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VISION

"A literate, healthy and self-reliant Community"

MISSION

- *Identify and work with socially and economically backward people, especially girls and differently-abled;
- *Enhance people's skills, especially of the youth;
- *Promote community self-reliance through community participation.

ABOUT NIPUN

"NIPUN" - a Hindi word, meaning 'one who is skilled' - is a Non Government Organization founded by a group of socially conscious development workers in 2005.

Its primary aim is to enhance quality of life of the poor and the vulnerable children, youth and women are its target group, with physically and mentally challenged children and adult forming a priority category. Pre, Non-formal and Remedial Schools, Community Health Programmes and Promotion of Self Help Groups form its major strategies.

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HIGHLIGHTS

HAPPY CHILDREN'S DAY



Bal Sabha

On the occasion of Children's Day 2022, our children took an initiative to sensitize the community especially children about community sanitation & stop open defecation surrounding the community of Bengali Camp Slum of West Delhi.

We organized a series of programs like Children's Assembly to talk about use of community toilets, stop single use plastics, proper disposal of garbage and talk on safety measures to keep safe from dengue. All the discussion was held under the tree & different streets of the slum community to disseminate & sensitize maximum children on community sanitation issues to change their behaviour. The participants enthusiastically attended and took oath to keep the community clean. The children also performed cultural activities, poems & sang "Ham Honge Kamyab Ek Din"



Girls Raised their Voices on Child Rights

Every year, NIPUN - Shiksha Saheli project, South East Delhi celebrates Children's Day on November 14 to mark the birth anniversary of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, the first Prime Minister of our country.

The main purpose of celebrating Children's Day is to raise awareness of children's rights, care, and education. On the occasion, hundreds of children from Remedial & Non Formal Education Centers organized a campaign on 'Rights of Children' and before the campaign children beautifully wrote placards by addressing the rights of children like Rights of Education, Right to Survival, Right to be born, Right to Protection, Right to be protected from all sorts of violence, Right to Participation, Right to freedom of opinion etc.

During the campaign, adolescents girls raised their voices by shouting slogans "Humein Jeene Ka Adhikar Chahiye" & Right to Protection. The children were also introduced to the concept of sensitization of parents.





Art Exhibition 2022

NIPUN believes every child is an artist. On the occasion of Children's Day, we organised an art exhibition in the slum community with the active participation of young children on 18th November, 2022.

The main objective of the exhibition was to showcase their creativity and hidden talent of the underprivileged children with their parents. Hundreds of young children showcased his/her imagination on drawing sheets by painting rainbow colors. Creativity of children were also exhibited at NIPUN Centres for demonstration to other students and their families. During the exhibition all the children participated with full enthusiasm and zeal. All the young artists were awarded with appreciation certificates. Prizes along with certificates were handed over to 05 best artists.





According to Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri. Narendra Modi *"Science is like that energy in the development of 21st century India, which has the power to accelerate the development of every region, the development of every state."* NIPUN organized a Science Exhibition on 20th November 2022 at NIPUN's Knowledge Enhancement Centre, West District, Delhi.

The main objective of the Science Exhibition was not only to inculcate a scientific attitude and research-mindedness but also to enhance student's interest in science and technology.

The students showcased static and working models, which could be used for teaching and learning scientific concepts, especially for students of class V to VIII. During the exhibition, students demonstrated Solar System, Parts of the Plants, Growth of Plants, Water Cycle, Solar Eclipse, Lunar Eclipse and Speed Brake System etc. The Science Exhibition will also provide a platform for the students to use their scientific knowledge and bring the best invention from their brains. It also allows students to work together in groups and learn from each other. They share their ideas and collectively galvanize those ideas to bring something innovative into implementation. Appreciation certificates were handed over to all participants.





Empowering Girl Child

NIPUN - Empowering Girl Child project, West Delhi children celebrated "My Childhood, My Rights" (Mera Bachpan, Mera Adhikar) on 20th November, 22 at Bengali Camp slum cluster with full zeal and enthusiasm in the presence of their parents. During the celebration students of remedial and non formal education centres presented their views on the status of children in the slum communities, especially girl children and freely shared their experiences & challenges on right to education, right to equality, right to health, right to expression etc. Before the presentation, a group exercise was done by all the children on rights based, facilitated by the NIPUN team.

Neha, a 12 year old, Class V student spoke on "Free and compulsory education to all children of India in the 6 to 14 age group."

Children drew attention of all participants during the colorful cultural performance like Dandiya, Giddha & Bhojpuri songs & play on 'Importance of Education in Human Life'.

At the same time, appreciation certificates were handed over to all children who made the "Mera Bachpan, Mera Adhikar" event a great success.





Sports Day 2022 for Children of Construction Workers

On 21st November, 2022 NIPUN-DAY Care Centre, NOIDA organized a Sports Day 2022 for the 3 to 12 years age group children of construction workers, in which the children participated enthusiastically along with sportsmanship, team spirit and leadership. Which also enhanced the physical and mental development of children. Before the sports activities, all the beneficiaries of Pre School & Bridge Course took oath & performed cultural activities.

On the day, various sports activities were organized like 50 & 100 meter Flat Race, Sack Race, Lemon Race, Three Leg Race and Math Race etc. On the day, the funniest activities was sack race, which all the children enjoyed a lot. Prizes were handed over to all participants & NIPUN- Day Care Workers arranged special food for all children.



Construction Workers Actively Participated in Tug of War Event

NIPUN is running Day Care Centers at the construction sites of NOIDA and providing child care services to the children from birth to 12 years age group for their all round development. Generally, we organize sports activities for children but first time Day Care Workers organized Tug of War along with other activities with female construction workers to provide an opportunity & get away from routine work and do something new that will make them happy.

During the sports activities, 50 mothers actively participated in Tug of War event with full enthusiasm. Before the event mothers were divided in two teams: Crèches mothers Vs Balwadi mothers. Balwadi mothers pulled the rope aggressively against Crèches' mothers and won the Tug of War event. Both the team received prizes for energetic & enjoyable events.



Targeted Intervention project Transgenders

Transgenders honoured by the District Magistrate, South West District

NIPUN is executing a Targeted Intervention Project at Kapashera located in South West Delhi, where services are provided to hundreds of transgenders registered with us.

On 18.11.2022, NIPUN in collaboration with the District Magistrate Office, South West District, Delhi organized a Special Enrollment Camp for Third Gender (Transgender) eligible to be enrolled as electors in Delhi. On the day, we enrolled 76 transgenders in the electoral roll in the district and as on date we have enrolled more than 350 transgenders in total.

Shri. Hemant Kumar, District Magistrate, South West District honoured and presented a memento to Mx. Kajari and Mx. Rashi for motivating other transgender from the community to enroll in the electoral roll.



District Legal Services Authority at Doorstep of Transgenders

District Legal Services Authority, South West District, Delhi in collaboration with NIPUN organized an awareness program on the 'Protection of Rights Act, 2019' at Mahaveer Nagar, Near Power House, Dwarka on 11th November 2022. An interactive session was organised by Advocate Shri Sushil Kumar with the transgender people on the identity of transgender persons and prohibit discrimination in, inter alia, the fields of education, employment, healthcare, holding or disposing of property, holding public or private office and access to and use of public services and benefits. Overall the session was very appealing and informative for the transgender community.

NIPUN is extremely grateful to Delhi Legal Services Authority-South West District, Delhi for their valuable contribution in making self-reliant of the transgender community.



Eye Camp for Needy



NIPUN organized an Eye Check-up camp at Basti Vikas Kendra, J.J. Cluster, Bengali Camp in West Delhi on 18th November 2022 with the support and co-operation of Sahyog Foundation. Before the camp our team sensitized and aware the community about the upcoming eye checkup camp. The camp registration started at 10:30 am and ended at 4:00 pm. During the registration mostly women and Senior Citizens turned out.

The patients were checked by the Dr. Manoj Dubey, ophthalmologist and medical team. In this camp, 209 patients were examined for common eye problems, and provided free medicines, Eye drops and 88 Spectacles on subsidized rate to the needy.

A total of 209 people were screened during the camp and 6 Patients were identified and referred for cataract surgery. Apart from the above, all the registered beneficiaries underwent additional physical examination of their blood pressure, blood sugar to determine fitness for surgery.

Menstrual Hygiene Management

At NIPUN Vocational Training Centre, Nihal Vihar, West District, Delhi, an awareness camp was held on Menstrual Hygiene Management on 17th November, 2022 with 45 participants. After completion of the session, distributed Sanitary Napkins to adolescent girls.





This year, the theme for World Toilet Day is "Making the invisible Visible", which focuses on the impact of poor sanitation on groundwater, and how inadequate sanitation systems spread human waste into rivers, lakes and soil, polluting underground resources. NIPUN is regularly creating awareness for community sanitation, proper dispose of garbage, personal health and hygiene and highlighting the importance of using toilets. During the awareness programme, the team requested slum dwellers to change the behaviour and start using public toilets instead of open defecation. Due to lack of clean toilet facilities, many girls dropped out from school.

According to a group of women "due to lack of public toilets in the community, we are not feeling safe."



Veteran Social Worker motivated Young Entrepreneurs

On the occasion of World Toilet Day 2022, Veteran Social Worker & Founder Secretary, NIPUN motivated the young entrepreneurs of self employed tailor, beauty and wellness and computer unit trainees on importance of using toilets in human life and to maintain personal health and hygiene at the same time also disseminated the information further to the community to stop open defecation for the health benefit of all.





Celebrated 'Khilta Bachpan'

It is the right of every child to be provided opportunities for all-round growth and development to realize their full potential. The early years are the most significant years for human growth, development and learning for all children. NIPUN Day Care Centers celebrated "Khilta Bachpan" activities with 03 years to 6 years age group children to provide an opportunities growing children to showcase their learning & talent in front of their parents. Children of Haidarpur slum community, North District, Delhi presented colorful cultural activities which they have learned at Day Care Centers based on Mobile Creches curriculum & training. Tiny Tots in fancy dresses presented poems, story & play on vegetables, Fruits & Flowers. Also presented poem in a group wearing animals mask.

"Ghum- Ghum Kar Nacha Mor, Mai Hu Bandar, Mai Hu Banda, Hum Sab Saath Hai" etc. During the activities all the children enjoyed a lot.



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