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Celebrating Collabaction

What has happened?

- **Key Education Foundation** conducted a [Bachpan Manao Festival](#) in 50 Anganwadis of Chhatarpur, MP. Over 1,087 parents attended! Every Anganwadi had a banner promising to enable playful learning in their centres!
- **Dharma Life** showed the [Bachpan Manao Film](#) to over 3,500 adults during their “Padhoge to Badhoge” program to celebrate the joy of reading. It was also shared with 1,784 Anganwadi workers through WhatsApp.
- **Dost Education** held an [exhibition](#) on September 15th in New Delhi, that portrayed stories of responsive caregiving in daily lives through a stirring photo-series. The exhibition showed how communication, care and play are fundamental to a child’s holistic development. A truly Bachpan Manao occasion!

What to look out for?

- **Saajha** is hosting [Sharenet 2023](#) - an event dedicated to honouring the role parents play in shaping the future of their children, which is set to take place on [October 7th](#) at the India International Center, New Delhi. Themes spotlighted include Parent Involvement in Technology, Parent Involvement in Child Learning & the Role of Fathers. Do drop in!
- **Tekdi Technologies** is hosting a [webinar](#) on “Crafting Engaging Content with Sunbird Ed” on [October 11th](#). The session promises to give insight for folks creating digital content for FLN. Sign up [here](#).
- **ChangeInkk** is offering a workshop to this network on understanding neurodiversity and ways to leverage technology to create accessible content & platforms. Take a min and fill up a pre-event survey form [here](#).

How to take Collabaction: Take a look at this [Playlist of Collabaction Ideas](#) that have emerged through conversations with other Collabactors! If you would like to share your Collabaction or to connect with the wider network of Collabactors, write to bachpanmanao@gmail.com.

The Playground of Public Goods: Check out these Featured Spaces!

1. **Storyweaver’s** [#GetChildrenReading initiative](#) curates storybooks suited for early childhood, free resources, weekly storybooks, activities, and more for doing with children. [When was the last time you read to a child?](#) Join the Reading Challenge today!
2. Discover the heartwarming world of **Adhyayan Foundation’s** [Read-Aloud Programme](#) in Karnataka’s Gram Panchayat Libraries, see stories of transformation amongst librarians and try out their How-to-Read Aloud explainer.
3. **Dost Education’s** [Baatein, Sneh, Khel](#) showcases the unique & personal caregiver-child interactions during the early years, in their home environment which actually bring to life responsive caregiving practices.

