

**Annual Activity Report
(FY 2023-24)
Odisha Bamboo Development, Odisha,
Bhubaneswar.**

Odisha Bamboo Development Agency (OBDA) is an initiative aimed at development of Bamboo resources of Odisha. The focus is on Bamboo resource generation by commercial cultivation of Bamboo, promoting Bamboo products through value addition as well as setting up of Bamboo based industries with recent advances in technology. The mission has special focus on adequate returns to farmers as well as promoting sustainable livelihood for tribal & rural poor people engaged in Bamboo sector with employment on women empowerment. It implements restructured National Bamboo Mission (NBM) which is a Centrally Sponsored Scheme with 60 % share by Central Govt. and 40% share of State Govt. These programmes started in the year 2018-19. The Financial Year 2023-24 OBDA fix target of 300 Ha for bamboo plantation.



In Khaladi Private OBDA Bamboo Nursery, under Ghumsur South Forest Division raising of 53,000 nos of bamboo seedling of Bambusa Tulda, 2000 nos of Schizestachyan dulla and 5000 nos of D.Longispathus Species for the year 2023-24 have been raised for the farmers.

In Jaring Big Bamboo Nursery, under Silviculture Division Rayagada, 2500 nos Bambusa nutans and 1781 nos Bambusa vulgaris have been raised for the year 2023-24 for the farmers.





In Boudabankhandi Small Bamboo Nursery, under Athgarh Forest Division, 4103 nos of bamboo seedlings of Bambusa vulgaris for the year 2023-24 have been raised for the farmers.

In P. Nuagaon Big Bamboo Nursery, under Berhampur Forest Division 3,400 nos of bamboo vulgaris and 1,000 nos of bambusa tulda seedlings for the year 2023-24 have been raised for the farmers.



One Artisan Training has been organized by Odisha Bamboo Development Agency (OBDA) in collaboration with SMARDA at Gramdhiha, Khordha from 18.07.2023.

Artisans participation during training under the guidance of Master Trainer at Gramadhiha, Khordha.

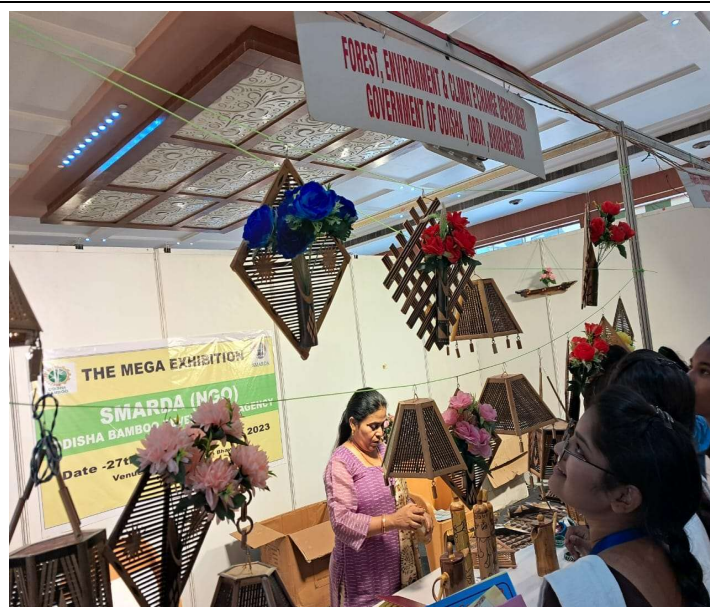


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One group of Bamboo Artisan group under SMARDA participated for sale cum display in the National level Handicraft Festival held at Saksham , Hariyana from 27.04.2023 to 29.04.2023.

Beautiful bamboo handicraft items are sale cum display during National exhibition at Saksham, Hariyana from 27.04.2023 to 29.04.2023 by SMARDA.

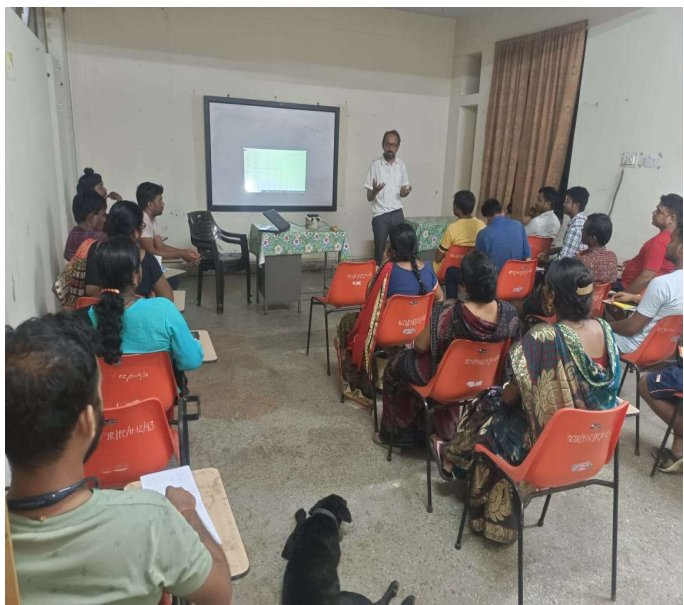




Artisans training programme conducted at BCDI Agartala from 16.04.2023 to 20.05.2023 by Directorate of Handicraft with financial support from Odisha Bamboo Development Agency (OBDA).

Official Visit to BCDI

Sri Sudeep Nayak (IFS), State Mission Director, OBDA & Sri Banamali Tappo, Deputy Director (Handicrafts), Subarnapur visited BCDI, Agartala Campus during training.



Artisans attending theory classes during training at BCDI, Agartala.

Valedictory Session during artisan training at BCDI, Agartala.



Some articles prepared by artisans at BCDI, Agartala during traning.

Artisans training programme conducted at NID, Bangalore under OBDA project implemented by Directorate of Handicrafts ,Government of Odisha in collaboration with : National institute of design (NID), Ahmedabad with funding support of: Odisha Bamboo Development Agency (OBDA) from 23.03.2023 to 10.04.2023.





Inauguration of skill development workshop on 07.04.2023 at NID, Bengaluru.

Products made by artisans at NID either completely by hand or with the help of hand tools or even mechanical means.



Artisans with their creation during the training programme at NID.



Some handmade collection prepared by the artisans at NID, Bengaluru.