



“Livelihood Opportunities”

By
Green Rameswaram Trust



Status of SHGs

Total Groups 120 – no new groups were formed in the month of March

Total members 1483

This month we concentrated on Cluster formation. Cluster is nothing but a set of 8 – 15 SHGs from same geographical locations. Purposes for promoting cluster association were as follows:

1. Building effective governance
2. Building ownership
3. Promotion of leadership from the community
4. Self regulation for sustainability
5. Identifying and communicating field problems
6. Managing the collaboration with Banks and SHGs



The cluster members selected the (i) Leader (ii) Secretary and (iii) Treasurer during the meeting and chalked out plan of action for the cluster. The following 5 clusters were formed.

Sl.No.	Name of the Cluster Development Association	Date of formation	No. of groups	Location / Area
1.	Vazhga Valarga	21 st March	15	Periyapallivasal, Rettaipillayar Kovil Street, Sriram Nagar
2.	Kadal	23 rd March	12	Part of Thangachimadam
3.	Thendral	25 th March	16	Maravar Street, Meiyampuli, JJ Nagar, Erakadu, Parvatham
4.	Sembaruthi	26 th March	17	Ramakrishnapuram, Natarajapuram, Cherankottai, Karaiyur, Rajagopalapuram
5.	Kadal Pookal	29 th March	9	Pamban



Kadal cluster – Shri.Sridhar explaining the objectives



Kadal pookal cluster – interaction among group members

Green Transport

E-Autos (5 nos.) reached out to 7071 pilgrims. Out of which, we have provided free services to Senior citizens – 150 nos., children – 70 and differently-abled – 30.

