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**** We need active volunteers to run our projects. Please reach out to us (contacts above) or join our monthly volunteer meetings to know more. ****

Assam Foundation of North America

News Letter: June, 2015

Nepal Earthquake

AFNA & the Assamese community in USA raised to the hour of need when the devastating earthquake hit Nepal in April this year. We raised more than a thousand dollars from the Assamese community and with funds from our General Fund, **AFNA donated a total of \$1660 to the Nepal Relief Fund of Save the Children.**

AKADAMICS

We lunched AKADAMICS only last year but the impact and the reach is overwhelming. We started with 8 scholarships last year and plan to add another 16 this year. **We have received 2200+ applications this year.** Our volunteers and the selection board spent weeks to go through them and shortlist 130 candidates for further screening.

Work An Hour

Every year during Rongali Bihu, we ask our wellwishers to donate an hour's worth of their wage to AFNA. While we celebrate the Assamese new year, its also a gesture to help the needy back in Assam.

Rongali Bihu donations

We sincerely thank our friends in Michigan (AAMI) & Dallas, TX for generously donating their Rongali Bihu celebration surplus to AFNA. It surely means a lot to us!

RVC Health education/intervention project

The new initiative on health education with RVC aims to reduce the high Maternal Mortality Rate in 10 villeges in Dhemaji Dist of Assam. These villeges are hit by flood every year. With our funding, RVC has started promoting Youth & Mothers groups and have held the 1st workshop for the Youth in the impacted villeges. 12 students from Tata Institue of Social Science have joined this project as interns and helping on it.

AFNA Membership

We need more AFNA members as membership is what pays for our administrative expenses. Being a member not only provide you the opportunity to be a voting member of the organization, you also become one of the insiders who help to make 0% overhead to our donors possible.

AFNA GBM

AFNA is holding its annual GBM during the Assam Convention 2015 in Las Vegas. The GBM will be on 3rd July 10am local time. Please plan to be there as we review the year that's past and plan for the year ahead. **All members of the public are welcome to attend the meeting** in person or through the remote dial in.