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Annual Report 2025-26

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BNKS Scholarship Project

SEBS Scholarship Fundraising Drive

Why

- Every year about 20 students benefit from scholarship support up to 10th grade.
- With no government support available after SLC, these students seek financial assistance for their continued education at BNKS.
- Goal is to raise funds to cover needy students now and in the future

Last year

Number of Students

Target

3

\$4800 (raised)

This year

5

\$8,750 (Target)

Next year

5-10

TBD

SEBS NA would like to thank the donors for supporting the needy students.

SEBS Scholarship Project (Last Year)

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Jay Chand

- From: Baitadi district, Far-Western Nepal
- Need: Mother unable to afford educational expenses
- Raised: \$1,800



Sulav Khadka

- From: Nalagad Municipality-6, Jajarkot
- Need: Government scholarship ended; monthly costs and exam fees consume ~50% of family income
- Raised: \$1,800



Bibek Lama

- From: Mugum Karmarong Rural Municipality, Mugu
- Need: Family of seven relies solely on subsistence farming with no steady income
- Raised: \$1,200



BNKS Gym Project

BNKS Gym Fundraising Drive (Last Year)

Our alma mater is establishing two new gyms—a boys' gym near Gaurishankar House and a girls' gym near Hiuchuli House—to encourage fitness, health, and overall well-being for 10+2 students.

LAST YEAR'S ACHIEVEMENT

\$7,000 Raised Together



\$3,500

BOYS GYM RAISED



\$3,500

GIRLS GYM RAISED

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Krishna Chettri Memorial Education Fund

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- Established in loving memory of former SEBS NA president & advisor **Krishna Chettri (503B)**
- Need-based micro-grants (up to 50% of fees) for Budhanilkantha School students applying to North American colleges — **application, SAT/TOEFL, visa, and SEVIS fees**
- Managed by SEBS NA's Stewardship Committee: **Pooja Sherchan, Batsal Devkota, and Laxman Udas Pandey**
- Partners with Budhanilkantha School — **Keshar Khulal (Principal)** and **Mohan Karki (Alumni Officer)** — for personal need assessments beyond standard letters
- Looking ahead: **US college application info sessions** and support for students qualifying for **science Olympiads**



Krishna Chettri Memorial Education Fund

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- Goal: up to \$100 to 10–15 students each year, disbursing at least **\$1,500 annually**
- Primary funding source: **500B batchmates**
- Total students supported: **38**

2025–26 Snapshot

Applicants	19
Students Assisted	16 (2 at \$100; rest at \$55)
Total Disbursed	\$1,025
Fund Assets (~ \$25,000)	Vanguard \$21,700 · SEBS-NA \$2,500 · Nepal acct Rs 1,29,582



2025 KC fund recipients (July - Dec)



6177 Aryan



6229 Suyog



6223 Adish



7160 Yogeshwor



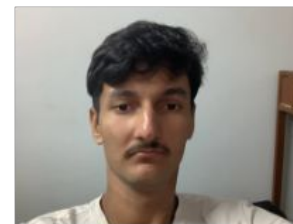
7143 Hardik



7012 Rijwal



7140 Paramayu



7040 Riwaj

2026 KC fund recipients (Jan -June)



7104 Anurag



7042 Pratyush



7198 Aanat



7022 Aarya



7113 Anshu



7212 Arpan



7161 Anaya



7202 Kanchan



SEBS North America's eLibrary Project

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Since 2019, SEBS North America has **partnered with Open Learning Exchange (OLE)**, a registered non-profit in Nepal, to **establish eLibraries in different public and community schools in Nepal**. The eLibrary project is an initiative to establish online libraries in schools in rural Nepal where there is limited or no internet connection. Accessibility to the library content, which includes resources from course books to various educational videos, is provided by helping the schools set up devices and servers that host those contents. As such, the project aims to bridge the digital divide in Nepal by establishing digital libraries in community schools that lack reliable internet access. With the eLibrary project, SEBS NA empowers both teachers and students to integrate modern technology into the classroom, providing them with the tools they need to enhance the learning experience. **So far, we have implemented eLibrary Projects in 13 schools in Nepal**



SEBS North America's eLibrary Project

List of school where eLibrary Projects has been implemented:

Raluka Secondary School (Nuwakot)
Sharada Secondary School (Bhojpur)
Rastriya Secondary School (Nawalparasi)
Laxmi Secondary School (Chitwan)
Dupcheshwor Secondary School (Nuwakot)
Chilaune Secondary School (Sindhupalchowk)
Sitaldevi Secondary School (Sindhupalchowk, in partnership with Teach for Nepal)
Shree Janakalyan Secondary School (Makwanpur, in partnership with SEBS Member Digbijay Bista)
Pyang Secondary School (Illam)
Shree Janata Secondary School (Jajarkot)
Shree Tribhuwan Secondary School (Jajarkot)
Shree Sita Secondary School (Palpa)
Bed Secondary School (Palpa).

Note: Uttam Sharma (849B) is our program coordinator in Nepal, who oversees the logistics in Nepal.

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SEBS North America's eLibrary Project

We plan to continue raising funds to establish eLibraries in public and community schools of Nepal. For just \$600 USD, SEBS-NA can set up a fully functional eLibrary in a school. This includes installing servers and Wi-Fi devices and providing an offline digital library that features gamified learning modules, audio-visual content, and indexed course books. Once the system is in place, students and teachers can access these resources through local Wi-Fi without the need for an internet connection or data plan. We encourage SEBS NA members to collaborate in this process.

How about establishing an eLibrary in the school you studied before joining Budhanilkantha School or the school in your home district? Let's do this! Please let us know if you are interested.



eLibrary Palpa Projects

SEBS members Bipin Timilsina and Uttam Sharma visited the two selected schools in Palpa—Shree Sita Secondary School (Bagnaskali-6, Yamgha) and Bed Secondary School (Bagnaskali-8, Barangdi)—on May 15th, 2025, to set up offline e-library servers. These servers are loaded with rich educational resources from pustakalaya.org, giving students access to digital learning materials without needing an internet connection. Additionally, physical children's books worth over NPR 50,000 were handed over during a school ceremony.

While both school leadership teams were deeply grateful and impressed by the digital repository, past experience shows that ensuring long-term, daily utilization remains a challenge. We encourage SEBS-NA to explore initiatives or incentives that can help motivate teachers and students to use these e-libraries on a regular basis.

Shree Sita Secondary School (Bagnaskali-6, Yamgha)



Shree Bed Secondary School (Bagnaskali-8, Barangdi)





Humla Fire Relief Project

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SEBS Humla Fire Relief Project

Following the devastating fire on June 15, 2025, in Ward No. 3 (Unapani), Sarkegad Rural Municipality, Humla, we successfully raised funds to provide relief to the affected families. A total of 17 houses were damaged, 8 of which were completely destroyed.

The relief effort was coordinated by Gyanu Karki, a Board Member originally from Ward No. 3, Unapani, Sarkegad Rural Municipality, Humla. All 17 affected families received assistance through this relief initiative.





WELCOME!

Home of Budhanilkantha School Alumni in North America

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 **Annual General Meeting '24** 

Sunday Sept 15 | Noon EST

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SEBS North America's Website

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SEBS North America's Website

We are pleased to announce that SEBS NA, Inc.'s new website is now fully operational at <https://sebsna.org>. Launched two years ago and continuously developed since, the site now showcases our programs and provides access to organizational documents, annual reports, and content. We thank Executive Committee member Samyem for their leadership and ongoing contributions to this project. Their dedication has been essential to creating this valuable community resource.

We welcome feedback and comments from members as we continue to enhance the website's functionality and content.





Welcome
Hon'ble MP
Dr. Suvarn
Walia

Member Support and Get-Together



Member Support and Get-Together

Throughout the year, Executive Committee Members and SEBS North America members have continued their dedicated efforts to **foster community connections by organizing gatherings across North America**. These member-led initiatives have been instrumental in maintaining meaningful dialogue and strengthening our alumni network. SEBS North America extends its sincere appreciation to all volunteers who have contributed to these community-building efforts. We recognize the vital role these activities play in keeping our alumni connected and engaged. We encourage any members interested in organizing events or initiatives to leverage our communication channels and resources. **SEBS North America remains committed to supporting member-driven activities that enhance our collective community experience. Please reach out to explore how we can assist with your outreach and organizational needs.**





A group of people are working in a collaborative office space. Several individuals are seated around a table, focused on their laptops. One person stands in the background, possibly presenting or discussing. A large projector screen on the right displays a complex diagram or data visualization. The room has a casual, industrial feel with exposed ceiling beams and a patterned rug. The text "Institutional Partnerships" is overlaid in the center in a bold, yellow font, flanked by dotted lines.

Institutional Partnerships

Partner Organizations

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Budhanilkantha School



Society of Ex-Budhanilkantha Students (SEBS)



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BNKS Endowment Fund



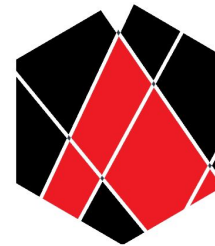
Bloom Nepal Foundation/School



BNF



Nepal Antariskhya Pratisthan (Foundation)



Budhanilkantha School

SEBS North America remains committed to fostering a robust partnership with our beloved alma mater, Budhanilkantha School. Through ongoing collaboration with Mr. Mohan Karki (fellow alumnus, 200 B, and Alumni Officer) and Mr. Keshar Khulal (fellow alumnus, 800 A, and Principal), we are exploring expanded opportunities for SEBS NA and BNKS cooperation that extend beyond our current student support through the KC Memorial Education Fund. Preliminary concepts under consideration include **creating scholarship programs for A-Level and 10+2 students who do not have financial aid** and **providing funding to establish gymnasium facilities in the senior houses**—one designated for male students and one for female students. Further discussion is planned to advance these initiatives.





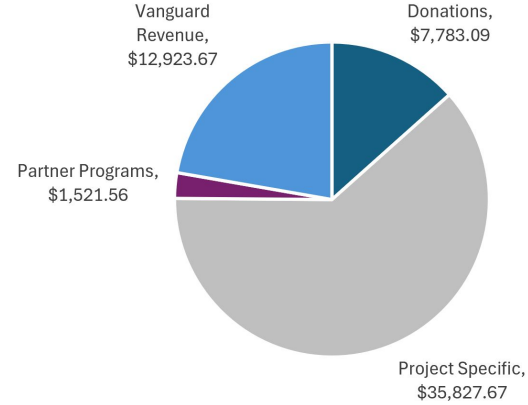
A teal-tinted photograph of a group of people working in a room with exposed ceiling beams and a large projection screen. The room has a casual, industrial feel with a patterned rug and various items on the walls. A group of about seven people are gathered around a table, some using laptops. A man stands in the background holding a drink. A large projection screen on the right shows a website or data dashboard. The text "Financial Report" is overlaid in the center in a yellow, bold font, flanked by horizontal dotted lines.

Financial Report

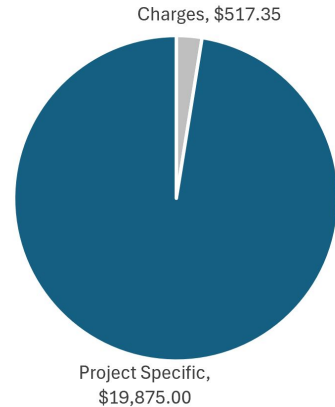
Financial Statement for FY 2025-2026

PARTICULARS	\$	\$
OPENING BALANCE (7/1/2025)		
Bank of America	13,401.00	
Paypal	10,863.96	
Vanguard : SEBSNA Fund	31,924.14	
Vanguard : KC Memorial Fund	16,123.15	
Total Opening Balance	72312.25	A
REVENUE		
<u>Donations</u>		7783.09
General Donation	7543.09	
Monthly Giving	240.00	
<u>Project Specific</u>		22904.00
ManB Medical fund	100.00	
Boys and Girls Gym Fund	7000.00	
Krishna Chhetri Memorial Fund	2600.00	
eLibrary Project	2500.00	
Batch Fund Support	1900.00	
BNKS +2 Scholarship Funds	4800.00	
BNKS Student Support	1402.00	
Humla Fire Relief Project	1,602.00	
SEBS Support	1,000.00	
<u>Vanguard Revenue</u>		12923.67
<u>Partner Programs</u>		1521.56
Bloom Nepal	1521.56	
Total Revenue	45132.32	B
EXPENDITURES		
<u>Charges</u>		517.35
Paypal Charges	13.16	
Bank Charges	218.00	
Webhosting Fees	205.05	
Virginia Renewals	25.00	
Difference in exchange rates	56.14	
<u>Project Specific</u>		19,875.00
Krishna Chhetri Memorial Fund - BNKS	1,000.00	
BNKS Student Support	600.00	
BNKS +2 Scholarship Funds	4,800.00	
Humla Fire Relief Project	1,602.00	
Boys and Girls Gym	7,000.00	
eLibrary Project	1,973.00	
Batch Fund disbursements	1,900.00	
SEBS Support	1,000.00	
Total Expenditures	20392.35	C
Net Income/Deficit for the period	24739.97	D = B - C
Closing Balance (06/30/2026)	97052.22	E = A + D
Paypal (06/30/2026)	5,964.14	
Funds in Nepal (06/30/2026)	540.89	
Bank of America Balance (06/30/2026)	15,647.05	
Vanguard : SEBSNA Fund	53,204.32	
Vanguard : KC Memorial Fund	21,695.82	

Revenue



Expenditures



Thank you, please continue to support us!

Join, volunteer, fundraise, donate, develop programs, and/or participate.

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