

Chandra Jyoti Lower Scondary Sagar Bakanje
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Preface

Chandra Jyoti Lower Secondary School located in Solukhumbu District Bakanje VDC (Village Development Committee) ward no -4, Nepal. This school was built in 1967 by late Sir Edmund Hillary, the first ascender of Mt. Everest. Ever since, this school has been running as a Lower Secondary School and it is the highest level of school in this region.

There were 4 buildings altogether: 2 main buildings built by Late Sir Edmond Hillary and 2 earthquake resistance buildings built by Government. In 2006 RRN (Rural Reconstruction Nepal), NGO supported by DFID, reconstructed one of the 2 main buildings with 4 rooms. In 2007, with the HPØ facilitation, Padborg-Kruså Rotary Klub, District 1460, Denmark supported in the construction of building for science lab room and library room, new toilet construction, compound wall, and interior decoration of 2 earth quake resistance buildings and the building constructed by RRN. The construction started in 2007 and completed successfully in August 2008, under the regular monitoring and supervision of HP-DK. After the completion of the project 200 students and 8 teachers are being directly benefited in the larger scale. Last monitoring of the construction site was done by Namgyal J Sherpa in 1st September 2008 and following report has been produced.



Library and Science Lab Building

Building for library and science lab has been successfully constructed. It looks very beautiful both inside and outside. It has been constructed exactly according to the project description. Used stone are very good quality and well cut. Quality of the windows and doors is very good and nicely fixed. Sufficient cements have been used for the construction. Some cement works has remained incomplete on the supporting wall of Veranda due to lack of cement. When cement arrives it will be done. The way to the lower storage has been made with stone step and looks beautiful and strong. Stone slide have been paved around the building, which has made building more attractive and foundation stronger. Measurement of each part of the construction is accurate. Gutter has been fixed properly at the front side roof. Furniture for the science lab and library are yet to be made.





Replacement of the windows and doors

Windows and doors of the two earthquake buildings have been replaced properly which were not properly done previously. When I made complain for the quality of the windows and doors in last spring, contractor Pasang demolished them and remade them. In total 4 doors and 12 windows have been repaired of two earthquake buildings. Inside rooms have been decorated with the wall ceiling and they have been quite beautiful.

Gutter for the RRN Building

School has tried to make the gutter better but still it hasn't been properly made. Headmaster Ang Dawa says that it should be changed totally with new. I also agreed with him and asked him to replace it as soon as possible.

Furniture

Some 8 tables and 8 stools have been made. One pairs of chair and table has been installed in each classroom to make more comfortable for the teacher and students while checking their homework and class work together. They look very beautiful and strong enough.



Compound wall with cement topping

Compound wall with cement topping has efficiently constructed. It is very strong and nice looking. Approximately 100 meter of compound wall around the school building has been topped with cement and gravel. The rest has been planted with grass.

Toilet

Newly constructed toilet is now in use. Water is supplied in the toilet room but water tank and urinal tank also hasn't been fixed either. Contractor Furwa Gyalzen Sherpa left to USA without completing this Job. School will do the rest thorough Pasang Tamang

