

A. A dream coming true

A.1 Our dream project of a free Old Age Home (OAH) has taken a concrete shape with the formal inauguration of the Home at House No.1-223, Susarla Colony, Gopalapatnam, Visakhapatnam-530027 on 18-3-2018, a New Years Day for Telugus, Maharashtrians and Kannadigas.

A .2 The OAH is now equipped with most of the necessities for comfortable living, courtesy our Members and Well Wishers.

A.3 It is a fact, however, that we do not have any inmate as on date.

A.3.1 One old person suggested by Sri K. Appala Raju, Trustee, Vijaya Sai Yoga Charitable Trust and our Member, preferred to stay in the free old age home of the Trust.

A.3.2 We found, on background checking , the person recommended by Sri Ch. R. S. Sarma, Permanent Member, unsuitable.

A.4 An appeal was to all our Members, once again, through our monthly letter to recommend any destitute senior citizen, for admission to our OAH, after thorough scrutiny.

B. New Members

1. Sri D. Narasimha Raj, Senior Assistant, Traffic Department, Visakhapatnam Port Trust, Visakhapatnam, joined as an Ordinary Member on 9-3-18, courtesy, Sri T. Purushottam, Committee Member.
2. Sri K. Appalaraju, Managing Trustee, Vijaya Sai Yoga Charitable Trust, Visakhapatnamam, joined as an Ordinary Member, also on 9-3-18, courtesy, Sri M. Rama Rao, President.
3. Sri Gorthi Suryanarayana, Executive (Retd.), L.G. Polymers, Visakhapatnam, joined as an Ordinary Member on 17-3-18, courtesy, Ms. G. Venkata Lakshmi, Member, Visakhapatnam.

C. Full fledged Permanent Member

C.1 Sri D.S.R.C. Raghava Rao, Treasurer, became our 29th full fledged Permanent Member by contributing the final instalment on 17-3-18.

D. Donations

D.1 Following is the list of items donated for our OAH in March, 18:

1	2 ceiling fans (used)	Sri DSRC Raghava Rao Treasurer
2	20 Blankets	Ms. N. Vijayalakshmi, Member
3	1 ceiling fan	Sri N. Ratna Pradeep, Member
4	1 Pedestal fan	Ms. N. Soujanya, Member
5	10 Plastic chairs	Ms. G.V. Lakshmi, Member
6	20 Towels	Ms. P. Bhagirathi, Member
7	1 Gas stove (used)	Sri R. Atchannaidu, Member
8	2 Ceiling fans	Ms. P.V. Krishnaveni, Well Wisher
9	3 tube lights with fittings	Sri G. Viswanatham, Member
10	6 steel meals plates, 6 big and 4 small glasses, 10 bowls and 11 spoons	Ms. P. Rajani Rao, Life Member
11	1 Washing machine (used) and 1 wet grinder (used)	Ms. M. Balaripurasundari, Life Member
12	4 Plastic chairs (used) and 1 small ceiling fan	Sri D. Narasimha Raj, Member

List of items purchased with cash donations by Members/Well Wishers

1	Inverter, Stabilizer and battery	Rs. 21,500
2	22" colour T.V., Refrigerator & 10 Beds and Pillows	Rs. 70,500
3	4 iron cots with plywood planks	Rs. 16,000

D.2 Following is the list of cash donations for charitable purposes received in March, 18:

S.No.	Received From	Amount-Rs.	Received On
	Ms. M.B. Ramayyamma, Well Wisher, Visakhapatnam	6,000/-	1-3-18
	Ms. S. Indira, Member, Hyderabad	6,400/-	1-3-18
	Sri P. Ramkiran, Member, USA,	4,500/-	5-3-18
	Sri K.V. Prasanna, former Member, Hyderabad	1,001/-	5-3-18
	Sri L. Suryanarayana and Ms. Seshaveni Suryanarayana Well Wishers, Rajamahendravaram	1,00,000/-	9-3-18
	Sri P. Raghuramaiah, Vice-President ,Visakhapatnam **	2,100/-	10-3-18
	Sri N.V.N. Prasad, Member , Visakhapatnam	5,000/-	12-3-18
	Ms. R. Jyothi, Member , Hydeabad	1,000/-	12-3-18
	Ms. L. Saradamba, Life Member, Khargapur	50,000/-	12-3-18
	Sri P.V. Haranath, Life Member, Australia **	10,000/-	14-3-18
	Sri K. Sambasiva Rao, former Member, Visakhapatnam	3,000/-	17-3-18
	Sri Y.S. Narasimha Rao, Well Wisher, Rajamahendravaram	3,000/-	23-3-18

TOTAL Rs.1,92,001

** monthly donation

E.Financial assistance to Old Age Home.

E. 1 Continued our financial assistance of Rs.9,000/- p.m. to Vijaya Sai Yoga Charitable Trust, Visakhapatnam, towards the upkeep of 3 senior citizens at their free Old Age Home at Nerellavalasa, Visakhapatnam District. (NEFT vide cheque No. 365950, dated 5-3-18).

F. Financial assistance to meet medical expenses

F.1 Cheque no. 365954, dated 22-3-18 for Rs.14,265/- in favour of M/s. Emerging Societies International Foundation, Visakhapatnam towards the cost of medicines prescribed in a free medical camp conducted for the inmates of the Old Age Home of Vijaya Sai Yoga Charitable Trust, Visakhapatnam, was handed over to Sri K. Appala Raju, Trustee and our Member by Sri R. Atchannaidu, Member, Visakhapatnam on 22-3-18.

F.2 Cheque no.369953, dated 31-3-18 for Rs. 5,000/- issued in favour of Vivekananda Medical Trust, Visakhapatnam, towards part expenses on purchase of medicines for conducting one free medical camp at Tatichetlapalem, was handed over to Dr. Kesava Rao of the Trust by Sri T.Purushotham, Committee Member on 31-3-18.

G. Term deposit

G.1 An amount of Rs.1,00,000/- was kept in term deposit with the Visalakshinagar Branch of SBI, Visakhapatnam, on 31-3-18 vide cheque no. 365963, dated 31-3-18.

G.2 With this our total term deposits with SBI add up to Rs.41 lakhs.