

RURAL AREA COMMUNITY SCHOOL PROJECT
SHREE SIKSHA SADAN SECONDARY SCHOOL, TALLO HARAKPUR, BAYARBAN-1, MORANG
DISTRICT, NEPAL

INTERIM REPORT

Project country: Nepal

The donors: Ann & Barry Evans

The Eifion Trust, UK

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1. **Original objectives:** Rebuilding of the 6 classroom RCC type with CGI colored sheet roofing.
2. **Has the objective been achieved?** Yes, See attached photographs in the following pages.
3. **Where is the project site:**
Location: Shree Sikhsa Sadan School is located in Eastern development region of Nepal, Koshi Zone, Morang District , Bayarban Village Development Committee ward no. 1. Shree Sikhsa Secondary School is established in 1962.
It is a located in the far south Nepal. To reach there, you can go by road from Kathmandu to Kanepokhari (Mahendra National Highway) then by road further 26 km. The students come from a farming community.
4. **Project Plan :**
Rebuilding- New buildings will be RCC (reinforced cement concrete). Basement and pillar will be RRC, bricks will be used for walls and Old CGI sheets will be used for roof. School Management has made proposal for 50% of the expenditure and 50% will be managed by the school and local communities.
5. **Amendment in the plan:** During the middle of the construction the school couldn't able to manage the 50% of the said amount. After the approval from the Trust, the fund for the option 2 (for constructing 2 classrooms) is utilized to complete the Option1 i.e rebuilding of the school.

6. **Inauguration:** On 4th of February 2014 school management committee had organized an inauguration ceremony of rebuilding of 6 classroom building. As on the day is celebrated to worship the goddess of education that's why it was auspicious day.

The management committee gave warm welcome to us as representative of the Eifion Trust.

Inauguration Ceremony Committee has also invited Chief District Officer of the Morang district Mr. Yogendra Prasad Baral.

School building was inaugurated by the Chief District Officer and Chairman of the Chhathare Society Dharan (Whom we donated ambulance) Major Sankha Bahadur Thoklen and followed by the unveiling of the commemorative plaque of the project build in the memory of Charlotte Asher.

The wording as below *"The funding for the re-building of the school, has been provided by the Eifion Trust, UK and arranged by Ann and Barry Evans of Tarporley, England in loving memory of their daughter Charlotte Asher, the devoted mother of Tom and Chloe and the loving wife of Dave"*.

The symbolic ceremony was followed by exchange of good wishes from both sides. On behalf of Eifion Trust a certificate of appreciation was accepted by me from the Mr. Yogendra Prasad Baral, Chief District Officer.

Followed by Token of Love was given to Mr. Narayan Prasad Kafle, Mr. Shailendra Thoklen, Mr. Ganesh Maden who helped in completing the project.

Message from the Ann & Barry and followed by the Photographs of Charlotte was presented by me to school and emphasizing that school building that is not important to us but the opportunities that the education at the school will give the students. Education is very important not only for health and wellbeing of the individual children but also for the while country of Nepal.

Senior locals, Social Wokers and old members of the school management also presented their thanks to the Eifion Trust for their contribution in their area.

Chief Education Officer has also given a many thanks to the Eifion Trust, UK for their attention in Nepal for the helping in education sector and also draw the attention of the all presents to learn something from the Eifion Trust.

7. **Beneficiary:** The primary beneficiaries are 400 students of the school.

8. **Community Impact:** The local communities were thankful to Eifion Trust for the school building of such type, which is unique in the area.

The school was almost collapsed and they were helpless as govt. couldn't manage to provide any fund. Therefore, the help in such a desperate situation is much appreciated by the locals, teachers and the students. Prior to rebuilding school class has to suspend during the rainy season. Now they had new building which is beautiful, earthquake resistance well ventilated will give peace of mind to the parents that their children are safe at any time in school.

9. Timing of the completion rebuilding was delayed due to rainy season. Whereas all the peoples were surprised that the building was completed in 5 months. Normally any project initiated by the Govt. & other agencies takes almost a year to complete.

10. **Financial statement:** The breakdown of expense so far is as follows:

Ser	Item(s)	Income(Rs)	Expense(Rs)	Remarks
1	Inward payment (From Option 1)	1,639,990.00		
2	Inward payment (From Option 2)	1,177,466.00		
3	Fund provided by the school	462,537.00		
4	Materials		2,730,500.00	
5	Labour Cost		420,000.00	
6	Marble plaque & Token of love		7,800.00	
7	School provided 333 Cuft. wood from the old building costing			1,165,652.00
	Total	3,279,993.00	3,158,300.00	
	Material leftover costing			105,500.00
	Fund remaining			16,693.00

INFORMATIVE PHOTOGRAPHS



Old School building exterior view



Old School building interior view



New school building





Students in new classroom



Thank you and NAMASTE!

11. On behalf of all the locals, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to Eifion Trust for giving me an opportunity to carry out such project. My report will not be complete without paying my respect to Barry & Ann Evans, for without his generosity and involvement, the project wouldn't have been as successful.

12. Thank you and looking forward to work with you in future.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Krishna Limbu'.

Krishna Limbu
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