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**VIKASANA**

(Organisation for Education & Social Work)

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## Message from the Chairman Desk

**VIKASANA is a non-profit** entity established in the year 1988-89 focusing on community development activities in five villages of Amruthapura Village of Tarikere Block. Today it has extended its territory of working area to two districts in Karnataka. Over the years Vikasana has been working under various community development programs such as – Children rehabilitation through bridge school programme by ensuring basic education, shelter, and overall healthy development and sustainability of these children; Safeguard child rights by creating knowledge and awareness among rural communities; Empowering the rural women through formation of SHGs and federations and encouraging savings and linking with micro- finance, Strengthening and empowering the Elected women representatives; Empowering and strengthening the tribal communities ensuring sustainability through formation of farmer Producer Companies and income generation activities, skill development and income generation activities with the support of NABARD of seven long years; Organising and strengthening the rural youth with various skill development programs/trainings.

In addition to these activities Vikasana has shown its keen focus on community health sanitation, food security, nutritional enhancement, safe drinking water through promotion of bio-sand water technology, promotion of herbal medicine and strengthening of traditional rural doctors, creating awareness and knowledge about various diseases like Malaria, dengue, COVID -19, Personal Hygiene, and various contagious diseases. Apart from these Vikasana has been working for clean environment by promoting sustainable and organic agricultural practices, resource conservation, watershed development, natural resource management, drought relief measures, bio diversity conservation, carbon reduction, tree plantation, promotion and plantation of medicinal plants, and ground water management programme. Vikasana has never stepped back from its service to the needy community even during the recent medical emergency due to COVID-19, the organisation and the entire team kept working and ensuring the service to the most underprivileged communities.

Furthermore, Organisation is maintaining good rapport with various stakeholders, government departments like Women and Child Welfare, Labour, Handicraft, Department of Empowerment of differently abled and senior citizen, KVK (Agriculture University) and Agriculture departments.

In the upcoming years Vikasana aims on collaboration with Women & Child Welfare Department focusing towards child welfare, women empowerment, fight against domestic violence and child marriage, ensuring skill development programmes for vulnerable women, youth and children. In addition to this Vikasana also aims towards extending its services to natural resource management, disaster management.

We take this opportunity to extend our sincere gratitude to all board members, supporting agencies like KKS Germany, THP New Delhi, Asha for Education Seattle, NABARAD Karnataka, BEFC Bangalore, Selco Solar, Shivamogga, Sangamithra Micro Finance, and all our local donors and well wishers for all your constant support and cooperation to help the needy society. We are expecting your more support and cooperation in future for this noble wok.

Thanking you all,

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## VIKASANA ORGANISATION

### “Mission Statement”

VIKASANA exists to facilitate empowering of the poor in the process of social development through sustainable improvement in the livelihoods and socio-economic status and self-reliance of the under-privileged sections of society.

### “Vision Statement”

VIKASANA envisions holistic development through maximum integration of all activities in order to ensure progress among the rural and urban poor community.

### Institutional Objectives

- Pay special attention to the needs and aspirations of the socially and economically marginalized, SC/ST, tribal communities and other weaker segments of society, physically and mentally handicapped persons, orphans and destitute with due focus on women and children.
- Organize rural poor, tribal community and urban under-privileged women into groups and set up Self-Help Groups for their socio-economic development, livelihood support and empowerment
- Improve the Health & Nutritional status of women and children by conducting awareness and service programmes in the areas of health, hygiene, HIV/AIDS control & prevention, nutrition, small family norms, sanitation, etc.
- Evolve Programmes for education at primary levels and Non-formal Education for school dropouts, working children, adolescent girls and adults.
- Eliminate Child Labour and Rehabilitate the children.
- Provide Vocational Training to increase employment opportunities for the youth, adolescent girls and women and promote Income Generating Programmes (IGP).
- Create Environmental Awareness, protection of bio-diversity and undertake environment improvement activities
- Evolve methods to reach large number of people with disabilities to ensure equal opportunities, equity and social justice for the disabled community and the aged.
- Build linkages between people’s institutions (CBOs and Federations) Government and other NGO networks.

### Brief Note:

**VIKASANA, a non-profit** entity established in 1988-89 and working under various community development programs such as children rehabilitation through bridge school program, safeguard child rights, women empowerment through SHGs and micro-finance, panchayathi raj strengthening, skill development programs for youths and promotion of handicrafts. In addition community health and sanitation, bio-sand water technology, food security and nutritional enhancement, promotion of herbal medicine, organic agriculture, resource conservation, watershed development, natural resource management, drought relief measures, bio-diversity conservation, carbon reduction and ground water management program are taking up for the development of needy and downtrodden community. Furthermore, Organization is maintaining good-rapport with various stakeholders, government departments like women & child, labour and Agriculture department. Most of the activities of the organisation are implemented in the respective communities and are running effectively. Presently the main focus is done towards sustainability of all activities like SHGs, Federations, WDC and targeted community activities.

## **VIKASANA Programmes 2020-21:**

1. Poor/Dropout children Education programme
  - a. Children Centre – K. Chattanahalli (KKS, Germany)
  - b. Bridge School Duglapura (Asha for Education, Seattle)
  - c. Land development programme in Duglapura (Asha for Education, Seattle)
2. Sustainable Resource Conservation and Food Security for low Income Families (KKS/BMZ, Germany)
3. COVID-19 Relief activities , KKS/BMZ, Germany and Asha for Education, Seattle
4. Strengthening the Elected Women Representatives in Local Grama Panchayat (THP, New Delhi)
5. Farmers Producer Organisation (FPO) - NABARD
6. Integrated Tribal development Programme (TDF) - NABARAD
7. Promotion of Handicrafts Designing and Development
8. Formation of Self Help Groups
9. Income Generation Program (IGP) & Entrepreneurship Development
10. Promotions of Herbal Medicines

## **Other activities of the organization:**

- a. Food grains distribution by Food and Citizen Supply Department, Karnataka
- b. Bio Sand Water filter construction techniques and Promotion
- c. Financial support by BEFC, Bangalore
- d. Staff Capacity Building training through webinar, KKID Coimbatore
- e. Networking of NGOs

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## Programmes 2020-2021

### 1. Poor/Dropout Children Education Programme:

VIKASANA is working with underprivileged, dropout and orphan children education programme from past 28 years and has been engaged in providing holistic development of children and supporting them with free education at our center. The children education program has been implemented according to the pedagogic methodology through which need of the education for the needy children has been activated. An importance is given to provide support to children education with a special focus on rehabilitation of children who had educational gap due to worked as child labour, school drop outs, domestic worker, street children, orphan, single parent and children from marginalized and poor families.

During this academic year due to the pandemic situation most of the time children stayed with their family, as a result of which teachers and counsellor in children center organised regular online classes, online assignments, tele-counselling, regular monitoring and follow up over phone calls about the safety and security of our children. Apart from these teachers and counsellors had also organised academic classes and counselling sessions for the children during regular home visit. All these initiatives was undertaken to keep our children connected with their academic course and support them mentally during this pandemic.

#### a) Children Center – K. Chattanahalli (Anna Schmidt School partnership programme):



“Special classes for children in their Village due to COVID 19 Pandemic situation”

In the academic year 2020-2021, thirty three girl children were accommodated and rehabilitated for their continued education at K. Chattanahalli children center with the support of **Karl Kübel Stiftung for Child and Family, Germany** and **Anna Schmidt School, Frankfurt, Germany**. These children were identified from 30 economically backward villages of Chikmagalur, Koppala and Shimoga district. The main objective of this programme is to provide a space for

education, good environment for the holistic development of the underprivileged children from rural communities.

The children at the centre are free to access to the availing resources like free shelter, nutritional food, free education support from trained teachers, learning materials, teaching aids, computer training, tailoring, computers, exposure visit, playing materials, cultural exchange, and opportunity to learn and explore their talents and so on, for their inter personal development. With regard to the quality aspects at the center, we have adopted child friendly campus with strict child protection policy, regular monitoring systems are used to protect the child’s need, care and protection all these has contributed in the overall well being of all children. All children at the center are regular to school, studying well and passed in their annual examination.

**b) Bridge school Duglapura (Asha for Education):**



“COVID-19 Awareness programme for Bridge School Children and their Parents”

Asha for Education - Bridge school children programme is going on at Duglapura village which is 13km distance from Tarikere block, Chikmagalur district. This children center is running by VIKASANA with the support of **ASHA for Education, Seattle**. The center is ensuring educational support to 25 children who had educational gap due to various reasons and also children from economical poor backward families. An importance is also

given to nurture systematic daily routine, educational progressive activities and extra curriculum initiatives aiming at overall development of all children.

Children are also given additional skill based education like basic computer training, there are four computers in computer and a trained teacher to guide them basic computer skills, apart from this there is small library with minimum of 250 to 300 books which children can use to gain their knowledge. The institution has been ensuring the holistic development of the child with the child friendly approach. During the year infrastructure development activities were undertaken like installation of CC Camera, construction of washing areas with the support of Vikasana and local sources.

**c) Land development programme in Duglapura (Asha for Education, Seattle)**



“Pumpkins cultivated in Asha land in Duglapura”

The team of VIKASANA has been constantly working on the development activities and utilization of land supported by ASHA for Education, Seattle. The land was supported with the objective to run sustainable bridge school education to the most needy and backward children in rural region. This year we have received an average rainfall in the beginning of the monsoon which has helped in involving in agricultural land development activities. As a result of it we were able see some progressive growth in

the land development activities. The plantation of teak and silver plants has grown more vertical as well as horizontal. In addition to that we have newly planted areca nut for one and half acres, few more forestry plants like silver, teak, and gliricidia in the edges of land field. Whereas the horticulture plants such as banana, sapota, mango, neem and areca nut plants to nurture the nature. On the other hand, we cultivated vegetables like brinjal, cucumber, ladies finger, tomato, coriander, bottle gourd, herbs, beans and chilly. Through these land development activities we are generating income from vegetable cultivation, coconut plants, areca nut, tamarind plants and banana cultivation. Income earned from this land is utilized for the management of Bridge school expenses and management of land.

## 2. Sustainable Resource Conservation and Food Security for Low Income Families (KKS/BMZ, Germany):

Sustainable resource conservation and food security project for low income families was successfully implemented to bring reduction of poverty and increase average household food security of low-income families living in 14 backward villages of Tarikere block. The project was started in late September 2019 and is successfully going on in 14 villages of Tarikere block, Chikamagalur district with the financial support from Karl Kübel Stiftung (KKS/BMZ) Germany. The project was expected to be completed by the end of December 2020 but due to the pandemic situation the project was continued till the end of March 2021.



“Block Level Workshop along with MLA, Taluk Panchavat President. NGO Networks”

Around 1108 Low income families has been benefiting from the project intervention. We have formed CBOs such as SHGs, and WDCs are effectively functioning and are strengthened. The savings habit of women has increased from day to day. Due to series of training/exposure visit, the knowledge of beneficiaries on social issues as well as government schemes has improved and they are accessing them now. Besides, they understood the importance of people participation in village development. 25 farmers on organic farming/Cultivation and importance to soil and water conservation was improved better as a result of various training, meeting, home visit followed by sustainability orientation/initiatives. As a result, farmers are keep continued the organic farming strategies in their agriculture land along with utilization of watershed treatments implemented.



“Inauguration of tailoring center at Siddarahalli”

Implementation of various income generation activities are already in place and people are earning additional income from management of IGA activities (Sheep/Goat raring, Dairy, Petty shop, & Local chicks). Similarly beneficiaries are very happy to use the alternative energy sources activities supported by the project and the benefits experienced by them.

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Health status of beneficiaries is improving day to day due to use of best practices connected to the health and sanitation management followed by awareness generation. The Farmers and beneficiaries are now come forward to take over the activities to its sustainability.

### Key milestones:

- 14 women SHGs, 01 WDC and 2 cluster level federations are functioning independently and standing for savings, social justice and collective action.

- Distributed and planted 2325 fruit bearing trees, 884 medicinal plants, 6460 agro forestry and the survival rate is 80%.

- 124 ha of cultivated and barren land are meliorated, protected against erosion and used sustainably through construction of 08 new farm ponds and improved harvesting capacities of five existing ponds.



“World Environment Day Celebration at Mallenahalli School Ground”

- 120 interested women have enhanced knowledge about traditional medicines and produce medical products from local medicinal plants. One health camp conducted where 250 persons received treatment and consultation. When necessary, linkage with local hospitals established.

- 152 days of tank desiltation programme has been successfully carried out and removed 1976 loads of sand from the tank.

- 337 Families received improved access to 60 units of food storage device, 137 units of solar energy, 40 units of safe cooking chullas and 100 units of safe drinking water and are now been utilized effectively.

- Sustainable resource conservation and introducing organic farming - 50 units of Vermicompost and 45 Bio-fertilizers are implemented among the local farmers under integrated pest management measures. This has resulted in reduction in use of chemical fertilizers into the agricultural land. 70 families are now using organic farming this has increased the soil fertility and the yield is slightly progressing.



“Sheep Rearing – IGP Activity at Mallenahalli”

- 32 Azola units have been implemented to support dairy development. The milk yield has been increased, used as a nutritious food for the cow and the cost on fodder has been reduced.

- IGP Activities – 08 units Mushroom cultivation unit, 18 units of Dairy Development, 12 units of Sheep rearing, 04 Petty Shop and 25 units of poultry are increased the income of

landless families.

- Health, food, sanitation and nutrition activities – 20 units of Kitchen Garden which has benefited to 20 families which has reduced the cost of expenditure on vegetables for 6 to 8 months and the nutrition of the family members has increased. 35 units of soak pit reduced insects and flays nearby houses and related sickness has also been reduced.



### Impact of Food Security Project in the community:

- 65% of eligible families (625) have access to at least one government scheme.
- 360 small and marginal farmers are now practicing mixed cropping system of cultivation.
- 32 acres of uncultivated land is brought into cultivation.
- 60 farmers are now cultivating their own land instead of leasing it.
- Water and Soil conservation activities resulted in increase in ground water, cultivation, harvesting and agricultural yield improved.
- Improved agricultural productivity by 550- 650kg per/ha.
- 90% soil erosion has been reduced during rainy session due to watershed management.
- Dependency on chemical fertilizers and investment on purchasing chemical fertilizers has been reduced and practice of organic farming has increased.
- Increased use of bio fertilizers, reduction in crop failure and crop diseases.
- 67 landless families enhance their livelihoods through IGP and increase their annual household incomes by 25%, up to 17.500 INR on average.
- 40 young girls and women are self employed, earning additional income to their family and migration is reduced.

### 3. COVID -19 relief activities, KKS/BMZ, Germany and Asha for Education, Seattle:



“Distribution of food kits for needy at Nagavangala Village”

Vikasana has been working in 20 villages in Tarikere block. During this COVID-19 situation and medical emergency, the entire country was shut down from middle of March which has affected mostly the migrant and daily labours. This has affected even our rural people for their livelihood, thus Vikasana team has taken initiatives in distributing food kits, mask, sanitizers, biscuit for children and also creating awareness through distribution of posters.

With the support of KKS/ BMZ, Germany Vikasana team was able to mobilize and distribute around 570 food kit/ ration kit for very poor and needy individuals during this pandemic situation, the food kit was sufficient to feed a family with three meals a day over the period of 5-6 days. 256 biscuit pack was distributed for children in villages, 2908 re-usable mask and 590 sanitizer bottles was distributed among the identified needy individuals who could not afford for mask. In addition to this 2400 napkins for women and girls was distributed to use clean and hygiene napkins during this pandemic to protect them and their family from infections. Apart from distribution of food kits, mask, sanitizers Vikasana staff team was more focusing on creating awareness on COVID-19 protective measures and has organised awareness and sensitization programmes on preventive measures from COVID

with 1610 direct participation. 37 banner and 10500 handbills are alerting them from time to time stay safe, maintains social distance, hand wash and etc.

With the support of Asha for Education, Seattle Vikasana team was able to mobilize and distribute around 150 food kit/ ration kit for very poor and needy individuals during this pandemic situation, the food kit was sufficient to feed a family with four for minimum 5days with three meals a day. 300 biscuits, 500 re-usable mask and 200 sanitizer bottles for 200 families was distributed among the identified needy individuals who could not afford for mask Distributed 2500 handbills and wall stickers, Displayed around 10 banners in the public to create awareness about COVID-19 preventive measures and precautions, Organised five awareness and sensitization programmes on preventive measures from COVID-19 with especially for women, children, parents and handicapped.



“Distribution of food kit for Bridge School Children to fight COVID lockdown”

#### **Impact of COVID relief activities in the community:**

- 720 poor, marginalized, vulnerable families were able to eat three meals a day for 5-6 days during this pandemic situation.
- 3408 reusable mask and 790 Sanitizer were distributed to 800 poor, marginalized, vulnerable families, who had difficulties in spending on purchase of mask.
- 556 biscuit packs were distributed to the children in the rural communities as additional snacks to them.
- 2400 good quality clean napkins were distributed to the poor, marginalized, vulnerable families to promote personal hygiene and sanitation.
- 2000 people (direct Participants) are been sensitized on COVID 19 preventive measures and importance of hygiene and sanitation, use of mask, and social distancing.
- 13000 handbills, 2000 stickers and 47 COVID preventive measures banners has been displayed and distributed to create awareness among people, more than 20 villages has been benefited from this intervention.

#### **4. Strengthening the Elected Women Representatives in Local Village Gram Panchayat (THP, New Delhi):**

With the support of The Hunger Project (THP)-New Delhi, VIKASANA is implementing the project titled “Strengthening the Political Leadership of Elected Women Representative [EWR] in Local Village Councils-Gram Panchayats so as to address the violence against women through the local governance framework” with covering 312 EWRs from 102 GPs from Tarikere, Mudigere, Ajjampura and Kadur block of Chikmagalur district and Shikaripura and Bhadravathi block from Shimoga district.

All these EWRs are not only effectively working in their respective panchayat but are also actively monitoring the standing committees. They also understood the role of GPs in preventing sexual harassment and importance for women gram saba. Besides, EWRs are in regularly connected with school, mid-day meals, SDMC committee issues, anganwadi, bala vikasa samithi, mothers meeting, adolescents, pregnant women, lactating mothers, ASHA workers, ANM and monitoring the effective work to be reached to right beneficiaries.



“Free Village level COVID Vaccination in 3 villages of Tarikere Gram Panchayath”

**Key Milestones:**

- 165 Jagaruk Manch Meeting held in 6 blocks with a participation of 2482 leaders including President, Vice President, members and other women members were actively participated and discussed about local problems and development work through gram panchayath.
- 144 Potential Leadership Workshop was organised for 2723 women (Old elected women President, Vice President, Members and new women potential leaders.
- 125 SWEEP Campaign was organised in every GP through SWEEP Film Screening Programme, SWEEP Jatha (Rally) programme, SWEEP Street Play programme with a total participants of 4854 men, women and villagers.
- Sweep village Level Meeting - we have successfully conducted 125 Village level meetings with total participants of 4608 which included President, Vice President, Members, other women members and men were actively participated and benefited from these meetings.
- 15 Women Leadership Workshop, this workshop was organised after the GP elections for 312 new elected women President, Vice President and Members.



“Jagaruthi Vedike Meeting at Udugani Gram Panchyath”

- COVID relief intervention activities through GP to support poor and vulnerable families.
- EWRs organised and celebrated the mask day in 20 GPs of Tarikere block. 15670 masks were distributed to villagers in all 20 GPs during these programmes.
- COVID awareness and preventive measures in GP and village level.
- Linkages to govt schemes and effective monitoring of local institutions

by JV team.

- Connected various government schemes to 358 beneficiaries (Sandya suraksha scheme -125, Widow pension - 86, Old age pension -97, Handicap pension -10, PSD Card - 40).

**Impact of Strengthening EWR Project in the community:**

- Elected Women Representatives are now aware of their legal rights, duties and responsibilities as an elected leader in Grama Panchayath.
- Women participation in Grama Panchayth has been increased by 75% and these leaders are now taking active leadership in village development activities and participating in Taluk level elections.
- Elected Women Representative Federation called Sugrama is been now recognized in state Parliament and their demands and recommendations are been now discussed in parliament assembly.
- Women rights, Children Rights and various social issues are now addressed and discussed in the village with the initiatives of the elected women representatives in the Grama Panchayath.
- Elected Women Representatives are now monitoring the fair price shop, anganwadi, government schools, mid day meals so the beneficiaries the students are now enjoying these facilities.

**5. Farmers Producer Organisation (FPO) - NABARD:**



“NABARD DDM Mr. Prathap Visit to Sri Sharadamba FPO, Sringeri”

In order to increase the agriculture produce and making farmers to sell their products through their own platform, VIKASANA is implementing Farmer Producer Organization Project with the financial assistance from NABARD, Bangalore. There are 03 FPOs namely - Sri Nisarga FPO-Begur, Sri. Annapoorneshwari FPO- Koppa and Sri Sharadamba FPO- Sringeri are functioning in three blocks of Chikmagalur district of Karnataka state. The programme activities of these FPOs are well going in project villages

and these FPOs are registered under the Companies Act 1956. Training and capacity building of FPO directors and concerned team has been carried for more insight about FPO concept. Apart from training the FPOs are also focusing on equity mobilization, increase of shareholders and doing business activities such as selling of fertilizers, pesticide, aluminum ladder, tarpaulins and coffee drying mattress are going in the field.

**Status of Shares mobilization of FPO:**

Sl. No.	Name of FPO	No. of Shares mobilized	Total Turnover (In INR.)	Activities Initiative
1.	Sri Annapoorneshwari Farmers Producer organization- Koppa	535	25 Lakhs	Spices, Horticulture plants, Sale of Fertilizers, Distribution of Agriculture equipments.

2.	Sri Sharadamba Farmers Producer organization- Shringeri	530	5 Lakhs	Spices, Horticulture plants, Sale of Fertilizers, Distribution of Agriculture equipments.
3.	Jenugoodu Farmers Producer organization- Begur, Tarikere Tq	293	-	Sales of Seeds.

**Impact of Farmer Producer Company in the community:**

- 1358 small and marginal farmers have come together into common forum to support each other in marketing their agricultural products.
- Middle man exploitation has been reduced and farmers are now selling their products at profitable margin.
- Fertilizers, agricultural equipments, food processing units are now available to the small and marginal farmers at reasonable price and on time.
- Government subsidies and loans are now made easily available to the farmers.

**6. Integrated Tribal Development Programme (TDF) - NABARD:**

VIKASANA implemented the “Integrated Tribal Development Programme” project in Koppa and Shringeri block from 2011 to 2018 with a view to ensure sustainable economic improvement of tribal communities. NABARD Bangalore has provided financial assistance to reach the development service to 603 Tribal families. Now, all these families have enrolled under the two FPOs in two clusters as shareholder farmers. The name of these FPO is Sri Annapoorneshwari FPCL and Sri Sharadamba FPCL. So far the farmers are availing various technical advices related to spices crops from these FPOs. Besides, they are availing the required agriculture inputs like tarpaulins, coffee bags, pepper ladder, sprayer machine and etc. at reasonable price. Apart from that, these tribal share holder farmers are selling their coffee, pepper, nutmeg and clove through these FPO platforms. Due to the existence of the FPO farmers are linked to better market and minimized interference of middleman.

**Impact of Tribal Development Project in the community:**

- 49 Village Planning Committee [VPC] has been formed at each village, tribal beneficiaries are now organised and presently all these VPCs are functioning effectively finding market network and linkages for tribal products.
- 03 Farmers Club and 16 SHGs are formed to work collectively among the tribal communities, SHGs are focusing financial assistance to all members and Farmers clubs are working effectively towards finding market network and linkages for tribal products.
- 60% Farmers are applied for Kisan credited card and among them many farmers are enjoying credit facilities for their agricultural activities.
- 90% of beneficiaries are now able to purchase their requirements for agriculture and household through the returns from wadi and IGP activities, as a result of which depending on money lenders has been reduced by 56%.

- 90% of tribal beneficiaries having bank account and started saving and 45% of the people accessed bank loan which are crop loan, two wheeler loan and home loan.
- Education status has increased - 100% children from this community are going to school from class 1st to 7th standard, 85% children are going to school from class 8th to 10th standard and 40% Children are getting higher education and complete graduation.
- 80% of migration controlled among tribal farmers in wadi areas.
- The annual income of tribal family was Rs.10,500 - 12,500 before the project implementation and after implementation of the project the annual income has increased up to INR.23,000-25,000.
- The health and nutrition status of tribal beneficiaries has been improved due to several health interventions under the tribal development project

## 7. Promotion of Handicrafts Design and Development:

In order to ensure the promotion and development of disappearing traditional handicrafts in rural villages aiming at the benefit of needy artisans community; VIKASANA is implementing a **AHVV and Non AHVV Schemes** in Chikmagalur district, Karnataka with the grant support from **office of development commissioner (Handicrafts), Mangalore**. Formation of 14 artisans groups, baseline study of 229 artisan's families, design and technical development workshop, large group discussion, development of identity cards for artisans were done by the organisation. Rs.72,000/- amount savings and Rs.3,50,000/- given as a loan from Sanghamithra Finance for the IGA activities especially for development of Bamboo craft.

## 8. Formation of Self Help Group:

VIKASANA has given primary importance to organise women representation in to self servicing groups. 21 New women Self Help Groups (SHGs) has been formed newly in our working area during this year. They all are functioning independently with the savings management.

Besides, capacity building and strengthening services rendered to almost 115 formed SHGs in 56 villages and who pool their thrift regularly and use the thrift to make small interest bearing loans to members. Credits made people to receive additional money from adopted income generating programmes like Dairy, Goat /Sheep rearing, starting of self employment and even for family needs like marriages and festival celebrations. Several groups are registered and have obtained financial assistance from the Banks, NABARD RO, Sangamitra finance and Local Banks. Initiatives invited to make these groups as permanent existence in project villages for further development, sustainability of the project activities and collective action.



“Savings and Discussion at SHG Meeting at Kudluru”

**The total progresses of SHGs as on March 2020 - 21:**

No. of Villages	No. of SHGs	Total members	Total savings (Rs. in Lakh)	Total Credit given (Rs. in Lakh)
56	115	1725	41.50	35.25

**9. Income Generation Program (IGP) & Entrepreneurship Development:**

To sustain the rural livelihood and to ensure self employment habits among the rural communities, VIKASANA has been supporting and encouraging towards income generation and entrepreneurship management activities for **850** poor and low income families living in 20 villages of drought prone region of Kadur block, 26 villages in Koppa and Sringeri and 10 villages in Tarikere block. Through this intervention of Vikasana many families are earning an additional income in their family which is contributing to the financial stability of the families. One person



“Mushroom Cultivation – IGP Activity in Veerapura”

in the family is full time self employed and the entire family migration has been reduced as a result of which children are able to attend their regular schools.

Training and capacity building program on income generation programme, entrepreneurship development, marketing, networking, book keeping, account maintenance and strengthening leadership skills provided to the people. The intrusion provided additional income to rural families and relieved them from the clutches of local money lenders. Average additional family income was recorded between INR.1500 to INR. 4500 per income generating programme for each family.

**Status of income generation programme initiated from 2020 to 2021:**

Income generation activity	No. of Beneficiaries
Dairy development (cow)	18
Sheep/goat raring	12
Chicks raring (Poultry development)	25 units
Small business/ Petty shops	04
Broom stick Making unit	02
Mushroom Cultivation	08

**Impact of IGP & Entrepreneurship development Project in the community:**

- 117 landless families enhanced their livelihood through IGP and increased their annual household incomes by 25% up to 17500/- on average.

- Improved livelihood i.e. 230 families where one members migrates for earning income and rest are self employed in their own village.
- Depending on money lenders at high rate of interest have been reduced by 30% and people are self independent their regular financial requirements.
- Financial status of Women and youths has improved and are now self employed and are earning for their living and house hold expenses.

## 10.Promotion of Herbal Medicines:

Vikasana has been promoting herbal medicines and encouraging the traditional medicines among the communities. We still extended our efforts to encourage the practices of traditional/herbal medicines to control dependency on high cost English medicines in project villages. The key activities such as awareness generation, exhibition on herbal medicine, identification of local Nativaidyaru (Traditional doctors) and medicinal services were benefited to 150 people from KKS supported Food security



project. Still the rural nativaidyaru have rendered services to large number of people who victim of disease either from cough, cold, gastric and many others. Besides, herbal garden development and maintenance as well as conservation of medicinal plants were other key crucial areas focused.

### Achievements:

- In total 10 trainings were called in working villages focusing on preparation and applying traditional medicine, evidence was given to take care on treatment and observe regularly.
- 02 Herbal medicine exhibitions organized and 87 beneficiaries such as SHGs member and traditional practitioner have clearly understood herbal medicine for various diseases.
- 35 Representatives from different organization have updated their knowledge on preparation of herbal medicines followed by a course training and engaged with experimenting learns from training
- Information provided not only medicines for human diseases but also to livestock
- A hand book on herbal medicine with content of information regarding practice of Herbal medicines was shared with trainees.

### Impact of Promotion of Herbal Medicines Programme to the community:

- 150 traditional doctors and SHG women who are interested in medicine are now trained to prepare medicines cold, acidity, ring warm, pain bam / pain killers, cold cream, kashaya, fever, headache and so by themselves.
- More than 800 medicinal plants are been distributed and 85% of these are survived and are used effectively.



- Dependent on English medicines and consulting doctors for regular small illness has been reduced by 50%.
- 30% of the trained traditional doctors and SHG women have shared this knowledge with others.

### **Other Activities of the Organization:**

#### **a. Food grains distribution by Food and Citizen Supply Department, Karnataka:**

VIKASANA is receiving food grains by food and citizen supply department under Kalyana Samsthe Yojane (Welfare organisation project) from central government since 2016. For the welfare of children, every month the food department is distributing 10 kg rice and 5 kg wheat to each child staying at VIKASANA children bridge school, Chattanahalli. This was benefited and enabled VIKASANA organisation to supply adequate quality and quantity of food supply for the needy children.

#### **b. Bio Sand Water filter construction techniques and Promotion:**

With the support of PPI and Friendly water Vikasana team had learned about construction of Bio sand water filter and its advantages. After which VIKASANA has been involved in promoting bio sand water filters among rural and urban through creating awareness and training programmes. Over the Years e have constructed more than 500 number of Bio Sand water filters and have distributed among the rural communities. Apart from this Vikasana has been conducting training programmes on construction and promotion of Bio Sand water filters.

#### **c. Financial Support by BEFC, Bangalore:**

Birur Education Foundation for Children (BEFC), Bangalore has been supporting our children center since 2007. They have been supporting financially for the infrastructure development, purchase of study materials, audio visual learning materials, and teachers training programmes, science exhibition, books and bags for the children, orientation of space science, robotic classes and so. Their support to our children center will be remembered always. This year BEFC has financially supported our Duglapura children center for the infrastructure development. We appreciate the constant support of Birur Education Foundation for Children and a special thanks to Mr. B C S Kumar and Dr. Gajanna Birur.

#### **d. Staff Capacity Building training through webinar, KKID Coimbatore**

Karl Kübel Institute for Development Education [KKID], Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, a training institute is facilitates to strengthen NGOs and nourish human resources for development of individuals for life. In assistance with KKID, staff members of VIKASANA have undergone many training programme by which upgraded their knowledge which contributing towards organization and individual development.

**Details of trainings attended in 2020-2021**

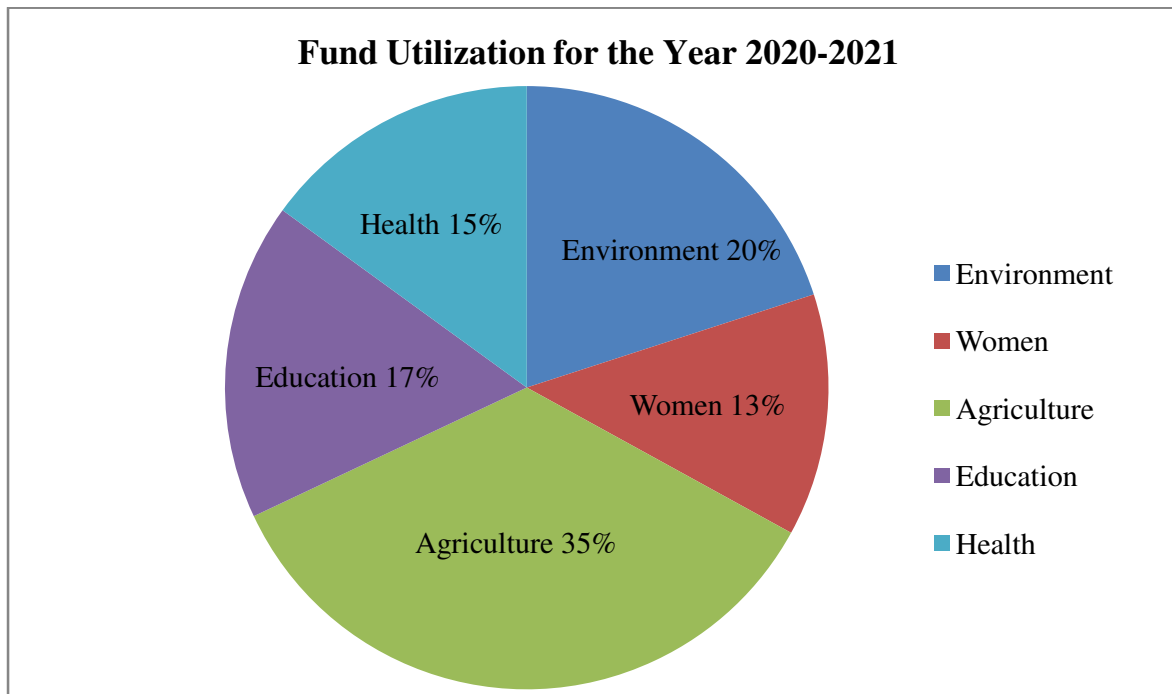
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Is your monitoring System good (enough) to track your Theory of Change?	Online	1	Mr. Santhosh D K
Financial Management & statutory Requirements of NGOs	Online	2	Mrs. Pushpa K T

**e. Networking of NGOs:**

VIKASANA is in the forefront of networking of NGOs in the state. VIKASANA has made the organization familiar with the networking system. It has been leading several small NGOs and networks in and around Chikamagalur district. It has its added credibility of being one of active and supportive NGO in Campaign against Child Labour – Karnataka (CACL–K) and FEVORD-K. It has also hosted few major state and district events that were aimed at bringing as many as NGOs and individuals to strengthen the movement of grassroots development activities.

VIKASANA has been instrumental in taking up Campaigns and networking on Child Labour in the district and the state, had taken up cases against child labour in Chikamagalur district. The organization is extending its support for the change in the policy to care for the weaker sections of the society and joining hands with the government in the development process. On several occasion the organization had taken strong decisions against some of locally instigated mischief by the vested interests. It is evident from the statement of local community that VIKASANA had to face challenges to the welfare of the women and downtrodden and convinced the people and the society that the organization is going in the right direction of development process.

**Details of fund utilization for the year 2020-21**



## Impact Success Stories through the intervention of VIKASANA:

### 1. Impact-oriented Success Story on Income Generation Activity – “Dairy Development”

Mrs. Sakamma and Mr. Sathish lives in Nagavanagala village along with their two children. The family has no land or any means of income but are depended on daily labour. Their earnings could only fill their stomach; their survival was completely depended on their daily earnings. The husband had to work hard and was migrating from one place to another in search of work. Wife stayed at home and took care of children and also worked in others land as daily labour. Their financial position was really poor and the family had to borrow money from others for higher interest, this was another major burden for the couple.



“Mrs. Sakamma - Dairy Development at Nagavanagala”

At this situation, Vikasana under the project “Sustainable Resource Conservation and Food Security for Low Income Families (2019-2021)” formed a woman SHG named Sri Spoorthi Women SHG in which Mrs. Sakkamma is a member. Weekly once the SHG meeting is called and every member saved Rs. 20/- in each meeting, this created a saving habit among all the members. Ms. Sakamma is an active member and with all her problems she made herself free and attended various trainings and exposure on agriculture, self employment, Income Generation activities, Dairy development and so on. But Sakamma had financial problem which was very important for her to invest in any of these activities.

It was then Vikasana granted dairy development, which created a hopes in Sakamma’s dream to engage in self employment. The other SHG members also supported Sakamma to take up this opportunity. Thus, Sakkama was able to purchase a good breed Cow which is now contributing additional income to her family. Sakamma and her family is now enjoying following benefits and impacts after purchasing Cow –

- Every month Sakamma is earning additional income of Rs.4000/- after deducting all the expenses of dairy development, which is now used for children education and family savings.
- Her family is now able to drink milk at free of cost and specially her children who are very small. Consumption of daily milk has contributed to family health and nutrition.
- Sakamma has stopped working in others land as daily labour as she is able to earn the same amount from dairy development. She is now able to take care of her children full time as she is not working for someone else.
- She is now able to earn additional income of Rs. 6000 to 8000/- per month by selling cow dung.
- She is also using AZOLA, this has helped her to maintain the degree rate of the milk and this also adds as additional nutrition to the cow.
- One of the main advantages is that Sakamma has now stopped borrowing money from other for higher interest which reduced her major financial burden.

## 2. Impact-oriented Success Story on Organic Farming – “Vermi Compost”

Mr. Madhu is hailing from Kudlur, a small village in Tarikere taluk. His family falls under economically poor and their financial situation in the family is very poor. They own a small plot of land with 3 acres where the yield is only 2 to 4 quintal, with this agricultural return their survival is at stake. They have been dependant on chemical fertilizers even after spending huge money on costly fertilizers the yield was very less or resulted in crop failure. Thus the family had to face huge financial burden.



“Mr. Madhu – Vermicompost at Kudluru”

With the intervention of Vikasana under the project “Sustainable Resource Conservation and Food Security for Low Income Families (2019-2021)” various farmers groups like WDC and CBOs were formed to bring farmers together and share their knowledge through trainings and exposure visits on Natural Resource Management, Agriculture, Organic farming and various modern agricultural techniques. Apart from these the trainings were also given on negative impact on the soil by using chemical fertilizers were also given.

As part of promotion of organic farming Mr. Madhu was identified as a beneficiary for construction of Vermicompost, the concept of vermicompost was introduced to teach the farmers about how to use the agricultural waste into manure. With the support of Vikasana-KKS/BMZ vermicompost was installed in Mr. Madhu’s farm.

Following are the benefits enjoyed by Mr. Madhu after construction of Vermicompost in their land –

- The problem of investment on purchase of fertilizer has been reduced.
- The agricultural waste which was turned into a fire is now turned into a good quality manure.
- In one year Madhu was able to save upto 10,000/- which was spent on purchase and transportation of chemical fertilizer and he earned Rs. 1500/- by selling 5kgs of worms.
- The agricultural yield (millet crops) has increased from 550 to 600kg per Ha and the quality of soil has been increased.
- The soil fertility, germination of micro organisms in soil, the moisture, and earthworms in the soil has increased, which has resulted in an increase of agricultural yield.
- Creating additional income i.e. by selling vermicompost and worms.

Impact-

- The neighbouring farmers are motivated to shift towards organic farming, two farmers have constructed vermicompost on their own cost.

### 3. Impact-oriented Success Story on Watershed Activity – “Farm Pond”



“Construction of Farm Pond in Kudluru”

Mr. K N Maheshwarappa has studied up to 12th grade, after that his family could not afford his educational expenses as they are economically poor. Their only means for survival was agriculture, they have 4 acres of land in which they are engaged in seasonal cultivation, and rain was the only source of water. The rainfall in this area is very low so they cannot depend on agriculture throughout the year. Due to the failure in agricultural crop and no means of water the

family kept migrating in search of job, thus Maheshwarappa had lost hopes in his land and had left the land to be barren.

With the intervention of Vikasana, watershed development concept among farmers like Mr. K N Maheshwarappa was created and advantages of adopting such concept was made aware to farmers. A committee called watershed committee with 16 members was formed to implement this concept. Mr. K N Maheshwarappa was also identified as one of the beneficiaries, his 4 acres of land was included in net-planning, his land transformed into watershed development plot where stone bunds, bund sowing seed and plantation activities were implemented in this plot. Apart from this he was part of various training programme on agriculture, organic farming and exposure visit to various agriculture universities and other places was given.

After gaining knowledge and ideas in developing agriculture land Maheshwarappa became more active in developing his barren land into a cultivable land. He also decided to construct the farm pond in his land with the financial support of Vikasana –KKS/BMZ and his personal contribution. Following are the benefits enjoyed by Mr. Maheshwarappa after construction of Farm Pond in their land –

- During the rainy season around 16500ltr of water was stored in this pond, water collected was used for nursery development, agriculture, for watering plants, water for cattle’s (drinking and washing).
- The soil erosion in the land was prevented which resulted in conserving and protecting the fertile soil was within the land.
- The ground water in the plot has increased, cultivation and yield has been increased and reduced the problem of crop failure.
- The neighbouring farmers are also using the water for their agricultural activities.
- The moisture of the land was increased this has reduced the problem of dry land/ cracked land.
- Depending on rain water for agricultural activity has reduced



“Farm Pond during rainy season in Kudluru”

Impact –

- The neighbouring farmers are motivated and have constructed farm pond in their own land
- The yield neighbouring agricultural plot has also increased

**Visitors to VIKASANA:**

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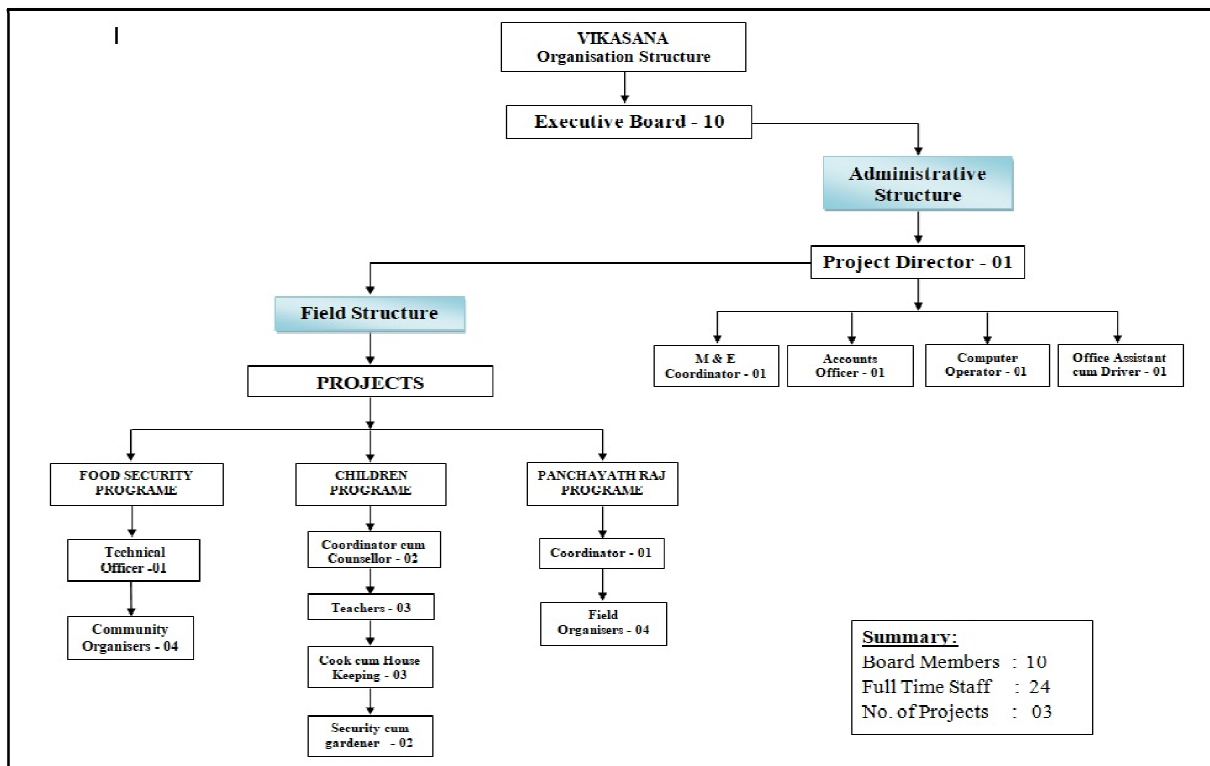
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2	Mr. G N Simha S/o Late Pedda Narasappa Gotlapalli Rachavaripalli Somanathapura Chikkaballapur District Karnataka - 561212 Mobile: 09449687275	66	Male	Social worker	Vice-Chairman
3	Mr. M Nagaratna Chari S/o Late Najachari Jaraganahalli Vidyanikethan School Bangalore South J P Nagar Bangalore District, Karnataka - 560078 Mobile: 09341239364	65	Male	Educationist & Consultant	Secretary
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