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FOREWORD

Saprem Sairam!

We are indeed blessed to place this Annual Report for the Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organization, Maharashtra & Goa for the year 2016-17 at the Divine Lotus Feet of our Beloved Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba.

Some of the highlights are

- **Educational Wing:** To spread the value-based education to children at large, the Balvikas team of Maharashtra & Goa have adopted a large number of schools for conducting Balvikas classes. The support received from the school authorities is overwhelming.

By Bhagwan's grace Balvikas Wing of Maharashtra & Goa took up a pilot project of involving schools where Balvikas classes are being conducted, in value-based competitions. This project was done by Mumbai District and was named as 'Sai Tarang'. The finale of the programme was held in Dharmakshetra and all the school principals participated in the programme and received Bhagwan's blessings.

- **Spiritual Wing:** Spiritual fervor has been gaining momentum year after year with regular holding of Sadhana Camps, Study Circles, mass chanting of Rudram, performing Rudrabhishekams, organizing Samarpan talks by Swami's devotees who were blessed with DIVINE association.

Keeping the spirit of the Sarva Dharma Samabhav teachings of our beloved Swami, multi faith events continued to be organized in the various districts through the year.

- **Service Wing:** Service activities continue unabated with the medical activities including static medical camps, mobile medical vans, outdoor clinics reaching out to lakhs of poor & underprivileged people, many of who are from remote villages, at their doorsteps.. Rain Water Harvesting Methods have been deployed in about 25 drought-hit/prone villages giving very encouraging results. Special emphasis has been given to projects concerning upliftment of children in tribal schools and for mitigating malnutrition in children across Maharashtra. Bhagawan is the only source of our inspiration and guide to enable us to perform the Seva.

However, the contribution of our Seva Dal, volunteers and devotees are also immensely important to us to spread the love of Bhagawan far and wide.

The photos with the write-ups in the following pages bring forth the spectrum of the activities conducted during the year, with fervor and utmost devotion. Truly, pictures speak for themselves presented by all the 31 Districts of Maharashtra & Goa.

We offer our sincere prayers to Bhagawan that may He make us His worthy instruments to transform our lives spiritually.

With Pranams at the Lotus Feet

Dr. Keki Mistry
Trustee,
Sri Sathya Sai Trust,
Maharashtra
24th June 2017

Ramesh D. Sawant
State President,
Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation
Maharashtra & Goa

CSR PROJECT

Thane Samithi adopted a village called Talwade in the year 2008 which is situated 92 kms from Thane at the foothills of Sahyadri range. This village consists of tribal settlement of approximately 250 families. The village lacks the basic amenities like Water, toilets, medical facilities, Water for irrigation etc., Most of the people are farmers who are highly dependent on rains for cultivation. To reach the nearest public health centre one has to travel 7 kms.

The village had only kutcha houses, source of water dry most time of the year & Zilla Parishad school in dilapidated condition.

SSSSO Thane spread the love in the village and started conducting Medical Camps regularly in the village. Poor & weak were taken care. Regular eye camps were conducted and corrective actions were taken wherever necessary. The Basic problems of the village are

- 1) Lack of Water in the village
- 2) Lack of good education at the village due to poor infrastructure.

If the above two were taken care, then the village will be in a position to fight the poverty. This would ensure long term sustainability of the village.

Having identified the problems, SSSSO Thane identified the spring at the old bund in the village and decided to repair the bund to hold water throughout the year.

By Bhagwan's grace a leading MNC helped under CSR activity with which a solar pump set was installed and a pipeline from bund to village (approximate distance 2 kms) was laid with the assistance of local population in the form of service. With this, the water is made available throughout the year and the same is also used for irrigation.

Having resolved the first major problem, the SSSSO Thane concentrated in the second issue by repairing the school and made the same the best in that region. The unemployed youth in the village were trained to have better future.

Not only the above, by Bhagwan's abundance grace a new school for the entire panchayat was constructed and the new lease of life is made available to Talwada village.

All the above could be achieved with the grace of Bhagwan, the help of leading MNC through Corporate Social Responsibility Scheme and above all the cooperation of the local people and lastly the love extended by the Brothers and Sisters of SSSSO Thane.





MOBILE MEDICARE



PREAMBLE

1)Quality healthcare is the privilege of only a small percentage of the population. Only 60% of India lives in villages and over 20% of the remaining lives in chawls and slums. Most of them are struggling for their daily sustenance, leave alone having surplus for even basic healthcare.

2)According to a WHO team -which stated after it had surveyed India's healthcare -that if Indians are to enjoy better health, utmost importance should be given to primary and preventive healthcare.

PREAMBLE

3)The project keeps in mind Bhagawan's words that efforts to serve must spring from a concern for the suffering of others and the service must be a genuine effort to get rid of that anguish. Bhagawan has told his devotees:-"Do not wait for the opportunity to serve, go out and grab the opportunity which is already available".

4)Hospitals & Clinics play a useful role but a vast number of diseases can be nipped in the bud by providing timely treatment and thus avoiding complicated treatment at a later stage. The Mobile Dispensary is the "MOST VIABLE ALTERNATIVE" in terms of cost, time and manpower resources.

TRANSFORMING BHAGAWAN'S VISION OF HEALTH FOR ALL INTO REALITY



SPIRITUAL TRANSFORMATION

God will not ask you when and where did you do service? He will ask with what motive did you do it? What was the intention that prompted you.

Yearn for service of the divine forms that moves around you.

STEPS AHEAD.....

Full Maharashtra coverage in a phased manner.

All adopted villages to be cataract free and free from malnutrition.

Emergency Management.

Social and medical counseling to start in all adopted villages and slums where special efforts to be taken up to educate inhabitants on various health, hygiene, nutrition and sanitation matters.

SPECIAL PLANS FOR MUMBAI

Each Samithisto operate one mobile dispensary. Mumbai City, Thane District and NaviMumbai to have at least 10 vehicles.

All Samithisto tie up with local hospitals with like-minded objects for Super-Specialityservices.

SPECIAL PLANS FOR MUMBAI

Special camps for cancer, diabetes, mother and child care, ophthalmic, dental camps to be organized on a regular basis.

Sevadaland Mahilasto educate Saicolony inmates and residents of adopted villages on health, hygiene, nutrition and sanitation.

WAR AGAINST MALNUTRITION



1. One third of world's poor live in India: World Bank Report.
2. 50% of child death are due to malnutrition.
3. 1 in every 3 malnourished children is from India.
4. 1 in every 3 under the age of 3 is underweight.
5. Over 230 millions are undernourished in India –the highest for any country in the world.
6. More than 27% of the world undernourished population are in India.
7. Percentage of women with energy deficiency is over 40% of the population.
8. Over 20% of the world's hungry estimated 963 millions are in India.
9. About 10% of 27 million infants born do not survive for more than 5 years.

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EXPENDITURE & MAINTAINANCE COSTS , FUTURE REQUIREMENTS OF FUNDS –MAHARASHTRA

With Bhagawan's Grace, the Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Project has received permission to receive donation under Sec 35 AC by the Ministry of Finance – Department of National Committee for Promotion of Social and Economic Welfare vide Notification No.S.O.2349(E) dated 28.9.2010.

SWAMI OFFICIALLY BLESSED THE COMMENCEMENT OF SRI SATHYA SAI MEDICARE DISTRIBUTION CENTRE ON 19.07.2010 AT PRASANTHI NILAYAM



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FOR ALL INTO REALITY
FREE MEDICINES FOR ALL



OFFERING SCOPE FOR SERVICE



We invite our well wishers to join us on our visits to villages and help create an awareness about the nobility of this seva.

FUTURE PROJECTION

Attempt to cover the State of Maharashtra with at least one mobile van in each district either individually or jointly with an adjacent district.

With Bhagawan's Blessings, the Sathya Sai Seva Organisation, Maharashtra & Goa will seek to provide basic healthcare to over 10 Lac patients in the next year.

Currently over 50000 patients annually are receiving free medical care at their door step under this project.

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OFFERING SCOPE FOR SERVICE



YEARWISE STATISTICAL DATA & EXPENDITURE OF SRI SATHYA SAI MOBILE MEDICARE PROJECT – MAHARASHTRA & GOA

OM SRI SAI RAM Year wise Statistical Data & Expenditure of Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Medicare Project, Maharashtra & Goa								
Financial Year	No. Of Medical Vans dedicated for the Year.	Number of Patients Treated during the Year	Special Camps conducted if any	Medicine Cost for the Year.	Fuel & Rep./Maint. Cost for the Year.	Other Expenses. (Honorarium, RTO, Insurance etc.	Special Surgery expenses for the Year.	Total Expenses for the Year.
2007 - 2008 ***	1	25,447	Cataract Surgery	1,12,320	41,367	3,57,714	37,600	5,49,001
2008 - 2009	18	2,37,747	Cataract Surgery	14,87,020	7,86,371	10,63,698	73,301	34,10,390
2009 - 2010	21	3,59,687	Cataract Surgery	15,72,165	9,67,823	20,32,480	6,05,963	51,78,431
2010 - 2011	30	4,38,813	Cataract Surgery	21,30,072	13,26,910	32,43,987	2,73,960	69,74,929
2011 - 2012	37	4,77,094	Cataract Surgery	25,09,337	14,63,974	25,12,656	2,75,473	67,61,440
2012 - 2013	37	4,73,812	Cardiac Surgery	30,11,264	16,68,676	29,96,152	8,00,186	84,76,278
2013 - 2014	40	5,06,353	Cataract Surgery	34,87,712	21,27,498	32,42,311	12,72,227	1,01,29,748
2014 - 2015	42	5,63,321	Cardiac Surgery	34,15,131	23,52,649	35,58,804	30,57,761	1,23,84,345
upto Dec.2015 ****	50	5,80,304	Cataract Surgery					0
		36,62,578		1,77,25,021	1,07,35,268	1,90,07,802	63,96,471	5,38,64,562

*** April 2007 to June 2008 was inception period, only one Medical Van was functioning.
10 Vans purchased during February/March 2008 were started functioning from June 2008.

**** The Financial figures of 2015-2016 are under preparation. As soon as they are finalised, we will submit the same.

Note : Approx. treatment and medicine cost per patient is Rs. 15/- upto F. Y. 2014-2015. (Excluding Special Surgery Cost).

TRANSFORMING BHAGAWAN'S VISION OF HEALTH FOR ALL INTO REALITY



RAIN WATER HARVESTING

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation Maharashtra and Goa has been doing Rainwater harvesting since last five years.

After extensive study and meeting the experts in this field across the country, a few low cost models were evolved like recharging the abandoned bore wells with Rainwater, reviving dead wells, deepening Village ponds and lakes etc , small check dams, earthen dams etc

This year we have done in

5 villages as follows:

1. Kolura II tal Digras Yavatmal
2. Lakhrayaji Tal Digras Yavatmal
3. Gorakshan Yavatmal dist
4. Alkud II Tk Kavthe mahankal Sangli dist
5. Sankh Tk Jath So far we have done Rainwater harvesting in 55 villages including certain villages in two phases.



VOCATIONAL TRAINING

Though we wanted to start our own Vocational training centre in Maharashtra, as a prelude to that we wanted to mobilise the rural youth and get them trained in already established training centres run by other institutions with huge vacancies and after testing water we wanted to start our own later.

So far the learning has been good. We mobilised more than 500 rural youth mostly drop outs above 18 years old with min education of 8th Std. and got them trained in established vocational training institutes in different locations in Maharashtra with arrangement with them. So far 431 youth including a few girls have been trained in different trades like AC mechanic, Electricians, Welders etc., and few who completed graduation have been trained in Retail and Sales etc. Most of the youth trained have been gainfully employed. These candidates are mobilised by our Sai Samithis from local villages they serve.



ASHRAM SHALAS

Ashramshalas are govt. run boarding schools for Adivasi kids from 1st to 12th standard. They are both govt run and private NGO run Ashramshalas in Maharashtra. After talking to the Tribal welfare department we took up the following Govt run Ashramshalas with very poor facility for the kids staying there based on an initial survey. We provide monthly medical check-up with medicines and other basic inputs urgently needed including water storage, kitchen vessels, bedding, toilet repair, ceiling fans and lights, painting, rainwater harvesting besides notebooks , drawing kits , sports goods, boxes and Projector with animated lessons as per syllabus for Digital class room etc and also conduct moral lessons during the medical check-up.

We have taken up 8 such Ashramshalas mostly in Shahpur dist. and intend to take a few more to service.



MOTHER AND CHILD

REPORT ON MOTHER & CHILD FOR THE YEAR 2016-2017

By the Divine Grace, the SRI SATHYA SAI MOTHER AND CHILD CARE PROJECT is gaining great momentum in the year 2016-2017.

Since its inception in 2009, it is now, that the project is blooming.

Out of 31 districts in the state of Maharashtra and Goa, 22 districts are actively and successfully implementing this beautiful program.

Eventually, we have over 100 trained ladies and hundreds of beneficiaries. Regular Training sessions, follow up meetings and Implementation sessions at adopted villages adds to the proper functioning.

A very vibrant and motivational meet was conducted at GOA, in January 2017. The districts were asked to make presentations which was a unique initiative. Variety of folk types like Bharud, Powada, Role Plays, Gazals, Songs, Poetry, etc were the tools used which made the session interesting and interactive. Indeed a great learning experience.

It was an additional benefit to be able to meet and interact with great Social workers like Dr. Prakash Amte at Hemalkasa and Dr. Abhay Bang and Dr. Mrs. Rani Bang at Gadchiroli. It definitely added inputs for the betterment of Mother and Child Care project.



VIDYA JYOTI

SSSVJ for School Children



Seven students of ZP school, Parbhani who were given free coaching by sevadal Balasaheb Kachwe won the prestigious 7th std govt. scholarship and were felicitated.



Regular Balvikas and Medical Seva started at Sant Gyaneshwar Ashramshala SSSVJ school, Osmanabad.



Guidance for upcoming 10th std exam arranged for students and exam kits distributed at SSSVJ school, Gadchiroli.



Health Awareness program for girls under MNC, Navyug Vidyalaya, Guruwal, Gadchiroli.



Veda pathan and cleaning in SSSVJ school Hupri, Kolhapur.



Disaster management training, Bhidi, Wardha School.



Sarvadharm prayer taught in Smt Godavari PMC school Pimpri Chinchwad Samithi, Pune.



Value games taken in SSSVJ Sambhaji school, Kothrud Samithi, Pune.



Anand-Utsav celebrated at SSSVJ, PMC Chhatrapati Sambhaji school, Kothrud Samithi, Pune.



Christmas celebrated at ZP school Bhidi, Wardha



Skit on importance of girls education prepared by Pune youth in Gadge Maharaj school, Camp, Pune



Tree plantation, SSSVJ school, Bhandara.

SSSVJ towards health of school children



Medical camp, Balvikas and Snacks distribution at Falegaon school, Yavatmal.



Dental check up camp arranged at Rani Raj Kuwar School, Chandrapur.



Eye check up conducted with the help of Dr. Swara Palekar at SSSVJ Shiroli ashramshala, Bandra Samithi, Mumbai.



Vibronics medicines given to children at Sant Gadge Maharaj SSSVJ school, Camp Samithi, Pune.



Sai Breakfast started in SSSVJ school, Bahirwadi, Pune.



Cleaning awareness program and hair cutting at Prashnacinha school Mangalore, Amravati.



SSSVJ towards School Infrastructure.



Computer donated through samaj sevika
Dr. Alpasha Dongre at Zp SSSVJ school, Bhidi, Wardha.



Repair of floors and roof in SSSVJ school Falegaon, Yavatmal



Renovation of classroom by paintings and digitalisation by computer systems at SSSVJ school, Wanoja, Washim.



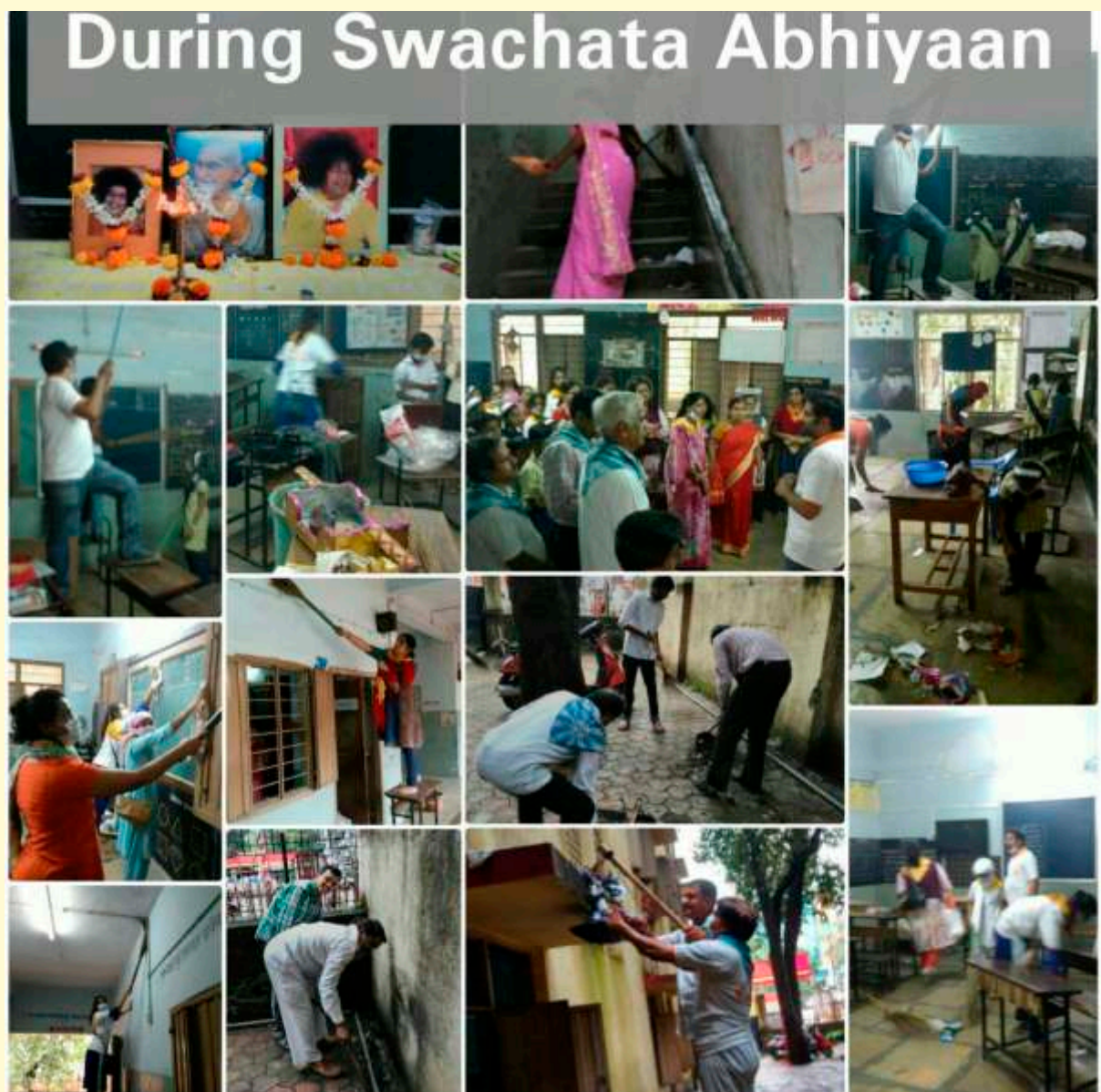
Two blocks each for boys and girls and one combined toilet built in Gandhi Vidya Mandir, Borivli samithi, Mumbai.



Water pipeline work done and water pump donated to school at SSSVJ school, Mulegaon, Nashik



School painting seva done at Government primary SSSVJ school, Neura, Goa.



Swachhta Abhiyaan at SSSVJ Vidyaniketan school, Kothrud Samithi, Pune

SSSVJ Towards community, Teachers and parents of children.



Anti tobacco program conducted in Gandhi Vidyalay Borivli for faculty member who would in turn bring awareness in Children and Parents.



Regular veda training given to teachers of Shiv Shahi SSSVJ School, Gyanpeeth, Tulshinagar, Buldhana.



Balvikas training given to teachers of Asmita school, Akola.



Parenting workshop including information on benefits of Sai protein conducted at Adarsh SSSVJ school, Thane. Parents have volunteered to give the same in school to children.



Guidance on health, nutrition and early cancer detection by Gynac Dr. Shirali arranged for Mother and girl children of SSSVJ School, Kondwa, Pune.

BAL VIKAS

Sri Sathya Sai Balvikas

Swami says, “End of Education is Character”

With this saying of Swami as the goal for Balvikas, team Balvikas from twin states of Maharashtra and Goa embarked to reach out and bring in an awareness of the need for Value Education

School Balvikas started in a large scale throughout the twin states and currently we have 203 centers where 13345 children receive value education during school hours. These schools are from urban as well as rural areas



Balvikas Classes have also been started in schools adopted under Vidyajyoti programme.

As a pilot project value based competitions were held in the schools for the children in the District of Mumbai and the children and principals of the schools were brought to Dharmakshetra for the F.inals This year the project has been extended to all school Balvikas students in the entire States of Maharashtra & Goa.



To bring in an awareness about the need for Value Education, Summer and Winter camps are organized in all the districts for Non- Balvikas children. This results in increase in number of Balvikas centres and Balvikas Children.



To increase the number of Balvikas Gurus, parents of the existing Balvikas children are trained and involved in School Balvikas.

We shall continue our efforts of reaching out to as many children as possible through Residential Balvikas, School Balvikas as well as Vidya Jyoti programme. We also plan to include as many Parents and Balvikas Alumni as possible, so that our hands are strengthened and we are ready to spread our wings in the States of Maharashtra and Goa.

We pray to Swami to motivate and guide us in this endeavor.

TRUST FINANCIALS

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Services heads - F. Y. 2016-2017

AMOUNT

(Unaudited, prov. Figures in ₹)

Sociocare	35,82,451
Narayan seva & other socialcare Including relief in case of natural calamities & water projects.	
Medicare	1,14,31,818
Medical help including mobile Medicare project	
Educare	1,87,85,672
Educational & spiritual awerness	
Grand Total	3,37,99,941

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Services heads - F. Y. 2016-2017

AMOUNT

(Unaudited, prov. Figures)

Sociocare	12,23,142
Narayan seva & other sociocare	
Medicare	20,41,726
Medical help including cataract operations	
Educare	16,42,115
Educational (including eshwaramma girls scholarship)	
Grand Total	49,06,983

NANDED



Jalseva : On the eve of Aradhana Divas falling on 6th May 2016, providing free drinking water to Sai devotees was inaugurated from 15th April 2016, which was continued up to 5th June 2016.





Narayan Seva was performed on Aradhana Divas ie on 24/04/2016 when pulao, sweet & water were distributed to about 1300 deserving persons. Many Sai devotees were present on this occasion. It was conducted near Nanded Railway Station.





On Eswaramma Day(6th May 2016),
Sadhana Camp and Narayan Seva were organized.
About 50 Sai devotees participated when
Sai Gayatri Mantra Japa and bhajans were conducted.





On the occasion of Guru Purnima Day, Sai Samiti, Nanded had organized bhajans when 80-90 Sai devotees participated.





**As a generous gesture, Smt Amitabhabhi Chavan,
a Sai devotee, handed over the Bhajan Hall to Nanded Samiti.
Manu Sai devotees were present on the occasion.**





Nanded Samiti has been organizing chanting of Ashtothra Sahasra Namavali during the holy month of 'Shravan'. Accordingly, the same was arranged in individual devotee's house when around 20 Sai devotees participated. The event finally concluded with the chanting conducted at Shankarrao Chavan Memorial Centre in the presence of Sri D.P.sawant, Hon'ble MLA.





On the occasion of Sri Ganesh Chaturti,
bhajans were organized at the residence of Sri Ashok Chavan,
former Chief Minister of Maharashtra.
The bhajans concluded with the
Aarti performed by Smt Amitatai Chavan.





**On the auspicious occasion of Makar Sankranti,
sweet made with sesame seeds & jiggery (tilgul in Marathi)
were distributed to the inmates of an
Orphanage & Oldage Home in Malkauta.
Bhahans and Aarti were also conducted then.**





Bhagawan Baba's birthday every year is celebrated with great enthusiasm at Pragati Mahila Kenra, Vasant Nagar, Nanded. About 8/900 Sai devotees participate in the birthday celebrations.





Sai samitis across India have been organizing
 “ cleanliness camps “ under Government’s “ Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan “.
 Under this programme, 80 students along with 26 Sai devotees
 undertook cleaning of the compound area
 of the hospital located within Shankarrao Chavan
 Medical College under the guidance of Sai Samiti, Nanded.





**Veda Chanting Training Camp
for a day was organized on 19th March 2017
at Late Shankarrao Memorial Centre
where about 80 Sai devotees participated.
Sri Nitin Deshpande and his team were present then.**





On the occasion of 91st birthday of Bhagawan Baba
were distributed to 91 beneficiaries during
11 pm to 2 am in many public places
like railway station, bus stand, civil hospital etc.





**Sri Krishna Janmashtami was celebrated
at the residence of Sri Narendra Chavan
for about two hours, up to 12 midnight
by singing bhajans.
About 50 to 60 Sai devotees participated.**





Balvikas classes have been started at the residence of BV Guru Sow Deepali Tuptewar, since March 2017. Around 15/20 children are present for the classes every Sunday.



MUMBAI

STATISTICAL INFORMATION

Total Zones - 3

Total Samithies - 13

Total Active Workers - 2208

Total Youth : 452

Total Graded Singers : 200+

Adopted Sai Colonies :11

Adopted Villages :4

Adopted Ashramshalas :3

Patients Covered Under Mobile Van : 106895

Patients Attended By Sri Sathya Sai Medical Center : 25946

Dharmakshetra - A Teerthkshetra - 50 years

Dharmakshetra is the spiritual lighthouse established by Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba in Mumbai. As per the Divine plan, Bhagawan laid the foundation stone of Dharmakshetra, the center for SaiSeva activities at Bombay on 3rd November, 1967. It was completed in 108 days. On 12th May, 1968, 'Dharmakshetra', an architectural jewel - International Centre of the Sai Family was inaugurated. Since then 12th May is being celebrated as Dharmakshetra Day.



EDUCARE Character is the most precious gift of education

BALVIKAS

Total Balvikas Centres 271 - Total Schools 17 - Total Gurus 235 - Total Residential Balvikas 163

Total Balvikas Children 8345 - Diploma Children 58 - Children Completed 52 - Group 2

OBSERVANCE OF GIVING & FORGIVING - FESTIVAL OF JOY – PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

The Festival of Joy- Prize Distribution Ceremony for Sri Sathya Sai Bal Vikas Mumbai was held at Dharmakshetra on April 19, 2016. The programme began by the lighting of the lamp by All India President Sri Nimish Pandya and District President Mumbai Sri Anoop Saxena. An "Oath Taking Ceremony" was taken by Bal Vikas Group 3 Diploma Holders. Towards the end of the session All India President Sri Nimish Pandya addressed the Bal Vikas children of Mumbai.



Swachh Bharat Abhiyan

Schools 3 - Participants 241 - Balvikas children 56 - Gurus 30



Swachata Se Divyata Tak - from Cleanliness to Godliness

A Massive programme of Cleaning of Schools surroundings and playing areas along with Creating awareness on Cleanliness by showing video clips, posters and PowerPoint presentations were taken up in the schools by the Samithi.

SCHOOL BALVIKAS 6508 - GURUS 37 - TEACHERS 78 - BALVIKAS 95



FESTIVAL OF JOY

Various competitions were held for the Balvikas children under Festival of Joy.

All Children participated in Essay & Drawing, 143 students in ELOCUTION, 88 Children in BHAJANS and 39 Children in VEDAM joyfully participated in these competitions.



SAI TARANG

Sai Tarang - Children's' Festival of Joy was held on 10th December 2016 at Dharmakshetra

"SAI TARANG" was conceptualized, initiated, executed and implemented by the Sai Youth of Mumbai.

The event aimed at providing a platform for children of these schools to showcase their talents and instill a sense of confidence within them.

Students participated, individually and as a group, in various events like Group Singing, Best - out - of - waste materials, Treasure Hunt, Box Cricket.



More than 350 children from 15 adopted school Balvikas programme participated in this event. Apart from the lovely activities, mascots, acrobatics, great food etc....SAI SANTA arrived early for all of them laden with a truckload of gifts.

All India President Sri Nimish Pandya along with District President of Mumbai Sri Anoop Saxena inaugurated the event with the lighting of the lamp. Sri Nimish Pandya then motivated all with his brief inspirational talk and song. The event was covered by Times of India in their Students Edition Paper published on 15th December

2016. The programme was a huge success with 750 people participating, includes Gurus, Youth, Teachers, Parents, Children and Principals.



THE TIMES OF INDIA STUDENTS EDITION NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED ON 15TH DEC 2016



NEW GURUS TRAINING

The training for New BalVikas Gurus for Mumbai District was held in February 25th & Sunday 26th 2017 at Wellness Centre in Dharmakshetra. The two days' session was extensively covered with the Importance of Training, Qualities of Bal Vikas Guru, Qualities of an Ideal Balvikas Child (with emphasis on Swami's Childhood). Different Techniques to be taught to Students like technique of Silent Sitting, Story Telling, Group Singing, 5Ds, Group Activities were imparted to the participants. Practical exercises like Puppet Show Demonstration, Model Group I Class, parenting were the part of the last session.

The participants had the good fortune of listening to the respected All India President Sri.Nimish Pandya, whose short motivational speech inspired them to take this mission forward.

Fifty-three people from different samithis participated in this camp. The participants showed keen interest in all the talks and activity sessions. School teachers were also participating in this training who will be taking forward these sessions their respective schools.



SANT MELAVA – Musical Drama - Sion- Janmashtami

Episodes from the life of Saints of Maharashtra



SANT MELAVA – Musical Drama - Sion- Janmashtami

Episodes from the life of Saints of Maharashtra



THE 5 D'S.... BLUE PRINT FOR FREEDOM - Drama - Borivali - Republic Day

Episodes from the Life of Freedom Fighters



BALVIKAS PROGRAMMES - SAMITHIS Sports meet – Shivaji Park

Shivaji park conducted sports meet on Feb 19th 2017 for Balvikas parents & children. Nearly 100 children & 50 parents participated with great enthusiasm. Different events were conducted for children & parents separately. The program ended with prize distribution, Aarti & Prasad.



Bhajans - Chembur

Scintillating Bhajans by Balvikas children of Chembur Samithi on 25th February 2016 at General Education Academy School, Chembur

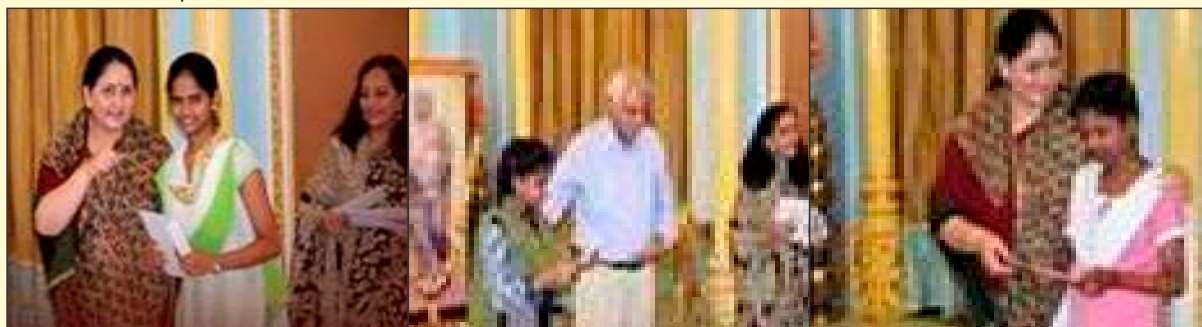


EASWARAMMA DAY CELEBRATIONS

Easwaramma day was celebrated on May 7th. Chief guest Mrs.Karuna Sarup Munshi of Radio Sai spoke about the "Role of Women in Home & Society".

96 deserving girls were awarded the Easwaramma Scholarships.

The world over, devotees of Bhagawan celebrate 6th May as Easwaramma Day, in honour of beloved Mother Easwaramma. Since 1977, Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation, with the blessings of Bhagawan dedicate this day to the Sai children around the globe. Nagarsankirtan, Narayan Seva, MatruPitruPooja, Poster making, Bhajans etc. were held in different parts of Mumbai.



SRI SATHYA SAI WOMEN'S VOCATIONAL TRAINING

Sri Sathya Sai Women's Centre for Vocational Training offers the following free courses for the upliftment of needy women and their children.

BASIC CUTTING & SEWING • FASHION DESIGNING & TAILORING • MACHINE EMBROIDERY • HAND EMBROIDERY
FABRIC PAINTING MEHENDI • MORAL & SPIRITUAL CLASSES

Till date more than 2400 mahilas have benefitted. 20 students from the tailoring unit received certificates this year.



DISASTER AWARENESS PROGRAMME

Gaining an insight and acquiring knowledge about various disasters. The session consisted of both theory and practicals. First session for the youth conducted on 30th& 31st July 2016. 90 youth participated. 374 students from YAP colleges attended the 2nd session conducted on 7th August 2016.



YOUTH AWARENESS PROGRAMME

Essay writing competition was held in various YAP colleges in four different languages viz., English, Hindi, Marathi, Gujarati. 650 students participated.

The Topics were

- 1) The future of the world lies in the hands of the youth. 2) Hands that help are holier than lips that pray.
- 3) How to make the world a better place to live in. 4) Belief in oneself is essential for success. 5) God Exists.



WORKSHOP – GOPAL RAO

Workshop session by Sri Gopal Rao - Dharmakshetra - Sunday 15th January 2017. Around 300 plus college students attended a lively interactive session on "Dealing Powerfully with Challenges of Life..." conducted by Shri Gopal Rao an ex-student of the SSSIHL at Shanti deep.



HADSHI TRIP

With the immense blessings of Beloved Swami, 47 Sai Youth of Mumbai were blessed to take a journey to the Divine Abode of Sri Sathya Sai Pandurang Kshetra, Hadshi, on 11th Feb 2017.



INSTITUTE OF SRI SATHYA SAI EDUCATION

- 2-week residential faculty development cum leadership workshop for Sathya Sai Schools – April 2016 - 12 participants from 7 states
- 1-week residential course on Indian Culture & Spirituality – April 2016 – 13 participants from 7 states
- Atmotsava – 3-week residential workshop – The journey within to wellness Nov-Dec, 2016 – 7 participant from 4 states & 1 participant from Spain
- 2 days Induction for Active Members & Office Bearers
- For EHV Diploma Holders – April 2016
- For Wellness Facilitators Group – May 2016
- For Mumbai Office Bearers & Active Members – August 2016
- For Maharashtra Office Bearers & Active Members – August 2016
- Workshop for Holistic Wellness Facilitator was conducted by Dr. Huzan Daver for 8 days from 19th to 26th January 2017.



ZILLA PARISHAD UPPER PRIMARY SCHOOL

5 sets of computers and 2 projectors was arranged for Adivasi school at Village - Ambeghar, Tehsil-Vikramgad, District-Palghar. March 26th, 2017.



SPIRITUAL

SAMARPAN SESSIONS - DHARMAKSHETRA

If Puttaparthi is the place the Lord chose to be born in, transforming it into Prasanthi Nilayam, the centre of His mission of divinizing man; Dharmakshetra in Mumbai is the spiritual lighthouse established by Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba in May 1968, on the eve of the First World Conference of the Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation and it stands as a miracle of Baba's Divine Sankalpa. And even today it continues to reverberate with those elevating memories of the Lord's proximity and presence.

And to re-live those priceless moments, the alumni of Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning organize on the third Sunday of every month 'SAMARPAN' – a program of gratitude and love to the Lord, where a devotee shares with all indelible experiences and life lessons learnt at the divine lotus feet.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY APRIL 2016

Completed 24 sessions till now.

- 1ST ANNIVERSARY EDITION - SHRI VIJAY BHASKAR TRUSTEE, - SRI SATHYA SAI CENTRAL TRUST PRASHANTI NILAYAM
- 14TH SESSION – SHRI RAVIKUMAR, SHRI AMEY DESHPANDE, SHRI SIDDHARTH RAJU
- 15TH SESSION – SHRI ARAVIND BALASUBRAMANYA
- 18TH SESSION – SHRI VINAY KUMAR
- 19TH SESSION – DR. RAJESWARI PATEL - 1ST WOMAN SAMARPAN SPEAKER
- 20TH SESSION - VEDNARAYAN SIR – BIRTHDAY SPECIAL
- 21ST SESSION - Prof. (Dr.) KEKI M. MISTRY
- 22ND SESSION – MSRANI JAVA
- 23RD SESSION – SHRI SATYAJIT SALIAN
- 24th SESSION - DR. SHASHANK SHAH

We are fortunate to listen to the leelas of the Lord from the devotees who were blessed with DIVINE association and relived those moments spent with HIM, re-connected with HIM and soaked in HIS Divine presence. It is SAI BHAGAWATHAM.

ARADHANA DIWAS

Divine Mass Marriage of 18 visually challenged couples at Dharmakshetra on 24th April by MULUND SAMITHI

With the immense grace and blessings of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba, Divine Mass Marriage of 18 visually challenged couples was held at Dharmakshetra. Six Homakundas, with a purohit for each, were lined up in the centre of the hall. Three couples sat around each kunda and were wedded blissfully as per full Arya samaj Vedic rites. Kanyadan of each of the brides was performed by eighteen 'parents' from the Samithi. This unique event was a divine treat for those present and wouldn't have been possible without Swami's merciful grace.

The couples were then hosted to a wonderful lunch, under the watchful eyes of our dear loving Swami outside SATHYADEEP, Swami's residence.



DHARMAKSHETRA DAY – MAY 12th

On the occasion of the 49th Anniversary of Dharmakshetra, the programme started with Veda Chanting and Bhajans. Sri Anoop Saxena, District President, Mumbai, compered the proceedings of the evening programme. Shri Vijaya Bhaskar, Trustee of Sri Sathya Sai Trust Maharashtra, summed up briefly the activities of Dharmakshetra. Dr Keki Mistry, Trustee of Sri Sathya Sai Trust Maharashtra announced that Dharmakshetra was gearing up as an International Retreat by planning many such activities,thereby spreading the message of Bhagawan to the entire world.

A Brochure was also released by Sri K B Santhanam on Dharmakshetra as an International Retreat.A Short video film on Dharmakshetra Narayan Sevan was shown.

Soul stirring bhajans were rendered by Mr. Gaurav Chopra and group. The program ended around with Aarti followed by Mahaprasadam.



GAYATRI HOMAM – WORLD PEACE

On the occasion of 49th anniversary of Dharmakshetra, Gayatri Homam for World peace was organized by Mulund Samithi.



VARALAKSHMI VRATHAM

Varalakshmi vratham was organized at Shri Markandeshwar mandir at Worli on 12th August with 130 Mahilas participating in this religious function.



AKHAND RUDRAM CHANTING – 15TH AUGUST

Akhand Rudram was chanted from 7 am to 5 pm – Shantideep /Sathyadeep at Dharmakshetra by the entire State.



GLOBAL AKHAND BHAJAN – 12TH& 13TH NOVEMBER

As part of the 91st Birthday celebrations of Bhagawan Baba, Bhajans (devotional singing) are conducted continuously for 24 hours at all Sathya Sai Centres on a global level praying for peace, harmony and bliss to all mankind.

The entire atmosphere at Shanti Deep, Dharmakshetra was soaked in "Divine Vibrations". It was a lively and enthusiastic bhajan session. There was also one hour veda chanting by the devotees before the commencement of the Akhanda Bhajan. It was pure ecstasy...

19th – 23rd Nov 91st BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

19th Nov– LADIES DAY

Devotional Songs by Playback singer Sapna Mukerji

Guest of Honour for the day Mrs. Urvashi Saxena – 1st Lady Chief Commissioner, Income Tax Dept. Of Maharashtra.

Drama – NAARI EK SHAKTI – Enacted by the children of Dharmakshetra & Aksa schools



20TH Nov- Nagarsankirtan & Rath Yatra by Mumbai Devotees

A huge gathering of devotees from the city of Mumbai assembled in Dharmakshetra to participate in Mahanagar sankirtan & Rath Yatra on the occasion of Swami's 91st birthday celebrations.

Veda chanting, Organizational pledge, Sai Gayatri, Gayatri Mantra chanting were offered by devotees and office bearers. The programme concluded with floral offerings at Swami's padukas.



23rd Nov – Birthday of Beloved Swami

Morning Veda, Palki procession by Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Mandir School children & devotees followed by Mahanarayanseva.

Evening, special musical programme – PREMA PRAVAHAM, highlighting music & its pristine power to destroy negativity & unite humanity through Aaradhanam, Saadhanam, Bhaavam, Dhyanam, Gyanam & Saakshatkaram.



SWAMI'S BIRTHDAY – A UNITED FAMILY SADHANA

In accordance with AIP'S circular on family Sadhana, Swami's 91st Birthday was celebrated by the devotees, with their families, neighbours, Balvikas children & parents. Some of the youth celebrated with the children of an Orphanage, Daya Vihar.



RATH YATRA – CHEMBUR

350 Devotees inclusive of 120 Balvikas children participated in a massive Rath yatra.



VEDA VIDYA – MUMBAI

State level Veda Co-ordinators meet was held on 16th Oct - Dharmakshetra

1st Veda Poshana [train the trainers] workshop was held on 27th Nov at Dharmakshetra. Had the privilege of having Shri Vednarayanji.



DANA GILLESPIE – DHARMAKSHETRA

A devotee penned down her feelings after hearing Dana Gillespie singing : "What a blissfully exhilarating evening it was! Dana Gillespie singing " Your love is true ! It keeps my heart emoticon from feeling blue "



RUDRABHISHEKAM & SHIVARATRI

The auspicious night of Shiva, Maha Shivarathri bhajans was celebrated in Dharmakshetra from 6pm and concluded at 6 am in the morning.

Earlier Maha Rudrabhishekam was offered at Sathyadeep starting the evening proceedings, which was then followed by 30 minutes of Vedam chanting at 5.30 pm.

All the 13 Samithis of Mumbai whole-heartedly participated



MULTI FAITH FESTIVALS





OFFICE BEARERS & DEVOTEES MEET– MUMBAI

The Sri Sathya Sai Office Bearers Meet at Dharmakshetra was envisaged to be a home coming for those members of the Sai Family who have been entrusted with the responsibility of leading different facets of Sai Mission. The motive of this meet was to assess amongst ourselves, “What we have done and What we need to do”.

Mumbai district is divided across 13 samithis, which carry on various Spiritual, Service and Educational activities within their samithis. During the meet representatives of all 13 samithis made a brief presentation of the year long activities which they had conducted. This gave an overview about varied activities conducted by different samithis, to all the members. Apart from the brief presentation, there were special presentations made for activities like Balvikas, Youth, Mobile Medicare, Gram Seva, Vedam Training etc. This again helped in giving a broad overview of the magnitude at which these activities are being conducted across Mumbai district.

The presentations helped in giving a wide understanding about all activities being already done and future outlook, as to what all can be done in this year.

Our elders, like Shri Nimish Pandya – All India President (SSSSO), Shri Ramesh Sawant– State President (SSSSO-Mah&Goa) and Shri Anoop Saxena – District President (SSSSO-Mah&Goa) in their talks emphasized that all the office bearers are in essence

“Facilitators” in the organization. They did highlight that there is no hierarchy in Sri

Sathya Sai Seva Organisation. Anybody and everybody is welcome to become part of the Sai Mission. Each and every member is the stake holder in the organization and the Sai Mission is for all.

The Q&A session also helped in resolving the doubts, queries of many devotees.

In all, the meet helped everyone to Re-connect, Re-assess and Re-energize the thought of service and the philosophy behind it as laid down by our Beloved Bhagawan for all of us.



NATIONAL CONFERENCES – DHARMAKSHETRA IT CONFERENCE

The two day 2nd National IT Conference was held at Dharmakshetra on 20th & 21st August 2016

PRASHANTI SEVA CONFERENCE

All India Prashanti Seva Conference was held at Dharmakshetra on 18th & 19th Feb 2017.

SOCIOCARE

WELLNESS CENTRE – ANNIVERSARY

1st Anniversary of Wellness Centre, Dharmakshetra, 3rd April, 2016

On the occasion of the 1st Anniversary of Wellness Centre, the prayer for peace and wellbeing of all was held at Dharmakshetra on 3rd April, 2016, during the holy period of giving and forgiving

The programme began at 4 pm with the chanting of "Om Sri Sai Ram".

The members of the various groups also outlined future plans

The meeting concluded around 5.45 pm with the chanting of "Samastha Lokah Sukhino Bhavantu"



DHARMAKSHETRA CLEANING – YOUTH

By Divine Grace of our Beloved Swami, the Dharmakshetra Cleaning Seva was taken by the Sai Youth of Mumbai. It was a successful initiative and going forward, a strong

motivation for the youth to take up many more such activities. It was truly heart-warming to see such a large number of youth together, and we pray to Swami to bless us with more of His sevaks and opportunities to do His work.

90 Youth Participate on 10th April Cleaning Seva and 82 Youth on 26th June 2016 Seva.



SWACHH BHARAT ABHIYAN

It is said, "Cleanliness is next to Godliness"

With this thought in mind coupled with our Prime Minister Modi's call on Swatch Bharat Abhiyan, the youth of Mumbai initiated this campaign. Sai youth along with Balvikas children, gurus, devotees, students from adopted schools and colleges participated in this noble cause.

COLLEGES - 5 • PARTICIPANTS - 173 • SCHOOLS - 3 • PARTICIPANTS - 241 • BALVIKAS - 56 • DEVOTEES - 11
YOUTH - 133 • GURUS - 30



SWACHATA SE DIVYATA TAK

From Cleanliness to Godliness

Our All India President Shri Nimish Pandya decided to launch a nationwide programme Swachata Se DivyataTak from 2nd Oct, Gandhi Jayanti to 20th Oct Avatar Declaration Day.

Apart from cleanliness drives and rallies, Mumbai took up the noble cause of Dengue and Leptospirosis Awareness.

Cleaning of school's surroundings and playing areas.

Creating awareness by showing video clips, posters and PowerPoint presentations.

Cleanliness drive at Shivaji Park

Awareness campaigns at Ashramshalas and Villages.

Toilet blocks were built for Adivasi children at Chikale village Panvel by the youth of Mumbai and Panvel. 5 bath showers and 5 toilets have been provided that benefits 550 students.

YOUTH - 519 • BALVIKAS - 95 • SCHOOL BALVIKAS - 6508 • GURUS - 37 • TEACHERS - 78 • SEVADALS - 625

TOTAL PARTICIPANTS - 7862 • TOTAL MANHOURS - 23951



ACTIVITIES BY SAMITHI

DIWALI CELEBRATIONS - DHARAMSHALA

The Youth of Walkeshwer Samiti along with some ex-students of Ambedkar school celebrated Diwali with senior citizens of Sir J JDharamshala on 27th Oct. The program began with children singing bhajans, after which some of our dadas & dadis crooned soulful melodies, followed by musical games. We concluded the program with cake cutting and narayanseva. It was a pleasure to see the happiness and joy on their faces.



VOCATIONAL TRAINING – ADOPTED VILLAGE

Vocational Training centre was started by Borivali Samithi in November 2015 in the adopted village Vedhe Taluka Vikramgad.

First batch of eight Adivasis have completed the training after being examined by Examiner from Ramakrishna Mission. Sewing machines & accessories were handed over on passing the exams.



AMRUT KALASH

Amrit Kalash distribution to poor cancer patients at Gadge Maharaj Dharamshala at Dadar and Parel-Chembur & Sion
Amrut Kalash & Narayanseva - Free Foodgrain distribution and Lunch for the Blind in Goregaon



JAL SEVA

Packaged water seva from 13th – 22ND Nov 2016

After the currency demonetization announcement by our PM Modiji, we saw serpentine queues outside all banks.

Mulund Samithi saw a window of seva opportunity in this unique emergency and decided to give a helping hand.

With SWAMI'S blessings and grace this 'Jal-Seva' was successfully offered to three banks identified in Mulund West viz. Canara Bank RHB Road, Union Bank and IDBI Bank in NS Road. On a rotation basis, ten sevadals served water outside the above banks, throughout the banking hours from 9 AM to 4PM. On few occasions water was also randomly distributed at various other banks in Mulund East and Mulund West.

A total of 140 cartons (over 5000 glasses) of packaged water was used for this Seva.



PILGRIMAGE TO DHARMAKSHETRA – OLD AGE HOME INMATES

30 inmates of Old Age Home (60km from Borivali) were invited for a pilgrimage to Dharmakshetra on 29th January 2017. They arrived at 10.30 am. After having Darshan of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba at Sathya Deep, programme started at Shanti Deep with Veda Chanting and a video on Sri Sathya Sai Baba. Later on Parcel Game was enacted and prizes were given to all.

After lunch a movie on Shridi Sai Baba was shown followed by Aarti.

As a Memento for the Pilgrimage visit, a T-Shirt with Sri Sathya Sai Baba's slogans and Emblem printed on it, was given on Feb- 19, 2017 to all Inmates including those who could not come to Dharmakshetra.



MASS MARRIAGE – VISUALLY IMPAIRED

The 9 couples who are Visually Impaired, hailing from the interiors of Maharashtra state tied the knots on 19th February 2017 at Dharmakshetra arranged by Ghatkopar Samithi



VRUDHASHRAM SEVA

Vrudhashram Seva was done at Sakvar near Virar by Borivalisamithi. Night gowns for ladies & T- shirts for gents were distributed to all the inmates before serving breakfast



NARAYAN SEVA – OLD AGE HOME / ORPHANAGE

The Sai Youth of Worli conducted on 26th February, 2017- Narayan Seva at Old Age Home, Shanti Niketan. About 60 seniors were served with delicious lunch.

In line with the Month of Giving and Forgiving, Worli Sai Family served delicious lunch to 98 children in the Orphanage - Our Lady's Home, Parel , on March 25th 2017.



ANNUAL SPORTS MEET

On 26th February, 2017, Annual Sports Meet for underprivileged kids of Mankhurd Remand Home was conducted by Chembur Samithi

We had various fun filled games, prizes & sumptuous lunch for the kids.

GOD's love can be truly contagious, for this year we also had 60 students of youth awareness college participated in this remand home sports event.

Entire food arrangements for 150 children, 60 Yap students & 40 odd volunteers were prepared by our mahila volunteers without any external catering service.



SPIRITUAL PICNIC - MAHILAS

Mahilas from Bandra, Khar and Santacruz Samithis had arranged an outing to Juhu beach for the inmates of Mother Teresa's Home on 23rd of March.



PRASHANTI SEVA

Our beloved Lord explains the significance of importance of Sevas: -

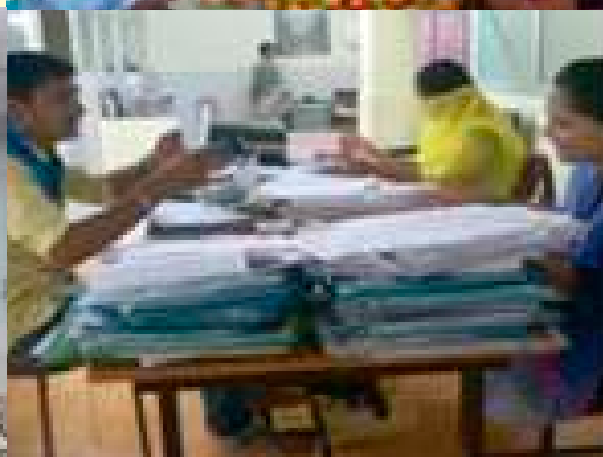
SEVA: Every seva done with sympathy and skill to any one in distress anywhere in this world is Sathya Sai Seva. Serving anyone is serving me, for I am in all. Try to serve the godly; be the servants of the servants of the Lord. The service of man is the only means by which you can serve God. Seva of Sai and seva of Sai Devotees are the same.

SEVA DAL / SEVAK: Swami is the greatest volunteer and the greatest Seva Dal leader. You should follow Swami, the leader. Swami often says "My Life is My Message". God and the voice of God are one and the same. Work done without the thought of self and eschewing the craving for name or power pleases Him most.

The Spiritual discipline of seva is quite distinct. In seva you devote all your energy and attention to the task at hand, for it is a dedicated task. You forget the body and ignore its demands. You set aside your individuality and its prestige and perquisites. You pluck your ego by its roots and cast it away. You give up your status, conceit, your name and form, and all that they demand from others. This process makes the conscience pure. This Truth must be your own discovery, your own treasure, and your own strength. This is the grand purpose of the Seva Dal. That is the reason why the Seva Dal is assigned a high place in the Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation.

Every State is given an opportunity to do service in the ashram & hospitals for a period of 15 days three times in a year. The period of Maharashtra & Goa seva is in March 1st to 15th & September 15th to 30th every year.

	Sept	March
	2016	2017
Mahilas	145	141
Gents	172	153



MEDICARE

SRI SATHYA SAI MEDICAL CENTER

“Human body is Temple of Living God”. It should be kept clean spiritually and fit physically. Therefore, the Sai Message of “Manav Seva is Madhav Seva” is translated in Sri Sathya Sai Medical Centre. This Centre every year, caters to Thousands of patients free of any charges. This Centre houses pathology Laboratory, Eye Clinic, Dental Clinic and screening facilities offering Allopathy, Homeopathy, Ayurveda as well as Vibronics treatments.

The Sathya Sai Eye Care Centre was set up on October 15th 1995, the Eye Hospital has a fully equipped operation theatre and the O. P. D functions six days in a week. The

“Giving sight programme” concentrates on intraocular Lens Implant Surgery and Eye Donation clinics.

Dr. Janaki along with Dr. Suwarna Koppikar, our senior most eye surgeon till date, were there from day one of the inception of this hospital.

And within a few months were joined by Dr. Kapadia, Dr. Janak Shah, Dr. Dastoor, Dr. Sangeeta and Dr. Deepa Paranjpe, our anesthetist, who are doing selfless seva till date. Wonderfully assisted by a dedicated group of paramedical volunteers for more than 20 successful years.

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What started off with just 3 to maximum 4 surgeries per day, now the eye hospital, with our Dear Swami's immense grace and will, conducts more than 100 successful surgeries in a month.

Along with our senior surgeons, many New eye specialists have joined the hospital, which helps cases of Squint, DCR, YagLazer, Pterygium, Chalazion, Cyst removal, Epilation, etc.





SRI SATHYA SAI MEDICAL CENTRE, DHARMAKSHETRA ,MUMBAI

SUPER SPECIALITY CLINICS

STATISTICS FOR 2016-17

S.NO	CLINICS	NO.OF PATIENTS TREATED
1	Gynecology	462
2	Vibronics	2843
3	Physiotherapy	1580
4	Mother & Child Care	90
5	X-Ray	116
	Total	5091

SRI SATHYA SAI MEDICAL CENTER, DHARMAKSHETRA , MUMBAI

STATISTICS FOR 2016-17

MONTH	EYE OPD	EYE SURGERIES				GENERAL OPD				
		ECCE	PHACO	OTHERS	TOTAL	Allopathy	Homeopathy	Dental	Ayurveda	Total
April	1196	79	32	10	121	1083	227	113	83	1506
Camp		25	-	-	25					
May	806	16	43	3	62	1035	158	116		1309
June	962	72	49	3	124	1076	433	107	31	1647
July	988	64	49	4	117	1156	242	106	35	1539
camp		22	-	-	22	-	-	-	-	-
August	832	65	51	8	124	1288	222	124	46	1680
September	950	54	50	3	107	1047	192	85	23	1347
October	1250	55	49	3	107	1172	167	123	50	1512
November	950	41	34	7	82	1277	163	146	35	1621
Camp		70	23	-	93	-	-	-	-	-
December	1300	58	50	9	117	1289	172	121	45	1627
January	1170	83	53	3	139	1364	259	160	18	1801
February	1008	53	65	7	125	1161	208	106	7	1482
March	1378	53	86	4	143	1276	236	118	35	1665
Total	12790	810	634	64	1508	14224	2679	1425	408	18736

SRI SATHYA SAI MOBILE MEDICARE PROJECT

Pilot started in the Year: April 2007

Started its operation officially in: June 2008

Number of vans in 2008: 3

Number of vans in 2016: 6

Total Patients treated in 2016/17: 106895



The Mobile Medicare Project was launched with the Blessings of Bhagawan in July 2008.

Patients are treated for a wide variety of diseases including hypertension, diabetes, allergies, digestive, respiratory, gynaec and other ailments. The mobile dispensaries are fully equipped with a range of medicines and equipments for diagnosis and treatment of patients. The medical vans are the most viable alternative in terms of cost, time and manpower resources, to reach out to distant and also remote areas.

FEATURES OF THE MOBILE MEDICARE PROJECT

- Acquisition of several mobile dispensaries fully equipped with necessary facilities available at a General Practitioner's Clinic.
- Envisage the provision of free medical treatment and medicines in a professional manner.
- Manned by professionals - supported by our seva dal and volunteers.
- Visiting fixed centres, orphanages, destitute homes, old folks homes, etc., as per a fixed schedule.
- Bone Density, Eye and Dental, Mother and Child Care Camps etc., to be conducted at regular intervals.
- Provision of Pathological tests where necessary.
- Directing serious cases to affiliated hospitals.
- Vaccination Camps jointly with government bodies.
- Coordinating with local groups for a proper health plan.
- Eradication of malnutrition a providing nutritional support on a massive scale particularly to children and women.
- Spreading the Value Oriented Teachings of Bhagawan at all centres through BalVikas, Study Circles, Bhajans etc.

SRI SATHYA SAI SEVA ORGANISATION, MAHARASHTRA & GOA.

REPORT OF SRI SATHYA SAI MOBILE PROJECT - 2016-2017 MUMBAI DIST. -TOTAL PATIENTSTREATED

Sr. No.	Area Zonewise	VAN NO.	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16	Jul-16	Aug-16	Sep-16	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17	Total
1	MUMBAI - ZONE -1	40-6908	857	759	820	756	705	729	850	726	808	911	1037	986	9944
	MUMBAI - ZONE -2-↓↓↓														
2	MUM-Z-2(Bandra - Santacruz)	5634	411	359	364	592	887	347	871	515	654	526	619	625	6770
3	MUM-Z-2(Andheri - Vileparle)	5679/5283	1477	1410	1358	1180	1886	2119	2392	1610	2139	2300	2126	2280	22277
4	MUM-Z-2(Jogeshwari - Malad)	5247	681	579	636	688	552	575	658	722	764	555	771	1407	8588
5	MUM-Z-2(Kandivali - Dahisar)	5571	1362	1320	1545	1426	1733	1269	1554	1808	1766	1763	1660	1578	18784
6	MUMBAI - ZONE -3	5553	3261	2825	3054	3603	3361	3527	3915	3291	3537	3570	3231	3357	40532
			8049	7252	7777	8245	9124	8566	10240	8672	9668	9625	9444	10233	106895



FREE HEART CAMP

With Swami's grace the Free Heart Camp which was held at Dharmakshetra on Sunday 23rd October organised by SSSSO Maharashtra and Goa along with Sri Sathya Sai Heart Hospital, Rajkot had a very good response.

Walk in patients - 128

Prescreened for next round - 113

50 Patients selected for surgery & appointments given for the same

Mr. Randeep Hooda, famous Bollywood actor and Shri Rajkumar Santoshi well known Director also attended the Free Heart Camp.

BLOOD DONATION & MEDICAL CAMPS – SAMITHIS

Blood Donation – Zone 1

By the grace of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba, Zone-1 of SSSSO Mumbai has been blessed with yet another opportunity to serve humanity.

With Swami's Grace 177 people had lovingly donated, in the words of Sai Baba Himself, 'Liquid Love', in the blood donation drive arranged by SSSSO Mumbai (Zone 1) in collaboration with Western Railway Mazdoor Sangh and Nair Hospital at Churchgate Station, on Wednesday 1st June, 2016.

The blood camp was inaugurated by the Divisional Railway Manager (DRM) Mr. Mul Jain.

Blood Donation Camp & Thalassemia Test -Borivali

146 blood bottles were donated and 152 Thalassemia testing were done in BLOOD DONATION CAMP by Borivali Samithi at Gokhale college Borivali (W) on 10th August 2016.

Dental Awareness Camp – Borivali

A dental awareness camp was conducted on Nov 21st for Auto rickshaws brothers. This was equally supported wholeheartedly by 6 dental doctors and our devotees. The program started around 2.15 pm and all the 100 auto rickshaws brothers were taken through a video show, oral hygiene placard and then checkup. This will be followed by a follow up action at Dharmakshetra dental center.

Medical Camp - Goregaon

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation Goregaon Samithi jointly with Lodge Fulchand Patel conducted a medical camp on Sunday 26th February 2017 at Teen Dongri Goregaon.

Ashramshala Camp - Bandra

The inaugural visit to the Sherol Ashramshala was done on 21st August, 2016 by Bandra- Khar -Santacruz Samithi. A total of 206 students were examined by a team of 7 doctors which were well supported by Sai Seva dal.

Shirol Aashramshala Medical Activity held on Sunday 19th February - A Total number of 214 Students were checked by a team of 6 Doctors.

Eye Checkup was done with the help Dr. Swara Palekar Kamath on 22nd February at Shirol Aashramshala where 36 Patients were checked and 5 were qualified for Spectacles.

Heart & Eye Camp – Bandra

Vivekananda Youth Connect - Marathon

Vivekananda Youth Connect Run- Marathon organised in Honour of Swami Vivekananda on 8th January 2017 Sunday in which 3 samithis - Bandra, Andheri and Borivali participated. The mobile vans and volunteers were present at the three locations.

NAGPUR

All of you should take a vow continually to develop the Service (Sevā) Organisations. Let all join in the activities. Treat all as the children of one God. Whomsoever you may serve, consider you are serving God. Then you will experience the Divine. You are bound to have that experience soon. Never give up the organisation. Regard it as the breath of your life. This is real penance. Having this firm resolve, become exemplary leaders. This is My sole desire. Swami's love will accompany you everywhere.

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Introduction

The Nagpur Samithi of SSSSO started functioning since 1971. The sapling planted by Sri Chakravarty, Sri D. M. Parekh, Sri Ramdas Shashital, Sri Shivram Desai, Sri R.R.N. Murthy Sri B.M. Wadegaonkar, Sri V. R. Joshi and others has become a big tree in the form of six samithis under the banner of Nagpur district.

Activities undertaken by SSSSO Nagpur during 2016-17

The Organization's Nagpur wing undertook spiritual, educational and service activities under the inspiration and guidance of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba through the following six Samithis namely -

1. East Nagpur (Urban) 2. West Nagpur (Urban) 3. North Nagpur (Urban)
4. Kamptee (Rural) 5. Birsai (Rural) 6. Panwadi (Rural)

There are all together 15 units in these 6 samithis. Four each in East, West and North Nagpur and one each in Kamptee, Birsai and Panwadi.

Spiritual activities

Bhagawan Baba says the very aim of establishing the organisation is to help the aspiring individuals to recognise the inherent divinity within and to realize that the same spark exists in all the living beings around us.

Spiritual wing is therefore the base of our organisation.

Various activities were undertaken in the samithis/units under Nagpur district which included –

- Weekly Bhajans (devotional singing) Attendance ranges from 25 to 40
- Nagar Sankeertans (nearly 120 days during 2016-17), 70-80 devotees participate in nagar sankirtan
- Samuhik Rudra pathan (during auspicious Shrawan month in East, West and North Samithi)
- Study circles in North samithi and for Balvikas Gurus was regularly held once every month
- Sadhana Shibir was organised on 18th January 2017 at Sri Satyasai Gramin Seva Kendra, Wanadongri which was attended by 75 gents and 50 ladies devotees.
- Special programs on the occasion of Ram Navami, Buddha Pournima, Mahaveer Jayanti, Good Friday, Nanak Jayanti, Christmas etc.were organised at Sai Sankalp Hall.
- Swami's 91st Birthday was celebrated from 17th to 23rd November 2016. During the week, Spiritual discourses and Upasana of various spiritual organisations of Nagpur viz Chinmay Mission, Ramkrishna Math, Rashtrasant Tukdoji Maharaj Adhyatmik Mandal, Prahlad Maharaj Upasana Mandal etc.were organised



Bhajan Session at Sai Sankalp Hall



Nagar Sankirtan



Gurudev Seva Mandal



Prahlad Maharaj Upasana Mandal

Regular weekly bhajans are being conducted at following places:

1. Sai Sankalp Hall, Manewada Ring Road, Onkar Nagar Square, Nagpur
(Combined for all three Samithis in Nagpur City)
2. Residence of Sri Narendra Dhawale, New Subhedar Lay out, Nagpur (East Nagpur Samithi)
3. Residence of Sri Milind Pathak, Tatya Tope Nagar, Nagpur (West Nagpur Samithi)
4. Swami Sitaramdas Mandir, Chhawani, Nagpur (North Nagpur Samithi)
5. Residence of Sri Ashok Sharma, Sathya Sai Dham, Kate Oli, near Jagannath Mandir, Kamptee (Kamptee Samithi)
6. Residence of Sri Krishna Murty, at Birsir Rangapur village (Birsir Samithi)
7. Residence of Sri Arun Murodiya, Village Panwadi, Tahsil Katol, Dist. Nagpur (Panwadi Samithi)

Educational activities

Swami says **"The end of education is Character and the end of knowledge is love"**.

Educational activities covered 'Bal Vikas' (for children) and Education in Human Values Programmes/Sathya Sai Vidya Jyothi, alongside formal academic education combined with the development of the character of the students for age group of 6 to 15.

Regular Bal Vikas class is conducted once every week at the following areas in Nagpur:-

Name of Guru	Unit	Samithi	Bal Vikas Class Address	Group
Smt. Manju Jaiwar	Gurudeo Ngr.	East Nagpur	Plot no. 29, Flat no 201 Mahalaxmi Apt. Sevalal Nagar, Besa Road, Manewada, Nagpur.	I & II
Smt. Manju Jaiwar	Gurudeo Ngr.	East Nagpur	Gadgebaba mandir, Vithal Nagar. Nagpur	I & II
Smt. Smita KhanorkarMahal	Mahal	East Nagpur	Khanorkar's House near Shukravari Rd. Gandhi gate Mahal. Nagpur	I , II , & III
Smt. Suknya Naidu	Motibagh	North nagpur	502, Apurva Complex Mohan Nagar, Nagpur	I , II , & III
Shri. Nana Kadu	Gurudeo Ngr.	East Nagpur	c/o Narendra Dhawle, near Mahakalkar Sabhagruha, New Subhedar layout, Nagpur	I
Smt. Dipali Sahastrabuddhe	Manish Nagar	East Nagpur	Maxx Sanman, Harihar Nagar, Besa, Beltarodi Rd. Nagpur	I & II
Smt. Dipali Sahastrabuddhe	Manish Nagar	East Nagpur	Vision Convent, Near Harihar Nagar, Besa, Beltarodi Rd. Nagpur	School Balvikas
Smt. Lal	Friends Colony	North nagpur	Sitaramdas Maharaj Mandir. Katol Road Nagpur.	I
Smt. Versha Lakhekar	Manewada	East Nagpur	Chintamani Nagar, Aaradhana Society, Plot no. 12, Manewada Rd. Nagpur.	I
Smt. Uma Murthi	Omkar Nagar	East Nagpur	saisankalpa Sabhagruha, Omkar Nagar square, Bhawan Ngr. Nagpur	I , II , & III
Smt. Sharada	jaripatka	North nagpur	D, 204 , Pyramid City, near WCL Office, Jaripatka. Nagpur	I & II
Smt. Saroj Perkar	Gajanan Nagar	East Nagpur	16, Gajanan Nagar, Nagpur.	I
Smt. Charu Gandare	Gurudeo Ngr.	East Nagpur	Gurudeo nagar, Nagpur.	I

Mother Ishwaramma week was celebrated from 30th April to 6th May 2016.

Balvikas children participated in Mandir Safai in their respective areas, Narayan Seva, Shlok, Bhagwad Gita recital competitions, Drawing and poster competition, Matru Pitru Pujan and cultural program was also organised on the Ishwaramma day.

This year mother Ishwaramma Scholarship was also awarded to 96 Balvikas girl students as an encouragement for pursuing higher studies



Drama by Balvikas students



Vedam recital by Balvikas Children



Drawing Competition



Mandir Safai Team



Residential Bal Vikas Class



Kite Making with Swami's sayings

Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyothi

Under the Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyothi project, our Nagpur team visited Vimalashram Ashram School, Panchgaon on the first Saturday of every month.

Service activities - Love in Action

Swami says "Manav Seva is Madhav Seva." Never ever think that you are serving someone other than your own self. Service must be rendered with love and without any trace of ego, nor expectations, in fact you should thank them for giving you an opportunity to serve them.

Service activities included activities such as –

- Medicare Seva – Bhagawan explains it in very simple words: **When disease makes no distinctions of high or low, rich or poor, should those who cure make such distinctions?**
- Regular (fortnightly) medical camps through Mobile Dispensary Van and special (Eye, Skin, Dental etc) medical check-up camps were organised at 13 nearby villages. During 2016-17, about fifty thousand villagers were benefitted from our medical seva.
- Daily medical dispensary is functional from 6 pm to 8 pm at Sai Sankalp,
- Two Blood donation camps were organised
- Visit to Panchavati Vruddhashram (old age home)
- Swachchhata abhiyan at the Futala Lake, and Panchavati Vruddhashram



Swachchhata Se Divyata Tak



- Tree plantation and rain water harvesting at Panchamukhi Hanuman Mandir, Bellori village,
- Regular (fortnightly) Mother and Child care in four villages in Kalmeshwar Tahsil,
- Narayan Seva to patient's relatives at Govt. Medical College & Fruits distribution to patients in Govt. Medical Hospital Nagpur etc.



Sri Sathya Sai Gramin Seva Kendra, Wanadongri

- On 23rd November 2016, Maha Narayan Seva was organised at the Wanadongri Gramin Seva Kendra and clothes were also distributed to the needy.



Medical Camp, Narayan Seva and clothes distribution at Sri Sathya Sai Gramin Seva Kendra, Wanadongri

Sri Sathya Sai National Cricket League

- Special event of organising Sri Sathya Sai National Cricket league by youths at Nagpur from 10th to 12th December 2016. One hundred and eighty youths from all over the Maharashtra participated as 12 teams in this Cricket Tournament.

The final match was played in the presence of our all India president Sri Nimish Pandya and former Indian Cricket Captain Dileep Vengsarkar, former Ranji player Sri Ashutosh Rana.



Washim Team was the winner of Sai Unity Cup 2016.

Mobile Medicare Project

Mobile medicare project was started in Nagpur in the year 2007. Initially only two villages were catered with. During 2016-17, Mobile Medicare Dispensary Van visited 13 villages every month at fortnightly interval.



We have 18 regular vibro healers who are rendering Sairam Healing Vibrations Seva regularly along with our mobile medicare van.

Regular Medical Camps are being organised at the following villages nearby Nagpur.

- 1.Panwadi
- 2.Kota Sawangi
- 3.Dhangawali nagar
- 4.Vithal Nagar
- 5.Ranala
- 6.Kanhan
- 7.Jaripatka sai mandir
- 8.Ashtavinayak colony
- 9.Bhansali takli
- 10.Nanda gomukh
- 11.Static Medical Center at Sai Sankalp (Daily 6pm to 8 pm)
- 12.Fortnightly Medical Camp at Sai Sankalp Nagpur
- 13.Birsi

Mother and Child Care

Mother and Child care Seva is being done in the following villages :-

With His Loving Grace and Blessings the M & C Care Project Team of Nagpur has been doing seva regularly in Kalmeshwar Taluka in the villages of Brahmani, Sawli, Ghorad, Zunki, Waroda, Ubali.



Focus Of The Mother & Child Care Team

- Pre-natal and Post-natal care for the pregnant mothers belonging to low socioeconomic condition through regular health camp organized once in a fortnight.
- Ante-natal care programme and Intensive Care Programme for prevention of Malnutrition.
- Dissemination of health education among the mothers' adolescent boys and girls.
- Prevention of iron deficiency and malnutrition among the poor pregnant mothers through awareness generation and provision of supplementary nutritious food to them in the form of Sai Protein.
- Arrangement of immunization for the pregnant mothers and children. Close monitoring of the chain of immunization among the children in different age.
- Popularization of locally available low cost but nourishing food items among the mothers and children through awareness generation.
- Ensuring the safe delivery of babies.
- Popularizing breast feeding among the mothers.
- Monitoring growth of children.
- Provision of supplementary nutrition (Sai Protein) to the mal-nourished children.
- Conducting health check-up for the children and giving them referral services for better treatment.
- Attending to common childhood illness to ensure child survival.

Welcoming the newly born

Swami says **God is taking Avatar in the form of a newly born baby in every corner of the world every second.**

Mother and Child care team of Nagpur welcomed 91 such incarnations at the Government Medical Hospital, Nagpur by gifting them a hygiene kit and a baby blanket on the auspicious occasion of Swami's 91st Birthday.



Welcoming the little Gods with Hygiene Kit and Baby Blankets



We sum up the annual report with Swami's words : **"Service expresses the divinity hidden in man. It broadens one's heart, it destroys narrow-mindedness, and it gives delight. The evil qualities and tendencies in us can be driven away through service. To remove the evil of egoism, service is the most efficient instrument."**

CHANDRAPUR

The Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation has been carrying out its activities in the district since 1972. There are 6 Samithis viz. Chandrapur Samithi, Warora Samithi, Gondpimpri Samithi, Bramhpuri Samithi, Rajoli Samithi, Petgaon Samithi.

The work done during the year 2016-17 is highlighted here under through the various activities.



As, all the three wings are successfully run in the Chandrapur district.

EDUCATION WING

"The teachers of tomorrow are the students of today" Baba

A) BALVIKAS

Bhagwan Sri Sathya Sai Baba launched the Balvikas Movement to blossom today's Children to become a responsible citizens and leaders of tomorrow.





B) SUMMER CAMP :

The summer camp organised in the Sri Sathya Sai Gramin Seva Kendra at Chandrapur. This summer camp has been started from 2011 only for the balvikas students which are live in villages. In this 3 days camp, the sai devotees, balvikas guru are likely to teach the students various subjects. Various activities takes place for the students to nurture their values like personality development, bhajan singing, games, meditation, story telling & so on. From six year, camp for village balvikas students conducted successfully with swami's blessing. As, we all know that, Bhagwan Sri Sathya Sai Baba launched the Balvikas Movement to blossom today's Children to become a responsible citizens and leaders of tomorrow.



SPIRITUAL WING

"All spiritual practice must be directed to the removal of the husk and the revelation of the kernel."Baba



A) Bhajans

There are 8 Bhajan Mandalis present in Chandrapur District where bhajans are take place once in a week in every month viz. Kitali, Ballarpur, Chekipari, Bhejgaon, Itoli, Sonurli, Hiwara, Kawathi. Although, Akhand Bhajan was held at Sri sathya sai seva kendra at Chandrapur during Mahashivaratri and November's second Saturday & Sunday.



B) Nagar Sankirtan :

Nagar Sankirtan organised once in a fortnight at each Samithi in every month. The devotees participate in it at their respective samithis. Apart this, the Nagar Sankirtan is also organised on important festivals like Janmashtmi, Guru Poornima, Vijayadashmi, Aradhana Day, Eshwaramma Day etc.



C) BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION OF BHAGWAN SRI SATHYA SAI BABA "MY BIRTHDAY IS THE DATE WHEN DIVINITY BLOSSOMS IN YOUR HEART"

Our God's birthday was celebrated by all sai devotees at their respective villages, samithis including Chandrapur Samithi, Warora Samithi, Bramhpuri Samithi, Gondpimpri Samithi, Bhejgaon Samithi. In Sri Sathya Sai Gramin Seva Kendra Chandrapur, the Sai's Janmotsav was organised from 17th to 23rd November every year. The programs like Nagar Sankirtan at all samithis, Narayan Seva at Mahakali Temple, Old age home Seva, Gorakshan Seva, Blood Donation Camp, Sri Sathya Sai Vrat Katha, fruits & biscuits distribution at Government Hospital, Chandrapur.

At Chandrapur Samithi, the birthday programme is taken on a large scale and devotees from nearby villages participated in this programme. The procession Bhagwan's Palkhi is the most beautiful and auspicious event which took four hours to complete its Nagar Pradakshina. The spiritual programme organised at evening and the Mahaprasad has been distributed at the end of the





Nagar Ralley with Baba's Palakhi by Sai devotees in the Chandrapur city.



Blood donation camp held at Chandrapur Samithi in occasion of birthday celebration.
196 Youth donor donate the blood.



The Mayor, Chandrapur MNC awarded Chandrapur Samithi for the maximum blood bottles collection from the 196 blood donor.



Fruits & biscuits distribution in Government Hospital to all the patients by sevadal at Chandrapur.

SERVICE WING

"Today we need men of sacrifice in the world. What I want is not your devotion. You must apply your mind to the problems of the society and find remedies to them " -- Baba

A)MOBILE MEDICAL VAN

The Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Medicare Project was launched in September,2011 in Chandrapur District. During the year 2016-17, in all 19,412 patients were examined and medicines were distributed at free of cost. At present 132 villages are selected and the services of mobile medical van is extended to these villages.



B) MOTHER AND CHILD CARE:

The mother and child care programme was launched in the district in 2009. The Villages covered were Warora, Gondpimpri, Aarvat, Yenbodi etc . During the year 2016-17, time to time visits were organised and ladies were made aware of this programme. During the visit to each village the various aspects like care to be taken before and after delivery, care to be taken during pregnancy, importance of breast feeding, vaccination of mother and child, family planning, women and cancer, HIV/AIDS and women teenagers problems and care to be etc have been discussed with ladies of those villages and many ladies were benefitted.

Under mother & child care programme, various projects carried out in villages only for women & children. These projects comprises of various checkups, tests, guidance on health related issues.

VARIOUS TESTS TAKEN FOR GIRLS & WOMEN IN VILLAGES

Due to illiteracy, poverty and unawareness, the girls & women health issues are most critical in tribal areas and villages. The hospital or medical facilities are not available in such type of villages. Even doctors doesn't want to go for practice in tribal villages. As, they are illiterate as well as poor people, as they don't go for costly treatment or medicines.

So, considering all these problems, Chandrapur Samithi have decided to service these needy women & girls. The ladies sevadal alongwith the experienced ladies doctors visits such villages & give services free of cost. The doctors are also guide on critical diseases & various health related issues to them.

Under the mother & child care projects, various health programmes were successfully accomplished in the year (2016-17) such as,

1. GUIDANCE & CHECKUP CAMP

The checkup & guidance on various diseases like B.P., DIABETES, MEMOGRAPHY & PAP SMEARS at KAWATHI on 20/11/2016 & at ITOLI on 26/01/2016. The doctors available for these camp were, Dr.Rutuja Mundhada, Dr.Pruna Kolte, Dr.Sharmili Poddar, Dr.Jyoti Wasade, Dr.Sandhya More.

2. DENTAL CAMP FOR STUDENTS

The Dental camp arranged for the students at Ranirajkunwar Primary School, Chandrapur. The doctors were Dr. Jivane & Dr.Jyoti Dongarwar available for the camp.



3. SICKLE CELL GUIDANCE & CHECKUP CAMP

The guidance & checkup camp on sickle cell disease were arranged at school & college, named as,
I. Bhaurao Karmaveer Mahavidyalaya, Yenbodi, Chandrapur
II. Hinglaj Bhavani Highschool, Babupeth, Chandrapur.





C) NARAYANA SEVA

The Narayan Seva is continuously undertaken in the district. The Narayan Seva organised on the first Sunday of every month throughout the whole year. On this day, all the devotees come with some food packets and distribute it to all the poor & needy people at the Mahakali temple. Other Samithis also does Narayan Seva at their respective days in villages.



OTHER PROJECTS OF SSSGSK, CHANDRAPUR



A) SWACHHA BHARAT ABHIYAN: “SWACHHATA SE DIVYATA TAK”.



B) TREE PLANTATION PROGRAM

C) RUBELA VACCINATION PROGRAMME

Rubela vaccination program organised in various schools & colleges for teenage girls in Chandrapur district. This vaccination program were organised in villages like Yenbodi, Itoli, Warora, Borgaon, Gondpimpari, Chandrapur. Out of which, 793 gils got vaccinated.

Sr No.	School/ College	Date	No. Of Girls
1	BHAURAO KARMAVEER MAHAVIDYALAYA,YENBODI	24/09/2016	240
2	PRABODHINI SCHOOL,AARVAT	25/09/2016	50
3	KALA VANIJYA MAHAVIDYALAYA,GONDIMPARI	28/09/2016	123
4	JANATA HIGHSCHOOL,GONDIMPARI	28/09/2016	180
5	BHARAT VIDYALAYA, CHARGAON, WARORA	15/10/2016	100
6	HINGLAJ BHAVANI HIGHSCHOOL, BABUPETH, CHANDRAPUR	24/01/2017	100
	TOTAL GIRLS VACCINISED THROUGHTOUT THE YEAR	(2016-2017)	793

“TO SAVE BABY, FIRST SAVE MOTHER”

“MOTHER HEALTH IS NECESSARY FOR THE HEALTHY CHILD”

As, rubela vaccination is necessary for all the girls before marriage to prevent their baby child from deafness, blindness, heart diseases etc.



All the tests & check up are done by, 1) DR. JAYATAI KOTAPALLIWAR. 2) DR. SANDHYA MORE

D) ARADHANA DAY

Parayana of Sri Sahtya Vijay Granth by 27 ladies & 2gents at Sri Sathya Sai Gramin Seva Kendra,Chandrapur





Narayan Seva at Mahakali Temple, Chandrapur & Warora.

MAHAKALI CHAITRA YATRA

The Mahakali Temple yatra was held in the month of Chaitra (Marathi month) i.e. from 29th March to 14th April, 2017. Out of which, Chandrapur samithi offered seva from 5th April to 14th April, 2017. Lots of devotees came from the various districts of Maharashtra basically from Nanded district. The various seva's organised during this yatra.

A) Medical Seva

The medical seva offered by Chandrapur Samithi from 5th to 14th April, 2017 in the medical camp at Mahakali Temple. One medical van also available for emergency purpose. The doctors were changed after three hours rotationally with sevadal within 12 hours seva. All the doctors are retired government practitioners and they were always ready to give service to all patients without taking any single rupee. All the medicines are get from the MR's, doctors, distributors. These medicines were ready to prescribe after medicines sorting. In this year, more than 5600 patients were examined & gave medicines as per their disease.

MEDICAL SEVA CAMP AT MAHAKALI TEMPLE, CHANDRAPUR





B) Mahanarayana Seva

During mahakali seva at the Mahakali Temple, Chandrapur, one day reserve for the mahanarayan seva. Its called as 'Mahanarayan Seva' as because on that day swami give opportunity to service the people not only came from Chandrapur district but from other districts of Maharashtra also.



YOUTH GUIDENCE CAMP

The Youth Guidance camp was held at Chandrapur in the presence of State Youth President Mr. Dharmesh Vaidya and Chandrapur Dist President Mr. Chandrashekhar Mungantiwar. This programme was organised at Sri Sathya Sai Gramin Seva Kendra, Chandrapur. All the youths & sai devotees of nearby villages of Chandrapur district attended this programme.



STATE LEVEL CONVOCATION

The State Level Convocation was organised at Sri Sathya Sai Gramin Seva Kendra, Chandrapur. All the state office bearers were present at that convocation which was the most prestigious moment for all the sai devotees of Chandrapur district. All the dignitaries were guided us on various issues. The Devotees came from the Chandrapur, Wardha & Gadchiroli district.

Prashanti Seva :

Approximately more than 400 gents and ladies attend the Prashanti Seva during the month of September and March every year. There is good response from the Sevadal for Prashanti Seva from the Chandrapur District.



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GADCHIROLI

EDUCATION - BALVIKAS STUDENTS ACTIVITIES

1) ESWARAMMA DAY CELEBRATION

- 30/04/2016 – Veda Recitation and Lakshyarchan by Balvikas Students
- 01/05/2016 – Narayan Seva by Balvikas Students at Govt. General Hospital ,Gadchiroli
- 02/05/2016 – Greeting cards competition for Balvikas Students
- 03/05/2016 – Yoga Practice
- 04/05/2016 – Mandir Cleaning Seva by Balvikas Students
- 05/05/2016 – Dental Check-up Camp for Balvikas Students
- 06/05/2016 – Matru-Pitru Pujan by Balvikas Students and all Samithi Members



2) SWAMI'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION(Videos available on Youtube)

- drama : “ Flowers of Human Values” (MulyanchiFule) by Balvikas Students
- Drama : “Lord Krishna” by Balvikas Students
- Musical Programme : “Sai Symphony” by Balvikas



3) Regular Veda Chanting Classes conducted for Balvikas Students once a week AT SSSVJ SCHOOL : NavyugVidyalaya,Gurwala (Rakhi), Gadchiroli

- Balvikas Class for boys
- Special Guidance for Board Examination to students of 10th Std.
- Distribution of Examination Stationary Kit to all 45 Students of Class 10 on 27/01/2016
- Health Awareness Camps by MNC Group for Girl students



SERVICE



On 24/04/2016 Mahanarayan Seva was conducted at four Public Places in Gadchiroli on occasion of Aradhana Din. Approximately 4000 people were benifited.

Regular Narayan Seva conducted at Govt. General Hospital once a month on 2nd Sunday, where 600-700 people took prasadam in each Narayan Seva.

MNC Programme at Villages Churchura, Sawargaon and at Slum Area "Vivekanand Nagar" Following Service Activities conducted in each camp of MNC

1. Health Awareness 2. Balvikas Class 3. Bhajan 4. Distribution of Sai Protein Food to Pregnant women and malnutrious children 5. Haldi-Kumkum Programme was conducted on 21/01/16 at slum area "Vivekanand Nagar"





SSSMMP Medical Camps

1) 9 Villages covered under SSSMMP. These villages have been visited after 15 days regularly. This team is also accompanied by Sai Vibrionics Practitioner.



2) SSSMMP Camps conducted in SSSVJ School



3) "Padatran Seva" conducted at Hanuman Temple called Semana Devasthan on 22/04/2016 during Hanuman Jayanti. Also Maintenance of Discipline and Cleanliness Seva was performed by Sevadal. About 10000-15000 devotees are benefited.



4) Swacchata Se Divyata Tak Programme during 2nd October to 20th October 16 During this period, Public places like important Chowks (Squares), Hospital Premises, Bus Stands, Market Places have been cleaned by Sevadal



5) Blood Donation Camp conducted on 23rd Nove. 2016 (Swami's Birthday). 41 Blood Bags Collected during this camp.

6) On 24th February 2017 during Mahashivaratri Fair (Yatra) at Shiv Temple, Markanda Devasthan (which is also called as Dakshin Kashi), drinking water was provided to devotees standing in Darshan lines. Also cleaning Seva was performed there.



SPIRITUAL

1) Global Akhand Bhajan of 24 hours was conducted on 12& 13 th Nonember 2016



2) Swami's Birthday Celebration

(I) Nagarsankirtan



(ii) Lakshyarchan with Sahastranamavali Pathan
(Chanting Swami's 1008 names with Sacrificing rice)



(iii) Palkhi Procession



(iv) Sadhana Camps at Villages – Kaneri and Sawargaon



3) Retreats

(i) Youth Awareness Programme conducted by Dharmash Vaidya (State Youth Co-Ordinator)
About 70 youth and 20 others were participated

(ii) MNC Training and Meeting conducted by Mrs. Priya Rajwade (State MNC CO-Ordinator)

NASHIK

The service projects developed by our beloved Bhagawan serve as our guidelines and keep us inspired. We can only try making efforts to fulfill all his wishes and be worthy instruments in his hands.

Presenting the ANNUAL REPORT of Nashik District, Maharashtra

The report that follows contains month wise overview of service activities along with photographic updates done around the year according to the respective wings mentioned below. We thus humbly offer them at the divine lotus feet of our beloved master.

EDUCARE

SRI SATHYA SAI VIDYA JYOTHI

Our SSSVJ service activities held during year 2016-17 uptill now is as follows

1st SSSVJ school mulegav

We have adopted school at Mulegaon and about 150 students are learning in harmony with us. We have put special emphasis on community group singing of bhajans and most required education about maintaining a good hygiene.

We have undertaken the 1st z p school of Mulegaon

The activities conducted here are as follows



Regular medical check up once in a month .



We conduct balvikas twice in a month .



Over 25 of our youth have offered seva at mulegaon taluka school by installing tank of 10000 litres and a motor pump by digging out pipeline of more than 150 feet to allow access to bhagawans love in the form of pure drinking water to the school children.

Medical first aid kits have also been provided to children. our 2nd SSSVJ school is Pongat wadi z p school mulegaon

Following activities are done uptill now as follows

- 1) Regular balvikas is taken twice a month
- 2) Regular medical check up is done twice a month
- 3) Clothes ready to wear washed, cleaned & ironed were distributed to children in month of April - 2016
- 4) Narayan seva on a large scale was carried out and food which delights kids i.e chivda n laddoo packets were distributed to children on occasion of diwali in nov 2016 to celebrate the festival of lights and delights bought by Swami in their lives.



Recently narayan seva was offered to school children and what they love the most .i.e pavbhaji and cake was served to 150 children which they enjoyed delightfully.

- Eshwaramma Day Celebrations with cultural programmes performed by SSS Balvikas children and Matru pitru poojan with considerable attendance of parents were conducted in this month in NASHIK DISTRICT.

- 12 balvikas students from nashik appeared for the state level group 2 exams of SSSBV

- WALK FOR VALUES Was organized at JOGALTEMBHI village along with a full days picnic including games, meditation ,fun activities,sports ,yoga and bhajan sessions for children at the villages' scenic Mahadev temple with a river alongside ;acquainting chidren in the urban area with the beauty of nature in village.

- Vedam workshop was conducted by the dist.veda team educating devotees,youth &balvikas children on 5 th December about the importance of Vedas,their meanings and correct ways of recitation.



SPIRITUAL

- **AKHANDA BHAJAN** was held on 12th & 13th of Nov. 2016 with 150-200 devotees attending the same.

- **VISHWA SHANTI MAHAMRITYUNJAY MAHAYADNYA** was performed on 23 rd Nov 2016 for world peace.

- **BLOOD DONATION** camp was conducted on the same day with abundant blood donations.

- **VEDAM WORKSHOP** this was conducted by the spiritual veda coordinators of nashik for creating awareness about veda chanting and its importance.

- **BHAJAN TUTORIALS** special bhajan tutorial sessions have been conducted by the spiritual coordinator of the district along with an active youth to make bhajan learning easy sessions were conducted every Sunday for 3 months consecutively.

- **VEDA CHANTING TUTORIALS** special veda chanting sessions for 2hours daily for 5months were taken for those yearning to learn vedam .A total of 100 sadhakas had the good fortune of learning them correctly.

- **REGULAR VEDAM CHANTING** Every Monday Rudrapath is conducted from DEC 2016 till date.with an average of 50 devotees attending per session.



● **NEW RURAL BHAJAN CENTRE** New bhajan centre has been set up in the village mulegaon in January 2017 where 65 elders and 15 youth were present. Youth were called to nashik for undertaking bhajan training at nashik to run the bhajan centre smoothly.

● **AROUND THE YEAR** All around the year various group spiritual sadhanas have been undertaken. The approximate no. of devotees attending are listed as below

- Laksharchanam & sai Gayatri Chanting- 100
- Vishwashanti Mahamrutyunjay Havan-350
- Residential Bhajans-100
- Sadhna Shibir-100 ● Rudrabhishekam -350

SEVA

● The medicare service under the mobile medicare project started with serving the pilgrims of NIVRUTTI NATH PALKHI who walked barefoot into the procession. On an average 800-1000 patients were diagnosed and treated of their condition.



● The mobile medicare van undertook medical seva to village slums in nearby areas of nashik.

● Regular medical camps with follow up camps to locality named NILGIRIBAUG in outskirts of nashik were undertaken .The first camp dates back to 2nd November 2016 with various follow up camps every week to the same location treating 150 patients on an average at every visit.



● Medical camp at adopted village Mulegaon was conducted specially for children and their mothers on November 3, 2016 with 250-300 patients diagnosed & treated.



● Medical camp at village Mulegaon was conducted exactly 10 days later on 13th of November 2016 as a follow up.



● Adding to this ,a paediatric camp was organized with a renowned paediatrician accompanying the medical team of mmp van. On the same day i.e 13th of nov. diagnosing and treating over 100-150 neonates, infants and children of the village.



- The mmp van with regular visits every 15 days to nearby villages and mulegaon including nilgiribaug was functional.



- Medical camp at dabhadi village was conducted with follow up camps following the same.

- medical camp schedule has been regularized with 1doctor,1driver and two sevadals from each samithi doing mmp seva in villages dividing the week into 5 samithis and Sunday seva by youth.

- Mobile medicare van along with the MNC team carry out the seva of

- Distributing sai protein food packets bimonthly to the malnourished children of villages



- A medical camp at kasara ashram school was organized in collaboration with medical team from Mumbai mmp .Camp conducted diagnosed and treated over 150 children and kids in the ashram school providing medications to school for long term purposes and distributing first aid kits to school



- Educating ladies of the village about correct ways of maintaining health and hygiene.



- Organizing bhajans.
- Organizing social programmes like Godbharai etc.



- Peya jalseva (Drinking water seva) was carried out by the youth of Nashik district distributing water to drought affected villages around Nashik



- Clothes distribution on a large scale was organized where devotees all around nashik were involved in sorting, packaging, making the clothes look new and distributing to the villagers of Mulegaon village.



- By Swami's grace ;A massive SWACHH BHARAT ABHIYAN movement in collaboration with a local daily newspaper MAHARASHTRA TIMES & one of the esteemed and most famous commerce college B.Y.K COLLEGE OF COMMERCE signing the first ever M.O.U with SSSO,NASHIK was carried out by devotees & youth from nashik.



With a huge contribution of over 200 college students ; the seva of cleaning up the NANDINI RIVER flowing throughout nashik was undertaken by highly interested sai youth, elders and balvikas children all together proving to be the responsible citizens of the nation.



Our service by HIS grace was reflected in newspapers. This service activity received an over whelming response. The conclusion being; maximum of our organizational service activities be directed towards the interest of the youth of this country for them to be exponentially successful.

● AROUND THE YEARMOTHER & CHILD CARE



a. The **MOTHER AND CHILDCARE TEAM** - Visits remote adivasi villages around Nashik on a regular basis i.e every Tuesday



b. The MNC team provides sai protein food every 15 days on an avg .200-250 packets to severely malnutritioned kids, lactating mothers and pregnant females along with supplementary iron-folic acid, B complex, calcium tonics.



c. Regular GODBHARAI & GARBHASANSKAR programmes are conducted at village level to enhance importance of values in Indian culture.



● **AROUND THE YEAR** In our medicare seva we aimed to go to remote villages where primary medical facilities were not available. esp. interiors in areas around sssvj schools. Presently our team offers medical seva every week



One of the major camps being - the medical camp that was conducted at trimbakeshwar panchyat samiti where kids with severe malnutrition under 3 years were treated.

DHULE

The details of Dhule district are as under: Total Number of Smithies: 7 Total Brothers: 238 Total sisters: 182

District President: **Adv. Suresh Wagh**

Shri Sathya Sai Seva organisation Dhule District has organised following programs during last Year from 1 April 2016 to 31 March 2017.

Education: Total Number of Balvikas Centres: 23
(School Balvikas -04)
Total Number of Balvikas Gurus: 16
Total No. of Balvikas Students: 1243

Dhule district organised Balvikas Guru training camp for Nasik Zone. A two training camp was organised and around 75 Balvikas guru were trained for

Group I and around 15 were trained for Group 2

Started two new school Balvikas at Deokar Vidyalay Virdel, Z. P. School Malane



Service: Dental Camp in adopted Schools: One Dental check-up camp in association with IDA, Dhule.



Number of Villages Visited = 06 Number of Women's Benefited = More than 500

Villages : Hendrun, Vinchur, Kundane, Varkhedi, Malharnagar Deopur, Balapur



Narayan Seva Total 20 Narayan Seva on various occasions were performed and More than 600 people benefited.

Notebook Distribution to needy students

SEVA activities in SSVIP Village



Gram Swachata in Adopted Village



Dhule district have adopted three orphanages for Seva activities





Recreational Homes and Central Jail Bhajans:-



WASHIM



UTENSIL DISTRIBUTION PROGRAMME: SSSSO washim organised utensil distribution programme at khatkali village;. Khatkali village is situated at melghat region TQ chikhaldara dist amravati melghat area is total tiger reserved forest area & in this area korku adiwasi (korku tribal) people live. All korku tribe people are very poor they have no work because melghat region total forest area that's why there is no fertile land; SSSSO washim distributed 1 glass 1 bowl 1 big plate (all utensil made by stainless steel), 1 swami's photo & vibhuti prasada total 160 family were benefited



MALNUTRITION PROGRAMME: SSSSO washim organised a camp under sri sathya sai mobile medicare project 20 malnourished children found to us during medical camp ; 20 children are suffering from malnutrition; all childrens had low weight because they have no proper food & hygiene. We weighted 20 children's & give medicines & started fresh milk 250 ml to each child daily for 3 months and all 20 childrens are better now



DIPAWALI FESTIVAL: SSSSO washim organised diwali festival with korku adiwasi (tribe) sevadal arranged the abhyang snan (holly bath) for children ; sevadal applied to body utna (sented application) to children & made a holly bath with sented soap after that they were given clothes and narayan seva was done; sevadal lighted lamps (deepak) all house at last the crackers were popped with villagers

CLOTH DISTRIBUTION: Cloth distribution programme for 55 poor girl students at khatkali village was done on occasion of swami's birth day





SRI SATHYA SAI VIDYA JYOTI SCHOOL: SSSO washim adopted 2 schools under vidya jyoti project 1) zilha parishad varista prathamik shala vanoja tq risod dist washim 2) zilha parishad school sonkhas tq dist washim. We renovated classrooms and corridors and made them digital .we provided projector and leds to each class



DRINKING WATER PROJECT: drinking water project is running from 2007 at bus stand washim 24*7; 3000 travellers benifited daily and this type of project is started every year in summer at different village



MOTHER AND CHILD CARE : Mother and child care programme is running in 3 villages in the dist we have given anti rubela vaccination for adult age girls total 150 girls were benifited



MOBILE MEDICARE PROJECT: Mobile medicare project running at 18 medical points in the dist around 1500 patient are benifited every month

GONDIA

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Sri Sathya Sai Balvikas Report Dist. Gondia

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3	Padmavati/Usha/Sailja	Gondia	B.V. City	5	3	8
4	Sandhya Pandey/Usha	Gondia	B.V. City	8	7	15
5	Maya Shende	Tirora	B.V. City	3	4	7
6	Tosita Asati	Tirora	School B.V. City	12	22	34
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श्री सत्य साईं विद्याज्योति

भगवान श्री सत्यसाईं बाबा द्वारा निर्देशित श्री सत्य साईं विद्याज्योती कार्यक्रम के अंतर्गत, हमने सर्वप्रथम एक स्कूल, जिसका नाम स्व. शंकरलालजी अग्रवाल पाठशाला है, को हमने गोद लिया। जिसमें के.जी. प्रथम से लेकर ४ वी कक्षा तक शिक्षा प्रदान की गयी है। इस पाठशाला में अत्यंत गरीब तबके से आये बच्चों को शिक्षा दी गयी है। साथ ही साथ पठनीय पुस्तकें, तथा अन्य लेखन सामग्री भी प्रदान की गयी है।

समिती द्वारा प्रति सप्ताह में एक बार श्री सत्य साईं बाल विकास की कक्षा ली गयी थी। यहाँ के प्राचार्य एवं शिक्षक को श्री सत्य साईं बाल विकास गुरु का प्रशिक्षण प्रदान कर प्रतिदिन बालको में बालविकास से सम्बंधित ज्ञान प्रदान किया गया है।



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Medi Care

१. मेडीकल कैम्प : संघटन द्वारा गोंदिया जिले में एक चल चिकित्सा वाहन उपलब्ध कराया गया है, जिसके माध्यम से १४४ कैम्पों का आयोजन करके लगभग १३ हजार मरीजों का लाभान्वित किया गया।



२. रक्तदान कैम्प : भगवान श्री सत्यसाई बाबा के जन्मदिन के उपलक्ष्य में रक्तदान का कैम्प लिया गया, जिसमें ६० नौजवानों ने रक्तदान किया।



३. विशेष कैम्प : समिती द्वारा एक्जुप्रेसर कैम्प का आयोजन किया गया। जिसमें ४० लाभार्थियों को लाभान्वित किया गया।

४. दंत चिकीत्सा कैम्प : समिती द्वारा जिले में ४ दंत चिकीत्सा कैम्प आयोजित किये गये। जिसमें डॉ. जायसवाल की सेवा ली गयी। कैम्प के माध्यम से १२२ मरीजों का इलाज किया गया।



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AHMEDNAGAR

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation of Ahmednagar District has 5 samithis with 200 devotees and 2 bhajan mandalis with 10 devotees and the following are the details of events that took place during the period 01-04-2016 to 31-03-2017 and we submit the same at the lotus feet of Bhaghwana Sri Satya Sai Baba.

Education: During the month of December 2016 Bal Bhajan mahotsav was conducted wherein about 60 Balvikas children from various parts of Ahmednagar District participated in the Bhajan competition and certificates were given to all participants.



During the month of February a meeting was organised with the parents of Balvikas children by the Gurus wherein the parents explained the transformation which they could see in the behaviour of the children on account of attending the balvikas classes. The parents were explained by the Gurus to observe at the behaviour and give the feedback. The parents requested to conduct such meetings at frequent interval.



Under the banner of Satya Sai Vidya Jyoti, SSSSO Ahmednagar adopted paulbuddhe school in February 20217. 120 children and 6 teachers are getting benefitted on account of this. To start with personal hygiene is being taught and in due course balvikas classes will be conducted in due course.

Seva: SSSSO Ahmesnagar participated in the swecheta abhijan programme during Octobeer 2016 by cleaning the municipal garden at Nagar. This program was attended by 15 sai brothers and Sai sisters.



JALGAON

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation of Jalgaon District has 9 samithis with 520 members and the following are the details of events that took place during the period 01-04-2016 to 31-03-2017 and we submit the same at the lotus feet of Bhagwan Sri Satya Sai Baba.

EDUCATION: The Balvikas children of Jalgaon has the opportunity of participating in Yoga shibir conducted in Oct.2016. They were taught various asanas suitable to their age and for concentration of mind to help them to increase their intelligence. The children enthusiastically participated.



SEVA: Mobile medical van of SSSSO Jalgaon operates 18 days a month covering 20 villages. On an average 200 patients are getting benefitted daily.

On 15th April 2016, a special veterinary camp was conducted wherein 265 cattle got benefitted. Veterinary Doctors from the District took part in this seva in offering their seva at the lotus feet of Bhagwan.

As a part of Swecheta Abhyas programme, SSSSO Jalgaon participated in the said program in cleaning the temple and surrounding the roads of Dasnur. 100 devotees participated in this seva activity.



SATARA

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation of Satara District has 5 samithis with 127 members and the following are the details of events that took place during the period 01-04-2016 to 31-03-2017 and we submit the same at the lotus feet of Bhagwan Sri Satya Sai Baba.

EDUCATION WING

Balvikas Gurus from Satara visited Meruling temple which is around 27 kilometres from Satara a very ancient temple in Satara District and the same is beautifully maintained.

Satara District conducted a cultural program on 25th August 2017 to bring out the talents of balvikas children. Around 35 balvikas children actively participated in the program and exhibited their talent in the fields of singing, dance etc., Prizes were distributed at the end of the program, This program was well attended by devotees.

To bring out the hidden talent in balvikas children, an essay competition was held on 23rd October 2017 and around 27 balvikas children participated and exhibited their talents in the field of Essay Competition and prizes were distributed to all participants as a sort of encouragement.

On the eve of Diwali around 50 Balvikas children were taught craft and cardboard house making. The children enthusiastically participated in the program and learnt the skill.

On 4th December 2016, 40 balvikas children, 8 parents besides 5 gurus went on a picnic to Siddhagiri Gramjivas Wax museum (kaneri math) at kaneri, Kolhapur District. The children enjoyed the trip. This museum showcases the different aspects of Gramjivan (village life). This initiative was the dream of Mahatma Gandhi our Father of the Nation and was created through the vision and efforts of Siddhagiri Grurukul Foundation.

13 Balvikas children from Satara District who have successfully completed the 9 year course of Balvikas had the pleasure of attending the convocation and oath taking ceremony at Prashanti Nilayam during January 2017. These children have been inducted into Preseval training and in due course of time, they will impart their knowledge in taking balvikas classes in Satara District.

SPIRITUAL

On 30th August 2016 a sadhana shibir was arranged at Datta Mandir, Kadam bag Satara wherein 50 devotees participated and were benefitted.

On the eve of Dashera, Special Nagar Sankeertan and Sahasra Nama Archana was organised in Satara District and devotees participated and enjoyed the Divine grace.

To promote multi faith, a special Bhajan was organised on Christmas day i.e. 25th December 2016 and approximately 35 devotees participated in the program and sang the glory of our beloved lord.

Yog Mudra Training camp by Sushama Barve on 31/12/ & 1/1/2017

Seva

A water project was organised in Subash Nagar Pedgaon and 20 youth participated in the said Project.

As a part of Swecheta abhyas 27 devotees from Satara District participated in cleaning the Kasa Lake area (a world heritage site) on 12th October 2017. This program was actively participated by the Sai youth, Sai Brothers and Sai Sisters.

On 23rd November 2016, as a part of Bhagwan's 91st Birthday, a special Narayan Seva was organised at Civil Hospital where food packets were distributed to 60 patients. 15 Sevalas participated. On the same day a special Bhajan was organised which was well attended.

To provide employment to rural unemployed youth, on 13th December 2016 flex was displayed at Yashewant Krushi Pradashan Karad. 5 youth came forward and attended the agriculture training course at Akasa.

BULDHANA

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation of Buldhana District has 24 samithis with 2050 members and the following are the details of events that took place during the period 01-04-2016 to 31-03-2017 and we submit the same at the lotus feet of Bhagwan Sri Satya Sai Baba.

EDUCATION: On 11th June 2016, under Mother Iswaramma scholarship a sum of Rs.79000/- was distributed to 24 girls. On 5th & 6th November 2016 a training program for Balvikas Gurus was conducted at Shegaon. Nearly 80 Gurus got benefitted out of this training program.



During August 2016 Gr II examination for Balvikas children of SSSSO Buldhana was conducted.



During Bhagwan's birthday, the Balvikas children participated in Nagarsankirtan singing the glory of lord and they walked inside the villages. It was very well appreciated by the parents and public,

SPIRITUAL:

On 18th November 2016 a Sadhana camp was organized in Vishwi. Nearly 250 devotees participated in the one day Sadhana Camp.

On 13th December 2016 a vedha training programme camp was organized in Dongaon. Nearly 125 devotees participated in the said veda training programme and got benefitted. The whole aim of this training program was to teach Rudhram and Samakam to all devotees of this District for chanting in Sai Kulwant Hall during the ensuing Ashadi Program 2017.

On 8th January 2017, the SSSSO Buldhana got the unique opportunity to sing bhajans in the Divine premises of Gajanan Maharaj, Shegaon. Nearly 300 devotees participated in the Bhajan Program to sing the glory of Lord.



SEVA

The SSSSO Buldhana conducted eye camps in 7 villages. Around 1280 patients got benefitted. The patients were distributed medicines wherever necessary free of cost.

SSSSO Buldhana distributed snacks and sarees during Diwali a festival of light to 75n needy families.



SANGLI

The Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation SANGLI DISTRICT. There are 22 Samithis viz. Sangli, Miraj, Ashtha, Kameri, Belanki, Laxmiwadi, Jarandi, Ankhalkhop, Kundal, Kavathemahakal, Jath, Dafalapur, Subhashnagar, Bedag, Alkud, Rawalgundwadi, Shetfale, Tikandi, Jirgyal, Ankale, Bargaon, Lamantanda.

The work done during the year 2016-17 is highlighted here under through the various activities.

EDUCATIONAL WING. “The teachers of tomorrow are the students of today” Baba.

BALVIKAS: Bhagwan Sri Sathya Sai Baba launched the Balvikas Movement to blossom today's Children to become a responsible citizens and leaders of tomorrow.



PARENTS MEETING FOR BALVIKAS (School) : With the Blessing of Bhagwan the School Balvikas parents Meeting held in Belanki Samithi with the co-operation of school chairman of vidyadeep public school Belanki. Importance of Balvikas for Students Guidance By Muralibhaiyya Jaju.



SPIRITUAL WING.

BHAJANS : Bhajan is done in every samithi once in week, special bhajan also be done like MAHSHIVRATHRI, GURU-PURNIMA. Akahand bhajans will held at sri satya sai seva Kendra.



SERVICE WINGS: blood donation camp at belanki
80 bottles of blood to donated by sai devotees.



MOBILE MEDICAL VAN : The Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Medicare Project in sangli District, During the year 2016-17, in all 9,040 patients were examined and medicines were distributed.

MALNUTRITION CAMP : The Sri Sathya Sai seva organization sangli district is were also organized the malnutrition camp in various villages who have small childrens who has weak in their Nutrition, total 200 patients were examined and 120 patients to be served by malnutrition camp.

PALNAGHAR CAMP: The Sri Sathya Sai seva organization sangli district is were also organized the palnaghar camp 360 patients were consulted.



NARAYANA SEVA : The Narayan Seva is continuously undertaken in the district. The Narayan Seva organised in year. On this day, all the devotees come with some food packets and distribute it to all the poor & needy people at the leprosy colony, street areas, miraj railway station, Other Samithis also does Narayan Seva at their respective in there villages.



SWACHHA BHARAT ABHIYAN: (SWACHHATA SE DIVYATA TAK.)



EYE CAMP : sri satya sai seva samiti belanki has organised eye camp at belanki 50 patients has consulted and 30 had detected for eye glass and distributed 30 eye glass to patients.



PROGRAM UNDER SSSVJ : sri satya sai seva organisation sangli district has adopted school under sssvj program, new english school, irali, tal kavathmhakal, district:- sangli.

ARADHANA DAY : bhajans and narayan seva will be done on aradhana day.



PROGRAM UNDER RAIN WATER HARVESTING : sri satya sai seva organisation sangli district has taken villages under rain water harvesting, belanki, soradi, gondhalewadi. under these project the sludge has removed from gaon-talav. The level of water has increased upto 30% in there lakes.



OSMANABAD

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation of Osmanabad District has 8 samithis with 350 devotees and the following are the details of events that took place during the period 01-04-2016 to 31-03-2017 and we submit the same at the lotus feet of Bhagwan Sri Satya Sai Baba.

Education:

During December 2016 Balvikas training program was conducted at Pandharpur and gurus attended the training who in turn will be conducting Balvikas classes in due course.

Spiritual:

Osmanabad had the privilege of hosting a spiritual program wherein Shri Anil Kumar Raju (the translator of Bhagwan's speeches) came from puttaparthi on 15th August 2016 and shared his experiences with Bhagwan. This program was attended by more than 350 devotees of osmanabad.



Osmanabad had severe draught during the past couple of years. The District organised a varuna yagna (to please the god of rain to shower his grace on the people of this district) and accordingly 27 couple took part in the havan which lasted for 4 hours. This unique program was attended by 150 devotees.



Seva : By the grace of Bhaghwana a mobile medical van is being operated in the District of Osmanabad and this van visits 12 villages in and around the District. 1 Doctor & 3 Sevadal renders seva and around 150 people are distributed with medicines free of cost. In this process the love of Bhaghwana is spread across the length and breadth of this District.



SOLAPUR

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation, Solapur



On the occasion of the birthday of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba on Wednesday , 23rd November 2016, Omkar, Suprabhatam & Nagarsankirtan were organised at Shirdi Sai Mandir, Bhadrawati Peth between 5.10 am and 6.30 am. About 15 mahilas and 62 gents participated in the celebrations. On the same day morning at 10 am, 91 packets of Sri Sathya Sai Amrutlalash were distributed to the deserving persons. Each packet consisted of 5 kgs of rice, 1 kg of turdal, 1 kg of sugar, 250 gms of teadust, 1 kg of cooking oil, 5 kgs of wheat flour, saree & blouse piece and 15 miscellaneous items.



In the evening of 23rd November 2016 between 6.30 pm & 8.30 pm, chanting of Vedas, bhajans, Namasankirtan were conducted which concluded with Aarti and Mahaprasad. 506 Sai devotees participated in the celebrations and received Swami's blessings. On Friday, 24th February 2017, on the occasion of Mahasivarathri, bhajans & Namasankiran were organized at Sri Markandeya Mandir between 7 pm and 11 pm. The celebrations ended with Aarti.



65 gents and 40 mahilas from SSSSO, Solapur District participated in Prasanthi Seva during March 2017 and were recipients of Swami's blessings.





Sadhana Camp was organised from 10 am to 5 pm on 26th January 2017 at Laxminarayan Mandir, Yatnal, Kumbhari-Akkalkot Road, Solapur. Chanting of Vedas and Satsangh were arranged on the occasion. About 82 Sai devotees participated.



WARDHA

EDUCATION

The Satya Sai Seva Organisation has been carrying out its activities in the district since 1976. There are nine Samithis viz; Wardha, Bhidi, Warud, Seloo 1 & Seloo 2, Aarvi, Jalgaon, Wardhamaneri and also proposed in Hingnath & Anji.

The work done during the year 2016-17 is highlighted here under through the various activities.



1) EDUCATION WING: “The teachers of tomorrow are the students of today” -- Baba.

Balvikas: Shri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyothi Programme At. Bhidi

Bhagwan Sri Sathya Sai Baba launched the Balvikas Movement to blossom today's Children to become a responsible citizens and leaders of tomorrow.



A) Matru - Pitru Pooja - May 2016 :

The Ishwaramma day on 6th May was celebrated in the Bal-Vikas classes and Matru – Pitru Pooja was done by the Balvikas Students. Parents participated in this programme.

B) Parenting Programme :

The Bhajans of Balvikas students were organized at their respective homes involved the parents in Balvikas Programme particularly during the Ganesh & Durga Festival.



2) SPIRITUAL WING: “All spiritual practice must be directed to the removal of the husk and the revelation of the kernel.” -Baba



A) Bhajans: The Bhajanas are being organized regularly in each Samiti of the district. The Bhajanas are being held twice in a week at Bhidi and Warud Samiti and once in week in other Samithis. Akhand Bhajan was held at Sheloo and during Mahashivratri.



B) NagarSankirtan: Nagar Sankirtan held once in a fortnight in each Samiti. A good number of devotees participate in it. The Nagar Sankirtan is also organized on important festivals like Janmashtmi, Guru Poornima, Dasera etc.
Nagar Sankirtan by Devotee in their village

C) Birthday Celebration Of Bhagwan Sri Sathya Sai Baba: On 23 rd November 2016, the Birthday celebration programme was undertaken at all Samithis viz; Wardha, Bhidi, Warud, Seloo 1 & Seloo 2, Aarvi, Jalgaon, Wardhamaneri and Hingnaghat & Anji

At Bhidi , this programme is taken on a large scale and devotees from nearby five villages participated in this programme. The procession Bhagwan's Palkhi is the most beautiful and auspicious event which took three hours to complete its round. Then the Mahaprasad is distributed at the end to

All the devotees. At Seloo also this Birthday programme in different two places was undertaken and message of Bhagwan Baba is given to all devotees



D) Essay writing competition 135 students was participated the competition and prize distribution in occasion of Bhagwan birthday.



E) Blood donation camp at Bhidi in occasion of birthday celebration. 39 youth donor was donates the blood.



F)Fruits distribution in Government Hospital 35 patient gout take Prasad at Bhidi.

MY BIRTHDAY IS THE DATE WHEN DIVINITY BLOSSOMS IN YOUR HEART –BABA

3) SERVICE WING : "Today we need men of sacrifice in the world. What I want is not your devotion. You must apply your mind to the problems of the society and find remedies to them " -- Baba





A) Mobile Medical Van: The Sri Satya Sai Mobile Medicare Project was launched in February 2002 in Wardha District. During the year 2016-17, in all 18,885 patients were examined and medicines were distributed at free of cost. In Hinganghat Tahashil and 6565 patients were examined and medicines were distributed at free of cost in Wardha Tahashil. At present 275 villages are selected and the services of mobile 2 vans MH 43-5562 and MH 43 AT 3276 is extended to these villages. During the visit, the handicapped persons are identified and necessary guidance is provided to them.



B) Mother And Child Care: The mother and child care programme was launched in the district in 2009. The Villages covered were Warud, Ganeshpur, Saidapur, Humdapur. During the year 2016-17 time to time visits were organized and ladies were made aware of this programme. During the visit to each village the various aspects like care to be taken before and after delivery, care to be taken during pregnancy, importance of breast feeding, vaccination of mother and child, family planning, women and cancer, HIV/AIDS and women teenagers problems and care to be etc have been discussed with ladies of those villages and about 200 ladies were benefitted.



C) Sri Satya Sai Village Integrated Programme : The malnourished children were identified and Sai-Proteins packets were distributed to the pregnant ladies and malnourished children.



D) NARAYAN SEVA: The Narayan Seva is continuously undertaken in the district. Once in a month the meals are provided to Leprosy persons at Dattapur Ashram in Wardha District. About 150 persons are benefited. This is organized by Sri Satya Sai Seva organization Wardha Samiti. During every month, Narayan Seva is done in 100 villages selected in Mobile Medicare Project in Hinganghat and Samudrapur tahshils of the district. Other Samithis also participated in Narayan Seva.



E) SAWCH BHARAT ABHIYAN : The Swachh Bharat Abhiyan is continuously undertaken in the district. 15 villages are participated this program 600 hours work was done.



F) Youth guidance camp : The Youth Guidance camp was held at Wardha in presence of State Youth President Mr. Dharmesh Vidya and Wardha Dist President Mr. P.M.Tadas about 120 Youth and devotees participated in this camp was held at Gramin Seva Kendra, Bhidi.



G) Free soil and water testing camp in Siadapur, Ganeshpur, Hamdapur and Bhidi : Excessive use of chemical fertilizers over the years has been causing damage to the soil and ground water resources in and around Bhidi.

With a view to sensitising the farmers to the importance of restoring the texture of the soil and consequent conservation of ground water table, the Shri Sathya Sai Seva Samiti, Bhidi and chemical & fertilizers LTD. has taken up a free soil and water testing camp at 4 select villages in the periphery of Bhidi town.

The camp has been conducted at Siadapur, Ganeshpur, Hamdapur and Bhidi villages, at the rate of 50 samples a village, the scientists attached to the chemical & fertilizers LTD Mobile Soil Testing laboratory, have collected 150 samples of soil and water from the farmers' fields and wells.

The camp aimed at enhancing productivity of paddy, chillies and sugarcane in the area, he added.



H) Sathya Sai Seva Samiti, Bhidi Conducts Veterinary camp at. Ganeshpur: Sathya Sai Seva Samiti, Bhidi, conducted a vaccination cum health check up camp in Ganeshpur village in Wardha district on August 9 in which a total of 120 mithuns were vaccinated against Foot and Mouth Diseases (FMD) besides administering health check-up.

Mineral supplements, deformers and first aid medicine were distributed during the programme.

FMD is a highly contagious disease of viral origin and known to inflict huge economic loss among the farmers of the State. However, regular immunization against the dreaded disease could give protection from constant risk of exposure to the virus. FMD vaccines were provided by the Department of Veterinary and Animal Husbandry, Government of Maharashtra. Ear tags were applied to the calves and adult animals to keep proper records and identification. On constant motivation and demonstration by Samiti, the farmers of the village have taken to regular vaccination and other prophylactic care of their animals.

Mr. Vilas Narnavare farmers have expressed gratitude to the Director of Veterinary and Animal Husbandry and the Devotees of Swami on Ganeshpur, Saidapur in Wardha district for extending valuable service to the farmers and the village.

I) SAI GAYATRI YAGYA : Organized Sai Gayatri Yagya Smt.Bhumika Aade House at.Wardha 150 devotee was participated this Yagya.



J) PRASHANTI SEVA : About 90 gents and 65 ladies attend the Prashanti Seva during the month of March and September every year. There is good response from the Sevadal for Prashanti Seva from the District.

नाताळ निमित्त श्री.सत्यसाई सेवा संघटनेद्वारा विविध कार्यक्रम

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AMRAVATI



Mahanarayan Seva: On dated 24-04-16, Shri Satya Sai Seva Samithi Amravati had organized a Mahanarayan Seva on the "Aaradhana Day". Mahanarayan Seva was performed in six old age homes and the orphanage home for children – named "Sada Shanti" in Amravati. Approx. 500 needy got food and blessings of Bhagwan Sri Satya Sai.

Medical Activity in Amravati Sai Samithi:

1)Vibropathy Seva: The Vibro-Pathy Activity held at Amravati District during the Year 2016-17.

Bhagwan BABA blessed Vibro – Pathy camps and are regularly arranged in the Amravati, Kandli and in Shirasgaon Kasba villages.

Details of beneficiary during the year are as below.

Total Number of Camps: 576

Patients: 7035

2) Allopathy Medical Camps: In the field of Mobile medical VAN, Amravati SAI Samithi organized regular medical care camps in Amravati, Kandli and Shirasgaon Kasba Villages.

Details of beneficiary during the year are as below.

Total Number of Camps: 80

Patients: 5256



Eye Camp: The EYES Checking activity held at every month end during the Year 2016-17 in the Shri Satya Sai Seva Samithi, Amravati. Details of beneficiaries are as follows.

Sr	Details	Beneficiary
1	Total OPD patients	280
2	Total Refractive Error	230
3	Total Cataract Patients	11
4	Cataract Operation conducted	02



Balvikas Yog and Pranayam Shibir 2016: During the period 09-05-2016 to 18-05-2016, Sri Satya Sai Seva Samithi Amravati had organized "BALVIKAS and Yog-Pranayam Shibir" for BAL VIKAS STUDENTS and SAI SEVAKAS. In this event, BAL VIKAS STUDENTS learnt how to practice the "PRANA" that is the control on breathing, different types of Yogaasana to keep our body fit. 117 new BALVIKAS students joined in this program. On the last day of the session, participation certificate was distributed.





Guru Poornima 2016: On dated 19-07-2016, Shri Satya Sai Seva Samithi had organized the Guru Poojan program at Shri Sai Samithi Amravati. In this program, Guru Pooja of 63 Senior Balvikas Guru was performed. All the Gurus were given a gift as a token of love. All Balvikas Gurus were in the age group 65 to 80 years. Some of the Sr. Balvikas Guru shared their thoughts and suggested ways and means as to how to walk on the path showed by Bhagwan.



Swachta Abhiyan: on dated 02-10-2016 we have organized the Nagar Sankirtan on the occasion of the navratri Mahotasav at Amba Devi Sanstan, Amravati.

Amravati Satya Sai Seva Samathi organized a Nagar Sankirtanam every year on occasion of Ghatasthapana – first day of Navratri at Shri Ambadevi and Ekvira Devi Sansthanam at Amravati. In the Nagar Sankirtaan 72 Lady devotees, 45 Gents devotees, 8 Balvikas Student participated.

As a part of cleanliness drive organized by SSSSO Maharashtra Goa in the name of Swecheta se Divyatatak, this year we performed the cleaning of Ambadevi temple. On an average 6 to 7 thousand people visit this temple daily. The trustees of the temple appreciated the work done by our Organization.



Sanitary Seva by Amba Sai Cricket Team at Nagpur: During 09-12-2016 to 12-12-2016 Maharashtra and Goa State Cricket matches were organized at Nagpur.

Amba Sai Cricket Team from Amravati and Wardha Districts performed Sanitary Seva in the place where all Cricket teams from other Districts were accommodated.

BHANDHARA

Number of Samithis 10 : Total Number of Devotees 693 (Gents 384 Mahila 309)
Number of Bhajan Mandalis 22: Total Number of Devotees 993 (Gents 604 Mahila 389)

EDUCATIONAL

A training for Balvikas Gurus for Group I & II was conducted in January 2017 and 50 gurus participated in the said raining programme.

11 girl students were given Iswaramma scholarship amounting to Rs.42000

Ujwal Vidyalay, Lakhori was adopted under SSSSO Vidya jyoti and as a starting measure 20 trees were

planted on 23rd January 2017 wherein 100 children participated.

SPIRITUAL

A Veda training program was conducted on 17th & 18th December 2016 wherein 100 devotees participated and learnt to chant Rudram.

A sadhana camp was held at jevnala on 26th & 27th December 2016 .



SEVA

155 medical camps were conducted in all the adopted villages in the District and 11157 patients were examined and given medicines free of cost.

Special eye camps were conducted on 20th November 2016 at Mundri / Kurth and 50 patients were examined.

On 21st November eye c amp was conducted at kawalshi and 50 patients were examined.

A special veterinary camp was conducted at Mundri / Kurth and 165 cattle were examined and given medicines.

50 Sai youth participated in village cleaning under Swecheta Abhyan program in the adopted village kamkajri.



MOTHER & CHILD CARE

On 21st November 2016 an exhibition for girl children of standard 8 to 10 was arranged in kawalshi village and 100 girls participated.

In saleheti & karkapur villages malnutrition awareness camp was held and Sai protein was distributed in the camp.

Mother & Child care team of Bhandhara bagged the 1st prize at the State Level Skit competition held in Goa.



SWECHETA ABHYAN

On 2nd October 2016 Bhandara State Transport Bus stand was cleaned by 30 Sai youth.

On 12th October 2016 Village Hospital at adyal was cleaned in and around 150 devotees participated.

On 13th October 2016 Gram Panchayat & Zilla Parishad primary school at jevala was cleaned by 150 Sai devotees.

On 16th October 2016 Gram Panchayat office at hardoli and all the roads in the village was cleaned by 100 devotees.

On 17th October virsi village cleaning was undertaken by 100 Sai devotees.

On 20th October 2016 cleaning was done at Subash Chandra Bose hospital tumsar and fruits was also distributed to patients wherein 100 devotees participated.

On 18th November 2016 cleaning of Hanuman mandhir at Sainath Nagar Bhandhara was undertaken.

On 18th & 19th March 2016 3 lakes in kumkajri village were cleaned by 60 Sai devotees.

BLOOD DONATION:

On 22nd November 2016 blood donation camp was held at Hanuman Mandhir and 18 people donated blood.

In Sri Satya SAI National level cricket tournament held at Nagpur, the team from Bhandhara bagged the 2nd place.



AURANGABAD

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation of Aurangabad District has 7 samithis with 3800 members and the following are the details of events that took place during the period 01-04-2016 to 31-03-2017 and we submit the same at the lotus feet of Bhagwan Sri Satya Sai Baba..

The Sri Sathya Sai members of Aurangabad took an initiative of doing Goseva on a fortnightly basis. Sufficient fodder is fed to more than 150 cows in of the Goshala at Aurangabad.



AROGYA SEVA

During the year 2016- 2017 a number of eye camps were organized and a total of 650 cataract operations were made available for the needy patients, free of cost in the Lions club eye hospital.

Medical van is run in the rural areas around Aurangabad in 8 villages. There are more than 1200 patients getting benefitted with this service.

In the Anathashram, around 100 students were given AROGYA VARDAK tonic for their better health.

SAI VIDYA JYOTHI PROJECT

At Aurangabad, the Sri Sathya Sai organization has adopted a school by name- Vikramaditya Prathmik School under the banner of the **SAI VIDYA JYOTHI** Project. There are around 350 boys and girls students ranging between first and seventh standard. The school is in a slum area. Parents of these students are daily wage earners. The Sri Sathya Sai organizations here, have conducted a series of events in the school:

1. The students were given a kit containing notebook, pen, pencil and a Globe.
2. Swami's birthday was celebrated in the school by distributing fruits & sweets
3. The Swachata se Divyata tak program was conducted in the school premises.
4. Students were made aware of the health tips by our team
5. The wash room premises of the school was renovated by Shri Satya Sai Seva organization
6. Narayan Seva was conducted twice in the year after we had adopted the school under Sai Vidya Jyothi
7. Balvikas classes are conducted on every Saturday



In Fulambri, Naryan Seva was conducted in an Anath Ashram. there were 95 orphans in the ashram who were taught Bhajans.

Naryan seva also was conducted in Bhagwan Baba Balikashram. the ashram has around 100 girls studying between 1st and 10th standard

The Sai devotees had been to a Vridhashram. A one hour Bhajan session was arranged. games were conducted for the aged people in the ashram and food prasadam was distributed among the people in the ashram.

SWACHTA SE DIVYATA TAK

The *Swachta se Divyata tak* program was conducted Shri Satya Sai Gramin Seva Kendra, Aurangabad. Around 30 devotees participated in cleaning the inner and outer premises of the Mandir.



Swami Birthday Celebration

This year's celebration was in a different way to make new people join the mandir celebrations

- From 13th November to 23rd November in 5 prominent places, where there are 25 thousand people's footfall per day, we had projected the photo and message of swami on LED screens
- We had also kept life size photos of swami in 5 crowded chowks and distributed pamphlets and sweets to the general public.
- Newspaper advertisements were published about bhajans and the venue details for Birthday
- We had got photos from Dharmakshetra and built a museum hall using those photos, which depict the life history and miracles of Bhagwan Baba
- On the divine occasion of Birthday, there were Nagar sankirtan in the morning. The evening celebrations started with balvikas program, with students chanting mantras and stotrams. There was a small skit performed by the students. There were bhajans thereafter and Mahaprasadam was distributed.



The village, Ghatshendra performed on a large scale, the 91st birthday of our Bhagawan. The program started at 4 am with a procession. Swami's photo was kept on the decorated throne for procession. The throne carried our bhagawan which was followed by band and lezim. There were bhajans arranged and around 8000 people from the village participated. Mrs. Durga Murthy from Nagpur spoke at length on the life history of our beloved bhagawan.



KOLHAPUR

EDUCATIONAL WING

CULTURAL PROGRAM : On 19-05-2016 Balvikas Children of Kolhapur staged a drama called “Mi Jijau Boltey” at Walvekarwadi village, Panhala taluka. This program was arranged on in a open ground and the same was watched by more than 2500 public. This program was also graced by the State President as well as by the State Vice President.

The audience was fully electrified & enjoyed the drama. The parents liked the drama and requested to arrange such program more frequently at different places in the District.



SERVICE

Swachata Abhiyan : As a part of Swecheta Abhyan program, the cleaning of public place (Central Bus Kolhapur) was arranged on 02-10-2016. About 35 gents & 30 ladies took part in this Seva activity To bring about awareness for keeping the premises clean, necessary sign boards were also displayed.

The Central Stand authorities appreciated the Seva activity. Similar programs of cleaning of public places wer arranged at Ichalkaranji & Dattawad between 2-10-2016 to 20-10-2016.



Youth Co-ordination Meeting : A youth meeting was organized by SSSSO Kolhapur at Sai Centre Kolhapur on 29-05-2016. The State Youth Co-ordinator & his team addressed the youths of Kolhapur Dist. About 75 Sai youths were present. The theme of Discussion was Baba teaching about Seva. Love all serve all. Practice the love by doing seva & transform the Life& Improve the quality of Sai Organization activity.



Training of Veda & Rudram Chanting : A Training program of Veda & Rudram Chanting was organized at Sai Centre Kolhapur. This program was conducted by the State Vedam Coordinators(both mahila & purush) The training was for two days i.e. on 10&11 Dec.2016. Totally 82 chanters attended the training (Gents 15 & 67 ladies).

On 12-02-2017 one day practice camp of Veda & Rudram chanting was also arranged at “Ved Pathshala” at Ichalkaranji. Total 85 devotees (gents-17 & ladies-68) took part.



Installation of Baba Statue (murthi) in Sai centre at village Kandgaon : A grand function of installation of Bhagwan Baba statue (murthi) pratishtha at Sai centre in kandgaon village. Entire village looked very electrifying. There was a big procession thorough the streets of the village wherein the public participating by dancing, singhing the glory of Bhagwan. This program was graced by the entire State Team of SSSSO MahaGoa led by State President. About 2500 devotees took part in the procession. Many Bhajan Mandalies took part .



BABA Birthday Celebrations :

Bhagwan Baba birthday was celebrated in a grand way at Kolhapur, Ichalkaranji, Dattawad, Kale etc. Nagarsankirtan, bhajans, Narayan seva were conducted.

On 24-11-2016 The Kukkum Archan & Bhajans were arranged at Hanuman-nagar Kolhapur. About 150 ladies took part in Kumkum archan. Bhajans were conducted.



Eshwaramma Day Celebration :

Eshwaramma Day was celebrated in Choundeshwari Madir Hall at ichalkaranji. On 6th May 2016. All the BV students, Gurus, parents were present. About 75 students 65 parents attended the function. The cultural programs, dramas, dance etc. were performed by BV students.



RAIGHAD

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation Naigaon Samithi Raighad District has 90 members and the following are the details of events that took place during the period 01-04-2016 to 31-03-2017 and we submit the same at the lotus feet of Bhagwan Sri Satya Sai Baba.

EDUCATION

On 10th May 2016 Balvikas Group I training program was conducted for school teachers wherein 17 teachers participated in the training program.



SPIRITUAL

Prof. Anil kumar is a trusted devotee of Sri Sathya Saibaba. Swami entrusted many of his projects such as spreading his mission and message to remote places. We got an opportunity to meet and feel the experience of the journey of Swami's life and messages. Beautiful bhajans with rejuvenate voice was presented. Prof. Anilkumar gave speech on the journey of Rama and some stories related to Swami and lord Rama. 300-400 persons were present to cherish this moment. This program was arranged by one of the devotee at Nagaon, Alibag, Maharashtra on Friday, 15 April 2016.

Swami loved colors as his message was truly said makes yours as well as others life with happiness of colors .This beautiful rangoli was representing the warli tribe which resembles togetherness and our swami truly says the message of togetherness and this rangoli was drawn on 6th may 2016 on eshwaramma day

2 balvikas boys and 2 balvikas girls were present along with 7 ladies and 4 gents' devotees. Totally 15 devotees were present.



SEVA

Swami's message is "swachata abhiyan". We the devotees trying to spread his message of cleanliness by cleaning the temple of Mahalakshmi at baugmala taluka alibag. Total devotees present to do the work were 18 devotees in which 12 gents were present and youth 1 and ladies were 4 and 1 lady youth. This entire session was conducted in month of October 2016.



RATNAGIRI

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation of Ratnagiri Samithi, District Ratnagiri has 25 members and the following are the details of events that took place during the period 01-04-2016 to 31-03-2017 and we submit the same at the lotus feet of Bhagwan Sri Satya Sai Baba.

EDUCATION: On 26th May 2016 Shri Prakash Dharvatkar State Vice President distributed certificates to Group II pass out Balvikas children.

SPIRITUAL: During the period of chaturmasya, special bhajan were held on every ekadasi to sing the glory of Bhagwan.

During mahashivratri, sahasranama archana was performed with 1008 bel leaves on swamy's paduka. This was followed by a bhajan for 2 hours.

During Guru Purnimna, Dashera & Bhagwan birthday special bhajan were conducted to sing the glory of Bhagwan.

Ninety bhajans were conducted during 2016 at Ratnagiri and large amount of devotees took part in the bhajan and prasadam was distributed at the end of bhajan.



Seva: As a part of swecheta abhyas movement on 20th October 2016 the sai centre was cleaned by sai brothers and sai sisters.

On Bhagwan's birthday, 250 patients in the Government Hospital were distributed fruits and biscuits. A special medical was conducted at Ratnagiri during June 2016 and around 250 patients were benefitted.



PUNE

Sadhana - Aradhana Month : Sunday, 27th March 2016 and carried on till Monday, 25th April 2016. On Aradhana Divas, the early morning programme began with Aumkar, Suprabhatham and Nagarsankirtan from 5.10 am to 6.30 am and concluded with Aarti, an expression of deep reverence to Mother Indrayani, at the Alandi river ghat. **Maha Prasad** (comprising sambhar rice, masala rice, rava kesari and banana) was offered to our Lord with Brahmarpanam at 8 am prior to distribution.



Narayan Seva at Alandi then commenced at the following designated places: Two centres at the Mandir entrance and River Ghat.

Akhand Rudra Parayan: Powerfully resonated at Ganesh Deep, Kothrud. This was initiated and led by the Veda Chanting Group. In fact, this was the 5th year of this powerful Akhand Rudram chanting. Devotees attended this programme in large numbers. Rudrabhishekam was also respectfully offered to Lord Vishweshwar at Vishrantwadi in the evening.



A **Cleaning Camp** was also initiated by the **Youth Team** to clean Alandi town and **River Cleaning** was also implemented with total dedication and enthusiasm by the young ladies and gents of the Pune Youth Wing.

INDUCTION PROGRAMME : Two sessions one in March and other in May Induction program for office bearers and active workers was conducted by Dr. Pitre. Total participants for both sessions 40.

SADHANA SHIBIR : The SSSSO, Pune District, organised a day-long Sadhana Shibir on 12th June 2016 at Gandhi Bhawan in Kothrud, Pune. The main objective was to rekindle the flame of sadhana and rejuvenate ourselves as true messengers of Sai in the Sai Mission. It began with Vedam chanting and an introductory speech narrating the importance of Vedas in our daily lives. This was followed by lighting of the lamp at the hands of State VP Shri Murali Jaju and other dignitaries.

The Pune District President, Shri Girish Lele, in his introductory welcome remarks stressed the importance of such a shibir and collective sadhana. He emphasised the need to be together in taking the mission of our Beloved Sai forward.

The distinguished speakers were :

- 1) Shri Atul Soman topic: Happiness is Holiness.
- 2) Tabla Maestro Shri Nishikant Barodekar topic: experiences with Bhagawan
- 3) Shri Murali Jajuji topic: sadhana, seva and the organisation and our role in the organisation.

4) Shri Girish Atre topic: 'Science and Spirituality'

The post lunch session began with a dynamic skit on 'Internet vis a vis

Inner Net' by the vibrant Youth Team elucidating the maladies of the present generation in a humorous way.

Smt Manoramatai Sathe imparted pragmatic wisdom in the form of practical tips on Jyoti Meditation, along with its vital importance.

The evening session got the best share of devotional music rendered by Radhika Tamhankar and her effervescent musical troop. The finale witnessed a Bhajan Medley by the Sathya Sai Bhajan Group.



ALANDI MEDICAL SEVA FOR ASHADI EKADASHI : Our Beloved Swami gave us yet another opportunity to perform Manav Seva in the form of a **Mega Medical Camp at Alandi** from **June 25 to June 27**, The Medical Seva Team of Maharashtra and Goa generously helped us

The inauguration ceremony took place on June 24, 2016 at 5 pm at the Bombay Fruitwala Dharmashala at Alandi. Our respected State President and Vice State President of Maharashtra and Goa, Shri Ramesh Sawantji and Shri Murali Jajuji respectively, were present at the ceremony along with other dignitaries from Alandi.

A total of 23 doctors from Pune (from Tarachand Hospital and Sane Guruji Hospital) and 6 doctors from Mumbai served the warkaris. They were assisted by around 80 seva dal members and medical dispensers.

From June 25-27, they all worked tirelessly to serve 12,134 patients i.e. 11,484 allopathic and 650 vibronics patients. This also included a day-long seva at Dehu-the sacred abode of Tukaram Maharaj. A total of 6 locations were covered including the one at Dnyaneshwar Maharaj Devasthan.



WATER TANKER SEVA : The year 2016 was again a serious drought hit year for Maharashtra. Thus, the members of the Pune Youth Wing chose the water tanker project.

Morderi, Naikwadi, Peth and Bhilarewadi inhabited by approximately 140 families facing challenges wrought by severe drought conditions were identified. A Tanker with the capacity of 11000 litres was finalised for the distribution of water. Every day at least one Youth Wing member accompanied the tanker and visited the villages for the distribution of this much required elixir. Some of the villages were quite inaccessible, however, the tanker managed to reach there to dispense this vital service. With the grace of Beloved Bhagawan, the Tanker Project completed 50 days, out of which for 40 days it was a nonstop supply concluding with an alternate day supply for the remaining ten days. A total of 7,48,000 litres of water were distributed. Almost each and every member of the Youth Wing was involved in this project in some manner. The ladies of the Youth Wing gave commendable support towards this assignment and funds collected by them enabled the project to continue on for 50 days.



YOUTH MEET : On Saturday, 18th June 2016, the State Youth Coordinator, Dharmesh Vaidya met up with the youth members in Pune at a Program held at Kshipra Society Hall, Karve Nagar. After the introductory proceedings, the State Mahila Youth Coordinator - Gayatri Patil quite pleasingly shared her thoughts on the current activities of the Youth Wing.



SWAMIS BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS : The wonderful Peshwe city of Pune awoke to the mellow sounds of Nagarsankirtan, held in various parts of the city to herald in a most sacred date – that which celebrated the Divine Advent of Beloved Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba.

The evening programme was an expression of devotion. As the dignitaries for the function arrived at the Bal Gandharva Rang Mandir, the Palkhi Procession commenced from the main gate to the entrance hall. Beautifully decorated with fragrant flowers, the Palkhi carried Beloved Bhagawan's Padukas. From here on, the Palkhi, as well as the dignitaries, were escorted into the packed hall by the Vedam ensemble carrying the holy Kalash, symbolic of all things auspicious.

The District President, Shri Girish Lele, then gave an inspiring welcome address. Chief Guest Dr K.N. Shukla, veteran scientist and ardent devotee, took everyone for a walk down memory lane as he joyfully reminisced his exclusive message and treasured experiences with the Lord.

A surprise visit and talk by Shri Ramesh Sawant, our respected State President, certainly pleased all devotees.

Finally, the crowning moment of the evening shimmered forth. Bhajan Sandhya with Guest of Honour - Shri Anup Jalota, After a few lovely Melodies, it was me for the Jhoola Ceremony and offering of Aarati to our Beloved Bhagawan. Prasad was distributed to all.



DECEMBER 2016, BLANKET SEVA : Around 30-35 youth members assembled at Ashtabhuja Mandir at 10 pm. From there, they covered different parts of the city-Katraj, Sinhagad, Pune Station, Viman Nagar, Vishrantwadi, Kothrud and Shivaji Nagar - and distributed 100 blankets to those living on the streets in the bitter cold. They brought warmth and Bhagawan's blessings to these needy folk.

PUNE YOUTH CRICKET TEAM : The Sri Sathya Sai Cricket league was held in Nagpur, from 10th-12th Dec. The Pune Youth Team participated for the first time. Our Pune team won both their group matches, in the tough semi-final match, Pune lost to Bhandara by 5 runs. It was a nice bonding experience and everyone appreciated the performance of the Pune Youth Team.



PUNE YOUTH SHIBIR : 25th Dec 2016: Youth members gathered on this day to discuss their vision and activities for the new year. Around 50-60 youth members participated. Groups of five were made and each group was given two unique questions. A time was allotted for the members to discuss amongst themselves after which one representative from each group presented their opinions.



PUNE BALVIKAS TEAM : Balvikas gurus from Pune district participated in the State Level **Gurus' Training** in 'Conducting Parenting Workshops' at Dharmakshetra, Mumbai. With Swami's grace, Pune Balvikas gurus were able to present a demonstration on how to conduct a Parenting Workshop.

A District Level Summer Camp for Balvikas children was conducted for 2 days. There were representations from all Samitis. Around 90 students ranging from 6-16 years participated enthusiastically. The children enjoyed taking part in various creative activities like: Training in Group Singing; Art and Craft; Yoga Training and Training in Dramatics. This was a unique experience for the children and gurus to mingle with each other and strengthen their bond.

On 3 July, a **District Level Group Singing** event was held. Children from the age group of 8 to 14 years enthusiastically participated in this event. These talented children rendered melodious patriotic, devotional and value based songs in Marathi, Hindi and English. Winning teams as well as other participating teams were felicitated. This programme was organised to motivate the team spirit in all children.



SCHOOL BALVIKAS : On 13 August, a special programme was arranged in Modern Primary School, Shivaji Nagar. Around 100 school children participated. While the parents were very happy and impressed, they desired to learn more about Balvikas classes.



Parenting workshops were conducted in all the Samithies in Pune. The workshop included interactive sessions, group discussions on topics related to children and parenting. At the end of the session, the parents voiced deep satisfaction and felt that they have a greater role to play with a systematic approach in child development.



Balvikas Mahotsav was celebrated in Kothrud and Sahakar Nagar Samithies. Children performed interesting and entertaining cultural programs like drama, dance, songs, bhajans and Vedam. Parents thoroughly enjoyed this get-together and children were thrilled to be encouraged by them. Balvikas students who completed Group 2 were felicitated.



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DIST. PARBHANI

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HELP EVER, HURT NEVER

॥ मानव सेवा हीच माधव सेवा, ग्राम सेवा हीच राम सेवा ॥

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2016-17

**"Dedicated at the Lotus Feet Of
Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba"**

Spiritual Activity



- on the occasion of Ramnavmi, Prashanti bhajan was conducted at the Dattadham temple, dist parbhani. almost 70 members participated in it
- During the entire holy month of Shravan, Rudra pathan prog. was conducted in samithi hall. The daily average participation was of 10-15 members. It was concluded by Mahaprasad to all members & devotees
- On the occasion of Ganesh chaturthi, Sahastra Aavartan of Ganpati Atharvashishya pathan was conducted in PBN. Almost 50 devotees participated in this activity
- Nagarsankirtan was conducted by indewadi samithi. Almost 400 hundred members including Youth, Mahilas, Children participated with full devotion.

Navratra Mahostav Celebration

- Durga Mahostav was celebrated by mahila wing. it was followed by Amrut kalash distriubtion. Almost 50 mahilas participated in the activity

Programme module

- Durga Saptashati Path recitation. The Durga Mahostav sadhna camp was concluded with distriubtion of Amrut kalash to the needy mahilas of locality
- Gaytri jap pathan for 108 times.
- Prahanti Bhajan.
- On Panchami kumkum marcham puja.
- On Navmi Kumarika puja was Performed.
- 5 Aartis followed by Jogwa & Gondhal.

प्रार्थना म्हणजे धर्माचा प्राणच आहे, कारण प्रत्येक श्वासाबरोबर ती माणूस व ईश्वर यांना एकमेकांच्या अधिकाधिक जवळ आणत असते. माधुर्यावर एकाग्र झालेल्या मानसश्रुतीने (मनरूपी कानांनी) कृष्णाच्या भगवान बाबा

Service Activity



- Eye check up camp, Indewadi
- Almost 300 pts were examined in camp
- Health checkup for children
- MCh Activity in Parbhani Samithi
- Detection of Pre-cancer stage camp
- Blankets distribution to the needy people in Indewadi & Dongalgaon



● Narayan seva at station

Seva Activity
EYE CHECKUP CAMP(04.09.2016)

- Guidance to the Villagers by the Opth.of parbhani
- Doctor checking the Eye patients in the camp
- Almost 300 patients were examined in the camp
- Eye checkup camp was arranged in Indewadi village on 04.09.16 in which almos 300 patients were exmined by the team of Opth.from parbhani. out of this 105 patients were operated at Udaygiri eye hospital, Tq.udgir Dist. Latur

PAP'S SMEAR CAMP (21.05.2016)



- Registration of patients in the camp
- Doctor checking the mahila patients in the camp
- Guidance with P.P.T.was given
- The camp for early detection of Cancer CX (PAP'S SMEAR) was arranged in Mothersai Maternity hospital for women of age between 35-55 years. the pap's smear of 50 patients were done free of cost. close follow up is being kept for the patients

BLANKET DISTRIBUTION ACTIVITY (12.10.2016)



- Blanket distriubtion to the people in Indewadi
- SaiVolunteer Distriubuting blanket to T.B.patients in Civel hospital parbhani
- Blanket distriubtion in Dongargaon village
- On the occasion of Swami's 91st birthday, free distriubtion of 91 blankets was done in the villages Dongargaon & Indewadi & T.B patients in civil hospital Parbhani
- Free checkup camp was arranged in Indewadi. Almost 200 children were examine by Pediatrician and treated
- One bags of cotten seed food cakes was given for COW/SEVA at Ranisawargaon, Dist. Parbhani as part of drought seva. cows were fed personally at chara chavani

Mother & Child care Activity 27.12.2016



- Awareness to the school adolescents girls by doctors
- Distribution of Haenitic syrup bottles to the needy adolescents
- Adolescents girls awareness programme was undertaken in different schools in Dist. Parbhani. The schools such as - Onkerswar Vidyalaya, Sarangswami Vidyalaya, Adarsh Vidyalaya, Sumantai Vidyalaya, Rajesambhaji School, were selected for the same. Almost 400 adolescent girls got benefited of this awareness programme.

Regular Narayanseva



- As part of Regular Narayanseva, on every Thursday, Khichadi distribution is arranged at the Railway Station Parbhani. Almost 200 Narayans get the benefit of this seva per visit. Every year this activity is being done from last 15 years
- During the summer season free Drinking RO water Panpoo seva was provided to the needy & thirsty people. almost 250 people got the benefit of this seva

Education Activity

- Donating 200 Sanatan Sarathi magazines to school Library of Z.P. primary school, Indewadi
- Balvikas class (first group) in the Village Indewadi
- Cultural programme of Balvikas students by playing lazim in Village Indewadi
- Rally by Balvikas students at Indewadi village (Students holding the photo of Swami during procession)



Youth Activity



Youth Interaction Camp

- Inauguration of Swami's value message poster exhibition
- Interaction with Sai Youth by state youth coordinator & the invited Samithi members
- SSSO Parbhani arranged the Yuva Interaction Camp to have a free spiritual dialogue with all the Saiyouths and to aware them about their role and responsibility in our org. For this session, Mr. Dharmesh Vaidya { State yuva coordinator } Interacted with 300 youths from Dongargaon , Kadi, Jalna , Indewadi and Parbhani with the help of PPT .



Swacha Bharat Abhiyan

- On the eve of Gandhi Jayanti, Swacha Bharat Abhiyan was conducted at Parbhani Bus-stand. Almost 15 youth participated and did the cleaning seva for 3 hrs.



Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyoti Project

- Meeting with Headmistress, school teachers, parents, education management committee at Indewadi about the implementation of Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyoti project.
- Z.P. Primary School at Indewadi Tq. Dist. Parbhani is adopted for SSS Vidya Gyoti Project. The primary survey of the school as per the guidelines is done. Different activities will be started from 1st Feb 2017.



● Swami's Call to the Youth

"Youth is sacred and it is the prime cause for good and bad! When you utilize youth on the right path you will earn respect and your life will be orderly. This should be the aim of the youth. God-given intellect, situation, destiny and wealth — these four should be put to proper use. Today, we are wasting all these. If you strive now, you will reap the benefits in the future"



- Ishwaramma day celebrated with Cultural activities
- Akhand Bhajan was done in which 200 devotees participated is concluded by Mahaprasad
- Pravachan by Hari bhakt parayan Shri Vilasrao Charthankar was arranged on Swami's message

Swami's Birthday Celebration, 23 Nov, 2016



- 91 Zabla distribution on Swami's 91st birthday in maternity dept. civil hospital Parbhani
- Fruits & blankets distribution on Swami's birthday
- A short drama on Human values performed by Sai children
- Swami's birthday was celebrated by performing blanket & fruits distribution to delivered mother, Zabla distribution to the new born babies. The main programme concluded by Mahaprasad. 300 people participated in celebration.
- Prashanti Bhajan prog. at Jagruti hall on Swami's birthday

॥ साई भजन बिना सुख शांती नही साई नाम बिना आनंद नही ॥

SSVIP Activity



- Mobile medicare seva in village
- The primary medical services are provided to the Varkaris who stay as a transit phase in parbhani on their march to pandharpur. Almost 1000 varkaris are served in this Dindi seva yearly
- Under Srisatyasai Mobile medicare project, the medicare seva is provided in villages such as Dampuri, Kinohla, Kumbhari, Indewadi, Saba, Mohapuri and Slum areas in local Parbhani city. From April 2016 to till date 10,280 patients are treated and the seva is going on.

Meeting with villageers at Kailashwadi regarding the selection
SSVP Project 12/01/2017

The survey of the adopted village Kailashwadi



- The services SSVIP Were provided to village Indewadi though it was not officially adopted under SSVIP.

AKOLA



Education Wing : parenting workshop training for bal vikas gurus was arranged in akola samiti 65 no of parents and new gurus were take part. Medical checkup camp in School Balvikas-under SSSVJ one school was adopted name Asmita primary school, in School balvikas is going regular, medical camp general and dental camp has been arranged.



Spiritual Wing:

1. Special Prashanti Bhajan held at Sant nagari Shegaon. In the premises of Sant

Gajanan Maharaj Mandir on 8th Feb. 2017. 350 devotees participated from Akola zone.

2. Ved chanting: Regularly training sessions of rudra are held at Akola. In 4 center total 60 participant's take part.



Sai Sankirtan : under this at Patur nanda pur in akola dist. On the occasion of Maa Devi Bhagwat saptha, sai kirtan has been perform by shri Nitin deshpane, supported by shri venkatrammam, dr mishra, shri. nitam.



Seva. Wing (Medical): 1.Static Center : Static cente rinaugurated at Kanheri Gavali in Balapur Tahasil ,this is being on every Thursday Near about 125 patient checked and Medicine distributed.conduct by Dr. Kalore& Dr.Petkar.

Eye Camp : Eye Camp Organized at various villages in Akola dist. This camp held at DAMMANI EYE HOSPITAL A, KOLA. In each month 2 to 3 camp Total Contract patients operated Dammani Hosital In this Year 26 camp and 4153 patients check and 1556 Cataract patients operated. All the camps have been Succesfully arranged by D. P. Shantaram Amle, Y. C. Kishor Ratnparkhi, Seva dal Govind Mandve and. M. R. Wankhade. in Special guidance of Shri S. K. Satpute Svp. SSSSOMG



Blood Donation and eye Camp: On 25th March 17 Blood Donation Camps were organised in Telhara, Shri Sushil Ingle (Y.C.Bhajan M.Telhara) was organised. In this 26 bottles of blood were collected during this camp. In eye camp 300 no of patients were checked and 102 cataract patients were identify for operation. procedure for the same has been performed by Dammani hospital Akola



Other Special Seva: MELGHAT Adivasi area.
1) Cloths / Saris distribution 285 nos 2) Utensil distbn. 165 Family. 3) Blanket distbn. 163 nos.

On the occasion 91th birthday celebration in akola samiti all sai members celebrate swami's birthday in their house by organizing exhibition on swami's life etc.

YAVATMAL

1)"Aum Shri Sai Ram" akhand jap organised by darwha samiti from gudhi padwa 8 th april to ram nawmi 15 th april 2016 using "veena & manjira" started from 6 pm of 8 th apr. to 12 noon of 15 th april 2016 i. e. 162 non stop hrs.

2) Parenting work shop organised at Nandurkar college Yavatmal . Participants : 38 ladies guru , guided by padma diwakar, manorama, & purnima kamat.



3) In april & may 2016 water container tied on trees in jungle for birds to drink the water. Total 26 containers tied by samiti members of pusad samiti.

4) Ashadhi dindi yatra 2016 organised by yavatmal dist. 1200 warkaris tookparts in dindi prohram from maharashtra. It is organised from dharmavaram to puttaparthi started from 11th to 15 th july 2016. Also "sant sawta mali" natika presented in sai kulwant hall by balvikas student of yavatmal dist.



5) Half yearly meeting of all samiti convenors and all dist. coordinators organised at manki guided by sri s.k. satpute vice president total participants attended are 156.

6) Atharvasirsh chanting organised on 7th sept.2016 by b.v. students at shivneri ganesh idol (darwhyacha raja) total participants 46.

7) 1008 astottar nams of bhagwan baba chanted every day's morning 5.00to 6.00 hrs from 1 st oct. to 10 th oct. 2016 i.e. navratri mahotsav at darwha centre . Ave. daily attendance 28.





7) Global akhand bhajan from 12 th evening 6 pm to 13 th nov. evening 6 pm. at yavatmal, darwha , pusad, pandharkawda & arni samiti centres.



8) Sri satya sai baba's birth day celebrated at every samiti centers arranging rallies, prasadam & narayan seva

9) From 13 th oct. to 13 th nov. 2016 the period of "kakda utsav " celebrated by waghapur samiti . It includes daily rudra -gayatri yadna by sai youth.it starts daily from 5 am to 7 am ave. Participants 24 .

10) State conference by hon'ble state president organised at pusad on 5 th feb.2017 total attendance from yavatmal, washim, nanded & parbhani dist. : 284. included all samiti convenors , dist. coordinators & one active lady member from each samiti.



11) Special report on rain harvesting program performed in ytl dist. Nala kholikaran to develop the water level near the water supply well at adopted villages at koura, deurwadi, kharshi & karajgaon funding by state president guided by sri chandrashekarji. work shows the status before work, after work, & result.





12) SSSVIP village dattapur adopted by darwha samiti , baba's birth day celabration, medicarr seva, tree plantation, & b. V.classes showing by photographs:



13) Swachchhata abhiyan taken in 1 st week of oct.2016. swachchhata abhiyan performed in school premices at radha krishnan primary school Arni adopted for EHV education program .



13) sssvidya jyoti program: falegaon & damangaon schools adopted for vidya jyoti program;

NAVI MUMBAI

1 SPIRITUAL WING

1. 108 bhajan held on eve of birthday with theme of each song based on starting word of astothra it was grand event with all samithi participation charging the saiprem with full divine vibration



2. Every month first Sunday rudraabhishek held at saiprem from 3 pm to 6 pm for benefit of devotees and others



3. Guest speaker/artist every 3rd week of month with all samithi participation journey with sai



4. District bhajan held in rotation in each samithi on public places on every 5th Sunday



5. Rath yatra held very year area wise in each samithi on birthday week



EDUCATION WING

Free computer classes at saiprem for benefit of needy everu day on basic , tally, auto cadd and hardware started on 12 th June

Fee coaching classes e going for last 10 years about 100 students from 8 to 12 th standard needy student get benefit with 100 % pass out of student vey year

Vidya jythi adopted one school with slum area with first priority of medical check upcamp, with other support incoming year planned



SERVICE WING : Medical van visiting each samithi every day in rotation handling about 2000 patient, with special camps for preventive care diabetic, heart. Eye etc



Dahagaun(Mumbai)-17th Nov 16

Shahpur – 15th Jan - 17

Special project scientifically studied for malnutrition care conducted in village chirner about 200 children , health condition very much improved



Water management support to needy villages in summer by tankers/storage etc, free note book and accessories every year as part of gram seva

Annual Blood donation camps in saiprem with proper record for support to any needy



narayan seva in saiprem every 3 rd Sunday going in since last 22years about 400 needy are being served with love



PALGHAR

Palghar is the 36th district of the State of Maharashtra. It was recently formed in the year 2014 and was carved out of the Thane District. Palghar district comprises of talukas of Palghar, Vada, Vikramgad, Jawhar, Mokhada, Dahanu, Talasari and Vasai- Virar. Palghar has a population of 29,90,116 out of which 48% live in urbanized area.

Sri Sathya Seva Organization of Palghar District was formed on December 18, 2016. Sri Sathya Seva Organization of Palghar District comprises of 4 Samithis which are Boisar, Khardi-Virar, Vasai and Mira Road. Though geographically speaking Mira Road belongs to the Thane District, but in our Organization it belongs to the Palghar District.

There are more than 500 ardent devotees residing in the district of Palghar. Throughout the year various seva activities are undertaken by the respective Samithis from Palghar district. Following are the Various service activities undertaken by the Sri Sathya Seva Organization Palghar District in the year 2016-2017. These core services can be broadly classified into:

EDUCATION WING

“What the head thinks, should be examined critically in the heart and this right decision should be carried out by the hands. This should be the primary product of the educational process” -BABA

As Swami always used to say that Bal Vikas is not just an education for children. It is the essence of all spiritual knowledge. It is Educare for Loka Vikas. Thus regular Balvikas classes has been conducted at various Samithis of the Palghar District. Many children including both well to do and not so privileged are recipients of Sri Sathya Sai Balvikas Programme. The ultimate aim of Balvikas is to make the children realize that Divinity dwells in him. A typical Balvikas class would begin with Shloka Chanting, Stories from our Ancient Scriptures, Bhajans, Silent Sitting, various activates including Drawing, sketching, games etc.

WINTER CAMPS

Other than that various Winter Education camps were held at different Samithi. One of these camps were organized by the Virar Samithi. The camp was held from December 26th 2016 to January 01st 2017 at Y.K. Nagar Ganesh Mandir, Virar (W) from 5 pm to 7 pm. The camp comprised of various activities like Meditation, games, Bhajans, silent sitting. The program was conducted by 5 gurus and about 56 children participated in the camp. Though majority of the Kids didn't know Swami but still they could enjoy, appreciate and involve in Swami's Teaching and HIS message. Certificates were also distributed at the end of the camp.



Winter Camp by Khardi Virar Samithi

Various Activities during the Winter Camp



Silent Sitting

VISIT TO GLOBAL VIPASSANA PAGODA

Mira Road Samithi on January 29, 2017 arranged for a trip to the Global Vipassana Pagoda, Gorai- Bhayander for the Balvikas children. Standing at the height of 99 mtrs, the center of the Global Vipassana Pagoda contains the world's largest stone dome built without any supporting pillars. Inside the pagoda there are 108 meditation halls where Buddhist monks do rigorous meditation. Swami always used to quote in his Discourse the glory of Lord Buddha. He narrates it with a short story,

The old woman approached Buddha staggering on her legs, and offered to him the pomegranate fruit. Buddha took it and immediately sounded the little drum.

The Maharaja asked Buddha: "I offered so much wealth to you. You did not sound the drum. But you rattled it after receiving a small fruit. Is this a great sacrifice?"

Buddha replied: "Maharaja! In sacrifice, it is not quantity that counts, it is the quality of sacrifice that matters. But what great sacrifice is made when a hungry old woman offers the pomegranate fruit to the Guru despite her hunger. She did not care even for her life and gave the fruit. What greater sacrifice can there be? It is not sacrifice to offer what is superfluous for you. True sacrifice means giving up that which is most dear to you, that which you value most."

SANATHANA SARATHI July 1988

Children were shown around the Buddhist Monastery by a tour guide who showed them various Buddhist relics which echoed Buddha's teachings. They were also taken to the Buddhist museum. The guide there explained the significance of Buddha's teaching of peace and universal love. Sixty-four children came for the picnic with their balvikas gurus. Two office bearers also accompanied for the trip to Pagoda.



BALVIKAS

Residential balvikas for 1st and 2nd group were regularly held at Balvikas Guru's home in Virar. Some of the special initiatives taken by the Khardi Samithi was the starting of residential and group balvikas for group 1 and group 2 which were held in the nearest Sai Baba temple (Khardi Village) and other village public place.

We had once got an opportunity to interact with a balvikas ex-student from Khardi village. He was narrating his riveting experience as a Balvikas Student 30 years back. He told that back at that time, he used to eagerly wait for every Sunday for Balvikas Class. He used to run for Balvikas Class every Sunday evening. Of course he enjoyed the class, but more than that he said that he waited for the Prasadham. Because that was the part of day when he could ever have a good satisfying meal. All those families were impoverished and were reeling under poverty. Today he is grateful to the Lord that he was part of the Balvikas Programme. Great is our Glory of our Dear Lord who is giving us the great opportunity to serve the poor and needy. As Swami's reiterates,

Nar Seva is Narayana Seva,
Jana Seva is Janardhana Seva,
Manava Seva is Madhava Seva
-BABA

In Boisar, Balvikas classes are held regularly the same is with Vasai and Mira Road. These Balvikas children participate in Narayana Seva organized by the Samithi. During the Independence and Republic Days children participate in drawing, sketching and coloring competition held by the Samithi. Students even render patriotic songs on these days. Each national festival is celebrated with great pomp and joy, by understanding the significance of each festival. More than that students are taught the universal message each festival contains and what transformation each of the festival brings to him/her.

SRI SATHYA SAI PARENTING PROGRAMME

"Children do not come to you, but through you. Parents must feel that they are servants appointed by the Lord to tend little souls that are born in their households, as the gardener tends the trees in the garden of the Master."

BABA

Swami always emphasized on the importance of parents. He always holds the analogy that children are like wet clay and parents are the potter. They have the greatest responsibility in moulding out the future for their children. With this view Swami started the Parenting Programme. All the Samithis in the Palghar District have taken initiative in holding Parenting sessions in their respective Samithis.

Parenting workshop and Balvikas Guru's training were regularly held and conducted at Various Samithi. Other than that Experiential learning for students of 5th to 8th standard in Homi Bhabha School, TAPS colony was conducted by the Boisar Samithi. Separate topics were given to each class and models were displayed during their Annual Day Programme.



SERVICE WING

If you lift the hand to serve, to help, to console, to encourage another man, you are lifting it for God, for God is in every man.

-BABA

As Swami always used to emphasize the fact that the hands that serve are holier than the lips that pray. Health is the biggest wealth a man can possess. A healthy nation is a wealthy nation. But what we see is a contrasting picture. Majority of our healthcare is unable to percolate inside the rural India. All the so called health care institutions have rooted themselves in the cities. What we see then is the poor people treading all the way from their villages to the nearby government hospitals. These overcrowded hospitals don't have the proper amenities to accommodate such a large number of people. At the end it is the most pitiable sight that we watch of the patients and relatives lying outside the hospitals on pavements, verandahs, stairs unattended. Private Hospitals seems to be the panacea for these poor. But these patients are deprived of these services due to the exorbitant bills. So where do they go? A poor villager is stranded with no choice.

SRI SATHYA SAI MEDICAL VAN PROJECT

Here comes the vision which Swami envisaged. If people cannot go to the hospitals, then the hospital should come to the people. That's where the idea of Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Medical Van was sown. It is the classic example of Hospital-on-wheels.

All the Samithis of the Palghar District viz Mira Road, Boisar, Khardi-Virar, Vasai have been reaching out to the poor through the Mobile Medical Van. A medical van is equipped with all types of common medicines which a normal person requires on a day to day basis. Not only the van is accompanied by a trained doctor but also a trained seva dal who render their service by assisting the doctor with the medicines. Each village is regularly visited on a weekly /fort nightly/monthly basis. A Samithi typically adopts 4 to 5 villages where these camps have been conducted recurrently. Records of the Patients are properly filled by the Seva dals which are filed and is for further study.



Here we see Vasai Samithi Conducting their mobile medical care at Interior Villages of Vasai like Dongri Pada, Koliwada. All patients are treated free of Cost. Here on the left seated is the doctor who is being helped by the Seva Dals for distributing the Medicine.

Mira road Samithi has also taken an active lead in the Mobile Medicare Project. Serving more than 1000 people on a monthly basis. Mobile Van goes through seven villages where the Seva is being conducted on weekly regular basis.



Mira Road Medical Van Project. Here we see both the Registration side and Patient Side working in full swing. Mira road conducts its Medical Seva in the villages on the outskirts of the city i.e. are Chena, Dajkulpada, Maschichapada, Gagangiri, Kajupada, Modern Company and Versova village.

Here in Boisar Samithi Medical Seva is conducted on monthly basis. Villages who are recipients of the Medi Care project are Panshet pada, Makarchola, Chinchani, New Dandi pada. All these villages are located in Boisar (East). On an average 45 -55 patients were benefited in each camp.

Again we have the Khardi Virar Samithi who regularly conduct Medical Seva in their adopted Villages and other Economically backward area and vridhashram on every Sunday and Monday. A total Number of 300 needy people are being served by these Mobile Medical project. Khardi Virar even took the initiative of helping out the old deprived people who are suffering from Cataract. These old people were taken to Dharmakshetra which is our Bhagavan's abode in Maharashtra for free Cataract Surgery. Approximately 63 patients underwent through the cataract surgery which was done for free of cost.



Virar- Khardi Samithi has also been part of other service projects. Every year the academic season would begin by the month of June. During this time, itself free distribution of notebooks to the Zila Parishad Schools in Khardi Virar is done. Many poor students who couldn't afford the necessary and basic stationery were beneficiary to this Programme.

On 31st December 2016 when most of the city is on festive mood because of the dawn of new year. There are those penurious people who lie under the roof of Chilly moon. To give them the warmth of support and succor, blankets were distributed by the devotees of the Khardi- Virar Samithi to these poor people. 28 needy Narayana's were recipients of the blankets on New year's eve.

SWACHATA SE DIVYVATA TAK

You cannot be fresh and feeling fine, wearing a washed vest under an unwashed shirt; or, an unwashed vest over a washed shirt. Both have to be clean, to provide a sense of tingling joy. So too outer and inner cleanliness is but the reflection of the inner achievement.

- BABA

As Swami always used to say that Cleanliness is next to Godliness which literally translates to “Swachata se Divyavata tak”. Coinciding with the message from our PM on Swach Bharat. All the Samithis of the Palghar district engaged in the Programme of cleaning their neighborhood surrounding. More emphasis was done on making people aware of the importance of Cleanliness on day to day basis.



KHARDI VIRAR SAMITHI

Khardi – Virar had Conducted Swachata Abhiyan at Khardi Village on 16th October-2016 and tried to clean all Khardi and surrounding area during the day with the team of 25 Mahila Sevadals, 27 Gents Sevadals, 20 Balvikas Students children. As a part of it we can visibly see a neater neighborhood and a beautiful bus stop.



Cleanliness Drive by the devotees of Mira Road Samithi

Distribution of Dustbins to the Slum Dwellers

MIRA ROAD SAMITHI

The Sri Sathya Seva Samithi, Mira road undertook a cleanliness drive by cleaning the entire streets of Poonam Sagar (Mira Road) on October 20, 2016. As part of the Programme 20 dust bins were distributed to all the families. Other than that, many of the residents were taught the importance of maintaining a clean neighborhood and environment. The cleanliness drive was attended by 2 Balvikas kids, 14 Mahila sevadals and 3 gents sevadals.

SWACHATA SE DIVYAVATA TAK BY VASAI SAMITHI

“Swachata se divyada tak” has been conducted by Sri Sathya Sai Seva Samithi, Vasai at Dongri Pada, Ever shine City, Vasai (E), on 6th Nov-2016. More than 50 Devotees and Balvikas kids actively participated in the endeavor to make the neighborhood look beautiful. Awareness about cleanliness was also taught to many of the residents in the nearby areas.

Do not believe that you can by means of service reform or reshape the world. You may or may not; that does not matter. The real value of service, its most visible result, is that it reforms you, reshapes you. Do service as a spiritual discipline; then you will be humble and happy.

-BABA



SPIRITUAL WING

“To surrender means: To turn your thoughts away from troubles, to turn them away from difficulties that you encounter and from all your problems. Leave everything in My hands saying, “Lord, thy will be done. Thou think of it.” That is to say, “Lord, I thank you, for you have taken everything into your hands, and you will resolve this for my highest good.”

Sometimes, you feel that disasters increase instead of diminish. Do not get agitated. Close your eyes and tell me with faith, “Thy will be done. You think of it.” And when you speak thus, I accomplish a miracle when necessary. I think of it only when you trust me totally. I always think of you, but I can help you completely only when you rely fully on Me.”

-BABA

Full faith and surrender only comes when you are able to connect to the divine. Faith as Baba says is “Fearlessly Always I trust HIM”. This connection can only be established by Sadhana. As Swami says that sow in the field of our heart the seeds of good thoughts, charged with humility; irrigate it with the waters of love; protect the growing crop with the pesticide called courage; feed the crop with the fertilizer of concentration; then the bhakti plants will yield the harvest of jnana, the eternal wisdom, that you are He, and when that revelation comes, you become He, for you were always He, though you did not know it so far.

On this endeavor of establishing the spiritual connect the Palghar District have been regularly involving in activities to connect with the divine. These include regular Bhajans on Thursdays/ Sundays, Public bhajans, House bhajans, Study Circle, Meditation camps, Gayathri japam, Gayathri havan, Visit to Pilgrimage centers, Vedam Chanting, Festival Celebrations, Akhand bhajans, Bhagawan’s Birthday celebrations, Ganesh Chaturthi bhajans, Navaratri bhajans, Shiva ratri Bhajans. Every festival day is marked by Nagar Sankirtan in the morning followed by invocatory vedam chanting and soulful public bhajans in the evening. Mahila Divas is celebrated on 19th of every month in Virar and Mira road Samithis.

SRI SATHYA SAI PALANQUIN PROCESSION

One of the notable and special activities conducted by the Khardi Virar Samithi was the Palanquin Procession from Khardi Virar to Dharmakshetra the Supreme Abode of Righteousness . The padayathra was over a distance of 63 kms and more than 250 devotees were there which included Gents, Mahila, Youth and Balvikas wing. The padayathra commenced on 23 rd. of December 2016 and concluded at Sathya Deep at Dharmakshetra on 25th December 2016.





We can see the enthusiastic devotees carrying Swami on their shoulders right from their home to the Sai Home-Dharmakshetra. Devotees were singing the glory of Lord in the form of bhajans during the entire procession. All the devotees who participated in this holy procession were felicitated by the All India President of Sri sathya Sai Seva Organization Shri Nimesh Pandya. The journey concluded with palanquin being taken to Sathya deep-the residence of our dear Lord. The day ended with bhajans being offered by the devotees of Khardi Virar in Shanti Deep, Dharmakshetra.

Bhagawan's 91st Birthday Celebration

"The day when you resolve to practice My advice; to follow my directives, to translate My message into acts of service, and to engage in spiritual discipline-that day is My birthday for you. The 23rd of November which you now honor as the day on which I was born, is only like any other day, even if you celebrate it in a routine, ritual fashion. Adore man: the adoration reaches Me. Neglect man; you neglect Me. Of what avail is it to worship the Lord and to suppress man, His counterpart on earth? Love for God must be manifested as Love for man, and Love must express itself as service."

-BABA

SRI SATHYA SAI CHARIOT PROCESSION

Following the message that Baba has said, the Boisar Samithi had organized a rally on the eve of Swami's Birthday. The main objective of the rally was to spread the message of the Lord to all the society. Bhagawan visited the entire city of Boisar on His Ratha. You can see the glimpses below



Here we see the Balvikas children holding Swami's Teachings. The Sai Rath was being pulled by the devotees of the Boisar Samithi. Chariot procession was held 22nd November 2016 Rally from Cidco Boisar. As Swami always used to say that

Nations are many, but Earth is one;
Beings are many, but Breath is one;
Stars are many, but Sky is one;
Oceans are many, but Water is one;
Religions are many, but God is one;

Basing on this message of Baba, the theme for the rally was "Sarvadharmā Samābhavaḥ".

Sai Car- Chariot on wheels

This is a unique way and a unique experience for celebrating and spreading the message of Swami by the Samithi of Mira Road. On the eve of Swami's Birthday. The devotees were vexed that they didn't have the chariot or the necessary resources for Baba to be taken around the city. By midnight, an idea struck into a devotee's mind that why can't we convert a car as a ratham for our dear lord. Soon preparation was made and the car was decorated.

Next day early morning, the car or the Sai car led the Nagar Sankirtan procession. With devotees carrying the Sai Paduka on their head. Swami was taken around the city, with devotees singing the glory of the lord.



Sai Car- the Chariot on Wheels. Devotees Following Swami behind the chariot



Nagar Sankirtan being carried out behind the Sai Car. More than 35 devotees attended the early morning celebration of Swami's Birthday.

Balvikas students and ex balvikas students of the Boisar Samithi commemorated Bhagawan's birthday by holding a cultural Programme. The venue was at MSEB colony Boisar. The three hour Programme started with a dance performance by Makarchola Balvikas children, on the theme Mahishasura Mardhini and concluded with a Music Program by the Youth members.



Music Programme by the Youth and Balvikas Students of Boisar Samithi



Mahishasura Dance Programme by the Balvikas Students of Boisar Samithi

Celebrating Swami's Birthday in a unique way

Family that eat and pray together stay always blessed. According to the directive from the All India President of the Sri Sathya Sai Organization Sri Nimesh Pandya, devotees were requested to celebrate the divine advent in their respective households. This "United Family Sadhana" involves: -

- 1) Every member of the family will say a prayer together during that day.
- 2) Every family will do a family Narayan Seva where each member of the family will participate and feed a small group in the neighborhood as a family sadhana.
- 3) Decorate the home as one normally does for a festival e.g. like Diwali as if Swami is there.
- 4) Every family will have a family Bhajan.
- 5) Every family will recite the Gayathri Mantra for a specific no of times as may be decided by the family.

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- 6) Invite non-devotee other family members-uncle's aunties nieces nephews home for the family dinner or lunch specifically stating that it is a meal to celebrate Swami's Birthday.
- 7) Let the neighbours know that the celebrations are for Swami's Birthday. Distribute Prasad to the immediate neighbours and friends.
- 8) Resolve to adopt one needy child of your servant or in the vicinity for supporting some part of the education as per the family's capacity. Perform an act of a small family charity to needy person.
- 9) Resolve that all members of the family speak softly and sweetly for the whole day.
- 10) After the whole day of family celebration, Join the Celebrations of the Samithi in the evening.

As per this initiative, the devotees of the Mira Road Samithi celebrated Swami's advent at their respective houses like a family member's birthday. Eleven Houses thus celebrated the birthday with jubilation and mirth.



Birthday celebration at each individual devotee's home included omkaram, ashotaram, bhajan, aarathi and cake cutting. The beautiful part is that the celebration was simultaneously being held at 11 homes in Mira Road Samithi.

91 bhajans on Swami's Birthday

On Swami's 91st birthday all the Samithis had Nagarsankirtan in the morning, followed by 91 bhajans in the evening. Below we see various Samithis taking part in chanting the glorious name of Baba. The efficacy of Lord's name so powerful that God himself has told us that:

MANASA BHAJARE GURU CHARANAM
DUSTARA BHAVA SAGARA TARANAM





Sri Sathya Sai Seva Samithi Mira Road conducted 91 Bhajans as part of Bhagavan's Birthday Celebration on October 22, 2016 at Shri Ayyapa Temple Mira Road. More than 200 devotees and general public attended the bhajans.



VASAI SAMITHI

Sri sathya Sai seva Samithi vasai had Conducted 91 Bhajans on occasion of 91st Birthday of our Bhagawan Sri Satya Sai Baba at Lake View, Opp. Police Chowk, Near Papdy Market, Vasai (W) in the month of November 2016.

Fruits were distributed to selected schools by the Khardi Virar Samithi. Narayan Seva was also conducted on the occasion of our beloved Baba's birthday at Virar as well as in Khardi. More than 200 devotees partook Swami's Prasadam.

Global Akhand Bhajan was held in every Samithi on November 12 and 13 across the district of Palghar. This included the non-stopping singing of the glory of the God for 24 hours. The bhajans that are sung permeate the ether in the form of sound waves and fill the entire atmosphere. Thereby, the whole environment gets purified. Breathing in this purified atmosphere, our hearts get purified. Reciting the Lord's name is a process of give and take. Singing the Lord's name should become an exercise in mutual sharing of joy and holiness. It should be remembered that the sounds we produce reverberate in the atmosphere. They remain permanently in the ether as waves and outlast the individual uttering the sounds.

Shri Satya Sai Pandurang Kshetra- Pilgrimage

The devotees of the Samithi of Mira Road had organized a visit to Shri Satya Sai Pandurang Kshetra located in Hadshi, Vadgaon Maval in Pune. This was one of the rare temples which was blessed and whose foundation our dear Bhagawan himself had laid.



As part of the Sathya Sai Pandurang temple pilgrimage more than 60 devotees and 10 balvikas children had come from Sri Sathya Seva Samithi Mira Road to take the divine darshan of Sai Vithal. Also the devotees from the Samithi were blessed to sing Bhajans in front of Sai Vithal.

CONCLUSION

When we conclude this annual report we should ponder upon the founding objective of our divine master for creating such an organization or family as you may call it for helping the humanity. Swami always believed in the Fatherhood of God and Brotherhood of mankind. let us muse why Swami wants us to work and render Seva through the Organization: -

1. To help the individual be aware of the Divinity that is inherent in him and to conduct himself accordingly;
2. To translate into practice in daily life, divine love and perfection; and therefore
3. To fill one's life with joy, harmony, beauty, grace, human excellence and lasting happiness;
4. To ensure that all human relations are governed by the principles of Sathya (Truth), Dharma (Right Conduct), Shanti (Peace), Prema (Love) and Ahimsa (Non-violence).
5. To make devotees more sincere and dedicated in the practice of their respective religions by understanding properly the true spirit of their religion.

How are the Objectives attained?

The above-mentioned objectives are attained in the following manner:
By observing the four principles laid down by Bhagawan Baba, namely:

*There is only One religion, the religion of Love
There is only One caste, the caste of humanity
There is only One language, the language of the Heart
There is only One God, He is omnipresent.*

A Final Prayer at his Divine Lotus feet

Take, Lord, and receive all my liberty, my memory, my understanding, and my entire will, all that I have and possess. You have given all of me. To you, O Lord, and I return it. All is Yours. Dispose of it wholly according to Your will. Give me Your Love and Your grace, for this is sufficient for me. Make me always your instrument and never let me aware of the fact that I am doing an activity. It is your invisible hands who is doing the miracles. Bless me, O lord to serve all and be nothing.



THANE

SPIRITUAL ACTIVITIES

Various spiritual activities were carried out across all samithis during the period. In addition to Regular bhajans that were conducted in each samithi, special bhajans were also conducted on occasions such as Ashadi Ekadashi, GuruPournima, Swami's Birthday, Shivaratri, Global Akhand Bhajan, Swami Araadhana Utsav etc.

In Kalyan Samithi, chanting of 'Vishnu Sahasranamam' 'Lalita Sahasranamam' 'Hanuman Chalisa' was carried out on different days. Special bhajans were also conducted on 4th Saturday of every month at the Thane Mental Hospital by Thane Samithi. Dombivili samithi carried out a Shobha Yatra rally on Gudi Padwa day. The members of Ambernath Samithi participated in 1008 times chanting of Gayatri mantra on 20th November 2016.

Other spiritual activities carried out include: Self Realisation Sadhana Activity and Spiritual Sadhana Camp at Sri Sathya Sai Pandurang Kshetra, Hadshi (Dombivili Samithi); one day 'Spiritual Retreat' on 28.05.2016 also at Hudsheer (Kalyan Samithi). Regular rudram classes were conducted for devotees in most of the samithis.

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

A. Projects in village/slums

- Sri Sathya Sai charitable trust, Ulhasnagar provided water to the needy in the slum areas of Ulhasnagar for 3 months (April-July). On an average daily 4 water tankers with approximately 130000 LTRS of water was provided.
- Thane Samithi carried out a water project (using solar powered pump) wherein pipelines were laid for 2kms from a concrete water reservoir (Bund) constructed by Thane Samithi to the adopted villages.



- Kalyan Samithi facilitated distribution of footwear to most needy school children and Senior Citizens in the Villages around Jambalghar Centre, Badlapur.
- On January 1st 2017, Dombivili Samithi devotees distributed clothes, blankets & sarees to Adivasi people of Borale Village and around Shahapur.

B. Narayan seva

- Ambernath Samithi: On the 1st Sunday of every month Narayan Seva was conducted in Mirchiwadi (Adopted Village). National Narayan seva was conducted at Shiv Mandir. Also, during Shivratri mela, a pandal was kept for distribution of water bottles and boiled groundnuts to all devotees.
- Dombivili Samithi: Maha Narayan Seva was conducted in Indira Nagar Slums on Aradhana Day (April 24th, 2016) and November 20th 2016.
- Kalyan Samithi: Narayan seva was conducted on major occasions like Aaradhana day and Global Akhand bhajan.
- Thane Samithi: Narayan seva was conducted on 1st Sunday of every month and by the Ladies wing on 19th of every month. Special Narayana Seva conducted by Balvikas students in the month of April by serving contract workers. Meeting patients and distribution of biscuit packets to them was carried out during Civil Hospital Visits on 1st and 2nd Saturday of every month.
- Ulhasnagar Samithi: Narayan seva was conducted every Sunday by distributing breakfast outside Sathya Sai Health Centre Ulhasnagar. Further on Friday few devotees went to villages, orphanages and slum areas for distributing food and other necessary items. National Narayan seva was conducted during Bhagwan's birthday and Aaradhana Day in 3-4 places in Ulhasnagar.



C. Medical/blood donation/awareness camps/clinics:

- Ambernath Samithi: 4 medical camps were conducted in Mirchiwadi

•Dombivili Samithi: New Allopathic Medical Camp started at Apti Village, Murbad on May 15th 2016 (95 beneficiaries) and Anna Nagar, Kopergaon on Jan 1st 2017 (90 beneficiaries). On December 5th to 7th 2016, cataract operations of 17 Adivasi persons from Murbad were conducted at Bachhualy Eye Hospital, Parel. On December 11th 2016, blood donation camp was organized at Plasma Blood Bank, Dombivli wherein 16 Bottles of blood was donated. On October 22nd, Cancer & Diabetes Educative session held by a doctor couple.

•Kalyan Samithi: Medical Camp was organised by Kalyan Samithi on 3 occasions and Seva Dal volunteers also participated in the 'Eye Camp' held at Jambilghar Centre.

•Thane Samithi: Sai Mega Medical Camp conducted in Gandulwadi/Talwade villages wherein 18 doctors participated and rendered their service. Dental/Eye/General conditions were addressed. More than 1200 patients including school children were administered medicine and were provided medical aid. Follow up Eye surgeries/Spectacles were also successfully completed at a hospital in Thane. Regular treatment and follow ups of identified malnourished children also done by the devotees and medical team.

•Ulhasnagar samithi: Daily medical clinic (morning & evening, except Sundays) conducted at Sathya Sai Health Centre Ulhasnagar, wherein many doctors are rendering services, benefitting around 100 to 150. Physiotherapy facility is also provided. Daily medical van seva is also done by one of the devotee doctor in different areas of Ulhasnagar



D.Other service activities

- SwacchtaAbhyan was carried out by the samithis(Kalyan, Ambernath, Dombivili) in their respective areas



- All samithis regularly participated in the bi annual Prasanthiseva
- Teaching Bhajans and values at Aanganwadi School located at Badlapurwas conducted on all Sundays by Kalyan Samithi
- A programe on rain water harvesting (RWH) was conducted by Ulhasnagar samithi wherein a semi model of RWH was used to educate about 13 corporators of political parties & around 250 people about benefits of RWH.

EDUCATION:

- Thane Samithi: A new school buil0ding with all facilities was constructed with the help of CSR funds to serve Ashramshalaschool at Gandulwadi, Talwadewhich was subsequently handed over to the school authorities. More than 450 children were the beneficiaries of the new school premises.Sathya Sai Vidyajyotiwas introduced in Adharsh English School, Thane.



- Ambernath Samithi: Eswaramma day was celebrated on 6th May, 2016 wherein imparting of moral values through fun games was carried out. Balvikas rally with decorated rath was organized on 17th July 2016 with bhajansbeing led by the balvikas children.
- Bhiwandi Samithi: Balvikas students actively participated in a small trip to Varaladevitalav and participated in various group games.



- Dombivili Samithi: Eswaramma Day was celebrated and also a cultural program was organised by Bal Vikas Children in Thakur Hall on November 27th, 2016.

A total of 102 balvikas centers exist across all samithis under Thane District, managed by 78 dedicated gurus. Total number of children in the balvikas programme including schools, rural, urban and slum areas was 2390.

Parenting workshop and Matru PitruPooja were conducted by all samithis, benefitting parents and children.

GOA

Education

1. Induction program by Dr Pitre

On 28/5/2016 an induction program was held for office bearers from Goa by Dr Pitre. Around 25 office bearers attended this program. It was made very lively and a lot of information about the organisation and its working was given to the participants. Our State President Shri Ramesh Sawant also attended the session for some time.



2. Vidya Jyoti program in Goa

A total of 5 schools in different parts of Goa have been adopted under the Vidya Jyoti program. In all schools activities like, cleanliness, repairs, Veda training, parenting, etc. are being undertaken. One school particularly at Neura, the structure was in bad shape, urgent repairs and overall cleaning of premises was done by our Vidya Jyoti team.



3. Balvikas activities

A) regular annual summer camps are held for Balvikas children where children are given value-based education, Veda chanting, value-based games, parenting and Matru Pitru Poojan. These camps are well attended not only by Balvikas students but other children also.



B) Similar picnics for Balvikas children are arranged every year wherein they are taken to picturesque places and they really have a great time.



C) On 20/11/2016 balvikas musical program was arranged at Panjim. Wherein they exhibited their talents in various fields .The program was well attended by parents and other devotees.



D) Other programs like parenting, training for gurus new and old are held on regular basis (Parenting Program photos below)



Spiritual

1.Bhajans

In all the 8 samities in Goa, regular weekly bhajans are held .Also special bhajans on festivals,at public places ,old age homes ,orphanages etc are also held on regular basis in different samities.A special mention must be made of curchorem/savordem samiti where daily Nagarsankirtan is being held for last 22 years. Sadhana camps, spiritual retreats, spiritual quiz programs are also organised periodically.



2.State level meet of Goa and Ratnagiri

State levels meet of Goa and ratnagiri was held in Goa .All state vice presidents, State Coordinators and district Coordinators attended the meeting.There was good participation from all the samiti's of Goa and Ratnagiri. The presentations by youth leaders were highly appreciated.



SERVICE

1.Mother and Child Care

A remote village on the border of Goa and Maharashtra is taken up by our team. Mostly teams visit this place monthly and ladies conduct sessions which aim at spreading awareness about pregnancy, family planning, child grooming, women related diseases with women empowerment as the prime focus, along with this vedas, shlokas, bhajans are taught. Special gynaecological camps for ladies along with regular med camps for the villagers are conducted.



2.Blood Donation camp

Every year 3 blood donation camps are held. Last year over 150 donors donated blood GMC blood bank has specially appreciated Sri Sathya Sai Seva organisation.



3. Swachhata Se Divyata Tak

In all the samities as per guidelines from all India president this abhiyaan was carried out. The highlight of the program was that in many places along with sai devotees many balvikas children, parents, and staff from adopted schools participated.



4. Mother and Child Care Annual Meet.

Under state coordinator smt Priya rajwade mother and child care annual meet was held in. goa.

The response was tremendous, over. 250 mahilas from all over Maharashtra and Goa participated, very nice presentations from different districts were given. Our state president Sri Ramesh Sawant attended the meet and guided the proceedings. Special tour of Goa for all the participants was arranged.



5. Medical Camps

Along with general checkup medical camps, 2 dental checkup camps were held, Dr Chandrakant Hiremath offered his. seva.



6. Mahaprasad Serving Seva

Some samities in Goa., undertake mahaprasad serving seva on regular basis, during 6 day vardanti utsav at Gomantak Tirupati Balaji Devasthan, ponda and maruti gadh, Curchorem. Entire seva is carried out by sai sevaks .



7. House Construction

Due to incessant rains in Goa, there are incidents of house collapses, uprooting of trees etc. Every year Sai devotees rush to help the inhabitants and also help in reconstruction of the houses.





***"Humbly offering all activities
at the Lotus feet of Bhagawan
Sri Sathya Sai Baba "***



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