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VISION

Sustainable development of people ensuring everyone - even the most deprived can progress towards achieving basic education, health programme and an adequate livelihood and training

MISSION

Enabling the more disadvantaged to analyse and deal with their problems themselves. To enable them to gain access to integrated and comprehensive development

GOAL

To enable the target population and create a just society. To make an egalitarian society in the context of Indian democracy

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MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY

It gives me immense pleasure to present before you the Annual Report 2019-2020 of South Sundarban Janakalyan Sangha.

During this year SSSJ has again reached out to more and more poor people and made adrent effort to bring about positive changes in their lives. One of the important projects that SSJS implemented with the support of BPCL is on Swachhta or cleanliness. Through this programme it has spread awareness on plastic waste management and undertook activities on reducing the use of plastics in out lives. Under the programme, SSJS installed 10 tubewells in schools to provide safe drinking water to students.

Also with the support of Coal India Limited, SSJS installed 12 tubewells in three blocks of South 24 Parganas and planned to construct 400 household latrines in Kakdwip and Diamond Harbour blocks. As of now 98 latrines are complete, work is underway for the rest.

Through these works thousand of people across the district have benefitted. This lives have improved, their health conditions have become better.

SSJS is ever grateful to all the organnisations, agencies, corportate entities for their wholehearted support to improve the lives and living conditions of the people in the area. We that thank them for this generosity and hope they will continue to extend their support in the coming years.

I also thank all the staff of SSJS, whose hard work, dedication and committment makes all good things possible. I thank the members of the Governing Board and the Management Team for their guidance.

Rafik Uddin Molla
Secretary. SSJS
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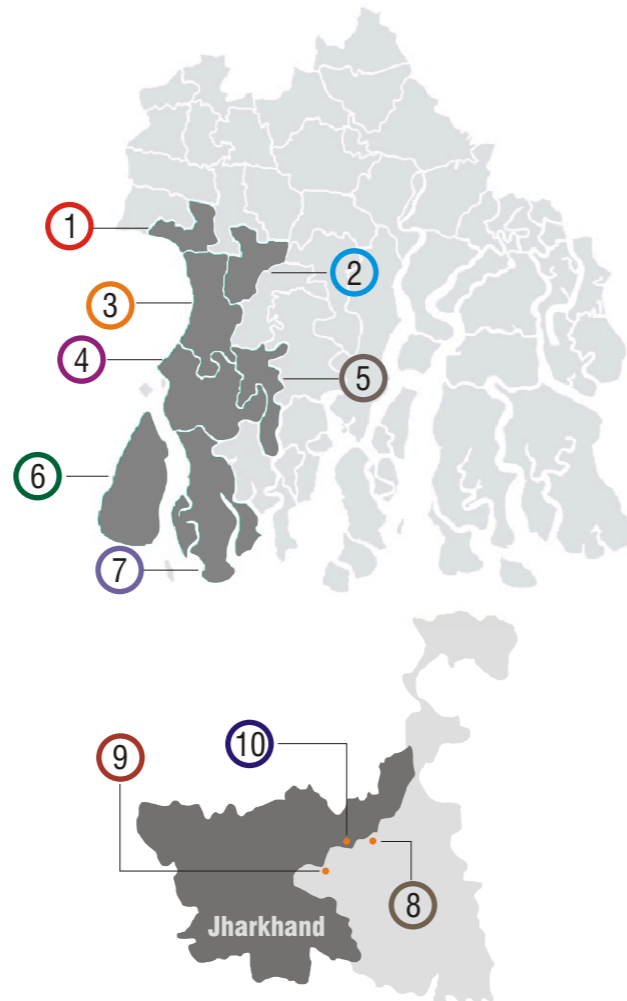
Founded in 1990 by a group of energetic and philanthropic enthusiasts, South Sundarban Janakalyan Sangha or SSJS is a non profit civil society organisation. Based in Raghunathpur village, P.O. Madhabnagar of Kakdwip block, the organisation works for the upliftment of rural people irrespective of caste, creed and race. SSJS also has two project offices; one at Rajnagar, Birbhum and the other at Maithon, Jharkhand.

The organisation is registered under West Bengal Societies Act 1961. Registration No. S/67639 of 1991-92 dated 26 April 1991 including Foreign Contribution Regulation Act (FCRA) 1976, Ministry of Home Affairs, Gol vide renewal registration No. 147110370 dated 6 May 2017. Also registered for the exemption of u/s 80G, 12A, PAN, TAN of IT Act, 1961 and Professional Tax under IT Act. SSJS is affiliated to Credibility Alliance, Guidestar India and Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS).

AREA OF OPERATION

SSJS has been working in seven blocks of South 24 Parganas District, West Bengal.

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|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Diamond Harbour | 2. Mandir Bazar |
| 3. Kulpi | 4. Kakdwip |
| 5. Pathar Pratima | 6. Sagar |
| 7. Namkhana | 8. Rajnagar, Birbhum district |
| 9. Neturia, Purulia district | 10. Egarkund, Dhanbad, Jharkhand |



Outside South 24 Parganas,
SSJS also works
in Birbhum, Purulia district
and Maithon, Jharkhand

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CORPORATE PROJECTS

Project from CSR funds



Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd

SSJS with the financial support of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd. (BPCL) conducted three separate programmes on Swachhta Pakhwada. The programmes were carried out in from:

Swachhta Pakhwada

- 16-31 August 2019. Swachhata Pakhwada activities for Health & Hygiene in school & community. 3 village communities were involved where 327 beneficiaries participated in the activities. 1,810 students from 6 school also participated and benefitted from the programme.
- 11 September - 2 October 2019. Swachhata Hi Sewa activities for Plastic waste management in school, college & Community. 9 schools and colleges involving 2,349 students were covered under the programme. 778 members from 6 village communities directly benefitted from the activities.
- 10 February - 25 February 2020. Swachh Bharat campaign activities for Safe drinking water provide for school students.



Through the programme 10 tubewells were also installed in 10 schools in Kulpi and Magrahat I block, to provide safe drinking water to 8,148 students.

Under these programme several awareness camps were organised in villages and schools to sensitise the community members and the students on environmental cleanliness and how to manage plastic wastes.

BDO, Kulpi at Swachha Bharat programme



BDO, Mandirbazar speaking at the programme



Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd.

Swachhata Hi Sewa

With the financial support of ONGC, SSJS organised Plastic Waste Management programmes under Swachhata Hi Sewa Campaign. The programmes were carried out from 11 September to 2 October 2019.



Awareness programme on Swachhata Hi Sewa was conducted in schools and college. The programme focused on plastic waste management.



Engagement

5 schools & colleges	1,202 students
3 village communities	379 people



ONGC Representatives at Swachhata Hi Sewa Campaign

প্লাস্টিক সচেতনতা শিবির



দিন দর্পণ, করঞ্জলী: প্লাস্টিকের ব্যবহার রন্ধতে ও প্লাস্টিক ব্যবহারে মানুষের কী ক্ষতি হয় তা নিয়ে সচেতনতা শিবিরের আয়োজন করা হয়। সাউথ সুন্দরবন জনকল্যাণ সংঘের উদ্যোগে অয়েল অ্যান্ড ন্যাচারাল গ্যাস কর্পোরেশন লিমিটেডের সহযোগিতায় এই শিবির অনুষ্ঠিত হয়। প্লাস্টিকের ক্ষতিকর প্রভাব

নিয়ে আলোচনা করেন সংস্থার কর্ণধার রফিক উদ্দিন মোল্লা। উপস্থিত ছিলেন করঞ্জলী বি কে ইন্সটিটিউশনের প্রধানশিক্ষক রাধেশ্যাম ভূঁইয়া, করঞ্জলী গার্লস হাইস্কুলের প্রধানশিক্ষিকা রাধি ভট্টাচার্য, কুলপি ব্লক হাসপাতালের স্বাস্থ্যকর্মী উমা হালদার, তন্ময় চক্রবর্তী, সমাজসেবী রেজাউল হক মোল্লা প্রমুখ।



ONGC GM, CSR MBA Basin Mr. Dipankar Biswas



Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd.

Individual Household Toilets

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation, collaborated with SSJS to provide Individual Household Latrines to 120 beneficiaries promoting the effort to make the village open defecation free.



Beneficiaries with household latrines



ONGC Representatives visiting a beneficiary



120 Beneficiaries

Village	GP	Block
Srirampur	Srinagar	Kakdwip



Coal India Ltd.

Individual Household Toilets

SSJS with the financial support of Coal India Ltd. constructed 124 Individual Household Latrines for families in Raghunathpur village. This has helped the villages to become open defecation free.

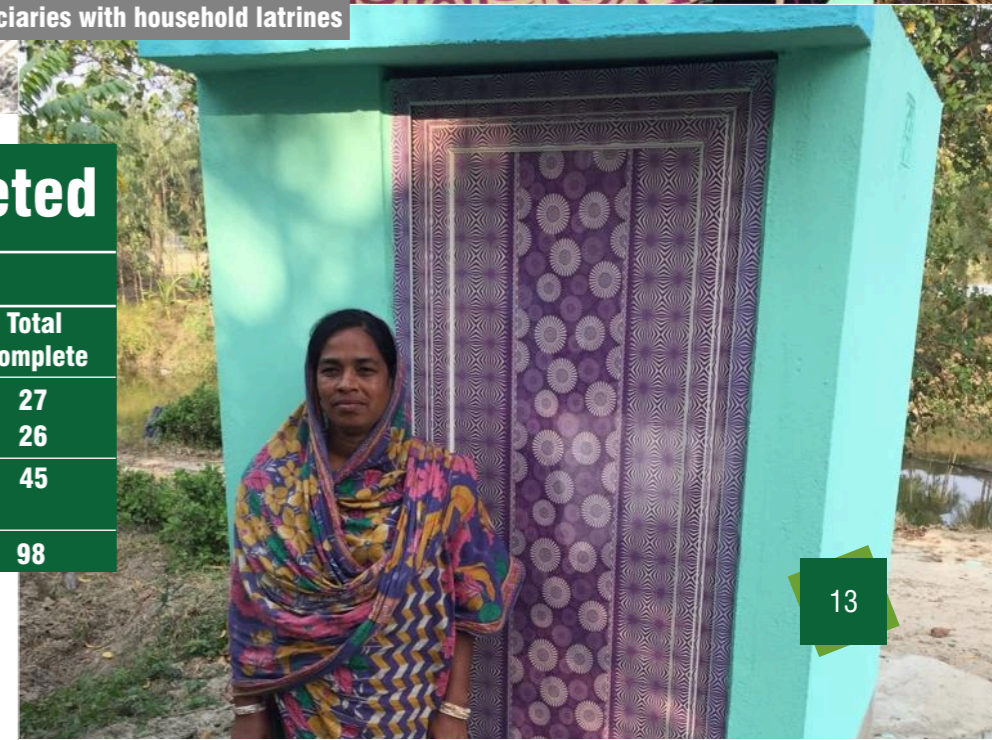


Beneficiaries with household latrines



98 Latrines Completed

Total sanctioned 400			
Block	GP	Villages	Total Complete
Kakdwip	Srinagar	Raghunathpur	27
		Darbes Mollarcahak	26
Diamond Harbour	Basuldanga	Purbadurgapur	45
Total Latrines Complete			98





Coal India Ltd.

Safe Drinking Water

In order to provide safe drinking water, Coal India Ltd. in collaboration with SSJS installed 12 tubewells in 12 villages, benefitting some 24,254 people.



Blocks	Kakdwip Diamond Harbour Magrahat West
GPs	4
Villages	12

12 Tubewells



OTHER PROJECTS

Project from Govt and NGOs



National Creche Programme

Study Centre for Children



SSJS is running the National Creche Programme for children under 6 years at 4 different village centres. These are:

- Srirampur
- Taktipur
- Uttar Ramtanunagar
- Ramtanunagar Muslimpara

Each centre is managed by two teachers. A total of 100 poor children are getting education at these centres. Nutritious food is also provided to the children. The programme is supported by CSWB under Women & Child department, Govt. of India & WCD under Govt. of WB.



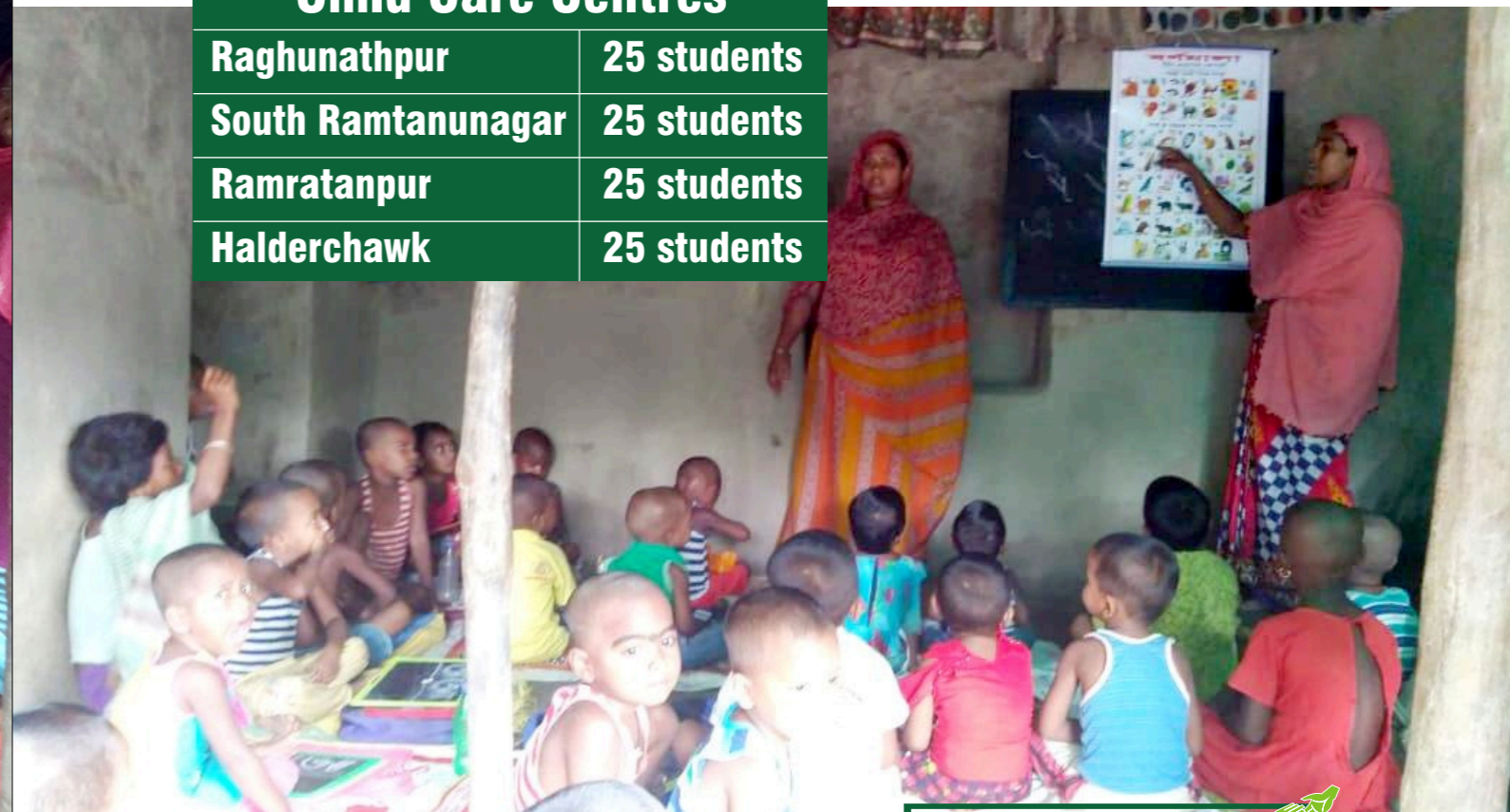
SSJS also runs a Child Care Centre for children with its own fund in Kakdwip block. Four such centres are currently running in four villages.

Child Care Centre

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Child Care Centres

Raghunathpur	25 students
South Ramtanunagar	25 students
Ramratanpur	25 students
Halderchawk	25 students



With the financial support of West Bengal Social Welfare Board, SSJS is running one Balwadi centre at Ramratanpur. 40 children below 6 years are given education and nutritious food at the centre.

State Balwadi Programme

Balwadi Centres



Disaster Response

Response to COVID 19 Situation



Cyclone Bulbul devastated parts of Sundarbans, particularly Kakdwip, Namkhana and Sagar Islands in November 2019. Houses were damaged, livestock destroyed and livelihood of the people were seriously affected.

In order to bring some relief to the affected people, SSJS with the support of Sundarban B.Ed College composite with Sundarban PTTI, distributed dry food to 620 families in three villages of Frazerganj Panchayat of Namkhana block.

Block	Namkhana
GP	Frazerganj
Villages	Amarabati Koylagata Frazergang
620 Beneficiaries	

The situation created by COVID 19 pandemic has affected almost everyone, particularly the poor and daily wage earners. The lockdown imposed to combat the spread of this disease has affected the livelihood of people particularly working in the unorganised sector. The suddenness of the lockdown and lack of preparedness in form of essential items has hit the poorest sections of the society the hardest. On one hand these people did not have excess money in hand to purchase and stock essential items for long period on the other even if few of them had the money, there was no time given to buy the bare minimum items required to remain at home during the period.

Secondly, majority of these people live on daily earnings. With the source of earning now shut down, they were earning no more, yet they had to bear their living expenses. No one is sure how long it would take for situation to return to normal.

Keeping the plight of the poor people in mind SSJS with the support of Sundarban B.Ed College provided dry ration to 200 families in Kakdwip and Diamond Harbour Subdivision.



Disaster Response

Response to COVID 19 Situation

In order to reach more affected people SSJS with the support of Uttoran Foundation provided dry ration to another 655 families across 7 villages in Patharpratima, Kakdwip, Sagar Island and Kulpi. Each family was given 10 kg of rice and 2 kg of pulses.



Blocks	Kakdwip Patharpratima Sagar Kulpi
Villages	7 villages
655 Beneficiaries	



EDUCATION

SSJS' Commitment to Education



Education

B.Ed College & PTI

Sundarban B.ED College

Sundarban B.Ed College and Primary Teachers' Training Institute (PTTI) is run under the auspices of SSJS. Recognised by National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE) and affiliated to The West Bengal University of Teachers' Training, Education, Planning and Administration (WBUTTEPA), Sundarban B. Ed College offers professional degree course for aspiring teachers. This two-year course accommodates 100 students in B.Ed and 50 students in PTI each academic year.



IMPACT

Housed in a rural setup, Sundarban B. Ed College helps to meet the needs of students who come from humble and poor background. The college offers a subsidised course fee for poor and deserving students particularly those coming from SC, ST, OBC and other minority communities. Students avail study materials and books from the college library, free of cost.

Moreover students belonging to SC, ST, OBC and other minority communities also receive scholarships from Govt. of West Bengal.

This college offers a great opportunity for the students of rural areas to not only earn a degree to be eligible for teaching profession, but they also become confident to appear and apply for government jobs for teaching in schools and colleges.

The students are also given all-round exposure to develop their personality and communication skills in order to be prepared for job-readiness.

Sundarban Primary Teachers' Training Institute (D.El. Ed)

Diploma in Elementary Education or D. El. Ed is a two year teachers' training programme for students who have passed Class XII. The course is recognised by National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE) and affiliated to West Bengal Board of Primary Education (WBBPE). The course accommodates 50 regular students each year.



IMPACT

This course helps all those students who aspire to be primary school teachers. Sundarban Primary Teachers' Training Institute (S.P.T.I) offers concession in admission fee for poor student belonging to SC, ST, OBC and other minority communities. They also receive scholarships from Govt. of West Bengal.

These students who otherwise cannot afford to get admission in urban elite colleges, prepare themselves for appearing in admission exams for government as well as private jobs.

Sundarban Rural Library

Sundarban Rural Library is a noble initiative of SSJS with the aim to promote reading habits among young learners and enhance their knowledge. The library, established around 4 years back is housed in the office campus of SSJS. This initiative is taken with the support of District Library, South 24 Parganas and SSJS' own fund. The library has created a positive impact among the young minds of the area. The library has reference books related to school curriculum as well as books of other interests. The young students avail the service free of cost and benefit from the vast resources available in the library. At present the library has 145 members. Besides students, this library also caters to people of the community, both young and old, who borrow books and read them for leisure and knowledge.



More than
3,000 books
245
members

PROJECT PARTNERS

CORPORATE PARTNERS

- Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd (BPCL)
- Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC)
- Coal India Ltd. (CIL)

NGO PARTNER

- Uttoran Foundation

GOVERNMENT PARTNERS

- NCTE (National Council for Teacher Education)
- WBUTTEPA (The West Bengal University of Teachers' Training, Education Planning and Administration)
- West Bengal Board of Primary Education (WBBPE) State Balwadi Programme, Gol
- District Library, South 24 Parganas, Govt. of West Bengal
- National crèche programme, Supported by CSWB Govt. of India & WCD Govt. of West Bengal
- Block Development Office, Kakdwip, Kulpi, Mandir Bazar, Patharpratima, Sagar
- Support from various panchayats of Kakdwip, Kulpi and Mandir Bazar blocks

GOVERNING BODY MEMBERS

Nurjaman Sardar	President
Rafik Uddin Molla	Secretary
Basudeb Dalui	Member
Sunil Roy	Member
Anima Purkait	Treasurer
Kallol Chakraborty	Member
Parbati Mondal	Member

MANAGEMENT TEAM

Rafik Uddin Molla	Secretary
Nurjaman Sardar	President
Josh KL	Team Member
Ataul Basar	Prog. Coordinator
Parbati Mondal	Team Member

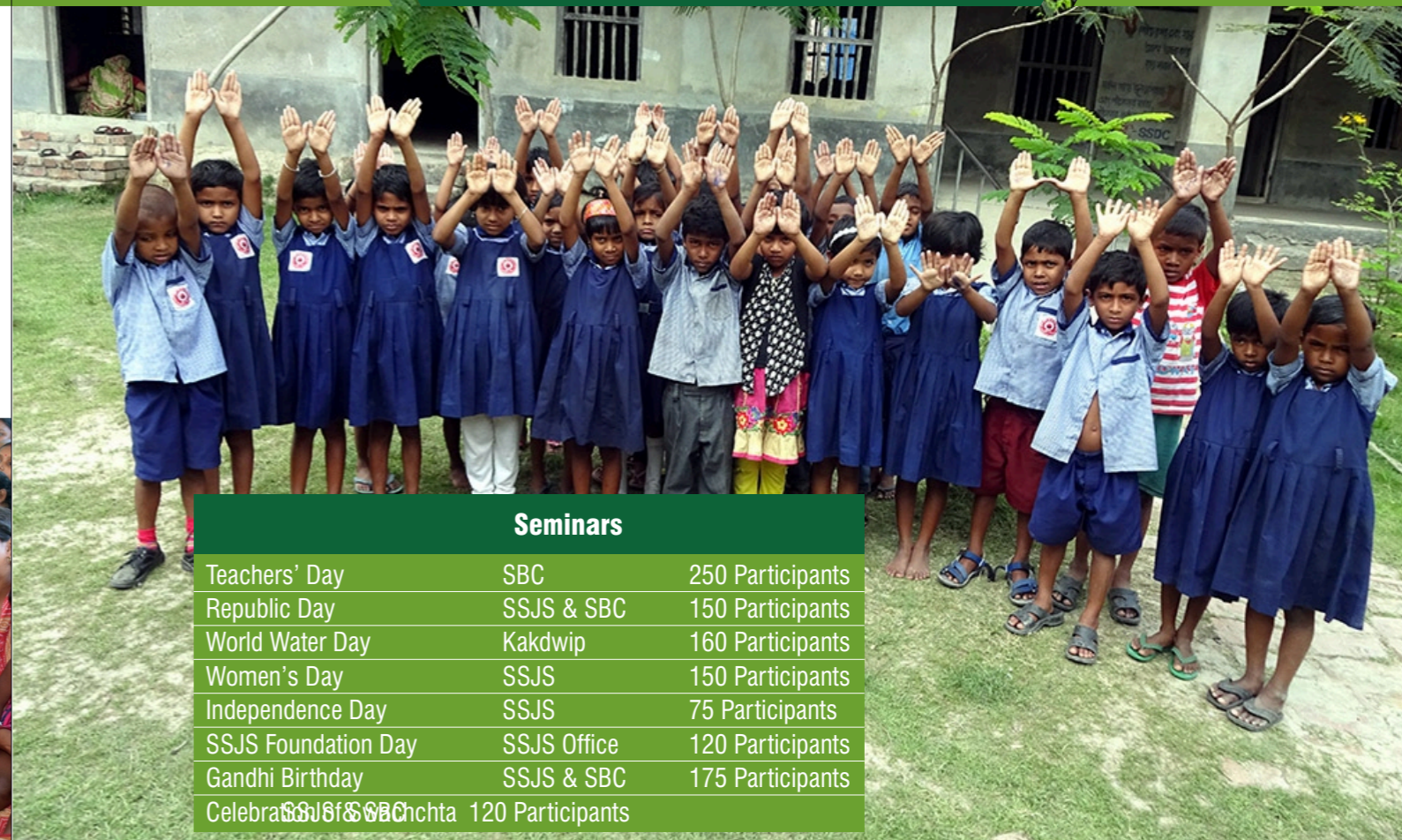
OTHER PROGRAMMES AND ACTIVITIES OF SSJS

Awareness Programmes		
Women's Rights	Kakdwip	150 Beneficiaries
Environment	Mandirbazar	205 Beneficiaries
Safe drinking water	Raghunathpur	645 Beneficiaries
ODF village for WASH	Srirampur & Raghunathpur	220 Beneficiaries
Early marriage	Kakdwip	60 Beneficiaries
Panchayati Raj	Kakdwip	105 Beneficiaries



Livelihood and Income Generation Programmes		
Livestock management	Kakdwip	70 Beneficiaries
Poultry farm	Kakdwip	55 Beneficiaries
Duckery	Kakdwip	120 Beneficiaries
Fishery	Kakdwip	40 Beneficiaries

Skill Training Programmes		
Computer and hardware	Kakdwip	40 Beneficiaries
Hair care	Kakdwip	30 Beneficiaries
Telecom	Kakdwip	45 Beneficiaries
IT & ITES	Kakdwip	40 Beneficiaries



Seminars		
Teachers' Day	SBC	250 Participants
Republic Day	SSJS & SBC	150 Participants
World Water Day	Kakdwip	160 Participants
Women's Day	SSJS	150 Participants
Independence Day	SSJS	75 Participants
SSJS Foundation Day	SSJS Office	120 Participants
Gandhi Birthday	SSJS & SBC	175 Participants
Celebration of SBC	SSJS & SBC	120 Participants

Agriculture		
Vegetable cultivation	Raghunathpur & Ramtanunagar	40 Beneficiaries
Vegetable cultivation	Ramratanpur	30 Beneficiaries

Awareness for Bulbul Cyclone	
Miking, leaflet and posters	Kakdwip & Namkhana area

Awareness on COVID 19	
Awareness done in 25 villages of Kakdwip, Kulpi & Patharpratima	



Awareness on Safe Drive Save Live		
Miking, leaflet handbill	Kakdwip subdivision	15 days

Projects supported by CSR, Govt. & Foreign Agencies

CSR

Project	Funding Agency
1. Drinking Water Project	Coal India Ltd.
2. Safe Drinking Water for Back Ward Community People in Sundarban Area	Coal India Ltd.
3. Individual Sanitation in Sundarban Area	Coal India Ltd.
4. Safe Drinking Water	BHEL
5. Individual Sanitation in Diamond Harbour Area	ONGC
6. Safe Drinking Water for Back Ward Community People in Diamond Harbour area	WBSEDCL
7. Swachhata Pakwadha Activities	BPCL
8. Swachhata Hi Sewa campaign focus on plastic waste management	BPCL
9. Swachhata Hi Sewa campaign focus on plastic waste management	ONGC
10. Individual Sanitation in Kakdwip Area	ONGC
11. Emergency relief for effected families in BULBUL Cyclone	SBC
12. Dry ration food for migrant & vulnerable people during lockdown period for COVID-19	Uttaron Foundation

GOVERNMENT FUNDING AGENCIES

Project	Funding Agency
1. Construction of 25 low cost houses in the villages of Raghunathpur, Kakdwip, Dist -24 Pgs	CAPART East Zone Under Ministry of Rural Development, Govt.of India
2. Integrated Rural Development Project (Water & Sanitation) Under PC Scheme	CAPART East Zone Under Ministry of Rural Development, Govt.of India
3. Integrated Rural Development Project Under PC Scheme	CAPART East Zone Under Ministry of Rural Development, Govt.of India
4. Women Legal Awareness	National Commission for Women
5. Workshop on Capacity Building of Grass Root level Voluntary Organization & Project Formulation	CAPART East Zone Under Ministry of Rural Development, Govt.of India
6. Sanction of Grant under Balwadi Centre for destitute children of age group 3-6 yrs.	West Bengal Social Welfare Advisory Board (WBCVVAB)
7. Sanction of Grant-in- aid for implementing Creche Programme under "Rajiv Gandhi National Creche Scheme"	Central Social Welfare Board (CSWB)
8. Income Generating Project on Paddy Husking under PC Scheme	CAPART East Zone Under Ministry of Rural Development, Govt.of India
9. Sanction of Credit Limit for Minority Women	West Bengal Minorities Development & Finance Corporation (WBMDFC)

10. Grant-in-aid for awareness generation project	Central Social Welfare Board (CSWB) Govt. of WB
11. National Crèche Scheme (4 Centres)	CSWB
12. State Balwadi Programme (2 Centres)	WBSWB & SSJS
13. Teachers Training Institute (Sundarban B.Ed College)	NCTE Recognised
14. Sundarban Primary Teachers Training Institute (D.El.Ed. Course)	NCTE Recognised

INTERNATIONAL FUNDING AGENCIES

Project	Funding Agency
1. Community Based DOTS Project	Care India
2. Emergency Relief to the victims of Kakdwip & Sagar Block of 24 Pargans District, West Bengal	Indo-German Social Service Society (IGSSS)
3. Community Development Programme Sagar Block, South 24 Pgs.	Indo-German Social Service Society (IGSSS)
4. Integrated Nutrition & Health Project (INHP- III)	Care India
5. Integrated Development programme in 10 villages of Kakdwip Block, South 24 Pgs.	Indo-German Social Service Society (IGSSS)
6. Drinking Water	SIMAVI Netherland
7. Donation of Goods	SIGHT AND UFE
8. Relief Work for 100 families	Church's Auxiliary for Social Action (CASA)
9. AILA Emergency Relief Response	GOAL
10. AILA Emergency Response	Lutheran World Service India Trust
11. AILA Emergency & Rehabilitation	CARE India
12. Disaster Risk Management Programme (DRMP)	UNDP & Govt.of India Collaboration
13. Safe drinking water	DROP4DROP, United Kingdom



ACCOUNTS

ANNUAL TURNOVER FOR LAST THREE YEARS

Year	Receipts (Rs. In Lakhs)	Payments (Rs. In Lakhs)
2017-18	281.88	279.58
2018-19	367.68	315.18
2019-20	443.91	443.11

Year	Income (Rs. In Lakhs)	Expenditure (Rs. In Lakhs)
2017-18	232.32	232.30
2018-19	284.85	284.78
2019-20	301.57	316.12

Year	Excess of income over Expenditure (Rs. in thousands)
2017-18	1.8
2018-19	7.2
2019-20	86.784

APPEAL FOR DONATION

South Sundarban Janakalyan Sangha (SSJS) is a not profit organisation and run on contributions and donations from people and organisations who care for the less privileged. Without their generous support and concern thousands of lives would not be as happy as today.

You too can make a difference and bring smiles on the faces of many more marginalised and poor people. Please contribute and support whatever little you can and see lives bloom. We assure you, your contribution will be accounted and utilised to bring improvement in the lives of the poorest of the poor.

You may please send your donations in favour of '**South Sundarban Janakalyan Sangha**' through **Bank transfer** at this bank detail:

Punjab National Bank, Kakdwip Branch

Account No: 6928000100016036

IFSC Code: PUNB0692800

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