



BANCHTE SHEKHA

(Learn how to Survive)

"EDUCATION FOR ALL"



Project Activities Report

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We are happy to introduce ourselves with you again, and to tell you about all the activities that have been happening in June 2012.

During this month, we were busy to continue our regular work and taking new initiatives. As you know, we are working with most disadvantaged and poorest community people. The parents not dreamed about their own education and as well as their child. Education for All giving the confidence and motivation to the families to dream about their children education and future. It is also satisfying that so many parents now make the effort to send their children to school, despite the problems they have. Through motivation, parents are increasingly aware of the real and long-term value of education. Students regularly attending at the school and exams result getting better and better. Although we do have some student at Jogahati who suddenly did not want to study anymore and stop going to school. The motivation and awareness are fail to bring back them to school. Its pity for us to in the middle of the education loose them. We are working hard to motivate the families and students to get back them at school.

The following is a discussion of the major works undertaken during the reporting period and the plan for the next month.

a. THE NEW INITIATIVES/ACTIVITES

- 1. Medical Survey:** We are going to conduct medical camp to the communities. We collect individual family member's medical information and we found at Jogahati 130, Churamankati 68, Mohishati 95 and Sorupdaho 59 patients who need the medical treatment. During July, we will conduct the medical camp for the patients.
- 2. Jamena (BS0119):** In our last report, you saw that we have one student who requires physiotherapy due to her by born disability. Jamena born in very poor family and grow up with 3 brother and sister. Her father is day labour and mom is housewife. Her elder brother also has disability. Before born of Jamena, during pregnancy, mother suffered malnutrition and delivered by non-trained midwife. Jamena had born with disability but in age of five she started local school. Now for the disability she unable to regularly attends at the school but study at home.

The number of people with disabilities in Bangladesh is high enough to merit special attention. The WHO estimates that approximately 10% of the world's population suffers from disabilities. In the context of Bangladesh that would translate into approximately 12 million people with disabilities based on the 2001 census. However, based on a sample survey conducted in 1991 indicated the number of PWDs was placed at just over 500,000. It should be noted, however, that the Government, with the aid of NGOs, has acknowledged a higher estimate when including PWDs (Person with Disability) as defined by the Disability Welfare Act 2001. Estimates by ActionAid Bangladesh cite that approximately 7 million people (8% of the total population) require some form of immediate service due to disability related issues.

Due to financial constraints, limited resources and various other issues, Bangladesh currently has not yet established a system for the distribution of a widespread social service throughout the country. However, the promotion of social security measures for persons with disabilities living in poverty has been discussed at various seminars and in Governmental committees. Areas of consideration include subsistence allowances for persons with disabilities and special subsidies at transportation & healthcare. The lives of people with disabilities are still dominated by ignorance, fear and superstition, which permeate much of society at large. They remain neglected and excluded from normal

social and political activities in their families and in the community. The situation is worse for women and children, who are the most vulnerable groups.

To enroll Jamena in Education for All project is great opportunity to get mental and social support. Last month BS physiotherapist visits her home and provides training to do exercise at home. She needs rehabilitation support to empowering at the community and her own family. Therefore, we are planning to provide cow and through the cow milk it will contribute her family daily income and as well as cover the daily nutrition. Jamena and we very much grateful to ROSSONI Ombretta family, for the precious and generous support. This kind and generous help giving her mental strength and chance to live!

b. THE ROUTINE ACTIVITIES IMPLEMENTED

1. **Guardians' Meetings:** During this month, **6** guardians meeting was arrange at Jogahati, Churamankati, Lolitadaho, Mohishati and Sorupdaho village. In these meetings, we discuss on the role of the parents at home and student's attentiveness into the study at school & home. In the meetings, Guardians participated actively.
2. **School Visits:** During the month, to check the attendance at school of the adopted students, Community Motivator visited **twelve schools**.
3. **Community Visits:** To follow-up, the community progress activities, students study at home and to supervise the tuition programmes- Community Motivator visited **6 times** at Jogahati village, **6 times** at Churamankati village, **3 times** at Lolitadaho village, **3 times** at Mohishati and **3 times** at Sorupdaho village during this month.
4. **Door-to-door Visits:** To follow-up the students study at home, Tuition Teachers and Community Motivator together and separately visited all the **133** student's houses during this month. The door-to-door visit ensures the family involvement with project & student study, progresses for domestic cattle's care, cleanliness of house & dresses, proper utilization of the distributed materials, kitchen gardening etc.
5. **Tuition Programme:** To improve student's school attendance and scholastic development every working days tuition teachers providing after school study support to the students. Through this programme, we ensuring study progress of the student. The monthly data as follows;

SL	Location	Number of Teachers	Number Student		
			Adopted	Non-adopted	Total
1	JOGAHATI Tuition Programme	3	51	9	60
2	CHURAMANKATI Tuition Programme	2	15	25	40
3	LOLITADAHO Tuition Programme	1	5	15	20
4	MOHISHATI Tuition Programme	1	19	1	20
5	SORUPDAHO Tuition Programme	1	16	4	20
6	JOGAHATI PRE-SCHOOL Programme	1	23	7	30
Total:		9	129	61	190

* also two tutor providing tuition support to the 3 individual adopted students.

6. School Attendance: Now the **133** adopted students are studying at **12** different schools, the school attendance reports are given below;

Student ID	Name	Gender	Age	Class	Total Days	Total Attend.	Attend. %	Comments
BS0001	Sufal Mondol	Boy	13	vii	19	19	100	
BS0002	Maloti	Girl	14	iv	23	23	100	
BS0003	Dipok Kumar	Boy	14	iii	23	17	74	Dental Problem
BS0004	Dipali	Girl	12	iii	23	23	100	
BS0006	Uttam Kumar	Boy	12	v	23	23	100	
BS0009	Palash	Boy	15	iv	23	23	100	
BS0010	Jashuda	Girl	12	iii	23	23	100	
BS0011	Kena	Boy	14	v	23	22	96	Fever
BS0012	Binod	Boy	12	iii	23	23	100	
BS0013	Jatish	Boy	11	iv	23	23	100	
BS0015	Ajit	Boy	11	iii	23	0	0	Don't want to study
BS0016	Kashiraj	Boy	11	iv	23	23	100	
BS0017	Kakoli	Girl	19	vii	19	18	95	Fever
BS0018	Sunali	Girl	11	iv	23	23	100	
BS0019	Bisudeb	Boy	13	iv	23	23	100	
BS0020	Uzzal	Boy	12	ii	23	23	100	
BS0021	Chonda Biswas	Girl	11	iii	23	20	87	Relative House
BS0022	Shuvodra	Girl	11	iv	23	22	96	Fever
BS0023	Alryma Sakar	Girl	13	ix	21	21	100	
BS0024	Konika	Girl	9	iii	23	22	96	Relative House
BS0025	Ripon	Boy	9	iii	23	22	96	Fever
BS0026	Kakoli	Girl	10	iii	23	23	100	
BS0027	Netai	Boy	8	ii	23	23	100	
BS0028	Shamoli	Girl	7	i	23	0	0	Migrated
BS0029	Chompa	Girl	9	ii	23	23	100	
BS0032	Ashim	Boy	14	v	23	23	100	
BS0033	Fulchan	Boy	14	iv	23	23	100	
BS0034	Proshanto	Boy	13	iii	23	23	100	
BS0035	Prodip	Boy	10	ii	23	23	100	
BS0036	Ashutosh	Boy	9	i	23	22	96	Fever
BS0037	Ponchanon	Boy	11	ii	23	22	96	Fever
BS0038	Sriti	Girl	10	iii	23	23	100	
BS0039	Shumitra	Girl	8	ii	23	23	100	
BS0048	Rupali	Girl	13	v	23	0	0	Don't want to study
BS0049	Shamoli	Girl	11	iv	23	23	100	
BS0050	Bijoy	Boy	9	ii	23	23	100	
BS0051	Noyon	Boy	8	ii	23	23	100	
BS0052	Robin	Boy	8	i	23	22	96	Fever
BS0053	Purnima	Girl	8	ii	23	23	100	

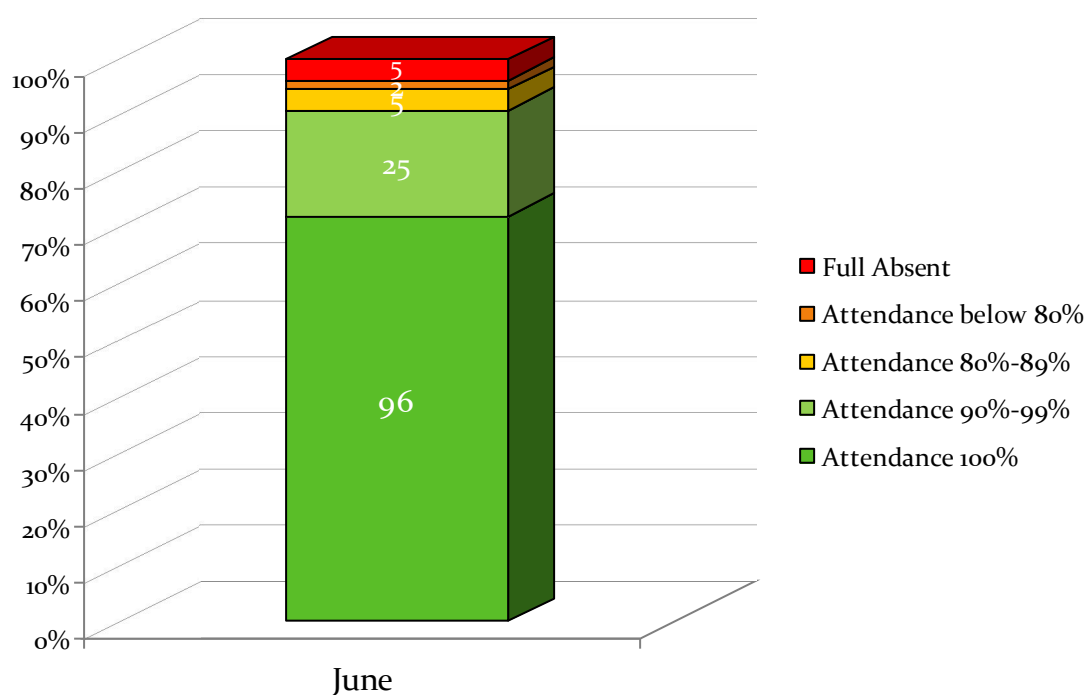
Student ID	Name	Gender	Age	Class	Total Days	Total Attend.	Attend. %	Comments
BS0056	Gopal	Boy	9	iii	23	21	91	Relative House
BS0057	Bonna	Girl	9	iii	23	22	96	Fever
BS0058	Hridoy	Boy	11	iii	23	23	100	
BS0060	Rekha	Girl	12	v	23	22	96	Fever
BS0063	Nishikanto	Boy	7	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0064	Madhobi	Girl	7	Pre-school	24	0	0	Migrated
BS0065	Bonomali	Boy	7	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0066	Pia	Girl	7	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0067	Sonnasi	Boy	8	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0068	Mithun	Boy	5	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0069	Shukhdev	Boy	8	i	23	23	100	
BS0070	Deshpremik	Boy	6	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0071	Minoti	Girl	6	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0072	Nondo	Boy	6	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0073	Porimol	Boy	6	Pre-school	24	22	92	Fever
BS0074	Nupur	Girl	9	ii	23	23	100	
BS0075	Shushmita	Girl	5	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0076	Akash	Boy	5	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0078	Shohag	Boy	8	ii	17	17	100	
BS0079	Fuli	Girl	10	iv	17	16	94	Relative House
BS0080	Nupur	Girl	9	ii	17	17	100	
BS0081	Rupa	Girl	12	v	17	17	100	
BS0082	Biplob	Boy	10	iv	17	17	100	
BS0083	Sraboni	Girl	7	ii	17	17	100	
BS0084	Debu	Boy	9	iii	17	17	100	
BS0085	Biswajit	Boy	10	v	17	17	100	
BS0086	Hiramon	Boy	8	iii	17	17	100	
BS0088	Rotna	Girl	6	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0089	Anonto	Boy	9	ii	17	16	94	Relative House
BS0090	Jibon	Boy	9	ii	17	16	94	Relative House
BS0091	Rina	Girl	12	iii	23	23	100	
BS0092	Pinky	Girl	8	iii	23	23	100	
BS0093	Boishakhi	Girl	10	iii	23	23	100	
BS0094	Bristi	Girl	9	ii	23	23	100	
BS0096	Asma	Girl	10	iv	23	23	100	
BS0097	Tohmina	Girl	9	iv	23	23	100	
BS0098	Karuna Rani	Girl	13	v	19	19	100	
BS0099	Boishakhi Rani	Girl	15	iv	19	19	100	
BS0100	Khadiza Aktar	Girl	9	iii	23	23	100	
BS0101	Rupa Biswas	Girl	10	iii	23	22	96	Relative House
BS0102	Shimla	Girl	9	iii	23	23	100	

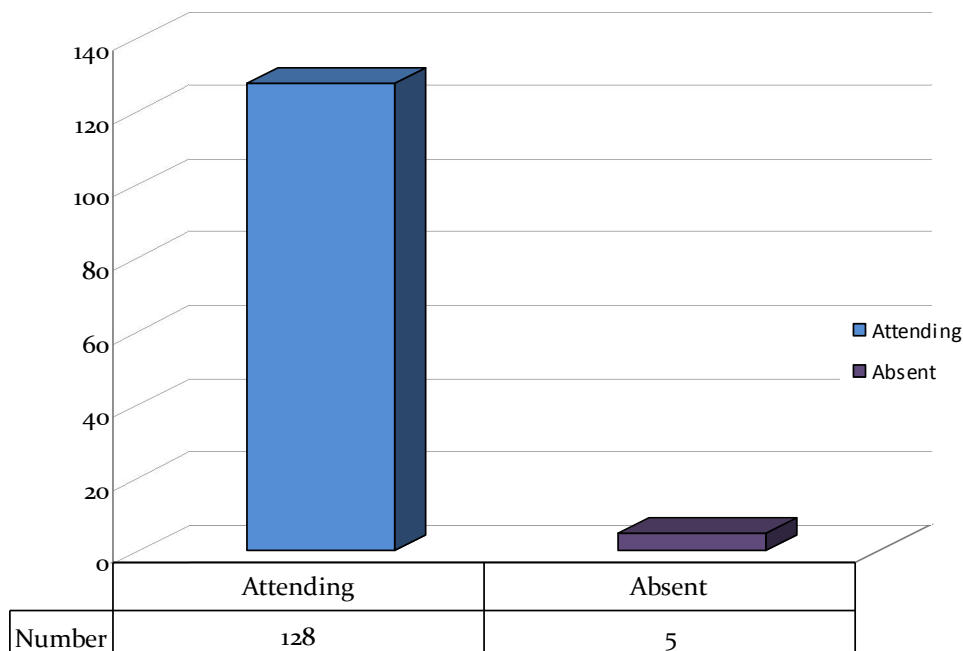
Student ID	Name	Gender	Age	Class	Total Days	Total Attend.	Attend. %	Comments
BS0103	Shajib Kumar	Boy	9	iii	23	23	100	
BS0104	Uttom Kumar	Boy	13	vi	21	21	100	
BS0105	Billal Hossain	Boy	9	ii	23	23	100	
BS0106	Shuvo Hossain	Boy	9	ii	23	23	100	
BS0107	Iqbal Hossain	Boy	9	iii	23	23	100	
BS0108	Dipu Das	Boy	12	iv	23	20	87	Relative House
BS0109	Al-amin	Boy	11	iv	23	23	100	
BS0110	Sri Konok Das	Boy	11	iii	23	23	100	
BS0111	Robiul Robi	Boy	7	ii	23	23	100	
BS0113	Pinky Rani	Girl	11	iv	23	22	96	Relative House
BS0114	Apurbo Biswas	Boy	11	iv	23	20	87	Relative House
BS0115	Tapu Biswas	Boy	12	iii	23	20	87	Relative House
BS0116	Konika Rani	Girl	10	iii	23	23	100	
BS0117	Mukta Biswas	Girl	8	iii	23	21	91	Relative House
BS0119	Jamena Khatun	Girl	14	i	23	0	0	Physically Challenged
BS0123	Nondini	Girl	10	i	17	17	100	
BS0124	Shonita Rani	Girl	13	v	17	17	100	
BS0125	Bristy Rani	Girl	10	i	17	17	100	
BS0126	Rituporna Das	Girl	12	i	17	17	100	
BS0128	Shompa Khatun	Girl	9	iii	23	23	100	
BS0129	Mim Khatun	Girl	7	i	23	20	87	Relative House
BS0131	Hazera Khatun	Girl	9	ii	23	22	96	Fever
BS0132	Usha Bala	Girl	10	ii	23	23	100	
BS0133	Bikash Kumar	Boy	10	iii	23	23	100	
BS0134	Joshudha	Girl	11	iii	23	23	100	
BS0135	Ahad Ali	Boy	9	ii	23	23	100	
BS0136	Purnima Rani	Girl	8	i	23	22	96	Fever
BS0137	Hemela Rani	Girl	12	v	23	23	100	
BS0138	Rita Rani	Girl	9	ii	23	21	91	Relative House
BS0139	Khadiza Khatun	Girl	10	v	23	23	100	
BS0140	Goutom Roy	Boy	9	i	23	23	100	
BS0141	Adom Ali	Boy	9	iii	23	23	100	
BS0142	Ashraful	Boy	8	i	23	23	100	
BS0143	Shobita Rani	Girl	7	i	23	23	100	
BS0144	Nurunnahar	Girl	7	i	23	23	100	
BS0145	Sunil Biswas	Boy	8	i	23	21	91	Relative House
BS0146	Biswajit	Boy	12	ii	23	22	96	Fever
BS0147	Kishor	Boy	5	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0148	Monika	Girl	5	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0149	Purnima	Girl	5	Pre-school	24	22	92	Relative House
BS0150	Ronojit	Boy	5	Pre-school	24	24	100	

Student ID	Name	Gender	Age	Class	Total Days	Total Attend.	Attend. %	Comments
BS0151	Shujoy	Boy	5	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0152	Protima	Girl	5	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0153	Nupur	Girl	3	Pre-school	24	17	71	Relative House
BS0154	Mita Rani	Girl	6	i	23	23	100	
BS0155	Shomrat	Boy	6	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0156	Shima Rani	Girl	6	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0157	Shotorupa	Girl	6	i	23	23	100	
BS0158	Bolai	Boy	7	i	23	23	100	
BS0160	Shantona Rani	Girl	7	Pre-school	24	24	100	
BS0163	Tiripti Rani	Girl	7	i	23	22	96	Fever
BS0165	Fulmoti	Girl	11	v	23	23	100	
BS0169	Uttora	Girl	7	i	23	23	100	

Notes:

- **Attendance Summary:** Total number of 133 adopted students, during this month 96 students attended 100% days at classes; 25 students attended above 90% days at classes; 5 students attended above 80% days at classes and 2 students attended below 80% days at classes. 5 students were totally absent at school.
- **Reason of Absents:** During this month, students less attends at school for the fever & relatives house visit.
- **School Attendance by Graph:**





7. Distribution Programme: We distributed the materials in 18th at Jogahati & Churamankati; 19th at Lolitadaho & Mohishati and 20th at Sorupdaho. Due to absent among the 133 students, total 127 students receive the following support during this month;

- a) **Nutrition Materials:** To ensure basic nutrition support to the Jogahati extreme poor families, we distributed 8kg Rice, 2kg Potato, 1kg Dhal (lentil) to the 51 adopted students and families.
- b) **Education Materials:** To continuation of the smooth study, we distributed 1piece Umbrella, 2piece Copy Books and 1piece Pen to 108 adopted students. Also, distributes 9 packets of chalk to tuition and pre-school programme.
- c) **Hygiene Materials:** To cleanliness and improve personal-hygiene, we distribute 1piece Body Soap and 2piece Washing Soap to 127 adopted students.
- d) **Tuition Fees:** To cover the regular education expenses, we provided tuition fees to the 4 adopted students (BS0023 Alryma & Amlina Sarkar and BS0098 Karuna Rani Das & BS0099 Boishakhi Rani Das).
- e) **Awareness & Motivation:** Before the distribution, BS Officials follow-up the student study progress, cleanliness and motivate on importance of the education among the students and parents.
- f) **Team:** In the distribution ceremonies Governing Body-Treasurer, Mr. Moqsudul Haq and General Body- Member Mohammad Shajahan; distributed the materials. Community Motivator, Mr. Shoriful Islam; Tuition Teachers- Miss. Sufia Khatun, Mrs. Mina Das, Mrs. Shamimunnahar, Miss. Shila Khatun, Miss. Sonia Akter, Miss. Moushumi Jahan, Miss. Anjuara Begum, Miss. Tohmina Khatun, Miss. Sharmin Akhtar also actively participated in the distribution programmes.

c. PROBLEMS AND RECTIFICATIONS

1. **Jogahati School Relocation:** As you remember, we form a community committee for search land. Finally, the committee we proposed for the land to build the school. We hope to start the construction process soon.

d. ACTIVITIES PLANNED FOR July 2012

Beside the regular activities of the project, following initiative shall take in upcoming month:

- 1. Teachers Co-ordination Meeting:** Monthly teacher co-ordination meeting will be hold in 3rd July.
- 2. Materials Distribution:** We are planning to arrange the next **distribution** programme in 16th, 17th and 18th July.
- 3. Medical Camp:** Due to heavy rain we revised the medical camp plan and now we going to arrange the scheduled medical camp in 4th & 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th July at Jogahati, Churamankati, Mohishati and Sorupdaho community.
- 4. PRERONA project:** We are look forward to implement the Prerona Project after getting approval from IDEA Onlus and later NGO affairs bureau.

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ACTION PHOTOGRAPHS



Tuition Teachers Monthly Coordination Meeting...



BS0156 Shima in pre-school class lesson...



Monthly parents meeting at Jogahati...



Monthly parents meeting at Jogahati...



Fun in Jogahati pre-school drawing class...



Churamankati students enjoying study in newly built Study Centre...



Teacher Mina taking class in tuition programme at Jogahati...



Now the monsoon season and Jogahati students receive the umbrella...



Churamankati students also received the umbrella...



Lolitadaho students received the umbrella too...



Mohishati students receiving umbrella...



Sorupdaho students receiving umbrella...



Medical survey at Mohishati...



Medical survey at Jogahati...



In family economy now women participating strongly at Jogahati...



The rain in BS...