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- ☞ Training for CREAM project staff at DBCLM, Davangere
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- ☞ BREADS takes part in the India Advantage Summit 2017 in Bangalore
- ☞ BREADS participates in the NGO Expo in New York- September 2017
- ☞ Arrival of volunteers from the Czech Republic
- ☞ Arrival of MSW interns from St. Joseph's College Irinjalakuda, and Don Bosco College Sulthan Bathery, Kerala
- ☞ Training for CREAM project staff on online documentation
- ☞ Signature campaign across the projects in Karnataka to include Human Rights Education in the curriculum

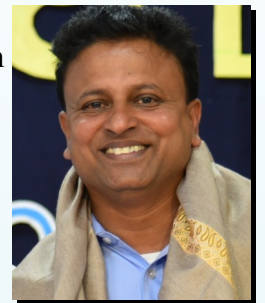
Don Bosco CHITHRA has been engaged in various social interventions in the past, catering to farmers, young people, women and children. The organisation has now built a new centre, where they can organize programmes and trainings related to the social and development areas. The newly-constructed CHITHRA Training Centre, a project of BREADS, will be a resource centre for NGOs, government bodies, Salesians and for the social workers engaged in our various Don Bosco Centres, for training and capacity building.

In this issue of Slice, we visit this new centre established in Don Bosco Chitradurga.

With best wishes,

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DIRECTOR'S NOTE



NEWS

The certification of 2nd batch and inauguration of 3rd batch at DB BEST Academy

The 2nd certification ceremony and inauguration of the 3rd batch of DB BEST Academy was held on 19 August 2017 at DB BEST academy Bangalore. 84 students from the second batch received the certification and 105 new students have made their way to the third batch of skill training. Fr. Joby Abraham SDB... [more](#)



The Launch of BREADS Annual Report 2016-2017

BREADS Annual Report 2016-17 was released by Fr. Joyce Thonikuzhiyil SDB, Provincial Superior Don Bosco Bangalore Province on 24th August 2017 at Provincial House, Bangalore. He handed over the first copy of the annual report to Fr. Jose Koyickal SDB, Vice Provincial, Don Bosco Bangalore... [more](#)



Gender equality training for youth in Hospet

Don Bosco Hospet conducted two day training for the youth on 4th and 5th of August 2017 on gender equality and rights of women. Ms. Shivaleela, Member, Child Welfare Committee Bellary was the resource person and facilitated the sessions on both days. Gender equality is one of the sustainable... [more](#)



Project staff training at Davangere

Don Bosco Child Labour Mission (DBCLM), Davangere under the Child Rights Education and Action Movement (CREAM) project organized the two days training on Karnataka Panchayati Raj act (Amendment) Bill, 2014, School Development and Monitoring Committee (SDMC), Right to Education Act... [more](#)





We envision a transformed and inclusive society. We create opportunities to bring forth the potentialities of individuals. We intend to bring about visible changes in our children, youth, women and marginalised sections of the society by generating knowledge and awareness.

For these reasons, a new community training centre was constructed in Chitradurga taluk of Chitradurga district in Karnataka.

The training centre is a lab for developing programme models, to document good practices, to offer grounds for research and documentation and to develop human resources for community development activity by hosting capacity building programmes, and nurturing participatory approaches while remaining inclusive to multiple stakeholders— rural people, women, youth, government officials, social workers and community organization leaders.

On 23rd August 2017, the CHITHRA (Centre for Human Intervention and Training in Holistic Rural Action) community training centre, was blessed by Rev. Fr. Joyce Thonikuzhiyil SDB, Provincial, Bangalore province, and inaugurated by Mr. G.H. Thippareddy, MLA of Chitradurga. The chief guest of the day was Mr. P.N. Ravindra KAS, the CEO of Chitradurga Zilla Panchayath. Mr. Martin Rohlmann, Cultural Officer/Vice Consul, German Consulate, Bangalore, and Fr. Joy Neddumparambil SDB, Executive Director, BREADS were the guests of honour.

The CHITHRA training centre was built and equipped with the help of BMZ Germany, and Don Bosco Mondo. The centre will undertake various capacity building programmes for women, youth, children, government officials, PRI leaders and social workers on community development, personality development, development issues such as environment, health, human and child rights, gender equality, etc. It will offer advanced trainings to strengthen the target groups with intensive and long lasting effects. The centre provides excellent accommodation facilities for trainees in the residential programmes.



Inauguration & Blessing Chitra Don Bosco Training Centre

