

An Institution for people with special Needs

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Annual Report 2021 - 2022

It gives me immense pleasure to present before you the annual report for the year 2021 - 2022. Founded in 2003 Dharithree Trust - an Institution for People with Special Needs strives to bring qualitative change in the lives of special children. Currently we run 3 (three) day care centres and 1 (one) residential home catering to around 200 children on its rolls. Qualified special educators, therapist, psychologists and psychiatrist are engaged in the service of the special needs children.

Due to the continuation of the pandemic the academic year could not begin as usual in May – Children were asked to continue to stay at home and online classes resumed. Children staying at the residential hostel were also sent home. As per the government guidelines the schools remained closed and we unable to serve our children satisfactorily. As we all know this situation had become a hurdle in our routine life. Though we have dedicated and committed staff we could not render our services up to the mark. The online classes, counselling to parents and guiding for physiotherapy and other therapies continued. Due to the reversal of the situation over the control of the pandemic online classes were resumed and offline classes were stopped. Regular schools started from mid October 2021.

As per the government guidelines our FCKA account was successfully opened in State Bank of India, New Delhi City Branch.

We have been successful in registering Dharithree with Employees State Insurance (ESI) and Employees Provident Fund (EPF) with effect from January 2022.

Teacher's training programs:

The teachers were guided by the respective heads and psychologists on various issues and how to handle the children in an endeavour to upgrade their skill sets.





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A few teachers have enrolled and are attending the training being conducted by KPMRC and have completed their D.Ed in special education. Many of our teachers enrolled for online training conducted by WHO and Rehabilitation Council of India has approved our teachers' knowledge up gradation by Continuing Rehababilitation Education (CRE).

Cuitural programmes:

In July 2021 Pujaya Sri Veereshanandaji Maharaj of Sri Ramakrishna Mission, Tumkur visited Dharithree, Narasipura and inspired our teachers to work for long time.

On August 15, 2021 Independence Day celebrations were held at Rotary Bangalore Udyog.





On September 5, 2021 maintaining the Covid – 19 protocol (wearing the mask, maintain social distancing and sanitization) Teachers day was celebrated at Vishwa Shanthi Dhama, Nelamangala various activities were held for the teachers and prizes were distributed to the winners. The programme was sponsored by Mr. Raghavendra Rao.

In addition to the above Gandhi Jayanthi, Kannada Rajatovsava, Children's Day, World Disabled Day were also celebrated at all the centres.

Karthika Deepotsava at Dharithree Nanda gokula Goshala was celebrated as usual. On the occasion nundreds of tamps were lit in and around the gosnala in the evening. A rangoli competition was organized and people from the surrounding areas also participated in it. The best three were awarded prizes.

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On December 26, 2021 the 75th Birthday celebrations of our beloved President Sri. H N A Prasad was celebrated at Dharithree. He dedicated all the offering received on his birthday to Dharithree. On the occasion Smt. Tejaswini Ananthakumar, Chairman of Adamya Chethana planted 75 trees.



A new steam based kitchen was also added to Dharithree.

On the morning of February 7, 2022 we celebrated Rathasapathami and Tvagaraia Purandara Aradhana Mahotsava in which over 25 artists from Swara Kshema Foundation performed for over 3 hours. The occasion was graced by Vidwan Anoor Ananthakrishna Sharma, Chairman Karantaka Sangeetha Nataka Academy.

Our 45 children and teachers were registered with the Special Olympics Bharath, Karnataka for sports training. A 2 days state level Coaching to Coaches training programme was conducted at Dharithree Narasipura. Also SOB State level Committee meeting was held.





The academic year ended with 10 of our student appearing for the Class X examination. They have been rehabilitated and they are earning their invelinood.

M/s Triveni Turbines donated a Tata MarcoPolo mini bus to our Peenya centre on 23.02.2022.

We are grateful and appreciate the continuous support of our partners in this noble cause viz. Triveni Turbines, Rotary Udyog, Peenya Industrial Association, Have a Heart

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Foundation, Vijay Electricais, Banashankari Glass and Plywood's, , Bangalore etc and 3H, USA to name a few.

We are grateful to our partners in our progress supporting us through Corporate Social Responsibility Fund i.e. Collins Aerospace, International Power Corporation Triveni Turbines, Have A Heart Foundation, KisanKraft.

An international chapter of Dharithree was registered in USA headed by Mr. B R Ramaprasad, T. S Sridhar Nath and others.

In conclusion we would like to state that with the support of our donors, well wishers, philanthropic organizations we have been able to march ahead bringing in considerable change in the life of these special needs children and their families.





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