



**Mahesh
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Monthly Activities Report

December 2024



A Message From President

As we close the year 2024, I am filled with immense pride and gratitude for the incredible strides we have made together. This month has been a testament to our commitment to holistic development, as seen through the vibrant activities at Utkarsha School.

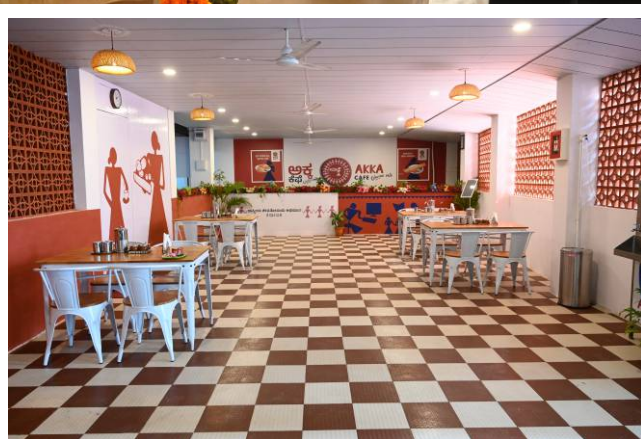
On the social responsibility front, our collaboration with Miracle Foundation and other dignitaries has enabled impactful sessions on stress management and child protection. Initiatives like the Akka Cafe, inaugurated with esteemed leaders, showcase our unwavering focus on empowering women through sustainable livelihoods.

As we embark on a new year, let us carry forward this momentum and continue working towards transforming lives. Together, let us aim to build a brighter and more equitable future for the underprivileged communities we serve.

Wishing you a very Happy New Year 2025...!!!

Warm regards,

Mahesh Jadhav



Akka Cafe Inaugurated **Empowering Underprivileged Women** **in Collaboration with National Livelihood Mission**

We are excited to introduce our new program, "Akka Café", in collaboration with the National Livelihood Mission! This empowering program is dedicated to uplifting underprivileged women by providing them with sustainable livelihood opportunities.

The "Akka Café," established at the Zilla Panchayat premises in Belagavi under the District Administration, Zilla Panchayat, National Rural Livelihoods Mission, and the Department of Skill Development, Entrepreneurship, and Livelihood, has been officially inaugurated.

The inauguration ceremony was graced by several dignitaries, including Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Minister Shri Priyank Kharge, Minister of Women and Child Welfare Laxmi hebbalkar, Minister of Medical Education Dr. Sharanprakash Patil, Belagavi North MLA Shri Raju Saith, Keonics President and MLA Shri Sharath Bacchegowda, Deputy Commissioner of Belagavi Shri Mohammed Roshan, Zilla Panchayat CEO Shri Rahul Shinde, Superintendent of Police Shri Bhimashankar Guleed, and Project Director Smt. Vidyashree, among others.



Utkarsha School Annual Sports

Celebrating Fitness, Team Spirit, and Holistic Growth

The Annual Sports at Utkarsha School has been started with great enthusiasm and excitement. The event began with an inspiring inaugural ceremony, featuring a parade led by the students and the lighting of the lamp to signify the spirit of sportsmanship. The day aimed to emphasize the importance of physical fitness and holistic development.

The children enthusiastically participated in various games and activities. The event featured traditional games like Kabaddi and Kho Kho, where students showcased their agility and team coordination, as well as athletic events such as discus throw and running races.

Education

Interactive Learning:

Utkarsha School Children Explore the Wonders of Blood and Health.

Children at Utkarsha School participated in an engaging and educational activity to learn about blood and its significance in the human body. Through interactive sessions, visual aids, and hands-on demonstrations, they explored topics like blood composition and the importance of maintaining good health.



Highlights of Utkarsha School Annual Day:

Honoring Talent, Achievement, and Holistic Education.

The glimpses of Annual Day celebration of Utkarsha School, showcasing the incredible talents and achievements of students. The event featured a variety of cultural performances. Students were honored for their academic excellence and co-curricular accomplishments, reflecting the holistic approach to education at Utkarsha School.



Utkarsha School Activity:

Exploring Family Bonds and Values.

Children at Utkarsha School participated in an engaging activity to explore the concept of family. The children learned about the different roles and responsibilities within a family. The activity encouraged them to share their own experiences and understand the importance of love, respect, and teamwork in fostering strong family bonds.



Health

MyBlood

Blood Donation: A Lifeline of Hope by Generous Donors.

The act of donating blood brings hope and life to HIV-positive children and critically ill patients who depend on a steady supply of this precious resource. Every donor's contribution is pivotal in ensuring that MyBlood Charitable Blood Bank continues to meet these urgent needs. Each drop collected helps save lives and create a brighter future.



MyBlood

A Life-Saving Blood Donation Camp in Collaboration with HDFC Bank.

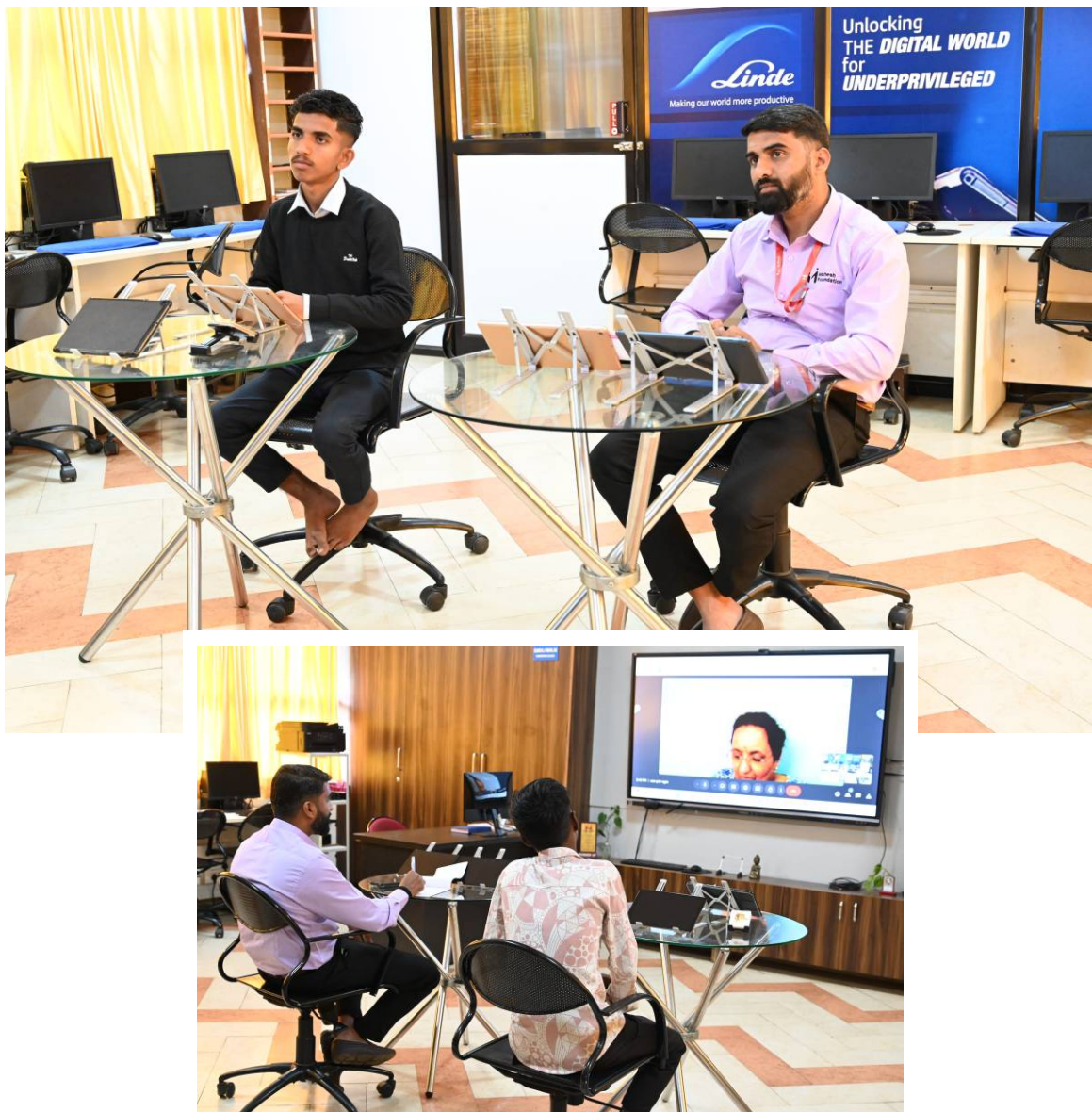
Maresh Foundation's MyBlood Charitable Blood Bank, in collaboration with HDFC Bank Belagavi Branch, organized a Blood Donation Camp to inspire staff and volunteers to contribute to life-saving efforts. This initiative brought together individuals dedicated to making a difference, with each donation supporting the health and recovery of those in urgent need.



Care Home

Stress Management Counseling: Empowering Children at Mahesh Foundation.

Mahesh Foundation organized a counseling session for children on coping with stress. The session was addressed by Rajani Nandakumar, Project Manager at Miracle Foundation. The session provided a safe and supportive environment where children could openly express their feelings and learn practical strategies to manage stress.



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Self-Defense Session by Payal Naidu at Mahesh Foundation.

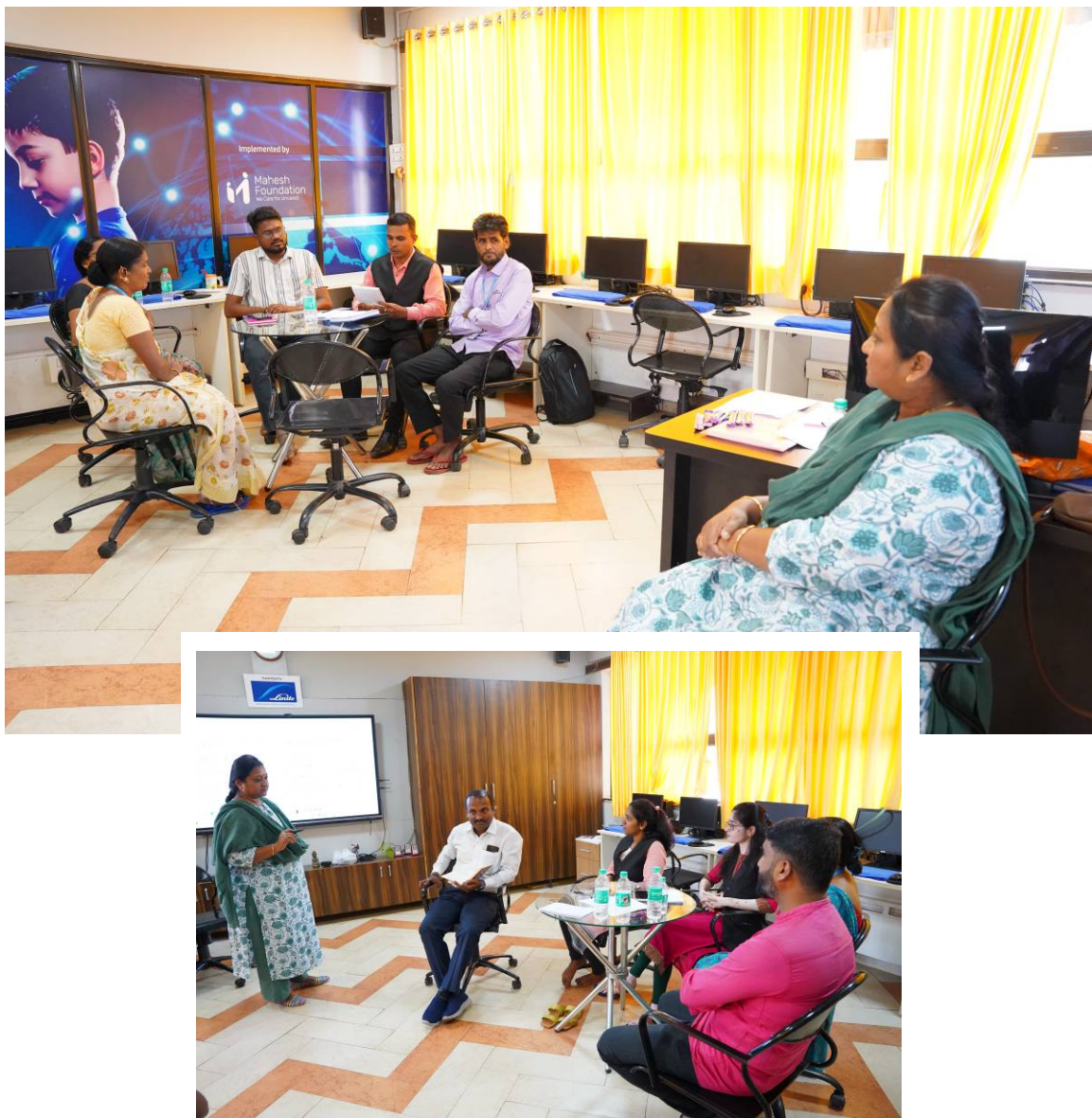
Payal Naidu, a skilled self-defense instructor, conducted a session on self-defense techniques for the children at Mahesh Foundation. The session aimed to build confidence and teach practical skills for personal safety. This session was a vital step in empowering the children to face the world. We thank Payal Naidu for taking out precious time to teach valuable skills to the children.



Care Home

Child Protection and Safeguarding Awareness Session by Mahesh Foundation and Miracle Foundation.

Mahesh Foundation, in collaboration with Miracle Foundation, organized an insightful session on Child Protection and Safeguarding to create awareness and ensure the well-being of children. The session focused on educating staff and caregivers about the importance of safeguarding children from abuse, neglect, and exploitation.



Events & Visits

Dignitaries Praised Akka Cafe initiative for Women

Dr. Shalini Rajneesh, Chief Secretary to the Government of Karnataka; Shri Raju Kage, MLA, Kagwad; and Shri Rahul Shinde, IAS, CEO of Zilla Panchayat Belagavi, visited Mahesh Foundation's Grameenkart SHG-run Akka Cafe at the Zilla Panchayat premises in Belagavi.

During their visit, they tasted the food at Akka Cafe and highly appreciated its excellent taste and the high standards of hygiene maintained. Akka Cafe is a flagship women empowerment initiative aimed at promoting sustainable livelihoods for women.

Mahesh Foundation is proud to collaborate with the Government of Karnataka and the National Livelihood Mission for this impactful program.



NSS and YRC Students of RPD College Visit Mahesh Foundation.

Students from NSS and YRC Unit of Rani Parvati Devi College of Arts & Commerce, Belagavi visited Mahesh Foundation. During the visit, we enlightened the students about social responsibility, HIV awareness, and the importance of youth engaging in social responsibility initiatives.

NSS and YRC Students of Bhaurao Kakatkar College Visit Mahesh Foundation.

A group of 105 students and professors from the NSS and YRC Unit of Bhaurao Kakatkar Degree College, Belagavi, visited Mahesh Foundation, gaining valuable insights into social responsibility and the challenges associated with HIV/AIDS. The session inspired the students to actively contribute to societal well-being.



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