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FROM THE ORGANIZATION

We, at Aan, believe that each worker, each woman and each child in this world has the right to dignity. That led us to come together and establish Aan, an organization that believes in ‘dignity for all’ and that a small gesture we make, can make a big difference. Our goal is to work towards bridging the gap between the privileged and the socially and economically marginalized by enabling them to stand up on their own feet. We have been able to provide sustainable solutions to tackling problems faced by our community. The first year of Aan has been an exciting journey for all the members and volunteers. We were able to train brilliant high school students to conduct workshops and impact the lives of many families with different projects under Aan. We look forward to another successful year!

ABOUT US

AAN is an Endeavour for sustainable development. Through co-creation and entrepreneurship, social and environmental issues can be solved in a more sustainable way. It's all about the people and making them self-reliant. Our ambition is to improve the lives of as many as possible in a positive way. We are working on two different programs. The first is called Srijan- a weaver's dream, where we have been working with a community of pit loom weavers to help them enhance their business practises to expand their markets and incomes. The second project is the Good Touch and Bad Touch Campaign in Government Primary schools to create awareness about child sexual abuse and protective measures that they can undertake to protect themselves. Aan has been empanelled with the Uttarakhand Commission for Protection of Child Rights for conducting these workshops.



DONATION CAMPAIGN

Team AAN visits the processing unit of GOONJ in New Delhi and expresses extreme gratitude to Shri Anshu Gupta, founder of Goonj, a Ramon Magsaysay awardee, for his valuable time and guidance. Team AAN contributed 17 bags of clothes, shoes, toys, books, stationery, blankets etc. for the GOONJ's family kits.



SWACHH BHARAT ABHIYAAN

An Awareness Campaign on “स्वच्छ भारत, स्वस्थ भारत, सशक्त भारत” was organized by Aan in association with Social Service Club Delhi Public School, Mathura Road, New Delhi, at a Primary School in Jagatpurpatti, Jaspur, Uttarakhand. A Drawing competition was conducted and a Nukkad Natak was presented for the underprivileged children of ‘Pit loom Weavers’ of the area. We express extreme gratitude to our Sponsors: ICICI Bank, Highlander’s Sports Academy Kashipur and M/S Chandra Brothers for believing in our cause and supporting us in our efforts. A total of 38 children participated in two age categories. We conducted an impactful program with an overwhelming response.



WOMEN EMPOWERMENT

An awareness campaign for women empowerment and girl child welfare was organized at the Government Primary School of Manorathpur, Jaspur on Independence Day. The National Insurance Company contributed significantly in creating a sense of awareness about the importance of life insurance among the villagers. AAN sponsored and distributed two types of life insurance policies, Bhagyashree and Rajrajeshwari. The policies were distributed free of cost to 25 young girls and 25 women belonging to the artisan community. Melodious songs, nukkad natak, poems and dances energized the whole environment. The event was a huge success and enlightened the whole village community.



SRIJAN- A WEAVERS DREAM

AAN Charitable Trust assisted Mr Mumtyaz Hussain of village Nakhunkha, Thakurdwara in procuring and delivering an order of 2000 durries to NGO GOONJ, New Delhi. We helped him register his new trading firm, open Bank account, get GST registration and streamline his entire business. He will now get recurring orders from GOONJ and have a consistent sustainable income for his family.





AAN CHARITABLE TRUST

— DIGNITY FOR ALL —

Awareness Campaign :

GOOD TOUCH, BAD TOUCH

जागरूकता अभियान :

अच्छा स्पर्श, बुरा स्पर्श



DEEPAWALI- GTBT INITIATION

AAN celebrated Deepawali with children from Manorathpur government primary school in Jaspur. Little Scholar Kashipur very kindly donated refurbished school furniture to this school. We also distributed sports equipment, stationary kits and 150 boxes of sweets and snacks. The school is fully equipped now with essential school furniture. Two prominent gynecologists along with our volunteers from the Social Service Club of Little Scholars conducted an awareness campaign and counseling session on a very sensitive topic “Good touch and Bad touch” in children. It was an interactive session with props and demonstrative material. Childline number was also shared with the students to equip them to take protective and preventive measure.





FUNDRAISER AT WELHAM BOYS

Aan conducted a successful fundraiser in one of India's most reputed Schools, Welham Boys. We brought with us handmade herbal Khadi cosmetics made at Surbhi Gramodyog Vikas Sansthan, Kashipur and the 'Scrappy Durries' made by the Nakhunka Community of Chindi Durrie weavers. These products were a huge success with the parents, staff and students of Welham Boys!





PRATIBHA DIWAS- GTBT CAMPAIGN

Pratibha Diwas is a program conducted on the 4th Saturday of each month in government primary schools to encourage students to showcase their talents. In the government primary school of Ginnikheda and Banskheda, we conducted the Good Touch Bad Touch Campaign on this day and participated in the program with the students. We also conducted a drawing competition on 'Mera Sapna, Mera Bhawishya'.

