

REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2018-19



RAMAKRISHNA MISSION SAMAJ SEVAK SIKSHAN MANDIR

(A RUDSETI Type Institute in collaboration with United Bank of India and NABARD)

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So long as the millions live in hunger and ignorance, I hold every person a traitor who having been educated at their expense pays not the least heed to them.

- Swami Vivekananda.

MESSAGE

RSETIs have been playing a significant role in training and empowerment of unemployed youth in the last several years under NRLM by creating employment opportunities for rural poor candidates. I am glad that, year after year, the RSETIs have been consistently exceeding AAP Training targets. This year also, the RSETIs have already accomplished the training target under AAP for FY 2018-19. Cumulatively since inception till date, RSETIs have trained over 31 lakh candidates of which, over 21 lakh have successfully settled with an average settlement of 64.5%. I take this opportunity to congratulate all the RSETIs, Sponsor Banks, Nodal Officers and SDRs on this splendid achievement. For the FY 2019-20, RSETIs should continue to focus on bringing about improvement in the quality of training as well as in achieving sustainable settlement of trained candidates. I wish that RSETIs will give special attention to the following issues to bring about qualitative improvement.



- While selecting the candidates for training, more attention shall be given for selecting the candidates with the right attitude and aptitude for taking up an enterprise.
- Create a suitable environment and eco-system at the RSETI and work closely with the candidates for facilitating their settlement.
- Ensure to provide prescribed training aids and equipment.
- Closely coordinate with Banks to credit link the candidates and facilitate early settlement.
- Identify and support successful entrepreneurs to submit nominations for NEA 2019 as soon as guidelines are received from MSDE/NACER.
- Fully comply with the Common Norms of MSDE & SOP

I once again take this opportunity to commend the efforts of the Director and all the team members of RSETIs for the painstaking efforts made by them in bringing out a nicely compiled Annual Activities Report for FY 2018-19. I look forward to yet another year of glorious performance by the team RSETI in the coming year.

With best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Santosh P', written in a cursive style.

(SANTOSH P)
NATIONAL DIRECTOR FOR RSETIs
NACER, BENGALURU



Mr. Mukti Ranjan Ray
General Manager
Priority Sector, Agril. & Lead Bank
United Bank of India

MESSAGE

It is really heartening to note that our RSETIs are going to publish their Annual Activity Report for the year 2018-19. The RSETIs were set up with the prime objective of imparting skill to the Rural Unemployed youth through short duration training intervention and to help them in accessing the need based capital support through Bank linkage for setting up own ventures to become a successful entrepreneur and create employment opportunities. This Vision is “Developing Human and Social Capital for Nation building” with the Mission being “Transforming the Rural Youth through short duration training interventions and empowering them to share economic prosperity.”

The RSETI movement which started in 1982 from a nondescript village called Ujjire in the Dakshin Kannada district of Karnataka has traversed a long path since then. It is a unique skill development organisation operating at district levels across the country. The RSETIs are engaged in developing skill among rural youth and facilitate them establish rural enterprises and secure sustainable livelihoods. During this journey, which was not always smooth the RSETIs have definitely carved out a niche for them in the life of rural India. With the involvement of Ministry of Rural Development and Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship in the functioning of RSETIs, they have virtually becoming catalyst in bringing remarkable changes in the socio-economic milieu of rural India.

Major challenge in the life of any institutions is in its ability to adopt itself to the changing situation. Our RSETIs have very successfully adopted themselves to the myriad changes brought about by the revised MoRD guidelines on the form and content of the training programmes, aimed to ensure standardization of the norms and practices. Development institutions are created and nurtured to achieve specific objectives contributing for socio economic development of the country. The sustainability of the organisation lies in commitment to the objectives and consistent efforts in a concerted manner with the stakeholders.

But there is no place for complacency and we should not rest on our laurels. It also gives an opportunity to appreciate the activities of the RSETIs and the pivotal role played by our Directors. It is noteworthy that 15 RSETIs have achieved the targeted mission of Training programmes with near National level of settlement through self-employment and credit linkage.

I believe that in the coming years our RSETIs will truly become “Centre of Excellence” and discharge all the responsibilities bestowed on them by the UBRUDSET, Government and the society. I convey my sincere thanks to the entire RSETI team for bringing out this nicely compiled Annual Activity Report for 2108-19 and wish them success in the coming days too.

MUKTI RANJAN RAY

PREAMBLE

Swami Vivekananda visualized a regenerated India through blending of oriental spirituality with occidental science and technology. He said that the aim of education must be to solve the problems of life. In his view education is all round development of physical, intellectual, moral and spiritual values. His greatest contribution was to open the minds of individuals to their duty to the downtrodden masses. He fought to revive the spirit of humanism in education. In his view education is not identical with information. He said education should lay proper emphasis on creativity, originality and excellence. With this mission in mind "Ramakrishna Mission Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir" started its maiden journey in the year 1986 under the aegis of Ramakrishna Mission Saradapitha, a branch centre of Ramakrishna Mission, Belur Math, Howrah, West Bengal. In the same year the flagship programme of the institute – 10 month long free residential course viz. 'Rural Entrepreneurship Development Programme (REDP)' was launched with the following objectives:

OBJECTIVES & CHARACTERISTICS

- To develop human resources in the rural India and to improve the socio-economic condition of its people through skill development and income generation.
- To upgrade the traditional knowledge and skill of the farmers and the rural artisans in the light of continuous research and development in the national and international level.
- To create scientific temperament amongst the rural folks and an eagerness to adopt new technology and innovation.
- To build character on the basis of higher truths of spirituality and value education as character building was fundamental in Vivekananda's concept of education.
- To instil confidence and determination in the minds of trainees.
- Generate self-confidence & determination in the minds of trainees so that they can venture to float new enterprises for self-employment at their respective villages after completing the training.



IMPORTANT MOVEMENTS IN THE HISTORY OF THIS INSTITUTE

- In the year 2007-08 (17th March 2008) the institute entered into a tie-up arrangement with UBI (United Bank of India) and NABARD (National Bank for Agriculture & Rural Development) to function as a RUDSETI (Rural Development & Self Employment Training Institute) type institute for conducting various skill development training programmes on equal cost sharing basis.
- The RSETI in its new form continued with the REDP (Rural Entrepreneurship Development Programme), the flagship training programme of 10 months' duration. Subsequently, it

introduced various SDI (Skill Development Initiative) programmes of short duration, aiming at skill development and income generation. These were mainly held at the sub-centres scattered over various districts of West Bengal. SDI programmes are generally non-residential and held on various trades in farm & non-farm sector sponsored by NABARD / Govt. of West Bengal / Govt. of India etc.

- During the course of its long journey some events of 2011-12 and 2012-13 deserves special mention. On the basis of its performance during 2011-12 the institute earned 'A' grade and on the performance of 2012-13 ranked 3rd best RSETI amongst all the RSETIs in India by NAR (National Academy of RUDSETI) under the Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD), Govt. of India.
- The Institute continues to enjoy “AA” grade status for the last several years. Several other short term training programmes are sponsored separately by NABARD, West Bengal Swarojgar Corporation Ltd (WBSCL), Coconut Development Board (CDB), Govt. of India; Hindalco Industries Ltd. etc.



SALIENT FEATURES OF METHODOLOGY & MODULES

- Short duration courses (ranging from 80 hours to 240 hours) on various income generating trades
- EDP oriented training modules as per the norms set by NAR (National Academy of RUDSETI)
- Full-fledged infrastructural facilities arranged including demonstrative units of various trades
- EDP inputs as per course module given by NAR
- Starting the day with Prayer followed by Yoga class, Shramdan and presentation of MILLY (Most Important Lessons Learnt Yesterday) by the trainees on the classes attended yesterday
- Writing training log on day-to-day basis
- Guiding trainees on preparation of project report for getting bank loan after successful completion of the training



IMPROVISATION ADOPTED

- Training programmes and training schedules are drawn as per NACER's (National Centre for Excellence of RSETIs) course module
- Prescribed training kits are used in all skill training programmes
- Micro Lab - Ice breaking & rapport building exercises are done at the beginning of all training programmes to help the trainees know each other intimately
- AMT (Achievement Motivation Training) manual in Bengali version introduced & followed
- MILLY made compulsory
- Inviting successful trainees for sharing of their experiences with the subsequent batches
- Behavioural games played to get insight into the individual psyche and to reveal among other things his attitudes & values
- Introduction of MIS based record keeping
- Maintenance of ex-trainees' database & improving the quality of follow-up action
- Maintenance & monitoring of Settlement Register
- Maintenance of Visitors' Book



SPECIAL STATUS

The Department of Agriculture, Govt. of West Bengal has recognised Ramakrishna Mission Samaj Sevak SikshanMandir as a resource centre for training of Farmers and is sponsoring different training programmes for the farmers hailing from different districts of the state.

INFRASTRUCTURE

The gradually built up three storied magnificent building with 10000 Sq. ft. covered area was formally inaugurated in the year 2011 coinciding with the Silver Jubilee Celebration of the institute. The RSETI is spread over vast area of manicured garden & greenery. The milieu is ideal for learning & concentration.



The building is having number of spacious class rooms, Office room, staff room, Principal's Office & living room. This apart, there is Dormitory for the trainees, guest rooms, meeting and counselling room, conference hall, computer lab, gymnasium, library etc. There is a number of toilet blocks and long widening corridors. The institute is having a very big dining hall adjacent to the kitchen & near the REDP students' hostel. At present residential training of more than 100 trainees can be organised simultaneously at the institute. The institute is thankful to the Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B for providing grant-assistance for construction of the new building under RKVY (Rastriya Krishi Vikash Yojana).

TRAINING COURSES :

REDP (Rural Entrepreneurship Development Programme) the flagship training programme of the institute is being conducted uninterruptedly since its introduction in the year 1986. This is a free residential comprehensive training of 10 months' duration given to 40 odd unemployed male students hailing from rural Bengal purely on the basis of merit irrespective of their caste, creed and religion. Apart from this programme, various short duration EDP and other in-campus & off-campus specified training courses on various trades under both farm & non-farm sectors are conducted. Detailed course programmes are categorised hereinafter.

The 33rd session of the REDP (Rural Entrepreneurship Development Programme) a 10 month long course on Agriculture & Allied Activities concluded successfully on March 16, 2019. This year 26 trainees have successfully completed the course.



INFRASTRUCTURE AT THE INSTITUTE



Computer Lab



Office Room



Class Room



Food Processing Unit



Dinning Hall



Seminar Hall



Library



Mushroom Spawn Production Lab & Unit



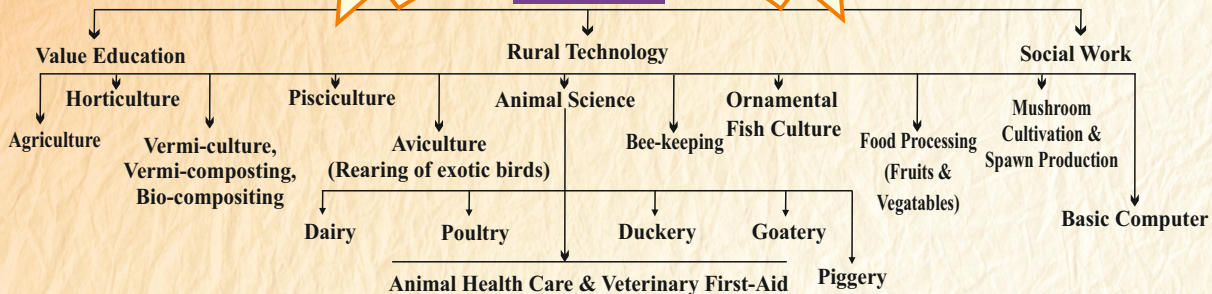
Poultry



Guest Room

COURSE CURRICULAM

REDP



ADMISSION PROCEDURE

The intending candidates are to apply against newspaper / website advertisement of the Institute. Those fulfilling the admission criterion are short listed for admission after written test & personal interview.

DAILY ROUTINE FOLLOWED IN THE INSTITUTE

The Day starts at 5-00 a.m. in the morning and ends at 10-00 p.m. Seemingly, this is a rigorous schedule but made enjoyable through combination of training & recreation. Two times Prayer, in the morning and evening, “Shramadan” for up-keeping the wide-spread campus clean and habitable, on-the-job training in the agricultural field adjoining the institute, physical exercise in the gymnasium, musical class, outdoor games - all these forms the essential fabric of the daily routine besides theoretical classes. With each passing day of the training course - the trainees feel a unique bond with the institute and they themselves voluntarily come forward at its every call even years after their passing out.

COURSE COVERAGE

Training disciplines, inter alia, include Agri-Horticultural practices, Sericulture, Poultry, Duck Rearing, Pisciculture including Ornamental Fish Cultivation, Animal Husbandry & Animal Health Care, Apiculture, Aviculture, Mushroom cultivation & Spawn culture, Vermiculture & Vermicomposting, Food Processing etc. along with Environment & Sanitation, Primary Health Care, Agricultural Extension, Entrepreneurship Development, Social Studies, Organisation building, Basic Computer and Value education. Training curriculum includes both in-house training and field exposure. Apart from all these, the trainees are given lessons on importance of Financial literacy, Financial awareness and elementary Banking.



HIGHLIGHTS OF ACTIVITIES

SUBJECT SPECIFIC FOCUS :

AGRICULTURE

Agriculture with Soil Fertility & Soil Testing Procedure, Quality Seed Production, Integrated Plant Nutrient Management, Integrated Pest Management, Watershed Management etc.

HORTICULTURE

Agronomical crops, Pomology, Floriculture and Olericulture, horticultural nursery etc.



PISCICULTURE

Cultivation of Indian Major Carps and other species of fish. Inland Fishery includes hatching, nursing, rearing and induced fish breeding, farm made fish breeding & seed management occupies an important role in the training curricula.



COMPOSTING

The trainees are actively involved in preparation of Bio-Composting, which includes Super-Compost, Azolla, Vermi-compost as-well-as preservation and multiplication of suitable species of earthworms by utilising the compost pits specially constructed for this purpose within the premises of the Institute. Bacteria is also used for composting.



ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

Animal Husbandry and Animal Health Care including Dairy, Goatery, Poultry, Duckery, Veterinary First-aid etc. are given due weightage considering their importance in rural economy and generation of self-employment.



FOOD PROCESSING

The Institute's training-cum-production unit on food processing is used for training on Processing and Preservation of fruits & vegetables (Various Types of Jam, Jelly, Pickles, Squash, Tomato Ketchup, Chilli Sauce, Honey, Amlaprash, Papad etc.). The unit is having state of the art machineries and appliances.



AVICULTURE & CONSERVATION OF BIRDS (EXOTIC)

Keeping in view the emergence of Aviculture (rearing & breeding of exotic birds only) as an important field of entrepreneurship and also the importance of conservation of exotic birds, practical training along with theoretical classes are arranged in the Aviary and class room at the institute premises.



ORNAMENTAL FISH CULTURE

Cultivation and multiplication of different types of Ornamental Fishes including its management practices have been incorporated in the course curriculum. This has emerged as a sure avenue of income generation for the trainees.



APICULTURE

Honey-bees not only provide honey and wax but they also greatly contribute towards pollinating the insect-pollinated crops and thereby help in increasing agricultural production. Scientific Bee-keeping methodology in bee boxes along with its proper management round the year is taught to the trainees to help them understand how Bees help the bee-keepers & the farmers.



MUSHROOM CULTIVATION

During the training the trainees are taught about the cultivation and other management practices of different species of mushroom. With an object to providing quality mushroom spawn (seed) to the ex-trainees a laboratory for production of mushroom spawn has been established at the institute which effectively caters to the need of mushroom spawn of the ex-trainees in their start-up ventures.



DUCKERY

A Duckery unit is maintained inside the campus where 25 number of ducks of 'Chara Chameli' & Khaki Campbell species have been reared.



POULTRY

The unit is enriched with the various varieties of birds received from farms owned by Government of West Bengal as gift. These birds are used for the purpose of Poultry training.



INSTITUTIONAL PLACEMENT / STUDY TOUR

During the period under review the trainees of the 33rd REDP batch were placed to different Govt. farms for undergoing hands-on training in various aspects of agriculture and allied activities like Induced Breeding in Fish, Dairy Management, Animal Health Care, Poultry, Piggery, Goat Rearing, Duck Rearing etc. as per the details given hereunder :

- The trainees were placed to one week (seven days) fishery training camp from **July 03 to 09, 2018** at the Central Institute of Freshwater Aquiculture, ICAR, Rahara where they underwent intensive field training on **Induced Breeding of Fish and Seed Management**.
- The trainees were placed to one week (six days) training camp from **August 02 to August 07, 2018** at Agriculture Training Centre of Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B at Chinsurah, Hooghly where they underwent intensive Agri-Horticultural training practice. This placement greatly compensates the absence of large agricultural farm at our institute.
- The trainees were placed to one-month long training camp from **November 19 to December 18, 2018** at Haringhata farm, Kalyani, under Animal Resource Development Dept, Govt. of West Bengal, where they have undergone intensive practical training on Dairy Management, Animal Health Care, Poultry, Piggery, Goatery, Duckery etc.



FIELD WORK CAMP

Trainees were placed in six days' field camp at Arambagh block from **February 23 – 28, 2019**. They were accompanied by 10 teachers on various subjects with a view to enhancing the students' self-confidence. During the camp period the activities covered were ranged from agriculture, horticulture, soil science, nutrient management (crop production), pest control, animal health care with disease diagnosis and treatment, animal vaccination and fish culture etc. The camp activities were spread over to 4 villages viz. Teghari, Raghunathpur, Kulbaira and



Joyrampur within the radius of 2 – 7 KM of the base camp at Sri Sri Krishna Roy Jew Thakur Estate under Arambagh block of Hooghly district. During that period socio-economic survey was conducted by the trainees which covered 104 local families. Besides this, free treatment including supply of medicine was done for 1034 nos. of animals (cow, calf, buffalo, goat, dog, poultry, duck and exotic birds etc.) & the species mentioned above were vaccinated. 62 women from the members of SHGs of 4 (four) villages were trained on Food Processing & Preservation of fruits. Mixed vegetable pickle, papad, green mango jam, orange squash, tomato sauce etc. were produced on spot by the trainees. Collection & testing of 16 nos. of soil samples from the fields were done at free of cost. The camp was found to be very much helpful to the trainees and villagers as well.

STUDY TOUR - VISIT TO PLACES OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE

The trainees were taken to Kamarpukur (Hooghly), Jayrambati & Koalpara (Bankura) to visit some places which are intimately associated with the secret memories of Sri Ramakrishna Dev and Holy Mother Shree Shree Sarada Devi. The trainees also visited the soil testing laboratory and observed some other activities of Pallimangal, the rural development units of Ramakrishna Mission Kamarpukur and Jayrambati.

FIELD VISIT OF REDP TRAINEES

The trainees have undertaken field visit in the following institutions / farms:

- a) Rice Research Station & Agriculture Training Centre, Chinsurah, Hooghly, b) Krishi Vigyan Kendra & Horticulture Garden at Chinsurah, Hooghly,
- c) Bidhan Chandra Krishi Biswa Vidyalaya, Mohanpur, Nadia, d) Krishi Vigyan Kendra at Bidhan Chandra Krishi Biswa Vidyalaya, Kalyani, Nadia,
- e) Model village at Gayeshpur, Nadia to study modern agricultural practices of the farmers, f) Sheep, Goat, Rabbit breeding farm, Govt. of West Bengal, Kalyani, Nadia, g) Central Institute of Freshwater Aquaculture at Rahara, 24 Parganas (North) and Kalyani, Nadia,
- h) Fish Seed Market, Naihati, North 24 Parganas, i) Soil testing laboratory and other activities of R K Mission, Pallimangal, Kamarpukur, j) Rural development units of Ramakrishna Mission Kamarpukur & Joyrambati, k) Poultry, Goat, Piggery & Dairy farm of West Bengal University of Fishery & Animal Science, Mohanpur, Nadia, West Bengal.



29TH EX-TRAINEES CONFERENCE

The 29th Ex-trainees Conference was inaugurated at 9.30 a.m. on March 16, 2019 by Swami Jnanavratana, Trustee Member of Ramakrishna Math & Ramakrishna Mission, Belur Math at the institute premises. Ninety-one numbers of ex-trainees of the institute and 45 nos. of visiting lecturers & other resource persons attended the conference and close interaction took place amongst the participants. Shri Nripendralal Chowdhuri, Chief Manager, United Bank of India; Shri A S Roy, GM, DIC; Shri Khokan Debnath, Dy. Director, Coconut Dev. Board & Shri Arupendu Banerjee, SDR, West Bengal attended the conference.



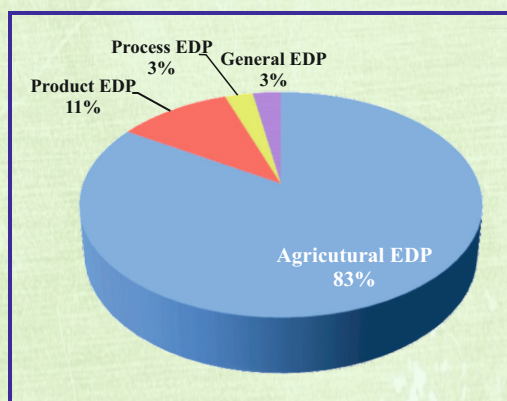
SAMABARTANA OF THE TRAINEES OF 33RD REDP BATCH

The Ex-trainees conference was followed by the “Samabartana” utsab (Valediction ceremony) of the 33rd batch of REDP trainees at 3.30 p.m. on March 16, 2019. Revered Swami Purnajnananda, Secretary, Ramakrishna Mission Ashrama, Baranagar inaugurated the programme by lighting the lamp amidst chanting of Vedic Hymns. Welcome address was delivered by Swami Divyananda, Secretary, Ramakrishna Mission Saradapitha, Belur Math. Shri A K Pradhan, MD & CEO, United Bank of India; Shri M R Roy, General Manager, United Bank of India and Dr A G Bandhopadhyay, Director, Animal Resource Dev., Govt. of West Bengal graced the occasion by their august presence. Swami Shivakarananda, Principal, Ramakrishna Mission Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir, Belur Math made a Power Point presentation on the activities of the institute conducted during the year 2018-19. The programme ended with the benediction from revered Swami Purnajnanandaji Maharaj.



PERFORMANCE STATUS FOR THE YEAR 2018-19 :

Sl. No.	Residential & Non-residential training as per NAR module	No. of Programmes	No. of Trainees
1.	Agricultural EDPs	31	862
2.	Product EDPs	4	94
3.	Process EDPs	1	25
4.	General EDPs	1	26
	Total	37	1007



SKILL DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE (SDI) AND OTHER SHORT DURATION COURSES CONDUCTED

Under Farm Sector

As per norms & methodology stipulated by the Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD), Govt. of India & NACER there are various short duration courses on Farm & Non-farm sectors conducted within and outside the campus of the institute.

- Vegetable Nursery Management & Cultivation,
- Commercial Horticulture,
- Pisciculture (Inland Fisheries),
- Mushroom Cultivation,
- Goat Rearing,
- Poultry

Under Non-farm Sector

- Womens' Tailor (Ladies Tailoring),
- Beauty Parlour Management,



Goatery



Mushroom Cultivation



Poultry



Commercial Horticulture



Beauty Parlour



Women's Tailor

FARM-SECTOR TRAINING PROGRAMME SPONSORED BY NABARD

Besides joint venture under SDI programme, NABARD has been sponsoring trainees under Farm Sector Promotion Fund (FSPF). 8 (eight) numbers of Residential Training of Farmers of 10 days duration were held at this institute on four different disciplines viz. i) Pisciculture (one programme), ii) Dairy farming & Vermi Compost Making (four programmes), iii) Vegetable Nursery Management & Cultivation (two programmes), iv) Mushroom Cultivation (one programme). Total number of persons trained under this arrangement is 199.



Ice Breaking Game



Tower Building Game



Compost Making



Certificate Distribution



Certificate Distribution by Principal Maharaj



Group Photo with Principal Maharaj

TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR UNEMPLOYED YOUTHS SPONSORED BY DISTRICT SHG & SE OFFICE, BANKURA

Besides the above training programmes, District SHG & SE Office, Bankura conducted two training programme on Mushroom Cultivation under the block of Onda & Patrasayer for the rural unemployed youths. 70 numbers of trainees mostly ST & SC categories received training under the programme.



Class by Entrepreneur



Group Photo

RESIDENTIAL TRAINING PROGRAMME ON BEE-KEEPING SPONSORED BY DIC, HOWRAH

We have conducted one residential training programme for 10 days duration on Bee-keeping sponsored by Directorate of MSME, DIC-Howrah, Govt. of West Bengal.



Tool Kits Distribution



Valediction Programme

A GLIMPSE OF SHORT COURSE TRAINING PROGRAMMES

Sl. No.	Course Title	Duration	No. of Training Programme	No. of Trainees			Category of Trainees					BPL		
				M	F	Total	Gen.	SC	ST	OBC	MC	M	F	
a) Training as per MIS :														
1.	SDI Training Programmes under Jt. Venture of NABARD, UBI & Institute (RKMSSSM)	80 to 240 Hours	25	319	375	694	418	154	14	75	33	98	140	
2.	Residential Training Programmes for Farmers' under Farm Sector sponsored by NABARD	80 Hours	8	199	0	199	89	47	21	27	15	36	0	
3.	Training Programme on Mushroom Cultivation sponsored by District SHG & SE, Bankura, W.B.	80 Hours	2	0	70	70	31	26	0	13	0	0	13	
4.	Residential Training Programme on Bee - keeping sponsored by DIC, Howrah	80 Hours	1	18	0	18	16	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Total :			36	536	445	981	554	229	35	115	48	134	153	
b) Training without MIS :														
5.	Training Programme on Pisciculture for Jail Inmates	100 Hours	1	34	0	34	12	6	1	4	11	0	0	
6.	Capacity Building Training Programme on Women's Tailor sponsored by Hindalco Industries Ltd.	240 Hours	1	0	16	16	9	0	0	0	7	0	0	
Total			2	34	16	50	21	6	1	4	18	0	0	
Grant Total			38	570	461	1031	575	235	36	119	66	134	153	

TRAINING PROGRAMME ON PISCICULTURE FOR JAIL INMATES :

We have conducted a training programme on Pisciculture for 34 male inmates of Burdwan Central Correctional Home, Dist – Purba Bardhaman under the auspices of Directorate of Correctional Services, Govt. of West Bengal & West Bengal Swarojgar Corporation Ltd. The training was conducted during 07.10.2018 to 06.11.2018 inside the Burdwan Central Correctional Home. This vocational training on pisciculture was of 100 hours' duration, spread over to 20 training days. The participants have hugely benefited by attending this training programme.



One Capacity Building Training Programme on Womens' Tailor sponsored by Hindalco Industries Ltd.



AWARENESS CAMPS

During the year 2018-19 a total of 44 nos. of Awareness camps were organised in the institute and at its sub-centres spread over different districts. In those camps around 1776 youths mostly women belonging to weaker section including small & marginal farmers have actively participated.

SENSITIZATION PROGRAMME

Sl. No.	Date	No. of Participants	Name of the organisation/ NGOs/ Banks Participated
1.	Apr 19, 2018	59	Branch Managers of UBI, Hooghly Region
2.	Jun 22, 2018	65	Branch Managers of UBI, Hooghly Region
3.	Aug 14, 2018	135	Prospective Entrepreneurs
4.	Sep 06, 2018	70	Branch Managers of UBI, Hooghly Region
5.	Nov 29, 2018	29	Prospective Entrepreneurs
6.	Feb 14, 2019	65	Branch Managers of UBI, Hooghly Region

VISITING FACULTY MEET

Like previous years the visiting faculty met on June 02, 2018 and evaluated the training programmes and discussed the future strategies. Thirty-seven visiting lecturers & resource persons from different discipline attended the meeting.

REDP TRAINEES ROLE AS VOLUNTEERS

- 1) Served as volunteers in the Sri Sri Durga Puja celebration at Belur Math
- 2) Served as volunteers in the Sri Sri Jagadhartri Puja celebration at the Saradapitha, Belur Math
- 3) Participated in the National Youth Day celebration ; Birth Tithi celebration of Swami Vivekananda, Sri Sri Maa Sarada Devi & Thakur Sri Ramakrishna Dev.
- 4) Annual Public celebration following the birth day Tithi of Bhagawan Sri Sri Ramakrishna Dev.

VIGILANCE AWARENESS PROGRAMME

Vigilance awareness week was observed in the Institute during October 29 to November 03, 2018. This year's theme was "Eradicate Corruption – Build a New India". The students took the integrity pledge in their class room.



CELEBRATIONS

- a) Independence Day was observed on 15th August with due solemnity by hoisting of the National Flag by Swami Divyananda, Secretary, RKMSSSM and publication of wall magazine, holding cultural functions etc.
- b) Sharad Utsav', a cultural programme was observed by the trainees of REDP course on the eve of Sri Sri Durga Puja.
- c) Saraswati Puja and Republic Day were celebrated by the trainees of the REDP course with due solemnity and enthusiasm.
- e) National Youth Day; Tithi Puja of Shree Shree Ma Sarada Devi, Swami Vivekananda and Thakur Shree Shree Ramakrishna Dev were observed by the trainees.



PARTICIPATION IN THE CONCLAVE FOR THE RSETI DIRECTORS

Swami Shivakarananda, Principal, Ramakrishna Mission Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir had attended the Conclave of the Directors of UBRSETI sponsored by United Bank of India at it's Staff Training College, Kolkata on 7th & 8th March, 2019.

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE (MC and DLRAC / PMC)

The Managing Committee of the institute aided by a Project Monitoring Committee consisting of the representatives of United Bank of India, NABARD, Project Director, DRDC (representing DM, Howrah); Representatives from various Line Departments of Govt. of West Bengal and Monks of Ramakrishna Mission governs and monitor all its activities at the micro level on quarterly basis. Schedule of meetings held is appended below :

Sl. No.	Dates of Meeting held	Members Present
1.	April 12, 2018	13
2.	July 13, 2018	17
3.	October 11, 2018	14
4.	January 16, 2019	15

VEDIO CONFERENCE WITH NACER

Video conference is arranged between NACER and all the directors of RSETIs in West Bengal in the 1st week of every month. The conference is organised by SDR, West Bengal.



VILLAGE ADOPTION PROGRAMME

Through more than 45 Sub-centres spread across twelve districts of West Bengal we are carrying on various types of educational and social activities. Primary School is run in most of our sub-centres for the benefit of the children living nearby. Free dispensary is run on specified days in the sub-centres. Stress is also laid on the preventive health care and sanitation. Villagers are made aware of the benefits of various immunisation & vaccination programmes of the government and local bodies. Our sub-centres are working towards empowerment of women, they are arranging various types of capacity building training programmes for the local women. Our sub-centres are helping in formation of Self Help Groups. Farmers are made aware of the improved methods of cultivation and advent of new technology. They are also made aware of the various welfare schemes of the government. Patha-chakra (religious discourse) is held in the evening on specified days at our sub-centres on regular basis.

TAILORING TRAINING AT HOOGHLY CENTRAL CORRECTIONAL HOME, CHINSURAH

We are organising Tailoring training in a batch size of 10-15 inmates of Hooghly Central Correctional Home, Chinsuraha every three months. We have engaged a trainer against payment of monthly remuneration of Rs.3000/-. The feedback against this training programme is quite encouraging.

FINANCIAL LITERACY & CREDIT COUNSELING CENTRE (FLCC)

The Financial Literacy & Credit Counselling Centre has started functioning in the premises of the institute on 1st July 2011. Since then the centre is relentlessly engaged in spreading the message of financial literacy and financial awareness within and outside the campus. During the year under review the progress and achievement of the FLCC is abridged below :

Sl. No.	Purpose	Camps	No. of Participants Attended
1.	Awareness-cum -literacy camp held at institute	11	316
2.	Awareness-cum-literacy camp held off campus	12	427
	Total	23	743



POST-TRAINING SUPPORT SERVICE

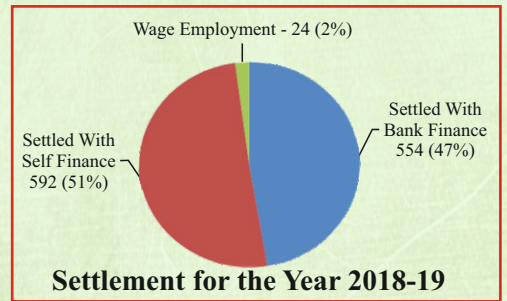
Staying together for 10 months in a fully residential programme creates a very close bonding between the trainees and the institution. This makes regular interaction amongst the Ex-trainees much easier. Ex-trainees love to maintain close contact with the Institute and this facilitates extending of all possible post-training support services to them. They visit the institute as and when required and consult the specialist faculties on different subjects regarding various problems encountered by them in implementing their projects. Conversely, the resource persons pay occasional visit to the project sites set up by the trainees. Close liaison with the ex-trainees result in better credit linkage with the banks since many veteran bankers render volunteer service at our institute.

FOLLOW-UP

a) One follow-up meeting with the REDP trainees of 2018-19 was organised at the Institute in May 2018. b) One follow-up meeting with the ex-trainees of earlier batches of REDP course was organised at the institute on 16.03.2019 where 91 number of ex-trainees participated. c) Personal contact is being maintained with the ex-trainees to provide constant guidance to them in pursuing their vocation. The trainees are assisted in preparation of project proposals and filling of application forms for availing credit support from banks. d) During the year under review participants of 53 numbers of training programmes representing 1401 candidates under Agricultural EDP, Products EDP, Process EDP and General EDP were followed-up during 133 numbers of visit. Such hand holding continues for 2 years after the training. e) Follow-up programme has been further improved through MIS data base system.

SETTLEMENT OF TRAINEES

Out of the 1401 number of trainees contacted for follow up, 592 trainees have set up their units with own funds, 554 trainees availed loans like KCC, SHGs and another 24 trainees are presently employed in different organisations and the settlement of the rest is in progress.



Particulars	No. of Training Programme	No. of Trainees Trained	No. of Trainees contacted for Follow-up	No. of Trainees Settled	% of Settlement	Out of Total Settled			
						Self-employed with		Under Wage employment	% of Credit Linked to Self-employed
						Bank Finance	Self Finance		
Year 2018-19	37	1007	1401	1170	83%	554	592	24	48%
Year 2017-18	62	1677	2320	1970	84%	716	1208	46	37%
Since Inception (2011-12)	570	14330	14069	11225	80%	2887	8368	610	26%

LOAN THROUGH STAND-UP MITRA PORTAL

A total of 84 (eighty four) loan applications have been uploaded in the Stand-up Mitra Portal during the year 2018-19.

DIGNITARIES VISIT TO THE INSTITUTE DURING 2018-19

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Department	Date of Visit
1.	Shri Prabhas Kr Ukil	PD	DRD Cell, HZP	April 12, 2018
2.	Shri Subrata Mondal	CGM	NABARD	June 02, 2018
3.	Shri Arun Kumar Singha	CRM	UBI, Hooghly Region	June 02, 2018 & February 14, 2019
4.	Dr. Ramanuj Banerjee	DSIR	MoST, GoI	August 14, 2018
5.	Shri L Bhavnani	LDM	Lead Bank Office	November 10, 2018
6.	Shri Umesh Kr Roy	GM (MSME/FI)	UBI, HO	February 14, 2019
7.	Shri Basudev Kalkundri	Director	NACER	February 14, 2019
8.	Smt. P Champa kavalli	Project Director	NIRD, Hyderabad	February 14, 2019
9.	Shri A K Pradhan	MD & CEO	United Bank of India	March 16, 2019
10.	Shri M R Roy	GM (PRISEC)	UBI, HO	March 16, 2019



Shri S Mondal, CGM, NABARD helping in the lighting of Lamp
June 02, 2018



Shri A K Pradhan, MD & CEO, UBI amongst others on the dias
March 16, 2019



Shri Umesh Kr Roy, GM, UBI, HO amongst others on the dias
February 14, 2019

SACHCHA BHARAT MISSION

Responding to the call of 'Sachcha Bharat Abhijan' the institute had undertaken cleaning programme once a week at Belur Math Railway Station and in its close periphery. Close associates of the institute, mainly its trainees, actively participated in the cleaning programmes. The general public, railway passengers watched the cleaning activity with eagerness.



TRAINING PROGRAMMES AT A GLANCE CONDUCTED DURING 2018-19

1) Joint Venture RUDSETI Programme with UBI & NABARD

Sl. No.	Course title	Venue	Period	Duration	No. of Trainees			Category of Trainees					BPL	
					M	F	Total	Gen	SC	ST	O.B.C	M.C	M	F
REDP :														
1	Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) for Micro Entrepreneurs	Institute Campus	May 15, 2018 to March 15, 2019	300 Days (10 Months Residential)	26	0	26	10	7	5	4	0	10	0
SDI (Farm & Non Farm) :														
2	Pissiculture	Radhapur, Shyampur, Howrah	May 02 to 29, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	26	4	30	26	1	0	3	0	12	0
3	Goat Rearing	Dumurdaha, Balagarh, Hooghly	May 03 to 30, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	14	15	29	17	5	0	1	6	3	11
4	Womens Tailor	Bamanpukur, Minakhan, North 24 Parganas	May 08 to July 28, 2018	60 Days (12 weeks)	0	24	24	3	19	1	0	1	0	15
5	Womens Tailor	Tamluk, Purba Medinipur	May 21 to Aug 10, 2018	60 Days (12 weeks)	0	21	21	18	3	0	0	0	0	11
6	Womens Tailor	Belpukur, Shyampur, Howrah	May 22 to Aug 11, 2018	60 Days (12 weeks)	0	25	25	18	3	1	3	0	0	8
7	Goat Rearing	Md. Bazar, Birbhum	June 01 to 28, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	23	2	25	1	0	1	11	12	7	2
8	Goat Rearing	Paratal, Jamalpur, Purba Bardhaman	June 05 to 30, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	22	8	30	19	5	2	3	1	6	3
9	Pissiculture	Saldelerbill, Hingalganj, North 24 Parganas	Jun 11 to Jul 06, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	27	1	28	2	19	1	6	0	13	0
10	Poultry	Bagchhari, Chandrakona, Paschim Medinipur	Jul 04 to 31, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	30	2	32	22	5	1	3	1	6	0
11	Womens Tailor	Bagchhari, Chandrakona, Paschim Medinipur	Jul 04 to Sep 25, 2018	60 Days (12 weeks)	0	24	24	15	4	4	1	0	0	8
12	Pissiculture	Barjora, Bankura	July 11 to Aug 07, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	3	27	30	20	9	0	1	0	0	11
13	Pissiculture	Birulia, Nandigram, Purba Medinipur	August 01 to 28, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	28	2	30	15	8	0	7	0	9	1
14	Mushroom cultivation	Nabagram, Shyampur, Howrah	August 03 to 30, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	14	14	28	21	3	0	4	0	2	5
15	Beauty Parlor Management	Purandarpur, Kandi, Murshidabad	Aug 06 to Nov 02, 2018	60 Days (12 weeks)	0	25	25	15	6	0	1	3	0	5
16	Poultry	Belpukur, Shyampur, Howrah	Aug 11 to Sep 06, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	9	21	30	24	2	0	3	1	4	3

Sl. No.	Course Title	Venue	Period	Duration	No. of Trainees			Category of Trainees					BPL	
					M	F	Total	Gen	SC	ST	O.B.C	M.C	M	F
17	Commercial Horticulture	Kumrul, Dhaniakhali, Hooghly	Sept 01 to 28, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	26	0	26	20	3	0	3	0	11	0
18	Commercial Horticulture	Koalpara, Kotulpur, Bankura	Sept 03 to 28, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	27	2	29	22	3	0	4	0	6	1
19	Mushroom cultivation	Kotulpur, Bankura	Sept 03 to 28, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	4	31	35	18	16	0	1	0	1	12
20	Vegetable Nursery Management and Cultivation	Deulpur, Panchla, Howrah	Oct 04 to 31, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	5	24	29	29	0	0	0	0	1	5
21	Poultry	Abhirampur, Udaynarayanpur, Howrah	Oct 08 to Nov 15, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	20	1	21	14	3	1	3	0	16	0
22	Mushroom cultivation	Aharrah, Arsha, Purulia	Nov 03 to 30, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	1	29	30	16	1	2	11	0	0	20
23	Mushroom cultivation	Dumurdaha, Balagarh, Hooghly	Nov 05 to 30, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	4	26	30	26	3	0	1	0	0	8
24	Vegetable Nursery Management and Cultivation	Birnagar, Ranaghat, Nadia	Nov 09 to Dec. 06, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	21	4	25	6	17	0	2	0	1	0
25	Poultry	Barunhat, Hasnabad, North 24 Parganas	Dec 04 to 29, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	14	14	28	10	10	0	3	5	0	0
26	Commercial Horticulture	Dumurdaha, Balagarh, Hooghly	Dec 10 to 31, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	1	29	30	21	6	0	0	3	0	11
Sub Total-I (A+B):					345	375	720	428	161	19	79	33	108	140

II) Residential Farmers Training Programme under Farm Sector sponsored by NABARD

27	Pissiculture	Institute Campus	Aug 23 to Sep. 01, 2018	10 Days	23	0	23	16	6	1	0	0	0	0
28	Dairy Farming and Vermi Compost Making	Institute Campus	Sept 06 to 15, 2018	10 Days	28	0	28	19	5	0	4	0	5	0
29	Dairy Farming and Vermi Compost Making	Institute Campus	Sept 20 to 29, 2018	10 Days	32	0	32	13	7	2	6	4	8	0
30	Vegetable Nursery Management and Cultivation	Institute Campus	Oct 04 to 13, 2018	10 Days	23	0	23	9	5	6	2	1	9	0
31	Dairy Farming and Vermi Compost Making	Institute Campus	Oct 26 to Nov 04, 2018	10 Days	31	0	31	7	11	4	6	3	3	0
32	Mushroom cultivation	Institute Campus	Nov 11 to 20, 2018	10 Days	16	0	16	6	3	1	4	2	3	0
33	Dairy Farming and Vermi Compost Making	Institute Campus	Dec 05 to 14, 2018	10 Days	23	0	23	9	5	6	1	2	5	0
34	Vegetable Nursery Management and Cultivation	Institute Campus	Dec 27 to Jan 05, 2019	10 Days	23	0	23	10	5	1	4	3	3	0
Total					199	0	199	89	47	21	27	15	36	0

III) Training Programme for Unemployed Youth sponsored by Dist. SHG & SE, Bankura :

35	Mushroom cultivation	Narayanpur, Patrasayerm, Bankura	Mar 27 to Apr 20, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	0	35	35	16	13	0	6	0	0	6
36	Mushroom cultivation	Onda, Bankura	Jul 11 to Aug 07, 2018	20 Days (4 weeks)	1	34	35	15	13	0	7	0	0	7
Total					1	69	70	31	26	0	13	0	0	13

IV) Residential Training Programme on Bee-keeping sponsored by DIC, Howrah :

37	Bee Keeping	Institute Campus	Jan 29 to Feb 07, 2019	10 Days	18	0	18	16	2	0	0	0	4	0
Grand Total (I + II + III + IV)					563	444	1007	564	236	40	119	48	148	153

HONORARY VISITING FACULTY / RESOURCE PERSON

<u>Sl. No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Department</u>
A) <u>AGRI - HORTICULTURE :</u>			
1)	Dr. Ajoy Kr. Kar	Consultant (Soils & Fertiliser)	Hindusthan Lever Ltd.
2)	Sri Amal Krishna Roy	Retd. Jt. Director of Agriculture	Deptt. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
3)	Dr. Amit Ranjan Mandal	Associate Prof., Faculty of Horty	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
4)	Dr. Arup Chattopadhyay	Associate Professor	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
5)	Dr. Bimal Kr. Bhattacharyya	Retd. Jt. Director of Agri. (Chemist)	Deptt. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
6)	Sri Debasis Tripathy	Retd. Agril. Extn. Officer	Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
7)	Sri Jagabandhu Mondal	Retd. Manager	Allahabad Bank
8)	Sri Joy Narayan Roy Sharma	Dy. Director of Agriculture (WBP)	Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
9)	Sri Lakshman Ch. Porel	Retd. Dy. Director of Ag.(M & F)	Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
10)	Prof. Nabinananda Ghosh	Retd. Professor (Gent. & Plant Breeding)	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
11)	Prof. Pranab Chattopadhyay	Retd. Professor (Seed Sc. & Techn.)	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
12)	Sri Pranab Kr. Sur	Visiting Professor, Cal. University	Deptt. of Indst. Chemistry & Environment
13)	Dr. Rabi Sankar Mitra	Retd. Dy. Director of Horticulture	Dept. of FP & H, Govt. of W.B.
14)	Sri Ranjan Kr. Das	Joint Director of Agriculture (WBP)	Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
15)	Prof. S.P Bhattacharya	Retd. Professor (Agronomy)	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
16)	Sri Sachchidananda Bhunia	Retd. Subject Matter Specialist	Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
17)	Sri Samir Kr. Ghosh	Dy. Director of Agriculture (Admn.)	Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
18)	Sri Samir Karfa	Asst. Director of Agriculture	Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
19)	Dr. Subhabrata Biswas	Asst. Director of Agriculture	Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
20)	Sri Sukhendu Sekhar Adhikary	Retd. Dy. Director of Agriculture	Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
21)	Sri Rishi Krishna Dey	Dy. Director of Agriculture (WBP)	Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of W.B.
22)	Dr. Sunirmal Maity	Retd. Professor (Agronomy)	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
23)	Dr. Amrita Lal Kundu	Retd. Professor (Agronomy)	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
24)	Dr. Dilip Kr Das	Retd. Professor (Soil Science)	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
25)	Dr. Sakti Sankar Sahoo	Retd. Professor (Soil Science)	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
26)	Dr. Tushar Kanti Kumar	Retd. Jt. Director Farms	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
27)	Dr. Ranabir Chatterjee	Retd. Professor	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
28)	Dr. Partha Kr Mukhopadhyay	Retd. Professor (Spices & Plantation Crops)	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
29)	Dr. Patitosh Bhattacharyay	Retd. Director (Bio-organic Research)	Amity University, Uttar Pradesh
30)	Prof. Pradip Kr Chattopadhyay	Retd. Dean (Horticulture)	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
31)	Dr Biswajit Bhattacharyay	Addl. Director of Farms	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
B) <u>VETERINARY / ANIMAL SCIENCE :</u>			
32)	Prof. Gouranga Chowdhury	Retd. Professor (Animal Science)	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
33)	Dr. Asim Prasad Chattopadhyay	Ex-Director (Academic)	Bengal Institute of Livestock Dev.
34)	Dr. Nihar Kanti Ghosh	Retd. Veterinary Surgeon	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
35)	Dr. Kamal Mitra	Retd. Jt. DA (AHC)	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
36)	Dr. Ranjit Kr. Ghosh	Retd. Veterinary Surgeon	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
37)	Dr. Swapan Kr. Sur	Retd. Block Livestock Dev. Officer	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
38)	Dr. Abilash Chattopadhyay	Retd. Asstt. Director	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
39)	Dr. Mrigendra Kr. Agasti	Retd. Professor (Animal Science)	WB University of Fisheries & Animal Sc.
40)	Dr. Nilotpal Ghosh	Prof. & Dean Faculty of AH	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya
41)	Dr. Bikash Kanti Biswas	Scientist	WB University of Fisheries & Animal Sc.
42)	Dr. Samaresh De Sarkar	Retd. Assistant Director	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
43)	Sri Rajat Kr. Roy	Asstt. Suptd. of Livestock	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB

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44)	Sri Basudeb Ghosh	Asst. Director	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
45)	Dr Partha Sarathi Sengupta	Asstt. Director	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
46)	Dr Mathur Pal	Asstt. Director	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
47)	Dr Tapas Biswas	Veterinary Officer	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
48)	Dr Amitendu De	Asstt. Director	Dept. of Animal Resource Dev., GoWB
C)	<u>PISCICULTURE :</u>		
49)	Dr. Anup Kr. Datta	Ex- Pr. Scientist	CIFA (ICAR), Govt. of India
D)	<u>AVICULTURE & ORNAMENTAL FISH :</u>		
50)	Sri Anjan Kr. Pal	Retd. Engineer	Bengal Immunity Ltd.
E)	<u>APICULTURE :</u>		
51)	Sri Satya Charan De	Entrepreneur in Apiculture	Own Enterprise
52)	Arup Paul	Entrepreneur in Apiculture	Own Enterprise
E)	<u>MUSHROOM :</u>		
53)	Sri Subrata Bose	Entrepreneur in Mushroom	Own Enterprise
54)	Sri Ranjit Biswas	Entrepreneur in Mushroom	Own Enterprise
F)	<u>ENGLISH :</u>		
55)	Sri Subal Ch. Pal	Retd. Jt. Block Dev. Officer	Rural Dev. Dept., GoWB
G)	<u>ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT :</u>		
56)	Sri Dwijendra Kr. Sengupta	Retd. Manager	State Bank of India
57)	Dr. Gopal Chandra Setua	Retd. Scientist-D	Central Silk Board, Govt. of India
58)	Sri Sisir Kr Chattopadhyay	Retd. Manager	State Bank of India
59)	Sri Anupam Kundu Chowdhury	Retd. Asst. Teacher	WB School
60)	Sri Nihar Ghosh Majumdar	Librarian	RKM Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir
61)	Sri Tanmoy Mallick	Retd. Officer	United Bank of India
62)	Sri Subrata Kr Das	Retd. Chief Manager	United Bank of India
63)	Sri Ananda Prasanna Majumdar	Retd. Officer	United Bank of India
64)	Sri Jagadish Ch Bhowmick	Retd. Officer	United Bank of India
65)	Sri Basab Chowdhury	Retd. PRO	MSME-DI, Govt. of India
66)	Sri Shyamal Sannyal	Retd. Chief Manager	Central Bank of India
H)	<u>FLCC :</u>		
67)	Susobhan De	Counsellor, FLC	United Bank of India
I)	<u>SOCIAL WORK :</u>		
68)	Dr. Krishna Pada Kundu	Retd. Lecturer	RKM Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir
69)	Dr. Pankaj Kumar Mondal	Retd. Lecturer	RKM Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir
70)	Sri Chiranjib Kumar Sur	Retd. Manager PR & CSR	Hindalco Industries Ltd.
H)	<u>COMPUTER :</u>		
71)	Sri Koushik Ganguly	Retd. System Consultant	ICI
J)	<u>GENERAL :</u>		
72)	Dr. Chaitali Mukherjee	Retd. Medical Officer	KUSPCMU, Govt. of W.B
73)	Dr Sulekha Das	Medical Officer	Dept. of Health, Govt. of W.B

LIST OF SUB-CENTRES WITH CODE

Code No.	Sub - Centre Name
001.	Ramakrishna Mission Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir, Belur Math, Howrah
002.	Belpukur Sree Sree Ramakrishna Vivekananda Pathachakra, Belpukur (Amarabati), Ajodhya, Shyampur, Howrah
003.	Maa Sarada Mahila Samity, Salkia, Howrah
004.	Maa Sarada Self Help Group, Dumurdaha Nityanandapur, Balagarh, Hooghly
005.	Barasat Vivekananda Rural Training Institute, N/3, K N C Road, Barasat, Kolkata -124
006.	Dakshin Chatra Sri Ramakrishna -Vivekananda Sevashrama, Baduria, North 24 Parganas
007.	Barunhat Sri Ramakrishna Seva Kendra Hasnabad, North 24 Parganas
008.	Bamanpukur Ramakrishna Sevashrama, Bamanpukur, Minakha, North 24 Parganas
009.	Dulduli Vivekananda Pathachakra, Duldul Math Bari, North 24 Parganas
010.	Sandelerbill Sri Ramakrishna Sevashrama, Sandelerbill, North 24 Parganas
011.	Ramakrishna Mission Ashrama, Sarisha, South 24 Parganas
012.	Bazarberia Vivekananda Smriti Sangha, Sitarampur, Kakdwip, South 24 Parganas
013.	Sundarika Bartika Sri Ramakrishna Vivekananda Sangha, Kalatalahat, South 24 Parganas
014.	Vivek Bitan, Kashimbazar, Bolpur, Birbhum
015.	Taras Sawnta Susar Gaunta, Damdama, Bolpur, Birbhum
016.	Swajjee Sarbodaya Sangha, Birulia, Nandigram - II, Purba Medinipur
017.	Sundarpur Vivekananda Gram Bikash Sanstha, Sundarpur, Shillyaberia, Khejuri, Purba Medinipur
018.	Jahalda Vivekananda Patha Chakra, Jahalda, Belda Paschim Medinipur
019.	Pukuria Maa Sarada Shishu Mandir Pukuria, Jhargram, Dist. - Paschim Medinipur
020.	Ramakrishna Yogashrama, Koalpara, Dehuapara, Bankura
021.	Kotulpur Srma Sarvik Pallimangal, Kotulpur, Bankura
022.	Parbakshi Sri Sri Ramakrishna Sevashram, Deulgram, Bagnan, Howrah
023.	Barjora Vivekananda Atma-Bikas Kendra Borjora, Bankura
024.	Balasi Sri Ramakrishna -Sarada -Vivekananda Sangha, Balasi, Bankura

Code No.	Sub - Centre Name
025.	Vivekananda Sarbik Pally Unnayan Samity, Daluabari, Ranaghat-II, Nadia
026.	Ramakrishna Math & Ramakrishna Mission Sevashrama, Garbeta, Paschim Medinipur
027.	Ghatmura Vivekananda Pathachakra, Ghatmura, Paschim Medinipur
028.	Bhabla Vivekananda Byayam Samity, Bhabla, North 24 Parganas
029.	Bagchari Sri Sri Ramakrishna Seva Sangha, Paikmajita, Paschim Medinipur
030.	Kurmun Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama, Kurmun, Burdwan
031.	Paratal Anchal Vivekananda Sevashrama, Paratal, Burdwan
032.	Aharaha Vivekananda Yuba Sangha, Aharaha, Arsha, Purulia
033.	Nawamita, Mayapur, Hooghly
034.	Goghat Vivekananda Seva Santha, Goghat, Hooghly
035.	Purandarpur Disari Mission, Purandarpur, Murshidabad
036.	Birbhum Nari O Sishu Kalyan Samity, Mahammadbazar, Birbhum
037.	Nadia Zilla Farmer's Development Organisation, Dakshinpara, Birnagar, Nadia
038.	Ilme Hakiki Mission, Shawpara, Puranagram, Dist.- Birbhum
039.	Milan Tithi Sangha, Radhapur, Shyampur, Howrah
040.	Ramakrishna Mission Sevashrama, Tamluk, Purba Medinipur
041.	Jhargram Katha Mrita Patha Chakra O Seva Samity, Jhargram, Paschim Medinipur
042.	Ramakrishna Ashrama, Kumrul, Hooghly
043.	Barsole Vivekananda Seva Sanstha, Jhargram, Paschim Medinipur
044.	Jhansi Rani SGSY Sangha, Chandipur, Pirpur, Howrah
045.	Nivedita Anusarini, Simladihi, Saltora, Bankura
046.	Deulpur Sri Sri Ramakrishna Sevashrama, Panchla, Howrah
047.	Abhirampur Ramakrishna Seva Ashrama, Udaynarayanpur, Howrah
048.	Nabagram Swami Vivekananda Sevashrama, Shyampur, Howrah

SUCCESS STORIES

SHRI RANJIT BARMAN OF COOCH BEHAR (W.B.)

Shri Ranjit Barman, son of Shri Ganesh Chandra Barman was a student of the REDP course 2010-11 batch, the 10 month long fully residential training programme on agriculture and allied subjects of Ramakrishna Mission Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir, Belur Math, Howrah. He was from Cooch Behar district of West Bengal.

After completing secondary education Shri Barman was looking for some career path. During the early part of 2010 Shri Barman came into contact with Ramakrishna Mission Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir, Belur Math through a newspaper advertisement. The advertisement was on the flagship programme of the institute viz. Rural Entrepreneurship Development Programme. This is a holistic training programme on agriculture and allied subjects.



Shri Barman quickly enrolled himself in the batch of REDP 2010-11. Shri Barman was a very energetic and hardworking student. He always showed keen interest in learning new things. He was given a holistic exposure to all kinds of farm activities. He was never complacent and always remained committed to better his lot. For this he was always prepared to walk the extra mile. He was found to be very level headed and enterprising. He was an excellent go-getter who liked working in a team.

Being a boy from peasant family he had rudimentary knowledge in many spheres of agriculture, horticulture and floriculture. During the training period he showed his huge inclination towards floriculture. Later on during April 2012 he had also attended Farmers' Training Programme at Ramakrishna Mission Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir, Belur Math under the auspices of NABARD.

For the last couple of years, he has specialized in Garbera cultivation. In Cooch Behar district of West Bengal the ideal condition for Garbera cultivation prevails. The soil is also very porous and the field remains well drained. Bright sunshine which is so important for accelerating the growth of the gerbera plant is abundantly available, harvesting period is also not very long i.e. only 90 days. Shri Barman is doing extremely well in Garbera cultivation for the last couple of years. He is producing Garbera of many varieties and also in myriads of colours.

Shri Barman is not only engaged in floriculture activity, he is also carrying on bettle vine cultivation, vegetable nursery, fisheries, paddy cultivation etc. His average monthly income is more than Rs.30,000/-. He has invested Rs.350,000/- in all the economic activities carried on by him. He is planning to obtain a bank loan for making further investment in his business pursuits.

As a recognition to the good work done in the field of Nursery Management & spread of Technology, the West Bengal government has honoured Shri Barman with the Krishak Sanman 2019 award.

With the present level of income and economic activities conducted Shri Barman can be termed as a successful entrepreneur.

SUCCESS STORIES

SHRI PARIMAL MONDAL OF 24- PARGANAS (NORTH) (W.B.)

Shri Parimal Mondal son of late Patit Paban Mondal residing at village Amberia under the Hingalganj Block of 24- Parganas (North) District, West Bengal was in search of a steady profession. Based on traditional knowledge Shri Mondal was carrying on pisciculture business till he got an opportunity to attend a training programme on Pisciculture at the Sandelerbill Sri Ramakrishna Sevashram, P.O.Sandelerbill, Hingalganj, a sub-centre of the Ramakrishna Mission Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir, Belur Math, Howrah.



The pisciculture training programme which Shri Mondal had attended during June 11, 2018 to July 06, 2018 was an eye opener to him in many respect. It is here only where he learnt the scientific methods of fish farming. Shri Mondal already had fair knowledge of pisciculture activity, what he lacked was modern approach & scientific temperament. For him the training was a medly of theoretical and practical knowledge. Shri Mondal had made good use of his rich experience and field knowledge by synchronizing these with the class room teaching. The training process has honed his existing skill.

During the training Shri Mondal had learned the ideal techniques of construction of pond, weed control, breeding methodology of different types of fishes, feed, disease and disease management, prawn culture in fresh and brackish water etc. Apart from his own ponds he is carrying on pisciculture activity in some leased ponds also.

Till now Shri Mondal is carrying on his business activities without the help of bank finance. He has already invested around Rs.600,000/- in the business venture. After attending the training his business has started flourishing and shortly he will be requiring some institutional finance support. He is in touch with the Ramakrishna Mission Samaj Sevak Sikshan Mandir, Belur Math for preparation of project report which is so important in case of seeking bank credit. He is carrying on all the business activities without taking any outside help. His family members are extending all kinds of help to him.

The EDP part of the 20-day training at the RSETI opened a new vista before him. He started looking at things from a new angle. He started realizing his potentials. He started to think big. He started taking new challenges. The training helped him to shed the feeling of complacency. He began to set new targets for him.

All these attitudinal changes resulted in his higher income and better profit. Now, his monthly income has risen to Rs.20,000/-, a spurt which was difficult to be fancied not long ago. It is expected that further dose of investment will definitely bring in more prosperity to this entrepreneur.

AN APPEAL

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