

Shikharapur Community Learning Centre (SCLC)

Kathmandu, Nepal

Presenter:

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About Presenter

- **Niroj Shrestha from Kathmandu Nepal**
- **Founder of Shikharapur CLC**
- **Research Student of Lifelong Learning**
- **a positive, active and creative Sustainability Campaigner...**
- **Participant of Asian Future Youth Project, Okayama Summary Conference, January 2014**
- **International Visitor's Leadership Program (IVLP), 2014 Alumni, USA**



My Presentation...

Inspiring Theme

"If not here, then where.
If not now, then when.
If not me, then who."

2013年度国際会議「アジア青年未来プロジェクト岡山総括会議」
International Conference for Financial Year 2013
—Asian Youth Future Project Okayama Summary Conference—
開催日：2014年1月23日(土)～25日(日) January 23rd-30th(Thu)
主催：COINN (特定非営利活動法人 岡山国際関係団体協議会) Host: Conferece of Okayama International NGO Network
共催：岡山市 Co-Host: Okayama City
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アジア青年未来プロジェクト

by: COINN, Okayama

Presentation Outline

- About Nepal
- Introducing Shikharapur CLC (SCLC) , Nepal
 - Social business Activities
 - Unique projects of SCLC
 - Future Plan of Shikharapur CLC

About Nepal



Birth Place of Buddha, Lumbini



Mt. Everest, Top of the world

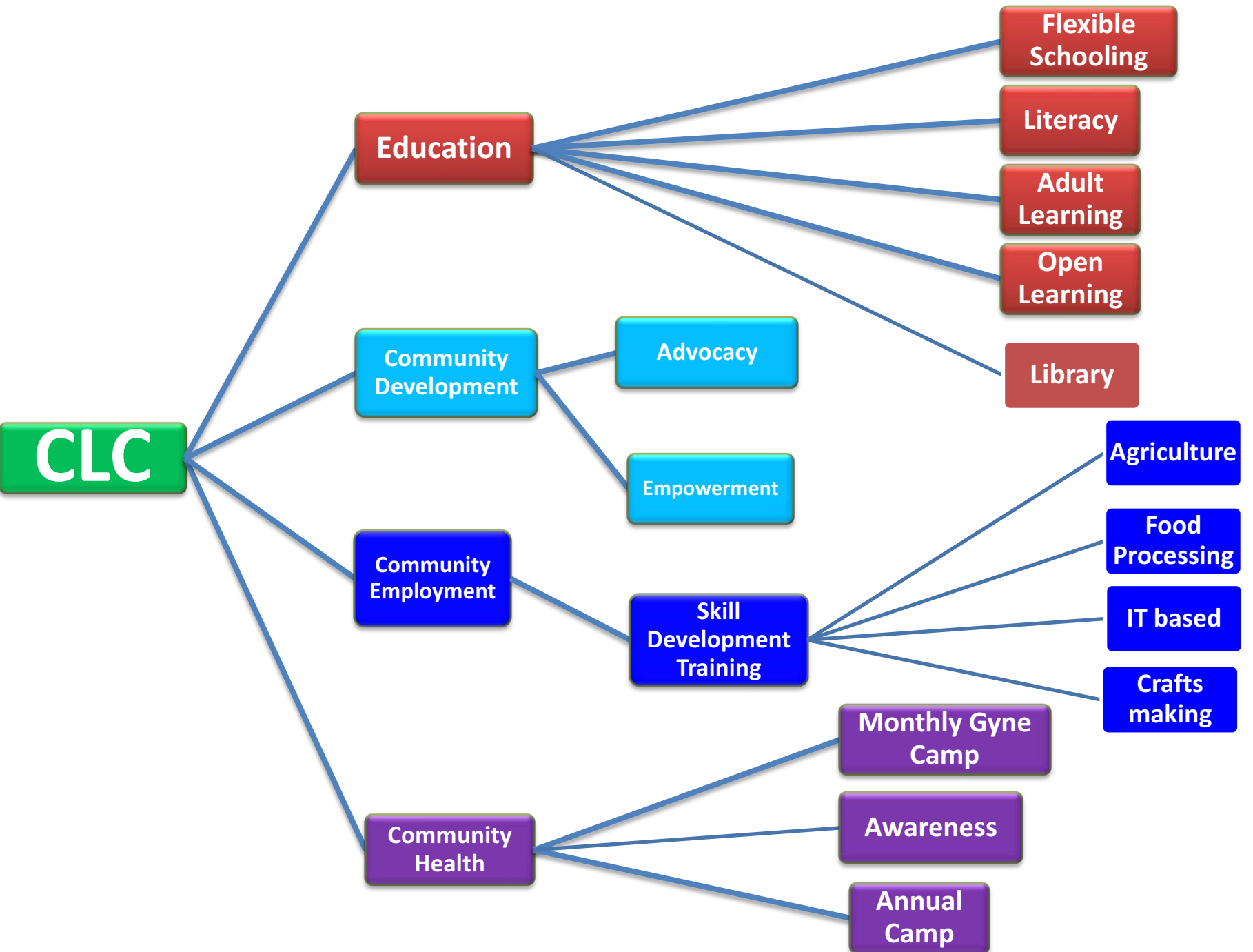


Introducing Shikharapur CLC

- Community owned, community led
- Inclusive Management Committee
- Less funded organization, community initiative
- Fund from Government and UNESCO is just catalyst fund for us
- model in Community movement
- synergy of management, staffs and community due to devotion in community development
- mobilizing youth students from colleges for different campaign

Working area and target groups





Social Business for Youths Employment

- Business by community organization for self financing
- Creating economic Opportunity for women
- For Youths Self Employment
- For Demonstrating Feasibility of Agriculture and other business in community
- development of **Shikharapur Sustainable Farmers' School** to meet this target
- named as **Bottle House Project**

Shikharapur Sustainable Farmers' School Bottle House Project

❖ Creation of Eco Friendly Bottle House

❖ Farming

- Cow Farm
- Poultry Farm
- Organic Farm, Cash Crops
- utilization of sustainable technologies

❖ Training Centre

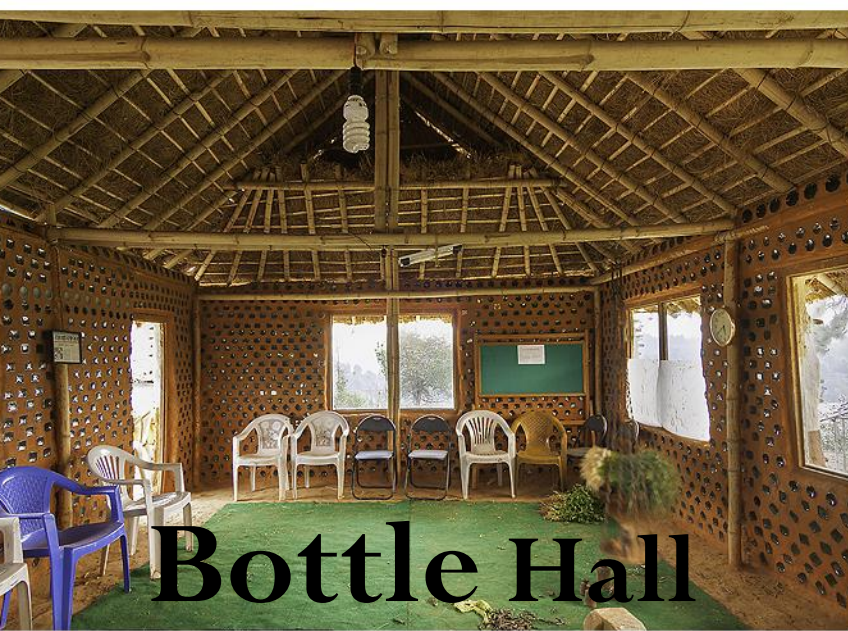
- Farmers' School
- Youth Center



FARMERS SCHOOL



House made of waste glass bottles



Bottle Hall



Bottle Houses

Farmers' Training



Youth in agriculture



Cows and organic manure





Organic Products



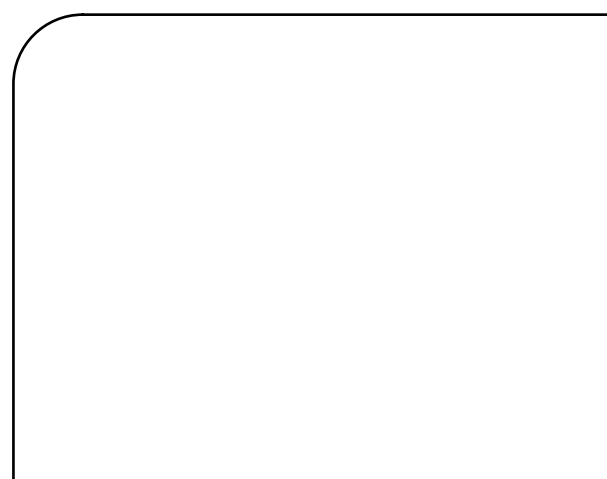


Food processing Training



Lapsi Candy Production





Computer Trainings

Community Education



Women School Group



Women School Classroom



Flexible Schooling Program (FSP)



Shikharapur Open School





Applying new concept of Literacy in Nepal/ Family Literacy

Family Literacy Glimpses



CLC

Education

**Flexible
Schooling**

Literacy

**Adult
Learning**

**Open
Learning**

Library

**Community
Development**

Advocacy

Empowerment

**Community
Employment**

**Skill
Development
Training**

Agriculture

**Food
Processing**

IT based

**Crafts
making**

**Community
Health**

**Monthly Gyne
Camp**

Awareness

**Annual
Camp**



Health Camp organized by CLC

Youth's Participation in CLC

Youth in awareness



youths in HIV/AIDS Awareness



Volunteer Program at CLC



Students of Social work





Youth's initiative for Community Fund

Marriage and Utilizing Own Resources



Supported 250,000 for Manamohan Memorial
Community hospital

Marriage and Utilizing Own Resources



Cheque handover NRS.275,000/- for Women Education

Marriage and utilizing own resources



300,000 NRS support for farmers school of CLC and a trust

Marriage and Utilizing Own Resources



101,000 support for School and 52, 000 support for trust

Support and Rewards for CLC



Handover of High Literate Village Award given by Former Prime Minister

CLC Award given by Director General of MoE





Other Activities of CLC

CNN Hero Ms. Puspa Basnet



to encourage women for study...

In Country Exposure of CLCs



Funded by UNESCO, 23 Districts' CLC, 29 CLC Managers, 7 Days intensive exposure cum training



Former Prime Minister of Nepal observing CLC's stall during International Literacy Day 2013



"Stories of Success"-Book Published by CLC

Working with Stakeholders, Government and International

- UNESCO Kathmandu
- Nepal National Commission for UNESCO
- Ministry of Education
- District Education Office and Non Formal Education Centre Support
- COINN, JAPAN
- Local Political Parties and Community

Future Plan

- Establish Food Processing Unit
- Annex school for creating skilled manpower
- Develop a resident for youths to support their education and skill to transfer the farming knowledge to villages
- Develop Shikharapur CLC as a model in South Asia.

Documentary Video of Shikharapur



Thank you Dhanyabad

