



ACTIVITY REPORT

2018-19

SAMAR Charitable Trust

Reg. No. 664/2015

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Our Team

Board of Trustees

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Samar Voluntary Group

Samar Youths

President's Address

Dear Board Members,

I am glad to present the Activity Report 2018-19 of SAMAR Charitable Trust. This is the fourth year of our activities. Slowly and steadily we are growing and increasing our activities. We hope one day we will be able to bring all the strata and all the communities close to each other.

Our non - formal education programme in slums is in full swing. Since 2017, we have deepened our programme and made it more professional and effective for children of slum dwellers in Patna. Now we are working in four different slums of Patna hoping to expand it in coming days.

On the other hand, we have gone deep into the understanding of slums. In early 2017, we had started a survey in slums of Patna. The analysis and report of the survey was completed in 2018. We hope this report will come in form of a book in coming days. This will enhance our understanding and will definitely give us new insights. This will surely improve quality of our work.

This is our endeavour against inequality and ignorance prevalent in the society. We have a commitment to ourselves and our people – we have to stand tall for it.

Thank you.

Swati Kashyap
President

15-09-19

Programmes and Activities

Voluntary Teaching in Slums

This programme is our most ambitious programme. We are intervening in slums since inception of our Trust and from 2017 we are following a definite work plan and activity calendar for education of children of slums.

Children showing their art skills on paper in Adalatghat Slums

The programme is running smoothly now. We have completed the profiling of all the children. Now we are in position to tell how much progress has been reported in each child. Now we are working in four different slums in four different areas of Patna Municipal Area. These are –

- **Indrapuri**
- **Saguna More**
- **Mangal Akhara, Patna City**
- **Adalatghat, Bankipur**

The Indrapuri Centre is facing trouble due to government notice of eviction. The government is going to displace people residing beside Railway Line. This will create a political problem. Samar is going to participate and collaborate with other organizations in saving these slums because without any alternative eviction of these slum dwellers is injustice.

At present, 100 children are studying at four Learning Centres in four slums. Interestingly, out of these 100 children girls are in majority.

Art and Culture

This year once again we organised some cultural activities for slum children and musical programmes for the benefits of slum children. These programmes are part of our regular activities but are not conducted frequently.

Community Jamming is an informal wing of SAMAR which conducts Busking and Jamming programmes. Our team have conducted a musical programme on 12.6.18 on the eve of **World Anti Child Labour Day at Indrapuri Centre**. In this programme various artistes from theater and music fraternity and NGOs participated and interacted with slum children and their parents.

Poster of the Cultural programme held on 20th Novemebr'18

Similarly, on 20th November 2018, a gala musical programme was organized in Open Air Auditorium at Golghar for the slum children. Many young and renowned artistes of Patna gave their performances and entertained the audience. A number of slum dwellers and their children enjoyed the musical show.

This programme was conducted in collaboration with **Save The Children** – a well known international voluntary service organisation working to safeguard the rights of children all over the world.

Research and Development

We had held a household survey in slums of Patna in the 2016-17. **More than two thousand households from 38 slums were taken under the study. Sample of 50 families was** The survey report is ready. We have requested St Xavier’s Institute, Patna to publish it. It will be published in coming months. Some of the curious facts and figures we got in this study are given in the box.

Some interesting Facts and figures about Slums of Patna

- **50% of slum dwellers are Dalits**
- **21 % of Population is Muslim**
- **Sex Ratio in Slums is 958**
- **Literacy Rate is 24 %**
- **82% Families earn less than 6000 per month**

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SAMAR CHARITABLE TRUST

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INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
For the Financial Year Ending As On 31/03/2020

EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT ₹	INCOME	AMOUNT ₹
To Activities & Programme :		By Donation	324,601.00
" Eduactional Activity	66,525.00	" Interest on TDS	270.00
" Campaign for Flood Releif	5,600.00	" Excess of Expenditure over Income	5,977.00
" Establishment Expense			
" Salary	180,000.00		
" Office Expenses	5,113.00		
" Travelling & Conveyance	12,750.00		
" Office Rent	58,500.00		
" Audit Fee	2,360.00		
	330,848.00	-	330,848.00

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
UDIN-

Place: - Patna
Date: - 07/01/2021

