

## Samata Chronicle

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1. On 13/11/2022, the first annual Aam Sabha on the issues of tribal governance, PESA and fifth Schedule was organized by Bhumi Bandhu study and training center in Sarguja Tehsil in Ambikapur district of Chhattisgarh. Samata and [mines, minerals & PEOPLE \(mm&P\)](#) were invited to participate in the meetings. Mr. Ashok Shrimali, Scretary General of mm&P had participated and extended support and solidarity to the communities fighting to protect their life and livelihood.



2. On 26<sup>th</sup> November 2022, on the eve of Constitution Day was celebrated in Chhattisgarh by Jan Chetana Manch with local communities in different villages in Raigarh district of Chhattisgarh. The main objective celebrating the constitution day and importance of constitution were discussed among communities. In addition, the core values and principles were also discussed among the participants.



3. On 26<sup>th</sup> November 2022, Constitution day was celebrated at Kutra in Odisha organized and facilitated by Samata fellows Mr. Rajendra Naik, Bibol Toppo and Subhajit Banerjee.



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4. Mini gurukulam: promoting children's literature in 'Koya language' (title) in Polavaram affected Mandals namely V. R. Puram, Kunavaram and Chintur of ASR Pader district in Chintur V. R. Puram and Kunavaram Mandal



MPPS yerrampeta school, Chintur



UPS Sarivela High school, Chintur

5. Introducing Rhymes of Poems and songs to the children. Children and staff are welcoming this effort. In every school Koya language volunteers are giving a demo and children are encouraged to sing the poem in Koya language on their own.

6. There are around 20+ Rhymes in Koya language which were developed during 2005 to 2010. There are 2 books of Poems and 2 books of stories.



MPPS Tellanvarigudem school, V.R. Puram



UPS Rekhapally Ekalavya school, V.R. Puram