

Manab Kallyan Parished-MKP

Report on Couple meeting

Date, Venue and Participants

Date	Venue	Number of Participants					
		Female		Male		Total	
		Total	Minority	Total	Minority	Total	Minority
22.05.2021	Goreya girls high school	20	03	20	03	40	06
22.05.2021	KamatkajoldhigiUP Sadar,Panchagorh	20	02	20	02	40	04
23.05.2021	Khongaon union	20	18	20	18	40	36
23.05.2021	Surir vita Sadar UP, Panchagorh.	20	05	20	05	40	10
23.05.2021	MaguraUP ,Panchagorh.	20	14	20	14	40	28
23.05.2021	Radhanagar Union Parished	20	06	20	6	40	12
24.05.2021	Bhomradha union	20	01	20	01	40	02
24.05.2021	Pirgonj union	20	00	20	00	40	00
25.05.2021	Molani high school, Debipur	20	09	20	09	40	18
25.05.2021	Dokkhinbotin primary school, Akcha	20	08	20	08	40	16
27.05.2021	Dhamor Union Parished	20	10	20	10	40	20
29.05.2021	Toria Union Parished	20	0	20	0	40	0
Total		240	76	240	76	480	152

Objectives:

- To increase relationship between the husband and wife.
- To develop understanding on importance of the role husband and wife in the family.
- To enhancing take joint decision in family.

Description (Briefly):

As part of the project's activities, the Couple meeting held at union level from 22 to 29 May 2021 in 12 unions of Thakurgaon and Panchagarh districts while maintaining social distance. Mixed of CSO members and community peoples 20 couples were present in each meeting. Meetings begin with a variety of fun stories, games, to make the relationship between husband and wife easier. Couples present never-telling stories of their lives at the meeting. Then, using different methods, issues like gender, important role of women in family and society, women's labor, dignity etc. are discussed with them. Couples rediscover each other through fun games, stories and new discussions. They realize each other's importance and build respect for each other. At the end of the meeting, they pledged to conduct their lives in a new way based on the views of both of them and will discussed the issues discussed at the meeting with their neighbors.

Link of Media Coverage (If any):**Immediate outcomes/ Key Achievements:**

- Increase the development of relationship between husband and wife.
- Promise given of land to wife by husband.
- The dignity of the wife has increased with the husband.
- Respect for each other has been created
- Family ties have been strengthened.
- Promise given of denmohor to wife by husband.
- Promise given not to take dowry in son's marriage.

Key Challenges:

- Bringing a meeting of the two together.
- COVID-19 situation.
- Lockdown

Pictures with captions:



Sengaon Union, Pirganj



Toreya Union, Atwari



Goreya Union. Akcha



Sadar Union, Panchagarh