

From the Desk of Managing Trustee...

Hello Everybody,

Greetings to all of you...

You are aware that "Make My Dream Foundation" is working for preservation of basic rights of physically challenged children. We are very glad to inform that we have secured 80G Registration under Income Tax Act, 1961 successfully in the month of October, 2010 and now stepping ahead towards implementation of Phase II.

We have speed up the donations raising drive. Our donors are eligible to get 50% exemption under section 80G of Income Tax Act, 1961.

You are aware that currently we have activated vocational training programs and started the counseling to candidates under support. We are providing opportunity to the candidates and not mercy. We are trying to inculcate this vital point along with "self help" concept and continuous motivation for pursuing the dreams amongst the candidates through our unique counseling and we are getting good response from the candidates to our "one to one" counseling efforts.

While running current projects, urgent need for setting up of Complete (Dream Project) Rehabilitation Centre is prominently envisaged. Everybody is aware of the present transport issue faced by even normal person living in Pune city and outskirts. Now one can imagine how the traveling is day by day becoming grave concern for these special children as disability aggravates their mobility issue.

The candidates approached for support entails from economically backward category and almost neglected by parents in respect of education, equality, self reliance. They are even refrained from providing basic life support artificial equipments and it is observed that their lives have been either stuck up and they are far away from pursuing their dreams.

Presently candidates are approaching us on mouth publicity. Shortly we are publishing an article about our trust's activity in the local newspapers to reach to the masses.



Medha Kulkarni
Managing Trustee

Progress of Candidates under support or Selected for support

Master Tejraj Sutrave

Till October, 2010 uninterrupted Occupational Therapy was continued. However his mother Sarika Sutrave, decided to admit him for one of the resident program from November, 2010 for a period of 3 months and hence there is a short break. Meanwhile his mother has completed her 10th standard and doing private job and taking care of Tejraj's fees from own sources. So now onwards only guidance will be provided to Tejraj's mother for developing his "Self Reliant" life.

Akshada Vishnu Langote

Ms. Akshada of age 22 years is patient of post polio disability in both legs and right hand. She has completed 10th standard at Wanorie Sanstha. After coming back home she completed MS CIT and appeared for 12th standard exam externally. She has registered herself at Employment Exchange and in search of suitable job.



After returning home from Wanorie Sanstha, she has not provided with the suitable calipers as her parents falls under economically backward criteria and she is facing mobility issue since past 3-4 years. In spite of mobility problem she completed MS CIT and appeared for 12th standard due to her mother's support only.



Her mother approached us for support lifting Akshada in hand. It was so pitiful view and we decided to make her stand on her own feet first and be in a position to walk independently. After consultation with Dr. Vilas Jog, M.S. (Ortho.), it is decided to go for surgeries on both legs to sort out her mobility issue. He operated her both legs so as to make the legs suitable for caliper use. Now the calipers for both the legs are ready and Akshada needs 3 months period as post operative recovery and it is expected that she can walk independently using

calipers and crutches after that.

We have arranged hostel accommodation for Akshada and short listed for Computer Course, Spoken English Course and Personality Development Course, which are scheduled to start after she will be in a position to attend the courses independently. We have also arranged transport facility for Akshada during the training period.

Presently we are counseling Akshada and her parents for building 'Self Help Concept' and develop confidence and self belief to endeavor Akshada an independent and dignified life.



Miss Reshma Baban Bhorde



Ms. Reshma of age 20 years is patient of post polio disability in left leg. She has completed 10th standard at Wanorie Sanstha. After coming back home Wanorie Sanstha, she has completed 12th standard externally and also did one year diploma course in Fashion Designing at ITI, Pune with the help of "Help Life" Sanstha, Pune. However, she is unable to take benefit of that course as she did not generate interest in Fashion Designing.

She is equipped with caliper and can walk and travel independently.

She approached for support in the month of December 2010. She intends to do any suitable office job. Taking into consideration her liking, we have admitted her for Computer Course, Spoken English Course and Personality Development Course from the first week of January 2011. We have arranged for transport facility for Reshma during the training period. Building of 'Self Help Concept' and motivation for pursuing dreams, develop confidence and self belief to endeavor Reshma an independent and dignified life will be achieved through counseling at weekly interval, which is initiated since beginning of her support program.



Reshma at Computer class at Alpha Computer Education, Pune



Reshma at Inspiring Spoken English Class, Pune

Management

There is no change in management and trustees of Make My Dream Foundation.

Working Committee Members

We are very glad to inform you that volunteers are coming up and Mrs. Mrunal Joshi has joined our hands as working committee member since October, 2010. Trust is very much thankful for her valuable contribution in various activities.

All the working committee members are parting their precious time for trust activities and actively participating for advancement of Trust's objectives. On behalf of the Trust, Managing Trustee is ever grateful for valuable support and contribution of working committee members as well the trustees.

Humble Appeal

Under Phase II, we have planned to set up a complete Rehabilitation Centre within a span of 3 years to cater the basic needs of these special children, like food, shelter, education and medical aid, counseling, vocational training and cultural and recreational facilities. It will be dream project of the Trust and we are sure that we will be successful in implementing the same as scheduled with the kind patronage of our donors.

Yes, the work need to carry out by manifold hands then only it will definitely reach to desired goals. It is the work of masses and requires small share from individual belonging to the society, for bringing the parity between the society and duty towards all the special fellow sufferers.

So let us join our hands together and come forward to make the dream true of these special children by extending any possible support like volunteering, providing opportunities and financial help.

Like our candidates Trust aims at becoming "Self Reliant" in every aspect including financial matters at the earliest and hence a sincere appeal to our donors to come forward and join our hands.

These Special Children will ever remain grateful for every opportunity received by them and shortly will be self reliant in every aspect of life and will be in a position to offer equal opportunity to their fellow sufferers.

Special Mention

We are aware that social activity like ours is impossible without the kind support of donors.

Also, we are very much thankful to Mr. Noshir Bilpodiwala of Shri Sathya Sai Seva Samiti, who extended valuable support by contributing entire medical expenses incurred for Akshada during the surgeries and provided the set of caliper and crutches to Akshada.

Trust is very much thankful to Mr. Noshir Bilpodiwala for his timely & most precious help.



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