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MONTHLY ACTIVITIES REPORT

**JANUARY
2024**



From the President's Desk

Dear all,

January at Mahesh Foundation has been a whirlwind of auspicious beginnings and meaningful progress. As we step into the new year, I am filled with immense pride and gratitude to share the remarkable achievements we have witnessed.

The New Year celebrations at Mahesh Foundation were enthusiastic. We looked back with satisfaction at the accomplishments of the previous year and set goals for the new year.

Firstly, the inauguration of the new classroom at our School and Skill Center Building marks a significant milestone. The SFS Group senior management officials visited Mahesh Foundation and inaugurated the New Classroom they supported under CSR.

Furthermore, the vibrant celebrations that unfolded on the auspicious day of Ram Mandir Pran Pratishtha in Ayodhya served as a powerful reminder of the unifying spirit of faith. The donation of an ambulance by NSIC will prove invaluable in providing timely and critical medical care to those in need of the children.

With your continued support and collective efforts, Mahesh Foundation will continue to empower underprivileged children.

Thank you for being a part of our journey.

With warm regards,



The **BEGINNING** of a **NEW CHAPTER** of compassion and education!

We performed pooja at our newly constructing School and Skill Center Building for underprivileged children. With every prayer, we lay the foundation for a brighter future, where knowledge and opportunity will empower young minds. With every brick laid, we create stories of the transformation and empowerment of these children.



SFS Group Unveils New Classroom

SFS Group is one of the major and prolonged supporters of Mahesh Foundation. They have supported our various initiatives in the past 8 years. SFS Group supported the construction of a classroom in Mahesh Foundation's School and Skill Center Building.

SFS Group officials visited Mahesh Foundation and inaugurated the New Classroom they supported under CSR. These senior management officials of SFS Group honored the program with their presence.

Mr. Jens Breu, CEO, SFS Group

Mr. Volker Dostmann, CFO, SFS Group

Mr. Alfreid Schneider, Chairmen, SFS Group India

Mr. Urs Langenauer, Automotive Division Head, SFS Group

Mr. Calvin NG, Director of Business Development, Unisteel Limited Singapore

Mr. Prashant Kore, Director of India Operations, SFS Group India

Mr. Paras Shah, CFO of SFS India

Mr. Chandrakant Kulloli, AVP, Operations, SFS Group India

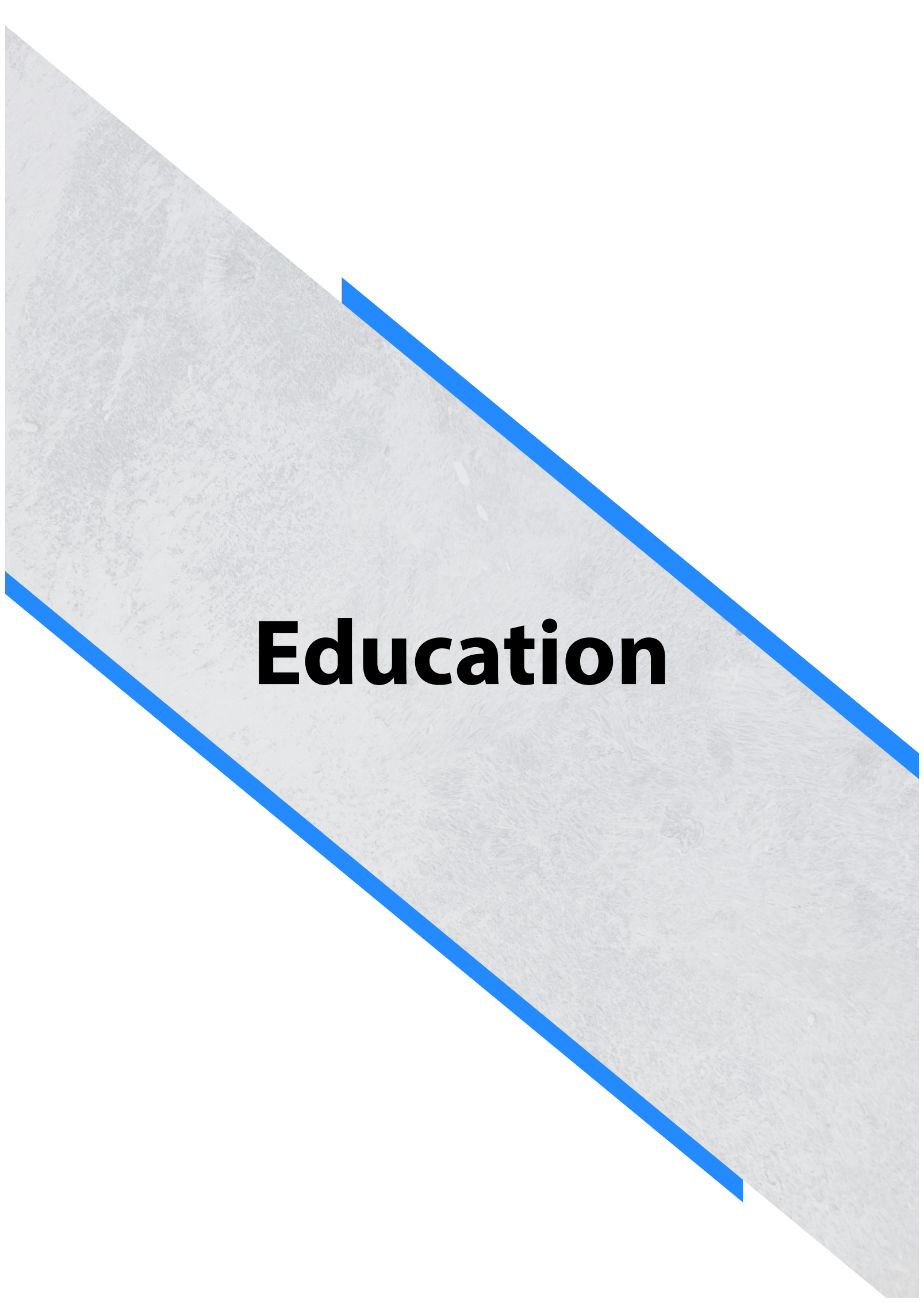
Mr. Satish Bhosale, Sr. Manager HR & Admin at SFS Group India.



A Glimpse into the Future Impact

The evolving structure of the New School and Skill Center Building stands as a powerful symbol of hope and resilience, embodying the Mahesh Foundation's unwavering commitment to creating a better future for over 500 underprivileged children. As this transformative project takes shape, it not only represents bricks and mortar but signifies the promise of education, empowerment, and opportunity.



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Education

Savitribai Phule Jayanti Celebration at Utkarsha Learning Center:

Utkarsha Learning Center celebrated Savitribai Phule Jayanti, commemorating the birth anniversary of the pioneering social reformer and educationist, Savitribai Phule. The event was marked by a fervent acknowledgment of her immense contributions to the field of education and women's rights in 19th-century India. The children learned the role of Savitribai Phule for the cause of women's education and breaking societal norms.

Utkarsha Weekly Review Meeting: A platform to reflect and strategic planning

Every week, we organize weekly review meeting of the teachers at Mahesh Foundation's Utkarsha Learning Center, reviewing the week's efforts and achievements. This meeting also serves as a platform for reflection and strategic planning of the upcoming week. Our ultimate goal is to contribute to the holistic development of 640 children in our school.

Healthy Habits in Action: Interactive Lifestyle Activity Children

The children at Utkarsha Learning Center engaged in an activity that showcased the best practices for maintaining a healthy and hygienic lifestyle. They participated in hands-on experience on fundamental habits essential for their well-being such as handwashing techniques, waking up early in the morning, and brushing their teeth twice a day.



Embracing the teachings and ideals greatest monk Swami Vivekananda

At Utkarsha Learning Center, we celebrated National Youth Day in honor of Swami Vivekananda on his birth anniversary. Embracing the teachings and ideals of this great spiritual leader, our center echoed with enthusiasm and a sense of purpose. Paid tribute to Swami Vivekananda's timeless philosophy that continues to guide and motivate all the generations.

Children's Creativity through Hands-On Architectural Creations

At Utkarsha Learning Center, the creative children engaged in a hands-on activity as they prepared models of buildings. This activity nurtured their artistic abilities and also fostered a sense of accomplishment as they proudly presented their crafted buildings, symbolizing the skill-based education of Utkarsha.

Playful Learning at Utkarsha: Engaging Games for LKG and UKG Children

At Utkarsha Learning Center, we organized engaging games for our LKG and UKG children. Recognizing the critical importance of both mental and physical growth during these foundational years, our carefully curated activities aimed at enhancing overall development. These activities also instill essential skills such as teamwork, creativity, and problem-solving.



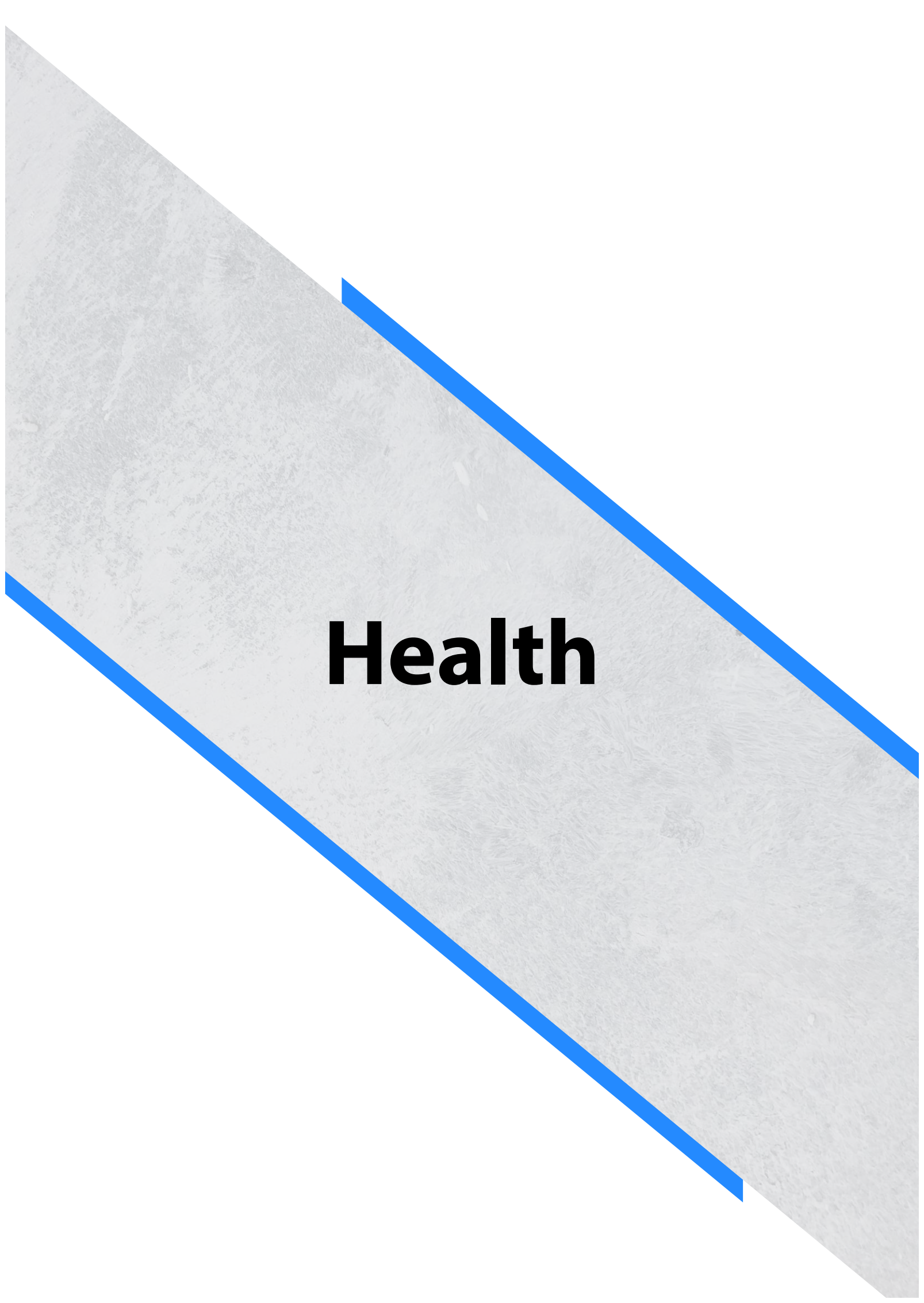
Commemorating Valiant Leader Subhash Chandra Bose

At Utkarsha Learning Center, we celebrated Subhash Chandra Bose Jayanti with great fervor. The occasion marked the birth anniversary of the valiant leader, Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose. The celebration at Utkarsha Learning Center included informative sessions on Netaji's life and contributions instilling a sense of pride and patriotism among the students.

Mahesh Foundation's Republic Day Celebration Unveils Patriotism & Harmony

Celebrated vibrant Republic Day. The children, volunteers, and dedicated staff came together for a stirring flag hoisting, symbolizing shared pride in their diverse nation. The event showcased the talents of the children through cultural performances, highlighting India's rich heritage. Mahesh Foundation's commitment to holistic development shone through, making the Republic Day celebration a heartfelt reaffirmation of their mission.



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Health



Harvesting Joy: Makar Sankranti Celebration by Children at Mahesh Foundation

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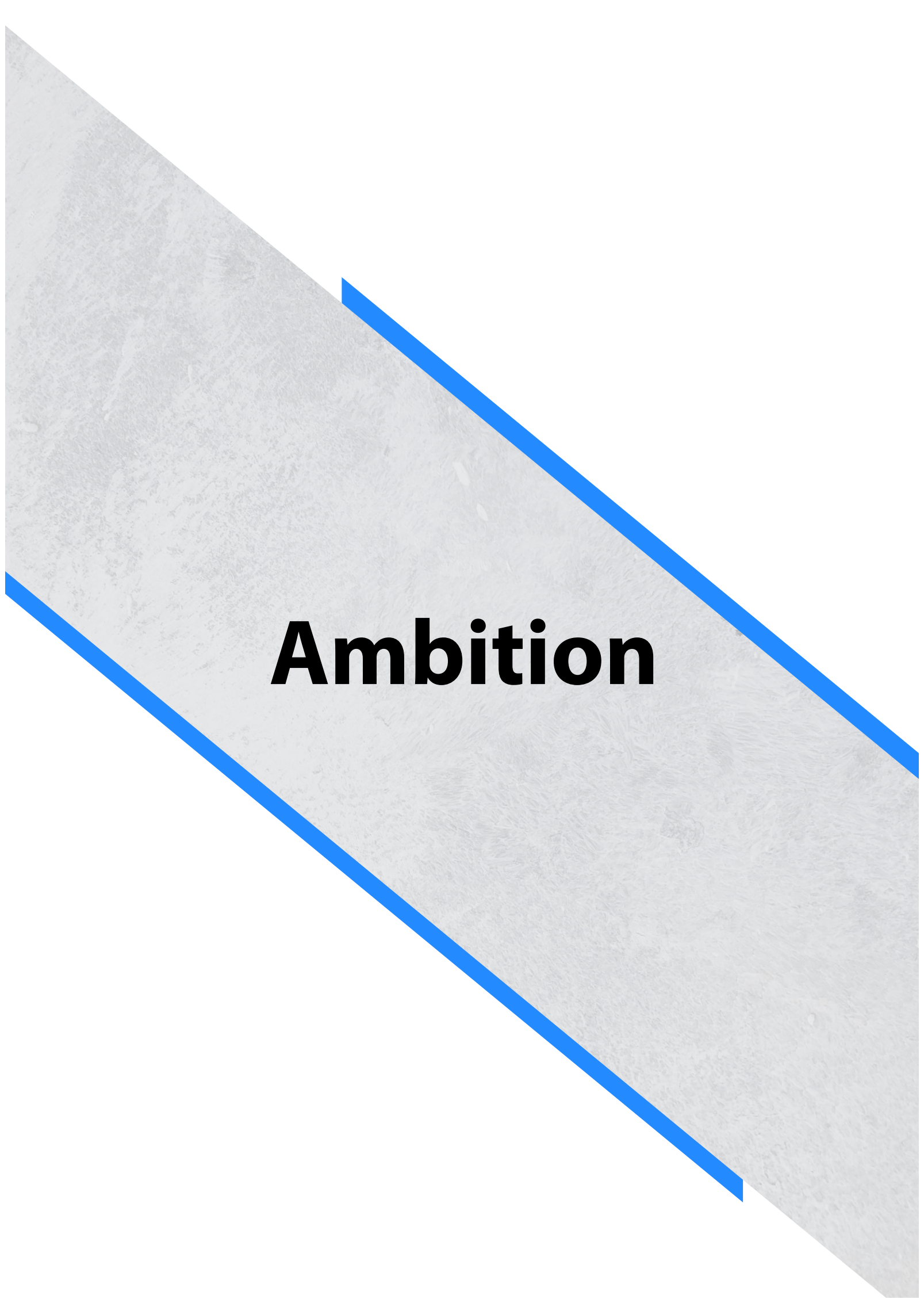


Strengthening the Healthcare System with the support of NSIC

To enhance the foundation's capabilities in providing critical healthcare services to HIV-positive children and needy people, we procured a new fully-equipped ambulance. The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd (NSIC) supported the Mahesh Foundation by providing this vital resource.

On a momentous occasion, esteemed officials of the NSIC Belagavi Branch. Mr. Rama Rao, the Branch Manager, and Mr. Arun, the Accounts Manager, graced the Ambulance Handover Ceremony event with their presence as they formally handed over an ambulance to the foundation. This philanthropic gesture is a testament to the collaborative efforts between the NSIC and Mahesh Foundation under CSR. This ambulance will serve hundreds of children in the coming days.



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Ambition

New Year, New Beginning, New Hope to fulfill the dreams of Children!

In the spirit of a new year, the Mahesh Foundation started a transformative initiative. We are delighted to share with you our new project (we keep secret of the details at this moment). It's the beginning of a promising initiative that will benefit thousands of children in the coming days.





Events & Visits

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Bharatesh PU College Students Embrace Social Responsibility

The students from Bharatesh Pre-University College of Art, Commerce, and Science in Belagavi recently embarked on a significant visit to the Mahesh Foundation, actively embracing the principles of social responsibility. With great enthusiasm, they ardently learned the importance of social responsibility, emphasizing its pivotal role in fostering positive societal change.

Jain Degree College NSS Unit Embarks on a Journey of Social Responsibility

The NSS Unit of Jain Degree College, Belagavi, visited Mahesh Foundation as a part of social responsibility. With great enthusiasm, they learned about Mahesh Foundation's activities and the importance of their responsibility towards the betterment of society. Such initiatives enable us to instill values of compassion and responsibility in the younger generation, ensuring active participation in societal well-being.



Actor Vinay Rajkumar and 'Ondu Sarala Prema Kathe' Team Brighten Mahesh Foundation with Unexpected Visit

In a heartwarming and unexpected turn of events, a popular actor of the Kannada Film Industry, Vinay Rajkumar, director Simple Suni, producer Mysuru Ramesh and the team of 'Ondu Sarala Prema Kathe' movie graced Mahesh Foundation with their presence. They spent valuable time interacting with the children and staff. Their visit has been a source of support and encouragement for us.



Belagavi DCP, Siddanagouda Patil visited Mahesh Foundation

A prominent personality in the police department Shri. Siddanagouda Y. Patil, DCP, Belagavi, Smt. Renuka S. Patil and Mr. Ramesh Madiwalar paid a visit to Mahesh Foundation. We introduced our programs and activities. They were overjoyed to see the facilities and the humanitarian services rendered by Mahesh Foundation for the past 15 years.

Prayatna Aftercare girls participated in Girl Child Day Celebrations by DCPU

The National Girl Child Day celebration was conducted in collaboration with Zilla Panchayat Belagavi and the District Child Protection Unit. The esteemed Chief Guest for the event was Smt. Laxmi Hebbalkar, the Minister of Women & Child Welfare. During the celebration, the Minister dedicated time to interact with girls from different institutions. Girls from our Prayatna AfterCare were part of this event.





A devotional gesture by kids to welcome Shriram

A vibrant celebration unfolded as the children eagerly participated in a special Pooja with special consumed by children and participated in the parade to mark the auspicious occasion of the Ram Mandir Pran Pratishtha in Ayodhya. Their enthusiastic participation in the ceremonial rituals and the lively parade along with "Jai Sriram" Slogans reflected a warm and welcoming gesture to honor Prabhu Shriram.

Also, the Mahesh Foundation celebrated a momentous occasion by performing on the auspicious day of the Ram Mandir Pran Pratishtha in Ayodhya. Mahesh Foundation children and the team gathered to watch the live streaming of the Ram Mandir Pran Pratishtha in Ayodhya.



Mahesh Foundation Rings in the New Year 2024

A platform for a comprehensive review of 2023

On the occasion of the New Year, the staff and volunteers of Mahesh Foundation came together to reflect on the organization's programs benefiting thousands of children. This gathering served as a platform for a comprehensive review of the past year's accomplishments and challenges in the year 2023. Together, the team engaged in thoughtful discussions, identifying areas for improvement, and setting ambitious yet achievable goals for the year 2024.



Cultural performance, welcoming the New Year

The New Year Celebration at the Mahesh Foundation was marked by a delightful cultural performance presented by the talented children and team members. The event resonated with joy and vibrancy as the young performers showcased their artistic talents through various cultural expressions, including music, dance, and drama.



Strength Behind Our Success:

The success of Mahesh Foundation can be attributed to the hard work of its employees and volunteers who strive to fulfill the organization's ambitions. On the occasion of the New Year Celebration, Mahesh Foundation bestowed well-deserved honors upon its exceptional employees for outstanding dedication and exemplary work throughout the year 2023. This recognition acknowledges and rewards excellence and also motivates the entire workforce to work for the continued success of the organization.



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