

## Harun has gone ahead to fulfill his dream

Harun is an extreme poor resident of 07 ward, Saiodabad, Lordharding union under Lalmohan upazilla



and his father name is Md. Basir Ullah. Harun's family is an extreme poor family and lives from hand to mouth.

When Harun has bought a cow by the loan

Harun received an interest free loan from the union parishod at 20.11.2015 by the help of ward citizen committee. He wanted to change his luck by doing hard labor. He wanted to become self reliant but did not go ahead for not having capital in his hand. He got T.K.10000 from the extreme poor fund of union parishod and bought a cow by T.K. 16000 adding with his own T.K.6000. Harun's dream was to sell the cow in T.K. 28000-30000 and buy more two cows.

Harun bought the cow T.K. 39500 after one year later by rearing this. He added more T.K. 20500 with this money and bought two cows and a calf at T.K. 60000. Harun's wife Mahinur Begum takes care of the cows when Harun goes to the river by fishing.

Harun thinks that man is the architect of his own fortune



Now Harun is the owner of the three cows and near to fulfill his dream.

Harun says that at first I bought a cow but now I am the owner of three cows. He again says that my dream is to make a farm of cow and I will change my luck by my own effort.

Harun's determinations are the main factor of his success. By the by he became self reliant and economically developed. Now he has become model of the union and many people are following him.

The chairman of the union parishod Mr. Abul Kashem Mia says that there is lot of small entrepreneur like Harun whom we are giving interest free loan and they are trying to change their fate. At present the interest free loan has given to 28 poor families. In future fund will be created and then more poor families will cover under this facility.

## Making road by the self initiatives of ward citizen committee

Hasannagar union, Burhanuddin upazilla, is a river eroded union in Bhola District. The union is not infrastructurally developed for this reason at the tidal the water is floated



A serious problem of people by the broken road

to the houses and roads of the union and people suffer much.

At the time of natural calamities to develop

infrastructural and non-infrastructural development by communicating with the union parishod the ward citizen committee was formed at the beginning of the project. At the meeting the responsibilities are distributed among the members of the committee and have to solve the problems.

At last September at the time of meeting the infrastructural secretary Taslim Maji presented that at present the main problem of this ward is a broken road in front of the Hasannagar govt.primary school. This broken



The work of road repairing is going on by the WCC

road is created by the tidal of the river and it is about 25-30 feet.

For this broken road the

communication is stopped at this area and people are suffering much. For this broken road the students of this ward who go to the school, college and madrasas and the general people who use this road are suffering much and their daily activities are obstacle.

At the meeting this subject is discussed and as per the decision it is informed to the up chairman. The Up chairman said that at this time there is no allotment and refused them. When they not get help from the union parishod then they came to the ward citizen committee and decided to make the road by their own initiatives. The president of the wcc Md. Nazrul Islam and agricultural secretary Md. Md. Nazrul arranged money from the general people of the locality and the people who have no money gave their labour. By the help of all people of the locality the work is done at 29 September

and the expense of this was T.K. 12000. By contacting with 8 labors, T.k.500 per day the total expense was T.K.12000. With the labors from the wcc the Sirazul



After completing the work of broken road, Citizens are walking on the road.

Islam, Nazrul Islam, Shakaot Mia, Hadis Mia worked with other 25-30 local people whose labor cost is approximate

ly T.K. 37500. By the imitative of the ward citizen committee the work of T.K. 50000 is done at the amount of T.k. 12000.

At present about 1000 people are using this road at the time of going to the schools, colleges and other places like hat, bazaar etc. The 06 ward boatman Rafizol Maji said that there were lots of problems for this broken road. The general people of the locality said that the wcc members have showed the example of doing the work by their own initiatives which will help us to build us and doing our work. The people of the locality give thanks to the ward citizen committee for doing such a great work.

### Nilima Rani has become self-reliant by Getting the training

By the initiative of the Jonosongoton and by the arrangement of the Jubo Ynnayon Adidaptor the training of poultry was held at 07.11.2015 at Gazaria Bazar



At the training Nilima Rani is participating with others participants

Secondary school and 40 extreme poor women got the training. Nilima Rani was one of them who got the training. She

was aredent of Hindu gram 07 no ward, Charumed union. She has two boys and two girls and her husband is a farmer who lives hands to mouth to continue their family. They also can not afford the money which is



Giving vacine of Nilima Rani door to door after getting the training

needed to continue the cost of study of their children. The members of ward citizen

committee made the list of extreme poor of poultry

training and submitted it to the Jubo ynnayon and arranged the poultry training at the union level. At 07.11.2015 the poultry training was started and it continued to 14.11.2015. Nilima Rani completed the training very carefully. After getting the training the Nilima Rani started to give vaccine to her ducks, hens and also did the vaccine to the duks and hens of other people. The neighbors requested to give vaccine to their ducks and hens and also gave the charge of vaccine and her honorium. Nilima Rani found the way for earning. She bought vaccine from the Upazillz livestock office and gave vaccine to the door to door. She earns T.K.2000-2500 per month as a result her husband is feeling relaxed. She expresses her feelings to the Jonosongoton and said that I could not afford three meals in a day. She again said that the Jonosongoton helped me much and now my family is happy and planed. My only dream is to make my son educated.

### Visiting the income and expenditure of the union parishod by the Jonosongoton

To ensure real development there is no alternative of



The Jonosongothan is cheeking the income and expenditure of the Union Parishad

interrelation ship of the mass people on the other hand if the general people can check the income and expense of the union

then the transparency will be increased and sustainable development goals will be achieved easily.

The Farasgong union Jonosongoton of Lalmohan union decided to check the income and expense of the union parishod at their monthly UJS meeting at 19.07.2016. By the decision of the meeting the UP secretary Md. Mokammel Haque presented the yearly income and cost of the union parishod. It is seen that holding tax was T.K. 135790, Entertainment tax ( Birth, death, citizenship tax) T.K. 8350, licence issued by the up was T.K. 14350, from Izara T.K. 10100, From the wealth T.K. 6000, govt. donation from ADP T.K. 433203 from LGSP 1957900, land transfer fee in one percent T.K. 2000000, in total 2769881. The Jonosongoton also checked the cash register, check register, six monthly reports, and yearly report and other reports of the union. They also checked the total income and expenditure and saw it very carefully. The UP secretary said that such kinds of checking are not done before. He also said that at past we could not show the income and expenditure of the union parishod but now this wrong idea has gone and now we are opening our information in the notice board. He again said that if anybody wants to know the information in using the format then it will be



published.Says that we have to know the information of income and expenditure of the union parishod. He again said that we checked the Voucher with the cash register and gave them advice. Such kinds of visiting will be needed to ensure the transparency and accountability of the union parishod.

## **Social audit on Health to Increase Health services**

Social audit activities have started in Bhola district under



Social audit activities is going on Upazilla Sador health complex

Responsive Unnion Parishad to increase the health services. Five members of committee were formed including Union Jonsongothon and general citizens who participated at the social audit. This social audit committee visited various places as like Upazilla health complex, Union Famly walfare center, comiunity clinic of these Unions and they meet beneficiaries and took their interviews and took the management committiees interview.They also cheeked the documentation of the health center and analyzed the services of the present situation. The main purpose of social audit is identifying of the various problems and sending it to the Dialogue of Union level, Upazilla level and District level.

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MonthlyWCC meeting	108	108
Monthly UJS meeting	12	12
Bio-Monthly UP Coordination Meeting	07	07
Bio-MonthlyStanding Committee meeting	12	12
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Monthly coordination meeting	01	01

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