The 2020-21 financial year was indeed a challenging one for Kudumbashree. Our main focus was on activities related to fighting back covid. We stressed to roll out measures to manage crisis created by the pandemic and the lockdown notified in connection with it. Also, in the second half of the financial year we focused also on the planned programmes. Kudumbashree team was also able to make many notable achievements during 2021-21 financial year.

We able to start 1007 Janakeeya Hotels during 2020-21 financial year (1063 hotels till 21 May 2021). It is one among the notable achievements of Kudumbashree. Meals @ Rs 20 are being served to about one and half lakh people everyday from these hotels. Interest free loan of Rs 1917.55 crores was given to 25.17 lakh families who were in covid crisis. This was done through Chief Minister's Helping Hand Loan Scheme (CMHHLS) implemented through Kudumbashree.

Also, Kudumbashree extended good support to the LSGI level Rapid Response Teams which had set a model for providing various services...
to the public during the spread of covid-19 pandemic. These achievements include various services such as mask/ sanitiser production, implementation of Vidyashree Chitty associating with KSFE for making available student laptops for online education support, awareness activities through Break the Chain Campaign, the support extended to the elderly and destitute families during lockdown and the services extended to the children of BUDS Schools.

Moreover, Kudumbashree's role as a livelihood mission is also highlighted in 2020-21. This is in addition to these social interventions made during the crisis situation of covid-19 pandemic. More than 50,000 self employment opportunities were created through Kudumbashree. In addition to the micro enterprises, women farmers who are part of 63,999 Kudumbashree farming groups (Joint Liability Groups) have become active in farming and extended great support to the Subiksha Keralam Programme of the Government. More than 1000 agricultural enterprises were started to create a value chain. Harithakarmasena groups are functioning in 971 LSGIs as Kudumbashree enterprises. Also, team Kudumbashree implemented all the six centrally sponsored programmes at its best even during the crisis situations.

We had prepared and published a book on the results of these activities. You may read that book in this link https://www.kudumbashree.org/pages/159 from the 'Books and Brochures' section in Kudumbashree's website. In this book named as 'Kudumbashree Achievements 2020-21', various activities of Kudumbashree is presented and is arranged under the sub headings such as Organisation strengthening, Micro Finance, Micro Enterprises, Social Development etc. Hope everyone would read this book that contains the achievements of our team Kudumbashree. Please do let us know your suggestions as well.