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DAYASAGAR

(A Premier State Level NGO)

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BACKGROUND :

The “**DAYASAGAR**” is a Socio-Economic Voluntary Non-Govt. Organization of Assam which was Registered on 14th June, 2001 under Societies Registration Act XXI of 1860, Vide Registration No.- RS/ KAM/ 240/ L/ 102 of 2001-2002.

As the Society is a Socio-Economic Voluntary Organization, it has been working since its inception i.e. 2001 in the field of all-round development of poor and downtrodden people, particularly women, in pursuance of the Main Aim and Objectives for which the Society was constituted.

VISION :

The Vision of the organization is a Nation of healthy, wealthy and wise people.

MISSION :

The Mission of the organization is to contribute towards building the Nation by Empowering Human Resources.

The following activities were performed in the aspect of all-round social development during the year-2013-14.

01. SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME :

A Skill Development Programme was organized by “**DAYASAGAR**” for 30 days 1st June, 2013 to 30th June, 2013 at our Institute of Training at 31, Swahid Path, Survey, Guwahati-28, under Kamrup district of Assam. The programme was attended by 40 persons from different areas. The programme was aimed at to make the educated youth aware of self-employment, employment generation and job opportunity through skill development. Resource persons from District Industries Centre, and reputed Institutions of Guwahati were invited during the programme. Resource

persons discussed and explained about different trades like handicrafts, handloom, repairing of mobile, computer, radio, diesel engine etc. and further explained about the benefits of these skill developments. The programme had a good impact on the participants who termed it as highly successful.



02. FINANCIAL HELP TO POOR STUDENTS :

During the financial year-2013-14, “**DAYASAGAR**” has financially help 21 nos. of poor & needy students those who performed brilliant result in HSLC & HS Examination for their future studies. The NGO has given Rs.-10,000/- each students for purchasing books and other learning materials. The NGO has an aim to help poor & needy students of every year.

03. **TAILORING, EMBROIDERY, CUTTING AND KNITTING TRAINING PROGRAMME :**

A Workshop cum Training Programme on Embroidery, Cutting and Knitting was conducted by the “**DAYASAGAR**” for 3 (three) days from 15th July, 2013 to 17th July, 2013 at our Institute of Training under Kamrup (M) district of Assam to promote women entrepreneurship in the area. A total of 40 female participated in the programme. The programme was facilitated by the experts from District Industries Centre & Commerce (DICC) and Handloom & Textiles. Modern technique of embroidery, cutting and knitting along with marketing of the products etc. were taught during the programme. The experts highlighted about different schemes and programmes of Central and State Governments through which tailoring sector can be developed and unemployment problem can be solved. The programme reflected the importance of skill-upgradation in day to day life of women and was successful in motivating the trainees.



O4. WOMEN & CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

Women consists a considerable part in the society and their safeguard and well being needs to be looked into. To encourage women in various fields of the society and to improve their living condition and also of the disadvantaged children, the “**DAYASAGAR**” has organized a 3 days long Women and Child Development programme from 17th August, 2013 to 19th August, 2013 at Survey, Guwahati under Kamrup (M) district of Assam. A total 107 women and 75 children participated in the programme. The programme was facilitated by Resource persons from Women & Child Development Department, Rural Hospital, and Block Development Office. Empowerment of women, women education, and health related issues were the topics of the programme. Further, resource persons also discussed about development of disadvantaged children in the society, eradication of child labour, development of street and working children and their rehabilitation. The programme was useful to the participants and was successful in the area.



O5. EDUCATION AWARENESS PROGRAMME :

An education awareness programme was conducted by the “**DAYASAGAR**” for 2 (two) days collaborating with the local student union on 15th September, 2013 & 16th September, 2013 at Madhukuchi village under Kamrup (M) district of Assam.. 130 boys and girls students from different schools participated in the programme. 3 teachers each from Govt. schools and Private school were engaged as resource persons in the programme. Focus on quality education; modern education, technical education etc. were the topics of the programme. Besides, a literacy campaign was also performed in the remote villages in association with the members of student union. Leaflets on importance of education in modern society and other topics were distributed during campaign. The organization also conducted a programme on mathematics competition, study tour and games & sports among the students. The President of the society distributed prizes to the successful students and scholarships to the meritorious students on the closing day of the programme. The programme was useful and highly appreciated.



O6. LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME :

Development of livestock and wasteland has become equally important for the rural people in the state to generate their income through rearing of livestock, plantation, fishery farming etc. Considering the importance of the programme, the **“DAYASAGAR”** in association with the staff of the Agriculture and Veterinary Departments organized a programme for three days from 17th October, 2013 to 19th October, 2013 at Madhukuchi village under Kamrup (M) district of Assam. 200 villagers including 50 female from different villages of the Blocks joined the programme. Methods of developing grassland for rearing livestock and wasteland for plantation, fishery farming, irrigation etc. were the main theme of the programme. The participants were fully motivated by the valuable talks of the resource persons. In the presidential speech, the president of the Society emphasized the need of developing wasteland for rearing livestock and economic development through fishery farming and plantation. The programme was found very useful by the participants as it opens a new way of income generation.

O7. PLANTATION PROGRAMME :

The **“DAYASAGAR”** has organized a plantation programme on 1st January, 2014 at Chhaygaon under Kamrup (R) district of Assam in connection with **“New Years Day”**. About 250 people participated in the programme. Resource persons were engaged from the concerned Forest Division and reputed NGOs. Awareness programme on raising nursery, tree plantation, control of soil erosion, environment and eco-development, plantation of medicinal plants etc. were created during the programme.

Besides, roadside plantation was done during the programme. Saplings of different species of forest and medicinal plants were distributed free of cost to the participants. The resource persons also emphasized on Joint Forest Management Committee (JFMC) through which forest can be saved and sustainable income can be generated. The programme was useful and successful.

08. FRUITS & VEGETABLE PROCESSING TRAINING :

Every day a considerable amount of fruit, food and vegetable is waste away in the country which caused a heavy loss to the farmers. This is due to lack of storage facilities and awareness among the farmers about processing of these products. To save these food stuff and make the people aware of the processing of these food stuff, the **“DAYASAGAR”** has conducted a programme on fruits & vegetable processing training for 5 days from 5th February, 2014 to 9th February, 2014 at Survey, Guwahati under Kamrup (M) district of Assam. It is observed that due to lack of Cold Storage and preservative system, fruits and vegetable in the district and state could not be preserved and as a result surplus out of daily sale of fruits and vegetable are destroyed. The programme was conducted with the assistance of the staff of Agriculture and Horticulture and was attended by 50 male and 40 female farmers. The importance of fresh fruits and green vegetable for human health, preservation of food, fruit and vegetable and its processing were the main topics of the programme. Need of cold storage was the special focus of the programme. The programme had a good impact to the participants and was successful.

09. CONDUCTING TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR GRASSROOT WORKER:

During the financial year-2013-14, **“DAYASAGAR”** has conducted the following activities in addition.

- i. **Training for Grassroots workers on Water Quality Issues, Water Testing through Field Testing Kit (FTK), vials etc. – 10,015 nos. of Trainees (covering all districts) -1 day training of each batch.** Water Quality Issues & Water Testing Training Programme (all the three training programmes)

was inaugurated on 12th May, 2013 in our Institute. The Training Module was designed and accordingly training was imparted both in theory & practical batch by batch and was completed within the target date of 31st July 2013.



- ii. **Training of Grassroot workers for Mason -989 nos. Trainees (covering all districts) – 2 days training of each batch.** The Training was imparted both theory & practical training batch by batch and was completed within the 31st March 2014.

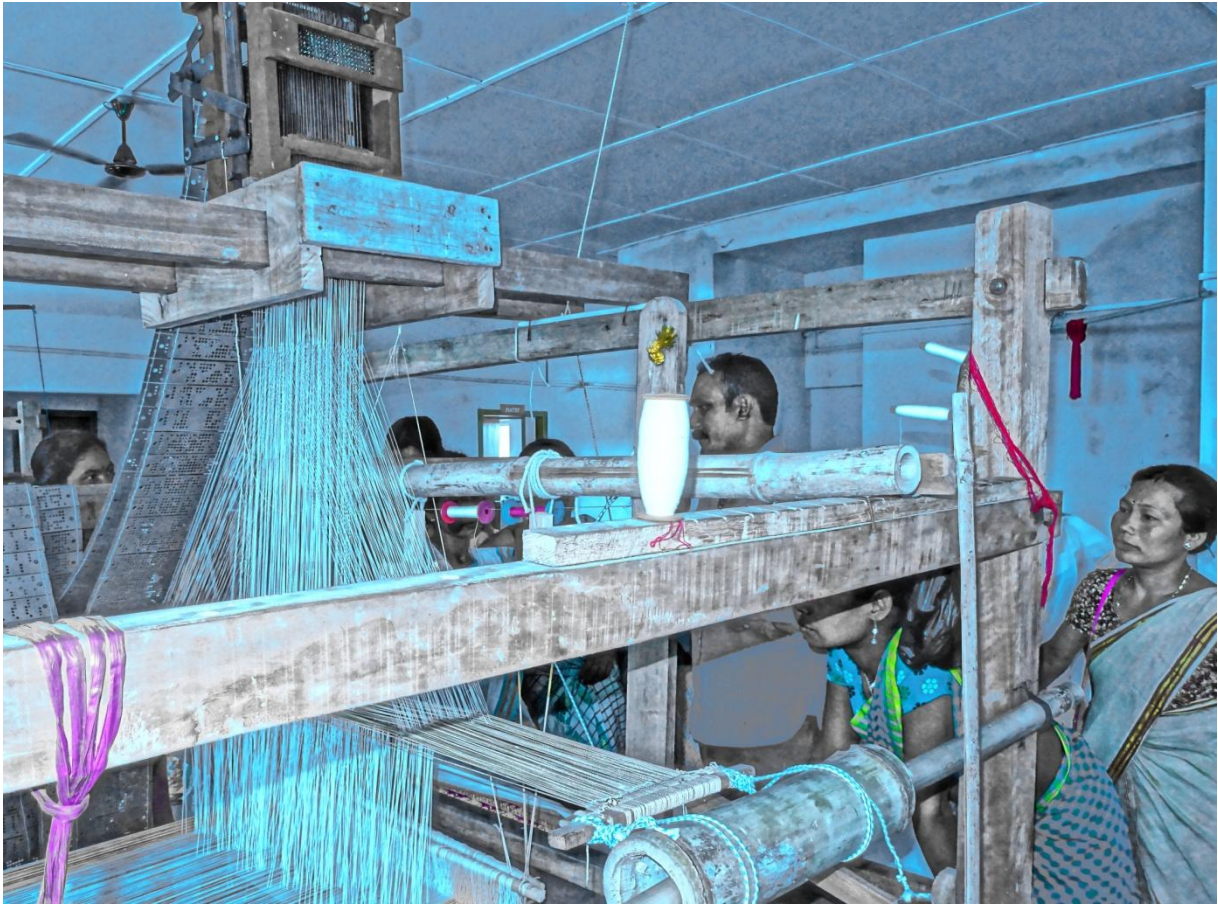


- iii. **Training of Pump Mechanics – 983 nos. Trainees (covering all districts) - 1 day training of each batch.** The Training was imparted both theory &

practical training batch by batch and was completed within the of 31st March 2014.

- iv. Training Programme on Handloom Weaving-** During the year 2013-14, the NGO has training 2,000 nos. of SHGs (covering all districts) -7 day training of each batch. Starting on 9th March, 2013, the Training was imparted both in theory & practical batch by batch with "hands-on" in our 3 nos. of modern handlooms with jacquard facilities installed in our institute through competent In-house Trainers and Guest faculty. This training will continue throughout the next year i.e 2013-14.





10. MEETINGS :

In addition of the meeting and seminar held on special occasions. The Society held 8 nos. of Executive Body meetings and one time of General Body meeting during the year 2013-14.

11. ACCOUNTS :

The Society started its accounts of Rs.-12,540/- at the beginning of the year-2013-14.

a. RECEIPT :

The “**DAYASAGAR**” has received all total Rs.-89,15,097/- under different heads during the year-2013-14.

b. EXPENDITURE :

An amount of Rs.- 89,03,137/- was expensed during the year-2013-14.

Over and above the activities, the society performed some other activities which are depicted in the report.

Long Live the **“DAYASAGAR”**.

Ramapada Chowdhury
President,
“DAYASAGAR”

Karabi Das
General Secretary,
“DAYASAGAR”
