Dear Friends,

With a grateful heart, I express my sincere thanks to all who have been supporting me in carrying out my responsibilities as Director of Bosco Seva Kendra for the past three years (2015-2018).

I thank God for his guidance. I immensely express my gratitude to Fr. Ramanedi Balaraju SDB, Former Provincial and Fr. Thathireddy Vijaya Bhaskar, present provincial for their guidance and encouragement.

Thank you dear fathers, brothers, donor agencies, CSR Partners and local benefactors for your generous help and support.

Thank you, dear staff members of Bosco Seva Kendra, Don Bosco Tech, Don Bosco Human Resource Development Centre, DHISHA and MACS (SHGs) for your support and encouragement. May God bless you and your family members.

Fr P Arul Das SDB
Executive Director

Rev. Fr. Bellamkonda Sudhakar SDB
New Executive Director of Bosco Seva Kendra (BSK)
Salesian Global PDO’s Meet at Nairobi

Salesian Global PDO’s meet was held on 24th April to 27 April, 2018 at Nairobi, Kenya. The main focus of the meet was to find a common approach of managing the PDOs for the good of our missions in the world. There were 132 participants from all over the Salesian world, representing 68 PDOs and other international agencies.

The conference began this meeting on 24th April with the opening remarks from Br. Jean Paul Muller, the Economer General. His precise speech was on WORLD and SDB CHALLENGES.

“The big Challenge is this fractured world and we are called to bring in future, bring in visions, bring in Holiness in the sense that we are supporting people in a holistic way.”

Br. John Paul Muller, the Economer-General of the congrega-tion, also the President and Convenor of the conference, released the new “General Guidelines of the Model and Tasks of the Provincial Planning and Development Office in the Salesian World”. The new guidelines outline the PDO’s nature, structure and position in the province, and its specific tasks. The meeting assessed the progress and status of the various PDOs after the last meeting in Hyderabad in 2011, through various presentations by the international (funding) NGOs partnering with Don Bosco, and by PDOs themselves.

Mr. Markus Burri (Switzerland) and Ms. Silvia Cromm (Germany)

Ms. Alessia, Italy
A CSR PARTNERSHIP FOR PROGRESS

For any development agency to realize its mission, a strong relationship with one or more funding agencies that not only believe in the mission but also the organisation’s commitment to achieve it, is most important. A strong funding partnership can be the key to sustainable development.

For the past four years, Niehoff of India Private Limited - a machinery component manufacturer - has been BSK’s consistent partner for progress. Since 2014 when the then BSK Director Fr. Thomas Santiago forged a relationship with Niehoff of India MD Mr. Daniel Thomas, the two entities have been able to reach out to more and more people in need. Niehoff has provided financial aid to benefit BSK’s development initiatives targeting children, youth and women in some of the most neglected areas.

Director Fr. P Arul Das has ensured that the partnership sustains to achieve some remarkable impact in each of these target groups.

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BSK hopes that more corporate companies would take up CSR to help make a difference in the lives of the less privileged members of the communities they operate in.
Empowering Youth with Skills for Life...

Women Redefining Success (Don Bosco Women Self Help Groups)...

OUTREACH IN 10 YEARS

25320 EMPOWERED WOMEN
2754 SELF HELP GROUPS
471 VILLAGES
28 MANDALS
2 DISTRICTS

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