's cultural programme and an exhibition of the best film for children.

All students received the Scholarship amount through their individual accounts after the formal inauguration function. All students and participants who attended the inaugural function received Gifts in connection with Onam Celebration of Rajagiri Christu Jayanthi Public School.





Rajagiri Christu Jayanthi Public School Scholarship Programme for 76 students conducted on 21.09.2022

V. Rajagiri College of Social Sciences & Rajagiri Business School

Rajagiri College of Social Sciences - Kalamassery and Rajagiri Business School – Kakkanad have sponsored **78 children** comprising of 53 from Rajagiri Valley Campus at Kakkanad neighbourhood community (Kannankeri Colony) and 25 HIV affected and infected children in Ernakulam District.

1. Souhрудam Summer Camp at Kakkanad

The Souhрудam camp at Kakkanad started with a prayer song, followed by welcome speech by Ms. Ligi V E., Development Officer, Rajagiri outREACH. The camp was inaugurated by Fr. Francis Sebastian Manavalan CMI, Assistant Director, Rajagiri College of Social Science Kalamassery. Mr. Santi, NSS Programme Officer, RSET, felicitated the gathering. The camp was conducted on 28th May 2022 at Gallery Hall RSET with the support of 10 youth volunteers. The camp reached out to 110 children at Kakkanad. The children were grouped into 8, groups based on their schooling level with the theme of “Sasthram Souhрудathinai”. Different types of Cultural programmes like skit were conducted on the second day of the camp. It was very helpful for the children to enhance their inborn talents. Tea, snacks and lunch, etc., were provided.



Summer Souhрудam Camp at Kakkanad on 28.05.2022



Inauguration Session & Teaching Sessions



Lunch Time



Cultural Activities during the Souhrudam Camp at Kakkanad

2. School Stationary Distribution to the students at Nilampathinjimugal, Kakkanad under the Scholarship of RSET on 18/06/2022

Distribution of books and other stationery to the sponsored children under RSET Scholarship on 18th June 2022 by Dr. P S Sreejith, Principal, Rajagiri School of Engineering and Technology, Mr. Sandy, NSS Programme Officer, was also present in the programme. The NSS volunteers collected note books and other school stationeries for the sponsored children.



School Stationary Distribution to the students at Nilampathinjimugal, Kakkanad under the Scholarship of RSET on 18/06/2022

VI. Child Education Scholarship Programme for the neighbourhood community of Rajagiri Valley Campus, Kakkanad

Four internship students of Rajagiri outREACH, from the Psychology Department of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, visited and took classes for the children of the child Scholarship program in Kakkanad. It was conducted on 23rd July 2022 in the Samudhayam Hall of Kannankeri colony.

The session started at 11:00 a.m. with some cultural activities of children. After the cultural activities, a prayer song was sung by the children. The topics covered during the class were:

- About Mental Health
- Exam Anxiety
- Causes of exam anxiety
- Exam depression
- Memory tips
- Relaxation tips

During the class some fun activities like, creating stories with words given and some whisper challenge games were given to the children. The students were really attentive and responsive during the class. When the activities were given to the children they were very interactive and actively participated in the session. The class ended with some dance and songs by the children. One of the children delivered the vote of thanks and the session was wrapped up by giving them a small treat.



Child Scholarship program in Kakkanad on 23rd July 2022 in the Samudhayam Hall of Kannankeri colony conducted by Rajagiri outREACH Internship Students from the Department of Psychology, RCSS

1. “LANTERNS 22” Programme for the Scholarship Children Organized by Student Volunteers of Transcend

On 3rd April 2022, a get-together of the Scholarship children under Transcend Scholarship was organized. The programme named as” **Lanterns**”, was arranged by student volunteers of Transcend and coordinated by Mrs. Ligi, Development Officer, Rajagiri outREACH. The programme was inaugurated by Rev Fr Francis Sebastian Manavalan CMI, Assistant Director, Rajagiri Valley, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. Mr. Manoj Mathew, Transcend Programme Coordinator, was also present. Ice-breaker sessions were organized to bring the students to a zone of comfort, followed by games and prizes were distributed to the winners. Transcend Student Coordinator Ms. Soumya facilitated all the activities, with support from other volunteers. At the end of the programme the sweet box was distributed to all students.



Child Scholarship Programme “Lanterns 2022” at Kakkanad supported by Transcend, on 03.04.2022

2. A session on Mental Health to the Scholarship Children supported by Transcend

A session on Mental Health was taken by the internship students from Department of Psychology, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery on 23rd July 2022. The topics covered during the class were:

- About Mental Health
- Exam Anxiety
- Causes of exam anxiety
- Exam depression
- Memory tips
- Relaxation tips

During the class some fun activities like, creating stories with given words and some whisper challenge games were given to the children. The students were really attentive and responsive during the class.



A session on Mental Health to the Scholarship Children supported by Transcend, on 23.07.2022

3. Observation of Onam at Kakkanad on 05.09.2022

Onam celebration for the children at Kakkanad was conducted on 5th September 2022 at 10.00 am at Chavara Hall Rajagiri Valley Campus. Ms. Ligi, Development Officer, Coordinated the programme. Ice-breaking sessions were organized to bring the participants to a zone of comfort. Different types of games were conducted like lemon and spoon race, chair race, candle race and tongue twister, etc., for both the parents and children. Onam sadya was arranged for the students and for the parents.

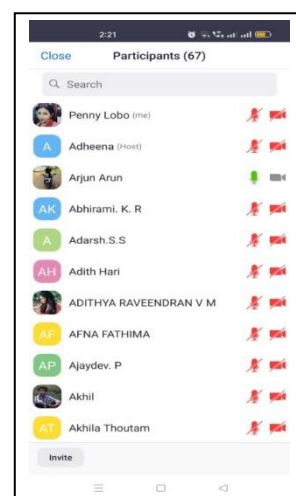




Onam celebration at Kakkanad on 05.09.2022

4. Online Session on the Importance of Reading Books

An online session hosted by students from the College of Agriculture, Vellayani, TVM, for the Children under the Child Scholarship Programme was conducted on 23rd September at 2.00 pm. The session mainly concentrated on the importance of reading books and its benefits. Some stress relief methods were discussed in the session. The students performed some programmes also.



5. Children’s Day Observation at Kakkanad

Mr. Ajimsa, Outreach Worker of ODIC Project conducted a session on “**Substance Abuse** “ for the children under the Scholarship scheme of Transcend on 19th November 2022. This session helped the children to be aware about the illeffects of drugs in today’s society. He explained about different stages of drug abuse and factors that influenced a person to use drugs and other causes.



It was an interactive session. After the class different games were arranged for the children and sweets were distributed.



6. New Year Celebration at Kakkanad

New Year celebration at Kakkanad was held on 7th January 2023 at Chavara Hall, Rajagiri Valley Campus. Various games were arranged for the students and the winners received prizes. Sweets were distributed to the students.



7. Session on Hygienic Practices

On 25th February 2023 at 2.00 pm, children's meeting was held at Kannakkari Colony where nearly 30 students participated in the meeting. Rajagiri outREACH & internship students took session on developing hygienic practices and also conducted group activities. The students were actively involved in the meeting, which was concluded around 3:30 PM.



Session on Hygienic Practices, held on 25.02.2023 at Kannakkari Colony

F. Child Education Scholarship Programme under Community Aid and Sponsorship Programme (CASP)

i. Child Scholarship Programme under TdH Denmark

a. TDH Denmark - Child Education Scholarship Programme in Tsunami Affected area

During this reporting year various awareness programme were organized at Arattupuzha in Alappuzha District with the support of TdH Denmark.

Rajagiri outREACH organized a children's meeting and parents' meeting to access the Scholarship programme on March 5th 2022. In the meeting applications for onetime Scholarship programme was also collected.

Souhrudam Camp held at Govt High School, Valiyazheeckal on 16th and 17th May 2022

Souhrudam Camp was held at Govt. High School, Valiyazheeckal on 16th and 17th May 2022, which was supported by Kinder for Kinder and TdH Denmark. Welcome address was delivered by Shri. G Yashodharan, Secretary, V.T.P Grama Vikasana Samidhi, Presidential address was delivered by Shri. N.V Vijayan, President, V.T.P Grama Vikasana Samidhi. The ceremony was officially inaugurated by Shri. N Sajeewan, President, Arattupuzha Grama Panchayat. The felicitation was given by Dr. Santhosh, Block panchayat member, Shrimati. Reshmi, Grama Panchayat member, Shri. Rejimon, Grama Panchayat member. The vote of thanks was delivered by Shri. U Renjith, Rajagiri OutREACH. A total of 145 students participated in the camp.



b. TDH Denmark - Child Education Scholarship Fund Distribution supported by TdH Denmark at Edavanakkad

1. Educational Aid was distributed to Anagha Anilkumar Edavanakkad on 22.04.2022



Distribution of Educational Aid to TdH Denmark Scholarship Children at Edavanakkad on 22.04.2022

2. “SOUHRUDAM 2022” – Summer Vacation Camp conducted on 21st May 2022

On May 21 2022 “SOUHRUDAM 2022” camp was conducted at Edavanakkad Cooperative Bank Mini Hall. The theme of the camp was “**Disaster Management**”. The camp was inaugurated by Mrs. Haseena Abdul Salam, Edavanakkad Panchayat President. Mr. Iqbal and Mr. Alby, Vice President and Member of Edavanakkad Grama panchayath respectively, felicitated. Mrs. Linda Chacko, Development Promoter and Mrs. Maria Tency, Senior Donor Officer of Rajagiri outREACH lead the camp.



SOUHRUDAM 2022 – Summer Camp at Edavanakkad held on 21st May, 2022

3. Children's Meeting at Murikappadam & Tsunami Area

Mrs. Linda Chacko, Rajagiri outREACH, had conducted a session on the “**Importance of Study**” to the sponsored children at Murikkappadam and Tsunami Area, on 18.06.2022 at 11.00 a.m. 20 children and 6 parents had attended the class.



Session on the Importance of Study conducted for the children at Murrkappadam & Tsunami area on 18.06.2022

4. Children's Meeting at Aniyal Kadappuram Edavanakkad on 2nd July 2022

A Children's meeting was conducted at Aniyal Kadappuram Edavanakkad on 2nd July 2022. The topic for the session was 'Importance of Study'. 18 students participated in the class.



Children's Meeting at Aniyal Kadappuram, Edavanakkad on 02.08.2022

5. House Visit conducted on 17th September 2022

A house visit was conducted at Aniyal beach area, Edavanakkad, on September 17th, 2022. Mrs. Linda Chacko, Rajagiri outREACH, visited the house of beneficiaries as part of evaluating their academic performance.



House visit at Aniyal Beach Edavanakkad Scholarship Child on 17.09.2022

6. Observation of Elders' Day on 1st October 2022

Elders' Day was observed on 1st October 2022 at Araya Samudaya Kshema Sangam hall, Koottungalchira. Mr. V.T. Menacherry, a Clinical Counsellor gave a session for the elderly on “**A Healthy Old Age**”. Mrs. Haseena Abdul Salam, President, Edavanakkad Grama panchayath, Mr.P.B.Sabu, Member of the Panchayath and Mrs. Suchithra Sabu, CDS Chairperson were present and felicitated the participants. Mrs. Linda Chacko, Development Promoter of Rajagiri outREACH conducted games to engage the elderly and prizes were given to the winners of the game. Grandparents of Scholarship Students attended the programme.



Elders' Day Celebration held on 1st October 2022 at Araya Samudaya Kshema Sangam Hall, Koottungalchira

7. Parents' Meeting held at Aniyal Kadappuram, Edavanakkad on 29.10.2022

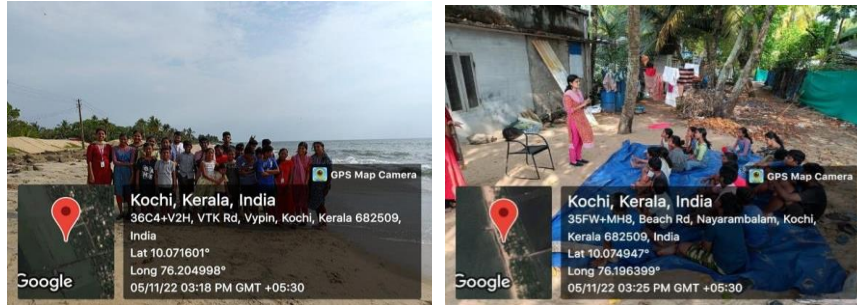
Parents Meeting at Aniyal Kadappuram, Edavanakkad was conducted on 29th October 2022. The parents of Scholarship students participated in the meeting. A session was also conducted on “**Drug Awareness**” taken by Coastal Police Department.



Parents Meeting conducted at Aniyal Kadappuram, Edavanakkad on 29.10.2022

8. Awareness Session on Importance of Education held at Aniyal Beach, Edavanakkad on November 5th 2022

The children's meeting and an awareness session was conducted at Edavanakkad Aniyal Beach on November 5th 2022. 25 students participated in the session. The MSW first-year internship students from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous) conducted an awareness session on the "Importance of Education".



Session on "Importance of Education" for children at Aniyal Beach on 5th November, 2022

9. Children's Day Celebration held on 12th November 2022

The children's Day was celebrated at Govt. UP School, Edavanakkad on 12th November 2022. Mr. V K Iqbal, Vice President of Edavanakkad Grama Panchayat gave the message of the day. Cine artist Mr. Majeed Edavanakkad inaugurated the celebration. A drawing competition on the topic 'Child Labour' was conducted and prizes were distributed to the winners.



Children's Day celebration at Govt. UP School, Edavanakkad on 12th November 2022

10. Session on Waste Management held on 15th January 2023

The monthly meeting in Edavanakkad Panchayat was conducted at Aniyal Kadappuram and Muzhippadam on 15th January 2023 on the topic 'Waste Management'. Ms. Sayana, Coordinator of Haritha Keralam Waste Management of Keezhmadu panchayath was the Resource Person for the

session. The resource person encouraged the children by appreciating their good work. She also gave them information on the schemes of Haritha Karma Sena and briefed about the Haritha Keralam Waste Management project.



Session on Waste Management for Children at Aniyal Kadappuram and Muzhippadam on 15th January 2023

11. Home visit conducted on 8th March 2023 for the Selection of Scholarship Children at Edavanakkad

On 8th March 2023, the Social Worker visited the homes of the children chosen for the Scholarship programme. A house visit was conducted for the newly selected children. The social worker was able to find the homes of children with the help of local residents. The team's main focus was on comprehending the families' living, economic, and environmental circumstances. Some families do not have enough roof. Families are experiencing financial challenges, making it difficult for them to educate their children. As a result, Scholarship for these children is necessary.



House visits at Edavanakkad on 8th March 2023

ii. Child Scholarship Programme in association with Kinder for Kinder – Keli – Switzerland

Session on screen addiction among adolescents at Kunnathunadu

An awareness session was arranged at Pallikkara, on 30.04.2022, for the parents and students under Kinder for Kinder Scholarship regarding the topic of Screen Addiction among the youth. The guest speaker of the session was Ms. Rose Maria, Counselor of Family Counselling Centre Rajagiri, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery. The informative class delivered the key aspects

regarding the topic and also the pros and cons of the same which eventually became a successful event.



Session on screen addiction among adolescents on 30th April 2022 at Kunnathunadu, under Kinder for Kinder Scholarship

Summer Souhrudam Camp at Kunnathunadu

Souhrudam camp was organized by Rajagiri outREACH and Kunnathunadu Grama Vikasana Samithi (Village Development Committee) with the support of Kunnathunadu Grama Panchayat. The camp started with a prayer song, followed by welcome speech by Mrs. Ligi V E, Development Officer Rajagiri outREACH. The camp was inaugurated by Kunnathunadu Grama Panchayat President Smt. Nitamol and presidential address was delivered by Shri. Jose Mathew, Headmaster of St. Mary's HSS Morakkala. Mr. Levin, Ward member felicitated the gathering. The vote of thanks was delivered by Smt. Naseema Paredh, Grama Vikasana Samiti President, Kunnathunadu. The camp was conducted on 20th and 21st May 2022 at St. Mary's Higher Secondary School, Morakkala. The camp was conducted with the support of 10 youth volunteers identified by the Development Committee. The camp reached out to 50 children at Kunnathunadu. It was a 2-day non-residential camp for children between the age group of 4 – 16 years and it was a unique experience for them. The children were grouped into 4, groups based on their schooling level with the theme of “**Sasthram Souhrudathinai**”. Different types of Cultural programmes, skit, etc., were conducted on the second day of the camp. It was very helpful for the children to enhance their inborn talents. Tea with snacks and lunch were served to the participants.





Summer Souhrudam Camp at Kunnathunadu on 20th and 21st May 2022 – Kinder for Kinder Scholarship Programme



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കിഴക്കമ്പലം ▶ മോറയ്ക്കാല സെയ്ന്റ് മേരീസ് ഹയർ സെക്കൻഡറി സ്കൂളിൽ രാജഗിരി ഔട്ടറിച്ച് 'സൗഹൃദം' ക്യാമ്പ് സംഘടിപ്പിച്ചു. 'ശാന്തം സൗഹൃദത്തിനായി' എന്ന വിഷയത്തിലുള്ള ക്യാമ്പ് പഞ്ചായത്ത് പ്രസിഡന്റ് എം.വി. നിതാമോം ഉദ്ഘാടനം ചെയ്തു. ഹെഡ്മാസ്റ്റർ ജോസ് മാത്യു അധ്യക്ഷനായി. പഞ്ചായത്തംഗം ലൈവിൻ ജോസഫ്, രാജഗിരി ഔട്ടറിച്ച് ഡെവലപ്മെന്റ് ഓഫീസർ ലിജി ബെന്നി, സി.ഡി.എസ്. ചെയർപേഴ്സൺ രാബിയ സലീം, നസീമ പരീത് എന്നിവർ സംസാരിച്ചു. 75 വിദ്യാർഥികൾ ക്യാമ്പിൽ പങ്കെടുത്തു.

Summer Souhrudam Camp at Kunnathunadu on 20th and 21st May 2022 – Kinder for Kinder Scholarship Programme

Tour Programme for the sponsored children at Kunnathunadu on 31.05.2022

A tour programme was arranged for the children on 31.05.2022 under the Scholarship programme at Kunnathunadu sponsored by Kinder for Kinder. The visit started at 7:00 am from St. Mary’s HSS Morakkala. The first destination was Peechi dam, Thrissur, Kerala.

The team reached the dam at 11:00 am and visited there. A variety of cultural activities were conducted for the students. At 12:30 pm, the team proceeded to Malampuzha dam. On the way, at 1 o’clock the team had lunch and took a break. After the break, the journey continued to Malampuzha dam and reached there at 3 o’clock.

Malampuzha Dam is the second-largest dam and reservoir in Kerala, located near Palakkad. The dam is 355 feet high and crosses the Malampuzha River, a tributary of Bharathappuzha, Kerala's second-longest river. The students played in the park and did rope rides actively. A few hours were given to the students for shopping and students enjoyed the trip very well. The team left-back at 5'o clock. The bus stopped for tea break at 7 pm and the team reached home at 11'o clock.



Tour Programme for the sponsored children at Kunnathunadu on 31.05.2022 supported by Kinder for Kinder

Session on Life style Diseases on 30th July 2022

A session was arranged for the students and parents at Kunnathunadu about life style diseases. It was taken by Mr. K Suresh Coordinator, My Life Style Marketing Global Private Limited on 30th July 2022.. He conducted the class on different types of life style diseases and its remedies. He spoke on how to protect our health and protecting our health is most important in saving our life, so we should adopt food pattern accordingly and also need good exercise.



A session on life style diseases and its remedies on 30-7-2022

Observation of Onam for the Scholarship Children at Kunnathunadu

Onam celebration for the children at Kunnathunadu was conducted on 6th September 2022 at 10.00 am at Panchayat Community Hall, Kunnathunadu. Ms. Ligi, Development Officer, coordinated the programme. Ms Nasima welcomed the gathering. Ice-breaking sessions were organized to bring the participants to a zone of comfort. Various games were conducted like lemon and spoon race, ball passing candle race and tongue twister. Onam sadya was arranged for the students and for the parents.



Observation of Onam for the Scholarship Children at Kunnathunadu on 06.09.2022

Children's Day Celebration at Kunnathunadu on 12.11.2022

MSW internship students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery conducted various types of games for the sponsored children at Kunnathunadu. The winners of each game were awarded. The students actively participated. Christmas cards were collected from the Scholarship children.



Children's day observation at Kunnathunadu on 12th November 2022

New Year Celebration at Kunnathunadu held on 02.01.2023

New Year celebration at Kunnathunadu was held on 2nd January 2023 at 10 am at Panchayath

Community Hall. Different types of games were organized for the students. Sweets were distributed to the students.



New Year celebration at Kunnathunadu was held on 2nd January 2023

Session on Personality Development

On 11th March 2023 children's meeting was conducted at Kunnathunadu for the children of Kinder for Kinder Scholarship. A class on improving leadership qualities among the children and a class on career guidance was conducted. Rajagiri outREACH Internship Students conducted various games for the children. The children were served with tea and snacks.



Kinder for Kinder sponsored children at Kunnathunadu, on 11.03.2023

Souhrudam Camp at Govt. L.P. School, Ramankari, Alappuzha held on 21.05.2022

Rajagiri outREACH organized a summer camp at Govt LP School Ramankari Alappuzha. The summer camp is sponsored by Kinder for Kinder Switzerland. The session was inaugurated by Adv. Sudeep and Adv. Joiscy. Sessions were conducted for the children. Totally 25 students and parents participated in the camp.



Souhрудam Camp at Govt. L.P. School, Ramankari, Alappuzha held on 21.05.2022

EDUCATIONAL KIT DISTRIBUTION FOR SPONSORED CHILDREN

G. Other Scholarship Agencies / Individuals

a. Joy Sowers Belgium: An International NGO Sponsor in Child Scholarship Programme

Joy Sowers Belgium, has been sponsoring 5 students from different areas in Kerala.

b. Partnering NGOs in Child Scholarship:

- i. SABS Adoration Generalate, Karukunnu – 15 students from Karukunnu, Aluva
- ii. SABS Adoration Generalate, Padavarad – 10 students from Thrissur

Programmes conducted for the Scholarship Students of NGOs from Thrissur District

ii. Child Education Scholarship Supported by SABS Adoration Generalate, Padavarad – 10 students from Thrissur

1. Tour Program at Padavarad, Thrissur, held on 15.04.2022

Every journey aids in the exploration of new areas and their cultures. The importance of a tour programme in educating children in a useful and engaging way cannot be overstated. Using the ideas, they have just learned, children increase their knowledge and develop their talents. Something that is seen in reality can be easily perceived than something that we simply read in a book. So taking children

on trips that will relate to their academics can help them learn much better. It can also be a way to have fun and recreation. As part of the annual tour program of students under the Child Scholarship program supported by SABS, a trip was planned to Ernakulam. The location was suggested by the students and the programme was organized by Rajagiri outREACH with the support of SABS Adoration Centre. The tour team included Students, Parents, Siblings and Rajagiri outREACH team.

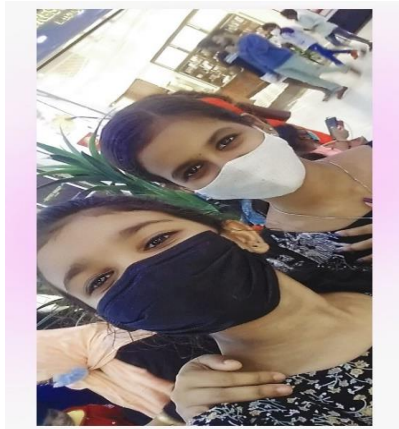
Metro Rail

Aluva metro station was the initial stop. At 10:00 AM, the tour group arrived at Aluva Metro Station. The team travelled from Aluva to Edappally on the metro. For the majority of the youngsters and parents, it was a new experience. They were quite excited and delighted as they rode the metro.



Metro journey

Metro trip ended at Lulu metro station and students and parents visited Lulu International Shopping Mall, which is one of the largest shopping mall in India. Tour team enjoyed more than 1-hour shopping experience in Lulu Mall. It was a first time experience for most of them.



Visited Lulu Mall in Edappally

A very beautiful beach is located in Fort Kochi on the western coast of India and is often known as the 'Queen of the Arabian Sea'. It's a serene beach that offers a scenic view and natural beauty to its visitors. With its pristine water and tranquil ambience, it is extremely admired by tourists and local people as well. It was our last destination. Students were waiting for this location. They enjoyed a lot on the beach. Unique views and point of interests in the beach is Chinese fishing nets. After sunset the team returned from Fort Kochi.



Fort Kochi Beach

The Maritime Museum in Fort Kochi was established in 2001 with the aim of creating awareness of our maritime history. One bunker portrays the maritime history of Kerala while the other deals with the history and evolution of the Indian Navy. The history is unraveled before you at the museum not only through the models, art, or the naval ceremonial symbols and dresses. The paintings and frescos too contribute to making the display comprehensive and highly informative. Reached Maritime Museum. It was a really amazing one. Students can explore the maritime history and evolution of the Indian Army. There was an exhibition of ship parts, warships and helicopters, etc. This field exposure will help the students in their studies. A film show was arranged about Indian Naval History. It was very interesting for the students.





Maritime museum

2. Study Material Distribution, held on 26.05.2022 at Padavarad, Thrissur

Study material distribution programme was conducted for children at Padavarad, Thrissur on 26th May 2022. The program was conducted with the support of SABS Adoration Centre and Rajagiri outREACH at Padavarad Aradhanamadam Hall. The Study Materials was distributed to the students by Sr. Roselet and Mrs. Divya. The study materials including book, bag pencil, scale and other necessary accessories were provided to 20 students. The whole event had started with a prayer song which was sung by Anna Maria. The students and parents expressed their love and happiness after receiving the study kit. The programme got over by 5:00 pm



Study material distribution at Padavarad, Thrissur, on 26.05.2022

3. Adolescent Education Class conducted on 17.06.2022 at Padavarad, Thrissur

An Adolescent Education Class was conducted as a Rajagiri outREACH initiative to the students to engage them in understanding the concepts of physical change, adolescent health and various other topics. The introductory speech was given by Ms. Divya and the classes were administered by Ms. Jinitha, JHI Ollur Health Centre. With a crowd of 17 students, the children interacted with each other and attained a great experience for themselves. The vote of thanks was delivered by Sr. Roselet, Coordinator of SABS. The session commenced by 2.00 .PM, and concluded by 4.00 PM. Refreshments were provided to all.



Adolescent Education Class on 17th June 2022 at Padavarad

4. Time Management Awareness, held on 19.03.2022 at Padavarad, Thrissur

Time Management Awareness class was hosted for children on behalf of the Child Scholarship Program at Padavarad, Thrissur on 19th March 2022. The program was conducted in collaboration with MSABS Adoration Centre and Rajagiri outREACH at Padavarad Aradhana Madam Hall. 20 students participated in the program along with 4 parents. The programme started with a prayer song which was sung by Jainy and a welcome speech was given by Maria Anil. The vote of thanks was delivered by Anumol. Overall the session was valuable and motivational for the students who were appearing for their final exams. The programme concluded by 5:00 pm.





Time management class at Padavarad, Thrissur, held on 19.03.2022

5. Onam Celebration observed on 02.09.2022 at Padavarad, Thrissur

For the children of Education Scholarship Program at Padavarad, an Onam Celebration was organized with the support of SABS Adoration Centre and Rajagiri outREACH at Padavarad Aradhana Madam Hall. The program began by 2.00 P.M with a prayer song by Ms. Anagha Ratheesh and welcome speech by Ms. Divya. A beautiful heartfelt Onam message was delivered by Sr. Roselet, Coordinator, SABS. Many games and small events were organized for the children and they made Pookalam (Flower Carpet). The celebration concluded after having Onam Payasam and chips by 5.00 PM.



Onam Celebration at Padavarad on 2nd September 2022

6. Child Right Awareness Class conducted on 15th October 2022 at Padavarad

Child rights awareness class was organized by Rajagiri outREACH in collaboration with SABS Adoration Centre, Padavarad, Thrissur. The session was held in Aradhana Madam, Padavarad. Started with a welcome speech by Mrs. Divya P. G., Social Worker of Rajagiri outREACH. The class was led by Ms. Athira K.P., Coordinator, Kaval Project, Thrissur Rajagiri outREACH. The session was attended by Ms. Sumalu Thomas. Children enquired about their doubts and clarified their doubts which made the session interactive and interesting for the children. She clearly mentioned the child's

rights. The children were also accompanied by their parents which also made the parents know about their children's rights. The session ended at 5.00 pm.



Child Right Awareness Class at Padavarad, Thrissur, conducted on 15.10.2022

7. Christmas Day Celebration at Padavarad, Thrissur, on 23.12.2022

Christmas and New Year Celebrations were hosted for children of the Child Scholarship Program at Padavarad, Thrissur on 23rd December 2022. The program was conducted in collaboration with SABS Adoration Centre and Rajagiri outREACH at Padavarad Aradhana Madam Hall. About 20 students participated in the celebration along with 9 parents. The program began at 2.00 PM with a prayer song by Ms. Christy, a Scholarship student, and an opening speech by Sr. Roselet, Coordinator, SABS. Students were greeted by Ms. Neethu Dileep, Ward Counselor of 28th ward. Rajagiri outREACH staff member Mrs. Divya P G delivered a message for the New Year. Various games were conducted for entertaining the children. Following that, the kids sliced the cake. Juice and cake were served to the children. At 5:00 pm, Ms. Jainy gave a vote of gratitude to conclude the programme.



Christmas celebration at Padavarad on 23rd December 2022

c. Visit by Mr. David Studwell and his wife Mrs. Kathleen Mulligan – Sponsor of Merlin Benny, student under the Child Scholarship Programme

Mr. David Studwell, Mulligan, Drama Actor and Director and his wife Mrs. Kathleen Mulligan, Prof. of Voice and Speech, Ithaca College, visited Rajagiri outREACH and Rajagiri College on 25th

February 2023. The couple had been associated with the child Scholarship programme, and their purpose of the visit was to meet Ms. Merlin Benny, the student sponsored by them. They met the student at Rajagiri outREACH office. They also addressed the gathering of the Higher Education Assistance programme on that day.



Visit by Mr. David Studwell and his wife Mrs. Kathleen Mulligan on 25.02.2023 – Sponsor of Merlin Benny, student under the Child Scholarship Programme

HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP DISTRIBUTION FOR THE YEAR 2022-2023

**179 Students 2022 -
2023**



The Higher Education Scholarship Programme of Rajagiri outREACH supports meritorious students from underprivileged families who are doing professional education. The major sponsors of the programme are Rajan and Grace Foundation, Kinder for Kinder - Switzerland, Sri Ramuni Paniker Udbodhan Trust, Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd., George & Sushila Foundation and Prof. Fons Vandormael – Belgium, P.T. Mathai Constructions Pvt Ltd and Mr. Sam & Jeff Mathew, During this period Higher Education Scholarship were distributed to students those who are studying for B. Pharm, Hotel Management, BCA, B.Tech, (IT, CSE, EC) BSC Nursing, MBBS, MBA, Polytechnic, B.Ed, Pharm D, BSW, B.Com, etc. A total of **Rs. 14,08,000** /- (Rupees Fourteen Lakhs and Eight Thousand only) were distributed to **179 Students**.

➤ Details of Higher Education Assistance Programme during the period 2022-2023

Sl. No.	Foundations / Trusts Associated with RAJAGIRI outREACH	Number of Students received support during 2022-2023	Scholarship Amount Distributed
1	Rajan & Grace Foundation	48	2,80,000.00
2	Kinder for Kinder, a Project of KELI, Switzerland	41	6,00,000.00
3	Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd.	41	2,00,000.00
4	GSF (George and Sushila Foundation)	1	Direct
5	Professor Fons Vandormael	16	1,00,000.00
6	Sam & Jeff Mathew Foundation	4	40,000.00
7	Ramuni Paniker Trust	28	1,88,000.00
	Total	179	14,08,000

I. Rajan & Grace Foundation Higher Education Scholarship Programme

i. Rajan & Grace Foundation Higher Education Scholarship Programme organized at Carmel Hall, RCSS on 23.10.2022

Rajan and Grace Foundation (RGF) has supported 280 students so far. This year RGF scholarship programme was organized on 23/10/2023 at 10.00 a.m. supporting 24 students. The programme was conducted at Carmel Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery. During the meeting the 82nd birthday of Capt. Verghese Kuruvilla was celebrated. Capt. Varghese Kuruvilla, Managing Trustee, RGF, Smt. Grace Kuruvilla, jointly distributed the Scholarship fund. Dr. Binoy Joseph, Rev. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Sri. Abin Simon, Smt. Meena Kuruvilla felicitated the function. Sri. Ranjith K.U, Coordinator of the Higher Education Scholarship Programme delivered the welcome address and Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, RAJAGIRI out REACH delivered the vote of thanks. Rs.1,20,000 was distributed to 24 students.



RGF Scholarship programme started from 2008 onwards, Higher Education Scholarship distribution programme was held at GLC Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery. Capt. Verghese Kuruvilla inaugurated the event and distributed scholarships to 24 students from Ernakulam and Thrissur District.

Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph, Assistant Director, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and Live Lab Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH, chaired the meeting. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director Rajagiri outREACH, presided the function. Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal, RCSS felicitated. Sri. Ranjith.K.U, Senior Development Officer, delivered the welcome address. 24 students interacted on the occasion.

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ii. **Rajan & Grace Foundation Higher Education Scholarship Programme organized at GLC Hall, RCSS on Saturday 25th February 2023 at 09.00 am**

Higher Education Scholarship distribution programme was held at GLC Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery. Capt. Verghese Kuruvilla inaugurated the event and distributed scholarships to 24 students from Ernakulam and Thrissur District.

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II. Kinder for Kinder Child Education Scholarship Programme - A Project of Keli Switzerland

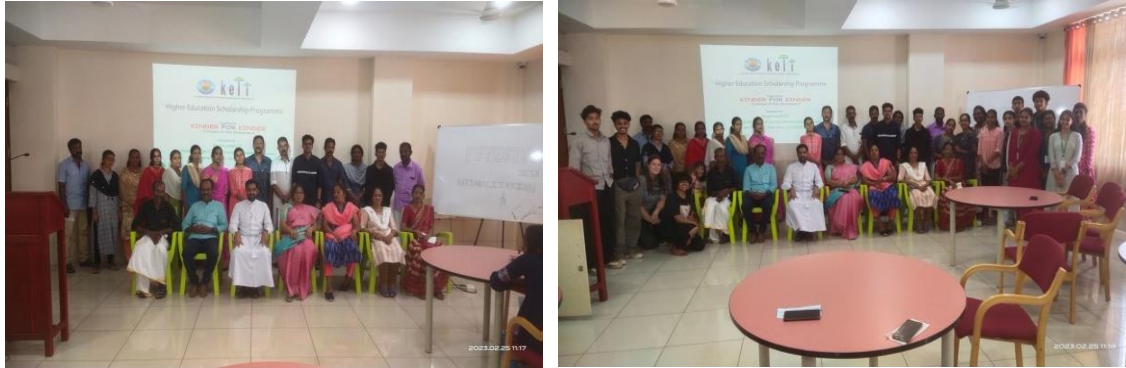
i. Higher Education - Scholarship Programme on Saturday 23rd January 2023

Scholarship Programme and distribution of Scholarship was organized on January 23rd 2023 onwards at Parur, Njarackal, Ramankary and Valiyazheckal and other places



ii. Higher Education - Scholarship Programme on Saturday 25th February 2023

Kinder for Kinder Higher Education Scholarship Programme was organized at GLC Hall , RCSS on Saturday 25th February 2023 at 09.00 am. Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Assistant Director, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and Live Lab Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH, inaugurated the event and distributed scholarships to 24 students from Ernakulam and Thrissur District. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, presided the function. Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal, RCSS felicitated at the function. Sri. Ranjith K.U., Senior Development Officer, delivered the welcome address. Smt. Maria Tency delivered the vote of thanks.



iii. Visit by Mr. Tomy Viruthiyil, President of Keli, Switzerland

On April 13th 2022, Sri. Tomy Viruthiyil, President Keli Switzerland visited Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and discussed the Programmes for the year 2022-2023.



Mr. Tomy Viruthiyil, President of Keli, Switzerland visited RCSS and met with Fr. Dr. Saju. M.D and team

iv. **Higher Education Scholarship Programme at Vosard, Kattappana on February 22nd 2023**

Higher Education Loan Scheme was introduced by Kinder for Kinder during 2015 especially for students from Kattappana and Kumili areas of Idukki district in collaboration with Rajagiri outREACH and VOSARD. Rajagiri outREACH organized Higher Education Scholarship Programme, under the Scholarship of Kinder for Kinder – A Project of KELI, Switzerland at VOSARD, Kattappana.

Kinder for Kinder Higher Education Scholarships were awarded to 21 students from Kattappana, Kumily, Kanchiar, Vandanmedu, Chakkupallam areas in a function held at Kattappana on February 22, 2023. After the individual meeting with the students, Scholarship programme commenced. Mr. Joy Anithottam, Vice Chairman, Kattappana Municipality inaugurated the programme. Mr. Sijomon Thomas, Councilor, Kattappana Municipality, (President, Merchant Youth Wing & Kerala Cricket Academy, Idukki District Vice President) felicitated at the event, Dr. Fr. Jose Antony, VOSARD Director, presided the function. Rajagiri outREACH Higher Education Scholarship Programme Coordinator, Mr. Ranjith K.U., delivered the key note address. Child Line Coordinator Mr. Jose Vadakkal welcomed and VOSARD Higher Education Scholarship Coordinator Mr. Joshin Thomas gave the vote of thanks.

Since 2014, more than 170 scholarships have been awarded in VOSARD area by Kinder for Kinder, Keli Switzerland and Rajagiri outREACH . Kinder for Kinder, the student wing of Indo-Swiss Socio-cultural organization Keli Switzerland organized cultural events and culinary fairs to provide scholarships to 310 students in Ernakulam, Idukki, Alappuzha and Thrissur districts. This year educational assistance was provided to 21 deserving students at VOSARD Hall, Kattappana, from Kumali, Chakkupallam, Vandamedu area of Kattappana, who were pursuing higher studies.



III. Higher Education Scholarship Programme of Ramuni Paniker Trust 2022 to 2023

i. Volunteering by Pablo from Barcelona, Spain

This year Pablo Gutty from St. Iganasi School, Barcelona, Spain, as part of the Cultural Exchange programme initiated by Ramuni Paniker Trust, Spain. During his volunteering, he actively participated in planting of Mangrove sapling in Pokkali paddy land and participated in Onam celebration in the Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens at Kothad & Binanipuram, typical Kerala marriages. He also participated in the Cultural programmes and Onam Celebration of Rajagiri Staff Welfare Association.





ii. Ramuni Paniker Scholarship Programme held on Saturday 18 February 2023

As part of the silver jubilee year programmes of Ramuni Panicker Udbodhan Trust (Sramput), which has been doing great service in the field of education by providing scholarships to many meritorious students who are facing financial crisis, the higher education merit scholarship distribution programme was held at Carmel Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamasser, on 18.02.2023.

Sri. Albert Pelach Panicker inaugurated the event and distributed scholarships to 28 students from various districts of Kerala. Dr.Fr.Shinto Joseph CMI, Assistant Director, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Chaired the meeting. Ramuni Paniker Trustee pati Joseph, and Mr. Joseph and former Advisory Board Member Sri. B. Jayaraj, felicitated and interacted with the students. Sri. Ranjith K.U., Coordinator of Higher Education Scholarship Programme delivered the welcome address. Dr.Sivalal Scholar of SRAMPUT felicitated.





രാമുണ്ണി പണിക്കർ (സ്റ്റേറ്റ് സ്കോളർഷിപ്പ് വിതരണം ചെയ്തു

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Ramuni Paniker Scholarship Programme held on Saturday 18 February 2023

IV. Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd Higher Education Scholarship Programme

On September 21 & 28, 2022 Higher Education scholarship programme was inaugurated by Sri.Saji. Mathew, Unit Head, Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd. Sri. Shiju Bhaskaran distributed the scholarship to 20 students pursuing Higher Education. Sri. Ragesh, Sri, Safarulla, Sri. Vishnu, Sri. Afsal, Sri. Shaji of BSDP Committee felicitated at the function. Ms. Nikhitha, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH, welcomed the gathering and Sneha felicitated the programme. The programme was organized at Anganwadi Centre, Edayar, Another programme was organized for 21 children of the Head Loading Workers Union Office Hall. Sri, Saji V Mathew inaugurated the Programme.

V. Prof. Fons Vandormael – Belgium - Higher Education Scholarship Programme

Prof. Fons Vandormael Scholarship Programme: Rajagiri outREACH organized the Higher Education Scholarship Programme, which was sponsored by Prof. Fons Vandormael. Social Workers visited all the houses during the period.

VI. Mr. Sam & Jeff Mathew Higher Education Scholarship

This year 4 students studying for BSc Nursing, BTECH and Plus two courses under the Jeff & Sam Mathew Higher Education Scholarship Programme. The cheques were distributed to students during the visit to their houses.

VII. George & Sushila Foundation (GSF) Higher Education Scholarship

Under the Higher Education Scholarship Programme of **George & Sushila Foundation (GSF)**, the cheques were distributed directly to **1 student** for a total amount of **Rs.100,000/-** during this reporting

period. The follow-up of 258 students who received scholarships is going on. Rs.2,50,000/- is deposited for the follow-up, despatching of the letter and administrative expenses.

VIII. RR Foundation (P.T. Mathai Constructions Pvt. Ltd.)

P.T. Mathai Constructions Pvt. Ltd., supported MBBS students and follow-up of old students and the promotion of the Higher Education Scholarship Programme is continuing. Rs.4,50,000 is deposited as a fixed deposit for the Promotion of Higher Education Scholarship Programme.

IX. Higher Education Scholarship distribution

Higher Education Scholarship was distributed by Fr. Shinto Joseph, Assistant Director, RCSS and Live Lab Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH, to a needy student to purchase a laptop on 2nd July 2022 in the presence of Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH.



Higher Education Scholarship fund distribution held on 2nd July 2022

CRECHE PROGRAMME

The Crèche Programme is jointly supported by State Social Welfare Board and the Department of Women and Child Development, Government of Kerala.

The two Crèches implemented by Rajagiri outREACH catering to 50 children in each centre (below 3 years of age), focuses mainly for working parents who live below the poverty line located at Kunjhattukara in Ernakulam District and Ezhupunna South in Alappuzha.

Rajagiri outREACH Staff visited the Creche regularly and also monitored the activities of the Crèche.



Ezhupunna Crèche under Pattanakad CDPO in Alappuzha District during October 2022 & Visit to Ezhupunna South Crèche, Alappuzha



Visit to Kunjattukara Crèche in Ernakulam on 28.03.2023

KAVAL PROGRAMME – PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT FOR CHILDREN IN CONFLICT WITH LAW

*Supported by:
Department of Women and Child Development
Govt. of Kerala & District Child Protection Unit Ernakulam*

*TOTAL Number of Cases as on
31.03.2023: 83 in Ernakulam
and 73 in Thrissur District*

Introduction

KAVAL is an innovative program implemented by the Government of Kerala through the Department of Women and Child Development with technical support from the Dept. of Psychiatric Social Work, NIMHANS, and Bangalore. A systematic and structured methodology is developed in the state to support children in conflict with law there by reducing the potential danger of being labelled and isolated from society. Identifying children at high risk at a young age and supporting them by providing holistic care through psychosocial intervention would help children to keep away from unlawful activities.

The project was launched in 2015, in Trivandrum, Kozhikode and Palakkad districts, and it has now been expanded to Kannur, Malappuram, Thrissur, Ernakulam, Kottayam, and Pathanamthitta in the year of 2018. By 2019 it was implemented in 14 districts of Kerala. Kaval is being implemented by the Integrated Child Protection Scheme (ICPS) of the Department of Women and Child Development in association with the National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences (NIMHANS) Bangalore.

The process of the project runs like this; the list of the children in conflict with law is issued by the JJB and forwarded to the DCPU. With the recommendation, the DCPU give charges on the children to the NGOs. The programme coordinator and the social worker conduct home visits of each child and administer a questionnaire in order to identify the problem areas of the child. Once a rapport is established with the child, his/her family, the police station, and school, support is provided as per the need of the child. So the child may not fall back into the crime situations any longer.

Major activities:

- **Psychosocial interventions**
- **Individual sessions**
- **Family sessions**
- **Group work**
- **Follow-up – House visits and telephonic follow-up**
- **Life skill education**
- **Parent management training**
- **Referral services**
- **Networking with other governmental non-governmental institutions**

Rajagiri outREACH has been empanelled as an NGO as per the Order No. ICPS 3/9665/17 (1) dated 05/10/2017 issued by Director, Social Justice Department to implement the Kaval Project in Ernakulam District. Kaval Project of Rajagiri outREACH is working under the supervision of District Child Protection Unit and the other supporting authorities are Juvenile Justice Board, CWC, Police,

Excise and Observation Homes. Kaval Project of Ernakulam District was launched officially on February 03, 2018 at Government Observation Home, Kakkanad. During the period 2022-2023, Juvenile Justice Board had assigned **83** Children who were in conflict with law to the Kaval Project of Rajagiri outREACH.

Rajagiri outREACH has also been empanelled by Department of Women and Child Development, Govt. of Kerala as per the Order No. ICPS 3/684/20 dated 14.09.2020 to implement the Kaval Project in Thrissur District.

According to the various studies conducted throughout the country, it explains that the number of child offences has increased due to family and societal issues. Meanwhile there is a tendency to repeat crime more than a quarter of children in conflict with law (recidivism). This results in the increase of young offenders in the society. The existing programs and laws mainly emphasize the care and protection of children in society but there is a lack of attention provided to children in conflict with law or even for the social reintegration and rehabilitation of Children in society. Therefore, the Women and Child Development Department, Government of Kerala initiated a program in the year 2015 for the social reintegration and rehabilitation of children in conflict with law in Kerala through a psychosocial approach which was designed for the first time in the country in order to provide special support to prevent them from breaking of laws thereby reducing the crime rate of children in the society.

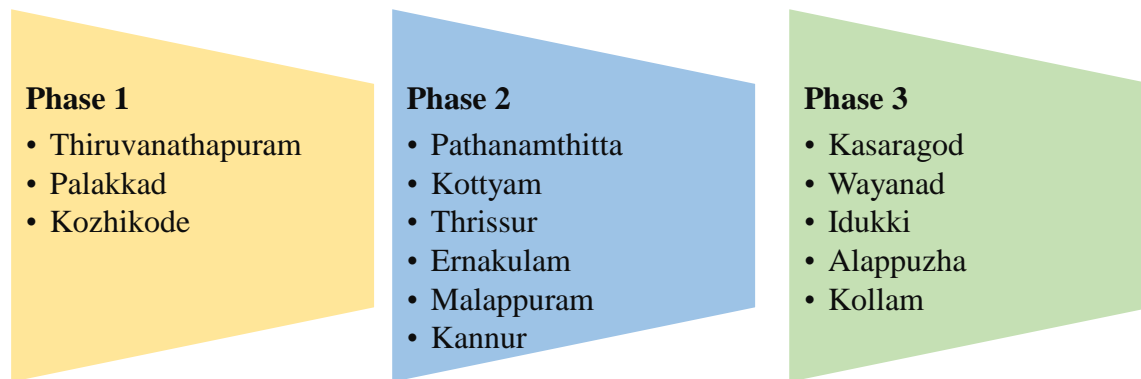
ACTIVITIES OF RAJAGIRI outREACH KAVAL PROGRAMME, ERNAKULAM

Total Cases

- **Total number of cases as on 31/03/2023 : 83**

- Orientation Programme**
- Outreach Services**
- Networking & Advocacy**
- Meetings**
- House Visits**
- Phone follow-up**
- PMT (Parent Management Training)**
- Legal Support**
- Referral Services**
- Community Programmes**
- Life Skills education**
- Visits to JJB / DCPU / Prison / Police Station / CWPO / Borstal School**
- Training/ workshop/ awareness programmes organized and attended**

1.1 Phases of programme



Kaval programme was implemented in three phases. The first phase was initiated in 2015 as a pilot programme in three districts. Thiruvananthapuram, Palakkad and Kozhikode districts were selected for the pilot study and implementation of the programme was based on the highest number of cases registered in JJB. In 2018, the second phase was focused on expanding the programme to 6 districts Pathanamthitta, Kottayam, Thrissur, Ernakulam, Malappuram and Kannur and in the third phase the program was expanded to the 5 districts Kasaragod, Wayanad, Idukki, Alappuzha and Kollam.

1.2 Implementing Agency- Rajagiri outREACH

Rajagiri outREACH has been empanelled as an NGO as per the Order No ICPS 3/9665/17 (1) dated 05/10/2017 to implement the Kaval programme in Ernakulam District. The programme was officially inaugurated by Shri. Muhammad Y. Safeerulla IAS, the Honorable District Collector Ernakulam on 3rd February 2018 at Government Observation Home Kakkanad. Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Programme deals with the children in conflict with law in the rural area of Ernakulam district. During these five years from 3rd February 2018 to 31st March 2023, the programme was successfully implemented and psycho social support was provided to **116** children.

2. AIM

- Provide psychosocial care for children in conflict with law.
- Create a better and conducive environment for children in conflict with law.
- Prevent the circumstances in which the child may force to commit an offence.

3. OBJECTIVES

- To understand the psychosocial problems among children in conflict with law
- To develop an intervention module for working with Children in conflict with law by the services provider.
- To train various stakeholders and institutionalize psychosocial care in existing services for Children in conflict with law.
- To incorporate psychosocial care in the existing services for Children in conflict with law in all districts of Kerala in the subsequent phase.

4. MAJOR ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT BY RAJAGIRI outREACH KAVAL PROGRAMME ERNAKULAM

- Report to DCPO on receipt of cases and initiation of psychosocial interventions.
- Inform to concerned police station where the case of the child registered regarding initiation of intervention.
- Conduct family visit for each child for intervention.
- Provide individual counseling repeatedly for children in conflict with law.
- Repeatedly conduct group work with children in conflict with law.
- Provide referral services for children in conflict with law by informing JJB through DCPO for support services such as medical help, mental health services, De-addiction services, educational support, economic support, family support services and linkages with other social welfare programs and assist them.
- Carry out interventions at school and in the community.
- Formed Kaval Club (it's a special intervention which was done by Rajagiri outREACH Kaval programme)
- Conduct life skills education programs for children in conflict with law.
- Network with governmental and non-governmental organizations to support children and their families in availing benefits through government program.
- Preparation of individual care plans for the children in conflict with law.
- Conducted community-level awareness programmes in various communities to prevent the circumstances in which the child is forced to commit an offence.
- Kaval Programme orientation for Internship students.

5. DATABASE OF CHILDREN HANDLED BY RAJAGIRI outREACH KAVAL PROGRAMME ERNAKULAM, DURING THE PERIOD OF 1ST APRIL 2022 TO 31ST MARCH 2023

From 2018 to March 2023, the total number of children received was 116. On April 1, 2022, there were 67 children who were beneficiaries of Rajagiri outREACH Kaval programme Ernakulam. During the period of April 2022 to March 2023, 16 children were included in the Kaval programme, and 83 children supported through psychosocial interventions. The total number of children reintegrated into society and terminated from the Rajagiri outREACH during the financial year was 19.

Table 1.

Total number of children on 1 st April 2022	Number of cases received in the period of 2022 April –March 2023	Number of cases terminated in the period of 2022 April – March 2023	Total number of CCLs supported during the period of April 2022 to March 2023
67	16	19	83

5.1. Age category

The table below contains the age details of children in Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Programme Ernakulam. The total number of children classified based on their age. The majority of children come under the age group of 18 and above (67), 15 children under the age group of 16–18, 1 child belongs to the 11–15 group, and there are no children below 10 years.

Table 2.

Age category	Number of CCLs
<i>Below 10</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>11-15</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>16-18</i>	<i>15</i>
<i>18 and above</i>	<i>67</i>

5.2. Gender details

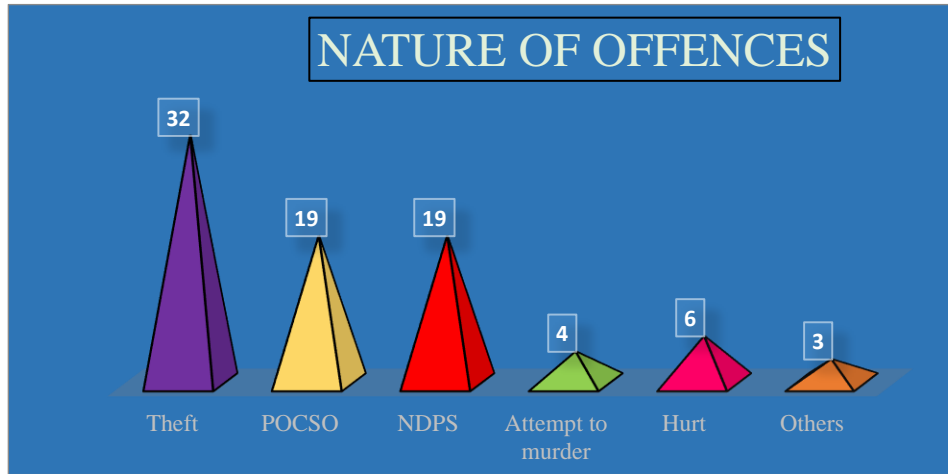
During the period of April 2022 to March 2023, the Rajagiri outREACH Kaval programme Ernakulam provided psycho-social support to **82 males** and **1 female**.

Figure 1.



5.3. Nature of offences

Figure 2.

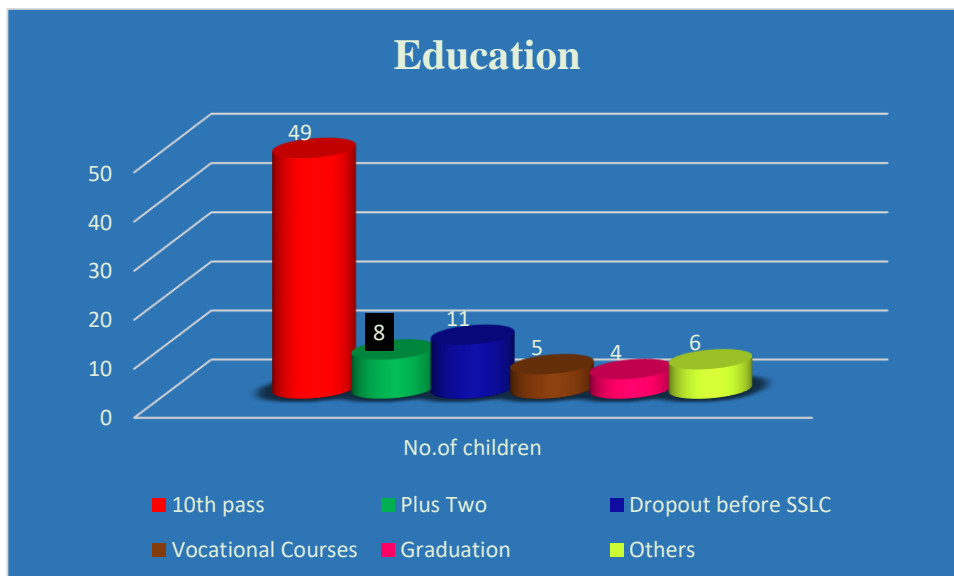


The offences committed by children include **theft (32)**, **NDPS Act-based cases (19)**, **POCSO (19)**, **hurt (6)**, **attempted murder (4)**, and **others (3)**. According to the statistics, most of the children in Rajagiri outREACH Kaval programme Ernakulam committed theft cases. The children in equal numbers committed NDPS Act-based cases and POCSO cases. A few children committed hurt cases and attempted murder cases, and very few children committed other offences.

5.4. Education

49 children of Rajagiri outREACH Kaval programme Ernakulam completed SSLC and 8 children passed plus two. 11 children dropped their studies before SSLC. Four children were graduates, five completed vocational studies and six were included in others.

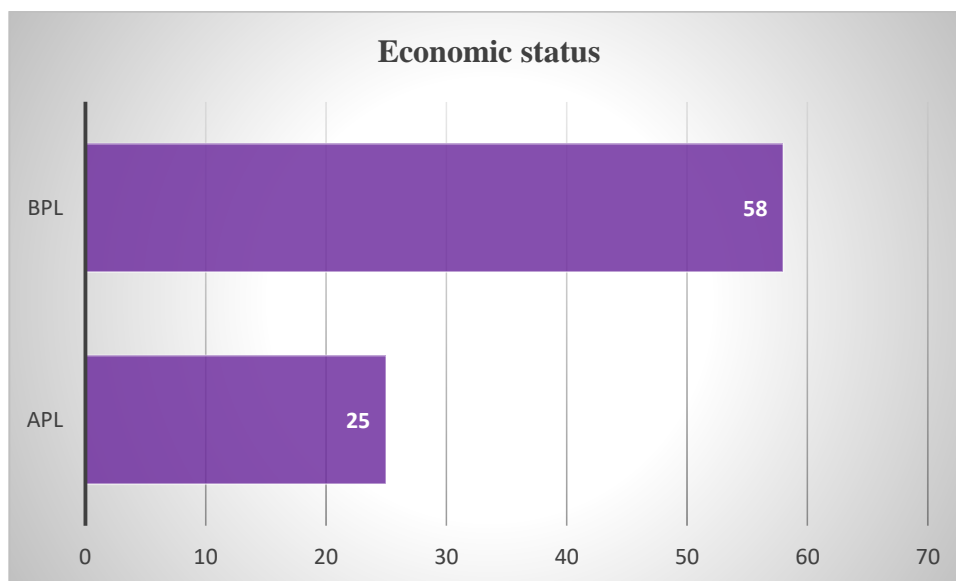
Figure 3.



5.5. Economic status

In the total number of children, 58 children in the Rajagiri OutREACH Kaval programme Ernakulam belong to BPL families, making up the majority of the total number of children, and 25 children belong to APL families.

Figure 4.



5.6. Type of Family

Table 3.

Family Type	No. of CCLs
Nuclear family	60
Joint Family	0
Single Parent	18
Others	5
Total	83

The above table describes the type of family with children. The majority of children come under the group of nuclear families (60), 18 belong to single-parent families, others include 5 such as adopted child, children whose parents are dead and children with grandparents. No children in Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Programme Ernakulam come under joint families.

6. ACTIVITY REPORT - APRIL 2022 TO MARCH 2023

6.1. *Psycho-social intervention and other services provided*

Table 4.

Sl.No	Items	Number of Services provided From 1 st April 2022 to 31 st March 2023
1	Home visit	333
2	Phone follow up	1048
3	Individual Counseling	52
4	Family Counseling	21
5	Parent Management Training	75
6	Group Work	9
7	Life Skill Education	93
8	Legal Support	17
9	Community Program	1
10	Referral Services	6

6.2. *Visit to Concerned Authorities*

Table 5.

Sl.No	Items	Number of Visits provided From 1 st April 2022 to 31 st March 2023
1	JJB Visit	69
2	DCPU Visit	22
3	Police Station Visit	15
4	Prison Visit	4

6.3. Networking with Government and Non- government Organization to provide Psycho-social support for Children

Table 6.

Sl.No	Name of the organization/ institution	Purpose	Outcome
1	Family Counseling Centre, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences , Kalamassery	Arranged counseling sessions for needy CCLs and their parents.	CCLs and parents received the services from FCC.
2	Child Welfare Committee, Ernakulam District	To admit the CCL in a child care institution under CWC and to reinitiate education.	CCL got admission in Galeela Charitable Home for Boys, Karukutty.
3	Galeela Charitable Home for Boys, Karukutty , Ernakulam	To reinitiate CCLs education.	
4	MRSV School Mazhuvannor, Ernakulam District	TC collection and reinitiating study.	
5	District Resource Centre, Ernakulam.	Referred for advanced assessment before de-addiction	CCL completed the assessment from DRC.
6	Techshore Institute, Kottayam	To take admission for a CCL in oil and gas technology course.	CCL got admission to the institute.
7	Smera Saathiya Skill Centre , Thrissur	To take admission for the CCL.	CCL got admission to the hotel management course.
8	Outreach Drop in Centre, (ODIC) Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery.	To conduct drug awareness Programmes. Transferred some cases to ODIC.	Conducted an awareness session and community program. Individual supervision for transferred CCLs.
9	Welfare Officer, Central Prison, Thrissur.	To take follow up on the CCL.	Visited Central Prison and met the CCL. Kaval officials provided his mother's contact number to the authorities and arranged to contact her.
10	Kerala Legal Services Authority	To conduct a legal awareness session for CCLs parents.	Organized a legal awareness one-day workshop for CCLs parents.
11	Victim Rights Centre		

6.4 Internship and orientation programmes

Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Programme provided one-month internship for Three 4th semester MSW students. During the period, the trainees were guided in psychosocial care for children in conflict with law. The internship was completed with maximum exposure and orientation to the trainees on the role and functioning of varied sectors such as the Juvenile Justice Board, DCPU, SJPU and others.

Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Programme provided Kaval programme orientation to 535 internship students from the departments of law, social work, management, and psychology of various colleges inside and outside of India. Orientation on child protection system in Kerala, Kaval programme, and child welfare programs provided to the internship students.

7. TRAINING ATTENDED BY RAJAGIRI outREACH KAVAL STAFF

a) *Training Programme on PSEA (Prevention of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse) Policy*

Rajagiri outREACH organized a training programme on PSEA (Prevention of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse) Policy on 22nd August 2022 at Chavara Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery at 9.30 AM. The entire staff from the NGO attended the training programme. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director of Rajagiri outREACH conveyed a welcome speech. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Assistant Director of RCSS and Live Lab Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH inaugurated the programme. The training was handled by Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and the Internal Complaint Committee was introduced to the staff.



b) *Training on Psycho-social interventions for children in difficult circumstances on 27th March 2023*



CHILDLINE Kochi, Rajagiri outREACH & Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery jointly organized a One-day session Training Programme ‘**Training on Psycho-social interventions for children in difficult circumstances**’, on 27th March 2023 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery. Around 30 participants including school counselors, counselors, Kaval, Kaval Plus officials, ODIC staff members, Rajagiri outREACH members, and CHILDLINE Ernakulam members partook in the Training programme.

The programme began by welcoming all the invited members followed by a silent prayer. Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph, Director, CHILDLINE Nodal, gave the inaugural address to everyone. The programme started by 9:30 am. The one-day training programme was divided into three sessions.

Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director of Rajagiri outREACH, took the first session. The session was on the subject '**Child Rights and Laws related to children**'. The presentation included various topics like basic rights of children and existing laws related to children. The speaker comprehensively spoke on the UN convention on rights of children (right to survival, right to participation, right to protection, right to development). Elaborate discussion on Juvenile Justice Act and POCSO Act (Protection of Children from Sexual Offences) followed under the topic '**existing laws related to children**'. The interactive session followed by the presentation was greatly effective for all the participants, professionals working in various child protection and child welfare systems shared their experiences and provided inputs in bringing betterment and advancement in the current child welfare services.



The second session for the day was on '**Psycho-social issues of children in difficult circumstances**', the session was taken by Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph, CHILDLINE Nodal Director and the Assistant Director of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. The session was more similar to a group discussion, the participants were divided into small groups and took the mode of group discussion. The speaker conducted various group exercises to effectively assess the psycho-social background of the children like identifying the problems, identifying the worries and then listing on the impacts covering physical, emotional, intellectual and social aspects relating to the psycho-social issues of children in difficult circumstances and bringing an effective solution focused approach. Furthermore, the speaker trained the participants on Eco Mapping skills.

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The third session for the day was on '**Psycho-social interventions for children**'; the session was led by Dr. Rajeev S.P., Assistant Professor of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery. The session was on blending the psycho-social aspects in bringing effective interventions for children in difficult circumstances. A great emphasis on the empathetic approach as the foundation in psycho-social interventions was thoroughly discussed in the session and in addition to that, a small exercise was conducted for the whole group for explaining the same. Furthermore, various psycho-therapeutic approaches were introduced to the participant group by the speaker. He effectively spoke on approaches like art therapy and positive reinforcement. Besides, the speaker shared on art therapy as an effective tool in easily understanding children in small age groups and the efficacy of art therapy in psycho-social interventions and well-being improvement.



The programme concluded with a feedback sharing session with the participants. The platform was fruitful for all the professionals, it was a great opportunity for the professionals working in various

child welfare systems together and share and learn from each other. Everyone opined that the sessions were enormously informative and enriching. The programme ended by 4 p.m.

8. MEETINGS

8.1. State level meetings

a) *Evaluation of Kaval Programme by State Coordinator*

Date : 04.11.2022

Time : 10.30 AM

Mr. Sreenesh S Anil, the State Coordinator of Kaval programme visited Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Programme on 4th November 2022 at 10.30 AM with Mr. Kiran V Kumar, LCPO, Ernakulam. Organized a case discussion session with the State Coordinator after the meeting with Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Director of Rajagiri outREACH. The State Coordinator verified the registers and documents. The suggestions were noted by Mr. Jaison Varghese, Coordinator and Ms. Jinsha Babu K M, Case Worker. The main suggestions from State Coordinator was to keep different registers for Life skills, PMT and Group work session. The inspection was completed at 1.30 PM.



b) *Kaval Third Quarter Review Meeting (October – December 2022) 7th&8th February 2023*

The State level Third Quarterly Meeting was conducted on 7th and 8th February 2023 at the Directorate of Women and Child Development Department, Trivandrum. All District Child Protection Officers, Legal-cum-Probation Officers and Kaval Coordinators had participated in the meeting. The meeting began with the welcome address and it was conveyed by Sri Krishnamurthy K, Program Manager, SCPS & Nodal Officer Kaval. After that, Smt. G Priyanka IAS, Director, Department of Women and Child Development, delivered the Presidential Address. Shri. Sreenesh S Anil, Programme Coordinator, Kaval, SCPS, gave a detailed presentation about Kaval Programme. On the first day of the meeting, Thiruvananthapuram, Kottayam, Idukki, Pathanamthitta, Alappuzha, Kollam, Palakkad and Wayanad these eight districts did their presentations.



On the second day, Kozhikode, Kasaragod, Kannur, Thrissur, Ernakulam and Malappuram these six districts did their presentations. Smt. Sini KS, District Child Protection Officer, Ernakulam presented the district Kaval data and a successful case was presented by Shri. Jaison Varghese, Kaval Programme Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH. At the end of the meeting, Kaval State Coordinator proposed the vote of thanks.

8.2. District level meetings

a) District Quarterly Review Meeting

District Level Quarterly Review Meeting of Kaval Programme during the period from July to September 2022, was held on 27th October 2022 at the Chamber of Judicial First Class Principal Magistrate in Observation Home at 3 pm. The meeting started with a silent prayer followed by a welcome note delivered by Mr.Kiran, Legal Cum Probation Officer (LCPO). The meeting was presided by Hon'ble First Class Principal Magistrate of the Juvenile Justice Board, Mr. Arshag Khan. The representation of DCPO, JJB members, Special Juvenile Police Units, NGO Officials, District level Kaval teams and ODIC project representative attended the meeting.



LCPO had read the previous year's meeting minutes and also listed the activities initiated based on the decision taken up at the last meeting. Both the Kaval team from Rural and City area had presented three months activity reports (July to September 2022), a termination list for this quarter, both challenging and successful cases. There was an overall evaluation of intervention provided to each CCL and their family for the social reintegration and rehabilitation services as part of the programme. There was an open discussion on the challenges and difficulties that Kaval team face in the field. The Principal Magistrate opinioned to terminate the CCLs from Kaval, if they are not cooperating or if they have no changes after many interventions. DCPU informed that in association with Police Department, they will organize a training programme on child-friendly legal procedures for all SHOs and Child Welfare Police officers in all Police Stations of the District. The arrangements are done for the same and it will happen soon. The termination lists of both NGOs were accepted in the Meeting. JJB members opinioned that they want daily updation of Kaval activities in WhatsApp to know more about each child. Overall meeting was very fruitful and ended the meeting by 5 pm.

b) District level review meeting Kaval Ernakulam

Date : 03.11.2022

Time : 4 PM

Venue : Govt Observation Home Kakkanad

A district-level review meeting of Kaval Ernakulam was held on 3rd November 2022 at Govt. Observation Home Kakkanad at 4 PM. Mr. Kiran V Kumar, Legal Cum Probation Officer welcomed every member in the meeting. Mr.Sreenesh S Anil, State Coordinator of Kaval presented a PPT regarding Kaval Programme. Mr. Arshadh Ghan, Principal Magistrate of JJB, Mr. Ullas , Mrs Jincy, JJB Members, Mrs.Sini K S., DCPO Ernakulam, OH Counselor and Kaval Staff of both NGOs attended the meeting.



There was also a discussion session organized during the meeting to address the challenges experienced by the Kaval staff in their field works and provide interventions to the CCLs. JJB members suggested that they need daily WhatsApp updates of works done by Kaval staff. Both NGOs agreed that they would update it daily. Principal Magistrate mentioned that if the children after 20 years did not cooperate with the team, it is better to terminate the children from Kaval Programme. During the discussion, the State Coordinator clarified that Kaval staff should prepare the intervention part of ICP and OH counselor must complete all other parts. A power point presentation was done by the State Coordinator regarding Kaval Programme. The meeting ended at 5.30 PM.

c) District Child Protection Committee Meeting

Date : 12.12.2022

Time : 2 PM

Venue : District panchayath Ernakulam, Kakkanad

A District Child Protection Committee meeting of DCPU was held on 12th December 2022 at Ernakulam District panchayat office at 2.00 PM. Mr. Shano, the Protection Officer (Institutional care) welcomed every member to the meeting. Mrs. Sini K S, District Child Protection Officer, Ernakulam presented a PPT regarding DCPU activities and various programs. Childline Staff, Police, JJB members, other DCPU project staff and Kaval staff of both NGOs attended the meeting.



There was also a discussion session organized during the meeting to address the challenges experienced by the Kaval staff in their field works, the activities of Childline, and the problems faced in their field, a discussion was conducted regarding the prevention of child labor and evaluated the overall activities of District Child Protection Unit. After all discussions, the meeting ended at 5.00 PM

9. LEGAL AWARENESS - ONE-DAY WORKSHOP

On 13th May 2022 a Legal Awareness One Day Workshop was jointly conducted by Kerala State Legal Service Authority, High Court Victim Rights Centre, Juvenile Justice Board Ernakulam, District Child Protection Unit Ernakulam, Kaval Rajagiri outREACH and Bluepoint Org. Ernakulam at Golden Aureole Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous) Kalamassery. The Programme started at 9.30 AM with the participant's registration and the inaugural ceremony started at 10 AM.

Mr. Girish M B, Programme Coordinator of Kaval Bluepoint Organization welcomed the audience and those on stage. Mrs. Sini K S., District Child Protection Officer Ernakulam conveyed the Presidential address. Mr. Arshad Khan, Hon. Principal Magistrate, JJB Ernakulam, inaugurated the one-day workshop. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Assistant Director of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences Kalamassery and Mr. P. V. Alias, Deputy Excise Commissionaire Ernakulam, conveyed felicitation for the programme. The inaugural ceremony was concluded with the vote of thanks by Ms. Jinsha

Babu K M, Case worker Rajagiri outREACH Kaval programme. After the inaugural ceremony, tea was served for the participants.

The first session started at 11 AM and the Resource Person was Mrs. Saheera Thangal, Consultant Psychologist and Founder of Chrysalis Counseling and Consultants. The topic of the session was **‘The reasons why children commit crimes, Parental involvement in preventing crimes in children, and the crisis they face and the solutions for it’**. The second session started at 12.30 PM by Adv. Sandya Raju and the topic was **‘Juvenile Justice Care and Protection Act 2015’**. After the second session, the meeting dispersed for lunch at 1.45 PM. Third session was taken by Mr. Rafeekh N A, Sub Inspector of Police, Thrikkakara Police station. The topic handled was **‘Children and Police’**. He shared a lot of incidents and experiences in which the children became offenders. At the end Adv. Viju Rajesh, spoke about the **‘Kaval Programme and its services’** and an interactive session was conducted and most of the parents asked their doubts personally and in the group. Some of the parents shared their experience about Kaval. The programme ended at 4 PM after an evening Tea. 37 parents had attended the legal awareness one-day workshop from both NGOs. 14 Parents of Kaval Rajagiri outREACH attended the Session.

10. KAVAL COMMUNITY PROGRAM

Date : 15.03.2023

Time : 10.30 AM

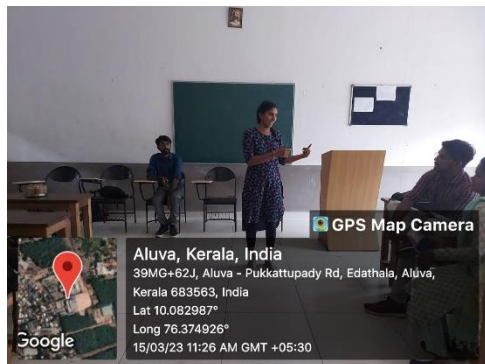
Venue : Bharath Mata College Choondy

Now a day’s drug abuse among youth is increasing day by day. They all are well aware about the negative impacts, but they are not ready to avoid. Family conflict, lack of effective parenting, negative peer group influence and influence of small and big screens are the main factors that lead our younger generation into substance abuse. Focused on this problem, Kaval Rajagiri outREACH and ODIC Rajagiri outREACH jointly organized community program in Bharath Matha College Choondy with the support of the Social Work Department on the topic of **Drug Abuse and it’s after effects**.



The session began with the welcome speech by the Head of the Department, Department of Social Work, Bharath Matha College Choondy. After the welcome speech, Mr. Krishnakumar, Project Coordinator, ODIC Project Rajagiri outREACH, handled the session on the topic **Drug abuse and its negative impacts**. The session was interactive and activities oriented. All students actively participated and shared their opinions. After the session, Ms. Jinsha Babu KM, Case Worker, Kaval Programme took a session on the topic **Substance addiction and crimes among children.**, Mr. JaisonVarghese, Project Coordinator, Kaval Programme, Rajagiri outREACH gave a detailed

orientation about Kaval Programme. After that, the program wound up with a vote of thanks by the class representative.

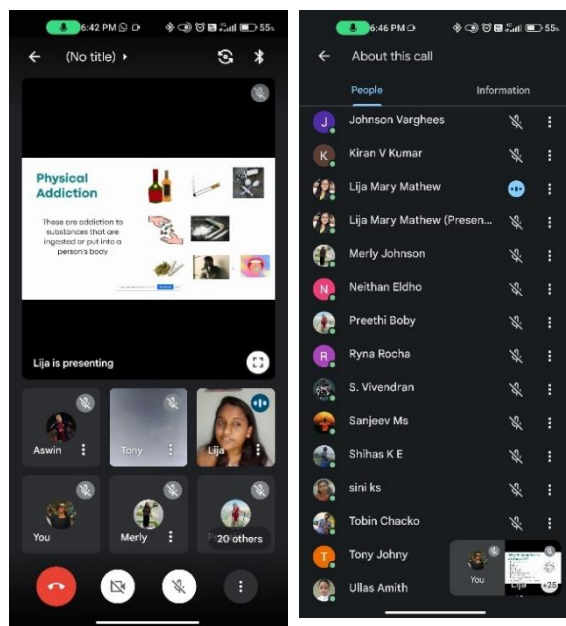


11. OBSERVATION OF IMPORTANT DAYS

Observation of International Day against Drug Abuse

Anti-drugs awareness class

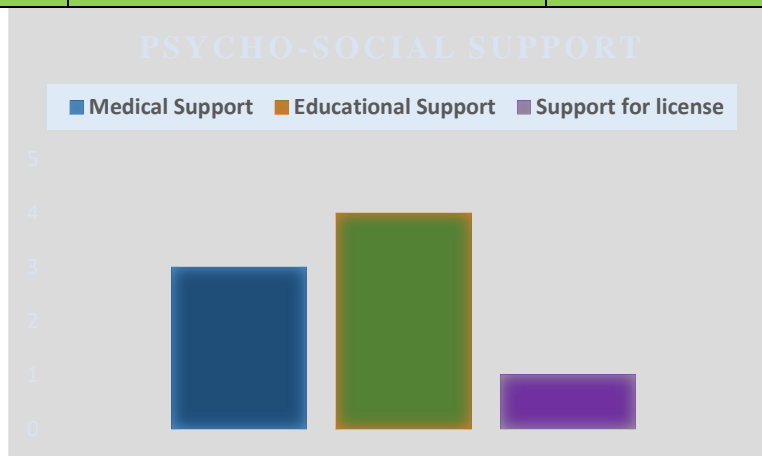
Every year, the International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking is observed on June 26. The main aim of this day is to spread awareness about the physical and psychological impact of substance abuse, drug overdose deaths, and drug-related problems across the globe. “**Addressing drug challenges in health and humanitarian crises**” was the theme for 2022's celebration of the International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking. Kaval Programme Rajagiri outREACH, Bluepoint org. and DCPU Ernakulum had arranged an online session for the Kaval children as part of the **observation of International Day Against Drug Abuse** on **03/07/2022** through **Google meet** from **6.00 pm to 7.30 pm**. Mr. Jaison Varghese, Programme Coordinator of Kaval Rajagiri outREACH welcomed the participants. Mrs. Sini K S District Child Protection Officer Ernakulam conveyed the Presidential address. Mr. Ullas Madhu, Juvenile Justice Board Member, Ernakulam, inaugurated the session. Ms. Lija Mary Mathew, Outreach Worker, ODIC Project, led the session. Mrs. Jincy Mol (JJB member) and Mr. Kiran V Kumar (LCPO) delivered the felicitation. There were almost 25 participants for the programme. Kaval Bluepoint Case Worker Mrs. Jain John conveyed the vote of thanks for the programme and children shared their feedback at the end. During the session, a short film and a cartoon was shown to the children. The children and internship students actively attended the session and asked their doubts during the session.



12. SPECIAL INTERVENTION THROUGH PSYCHO-SOCIAL SUPPORT

During this financial year, Rajagiri outREACH Kaval programme provided psychosocial support to the needy CCLs. Three children received medical assistance, four children received educational assistance, and one child was assisted in obtaining a driver's license.

Sl.no	Type of support given	No. of beneficiaries
1	Medical support	3
2	Educational Support	4
3	Support for License	1



ACTIVITIES OF RAJAGIRI outREACH KAVAL PROGRAMME, THRISSUR

1. Implementing Agency – Rajagiri outREACH

KAVAL project is an innovative program for children in conflict with law in the state initiated by the Women and Child Development Department of Kerala, with NIMHANS Bangalore, in order to provide psycho-social care for children in conflict with law. Rajagiri outREACH has been empanelled as an NGO as per Order No ICPS 3/684/20 (1) dated 30/07/2020 to implement the project in Thrissur District. Kaval Rajagiri outREACH commenced in Thrissur on 18th December 2020. During these two years and 3 months from 18th December 2020 to 31st March 2023, the programme was successfully implemented and psycho-social support was provided to **119** children.

2. Major Activities carried out by Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Programme Thrissur

Report to DCPO on receipt of cases and initiation of psychosocial interventions.

- Inform to the concerned police station where the case of the child is registered regarding the initiation of intervention.
- Conduct family visit for each child for intervention.
- Provide individual counselling repeatedly for children in conflict with law.
- Conduct group work with children in conflict with law.
- Provide referral services for children in conflict with law by informing JJB through DCPO for support services such as medical help, mental health services, De-addiction services, educational support, economic support, family support services and linkages with other social welfare programs and assist them.
- Carry out interventions at school and in the community.
- Conduct life skills education programs for children in conflict with law.
- Network with governmental and non-governmental organizations to support children and their families in availing benefits through government programs.
- Preparation of individual care plans for the children in conflict with law.
- Conducted community-level awareness programmes in various communities to prevent the circumstances in which the child is forced to commit an offence.

3. Children in Conflict with Law

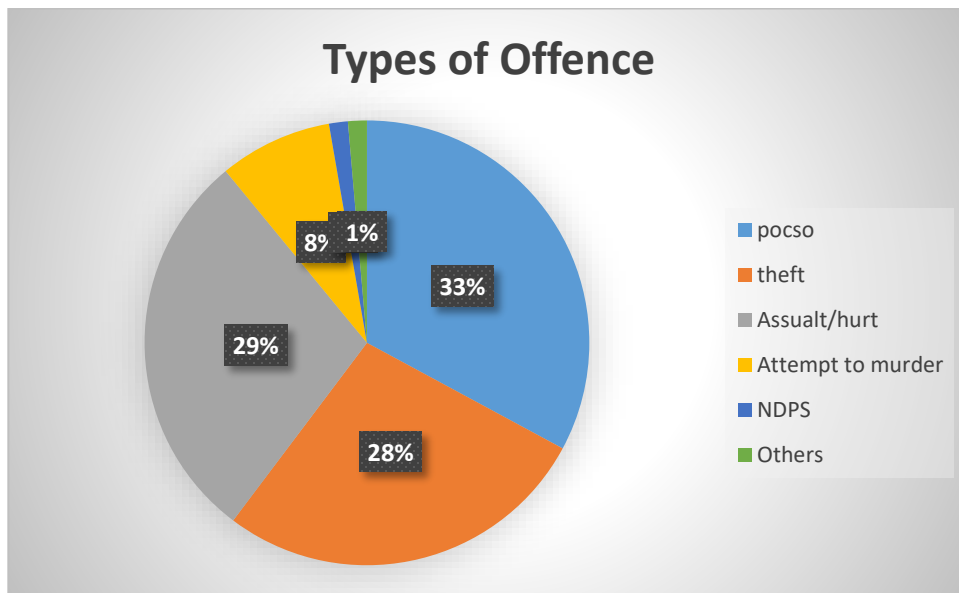
Kaval Programme – Rajagiri outREACH Thrissur deals with children in conflict with law in the district of Thrissur-Rural. During the period 2022-2023, there were 36 cases handed over from the Juvenile Justice Board. The total number of children during the period is 73, and the total number of children received during 2020-2023 is 119. Kaval Rajagiri outREACH as per the discussion in the monthly review meeting had terminated about 27 children during this period. There were about 6 children who showed recidivism during this period 2022- 2023.

CHILDREN IN CONFLICT WITH LAW 2022-2023	
Total number of Cases	73
Total cases received	36
Total number of CCLs Terminated	27
Total Number of recidivism	6

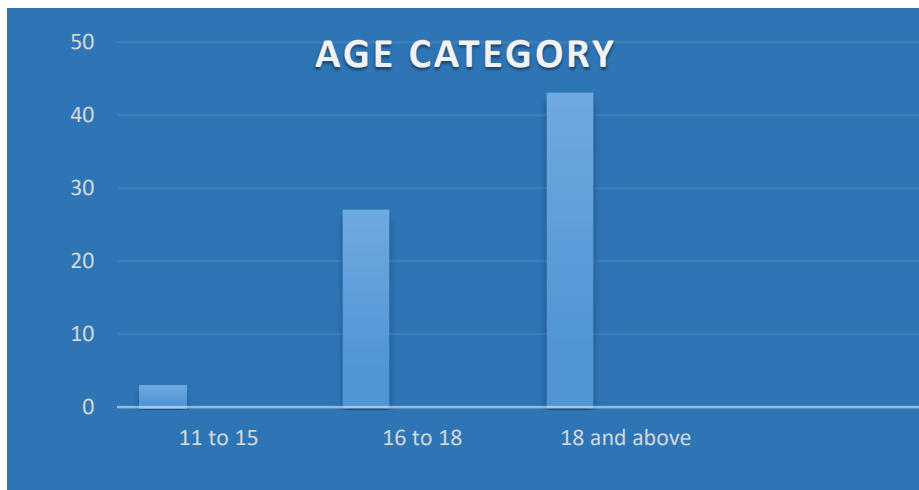
4. Types of Offences

The below diagram shows the offences of CCLs under KAVAL Rajagiri outREACH, Thrissur. It shows that major of our KAVAL children is coming under the POCSO and Hurt/assault offence.

During this period 2022-2023 Kaval Rajagiri outREACH has 33% of POCSO offences, 29% of Assault/hurt offences, 28% of theft offences, 8% of Attempt to murder cases and 1% of NDPS and other cases (Cheating).



5. Age Category

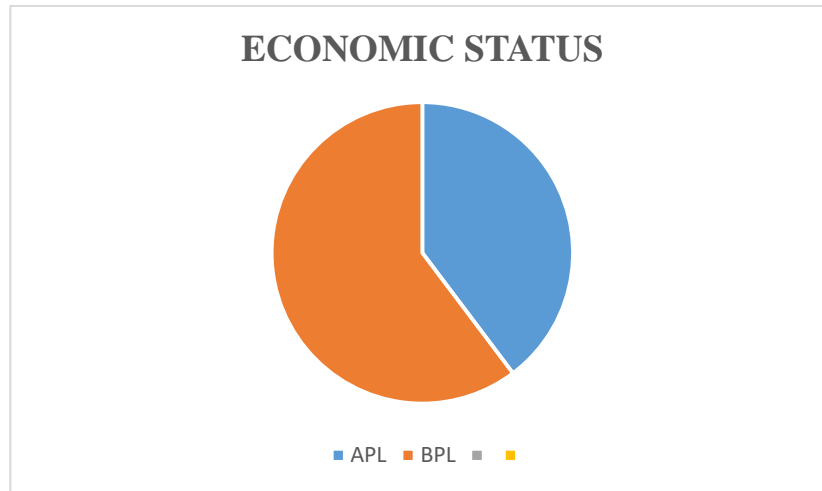


The above diagram shows the age category of the Children in the Kaval programme. Here we have most of the Children in the age category of 18 and above. And the lesser category of Children is in the age category of 11 to 15.

6. Education

During this period 2022-2023 the education status of the children in the Kaval Programme is about 35 children with SSLC education, 15 children with high school education 6 children with plus two education, and 8 children with technical or vocational education. 7 CCLs are with the education of graduation. 2 Children have dropped their education.

7. Economic Status



During this period 2022-2023, most of the children belong to the below poverty line.

8. Interventions

During this year Kaval Rajagiri outREACH conducted interventions such as home visits, DCPU visits, Department of Police/ Excise visits, Life Skill Education, Parent Management Training, Individual Sessions, Family Sessions, Group Work, Psychosocial Support, etc.

INTERVENTIONS		
1	Home visit	233
2	Police station visit/ Excise	1
3	DCPU Visit	16
4	Life skill Training	99
5	PMT	92
6	Individual counselling	84
7	Family counselling	46
8	Psychosocial support	5

9.1 Home Visit

During the year 2022-2023, Kaval Rajagiri outREACH Thrissur conducted 233 home visits. The main purpose of the home visit were as follows: -

- To build rapport.
- To maintain a professional relationship with the child and family.
- To understand more about the child (job/education/family relationship behaviour/ likes & dislikes/parents attitude towards child/etc...)

9.2 Department of Police / Excise Visits

Conducted a visit to the Department of Excise as a part of a child intervention to get support from the officers for taking the child to de-addiction treatment.

9.3 DCPU Visits

Kaval Rajagiri outREACH had conducted about 16 visits to District Child Protection Unit, in order to attend meetings with the DCPO and LCPO, receive new orders, submission of documents, community programme discussions, report discussions, etc.

9.4 Life Skills Education

Life-Skills Education as defined by UNICEF "**a behaviour change or behaviour development approach to address a balance of three areas; knowledge, attitude and skills**".

The skills that make an individual adjust and adapt to the changes and challenges brought to them on an everyday basis are known as life skills. Some examples of life skills are effective communication, decision-making, critical thinking, problem-solving, making connections, etc. These are an essential set of skills that is learned by a kid throughout their life to enhance their lifestyle in a better way possible. Learning a life skill is a very important and mandatory part of growing up. In everyday life, the development of life skills helps to:-

- Find new ways of thinking and problem-solving.
- Recognize the impact of their actions and teaches them to take responsibility for what they do rather than blame others.
- Build confidence both in spoken skills and in group collaboration and cooperation.
- Develop a greater sense of self-awareness and appreciation for others.

The KAVAL team conducted life skill education sessions during the period of 2022-2023. During the session a total of 99 children participated and they actively cooperated. The children had no idea about what are life skills and the importance of life skills in everyday life. Through the session, the team educated them on the importance of life skills in everyday life. Mainly discussed topics in the session were.

- Self-awareness
- Empathy
- Problem-solving
- Decision making
- Interpersonal relationship

- Communication
- Creative thinking
- Critical thinking
- Coping with emotions
- Coping with stress



Children in Life Skill Education

9.5 Parent Management Training

Kaval Rajagiri outREACH conducted parent management training for 39 parents. The programme started with the welcome speech which was delivered by Ms Athira K.P., Programme Coordinator. The programme was inaugurated by Ms Manju P G, District Child Protection Officer. Ms Uthara C, Legal cum Probation Officer delivered felicitation for the programme. The session was led by Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director Rajagiri outREACH. Parents were interactive in the session and they cleared their doubts. It was concluded by a vote of thanks, delivered by the Case Worker Ms. Ayana Krishna.



Smt. Manju PG, DCPO, Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director Rajagiri outREACH at the Parent Management Training Programme held on 09/11/2022 at Kaval Rajagiri outREACH office, Thrissur

During the period April 2022 – March 2023 KAVAL team conducted a Parent Management Training Programme for the parents. During this period 92 parents attended the session. Through this programme, orientation was provided about family boundaries and also the situations of the families.

9.6. Psychosocial Interventions

Each child who comes into conflict with law undergoes a systematic and step-by-step process of intervention that involves organizing, and coordinating the formal and informal activities, and services, to ensure the optimum level of services to the child. Towards providing intensive and comprehensive care a multidisciplinary intersectoral approach to support the child in the community by involving varied professionals covering a range of services such as legal and law enforcement, crisis intervention, health (mental and physical), de-addiction, economic support, education support, family support, vocational and skill training & employment, institutional services and social welfare support is developed. The multidisciplinary team will be led by the Juvenile Justice Board. Other sectors involved in psychosocial care for children in conflict with law are: District Child Protection Unit, Police, Education, Health (Physical health and mental health), Local Self-Government bodies and Non-Government Organizations. The interdisciplinary team consists of legal officers, police, social workers, psychiatrist, psychologist, other health professionals, administrators, teachers and vocational and skills trainers.

The KAVAL team conducted Psychosocial interventions during the period 2022-2023. Such as Individual sessions, Family sessions, and Group work sessions and also provided educational support to needy children. In the individual session, individual counselling was provided for about 84 children.

The team also conducted group work for children by using psychosocial mediums such as Family portraits and Writing, clay modelling, and facial expression. Kaval team provided family counselling sessions to the child's family also. They also conducted family sessions for about 46 children's family. And also provided psychosocial support such as food, education support, de-addiction treatment support, etc.

10. Review Meetings (District Level, State Level, NGO Level)

REVIEW MEETINGS	
District level	10
State level	3
Quarterly review	1
NGO level	5

10.1 District level Review meetings

Kaval Rajagiri outREACH Team had attended about 10 monthly review meetings in the year 2022-2023 under the supervision of the Honourable Principal Magistrate. Kaval team presented the details of monthly activities which included home visits, group works, life skill education, parent management training, individual sessions, and family sessions, and also presented the cases which need more attention and guidance required from the JJB and DCPU. Every monthly review was done in the presence of the Honourable Magistrate, JJB Members, DCPO, LCPO, Superintendent, Counsellor, Kaval Representatives, Department of Police, and Department of Excise.

10.2 State level meetings

Kaval Rajagiri outREACH Team had attended about 3 state-level meetings through online, google meet with the Kaval State Coordinator. The main agenda was to discuss the difficult cases. Kaval State Coordinator Mr Sreenesh S Anil, Legal cum Probation officer Miss Uthara C and the Kaval Coordinator and Case Worker attended the meeting. Discussions were held on Case status, interventions of the child, issues of the child and family, future plans etc. In this meeting, proper guidance was given for future interventions and plans.

10.3 State Quarterly Review meeting

On 7th and 8th February 2023 conducted the State level third quarterly review meeting (October – December 2022) at the Directorate of Women and Child Development Department, Trivandrum. Programme Manager, Kaval State Coordinator, District Child Protection Officers, Legal cum Probation Officers, NGO Directors, Kaval Coordinators, and Counsellors participated in the meeting. The meeting was for two days. The meeting began with the welcome speech which was delivered by Mr Krishnamurthy K., Programme Manager, SCPS and Nodal Officer of the KAVAL Programme. The Presidential address was delivered by Smt.G Priyanka IAS, Director, Department of Women and Child Development. Mr. Sreenesh S Anil, Kaval State Coordinator presented a detailed report of the Kaval Programme.

On 7th February 2023, Trivandrum, Kottayam, Pathanamthitta, Alappuzha, Kollam, Palakkad and Wayanad had done the presentation. On 8th February 2023, the presentations were done by the districts such as Kasargode, Kannur, Kozhikode, Thrissur, Ernakulum, and Malappuram.

Smt. Manju P.G., District Child Protection Officer Thrissur presented the district report of Kaval and also discussed the concerns regarding the Kaval programme. After that, it was time for presenting a successful or difficult case from each NGO. And the presentation was done by Smt.Athira K.P., Kaval Programme Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH. The meeting was concluded by a vote of thanks which was delivered by the State Kaval Programme Coordinator Mr. Sreenesh S Anil.



State-level Quarterly Review Meeting held on 8/2/2023 & 9/02/2023 at Trivandrum

10.4 NGO Level Meetings

NGO-level meetings were conducted in the NGO. The meeting was conducted to understand and evaluate the status of the programme. The meeting will be guided by the Project Director Mrs Meena Kuruvilla, Rajagiri outREACH. The details of interventions, achievements, future plants, were presented.

11. Networking

11.1 Dayel View Care Point

Kaval Rajagiri outREACH Thrissur had approached the Dayel View Care Point, Trivandrum as a part of the child's de-addiction treatment. The team interacted with the authority of Dayel View Care Point and as per the order of the Honorable Principal Magistrate, the child was taken to Dayel View Care Point, Trivandrum for the de-addiction Treatment. The child successfully completed one-month de-addiction treatment at Dayel View Care Point.

11.2 Department of Excise

Kaval Rajagiri outREACH, Thrissur visited the Excise Department as a part of a child's case and the de-addiction treatment.

11.3 Panchayath

Kaval Rajagiri outREACH, Thrissur, made contact with the Moonumuri panchayath office as a part of a child's bail application because the child's parents were illiterate and there were financially below-average families. So, through the panchayath member, we did the procedures for the child's case.

11.4 Kodungallur Municipality

The Kaval Rajagiri outREACH Team, Thrissur visited the municipality as a part of conducting the community-level programme and interacted with the Chairman of the Municipality. With the help of municipality authorities, the Kaval team conducted a community programme at Pullut under the Kodungallur Municipality.

OTHER PROGRAMMES	
Orientations	1
Awareness Programme	1
Day Observations	1
Community programme	1
Motivational class	1
Special intervention	1

12. Other Programmes

12.1 Orientations

In 2022-2023 Kaval Rajagiri outREACH provided an orientation about the Kaval Programme for the MSW first-year students of Amrita Vishwa Vidhyapeetham, Coimbatore and BSW first-year students from Chinmaya Mission College, Kolazhy. They was an intern student of DCPU and from there as a part of understanding all the programmes under DCPU they visited the Kaval Office and orientation was provided about the Kaval Programme.

12.2 Awareness Programme

On 19th November 2022 Kaval Rajagiri outREACH conducted an awareness programme at Padavarad for Scholarship children. 15 children and parents participated in the programme. The class started with the welcome speech delivered by the Head Sister. The class was on the topic of **Child Rights and Responsibilities**. The children were active. The class also included some entertainment for the children. The class was concluded by a vote of thanks which was delivered by Ms Divya, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH.



Ms Athira K P, Coordinator Kaval Rajagiri outREACH interacting with the children in the awareness programme held on 19/11/2022 at Padavarad

12.3 Day Observations

Anti-drug awareness programme: -

On 2nd July 2022 as a part of Anti-drug day, Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Team conducted an awareness programme. The programme was conducted on an online platform. The programme started with a welcome speech done by Ms Athira K.P., Coordinator Kaval Project. Smt. Manju P.G., District Child Protection Officer inaugurated the session. Miss Uthara C, Legal Cum Probation Officer has done a felicitation speech. Smt. Vinu Lijo, Consultant Psychologist led the session. 20 children participated in the session. The session was very informative and helpful for the children and was extended up to one hour. Ms. Ayana Krishna, Case Worker proposed the vote of thanks for the session.



Anti- Drug awareness programme held on 2/07/2022 on an online platform

12.4 Community Programme

On 17th March 2023 Kaval Rajagiri outREACH, Thrissur conducted a community programme at Vayomithram Pakalveedu, Pulloot, Kodungalur. The programme started with the welcome speech which was delivered by Smt. Anitha Baburaj, Counselor, Kodungalur Municipality. The programme was inaugurated by Dr. Biju Prabhakar, In-charge, Govt Ayurveda Dispensary, Pullut. The Presidential address for the programme was delivered by Miss Uthara C, LCPO. The program was attended by about 35 parents from the 4 Anganwadi. The main agenda was to give a general awareness about child-related issues and how to overcome the issues. The session was led by Smt. Athira K.P., Kaval Coordinator Rajagiri outREACH and Ms. Ayana Krishna, Kaval Caseworker, Rajagiri outREACH. The session concluded with a vote of thanks which was delivered by Ms. Bindhu, Anganwadi Teacher.



Community level programme held on 17/3/2023 at Vayomithram Pakalveedu, Pulloot, Kodungalur

12.5 MOTIVATIONAL CLASS

On 18th February 2023 Kaval Rajagiri outREACH, Thrissur conducted a motivational class for the children who are going to appear for public examination. The class was arranged in the Kaval Rajagiri outREACH office. The class started with the welcome speech, delivered by Ms Ayana Krishna, the Kaval Case Worker. Ms Athira K.P., Kaval Coordinator had given an introductory speech to the programme. The session was led by Mr. Mathew, Coordinator, Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH. It was an interactive session. In this class, the resource person had given simple tips to be successful in the exam. Children gave a good feedback about the session and the session was concluded by a vote of thanks.



Mr. Mathew Coordinator, Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH interacting in the session held on 18/2/2023

14. Conclusion

The KAVAL is an innovative programme for the children in conflict with law in the state, initiated by the Women and Child Development Department of Kerala in order to provide psychosocial care for the children in conflict with law. Rajagiri outREACH had completed the two year and three month activities of KAVAL successfully in Thrissur. In the year from April 2022 to March 2023, 73 children supported through the Rajagiri outREACH, Kaval programme. Through interventions and proper monitoring, the Kaval team brought children into the main stream of society. The group work, individual sessions, life skill training, etc. helped the children with their integral development. Parent Management Training helped the family to bring a positive attitude towards parenting and build strong family relationships. Life skills education sessions helped the children develop their ability to critical think, make decisions, etc. Community Programmes was conducted in the communities with the help of stakeholders.

KAVAL PLUS - ERNAKULAM

Community Based Rehabilitation of Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse & Community Based Rehabilitation and Reintegration of Children in Need of Care and Protection

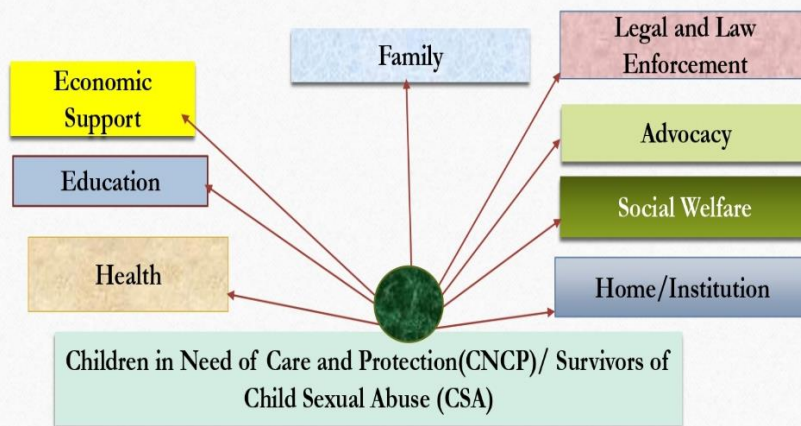
I. Introduction

Children are gems that need to be nurtured, mentored, and protected from all sorts of violence, exploitation and abuse. Ensuring physical, mental, emotional and intellectual development is key to their holistic growth and development. However, child sexual abuse and neglect are major concerns affecting one out of eight children globally and having a profound emotional and physical impact on children regardless of age when the trauma occurs, leading to consequences like anxiety, depression, post-traumatic stress disorder, anti-social behaviour and suicide.

To prevent the incidence of child abuse and exploitation, the Department of Women and Child Development (DWCD), Government of Kerala, in December 2020, launched an innovative programme named KAVAL PLUS focusing on Children in Need of Care and Protection (CNCP) and the survivors of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA). Both these projects work for the individual and families by extending psychosocial care & support services and other environmental modifications interventions such as; individual and family counselling, parent management training, life skill training, advocacy, crisis intervention for rehabilitating and reintegrating children back to family and to the society at large. The programme adopts a multispectral partnership approach wherein stakeholders working with children in government as well as in the non-governmental sectors join hands to play a significant role in supporting vulnerable children.

Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH, comes under the Department of Women and Child Development (DWCD), Govt. of Kerala, and it's working under the supervision of the District Child Protection Unit (DCPU), Ernakulam. The other supporting authorities for this noble cause are the Child Welfare Committee (CWC) Ernakulam, Nirbhaya Cell, and Integrated Child Protection Scheme (ICPS).

Spectrum of services provided by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH for the beneficiaries



Total cases referred to Rajagiri outREACH by DCPU through CWC

Table: 1

Sl.no	Gender	CSA	CNCP
1	Male	0	22
2	Female	45	30
Total		45	52

During the financial year 2022-2023, Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH, Ernakulam had received 45 CSA cases (Child Sexual Abuse) and 52 CNCP cases (Children in Need of Care and Protection) from CWC through DCPU.

II. Data of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA)

Total number of CSA cases referred to Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH by DCPU through CWC

Table: 2

Number of cases received (Child Sexual Abuse-CSA)	
Co-operative	
Non co-operative	

From the total 45 received cases, 43 of them have expressed their willingness to cooperate with Kaval Plus Programme and 2 of them are not willing.

II (A) Socio – Demographic data of the survivors of child sexual abuse (CSA)

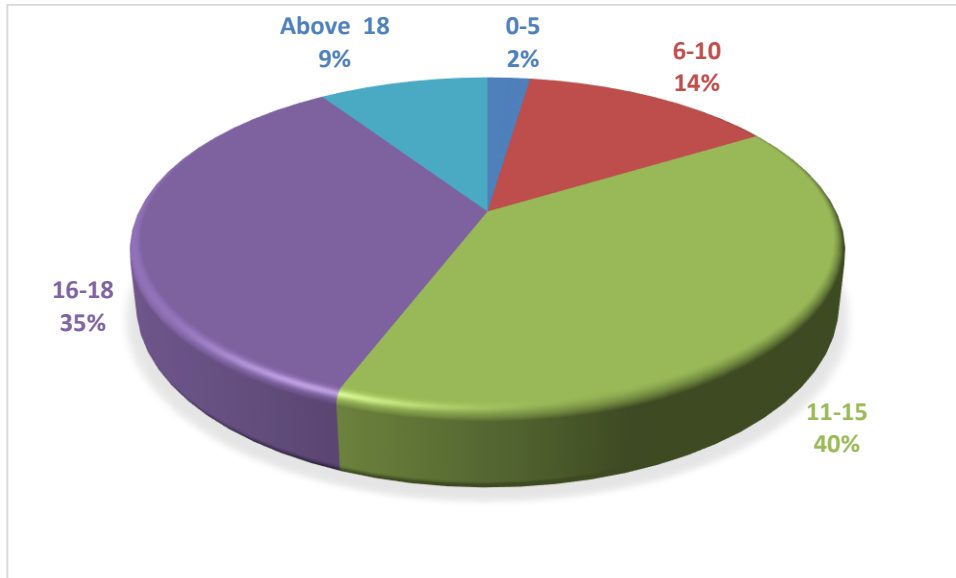
An assessment was conducted among 43 survivors of Child Sexual Abuse, ranging in age from 4 to 18 years and above 18 years. A data-based analysis of the survivors of Child Sexual Abuse is given below.

a. Gender based data regarding the Survivors of Child Sexual abuse (CSA)

Findings show that the majority of survivors of Child Sexual Abuse are girls. Boys who are survivors of child sexual abuse are considered CNCPs (Children in Need of Care and Protection) in Kaval Plus. In the CSA category, there are 43 girls who are sexually abused.

a. Age composition of Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA)

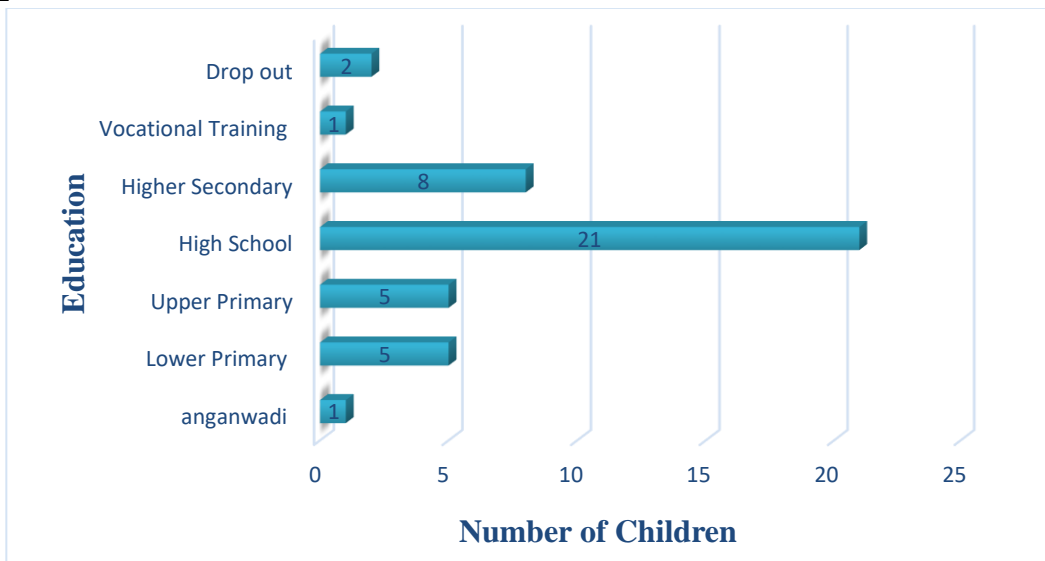
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According to the age distribution, a significant portion of survivors (40%) are in the age group of 11 to 15 years (17 children), and in the age group of 16-18, there are 15 survivors (35%). There are 6 children over the age group of 6–10 (14%), and under the age group above 18 years, there are 4 survivors (9%), and there is 1 child (2%) under 0-5.

b. Educational background of Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse

Figure: 2



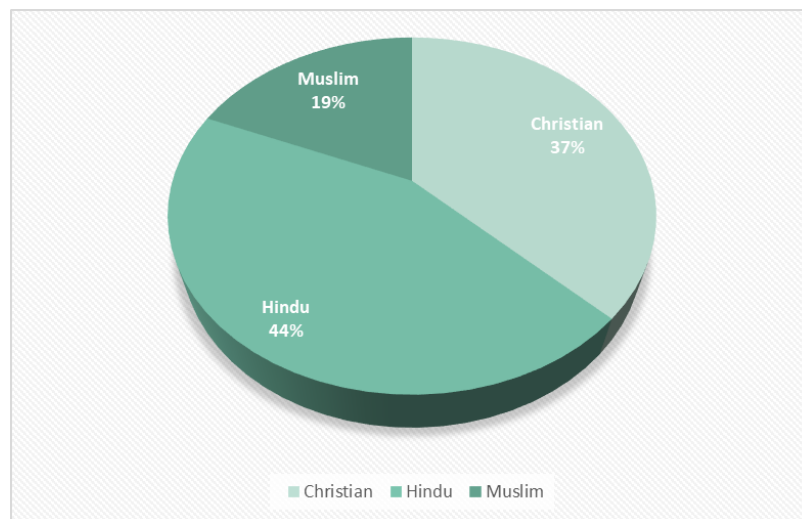
The educational background of the survivors of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA) shows that, a higher proportion of the children (21) are studying in high school, followed by those in Higher secondary

section(8) . There are 5 children each in the UP and LP sections, and 1 child each in the vocational training institution and in Anganwadi.

Among the 2 dropouts, one had to drop out of school due to some health issues, followed by her pregnancy and delivery, while in the case of the other, the child had previously been in a Child Care Institution. In between the de-institutionalization procedures, the child’s family forgot to apply for higher secondary education for the child, and because of that, the child couldn’t continue her education.

c. Religion of the survivors of Child Sexual Abuse

Figure: 3



In accordance with the religious statistics of the survivors (CSA), 44% (19) of them are Hindus, 37% (16) of the children are Christians, and 19% (8) of the survivors are Muslims.

d. Economic status of the Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA)

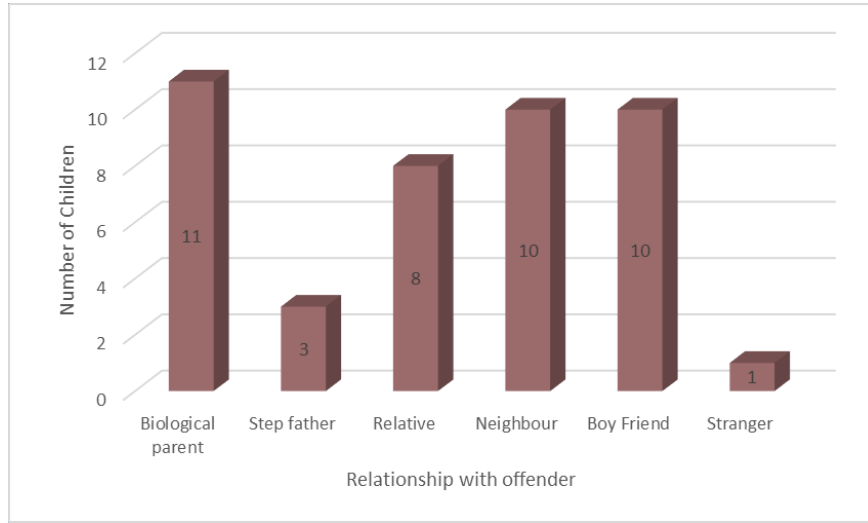
Table: 3

Sl.no	Ration Card Categories	Number of children
1	Antyodaya Anna Yojana (AAY)	2
2	Priority	14
3	Non priority subsidy	22
4	Non Priority	5
Total		43

The economic status of the children shows that a major proportion of children are living under the category of ‘Below Poverty Line’ which is 16 out of 43 (AAY-2+ Priority-14) and there are 27 children under the category of ‘Above Poverty Line’ (Non priority subsidy-22+. Non priority-5).

e. Relationship of survivors of child sexual abuse with offender

Figure: 4



According to the relationship status of the children with the accused, 11 children were sexually abused by their biological parents, and among the accusers, 10 each are boyfriends and neighbours. Moreover, 1 accused is a stranger while 8 others are relatives, and 3 are stepfathers.

f. Nature of problems faced by survivors of child sexual abuse

Table: 4

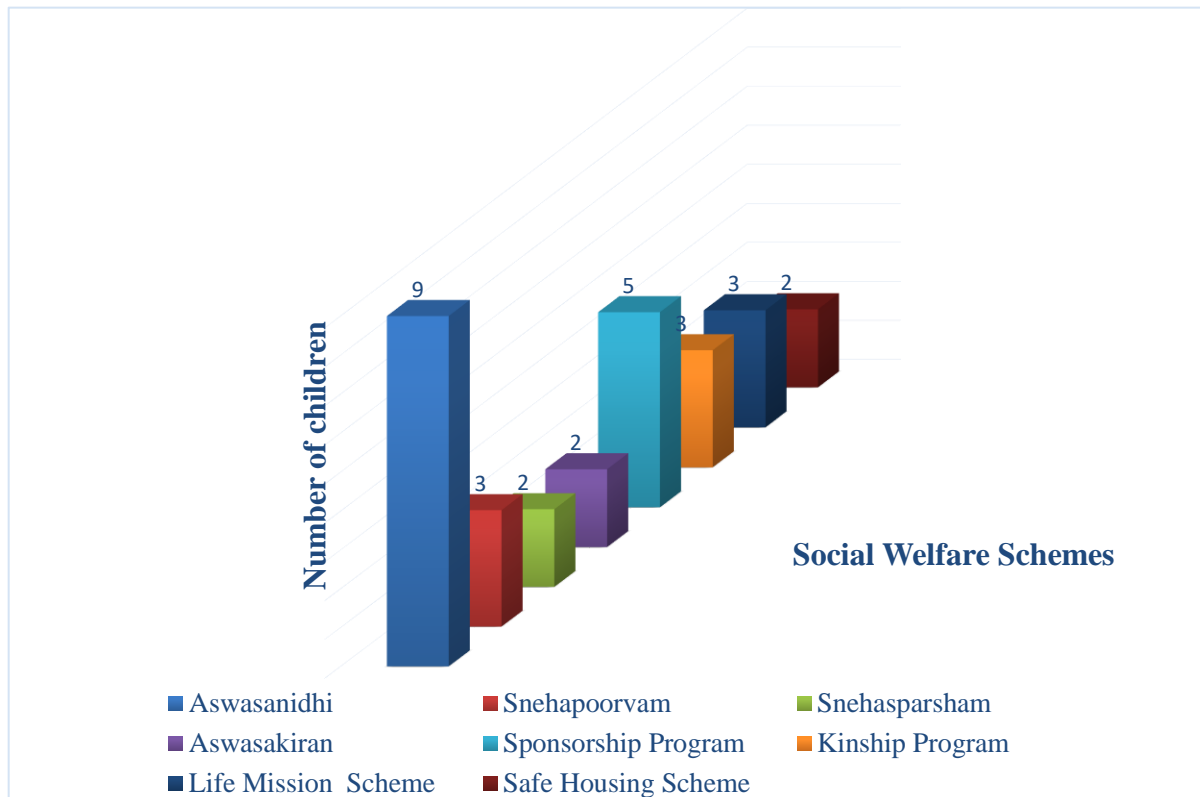
Sl.No	NATURE OF PROBLEM	NUMBER
1	Relationship issues (Love affair)	10
2	Abuser within the family	22
3	Child is an unwed mother	2
4	Extramarital affair of parents	2
5	Single parent	12
6	Alcoholism in family	23
7	Dysfunctional family	23
8	Social isolation	1
9	Lack of safety	6
10	Educational problem	2
11	Poor Socio-economic background	4

Children from dysfunctional families with alcoholism are seen as having higher chances of being abused. According to the findings, 23 each children reported are from dysfunctional families and have

alcoholic parents. In addition to that, the table shows that the accusers of 22 children are family members and 12 of the beneficiaries have single parent only. Other problems observed among children were education problems (2 children), poor socio-economic background (4 children), social isolation (1 child), relationship issues (10 children), extramarital affairs of parents (2 children), and safety issues (6 children). Besides, 2 of the beneficiaries are unwed mothers.

III. Number of CSA children linked with social welfare schemes by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH

Figure. 5



As part of providing holistic support to the beneficiaries and their families, Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH has linked the beneficiaries with available government schemes according to their needs. The team linked 5 children with Scholarship Program provided by DCPU and 3 each with Snehapoorvvam Scheme provided by Kerala Social Security Mission , Kinship Program by DCPU, and Life Mission Scheme. Moreover, the team referred 2 each children to Snehasparsham Scheme and Aswasakiran Scheme provided by Kerala Social Security Mission. Besides, the Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH has referred 2 children to the Safe – Housing Scheme provided by Scheduled Caste Development Department.

IV. Details of allied system visits conducted by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH for the Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse as part of interventions

Table: 6

Sl. No.	Visits	No. of visits
01	Home visits	140
02	Child Welfare Committee	35
03	District Child Protection Unit	57
04	Educational Institutions	19
05	Police Station	7
06	Integrated Child Development Office	28
07	Panchayat / Municipality Office	9
08	Department of Scheduled Caste	7
09	Health Center.	13
10	District Women Protection Office	1
11	Child Care Institution	4
12	Life Mission Office	3
13	District Legal Service Authority	3
Total		326

The Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH had visited various stakeholders including Department of Scheduled Caste, District Women Protection Office, Child Welfare Committee, District Child Protection Unit, Educational Institutions, Police Station, Integrated Child Development Office, Panchayat/Municipality Office, Health Centre, and other organisations as part of ensuring interdisciplinary -multispectral services for CSA survivors.

V. Data of Children in Need of Care and Protection (CNCP)

Children are the most vulnerable section in society. They are dependent, and have less control over their own lives. Among children there are some who are more marginalized and neglected than others because of their socio-economic cultural circumstances. Child who resides with a person, whether a guardian of the child or not, and such person has injured, exploited, abused or neglected the child and the child who is mentally ill or mentally or physically challenged or suffering from terminal or incurable disease, having no one to support or look after or having parents or guardians unfit to take care all these categories comes under children in need of care and protection.

Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH, Ernakulam along with various departments provides immense support and protection to the beneficiaries of Children in Need of Care and Protection. Socio-

demographic details of the children, nature of problems faced by children, various interventions provided to the Children in Need of Care and Protection are given below:

Total number of CNCP cases referred to Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH by DCPU through CWC

Table: 7

Number of cases received (Children in Need of Care and Protection-CNCP)	
Co-operative	47
Non co-operative	5

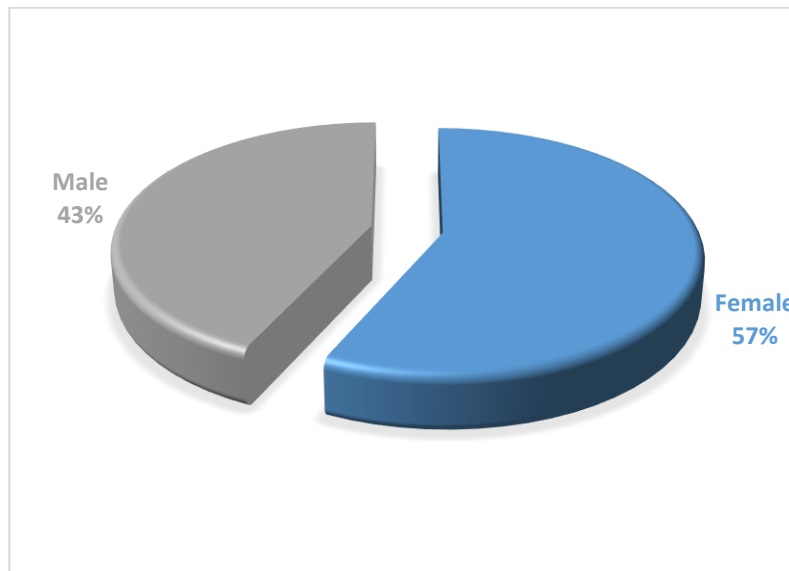
From the total 52 received cases, 47 of the beneficiaries have shown their willingness to cooperate with Kaval Plus program and five of them are not willing.

VI (A). Socio – Demographic data of Children in Need of Care and Protection - (CNCP)

In order to understand various psychosocial problems, an assessment was conducted among 47 children (Children in Need of Care and Protection). Following are the findings and observations over CNCP (Children in Need of Care and Protection).

a. Gender based data regarding the Children in Need of Care and Protection- (CNCP)

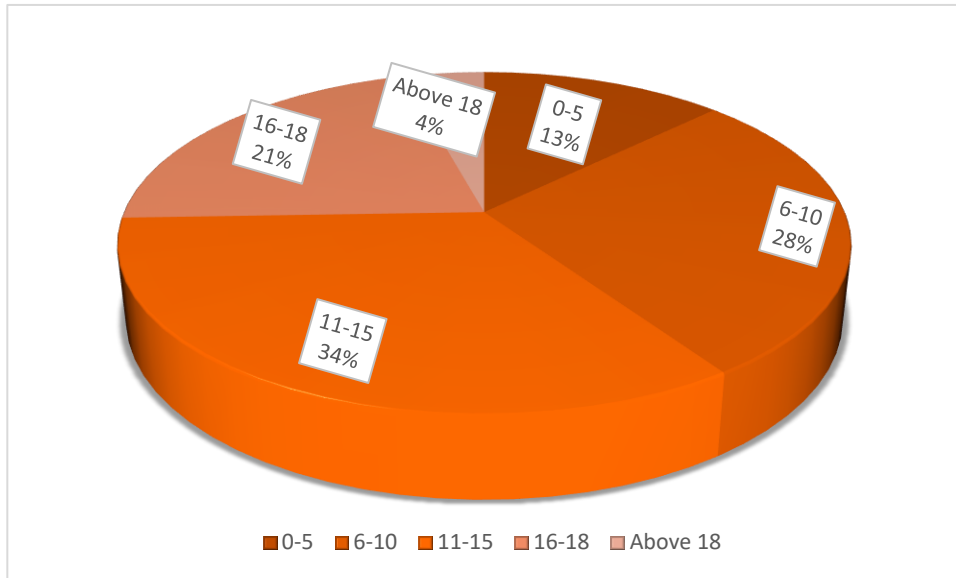
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According to the figure: 6, 57 % (29) of the beneficiaries are females and remaining 43 % (18) are males. While analysing the gender of the CNCP beneficiaries, it was found that the percentage of the female children is higher than the male children.

b. Age composition of Children in Need of Care and Protection - (CNCP)

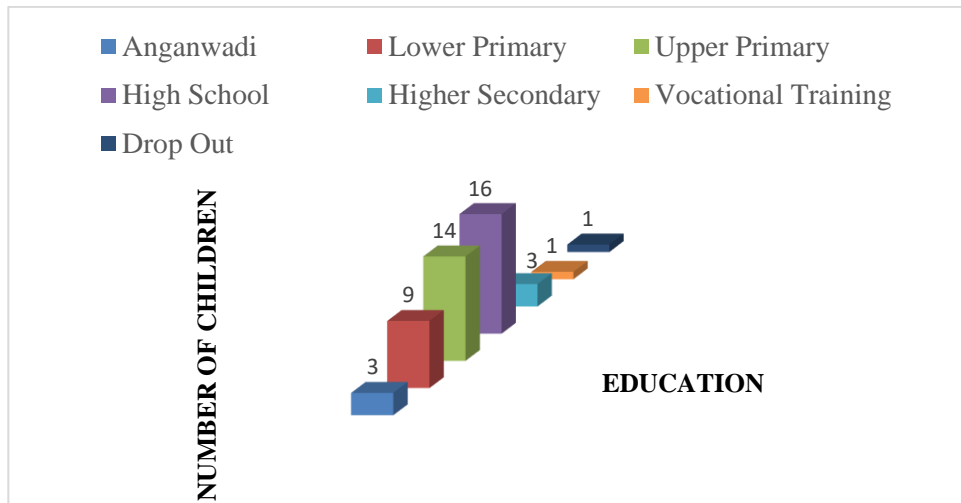
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According to the above diagram , 34% (16) of beneficiaries are between the ages of 11 and 15,28% (13) are between the ages of 6 and 10, 21% (10) are between the ages of 16 and 18, 13% (6) are between the ages of 0 and 5; and the remaining beneficiaries 4% (2) are over the age of 18.

c. Educational background of Children in Need of Care and Protection.- (CNCP)

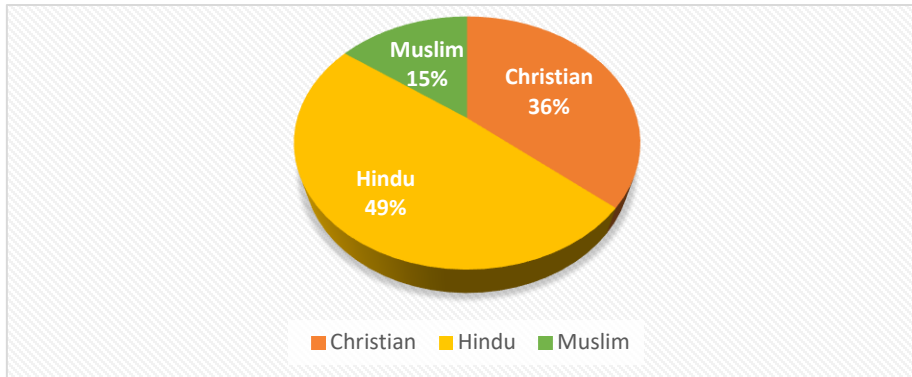
Figure: 8



While analysing the graph, the educational background of the beneficiaries it was found that, a higher proportion of the children (16) are studying in high school, followed by those in Upper Primary (14). 9 children are studying in LP section and there are 3 children each in higher secondary and Anganvadi, and 1 child in the vocational training institution. **Among the 47 children and 1 dropped out of school, because the child was not interested in continuing in the science stream.**

d. Religion of the Children in Need of Care and Protection-(CNCP)

Figure: 9



The religion of the beneficiaries shows that the majority of the children belong to the Hindu religion 49% (23). 36% (17) to Christian religion and the remaining 15% (7) to Muslim religion.

e. Economic status of the Children in Need of Care and Protection.-(CNCP)

Table: 8

Sl.no	Ration Card Categories	Number of children
1	Antyodaya Anna Yojana (AAY)	1
2	Priority	27
3	Non priority subsidy	18
4	Non Priority	1
Total		47

The economic status of the children when assessed showed that a major proportion of children are living Below Poverty Line which 28 is out of 47 (AAY- 1+ Priority-27) and 19 children belong to ‘ Above Poverty Line’ (Non priority Subsidy - 18+ Non Priority-1). Most of the children belong to poor families and this shows the direct relationship between poverty and difficulties faced by childr

f. Nature of problems faced by the Children in Need of Care and Protection.-(CNCP)

Table: 9

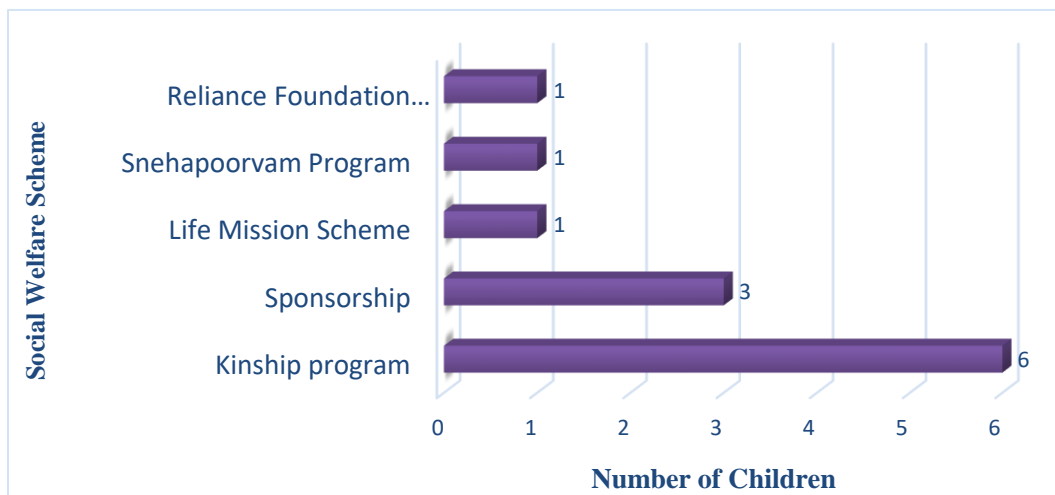
Sl.no	NATURE OF PROBLEM	NUMBER
1	Relationship issues (Love affair)	2
2	Abuser within the family	2
3	Poor Socio-economic background	3
4	Extramarital affair of parents	1
5	Single parent	25

6	Alcoholism in family	6
7	Dysfunctional family	16
8	Social isolation	1
9	Lack of safety	12
10	Educational problem	4
11	Physical- mental health issues.	3
12	Substance abuse	1

Children those who are in need of care and protection (CNCP) are going through multiple problems. From the Findings 16 children are facing family dysfunction. Among CNCP, 6 of them have alcoholic parents and 25 of the beneficiaries have single parent. 4 children are suffering from educational problem and 3 children are suffering from physical-mental health issues. Moreover, 12 of the children in CNCP category (Children in Need of Care and Protection) have lack of safety in their family. Other problems observed among children were poor socio-economic background (3 children), social isolation (1 child), relationship issues (2 Children), extramarital affairs of parents (1 child), and substance abuse among children (1), Abuser within the family (2 children).

VII. Number of CNCP Children linked with Social Welfare Schemes by Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH

Figure :10



Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH had linked the beneficiaries with various Social Welfare Schemes and CSR project according to their needs. Kaval Plus team linked 6 children with Kinship Program and 3 children with Scholarship Program provided by DCPU. 1 child each in Life Mission, Snehapoorvam and Reliance Foundation UG and PG 2022-23 Scholarship.

VIII. Details of allied system visits conducted by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH for the Children in Need of Care and Protection.-(CNCP) as part of interventions

Table: 11

Sl. No	Visits	No of visit
01	Home visits	153
02	Child Welfare Committee	37
03	District Child Protection Unit	59
04	Educational Institutions	22
05	Police Station	8
06	Integrated Child Development office	24
07	Panchayat / Municipality office	15
08	Department of Scheduled Caste	2
09	Health Center.	14
10	De addiction Centers	2
11	Life Mission Office	2
12	District Legal Service Authority	3
Total		341

As part of the interventions for the children those who are in need of care and protection (CNCP), Kaval Plus team members have to visit other supporting institutions such as Child Welfare Committee (CWC), District Child Protection Unit (DCPU), Educational Institutions, Police Station, Panchayat / Municipality office, Department of Scheduled Caste, Health Centre etc.

IX. Intervention programmes conducted by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH for the beneficiaries

a. Parent Management Training Programme

Parent Management Training (PMT) aims to change parenting behaviours and teach the parents positive reinforcement methods. PMT's benefits as a preventive intervention that not only improves children's conduct but also positively affects parent-child relationships, mood, social competence, and school adjustment or performance.

As part of making aware the parents of the importance of effective parent management and various parenting skills, the Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH had conducted 4 Parent Management Training Sessions in the financial year 2022-2023.

Table:12

Sl.No.	Date	Topic of the Session	Number of Parents Attended
1	05.2022	Importance of positive reinforcement in parenting and various parenting skills	18
2	10.2022	Importance of Effective Parenting	16
3	01.2023	Importance of Effective parenting and various parenting skills.	22
4	03.2023	The importance of effective parenting	32



Picture: 1 Parent Management Training Sessions conducted for the Parents of Kaval Plus beneficiaries

a. Life Skill Training Programme

Life skills are defined as “a group of psychosocial competencies and interpersonal skills that help people make informed decisions, solve problems, think critically and creatively, communicate effectively, build healthy relationships, empathize with others, and cope with and manage their lives in a healthy and productive manner.

The following table shows that Life skills Training sessions conducted by Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus for the beneficiaries and their family members.

Table: 13

Sl.No	Date	Topic of the Session	Number of Participants
1	27.05.2022	Thinking Skills	31
2	29.10.2022	Social Skills	28
3	23.01.2023	Emotional Skills	37
4	25.03.2023	Life Skills	52



Picture: 2 Life skill training programs conducted by Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH for Kaval Plus beneficiaries.

b. Group Work Session

Among children, group work can be an effective method of developing social skills, solving tricky problems, and communicating complex ideas. It is helpful for children to have a positive, 'can-do' attitude to be able to contribute to the team and avoid feeling defeated when the work becomes challenging.

As part of making aware the parents and children about various psycho-social problems faced by children and different methods to overcome it, the Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH has conducted 4 Group work sessions during the financial year of 2022-2023.

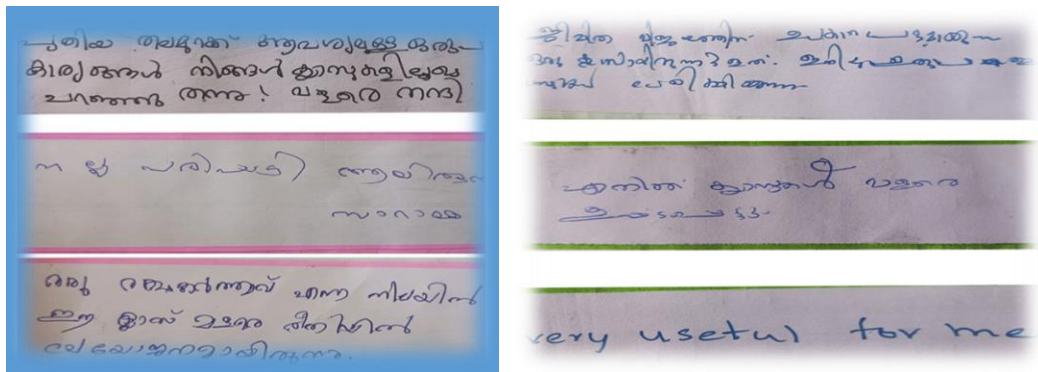
Table: 14

Sl.No.	Date	Topic of the Session	Number of Participants
1	05.2022	Interpersonal & Intrapersonal Skills	23
2	10.2022	Teen addiction	27
3	01.2023	Child rights	34
4	03.2023	Substance abuse and its consequence	49



Picture: 3. Group work sessions conducted by Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH for Kaval Plus beneficiaries.

Picture: 4 Feedback given by the beneficiaries and their parents on intervention programs (PMT, Group Work and Life Skill Training Program) conducted by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH



c. Nutritional Kit and Study Material Distribution for Kaval Plus Beneficiaries.

Nutrition is a critical part of health and development. People with adequate nutrition are more productive and can create opportunities to gradually break the cycles of poverty and hunger. As part of providing nutritional support, under the leadership of Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH, nutritional kits were distributed to the programme beneficiaries.

Moreover, with the purpose of providing educational support to the programme beneficiaries, Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH distributed study materials before the start of the new academic year.

Table: 15

Sl.No	Date	Name of the Program	Number of Beneficiaries
1	27.05.2022	Study Material Distribution	36
2	30.10.2022	Nutritional Kit Distribution	24
3	26.03.2023	Nutritional Kit Distribution	32



Picture: 5. Study material distribution conducted by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH for the project beneficiaries-27/05/2022

d. Community based awareness programmes conducted by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH

As part of making the community aware of the child-related laws that exist for the protection of children and various child rights, in the rural parts of the Ernakulam District, Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH had conducted various community awareness programmes.

Table: 16

Sl.No.	Date	Place	Topic of the session	Target group	No. of participants	Departments/ Agencies collaborated with
1	11.05.2022	Kalamassery	Impact of social media on behavior change in children	Adolescent groups	73	Rajagiri outREACH
2	21.05.2022	Vattekunnam	Child abuse and child protection laws	Adolescent groups	32	Rajagiri outREACH

3	12.06.2022	Kalamaserry	Child labour	Kaval Plus beneficiaries	15	DCPU, Ernakulam
4	09.07.2022	Kangarapadi	Child abuse	Adolescent groups	23	ICDS, Edappally
5	06.08.2022	Varapetty	Child Sexual abuse	Adolescent groups	45	ICDS, Kothamangalam
6	20.08.2022	Varapetty	Child Sexual abuse	Adolescent groups	37	ICDS, Kothamangalam
7	19.10.2022	Kurappampadi	Drug abuse and its consequences among adolescents	Anganwady Workers	69	ICDS, Kurappampadi
8	31.12.2022	Alangadu	Life Skill Training	Adolescent groups	38	ICDS, Varapuzha



Picture 6: Community based awareness programmes conducted by Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH

X. Training Programme attended by the team members of Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH

With the objective of making each Kaval Plus staff member an expert in the field of child protection, various training programmes were conducted at the state level, district level, and NGO level. Each training programme was an opportunity for Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH to improve various skills that are needed while working with programme beneficiaries. Besides, the training programmes helped the team members get to know more about the obstacles that are standing in front of the child protection workers and how to overcome those struggles. The table below shows the training sessions attended by Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH at the state-district and NGO levels.

Table: 17

Sl No	Date	Topic	Training programme organized by	Participants
State Level				
	15/10/2022-20/10/2022	State Level Residential Training Programme conducted for newly appointed Kaval Plus Staff	Dept. of Women & Child Development Nirbhaya Cell ICPS	Unni Mohanan (CNCPCaseworker from Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH) and other newly appointed staff members from various NGO's.
	27/02/2023-04/03/2023	State Level Residential Training Programme conducted for newly appointed Kaval Plus Staff	Dept. of Women & Child Development Nirbhaya Cell ICPS	Megha M A (CNCPCaseworker from Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH) and other newly appointed staff members from various NGO's.
District Level				
	13/05/2022	One-day workshop on 'Legal Awareness'	JJB VRC	Kaval Plus- Kaval Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus- Kaval, Bluepoint
	21/01/2023	Training Programme for Support Persons	DLSA CWC DCPU	CWC members DCPU staff members Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH Support persons
NGO Level				
	27/03/2023	Training on psycho-social support for children in difficult circumstances	Childline Kochi Rajagiri outREACH Rajagiri College of Social Sciences	Kaval Plus- Kaval Rajagiri outREACH Childline School Counselors ODIC



Picture: 7 State level residential training program conducted for the newly appointed Kaval Plus Staff Members at Trivandrum



Picture: 9 Training on psycho-social support for children in difficult circumstances- conducted by Childline, Kochi, Rajagiri outREACH & Rajagiri College of Social Sciences on 27/03/2023

XI. Review meetings attended by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH

a. State level review meetings attended by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH

As part of evaluating the activities and services carried out in various districts during the period of 2022–2023 for the programme beneficiaries, under the leadership of the Department of Women and Child Development, Kerala, Kaval Plus State team, Nirbhaya, and ICPS, two review meetings were conducted for the Kaval Plus staff members. During the meetings, DCPOs presented the contributions of the Kaval Plus programme in the re-integration of children (both CSA and CNCP) at district level, and moreover, they brought the attention of the state authorities of Kaval Plus to the major challenges of staff members while working for the children.

Table: 18

Sl.No.	Date	Place	Participants
1	12/07/2022	Trivandrum	Director (WCD), State Coordinators (Kaval Plus & Nirbhaya) CWC Members, DCPO, PO (nic) Kaval Plus staff members
2	22/12/2022	Online	State coordinators (Kaval Plus & Nirbhaya) CWC members, DCPO, PO (nic) Kaval Plus staff members



Picture: 10 State level Kaval Plus Review Meetings - 12/07/2022 & 22/12/2022

b. District level review meetings attended by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH

In order to assess the performance of Kaval Plus, Ernakulam, during the period of 2022–2023, seven district-level review meetings were conducted under the leadership of the Child Welfare Committee and District Child Protection Unit, Ernakulam. During the meetings, Kaval Plus - Rajagiri outREACH presented the issues faced by each child and various interventions carried out to solve those issues accordingly. Moreover, with CWC and DCPU, Kaval Plus-Rajagiri outREACH discussed what all interventions could be done for the betterment of each beneficiary and the required support from the authorities as part of re-integrating the children into the main stream of society.

Table: 19

Sl. No.	Date	Place	Participants
1	08/06/2022	Children's home Ernakulam	CWC Chairperson DCPO PO (nic) Kaval Plus staff members
2	06/07/2022	DCPU, Ernakulam	CWC Chairperson & Members DCPO PO (nic) Kaval Plus staff members
3	31/08/2022	Children's home Ernakulam	CWC Chairperson DCPO PO (nic) Kaval Plus staff members
4	30/09/2022	DCPU, Ernakulam	CWC Chairperson DCPO PO (nic) Kaval Plus staff members
5	30/11/2022	DCPU, Ernakulam	CWC Chairperson DCPO PO (nic) Kaval Plus staff members
6	30/01/2023	Children's home Ernakulam	CWC Chairperson DCPO PO (nic) Kaval Plus staff members
7	18/03/2023	DCPU, Ernakulam	CWC Members DCPO PO (nic) Kaval Plus staff members

c. Review meetings attended by Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH at NGO level

Under the guidance of the Project Director (Rajagiri outREACH), review meetings were conducted as part of evaluating the activities of Kaval Plus - Rajagiri outREACH. During the meeting, the Project Director evaluated various services carried out by Kaval Plus-Rajagiri outREACH for the beneficiaries and reviewed the documentation. The suggestions given by the Project Director during the meetings were fruitful for the staff members to improve the intervention strategies.

Table: 20

Sl.No	Date	Place	Participants
1	16/05/2022	Kaval Plus Office, Rajagiri outREACH	Project Director (Rajagiri outREACH) Kaval Plus Staff members
2	30/06/2022	Kaval Plus Office, Rajagiri outREACH	Project Director (Rajagiri outREACH) Kaval Plus Staff members
3	09/12/2022	Kaval Plus Office, Rajagiri outREACH	Project Director (Rajagiri outREACH) Kaval Plus Staff members
4	28/01/2023	Kaval Plus Office, Rajagiri outREACH	Project Director (Rajagiri outREACH) Kaval Plus Staff members

XII. Inspections conducted by ICPS/ Nirbhaya /DCPU at Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH

During the financial year 2022-2023, there were two inspections held at Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH by DCPU and the Kaval Plus State Team. The inspection team reviewed the activities of Kaval Plus-Rajagiri outREACH and appreciated the hard work of team members in providing various services for the programme beneficiaries.

Table: 21

Sl.No.	Date	Inspection Team Members
1	26/05/2022	PO (nic)
2	16/08/2022	State Programme Coordinator & Programme Officer (Kaval Plus) DCPO, PO (nic)

**Picture: 11 Joint Inspection conducted by Kaval Plus State Team and DCPU Ernakulam on 16/08/2022**

XIII. Conclusion

A child, who does not have a healthy childhood, comes across many compromising situations, which not just directly impact the social functioning of the child, but also lead to psycho-social repercussions that may last even for a lifetime. As a result, the children after reaching adulthood continue to struggle in the personal life and are most unlikely to become capable of contributing to the society.

Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA) and Children in need of Care and Protection are either exposed to sour experiences attributable to physical, sexual, emotional, mental abuse or neglect. Members of Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH could improve each child's psycho-social development through prompt interventions and ongoing evaluation. Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH promoted holistic development among children (CSA & CNCP) by providing Group work, Parent Management Training, Educational support, Life skill training, Individual counseling etc. Kaval Plus Rajagiri outREACH could reintegrate the beneficiaries into the main stream of society through these intervention programmes.

The Kaval Plus, Rajagiri outREACH is highly grateful to all the honourable authorities, including Kaval Plus-State Team, ICPS, Nirbhaya, CWC-DCPU Ernakulam, and Rajagiri outREACH, for all the success that we have achieved since the project started. Without their advice and direction, they would not have been able to accomplish what was done for the beneficiaries. The Kaval Plus Team were able to make positive changes in the lives of beneficiaries and give light to their future.

KAVAL PLUS - THRISUR

Community based rehabilitation and reintegration of Children in Need of Care and Protection (CNCP) and Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA) through psychosocial approach

Supported by: Department of Women and Child Development, Government of Kerala, Integrated Child Protection Scheme (ICPS), Nirbhaya Cell, Child Welfare Committee (CWC) & District Child Protection Unit, Thrissur

Abbreviation	
<i>CSA</i>	<i>Child Sexual Abuse</i>
<i>CNCP</i>	<i>Child in Need of Care and Protection</i>
<i>CWC</i>	<i>Child Welfare Committee</i>
<i>DCPO</i>	<i>District Child Protection Officer</i>
<i>DCPU</i>	<i>District Child Protection Unit</i>
<i>PO NIC</i>	<i>Protection Officer Non- Institutional Care</i>
<i>ICDS</i>	<i>Integrated Child Development Scheme</i>
<i>MHC</i>	<i>Mental Health Centre</i>
<i>PHC</i>	<i>Primary Health Centre</i>
<i>PMT</i>	<i>Parent Management Training</i>

I. Introduction

The Department of Women and Child Development, Government of Kerala, has an innovative programme called KAVAL PLUS. For children who need care and protection as well as survivors of child sexual abuse, Kaval Plus provides psychosocial care. The initiative has two components: community-based rehabilitation and reintegration of children in need care and protection using a psychosocial approach, and community-based rehabilitation of survivors of child sexual abuse. Multiple stakeholders working with children in the governmental and non-governmental collaborate under the holistic and multidisciplinary approach and perform specific roles in assisting children. Through non-governmental organizations that operate under the supervision and direction of the district child protection unit and child welfare committee, the programme reaches the grassroots level.

Rajagiri outREACH has been authorized as an NGO to operate the Kaval Plus initiative in Thrissur as part of the programme's second phase, as per the agreement signed on August 5, 2022. The programme commenced on October 10th, 2022, following the hiring and training of the selected staff. Mr. Sooraj CP was designated for his role as the CNCP Caseworker, Ms. Maria KR as the CSA Caseworker, and Mr. Mathew KA was appointed as the Kaval Plus Thrissur Coordinator.

Total cases referred to Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur by DCPO through CWC

- i. 48 children, comprising 24 survivors of child sexual abuse (CSA) and 24 children in need of care and protection (CNCP), were referred to Kaval Plus Thrissur by the District Child Protection Unit (DCPU) through the Child Welfare Committee (CWC) Thrissur during the period from 10 October 2022 to 31 March 2023.

ii. Table

Sl.No	Gender	CSA	CNCP
1	Male	0	13
2	Female	24	11
Total	48		

II. Data of Child sexual Abuse (CSA)

i. Introduction

One of the most important groups of children in challenging situations that has to be handled is survivors of child sexual abuse. The mission of Kaval Plus is to provide survivors of child sexual abuse with comprehensive care and assistance, both in the community and in institutions.

ii. Table- Total number of CSA cases referred to Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur by DCPO through CWC.

Number of cases received (Child Sexual Abuse-CSA)	
Co-operative	17
Non co-operative	07

07 of 24 cases received had expressed their willingness to join the programme.

iii. Socio – Demographic data of the Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA)

Twenty-four cases of Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse between the ages of eight and eighteen were assessed and the data based findings are given bellow.

a) Gender based data regarding the Survivors of Child Sexual abuse (CSA)

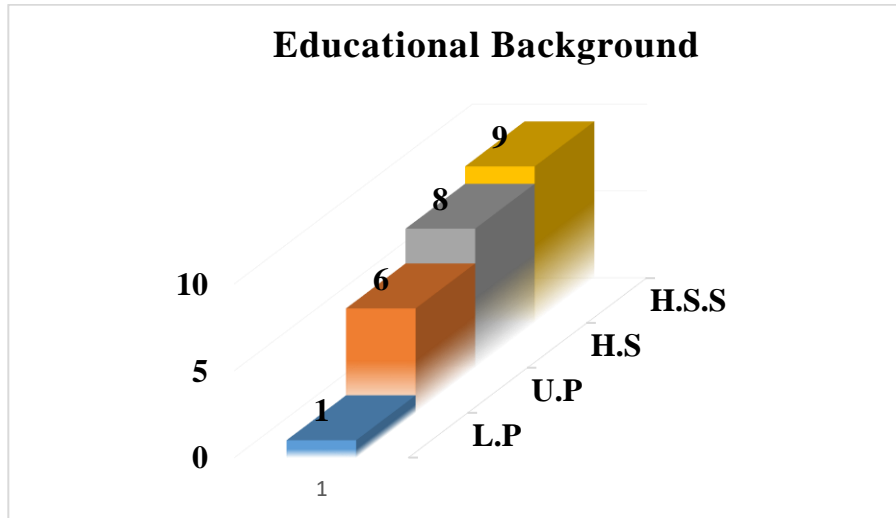
The majority of survivors of child sexual assault are girls. In Kaval Plus, boys who have gone through child sexual abuse are referred under CNCP (Children in Need of Care and Protection) category. There are 24 girls in the CSA group who are the survivors of Child Sexual Abuse.

b) Age composition of Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA)

Age	Numbers
0-10	2
10-18	20
18 & Above	2
Total	24

The survivor's age distribution reveals that, the majority of survivors are comes under the age of 10 to 18 years, 84 % (20) and 16% (4) of survivors are comes in-between the age groups of 0-10 years and 18 & above category respectively.

c) Educational background of survivors of Child Sexual Abuse

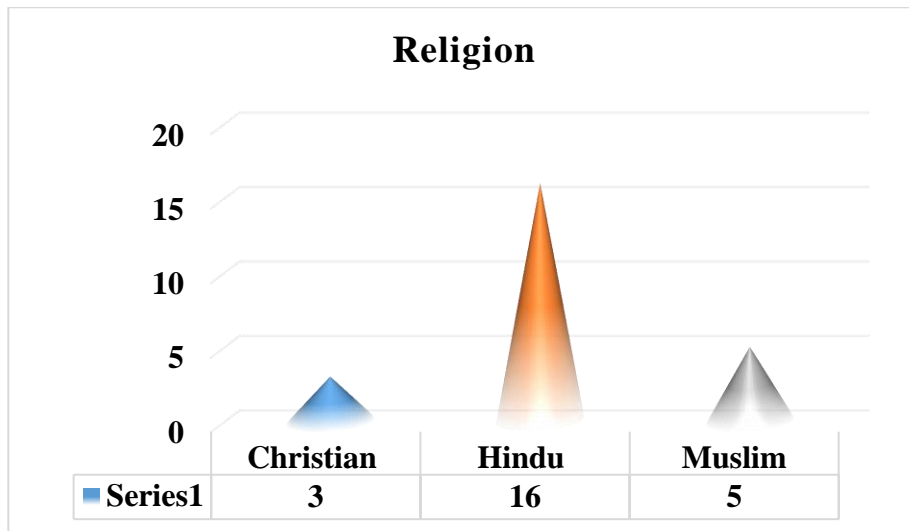


The educational background of the survivors of child sexual abuse (CSA) reveals that a higher proportion of the children (09) are studying in Higher Secondary Schools followed by children studying in Higher Secondary school (08) whereas 08 children are in Upper Primary School and the rest (01) is in Lower Primary School.

➤ **Details of dropouts among the survivors of Child Sexual Abuse**

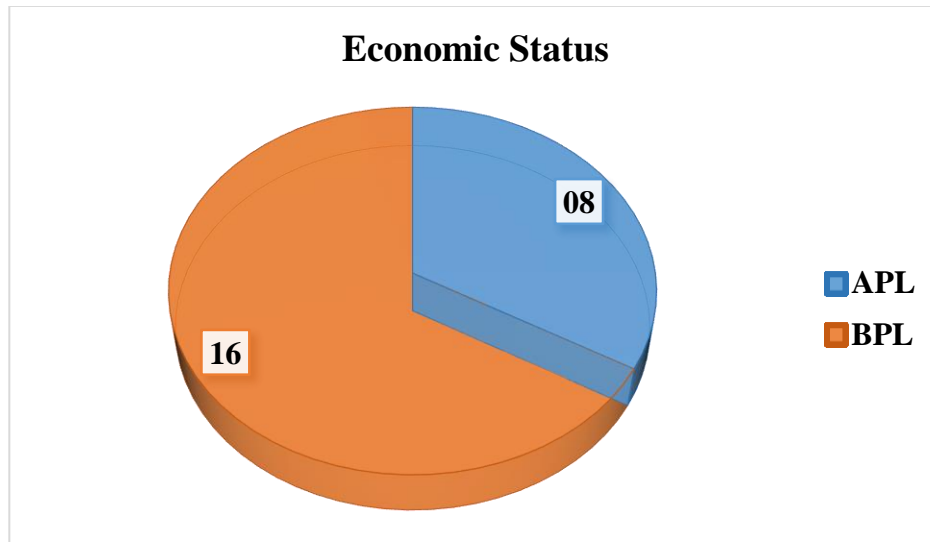
No drop out cases received in CSA category; all the 24 children are enrolled in schooling or waiting for further studies.

d) Religion of the survivors of Child Sexual Abuse



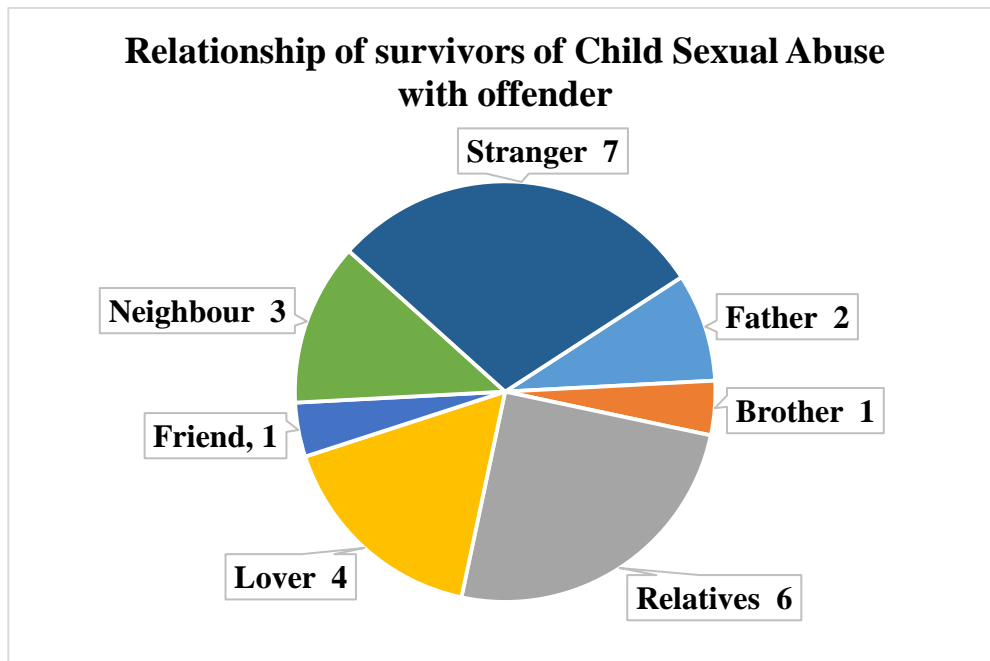
The majority of the survivors (16) are Hindus; the figure above makes it clear that five of the children are Muslim and the other three are Christians.

e) **Economic status of the Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA).**



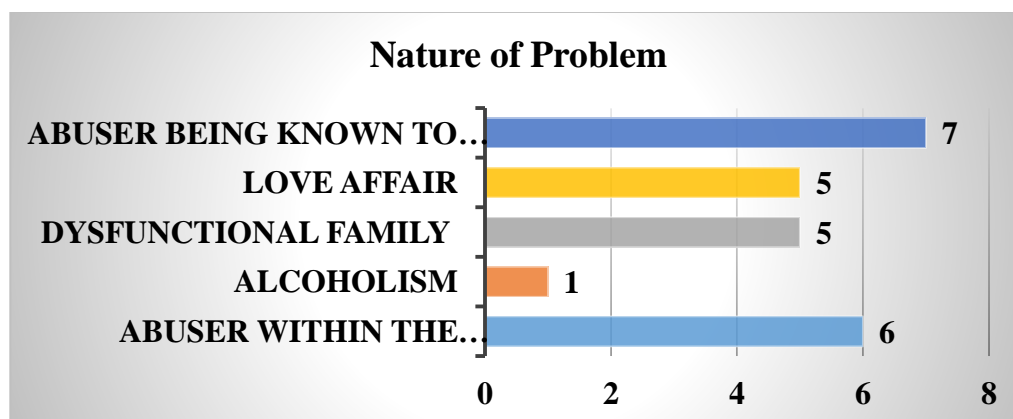
A small number of children (08) belongs to the Above Poverty Line (APL) category, however the majority of the children (16) classified under Below Poverty Line (BPL).

iv. **Relationship of survivors of Child Sexual Abuse with offender.**



The table reveals that the majority of the children (07 of them) are not even aware of the abuser; six of the perpetrators are relatives, followed by lovers and neighbors; three are inhabitants of the family, including father and brother, and one is a friend.

Nature of problems faced by survivors of Child Sexual Abuse



The majority of children are known to the abuser, who may be a neighbour, shopkeeper, chauffeur, conductor, etc., according to the analysis of the nature of the problem. Undoubtedly, family members and friends get a second opportunity (06), followed by dysfunctional families and love affairs (05 each). Only one child had a bad experience with a drunk man.

v. Number of CSA children linked with social welfare schemes by Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur

SI No:	Name of the Social Welfare Scheme	Number of Kaval Plus Beneficiaries
1	Linked with ICDS scheme	1

vi. Details of allied system visits conducted by Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur for the Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse as part of interventions.

Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur took effort to seeks support from other entities including the Department of Scheduled Caste, Child Welfare Committee, District Child Protection Unit, Educational Institutions, Integrated Child Development Office, Panchayat/Municipality Office, Health Centre, District Women Protection Office, and others to ensure multi disciplinary and collaborative approach for the Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse (CSA).

Sl. No	Name of the Institution	No of visit
1	Child Welfare Committee	09
2	District Child Protection Unit	16
3	Integrated Child Development Office	1
4	Department of Schedule Caste	1
5	Health Centre/ PHC/Medical College	1
6	District Women Protection Office	2
Total		30

III. Data of Children in Need of Care and Protection (CNCP)

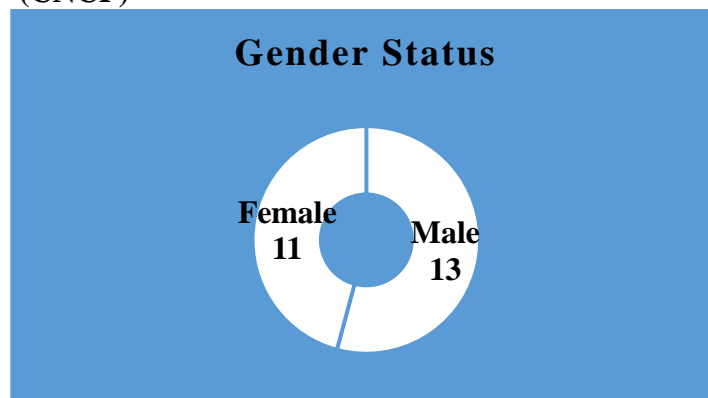
- i. Children in Need of Care of Protection are more likely to be vulnerable to face various problems. Majority of them lack timely support and guidance to handle the situation. Many of these children are prone to physical as well as mental torturing such as sexual abuse, discrimination, labelling, isolation, body shaming, exclusion from schools etc. Kaval Plus aims to ensure safety mechanism for those high risk children in the community and bring them to the child protection system.
- ii. **Table- Total number of CNCP cases referred to Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur by DCPO through CWC.**

Number of cases received(Children in Need of Care and Protection-CNCP)	
Co-operative	23
Non co-operative	01
Total	24

During the period October 2022 to March 2023, 24 cases were transferred to Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur; however, one family refused to participate in the programme.

iii. Socio – Demographic data of Children in Need of Care and Protection-(CNCP)

f) Gender based data regarding the Children in Need of Care and Protection. -(CNCP)



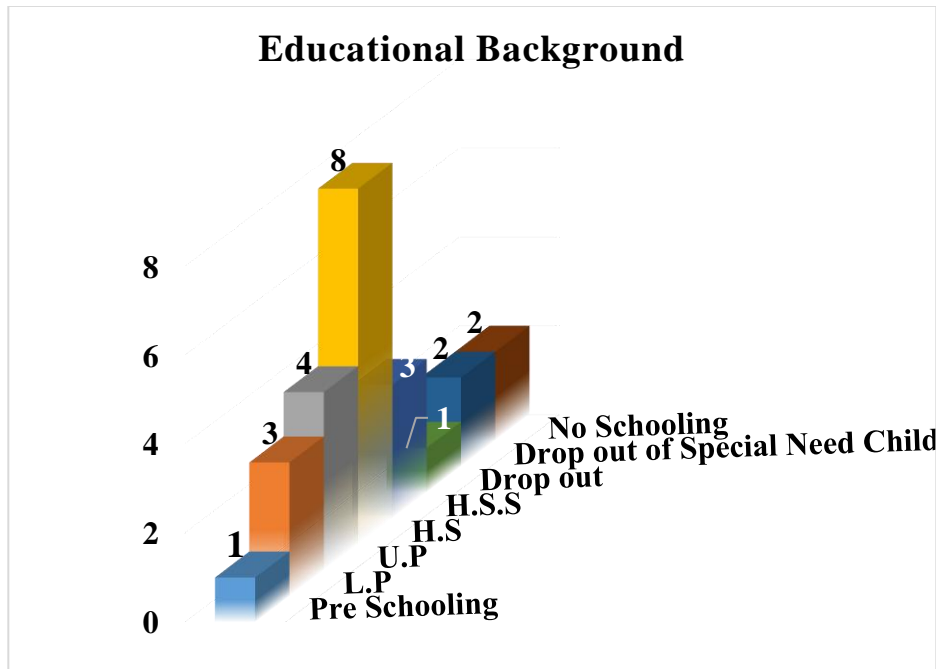
Of the total number of CNCP cases received, 13 were boys and 11 were girls.

g) Age composition of Children in Need of Care and Protection-(CNCP)

Age	Numbers
0-10	7
10-18	17
Total	24

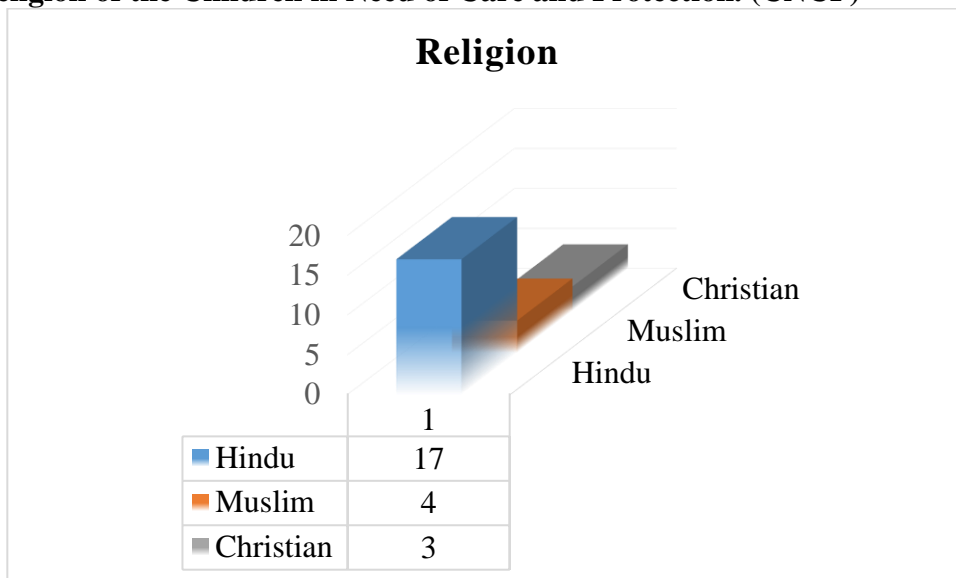
The majority of the children in need of care and protection (CNCP) fall within the range of 10-18 years old (17) and the rest of the cases belong to the age group of 0-10 (07).

h) Educational background of Children in Need of Care and Protection-(CNCP)



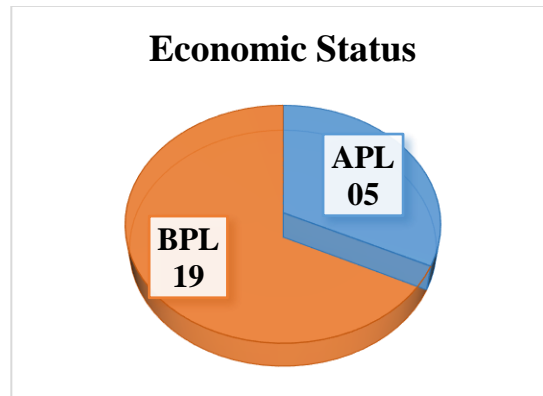
The educational status of the children in need of care and protection reveals that the majority are in upper primary session (08), while 04 youngsters are in high school. 03 children study in Lower Primary as well as in Higher Secondary School respectively and one is in pre schooling (LKG). The data above also shows that, of the 03 dropouts, two were Special Need Children.

i) Religion of the Children in Need of Care and Protection. (CNCP)



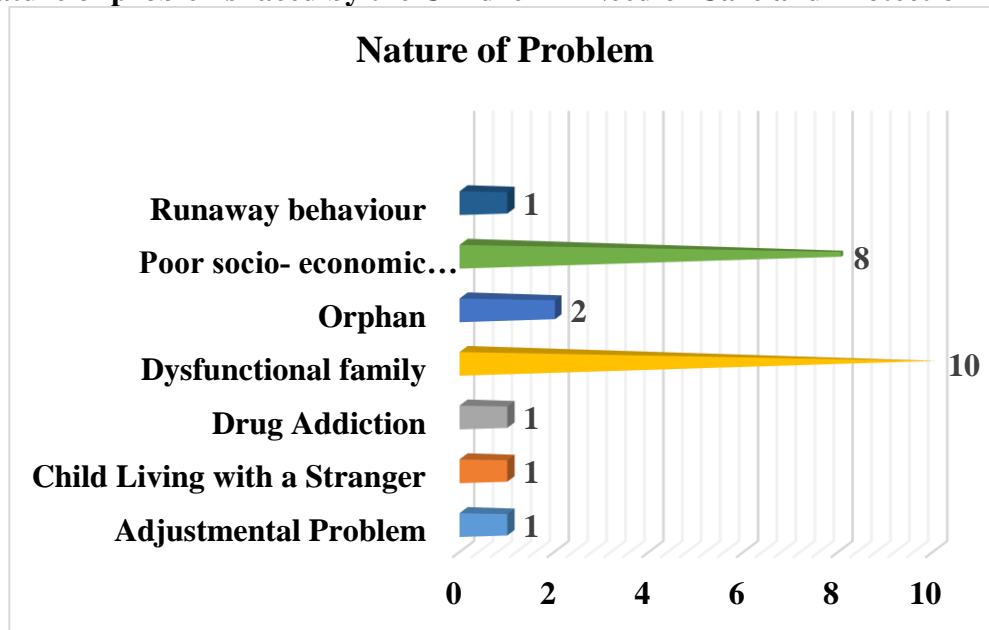
The majority of the CNCP cases (17) are from the Hindu community; the above diagram makes it clear that 04 of the children are from the Muslim community and the remaining 03 are Christians.

j) Economic status of the Children in Need of Care and Protection-(CNCP)



The major portion of the Children in Need of Care and Protection belong to the Below Poverty Line (BPL) i.e.19 and a limited number of kids fall in to Above Poverty Line (APL) category.

iv. Nature of problems faced by the Children in Need of Care and Protection-(CNCP)



Various types of nature of problems addressed among the Children in Need of Care and Protection (CNCP) cases intervened. Most of the children are from dysfunctional family background (10); other 08 children from poor socio- economic background and the remaining 06 comes under child living with stranger, drug addiction, orphan, runaway behaviour and adjustmental problem.

i. Number of CNCP Children linked with social welfare schemes by Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur

Sl.no	Name of the Social Welfare Scheme	Number of Kaval Plus Beneficiaries
01	Kinship foster care	02
02	Vocational Foster Care	01
03	The Chief Minister's State Disability Pension Scheme (CMDPS)	01
04	Scholarship (Education)	01

ii. Details of allied system visits conducted by Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur for the Children in Need of Care and Protection-(CNCP) as part of interventions

Sl. No	Name of the institution	No of visit.
01	Thanal Balashram	01
02	Rehboth, Nellikunnu	01
03	Govt. Children's Home	05
04	Child Welfare Committee	09
05	District Child Protection Unit, Ayanthol	16
06	MHC Thrissur	05
07	Medical Board Sitting ,Kunnumkulam	01
08	Mannuthi Police Station	02
09	St. Joseph's Special School Cheroor	01
10	District Women Protection Office	2
Total		43

IV. Intervention programmes conducted by Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur for the Kaval Plus beneficiaries.

i. Parent Management Training Programme.

Sessions for parent management training held on February 26, 2023. Five parents and six kids actively participated in the programme. Sessions on successful parenting, available programmes, and networking with stakeholders were provided separately for CNCP and CSA. Parents and kids also participated in individual discussions and shared their own views.



Parent Management Training Programme

Sl.No	Date	Topic of the session	Number of participants
01	26.02.2023	Effective parenting, available schemes and Networking with stakeholders	05

i. **Life Skills Training Programme**

Sl.no	Date	Topic of the session	Number of participants
01	04.03.2023	Empathy & Problem Solving	06

As part of the Life Skills training programme, the beneficiaries of the CSA and CNCP were brought together on March 4, 2023. Six children took part. Separate sessions on the social skills of empathy and the thinking skills of problem-solving were held for the children in CNCP and CSA.

i. **Group Work Session.**

Sl.no	Date	topic of the session	Number of participants
01	25.02.2023	Family portrait and facial expression	06

On February 25, 2023, participants in the programme CSA and CNCP beneficiaries gathered for a group work session. Separate sessions were held for CNCP and CSA kids, using the family portrait and facial expression as the medium. Six kids and five parents enthusiastically engaged and expressed their opinions.

V. Community based awareness programme programmes conducted by Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur.

Sl.no	Date	place	Topic of the session	Target group	Number of participants	Departments/ agencies collaborated with
01	18.11.2022	St. Joseph Model H.S.S, Kuriachira	POCSO Act and Safe and Unsafe touch	Students	150	DCPU, CWC & Santhwanam NGO
02	04.03.2023	Kottekkad	Effective methods for handling parent-child conflict	Parents & Children	12 Children & 25 parents	Rajagiri outREACH, Kalamassery

- ✓ Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur team held an awareness programme at St. Joseph Model H.S.S., Kuriachira, on November 18th in honour of World Day for the Prevention of and Healing from Child Sexual Abuse. Sharing their insightful comments were Ms. Manju DCPO, Adv. Babu Member of CWC, Rev. Fr. Jose Vattakuzhi, Associate Director Santhwanam, and Rev. Fr. Biju Nandhikara, Principal St. Joseph H.S.S. The Kaval Plus team spoke about Safe and Unsafe Touch, and Ms. Uthara, LCPO, provided information on the POCSO Act. The teachers and kids had their questions about child protection and safeguarding answered. Over 150 pupils took part, and they put on a skit on Prevention of Child Sexual Abuse.





- ✓ On 04.03.2023, the Kaval Plus team conducted a training on Parent Management Training in collaboration with Rajagiri outREACH. Participants became aware practical strategies for resolving parent-child conflict through group discussions and activities. More than 25 parents and 12 children participated in the training session.



i. Training Programme attended by the team members of Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur

- ✓ State level

Kaval Plus Thrissur team participated in a State Level training programme organized for the newly appointed 17 staff including Coordinators, Case workers, Protection Officer and Rescue Officer for KAVL PLUS programme under Women and Child Development Dept. Govt. of Kerala on 10.10.2022- 15.10.2022 at Kerala State Institute of Health and Family Welfare, Thycaud, Trivandrum. The six day residential training program was inaugurated by Ms Sreela Menon, State Co-Ordinator, Nirbhaya Cell with esteemed presence of Ms Smitha, Ms Sulabha and Ms.Prabha, Programme Officers, Nirbhaya Cell, Adv. Aparna Narayanan State Co-ordinator Kaval Plus and Mr Subheesh T Programme Officer Kaval Plus.

The following sessions were imparted for the trainees:

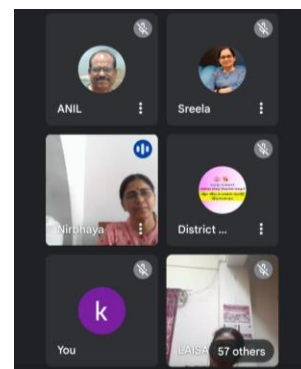


- Understanding children in need of care and protection, identifying the risk factors among children and bio- socio development of children in difficult circumstances
- The impact of difficult circumstances on children and three groups presented the impact in the family, school and in the community.
- Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012
- Spectrum of services in psycho-social care
- Techniques and skills of working with children
- Life skills
- Working with children using psycho social mediums
- JJ Act
- Family
- Neurological impact on adverse childhood experience and understanding internalizing and externalizing disorders & developmental disorders among children.
- Substance abuse and intervention
- Pattern of schemes, strategies of implementation and importance of networking.
- Pre-Adolescent Adjustment Scale (PAS) and strengths and difficulties questionnaire (SDQ)

A concluding ceremony for awarding certificates marked the conclusion of the six-day residential course. The state coordinator for Nirbhaya Cell, Ms. Sreela Menon, expressed appreciation for both the trainees and trainers, guaranteed the State team's unwavering backing.

✓ **A virtual online conference with State Programme personnel:**

Kaval Plus team from all districts, as well as the DCPOs, PO NICs, invitees of CWCs, and NGO representatives, joined a google meet on November 23, 2022, which was organised by the State Programme officials of Kaval Plus. The meeting was presided over by Ms. Sreela Menon, State Co-Ordinator, Nirbhaya Cell.



The following points were clarified for the participants by Adv. Aparna Narayanan, State Coordinator for Kaval Plus, and Mr. Subheesh T, Programme Officer for Kaval Plus:

- The significance of strengthening families, schools, and other service providers
- The value of home visits, ICPs, and linkages;
- Ensuring a follow-up mechanism for children at entry homes

✓ **Google Meet of State Programme team:**

On December 28, 2022, Kaval Plus State Programme Officials had an online meeting. The entire team received direction in response to the issues and recommendations raised at the quarterly review meeting held on December 22, 2022.



- i. District level - NA
- ii. NGO level-NA

VI. Review meetings attended by Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur.

✓ **State level review meeting**

Sl. No	Date	Place	Participants
01	22.12.2023	Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nirbhaya Cell Sate Coordinator • Nirbhaya Cell Kaval Plus Coordinator • Kaval Plus State Coordinator • DCPO • PO(NIC) • Rescue Officer • Kaval Plus, Thrissur team, Rajagiri outREACH

The State Programme officials of Kaval Plus hosted a quarterly review meeting on December 22, and the Kaval Plus team attended. The team compiled the case information in advance and forwarded it to the DCPO.

✓ **District level review meetings**

Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur team participated in three stakeholder review sessions of Kaval Plus hosted by DCPU, Thrissur, where they discussed the status and challenges of the CSA and CNCP cases and solicited the stakeholders' insightful recommendations for further interventions.



Sl. No	Date	Place	Participants
01	31.12.2022	ORC, Ayanthol	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CWC Member • DCPO • PO(NIC) • Rescue Officer • Representatives from Thrissur Police (Rural & Urban) • Superintendent of Govt. Children's Home • In-charge of Model home • Superintendent of Mental Health Centre • Kaval Plus team KESS & Rajagiri outREACH ,Thrissur
02	08.02.2023	ORC, Ayanthol	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CWC Member • DCPO • PO(NIC) • Rescue Officer • Representatives from Thrissur Police (Rural & Urban) • Superintendent of Govt. Children's Home • Kaval Plus team KESS & Rajagiri outREACH ,Thrissur
03	27.03.2023	ORC, Ayanthol	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CWC Member • DCPO • PO(NIC) • Rescue Officer • Representatives from Thrissur Police (Rural & Urban) • Superintendent of Govt. Children's Home • Kaval Plus team KESS & Rajagiri outREACH ,Thrissur

✓ **Review meetings attended by Kaval plus team with project director (Rajagiri outREACH)**

On November 9,2022, the project director evaluated the programme's execution. The value of networking with stakeholders, document filing, register maintenance, and budget monitoring was discussed. A representative of Kaval Plus, Thrissur attends the review meeting at Rajagiri outREACH, Kalamassery every month and gives a report on the progress of the programme.

✓ **Review meetings with Child Welfare Committee**

Five review meetings at CWC were attended by the Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur team. The status of the cases was discussed, and suggestions were put forward for more intervention.

Some add-on activities:

- 10.11.2022- Participation in a DCPU led rescue mission of Maharashtrian children at the Railway Station Thrissur
- 14.11.2022- Participation in a joint drive of DCPU with Sub.Collector on Children's Day; rescued a child from West Bengal and sheltered in Govt.Children's Home, Ramavarmapuram

- 12.12.2022- Counselling support for a family adopted a child from West Bengal
- **Kaval Plus orientation:** On February 17, 2023, interns from Amrita Viswa Vidyapeetham in Coimbatore and Chinmaya Mission College in Kolazhi received information on the Kaval Plus programme and its activities.
- **‘START NOW’:**
- 18.02.2023- The Kaval Plus Coordinator provided a board exam preparation class for Kaval recipients.

VII. Inspections conducted by ICPS/ Nirbhaya /DCPU at Rajagiri OutREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur

Sl. No	Date	Inspection Team Members
01	16.02.2023	PO NIC and Rescue Officer
02	23.02.2023	Programme Officer Kaval Plus
03	28.02.2023	PO NIC and Rescue Officer
04	03.03.2023	PO NIC and Rescue Officer , DCPU Accountant

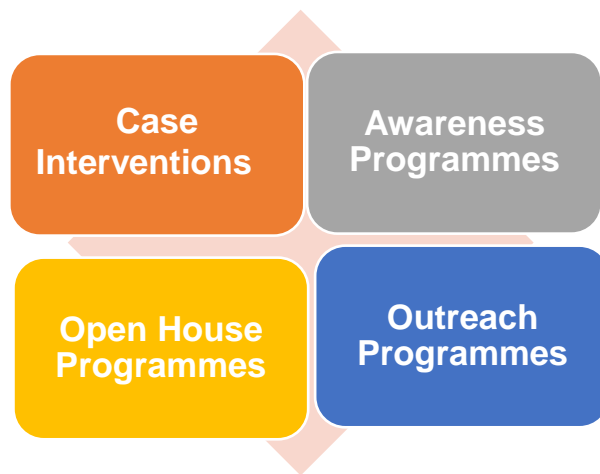
VIII. Conclusion

From its inception, Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus, Thrissur could enhance the lives of 48 children and their families. The team has taken an effort to identify genuine needs of the child as well as the challenges come across. The beneficiaries were strengthened through individual and family counselling, group work, Life skills training and effective parent management techniques. The programme introduced available welfare schemes and service of stakeholders to the beneficiaries. The endeavor has given the recipients a greater sense of confidence, self-worth, and desire to live.

CHILDLINE - MALAPPURAM

Rajagiri outREACH is the Child Line Support Organization in Malappuram District. Rajagiri outREACH provides Child Abuse Case Interventions, Awareness Programmes, Outreach Activities and Open-house Programmes, Protection of Child Rights, etc.

Childline is a national, 24 hour emergency telephonic helpline in order to provide care and protection to children who are in need. The Nodal office of child line is set up at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and a Support Organization of Childline is set up at Malappuram District. Childline covers schools, anganawadis and residential areas to identify issues faced by children and find solutions for the same. It provides services like case interventions, open-house programmes, workshops, awareness on child rights and acts passed by the Central and State governments with regard to children.



Interventions Areas of Childline

- Child Labour
- Abuse and Violence
- Sexual Abuse
- Child Trafficking
- Missing
- Runaways
- Child Health
- Substance Abuse
- Education related
- Child Marriage
- Conflict with the law
- Homeless
- Counselling Services

Total Case Interventions: 112

- i. Awareness sessions for Children, Mothers, Adults and Parents.
- ii. Sensitisation Programmes for Anganwadi Teachers.
- iii. Awareness Sessions for Adolescent Girls.
- iv. ICPS-Saranabalyam (DCPU) Joint Drive
- v. Sensitization for Kudumbashree Members
- vi. Annual Review Meeting
- vii. Open House Programmes

Areas under Rajagiri outREACH Childline Malappuram Support

- Ponnani Municipality
- Edappal Panchayath
- Perumpadappu Block
- Kuttippuram Panchayath
- Alamcode Grama Panchayat, Changaramkulam

AWARENESS PROGRAMME FOR PARENTS

On 26th April 2022 Childline Malappuram Support conducted an awareness programme for parents at Kappirikkad Anganwadi. Ms. Neethu, Childline Malappuram Support Volunteer delivered welcome speech. Ms. Latha, Anganwadi Teacher delivered felicitation. Ms. Shamna, Childline Malappuram Support Coordinator took a session on the topic ‘**Child Abuse & Childline Services**’. A total of 10 parents participated in the programme.



Awareness Programme conducted for the Parents on 26.04.2022

AWARENESS PROGRAMME FOR CHILDREN

On 27th April 2022 Childline Malappuram Support conducted an awareness programme for children at Anappadi Anganwadi. Mrs. Baby, Anganwadi Teacher delivered the welcome speech. Ms. Shamna, Childline Malappuram Support Coordinator took a session about ‘**Child rights, Child abuses & Childline services**’. Mrs. Aysha, Social Work Student concluded the session by delivering vote of thanks. A total of 20 children participated in the programme.

AWARENESS PROGRAMME FOR CHILDREN

On 19th May 2022 Childline Malappuram Support conducted an awareness programme for children & parents at Murinjazhi Anganwadi. Ms. Neethu, Childline Malappuram Support Volunteer delivered the welcome speech. Ms. Lakshmi, Anganwadi Teacher felicitated. Ms. Shamna, Childline Malappuram Support Coordinator took a session on the topic '**Child rights, Child abuses & Childline Services**'. Mr. Thaha, one of the parent proposed the vote of thanks to the programme. A total of 30 members participated in the programme.



Ms. Shamna, Childline Malappuram Support Coordinator conducted the session at Murinjazhi Anganwadi

AWARENESS PROGRAMME FOR CHILDREN

On 29th May 2022 Childline Malappuram Support conducted an awareness programme for SPC students at G.H.S.S. Marancheri. Mrs. Soumya K., ADI (Perumpadappu police station) delivered the welcome speech. Mr. Muvafaq Muhammed Ali, Childline Malappuram Support Volunteer took a session about '**Child rights, Child responsibilities & Childline Services**'. Mrs. Ajitha, Deputy HM (G.H.S.S. Marancheri) concluded the session by delivering the vote of thanks. A total of 44 children participated in the programme.



Mr. Muvafaq Muhammed Ali, Childline Malappuram Support Volunteer conducted the session for SPC students at G.H.S.S. Marancheri

AWARENESS PROGRAMME FOR PARENTS

On 30th May 2022 Childline Malappuram Support conducted an awareness programme for parents as a part of 'Praveshanolsavam' at Murinjazhi Anganwadi. Mrs. Lakshmi, Anganwadi teacher delivered the welcome speech. Mrs. Sunitha, Ward Member inaugurated the programme. Ms. Shamna, Childline Malappuram Support Coordinator felicitated and shared the message about the childline services to the parents. Childline Malappuram support team also distributed sweets to the children.



Childline Malappuram Support team participated in 'Praveshanolsavam' at Murinjazhi Anganwadi, on 30.05.2022

ANTI CHILD LABOUR DAY PROGRAMME

On 13th June 2022 Childline Malappuram Support conducted a **Signature Campaign and train outreach** with the collaboration of Railway Protection Force at Tirur Railway station. Mr. K.M.Sunil Kumar, SI Tirur, RPF, inaugurated the programme. Mrs. Shamna, Childline Malappuram Support Coordinator delivered the welcome speech. Ms. Neethu & Mr. Muvafaq Muhammed Ali, Childline Support Volunteers conducted outreach sessions, as a part of the programme. A total of 200 people participated in the programme.



Childline Malappuram Support team Conducted Signature Campaign on 13.06.2022

Sensitisation Programme

On 22nd June 2022 Childline Malappuram Support conducted a sensitisation programme for the elected representatives at Edappal Grama Panchayath. Mrs. Subaidha, Panchayat President delivered the welcome speech. Mrs. Kshama Rafeek, Standing Committee Member delivered the presidential address. Ms. Shamna, Childline Malappuram Support Coordinator conducted the session about the Childline services & child rights. Mr. Gafoor, Ward Member concluded the session by delivering the vote of thanks. A total of 15 members participated in the programme.

OUTREACH

SL. No	Date	Panchayat	Location	Individual / Small/ Group	No. Of Adult	No. Of Children	Total
1	07-04-2022	Marancheri	Panchayat & club	Group	10	8	18
2	07-04-2022	Marancheri	Anganwadi	Small	4	5	9
3	26-04-2022	Perumpadappu	Anganwadi	Small	10	15	25
4	27-04-2022	Purathur	Panchayat	Group	8	0	8
5	29-04-2022	Ponnani	Anganwadi (4)	Small	8	20	28
6	05-05-2022	Nannammukku	Panchayat	Group	10		10
7	11-05-2022	Nannammukku	Anganwadi	Small	12	13	25
8	26-05-2022	Marancheri	G.H.S.S. Marancheri	Small	4	35	39
9	30-05-2022	Ponnani	Murinjazhi	Group	30	25	55
10	31-05-2022	Nannammukku	Taxi stand & shops	Small	40	10	50
11	04-06-2022	Edappal	Block office	Group	8	0	8
12	09-06-2022	Edappal	Panchayat & Kudumbashree office	Small	7	0	7
13	13-06-2022	Tirur	Railway station & Bus stand	Group	50	50	100
14	23-06-2022	Edappal	DHOHSS, Edappal	Small	6	35	41
15	27-06-2022	Changaramkulam	Police station	Small	10	0	10

Programmes

In-house training Programme

In house training programme was held on 10 March 2023 conducted by Childline Malappuram Nodal organization. Staff from the childline Malappuram collab office, support office and fieldwork trainees participated. Mr. Saleem the nodal Coordinator Childline Malappuram delivered welcome speech. Mr. Navas took the first session about communication. The second session about 'Childline' was taken by Mr. Muhsin Pari, Team Member of childline Malappuram. Mr. Saleem took the 3rd session on the topic '**Principles of JJ Act**'

OUTREACH & DROP IN CENTRE (ODIC)



MINISTRY OF SOCIAL
JUSTICE AND
EMPOWERMENT



Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India empanelled Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery, Cochin, Kerala with the support of Social Justice Department, Ernakulam, Government of Kerala to implement Outreach Drop-In Centre Project in Ernakulam District, Kerala as per the Order F.No.45/270/2019 NCDAP/NAPPDR/TI/(ODIC) dated 22.01.2020. Outreach Drop-In Centre Project (ODIC) office is located in Koonammavu, Kottuvally Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam District, Kerala.

Outreach and Drop-In Centre (ODIC) is a community-based facility for substance users. The ODIC caters to individuals, particularly youth who use various substances and those who have the least access to resources. ODIC is client-focused with the ultimate goal to prevent youth in the community to initiate substance use, and also to help the current users to become sober by taking treatment.

Objectives

- a) To reduce substance use in the community.
- b) To protect and promote human and youth rights.
- c) To ensure that services are accessible, community based and differentiated along a continuum of care including psychosocial support for substance users, their primary caregivers and families.
- d) To conduct outreach activities among vulnerable young population in the community for prevention of substance use.
- e) To provide a safe and secure drop-in space for substance users in the community, which would have provisions of screening, assessment and counselling.
- f) To render psycho social interventions particularly based on behavioural approaches including Adolescent Community Reinforcement Approach, Cognitive Behavioural Therapy, Contingency Management, Motivational Enhancement Therapy, Twelve- step facilitation therapy and Group therapy.
- g) To provide referral and linkage to treatment, care and rehabilitation services for substance dependents.

ACTIVITIES OF OUTREACH DROP- IN CENTRE PROJECT FROM 1st APRIL 2022 TO 31st MARCH 2023

1. Community Awareness Programs

Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences Kalamassery, operates the Outreach Drop-In Centre (ODIC) team, which is focused on raising awareness and preventing drug use and abuse in the community. This report aims to elaborate on the various initiatives undertaken by ODIC in the form of 162 community awareness programs conducted between April 2022 and March 2023. These programs

include drug awareness sessions, life skill training, child rights, and screen addiction, targeting diverse groups such as Kudumbashree members, Anganwadi workers, MGNREGA members, youth club members, school students, police officers, parents of drug users, panchayath committee members, CITU members, ICDS supervisors, Balasabha members, and other community members.

➤ **Comprehensive Community Programs:**

ODIC's community programs were designed to address the prevention of drug use and abuse comprehensively. These programs covered a wide range of topics, including drug awareness, life skill training, child rights, and screen addiction. By offering a diverse range of sessions, ODIC aimed to provide holistic knowledge and skills to the community members, empowering them to make informed decisions and take preventive measures against drug abuse.

➤ **Targeting Various Community Groups:**

ODIC's awareness programs targeted multiple segments of the community, recognizing that drug abuse prevention requires a collective effort. By conducting sessions for Kudumbashree members, Anganwadi workers, MGNREGA members, youth club members, school students, police officers, parents of drug users, panchayath committee members, Headload workers, ICDS supervisors, Balasabha members, and others, ODIC ensured that its messages reached a wide audience. This approach fostered community engagement and created a network of individuals actively involved in combating drug abuse.

➤ **Increased Awareness and Health Risks:**

The primary objective of ODIC's community programs was to increase awareness regarding drug usage and related health risks. By providing accurate information on the consequences of drug abuse, ODIC aimed to create a sense of urgency and responsibility among community members. By highlighting the physical, mental, and social health risks associated with drug use, ODIC aimed to create a well-informed and vigilant community that actively participated in prevention of substance use in the community.

➤ **Empowering through Life Skill Training:**

ODIC recognized the importance of equipping individuals with life skills to prevent drug abuse effectively. The inclusion of life skill training sessions in their community programs allowed participants to develop essential skills such as decision-making, problem-solving, communication, stress management, and emotional regulation. By fostering these skills, ODIC empowered individuals to make positive choices, handle challenges, and resist peer pressure, thereby reducing the possibility of drug abuse.

➤ **Strengthening Community Networks:**

ODIC's community programs played a vital role in building strong community networks. By engaging diverse groups, ODIC team encouraged collaboration, shared learning, and mutual support among participants. These programs served as a platform for individuals and community organizations to come together, exchange ideas, and form partnerships, strengthening the overall community response to drug abuse prevention.

ODIC team through community awareness program focuses in raising awareness and preventing drug use and abuse. By targeting various community groups and offering comprehensive sessions on drug awareness, life skill training, child rights, and screen addiction, ODIC successfully increased awareness of the health risks associated with drug abuse. Moreover, these programs empowered individuals with

essential life skills, fostering informed decision-making and resilience against drug abuse. By nurturing strong community networks/collaboration ODIC created a conducive environment.

1.1 PHOTOGRAPHS COMMUNITY AWARENESS PROGRAMS



Fig. 1.1.1 Awareness session at Ward 01, Kadamakudy Panchayath, 21/04/2022



Fig. 1.1.2 Awareness session at Ward 03, Mulavukkadu Panchayath, 25/04/2022



Fig. 1.1.3 Awareness session at Kottuvally Grama Panchayath, 11/05/2022



Fig. 1.1.4 Awareness session at Bharata Mata School of Social Work, 11/05/2022



Fig. 1.1.5 Awareness session at Edavanakkad, 21/05/2022



Fig. 1.1.6. Awareness session at Government High School, Binanipuram, 24/06/2022 & Fig. 1.1.7 Awareness session at Guardian Angel Public School, Manjummal, 19/07/2022



Fig. 1.1.8 Awareness session at RLV School, Thrippunithura, 23/07/2022 & Fig. 1.1.9 Awareness session at ward 10, Karimalloor Panchayath, 24/07/2022



Fig. 1.1.10 Awareness session for the adolescent group at Panayikulam, Aalangad Panchayath, 30/07/2022 **Fig. 1.1.11** Awareness session for the Adolescent group at Maliyankara, Vadakkekara Panchayath, 09/08/2022



Fig. 1.1.12 Awareness session for the NSS group, St. George Higher Secondary School, Puthenpally, 16/08/2022 & **Fig. 1.1.13** Awareness session at the Marine Engineering students studying in Kunjali Marakkar College of Marine Engineering (CUSAT), 15/09/2022



Fig. 1.1.14 Awareness session at SG Higher Secondary School, Eloor, 24/09/2022



Fig. 1.1.16 Awareness session for the adolescent group of St. Mary's High School, Cheranalloor, 14/10/2022 & **Fig. 1.1.17** Awareness session at Chavara Darsan CMI Public School, Koonammavu, 20/02/2023

1.3 . Evaluation of Community Awareness Programs organized by ODIC

This report evaluates the community awareness programs conducted by ODIC team during the financial years 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023. The objective of these programs was to raise awareness on various topics, with a specific focus on Anti-Drug awareness. The report examines the growth and impact of these programs over the three-year period.

Program Growth:

The number of community awareness programs organized by ODIC exhibited a significant increase over the years. In the financial year 2020-2021, 48 programs were conducted. This number slightly decreased to 44 programs in 2021-2022 but witnessed a substantial surge to 162 programs in 2022-2023. This substantial growth highlights ODIC's commitment to expanding its outreach and addressing the diverse needs of various communities.

Collaborative Efforts:

The success of the community awareness programs conducted by ODIC can be attributed, in part, to its collaborations with various governmental and non-governmental organizations. These partnerships have facilitated broader reach and enabled the programs to address a diverse range of topics based on the specific needs of the audience. While the report acknowledges these collaborations, it lacks specific details regarding the nature and extent of these partnerships, which could provide further insights into the overall impact.

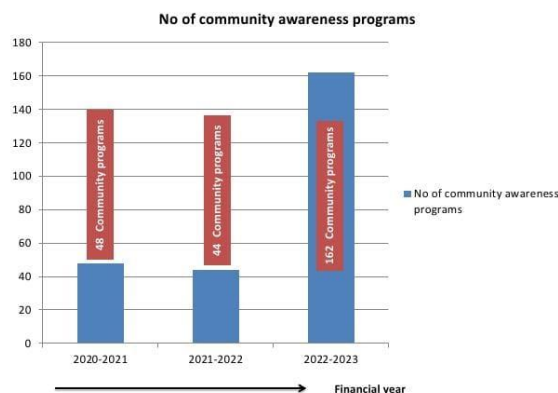


Fig 1.3.1. Year wise graphical representation of Community awareness programs organized by ODIC

The number of participants attended the community awareness programs also displayed a noticeable upward trend. In 2020-2021, the programs benefitted 853 individuals. This figure more than doubled to 1,815 participants in 2021-2022. Impressively, ODIC experienced a substantial increase in engagement the following year, with 6,239 attendees participating in the programs. This surge in participation indicates the effectiveness of ODIC's strategies in attracting and engaging the community.

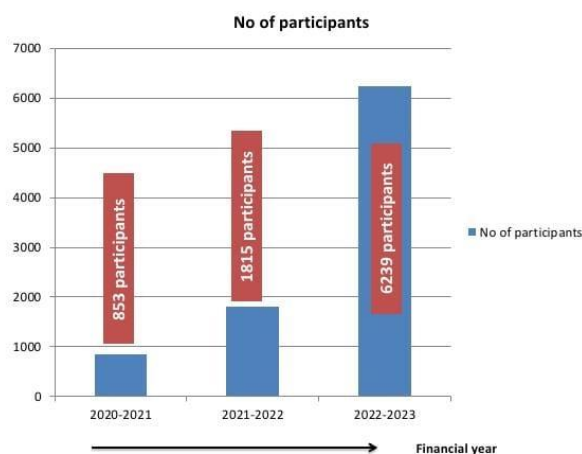


Fig 1.3.2. Year wise graphical representation of Community awareness programs organized by ODIC

ODIC's efforts in conducting community awareness programs have exhibited significant growth over the years, both in terms of the number of programs and participants. Collaborations with governmental and non-governmental organizations have further strengthened their reach and capacity to address the needs of the community. However, to provide a more comprehensive evaluation, it is recommended that ODIC need to include data on the impact and effectiveness of these programs. This would enable a better understanding of the outcomes and help refine future initiatives for even greater success

2. LIFE SKILL TRAINING

The ODIC has undertaken twenty one life skill training programs for the project's target population. The team ensured to cover the ten life skills that broadly come under social, thinking, and emotional skills as proposed by the World Health Organization (WHO). The ODIC team has observed that the substance abuse awareness sessions have been more effective with life skill training activities that would ensure holistic development of a child. Life skill training equips participants with essential skills and knowledge that enable them to make decision making, handle challenges, and navigate various aspects of life effectively. This report emphasizes the importance of providing life skill training and the positive impact it has on individuals' lives.

➤ **Enhancing Decision-Making Abilities:**

Life skill training equips ODIC beneficiaries with the tools and techniques to make informed decisions. Participants learn critical thinking, problem-solving, and decision-making skills, which are essential for evaluating options, weighing consequences, and choosing the best course of action. By enhancing decision-making abilities, life skill training empowers individuals to make responsible choices and take control of their lives.

➤ **Developing Effective Communication:**

Effective communication is a vital life skill that enables ODIC beneficiaries to express themselves, understand others, and build healthy relationships. Life skill training provides participants with communication skills, such as active listening, assertiveness, and conflict resolution, which are crucial for expressing thoughts and emotions, resolving conflicts constructively, and maintaining positive interpersonal connections.

➤ **Building Resilience and Coping Mechanisms:**

Life skill training helps the ODIC beneficiaries develop resilience and coping mechanisms to navigate through challenges and setbacks. Participants learn stress management techniques, emotional regulation strategies, and problem-solving approaches, enabling them to cope effectively with adversity. By building resilience, life skill training empowers individuals to bounce back from setbacks, adapt to change, and maintain emotional well-being.

➤ **Promoting Self-Confidence and Empowerment:**

Life skill training plays a vital role in promoting self-confidence and empowerment. Participants acquire skills such as goal setting, self-motivation, and self-awareness, which enhance their sense of self-worth and belief in their abilities. This newfound confidence enables ODIC beneficiaries to set and achieve personal goals, take on new challenges, and make positive changes in their lives.

The importance of life skill training provided by ODIC cannot be overstated. As evidenced by the gradual increase in the number of sessions conducted, ODIC recognizes the value of empowering individuals through life skill training. By enhancing decision-making abilities, developing effective communication, building resilience, promoting self-confidence, and fostering positive life outcomes, life skill training plays a crucial role in equipping individuals with the tools they need to navigate through life's challenges successfully. ODIC's commitment to providing life skill training demonstrates its dedication to empowering individuals and promoting their personal growth and well-being.

2.1 Photographs of Life Skill Training Sessions



Fig. 2.1.1 Life Skill Training session at Ward 03, Mulavukkadu Panchayath, 25/04/2022



Fig. 2.1.3 Life Skill Training session at Pre-matric tribal hostel, Kuttampuzha, 23/10/2023



Fig. 2.1.4 Life Skill Training session at Manjali, Madrasa, Aluva, 14/01/2023



Fig. 2.1.5 Life Skill Training session at Anganwadi No:05, Kadamakudy Panchayath, 04/02/2023

2.2. Evaluation of Life skill training programs conducted by ODIC

This report evaluates the life skill training sessions conducted by ODIC during the financial years 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023. Life skill training is a crucial component for equipping individuals with the necessary skills to navigate and cope with the challenges they encounter. This report assesses the growth and impact of ODIC's life skill training initiatives over the three-year period.

The number of life skill training sessions organized by ODIC witnessed a gradual increase over the years. In the financial year 2020-2021, 4 sessions were conducted, which slightly increased to 6 sessions in 2021-2022. However, in 2022-2023, ODIC experienced a significant surge, and conducted 21 life skill training sessions. This substantial growth demonstrates ODIC's recognition of the importance of life skill training and its efforts to expand its reach and impact. Equipping participants with valuable life skills empowers them to make informed decisions, handle conflicts effectively, manage their emotions, and navigate through challenging situations. The impact of these training sessions can lead to improved personal growth, increased self-confidence, and better overall life outcomes.



Fig 2.2.1 Graphical representation of Life Skill training sessions conducted during each year

ODIC's efforts in conducting life skill training sessions have shown consistent growth over the period, as seen through the increasing number of sessions conducted. The ODIC team recognizes the significance of equipping individuals with essential life skills to overcome challenges successfully.

3. NETWORK BUILDING

Network Building is an essential part of ODIC in achieving its goals and ensuring the success of the project. Network building involves establishing and nurturing connections with various stakeholders, including individuals, governmental bodies, non-governmental organizations, and relevant entities. This report highlights the importance of effective network building in expanding ODIC's reach, accessing resources, and fostering collaboration.

Network building allows ODIC to establish connections and build relationships with diverse stakeholders. By actively engaging with individuals and organizations involved in addressing drug addiction and related issues, ODIC creates a network of support and collaboration.

By connecting with governmental bodies, non-governmental organizations, community leaders, and professionals in the field, ODIC gains access to new communities, resources, and opportunities. The collaborations with District Probation Office, Ernakulam and District Disaster Department, Ernakulam need to highlight. This expanded reach enables ODIC to disseminate information, raise awareness, and implement programs on a larger scale, thereby maximizing its impact.

Effective network building is a crucial component of ODIC's success in addressing drug addiction and promoting awareness. By establishing connections, fostering collaborations, and accessing resources and expertise, ODIC strengthens its influence, expands its reach, and amplifies its impact. The network built by ODIC plays a pivotal role in securing support, disseminating information, and achieving organizational goals. Continued focus on network building will contribute to the sustainability and effectiveness of ODIC's efforts in combating drug addiction and creating a healthier society.

3.1 Evaluation of the importance in improving the Network Building during the financial years.

This report critically evaluates the Network Building accomplishments of ODIC during the financial years 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023. Network building is a vital aspect for the growth and success of any project or organization. This report analyses the growth and impact of ODIC's network-building efforts over the three-year period.

Network Building Growth:

ODIC demonstrated consistent growth in network-building activities throughout the evaluated financial years. In 2020-2021, ODIC achieved a network-building figure of 89. This number increased to 94 in 2021-2022, indicating a gradual expansion of professional connections and relationships. Remarkably, ODIC experienced a substantial surge in network building in 2022-2023, reaching an impressive figure of 162. This exponential growth suggests a proactive approach in establishing collaborations and partnerships for the organization's professional and personal growth.

Significance of Network Building:

Network building plays a crucial role in the success of projects and organizations. By establishing connections and relationships with various stakeholders, including individuals, governmental bodies,

non-governmental organizations, and other relevant entities, ODIC strengthens its influence and expands its reach. Effective network building can lead to increased access to resources, expertise, funding opportunities, and a broader platform to disseminate information and achieve organizational goals.

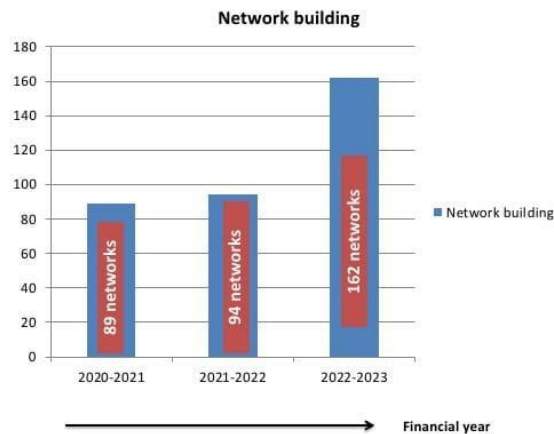


Fig 3.1.1 Graphical representation of Network Building each financial year

ODIC's network building efforts have shown steady growth over the years, with an increasing number of connections established. The organization understands the significance of building networks for personal and professional growth, and its proactive approach in forming collaborations and partnerships is commendable. To enhance the evaluation of network building achievements, it is recommended that our team need to include qualitative measures to assess the impact and effectiveness of these connections. This will provide a clearer understanding of the outcomes and help guide future network building strategies for even greater success.

4. COUNSELING SERVICES FOR BENEFICIARIES

This reports presents an overview of the counseling services provided by ODIC during the financial year 2022-2023. Counseling is a crucial service offered by ODIC, addressing a wide range of issues such as drug addiction, alcohol addiction, smoking addiction, family issues, and other motivation-related cases. This report highlights the enrolment of new clients, the types of cases handled, counseling approaches, and the impact of the services provided.

During the financial year 2022-2023, ODIC enrolled a total of 1220 new clients seeking counseling services. These clients came from diverse backgrounds and presented with various issues such as drug addiction, alcohol addiction, smoking addiction, porn addiction, screen addiction, domestic violence, and cases referred from the probation office in Ernakulam. The substantial number of new clients indicates the growing need for ODIC's counseling services in the community.

ODIC's counseling sessions were tailored to the specific needs of each client. The counseling team, comprising a part-time doctor, center-in-charge, and outreach workers, provided personalized counseling based on the severity and nature of the cases. For severe cases, referrals were made to other deaddiction or mental health treatment centers. This comprehensive approach ensured that clients received the appropriate level of care and support. To expand the reach of its services, ODIC conducted counseling camps at various schools and colleges in and around Ernakulam. This initiative helped raise awareness and connect with more individuals in need. Additionally, ODIC offered telephonic and

online counseling to cater to individuals who were unable to access in-person services due to distance. These alternative counseling methods ensured that individuals in remote areas could still benefit from ODIC's support.

The ODIC team handled significant cases, with 69 cases being consulted by the part-time doctor during the financial year 2022-2023. Out of these cases, 26 were referred to nearby deaddiction centers for specialized treatment. ODIC also conducted 148 family counseling sessions, recognizing the importance of involving family members in the recovery process. Furthermore, 1313 follow-up sessions were conducted based on the severity of the cases, ensuring regular monitoring and support. It is worth noting that a considerable number of cases fell within the adolescent age category, emphasizing the need for targeted interventions in this demographic.

ODIC's counseling services during the financial year 2022-2023 played a crucial role in addressing various addiction-related issues and supporting individuals in need. The enrolment of new clients and the provision of tailored counseling sessions demonstrate the growing demand for ODIC's services. The expansion of services through counseling camps, telephonic counseling, and online sessions further extended the reach of ODIC's support. The impact and follow-up sessions underscore ODIC's commitment to providing comprehensive care and regular monitoring. As ODIC continues to address the diverse needs of individuals and families, it remains dedicated to promoting mental health and well-being in the community.

4.1. Evaluation of the effective elaboration of ODIC counselling services by each financial year

This report critically evaluates the client enrolment and counseling services provided by ODIC during the financial year 2022-2023. It examines the number and diversity of new clients, the handling of significant cases by the part-time doctor, referral services, family counseling sessions, follow-up sessions, and the distribution of clients across different age groups.

During the financial year 2022-2023, ODIC added 1220 new clients from diverse backgrounds, presenting various addiction-related issues and cases referred from the probation office. This substantial increase in client enrolment indicates a growing awareness of ODIC's services and the need for support in addressing addiction and related challenges. Comparing this with the previous years, ODIC achieved 323 new clients in 2020-2021 and 170 new clients in 2021-2022, demonstrating a significant growth in client engagement over time.



Fig 4.1.1 Enrollment of Clients- yearly

The ODIC team, including the part-time doctor, successfully handled 69 significant cases during the financial year 2022-2023. Out of these cases, 26 were appropriately referred to nearby deaddiction centers for specialized treatment, ensuring that clients received the necessary care beyond ODIC's scope. This reflects the team's commitment to providing comprehensive support and ensuring the well-being of clients.

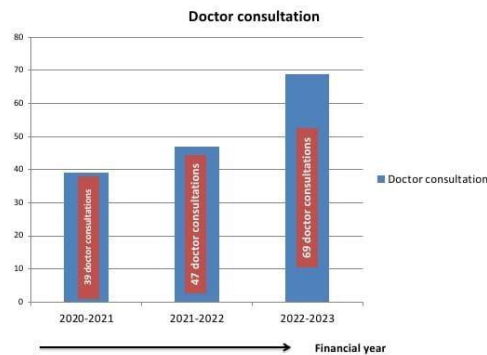


Fig 4.1.2 Doctor Consultation provided by ODIC yearly

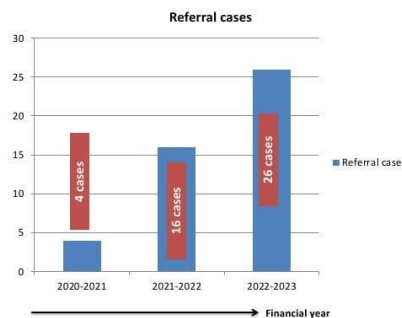


Fig 4.1.3 Case referral from ODIC yearly

Recognizing the importance of involving family members in the recovery process, ODIC conducted 148 family counseling sessions during the financial year 2022-2023. This approach highlights ODIC's holistic approach to counseling and its understanding of the role families play in supporting individuals with addiction and related issues. Comparatively, there were 55 family counseling sessions in 2020-2021 and 30 sessions in 2021-2022, indicating a notable increase in family engagement over time.

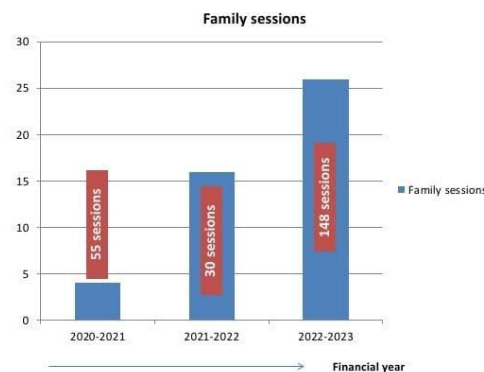


Fig 4.1.4 Family sessions conducted by ODIC yearly

Ensuring regular monitoring and support, ODIC conducted 1313 follow-up sessions during the financial year 2022-2023. This emphasizes the organization's commitment to maintaining long-term connections with clients and assisting them in their recovery journeys. The significant increase in follow-up sessions from 107 in 2021-2022 and 3 in 2020-2021 demonstrates ODIC's dedication to continuous support and its ability to provide ongoing care.

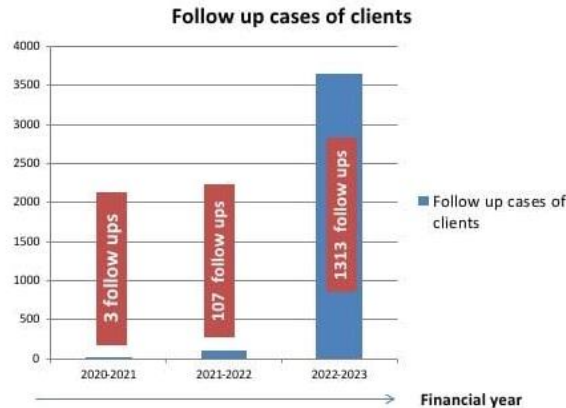


Fig 4.1.5 Follow-up sessions conducted by ODIC yearly

Most of the clients enrolled in ODIC's services during the financial year 2022-2023 fell within the adolescent age group, with 505 clients between the ages of 16-20. The age category of 21-25 accounted for 315 clients, while the age group of 10-15 comprised 208 new clients.

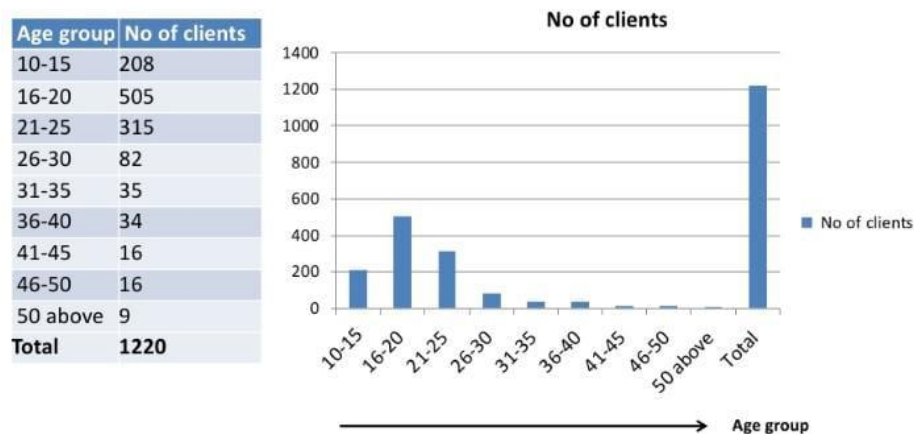


Fig 4.1.6 Age category of client enrolled in ODIC during the financial year 2022-2023

ODIC's client enrolment and counseling services during the financial year 2022-2023 demonstrated significant growth and impact. The increase in new clients, handling of significant cases, referral services, family counseling sessions, and follow-up sessions highlight ODIC's commitment to providing comprehensive and ongoing support. The distribution of clients across different age groups underlines the need for targeted interventions, particularly for adolescents. These findings affirm the effectiveness and importance of ODIC's services in addressing addiction and related issues in the community.

5. GROUP SESSIONS

This report focuses on the group sessions conducted by ODIC during the financial year 2022-2023. Group sessions serve as an effective practice to facilitate peer communication and discussion. The report highlights the number of group sessions conducted, the topics covered, and the issues addressed during these sessions, including drug issues, alcohol and tobacco usage, lack of life skills, screen addiction, and educational matters.

During the financial year 2022-2023, ODIC conducted a total of 56 group sessions. These sessions provided a platform for individuals to come together, share experiences, and engage in meaningful discussions. The significant number of group sessions reflects ODIC's commitment to fostering peer interaction and support. The topics covered in the group discussions varied according to the needs and interests of the participants. ODIC addressed key issues such as drug issues, alcohol and tobacco usage, lack of life skills, screen addiction, and educational matters. By covering diverse topics, ODIC aimed to provide comprehensive support and guidance to the participants, enabling them to make informed decisions and develop necessary skills. The group discussion topic includes:-

- Drug issues, including addiction and substance abuse, were prominent topics discussed during the group sessions. ODIC provided information, education, and support to help individuals understand the risks associated with drug use and develop strategies to overcome addiction. These discussions played a crucial role in raising awareness and fostering a supportive environment for individuals facing drug-related challenges.
- The harmful effects of alcohol and tobacco usage were also addressed during the group sessions. ODIC emphasized the importance of responsible drinking, the risks of excessive alcohol consumption, and the dangers of tobacco addiction. By discussing these issues in a group setting, participants were able to share their experiences, seek guidance, and learn from one another.
- Another significant focus of the group sessions was on addressing the lack of life skills and educational challenges faced by the participants. ODIC provided guidance and practical advice on developing essential life skills, such as communication, decision-making, problem-solving, and goal-setting. Educational matters, including academic support and career guidance, were also discussed to empower individuals in pursuing their educational and professional goals.

The group sessions conducted by ODIC during the financial year 2022-2023 played a vital role in facilitating peer communication, addressing key issues, and providing support to individuals. The 56 group sessions allowed participants to discuss various topics, including drug issues, alcohol and tobacco usage, lack of life skills, screen addiction, and educational matters. By creating a safe and supportive environment, ODIC promoted open dialogue, knowledge sharing, and the development of necessary skills to lead healthier and more fulfilling lives.

5.1 Evaluation of the effectiveness of group sessions by each financial year

This report evaluates the group sessions conducted by ODIC during the financial year 2022-2023. It examines the number of group sessions conducted, and the topics covered, and compares the results with the previous two financial years, highlighting the growth and impact of these sessions in fostering peer interaction and addressing key issues.

ODIC conducted a total of **56 group sessions during the financial year 2022-2023**. This significant increase from 10 sessions in both the financial years 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 indicates ODIC's

commitment to expanding its reach and providing a platform for individuals to come together and engage in meaningful discussions. The group sessions covered a range of topics based on the needs and interests of the participants. ODIC addressed key issues such as drug issues, alcohol and tobacco usage, lack of life skills, screen addiction, and educational matters. By covering a diverse range of topics, ODIC aimed to provide comprehensive support and address the multifaceted challenges faced by the participants.

The group sessions facilitated by ODIC have had a positive impact on the participants by providing them with a platform to share experiences, seek guidance, and engage in open discussions. By fostering peer interaction and support, these sessions have helped individuals facing drug issues, alcohol and tobacco usage, lack of life skills, screen addiction, and educational challenges to find common ground, gain knowledge, and develop strategies for personal growth.

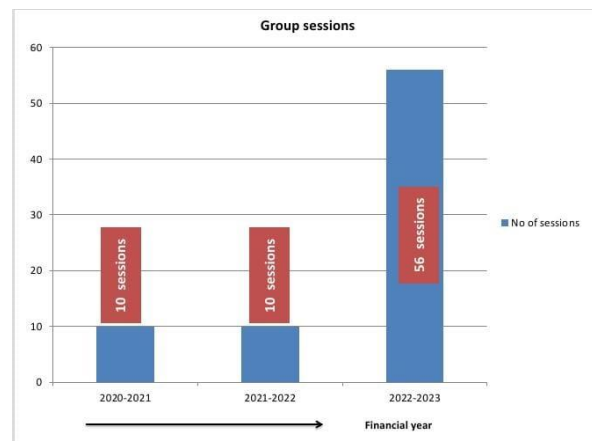


Fig 5.1.1. Number of Group discussions conducted in each financial year

The group sessions conducted by ODIC during the financial year 2022-2023 have shown significant growth and impact. With a substantial increase in the number of sessions compared to previous years, ODIC team has demonstrated its commitment to fostering peer interaction and addressing key issues. The diverse topics covered in these sessions reflect ODIC's comprehensive approach to supporting individuals in their personal development and tackling various challenges related to addiction and personal well-being.

6. DETAILS OF CASES HANDLED BY ODIC TEAM REFERRED BY DISTRICT PROBATION OFFICE, ERNAKULAM

During the financial year 2022-2023, ODIC received 12 cases referred by Ernakulam Probation Office. These cases involved individuals with various crime histories and backgrounds, and a common element in each case was the usage of alcohol and substances. ODIC part-time doctor consult with the clients and assessments to understand the specific needs and issues of each client. Based on these consultations, the doctor prepared a detailed report for each client, which was then sent to the Ernakulam District Probation Office

In addition to the initial consultations and reports, ODIC also took regular follow-ups with the clients. Follow-ups are an essential part of the rehabilitation process to monitor progress, address any challenges, and provide ongoing support. These follow-ups were conducted by ODIC team. The objective of ODIC's involvement in these cases would be to provide intervention and counselling services to address the alcohol and substance abuse issues of the clients. By working in collaboration

with the probation office, ODIC aims to support the rehabilitation and reintegration of these individuals into society, with a focus on addressing the root causes of their criminal behaviour.

Furthermore, ODIC understands the importance of continuous support and monitoring throughout the rehabilitation process. Therefore, our team is actively engaged in regular follow-ups with the referred clients. These follow-ups were designed to assess progress, address any emerging challenges, and provide ongoing assistance and guidance to the clients. It is crucial to note that the effectiveness and outcomes of the interventions provided by ODIC can only be accurately evaluated through a more comprehensive assessment, involving data analysis and input from both ODIC and the probation office. However, based on our professional expertise and commitment to client well-being, we are confident that our interventions have made a positive impact on the lives of the clients referred to us.

Therefore, our team is actively engaged in regular follow-ups with the referred clients. These follow-ups were designed to assess progress, address any emerging challenges, and provide ongoing assistance and guidance to the clients

7. ODIC OUTREACH ACTIVITIES DURING THE PERIOD APRIL 2022 – MARCH 2023

7.1 Karkidaka Kanji Kit Distribution

Date: 07/08/2022

Time: 2 pm – 5 pm

Location: St. Augustine Church, Kadamakudy

The Karkkidakam Self-Care and Ayurvedic Treatment Program, organized by the ODIC Project, was one of the significant initiatives undertaken during the financial year 2023. This program focused on promoting self-care and improving the health status of individuals, particularly during the Malayalam month of Karkkidakam. It also aimed to engage the elderly both physically and mentally through various activities. The program took place in Ward 01 of Kadamakudy Panchayath.

The Karkkidakam Self-Care and Ayurvedic Treatment Program served as a platform for educating participants about the importance of self-care and Ayurvedic treatments. It emphasized the traditional belief of prioritizing health during the Karkkidakam month in Kerala. The program was carefully planned and executed to address the specific needs of the community, with a particular focus on the elderly population.

The Karkkidakam Self-Care and Ayurvedic Treatment Program proved to be a successful endeavour in promoting self-care and Ayurvedic practices among the community. A total of 50 participants actively participated in the program, benefiting from the informative guest speaker sessions and engaging activities. The distribution of Karkkidaka Kanji Kits further reinforced the importance of prioritizing health and well-being.

The success of the Karkkidakam Self-Care and Ayurvedic Treatment Program is a testament to our organization's commitment to promoting holistic well-being within the community. The team remain dedicated to creating more initiatives that empower individuals to prioritize their health and embrace traditional practices.

7.1.1 Newspaper Link

<https://newspaper.mathrubhumi.com/ernakulam/news/ernakulam-1.77697499>



Fig 7.1.1 News report on online Mathrubhumi page, 9/08/2023

7.1.2 Photographs of the program, 07/08/2023



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7.2 Two-day Residential camp at Pre-matric Tribal Boys' Hostel at Kuttampuzha, Ernakulam

Two-day residential camp held on 23/10/2022 – 24/10/2022

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The two-day residential study camp conducted for tribal boys of the pre-matric hostel was successful from planning and throughout its execution stage by ODIC (Outreach Drop-In Centre) in collaboration with ChildLine Ernakulam and R-COMBAT. The ODIC team was led by ODIC Project, Centre in Charge cum Counselor, Mr. Krishnakumar IP and Mr. Akhil Benny from ChildLine Ernakulam alongside Outreach Worker Ms. Christin Elezabeth Sam and the interns belonging to MSW 1st year batch. The camp was designed to focus on the vision to impart life skills among the tribal students and enable them to stand up for their rights in this fast-moving world. The ODIC team was flexible in executing programmes as the team tried to deeply understand the interests of the target population and implemented programmes incorporating their interests along with a present plan designed by the ODIC team.

7.2.1 Two-day Residential Camp at Kuttampuzha Tribal boys hostel - Photographs



Fig. 7.2.1. Two-day camp for Tribal students residing in the pre-matric hostel at Kuttampuzha, 23/10/2023



Fig. 7.2.2. Inauguration of two-day camp for students of pre-matric tribal hostel, 23/10/2023



Fig. 7.2.3. Life skill training session, held on 23/10/2023



Fig. 7.2.4. Individual one to one counselling session, 23/10/2023



Fig. 7.2.5. Starting of wall painting works, 23/10/2023



Fig. 7.2.6. Lighting up candle and pledge taking Ceremony, 23/10/2023



Fig. 7.2.7. Cultural events, 23/10/2023



Fig. 7.2.8. Yoga and exercise session, 24/10/2023 & Fig. 7.2.11. Hand print campaign, 24/10/2023



Fig. 7.2.9. Wall painting activity, 24/10/2023



Fig 7.2.10. Arts and crafts activity, 24/10/2023



Fig. 7.2.12. Concluding session of 2 day camp, 24/10/2023

7.3 Observation of Human Rights Day 2022

Date: 9/12/2022

Day: Friday

Venue: St. Paul's College, Kalamassery

Time: 11.00 am

On the occasion of World Human Rights Day 2022, Rajagiri ODIC Project in association with SAKHI OSC and District Legal Services Authority, Ernakulam conducted an awareness program on the topic “**Dignity, Freedom and Justice for all**”. The awareness program was conducted at St. Paul's College, Kalamassery for the NSS and NCC students belonging to the college. Adv. Nikhila Soman (Senior Panel Lawyer, DLSA) was the Resource Person for the program. The awareness program commenced with a warm welcome to all the participants of the session, including the students, teachers and dignitaries on the dais. Mr. Varun Sasidharan, NCC Coordinator, St Paul's College, Kalamassery had proposed the welcome address. Rev. Fr. Varghese Valiyaparambil, Manager, St. Paul's College, Kalamassery delivered the Presidential address. A total of 75 students including both NCC and NSS, participated in the program. Following the presidential address, Mr. Renjith Krishnan N, Sub Judge & District Legal Service Authority (DLSA) Secretary proposed the Inaugural address. Mr. Renjith shared the importance of knowing one's rights and the various scenarios in which these rights are getting exploited while pointing out some of the significant news in these days. The inaugural address was followed by lightning the lamp ceremony by Dr. Savitha K S, Principal, St. Paul's College Kalamassery. ODIC Project, Outreach Worker Mr. Ajimsha Jalal proposed the felicitations and a pamphlet concerning ODIC project was distributed among the students. After the inauguration ceremony, the awareness session by Adv. Nikhila Soman, Senior Panel Lawyer, DLSA was conducted. Adv. Nikhila did an interactive session with the students and created awareness among them by letting the students understand about the major rights of an individual provided in the Constitution of India. According to Adv. Nikhila, ‘**right to equality, right to freedom, right against exploitation, right to freedom of religion, Cultural and educational rights as well as right to Constitutional remedies as given in the Constitution of India must be known by each and every student.**’ Students also shared their thoughts on their rights. Later, Ms. Liya A.S, Central Administrator, SAKHI OSC proposed a talk on what is SAKHI, its purpose and the major services provided in a SAKHI One Stop Center. Ms. Liya later shared a pamphlet concerning with the activities of SAKHI OSC to the students. The program ended with the vote of thanks proposed by Ms. Tiby Boban, Case worker, SAKHI One Stop Centre.

7.3.1 Human Rights Day Photographs

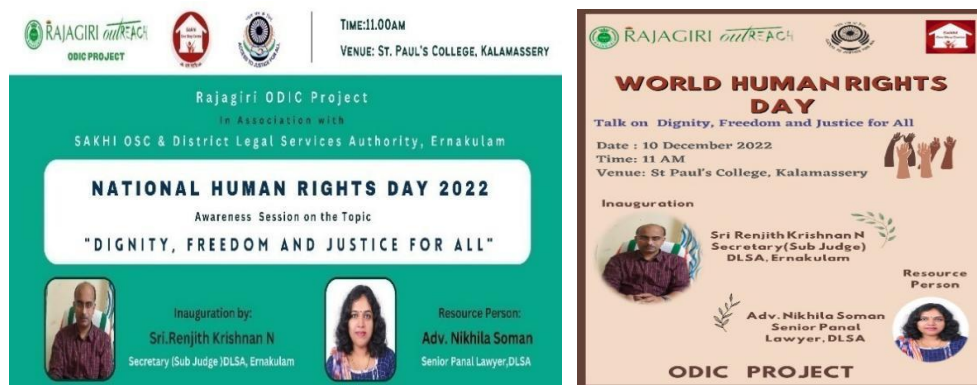




Fig 7.3.1 Human Rights Day Programme at St. Paul's College in collaboration with Sakhi One Stop Centre and District Legal Service Authority, 09/12/2023

7.4 One day Drug Awareness camp conducted at Manjali in Ernakulam District

The Excise Department, Paravoor in collaborating with ODIC Project, Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences conducted a drug awareness program for the adolescent group of Manjali, Karumalloor Panchayath on 14.01.2023 at Manjali Madrasa Auditorium from 9:30 am to 5:00 pm. The organizing team was Mr. Krishnakumar I.P, (Centre in Charge cum Counselor, ODIC Project, Rajagiri outREACH), Mr. Akhil Benny (Nodal Officer, Childline Kochi), Ms. Christin Elezabeth Sam (Outreach Worker, ODIC Project), Mr. Daniel Raju (Outreach Worker, ODIC Project), Ms. Anakha K Pradeep (Outreach Worker, ODIC Project), Mr. Haneesh V.S (Excise Preventive Officer, Paravoor Circle), Mr. Haneesh B. Anil K Umar NIS (8 th Dan black belt – karate, 1st Dan black belt taekwondo), Asian Judge (Asian Karate Federation) Federation National Certified Coach and Renshi Suma A.S (6th Dan black belt – karate 1st Dan black belt –taekwondo).

The ice-breaking session was conducted by Krishnakumar I.P, Centre in Charge cum Counselor, ODIC Project, from 10:00 am to 11:30 am. During the session, the adolescent team was divided into seven groups according to the names of musical instruments to make them interact with one another and to create an environment for an open discussion for the upcoming session.

The adolescent group was made to discuss the causes of drug abuse, and its effects on the society and day-to-day life. Later a brief awareness class was provided by Mr. Krishnakumar in reflection with the topics put over by the audience during the interactive session, as well as in detail about drugs and its causes. Life skill training session was led by Mr. Akhil Benny, Nodal Officer, Childline Kochi from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm. Almost all the life skills were explained in a nutshell, so as to get an easy understanding for them. The session was made interesting by engaging the audience with activities. A Motivational video presentation was done by Christin Elezabeth Sam, Outreach Worker, ODIC Project, followed by a discussion. The audience shared their opinion on the presentation which created an insight among them.

The session was concluded by having an overall assessment on the program. The team discussed about the whole day program one by one. The audience was asked to provide feedback on the awareness session. The program was concluded by having a critical reflection from the audience's side.

7.4.1 Photographs of one day Drug Awareness camp conducted at Manjali in Ernakulam District



Fig 7.4.1 One day Drug Awareness camp at Manjali, 14/01/2023

7.5 Beach For All Campaign

The ODIC team coordinated the '**Beach for All Campaign**' in cooperation with the ESAF Foundation and Childline with the intention to make disability-friendly public places on 7th March 2023 at Fort Kochi Beach. Differently, abled students from Raksha Special School participated in this programme along with Volunteers from Cochin College and St.Albert's College. ODIC Project Centre in Charge Krishnakumar I P, & Outreach Workers Christin Elezabeth Sam and Daniel Raju participated in the programme.

7.5.1 Beach For All Campaign Photographs



Fig 7.5.1 Beach for all campaign at Fort Kochi beach, 17/01/2023

7.6 Observation of World Social Justice Day

ODIC team conducted **World Social Justice Day** program for the students of Chavara Darsan CMI Public School, Koonammavu. The session was led by the ODIC Project, Outreach Worker Anakha K Pradeep. One of the students delivered welcome speech for the session. The session was conducted on the topic “**Importance of celebrating Social Justice Day**”. Total of 30 participants attended the session.

7.6.1 Observation of World Social Justice Day Photographs

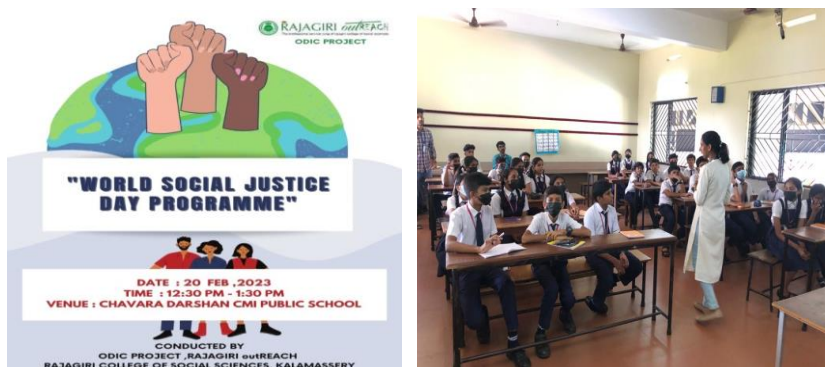


Fig 7.6.1 Social Justice Day Awareness Program, 20/02/2023

8. Mission LiFE

Implementation of Mission LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment)

Date: 14th November 2022

Implemented by: Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment

Convergence with: Nodal Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change

Introduction

Mission LiFE focuses on the conscious and deliberate use of resources, and its concept is to encourage sustainable lifestyles and reduce carbon footprints in order to ensure the health of the ecosystem and climate for coming generations and the ODIC team, Rajagiri outREACH, Kalamassery is thrilled to be part of a mission that is focused on conserving the environment. This is a cause that is important to us and we are passionate about making a difference. We believe that this mission will make a positive impact on Indian citizens and we are proud to be a part of it.

The activities spanned for 4 days that included reading out and illustrating 75 life action and implementing it in various target points. It is situated around 8 km north of the city centre. The activities were conducted in the Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam district, Kerala State Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath is an island suburb of the Kochi in the Indian state of Kerala. Various activities were done under the following headings:



Posters designed for the implementation of Mission LiFE

LiFE Actions: Healthy Lifestyles Adopted

Activity No: 01

Plant Sapling

Date: 14th November 2022

Time: 10 am – 11 am

Venue: Anganwadi No: 5, Kadamakkudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam district, Kerala State

Aim: To inculcate healthy lifestyles among the participants

ODIC team, Rajagiri outREACH participated in the children's day celebration held on 14.11.2022 at Anganwadi No: 5, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath and accompanied in the rally conducted by kids as part of the celebration. Later planting of saplings was done to initiate the LiFE actions enumerated in the Mission LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment) envisioned by the Honorable Prime Minister, Shri. Narendra Modi.

Planting a sapling is a great way to help the environment. By planting just one sapling, you can help to offset carbon emissions, improve air quality, and provide habitat for wildlife. The ODIC team, Rajagiri outREACH selected a mango sapling that is native to the selected area and this will help to ensure that the sapling will thrive in its new home. The activity was conducted by the Block Panchayath Member Mr. Pradeep, Ward Member, Mr. Manishankar and the Anganwadi Teacher, Smt. Bindhu Parameshwaran of Anganwadi No: 5, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam district, Kerala State.

Activity outcome

Improved awareness on the need to adopt a healthy lifestyle wherein planting a sapling is a tiny footstep towards an intention to reduce carbon footprint.



Planting of sapling at Anganwadi No: 05, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam district, Kerala, 14/11/2023



Children's day rally conducted at Ward 01, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam district, Kerala, 14/11/2023

LiFE Actions: Single Use Plastic Reduced

Activity No: 02

Paper bag making workshop

Date: 14th November 2022

Time: 1 pm- 3 pm

Venue: Government HSS, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam district, Kerala State

Aim: *To teach alternative strategies, thereby reducing usage of plastic*

The activity was undertaken successfully with the aid of Kadamakudy Government HSS Principal and Counsellor, Linu. The activity was done involving the students from class 5 to 7 who are members of the 'Manjadi club' where students learn various new skills. These students later teach their classmates the skills that they learned during the club activities. The entire students were divided into groups wherein the paper bag preparation was taught to each team. The students repeated the steps after the ODIC team, Rajagiri outREACH with lot of enthusiasm and no much delay.

Activity Outcome

Participants had self-satisfaction with seeing what they have created from scratch and showed enthusiasm for various other eco-friendly activities.



Paper bag preparation and exhibition by Manjadi club held at Government HSS, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam district, Kerala, 14/11/2023

LiFE Actions: Waste reduced (Swachhata Actions)

Activity No:03

Clean-up Drive

Date: 14th November 2022

Time: 3 pm- 4 pm

Venue: Government HSS, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam district, Kerala State

Aim: *To inculcate the habit of keeping one's surroundings clean*

Clean- up drives are important for energy and environment conservation as they help to keep our surroundings clean and green instilling the value to protect the environment by simple action. The clean-up drive campaign was conducted with the support of the school community. It was a massive success with the participation of more than 25 volunteers where they cleaned up the school premises.

The campaign was able to remove all the litter and debris from the area. The main aim of the campaign was to create awareness among the students about the importance of cleanliness and to motivate them to keep their surroundings clean. The students were very enthusiastic and participated actively in the campaign. They were also very excited to learn about the importance of cleanliness. Overall, the campaign was a great success and the students enjoyed it immensely and the residents of the village appreciated the effort of the students.

Activity Outcome

The activity gave an idea that collective effort makes any work easier and thus students considered cleaning up activities, a fun one rather than hectic. The participants had taken the decision to clean their school premises on regular basis.



Clean up drive held at Government HSS, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam District, Kerala, 14/11/2023

Activity No: 04

Discussion about Waste Management in the locality

Date: 14th November 2022

Time: 4 pm- 5 pm

Venue: Ward 01, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam district, Kerala

Aim: To understand the various Waste Management issues prevailing in the community.

Various current practices related to the waste management system was assessed in the Kadamakkudy Grama Panchayath. The senior citizens from the locality took part in the discussions and shared their views on waste issues prevailing in the island suburbs.

There are several waste issues faced by island suburb, including:

- The high cost of waste disposal as the island region is away from mainland;
- The lack of appropriate infrastructure for waste management, such as recycling facilities;

- The impact of waste on the island's fragile environment, including its impact on local wildlife;
- The negative visual impact of waste, particularly litter, on the island's natural beauty.



Discussion with Senior citizens of ward No:01, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath, Ernakulam district, Kerala, 14/11/2023

Activity No: 05

Awareness and Interactive Session

The awareness and interactive session focused on how to handle E-waste and detailed on the following points:

- Proper segregation of electronic waste
- Collection and transportation of E-waste
- Storage of E-waste

There are a few things that can be done in order to reduce electronic waste. One is to recycle old electronics instead of throwing them away. And lastly, to avoid buying products that are made with harmful materials. In addition to that, we can reduce electronic waste by donating or recycling old electronics, buying electronics that are made to last longer, and choosing energy-efficient electronics.

The session focussed on the 3 R's: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle and that is;

Reduce: Purchase products that have a long lifespan or that can be upgraded instead of replaced.

Reuse: Donate or sell working electronics instead of throwing them away.

Recycle: Find a local recycling centre that accepts electronic waste.

Activity outcome

Improved awareness on the types of electronic waste and the challenges involved in its management

9. Social Mapping

Social mapping is an essential tool for Community drug prevention projects like ODIC to gather data, establish rapport with local stakeholders, and address social issues effectively. The primary objective of this social mapping exercise was to gain a thorough understanding of the community's dynamics, identify hotspot areas related to drug, alcohol, and substance abuse, and map important resources such as educational institutions, government and non-governmental offices, youth clubs, and other relevant

stakeholders. The data collected through this process will serve as a foundation for targeted interventions and effective community engagement strategies. Eloor Municipality was chosen as the project area during the financial year 2022-2023 and the social mappings were conducted with the local stakeholders in Eloor in order to identify the social issues and resources available

a. Major Findings:

- **Hotspot Areas**

Through the social mapping activity, several hotspot areas related to drug, alcohol, and substance abuse were identified within Eloor Municipality. These areas are marked by a higher incidence of illegal activities and have a significant impact on the overall well-being of the community. The ODIC team meticulously documented the specific locations of these hotspots, providing a valuable resource for future reference and targeted interventions.

- **Educational Institutions**

The social mapping activity, facilitated the identification and mapping of various educational institutions within Eloor Municipality. This comprehensive mapping includes schools, colleges, vocational training centers, and other relevant educational resources. The information collected provides a comprehensive overview of the educational landscape within the community, enabling better planning, coordination, and implementation of educational initiatives.

- **Government and Non-Governmental Offices**

As part of the social mapping activity, the ODIC team successfully identified and mapped various government offices such as municipal offices, police stations, healthcare centers, and welfare agencies. In addition, non-governmental organizations (NGOs) operating within the community were also documented. This information serves as a foundation for establishing collaborations and partnerships with these entities to address community issues effectively.

- **Youth Clubs and Community Centers**

The social mapping activity shed light on the presence of youth clubs and community centers in Eloor Municipality. These spaces play a vital role in engaging young individuals.

The social mapping activity conducted by ODIC team in Eloor Municipality has provided valuable insights into the community's dynamics. The identification and mapping of hotspot areas, educational institutions, government and non-governmental offices, and youth clubs will serve as a foundation for future initiatives aimed at addressing social issues, promoting community development, and fostering positive change. ODIC will utilize the findings from this exercise to develop targeted interventions that meet the specific needs of the community and contribute to its overall well-being.

10. Trainings Attended

The ODIC team focused on reducing substance usage in the community, has actively engaged in professional development through a series of trainings. Over the course of the reporting period, the team participated in a total of six trainings, with a combination of online and offline modes.

Four of the trainings were conducted online and facilitated by the esteemed National Institute of Social Defence, based in New Delhi. These online sessions provided an excellent opportunity for the ODIC team members to enhance their knowledge and skills in the field of substance abuse and deaddiction. The trainings covered a wide range of topics, including the latest research and evidence-based practices,

intervention strategies, counseling techniques, and community engagement approaches. Through interactive webinars, online discussions, and virtual case studies, the team members were actively engaged in learning and exchanged valuable insights with experts and professionals from across the country.

Additionally, the ODIC team had the privilege of receiving two offline trainings, which added a hands-on and practical dimension to their professional growth. The first offline training was organized in collaboration with Project VENDA, an esteemed organization working in the field of substance abuse prevention and rehabilitation. This training provided an immersive experience for the team members, allowing them to observe and actively participate in real-life scenarios and simulations. Through role-playing exercises, group discussions, and practical demonstrations, the team members honed their skills in crisis management, conflict resolution, and effective communication within the context of substance abuse interventions.

The second offline training was organized in partnership with the Kochi City Police Commissionerate. This training focused on enhancing the team's understanding of the legal aspects and law enforcement strategies related to substance abuse control. The team members gained valuable insights into the role of law enforcement agencies in tackling substance abuse issues, collaborated with police officials to understand the process of handling drug-related cases, and learned about the importance of coordination between the ODIC team and law enforcement authorities.

Overall, these six trainings have significantly contributed to the professional and personal growth of the ODIC team. The team members have expanded their knowledge base, acquired new skills, and gained practical experience that will empower them in their mission to reduce substance usage in the community. The trainings have not only enhanced their effectiveness in intervention and counseling but have also strengthened their ability to collaborate with relevant stakeholders and make a positive impact on the lives of individuals struggling with substance abuse. The ODIC team is committed to applying the knowledge and skills acquired during these trainings to foster a healthier and safer community.

11. Achievements

This report highlights the commitment and dedication of ODIC staff members in investing time and effort in activities that contribute to their personal and professional growth. These activities were undertaken outside of regular working hours, showcasing the staff's enthusiasm and commitment to continuous improvement. The report also acknowledges the awards and appreciation received by the staff for their involvement in various volunteering activities.

ODIC staff members were proactively engaged in activities aimed at enhancing their personal and professional development. These activities included attending workshops, seminars, and training programs relevant to their areas of expertise. By investing their time and effort in these activities, staff members demonstrated their commitment to staying updated with the latest knowledge and skills, thereby contributing to their overall growth and effectiveness in their roles.

The staff members ensured that their personal and professional growth activities did not interfere with their official responsibilities. They dedicated their personal time outside of working hours to pursue these endeavours, displaying their strong work ethic and dedication to both their work and personal development. This commitment is commendable and reflects the staff's determination to excel in their roles while investing in their own growth.

The efforts and achievements of ODIC staff in their personal and professional growth activities were duly recognized and appreciated. The staff received awards and appreciation for their involvement in

various volunteering activities. These accolades not only serve as a testament to the staff's dedication but also encourage a positive and motivated work environment, fostering a culture of continuous learning and growth.

The ODIC Team's commitment to personal and professional growth is commendable. By participating in activities outside of their regular working hours, the team demonstrated a strong dedication to self-improvement and staying updated with the latest knowledge and skills. The staff's ability to balance their official responsibilities with personal development showcases their exceptional work ethic and commitment to their roles. The recognition and awards received further validate their efforts and encourage a culture of growth within ODIC.

CONCLUSION

In the financial year 2022-2023, ODIC achieved remarkable progress in its mission to raise awareness and prevent drug abuse in the community. Through a wide range of programs and activities, ODIC successfully reached different community groups and empowered individuals with essential skills and knowledge.

- ODIC conducted 162 community programs, including drug awareness sessions, life skill training, child rights sessions, and screen addiction awareness. These programs targeted various community members, such as Kudumbashree members, Anganwadi workers, youth club members, and police officers. By increasing awareness about the risks of drug abuse, ODIC aimed to create a safer and healthier community. Life skill training emerged as a crucial aspect of ODIC's work. By providing participants with the necessary tools to make informed decisions, communicate effectively, and manage challenges, ODIC empowered individuals to lead better lives. The number of life skill training sessions increased significantly, reflecting ODIC's commitment to personal growth and development.
- Building strong networks and collaborations played a vital role in ODIC's success. By establishing connections with various stakeholders, including governmental and non-governmental organizations, ODIC expanded its reach, gained access to resources, and amplified its impact. These partnerships strengthened ODIC's position as a trusted and influential organization in the community.
- Counseling services provided by ODIC played a crucial role in addressing addiction-related issues and supporting individuals in need. ODIC conducted counseling camps, telephonic counseling, and online sessions to ensure comprehensive care and continuous support for clients.
- Group sessions and recreational activities offered by ODIC created safe and supportive spaces for individuals to share experiences, receive support, and engage in personal growth. These activities played an important role in the recovery journey of clients.
- Active participation in meetings with community stakeholders enabled ODIC to advocate for policies, influence decision-making processes, and foster community involvement in combating drug addiction. These meetings solidified ODIC's position as a trusted partner and facilitator of positive change.

- The social mapping activity conducted by ODIC provided valuable insights into the community's dynamics, informing targeted interventions and community development initiatives.
- ODIC team commitment to staff development was evident through six training programs conducted during the year. These programs enhanced the team's knowledge, skills, and effectiveness in intervention and counseling, enabling them to make a positive impact on individuals struggling with substance abuse.
- The recognition and awards received by ODIC staff for their volunteering activities further motivated and fostered a positive work environment.

In conclusion, ODIC's dedication to raising awareness, providing counseling services, conducting group sessions, building networks, and investing in staff development has made a significant difference in the community. Through these efforts, ODIC continues to improve the lives of individuals affected by drug abuse and contribute to creating a safer and healthier society.

COMMUNITY BASED PEER LED INTERVENTION (CPLI)



Community based Peer-Led Intervention (CPLI) is a project initiated by National Institute of Social Defense (NISD) under the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment – Government of India, with support of Department of Social Justice – Government of Kerala, and is implemented by Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, Cochin, Kerala.

CPLI Project activities are implemented in the identified vulnerable districts as a focused preventive measure to curb the menace of drug abuse. The target group is mainly vulnerable adolescents and youth in the community of selected districts. The project mobilizes Peer Educators (PEs) from the local community with the help of Anganwadi teachers, ward members and localities. The selected Peer Educators undergo the registration process and training programs. These trained Peer Educators focus on creating awareness among the focused group called Peer Volunteers (PVs). The Peer Volunteers and Peer Educators will engage with their Peer Groups and community members under the supervision of CPLI Project Team to create awareness and prevent the abuse of drugs in that community. The Project Team has an Area Coordinator and two Trainer cum Counselors. They provide required trainings and other professional support for the Peer Educators and to the community directly. The team also renders psychosocial interventions including educational sessions on ill effects of drug abuse, risk assessment on drug use among youth and linkage for treatment rehabilitation.

Rajagiri outREACH CPLI Project Office was set-up at Kozhikode on 13/08/2020, with the support of Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, New Delhi, Government of India. CPLI-NISD, Project had officially launched its activities on 15th June 2020 at Kozhikode District and the project has successfully completed more than two years of making changes in the community.

Objectives

- ❖ To assess substance use among adolescents in impoverished and marginalized communities
 - ❖ Conduct primary prevention activities through awareness programmes
- ❖ Engage in risk mitigation of substance use among children/adolescent/youth by preventing substance use and delaying initiation of substance use
 - ❖ Identify and train selected peer educators in the community
 - ❖ Implement early prevention education led by trained peer educators
- ❖ To provide awareness about referral and linkage to counselling, treatment and rehabilitation services for substance dependant adolescents identified in the community
- ❖ Identifying adolescents subjected to substance use and facilitating their referral/admission into rehabilitation centres/drop in centres.

Projects & Programmes

- ❖ Hotspot identification
- ❖ Community mapping and assessment
- ❖ Peer Educator recruitment
- ❖ Primary prevention –Awareness
- ❖ Counselling services- psychosocial therapies
- ❖ Group sessions
- ❖ Life skill sessions
- ❖ Outreach activities
- ❖ Community training
- ❖ Tele-counselling initiation
- ❖ Tele-counselling poster sharing via PE sessions
- ❖ Skill development and ICT for PE
- ❖ Referral services
- ❖ Rehabilitation centres identify and visit (Kuthiravattam de-addiction center, IMHANS, DCPU, Vimukthi, FCC Kozhikode, Childline)
- ❖ Customized Working model in various hotspots
- ❖ Follow up care including family counselling
- ❖ Vulnerable area identification and documentation via community leaders
- ❖ Exposure visit to other NGOs
- ❖ Initiation of an Advisory board for CPLI, Kozhikode
- ❖ Socialization of CPLI to school teachers in the respective hotspots
- ❖ Organized monthly meetings and weekly meetings.
- ❖ Registration and Orientation of new Peer Educators (Ramanattukara).
- ❖ Anganwadi and Community Visits.
- ❖ Conducted Project Impact Assessment.
- ❖ Follow up of Peer Educators.
- ❖ Attended /Conducted training programmes, Workshops, Webinars (NISD), Community Programmes.
- ❖ Assisted in an inspection conducted by the State Coordinator.
- ❖ Training and supervision of Peer Educators.
- ❖ Updated and submitted reports and documents.
- ❖ Prepared a tentative plan for the next quarter.

The major activities of the CPLI – Project of Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Government of India in the Year 2022 – 2023 are mentioned below:

Substance use is a major public health problem that in particular, puts millions of adolescents at a variety of risks that include increased risk for traffic accidents, high risk sexual practices, juvenile delinquency, family problems and developmental problems.

In 2019, the National Survey on Extent and Pattern of Substance Use, conducted by National Drug Dependence Treatment Centre, AIIMS, reported that in India, the most common substance used is alcohol which is followed by cannabis and Opioids. As per the report, 16 Crore persons consume alcohol, 3.1 Crore use cannabis and 2.26 Crore use Opioids. More than 5.7 Crore individuals are affected by harmful or dependence on alcohol and need help for their alcohol use problem, about 25 lakhs individuals suffer from cannabis dependence and approximately 77 lakhs individuals are estimated to need help for their Opioids use problems .

Children and adolescents living in the street, slums and homeless, become particularly vulnerable to substances in such high-risk circumstances. Also, the rate of help-seeking behavior is low due to many factors like lack of family and community support compared to others. It is always better to intervene before they initiate the substance use behavior. Ensuring active participation of young people, they may be empowered to prevent and disseminate information on substance use prevention. Also for this, there should be a strategy where young people learn from each other and support themselves. For this purpose, under the scheme of Targeted Intervention, MSJE, Govt. of India has with support of Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment – Government of India, introduced Community Based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI), which would be appropriate for preventing and reducing the substance use among the young people.

Through Peer Led Intervention the aim is to reach children and early adolescents who are: vulnerable children/ adolescents at the age group 10 – 18 who are non-users. The objectives of the project is to access substance use among adolescents in impoverished and marginalized communities; Conduct primary prevention activities through awareness programs; Engage in risk mitigation of substance use; Identify and train selected peer educators in the community. The peer educators will focus on creating awareness among the vulnerable population particularly children in the community the on prevention of substance use. The project staff will deliver specific interventions for substance use and ensure linkage for treatment and rehabilitation. Peer Educators will provide educational sessions on life skills among children; side effects of substance use, and risk assessment on substance use among adolescents.

The Community based Peer Led Intervention is a project run by the financial assistance from National Institute of Social Defense, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, New Delhi with support of Department of Social Justice, Government of Kerala. This program is exclusively based on peer education system to create awareness on substance use among vulnerable adolescent children.

Activities of Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) – Kozhikode from 1st April 2022 to 31st March 2023

1. Registration and Orientation of Peer Educators (PEs)

The Community-based Peer-Led Intervention (CPLI), is the project through which the “Peer Educator” plays a paramount role and the term is used to describe a staff member of the intervention team who is in the age group of 10 to 18. He/ she shall be a non-substance user or an individual who had tried substances on experimental basis in the past. The Peer Educators will focus on creating awareness among the vulnerable children and adolescents on prevention

of substance use. Thus registration of Peer Educators is an important part of Peer – Led Intervention (PLI).

1.1 Peer Educators Registration (1st April 2022 – 30th June 2022)

On 6th June 2023, the Trainer cum Counselors of CPLI Project – Feroke had conducted the registration of Peer Educators. Mr. Harikrishnan R and Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (The Trainer cum Counselors) had done the registration of PEs for the 1st quarter successfully.

1.2 Peer Educators Registration (1st July 2022 – 31st September 2022)

On 14th August 2022, the Trainer cum Counselors of CPLI Project – Feroke had conducted online registration and orientation program about CPLI Project and its functioning to new Peer Educators (PEs) of Olavanna Gram Panchayat – Kozhikode. The session started with an orientation session for the new Peer Educators (PEs) by Ms. Arsha Raj (Trainer cum Counselor - CPLI). Mr. Harikrishnan R (Trainer cum Counselor) explained the history, aim and objectives of the CPLI Project. The counselor further explained the role of Peer Educators (PEs) and Peer Volunteers (PVs). All the Peer Educators (PEs) actively attended the orientation session and clarified their doubts at the end of the session

1.3 Peer Educators Registration (1st October 2022 – 30th December 2022)

On 20th November 2022, Mr. Sen Savio and Mrs. Siya Shabu had done the registration of Peer Educators for the CPLI Project. The Trainer cm Counselors were able to do the registration of 5 Peer Educators.

1.4 Peer Educators Registration (1st January 2023 – 31st March 2023)

On 4th January 2023, the Trainer cum Counselors of CPLI Project – Feroke had conducted the registration and orientation program about CPLI Project and its functioning to new Peer Educators (PEs) of Feroke Municipality – Kozhikode. The session started with orientation session for the new Peer Educators (PEs) by Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor - CPLI). Mrs. Siya Shabu (Trainer cum Counselor) further explained the role of Peer Educators (PEs) and Peer Volunteers (PVs). All the Peer Educators (PEs) actively attended the orientation session and clarified their doubts at the end of the session.



2. Poster making competition

26th June is recognized as the International Day against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking. United Nations General Assembly (UNGA) on 7th December 1987 decided that 26th June of every year will be recognized as International Drug Day (another name for International Day against Drug Abuses & Illicit Trafficking). The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) Project team at Feroke- Kozhikode office has conducted a poster making competition on the topic, “**Childhood Burning with Intoxication**” at Ganapath U. P School – Feroke on 23rd June 2022 in observance with International Drug Day.



Poster-making competition on the topic, “**Childhood Burning with Intoxication**” at Ganapath U. P School – Feroke on 23rd June 2022

3. Conducted Project Impact Assessment

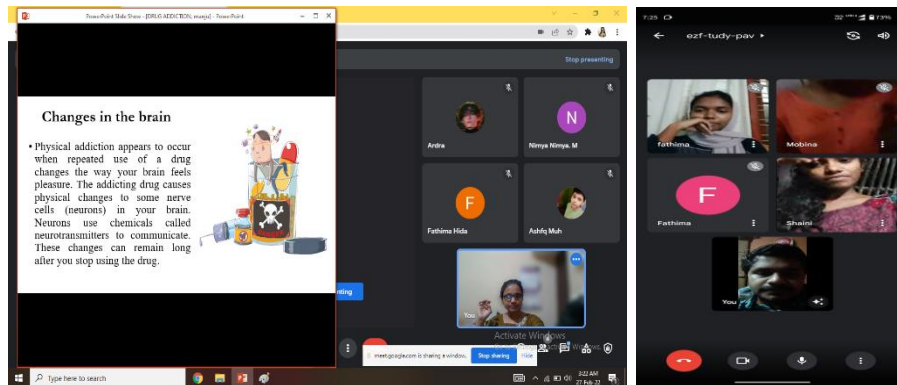
An impact assessment is a planning and decision-making tool used to assess the potential positive and negative effects of proposed projects. Impact assessment considers a wide range of factors and purpose measures to mitigate project adverse effects.

The Project Impact Assessment has been conducted on 19th August 2022 by collecting the responses from Peer Educators (PEs) using self-prepared questionnaire. At the end of the quarter (i.e. on September 2022), the responses from the Peer Educators (PEs) were collected again. Both the results were compared in order to assess the impact of the project. This was an innovative intervention taken by the Community based Peer-Led Intervention (CPLI) team – Feroke to understand the impact and relevance of the project among the adolescents and community as well as to what extent the project helped to create awareness about drugs and drug-related assistance.

4. Training and supervision of Peer Educators (PEs)

The Trainer cum Counselors (TCCs) contacted the Peer Educators (PEs) regularly and maintained supervision of them. The Trainer cum Counselors (TCCs) designed their own training sessions and strategies based on the training they received from the Area Coordinator. The Trainer cum Counselors delivered the educative sessions to the Peer Educators (PEs) and the PEs in turn deliver the sessions to the Peer Volunteers (PVs) assigned to them. The

Trainer cum Counselors (TCCs) scheduled the activities on weekly basics; monitored the activities of the PEs and submitted the report to the Area Coordinator at the end of the week.



Training and Supervision of Peer Educators during the 2nd quarter

5. Community Training

Community Education, also known as *community-based education or community learning & development*, is an organization's programs to promote learning and social development work with individuals and groups in their communities using a range of formal and informal methods. A common defining feature is that programs and activities are developed in dialogue with communities and participants. The purpose of community learning and development is to develop the capacity of individuals and groups of all ages through their actions, the capacity of communities, to improve their quality of life.

5.1 Community Training: “Drug Prevention & Adolescent Psychology”

Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) had conducted a community training session at ICDS Anganwadi centre - Division 30 (Anganwadi Teacher: Mrs. Sindhu), Ramanattukara Municipality - Kozhikode on 23rd July 2022 from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm.

Adolescence is a time of great change for teens and they will try to develop an identity as their own. At the same time they face growing pressure to be responsible and trustworthy while they grapple with issues like sexuality, drug use, and peer relationships. Adolescent psychology seeks to understand teens and help them make the transition from child to adult. Development from childhood to adulthood is a complex process and the chance to have risk behavior during this age is very high.



The training program was arranged for the community people mainly targeting adolescents. The session began with the welcome speech by Mrs. Sindhu (Teacher – Division 30) and Mrs. Haseena (Division Counselor) presided over the session. Mr. Harikrishnan R (Trainer cum Counselor) gave an orientation about the project and the services provided by CPLI team and continued the session by explaining, „ **Drug abuse prevention and Adolescent Psychology**“.

The Trainer cum Counselor (TCC) had defined about drugs and its types further explained about the long term and short term effects of drug on an individual’s psyche and physique. The TCC addressed the treatment for drug addiction and NDPS Act, 1985 prevailing in the country and various punishments given to the users and peddlers or persons who carry the drugs. 19 participants actively attended the training program.

On the same day i.e. on 23rd July 2022, Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI) conducted community training program at Olavanna Anganwadi – Ward 8 (Teacher: Mrs. Sheeja K), Olavanna Gram Panchayat – Kozhikode from 2:45 pm to 4:30 pm. The Trainer cum Counselor explained about drugs, its types, short term and long term effects of using drugs as well as how the drug use changes ones personality and behavior. 26 participants including both children and parents actively attended the training program. The Trainer cum Counselor also explained about NDPS Act, 1985 prevailing in the country and various punishments given to the users and peddlers or persons who carry the drugs.

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) team – Feroke conducted community training programs with the main motive of creating awareness to the community people especially the adolescents on the use of drugs and its harmful effects on body as well as behavior change.



5.2 Community Training: “Protection and Use of Social Media”

Social Media are an interactive technology that facilitates the creation and sharing of information, ideas, interests and other forms of expression through virtual communities and networks. E.g. Facebook, YouTube, Whatsapp, Instagram, etc. When looking at the downsides of social media, excessive usage may result in bad health, weakened physicality, depression, stress, anxiety and more.

Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) had conducted a community training session on “**Protection and Usage of Social Media**” at Anganwadi centre of ward 15, Olavanna Gram Panchayat- Kozhikode (Anganwadi Teacher: Mrs. Prafulakumari) on 28th August, 2022 from 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm. The session was mainly arranged for the community people especially targeting children and adolescents.

The community training session started with the welcome speech by Mrs. Prafulakumari (Anganwadi Teacher) and continued by Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (Trainer cum Counselor - CPLI) explaining about social media, its advantages and disadvantages and laws related to misuse through social media. 20 participants including parents and children attended the training program successfully.



On 6th September 2022, Mr. Harikrishnan R (Trainer cum Counselor - CPLI) had conducted the community training program on “**Protection and Use of Social Media**” at Anganwadi centre of ward 7, Olavanna Gram Panchayat – Kozhikode (Anganwadi Teacher: Mrs. Shani P) from 3:30 pm to 5:30 pm. 35 participants including parents and children actively attended the training program. And on 21st September 2022, Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (Trainer cum Counselor - CPLI) had conducted the community training program at Anganwadi centre of ward 17, Ramanattukara Municipality – Kozhikode (Anganwadi Teacher: Mrs. Vilasini). 20 participants actively participated in the community training program.

5.3 Community Training: “Mental Health of Adolescents”

Adolescence is a unique and formative time. Physical, emotional and social changes including exposure to poverty, abuse, or violence can make adolescents vulnerable to mental health problems. Protecting adolescents from adversity, promoting socio-emotional learning and psychological well-being and ensuring access to mental health care are critical for their health and well-being during adolescence and adulthood.

Adolescents with mental health conditions are particularly vulnerable to social exclusion, discrimination, stigma, emotional difficulties, risky behaviors, and human rights violations.

On 15th October 2022, the Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) team of Feroke had conducted a community training program on the topic “**Mental Health of Adolescents**” at Anganwadi Centre of Ward 7, Olavanna Gram Panchayat – Kozhikode (Anganwadi Teacher: Mrs. Shalini P.). 48 participants actively attended the training session. On 29th October 2022, the CPLI Team- Feroke team further conducted a training program at Anganwadi centre of ward 9, Olavanna Panchayat – Kozhikode on **Mental Health of Adolescents**. 37 participants including parents and children actively attended the training.



Community training program conducted on 15.10.2022 on the topic “Mental Health of Adolescents” at Anganwadi Centre of Ward 7, Olavanna Gram Panchayat in Kozhikode

6. Report Submission from Peer Educators (PEs)

6.1 Report Submission – Q1 and Q2

The Peer Educators (PEs) of Olavanna Gram Panchayat submitted their Monthly Plan, Peer Educator’s Activity Calendar and Peer Educators Field Diary at CPLI – Feroke office on June 2022 (Q1), and on September 2022 (Q2).

6.2 Report Submission – Q3

The Peer Educators (PEs) of Feroke Municipality submitted their Monthly Plan, Peer Educator’s Activity Calendar and Peer Educators Field Diary at CPLI – Feroke office on December 2022 (Q3) and March 2023 (Q4).

7. Mission LiFE – Lifestyle for Environment

Mission LiFE is a global initiative by India to help the world in its fight against climate change and lead to a sustainable way of life to achieve the sustainable development goals set by the UN. The idea of LiFE was introduced by India during the 26th United Nations Climate Change Conference of the Parties (COP26) in Glasgow in 2021. The idea promotes an environmentally conscious lifestyle that focuses on “**Mindful and deliberate utilization**” instead of “mindless and wasteful consumption”.

7.1 Awareness Class: Mission LiFE

The Implementation of Mission LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment) programme has been conducted by the Community Based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) team – Feroke at Kodampuzha Anganwadi, Ramanattukara Municipality – Kozhikode on 17th November

2022. The participants were the mothers of Anganwadi children. The program started with the welcome speech delivered by Ms. Siya Shabu (Trainer cum Counselor), Ms. Arsha Raj (Area Coordinator – CPLI Project, Feroke) had given the presidential address. Felicitation was given by Mrs. Vilasini (Anganwadi teacher) and Ms. Jesna (ward member) has inaugurated the programme. The sessions were handled by the Trainer cum Counselors and they discussed about all the 75 actions given by the Ministry. There were 15 participants for the program and the team could clear the doubts of the participants, at the end Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor) had given the vote of thanks.

7.2 Implementing Mission LiFE

7.2 A) Mission LiFE – Waste Reduced

Waste Management or waste disposal includes the processes and actions required to manage waste from its inception to its final disposal. This includes collection, transport, treatment and disposal of waste, together with monitoring and regulation of the waste management process and waste- related laws, technologies, economic mechanisms.

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) Project of Feroke, Kozhikode had conducted project implementation of **Mission LiFE – Waste Reduced** at Feroke – Kozhikode with the cooperation of Kudumbashree team on 17th November 2022. As part of the program the Peer Led Intervention (PLI) team placed a waste bin at the Kudumbashree Hotel. One of the the Kudumbashree Worker inaugurated the mission by dumping waste cover in it. Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI, Feroke) had discussed the measures regarding proper waste management to the team. Mrs. Siya Shabu (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI - Feroke) had given the vote of thanks.



Implementation of Mission LiFE – Waste Reduced at CPLI in Kozhikode with the cooperation of Kudumbashree team on 17th November 2022

7.2 B) Mission LiFE - Healthy Lifestyles Adopted

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) - Feroke team members had done Mission LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment) Project implementation i.e., “**Mission LiFE: Healthy Lifestyles Adopted**” at division 28 of Feroke Municipality on 17th November 2022 with the

cooperation of MGNREGA team. As part of project implementation the MGNREGA members planted one sapling at their work area and Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor) had discussed some points with the team about Healthy Lifestyles.



CPLI conducted Mission LiFE: Healthy Lifestyles Adopted on 17.11.2022 at Feroke Municipality

8. Visited Feroke Municipality

Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) Project – Feroke, had visited Feroke Municipality on 28th November 2022. The motive of the visit was to interact with the staff at Feroke Municipality and to give awareness to them about Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) and its importance in preventing drug use among adolescents.

Mr. Sen Savio and Mrs. Siya Shabu (Trainer cum Counselors – CPLI Project) interacted with Mr. M C Abdul Razak (Chairman – Feroke Municipality), Mrs. Reeja (Chairperson – Feroke Municipality) and Mrs. Monisha (ICDS Supervisor) about Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI), the functioning of CPLI Project and the significance of Peer Led Intervention (PLI) in preventing drug abuse among adolescents.



CPLI Visit to Feroke Municipality, Kozhikode on 28th November 2022

9. School Visits

9.1 Qadisiyya Higher Secondary School Visit

The Trainer cum Counselors (Mr. Sen Savio and Mrs. Siya Shabu) visited Qadisiyya Higher Secondary School – Feroke on 29th November 2022. The Trainer cum Counselors of CPLI – Feroke, interacted with **Mr. Noushad Ali** (Principal - Qadisiyya Higher Secondary School)

about Community Based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) Project and the significance of Peer Led Intervention in preventing substance use among adolescents.

9.2 Ganapath Vocational Higher Secondary School Visit

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) team visited Government Ganapath Vocational Higher Secondary School on 30th November 2022. Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI, Feroke) had given a brief introduction to Mrs. Aswathy (School Counselor – Ganapath Vocational Higher Secondary School – Feroke) about CPLI Project. Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (Area Coordinator – CPLI, Feroke) had discussed about the objectives, functioning and importance of the project in preventing drug use in schools.

9.3 Fisheries Technical High School – Beypore, Kozhikode

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI - Feroke) team visited Fisheries Technical High School – Beypore on 4th December 2022. Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor - CPLI) and interacted with the School Principal about CPLI Project and its functioning. The Counselor further added about how Peer Led Intervention helped in preventing drug use among adolescents.

10. Observed World AIDS Day

World AIDS Day brings together people from around the world to raise awareness about HIV/AIDS and demonstrate international solidarity in the face of the pandemic. The day is an opportunity for public and private partners to spread awareness about the status of the pandemic and encourage progress in HIV/AIDS prevention, treatment and care around the world. It has become one of the most widely recognized international health days and key opportunity to raise awareness, commemorate those who have died, and celebrate victories such as increased access to treatment and prevention services.



World AIDS Day commemorated by CPLI, Kozhikode on 01.12.2022

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) observed World AIDS Day on 1st December 2022, with the ICDS team of Feroke Municipality. Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (Area Coordinator) had addressed the ICDS team about AIDS and its ways of spreading as well as the importance of World AIDS Day. Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor - CPLI) had given the vote of thanks.

11. Observed International Day for Persons with Disabilities

International Day of Persons with Disabilities (IDPD) is observed every year on 3rd December. The theme for 2022 is “**Transformative Solutions for inclusive development: the role of Innovation in Fueling an Accessible and equitable world.**” The day is about promoting the rights and well-being of persons with disabilities at every level of society and development and raising awareness of the situation of persons with disabilities in all aspects of political, social, economic, and cultural life. World Health Organization (WHO) joins this endeavor to reinforce the importance of securing the rights of people with disabilities, so they can participate fully, equally, and effectively in society with others, and face no barriers in all aspects of their lives.



The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) team visited Umbijihaji School, Chaliyam, Feroke, Kozhikode on 3rd December 2022 and observed International Day for Persons with Disabilities with the school team. The Trainer cum Counselors of CPLI project participated in the cycle rally conducted by the student police cadet of Umbijihaji School in observance with the International Day of Persons with Disabilities. The NCC students of Umbijihaji School – Chaliyam performed a flash mob at Chaliyam town in observance with the same too, moreover the school faculties addressed the audience regarding drugs and its harmful sides. Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor - CPLI) addressed the gathering about the project and the significance of Peer Led Intervention (PLI) in preventing substance use among adolescents.

12. Awareness Class

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) Team – Feroke conducted an awareness class for the mothers and adolescents at different Anganwadi of Feroke Municipality on the motive of Prevention of Drug use among adolescents.

12.1 Awareness Class: Drug use and its effects on Health

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) is a project in initiated to prevent the use of drugs among adolescents. On 15th August 2022, Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (Trainer cum Counselor) had given an awareness class for 39 adolescents of Parammal Anganwadi – Centre 56 (AT: Prasannakumari) on “**Drug use and its effect on Health**”.

12.2 Awareness Class: Drug Use Prevention

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) team Feroke, conducted an awareness class on Drug use Prevention at Kandengal Anganwadi – ward 17 (AT: Khamaru P) on 6th

September 2022. The awareness class was given by Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI, Feroke) and 24 adolescents attended the awareness class.

12.3 Awareness Class: Orientation about Community based Peer Led Intervention

On 1st December 2022, in observance of World AIDS Day, the CPLI Team – Feroke visited the ICDS group of Feroke Municipality. Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (Area Coordinator – CPLI, Feroke) and Mrs. Siya Shabu (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI, Feroke) had addressed the ICDS team about CPLI Project and its functioning as well as explained about how Peer Led Intervention helps in preventing adolescent drug use.

12.4 Awareness class: Orientation about Community based Peer Led Intervention

On 3rd December 2022, Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI, Feroke) along with Mrs. Siya Shabu (Trainer cum Counselor) had given an orientation session to the NCC students of Umbijihaji School – Chaliyam about the effects and consequences of drug use among adolescents and also about the functioning and objectives of CPLI – Feroke.

12.5 Awareness Class: Drug Use Prevention

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) Team – Feroke conducted awareness session for the mothers and adolescents of Kairali Anganwadi – Feroke Municipality on 17th December 2022. The awareness class was given by Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (Area Coordinator – CPLI, Feroke).

12.6 Awareness Class: Importance of Interpersonal Relationships

Communication is an important aspect in the lives of individuals. On 26th January 2023, Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI, Feroke) had given an awareness session to the adolescents of Kasthurba Anganwadi – Centre 92, Feroke (AT: Ramani E M) on the topic “**Importance of Interpersonal Relationships**”. 20 adolescents attended the class actively.

12.7 Awareness Class: Interpersonal Relationships and Drug Use

The relationship that an individual holds plays an important role in his/ her life. The friends not only provide immediate access to substance use, but acts as a model drug use behavior. On 27th January 2023, Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI, Feroke) had given awareness to the adolescents of Nagathum Padam Anganwadi – Centre 9 (AT: Sajitha Kumari) on “**How ones relationships leads to the use of drugs**”? 24 adolescents actively attended the awareness session.

12.8 Awareness Class: Physical Health and Well Being

Physical wellbeing is the ability to maintain a healthy quality of life that allows us to get the most out of our daily activities without undue fatigue or physical stress. On 27th January 2023, Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI, Feroke) had given awareness session for the adolescents at Navodaya Anganwadi – Centre 64 (AT: Saradha) on the topic “**Physical Health and Well-Being**”. 19 adolescents attended the session.

12.9 Awareness Class: Self Esteem and Body Image

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) team Feroke, conducted an awareness class on “**Self Esteem and Body Image**” at Kairali Anganwadi – Centre 36 (AT: Seeba M K) on 13th March 2023. The awareness class was given by Mrs. Siya Shabu (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI, Feroke) and 27 adolescent girls attended the awareness class.

13. Educative session for Peer Educators (PEs)

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) is a project initiated by National Institute of Social Defense, under the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India with support of Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment - Government of Kerala. The main focus of Peer Led Intervention (PLI) is to create awareness among the adolescents regarding drugs and its side effects, as well as providing counseling and referral to those in need. The CPLI Team members had given educative sessions for the Peer Educators (PEs) on the month of January 2023 – March 2023. The sessions covered by the Trainer cum Counselors are as follows;

Sl. No	Date	Sessions Covered
1	9 th January 2023	What is CPLI?
2	10 th January 2023	Services available through CPLI?
3	11 th January 2023	CPLI – Method of Operation
4	12 th January 2023	Objectives of CPLI
5	13 th January 2023	Duties of Peer Educators
6	18 th January 2023	What is MDMA?
7	19 th January 2023	How is MDMA used?
8	20 th January 2023	Affects of using MDMA?
9	21 st January 2023	MDMA and Body
10	22 nd January 2023	MDMA use among adolescents
11	25 th January 2023	What are DRUGS?
12	26 th January 2023	What is Nicotine?
13	27 th January 2023	Effects of smoking
14	28 th January 2023	Health issues related to smoking
15	29 th January 2023	Smoking and adolescents
16	11 th February 2023	What is alcohol?
17	12 th February 2023	What leads to alcohol consumption
18	13 th February 2023	How alcohol leads social concerns
19	14 th February 2023	Effects of alcohol use
20	15 th February 2023	Alcohol and peer groups
21	20 th February 2023	What is Bath Salt?
22	21 st February 2023	What leads to bath salt use?
23	22 nd February 2023	Risk factors of bath salt use
24	23 rd February 2023	Bath salt use and body
25	24 th February 2023	Bath salt use among adolescents
26	27 th February 2023	What is Heroin?
27	28 th February 2023	What leads to Heroin use?
28	1 st March 2023	Short term effects of heroin
29	2 nd March 2023	Long term effects due to the use of heroin

30	3 rd March 2023	Heroin and peer groups
31	6 th March 2023	What is Cocaine?
32	7 th March 2023	What leads to cocaine use?
33	8 th March 2023	Short term effects of cocaine use?
34	9 th March 2023	Long term effects of cocaine use?
35	10 th March 2023	Cocaine and its use among adolescents
36	13 th March 2023	What is crack cocaine?
37	13 th March 2023	What leads to the use of crack cocaine
38	13 th March 2023	Long term effects of crack cocaine
39	14 th March 2023	Short term effects of crack cocaine
40	14 th March 2023	Crack cocaine and its use among adolescents
41	15 th March 2023	What is LSD?
42	16 th March 2023	What lead to its use?
43	17 th March 2023	Physical effects due to LSD use?
44	18 th March 2023	Mental effects due to LSD use?
45	19 th March 2023	LSD use among adolescents
46	20 th March 2023	What are anabolic steroids?
47	20 th March 2023	What leads to the use of anabolic steroids
48	20 th March 2023	Health effects due to the use of steroids on males
49	21 st March 2023	Health effects due to the use of steroids on females
50	21 st March 2023	Use of anabolic steroids among adolescents
51	23 rd March 2023	What are prescription drugs?
52	23 rd March 2023	What leads to its use
53	24 th March 2023	Short term effects of prescription drugs
54	24 th March 2023	Long term effects of prescription drugs
55	25 th March 2023	Prescription drugs and its use among adolescents
56	27 th March 2023	Consequences of drug use on children
57	28 th March 2023	Drugs and crimes
58	29 th March 2023	Developmental problems due to drug use
59	30 th March 2023	Miscarriage due to drug use
60	31 st March 2023	Drug use and human trafficking

14. Police Station Visits

14.1 Feroke Police Station Visit

Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) Project – Feroke, had visited Feroke police station on 13th January 2023. Mrs. Arsha Raj K K (Area Coordinator – CPLI, Feroke) had given an orientation about CPLI Project and how it functioning in preventing drug use among adolescents. The CPLI team distributed the brochure for their further reference.

14.2 Beypore Police Station Visit

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) The CPLI Team visited Beypore Police Station on 17th January 2023. Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor – CPLI, Feroke) had addressed the police officials at the station about CPLI project ant it’s functioning, the brochures were given for their future reference too.



Feroke Police Station visit on 13.01.2023

Beypore Police Station visit on 17.01.2023

15. Visited CPLI office – Trivandrum

Mrs. Arsha Raj K.K (Area Coordinator – CPLI, Feroke) visited the CPLI Office Trivandrum along with the Coordinators of ODIC Project, Ernakulam. The major objective was to observe the function of Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) Project at Trivandrum on February 2023.



16. Awareness session for Peer Volunteers (PVs) given by Peer Educator (PE)

The main focus of Peer Led Intervention (PLI) is to create awareness among the adolescents regarding drugs and its side effects, as well as providing counseling and referral to those needy. The major role of selected Peer Educators (PEs) is to provide awareness sessions to the vulnerable population regarding drugs and its harmful effects. The Peer Educators under the training from Trainer cum Counselors of CPLI had given 60 sessions to the Peer Volunteers.

17. Focused Group Discussion

A focus group is a group interview involving a small number of demographically similar people or participants who have other common traits/experiences. Focus groups are used to understand better reactions of individuals to products or services or participant's perceptions of shared experiences.

On 25th March 2023, Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor - CPLI) had conducted a focus group discussion with the Peer Educators (PEs). The main objective of the discussion was to

know about the awareness that PE got regarding drugs and the complications due to its usage. Three Peer Educators (PEs) participated for the focused group discussion.

18. Beneficiary List Updating

Mr. Sen Savio (Trainer cum Counselor) had updated the list of beneficiaries for the year April 2022 – March 2023 in E- ANUDAAN website.

19. Peer Educators (PEs) Report submission

The Peer Educators (PEs) who had given educative sessions for the adolescent groups, known as Peer Volunteers (PVs) had submitted their Report for the respective quarter at CPLI office – Feroke.

Common Activities of each Quarter

1. Monthly and Weekly Review & Planning Meetings

A monthly & weekly review is an opportunity to reflect on all accomplishments from the previous month and then re-adjust the institutes short term and long term goals, while planning for the upcoming month is an opportunity for the employees to assess their current habits, routines, tasks, activities and daily schedule.

The Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) team conducted review meetings and planning's at the beginning of every week and respective month. The minutes of both weekly and monthly meeting has been documented after each meeting in the prescribed format.

2. Budget Preparation and Documentation

The monthly budgets of each month were submitted at the end of the month along with the bills, vouchers and budget request to Rajagiri outREACH Office, Kalamassery. All information was documented and is maintained at the CPLI Office – Feroke.

3. Training & Follow up of Peer Educators

The Trainer cum Counselors (TCCs) prepared a tentative schedule of the training session of Peer Educators (PEs). The PEs usually delivers the sessions to the Peer Volunteers (PVs) during weekends and the same is constantly monitored and supervised by the CPLI team.

4. Client follow up and Documentation

The Trainer cum Counselors (TCCs) with the help of Peer Educators (PEs), Community Resources and frequent interactions identified beneficiaries from the community. The identified beneficiaries were frequently contacted and timely guidance and support were provided to them. The client files have been updated in the given format and are documented at the CPLI office.

Conclusion

Rajagiri outREACH, CPLI Project, Kozhikode - Kerala has successfully completed its third year of implementation during 2022 – 2023. The Project team was able to extend their services and reach into the community through community level awareness programs and activities. This helped the project team to effectively accomplish their primary activity which is the Peer Educators Selection,

Peer Volunteers and Beneficiaries identification, mobilization and monitoring. The multilevel programs helped to create an impact and awareness among the Peer group as well as their family, friends and their community.

The CPLI Team are grateful for the efforts taken by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, to implement and run this project. And we extend our sincere thanks to Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous) for their valuable support and cooperation which helped the project team to tackle many critical situations. We also appreciate the support of the State and District Social Justice Department - Government of Kerala, Police Department, Excise Department, Feroke Municipality for their valuable cooperation and support offered to the CPLI project.

PHOTO GALLERY



Community Training: ‘Protection and Use of Social Media’ conducted at Olavanna Gram Panchayath Anganwadi on 28th August 2022 & on 6th September 2022



Community Training: Mental Health of Adolescents’ conducted for adolescents of Anganwadi centre of ward 9 on 15th October 2022 & for the adolescent group of Anganwadi centre - Division 30 on 23rd July 2022



Awareness Class: ‘Mission LiFE’ conducted for the mothers of Kodampuzha Anganwadi, Ramanattukara Municipality – Kozhikode on 17th November 2022 & Qadisiyya Higher Secondary School Visit for introducing about CPLI Project on 29th November 2022



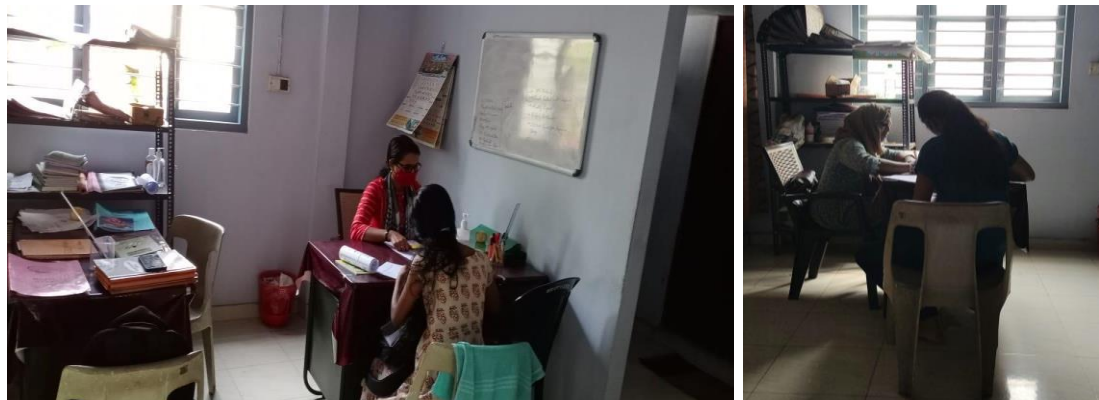
Flash Mob conducted by NCC students of Umbijihaji School – Chaliyam on observance of International Day of Persons with Disabilities on 3rd December 2022 & ‘Say NO to Drugs’ awareness creation by the students of Umbijihaji School – Chaliyam conducted in observance with International Day of Persons with Disabilities on 3rd December 2022



Registration of Peer Educators (PEs) conducted at CPLI office – Feroke on 20th November 2022



Registration of Peer Educator (PE) conducted at CPLI office – Feroke on 4th January 2023 & Awareness Class: ‘Drug Use Prevention’ conducted at Kandengal Anganwadi – ward 17 on 6th September 2022



Submission of Documents of Peer Educators at CPLI during the first quarter and October 2022



Educative Session for Peer Educators (PEs) for the year 2022-2023 & Orientation about Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) Project to the NSS students of Umbijihaji Higher Secondary School - Chaliyam



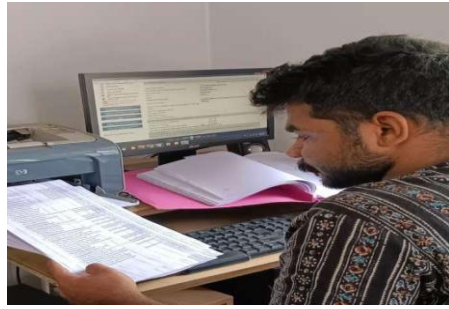
Cycle Rally conducted by the NSS students of Umbijihaji Higher Secondary School in observance of International Day for Persons with Disabilities



Awareness Class: Physical Health and Well Being held on 27.01.2023 & Session for Peer Volunteers by Peer Educator (PE)



Focused Group Discussion' for the Peer Educators conducted at CPLI office - Feroke on 25th March 2023



Monthly and Weekly Review and Planning & Beneficiary List Updating for the year 2022-2023



Report Submission by Peer Educators (PEs) for the year 2022-2023

5. PROGRAMMES FOR WOMEN EMPOWERMENT

1057 Women
Beneficiaries

K. P. Paul Foundation, Sud-Chemie (I) Pvt. Ltd., and Carborundum Universal Ltd. (CUMI), are few of the major corporate entities that have been associated with outREACH to devise and implement entrepreneurship development programmes for women in various locations across Kerala. Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) fund from these Corporates / Foundations have been a key element in driving the actualization of these programmes.

Terre Des Home, a Denmark based organization had entrusted Rajagiri outREACH to implement and monitor two of their Entrepreneurship Support Programmes for Women Self Help Groups at Arattupuzha in Alappuzha district and Edavanakkad in Ernakulam district, two of the Tsunami affected villages in Kerala. Rajagiri outREACH and Rotary Club Kalamassery jointly conducted the Evaluation Meeting of Livelihood project of the women of flood affected victims. **The total number of Women Beneficiaries are 1057**

869 Women
Entrepreneurs

1. CSR PROGRAMME OF K.P. PAUL FOUNDATION – CREATING ENTREPRENEURS

“Creating Entrepreneurs” a project by K P Paul Foundation in association with Rajagiri outREACH has proved that the surplus income in the hands of women leads to significant changes in the development of their family, since it is efficiently used for meeting the family needs like children’s education, proper health and nutrition. Presently, we have 869 beneficiaries supported by K.P. Paul Foundation.

Below is a brief glimpse into Women Entrepreneurship:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Skill training on tailoring ➤ Manufacturing of handicrafts ➤ Catering service ➤ Book binding ➤ The creation of jewelry ➤ The art of making candles ➤ Cow / goat / Turkey / buffalo rearing ➤ Poultry farm ➤ Beauty parlour ➤ Flour mill ➤ Mobile eatery shop ➤ Tuition Centre ➤ Soap production ➤ Floral Bouquet ➤ Dried Prawns and fish business ➤ Coir Making ➤ Door to Door Readymade textile business ➤ Saree designing Organic farming 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Observation of Women’s Day and other important days ➤ Glass painting ➤ Purchase of auto rickshaw for business ➤ Plants nursery ➤ Steamer & Stove ➤ Cake making ➤ Samosa making ➤ Fireworks ➤ Animal husbandry ➤ Mushroom cultivation ➤ Pappad making ➤ Vegetable farming ➤ Cattle shed ➤ Small scale business ➤ Grass garden ➤ Small Petty Shops ➤ Coconut Oil Making Unit ➤ Paper bag making, etc
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The following table displays the Date and Center of fund mobilization for the reporting period.

1. K.P. Paul Foundation Women Entrepreneurship Programme 2008 –2023

Types of units	No. of units:	Total amount:	Year: Phase:
Cow rearing, goat rearing, rabbit rearing, quail farming and turkey farming	15	3,25,000	2008 1
Animal rearing, tailoring & manufacturing units, cotton waste threads, catering services, stationery shops, beauty parlor, etc.	22	6,12,000	2010 2
Handicrafts, duck farming, tailoring, papad making, etc.	15	4,25,000	2011 3
Poultry farming, saree designing, bakery items, tailoring, etc.	26	8,55,000	2013 4
Poultry farming, saree designing, bakery items, tailoring, etc.	43	14,40,000	2015 5
Poultry farming, ironing units, flour mill, blacksmith, bakery items, beauty items, Tailoring, etc.	38	9,61,000	2015 6
Poultry farming, saree designing, bakery items, tailoring, etc.	20	8,10,000	2016 7
Poultry farming, saree designing, bakery items, tailoring, etc.	34	10,72,000	2017 8
Tailoring & material sales, goat rearing, rabbit rearing, cow rearing, bakery items, book binding, poultry farm, fishing, etc.	48	16,65,000	2018 9
Glass painting, purchase of auto rickshaw, cow rearing, buffalo rearing, plantsnursery, candle making, steamer and stove, etc.	29	7,50,000	2019 10
Tailoring, cake making, samosa making, hotel, catering, fireworks, animal husbandry, mushroom cultivation, vegetable farming, etc.	69	24,60,000	2019 11
Textiles, goat rearing, pappad making, vegetable business, cattle shed, smallscale business, grass garden, etc.	70	30,00,500	2020 12
Goat, Buffalo and Cow rearing, Farming, Poultry, Cow shed and cow dung pit, Tailoring, Expansion of provision shop, food products, catering unit, pappad making unit, Broom making, Purchase of machineries and Materials in flour mill, Food products making, maintenance of beauty parlour, Cake Making, purchase of utensils in catering unit, purchasing a double machine for tailoring and to the maintenance of existing shop room and starting a stationery shop, etc.	41	19,25,000	2020 13
Cow, goat, buffalo and fish rearing, vegetable farming, tailoring, catering unit, small petty shops, soap making, renovating cow and goat sheds, Beauty parlor, coconut oil making unit and for purchasing computers for Janasevana Kendra, dog rearing, paper-bag making, home shop, etc.	144	48,55,000	2021 14
Cake making, Flour mill, Agriculture expansion, cow and agriculture, purchasing of material, cow and goat rearing, expansion for goat rearing & cake sale, goat farming, tailoring machine and material, tailoring unit, banana cultivation, chicken shed maintenance, cow purchase, poultry farming, decoration work, baking, vegetable farming, poultry farming, tailoring unit expansion, rabbit rearing, cattle breeding, chips unit, cottonwaste unit, chicken unit, chicken eggs hatching machine, driving school, food and safety (Pickles and Snacks), clothing trade, purchase of oven and beater, organic farming, snacks and pickle making unit, digital jana seva kendram, plastic bottle making unit, expansion for nursery (Garden), jathikka business, grocery shop, tailoring unit renovation, food products unit, pickle business, tuition centre, soap and soap powder making, cattle shed with cattle, hotel expansion, online readymade business, duck rearing, digital centre, expansion for provisional shop, koodu nirmanam, cloth business, purchase motor, plant nursery, buffalo rearing, home shop expansion, palappam unit, dog rearing, auto, goat shed, mushroom cultivation, thattukada, dance class, laundry shop renovation, medical shop, etc.	141	50,25,000	2022 15
Expansion of shop (stationary, Photostat & money transfer), cow rearing, shop-purchasing materials, Agriculture, farming, expansion of Tailoring shop & Machine purchasing, expansion of Canteen & Agriculture & buffalo rearing, Agriculture & Poultry, cow and duck rearing, Goat rearing & shed maintenance, cow -purchase, Brush Making (materials), Starting a Lab, Poultry farm, Buffalo rearing, Tailoring Unit, Mushroom Cultivation, Expansion of E-Help Desk, Tailoring Items & Stitching machine, Unniyappam making, Banana cultivation, catering, Aluminium Fabrication, Janaseva Kendram, Dry Cleaning, expansion of chips centre, Power Tools Items purchase, Traditional snacks (Unniyappam, Achappam, Kuzhalappam), Textile shop, Popcorn making, Pickle & Traditional Sweets making, Mill, Tuition, fish rearing, Jewellery Making, Cake making, Home appliances, Expansion of Hotel, Computer Centre, power machine & material purchasing, expansion of catering service, Door mat making, expansion of Home Nursing service Office, expansion of beauty parlour, Starting	114	42,95,000	2023 16
Total amount Given by K.P. Paul Foundation:		Rs.30,475,500.00	
Total No. of units:		869 units	
Total No. of Beneficiaries:		869 Beneficiaries	

Project Phases

K.P. PAUL FOUNDATION PROJECT “CREATING ENTREPRENEURS

TOTAL NUMBER OF BENEFICIARIES: 869

TOTAL AMOUNT GIVEN: Rs. 30,475,500

Phase	Year	Number of Beneficiaries	Total Amount Given
1 st	2008	15	3,25,000
2 nd	2010	22	6,12,000
3 rd	2011	15	4,25,000
4 th	2013	26	8,55,000
5 th	2015	43	14,40,000
6 th	2016 PHASE 6(1): PHASE6(2): TOTAL:38	24 14	PHASE6(1):5,95,000 PHASE6(2): 3,66,000 TOTAL:9,61,000
7 th	2016	20	8,10,000
8 th	2017	34	10,72,000
9 th	2018 Aloor	48	16,65,000
10 th	2019 Aloor	29	7,50,000
11 th	2019 Aloor	69	24,60,000
12 th	2020 Nadathara	70	30,00,500
13 th	2021 Nadathara	41	19,25,000
14 th	2021 Annamanada	144	48,55,000
15 th	2022 Melloor	141	50,25,000
16 th	2023 Kadukutty	114	42,95,000
Total 869 Women Beneficiaries			30,475,500



Visit to Annamanada & Nadathara during April 2022



Visit to Annamanada during May 2022



Visit to Annamanada - 2022



**Visit to Nadathara –
July 2022**



Visit to Meloor on July 2022



Visit to Annamanada August 2022



Visit to Nadathara –August 2022



Visit to Annamanada –September 2022



Visit to Aloor - September 2022 & Meloor during September 2022



Visit to Annamanada and Nadathara in November 2022

1. House Visits to the Women Beneficiaries of K.P. Paul Foundation

House visits were conducted for the monitoring of the Women Entrepreneurship Programmes.



Follow-up visit at Annamanada & Visiting shop of Women Beneficiary -Meloor Panchayat during May 2022



Follow up visit at Nadathara during May 2022



Medical shop inauguration of a Women Entrepreneur at Meloor Panchayat during May 2022

House visits were conducted at Annamanada on 28th July 2022 for assessing the progress of the projects given to them and we took the photos of each beneficiary .On that day we visited nearly 30 houses.



House visits at Annamanada on 28.07.2022

House visits were conducted on 20th August for the monitoring of the project at Annamanada



House visits at Annamanada on 20.08.2022



Field Visits conducted on 28.09.2022 at Annamanada for assessing the Women Entrepreneurs

On December 1st and 2nd week Rajagiri outREACH Staff, Ligi, Divya and Candice conducted house visits of the new applicants from Kadukutty Grama panchayat. We received 165 new applications from the panchayat, after the house visit an interview was conducted on 22nd December 2022. After the interview 120 were short listed



2. House visit by students from Edinburg University

House visits were conducted to houses of 10 beneficiaries at Meloor Grama Panchayat by the students from Edinburg University. All the visits that were done helped the students to understand the importance of this project in the lives of many women across the state. The beneficiaries hosted the students well.



House visit by students from Edinburg University

3. Session on Sustainable Development

A session on “**Sustainable Development**” was conducted for the Women Beneficiaries at Meloor Panchayat, by Mr. Varghese Paul, a trainer in Thrissur District on 23rd May 2022. It was a two-hour session and was very informative. This session really boosted their performance by improving the quality of work in which they were involved. It helped the women to widen their self-confidence & esteem. Different types of training and skill development programmes helped to improve Communication skills,

Personality Development, Leadership skills, Management skills, Entrepreneurship skills and Basic accounting skills, etc.



Session on “Sustainable Development” conducted for the Women Beneficiaries at Meloor Panchayat, by Mr. Varghese Paul, Trainer in Thrissur District on 23rd May 2022



Dog rearing -Dimble Sasi



Anjaly - DTP Center on May 2022



Cow Rearing –Saritha Subhash

4. Yoga Day Observation at Mellor on June 22nd 2022

As a part of Yoga Day observation, Rajagiri outREACH organized a Yoga training to the Women beneficiaries of K P Paul Foundation Project at Mellor by Ms Jaya, one of the beneficiaries. She is a yoga teacher at Don Bosco School, Irinjalakuda, and a trainer of swimming also. She took a session on the importance of yoga. Yoga helps in reducing chronic pain, headaches, arthritis, and lower back pain. Yoga is also helpful in lowering blood pressure. Yoga is beneficial for people suffering from lifestyle diseases and fitness disorders. Some of the other physical benefits of yoga are:

- Protection from injury
- Better flexibility

- Increased muscle strength and tone
- Maintains weight
- Better athletic performance
- Balances metabolism



Observation of Yoga Day at Mellor on 22.06.2022 for Women Beneficiaries of K.P. Paul Foundation

5. Training at Krishi Vigyan Kendra

Rajagiri outREACH had arranged a one-day training at Krishi Vigyan Kendra at Mannuthy on 15th July 2022. Women beneficiaries from Annamanada participated in the training. The first session was taken by Dr. Aneena E R, on how to make value added products from jack fruit, mango, pineapple, etc., and another session was taken by Dr. Deepa James on Mushroom cultivation. Dr. Mary Regina, Department Head, addressed the beneficiaries. She also told the women to start the value added products' unit. The women beneficiaries were able to visit the production units also. Some of the farmers demonstrated the process of budding jackfruit tree and mango tree and also gave explanation on how to make manure. It gave an eye sight to our beneficiaries. The women beneficiaries visited the Agricultural Technology Information Center Mannuthy and purchased many plants from the center. Tea and lunch were arranged at KVK (Krishi Vigyan Kendra).



Training at Krishi Vigyan Kendra



Visiting Agricultural Technology Information Centre, Mannuthy



Exposure Visit by Annamanada Women Beneficiaries



Women Beneficiaries at Krishi Vigyan Kendra



Training at KVK on 15-07-2022

6. Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav – Stitching of Flags

As a part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav the Women Beneficiaries of K P Paul Foundation were engaged in stitching Flags for the panchayat according to the order. It was a nice experience for the women entrepreneurs and it brought about a feeling of patriotism.



Stitching of Flags as part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav during July 2022



Newspaper clipping of Flags stitched by the Women Beneficiaries of K.P. Paul Foundation during July 2022

7. Onam Celebration - Women Entrepreneurship Programme of K P Paul Foundation

Onam celebration for Women Entrepreneurs was conducted on 14th September 2022 at Annamanada, on 15th September 2022 at Aloor, 16th September 2022 at Nadathara and 19th September 2022 at Meloor. Ms Divya, Coordinator Women Entrepreneurship Program welcomed the gathering. Ms. Ligi, Project Coordinator of Women Entrepreneurship Program gave the onam message. Ice-breaker sessions were organized to bring the participants to a zone of comfort. Different types of games were conducted like lemon and spoon race, chair race, candle race and tongue twister, etc. The Women beneficiaries actively participated in the celebration and it was a one-hour programme in all our centers. At the end of the programme payasam was distributed to all participants.

8. Onam celebration at Annamanada on 14th September 2022 at Panchayat Community Hall



Onam celebration at Aloor on 15th September 2022 at Conference Hall Co-operative Society, Aloor



Onam celebration at Nadathara on 16th September 2022 at Jubilee Mandiram Hall



Onam celebration at Meloor on 19th September 2022 at Panchayath Community Hall Meloor



9. Training on ‘Organic Manure Preparation’ conducted for the Women Beneficiaries at Annamanada panchayat

A training on “Organic Manure Preparation” for the Women Beneficiaries at Annamanada Panchayat was conducted on 25th November 2022 at 11.00 am. The programme began with a formal

meeting. Social Welfare Standing Committee Chairperson Mrs. Sindhu presided over the programme and Panchayat President Mr. P. V. Vinod inaugurated the program. There were also many dignitaries like ward members community councillor, CDs members etc., who participated. After the official meeting the session on preparation of manure was taken by the Pest Scout of Krishibhavan of Annamanada panchayat, Mrs. Vineetha. She described about the preparation of different organic manures and pesticides like Trichoderma, Pseudomonas, Neem- garlic Emulsion, fish amino acid etc. She also cleared the doubts of the participants. 40 women participated in the program.



Training on ‘Organic Manure Preparation’ conducted for the Women Beneficiaries at Annamanada panchayat on 25.11.2022

10. Online session for the Women Entrepreneurs hosted by BSc. (Hons) Agriculture students from College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram

An online session was hosted by 48 BSc. (Hons.) Agriculture students from College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram on 23.09.2022. The students took sessions for the women beneficiaries of K P Paul foundation project. The first session was about **BUSH PEPPER**. They explained about the various cultivation aspects, advantages and uses of bush pepper plants. The student also explained about the pests and diseases of Pepper plant and their management.

SMAM- Submission on Agricultural Mechanization which is a Government scheme to increase agricultural mechanization and thereby increasing farmers’ income. This scheme focuses on providing subsidies for purchase of small scale & large scale machines from authorised dealers, subsidies on establishing farm machine banks and Custom hiring centres.



PM-KUSUM Scheme-Solarisation of Existing agricultural pumps and Installation of stand alone pumps sets for agricultural purpose in un-electrified areas and replacement of existing diesel generator agri pump sets by offering subsidies. Solarisation would reduce dependence of these pumps on conventional electricity thus reducing the requirement of subsidized electricity for agriculture and provide additional source of income to farmers who will be in a position to sell the surplus power to the utility.

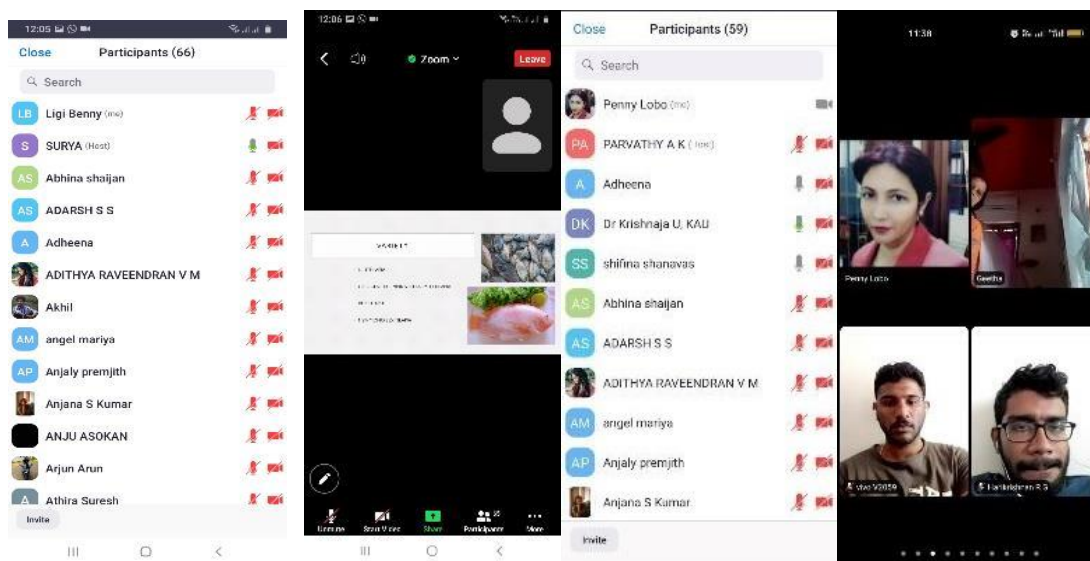
TILAPIA FARMING Tilapia is a delicious and meat-rich food. They require certain care and management, The methods used to test the pH, Ammonia, Temperature were discussed. 3 stages of farming of tilapia were Hatching, Rearing and Harvesting were explained. Hatching includes delicate jobs such as caring for breeding colonies, encouraging or inducing spawning, egg extraction or nursery isolation, tilapia fry care and raising the fry to fingerling size.

Rearing or grow-out is the part of tilapia farming that picks up after the hatchery has raised them to fingerling size. At this stage the tilapia farmer's goal is to raise the tilapia to harvest size quickly, economically and in good health. Harvesting or processing involves selecting tilapia, moving them to a finishing pond, killing them humanely in a way that respects what they are providing and then removing their filets.

Importance of Coconut Farming and Different Value Added Products from Coconut

The fourth session was on the "Importance of coconut farming and different value added products from coconut". One of the important product from coconut, that is copra and its of two types viz., Milling copra and edible copra. Coconut oil is obtained from milling copra. Coconut oil can be used not only for the production of food products but also for the production of soap and for industrial purposes. They also explained about the production processes of virgin coconut oil, coconut chips, coconut water, Nata de coco, Neera, Snowball tender nut, coconut jam, coconut jaggery, coconut flower syrup, coconut cheese and also about the importance of value added non-food products like coir pith, coconut wood, coir, charcoal, etc., were explained.

STINGLESS BEE -The last topic was MELIPONICULTURE. It was an informative session. They told about the differences between normal honey bee and stingless bee.



11. A session on “Professionalism in Entrepreneurship

A session on “**Professionalism in Entrepreneurship**” by Adv. K R Sumesh, a well-known trainer, was held on 17th October 2022 at Meloor Grama Panchayath Hall. He told them that they should keep Professionalism in all their activities, especially in their Entrepreneurship activities. If they become

professional they will get enough time in their daily routine and also make maximum output. He also informed the beneficiaries that time management is very important in our entire life and it makes our life more fruitful.



12. One Day Picnic for the Women Beneficiaries

On 2nd December 2022 Rajagiri outREACH arranged a one day picnic to Marine World, Chavakkad for the Women Entrepreneurs of Nadathara panchayat . The first visit was at Shoba mall at Puzhakkal, then to Marine World at Edakkazhiyur and Panchavadi Beach. There were around 42 participants. The tour began at 9:30 am and ended at 8:00 pm. It was a very good experience for the beneficiaries and increased the unity among the beneficiaries. The beneficiaries were really happy.



Visit to Marine World, Chavakkad, Thrissur District on 02.12.2022



One Day Picnic for the Women Beneficiaries

13. Christmas Celebrations

(a) Christmas celebrations at Annamanada

Christmas was celebrated at Annamanada Grama Panchayat on 14th December 2022. The celebration was officially inaugurated by the President of Annamanada Grama Panchayat Mr.Vinod, on 14th December 2022, conveying the Christmas greetings to our beneficiaries. Mrs. Laya, the Kudumbashree Chairperson, Annamanada Grama Panchayat, felicitated the gathering. After the inaugural function different types of games and recreational activities were organized for the participants which included a concentration game, a memory game and pass the action game. The winners of each activity were awarded with exciting prizes. All of our beneficiaries had a great time. At the end of the event, cake was served.



(b) Christmas celebration at Meloor

Christmas celebration was organized for the Women Entrepreneurs of Meloor Grama Panchayat on December 19, 2022. The program began at 10.30 a.m. with a silent prayer. Ms. Divya, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH proposed the welcome address. Ms. Ligi V .E., Development Officer, Rajagiri outREACH delivered the Christmas message. Refreshments were served among the participants. Different types of recreational activities and games were organized for the participants which included a concentration game, a smack the cup game and passing the action game. The winners of each game were awarded with exciting prizes. The participants were fully engaged in singing & dancing having a great time at the celebration. The program concluded by 1.30 pm.



14. SELECTION AND FUND DISTRIBUTION OF CREATING ENTREPRENEURS PROJECT 16th PHASE AT KADUKUTTY GRAMA PANCHAYATH

a) Introduction of the Project to Panchayat Authorities and collection of application

Rajagiri outREACH staff visited Kadukutty Grama Panchayat on November 2, 2022. The staff members met the Welfare Standing Committee Chairperson, Mr. Vimal Kumar, CDS Chairperson, and Ms. Aswathy Mahesh and discussed about the project "Creating Entrepreneurs", along with the process of selecting beneficiaries. Later, the members met the Grama Panchayat President, Ms. Princy Francis, on 4th November 2022. They briefed about the project to the Panchayat President and also addressed the Kudumbashree ADS members on their annual day celebrations. After the discussion with the Panchayat officials, collection of applications from Kadukutty Grama Panchayat began and provided a week's time for receiving applications.



Meeting with Kudumbashree Chairperson Ms. Aswathy on 2nd November 2022 at Kadukutty Grama Panchayat



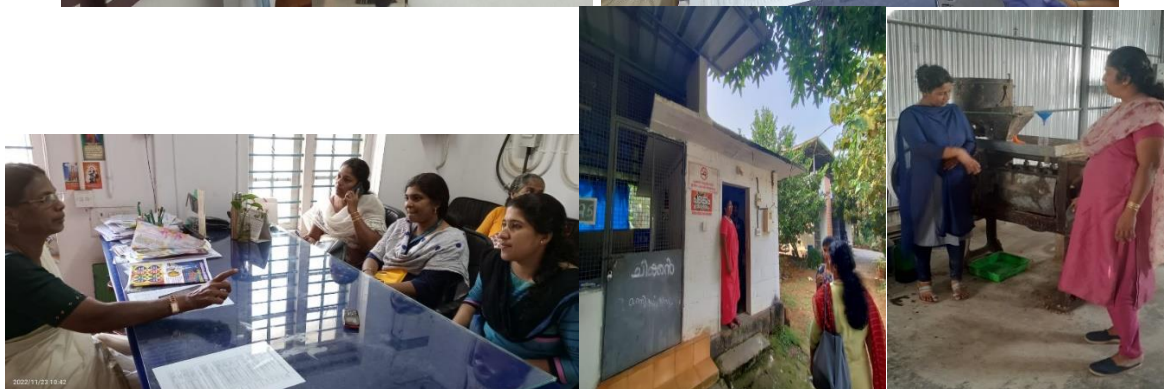
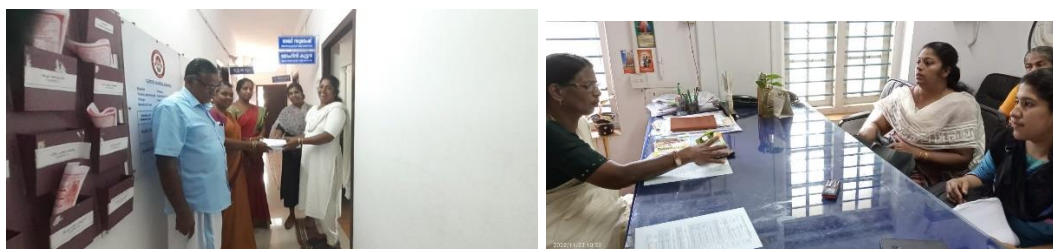
Briefing about the project ‘Creating Entrepreneurs ‘ to the Panchayath President Ms. Princy on 4th November 2022



Addressing Kudumbasree members about K P Paul Foundation Project on 4th November 2022



Receiving applications from Kadukutty panchayath



Meeting with Kadukutty Panchayat President on 04.11.2022 & House visits at Kadukutty Panchayat

b) House visit at Kadukutty Grama Panchayat

The Rajagiri outREACH staff members got 168 applications from Kadukutty Grama Panchayat. The members consisting of Ms. Ligi, Ms. Divya and Ms. Candice conducted house visits in the month of December 2022 and January 2023.



c) Selection Process of Women Beneficiaries from Kadukutty Grama Panchayat

A total of 168 applications were received from Kadukutty Grama Panchayat. The Staff from Rajagiri outREACH conducted house visits in the month of December 2022 and January 2023. On 22nd December 2022, a selection interview was conducted for the 16th phase beneficiaries at Kadukutty Panchayat Hall. The interview board consisted of Mr. Johny N.V, GM Services (Popular motors and Vehicles) Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri OutREACH, Mrs Ligi, Development Officer at Rajagiri OutREACH, Mrs. Divya and Ms. Candice. Most of the applicants applied for cows, goats, poultry, buffalos, Fish rearing, Vegetable farming, Door mat making, Chips and snacks making unit, Tailoring unit, cake making unit, E-help desk, Shop expansion, Pickle making unit, Thattukada, Catering unit, Mushroom cultivation, Painting brush making, Machinery for medical lab, Aluminium fabrication, Rosary making, Power tools purchase, Popcorn making, Jewellery making, Coconut and flour mill, and Hotel expansion.

A total of 168 applications were received, out of which 158 applicants attended the interview, and 118 were shortlisted. The 118 applications were shortlisted to 114 after house visits.



d) Re-visit to Shortlisted Beneficiary Homes

Rajagiri outREACH Staff members Ms. Ligi, Ms. Divya and Ms. Candice together visited the 118 shortlisted beneficiary homes of 16th Phase at Kadukutty Panchayat on 4th, 5th and 9th January 2023.



e) Orientation to the short-listed beneficiaries of Kadukutty Grama Panchayat

The orientation session was arranged for the beneficiaries on 13th January at Kadukutty Grama Panchayat Hall. A Total of 114 Women Entrepreneurs were chosen from Kadukutty Grama Panchayat for “Creating Entrepreneurs” project. The Panchayat president, Ms. Princy addressed the gathering and shared her thoughts on the importance of developing the projects for better sustainability and upliftment of the women.



f) 16th Phase inauguration and Fund Distribution to the Women Beneficiaries at Kadukutty Panchayat in Thrissur District on 27th January 2023

As part of KP Paul Foundation project of "Creating Entrepreneurs", funds were distributed for selected women to start their entrepreneurship at Kadukutty Panchayath in Thrissur district. A total of

Rs.42,95,000.00 (Rupees Forty Two Lakhs and Ninety Five Thousand only) was **distributed to 114 women beneficiaries** in a meeting on 27th January 2023 at Panchayath Community Hall, Kadukutty, Thrissur District.

The meeting commenced at 10 .30 a.m. with a prayer and welcome address by Mrs. Ligi V.E. Coordinator .K P Paul Project. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH gave an introductory speech. Ms. Princy Francis, Kadukutty Panchayath President gave the Presidential address. The fund distribution was inaugurated by Mr. Francis K Paul, Managing Trustee of K P Paul Foundation. Felicitations were given by Mr. Sajjan M A, General Manager, K P Paul Foundation, Mr. Johny N V, GM Service, K P Paul Foundation, Ms. Mohini Kuttan, Health Standing Committee Chairperson, Kadukutty Grama Panchayath and CDS Chairperson Ms Aswathy Mahesh. The programme was concluded with vote of thanks by Mrs. Divya P G, Social Worker Rajagiri outREACH.





K.P Paul Foundation Fund Distribution program held on 27th January 2023 at Kadukutty Panchayat in Thrissur district



Photographs from the 16th phase inauguration - All dignitaries from K.P. Paul Foundation, Kadukutty Grama Panchayat Officials and Staff from Rajagiri outREACH along with the beneficiaries of 16th Phase of “Creating Entrepreneurs” Project

15. Women’s Day Observation Programmes

(a) Women’s Day Observation Programme at Kadukutty Grama Panchayat

Women’s Day Observation programme was conducted at Kadukutty Grama Panchayat on 3rd March 2023 at Panchayat Hall. The programme started at 10 am with a prayer song, followed by an ice breaking session. Ms. Moly Thomas, Ward Member Kadukutty Panchayat took class on **Women’s Safety and how a woman can defend herself**. She is a Resource Person from KILA. She discussed on the roles and responsibilities of women. After the session, different types of games were organized. The participants were served refreshments.



(b) Women’s Day Observation Programme at Annamanada

Women’s day was observed at Annamanada on 8th March 2023 at 10am. The programme was at VMT Hall Annamanada. It was inaugurated by Annamanada Grama Panchayat President, Mr. Vinod. Welfare Standing Committee Chairperson, Ms Sindhu presided over the function. Nita Gelatin Company provided menstrual cups to 1500 women at Annamanada Panchayat. Ms. A Sini Salva, Resource Person from KELSA took class on women’s issues and different types of laws for the protection of women.



(c) Women’s Day Observation Programme at Meloor

Women’s day observation was held at Meloor on 20th March 2023 at 10.00 a. m. The programme was at Meloor Panchayat Hall. Adv. Sini Salva, Resource Person, KELSA, took class on women’s issues and different types of laws for the Protection of Women Rights especially on sexual harassment at work place.



2. CSR PROGRAMME OF SUD CHEMIE INDIA PVT. LTD.

WOMEN EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMME

a. Meeting at Binanipuram on 13.09.2022 – Women Entrepreneurship Programme supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd.

A meeting was held at Binanipuram for women beneficiaries of Sud-Chemie Women Empowerment Project on 13th September 2022.



Meeting with Women Beneficiaries of Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd., on 13.09.2022

b. Mushroom Training - One Day Training Programme on Mushroom Cultivation Supported by Sud-Chemie India Pvt Ltd, Organized by Rajagiri outREACH, Department of Biosciences, RCSS

As part of Women Empowerment Programme supported by Sud-Chemie, Rajagiri outREACH organized their first **‘One-day mushroom cultivation training’** on March 15th 2023 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery in collaboration with the Department of Biosciences, RCSS. A total number of 18 participants from Edayar and Muppathadam of Kandungalloor Gram Panchayat attended the training programme. The training programme began with an official inaugural ceremony. The programme started by 10.30 am at Alex Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous) (RCSS), Kalamassery. After the silent prayer, Ms Ranjith Udayabhanu, Senior Development Officer, Rajagiri outREACH, delivered the welcome address, and he officially welcomed all the dignitaries to the programme. The inauguration was done by Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Asst. Director, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. He addressed the participants and explained the significance of mushroom training in the current context. Then the felicitation was given by Dr. S. Antony Caesar, HoD, Department of Biosciences. The programme concluded with a Vote of thanks given by Mr. Varghese K O, Office Assistant, Rajagiri outREACH.



After the official inaugural function, the training session commenced. The session was handled by Ms. Gincy Devasia, Technician, Department of Biosciences, RCSS. She began the session by explaining entirely about mushroom and its various aspects, the need of mushroom cultivation its benefits, the types of mushrooms, and then gave a detailed explanation of each step of mushroom cultivation. In the training, she explained that in Kerala out of all the different types of mushrooms like Milky Mushroom, Button mushroom and Paddy Straw Mushroom, Oyster Mushroom

is cultivated on a large scale basis because of its ease of cultivation, especially for any beginner new to this cultivation.

Dr. N.M. Krishna Kumar, Scientist-B, Department of Biosciences, RCSS, took the session by explaining about the Medicinal Value of Mushroom, Mushroom Pest and Management, and the Nutritional Value. Then a detailed insight into the importance of mushroom cultivation, different innovative products of mushrooms and the things that should need to be taken care of regarding the adverse effect that could affect the cultivation.



After the theory session, a practical session was provided to the participants who have been able to involve in the complete process from the beginning stage i.e., from soaking the straw till the end of setting the spawn beds for the mushroom cultivation. The practical session aided them to identify the challenges and helps in rectifying their doubts. The objective of the session was exercised through the effective training session from the experts. At the end of the session, the participants carried a spawn bed with them. After the training session, a WhatsApp group was created for follow-up.

The participants kept posting the images of their mushrooms that has been growing. The Technical experts Ms. Gincy and Mr. Krishna Kumar ensured in rectifying the doubts of participants and helped in making them expert in the field. It was identified that the session has become effective, because the knowledge of the participants was improved and the session aid in building positive attitude among them towards the mushroom cultivation. Although the interest in the participants could enable them to continuing the cultivation and might help in developing a sustainable livelihood practice through economic sustainability.



In fact, the mushroom cultivation is currently flourishing in the market, and in the country like India, the nutritional value and as the zero-cost investment activity it has a growing impact in the industry. So, this training programme becomes useful and can bring a growing impact to the participants.



The growing and final stage of Mushroom cultivation



One-day training on Mushroom cultivation at RCSS on 15.03.2023 supported by Sud-Chemie India Pvt. Ltd.



One-day training on Mushroom cultivation at RCSS on 15.03.2023 supported by Sud-Chemie India Pvt. Ltd.

c. Goat Rearing Loan Supported by Sud Chemie India Private Limited

As part of the women empowerment programme, to provide goat rearing loan of **Rs.30, 000/-** for four women, a data collection by attaining details via forms for the interested women was conducted through Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee. Later the committee discussed regarding the programme, analyzed the list and confirmed 4 women who matched our criteria. These kind of project activities aimed for the accomplishment of women empowerment through effective and sustaining programmes for their development. The goat rearing loan provides with the aim of creating an income generation for the family



through this loan amount was budgeted for the goat and its area of living. The selected members for the programme are Smt. Rosily Thomas, Smt. Shameena P N, Smt. Nisha P C and Smt. Shibina Shaji. The committee has decided to provide the sanctioned amount for the women during the



Christmas and New Year celebration held at January 3rd 2023. The loan amount for Smt. Shameena P N, Smt.Nisha P C and Smt. Shibina Shaji was transferred to their bank accounts and for Smt. Rosily Thomas, the cheque of Rs.30,000 was handed over by Shri. Shaji M A, BSDP Committee Member. He provided orientation about this aspect.



Goat-rearing training programme supported by Sud-Chemie India Pvt. Ltd., to selected Women

d. Roof Top & Family Farming (Terracotta Pot, Grow Bag, Plants) - Supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd

A plan of action for roof top and family farming has been taken on by the Sud Chemie CSR project programme activities under the Women Empowerment Programme. Around 50 families from Wards 16 and 18 of Kandungalloor Grama Panchayat were chosen to be a part of the programme. The 50 selected families received 500 grow bags with 500 vegetable seedlings. The programme took place on 28th of February 2023. Since the markets were flooded with pesticide and fertilizer treated vegetables, families are left with no choice but to depend on small-scale organic farming to supplement themselves with essential nutrients. In fact, this project aims to support families' access to healthy food and to improve their means of livelihood

These initiatives that promotes livelihood could encourage interest in agriculture among everyone and would be beneficial for rural residents to undertake income-generating activities. Also, this might lead to agricultural employment possibilities.

The initiative's chosen women beneficiaries showed interest in farming, which could aid into the expansion of farmlands and the practice of farming. The lack of space for cultivation among the local population is yet another significant disadvantage, but encouraging small scale organic farming among families would help to support agricultural production even in area with limited space.



e. Observation / Celebration of Important days

Women's Day Celebration on March 25th 2023



Women' Day Celebration Conducted on
25.03.2023

For the Women Entrepreneurs group supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd, Rajagiri outREACH, and Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee conducted a Women's Day celebration on 25th March 2023 at Ghanshyam Community Hall, Binanipuram, Edayar. A total number of 23 women attended the Programme. As part of the women's day celebration, an awareness session for the women's group, led by Mr. Krishnakumar I.P., ODIC Project, Centre in-charge cum Counselor, was conducted effectively on the same day.

The program began at 10.30 am after all the members were seated at the Centre. Ms Binisha, Social Worker at Rajagiri outREACH, addressed the gathering and introduced the resource person to the group, followed by a brief up to the program. Mr Shaji, Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee delivered the welcome speech and commenced the session. The awareness program dealt with the recent technological advances and the mobile addiction related to the same among children. It was an interactive session where Mr. Krishnakumar explained on how it would help the younger generation and the ways to identify screen addiction among children. At the end of the class, an open discussion regarding the topic was conducted where the participants expressed their opinion. The meeting marked its end successfully along with the involvement of all the participants and volunteers.



3. CSR PROGRAMME OF CARBORUNDUM UNIVERSAL LTD. (CUMI)

Rajagiri outREACH and CUMI Kalamassery jointly organized tailoring classes on embroidery work for selected women from Kalamassery Municipality. The Inauguration of the tailoring classes was held at Kothad on 13th February 2023. The programme was inaugurated by Shri Suresh Kumar, AGM, Senior HR Manager, CUMI and presided by Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH. Smt.Sosha, Embroidery Teacher shared her experience in this field. Mr. Ranjith K.U, Rajagiri outREACH gave an introduction about the programme. Mr. Donny Benny coordinated the programme.





Inauguration of tailoring class for women from Kalamassery, held at Kothad on 13th February 2023, sponsored by CUMI

4. Rotary Club – Livelihood Project for Women

Rajagiri outREACH and Rotary Club Kalamassery jointly conducted the Evaluation Meeting of Livelihood project of the women of flood affected victims conducted at Rotary Club Paravoor on 9th February 2023. A total of six Women Entrepreneurs attended the programme. They shared their experience in stitching and marketing issues. Shri Narayanan from Rotary club and Mrs.Meena Kuruvilla and Ranjith .K.U., Rajagiri outREACH, attended the programme.



Evaluation meeting of Livelihood Project of Rotary club held on 9th February 2023 at Paravoor Rotary Club

6. PROGRAMMES FOR ELDERLY

305 Pakalvedu Members



The Day Care Centre for the Elderly, is a non-institutional scheme namely **Pakalvedu** for the elderly, mainly functioning in Ernakulam District at **Kothad, Kadamakudy, Binanipuram, Karikkattuthuruth, Moolampilly and Kalamassery**. “Pakalvedukal” are functioning under the patronage of various Corporates, LSG’s, clubs, organizations, etc.

The emphasis is on non-institutional and Community Based Services (CBS) with the intention of integrating the elderly with the community. The purpose and basic principle of the approach is to assist the elderly who experience isolation, rejection and suffer from insecurity, anxiety and depression. The programme supports 305 elderly people through different centers. Regular activities of the day care which included newspaper reading, discussion on local reports, personal sharing, house visits, exposure visits, entertainment trips, reading, listening to music, games and yoga, counselling, motivational and awareness classes on health, relationships, etc., celebration of members birthdays, nutritious lunch, observation of occasions like International Elders’ Day, Onam, Ramzan, Christmas & New Year, Environment Day, were organized by Rajagiri outREACH Staff. The service of a doctor once a week is provided at certain centers. The Social Workers from Rajagiri outREACH paid house visits to Pakalvedu members on regular basis to provide psycho social support and for providing health and nutrition kits to the senior citizens.

Our First Senior Citizen Day Care Centre (PAKALVEEDU) was established in Kothad Village in Ernakulam District in the year 1995. Currently the Centres are functioning at Kothad, Kadamakudy, Binanipuram, Karikkattuthuruth, Moolampilly and Kalamassery

The major programmes conducted at the Pakalvedu were:

- International Day for the Elderly
- Psycho Social Support
- Class about old age care
- Observation of important festivals and days
- Class on Nutritious food
- Distribution of Health & Nutrition Kits
- House visits
- Exposure visits
- Entertainment Trips
- Yoga Sessions

1. ACTIVITIES OF PAKALVEEDU AT KOTHAD

Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens at Kothad

April 2022 to March 2023

After the COVID-19 pandemic, the Kothad Village Development Committee facilitated by Rajagiri outREACH decided to restart the regular Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens programmes at Kothad at the Sacred Heart Church Parish Hall from April 2022.

1. Planning meet for Community Mental Health Centre

A planning meeting was organized with Fr. Dr. Varghese K Varghese, Dean and HOD of Department of Psychology, RCSS for starting Community Mental Health Centre at Day Care Centres for Senior Citizens at Kothad, Kadamakudy, Moolampilly, Karikkattuthuruth and Kalamassery Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, Sri. Ranjith K.U., Coordinator of Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Rajagiri outREACH, Dr. Amal Tom Jose, Faculty in charge for Community Mental Health Programmes attended the programme. The team visited all centres on April 16, 17 and 18th 2022 and planned the inauguration dates.



Pablo, Internship Student from Barcelona, Spain and his parents visited the Day Care Centre. Guests and members of the centre participated in various cultural programmes at Kothad on 03.08.2022.





2. Water Metro Yathra organized for Senior Citizens

Rajagiri outREACH in collaboration with Sayanthanam Care, for Elders organized three Water Metro Yathra –November 12, 2022; November 26, 2022 and December 23, 2022 for 300 senior Citizens from Kothad, Kalamassery, Binanipuram, Panampilly Nagar and members of Sayanthanam Senior Citizens Whatsapp group attended the Yathra. The time for the water metro yathra was from 4.00 pm to 6.00 pm, 6 Electric boat service were reserved for 300 seniors. On November 2022 in connection with Water Metro Yathra, members from Kothad visited Vallarpadam and Renewable Energy Expo at Bolghatty and Celebration at Sayanthanam Care for Elders at Nayarambalam. The programme was coordinated by Sri. Ranjith K.U., Coordinator for Senior Citizen Day Care Centre.

November 12, 2022



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സമത ട്രസ്റ്റ് ചെയർമാൻ രാജേഷ് നായർ, ഡോ.അബ്ദുൾ ഗഫൂർ, മീന കുര്യവിള, എസ്.രഞ്ജിത്ത്, ലൂസി അഗസ്റ്റിൻ, അനന്ത പത്മനാഭൻ, എം.എഫ്. പ്രസാദ്, ജോർജ്ജ് ഷാജി തുടങ്ങിയവർ നേതൃത്വം നൽകി.





In the 2nd Water Metro Yathra Smt. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, Smt. Maria Tency, Smt. Philomina Toby, Kumari. Jinsha, Sri. Gracious, Sri. Ranjith K.U., coordinated and participated with 85 senior citizens.



Programme photos of August 2022





3. Onam celebration and Distribution of Vegetable Kit to Senior Citizens on 31.08.2022

On August 31, 2022 Adv. Rajendran Nair, Chariman, Samatha Charitable Trust, sponsored a programme and distributed vegetable kit in connection with Onam Festival. Dr. Mary Metilda, Former Principal of Maharaja's College delivered the key note address and sang Onam songs with the famous singer Vinayachandran.



Vegetable kit distribution for Onam



4. Inauguration of Community Mental Health Centre at Kothad Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens on November 23rd 2022 at Sacred Heart Parish Hall, Kothad

The inaugural ceremony of Kothad Community Mental Health Centre was held on 23rd November 2022 at 10:30 am in Sacred Heart Parish Hall, Kothad. The program started off with a prayer song. Fr.(Dr.) Varghese K Varghese, Dean & HoD, Department of Psychology, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, welcomed the guests. The Presidential Address was delivered by Sri. Vipin Raj, Vice President, Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath. Dr Binoy Joseph, Principal, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences lighted the lamp. He also delivered the inaugural address following the lamp lighting ceremony. Fr. Martin Thaiparambil, Vicar, Sacred Heart Church, Kothad & Manager, HSS of JESUS, Kothad delivered the keynote address. Fr. Edison, Asst. Vicar, Sacred Heart Church, Kothad and Smt. Meena Kuruvilla Project Director felicitated. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla distributed delicious cakes in memory of her Mother in law. Fr. Edison, thanked the institute for such a great initiative. Sri. M.F. Prasad, President, Kothad Grama Vikasana Samithi, Sri. Geroge Chamminikodath, Vice President, KGVS, KSB Sponsor and ex-member Sri. Alex Attullil felicitated the college's initiative to start a service open to public. Dr. Amal Tom Jose, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Psychology, RCSS, enlightened the audience on the importance of counselling and mental health. He emphasized that this centre will be a platform for all those who require professional help for mental health issues. He also explained the relevance of seeking help in the hour of need. Following this, Sri. Ranjith. K.U, Coordinator, Day Care Centres for Senior Citizens, delivered the felicitation address. Smt. Lucy Augustine, Convenor proposed the vote of thanks by thanking all the dignitaries, Chief Guests and participants for their involvement and sparing their valuable time. The program marked its conclusion by 02:30 PM.



Inauguration of Community Mental Health Centre at Kothad Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens on November 23rd 2022 at Sacred Heart Parish Hall, Kothad

5. Christmas and New Year Celebration at Kothad Pakalveedu

Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mr. Ranjith K.U attended the Kothad Pakalveedu Christmas celebration on 14th December 2022.



Kothad Senior Citizen Pakalveedu Christmas day celebration held on 14th December 2022

6. Senior Day Care Centre in Kothad 14th December 2022 - Counselling Services by Department of Psychology 'Rajagiri Centre for Behavioral Science and Research'

Department of Psychology 'Rajagiri Centre for Behavioral Science and Research' Community Mental Health Centre at Kothad provided counselling services to the Public and the members of the Senior Day Care Centre in Kothad on 14th December 2022.

The Session started at 10:00 am. The counselling session was led by Dr. Amal Tom Jose, Assistant Professor in the Department of Psychology. Two members from the Senior Day Care Centre consulted Dr. Amal for counselling. The session ended at 03:15 pm.

7. Boat Yathra for Senior Citizens of Kothad Day Care Centre for Elderly on January 11th 2023 – Visit with Bishop Hermen Gletter, Austria

A get-together and Boat Yathra was organized with the support of Sri. Benny Kuttickal in connection with the visit of Bishop Hermen Gletter, Diocese of Innsbruck from Austria. The Bishop blessed the boat and participated in cultural programmes and Holy Mass. Bishop also blessed the Lunch prepared for senior citizens. Members performed various cultural programmes and songs. 75 members participated and it was a memorable event.





Get-together and Boat Yathra organized with the support of Sri. Benny Kuttickal in connection with the visit of Bishop Hermen Gletter, Diocese of Innsbruck from Austria, on 11.01.2023 – Kothad Elderly Day Care Centre



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8. New Year Celebration at Kothad Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens

On 25-01-2023, as part of Rajagiri outREACH Programme, 1st and 2nd year students of MSc Psychology, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, visited members of Community Mental Health Centre, Kothad as part of New Year Celebration on 25th January, 2023. Dr. Amal Tom Jose, Assistant Professor in the Department of Psychology and the Faculty Coordinator of Community Mental Health Centres accompanied the students. The programme commenced at 10:00 a.m. The senior citizens of the community centre welcomed the team with tea and the students also offered them sweets and snacks in return. A session of Energy Conservation and Energy Efficiency awareness programme named 'Urjakiran 2022-23' was conducted by Mr. Ranjith K.U which focused on sustainable Development Goals. It was followed by several art performances of the members of the Community Mental Health Centre as well as music and dance performances by the students of the Department of Psychology.

An Executive Committee meeting was also organised after the inaugural function and the future plan and new building construction details were discussed as well as for collecting of utensils from Kadamakudy Grama Panchayat.



New Year Celebration at Kothad Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens on 25.01.2023



New Year Celebration at Kothad Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens on 25.01.2023

9. Kothad Day Care Centre Programme organised in memory of Rosa @109 and her daughter in law Thresia @84 held on March 15, 2023



A remembrance day was organised in memory of Smt. Rosa Thathi, Active Member of Kothad Day Care Centre since its inception. She passed away on her 109th age. Her grand children organised the programme. On the same day Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath distributed new plates, Flask for serving 100 tea and Medical equipment.



Kothad Day Care Centre Programme organised in memory of Rosa @109 and her daughter in law Thresia @84 held on March 15, 2023

10. Onam Celebration in September 2022



11. Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens’ Programme at Kothad held on January 24, 2023



12. Observation of Women’s Day and Preparation of Millet Payasam Mela at Kothad Day Care Centre on March 8, 2023

In connection with Women’s Day on March 8th 2023, a Millet Payasam Mela was organized at Kothad Elderly Day Care Centre. Sri. Ranjith K.U., elaborated about the Qualities and Nutritional value of Millets. Smt. Mary Vincent and Lucy Augustine shared their experience about the women empowerment. The team prepared Payasam with Chama Millet.



On March 13 Saturday Fr. Justin serving at Italy sponsored a Mid-day Special meal in connection with his Father’s 103rd Birthday. Fr. Justin invited Committee members for the Dinner with his father in the evening.



2. ACTIVITIES OF PAKALVEEDU AT EDAYAR, BINANIPURAM, ERNAKULAM SPONSORED BY SUD-CHEMIE INDIA PVT. LTD.

Day Care Centre for Senior Citizen Binanipuram

Day Care Centre for Senior Citizen is supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd at Binanipuram. From April 2022 onwards every Tuesday the Centre is working. Sri. Saji Mathew, Unit Head and Deputy General Manager HR, Sri. Shiju Bhaskaran, Senior HR Manager, Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd, Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, visited the Centre on Tuesdays and Special days.

1. Souhrudasamgamam at Binanipuram on June 1, 2022

As part of Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd's Corporate Social Responsibility project, Senior Citizens' Souhrudasamgamam was held on Wednesday 1st June 2022 at Binani Ghanshyam Community Hall. Mr. Saji V. Mathew, General Manager (HR) inaugurated the meeting. Mrs. Sunitha Kumari, Ward Member of Kadungalloor Grama Panchayath chaired the meeting. Dr. Abraham Varghese distributed sweets to all members during the programme. 75 Senior Citizens Participated in the programme.

BSDP committee members Mr. Ragesh Kumar, Mr. Zafarullah, Mr. Subair, Mr. Vishnu, Mr. Afzal Mr. Ranjith K.U, Coordinator, Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Rajagiri outREACH. Animator Smt. Savithri, felicitated in the friendship meet of the members.



Day Home Friendly Meeting held on Wednesday, June 1st 2022 at Binanipuram Elderly Day Care Centre

2. Observation / Celebration of Important Days



Onam Celebrations at Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Binanipuram on 6th September 2022 supported by Sud Chemie

3. Elderly Day Care programme at Binanipuram on September 13, 2022



4. Observation of International Day of Older Persons – VAYOVANDHANAM”

Every year on 1st October, the International Day for Older Persons is celebrated around the world. It was first established on the 14th of December in the year 1990 by the United Nations General Assembly. It was celebrated for the first time on October 1st in the year 1991 to make people aware about issues which affect the elderly as well as to appreciate their contribution towards society.

The International Day of Older Persons is an opportunity to highlight the important contributions that older people make to society and raise awareness of the issues and challenges of ageing in today’s world. Older people continue to have aspirations to well-being and respect regardless of declines in physical and mental capacity. Long-term care systems enable older people, who experience significant declines

in capacity, to receive the care and support of others consistent with their basic rights, fundamental freedom, and human dignity.

Rajagiri outREACH in association with Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd., Carborundum Universal Limited, Rotary Club of Kalamassery and the Department of Social Work, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, observed International Day of Older Persons on October 01, 2022 by inviting 170 Senior Citizens. The Programme was conducted at Esperenza from 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. The UN theme of 2022 International Elders Day was “**Resilience of Older Persons in a Changing World**”.

The program started at 10 am with a prayer song led by MSW 1st year internship students of RCSS.

Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director Rajagiri outREACH had delivered the welcome speech. Dr. Fr. Jose Kuriedath CMI, Director of RCSS, inaugurated the programme. During the inaugural address of the function. Father, in his speech had congratulated every elderly who made it possible to attend the function and so making it a success. Shri. Kunju Muhammed aged 90 and Smt. Thresiamma aged 86 from Binanipuram Pakalveedu Centre were honoured with the adorning of a ponnada by Dr. Fr. Jose Kuriedath CMI, Director of RCSS and Dr. Fr. M.K Joseph, Head of Department of Social Work, RCSS in honoring every elderly as they were the senior most citizen from the group. Smt. Rajani Chandy, Cine Artist was the Chief Guest for the function. She set an example for everyone regarding how to be active and energetic in our life through her speech. Shri. Shiju Bhaskaran, Senior HR Manager, Sud Cheme India Pvt. Ltd delivered the felicitation speech. In his speech, he pointed out the loneliness, parents face due to migration of their children and the importance of Pakalveedu centres. Dr. Fr. M.K Joseph CMI, Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Asst. Director, RCSS and Live Lab Coordinator, Shri. Suresh Kumar A. S, AGM-HR, CUMI, Rtn. Narayana Menon, Coordinator, Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Kalamassery, Rtn. Mohan Thampuran, President, Rotary Club of Kalamassery and Rtn. Suresh Babu, Director Administrator of Rotary Club of Kalamassery, have delivered the felicitation speech and spoke about the importance of celebrating and observing the international day of older persons. Shri. Shiju Bhaskaran, Dr. Fr. M.K Joseph, Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph and Rtn. Suresh Babu handed over gifts to the elders from different centers as a token of love. Tea and snacks were served for the participants in the function at 11am. Smt. Thanga Amma, elderly citizen from Binanipuram Centre had sung a melody song to cheer the audience. The official programme ended with the vote of thanks delivered by Shri. Ranjith K.U, Coordinator, Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens Rajagiri out REACH, who thanked the volunteers, outREACH staff and co-organizers of the programme for their wholehearted support and expressed his gratitude to the audience for their presence.

Cultural programmes were conducted by the elderly from each center. They sang melodies, light music and other folk songs. The elderly from Binanipuram also played Oppana to entertain everyone and the bride for the dance was Smt. Meena Kuruvilla. The elders were also entertained by the Social Work Students of RCSS, with their talents. Shri. Ranjith, Rtn. Narayana Menon and Rtn. Mohan Thampuran entertained the gathering with their melodious voice. Lunch was served for all the participants after the programme. The programme was attended by 260 senior citizens in total. Gifts sponsored by Rajagiri outREACH were distributed to the elderly participants towards the end of the programme. The following is the list of elderly attendees of the event by area of their residence:

Sl.No	Name of the Centre	No. of Participants
1.	Binanipuram	80
2.	Kothad	80
3.	Kadamakudy	25
4.	Kalamassery	40
5.	Kunnathunad	35
	Total Participants	260



Senior Citizens gathered at RCSS for the Observation of International day of Older Persons - 2022



Dr. Fr. Jose Kuriedath giving the Presidential Address Shri. Kunju Muhammed from Binanipuram Pakalveedu lighting the lamp



Dr. Fr. Jose Kuriedath giving a gift to the Chief Guest Smt. Rajani Chandi & Smt. Meena Kuruvilla delivering the welcome speech



Dr. Fr. Jose Kuriedath and Dr. Fr. M.K Joseph honouring the senior most elderly from the group by adorning with a Ponnanda to Shri. Kunju Muhammed and Smt. Thresiamma from Binanipuram Pakalveedu



Dr. Fr. M.K Joseph, Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph and Rtn. Suresh Babu delivering the Felicitation Speech



Shri. Shiju Bhaskaran, Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph, Shri. Suresh Kumar and Rtn. Suresh Babu distributing the gifts to the elderly from each center



Dr. Fr. Jose Kuriedath and Smt. Rajani Chandy, Cine Actress, with the elderly members

Moments captured of the day





Observation of International Day of Older Persons 'VAYOVANDANAM' held at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS), Kalamassery on 01.09.2022

5. Observation of International Day for the Older Persons at Edavanakkad on October 02, 2022

Rajagiri outREACH organised a program for the aged of ward 9 of Edavanakkad Panchayat as part of International day for older persons. Panchayat President Smt. Haseena Abdul Salam, ward member P B Sabu, and CDS Chairperson Smt. Suchitra Sabu addressed the gathering. Around 60 people participated and the program was held at Araya Samudaya Kshema Sangam Hall at Koottungalchira on 02.10.2022. A session on the "Importance of Elderly Day" was taken by Mr.V T Menacherry, a Clinical Counsellor. Games were conducted and all the participants were given gifts at the end of the session. .



Gift Distribution to the Senior Citizens

Games conducted as part of International Day for Older Persons





Observation of International Day for the Older Persons at Edavanakkad on October 02, 2022

6. Session on ‘Women Safety’ for Elderly at Binanipuram supported by Sud – Chemie India Pvt. Ltd, jointly organized by Janamythri Police and Rajagiri outREACH

On 11th of October 2022, the regular gathering and a session on Women Safety was conducted under the sponsorship of Sud-Cheime, jointly organized by Janamythri Police and Rajagiri outREACH, for Pakalveedu members at Ghanshyam Community Hall, Binanipuram.

The program started at 10.30 am with a Prayer song by Ms Savitri, Animator of Pakalveedu. There were around 50 elderly members present. Ms. Nikhitha Johny, Rajagiri outREACH Social Worker welcomed Shri. Hari, ASI, Janamythri Police Station, Binanipuram to conduct the session on women safety for the elderly.

The session began at 11.30 AM. The main aim of this session was to create an awareness among elderly regarding the laws and regulations that ensure women’s safety and to protect the rights of women. Mr Hari also spoke about the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and



Awareness session led Shri. Hari, ASI, Janamythri Police Station, Binanipuram



Senior Citizens Act – 2007. Further on, he spoke about the redressal mechanisms to seek help and added that the elderly can visit Janamythri Police Station anytime for queries or concerns. the importance of being happy during elderly years of life has also been significantly mentioned. After the session, excellent feedback was given by the elderly stating that they really enjoyed the session and could understand it properly as he used an interactive mode of communication. The session ended by 12.30 pm with a group song, sung as a thank you note to Shri Hari. Shri. Shaji, Binanipuram Social Development Program Committee Member delivered

the vote of thanks. At 1 pm lunch was served for everyone in the meeting. Later on, all present at the event sang the National Anthem together and left for their respective homes.

7. Yoga Class for Pakalvedu Members in Support of Sud – Chemie India Pvt. Ltd. - Jointly Organised by Karumalloor Grama Panchayath & Rajagiri outREACH



Shri. Antony conducting Yoga class for Pakalvedu Members at Binanipuram

On **25th October 2022**, the regular gathering and yoga class was conducted for Pakalvedu Members supported by Sud – Chemie India Pvt. Ltd which was jointly organized by Karumalloor Grama Panchayath and Rajagiri outREACH, at Ghanshyam Community Hall, Binanipuram. There were around 54 elderly members present. The programme started at 11 AM. Ms. Nikhitha Johny, welcomed Shri. Antony, Yoga Instructor Karumalloor Panchayath and his daughter Ms. Seema Antony, Yoga teacher at St. George School Edayar conducted the yoga class for the elderly. Shri. Antony started the session with a humble self-introduction which was indeed not necessary as he has been residing at Edayar for several years and people knew him well. After discussing on the importance of yoga he invited his daughter Ms. Seema to conduct the yoga class.



Yoga classes conducted for Pakalvedu Members on 25.10.2022

She, in her speech, described about the importance of practicing yoga on a daily basis. Considering the elderly's age, she sorted out some yoga poses which can be performed seated on a chair. She further enacted few poses and asked them to perform the same. While performing each pose, she *elaborated* on the importance of the same in detail. At 12.30 pm the yoga class was concluded. One of the Pakalveedu members gave the feedback. She said that "I was able to relate to the importance of practicing yoga only after I lost my voice in a thyroid operation. Those days, I could barely speak and it was Antony Sir who helped and trained me to practice yoga and now I can speak and my voice is getting back to normal". She further thanked Antony Sir, followed by a huge round of applause. Afterwards, both Shri. Antony and his daughter joined the elderly who sang beautiful melody songs for them. At 1 pm lunch was served for everyone and soon the meeting was dispersed.



Ms. Seema taking practical yoga class for members of Pakalveedu at Binanipuram



Pakalveedu members giving feedback and singing songs for the guests

8. Tour Programme to Malampuzha for the Elderly, Binanipuram

The tour programme for the Day Care Center, Binanipuram to Malampuzha, supported by Sud- Chemie, was held on November 8, 2022. The volunteers, staff and the elderly assembled at Binanipuram Ghanshyam Community Hall.



Photograph of the tour programme with the entire team

All the Pakalvedu members arrived by 8 AM. The entire day's schedule was explained and instructions were given to the members by Mr. Shaji, Mr.Saffarullah, Mr. Subair, and Ms. Shibina together with Ms. Binisha and Ms. Jinsha Social Workers, Rajagiri outREACH. The journey kick started from Binanipuram at 8.30 AM. A total of 45 elderly day-care participants were involved. The lot reached the first destination, a Fort in Palakkad, around 11.30 AM, where everyone took their entry tickets and explored the area for almost an hour. Next, the group set out for the next destination, which is Malampuzha. After reaching the spot, they

had a hearty meal and were all set to continue with the tour. The group visited the Malampuzha Dam and the Gardens, enjoying the scenic views and ambience. At 4.30 p.m., the return trip started. Everyone expressed their satisfaction and provided the organizing staff with positive reviews. Majority of them spent their time sitting about in their homes, so the trip gave them a chance to get fully involved and experience a new place with their group of people. The group was quite lively throughout the entire journey, even at night. By 8 p.m., the bus reached Binanipuram.

At the end of the journey, they expressed their happiness and left for their respective homes.



Served tea and Snacks for the participants in the return trip

9. Support for Income Generation Programme for Senior Citizens of Binanipuram

Applications were invited in the month of February 2022 and various discussions and awareness programmes were organised during the Day Care Programme organised in February and March. The BSDP commiittee meeting was held on March 15.2022 and selected the eligilbe members for the Income eneration programme for Senior Citizen. An SHG for elders was formed on March 15, 2022 and selected ten senior citizens and distributed cheques for the income generation acitivity on April 19, 2022 at 3 pm.





Distribution of cheques for the income generation activity on April 19, 2022 - SHG for Senior Citizens

PHOTO GALLERY



Tour programme with Day care members of Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd.



Tour programme with Day care members of Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd.



Tour programme with Day care members of Sud chemie India Pvt. Ltd.

10. Water Metro Tour Programme for the Elderly Day Care Centre, Binanipuram

The water metro tour programme for the Elderly Day Care Centre members of Binanipuram supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd was conducted on 16th December 2022. The program began at 2.30 pm from Edayar Junction. Around 25 members from the Day Care Centre joined the trip. The program was coordinated by four committee members and Rajagiri outREACH Staff. The bus reached the High Court junction at 3.15 PM, where the staff briefed about the group about the trip. The group was divided into two for the boat journey. The first slot was around 3.45 pm and for the second slot began at 4.00 pm. The total journey period was around 40 minutes.



Photograph of the entire team

From Vypin Water Metro Station, the metro returned to the High Court Water Metro Station. Around 5.00 pm the members were seated in the bus. The bus stopped at Pathalam for a tea break. Refreshments were also provided for all. During the trip, the elderly group were found to be relaxed and enjoyed the journey throughout. These kinds of trips would give the elderly a chance to explore and enjoy the world around them. The bus reached Edayar Junction at 6.15 pm, with the group expressing their happiness to the coordinators and leaving for their respective homes.



At High Court Water Metro Station



Day Care Centre members in Water Metro

11. Geriatric Care Programme Sponsored by the Binanipuram Jana Mythri Police Station held on 24.01.2023

The Day Care Centre for Senior citizens supported by Sud-Chemie India Pvt. Ltd, held their regular meeting on the 24th of January 2023 at Ghanshyam Community Hall, Binanipuram. The members reached the hall by 10.30 am. The arrangements were carried out by the Animator Mrs. Savithri. The Geriatric Care Programme sponsored by the Binanipuram Janamythri Police station was conducted in addition to the regular meeting. Tea and snacks were served. The inaugural function began with a prayer song, by Smt. Thankamma Thankappan, one of the Day Care members. The welcome speech was



Inaugural Ceremony of Geriatric Care Programme Supported by Janamythri Police, Binanipuram

proposed by Mr. Ragesh, Convener Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee. The inaugural address was given by Mr. Suresh, Inspector of Police. After the inaugural address, gifts for the elderly were given by the officer. Thereafter, Mrs. Sunitha, Ward Member Kadungalloor Panchayat, addressed the gathering. Smt.

Thankamma Thankappan entertained the gathering with a beautiful song. Followed by which, Mr Shaji and Mr Hari, Sub Inspector of Police gave the key note address. The vote of thanks was given by Ms Binisha, Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH. The official programme concluded by 12.30 pm. Mrs. Sunitha and Mr Hari gave gifts to all the Senior Citizens of Day care Centre.

The members expressed their gratitude to the organizing team. The sub-inspector addressed the members and gave a small session regarding the current situation of the community, mainly discussing on the use of drugs among the youth. The members raised their

queries, with the inspector answering their questions and stressing on the significance of the same. The elderly performed oppana and a group song. The meeting got dispersed afterwards with the members leaving for their respective homes.



Mr. Hari Sub Inspector, Jana Mithri Police Binanipuram addressing the Day Care Centre Members

12. OBSERVATION / CELEBRATION OF IMPORTANT DAYS

a. Onam Celebrations in Collaboration with Sud-Chemie India Pvt. Ltd

An Onam Celebration was organized on 6th September 2022 as part of the CSR Project of Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd at Binanipuram, Ghanshyam Binani Community Hall. Mr. Shiju Bhaskaran, Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd. Senior HR Manager, addressed the event. Kandungalloor Grama Panchayat Ward Member Smt. Sunithakumari presided over the function. Mr. Shiju Bhaskaran, Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd. Senior HR Manager gave away Onam gifts to all and delivered Onam messages. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Rajagiri outREACH Project Director delivered Onam



messages and greetings. Mr. Vinayan, Research Associate, Rajagiri outREACH, BSDP Committee Members Mr. Shaji, Mr. Zafarullah, Mr. Vishnu and Animators, Smt. Rosili, Mrs. Shibina Shaji also greeted the gathering. BSDP Convener Shri Ragesh Kumar welcomed the gathering, Shri. Ranjith K.U., Coordinator Rajagiri outREACH delivered the welcome speech and Mr. Zubair delivered vote of thanks. Around 70 senior citizens participated in the programmes and performed various cultural activities.



b. Christmas Celebration for the Elderly Day Care Centre Members Supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd

The Christmas and New Year Celebrations for the Day Care Centre members supported by Sud Chemie India Pvt Ltd, Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS), Kalamassery and Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee (BSDP) was conducted on the 3rd of January 2023. The members reached Ghanshyam Community Hall by 10.30 am. Christmas celebration for the Elderly Day Care was assisted by 12 internship students from Rajagiri outREACH. Around 60 elders attended the programme. The celebrations began at 10:45 am with a prayer song, followed by various activities organized by the social work trainees of Rajagiri outREACH. Mrs. Sunitha, the Panchayat ward member, arrived at the occasion and proposed the key note address. Before the programme, Christmas hats were distributed among the Day Care Centre members.



Day Care Members celebrating Christmas



Mrs. Sunitha, Ward Member addressing the Day Care Centre Members

Games such as Musical chair, Mappila Pattu, Christmas carol and Group song competitions were conducted to entertain the members. The elders were engaged well from the beginning till the end of the programme. After the game's session, the elders sang various songs of their interest and danced joyfully. By 1.00 pm, the official Cake cutting ceremony took place in the presence of Binanipuram Social Development Programme Committee. The cake slices were distributed among the members. After lunch, prizes were distributed among the winners of various games conducted. Later the meeting got dispersed by 2.30 pm with the members leaving for their respective homes.



Cake cutting ceremony conducted during Christmas and New Year Celebration



Musical Chair Competition conducted for The Elderly

3. Programmes for Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens at Kadamakudy

The centre opened monthly once from April 2022. Kadamakudy Village Development Committee organized the monthly programme by collecting monthly subscription from the members. Onam celebration was organised on September 3rd 2022 at Kadamakudy Day Care Centre supported by Mr. Ranjith K.U. Gas Cylinder and utensils were collected and made available at the centre by Mr. Ranjith K.U., Mr. Sreekumar (Sponsor) from Kalady. On September 2022 two meetings were organized for planning the International Day for Older persons organized on October 1st. 2022. From November

2022 onwards Rajagiri outREACH regularly supported the Kadamakudy Elderly Day Care Centre and decided to open and conduct programmes every Friday. A total of 30 members actively participated in the Day Care Programme.

1. Community Mental Health Centre Inauguration at Kadamakudy on November 25th 2022

The inaugural ceremony of the Kadamakudy Community Mental Centre was held on 25th November 2022 at 10:30 am at Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens. The programme started with a prayer song. Sri. Ranjith. K.U., Coordinator of Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Rajagiri outREACH welcomed the guests and participants to the gathering.

Fr. (Dr.) Varghese K Varghese, Dean & HoD, Department of Psychology, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences lighted the lamp. He also delivered the inaugural address following the lamp-lighting ceremony. Sri. Shaji, Joint Convenor of BSDP & Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Binanipuram, delivered the felicitation address. Convenors of Kadamakudy Day Care Centre, Smt.Reena Jose and Smt. Jalaja Subramanyan felicitated the College for such a great initiative. Dr. Amal Tom Jose, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Psychology, addressed the gathering stating the importance of counselling and taking care of one's mental health in his felicitation address. He emphasized that the centre will cater to the needs of the public with respect to Mental Health. The session ended with a vote of thanks by Smt. Jalaja Subramanyan Treasurer, Kadamakudy Grama Vikasana Samithi & Day Care Centre for Senior Citizen. The programme marked its conclusion by 02:30 pm.



Community Mental Health Centre Inauguration at Kadamakudy on November 25th 2022

2. Community Mental Health Centre Programme at Kadamakudy Day Care Centre for Senior Citizen on December 16th 2022

As part of Department of Psychology 'Rajagiri Centre for Behavioral Science and Research' Community Mental Health Centre at Kadamakudy provided counselling services to the Public, Students and members of the Senior Day care Centre in Kadamakudy on 16th December 2022 The Session started at 10:35 am. with a small meeting regarding the effective functioning of senior day care Centre Kadamakudy the meeting was led by Mr. Ranjith K.U., Senior Development Officer, Rajagiri outREACH, Ms. Jalaja Subramanyan and Ms. Reena Jose and Dr. Amal Tom Jose also participated in

the programme. Followed by the counselling session led by Dr. Amal Tom Jose, Assistant Professor in the Department of Psychology 'Rajagiri Centre for Behavioral Science and Research' Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and the Faculty In-charge of Community Mental Health Centre. Three members from the Senior Day Care Centre consulted Dr. Amal for counselling. The session ended at 12:30 pm.

3. New Year Celebration at Kadamakudy Senior Day Care Centre of Rajagiri outREACH on 13/01/2023

The Community Centre for Anganwadi, Day Care for Senior Citizens and Health Clinic started on December 2004 by Rajagiri outREACH. Several Community programmes and Medical camps, picnics were organised by Rajagiri outREACH for the well-being of seniors. As part of Community Mental Health Programme and Service Week of the Department of Psychology the 2nd year Students of MSc Psychology, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences visited the Community Mental Health Centre at Kadamakudy in Ernakulam district on 13th of January, 2023. The faculty in Charge of the Community mental health centre's Dr. Amal Tom Jose, and Dr. Lijo K.J accompanied the students. Transportation was provided by Rajagiri College. The programme was coordinated by Mr. Ranjith K.U., Coordinator for Senior Citizens Day Care Centre of Rajagiri outREACH,

The programme commenced at 10:30 am. The event started with the prayer song sung by the students of the Psychology Department. The welcome speech was given by Dr. Amal Tom Jose, Assistant Professor in the Department of Psychology and the Faculty in-charge of Community Mental Health Centres'. He welcomed the gathering. Further, Dr. Lijo K.J., Assistant Professor in the Department of Psychology inaugurated the gathering and Mr. Ranjith K.U., Senior Development Officer, Rajagiri outREACH and Coordinator for Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Kadamakudy shared the role of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences for the development of Kadamakudy Island Communities from 1990 onwards and shared the experiences with the students and the members of the Day Care Centres in his felicitation. Students and members of the day care centre showcased their talents. Students presented solo and group songs. Members of the day care centre were asked and people in charge were asked to take a token from the box. They were given prizes that corresponds to the number in their token. Sweets and snacks were shared among everyone. Students and the members of the centre introduced themselves and interacted with each other. Mr. Ranjith K.U., energized the group with his songs. Emmanuel, a student from Uganda, Africa sang a song in his language. Interaction with him allowed the members of the centre to experience a different culture. As he spoke in English, it was translated to regional language, Malayalam, by Dr. Amal Tom Jose. Everyone had a pleasant day and good experience by participating in this event. Finally, Mr. Ranjith K.U., sang and performed an action song and everyone participated in it. The event was concluded at 1:30 pm with a vote of thanks by Nivya Sabu 2nd Semester MSc. Psychology Student, followed by lunch served to all the participants.



The AWC Centre and Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens was constructed during 2003-2004 and spent Rs.4 lakhs. The interns from Edinburg University interacted with Kids during the visit to Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens. The AWC and Day Care for Seniors is working under the same roof which was constructed by RCSS and Rajagiri outREACH. Ms. Stephanie and Ms Beth interns from Edinburg University regularly visited Kadamakudy Day Care Centre from March 2022 to June 2023.



Ms. Stephanie and Ms Beth, Internship Students from Edinburg University at Kadamakudy on 19.03.2023

4. Picnic in Sagararani Cruise on the Arabian Sea for Seniors of Kadamakudy Day Care Centre conducted on March 17, 2023

A Picnic was organised for the Senior Citizens of Day Care Centre, Kadamakudy on March 17, 2023 .The team visited Vallarapadam Church, Mattanchery, Fort Kochi Beach, At Vallarapadam the team enjoyed the taste of Biriyani prepared by the Catering team from Kothad. At 2.00 pm the team went for cruise journey on the Arabian Sea. 2 hours were spent on the Sea. The organisers arranged cultural Programmes on the Cruise and provided and Tea and Snacks to all 38 participants.

Convenors of Kadamakudy Day Care Centre, Smt. Reena Jose and Smt. Jalaja Subramanyan and Sri. Ranjith K.U, Coordinator, Kadamakudy Grama Vikasana Samithi & Day Care Centre for Senior Citizen. Kumari. Candice also participated from Rajagiri outREACH for the documentation of the programme. Smt. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, Senior Coordinator Administration also joined the picnic with Fruits. Ms Beth and Ms. Stephanie interns from Edinburg University actively participated in the Picnic. The picnic team interacted with the tourists who came from Spain and joined for a photo session in Fort Kochi Beach. Special Biriyani and snacks were prepared for Seniors and served on the way at Vallarapadam Church Lunch Hall.





Picnic in Sagararani Cruise on the Arabian Sea for Seniors of Kadamakudy Day Care Centre held on 17.03.2023



Picnic for Seniors of Kadamakudy Day Care Centre conducted on 17.03.2023





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4. Programmes for Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens at Moolampilly

Day Care Centres visit with Psychology Department of RCSS

Sri. Ranjith K.U. with Dr. Amal Tom Jose, Department of Psychology, visited the Day Care Centres at Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath on November 16th, 17th and 19th 2022 for starting Community Mental Health Centre. The team planned the inauguration dates for the programme.

1. Inaugural Ceremony Community Mental Health Centre of RCSS at Moolampilly Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens conducted on 24th November 2022

The inaugural function of the Moolampilly Community Mental Health Centre was held on 24th November 2022 at 10:30 am at Day Care Centre Sevanalayam Hall, Moolampilly. The program started off with a prayer song. Mr K J George, Sevanalyam Committee Member, welcomed the guests of the ceremony.

The Presidential Address was delivered by the President of the day care centre for senior citizens, Mr. M.M Cleatus. Father Dr. Varghese K Varghese, Dean & HoD, Department of Psychology, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences lighted the lamp. Fr. Dr. Varghese also delivered the inaugural address following the lamp-lighting ceremony. Vicar Father Sebastian Moonnulattungal delivered the keynote address. Sr. C Mary Francis, in charge of Sevanalayam, delivered the felicitation address and expressed her gratitude towards the RCSS for taking up such an initiative.

Sri. Alex Attullil, Former Director Board Member of KSC Bank felicitated the college's initiative. In his felicitation address, Dr. Amal Tom Jose, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Psychology, shared the importance of counselling and maintaining a positive mental health and well-being. He highlighted that the centre will serve and be a platform for the public to express their concerns regarding mental health and get the professional help. He stressed on the relevance of seeking professional help at the right time.

Following this, Sri. Ranjith. K.U, Co-ordinator, Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, delivered the felicitation address. The session came to an end with the vote of thanks. The program marked its conclusion by 02:30 pm. Followed by the program counselling session for the members of the community has provided by Dr. Amal Tom Jose.



Inaugural Ceremony of Community Mental Health Centre of RCSS at Moolampilly Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens conducted on 24th November 2022

2. Community Mental Health Centre, Moolampilly at Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens at Sevanalayam Moolampilly on 15/12/2022

As part of Department of Psychology 'Rajagiri Centre for Behavioral Science and Research' Community Mental Health Centre at Moolampilly provided counselling services to the Public, Students in the St. Joseph L.P School and members of the Senior Day care Centre in Moolampilly on 15th December 2022. The Session has started at 10:00 am. Dr. Jovita Sherin George took a session on Learning Techniques for the 3rd and 4th grade students at St. Joseph L.P School. The session was interesting for the students because of the class is fully based on activities and games. The class ended at 11:45 am and followed by the counselling session led by Dr. Jovita Sherin George, Assistant Professor and Dr. Amal Tom Jose, Assistant Professor in the Department of Psychology 'Rajagiri Centre for Behavioral Science and Research' Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and the Faculty In-charge of Community Mental Health Centre. Three members from the Senior Citizen Day Care Centre and 5 students from the school consulted with Dr. Amal and Dr. Jovita for counselling. The session ended at 03:00 pm. Sri. Ranjith K.U., Coordinated the programme.

3. New Year Celebration _ Community Mental Health Centre & Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Moolampilly on 12th January 2023

As part of community service of the Department of Psychology, 4th Semester Students of MSc Psychology, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, visited the Community Mental Health Centre at Moolampilly, Ernakulam on 12th of January, 2023 and New Year celebration was conducted with various cultural programmes.

5. Programmes for Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens at Karikkattuthuruth, Chennai

1. Inaugural function of Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Karikkattuthuruth, Chennai on January 22nd (Sunday) 2022

Inaugural function of the Karikkattuthuruth, Senior Citizens Day Care Centre was held on January 22nd 2023. The meeting started with a Prayer. Sri. Amal Suresh President Rotary Community Corps (RCC) and Island Arts and Sport Club presided over the function and Sri. Jackson John, Secretary of RCC delivered the welcome speech. Rtn. Dinesh Thambi, Rotary Club of Cochin Down Town chaired the programme. Sri. K.N. Unnikrishnan MLA inaugurated the Programme. Sri. Ranjith K.U., Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH for the Senior Citizen Day Care Centres of Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath felicitated. Smt. Sindhu Shelju, Former Member felicitated at the Function. Sri. Karunakaran, Traditional Artist was felicitated with a memento by Sri. Unnikrishnan, MLA.



Sri. Karunakaran, Traditional Artist was felicitated with a memento by Sri. Unnikrishnan, MLA.



Inaugural function of Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Karikkattuthuruth, Chennai on January 22nd 2022

**2. Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Karikkattuthuruth
March 7, 2023, Karikkattuthuruth Day Care**

The meeting started with a Prayer. Sri. Amal Suresh, President Rotary Community Corps (RCC) and Island Arts and Sport Club conveyed the Presidential Address and Smt. Sindhu Shelju delivered the welcome speech. Sri. Karunakaran shared his experience and performed folk lore. Sri. Ranjith K.U.,

Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH for the Senior Citizen Day Care Centres of Kadamakudy Grama Panchayath felicitated.



Meeting at Elderly Day Care Centre at Karikkattuthuruth on 07.03.2023

7. PROGRAMMES FOR ENVIRONMENT – NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences has partnered with Government and Non – Government institutions to support, develop and implement projects and other initiatives that address environmental priorities and to solve problems related to it. Environmental management programmes support the supply of renewable solar energy products and the programme seeks to reduce the usage of electricity produced from coal and fossil fuel and increase the usage of renewable energy. Solid waste management, another major component promotes effective waste management at source and organizes sensitization programmes in communities. RAJAGIRI outREACH acts as a partner agency for Jananidhi projects, Haritha Sahaya Sthapanam, in association with concerned local self-governments.

Haritha Sahaya Sthapanam

Rajagiri outREACH is empanelled as a Haritha Sahaya Sthapanam in providing consultancy in Waste Management.

I. Keezhmad Grama Panchayat on Zero Waste Management-Haritha Sahaya Sthapanam

Rajagiri outREACH as supporting Organization for Haritha Kerala Mission project, a preliminary orientation had been organized for the Haritha Karma Sena of Keezhmad Grama Panchayath on 25th May 2022. Nineteen Haritha Karma Sena Members, Panchayath Secretary, Assistant Secretary Smt. Mini Iype, Village Extension Officer, Smt. Megha and Varghese of Rajagiri outREACH attended the programme.

According to the Haritha Kerala Mission Government order on 10/02/2018 (No. H.K.M/A2/625/18) Rajagiri outREACH has been selected as the Haritha Sahaya Sthapanam of Haritha Kerala Mission, Rajagiri outREACH has been working as Haritha Sahaya Sthapanam in Keezhmad Grama Panchayat since May 25, 2022, after accepting the invitation of Keezhmad Grama Panchayat. The main activities included waste management, survey, awareness programs, house visits, trainings, etc.

1. Orientation on Zero Waste Management Project held on 25/05/2022

On 25th May 2022, an orientation on zero waste management was organized by Keezhmad Grama panchayath, Rajagiri outREACH for the Haritha Karma Sena of Keezhmadu Grama panchayat at Keezhmadu Grama Panchayat Community Hall, Grama panchayath members Ms. Sathi, Standing Committee Member, Grama panchayath Secretary Mr. Navaz B, VEOs and Assistant Secretary Ms. Bini shared their views on the topic. Rajagiri outREACH Senior Coordinator Mr. George, Mr. Varghese Haritha Kerala Mission Project Coordinator Ms. Megha participated in the meeting. Rajagiri interns attended the meeting and after that, they assisted in the survey at Ward 9. And on this orientation meeting team decided to conduct the survey on Ward 9, 10,12,18,13,14, and 11 and an evaluation session on Saturday. Mr. George visited MCF (Material Collection Facility).



Orientation meeting held at community hall of Keezhmad Grama Panchayat-25/05/2022 & Visiting MCF in Keezhmad Grama Panchayath-25/05/2022

2. Survey conducted on 26/05/2022 & 27.05.2022

On the second-day survey, students started their survey from Kripa Bhavan after getting orientation from Fr. Dibin, they went to Ward 10 of Keezhmadu Grama panchayat. It was a great experience to know more about the institution Kripa Bhavan for differently-abled people. Each group of 6 students completed more than 15 survey forms, and students received good support from people in Keezhmadu, some asked whether this survey create any problems for them, but students have convinced of the aim of this survey, and some of them said their problems were faced due to waste disposal in their area. Students noted down all their concerns related to waste management. Every day after the survey a small discussion was evaluated about the survey. The students also conducted survey on 27.05.2022 at Ward Nos. 12, 13, 14 and 18.



Waste Management Survey at Ward 10 -26/05/2022 & Orientation for interns in Kripa Bhavan-26/05/2022



Waste management survey at ward 14-27/05/2022 & Waste management survey at ward 13-27/05/2022

On the 4th day of the survey, the students gathered in the Community Hall near Keezhmadu Grama panchayat, on 28.05.2022 and Survey forms were sorted based on the wards, some of the students went for the survey, and they tried their best to complete it and they finished 40 survey forms. At 12 noon they started the evaluation of the survey which was held over the last few days. Panchayat team, Haritha Karma Sena of Keezhmadu Grama panchayat, Rajagiri outREACH Staff and Interns were present in the evaluation meeting, and one student from each group shared their evaluation from the survey conducted during the last days after that Haritha karma Sena members shared their concerns regarding waste management in Keezhmad panchayath, Mr. George, Mr. Varghese and Ms. Megha staff of Rajagiri outREACH shared their ideas regarding Zero waste management. After that Assistant Secretary of Keezhmadu panchayat Ms. Bini and VEO of Keezhmadu panchayat, Ms. Rinsa concluded the evaluation session. Some of the points concluded from the survey were:

- People thought that Haritha Karma Sena is receiving a salary from panchayath so the people are not willing to give Rs.50/-.
- Some are willing to give Rs.50/- but the selection of particular waste is their problem
- Some of the suggestions from people, students, and Karma Sena are that there should be separate basket from panchayath or a common basket in a locality from panchayath for waste disposal
- CCTV must be installed in each waste dumping area.
- Waste is disposed of in public places during nighttime.
- Some are not aware of Bio Bin given by the panchayath.
- Need to conduct more awareness classes for both Haritha Karma Sena and for residents in Keezhmad Panchayath.
- Haritha Karma Sena needs a waste collecting bin from panchayath.



Evaluation meeting at Community Hall near Keezhmadu Grama Panchayath - 28/05/2022



Orientation session for Interns on 01.06.2022

House Visit Survey held on 02/06/2022

On 02/06/ 2022 started the survey in wards 1 and ward 3, two groups each group having 4 students, took 50 samples from each ward, and visited along with the Haritha Karma Sena team, to know about their collection method and the attitude of residents. Some houses are not giving waste to HarithaKarma Sena, instead of that, they dispose their waste in other places or other municipalities. Some are not giving any importance to the Haritha Kerala Mission project. Some local residents suggested some ideas like a common basket, compost, etc.



Waste management survey at ward 1-02/06/2022



Haritha Karma Sena collecting waste from ward 1-02/06/2022



Waste management survey at ward 3-02/06/2022

On 03/06/2022 interns went to survey in ward 2 and ward 4, two groups of 4 students completed two wards. Ms. Megha coordinated students in Ward 4 and after that Megha went to Keezhmad panchayath and had a discussion with AS Ms. Bini Iype and Secretary Mr. Navaz. They made some suggestions. Both the teams completed the survey. As per the instruction from AS Ms. Bini Iype we planned to make a separate excel for the collection date, the number of houses visited, the number of shops visited, etc.



Waste management survey at ward 2-03/06/2022



Waste management survey at ward 4-03/06/2022

On 04/06/2022 Saturday visited the MCF (Material Collection Facility) storehouse of waste. Visited the MCF for understanding the condition, which needs to be a little more systematic. After that, the

coordinator contacted the Harithakarmasena team in order to inform them about the situation there. Harithakarmasena informed that the agency has announced that the waste will be taken away from there on Saturday 04/06/2022, afternoon.



MCF Building in Keezhmad Grama Panchayath-05/06/2022

On 06/06/2022 Monday interns went to ward 5 and ward 7, during the time of the survey Haritha Karma sena members are collecting the waste from ward 5. In some houses, they give waste to Kalamassery municipality. Many people do not think of waste coming from their homes. They think that this is also the responsibility of the government to take care of the waste. They think that amount of 50 per a month is high for them and the selection of a particular waste is another issue. The next-door neighbours are having different opinions. Some people conveyed that Haritha Karma Sena were coming, and some said that they were not coming.



Waste management survey at ward 5-06/06/2022



Harith Karma Sena members collecting Waste from ward 5-06/06/2022

3. Collecting Waste from Ward 5 on 7/06/2022-Tuesday

On 7/06/2022 Tuesday some of our Interns went to ward 11 to complete the remaining houses, Project coordinator of Haritha Kerala Mission reached the panchayath. After reaching there, the Coordinator called the members of the Haritha Karma Sena and found their groups and the phone number of all the members, and updated them in an excel sheet. The coordinator has been added to the group so it is easy to see updates. The coordinator told them to update the daily updates in the group, the ward they were going to and the response from homes, etc.

On 8/06/2022 Wednesday Project Co-ordinator, Ms. Megha had a discussion with ward members about the survey and discussed the evaluation, many of the ward members responded positively to the survey. Some ward members said a few suggestions. It was decided to do so from the next survey accordingly. But all the ward members were supportive. They also told of the hardships they were experiencing in waste management. Everyone believes that people can only give waste if there is a strong law.

On 09/06/2022 Thursday, the Coordinator and the interns went survey in wards 6 and 7. Many households do not keep the card from the panchayat for Haritha Karma Sena. The interns instructed them to keep the card and receipt from now onwards. Some used to burn plastic waste in public places. The interns told them about the problem of burning waste in a public place.



Waste management survey at ward 6-09/06/2022

On 10/06/2022 Friday, the Coordinator and the interns went to survey in ward 15 and completed the survey in 50 houses. When compared to other wards they went to, the residents of this ward are so cooperative and supportive. Like all other residents from other Wards, they too have a complaint that Haritha Karma Sena is not collecting all types of waste. People who do not have space to store garbage in their homes are advised to set up a common waste bin. Many people do not know how to dispose of sanitary pads.



Waste management survey at ward 15-10/06/2022



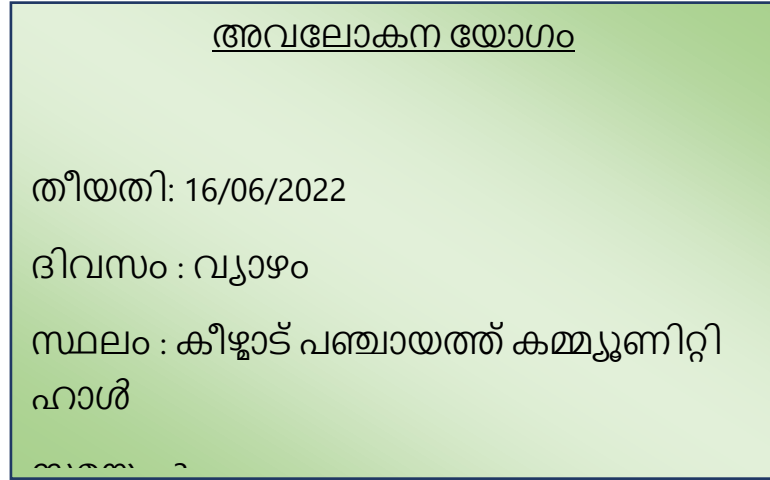
Waste management survey at ward 15-10/06/2022

On 13/06/2022 Monday Project Coordinator went to Rajagiri outREACH. The coordinator informed about the updates of Haritha Karma Sena to the director and senior coordinator of Rajagiri outreach. The main problem reported by Haritha Karma Sena members and the people there is the need for a trolley or a Jute bag to carry the garbage. A discussion was held in Rajagiri to do something about the need for a trolley and Jute bag. All the prepared excel and words were given in Rajagiri.

After discussions with the secretary Mr. Navaz and AS Ms. Bini Iype, on 14.06.2023, it was decided to hold a review meeting with Haritha Karma Sena on the 16th of June 2022 Thursday. AS Ms. Bini Iype said to invite VEO and standing committee chairperson for the meeting. On the recommendation of the standing committee chairperson Ms. Sneha, it was decided to hold the time at 3 p.m. All decisions were communicated to Mr. George senior coordinator of Rajagiri outreach.

On 15/06/2022 Wednesday the agenda for the review meeting was prepared by the coordinator and that agenda was given to Secretary, AS, and Rajagiri Outreach Senior Coordinator Mr. George.

The notice containing the agenda of the review meeting is given below.



On 16/06/2022 Thursday review meeting was held at 3 pm. Assistant secretary Ms. Bini Iype, Standing committee chairperson Ms. Sneha, Ward members, Rajagiri outreach Staff, Haritha Kerala Mission project coordinator were present in the review meeting. Some of the main agenda of the meeting is to determine the exact collection date for Haritha Karma Sena to collect the waste and the notice to be delivered to all residents, keep an accurate register (for each Haritha Karma Sena member), and Matters relating to the bank account of Haritha Karma Sena, and to evaluate the survey. Some of the decisions made are:

- Distribute notices to all households through Haritha Karma Sena members
- Notice distribution should be completed before the beginning of July
- Make people aware of the penalty mentioned in the notice
- It has been decided to prepare a new notice containing the number of days on which the Haritha Karma Sena visits the houses in each ward and the type of garbage collected in each ward and the phone number of Haritha Karma Sena members arriving in each ward.
- Each Haritha Karma Sena member should keep their own register in which they should record the receipt number they take, which houses they went to and collected garbage, which houses cooperated, how many non-cooperating houses received, and how much amount that they received.
- The register of Haritha Karma Sena members should be shown to the coordinator on time.
- Haritha Karma Sena should collect garbage on exact days in a month.
- Proper action should be taken at the panchayat level in case of incineration.
- Haritha Karma Sena should collect all types of waste (solid waste)
- It was suggested that Jute bags and trolleys should be made available to the Haritha Karma Sena through sponsorship.
- It was decided to make a mike announcement about the importance of bio-waste treatment and the action to be taken against those who do not follow the instructions of the panchayat in this regard.



Review meeting of Haritha Karma Sena at Keezhmadu community Hall-16/06/2022

On 17/06/2022 3 groups of internship students along with Haritha Kerala Mission project coordinator and Mr. George went to survey in wards 16, 17, and 19. The complaint of many is that garbage is dumped in public places. Some also complained about the burning of plastic in public places and demanded that action be taken against it. In the middle of the survey, Haritha Karma Sena took the garbage from that ward and asked about the situation in that ward, Residents are cooperative but some are not. Some householders did not allow interns to enter the house.



Rajagiri staff with Haritha Karma Sena members-17/06/2022



Waste management survey at ward 15-17/06/2022

On 18/06/2022 Saturday the coordinator went to the interns going for the survey and gave an orientation and went to the panchayat and made updates on the survey completed. Then visited the MCF. The MCF was littered with inaccessible waste. Reported this to AS Ms. Bini Iype and after that talked with Haritha Karma Sena team, the Haritha Karma Sena said that all that waste was a load to go within a few days. Discussion with the secretary as part of the review meeting with Haritha Karma Sena,



Waste management survey at ward-18/06/2022



MCF is filled with waste collected by Haritha Karma Sena-18/06/2022

Some of the activities planned by Rajagiri outREACH were:

- Include the process and the actions required to manage the waste from its inception to its final disposal this includes collection, transport, treatment, segregation, recycling, reusing, and disposal of waste.
- Training program on vermicompost
- Monitoring and regulation of the waste-related laws, technologies economic mechanisms
- Training and orientation for harithakarma sena
- Coordination with recycling companies
- Convert the biodegradable waste into organic manure
- Conduct the survey to find the resources
- Promotion of Bio bin and Biogas
- Identifying better place for MCF (Mini and Large MCF)
- Promotion of vegetable cultivation from the biodegradable waste
- To provide Consultancy to LSG s to empower the waste management system

The first-gram sabha meeting was held on 24.06.2022 in the 14th ward. The purpose and aim of the Haritha Kerala Mission were conveyed to the people. Explained the notice that we prepared for distribution, and distributed some notices to the residents. The notice states the penalty for those who burn or dump waste in a public place, and people were made aware of the action. One suggestion made by the people is that if you give a jute bag to the Haritha Karma sena it will be easier to take away the waste otherwise it is difficult for the people to give a jute bag every month to the Haritha karma sena. If you want to be a member of any project run through the panchayat, you have to be a member of the Haritha Karma Sena, this was one of the major suggestions from the panchayath.



Haritha Kerala mission Coordinator at Grama Sabha meeting-24/06/2022



Residents attending Grama sabha meeting at ward 14-24/06/2022

On 25/06/2022 Saturday, the Coordinator prepared an excel which contains all the bank details of Haritha karma sena collected amount, wages given to HKS, the amount given to the agency, the amount received from the agency, etc. This excel would be easy for both panchayath and the project coordinator to understand the bank transactions done by Haritha karma sena easily. After creating the excel it was sent to AS Ms. Bini Iype. After that coordinator went to the Grama sabha meeting at ward 10 and ward 12. Some told others how to dispose of food waste. Some said it was difficult to clean plastic waste. But some people supported it and they told others about the importance of keeping the waste clean. Some suggested putting the camera in a public place. Some of the ideas suggested by the Haritha Karma sena member were to increase the number of Haritha Karma Sena members and give each of them a jute bag. Some suggested waste bins in public places because waste disposal in public places is the main issue.



Grama Sabha meeting at ward 12-25/06/2022 & meeting at ward 10-25/06/2022&

On 26/06/2022 Sunday, the Project Coordinator went to the grama sabha meeting at ward 19, all the local residents were supportive, and some discussed the public waste disposal. The project Coordinator made them aware of the objectives.



Grama Sabha meeting at ward 10-26/06/2022

On 27/06/2022 Monday, the Coordinator went to ward 15 and consolidated the suggestions received from all grama sabha about the Haritha Kerala Mission project. One of the main suggestions is a collection of Diapers from houses and to conduct an awareness class on biogas and bio bin.



Grama Sabha meeting at ward 15-27/06/2022

On 03/08/2022 Wednesday, Project Coordinator Ms. Megha after reaching Panchayath, visited Haritha Karma Sena Members at the CDS office. In this discussion, problems faced by Haritha Karma Sena were discussed, Haritha Karma Sena informed that collection this month is more than that of last month. As part of the Garbage application, mobile phones were required for all Haritha Karma Sena members and a discussion was held regarding the same. Strict action against Haritha Karma Sena members who are absent on heavy waste collection days was also discussed and the law should apply equally to all.



Meeting for Haritha Karma Sena at the CDS office-03/08/2022

On 8/08/2022 Monday Project Coordinator, Ms. Megha reached Keezhmad Grama Panchayath. There was a meeting for Haritha Karma Sena. The Panchayat secretary, assistant secretary, ward members, VEO, and Haritha Keralam mission project coordinator were participated in the meeting. Problems faced by Haritha Karma Sena members, doubts related to Haritha Mithram's garbage application, etc. were discussed in this meeting. The issue of getting a mobile phone to Haritha Karma Sena members was also included in the discussion.



Meeting for Haritha Karma Sena at panchayath hall-08/08/2022

On 12.08.2022, Haritha Mithram Garbage application training was conducted by Keltron at the Panchayat community hall, project coordinator Ms. Megha and Internship students attended the meeting. Internship students helped Haritha Karma Sena members to apply. Panchayat members, AS, VEO, etc. attended this meeting. After the meeting, Rajagiri outreach sponsored the book for Haritha Karma Sena Members. The book was presented by Assistant Secretary Mrs.Bini Iype.



Sponsored note books for Haritha Karma Sena from Rajagiri outREACH on 12/08/2022

Haritha Mithram Garbage App training for Haritha karma Sena at panchayath hall-12/08/2022

After reaching the panchayat, the health inspector Mr.ndro, panchayat members, the project coordinator Ms. Megha and Haritha Karma Sena member visited the shops as part of the inspection on 20.08.2022. Some of the plastics were banned from July 1 based on that inspection was conducted and some plastics were recovered from some shops and a penalty was given and made them aware of the situation.



Inspection at different shops in Keezhmadu Grama Panchayat -20/08/2022



Panchayat members and Rajagiri outreach members with seized garbage-20/08/2022

Role Play organized by Rajagiri outREACH in association with Haritha Karma Sena and Health Department

Rajagiri outREACH in association with Haritha Karma Sena and Health Department organized a role play as part of Awareness Programme. Rajagiri outREACH Internship Students performed the role play at Keezhmadu Panchayath Community Hall on 30.08.2022. Health department members, Panchayat members, Haritha Karma Sena members, Asha workers, and others joined the meeting. Everyone enjoyed the role play well.



Program for Haritha Karma Sena Conducted by Rajagiri Outreach in association with the health department -20/08/2022



The Project Coordinator Ms. Megha conducted a class for the Haritha Karma Sena Members of Kunnathunadu about Waste Management on 17.09.2022.



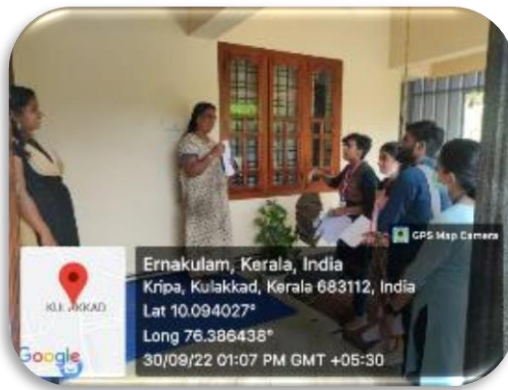
Rajagiri outREACH Interns conducting role-play at panchayath community hall-

A few Internship students arrived at the Panchayat, Ms. Megha was given an orientation and was shown the MCF on 29.09.2022. Haritha Karma Sena members gave a class to students. A meeting was held in the Panchayat Hall for the Haritha Karma Sena members and discussed about Haritha Mithram garbage application and the survey related to it.





The 9th Ward of Keezhmadu Panchayat was chosen for the door-to-door awareness campaign, which was held on 30.09.2022. The Project Coordinator and Four internship students completed 15 house visits and distributed notices which contained penalty details for those who burn or dispose of plastic waste in public places.



Door-to-door awareness campaign was held on 01.10.2022 and 8th Ward was chosen for the door-to-door awareness campaign and the team completed 15 house visits, and distributed notices which contained penalty details for those who burn or dispose of plastic waste in public places. On this day awareness was focused on migrant workers, those who were not aware of proper waste management.



Door-to-Door awareness campaign-01/10/2022

The project coordinator Ms. Megha and four internship students started arrangements for the school-level awareness program on 07.10.2022. After finishing the arrangements, they went to Kuttamessery Higher Secondary School and conducted awareness session on waste management, Haritha Karma Sena, Penalties, and law related to waste management, etc., followed by a paper bag-making activity session. After the noon session, the team reached Keezhmad UP School and conducted session on the same topic including a paper pen-making activity session.



School level awareness program-07/10/2022



School level awareness program-07/10/2022

Inauguration of Haritha Mithram Garbage’s application was conducted on 10.10.2022. For inaugurating the application, Ward 9 was selected, and Inauguration was done by the Standing Committee Chairperson Mrs. Sneha, Every Haritha Karma Sena member, Kudumbashree member, ward member, Assistant Secretary of Keezhmad Grama Panchayath, Rajagiri outREACH staff and Keltron staff were present for the inaugural ceremony. After the inauguration, survey started from ward 9, followed by a meeting with the Haritha Karma Sena members.



Haritha Mithram Garbage App Inauguration-10/10/2022



Meeting with Haritha Karma Sena-10/10/2022

Rajagiri outREACH conducted mushroom training on 18.10.2022 for selected Haritha Karma Sena members of Keezhmad Panchayath at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery. The training programme was conducted for Keezhmad Panchayath and Haritha Karma Sena members for getting extra earnings. For this program 7 members were selected from Haritha Karma Sena.



Mushroom Training for Haritha Karma Sena-18/10/2022

Rajagiri outREACH Project Coordinator and the internship students attended the standing committee meeting on 22.10.2022, to introduce the community program to all ward members and other panchayath staff including the Panchayath Secretary. The Panchayat Committee approved the budget and the programme and decided to conduct the same on 12.11.2022.



Standing Committee Meeting conducted on 22/10/2022

As part of the Community Programme, Ms. Megha and the internship students visited Keezhmad and Kuttamassery schools on 28.10.2022 for giving topics on essay writing and drawing competitions based on waste management. Prizes for these winners were planned for distribution during the community program.



Planning for community program-28/10/2022

Anti-Drug Day Observation Rally conducted on 12.11.2022

A mass anti-drug rally, Flash Mob and public programme upholding the importance of proper waste management and initiatives was organized by Rajagiri outREACH and Keezhmad Grama Panchayat on Saturday, 12th of November 2022. The program was conducted under the joint initiative of UBA (Unnat Bharat Abhiyan) of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery.



The rally started from the ground which is near to the Public Health Centre and the rally ended at Keezhmad junction, and later on all the participants gathered in the community hall, where the rest of the program was conducted. The initiative's goal was to evoke awareness among the members of the native community about two of the most relevant social issues at present, **improper waste management, and increasing drug abuse**, especially among teenagers and adolescents. The whole program was fully funded by Keezhmad Panchayat Administration.

As part of the program, the team conducted school-level drawing and essay-writing competitions across three schools administered directly under the panchayat. The topic for essay writing was ‘**Regional Waste Management – Challenges And Solutions**’, and the drawing competition was on the topic ‘**My Waste is My Responsibility**’. The winners of the competitions were honoured in the same program as well. This facilitated a need for research and creativity among the children so that they look for and collect valid information on the above-said topics, thereby creating awareness about the same.

The program had 66 participants in total, consisting of the panchayat administration cross-section, Haritha karmasena members, Kudumbashree members, CDS/ADS members and leaders, Asha workers and other representatives from the general public.

As part of informing the residents of Keezhmad Grama Panchayath regarding community program and about the rally, a flash mob was conducted on 11/11/2022 at 3:30 pm at Library, Kuttamassery. The rally started from the ground near to the public health centre, which is situated near to panchayat office and later it ended at Keezhmad junction.

The welcome speech was addressed by Ms. Sneha Mohan (Chairperson of the education and health standing committee, Keezhmad Gram Panchayat). The program was presided by Ms. Lisi Sebastian (Education and Health Standing Committee Chairperson, Block panchayat). Ms. Sathi Lulu, (President, Keezhmad Grama Panchayat) officially inaugurated the program. Later on the program was felicitated by ward members Mr. Saju Mathai, Mr. C A Joy and Mr. K K Nasar (Welfare standing committee Chairperson).

The session on awareness against drug abuse was taken by Mr. Krishna Kumar, (Centre In-charge), ODIC, Rajagiri outREACH. It was followed by a session delivered by Ms. Megha M A, Project Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH Haritha Kerala Mission. The project coordinator highlighted the importance of proper waste management and various services provided by Haritha Karma Sena.

After the sessions, the prize distribution for the winners of competitions was conducted, followed by vote of thanks proposed by Aravind (Intern).



Rally for waste management-12/11/2022



Community Programme -12/11/2022



Planning meeting & Flash mob – 05.11.2022 & 11/11/2022



Flash mob conducted at Keezhmadu Grama Panchayat on 11/11/2022 by Rajagiri outREACH Internship Students from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery

Brief of the programme/project – Waste Management Project at Keezhmadu Grama Panchayat, Ernakulam District

The Haritha Karma Sena collects non-biodegradable waste from houses and establishments to shredding units for recycling. The waste is segregated into different sections based on its features. H.M White, P.P, H.M, L D Print, Bajar, Ganny, Bulb, PVC, steel, tubes, bottle, E- waste, LD(Glucose), Bottle caps, Spray bottle etc. According to the mission, the shredded plastic is being given to the local bodies for road tarring by Clean Kerala Company. Each Kudumbashree worker will visit minimum 250 houses to collect non-biodegradable waste. The collection will be based on user fee. The manufacture of environment-friendly materials, maintenance of waste disposal mechanism, organic farming, environment-friendly equipment on rent and compost making and associated works will be taken up by Haritha Karma Sena members.

DOOR TO DOOR AWARENESS





It was observed that the panchayat officials were really involved in becoming a zero-plastic panchayat. Food waste bins were provided in the panchayat for disposing food waste to turn food waste to bio-degradable waste. The Haritha Karma Sena volunteers of the panchayat were also actively working in their respective wards in order to keep the panchayat clean and plastic free.

The coordinator gave basic information about the Panchayat and its activities to the internship students on 15.12.2022, followed by a visit to the MCF and information was gathered by the internship students from Haritha Karma Sena members. The role-play script for the upcoming day programme was written and practiced in the afternoon.



MCF Visit with Internship Students, Rajagiri - 15/12/2022 & Practice of Roleplay 15/12/2022

Role Play on Waste Management held on 16.12.2022 at Keezhmadu Government U.P. School

Internship students reached Keezhmadu Panchayat in the morning and practiced the program for the afternoon on 16.12.2022. The coordinator gave instructions to the students for the program. Internship students conducted a role play at Keezhmadu Government School at 1 pm. The students presented the problems faced by Haritha Karma Sena and the importance of QR code in waste management throughout the role play. After the role play, a small talk about waste management was given to the children.



Role Play at Keezhmadu Govt. U P School 16/12/2022

On 17/12/2022 project coordinator and Internship students reached at Keezhmadu Grama Panchayat. Students spoke about the suggestions for effectively utilizing the waste dumping areas. In the afternoon, the internship students and the coordinator visited the Kripa Early Intervention Centre and learnt about its activities and the methods adopted by them for waste management and waste recycling.

Principal Secretary of Local Self-Government Department Dr. Sharmila Mary Joseph IAS, Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme Mrs. Anu Kumari IAS, Haritha Mission Coordinator, and District Officers of Rural Development Department Units visited MCF and analysed the activities of Karma Sena on 19.12.2022.



MCF Visit by Govt. Officials on 19/12/2022

Haritha Keralam project coordinator attended the meeting at Keezhmad Grama Panchayat for Haritha Karmasena on 20.12.2022. The Panchayat President, ward members, VEO, CDS officials, Haritha Keralam Project Coordinator attended the meeting. The meeting discussed the problems faced by Haritha Karma Sena, problems related to the QR Code installation and arranging new uniforms for Haritha Karma Sena Members



Haritha Karma Sena Meeting Panchayath Level-20/12/2022

Haritha Keralam Project Coordinator participated in the working group (2023) of Keezhmadu Gram Panchayat on 21.12.2022 and suggested recommendations for the smooth running of the Haritha Karma Sena.



Working Group (Community Hall- Keezhmadu)

On 02/01/2023 Haritha Keralam Project Coordinator, participated in the Grama Sabha of Keezhmadu Gram Panchayat and made recommendations for the smooth running of the Haritha Karma Sena and Haritha Keralam Project. In the Grama Sabha, the participants raised the issues related to payment of user fee to Haritha Karma Sena. The Coordinator answered their queries regarding the same.



Grama Sabha, Thottumugham N.K. Hall- 02/01/2023

The Coordinator participated in the Gram Sabha on 03.01.2023 and gave necessary instructions to make the people understand the activities of Haritha Karma Sena and the need for QR code. Coordinator made recommendations for the smooth running of the Haritha Karma Sena and Haritha Keralam Project in Ward 11.



Grama Sabha, Kuttamassery M.N Hall 03/01/2023

The Coordinator participated in the Gram Sabha of Keezhmadu Grama Panchayat on 05.01.2023 and spoke to the public about the activities of Haritha Karma Sena. People also shared their concerns regarding the payment of user fees to Haritha Karma Sena, which was in the news for a few days.



Grama Sabha, Kuttamassery M.N Hall - 05/01/2023 (Thursday)

The account details and figures of Haritha Karma Sena were checked on 10.01.2023 and doubts and other information were discussed with Haritha Karma Sena Secretary. In order to buy segregation table for Haritha Karma Sena, the Coordinator along with the Unit President and Secretary visited the shops on 11.01.2023 and fixed the model of the table.

Awareness Class

As part of the Child Education Scholarship Program in Rajagiri, the Coordinator reached Rajagiri outREACH and briefed about the activities of Haritha Keralam and Haritha Karma Sena to the students on 14.01.2023 at Kalamassery. The Coordinator informed the class about what activities were done in Keezhmadu Grama Panchayat. The classes were conducted on the topic of **Green Kerala and Waste Management**.



Awareness Class for Children on 14/01/2023 (Saturday)

The Coordinator conducted 2 classes on the need of Haritha Keralam Project and Waste Management at Edavanakkad on 15.01.2023. A good response was received from the children who participated in the sessions. They were aware of the activities of Haritha Karma Sena and about their user fee.



Awareness Class for Children on -15/01/2023 (Sunday) at Edavanakkad

On 21.01.2023, the Junior Superintendent informed about the current situation of mini MCFs in the Keezhmadu Panchayat and explained and requested for suggestions on what could be done to make it operational and useful again. Accordingly, it has been decided to include this subject in the “**Valicheriyaruth Malinyam**” activities.

In many areas of the Keezhmadu Panchayat, plastic waste was found dumped and burnt on sides of the road and the Coordinator visited some of those areas on 23.01.2023. In the afternoon the Coordinator reached the Panchayat and checked the bank passbook of Haritha Karma Sena.



Visiting waste Dumping area - 23/01/2023 (Monday)

After reaching the Panchayat on 24.01.2023, the Coordinator handed over the budget proposal to the secretary for purchasing segregation tables for Haritha Karma Sena and the proposal was approved by the Secretary. The necessary questionnaires were prepared for the home visit to be held in the month of February 2023. The topics of waste management and waste recycling were included in the questionnaire.

After reaching the panchayat, the Coordinator participated in the monthly unit meeting of Haritha Karma Sena on 28.01.2023, understood their problems and needs and the Coordinator gave necessary suggestions to carry forward the activities of Haritha Karma Sena in a better way.



Haritha Karma Sena Monthly Review Meeting- 29/01/2023

Haritha Keralam Project Coordinator reached Keezhmadu Grama Panchayat and attended the meeting with the Haritha Karma Sena Panchayat President, VEO, CDS Officers, Ward Members, Asst. Secretary, Haritha Karma Sena Members on 31.01.2023. A discussion was held regarding the requirements of Haritha Karma Sena's uniform, Rain coat, shoes, etc. The monthly collection received by Haritha Karma Sena was also included in this discussion.



Panchayat level review meeting 31/01/2023

As part of the “**Valicheriyaruth Malinyam Programme**” implemented by the Kerala Government since January 26 2023, it was decided to clean the Panchayat, for the first step, by leading the MCF cleaning activity along with Haritha Karma Sena. The work was done to clear the garbage area around the MCF and the dumped garbage on 01.02.2023.



M C F Visit on 01/02/2023

The Coordinator reached the panchayat on 02.02.2023 and completed the account details of Haritha Karma Sena till January 2023 and after that attended the unit level meeting of Haritha Karma Sena. During the meeting it was decided that all Haritha Karma Sena members should be present at the time of segregation after the garbage is quarried. It has also been decided in the meeting that after collecting the waste, its figures should be decided by the members of the group.



Haritha Karma Sena Meeting on 02/02/2023

The Coordinator reached Rajagiri outREACH and decided the activities to be done together with the internship students and gave an orientation to the internship students on 03.02.2023 about Haritha Keralam project. The students and the Coordinator have decided to organize one-day cleaning and visual demonstrations in the Panchayat to create awareness. After that, the writing of the monthly activity report was also completed.



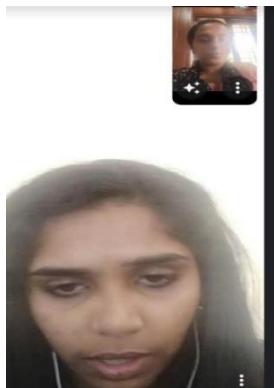
Orientation Class for Interns on 03/02/2023

The Project Coordinator participated in the development seminar held on 08.02.2023. During the meeting, discussions were held about the activities to be implemented in the Panchayat for the next financial year. Along with this, Haritha Karma Sena's uniforms and identity cards were also distributed during the meeting. Coordinator actively participated in the registration and other activities of the seminar.



Vikasana Seminar held on 08/02/2023

An online conference was held on 09.02.2023 on the activities of Haritha Kerala as a part of **Nava Kerala Mission**. The Coordinator participated in the online Conference of Nava Keralam Mission and briefed about the activities of Haritha Karma Sena in Keezhmadu Gram Panchayat and the activities done by Rajagiri outREACH so far.



Door to door awareness campaign was conducted on 10.02.2023 among the general public as part of the “**Valicheriyaruth Maalinyam Project**”. Rajagiri outREACH Staff and Internship students from various colleges as well as International Students, visited the Keezhmadu Waste Management Project and were given an orientation class by the Project Coordinator about Keezhmadu Panchayat and Haritha Kerala Project followed up by house visits to Ward 15. The internship student group consisted of 14 students and they conducted awareness activities in around 200 houses of the ward.



M C F Visit by Rajagiri outREACH Staff and Interns on 10/02/2023

Internship students from Rajagiri outREACH continued their houses visits on the 2nd day of the “**Valicheriyaruth Maalinyam Project**”. Ward 5 was selected for the home visit. A group of 15 internship students started the house visit at 10:30 am. Waste Management and Haritha Karma Sena services reached out to the people through home visit and the same concluded by 4:30 pm. The students visited about 150 houses on 11.02.2023 in Ward 5 as part of the visit and found houses without QR codes.



Home Visit by Interns on 11/02/2023

Rajagiri outREACH Internship students carried out cleaning activities of Keezhmadu Panchayat premises and MCF premises on 13.02.2023 under the guidance of the Project Coordinator of the Haritha Keralam Project. Internship students cleaned from Keezhmadu auto stand to MCF of Haritha Karma Sena. Rajagiri International students from Germany and Finland also worked as a part of this activity under the guidance of Rajagiri outREACH Staff.



Panchayat Cleaning on 13/02/2023

Internship students from Rajagiri outREACH arrived on the 4th day of the “**Valicheriyaruth Maalinyam Project**” and started the day of Home visit on 14.02.2023. Ward 5 – Muthirakaadu colony was selected for the home visit. A group of 15 internship students started the visit at 10:30 am and the ward member gave full support to the programme. Accurate Waste Management and Haritha Karma Sena services reached the community through these home visits. The home visit ended by 4:30 pm. The students visited about 79 houses in Ward 5 as part of the visit and found houses without QR codes. International internship students were also part of the home visit programme.



House Visit on 14/02/2023

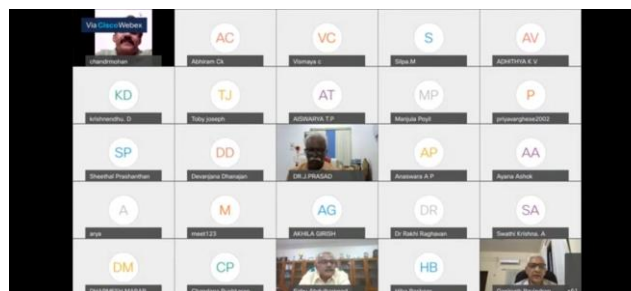
The record room of the panchayat was arranged properly on 15.02.2023 by the Project Coordinator with the help of the internship students of Rajagiri outREACH who came to the panchayat and the files in the record room were arranged properly. 15 students were present for this activity. After sorting the files, they accurately wrote the data in the record book and recorded the files.



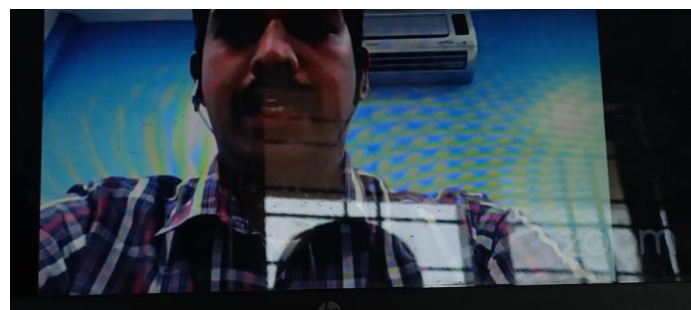
Maintained the Record Room in Keezhmadu Panchayat on 15 /02/2023

Webinar on the Role of Young Professionals in the Creation of Nava Keralam

The Coordinator participated in the 3-day webinar held as a part of **Navakeralam Project on 25th, 27th and 28th February 2023**. The topic of discussion on the first day was the “**Role of Young Professionals in the Creation of Nava Keralam**”. This webinar was held from 11:00 PM to 4:30 PM on 25.02.2023. The topic of discussion on the first day was the role of Haritha Karma Sena and its function and role of the Haritha Keralam project in the creation of Nava Keralam and discussions were held on Waste management in the Municipality and Panchayat, the demolition of solid waste, the role of local self-government.



Online Webinar on 25/02/2023



Online Webinar - 27/02/2023



Online Webinar - 28/02/2023

II. URJAKIRAN – ENERGY CONSERVATION RALLY AND SIGNATURE CAMPAIGN – 2022 - 2023

Date: 17/12/2022

Day: Saturday

Venue: Chottanikara Grama Panchayat

Time: 10.30 am To 1.00 pm

As a part of the Urjakiran Project, Rajagiri outREACH in association with the Energy Management Center, Kerala and Center for Environment and Development organized an Energy Conservation Rally and Signature Campaign Program on the theme '**Lifestyle and Energy Efficiency**'. The programme was conducted at Chottanikara Grama panchayat. Later, Energy conservation oath was conducted. The Inauguration of the programme and Rally Flag off ceremony was done by Sri. Rajesh M.R., President, Chottanikara Grama Panchayath.

After the Inauguration Ceremony, Energy Conservation Rally was conducted from Chottanikara Grama Panchayath to the next bus stop in Chottanikara. Felicitation was delivered by Mr. Ranjith K.U., Resource Person and Coordinator of Urjakiran 2022-2023 in Rajagiri outREACH. Vice Presidents and Members felicitated in the meeting, which was conducted at Sri. John Memorial Hall, of Chottanikara Grama Panchayat. Later, the Signature campaign was conducted including all the participants from the rally. There were almost all participants members of CDS (Kudumbashree). 200 Pamphlets concerning tips for efficient energy conservation were also distributed. A total of 150 above participated in the signature campaign programme and 70 CDS members and consumers participated in the Rally. The Programme concluded at 1.00 pm.



Urjakiran – Energy Conservation Campaign Flag off by Mr. Rajesh M.R., Panchayat President

Inauguration of signature campaign programme



Inauguration of Energy Conservation Workshop





Additional Urjakiran Rally organized at Valappu Beach Road, Vypin, Ernakulam District



An Urjakiran Rally was organized at Valappu Beach Road, Vypin, in connection with planting Mangrove saplings.

Energy conservation workshop organized at Mulanthuruthy Grama Panchayath

Date: 7th February 2023 , Venue: Mulanthuruthy Grama Panchayath

Project: Urjakiran 2022-23

The Department of Electricity, Government of Kerala, Energy Management Centre, Centre for Environment, Thiruvananthapuram, Rajagiri outREACH and Mulanthuruthy Grama Panchayat, Dept. of Computer Science jointly organized an **Energy Conservation Workshop on Lifestyle and Energy Efficiency** on Tuesday, February 7, 2023 from 10.30 am to 1.30 am. Smt. Indira Soman, CDS Chairperson, Mulanthuruthy Grama Panchayath welcomed the participants and the Workshop was inaugurated by Smt. Mariamma Benny, President, Mulanthuruthy Grama Panchayath and Smt. Binu Varghese, Panchayat Secretary, Smt. Sunu Mary Abraham, Faculty, Department of Computer Science,

Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and Sister Jincy Jose also conveyed her best wishes and coordinated the household survey on Energy Conservation.



The workshop was attended by people's representatives, CDS members and ADS members, while Energy Management Centre Resource Person, and Coordinator of NRM, Rajagiri outREACH , Shri. Ranjith K.U and EMC Resource Person Prof. K.P. Mohandas led the class. LED bulbs were gifted to the winners of the Energy Quiz Competition.

Research on Energy Conservation and Door to Door Awareness programme by Students from the Dept. of Computer Science



After the workshop, 40 Computer Science Students participated in a home-focused Energy Conservation survey and awareness Rally. Fr. Angelo CMI, Smt. Sunu Mary Abraham, Mr. Diljith K. Benny, Sister. Jincy Jose, Dr. Sabeen Govind and Mr. Shiju Thomas, Faculty from MCA Department, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, coordinated the volunteering programme of MCA students.



Energy Conservation Workshop organized at Nellikuzhi Grama Panchayath

**Date: 10th February 2023, Venue: Nellikuzhi Grama Panchayath
Project: Urjakiran 2022-23**



A Workshop on Energy Conservation was organized at Kothamangalam constituency, Government of Kerala Electricity Department, Energy Management Centre, Center for Environment, Thiruvananthapuram, Rajagiri outREACH and Nellikuzhi Grama Panchayat jointly organized an energy conservation workshop on the topic **Life Style and Energy Efficiency** on Friday, 10th February 2023 from 10.30am to 1.30 pm. Nellikuzhi Gram Panchayat President Mr.P. M. Majeed inaugurated the workshop. CDS Chairperson Mrs. Aisha Ali and Grama Panchayat Health Education Standing Committee Chairman Mr. N. B. Jamal and Rajagiri College of Social Sciences Road Safety Campaign

Assistant Coordinator Mr. Varghese K.O. addressed the participants. The workshop was attended by public representatives, KSEB customers, CDS members and ADS members. Energy Management Center Resource Person of Rajagiri outREACH Mr. Ranjith K.U. led the class. 10 winners of the energy quiz competition were awarded with LED bulbs. After the workshop, 6 Social Work internship students of Rajagiri outREACH participated in a home based energy conservation survey and ward level awareness programme.



Social Work interns of Rajagiri outREACH participated in a home based Energy Conservation Survey and ward level awareness programme on 10.02.2023 at Nellikuzhi Grama Panchayath





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Short film making Competition on 'Lifestyle and Energy Efficiency'



Rajagiri outREACH published a News in dailies for Muvattupuzha taluk level and Kothamangalam taluk level Energy conservation short film making competition which was being organized in association with Energy Management Centre Kerala and Centre for Environment & Development. The competition is part of the 'Urja Kiran' campaign, which is being organized on the theme '**Lifestyle and Energy Efficiency**'. Videos shot on a mobile or camera of not more than three minutes can be sent to the competition, conveying the importance of energy conservation to the people. The competition is on taluk basis.



The first prize was Rs.3,000 and the second prize was Rs 2,000 and a certificate. The video had to be sent before January 10, 2023. 9446007509 the WhatsApp number of the email outreach@rajagiri.edu,

8 entries were received and sent the same to CED for the short filmmaking competition.

Shri. Ranjith K.U from Rajagiri outREACH and Faculty from Dept. of Computer Science participated in a Workshop and Exhibition organized at Ramada Resort as part of Japan Mela, Various Eminent Speakers presented new ideas for Energy Conservation. Sri. Madhu S Nair, Chairman, Cochin Shipyard moderated the Seminar.



III. ORGANIC FAIR 2022

17th Organic Fest – 10th to 12th April 2022

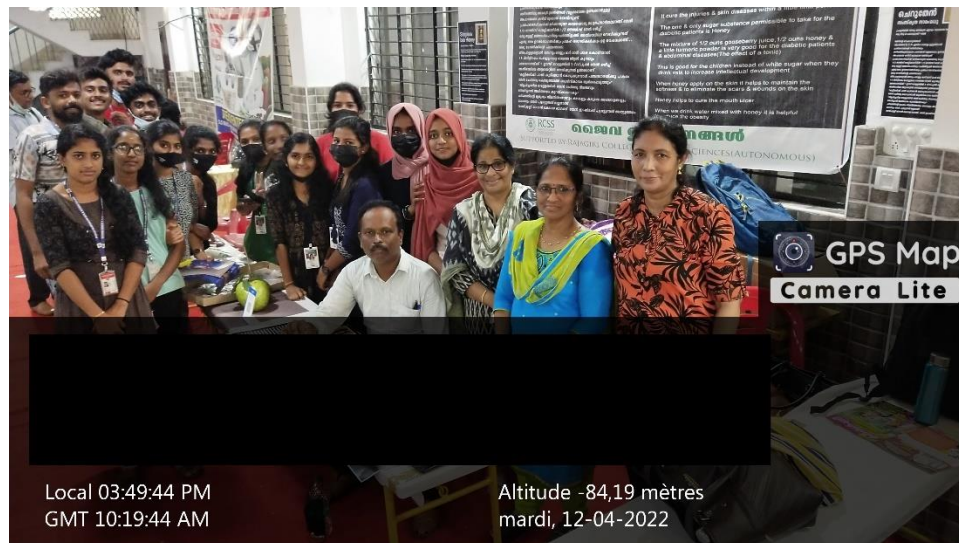
Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery in association with Heal Kochi, A Project of Kochi Corporation and Organic Kerala Charitable Trust and various organizations, had participated in the 17th Organic Fest at Town Hall Ernakulam from 9th April 2022 to 12th April 2022. The theme for the Organic Fest was “Go Beyond Organic” – Regenerative

Agriculture & Bio-diversity Richness for a Healthy Living Eco-System. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Mr. Ranjith K.U. (Coordinated the Event), Mrs. Philomina K.A., Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, Rajagiri outREACH and Internship Students from various Colleges, had participated in the event as Volunteers. Certificates were awarded to the Volunteers.

This year Organic Farming Fair which promotes organic vegetable farming at Ernakulam Town Hall. A Joint venture of Organic Kerala Charitable Trust, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Sacred Heart College Thevara, St. Theresa's College and Rajagiri outREACH has been organized from April 9 to 12, 2022. Students actively participated in selling organic vegetables and organic products. The contemporary relevance of organic vegetable farming was conveyed to the people who came there.

The Organic fair 2022 was inaugurated by Sri. Vinod MLA on 09/04/2022 at Town Hall Ernakulam. Sri. K.N.Unnikrishnan inaugurated the Stall. Sri. M.M.Abbas welcomed the gathering, Sri.M.S.Nassar conveyed introductory remarks and Sri. Ranjith K.U., proposed the Vote of Thanks. The Organic Fair concluded on April 12th 2022. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, Smt. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, Senior Coordinator Administration, Smt. Philomina Toby, Administrative Assistant, also visited the Exhibition, On April 5th 2022, Adv. M. Anilkumar, Mayor, published the logo of Organic Fair-Jaiva karshikolsavam at St. Theresa's College, Ernakulam





17th Organic Fest conducted at Town Hall, Ernakulam from 9th to 12th April 2022



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IV. Bio-Diversity Conservation programme held on May 21, 2022

Sri. Thomas welcomed the gathering and Sri. K.K. Raguraj, Superintendent, Kerala Fisheries University (annex) Puthuvyppu delivered the introductory and Presidential speech on **Biodiversity Conservation**. Smt. Subhadha Shaji, Welfare Standing Committee Chairperson, Vypin Block Panchayath inaugurated the Workshop, Sri. Ramachandran P.K. Secretary of Ponnakudam Kavu Trust and Former District Coordinator of Kerala State Biodiversity Board had taken the session on Biodiversity. Smt. Sreeja delivered the topic on “Act on Biodiversity”. 7 interns from Rajagiri outREACH, RCSS participated in the programme. Interns visited the flood-affected areas and mangrove forest areas near the beach side.



Rajagiri outREACH had associated with various community-based organizations to minimize the impact of Climate change in the coastal area of Vypin, which is dilapidated due to Cyclone and Soil erosion. On April 16, 2022 afternoon, a mangrove nursery was inaugurated at Nayarambalam, Ernakulam District, under the leadership of an organization called "**Grass Route**" a community based youth organization collaborating with Rajagiri outREACH for the conservation of the environment by planting mangroves to protect the beach.

The event was led by renowned environmentalist Mr. Manoj and Mr. Thomas and 15 other environmentalists. They then took a class on the importance of coastal protection



Grass Route – An initiative for minimizing the impact of Climate Change



Greens nurture mangroves for protection of coastline

Initiative aims at minimising the impact of climate change

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A group of nature lovers at Nayarambalam near Vypeen in Ernakulam is on a mission to plant mangroves as a bulwark against the impact of climate change on the fragile coastal region.

The 20-member active members of 'Grassroute', an environmental organisation, have launched an exclusive nursery for mangroves as a precursor to their ambitious goal of setting up a 'mangrove wall' against the threat of sea erosion and the encroaching waves on the Vypeen coast.

Planting is done free of any plastic use, as the greens have chosen bamboo poles to plant seedlings. Around 1,500 seedlings collected from the Nayarambalam beach and nearby areas will be planted in bamboo cups in the first phase of the unique initiative.

"Climate variations, including flash floods and sea level rise, have taken a huge toll on the Vypeen Island, which was earlier dotted with pokkali farms and fish ponds. The decision to start

a nursery and plant seedlings in bamboo cups is part of our mission to regain the lost glory of the region, by promoting sustainable environment protection and planting mangroves, and other sustainable species of plants along the shoreline," said Manoj IS, a member of the collective.

Bamboo stumps for the project were sourced from the banks of the Periyar at Uliyannoor near Aluva. Small bamboo cups were made from these stumps to plant mangrove seedlings.

The volunteers later filled the cups with soil and manure.

"The nursery is part of our efforts to introduce a sustainable solution to the adverse impact of climate change along the coastal belt. We had planted around 2,000 mangrove seedlings and Pandanus tree stumps in areas like Vellyudamparamba and Padankadippuram at Nayarambalam after the collective was formed on August 1, 2021," said Thomas M. Vachappilly, secretary of Grassroute.



Grass Route – An initiative for minimizing the impact of Climate Change

Mushroom Cultivation Training for the 2nd batch of Mushroom training (for UBA Villages)
Sponsored by the Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment (KSCSTE)
Inaugural Function - 18.10.2022; Time: 9.30 am; Venue: Fr. Alex Hall, RCSS, Kalamassery



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VI. Pokkali Fest

Pokkali Farming Workshop – Chapter 1 held on 14th June 2022

Pokkali Eco Farm Ploughing Workshop for Computer Science Students, Sponsored by AICTE, Spices, and Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the Ploughing workshop with the support of Grassroute, Fruit FulFuture and Sanjo Eco Farm Nedungad, Nayarambalam. 90 students headed by Dr. Bindhya Abhilash, Dean, Dr. Ann Baby, Dean, Students Affairs, Sri. Shiju Thomas, Smt. Sunu Mary, Smt. Keerthy Santhosh, Sri. Sabeen Govind from the Department of Computer Science, RCSS and Sri. Ranjith K.U. from Rajagiri outREACH, Sri. Sreejith Thomas, Manoj, Bhasi from Grassroute participated. A manual ploughing and volunteering programme was organised on 14th June 2022 at Nedungad Pokkali Paddy Eco Farm at Nayarambalam Grama Panchayath. Rajagiri outREACH, Grassroute, MCA and MSc students from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, ENCON Club Members participated in the ploughing.



Pokkali Farming Workshop - Chapter 2 held on 21st June 2022

On 21/06 /2022 a group of seven interns from Rajagiri outREACH and ENCON Club Members from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences attended the harvest programme that took place in Nedungad of Nayarambalam GP in Vypin Island. The seven interns from Rajagiri outREACH were from various colleges, among them three of them from Christ University, Bangalore, two from Assumption College (Autonomous) Changanassery and other two were from Lovely Professional University, Punjab and Central University, Madhya Pradesh, respectively.

An orientation regarding the programme on the history of Vypin was carried out on 20.06.2022 on how Pokkali cultivation and how it was different from other paddy cultivation like how it was cultivated in saline water and how expensive it was when compared to other grains. The Interns reached the paddy farm at Nedungad of Nayarambalam at 9:00 am and the programme started around 9:30 am. Students from Thevara SH College and SNM College Maliyankara were also present there. A briefing session on Pokkali cultivation was conducted and a student from SH College conveyed the vote of thanks.

Interns and volunteers were then divided into groups of 10 and were given different sections of the cultivation area. They were given a demonstration on how to sow the seeds. All the students then started to sow the seeds in mound. Everyone got off the field after sowing and washed themselves. After the programme the interns from Rajagiri were taken to the Nursery wherein they were shown the mangrove saplings being grown in bamboo stems.

Pokkali farmers jointly participated in replanting of (NjaruNadal) in Mr. Johny Vattatara's field at Nedumangad paddy field of Nayarambalam Gram Panchayat for Pokkali cultivation. Seventy five students participated in the workshop to learn about Pokkali farming.

Under the leadership of Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Associate Director, Dr. Saju M.D. and Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, Faculty from Department of Library Science Dr. A.T. Francis (Head of Department of MLIC, RCSS), Dr. Susan, Mathew, Dr. Joshi George, Mrs. Neeta Devan, Mrs. Neetu Mohanan, Mr. Ranjith Udayabhanu, Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH, Co-ordinators, Mr. Thomas Vazhapilli, Mr. Manoj Kumar I.B., Mr. Johnny Vattathara, Mr. Sriraj, Mr. Jos C.Vattatara, Shri. R. Raghuraj, Mr. Pramod, Mr. Dhananjayan, Students of Ernakulam Govt. Law College led by Smt. Lakshmi Nair and NSS Volunteers from SNM College, Maliankara led by Mr. Bibin for Pokkali cultivation and Students and members of Rajagiri Encon Club also participated in the programme.



Figure 1. Pokkali Farming Workshop & Figure 2. Grass Route Members proposed the Vote of thanks

“After sowing the sprouted seeds, the seedlings grow scattered in the field. 25-30 days later, when the seedlings got enough growth, they are transplanted at a uniform distance from plant to plant, in straight rows. Giving proper spacing to the plants helps uniform growth and convenience in reaping. Unlike other paddy cultivation practices, the Pokkali Seedling transplanting is really difficult to operate with a rotary weeder or other machinery, but a completely manual operation is needed to finish the job.”

— Johny Vattathara, *Farmer*

പൊക്കാളി കൃഷി പാഠശാലയ്ക്ക് നാലാം അദ്ധ്യായം

ജൂൺ 14-നു ഇടങ്ങിന കൃഷിയുടെ വിഭാഗം കൈയത്തുത്സവം

#PokkaliFarmingWorkshop

ഇത്തരമെ പൊക്കാളിപ്പാടത്തിലിറങ്ങി കൃഷിപ്പാടങ്ങൾ മനസ്സിലാക്കാൻ കർഷകരോടൊപ്പം പ്രവേശിച്ച എല്ലാ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്കും അദ്ധ്യയനം തയ്യാറാക്കി അവരോടൊപ്പം വന്ന ചേർന്ന അദ്ധ്യാപകർക്കും ഭാഗ്യമേറിയതാണ്.

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Pokkali Harvesting with Department of Statistics, RCSS, on 20.10.2022

Observation of International Day for the Conservation of Mangrove Ecosystem on 26.07.2022

Mr. Ranjith K.U from Rajagiri outREACH participated in the One Day Consultation on Mangrove Conservation and Management in Vypin Island on July 26, 2022 in connection with the observance of International Day for the Conservation of the Mangrove Ecosystem



Observance of International Day for the Conservation of the Mangrove Ecosystem July 26, 2022

SNM COLLEGE MALIANKARA
 Research Department of Botany & NSS Unit
 In Collaboration with
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Observance of "International Day for the Conservation of the Mangrove Ecosystem"
 One-day Consultation on Mangrove Conservation and Management in Vypin Island, on July 26, 2022.
 Vypin Seminar Hall

Session 1: Panel discussion (09:30 to 10:30)
 Chair: Prof. (Dr) V. R. Prakasham, Professor & Head (Plant Ecophysiology & Environmental Botany), SNM College

Invited Talk 1: Biodiversity of Mangroves
 Dr. C. N. Sunil, Research Assistant, Department of Botany, SNM College

Invited Talk 2: Community centered approaches to restore and sustain mangrove wetlands of India
 Dr. R. Ramakrishnan, Panel discussion

Session 2: Reflections from the Grassroots (10:30 to 16:30)
 Chair: Dr. T. J. John, Principal, SNM College

Guests: Local Self Government Departments and Community Organizations

Reflections from the Local Self Government
 Reflections from the Community
 Summarizing the Way Forward Plan
 Facilitators to the Vanamithra Awardes

Mangrove Sapling Planting Workshop

On Sunday August 28th 2022 a Mangrove Planting Workshop was organised at Nedungad Paddy Field. Interns from Rajagiri outREACH, Students from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, ENCON Club

members participated in the Mangrove Planting Workshop. Mr. Raghuraj, Superintendent, KUFOS had taken session on the “**Importance of Mangrove Conservation**”. Mr. Thomas Vazhappilly, Mr. Manoj, Mr, JoseVattathara, Mr. Ranjth K.U participated in the programme. Pablo intern from Ramuni Paniker Trust, Spain also volunteered in the planting of mangrove saplings.



Mangrove Sapling Planting Workshop on 28.08.2022

Planting of Mangrove Saplings in Collaboration with the Department of Social Forestry on February 2nd 2023

On **February 2nd 2023** another Mangrove Planting Workshop was organised at Valappu Beach at Elankunnappuzha Grama Panchayath in collaboration with Social Forestry, Grassroute and KUFOS. Interns from Rajagiri outREACH, Students from Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and Volunteers from various Schools and Colleges participated in the Mangrove Planting Workshop. Mr. Raghuraj, Superintendent, KUFOS had taken session on the importance of **Mangroove Conservation**. Mr. Thomas Vazhappilly, Mr. Manoj, Mr. Jose Vattathara, Mr. Ranjth K.U. coordinated the workshop. Many Social Workers volunteered in the planting of mangrove saplings



Planting of Mangrove Saplings in Collaboration with the Department of Social Forestry on February 2nd 2023

VII. International Millet Year Celebration

Millet Distribution and Sowing Festival at Kanjoor Grama Panchayat on 28.02.2023

The UN General Assembly adopted by consensus a resolution sponsored by India and supported by over 70 nations declaring 2023 as the International Year of Millets, aimed at raising awareness about the health benefits of the grain and their suitability for cultivation under changing climatic conditions. The resolution titled '**International Year of Millets 2023**' was initiated by India with Bangladesh, Kenya, Nepal, Nigeria, Russia and Senegal and was co-sponsored by over 70 nations. The 193-member General Assembly unanimously adopted the resolution, declaring 2023 as the International Year of Millets. FAO is the lead agency for celebrating the Year in collaboration with other relevant stakeholders. Millets can grow on arid lands with minimal inputs and are resilient to changes in climate. Generally, millets are small-grained, annual, warm-weather cereals belonging to the grass family. They are highly tolerant of drought and other extreme weather conditions and have a similar nutrient content to other major cereals. They are therefore an ideal solution for countries to increase self-sufficiency and reduce reliance on imported cereal grains.

As part of the International Year of Millets, Rajagiri outREACH in association with Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kanjoor Service Cooperative Bank, Organic Kerala Charitable Trust, jointly organised the millet distribution and sowing festival in Kanjoor Grama Panchayat at Ward 14 on 28.02.2023 from 10.00 a.m. at Kanjoor Kallumkoottam (Near to Mr. Lenin Moovattil's house).

The program began with a silent prayer and was inaugurated by Mrs. Simi K.S, Agricultural Officer of Kanjoor Krishi Bhavan and the presidential address was given by Mr. Sasidharan Master, President of Kanjoor Service Cooperative Bank. The welcome speech was given by Mr. T.D Robert, Board Member of Kanjoor Service Cooperative Bank. Mrs. Meena Kuruvila (Project Director of Rajagiri outREACH), Mrs. Chandravathi Rajan (Ward member of Kanjoor Grama Panchayat), Mr. M.G Gopinadh (Angamaly Area Committee of Kerala Karshaka Sangham), Mr. Varghese Koyikkara (Retd. Chief Manager of Federal Bank Ltd and Agricultural Researcher), Mr. Varghese K.O (Training Coordinator of Rajagiri outREACH) and Mr. Baby Sasi (Board Member of Kanjoor Service Cooperative Bank) had felicitated the gathering. Mr. Lenin from Kanjoor Service Cooperative Bank delivered the vote of thanks



Inauguration by Mrs. Simi K.S, Agricultural Officer of Kanjoor Krishi Bhavan

Followed by the inauguration, Dr. Maharajan, Post-doctoral fellow of Bioscience Department, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences briefed about the increasing importance of cultivating millets and its nutritional benefits for the farmers. Dr. Fr. M.K Joseph, Head Department of Social Work distributed the millets to the farmers followed by a felicitation.



Session for Farmers taken by Dr. Maharajan, Faculty of Bioscience Department, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences



Varieties of millets

Eleven interns including three International students participated in the millet sowing and distribution festival. The event was a new experience for the students especially for the students from abroad, the young generation haven't had an opportunity to the millet cultivation and many of them were seeing the millet seeds for the first time. Initially, the students were briefed with an orientation on millets and the cultivation programme which initiated in Kanjoor panchayat.

After the distribution of millets, farmers along with the dignitaries sowed millets in the paddy fields in the presence of community people and other invited guests



Sowing of millets in the paddy fields

The programme concluded with an evaluation session which was conducted at the Conference Hall in the presence of Dr. Fr. M. K Joseph, Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Dr. Maharajan, Mr. T.D Robert, Mr.Sasidharan Master, Mr. Varghese K.O, Mr. Abhijithlal and Ms. Candice, and interns of Rajagiri outREACH. The evaluation session began with an experience sharing by all the gathered participants. The student interns had a great experience at the field and they specified about the new knowledge they had acquired about millets. International students appreciated the initiatives of the bank, in supporting local farmers through such programmes. They also stated this model should be followed by banks in Belgium so that they could work closely with local farmers which will build a good relationship between the community and the banks. They also suggested that banks shall follow socially-beneficial programmes rather than focusing only on profit-making.



Evaluation session

VIII. Jal Jeevan Mission Project

Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) has been launched with the aim of providing Functional Household Tap Connection (FHTC) to every rural household by 2024. The programme focuses on service delivery at household level, i.e., water supply on regular basis in adequate quantity and of prescribed quality. The vision of the project is to ensure that every rural household has drinking water supply in sufficient quantity of prescribed quality on regular and long-term basis at affordable delivery charges leading to improvement in living standards of rural communities.

Rajagiri outREACH is empanelled as Implementation Support Agency (ISA) for implementation of Jal Jeevan Mission Project by Ministry of Jal Sakthi (Water Resources), Government of India and Kerala State Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Agency (KRWSA) & Kerala Water Authority, Government of Kerala vide Order No. DB-4243/19 dated 07.06.2021 to implement Jal Jeevan Projects at 10 different Panchayats in Ernakulam, Thrissur and Idukki District. (Aikkaranadu, Mookkannoor, Okkal, Kunnathunad, Kunnukara and Karumalloor in Ernakulam District; Kattoor & Karalam in Thrissur District and Udumbanoor and Arakulam in Idukki District.

Currently the project activities are being carried out in Kattoor and Karalam Grama panchayat in Thrissur district, Kunnathunadu and Aikkaranadu Grama Panchayat in Ernakulam District and Udumbanoor and Arakulam Grama Panchayats in Idukki district. In total, the activity calendar includes 53 deliverables which focuses mainly on IEC/BCC and IPC activities, Capacity building trainings and Engagement of ISA's. Several activities have been carried out in all the panchayats with the cooperated efforts of staff and internship students.

Out of the 10, six GP have signed the MoU and Rajagiri outREACH has commenced the activities as per the project objective. The details of the activities in GP are as follows:

1. UDUMBANOOR GRAMA PANCHAYATH

1.1 ORIENTATION PROGRAMME FOR GP BOARD MEMBERS

As the first and foremost activity of the Jal Jeevan Mission project, Rajagiri outREACH organized an orientation session for the GP board members and officials of the Grama Panchayat. The orientation session intends to capacitate the GP board members and officials on the Jal Jeevan Mission Project, the implementation strategy, the role of panchayats, the involvement of ISA (Implementation Support Agency) and raise their concerns and queries on the project in project implementation and various activities going to be initiated in the community. The programme was held at the conference hall of the panchayat on 22nd of August 2022. Participants, including the panchayat president, secretary, ward members, and other officials, got oriented and ensured their active involvement and support in imparting the project.



Orientation Programme for GP board members of Udumbannoor Grama Panchayat

1.2 KEY STAKEHOLDERS MEETING

The key stakeholders meeting intends to capacitate the key stakeholders of the project, like socio-political leaders, Asha workers, ward members, MGNREGA workers, community leaders, SHG group members, etc. The meeting was conducted on 24th September, 2022. The goal of the meeting was to orient the community on the Jal Jeevan Mission Project, the importance of water conservation, tap water promotion, and the implementation strategies of the project. Through the orientation sessions, ISA encouraged the community to take part in the drinking water distribution project. The project coordinator had given a detailed overview of the project and the roles of the central and state governments, panchayat and water authorities, and ISA (Rajagiri outREACH) in the implementation phase, as well as the role of the village water and sanitation committee in the monitoring and maintenance of the project activities.

Three stakeholder meetings were organised in the panchayat where more than 250 community representatives participated. Representatives from Kerala Water Authority were invited to the programmes which helped the participants resolve their concerns and queries about the project. All the meetings ensured the active participation of community members and encouraged them to take part in the project.



Key Stakeholders meeting at Udumbannoor Grama Panchayat

1.2 DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR/ GRAMA SABHAS

ISA intends to reach out to the grass-roots community through organising panchayat level Grama Sabha where people gather together to share their community issues and immediate needs. Rajagiri outREACH had organized two Grama Sabha in Udumbannoor Grama panchayat during the month of September 2022.

Since the aim of the programme was to orient the community on the Jal Jeevan Mission Project, ISA focused on providing information on the relevance of the project in the present scenario, the role of the water authority and ISA in the project implementation, and the need to take part in the drinking water distribution project. Around 100 participants from the community participated, along with ward members, socio-political leaders, Asha workers, and Kudumbashree members. Community representatives raised many concerns about the project, particularly regarding the use of the existing water resources and the identification of new ones for providing more connections. Upkeep of public roads, the frequency of drinking water availability, etc. All these concerns and queries were addressed by the representatives of the Water Authority and the ISA. Lack of knowledge among the community pulled them back from being beneficiaries of the Jal Jeevan Mission project, and the awareness generation programmes enhanced the community's ability to obtain household tap connections through the project.



Grama Sabha meetings for the community at Udumbanoor Grama Panchayat

1.3 FLASH MOB/ STREET PLAY

Along with awareness classes, Rajagiri outREACH ensured reaching out to the mass community through various public events such as flash mobs and street plays in five different locations of the panchayat. The goal of the programmes was to generate awareness among the general public about the Jal Jeevan Mission project through similar attractive programmes. Both the flash mob and street plays spread awareness on waterborne diseases, the need to consume safe drinking water, and the importance of the Jal Jeevan Mission project. All five programmes were conducted on 12th January 2022 and the programmes reached out to around 3000 community members. Street plays were carried out with the support of social work students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences.



Project volunteers performing street play in Udumbanoor panchayat

1.4 SCHOOL LEVEL AWARENESS PROGRAMMES AND COMPETITIONS

Considering that grass root level orientation is an important deliverable of the project, Rajagiri outREACH has reached out to the school students with various school-level activities. Seven government schools were identified and provided awareness-raising programmes on water conservation on 11th January, 2023. Around 400 students from the government schools got oriented on water conservation and the Jal Jeevan Mission project. School teachers and parents also participated in the awareness-generation programmes.



School level orientation sessions and competitions at govt. schools of Udumbanoor Grama Panchayat

1.6 IEC MATERIAL

Along with the orientation sessions, we conducted school-level competitions on the topic of ‘water conservation’ for pencil drawing, poster making, painting, story writing, poem writing, collage making, etc. Selected contributions from children’s competitions were awarded prizes, and a school magazine, namely "**Ente Kudivellam,**" was published with the selected materials. A student’s club was formed in every school, consisting of children who are interested in water care activities. The group, which contains 20–25 students, got oriented on the project and the remaining awareness campaigns conducted in the schools through the trained students.

As part of the IEC material preparation and distribution, Rajagiri outREACH developed and distributed notices and posters in the panchayat. The JJM ideology was spread to the general public through the preparation and dissemination of posters, which were pasted at different locations of the panchayat, including different tourist locations and other public places. In the month of January, 2023 A total of 55 posters were pasted at various institutions, including hospitals, schools, community centres, Akshaya centres, and all the tourism destinations in the panchayat, with the active involvement of student interns from Rajagiri outREACH. Slogans and statements highlighting the significance of quality drinking water are incorporated into the poster’s content. The notices prepared for the community were distributed during public programmes and household visits. The notice contains information such as project objectives, JJM philosophy, role of water authorities, ISAs, and communities, implementation strategies, etc.

1.7 VILLAGE WATER AND SANITATION COMMITTEE (VWSC)

The project was designed and implementing by ensuring the active involvement of various government departments as well as the community. The project intends to develop a sense of ownership by entrusting the community with various responsibilities. A village water and sanitation committee were formed in Udumbanoor panchayat to monitor the planning, implementation, and maintenance of the water distribution

project. The committee got oriented on the project in detail, the implementation strategies, the role of VWSC in the Jal Jeevan mission, etc. The 15-member committee includes four ward members, seven women representatives, and four SC/ST community representatives. The orientation session for the committee was carried out on 17th October 2022 and sessions focused on institutional development, leadership, water supply system management, etc.

1.8 AWARENESS GENERATION ON WATER QUALITY ISSUES

Rajagiri outREACH organised awareness programmes in Anganwadi centres as well as in schools in Udumbanoor Grama Panchayat on 11th January, 2023. The awareness classes focused on water quality issues, waterborne diseases and its health impacts, and briefed on the importance of preserving water for the future, the raising issue of water scarcity, and the role of each human being in the water conservation campaigns. 11 classes were conducted for the students, which capacitated around 400 students from schools and anganwadis. 70 parents also attended the programme and ensured their responsible involvement in water conservation activities.

1.9 RALLY AND MIC ANNOUNCEMENT

As part of the public awareness generation campaign, ISA organized a rally on March 8th, 2023 in the panchayat with the active participation of SHG group members, MGNREGA workers, Asha workers, and other women representatives from the community. The goal of organising a rally was to effectively spread awareness among the general public. The programme was organised as part of the Women’s Day celebrations, and around 50 women representatives participated in the rally and conveyed the message of water conservation and the Jal Jeevan mission project through slogans, banners, and placards. On the same day, a public mic announcement was also conducted, which commenced from Panchayat Hall and covered almost all the major locations of the panchayat. The announcement was used as an easy method to reach the community and convey the project philosophy and importance of tap water. In the concluding ceremony, a group of artists performed a folksong, which attracted hundreds of people to the event. All these initiatives reached out to the public and conveyed the message effectively.



Rally and Mic announcement at Udumbanoor Grama Panchayat

1.10. WORLD WATER DAY CELEBRATIONS

Since the project intends to ensure safe drinking water for rural households, ISA is committed to coordinating water-related activities in the panchayat. On 22nd of March 2023 as part of the World Water Day observation, Rajagiri outREACH organized various awareness generation programmes at the school, Anganwadi and community levels, along with a quiz competition among the school students. A public pond

was renovated by the panchayat with the support of ISA and opened to the public on World Water Day. An oath has been taken by the public on water conservation during the event.



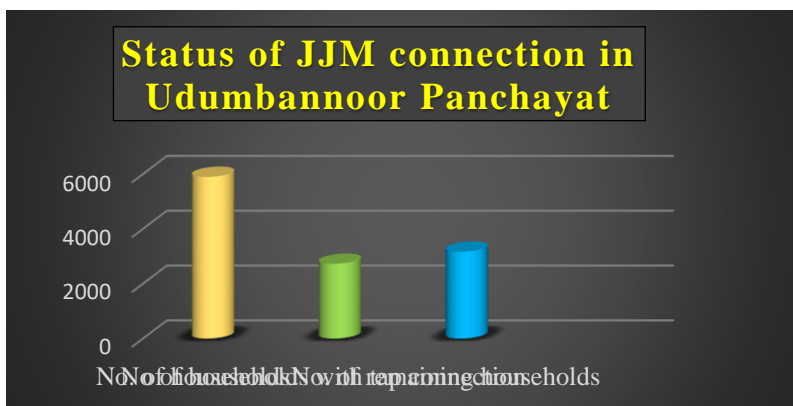
Inauguration of public pond and Quiz competition conducted as part of World Water day observation

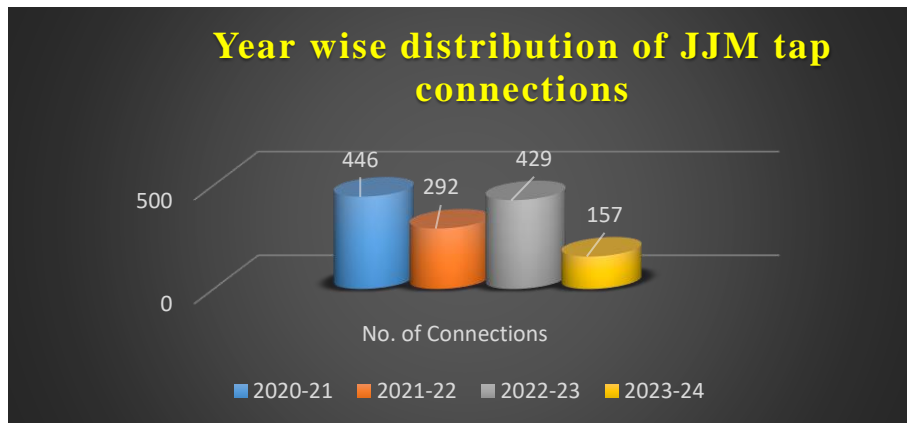
1.11. WALL WRITINGS/ PAINTINGS

Considering the effect images have on spreading awareness, the project proposed wall paintings and writings to propagate the Jal Jeevan mission philosophy. Rajagiri outREACH identified 10 popular public locations in the panchayat and painted and wrote messages on the Jal Jeevan Mission project, the importance of water conservation, and the need for tap water in the future. With an intention to reach out to a mass community, all the paintings were done in public places, in the month of March, 2023 which include panchayat compounds, PHCs, schools, Anganwadi walls, etc. A total of 3400 sq. ft. has been covered with the paintings.



Wall painting of JJM at different locations of Udumbanoor Grama Panchayat





2. ARAKKULAM GRAMA PANCHAYAT

2.1. ORIENTATION PROGRAMAME FOR GP BOARD MEMBERS

As the initial project deliverable of the project, Rajagiri outREACH, the ISA of Jal Jeevan Mission project had organized a panchayat level orientation programme for the Panchayat president, Secretary, ward members and other officials on June 3rd, 2022 with an intention to capacitate the participants on the Jal Jeevan Mission project, implementation strategies, role of panchayat and ISA in the project and the need of tap water connection in the current scenario. Around 15 members got participated in the programme and ensured their support in the project implementation as well as to encourage the community to take part in the water distribution project.



Mr. Dinto Benny leading the orientation session for GP members at Arakulam Grama panchayat

2.2. KEY STAKEHOLDERS MEETING

A special orientation training for Key stakeholders was conducted on 3rd October, 2022. Socio-political leaders, community representatives, Asha workers, ward members, opinion makers and other panchayat level officials were the key participants of the meeting. The programme organized with a goal of capacitating the community about the JJM project, implementation strategies, role of ISA, water authority and Village water and sanitation committee in the project implementation etc. Also discussed the significance of this effort in the current context, particularly in a time when water resources are rapidly running out. The meeting took place in the presence of representatives of panchayat, Kerala Water Authority and ISA which help the participants to raise their concerns and issues before the officials.



Special orientation training for key stakeholders at Arakulam Grama panchayat

2.3. STREET PLAY / FLASH MOBS

Flash mobs and street plays were conducted with the intention of spreading knowledge to as many people as possible. Five street plays were conducted at various hotspots of the panchayat on 2nd December, 2022 with the support of Jal Jeevan volunteers on December. The programmes gained much attention from the public and made the community aware with the theme of importance of safe and quality drinking water and the effects of water-borne diseases. The street play depicted how polluted water bodies and improper waste disposal can become breeding grounds for vectors carrying diseases like cholera and dengue



Street play performed by the JJM volunteers in Arakulam Grama panchayat

2.4. SCHOOL LEVEL AWARENESS PROGRAMMES AND COMPETITIONS

School-level awareness generations were organized to enhance the student's awareness of water conservation. All the government schools were chosen to organize the school-level programmes. Along with the awareness classes school level competitions were conducted on 2nd December, 2022 like pencil drawing, painting, poem writing, essay writing etc., on subjects based on water such as water pollution, grey-water management, water quality issues etc. for school students. All the winners of school competitions were awarded prizes and published in a magazine with the selected materials from the competition.

2.5. IEC MATERIALS

Rajagiri outREACH prepared and distributed IEC materials including posters and notices in the month of January 2023 which intended to propagate the JJM philosophy, the need for water conservation, and the importance of tap water connection in the future etc. Prepared notices and distributed them to the public through various programmes as well as through house visits. Posters were also pasted in public places and tourist locations.



Displaying posters at various tourist locations at Arakulam Grama panchayath

2.6. RALLY, MIC ANNOUNCEMENT AND FOLKSONGS

Rajagiri outREACH organised a Rally on 14th March, 2023 in the panchayat with the active participation of women representatives from the community, MGNREGA workers, SHG groups and ward members. Jal Jeevan Mission messages displayed in the rally through placards and banners which propagated the information about JJM and its objectives. The programme aimed at reaching out a mass community with the Jal Jeevan mission and the implementation strategies of the project. Along with the rally, a mic announcement was also organized which propagates JJM messages and need of water conservation and tap water promotion. A folksong music programme was also took place followed by the rally.



Rally and Mic announcement conducted at Arakulam Grama panchayat

2.7. WORLD WATER DAY

Rajagiri outREACH coordinated the World Water Day observation programmes in the panchayat. A public pond was renovated by the panchayat with the support of MGNREGA workers and ISA which was inaugurated on 22nd of March 2023. During the inauguration, an oath has taken by the participants to ensure their contribution in water conservation. Through the programme, ISA propagate the need of taking part in the Jal Jeevan mission project and the importance of tap water in the future.



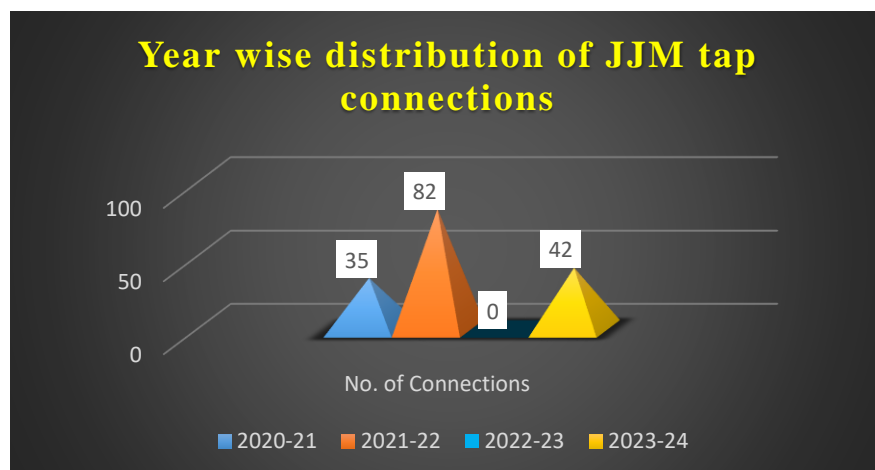
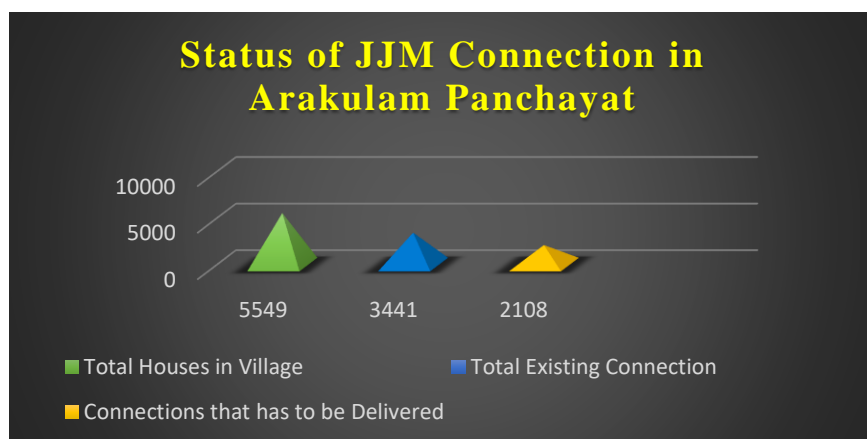
World water day Observation at Arakulam Grama panchayat

2.8. WALL PAINTING/WALL WRITING

As part of the IEC activities, Rajagiri outREACH painted almost 3400 sq. ft. of public walls with Jal Jeevan Mission messages, water conservation quotes and images to propagate the project among the community. All the paintings conveyed the message of water conservation, tap water promotion and the Jal Jeevan Mission project. The work was done by a professional team in the month of February, 2023 to ensure that the outcome of the activity was achieved.



Wall paintings at different locations of Arakulam Grama panchayat



3. KUNNATHUNADU GRAMA PANCHAYAT

3.1. ORIENTATION PROGRAMME FOR GP BOARD MEMBERS

Rajagiri outREACH has organised an orientation session for the GP board members and socio-political leaders as part of the project deliverables on 21st July, 2022. Through the orientation, the participants were capacitated about the Jal Jeevan Mission role of the ISA, involvement of the panchayat and the implementation strategies were conveyed to the community and their assurance for participation in the future activities was ensured. 18 panchayat members were present for the orientation. The orientation session capacitated the participants to encourage the community members to take part in the drinking water distribution project.



Orientation session for the GP board members of Kunnathunadu Grama panchayat

3.2. KEY STAKEHOLDERS MEETING



ISA organised special orientation training for the key stakeholders of the project at four different locations of the panchayat on 27th August 2022 and 6th September 2022. The key stakeholders of the panchayat which includes ward members, socio-political leaders, Anganwadi teachers, Kudumbashree members, MGNREGA workers' representatives and other community members were present in the training. More than 250 participants attended the programme and reached out to the community through the trained stakeholders.



Stakeholders meeting at four different locations in Kunnathunadu Grama panchayat

3.3. DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR / GRAMA SABHA

ISA organised Grama Sabhas at two different locations of the panchayat on 17th September, 2022 with the intention of making people aware on JJM project, the implementation plans, role of ISAs and panchayat in the implementation etc. The participants include Socio-political leaders, Anganwadi teachers, Kudumbashree members, MGNREGA workers, retired employees, and other community members who were present in the meeting. A total of 120 people were reached out through the seminar where the participants got a brief idea about what the project was and how it will work at the panchayat level through the support of an Implementation support agency in connection with the water authority.



Grama Sabha in Kunnathunadu Grama panchayat

3.4. IEC MATERIALS

IEC materials including posters, notices, reading materials related to the project were prepared in the month September, 2023. The notices were distributed during home visits, street play and at the time of rally. The content of the notice includes all the relevant information relating to the mission, role of the ISA, current status of the water supply of the households. The JJM ideology was also spread to the general public through the preparation and dissemination of posters which were pasted at different locations of the panchayat including different tourist locations and other public places including hospitals, schools, community centres, Akshaya centres and tourism destinations with the active involvement of student interns from Rajagiri outREACH. Slogans and statements highlighting the significance of quality drinking water are incorporated in the poster's content. These posters ensure visibility and help in gaining public attention.



Propagating the JJM philosophy through IEC materials

3.5. RALLY, MIC ANNOUNCEMENT AND FOLKSONGS

As part of the project deliverables, a rally, mic announcement and folk song were conducted on 7th February, 2023 to generate awareness among the public. By ensuring the involvement of community people, students and other socio-political members the rally had gained the attention of the public. A total of 55 participants took part in the rally. Along with the rally, a mic announcement which propagated JJM philosophy, covered multiple locations of the panchayat and a large crowd was reached out. A folksong session was held at Pattimattom Center; the team sang ‘Ini Varunnoru Thalamurrayku’. The jingle highlighted the effects of extreme heat conditions and the future uncertainty of water scarcity. The rally along with the mic announcement was carried out with the participation of 60 persons including students and community volunteers. The combination of three activities helped to gain much attention of the public.



Rally organised with the support of students and community members at Kunnathunadu Grama Panchayat

3.6. PARTICIPATORY RURAL APPRAISAL (PRA)

Rajagiri outREACH has organised a Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) in Udumbanoor Grama panchayat on 4th November 2022, with the presence of community representatives. PRA is used to understand the community from the community itself. Various tools of PRA such as social mapping, Venn diagram, mobility mapping, pair-wise ranking, daily routine analysis, impact Diagram, seasonal calendar and Transect Walk were used to understand the community as a whole. The usage of these tools was very well facilitated by the social work interns and Jal Jeevan team members. The findings and recordings were used to arrive at an overall understanding of the locality.



JJM volunteers conducting PRA with the support of members from the community

3.7. SHG INVOLVEMENT

On 19th November 2022 an orientation session was conducted for the members of a self-help group, JJM volunteers led the session which intended to capacitate the participants on JJM project activities, the role of government, Grama Panchayat and ISAs, the possibility of water quality testing in the community and the implementation strategies of the project. 22 SHG members participated in the meeting.

3.8. STREET PLAY / FLASH MOBS

Street play and flash mobs were performed at five different locations of the panchayat with the goal of raising awareness about the need for the project and the current water-related problems. Street play was conducted on 26th November 2022 at three locations and flash mob was conducted on 27th December 2022. The significance of safe, high-quality drinking water and the consequences of water-borne illnesses were the focus of the street play which was presented by the JJM volunteers and social work students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences.



Flash mob and Street Plays conducted at various locations of Kunnathunadu Grama Panchayat

3.9. FOCUS GROUP DISCUSSION (FGD)

Rajagiri outREACH with an intention of addressing the community's need and water related issues has organised two FGD was conducted on 29th October 2022 and 30th October 2022 with a total participation of 32 members. The activity helped in identify the people's concerns as well as extended a platform for the community to discuss their issues in a group to get immediate solutions. The discussion was facilitated by the interns from the Department of Social Work of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous) and their active involvement helped the discussion to be more productive and effective. The participants mainly discussed about the existing issue of water pollutants, disposal of plastic wastes, and Water scarcity during the months of March to May.

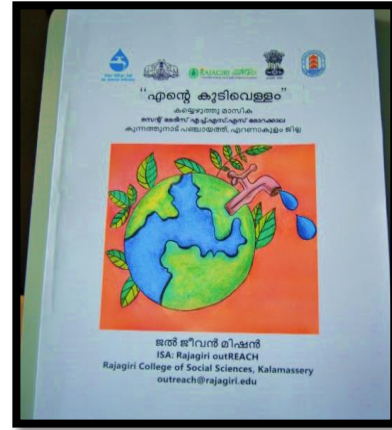


Focus Group Discussions among MNREGS workers and Kudumbashree members of Kunnathunadu Grama Panchayat

3.10. AWARENESS GENERATION PROGRAMMES AT SCHOOL/ANGANWADI LEVEL

As part of the deliverables, awareness generation programmes was conducted in ten government schools along with competitions such as essay writing, poster making, slogan writing, poetry writing, and pencil drawing in the month of October and November 2022. Selected competition materials were included in the 'Ente kudivellam' magazine which was published at school levels. Prizes were distributed to the winners of each competition. The children at the Anganwadi were engaged with action songs, and art activities with a focus on water quality issues and water-borne diseases and health impacts. ISA conducted awareness generation programmes at five Anganwadis. The session was handled by Jal Jeevan Mission Project Volunteers. The right way of hand hygiene was also demonstrated to the children along with basic questions related to saving water.





School/Anganwadi level orientation programmes and competitions conducted in government schools in Kunnathunadu Grama Panchayat

3.11. HOUSE VISITS

A total of 496 houses were visited and data was collected using a framed questionnaire. The data collection was done in the months of October, November and December 2022 with the support of Social work interns from different colleges. The questionnaire includes the general profile, water resources, affordability and availability of water during water shortage, water conservation awareness, and the willingness in subscribing to the Jal Jeevan water connection were the areas of focus.



House Visits conducted

3.12. SRAMDAAN- WATER RESOURCE CLEANING CAMPAIGN

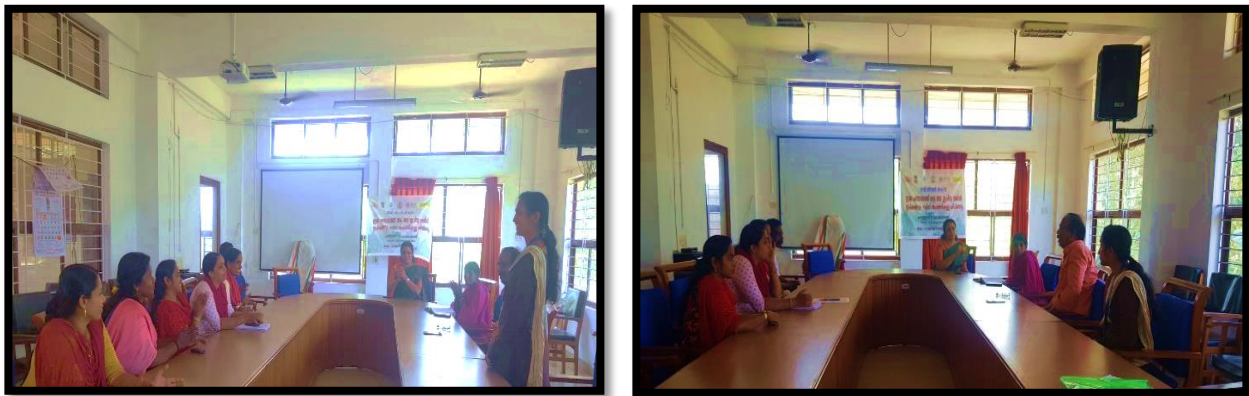
As part of the project activities, Rajagiri outREACH has organized a Sramdaan activity to clean a canal which used by irrigation and drinking purposes by the community. The Sramdaan was initiated with the support of MNREGS workers and NSS camp students from SCMS College, Kalamassery on 27th December 2022. Students were involved in cleaning the water resource that was polluted with discarded waste materials. The resource was identified during field visits by the social worker and upon suggestion the activity was planned and executed.



Students and MGNREGA workers of Kunnathunadu Grama panchayat cleaning the canal and nearby areas

3.13. VILLAGE WATER AND SANITATION COMMITTEE (VWSC)

Rajagiri outREACH formed a village water and sanitation committee which includes ward members, women representatives and representatives of SC/ST communities. As the committee is responsible in monitoring the project implementation as well as the maintenance of the project followed by the project period, ISA organized a training session for the VSWC members on JJM Philosophy, Institutional Development, Leadership and Water Supply Management on 24th February 2023 at the panchayat conference hall. A total of 8 participants attended the training. The session was handled by Mr. Rajeev. S.R, State head, Rajagiri Center for Skill Development.



VWSC Formation and Training session for the committee of Kunnathunadu Grama Panchayat

3.14. WORLD WATER DAY

World water day celebrations held at ward 10 on 22nd March, 2023 with the help of panchayat officials and community members. A nearby fish pond was inaugurated in the presence of officials from the panchayat, Kudumbashree members and other community members. A session on ‘Water conservation, need for adopting latest technology and preserving water resources’, was taken by Mr. Ranjith. K.U, Senior Development Officer, Rajagiri outREACH.



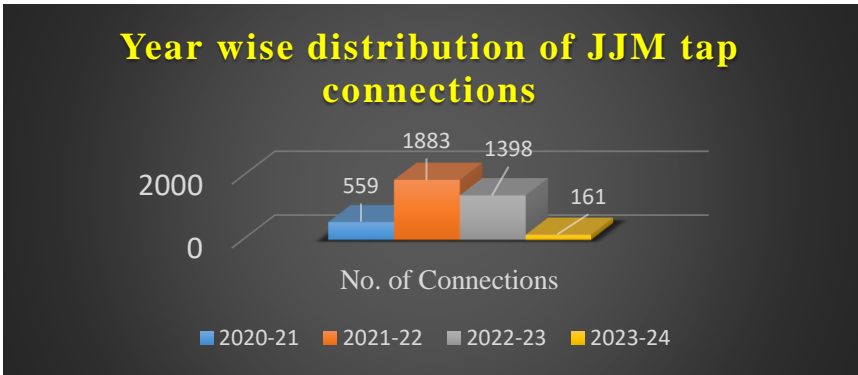
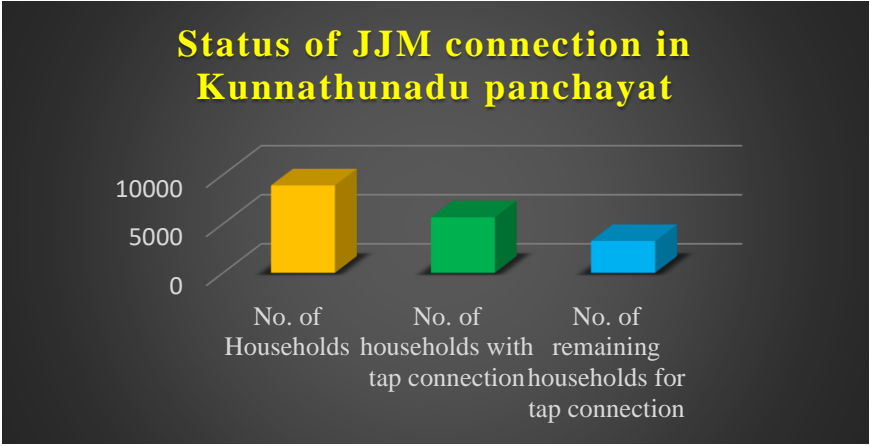
World Water Day celebrations at Kunnathunadu Grama Panchayat

3.15. WALL PAINTINGS

Wall paintings/Wall writings related to Jal Jeevan Mission Philosophy, writings promoting tap water, paintings depicting water conservation, grey water management and the need of Safe drinking water were painted in public walls, schools and Anganwadi in the month of February and March, 2023. The volunteers and interns from Rajagiri outREACH portrayed their creativity and imagination in these public spaces, to bring out a socially relevant issue in connection with Jal Jeevan Mission through the usage of paintings writings and illustrations. Spaces at 3 schools and 2 anganwadis were used to achieve the outcome of this deliverable.



School buildings of Kunnathunadu GP painted with Jal Jeevan mission project messages and images



4. AIKKARANADU GRAMA PANCHAYAT

4.1. ORIENTATION PROGRAMME FOR GP BOARD MEMBERS

The GP board members and socio-political leaders participated in an orientation event on August 5, 2022, as one of the project deliverables. Mr. Vinayan V.S. of Rajagiri outREACH handled the orientation. Through the orientation, the participants were equipped with knowledge regarding the ISA's mission, the panchayat's involvement and other crucial information was conveyed to the community, and their assurance for participation in future activities was ensured. The orientation was attended by 15 panchayat members.



Orientation session led by Mr. Vinayan, Research Associate of Rajagiri outREACH for the GP board members of Aikkaranadu panchayat

4.2. KEY STAKEHOLDERS MEETING

ISA organised special orientation trainings ward wise for the key stakeholders at GOVT.H.S.S. Pazhamthottam and Women's Welfare Society, Aikkaranad on 18th September 2022. The participation of all key stakeholders of the panchayat which includes officials from Kerala water authority, ward members, socio-political leaders, Anganwadi teachers, Kudumbashree members, MGNREGA workers' representatives and other community members were present in the trainings. Through the trainings a total of 170 participants were oriented on the importance of tap water connections in the present society, issues related to the lack of access to safe drinking water, JJM project philosophy, and about the implementation strategy.



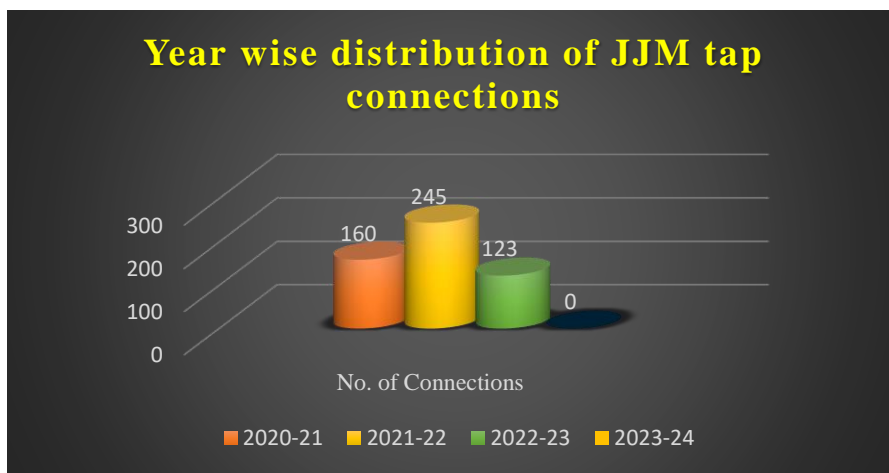
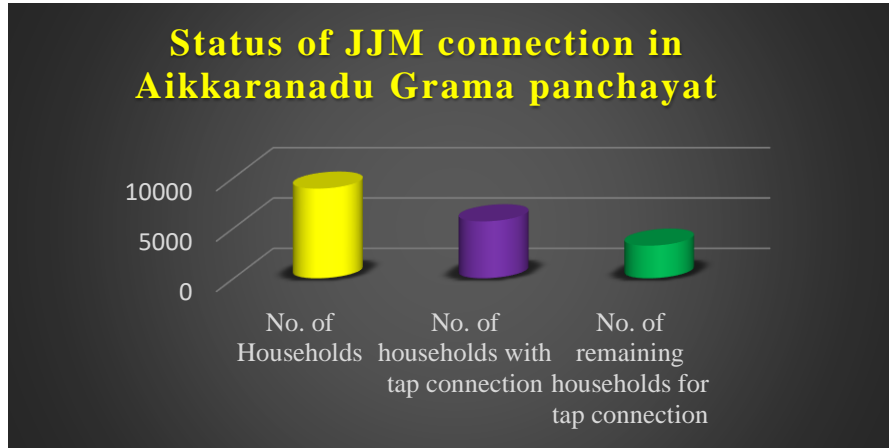
Key Stakeholders Meeting held at various locations of Kunnathunadu Grama Panchayat

4.3. GRAMA SABHA/ DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR

Two Grama Sabhas were organised by ISA in two different locations of Aikkaranadu GP on 18th September 2022. The attendees at the meeting included socio-political leaders, Anganwadi teachers, Kudumbashree members, MGNREGA workers' representatives, daily wage labourers, retired workers, and other community members. 119 participants were reached through the seminar, which informed participants about the details of the project and how it would operate at the panchayat level with the cooperative effort of KWA and ISA Rajagiri outREACH.



Capacitating the community on Jal Jeevan Mission through organizing Grama Sabhas in Aikkaranadu Grama panchayat



5. KARALAM GRAMA PACHAYAT

5.1. ORIENTATION PROGRAMME FOR GP BOARD MEMBERS

An orientation session was conducted by Rajagiri outREACH for the board members of Karalam Grama panchayat at the conference hall on 15th September 2022. Through the orientation, the major aim of the project, role of ISA, role of the panchayat officials, scope of carrying out the project deliverables and expectations from the community were conveyed. Grama panchayat members are the prime contacts of peoples of the ward. They can directly identify the need of the local people in the panchayat. The orientation programme was jointly organized by the ISA, Kerala Water Authority and the Grama panchayat.



Mr. Vinayan V., leading the orientation session for GP members at Karalam Grama panchayat

5.2. KEY STAKEHOLDERS MEETING

ISA organised special orientation trainings at 3 different locations of the panchayat for Key stakeholders in the month of November 2022. These subsequent trainings were held with the aim of generating awareness about JJM project philosophy, the role of different departments and ISA in the implementation, information on water quality testing, the role of the Village water and Sanitation committee and various strategies of implementation during the project term was explained to the participants. Around 150 members participated in the programme which included ward members, socio-political leaders, Anganwadi teachers, Kudumbashree members, Haritha Karma Sena members, MGNREGA workers' representatives, ASHA workers and other community members.



Stakeholders meeting at different locations in Karalam Grama panchayat

5.3. DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR

Development seminars were conducted by the ISA at two different locations in the panchayat for various stakeholders of the community on 5th January 2023. The seminar aims to bring together people from different areas of the community and initiate discussions related to water availability, the possibility of utilising existing water resources and facilitating a proper plan to ensure that the best connection facilities can be implemented in the panchayat. Socio-political leaders, Anganwadi teachers, Kudumbashree members, MGNREGA workers' representatives, daily wage labourers, retired employees, and other community members were present in the meeting. Issues and concerns of members were also discussed in the seminar.



Capacitating the community on Jal Jeevan Mission through organizing Grama Sabhas in Karalam Grama panchayat

5.4. VWSC FORMATION AND TRAINING TO COMMITTEE MEMBERS

The village water and sanitation committee is a collective group of selected members from the panchayat to plan, implement and monitor the entire work of Jal Jeevan mission in the panchayat. Rajagiri outREACH, the Implementing Supporting Agency carried out the formation of the Village Water and Sanitation Committee and conducted the first orientation programme on 21st January, 2023 at the panchayat conference hall. The committee includes ward members, women representatives, and representatives from the SC/ST community. The committee is in charge of managing both the project's maintenance and upkeep. The training was given on JJM philosophy, institutional development, Leadership and water supply system management. The orientation session was led by Mr. Vinayan, Research Associate, Rajagiri outREACH. A total of 14 members were present at the meeting.



Training sessions organized for the VWSC of Karalam Grama panchayat

5.5. PREPARATION PRODUCTION AND DISSEMINATION OF IEC MATERIAL

In the month of February, 2023 IEC materials including posters, notices, reading materials related to the project were prepared. The notices were distributed during home visits, street play and at the time of rally. The notice's informational content covered all relevant details about the mission, the ISA's function, and the current state of the families' water supply. Students from NSS clubs participated in distribution. The JJM ideology was spread to the general public through the preparation and dissemination of posters. A total of 55 prepared materials were pasted at different locations of the panchayat including tourist locations, private bus stands, hospitals, schools, community centres, Akshaya centres etc.



Notices and Posters disseminated at various locations of the panchayat

5.6. RALLY, MIC ANNOUNCEMENT AND FOLKSONGS

ISA conducted a combined set of activities that included a rally, mic announcement and folk songs on 7th February, 2023 at two different locations of the panchayat. Such programmes help in reaching out to large crowds. The programmes aimed at making the local people aware of the project and various ideas to ensure water conservation. The rally was organised with the support of college students, Kudumbashree members and ward members. A mic announcement that propagated JJM philosophy circulated all around the panchayat to make the people aware of the mission and its activities. Folksong session was carried out by the college students and community leaders.



Flash mob and Folksongs organised at Karalam Grama Panchayat

5.7. Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) ACTIVITIES

Rajagiri outREACH has organised a Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) in Karalam Grama Panchayat on 4th November 2022, with the presence of community members from the panchayat. PRA tool is used to learn from and within the community. On 11th January 2023, ISA conducted a Social mapping of water resources in an Anganwadi centre. Ward members, Kudumbashree ADS, CDS members, Asha workers, Anganwadi teachers, Haritha Karma Sena members and other socio-political leaders participated in the programme. Through the programme, the community was able to identify their water resources and understand need for new water distribution system in the panchayat.



PRA activities conducted at Karalam Grama Panchayat with the presence of Panchayat officials and community members

5.8. SHG INVOLVEMENT

The SHG Involvement helped in facilitating a detailed discussion about the project's objectives, its activities, the roles of the central and state government, panchayat, beneficiaries, information on water quality testing and the function of the village water and sanitation committee. The meeting was conducted on 12th November, 2022. The necessity of strengthening and using existing water resources sustainably was discussed during the session. The participants were made aware about the roles and responsibilities of the ISA and how it will work in accordance with the water authority and Grama panchayat to resolve issues faced by the community. Major objective was to ensure that there is grassroots level discussion about the community concerns in particular areas.



SHG Involvement organised at Karalam Grama Panchayat hall with the presence of Kudumbashree members and other community members

5.9. AWARENESS GENERATION PROGRAMMES AT ANGANWADI LEVEL

Rajagiri outREACH organised awareness sessions at 5 Anganwadis at Karalam Grama Panchayat on February 3rd, 2023. The children were engaged with action songs and activities which focus on topics such as water quality concerns, water borne illnesses and their effects on health. The children were also made aware about the need for preserving water for the future and about the growing problem of water shortage through visual materials. The session was handled at various centers by Jal Jeevan Mission Project team leader and social work students. The right way of hand hygiene was also demonstrated to the children along with basic questions related to saving water.



Awareness sessions conducted at Anganwadi level through various activities and sessions

5.10. SCHOOL LEVEL AWARENESS PROGRAMMES AND COMPETITIONS

To increase students' awareness of water conservation, ISA organised awareness campaigns at government and aided schools in Karalam Grama panchayat on January 23rd, 2023. Along with the awareness sessions, competitions such as essay writing, poster making, slogan writing, and pencil drawing were conducted in 5 schools of the panchayat. Major topics in focus were water pollution, grey-water management, water quality issues, etc. All of the winners of school competitions received awards, and a magazine including the best entries from the competition was also produced. A session was also conducted on water-borne diseases by JJM team leader. A school magazine namely “Ente Kudivellam” was published using the selected competition materials.



School level competitions at schools in Karalam Grama panchayat

5.11. HOUSE VISITS

A total of 100 houses were visited as part of the project and data was collected using a framed questionnaire in the month of February 2023. The data collection was done by the NSS volunteers from two schools as part of their rural camp. Through the house visit the students shared the project details and collected the data regarding existing water resources, style and usage of water, awareness regarding water-borne diseases.



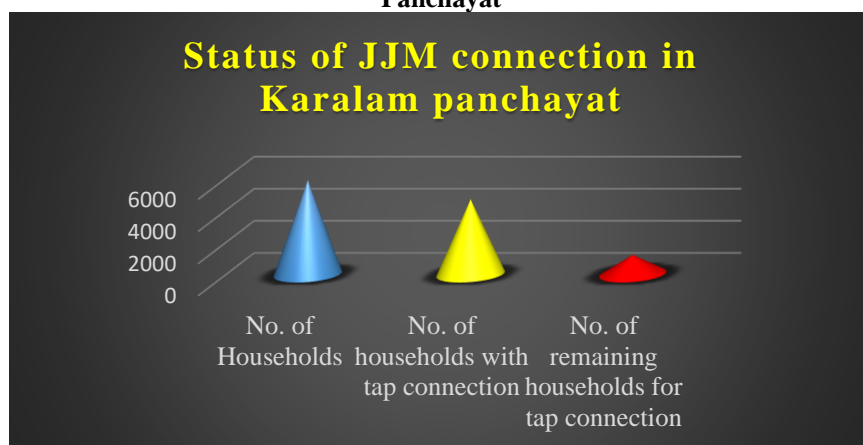
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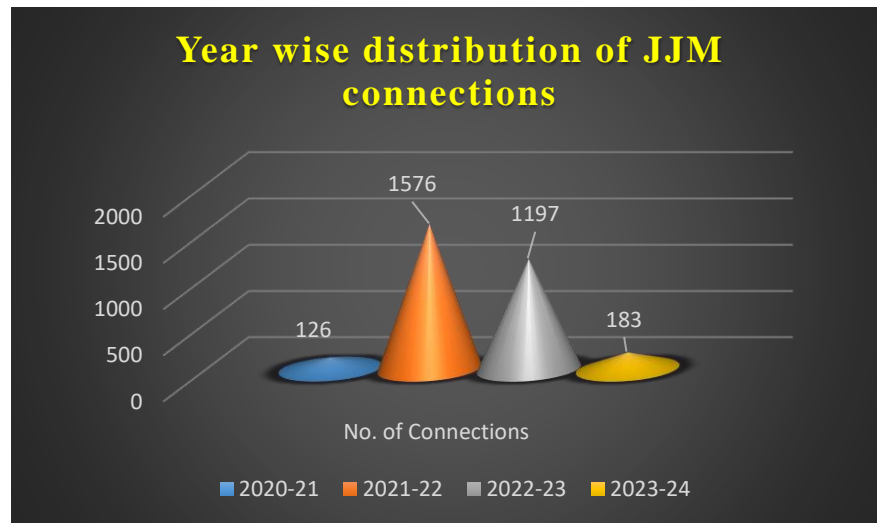
5.12. WORLD WATER DAY CELEBRATIONS

World Water Day was observed on 22nd March, 2023 in Karalam Grama Panchayat along with an orientation session. 50 participants including Kudumbashree members and MGNREGA workers took part in the celebration. JJM team leader led the session on “Water Conservation and Water Day Themes”. An oath taken by the participants on water conservation was held in the presence of the Grama panchayat president and other officials.



Session by Mr. Akhil, Team leader of JJM, Rajagiri outreach, at World Water Day Celebrations in Karalam Grama Panchayat





6. KATTOOR GRAMA PANCHAYAT IN THRISSUR DISTRICT

6.1. ORIENTATION PROGRAMME FOR GP BOARD MEMBERS

On 13th July 2022, Rajagiri outREACH conducted an orientation session in the conference room for the Kattoor Grama Panchayat board members and socio-political leaders. The primary goal of the project, the role of ISA, the involvement of the panchayat officials, the scope of completing the project deliverables, and expectations from the community were all communicated during the orientation. Through the meeting, a suitable platform was created to understand the present situation of water connection distribution in the Grama Panchayat. Resource Person Mr. Vinayan, explained the upcoming social awareness programmes that would help the community to understand the present need for such a project and its role in solving water-related issues.



Orientation programme for GP Board members and socio-political leaders

6.2. SPECIAL ORIENTATION TRAINING / KEY STAKEHOLDERS MEETING

On 12th August and 29th August, 2022 ISA arranged special orientation trainings for key stakeholders at four locations of the panchayat. These consecutive trainings had the objective of educating the participants on the JJM project philosophy, the role of various departments and ISA in the implementation, information on water quality testing, the function of the Village Water and Sanitation committee, and various

implementation strategies throughout the project term. 150 members from the community participated in the programme which included ASHA workers, ward members, socio-political leaders, Anganwadi teachers, Kudumbashree members, Haritha Karma Sena members, MGNREGA representatives and other community members. These trainings focused on empowering community representatives to participate in the project and to inspire the entire community with their efforts.



Key Stakeholders meeting organised at different locations in Kattoor Grama panchayat

6.3. DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR

Development seminars were conducted at two different locations in Kattoor Grama panchayat for Key stakeholders 21st December 2022 and 5th January 2023. Rajagiri outREACH, the ISA intends to bring together people from various parts of the community and initiate discussions about the availability of water, the scope of putting an end to exploiting the existing water resources, and the facilitation of a proper plan to ensure that the best connection facilities may be implemented in the panchayat. Socio-political leaders, Anganwadi teachers, Kudumbashree members, MGNREGA workers' representatives, daily wage workers, retired workers, and other community members participated in the seminar. During the session, issues and concerns of the participants were also identified.



Seminar session handled by Akhil. C.V, Team leader of Jal Jeevan Mission, at Kattoor Grama Panchayat

6.4. VILLAGE WATER AND SANITATION COMMITTEE

Village Water and Sanitation Committee is the authorised collective group of chosen panchayat members who plans, implements, and oversees all Jal Jeevan mission activities in the panchayat. Ward members, women's representatives, and members of the SC/ST community make up the committee. Training was provided to the committee the concept of JJM concept, institutional growth, leadership, and administration of the water supply system. Village water and sanitation committee formation and its first orientation

programme was conducted on 26th July 2022 at the Panchayat Conference Hall. The training was led by Mr. Vinayan, Research Associate, from Rajagiri outREACH.



Village Water and Sanitation Committee formation and Committee orientation at Kattoor Grama Panchayat

6.5. PREPARATION PRODUCTION AND DISSEMINATION OF IEC MATERIAL

IEC materials for propagating the JJM Concept were created in the month of September, 2022 which includes posters, notices and other reading materials, Notices were handed out during home visits and during the survey carried out by students. The main content of the IEC Materials included all appropriate information regarding the mission, the role of the ISA, and the current condition of the homes' water supply. A total of 40 posters were pasted at various institutions including private bus stands, hospitals, schools, community centres, Akshaya centres and tourism destinations.



Dissemination of IEC Materials at Various Locations of Kattoor Grama Panchayat

6.6. RALLY, MIC ANNOUNCEMENT AND FOLKSONGS

A rally was conducted along with a mic announcement and folk song session on 7th February, 2023 at two locations of Kattoor Grama panchayat. The participants included students from the Department of Computer Sciences, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kudumbashree members and ward members. A mic announcement circulated all around the panchayat followed by the folksong session.



Flash mob and Folk songs held at Kattoor Grama Panchayat

6.7. PARTICIPATORY RURAL APPRAISAL ACTIVITIES (PRA)

PRA is an effective tool used to learn from and within the community. It helps in bringing together people from various sections of the society. On 12th December 2022, mapping of water resources was done through PRA at ward 10, Nadhanam Anganwadi. Ward members, Kudumbashree ADS, CDS members, Asha workers, Anganwadi teachers, Haritha Karma Sena members and other socio-political leaders participated in the programme. Through this deliverable, the community was empowered to identify their water resources and to understand the need for new water distribution system in the panchayat.



PRA Conducted at Kattoor Grama Panchayat with the participation of various community members

6.8. SHG INVOLVEMENT

SHG training session conducted for Mazhavil Kudumbashree unit in Kattoor Grama Panchayat on 7th October, 2022. The purpose of this gathering is to empower community representatives to participate in the project and to inspire the entire community to do so. During the discussion, it was discussed how important it is to renew and use current water resources responsibly. Many residents are hesitant to allow

new pipe connections because they have easy access to clean drinking water close by. Community leaders will aid in bringing about an effective change in their community as a result of the training through such discussions.



SHG involvement conducted at Mazhavil Kudumbashree Unit of Kattoor Grama Panchayat

6.9. AWARENESS GENERATION PROGRAMMES AT ANGANWADI LEVEL

Action songs and art projects with a focus on water quality problems, water-borne illnesses, and health effects were conducted on November 7th, 2022 for the children at five Anganwadis. The session was handled by Mr. Akhil. C.V, Jal Jeevan Mission Project team leader. Along with quiz questions on water conservation, the right way of washing hands was also demonstrated to the kids.



Awareness sessions and activity time for the Anganwadi students of Kattoor Grama Panchayat

6.10. SCHOOL-LEVEL AWARENESS PROGRAMMES AND COMPETITIONS

At Government and Aided schools in Kattoor Grama panchayat, ISA launched awareness campaigns on October 17th, 2022 to raise students' awareness of water conservation. Competitions on essay writing, poster making, slogan writing, and pencil drawing were held in five schools within the panchayat in addition to the other awareness generation programmes. Awards were given to each of the school competition winners, and the top entries from the competition were published in the magazine. The JJM team leader also presented a session on diseases transmitted by water. The "Ente Kudivellam" school magazine was released.



School-level competitions conducted at various schools in Kattoor Grama Panchayat

6.11. HOUSE VISITS

House visits play a major part in building good rapport with the community. Social work students and JJM volunteers visited 100 houses and collected data using a framed questionnaire in the month of December 2022. As part of their learning experiences at the rural camp, they joined our mission too, in order to get a basic learning about the community and existing water related issues pertinent in various areas. Through the house visit they share the project details and collected the details regarding existing water resources, style and usage of water.



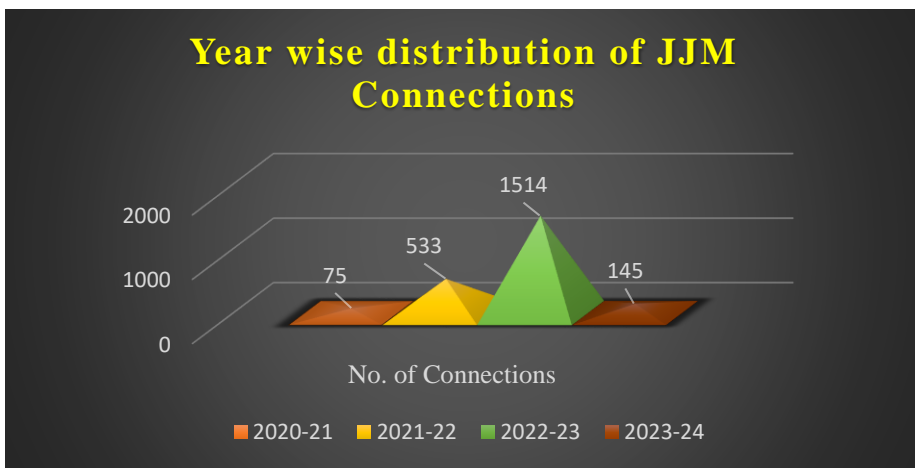
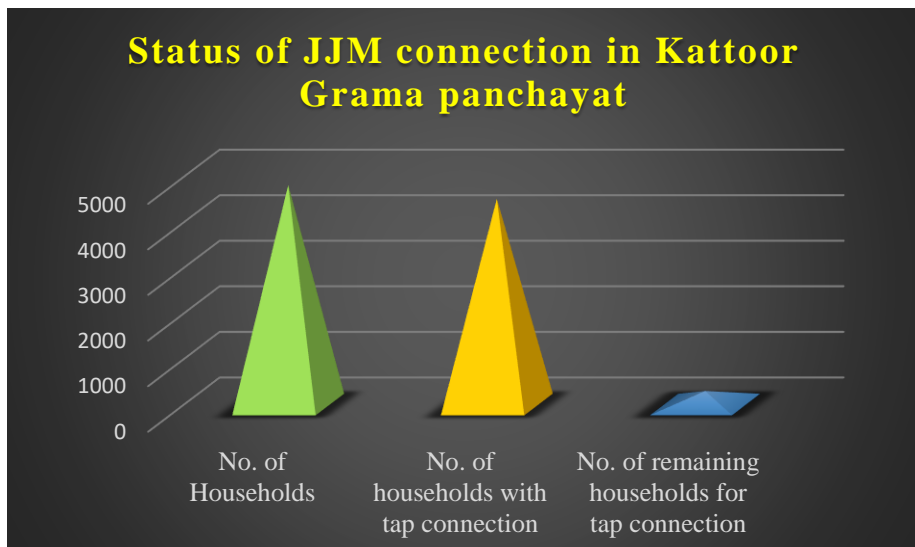
Student volunteers conducting the data collection during their House visits at Kattoor Grama Panchayat

6.12. WORLD WATER DAY CELEBRATIONS

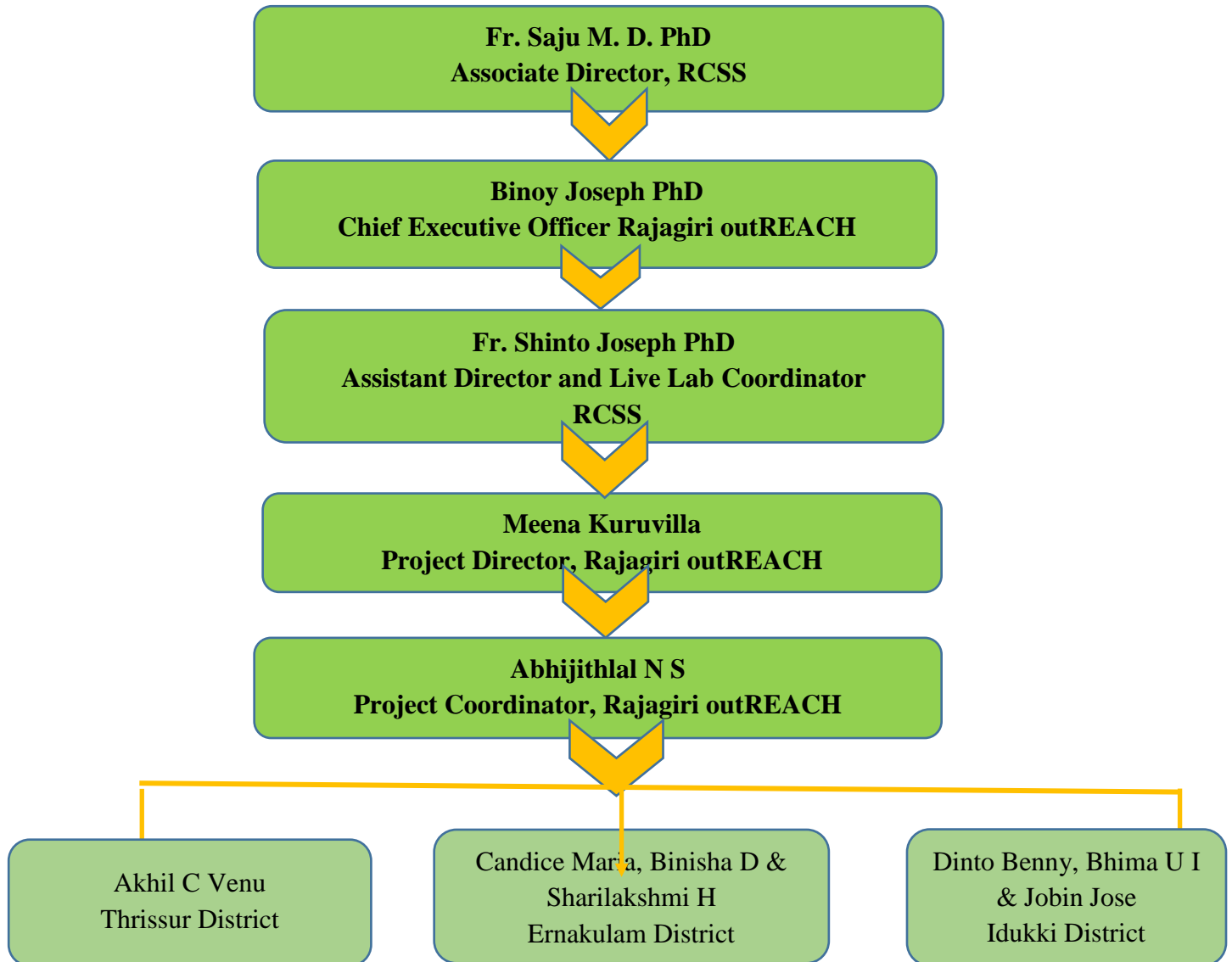
World Water Day was observed on 22nd March 2023 at Kattoor Grama Panchayat along with an orientation session by the Team leader, Mr. Akhil C.V. 50 people from the community which includes Kudumbashree members and MGNREGS workers participated and graced their presence in order to commemorate this important day. JJM team leader handled the session on “Water Conservation and Water Day Themes”. An oath has taken followed by the event with the participants.



World water day celebrations at Kattoor Grama Panchayat along with the Pledge taking ceremony



JAL JEEVAN MISSION TEAM MEMBERS



CONCLUSION

Rajagiri outREACH, Kalamassery has been empanelled by the Kerala Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Agency (KRWSA) Govt. of Kerala as the Implementation Support Agency (ISA) of Jal Jeevan Mission under the Ministry of Jal Shakthi, Govt. of India and Water Authority, Govt. of Kerala. Being an empanelled ISA of the JJM Project, Rajagiri outREACH could effectively implement the project activities in six panchayaths in Idukki, Ernakulum and Thrissur districts. Various capacity-building programmes were organised for the students, Anganwadi children, women's groups, community members, panchayat officials, and other key stakeholders of the project. A wide set of programmes were successfully carried out in the form of awareness sessions, focus group discussions, dissemination of IEC materials such as posters and notices, wall writings and paintings, flash mobs, street plays, rallies, and the formation of Panchayat level village water and sanitation committee.

IX. Swachhta Pakhwada- Clean Up Drive in July 2022 - Collaboration with Indian Oil Corporation Limited (IOCL)

Rajagiri outREACH in association with Indian Oil Corporation Limited (IOCL), Cochin Corporation, NSS Unit and Encon Club of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, organized a **Clean Up Drive** Programme as part of Swachhta Pakhwada Cleanliness Fortnight – 1st to 15th July 2022 under the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Government of India at 49th Division, Kochi Corporation, near Vyttila Hub on July 9, 2022. The area selected for this drive was Kaniyampuzha Bridge, Premises near Vyttila Hub, Ernakulam. Staff of IOCL, Counsellor of Kochi Corporation, Rajagiri outREACH Staff, Students of Encon Club and NSS unit of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), participated in the clean up drive. T-Shirts, Caps and Snack Box were provided by IOCL to all the participants.





8. PROGRAMMES FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH

Suraksha Migrant Project – Prevention of HIV among Migrant Labourers in Ernakulam District (Perumbavoor & Kalamassery) Supported by Kerala State AIDS Control Society, Government of Kerala

Rajagiri outREACH is the implementing agency for Suraksha projects functioning at Ernakulam and Perumbavoor sanctioned by Kerala State AIDS Control Society (KSACS), Government of Kerala, and has been working for migrant labourers since September 2008. Along with HIV/AIDS prevention programmes, health camps, health education, high-risk group identification, STI screening, counseling, ICTC, mega-events, exhibitions, film shows, World AIDS Day observation, COVID-19 Relief Activities, etc. were conducted to prevent problems in health, sanitation, livelihood, and hygiene. The main objective of this project is to reduce HIV/AIDS prevalence in Kerala targeting migrants who are residing in Ernakulam District. The project has reached out to **20314** migrants through contacts in the STI clinics and group meetings in labour camps during the period.

Suraksha Migrant Project – Prevention of HIV among Migrants in Ernakulam District – Activities at Kalamassery & Perumbavoor: April 2022 to March 2023

ACHIEVEMENTS	KALAMASSERY	PERUMBAVOOR
HR Identification	10103	10211
Group Session	4300	4170
No. of HRG's HIV Screened	3096	4483
HIV Case Identified	3	7
Medical camp	120	120
CBS testing (including ICTC)	3099	4483
Condom distribution	10698	10211
Condom Outlets	50	50
HRG'S Counselling	3096	4483
Mid Media Activities	24	24
Congregation Events	8	8
STI identification	122	176
DGA Meeting	24	24
Advocacy meeting	24	24
TB screening	10906	4483

A. SURAKSHA MIGRANT PROJECT, KALAMASSERY



Name of the TI	Rajagiri outREACH Suraksha Migrant Project, Ernakulam
Address	Pulimmodu Building, Church Road, North Kalamassery-683104
E-Mail	rajagirioutreachsuraksha@gmail.com
District	Ernakulam
Project Director	Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla
Project Manager	Mrs. Twincy Paul P
Sites	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ernakulam • Kakkanadu • Kalamassery • Paravoor • Aluva
Typology	Migrant
Target Population	10000

INTRODUCTION

Kerala has a rich experience in Targeted Intervention Program as the program started way back in 1996 and managed by different management units with the help of experienced technical professionals. The Program is designed to reduce the rate of HIV transmission among the Core Group viz. Female Sex Workers (FSWs), Men having Sex with Men (MSMs) and Injecting Drug Users (IDUs), Transgender & Bridge populations like Interstate Migrants and Long-Distance Truckers. The intervention among bridge group in Ernakulam district was taken over by Rajagiri outREACH Suraksha Migrant Project on 15th September 2008. Targeted Intervention (TI) focuses on Sexual Minorities who practice risky behaviour, to prevent and control the spread of HIV/AIDS among them and averting the spread of HIV/AIDS through high-risk groups to bridge population and general community. The Suraksha Projects are also

aimed at behavioural modification among target communities, from unsafe sexual practices and injecting practices.

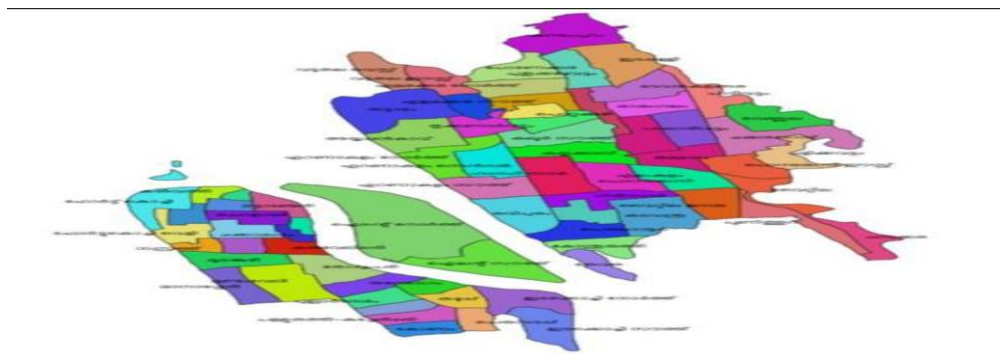
For decades, Migration has been a livelihood strategy for millions of rural poor in India. In addition to that, Kerala offers the best wage rate compared to the other states of the country. The high wage rates and the sustainable job opportunities have made Kerala one of the most sought-after destinations in the country. As per an estimate, nearly 5 lakh migrants are working and residing in Ernakulam district. Kochi is one of the fast-growing cities in our country. Migration happens in all sectors starting from IT companies to daily wage workers. Migrants in Ernakulam are mostly related to construction work in companies and industries. People migrate from Orissa, Assam, Bihar and West Bengal, Jharkhand, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh and seek jobs as supervisors, contractors and workers in these companies. Majority of them are residing at Kochi Corporation and its suburban towns like Kakkanad, Aluva, Kalamassery and Paravoor scattered.

The general migrant population residing in the above-mentioned area is nearly 1-2.15 lakh. This was estimated through an assessment done with the interaction among primary and secondary stakeholders. Unfortunately, an accurate official data is not available with any of our government departments connected to Health, Labour, and allied services.

3 migrants from scattered areas were tested positive. So, the prevalence of HIV among migrants were spread not only in construction and industrial area, but also in scattered migrants too. Therefore, the service delivery of the project has started among scattered migrants 6:4 (Scattered: construction & industrial) working in Ernakulam District.

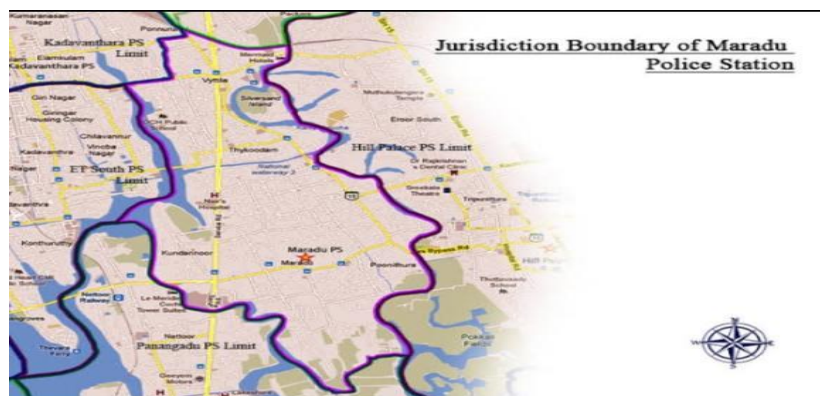
SITE MAP & DETAILS OF TARGET POPULATION

A. Cochin Corporation



SITE	CONGREGATION POINTS	POPULATION
ERNAKULAM (60000)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Vypin ➤ Kadavanthra ➤ Palluruthy ➤ Pachalam ➤ Vyttila ➤ Fort Kochi ➤ Ernakulam North ➤ Thoppumpady ➤ Edakochi ➤ Ravipuram 	<p>5000</p> <p>6000</p> <p>9000</p> <p>3500</p> <p>4000</p> <p>8000</p> <p>3000</p> <p>8000</p> <p>7500</p> <p>6000</p>

B. Kakkanadu



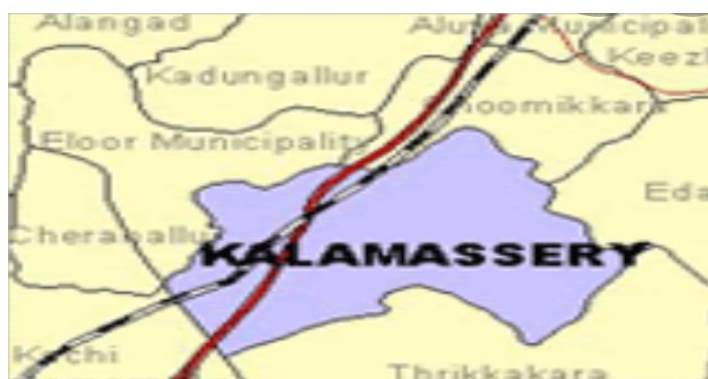
AREA	CONGREGATION POINT	POPULATION
KAKKANADU (43000)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Thrikkakara Municipality ➤ Thrippunithura Municipality ➤ Marad Municipality. ➤ Kusumagiri 	<p>16000</p> <p>10000</p> <p>12000</p> <p>5000</p>

C. Paravur Municipality



AREA	CONGREGATION POINT	POPULATION
PARAVUR (43000)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Varapuzha Panchayath ➤ Eloor Municipality ➤ Muppathadam Panchayath ➤ Kandungalloor Panchayath ➤ Karumalloor Panchayath ➤ Kottuvally Panchayath ➤ Alangad Panchayath ➤ Paravur Municipality 	<p>10000</p> <p>10000</p> <p>4500</p> <p>2500</p> <p>5000</p> <p>2000</p> <p>2000</p> <p>7000</p>

D. Kalamassery Municipality



E. Aluva Municipality

AREA	CONGREGATION POINT	POPULATION
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Cheranalloor ➤ Kaloor ➤ Mulavukadu ➤ Kadamakudy ➤ Elak ➤ unnappuzha ➤ Edappally ➤ Kalamassery Municipality 	<p>8000</p> <p>6000</p> <p>4000</p> <p>2500</p> <p>3000</p> <p>3000</p> <p>11500</p>



AREA	CONGREGATION POINT	POPULATION
ALUVA (31000)	➤ Aluva	15000
	➤ Chengamanadu	3000
	➤ Nedumabassery	5000
	➤ Edathala	2500
	➤ Keezhmadu	2500
	➤ Choornikkara	3000

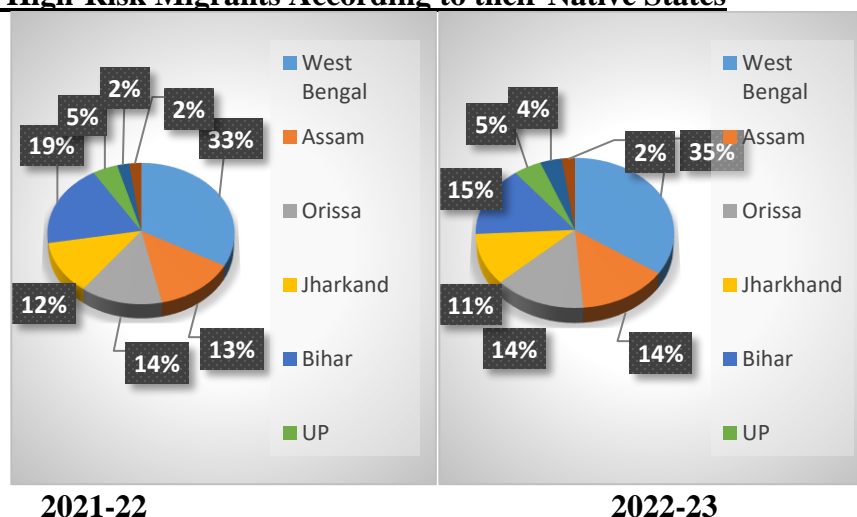
PROGRAMMES CONDUCTED AT SURAKSHA MIGRANT PROJECT, KALAMASSERY



Registration of High-Risk Migrants

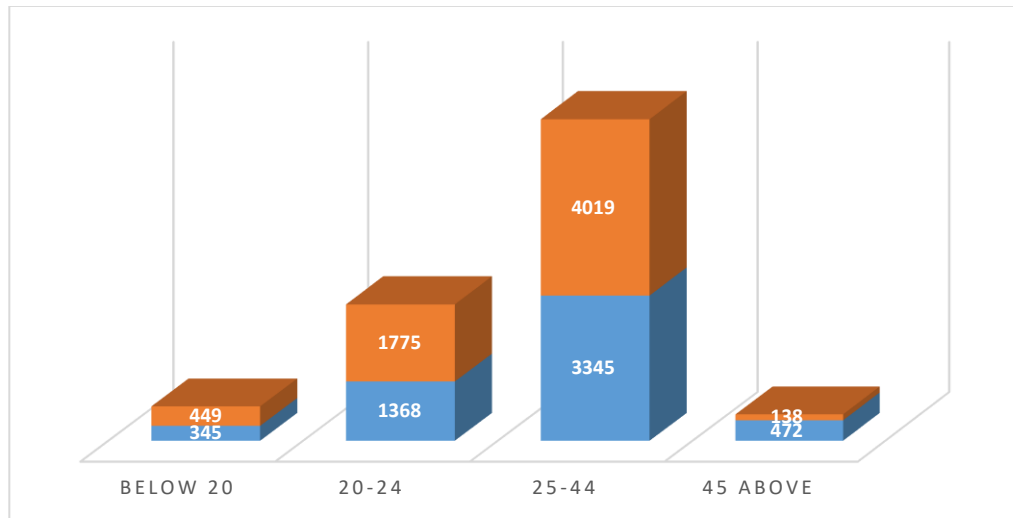
The registration of High-Risk Migrants can be done through health camps, counselling, and DIC (Drop In Centre). Outreach Workers (ORWs) and Peer Leaders (PLs) of the project, and awareness classes and Inter Personal Communication (IPC) sessions were conducted to find out the High-Risk Migrants from the targeted population. Inter Personal Communication (IPC) sessions included, awareness about HIV/AIDS, STI, Condom promotion etc. One session takes 10-20 minutes with maximum number of 10 migrants. After the High-Risk identification process, the migrants are screened and tested for HIV/AIDS. The project should deliver the services of the project to 10000 migrant populations per annum.

Classification of High-Risk Migrants According to their Native States



From, High Risk Identification it is very evident that, majority of the high-risk migrants are from West Bengal (33% and 35 % respectively). Whereas, the number of high-risk migrants commuting from Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh, Jharkhand to Kerala remained almost static throughout the period. There is slight change in the number of migrants in Bihar, Orissa and Assam migrating to Kerala.

Age Wise Risk Categorization



From the above graph, the vulnerability among 25-44 age groups is increasing as compared to the other category of age. Furthermore, a prevalence of high-risk population is also increasing as compared to both years. The ratio of the migrant population belongs to 45 and above age group is decreasing as compared to the other group. But the risk among below 20 age and 20-24 age category is increasing annually.

Medical camps



The pandemic period results an inclination of conducting health camps on the particular period. But the project conducted 120 medical camps during 2022-23 period. In addition to that, collaboration with the labour department, National Health Mission, TB department and Local Self Government ameliorate the health camps more successfully. 12 doctors from different sectors accompanied during the health camps.

Group sessions



Intimation of group session is one of the main roles of Outreach Workers. The foremost aim of the group session is to identify High Risk Migrants from the targeted population. Outreach workers and Peer Leaders of the project provided 3891 sessions to the migrant population of their concerned congregation points.

Condom programming

Condom promotion is one of the major objectives of TI projects. The project has 50 active condom outlets functioning in various areas of Ernakulam, Kakkannad, Kalamassery, Paravur and Aluva. Condom outlets include both traditional and non-traditional outlets. Traditional outlets include medical shop whereas, non-traditional includes, petty shop, theatre, construction site, industrial area, pan shop, mobile shop, etc. Each ORW and PL distributed condoms as per demand in their particular area. The demand of condom distribution of the year has increased as compared to the previous year.

MID MEDIA



Film shows were particularly helpful to acquaint the importance and to create and awareness about HIV/STI. Mostly, the Hindi movie “savadan” was shown during the health camps. During the financial year 24 film shows were conducted.

ADVOCACY AND NETWORKING



Advocacy meetings were organised among the stake holders for the successful implementation of the project. These meetings ensured the participation and seeking the support of Local Self Government Representatives, Association representatives, contractors and supervisors of the construction and industrial areas. During the financial year 2022-23, the project team organised 24 advocacy meeting with various stake holders.

DEMAND GENERATION ACTIVITY

Demand Generation Activity was mainly conducted among secondary stakeholders and migrants to be aware about the importance and need of the project. DGA meeting could help the project to improve the opportunity to reach the services and activities to the population. 24 Demand Generation Meeting were conducted by the project team during 2022-23.



Demand Generation Activity

CONGREGATION EVENTS

Congregation events were particularly focused on the commemoration of special days like, World AIDS Day, Republic Day, Independence Day, TB Day, Drug Prevention Day, Diwali, International Women's Day, Holi, etc. It could help to improve the feeling and unity among the migrants and common population. As part of congregation events, the project team organised 8 congregation events during the financial year 2022-23.



Congregation Event

TB SCREENING

TB screening was mainly conducted through health camps. The migrants, those who were complaining about any symptoms of TB, were referred for confirmatory test (CBNAAT). Suraksha Migrant Project Team in collaboration between TB departments, the migrants were directly screened and tested for TB. During this financial year 81 samples were collected for CBNAAT test.



TB Screening

REVIEW AND MONITORING

The project has already developed a proper monitoring system to improve the quality and achieve its objectives. As part of the regular monitoring, project is conducting weekly review and planning meetings of all the staff. The last week's activities were discussed by each staff and the project manager suggested recommendations to improve their quality of the work. In addition to that, activities for the coming week would be discussed and prepared a plan for the same.

The monthly review and planning meeting was conducted every last week of the month with the esteemed presence of Project Director. In-order to have maximum coverage and impact on HIV prevention, the ORWs analysed their outreach services, which included, health camps, mega events, group sessions, film shows, condom distribution for the HRG as per the demand and ICTC testing. Each attendee must present their target vs achievement and field level hurdles. These meetings were very fruitful to assess the efficiency of the outreach activities. The key suggestions and valuable supervision

of the Project Director helped to enhance the entire program successfully. Monthly Peer Leaders meeting was also organised by the Project. Currently 14 Peer Leaders are jointly working with the project. The activities of the previous month were discussed and activities for the coming month will be planned during the meeting. Monthly visits of the Project Officer from KSACS/TSU supported the entire activities of the program and helped to rectify the gaps of the project. Moreover, monthly consolidated reports were sent to KSACS/TSU, which improved the quality of the program.



HIV POSITIVE

During this financial year 3 PLHIV were identified and linked to ART. Three of them were currently taking medicines from ART monthly and are linked with project. One HIV Positive was linked with the help of West Bengal TSU and currently he is taking medicine from the concerned ART.

CAPACITY BUILDING

All staff except the counsellor and an ORW got training from KSACS/TSU. Furthermore, the project team organised in-house training every month to enhance and improve the knowledge regarding the project. During the financial year 2022-23, Twenty capacity building training were conducted by KSACS/TSU and project team respectively.

BEST PRACTICES

- Organised health camps in association with National Health Mission, Labour Department, Local Self Government and TB department. These services reached out to the migrant population (Malaria, HIV/AIDS, STI, TB screening, Leprosy).
- Distributed summer kit for 250 migrants in association with Goonj NGO.
- 508 migrants were registered for E-shram program through various health camps.
- In collaboration with Kalamassery industrial association area, the migrants who were engaged in different small-scale works received the services of the project.

Summary of Achievements on Various Indicators

Sl. No.	Indicators	2022-23		
		Target	Achievement	%
1	General migrants	42000	42039	100%
2	HR registration	10000	10103	100%
3	Sessions	3500	3891	100%

4	Health camps	120	120	100%
5	STI Screening	3000	10103	100%
7	Counselling	3000	4348	107%
8	Advocacy	24	24	100%
9	CBS Tested	2500	2687	107%
10	ICTC Tested	-	1661	
10	Congregation events	8	8	100%
11	Mid media	24	24	100%
12	DGA	24	24	100%
13	Review meetings	12	12	100%
14	Condom distribution	8333	10538	126%

PHOTOS OF MAJOR EVENTS

District Labour Officer Inaugurated the Health Camp



Rajagiri outREACH Suraksha Migrant Project in association with Labour Department and National Health Mission, organized medical camps in various congregation points. District Labour Officer, Mr. Firoz, inaugurated the program Assistant Labour Officer, Mr. Abhi, Nodal Officer (NHM) Dr. Akhil contributed their valuable services during the camp. Project Manager, Mrs. Twincy Paul and the team also participated in the program.

TB Unit from General Hospital took samples for CBNAAT



In association with the TB Department, Rajagiri outREACH Suraksha Migrant Project, Kalamassery organised 5 medical camps, and 82 migrants were screened and tested for CBNAAT. TB Department Health volunteers from the General Hospital Ernakulam and Aluva accompanied with the project team during the medical camps.

HEALTH CAMPS



Rajagiri outREACH Suraksha Migrant Project, Kalamassery organised 120 camps during the financial year 2022-23. Senior Doctor, Dr. Joy Joseph provided consultation for the migrants. All staff alternatively organized the health camps.

World AIDS Day Programme



World AIDS Day was observed by Rajagiri outREACH Suraksha Migrant Project Kalamassery by organizing a candle lighting programme on November 30th 2022 at Ernakulam South Railway Station. Southern Railway Area Manager, Mr. Nithin Nobert inaugurated the programme. SMR, Balakrishna Panicker, Dep. SMR Ganesh Vengitesan, Ernakulam Central Sub-Inspector Annie Siva, RPF Inspector, Project Manager, Twincy Paul, offered felicitation for the programme. Project Officer conveyed the message of the day. Migrants actively participated in the games such as football kicking, ring tows, musical chair, etc. and also staff performed street play during the programme.

B. SURAKSHA MIGRANT PROJECT, PERUMBAVOOR

About NACO

National AIDS Control Organization is a division of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare that provides leadership to HIV/AIDS control programme in India through 35 HIV/AIDS Prevention and Control Societies.

National AIDS Control Organization provides leadership to HIV/AIDS Control Programme in India, implementing one National Plan within one monitoring system. State AIDS Prevention and Control Societies (SACS) implement NACO programme at state level, but have functional independence to upscale and innovate.

About KSACS

The **Kerala State AIDS Control Society (KSACS)** plays a pivotal role in the state's strategy in combating the HIV/AIDS epidemic. KSACS was formed to implement the **National AIDS Control Programme (NACP)** in the state. It works under the National AIDS Control Organization (NACO) which is a part of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare of the Government of India. The National AIDS Control Programme is fully funded by the Government of India and by international donors such as the World Bank, the Global Fund for AIDS, TB and Malaria, DFID (Department for International Development, UK) and USAID (the US Agency for International development) and others.

The National AIDS Control Programme (NACP) is currently in its fourth phase (NACP IV). The first phase (NACP I) was put into action from 1992-97 and extended till 1999. It focused on creating awareness about HIV/AIDS in the society, assurance of blood safety by modernizing blood banks and building the capacity of personnel at all levels. The second phase of the programme – the NACP – II which ended in 2007, gave thrust to the development of targeted interventions at high risk behaviour groups, expansion of the counseling and HIV testing facilities in the state and the development of care and support facilities in the state including the initiation of anti-retroviral treatment and establishment of community care centers for terminally ill AIDS patients. The third phase of the Programme (NACP- III) began in 2007 and ended by 2013 and the Goal was to halt and reverse the HIV epidemic through integration of prevention, care and treatment programs. The goal of NACP IV is to accelerate the reversal of HIV epidemic and integrate response.

Targeted Intervention Suraksha programme

Kerala has rich experience in Targeted Intervention Program as the program started way back in 1996 and managed by different management units with the help of experienced technical professionals. The Program is designed to reduce the rate of HIV transmission among the Core Group viz. Female Sex Workers (FSWs), Men having Sex with Men (MSMs) and Injecting Drug Users (IDUs), Transgender & **Bridge populations like Interstate Migrants** and Long Distance Truckers. The TI programme was being implemented initially through Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) & Local Self Government (LSG), but an impact of the empowerment of the primary Stakeholder communities, lately, many of these projects have been entrusted for implementation through Community Based Organizations (CBOs). Some of these organizations have been implementing the project for more than 10 years. Kerala TI programme is branded as “SURAKSHA”. The Malayalam word Suraksha means “Safety”. The Suraksha programme is being implemented through the Community Based Organizations (CBO), Non-Governmental Organizations, and Local Self Governments (LSG).

Objectives of Suraksha

Targeted Intervention (TI) focuses on Sexual Minorities who practice risky behaviour, to prevent and control the spread of HIV/AIDS among them and preventing the spread of HIV/AIDS through high risk groups to bridge population and general community. The Suraksha Projects are aimed at behavioral modification among target communities, from unsafe sexual practices and injecting practices.

RAJAGIRI outREACH SURAKSHA MIGRANT PROJECT PERUMBAVOOR

Name of the TI	Rajagiri outREACH Suraksha Migrant Project Perumbavoor
Address	1 st Floor, Karothukkudy House, Parappuram P.O., Perumbavoor -683542
Email Address	surakshaperumbavoor@gmail.com
District	Ernakulam
Topology	Migrant
Target Population	10,000
Sites	Perumbavoor

(1 Municipality & 4 Panchayath)	Rayamangalam Vazhakulam Vengola Koovappady, Okkal, Kalady
Project Director	Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla
Project Manager	Mrs. Sapna Raj M

Targeted Sites and Map



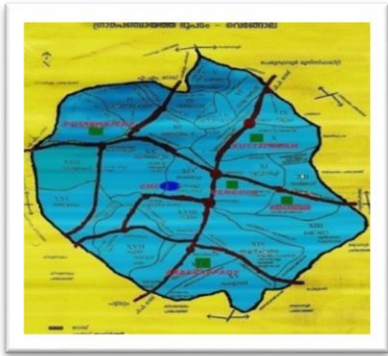
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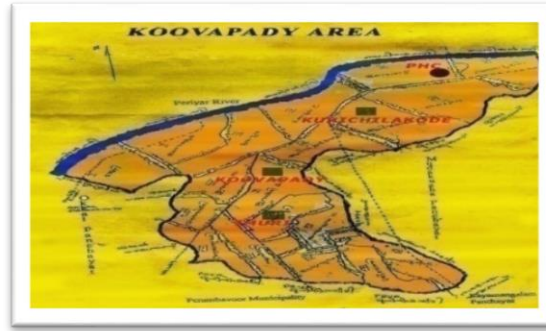
Rayamangalam Panchayath



Vazhakulam Panchayath



Vengola Panchayath



Koovapady, Okkal, Kalady

Congregation Points with Migrant Population

Congregation Points	Population	Congregation Points	Population
Parappuram	1000	Millumpady	1000
Vattakattupady	1000	Mudickal	1000
Rayonpuram	800	Kandanthara	800
Kochangadi	800	Palakattuthazham	1000
Malamuri	750	Vanchinad	1000
Kaduval	850	Mavinchodu	700
Perumbavoor	1000	Kuttippadam	1000
Kanjirakkad	1000	Thandekkadu	800
Thaikkara	800	Allapara	700
Pattal	750	Vengola	1000
Nellimolam	1000	Ponjassery	700
Pulluvazhy	1000	Cheruvelikunnu	1500
Pallippady	750	Manjapetty	1000
Pathippalam	800	West Vengola	700
Panickarambalam	800	Arakkappady	700
Kuruppappara	600	Marampally	700
Mannoor	800	Chembarakky	1000
Thrikkalathoor	500	Kunupuram	1500
Odakkaly	1000	Kuttappadam	1000
Panipra	1000	Edavoor	800
Asamannoor	1000	Paapanpady	800
Ayathuppady	1100	Okkal	1200
Vengola	1500	Poonooru	300
Kalady	1200	Koovappady	1200
Sreemoolanagaram	200	Aimury	450
Mattoor	1250	Kanjoor	1200
Mylachal	800	East Okkal	900
Pralayakkad	800	Marottichod	500
Valyanchirangara	500	Mekalady	800
Chelamattom	200	Vallam	500

Chembanoor	1600	Elambagapilly	300
Kurichilakod	400	Irapapuram	800
Marottichod	800	Thurthipilly	800

Suraksha Migrant Project, Perumbavoor: Programmes

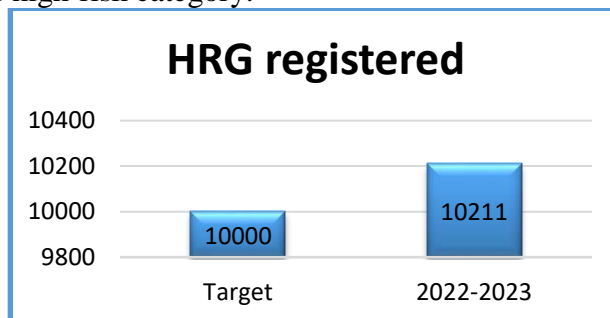
- Coverage of Core High Risk Group
- Medical Camps
- Demand Generation Activity Meeting
- Mid-Media Activities
- Advocacy and Networking
- Congregation Event
- Condom Promotion (Social Marketing)

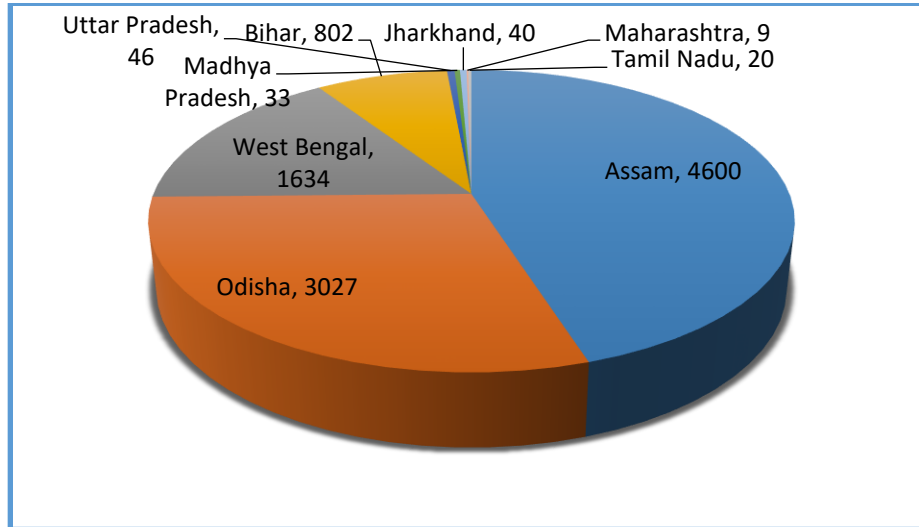
3.1. COVERAGE OF CORE HIGH RISK GROUP

The first and foremost step of the project is to enroll the high- risk migrant groups from the targeted population. Through health camps, counselling, and in Drop-In Centre (DIC), Outreach workers (ORWs) and Peer Educators (PEs) provide awareness classes and Inter-Personal Communication (IPC) sessions to the migrants to find out the high-risk group. Inter-Personal Communication session (IPC) is a 10-20 minutes session which provide an awareness about sexually transmitted diseases like HIV/AIDS, sexually transmitted infections, and the precautionary measures like condom etc. After each session, the ORWs and PEs identified the high-risk migrants and they were gone through the Community Based HIV Screening.



Even though second phase of COVID and lockdown affected the project, the TI registered 10211 migrants who are under high-risk category.





State-wise segmentation of High Risk Migrants

During 2022-2023, **4170** Group Sessions were conducted by the ORWs and PEs to identify the high-risk migrants.

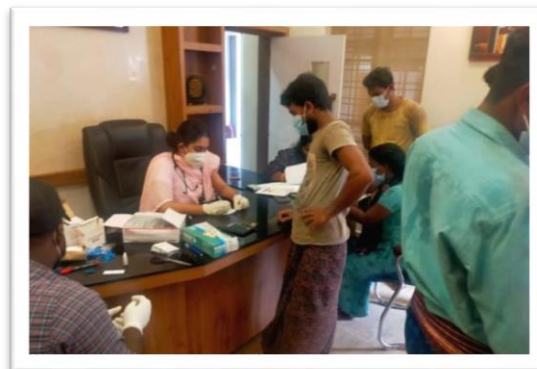
STI Diagnosed: 176 were diagnosed with Sexually Transmitted Infections.

Alive PLHIV (in numbers) HRG registered at ART Centre: Under the test and treat strategy, all positive HRG should be on ART. Among 4483 HRGs tested, 7 PLHIVs were identified and linked to ART.



3.2.MEDICAL CAMPS

The second phase of pandemic adversely affected to conduct medical camps in the initials period of the year. The TI successfully conducted **120** medical camps during 2022-2023. With the support of Labour Department, National Health Mission, and Local Self Government enhance the medical camps more fruitfully. The project utilized **4** doctors service in the medical camps. **6166** participants were registered in the medical camps. **4483** were gone through counselling and Community based HIV screening.



3.3.DEMAND GENERATION ACTIVITY MEETING

Demand Generation Activity (DGA) meeting is mainly organized with the stakeholders like owners of the company, supervisors, contractors, and few labourers to aware the projects' significance. Through this, the project can reach out easily to the targeted population. During 2022-2023, **24** Demand Generation Activity Meeting were conducted.



3.4.ADVOCACY AND NETWORKING

Advocacy meeting is conducted among the key stakeholders is to identify the community leaders within the locations with high out-migration, to establish linkages with other programmes, organizations for referrals and linkages, organizing community meetings, camps, track the target beneficiaries, to ensure that consistent message is reached in the targeted population. **24** Advocacy meetings were conducted during 2022-2023.



3.5.MID MEDIA ACTIVITIES

Mid Media Activities are entry level activities to aware the target community about the Sexually Transmitted Diseases and its consequences. The project had covered around 900 migrants through **24** video shows (mid media activities) in the reporting period 2022-2023.



3.6.CONGREGATION EVENTS

Congregation Events are conducted especially in observance of important health days like World AIDS Day, Anti- Tobacco Day, World Tuberculosis Day and International Day against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking etc. During the reporting period, the TI project organized **8** congregation events efficaciously.



3.7.CONDOM PROMOTION (SOCIAL MARKETING)

Peer Educators and Outreach workers engaged in TI project emphasized on consistent and correct usage of condoms in all sexual encounters through one-to-one and one-to-group interpersonal communication. The project has **50** active condom outlets functioning in petty shops, industrial areas, and mobile shops in various congregation points.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

4.1. REVIEW MEETINGS

As part of the programme, review meetings are conducted at regular intervals, which include Weekly review meeting, Monthly review meeting and Peer Educators Monthly meetings.

Weekly review meeting reviewed about the previous week's programmes and operations and advise the recommendations for the improvement of work. Adding up on, weekly meeting propose the upcoming weekly plan.



Monthly review meetings are generally conducted at the end of every month with the executive presence of Project Director. These meetings reviewed how the whole month activities includes medical camps, group sessions, mid media activities, congregation events, advocacy and DGA meetings, condom promotion and outreach workers services support the TI programme. The key recommendations and suggestions evolved from the meetings will be helpful to the effective and efficient functioning of the TI project in future. 12 monthly review meetings were conducted during the reporting period.

Peer Educators Monthly Meetings were also held at the end of every month by the Project Manager. Current month's activities of the Peer Educators and upcoming month plans were discussed in the meeting.

There is a **monthly visit by Project Officer** from KSACS/TSU to verify the activities and documentation of the TI project and support to fix the shortcomings to improve the quality of the project.

4.2. BEST PRACTICES 2022-2023

- Provided psychosocial support to a victim of POCSO case and MEA translated the victim's sworn statement to the Honourable Magistrate by the request from KELSA.
- Conducted Anti-Drug programme in association with Labour Department at various sites.
- Identified Leprosy case in medical camp and referred to concerned PHC (HI).
- Provided Counselling & Psychosocial support to Migrant IDU at Sub jail, Muvattupuzha (as per the request of Police and OST Counsellor accompanying with us)
- A PLHIV case that is in custody of Police (remand case) needed surgery at Kottayam Medical College and case is referred by an advocate, which the Suraksha Team supported to link ART Kottayam.
- Received an opening to enter the migrant TGs with the support of Naga Migrant who was working as ORW at Nagaland SACS.
- Index test conducted by the partner of PLHIV(TG PLHIV-LFU)

4.3. ACHIEVEMENT ON KEY INDICATORS DURING FY 2022-2023

SL. NO.	INDICATORS	FY 2022-2023	
		TARGET	ACHIEVEMENT
1	Registration of HRGs	10000	10211
2	Group sessions	4200	4170
3	Medical Camps	120	120
4	Medical Camp Participants	6000	6166
5	CBHS testing	3000	4483
6	STI Identification		176
7	Counselling	3000	4483
8	Demand Generation Activity Meeting	24	24
9	Advocacy Meeting	24	24
10	Congregation Events	8	8
11	Mid-Media Activities	24	24
12	Condom outlets	50	50
13	Condom Distribution	10211	10211

EVENTS: 2022-2023



World AIDS Day:

World AIDS Day (WAD) is observed on 1st December every year across the World. The observance of WAD is the commitment of the Government in order to strengthen HIV/AIDS response and providing care & treatment to those infected and affected by HIV and AIDS.

This year's theme for World AIDS Day is “**Putting Ourselves to the Test: Achieving Equity to End HIV.**” It encourages people to unite globally to eliminate the disparities and inequities that create barriers to HIV testing, prevention, and access to HIV care.

Best Project Award: Award Ceremony and Honouring of Suraksha Migrant Project, Perumbavoor during World HIV/AIDS Day observation at Thiruvananthapuram on 01.12.2022

Rajagiri outREACH Suraksha Migrant Project, Perumbavoor, received best Project award for the year 2018-2020 from Kerala State AIDS Control Society, Government of Kerala on 1st December 2022 in connection with Worlds HIV/AIDS Day. Mrs Meena Kuruvilla, Smt Maria Tency and Smt Sapna from Suraksha Migrant Project Perumbavoor jointly received the award.



OBSERVATION OF WORLD AIDS DAY

Candle lighting programme: As part of the World AIDS Day observance on 1st December 2022, Candle Lighting Programme was conducted at Bengal colony, Palakattuthazham, Vazhakkulam. The Programme was inaugurated by Vazhakkulam Panchayath President Mr. Gopala Krishnan. Awareness class and distribution of IEC materials were done during this programme.



Red Ribbon Campaigning was conducted on 30th November 2022 (as part of World AIDS Day) with a Medical Camp in Bengal Colony, Palakattuthazham, Vazhakulam Panchayath.



The International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking: The International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking, or World Drug Day, is marked on 26 June every year, to strengthen action and cooperation in achieving the goal of a world free of drug abuse.

As a part of World Drug Day, in collaboration with Perumbavoor Municipality and Labour Department, the project conducted awareness class, pledge and flash mob in various areas of Perumbavoor.





Medical Camps organized in various congregation points



Medical Camps organized in various congregation points



Night residential medical camp associated with National Rural Health Mission on 10.06.2022



Focused Group Discussion with Solidarity IDU Project on 20.04.2022 for identifying and supporting the migrant Injecting Drug Users



Group Sessions in various congregation points



9. BPCL Project “Ban Single-Use Plastic Campaign

Plastic waste poses a big threat to the environment as it remains in the environment for a long duration of time and does not decay, eventually turning into micro plastics, which first enter our food sources and then the human body. Single-use plastics, as the name suggests are discarded after being used once. These kinds of plastics are often not disposed of appropriately as well as cannot be recycled. India comes in the top 100 nations of single-use plastic waste generation and needs to implement urgent measures to shift toward environmentally sustainable products and services as well as devise technology that recycles plastic more efficiently.

Manufacturing, importing, stocking, distribution, sale and use of single-use plastic, including polystyrene and expanded polystyrene commodities will be banned effectively from July 1, 2022, across the country as a policy from the Government.

In this context, Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited, Malayala Manorama, Rajagiri outREACH and the Department of Social Work, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), joined together to support the children in providing awareness through schools in Ernakulam District with a campaign named “**Ban Single-Use Plastic Campaign**”, for 15 days from 01.07.2022 to 15.07.2022, across schools in Ernakulam District under Swachhata Pakhwada Programme of the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Govt. of India.

Objective of the Campaign

To create awareness among school children about (a) avoiding single-use plastic (b) need to reduce reuse recycle other plastic

Beneficiaries:

Direct Beneficiaries: The direct target beneficiaries encompass 60,000 students from 52 schools of Ernakulam District.

Indirect Beneficiaries: The families, schools, individuals and the community who are made aware of the programme as well as reaching out to 12 lakh readers through Malayala Manorama’s wide coverage and message.

CAMPAIGN STEPS

Stage I

Centralized inauguration with Flash Mob was conducted on 8 July, 2022

Stage II

Conducted 90-minutes Campaign programme in 52 selected schools who run the Nallapadam Project by Malayala Manorama with following components

(180 students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences were divided across 6 days into 9 teams for two days each. Each team of 20 members covered 3-4 schools a day in allotted vehicles)

- Inauguration programme by the HM/Principal with an introduction to the programme
- Introduction of the campaign by the team

- Message from the team on the single-use plastic items
- Quiz competition with 20 questions related to the Environment
- Action song/ Song from the team
- Street Play on the theme of Environment conservation

Stage III

The plastic audit was conducted by the school students through nature club/ Nallapadam club

- Students visited their homes and prepared a checklist of single-use plastic items
- Discussed with the family members to avoid those with alternatives
- Prepared the report and submitted it in two days to the Nallapadam Coordinator
- Selected the best three reports and sent them to the campaign team
- Campaign team selected the best three reports which were awarded

Stage IV

Awareness campaign and news items were propagated throughout the project days through Malayala Manorama

Stage V

Slogan contest for Students of the District

- Contest announced in Malayala Manorama
- Best three reports from the students were selected and awarded

Stage VI

Valedictory Programme

- Prize distribution and honoring schools

INAUGURATION OF “BAN OF SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CAMPAIGN AT GOVERNMENT GIRLS HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL, ERNAKULAM ON 08.07.2022

The ‘**Ban of Single-Use Plastic Campaign**’ was jointly inaugurated by Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited, Malayala Manorama, Rajagiri outREACH and the Department of Social Work of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous) Kalamassery by pledging not to use single-use plastic as part of Swachhata Pakhwada of Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Govt. of India, on 8th July 2022 at Government Girls Higher Secondary School, Ernakulam, with the theme “**Kakkanam Eee Mannine, Say No To Plastic**”.

During the inauguration, many dignitaries participated and Shri. Lal Jose, Film Director, was one of the main honourable Chief Guest and inaugurated the “**Ban of Single-Use Plastic Campaign**” at Government Girls Higher Secondary School, Ernakulam on 8th July 2022 at 3.00 p.m. The programme started with a prayer. Smt. Lathika Panicker, Head Mistress, Govt. Girls High School, Ernakulam delivered the welcome address. Shri. Aravind Jha, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, was the Chief Guest. Smt. Honey Alexander, Deputy Director of Education, Govt. of Kerala presided the programme. Shri . S. Sriram, Chief General Manager, BPCL, felicitated the occasion. Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, Shri. Vineeth M. Varghese, Chief Manager (Public Relations & Corporate Social Responsibility), Smt. Kavitha Mathew, Manager, Public Relations, BPCL and Shri. Renji Thomas R., Executive Circulation, Malayala Manorama,

participated in the inaugural function. The Students from Government Girls Higher Secondary School, Ernakulam and the Students of Social Work Department, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, attended the inaugural programme.

The programme concluded with a flash mob of the MSW Students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, named 'Mattam Ennilude'.



ചലച്ചിത്രം അല്ലെങ്കിൽ നല്ല പാഠ്യം, ബി.സി.എസ്. റാജഗിരി സ്കൂൾ ഓഫ് സോഷ്യൽ സർവീസിന്റെ ഔദ്യോഗിക വെബ്സൈറ്റ് സഹായം നൽകിയ പരിപാടി. കോച്ചിയിൽ നടന്ന ചടങ്ങിൽ പങ്കെടുത്തവർ. കോച്ചിയിൽ നടന്ന ചടങ്ങിൽ പങ്കെടുത്തവർ. കോച്ചിയിൽ നടന്ന ചടങ്ങിൽ പങ്കെടുത്തവർ.

പാവ പദ്ധതിയിൽ വേണം പരിസ്ഥിതി സൗഹൃദ സന്ദേശം: ലാൽ ജോസ്

'കാക്കണ്ണെ ഈ മണ്ണിനെ, നേ നോ ടു പ്ലാസ്റ്റിക്' ബോധവൽക്കരണത്തിന് തുടങ്ങിയതായി



കൊച്ചി • മണ്ണിനെ സംരക്ഷിക്കണം, എന്നു പ്ലാസ്റ്റിക് ഒഴിവാക്കണം എന്നുള്ള പരിസ്ഥിതി സൗഹൃദ സന്ദേശം നിലവിലെ പാവ പദ്ധതിയിൽ ഉൾക്കൊള്ളാനായി സർവ്വകലാശാലകൾ ഓൺലൈൻ പ്ലാസ്റ്റിക് വിപരീതരായ ചലച്ചിത്രം അല്ലെങ്കിൽ നല്ല പാഠ്യം എങ്ങനെ ആയിരിക്കണം എന്നുള്ള കാര്യങ്ങൾ നമ്മുടെ പാവപദ്ധതിയിൽ ഉൾക്കൊള്ളാനായി പാവ പദ്ധതി സമിതിയുടെ അധ്യക്ഷൻ ശ്രീ. ലാൽ ജോസ് പറഞ്ഞു. മനുഷ്യകീടാവ പരിഗണനകൾ, പ്ലാസ്റ്റിക് നഷ്ടം, മാലിന്യ സംസ്കരണ ശൃംഖല എന്നിവ കൂട്ടിക്കൊണ്ടിരിക്കണമെന്നായിരുന്നു അദ്ദേഹം എത്തിച്ചേർന്നു.

കണ്ണെ, അങ്ങനെയുള്ള ശ്രമങ്ങൾ വളർത്താനുള്ള ശ്രമം ഉണ്ടാകുന്നില്ല എന്നതാണ് പ്ലാസ്റ്റിക് വിപരീതരായ ചലച്ചിത്രം വഴി വാർഷികമായി പാവ പദ്ധതി.

കേന്ദ്ര പൊതുജനാരോഗ്യം, സൗഹൃദ പരിസ്ഥിതി സൗഹൃദ പദ്ധതിയുടെ ഭാഗമായി നടന്നു വരുന്ന പാവ പദ്ധതിയുടെ ഭാഗമായി പാവ പദ്ധതി സമിതിയുടെ അധ്യക്ഷൻ ശ്രീ. ലാൽ ജോസ് പറഞ്ഞു. മനുഷ്യകീടാവ പരിഗണനകൾ, പ്ലാസ്റ്റിക് നഷ്ടം, മാലിന്യ സംസ്കരണ ശൃംഖല എന്നിവ കൂട്ടിക്കൊണ്ടിരിക്കണമെന്നായിരുന്നു അദ്ദേഹം എത്തിച്ചേർന്നു.

Malayala Manorama Newspaper Clipping on 09.07.2022

Shri. Lal Jose in his inaugural address mentioned that from childhood onwards the children should be given training on Waste Management and Environment-Friendly awareness and this

should be included in the Syllabus also. Shri. Aravind Jha, mentioned that these type of awareness about Plastic free campaign in schools will help to inculcate the importance of environment friendly attitude of the children.

Rajagiri Team had visited 52 schools in **Ernakulam District** with the support of the Deputy Director of Education, Govt. of Kerala and the Council of CBSE Schools, with the aim:

- To create awareness among school children and the public by avoiding single-use plastic and also to reduce - reuse - recycle other plastics.

Each team consisted of 20 Social Work Students and 2 Faculty and representatives from BPCL and MM. They covered schools targeting students from Std. 6 to Std.9.

Modus Operandi of the Awareness Programme in each school:

- Introduction about the objective of the programme on Ban Single-use Plastic Campaign by the Social Work Students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences.
- In depth awareness through interactive session with the school children of 6 to 9 standard and their teachers.
- Based on the awareness on **“Ban Single-use Plastic Campaign”**, Quiz competition on plastic ban were conducted and spot prizes such as paper pen, cloth bag, etc., were awarded to the school children.
- Street plays were conducted by Social Work Students based on the theme on plastic ban at each school.
- Orientation on Plastic audit task were given to the School children and the children were asked to prepare a plan on ban single use plastic audit in their houses and the reports to be submitted to the Nalla Padam team of Malayala Manorama in Ernakulam District. Based on the best plan on ban of single use plastic audit report, prizes were distributed to the winners.
- Prizes were also distributed to the Head / Principal of the School for providing support to organize the campaign.
- Awareness of the programme reached out to 12 lakh readers through Malayala Manorama’s wide coverage and message.
- Slogan Contest for children on Ban Single Use Plastic Campaign invited through Malayala Manorama daily and prizes will be distributed to the best slogan during the valedictory function.

The outcome of the two-week campaign covering 52 schools on Ban Single-use plastic reached out to 1.00 lakh students, their families and the public.

VALEDICTORY PROGRAMME OF “BAN OF SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CAMPAIGN” UNDER SWACHHATA PAKHWADA AT COCHIN REFINERIES SCHOOL, THIRUVANIYUR ON 15.07.2022 - “KAKKANAM EEE MANNINE, SAY NO TO PLASTIC”

The valedictory function of the awareness of **‘Ban of Single-Use Plastic Campaign’** under Swachhata Pakhwada, was jointly organized by BPCL, Malayala Manorama, Rajagiri outREACH, Social Work Department of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), on 15th July 2022 at Cochin Refineries School, Thiruvaniyoor, Ernakulam with the theme of **“Kakkanam Eee Mannine, Say No To Plastic”**. The Valedictory function was presided by Shri. Chacko M. Jose, Chief General Manager (Operations), BPCL Cochin Refineries. The

Member of Parliament, Shri. Benny Behanan, in his speech, he shared that we should ensure that all laws are strictly implemented to avoid issues emerging due to the use of plastics. Member of Parliament Shri. Hibi Eden, inaugurated the valedictory function, and addressed that we should give more focus on environment protection. Shri. P. Vijayan, Inspector General of Police, Dr. M. Beena, Chairperson, Cochin Port Authority, Shri. George Thomas, General Manager (PR & Administration), BPCL Cochin Refineries, Smt. Indira Rajan, General Secretary, National Council for CBSE Schools, Dr. Fr. M.K. Joseph CMI, Head of Social Work Department, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Shri. S. Ramesh, DGM Circulation, Malayala Manorama, Smt. Shija Viswanathan, Vice President, Thiruvaniyur Panchayat, Smt. Mala B. Menon, Principal, Cochin Refineries School, also felicitated the occasion. Shri. Vineeth M. Varghese, Chief Manager (Public Relations & Corporate Social Responsibility), Smt. Elizabeth Davies, Public Relations Assistant, BPCL, Smt. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, and Shri. Renji Thomas R., Executive Circulation, Malayala Manorama, participated in the valedictory function.



The Social Work Students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, performed Street Play on the theme “**Kakkanam Eee Mannine, Say No To Plastic**”. The School Students and Teachers from Cochin Refineries School also participated in the function. Cash awards were distributed by Shri. P. Vijayan and Dr. M. Beena, to the winners of the Slogan Competition of “**Ban of Single-Use Plastic Campaign**” All the dignitaries interacted with the students and clarified all the doubts raised by the students.





SOCIAL WORK STUDENTS OF RAJAGIRI COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, PERFORMED STREET PLAY ON THE THEME “KAKKANAM EEE MANNINE, SAY NO TO PLASTIC” DURING THE VALEDICTORY FUNCTION ON 15.07.2022



Cash awards distributed by Shri. P. Vijayan and Dr. M. Beena, to the winners of the Slogan Contest of “Ban of Single-Use Plastic Campaign” during the Valedictory Function on 15.07.2022

PLASTIC AUDIT

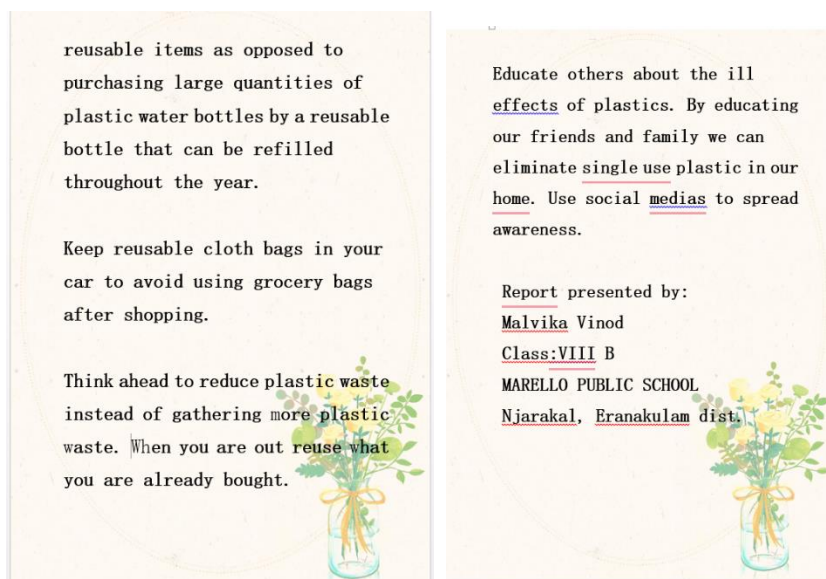
Avoid Single Use Plastic

A big salute for the twenty members team from Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery, BPCL & Malayala Manorama, for creating an awareness among us against the use of single use plastic. The skit presentation was very joyful and meaningful.

Awareness was created about the harmful effects of single use plastics. We were inspired not to use such plastic items and shift to

reusable materials. Single use plastics or disposables are used only once before being thrown into a garbage or recycling bin. They may be easy and convenient, but they create long-term issues. By researching what make an object as a single use plastic, we can avoid buying them in future.

The most common ones are plastic forks and knives, grocery bags, coffee cups, water bottles disposable razors, plastic straws etc. Let us all shift to purchase



CONCLUSION

The awareness of “**Ban Single-use Plastic Campaign**” across Schools in Ernakulam District under Swachhata Pakhwada” jointly conducted by BPCL, Malayala Manorama, Rajagiri outREACH and Department of Social Work, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), from 1st July 2022 – 15th July 2022 was a successful and eye opener for many young boys and girls from various schools. The main aim of the campaign was to create awareness among the school-going students on the importance of the plastic ban, and also to spread the news of the plastic ban among the nearby schools.

For making the campaign effective, the Social Work Students of RCSS, presented the street play, flash mob, quiz and awareness session, conducted plastic audit, and also environment song. Through the campaign, the participants were made aware of the disadvantages of using plastic and also to stop using single-use plastic items. The campaign was very impactful for the students, teachers, families and the public through newspaper coverage.

During the campaign “**Ban Single-Use Plastic Campaign across Schools in Ernakulam District under Swachhata Pakhwada**”, Rajagiri team had covered 52 schools in the two-week campaign by reaching out to 1.00 lakh students, their families and the public. The experiences gained from each school were different. It was a great opportunity to interact with the school authorities, parents, teaching and non-teaching staff and the students who were proactive to the campaign. The campaign proved to be a success as the school authorities had given positive feedback about the initiative taken to reach out to the students in an innovative and fun-filled way.

The awareness programme had given an opportunity for the school children, their families, the schools, the community as well as the stakeholders to learn the negative impacts of our ecosystem by the use of single-use plastic. Plastic pollution is interlinked with the SDGs and climate change. In addition, empowering and educating the children, their families, schools, communities and individuals to act collectively to minimize plastic pollution and use alternative options for plastics was proactively encouraged.

10. STUDENT INTERNSHIP / ORIENTATION

Students from various Colleges from India and Overseas had undergone their internship programme in Rajagiri outREACH, to obtain community-level exposure and field work experience in the numerous projects and programmes. Rajagiri outREACH had oriented the students and supervised their activities in the projects and community. Totally **646 Students** have completed their internship and orientation during the period 2022-2023. The internship students were awarded Internship Certificates after successfully completing their internship period.

DATABASE OF INTERNSHIP STUDENTS Period from April 1st 2022 to March 31st 2023

Sl.No.	Name of the Institution	Total No. of Students	Course	Duration
1	Santhigiri College, Vazhithala, Thodupuzha	3	MSW	25 days
2	Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery	6 1 2 2 2 3 1 3 1 1 3 4 5 8 12 2 1 1 1 3 1 41	BSW BBA BSW BSW MSW MSW BSW PGDCSW B.Sc.Psychology MSW MCA M.Sc. CS (DA) B.Sc.Psychology B.Sc.Psychology BBA BBA PGDCSW MSW MSW MSW BSW MSW MSW	1 day 20 days 20 days 20 days 25 days 14 days 14 days 1 day 5 days 25 days 14 Hrs. 14 Hrs 2 days 2 days 2 months 1 day 10 days 30 days 2 days 2 days 24 days 6 days 24 days

		4	MSW.	6 days
		1	MCA	60 Hrs.
		2	MSc	60 Hrs.
		1	MSW	21 days
		1	MSW	2 months
		3	PGDCSW	25 days
		1	BSW	20 days
3	CSI College for Legal Studies, Ettumanoor, Kottayam	7	B.Com-LLB	14 days
		4	B.A - LLB	14 days
4	Gurudev Arts & Science College, Payyannoor, Kannur	2	BSW	20 days
5	Sree Sankaracharya Sanskrit University Regional Centre, Tirur	2	MSW	25 days
6	Co-operative School of Law, Thodupuzha	3	B.Com-LLB	14 days
		25	BBA-LLB	21 days
		7	BBA-LLB	14 days
		4	B.Com-LLB	14 days
		3	BBA-LLB	14 days
7	Bharata Mata School of Legal Studies, Choondy, Aluva	6	BBA-LLB	14 days
		5	BBA-LLB	14 days
8	People's Co-operative Arts & Science College, Munnad, Kasaragod	9	BSW	20 days
		8	BSW	20 days
9	IGNOU De Paul Study Centre, Angamaly	1	MSW	30 days
10	Christ College, Irinjalakuda	3	BSW	20 days
		2	MSW	20 days
11	De Paul Institute of Science & Technology, Angamaly	4	MSW	30 days
		4	BSW	36 days
		3	MSW	25 days
12	Yeldho Mar Baselios College, Kothamangalam	3	MSW	30 days

13	Vimala College, Thrissur	2	MSW	19 days
14	Marian College (Autonomous) Kuttikkanam	5	MSW	24 days
		3	BSW	1 month
15	Mar Elias College, Kottappady	5	BSW	22 days
		1	BSW	1 month
		1	BSW	15 days
		4	MSW	14 days
		10	BSW	20 days
		5	BSW	16 days
16	St. Albert's College, Ernakulam	3	MSW	24 days
		3	MSW	1 month
		9	MSW	25 days
17	Sree Narayana Law College, Poothotta	4	B.A-LLB	14 days
18	Al-Azhar Law College, Thodupuzha	3	B.A-LLB	14 days
19	St. Joseph's College, Irinjalakuda	5	MSW	25 days
		4	BSW	20 days
20	Sree Narayana Guru College of Arts & Science, Paingottoor	3	MSW	1 month
21	St. Joseph's College, Pilathara, Kannur	3	BSW	20 days
		1	BSW	18 days
22	Jai Bharath College, Perumbavoor	4	MSW	25 days
23	Flame University, Pune	1	Psychology	150 Hrs.
24	Mar Gregorious College of Law, Thiruvananthapuram	3	BBA - LLB	7 days
25	St. Joseph's College of Law, Bengaluru	2	B.A - LLB	21 days
26	Christ (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru	3	Media & Communication	25 days
		1	B.Com.(Hons)	25 days
		1	B.Com.(Hons)	30 Hrs.

		2 1 1	B.Com.(Hons) MSW MSW	30 Hrs. 4 days 45 days
27	Lovely Professional University, Punjab	1 1	Bachelor of Fashion B. Design Interior & Furniture Design	30 days 7 days
28	Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Madhya Pradesh	1	MSW	1 month
29	Assumption College, Changanacherry	2	MSW	1 month
30	Loyola College, Chennai	2	MSW	1 month
31	Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham	2	MSW	1 month
32	Institute of Management Nirma University , Ahmadabad, Gujarat	1	BBA - MBA	26 days
33	Christ (Deemed to be University), Pune, Cavasa	6	B.Com	28 days
34	Dharmamurthi Rao Bahadur Calavala Cannan Chetty's Hindu College, Chennai	1	MSW	24 days
35	Pondicherry University	1 2	Integrated MA SEAL	14 days 14 days
36	RV University, Bengaluru	1	B.Sc.	1 month
37	Labour India College, Marangattuppilly	2	MSW	25 days
38	St. Joseph's College, Bengaluru	1	BSW	21 days
39	D.B.Pampa College, Parumala, Thiruvalla	1	MSW	30 days

40	St. Aloysious (Autonomous) College, Mangalore	2	MSW	30 days
41	Bharata Mata School of Social Work, Thrikkakara	1	MSW	25 days
42	LISSAH College, Kozhikode	4	BSW	20 days
43	Nehru Arts & Science College, Coimbatore	3	MSW	15 days
44	College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram	48	B.Sc.	1 day
45	Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Sriperumbudur, Chennai	2	MSW	15 days
46	Bishop Vayalil Memorial Holy Cross College, Cherpunkal, Pala	4	BSW	15 days
47	Ex. Rajagiri - Kalamassery (for Abroad Certificate)	1	BSW	30 days
48	MES college, Erumely, Kottayam	2	MSW	24 days
49	Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	1	B.A - LLB	21 days
50	St. Thomas College (Autonomous), Thrissur	3	MSW	21 days
51	St. Mary's College, Thrissur	5	BSW	20 days
52	Don Bosco College, Sulthan Bathery	7	BSW	20 days
53	SAFA Arts & Science College, Valanchery	6	BSW	20 days
54	Rajagiri College of Social Science & Business School, Kakkanad	3 5 2	PGDM MA HRM MBA	8 days 8 days 8 days
55	Priyadarshini Arts & Science College, Malappuram	2	BSW	20 days

56	U.C. College (Jyothy Joy - Direct)	1	B.Sc.Psychology	1 month
57	Xavier's Institute of Management (XIME) Kalamassery	1	PGDM	21 days
58	Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad	4	BBA - LLB	21 days
59	Don Bosco Arts & Science College, Angadykadavu	2	BSW	20 days
60	Ideal Arts & Science College, Cherppulassery, Palakkad	4	BSW	24 days
61	National Law School of India University, Bangalore	1	B.A-LLB	25 days
62	Sahyajyothi Arts & Science College, Kumily, Idukki	6	BSW	15 days
63	Santhigiri College, Vazhithala, Thodupuzha	3	MSW	25 days
64	Mar Dionysius College, Pazhanji, Thrissur	4	BSW	20 days
65	Rajagiri Christu Jayanthi Public School, Kakkanad	1	Plus Two	15 days
	TOTAL	477		

DETAILS OF INTERNATIONAL INTERNSHIP STUDENTS

Period from April 2022 to March 2023

Sl.No.	Name of the Institution	Total No. of Students	Course	Duration
1	Spain - Pablo	1	XII	1 month
2	Vives College, Belgium	3	BSW	3 months
3	University of Jyvaskla, Finland	1	MSW	45 days
4	University Bielefeld, Germany	1	MSW	45 days
5	University of Edinburgh, U.K.	2	B.Sc. Social Work	70 days
	Total	8		

Details of one day orientation about Rajagiri outREACH

Period from April 2022 to March 2023

Sl.No.	Name of the Institution	Total No. of Students	Course	Date
1	Labour India College of Social Work, Marangattuppilly	27	MSW	19.04.2022
2	Bharata Mata School of Social Work, Thrikkakara	27	MSW	15.09.2022
3	Mar Augusthinose College, Ramapuram, Kottayam	19	MSW	24.09.2022
4	Sree Narayana Guru College of Arts & Science, Paingottoor	21	MSW	28.10.2022
5	Mar Elias College, Kottappady, Kothamangalam	33	MSW	17.11.2022
6	Wadi Huda Institute of Research & Advanced Studies, Vilayancode, Kannur	34	B.Sc. Psychology	30.01.2023
	Total	161		

1. Observation visit of 14 First Year MSW Students and 1 Faculty of Labour India College Marangattupilly Kottayam, on 19.01.2022

As part of the MSW curriculum, the first year Social Work students (14 MSW 1 year Students and 1 faculty) from Labour India College, Marangattupilly, Kottayam, had conducted an observation visit to Rajagiri outREACH on 19.04.2022 from 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. Mrs.Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, Ms. Jinsha Babu and Mrs. Joicy Thomas, had oriented on the activities and programmes of Rajagiri outREACH. After the orientation and familiarization of the NGO, the students and faculty had visited the Library of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery. The group had concluded their visit at 1.00 p.m.



Orientation and Library visit on 19.04.2022 for the Students and Faculty of Labour India College, Marangattupilly, Kottayam

2. Observation Visit – Organization visit of 27 MSW First Semester Students of Bharata Mata School of Social Work, Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakara, visited Rajagiri outREACH on 15.09.2022 from 2.30 a.m. at Lecture Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery

Rajagiri outREACH conducted an orientation programme for 27 MSW First Semester Students and 1 Faculty of Bharata Mata School of Social Work, Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakara, Kochi – 682 021, Ernakulam, on 15.09.2022 from 2.30 p.m. onwards at Lecture Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Kalamassery), Kalamassery. Ms. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, had welcomed the group and coordinated the programme and briefed them about Rajagiri outREACH organizational structure, vision, mission and projects and programmes. Mr. Abhijithlal, Ms. Joicy Thomas, Mr. Jaison Varghese, Ms. Megha M.A., Ms. Linda Chacko and Mr. Biju C.P. of Rajagiri outREACH had given orientation about outREACH activities in their respective area of work. The students also had an opportunity to visit the Library of RCSS, which was an awesome experience as per the students' feedback. The students clarified their doubts and the vote of thanks was

proposed by the student of Bharata Mata School of Social Work, Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakara.



Orientation on Rajagiri outREACH to the 1st Semester MSW Students of Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakara, by Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo on 15.09.2022



Orientation on 15.09.2022 to the 1st Semester MSW Students of Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakara, by Mr. Abhijithlal – Jal Jeevan Mission Project and Ms. Joicy Thomas – Kaval Plus



Orientation on 15.09.2022 to the 1st Semester MSW Students of Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakara, by Mr. Jaison Varghese – Kaval Project and Ms. Megha – Waste Management Project at Keezhmadu of Haritha Sahaya Sthapnam



Orientation on 15.09.2022 to the 1st Semester MSW Students of Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakara, by Ms. Linda Chacko – Child Sponsorship Programme and Mr. Biju C.P. – Social Impact Assessment Study

3. Observation Visit – Organization visit of 19 MSW First Semester Students + 3 Faculty from the Department of Social Work, Mar Augusthinose College, Ramapuram, visited Rajagiri outREACH on 24.09.2022 from 1.30 p.m. at Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery

As part of the Observation visit, 19 students of the first-semester MSW program and three faculty members from the Department of Social Work, Mar Augusthinose College, Ramapuram, have conducted their observation visit to Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, Ernakulum on 24/09/2022. Mr. Ranjith K.U., Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, Ms. Joyce Thomas, Mr. Biju C.P., conducted the orientation.





Orientation by Rajagiri outREACH Staff on 24.09.2022 to the Students and Faculty of Mar Augusthinose College, Ramapuram

4. One-day Observation visit and Orientation for Students of Sree Narayana Guru (SNG) College of Arts and Science, Paingottoor at Rajagiri outREACH (RCSS), Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS), Kalamassery on 28.10.2022

On **28th October 2022**, the students of Sree Narayana Guru College of Arts and Science, Paingottoor had a one-day observation visit and orientation at Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS), Kalamassery. Mr. Nitheesh K V (Head Department of Social Work) SNG College of Arts and Science, was accompanied by 21 Master of Social Work students for the one-day observation visit.

The orientation started at 11.30 am and Rajagiri outREACH staff had detailed about each of the projects carried out through Rajagiri outREACH namely about the Child Sponsorship Project, Jaljeevan Mission Project, Kaval Programme, Kaval Plus, Road Safety and First Aid trainings. Mr. Ranjith K.U detailed about the history of Rajagiri and about the inception of Rajagiri outREACH. Mr.George V.A., and Mr. Gracious George detailed on the Child Sponsorship Projects undertaken at various Districts through Rajagiri outREACH. Ms. Jinsha talked about Kaval Programme and how it deals with Child in Conflict with Law. Ms. Joicy detailed the importance of Kaval Plus and the various services offered for Child in Need of Care and Protection and Child victims of Sexual Abuse cases. Mr. Varghese K.O talked about the Road Safety and First Aid Training sessions organized by Rajagiri outREACH. The orientation ended at 1.30 pm and after the sessions, few students shared their feedback and thanked Rajagiri outREACH for allowing them to visit the campus and get such an enlightened orientation. Mr. Nitheesh, Faculty also gave his feedback. After the orientation everyone had their lunch and at 2.00 pm followed by visit to the RCSS Library. After the visit to the library the students returned back to their college by 3.00 pm.



Orientation given by Rajagiri outREACH Staff for MSW students of SNG College at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery on 28.10.2022

5. Observation Visit – Organization visit of 33 MSW First Year Students + 1 Faculty from the Department of Social Work, Mar Elias College, Kottappady, Kothamangalam, Ernakulam, visited Rajagiri outREACH on 17.11.2022 from 2.00 p.m. at Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery

As part of the Observation visit, 33 students of the first-year MSW program and one faculty member from the Department of Social Work, Mar Elias College, Kottappady, Kothamangalam, Ernakulam, conducted their observation visit to Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, Ernakulam on 17.11.2022. Ms. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, had welcomed the group and coordinated the programme and briefed them about Rajagiri outREACH organizational structure, vision, mission and projects and programmes. Mrs. Maria Tency, Ms. Megha, Mr. Ranjith K.U., Ms. Tessy Thomas, Ms. Jinsha Babu & Mr. Biju C.P., conducted the orientation and one of the students proposed the vote of thanks. Mrs. Philomina and Mr. Jaison, Rajagiri outREACH, registered the students and photographed the visit respectively.





6. Visit of 34 BSc Psychology and 3 Faculty of Wadhuda Institute of Research and Advanced Studies, Kannur on 30.01.2023

34 BSc. Psychology and 3 Faculty of Wadhuda Institute of Research and Advanced Studies, Kannur, visited Rajagiri outREACH and Orientation on the NGOs activities, programme and projects were conducted for the Students on 30.01.2023. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, briefed about the activities of Rajagiri outREACH, Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, Senior Coordinator Administration, welcomed the students and coordinated the programme. Ms. Christin Elizabeth Sam, Outreach Worker, briefed about ODIC Project, Ms. Joicy Thomas, Coordinator, briefed about Kaval Plus Programme and Ms. Candice Maria Pereira, Community Social Worker, briefed about Jal Jeevan Mission Project. Registration was handled by Mrs. Philomina K.A, Senior Administrative Assistant. The students visited the Department of Psychology, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, and interacted with Rev. Dr. Fr. Varghese K. Varghese, Professor and Dean of the Department of Psychology, and the Faculty of the Department of Psychology. The students also visited the Library and found the visit beneficial. The following appreciative email was sent by Mr. Subair M., Assistant Professor and Head of the Department of Psychology, Wadhuda Institute of Research and Advance Studies, who had headed the students during their visit to Rajagiri outREACH.



Visit of 34 BSc Psychology and 3 Faculty of Wadhwa Institute of Research and Advanced Studies, Kannur on 30.01.2023



Department of Psychology

psychology@wiraskannur.com
to Rajagiri Outreach <outreach@rajagiri.edu>

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Thank you so much for your care and support. Our students and staff enjoyed the visit. Our students mentioned it as highly beneficial visit.

Warm Regards,

Subair. M

Head of the Department,

PG Department of Psychology,

Wadihuda Institute of Research and Advanced Studies,

PO Vilayancode, Kannur Dt, Kerala – 670501.

Appreciation mail received from Mr. Subair M., Head of the Department of Psychology, Wadihuda Institute of Research and Advanced Studies, Vilayancode, Kannur

International Internship Corner

Email Quote from Pablo, International Internship Student from Spain referred by Ramuni Paniker Trust. Pablo was involved with the activities related to Ramuni Paniker Trust Higher Education Scholarship Programme for the students who had benefitted from the programme and he studied the present scenario of the scholarship students. Pablo sent the School magazine article on 13.12.2022.

“I was in my school’s magazine  by Pablo, Ramunni Paniker Trust”



Collaboration with Rajagiri International Exchange Programme (RIEP)

Students from Belgium, Finland, Germany and United Kingdom had undergone their orientation and internship at Rajagiri outREACH. Their involvement and participation in all the activities/projects/programmes is most noteworthy.

Vives University, Belgium

Ms. Eveline Le Roy and Mr. Frank Van den Bulke from VIVES University of Applied Social Studies, Belgium visited Rajagiri outREACH office on 16th January 2023 and had discussion with Mrs. Meena Kuruville, Mr. Ranjith K.U., and Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, of Rajagiri outREACH about the Monitoring of Internship of Belgium students.



Internship discussion with Faculty from VIVES University Belgium held on 17th January 2023

Orientation to BSW Students of Vives, Belgium on 09.02.2023

Rajagiri outREACH Staff, Mr. George V.A., Mrs. Maria Tency, Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo and Mr. Abhijithlal briefed about the programs and activities at Rajagiri outREACH to Ms. Monne Troppeniers, Ms. Kathleen Van Hoecke and Ms. Anthea Van Auverberghe, Students of Vives, Belgium, on 09.02.2023.



Orientation to BSW Students of Vives, Belgium on 09.02.2023

Monne Trappeniers, Kathleen Van Hoecke and Anthea Van Cauwenberghe of Vives Belgium, have successfully completed their internship programme at Rajagiri outREACH from 13th February 2023 to 28th February 2023. An evaluation meeting was held with Mr. Frank Vandembulcke, Thesis Supervisor, Vives, Belgium, Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, and the internship students. During the evaluation, the interns selected Rajagiri outREACH ODIC Project as their Mobility Window Project for 3 months. A pre-meeting was held online between Vives, Belgium, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Rajagiri outREACH and ODIC teams on 13.03.2023. It was decided that a collaboration agreement will be prepared by the Interns with the supervision of Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph and the draft will be sent before the end of this week to Mr. Frank after which it will be finalized. Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Assistant Director, RCSS and Live Lab Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH, will be their Supervisor and Mr. Krishnakumar, will be their Coordinator for ODIC Project. Weekly meetings with ODIC will be every Monday and with Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph every Wednesday.



Orientation at Rajagiri outREACH Office on 13.02.2023 & Field Work at Waste Management Project at Keezhmadu on 14th of February 2023



Visit to Pakalvedu - Elderly Day Care Centre at Kothad on 15.02.2023



Visit to Suraksha Migrant Project, Kalamassery on 16.02.2023



Visit to ODIC Project, Koonammavu on 17.02.2023



Participated in Higher Education Scholarship Distribution on 18.02.2023 at Golden Aureole, RCSS, Kalamassery



Field Work at Outreach Drop In Centre (ODIC) Project, Koonammavu on 20.02.2023

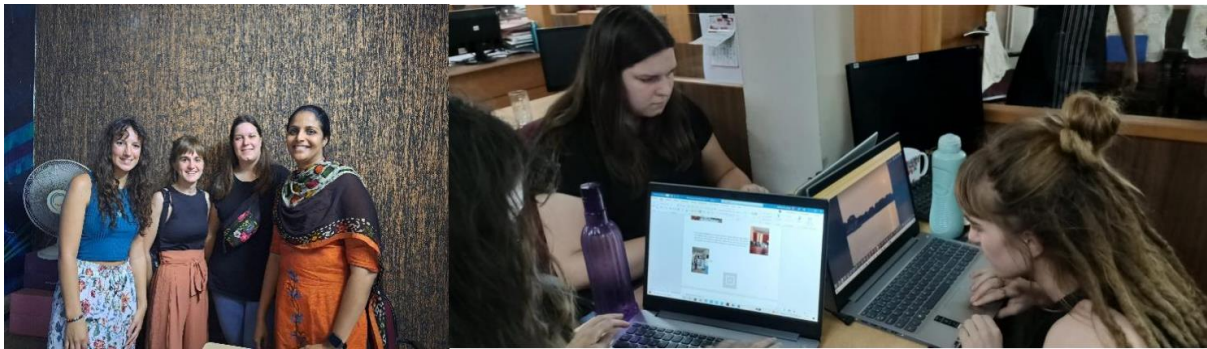


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Short ODIC video presentation by interns of Vives, Belgium



Attended Suraksha Migrant Project, Kalamassery Medical Camp on 22nd February 2023 at Marina One



Visit and Orientation at Suraksha Migrant Project, Kalamassery on 24.02.2023



Visits to Women Entrepreneurs of K.P. Paul Foundation, Thrissur on 23.02.2023



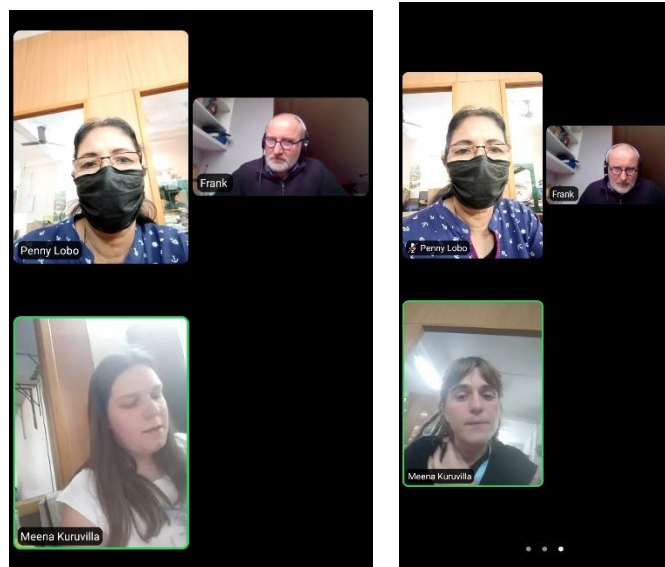
Participated in Jal Jeevan Mission Project's Awareness Sessions at Anganwadi and Primary School on 27.02.2023



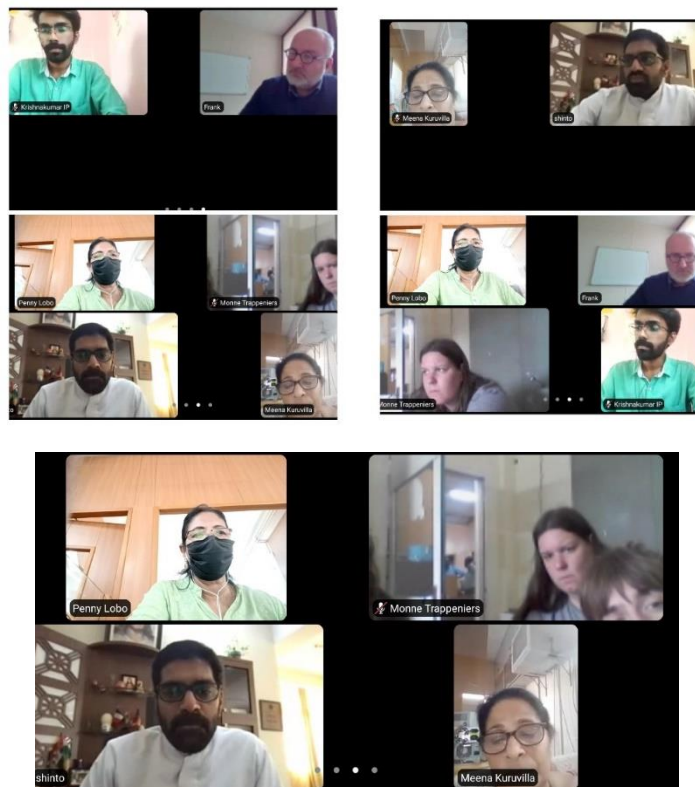
Volunteered at International Millets Day Celebration at Kanjoor on 28.02.2023



Evaluation Meeting of Vives, Belgium interns with Mr. Frank Vandenbulcke, Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, on 03.03.2023



Evaluation Meeting of Vives, Belgium interns with Mr. Frank Vandenbulcke, Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, on 03.03.2023



Online Pre-meeting of Vives, Belgium Collaboration with Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Assistant Director, RCSS and ODIC, Rajagiri outREACH, RCSS and on 13.03.2023

Collaboration with Rajagiri outREACH & Rajagiri Family Counselling Centre

The internship students of Rajagiri outREACH were oriented by the Staff of Rajagiri Family Counselling Centre on its activities and sessions. Being a part of the internship planning schedule the internship students benefitted from this counselling centre.

Rajagiri outREACH coordinated a Session on Family Life Education with Fadumo Abiodun Paul & Aleesha P. Sabu, Final Year MSW Students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, as part of their field work requirement. The internship student of Rajagiri outREACH actively participated in the session. The event was conducted on 19.05.2022 at RCSS MSW I Classroom from 3.00 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. on the topic “**Decision-Making & Family Budgeting**”. The outcome of this session enabled the students to learn:

1. How to make informed decisions.
2. How to practice self-awareness with regard to decision-making, savings and budgeting.
3. Learn about the process and elements of decision-making.
4. Importance of family budgeting.

Collaboration with Rajagiri outREACH & Rajagiri Child Line Foundation

As part of the internship programme at Rajagiri outREACH, the internship students benefitted from orientation sessions given by Childline Foundation at RCSS Campus.

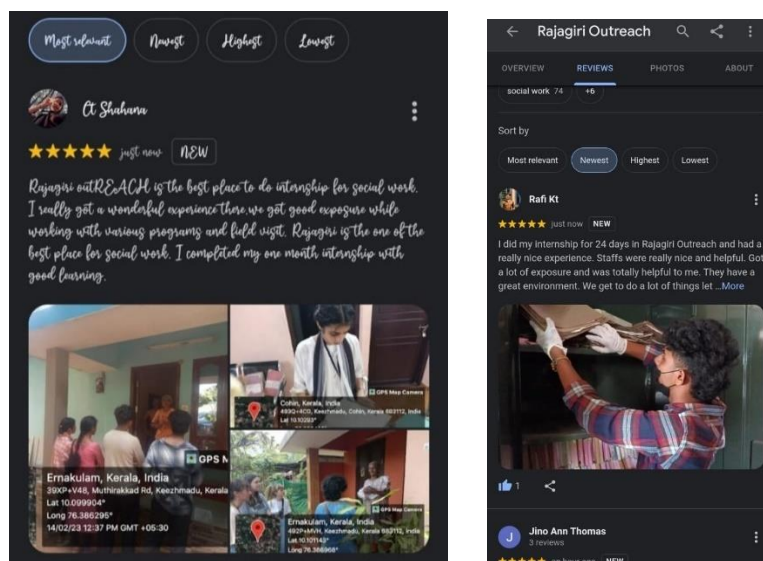
Collaboration with Rajagiri outREACH & DDU-GKY of RCSS

As part of the internship programme at Rajagiri outREACH, the internship students benefitted from orientation sessions given by DDU-GKY at RCSS Campus.

Collaboration with Rajagiri outREACH & Department of Library and Information Science

Most of the internship students of Rajagiri outREACH benefitted from the Orientation conducted by Dr. A. T Francis, Prof. & Head, Department of Library and Information Science, during this reporting period.

Google Review of Rajagiri outREACH 4.8/5 *** (452)**



★★★★★ a day ago **NEW**

Rajagiri Outreach is one of the best NGOs in Kerala, providing a wide range of social services, and I consider myself fortunate to have had the opportunity to work as an intern there for a month. We do all of our work with a lot of fun, had a great time.

I really enjoyed my internship at Rajagiri outREACH. I got an opportunity to witness different programmes done by the NGO and believes that these experiences would be beneficial for my career.



★★★★★ 22 hours ago **NEW**

Rajagiri outREACH is the best place to do internship for social work. I really got a wonderful experience there. We got good exposure while working with various programs and field visit. Rajagiri is the one of the best place for social work. I completed my 24 for days internship with good learning.



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 Social welfare center
 South Kalamassery, Kalamassery
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M Monne Trappeniers

★★★★★ 4 days ago

We are 3 students from Vives College in Kortrijk who are doing a 4-month internship in Rajagiri Outreach. Our first month is already over. We would like to thank Rajagiri Outreach for the excellent support during this first month. Each project manager has guided us excellently through each fieldwork visit.

We would like to thank Meena Kuruvilla in particular. She is Project Director in Rajagiri Outreach and made this internship possible for us. We are looking forward to the next 3 months.

Few Google Reviews posted by Rajagiri outREACH Internship students

11. COLLABORATION WITH KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM

CoA-Vellayani- Thiruvananthapuram - Rural Agricultural Work Experience Programme for the Final Year B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture Students- Training in NGO

As the role of NGOs in rural development is indispensable, the B Sc. Agriculture final year students of College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram were exposed to the nature and style of functioning of NGO as part of their Rural Agricultural and Work Experience (RAWE) & AIA Programme. In this regard, 48 boys and girls students of Final Year B.Sc. (Hons.), were engaged with Rajagiri outREACH Projects and Activities from 22nd to 24th September 2022 at the campus of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery. Due to the hartal on 23rd September 2022, the students conducted online sessions on various topics for the Women Entrepreneurs and Sponsorship Children of Rajagiri outREACH. On 24th September 2022, the students interacted with the Beneficiaries of Jal Jeevan Mission Project and Outreach Drop In Centre and the Valedictory Function and Certificate ceremony was conducted in the evening at Alex Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery.

NGO MODULE 2022 SCHEDULE

Day	Date & Time	Activity	Mode of Conduct	Learning point	Outcome
1	19/09/2022 10.00 am – 12.00 noon	Inauguration and Orientation to the NGO module	Orientation to the NGO module and introduction to the NGO's by the course teachers	Role of NGO, nature and scope of NGOs, Procedure for formation of NGO	Gain insight about NGO.
	2.00 – 4.00 pm	Virtual meeting with the selected NGOs of the state – NGO 1	Online sessions will be carried out by the NGO authorities to familiarize with the four NGOs		
2	20/09/2022 10.00 am – 12.00 noon	Exploring the programmes of the individual NGOs -2 & 3	Each NGO will orient the class on the vision, mission Organizational structure, major activities, jurisdiction, target beneficiaries, development roles of NGOs etc.	Working style of NGO. Programmes and activities in details.	Clarity in procedural formalities in formation of NGO Ability to form and run an NGO effectively
	2.00 – 4.00 pm		Online session through which the NGO Authorities will give an insight to the projects and programmes		
3	21/09/2022 Travel (Holiday)				
4-6	22/09/2022 To 24/09/2022	Stake holder analysis/ Case study of NGOs within the localities of the students	Students will visit the NGOs in groups and will interact with the beneficiaries to learn how they were benefitted by the NGO. Identify their problems and suggest possible solutions	Factors contributing to success/failure of NGOs	Ability to co-ordinate the stakeholders for effective functioning.

	10.00 am– 4.00pm	Participate in the Rural development and HRD activities undertaken by the NGOs within the localities of the students	Students will form groups and provide on line trainings to the beneficiaries of the NGO's	constraints at field level Learn HRD skills and training skills. Designing and conduct of need based Training programmes, demonstration classes etc	Expertise in HRD and training rural people.
7	25/09/2022 Travel (Holiday)				
8	26/09/2022	Report preparation	Students will prepare reports on the activities from Day 1-7.	Writing skills	Sequencing and consolidation abilities
	10.00 am– 4.00pm	Reporting and Evaluation & Valedictory	Preparation of reports and presentation before the NGO authorities	Report writing and presentation skills	Expertise in effective reporting and presentation

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NGO MODULE 2022 SCHEDULE
"Role of NGO in Rural Development"
RAWE-AIA Student Ready (Rural) Agricultural Work Experience
Training in NGO for
Final Year BSc. (Hons) Agriculture Students of College of Agriculture, Vellayani,
Thiruvananthapuram

Date: 22nd to 24th September 2022

Venue: Alex Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery

Date & Time	Agenda	Name of the Presenter	Mode of action
22.09.2022	Inaugural Session		Presentation
	Welcome Address	Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH	
10.00 am – 10.30 am	Presidential Address	Dr. Binay Joseph, Principal, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery & Chief Executive Officer, Rajagiri outREACH	
	Felicitation	Dr. Fr. M.K. Joseph CM, Head of Department, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous)	
		Dr. Kishoraji U., Assistant Professor, Department of Community Science, College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram.	
	Vote of Thanks	Mrs. Meena Terey, Senior Dinner Officer	
10.30 am – 11.00 am	Social Impact Assessment Studies	Mrs. Manjireddy, Senior Dinner Officer	Presentation / Slide Show
11.00 am – 12.00 noon	Child Sponsorship Programmes	Mrs. George V.J., Senior Coordinator Mrs. Jinta Chacko – Development Promoter	Presentation / Slide Show
12.00 noon – 12.30 pm	Higher Education Scholarship Programmes/ Natural Resource Management / Palkalveedu – Elderly Day Care Centre Programmes	Mr. Rajesh N.S., Senior Development Officer	Presentation/ Slide Show

12.30 pm – 1.00 pm	Kaval Project	Mr. Jacob Varghese, Coordinator	Presentation / Slide Show
1.00 pm – 2.00 pm	Lunch Break		
2.00 pm – 2.30 pm	Kaval Plus Project	Mrs. Jacob Thomas, Coordinator	Presentation / Slide Show
2.30 pm – 3.00 pm	Women Entrepreneurship Programmes	Mrs. Liji V.E., Development Officer	Presentation / Slide Show
3.00 pm – 3.30 pm	Haritha Karma Sava - Waste Management Project at Kozhmedu	Ms. Megha M.N., Coordinator	Presentation / Slide Show
3.30 pm – 4.00 pm	Jai Jeevan Mission Project	Mr. Abin John N.S., Project Officer	Presentation / Slide Show
4.00 pm	Vote of Thanks	Student from the College of Agriculture, Vellayani	
4.00 pm – 5.00 pm	Library Visit		
23.09.2022 11.30 am – 12.30 pm	Women Entrepreneurs – Online Session by the Students	Mrs. Liji V.E., Development Officer Mrs. Geeta Rajesh, Social Worker	Online Presentation / Slide Show
12.30 pm – 1.15 pm	Saralaha Migrant Project	Mrs. Yalincy Paul, Project Manager	Online Orientation
2.00 pm – 5.00 pm	Child Sponsorship Programme	Internship Students	Online Session
24.09.2022	Field Work		
9.00 am – 1.30 pm	Outreach Drop in Centre (ODIC – NSD) – Prevention of Substance Abuse in Community Setting	Mr. Kishoraj Kumar, Centre in Charge cum Counselor & Team	Field Work / Awareness Sessions at Elor
1.30 pm – 2.30 pm	Jai Jeevan Mission Project at Kunnethurad	Mr. Abin John N.S., Project Officer & Team	Field Work at Kunnethurad
2.30 pm – 3.00 pm	Lunch Break		
3.00 pm – 3.30 pm	Outreach Drop in Centre (ODIC)	Mr. Jacob Jacob, Outreach Worker	Presentation / Slide Show
3.30 pm – 4.30 pm	Bio Science Department – Training on Mushroom Cultivation	Dr. Krishna Kumar R.M. & Ms. Jacob	Presentation / Slide Show
	Valedictory Session and Certificate Distribution		
	a. Summarisation of Activities for the 3 days		a. Students from the College of Agriculture
	b. Certificate Distribution		b. Students from the College of Agriculture, Vellayani
	c. Vote of Thanks		c. Dr. Kishoraji U., Asst. Professor

INAUGURATION PROGRAMME

The inaugural session was addressed by Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director of Rajagiri outREACH on 22.09.2022. She briefed about various projects under Rajagiri outREACH emphasizing the Kaval and Kaval Plus projects which mainly focus on providing psychosocial support to children in conflict with law children who are victims of abuse. ODIC is yet another significant project aiming at the prevention of substance abuse and rehabilitation of drug addict

adolescents. Child Education Programme and Higher Education Scholarship are two projects under Rajagiri outREACH that provide fully funded education facilities to economically backward and academically excellent students. Jal Jeevan Mission Project aims at providing functional households with drinking tap water to all rural households. Suraksha is another functional project aiming at the prevention of sexually transmitted diseases among migrant workers. Women Entrepreneurship Programme is another successful project emphasizing women empowerment by providing training and funds for promoting women entrepreneurs.

Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), RCSS, gave the introductory speech which was energizing and focused on all the activities carried out under Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and Rajagiri outREACH. According to him, more than thousand students throughout India and abroad were a part of various Rajagiri outREACH Internship Programme for the last academic year. He introduced us to the bio research lab working in Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and its relevance. He also gave us a brief introduction to different projects handled by the institution. Mr. Binoy Joseph proved himself as a student-friendly supportive, encouraging faculty and Head of the Rajagiri Institution throughout his speech.

After the inaugural session and the orientation by Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, Dr. Krishnaja U., Assistant Professor Department of Community Science College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram, conveyed her felicitations. She spoke about the great opportunities available at Rajagiri outREACH. She motivated all the students to make use of each and every resources provided by the organisation. Vote of thanks was conveyed by Mrs. Maria Tency, Senior Donor Officer, Rajagiri outREACH





Inaugural Session for the Students and Faculty of College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram on 22.09.2022



Orientation on Social Impact Assessment Studies of Land Acquisition by Mrs. Maria Tency, Senior Donor Officer, Rajagiri outREACH, on 22.09.2022

Mr. George V.A, Senior Coordinator of Child Education Sponsorship Programme told us about the programme.

Dr M K Joseph CMI Associate Professor, Head of Social Work Department, RCSS, addressed the students with inspirational speeches on the social activities, and he also added the significance of agriculture for developing a socially committed society. He detailed about the different activities that are done at Rajagiri outREACH and briefed about different projects that helped the women in rural areas.



Dr. Fr. M.K. Joseph, Head of Social Work Department, RCSS addressing the Students & Orientation on Child Sponsorship Programme by Mr. George V.A., Senior Coordinator, Rajagiri outREACH on 22.09.2022



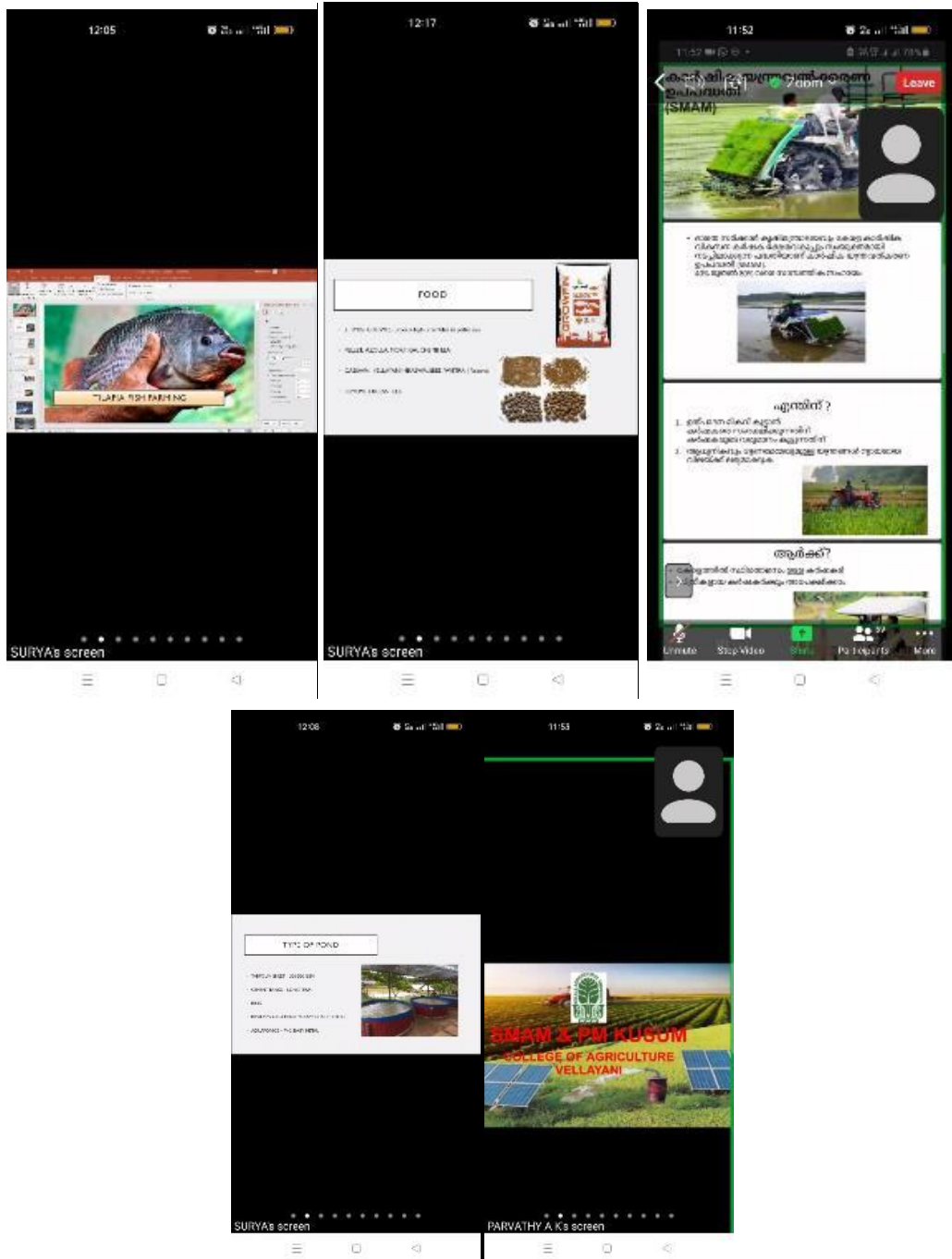
Dr. Krishnaja U., Assistant Professor, College of Agriculture, Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director and Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo, Rajagiri outREACH, addressing the students, on 22.09.2022



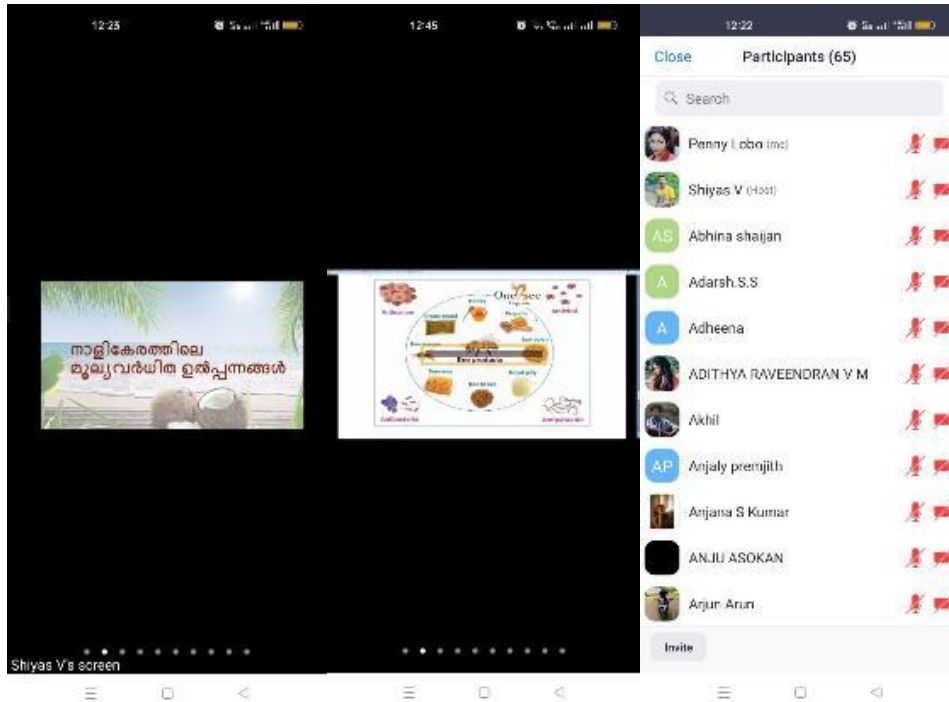
Orientation on Kaval Project by Mr. Jaison Varghese, Project Coordinator on 22.09.2022



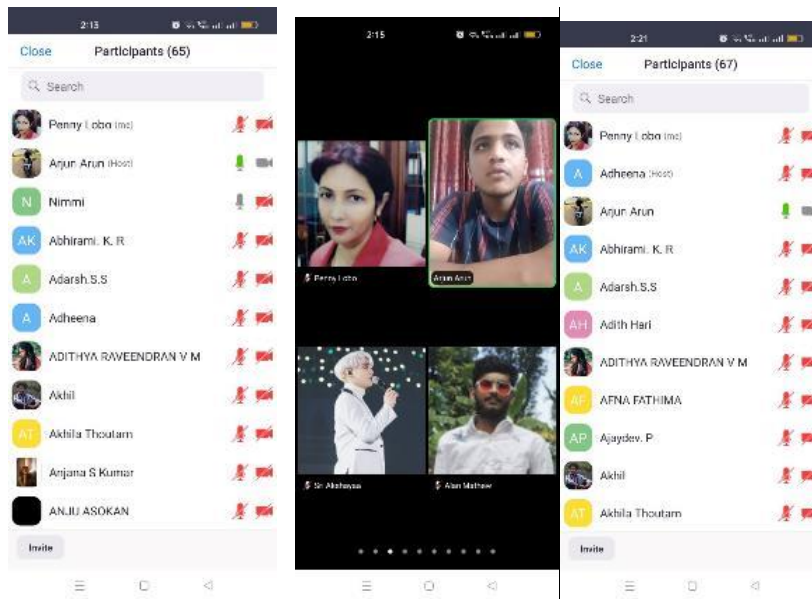
Orientation Higher Education Scholarship by Mr. Ranjith K.U., Senior Development Officer on 22.09.2022



Online Sessions conducted by the Agriculture Students for Women Entrepreneurs on 23.09.2022



Online Sessions conducted by the Agriculture Students for Women Entrepreneurs on 23.09.2022



Online Sessions conducted for Sponsorship Children on 23.09.2022





Agriculture Students conducting houses visits of Beneficiaries of Rajagiri outREACH Jal Jeevan Mission Project at Kunnathunad on 24.09.2022



Field Visit to Jal Jeevan Mission Project at Kunnathunad Panchayat, Ernakulam District, on 24.09.2022



Visit at Udyogamandal, Eloor – Beneficiaries of different age groups - ODIC Project on 24.09.2022



Group Photo before departure to the ODIC Project Field Work on 24.09.2022



ODIC Orientation by Mr. Ajimsha and Mushroom Cultivation training by Ms. Jincy and Dr. N.M. Krishna Kumar on 24.09.2022

VALEDICTORY SESSION AND CERTIFICATE DISTRIBUTION

Summarisation of the activities carried out during these three days were done by the Agricultural Students, Jyothis S, Shifina Shanavas , Adarsh S. S . Vote of thanks was given by Akhila Thoutam. Certificates for participation in the training were distributed among the students by Mrs. Elizabeth Penelope Lobo in the presence of Dr. Krishnaja U. Activity reports were submitted by the Students thereby concluding the NGO Visit on 24.09.2022





Valedictory session and certificate distribution to the students on 24.09.2022 & Group Photo at RCSS Campus

12. VISITS / ORIENTATION / TRAININGS / MEETINGS / MEDIA / NEWS / OVERSEAS ORIENTATION

Rajagiri outREACH Staff actively participated in the Training, meetings and orientation programmes conducted during the period from April 01, 2022 to March 31, 2023.

A. Meetings / Interview

1. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla Project Director attended the program of Rajagiri in Pursuit of Lecture series of Ms. Judith Ravin U.S Consul General at Rajagiri Valley campus on 4th April 2022.

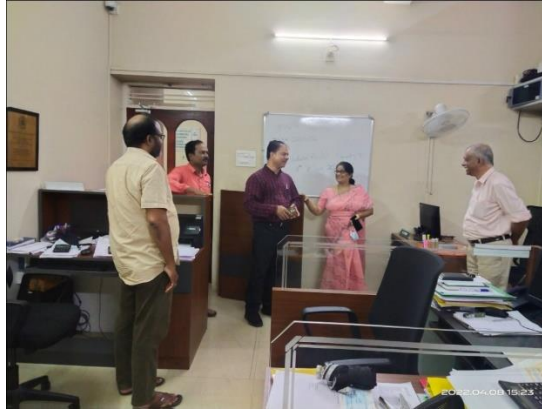


Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH participated in Lecture series of Ms. Judith Ravin, U.S. Consul General at Rajagiri Valley Campus on 04.04.2022

2. Interaction with KELI Switerland

Shri. Tomy Thiruthil, President, KELI, Switzerland visited Rajagiri outREACH office on 8th April 2022 at 2.00 pm and had interaction with the Management and Staff. The meeting discussed about the existing programs of Keli and Kinder for Kinder and scope for new projects.

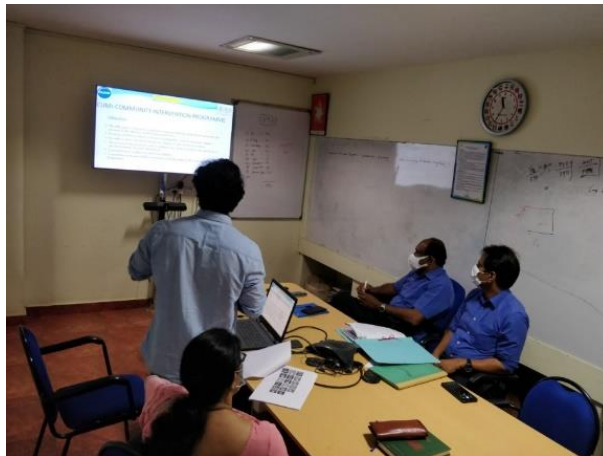




Meeting with President of KELI, Switzerland on 8th April 2022

3. Project Implementation Committee Meeting of CUMI

CUMI Project Implementation Committee Meeting was held on 8th April 2022 at CUMI Conference hall. Shri. Suresh Varghese and Suresh Kumar A.S from CUMI and Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mr. Gigin P.S from Rajagiri outREACH attended the meeting. Mr. Gigin P.S presented the report of the activities for the period 1st April 2021 to 31st March 2022 and project proposal for the year 2022-2023. The meeting discussed about the outcome of the activities and CUMI expressed their plan to extend the programs in CUMI Koratty. Mr. Suresh Varghese appreciated Rajagiri outREACH and Mr. Gigin P.S for the commendable services.



Mr. Gigin P.S presented the activity report of CUMI on 8th April 2022 to the Officials of CUMI

4. Fr. Shinto Joseph, Director Childline, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director Rajagiri outREACH attended Kerala Childline forum meet on 7th May 2022 at Ashirbhavan, Kacheripady, Ernakulam. The meeting discussed about the new government scheme and the role of childline in that policy.



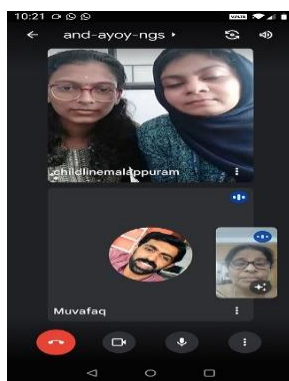
Childline Directors Forum meet held on 7th May 2022 at Ashirbhavan, Ernakulam

5. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mr. Ranjith K.U from Rajagiri outREACH attended the National NGOs Confederation Inauguration meeting and CSR Summit meet on 19th May 2022 at St. Teresa's College, Ernakulam. The meeting was inaugurated by Smt. Bindu, Hon'ble Minister of Social Justice.



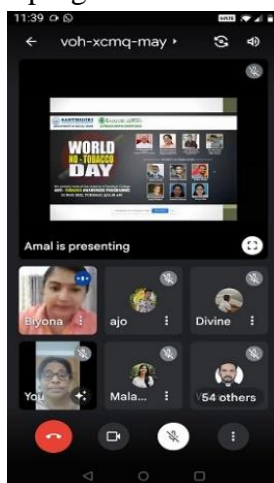
Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla and Mr. Ranjith K.U attended National NGOs Confederation meeting on 19.05.2022

6. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla attended the meeting of High Court Victim Rights Centre at KeLSA office on 27th May 2022 and had video conference of mentoring session of the women prisoners of Kannur Vanitha Jail.
7. The Project Director attended the staff meeting of ODIC at Koonammavu on 28-05-2022. The meeting discussed about the activities of ODIC and plan of next month.
8. Monthly online staff meeting of Child line Support Office, Malappuram was held on 31-05-2022. Staff briefed about the activities of Childline Malappuram and discussed plan new programs for the children during the school reopening month of June 2022 and also decided to observe environment day.



Online staff meeting of Childline support Malappuram held on 31-05-2022

9. Rajagiri outREACH ODIC, Santhigiri College Social Work Dept. and Rajagiri outREACH internship students of Shanthigiri College jointly organized a webinar as part of observation of **WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY on 31st May 2022**. Session on anti –tobacco awareness was handled by Rajagiri outREACH ODIC Centre in Charge Mr. Tobin Chacko. Fifty four Social work students attended the program.



Observation of Anti-tobacco day organized by Rajagiri outREACH ODIC on 31st May 2022

10. Rajagiri outREACH CPLI Kozhikode online staff meeting was held on 1st June 2022. The meeting discussed about the identification strategy of new panchayath and also discussed about the project proposal for the year 2022. CPLI staff presented the activities of April and May 2022.



Online staff meeting of CPLI held on 01-06-2022

11. Suraksha Perumbavoor and Suraksha, Kalamassery staff meeting attended by Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla on 03-06-2022 & 06-06-2022 respectively. In both the projects the meeting discussed about last month activities and the target achieved. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director verified all documents.
12. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director and Mr. Ranjith K.U Coordinator, Jal Jeevan Mission Project of Rajagiri outREACH attended Jal Jeevan ISA Platform meeting on 4th June 2022 at Renewal Centre, Kaloor. The meeting discussed about the implementation of Jal Jeevan project and the role of ISA. Each district representative presented the activities undertaken at Panchayats.



Jal Jeevan Mission ISA Platform meeting held on 04.06.2022

13. Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Thrissur program interview for the post of case worker held on 16th June 2022 at outREACH Thrissur office. Representatives from JJB, DCPU and Rajagiri outREACH were in the selection committee. 17 candidates attended the interview.



Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Thrissur staff selection held on 16th June 2022 at Thrissur

14. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla attended IQAC meeting at Carmel Hall on 30th June 2022.
15. Rajagiri outREACH applied for Kaval Plus Programme at Thrissur district and the DCPU and CWC Thrissur jointly conducted inspection at Rajagiri outREACH Thrissur Chapter office on 30th June 2022
16. Staff meeting of Kaval Plus was held on 30th June 2022 and the Project Director verified all the files and discussed each case.

17. The Project Director visited Suraksha office, Perumbavoor on 6th July 2022 to attend the staff meeting. Review of activities and plan of next month discussed in the meeting.



Staff meeting of Suraksha Perumbavoor held on 6th July 2022

18. Online Review meeting of Child line support Malappuram was held on 26th July 2022. The meeting discussed about the activities of Child line and the details of Valsalya Mission and the role of Child line. Mr. Muhammed Ali from Child line India Foundation appreciated the efforts taken by Ms. Samna and Ms. Neethu staff of Childline.



Online review meeting of Childline Support Malappuram held on 26th July 2022

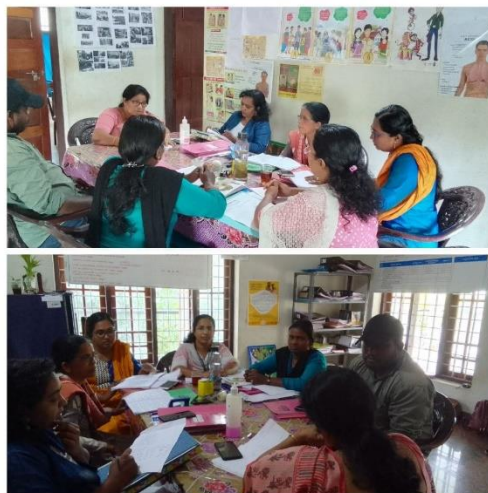
19. Staff meeting of Suraksha Kalamassery was held on 28th July 2022 at 2.00 pm. The meeting discussed about last month's activities and the target achieved and also introduced the newly appointed staff.
20. The Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH attended and presented the activities of Rajagiri outREACH in Live Labs monthly meeting held on 3rd August 2022. The meeting discussed about the importance of Research and Publications and also the importance of collaboration.
21. Rajagiri outREACH staff attended the Two-day workshop on **'Practice Learning and Supervision in Social Work'** at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery on 4th and 5th August 2022. The workshop was organized as an initiative of Rajagiri International Project supported by the International Association of Schools of Social Work (IASSW). The key Resource Person was Prof. Avril McIvor (Director of Practice Learning & Lecturer in Social Work, School of Social & Political Science, University of Edinburgh, UK). Maria Tency, Ligi, George, Ranjith and Jaison participated in the workshop.

Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla felicitated the occasion. Dr. Fr Joseph M.K, Fr Shinto Joseph, shared their experiences.



Valedictory function of the Workshop held on 5th August 2022

22. The Project Director visited Suraksha Perumbavoor office on 8th August 2022 and had conducted staff meeting. The meeting discussed about the target achieved and plan for next month.



Staff meeting of Suraksha, Perumbavoor held on 8th August 2022

23. The Project Director attended stake holders meeting of Kaval Plus, Thrissur on 10th August 2022 at ORC Resource Centre Thrissur.



Stakeholders' meeting of Kaval Plus, Thrissur held on 10th August 2022

24. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, George V.A and Gracious George attended the Project Implementation Committee Meeting of Geojit Financial Services on 26th September 2022 at Geojit office Ernakulam. The meeting discussed about the implementation of the programme during the year 2022-2023.

25. The Project Director attended as a Member of the Selection Committee for the selection of Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Plus Staff on 3rd September 2022 at Thrissur. Member CWC Thrissur, District Women and Child Development Officer, and District Child Protection Officer, Thrissur were also the members of the Selection Committee. Case Worker CSA and Case Worker CNCP were selected. The interview for the Coordinator's post was postponed due to the absence of qualified candidates.
26. Kaval Plus Thrissur Coordinator interview attended on 7th October 2022 at Thrissur. Coordinator Kaval Plus for Rajagiri Thrissur was selected.
27. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla attended the Selection Committee meeting of Ujjwalabalyam Award 2021 at Ernakulam Collectorate Conference hall on 12th October 2022, which was organized by the District Child Protection Office, Ernakulam.



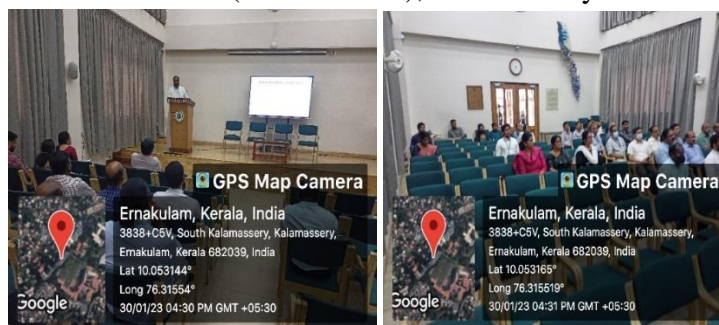
Selection Committee Meeting of Ujjwalabalyam Award 2021 held on 12th October 2022 at Collectorate Conference Hall, Ernakulam

28. The Project Director attended Geojit Financial Services Child Education Scholarship program at Karumaloor and Alangad Panchayats on 15th October 2022.
29. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla attended the High Court Legal Services Committee meeting at High Court Conference hall on 17th October 2022.
30. The Project Director attended the inauguration of Sud-Chemie Child Scholarship program on 21st October 2022 at Community Centre Binanipuram.(Report from Nikitha).
31. The Project Director, visited Suraksha Migrant Project and conducted staff meeting on 2nd January 2023 at Suraksha Office, Perumbavoor. The meeting discussed about last month's activities and the programs planned for January 2023.



Suraksha Migrant Project Perumbavoor Staff meeting held on 02-01-2023

32. The Project Director attended IQAC Meeting on 30th January 2023 at Carmel Hall, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery.



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla attended IQAC meeting of RCSS on 30th January 2023

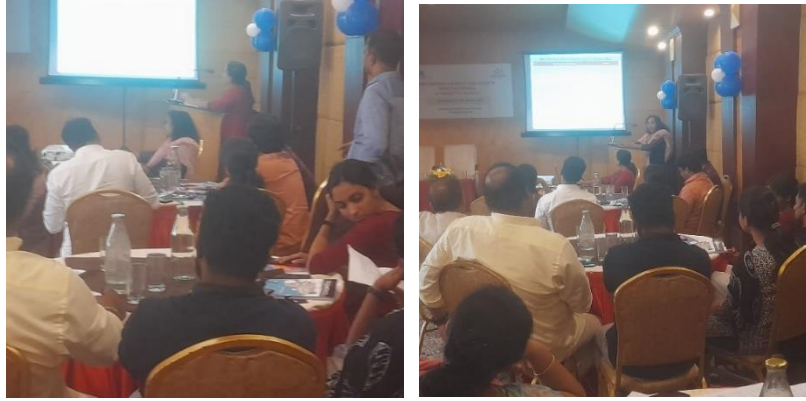
33. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director attended a meeting on Presentation on India’s Non-Profit Sector Report and discussion on the contributions of Non-Profit organizations in India organized by Centre for Public Policy Research at CPPR office Ernakulam on 20th February 2023. Dr. Amitha V. Joseph, Mr. Bose Krishnamachari, Founder Member & President of Kochi Biennale Foundation, Dr. D. Dhanuraj, Chairman, CPPR also had their presentations.



Discussion on the contributions of non-profit organization held at CPPR Office Ernakulam on 20-02-2023

34. Mr. Meena Kuruvilla and Mrs. Maria Tency participated in the **Experience Sharing and Review Meeting (ESRM) of TI Projects of KSACS** held on 15th March 2023 at Maurya Rajadhani Hotel, Thiruvananthapuram. Adv. Sapna Raj, Project Manager of Rajagiri Suraksha Migrant Project, Perumabavoor and Mrs. Ashna, MEA Officer of Rajagiri Suraksha Migrant Project Kalamassery, presented the activities of each project held during the evaluation period.





Rajagiri outREACH Team's participation in the Experience Sharing and Review Meeting (ESRM) of TI Projects of KSACS held on 15th March 2023 at Maurya Rajadhani Hotel, Thiruvananthapuram

35. The Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH took a session on **Child Protection System in India** for the students from VIVES University Belgium and Edinburgh University U.K on 1st March 2023 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery.



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla took session on Child Protection System on 01.03.2023 for students from abroad

36. Rotary Club of Kalamassery invited Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla as a guest to attend the function of the visit of Rotary District Governor at IMA hall Ernakulam on 14th March 2023. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla felicitated in the programme.



Rotary Club Kalamassery meeting held at IMA Hall on 14th March 2023

37. Childline Ernakulam, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences Kalamassery and Rajagiri outREACH jointly organized Training programme on Psychosocial Interventions for Children in Difficult Circumstances for Professionals working in Child Protection System on 27th March 2023 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences Kalamassery. Dr Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Director Childline Nodal Kochi inaugurated the training programme. Dr Fr Shinto Joseph CMI, Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH and Dr Rajeev S.P., Professor, Social Work Department, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences were

the Resource Persons. Thirty professional qualified Social workers attended the program. Mr Charles, Childline Co-ordinator, co-ordinated the programme.



Training Programme on Psychosocial intervention for children in difficult circumstances for professional social workers, organized by Childline Kochi, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and Rajagiri outREACH on 27th March 2023

38. Childline Ernakulam, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences Kalamassery and Rajagiri outREACH jointly organized Training program on Child Protection System on 30th March 2023 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences Kalamassery. Dr Fr.Shinto Joseph Director Childline Nodal Kochi, Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH and Dr. Rajeev, Michael Clinical Psychologist were the Resource Persons. Thirty Social work students from India and abroad attended the program. Mr Charles, Childline Co-ordinator, co-ordinated the program.



Training Programme on child protection System for social work students organized by Childline Kochi, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences and Rajagiri outREACH on 30th March 2023

39. Social Work Department of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences observed World Social work day on 21st March 2023 at 2.00 pm at College Courtyard. Dr Fr Joseph M.K., Head, Department of Social Work inaugurated the program with a message on the importance of Social Work in current Scenario. The Department also honoured all Social workers those who are working in Rajagiri College of Social Sciences including Rajagiri outREACH staff. An interactive session on various topics were also discussed.



Observation of World Social Work Day held on 21-03-2023 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences Organised by Department of Social Work and SWARAJ

40. Mrs. Meena Kuruville, attended the online meeting of Internal Complaints Committee of Rajagiri Hospital on 31st March 2023 at 2.30 pm. The meeting discussed about the activities and awareness session given to the employees of Rajagiri hospital with regard to sexual harassment of women at work place.



Online meeting of Internal Complaints Committee of Rajagiri Hospital held on 31st March 2023

B. Visits

1. **Visit by Dr. George Palattiyil, Head of Department, Edinburg University, U.K. on 11.04.2022 – Evaluation of Internship Students from Edinburg University**

Dr. George Palattiyil, Head of Department, Edinburg University, United Kingdom, visited Rajagiri outREACH on 11.04.2022. Mrs. Meena Kuruville, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, had briefed about the various activities and projects. In the morning Mr. George conducted a field visit to the ODIC Project at Koonammavu accompanied by the International Internship Students and Mr. Tobin Chacko, Area Coordinator of ODIC Project. His next visit was Suraksha Migrant Project at Kalamassery. He had an interactive session on both projects.



Dr. George Palattiyil, Head of Department, Edinburg University, United Kingdom had visited Rajagiri outREACH and it's Project Offices on 11.04.2022

2. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla visited the Directorate of Women and Child Development at Thiruvananthapuram on 14th June 2022 and had a discussion about the Research Study on POCSO Act.
3. Dr. Varoshini Naadesan Ph.D Lecturer, Department of Social Work from the University of Johannesburg visited Rajagiri outREACH office on 1st November 2022. She visited Rajagiri outREACH ODIC and Suraksha office on 2nd November 2022 and held discussions about the possibility of internship at Rajagiri outREACH. She attended the joint meeting with Dr. Saju M.D, Dr. Joseph M.K, Dr. Shinto Joseph, Dr. Kiran Thampi, Mr. Sherin and Mr. Promod on 3rd November 2022.



Dr. Varoshini Naadesan Ph.D Lecturer, Department of Social Work from the University Johannesburg visited Rajagiri outREACH on 1st November 2022

4. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Mr. Ramdas P.D. Accountant and Ms. Arsha jointly visited Social Justice Department Kozhikode for submitting the documents on the project of Rajagiri outREACH CPLI project on 18th November 2022.
5. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Mr. Biju C.P and Mr. Abhijitlal attended an interview conducted by the Revenue Department, Government of Kerala, for the empanelment of State-level Social Impact Assessment Unit for Rajagiri outREACH and Rajagiri College of Social Sciences on 16th December 2022 at the Chief Secretary's Committee Room, Thiruvananthapuram.



Rajagiri outREACH Team attended the interview for empanelment of State-Level SIA unit for Rajagiri outREACH and RCSS on 16.12.2022 at Thiruvananthapuram

6. Ms. Eveline Le Roy and Mr. Frank Van den Bulke from VIVES University of Applied Sciences, Belgium, visited Rajagiri outREACH office on 16th January 2023 and had discussions about the monitoring of internship of Belgium students.



Internship discussion with Faculty from VIVES University Belgium held on 17th January 2023

7. Lumi Sammallahhti from University of Jyväskylä from Finland visited Rajagiri outREACH office on 2nd February 2023 and had discussion about outREACH activities and arranged visits to Suraksha Project Kalamassery and ODIC at Koonammavu.



Visit of Lumi Sammallahhti, University of Jyväskylä, Finland on 02.02.2023 for internship

8. Dr. Fr Shinto Joseph CMI, Assistant Director, Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal, Rajagiri College of Social, Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, Dr. Sabeen Govind and Dr. Rajeev S.P, Faculty of RCSS visited Global Expo on Waste Management Technologies and attended the seminar at Marine Drive, Ernakulam on 4th February 2023. The Global Expo was organized by the Department of Local self-Government and Suchitwa Mission, Government of Kerala. In the Global Expo, different technologies of waste management were exhibited and the seminar discussed about the importance of waste management in Local self-governments, houses, institutions etc.



Rajagiri team visited Global Expo on waste management Technologies on 4th February 2023



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C. Resource Sessions

1. Fr Shinto Joseph CMI, and Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla jointly presented the activities of Rajagiri outREACH before the delegation of Franciscan University of Steubenville, USA, on 4th July 2022.
2. The Project Director conducted a session on the activities of Rajagiri outREACH to the students of Department of Computer Science on 12th July 2022 and Department of Library Sciences, RCSS, on 19th July 2022.
3. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla addressed a session on UN Convention on the Rights of the child, JJ Act, RTE Act and POCSO Act on 22nd and 25th July 2022 for BSW students, RCSS.



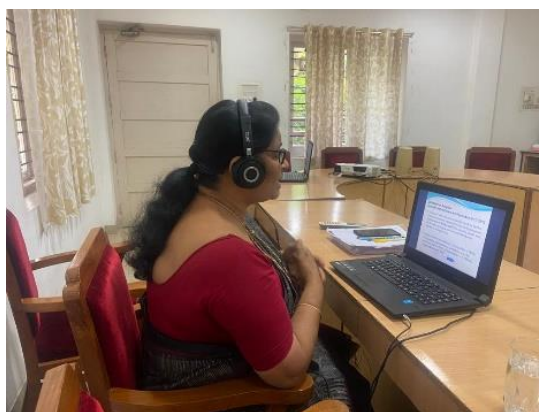
Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla addressed a session on Child Rights and JJ Act for BSW students, RCSS on 22nd July 2022 & a Session on RTE Act & POCSO Act for BSW students, RCSS on 25th July 2022

4. A session on Child Rights and JJ ACT was taken by Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla to the elected representatives of Local Self Governments of Paravoor block on 13th October 2022 at Paravoor block. The Programme was jointly organized by Kerala State Child Rights Commission and the District Child Protection Office, Ernakulam. A total of 60 elected representatives attended the programme.
5. Department of Women and Child Development Govt. of Kerala invited Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla as a Resource Person to take a session on **Adoption Regulation 2022** for all CWC Chairpersons and members in the State of Kerala during their training and the session

was taken on 23rd October 2022 at Thiruvananthapuram. Also took an online session on Adoption Regulations 2022 to all District Child Protection Officers and representatives of Specialized Adoption agencies on 17th October 2022.



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla took a session on Adoption Regulation 2022 for CWC Chairperson and members in the State of Kerala on 23rd October 2022



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla took an online session on Adoption Regulation 2022 for District Child Protection Officers and representatives of Specialized Adoption Agencies on 17th October 2022

6. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, had taken a session on the activities of Rajagiri outREACH for the 1st year BSW students of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences on 29th October 2022.



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla took session on the activities of Rajagiri outREACH for the 1st year BSW Students of RCSS on 17th October 2022

7. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla attended the Parent Management Training programme of Kaval Thrissur and also took a session for the parents on 9th November 2022 at Thrissur. Parents clarified their anxiety and also discussed about the possibility of their well-being.



Parent Management Training held on 9th November 2022 at Thrissur

8. Department of Women and Child Development, ICPS –SARA Government of Kerala invited Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH as an expert in the field of adoption as a Panel Member in adoptive parents get-together organized by State Adoption Resource Agency & Central Adoption Resource Authority, Government of India. A total of 100 adoptive families with their children attended the function. Shri Jagnath Pathi, Director Central Adoption Resource Authority and Smt. Shobha Koshi, Former Chairperson, Kerala State Commission for Protection of Child Rights also felicitated. Smt. Priyanka G. IAS Director Women and Child Development welcomed the gathering. Shri A. Ejas, Honorable Judge, Family Court, Thiruvananthapuram inaugurated the programme on 26th November 2022 at Jawahar Sahakarana Bhavan Thiruvananthapuram.



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla felicitated the event of Adoptive families get together organized by the Department of Women and Child Development, ICPS , ICPS –SARA Government of Kerala on 26th November 2022

9. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla was invited as a Resource Person to take a session on “ **Role of District Magistrate, Child Welfare Committee , DMO, DCPO,SJPU in Adoption Regulation 2022**” organized by Office of the Directorate of Women and Child Development, ICPS-SARA, Govt. of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram and Central Adoption Resource Authority, Govt. of India on 28th November 2022 at Jawahar Sahakarana Bhavan, Thiruvananthapuram as part of sensitizing and capacity building,



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla took a session on adoption for CWC, DCPO, DMO, SJPU, and ADM in the State of Kerala on 28th November 2022 - State-level orientation on Adoption

10. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla took a presentation about the activities of Rajagiri outREACH for the Delegates of Western Sydney University on 30th November 2022 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery.

11. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla was invited by Mission Better Tomorrow, a UNICEF Partnered organization with the Social Policing Division of Kerala Police to handle a session on **Institutionalization as a last Resort** at a two-day brainstorming workshop to initiate a project named **Diversion and Justice Model for Children in Conflict with Law**. The session was taken on 4th January 2023 at Olive Town Hotel, Kadavanthra Ernakulam.



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla handled a session on Institutionalization as the last Resort on 4th January 2023

12. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH delivered a session on “**Case Study of Rajagiri outREACH for Community Health Promotion**” on 13th January 2023 at Rajagiri Valley Campus in an international conference on Health Promotion; Global Perspectives and Practices”



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla handled a session on “Case Study of Rajagiri outREACH for Community Health Promotion” on 13th January 2023 at Rajagiri Valley Campus



Certificate of Appreciation awarded to Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla

13. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, Dr Fr M.K. Joseph, Dr Fr Shinto Joseph, Faculty and Students of the Department of Social Work, RCSS, attended the Health Promotion Programme of Safer is Sexy Programme of INDIA CARES at DYUTI Conference organised by the Department of Social Work of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences on 12th January 2023.



Health Promotion SAFER IS SEXY Program attended on DYUTI Conference on 12th January 2023

D. Seminars/Workshops

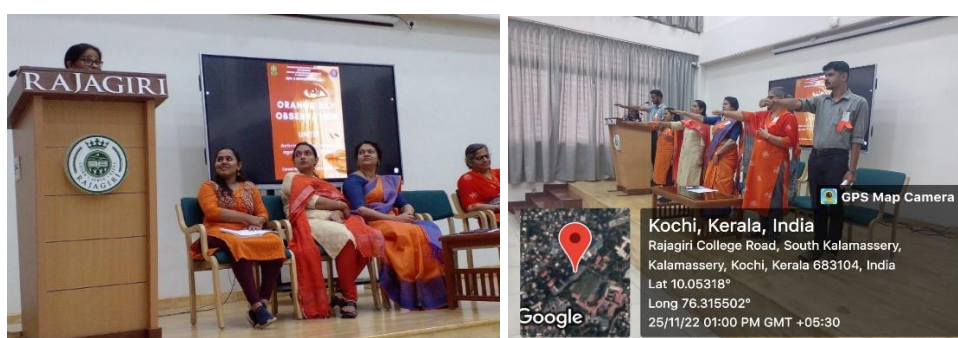
1. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH attended the two-day National Workshop on De-institutionalization and Family based Alternative Care organized by the Department of Women and Child Development, Govt. of Kerala and UNICEF on 27th and 28th September 2022 at Thiruvananthapuram. The meeting discussed and prepared the action plan for the implementation of deinstitutionalization.

Government officials from the states of Bihar, Orissa, Tamilnadu, Uttar Pradesh, officials from UNICEF and officials from Kerala also attended the program.



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla attended the National Workshop on Deinstitutionalization and Family Based Alternative Care on 27th and 28th September 2022 at Thiruvananthapuram organized by the Dept. of Women and Child Development, Government of Kerala & UNICEF

2. Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, National Service Scheme in association with IQAC & Gender Equity Cell organized an event – **Activism to End Violence Against Women & Girls** celebrated as Orange Day on 25th November 2022. Ms. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director of Rajagiri outREACH delivered the keynote address and Dr. Bindiya M Varghese, Additional Coordinator IQAC presided over the function.



Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla delivering the Keynote Address & Observation of Orange Day on 25th November 2022 at RCSS

3. As part of Jal Jeevan Project Rajagiri outREACH organized the inauguration of Jalasree Club and Handwritten Magazine at St. Mary’s Higher Secondary School Morakala in

Kunnathunadu Gram Panchayath on 25th November 2022. Kunnathunadu Gram Panchayat President inaugurated the programme.



Jalasree Club and Kaiezhuthu Magazine inauguration at Morakkala School on 25th November 2022

4. As part of the observance of International Day for the elimination of Violence against Women, Rajagiri Service Providing Centre in association with the Department of Women and Child Development, Govt. of Kerala and ICDS, Edappally organized a seminar on 5th December 2022 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. .Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Assistant Director, RCSS, presided over the function. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla felicitated the function.



Observance of International Day for the elimination of Violence against Women conducted on 05.12.2022

E. Awareness session

1. Mrs. Maria Tency, Senior Donor Officer, Rajagiri outREACH, conducted training for the contract employees of Kancor Ingredients Pvt Ltd., on PoSH policy of the company. Training was given at Kancor Production Unit at Angamaly on 25th July 2022 and at Kancor Coaching Centre, Kalamassery on 27th July 2022. She also attended the online ICC meeting of the company on 28th July 2022.



Mrs. Maria Tency conducted training for the Contract Employees of Kancor Ingredients Pvt. Ltd. on PoSH Policy of the Company on 28.07.2022

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Two-Day Workshop on Practice Learning and Supervision in Social Work

Rajagiri outREACH Staff, Mrs. Maria Tency, Mrs. Ligi V.E., Mr. George V.A., Mr. Ranjith K.U., and Mr. Jaison Varghese, attended the two-day workshop on “**Practice learning and Supervision in Social Work**” jointly organized by the Department of Social Work, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous) and University of Edinburg, U.K. on 4th and 5th August 2022 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery. The key Resource Person was Ms. Avril Mc Ivor from the University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom. Prof. Anna Maria Campanini, President, IASSW, had virtually inaugurated the workshop. The participants got an opportunity to explore the frameworks and theory which formed the process and task of student supervision, particularly related to field work. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, felicitated in the winding-up session.



Rajagiri outREACH Staff attended the Two- day workshop conducted by Ms. Avril Mc Ivor, University of Edinburg, United Kingdom on 4th and 5th August 2022

13. PRAGATI 2022 – Strategic Planning Meeting of Rajagiri outREACH

PRAGATI 2022 – College Community Engagement through Live Labs on Campus

Pre-Planning Meeting of PRAGATI 2022 held on 21.06.2022

The pre-planning meeting of PRAGATI 2022 was held on 21.06.2022. Dr. Fr. Saju M.D.CMI, Dr. Binoy Joseph, Dr. Fr. M.K. Joseph CMI, Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, shared their valuable suggestions and professional perspectives with all the members of the live labs for the preparation of the presentation to be presented on 25.06.2022. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, briefly reviewed the activities of Rajagiri outREACH followed by Rajagiri outREACH Staff presenting their departmental activities.

PRAGATI 2022 – Strategic Planning Meeting held on 25.06.2022

An IQAC Initiative, PRAGATI 2022 was held on 25.06.2022 at Aquatic Island Resort, Kumbalangi. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director and the entire Staff of Rajagiri outREACH had attended the **PRAGATI 2022** – Strategic Planning Meeting of Rajagiri outREACH on 25.06.2022. Rev. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI MPhil, Assistant Director of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences had welcomed the gathering. Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal, RCSS & CEO of Rajagiri outREACH, presided over the meeting. Rev. Fr. Dr. M.K. Joseph CMI and Dr. Sr. Sunirose, Executive Director, Research Institute, RCSS, felicitated.



PRAGATI 2022



Rev. Dr. Fr. Saju M.D., CMI, Associate Director and Vice Principal, RCSS, shared his reflections on each Live Lab's presentation. Mrs. Meena Kuruville presented PRAGATI 2022 for Rajagiri outREACH and later on proposed the vote of thanks.



PRAGATI 2022 Meeting on 25.06.2022

14. Programme conducted regarding Child Marriage Free India - Safe Childhood Safe India Campaign

Rajagiri outREACH in association with the Department of Social Work, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, supported the initiative titled “Child Marriage Free India –Safe Childhood Safe India Campaign” launched by Kailash Satyarthi Children’s Foundation. The primary objective of the campaign is to reduce child marriages by 10% from the current level of 23.3% by end of the campaign in 2025. On 17th October 2022, Seventy Social Work Students along with the Faculty of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, and Staff of Rajagiri outREACH marked this historic event by lighting a candle/dia and pledged to “**End Child Marriage**”, with posters and banners. The event was also part to celebrate the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, India’s 75th Independence where, all children are free, safe, educated, healthy and in school. The photos were uploaded to the websites.



“Child Marriage Free India-Safe Childhood Safe India Campaign” conducted by Rajagiri outREACH in association with the Department of Social Work, RCSS, on 17.10.2022 – An initiative of Kailash Satyarthi Children’s Foundation

An acknowledgement mail was received from Shri. Prasreen Kunnampalli, State Coordinator - Institution Building (Kerala):





“Child Marriage Free India-Safe Childhood Safe India Campaign” conducted by Rajagiri outREACH in association with the Department of Social Work, RCSS, on 17.10.2022 – An initiative of Kailash Satyarthi Children’s Foundation

15. STAFF ANNUAL TOUR 2022-2023

Rajagiri outREACH Staff went on a 2-day Annual Tour to Wayanad, organized by Rajagiri Staff Welfare Association (RSWA) from 17th February 2023 to 19th February 2023. The tour covered tourist destinations viz., Edakkal Caves, Heritage Museum, Kuruva Deep, Banasura Sagar Dam, etc.



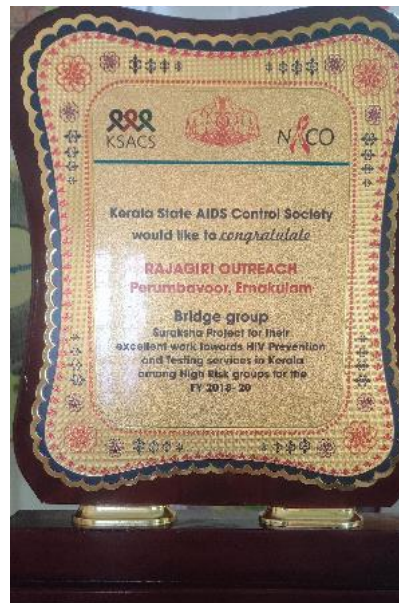
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16. ACCOLADES / AWARDS



Certificate of Membership awarded to Rajagiri outREACH by National NGOs Confederation

Suraksha Migrant Project, Perumbavoor



Rajagiri Suraksha (Migrant) TI Project, Perumbavoor adjudged as the thematic topper among Migrant TI Programme in Kerala State for the year 2021_State Level Function held on 01.12.2022 in Thiruvananthapuram

17. GOVERNING BODY MEETING

General Body Meeting of Rajagiri outREACH

The General Body meeting of Rajagiri outREACH was held on 17th January 2023 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. Fr Benny Nalkara CMI, President, Rajagiri outREACH, presided over the meeting. Dr Fr .Saju M.D, Dr M.K Joseph, Dr Binoy Joseph, Dr Fr Shinto Joseph, Fr.Paul Nedumchalil also attended the meeting.

Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla presented the Annual Report for the year 2021-2022 and Shri Antony P.P, Head Accounts presented the Audited Statements of Accounts for the year 2021-2022 and budget for the year 2022-2023. The general body approved the Audited statements of accounts and Annual report for the year 2021-2022 and the budget of Rajagiri outREACH for the year 2022-2023.



Rajagiri outREACH General Body Meeting held on 17th January 2023

18. MEMBERSHIP / NOMINATION

I. Nomination

1. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, has been nominated as a **Member of the Internal Complaints Committee** w.e.f. 20.06.2022, at the High Court of Kerala constituted under Sexual Harassment of Women at workplace ACT 2013 as per the Notification No A7-107909/2022 dated 28-06-2022 by the High Court of Kerala till 29.01.2023.
2. Rajagiri Hospital, Chunangamvely, Aluva, nominated Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH, to be an **External Member** in the Internal Complaints Committee of Rajagiri Hospital w.e.f. 18.04.2022.
3. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla Project Director, Rajagiri outREACH has been nominated as a **Member** of sub group of "Working Group on Child Development and Nutrition of Kerala State Planning Board" during the year 2022-2023.
4. Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla, has been nominated as the **Member** of the Advisory Committee of Victim Right Centre constituted by the High Court Legal Services Committee.

19. STAFF DETAILS

Staff – Observation of Important Events / Days / Festivals

Onam Celebration

Onam was celebrated on 01.09.2022 and Rajagiri outREACH Staff participated in the Song Competition, Pookalam and other festivities. Rajagiri outREACH had bagged the 1st Prize in Onampattu and Second Prize for Pookalam (Ever Rolling Trophy). Mr. Ranjith K.U. and Mrs. Ligi V.E., were proclaimed Malayalee Maaran and Malayalee Manga respectively. Rajagiri outREACH staff participated in a variety of games and won prizes.





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Observation of Onam on 01.09.2022

Christmas and New Year Celebration

Rajagiri outREACH Staff participated in the Christmas and New Year celebration conducted by RSWA on 03.01.2023. Ms. Jinsha Babu, Case Worker, Rajagiri outREACH Kaval Programme, Ernakulam, won the 1st prize and Ms. Megha, Case Worker, Kaval Plus Programme, won the consolation prize for the Christmas Card Designing Competition, held on 19.12.2022. Rajagiri outREACH Staff participated in the Carol Singing Competition and won consolation prize. Mrs. Maria Tency, Senior Donor Officer, won the Bumper Lucky dip.



Christmas Celebration on 03.01.2023



Christmas Celebration on 03.01.2023

AACSB-accreditation Declaration Ceremony of Rajagiri Business School, Kakkanad, Kochi on 10.12.2022

Rajagiri outREACH Staff attended the prestigious Declaration Ceremony of the AACSB-accreditation of Rajagiri Business School, Kochi at K.E. Auditorium, Rajagiri Valley Campus, Kakkanad, Kochi, on December 10, 2022 from 11.30 a.m. The accreditation ceremony was celebrated in the presence of the Honourable Chief Minister of Kerala, Shri. Pinarayi Vijayan as the Chief Guest. Rajagiri Business School is the first and the only B-school in Kerala and one among the 21 B-schools in India to be AACSB accredited. Rev. Dr. Fr. Benny Nalkara CMI, Provincial, Rev. Dr. Fr. Jose Kuriedath CMI, Director, Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery and Dr. Sunil Puliakat, Director, Rajagiri Business School, Kochi, felicitated during the event.



Pre-Bodhi Session 2023, the curtain raiser Program

Rajagiri outREACH Staff attended the Pre-Bodhi Session 2023, the curtain raiser Program, at RBS Auditorium, Rajagiri Valley Campus, Kakkanad, Kochi, on February 10, 2023 from 3.30 p.m. onwards. Prof. Bhushan Patwardhan, Chairman, NAAC, addressed and interacted with the participants.

Staff Meetings

Rajagiri outREACH Staff meetings were held on 21.06.2022, 25.06.2022, 11.08.2022, 18.10.2022, 16.11.2022, 06.01.2023, 01.03.2023



Staff meeting held on 16.11.2022 at Chavara Hall, RCSS, Kalamassery & Dr. Fr. Saju MD CMI, addressed the Staff Meeting held at Fr. Alex Hall, RCSS, on 06.01.2023



Staff Meeting held at Fr. Alex Hall, RCSS, on 06.01.2023



Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph addressing the Staff Meeting held on 01.03.2023

Observation of Women's Day at Rajagiri on 08.03.2023

Rajagiri outREACH staff, students, faculties and non-teaching staff attended observation of International Women's day 2023 organised by Rajagiri College of Social Sciences on 8th March 2023 at Golden Aureole, Rajagiri Hill campus. Dr Kochurani Joseph was the motivational speaker of the day. Dr Bindiya Varghese IQAC Additional Co-ordinator, Dr Ann Baby Dean Students Affairs, Dr Gigi George NSS Programme Officer, Mrs.Meena Kuruvilla, Project Director felicitated the programme.



Observation of International Women's day held on 8th March 2023 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery



Farewell to Mr. Jithin Xavier on 22.04.2022 & Farewell and Honouring Staff – Mr. Gigin P.S., Social Worker, Rajagiri outREACH on 20.08.2022



Dr. Fr. Saju MD CMI, presented the Memento to Mrs. Linda Chacko in the presence of Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI and Mrs. Meena Kuruvilla



Staff Meeting and Farewell and Memento Presentation to Mrs. Linda Chacko on 06.01.2023

20. OBSERVATION OF IMPORTANT DAYS

➤ INTERNATIONAL WOMEN’S DAY	8 th MARCH
➤ WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY	5 th JUNE
➤ INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION	15 th AUGUST
➤ ONAM CELEBRATION	31 st AUGUST
➤ INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ELDERLY	1 st OCTOBER
➤ CHILDREN’S DAY	14 th NOVEMBER
➤ WORLD AIDS DAY	1 st DECEMBER
➤ WORLD ENERGY CONSERVATION DAY	14 th DECEMBER
➤ CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CELEBRATION	25 th DECEMBER & 1 st JANUARY

21. PUBLICATIONS



Ashaposhini published on October 2022

22. PHOTO GALLERY

Social Impact Assessment Studies of Land Acquisition



Public Hearing- SIA for Land Acquisition for the Construction of Kalady New Bridge in Chelamattom and Kalady Villages of Aluva Taluk in Ernakulam District was held on 07.07.2022



Public hearing Construction of Railway Over Bridge in lieu of Railway L.C. No. 15 between Mulamgunnathukavu and Punkunnam Stations in Pottoor Village, Thrissur Taluk in Thrissur District held at G.P.Hall Kolazhy, Thrissur, on 15.07.2022



Public Hearing- SIA for Land Acquisition for the Road Widening of Ettumanoor – Ernakulam Dangerous Curves in Kannakkari, Kothanloor, Manjoor, Muttuchira, Kadathuruthy and Vadayar Villages in Kottayam District, was held on 29.07.2022



The Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the construction of the Kuttiyadi Bypass in Kozhikode district, was held at Kuttiyadi Grama Panchayat Hall on 25th August 2022



The Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Four Laning of Road from S.N. Junction (Tripunithura) in Ernakulam District on 31st August 2022 from 10:30 am to 1:30 pm at Tripunithura Municipality Hall for the affected people of Nadi/Thekubhagam Village & Construction of Four Laning of Road from S.N. Junction (Tripunithura) to Poothotta in Ernakulam District on 31st August 2022 at Udayamperoor Grama Panchayat Hall from 2:30 pm to 5:30 pm for the people affected in Manakunnam village



Data Collection of SIA for S.N. Junction Road Widening during May 2022



Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Development of Kalasamala Eco Tourism in Kunnumkulam Taluk of Akathiyoor Village in Thrissur District held on 26th September 2022 at 11.00 a.m., at Kalasamala Eco Tourism Hall, Kallayikkunnu



Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Chennamangalam – Mattupuram Bridge and Approach Road in Chennamangalam Village of Paravur Taluk in Ernakulam District, held at HDPY Arts and Science College Hall, Mattuppuram, Ernakulam, on 15.12.2022



Public Hearing of the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Kallumala Railway Over Bridge in Mavelikkara Village of Mavelikkara Taluk in Alappuzha District, held on 17th January 2023 at 11 am at IEM Bible College Hall, Mavelikkara



Public Hearing of Widening of Kannanoor – Chungamannam Road in Kannadi, Kuzhalmannam, Mathur 1 and Mathur 2 Villages of Palakkad and Alathur Taluks in Palakkad District on 16.02.2023 at Grama Panchayat Hall, Mathur, Palakkad

Research, Training and Consultancy

Awareness Seminar on Road Safety & First Aid - OISD 154 Training To Tank Truck Crew of Indian Oil Corporation Ltd. (IOCL) – Irumpanam



Mr. Abhishek, Assistant in IOCL demonstrated how to use a fire extinguisher during the IOCL Training on 23.06.2022 & Live demonstration and practical Sessions



‘One Day Workshop on Effective Waste Management and Water Conservation’ organized under the Co-sponsorship of Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment (KSCSTE) held on 15.11.2022

Child Centered Programmes



Onam Celebration for the Sponsorship Children of Manjilas at Kottekad on 02/09/22



Group discussion session during Children's Day Celebration of Child Sponsorship Programme of Manjilas at Alathoor, Nemmara on 19.11.2022



Game Session for CUMI Sponsorship Children held on 21.05.2022



Orientation Program on Spoken English Training on 15.08.2022 for CUMI Sponsorship Children



PSC Training Orientation for CUMI Sponsorship Children on 24th September 2022



25/09/2022 CUMI ASK CENTRE Launching Program at Koratty



Children's day celebration program conducted at CUMI ASK CENTRE, Koratty on 27/11/2022



Pothanikkad Onam Celebration & Pookalam-Floral Arrangement by Geojit Sponsored Children on 03.09.2022



Career Guidance and Life Skill Training conducted at Paingottoor on 12.11.2022



Planting of Mango Saplings by Geojit Sponsorship Children in Budhannur



Distribution of mango samplings to the Geojit Sponsorship Children at Perumanna on 14.08.2022



Onam celebration and Onasadhya at Perumanna Panchayat for the Geojit Child Sponsorship on 11/09/2022



Onam Celebration at Vadakarapathy, on 03.09.2022



Launching Ceremony at Karumalloor Grama Panchayat on 15.10.2022 & Distribution of Mango Sapling MY TREE MY FRUIT to the Geojit Sponsorship Children at Karumalloor on 05.11.2022



Session on Career Guidance, Life Skill training and Innovative Text Book Distribution to the Sponsorship Children of Geojit at Karumalloor Grama Panchayat on 03.12.2022



Child Sponsorship Programme launched at Alangad Grama Panchayat on 15th October 2022



“My Tree my Fruit” Mango Sapling distribution at Alangad for Geojit Sponsorship Children inaugurated by GP President Sri. M. Manaf on 19.11.2022



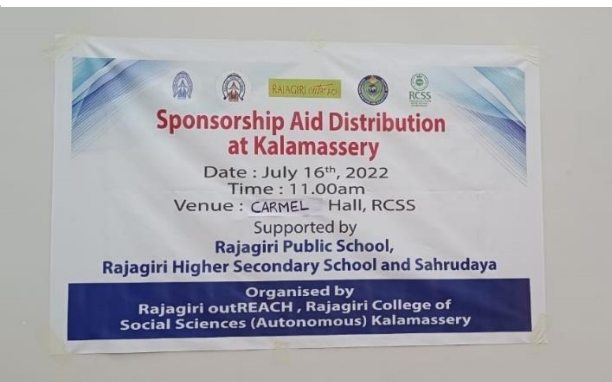
Study Material Distribution to Sponsorship Children at Kripa Chunangamvely on 20th May 2022



Children’s meeting at Kripa Chunangamvely 13th August 2022



Onam celebration of Sahrudaya Sponsorship Children at Chavara Hall, RCSS, on 15.09.2022



Child Sponsorship Aid Distribution at RCSS, Kalamassery on 16.07.2022



Viswajyothi Sponsorship Children Onam Celebration at Viswajyothi Kindergarten Auditorium on 06.09.2022



School Stationary Distribution to the students at Nilampathinjimugal, Kakkanad under the sponsorship of RSET on 18/06/2022



Child Sponsorship program in Kakkanad on 23rd July 2022 in the Samudhayam Hall of Kannankeri colony conducted by Rajagiri outREACH Internship Students from the Department of Psychology, RCSS



Child Sponsorship Programme “Lanterns 2022” at Kakkanad supported by Transcend, on 03.04.2022



Summer Souhrudam Camp at Kakkanad on 28.05.2022



Cultural Activities during the Souhrudam Camp at Kakkanad



Observation of Children's Day on 18.11.2022 at Kakkanad for the students under the sponsorship of Transcend & Distribution of Educational Aid to TdH Denmark Sponsorship Children at Edavanakkad on 22.04.2022



Children's Meeting at Aniyal Kadappuram, Edavanakkad on 02.08.2022 & Parents Meeting conducted at Aniyal Kadappuram, Edavanakkad on 29.10.2022



Session on screen addiction among adolescents on 30th April 2022 at Kunnathunadu, under Kinder for Kinder Sponsorship



Summer Souhrudam Camp at Kunnathunadu on 20th and 21st May 2022 – Kinder for Kinder Sponsorship



Tour Programme for the sponsored children at Kunnathunadu on 31.05.2022 supported by Kinder for Kinder



Visit by Mr. David Studwell and his wife Mrs. Kathleen Mulligan on 25.02.2023 – Sponsor of Merlin Benny, student under the Child Education Scholarship Programme



Smt. Meena Kuruvilla inaugurated the function along with Smt. Sunitha Kumari, Master Shyam & Kumari Sneha on 21.10.2022

CRECHE



Visit to Kunjattukara Crèche in Ernakulam on 28.03.2023 & Visit to Ezhupunna South Crèche, Alappuzha

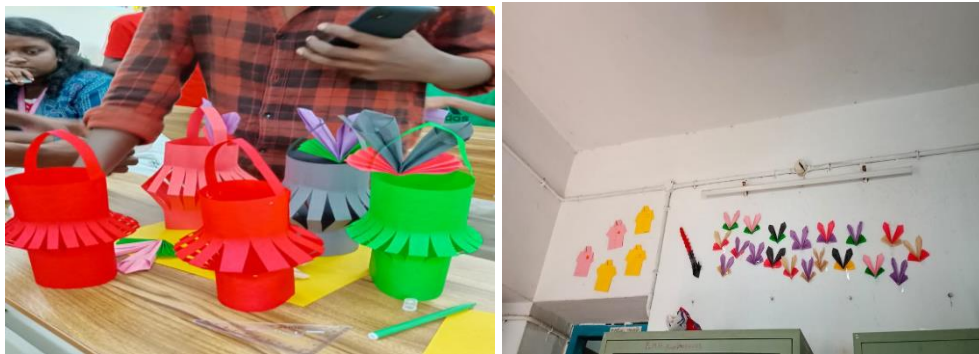
Outreach Drop In Centre (ODIC)



Human Rights Day Programme at St. Paul's College in collaboration with Sakhi One Stop Centre and District Legal Service Authority, 09/12/2023 & Two-day Residential Camp at Kuttampuzha Tribal boys hostel – 23/10/2022 & 24/10/2022



Two-day Residential Camp at Kuttampuzha Tribal boys' hostel – Wall painting activity on 24/10/2023



Arts and crafts activity, 24/10/2023



Life Skill Training session at Government High School, Edappally, 24/09/2022



Awareness session for the adolescent group from Moolampilly Church, 09/10/2022

Community based Peer-Led Intervention (CPLI)



Implementation of Mission LiFE – Waste Reduced at CPLI in Kozhikode with the cooperation of Kudumbashree team on 17th November 2022



CPLI conducted Mission LiFE: Healthy Lifestyles Adopted on 17.11.2022 at Feroke Municipality



Educative Session for Peer Educators (PEs) for the year 2022 – 2023 & Awareness Class: 'Importance of Interpersonal Relationships' conducted at Kasthurba Anganwadi – Centre 92, Feroke on 26th January 2023



Orientation about CPLI – Feroke and its functioning to the ICDS members of Feroke Municipality on 1st December 2022 & Awareness Class: Self Esteem and Body Image held on 13.03.2023

Kaval Programme at Ernakulam



Kaval Community Program on 15.03.2023

Kaval Plus Programme at Ernakulam



District level Training programme conducted for Kaval Plus staff at DLSA, Ernakulam on 21/01/2023

Programmes for Women Empowerment



Fund Collection at Annamanada and Nadathara during May 2022 & Fund collection at Meloor –August 2022



Follow up visit at Annamanada & Visiting shop of Women Beneficiary -Meloor Panchayat during May 2022



House visits at Annamanada on 28.07.2022



Field Visits conducted on 28.09.2022 at Annamanada for assessing the Women Entrepreneurs



Session on “Sustainable Development” conducted for the Women Beneficiaries at Meloor Panchayat, by Mr. Varghese Paul, Trainer in Thrissur District on 23rd May 2022



Observation of Yoga Day at Mellor on 22.06.2022 for Women Beneficiaries of K.P. Paul Foundation



Display of Flags stitched by the Women Beneficiaries of K.P. Paul Foundation during July 2022



K.P. Paul Foundation 16th Phase inauguration and Fund Distribution to the Women Beneficiaries at Kadukutty Panchayat in Thrissur District on 27th January 2023



One-day training on Mushroom cultivation at RCSS on 15.03.2023 supported by Sud-Chemie India Pvt. Ltd.

Programmes for Elders



Vegetable kit distribution for Onam on August 2022



Onam Celebration at Kothad Elderly Day Care Centre during August 2022



Inauguration of Community Mental Health Centre at Kothad Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens on November 23rd 2022 at Sacred Heart Parish Hall, Kothad





Get-together and Boat Yatra organized with the support of Sri. Benny Kuttickal in connection with the visit of Bishop Hermen Gletter, Diocese of Innsbruck from Austria, on 11.01.2023 – Kothad Elderly Day Care Centre



New Year Celebration at Kothad Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens on 25.01.2023



Day Home Friendly Meeting held on Wednesday, June 1st 2022 at Binanipuram Elderly Day Care Centre & Onam Celebrations at Day Care Centre for Senior Citizens, Binanipuram 6th September 2022 supported by Sud Chemie



Observation of International Day of Older Persons 'VAYOVANDANAM' held at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS), Kalamassery on 01.09.2022



Observation of International Day for the Older Persons at Edavanakkad on October 02, 2022



Distribution of cheques for the income generation activity on April 19, 2022 - SHG for Senior Citizens



Tour programme with Day care members of Sud Chemie India Pvt. Ltd.



Community Mental Health Centre Inauguration at Kadamakudy on November 25th 2022

Programmes for Environment – Natural Resource Management

Keezhmadu Waste Management Project



Waste management Survey at Ward 10-26/05/2022 & Survey at Ward 7-06/06/2022



Waste management survey at ward 12-27/05/2022



Rajagiri outREACH interns sharing their evaluation from survey - 28/05/2022 & Home Visit by Interns on 11/02/2023



Sponsored note books for Haritha Karma Sena from Rajagiri outREACH on 12/08/2022

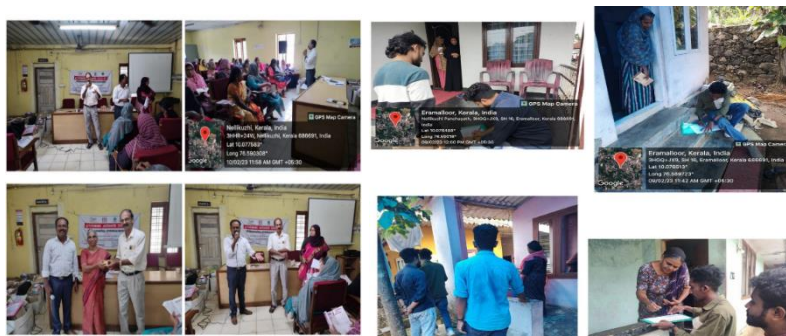
URJAKIRAN 2022-2023 - Energy Conservation Campaign



Urjakiran Rally and Signature Campaign on 17/12/2022



Energy Conservation Workshop organized at Mulanthuruthy Grama Panchayath on 7th February 2023



Social Work interns of Rajagiri outREACH participated in a home based Energy Conservation Survey and ward level awareness programme held on 10.02.2023

ORGANIC FAIR 2022
17th Organic Fest – 10th to 12th April 2022



Organic Fair 2022 – April 9th to 12th 2022

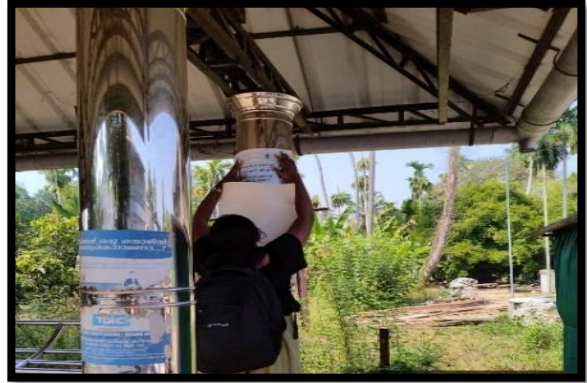


Organic Fair 2022 – April 9th to 12th 2022

Jal Jeevan Mission Project



Students and MGNREGA workers of Kunnathunadu Grama panchayat cleaning the canal and nearby areas & School buildings of Kunnathunadu GP painted with Jal Jeevan mission project messages and images



Notices and Posters disseminated at various locations of the panchayat

Programmes for Community Health
Suraksha Migrant Project @ Perumbavoor and Kalamassery



Best Project Award: Award Ceremony and Honouring of Suraksha Migrant Project, Perumbavoor during World HIV/AIDS Day observation at Thiruvananthapuram on 01.12.2022



Candle lighting programme



Medical Camps organized in various congregation points

Group Sessions in various Congregation points



BPCL Project “Ban Single-Use Plastic Campaign”
From 01.07.2022 to 15.07.2022





Awareness Campaign at St. Joachim's High School, Kaloor on 8th July 2022

Pokkali Fest



Mangrove Sapling Planting Workshop on 28.08.2022



Planting of Mangrove Saplings in Collaboration with the Department of Social Forestry on 02.02.2023

International Millets Day Celebration

Millet Distribution and Sowing Festival at Kanjoor Grama Panchayat on 28.02.2023

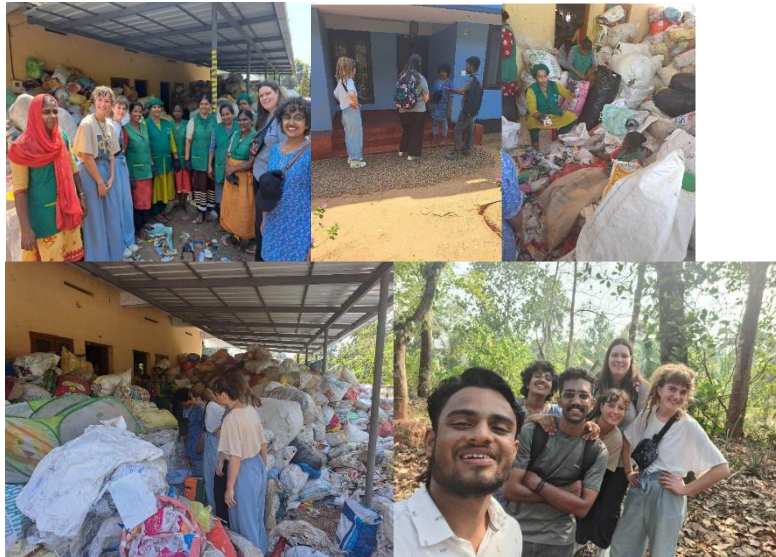


Student Internship

Introduction of 1st MSW RCSS Internship Students to Kudumbashree Chairperson at Edavanakkad on 14.10.2022



Edavanakkad Kudumbashree office meeting with Rajagiri MSW Students on 14-10-2022



Visited Waste Management Project at Keezhmadu on 14th February 2023



Interns coordinating awareness class on human rights at St. Paul's College, Kalamassery on 9-12-2022 & Christmas celebration for Women Entrepreneurs at Meloor on 19-12-22



Interns participating in Harvest festival at Kanjoor Paddy fields on 7-12-22 & Sharing their experience in participating in harvest festival at Kanjoor through a local news channel



Orientation of Haritha Karma mission and Family Counselling orientation on 7-11-22 & assisted in Children's Day programme with the ODIC Team in the Kadamakudy panchayat Anganwadi on 14-11-22



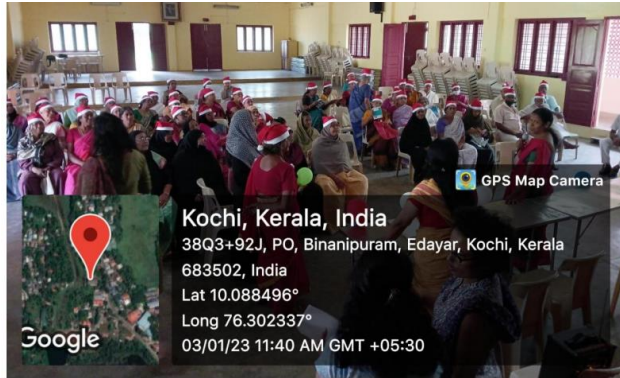
RCSS BBA Interns briefed on Haritha Karma Sena Waste Management Project at Keezhmadu & Performed during ODIC Street Play in Varapuzha Market



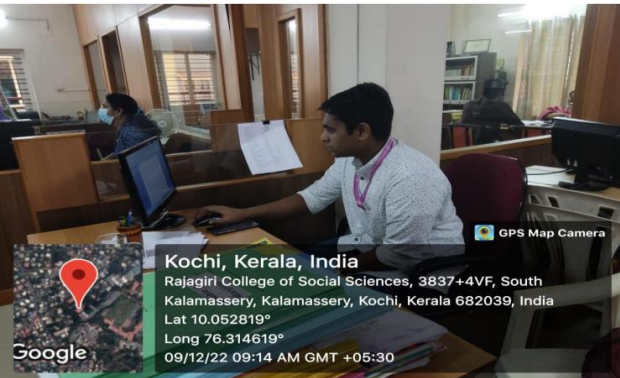
Interns at St. George HSS Puthenpilly along with ODIC Team on 14-9-2022 & Performed Street play and flash mob along with students and staff on 20-12-2022



Rajagiri outREACH Staff and Interns conducted survey at Binanipuram for the CSR project on 13-12-2022 & Practiced for the Street Play at Keezhmadu Grama Panchayat Community Hall to be conducted at the Keezhmadu UP School on 16-12-2022



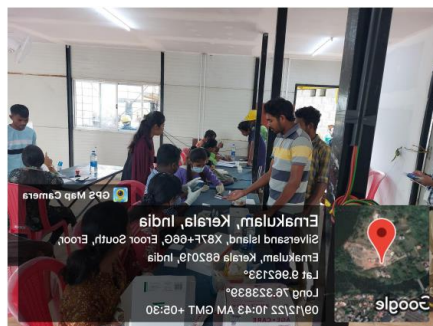
Christmas Celebration at FACT School at Eloor on 23-12-2022 & New Year Celebration at Binanipuram Elderly Day Care Centre on 03.01.2023



RCSS Social Work Department Intern's Orientation at Suraksha Migrant Project, Kalamassery on 08-12-2022 & Field Work Report at Rajagiri outREACH Office on 09.12.2022



RCSS Social Work Department Intern participated in the game to understand the importance of saving money on 22-12-2022 & Christmas Celebration in Edavanakkad Community Hall on 28.12.2022



Orientation about Rajagiri outREACH Family Counselling Centre on 27-12-22 & Field work set out in Suraksha labour camp in Thaikodam, Vytilla on 9-12-2022



RCSS MSW International Intern assisted in the Summer Camp at Binanipuram on 04.05.2022 & on 10.05.2022 along with other interns



RCSS MSW International Intern assisted in the Awareness Session on Science and Media on 16.05.2022 & Case Study at Anganwadi at Edapaddy on 30.05.2022



Participated in Child Education Sponsorship Programme at Govt. High School, Valiyazheeckal on 16.05.2022 & Survey at Thottumugam, Keezhmadu Waste Management Project on 03.06.2022



Rajagiri outREACH Interns participated in World Environment Day on 04.06.2022 conducted by Rajagiri College of Social Sciences Campus & at CUMI Ask Centre, Karmakendra on 05.06.2022



Orientation by Dr. Francis, HOD, Department of Library Science, RCSS, on 09.06.2022 & Practice of street play and awareness class as a part of Jal Jeevan Mission Project on 10-1-2023



Interns performed Street play in Udumbanoor Panchayat of Idukki District (Jal Jeevan Mission Project) on 12-01-2023 & ODIC Orientation during May 2022



International Day for Elderly Day Care Centre conducted at Araya Samudaya K Ashema Sangam Hall, Kootungalchira, Edavanakkad Panchayat on 01.10.2022 & House visits on 07.10.2022



House Visits to Child Education Scholarship Students at Edavanakkad on 29.10.2022 & Conducted PRA on 26.11.2022



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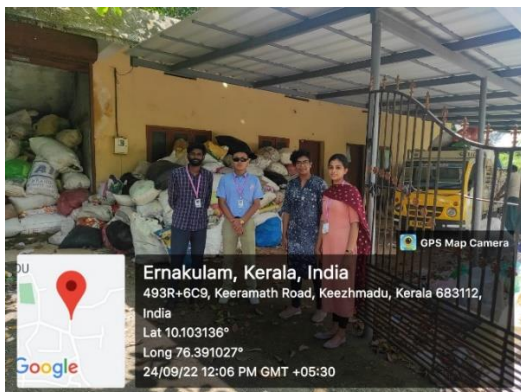


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Inauguration of the Jalashree Club at St Mary's HSS School, Morakkala on 25.11.2022 & Street Play performed at Vagamon Road on 03.12.2022

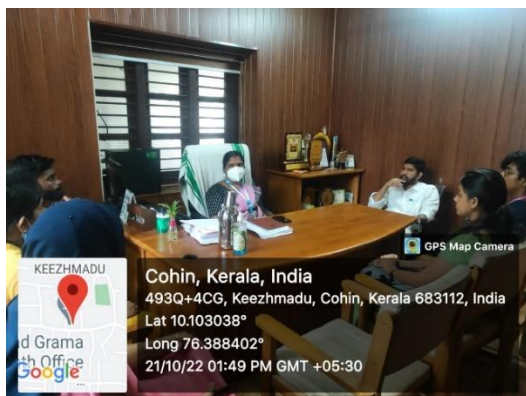


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RCSS 1 Semester MSW Interns visited the Material Collection Facility, Keezhmadu on 24.09.2022 & House Visits on 30.09.2022

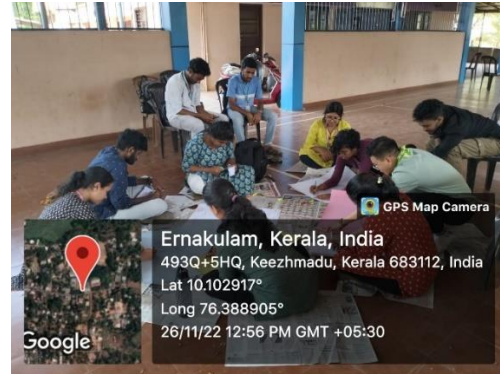


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Meeting with Panchayat President, Keezhmadu on 21.10.2022 & Meeting with Members of Haritha Karma Sena and Suchitwa Mission on 05.11.2022



Rally conducted under the banner of Effective Waste Management and against drug abuse on 12.11.2022 & conducted various PRA tools in the community for evaluation and analyzing the community in Keezhmadu on 26.11.2022



Orientation by Dr. Fr. Shinto Joseph CMI, Assistant Director, RCSS to the new Interns on 23.05.2022



Interns from RCBS, Kakkanad – ODIC Field Work on 20.12.2022 & Christmas Carol Rehearsal on 21.12.2022



Interns from Agriculture University on 24.09.2022 and LISSAH College, Kozhikode on 07.10.2022



Session on Childline, RCSS for Interns on 20.05.2022



RCSS BSW Interns attended Awareness Programme at Suraksha Migrant Project & Library visit by intern on 13.07.2022



House visits to Pakalvedu at Binanipuram on 28.07.2022 & Orientation on Rajagiri outREACH by Ms.Penny, Internship Coordinator on 27.06.2022



Orientation on Child Education Scholarship Programme by Mr. George on 28.06.2022 & Mrs. Ligi on 29.06.2022



Orientation on Kaval Plus by Ms. Tessy and Mr. Unni & Orientation on Rajagiri outREACH Activities



Visit to Fr. Moses Library, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery on 30.06.2022 & Awareness program on substance abuse at St. George School, Puthanpalli held on 12.07.2022



World Youth Skills Day Cultural Programme at Chavara Hall on 15.07.2022 organized by DDU-GKY (Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana) & Rehearsal of mime at Basket Ball Court, RCSS on 22.07.2022



Interns helping the elderly for cooking during the Elderly Day Care Programme on 12.04.2022 & Assisted in Organic Fair 2022



Law Interns participated in Rajagiri Childline's class and campaign on the importance of prevention of child labor for the people at Malayatoor Church on 13.04.2022



Participated in Child Education Scholarship Programme in Njarackal on 16.04.2022 & Inaugration of Mangrove Nursery at Nayarambalam on 16.04.2022



Orientation by Mr. Jule of Suraksha Migrant Project, Kalamassery on 28.04.2022 & Interns of 2nd BSc Psychology, RCSS Interaction with Children in Anganwadi at Karothukuzhi on 23.07.2022




Webinar organized for children in the Ernakulam & Alappuzha region through online technology on 03.05.2022

കാക്കത്തുരുത്ത് പാലം: സാമൂഹികാഘാത പഠനം തുടങ്ങി

പാലം നിർമ്മാണവുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട സാങ്കേതിക നടപടികൾ അവസാനിച്ചു

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Expert Committee Meeting on the SIA Report for the Land Acquisition for the Construction of Kakkathuruthu Bridge in Ezhupunna Village in Alappuzha, held on 13.02.2023

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പഹരി വിരുദ്ധ മനുഷ്യശൃംഖല

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പഹരിക്കെതിരെ അതിഥിത്തൊഴിലാളികൾ മനുഷ്യശൃംഖല തീർത്തു

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“Say No Drugs Campaign” by RCSS Interns

വിവാഹിതർക്കെതിരെ ക്രിമിനൽ കോളേജിലെ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾ

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Pokkali Festival at Nayarambalam, Vypin –Rajagiri outREACH in collaboration with Department of Library Science, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), conducted Pokkali Fest on 27.07.2022



Ramuni Paniker Higher Education Scholarship Distribution on 25.02.2023



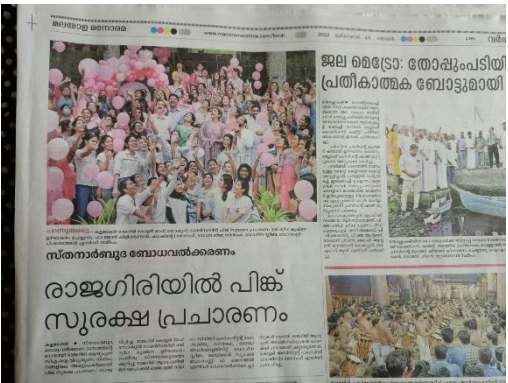
Gejit Child Sponsorship Programme at Alangad Grama Panchayat on 15.10.2022



Kochi Water Metro Yatra and Christmas Celebration at the Elderly Day Care Centre during November and December 2022



Urjakiran News for Video Contest on 04.01.2023 & Urjakiran Energy Conservation Workshop on the topic "Lifestyle and Energy Efficiency" held on 10.02.2023



Urjakiran Rally Campaign & Rajagiri Pink Suraksha Campaign



ജൽജീവൻ മിഷൻ പദ്ധതിയുടെ ഭാഗമായി കോളേജിലെ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾ അഭാവത്തിലുള്ള തൈവൃക്ഷങ്ങൾ

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രാജഗിരി കോളേജിലെ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾ തൈവൃക്ഷ നടപടിക്ക് അവതരിപ്പിച്ചു

കളമശ്ശേരി കോളേജ് സർക്കാരിന്റെ ജൽജീവൻ മിഷൻ പദ്ധതിയുടെ ഭാഗമായി കോളേജിലെ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾ തൈവൃക്ഷ നടപടിക്ക് അവതരിപ്പിച്ചു. കൂടുതൽ പങ്കാളിയായി പങ്കെടുക്കാൻ കോളേജിലെ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്ക് അവതരിപ്പിച്ചു. കൂടുതൽ പങ്കാളിയായി പങ്കെടുക്കാൻ കോളേജിലെ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്ക് അവതരിപ്പിച്ചു.

Greens nurture mangroves for protection of coastline
Initiative aims at minimising the impact of climate change

A group of nature lovers at Neyyambalam near Vypeen in Ernakulam are a step ahead to plant mangroves as a bio-defence against the impact of climate change on the fragile coastal region. The 20-year-old active members of 'Greenroute', an environmental organisation, have launched an initiative to plant mangroves as a bio-defence against the impact of climate change on the fragile coastal region. The 20-year-old active members of 'Greenroute', an environmental organisation, have launched an initiative to plant mangroves as a bio-defence against the impact of climate change on the fragile coastal region.



Volunteers planting seedlings in bamboo cups at Saturday as part of the launch of an exclusive nursery for mangroves at Neyyambalam in Ernakulam.

Jal Jeevan Mission – Flash Moby by Interns of RCSS & Grass Route – An initiative for minimizing the impact of Climate Change



എന്നിവർ പങ്കെടുത്തു. വെള്ളത്തിന്റെ വികാസത്തിൽ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്കായി ക്ലബ്ബിന്റെ അധ്യക്ഷനായി, കോളേജിലെ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്കായി ക്ലബ്ബിന്റെ അധ്യക്ഷനായി, കോളേജിലെ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്കായി ക്ലബ്ബിന്റെ അധ്യക്ഷനായി.

Observation of Children's Day for the Sponsorship Children at Edavanakkad



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Newspaper clipping of the Inauguration and Valedictory Programme on “Ban Single-use Plastic Campaign” in collaboration with Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited, Malayala Manorama, Rajagiri outREACH and Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), during July 2022

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