

Women SHG Creating Inspiration through “PASSING ON GIFTS”

MUGNI Sing with other fourteen member of ‘Maa Laxmi’ SHG and ‘Maa Gajalaxmi’ SHG joined the



Mayurbhanj Socio Economic Development Project (MSED) in March 2015 as Original Groups (OG) of SAKTI SIKHA DEVELOPMENT SOCIETY (SDS) in Koliana block. Through MSED project these SHGs have taken training on 12 Cornerstone, SHG Management, Improved Animal Management, Backyard Poultry Management, Agri

Kitchen Garden and Gender & Justice. During the era of about 15 months of implementation, the continuous training and PSRP of MSED project bring a positive change among the OG members of these groups and they become inspiration to other member of the project.

All the families of these groups are belonging to landless or very small land holding families. They are maintaining their livelihood though agriculture, daily wage earner and rearing small livestock like Goat and Poultry. Goat and Poultry are the major sources of livelihood for the families of these groups. Some of the members of ‘Maa Santoshi POG’ and ‘Maa Sitala POG’ have no goat and poultry. The OG member sitting with the PMC has decided to make ‘Pass On’ to help the POG member in earning livelihood through small livestock rearing.

The PMC carried on the 2nd ‘Pass On’ ceremony of SDS at the school premises of Jhinei villages with SDS staffs. The PMC leads the activities.



- Sanjukata Naik of ‘Maa Gajalaxmi OG’ gifted paddy seeds to Geetanjali Patra of ‘Maa Santoshi POG’.
- Manjurani Ghosh ”Maa Gajalaxmi” OG gifted two Poultry to Sambari Patra of ‘Maa Santoshi POG’.
- Sakuntala Behera ‘Maa Gajalaxmi OG’ gifted to a Female Goat to Rakhi Patra of ‘Maa Santoshi POG’.
- Ranjeeta Behera ‘Maa Gajalaxmi OG’ gifted to a lemon Plants to Arati Patra of ‘Maa Santoshi POG’.
- Sushila Ghosh ‘Maa Gajalaxmi OG’ gifted to a hen to Jatnimani Patra of ‘Maa Santoshi POG’.
- Ranjulata Ghosh ‘Maa Gajalaxmi OG’ gifted two Mushroom Seeds to Retanjali Patra of ‘Maa Santoshi POG’.
- Ranjulata Ghosh ‘Maa Gajalaxmi OG’ gifted a hen to Susama Patra of ‘Maa Santoshi POG’.
- Sashmita Ghosh ‘Maa Gajalaxmi OG’ gifted Vegetables Seeds Arati Patra of ‘Maa Santoshi POG’.

- Gouri Patra 'Maa Gajalaxmi OG' gifted to a Female Goat Manjulata Patra of 'Maa Santoshi POG'.
- Sakuntala Behera 'Maa Gajalaxmi OG' gifted Plants to Ashalata Patra of 'Maa Santoshi POG'.
- Sukanti Naik 'Maa Laxmi OG' gifted to Poultry to Kalpana Behera of 'Maa Sitala POG'.
- Hiramani Patra 'Maa Laxmi OG' gifted to Poultry and eggs Sarajini Patra of 'Maa Sitala POG'.
- Mugni Singh 'Maa Laxmi OG' gifted to a Female Goat Baisangi Singh of 'Maa Sitala POG'.
- Raibari Patra 'Maa Laxmi OG' gifted to a Female Goat Reena Singh of 'Maa Sitala POG'.



- Sumitra Singh 'Maa Laxmi OG' gifted to a Female Goat Champamani Singh of 'Maa Sitala POG'.
- Puspallata Patra 'Maa Laxmi OG' gifted a Female Goat Subhadra Singh of 'Maa Sitala POG'.
- Gouri Patra 'Maa Gajalaxmi OG' gifted to a Female Goat Sanjukta Patra of 'Maa Santoshi POG'.
- Sanjulata Behera of 'Maa Gajalaxmi OG' gifted a Female Goat Sanjukta Patra of 'Maa Santoshi POG'.
- Durgabati Ghosh 'Maa Gajalaxmi OG' gifted a Female Goat to Sushila Ghosh of 'Maa Gajalaxmi OG'.
- Ranjulata Ghosh 'Maa Gajalaxmi OG' gifted a Female Goat to Basanti Singh of 'Maa Gajalaxmi OG'.
- Sukanti Naik 'Maa Laxmi OG' gifted Female Goat to Manguli Bindhani of 'Maa Laxmi OG'.
- Hiramani Patra 'Maa Laxmi OG' gifted Female Goat to Sasmita Ghosh of 'Maa Gajalaxmi OG'.

Through initiating the "Pass On" these two groups 'Maa Laxmi OG' and 'Maa Gajalaxmi' joined in the the change maker group of MSED project. Here notable thing is that no groups had received any goat support from the project but it is only due to the CS training, PSRP and continuous follow up of SDS staffs the SHGs are initiated "Pass On" of their own assets. The story will influence other SHG to make impact of the life of another needy and join hand in the HEIFER' theory of change.....