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Annual Report 2014-15

"Sewa Jyoti"

R.R. Morarka Charitable Trust, Nawalgarh



ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

I am glad to place the Annual Report of "Sewa Jyoti" for the year 2014-15 in your hands. This document is an exposure of efforts made by our organization during the last one year.

This annual report is intended to be a very candid document for the concerned citizenry to know how we are faring in our endeavors: how we plan and operate. Needless to say, we have unfailingly clung to values like integrity and transparency.

For the last 20 years, R R Morarka Charitable Trust is working in areas like health, education, women's empowerment, agricultural development, training, forestation and infrastructure development. Other activities include awareness campaigns on socio-economic issues, efforts to preserve cultural heritage and steps to popularize local arts and crafts. Like in the past, the year 2014-15 was an equally eventful and constructive year. We were successful in further expanding the scope and magnitude of our work and reaching out to more people.

I congratulate the staff of RR Morarka Charitable Trust (Sewa Jyoti) and members of the community who have played an important role in the success of our programmes and efforts. I am happy to see that the organisation has been able to touch the lives of many sections of the society, especially the weaker ones including the elderly, women, the ill, children, the poor and people affected by natural calamities and tragedies.

As I present this chronicle of our activities and accomplishments, I would like to thank everyone who has directly or indirectly contributed to the work and growth of this organisation, and they include the donor agencies and the administration.

Gautam R Morarka

Managing Trustee

GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION



Shekhawati region of Rajasthan, where the RR Morarka Charitable Trust operates, is industrially and agriculturally in a disadvantageous position as it is a desert region. Not only has Shekhawati been at the receiving end of the nature's furies, it has generally remained neglected by the process of development as well.

Villages of the area lack basic facilities like education and healthcare apart from a serious lack of employment opportunities. If any social organisation is genuinely committed to development, social service and welfare of people, it will find Shekhawati to be the most appropriate area to concentrate its activities in.

RR Morarka Charitable Trust's interest in Jhunjhunu also emanates from the fact that it is one of the lesser developed districts of Rajasthan. While it has sex ratio of 1000/950, literacy rate is about 74.72%. Availability of health facilities is much less than can be considered satisfactory. Nawalgarh, where the trust's project office operates from, is about 140 KM from the state capital, Jaipur.

INTRODUCTION TO THE ORGANISATION

RR Morarka Charitable Trust, also known as Sewa Jyoti, was founded with a strong resolve to work for national development and service of the society. Established in 1995, is a registered organisation under the Trust Act. It is a social organisation mostly active in Jhunjhunu district of Rajasthan, although it also conducts regular activities in Bijnor district of Uttar Pradesh.

Objective behind the organisation to help in nation building and helping the needy and poor in areas which are largely underdeveloped.

For more than a decade, the trust has been working for the welfare of the underprivileged sections of the society, and is actively contributing to local development. Apart from being active in Bijnor district of Uttar Pradesh, The trust has made Jhunjhunu district of Rajasthan the centre of its core activities. While cities like Jhunjhunu and Nawalgarh have seen significant amount of infrastructural development carried out by RR Morarka Charitable Trust (also known as Sewa Jyoti), the villages of the area have also benefitted from its activities, especially in the fields of agriculture, healthcare, education, job oriented training and financial awareness.

R. R. Morarka Charitable Trust has taken an initiative to address local problems and issues, sometimes on its own and the sometimes in cooperation with government organisations and departments. In the process, the trust has networked with a number of organizations, both central and provincial, including NABARD and CAPART. It has played an objective role in assisting these organizations to reach the people at the grassroots level.

Among the major contributions of the trust is construction of a large, two-story building of Radheshyam Morarka Govt. PG College in Jhunjhunu. The trust is in process to construct another such building in Nawalgarh, for the local Govt College. Another notable contribution from the trust is the bus terminal built in Nawalgarh, in the memory of Late Sh. Radheshyam Ji Morarka. The trust also helps to manage the CSR projects undertaken by Dwarikesh Sugar Industries Limited in Bijnor district of Uttar Pradesh.

At the local level the trust operates from its project office at 22, Station Road, Nawalgarh, Dist. Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan, while its registered office is at 511, Maker Chambers V, 221, Nariman Point, Mumbai- 400021.

OBJECTIVES

RR Morarka Charitable Trust is guided by the following objectives:

1. To carry out various kind of development works with an objective of serving the society and contributing to nation building.

2. To provide various kinds of assistance, including financial, to educational institutions to help them in freely carrying out their duty of imparting meaningful education to their students in an impartial and inclusive manner.

3. To establish, manage and run schools, colleges, training institutes to impart education and training.

4. To make pecuniary grants by way of donations, prizes, stipend, allowances, subscriptions, fees, guarantee or otherwise for the benefits of the students, scholars, researchers etc.

5. To establish, promote and maintain libraries, reading rooms, literature halls, auditoriums, educational and research institutions and premises for the promotion, propagation, diffusion and preservation of acknowledge in general and in various specialized fields of education and training.

6. To organize and hold lectures, seminars, conferences, workshops and other media of propagation for the promotion, instruction, diffusion and preservation of knowledge in general and in various specialized fields of education and training.

7. To print, publish, aid, buy and distribute free of cost or sell at concessional rates such literature, journals, periodicals, books etc. as may be thought subservient to the objections of the Trust.

8. To grant donations and other kinds of financial assistance to hospitals, clinics, dispensaries, maternity houses and other institutions for affording treatments, cure, rest recuperation, and other advantages in the way of alleviating the sufferings of humanity.

9. To establish, manage and run hospitals, dispensaries, clinics, in Allopathic/Ayurvedic, Homeopathic, Natural cure or in other recognized methods/fields for providing relief from sufferings of humanity.

10. To establish, promote and maintain medical aid facilities such as dispensaries, medical camps in rural and urban areas.

11. To grant donations or other kind of financial assistance to

- Persons requiring medical aid.
- Person who are poor, indigent, economically vulnerable or destitute and in particular such those who are aged, widows and young in age.
- Persons in distress caused by the element of nature and to extend assistance to societies/associations/institutions engaged in the relief of such persons.

12. To foster, propagate, maintain and develop the greatness of ancient traditional Indian art, music and culture, monument, archaeological interest of historical values and also to donate/contribute for the fulfilment of the said objects.

13. The advancement of any other object of general public utility and which is not restricted to or for the benefit of any particular religious community or casts and which does not involve the carrying on of any activity for profit.

14. Other charitable purposes as are permissible under the provision of "Bombay Public Trust Act 1950" or any statutory modifications or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force.

15. To work in conjunction and association with other allies and organizations having similar objectives.

16. To do such other things which are in the opinion of the trustees and in their discretion relevant to protect the proper growth and propagation of our tradition art, culture, education, philosophy, archaeology interests and to further the objects of the Trust mention above.

17. To accept and receive properties, funds and assets from other Trusts/societies/institutions having similar objects by values of their merger/dissolution or winding up.

18. To do all such other things as may be necessary, incidental, conducive or convenient to the attainment of the above objects.

OUR BELIEFS

R R Morarka Charitable Trust believes that the under-privileged sections of the society can play an important and constructive role in nation building and creation of a progressive society if they are appropriately helped, guided and encouraged by means of education and training.

Provision of quality healthcare to people who cannot afford it is a crucial social service as no community can progress and prosper if its members are not healthy.

We also believe that welfare is not a sole duty of the state but every human being can contribute to the society in his own way and in his own area of specialization or interest.

MAIN PROGRAMMES

Major programmes run by the trust include management of super specialty & quality health services; development of facilities and systems to provide quality education; child and youth development programmes; women's empowerment; livelihood and income enhancement programmes; strengthening community based organizations; conducting awareness programmes; programmes aimed at promotion of agriculture and forestation etc.

HEALTHCARE

R R Morarka Charitable Trust believes that serving the mankind is like serving God. The trust lays emphasis on bringing quality healthcare services to the common man, especially the poor and the needy.

The trust runs a comprehensive healthcare programme to help the poor and the needy people of the area. We have a two pronged approach to deal with the absence of quality healthcare:

1. It provides centre based curative services wherein the patients are encouraged to visit the hospital to receive proper medical attention, investigation and treatment. RR Morarka Medical Institute, Nawalgarh, plays a pivotal role in this initiative wherein super specialty services like general physician, general surgeon, pediatrician, obstetrician and gynecologist are engaged to attend the patients. External experts are also invited to the hospital to expand the scope of diseases cured at the centre.

2. The trust also runs an outreach programme in which special camps are organized in villages and towns of Jhunjhunu district. Under this programme ENT camps, eye camps, orthopedic camps, diabetics special camps, general medical camps, handicapped camps etc. are organized from time to time.

ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF FISCAL YEAR 2014-15:

S. No	Activities	No of beneficiaries Benefitted
1	Regularly running 30 bed where services of physician, general. surgeon paediatrician and obs. and gynaecologist service are available on 24X7 basis	49320 OPD & IPD
2	Organized general health camp in the collaboration with Mahatma Gandhi Hospital	569 patient benefited through 3 Camps

	Jaipur, provided diagnoses, treatment and follow- up services during the f year 2014-15.	
3	Organized ENT camps, provided diagnoses, treatment and follow-up services during the year 2014-15.	802 patients benefited through 10 ENT camps
4	organized camp for differently able persons in I collaboration with Narayan Seva Sansthan Trust, provided equipment and assistance during the camp, during the year 2015-15	25 persons provided tri cycle 12 person provided wheel chair 15 persons provided crutches 15 persons provided Hearing Aid 10 persons provided walkers 13 newly challenged persons provided handicapped certificates
5	Organized Orthopaedic camp, wherein detection, diagnose facilities were provided and follow up during the year 2014-15	128 patients through 1 camp
6	Organized blood donation camp wherein youth's blood donated during the year 2014-15	113 registered 90 youths donated blood
7	As a regular activity R R Morarka Charitable Trust conducts eye camps on every 15 of the every month, in these camp cataract detection and removal facilities are provided apart from regular diagnosis of eye problems and their treatment.	1997 patients registered 327 patients operated through 12 camps







EDUCATION

Education plays a pivotal role in any society's progress and development. However, Rajasthan in general, and Shekhawati in particular, are considered for long to be educationally backward regions. This backwardness reflects in their lower figures of literacy and insufficient number of quality educational institutions.

Lack of education is a serious impediment to the process of development and no region can dream of being prosperous and industrially developed unless it has an effective educational system in place. RR Morarka Charitable Trust is trying to help the state government and administration to develop necessary educational infrastructure in Jhunjhunu district and spread educational awareness among the people. It is encouraging meritorious students of the area by way of rewards, incentives and scholarships. The trust is also helping the poor students through its dress distribution campaigns and scholarship programmes.

However, The most important initiative taken by the trust in this regard is the construction of a large building for the government college building in Jhunjhunu which has been christened as 'Shri Radheshyam R Morarka Govt PG College, Jhunjhunu' in the fond memory of Late Sh. Radheshyam Ji Morarka. The trust is constantly involved in the development and growth of the college. Whenever required, it makes contributions of various kind for the development and proper upkeep of the college. The trust is in process of building similar government college building in Nawalgarh.

ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF FISCAL YEAR 2014-15:

S.	Activities	No of beneficiaries
No		Benefitted
1	Counselling session were conducted in various villages where parents of dropped student were convinced to continue their education	1410 families benefited

2	Scholarship were provided to meritorious girls student of	33 student
	government college Nawalgarh during the fiscal year	Rs. 170000/ scholarship
	2014-15	
3	Scholarships were provided to meritorious girls student	25 Student Benefited
	of Shri Radheshyam R Morarka Govt. PG College	Rs. 52500/ for scholarship
	Jhunjhunu during the fiscal year 2014-15	
4	The trust provided wooden chair and table to Shri	300 wooden table & chair of
	Radheshyam R Morarka Govt. PG College Jhunjhunu	Rs. 630000/
	during the fiscal year 2014-15	
5	The trust made contribution of library books to Shri	101 nos. library books of
	Radheshyam R Morarka Govt. PG College Jhunjhunu	Rs. 50000/
	during the fiscal year 2014-15	
6	A water cooler with RO & UV was donated to Shri	1 water cooler with UV
	Radheshyam R Morarka Govt. PG College Jhunjhunu	Rs. 52000/
	during the fiscal year 2014-15.	
7	The trust provided plastic chair and black boards (size	25 plastic chair
	6X4) to Govt. College Nawalgarh during the fiscal year	4 black board (6X4)
	2014-15.	Rs. 17019/
8	The trust has been active interest in swachchta Abhiyan	6 toilets & urinals
	and has constructed toilets and urinals in Mansinghka	
	Govt. Sr, Sec. School Nawalgarh (boy & girls)	
9	The trust has been active interest in swachchta Abhiyan	1 toilet
	and has constructed toilet in BEEO office Nawalgarh	
10	The trust has been active interest in swachchta Abhiyan	1500 litter water tank
	and has repair of existing toilets and urinals in at Govt.	1 motor
	Middle School Jhajhar	repair of school toilets
11	The trust has Networked & Liaised with various Govt.	Regular and frequent
	dep't. / Local Governance / media on implementation of	
	important national educational initiatives such as right to	
	education.	
12	The trust act as medium between government	Regular and frequent
	department/local administration and schools. It highlights	
	the problems faced by the schools and the children and	

take up the	se issues wi	th the	concerned	authorities.
Awareness	campaign	are	regularly	conducted
highlighting t	he importance	e of ed	lucation and	literacy.







EMPOWERMENT

The trust has been actively working to disseminate information on issues of importance to the local people, including farmers and women. It also runs training and educational programmes to help people in developing new competencies and skills. Some of its initiatives are supported by government agencies and departments.

The trust has been playing a constructive role in implementation of government schemes and programmes including formation of Self Help Groups (SHG), Micro Enterprises Development Programme (MEDP), Financial Literacy Awareness Programme (FLAP) and formation of Kisan Clubs.

ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF FISCAL YEAR 2014-15:

S. No.	Activities	No of beneficiaries			
		Benefitted or Event			
1	Formation of SHG: Self Help Groups (SHG's) were	142 SHGs			
	formed, primary objective of these groups is to				
	encourage small savings and micro credits at the grass				
	root level.				
2	Total members of the Self Help Groups (SHGs) till	1457 women and man			
	March 31 st , 2015	members			
3	Total saving of the Self Help Groups (SHGs) till March	Rs 6200000 saving of SHGs			
	31 st March 2015				
4	Bank sanctioned loan to the Self Help Groups (SHGs)	Rs. 2656000/.			
	till March 31 st , 2015				
5	Financial Literacy Awareness Program: The trust is an	100 villages			
	active contributor to financial literacy awareness	813 Account opened			
	program. It has organized camps in Udaipurwati,				
	Nawalgarh and Jhunjhunu blocks to spread				

	awareness on financial literacy and help people to	
	understand the working of banks and other financially	
	institutions.	
6	Micro Enterprises Development Program (MEDP) The	91 women
	trust conducted training program for 13 days in	
	Nadipura, Ghothara and Dhundlod were benefited.	
7	Women trained under Micro Enterprises	attended state level fare
	Development Program later participated in Shekhawati	
	Handicraft Mela, at Aabusar, where these products	
	were displayed and sold	
8	The trust formed of Kisan clubs during the fiscal year	20 Kisan Club during 2014-
	2015	15
		70 Kisan clubs till date
		1050 farmers members
10	The trust has organized awareness program for Kisan	50 awareness program
	clubs	2500 farmers
11	Meet with Expert Program: Meet with expert program	3000 Farmers got aware
	was organized in villages of Jhunjhunu district in	
	collaboration with agriculture and animal husbandry	
	deptt, farmers received latest information on advance	
	agriculture technology pertaining to agriculture, dairy	
	and animal rearing.	
12	Exposure visit: The trust with support of NABARD,	35 farmers (Male &
	conducted 3 days program, where local farmers were	Female)
	given information on variety of issues such as	
	innovative methods of agriculture, diversification of	
	crops, new trend in horticulture, floriculture and	
	vegetable.	
13	Meetings with farmers were conducted where the	3000 farmers
	attendees were encouraged to use innovative and	

modern methods and techniques of agriculture, they includes green houses, drip irrigation, hybrids seeds and plants. Information were provided regarding government subsidies and loan available on such expenses. The farmers were also trained in using websites for marketing of their product.



















AWARDS

- The Managing Trustee, Sh. Gautam R. Morarka was conferred with the coveted *Bhamashah Award* by the government of Rajasthan twice, in 2006 and 2011, for excellent contribution to the cause of education in Rajasthan.
- The Managing Trustee Sh. Gautam R Morarka was conferred with the prestigious *Swami Krishnanand Saraswati Award* on 13th January, 2012, for social service.
- Sh. Gautam Morarka was chosen for the prestigious *Indira Gandhi* Sadbhavana Award for his contribution to social development, peace and harmony.
- Sewa Jyoti was awarded by the district administration for contribution to girl education in 2014.
- The organisation was felicitated for its contribution in the campaign to make Jhunjhunu district tobacco free.
- Shri Krishan Kisan Club, Birol, formed by RR Morarka Charitable Trust, received the 1st prize during state level award function for Kisan Clubs.
- Shekhawati Kisan Club, Durjanpura, formed by RR Morarka Charitable Trust, received the 3rd prize during state level award function for Kisan Clubs.
- Sewa Jyoti, along with two other organisations including CRI pumps and Agriculture Times organized an award function for farmers. 20 farmers were awarded for best performance and use of innovative methods of agriculture.

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