

NEWSLETTER

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Sankalp 2017 Mammography Camp

On 2nd October 2017, Mukul Madhav Foundation & Finolex Pipes inaugurated their 8th Cancer Detection Camp for women in association with Sankalp. The event was inaugurated by chief guest, Dr.Rashmi Athalye, Senior Medical Officer HIV control program, Dr.Alimiya, Dr.Afshan, Parkar Hospital, Mr.Venkat Ravi, Vice President, Finolex Industries Ltd., Mr.Kakade, Sr.GM & Dr.Mulye, CSR coordinator.

The camp serves as a health & cancer screening clinic with a target of treating more than 300 women while sponsoring Rs.400 each towards mammography & colposcopy. Through this initiative, we wish to raise awareness about cancer in Ratnagiri while also minimalizing the risk through early detections.





Sainik Board Donation

Since November 2015, "Mission Cerebral Palsy" has donated over 178 wheelchairs, 104 commode chairs to homes & 100 Cerebral Palsy chairs to Zilla Parishad schools.

Having identified 742 children with Cerebral Palsy in Satara & Ratnagiri, we have successfully established rehabilitation centres in Satara, Wai, Panchgani, Patan, Dervan and Finolex Colony in Ratnagiri which also offer pick up & drop off facilities for these patients.

A fee of Rs.10 per patient, amounting to Rs.14,283 /- was collected while conducting physiotherapy sessions & will be donated to the Sainik board for the up-liftment of armed force widows.

Physiotherapy Camp

On 14th & 15th October, A physiotherapy camp was organised with Dr.Saloni Raje for 40 children.





Medical assistance amounting to Rs.6,50,000 /- was provided to 39 patients



Madhurangan - 6th to 9th October

Madhurangan is a platform by the Sakal Media group that focuses on empowering women through initiatives that are executed & enjoyed by women from various social backgrounds. We sponsored this event naming it "Finolex Sakal Madhushoppe".

Ashadeep, a residential facility for mentally abled children in Ratnagiri participated in this event. They were encouraged to make artificial flowers, paper bags, diyas, etc. with some help from caretakers, later displayed at their stalls. They made a sale worth Rs.5,000 during the event earning a profit of Rs.1,500.

Mr.Redkar of Ashadeep has expressed his gratitude towards FIL & MMF for our support & motivation towards participating in the event for the first time.



Assisting the Visually Impaired

A member of our team, Ms.Sayali Kelkar went a step further by helping visually impaired students write their examination & complete their assignments. She assisted by writing an examination paper for Ms.Poonam Chavan, an FY BA visually impaired student & an assignment for Mr.Amol Zhagade, an MA 2nd year visually impaired student.

Inauguration & Thanksgiving Ceremony

In 2016 in light of the draught barren parts of Maharashtra face, we ventured into water conservation projects at Rede Village, District Solapur, Maharashtra through Cement Nala Bandhara (CNB) clean up drives. We have financially supported the project, transforming several households by cleaning the water reservoir & doubling its capacity.

A year later the inauguration ceremony was organised on 17th October 2017 which was attended by Mr.Prabhakar Deshmukh, Ex.Commissioner of Agriculture Department, Mr.B.R. Mehta, President FIL, Mr.Dyaneshwar Bothe, Agriculture Department Pune, Mrs.Vaishnavi Devi Mohite Patil, President, Panchayat Samiti, Malshiras. The village & the farmers are thankful for the contribution towards this cause.







A Safety Initiative

Finolex Pipes & Mukul Madhav Foundation associated with the Pune Police in a collaborative effort to build a safer Pune city. With the launch of 3 initiatives - Buddy Cop, Police Kaka & CitySafe we took a step towards nurturing & protecting the lives of our citizens.

- Buddy Cop is an initiative that adds a layer of safety for women at their workplace by ensuring they have immediate access to the police in a dire situation.
 - Police Kaka supports the safety for students in colleges & universities by responding & resolving any issue they face.
- City Safe is an app to provide safety assistance in an emergency situation, assigning one policeman/woman to every 50 IT employees on a WhatsApp group.

We continue to work towards making our Pune, a safer city





Educational assistance amounting to approximately Rs.48,735 /- for 2 deserving students



Hindi Pakhwada

The "Hindi Pakhwada" was celebrated from 14th September to 2nd October in order to propagate the national language.

Various competitions were organized for the students & teachers at taluka and district levels during this period & winners were felicitated during the concluding function.

More than 300 teachers & 100 students participated in the event that took place in the Madhyamik Shikshak Patpedhihall, Salvi stop, Ratnagiri on 3rd October.



Festivity

Gandhi Jayanti & Lal Bahadur Shastri Jayanti was celebrated at MMV. Speeches were recited by students, the Principal garlanded the photo images of Goddess Saraswati, Gandhiji & Shastriji which was followed by an inspiring speech on this auspicious occasion.



Reading & Inspiration Day

On 16th October 2017, "Reading & Inspiration day" was observed to mark the birth anniversary of Dr.A.P.J.Abdul Kalam. A speech from the principle was addressed to the students, encouraging them to read more, followed by a quiz from Ms.Ashwini Joshi, ending with the children taken to the Library to showcase the beauty of reading.



Diwali Celebration

The school celebrated Diwali on 16th October. The students presented a wonderful skit highlighting the importance of a safe and pollution free Diwali.

Karate Championship

MMV students participated in the district level karate championship & won 6 gold, 8 silver & 17 bronze medals. They were trained under the able guidance of Mr. Javed Mirkar, Karate Instructor.







Visit of Mr. Sekhar Seshan, Consulting Editor - Business India

Mr.Seshan, a Consulting Editor from Business India visited our CSR projects & institutions in Ratnagiri. He was overwhelmed by our contribution towards the betterment of our society.



Appreciation

Ms.Atifa Dhale, A patient who underwent eye squint surgery, expressed his gratitude & appreciations towards MMF. The family had approached us through the reference of social workers at a hospital for financial assistance. At this juncture, MMF supported the surgery, to the tune of Rs.32,000.



Donors for this month

1. Mr.Vijay Gurnani - Rs.15000/-

- 2. Mr.Harshil Karia Rs.2000/- (every month)
 - 3. Yoshika Engineering Ltd Rs.5000/-

A special mention to Finolex Industries Ltd., for supporting all our initiatives!

Service to Humanity is like Service to God.

- Swami Vivekananda



Thank you for your continued help and support towards Mukul Madhav Foundation.

Hope you have enjoyed this issue!

MUKUL MADHAV FOUNDATION TEAM

