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FXBIS: Initiatives in Puducherry

In Puducherry, inauguration of Sellangal Water Feeder Channel by honourable Lieutenant Governor Dr. Kiran Bedi was done on 11th October 2018 to provide irrigation services to large number of farmlands in the community.

Speaking about the initiative, which Dr. Bedi terms as historical community action, she said, "We are correcting the past. It is like a debt that has accumulated. We are clearing the debt of silt, the bushes. We are correcting the past, working for the present and now planning for the future. This is being done so that people of the area remain water rich. Water is life. If you have water, you have agriculture, you have sanitation; if you have sanitation you have good health. If you are desilting the canal, there is no flood. It is a win-win situation".

"This is an amazing collaborative project of the community and the government. This is what we need to do, work for the present and sustain it for the future," she added. The initiative commenced on 11.10.2018 and was successfully completed on 21.12.2018. The project directly benefits some 15000 people, irrigate 900 hectors of land and supply water for 6 tanks and increasing water table level in the region. WOIL / FXB CSR project received an award for Revitalization of Sellangal Water Channel project on 31st of October 2018.

Two Supplementary Education centres have been established in the villages to develop the skills of the children. A total of 65 children are availing services. 12 slow learning students from Suraksha Education Centre were given special coaching to face the annual examinations. 15 children from Nesal are being enrolled in Basic Computer course. Apart from these two initiatives, about 25 foreign delegates from Singapore that came to Raj Nivas (Office of Hon. Lieutenant Governor) on a govt agenda visited FXBIS's intervention areas as part of their leadership development programme. This was followed by plantation of some 100 saplings along the canal where water was running after cleaning and desilting it for some 10 kms.



Meetings have also been conducted with 4 VO and SHGs to improve rapport with the community and SHG members with a participation of 131 members. Kishori Group meetings have been conducted with 211 kishori girls. Meeting have also been conducted with 12 committees and 129 members to strengthen Village level Child Protection Committee in Pondicherry.

In the Livelihood sector, FXBIS initiated Desi chicken unit, food court, tailoring training and diary promotion activities during this quarter with more than 100 beneficiaries.

One VET Camps was also conducted in the village where 42 farmers have availed the services during the camp.



International Day of the Girl

"If you want to break the cycle of poverty, EDUCATE a girl." – Graça Machel

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On the occasion of International Day of the Girl, FXBIS celebrated it with school children and children belonging to marginalised community in Jaipur and Noida. Few children (girls) pointed out that "ladki haath se niklna" is not bad when it comes to acknowledging equal rights. Another issue discussed is the need for maintaining gender neutral age bar for marriage. This 'International Day of the Girl' celebrated on 11th October, 2018, the message for gender neutrality and literacy of girls was reiterated by FXBIS state teams before school students and community children at large.

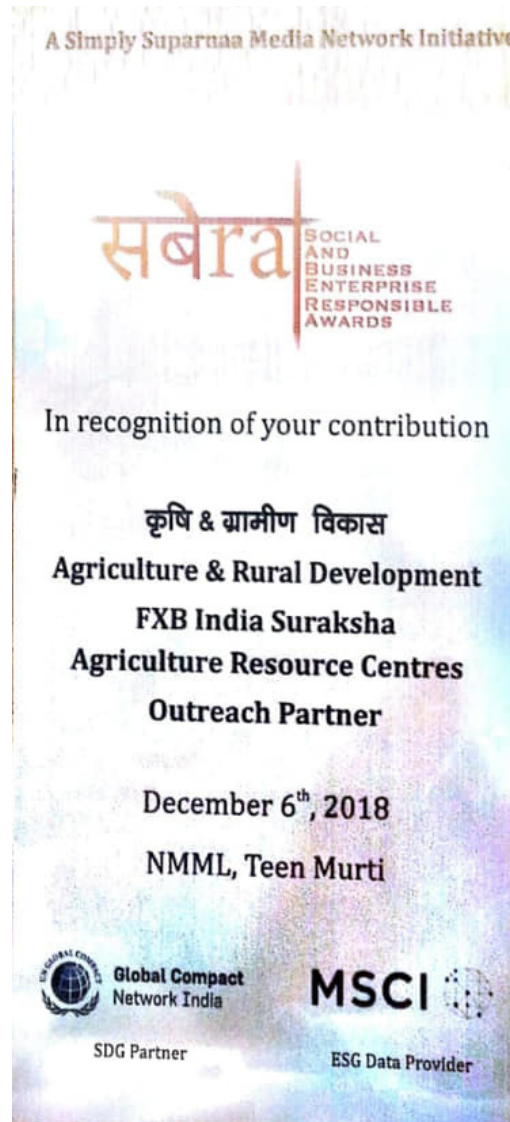




FXBIS receives SABERA award

On December 6th, FXBIS received SABERA award for its ARCs in North East. FXBIS's model of agriculture resource centre (ARCs) for strengthening access to knowledge and technology for farmers in rural Assam was awarded for its contribution to rural development at the SABERASummit Simply Suparnaa on three criteria of impact, replicability and scalability in reaching out to marginalized farmers. The team is glad to extend our regards to HDFC Bank for their trust in this partnership.





Other Stories

VEDANTA WITH FXBIS- VIZAG

FXBIS in partnership with Vedanta established Supplementary education centers in Vizag slums and conducted Health Camp this quarter. It provided supplementary classes to 68 children and provided boiled eggs and groundnuts balls as supplementary nutrition for children in Vizag slums' SECs and also conducted 3 parents meeting updating on children's progress on monthly basis. Additionally, 2 Health Camps were organized in old post office slums and 104 patients' availed services.

Apart from this, FXBIS conducted 2 Entrepreneurship Development Programme trainings to 70 interested women Self Help Group members and provided Govt. Schemes information as well as skill training in preparation of Phenyl, Candle and Surf making to empower them. It also initiated Children Parliament and School Health cell in Govt. School with a total of 38 children. Celebration of Children's day and Diwali in 2 SECs was organized where the members of SECs and youth have participated during the event; also various meetings with youth were conducted with the formation of new youth club with 20 members.





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FXB VILLAGE - IMPHAL

FXBIS through their FXB Village initiative in Imphal attempted to create good academic atmosphere, encouraging children to attend schools and facilitate mainstreaming of drop out children. 4 SECs have been established, regular classes in the evening have been started also stationery items to the children of SECs have been distributed.

It also provided health care services to improve the health condition of the targeted family members and communities in Imphal. A total of 12 health camps were organized in three different villages and about 167 beneficiaries' availed services. 23 referrals to the nearest hospital for further treatments and investigations were done. Nutrition supports in the form of distributing 15 kg of rice has also been done to 50 families in the community. Apart from that, psycho-social care and support in the form of individual counseling, couple counseling and group counseling have been conducted, along with regular home visits. FXBIS Imphal team celebrated Global hand washing day and World AIDS day with 125 beneficiaries in Imphal.





HEALTH CAMP

Setting sights towards a brighter future, FXBIS organized a health camp on December 27, 2018 at Sector - 16, JJ Colony, Noida.

Approximately 85 children were examined for vision-related issues at a special eye check-up camp jointly held by Max India Foundation and FXB Suraksha. This special camp was organized keeping in view the necessity for a healthy eye sight which can go a long way in building the future of these kids.



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