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# DreamLITE

Hello Everybody,

You are aware that "Make My Dream Foundation" is working for preservation of basic rights of physically challenged children and stepping ahead towards implementation of Phase II.

We are very much thankful to our donors, who supported our work whole heartedly as such we could able to collect sizable donations during the financial year 2010-2011.

We are very glad to inform you that during the current year i.e. after April 2011, we have identified 5 new candidates for support. Their rehabilitation / support program has been already initiated. We have identified vocational courses according to their aptitude test result conducted at Dynanprabodhini, Pune in May 2011. All the candidates have great hidden potential and responded positively to our career counseling sessions.

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 tremendous response from the candidates to our "one to one" counseling efforts.

All the candidates approached for support entails from economically backward category, living in slum areas and almost neglected by parents in respect of education, equality and self reliance. Though some of them are located in Pune City, considering their mobility issues and the problems existed in their surroundings, we had to arrange hostel / mess facility with transport arrangement to all the candidates.

You can imagine, how the budget for current year has been triggered up tremendously. Ultimately we had to speed up the donations raising drive.

**We reiterate that, our donors are eligible to get 50% exemption under section 80G of Income Tax Act, 1961.**

Out of the 5 new candidates, 4 candidate appeared for 10th standard examination in March 2011, and we are glad to announce that all the 4 have successfully completed their 10th standard securing marks between range of 58 to 78% marks. These candidates are above average and have great reservoir of potential too. Out of the 5 new candidates, 3 candidates viz, Yuvraj, Irfan and Vicky pursued their 10th staying at Tehmina Burma Centre for Independent Living, Kanhe Phata and participated in almost all the extra curricular activities conducted at school level. Thanks to the Institute for encouraging these special children, exploring their hidden abilities and exposing them to all the new things.

Now you must have understood the urgent need for setting up of Complete (Dream Project) Rehabilitation Center. It will give us opportunity to explore the hidden abilities of these special children at right time and right age.

Presently these candidates have approached us on mouth publicity. In view of the huge funds requirement for the support program for these 5 candidates, we were compelled to postpone few new enquiries at least by 6 months. We can't mess up all the things just by accepting more or more candidates.

#### Kind Attention of the Society...

I would like to share few unfair incidences (without quoting the name of person) faced by me while rehabilitating the candidates under support.

While searching hostel facility for the 3 girl candidates, I finalized one of the homely cot basis facilities for the girls thinking in mind that these girls will be more secured at such place than commercial hostel facility. Unfortunately, the owner after seeing the girls denied the accommodation to these special girls stating reason of his old age.

Also while finalizing the courses for the students, our students received discouraging recommendations from one of the college situated at the heart of Pune City. We are aware that these special children have some physical limitations but with their hidden potential and urge to pursue their dreams, they should be encouraged to expose themselves with any adverse situations and persons living in the society should give the honest support for completing their



dreamed career. Such experiences adversely affects the confidence of the candidates and divert them for pursuing their dreams. We had to counsel lot of such candidates to overcome the mental trauma and regain their confidence.

One can understand now the need and importance of support programs like ours for such special children ensuring them "Self Reliant" and "Dignity Life".

#### Progress of Candidates under support / Selected for support

##### Miss Reshma Baban Bhorde



Reshma, 20 years old girl is polio affected and generated disability in her left leg. She completed her 12th standard examination in June, 2009. Under rehabilitation program, Reshma joined MS-CIT Course, Spoken English course. Through continuous counseling, Reshma was also shared varied inputs required to live self reliant life. Personality development sessions were also given to Reshma. Now MS-CIT and Spoken English Course is over and Reshma appeared for final examination of MS-CIT on 30th June, 2011. We are waiting for her results.

Now she is in the process of finding suitable job. For time being she is doing part time job at Medical Shop.

##### Miss Akshada Vishnu Langote

Akshada, 21 years old girl is polio affected and generated disability in both legs and right hand. She completed her 10th standard examination in June 2007 staying at Wanorie Institute. She is living at Vishrantwadi Slum Area. Due to non availability of suitable sized calipers she was immobile for past 3-4 years. Under rehabilitation program, Dr. Jog, M.S.Ortho., operated her both legs and now Akshada can walk on plain road with the help of calipers and crutches. We have received great help from Mr. Noshir Bilpodiwala of Shri Sathya Sai Seva Samiti towards medical expenses incurred for Akshada.

Her rehabilitation program includes 2 years MCV C Course in Travel and Tourism with hostel, boarding and conveyance facility and value additions like Yoga, Personality Development, and Spoken English at right juncture.

Akshada is now admitted at Shree Shivaji Preparatory Military School, Shivajinagar for MCV C Course in Travel and Tourism. Akshada being faced with problem in climbing the stairs, we have decided to continue her course by providing conveyance facility to her and will be provided with hostel facility only after she becomes completely mobile in all respect.

##### Ms. Rajshree Mohan Pangarkar



Rajshree, 17 years old girl met with an accident at her age of 6 and generated disability as Pseudo Orthosis Right Knee Shaft Femer. She appeared for 10th standard examination in March, 2011 staying at Wanorie Institute. She is living at Village Karandi, Taluka Shirur. Under rehabilitation program, Rajshree will pursue her career initially with 2 years MCV C Course in Creche and Pre School Management with hostel, boarding and conveyance facility, further as B. Arts (Sociology) and M.S.W. Her Rehabilitation program will also be inclusive of Yoga, Personality Development and Spoken English at right juncture.

At school level Rajshree secured "Gold Medal" in swimming competitions held for handicapped children.

We will explore swimming as hobby based additional income source to her.

Rajshree is now admitted at S.N.D.T., Women's University, Pune, for MCV C Course in Creche and Pre School Management. S.N.D.T is having campus hostel / mess facility and we have admitted Rajshree in hostel too.

### Ms. Sunita Machhindra Shinde



Sunita, 18 years old girl is polio affected and generated disability in both legs. She completed her 10th standard examination in March, 2008 staying at Pathare School, Yerwada. She is living at Ambedkarnagar Slum Area, Chandannagar Khardi. Under rehabilitation program, Sunita will pursue her career with 2 years MCVV Course in Creche and Pre-School Management with hostel, boarding & conveyance facility. Her Rehabilitation program will also be inclusive of Yoga, Personality Development and Spoken English at right juncture.

Sunita is admitted at S.N.D.T., Womens University, Pune, for MCVV Course in Creche and Pre School Management, with in campus hostel / mess facility.

### Mr. Irfan Shafiq Pathan

Irfan, 20 years old boy is polio affected and generated disability in both legs. He appeared for 10th standard examination in March, 2011 staying at Tehmina Burma Center for Independent Living, Kanhe Phata. He is living at Parvati Slum Area, Pune. Under rehabilitation program, Irfan will pursue his career as Bachelor of Fine Arts with hostel, boarding & conveyance facility. His Rehabilitation program will be inclusive of Yoga, Personality Development and Spoken English at right juncture.



At school level, Irfan completed "Upvishard" in Harmonium. He will pursue his education in Harmonium and will complete "Visharad" when time permits.

Irfan is admitted at Abhinav Kala Mahavidyalaya, Tilak Road, for Foundation Course of Diploma in Fine Arts. We have arranged for his hostel on cot basis and mess facility. Also we have admitted him in Godse Vadya Vadan Vidyalaya, Narayan Peth for preparations of Visharad Examination in Harmonium. Also we have arranged for him a part time job at G'nious Grafiks, Tilak Road and he will get training and experience in tune with his proposed career.

### Mr. Yuvraj Dilip Ahire



Yuvraj, 20 years old boy is polio affected & generated disability in both legs. He appeared for 10th standard examination in March 2011 at Tehmina Burma Center for Independent Living, Kanhe Phata. He is living at Malad Slum Area, Mumbai. Under rehabilitation program, Yuvraj will pursue his career with 2 years MCVV Course in Electronics with hostel, boarding & conveyance facility. His Rehabilitation program will include Yoga, Personality Development & Spoken English at right juncture.

At school level, Yuvraj generated interest in Tabla and appeared for examinations also. As such he will also pursue his education in Tabla when time permits.

Yuvraj is now admitted at N.M.V, Junior College, Bajirao Road, for MCVV Course in Electronics. We have arranged for his hostel on cot basis and mess facility. Also we have admitted him in Godse Vadya Vadan Vidyalaya, Narayan Peth for becoming expertise in Tabla. Also we have arranged for him a part time job at Reliance Electronics, Kothrud so that he will get training and experience in tune with his proposed career.

### Mr. Vicky Bhau Patekar

Vicky, 20 years old boy is polio affected and generated disability in both legs and hips. He appeared for 10th standard examination in March, 2011 staying at Tehmina Burma Center for Independent Living, Kanhe Phata. He is living at Village Patan, Taluka Malvali. Under rehabilitation program, Vicky will pursue his career with short term Course in DTP and Mobile Repairing, staying at Tehmina Burma Center for Independent Living, Kanhe Phata. His Rehabilitation program will also be inclusive of Yoga, Personality Development and Spoken English at right juncture.



**All Candidates are impressed upon to pursue career by doing Part Time Job, which will increase their confidence & feeling of independent, self reliant life. Our unique counseling will help them to stay with the program and achieve their goals.**

### Management

There is no change in management and trustees of Make My Dream Foundation. The procedure of retirement and reappointment of trustees eligible to retire as per trust deed has been complied with during the financial year 2010-2011.

### Working Committee Members

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 their valuable support and contribution.

### Volunteering

In response to our appeal for joining as volunteers in our unique counselors team, following members have joined our hands,

Mrs. Vandana Deshpande

Mrs. Aarti Bhat

Mrs. Swati Bapat

All the newly joined volunteers have decided to part their precious time for counseling these special children and parting them life changing thoughts. We welcome these volunteers and On behalf of the Trust, Managing Trustee is ever grateful for their valuable support and contribution as counselors which is required for foundation of these special children.

### Statutory Auditors

For the second Financial Year ended on 31st March, 2011, the Board of Trustees has appointed Ketan C. Joglekar & Associates, Pune as Statutory Auditors and we appreciate the co-operation given by the auditors for speedy finalization of audit of our Trust.

Audited Results along with audit report is made available at the Trust's registered office during office hours.

### Humble Appeal

Under Phase II, we have planned to set up a complete Rehabilitation Center 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 a 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 Mrs. Shobha Athlye, Incharge of Tehmina Burma Center for Independent Living, Kanhe Phata, who extended valuable support by contributing hostel and mess expenses for Irfan and Yuvraj and also extending entire support program for Vicky.

Trust is very much thankful to Mrs. Shobha Athlye for her timely & most precious help.



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