Socio-Economic Development Association (SEDA)

Empowering Communities, Transforming Lives Through Community-Based Approaches.

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From the Leader's Desk



The Socio-Economic Development Association (SEDA) remains committed to working with vulnerable and marginalised communities across Manipur, particularly those affected by displacement, poverty, limited access to essential services and the continuing effects of ethnic conflict. During 2025–2026, our programmes focused on responding to immediate needs while also strengthening the foundations for longer-term recovery and self-reliance.

The year saw SEDA work across humanitarian assistance, education, livelihood development, women's economic participation, trauma healing and peace-building. Support for **50 vulnerable children** enabled them to continue their education, with all 50 students reported to have successfully passed their final examinations and progressed to the next grade. Livelihood initiatives included mushroom farming and value-addition training, while healing groups received livelihood assistance following training and community-based support.

Our peace-building work also brought communities together. A solidarity prayer programme held in collaboration with the Forum for Naga Reconciliation brought members of the Tangkhul Naga and Kuki communities together. Alongside this, volunteers and community leaders received training related to trauma healing, leadership and livelihood activities.

SEDA's work during the year reflects an approach that connects immediate assistance with opportunities for recovery. Relief support addressed urgent household needs, while education, livelihood and healing initiatives sought to strengthen people's ability to move forward with greater stability.

> *"Our focus is to build resilient, self-reliant and peaceful communities where recovery can lead to sustainable development."*

These efforts were possible because of the support of donors, partner organisations, volunteers, churches, community leaders and well-wishers. We are grateful for their trust and continued association with our work.

Looking ahead, SEDA will prioritise strengthening livelihood opportunities, educational support, humanitarian response, community-based healing and peace-building. We will continue to work with local communities and partners to build approaches that are relevant to the realities of Manipur and capable of supporting longer-term resilience.

Dr. Ng Molarhring Monsang
Director/Secretary

About Us

The Socio-Economic Development Association (SEDA) was established in 2019 under the aegis of the Manipur Baptist Convention to respond to socio-economic challenges faced by vulnerable and marginalised communities in Manipur. The organisation works particularly with households affected by poverty, displacement, limited access to basic services and socio-economic exclusion.

SEDA follows a community-centred approach in which interventions are designed around the needs and circumstances of the communities it serves. Its programmes span humanitarian assistance, education, livelihood promotion, food security, trauma healing, peace-building and community development.

During the year, SEDA worked across 20 communities in Manipur, supporting initiatives intended to strengthen resilience and self-reliance. Its work also responded to the consequences of ethnic conflict through relief assistance, educational support, healing groups and livelihood activities.

SEDA works with local stakeholders, churches, community leaders and development partners to implement programmes and strengthen community-based institutions. The organisation's approach combines immediate assistance with longer-term opportunities for livelihoods, education, social cohesion and sustainable development.



Mission

To promote peace and sustainable development while providing humanitarian and social services, supporting education and healthcare, caring for vulnerable communities, promoting harmonious coexistence, protecting the environment and working with like-minded organisations.

Vision

Equality of life for all communities in Manipur and beyond through peace, justice and sustainable livelihood opportunities.

Presence

SEDA currently works across **Manipur**, with programmes reaching vulnerable and conflict-affected communities in different parts of the state.

Annual Program Highlights



Value Addition Training for Legacy Home

A one-day value-addition training on gooseberry candy was organised for adults at Legacy Home, with **26 participants** taking part. The programme introduced a practical food-processing skill that can support value addition to locally available produce. Rather than focusing only on the raw product, the training demonstrated how processing can create an additional livelihood possibility. For participants living in a care setting, such practical skills can contribute to greater self-reliance and provide a foundation for future income-generating activities. The programme forms part of SEDA's wider focus on livelihood promotion and skills development for vulnerable communities.

Mushroom Farming Training

SEDA organised a one-day mushroom farming training for women and community leaders from the Sagang area at Langseiphai village. **37 women and community leaders** participated. The training introduced mushroom cultivation as a livelihood option suited to community-level production. Following the training, the participating women formed a **12-member women's group,** established a mushroom cultivation hut and continued farming as a livelihood activity.

The initiative has enabled the group to earn income and improve household well-being, while its progress has encouraged neighbouring villages to consider replicating the approach. The programme links practical agricultural skills with women's economic participation.





Solidarity Prayer and Peace-Building

On 4 March 2026, SEDA supported a solidarity prayer programme at the Mao Baptist Association Prayer Centre in collaboration with the **Forum for Naga Reconciliation (FNR)**. The programme brought members of the Tangkhul Naga and Kuki communities together, with **32 participants** attending. In a context affected by ethnic conflict, the programme created a space for solidarity and shared reflection across communities. SEDA's peace-building work seeks to strengthen social cohesion and harmonious coexistence by creating opportunities for communities to come together. Such community-based engagement complements the organisation's wider work in humanitarian assistance, healing and recovery.



Educational Support for Vulnerable Children

SEDA provided educational support to **50 children** from vulnerable and fragile communities affected by ethnic conflict, enabling them to continue their schooling by addressing school-fee barriers. The annual impact record reports that all 50 supported students successfully passed their final examinations and were promoted to the next grade. The intervention addressed an immediate financial constraint while supporting continuity in education for children living in difficult circumstances. By reducing the risk of education disruption caused by household financial hardship, the programme strengthened access to schooling for children from communities affected by conflict and displacement.

Humanitarian Relief Support

SEDA provided relief assistance to households affected by ethnic conflict, including **142 households from the Tangkhul Naga community and 107 households from the Kuki community,** according to the programme description. Relief distribution formed part of SEDA's humanitarian response to households facing immediate hardship. The organisation also distributed **LPG gas-cylinder kits to 10 selected IDP households at Akampat relief camp in Imphal.** By addressing basic household needs during displacement and crisis, the intervention provided immediate material support while complementing SEDA's longer-term focus on education, livelihoods, healing and community recovery.

Healing Groups and Livelihood Assistance

SEDA formed healing groups among vulnerable households and combined trauma-healing support with livelihood assistance. The annual impact table records 24 healing groups across 24 communities, while 164 healing-group beneficiaries received livelihood assistance. The organisation also trained 33 volunteers on trauma healing and leadership. This integrated approach connects psychosocial and community-based healing with practical livelihood opportunities. By strengthening volunteer capacity and supporting economic activities among healing-group members, SEDA sought to address both the social and economic dimensions of recovery for households affected by difficult circumstances.





Humanitarian Relief Support

One-Day Youth Transformational Leadership Workshop

The Monsang Naga Baptist Churches Association (MNBCA) Youth Department, in collaboration with the Socio-Economic Development Association (SEDA), organized a one-day Youth Transformational Leadership Workshop on 6th June 2026 at the MNBCA Mission Centre, Khoriibung, Japhou, Chandel Manipur. The workshop was attended by 35 youth participants. The workshop was facilitated by Mr. Aboi Lunglai, who guided the participants through key principles of transformational leadership. The sessions focused on developing responsible and young leaders who can positively influence their churches, communities, and society. Emphasis was placed on character, vision, responsibility, servant leadership, teamwork, effective communication, and the importance of taking initiative for positive change.

Annual Impact Highlights

During 2025–2026, SEDA combined humanitarian assistance with education, livelihood development, trauma healing and peace-building. The year's documented results show a focus on supporting vulnerable households while strengthening community-based mechanisms for longer-term recovery. Key results included continued education for 50 children, livelihood assistance for healing-group beneficiaries, training for volunteers and women, and relief support for conflict-affected households.



50 children
received educational support; all 50 are reported to have passed their final examinations & progressed to the next grade.



164 healing-group
beneficiaries received livelihood assistance.



24 healing groups
were formed across **24 communities.**



33 volunteers
received training in trauma healing and leadership.



37 women and community leaders
participated in mushroom-farming training with a 12-member women's group subsequently continuing cultivation.



142 households
affected by ethnic conflict received relief material, alongside additional relief support documented for Kuki-community households and 10 selected IDP households receiving LPG kits.

Team & Impact Table

Team & Governance



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Testimonial By

Manipur Baptist Convention (MBC)

The programme narrative also identifies the Forum for Naga Reconciliation (FNR) as a collaborator for the solidarity prayer programme.

Stories from the Community

M. Ngamkholal's Educational Journey



M. Ngamkholal is a student from Langsei Tampak village whose family has faced severe financial hardship. The family struggled to meet daily needs, and the effects of ethnic conflict placed their children's education at risk because school fees were difficult to afford. Through SEDA's educational sponsorship programme, Ngamkholal was able to continue his schooling. The annual report records that the supported students successfully completed their academic year and progressed to the next grade. For Ngamkholal's family, educational support reduced an immediate financial barrier and enabled the child to remain connected to school during a period of considerable uncertainty.

His mother expressed her gratitude for the sponsorship, describing the support as an important source of encouragement when the family was struggling to cope.

The story illustrates the practical value of education support in conflict-affected communities: reducing the risk of school interruption while giving children an opportunity to continue their education.



Lystra’s Story — A Safe Place, A Growing Hope

Meet Ningthoukhongjam Lystra, a Grade 3 student who lives with her parents, Mr. Ningthoukhongjam Rojit and Mrs. Premila, and her younger sister. Their home was once in Kanchup Chinkhong, where they felt a sense of belonging. Conflict forced the family to flee in search of safety. They found shelter in Lamsang Turel Mapal, within a church compound, with permission from the local community. The shelter became a safe place where they could begin rebuilding a sense of security.

When the community learned that Lystra’s father, Rojit, was Christian, they continued to welcome and respect the family. Their kindness offered precious support during displacement.

Rojit works as a daily-wage laborer whenever work is available, while Premila cares for the home. With irregular income and support gathered through the church, meeting household needs, providing nutritious food, and paying for the children’s education is often difficult.

Still, the parents remain committed to their children’s learning. They believe Lystra and her sister deserve the chance to study, dream, and build a future beyond displacement. Lystra continues to attend school, holding on to hope despite uncertainty.

Your sponsorship can help Lystra continue her education and ease her family’s burden. For her, every school day is a step from hardship toward opportunity and a brighter tomorrow.

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INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31/03/2026

(Amount in Rs.)

Sl.No.	Receipts	Notes	F.Y.2025-26	F.Y.2024-25
A	**Income :**			
i)	Gross Income	8	6,58,937.00	2,09,700.00
ii)	Other Income	9	391.00	401.00
	Total (A)		**6,59,328.00**	**2,10,101.00**
B	**Expenditure :**			
i)	Recurring Expenditure	10	4,43,860.00	1,05,210.00
ii)	Employee benefit expense (salaries, wages, others)	12	90,000.00	45,500.00
iii)	Other Expenditure	13	1,03,367.90	36,001.00
iv)	Depreciation	4	15,672.00	22,369.00
	Total (B)		**6,52,899.90**	**2,09,080.00**
C	**Surplus/(Deficit) during the year (A-B)**		6,428.10	1,021.00
	TOTAL (B+C)		**6,59,328.00**	**2,10,101.00**

Note: All the Notes and Annexures as mentioned above and annexed to the accounts are forming an integral part of the accounts.

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31/03/2026

(Amount in Rs.)

	Particulars	Note	F.Y.2025-26	F.Y.2024-25
I	**EQUITY & LIABILITIES**			
1	**General Funds**			
a)	General Funds	3	94,949.10	88,521.00
2	**Secured Loan**		-	-
	Total		**94,949.10**	**88,521.00**
II	**ASSETS**			
1	**Non Current Assets**			
a)	Fixed Assets	4	61,395.00	68,567.00
b)	Investment	6	-	-
2	**Current Assets**			
	Cash & Bank Balances	7	33,554.10	19,954.00
3	**LOANS AND ADVANCES**		-	-
	Total		**94,949.10**	**88,521.00**
	Brief about the Entity	1		
	Summary of significant accounting policies	2		

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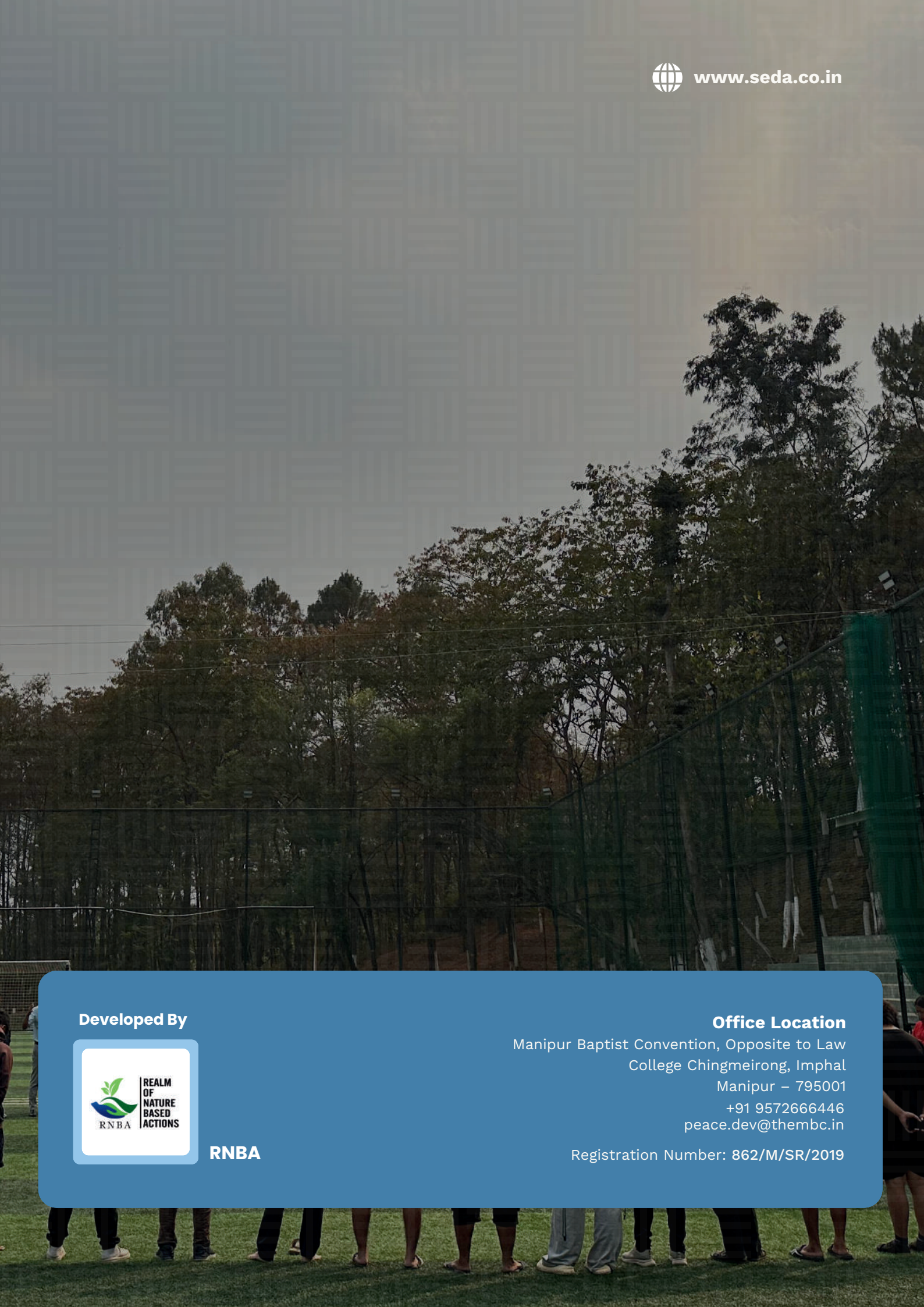
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