

Inauguration of Vocational Skill Training Center at Sikkarhatta, Aara in Bihar

The Vocational Training Center at Sikkarhatta Village, Block Pero in District Aara was inaugurated by Shri B.B. Singh, ZPM-East, Gramin Vikas Trust on 29th of June, 2013. He was accompanied by the GVT-Patna Team including Sandeep Jaishi, Dy. Regional Programme Manager; Shaivya Sachan, Program Officer; Shantanu, Assistant-cum-Resource Person; and Sanjeev, Resource Person. The purpose of the visit was to sensitize and aware the community about the new initiative taken by Gramin Vikas Trust to provide training in the Computer (Basics) and Tailoring Courses in the Sikarhatta Village.



Shri Singh, ZPM-East and the Team addressed the young boys and girls of the village and advised them to focus on the importance of vocational training apart from the formal education imparted through schools and colleges. In his address, Shri Singh stressed on the importance of computer education in the current education scenario, and the opportunities they will get through this training center in the near future. The team was overwhelmed with the response and curiosity expressed by the youth to learn and embrace new things in their life. It was nothing short of an achievement for GVT when girls showed interest in computer training apart from tailoring after being informed about the importance of computer education in today's global world.



The purpose of the visit was to sensitize the Sikkarhatta community regarding opportunities available in the form of employment as well as the job prospects available to them to work in organizations such as L&T and SRSL facilitated by videos and resolve all their queries during the programme.

The program ended with the selection and formation of batches of **20 and 40 candidates** for training in computer and tailoring, respectively, in the morning and the evening batches as per candidate's preference. The Training was scheduled to start from 1st July, 2013 onwards, after the registrations were closed on 30th June, 2013.

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