

VISION

“DIGNITY & INTEGRITY
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TO RESTORE THE MARGINALISED BY
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Merry Xmas and a Wonderful New Year

Ownership of Objectives

In the last month we had an inspiring training by Mr. Adrian Rozario who took us to the ownership of the objectives of our organization. The training was on making the most of our potential for the work that we do and using management skills for the good of the downtrodden. With his jovial personality he made the training interesting and at the same time deep with understanding the intricacies of performing to the best of our ability.



Computer and English Training Completion.

Our Computer Training came to end on the 31st of October 2010 and 2 of the 7 boys qualified for the government recognized certificate from **Xavier's Technical Institute's**



Community Polytechnic Scheme. The rest were presented with a colourful Certificate from Janhit Vikas Trust.



Training of Women Leaders in Panchayat Raj

Two activists of Disha Kendra, Karjat came to Tara to train the Tribal Women Leaders on the various elements of Panchayati Raj. They conducted input sessions, role plays, which were hilarious and thought provoking and made the women speak of their problems in Panchayat Raj. Many women were made aware of the Mahila Panchayat Raj Meeting which is to be held one day before the main Panchayat Meeting at a time which is convenient for women. The women went home determined to put this information into practice. The training was attended by at least 40 women from the Self Help Groups that we are running at Tara.

Bob gets into the Act

Since September of this year, Robert Menezes s.j. has joined us at picked-up that we do. giving a training for the who are our Kolad comes a wealth of knowledge and to our good luck enjoys cooking. He was earlier working with REAP at Kalwa.



Tara and has the activities Here he is Teacher's programme Teachers working at Centre. Bob along with a medicinal

Baal Melava at Virzoli, Roha



Many children from our Supplementary Classes of the Kolad Centre attended the Baal Melava. It was a fun day for the kids with dances, games, plays and lots of prizes for the games of skill. **Diago, Bob** and **Joe** made this day possible for the children. They came in all shapes and sizes and



some donned on masks to look like "Krish".



The LAW comes to Tara

Sr. Annie Fernandes from Vakola gave the Women Leaders of the Self Help groups an interesting training on



Women and Law.

She began with a visualization of creating fresh norms for a new society where there were no such norms. The women were broken up into groups of five to six and asked to work



out the new norms

Of course our animators and teachers attended the training and this was next followed with a structured exercise for confidence building. The women were explained very clearly what they should do if they have the misfortune to get into some unexpected trouble. It was encouraging to hear women using terms like FIR, Dakal-patra (bailable), Adakal-patra (Non-bailable) etc. They went home empowered to do their best within the terms of the law.

*HAVE YOURSELVES A
MERRY CHRISTMAS*

