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JHARKHAND MAHILA UTHAN



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From the desk of Secretary:

It my pleasure to share our organizational Annual report of year 2022-23. During this year, our prime focuses on integrated development of community people. JMU worked with all age of people but we focused on children, adolescent's girls, and women and marginalized community.

We focused on to reduce the domestic violence and atrocity, gender discrimination, stop child abuse, stop child marriage and develop the leadership, empowerment, livelihood, and protection to our target beneficiaries. This year we worked to stop the child labour.

Our efforts were to create awareness among the women and adolescents girls regarding government program and schemes, development, empowerment, leadership quality and have decision making ability. We organized meetings with beneficiaries and build up the capacity of adolescent's girls and women.

This year we worked on livelihood promotion by using the local resources including forest produce. Protection of forest and environment conservation was also our prime priority of the organization. We promoted 35 women for livelihood through forest produce. It was supported the tribal families for earning from Forest produce.

It was possible due to generous financial support by all of our Donors, Individual supporters and kind hearted friends who relied upon us, to whom we expressed our sincere thanks and gratitude. We also give thanks to our board members, staffs, community leaders for time to time supported and guided us to reach towards our vision and mission.

*Neelam Besra
Secretary*

Basic information

Name of the Organization	JHARKHAND MAHILA UTHAN
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Legal Status	
Registration No	9780/IV/92 under Indian Trust Act 1882
Date of Registration	24 th June, 2002
PAN No	AACTJ3059N, Reg. date-24/06/2002
Niti Ayog/NGO Darpan	JH/2017/0180031
Income Tax 12-A	Reg. under income tax Act 1961 in sec 12A – AACTJ3059NE20034 on dated 10 th March 2022.
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Genesis: Jharkhand Mahila Utthan has had a modest beginning in 24th June 2002, Lara Churchu Hazaribag, Jharkhand when a group of rural development professionals joined hand to Struggle for the cause of the deprived sections of the community to ward off their marginalization from the mainstream. With trained and determined team of professionals, Jharkhand Mahila Utthan has relentlessly struggled to accomplish its goal and objectives to meet the aspirations of the marginalized into realities and achievement.

Its approach and management style has always been embedded with effective leadership, innovation and participation. Over the year it has not only grown in size, but has also armed itself with enormous capacity to handle multiplicity of activities. Since the inception, Jharkhand Mahila Utthan targeted Tribal , women, adolescents SHG, Selected Community Leaders, Elected Women Representatives, Dalit and Backward Communities as its key target group and education, health , SCSP, TSP, NFSA, Forest land Act and livelihood as key thematic areas of intervention.

The organization since its inception has worked in a convergence model promoting the linkages of services and interventions among the key stakeholders to use the strength of one another for accomplishment of targets and ultimately sustaining the activities in the long run.

Vision:

- *Jharkhand Mahila Utthan want to create an egalitarian society where everyone upholds just and equitable life.*

Mission

- *Promote and facilitate marginalized community to access their rights and entitlements, protecting and preserving their identity, cultural values, forest and natural resources.*

AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- To work for eradications of poverty, inequality, exploitation of women, illiteracy, superstition dogmas, and other social evils aimed to empowerment of women and children by providing education and awareness.
- To provide the education facilities to every people under RTE.
- To improve the condition of rural people by developing appropriate income generation programs by using the local resources and providing the skills in hand.
- To work for protection of forest and conservation of land, water, natural resources by development of watershed and soil conservation program.
- To promote entrepreneurship development for youths and provide skills for ensuring optimum utilization of the available human, natural and institutional resources.
- To promote agriculture by introducing the new technique of farming.
- To work for integrated rural development and provide support services for social and economical upliftment of the villagers to promote health care program both preventive as well as creative and provide emergency health services.
- To work for protection of land, forest, and natural rights of tribal people.
- To improve socio-economic development of poorest, helpless, illiterates, SC/ST/OBC and weaker section of society and promote scope for creation growth and strengthening of abilities for self reliance.

Operational Area :

Jharkhand Mahila Utthan is mainly working in 4 Districts –Hazaribag, Khunti, Bokaro and Ramgarh and covers 2 blocks namely Dadi & Churchu of Hazaribag, all 6 blocks of Khunti, Gomia & Petarwar blocks of Bokaro and Mandu block of Ramgarh district.

- a) Hazaribag
- b) Khunti
- c) Bokaro
- d) Ramgarh



OTHER PROGRAM AT GLANCE

- ❖ leadership training for PRI members
- ❖ Women and adolescents girls empowerment
- ❖ Prevent domestic violence and Trafficking
- ❖ Land and forest rights
- ❖ Skills training for Youth /adolescents
- ❖ Livelihood Promotion through Agriculture and forest produce
- ❖ Health Camps and health Fair/Melas
- ❖ Capacity building training program for the women and adolescents
- ❖ Training to SHG and PRI members
- ❖ Training on Government Schemes and projects
- ❖ Training on good governance and Rights based issues.

Membership with Association and Network of Jharkhand Mahilla Utthan

State level	Right to food, RTE, Land & forest right, IBDITA (CREA, Delhi), GLP (Oxfam).
National Level	RTE, WADA NA TODO ABHIYAN, VANI, LOK MANCH (Delhi), RASTIAYA DALIT MA ANDOLAN (Delhi),

WE ARE WORKING WITH

CREA	New Delhi
LOK MANCH	New Delhi
AZIM PREMJI FOUNDATION	Bangalore
RASTRIYA MAHILLA ANDOLAN	New Delhi
Give India	
GIRL FIRST FUND	USA
Urgent Action Fund	USA
Women fund Asia	USA

Women Empowerment: As the feminist organization, JMU focus on empowerment of women and adolescents girls. JMU believe that for real development of country we cannot ignore the women. Jharkhand Mahila Uthan believes that without economic empowerment and decision making capacity we cannot think real empowerment of women. Awareness is one aspect and decision making is other aspect.

Jharkhand Mahila Uthan organized the leadership training for elected 110 women panchayat leaders and 30 leaders of women SHGs including 30 male panchayats leaders of 8 panchayats of Churchu and 4 Panchayats of Dadi blocks of Hazaribag district under the support of CREA New Delhi. We are working to empowerment of women by bringing the leadership quality among women and adolescents girls.

We conducted regular interaction in monthly and quarterly meetings with elected women representatives EWR and Adolescents girls, community level event, interface meeting with elected women representatives (EWR) and adolescents girls, SHG leaders and adolescents girls, block level program with PRI members, celebrated the international women's days and highlighted the women related issues in meetings and programs. The program was to build up the capacity of women and adolescents girls for keeping their issues in front of panchayat and panchayat can take it serious to the issues.

Nagariya Badloo Abhiyan : The 16 days programs (25th November to 10th December 2022) supported by CREA, we raised the issues of women and adolescents girls rights and entitlement and discussed on social systems, social evils, challenges, opportunities, experiences sharing, gender related discrimination, atrocity with women and girls, domestic violence etc. Under the program, we organized block level counseling program for stakeholders in which more than 50 participants of different villages attended the program. We organized the cultural program in two panchayats by our team. The objective of the program was to stop the child marriage, improve leadership quality and about the girls rights and entitlement.

We organize the program especially for stakeholders and SHG in which 55 participants attended the interface meeting. We give opportunity to women for share their experiences and challenges. It also helps to bring the confidence and leadership among the women and adolescents.

Under **Social Action Fund** supported by CREA, we organized meeting with adolescent's girls and discussed issues based by pictorial. It called the Issue based Program. Finally on 9th December, JMU organized a big event at block level in which more than 100 adolescent's girls participated in program.

Stop Child Marriage: **GIRLS FIRST FUND, USA** supported for project for stop child marriage of adolescents girls. "**Girl are not only for Bride**" but she has their own dream. We are running the campaign in 15 villages of 3 panchayats namely Churchu, Ango and Jarba of Churchu Block to stop the child marriages. Under the project we enrolled more than 200 adolescent's girls. We tried to build the capacity of girls by organizing regular meetings with adolescent's girls and providing counseling to parents to not marry their daughter in early age. We organized the nuked natak (cultural performance),

orientation meeting with staffs, wall writing, conducted bases line survey to know knowledge level of girls in extended intervention area i.e. 5 villages of Ango panchayat. We provided the football training coaching for 40 girls and organized big sports (Football) among the girls. We organized the international women's day and provided the opportunity to perform and share their experiences; they can freely talk about their rights and entitlements. It also supports the girls to bring the leadership quality. Gender, practices of clothes wearing by girls, works distribution, education, food distribution, freedom etc issues discuss in the program and try to sensitize the community about the equality. We also counsel the parents and stakeholders to stop the gender discrimination and exploitation with girls. The project also arranged interaction meeting with girls and member of cultural team. Under program, girls also participated with married women and boys on stop early marriage. The project provided the fellowship support to the 20 adolescent's girls for education. These girls are performing better.

Under the program we provide the separate platform to the adolescents where they can develop their vision and become the ideal for other girls. The platform also gives opportunity to girls for perform better and express freely in front of community. To motivate the girl's special games, sports, competitions, footballs etc organize only for girls.

Cultural programs performed on issues to stop child marriages, stop force marriages, bad affect of child marriages, importance of education, etc. They give message among community and community understand the theme and follow it. It also supports to stop the child marriages in this area.

Women Fund Asia : The project was implemented in 6 villages of Ango and Churchu panchayats of Churchu block. We supported the SHG women and adolescents girls for build their capacity by organizing meeting meetings and trainings. We were talking about rights and empowerment of women and girls. Wall writings were done in intervention area.

Ensuring Social Protection (Lok Manch) : The network of people who work with vision of egalitarian, secular, democratic, inclusive society where no one will remain hunger and enjoy with their fundamental rights. Jharkhand Mahila uthan working with support of Lok Manch in 23 villages of 8 Panchayats of Churchu block of Hazaribag District. We worked with 3000 families from last 7 years to ensure the food security, SCSP (Scheduled Caste Sub Plan), TSP- TRIBAL SUB-PLAN, environment, WASH- Water, Sanitation and Hygiene and accessibility to other government programs and benefits.

We selected 60 community leaders (30 male and 30 female) among the 20 pockets of intervention area and provided trainings on different issues such as land rights, legal paper of land, forest rights and land, food security, etc. We organized the regular monthly meetings with community leaders and tried to resolve the issues of needy community with creating awareness among the community regarding the government programs and schemes. Under the program, we provided training on SCSP (Scheduled Caste Sub Plan), public hearing on ST/SC, environment, food security, forest and land rights, MNREGA, ETC. These trained community leaders supported the community to link with these schemes.

Under the program our provided the villagers for getting the different benefits from government such as ,

- Pradhan Mantri Rural Housing Schemes – 15 units
- Death certificates – 4people
- Job card – 20people
- Ration card – 25 families
- Birth certificate – 12 child
- Old age pension – 22 people
- Widow pension –12 women
- Caste and residential certificate – 12people
- Horticulture development – 7families
- Solar irrigation-3 farmers
- Goat rearing shed construction -12 units
- Construction of PCC road – 3 units

Natural Resource Development: Jharkhand is the known as land forest and mountain. Many types of forest produce, medicinal plants and mineral found in this area. Most of people have no ideas to use of forest produce. So, it became waste and villagers cannot generate their livelihood by these natural resources. Very few people collect it but sell it in very low rate due to lake of knowledge. In spite good potentials of livelihood from forest produce, people do not think about the livelihood from local natural resources.

Jharkhand Mahilla Utham initiated to create awareness on forest produce among the tribal population in 6 villages of 2 panchayats of Churchu block. There are so many forest produce found in this area. We arranged the training to 30 women of this area on forest produce. Now 30-35 families are engaged in collecting the forest produce for sell into local market. Commonly Mahwa, Jamun, Kend, Harai, Kujri, Pear, Mushroom, Putka, fruits, etc are fruits collected by the villagers. These women were trained in how to collect it from forest, where they sell it to get appropriate rate of produce, how to preserve it, marketing and bargaining capacity is also part of training. We specially focused on forest mushroom and Putka have very high demand in this market but it found in only rainy season. Women were also trained on Lac Cultivation by the Konar Village, Extension Village Dumar Chruchu. Now the women of this area collecting the forest produce and sell it in local market and getting good rate of their produce. Other women of this area also motivated and started collecting and selling the forest produce for their livelihood. Seasonally each family got Rs. 5000- 20000 per season from forest produce. We also motivate the women and local people for conservation of environment and protect the forest.

Livelihood Support Program: Jharkhand Mahila Uthan is creating awareness among community to generate the livelihood from local resources. Land is one of the big resources but after and before the paddy season the land keep dry. They unable to use the land efficiently. Migration is very high in this area for livelihood.

Jharkhand Mahila Uthan initiated and organized the 100 farmers of Churchu of Hazaribag district. We organize regular meetings and trainings of new update technique of farming especially the use of land and start the vegetable crops for markets. We provided the High Yield variety of Seeds, promote the vermin compost by the kitchen waste, promote the kitchen garden, etc. We observed the many farmers grow the cash crops and sell in the local market at good price. The average annual income of women is between Rs. 30000 to 50000. Approx women also started the mushroom cultivation and started small shop for their livelihood and average monthly income is Rs 5000 – 10000 per months.

Celebration of International Women Day: Every year JMU celebrate the International Women Day. This year we also celebrated the International women days on 13 March 2022 with follow the guidelines of Covid. More than 100 women and adolescents attended the program and shared their experiences. The whole day program was run and organized fair of issues based program and focused on stop child marriages and force marriages. We organized the speech competition, nuked natak, poetry, etc. Adolescent's girls and women actively participated in the program. The main focus was stop gender discrimination, Feminism, leadership development, domestic violence, gender violence etc. The women who are struggling for these issues we honored to 5 women by giving the traditional towels.

Celebration of National Independence and Republic day in our office: We organized the celebration of most important days in or office. We all officer staffs including the villagers we celebrated the national independence day on 15th August 2021 and republic day on 26th January 2022. We organized the speech competition among the adolescent's girls and distributed the prizes among them.

MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNING BODY

Sl. No.	Name	Address	Gender	Age	Educational qualification	Occupation	Designation
1.	Ful kumari Tigga	Vill- Dhamansariya, PO- Churchu, Hazaribag	F	34	IA	Social workers	President
2.	SomiyaTudu	Vill- Chanaro, Tola- Parbad, PO- Charhi, Hazaribg	F	47	Intermediate	Social workers	Vice president
3.	Neelam Besra	Vill. Lara, PO- Churchu, Hazaribag	F	46	B A	Social workers	Secretary
4.	Karmi Tuddu	Vill - Gobardaha, PO- Jordag, Churchu Hazaribag	F	37	Non Matric	Social workers	Treasure
5.	Merry Murmu	Vill- Dumar, Churchu Hazaribag	F	47	Matric	Social workers	Member
6.	Jyoti Raj	Vill- Pamesor road, Baramasiya , Deoghar	F	45	Non Matric	Social workers	Member
7.	Anjani Kumari	Vill- Lohri , Mangarh Hazaribag	F	47	BA	Social workers	Member
8.	Md. Sarfaraz Alam	Vill- Pelawal, PO- Pelawal, Hazaribag	M	42	Intermediate	Social workers	Member
9.	Mr. Sanjay Rabidas	Vill- Oriya, PO- Oriya , Hazaribag	M	46	Matric	Social workers	Member

Donate to LGSS for a social cause; it would be exempted under Section 80-G

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