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Operational Context

Nepal promulgated its new constitution in 2015 in a peaceful process that restructured the country as a federal democratic republic, creating an excellent opportunity to achieve economic growth, poverty reduction and pursue the 2030 Agenda. However, the COVID-19 pandemic and subsequent nationwide lockdowns have pushed people back below the poverty line and reversed some of the economic and developmental gains made in the previous decades.

In December 2022, Pushpa Kamal Dahal was appointed Nepal's Prime Minister for the third time, leading a coalition government. Currently, Key issues facing by Government, is to manage coalition government, other than this the new government has to focus on issues relating to the country's economy, foreign policy and environment. The absence of Youth engagement, dealing with the slew of societal issues including the Gender-based Violence, underage marriage and fail to strengthening the economy is also major challenges facing by Nepal. Nepal Scout is currently in its first year of the current National Strategic Plan 2022-2032, addressing Nepal Scouts vision 2032 membership growth by 700,000. Nepal Scouts has been operating in Nepal since 1952 AD to educate young people by supporting their Physical, Intellectual, Social, Spiritual and Emotional development so that they may become responsible citizens with useful skills to benefit society.



Nepal Scouts:

001: National Headquarters

007 : Provinces 753 : Local

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Membership In Numbers

Total : **74594** Total Male : 39,803

Total Female : 34,791 (Jan,2023)
Affiliation : WAGGGS, WOSM
Partners : UNICEF, FNPP

Operational Updates

- 258 Volunteer were mobilized throughout the Nepal in different Social activities like:
 - President Program
 - HISSAN Run
 - Rescue operation of Plane Crash in Gandaki Province
 - Cleaning work is Armed Police Base Camp Barhathwa Municipality Sarlahi
 - Makar Mela (Religious Fair)
 - Gosaikunda sradha mela (Religious Fair)
 - Salinadi mela for the month of magh. (Religious Fair)
 - Madhav Pradesh Yatra
- Province Lumbini and Province 1 Scouts have successfully conducted on Stop The Violence orientation Program. There were 233 adolescent's participants in Lumbini and 5 Schools in Province 1 respectively.
- Camps-Local associations have conducted friendship camps as well as winter camps. Local Level includes Nagarjun, Godawari, Bharatpur, Madi and Thakre in Bagmati Province.
- 7 day Disaster Management Training was conducted where
 67 Scouts participants from Province 1, Madesh and
 Bagmati Province between the age group of 18-30 years
 were actively participated.
- Preparatory Course and Farewell Program for YESS 2023
 has been conducted by Nepal Scouts NHQ from 3rd 7th
 January 2023. Three young girls, Ms.Pratishtha Subedi,
 Ms. Roji Bhatta & Ms. Sisam Pariyar are representing Nepal
 Scouts as a Volunteer Participants and Ms. Delina B.K as
 a professional participant in different African Countries
 (Malawi, Zambia, Ghana & Madagascar)respectively.
- Inter Petrol Cooking Competition for 32 scout students; one day training on mushroom cultivation and production for 64 students belonging to Shree Pahalmansingh Memorial Boys/Girls Scout Troop and Scout orientation and convocation program of 32 students has been conducted in Sudurpaschim Province.

Nepal Scouts National Strategy 2022-2032

Vision 2032

By 2032 Nepal scouts will be the preferred youth movement with 7,00,000 young members Nationwide, which is well managed, Self-dependent and supported by competent leaders for the development of young people with their active involvement in decision making level.



Strategic Priority 1: Youth Program

Strategic Outcome:

Nepal Scouts should ensure the youth program is vibrant and relevant to current youth trends and is effectively implemented providing safe environment in all Scouting activities, ensuring inclusiveness (gender, etc).

Activities:

- Nepal Scouts 35 member's contingent along with 5 delegates participated in 18th National Jamboree organized by Bharat Scouts & Guides in Rohat, Rajasthan, which was started from 4th of January 2023 to 10th of January 2023.
- On the occasion of National Yoga Day, one day program was organized by the Nepal Scout with the main slogan "The desire for healthy life: Yoga, education and sadhana". 22 scouters participated in the program.
- A winter camp of 1 night and 2 days was completed on 4th and 5th of January 2079 in Sarlahi District Bagmati Municipality of Madhesh Province.70 young scouts, 12 scouters and representatives of urban education participated in the camp run under the leadership of Dilip Prasad Upadhyay.
- One day youth scout mobilization training against drug addiction has been completed at Shree Kanti Rajya Lakshmi Secondary School Ghodaghodi Municipality-10, Kailali trained 64 students belonging to Kanti Boys/Girls Troop.



Strategic Priority 2: Adult-in-Scouting

Strategic Outcome:

The priority focuses on effective implementation of National Adult Development Policy ensuring competent and motivated leaders as per the requirement are available at all levels and in all roles.

Activities:

- BTC/PTC conducted at Manthali, Sunapati, Madyapur Thimi and Mahalaxmi where total of 189 new scout masters were trained
- Scout Advance conducted at Kalinchowk and Godawari where
 92 Scouters got chance to upgrade their scouting level
- Troop Leader's and Patrol Leaders Training Scheme developed.



Strategic Priority 3: Good Governance

Strategic Outcome:

The priority area focuses on transparency, accountability, responsive, fully constituted, and functional association at all levels, delivering quality Scouting in respective areas of operation as per the laid rules/procedures.

Activities:

- The final audit of the year 2078/079 has been completed by the Office of the Auditor General of the Government of Nepal.
- The final audit of Nepal Scout for the year 2078-079 has been completed and the report has also been received from CA Auditor.



 The meeting of the Province ad hoc committee has been conducted under the chairmanship of the newly appointed state Coordinator of Madhesh Province Mr. Dinesh Kumar Yadav.

Strategic Priority 4: Resources Development and Management



Strategic Outcome:

Nepal Scouts to ensure efficient management of assets at all levels, explore new source of revenue, partnerships and further strengthen the available revenue centers toward association's self-reliance.

Activities:

- Coordination with KTM CTY for Scout outlets in 7 different locations of Nepal.
- Kakani International Scouts Centre (KISC) is functioning well for Resource generation of Nepal Scouts.

Strategic Priority 5: Communication



Strategic Outcome:

This strategic priority will ensure the development & Implementation of communication Policy and emphasis on the effective communication with all stakeholders adopting impactful methods, brand promotion & protection.

Activities:

- Meeting with Finland Ambassador to discuss on the project entitled "Scouts, Peace and Security". The project is a joint partnership between Finland Guides and Scouts and Nepal Scouts in the thematic area of "Peace Education". The operational period of the project is 2023-2025.
- Nepal Scouts is having close coordination with UNICEF Nepal in the area of Social Behavior Change (SBC) and formulate country strategy for 2023 - 2027 where scouts could be major contributor in risk mitigation through community engagement in change the social behavior.

Strategic Priority 6: Membership Growth



Strategic Outcome:

This priority focuses on increasing membership towards achieving the vision 2032 by implementing efficient growth strategy, ensuring reaching to all segments of society and making Scouting easily accessible to every willing young person.

Activities

- A membership Growth Strategy has been developed and implemented.
- Online Membership Registration System (OMRS) has been fully implemented.
- Need assessment is completed to produce adequate competent Unit Leaders in all seven Provinces.
- Orientation and Unit establishment is ongoing in all Provinces.
- 4th United Youth Fun program is completed in Mechinagar, Jhapa.
- Growth Campaign in Gandaki Province.