



Report of Duhabi Children Home
Sunsari /Nepal
Covering the month of December: 2024



S. No	Voucher No.	Donor	Donated Item	Approximate Amount
1		Ganpati Chewra Mill	Beaten rice-20kg.	1000/-
2		Total		

The Duhabi Jankalayan Cooperative Bank organized a special event where they distributed tracksuits to the children.



During the month, the chairman, treasurer, and secretary visited the children's home and reviewed the monthly expenses. They had discussions with staff members about the children's needs and activities. No formal board meeting was held, but important matters related to the home were addressed during the visits.

Reports of Children: -

The children engaged in activities like playing outside, reading, and doing arts and crafts. The children at home celebrated Christmas by enjoying delicious food, exchanging greetings, and participating in dance and singing competitions. The event was attended by all the children, staff members, and two board members, making it a fun and festive gathering for everyone involved. A Christmas drawing competition was held for children, where Ram achieved first place, Bijay took second, and Laxman with third position. The winners received cash prizes for their accomplishments.



Everything was in good order, with nearly all the children in good health but Anju, regrettably, became seriously ill but was fortunate to receive exceptional care from the mothers at Home. They ensured she received the necessary medication and support for her recovery.



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Education: -

The children regularly attend their school classes and receive extra tutoring at home twice a day in the morning and evening. They consistently attend all their sessions without missing any. Ram, Laxman, and Yuvraj are regular attendees of both school and tutoring sessions, yet they frequently neglect their homework. They often overlook their assignments, choosing instead to prioritize playtime, the office manager regularly monitors the progress of school and tuition-related tasks to ensure that they are completed on time.

Calamities: -

No any calamities happened at home.

Beyond Education: -



The counselor and OM work together to organize extracurricular activities for children at home, focusing on creativity, teamwork, and practical skills. They engaged the children in a kitchen activity, providing essential ingredients like flour, salt, and water to create local snacks. With step-by-step guidance, the children enjoyed making the dishes, learning valuable skills and gaining knowledge. These activities improve hand-eye coordination and teach techniques like kneading dough and mixing. Working together enhances teamwork and communication, boosts confidence, and raises awareness of healthy eating and nutrition, supporting the children's overall development.



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Medical issues: -

All children underwent standard eye examinations, and only Bijay required treatment for an eye infection with medication. Meanwhile, Pratima was referred to a larger eye hospital in Biratnagar for additional assessment and care.



Repair and Maintenance: -

No maintenance activities were conducted during this month but fuse bulbs were changed.

Hygiene: -

Home mother and kitchen mother focus on keeping the DH clean to ensure the children's health and create a safe environment. They pay special attention to cleaning toilets, bathrooms, and nearby areas to reduce germs. Children, especially girls, assist mothers in this work. DH staff teach basic hygiene, like handwashing after using the restroom and before eating. Busy schedules may prevent mothers from fully cleaning bathrooms, suggesting the idea of hiring a weekly cleaner at home, especially for toilets and bathrooms.

The counsellor organized different new activities at home like height and weight measurement. They focused on measuring the height and weight of the children residing in the homes. All the children engaged enthusiastically in this process. Following the measurements, we communicated to the children that they would receive a report the following day detailing whether their height and weight are suitable for their age. We also prepared a BMI report based on their height and weight relative to their age.



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Mr. Raj planned to engage children in new activities in a unique way which was discussed in the previous meeting. During the meeting, they organized an activity where 14 children created their own little storybooks. Every child actively participated in the activity and crafted their own storybook. Initially, Mr. Raj taught them how to create the book, and then the children proceeded to make a small book consisting of four pieces of paper. They were instructed to write stories about themselves or things they liked in their little storybooks. The children expressed their happiness in making these small storybooks and writing their own stories.



Safety Measures: -

Staff members, including guards, are giving extra attention to caring for children in response to changing weather conditions. The home mother is ensuring the safety of children during bath time and making sure they are properly dressed for the cold weather. Children are also being instructed to drink warm water to stay healthy.

Staff Members: -

In Duhabi Home, staff members worked for a total of 30 days. The Home mother took care of the children, the kitchen mother prepared nutritious food and cleaned the kitchen, and the security guard was responsible for taking the children to school, bringing vegetables and food items from the market, and ensuring the safety of the children at home.

New project: -

Fifteen new flower pots were acquired and filled with a variety of plants in the DH garden. Duhabi Home has hired a gardener to maintain their outdoor space, ensuring it remains attractive and well-maintained. The gardener ensures proper attention is given to the plants, regular mowing, and timely repairs.



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