

### MAHESHTALA MUNICIPALITY

### MAHESHTALA SOUTH 24 PARGANAS

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# E-NEWSLETTER OF MAHESHTALA MUNICIPALITY FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 2021

Activities during the months of November 2021

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

#### **Empowerment of Women**

Two new Self Help Groups (SHG) have opened their bank account and started regular savings. Four SHGs have passed grading exercise scoring more than 70%. These groups are forwarded to bank for first installment of cash credit loan (CCL). 7 SHGs have received second CCL, each of the group has received Rs. 2.5 lakh. 4 SHGs have received first CCL amounting Rs 1.5 lakh each.

#### Swaymsiddha Exhibition cum sale (Mela)

Swaymsiddha Mela was organized by Maheshtala Municipality for display of products made by SHGs and business run by them. Other than SHGs of Maheshtala Municipality, SHGs from Budge Budge, Daimond Harbour, Sonarpur, Baruipur, Jaynagar Majilpur municipalities were present. Mela started on 6<sup>th</sup> and continued to 10<sup>th</sup> November 2021 at Rabindranagar Play Ground. Thirty seven stalls were constructed including seven food stalls. Mela was inaugurated by Honorable MLA of Metiaburz and Additional Director of State Urban Development Agency. Board Members of Maheshtala Municipality and Officials were present in the programme.

Beside exhibition and sale, various cultural





programmes were held in every evening. Recitation, mime, song, drama, dance drama etc. were staged to popularize the mela.

#### **Shelter for Urban Homeless**

Shelter is being sanitized thrice a week to minimize risk of any infection. At present 37 inmates are residing at the shelter home. Special emphasis is given on regular check up of the inmates. Monthly health check up camps are organised. On 12<sup>th</sup> November special health check up was conducted. All the adult inmates received 2 doses of Covid vaccine.



## Activities under National Urban Health Mission (NUHM):

As pandemic is still not under control regular covid vaccination is in the top priority list. Besides regular vaccination from community vaccination centers, door to door vaccination for old and infirm citizens is being carried out. 120



people received covid vaccine at their door steps.

#### **Chokher Alo:**

"Chokher Alo" is a unique approach by Government of West Bengal to ensure eye health for all. Besides eye check up medicines and spectacles were provided to the beneficiaries as per requirement. 241 beneficiaries were benefitted through the schemes.





#### Activities of Mahila Arogya Samiti

Towards ensuring community health activity Self Help Groups are working as Mahila Arogya Samiti (MAS) and each group is raising awareness amongst 50-100 households on different health related issues. Door to door visits, wall writing etc. on health related awareness generation and percolating information on government health services are the main activities of these MAS.



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Chairperson Board of Administrators Maheshtala Municipality