

<u>ACTIVITY REPORT</u> <u>2021-2022</u>

SAMAR Charitable Trust

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Our Team

Board of Trustees

Nashoor Ajmal – President

Sarfarazuddin – Secretary

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Vandana Thakur - Member

Debasish Sengupta – Member

Samar Voluntary Group

Samar Youths

President's Address

Dear Board Members,

I am glad to present the Activity Report 2021-22 of SAMAR Charitable Trust. This is the

third year of the new Trustees. I will cease no words in saying that our team is working

tirelessly to serve society. The Trust is treading slowly and steadily.

You all know that in April – May 2021 the country was reeling through the deadly second

wave of the pandemic of Covid 19. This was unprecedented. Many dear ones left us. Most

saddening was the death of our friend Mr. Nurul Haque. SAMAR team condoles his death.

Our team worked tirelessly during the second wave of the Covid -19. We provided oxygen

cylinders and necessary medicines. We targeted slum dwellers and other urban poor

people who were in distress at that time. We pray to God never bring such time again

because it shattered hopes of the humankind.

On the other hand, we are now expanding our work in rural areas. Our aim is to bring

harmony among various communities. Now we are in a formidable situation. This year we

have opened two libraries in two remote villages. This is our ambitious programme.

Once again, I thank all of you. You all helped in raising large funds for relief work during

the second wave of Covid 19.

Thank you

(Nashoor Ajmal)

President

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Obituary

The deadly pandemic of Covid 19 took the life of our beloved friend and hardworking comrade – **Mr Nurul Haque on 30th April 2021.** Destiny showed extreme cruelty in snatching our beloved friend at a very tender age. We could not do anything else crying in despair.

He was one of the founding members of Samar and Samar Youths. He single-handedly executed several campaigns like Blood Donation Camps in Patna. He had a keen interest in political awareness of rural youths of Neora and Bela panchayat of Bihta block. He led SAMAR in organising various programmes in those areas. This is the fruit of the efforts of Nurul Haque that we are now opening libraries in villages and organising sports activities for rural youths.

SAMAR owes too much to him and salutes the young man and his endeavours.

COVID Relief

SAMAR has always responded with dexterity in times of natural calamity or disastrous situations. It stood firmly to those people who got affected severely. This time the pandemic of Covid-19 had made things very difficult. The second wave made things very difficult for people across India. Due to the rise in infections rapidly in April to June 2021, there was a lack of oxygen and hospital beds. It was a calamity of unprecedented order.

Our volunteers realised the need to chip in. Several volunteers took initiative for arranging beds, and cylinders for patients in dire need. We purchased masks and sanitiser in bulk and distributed them in slum areas of Patna where usually no medical facilities were available. One of the well-wishers even donated an oxygen concentrator for the relief work. The efforts of our volunteers helped in saving over 20 valuable lives across Patna.

While providing medical aid, our volunteers realised the need for distributing food packets to people living on the margin. Over 200 people living in Saguna More, Adalat Ghat and Mangal Akhada got benefitted from this campaign.



Research Work

After publishing our first book in 2020, Slums of Patna, our research wing felt the need for more in-depth research to develop a better understanding of people living in slums. Therefore, Furquan Ahmed and Rahul Yaduka – two young scholars of our team decided to conduct a socio-economic survey of slum dwellers. Over 3500 households were covered and 60 slums were included in this deep and encompassing survey. This survey aims to know the –

- Sociological demography of slums
- Causes behind migration of rural mass to urban settlements
- Occupational Structure and status of Livelihood
- Status of their rights

Communal Harmony Campaigns

In 2019, we decided to work on the promotion of **Communal Harmony among Rural Youths**. This is a new field where we have put our steps. We have selected villages of the Bihta block of Patna. We had chalked out three programmes under this head –

- Sadhbhawna Cup An inter-caste inter religion Cricket tournament
- Vriksharopan Tree plantation in each village
- Village Library Initiative
- Cricket for harmony Sadhbhawna Cup -2022

Eight teams qualified for the knockout round of the Sadbhawna Cup 2022. The playing elevens were selected from various villages and various castes. All the teams had players from different socio-religious groups. This exercise breaks the ice through social rigidities. Samar team and village boys worked hard for one month to make it a big success.

Winners of the tournament were felicitated in a colourful ceremony.



• Tree Plantation drive took us deep into rural areas of Bihta block. Similar to last year, we conducted a campaign for tree plantations in different villages of Bihta Block. Local youths

carried this programme diligently. This year the number of villages and the number of trees increased. All the sociological groups participated in this campaign.



Village Library Initiative – We are trying to open low-cost libraries in rural areas. The
objective of this initiative is to promote reading habits among youths and sensitise them to
various social issues. We hope that in the next financial year, we will be successful in
establishing 4-5 libraries in different villages.

Voluntary Teaching in slums of Patna

The voluntary Teaching Programme is one of the most important programmes of the Trust. In these years we have run voluntary teaching centres in 10 slums of Patna. Some centres were closed and, in some places, we delved deep into the daily ordeals of slum dwellers. At present 100 children are learning at various centres. Slowly we are getting results of our toil. Children are learning the skills of reading writing and scientific temperament.

This year, apart from 4 centres in Patna. We have included one more centre in Bihar Sharif. Around 15 students were part of our centre. With the help of our volunteer in Bihar Sharif, we were able to enrol 6 students in government schools.



Rights and Entitlements

People living in slums are deprived of basic rights. Government schemes don't reach out to them or they don't have proper documents for it. Their access to government institutions is also troublesome.

During our survey, we came to know most slum dwellers have no shram cards (Labour Cards) or Ayushman cards. Therefore, our volunteers helped 200 people in generating their shram cards and 100 Ayushman cards free of cost through the online portal of the government. People living in Kanhaiya Nagar, Taj Nagar, Kaushal Nagar, Mangal Akhada, Rupaspur benefitted from this process.

In order to develop long-lasting relationships with Anganwadi centres, we used flash card games with kids in different slums. Slums covered: Isopur, Kanhaiya Nagar, Kaushal Nagar.



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INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT For the Year Ended As On 31/03/2022

	EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT		INCOME	TNUOMA
То	Activities & Programme :		Ву	Donation Received	752,073.00
	Social Activities & Programme Exp	1,578.00	"	Interest on SB	976.00
	Salary & Stipened	138,000.00	***	Liability Written Off	1,180.00
	Communal Harmony	26,864.00			
	Honorarium to Volunteers	62,150.00			
	Support to Social Workers	3,000.00			
	Research Exp	25,000.00			
	Medical relief - COVID 19	79,583.00			
То	Establishment Expense				
	Office Expenses	35,640.00			
	Office rent	63,000.00			
	Travelling & Conveyance	20,824.00			
	Bank Charges	429.52			
	Refreshment Exp	225.00			
	Printing & Stationary	5,899.00			
	Professional Fees	10,000.00			
	Audit Fee	11,800.00			
"	Depreciation	6,169.00			
"	Surplus	264,067.48			
		754,229.00			- 754,229.00

IN TERMS OF OUR REPORT OF EVEN DATE.

For S S Quadri & CO. Chartered Accountants FRN No-014432C

(CA. S S Quadri) Proprietor M.No-401009

Place: - Patna Date: - 16/09/2022

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BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH 2022

CAPITAL & LIABILITIES	AMOUNT ₹	AMOUNT ₹	ASSETS & PROPERTIES	AMOUNT ₹
Corpus Fund:			Fixed Assets:	
Opening Balance Add:- During the year	51,000.00		(as per Schedule-"A")	24,675.00
Less:- Utilised	-	51,000.00		
Non Corpus Fund:			Current Assets:	
Opening Balance	(19,440.94)		Cash in Hand	4,487.00
Add:- Surplus	264,067.48	244,626.54	Kotak Bank CA A/c-0611639613	8,102.54
			Axis Bank SB A/c-922010003551923	270,162.00
Current Liabilities:				
Audit Fee Payable		11,800.00		
		307,426.54	-	307,426.54

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