

Corporate Social Responsibility (23rd CSR Committee Meeting)

23rd July 2024



Highlights: Q1

Shwetdhara Program

Shwetdhara

1. Agreement and Expansion Plans

- a. Signed a **3-year agreement** with 4 partners
- b. Program implementation in **3 states** with a goal to expand impact from 800 to **1600 villages** by March 2027
- c. FIRST IMPACT team conducted multiple **in-person and online** thorough **reviews** of the grant **proposals**

2. Strategic Planning

- In-person strategic planning meeting conducted by the FIRST IMPACT Team
- b. Alignments on expectations and goal setting achieved

3. Tech Development Agreement

- a. Signed an agreement with Viakom Tech to develop **5 different modules** for 4 of our Farmer Producer Companies (FPCs)
- b. Environment setup initiated, with the first module (member registration) rollout expected by September

4. Operational Success

- a. All 4 FPCs have resumed operations
- b. Achieved a revenue of **1.93 crores in Q1** 2024-25







FIRST IMPACT Team having in-person detailed discussions on the proposal with team IGS at Indore



In-person meeting on strategic planning and goal setting by FIRST IMPACT Team with the team from Ananda Foundation and Jovita FPC



Discussion at Indian Grameen Services's office, Hyderabad by FIRST IMPACT Team on detailed planning for execution of Shwetdhara in MP

FIRST IMPACT team's visit to monitor and evaluate the program's operations in Karnataka with BAIF team



FIRST IMPACT Team meeting at Boraj FPC office in Jaipur for strategic meeting and goal setting

MBA & Engineering Scholarship Program

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Program Overview

Tech development

CUG testing successfully completed for CSR Scholarship Platform

- CSR Scholarship Platform launched on 1st July
- Platform is live for MBA Applicants to apply

Scholar Engagement

Partnered with Buddy4Study to capture testimonials

- Rolled out alumni survey for baseline study
- Successfully concluded orientation program with engineering scholars

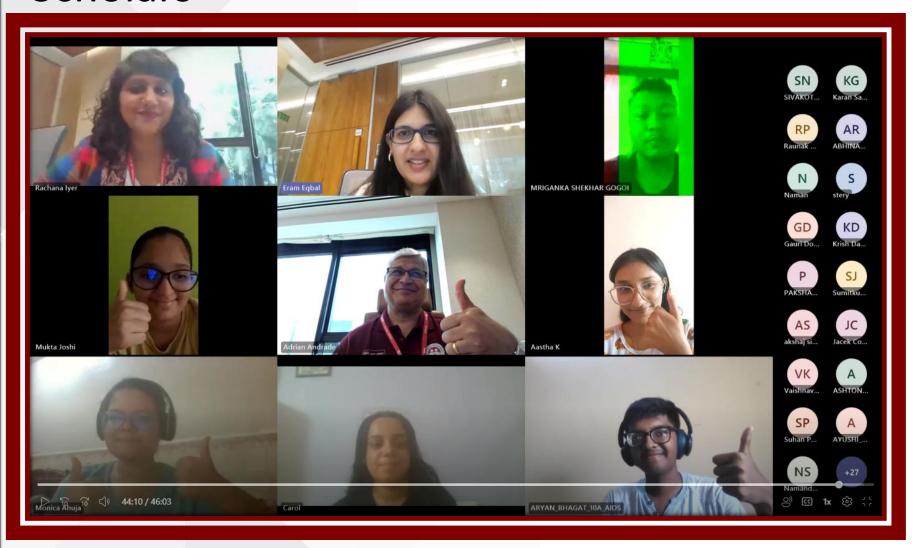
Communication & marketing

- Activated marketing of CSR Scholarship platform across SM, website
- Partnered with B4S & MSL to execute outreach program



Orientation Program with Engineering Scholars





List Of participants

- 55 Scholars
- CHRO, Adrian Andrade
- FIRST IMPACT
 Team Rachana
 Iyer & Eram Eqbal

Ek Prayas Program

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Program Overview

- 1. Partnerships and collaborations Plans
 - a. Signed a **3-year agreement** with
 - Bandhu Purulia, West Bengal
 - SPARC India, Uttar Pradesh
 - SANKALPA, Karnataka
 - B. D Tatti, Karnataka
 - b. Signed **1-year agreement** with
 - Sarthak Educational Trust, Gurugram
 - DCCW, Delhi
 - Sarthak Educational Trust has been appointed as a New Technical Support Agency to provide a technical training to the field NGO staff.
 - d. Implementing program in **4 states**, with expansion of the program in Uttar Pradesh and Delhi, targeting to reach **180 children's** in the current FY.

Ek Prayas Program

Focus for current FY

- c. Designing and developing training modules and Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for the Ek Prayas program.
- d. Adopting a milestone-based approach, requiring **NGOs to secure funding YoY** for sustainability.
- e. Establishing **3 new Ek Prayas** centers in current FY.

3. Achievements

- a. Enrolled **146 children** across **7** different Ek Prayas centers.
- b. NGOs raised Rs. 4,73,983/- under the Ek Prayas program

4. Engagement and Support

- a. Provided in-person training to NGO partners on proposal writing.
- b. FIRST Impact team conducted surprise visit at Davangere Ek Prayas center.
- c. Organized LAS activity at Gadag Ek Prayas center focused on Teachers Learning Material development (TLM), with participation of 11 volunteers, 20 Teachers and 10 children.





FIRST IMPACT Team visited BDT Tatti with Sarthak to conduct an Ek Prayas Center assessment



FIRST IMPACT team visited Sarthak to explore collaboration under Ek Prayas Program



FIRST IMPACT team conducted a surprise visit at Davangere Ek Prayas Center on 2nd May'24 and interacted with staff and children.

Karnataka NGOs on proposal writing

FIRST IMPACT team and Sarthak visited SANKALPA to conduct an Ek Prayas Center assessment

Catalyst for Impact



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Program Overview

- A social incubation program in partnership with Leap to Unicorn that aims to support for-profit social enterprises
- As part of this program, 3 startups will be selected from identified thematic areas such as Agriculture and allied services, environment & climate change, assistive and inclusive technology
- A total of 122 applications were received for 'Catalyst for Impact' program, out of which 73 were eligible for first round of process.
- Out of the 73 eligible startups **38** were in **Env**. & Climate change , **22** were in **Agriculture** and allied services & **13** were in **Assistive** Tech
- 17 bootcamp sessions were organised for the participating startups .This
 was followed by a series of evaluations in form of video recorded pitches
 , form evaluation, live pitches, jury panels



Program Journey



March

- Partner Identification
- Program Design
- Framework Finalisation

May

- Bootcamp sessions
- Video pitch submission

July

- Social Due diligence of top 6 enterprises
- Shortlisting top 3 winners
- Partnership with incubator.

Completed

Completed

April

- Launch of Program
- Application Roll out and selection
- 122 applications received , out of which 73 were eligible

Completed

June

- Shortlisting participants by jury members
- Virtual live pitch evaluation by 8 jury members

August

- Start of Incubation phase
- Defining Milestone
- Quarterly M&E of top 3 winners till March 2025

Completed

Classification: Internal - Vendor Shareable

Lend-A-Shoulder Employee Volunteering Program

Strategy for the year



- To focus our volunteering efforts and have a targeted impact, this year we identified two leading campaigns called as 'Clean India' & 'Educate India' and curated multiple activities within each
- All volunteers were provided with a **year-long volunteering calendar** and list of activities within each campaign that they can choose from.
- The two campaigns were identified basis need assessment via focused group discussion with multiple stakeholders which included leaders, goodwill ambassadors and volunteers
- While 'Clean India' campaign focusses on Environmental initiatives such as beach clean-up, tree plantation, etc., 'Educate India' campaign focusses on adopting select few schools in Tier I cities and doing targeted interventions such as school painting, mentorship sessions, etc. with these schools
- Volunteers are given the freedom to choose between indoor or outdoor activity and also engage in
 a recurring manner basis the frequency of volunteering chosen such as monthly, quarterly, annually.
- Apart from above, we have also launched 'Women Supporting Women' initiatives that encourage female employees to take mentorship session on financial literacy for our female community members





Volunteering Outcomes





Solar Lamps were assembled and distributed as portable source of light for communities without reliable power sources.



Educational Jenga Sets were designed to enhance critical thinking abilities, fostering comprehensive development.



kgs of Non-biodegradable waste was collected for subsequent sorting and recycling.



Menstrual Hygiene Kits were made to promote awareness & provide access to hygienic menstrual protection methods

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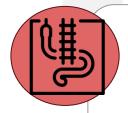


Notebooks were upcycled to support the educational requirements of children lacking access to basic school supplies.



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Saplings were planted, contributing to the improvement of greenery



41 Educational Board Games were created to educational resources for students of government schools.

Glimpses











Thank You