

Rang Badlav Ke Volunteer FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions)

Rang Badlav Ke is an initiative within the Bal Mitra Mandal programme that aims to build child-friendly urban slum communities where every child is safe, free, healthy and educated.

We hope that Rang Badlav Ke is just the start of your volunteering journey with us and that you come back to work with the children in either in providing tuition, teaching computers, music, art, drama, or sports, or help lead another activity with the children.

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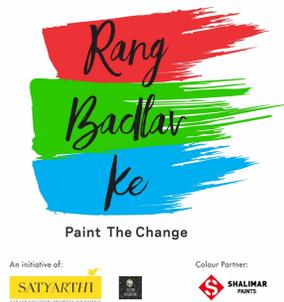
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What is the objective of Rang Badlav Ke?

This event will mobilize hundreds of volunteers, artists, writers and photographers to paint, beautify, photograph and storytell about the Sanjay Camp slum community. We will engage the entire community, embassies, artists, volunteers, art colleges and institutes to do their bit in serving the community so the residents of Sanjay Camp take pride in their homes and try to keep the area cleaner.

We expect that through our this initiative, we will be able:

- To bring the community to life and make it vibrant
- To have residents take pride in the artwork and keep the space cleaner around their homes
- To increase community participation and responsibility towards building a child-friendly environment.
- To engage the volunteer community to participate in working with the children in Sanjay Camp

What exactly will I do?

As there are 4 different types of volunteer spots, this depends on what type of spot you signed up for:

Volunteer - volunteers will be doing the base coat painting for the exterior walls of Sanjay Camp.

Artist - artists will be painting murals on the walls where base coat is already done

Writer - writers will be interviewing Sanjay Camp residents and volunteers to tell stories about the event

Photographer - photographers will be taking eye catching photos that will document the change - the before and after - for our event

What time and where do I need to come?

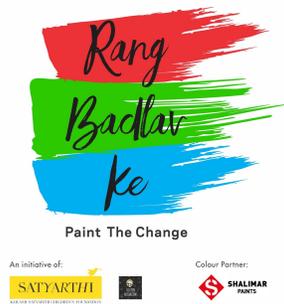
If you are signed up for the first shift, please come between 9 am. If you are signed up for the second shift, please come at 1 PM. The meeting point is between the Singapore and Nigerian Embassy in Chanakyapuri. Look for Rang Badlav Ke signage.

What do I bring along?

Everyone should bring along a water bottle and a photo ID.

Please do NOT bring large purses, laptops and bags etc - as there is not a place to store them.

Please only bring what you can carry with you at all times.



Additionally:

Photographers need to bring their cameras.

Artists need to bring their brushes for detailing and any other tools they need for their murals.

Writers should bring a pen and a notebook.

What do I wear?

You will be given a T-shirt and a bandana for the event that you will be expected to wear.

Please dress modestly.

Where do I need to go?

The meeting point for all volunteers is between the Singapore and Nigerian Embassy. There will be tables for volunteer check-in,

Is public transport easily available nearby?

The closest metro stations are Dhaula Kuan, Lok Kalyan Marg and Moti Bagh.

Is there parking available?

You can park either near the Rail Museum or on Chandragupta Marg. Both are a short walk away.

When will I get my certificate?

You will get your certificate on the last day of the event - October 14. You can coordinate to pick up the certificates from our office in Friends Colony.

What if I am signed up for more than one day?

Great - thank you for your dedication. You will only get the merchandise on the first slot you have signed up for.

Will there be food and drinking available?

There will be drinking water, chai and Maggi available for all volunteers throughout the day.

Will there be bathrooms?

There are only public toilets available that the residents of Sanjay Camp use. You are welcome to use those.

What kind of paint will we have to work with?

Shalimar Paints, our colour partner is providing emulsion paint for the base coat and enamel paint for the art work.



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What if I don't know how to paint?

Don't worry - it is not difficult to do base coat painting. You will learn it fast. Please DO NOT attempt to do artwork if you are not a professional artist or a art student. This is not the time to practice your art.

What sizes of brushes will we have to work with?

We have 1 inch, 2 inch and 4 inch brushes. Please bring any other brushes you need.

Can I bring along my child?

We advise you not to bring children under 14 - as it will be busy and hectic.

What are the social media handles for the event?

Please share the excitement! Post about it. Talk about it and spread the positivity. Our handles are #rangbadlavke and #paintthechange