

A brief photo report of Professional Sewing and Cutting Training

Training Name: Professional Sewing and Cutting Training

Participants: 15 women

Location: Phalebas Municipality, Parbat District Nepal

Description:

Rotary Club of Rudramati Kathmandu, Club no. 64062, Rotary International 3292 in coordination with Phalebas Municipality in Parbat District launched 3 months long Professional Sewing and Cutting Training to 15 women mostly Dalit and marginalized community. The project is financially supported by Rotary Club of Oakland and Lantren Project. ICA Nepal, a cooperating partner facilitated the event.

Fifteen women will be first trained on the professional cutting for 30 days and later for 60 days professional course on school bag making will be carried out. The training started from 4 June 2019.

The training will follow the course designed by Council of Technical Education and Vocational Training (CTEVT).

On 4th June 2019, an official opening of the training was held. The event was attended by participants, ward representative and well-wishers.

Following items were handed over to Kalilamaya Laghu Uddhami Mahila Sahakari (micro cooperative run by local women):

1	Juki Sewing Machine	2	These are consumer machines, capable of sewing heavy fabric such as denim, heavy leather or drapery fabric. Two sets of Juki sewing machines were supported. The aim of the project is after the training, under the guardianship of local government, a small scale garment factory will be established where at least 5 women will get employed. In addition, skill development will be continued.
2	Black Heavy Sewing Machine	2	High speed industrial machines for professional use, these machines can be used for to stitch cotton, Linen, Leather, Denim and Synthetic
3	Heavy Interlock Sewing Machine	1	
4	Sets of Threads, Oil, Scissors, tape	1	
5	Chairs	5	Five sets of chairs
6	Cutting Table	1	One Cutting/Counter Table

Photographs:



Participants of Professional Sewing and Cutting Training posing for photographs with event



Rtn. Atma Ram Timsina handing over the machines to representative of Kalilamaya Laghu Udhmi Mahila Sahakari Samuha (Kalilamaya Micro Enterprise Cooperative Group)



Ms. Kesha Kumari Darji presenting her remarks during the opening ceremony. She belongs to a dalit family (so called lower caste). She is a female ward member and executive committee of Phalebas Municipality. She acknowledged Rotary Club of Oakland and Rotary Club of Rudramati for this support. She also mentioned how cooperating Rotary Club of Rudramati and ICA Nepal, cooperating partner of Rotary Club of Rudramati have supported her to identify herself and her capacity. She acknowledged whole team of Rotary Club of Rudramati and Oakland and special thank you Gail Uilkema



Rtn. Atma Ram Timsina facilitated an orientation program for the participants on 4 June 2019. He highlighted the role of Rotary in building communities and creating lasting impact.



Ram Chandra Subedi, representative from Phalebas Municipality giving his acknowledgement remarks and his best wishes to participants.



Rotarian Spouse Mrs. Sarala Pokharel volunteered in procuring the sewing machines from Kathmandu to Partbat. Phalesbas Municipality located in Parbat district is 267.1 km from Kathmandu.



Juki machine ready to deliver



Labourers are fitting the machine for delivery



A scene of training hall, training hall is arranged by Kalilamaya Women Cooperative

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