

AASARAA [Regd.No.417/2011] HANDS THAT SERVE ARE BETTER THAN LIPS THAT PRAY (A Society registered under the Andhra Pradesh Societies Registration Act, 2001)



Monthly Activities – December 2020

A. Sad News:

I regret to report that Sri P. Rajeswara Rao, aged 85 years, a Permanent Member of the Society, who lived an active life, including serving as the All India General Secretary of Bharat Sevak Samaj, when Guljarilal Nanda ji was the Chairman, expired on 3-12-20.

The Governing Body of our Society at its meeting held on 13-12-20 unanimously passed the following resolution:

"The Governing Body prays that the Soul of Sri Rajeswara Rao garu may rest in peace and God may grant his spouse Ms. Leelavati, who is also a Permanent Member of AASARAA and other members of the family, the strength to bear the loss.

B. New Member:

Sri B. Madhava Rao, Accounts Assistant, East Coast Railway, Visakhapatnam, joined as an Ordinary Member, on 1-12-20, courtesy, Ms. M. Aruna Jyothi, Member, Visakhapatnam.

Sri Madhava Rao is our 372nd Member.

C. Full-fledged Permanent Member:

Sri T. Ramprasad, Visakhapatnam, became our 60th full-fledged Permanent Member, by contributing the final instalment of Rs 18,000/- on 17-12-20.

D. Presentation of cheques for educational purposes:

D.1 Cheque number 209785, dated 11-11-20 for Rs. 10,000/- issued in favour of Vasundhara Junior College for Girls, Hyderabad-500082, towards the part tuition fees in respect of Ms. B. Sireesha, studying Inter 2nd year, was handed over to her by Ms. P. Rajani Rao, Life Member, Secunderabad, on 13-11-20.



Ms. B. Bhaskara Rao father of Ms. Sireesha, is a Cab Driver, with an annual income of Rs.45,000/-.

D.2 Chequee number 209790, dated 16-12-20 for Rs. 15,000/- issued in favour of the Principal, Chaitanya Engineering College, Madhuravada, Visakhapatnam-530048, towards the part tuition fees in respect of Ms. K. Taruni, studying B. Tech., 3rd year, was handed over to her by Sri P. Narayana Rao, Member, Visakhapatnam, on 17-12-20 alongwith his friend and our Well Wisher Sri Ramakrishna.



Ms. K. Nagamani, mother of Ms. Taruni, is a Cook with an annual income of Rs.72,000/-.

D.3 Cheque number 209792, dated 17-12-20 for Rs. 10,000/- issued in favour of Vihan Educational Society, Visakhapatnam-530016, towards the part tuition fees in respect of Mr. K. Jagadeesh, studying Inter 2nd year at Vihan Junior College, Visakhapatnam, was handed over to him by Sri M. Sriramamurty, Permanent Member, Visakhapatnam, on 20-12-20.



Sri Rambabu, father of Mr. Jagadeesh is a Watchman with an annual income of Rs.56,000/-.

E. Renewal of hosting of website:

E. Sri M. Gurunatha Rao Life Member, Cincinnati, USA, renewed our website "aasaraa.org" on 16-12-20 by incurring an expenditure of Rs.14,000/-.

Sri Rao renewed hosting of the website in the previous years also.

F. L.P. Gas connection for Vruddhaasrayam:

F.1 We got gas connection for our Vruddhaasrayam from M/s. Sanjay Enterprises, H.P. Gas Dealers, Butchirajupalem, on 1-12-20.

The entire expenditure of Rs. 4,445/- for this was donated by Sri K. Swaminathan, Member, Governing Body, Visakhapatnam.

F. 2 Sri Swaminathan facilitated the entire process from applying for gas connection till the supply of cylinders.

For this purpose he visited Vruddhaasrayam twice.

F. 3 Also, S/Sri S.Anirudh and S.Deepak, sons of Sri Swaminathan and our Hon. Resident Manager Sri B. Bangar Raju garu twice visited the gas agency.

F. 4 Prior to this the cylinders provided by Sri P.S. Ravikumar, Life Member, Visakhapatnam and Sri M. Rama Rao, President, were being used.

G. B. P. Apparatus for Vruddhaasrayam:

G.1 We purchased a B.P. apparatus and stethoscope as required by the Varun Health Centre for the regular medical check-up of the inmates of our Vruddhaasrayam on 16-12-20.

G.2 The expenditure was met with the donation of Rs. 2,700/- by Sri B. Bangar Raju, Permanent Member, and Hon. Resident Manager of our Vruddhaasrayam.

H. Donations to Vruddhaasrayam:

H.1 Sri B. Madhava Rao Member, Visakhapatnam, on 1-12-20, while joining AASARAA, donated ₹ 3,000/-, to be spent for the purposes of our Vruddhaasrayam, in memory of their only daughter Ms. B. V. N. S. S. Siri Anjana, a brilliant student, who died at an young age of 20 on 7-6-20.

We pray God to give the family the strength to bear the loss.

H.2 Sri G. Koteswara Rao, Member, Ponnuru, Krishna District, donated Rs. 1,000/- on 25-12-20 to meet the food expenses of the inmates of our Vruddhaasrayam, on the occasion of the death anniversary of his father Sri G. Satyanarayana.

I. Visits to Vruddhaasrayam:

I.1 Sri P. Narayana Rao, Member, Visakhapatnam, visited our Aasrayam on 2-12-20 along with his spouse Ms. Vijayalakshmi.

His last visit was 23-11-20.

I.2 Sri J.L.R.K. Varma, our Secretary, also visited the Aasrayam on 2-12-20 and celebrated his 63rd birthday by presenting fruits and homemade sweets to the inmates.

With this, Sri Varma renewed his visits to Vruddhaasrayam that were interrupted by the lock down.

I.3 Sri K. Swaminathan, Member, Governing Body, along with his wife Ms. Lalitha Swaminathan, visited the Aasrayam on 5-12-20.

I.4 He again visited the Aasrayam on 13-12-20 and joined the Zoom meeting of our Governing Body from there. This gave the Members who joined the meeting an opportunity to interact with the inmates.

I.5 Sri A. Ganapati Rao, Member, Visakhapatnam, visited our Aasrayam on 15-12-20.

His last visit was on 27-10-20.

I.6 Sri P. Narayana Rao, Member, Visakhapatnam, who started taking care of our Vruddhaasrayam ever since he joined our Society, visited the Aasrayam on 17-12-20 and 18-12-20.

I.6.1 Sri Narayana Rao helped us in engaging a part time Maid Servant for preparing tea and house cleaning and a person for toilet cleaning at our Aasrayam.

I.7 Ms. D. Seshukumari, Life Member, Visakhapatnam, again visited our Vruddhaasrayam on 23-12-20 and spent some quality time with them.





Ms. Seshukumari, last visited the Aasrayam on 30-10-20.

J. Regular health check-up:

J.1 Dr. L. Ramakrishna Rao of the Varun Health Centre, visited our Vruddhaasrayam on 16-12-20 for regular health check-up of the inmates.

J.2 Sri Bangar Raju garu as usual collected the medicines from the Gajuwaka Centre of the Varun Group.

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