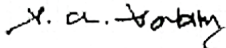


A Message from Executive Director

The founder of Development Wheel (DEW) Mr. Shah Abdus Salam mentions all our projects are people oriented and every projects of this organization is for developing the skills of farmers, artisans for a stable, sustainable livelihood and conserve art and custom of our society.

This is to say our attribute is to improve the skills of marginalized communities of our country. Our agriculture has a direct impact on national economy. So, Development Wheel (DEW) is helping alleviating poverty from farmers and artisans by implementing projects with a direct impact on people and society. His message is to have everyone's attributes on attaining organizational objective with teamwork, skill and effort.



Shah Abdus Salam
Executive Director

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Training on Improved Dairy Cattle Management Techniques



Training on Improved Dairy Cattle Management Techniques for Youth was hosted by Development Wheel (DEW) in Mymensing and Sherpur districts from August 23rd until September 10, 2015 for a sustainable agriculture. The trainer was Dr. Daniel K. Miller of Winrock International from Asia F2F program of USAID. There were capacity building training workshop and field

training activities for farmer groups.

Awareness of Environment: There is a successful Food safe color demonstration on art and craft products was organized by DEW



The demonstration was organized in Tangail district with artisan group. The artisan could successfully made product with food safe color. We congratulate the artisan group on this success from DEW. The purpose of the demonstration was to ensure environment friendly raw materials been used for art and craft product made for the need and demand of

the market and to comply with the FT principles. DEW staff with artisan was successful on making raw material with least impact on environment. DEW staff organized a day training workshop with artisan group. There was trial of food safe color on bamboo products with



indigenous artisan group for increasing awareness about environment. It is one of the initiatives of FT standards. Artisan group of Development Wheel (DEW) with art skill are making products from generation to generation. Many of the group leaders are professional and learned the skill of craftsmanship from different training institute for making a good quality product. There is no doubt these artisan groups have kept traditional custom of this country. The organization has impacts alleviating poverty from poorest households in Bangladesh. The objective of the organization is to development of poor and indigenous artisan and producer group in rural and urban areas of Bangladesh by

creating market access, training program, attending fairs to promote their products and welfare services for ensuring sustainable livelihood.

ALTERNATIVE LIVELIHOOD OPTION

Farmer groups of ALO have received cows, goats, rice mills, irrigation machines, Power Tiller, Sprayer Machine including training on livestock and use of machineries.



AGRICULTURE RIGHT PROGRAM:

Director and program coordinator of Swallows has visit farmer group in Mymensingh. Training is in progress for 50 farmer groups on right-based approach, gender and social mobilization.



Project coordinator of DEW participated in the training organized on good governance in August 2015. A follow up meeting with ADC been organized for establishing marker corner for women farmer.

Training on homestead gardening been organized for farmers. A discussion session was organized regarding National campaign for food security for right of women farmer on food security.

AT DHAKA CRAFT BAZAR

Development Wheel (DEW) has participated in the craft bazaar and Nordic Club for creating awareness and need of greater equality in world trade by FT Principles in September and October 2015. DEW wants to continually help artisans of this country for conserving the esthetics of customs of this region in the medium of crafts items. So, in order for conserving the



customs of aesthetics of artistry of this country we need to support the artisans financially with more product order from buyers. We are trying to help the poor, small-scale artisan group. DEW would like to export products and help the artisan and be assistance to the



people around the world to know the aesthetics of artistry of crafts items of this country.

DEW CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY OF STAFF

We wish Mariel a happy birthday, October 2015.

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