

Tripura Adibashi Mahila Samity

Annual Report

2020-21

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Maharani Tulshibati Award 2020 conferred to late Anurupa Mukharjee on Teachers Day 2020

Independence Day celebration at JSS Office and Swadhar Greh.





Distribution of food materials to wage earners at Uttarmaharani under Khowai Dist.

Observence of Gandhi Jayanti at JSS office.





Prize distribution of poster making competition.

HOMAGE TO OUR FOUNDER



Late Anurupa Mukherjee alias MAANI is well known as pioneer Social Activist in the State of Tripura. Her main concern was to uplift educational and economical status of the tribal women in hilly and remote areas. The concept of running coaching centre for tribal girls, dropped out in Madhyamik Examination was initiated in the State by herself only. Formation and nurturing of Self Help group for Tribal men and women was initiated by the Samity in the year 1995 for social and economic empowerment of Tribal families.

Geographical isolation of the State, lack of communication, inaccessible remoteness of tribal areas, caused a formidable hurdle to run Welfare activities, but with the help of a bunch of dedicated members and workers, the Organization forged ahead with various welfare activities under the leadership of Lt Anurupa Mukherjee. Decades of self less work for the downtrodden people of Tripura, has made her as a mother figure and many prestigious State and National level Awards were offered to her.

Inspite of her physical non existence, the members and workers of the Organisation follow her ethics and social responsibility and are continuing to serve the distressed people in need of help and care. We strongly believe that, she is always amongst us and guiding us in every action we step forward. Annual Report - 2020-21

PREFACE

Tripura Adibashi Mahila Samity (TAMS) since its very inception in 1953 is forwarding for Human Welfare through its multifaceted activities. From running of Night school for illiterate women of Agartala slums areas ,to install solar streetlight in Coaching centre construction of Low cost sanitary latrines and Rain Water Harvesting Tanks in hilly areas, our organization has served thousands of needy families within the State. We have gathered experience to feel the necessity and demands of the local people and accordingly different projects were proposed to State and Central Govt for implementation.

It is working as the affiliated branch of All India Women's Conference, New Delhi, a National level NGO. 3 constituent branches of the Samity ,with 160 active members are implementing various projects of AIWC like Leadership Training for Adolescent Girls, Aneamia Detection Camp for Women and children, Vocational Training, Running Creche Centres etc..

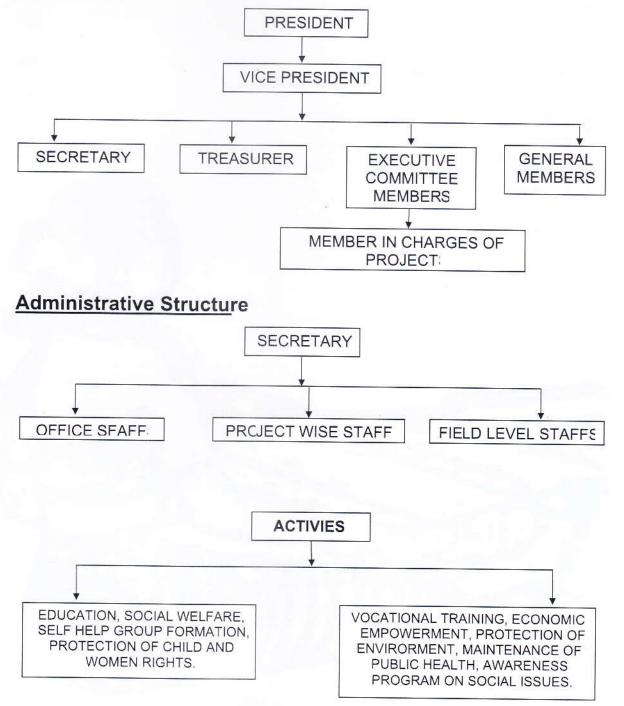
This year, due to the Pandemic situation, our activities were also somehow disturbed. But we have concentrated on serving the poor and distressed families who have lost their jobs or whose income has decreased due to the situation. Total 506. families were distributed ration items and 75 children in Creche centres were supplied with readymade food packets upto the month of March 2021.

We are grateful to The Executive Committee members, General members, staffs for their support and sincere efforts to achieve our goals. Without support from the funding agencies, it would not be possible to continue the works smoothly. We are thankful for their trust upon us.

We are with the hope that, the situation will gradually come to normal and with the help and support from all our well wishers, we shall march forward to reach to the needy people to serve them.

Smt Jharna Debbarma President, TAMS Smt Rita Roy Secretary, TAMS

Organogram:-



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ABOUT THE ORGANISATION

NAME	:	TRIPURA ADIBASHI MAHILA SAMITY 9/4 KRISHNANAGAR ROAD, ADVISOR CHOWMUHANI, AGARTALA, WEST TRIPURA
LEGAL STATUS	:	REGISTRATION NO '44' Dated 25-01-1964 UNDER SOCIETIES REGNACT 1860
FCRA REGN. NO 12 AA REGN. NO		206150051 DATED- 15-09-2018 CIT (EXMPTION), KOLKATA /12AA / 2020-21/ A /10528, DATED - 25-01- 2021
80 G REGN. NO		ITBA / EXM/S/80G/2020-21/1030089301(1) DATED - 25-01-2021
AFFILIATED BY	:	ALL INDIA WOMEN'S CONFERENCE, NEW DELHI

Mission :-

The mission of the Tripura Adibashi Mahila Samity is to assist the tribal population preferably the tribal girls, women on education, income generation and building their capacity to have sustainable livelihoods.

It further includes it's dedicated service for organizing all categories of women population of the state and towards shouldering responsibilities of executing various developmental programmes especially designed for women population of Tripura

Vision:-

The vision of the Tripura Adibashi Mahila Samity is to create opportunities for overall development of the tribal population and especially for the tribal women of Tripura. As women based development Institute, the Samity maintain balance approach for its development initiatives on gender issues, women Empowerment and towards ensuring sustainable development of the tribal women of Tripura.

REPORT ON PROJECTS

1. Anurupa Academy

(Sponsored by Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Govt of India) :-

The school is named as Anurupa Academy in the name of Late Anurupa Mukherjee, founder President of the Organisation. It started its functioning from 2008 at Pragati Road, Krishnanagar, Agaratala. Cost of food, books and stationaries, uniform, sports materials, salary to teachers and staffs etc are borne by the Ministry.

During this year (2019-2020) number of students enrolled are 100 nos. (VI to X). This institution is recognized by the School Education Department, Govt. of Tripura and is also affiliated to the Tripura Board of Secondary Education. Academic Session is started from the month of January to December. In the Annual examination 2020, class wise number of strength and passed students are as follows:

Class	Name of Exam.	No. of students appeared	No. of students passed 18	
VI	Annual	18		
VII	Do	16	16	
VIII	Do	15	15	
IX	Do	32	32	
Madhyamik Exam-2020		19	15	
Total		100 nos.		

• Result of Madhyamik Examination 2020

1st Divn - 1no with letter marks in Bengali, English and SSC.

 2^{nd} Divn -4 nos

3rd Divn - 10 nos

34 nos students will sit for Board Examination during 2021

This year, due to COVID 19 situation, new classes could not be started and the students had to leave school in March'20. Tripura Govt declared to keep all schools closed. Later on though State Education Dept tried to continue online classes through smartphone, but most of the students of the Academy belongs to poor families and it was not possible for their guardians to provide smartphone to the students. The teachers arranged books from I.S Office for the students and they also helped some students by providing notes questions etc through whatsapp. In Nov 20, when the intensity of CORONA virus somehow decreased in the State, 51 students of class IX and X were brought to the school .The teachers helped them to be prepared for the final examination.All the students were permitted to enter the school after thermal test and proper sanitization. Before that, whole premises of the school including dining hall toilets, dormitories etc were properly cleaned and sanitized. In March 21 the students were taken to Baramura Eco Park for Educational tour. Brahmaputra Board, Govt of India organized Sit & Draw and Essasy Competation among students as a part of Swachhata Pakhwara.



2. <u>SWADHAR GREH FOR DESTITUTE WOMEN:-</u> (Sponsored by Min. of Women & Child Dev, Govt of India):-

The Samity is running the Destitute Home since 1991 in the name of Short Stay Home. Destitute & deserted women, trafficked girls and women, unmarried mothers, sexually abused girls are sent to the Swadhar Greh by Police, Women's Commission, Court, Social Welfare Dept, Social Organisations etc for shelter. During the year, average no of inmates were 27 inmates (21 women and 6 children) in the Swadhar Greh. Total (51) destitute women were admitted and no. of discharged women were (40) nos during the year. 2 children are enrolled in nearby Anganwadi Centre. One inmate is working in a Xerox centre with monthly wages. of Rs 2000/-. Another inmate has been engaged as helper to cook in the Residential school for Rs 2250/- p.m. After attaining 55 years, one inmate has been sent to a private Old Age Home.

Their products are sold locally and the wages are handed over to them. New dresses were provided to the ladies and children during Durga Puja and Bengali New year. 2 sewing machienes, one mixer grinder, clothes, books and writing materials were donated to the inmates by some generous persons and voluntary organizations.

They celebrated various occasions like birthday of children, Saraswati Puja, Holi Utsav, Bengali New Years Day, Makar Sankranti etc. Monthly pocket money @ Rs 100/- for inmates and Rs 67/- for children are paid regularly.

A vocational training on Agarbati Stick making was organized for the inmates sponsored by the Directorate of Social Welfare & Social Education.

One swing machine has been donated by Alor Dishari, an NGO, to the inmates.



3. <u>RUNNING OF CRECHE CENTRE</u> Sponsored by Ministry of Women and child Development :-

3 nos. Crèche centres are running in Lefunga tribal area and, Kalachhara and Gopalnagar Tea garden under Mohanpur Block. 75 nos. children are being benefited in the centres by providing nutritional food, medicine etc. This year due to COVID 19, as per Govt decision, all Creche centres remain closed. But food materials, milk, egg and fruits were handed over to the guardians every month. Childline Agartala, Nodal distributed sweets and orange to the children on Childrens Day.



4. JAN SHIKSHAN SANSTHAN (Sponsored by Ministry of Skill Dev Govt. of India) :-

This project for vocational Training to illiterate, semi literate and neo literate persons has now been shifted to the Ministry of Skill Development from the Min. of Human Resources Dev. Govt. of India. Upto March 2021, no. of beneficiaries undergone training in different vocational courses were **1631** nos.. Capacity building workshops have been organized for the Master trainers & the Office staff of JSS by IIM, Guwahati. Due to COVID 19, all skill Dev training remained stopped upto July 2020 and from August 2020, trainings started in Tailoring, Beautician, Jute handicrafts, Embroidery, Incense stick making, Mushroom cultivation, Data Entry Operator, Welding etc. JSS has also observed important Days like May Day, Ajeebika Diwas, World Environment Day, World Yoga Day, Rastriya Ekta Dibas, Swachhata Pakhwara ,International Women's Day and Gandhi Jayanti involving the trainees and trainers of different training courses.Training on PFMS was organized at Guwahati, for Director and 3 staffs of JSS Agartala. 2 experts from IIM Guwahati, organized training for the Master Trainers of Jss in Entreprenurship Dev.



5. <u>CHILDLINE AGARTALA (NODAL)</u> (Sponsored by Ministry of Women & Child Development):-

The Organisation is working as the NODAL Agency of Childline Agartala for Care & Protection of Children in crisis, since 2011. As the Nodal Organisation in West Tripura , Childline Agartala supervises the activities of COLLAB and SUPPORT Organisations and send Monthly report to CIF, KOLKATA. Sometime NodalAgengy has to compile reports of all Childlines in the Stare and send to higher authority.

Though, due to COVID 19, activities of Childline Nodal remained standstilled for some months, but some activities were performed like, 1) Awareness programme on Health and Cleanliness at Jirania Brickfield,2) Sit and Draw Competition on Cleanliness at Anurupa Academy ND Anwesha Children's Home 3) Awareness Programme for Allied Systems on 'COVID 19 and its affect on Children- Role of Guardians' .Childline Agartala has distributed Food packets to the children of Creche Centres and observed Childline birthday also.Poshan Mah was celebrated at Agartala Sishu Griha in which weight of children was measured and food items were distributed to orphan children.

Childline se Dosti programme was observed through miking, postering, tying of Dosti Band, Online Slogan Competition etc. Daan Utsav was observed by collecting clothes,toys,shoes etc and distributed to Anganwadi Centres and Creche Centres. The programme concluded with a small function in presence of Chairperson Tripura Women's Commission, Directors Nodal and Support ,Representative of Police ,Forest Deptt, Childline Co ordinator and teammembers. Prizes were given to winners in different competitions. A health Camp was organized by Childline Agartala, at Ashiapara under Uttar Majlishpur Panchayat, in which 100 no. patients were checked and medicine distributed. A In House Training on Documentation was organized by Childline Nodal for the staffs of Childline Agartala and Childine Khowai (Collab).





6. <u>CHILDLINE KHOWAI (COLLAB)</u> (Sponsored by Ministry of Women & Child Dev, GOI)

Ministry of WCD, Govt of India has sanctioned this project in favour of the Samity in the year 2018, for Khowai District. 9 staffs have been appointed from the same District. The team members in their own areas, find out children who are in need of shelter, health care, restoration and inform Khowai Child Welfare Committee for providing necessary assistance to the child. Besides this, they organise postering, Open house programme, visit Anganwadi centre, Brick klins, Teagarden etc and organise Awareness programmes on child related issues. This year 24 nos Kok Borok and Bengali Hoarding and Wall painting were displayed in various places of Khowai Dist. World Anti Child Labour Day was observed atBhaktakami AWC, in which Labour Officer, Asha Workers and Childline staffs were present.Khowai Forest Range office and MOGLAM DMP Club assisted Khowai Childline to observe World Environment Day. Besides this,food packets toBPL families were distributed during CORONA period.

This year assistance to children by Khowai Childline are as follows-

- 1. Medical 06 nos
- 2. Shelter 30 nos
- 3. Restoration 08 nos
- 4. Missing child -- 06 nos
- 5. Sponsorship 30 nos
- 6. Trafficking 01 no
- 7. Child marriage 06 nos
- 8. Readmission 02 nos
- 9. Child labour 02 no







7) OTHER PROGRAMMES OF THE SAMITY

a) Republic Day was celebrated at Samity Headoffice, Anurupa Academy, JSS Office, Swadhar Greh and Community Resource Centre through Flag hoisting, National Anthem etc. Discussion on the imporance of the Day was discussed by Teachers, Director of JSS, Chairperson JSS, "Annaprashan" or First Rice Ceremory of two children of the Swadhar greh was obserbed by staffs and inmates. Brahmaputra Board, Govt. of India, organised Sit & draw and Essey Compitition to observe Swachhta Pakhowada.



- b) Vocational Traning on Agarbati Stick making was organised for 15 women in the training hall at Amani Khuri Swadhar Greh. The training was sponsored by The Directorate of Social Welfare and Social Education..
- c) International Environment Day was celebrated through discussion, planting of saplings at Birchandra Complex, D.C.Para,Old Agartala Block.Local leaders, guardians and mothers were present.





- d) International Women's Day was celebrated at Birchandra Complex, D.C.Para on 8th March 2020. 2 ladies from the area were felicitated . Sri Ratan Chakraborty, local MLA was the inaugurator and Smt Barnali Goswami ,Chairperson, Tripura Women's Commission was Chief Guest of the programme.Acolourful cultural programme was performed by the students of the Residential S.T Girls school. 2 Grassroot level women namely Sandhya Debbarma and Kalpana Das Bhowmik who established themselves after prolonged fight with adverse situation in the society, were felicitated on that Day. Stalls for exibition cum sale of products like stiched dresses and other items, different food items made by local ladies and members were opened.
- e) A cheque amounting Rs 25001/- has been handed over to Hon'ble M.P. Ms Pratima Bhowmik, as donation to Chief Ministers Relief Fund for supply of food articles and other items in lockdown condition of poor people due to COVID 19.





Samity is grateful to Govt/Private Agencies for their Financial /other assistance

- 1. Tribal Welfare Deptt, Govt of Tripura
- 2. Min of Tribal Affairs, Govt of India
- 3. Education Deptt, Govt of Tripura
- 4. Social Welfare Deptt, Govt of Tripura
- 5. Min of Skill Dev, Govt of India
- 6. Min of Women & Child Dev, Govt of India
- 7. Childline India Foundation, Bombay
- 8. ILS Hospital, Agartala
- 9. Indigo Airlines
- 10. Child Welfare Committee, Agartala
- 11. Child Welfare Committee, Khowai
- 12. All India Women's Conference, New Delhi
- 13. Jan Shikshan Sansthan, Agartala
- 14. Brahmaputra Board, Govt. of India



Training on Agarbati stick making for Swadhar Greh inmates.

Mushroom cultivation by branch members at Lefunga.





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Tailoring training for unemployed women.

Food distribution to Children of Creche Centre.

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Handing over Dustbeen for Anurupa Accademy by Bramhaputra board, Ministry of Jalshakti.



Annual Meeting of the Samity in December 2020.

Distribution of Sanitary napkin to students of Anurupa Academy by an Organization.





Distribution of prizes for sit and draw competition and easy writing.

Students of Anuruupa Academy enjoying picnic at Baramura Eco Park.





International Womens Day celebration at Birchandra Complex, D. C. Para.