Ten more families have received toilets and waste systems in the villages of Arubot and Dandegaun, a total of 62 people. CHDS is also running information sessions on handwashing and overall hygiene with the villagers.

The project also extended its activities to the Shree Kali Devi (SKD) school which is attended by 400 children from both villages. CHDS has conducted dental camps there and offered to establish a school based toothbrushing program, as in Bhattedande. But the Principal of SKD school advised there was no running water, and no functioning toilets, despite two previous (failed) toilet projects.

So Healthabitat, CHDS and the village construction team swung into action: after consultations a re-design, extension and improvement of the existing infrastructure was agreed on, to include also 4 sinks and taps and a water storage tank. Now the students and staff have 5 safe and functioning toilets, handwashing facilities, and yes, the dental program can begin!

A study tour conducted by the Building and Social Housing Foundation, as part of the World Habitat Award requirements, brought international visitors to the project in early November. Many skills and experiences were shared, and you will see the participants in the handover photos.

Thanks once again to the ongoing generosity of donors and a big thanks to the recent fundraising efforts of the Waste Not Want Not group.

NAMASTE AND LASO!!
Shree Kali Devi School: the kids, Bishnu and Jayamangal presenting the timber toothbrush storage racks, the renovated and improved toilets with water tank, and the 4 sinks and taps.

Arubot: House A08  Maya Tamang

Septic  5 people

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Dandegaun: House D08  Netra Bahadur Tamang
Biogas            9 people

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Biogas  9 people

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Dandegaun: House D11  Nirmala Lama

Septic  4 people

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Dandegaun: House D12  Jeet Bahadur Tamang

Septic  5 people

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