

# **Monthly Newsletter Pro Sport Development**

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## Kadam Badhate Chalo 2.0 Launched in 3 Locations

The Kadam Badhate Chalo 2.0 program, in partnership with PRIA (Society for Participatory Research in Asia) and MFF (Martha Farrell Foundation), was launched in September 2017 in 3 new locations of Japla (Jharkhand) and Panna and Sehore (Madhya Pradesh).



In Japla, the program was launched in partnership with local partners Sahbhagi Shikshan Kendra, with a Gender through Sports workshop held for 91 youth (42 female; 49 male) from 15-16 September. This workshop provided the youth with a basic understanding of gender in everyday life, including prevalent stereotypes and socialization processes, via creative sports activities.



In Panna and Sehore, the program is being implemented in partnership with local partners Samarthan. In both locations, the program was launched with multiple Freedom to Play sports camps designed to provide youth, both females and males, a safe environment to participate in various sports activities together to learn about team building, leadership and equality, and nominate themselves to become a part of the program.



In Panna, the Freedom to Play camp was deliverd in 5 locations to a total of 171 vouth (80 females; 91 males) from 21-23 September. In Sehore it was delivered in 2 locations to a total of 92 youth (66 females; 26 males) from 25-26 September.

## **Highlights**

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Training Workshop Conducted for PSD Coaches in BBSR

Distribution of Sports Kits to Participants in BBSR Initiated

**Participants of the Community Sports** Program posing in their new Sports Kits



#### **Media Reports**



#### Patrika 24/09/2017

Coverage of the Freedom to Play sports camps delivered in Panna, Madhya Pradesh as part of Kadam Badhate Chalo.

Read <u>full report here</u>.

#### Fostering Teamwork, Fairplay and Inclusion through Competition

Article on SportandDev.org about the Catching Volleyball Challenge organized by PSD in August, 2017 as part of the Community Sports Program, supported by Tata Trusts.

#### From Performance to Participation: The Future of Sport and Development in India

PSD's Founder Suheil F. Tandon shares his views on SportandDev.org on the sport and development sectors future in India.

### **Training Workshop Conducted** for PSD Coaches in BBSR

A training workshop was held on 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2017 at Pro Sport Development's (PSD) Bhubaneswar office for the coaches part of the Community Sports Program, supported by Tata Trusts.



The training workshop refined the coaches understanding of the curriculum and discussed improvements in program delivery. The focus was on progressions and recap questions relating to the games to aid in the children's grasp on the learning outcomes part of the curriculum.

## Distribution of Sports Kits to Participants in BBSR Initiated

As part of the Community Sports Program, supported by Tata Trusts, PSD started the distribution of sports kits (t-shirts & shorts) to children from 3 participating schools.

The sports kits were distributed to a total of 289 children from Saraswati Shishu Mandira and Bina Bharati Vidya Mandira from Bharatpur and Saraswati Shishu Vidya Mandira from Patrapada. Due to exams, sports kits to the rest of the participants will be distributed in October after the Durga Puja holidays.

### **New Team Members**



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