

Report On Tsunami Relief And Development Activities

ALLIANCE DEVELOPMENT TRUST

Period: 15th April - 15th May 2005

PICTURES SHOW DIFFERENT RELIEF ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT



DISTRIBUTING RELIEF ITEMS AT MULLAITIVU



BOATS BEING MADE AT POINT PEDRO, JAFFNA.



ADT LORRY WITH RELIEF ITEMS AT BALAPITIYA



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TEMPORARY SHELTER AT WELIGAMA



DISTRIBUTING SCHOOL PACKS IN AMBALANGODA

Five months after the Tsunami, the relief and rehabilitation programmes carried out by the National Christian Evangelical Alliance of Sri Lanka (NCEASL) and the Alliance Development (ADT) the relief commission of the Alliance, continues.

| PROGRESS OF ACTIVITIES | | AREAS |
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| ITEMS DISTRIBUTED UP TO 15 TH MAY 2005 | | |
| School Packs | 29,507 | MORATUWA, AMBALANGODA, GALLE, MATARA, HAMBANTOTA, KALUTARA, JAFFNA, MULLAITIVU, TRINCOMALEE |
| Re-entry Packs | 18,955 | |
| Temporary Shelters | 1932 | |

BOAT PROJECT IN POINT PEDRO



By the end of May, ADT will complete the manufacture of 40 boats. The picture on the left shows boats under

construction at Point Pedro, by Tsunami effected women, who are being trained in boat building.

CHILDREN'S PROJECTS

Children's Programme

An Avurudhu (Sinhala and Tamil) New Year Programme for 500 children affected by the tsunami who are presently residing in the temporary shelters in Galle. This programme was held on the 23rd of April at the Habaraduwa at the D.V.S. De Silva Kanishta School, Galle. The programme comprised of many fun-filled activities for the children and they were also given gifts at the end of the programme. It was initiated to uplift the spirits of those who have been living in the temporary shelter community. The Avurudhu programme received an enthusiastic reception from all who were present, both young and old.

Children's Clubs

An orientation programme for potential leaders of 'Change Makers' Clubs was held on 23 April 2005 at the Dutch Reformed Church in Galle. 25 people participated in this programme.

FOSTER PARENT SCHEME

Children affected by the tsunami are being adopted under the 'Tsunami Foster Parents Scheme'. 9 children have been identified during the period in review and are receiving assistance under this project.

RE-ENTRY PACKS

486 re-entry packs had been distributed for the period in review. The YTD figure is 18,955.

LIVELIHOOD PROJECTS

Livelihood projects have been launched to assist those affected by the disaster. Projects such as providing fishing equipment to fish vendors, sewing machines for those involved in dress-making, brick making machines, utensils for carpentry - ADT caters according to individuals' professions - 45 families have been aided through livelihood projects in Jaffna, Matara -8, Hambantota -33, Kalutara -18, and Galle -1. Seed money of \$ 200-300 have also been provided to those who wished to initiate small scale businesses.



THE AVURUDHU PRINCESS CONTEST



THE PILLOW-FIGHTING CONTEST



A SECTION OF THE CROWD PRESENT AT THE PROGRAMME