

PROGRESS

- West Singhbhum team has selected and sent 19 youths to L&T, Delhi for skill training. Till date the JSLPS district teams have mobilized around 60 youths who are undergoing training on various construction techniques.

NEW HAPPENINGS

- JSLPS formally shifted to its newly furnished office on 3rd Floor, FFP Building, H.E.C, Dhurwa, Ranchi on 8th October 2010. Mr. S.K.Satapathy, Secretary, RDD, Govt. of Jharkhand inaugurated the office.
- JSLPS has signed an MoU with Micro Ware Computing and Consulting Pvt. Ltd. and TARU Soft wares for developing MIS system for the project.
- JSLPS has developed for 'Expression of Interest' for creating perspective plan for Model Village Development from firms/ agencies by 15th November 2010. The details of ToR can be viewed on www.jslps.in
- JSLPS has received Rs.18 lakh, from UNDP and Pancyati Raj Department's joint project Capacity Development for Local Governance (CDLG) project for strengthening of Village Development Committees formed under the project.
- NABARD, Jharkhand has conceptually agreed to provide Rs. 50,000/- per village for preparation of village development plans for 50 selected villages in project area.

MEETING

- JSLPS – Pakur team organized their 2nd District Livelihood Facilitation Meeting on 28th October 2010.

EXPOSURE

- JSLPS – Palamau team in coordination with Fishery Research and Training Centre, Ranchi organized a 5 days training on 'Fish Farming' from 25th to 29th Oct, 10. The training was attended by 20 farmers from Bishrampur block of Palamau district.
- 25 farmers and NGO representatives from Pakur visited Drip Irrigation Project in Angara block and HARP, Ranchi on 29th October 2010.
- 24 farmers and NGO representatives from Palamau visited Drip Irrigation Project in Angara block and HARP, Ranchi on 30th October 2010.

- Hon. Deputy CM cum Minister, Rural Development Department, Govt. of Jharkhand has kindly agreed to undertake visit to see project interventions in Angara block of Ranchi district.

FAREWELLS:

- Three of our Block Coordinators, Mr. Shailendra Anand, BC, Bandagaon, W.Singhbhum; Dr. Bably, BC, Barhi, Hazaribagh and Mr. Kishore Gajghate, BC, Bishrampur have left the project.

VISITS:

- As a part of finalizing procurement guideline for forthcoming NRLM, Ms. Shweta, Consultant World Bank visited JSLPS project office and Anagara from 28th to 29th October 2010, to understand procurement process.
- Ms. Charu Singh and Ms. Ankita, members of national committee on Minor Forest Produce, visited JSLPS office on 29th October 2010, to understand issues related to Minor Forest Produce and livelihoods. Today the team undertook field visit to project villages in W.Singhbhum district.
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- In connection with the new energy project of UNDP and ONGC, Mr. Deepak Upadhyay, State Project Associate and Mr. Amit Jain, System Administrator – visited Society for Rural Industrialisation (SRI) a Ranchi based NGO on 22nd Oct, 10. Later Mr. Debasis Mohapatra, Livelihood Specialist too visited JREDA, on 28th Oct.10. He would also be attending a LFA workshop for Energy project at UNDP Delhi scheduled on 1st and 2nd Nov.10.
- Mr. Deepak Upadhyay, State Project Associate – visited Pakur district from 26th – 28th Oct, 10.
- Dr. Kailaspati Jha, M&E Specialist and Mr. Amit Jain, System Administrator, JSLPS visited WORLP from 28th-29th October, 2010 and got acquainted with their MIS system. Dr.Jha would be further visiting SERP, Hyderabad from 8th – 10th October, 10 to view their MIS system.