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From the Chairperson's Desk

05th May 2019



Greetings...

I need to say a hi and a bye from the Chairpersons desk as our team is bidding adieu. TNAVMS as you all know upholds values and yet walks in new avenues, changing with times without letting go the pattern drawn. To sum up the events of these two years.....Swarnaakarshini Pooja, Sakambari Prakruthi Pooja, Bando Sando a musical fusion, Carnival with Food Village, Women's Day recognising Women Achievers and a face to face with Jaya TV Adupankarai team and more were all done with gusto and drew large crowds. Contributions were made for construction of classrooms to different schools, wall painting and vertical garden transformed the ambience of schools, Walkathon for fitness, Workshops and Mega Medical camps were implemented.....a word of thanks definitely goes to all the donors and sponsors for all their magnanimity, motivating us to keep the spirit of service going strong.....I have enjoyed my tenure thoroughly with a brilliant core team and dedicated marvellous committee, thank you all so much for the trust you have placed in me and we in turn trusted this simple quote "The key to success is to focus on goals not obstacles".

V. Neeraja Vasanth
Chairperson

From the Secretary's Desk



Greetings!.....No amount of words would suffice to express my gratitude for these last two years as the Secretary. When i started, I was a complete blank like an egg which later took various shapes like the Metamorphosis of the Butterfly. I am forever indebted to our Sabha and humbled for this experience. I wish to extend my thanks to all the mahilas, my core team, advisory and committee members for their relentless support. I wish to share our Team's journey in these lines "Coming together is a Beginning, Keeping together is Progress & Working it out together is Success". The First one came naturally to us as we believed that the word T.E.A.M literally meant Together We Can Achieve More.

It's the second one that gave our journey a definition by teaching us that along with skills; each one had few shortcomings too. But, we realised that we have to travel like a Sailor who can't change the direction of the wind but can adjust his sails to always reach the destination. Many Challenges were thrown at us and we had each other to instil the belief that "If you want the Rainbow, you have to tolerate the Rain".

Coming to the third one, it is said that "Success usually comes to those who are too busy looking for it". So we understood it's the journey that matters and not the destination and put our hearts out to each task so that our Society is the biggest beneficiary than individual glory.

Lastly, every ending has a new beginning. So, we believe that our Stop has arrived and the wish the new ones who are hoping on this Train, Good Luck.

'Goodbye' comes from the Phrase "God be with Ye". So with an emotional Heart, I sign off and say Goodbye to you all.

S. Mallika Prakash
Secretary

CARNIVAL



Sunday January 6th Kuchalambal Kalyana Mandapam was bustling with friends, families, students..... a spread of stalls and lip smacking Food Village. The chief guest for the day Mrs. Sabitha Natraj, General Manager of Indian Oil Corporation and guest of honour Mr. Vootukuru Badrinarayana trustee NGC charities graced the occasion. Both addressed the students and instilled in them the importance of value oriented education. Scholarships to the amount of 1,66,500 was given to schools and college going students.



Projects on Carnival day:

25000 to Rotary club of Ambattur for artificial limbs to cerebral palsy affected children.

25,000 to Samarpana old age home for steel wardrobes and utensils.

10,000 to Sri Venkateshwara Vidyalayam Telugu Primary School for ceiling fans.

Donations received:

Thatikonda Vatsala Ramachandra Foundation	:	₹	50,000
Narayana Guruviah Chetty Charities	:	₹	20,000
Balaha Chemicals	:	₹	20,000
Mohan Jewellery	:	₹	10,000
Mrs. Swadhika Radhakrishnan	:	₹	10,000
Mrs. Usha Anantha Krishna	:	₹	5,000
Mrs. Neralla Sathyavathi	:	₹	5,000
Mrs. Nirmala Surendra Babu from Adhoni	:	₹	5,000



Pot painting competition

Being Sankranti theme, pots were artistically painted in traditional style and displayed by ladies.



Vibgyor, rainbow theme ramp walk:

It was a spectacular show by seven ladies in each group sportively, gracefully walking on stage vying for the coveted prize from Khazana Jewellers.



Gobbiyalu dance:

Ladies in glittering costumes took to stage to dance for thumping Sankranthi songs ...the hall was resounding and audience too participated with high spirits.

Food village:

The dining hall was swarming with people as there was a wide spread of eats by women entrepreneurs....Salem set nippat n Karnataka obbat was an added attraction.

A special thanks to our magnanimous sponsors the Viveks and Khazana for giving fabulous prizes to all the winners and participants. The glory of the day would be incomplete without them.



WOMEN'S DAY





On March 5th Women's Day was celebrated with pomp and show at Ethiraj Kalyana Mandapam. It was a spectacular evening as "Adupankarai team" the famous Chefs of Jaya TV were present for a face to face interaction. Chef. Dr. Damodaran, Culinary Queen Mrs. Mallika Badrinath, Mrs. Revathi Shanmugam, Chef. Suresh, Chef. Sribala graced the dias along with guest speaker Miss. Minachshi Pettukola. The rapport was awesome and the audience were spell-bound with the witty yet profound knowledge of all the speakers.

A fireless cooking competition in the ac hall saw 100 participants. The brilliant display of dishes prepared on the spot was a proof of their culinary skills and the judges were all praises for the wonderful spread. A very special thanks to Nestle Company and Sowbaghya for sponsoring prizes to the winners and Nestle abundantly gave gifts to all participants. Mrs. Mallika Badrinath generously gave 100 cookery books to all participants. The day turned out to be a real celebration.

Miss. Minacshi Pettukola donated 10,000 on this day.

MEDICAL CAMP



A medical camp was done on 10th March, Sunday at MKB Nagar at North Madras Arya Vysya Sangam. Apollo and Rajan eye care hospitals helped us screen around 200 people. We thank these renowned hospitals and NMAVS members for availing their spacious hall for the camp.

A contribution of 50,000 was given on 15th April to RBANC Charitable trust for construction of Vysya Bhavanam.

A contribution of 20,000 was given on 15th April to Mr. Damodaran for construction of Chariot for Prasanna Venkata Narasimha Swami Temple, West Saidapet.

A contribution of 10,000 was given to Sri Vasavi Vruddhajana Seva Vasathi Mandhiram an old age home in May for fans and other items.

Gothra Vriksha Nidhi

Mrs. Sashikala Anjaneyalu	-	2001/-	Mrs. Meera Sekar	-	500/-
Mrs. Uma Gupta	-	500/-	Mrs. Bhargavi Prasad	-	500/-
Mrs. Vasundra	-	500/-	Mrs. Ranjani	-	500/-

ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING

NOTICE

Annual General Body Meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 12, 2019 at Cosmopolitan Club, No.63, Anna Salai, Chennai - 600 002 at 10.30 am sharp.

AGENDA

1. Welcome address by Chairperson.
2. Minutes of the Previous AGB Meeting.
3. Adoption of Hony. Secretary's Report for the year ending 31.03.2019.
4. Adoption of Audited Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31.03.2019.
5. Appointment of Auditor 2019- 2020.
6. Election of the New Office Bearers and Committee Members.
7. Vote of Thanks.

ELECTION RULES

1. Elections shall be held once in 2 years at the General Body Meeting.
2. The quorum shall be 25 or 1/5th of the total members, whichever is less.
3. Two election officers shall be appointed from the floor.
4. The existing committee shall be presented by the chairperson mentioning the number of meetings attended by each member.
5. Only member who have served for at least 2 years in the managing committee shall be eligible for the following posts namely Vice Chairpersons, Hony. Secretary, Hony. Joint Secretary, Hony. Treasurer and Hony. Joint Treasurer.
6. Members of at least 6 months standing shall have power to vote and propose at the election.
7. Members of at least 2 years standing shall be eligible to contest for the managing committee.
8. Only members who have held office as on office bearer for atleast 4 years in the managing committee shall be eligible for the post of chair person.
9. Nominations from the floor shall be called for all the posts by the chairperson and duly seconded.
10. Persons nominated shall be present at the election and introduced to the General Body by the proposer. In case, they are unable to present, they shall give their consent in writing, giving reasons for their absence.
11. No office bearer shall hold the same post for more than 3 consecutive terms.
12. No canvassing of any manner shall be permitted on the floor.
13. Voting if necessary shall be secret ballot on papers provided at the time of election.
14. Any member who has been requested to step down from the Committee shall not be eligible for any post in the future.
15. Any member who is absent for 3 consecutive meetings without a valid reason shall be removed. However if any member is away from the city for a long time, she may be given leave of absence.

NOTE

- a. Only members will be allowed to attend the meeting.
- b. New members are welcome to enroll on that day.
- c. Prize for the lucky entrant wearing Membership badge.
- d. Badges are available with the Treasurer for Rs.20/- each.


(Hon. Secretary)

ACHIEVEMENTS

- 1) Our Committee member Smt. Dr. Majety Jayashree released "Anchanalu Tharumarai", a telugu novel on November 2018.
- 2) Our evergreen Member Smt. K. Sarvamangala Garu, an 83 year old Telugu writer's interview about her journey into the literary world was published in News Today website.

Family News

- Our member Mrs. Nirmala Devi's son Mr. Pradeep Pabbati tied the knot with Miss. Sephalika on 27.12.18.
- Our Advisory member Smt. Vummidi Lalitha Sudhakar's grandson and our Member Smt. Vummidi Jayasri Rajeesh's son Mr. Vishnu tied the knot with Miss. Keerti Ambika on 10.02.19.
- Our member Mrs. Sunku Sailaja's son Mr. Sunku Srinivas tied the knot with Miss. Vatheeni on 10.02.19.
- Our Vice Chairperson Smt. Sujatha Ramesh Babu was blessed with a grandson on 26.02.19.
- Our member Mrs. C.K. Jayanthi and her husband Mr. C.K. Rambabu celebrated their Silver Jubilee wedding anniversary on 14.03.19 at Hotel Savera.
- Our member Mrs. G. Kalyani and her husband Mr. G.V. Chinni Krishnudu celebrated their Bhimaratha Shanthi on 13.04.19.
- Our Vice Chairperson Smt. Manimala's son Mr. Teja Rao tied the knot with Miss. Harshini on 20.04.19.
- Our Advisory member Smt. Veera Bommala Shantha Sridhar's grandson Mr. Amrutharam Veera Bommala tied the knot with Miss Chandini on 02.05.19.
- Our member Mrs. Gattupalli Lalitha and her husband Mr. Gattupalli Badri Narayana will celebrate their Sastiabdhi Poorthi on 09.05.19

CONDOLENCES TO THE BEREAVED FAMILIES

We pay our respects to the departed souls.

- Our committee member Sunku Vasundhara's mother in law Smt. Sunku Nagarajamma had attained the lotus feet on 07.01.19.
- Our member Perla Lakshmi's mother in law Smt. Perla Amruthamma had attained the lotus feet on 18.02.19
- Our Life member Smt. Sreehari Devi Vummidi had attained the lotus feet on 24.02.19
- Our Committee member Smt. Bargavi Prasad's elder brother Sri. Satyendra Kumar had attained the lotus feet on 15.04.19.

- Important matters can be shared in marvellousmahilas@gmail.com, or contact the Secretary **Mrs. S. Mallika Prakash - 98410 92545** and Joint Secretary **Mrs. Jayasri Rajasekar - 98408 15815**
- To view our updates open the Web Page : www.aryavysyamahilamadrass.com

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Book-Post

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