

Manab Kallyan Parished-MKP

Report on Union Dialogue meeting

Date : 24 May 2021

Place : MKP Project office, Dhakkamara, Panchagarh.

Participants : Staff of Upazila Youth Development office, CSO members

No. of Participants: Female-15(Minority-02), Male- 15(Minority-02), Total- 30 (Minority-04)

Introduction:

Manab Kallyan Prished has relentlessly been implementing “Promotion of social partnership for Empowerment of marginalised communities in 6 districts and at national level in Bangladesh - PROSPECT” project with the financial assistance of BMZ and technical collaboration of NETZ-Bangladesh in Thakurgaon and Panchagarh district. As part of its efforts, a dialogue meeting between members of the Naghorik Somaj Songgathon (NSS) and officials/representatives of Panchagarh upazila Youth Development officeice was held at the MKP Project office, Dhakkamara, Panchagarh on 24 May 2021. The dialogue session was prominently focused on accessibility and availability of services from various entities towards targeted people through fostering a good and synergic relation.



Description:

The quarterly dialogue was presided over by Rosidul Islam of president of Upazila CSO committee while Mr. Aualad Hossion Youth Development officer, Panchagarh sadar upazila was present as chief guest. In his welcome address, Lilima mandal , Advocacy & training Officer explicitly narrated goal, objectives, outcomes and operational mechanism of the project and the dialogue meeting. Later, Aualad Hossion Youth Development office, highlighted different ongoing services of their departments for grassroots people. He also conveyed his sincere

thanks to Manab Kallayn Parishad-MKP for organizing such an event. He said that despite various limitations, the Upazila Youth Development office is working to bring their services to the doorsteps of the people. We believe that the quality of this service will be further enhanced through this type of event. Open discussion is held at this stage. In the open discussion session, Md. Hokiule Islam asked whether all the activities conducted by Upazila Youth Development office should be made known to the In reply, the official said the list of all activities would be hung in the union councils. People Alokarani Whether training can be arranged for the youth by going to the union level / area Wants to know whether any loan is given from the Upazila Youth Development office. In reply, from the Youth Development Office. When Md Aoshanhib Joni asked about training Tired and duration. Mr. Pervase Mosaruf Loans are available through some banks? In response, the Upazila Youth Development office Syed Kormosogsthan banks, Sonali banks, jonota banks. anyone had taken the money. The question-answer session was concluded amid raising and replying of various questions and answers. Finally, President Mr. Masud Ahamed Suborno concluded the dialogue meeting by thanking all the participants for their spontaneous participation.

Achievement:

- Spontaneous participation of government officials
- Participants were aware of different service provisions
- Development of mutual cooperation

Challenge:

- Work load of department
- Lowdown