# **News Update** December'2014



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# Happy & Holy New Year 2015

While we welcome the New Year 2015

We pray for compassion & love in hearts Let the nectar flow out of words lets lend hands in serving most needy Thought... Word...Deed, if united with such ideals Then, LIFE becomes a MESSAGE... Resolve to live and LOVE for those in need

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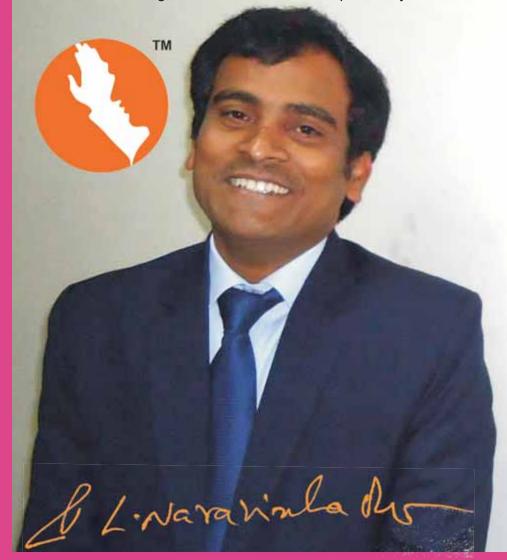
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#### Dear abhayans,

I was born and brought up in a magnificent joint family of 45 members who lived together at a rural village 'Yazali' in Guntur district, Andhra Pradesh. My grandparents used to teach me morals through

stories. I would like to present the extract of a few of those morals here. "Other than health & wealth we should earn love from people around us, only then our human existence, which is the best birth in the Universe, will have meaning. When we are happy, we need to share the happiness with at least 4 people. If we do this, then at least a few among them will lend back their hand of support to us during difficult times. Whatever we have today is due to the collective hard work of the society and hence giving back cannot be considered as serving, but as our mere moral responsibility."



Mahathma Gandhi once said "The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others." With my strong belief in these words, I wish to join my hands with the Mission. Inspired by Mahatma's Grama swaraj, several non-residents of my village, who settled elsewhere in the country, came together and started a similar forum to serve the village. We are all working to transform our village. I am currently serving as the liaison officer of 'Yazali Najanmabhoomi' village development society established in the year 2011. Your kind support is most welcome in being part of the history, which I believe is certain to happen as we are working towards establishing a scalable model for inclusive village growth in the country.

A few fortunate situations will introduce us to the unknown worlds, and will help us to transform ourselves. My progressive journey with abhaya has surely been one among them. I must thank 2014, for connecting me to the world of abhaya. Initiating 'Mission Anjaneyulu', the health care project, introduced me to abhaya. Anjaneyulu, a young engineering student studying in AP IIIT, Nuziveedu, came to Hyderabad with his final hope on life. With support from Abhaya he emerged successful in his fight for life and he is now aspiring to become a Civil Servant to serve our country. One striking observation I have made during this experience is that, after having worked closely with several NGOs, I found that the only NGO extending support to the needy, without any limitations or restrictions, is abhaya FOUNDATION. For abhaya, 'the need is the reason to lend the hand!' I have seen the Mission of abhaya grow day by day nurtured by the support of thousands of abhayans across the globe.

I would like to acknowledge the most inspiring personality who connected to me. He is none other than Founder of abhaya, Considering his motivational words and attire I am not sure to draw a genetic relation with Swamy Vivekananda. He has totally dedicated his life for the most deprived. His life itself is a message and I wish that such personalities were on a greater and higher platform to transform the nation.

Yet another year of success and happiness has passed. With every New Year, there comes a bunch of great challenges & obstacles. I wish that all of us will have the courage, hope and faith to overcome the challenges. I pray to God to give a lot of strength, energy to all abhayans in this New-year to serve the country better. Let's put our efforts together in making a difference in ourselves in the process of serving our countrymen. May we have a great year and a wonderful time ahead! Let us pray: Samastha Loka Sukhinobhavanthu.

I would also like to wish all the BEST for "Inspire Chennai4CSR".

# Lakshmi Narasimharao Ikkurthi, Lead - Corporate Responsibility, CSC India Pvt Ltd



# abhaya FOUNDATION CSR Update



# CSR by tobacco companies: Brand promotion or social welfare?



Caught in a tricky situation, the government has set up an interministerial panel to look into CSR programs of tobacco firms to ensure that such activities do not look like promoting use of such products.

While the new companies law requires compulsorily spending on CSR activities, there have been apprehensions in certain quarters about this provision with regard to entities engaged in tobacco business, including those manufacturing cigarettes and gutkha among others.

This mainly pertains to concerns that CSR works of such entities could result in promotion of tobacco products. Government has set up the committee after the Madras High Court recently asked it to look at how best CSR scheme of the tobacco trade can be met and the model that has to be framed in this respect.

Meanwhile, the government has been making efforts to discourage people from using tobacco products as they have harmful effects on health

Tobacco companies have incidentally been among the largest spenders on promotional activities, although they cannot directly promote any tobacco product on most platforms and therefore have to depend on indirect advertising.

# Brand CSR shouldn't be used as a tool to sell more to people: Venkatesh Kini, President, Coca-Cola India.

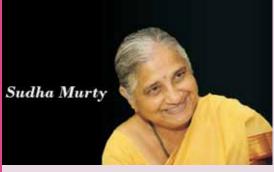
Project Unnati is a collaborative effort of Coca-Cola with Jain Irrigation to build a sustainable supply chain for Coke's mango beverage, Maaza. The program offers financial support and imparts training on Ultra High Density Plantation, a modern farming technique.

The 'Thums Up-Being Human VEER' campaign shares its core philosophy with Coke's Thums Up which has a tagline: Toofan sabke andar hota hai, sirf dhakkan hatane ki der hai (Everyone has potential, we just need to unleash it). "Through this campaign, we want to give the differently-abled people across India a voice and an opportunity to fulfill their own ambition to the best of their ability," says Venkatesh Kini, President, Coca-Cola India.

Many of the causes Coca-Cola picks up in India as part of its corporate social responsibility have a backward linkage to a slew of its brands. "CSR should not be used as a tool to sell more

to people," says Kini, who believes that because a brand stands for certain values it has a philosophy about its role in the lives of people. The activities of the brand strengthen the perception in consumer's mind. "That is a more sustainable, long-term way of integrating CSR into a brand."





# Infosys plans to spend Rs 50-60 cr on midday meals, education

Infosys' commitment to giving back can be gauged by the fact that the company became one of the first in the country to abide by

the new stricture of spending 2% of their average net profit on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities. On July 11 this year, Infosys BSE 0.84 % donated Rs 240 crore this fiscal to its philanthropic arm, Infosys Foundation. Set up in 1996, the non-profit trust works across sectors, including healthcare, education, culture, destitute care and rural development.

"Of course, my thinking was influenced from the years I worked at the Tata Group. They are my heroes," says Sudha Murthy, chairperson of Infosys Foundation, and wife of Infosys co-founder N R Narayana Murthy. "Years back, my 16-year old daughter Akshata, who was a scribe for a blind student, asked me if I could sponsor the student who wanted to study at St Stephens in Delhi. I asked her that since she is so interested why she herself doesn't sponsor him. She then told me something which made think. She said: Amma, what good is our life if we cannot really help others"

This chat with her daughter led Sudha to discuss the idea of setting up a philanthropic arm with her husband. By then, Narayana Murthy who was already considering setting up a foundation, asked his wife to head it. In the last 17 years, Infosys has donated Rs 20-25 cr every year to the foundation. In these years, Infosys Foundation has spent 20-25% of this amount on mid-day meal programmes for students in in government schools, another 20% each in helping build schools and in healthcare, and the remaining on promoting fine arts and culture.

The foundation works across 30 districts in Karnataka where in addition to helping provide schools with computers it has also helped build 60,000 school libraries. It also works in some districts in Odisha, Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Maharashtra. Recently, the Foundation expanded its presence to North India, by starting with Rajasthan where it provides mid-day meals and clean drinking water.

# AOF starts recreation centre for children of PUSS

Amway Opportunity Foundation (AOF), the CSR arm of direct selling company Amway India, unveiled a Recreation Centre for children of Palli

Unnayan Seva Samiti (PUSS) at Naharkanta Village near Bhubaneswar today. The objective of setting up the centre was to facilitate holistic



development of girl children of PUSS. Palli Unnayan Seva Samiti is a project Sunrise partner of Amway Opportunity Foundation, an Amway release said. The newly launched recreation centre was a sequel to the AOF- PUSS primary healthcare centre which was set up in 2012.

All 248 girl children of PUSS studying in class I to class X would be able to enjoy stimulating activities at the recreational centre which has equipment for indoor games like Table Tennis, Carom and Chess and musical instruments like Harmonium, Tabla and Electric Guitar, the release said

Dedicated teachers would conduct regular classes on varied subjects like self-defence techniques, yoga and meditation, music, dance and drawing for the children and the centre would also impart training on beautician courses to interested girl students in the future, it said.

Diptarang Bhattacharjee, vice president, East, Amway India and a volunteer of AOF, said "The endeavour of AOF is to enable the less-privileged to lead better lives. We have had a long and fruitful relationship with PUSS and we are delighted to take this to an even higher level with the launch of this recreation centre which will provide the much needed support to all students."- **Compiled by CS B Kiran Kumar Gupta, Company Secretary, Hyderabad** 





# abhaya FOUNDATION



Mission Hunt the Winter 2015... inspiring hundreds across the country and making a difference to thousands of needy laying on the road sides in the cities. As of date the team is able to pool resources close to Rs. 4,00,000/- (Rs. 2,00,000/- from the funds pooled through CSR Seminar hosted by abhaya Foundation, FKCCI & ICSI Bengaluru Chapter at Bengaluru) and able to serve more than 3000 needy people in various states of Country (Andhrapradesh, Telangana, Karnataka, Tamilnadu, Madhyapradesh, Maharashtra, Uttara Pradesh & Arunachal Pradesh in the past 40 days.



Hunt the winter@Karnataka: (Districts Covered: Bengaluru, Mysuru,Shivamogga, Hubbali, Darward & Belagavi.)



As the winter has slowly started here at karnataka, we are

having a great plan for Hunt the poor to assist them sleep peacefully in this Winter. We are trying to reach around 6 district in Karnataka i.e. Bangalore, Hubli, Belgavi, Davangere, Mysore and Shivamogga to reach maximum people to avail the benefit of Godly work. The Blankets have already reached 3 of the above mentioned district.



The following are the proposed action plans to make the program serve for its purpose: 1. We have forwarded the guidelines to Every person in charge to follow the same. 2. Through this initiative we will be distributing around 350 plus blankets other than Bangalore.3. Through this cause of godly work we need to reach around 250 people and have minimum 50 dedicated abhaya volunteers to take part in the future programs. 4. All the expressions and impressions of the event will be shared

in all social media's and also in the local news papers and channels. 5.We are proposing to start the program in the second week of December ,probably on 6th and 7th. 6. Once the distribution is over, we need to thank each and every person who have participated in the same and need to one Watts up group exclusively for the Karnataka for updating abhaya's work and also communicating and connecting people with abhaya for life. Thanks a lot for the opportunity.- **CS Manjunath Hegde, Coordinator, Hunt the Winter, Karnataka** 



# **Teams served at Bengaluru**

CS Narayana Desai, CS Raghavendra Bhat and their friends; CS Subba Rao, CS Dushanth Kumar, CS Hari Babu T, CS Shilpa Kiran, Shashidhar, CS Ritesh, IPR consultant Himatej Reddy T, HariKrishna, CS Geetha Shashidhar, CS Lakshmi Adduri, CS Sneha S Jain, CS Chandra Sekar and his team, CS Kuldeep Sharma and his team, CS Manjunath Hegade and Mr.Shrikant Murnal, Mr. Mahesh Hegde and Mr.Achyut Murnal, CS Sudheer Huliyalkar, CS Santosh Hegde and CS Venkataraman Hegde, CA IS Prasad Garu and Mr.

abhaya Team consist of 4 people CS Manjunath Hegde, Mr.Shrikant Murnal, Mahesh Hegde and Achyut Murnal went in the midnight around 11.00 on 05.12.2014 served the blankets to the in and around areas of Old Airport Road, Indiranagar, Thippasandra, GM- Palya, Murgeshpalya, Old Madras Road, Marthalli and distributed around 20 blankets.

All were really touched by the pathetic situation of people laying on the road not having adequate clothes to cover them in this winter, some of them sleeping in the garbage box, some of them sleeping with the dogs, some of them sleeping outside the closed door of shops, some were present and some were suffering. Thanks a lot abhaya for giving such a godly opportunity to make "some of us to help some of them". Its all about humanity, hope this initiation from abhaya not only helps people on the road to have warmth sleep, but helps to cure their diseases and help them to improve their health considerably.- **CS Manjunath & Team** 

abhaya Team consisting CS Sudheer Huliyalkar, CS Santosh Hegde and Cs Venkataraman Hegde went in the midnight 7.12.2014 to distribute the blankets to the people lying on the roads. They mainly covered Katriguppe, Hoskerehalli, Mysore road and distributed around 15 blankets.

CS Venkataraman Hegde opined " its been a great to be part of this program and it's a true spirit of abhaya carrying out the Hunt the winter – first initiative of its own kind to reach out the hunger and poor people thought the country. Really proud of abhaya and feeling proud of myself as well"- **CS Sudheer Huliyalkar and Team** 



# Team served @ Belagavi:

abhaya team consist of CS Basavaraj Ududar and CS Vikram , CS Amith chogale and others, have initiated the Hunt the winter Program first time in Belgavi on 22.12.2014 and 23.12.2014. They mainly covered bustand, vegetable market, vadagav, hindvadi, tilakvadi, congress road, fort road, maruti galli, Kadebazar.

I am touched and want to thank , CS Balachandra Sunku, CS G Thirupal and others for sending blankets to Belgavi for distribution and involving us for the this wonderful service to the poor people through this programme. Its been first time in Belgavi some NGO has taken this kind of godly work and we extent our support and co-operation to the abhaya for all its activities through the country in future". - **CS Basavaraj Ududar & Team** 



Team worked at Hubbali: Mr. Pradeep Mannur and their team of 10 people, Mrs. Prakash Sagar, Pradeep Kulkarni, R R Hegde:



The Team of Srinagar, Unkal consisting around 10 people went stepped out in the midnight around 12.00AM ON 08.12.2014 and went to distribute the blankets to the people lying on the roads without any clothes in this chilling winter. The team covered areas of Vidya nagar, Corporation circle, old Bus stand, Station Road and Kittur Rani Chennama Circle and distributed around 50 blankets.

I feel blessed to be part of the program and thanked abhaya for giving such a godly opportunity and assurered abhya that they will join hands for better cause to serve to the community. - **Pradeep Kumar Mannur & Team Hubbali** 

# Team served@Shivamogga:

When I heard about initiating Hunt the Winter at Shivamogga, I was worried whether I can take up such work or not as most of friends staying out of Shivamogga and was thinking how to proceed.

With this confusion only I had a word with my Dad and got immediate positive response and he advised me to proceed further. He spoke to some of his friends and prepared them to join for distribution. All of them prized and told me that abhaya/FKCCI/ICSI doing a great work by identifying needy people on road and helping them. It Is a very good project.



My self, Dad Mr. Shivashankar, Mr. Shabrisha, Mr. Ravi and Mr. Shashibhusan teamed up for the Mission. We planned to distribute on 6th December 2014 and started around 10:30 p.m, first half an hour we didn't even find single person where we can provide the blanket, I was worried whether we can find at least one needy person or not. Later we moved to the Kote Anjaneya temple where usually most of the needy people will take shelter in the night at Shivamogga but we found some family was distributing the blankets over there. So we left from there and moved to another place.



Then we moved to Gandhi Bazar where we found around 5 people and a person was covered himself with patched and turnout blanket and he said that I have this to cover myself you give this to other who didn't have this also. By listing to his words we were in tears, then we moved to double road and find some people over there. In total we distributed around 15 blankets till 1:30 a.m. We were still left out with the blankets and by taking call and discussing with Thirpual Sir, my parents along with my uncle family distributed the rest of blankets to children at Anatha Ashram. Thanks to Abhaya give the opportunity and thanks to one and all who allowed us to serve them. - **CS VS Ambika, Company Secretary, Bengaluru** 

# Total 500 blankets are distributed till date. Arranging to distribution another 500 blanket during this week end (1st week of Jan 15)

# Hunt the Winter - Feedback:

We have distributed around 20 blankets to the needy people, who were sleeping on the floor covering with old torn out cloths. We got few pictures and attached herewith for your reference. Satisfaction got after distribution of the blankets was amazing and one of the un-forgettable event for us. We could see real happiness of the people when we have covered them with blankets.

During the distribution, some of the women resisted in accepting the blankets from us. Later we came to know from the local auto drivers that some people mis-use and try to do some unwanted activities. Hence, to avoid such unethical behavior, normally women may resist in accepting the same. Thanks to abhaya Foundation for providing such an opportunity to serve the needy people. All the Best for your future endeavors. – **K Chandrasekhar, Bangalore** 





# **CSC** Partnering for Hunt the Winter 2015

Dear abhaya,

This is regarding Hunt the Winter Initiative at CSC in association with abhaya. The Action Plan is as follows:

- Donation window will be open from December 9, 2014 to December 15, 2014.
- The donations from CSC Employees after **December 15, 2014 EOD**, please intimate us.
- In the remarks column, the employee will mark 'CSC-Location' (Hyderabad/ Chennai/ Indore/ Mumbai/ Vadodara)' in the comments. Please consolidate the count of blanket donated location wise and intimate us by December 20, 2014 EOD.
- The tax receipts for those who contributed to be shared by December 21,2014 (If change in date, please intimate us of the date when we will receive the receipts).
- Distribution of the blankets will be starting from **December 21 to December 31, 2014**
- Please order the blankets as discussed and try to deliver to the Locations in the following priority, Indore, Mumbai, Vadodara, Chennai, Hyderabad.

Please acknowledge the mail by confirming the above points and also let us know if anything else to be discussed in this regard. Please send the blankets to the given locations as below count. the best regards - **CSC - CR Team** 

# What happened there after - a brief report by CSC-CR Head:

Today's most pressing social and environmental challenges, including climate change, energy conservation and income inequality, significantly affect our business and the communities where we live and work. While these issues are complex, and

while we recognize that CSC is just one company, we remain committed to making a difference in the best ways we can. Through our work in climate science, data center efficiency and other areas.

As we focus on driving even greater progress today, our commitment to corporate responsibility (CR) and sustainability consistently guides us. Out of few ideas to help this society, one was "Hunt the Winter". We all have seen people shivering on the road side, read news of deaths due to sever cold. To help those who cannot provide themselves, atleast, a blanket to survive the winter.



abhaya foundation, with which we have started this event last year, again came forward with a bigger and better picture. We started the event with the campaign. Broadcast went to all the employees of CSC India working in five locations across India. The cause reached about 17000 thousand employees work in CSC INDIA, out of whom more than 400 people responded to the mail monetarily and voluntarily. We then divided the volunteers into groups according to their location. overall 500 CSCains involved in this cause. When it came to distributions, we could find more than 75 able hands to support us with the distribution. And people are pouring in for this when they look at the smiles, satisfaction and stories they tell after distribution. Although it was a difficult task to identify the people who needed the blankets at first, but with these many people supporting us it became just another task. Our sincere thanks to each and every individual who is supporting for this cause, starting from the Initiation till the distribution drive of HUNT THE WINTER. As a team we made such a huge difference. Thank you so much to walk along CR team and for your voluble contributions to goodness. **- NarasimhaIkkurthi, CR Head, CSC, Hyderabad** 





I felt happy to be a part of this wonderful event and I would appreciate the effort that CR Team is doing to help the needy people in and around the city. It was a great experience to go out in the dark & cold nights to find the needy and help them. Thank

you for this opportunity. - Manasa Ramisetty

I feel great to be a part of this wonderful event HUNT THE WINTER. Helping the one who is in need and seeing a smile on their face is one thing which can't be described in words. Hoping for more events to happen in future and I will be always happy to be a part of such events. -**Gaddam Bindu Madhavi** 

This opportunity to serve the needy made me realize the pain of the poor. I have noticed that blanket receivers were really waiting for people who can help, show some care towards them. -**Sandeep Reddy Kareti** 

It's been a great opportunity to go out there and help the needed. I felt extremely satisfied while doing it. People, whom we distributed the blankets seemed very happy and blessed us. I had been willing to indulge myself in a social cause and finally got a chance with this team. I would always be ready to help and contribute in future endeavors too. - **SumitAnand** 

I'm happy to serve the needy in this cold weather and I'm so thankful for CR Guys for giving me such a great opportunity. Thank you. - **Vishnu Vardhan Reddy** 

I'm glad to be a part of this "Hunt-The-Winter" program and I'm very thankful to CR Team for this wonderful opportunity. As a Team we got a chance to really explore all known & unknown area's to find the needy. We didn't just handedover the blanket when we saw people sleeping on the road-side. We took time to talk

> to them and find reality and once we realize that they are in need, then we handed over the blanket. We too felt happy when we saw their happiness in their faces after receiving the blanket :) --**Ravikishore Seelam**

It was great experience for me to search the people and distribute blankets to them. Wish to work more and be the part of this kind of services to the society. It's a great work that had been doneby the CR TEAM which counts forever. - **Afsha.** 

That was wonder, and I want to work more and more.Actually we were unable to found many people as they are rotating from one place to other. It's a great work done by the entire CR TEAM. - Gautham.

felt so much happy from bottom of the heart while donating the blankets to such people and saw the same in their eyes. Be the change that you wish to see in the world.I got a chance to do the same with the CR TEAM. -**Prasad** 



It's a wonderful experience for me to donate blankets for the needy people. I have distributed 5 blankets near Hafeezpet. Hope this movement will bring massive change. - **Naveen** 



II felt very happy to be part of this team. The best service is that which continuously benefits people. It's a great appreciation for the entire CR TEAM. - **Nithin** 



I was glad to be a part of an event where we made some impact. Although, there were many people to whom we could not cater properly. I wish we will do this event in even more bigger

and better way than what we have done.- Laxmi Reddyl

I Really felt very Happy while distributing this blankets who badly needs in this winter. Its Little difficult to find the people who need it. I didn't remember the exact place, saw one old lady who was shivering like anything and trying badly to

sleep.. We reached her and gave a blanket...She woke up and gave a smile... There is no words to express that feeling. I wish to work lot more like this. Thanks a lot to CR Team for giving this opportunity. - **Deepika, CSC**,





Its a Blessing to be part of this great cause...Helping and caring someone in the scorching winter, where the needy may not even expect anyone to turn up!!!...its just amazing to accomplish this task. Happy to part of CR team, I felt this

is the beginning to Kick start and join many future endeavors...Thank you so much for this opportunity. - **Divya Khota, CSC, Hyderabad** 

Honestly, In some cases when I saw people bending down to touch feet, I couldn't help myself from thinking if it is sufficient for this man. We should do more than just hunt the winter. We



should hunt the incapability. We have to reach beyond what we are looking at right now. However, this event gave me satisfaction of at least doing the bit what we can do right now, for them to survive. - **Shiv Kumar Chintapalli** 

It was an amazing experience and I loved it. I hope every person who received blanket got rid of the basic need in the darkest hours. I saw smiles on their faces and thankfulness in their eyes. My heartfelt thanks to **EPSILON** team for supporting this event and made it successful.-**Srujana & Sandhya** 

It was really a pleasant feeling and was overwhelmed toward helping the needy in right time. Thanks for this wonderful opportunity given by CSC team - **Srinivas Gudla**  It was good experience moving out of the routine schedule on roads at night to do something good. We hunted the winter for the needy people who were shivering and trying to sleep on footpaths, the first two whom we woke up were completely shocked and thrilled and almost fell on our foot and thanked us. The only thing that stroke our mind was that we were fortunate enough to serve needy people in this way. We were treated almost like god sent angels.-Shwetha&Vasantha

God has sent someone like an Angel to help me in this winter, I feel blessed and can live with warmth in this winter. God Bless You. -**Srinivas Prasad** 

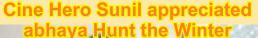


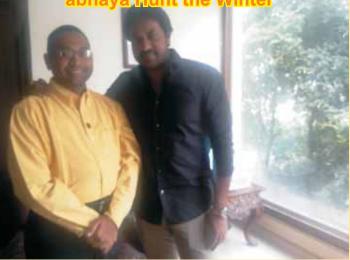


Madhavi Mohanan initiated to help 40 special kids of Suvidha. Abhayan JyothiSagar went and brought 40 fine sweaters and Sagar added 50 T-Shirts. abhaya provided 10 blankets. 5 Whatsapp messages at 6pm, more than 20 abhayans travelled from different destinations and reached GaajulaRamaaramSuvidha Ashram at 9pm and lovingly, pray fully handed over all the winter wear. Prayers for each one who spared their time after office hours. – **abhaya Team** 



Thank you Dear Sunil (Telugu Film Actor) for your time. We feel happy to hear your positive assurance to support abhaya Hunt the Winter happening across India. We just need your 3 minute video encouraging youth of South to take part in Hunt the Winter and distribute blankets in the mid nights to those lying on roads.







Our Walkers' Club friends inspired and want to participate in abhaya Hunt the Winter. An amount of Rs1500/- for 10 blankets was deposited into abhaya's account with Axis Bank, Nallakunta. Some more friends have also promised to contribute for the same cause. I will update you as soon as it is received.A consolidated receipt may be drawn on the name of Sri S.Muralikrishna. – **EJP Prasad**, **Coordinator, abhaya RPL**.

# **Appeal:**

Right now abhaya has taken up its Annual Hunt the Winter Project with a target to distribute 5000 blankets across the country to those who are shivering on the road side during mid nights. The cost is just Rs. 150/- per blanket which is just a value of a meal at hotel, burger, pizza, weekend movie, cigarette box etc., If you wish to be part of Hunt the Winter, you can donate or/and also take part in mid night distribution of blankets at your feasible day in your locality. Let us know if you are interested to be part of this good work



# abhaya Home of Happiness Latest Update





#### **GHMC** to care for the Destitute with help of Traffic Police:

As per the divine will of GOD and initiated by Sri Madhumohan, Member of abhaya Home yesterday morning post seeing the news item in the paper... abhaya team prayfully tried to reach out Sri Somesh Kumar IAS, Commissioner GHMC and Sri Jitendra IPS, Traffic ACP through various channels. Today morning ACP called the founder and advised him to see DCP Chowhan at Traffic Control Room at 11:30AM.



There after... the founder very miraculously met almost all the officials connected to this initiative including Commissioner... who just became special officer on duty since Mayor left the position.

As advised by them the officials from 3 Departments: Edukondalu(Traffic), Smt Manjula (LSN Foundation) and J Krishna(GHMC) visited abhaya home of happiness at Ibrahimpatnam. Spent couple of hours and noted their observations. They are in the first instance amazed to see the campus. Hoping for the best use of this campus for those lying on the roads of country. Prayers for each one of you who stood as rock support with abhaya.

### abhaya proposal for the GHMC and Traffic Police, Hyderabad:

- 1. Ready to take 40 aged male and females.
- 2. Also desired to take 10 middle aged females for training them for support at home
- 3. Expressed readiness to stand by GHMC n Traffic Police in the initiative.
- 4. Can also attend counselling sessions for destitute.
- 5. Estimated cost to rehabilitate 60 people is about 4lakhs per month
  - abhaya seeking best possible support from GHMC n Traffic Police as per their norms.
  - 15 traffic signals being identified by police for 1st phase.
  - A separate meeting with NGOs to be planned by GHMC.
  - A separate proposal with photos to be submitted to higher officials from abhaya.

Founder with ACP Sri Jitender IPS and Sri Chowhan, DCP Traffic Police discussing about Rehabilitation of destitute on Roads. If anyone interested to work with abhaya home in any way.... please be in touch with abhaya team. TEAM: Together Everyone Achieve Miracles









# Story of our "GOD's Gifted Grandpa"

His name is Thota Raghavulu. We found this Grandpa near St. Ann's College Lane in Mehdipatnam on 20th December 2014 he was sleeping on the street without food, found weak, and was ill and infected with wounds. He was cheated and thrown out of his house by his own children, He worked as a Coolie in Khammam. He was Homeless, hopeless and found with infected wounds..hell of maggots were crawling from his leg. We wanted to give the permanent solution to him so we contacted Abhaya Foundation and explained about his situation to them. They positively responded and agreed to join this grandpa at abhaya Home of Happiness, Ibrahimpatnam. They suggested us to take him to Rajya Lakshmi hospital which is in Vanasthalipuram and get his wounds treated.

We took him to hospital, cleaned the wounds, done cutting and shaving, brushed his teeth, No one were ready to touch him as he was infected and also due to unbearable smell. We finally took the charge to give him a bath. We cleaned his infected wounds. We also dared and cleaned his potty which was dried and smelling like hell, groomed him with new cloths, fed him with love and care. This is our 5th day with this grandpa. We have done everything possible to us and were able to save his life and leg. Doctors has removed the Infection, Fuzz and maggots from his leg. Few other treatments are going on. Doctor told us to keep him for 15 days for his complete recovery before he finally shifted to abhaya Home of Happiness.

From bottom of our heart, We thank Abhaya Foundation and Dr.Surlapani, MD, Rajyalakshmi Hospital for their kind gesture, cooperation and positive thinking to give a permanent solution to this grandpa. - **Goutham Kumar, Founder, Serve Needy, Hyderabad** 





# Lakshmaiah whose hip got fractured is now recovering slowly @ abhaya Home post discharging from hospital

**Kusuma getting** 

ready for surgery



Kameswara Rao sugar levels are abnormal, treatment needed

> Visit by Dr Pradeep Kumar IRS, Smt Madhavi & Sri Mohanan

Founder & Chairman expressed their gratitude to Sri. Phanidra for his kind support to abhaya Home



# abhaya Home of Happiness. **CSC Seminar in Chennai**





His Excellency Hon'ble Governor of Tamilnadu Sri K Rosaiah to inaugurate the Seminar

CA IS Prasad, Program Coordinator initiated the Mission to invite His Excellency Hon'ble Governor of Tamilnadu, Sri K Rosaiha garu. abhayans lead by Sri Meda Narasimhulu, Chairman visited Raj Bhavan and sought the kind consent of Hon'ble Governor to inaugurate the Seminar. He while recapitulating about the good work that is being done by abhaya since inception, readily agreed to grace the Seminar with his Inaugural Address at the Seminar on 24th January 2015. The team





consisting of CS Balachandra Sunku, Founder, Sri Meda Narasimhulu, Chairman, Sri Balaji, GVR Constructions, Lakshmin Narasimha Ikkurthi, CSC Hyderabad and Smt Sridevi, CSC Chennai paid their respects to the Hon'ble Governor. - abhava TEAM



### Swami Gutamanandaji, Adhyaksh Maharaja, Chennai RK Math blessed the Seminar:

abhayans representing 4 South Indian States lead by the Founder CS Balachandra Sunku, received divine blessings from Adhyaksh Maharaj Swami Goutamanandaji, RK Math, Chennai for the proposed CSR Seminar on 24th Jan 2015 at Chennai. He directed Swami Aathmasrdhanandji Editor Vedanta Kesari to speak in the seminar. The team also met Editor. Adhyaksh Maharaj blessed the team to capture his message in video for Seminar. He advised the team to collect the list of NGOs from RK Math and instructed us to invite Dr. Balasubramanyam, Mysuru to speak in one session. He lovingly asked the team to partake prasad as guests for RK Math .He spent close to an hour... speaking to us. Such a wonderful time we had. Really feeling blessed. abhaya **TEAM** 



# Eminent speakers/ Experts / VIPs consented to be part of Seminar





Sri, K. Rosaiah Hon'ble Governor Tamilanadu

Sri JB Kamdar

Kamdar Group Chennai



Swami Athma Shradhanandji RK Math, Chennai



Sri Aravind B Datar Senior Advocate Chennai



CS (Dr) B Ravi **Company Secretary** Chennai



CA K Ramesh (FEMA) Charter Accountant Chennai



CS A Renga Rajan **Company Secretary** Chennai



Ln VSB Sunder District Governor, 324 A1 Loins Club, Chennai

CS V Ahalada Rao

Hyderabad



CS Shankara Raman & K Mani, Loins Club Chennai



CA MR Vikram Secretary MV Foundation, HYD



Hotel Savera Chennai



CS G Tirupal **Company Secretary** Bengaluru

CS G Raghu Babu President abhaya Foundation

CS Balachandra Sunku Founder abhaya Foundation



# The TEAMs identified for coordination for CSR Seminat at Chennai on 24th January 2015

# **Content & Knowledge Team**

CS G Raghu Babu CA IS Prasad CS S Renga Rajan CS Balachandra Sunku

# **NGO Coordination Team**

Velraj – CTS, Chennai M Sridevi – CSC, Chennai I Lakshmi Narashima, CSC – Hyd

# **Publication Team**

CS Sireesha, Chennai Velraj, CTS, Chennai CS Kirankumar Gupta, Hyd CMA Vadivel, Chennai

### **PR TEAM**

Ronat Roy Velraj Sridevi Rengarajan Balachandra Sunku

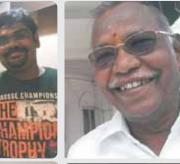
### **Volunteer Team**

Ronat Roy Govindarjan Raman Ramamurthy CS Durga Nagalakshmi CS Vaishali Sai Prashanthi Abhinesh

# **Finance Team**

Meda Narasimhulu CS G Raghu Babu CA IS Prasad CS Rengarajan



























# Technology at its BEST Use by abhaya TEAM at Chennai





abhayan CS Sireesha did a great job initiating this innovative tool for connecting imp abhayans any from south cities. First conference call initiated by abhaya on 21st December for Inspire Chennai4CSR Seminar: it was a different experience having a concall for abhaya cause. Very cost effective.

Not costly affair No time wasted No commutation No out station No rescheduling needed No arrangements.

#### **APPEAL for Sponsorship for the Seminar @ Chennai**

Apart from dissemination of Knowledge and in depth analysis of the various topics of CSR, the surplus generated from the seminar would be spent for Community Work at various places in Tamilnadu State benefiting the most needy in the society. We request your good self to kindly sponsor the event and spread the cause amongst your known Companies at Tamilnadu and India and make them to be our Sponsor for the Seminar in any of the following categories.

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# Inspire Chennai4CSR - Saturday 24th day of January 2015



Cordially INVITE you to be part of CSR in the country by registering for the FULL DAY SEMINAR on

# "Corporate Social Responsibility" from initiation to implementation!!!

Day: Saturday | Date: 24th January 2015 | Time: 9:30AM Venue: Savera Hotel, 146, Dr.Radhakrishnan Road, Chennai - 600004

"I am of the opinion that my life belongs to the whole community and as long as I live, it is my privilege to do for it whatever I can. I want to be thoroughly used up when I die, for the harder I work the more I live" - George Bernard Shaw

The government has with effect from 1st April 2014 imposed compulsory corporate social responsibility obligations ("CSR") upon Indian companies and foreign companies operating in India under the Companies Act 2013. These obligations mainly come in the form of mandatory amounts of a minimum of 2% of their profits the eligible companies must contribute to remediating social problems.

This is a wholly new requirement, although companies were permitted, within certain limits, to make charitable contributions in the past, the New Act is essentially a selfadministered tax. This will cover approximately 10,000 Companies and bring in about Rs. 30,000 Crores for the benefit of community through CSR in India. abhaya Foundation, one of the pioneers in spreading the cause of community work in the country, feels immensely glad to be a part of the CSR Movement in India and contribute in bringing in awareness among the corporate of its roles and responsibilities under the new regime, abhaya Foundation takes pleasure to host a full day seminar on "CSR - from initiation to implementation, at Chennai on Saturday, the 24th January 2015. The surplus proceeds go for community work at Tamilnadu State.

Seminar is for: Corporate Heads/ Directors/ CFOs/CA/CS/CMA/NGOs/Philanthropists Deligate Fee: Rs. 1000/- per participant Mode of payment: Cheque/DD in favour of abhaya Foundation Tax benefit: U/s 80G of Income Tax Act available. For registration: Contact - CS A. Rengarajan (+91 9381011200) Chennai

Program Coordinators CA IS Prasad & CS A. Rengarajan +91 9844068122 & +91 9381011200 Program Director CS Balachandra Sunku +91 9963002727



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# SCHEDULE

INAUGURAL SESSION

Clarion Call for the Society 10.00AM - 11.45AM

Chief Guest

His Excellency Hon'ble Governor of Tamilnadu

### Sri K Rosaiah

#### Clarion Call of Swami Vivekananda Swami Atmashraddhananda

Editor, Vedanta Kesari, RK Math, Chennai

Key Note Address

Sri J B Kamdar MD, Nadi Airtechnics, Chennai

> CA IS Prasad Programme Co-ordinator

Sri Meda Narasimhulu Chaiman, abhaya Foundation

CS G Ragubabu President, abhaya Foundation

11.45AM - 12.00PM: High Tea

12.00 - 01.45PM :TECHNICAL SESSION 1: CSR- Companies Act, 2013 & Role of Corporates & Professionals

> Chaired & Moderated by Sri Aravind P Datar, Sr. Advocate, Chennai CSR - A life perspective & Vision: CA K Ramesh, Advocate, Chennai CSR & Companies Act. 2013 provisions, detailed analysis: Dr CS B Ravi, Company Secretary, Chennai

01.45 - 02.15PM :Lunch & Networking

02.15 - 04.30PM :TECHNICAL SESSION 2 : CSR Impact

#### CSR - Role of NGOs:

CAMR Vikram, Chartered Accountant, Ananadam & Co Secretary, MV Foundation, Hyderabad

#### CSR - NGOs Impact

Ln VSB Sunder MJF, District Governor, 324 A1.

Lions Club International, Chennai

Panel discussion, Q&A:

Moderated by CA IS Prasad, Program Coordinator, audio and video Presentations on NGO activities

#### 04.30 - 05.00PM :CONCLUDING SESSION

CSR - A Journey from I to WE: Overall concluding remarks, brief about abhava, impact and "ask "of the audience: CS Balachandra Sunku, Founder, abhayafoundation.

National Anthem

**High Tea** 05.00 PM :



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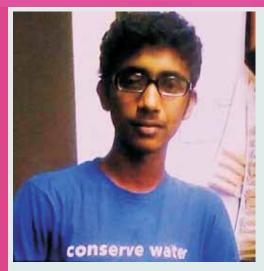
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# **"HEART"** Healthcare Update





# Mission Kranthi Kumar

I'am T.S.Prathyusha studying B.Sc in IIMC, Hyderabad. One of my junior named V. Kranthi Kumar, met with an accident and got seriously injured. His father is a Lorry Driver and mother is a vegetable vendor. Their parents are not in a sound financial position to afford the cost of the surgery. He was admitted in Continental Hospital, Gachibouli. As per initial tests, his liver and kidneys were badly effected and the estimated cost for the treatment is

about Rs. 10 Lakhs. We, friends of Kranthi and college staff could pooled about Rs. 2 Lakhs and their parents took loans to the extent of Rs.3 Lakhs. But still they need more than Rs. 5 Lakhs. I requested you to help us. – **Prathyusha, IIMC, Hyderabad** 

Hope you are doing good, I just wanna save the time by concluding what I actually want to speak now, I have seen post on facebook regarding Kranthi Kumar two days back. I might be late by now as it was christmas here I can't do it fastely, so I have said my friend to drop 10K in to abhaya account he just done the transaction today in the morning. So can you please give them to their family it might not complete amount but still it will give something to him. Thank you sir advance happy new year and merry christmas. - **Shiva Kumar Khambhampati** 





Our family decided to cancel new year Dinner Program and wish to donate Rs.5,000/- for the cause of Kranthi Kumar. Kudos to abhaya for making our family to do such things in life for those in need. God Bless abhaya - **Smt Uma, Madhu, Chaarmi & Akhil** 





# **Mission Harshavardhan**

Harshavardhan(30) is a sales man in a cloth shop with small salary. He was sufferring from Blood Cancer since last year and spent more than ten Lakhs but still not cured completely. As of now he needs about Rs.15Lakhs for treatment at Omega Hospital and he should be admitted in Hospital immediately. This appeal reached us from VServe Foundation and together we are trying to save this young man. We request all kind hearted people to come forward and join their hands

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bone Α marrow cancer patient named Harshavardha n Neerudu Aqe: 30 reached us for help, He was suffering for blood cancer since last year and spent Rs. 10 Lakhs, but the recent tests showed that cancer still exists in him. Doctors suggested a Stem Cell Transplant as he is affected with Hodgkins Lymphoma, (a type of Blood Cancer). The transplant takes 5 weeks and needs to be started immediately,

to ensure survival of the patient. The estimated cost is about Rs.15 Lakhs. He works for a cloth shop as a sales man with very less income. He lost both his parents in his childhood. We have helped him financially for two chemo therapies. Since our Vserve foundation has started recently, we do not have much sources to collect funds for him. With great gratitude and expectation, we appeal this request to you. Will be happy to meet you once if you can give us little time. Awaiting for your response.- **abhaya Team** 

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# Serving someone in need... is like serving ourself Md Hazi a bright student belong to Mahaboob Nagar and presently studying Diploma Cource in Hyderabad with the support of CTS. Suffering from Kidney aiment... not able to continue education.

Parents are running a small chicken shop at the road side... with a monthly income of Rs.5k. Not knowing what to do... apprached CTS Out Reach Team... they in turn sought the support of abhaya.

Reena & Phani decided to lead the Mission with the support of abhaya... the team met at abhaya and instantaenously pooled Rs. 20k for Hazi. Now plan is to take him to KIMS Hyderabad for knowing exact health condition of this boy.

His School Teacher also came in support of him. Everyone decided to TEAM up for the cause... the estimated cost of his treatment is about Rs.20k PM presently... get clarity once KIMS reports are out. Come let us join to server our self in serving the one in need... GOD will be with each one of us.

all donations exempt u/Sec. 806 & mail to abhayafoundation@yahoo.com





### **Mission Krishna Sharma**

I am suffering due to winter. I am using both oxyzen and bypap machines. I am in need of both the machines, as they are the only support for my breathing in times of suffering. Both the machines have become my life saving machines, without them I could not have survived till now, and still I am depending completely on these machines, even my wife could not stand by me and took divorce, and got re-married. I was not in a position to talk to anyone, and wanted privacy for few more days. I am still not in a position to move comfortably here and there. My mother has grown aged and she is the only support for me now. Please try to understand my situation and forgive me for all my inabilities,

but one thing is for sure I am always indebted to your foundation. I am very grateful to your foundation and the people behind the funding of these machines, I need these machines very much, cannot explain other than that, these machines are my lungs, since 3 years. – **Krishna Sharma, Hyderabad** 

### **Mission Brahmam Raju**

One of my friend Puram Brahmam Raju is diagnosed with Cancer and doctors told that he is suffering from Sarcoma Cancer in 4th stage. He is admitted in Apollo Hospital and the family background is very poor. When I heard the news, I immediately think of abhaya and hence forwarding the request. We in our friend circle have pooled 5-6 Lakhs and paid for the initial phases of the treatment. As per doctors, he is responding to the treatment and recovering day by day. We ran out of sources and request your help now. Please look into this case and help him in this tough stage of life.

- B Praveen Kumar, abhayan

# **Mission Teena**

Teena is now undergoing major Chemotherapy stage 4 . There will be 4 stages of Chemo each for 10-14 days . This is the last chemo she will be undergoing. She successfully completed 3stages of it in the past 5 months of her treatment .After this she has to stay in hospital for another 2-3months .In these 3-4 months , the cost of her treatment will be more than before . Happy to say that the second biopsy test was also negative . Reports say that there are no cancer cells right now in her body . But then she has to undergo complete treatment for another 3months . Another happy thing her father shared me recently is that , about our poster which we asked them to take color prints ,have helped them a lot. He told that he has shown this color print when he went to Chennai and a group of people transferred 50K to Basavatarakam hospital on name of Teena .He thanked us specially for the poster which we shared to him in past .This thing happened before 1 or 2months back. My mobile went to repair and I will share the photographs once I get my mobile back . It would be great , if we can provide them a cheque of 20K of the 40K which our ABHAYA is having in the account on "Teena" name. - **A Raghav, ADP, Hyderabad, Volunteer** 





### **Mission Swathi**

Happy new year to our abhaya Foundation and abhaya Home from all of my family members. We visited hospital on 24/12/2014 for treatment M-IV Oral-III . Now swathi doing well and her health is stable and. On 27/01/2015 the 5th cycle of Chemotherapy is going start i.e (M-V Inj Chemo therapy). During last month we visited Thirumala and also visited Kalahasthi Temple. We performed RAHU-KETHU pooja for her complete and stable health. We visited yet another temple near my home town and placed GANDA DEEPAM in the temple. By the grace of god and abhaya

Foundation, we are able to progress happily in life. The approximation cost of M-V Inj Chemo therapy is 18000/in which i can bare Rs. 8000/-. Please help me with the remaining amount. - **M.Venkateshwarlu** 

# **Mission Balingaiah**



I am glad to inform you that our persistent efforts for past 6 months have come to the final stage. It's time to congratulate Balingaiah for the new artifcial limb and wish him luck for future. Last week he reported to Dr. Suresh after this recovery and on 3rd Dec his measurements were taken to fit the limb. On 4th He started his exercises and training to use the limbs and take care of it in future. The video is attached for your reference. It's his first training day and I hope he will do well going forward. I would like to thank Abhaya, especially Bala sir, Siva and Dr. Suresh without whom this was not possible at all. - Shubhraj, abhaya volunteer

#### **Mission Hari Prasad**

Hari Prasad is very regular at Physiotherapy sessions at Sweekar and t h e r e w a s a n improvement in the past one month. Dr. Sreedhar advised to go for another operation to remove the tightness in his legs, so that he can sit properly. Hari's parents are planning to



go for the operation with help of white ration card which they have. The operation is scheduled in the last week of December or in the first week of January. We hope that the operation will further improve the condition and paid for 15 days of physiotherapy, as there would be some rest period after operation is performed. – **KSV Siva Krishna, Secretary, abhaya Foundation** 

# Mission Anjaneyulu

I, Muvva Anjaneyulu is very thankful to abhaya foundation. Your help made me to face the crisis in life and successfully

crisis in life and successfully came out of ill health. You helped me for medical assistance when I am in Apollo Hospital. Thank you Very Much for yours precious help. Now I am medically fine. I am at my home town. I think, I can follow your way in helping people. - **M.anjaneyulu, Student of AP IIIT NUZVID** 





# **Mission Vinod**

I am Vinod Kumar from Somandepalli, Anantapur Dist. Now i am walking with elbow cruches at home. Daily morning/evening about 2 hrs, I will be walking with artificial limbs provided by Bionic and cover about 100 meters walking on outside there by gaining much needed strength to walk more distance on myself. I had been to my College in the first week and wrote final exams and back to home on 20th. I wrote exams very well. As advised by Dr Suersh on 26th I visited Bionic Hyderabad. There was an issue in my legs. Doctors rectified the issue, but I am not able to walk comfortably for long distance.

Though, Bionic & abhaya spent close to Rs. 7,00,000/- for the artificial limbs... still I am facing difficulty. If someone give me a 3 wheeler for

my commutation, it would be very greatly supporting me my daily routine.

I am very happy to visit abhaya home again, there was something special in that home, though i stayed there for very little time, I got new energy in that home. Very thankfull to abhaya for such a great opportunity given to me. I have learned most important and valuable things from CS Balachandra Sir.





# **Mission Umacchandar**

We are fine and thank you for giving an opportunity to meet the Founder and we have a fantastic dinner with him at Sangeeta Restaurant while discussing about seminar at Chennai. Umacchandar met the Founder directly, he felt very happy to see his recovery. We need to think now as to how far he can overcome from his present ill health condition, if he get a job. He is very eager to go for a job, waiting for that. Health wise much better, he is taking his regular medicines, regular exercises. We are praying for his better eyesight. Rohit, he has finished his 1st sem fantastically. He is aiming to get 90 in all subjects. We don't know in college they will put full marks as in school. And he is also searching for a part time job. Hope the things happen fruitfully. Aakanksha, too has done her examinations very well, and preparing for her 10th final exams. We all pray for well and prosperity of you and abhaya foundation. Pray god to give you longevity and good health to do more and more to the deserved people.



# **"HEART"** Educare Update





I am doing pretty good here and hope all the abhayans are having a blissful life. During last month, I have been posted to gynecology & obstetric. Here we are knowing how to deal, anti natal cases by studying per vaginal examination etc., and also coming across different kinds of instruments in this field. I wrote an article on Hepatitis B. Since gaining knowledge is my primary motto I decided to join in a research program conducted by ICMR (Indian council of medical research) in name of STS (short term student ship). On the occasion of WORLD AIDS day

(1st December) we carried a rally to create awareness about AIDS and its ways of transmission. On the same day a meeting has been conducted with people affected by AIDS to boost their spirit to fight against all odds of society and their depriving personal stability. A painting competition was conducted on the topic COMMUNAL HARMONY in which I took a part. I have enclosed a photo regarding it at last.

Participated in SWATCH BHARATH program and all of us involved in cleaning our Medical Headquarters joyfully. In between these days we people joined rally supporting the allegations of house surgeons regarding the GEO 107 with issue of temporary rural service and salary increments. Participated in CSR seminar conducted at Bangalore. I enjoyed the whole and sole essence of it and was overwhelmed by the dedication and dignity of Auto Raja uncle and I was so moved by his service. He illustrated that " learn to see in every living being an embodiment of all energy, all beauty all beneficence, namely God" .that provoked my young mind to move towards social service with tripled enthusiasm than before. - K. Sailatha, II MBBS, Govt Medical College, Anantapur.

I am **Venugopal Reddy,** studying 2ndB.Tech. Sir first of all, I am very sorry sir for late reply and not informed to abhaya what I am doing in this month. Actually I was suffering from jaundice and fever from 25thOctober. I could write only three exams



in my semester and I could not attend the remaining three exams, asin those days I was admitted in hospital nearby my village. After that I went to my home for some ayurvedic treatment and to take some rest. My mobile also not working and I missed all your numbers saved in phone. That's why I could not inform you sir. I am coming to Hyderabad on 2nd December on that day if you give15min time I will meet and show the documents clearly explain what happened to me. Actually this was my big mistake not to inform abhaya. Please forgive me sir. As of now I am staying in my Friend's room, but I need some accommodation, so that I can save some money. Please guide me to set a room nearby my college.



I am going to college regularly. I d i d t h e assignments ICT -1 and 2 and school management. I have participated in guest lecturer of CCE method and attended seminar on philosophy. I

will start a case study project and also I am in top 10 in my class. My only problem is that principal sir sent a notice asking for total fee as there is no clarity on Government funding the education for reserved categories. -**MD.Arifuddin, Kalwakurthi, Mahaboob Nagar** 

#### Swapna Priya Register for

CA: Swapna Priya whose education is being supported for the past 2 years... studying well with an ambition to become a Chartered Accountant. She with the support of abhaya paid

fee for registerin g herself with CPT e x a m . L e t s hope for the best t o h e r h e r e after.



I am **S. Leelavathi** and doing fine. Hope all abhayans are fine. I have completed 2nd semester syllabus and practical classes also done. I wrote internals from 1st to 4th December and performed well. My 3rd semester results were announced and I got 77 percentage but class top percentage was 80. Now I have preparation holidays from 6th Dec to 20th Dec. I will have 3rd semester examination on end of this month that is why we are not going to home. I have GATE exam on 31jani am preparing for that and preparing notes in central Library. I have downloaded most of the previous papers from internet and practicing daily. I



am also writing online mock exams. In campus coaching was conducted of Reasoning, Aptitude and General Knowledge and English. It is useful for GATE that's why am going to that coaching and applied for IB (intelligence bureau) S.V.University conducted Impact program on personality development and soft skills by Hyderabad, GampaNageswararao and group. It is excellent and successfully completed. I am participating in seminars in my college and share knowledge with my friends whenever we are free. Thanking you for giving such an opportunity.

GVK School Report: The school is running qood lines Half vearly on examinations were conducted in the school as per the norms of the Government. BhagavatGeetha competitions were conducted on 18.12.2014 and the prizes were also distributed to the winners. Cultural programmes were prepared for the competitions to be conducted on 08.02.2015 for sevakumbha conference at Vijayawada. I have already met with you at Hyderabad and discussed our school financial positions. The BAS scholarships amount was not received till today. We have faced so many problems for day to day expenses. We also met the ONGC officials for construction of Lavatories to the students in the premises of the school. This is for favor of information. - **S.Bhavanarayana**, Joint Secretary, GVK School, EG.

# abhaya Vignan School closer computer given to Maa Illu Ashramam: As the closure of abhaya

Vignan School is now certain from next academic year, abhaya team opined that the Computer Lab set up with the support of Infosys and others be moved to the places where there is a need. At this time, there was request from Maa Illu Prajadharana Ashramam, Jaffargadh, Warngal, Telangana seeking support for computers. As the NGO is taking care of about 300 orphan kids from KG to PG, it was decided to shift all the 9 computer systems, toys, games and books for the benefit of Maa Illu. Accordingly the same were handed over to Maa Illu during the month of December 2014. – **abhaya TEAM** 

# abhaya sponsored Rs.1.10 lakhs : ALL-IN-ONE books for under privileged children:



With the support of donors and sponsors our Hope Trust Society and Maaillu Prajadharana Ashramam initiated a program of free distribution of All in one Material to Orphan and Semi Orphan students in govt. schools and Few NGO homes. We got a support from abhaya foundation came forward and sponsored to 1200 books. abhaya foundation sponsored books are given to 48 schools of 493 books. These books were given to the children on December 13th 2014 at SundharayaVignanaKendram, Bhaglingam Pally, Hyderabad.

And our 2nd programme books distribution was on 16th December 2014 at ZPPSS Zaffargadhschool, Warangal District. Govt. schools students of Orphan and Semi Orphan class X students. Total 51 books are given to students of 8 schools. 3rd program was on 17th December 2014 at Padmashali Bhavan, Near Bottuguda High School, and Nalgonda district. Few NGO homes and Govt. school students of Orphan and Semi Orphan class X students. Total 237 books are given to students of 29 schools.

We are very thankful to abhaya foundation which gave a hope to do this programme. abhaya foundation has provided ambulance service to children to drop them into the venue. Abhaya foundation took a big challenge to make this programme successful. We bow our head to the services of abhaya foundation. – **GadeInnareddy, MaaIllu** 

By abhaya with the kind support of many abhayans across the country including Indira

Vadapalli & Dr Ramadevi Bandla from USA for the initiative of MaaIllu...Hope Trust... 1200 All in One study material distributed to most deserving class x students who are orphans n semi orphans at government high school and NGOs. Plan is to distribute 15000 books before month end... Rs.1.10 lakh... for 1200 books. - abhaya Team



# **HEART** Awareness Update





CS V Ahalada Rao (ICSI Central Council) CS R Ramakrishna Gupta (ICSI - SIRC) CS R Venkata Ramana (ICSI - Hyd) CS S Kavitha Rani (ICSI - Hyd) CS M Ravikumar (ICSI - Hyd)

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# Founder addressed participants of MSOP at ICSI - Hyd



Very impressive and inspiring work you are doing Ms Meera Shenoy with your team of Youth4Jobs for those otherwise able communities in the country. Prayers for your wellbeing of those who connected to Youth4Jobs... social note of thanks to Axis Bank Foundation for the great support in doing your best.







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<mark>శది:</mark> 31-01-2015 శరివారం సాయంత్రం 5 గంటలకు

<mark>పథాస్థరి:</mark> ప్రధుత్వ జానియర్ కఠాశాల మైదానం పెరుణింద



పెనుకొండ పట్టణం దారిత్రాత్మకంగా పుసిద్ధగాంచినది. పెజయనగర సాప్రాజ్యానికి రెండవ రాజధానిగా, వేసవి పెదిదిగా, కీర్తి నార్జించింది, పెజయనగర రాజాలలో సుపుసిద్ధరైన శ్రీశృష్టదేవరాయల సాహితీ సౌరథాలను ఆస్వాదించిన మన గ్రామ పూర్వ రైభవాన్కి పునరుజ్జీపించాలనే పజ్ర సంకల్పంతో 2000 సంపత్సరంలో సాహితీగగన్ మహల్ సంస్థ ఏర్పాటు చేయడం జరిగింది.

ప్రతి మూడు సంవత్సరాలకు ఒక పర్యాయం మన జిల్లాలో జక్మించి, రాష్ట్ర, జాతీయ, అంతర్హాతీయ స్థాయిల్లో తమతమ రంగాల్లో పిశిష్ట సేవలు అందిస్తూ ఖ్యాతిని అర్జెంచి, ఉన్నత శిఖరాలను అధిరోహించిన వ్యక్తులను గుర్తించి "అనంత ఆడిముత్యం" వురస్కారంతో గౌరవించదము అనవాయితీగా జరుగుతుండటం సుపిచితమే.

2000 సంవత్సరం మండి ప్రతి మూడేళ్ళకు ఒకసారి అనంత ఆడిముత్యాల పురస్నార ప్రధానోత్సవాలను అంగరంగ వైథపోపీతంగా జరుపడం జలిగింది. అవ్వడు రివ అనంత అడిముత్యాల పురస్వార ప్రధానోత్సవము 2015 జనవరి 31వ తేదీ సాయంత్రం 5 గంటల నుండి పెనుకొండలోని ప్రభుత్వ జూనియర్ కళాశాల మైడానంలో నిర్వహించబడును.

అనంత భాసులై. అనంత ఘన కీర్రిని తమదైన శైలిలో దిగ్గి గంతాలకు వ్యాపింపచేపిన "అనంత అడిముత్యాలు" అంటే మాకెంతో గర్వము, భాలిపై మాకెంతో ప్రేమ, అలాంటి అడిముత్యాలు, ప్రేమ మూర్పులైన వాలిని అనంత అడిముత్యాల ఫురస్కారంతో సత్యలించడం అనంద దాయకమైన అఫూర్వ సంఘటన. గతంలో జలిగిన ఈ కార్మక్రమాలకు జనం తందోపతండాలుగా తరలిపచ్చి అనంత అడిముత్యాల్లాంటి అనంత ముద్దజద్దలను కమలార దూచుకొని మనసారా ప్రతంసింది కార్యక్రమాన్ని పెజయవంతం చేశారు. 2015 జనవలి 31న జలిగే కార్యక్రమానికి జనం కదలిపచ్చి, జయప్రదం చేయపలసినిడిగా కోరుచున్నాము.

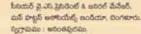
ఇదో అపూర్వ సన్నివేశం. అనంతపురం జిల్లా ప్రజల తరపున ముద్యబద్ధలను అందలికీ పరిచయం చేస్తూ భాలిని సగర్యంగా సత్యరించుకొంటున్న బృహత్రర కార్యక్రమమిది. భవిష్యశ్రులో పెనుకొండ సాపాతీగరస్ మహల్ ప్రస్న సాపాత్య, సాంస్మతిక. కళా, విద్యా, వైజ్ఞానిక. ఆరోగ్య వ్యవసాయ, ఆత్యాది రంగాలలో విశేష కృషి చేస్తూ సామాజిక ప్రగతికి తోడ్పాటుగా ఉన్నవాలిని కళ్ళకద్దుకుంటూ బ్వగుడీకృత ఉత్సాహముతో ముందుకెట్నందని హామీ ఇచ్చన్నాము.

సప్పరయుల సహకారాజకి కృత్యతలు తెలియజేస్తుర్మాము. రండి: కేదలిరండి: ఈ కౌర్యకృర్తూన్ని జయిర్పదం చేయిండి.



#### აამჯ გუჯბდ

### సమాచార సాంకేతిక రంగము శ్రీమతి టి.ఎస్. ఉప్ర

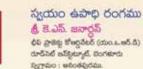




సంగీతము ప్రాజ శ్రీకాంతం నాగేంద్రకాస్తి ప్రముఖ సంగీత పెద్దాంనులు, దింగకూరు ప్రయుఖు వంగకరల్లి, కాందాపురం (మం),



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సాంస్కృతిక రంగము శ్రీమతి. ఎం.కె.అర్. అరాలత ప్రకృత క్యాకాని. మాజీ పెక్సార్ బోర్మ పద్యగు. హైదరాజార్ పుగ్రాబము దేకాక్షి, దేకాక్షి (మం).



స్వచ్ఛ<mark>ంద సేవ</mark> శ్రీ సి.యస్.బాలచంద్ర సుంకు కంపికి పెట్టరి. శ్వారము కారపికి, హైదరాకార్ శ్వారము కారపికి, కారపరి (మం)

### Dear beloved Sri JP Reddy garu

Greetings and good day. Thank you for the kind honour and invitation. Congratulations to each one in who are accomplished in their filed receiving the honour. Considering Anantahpuram is my mother, i humbly place myself at the feet of those who has chosen me to receive Anantha Ani Muthyam Award at Penugonda. I take this opportunity to thank the jury for their kind effort behind selections. I wish to place this Award at thy feet of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba and Sri Saraswathi Sisu Mandir, Tadpathri under whose care, I stood where am today. I shall be there with all my love and care.

CS Balachandra Sunku Founder: www.abhayafoundation.org





# **"HEART"** Rural Development Update





Ramesh is confident to lead life

Ramesh and family are doing well with the tool kit provided to them. They were able to generate about Rs.1500/- per month for past 4 months. Ramesh saying that he has to do some gas stoves welding work with tool kits in the month of January 2015.Ms.Ch.Lakshmi joined as cook at their nearby village in residence with a salary of Rs.5000/- pm .Now they are happy with Ramesh Salary, rental amount on tool kit and

Lakshmi salary. From next month onwards, they will provide small donation on monthly basis to abhaya. - **Savithri, NCC Group, Hyderabad** 

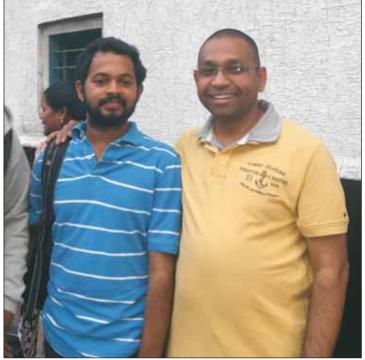
# Anil will be leaving USA

J Anilkumar Gupta finished his B.Tech (ECE) belongs to a lower middle class family based at Hyderabad and working as Bio Medical Engineer in Kamineni Hospitals. He is struggling to lead the family with meager income and trying hard to go to abroad to become financial stable. Dr Suresh, from USA willing to provide a better



opportunity to Anil and his wife. Sri G Madhu Mohan, Member of abhaya Home referred him to abhaya with a request to help him in settling in life. On enquiry, it was found that he is in need of Rs.1.50lakhs for processing and travel expenses. They could pool maximum amounts and requested abhaya to provide best possible support, they said the same can be repaid at the soonest possible opportunity. abhaya sanctioned Rs.25,000 - **abhaya Team** 

# **SMS Engine for abhaya**

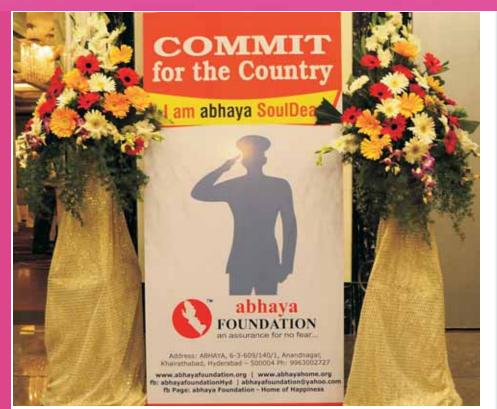


I have built an SMS Engine, with which we can register for our brand name. This interface would be easy to send SMS to all the well-wishers and even one can create groups to send SMS. I feel, it would be an efficient way of communication for NGOs like abhaya foundation. – **Praveen Battula, Software Engineer, Hyd** 



# **"HEART"** Transformation Update





# **SoulDears of abhaya Foundation**

Following abhayans are the SoulDears of abhaya with their regular monthly/bimonthly/quarterly/annual contributions in support of ongoing projects. It is always due to support of such people abhaya is able to serve the most needy in the country. We feel privileged to have such well wishers with abhaya. We take this opportunity to salute each one of these abhayans and appeal everyone to be part of this Mission with their might by supporting regularly. We pray GOD to bless each one who are lending their hands of support to abhaya FOUNDATION & abhaya Home of Happiness. Please excuse us and inform if some one's name is missed in the table below enabling us to update records. abhaya is able to pool close to Rs.1,00,000/- every month +/-15%.

Name of donor	City	Rs.	Purpose
G VidyaSagar	Hyderabad	10000	Corpus
CS P S Rao	Hyderabad	10000	Corpus
T Srinivasa Rao	Kurnool	10000	аНоН
K.V. Rama Krishna	Mumbai	8500	Donation
Indira Vadapally	USA	6000	Donation
Ramkoti Pola	USA	6000	Donation
CA Grandhi Vittal	Hyderabad	5000	Educare
CA.S. Narayana Rangiah	Benagaluru	5000	Corpus
Smt. Chandrabhanu Niyogi	Hyderabad	5000	аНоН
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CS Balachandra Sunku	Hyderabad	3000	Corpus
Rupam	Hyderabad	3000	Orphan
Sai Krishna Vayara	Hyderabad	3000	Healthcare
Alla Srikar Reddy	USA	2500	Donation
Anita Nair	Hyderabad	2500	Donation
CS G. RaghuBabu	Hyderabad	2500	Corpus
K.S.V. Siva Krishna	Hyderabad	2500	Corpus
Dr.Ravindranath Reddy AG	Hyderabad	2500	Educare
Hemalatha Gunturu	Hyderabad	2500	Corpus
A Karthik Kumar	USA	2000	Corpus
CA AV Satish Kumar	Benagaluru	2000	Corpus
CA BV Prasad	Hyderabad	2000	аНоН
CS DVM Gopal	Hyderabad	2000	Donation
CS NithyaKalyani Kannan	UK	2000	Educare
CS Sathish Gupta K	Hyderabad	2000	аНоН
CS. SVN Achary	Hyderabad	2000	Donation
Praveen Battula	Hyderabad	2000	Donation
Rajasekhar M	Benagaluru	2000	Orphan

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Raju BB	Benagaluru	2000	Healthcare	CS Nitin Kumar Jain	Hyderabad	500	Donation
S. Naveenarjuna Rangaiah	USA	2000	Corpus	Dedeepya	USA	500	Healthcare
S. Radha Krishna	Benagaluru	2000	Corpus	G Kiran Kumar	Hyderabad	500	Donation
Sumedh C Deshpande	Hyderabad	2000	Donation	G V Suresh	Chennai	500	Donation
A B Harikrishnan	Mumbai	1500	Donation	Kranthi Kiran G	Hyderabad	500	Donation
CS Boppana Sireesha	Chennai	1500	аНоН	Navya Bachu	Hyderabad	500	Donation
Dr Rama Bandla	USA	1500	Donation	P. Savithri	Hyderabad	500	Donation
NLite Team	Hyderabad	1500	Educare	Prathyusha	Hyderabad	500	Donation
CS T Deepthi	Hyderabad	1500	Healthcare	Rajesh Chithrala	Selam	500	Donation
G Keerthi Murthy	Bengaluru	1200	Donation	Rajkamal V	Hyderabad	500	Donation
A Karthik Kumar	USA	1000	Donation	Roopavathi	Hyderabad	500	Donation
A Mohan Gupta	Tadpathri	1000	Corpus	Sai Prashanthi	Chennai	500	Donation
Anusha Jaladi	Hyderabad	1000	Donation	Sreekumar	Hyderabad	500	Donation
CS B Venkatesh Babu	Hyderabad	1000	аНоН	Sricharan Lakkaraju	Hyderabad	500	Donation
CS I V Lakshmi	Hyderabad	1000	Donation	T Karthik	Hyderabad	500	Healthcare
CS Jinesh Kumar S	Hyderabad	1000	аНоН	V.Praneeth Gadhamsetty	Hyderabad	500	Donation
CS K.S.V.S. Sastry	Hyderabad	1000	ahoH	Venkat Reddy Garlapati	Hyderabad	500	Donation
CS MohithKamdar	Hyderabad	1000	аНоН	Vikram Reddy D	Hyderabad	500	Donation
CS Narasimhan Karthik	Hyderabad	1000	аНоН	Prathyusha	Hyderabad	500	Donation
CS Shujath Bin Ali	Hyderabad	1000	Donation	V. Leela	Hyderabad	500	Donation
G Thirupal	Benagaluru	1000	Corpus	CS Manjunath Hegde	Benagaluru	300	Donation
JVR Prabhu	Hyderabad	1000	Donation	K Dastagiri	Hyderabad	300	Donation
N Sai Prashanth	Hyderabad	1000	Donation	A Rajasekhar Reddy	Hyderabad	200	Donation
N Sailaja	Hyderabad	1000	Donation	Mr.P.V.Chittibabu	Hyderabad	200	Donation
Rama Krishna	Hyderabad	1000	Donation	Nandini	Hyderabad	200	Donation
S Balamurali Krishna	Tadpathri	1000	Donation	Smt Saraswathi	Hyderabad	200	Donation
Shubhraj Singh	Hyderabad	1000	аНоН	Sri Sathya Sai Srikanth R	Hyderabad	200	Healthcare
Sushma B	UK	1000	аНоН	V. Sreedhar	Hyderabad	200	Donation
SVS Credits	Benagaluru	1000	Donation	M. Sainath Reddy	Hyderabad	200	Donation
V Siva Subrahmanyam	Mumbai	567	Donation	V. Suresh	Hyderabad	200	Donation
B Sai Pranathi	Benagaluru	500	Donation	CS B Rupendra Prasad	Hyderabad	200	Donation
BVS Phaneendra	Hyderabad	500	аНоН	Smt Jayalakshmi	Hyderabad	100	Donation
CS Amarendra	Hyderabad	500	аНоН	Veeraswamy	Warangal	100	Donation
CS Khushboo/Roshan	Hyderabad	500	Donation	AVVSSV Prasad	Hyderabad	100	Donation

it is always inspiring! months. I noticed that instruction created for abhaya

Sorry for delay and not transferred amount from the past 6 transactions in my bank account is deleted mistakenly. One



my donation from 500-/ to 1000. I transferred 4500/- from Jun 14 - Jan 15. - Sreekumar, Bengaluru



Gone through the News Update of Nov'14, and forwarded the same in my circles. The Signature message by CA IS Prasad garu is very touching and encouraging. There is exhaustive coverage of our CSR at Bengaluru and the turn of subsequent events is also inspiring-specially from the GVK Chief.I liked the phrase "Citizen" in place of "Corporate" and we need to focus on this. It is good that similar CSR Seminars are planned across the country, but what an amount of effort is needed for this as we need dedicated people to carry forward this huge task. Focusing on volunteers induction should be our priority, I feel. - EJP Prasad, abhava RPL Coordinator.

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