

Hope Kolkata Foundation

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During lockdown in 2020 due to COVID 19 pandemic, the State Commission for Protection of Child Rights, West Bengal introduced a new initiative to reach all the underprivileged street-connected children with remote education through Community Radio. Hope Kolkata Foundation was one of the major partners of this initiative which has successfully completed two years of its journey.

The Community Radio program is running through HOPE's Naboasha program, and for its excellent contribution, it has been recognised by West Bengal Commission for Protection of Child Rights on 23rd September 2022, at Rabindra Sadan, Kolkata during the 'Safe childhood" celebration organised by the commission.

On behalf of Hope Kolkata Foundation Ms. Gauri Pandit, Programme Manager of Naboasha Project received the award and felicitation from Dr. Sashi Panja, Honourable Minister in charge of Women and Child Development and Social Welfare of West Bengal, Mrs. Sanghamitra Ghosh, IAS, Principal Secretary Department of Women and Child Development and Social Welfare, West Bengal and Mrs. Nilanjana Dasgupta, Director of Child Rights and Trafficking, West Bengal in gracious presence of Mrs. Sudeshna Roy, Chairperson of State Commission for Protection of Child Rights, West Bengal and other respected guests.

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Bhagar Resource Centre for children with special needs was inaugurated by Mr. Sachidananda Das, Hope Kolkata Foundation on 15th September 2022



De-worming camps were organized by in HOPE Hospital for the children of Panditiya and Kasba crèche



The Honourable Deputy Director of the American Centre, Kolkata **Mr. Matthew Bikoff** visited few HOPE Projects including Nabo Asha GD Park Centre for street connected children, , Life Skill Training Institute and interacted with the youth and staff.



Hope Kolkata Foundation have been awarded 'NGO Leadership Award' at Times ascent Eastern India Leadership Awards, presented by EILM- Kolkata. Mr. Sachidananda Das, Secretary, Hope Kolkata Foundation received the award on behalf of the organization.



PwC India invited the students of HOPE's Life skill Unit to their office on the occasion of the 150th year anniversary celebrations of the organization and the 14th year celebration of PwC India Foundation.



Students of Mahadevi Birla World Academy, partcipated in *Daan Utsav 2022* and gifted new festival dresses to the children of Hope Kolkata Foundation

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