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MANTHAN SVK Newsline

The holistic education program for underprivileged

DJJS preachers under the banner of Manthan-SVK lead moral session

Schools in ancient times or our *Gurukuls* were the propagators of moral teachings and they were instrumental in the building of responsible youths of our country. No doubt, such moral values seem to be missing in the students of today's money demanding schools or institutions. Understanding the need of the hour, Manthan, a social program by Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan (DJJS) took up the task of educating under-privileged children and shaping their character with high morals and ethics. Furthermore, moral education sessions are also conducted by DJJS at school and colleges.



Moral Session at Nigam Pratibha Vidyalaya, Kailash Colony, New Delhi on October 4, 2014

दिल्ली के निगम प्रतिभा विद्यालय ने अपने छात्रों को नैतिक शिक्षा प्रदान करने के लिए संस्थान को आमंत्रित किया जिसके तहत संस्थान की दिल्ली की नेहरू प्लेस ब्रांच की प्रचारिकाओं ने वहाँ छात्रों का उचित मार्गदर्शन किया।

Joyful Manthanites shine with Diwali celebration

It seemed as if their wings had got an open sky to enjoy with a fearless and limitless fly. Their joy knew no bounds when another celebration knocked the door of Manthan-SVKs.

SVKs at Patel Nagar, Shakurpur, Badli, Vikaspuri and Dwarka in Delhi, SVK at Padampur in Bihar, SVKs at Ashok Nagar and Gopal Nagar in Ludhiana, Punjab, and SVK at Faridabad in Haryana celebrated Diwali on October 22, 2014.

Blended with cultural events, moral sessions, sponsors' visits, gift distributions, and much more, this Diwali truly ignited the 'Diya of Knowledge and Wisdom'.

The event at Patel Nagar, Delhi, was graced by Mrs. Archana Gupta, Councillor, Ranjeet Nagar.

Also present on the occasion, Sadhvi Deepa Bharti, Program Coordinator, Manthan, in her address, underscored the need to inculcate in children our Indian moral and ethical values. Her views also laid emphasis on significant issues like eliminating child labour and celebrating an eco-friendly Diwali. She also encouraged the audience to contribute to this noble cause.

It is also worth mentioning that Rotaractors from the Rotaract Club of Shri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce, Delhi University, also visited the Patel Nagar SVK before Diwali. They taught children the technique of making artifacts and planting sapling in a decorative bottle and encouraged them to make Diwali an eco-friendly event.

To add more, students at Vikaspuri SVK came out with an anti-cracker rally to spread the message of beautifying this festival with environment-friendly things, thereby making it eco-friendly. Manthanites of this SVK also painted earthen diyas in a pre Diwali event.

Manthan always remains at the forefront to utilize every opportunity and teach Manthanites the importance of Indian festivals and hidden lessons in them. This celebration also served as a medium to reconnect them to their culture and restore the glory of our Indian value system.



दिल्ली के पटेल नगर, शकूरपुर, बादली, विकासपुरी एवं द्वारका सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र, बिहार के पदमपुर सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र, पंजाब के अशोक नगर एवं गोपाल नगर सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र और हरियाणा के फरिदाबाद सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र पर दिवाली का त्यौहार हर्षोल्लास से मनाया गया। किसी सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र पर स्पॉन्सर आकर बच्चों से मिले तो किसी ने रंगारंग कार्यक्रम का आयोजन कर बच्चों की प्रतिभा को मंच पर दर्शाया। विकासपुरी सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र द्वारा एक एंटी क्रैकर रैली निकाली गई। त्यौहारों के माध्यम से मंथन अपने छात्रों को सदैव भारतीय संस्कृति की महानता से परिचित कराने में प्रयासरत रहता है।

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Village Improvement Project: Phase I concludes successfully in Bihar

The Village Improvement Project undertaken by Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan (DJJS), in collaboration with a Canadian organization, Women's Empowerment International Foundation (WEIF), is the harbinger of a bright future for the four flood-affected villages of Bihar, namely, Dhanauja, Sukhasan, Lokahi, and Parsauni. A part of the Rural Development Initiative of DJJS, this project marks the onset of a new journey for villagers, especially women who are being counselled on nurturing their skills in handling agricultural activities, with the support of Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK), Saharsa, Bihar.

Another instrumental plan being implemented is the training of these women to make some long term income generating products and ultimately, securing a source of revenue generation and livelihood.

From September 2014 to October 2014, following activities were conducted under the first phase of this project.

- 550 Mango saplings were distributed to 200 women beneficiaries.
- Training on organic farming was given by scientists from Krishi Vigyan Kendra.
- Awareness generation on maintaining good health and hygiene was done among villagers.
- Vitamin A tablets were distributed among children of 1-5 years of age group, while D-vorming pills were distributed to all the children of adopted villages. They were also familiarized with the significance of these doses, with the assistance of Dr. Vijay Kumar and Dr. Lalbahadur of Yuva Mandal Committee.

It is also noteworthy that a two-day Mushroom Cultivation Training Camp was conducted at village Barahi, Parsauni, district Saharsa, as a part of the second phase of this project. The program was attended by 40 women farmers who were trained by scientists, Dr. Sunita Paswan and Dr. Nadeem Akhtar from Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Agwanpur.

Dr. Sunita Paswan, the Scientist, shed light on the benefits of Mushroom, which helps fight many diseases. She also said, "The production of Mushroom helps in generating income for the modern unemployed youth."

This training camp will also be held in other three villages of Bihar.

Such initiatives are impactful in shaping the attitude and worth of women living in those villages. Grabbing the brilliant opportunity to boost their skills, these women have ensured their contribution in making their families self sustainable.

बिहार के चार गाँव - धनौजा, सुखासन, लोकही एवं परसौनी में डी. जे. जे. एस एवं विमेन्स एम्पावरमेंट इंटरनेशनल फाउंडेशन (विफ) द्वारा चलाई जा रही ग्राम सुधार परियोजना (विलेज इम्प्रूवमेंट प्रोजेक्ट) के अंतर्गत 200 महिलाओं को आम के पौधे बांटे गए। उन्हें कृषि विज्ञान केंद्र, सहरसा के वैज्ञानिकों द्वारा कृषि सम्बंधित जानकारी दी गई।

इस परियोजना में अगला कदम था उन चार गाँवों में हेल्थ कैम्पस लगाना जिनका कार्य भार युवा मंडल कमेटी के डॉ. विजय कुमार और डॉ. लालबहादुर की सहायता से संभाला गया। इसी के साथ बिहार में ग्राम सुधार परियोजना का पहला चरण समाप्त हुआ।

परियोजना के दूसरे चरण में 40 महिलाओं को मशरूम कल्टीवेशन की ट्रेनिंग भी दी गई। ग्राम परसौनी से हुई शुरुआत के बाद यह ट्रेनिंग बाकी के तीन गाँवों में भी आयोजित की जाएगी।



Sponsors: Major supporters of Manthanites

Acting as the supporters of Manthanites, different sponsors visited their respective Manthan branches. On October 13, 2014, an admirer of Manthan visited Shakurpur SVK in Delhi and gifted stationery and other utility items to Manthanites. She also motivated them to maintain health and hygiene and shared some useful tips.

On October 22, 2014, two sponsors brought gifts to Manthanites at Gurgaon SVK in Haryana and appreciated their performance in academics and extra-curricular activities.

They penned their expression as, "We are really happy to see all kids getting the good environment with all amazing faculties. We will keep coming and spend time with all these kids. Really love to see them rising in their lives."

In this series of visits, some sponsors also met Manthanites at Dwarka and Badli SVKs in Delhi and held an encouraging interaction with them.

Mrs. Gurjeet Toor and Mr. Varinder Singh Toor, along with young admirers Bhagwan Singh Toor and Reet Toor visited Gopal Nagar SVK in Ludhiana, Punjab on December 20, 2012 and distributed stationery and sweaters to Manthanites. They motivated the students to keep marching ahead on their educational path and become a responsible youth.

स्पोर्सर्स ने अपनी शिरकत कर बच्चों से मुलाकात की एवं उनका उत्साहवर्धन किया। हरियाणा के गुड़गाँव सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र, पंजाब के अशोक नगर तथा गोपाल नगर सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र और दिल्ली के शकूरपुर, द्वारका एवं बादली सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्रों में स्पोर्सर्स ने बच्चों को उपहार दिए।

Swachta Abhiyan across Manthan-SVKs

Exhorting students to maintain hygiene and cleanliness has always been among topmost agendas of Manthan-SVKs. A passionate cleanliness drive, 'Swachta Abhiyan' was kicked-off by Manthan on the occasion of Children's Day on November 14th, 2014. This also manifested the cleanliness campaign running all across the country. Students were guided by teachers in proceeding with cleaning the nearby roads. They were also joined by community people.

It is also significant to mention that Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan (DJJS) was invited by GRH Public School in Ludhiana, Punjab on their Children's Day celebration. The occasion was graced by DJJS Preachers, Sadhvi Deepa Bharti, the Program Coordinator of Manthan and Sadhvi Rajni Bharti.



स्वच्छता अभियान में पुरजोर भागीदारी दर्शाते हुए मंथन के सभी सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्रों द्वारा 14 नवम्बर 2014 को बाल दिवस मनाया गया। इसी के साथ लुधियाना, पंजाब के जी. आर.एच. पब्लिक स्कूल ने संस्थान को अपने बाल दिवस समारोह में निमंत्रित किया। संस्थान की प्रचारिकाएं साध्वी दीपा भारती जी एवं साध्वी रजनी भारती जी ने उस समारोह में शिरकत की।

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बच्चों को वार्डियां व स्वेटर बांटे



Bags distributed to Manthanites in Bihar

Manthanites at the SVKs at four villages of Bihar were seen profoundly happy when bags were distributed to them. Parents of these children suffer from a bad economic condition and therefore, cannot afford good bags or other utility material for them.

The bags were distributed by Swami Yadvendranandji, Preacher, Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan (DJJS), Bihar, to 550 student beneficiaries. They were funded by Women's Empowerment International Foundation (WEIF), Canada, under the Community Initiative Program of Alberta, Canada.



बिहार के परसौनी, धनौजा, गया एवं पदमपुर सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्रों में संस्थान के वरिष्ठ प्रचारक स्वामी यादवेंद्रानन्द जी द्वारा बच्चों को स्कूल बैग्स बांटे गए। इस वितरण का प्रायोजन कनाडा की वूमेन एम्पावरमेंट इंटरनेशनल फाउंडेशन (विफ) द्वारा किया गया।

Training Program at RIVER: Preparing Teachers for Shaping Students' Future

Teachers at Manthan-SVKs utilize a perfect blend of traditional and contemporary learning techniques. Their endless quest to learn more and more brought to them a six-day certified training program at RIVER - Rishi Valley Institute for Educational Resources, Rural Education Centre, Madanpalle, Andhra Pradesh from November 5 - 10, 2014. Attended by 17 Manthan teachers from three states of India- Delhi, Bihar and Punjab, the training program was sponsored by Women's Empowerment International Foundation (WEIF) under the Community Initiative Program of Alberta, Canada.

The training was on a pedagogy based on MGML - 'Multi Grade Multi Level' methodology to cater different levels and grades. Topics included sessions on comprehensive support program in MGML, content development and localisation, potential of MGML for inclusion, simulations on identifying learning levels and routine establishment, language, mathematics, ESL and EVS transaction in MGML classroom, RTE conformance with MGML, identifying existing challenges faced by teachers in schools and strategic planning to overcome them.



दिल्ली, बिहार एवं पंजाब से मंथन के सत्रह टीचर्स ने रिवर-ऋषि वैली इंस्टिट्यूट फॉर एजुकेशनल रिसोर्सेज, मदनपल्ले, आंध्रप्रदेश में एक छः दिवसीय ट्रेनिंग प्रोग्राम में भाग लिया। यह ट्रेनिंग करवाने में अल्बर्टा, कनाडा के कम्युनिटी इनिशिएटिव प्रोग्राम के अंतर्गत कनाडा की वूमेस एम्पावरमेंट इंटरनेशनल फाउंडेशन (विफ) द्वारा सहयोग दिया गया। यह ट्रेनिंग एम.जी.एम.एल. प्रणाली पर आधारित थी।

Sanskrit speaking classes for Manthanites at Shakurpur SVK

Be it conducting moral sessions, practicing ved mantras or celebrating festivals, Manthan-Sampoorn Vikas Kendras (SVKs) always strive to connect Manthanites to India's rich culture and tradition. This endeavour brought a 12-day Sanskrit speaking course to Manthanites at Shakurpur SVK. The session commenced from December 23, 2014.

Underscoring the significance of Sanskrit, an ancient language of India, the classes were conducted by a Sanskrit student of Maharsi Valmiki College of Education, Delhi University, as a part of their community work. The classes were based on *Shishtachar sambandhi Sanskrit gyan*, *Samanya parichay*, *Vastu gyan*, *Angwachi Sanskrit shabd gyan*, *Vanapati sambandhi Sanskrit gyan*, *Parivarik sambandhi Sanskrit gyan*, *Bhartiya parampara gyan* and other important Sanskrit themes.

मंथन के दिल्ली के शकूरपुर एसवीके में महर्षि वाल्मीकी कॉलेज ऑफ एजुकेशन, दिल्ली युनिवर्सिटी की एक छात्रा ने कम्युनिटी वर्क के चलते बच्चों के लिए दस दिवसीय संस्कृत कक्षाओं का आयोजन किया। इसमें संस्कृत ज्ञान से सम्बंधित विभिन्न प्रकार के पाठ पढ़ाये गए।



Counselling sessions at Delhi SVKs



Brutal terrorist attack: Manthan-SVK prays for peace to departed souls

"What man has made of man.", said William Wordsworth in his poem 'Early Spring'.

Manifesting the outcry of humanity, this is indeed an appropriate expression given by this renowned poet. What seems to be a sentimental element here is the attack on a human by another human. The brutal killings of innocent school students and staff people of the Army Public School in Peshawar, Pakistan tells another tale of merciless terrorists.

Praying for peace to those souls, Manthan-SVK at Ashok Nagar, Ludhiana, Punjab, held a havan and observed a two-minute silence on December 18, 2014. All the Manthanites, along with their teachers paid tribute to them. Sadhvi Ambalika Bharti, Preacher, Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan (DJJS), said, "Many innocent people lose their life due to these terrorist attacks and the whole country has to suffer."

DJJS also expressed grief on the killings caused by this cruel attack.



पेशावर, पाकिस्तान के आर्मी पब्लिक स्कूल पर हुए एक आतंकी हमले को वजह से मासूम बच्चों तथा स्टाफ सदस्यों को अपनी जान गवानी पड़ी। उन सबकी आत्माओं की शांति के लिए पंजाब के अशोक नगर सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र में एक हवन का आयोजन किया गया जिसमें सभी बच्चों एवं टिचर्स ने दिवंगत आत्माओं को ऋद्धांजली अर्पित की।

Manthan-SVKs ensure timely interactions with Manthanites as well as their parents to discuss their progress report and combat challenges faced by them during studies.

A counselling session was taken by Mrs. Uma Narayan, Counsellor and Life Skills Expert, at the SVK at Shakurpur, Delhi on October 5, 2014, in which she enlightened students with effective solutions to resolve the issues cropping up in their educational and family life.

Two similar counselling sessions were held at Dwarka SVK on October 29, 2014 and December 4, 2014 in which Mrs. Uma Narayan interacted with students and parents respectively. She dealt with issues like health, hygiene, concentration etc.

Another such informative session was held at Mangolpuri SVK on December 5, 2014 for parents and they were counselled on ways to cope with constraints faced by them.

दिल्ली के शकूरपुर, द्वारका तथा मंगोलपुरी सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्रों पर श्रीमती उमा नारायण, काउंसलर एंड लाइफ स्किल्स एक्सपर्ट द्वारा काउन्सलिंग सेशन लिए गए। कही उन्होंने मंथन के बच्चों से बातचीत कर उनकी पढ़ाई एवं निजी जिन्दगी में आई दिक्कतों को सुलझाया तो कही उन्होंने बच्चों के माता-पिता से बात कर उनकी परेशानियों का हल सुझाया।

PTMs at Punjab SVKs encourage parents

SVKs at Ashok Nagar and Gopal Nagar in Ludhiana, Punjab, organized a Parents' Teacher Meet on October 17, 2014. Directed towards discussing child-centric issues, the meet proved to be beneficial in familiarizing parents with the performance of their children. Parents expressed happiness over their children's improvement in academics and other activities.

These meets were again organized at Gopal Nagar and Ashok Nagar SVKs on December 23 and December 24, 2014, respectively.

At the Gopal Nagar SVK, 30 parents were counselled by Sadhvi Rajni Bharti, Preacher, Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan (DJJS), on their children's academic growth.

At the Ashok Nagar SVK, DJJS Preachers Sadhvi Veerasha Bharti and Sadhvi Rajni Bharti interacted with 55 parents who were encouraged to take care of their children's education.

पंजाब के अशोक नगर एवं गोपाल नगर सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्रों में एक पेरेंट्स टीचर मीट का आयोजन किया गया जिसके तहत शिक्षा सम्बंधी जानकारी प्रदान की गई। सभी माता-पिता ने भी उनके बच्चों की पढ़ाई में आए बदलाव पर प्रसन्नता व्यक्त की तथा कुछ दिक्कतों के बारे में विचार विमर्श कर शिक्षकों से समाधान प्राप्त किया। दोनों सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्रों में फिर से अलग अलग दिन पर पेरेंट्स टीचर मीट्स का आयोजन किया गया जिनमें संस्थान की प्रचारिकाओं ने बच्चों के माता पिता को उनकी शिक्षा के प्रति जागरूक किया एवं उनकी मुश्किलों को हल किया।



Health camp at Vikaspuri SVK

In keeping with the practice of ensuring good health and hygiene among students, a health camp was conducted at Vikaspuri SVK on October 17, 2014. Dr. Shailendra examined 43 students who were also given some health tips to follow in routine life.

दिल्ली के विकासपुरी सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र में एक हेल्थ कैंप लगाया गया जिसमें डॉ. शैलेन्द्र ने बच्चों की मेडिकल जांच की।



Brilliant Manthanites participate in Talent Search Competition



A Talent Search Competition was held at Gopal Nagar SVK in Ludhiana, Punjab on October 22, 2014. Students composed beautiful poems and coined thoughtful slogans, indicating the elimination of evils prevailing in the society.



Sadhvi Rajni Bharti, Preacher, Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan (DJJS), was also present on the occasion. She said, "Milk is churned to produce butter. Similarly, Manthan motivates these students to discover their latent abilities."



Mrs. Mandeep Sahota, the Head of this SVK, said, "Earlier, these children used to be with their parents while they would work at other people's home. Now their day begins with Ved Mantras. They feel good while contemplating on their holistic wellness and imbibing education here."

पंजाब के गोपाल नगर सम्पूर्ण विकास केन्द्र में एक प्रतिभा खोज प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया गया जिसमें बच्चों ने समाज में फैली बुराईयों से जुड़ी कविताएं तथा स्लोगन्स सुनाए।

Manthanites add flavor to Rotaract Club Installation Ceremony

The high spirit, praiseworthy performance and talent of Manthanites have endeared them to Rotaractors. Showcasing a gesture of camaraderie, the Rotaract Club of Shri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce invited Manthan team to be a part of its another event, the Installation Ceremony, held at the College on October 30, 2014.

Sadhvi Deepa Bharti, Program Coordinator of Manthan, graced the event. Exhibiting their potential, cheerful Manthanites of the SVK at Gurgaon, Haryana, gave an enthralling dance performance and earned laurels from the audience.

दिल्ली युनिवर्सिटी के श्री गुरु गोबिंद सिंह कॉलेज ऑफ कॉमर्स के रोटरेक्ट क्लब ने मंथन टीम को अपनी इंस्टॉलेशन सेरेमनी में आने का निमंत्रण दिया। मंथन की कार्यक्रम संयोजिका, साध्वी दीपा भारती जी ने इस सेरेमनी में शिरकत की तथा मंथन के बच्चों ने वहां नृत्य प्रस्तुतीकरण से सबका मन मोह लिया।



Your sponsorship brings them joy

Manthan expresses its gratitude to all the sponsors who have extended their contribution towards an attention-seeking social cause, the education of under-privileged children. Parents who could never visualize the educational journey of their children are happy and satisfied today.

मंथन उन सभी स्पॉंसर्स का आभार व्यक्त करता है जिन्होंने आगे बढ़कर एक महत्वपूर्ण सामाजिक कार्य के लिए अपना योगदान दिया। इसी सहयोग के चलते आज गरीब तबकों से जुड़े बच्चों ने थाम ली है शिक्षा की डगर।



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Your contribution can help under-privileged children nurture their latent abilities and secure their future.

Contribute to this noble cause by sponsoring a child with the donation of Rs. 7200 for one year. You can also make small donations to support the cause. All donations are exempted under section 80G of the Income Tax Act.

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