

LOK SHAKTI SAMITI

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From the Directors desk..... 

It is a long time, Lok Shakti Samiti is being working with grass root and gradually bringing in strategic shifts to empower the community and by emphasizing on local issues. We have been enhancing our capacities for people's development taking programs like National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MNREGAS), Water, health & sanitation in rural areas, Panchayatiraj Empowerment in rural areas, Child issue. LSS continues to work on its mission to support and facilitate common people and provide them platforms for their development.

With a clear objective to more extension our reach and serve our beneficiaries in a larger scale , LSS is making continuous efforts. It has been our continuous mission to improve our performance so that LSS could reach its goal more effectively.

LSS has received support and participation from its various stakeholders. We are thankful to all our well wishers and sponsors and we hope that their support will continue to strengthen LSS also in future.



**Shyam Sundar Yadav
Director**

Introduction

LSS believes in indigenous knowledge of traditional communities and their representatives through which they sustain their livelihood, cure diseases, conserve Natural resources. It is whole new and innovative world of the people, which has to be recognized and given due respect. LSS streamlines the people's power into development action, addressing local issues and fusing a change process.

LSS is working in 2 districts i.e Raigarh and Jaspur of Chhattisgarh including 350 villages of 209 panchayats.

LSS is working on the current and several issues of community to avail them a dignified life through their empowerment and leadership development. The works of the organization range from community organization to local self-governance and human welfare. This document represents the activities completed from April 2016 to March 2017, which emphasized on livelihood, MGNREGA, CFT, QUICK WIN, CHILDLINE 1098, TB Control, and SHG Formation.

Child line 1098

CHILDLine active 24 hour and in between 60 minutes of phone call the CHILDLLine team reaches the place and immediately gives service to the children. CHILDLLine Raigarh (LSS) works both for Urban and Rural children but prioritizes the need of the child. The child line team accesses the problems of children through Open-house and outreach process. To sensitize the families and relatives sensitization and information dissemination programs were done.

CHILDLINE (1098) is a project of Ministry of Women and Child development government of INDIA This is a 24 hour phone service for children who are in need of security and care along with the children who are facing the violation of child rights. The service is available for the children

Who are alone or sick

- Facing violation of child rights
- Child labor
- Lost child
- Helpless or orphan
- Separated from family and need of help to go home
- The person who wants to provide service to CHILD LINE



Child line Raigarh's achievements of Last year-

Types of calls	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
Intervention done												
Medical	4	4	3	4	1	9	10	13	12	14	5	4
Shelter	-	2	1	7	7	5	2	4	2	-	1	1
Restoration (within the country)	5	5	2	12	1	5	2	1	2	-	6	3
Protection from abuse	12	8	14	6	2	1	3	22	15	16	8	11
Sponsorship	16	20	6	10	7	-	1	-	2	-	17	1
Missing Children												
Child Lost	1	-	2	4	3	-	6	-	5	5	3	3
Parents Asking Help	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Emotional Support & Guidance	1	-	-	6	46	33	1	23	9	20	13	-
Cases from other CHILDLINE & NGOs	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Intervention	2	1	12	12	1	3	3	2	4	2	4	-
Total	41	41	41	61	68	56	28	65	51	57	57	23
VI. Information												
Info & referrals to services	17	11	6	19	55	14	10	14	17	10	8	5
Information about CHILDLINE & volunteers	-	2	9	9	2	12	2	4	3	12	4	1
VII. Unclassified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VIII. Others												
Wrong	-	1	1	1	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	1
Follow up calls: At City Level	2	3	-	2	2	-	2	2	2	3	4	4
Follow up calls: calls for cases from other CLs	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phone-testing calls	-	-	160	49	40	35	31	40	40	38	36	12
Administrative	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Personal calls	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	22	19	176	83	103	62	46	61	63	63	52	25

Besides these, child line provide service with cooperation of following departments-

- District administration
- Women and child development
- Police department
- Labor department
- Health department
- Education Department
- PRIs and workers
- NGOs
- Telephone department
- Transport department
- Nagar nigam raigarh.

Mega Watershed

Lok Shakti Samiti Raigarh is implementing the project **High Impact Mega Watershed Project, Chhattisgarh** from October 2018 in Raigarh District's of 02 block including Gharghoda block as intensive and Kharsia block as Non intensive, Total 16 staff has been appointed for project implementation. Duration of project is 04 yrs. from October 2018 to September 2022.

Objectives:

1. Undertaker land and water treatment measures covering approx 7.29 Lakh hectare of catchments in Chhattisgarh state.
2. Improve crossing intensity in approx 3.5 lakh hectares of land
3. Built capacities of the front line functionaries, PRIs, committee members on Ridge to valley principle of watershed is implementation

Activities under the project

- Training provided to all project staff on watershed concept, DPR Preparation, Improved Agriculture
- On 17th and 18th May 2019 at Ambikaur a training was imparted based on Organic Farming to Coordinator, Cluster coordinator and Watershed Expert
- On 26th and 27th June 2019, at Raigarh GIS mapping training provided to Watershed Expert and MIS person.
- On 14th and 15th October 2019 at Raipur GIS mapping & Narwa DPR Preparation training provided to Watershed Expert and MIS person
- On 3rd and 4th March 2020 at Raipur GIS mapping (2nd phase) training provided to Watershed Expert
- Total 30 GRS of Kharsiya (Non Intensive) block provided 3 days Watershed concept training which was organized on 23rd to 25th July 2019 and 25th to 27th Feb 2020, where the watershed concept and DPR was key topic of the training. The main



objective was preparation of 30 GPs DPR. The BRLF staff is taking continue follow up of progress of DPR status.

- Total 35 GRS of Gharghoda (Intensive) block provided 3 days Watershed concept training which was organized on 6th to 8th March 2020, where the watershed concept and DPR was key topic of the training. The main objective was preparation of 30 GPs DPR. The BRLF staff is taking continue follow up of progress of DPR status.
- On 26th September 2019 CEO ZP Raigarh held a meeting of MGNREA PO and GRS at Kharsia block, where the CEO directed to complete the DPR preparation in time line.
- One day training of Panchayat representatives (PRIs), including a training in Non intensive block Kharsia has been organized in which 350 women and 416 male representatives total 766 were presented. Mainly for preparing DPR and providing information about the principals and purpose of watershed. Total 17 trainings done.,
- Total 20 times, One day training of SHG/VOs including 02 training in Non intensive block Kharsia has been organized in which 790 women and 60 male representatives total 850 were presented. Mainly for preparing DPR and providing information about the principals and purpose of watershed
- Total 16 times, One day training on Improved Agriculture has been conducted to SGHs and PRIs, in which 415 women and 312 male representatives total 727 were presented. It was focused on promotion of NPM based agriculture.
- One day training on crop planning and management has been conducted to SGHs PRIs and community, in which 73 women and 23 male representatives total 96 were presented. It was focused on NPM Agriculture, less/stop uses of Inorganic fertilizers and Pesticides, Seed treatment, to preparation of Jiwamrit, Handi Dawa, Line Sowing, Adoption of traditional seeds etc. total 4 trainings imparted.
- One day training on value chain development of local NTFP product has been conducted to SGHs and community, in which 203 women and 140 male representatives total 343 were presented. total 10 trainings organised and it was focused on NTFP collection, storage, processing, and better earnings.

- 10 Producer Group of Farmers has been formed in 10 GPs in Gharghoda Block, 1 group in each GP consist 10-15 farmers in a group. There are total 112 male members in 10 groups.
- 40 Demo plats were established in 13 villages covering around 53 acre. Demo was done through cultivation of paddy, wheat, chilly and vegetables
- 101 families covered in Agriculture intervention, the intervention was focused on NPM adoption; Line sowing, Seed treatment, land preparation.



Utthan

The program focus is on schedule tribes, PVTGs and weaker sections of communities who live and dwell in proximity to the tribal communities in general. Raigarhis tribal dominated district and around 70% of its population belongs to rural area. The major tribes of the Raigarh district are the Oraon, Nagesia, Kanwar, Birhor, Baiga, PahadiKorwa. These communities face extreme backwardness, chronic poverty and malnutrition in exasperated forms which leads to stunting growth rate of children up-to 40.4% below 5 years, 30.2% women affected by low body mass, 42.2% non-pregnant and 38.8% pregnant women are anemic in the region which directly linked to food and nutrition crisis. Literacy rate is also very less among tribal community.

The main aim of the program is to support the tribal communities (ST and PVTGs) through empowered animation for participation in decision making bodies (Gram Sabha) and being sensitized to access entitlements through their active involvement. Tribal are more

vulnerable and marginalized due to their poor socio-economic conditions in terms of work-participation and access to various eligible government entitlements and flagship program.

1. Community level sensitization and consultation meeting: Village level meeting organized to acknowledge about the program and rapport building among community and to understand current situation of available resources and facilities.

2. Leadership development training for formation & strengthening CBOs: Training program organized for community institution building on their roles and responsibilities and on leadership building. Identification of community leaders for effective functioning of institutions and raise their voice at larger platform.

3. Training on govt. ongoing schemes and support to make and available their relevant documents: One day program was conducted at every village to explain the procedure of application of several government schemes as State government implements several programmes and schemes (through various departments like panchayat, civil supplies, agriculture, tribal welfare and development, irrigation etc). Community will be given trainings on how to access benefits of government schemes.

4. Training on legal documents required for entitlements: A cadre of male and female got trained for preparation of various documents and to assist needy people for availing services like Aadhar card, Ration card, caste certificate, Land Patta, MGNREGA etc.

5. Camps for preparations of application to entitlements at village level: Programs facilitate maximum community members (including widow, widowers, PVTGs, PLWDs) to apply for their entitlements related to different line department and Govt. schemes.

6. Training on legal and right literacy: Constitutional and legal protections and benefits are available for tribal community program organized at village level on rights of tribal community.

7. Food & Nutrition Security Initiatives: Considering the lack of dietary diversity, which is essential for the good health. Innovative and sustainable micro-farming solutions will be identified and promoted among community to establish nutritional/kitchen garden to fulfill basic need of food and nutrition. Promotion of traditional agriculture practices also ensured among tribal community.

8. Exposure visit for better agriculture practices: Exposure visit organized for community leaders for better understanding on sustainable agricultural practices by interacting and identify different interventions at grass roots level.

9. Interface meetings with government departments: Benefits of most programmes and schemes do not reach deserving Tribal because of several reasons which include lack of community responsiveness and ignorance. Interface meetings were being organised on a regular basis at cluster level with government officials for better interaction with communities, inform them about various schemes and redress grievances of communities with regard to scheme implementation and thus improve the overall effectiveness of the implementation of government schemes and programmes.

10. Women participation in governance system: As per 73rd constitutional amendment of panchayati raj Act 50% women participation required in gram sabha meeting to ensure that sensitization meetings were organized for the same and to organise special women gram sabha to highlight women issues at that platform.

11. Training on PESA and FRA: Cluster level training cum meeting organized on PESA and FRA provisions to build understanding and claiming Land Patta and community forest right.

12. Organize food and nutrition security mela: Food mela organized at panchayat level to educate women nutritional aspect of the food variety available locally and food that is being provided at the AWC and schools MDM as well as nutritional supplement to lactating mothers as health initiatives of the government.



13. Training/workshop on cultivation of traditional food grain: Village level workshop organizing on cultivation of traditional food grain of farming and crop diversification. Thereby influencing in better yield and better nutritious food for consumption as well and sale to enhance their income - which invariably support health and nutrition specially for children who are between the age group of 06 to 10 years.

14. Project orientation: Two days program will be organized for the staff. They will learn the concept of project, clarity on goal, objectives, outputs and activities for better implementation of the project.

15. Training of project team (Agriculture, nutrition, CFR, Govt. schemes and people organizations): The purpose of the training to develop the capacity of staff to organize the programs in village level. The topics will be imparted on agriculture practices and scope of nutrition, provisions of forest rights and procedure to claim them, details of various government schemes. And formation and strengthen CBOs and their skill development.

16. Monthly review meeting of project team: Every month monthly meetings were organized to evaluate the last month's activities and assessment of progress and finalize action plan for the current month through staff participation.

17. Baseline survey in target villages: The actual Base line survey was done by the trained project staffs. The data collected were monitored closely and validated from time to time so that information sought from the survey will survey the purpose of setting the evidence and benchmarking the progress.

18. Visibility and Branding -IEC Materials: Flex and banners were prepared for various training and workshop programs which are proposed in the project.

Conclusion

2019-20 was an important and successful year for LSS. In order to be ready for the next year, LSS has identified its need to focus more and more on work quality and depth of implementation, moving from being an organization that provides programs for basic activities to an organization that can deliver full support all year round to beneficiaries. In order to meet this requirement, we need to have stronger strategic models and there are many internal challenges to be met.

FY: 2019-20	Grant Received	Expenditure
Childline	2134215.00	1437257.00
BRLF Mega Watershed	3028453.00	3025909.00
BRLF FC	215470.00	192440.00
Caritas India Utthan	753249.00	885796.00
Total	6131387.00	5541402.00

