



Monthly Activities – April 2023

1. Sad News

1.1 Sri Vallabhajoshiyula Venkateswara Rao, Permanent Member, Visakhapatnam, expired on 16-8-2022. We received the news only on 27-4-23.

1.2 Sri Venkateswara Rao who was born on 16-8-47 served in the Andhra Pradesh Public Health and Medical Education Department as also the Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation and retired as Executive Engineer.

1.3 Venkateswara Rao garu left behind his wife, a son and two daughters.

May his Soul rest in peace.

2. Matters related to Vruddhsrayam

2.1 Donation to Vruddhasrayam

2.1.1 Sri T.T Nageswara Rao, Sanjose, California State, US, an old friend of Sri M Rama Rao, President, who is on a short visit to India, donated Rs. 20,000/- on 4-4-23, to our Vruddhaasrayam.

The cheque was handed over to Sri Rama Rao and Sri V.V.S.V. Seshagiri Rao, our Well Wisher, at our Vruddhashrayam.

2.1.2 While handing over the cheque, Sri Nageswara Rao hoped that our Vruddhashrayam would be restarted at the earliest.



2.2. Disbursement of old age pension to Sri P.Yogananda Rao

2.2.1 The monthly pension sanctioned to Sri P. Yoganand Rao by the State Government, was handed over to him on 6-4-23 by Sri Pothina Suribabu, Welfare Secretary, at Ravulapalam-2 Secretariat, Visakhapatnam and Sri Bucheswara Rao, Ward Volunteer, using the iris method.

2.2.2 Sri M. Rama Rao, President, took Sri Yoganand Rao garu to the Ravulapalam-2 Secretariat where Sri V.V.S.V. Seshagiri Rao who was coordinating the entire effort was already present.



2.3. Visits to Vaishnavi

2.3.1 Ms. Roopa Yasaswini, studying M.A. (Social Work) at Andhra University, Visakhapatnam, visited Vaishnavi Old Age Home on 02-04-23 and again on 05-04-23 and spent some quality time with Sri P. Yogananda Rao, an inmate of our Vruddhaasrayam, who is temporarily shifted to Vaishnavi.

Ms. Rupa is the granddaughter of Ms. D. Kondamma, Permanent Member, Visakhapatnam and niece of Sri D. Rambabu, Member, Governing Body and Ms. D. Seshukumari, Life Member.

2.3.2 Sri G. Suryanarayana, Member, Governing Body visited Vaishnavi Old Age Home on 11-04-23 and spent some quality time with Sri P. Yogananda Rao.



2.3.3 Sri M. Rama Rao, President also greeted Sri Yogananda Rao at Vaishnavi on 3 more occasions in the month.

2.4 Purchase of agricultural land at Dibbameedipalem village for construction of Old age Home.

2.4.1 Sri M Rama Rao, President, Sri G. Suryanarayana, Member, Governing Body and Sri B V. R. Sarma, past President met Sri M. Ramdas, Senior Advocate, Dwarakanagar, Visakhapatnam on 1-4-23 and 3-4-23 in connection with obtaining legal opinion on the title to the agricultural land proposed to be purchased for construction of our Vruddhaasrayam.

2.4.2 Sri Gorapalli Satyanarayana, owner of the land along with Sri Balireddy Srinivasa Rao, our Well Wisher and a cousin of Ms. D. Seshukumari, Life Member, Visakhapatnam, who also resides at Dibbameedipalem, came there on both the dates along with the original

documents, including 1B patta, answered the queries raised by Sri Ramdas and gave two additional documents as advised.

2.4.3 The opinion given by the advocate was collected on 14-4-23 by Sri M. Rama Rao, President according to which Sri Gorapalli Satyanarayana, owner of the land has got absolute title to the same.

2.4.4 As advised by the Advocate a notification was issued in the Visakhapatnam edition of EENADU on 20-4-23 calling for any objections for sale of land and a fresh measurement of the land was done on 26-4-23 by engaging the services of a licensed Surveyor.

2.5. Restarting of Vruddhasrayam

2.5.1 Shri Vinay Babu, Joint Secretary and Ms.D Seshukumari, Life Member contacted Ms.Ratna Kumari, a retired Teacher, presently residing at P. M. Palem, who showed interest to join as a Care Giver at our Aasrayam, on the evening of 10-4-23 to find out her suitability for the job and briefed about conditions for joining as a Care Giver of our Vruddhasrayam at P. M.Palam.

2.5.2 Ms. Ratnakumari positively responded and it was mutually agreed that both sides will have the option to terminate the engagement after one month's notice from the date of completion of 1 month from her joining the duties.

2.5.3 However, we could not restart the Vruddhasrayam from 15-4-23 as Sri K. Yoganand and Ms. T. Musamma, the prospective inmates backed out in the last minute.

2.5.4 The Governing Body at its Special Meeting on 20-4-23 decided to retain the present premises of the Vruddhasrayam for one more month i.e up to 31-5-23 and restart the Aasrayam if at least 2 more senior citizens are admitted and also place the matter before the Annual General Body Meeting to be held on 30-4-23 for approval.

3. Visit to the agricultural land at Dibbamedipalem

As only Members who already visited once or more than once the agricultural land at Dibbamedipalem under consideration for purchase by our Society, assembled at the Simhapuri Layout Community Hall by 3:00 p.m., the said visit was dispensed with, after waiting for other Members up to 3:30 p.m.

4. Publication of a Brochure about our Society

4.1 Though it was first decided to bring out a Brochure highlighting our activities at the meeting of the Governing Body held on 15-11-20 and reiterated on 8-5-21, the work could be started only from March, 22.

4.2 The Governing Body at its meeting on 9-4-23 unanimously resolved to print 500 copies of the brochure, a product of time taking research by S/Sri M. Rama Rao.

President and R. Suryanarayana Rao, Life Member, Hyderabad and several long hours spent on the computer by Sri S. Ramachandra Rao, now our Permanent Member.

5. Purchase of 2 Jute bag making machines to be donated to Govt. Hostel for Boys

5.1 A letter was received from Sri K. Veerayya, Superintendent, Government Boys' Home under the Department of Children's Welfare, Reforms, Services and Welfare of Street children, Arilova, Visakhapatnam, requesting for financial assistance to purchase two jute bag making machines, to provide a source of income to the boys of the home who received training in jute bag making from Jana Shikshan Sansthan, Government of India.

5.2 The Governing Body, at its meeting on 9-4-23, after examining our aims and objects under paras 5(vii) and 5(xii) of the Memorandum of Association of our Society, resolved to purchase two jute bag making machines after obtaining three quotations from the authorised dealers, consulting our auditors and with the prior approval of the General Body at the meeting scheduled on 30th April 2023.

6. 12th Annual General Body Meeting

6.1 The 12th Annual General Body Meeting (AGM) of our Society "AASARAA" was successfully held on 30-4-23 at the Community Hall of Simhapuri Lay-out, Visakhapatnam- 47.

6.2 30 Members attended the AGM, besides three of our Well-wishers.



6.3 9 Members sent their responses by emails/ WhatsApp messages to the Notice for the AGM and the Agenda notes circulated on 12-4-2023 and 28-4-23, respectively.

Group photo:

From left to right (sitting)

1. G.Bhavahara Rao 2. K. Jaganmohana Rao 3.M.Satyanarayana 4.G. Suryanarayana 5. L. RamaRao 6. T. Purushotham 7.D.Seshukumari 8.K.Vijaya 9. P.Bala Tripurasundari 10. P. Saradamba 11.P. Krishna Kumari 12. P.Rukmini 13. N.Surya Kumari 14. Dr.L.SwapnaFrom

From left to right (standing)

1. D.N.Raj 2. Bh. Subba Rao 3. V.V.S.V.Seshagiri Rao 4. M.Venkata Rao 5.V. Venkatapathi Rao Naidu 6.V.V.N.Murthy 7. L.Chandrasekhar 8.Shaik Gazi Bahadur 9.P.Narayana Rao 10.M.V.S.N.Murthy 11.M.Rama Rao 12. S. Ramachandra Rao 13.D.S.R.C. Raghava Rao 14.J.L.R.K.Varma 15.Shaik Faried

(Members not in the Photo - Sri. M.V.Suryanarayana, Sri M.Ramakrishna Rao, Ms P. Aruna Kumari, Ms P.Lalitha)
