

NEWSLETTER

JANUARY-JUNE, 2024

January till February was mostly uneventful for EPSA-Nepal as we worked on producing stock products for the felt items while for the Karuna division we dismantled our first rug woven by Fulmaya, Sandesh and Pabitra in our new facility.



In March, we truly reached a milestone as we hosted the graduation for the first batch of weavers for our new Karuna division. The ceremony was hosted at Karnor carpets, the firm we partnered with for our carpet department.

In April, we welcomed Anneliese and Katharina from Verein SURYA Nepal in our home, we were delighted to host them and also visit all the students that they have supported for their education. We are also quite thankful for the support presented to 25 new students in their academic journey.





Anneliese also connected us with this lovely couple whose well wishes were received by us as their wedding present. The present truly came to us at the time we needed it the most as we struggled to meet some outstanding expenses. We really want to thank the couple Isabella and Dario.

Alongside them, we also want to extend our gratitude to the Luzhong girls who extended their support to us through Annelies.

May was truly an eventful month as we had tons of visits and events we participated in. EU Nepal Business Forum was one of the highlights of the month as through the event we received a lot of exposure for our carpet division alongside the work EPSA-Nepal does.



In the event we met with H.E. Dr. Thomas the ambassador of Germany to Nepal who has been a long time supporter of EPSA-Nepal. We also met with the ambassador of Finland who voiced her support for the initiative we are taking and the work we have done till now. It was an amazing experience to meet and network with amazing people in the span of two days.

We were also visited by our long time friend Teija from babadum who has supported us by giving us work alongside purchasing the products that we make ourselves. She is also one of the first buyers of the rugs woven at our Karuna division, we are forever grateful for her everlasting support.





Not just our long time friend but even new friends that came to be from the new project that we started showered us with encouraging words and help . Reto and team visited us in our new facility.

We are always looking forward to meet new people in our journey to expand the work that people with disability can do and the achievements they can accomplish.

June has been amazing so far with a lot of communication and meetings. We met with the minister of industry with the help of Nabin Shakya who is the vice president of the federation of handicraft association Nepal, with his help we were able to talk about the work we have done and the work we are planning to initiate with the minister.



We were also quite thrilled to host Merja Reunanen as she has been a friend of EPSA-Nepal for quite a log time and has also shown tremendous support by ordering one of the rugs in our facility to provide work for our membrs.

EPSA-Nepal is grateful to all the organization and individuals who have been with us till now.



We are really thankful for your support and encouragement.

Our new facility would not have come to be if it were not for the support we recieved in the past and present, we will always have each and every contrbution whether small or big in our hearts.



EPSA-Nepal is working on a new collection of christmas items with exquisite designs and colours. Our sisters have successfully produced many attractive christmas items of one of the best quality so far. So, if you would want to have them for christmas then please let us know as soon as possible, we are always thankful for the purchases made by everyone.



We are still working on one more floor of the new facility for our members to reside in so if you would like to contribute in it's completion we will be really delighted to have your support.



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