

## **Disparity to Prosperity – A Success Story!**



Drupadbai Narayan Padde, a young widow, R/o Village Bamni, Dist. Nanded seemed to house all forms of hardship till late few months. But not now! Drupad, lost her husband at the age of 29 and was promptly returned to her parents along with the two young children. She started attending work on wages. Though Landless, poor, and fragile, this lady always nurtured a dream to see her kids grow well educated and prosper. God paid heed. Sanskriti Samvardhan Mandal identified Drupada as a beneficiary under the women empowerment activity. She was sent to Mudkhed for training on 'Floriculture.' SSM arranged some piece of land for her to attempt floriculture. The waste water of the village was allowed to divert to this field. Soon....She sent the first basket-full of blissful flowers to nearby city market. Flowers brought all smiles in her life too. Earning rupees more than 7000/- per month, she is able to provide an assured life to her children!