

SEWA INTERNATIONAL TT

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LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT



**REVAN
TEELUCKSINGH**

President
Sewa International TT

From 2025 to 2030, we will focus on building further capacity and consistency in our projects to become a reliable resource for our nation in times of emergency. We are committed to finishing our multipurpose training facility, which will serve as a dedicated center for volunteer training, disaster management, and community development, fostering holistic growth and well-being for all citizens of Trinidad and Tobago and the Caribbean.

Warm regards,

Revan Teelucksingh

President, Sewa International TT

Dear Friends and Supporters,

Sewa TT has ended another extremely productive year, building capacity internally, developing new resources, and expanding our reach to our Caribbean family. Our focus has always been on continuous improvement in every project, using these experiences to build capacity and preparedness for national and regional emergencies.

I am grateful for the strength and unity shown by our supporters and volunteers in responding to those in need. While we were fortunate to be spared the worst of the hurricanes that impacted our Caribbean neighbors, Sewa TT extended support and solidarity during those difficult moments.

2024

SEWA INTERNATIONAL TT

TTD \$5 Million

Value of Projects

2,156

Volunteers

36,523

Beneficiaries



ORGANISATION OVERVIEW



VISION

A harmonious and happy world where humanity experiences oneness through sewa.

MISSION

- To promote selfless efforts for the well-being of all.
- To create thought and action frameworks based on the principles of sewa.
- To build a worldwide network of dharma-based sewa organisations, for the collective expression of Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam (The world is one family.)

PROJECT HIGHLIGHT - CLOTHING RECYCLE

This year's Clothing Recycle Project was a tremendous success, collecting over 30,000 pieces of clothing, totaling more than 17,000 lbs.

Through systematic distributions coordinated with various agencies and social units, we reached thousands of individuals in need across Trinidad and Tobago and beyond:

- Distributed clothing to families identified by Members of Parliament and Local Government Councillors, coordinated by the Ministry of Rural Development and Local Government.
- Supported fire victims in partnership with the Trinidad and Tobago Fire Service.
- Partnered with the Ministry of Social Development to distribute en masse to 17 organizations aiding the homeless, elderly, displaced, vulnerable children, and survivors of abuse.
- Provided business attire to participants of the On the Job (OJT) Programme and Hugh Wooding Law School.
- Sent 4,500 pieces of clothing to Hurricane Beryl victims in Grenada, Carriacou, and Petite Martinique.



Of the clothing collected, approximately 2,000 lbs were disqualified. However, around 1,200 lbs were repurposed for use by farmers, mechanics, and crafters, while 800 lbs were discarded.

The project's success was made possible by 200 volunteers who contributed an astounding 3,000 volunteer hours to screen, section, size, lay out, and distribute the clothing within just six weeks.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to all our partners, volunteers, and donors for making this initiative a beacon of sustainability and community care. Together, we have proven the power of collective action!



Clothing Received

>30,000 PCS
>17,000 LBS



Disqualified Clothing

<2,000 LBS



Repurposed Clothing

>1,200 LBS



2024

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HUMANITARIAN

7,102 Volunteer hrs
18 Projects



EMERGENCY RESPONSE

300 Volunteer hrs
3 Projects



ENVIRONMENTAL

8,960 Volunteer hrs
3 Projects



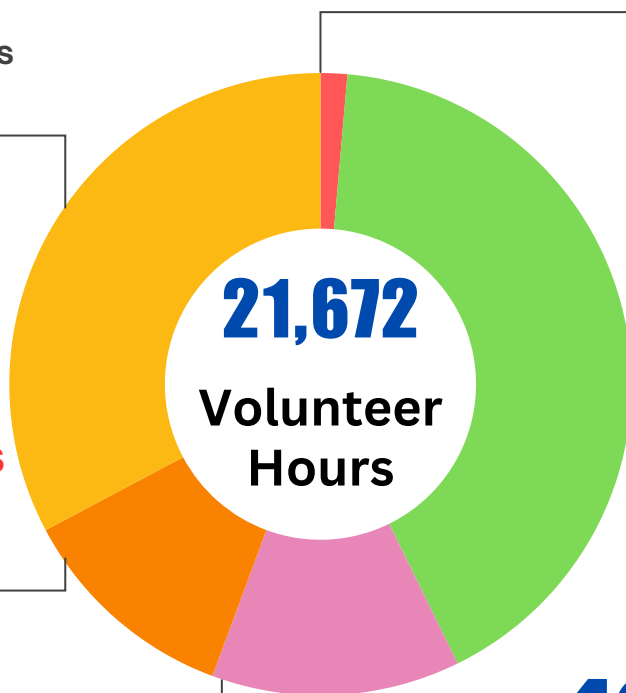
HEALTH & WELLNESS

2,510 Volunteer hrs
9 Projects



OBSERVANCES

2,800 Volunteer hrs
7 Projects



40 Projects



SOCIAL MEDIA STATS

11,715

Facebook Followers

2,003

Instagram Followers



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Anna Cole

This is what i love about Trinis. When is time of disaster we hit the ground running . We dont see color creed or race no politics..

Thank you so much to this team and volunteers for their humanitarian efforts. 🙏🙏🙏

Sumatie Baboolal

Its an awesome gesture that the ppl of Trinidad is doing i congratulate them for their kindness

Tweeta Smm

Keep up this great Sewa... You guys are always awesome every time.

On the Response to Hurricane Beryl's in Grenada

Kamla Grant

You guys are great. Blessings

COMMENTS



Premnath Ramsawak

This is wonderful news! Good Job and Keep up the great work you all are doing.

On the progress of the Sewa Multi-purpose Facility

Sylvia Sandy

Good afternoon I was an attendee yesterday and I must say thanks for the clothes and other I must commend you all for an event well coordinated everything runs smoothly to facilitate the hundreds of people thanks again keep up the good work blessings to you and the entire team not forgetting the donors SEWA TT

Rianna Badal

Keep up the good work 🙏

Blessings 🙏🙏🙏



On benefitting from the Clothing Recycle Drive

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

2024
SEWA INTERNATIONAL TT

* REVENUE / EXPENSES

Revenue (TTD) **\$1,001,218**

Expenses (TTD) **\$914,981**



* CASH FLOW EXTRACT

Operating Expenses (TTD) **\$912,851**

Financing Expenses (TTD) **\$2,130**



* BALANCE SHEET EXTRACT

Assets (TTD) **\$998,449**

Liabilities (TTD) **\$58,367**

- Management Accounts Figures
- Audited Financial Statements up to 2023

IN PURSUIT OF CHARITY STATUS

We are pleased to announce that Sewa International TT's application for Charitable status in Trinidad and Tobago has been filed this year. All of our statutory obligations have been met and we look forward to sharing the benefits that a charitable status will bring to our donors and sponsors once approved.

FUTURE OUTLOOK

FUTURE PLAN

As we look ahead, Sewa International TT is excited to share our future plans aimed at enhancing community engagement and empowerment. Our commitment to serving those in need remains steadfast, and we believe that equipping our volunteers with the necessary skills and resources is essential for maximizing our impact.

One of our primary initiatives is the implementation of a comprehensive volunteer skills training program. This program will focus on developing a diverse range of skills among our volunteers, including leadership, project management, first aid, and community outreach. By providing targeted training sessions, we aim to empower our volunteers to take on more significant roles within our organization and the communities we serve. This initiative will not only enhance individual capabilities but also foster a sense of confidence and ownership among our volunteers, enabling them to lead projects and initiatives effectively.

INNOVATION

We are thrilled about the upcoming completion and utilization of the Sewa TT Multipurpose Facility in Piarco. This state-of-the-art facility will serve as a hub for our activities, providing a space for training sessions, workshops, community meetings, and events. The multipurpose facility will be equipped with modern amenities, allowing us to host a variety of programs that cater to the diverse needs of our community. We envision this space as a center for learning, collaboration, and innovation, where volunteers and community members can come together to share ideas and resources.



As we embark on these exciting initiatives, we invite our volunteers, supporters, and community members to join us in this journey. Together, we can create a positive impact and build a stronger, more resilient community. Our future plans reflect our commitment to service, empowerment, and collaboration, and we are eager to see the transformative effects of these initiatives in the lives of those we serve. With your support, Sewa International TT will continue to be a beacon of hope and a catalyst for change in our communities.

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