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Our Acknowledgement



We are pleased to publish 2008-09 Annual Report; we have successfully stepped into another year with successful journey of social change. Working towards our vision for the attainment of a self reliant, self- sustaining and discrimination free society has crossed 15 years since its inception. To attain the objective to fulfil our vision is always with us. The planning, all our efforts, activities and thinking are always inclined to achieve, self- sustaining and discrimination free society.

Rashtriya Jharkhand Seva Sansthan with all its project/programs and activities and community contribution creating sustainable impact on the community it worked for.

The deprived section of the society, youth children, women, farmers and forest dwellers were the epicentre of the activities where the organization revolved. Climate Change - much discussed and debating topic has also one of the focussed areas where the organization worked extensively. Saving wild life and saving the forest by Harit Chetna Abhiyan has tremendous success in breaking the habit of hunting and in stopping forest land obliteration. Adopt a village program has another year of success, the program without the support of any funding agencies has put an example in the area by generating livelihood opportunities to make life sustainable. Among projects implemented last year, the key programs and its growths are worth mentioning here. The wild life protection program in Dalma-East singbhum, the forest protection program in Palkot-Gumla and in Satganwan block of Koderma district has been quite successful program of the year. Basic needs- Community mental health program has another year of success in healing mentally ill people under the network of NBJK. UNICEF and PHED sanitation program, solar lantern distribution with the help of JAREDA and Forest department(GOJ), Plantation, Save the children program, working for the Primitive Tribal Group(Birhors), working for the disabled under Jharkhand Viklang Vikas Abhiyan are some of major programs of the organization which has great promise for deprived section of the society.

We are truly thankful to our partners, and well wishers: Forest department, Basic needs, NBJK, UNICEF-PHED, Jharkhand Renewable Energy Development Authority-Jharkhand. I also express my heart felt gratitude to all my well wishers who have extended support in building the empowered society especially to Smt. Annapurna Devi (MLA Koderma-Jharkhand), Shri. C.R. Sahay (Principal Forest Conservator GOJ), Mr. Sidharth Tripathy (DFO Ranchi W.F. GOJ), Shri Kanhaiya Pandey (DC-Koderma), Shri Rahul Sharma (DC Gumla), Shri Rahul Purwar (DC-Latehar), Shri K.K. Tripathy (DFO-Koderma), Shri Rajnikant Verma (DSE-Gridih), Shri Rajiv Lochan (DSE-Dumka), Mr. Mahboob Alam.

We are also very grateful to our members, staffs, officers, field supervisors, volunteers, SHG members, community members, friends and all other well wishers for their good wishes, love and cooperation.

RJSS visualizes sustainable development as the only tool for becoming sustainable organization. RJSS being a responsible grass root NGO, it keeps on evaluating itself to ensure that it remains on tune to all development happenings. This is a process that is so vital for the organization's growth and development.

Manoj Kumar Dangi

Secretary

About the Organisation

BACKGROUND

Mr. Manoj Kumar and Vijay Kumar dedicated their life for the upliftment of Society from their college life. The two young college students from remote village could not see the injustice, atrocities, disparity and unethical values widely prevailed in the society. They were influenced by the thought of Lok Nayak Jai Prakash and Lohia. During their studies they formed an organisation Rashtriya Jharkhand Seva Sansthan (RJSS) on 2nd Oct 1999 with the help of their two friends Mr. Ram Nandan Prasad and Mr. Birendra Kumar with a vision to make a model society where injustice disparity atrocities have no place. Their endeavour to create a favourable environment for socially balanced society is established from their little effort of regular intervention in the area with dedication and determination of change in mind

VISION

Establish a socio equal discrimination free society, a prosperous country where farmers, women have their equal right.

MISSION

To work with the poor & marginalized people, to eradicate poverty, unemployment by overcoming in justice & inequality that causes it .

Legal Status of the Organization

The organization is registered under Indian Trust Act 1882, it has FCRA, PAN, 80 G, 12 A.



Area Of Operation

RJSS has following locations for its operations:

(a) Registered Office: Organization has its registered office at Sihas, Post- Satgawan, District - Koderma

Correspondence Address:

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(B) Central office:

Koderma : Pahalwan Ashram Bhakhara, Satgawan, Koderma .Own Premises 1600 sq. ft. 4 Rooms, 4 Computers,1 Laptop 1 gen-set,1 Photocopier, 1 duplicating machine, overhead projector, mopeds, motorcycles, Jeep, furniture and other equipments.

Coordination Office:

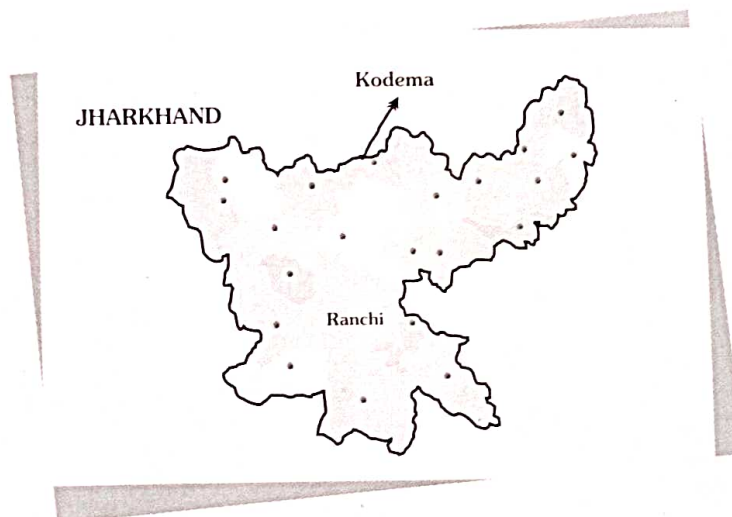
Sunder Nagar , Post & District : Koderma

(C) Project Offices at :

Satgawan, Jaynagar, Markachcho of Koderma District.

Range office: Palkot in Gumla District &

Mango of East Singbhum District.



INFRASTRUCTURE

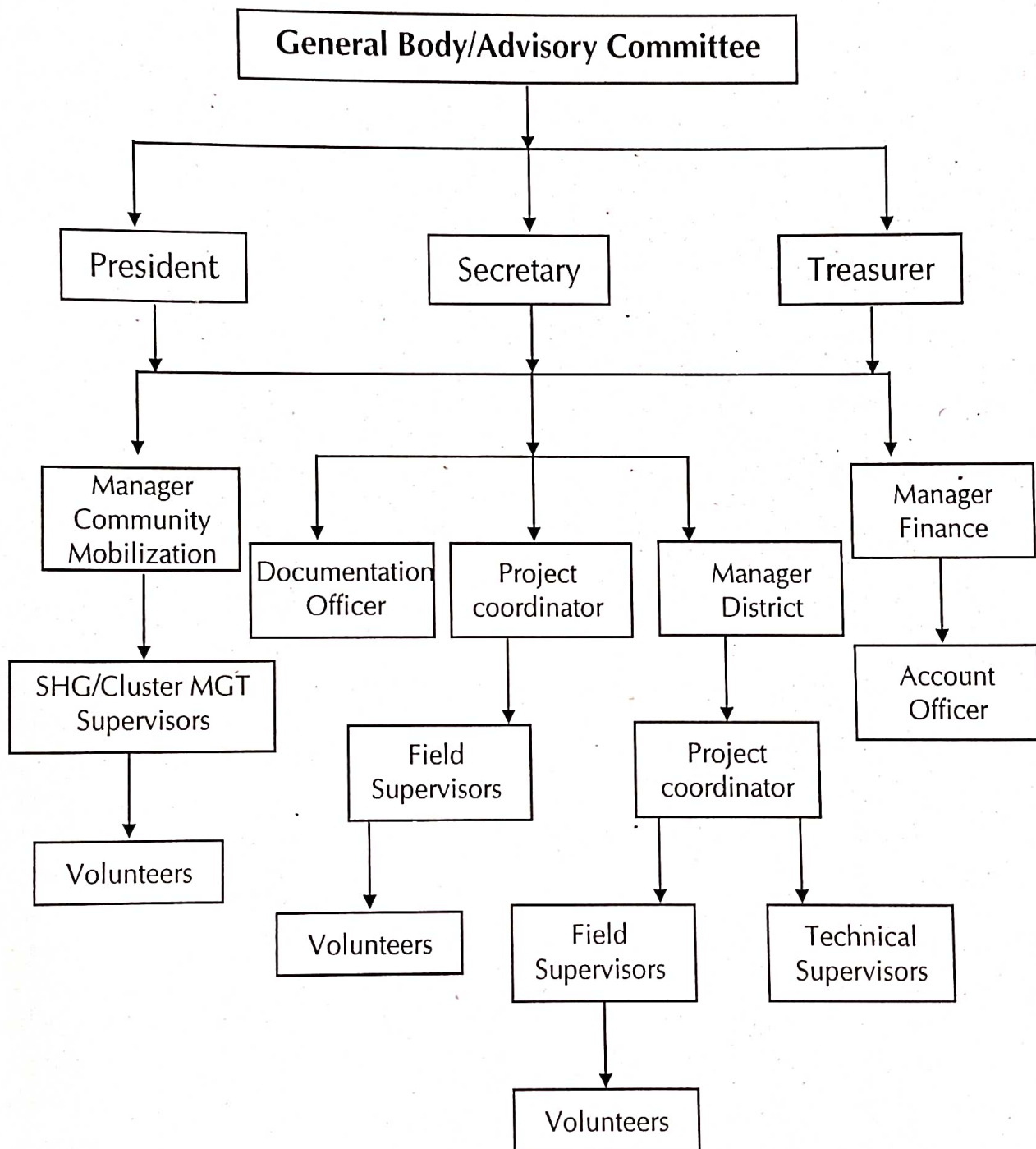
- Furnished office of three rooms on rent basis at Sihas, Po-Satgawan Dist-Koderma.
- Furnished coordination office of three rooms on rent basis at at Sundernagar PO & Dist: Koderma (Jharkhand)
- 1 Four wheeler-Jeep
- Two Motor Cycle and 10 Bicycle
- Organazation has an Ashram having one acre land and a building consisting of four rooms, Office Cum Two Training hall, the orphanage centre runs their.
- Three computer with printer and scanner
- One Laptop
- One Still Camera and one Digital Camera.
- 3 Steel Almirah , 3 big Steel Box and Furniture.
- 3 pattal plate making machine.
- 5 swing machine and other machine.

HUMAN RESOURCES

Rashtriya Jharkhand Seva Sansthan is a team of 61 dynamic and committed individuals devoted volunteers and professionals. The organisation is run by our intellectual, skilled and professional work

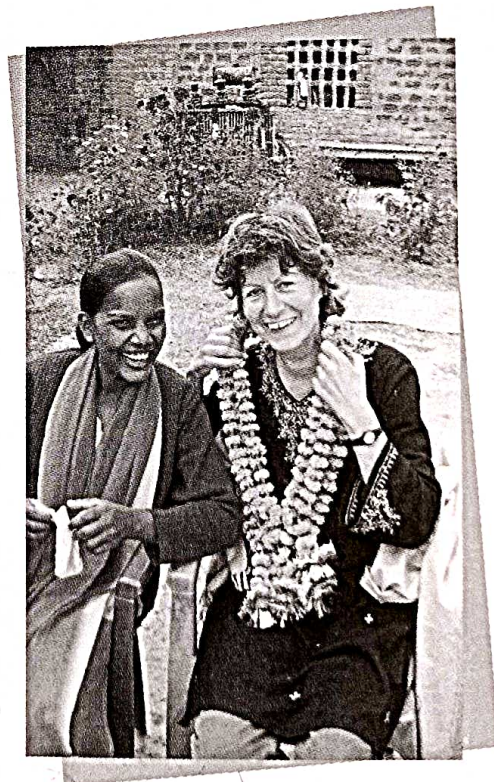


Organisational Structure



Our Projects And Program

- Community Mental Health Program supported by Basic Needs, Bangalore under network partner of NBJK
- Disability program
- Sanitation Program Prakash with UNICEF
- Sanitation Training Program
- SHG Mobilization
- Solar Lamp Distribution
- Orphanage Centre
- Vocational Training
- Agriculture Training
- Saving Forest and Wild life "Harit Chetna Abhiyan " with the help of forest department of Ranchi.
- Blanket Distribution among Birhor Community and other poor villagers
- Adopt a Village Program
- Higher Educational support program :



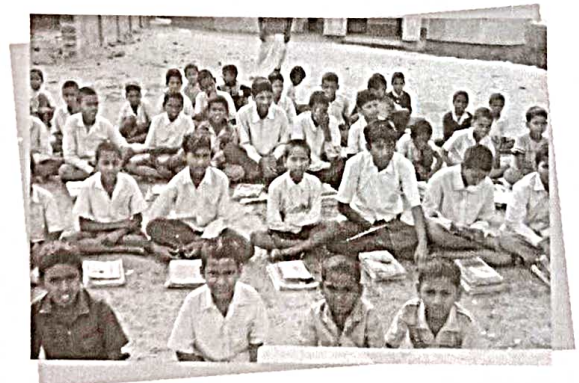
Ashram-A hub of development work

The word Ashram attributes the place of Saint who enlightens the people and the society as a whole. Pahalwan Ashram is different as no saint sits here but is very much alike in a sense of working for the same purpose. This is a place where dedicated people works for the cause and care of the society. It enlightens the people towards finding new livelihood opportunity, does justice by lok adalat. The Ashram is established with a view to provide a wave of happiness in the face of villagers. It is a Central place where planning for the villagers are made to lead a pleasing life. This is a centre of training for different socio economic trades such as Craftsmanship, vermin compost, leaf plate, embroidery and tailoring for youths and working women. A production unit of leaf plate is in the premises of Ashram. This is a centre to impart educational training to school going boys and girls, a centre of guidance for unemployed youth for taking higher education. A Village court is an unique concept which also runs from this place where the conflict of the villagers are resolved.



Education

Education has great importance in the life of the people and the Government of India has regularly been putting effort to enhance the enrolment rate of the students' especially rural poor population where access to the education infrastructure is minimal. The state has witnessed low literacy rate and the children from poor families are worst sufferer. The poor parents forced the children of 6 to 14 years of age group to earn their livelihood in small hotels, Brick kiln, work, Grocery Shop. Thus the children are neglected even getting basic education. The organization have thrust on educating the poor children through its various programs of government and by their own resources. The Serva Shiksha Abhiyan's project Bridge course centre and AIE centres for drop out and out of school children have largely helped the Satgawan block of Koderma district in building atmosphere of education. The organization maintained the pace of education prevailed in the area through community intervention and responsibility given to Self help groups which has presence in almost all the villages of the block. The consecutive three boarding school by SSA has entirely changed the mindset of poor, forest living family towards the importance of girl education. The organization has tried to make some families understand the importance of education where taking education for girl was really a matter of surprise. The organization's endeavour will always be towards enrolling all the students of the block into formal education system and to provide quality education to the poorest and the deprived section of the community of the state.



Schooling for orphans :

Imparting education facility for the rural orphans is a big challenge where even the other rural children lacking education facilities and infrastructure. Educating the orphans require complete package right from their lodging, food arrangement to education. In our state the orphans are easily exploited at brick Kiln, hotels and in the houses of rich people. They are largely involved as domestic child labourers. The Rashtriya Jharkhand Seva Sansthan always visualised the orphans to lead a normal life that's why the organisation has adopted seven orphans and given permanent shelter at Ashram premises, supported their education with the help of community contribution. This year(2008-09) also two boys from Birhor community have been supported by the organization .After a long time nurturing into the Ashram the organization promoted two orphans into Jiwan Deep School Tilaiya for the purpose of preparing for entrance examination of Sainik School to get admission into that. Two orphans are enrolled in a college at Patna and others are enjoying their life-with regular education in Pahalwan Ashram Bhakhara premises. Working for the orphans since a long tome has experienced the essentials of orphans needs, created additional association for orphans and has built a consensus in the organization to work largely for the orphans. In future we planned to open a residential school of orphans also in the state.



Health

Since long government health facilities, in spite of being the main source of health care services for majority of people, especially for those having low income; has in very poor access. Therefore, it's important to improve the quality of services in the government facility. National rural health mission (NRHM) is a beautiful program of the government but unaware villagers hardly takes benefits of the government schemes thus the awareness building is an important tool for getting the benefits of any services.

Health is an important component on which the organization is focussing right from the beginning . Organizing General health camps in different villages, Eye Health camps , working on maternal and child health, on reproductive and child health and community mental health are such examples on which the organization is regularly working..

Getting benefits of health services of Government schemes can be achieved by regular intervention with the community. The awareness generation program through different means like street play always gives a fruitful result in getting effective implementation of the program. It empowers the community to demand their services by their own..

Health camp:

The organization has been actively organizing health camps in the remote villages of the blocks and for the poorest of the poor community. This year also the organization has also focused the health camps at un reached places to un served community.

This year (2008-09) 39 camps were organized in different blocks of the Gumla district apart from regular camps in Satganwan Block of Koderma district. Raidih, Palkot and Simdega blocks of Gumla district were covered for health camps. In 39 camps 3400 people got benefit . The people from far flung villages, un reached and Moist affected villages where people hardly goes were covered under the program. The camp was supported by department of Forest, Ranchi.



Community Mental Health Program

Community mental health program for the mentally ill has been implemented since 2002 with the support of Basic Needs Bangalore under the network of Nav Bharat Jagriti Kendra (N.B.J.K.) Hazaribagh. The program has been quite successful in providing health to the mentally ill people whom even the family members left them considering they wouldn't be ever cured. There are number of cases where the families of the patient had left the hope of their treatment due to improper medical treatment, poor condition of the family and some times due to social stigma of understanding that this is the punishment by God for their evil deeds.

Under the Community mental health program, mentally disabled person are identified by the supervisors , mobilizes the community for their treatment , take them for free treatment to Hazaribagh district or Ranchi Mental hospital , given medicine and finally closely monitored to timely administer the medicine . This year (2008-09) 263(Two Hundred Sixty Three) patients had been identified in which 180 patient were under treatment and 133 have been fully cured and are been living as normal life with their members of the family. Among 133 cured patients the 30 patients have been given support for their livelihood like selling bangles, small snacks shop(Chat and Golgappa), leaf plate making, goat rearing and dairy . This is not the end but four cured patients have got Government Job like Anganwadi worker, teacher by the active support and help of the organization.



The program has given popularity to the organization also , the people are very much aware of the work for mentally ill people that even they directly contacts us if found any case related to mental health. The organization like to continue this program as its regular intervention. The effort is to establish a resource centre to cure the patients in Koderma District .

Disability

Disability has been one of the core activities, the Organization it has been working since a long time. The R.J.S.S. along with other voluntary organization has formed a network named "Jharkhand Viklang Vikas Abhiyan" (JVVA) for the disabled on 20th April 2003 with the help of SABLA to help the disabled in the state. There are 44 partners in the network in the state. The network is actively advocating for the implementation of P.W.D. act in the state. RJSS is associate organizer of JVVA. The organization has been working for the integrated development of the disabled. In 2008-09 the organization has helped 15 disabled of getting Swami Vivekananda scheme, 21 have been helped to get disabled certificate. The organization has given master training to 25 disabled about the disable Act 1995 and now they are delivering training to other disable in the villages.

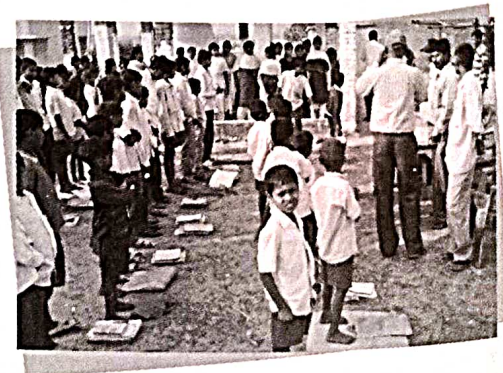
Sanitation

Sanitation has great importance in the existence of human being. After survey to the area it was found that half of the inhabitants are using open sanitation system, using contaminated water, living at unhygienic surroundings where the water is logging. Sanitation program of UNICEF and PHED aimed to avoid open defecation and to provide hygienic environment for the poor families in the rural area. The organization has been regularly working since last three years for sanitation of the society. The organization is doing awareness building programs and training programs in the 14 Panchayat of Satganwan block and in Markachcho block of Koderma district. The organization is also involved in making low cost latrines in the district and has contributed in making number of toilets in the area.



Sanitation Training to School going Children

The budding young school going students are right people to be aware from sanitation, living a free from unhygienic surroundings and unhealthy environment. The organization has been providing training to several school children in the Koderma district with the help of PRAKALP Koderma. Under the program 250 students of the high school of Pokhardiha have been given training on sanitation, water hygiene and training on checking the quality of water. In the premises of Pahalwan Ashram also 40 social worker have also been given master training on sanitation, water hygiene and on checking the quality of water. The water testing awareness has been quite popular and successful among the villagers.



Socio Economic Status

Jharkhand is richest state of the country in mineral resources. Agriculture is the main source of livelihood, which is virtually rain fed. Due to high variability of monsoon rains even during the years of annual rainfall sometimes farmers are faced with spectre of total crop failure. Low productivity of agriculture, one-dimensional nature of the farm economy and absence of non-farm livelihood options make food security and subsistence the primary concern of farmers. The State produces barely half of its food grains requirement

Subsidiary farm-based activities like dairy, poultry, etc have not developed in the State in spite of increasing demand for the products.

Clearly, then, there is much scope to enhance food and livelihood security and reduce poverty in the State through improved management of rural natural resources. Expansion, intensification and diversification of agriculture, harnessing water resources, development of dairy and other livestock based activities and enhancement of forest based activities are the obvious avenues to intensify natural resource management

The organization has regularly been focussing in the field of creating livelihood opportunities for the people of the area with the help of different grant projects from the Pvt., Government and other foreign agencies programs. Now the villagers are engaged in various income generating activities such as Dairy, Goatry, vegetable cultivation embroidery mass level of Plates of Leaves (Pattal) manufacturing.

Plates of Leaves (Pattal) Nirman:

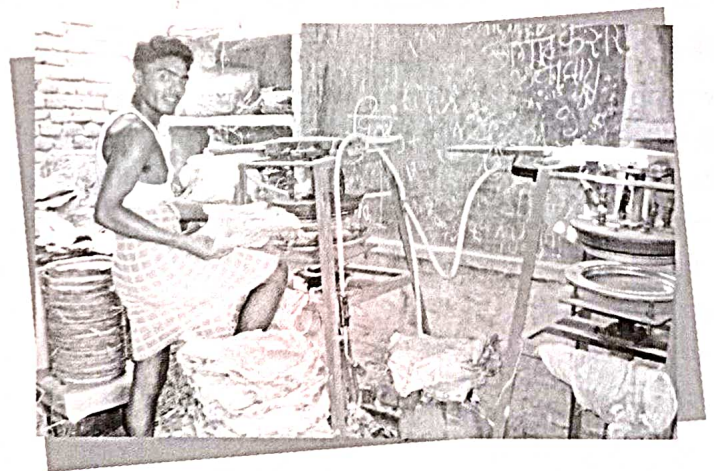
The lack of income opportunities compels many poor people to migrate for low-wage jobs and leading undignified lives.

The lack of livelihoods opportunity emanates from various factors like lack of skill and asset base, infrastructure facilities etc.

The delicate socio-economic condition and historically grave poverty situation caused the poor people to have lower capacity to bear risk, lesser skill, and marginal asset base.

The modern leaf plate making business has been boon for the poor people of the area. The business is somehow created hope for some people of the villages to earn additional income apart from their regular seasonal agriculture income. The raw material is easily available in the forest area and the skill required to operate the machine is also quite easy. The market of the product is abundant and easily available.

The organisation has been working on providing alternative means of livelihood through Pattal Plate making since last three years. The organization has been providing regular training to the unemployed young in different area of the district. More importantly the disable are also associated in this business, there are twelve mental ill patients



who become normal are engaged in manufacturing of pattal plate. The rural youths of Satganwan block who always moved outside the state for their off season livelihood are been given opportunity to earn their livelihood during lean period. This venture has been quite successful in providing them income. There are more than 200 people who have been attached through this livelihood opportunity.

BUSINESS MODEL

The organization has also built a business model for this venture, under this model the machines are provided to village youths by the organization in the organizations premises and the marketing part is also looked after by the organization. The villagers are involved in pattal collection, making the pattal and finally selling into the market and the management part is looked after by the organization so an assured market has been provided and in return the organization charges a very little amount for managing the entire venture for the rural youths of the area.

Women Empowerment

Empowerment of the society is incomplete until we empower the women. Promoting gender equity is a critical part in men dominated society.

The organization has been working since a long time on women empowerment by its regular intervention under its regular program irrespective of projects to empower the women. The organization has been working for their social Upliftment, economic empowerment. The organization has been providing better platform of economic independency which helped them to create internal resilience against unusual circumstances caused by the society.



S.H.G. :

Women encounter severe difficulties in securing credit for productive purposes like in building community assets, and accessing technical knowledge in different areas like agriculture, livestock rearing, forestry, water management etc. Women don't get relevant information or new knowledge and skills. In this context formation of SHGs offer lots of potential for encouraging effective participation of women in their own development.

Women have been organizing themselves into Self Help Groups with the aid and support of the organization. The

SHGs in the area coming together on a self selection basis for sharing their common concerns, pool their own resources (both financial and non-financial) and work together for their personal, social, economic and political development." The SHG members have become a reliable source for savings & credit for their families and thereby have established say in their families' financial decisions. There are some other determinants of empowerment like education and its quality where women in our area lag.

To improve the socio economic status of the women, R.J.S.S. has been actively involved on S.H.G. Bank linkage and promoting internal lending within the group. The SHGs have now empowered and got freedom from the clutches of money lenders. The women of the groups have crossed a milestone and marked their participation in Aam Sabha and Gram Sabha and also put their standing in government sponsored schemes like for demanding NREGA work and entitlement of Indira Awas Yojna , PDS schemes, ICDS and for other social welfare schemes of the government.

SHG Statistics

The organization has promoted 206 S.H.G. till the date. 99 Groups have been linked under Grade I from DRDA and got Rs.25,000.00(Twenty Five thousand) each. 59 groups have qualified for Grade II under SGSY Scheme and got Rs.2,50,000.00/(Two Lakh Fifty Thousand)- each. For doing small business in their area, the groups has been linked to various income generation activities like Dairy, Vegetable cultivation, Agriculture Goatry, Bangles shop, Pattal Plate making etc. The livelihood activities has raised their income level and helped to improve their social and economic status in the society. The groups have their on saving of Rs.16,34,138/- Out of which Rs. 8,12,000.00 have been circulated as internal loan and Rs. 7,44,500 has been returned . As of now 49 groups have been linked with S.G.S.Y. schemes

Women's Day

The International women's day has been celebrated every year as a grand celebration in the Ashram premises . This year 2008-09 also International day was celebrated on 8th March 2008 at Bhakhra Ashram premises. Around 3500 SHG members from 300 SHG participated on this grand occasion. The organization organizes different programs on the occasion so that a mass awareness on women's right can be created. The women on this occasion are been awarded through medals for their best practices, income generating activities, for creating some exemplary work for the society. The organization also organized Dharnas, Rallies, Street Play at Block level & State level for bringing the women at a common platform and fight for their right and entitlement. Mr.Sajid Hussain a social activist participated on this occasion.



Entrepreneurship through Vocational Training

The organization has been regularly working on providing business opportunity through different skill. The organization does not believe on mere providing skill up gradation training and vocational training but works on promoting entrepreneurship so that a person skilled on any skill based work should start their own venture. The organization as of now given training to 250 SHG women and adolescent girls on sewing and cutting and 40 women and girls are under training in current batch. The women are sewing the clothes of their own and for adjacent villagers and also makes clothes to sale in the village market. The vocational training to the women and girls have empowered them and made economically confident and even helped their male counterparts to smoothly run the family without any financial burden. The organization will always be accredited for the kind and longest ever support of Mr. Md. Mahboob Alam an individual donor for vocational training since last five years . The training especially includes skill of embroidery work and sewing and cutting clothes for poor girl and women of koderma district. He also provided sewing machine and trainer's honorarium for the project.



Advocacy and Lobbying

Advocacy represents the strategies devised, actions taken and solutions proposed to influence decision-making at the local & state level to create positive change for people and their environment.

Lobbying is "Conducting activities aimed at influencing public officials and especially members of a legislative body on legislation; to promote or secure the passage of legislation by influencing public officials; to attempt to influence or sway a public official toward a desired action."

The organization has been doing awareness campaign, meeting with community members and different people, finding issues and putting before government officials for on proper implementation of Government scheme and on policy level intervention on scheme like NREGS, RTI 2005, Disabled Act 1995 and on different Government welfare schemes.



Lok Samiti:

Lok Samiti is a network of different NGOs in different part of the state which fight against corruption, discrimination, callousness prevailed in the society and for the rights of the people. It has been working since 1997 and taken up some urgent issues of the region such as poverty, right and entitlement for the people, implementation of government schemes, right to information act, prohibition of dowry & elimination of female & foeticide etc.

The organization is involved in policy level advocacy for the rights and entitlements of disabled through its Jumao Manch network. The Lok Samiti in itself a complete voice of the people so under the Lok Samiti banner lobbying and advocacy for the people are regularly performed on different issues.

On 10th June 2008 a block level conference was organized on restructuring of block level samiti and decided to finish all the pending work of the samiti and planned for further action. Around 1000 people participated in the Block level samiti.



Training

Imparting training to the youths, women, villagers on women empowerment, SHG strengthening, income generating training, skill based training especially bamboo craft and fancy bag making, on forest rights, on agricultural issues has been integral part of the organization. This year 2008-09 also the organization has given training on different issues to different segment of the society.



Training on making Plates of Leaves (Pattal Nirman):

The training on making leaves plates were regularly conducted in the Ashram premises to the unemployed youth of Satganwan block of Koderma district. The intervention has given promising result for the unemployed youth.

Training on Forest rights to Forest Protection Committee:

The organization has organized consolidated training program to all the 45 Forest Protection committee of Gumla district and other Forest Protection committees of Koderma district and West Singhbhum district. The training to the committee bears good result in protecting the forest in very organized way.

Sanitation Training to School going children

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Training on Embroidery/Sewing Cutting:

The training on embroidery , sewing cutting is the regular activity of the organization under which the young girls, women have been given training on this activities. Mr.Mahboob Alam is the donor for this project. This year 2009-10 also 60 women and girls have been given training.



Training on SHG Management:

The formation of new SHGs is a regular process under the women empowerment program of the organization. The training to the SHGs is an integral part of the program. This year also the new SHGs and old SHGs have been strengthened through SHG management training, leadership and Account training.

Training on Goat rearing, Dairy:

The income generation activity is one of the focused areas of the organization. The organization organized training on goat rearing and dairy in Ashram premises. There were 100 villagers who participated in the training.

Training on Agriculture:

The largest population of the nation is depending on agriculture but the irony is that the country faces acute shortage of food , the food security for a large section of the society is at risk. The Agriculture in our nation is rain fed and the people are lagging in using modern technology and waste land. This year organization given training to 146 farmers on modern technology, best agricultural practices , multi cropping practice, crop rotation , cash crop and on vegetable growing in Satganwan blok of Koderma distrit.

Environment:

Global Warming - Climate Change

Climate change, ground water depletion, depletion of ozone layer and pollution are some of the burning issues before the world. In view of climate change and degradation of environment the organization has been working since a long time on this issue. In 2008-09 the organization has carried out different programs on this issue.

HARIT CHETNA ABHIYAN- An Innovative initiative to save Forest

An innovative initiative to save forest was started with the name of "**HARIT CHETNA ABHIYAN** " by the help and assistance of Forest department of Jharkhand in Gumla district. This innovative effort was initiated by the help of Mr.Sidhartha Tripathi- IFS (DFO of WL) , Mr. Rahul Sharma-IAS(DC Gumla), Mr.C.R. Sahay- IFS (Principal Forest Conservator-Jharkhad) , Mr.Mahadeo Mahto (Prominent Teacher and architect of Forest Rakha Bandhan Program) , Mr. Surendra Singh , Dr.Manoj Singh , Mr.Vikas Kuma(Prominent teacher and environmentalist) and Mr.Manoj Kumar Dangi(Secretary-RJSS). A One day conference cum plantation program on environmental issues and climate change was performed on the presence of auspicious above mentioned personality in Palkot block of Gumla district on 5th September 2009.

Seeing the success of the Harit Chetna Abhiyan the organization has given shape to the program with the aid and support of Forest department of Jharkhand .The HARIT CHETNA ABHIYAN was further implemented with planned activities under its sub heads:

1. Community Mobilization:
2. Formation and strengthening of Forest protection committee
3. Training and area Visit
4. Plantation
5. Raksha Bandhan(A specialized intervention to protect forest)

1. Community mobilization :

Community mobilization is the major activity which convince the community towards saving forest. This year a 30 days campaign of community mobilization program was done in 64 villages of Koderma district. The program was started from different places in the different block of Koderma district. A



Rath Yatra was organized in different blocks. In Satganwan block of Koderma district it was started from middle school Urwan, flagged by Mr.K.K.Tripathi- IFS(DFO Koderma) and in Markacho it was flagged by Honourable MLA Shrimati Annapurna Devi in the presence of DC Koderma Mr. Kanhaiya Pandey and Mr. K.K. Tripathi(DFO Koderma) and RCCF Hazaribagh. On this occasion a shawl was also presented to Mr. Manoj Kumar Dangi(secretary RJSS) for his successful implementation of the program.

In Palkot and Raidih of Gumla district also this program was organised for 60 days in 14 villages.

In East Singbhum district also this program was organised for 30 days in 84 villages. Cycle yatra was also organized on this occasion. After the Yatra 15000 people have given written oath paper not to cut forest and not to hunt forest animals.

2. Formation and strengthening of Forest protection committee:

Under the Harit Chetna Abhiyan formation and strengthening of Forest protection committee was done so that the community could take responsibility to save forest and forest animals.

3. Training and area Visit:

The organization has organized consolidated training program to all the 45 Forest Protection committee of Gumla district. The training to the committee bears good result in protecting the forest in very organized way.

4. Plantation

The fast reduction of forest plant is the result of cutting trees but in some ways it could also be compensated by plantation of the trees also. The organization has taken this issue very seriously and by the help of the community only 15000 plants have been planted.



5. Raksha Bandhan (A specialized intervention to protect forest)

An innovative initiative of Raksha Bandhan to bind ribbon on the trees not to cut the tree is quite a successful initiative in the area. The concept is to bind the community towards spirituality through the binding of trees. The Raksha Bandhan activity was implemented in 25 villages and in 1000 hectare coverage of forest area. This program is so successful that as of now the cent percent saving the trees was assured where the Raksha Bandhan ritual is performed in the villages. Seeing the grand success of the program, the organization's effort is to replicate the program in other forest villages also.



Major Breakthrough to Save Dalma

The most successful ever program of the organization on saving of environment through providing equal right to nature's entire creature, living things in Dalma with the name "**DALMA BACHAO ABHIYAN**". The project was implemented in the area of Dalma (Dense forest area, popularly known for Elephants) of West Singhbhum district. The area was popularly known to kill the animals (Sendra) in the area, the people are habituated to kill animals and was understood as religious practice by the community so it was very hard to understand them to save the animal and do not kill them. The organization did an eight month rigorous campaign, mass awareness to understand the people through various programs like, Gosthi, Street Play, one to one interaction into the dense forest of the Dalma, moving around all the villages where the people were into practice to kill animals. After a rigorous campaign of eight months to the people of the area a sharp decline of the hunting was seen. In the occasion Sendra (killing of animal- an spiritual concept) around 20000 (twenty thousand) hunters used to visit the area to hunt the animals but in the current year 2008-09 only 250 hunters came and they also not participated on Sendra but only performed rituals as religious activity.

Solar Lantern Distribution:

Satganwan block is one of the backward blocks of the state. The block is not unique in not having general amenities but it also face severe problem of electricity. The Government provides solar lantern to the scheduled cast communities in grant. The organization has been working for the community since a long has taken opportunity and distributed 1000 solar lanterns among them in seven panchayats. The organization is trying to distribute another 2000 solar lanterns in coming year.



Blanket Distribution

The organization has always been distributing blankets in winter season to the poor and destitute elderly, weaker section of the society by the aid and support of community. This year 2008-09 also the organization distributed 250 blankets among poor destitute people of satganwan block of koderma district with the help Mr. Md. Mahboob Alam (Resident of Shiv Pure) and Mr. Sajid Hussain (Lallu Bhai- a renowned social worker).



Adopt a Village Program

The organization has adopted three villages namely Gajhad of satganwan block and Simarkundi of Markachcho block since last three years for complete development of these villages. The focussed intervention is related to create livelihood opportunity, education, health and to improve cultivation practices with irrigation facility and scientific methodology. The long intervention into different thematic areas resulted in cent percent school going children, improved health services by the government departments, more irrigation facilities like well and community made small checkdam. Now the people are involved in vegetable cultivation and Rabi crop cultivation like wheat and gram. The adopt a village program is quite a successful program in putting concentrated effort on the development of the village. The villages are in itself depicts its development story as happiness on the people can clearly be seen.



Higher Educational support program :

The organization has been working since a long time on education issues for different age group of the people. The organization's orphans adoption program and providing them education facility has also been running since a long time. The organization adopted Birhor (Primitive Tribal Groups) community children and provided them complete educational facilities.

Under the support program of organization's higher education, the organization supports poor students in taking higher education program . This year the organization has continued in supporting Binod Kumar for preparation of IIT , Sumant Kumar for continuing its secondary education .

Successful Student from support program:

Mr. Manoj Kumar now IPS had been student of the educational support program run by the organization. Mr. Manoj Kumar a poor student of village patrang of Nawada district . In UPSC examination he successfully got a good position and got IPS rank . This is indeed a proud for the organization that the program which was hailed for the poor has bared a very fruitful result.



Working For Primitive Tribal Group (Birhor)

The organization has been working since a long time for the primitive tribe (Birhors). There is a tola of Birhor which is very adjacent to our Ashram premises. there are several activities on which we regularly work for the community.

Awareness: The organization has initiated to aware the community in different field such as

- Education
- Health
- Sanitation
- Hygiene
- Safe drinking Water
- Nutrition
- Social inclusion



The community members before our intervention never sent their children to school, the whole family keep them inside while they see us or we start talking them, so it was quite impossible to aware the community and talk to them and the to think of education of their children was mere dream. The water need of the community were also fulfilled from the premises so being a human being they somehow consider us to get involve into their matter otherwise the outsiders can never dare or the Birhor community would never give them any pick up to outsiders.

Education:

Their children are into school; barely some children will be out of school. This is one of the major achievements of RJSS in the area of education and simultaneously to mainstream the Birhor community from mainstreamed society.

Health: Hearing only about the modern medicine frightened them and were far away of taking or even thinking of it. Now a days they have started to take medicine and dared to take injection also. So this is one of the major breakthroughs in providing them health services to improve their health status.

Hygiene, Sanitation, Nutrition & Safe Drinking Water: The regular awareness on sanitation is slowly changing the sanitation pattern but the process is very slow, the remarkable thing we noticed that the children who is sincere in education, are getting quality education like living with us has tremendous response towards hygiene, sanitation etc in their house also.

Social Inclusion: The organization always organizes meeting, functions, celebrations, festivals in the Ashram premises and the thrust is also to include the Birhor community into this so that the these community may interact with the mainstream society, this is also one of the major achievement in the way to mainstreaming the Birhor community.

Health

The organization has organized weekly health camps for Primitive Tribal Group (PTG) BIRHOR with the help of PHC at Satganwan Block's Birhor toli of Koderma district. The Birhor has big weakness of living their own life and does not demand for their rights, so the intervention is always by the outside agencies or by the individuals. Since the organization adopted this Birhor tola and always care by their own resources for their every problems so the health certainly comes under priority.

Adopt a Child of PTG (Borhor) :

The organization adopted two child of Birhor community, Vijay the orphan and Surendar a child having parents.

It has been 8 long years since the organization adopted both children.

Both Vijay and Surendra are taking education. Vijay is in 10th class and Surendra is living in Tilayya preparing for taking admission in Army School Tilayya.

Seeing this Birhor community people demanded to send their children into such type of arrangement where their children may take education and could grow as educated person. The mental blockage of the community of sending their children into education is weakening due to the benefits they are getting inform of Vijay and Surendra.

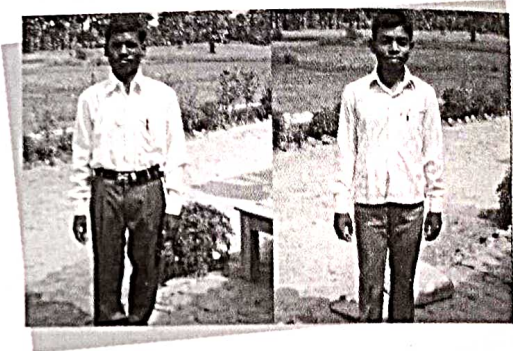
Effort to include the Birhor people into Job:

Pinki Birhor is matriculate, can talk fluently and the people can never differentiate Pinki Birhor from others girl of the society. The organization put effort and now she became Anganwadi worker of the area.

The impact is tremendous, it can easily be differentiated from other Birhors, not only her lifestyle changed but she has changed others lifestyle too. The organization feel proud of Pinki and efforts are to mainstream the Birhor community society by creating such example by their community members only.

Distribution of Blanket and Solar Lamp:

The organization provide some sort of grant also as the Birhor are in need of that, they don't have much financial support and freedom, they are always in crunch of it. The organization with the help of other social worker and other agencies tried to distribute Blanket and solar lamp. The organization always in winter season distributes blanket among them.



Governance

List of Governing Bodies of Organisation

Sl. No.	Name	Education	Occupation	Post	Address
1	Ram Nandan Prasad	Diploma in Rural Development	Social Worker	President	Vill. Sinhas. Po. Satgawan Dist. Koderma
2	Manoj Kumar	M. Sc.	Social Worker	Secretary	Vill. Sinhas. Po. Satgawan Dist. Koderma
3	Vijay Kumar	B.Com. LLB	Social Worker	Treasurer	Vill. Sughri Po. Sughri Dist. Nawada
4	Lakhan Prasad	B.A.	Govt. Employee	Member	Makchund Toli Chutia, Ranchi
5	Marium maduri Munjini	B.A.	Freelancer Master Trainer of Health	Member	Pathal Kudwa Ranchi
6	Ishan Chand Mahto	M.A.	Supply Inspector Govt. Employee	Member	Makchund Toli Chutia, Ranchi
7	Akhtari Begum	M.A.	Socil Activist	Member	Chauparan

List of Advisory Committee of Organisation.

Sl. No.	Name	Designation
1	Manoj Kumar	IPS, Bihar
2	R.K. Verma	DSE, Gridih
3	Md. Mahboob Alam	Awarded Social Worker
4	Pr. Anandi Prasad Yadav	Lecture of Rajkya Polytechnic , Patna
5	Shri Sachidanand Singh	Former Magistrate, Bihar Government
6	Kumar Rameshm	Senior Press Reporter Hindustan
7	Shivnath Paswan	Awarded Teacher

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FORM NO. 10B

[SEE RULE 17B]

AUDIT REPORT UNDER SECTION 12A (b) OF THE INCOME- TAX ACT, 1961, IN THE CASE OF CHARITABLE OR RELIGIOUS TRUSTS OR INSTITUTIONS.

We have examined the balance sheet of RASHTRIYA JHARKHAND SEVA SANSTHAN. VILL.-SIHAS, P.O.-SATGAWAN, DIST.-KODERMA, JHARKHAND as at 31.03.2009 and the income & expenditure account for the year ended on those dates which are in statement with the books of account maintained by the said trust or institution.

We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of the audit. In our opinion, proper books of account have been kept by the above named trust or institution so far as appears from our examination of books.

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to information given to us he said accounts give a true and fair view :-

- (i) In the case of balance sheet of the state of affairs of the above named trust of institution as at 31.03.2009, and
- (ii) In the case of income & expenditure account, of the excess of income over expenditure for the accounting year ending on 31.03.2009.

The prescribed particulars are annexed hereto.

Place : Hazaribagh

Date : 10.06.2009

For **U. NARAIN & CO.**
Chartered Accountants

Rajal
(RAJ KUMAR JAIN)
Partner

Memo No. : 72216

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RASHTRIYA JHAKRIHAND SEVA SANSTHAN
VILL.-SIHAS, P.O.-SATGAWAN
DIST.-KODERMA, JHARKHAND

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2009

LIABILITIES	AMOUNT	ASSETS	AMOUNT
<u>CAPITAL FUND</u>		<u>FIXED ASSETS: GENERAL</u>	
Opening Balance	135370.00	Land : O.B.	38270.00
		Building: O.B.	132795.00
		Office Equipment : O.B.	5175.00
		Books: O.B.	4636.00
<u>LOANS</u>		Baby Balance Machine : O.B.	1000.00
From Prakalp-Total Sanitation Campaign	20000.00	Computer : O.B.	40000.00
		Other Assets : O.B.	25156.00
		Shed Construction : O.B.	13551.00
<u>CURRENT LIABILITIES :SSA</u>		Blanket / Dari : O.B.	4939.00
From Prakalp-Total Sanitation Campaign	388000.00	Bicycle : O.B.	14931.00
		Motorcycle : O.B.	43870.00
		Patal Plate Machine : O.B.	37650.00
		Sewing Machine:O.B. 13840.00	
		Add : Purchased <u>7200.00</u>	21040.00
		furniture : O.B.	22579.00
		Television : Purchased	8200.00
		Loudspeaker Set : Purchased	8550.00
		Harmonium : Purchased	4310.00
		Pump Set ; Purchased	<u>14480.00</u>
			441132.00
		<u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>	
		Cash Balance	14887.00
		Bank Balance	
		BOI- A/c No. SB5470	1362.00
		BOI- A/c No. SB6868	6821.50
		BOI- A/c No. SB5548	1318.00
		BOI- A/c No. SB4793	3053.00
		PNB- A/c No.127	1729.00
		SBI- A/c No. 30309118658	<u>10039.00</u>
			39209.50
		<u>GENERAL FUND</u>	
		Opening Balance	67597.50
		Less : Excess of Income over Expenditure	<u>4569.00</u>
			63028.50
	543370.00		543370.00

PLACE: HARARIBAG
DATE: 10.06.2009

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CONSOLIDATED INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED ON 31.03.2009

EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT	INCOME	AMOUNT
<u>TO REVENUE EXPENDITURE</u>		<u>BY GARANT IN AID</u>	
Community Mental Health	102500.00	Community Mental Health	76800.00
Total Sanitation Campaign	977256.00	Total Sanitation Campaign	884764.00
Patal Plate	143425.00		
General	385357.00	<u>BY INTEREST FROM BANK</u>	
		Kishori Niketan	46.00
		Surva Shiksha Abhiyan	301.00
		Community Mental Helth	137.00
		Total Sanitation Campaign	1833.00
		General	112.00
<u>TO EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE</u>	4569.00	<u>BY OTHERS</u>	
		Donation-Community Mental Health	25000.00
		Regn Fees-Total Sanitation Campaign	67850.00
		Sale of Patal Plate-Patal Plate	149300.00
		<u>GENERAL</u>	
		Local Contribution	214444.00
		Membership Fees	9555.00
		Donation	95112.00
		Community Rehabilitation	85153.00
		Organisation Incentive	2700.00
	1613107.00		1613107.00

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