



INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

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Invest on women: Accelerate Progress

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INTRODUCTION

On the eve of International Women's Day 2024 with the support of VYK, New Delhi SAHAYOG organized two programs. First, a community awareness drive, and the second, an institutional program in collaboration with Sanatan Harichandan Degree Mahavidyalaya, Madanpur in the vicinity of Bhubaneswar.



Date.25/02/2024: Nirakarpur, Block: Tangi, District- Khordha, Odisha

SAHAYOG invited women, community members, SHGs, Bank Mitra, CRPs, teachers, and community members of both genders to join the sensitization program. Surpassing expectations, the program garnered support from over six hundred participants. The participants graciously accommodated the women by spreading out across the entire seating area. Residents from nearby GP Rameswar, Lendo, and Dia actively took part in the program.

Youth Social Activist Pravat Swain warmly greeted all the esteemed guests, Panchayati Raj members from different village panchayats, women's self-help group members, teachers, women, and youth in Delhi. Bijayalaxmi Rautaray, Secretary of SAHAYOG, shed light on the program's goals and International Women's Day 2024. She also provided insights about Vishwa Yuvak Kendra in New Delhi and its partner organizations throughout India. Discussions included plans to launch a campaign featuring various initiatives centered around this year's theme, 'Investing More for Women: Accelerating Progress'.

We can do..
*More strength to
women power*





Guests on Dias

ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

An ensemble of prominent figures, such as the elected female representative, the president of Block Mission Shakti, police officers, educators, and community advocates, participated in the event. The Secretary of SAHAYOG shared optimism about collaboratively devising strategies and pledges to advance gender equality. The esteemed guests will deliberate on forthcoming initiatives and promises to drive a change in mindset. Recognizing that beyond monetary contributions, diverse forms of support are equally vital.

THEIR VOICE

Mrs. Haras Pradhan, President of the Block Mission Shakti Federation, noted that before Mission Shakti, there was a lack of respect and trust in SHG groups. However, the situation has greatly transformed since then. Risna Mandhata, Chairperson of Tangi Block, emphasized that women involved in the program, including herself, represent empowerment for women. The primary emphasis is on investing in a girl for her present and future welfare.

COMMITMENTS

Mrs. Dipalisa Nayak, Sub-Inspector at Nirakarpur Police Station, questioned why mothers are keen on marrying off their daughters at a young age. While families nowadays are less inclined towards early marriages, it is essential to maintain a friendly approach with our children. Both girls and boys should be equally educated on the consequences of crossing boundaries. Mrs. Nayak made these remarks within her jurisdiction, specifically at the Women and Child Help Desk any woman who will be coming will get justice.



OTHER SPEAKERS

Aniya Chhotray, Head Master, highlighted their initiative to combat gender bias by introducing new seating arrangements and assigning roles based on abilities rather than gender for primary class students.

Vice Chairman Tangi Block Durga Prasad Nathsharma, Ramesh Biswal from Rameshwar Panchayat, social activist Mrytyunjay Pradhan, former Sarpanch Lendu Laxmidhar Acharya, Ex-Sarpanch Nirakarpur Harishikesh Rautray, Dia Panchayat Sarpanch Prashant Behera, and Rameswar Sarpanch Representative Ranjit Jagdev shared their opinions.

VOTE OF THANKS

The campaign ended with vows to stop sex-selective abortion, promote women's education & careers, and stop child marriage. Social Worker Sukanta Behera thanked everyone, especially local youth, for their significant contribution to the successful program followed by grand lunch.





Date: 28/02/2024

SANATAN HARICHANDAN DEGREE MAHAVIDYALAYA, MADANPUR

The second program was conducted in collaboration with Sanatan Harichandan Degree College, Madanpur. A poster competition was held on 26th February, with the participation of 40 students. Roji Harichandan, Subhashree Barik, and Zonali Rubilisa Sahoo emerged as the first, second, and third-place winners, respectively. On the 28th, a seminar took place where Panchana Mangaraj from the History department and the NSS officer addressed the students and extended a warm welcome. Principal Praful Kumar Das elaborated on the program and highlighted the significance of International Women's Day.

STUDENT SPEAKERS..

TChinmayi Jena, Rudreswar Nath, Mamuli Maharana, Pandita Patnaik, Samikshya, Rajalakshmi, Sarbjeet, Priyambada, Rituparna, and Vibhi Bhushan stood out as notable student speakers during the event. Several students expressed views asserting that girls are receiving substantial societal and governmental emphasis, with pervasive reservations in place for them, highlighting their existing empowerment.



Madanpur, Odisha, India





RESPONDING TO STUDENTS:

The government has allocated an additional one thousand to Odisha Government's new initiative Nua-O scholarship. Secretary Bijayalaxmi Rautray has acknowledged this contribution. Why has the government been emphasizing the empowerment of women and girls? This initiative stems from the historical limitations placed on women not only in our state but globally for generations. To foster an inclusive environment, the government has implemented a gender-responsive strategy to empower women. This does not mean that the government is treating male students unfairly.

CONCLUDING MESSAGE.

A woman requires respect, dignity, and consideration. As the upcoming generation, you have the potential to lead society. A shift in attitude stands as a key investment in empowering women. Let us unite in our commitment to creating a more vibrant and equitable world. During the event, achievers were honored with adorned coffee cups bearing a Women's Day message, while all participants were awarded certificates for attending the seminar. The seminar concluded with Sarbajit delivering the vote of thanks after being honored as the Government of Odisha's best NSS cadet of the year.



ମହିଳା ଗୋଷ୍ଠୀ ସଚେତନତା କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମ



ଟାଙ୍ଗା(ଖୋର୍ଦ୍ଧା), ୨୭।୭ (ନି.ପ୍ର): ଅନ୍ତର୍ଜାତୀୟ ମହିଳା ଦିବସ ପାଳନ ଅବସରରେ ଭୁବନେଶ୍ୱରର ରାଜ୍ୟସ୍ତରୀୟ ସାମାଜିକ ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନ 'ସହଯୋଗ' ଓ ନୂଆଦିଲ୍ଲୀର ବିଶ୍ୱ ଯୁବକ କେନ୍ଦ୍ରର ମିଳିତ ଆନୁକୁଲ୍ୟରେ ଟାଙ୍ଗା ବ୍ଲକ ନିରାକାରପୁରସ୍ଥିତ ନିଳକଣ୍ଠେଶ୍ୱର ମନ୍ଦିର ପରିସରରେ ଗୋଷ୍ଠୀ ସଚେତନତା ଅଭିଯାନ ଆୟୋଜିତ ହୋଇଯାଇଛି । ଯୁବ ସମାଜସେବୀ ଙ୍କ ପ୍ରଭାତ ସ୍ନାନ ନିମନ୍ତ୍ରିତ ଅତିଥି, ବିଭିନ୍ନ ପଞ୍ଚାୟତର ନିର୍ବାଚିତ ପ୍ରତିନିଧି, ମହିଳା ସଂଘ ସହାୟିକା ଗୋଷ୍ଠୀର ସଦସ୍ୟା, ଶିକ୍ଷକ ଶିକ୍ଷୟିତ୍ରୀ, ମହିଳା, ଯୁବକ, କିଶୋର କିଶୋରୀଙ୍କୁ ସ୍ୱାଗତ କରିଥିଲେ । ସ୍ୱେଚ୍ଛାସେବୀ ସଂଗଠନ ସହଯୋଗର ସଂପାଦିକା ବିଜୟଲକ୍ଷ୍ମୀ ରାଉତରାୟ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମର ଉଦ୍ଦ୍ୟେଶ୍ୟ ଜ୍ଞାପନ କରି ଚଳିତ ମହିଳା ଦିବସ ପରିବେଷ୍ଟରେ ବିଶ୍ୱ ଯୁବକ କେନ୍ଦ୍ର ନୂଆଦିଲ୍ଲୀ ସମଗ୍ର ଦେଶରେ ଥିବା ସହଯୋଗୀ ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନକୁ ନେଇ ଚଳିତ ବର୍ଷର ଶୀର୍ଷକ ମହିଳାଙ୍କ ପାଇଁ ଅଧିକ ନିବେଶ ଓ ବିକାଶକୁ ନେଇ ସଚେତନତା କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମ ହାତକୁ ନେଇଛି । ଆମର କାର୍ଯ୍ୟ ଓ

ଆଭିମୁଖ୍ୟରେ ଲିଙ୍ଗଗତ ସମାନତା ପାଇଁ ଚେଷ୍ଟିତ ହେବା ଅତ୍ୟନ୍ତ ଗୁରୁତ୍ୱପୂର୍ଣ୍ଣ । ପ୍ରଗତି ପଥରେ ଆଗେଇ ଯିବାକୁ ହେଲେ ଆମକୁ ବାଲିକାଙ୍କ ଶିକ୍ଷା, ସ୍ୱାସ୍ଥ୍ୟ, ସୁରକ୍ଷା ଓ ସାମଗ୍ରିକ ଅଭିବୃଦ୍ଧି ତଥା ବିକାଶରେ ଅଧିକ ଅର୍ଥ ବିନିଯୋଗ କରିବାକୁ ପଡ଼ିବ । ଏହି କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମରେ ମୁଖ୍ୟଅତିଥି ଭାବେ ଟାଙ୍ଗା ବ୍ଲକ ଅଧ୍ୟକ୍ଷା ରାମ୍ପା ମାନ୍ଧାତା, ନିରାକାରପୁର ଥାନା ଉପନିରାକ୍ଷକ ଦିପାଲିସା ନାୟକ, ଟାଙ୍ଗା ବ୍ଲକ ମିଶନ ଶକ୍ତି ସତ୍ତାବେତ୍ତୀ ହରଷ ପ୍ରଧାନ, ପ୍ରଧାନଶିକ୍ଷକ ଅନିଲ ଛୋଟରାୟ, ରାମେଶ୍ୱର ସମିତି ସଭ୍ୟ ରମେଶ ବିଶ୍ୱାଳ, ଶିଶୁାଡ଼ ସ୍ୱେଚ୍ଛାସେବୀ ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନର ସମ୍ପାଦକ ମୁରୁଖିୟ ପ୍ରଧାନ, କେଣ୍ଡୋର ପୂର୍ବତନ ସରପଞ୍ଚ କଲ୍ଲ୍ୟାଧର ଆଚାର୍ଯ୍ୟ, ନିରାକାରପୁର ପୂର୍ବତନ ସରପଞ୍ଚ ହୃଷିକେଶ ରାଉତରାୟ, ତଥା ସରପଞ୍ଚ ପ୍ରଶାନ୍ତ ବେହେରା, ରାମେଶ୍ୱରର ଯୁବ ସମାଜସେବୀ ରଞ୍ଜିତ ଜଗଦେବ ପ୍ରମୁଖ ସେମାନଙ୍କ ମତାମତ ଉପସ୍ଥାପନ କରି ମହିଳା ସଶକ୍ତୀକରଣ ଉପରେ ଗୁରୁତ୍ୱ ଆରୋପ କରିଥିଲେ । ସୁଜାନ୍ତ ବେହେରା ଧନ୍ୟବାଦ ଅର୍ପଣ କରିଥିଲେ ।

ଅନ୍ତର୍ଜାତୀୟ ମହିଳା ଦିବସ



କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମରେ ଉପସ୍ଥିତ ଅତିଥି ଏବଂ ଅନ୍ୟମାନେ ।

ନିରାକାରପୁର, ୨୭।୭ (ମାନସ ଚନ୍ଦ୍ର ପଟ୍ଟନାୟକ)

ଭୁବନେଶ୍ୱରର ସାମାଜିକ ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନ 'ସହଯୋଗ' ଏବଂ ବିଶ୍ୱ ଯୁବକ କେନ୍ଦ୍ର ମିଳିତ ଆନୁକୁଲ୍ୟରେ ଉଦ୍ଦିଷ୍ଟ ଅନ୍ତର୍ଜାତୀୟ ମହିଳା ଦିବସ ଉପଲକ୍ଷେ ଖୋର୍ଦ୍ଧା ଜିଲ୍ଲା ନିରାକାରପୁର ପଞ୍ଚାୟତର ନୀଳକଣ୍ଠେଶ୍ୱରଙ୍କ ପାଠରେ ଏକ ଗୋଷ୍ଠୀ ସଚେତନତା ଅଭିଯାନ ନିରାକାରପୁର ପଞ୍ଚାୟତର ପୂର୍ବତନ ସରପଞ୍ଚ ସୁଷାକେଶ ରାଉତରାୟଙ୍କ ପୌରୋହିତ୍ୟରେ ଅନୁଷ୍ଠିତ ହୋଇଯାଇଛି । ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନ 'ସହଯୋଗ'ର ସମ୍ପାଦିକା ବିଜୟଲକ୍ଷ୍ମୀ ରାଉତରାୟ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମର ଉଦ୍ଦେଶ୍ୟ ସ୍ପଷ୍ଟ କରି ସୂଚନା ଦେଇଥିଲେ । ପ୍ରଗତି ପଥରେ ଆଗେଇ ଯିବାକୁ ହେଲେ ବାଲିକାମାନଙ୍କ ଶିକ୍ଷା, ସ୍ୱାସ୍ଥ୍ୟ, ସୁରକ୍ଷା, ସାମଗ୍ରିକ ଅଭିବୃଦ୍ଧି ଏବଂ ବିକାଶରେ ଅଧିକ ବିନିଯୋଗ କରିବାକୁ ପଡ଼ିବ ବୋଲି ସୂଚନା ଦେଇଥିଲେ । ଆୟୋଜିତ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମରେ ମୁଖ୍ୟ ଅତିଥିଭାବେ ଟାଙ୍ଗା

ବ୍ଲକ ଅଧ୍ୟକ୍ଷା ରାମ୍ପା ମାନ୍ଧାତା ଯୋଗଦେଇ ଭକ୍ତ ଦିବସର ମହତ୍ତ୍ୱ ଏବଂ ରାଜ୍ୟ ସରକାରଙ୍କ ମହିଳା ସଶକ୍ତୀକରଣ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମ ସହ ପ୍ରତିକ୍ଷେପରେ ମହିଳାମାନଙ୍କର ସହଯୋଗୀ ସମ୍ପର୍କରେ ଆଲୋଚନାତ କରିଥିଲେ । ଅତିଥିଭାବେ ନିରାକାରପୁର ଥାନା ସହକର୍ମୀପଦେଇ ଦିପାଲିସା ନାୟକ, ଟାଙ୍ଗା ବ୍ଲକ ମିଶନ ଶକ୍ତି ସତ୍ତାବେତ୍ତୀ ହରଷ ପ୍ରଧାନ, ଶିକ୍ଷାବିତ୍ ଅନିଲ ଛୋଟରାୟ, ରାମେଶ୍ୱର ପଞ୍ଚାୟତ ସମିତି ସଭ୍ୟ ରମେଶ ବିଶ୍ୱାଳ, ଶ୍ରୀରଞ୍ଜିତ ସ୍ୱେଚ୍ଛାସେବୀ ଅନୁଷ୍ଠାନର ସମ୍ପାଦକ ମୁରୁଖିୟ ପ୍ରଧାନ, ପୂର୍ବତନ କେଣ୍ଡୋ ସରପଞ୍ଚ କଲ୍ଲ୍ୟାଧର ଆଚାର୍ଯ୍ୟ, ସରପଞ୍ଚପଦେଇ ଅରବିନ୍ଦ ରାଉତ, ତଥା ସରପଞ୍ଚ ପ୍ରଶାନ୍ତ ବେହେରା, ସାମାଜିକ କର୍ମୀ ରଞ୍ଜିତ ଜଗଦେବ, ପ୍ରଶାନ୍ତ ବେହେରା ପ୍ରମୁଖ ସହଯୋଗ କରିଥିଲେ । ଯୁବ ସଂଗଠନ ସୁଜାନ୍ତ ଜୁମାର ବେହେରା ଧନ୍ୟବାଦ ଦେଇଥିଲେ ।