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VALICODE CDS
Vallicode CDS is situated in Pathanamthitta District. The northern southern side is protected by tall hills and a beautiful green valley’s emerges in between the hills. The valley decorated by tall trees and lush green vegetation descends to the paddy fields at the centre, which was watered by the stream originating from the hills. Flowing through the heart of the village.

CDS AN OVERVIEW
Name of CDS : Vallicode
Affiliation No : P.409/2002
Taluk : Konni
Block : Konni
District : Pathanamthitta
Total No.of wards : 15
Total Population : 20750
Total Households : 5212
Kudumbashree Members : 2375(General-1731,SC-644)
Total No.of NHGs : 171(general-177,SC-14)
No.of Balasabha units : 26
No.of JLGs : 125
No.of Micro enterprises units : 50(group and individual)
Total Savings : 13160194
Total Internl Lending : 60550751
Total Linkage Loan : 65695486
Community Enterprises fund : 10,00,000
GENERAL ACHIEVEMENTS

Micro- finance: Vallicode CDS did a Lot of Interventions in the field of Micro finance. Total Savings of the CDS increased to 4.90 Crores from 3.58 Crores earlier. 100% Bank linkage is achieved. Through two Major Loan Schemes; RKLS (Resurgent Kerala Loan Scheme) and Chief Ministers Helping hand Loan Scheme (CMHLS) Rs.5046500 and Rs.14922976 were distributed to various NHG members. In order to keep families away from private lending institutions A loan a program named”MUTTATHE MULLA” is successfully implemented and 35,77,000 loan amount is disbursed to various NHGs in the vallicode CDS. To ensure the timely repayment of these loans a committee has also constituted in the CDS. In addition CDS also conducts accounting training for the Governing members. CDS, ADS and NHG level Auditing is also done on time.

Balasabha: To promote artistic and athletic abilities and to increase the savings habits of children’s 59 balasabha units are functioning in 15 wards with 898 Childrens. wide varieties of activities like Balasangamam, Balasabha campaign, Naadine Ariyaan, Balakrishi, Bala library, Balasabha Magazine
MKSP:
Total NO.of JLG : 125
Total Area : 386 acres
Plant Nursery : One
Bio pharmacy : One
JLG Incentive : 394000 (96 Unit)
JLG Interest Subsidy: 544000 (68)
CIG Loan : 60000
JLG flood assistance: 732500 (39 JLG)
Farming Equipment’s: 205000 (41 JLGs)

In addition to the above 5 lakhs saplings were distributed to all NHG members as part of environmental day. Regular conduct of Weekly markets Monthly markets and festival Markets like onam markets, Christmas market gives more opportunities to the units for the sale of their products on time.

Under the Subhiksha Kerala project fallow lands were identified and cultivation of paddy and banana were started in 128 places. Rice is branded as Vallicode Rice

DDUGKY: Through DDUGKY Unemployed youths are being identified, trained and given jobs through job melas. 28 were trained from the CDS and got placed

Social Development: 112 people were identified through DFK survey. Of these 112 identified, food and other items being delivered to 101 people on monthly basis.
• House Maintenance assistance to 8 Families
• Health card Distribution through Medical camps
• Homeless people were Included in the LIFE Mission Project
Gender: Gender Resources Centre has been started with the objective of various women empowerment activities for the upliftment of women. Successfully conducted “NEETHAM” Campaign for the prevention and response to violence against women and children’s. In order to impart knowledge about Kudumbashree and its various schemes to all NHG Members Kudumbashree School Program conducted in All NHGs. Conducted Training on Gender equality and justice in three phases for each person from one NHG in 15 wards. 32 people living alone in their homes were identified through Snehitha Calling Bell and give them assistance and support. Vigilant Groups formed in 15 Wards.
SPECIAL ACTIVITIES BY CDS

1. **Snehaveed**: Kudumbashree CDS built a house for a family with a mentally ill husband and two children’s residing at 13th ward of Vallicode Panchayaths. With the help of all NHG members 4, 50,000 rupees were raised and built a Snehaveed.

2. **Medical Assistance**: Under the leadership of CDS, Rs.11, 75,000 has been raised for medical Assistance for the family members of Kudumbashree who are suffering from various illness.

3. **Help Desk**: Kudumbashree Help Desk has been started in association with Panchayaths for writing applications and other assistance to those who come to the Panchayaths with various needs.

4. **Gender Resource Centre**: Gender Resources Centre were started in order to provide training for women empowerment programs, awareness class, counselling to women and children.

5. **Agricultural Sector**: To Achieve the Goal of “Tharishu Rahitha Panchayaths” 128 acres fall lands identified and make them cultivable through convergence with MGNREGS

6. **Bala Library**: In order to increase habits of children’s Bala library is formed adjacent to the CDS Office, Books for the Library is

7. **Jankeeya Hotel**: One of the most important budget announcement of the kerala Government is “Janakeeya Hotel “which offer meals at Rs.20

8. **Dis Infection Team**: Dis Infection Team formed as part of the covid prevention Activities in the CDS
FLOOD AND COVID RELATED ACTIVITIES

We all know that Kerala has gone through unprecedented conditions during the last three years. Vallicode CDS did a lot of works during the flood and Covid 19 situations in the state. When the flood hits in the year 2018, 75% of the Vallikkode Panchayaths were covered under water. CDS system in the Panchayaths provide both psychological and infrastructural support to the families of the flood affected areas and those who were in the camps. CDS Members along with the Kudumbashree Members Clean up the flood affected houses and and make them habitable. With the Help of Kudumbashree Members food, medicines and clothes were delivered to the people those who were in the camps, and also donate Rs.1, 50,000/-to the Chief Ministers Disaster Relief fund which was collected from the NHG members of Vallicod CDS. 1.5 Lakhs worth Lottery tickets were sold which was introduced by Kerala government as part of the Post flood activities of the State. Through the CDS intervention daily necessities received from NGO s were also donate to the families of flood affected area. In 2019 also they were donate daily necessities worth Rs. 2.5 lakhs to the various flood affected districts. Lots of exemplary activities were done by Vallicode CDS even while the lockdown situation exists in our State. The most important one was the community kitchen. CDS identified people those having difficulty to get food during the lock down period and delivered food to them through volunteers. All the food items were found from the Kudumbashree Members, cooked and delivered to the needy people with the help of Panchayaths. In addition to that “Janakeeya Hotel” that offer lunch for Rs.20, announced by Kerala Govt.as part of Budget speech was also started in the CDS. As part of the Chief Ministers helping hand Loan Scheme (CMHLS) implemented by Government of Kerala, 1156 backward families were identified and given Rs.1, 49, 22,976 as interest free loan. During this period when the school system was going online, vallicode CDS found children’s from the poorest families those who didn’t have mobile phones or television and bought them four televisions for their online studies. In addition to this Covid Care centre, Disinfection teams comprises of Haritha Karma Sena Members were functioning in the CDS. Community Councillors also provides counselling assistance to those who experiencing loneliness and isolation at home in the present situation.

RECOGNITIONS

1. Kudumbashree ARANGU District level Overall champions For the Last three Years
2. In 2018 and 2019 Vallicode CDS is selected as the Best CDS in the District.
3. In the year 2019-20 Gender Resource Centre in Vallicode CDS is selected as the Model GRC.
CONVERGENCE WITH OTHER DEPARTMENT
- Haritha Karma Sena with haritha Keralam and suchithwa mission
- Convergence with NREGS construction of plant Nursery, pond, Coir geotextile, etc
- Fisheries department
- Associate with Krishibhavan Distribution of seeds, fertilizers, grow bag to JLG units

EXPERIENCE SHARED BY CDS CHAIRPERSON
Sreeja Aji, chairperson of Vallicode CDS has been the part of the Kudumbashree system in vallicode CDS from its inception. She Acts as NHG Secretary, ADS Secretary, CDS Members, CDS vice chairperson and finally becomes Chairperson of Vallicode CDS from 2015. She did a lot of activities in Vallicode CDS and all that we have seen earlier. But the most memorising and Satisfying experience is to build a house for a poor NHG member in vallicode CDS. Her Husband is a mental illness patient and have 2 Kids. With the help of Kudumbashree Members CDS raise Rs.4,50,000/- and built a beautiful house. She feels pride to be part of Kudumbashree.