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INSTITUTIONAL VALUES AND BEST PRACTICES

7.2: Best Practices

7.2.1: Describe two best practices successfully implemented by the Institution as per NAAC format provided in the Manual

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BEST PRACTICE 1

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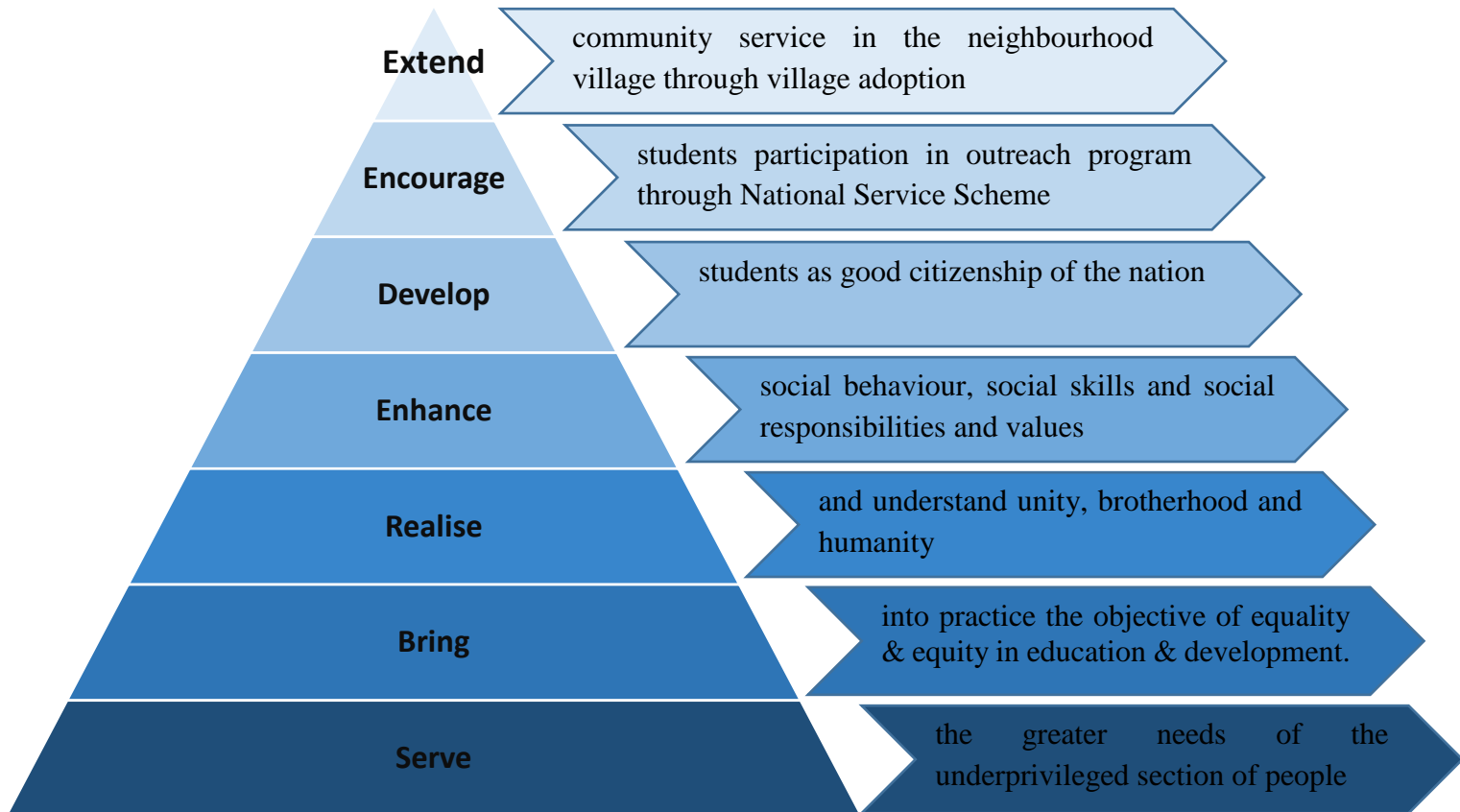
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Objectives of the Practice



The Context

The NSS Unit of Moran College adopted a village named Amguri Raidangia Gaon, Charaideo district on 31st October 2022 with a ceremony they organised with 90 volunteers. The Amguri Raidangia village consists of more than 230 families and a population of around 1500 people. On that very day NSS Special Camp at the adopted village was organised with a general meeting with Cabinet Minister Sir. Jugen Mohan and public. The village consists mainly of tea garden community families. The village also has a slum area. Mostly the villagers depend on agriculture and work in tea garden for their living. The socio- economic background of the village is poor and villagers are educationally backward. In fact, the transportation and communication system is poor. Therefore, the village has been adopted in a view to develop the quality of living standard of the villagers. Moreover, the mission of the village adoption is to aware and sensitized the villagers on various issues and develop capacity building of children and vocational skills of the adults.



The Practice

Since the adoption of the Amguri, Raidangia village the NSS unit has been taking initiative to provide better opportunities of living and to develop human resource.

Cleanliness & Plantation Drive

In the villages cleanliness and plantation drive were organised during special camp and under Swaccha Bharat mission.

A free village library has been set up in Amguri Raidangia village to encourage children and people to read books. The books were donated by the students and faculties of the college.

Free Village Library



Workshop Conducted

Various workshops were conducted in the last five years in the adopted village. Such as workshop on Organic Mushroom Framing, Sericulture Practices, Vermicompost Practices, Bio fertilizer management, Rose Flower Cultivation and Yoga and Self Defense for Children, Fire Safety Mock Drill etc. for benefit of the villagers.

The NSS Unit even tried and worked for construction of village roads connected to the main road by earth filling, construction of culvert etc. Construction of bamboo dustbins and bamboo fencing to cover the saplings that were planted by the students in the village were done.

Construction



Awareness Program

During Covid 19 pandemic, the NSS Unit distributed masks, sanitizer and food among the villagers of Dakshin Borphather Gaon and aware them on Covid-19. Other awareness programmes such as Tobacco Control and Cancer Prevention was also undertaken.

The NSS Day 2018, Fit India Movement 2019, National Nutrition Month etc. were observed and celebrated in the villages. Different cultural programmes and competitions are also organised from time to time in the villages

Celebrations



Evidence of Success



a). On 1st November 2022, 58 villagers came for health check up arranged by the NSS unit as a part of Special Camp. The health camp continued for 6 hours.



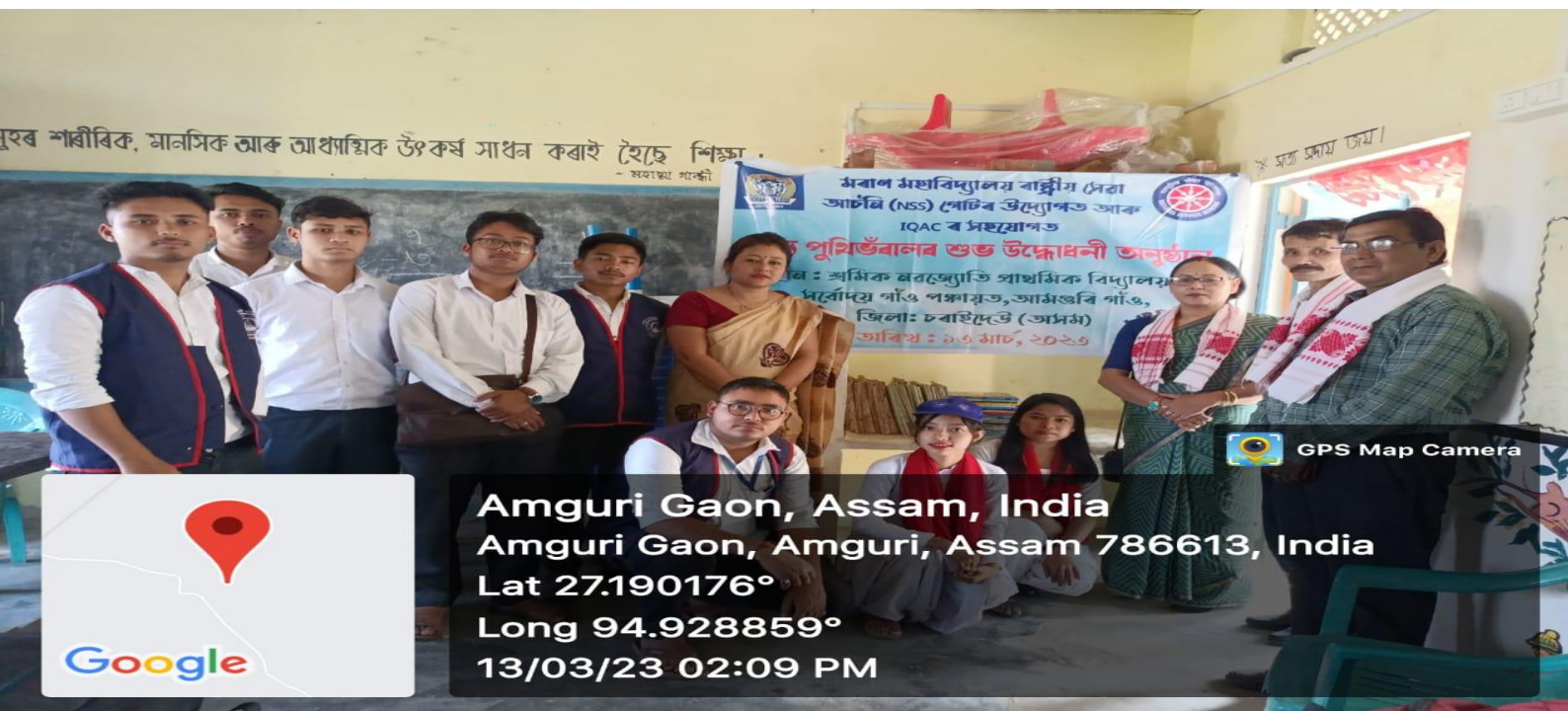
b). On request of NSS unit, Honourable Revenue Minister Government of Assam, Mr. Jogen Mohan has provided 800 CFT rock, two culverts for construction of the main village road which is connected to Moran-Naharkatia Road.



c). Free Veterinary Camp had been conducted by Moran Veterinary Hospital under district veterinary Office, Charaideo district on 4th November 2022 in the adopted village. The veterinary staff distributed medicines among the villagers and injected saline and medicine to the cattle.



d). Plantation and Cleanliness drive was conducted from time to time in the village.



e). With the initiative of IQAC and NSS unit a free village library has been set up in the Sramik Nabajyoti Primary School. The faculty and students of the college donated around 400 books till date.



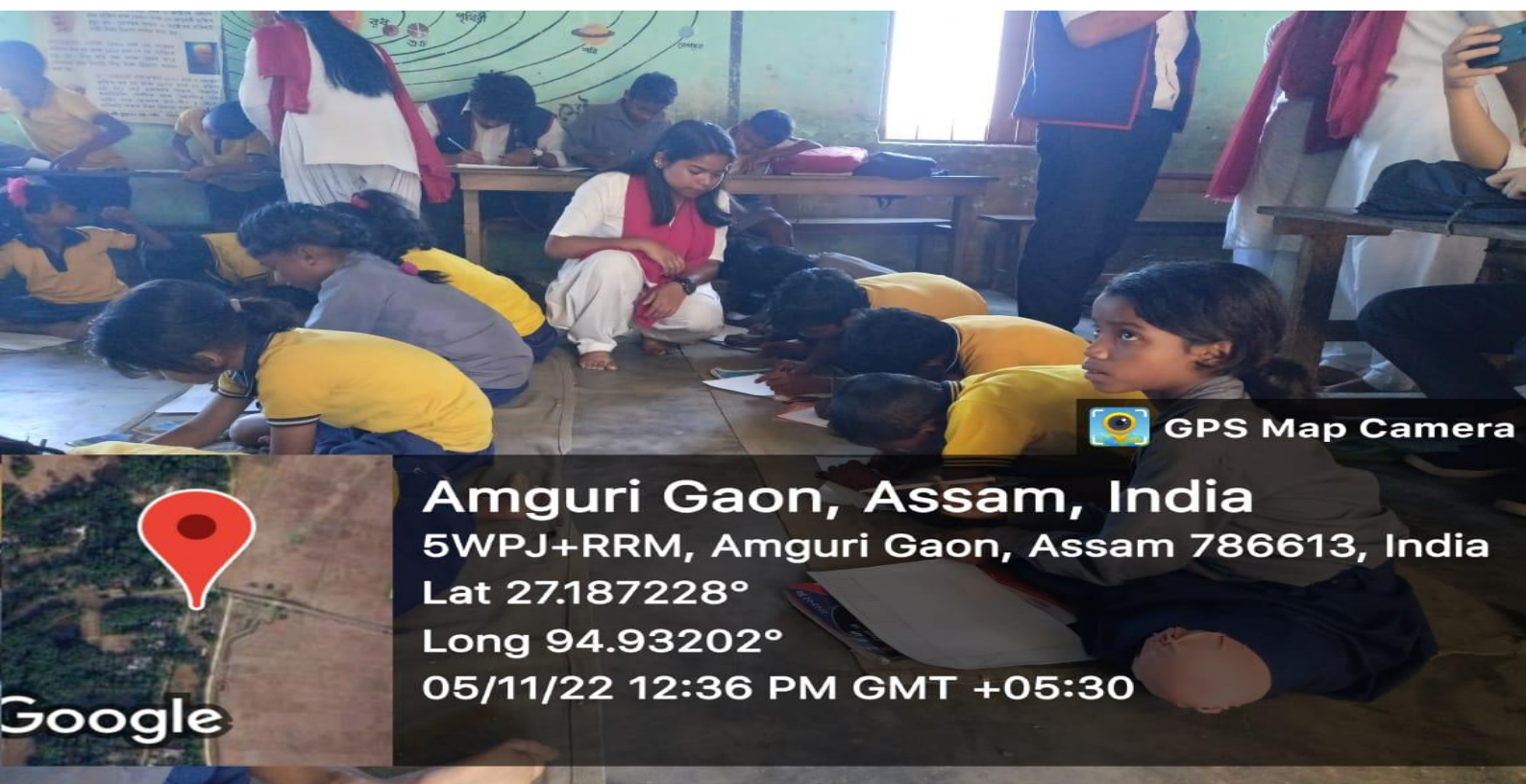
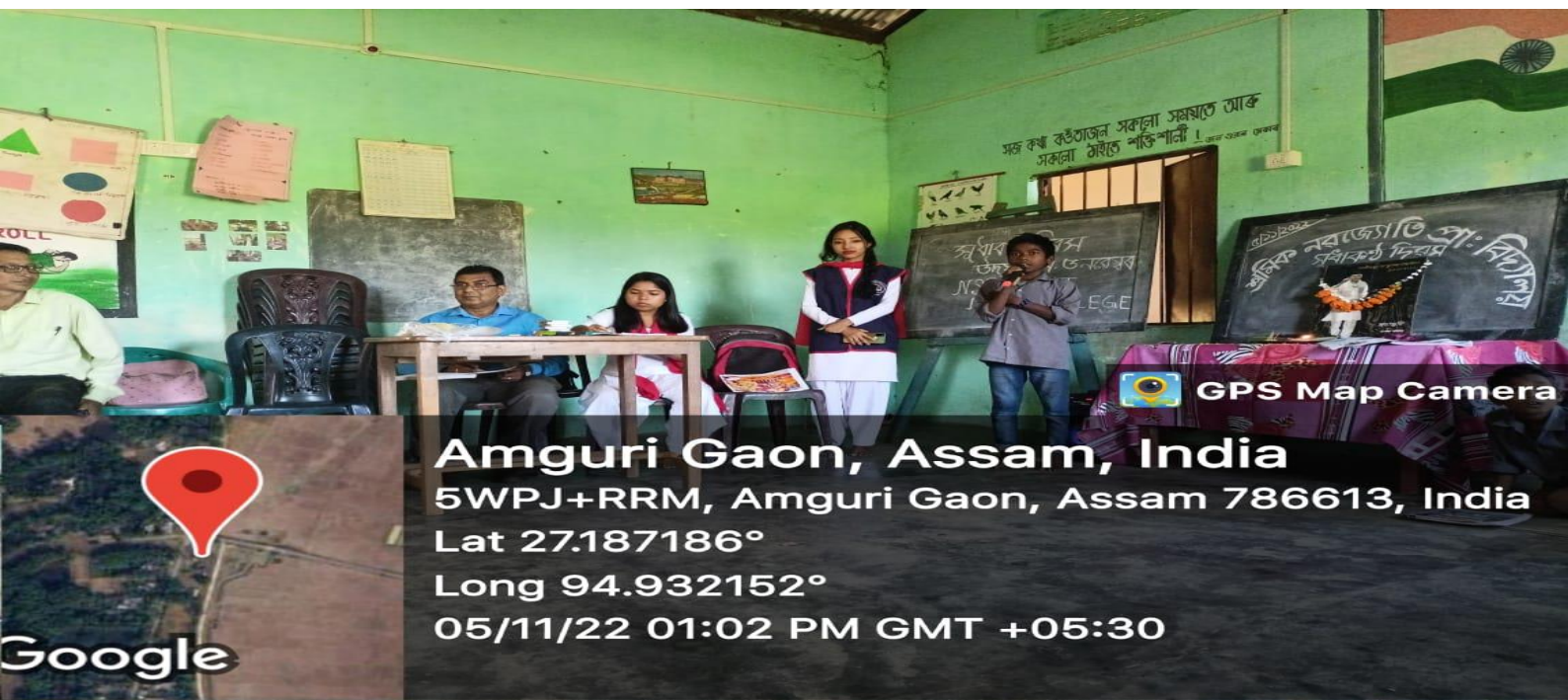
f). The students of Sramik Nabajyoti Primary School which is situated in the Amguri village were trained basic self-defense technique by Krishna Phukan, a coach with an award of Rising Star. Total 30 students of Class 1, 2 and 3 were benefitted from the training.



g). Workshop on Modern Agricultural practices and organic mushroom farming and bio fertilizer management in collaboration with district agricultural Department, Charaideo and Krishi Vigyan Kendra Simaluguri. Around 50 villagers participated in this workshop.



h). Awareness Program on Alcohol and Drug Abuse and Cyber Bullying was organised on 3rd November 2022. Around 60 villagers participated in this awareness program.



i). For capacity building of the children of the villagers different competitions were conducted by the NSS unit. Art Competition, Extempore Speech, Poem Recitation etc. were being organised on 5th November 2022.

Problems Encountered:

- Villagers' hesitation to come forward and participate in the workshops.
- Tight schedule of semester classes is an obstacle faced by students to participate and engage in the programmes.
- Lack of cooperation from the Amguri Raidongia HS school's principal for our services.
- Funds provided by the NSS Cell is not sufficient.

Resources Required:

- More participation of villagers in the programmes.
- Active participation of more faculty members of the college.
- More funds should be provided to conduct more valuable work.



The future of India lies in its villages – Mahatma Gandhi

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BEST PRACTICE 2

Title of the Practice: Empowering youth leaders for effective administration



Sub Title: Functioning of Moran College Students' Union with coordination of College Administration

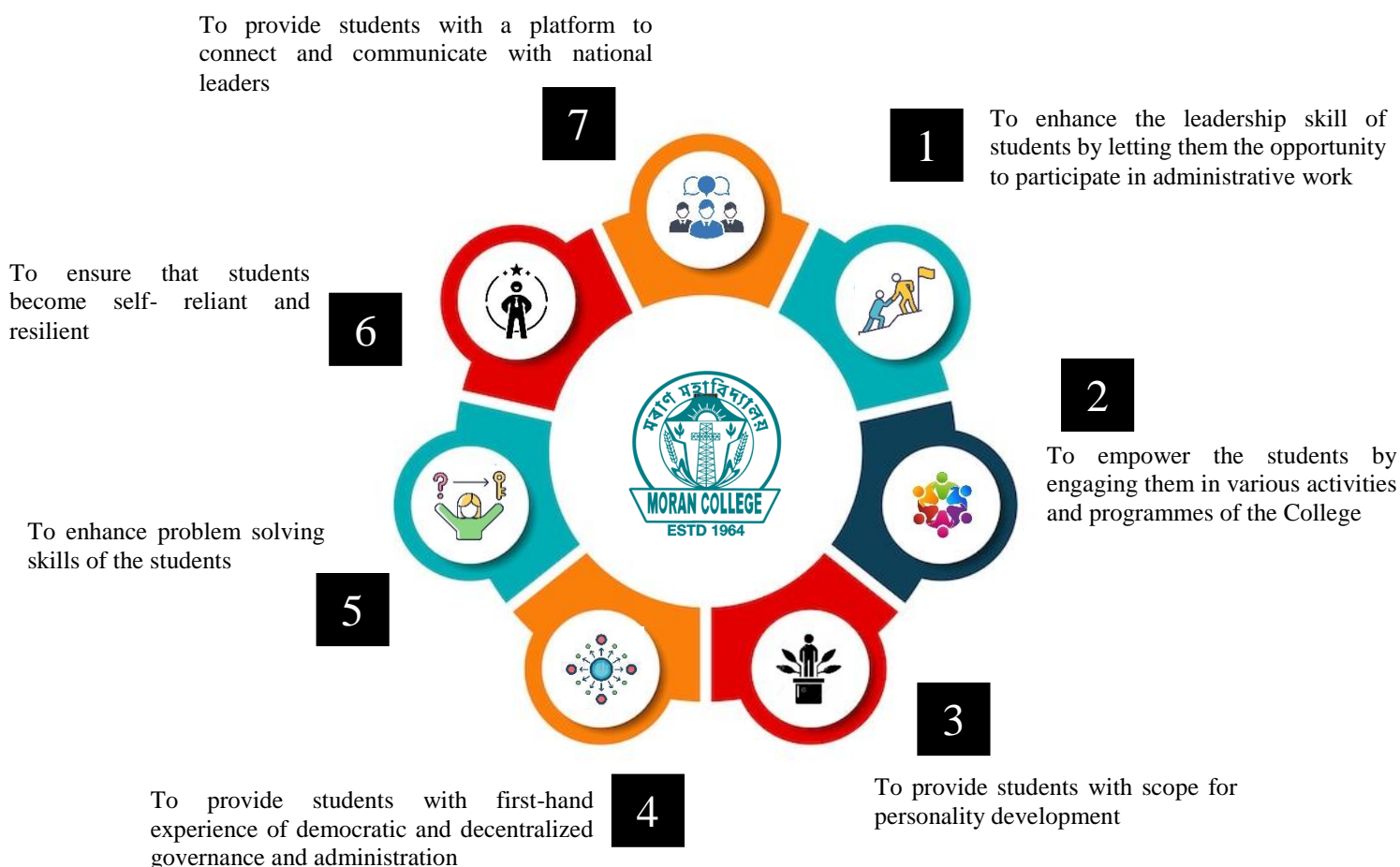
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Objectives of the Practice

The College makes this practice with the following aims and objectives in mind:



The Context

Moran College in the last five years has been thriving to empower the youth of the nation. Keeping in view that the strength of the nation rests upon the youth, the college has been able to create a healthy democratic environment for its students to participate in governance and administration.

- The Moran College has a democratically elected students' Union named as Moran College Student's Union. The voting is conducted by means of electronic voting machines.
- Candidates from all the departments and different socio-religious-economic backgrounds.
- The elected union body members function very effectively as follows:

The body conducts its executive meeting with all the secretaries, Department Representative on problems faced by the students of the college. Then the problems are listed out and they prepare a memorandum to be submitted to the college authority. The college authority, IQAC and the student body then holds a meeting while submitting the memorandum and discusses the problems and further steps to be taken. The works that are approved by the college authority is then entrusted to the respective secretary of the body to be done. The functioning is monitored and supervised by the General Secretary and President of the body. Likewise respective works are entrusted to the different secretaries according to the departments. The progress and completion of the work is informed to the college authority and IQAC. Then it is informed to the students of the college and necessary feedback is taken. To provide information and keep students up to date of their functioning the body has active WhatsApp groups and Facebook Page.



The Practice

Student's Election: Each year Moran College organises students' election in the purpose to elect the members of the Moran College Student's Union. Voting is done and completed through Electronic voting system. The Election Committee headed by the Returning Officer followed by Presiding Officer, Polling Officer, Counting Officer conducts the election democratically.



Students Participation in Governance: The authority and administration of the institution allows the student leaders to participate in various activities of the college. The functioning of the Union Body itself reflects democratize participation in governance.

Organising Events: The secretaries and members of the Moran College Students' Union take decisions and organises events such as Brahmaputra Utsav and Luka Kristi Xomaroh and so on.



Leadership Building: The various Departments of the college encourages students to participate in team work and group activities so that the students develop leadership skills. Eminent persons are invited to the college to give speech and interact with students in a way to motivate students for productive work and do good for the nation.

Feedback: The Union Body collects necessary feedback from the students to know about their faults and progress received from the students.



Evidence of Success

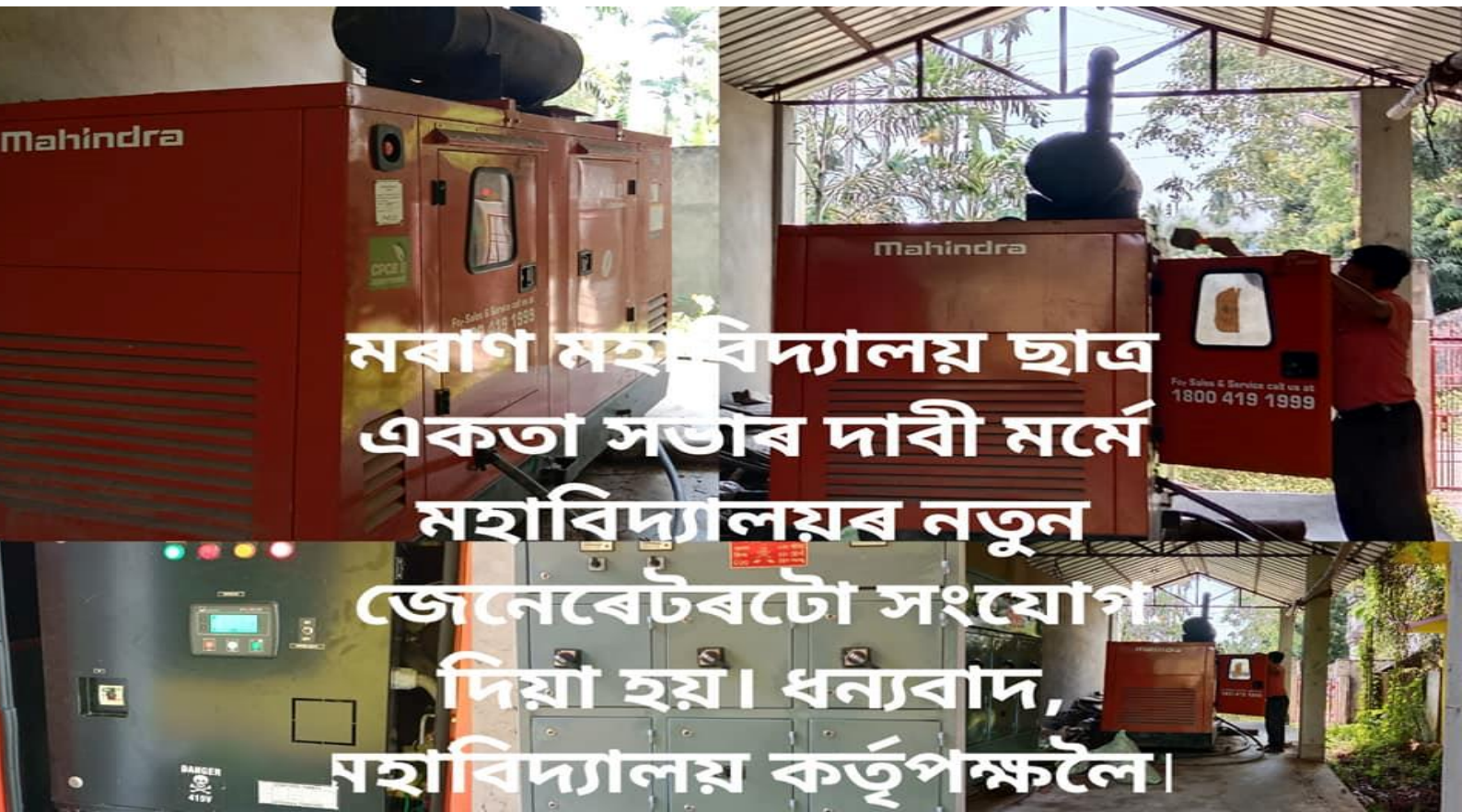
After taking charge, the members of Moran College Students' Union work to fulfil their manifesto. Some of the work that the Union body of 2021-22 and 2022-23 has been able to complete are as follows:



a). The Union Body (2021-22) has been successful in setting up a new office for their body on 8th June 2022.



b). Reopening of activities of Swimming Pool which was stopped during pandemic on 2nd June 2022.



c). Connection of new generator in the campus on 21st July, 2022.



চাফাই কার্যসূচী

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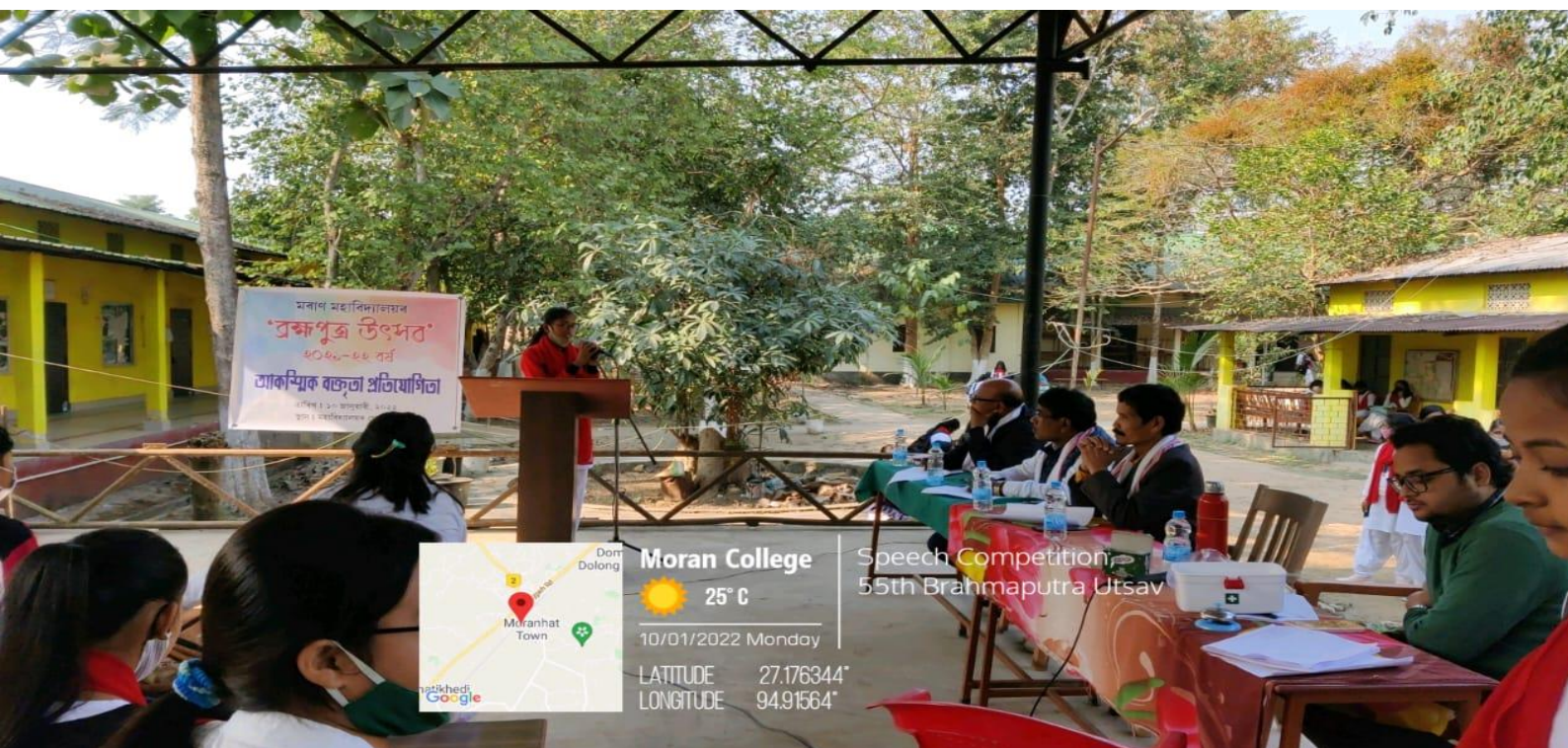
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d). Cleanliness drive are organized from time to time

e). The Union Body has been organising various creative competitions throughout their tenure. Each year Freshers Program for newcomers and Farewell program for the 6th semester students are organised by the Union Body. The college week named as Brahmaputra Utsav is organised each year. The Union Body celebrated Luka Kristi Xomaroh on 24th May 2022. All Assam Prize Money Open Quiz Competition was held on 11th June 2022. 24 group of participants from different districts of Assam participated in this competition. In addition to these, Inter District Swimming Competition was organised on 2nd October 2022. Around 50 competitors joined the competition.



Participation of Moran college students in Youth Festival at Digboi Women's College accompanied and guided by Student union Moran College



Brahmaputra Festival (Annual Sports Week)



GS Meet of different Colleges affiliated to Dibrugarh University

The feedback collected from the students are uploaded in the YouTube

<https://youtu.be/vO4u1Ppta58>

Problems Encountered:

- The tight schedule of classes, sessional and final examinations under CBCS
- curriculum acts as a barrier to students to work accordingly.
- Sometimes the administration decisions are not according to the needs and decisions of the union body and students.
- Lack of funds for its functioning.

Resources Required:

- More faculty participation and encouragement in the functioning of the body.
- More skill development and vocational and professional courses for the students.
- More participatory programmes for the students.



***We cannot always build the future of our youth but we can build our youth
for the future - Roosevelt***

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