MANIPUR EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND RESEARCH ASSOCIATION

KWAKEITHEL THIYAM LEIKAI, IMPHAL WEST, MANIPUR

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Introduction:

Manipur Educational Development and Research Association, Kwakeithel Thiyam Leikai, Imphal West District, Manipur State was established on 25/01/2007 and registered under the Manipur Societies Registration Act, 1989 (Manipur Act No. 1 of 1990) Regd. No. 2760/ID/1993 (M) of 2007 dated 30 -08 -1993. The office of the Association is situated at Kwakeithel Thiyam Leikai, Mayaikoibi Road, Imphal West, Manipur – 795001.

AUDITOR

The auditors, Registrar Co-Operatives, Govt. of Manipur and other competent chartered Accountants available in Manipur will audit the accounts of the Organisation.

1. Skill Training for youths:

Our association had organized 3 days skill development training camp. for the empowerment of youth at Thanga Khunjem , Bishnupur District from November 1^{th} and 5^{th} 2020. During the program 10 youths were participated. The youth were trained on different skill for future planning and competition. Computer education , Science and Technology, vocational skill , leadership and morel education were the main discussion of the programme

2. Road Safety Awareness Programme

The organization had organised one day road safety awareness for children and youth. The aimed is to improving the road safety crisis by inculcating safe road behaviour in children and youth. The program advocates the need to start training young and bring a positive behavioural change towards making Indian roads safer. The program included awareness sessions like quiz programs, demonstrations and skit competitions on the city road and the subject of road safety from the perspectives of the children to instil safety routines.

3. Food Processing Training Programme

The Organisation organised one day Food Processing Training Programme at Nambol Kongkham Ward No. 3 and 10 women participated in the programme. Two resource persons conducted the training programme and they gave how we set up a food processing unit and use the foods in our home. All trainers get well knowledge from the one week programme.

4. Mobile Health Care Programme:

MEDRA organised a Mobile Health Care Unit at the Bishnupur District at Thanga A/C to provide basic health facilities to the door to door step of the rural SC community with State AYUSH Department and health checkups school students of Imphal West District.

5. Computer training programme

Computer knowledge is one of the most important knowledge in this 21st century. Everything is in connection with computer. To make this aware in the rural areas, the organisation had done a computer training programme for three months from 12th August to 10th January 2021 at Kwakeithel bazar. This training programme was effective and benefitted many peoples.

6. Education Development Programme for Minority Group:

To develop the minority groups, the organisation have taken up various steps to improve their way of living and standards in the society. A carrier counselling was done by well experienced teachers and counsellors so that the students can improve their study and the scholarship they will get and the right way to go in future. Moreover extra coaching classes were conducted for the students who cannot afford to pay the fees for the private coaching centres.

7. Development programme for Fishermen and Women

The main objective of implementing this programme is to develop Fishery as means of rural development and educated and uneducated persons of self employment generation. Motivation of rural educated and uneducated persons to take up dairy unit for providing necessary training, common facilities work for Centre and Other forward and backward linkage etc. are the main component of the fishery. The organisation is helping the fishermen to gain maximum of the profit from their by eliminating the middle man as well as save them from other market exploitations.

8. Environment sustainability Awareness programme:

With a view to improve the degrading environment of the state and to promote the environment awareness, the Organisation had organised "One Day Environment & Ecology Development Programme" at Kwakeithel Thiyam Leikai Community Hall, Imphal West District on 10th Dec. , 2020. About 20 participants including community leaders and school/ college students took part in the said programme. Talk and lecture on various issues of environment by resource persons from various concerned department were the main activities of the programme. IEC and other related leaflet publish by the Forest and Environment was also distributed to the participants of the programme.

9. Biotechnology method for organic farming training programme:

Bio fertilizers have now been recognized worldwide as the life fertilizers for reason of its eco-affability. The Organisation, with a view to create awareness among the farmers organized a number of programmes on introduction and popularization of Bio Fertilizer in the villages located in and around the peripheralImphal West District. The technology of breeding worms is termed Vermi-Culture and the subsequent use for preparation of compost is called Vermi-Composting. Vermi-Compost is a sustainable bio fertilizer regenerated from organic waste using earthworms which contains 1.2-1.6% more nitrogen, 1.8-2% more phosphates and 0.5-75% more potassium compared to farmlend manure. It also contains harmones like auxins and cytokinins, enzymes, vitamins and useful organism like bacteria actinimycetes, protozoans, fungi and others. Hundreds of farmers from different villages were benefited by the said programmes. The training programmes made the farmers totally aware of the factsw of hazards of consuming the producers of organic farming. The organization promotes Vermi pits for utilizing in its farming.

10. Free health came at school

One day free health camp cum health awareness programme was held on 4^{th} , 5^{th} January 2020 at different school of Imphal west District. In the programme students get benefited and delivered necessary service in terms of counselling to promote necessary information on health care.

11. Tourism Development programme

With a view to improve the Tourism in Manipur the Organisation has organized 1 days Tourism Development Programme for the youths of Thanga Karang, Bishnupur District these training 25 youths participated in the programme. The programme was conducted by inviting resource persons from the concern department and they were given the basic of conducting such type of programme. The programme was successfully conducted.

12. SC and ST living Standardised counselling programme

With a view to improve the standard of living and in every way the Organisation keep an eye upon them and conducts various awareness programmes to make them aware of the benefits and other advantages given to them by the Govt. of India. Many has benefitted and taken the benefits.

13. Vocational training programme on embroidery and tailoring

Manipur Educational Development and Research Association had conducted 6 days Vocational Training Programme on Embroidery & Tailoring for rural women at Training Hall of the organisation from 4th to 10 February 2021. During the training programme, concerned instructor from district industries training centre, Imphal East, Manipur demonstrated theory classes by the way of targeted syllabus of the course and the after completion of the theory class, practical classes were conducted which was taught in the training programme. Altogether 50 women from different part of the Manipur State for each trade were benefited in the programme.

14. Training programme for handloom weaving

Handloom is one of the main sources of income in all the rural families of Manipur State. Every women and girls of rural families are skilful in handloom but the style and technique of weaving is very quite different with modern technology. So, in order to upgrade the modern technique and skill the Manipur Educational Development and Research Association have conducted a three month Handloom Weaving Training programme at Thiyam Leikai from 10st to 25th January 2020. During the training programme skill trainer from DIC Imphal West, Handloom Development Societies and State Handloom Co-operative societies were demonstrated with modern tools and equipment and designed. The training programmes were participated with 40 women from the area and distributed training materials and training by products and finished products are of the income source of the organisation.

15. Mushroom cultivation

Mushroom Cultivation is also a great source of income if it is done in a right way. A one day training programme was conducted by the Organisation at Kwakeithel Thiyam Leikai with the interested persons on 8th February, 2021. Well experienced cultivators were also participated in the Training Programme. They share their various experiences for the cultivation. It was a successful programme.

16. Agriculture and Horticulture development programme

With a view to improve the socio – economic status of the rural farmers, ARMS conducted a 3 months Agriculture & Horticulture Development programme at Nambol community Hall, Bishnupur District, Manipur from 2nd October to 25th October, 2020. During the programme experts from concerned department were brief about integrated and mix crop farming of Agriculture & Horticulture items, necessity of soil testing, value of quality seeds, mode of plantation and step by step procedure of cropping etc. The resource persons also demonstrated the modern technique of farming with cropping machines. The programme were participated with 25 farmers of the area and they are also provided high yield variety seeds, fertilizers, PP chemicals etc. at free of cost.

17. Livestock development programme

With a view to promote the business of livestock the organisation conducted one Day Awareness Programme on the 20th December 2020 at Kwakeithel Thounaojam Leikai, Imphal West, Manipur. The programmed was conducted with the concerned department members. It explained that it can be too a way of earning income. The programme ended well and made people aware. With a view to improve the standard of living and in every way the Organisation keep an eye upon them and conducts various awareness programmes to make them aware of the benefits and other advantages given to them by the Govt. Of India. Many has benefitted and taken the benefits.

18. Science & Technology Development Programme:

With a view to improve the Science & Technology in Manipur the Organisation was started organized 6 months Science& Technology Development Programme for the students of Imphal West and Bishnupur District these training students have identified and selected for the programme sponsor by DST Govt. of India. The programme was conducted by inviting resource persons from the concern department and they were given the basic of conducting such type of programme. The programme was successfully conducted.

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