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# SEWA INTERNATIONAL

Annual Report 2018-19



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## Foreword

It's my humble privilege and honor to present you the Activity Report of Sewa International for the year 2018-19. As we look back at the year, we find that worldwide there's has been an increased focus on the urgency of tackling climate change which is leading to more intense and frequent disasters, sparing no one. But there's little to show on the ground in terms of any reduction in carbon emissions, by any of the main offenders aka developed world.

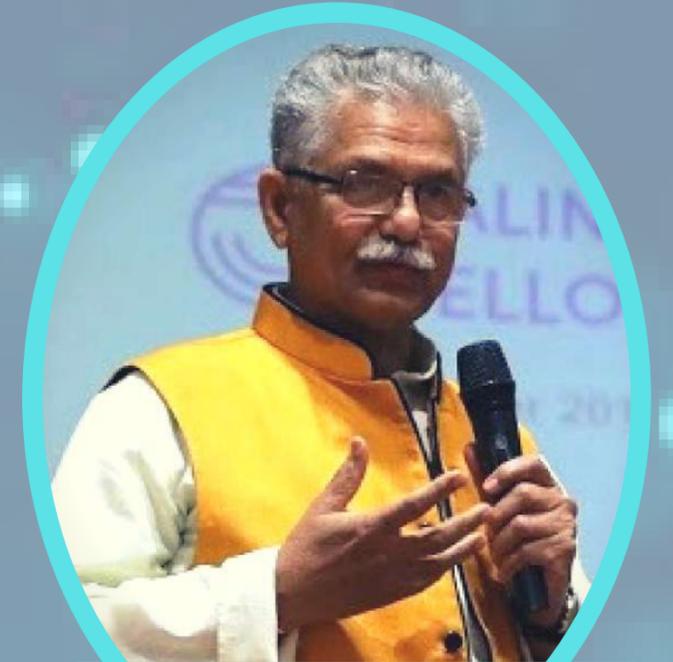
In India, sustainable models and ethos of community-centric development based on "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam" (World is One Family) were developed and passed to future generations over centuries by wise sages. These balanced socio-economic systems served us well for millennia, and in harmony with the environment. But, in the last century, self-centered mindless pursuit of "development and material wealth at any cost" has resulted in not only degradation of our socio-economic fabric, but also irreversible damages to our Planet Earth. This call to revisit and learn from our roots for a sustainable life, was the key message that came out from the 1st Sewa International SDG conference held in Dec 2018.

In order to do Sustainable Development, its important to have Earth Ecology as one important stakeholder in considering any project. Also, the approach to any social problem must be "bottom to top", rather than the other way.

Ready-made or one-size fits all solutions, never work in social sector, unless conceptualized as per local sensibilities. This approach ensures that problem is understood and defined properly before the specific solution is developed considering their impact on society and environment at large. With our focus on women and youth empowerment through providing local skilling and job opportunities, capacity development and community leadership skills, we are slowly seeing the results with community taking hold of their own affairs and bringing the solutions to their problems, and Sewa International moving towards a supportive role. We believe, this is the way to ensure that our programs are scalable and sustainable over long-term.

As always, we are highly indebted to our supporters both in India as well as Diaspora world-wide, who placed their confidence in our ability to execute and deliver the desired results, and most importantly, the lakhs of beneficiaries who have placed their trust in our programs for the collective good of the society.

Lastly, the need is never more dire than now to come together and fight the global menaces of hunger, ill-health, illiteracy, environment degradation, pollution, growing plastic waste and many other issues, which can be traced to growing inequality in the society and consumerist culture. We hope that better sense will prevail, and slowly but steadily we will all work together to make this world a better place for our future generations!!



**K. G. (Shyam) Parande**  
**Secretary & Global Coordinator**

# INTRODUCTION

**Vision:** Sewa International as a premier non-profit, would live in a world of equality, where everyone is happy, enjoys good health, has equal growth opportunities and lives in balance with nature. In the event of any disaster, Sewa will be called in and be among the first to serve

**Mission:** Sewa International serves humanity in distress, aids local communities, and promotes volunteerism. We engage our beneficiaries to be agents of change in development and strive to make progress broad-based

## **Guiding Principles:**

We believe in the Dharmic principles of “Serving Humanity is Serving Divinity” and “Unity in Diversity”

We believe in service above self

We practice team work and self-reliance

We are proactive and responsive to the needs of society while promoting ‘Self Reliance’ among those who are served

We are pluralistic, trustworthy and transparent

We create a positive impact through operational excellence and customer satisfaction

We respect and safeguard our environment

We value our volunteers, donors and partners

We respect the dignity of every human being, consider humanity as one family (vasudhaiva kutumbakam) while serving them regardless of race, color, religion, nationality, gender, and sexual orientation

We accept and celebrate diversity in people and community, we are sensitive to the cultural backgrounds of people we serve

# KEY HIGHLIGHTS 2018-19

## Livelihood



**5,000+**

people were able to get livelihood security

## Healthcare



**8,33,033 patients**

diagnosed through Health Checkup Camps and Mobile Health Vans

## Education



**15,945 students**

benefited through our programs on education

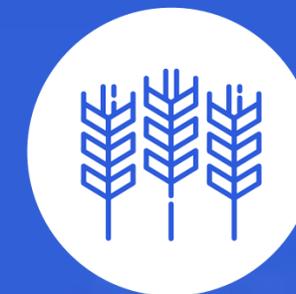
## Skill Development



**5,000+ students**

got skill development and entrepreneurship training in different income generating trades

## Organic Farming



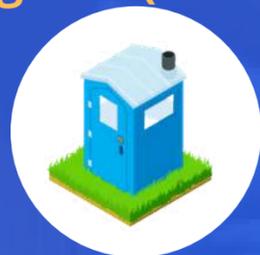
**81.15 acres**

of land used for organic farming by our Demo Farms, SHGs and other individual farmers and amount of

**Rs. 13,29,845**

generated as sales revenue

## Water, Sanitation & Hygiene (WASH)



**112 toilets**

62 household toilets and 50 school toilets built .

**9,593 beneficiaries**

including 2,370 people using household toilets & 7,223 school students (2,525 boys and 4,698 girls) using toilets in schools

## Renewable Energy



**2,000**

solar lanterns distributed as a cleaner, cheaper alternative to kerosene in low electrification villages

## Disaster Management



**1,20,000 volunteers**

involved in Kerala flood rescue & relief operations in the month of August 2018. A grant of \$50,000 released by Sewa International for the purpose of running community kitchen, cooking & serving meals, distributing relief kits, cleaning wells and buildings

## Afforestation Drive



**3,162 saplings**

Planted

**20,000+ trees**

nurtured for restoring degraded and deforested land

## Special Events



Fyunli Kauthig- Celebration of Womanhood on International Women's Day celebrated with 4,000 women participants in Uttarakhand

# SECTOR-WISE REACH (SINCE INCEPTION)

## Skill Development



**25,000+**

Total number of beneficiaries

## Health Care

**3 Million+**

Total number of beneficiaries



## Disaster Management

**2 Million+**

Total number of beneficiaries  
(Rescue & Relief)



## Renewable Energy

**5,000+**

Total number of beneficiaries



## WASH

(Water, Sanitation & Hygiene)

407 toilets constructed and the total number of beneficiaries

**31,000+**



## Education

**1 Million+**

Total number of beneficiaries



## Women Empowerment

**20,000+**

Total number of beneficiaries

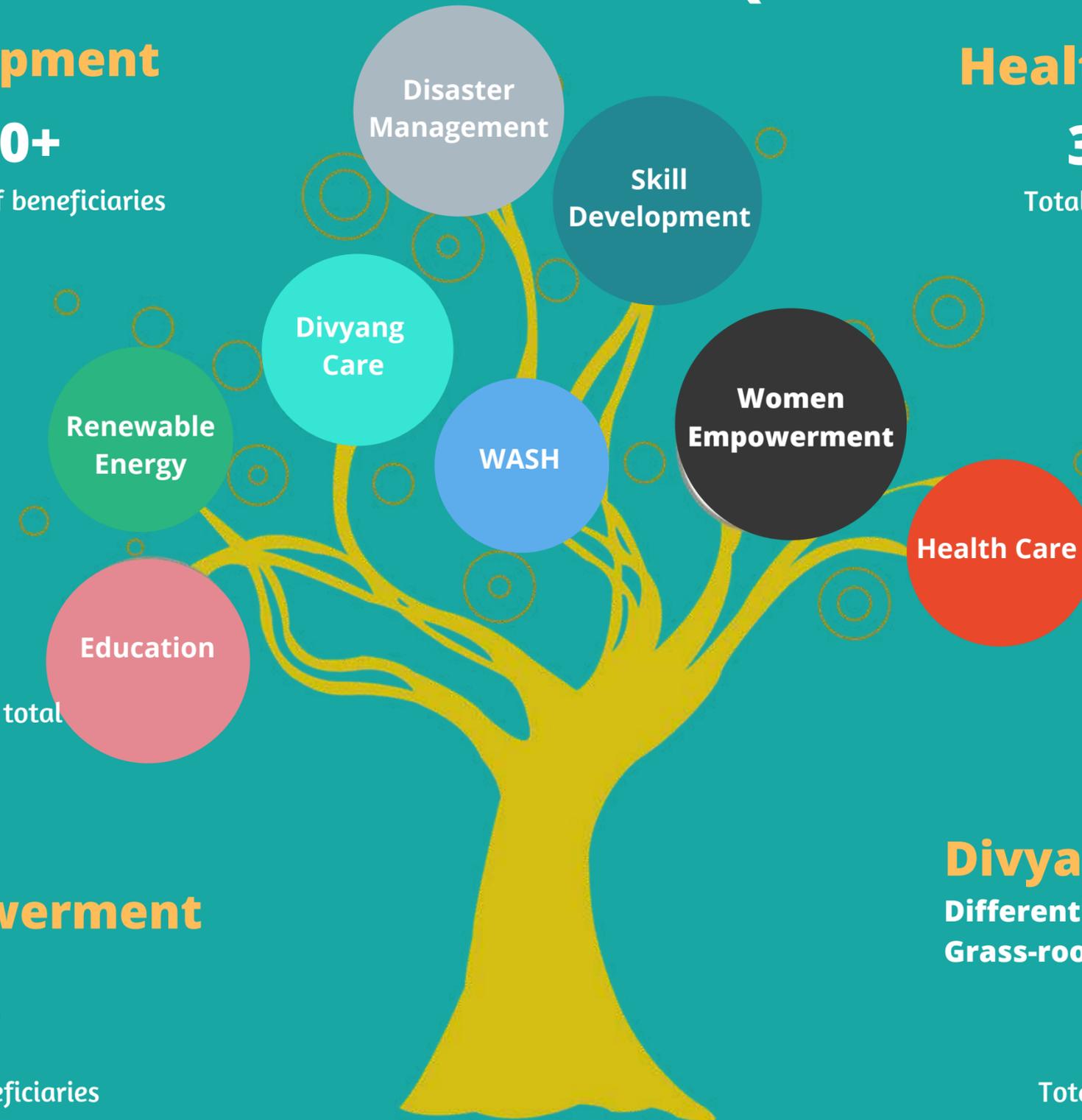


## Divyang Care

Differently-abled schools constructed - 4  
Grass-root differently-abled schools supported - 4

**3,000+**

Total number of beneficiaries



# Disaster Management



The incessant & heavy rainfall caused flash floods and landslides in Kerala and Karnataka in the year 2018. Kerala suffered its worst monsoon flooding in a century, with more than one million people displaced, 483 people dead and 140+ went missing. In Karnataka, heavy rains wreaked havoc in 6 districts, especially in Kodagu, leaving thousands marooned, death of scores of people and damaging hundreds of homes/buildings/schools. The resulting floods washed away valuable topsoil leaving lakhs of hectares of farmland infertile, killed thousands of cattle, contaminated ground-water supply and raised spectre of widespread water-borne diseases in these areas

## Kerala Flood Early Recovery

Over 120,000 volunteers worked round the clock during the rescue operation. Sewa International launched 24\*7 emergency helpline number along with a dedicated WhatsApp group and multiple helpline centers across Kerala, monitored by Sewa volunteers



**120,000 volunteers**

## Rescue Operation

Over 14,100 volunteers directly involved in rescue activities across 14 districts of Kerala. Around 350 boats, 75 ambulances and 300 transport vehicles were engaged in the operation



## Distribution of Food Grains & Clothing



210 catering warehouses and sub-centers were operational across 14 districts of Kerala. 2,155 tonnes of food grains, clothing and household essentials collected and distributed to 105,000 families

## Medical Services



Medical care and immunizations as preventive measures to infected animals provided by veterinary doctors



Over 650 physicians assisted by paramedical staff provided medical services to 94,540 patients at 1000 relief camps

## Clean-up and Sanitation Drives

Cleaned 27,600 houses, 210 religious institutions, 400 hospitals, schools, banks and offices. Disposed off waste materials and provided chlorine to clean infected drinking water. Cleaned up wells and toilets as well



## Karnataka Flood Early Recovery

### Rescue Operation



- A dedicated team rescued people from interior areas of Kodagu district
- Cleared roads blocked by fallen trees and cleared-off debris

### Relief Operation

- Provided free community kitchens and setup shelters
- Distributed 1,200 sanitary napkins, inner-wear to women
- Distributed t-shirts, shorts & basic toiletries to men
- Cleaned affected homes, schools and hospitals
- Provided food and medical kits



# Sewa Kaushal Vikas Kendra (SKVK) (Supported by Gout of Goa)



## Sewa Srujan

SHG Initiative Leading To Community Involvement in Farm and Allied Sector Livelihood Opportunities

### Activities



Total  
**297**

SHGs, including newly formed 110 SHGs and total 3244 members, including 1175 new members in 7 clusters.



**2,000**

vegetable kits distributed, wherein 14 types of seeds comprising of Pea, Beans, Okra, Brinjal, Capsicum, Pumpkin, Tomato, Rai, Radish, Chilly, BottleGourd, Cucumber, BitterGourd and Marigold distributed to 1993 beneficiaries.



**130**

participants joined the orientation and different trainings conducted on Agri-Business Marketing and Production Plan, Vision Documentation of Himsampada, and Fruit Processing.



Exposure visits of  
**47 members**

from Board of directors of Sewa Federations and team of Sewa Srujan took part in exposure visits to Banas Dairy, Sewa Kala Srishti programs of Gujarat and Umang Mahila Producer Company, Ranikhet of Uttarakhand.



**181**

SHGS, including **77 SHGs** this year opened their bank accounts in different centralized banks.



**701 new**

members enrolled in cluster wise 5 federations. Total enrollment figured raised to 2189.



**Rs. 7,38,000**

share capital mobilized from members of SHGs as shareholders of Himsampada Producer Company.



A revenue of  
**Rs. 71,005**

generated from farm products produced by SHGs in national and State level Fairs and Exhibitions.



# Sewa Krishi

Promotion of Farm-based activities and efficient farming practices for better yields and maintaining soil health by Organic farming of Horticulture/Floriculture/Pulses crops, facilitated through Model Farms development by Progressive Farmers



Total sales revenue of **Rs. 3,02,115** generated from selling of different products and saplings like, onion, cauliflower, radish, brinjal, bitter gourd, rai, cabbage, okra, beans, peas and floriculture (marigold) as well



Different trainings in all 5 clusters conducted on Seeds Sowing and Nursery Management, Post-Harvest Management Techniques, Aggregation of Products, Kharif Crops Management, Agri based Value Chain Finalization and Seed Storage where **824** members of SHGs got a chance to participate

## Activities



Direct sowing the crops, setting up field, nursery bed and demo beds in **Narayankoti and Gairoli** Demo Centre



**31 farmers from all 5 clusters** selected as model farmers to propagate organic farming in their villages



# Sewa Yuva Jyoti

Digital literacy and personality development of rural youth and children

## Activities



Under the program, 137 students are enrolled in 10 computer centers as students and **305** students passed out during the year. Out of 305, **246** students got the certificates and remaining **59** students will get the certificates next year after reassessment



**19** students got job after passing out from center



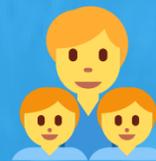
Trainings - Special trainings carried out on Hardware and Software, Basic Coding, Tally ERP and Training of Trainers where **62** participants, including **9** centre In-charges joined the training



Sewa Yuva Jyoti team conducted cleanliness and plantation drive near Pokhari college



**42** departmental trainings of Sewa Srujan, Sewa Krishi, Swasthya Sahyogi Sewa, Sewa Saahas conducted at Sewa Sansadhan Kendra



**3 Bal Panchayats** consisting of 16 kids, 18 kids and 20 kids formed in Daankot, Ukhimath and Pokhari respectively. And number of meetings with respective Bal Panchayat members conducted as 17, 11 and 12



# Sewa Mahila Jyoti

Non-Farm based Livelihoods for women through skill development in knitting, ringal(bamboo) craft and other vocational activities

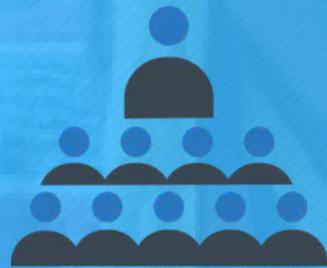
## Activities



**65 women** trained on knitting woolen garments in 6 centres at **Chandrapuri, Pathalidhar, Narayankoti, Simli, Pokhari and Tapovan**



**42 women** got employment for production of woolens in 3 production centres



**Community Knitting Training Camps** organized at village - Daankot, Kolson, Chandnikhal, Basti, Vishalkhal, Karchon and Sila wherein total **119** participants got training by our master trainers



Sales revenue of Rs. **3,54,804/-** generated from selling of knitting products in Fair & Exhibitions, Vendor, Institutions and Retail Market



A team of **9 women members** formed SHG in Mansoona to promote Ringal (Bamboo) products and generate livelihood



**7 days training** organized twice for members of SHG in Mansoona to develop new Ringal (Bamboo) products. Sales revenue of Rs. 36,560/- generated from selling of 124 Ringal (Bamboo) products



# Sewa Saahas

Promotion of eco-tourism in Uttarakhand for youth jobs generation and disaster management for better response

## Activities



Total **29 Awareness meeting** conducted with Youth Club Members of Karchhon (Tapovan), Byunkhi (Narayankoti), and Vaan (Simli) wherein 356 members participated in the meeting



**35 houses identified** as facilities of **Homestay** in Byunkhi, Dewar, Vaan and Karchhon villages and out of 35, documents of 21 Homestays prepared and forwarded to Department of Tourism for registration



Wall decoration and painting conducted in Byunkhi, Karchhon and Vaan



Celebration – Over 71 participants joined the World Yoga Day, Ride for Sewa on the occasion of Independence Day, Lai Festival at Kalishila



Orientation & Training  
159 participants joined the Orientation & Training conducted on Cooking & Hospitality, Disaster Management & First Aid Tools, Tourism and Beautification work of Homestay



# Swasthya Sahyogi Sewa

Building a healthy & hygienic society for the local community, where health issues can be easily addressed through awareness and door-step services which are Affordable, Applicable and Accessible.

## Activities



Out of the **589** members of 50 Adolescent girls, 377 members attended meetings in all 5 clusters – Tapovan, Narayankoti, Pokhari, Chandrapuri and Simli



- **52 First Aid Kits refilled**
- Health Awareness Programmes organized with 46 SHGs
- 27 Sewa Samudayik Swasthya Samitis formed



Community mobilisation and awareness campaign organized in **280 villages** about Mobile Healthcare Services



Workshop/Training –

- **3 workshops organized, over 32 participants attended**
- Training conducted on Antenatal care and **10 participants attended**



Celebration – **835** participants joined the Celebrations of World Greenery Day, World Environment Day, World Population Day, World Parents and Children's Relation Day, Teachers Day, Nutrition Week, and Celebration of Gandhi Jayanti



**591 members of 48 Adolescent groups** joined the awareness drive on Single-use-Plastics and collected 150Kg of plastic waste



# Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Kendra



Employment-linked Skill Initiative of Sewa International for providing vocational skills to the aspiring youths of Uttarakhand in upcoming sectors like Telecom, Healthcare, Tourism, IT/ITES, under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Kendra (PMKK) scheme as part of Skill India Mission of Government of India run by National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC)



Outer Circle - Major Job Roles for which Skill Training is provided

Inner Circle - PMKK centers supported by Sewa International in partnership with F-TEC

# Glimpse of PMKK Project Activities



# HARELA

(Himalayan Agriculture Rejuvenation and Enhancement of Livelihood for Agripreneurs)



HARELA project in Chamoli and Rudraprayag districts of Uttarakhand, supported by ONGC, is an end-to-end model starting with training of women farmers on best organic practices, promoting community members to adopt these practices and connecting with markets to enhance their income

## Objectives

- Promotion of organic practices by establishing Demo Farm both for demonstration and training on organic farming
- Allow farmers to registered under PGS Certification for selling as Organic Produce
- Support the trainees by providing market linkage assistance
- Connect the trained farmers with HimSampada (Farmer Producer Organization) supported by Sewa International for direct earning benefit without any middlemen
- The project is in line with GOI Mission for doubling farmers' income by 2022

## Activities

- Organic Demo Farms initiated at districts - Chamoli and Rudraprayag with development of farm lands
- Construction of paths, drain channels, bush cutting activities were conducted
- Identification of villages for the selection of beneficiaries to attend the training
- Community mobilization is under process
- Demonstration of nursery and horticulture beds being developed at Demo Farms at Village Haat and Village Pokhari in Rudraprayag and Chamoli districts respectively
- Electric Solar Fencing installed and Drip Irrigation system installation is in progress



# Sewa Kutch

(Promoting traditional Art & Culture - Kutch Kala)



Rural women are worst affected when it comes to unemployment and poverty. Without any income of their own, they need to depend on men for anything and everything. Women empowerment through self-reliance and financial independence can be achieved by providing vocational training, through which women can either start up something of their own or take- up a job. This project is based on employment oriented skill training in tailoring and embroidery with an intent to generate sustainable livelihood for rural women artisans of Kutch, Gujarat



Sewa International through its design center (tailoring cum embroidery training) in Jiyapar village of Kutch district, Gujarat is making women artisans economically self-sufficient, confident and independent. Atleast 15 women gets trained in tailoring skills every six months at this center and more than 800 women from 15 different villages are engaged in hand embroidery work. The main products designed at design center are ladies handbags, purses, mobile/book covers, wallets, pillow covers etc.

22 new participants attended 3 days training on designing of new pallazo pants organized in October 2018. 50 new samples of pallazo pants were designed and marketed



A total of 7189 Handbag/Purse and 567 Pillow Covers were sold this year

Sales revenue of Rs. 17,27,398 generated this year against total expenditure incurred Rs. 16,18,173

Of the total sales revenue, Rs. 6,23,771 generated from exhibition sales and Rs. 11,03,627 generated from other sales

## Health Camps

Two health camps in May and July 2018 were organized in Umarsarsim (Naredi, Rata talavadi) and Kaiyarisim (Lakhpat Taluka) of Kutch district



A team of six members, including doctor, nurse, paramedical staff and lab technicians from K.G. Jesani Hospital diagnosed patients and provided medical consultancy

Over 625 were patients treated at free health camps. These camps received good response from villagers and local volunteers

# Sewa Kashi



The project "Swachh-Shiksit-Kaushal Kashi" is running with the main aim of reviving the Handloom Industry of Banaras, together with multidisciplinary interventions in education, WASH and agriculture. It is an integrated approach providing environmental and socio-economic benefits by adopting best possibilities for generating livelihoods, food security, education & skill development, accessible sanitation and health & hygiene services to the local weavers, farmers & their families



## Kaushal Kashi

Kaushal Kashi is an attempt to revive the dying Handloom Industry of Varanasi by empowering the handloom weavers. The revival process helps in empowering the weavers to make sustainable livelihood and increase their earnings through skill upgradation, loom upgradation, supply quality, cheaper raw materials, credit facilities, product design and branding for effective marketing. 60 weavers from Ramnagar and Ayodhyapur of Varanasi are considered as primary beneficiaries through access to exhibitions, training and awareness of government schemes for free housing, loans etc.



# Shikshit Kashi

## Learning Centers



300 children enrolled in 6 Learning Centres at Maccharhatta, Bagheli Tola, Jalahaiya Tola, Ratan Bagh, Bhatti and Chunar village



Well trained and qualified teachers recruited for teaching at each centre



300 teaching-learning material kits distributed to children enrolled at Learning Centres



These centers run after school hours from 3 to 5 pm and special cultural classes over weekend

## Computer Centers

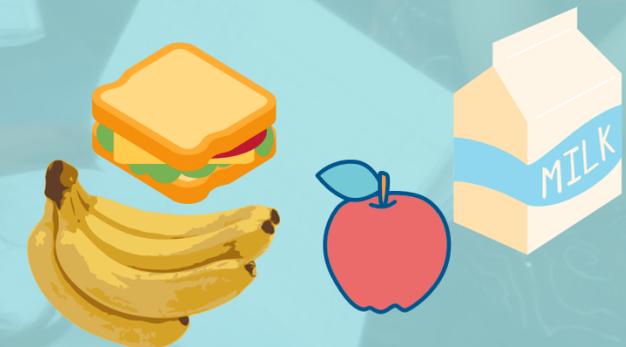


- 2 Computer Centers have been set up in Ramnagar and Chunar region. Around 100 children are getting free computer education
- Well-trained computer teacher were appointed at each centers and 8 computer systems were installed at each center to train students coming in different batches
- 6 months free basic computer course offered along with other computer skills

## Nutrition Program



To render the healthy and nutritional diet for growth of children, fruits & nutritious beverages are essential. Flavored milk, butter milk, banana/seasonal fruits, whole wheat/brown bread & jam, bhuna black chana, yogurt, peanuts and paneer were provided to children under this program



# Krishi Kashi

Krishi Kashi is an agriculture initiative by Sewa International in the suburb of Varanasi focusing on integrated farming system for enhancing agriculture productivity and minimizing risks associated with climate change. The project focuses on practicing organic farming and nurturing crops without the use of synthetic based fertilizers & pesticides by the local farmers



## Training Programs



Multiple training programs on Onion production using SETS technology, Potato, Pesticides, Rapeseed & Mustard, production technology of Pea & Beans, Lobia (Cowpea Beans) Production, Kharif Onion Production Technology were organized and 286 farmers benefited from the trainings



## Awareness & Sensitization



Nursery Management in vegetable crops - 40 farmers participated



Interaction with farmers on best Agri-Practices



Seeds Distribution Program - 40 farmers participated



# Swachh Kashi

## Construction of Toilets

With the objective to provide toilets especially in girls/co-ed schools and under-privileged families in Kashi, Mirzapur region of Uttar Pradesh



65 bio-toilets, including 34 in 18 schools, 30 in households and 1 in temple were built during the year. 34 bio-toilets in 18 schools are being used by 8,517 students (4369 boys and 4148 girls). Similarly, 1460 people got access to 30 household bio-toilets and 430 people got access to one bio-toilet near Hanuman Garhi temple

## Awareness Drive



Two days awareness camp about Menstrual Hygiene Management organized in Rajgarh and Chunar in March. Menstrual cups and sanitary napkins distributed to 150 women and adolescent girls who participated in the event



## Medical Health Camp



Free medical camp was organized in Ramnagar near Sewa International Office, Pandit Suganu Primary School, and Bhatti where around 500 patients were diagnosed, received free consultation and medicine for treatment

# Sewa Tripura

(Rehabilitating displaced Bru (Reang) tribes living in 6 camps in North Tripura by providing them education, healthcare and skill development training for generating livelihood)



## Education

To educate children and youth of displaced Bru tribe. Sewa International have been running learning centers and digital literacy centers since 2017 so as bring change in the local community and make local youth ready for future

### Khakchangpara Camp

Sewa international Tripura have been running learning center in Khakchanpara relief camp in the form of school, 4 hours daily providing regular education to disadvantaged/drop-out kids in the camp

- Structure of school building constructed with bamboo, wood and tin
- 70 children enrolled from nursery to class IV
- 3 new teachers appointed
- NCERT curriculum is adopted to keep pace with current education system
- School books were distributed, sponsored by Great India Talent School and SISGO group of volunteers

### Ashapara Camp



- NRSTC building is being used for school
- 4 teachers appointed
- 58 students enrolled in first year from class V to Class VIII
- NCERT curriculum is adopted to keep pace with current education system
- School books sponsored by SISGO group

### Sewa Tuition Centres



Total of 13 Sewa Tuition Centers, including 5 in Ashapara, 6 in Naisingpara and 2 in Kaskaupara relief camps have been running to provide basic education. English, Hindi, Math and Science are taught. Around 20 kids attend classes at each center for a total of 250 students



## Computer Learning Centers

53 and 36 students got computer literacy training at Damchhera and Anandabazar coaching centers respectively



123 bru tribal women completed Self-Employed Tailoring course at 3 PMKVY centers in Kaskaupara, Khakchangpara and Ashapara relief camps under the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), flagship scheme of the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship

## Skill Development Training



- 300 patients treated in 3 days Medical camp organized by Dr. Viren Naik in May 2018
- 16 Sewa Swasthya Mitras (SSMs) were trained by Dr. Viren Naik in May 2018 so as to create preventive healthcare in community

## Health



A total of 500 solar lamps were distributed to underprivileged families at Sewa Sadhak Ratnamani Hostel (Anand Bazar), Sewa Learning Centres, and Bandarima village in Tripura

## Renewable Energy



# School Kit Distribution



## OUR ENDEAVORS

Today's school-going children are going to be future leaders of our country. To ensure that our future is in capable hands and is well-educated, these kids need to have the basic tools/materials to learn suitably. In a small effort towards the same, Sewa International has been conducting the School Kit Distribution drive in North-East/East region of India, including Assam, Meghalaya, Tripura, WB(North), Nagaland as well as in Rajasthan and J&K, with the help of its benevolent donors in Gulf countries.

## DISTRIBUTION NUMBERS

405

Jammu & Kashmir

595

Rajasthan

950

Meghalaya

1000

Siliguri

1200

Nagaland

1500

Tripura

1950

Assam

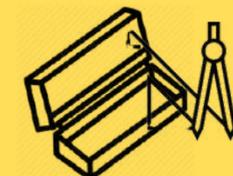
## What goes inside our School Bag?



6 Notebooks  
(100 Pages)



Drawing Pad and  
colour box



Pencil Box  
(Class 1st to 5th)



Geometry Box  
(Class 5th to 8th)

# International Sewa Baithak



International Sewa Baithak (ISB) is a Biennial meeting conducted with the purpose to understand the progress and issues faced by all Sewa International Associates, including Sewa International (Bharat), and ways to improve and grow the Sewa International movement into other countries. This year, 6th edition of ISB was held at New Maharashtra Bhawan, New Delhi from 6th-8th Dec 2018 (with the first day being the SDGs Conference) that witnessed participation of delegates from 14 countries.

## Participant Countries

- India
- USA
- UK
- Australia
- Myanmar
- Nepal
- Sri Lanka
- UAE
- Oman
- Saudi Arabia
- Kuwait
- Kenya
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Nigeria



## Key Action Points from the Discussion

- Disaster Management and Universal Healthcare came out as common thematic need for all countries, necessitated by climate change.
- Proposed creation and management of Corpus Fund for Disaster Management through contributions from all associates.
- Reporting (Online/Offline), advertisements and documentation to be improved for effective communication.
- Increase youth engagements through better social media connect and volunteering in Sewa Projects.
- Emphasis on uniform Sewa International branding (logos, colour, name etc) globally.
- Better Donor engagement through regular updates/articles/emails on supported projects.
- Sewa International (Bharat) to help International Associates with fund tracking, monitoring and reporting of projects in India/Abroad.

# SDG Conference

(Understanding Sustainable Development Goals(SDG) and its relevance for India; social sector at large)

Held on 06 Dec 2018 at New Maharashtra Bhawan, New Delhi



## Distinguished Speakers

- Dr. R. Balu (Founder, SVYM)
- Dr. Yogesh Gokhale (Fellow, TERI)
- Dr. Gajanan Dange (Founder, YOJAK)
- Dr. P.K Anand (Sr. Consultant, NITI Aayog)
- Atul Kaushik (Addl Sec, SRI)
- Dr. Nagesh Kumar (Chief Economist, UN ESCAP)
- Dr. Sunita Pandey (Dept of Agronomy, GB Pant University)
- Prof. Kaushal Kumar (School of Social Sciences, JNU)
- Kapil Sahasrabuddhe (VP, YOJAK)



## Key take away from the conference

- Indian traditional way of living promotes conservation and contentment. Our ancient culture, systems and values need to be revisited/learnt from, for defining policies to achieve SDGs.
- Sustainable Development is not just about GDP (Gross Domestic Product) but also about other indices like HDI (Human Development Index) and GNHI (Gross National Happiness Index) which are more relevant now.
- Bottom-up approach of aligning priorities of public through their elected representatives with specific SDGs, will help government achieve the desired results.
- Universal social pension, addressing food security issues and working towards sustainable agriculture, promoting gender equality and women empowerment through entrepreneurship, enhancing environmental sustainability through low carbon economy, are the key climate resilient pathways to accomplish sustainable development goals for India.
- Efforts and role of voluntary and community organizations along with collaborations with various stakeholders like government institutions, corporate etc, are paramount in successfully implementing Sustainable Development Goals at the grassroots level.

# Glimpse of ISB 2018



# Ride for Sewa

*A day with the India's Bravest  
(13th-17th August 2019)*



## Day 1

The bikers left in the early hours of the day from New Delhi towards Gauchar, Uttarakhand and reached there in the late evening where they were warmly received by the Sewa International's Uttarakhand Team



## Day 2

Upon reaching Gauchar, riders were flagged off for their ride to Niti village. They also visited the Sewa International PMKK project, where they conducted a Cleanliness and Plantation drive with students and local volunteers



## Day 3

The riders started their day from village Karcho and traveled towards Niti, a village near Indo-China border, where they met with the ITBP personnel and presented letter written by the Union Minister, Shri Rajnath Singh. The riders also thanked the soldiers for their bravery



# ***Fyunli Kauthig***

**Celebrating Womanhood on International Women's Day (8th March 2019)**



Womanhood is usually visualized with adjectives like affectionate, caring, responsible, life-giver. Often we forget about what a woman is - beyond being a mother, wife, daughter or sister, she has her own identity that is lost amidst all the roles she plays. In order to show the gratitude to many facets of womanhood, Sewa International Uttarakhand celebrated "Fyunli Kauthig" to commemorate International Women's Day on 8th March 2019. About 4000 women associated with Sewa International from far-reaches of the districts of Chamoli and Rudraprayag gathered together in Mela Maidan, Gaucher(Chamoli) to celebrate the day. Starting from knitting training, opening SHGs in their villages, becoming digitally empowered, getting skilled in various sectors like healthcare, tourism, agriculture etc, and starting their own small-scale enterprises, the journey so far has been immensely satisfying and impact is fairly visible.

Sewa International invited Smt. Vijay Barthwal (President, State Women Commission of Uttarakhand), as the Chief Guest of the event, which was sponsored by ONGC CSR. Dr Alka Mandke(Trustee, Sewa International) and Shri Nishant Aggarwal (CEO, Sewa International) welcomed distinguished guests including Smt. Munni Devi Shah (MLA, Tharali), Shri Mohan Prasad Thapliyal (Chairman, Sri Badrinath-Kedarnath Temple Committee), Smt. Jayanthi Ramanan (Sewa USA), Smt. Anuradha Singh (Secretary, Rudraksh Abhyuday Nauchetna Sansthan), Shri Dinesh Bhatt (Retd. Joint Commissioner, Delhi Police), Shri Dayanand Chandola (Social Worker) were among others who motivated the women with their inspiring speeches.

Sewa International felicitated 13 women from Uttarakhand with a Memento and a Certificate, for their exceptional contribution and achievements in the fields of healthcare, education, enterprise, art, environment, journalism, leadership and sports. The potential these women have shown despite of social hurdles which hold them back and lack of amenities was really praiseworthy.

Blood donation camp was also organized by Shri Mahant Indires Hospital in Mela Maidan, with other stalls from across different departments showcasing their work through creativity. Participation of guests and participants in blood donation was notable.

Various other stalls displayed the Sewa Mahila Jyoti knitting as well as Ringal handicrafts products made by the women. The exhibits for Harela project included demo farms, displaying organic species of crops and vegetables. Our PMKK centres also showcased the skill of their trainees in various areas like fruit processing, mobile technicians, organic growers etc. Sewa Aarogyam, our Mobile Health Van in Uttarakhand was also present to make people aware about the need for accessible and affordable healthcare. The audience was left mesmerized by the cultural extravagance presented by these rural women. We hope to continue opening new avenues for these women and celebrate their success each year, much more bigger, better and grander !



# Toilet And Hygiene Project



Swachh Bharat Mission is a flagship program of Government of India with a mission to make India, Open Defecation Free (ODF) by constructing 100 million toilets in rural India, to be achieved by 2nd October 2019 on 150th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi. Sewa International joined the movement and have been working to build toilets in schools and community, especially to ensure toilet access to girl child. The main objective of the project is to improve the quality of life by promoting cleanliness, hygiene and eliminating open defecation

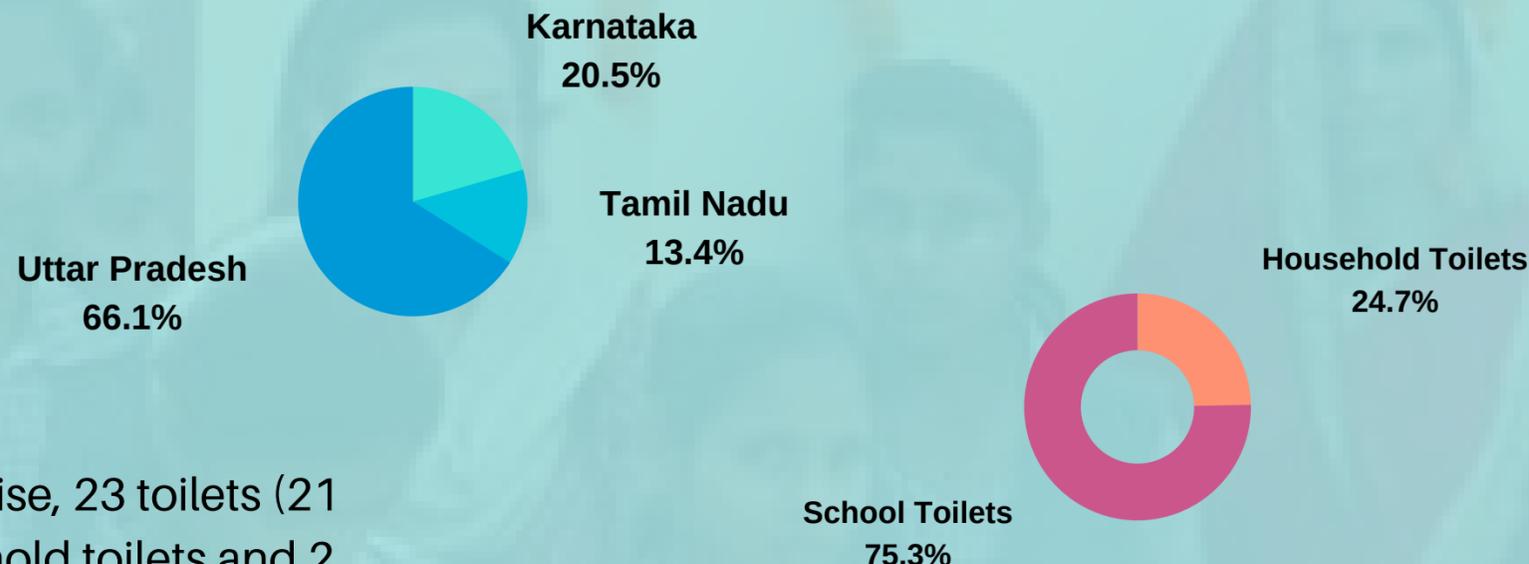


## Construction of Toilets



A total of **112** toilets, including **63** Bio-Toilets, **15** Soak Pit Toilets, **21** Portable Aluminum Toilets and 13 as Renovation of Existing Toilets built under the project

State wise, 23 toilets (21 Household toilets and 2 School toilets) built in Karnataka, 15 School toilets in Tamil Nadu and 74 toilets (41 Household toilets and 33 school toilets) in Uttar Pradesh



Over 2370 people are using household toilets and 7223 students (2525 boys and 4698 girls) are using school toilets

Out of 112, 50 toilets are school toilets and 62 are household toilets

# Health, Hygiene & Medical Camps

Over 100 participants joined the awareness camps on Health & Hygiene in Agra, Uttar Pradesh



Over 750 school kids treated at Dental and Health Check up Camps at Puttenahalli Govt. School, JP Nagar, Karnataka

Over 750 school kids treated at Eye and General Health Check up Camps at Annammadevi School, Bangalore, Karnataka



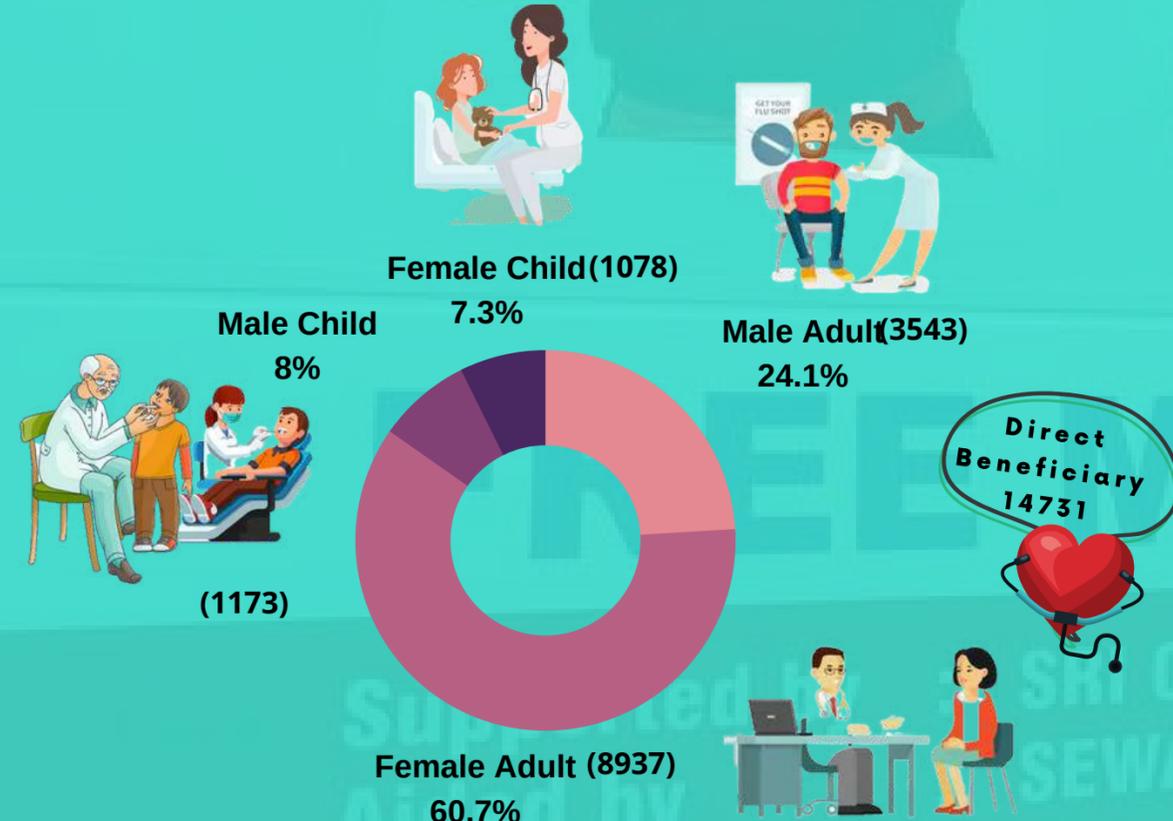
# Supported Projects & Organizations



## Mobile Medical Unit

Seva Bharathi Tamilnadu

Over 417 Health Camps Organized and 14,731 patients treated





# Akshar Bharati

Akshar Bharati is Sewa International's initiative to nurture the reading habits in children **between age group 5-15 years** for underprivileged and remote areas by facilitating access to good and non-academic literature. We set up libraries for such children in their localities so that the books are available when they need them the most

- Donate libraries to underprivileged schools at free of cost
- **200+ brand new books** per library are allocated and all books are in regional and English languages
- Library provides various range of books including picture books, moral stories, storybooks, language books, novels, books on science, sports, history, art, competitive exams, biographies
- Book sets are redesigned every 6 months
- **No. of beneficiaries are 5,778**, including 4,000 as indirect beneficiaries - parents, teachers and siblings



# School Construction Project

## Village Mansuna, Rudraprayag

Sewa International sponsored construction of Saraswati Shishu Mandir built at Mansuna village in Madhuganga valley of district Rudraprayag, which was inaugurated on Basant Panchami, Feb 10 2019. The school building will allow for education of **200+ children** in the hills of Uttarakhand



Classes I - VIII

### School building includes:

- Playground-cum-assembly area with capacity of over 500 students
- 8 Classrooms
- 4 toilets (separate for boys and girls)
- Administrative area and corridor





# SVMM (Kerala)

## Serving Tribals of Wayanad

Swami Vivekananda Medical Mission (SVMM) conducts more than **400 free medical camps** every year in various tribal colonies (average **300** colonies) in Wayanad District. In addition to this, there were camps organized to help the flood victims



400 Medical Camps



The Mission runs Mobile Medical Unit, donated by Sewa International, where 12,420 patients got benefits of medical services



# Sponsor-a-Child

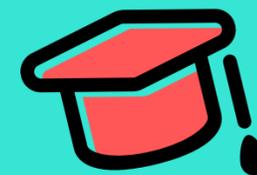
This project designed to support education of the under-privileged children in urban-slums, rural and remote tribal areas. This program is based on three major of activities,

- Charity-run day schools
- Hostel for underprivileged kids
- Charity-run residential schools



## Aims & Objectives

- To help pay for children's education
- To appoint tutors for the learning centers for better education outcomes
- To provide basic education tools, sports equipment, stationery, school kits for the supported kids



## Construction of School Building

**Hutho Middle School at Raga in Kamle (Arunachal Pradesh)**

Co-education school would provide Free Education to more than 350 boys and girls of the region and would help increase literacy level in the region



**Construction of 9 class rooms and toilets is in progress**



## Construction of School Cum Skill Development Center

**Namsai (Arunachal Pradesh)**

Construction of a School cum Skill Development center by Sewa International is going on in Namsai district of Arunachal Pradesh.

- To provide elementary education to the children of adjacent villages to the Namsai township
- To promote skill training to the rural youth for generating livelihood



**Construction of 6 targeted class rooms and toilets is in progress**





# Scholarships for the Girls

Nand Lal Geeta School, Ambala(Haryana)

The main activity was to provide scholarship for the underprivileged girls from the villages on the outskirts of Ambala city in Haryana

## Aims & Objectives

- To provide better education for underprivileged girl child
- To increase enrollment of girls
- To enhance female literacy rate
- To improve social status of female
- To help boost girls' self-confidence and self-belief

SPONSORSHIP



14 underprivileged girls' students got sponsorship for free education



# Vision India Foundation

## Building Future Leaders of India

Vision India Foundation induces youth as changemakers through its VIF-Fellowship programs as a successful career building option aligned with nation-building exercise

### Activities



4 teacher training workshop conducted in Mathura-Vrindavan in which more than 1,000 teachers and more than 5,000 students were directly approached and benefited with the interventions of VIF fellows

One of the Fellows in the Electoral Politics vertical was awarded the Bharat Leadership 2018 by Bharat Leadership Festival Committee, Patna





# Dhyan Foundation

## Animal Care

Dhyan Foundation has been working in Animal Welfare domain by setting up Gaushalas in different locations. It has been taking care of Gaushalas with **1,000+ cows**

### Aims & Objectives

- To rescue stray cattle especially COWS
- To set up Gaushalas
- To provide fodder for animals
- To provide veterinary care
- To prepare shelter for cattle



Veterinary  
Care



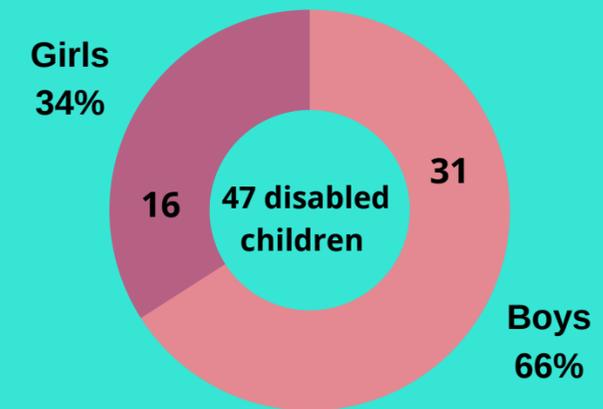
Shelter for Cattles



# Arunoday School for Special Children

(Cerebral Palsy, Mentally Challenged) Arunodaya School, Hubli (Karnataka)

As part of Divyang support initiative of Sewa International UK, the newly constructed school building of Arunodaya - Divya Special School in Gadag, Karnataka, for disabled children was inaugurated on 28th Feb 2019. Total 47 disabled children (31 boys and 16 girls) in the school were enrolled in Pre-Primary, Primary, Secondary and Pre-Vocational classes



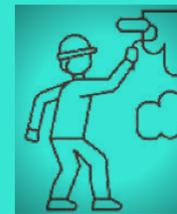
# Being Volunteer

Sewa International's volunteer initiative, Being Volunteer team is a group of young, dedicated people who believe in social work and are always enthusiastic to help and motivate others to do the same. It undertakes multi-sector approach of engaging corporate, society, schools in the domain of Disaster Management, Health, Education, Empowerment and Environmental Protection



The activity of wall painting and tree plantation was carried out by volunteers at Zilha Parishad School, Tarmala-Theur. It took almost 2 days for volunteers to paint the wall of more than 600+ sq ft

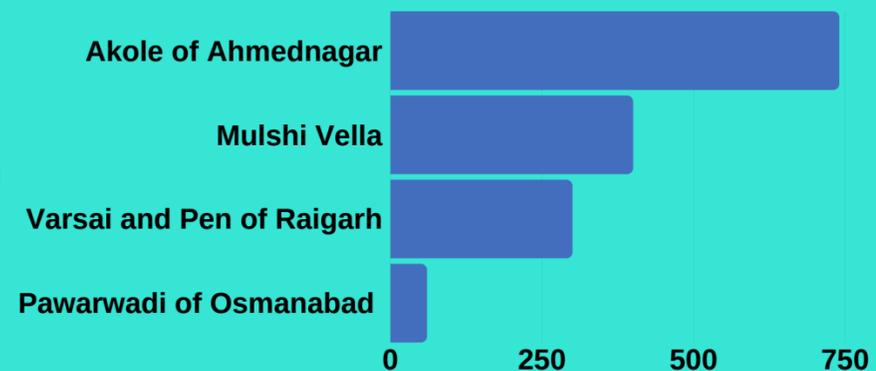
Over 171 volunteers also participated in beautification of public place by cleaning and painting the wall of Pune Railway Station



Nurtured Trees  
86.3%

Distributed 2,000 solar Lanterns, including 740 in tribal region of Akole of Ahmednagar district, 400 in Mulshi Vella, Pune, 300 in Varsai and Pen of Raigarh district, 60 in Pawarwadi of Osmanabad, Maharashtra and 500 in Reang refugee camp of Tripura

A team of **1,266 volunteers** planted 3,162 saplings and nurtured 20,000 trees with a contribution of 3,137 hours of volunteering





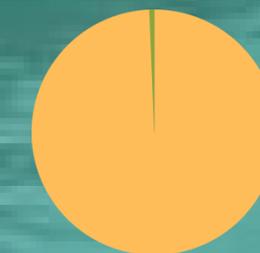
# Kumbh 2019

## Sponsorship For Healthcare Facilities

It was a privilege and honor for Sewa International to partner and sponsor basic preventive measures, immediate care facilities with the voluntary support of 200+ medical practitioners/volunteers, including 52 doctors, each committing for a ten-day cycle, at the world's largest spiritual congregation - "Kumbh Mela" in 2019.

- Over **7,02,679 patients** comprising of 698,196 out-patients and 4,483 in-patients diagnosed in health camps

In Patients  
0.6%



Out Patients  
99.4%



- Over 200+ medical practitioners/volunteers, including 52 doctors joined the Kumbh Mela for providing 10 days free health care services to the attendees of Kumbh Mela

# MEDIA COVERAGE

## MAKE YOUR CONTRIBUTION MATTER

**INDIA FOR KERALA**  
The Times Group's Times Network has launched India For Kerala, a fundraising campaign for relief efforts in Kerala. Through this, Times will continue to raise money for relief efforts in Kerala. To help Kerala, please visit [www.timesgroup.com/indiaforKerala](http://www.timesgroup.com/indiaforKerala)

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**CONTACT THE NGO TO KNOW REQUIREMENTS**

**INDIA FOR KERALA**  
The relief fund has been open to a list of NGOs for distribution of relief items. Please fill in the form and send it to the office. The relief fund will be open for 15 days. The relief fund will be open for 15 days. The relief fund will be open for 15 days.

**SEWA INTERNATIONAL**  
A non-profit trust registered in 1987. We are currently accepting donations for relief efforts in Kerala. Please fill in the form and send it to the office. The relief fund will be open for 15 days. The relief fund will be open for 15 days.

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## कौशल विकास से रुकेगा पलायन

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प्रदेश के उच्च शिक्षा राज्यमंत्री (स्वतंत्र प्रभार) डॉ. धन सिंह रावत ने पत्रकार वार्ता के दौरान कहा कि श्रीनगर में शीघ्र ही महिला सहकारी बैंक की शाखा खुलने जा रही है। उन्होंने कहा कि अभी तक पूरे प्रदेश में पांच महिला सहकारी बैंक शाखाएं खुल चुकी हैं। उन्होंने कहा कि 14 अगस्त को केंद्रीय सड़क परिवहन मंत्री नितिन गडकरी ने श्रीनगर में उद्घाटन कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया।

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(BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH 2019)



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LIABILITIES	AMOUNT (IN Rs.)	ASSETS	AMOUNT (IN Rs.)
Capital	2,870,001.00	Fixed Assets	55,844,429.09
Income & Expenditure	154,382,614.03	Work In Progress	14,520,434.00
Medical Fund	1,500,000.00	FDR With Bank	107,720,060.00
Uttarakhand Goa Govt. Fund	21,930,815.71	Interest Accrued on FDR	2,813,973.00
Loan form NSDC	17,648,980.00	Mutual Fund	300,000.00
Sundry Creditors	3,030,682.00	TDS Receivable	1,108,874.00
Other Exp. Payable	2,302,089.00	Security Deposits	456,800.00
Interest Payable On Loan-NSDC	171,238.00	Amount Recoverable for Foresight Edutech Pvt. Ltd.	2,755,696.57
TDS Payable	245,679.00	Loan and advance	7,370,709.32
		Prepaid Exp.	13,147.00
		Cash In Hand	300,494.90
		Cash at Bank	10,877,480.86
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## ACCOUNT DETAILS

### For Foreign Donations-

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Account No.- 10080533326  
Branch - Jhandewala Extn (Delhi)  
Bank - State Bank of India  
Branch Code- 9371  
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