

MAHESHTALA MUNICIPALITY

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E-NEWSLETTER OF MAHESHTALA MUNICIPALITY FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 2019

Activities during the month of February 2019

1. Namami Gange Project

16th February 2019 is a red letter day of Maheshtala Municipality. On the day in presence of 42 urban local bodies sharing the banks of the river Ganges Maheshtala Municipality had been awarded the first position for maintaining the river banks along with the bathing ghats in a clean and tidy shape and that the pollution level of the river Ganges at Maheshtala corner is less than other Ganges towns.



We have shared an action plan to keep the banks free of plastic and no accumulation of waste by the side of the river.

2. Activities under Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana-National Urban Livelihoods Mission: WBSULM (West Bengal State Urban Livelihood Mission):

- In collaboration with Bangiya Gramin Vikash Bank, Shibrapore Branch a Financial Literacy camp was organized for the SHG members. Around 20 members participated in the programme. Representatives of BGVB discussed different financial schemes being offered by governments and how the SHG members can avail of themselves of those schemes.
- Thirteen SHGs received revolving fund this month after scoring 70% or more in first internal grading of the groups. It reflects that these groups are following *pancha sutra* religiously. Each of the groups received one time Rs 10,000 as revolving fund. Five SHGs



received cash credit loans of 1.5 lakh each from the respective bank branches after getting 70% or more score in second grading. Cash credit loan of one SHG has been renewed in the month of February and drawing limit has been extended up to 2.5 Lakhs.

- Capacity Building training was organized for four SHGs of Ward no 14. The training was for the basic orientation of the SHGs, 42 members participated in the training.



- Meeting of Task Force was organized to scrutiny Self Employment Programme – Individual loan applications. All the 6 applications were passed by the committee. But representatives of Bangiye Gramin Vikash Bank Jagannath nagar and Sarkarpole stated they could not accept any loan applications as they had been instructed by the head office as in view huge list of NPA. So the applications of these two branches will be sent to Santoshpur branch of the same bank.

3. Activities under National Urban Health Mission:

Twenty five health outreach camps were organized in this month at different places, where mainly marginalized people reside. Through the camps preventive and curative services were provided along with free medicines. 949 beneficiaries were served through these camps.





4. The park at ward no 13 had been inaugurated on 27.02.2019 and made open to public built under Green City Mission project.



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