

**EDUCATION
NUTRITION
TO KEEP
CHILDREN
SMILING**



Dear Readers,

Greetings from APPL Foundation!

Our initiatives are centered around the needs of our partner communities. In this edition we bring to you stories regarding ongoing action in the arena of education and nutrition.

We hope you enjoy reading them.

HAPPENING PROJECT SWABHIMAAN!

CELEBRATING THE SUCCESS OF OUR ADULT LEARNERS

The 6th Batch of Adult Learning Programme (Project Swabhimaan) is complete, and a small presentation ceremony was held to distribute certificates to the qualified students. The learners acknowledged how their lives have improved through these special classes. A total of 173 students have been trained in basic reading, writing and arithmetic from November 2018 till present, and is gaining greater enthusiasm with every passing batch.



Adult learners along with their certificate of appreciation along with the management team of Nahorani

ON STARTING A NEW LEARNING CENTRE

The success of the programme has encouraged us to start a new adult learning centre at Sagmooea Tea Estate. As the beginning of the initiative, two community youth, Mr. Smart Nayak and Ms. Shamita have been trained by Dr. Bibhash Chandra Das Purakayastha. They were trained on how to use the primers developed for adult learners to facilitate their learning.



The facilitators after training along with Mr. Bibhash Das, the trainer and Mr. Jatin of APPLF

WOMEN PROSPER AT HATHIKULI



Women participants after the training programme

A host of women, young and old from the community have been trained as a part of the Enriche training programme. After a composite training on the Enriche Curriculum Peer-to-Peer Facilitators (PPFs) have been formed who will in future generate awareness among to women across selected communities. The PPFs have bene trained and generate awareness on Human, Legal & Civil Rights, Financial Literacy, Self-Awareness & Agency, Sustainable Living Practices, Functional Digital Literacy and Micro Enterprise Skills. Other identified behavioral challenges as poor savings behaviour, domestic violence (especially due to substance abuse), poor family structures, and teenage pregnancy were also part of the training programme.

OUR EFFORTS TO WALK THE TALK ON NUTRITION

Under various initiatives of APPL Foundation, the adoption of nutrition related good practices is reinforced. Here is a glimpse of efforts made at several fronts to promote the cause.



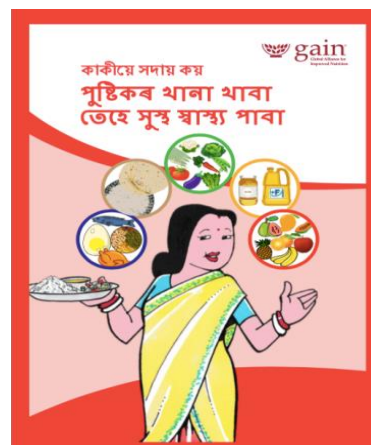
Bag of nutritious food shared with pregnant women under SMART Hospital initiative



Awareness programme spear headed by adolescent girls to educate women about importance of nutritious food at Latakoojan Tea Estate



Lactating mother being provided with nutrition supplement at Powai Tea Estate



IEC material displayed in the community at Borjan Tea Estate as a part of Workforce nutrition programme

**A VISIT TO HATHIKULI SMART CLINIC:
A first of its kind in the Tea Industry**



Mr. Deepak Atal, Vice Chairman APPL Foundation experiencing the tab based registration process at the SMART clinic



Mr. Deepak Atal along with Mr. Anshu Shukla of APPL along with the SMART Clinic Hathikuli team during the visit



APPL Foundation wishes you a blessed festive season.

Happy Durga Puja and Navaratri!

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