Dear CF family and Well Wishers,

We would like to extend our warmest greetings for the New Year 2080, and we are excited to announce the release of our latest newsletter edition. In this edition, we will be showcasing the Chaudhary Foundation's activities and achievements from January to March 2023. Our newsletter will focus on several key areas that the foundation is passionate about, including health, livelihood, and education. We will be highlighting the various initiatives and programs that we have undertaken in these areas, and the positive impact that they have had on the community.

Thank you for your continued support, and we hope that you enjoy reading our newsletter.

MOU With Susta Municipality to upgrade Paklihawa birthing center

Chaudhary Foundation signed an MOU with Susta Rural Municipality to strengthen and equip the birthing center services at Paklihawa Health Center. We believe this collaboration will ensure easy access to health services for women and children in improving the overall health of the community

MOU with Chisapani Hospital

An agreement has been signed between Chaudhary Foundation and Chisapani Hospital to strengthen and upgrade the hospital's services providing specialist services. The agreement signed between the foundation and the hospital ensures an easy and hassle-free emergency and other services in the hospital. After the upgradation, patients will get reliable services at the local level.

Facilities

- 24-hour lab facilities will be establish in the hospital,
- A birthing center with Comprehensive Emergency Obstratic and Newborn Care(CEONC) services will be established,
- 24-hours emergency services
- Digitalize for OPD registration

Women Health Camps

Chaudhary Foundation organized Women Health Camp in Bardaghat and Paklihawa Municipality of Nawalpur District to ensure access to obstetrics and gynecology services to the girls and women of reproductive age. Women of this area often miss out on their regular check up owing to the difficult terrain leading to poor quality of life, morbidity and mortality. Thus this initiative has ensured quality health care service to reproductive women of this area improving the overall health and well-being. Along with this, many girls and women are identified with the early signs of diseases and referred for curative services. Total 557 girls and women of reproductive age are benefitted through this initiative.

Sewing Training

The Sewing Training program is a three-month long vocational training organized by the Chaudhary Foundation with the aim of enhancing the livelihood and sustainability of women residing in the Bardaghat of Nawalparasi District. The primary focus of the program is to empower women to lead independent lives by providing them with vocational and skill-based training. The Sewing Training program has already been completed in Sukhaura, Bardaghat-2 with 24 participants and is currently ongoing in Ambas, Bardaghat-2 with 26 participants.

Polytechnic Training

The Polytechnic Training program is a six-month long vocational training organized by the Chaudhary Foundation with the aim of enhancing the livelihood and sustainability of youths residing in the Pratappur, Nawalparasi District. The program mainly focused on addressing the needs of the local youths and offers two types of training: electrical and mechanical. The training comprises three months of theoretical and practical sessions, followed by a three-month on-ground training (OGT), where participants are sent to local workshops and factories for internship experience. The major focused of the program is to equip individuals with the necessary skills and competencies to transition successfully into the workforce. The program specifically targets youths residing in Pratappur, with the objective of enabling them to live independently through the acquisition of skills.

Workshop on Cyberbullying

In the occasion of International Women's day, the student of BSW first semester of Campion college conducted insightful workshop on 'Empowering young minds to combat cyberbullying and stay safe online'! with the support of Chaudhary Foundation, Panga School and Magus English School in Kirtipur. It is essential to raise awareness among individuals about controlling cybercrime and to encourage victims to speak up against cyberbullying. Altogether 98 students from two schools were sensitized on cyber bullying.

Inauguration of Paklihawa birthing center

Chaudhary Foundation has completed the renovation ,strengthen and equipping of the Paklihawa Birthing Center and handed it over to the Susta Rural Municipality in the presence of Hon'ble Binod Kumar Chaudhary. Chaudhary Foundation believes that women and children here will have easy access to health services after the birthing center service is operational.

CEO unplugged

Mrs. Merina Ranjit, the General Manager of Chaudhary Foundation moderated the session on "Sustainable Business for Green Economy," during CEO Unplugged orgnized by Glocal Pvt Ltd in Hotel Soltee.

Philippines preparedness team visited Chaudhary Foundation

The team from Philippines Preparedness Partnership visited Chaudhary Foundation to exchange knowledge and information on the private sector's involvement in disaster risk reduction, as well as their approaches and interventions for disaster risk education.

DGI 2024 Workshop

Chaudhary Foundation recently participated in a workshop on the Doing Good Index (DGI) 2024, which was organized by CAPs Asia in Bangkok. The workshop brought together partners from 17 other Asian nations that have collaborated with CAPs Asia on the DGI. It was a great pleasure for Chaudhary Foundation to attend the workshop and launch the next iteration of the DGI. The workshop helped the foundation to learn about ways to advance the study more effectively and understand their roles in the project.

In 2023, Chaudhary Foundation is looking forward to working on the Doing Good Index to study the factors that promote or impede private capital flow to Nepal's social and economic issues.

Elderly visit to Shashwat Dham

Starting from January 2023, the Chaudhary Foundation has been providing a Shashwat Dham tour every Monday to elderly residents from low-income families who live in the 32 wards of Nawalparasi. The tour aims to enable those who cannot afford to travel to Shashwat Dham on their own to visit the location

The Chaudhary Foundation has signed MOU with Design for Sustainable Development Foundation (DFSD),a subsidiary of AOD/DESIGN CORP Group of companies in setting up an initiative for the joint development of craft into lifestyle ,fashion and other related products.

ACTIVITIES OF UNNATI PROGRAM

Nawalpur Residency Program

Unnati Cultural village hosted one month-long residency program among five photographers and one videographer captured the beauty of village life in Nawalpur and Chitwan, serving as a symbol of courage, grace, beauty, and preservation to celebrate Tharu culture and their diverse stories.

Collaboration with Dhaka Art Summit

Unnati has collaborated with Dhaka Art Summit for the Art and Culture Project for a common platform for all the South Asian artists in exploring their creativity through cross-cultural learning.

Ceramics Symposium Program

Unnati hosted a one month long residential ceramic symposium program among 7 international and 1 national artist providing a creative space where they can self-reflect, think critically and engage in transformative activities in a local Nepali environment with indigenous people and their culture. This program was curated by Gopal kalapremi-renowned person. This program has been successful in bringing ceramic artists from across the country for the exchange of ideas and experience providing the opportunity to gather and celebrate the diversity of work being created.

Bharat Nepal Kala Sangram

Indiainnepal and Sushila Arts Academy jointly put together a week-long art exhibition “Bharat-Nepal Kala Sangam” which was inaugurated today at the Taragaon Museum, Bouddha. The exhibition was inaugurated by the Deputy Chief of Mission Shri Prasanna Shrivastava. The exhibition includes 38 artworks on different monuments of India and Nepal by 11 young Nepali artists reflecting friendship between India and Nepal. It is being held from 28 March- 02 April 2023. The event is supported by CG Unnati Cultural Village and AWON.

Unnati Mela

Unnati cultural village marked its 2nd anniversary on Saturday, March 11, 2023 (Falgun 27, 2079 in the presence of CDO-Krishna Prasad Lamsal and SP Bhuwanshor Tiwari of Nawalpur Kawasowti and Deupty-Mayor -Shanti Koirala of Gaidakot Municipality.

The Mela featured a variety of arts and crafts activities led by Nepalese and International ceramic artists, photography and videography artists with the goal of encouraging people to create, connect with, experience, and celebrate the arts and culture in all of their forms – visual, performing, and education.
We have organized two workshops on digital market and mobile banking forlocal women micro-entrepreneurs and women's groups in the districts of Nawalpur and Chitwan to help them with expanding their businesses and achieving financial inclusion.
Other attractions of the Mela were:

- Photo and video exhibitions of Nawalpur residency
- Inauguration of Open-air Museum
- Felicitation for the artist of Ceramic and Nawalpur Residency
- Art Competition
- Cultural performances

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Art competition for School children during Unnati Mela

Cultural performance from Magar community during Unnati Mela

School and College tour to UCV

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