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"Be the change that you wish to see in the world"
-Mahatma Gandhi

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#### **WELCOME TO OUR**

# **Monthly Newsletter**



# Green Energy Solution towards Sustainable Future

Sabuj Sangha in support with IndienHilfe, e. V., Germany & Solar Blick, has implemented a 40 KwP on-Grid Solar Plant in different units of Sabuj Sangha at Nandakumarpur village in the heart of Sundarbans that caters to the needs of the communities. It will cover the community based rural hospital run by Sabuj Sangha- Swarnalata Sabuj Seva Sadan, Sundarban German Bakery and the School and College run by the organization.

The project was formally inaugurated on 9th November, 2024 at the registered office of Sabuj Sangha in Nandakumarpur village by the representatives of Solar Blick- Mr. Bernhard Baumann, Ms. Charlotte Theil, Ms. Divine Fischer-Lindeberg and Mr. Matthias Heinrichsmeier in presence of the Community People and Sabuj Sangha team.

This Solar Plant represents Sabuj Sangha's commitment to promoting sustainable and future-oriented energy solutions in context of changing environment and climatic conditions. This project is a step ahead, in line with the organization's mission of making the world a more sustainable and equitable place for all.

#### STRENGTHENING FPC AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Fifteen members of HRDP "PARIVARTAN" team recently went to Ranaghat Agro Producer Company Ltd. in Nadia for an exposure visit. The purpose of the visit was to gain insights into the operations of RAPCL,



marketing strategies, and acquire the necessary skills to strengthen their own Farmer Producer Company at Sagar while fostering entrepreneurship. During the visit, Mr. Jayanta Chowdhury, Director of RAPCL, highlighted the importance of focusing on training, trading, and manufacturing aspects. He shared how RAPCL established connections through social events, including their participation Government Program Sufal Bangla, which enabled them to sell products effectively. This visit was a valuable and inspiring experience for the HRDP team, providing them with a blueprint to enhance and develop their own FPC unit effectively.

### Strengthening Rural Women through Digitization and Entrepreneurial Opportunities



The Digital Sakhi Project in Murshidabad is transforming the lives of rural women by equipping them with essential skills in financial literacy, digital tools, government schemes and entrepreneurship to enhance their businesses. Through this initiative, women are empowered to showcase their innovative business ideas in a friendly contest at various levels, starting from the village level, progressing to Gram Panchayat, Block, and culminating at the District level. Out of 496 participants, 75 women entrepreneurs have been selected and are now preparing for district-level competitions.

Additionally, 100 high-priority women entrepreneurs have been identified, leading to branding campaigns and shop branding initiatives to support their growth. This project is creating economic opportunities for rural women and fostering entrepreneurship within their communities, paving the way for a brighter future.

#### Empowering girls through sports: The inspiring journey of the Nayantara girls

Sports play a crucial role in the holistic development of individuals, promoting physical health, mental well-being and emotional resilience. For the Nayantara girls, engaging in sports, particularly football has

been a transformative experience. Football, often considered a male-dominated sport, has provided these girls with a platform to showcase their skills, build confidence, and challenge traditional gender roles. By participating in football matches, they are honing their athletic abilities while developing essential life skills such as teamwork, leadership, and resilience. Sports have empowered these girls to break free from societal expectations and realize their full potential. With 48-55 girls now prepared and eager for opportunities to play at the village level. Through their dedication and hard work on the field, the Nayantara girls are inspiring not only their peers but also the entire community to rethink gender norms and support gender equity.



## Revolutionizing Learning through the Smart Education



Smart education is the future of learning, integrating technology to elevate educational experiences. Sabuj Sangha is supporting this cause through Gram Seva program in by backing 1160 students from Rautari Govt. High School, spanning Class-V to Class-XII, with the establishment of digital classrooms at Simurali GP, Kalyani Block, Nadia District. Weekly visits to the smart classes are eagerly awaited by students who are thrilled to immerse themselves in the digital realm of education. The era of struggling with conventional textbooks is over. This forward-looking approach infuses formal education with a contemporary flair, rendering learning

more interactive and captivating. Through technological prowess, students are encouraged to delve deeper into their curriculum beyond conventional teaching methods. This collaboration not only reinforces formal education but also fosters creativity and critical thinking skills among learners. This initiative is an approach towards advancement and shaping a brighter future for the students.