



Philem Rohan Singh - Cyclist & Social Activist and Founder of 'Cycling for Humanity'

24-year-old young boy hailing from the small town of Moirang in Manipur. The place is famous for Loktak Lake — North East India's only freshwater lake. At the age of five, Rohan's parents got divorced, and when he was in Class 12, he lost his father and was under the care of his paternal grandfather. However, these tragedies did not hold him back.

Since childhood he was passionate towards cycling and paddle around in his neighbourhood. But in 2018 his passion turned into vision to contribute towards the betterment of society and humanity.

He along with his team (group of youths who wanted to serve people) started the initiative 'Cycling for Humanity' and trying to make it an official NGO. He did number of cycling excursions during 3 years of his cycling.



- Pollution free India (Jan 2018 to Feb 2018 from Delhi To Imphal for spreading awareness on pollution free environment)
- Anti-pollution & Anti-Drugs (March 2018 to April 2018)
- Save Sangai (state animal of Manipur) & humanity (16 October 2018 to 20 November 2018 from Delhi to Imphal)
- Pulwama attack (6 March 2019 to 15 March 2019 to honour the Pulwama martyrs and raise funds for one of the victim's family in Assam)
- #WaterforLife (June 2019 to September 2019 from Kashmir to Kanyakumari spreading awareness on sanitization of water)
- The VOICE OF INCLUSION, DIGNITY & RESPECT (17 February 2020 from New Delhi to Tokyo, Japan but it was stopped halfway at Kolkata on 17 March 2020 because of COVID)
- Feeding the Hungry (Feb 5th to April 8th from Kolkata, Chennai, Bengaluru and Delhi covering 4 major metros)

Cycling for Humanity has been feeding the homeless for over a year in Manipur (since the covid 19 lockdown was imposed by govt last year). Rohan received a lot of support from the people around him. In fact, he also received donations from various organisations. However, he has not received any sponsorships or grants from any government bodies and is looking forward to their support.

While fighting for the rights of "mentally disabled people" he adopted homeless person named Dung Dung (given by people around him as no one knows his origin) who is mentally unstable and even deaf & dumb in August 2019. Due to the unavailability of the Mental Asylum, Dung Dung was shifted to the Rehabilitation centre under the guardianship of Philem Rohan Singh.



They even raised funds by selling 'Cycling for Humanity' branded T-shirt and received great response from people.

Rohan Interacted with more than 2 lakh students from 200+ schools and universities across the country and was also felicitated by **Shri N. Biren Singh, Chief Minister of Manipur.**

He is Pursuing his MA (English) from Sharda University, Greater Noida and completed his graduation BA (English) from DA College of Arts, Manipur University. He did his schooling from Millennium Institute of Science (COHSEM 2014) & St. Xavier School, Manipur (BOSEM 2012)