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Dear members, associates and friends,

Season's greetings from DRCSC!

Apart from regular activities, we intend to spend some time to let our friends know about the current programmes, happenings, events of our organization through a medium that can communicate directly with a huge audience in a very short time. We will serve you updates accordingly with the progress of our work, new findings, new techniques. You also can share your ideas, activities and feedbacks too.

Hope your blessings.

In solidarity,

Editorial Team.





Glimpses of Shishu Mela 2015 at Purandarpur, Birbhum











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GLIMPSES OF SHISHU MELA

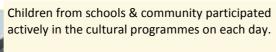




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DRCSC has organized **Shishumela** in the current year too in two of it's working areas—at Purandarpur, Birbhum and Pargumti, Kalitala of Hingalgunj, North 24 Parganas, by the support of Kolkata Trust of Human Development & IndienHilfe, E.V. Herrsching, Germany on 27-29 January 2015 and 4-6 February 2015 respectively.

Besides theme pavilion on child education, child rights, health & nutrition, there were stalls from government line departments like ADA, BLDO, ICDS, Child Line and NGOS. Stalls on handicrafts and food courts, toys corner were there. Local schools, Panchayats, Govt Officials, NGOs, Children and their guardian actively participated in the mela. Sit & draw competition, panel discussion, interactive corners on child rights, education and nutrition helped to create mass awareness on child labour and related issues. Contextual flexes had the role to disseminate the same.



In both the areas the Mela ended up with a small rally with a social message to ban child labour in society.









Sishumela: The ALBUM







Children's participation in a drawing competition



Children in a toy stall



Demonstration on hand washing



A rally to ban child labour...



Joyful learning in a Education Stall...







DRCSC at Kolkata Book Fair 2015

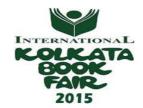


The Grace Presence... Hon'ble Minister, Dept. of Agriculture, West Bengal, Mr. Purnendu Basu at DRCSC stall











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KRISHAK SABHA -KISAN PANCHAYAT, 29-30 January'15, SHILPGRAM, Guwahati



The Krishak Sabha – Kisan Panchayat was organized to hear the views of the farmers from seven North Eastern states regarding problems in agriculture, the way forward and their demands to the executive.



150 Farmers from 4 states – Assam, Tripura, Mizoram and Manipur were gathered and voiced their views. Their views have been transformed into a Charter of Demands and presented before the representatives of the Assam Agriculture dept. and a Panel of Writers, Journalists and members of the political society.

Asamiya Pratidin, a local Assameese Daily published on 28th January'15 an editorial on the issues pertaining to Farmer Rights and a post editorial was published by the same daily written by Kishore Kalita. Dainik Assam also carried report on the Krishak Sabha on 31st January'15.

A Sharing workshop on Food & Hygiene with SHGs 6 Feb 2015, Chatna, Bankura



The assembly held with SHG members involved in cooking mid-day meal in Primary Schools of Ghoser-gram & Jhunjka Gram Panchayat was organized in Chhatna Panchayat Samity Hall. Jt. BDO of Chhatna Block, Chhatna Panchayat Samity Sabhapati- Saha-Sabhapati and all others were present in the programme and shared their views on importance of food hygiene especially during mid-day meal. In addition they gave the necessary detail about the recent facilities for sanitation programme under Nirmal Bharat Abhiyan in the villages.



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Ensuring food and livelihood security of the rural poor through sustainable management of natural resources...

Upcoming Events

A workshop on Climate Change of surrounding countries of Bay of Bengal.

Date: 11-12 March 2015

Venue: Hotel Hindustan International , Kolkata Participants: NGOs, INGOs, Funding Agencies

Joint Host: DRCSC



Some of our titles















