

Runner Service Schedule 08 January, 2007.

12 Jan, 2007, Ktm. - Phaplu -by plane

(if plane is not late go to Ringmu)

13 Jan 2007, Phaplu - Ringmu

- 1) scholarship distribution & update information about scholars
- 2) Ringmo School: giving notice to the teacher and SMC about the HP supports, explaining about project and handing over the proposal format, asking about the support which they strongly claimed in Ang Nuri's possession (but probably in bank)
- 3) Giving information about the forth coming excursion program
- 4) Seeking informations about 231-Kaljang Sherpa – if they need something - the donor **might** be able to help after the burning down of the house.

14 Jan, 2007, Ringmu - Solung - Junbesi

- 1) Solung: handing over the proposal format, explaining about it
- 2) Solung: information about the forth coming excursion program

15 Jan 2007, Junbesi - Mopung

- 1) scholarship distribution, taking interview, making report
- 2) Junbesi: Arranging scholarship administration for designed students by (Ang Phuti's son)
- 3) Checking progress of Communication Center
- 4) Asking for date of Dumje
- 5) Having meeting with Mopung school about the tin roof project

16 Jan 2007, Mopung - lamjura - Sete

- 1) Lamjura: Monitoring water supply project
- 2) Scholarship distribution in Dakchu and Sete, updating information about them etc.

18 Jan 2007, Sete - Sagar Bakanje - Chhimbu

- 1) Scholarship distribution, interview with scholars, updating their information
- 2) Sagar-Bakanje: monitoring the new school building
- 3) explaining project proposal, handing over to the school and having their approval
- 4) giving information about the forth coming excursion program

19 Jan 2007, Chhimbu

- 1) Scholarship distribution, checking our scholars taking their interview and updating their information
- 2) explaining about the project proposal and handing over to them, having a meeting with SMC, teachers and Land owner
- 3) Informing them about the forth coming excursion program

20 Jan 2007, Chhimbu - Lamjura

- 1) Completing the unfinished work

21 Jan 2007, lamjura - Loding - Tamakhani

- 1) Scholarship distribution in loding and Tamakhani, updating scholars information
- 2) Tamakhani School: explaining about project proposal and handing over them to the school
- 3) informing them about the forth coming excursion program
- 4) Loding School: checking progress
- 5) Tamakhani Youth Club: checking for activity (tell them, that we have money for Clubhouse now, but they will only have it, if they show considerable and appreciable activity according to previous discussion)

22. Jan 07 Tamakhani - Salleri

- 1) Scholarship distribution, information update
- 2) visit to land measurement office and land revenue office to get the land registered in Chhimbu school name
- 3) Mount Everest Boarding School: computer project
- 4) informing them about our forth coming excursion program

23 Jan 2007, Salleri - Phaplu

- 1) continuing unfinished work
- 2) meeting with some people
- 3) informing about the forth coming excursion program
- 4) probably go to the Solu FM station to inform about excursion program
- 5) Discussing with Ang Ngyima about Disabled center at Phaplu
- 6) Checking the school above Phaplu – comprehensive report
- 7) Discussing Disabled Health Camp at Phaplu with Ang Ngyima and with Hospital

24 Jan 2007, Phaplu - Katmandu - by plane

Remaining:

Toilet construction Concept (Sagar-Bakanje, Loding, Thamakhani)

Apple Cold Store Concept (Pasang Kaji, Phaplu – Temba's brother, Ringmu)

Those papers are not completed – they will come later – probably next runner service tour

Reporting:

Only Phaplu School is comprehensive report

Rest of reports are superficial

Report **Runner Service 27 January 2007.**

Ringmu

I distributed Scholarship to the students and gave the notice of HP future supports to Ringmu School. I met one teacher named Chhewang Nuru Sherpa and Phu Gelzen Sherpa. Proposal format was delivered, explained them about the project, I told them to identify the problem of school and make the proposal so that HP could support. I was informed that they would know about the school money when Ang Nuri comes back from USA, he is in USA now. Head master and other are also on the winter vacation.

A schoolteacher and Phu Gelzen have been informed about the forth-coming excursion program. Data of the student of Ringmu School of class 3-7 has collected for the excursion programme

Information about 231-Kaljang: Kaljang's family is taking shelter in her grand-mother's house. Although they wanted to have their own house, Kaljang mother hasn't been able to build the house, as she has nothing except her three children. Whatever she had was destroyed in the fire. Villagers have given some cloths and foods. They are looking for more support but she is not getting any more support. Kaljang Mother told me that she had no money to build the house but she was looking for loan to build the house because Kaljang's grand- mother doesn't want them to live with her any longer.

Solung

In Solung, I couldn't meet the concern person. Teachers are on the winter Vacation and chairman of the school was gone to the forest to cut firewood. I waited almost two and half hour but he didn't come. I asked some people if the cloths and sewing machine of the school are arrived there but they said no. I left the message for the chairman to come to Junbesi to meet me about Solung School but he didn't come in the prescribe time.

Junbesi

1. Scholarship was distributed to the students but interviews were not taken and reports have not been made as they are just having winter vacation and final exam has not been held yet. However I have asked how their studies were going on, and suggested them to study hard and attend the school everyday. I also tolled them that they have to bring letter and mark sheet for their donor when they come to collect the scholarship next time.

2. Arrangement of the scholarship administration for designed students by Phurwa Jangbu Lama was made. I handed over an account book and the scholarship of designed students to Phurwa Jangbu lama to administrate properly.

3. Communication Center: The construction inside and outside of the building has completed but Rooms aren't equipped. Very nice toilet has constructed at the corner of the door. According to Ang Dome, as TRPAP check the tourist information center and communication center, it will get some more support from TRPAP and from that support the necessary furniture will be made for the museum and tourist information center then it will be well equipped. Telephone line is still yet to come and it is expected to come between March and April. I asked NTC in salleri about their plan of telephone line in and I got the same answer. However Chungba Lama and his neighbor kanchha have bought private STM telephone line, it is said that it would be operated quite soon.

4 Date of Dumje: It will start from 14th April and continue to 4 days. First day; Sang, second day: Chhyam, third day: last Chhyam, forth day: Ong.

5 Arrangement of lodging and food for the school excursion group: Ang Dome will provide lodging and food management for the excursion group. Charge for per head for per day is 130. This charge includes food two-cup tea and lodging.

Mopung

Scholarships were distributed to all our students but this time there was no interview and report of the students, as their final exam is not held. I informed them that they have to come with mark sheet and letter to the donor next time. Interview and report will also be made at same time.

Meeting with the Chairman of Mopung school about the tin roof project was held. We checked the roof of the school, condition of the wood below the roof and measured them. We estimated necessary wood, stone etc. Project description will be made and submitted to HP soon.

Lamjura

A) Lamjura Water Supply Project: lamjura water supply committee has transported the pipe and water tank successfully and they are stored in Sonam's Father in-low house. I could not meet with Sonam and his father in low due to Sonam father in low has been sick and undergoing treatment in Phaplu Hospital. I had a meeting with Secretary of LWSP Mr. Dome Sherpa, member MR. Pemba Sherpa Kande, and member Miss Maya Sherpa. They didn't start the work yet due to the freezing but they said the work would be started as soon as ice and freeze are melted. Lamjura villagers formed a water user committee, which consist six members in total. Following the name list members:

Mr. Sonam Sherpa	Chairman
Mr. Dome lama	Secretary
Mr. Ngawang Samden lama	Treasurer
Mr. Pemba Gyalzen Sherpa	Member
Mr. Lhakpa Sherpa	Member
Mr. Pemba Sherpa	Member

Account of the lamjura water user group is following:

Income

From HP for the transportation of the pipe and tank	3000
Water user group committee collected 500 each and six person in total $500 \times 6 = 3000$	<u>3000</u>
	Rs.6000

Expenditure

Pipe transportation charge from factory to bus station	Rs. 1.000
Kathmandu to Jiri by truck	Rs. 2.500
Jiri to Bandar by small truck	Rs. 2.000
Bandar to lamjura	<u>Rs.12x50kg</u> Rs. 6.000
	Total expenditure Rs.11.500

Secretary of the water user group said that Sonam Father has some more bill of lodging and food of three person during the Pipe supply but he doesn't know what was the expenses in that bill. It is seen that expenditure is more than income. Secretary said that user group would collect the money and cover the expenses.

Chhimbu

Meeting was held with the teacher Jangbu and Nima Ongchhu. Proposal of Chhimbu School was handed over, and explained to the teacher about it. As HP needs the project detail quite soon, they will send the project detail to HCDO before first week of February.

Meeting about the land purchasing was held with Ang Gelbu, Jangbu teacher and Nima Ongchhu about purchasing the land below the trail. Chairman of the school was not there; he was in Jiri for his personal work. Ang Gelbu the landowner agreed to sell the land of $\frac{1}{4}$ with the price of Rs.12.500 including with registration fee and everything. As soon as HP is agreed with the price and size of land, one of the teachers of Chhimbu School and Ang Gelbu will go to land measurement office for the process of registration. Necessary land was measured and picture was taken. It will be send to HP immediately.

Land above the school building. The landowner Mr. Gelu Sherpa had gone to Chhimbu with his two daughters and stayed there for three days, and then he returned Katmandu before I reached in Chhimbu. He informed to Jangbu teacher that he had to go back to Katmandu due to his personal reason but he was sure to sell the land for the school. He also informed to Jangbu Teacher and also left the message for me that he would come to Chhimbu again for giving a land registration for the school.

Chhimbu School sewing machine and tea-shirts were arrived in Chhimbu School.

Sagar-Bakanje

1. When I was there school building was constructing. All together 17 people were working. The foundation of school has already been completed and it was about to put the RCC on the foundation.

After the RCC the doors will be put. The worker said that by 15th ó 20 February the naked building would be completed. The work done so far was Perfect.

2. Scholarship distributed to the students. Contracts are made. Proposal of the Sagar Bakanje School was handed over To the Jangbu teacher of Sagar Bakanje School and explained him although Head master Ang Dawa already got them her in Kathmandu.

3. School has been informed about the forthcoming School excursion programme.

Loding - Tamakhani

1. Scholarships were distributed in Loding School students. New contracts have been made. Project proposal of the Tamakhani was delivered to the schoolteacher Bai Kaji Magar. Explained him about the proposal and asked him to make a budget on the point (A2) and (B) added by HP.

2. I have informed him about the forth-coming school excursion programme. I also had a Meeting with chairman of Tamakhani youth club. I checked the activities of the club but recently there were no activities. According to he and Chet Bahadur, 56 sweaters were made so far. The wool has been distributed to the sweater weaver and they will finish weaving before the new academic session is starts so that club could sell sweaters to the students. I told them that they have to show considerable and appreciable activities to have the HP support for building a clubhouse.

2. Progress of Loding School: Loding school roofing on building and paving wooden floor has been completed. Balcony has completed in front of the school al. 25m long 18ø wide and 25ø height wall has been constructed. 2500 pieces ceiling woods for the wall ceiling and top ceiling are already cut and transported. They are on the schoolyard now.

Salleri

1 Scholarship distributed to the students. Management of the lodging and food for the excursion is planed: Laxmi lodge will provide lodging and food for the excursion group. The charge of per head for per day including with lodging and food is Rs.120 but tea is not included in this charge.

2. Mount Everest Boarding School: computer project description was handed over to the chairman of the school Ang Ngima lama. And he had presented it at school meeting of the school.

3. I have visited young star club, Solu FM and community library and information center in Solu. I have informed them about our forthcoming excursion programme and asked them for their cooperation. Community Library has five computers in big room. I asked the authority to use them and give a general knowledge about the importance of computer by showing our students.

5. I visited Salleri Electricity Company and met with the chairman. Our students will be allowed to visit powerhouse of the electricity and observe he will give detail information of when it was build and by whom, the number of household that consume electricity and the number and kind of factories run in Salleri by the electricity, the charges for per unit, Importance of the electricity for the development. The chairman of the Salleri electricity company has connection with Chyalsa Tibetan refugee camp and Tibetan boarding school. He will take our excursion group there and show around.

6. I visited with District Development office and Salleri VDC office to collect the Data for Helga for last year Upper Solu Survey Report but there were available some DDC profile and Salleri VDC profile which I have collected. But Upper Solu VDC doesn't have such kind of data and profile.

Phaplu

1. I met with chairman and Head master of the Phaplu School. I interviewed with the head master about the school environment, the standard of the school. I visited the school, taken some picture of the school and made a report of the school. **(Comprehensive report is coming)**

2. Dr. Mingma's budget of mobile health camp was handed over to the Ang Ngima and discussed about the disable center. He liked the idea of disable center in Phaplu near the school and the hospital. He wants to see the Santi Sewa Greehya to have some more ideas about disable center. So he is here in Kathmandu and will visit Santi Greehya on Monday 10 clock. I already made appointment for that.

Submitted to Himalayan project DK

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