Milt Charitable Trust, BANGALORE

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Working Report for the period 1.1.2015 TO 31.12.2015

Children under our care:

As on 1st January,2015 the strength was 26 children put up in 2 snehalaya Homes. During the Year, 3 children were transferred to Simultala School. We have added 5 more children during the period. 1 child was handed over to the parent. Presently 27 children have been housed in 2 snehalaya Homes.

We have stepped up our efforts to identify more deserving children for admission and pursuing our mission to open the 3rd Snehalaya Home in Bangalore.

Functioning of Snehalaya Homes

Periodical review Meetings were conducted to discuss maintenance, education and health related issues. During the year, we have made duty chart for the house mothers to rotate the work equally among the house mothers.

Our chairman, administrators, social worker and non residential warden are visiting the snehalaya homes regularly and taking the classes and conducting activities, games for our children. We have guest, Volunteers and sponsors spending quality time with the children. Our focus is to give value based education to the children thanks to the good support from the school management and teachers. At Present we have 6 house mothers for both snehalaya homes to take care of the children in a proper manner. All these support helps us to nurture their qualities and talents. Miltonian trustees and volunteers actively participate in all parent teachers meeting in the schools for effective monitoring of the progress of the children.

Miltonian delegates from Mumbai, Chennai and Kolkata visited both Snehalaya homes on 31.12.2014 during their stay for ENRICH'14 Milt National convention.

Mentor Aporesh visited both snehalaya home during the summer holidays and interacted with the children.

Counselling

We have engaged the services of a professional Counselor who deals with the behavioral issues of the Snehalaya children and also conduct training sessions for the housemothers. The Counselor also visits schools to meet the class teachers along with the social worker to track their academic performance.

Maintenance

Malleswaram Snehalaya home was painted during the year and painting in Banashanakari Snehalaya home is undertaken now.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Naveen who completed 12th Standard this year from MRS has joined B.com in Seshadripuram college.

Fund Raising Projects

Many Miltonians regularly contribute to MILT Charitable Trust and actively support the fund raising activities.

Miltonian Mahendra Chowhan heads the list of contributors for sponsoring 1 Snehalaya Home expenses.

Another important source of funds is the Old News paper Project actively coordinated by Miltonian Dinakara Shetty. The drive is carried out every two months. During the year under review, more than Rs.2.00 lakhs has been collected. Many of our MRS boys who are living in Bangalore, staff members of Miltonian Grahadurai, Dinakara Shetty, the Social Worker and a few Miltonians actively participate in the collection drive.

Although we do not seek donations from outsiders, some of our volunteers connect us to their contacts. In this way a few of the Non Miltonians have been regularly donating to us.

A Social group HARMONY has been sponsoring the grocery requirements of our Malleswaram Snehalaya for the past many years.

ENRICH'14 Core committee did a wonderful job in raising close to 24 lakhs through ENRICH'14 milt National convention. The core committee organised 2 successful PeP programmes and a mega successful sponsorship and advertisement collections during ENRICH'14.

PeP Worshop Nov 2015

Mentor Aporesh despite his failing health conducted his last and final training programme during November, 2015. The programme went off successfully with full batch of 48 participants and 18 Miltonian reviewers. A net amount of Rs.7.75 lakhs was raised.

CONTRIBUTION TO MRS

Like earlier years, this year also Bengaluru Chapter contributed Rs. 8 Lakhs to the MRS, Simulthala. Further, Miltonians Grahadurai, Hariharan and Venkatanathan visited MRS Simulthala during the year.

Events 2015:

May/June 2015: 12 of our Simulthala children visited Bangalore for summer holidays. Various holiday activities were conducted for the benefit of these children. Some of the children underwent training in the business establishments run by some of the Miltonians.

Aug 1, 2015: Birthday celebration of our Mentor Aporesh and Snehalaya children was celebrated in a grand manner. Children thrilled every one by their variety entertainment programme. All our House mothers, the Social Worker and the Administrators Miltonians Kusum Gopinath and Seetha Holla played a lead role in organizing the birth day party. As usual Miltonian Gopinath Prabhu sponsored the expenses towards hall and dinner.

Malleswaram Snehalaya children went for a picnic programme to CUBBON park accompanied by the friends of Miltonian Gokul Madan.

Diwali was celebrated in Banashanakari Snehalaya bursting crackers. Children's day programme was celebrated in Banashankari snehalaya.

Health Checkup:

We have two regular voluntary doctors for both Snehalaya Homes to carry out health checkup for our children once a month and maintain a comprehensive medical record of the children.

MID TERM REVIEW

On Oct 31 and Nov 7, 2015: we organized mid term review of academic and non-academic performance of our children. Most of the parents also participated in the meeting. Chairman, trustees, administrators, tuition teachers, social worker and Counselor were present in the meeting. The meeting went off successfully.

Meeting with L.S Manjunath of our MRS Alumni

During Nov 2015, our Chairman Miltonian Grahadurai experienced great moments meeting our alumni boy Shri. L.S.Manjunath in Salzburg in Austria .Manjunath has since completed the MS in embedded design in Germany and had come to Austria specially to meet Miltonian Durai.