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April was a month of new beginnings, stronger partnerships, and inspiring milestones across our centres. From celebrating the achievements of community women completing skilling training programs and gaining meaningful livelihood to launching digital learning opportunities and nurturing children through stories, nutrition, and safe spaces, every moment reflected the power of community.

At PVR NEST, we continue to witness how safe and inclusive spaces can transform lives, especially for migrant women, girls, and children living in vulnerable urban communities.

None of this is possible without the trust of our communities and the support of our partners who believe in creating change where it matters most.

This month's stories celebrate progress, partnerships, and the courage of women stepping into financial independence.

HAPPY READINGS
TEAM PVRNEST



Beauty & Wellness Skilling Program Culmination Ceremony

Some partnerships truly leave a lasting impact, the ones that create change where it matters most.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Balaji Switchgears Private Limited and its leadership, Ms Saloni Garg, Mr. Piyush Garg and the entire Foundation team, for supporting our Beauty & Wellness skilling program across three centres. This initiative reached nearly **400 women and girls** from migrant families across **10 urban slum communities**.



The certification ceremony marked a proud milestone for every participant. Today, several women have already begun working at local salons or offering beauty services from their homes, creating steady incomes and greater stability for their families. This was not just the end of a training program, it was the beginning of financial independence, dignity, and confidence.

Digital Excellence Program Launch



A new chapter in digital empowerment began this month.

With the support of Rotary International and backed by **EMU Lines**, we officially launched our **Digital Excellence initiative across three centres.**

This initiative will equip women and girls from migrant communities with digital skills, confidence, learning opportunities, and pathways to employment. The program will strengthen digital infrastructure at Garima Greh (Kirti Nagar) and Pink Centres in RK Puram and Vikaspuri.

We are deeply grateful to Captain **Anil Mohindru**, Mrs. **Amita Mohindru**, Mr. **Prashant Aggarwal**, and Mr. **Punit Gupta** for believing in this vision.



Stories that Inspire: Loha Mandi, Naraina



Stories came alive this month at our Loha Mandi centre.

With the support of READ India, children experienced a joyful storytelling session filled with laughter, games, and life lessons with Ms Sunita, a storytelling expert.

Through stories of Shin Chan and interactive activities, intertwined with life skills, learning became both meaningful and memorable for the children and their mothers.

We also extended the Garima Meals feeding program to nearly 50 children from nearby communities and anganwadis including their teachers.



FEEDING SESSION CONDUCTED AT LOHA MANDI, NARAINA



At PVR NEST, creating safe and inclusive spaces for migrant women and girls goes hand in hand with nurturing the children in these communities

As we expand our safety and protection initiatives across the city and set up a new Garima Grih centre at Naraina Industrial Area, we engaged with around 50 children from nearby communities and anganwadis for a storytelling session.



We were equally happy to see mothers join in, as we also conducted a session on the importance of nutrition, followed by the distribution of nutritious meals.



Good Friday Reflection Session

Conducted at Garima Grih

A meaningful Good Friday session was held with the Garima Grih team, reflecting on the life and sacrifice of Jesus Christ.

The session encouraged conversations around compassion, humility, kindness, and service, values that continue to guide our work in the community.



Garima Meals: Thursday Feeding Program

AT GARIMA GRIH & VIKASPURI



At Garima Grih and Vikaspuri, over 100 children participated in our weekly feeding initiative.

Children were served nutritious meals and also engaged in sessions on hygiene, handwashing, healthy eating habits, and sports activities. These simple interventions continue to support both physical wellbeing and positive behaviour change.





This month, seven students from Indian Institute of Management, Indore joined us for a 2 month long internship program to conduct a social impact assessment of our programmes.

After visiting our centres and engaging with community families, their observations highlighted increased mobility, confidence, and livelihood opportunities among women. They noted how our centres have evolved beyond sanitation into safe spaces for dignity, learning, and community support.



We were pleased to host Roundglass Foundation for an exploratory walkthrough of our centres.

Discussions focused on:

- Waste management awareness for community teams
- Linking waste to livelihood opportunities
- Using SDG-based screenings for community learning





Canva Training Begins

Our first Canva training session was successfully conducted with 15 young learners.

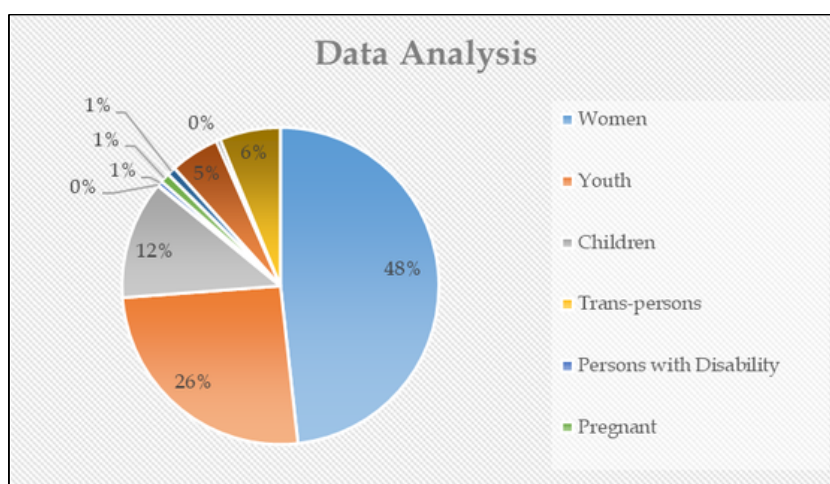
Participants explored digital design, visual storytelling, and basic computer skills with great enthusiasm. Additional support was also provided for creating Gmail accounts, sharing documents via WhatsApp, and preparing social media content. The students have now been assigned their first design project, marking the beginning of their digital learning journey.



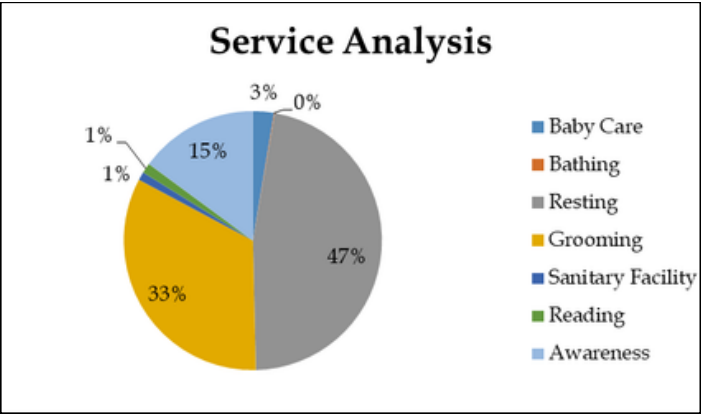
Monthly Data Insights

Total Usership during the month

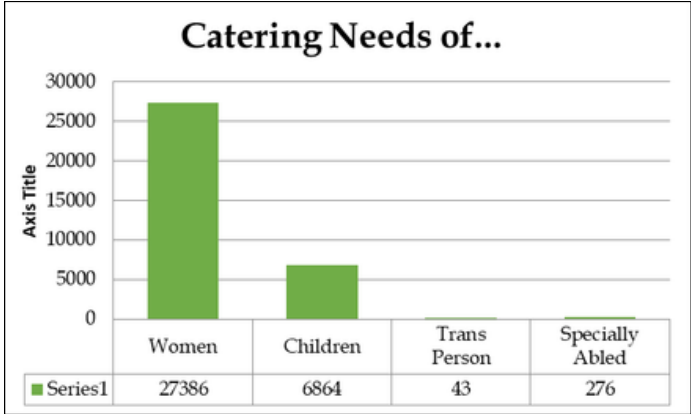
S. No.	Users	Total User-ship
1	Women	27386
2	Youth	14,529
3	Children	6,864
4	Trans-persons	43
5	Persons with Disability	276
6	Pregnant	558
7	Nutrition Feeding Program	500
8	Community Registration Program	2,856
9	Behavioural Change	237
10	Footfall for Skilling Programs at all our centres	3,530
	Total Usership during the month	56,779



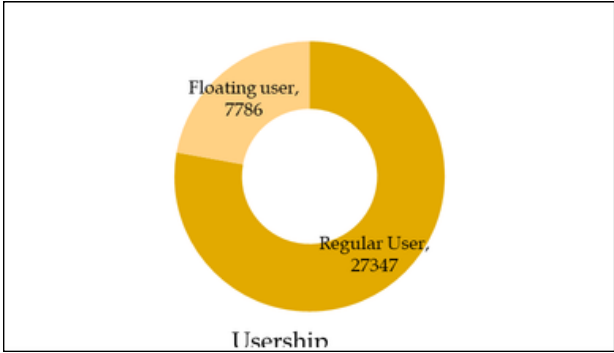
Service Analysis	
Baby Care	312
Bathing	11
Resting	5570
Grooming	3935
Sanitary Facility	123
Reading	149
Awareness	1771
	11871



Catering Needs of	
Women	27386
Children	6864
Trans Person	43
Specially Abled	276
Pregnant	558
	35127



Usership Pattern		
Regular User	27347	36236
Floating user	7786	8920
	35133	45156



IMPACT STORIES OF STITCHING & TAILORING

Usha, a 26-year-old homemaker from Jawahar Camp, joined a **stitching course** after learning about it from her neighbor. Having studied up to Class 8, she was eager to learn a skill. After nearly completing her three-month training, she can now stitch petticoats, blouses, suits, salwars, and pants, and has started taking stitching work from neighbors. The income she earns helps her pay her children's tuition fees. She is happy with her progress and hopes to continue learning more.



Aashi has studied up to Class 10 and learned **stitching skills** at the PVR NEST Centre. With the knowledge she gained, she has stitched suits at home for herself, her sister, and her sister-in-law. This skill has helped her become more confident and start earning an income, which she is also investing for her future. She is very thankful to the PVR NEST Centre for giving her this opportunity to learn and grow.



Anshika, aged 15, lives in Ekta Vihar and has studied up to Class 8. She joined the Pink Centre after learning about the **stitching and parlour training** through Shashi Didi. When she started, she did not know stitching, but with proper guidance, she has learned to make petticoats and is now stitching an umbrella frock. Anshika wants to learn well so she can stitch clothes for herself and her mother, save tailoring expenses, and support her parents in the future.



IMPACT STORIES OF DIGITAL LITERACY

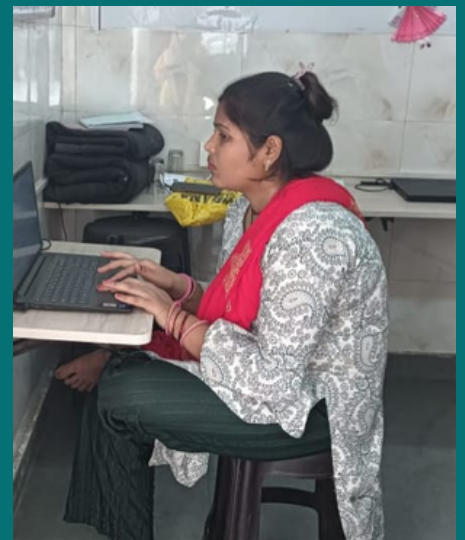
Usha, a Class 10 student, is currently learning computer skills at Garima Grih. She is learning **MS Word and is enjoying the process**. Her goal is to gain computer knowledge so that she can secure a good job in the future. She believes this will not only improve her own life but also help support her family financially. She is confident that this learning will be very useful for her and her family.



Anjali, a 20-year-old second-year college student, completed a three-month basic computer course at Garima Grih. During the course, she learned typing, Notepad, MS Word, Excel, and PowerPoint. She is now preparing for CSC and also exploring job opportunities to build her career.



Tamanna, a 25-year-old BA graduate and a homemaker from Mayapuri, is working hard to learn **computer skills**. She is currently learning MS Paint and is becoming quite confident in using it. Her dedication to learning new things shows that she will soon become proficient in using computers. Tamanna aims to build her skills so that she can find a job in the future and improve her family's financial situation.



IMPACT STORIES OF BEAUTY & WELLNESS

Bharti, a B.A. program student who has also completed pre-primary teacher training, is currently teaching stitching and basic **parlour skills** at PVR Nest, where she spends time daily from 12 PM to 4 PM. Since joining in February, she has been here for about one and a half months and has learned many new things. She shares that the environment is positive and the trainers explain everything very well. The course is for three months, with an option to continue learning further based on interest.



Shagun, a 15-year-old student, is currently pursuing a **parlour course**. She appreciates the learning environment, which also provides access to books that she enjoys reading in her free time. She likes the peaceful atmosphere, as it helps her focus and study better. Shagun finds the experience enriching and enjoys spending her time learning here.





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