

WORK REPORT

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NEIGHBOURHOOD MEETING

04/08/2017

I visited and spend time with one of the homogenous Kudumbasree Neighbourhood meeting named "Pulari". The group consist of more than 16 members. The members in pulari neighbourhood met every saturday regularly at 3pm in one of the members house alternatively on constant basis. In Pulari Mrs Rekha Baburaj is presiding as President ,Mrs Assena as Secretary & Mrs Thaheera as health education Volunteer. This Group was started in 2015 and they are conducting audit in every financial year.They are collecting Rs 30 from every members during meeting.In the meeting they discussed about the recent functions with in the members family and how they are going to help those members financially. They also talk about the importance of spreading farming among themselves for producing hazardless healthy foods for their families and societies .From all the observations i found out that all of the members in this neighbourhood are financially backward and they don't get any training from their local body authorities,only two or three members in this group are doing some individual domestic works like terrace farming, stiching,snacks makin etc.also..Above all this,they work very consistently and reliabily.The member in this group are educated and ofcourse will perform better if they get a proper training course.I suggest the authorities should consider and should do the needful..

CDS

4/07/2017

Friday

Today I visited Kottakara CDS . This CDS has 18 ADS and 258 Neighbour Hood .It includes General Neighbour hoods -190 , minority Neighbour hoods -36 ,SC Neighbour hoods-30,Total number of Neighbour hood members – 3595,APL members -1398, BPL members – 2197 and Graded neighbourhood -202.This CDS members started 47 microenterprises. 32 Balashapha and 39 JLG's comes under this CDS.Kottarakara CDS provide 124 ASHRAYA beneficiaries (Ist part -26& IInd part -98).Around 100 members waiting for entrepreneur development programmes.And I met Mr.Mukesh,(Welfare Standing Committee Chairman Kottarakara Municipality) discussed about their activities and working skills.He said that they have been working very well & their CDS activities are measurable to anothers in past years and most of their microenterprises had started in the beginning of this year in Kottarakara Municipality.I would like to mention here that this CDS is doing well and their activities are much superior oriental.

MICRO ENTERPRISE

05/08/2017

Saturday

Today i visited a catering unit started in muslim streat, kottarakara.The catering group consists of 7 members .They have good tidy working space. All of the members are educated and they produce and use their own vegetables by JLG.Instead of plastic paper material they use paper plates and steel tiffin boxes for packing which is eco friendly and presentable. They have mobile service unit for catering foods. More than 200 meals boxes are selling every day which is profitable for them in all manner. In breakfast menu they are providing appam, idly, puri masala,which is pleasable & are given to customers by their ordering needs. Most of the govt offices and other banking staffs in and around kottarakara are their regular customers nowadays.They give vegetable meals for Rs.50/- & meals including fish for Rs 70/-.I must include this that they have very good opportunity in this catering field and they all are working consistently and in an appreciable manner . Every day 11 am they opens the mobile catering service and after 3 pm they collected their plates & tiffin boxes from offices and cleaning procedures is distributed evenly among themselves . They have a small bio gas plant where wastes are dumped regularly.they also got proposal from marriages and some other functions. They said that it is profitable now and have high market favour. Lack of money is a problem for them recently. They added that they are in need of financial helps from local bodies.



JOINT LIABILITY GROUP

05/08/2017

Saturday

I visited one of the Group farming in muslim street , Kottarakkara municipality.They are 7 members unitly doing the farming, started their work in 2015. They said that all of the farming works are doing by themselves without the help of any workers.They have rented 1acre plot and started their farming before 2 years.They got training from Synd RSETI, kottiyam in 2016 & took 2 lacks loan from uco bank kottarakara.In the farm land they cultivate tapicoca,Banana,vegetables like pea,spinash etc.All the members are educated and everyday morning from 8 am they start working continuing till the eve. 2016 was a profitable year for them &got a better result than what they have actually expected.. Now they have started a small catering unit and are using their cultivated fresh vegetables for making dishes &also the members are selling fresh vegetables in kottarakara market,it has remarkable selling market. Now this JLG is in a stable condition and they all are planning to extend their farming so the farmland.Due to the same they are seeking a loan from NULM. They have mentioned me about the needs. Now all the members are happy to do their works consistently.

Ashreya beneficiary

04/08/2017

Friday

I go to see and spend time with Mr Anas, a 35 year old male who is one of the Ashreya beneficiary in kottarakara municipality. He has been bedridden for 5 years and doctors have diagnosed him with spinal paralysis. He is in constant pain for more than 5 years staying with his parents in a small devastating house in 10 cents plot. In my observation they seem to be poor and leading a miserable life. His father works for daily wages which doesn't even fulfill their needs, thus Kudumbasree is providing medicines, cloths and food for him as he is the beneficiary which is not sufficient for his family. He should be considered for the Ashreya scheme because this man is struggling very much for a cozy shelter.

CONCLUSION

All the reports i above said & mentioned are true to my knowledge.What i saw and go through when i visit those individuals and groups, i have clearly represented in the reports without any doubts.All the field assisgnment was overall nice experience for me as a multitask personnel.