



Annual Report of Himalayan for Christ (HFC) from April 2021- March 2022

INTRODUCTION:

Himalayan for Christ (HFC) is a non-profit charitable trust registered in September 15, 2005 at Guwahati, Assam. It is also registered under the Foreign Contribution Regulation Act, 1976. HFC targets to reach out to the people group who are- poor, needy, sick, old, destitute, mentally retarded/intellectual disability, refugees, victims of riots, fire, epidemic and natural calamities. As per the availability of resources and situational priorities, services are provided for all people irrespective of nationality, caste, creed, religion, color, community and sex.

Vision:

We visualize every individual motivated with moral uprightness, empowered with revenue generating and livelihood skills, informed with knowledge of health & hygiene in order to become self-sufficient and contributing member of a transformed community in North East India and beyond.

BRIEF PROJECT REPORT

HFC GUWAHATI CENTRE

1. Tuition Centre:

There are 2 tuition centres in Guwahati- Six Mile and Noonmati. There are altogether 12 children studying. HFC provides free tuition to the children from financially weak families. The Community Development Workers (CDWs) teaches the children from Class Nursery to Class VI. Besides they also learn arts and craft, cleanliness, good habitual practice, toilet usage, etc.



Figure 2 Tuition Centre, Six Mile



Figure 1 Tuition Centre, Noonmati

2. HFC Tailoring Centre:

It started in March 2021 with the vision to provide skill training to women in Guwahati who are marginalized and destitute so that they can earn their livelihood and help their families. Till March, 37 girls and women got admitted in the centre and out of that, 29

women could complete the three months tailoring training. 8 women dropped out of the training due to personal issues.

- **1st Certification:** The ceremony of certification for the 1st Tailoring training batch and



induction of 2nd batch was held on July 28, 2021. In the 1st batch 7 trainees (1 dropped out) have successfully completed their 3 months training and 10 new trainees are enrolled in the 2nd batch. Ms. Bina Gupta got the best trainee award. One of the trainees commented, *“I never touched sewing machine in my life and now I know how to cut a material and stitch in machine. I am so happy to learn this new skill.*

The Instructor is always patient and so we do not feel scared to ask her questions again and again.”

- **2nd Certification** and 3rd Induction Day: It was organized on October 30. 8 beneficiaries completed their 3 months basic Tailoring training. The new trainees were welcomed.



- **New**

intervention: On Nov 12, 2021, the Tailoring Instructor along with the Project Manager signed an agreement with Child Friendly Guwahati, Don Bosco, under which group of marginalized and destitute girls/women will be trained at HFC Tailoring Centre in Guwahati.

- **3rd Certification:** 12 trainees of 3rd and 4th Batch appeared for the Tailoring Exam conducted on 7th March 2022. On 15th

March the 3rd certification program has organized. HFC secretary Mr. Siamliana Khiangte to delivered a short message and Mrs. Lumthaina handed over the certificates.



3. Land Development:

With the objective *“to provide seminar and workshops to encourage and empower moral strength of the leaders to sacrificially serve”*, HFC has started construction of the Training Centre. The updates are given below:

- Planted 500 thin Bamboo saplings near the boundary wall and backyard of the land.
- Guard and Registration room completed

- The slab of the Director’s quarter is done and the plinth of TLA training center is under progress.
- Road construction has started between the director’s quarter and TLA training center.
- Tree plantation on the outside of front wall is in progress. An area of 16 ft. in wide and 150 ft. in length has been allotted for plantation.

Figure 8 Guard Room



4. Relief work:

From time to time and in times of need, HFC being the Charitable Trust provide charitable services to communities during natural calamities, etc.

- HFC staff visited “*Destination*” in the month of December and was helped with nutritious dry food items like rice, pulses, egg, fruits, etc. Destination is a charitable organization with adults and children with mental health conditions and intellectual disability who are rescued from the streets by different sources.
- In the month of June, HFC Guwahati could reach out to the destitute and needy people of Kamrup district, Assam and distributed more than 200 food packages as Covid Relief. The items that were distributed included: Rice, Wheat, Dal, Sugar, Salt, Milk, Refine Oil, Onion etc.

- The details are given below in the table:

Figure 10 Guwahati





Figure 11 Delhi



Distribution of Relief Packages during Covid		
Location	Families	Person
Ranchi (Jharkhand)	207	792
Lohardaga (Jharkhand)	94	373
Udhampur (Jammu & Kashmir)	131	628
Pauri (Uttarakhand)	51	263
Jehanabad (Bihar)	265	834
Patna, Gaya, Narkatiya (Bihar)	170	844
Guwahati (Assam)	250	974
Delhi	84	211
Total	1252	4919

5. **Annual General Meeting:** It was held on August 10 in Zoom. Trustee members, Donors and distinguished guests were present in the meeting. Many valuable decisions were made for the organizations.



6. **New Staff:**

- Mr. Ajay Sarki, CDW is appointed in the month of April in Guwahati, Assam and Mr. Chitranjan Kumar Ravidas was appointed in the month of May in Jehanabad, Bihar under Himalayan for Christ.
- Mr. Jimmi Carter Marak is appointed as the Office Peon from the month of August. He has taken up all his duties well. He resigned in the month of November.

7. **Staff Capacity Building:**

- **August 10-12:** Public Relational Officer from Guwahati and 12 CDWs from Jehanabad could attend the online training program organized by GBET, Ranchi on Communication & Report writing. The feedback given shows that it has benefitted the

trainees. Ms. Laxmi commented that, “I learned that, we can write beautiful stories or case studies by using one ‘H’ and five ‘Y’s’.” Thank you, GBET.”

HFC JEHENABAD, BIHAR CENTRE:

There are 12 community development workers (CDWs) and a Project Manager (Kamlesh Kumar) working in Jehanabad district, Bihar. They are working in 5 districts of Bihar in 15 blocks and 72 Villages.

1. **Inauguration of HFC Educational Center** at a small village called Chittokhar in Gaya district of Bihar was on June 16, 2021. As per the reports, children in this village do not go to school. It is a very backward place. 25 children enrolled for free education at this Education Centre.



Figure 14 Chittokhar



Figure 13 Regional Office

2. **Inauguration of Regional Office in Jehanabad:** On July 5 the Project Manager, Mr. Kamlesh Kumar hosted the inauguration online on the Zoom and Dr. A. K. Lama dedicated it. Around 130 people visited the office that day.
3. **Inauguration of 2 centers Alhaganj and Sikanderpur, Bihar:** The Construction work of 2 centers completed and was inaugurated on October 6 by the Chief Guest Mr. Pravir James Simes (General Manager G.B.E.T, Ranchi). Other guests from Ranchi Nilam Sonali Tirky, Sourav Vidyut Minz and Dr. Shailendra Joseph (Patna) were also present.



Figure 15 Tailoring Centre

4. **Inauguration of Tailoring Centre:** On September 27, a tailoring center was started in Sikanderpur. 10 women are undergoing this training.
5. **Relief Work:**

- CDW Surendra Goswami's house got damaged in a violent storm. HFC was able to raise donations to help him rebuild his house.
- Under Covid-19 Relief- Ration Distribution, HFC could distribute Ration Packets to the poor and needy at the time of Lockdown. 265 families, 834 people benefitted.
- In the month of January, HFC Regional Office, Jehanabad distributed 100 blankets among the poor, helpless, widows and elderly people who use to suffer due to chilling cold weather.

6. **Tuition Centre:** There are 9 Tuition centres and all total 245 children are studying.

Sl. No.	Tuition Centre	Total no. of children studying
1	Chitoukher Centre	25
2	Sikandarpur	40
3	Sadasichak	25
4	Erki	26
5	Allahganj	30
6	Damuhan	25
7	Pinjaur.	25
8	Matudha	24
9	Sumera	25

Name: Riya Kumari

Age: 8 years

Riya started attending Jehanabad Tuition Centre from last year. She belonged to a poor family. She learned well and started to read fluently and write. Her parents were very impressed and they invited the CDW in their place.


