

Monthly Newsletter - MARCH Edition

NGO Meet 2021

The 8th Edition of SANGAM NGO Meet was organized at CENPEID, Learning & Training Centre, Rohini Sector-11 to encourage and recognize the outstanding contribution of our NGO partners on 3rd March 2021. It brought together a gathering of more than 150 people, including NGO partners, Tata Power-DDL Employees and Beneficiaries from all SIG initiatives.

The event witnessed the esteemed presence of several senior officials led by Mr. Ganesh Srinivasan (CEO, Tata power-DDL), Mr. Dwijadas Basak (Chief-Commercial & SIG), Mr. K K Suman, Head (SIG, SCG, VCG, CCG, PA & LS) and other senior officials from Tata Power-DDL.

More than 130 WLC Instructors, coordinators, ABHAs, VT Shining Cases, Best staff were felicitated during the event for their contribution and work done towards community development. Every year we facilitate the top 5 best performing NGOs based on NGO scorecard. In addition, this year, we also facilitated those NGOs who supported and worked hard during pandemic to reach out to needy ones.

[Appreciating community for bright future!](#)

TAAP External Assessment

Tata Affirmative Action Program (TAAP) assessment is an evaluation of AA beneficiary involvement all over Tata group companies. This process includes continuous documentation, interaction with different stakeholders, presentations and field visits to our initiatives. This year owing to the pandemic situation, the assessment was conducted on a virtual level. The assessment panel was graced by Ms Alka Talwar (Team Coach), Mr Rohit Saroj (Team Lead), Ms Swati Sinha (Deputy Team Lead), Dr Neelima Tirkey, Ms Rashmi Soni, Ms Ritu Raj, Mr Prasad Kulkarni from different leading Tata Group Companies. It gives us an immense pleasure to state that Tata Power-DDL is bestowed a position in 601-625 band and is further nominated for TAAP Jury Award.

[Paving way for Society upliftment!](#)

Facilitation of E-Tablets and Reference Books in Government Schools

As we have seen that education has changed with E-learning/Digital platform during the outbreak of Covid-19 pandemic and closure of government schools. But due to lack of technology available to the students, especially those who are from low socio-economic background, have blocked their learning.

In order to combat the challenges faced by the students of government schools in accessing digital education and based on the feedback received from schools, students and parents for our previous endeavor of E-Tab distribution, Tata Power-DDL decided to facilitate E-Tablets to 500+ more meritorious students from AA community of Class-XI associated under its Tata Affirmative Action Program and other CSR initiatives. Walking on the same lines, reference books were also provided to Class XI students, which can further help them in understanding the concepts better and reaching new heights.

[Empowering youth to empower future!](#)

Sustainable Development Goals

4 QUALITY EDUCATION



3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



15 LIFE ON LAND



Quiz Time!

1. How many beneficiaries were awarded prizes in various categories in NGO Meet 2021?
2. How many volunteering hours were reached in TVW 15?
3. Facilitation of E-Tablets and Books is associated with which SDG?

Kindly send your responses & queries at monika.tayal@tatapower-ddl.com by 26/04/2021

Winners of Quiz Time for the month of FEBRUARY, 2021

JYOTI

UROOJ FATMA

MUNISH

(D-PPR)

(Finance & Accounts)

(Unauthorized Construction Complaint Cell)

Congratulations to all the winners!!

As a best practice, if you are conducting any self-volunteering activity, then kindly mail your experience at monika.tayal@tatapower-ddl.com, to get it published in the next edition of the SIG Newsletter.



Reaching Out to the Community

If we start treating our community as our family, we can overcome any adversity! TVW15 encouraged Tata colleagues to step up and be the spark of change that creates a beautiful tomorrow where all coexist in peace and tranquillity.

The Tata Volunteering Week - 15th Edition (TVW 15) was organized from 3rd March 2021 to 31st March 2021. This time, the pandemic has been a difficult path for everyone, but amidst this crisis, doing something good for the society gives a soothing feeling. This TVW 15 edition offered employees a unique set of offline and online activities. Thus, enabling employees to volunteer from the comfort of their homes as well as reaching out to communities in dire need.

TATA VOLUNTEERING WEEK 15
3rd March - 31st March 2021

SHATTER THE STATUS QUO

The theme of this edition was 'Shatter the Status Quo' and volunteers actively took up different activities. In addition, Senior Leadership Team (SLT) members and employees from Tata Power-DDL's different Business Development (BD) locations also enthusiastically participated and engaged in various activities for the welfare of the communities. Some of these activities include plantation, donation of essential supplies to an old age home/ashram, sensitizing the communities on COVID-19, specific-theme based sessions for beneficiaries, staff and NGO partners of our Vocational Training Centers (VTCs) & Women Literacy Centers (WLCs), ABHAs, students and teachers of government schools, Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) and other associated institutes etc. The collective efforts of all the volunteers helped us to contribute **15341 volunteering hours** towards various causes to support the communities we serve.

Some glimpses of the event are below:



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