## Local donations received during the month of October.

S. No	Donor	Donated Item	Approximate Amount
1.	Ganpati chewra mill	Beaten Rice-20 kg	1600/-
2.	Nikhil Mehta	Puffed Rice-10 kg	800/-
3.	Yogesh Agrawal	Noodles-1 cartoon	300/-
4.	Govind Agrawal	Cash for milk 93 litre	6750/-
5.	Total		9450/-

## Staff Meeting

Board meetings were held on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> of October at Duhabi home in the presence of Chairman Mr. K. Bhattarai, Supervisor Mr. Ramesh Tamrakar, SSCHD NL and Duhabi board members. There was a discussion on different agendas for annual budget and plan of 2022. The board members, home mothers and children of child club gave their feedback in preparing annual budget and planning. The planning was rather participatory and members were enthusiast in giving their inputs.

## **Report on Children**

This month was the festive month, children were excited and busy in celebrating Nepalese festival Dashain, small children like Ram, Laxman, Karan, Karuna, Shristy are much more excited than the elder one. All of them were having holiday from their schools for this festival. Most of the children visited to board members' house for putting tika (rice paste coloured with vermilion powder) on their fore-head and took blessing and gift from them.

Children remained fit and healthy during this month without any health issues. They are well cared by the mothers. The children were busy in celebrating festivals as they had holiday after the first terminal of academic year.

Small children like Ram, Laxman, Karan and Karuna bouts with each other while



playing. Jeet's grandmother visited to Duhabi home on the occasion of Nepalese festival Dashain and Siwani had phone talk with her elder sister.

Umbrella, window curtains, carpet and musical instrument were bought in this month for Duhabi children home.

# Celebration of festivals with pictures

Dashain festival was celebrated for 10 days in October. All the children helped in the cleanliness of home for festival. Milan and Anoj helped to decorate with lights. All of them visited to board members house for putting tika and blessings from them.





# Visit report of mr. Ramesh Tamrakar

1<sup>st</sup> October 2021 Director Supervisor of S.S Children Dharan NL, Mr. Ramesh Tamrakar, office manager Mr. Aashu Kumar Mandal and mothers of Duhabi children home visited to SOS Children's Village Itahari. With the collaboration of SOS village, office manager took classes on child development form fill-up, children's



profile preparation, report writing and financial work. Mothers were kept with the mothers' representative and they have talked about the children and their problems etc. The Village Director also talked to them on various topics and interacted with them. It was like an exposure visit to them. The Director Mr. DC Chaudhari has given his words to support our organisation at the time of needs.

On 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2021 Saturday Mr. Ramesh Tamrakar again visited to Duhabi children home for budget preparation for 2022. There was evaluation and discussion on the budget of 2021 including work evaluation of office manager. He has advised office manager to complete all the remaining works of year 2021within coming two months.



A detail planning and budget was prepared in the presence of chairman, office manager and home mothers and children. Mr. Ramesh Tamrakar facilitated the whole precess.

New committee of Child club was also formed in the presidency of Master Anoj Gautam. Mr. Tamrakar handed over 500.- cash to treasurer of the club as seed money and gave some tips to raise fund in upcoming days.

On 4<sup>th</sup> October, Mr. Tamrakar, Mr. Ramesh Thapa, office manager., from DCH and Mr. Meharman Hughes, ex-chairman of SHC and Rawi Awale, ex-office manager of SHC had meeting with the deputy CDO Mr. Anand Poudel and secretary of CDO office. Mr. Ramesh Tamrakar briefed the story of SHC including



misused of funds by office managers. Dy-CDO listened to us one by one and lastly Dy.-CDO ordered to Mr. Rabi Awale to refund the misused fund within the month.

## Education

All of the children are attending tuition classes with their hired teachers; Anoj is taking tuition class at his school teacher as he chooses optional maths as major subject. Three new children were admitted to local school nearby Duhabi home. Terminal examination was held during 7<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> October.

#### Maintenance

The western boundary is collapsed due to heavy rain and flood. About 100 feet brick wall has fell down that need urgent repair. The DCH is working with Duhabi municipality and expect their technical advice and financial support. Besides it, the wire fence on the eastern side needs some extra provision because of prohibited of activities of young couple on and around pond site.

#### Feedback from staff about children

Children were seen friendly among each other but sometime small children get quarrel with each other as in normal families. Toyaz did not change his behaviour and doesn't ask to any one while going to outside with his colleagues, classmates.

#### Staff Duhabi home

Staff members are regular to their works. No one took leave except on festival time. Office manager is taking overall responsibility of buying items from markets, maintaining office record. The mothers remained busy with cooking and up-keeping home and children.

#### Child club programme

Child club members take active participation in cleaning and sanitization program. Besides this they had no other special works during the month. However, they jointly celebrated Dashain festival.

### Safety measures

All the children were advised to bath regularly, wear mask while going to outside and wash their hand frequently with soap and water to reduce the chance of corona virus, they were also said to wear warm clothes as the month is beginning of winter season.

# Points of attention

- 1. Painting work should be completed within November.
- 2. Visit to Duhabi municipality for the repair and maintenance of wall.

# **Calamities**

On 20<sup>th</sup> October 2021, the west wall of Duhabi Home got collapsed due to the heavy rainfall and strong wind on same day.



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