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2016 Migrant Farmworker Feeding in Orna, Gujarat

This year we our Mandir elected to give out basic food instead of a single prepared meal to the poor. This was after a very good input from locals.

Each food package consisted of:

- 1kg Rice 23 INR (Indian Rupees)
- 500 ml cooking oil 35 INR
- 1kg Salt 5 INR
- 200 g Dal 20 INR
- 50g Masala mix 7 INR
- Total cost per package 90 INR

Each package can feed a family of 4 for about two or three days. Works out to about 15c/meal, a very cost effective way to help with poverty.

1000 packages were prepared (total cost 90K INR). A single package per local poor family was distributed. Double package for migrant farm workers. A family list was compiled to ensure each local family was provided at least one package.

Donors:

- Bipinbhai, Bhikubhai Gordhanbhai (Valley), Kiritbhai 51,000 INR each
- Local Coordinator Saileshbhai
- Volunteers at Orna mundri who took out extra time to package and distribute

Accounts:

- 153,000 INR donation
- 90K for food
- 4K INR for widow at mundri for tuition fees for her daughter
- Rest to Orna Medical Center

Special thanks to Saileshbhai Orna for taking time to help coordinate even though he was very busy with a wedding at his home for his niece. He is a good contact for others that will want to do something similar in the future.