

NOVEMBER AT A GLANCE



1200

Villagers in Kotna - Gujarat village were supported with RO System clean drinking water after the maintenance of their community

15

Villages in Palghar, Gadchiroli Districts in Maharashtra were supported with period positive holiday homes and individual toilets

550

Helmets Donated to Police in Ratnagiri

Dear Friends,

Every month we spread smiles and hope in our communities and to those in need.

I take this opportunity to share with you some glimpses of the month and a brief account of the positive change our initiatives make every day.

Hope you enjoy reading the same.

Warm Regards ,
Ritu Prakash Chhabria
Managing Trustee
Mukul Madhav Foundation



The Directors and Senior Leadership of Finolex Industries Ltd. visited collaborations done with Mukul Madhav Foundation 21st and 22nd October, 2023

A week filled with impact and collaboration. Recently, upon the request of the Directors and senior leadership of Finolex Industries Ltd we at Mukul Madhav Foundation organised a visit to our initiatives in Lonavala and Pune, Maharashtra. As their CSR partner, we were grateful for this opportunity to display real-time progress of our work and its on-ground impact on beneficiaries.

Together, we visited our key projects, spent time understanding the evolving needs of the community, decoding effective solutions, and most importantly, we witnessed what is at the core of all of Mukul Madhav Foundation's work — collaboration and conversation.

We thank the Finolex Industries Limited leaders for their time and deep interest, and hope to plan more such visits to other initiatives across India, across the spectrum. More power to being #ActiveOnGround.



Period Positive Holiday Home and Smokeless Chulhas built in Gadchiroli 28th October 2023

Mukul Madhav Foundation has been collaborating since 2017 with Kherwadi Social Welfare Association to support Tribal and Rural communities in Palghar, Gadchiroli, and Ratnagiri Districts in Maharashtra.

In Gadchiroli Mukul Madhav Foundation supported 15 villages with Period Positive Holiday Homes and Individual toilets for tribal families along with smokeless chulhas.

On 28th Oct 2023 Mukul Madhav Foundation inaugurated 3 new Period Positive Holiday Homes (taking the total to 18), and installed 40 smokeless chulhas in Yedasgandi, Kondwahi and Godalwahi village in Gadchiroli in the presence of Grampanchayat Members, villagers, and Mr. Bhagwat Pankaj, Finolex Representative from Nagpur.



The villagers were very happy and welcomed Finolex and those present with their traditional program. This initiative is to empower and support tribal women in these villages, impacting their overall health and well-being. Period Positive Holiday Homes give tribal women the dignity they deserve, where previously they were treated like outcasts during their menstruating days, and banished to unsafe and dilapidated huts on the outskirts of the village. The innovative smokeless chulhas replace the traditional chulha that not only adversely impacted the health of women and children at home, but also impacted the environment.



Mukul Madhav Foundation extended their support to 17 government schools in Buxar – Bihar and Kota – Rajasthan. 30th October, 2023

On 30th October, Mukul Madhav Foundation signed an agreement with Yuva Unstoppable for the project School Transformation Project in Buxar – Bihar and Kota – Rajasthan in the presence of Shri Rahul Kumar (IRS), PS, Shri Ashvini Choubey (Minister of State for Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution from Buxar Bihar and Shri Raghvendra Singh, OSD, Shri Dinesh Parita, Executive Officer, OSD, Shri Om Birla (Speaker, Lok Sabha) along with Finolex Industries Limited representatives Mr. Anil Whabi, Former Managing Director Mr. Saurabh Dhanorkar Non-Executive Director Mr. Ashutosh Kulkarni CS and head legal, Mr. Sachin Kulkarni and Team Mukul Madhav Foundation, Mr. Amitabh Shah Founder Yuva Unstoppable and Team Yuva Unstoppable. In the 1st Phase of collaboration with Yuva Unstoppable, Mukul Madhav Foundation supported 9 government schools in Lucknow as per the appeal and request made by Shri Yogi Adityanath ji, Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. We responded with 13 toilets for both boys and girls, 9 drinking water areas, 6 mid-day meal sheds and 7 dishwashing areas. Fully funded by Finolex Industries, the entire work of refurbishment, new tiling, new hardware.



Other such support will benefit 5491 students. In this second phase, Mukul Madhav Foundation will support 7 schools in Buxar – Bihar, and 10 schools in Kota – Rajasthan with sanitation facilities, Mid-Day meals, and Clean and safe drinking water facilities which will benefit 5543 students. This furthers our belief in creating sustainable, ongoing impactful projects. blood tests were performed (CBC, HB-electrophoresis, and sugar).

**Awareness Session on Stitching
Materials Availability, Procurements,
and Stitching Markets for Gavasad
Tailoring Classes (Near FIL Masar)
30th October 2023**

Mukul Madhav Foundation has initiated holistic development through training for the women of Gavasad Village, including tailoring classes.

Mukul Madhav Foundation will conduct an awareness training session for the tailoring students, covering topics such as health, basic first aid, personal grooming, hygiene, personality development, communication skills, the importance of education for children, banking services and their benefits, and entrepreneurship for tailoring.

Today, on the 30th of October, the team from Shree Charitable Trust, a Vadodara-based NGO, delivered an awareness session on Budget Management, Negotiations, Marketing, Market Research, Entrepreneurship Skills, and how to set up a Small Business.

The women gained valuable insights into entrepreneurship skills and learned how to set up a new business.



**Mukul Madhav Foundation supported
Marathwada Mitra Mandal Polytechnic
College in Pune with 24 computers
for their language lab.
30th October, 2023**

Education plays a pivotal role in shaping the future of students, and providing them with the latest technology and resources, like a language lab, can greatly enhance their learning experience. It's also an excellent way to support the development of engineering skills.



On 30th October 2023 we signed an agreement with Marathwada Mitra Mandal in the presence of College Principal Mrs Geeta Joshi, Dr Mrunalini Lakhe, and Mr Jyotiram D Randive with the Mukul Madhav Foundation team represented by Mr Jitendra Jadhav, and Miss Yasmin Shaikh.

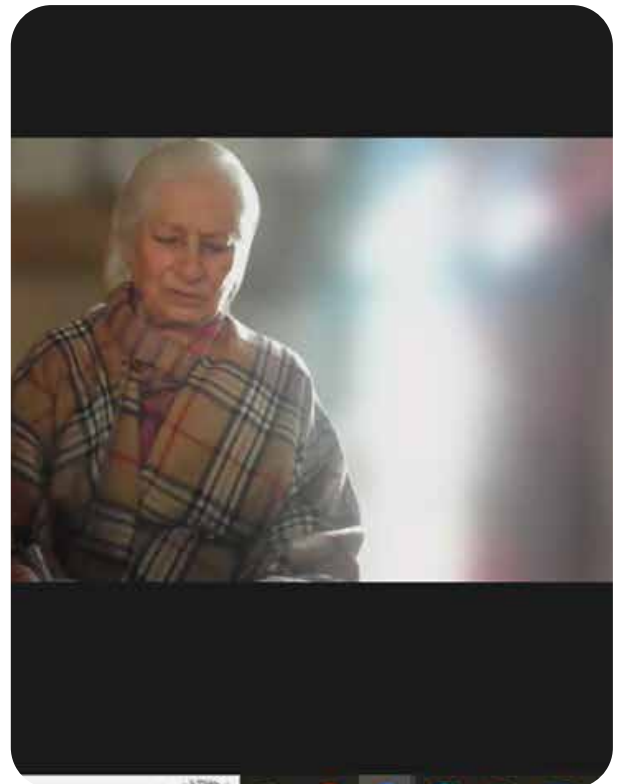
Mukul Madhav Foundation support
destitute and vulnerable women
in Jammu and Kashmir
30th October, 2023

In an endeavor to support livelihood opportunities for women-headed families, widows, farmer women and other vulnerable women, Mukul Madhav Foundation support 12 villages across the Kupwara / Pulwama & Budgam districts with the project Livelihood Support to Jammu Kashmir Vulnerable Families through Agro-based Small Scale projects. Directly benefiting 50 households in 1st Phase for livestock support (Microeconomic Initiative for landless women-headed households. 300 households benefited with Inputs (Seeds and tools) vegetables/fruits for small landholders/ poor farmers. Indirectly benefiting 20000 rural population, in six villages with awareness sessions and better farming techniques.

Last year Mukul Madhav Foundation supported 20 women with 100 sheep in Jammu & Kashmir, now these women are benefitting very well with good income from the wool business.

Our on-ground partner is HELP (Human Efforts for Love and Peace) Foundation headed by Mrs Nighat Shafi Pandit who works with rural communities in violence-scarred Jammu and Kashmir. Belonging to a well-known Kashmiri family, Pandit is one of those rare women who stepped out of a comfortable home to address the pain and trauma of people caught up in a 16-year-long conflict.

Her organization, the Help Foundation, Jammu and Kashmir, focuses on, among other things, educating orphans, rehabilitating widows, and promoting peace and intercommunity harmony.



Mukul Madhav Foundation team Member
Mr Babalu Mokale and Mr Santosh Shelar
met with Shri Jankalyan Kaksha, the PA
to CM of Maharashtra.
31st October, 2023

Our team got an audience and an attentive listening ear from the Personal Assistant to the Chief Minister of Maharashtra. It was a fruitful meeting, and a promise of deep and long collaboration with the government.

We discussed ways to collaborate on the various initiatives that the Government of Maharashtra is planning to start across districts.

- 1) Digital literacy
- 2) Supporting Farmers with basic equipment
- 3) Solar lights in rural Maharashtra
- 4) Online education for 10th class students
- 5) Skill development courses in school
- 6) Water management in cities
- 7) Spreading awareness and use of the Menstrual Cup



Besides these there are also other initiatives that they would like to implement with the collaboration of NGOs and CSR programmes.

We also shared details on the various initiatives we are currently implementing across Maharashtra, and India. Shri Kaksha expressed a readiness of the Government to collaborate on these initiatives too. He assured us of help on-ground from the CM office across all departments.

This meeting was very encouraging and gives us great hope to see our work find more impetus going ahead.



Mukul Madhav Foundation continues to support Yerwada Open Jail in Pune. 1st November, 2023

Mukul Madhav Foundation have been supporting the Yerwada Prison over the last 8 years with a health camp for women and children, skilling in tailoring for women prisoners, agriculture support in the open jail by training the inmates, and in August 2023 supported them with a canteen which is now operated by the Open Jail Prisoners

On 1st Nov. 2023, Mukul Madhav Foundation signed an agreement to renovate Daulatrao Jadhav Jail Officers Computer Training College Yerwada Jail Pune after their appeal and request for the same. This was done in the presence Mr. Amitabh Gupta (IPS) who is an ADG, Jails, Maharashtra, Dr Jalindar Supekar DIGP Deputy Inspector General of police, Mr. Nagesh Patil Superintendent Training Centre Jail and Mukul Madhav Foundation team.

This Training Center is to train Superintendents and Jail staff from all the districts of Maharashtra



Our team visited the Mukul Madhav Foundation CP Center at Sharda Social Welfare Trust Kheda, Gujarat District for the inauguration of exhibitions featuring Diwali products prepared by specially-abled children.
2nd November, 2023

The inauguration was attended by Mr. Rajesh Gadhiya, the Superintendent of Police of Kheda District. During his visit, he had the opportunity to observe Mukul Madhav Foundation CP Center and expressed appreciation for our support. In his speech, he mentioned that it is truly commendable that though there are many industries in Kheda District, a company like Finolex Pipes Industries from Vadodara, supports this special cause in an unrelated district.



Our CP Center's initiative was covered by the Doordarshan News channel.

Our team also met with Mr Mehul Parmar, the Director of Sharda Social Welfare Trust (SSWT), and a physiotherapist. The key points discussed during the meeting were as follows:

- The therapy for the children is progressing well, and they are maintaining detailed records in a notebook. They also provide us with weekly therapy progress reports.

- SSWT recently organized an eye checkup camp with the support of the Lions Club, where children were diagnosed and provided with the necessary spectacles and guidance from doctors.

- Mr Parmar expressed his gratitude to FIL Management for placing an order for Toran and providing a platform for product showcasing at the Yellow Ribbon fair.

- As discussed with Chirag Sir, there is a plan to procure Diya Boxes for Gujarat's GWD kits from SSWT, and Mr Parmar requested it would be greatly appreciated if FIL/MMF could place an order for the same.

- Mr Parmar also requested, if possible, to provide 70 kits to their centre's children, including materials such as T-shirts, dental and hygiene kits, Diya, and sweets. This would serve as motivation for both specially-abled children and their parents. We promised that we would fulfill this appeal at the earliest.



Mukul Madhav Foundation continue their support to the District Police department, Ratnagiri.
3rd November, 2023

We have been working in various domains such as Health, Education, Environment, Sanitation, Water conservation, Community Development and women empowerment for the last 30 years. We have also been supporting various other projects and schemes that will help the community and other government departments. In continuation with the same, Mukul Madhav Foundation have donated 550 helmets to



the Police Department, Ratnagiri on 3rd November, 2023. The ceremony was held at police parade ground, Ratnagiri.

SP Ratnagiri Mr. Dhananjay Kulkarni, Additional SP Mrs. Jayshri Gaikwad, Director Technical, Finolex Industries, Mr Saumya Chakravarthy and members of Mukul Madhav Foundation team were present for the ceremony. SP Mr. Kulkarni appreciated this kind gesture of donating helmets taken by the Mukul Madhav Foundation. He stated that this will help prevent serious injuries in case of unavoidable accidents thereby benefitting the victim and improving Road safety. He also added that Mukul Madhav Foundation have always supported the Police department in various activities for many years.

Honourable District Collector, Mr. Devendra Singh also thanked Mukul Madhav Foundation for donating helmets to the police department. He also added that the use of the Helmets by the Police Department will increase awareness about the safety measures needed to be taken by the common public.

Beneficiaries were also delighted to have such quality helmets distributed to them and thanked Mukul Madhav Foundation for such a generous donation.

**Mukul Madhav Foundation supports a
skilling center at Gujarat, training over
500 women with expertise in stitching
till date.**

4th November, 2023

The 9th batch of Tailoring Classes at Gavasad village, was completed with an exam on 4th November for 20 students of Shree Charitable Trust (SCT).

The SCT team conducted the exam in three formats:

1) Theory, 2) Practical, and 3) Viva.



Mukul Madhav Foundation brought smiles to 70 specially-abled children at Mukul Madhav Foundation Gujarat CP Center by distributing Diwali Gifts. 9th November, 2023



Mukul Madhav Foundation supports Sharda Social Welfare Trust in Kheda District, Gujarat, by providing a physiotherapist and speech therapist for regular therapy. Over the past two years, FIL-MMF distributed Groceries Kits under Give With Dignity and this year too, Mukul Madhav Foundation supplied kits to 70 children.

This year's kits include not just Diwali celebration items like sweets, soji, a diya box and Grocery Item, but also essential Personal Hygiene Items such as shampoo, hair oil, soap, toothbrush, and toothpaste. It's heartening to see the joy on the children's faces upon receiving these thoughtful gifts.

Mr. Mehul Parmar, Director of Sharda Social Welfare Trust, highlighted Mukul Madhav Foundation invaluable support for regular therapy, assessment camps, and celebratory events. He also commended Mukul Madhav Foundation Management for consistently prioritizing the well-being of these children and motivating them through various forms of support. They conveyed their sincere thanks to everyone at Mukul Madhav Foundation, and warm wishes for a Happy Diwali to the entire Mukul Madhav Foundation Family!

Mukul Madhav Foundation supported the maintenance of a Community RO, benefiting 1200 villagers. 10th November, 2023



Kotana Village, near Masar plant, requested RO maintenance due to its high repair cost. The gram panchayat couldn't afford it, causing around 1200 villagers to suffer from a lack of pure drinking water. Mukul Madhav Foundation supported the cause. The inauguration program on 10th November was attended by the President of Padra Taluka Panchayat, Village Sarpanch, Gram Panchayat Members, Villagers, and Mukul Madhav Foundation representatives. The Sarpanch of Kotana Village expressed gratitude, stating that the RO was non-functional for the last 6 months, causing significant hardship. He thanked Mukul Madhav Foundation for their support.

This Diwali, Mukul Madhav Foundation illuminated Jalalpura Village (Near FIL Masar) with LED Streetlights, symbolizing the triumph of light over darkness for the entire community.

10th November, 2023

Previously, Jalalpura Village had inadequate lighting, causing safety concerns and difficulty in moving around after nightfall. Responding to Jalalpura Gram Panchayat's request, Mukul Madhav Foundation supported the initiative by installing 100 streetlights, covering the entire village.

The inauguration was attended by the Village Sarpanch, Gram Panchayat Members, Villagers, and Mukul Madhav Foundation representatives. The Village Sarpanch expressed in his speech that while they light diyas at home during Diwali, Mukul Madhav Foundation illuminated the entire Jalalpura Village, making it the best Diwali gift and celebration ever for the village.



Mukul Madhav foundation supported NGO Sabari Pratishtan for their 'Children's Day' event at Mumbai 11th November, 2023

Sabari Pratishtan, Mumbai, a NGO that works for well being of children celebrates "Children's Day" every year for the last 11 years. The event consists of different games, quiz competition, drawing competition & much more. More than 2000 children from all over Mumbai participate in this event.



This year too, Finolex Industries Ltd and Mukul Madhav Foundation sponsored the event for these children from 9th November to 14th November 2023. We continue to spread Hope and Happiness!

Mukul Madhav Foundation
rehabilitating vulnerable children
through access to education, healthcare,
nutrition etc. in Delhi in collaboration
with Railway Children India
23rd November, 2023

Mukul Madhav Foundation works to prevent vulnerable children living within urban slum communities from facing harm and slipping into street life in slums in Delhi with the collaboration of Railway Children India.

To ensure that rights to education, health (including mental health), nutrition, child protection, and child safeguarding are accessible to every one of the 1298 children residing in the four high-risk slum communities.

On 23rd Nov. 2023 Railway Children India organized the exhibition of arts and crafts designed by children during the Child Rights Awareness Week (14th to 23rd Nov) in Sarai Rohila slum. Children also performed to present their creativity and also experience fun and laughter.

Mr. Arunkant Ojha General Manager - Sales (Project & Retail) from Finolex Industries attended the program and motivated children.



Support for National TB elimination program by providing nutrition kits in Vadodara District

In line with the National TB Elimination Programme (NTEP), which aims to eliminate TB by 2025 as announced by the Honourable Prime Minister Shri. Narendra Modi, Mukul Madhav Foundation joined hands with the Vadodara District TB Department in March 2023 to provide support through Nutrition Kits for the last 6 months. We have now extended this support till March 2024.

Location - Masar, Gujarat and Ratnagiri and Panchgani, Maharashtra. Soon to also begin in Satara and Pune.



Masar

100 kits

KANZAT VILLAGE

MOBHA VILLAGE

SANDHI VILLAGE

PADRA BLOCK

Ratnagiri

503 kits

RATNAGIRI

LANJA

SANGMESHWAR

DEVROKH

MANDANGAD

DAPOLI

GUHAGAR

CHIDLUN

KHED

MONTHLY SUPPORT



Cataract Surgery- 70

(H V desai hospital and Seth Tarachand Hospital)



Thalassemia Support with Filters and medicine -187

(Wishing Factory, Bharathi Hospital,
Thalassemia Society of Pune Chapter)



Diabetic support- 118

(KEM Hospital Pune, Masar, Jalgaon, Daund)



Grocery support- 64



Midday Meal- 1000 + Daily



Teacher support- 8

(Mahatma Gandhi school and Panchgani school)



One Fellowship Support at KEM hospital



One Physiotherapist salary support at ECHS

(Ex-Servicemen Contributory Health Scheme)



Medical Support- 156 patients support



Education Support- 22 Students support

SPECIAL CASES

Finolex Industries Limited CSR Partner Mukul Madhav Foundation grow a sense of confidence in the persons with disabilities

Dusshera has been a disaster for many, when it was time of festivity to us.

2 children who participated along with their parents in a Dusshera deity procession were injured by a generator explosion in Mahabaleshwar. They were rushed to a local hospital and thereafter sent to Surya Hospital in Pune as they are suffering from more than 60% burns.

Samarth Suraj Sapkal – aged 7 years

Alina Sajid Nadaf – aged 6 years

MMF has set aside 5 lac to support both these children

Name of Patients:- Aditya Rajendra Saluke

Age:- 28years

Diagnosis:- A.L.L (Blood cancer relapse)

Surgery details: BMT (Bone Marrow Transplant)

Treatment Update

Surgery done on 9th November 2023 by Dr Madhura Deshpande and Bharathi hospital, 20 day he was isolated at BMT room 1st December 2023 he got discharge from hospital , follow treatment will be done for one year, weekly twice he has to visit hospital for consultancy, blood investigation and medicine.

It was first surgery of BMT at Bharathi hospital, all doctor and patients express thank you to Mukul Madhav Foundation and Mr Malav Shah

In the presence of Dr Madhura Deshpande (Pediatric Hematology), Dr Vibha Bafna (pediatric Hematology and Oncology) and Mr Pravin Jadhav (accountant head) Dr Anita Sangle(medicine department) MSW department and other BMT staff

Thank you

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For your continued help and support
towards Mukul Madhav Foundation.

Hope you have enjoyed this issue!

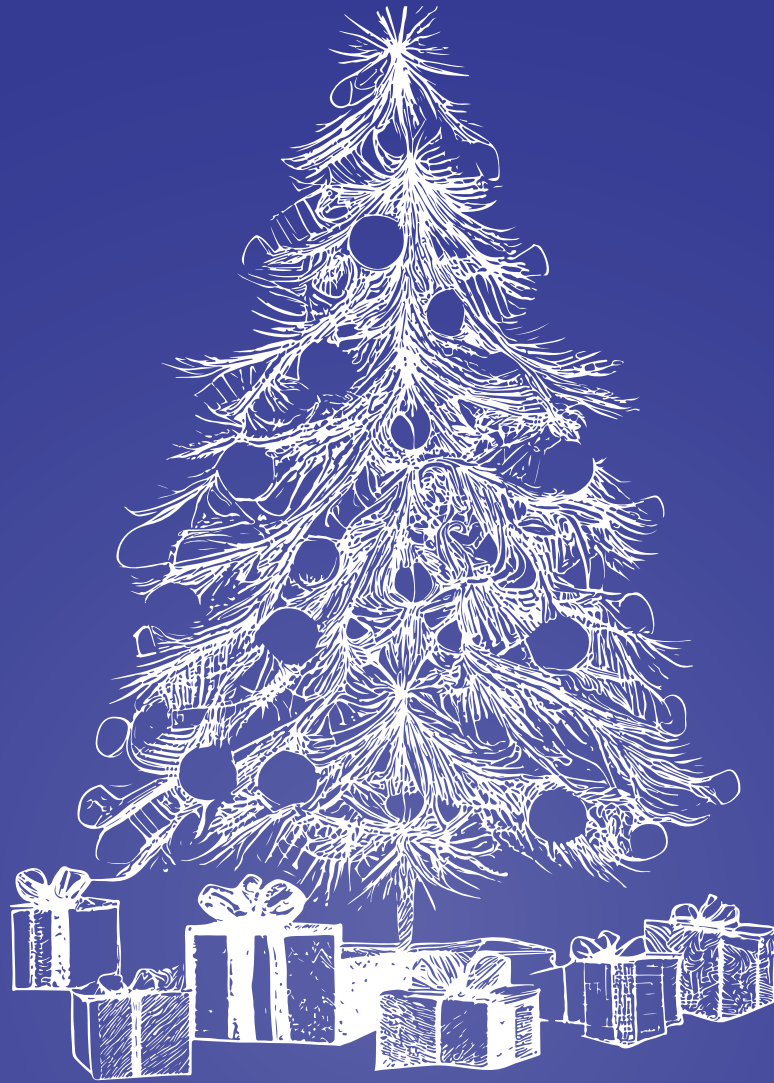
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Merry Christmas
and a prosperous
New Year