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## Developed 10 Peer Educators for Supporting Children



Facilitator Ms. Tej Maya Dangol concluding the presentation of group work

**Lalitpur**, Loo Niva capacitated 10 youths as a peer educators through four days Life Skills and Peer Support Training for supporting children suffered after earthquake devastation. The training was conducted at Bajrabarahi Phulbari Resturant, Chapagaun from 9th to 12th September 2015. **Ms. Tej Maya Dangol, Program Officer of Loo Niva and Mr. Gyan Bhakta Maharjan, Program Officer** of Loo Niva facilitated the training using different methods and activities.

The training prepared local peer educators to support children within changing social circumstances, changing family structure, dysfunctional relationship and poor parenting after earthquake. Participants made action plan to support children of Chapagaun VDC, Thecho VDC, Jharuwarashi VDC, Sunakothe Sub-metro policy and Godawari Municipality Thaiba. Each peer targeted to support 200 children in their community.

## Street Drama Training for Child Club Members of Southern Lalitpur



Children are showing Drama after completing training

**Lalitpur**, Four days Street Drama Training for Child Club Members was organized at Godawari Aashram, Godawari Municipality from 28th September to 1st October 2015. **Mr. Ghanashyam Gautam** facilitated the training using different tools and methods of drama acting. At the first day the children seems so shy and raw. They hesitated to talk and introduce among other as it was first time training attending in their life. None of them known about the acting, drama and role play. Within four days, drastic change could be seen in their

participation, behavior and acting quality.

They learnt fundamentals of drama, nine emotions and how to bring emotion for real act with practical way. At the end of the training, they prepared and performed heart touching drama acting with the full of justice according to the characters. There is humor; sorrow and satire in the play which made the performance live. As a result, participants prepared and performed the live heart touching drama at the end of the training.

## Parents Interaction Program



Loo Niva Staff Mr. Krishna Govinda Maharajan leading the interaction program

**Lalitpur**, The program was conducted at Ganesh Secondary School, Bakhel Kumari Lower Secondary School, Rudrayanee Secondary School and Adarsha Saula Yuwak Higher Secondary School on 11th, 21st, 22nd & 24th September. 102 ESP Parents from 15 schools participated the program. **Mr. Krishna Govinda Maharjan, Senior Program Officer** and **Ms. Tej Maya Dangol, Program Officer** facilitated and led the interaction program on

different dates.

The program was focused on role of parents for promoting quality education and child friendly environment at home, problem and behavior of children after earthquake and provision of ESP program. The discussion and interaction went effectively with lots of examples, stories, drawings and group works. Parents participated actively and involved in interaction as well.

### A Day Long Workshop for Education Watch Group

**Dadeldhura**, A day long workshop for Education Watch Group was conducted on 30th September on the chairmanship of Mr. Narendra Dangol, Executive Director. Mr. Prem Prasad Luitel, CDO of Dadeldhura occupied the site of chief guest. The education watch group formed on the chairmanship of **Siddhiraj Pathak** to monitor education in local level. 37 participants

represented from different government and non-government organizations.

**Mr. Gyan Raj Pande, LDO, Mr. Durgadatta Bista, DEO, Mr. Hikmat Bahadur Sinha, Chief of National Research Office and Mr. Chhatra Saud, President of Federation of Journalist** were invited as guest of the program.

## Quarterly Review and Planning Meeting



Loo Niva Staff Mr. Krishna Govinda Maharajan leading the interaction program

**Lalitpur**, Loo Niva organized quarterly review and planning meeting of the projects on 9th October at Loo Niva auditorium hall. The project leaders presented the accomplished activities with challenges, learning and outcomes of the current running five projects; Educational Support Program, Concern For Education, Educational Governance, Building Children's Resiliency

and Humanitarian Participants and Communication Assistance. Sr. Finance Officer presented the administrative review and financial review. Similarly, M&E Coordinator present the performance and documentation report. Executive Director leaded for the three months planning and wished for successful completion of all the projects.

## Bi-monthly Meeting

**Lalitpur**, Loo Niva conducted Bi-monthly meeting on 4th September targeting 25 youth volunteers under Children's Resiliency Project. Major agendas of the meeting were to share on the activities carried out in the field and develop plan for upcoming months.

Youth volunteers shared the experiences and challenges during project implementation in their own community. **Mr. Milan Dharel** facilitated and shared some skills to handle the challenges and conduct community orientation programs. Youth volunteers listed out the psychosocial counseling services nearby the community and

developed implementation plan for three months.



Youth volunteers discussing with each other at meeting

## Photography Training for Students



Facilitators Orientating on the use of camera in workshop

**Lalitpur**, Loo Niva organized two times three days photography trainings during September and October for school students to resilient them through photography skills. 15 students participated from the schools of Khokana, Bungamati and Dukuchhap. Similarly, 12 students from the schools of Gimdi, Ashrang and Thuladurlung VDCs learnt to use camera and take photos. **Mr. Bikash Khadgi, National**

**Photo Journalist and Mr. Nabin Dangol, M&E Coordinator of Loo Niva** facilitated the training.

Loo Niva provided one set camera for each participants after training. Students are requested to capture affected and positive pictures after earthquake. Those picture will be collected and publish a book namely “Children’s Eye”.

## Teachers Orientation



Teacher expressing his opinion in the orientation

**Lalitpur**, Teachers Orientation on Psychosocial Counseling and Resiliency was organized on 27th September at Loo Niva meeting hall and 3rd October at Narayane Secondary School, Gimdi VDC. 10 head teachers from the schools of Khokana, Bungamati and Dukuchhap and 18 head teachers from the schools of Ashrang, Gimdi and Thuladurlung VDCs participated the program.

The program was focused on the psychosocial problems arose in children after

earthquake and resilient them through different mechanism. At the end of the orientation, participants developed plan in Casket model to provide the skills to all teachers and students of the school. **Mr. Nabin Prakash Mahat**, Resource Person of Sainbu Resource Center, **Mr Gyan Bhakta Maharjan**, Program Officer and **Ishwor Sanjel**, Vice Principle of Narayane Secondary School facilitated the orientation.

## Child Club and Community Orientation



Children are in group picture after child club orientation program

**Lalitpur**, 636 child club members of 19 school based child club members from Khokana, Bungamati, Dukuchhap, Ashrang, Gimdi and Thuladurlung oriented on resiliency during September and October months. The main objective of the orientation was to develop capacity and skills of children after earthquake and support them to bounce back to the normal life. The program supported children to be aware on their own capacity. Similarly, orientation

program identified the children needed counseling support.

Community people were also oriented on fostering resiliency on children. The role of parents and community people to support on building children's resiliency were discussed and defined. The program also supported community people to overcome from the difficult emotion after devastating earthquake.

## Educational Materials distribution for Earthquake Affected Students



Loo Niva Staff Mr. Gyan Bhakta Maharjan distributing bag to the students

**Lalitpur**, Loo Niva distributed educational materials; ie. bag, shoes, umbrella and copy for 360 earthquake affected students who lost their educational materials but not having support from any other organiza-

tion. According to the school teachers, the students facing difficulties due to financial problems and near to condition of drop out are continuing study support.

## Game Materials Distribution for Primary Level



Loo Niva Social Mobilizers giving instruction to the teacher on using materials

**Lalitpur**, Different game materials related to the psychological development distributed for primary level students of 28 schools. The aim of the distribution is to reduce psychosocial problems through different entertaining activities. The program has also supported to the schools who lost games materials during earthquake.

## Senior Team Visited Field Office at Dadeldhura

**Dadeldhura**, Senior staffs of Loo Niva visited field office at Dadeldhura from 27th September to 4th October 2015 with the purpose to supervise and conduct some major activities. Staff members of Dadeldhura and visit team successfully conducted district education network meeting, capacity building for dadeldhura team, education-

al watch group workshop, VEC and DEC meeting and model school promotion workshop. **Mr. Narendra Dangol, Executive Director, Mr. Krishna Govinda Maharjan, Senior Program Officer and Mr. Milan Dharal, Consultant** supervised and monitored the activities handling by the field office.

## Learning Camp benefited school students

**Dadeldhura**, Loo Niva Field Officer Dadeldhura organized two learning camps for school students of grade six and seven coordinating with Ajayameru Lower Secondary School and Ghanaghashya Secondary School. 91 students having

learning difficulties, irregularity in school got opportunity to learn the extra and special classes on math, English and science subject. The programs were carried on for 45 days during September and October months.

## Model School Promoting Orientation and Planning Workshop



DEO of Dadeldhura giving speech in the program

**Dadeldhura**, Loo Niva organized model school promoting orientation and planning workshop on 2nd October to develop at list one model school in each project VDC. 46 participants from different schools, government and non-governmental organization took part in the program. Nawadurga

Lower Secondary School, Sibasankar Primary School, Janachetana Primary School and Simeshwor Primary School out of 24 schools were selected for promoting model school. **Mr. Durgadatta Bista, DEO and Mr. Narendra Khati**, School Supervisor facilitated the program.



## Career Education Classes for Youth

**Dadeldhura**, Loo Niva organized carrier education classes in Ajayameru and Mastamandu VDCs for the school dropout youths above 14 years having interest to develop professional capacity for income generating program. 5 male and 22 female youths

participated capacitated their skills through program. **Mr. Hikmat Bahadur Joshi and Mr. Bhim Bahadur Bista** facilitated classes two hours per day for 12 days. 10 active and energetic youths were selected for second phase training.

## Children Day Celebration

**Dadeldhura**, National Children Day celebrated on 15th September at four working VDCs of Dadeldhura coordinating with VDC level child clubs and local bodies. Child clubs organized cultural program, street drama, games and awareness

programs on the day at Samaijee, Ganeshpur, Mastamandu and Ajayameru VDCs. The program supported to explore the talent and capacities of children to aware society in child rights and quality education.

## Radio Program on Concern for Education



Loo Niva staff and other concern person at the meeting

**Dadeldhura**, Two community radio; Radio Amargadhi and Radio Sudur Aawaj broadcasted 12 episodes of concern for education program coordinating with District Education Office, Dadeldhura. The radio

programs designed to spread awareness on education as well as lobby and advocate for right to education through various way of interaction, interviews, message and information.

## Meeting on Match Fund Support

**Dadeldhura**, Loo Niva conducted meeting on match fund support for planning of District Education Office (DEO) and Village Education Committee (VEC) on 1st October. The major agenda of the meeting was

to support DEO and VEC on effective planning identifying needs for promoting quality education and educational environment at school.

## Capacity Building Workshop

**Dadeldhura**, Loo Niva capacitated six staff members of field office on 28th September through workshop on effective implementation of the project. Mr. Milan

Dharel facilitated workshop using different tools to major effectiveness of the activities according to the objective of the project.

## Meeting of District Level Educational Network

**Dadeldhura**, Loo Niva organized district level educational network meeting on 29th September on the chairmanship of **Durgadatta Bista**, DEO. 28 network members

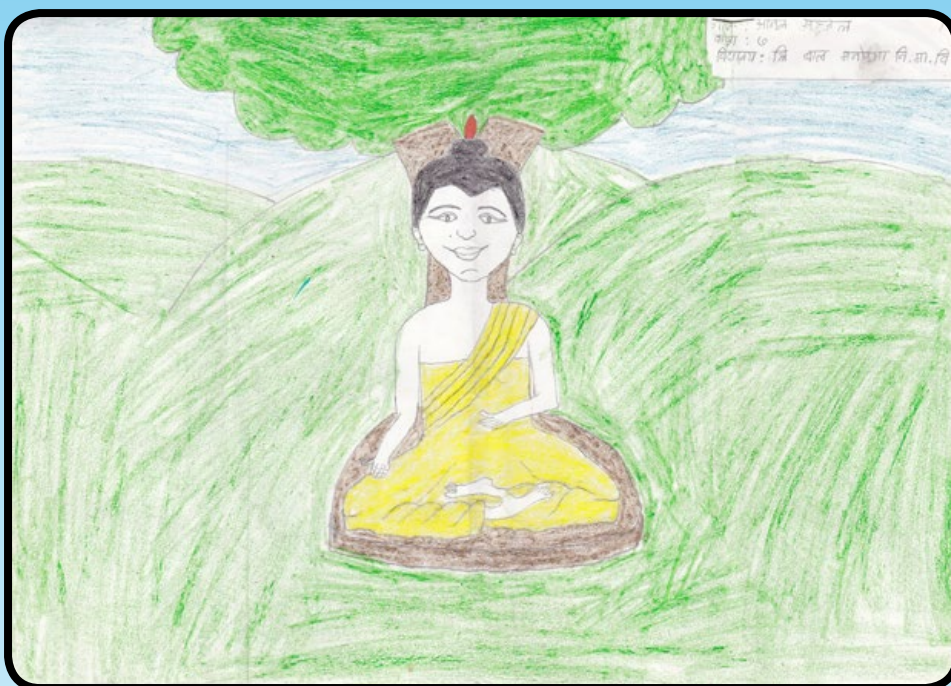
from different government and non-government organization participated at the meeting and interacted on educational development and quality promotion.

## Child Club Support Activity

**Dadeldhura**, School based child clubs of Dadeldhura district organized 12 different activities under child club support. With the support of focal teacher children carried out extra-curricular activities which support

their educational development. 382 students participated and enjoyed from different activities. Children became active and initiated different activities of the schools motivating from the support program.

## Children Art ▼



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