Quarterly Issue (Oct to Dec 2023)

# PARIVARTAN

**VILLAGES: 38 | POPULATION: 11442** 



**Greetings from Dalmia Bharat Foundation.** 

We trust this note finds you well. It's with great pleasure that Dalmia
Bharat Foundation (DBF) Team reflects on the incredible journey undertaken
in the third quarter, and we are thrilled to share our collective achievements
through the pages of our Quarterly CSR Magazine

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### LIVELIHOOD INITIATIVES





#### **Homestead Garden Development**

- 300 homestead gardens have been developed by women farmers.
- Mini kits containing eight varieties of vegetable seeds have been distributed among farmers.
- The average income from a homestead garden starts at Rs. 3,400 per month.

### **Goatery – an effective livelihood intervention:**

- Four trainings have been conducted on the scientific rearing of goats.
- 120 marginal families in core villages have received training on goat rearing.
- The training is aimed at reducing goat mortality and achieving optimal weight gain through proven measures.
- Better to mention income potential per household or farmer









#### **Bamboo craft training**

- Two residential trainings have been conducted in bamboo cultivation.
- 47 farmers have been trained on various aspects of bamboo cultivation, utilities, and crafts.
- Officials from the external partner GIZ reviewed the ongoing bamboo project in the plantation areas.
- Meetings were conducted during the review with participating farmers in three villages.

### **Capacity building training of FPO:**

- Two training sessions were organized to build the capacity of FPO members and office bearers
- The sessions were conducted by the Skill Green team, and a total of 45 farmers, FPO members, and office bearers were trained.



# GRAM PARIVARTAN PROJECT

(An action towards bringing change)

#### Introduction

The Gram Parivartan Program was launched with the aim of providing livelihoods that are economically sustainable, ecologically responsible, and socially equitable. The objective is to foster sustainable economic progress within selected communities, where household chosen for participation is expected to achieve an additional annual income of Rs. 1,00,000. This can be achieved through individual or group interventions and can function independently or converged with government programs.



Households Mapped

623

Households with Additional Income 220

Interventions Planned

1595

Additional Income

Rs. 134.88 Lakhs



HH in Different Levels of Additional Income				
<25K	25K-50K	50K-75K	75K-1L	>1L
139	7	0	1	73

**Location Demographic Profile:** 







**623 Households** 

3131 Population

# A SUCCESS STORY FROM LIVELIHOOD INITIATIVE



Name: Mrs. Kajir Hansepi

Households in the district, both tribal and non-tribal, commonly practice growing seasonal vegetables in backyards of 2000-2500 square feet. Traditionally, they adopt mix or relay cropping without maintaining recommended spacing.

In Langcherui village, a demonstration for SHG members emphasized improved vegetable varieties with proper land preparation, spacing, and separate beds. DBF provided seeds for 8 types of winter vegetables in September 2023.

Mrs. Kajir Hansepi, Samphri SHG president, implemented the demonstrated practices, applying goat and poultry dung during land preparation. Currently, her family harvests spinach, lettuce, and coriander, earning Rs. 3500 from the first lot. Other crops include radish, French beans, and peas. She anticipates earning Rs. 7000-8000 monthly for around 4 months and plans to sow a second batch of lettuce and coriander for additional income.

# **SOCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE:**



### Village road construction:

- 3000-meter road constructed
- 1270 population impacted
- 8 villages were benefitted



### **Children day celebration:**

- Children day celebrated in 1 school
- 74 school children participated in various events