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Ravi Subramanyam



Sheela Ramanan

EDITOR'S NOTE

“Education is not a privilege for the select few. It’s our birthright. If a student lags, change it by nurturing.” TNF has remained committed to this simple and powerful philosophy since its inception. The impact of the ABC program will become apparent when you read the narratives of students who overcame the obstacle of being labeled as “underperformers” and cleared the entrance exams on their way to medical and engineering colleges.

Even during the ravaging pandemic unsettling the lives of all, more so the poor, TNF adopted innovative ways to reach the students in remote corners with sparse access to the internet and primary livelihood. And, TNF has all of you – the ardent supporters, to thank for this accomplishment. She has also lent a helping hand to many hospitals and health centers with supplies of medical equipment and supplies.

Religions may disagree on the God(s) they worship. But they all subscribe to one primary teaching – charity. The medieval poet Avvaiyaar was visionary in what she communicated with her cryptic message,

“அறம் செய விரும்பு” She encouraged us not just to help others but “love” the very act. TNF has adapted her message as its core philosophy. Tireless efforts of the TNF staff and volunteers have helped thousands of students over the years, but the journey is far from over. They need more life members and contributors to sustain their effort. With their streamlined and highly effective engagement, they need a meager \$ 99 to help a student for an entire year, the cost of a few Lattes from Starbucks for a couple of weeks!

Youth Online Exchange is an exceptional program. It exposes students from the U.S. and India to the differences in their cultural nuances and appreciation of what the East and the West have to offer. With such programs, TNF is making an earnest effort to attract the second and third-generation Tamilians in the U.S. to become involved in helping the underprivileged in Tamil Nadu.

Noble gestures are more compelling when demonstrated by a fellow community member. We could all espouse the qualities of Paul Pandian, an iconic personality among us who has seamlessly sewn his successful professional life with his service to humanity. He truly deserves the recognition and the coveted title TNF is planning to confer upon him during the convention.

I wish to thank Sheela Ramanan and Chitra Mahesh from Texas for assisting in editing this year’s souvenir.

“To err is human; to edit, divine!”

Ravi Subramanyam, New Jersey

A Message from the President of Tamil Nadu Foundation



Dear Friends,
வணக்கம்!

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I take immense pleasure in inviting you to the 48th national convention of the Tamil Nadu Foundation organized by the Dallas Chapter during Memorial Day weekend in Dallas, Texas.

The convention committee of more than three hundred volunteers has been working tirelessly to make the event successful and enjoyable.

Because of COVID-19, we could not hold our annual convention for the past two years. I look forward to meeting you in person, and I am sure you all feel the same way about meeting your family and friends during this convention.

We wanted this convention to focus on raising funds for மண் வாசனை, a project launched in 2018 to ensure TNF executes projects in all thirty-eight districts through the corpus funds established for each District. We set an aspirational goal of one million dollars, which will surpass any set in previous conventions. Our rationale was that the newly generated fund would ensure at least \$ 25,000 for each of the thirty-eight Districts. Sensing the urgency and value of the aspirational target, the response from Muruganandan (Dan) Palanisamy, the convention coordinator, was immediate, accompanied by a generous pledge.

I am highly delighted to inform you that as preparation for this விழா மலர் is reaching completion, we are nearing that goal of one million dollars - my heartfelt thanks to the concerted effort of the TNF staff and volunteers. TNF will use the interest generated from the one million dollars (Rs. Forty-five lakhs (at the current exchange rate) per year) for new and existing TNF-USA board-sponsored projects in all the districts.

The Dallas convention committee has requested the first year's interest be spent on the following projects, unanimously agreed to by the TNF-USA Board.

- 8 Government Schools for the Visually Challenged
- 5 Government Schools for the Hearing Impaired
- 1 Government School for the Mentally Challenged
- 1 Government School for the Physically Disabled
- 4 Government Music Schools
- 16 Government Higher Secondary Schools
- 3 District Education Scholarships

This extraordinary organization has been in existence for the past 48 years due to your continued trust and support. I would like to convey my gratitude and truly appreciate your presence at the convention.

Let us celebrate our success by having a fun filled weekend.

நன்றி
என்றென்றும் அன்புடன்,
MURUGAN KANNAN
President, Tamil Nadu Foundation

Convention Co-ordinator

வணக்கம்!



**MURUGANANDAN
PALANISAMY**
Director

Vanakkam! I consider it an honor to act as the Coordinator for the upcoming TNF annual event. I wish to state *why* I find it rewarding, *how* I chose to be associated with TNF, and *what* appears to be the pressing need for the organization.

WHY?

Decades ago, I decided to leave behind my loved ones and migrate to the U.S., seeking professional gratification and improved quality of life. Despite my efforts to stay connected, I have been unable to shake off the nagging sense of guilt for leaving behind near and dear ones in India. Should I play a victim to circumstances? Or, can I avail my economic buoyancy to help my motherland with what I have gained by migrating to the U.S? I do realize I am one of the lucky ones, provided with an opportunity to emigrate, which is not available to a sizeable Indian population. Should I be complacent and ignore the less fortunate back home? I am painfully aware that it would be impossible to support every deserving soul in India. As a compromise, I chose a focussed approach to help the poorest of the poor children in public schools, who face formidable challenges.

HOW?

How do I go about making a difference? Like we do with every investment, I have done my due diligence by conducting extensive research on organizations that seem to be having a significant impact in India, which led me to six major factors to consider:

1) Longevity 2) Political affiliation (more the lack of) 3) Transparency 4) Efficiency 5) Unique Traits, and 6) Proven track record.

For four years, I made efforts to identify and connect with organizations in India that met the above criteria. Tamil Nadu Foundation (TNF) proved to be the best choice! It surpassed my expectations on all fronts. TNF has entered its 48th year of serving all the districts of Tamil Nadu with zero tolerance for controversy. It has no political affiliation. One of the primary reasons for organizing a national convention is to conduct a general body meeting to update members of finances, activities, and plans with absolute transparency. TNF India, executing arm of the parent organization, being CSR certified, is eligible for government grants and has the potential to attract contributions from local companies and corporations, which considerably increases monetary resources. TNF is the only organization with the MOU to walk into government schools of Tamil Nadu and conduct education enrichment exercises during school hours!. The life members elect the public Board every two years. I could not think of a better organization to be associated with to be an enabler.

WHAT?

As an abiding student of Athichudi and Thirukkural, subscribing to the belief that education for all is the true solution for the world, my choice of the "WHAT" program within the TNF became obvious. Mann Vaasanai (TNF District Endowment Fund) was the right choice for the Dallas team to call for a National Convention. Its sole focus is to help the slow learners, mainly in under-served areas, to help reduce dropout rates in public schools. Our request to the Board was to include all the 22 government schools for challenged children as annual beneficiaries from the fund, and the Board magnanimously agreed to it. It has been an immensely gratifying journey; Dallas has built teams from across the nation to gather all the support it needed for a successful convention and worked hard to deliver to this beautiful cause through TNF48!

I sincerely thank all the committee members and volunteers for their time and effort. With their support, I am convinced the convention TNF48 will be a success!

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MESSAGE FROM CHAIRMAN, TNF CHENNAI

Vanakkam,

Tamil Nadu Foundation's sustainable welfare projects enable us to report a significant growth in the number of beneficiaries in Tamil Nadu.

During its 48 year history, the Foundation has been able to impact more than Two Lakh lives of the needy. In 2021-2022, TNF has redefined its Project implementation model and its organisational structure in order to manage the projects more efficiently in the pandemic period. It is worth highlighting major events:

- ❖ ABC Special coaching classes conducted in the students residential areas during the pandemic has benefited 1631 rural students.
- ❖ ABC Project that was designed to benefit the "Academically low achievers" (slow learners) of classes 6 to 9 in Government schools provided support to 4791 students
- ❖ Soft skills training conducted for the students appearing for public examination in the ABC project school has benefitted 4604 students.
- ❖ Instead of educational tours for school students, orientation programme on career guidance organised during the pandemic period has benefitted 2693 students.

In spite of COVID restrictions, Essay writing and Elocution competitions under the 'Libraries are Temples Project' which were initiated to build reading habit among school students, provided an opportunity to 654 students to participate in the competition. Winners were awarded with certificate and trophy and all the participants given participation certificates.

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Overall, TNF has reached out to 17438 students from 89 schools in 26 districts of Tamil Nadu.

Educational scholarships of Rs 73.00 Lakhs have been awarded to 507 students including 65 students who have lost their parents due to covid.

For treatment of coronavirus disease and its long term effects, Medical Equipments to Government Medical Colleges and Hospitals and Primary Health Centers in Tamil Nadu were directly donated by TNF, ATMA, FetNA, ATEA, IIT Alumni Association.

Registration under FCRA for the next five years has been renewed by the Government with permission to undertake social, economic and cultural activities.

Officers and staff of TNF Chennai worked hard to achieve the above targeted activities. I thank Dr. Ka. Ilango, Chief Executive Officer, Mrs. Vasumathi Benny, Executive Director and the staff for the services rendered during this period.

I thank the TNF USA Board and its President Thiru. Murugan Kannan, Vice Presidents and TNF Chennai Center Coordinator Tmt. Usha Chandra for their support. Members of TNF USA and Donors deserve our special thanks for their support even in times of great stress and adversity.

S. Rajarethinam,
Chairman,
TNF Chennai Chapter.

இம்மைச் செய்தது மறுமைக்கு ஆம் எனும்
அறவிலை வணிகன் ஆஅய் அல்லன். (புறநானூறு)

பொருள் : இன்று செய்த ஒரு நற்செயல் பின்னொரு காலத்தில் நமக்கு
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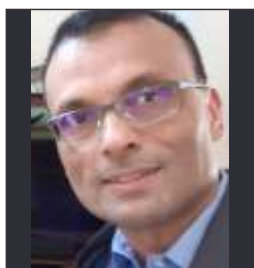
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"A Life of Legacy, Success, and Service"

Mr. Paul Pandian has been a pioneering Indian American and a stalwart in many facets of public, professional, and philanthropic activities in North America and India. He is one of the earliest architects of the Tamil Nadu Foundation (TNF) in institutionalizing the concept of "Giving back to the Motherland." His yeoman service has enabled it to grow into a desirable platform that has become a gold standard for governance, giving, and generosity. He has been integral to several milestone achievements in the glorious annals of TNF since its founding 48 years ago. Paul was a significant supporter of constructing the multistorey headquarters of the Tamil Nadu Foundation in Chennai. The physical presence of a functional office has been pivotal in the seamless execution of millions of dollars worth of projects in Tamil Nadu. Paul has built many schools in his native district of Tirunelveli through the TNF platform. By consistently attending the annual convention of TNF, Paul has demonstrated his vital support for its efforts.



An alumnus of Annamalai University, Paul graduated in 1960 in mechanical engineering. He pursued an M.S. in engineering at Syracuse University before honing his skills in business management at the University of Pennsylvania's renowned Wharton School of Business. Paul is a visionary, an entrepreneur willing to take chances. In the nineties, he had the foresight to launch a telecom software services company, Axes Technologies, in Bangalore. Soon it expanded to Chennai and grew into a 2000-strong powerhouse providing telecommunications products and services for multinational companies and telecom service providers before merging with Tech Mahindra. He was adept and built a conglomerate of several enterprises in the diverse field from Food Processing to Shipping & Logistics to Floral and Film Making. Paul is currently the founder and president of Transglobal Technologies, Inc., a holding company with investments in telecom, media, oil, and natural gas. Paul serves on the Advisory Council of the University of Texas at Dallas School of Management. He is a board member of TiE Global, the Greater Dallas Indo-American Chamber of Commerce, the World Affairs Council of Dallas, SB International, KERA Public Broadcasting, and the Institute for Innovation and Management at the University of Texas, Dallas.

Paul is married to Dr. Geetha Pandian, who served over four decades as a clinical professor of physical medicine and rehabilitation at Southwestern Medical School, University of Texas, and is retired. They have two children, Arun and Anita Pandian. An outstanding contribution of Dr. Geetha and Paul Pandian has been in founding the Primary Care Clinical of North Texas. It has been a charitable organization providing medical care to uninsured adults in the Dallas area since 2003. More than 40,000 patients have benefited so far.

His many acts of benevolence have motivated scores of generous donors. His business acumen has created successful ventures, and his humility has produced a lasting legacy, mentoring a generation of Indians and forging a community to greatness, as said in the Thirukural –

**மனநலம் மன்னுயிர்க் காக்கம் இனநலம்,
எல்லாப் புகழும் தரும்.**

(Translation: A good state of mind gives rise to success, a good companion gives fame to the entire community he lives in). Yes, his good acts and deeds are a pride for the whole Indian American society and particularly to the Tamil diaspora of North America.

Today TNF is honored to bestow its highest recognition of excellence in public service by awarding the "TNF Excellence Award" to Mr. Paul Pandian at the 48th TNF Convention held in Dallas, Texas.



ABINAYA, Government Model Higher Secondary School, Thopputhurai, Nagapattinam District

"I hail from a farming community. Both my father (Murugayyan) and mother (Uma Rani) are daily wage earners, working in construction sites, barely making enough to sustain a family of four (including my younger brother). Despite all their challenges, my parents have remained steadfast in their commitment to putting their children through school. My unwavering dream from childhood has always been to become a doctor when I grow up. Since I attended a State Board school, Tamil was the primary language

of instruction. Hence, it proved to be a formidable task for me to clear the NEET exam (conducted in English), a pre-requisite for admission to a Medical College. TNF has been my savior! I was fortunate to be accepted for the NEET online classes, free of charge. In addition to providing me with reading materials and model exams, the coaches have been extremely supportive to help me overcome my language barrier. In my first attempt, my score has been modest. Abinaya secured 114th rank in NEET and got admission to Government Medical College, Thanjavur.. I thank TNF for letting me follow my dreams!"



2021 - A Year of Unrelenting Challenges

வணக்கம் நண்பர்களே!!

The Covid-19 pandemic continued to challenge our efforts in 2021.

Donations: As you may recall, we reached the one million dollar target in 2019. We plan to double it in 2022! We will cross our new mark of two million dollars by June 1, 2022 - a 100% growth in three years.

ABC Schools: Currently, we are implementing this project at a rate of adding approximately one school per month. The number of students benefiting from this project has doubled in the last year alone. This project is currently running in 89 Government Schools across twenty-six districts. Our goal is to increase that to two hundred schools in the next two years. You can help too!. If you want to sponsor your village school, please visit tnfusa.org/abc-project/ or speak to any board member.

Mann Vaasanai: With the convention proceeds of one million dollars towards the districts' corpus, the total will be around Rs 11 crores. That is a 330% increase in one year. Thanks to Dan Palaniswamy and the Dallas convention team for this astonishing growth. Despite this, several districts lag behind the first phase goal of Rs. Fifty lakhs per district. Please donate generously to the District of your choice to close the gap.

Scholarships: We have awarded 507 scholarships (as of March 30) worth Rs. 73 lakhs. During the same period last year the tally was 201 scholarships worth Rs. 45.8 lakhs; more than 150% growth in the number of scholarships. We are still falling short of meeting the demand of every deserving applicant. If you want to start a scholarship fund in memory of your family members, please visit tnfusa.org/scholarships/

Fundraising: The response to the 'virtual music concert' (கார்த்திகையில் கான மழை) conducted toward the end of 2021 was a grand success, generating more than one hundred thousand dollars. We raised 1.25 million dollars for COVID-19 relief efforts with the help of our partners FeTNA, ATMA, ATEA, IIT-M Alumni Association, and Indiaspora, among others. We provided life-saving equipment to 37 Government Hospitals and 10 Primary Health Centers across 26 districts. You can see the list of equipment and the hospitals at tnfusa.org/covid-19-relief/

For more details on various initiatives and activities of TNF, I encourage you to read reports from the Vice-Presidents of Chapters, VP Projects, VP Membership; Directors of IT & Communication and Youth; Treasurer, and Secretary.

All the above achievements were possible because of your support, dedicated work of the TNF-USA board, and effective implementations of our initiatives by the TNF-Chennai team headed by Mr. Rajarethinam and Dr. Ilango.

We have a very long journey ahead in our goal of empowering the underserved in Tamil Nadu. We need the support of every one of you to achieve that goal. Please become a member of TNF if you are not one already. Please visit tnfusa.org/membership-form or donate \$99 to educate one child for one year at tnfusa.org/donate/

Yours Sincerely
Murugan Kannan
President, TNF



BASHA, 10th Standard, Government High School, Ranipet District

"My hopes for in-person classes in the High School to resume in 2021 quickly faded with the spread of the second wave of Coronavirus in India. I was then in tenth grade - a crucial year in my pursuit of higher studies. Unlike students from big cities, I did not have the luxury of a laptop and private classes to continue learning during this challenging period. Then I heard about the special classes TNF offered at no cost to underprivileged students like me. What a difference these classes made in my academic pursuit! They taught a wide range of subjects in these special classes, and

coaching did not stop with just subject matters. They additionally taught yoga, meditation, and rudimentary computer skills. TNF is making a difference in the lives of students like me."

KAVIARASU, First Year Botany Student, Madras Christian College, Chennai

"I lost my mother to Covid in 2021. It only added to the loneliness and helplessness of my brother and I since we had also lost our father a few years ago. We both struggled, not knowing how to fund our education, especially during my undergraduate years at Madras Christian College, where I had just enrolled. I cannot find words to adequately thank the TNF organization for offering me a full scholarship to attend College. I will remain indebted to the caring hearts of Tamil folks in America for helping students like me at a time of need."





LAKSHMI MUNUGOOR
Secretary



SECRETARY'S REPORT 2021 - 2022

Since our last General Body Meeting, the Tamil Nadu Foundation has made significant strides on various fronts, summarized below for June '21 – May '22.

TNF has successfully raised more than \$2.1 million in donations for the fiscal year ending on March 31st, 2022, of which Covid relief measures received \$1.2 million.

Every second Thursday of the month, we hold our regular monthly board meetings. The board members actively participate and contribute to defining the strategy and implementation of TNF activities.

Minutes from the previous board meeting and the monthly reports from the Treasurer are actively reviewed prior to approval.

The Chairman of the Trustees, the Chief Executive Officer, and the Executive Director from the Chennai Center participate in the monthly board meeting. The Chennai center also submits a detailed monthly report covering the projects and other activities for each board meeting.

Dr. Kalai Parthiban and Brahashita Gupta are the two newly elected General Directors for the period June 2022 through May 2025.

A grand year-end musical event raised over \$100,000 in December 2021, supporting the “Mann Vasanai” corpus fund and various chapter-sponsored projects.

Five chapters (Austin, Central Ohio, Greater Boston, Houston, Philadelphia) have organized chapter meetings, info-sessions, and virtual/in-person regional charity events.

Twenty-eight new life members have joined TNF, bringing the total to 1,199.

During this period, the Board approved nineteen new projects.

The TNF USA website (<https://tnfusa.org>) is enhanced and maintained with relevant information on chapters, events, projects, and initiatives.



Tamil Nadu Foundation, Inc (USA)
Balance as of Mar 31, 2022
Prepared in Apr 2022

| | As of Mar 31, 2021 | Activity | As of Mar 31, 2022 |
|---|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| ASSETS | | | |
| Bank Balance and Equity | | | |
| Bank Accounts | \$827,888.33 | \$606,402.17 | \$1,434,290.50 |
| Certificate of Deposit Accounts | \$287,135.90 | \$(34,383.26) | \$252,752.64 |
| Total Bank Accounts | \$1,115,024.23 | \$572,018.91 | \$1,687,043.14 |
| Other Assets | | | |
| Stock Account | | | |
| Total Other Assets | | | |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$1,115,024.23 | \$572,018.91 | \$1,687,043.14 |
| LIABILITIES | | | |
| Total Current Liabilities | \$325,282.97 | \$228,391.23 | \$553,674.20 |
| Total Long-Term Liabilities | \$437,137.07 | \$348,268.18 | \$785,405.25 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | \$762,420.04 | \$576,659.41 | \$1,339,079.45 |
| EQUITY | | | |
| Life Membership-Restricted Fund | \$133,063.59 | \$9,215.95 | \$142,279.54 |
| TNF Humanitarian Project (General) Fund | \$219,540.60 | \$(13,856.45) | \$205,684.15 |
| TOTAL EQUITY | \$352,604.19 | \$(4,640.50) | \$347,963.69 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY(1) | \$1,115,024.23 | \$572,018.91 | \$1,687,043.14 |

Notes:

- (1) Activities include net of donations received, transfers, made to Chennai and expense paid during fiscal year.
- (2) Amount added or subtracted to project balance (liability) during the fiscal year.
- (3) Activities during this fiscal year includes new membership & general donations received.

Murugan Kannan
 President, TNF USA

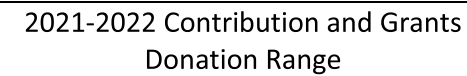
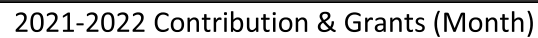
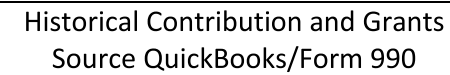
Srikanth Venugopalan
 Treasurer, TNF USA

Valli Raghavan
 Joint Treasurer, TNF USA

General Body Meeting Treasurer Update – May 2022

Continue to

- Issue receipts to individual donors via email
- Issue monthly report to all project owners & chapter teams
- Reimbursements are made via zelle and bill pay service minimizing cost
- Online registrations for almost all TNF events
- Total income crossed 2M, 1.2M (58%) COVID, 350K from convention.
- Around 17% of the total donations were for Dallas Convention, 12% for individual projects, 7% from Chapters, and 2% Mann Vaasanai.
- Total donations sent to Chennai is over US\$ 1.3M (Including COVID Payments)
- Processed 700+ checks & direct deposits, 2500+ Credit Card payments
- Over 65% of donations were from the \$1000-\$4999, \$10,000-\$24,999, and >25000 ranges.
- Automated processing transactions in Quick books.
- Total donors – 2500+, highest in recent years.





VEERA VENUGOPAL
VP Projects

Project Report

19 projects were approved

- ! 2 Board Projects
- ! 1 Chapter Project
- ! 16 Member Projects

Type Of Projects

- ! 1 COVID Awareness Education Project
- ! 9 Scholarships projects
- ! 8 ABC Projects (14 Schools)
- ! 1 Project for improving the facilities to differently abled students in 22 Government Schools for disabled children



| Name of the Project | Name of the Donor |
|---|------------------------------|
| COVID Awareness Education Project | Natarajan Elangovan |
| Rakkiyappan and Dr. Bhuvaneswari Chinnappan Scholarship | Rakkiyappan Chinappan |
| Dr. M.N. Inbavazhu Memorial Project | Manohar Nallathambi |
| Sri Krishna Aiyer Higher Secondary School, Chinnamanur, Theni | Dr. Bala A. Rengarajan |
| TNF Scholarship for orphaned children of the COVID-19 Pandemic | TNF USA Board |
| Improving the facilities to differentlyabled students in Government Schools | TNF USA Board |
| ABC Project- Vellore District | Gynanasabai Muthupalaniappan |
| ABC Project- Thiruvannamalai District | Gynanasabai Muthupalaniappan |
| ABC Project- Theni District | Dr. Bala Swaminathan |
| ABC Project- Thoothukudi District | Raj & Noorjahan Jeevan |
| Rajasekaran Memorial Scholarship | Priya Sekar |
| ABC Project- Ariyalur District | Murugan Kannan |
| Savithri Rani & Venkatachalam Scholarship Project | Usha Chandra |
| ABC Project- Tirupur District | Dr. P.K. Rajan |
| P.A.R. Palanisamy Gounder & Mrs. Lakshmi Ammal Memorial Scholarship | Dr. Arumugam Dakshinamoorthi |
| ABC- Kancheepuram District | TNF Greater Boston Chapter |
| Sethu-Venu Abinaya Educational Scholarship Project | Veera Venugopal |
| T.N.Nagarajan & Rajan Nagarajan Centenary Fund | Usha Ramaswamy |
| Girls Upliftment Education Fund- Nursing and Related Courses | Sathappan Muthiah & Tenmozhi |



MANI PERIAKARUPPAN
VP Chapters



TAMIL NADU FOUNDATION CHAPTERS - ANNUAL REPORT MAY 2022

The remnants of the worldwide pandemic continued to impede the Chapters' fund-raising efforts. However, various Chapters managed to continue their fund-raising and charitable efforts, both in-person (controlled environment) and virtually. Chapters collectively managed to raise \$148,000 dollars during the fiscal year to provide funds for the various projects supported by the respective them.

Some major highlights:

- Philadelphia chapter became the first chapter to reach the phase I Mann Vasana goal of Rs. 50 Lakhs, supporting their adopted district of Sivagangai. Congratulations to this team for leading the way in the Mann Vasana project. For full details and a snapshot, please visit this page: <https://tnfusa.org/mann-vaasanai>
- The Bay Area and North East Ohio Chapters (erstwhile known as Cleveland Chapter) have been revived. A new and energetic team of committee members is in place and eager to start their charitable efforts for NTF in their respective areas.
- Many chapters are starting to involve the youth and are getting involved in the new YOX (Youth Online eXchange) program to educate children in remote areas via online.

Below is the list of chapter events, the dates of individual chapter meetings, and appointment of new office bearers **(April 2021 – March 2022)**

பலநாளும் ஆற்றார் எனினும் அறத்தைச்
சிலநாள் சிறந்தவற்றால் செய்க. (புறநானூறு)

பொருள்: அறத்தை சில நாள்களாவது சிறந்த வழியில்,
நல்ல நெறியில் செய்க.

Chapter Events

| Date | Chapter | Event |
|--|----------------------|--|
| April 17 th , 2021 | Boston Chapter | Entrepreneurship Panel Discussion |
| April 23 rd - 25 th , 2021 | Austin Chapter | Trinity - A Carnatic Musical Play in English |
| May 02 nd , 2021 | Houston Chapter | Mother's Day Event |
| August 14 th , 2021 | Central Ohio Chapter | Walkathon |
| September 25 th , 2021 | Philly Chapter | Walkathon (the first chapter to reach Rs. 50lakhs for Mann Vasana) |
| October 23 rd , 2021 | Austin Chapter | Walkathon |

Quarterly Meetings with Chapters

- May 03rd, 2021
- October 18th, 2021
- January 31st, 2022

Chapters - New Committee Members

Following chapters had new committee members take office. Their term starts as specified and ends in two years in May.

- February 2021: Austin Chapter
- June 2021: Philadelphia Chapter, Dallas Chapter, Boston Chapter
- Feb. 2022: North East Ohio, Bay Area

For a complete list of chapters and their activities, please see the TNF USA website: <https://tnfusa.org/chapters/>

நிரப்பு இடும்பை மிக்கார்க்கு உதவ ஒன்று ஈதல்.
(பழமொழி நானூறு)

பொருள்: வறியவர்க்கு மறுவாழ்வு அளிக்கும் வகையில்
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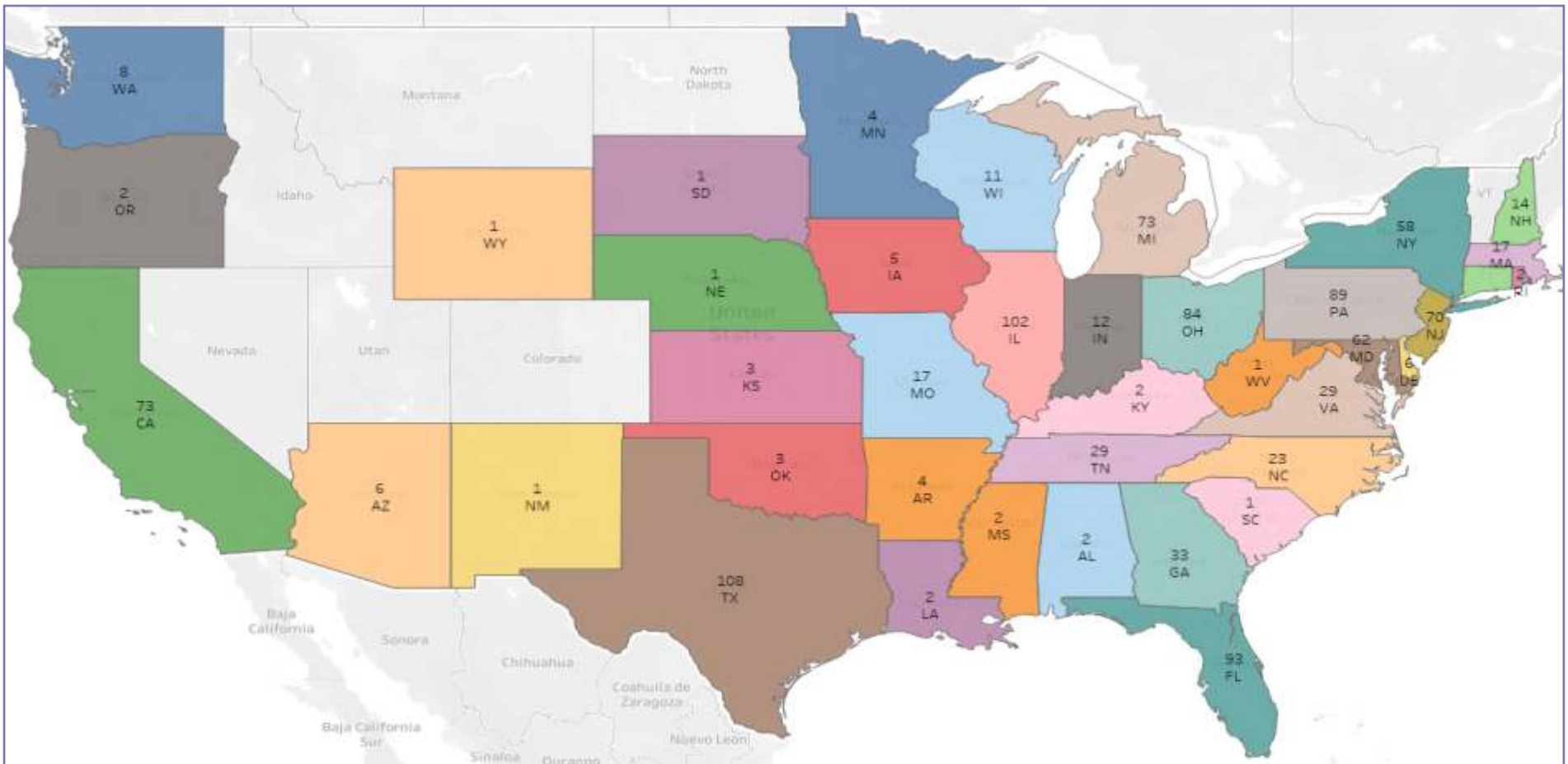


SATHAPPAN MUTHIAH
VP Membership

TNF Membership Report 2021 - 2022 Membership by USA State



- 1199 Life Members as of March 2022
- 28 new Life Members added in 2021-22
- 1079 Family Memberships and 120 Single Memberships
- Members from 40 States, DC, Canada and India





TNF Membership Report 2021 - 2022 Membership by Chapters

PLEASE HELP:

Update your Contact information and native districts.

Contact: vpmemberships@tnfusa.org





SEETHA KRISHNAN
Director of IT
& Communication

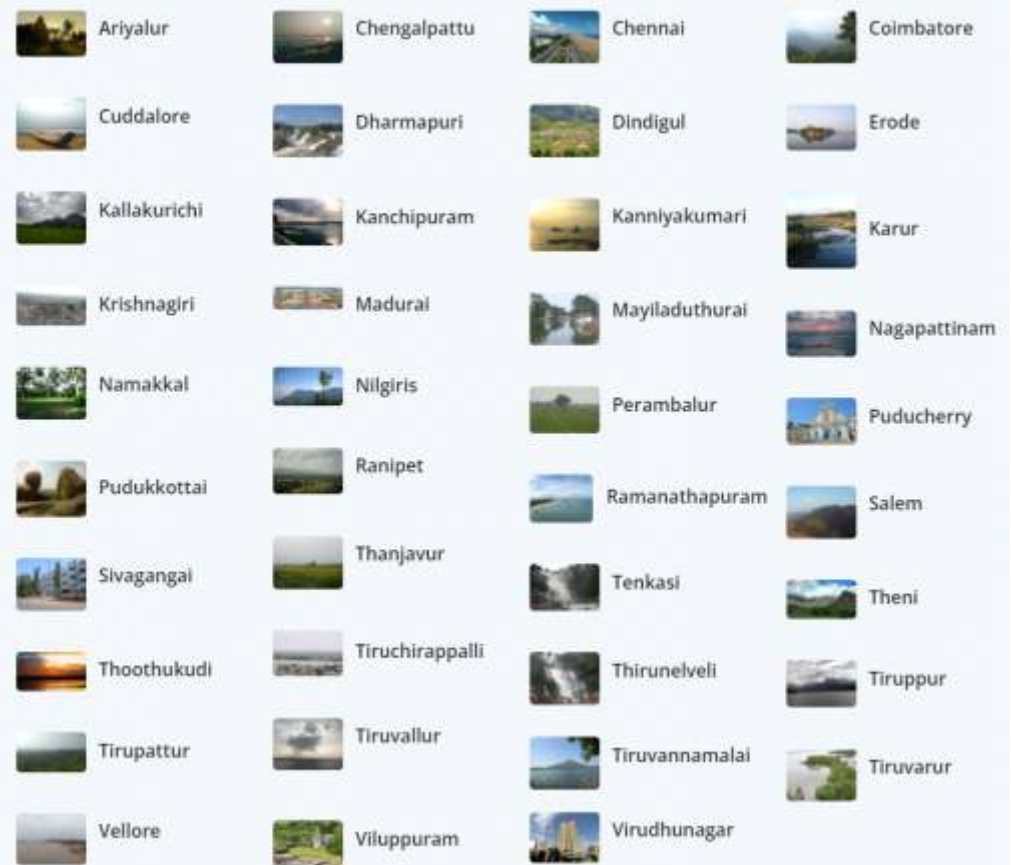
Technical Team Update - TNFUSA Website



TNFUSA.ORG

- Multi-Site with 30+ Sites
- 650+ Pages
- 25 Chapter Specific Sites
- Dedicated Site for Convention
- 38 Mann Vaasanai District specific pages
- Project specific Pages
 - Covid-19 relief page for each district
 - Scholarship Page
 - Libraries are Temples
 - Other projects
- Membership Section
- Youth Section
- Newsletters
- Photo Gallery

List Of Districts In Tamil Nadu



Technical Team Update - Board Fundraising Events



Free online live Mega Musical Event **SAVE THE DATE**

Tamil Nadu Foundation Inc, USA (TNF)

நம்ம உளர் பள்ளிக்காக கார்த்திகையில் ஒரு கரண மலடி

Madhan's Band

Aravind **Madhulini Maragan** **RK Adithya** **Vanathi Suresh** **Parthiban**

Sponsor a song/Register/Live YouTube & Facebook Links @ www.tnfusa.org/donate2021

Sponsor a Child \$100 - Educate One Child
Sponsor a Song \$500 - Educate 5 Children
Sponsor a Song \$1000 - Educate 10 Children

4th December 2021
Saturday 11.30am - ET

ABC Schools

DONATE TO EDUCATE! Empower the TNF ABC School Children!

December 2021 Music Event Donations

Collected - \$102,211.00

*Goal

100%

\$100,000.00

Mrs. Sasirekha, TNF ABC Project Teacher, Government High School, Seruthur, Nagapattinam District

"I feel privileged to be a teaching member of the ABC Special class program, which on average assists 60 or more students every year in our High School. The location of our school near the sea mainly attracts students who come from the fishing community. I am painfully aware of the hardships faced by these families since I hail from the same community. Students in our school find it difficult to stay focused on their studies alone. Doing menial work and supporting fishing expeditions takes a toll on their time, and as a result, they tend to drift away from schooling. But, the ABC program has kept them engaged in their school work with a favorable outcome."



Technical Team Update - Chapter Fundraising Events



Chapter Fund Raising Event Pages and Registration Forms

- **Austin Chapter**
 - Walkathon in Fall 2021
 - Drama in Spring 2022
- **New Chapter York**
 - Mother's Day event
- **Central Ohio Chapter**
 - Walkathon
- **Philadelphia Chapter**
 - Walkathon
- **Houston Chapter**
 - Children's Day
 - Thirukkural and Mother's Day events



A. VAITHEESWARAN, 6th Standard, Vadugapatti Village, Sivagangai District

“Our village has no cell tower, with no internet facilities. During the pandemic, the school could not offer online classes. For the first few months, we struggled with no respite. TNF came to our rescue! They sent Mrs. Nandini teacher, skilled in teaching all our subjects. She went beyond that in addressing our language barrier. She helped me improve my English vocabulary with the aid of Newspapers. All my classmates will remain indebted to Mrs. Nandini for her tireless service.”



Membership Portal

Life Members Page

- Created new page to display Life Members - <https://tnfusa.org/tnf-life-members/>
- Transitioned Life Member Data from Spreadsheet to Database
- Database updated when new membership applications approved

Self Service Membership Portal

- Created Self Service Membership Portal - <https://tnfusa.org/tnf-life-member-account/>
- Members with active email can login and update their information
- Members without active email to contact digitaldirector@tnfusa.org to update their email and get access to Self Service Membership Portal
- Secured Access – Only logged in members can see their personal information

Youth Section

- Internship - <https://tnfusa.org/internship-overview/>
- Internship Program Overview
- Internship Experiences
- Internship Application
- Past Interns
- TAYMAI Grants - <https://tnfusa.org/taymai-grants/>
- Past TAYMAI Winners
- TAYMAI Application
- TNF Presidential Volunteer Service Award (PVSA)
<https://tnfusa.org/tnf-presidents-volunteer-service-award-pvsa/>



Photo Gallery Integration

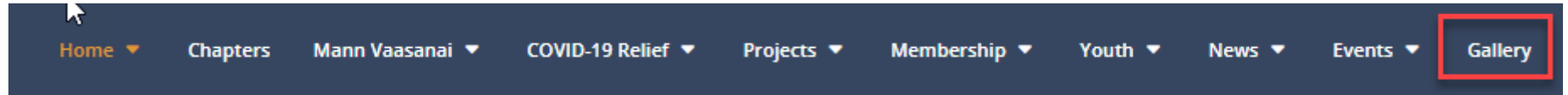


Photo Gallery Integrated with Google Drive

- Photos and videos added to Google Drive shows up instantly on our Website

<https://tnfusa.org/mann-vaasanai/ariyalur/ariyalur-gallery/>

District Photo Gallery

- District Specific Photo Gallery Page for each District
- Photos of ABC Schools, Soft skill Training, Orientation, etc.

General Photo Gallery

- All other Photos

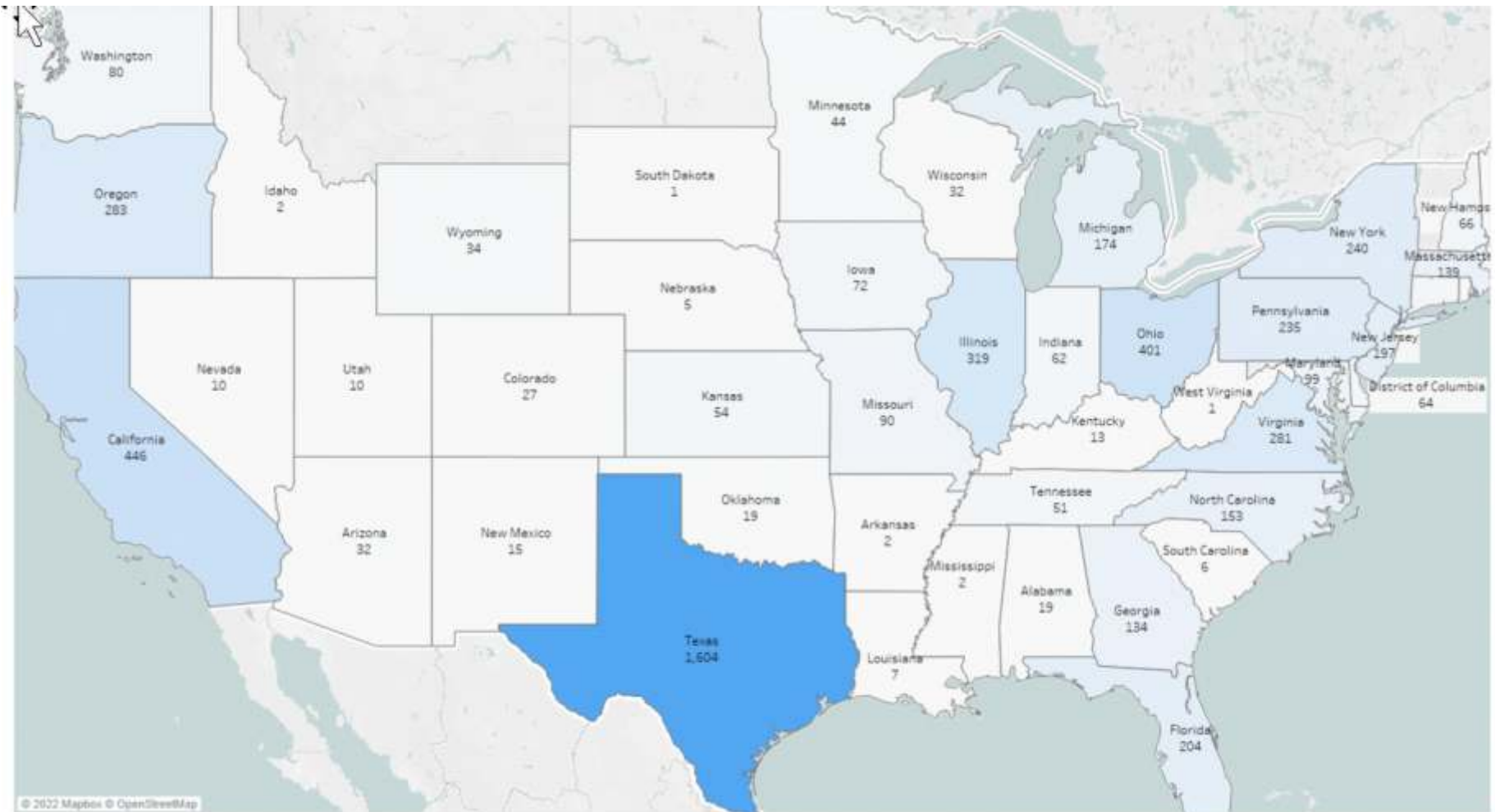


செல்வம் உடையார் அறம் செய்தருளுடையாராதல்.
(பழமொழி நானூறு)

பொருள் :
செல்வம் உடையவர் அறமும், அருளும் உடையவர் ஆகுக.

Website Users By State

More than 12,000 users visited our website last year.





ANAND PADMANABHAN
Director - Youth



YOUNG PROFESSIONAL COMMITTEE

The future of TNF initiatives squarely resides on the shoulders of the next generation of Tamilians, and the Young Professional Committee is a crucial initiative in this regard. It is a committee of young adults with a shared vision of serving Tamil Nadu.

The criteria to serve on the Committee is to have attended TNF Internship OR volunteered in the local chapter youth committee. Additionally, they must be either enrolled in college or a professional. For more information, please visit: <https://tnfusa.org/young-professional-committee/>

Tamil Youth Making Impact - TAYMAI (தாய்மை)

TAYMAI - Tamil Youth Making Impact - service grant is a way to encourage youth involvement with TNF projects and to foster a generation of service-minded individuals interested in linking with their ancestral heritage through service.

2022 TAYMAI Applicants

1. "Adopt A School Project" - ABC Program at Amaravathipudur School (Arun Chinnakaruppan, Macungie, PA). Objective: Provide needed funds to the ABC Program at Subramaniyan Chettiar Gurukulam Higher Secondary School, Amaravathipudur, in the Sivagangai District.
2. "Enabling English Literacy for self-empowerment" (Preethi Bhaskar, Downingtown, PA.) Objective: To strengthen reading skills in English which will pave the way to improve their knowledge of the language in other areas of studies.

Success and adoption of TAYMAI LOOPS Project

LOOPS Project, proposed and funded by Saathvik Selvan and Sharvaa Selvan, is a part of the TAYMAI Grant. LOOPS provides students with a digital product called "Talking Pen." As part of this new initiative, two schools in the Namakkal District received \$ 1,850.



Sharvaa Selvan



Saathvik Selvan

- a. Government Higher Secondary School, Kalappanaickenpatti
- b. Government Higher Secondary School (Boys), Erumaipatti.

The scope of the LOOPS Project is to assist children who are behind their peers and have difficulty with their class curriculum, learn at their own pace, and get integrated back into the mainstream at the earliest.

President's Volunteer Service Award (PVSA)



President's Volunteer Service Award – a Gold, Silver or Bronze medal with a Certificate signed by the President of the United States – is to recognize the vital role of volunteers in America's strength and national identity. This award honors individuals whose service positively impacts communities in any corner of the world and inspires those around them to take action.

Tamil Nadu Foundation is a certified organization to manage and recommend Awards to its volunteers.

<https://tnfusa.org/tnf-presidents-volunteer-service-award-pvsa/>



SHABANA, 7th Standard, Ranipet District

"Income from my father's tailoring work has been the primary source of financial support for my family. Successive waves of the pandemic crippled my school life. Fortunately, I could sign up for the special classes offered by the TNF organization, and as a result, I have not lost any precious time during my school years. Their well-rounded approach includes guidance with school subjects and efforts to boost our mental well-being by offering classes in yoga, meditation, and playground activities. I want to thank Tamil families living in America for making generous contributions in support of such great initiatives to help students like me."





TNF YOUTH SUMMER ESSAY CONTEST 2021

The TNF Young Professionals Committee conducted a new essay contest, focusing on TNF and "giving back to the community." The competition featured a college-essay type format for grade-school students centered on TNF giving back to the community. Ishita Mannar, a 10th grader from North East Ohio Chapter, ideated the competition. The contest had a unique element where the young professional's committee members provided constructive feedback to all the upper-Middle and High School participants from a college essay preparation perspective.



TNF's first Youth Essay Writing Contest elicited an encouraging response from elementary, middle, and high school students on diverse topics like community service, connecting to one's roots, being a Role Model, and their experiences with TNF.

Ishita Mannar

Following are the winners from each Category

| Category/Prize | High School | Middle School | Elementary School |
|----------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 1st Prize | Aneesh Swaminathan | Santhosh Kumar | Kanitha Mannar |
| 2nd Prize | Leonel Sesuraj | Ridhiraga Bhimavarapu | Naganeha Amirineni |
| 3rd Prize | Preethi Bhaskar | Purva Puyam | Laya Viswanath |

அறத்தான் வருவதே இன்பம். (குறள்-39)

பொருள் : அறம் செய்வதினால் வருவதே இன்பம்.



| | |
|------------|---|
| First row | Aneesh Swaminathan, Santosh Akilesh Kumar, Kanitha Mannar |
| Second row | Laya Viswanath, Leonel Sesuraj & Purva Punyam receiving awards from North East Ohio Chapter chair Saramathi Nandhakumar |
| Third row | Preethi Baskar receiving the award from TNF Past President Dr. Somalay Somasundaram, and Ridhiraga Bhimavarappu receiving the award from TNF Director Mannar Dhandapani |
| Fourth row | Naganeha Amirineni receiving award from TNF Young Professional Committee Member Priya Periyakaruppan |



YOUTH ONLINE XCHANGE (YOX)

Vision

Provide an opportunity for exchange of ideas among youth in the U.S. and Tamil Nadu, understand individual perspectives, and for the U.S. youth to connect with their cultural roots.

Each youth chapter can interact with the ABC schools / Districts they support.

Proof of Concept

The Youth Wing of the Philadelphia chapter has taken the lead in experimenting with this concept. Below is their report.

Youth Online Xchange (YOX) Program by TNF Philadelphia Youth Members

In December 2021, we initiated the Youth Online Xchange (YOX) program through TNF.

It is a mutually beneficial experience wherein the youth from the US and Tamil Nadu attempt to improve their communications skills in Tamil and English, respectively, exchange ideas and learn cultural and traditional aspects.

We met with about 20-30 students gathered at the Somalay Library in Nerkuppai, Sivagangai District, near Pudukottai, via Zoom, for thirty minutes on a bi-weekly basis at 7 am (EST) and 4:30pm (IST). Participants were in the age group between 7 & 15. There was an adult coordinator on both sides to help ensure that the sessions run smoothly.

We began by teaching craft skills and making a presentation about the United States and Pennsylvania. As time went by, the Indian students became more comfortable interacting with us, conveying their interest in learning English and improving their reading, writing, and speaking skills. So, we framed games such as Jeopardy, Hangman, and Unscramble words to enhance their English knowledge. We also encouraged the students to write sentences and stories in English using terms they are familiar with and gave them opportunities to share them with us in each class.



We want to highlight three Sathappa Government Higher Secondary School students in Nerkuppai who have been regular attendees of the YOX program since its inception. They have great aspirations after they graduate from high school, and we would like to work with them and other students to encourage them to pursue college and be successful in it.



Yamuna

Priyavarshini

Dhivyadharshini

Yamuna is an 8th grader who is hoping to become a doctor. She has been working hard to improve her English skills by paraphrasing stories with excellent morals in English and bringing fun riddles for all of us to solve.

Priyavarshini is a 10th grader who plans to study computer science in the 11th and 12th grades and take the IAS (Indian Administrative Services) exam after college. Her ultimate goal is to serve the community at large. She is driven and is very helpful to the junior students.

Dhivyadharshini is a 10th grader who would like to study biology and mathematics in the 11th and 12th grades. She would like to prepare and take the NEET (National Eligibility Entrance Test) Exam to become a doctor. She has expressed tremendous interest in expanding her English knowledge.

- Shanthi Bhaskar (12th), Arun Chinnakaruppan (10th), Preethi Bhaskar (10th)

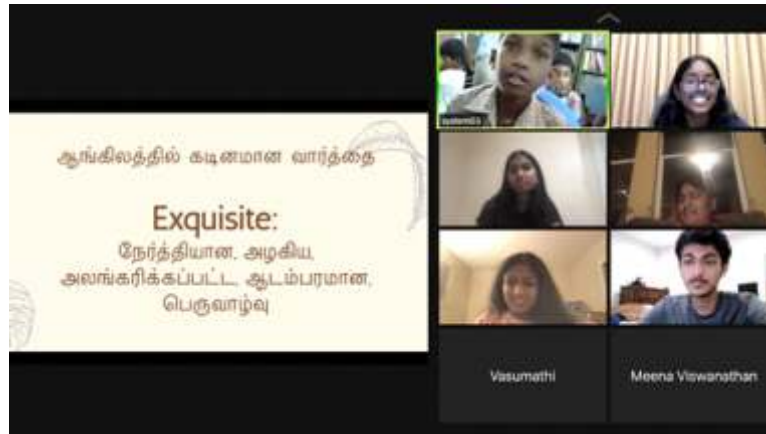
Youth Online Xchange (YOX) Program by TNF Bay Area (CA) Youth Members

In March of 2022, the Bay Area Chapter initiated the Youth Online Xchange (YOX) program in Anvarthikanpet in the Ranipet District through TNF.

Like the Pennsylvania program, we focused on exchanging cultural experiences and language communication with the students. We met with approximately 15 children, from ages 9 to 16, from Arasu Melnilai Palli, which recently gained access to an internet connection. Our meetings were from 7:30 pm PST, or 8 am IST, every other week via Zoom, and we saw great enthusiasm from these students so early in the morning. When we encouraged them to share their dreams for the future, these children had ambitious goals that were inspiring to hear. Countless children mentioned that they wanted to be doctors, lawyers, and police officers. One of the aspiring doctor elaborated on how she would want to provide free healthcare to the community.

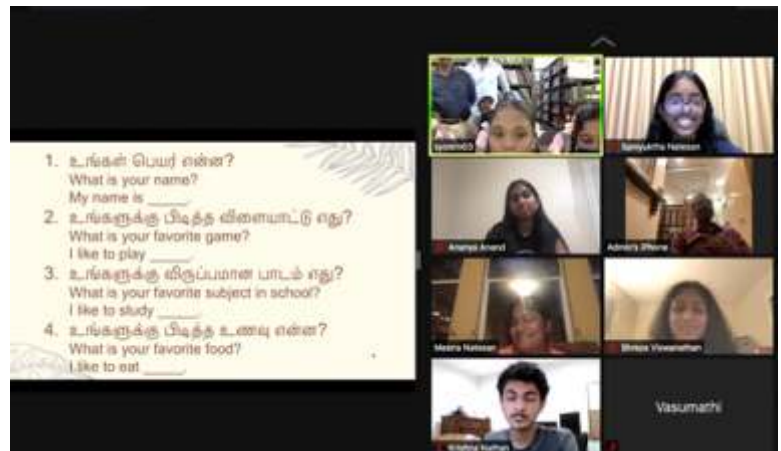
Interacting with students of vastly different backgrounds allows the children to mutually share their experiences, resulting in personal growth for all parties involved. We included various activities to engage and connect with the students in this program. Through teaching complicated English words and expressions, grammar and speaking lessons, and reading exercises, we helped the children better their English communication skills. To connect with the students culturally, we included deep and personal questions and collaboratively shared aspects of our contrasting lifestyles. We also attempted to relate to the children by addressing pop culture, such as incorporating their favorite celebrities and movies in games. Although we initially hosted the sessions in hopes of teaching communication skills in English, we learned so much about the Tamil language by encouraging the children to coach us in our Tamil skills as well, which was a humbling experience.

Here, we taught the kids a challenging English word. We had students learn the meaning of "exquisite" and compose English sentences utilizing this word. We then had the students teach us hard Tamil words, and we tried creating sentences using this vocabulary.



Here, we asked the children a few icebreaker questions to become more comfortable with one another. Many of the students mentioned that their favorite food was "Thayir Sadam" (curd rice) and that their favorite game was "Kannamuchi" (hide and seek).

-Ananya Anand (10th), Samyuktha Natesan (11th), Shreya Viswanathan (10th), Krishna Nathan (10th)



அறனை மறவேல் . (ஆத்திசூடி)

பொருள் : தருமம் செய்வதை மறக்கக் கூடாது.



TNF SERVICE & EDUCATION INTERNSHIP

TNF Service and Education Internship, initiated in 2014, provides opportunities for US-born children of Tamil heritage to connect with their roots and develop leadership skills.

To date, 134 Children from California to New York and Michigan to Texas have participated in the program.

Due to continued pandemic disruption, we provide internship opportunities at the Center for Medical Genetics alone this year.



**Sneha Muthaiah From Exton,
PA 2018 Internship -
Tiruvanaikovil High School, Trichy**



**Center for Medical Genetics students
undergoing Orientation**



**Joel Johnson at Govt. Hr. Sec School,
Marthandam**



**Joel Johnson (in the center) stitched and
wore the school uniform.**



USHA CHANDRA
Past President
& Chennai Liaison



Report from the TNF Past President & Liaison to TNF Chennai

Last year (2021) continued to be a year of challenges. Despite the recurring outbreak(s) and continued threat of the Covid -19 Pandemic, TNF has had a good year with over a million dollars in revenue. TNF USA and TNF Chennai continued to work well together. The implementation of projects in a timely fashion by TNF Chennai, the leadership by CEO Dr.Ka.Ilango, the vision and guidance by Chairman S. Rajarethinam I.A.S. (Retd), and the dedication of the staff in Chennai and in the field have always been the strengths and assets for TNF USA.

Renewal of the Foreign Contribution Regulation Act (FCRA) for TNF Chennai for all categories - Educational, Social, Economic, and Rural Development has been gratifying; a significant achievement as the process for approval has been arduous and extensive. Thanks to Dr. Ka.Ilango and the Chennai staff for their diligent work submitting the required documents for approval.

As in the past few years, TNF USA has assumed the financial accountability for TNF Chennai Center.

TNF Chennai has modified its strategies for implementing ABC Project to suit the needs and requirements of the students by conducting classes in their respective areas and changing the Educational Tour Program to an Orientation Program on Career Guidance. After schools reopened, TNF Chennai reinstated the Soft Skills Program in many districts within a short period. The program benefitted 4604 students in 60 Government schools. In 2021, the beneficiaries under ABC Project had set a record of reaching the highest number of students in history (17438).

TNF also initiated a new Youth Activity project called “Youth on Exchange (YoX),” a virtual program to mutually benefit the students of Government schools in Tamil Nadu and the students from America. This year, we successfully initiated the project in two districts, namely Sivagangai and Ranipet.

TNF Chennai’s virtual conference held in lieu of the Annual conference has been a big success. Reception for the TNF USA’s fundraising program in December 2021 was heartwarming, with more than 100 K raised. Chapters have started organizing in-person programs in 2022.

TNF raised \$1,250,000 for Covid Relief efforts to support the Medical Institutions in Tamil Nadu. Various medical equipment such as Oxygen Concentrators, Oxygen Generators, Modern Laundry, and Modern kitchens etc., were installed in medical colleges, Government hospitals, and rural PHCs. Our efforts benefitted 37 Government Hospitals and 10 Primary Health Centers. Plans are underway to purchase and install equipment in more hospitals, and PHCs will complete the TN Breathe Campaign to help those affected by Covid-19. Appropriation of funds will ensure completion of all the proposed initiatives.

For the first time in the history of TNF, we have implemented projects in all the 38 districts of Tamil Nadu whether it be an ABC initiative, scholarships, or other projects, or Covid relief efforts.

Tamil Nadu Foundation has proven its strength in reaching out to the underserved even in the face of uncertainty. TNF will continue to strive toward creating an impact in the lives of the needy.

I am proud to be a part of this wonderful organization and am thankful to help as a past president and liaison to TNF Chennai.

TNF will always be the one organization that is close to my heart.

Thank You.

“The achievements of an organization are the results of the combined efforts of each individual.”

Ronald Reagan



SHANMUGAVEL, S.S. Kottai, Sivagangai District

“Like many students from my village, I faced extreme hardships in my school years, due to dire poverty, despite having parents who went to great extremes to support us. As a daily laborer, my father did not have a steady income. For me, attending classes was a constant struggle through my tenth grade, challenging my commitment to higher studies. With hard work, I scored high marks throughout my high school years (93 – 98%). Even though my high marks ensured admission to College, I still needed funds to cover tuition and other incidental expenses. As a recognition of my performance in the 10th grade, TNF awarded me a scholarship of 20,000 Rupees, deposited in an interest-bearing account, which will greatly assist me when I attend College. I have been granted a seat in the Electronics and Communications Division at Madras Institute of Technology, Chennai – the institution where our late President Dr. Abdul Kalam got his degree from the aerospace engineering discipline. Things changed for the better when I completed 10th grade. In recognition of my high marks, the Collector of Sivagangai allocated to our family a house under the Housing Scheme and provided me a lump sum of 50,000 Rupees towards my educational expenses. Other students in the school derive inspiration by observing how TNF has favorably impacted my academic pursuit. Recently, Sneha (a student from my school) received a TNF foundation scholarship. I will remain indebted to the timely assistance from TNF!”



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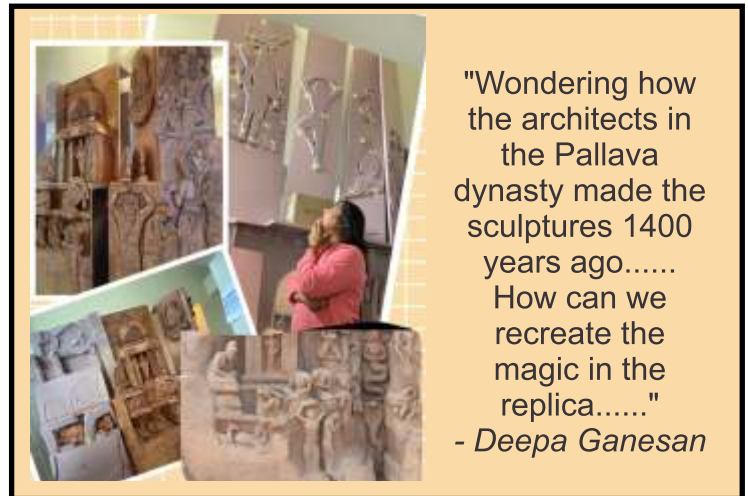
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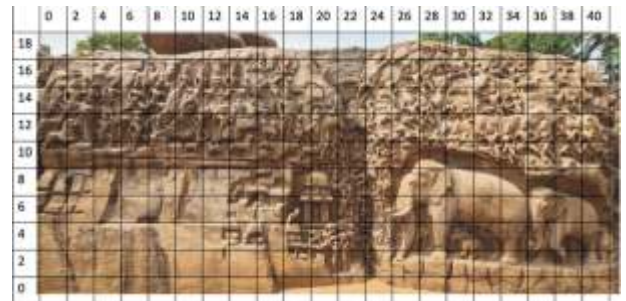
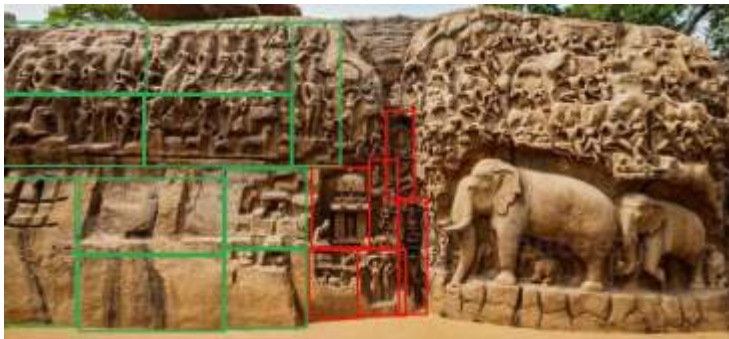
Descent of the Ganges

(From the Desk of Deepa Ganesan, the Art Director)

Attendees of the 48th TNF National Convention will enjoy a visual extravaganza right at the entrance – a replica of the famous "Descent of the Ganges," touted as one of the most outstanding artworks from the Pallava Dynasty and now preserved as UNESCO World Heritage Site. The Ganges, revered as a gift from the heavens, has been featured in the incredible bas-relief carvings on the famous limestone monolith at Mamallapuram. The monolith stands proudly at 43 feet tall and nearly 100 feet long, one of the world's most extensive and delicate of its kind, and it is smothered in lifelike carvings of humans, elephants, gods, and mythical monsters, intertwined and marching in lines across every inch. The rock is divided by a deep cleft, which may once have carried water down from a collecting pool at the top to represent the descent of the Ganges from heaven. The figures are commonly believed to represent the goddess Ganga and her tributaries and other legendary figures.



I felt honored when I was given the lead role in creating the monolith replica for display during the Convention. As the lead architect, I analyzed and researched for six months to determine how to display the Mamallapuram scenery at the Convention. I decided on a replica, 50% of the original size (20 ft high and 44 ft long) for the display. Undeniably this is an extraordinary accomplishment of the Dallas volunteers in recreating the artwork using local raw materials. I wish to share a few relevant details on the progression of the project:





Once the size for each sculpture was determined, the lead artist, Siva Chandran, hand drew each and every artifact.



After the drawings, we cut the sculptures and work on positioning and support strategy and structure using tape and other form pieces that will turn into



Lavanya, one of the lead designers, finalizing the position and gluing.



Ganesan is working on designing the support structure and logistics



Final paint finish by Saraswathi and Thara.



The iconic elephants have been drawn and cut by Vijay and Aruna

Sam Kannappan has been generous with his offer of \$ 15,000 to defray the entire cost of recreating 'Descent of the Ganges'. After the convention you will be able to see it in the Kannappan Art Museum, Houston.

அறம் செய்பவர்க்கும் அறவுழி நோக்கித்
திறம் செய்தக்கால் செல்வுழி நன்றாம். (பழமொழி நானூறு)

பொருள்: அறம் செய்யும் இடத்தை ஆராய்ந்து, வரியோரை
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பொருள் : ஆற்றுதல் என்பதாவது வறுமையில் வாடுபவருக்குப் பொருள்கொடுத்தல்.

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COVID-19 INDIA RELIEF AND REHABILITATION EFFORTS

For the last two years, TNF has remained committed to the cause of helping those in dire need in Tamil Nadu as they struggled to cope with the destructive force of the Covid pandemic. Our fund drive in 2020 yielded a modest amount of \$ 85,000. But our accelerated efforts in 2021 resulted in an additional \$ 1,250,000, thanks to our partners FeTNA, ATEA, ATMA, IIT (Madras) Alumni Association, and Indiaspora for partaking in our fund-drive efforts. Our able staff on the ground made judicious dispersion of the precious funds to procure necessary items like medical equipment and supplies to 37 Government Hospitals and 10 primary health centers in 25 districts.

Children are the first to be victimized whenever there is a calamity – Natural or Man-made. Covid did not prove to be an exception. Among the marginalized communities of Tamil Nadu, Covid has produced hundreds of orphaned/half-orphaned children. To help them continue their education, TNF has established a corpus fund of fifty lakh rupees to support these children for the foreseeable future. In addition, scholarships worth five lakh Rupees were awarded for the 2021-22 academic year.



SHIVANI ANAND SENTHIL, Michigan, USA. 2018 TNF Intern

"In 2018, I was fortunate to be awarded an internship by TNF, which entailed me a well-structured stint in two schools in Tamil Nadu. First, I spent a few weeks in the Girls Higher Secondary School, Ashok Nagar, Chennai. It was quite an eye-opener to learn about India's curriculum and teaching methods. My second assignment was at "Anbalayam," a school in Sirgazhi, catering to children's education with special needs. It was heart-wrenching to observe challenges these children face even in conducting simple daily routines. What amazed me was their eternal source of energy, courage, and confidence. It was a humbling and unforgettable experience for me. I strongly recommend children from our diaspora avail this opportunity to do an internship in our native place. I will not hesitate if I get another chance!"

(Please watch the video of Shivani at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=usg6ELDfj-0> to appreciate her mastery of Tamil language!)



COVID-19 Relief Fund

| Hospital | City | District | Items | Donation (in US Dollars) | Donation (in Indian Rupees) |
|---|-----------------|--------------|--|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Government Hospital | Jayankondam | Ariyalur | Hydraulic Table, Modular Kitchen, CTG, Blood Storage, etc. | \$56,464 | ₹3,952,514 |
| Chengalpattu Medical College Hospital | Chengalpattu | Chengalpattu | 30 Oxygen Concentrators | \$32,917 | ₹2,370,024 |
| Government Hospital of Thoriacic Medicine | Tambaram | Chengalpattu | Medical Supplies & Oxygen Concentrators | \$33,690 | ₹2,425,680 |
| Chengalpattu Medical College Hospital | Chengalpattu | Chengalpattu | 250KVA Electric Generator & Accessories | \$30,577 | ₹2,201,526 |
| Chengalpattu Medical College Hospital | Chengalpattu | Chengalpattu | FUNGILIP 50 MG (To treat Black Fungus) | \$9,686 | ₹678,000 |
| Government Hospital | Maduranthagam | Chengalpattu | C Arm, ECG Machine, etc. | \$21,872 | ₹1,640,415 |
| Kilpauk Medical College Hospital | Chennai | Chennai | 30 Oxygen Concentrators | \$32,917 | ₹2,370,024 |
| Government Hospital For Children, Egmore | Chennai | Chennai | BiPAP Machine & Accessories | \$3,345 | ₹234,150 |
| Rajiv Gandhi General Hospital | Chennai | Chennai | Laparoscopic Unit, Bionet ECG Machine, etc. | \$53,520 | ₹4,014,014 |
| Coimbatore ESI Hospital | Coimbatore | Coimbatore | Modular Oxygen Generator | \$33,900 | ₹2,440,800 |
| Coimbatore Medical College & Hospital | Coimbatore | Coimbatore | Medical Supplies (Stretchers, wheel chairs, Cylinder Trolleys, etc.) | \$10,043 | ₹723,120 |
| Government Hospital | Pollachi | Coimbatore | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$5,400 | ₹388,800 |
| Kamaraj Government Hospital | Chidambaram | Cuddalore | 10L Oxygen Concentrators & Medical equipment | \$39,114 | ₹2,816,234 |
| Government Hospital | Kattumannarkoil | Cuddalore | Operation Theatre Light, Stretcher trolley, Diathermy Machine, etc. | \$32,218 | ₹2,255,255 |
| Government Erode Medical College Hospital | Erode | Erode | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$84,000 | ₹6,048,000 |
| Government Hospital | Kancheepuram | Kancheepuram | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$10,800 | ₹777,600 |
| Government Hospital | Uthiramerur | Kancheepuram | Dental Chair, Wheel Chair, etc. | \$6,895 | ₹517,094 |



COVID-19 Relief Fund

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|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|-------------|------------|
| Government Hospital | Colachel | Kanyakumari | Portable Digital X Ray, ECG, Defibrillator, etc. | \$19,552 | ₹1,368,616 |
| Government Hospital | Karur | Karur | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$5,400 | ₹388,800 |
| Madurai Medical College Hospital | Madurai | Madurai | RT-PCT and Oxygen Concentrators | \$17,910 | ₹1,289,520 |
| Government Hospital | Myladuthurai | Myladuthurai | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$10,800 | ₹777,600 |
| Government Hospital | Sirkazhi | Nagapattinam | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$5,400 | ₹388,800 |
| Primary Health Center | Ketti | Nilgiris | USG, ECG, etc. | \$20,491.46 | ₹1,434,402 |
| Primary Health Center | T.Oranally | NilgirisU | SG, ECG, Haemoglobinometer, etc. | \$21,233.60 | ₹1,486,352 |
| Government Hospital | Perambalur | Perambalur | Medical Supplies | \$12,300 | ₹885,600 |
| Government Hospital | Salem | Salem | 15 10L Oxygen Concentrators, Fully automated 3 part Hematology analyzer, Anaesthesia workstation | \$38,695 | ₹2,853,487 |
| Government Hospital | Singampuneri | Sivagangai | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$32,400 | ₹2,332,800 |
| Primary Health Center | Konulampallam | Thanjavur | ECG, Fetal Doppler, BP Apparatus | \$1,904.46 | ₹133,312 |
| Government Hospital | Kumbakonam | Thanjavur | Hydraulic OT Table, CTG Machine, etc. | \$77,401 | ₹5,418,039 |
| Government Hospital | Pattukottai | Thanjavur | Medical Supplies | \$9,908 | ₹713,396 |
| Government Hospital | Thanjavur | Thanjavur | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$5,400 | ₹388,800 |
| Primary Health Center | B. Mettur | Thiruchirapalli | Oxygen Hood, ECG, etc. | \$19,950.66 | ₹1,396,546 |
| Primary Health Center | Eragudi | Thiruchirapalli | ECG, Fetal Doppler, BP Apparatus | \$1,904.46 | ₹133,312 |
| Primary Health Center | Sengattupatty | Thiruchirapalli | ECG, Fetal Doppler, BP Apparatus | \$1,990.86 | ₹139,360 |
| Mahatma Gandhi Government Hospital | Thiruchirapalli | Thiruchirapalli | Medical Supplies | \$3,643 | ₹262,296 |
| Primary Health Center | Uppilyapuram | Thiruchirapalli | ECG, BP Apparatus, etc. | \$29,175.97 | ₹2,042,318 |
| Government Hospital | Thirunelveli | Thirunelveli | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$16,200 | ₹1,166,400 |
| Tirunelveli Medical College Hospital | Thirunelveli | Thirunelveli | Ventilator | \$15,313 | ₹1,102,500 |
| Government Hospital | Thiruppathur | Thiruppathur | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$21,600 | ₹1,555,200 |
| Primary Health Center | Pallipat | Thiruvallur | Fully Automated Hematology Analyser | \$5,057.14 | ₹354,000 |
| Government Hospital | Thiruvallur | Thiruvallur1 | 0L Oxygen Concentrators | \$16,200 | ₹1,166,400 |
| Government Hospital | Tiruttani | Thiruvallur | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$10,800 | ₹777,600 |



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| Upgraded Primary Health Center | Muthupet | Thiruvavarur | ECG, Oximeter, etc. | \$1,949.46 | ₹136,462 |
| Thiruvavarur Medical College Hospital | Thiruvavarur | Thiruvavarur | Medical Supplies and Oxygen Concentrators | \$19,843 | ₹1,428,696 |
| Government Hospital | Thiruthuraipoondi | Thiruvavarur | 10L Oxygen Concentrators & Medical Equipment | \$25,410 | ₹1,833,814 |
| Government Hospital | Tirupathur | Tirupathur | Mortuary Freezer, NCD USC Scan, etc. | \$36,454 | ₹2,734,020 |
| Government Hospital and Medical college | Tiruppur | Tiruppur | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$84,000 | ₹6,048,000 |
| Government Hospital | Arani | Tiruvannamalai | Digital X ray, CPAP, Bipap, CTG, ECG, Fetal Doppler | \$19,755 | ₹1,382,850 |
| Government Hospital | Cheyar | Tiruvannamalai | Cell Counter, Labour Board, etc. | \$6,470 | ₹485,065 |
| Primary Health Centers | Villupuram | Villupuram | 10L Oxygen Concentrators | \$5,400 | ₹388,800 |
| Government Medical College and Hospital | Villupuram | Villupuram | FUNGILIP 50 MG (To treat Black Fungus) | \$19,371 | ₹1,356,000 |
| | | | All Districts Corpus fund to provide Scholarships for Children orphaned & half-orphaned during the COVID-19 pandemic | \$71,000 | ₹5,056,000 |
| | | | All Districts Scholarships for the '21-'22 academic year for Children orphaned & half-Orphaned during the COVID-19 pandemic | \$7,000 | ₹500,000 |
| | | | Grand Total | \$1,214,641 | ₹87,158,413 |

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“தமிழகம் இன்னும் கண் விழிக்கவில்லை. அப்படியே விழித்தாலும் அது குழந்தை நிலையில் இருக்கின்றது. இன்று என் கவிதைகள் பரவலாக அறியப்படாமல் இருக்கலாம். ஆனால், நாளைக்கு என் பாடல்களைத் தமிழகமே பாடும். அதைப் பார்க்க நான் இருக்க மாட்டேன். ஆனால், நீ பார்ப்பாய்”

தன் நண்பர் மண்டயம் ஸ்ரீனிவாசாசாரியார் அவர்களின் மகள் யதுகிரியிடம், கிட்டத்தட்ட நூற்றுப்பத்து ஆண்டுகளுக்கு முன்பு மகாகவி பாரதியார் சொன்ன வார்த்தைகள் இவை. இன்று தமிழகத்தில் அவர் பாடல்கள் பாடப்படாத இடங்களே இல்லை. தமிழகம் மட்டுமன்று. உலகத்தில் எங்கெல்லாம் தமிழ் ஒலிக்கிறதோ அங்கெல்லாம் அவரது கவிக்குரலும் ஒலித்துக் கொண்டுதானிருக்கிறது. என்னே ஒரு தீர்க்க தரிசனம்!! கவிஞனும் ஒருவிதத்தில் கணியன்தான். பாரதியார் அன்றைக்குக் கண்ட கனவுகள் இன்றைக்கு நனவாகி வருகின்றன. எழுதிய சொற்கள் மந்திரங்களாக மாறியிருக்கின்றன.

பாரதியின் கவிதைத் தொகுப்பைக் கையில் எடுத்தால், இன்று புதிதாகப் பிறந்த ஒரு மழலையை ஏந்தும் போது என்ன பரவசம் ஏற்படுமோ, அதே பரவசம் ஏற்படுகிறது. பாரதியை மீள மீள வாசிக்க வேண்டும் என்கிற தூண்டுதல் ஏற்படுவதற்கு இந்தப் பரவசம் மட்டுமே காரணம். இப்பேர்ப்பட்ட பெருங்கவிஞன், தமிழ் நாட்டின் தவப்பயன் அன்றி வேறென்ன?

ஐந்து வயதில் அன்னையை இழக்கிறார். பதினான்காவது வயதில் தந்தையை இழக்கிறார். காசியில் பயின்ற பின் எட்டயபுரம் மன்னரின் அழைப்பின் பேரில் மீண்டும் சொந்த ஊருக்கே திரும்புகிறார். அரண்மனையில் பணி. இருபத்திரண்டு வயது வாலிபனாகச் செல்லம்மாவோடு இல்லற வாழ்க்கையைத் தொடங்க வேண்டிய சூழல்.

நல்ல சன்மானம் பெற்று மாளிகையில் சுகமாக இருந்து கொண்டு பணி செய்தாலும், நாட்டில் பற்றி எரியும் விடுதலைப் போராட்டங்கள் அவரைத் தூங்கவிடாமல் செய்கின்றன. அவர் நினைத்திருந்தால் அந்த ராஜபோக வாழ்க்கையிலேயே இறுதிவரை திளைத்திருக்கலாம். ஆனால், அதை அவரது தன்னறம் ஒப்பவில்லை. பணியிலிருந்து விலகுகிறார். சென்னையில் சுதேசமித்திரன் பத்திரிகையில் உதவி ஆசிரியர் ஆகிறார். கிட்டத்தட்ட ஏழு

ஆண்டுகள் அவரோடு பிணக்குக் கொண்டிருந்த கவிதையாம் மணிப்பெயர் காதலி மீண்டும் கைகோக்கிறாள். மீண்டும் பிறக்கிறார். புயலெனப் புறப்பட்டுப் புத்துணர்ச்சியோடு காகிதத்தில் கனல் எழுப்பி எழுத்துகளின் மூலம் ஒரு தொடர் வேள்வியைத் தொடங்குகிறார். அன்று அவர் பற்ற வைத்த நெருப்பு இன்றும் மங்காமல் ஒளிர்ந்து கொண்டும் வளர்ந்து கொண்டும் நமக்கெல்லாம் வழிகாட்டிக் கொண்டுமிருக்கிறது.

எது அவரை இங்ஙனம் இடையறாமல் இயங்க வைத்தது?

இரண்டு சிந்தனைகள் தாம். அதில் முதலாவது, நாட்டுச்சிந்தனை.

நாட்டு விடுதலை பற்றியும் நாட்டு மக்களின் மேம்பாடு பற்றியும் ஓடிக்கொண்டே இருந்த சிந்தனை. தனக்கிருந்த அபாரமான கவி ஆற்றலுக்குப் பாரதியால் ஒரு பெருங்காப்பியத்தை எழுதியிருக்க முடியும். ஆனால், அதை விடுத்து தனது கவித்திறமையையும் தமிழ்ப்புலமையையும் நாட்டு நலத்திற்கென்றே அவர் அர்ப்பணித்தார். பாரத நாட்டின் நீட்சியாகத் தான் அவர் தன்னைப் பார்த்தார். நாட்டுக்கொரு கேடென்றால் அதை தனக்குற்ற கேடாகவே கண்டார்.

தாய்நாட்டுச் சிந்தனையே இல்லாமல் பலர் இயந்திரங்களாக உலவிக் கொண்டிருக்க, தாய் நாட்டுக்கே ஒரு தாயாகி அதன் அடிமைத்தளை உடைக்கத் தன்னையே தந்தார். பெருமாளுக்கே பல்லாண்டு பாடிய பெரியாழ்வாரின் தாயுள்ளத்திற்கு நிகரானது பாரதியின் உள்ளம். சொல்லப்போனால், அவர் இந்த உலகத்திற்கே தாயாகத் தன்னைக் கருதியவர். "பாட்டுத் திறத்தாலே இந்த வையத்தைப் பாலித்திட வேண்டும்" என்று பாடியவர் அல்லவா அவர்!

புதுச்சேரியில் போலீசாரால் அவருக்கு ஏற்பட்ட அழுத்தங்கள் கொஞ்ச நஞ்சமல்ல. அவர் எப்போதும் போலீசாரின் கண்காணிப்பிலேயே இருந்தார். பாரதியாரை எப்படியேனும் ஏமாற்றி ஆங்கிலேய அரசிடம் ஒப்படைத்து விட வேண்டும் என்று போலீசார் என்னவெல்லாமோ முயற்சிகள் மேற்கொண்டனர். எதுவும் கைகொடுக்கவில்லை. ஒரு சராசரி மனிதனால் இந்த அழுத்தங்களைத் தாங்கியிருக்க முடியாது. ஆனால் பாரதியார் தாங்கினார். அதற்குக் காரணம் அவரது ஆன்ம பலம்.

அவரைச் சோம்பலின்றி இயங்க வைத்த இன்னொரு சிந்தனை, வீட்டுச்சிந்தனை. இதைக் கேட்கும் போது முரணாக இருக்கலாம். தன் குடும்பத்தின் ஏழ்மை நிலையைப் பற்றிப் பொருட்படுத்தாதவர் பாரதியார். பின் எப்படி வீட்டுச் சிந்தனை அவரை இயங்க வைத்திருக்க முடியும்? நான் வீட்டுச் சிந்தனை என்று குறிப்பிடுவது, நான்கு உறுதிப்பொருள்களில் ஒன்றான வீடுபேறு. இதனை வடமொழியில் மோட்சம் என்பர்.

பாரதியார் சக்தியோடு பல சாதனைகள் புரிந்ததற்கு அவர் தெய்வ பக்தியோடு இருந்தது தான் காரணம். அதுவே அவருக்கு ஓர் அசுர

தன்னம்பிக்கையைக் கொடுத்தது. புதுச்சேரியில் வசித்த போது ஒருமுறை மன நலம் பாதிக்கப்பட்ட சிறுவனைப் பாரதியார் குணப்படுத்தியிருக்கிறார். நல்லெண்ணச் சிந்தனையை வெளிப்படுத்தும் நம்பிக்கை வார்த்தைகளும் செய்கைகளும் அவர் வழங்கிய மருந்து.



வறுமை, வாழ்க்கை முழுதும் பேயாட்டம் ஆடிய போதும், அடக்குமுறை அவரை மெல்ல அணைத்திருந்த போதும் அவர் நெஞ்சில் தன்னாக்கமும் உற்சாகமும் இம்மியும் குன்றவில்லை. துளியும் மங்கவில்லை.

அந்த ஓர் பேருணர்வு தான். இதழியல், இலக்கியம், சமூகவியல், தேசியம், ஆன்மிகம் என அவர் தொட்ட துறைகளில் எல்லாம் அவரை விண்மீனாய்ச் சுடரச் செய்தது. தமிழன்னைக்கு நவீன ஆடை அணிவித்த தனிப்பெரும் கவிஞனாகப் பாரதியார் அடையாளப்படுத்தப்பட்டாலும் ஒரு சிறந்த மனித நேயராகவும் அவர் ஒளிக்கிறார். என்ன எழுதினாரோ அதை வாழ்ந்து காட்டினார். வார்த்தைக்கும் வாழ்க்கைக்கும் அவருக்கு வேறுபாடு தெரியாது. மனிதர்களிடத்தில் பாகுபாடு பார்க்காததைப் போலவே

ஏனைய உயிர்களிடத்திலும் அவர் பாகுபாடு பார்க்கவில்லை. அவருக்குச் சிட்டுக்குருவியும் ஒன்றுதான். சிங்கமும் ஒன்றுதான்.

அவர் தன் உள்ளத்தில் கனன்ற உறுதிப்பாட்டைத் தன் எழுத்துகளில் உறையச் செய்திருக்கிறார் என்பதை நாம் மறந்துவிடக்கூடாது. தன் உளத்தெழுந்த உரத்தைப் பிறர் நகலெடுக்க அவர் இசைவு தந்துவிட்டுத்தான் சென்றிருக்கிறார். அன்பில் சிறந்த தவமில்லை என்று பாடியவர் வேறு எப்படிச் சிந்தித்திருக்க இயலும்? அவர் பாடல்களைப் படிக்கப் படிக்க அவர் உறுதிப்பாடு உருகிக் கனிந்து நமக்குள் பாயும். அந்தப் பாய்ச்சலைப் பெற்றுக் கொண்டவர்கள் பாக்கியசாலிகள். அதை எப்போதும் பெற்றுக் கொள்க என அவரது நினைவு நூற்றாண்டான 2021ஆம் ஆண்டு நமக்கு நினைவூட்டிச் சென்றிருக்கிறது.

நிரஞ்சன் பாரதி,

கவிஞர், பாடலாசிரியர்.

மகாகவி பாரதியாரின் எள்ளுப் பேரன்.

செல்வத்துப் பயனே ஈதல். (புறநானூறு)

பொருள் : நாம் கொண்ட செல்வத்தின் பயன் பிறருக்குக் கொடுத்து மகிழ்தல்

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விண்ணைத் தீண்டும் மரங்களே
மண்ணைக் கொஞ்சம் பார்ப்போமா?
அன்பு என்னும் சொல் ஒன்றைப்
பூக்கள் தூவி சொல்வோமா?

கனவோடெங்கும் கண்களிலே
கல்வியை ஒளிரச் செய்வோமா?
வளர்த்துவிட்டு கீழ் வாழும்
வேரில் தூறல் பெய்வோமா?

புன்னகை தீட்டிப் பார்க்கத்தான்
ஈட்டிய செல்வம் என்போமா?
நாளைய உலகை அழகாக்க
சிறிதாய் நாமும் முயல்வோமா?

அறம் செய்ய விரும்புவோம்
கரம் நீட்டத் திரும்புவோம்
அறம் செய்ய விரும்புவோம்
அன்பால் நெஞ்சம் நிரம்புவோம்

- மதன் கார்க்கி

நன்மை கடைப்பிடி. (ஆத்திசூடி)

பொருள் : நல்வினை செய்தலை எந்த இடையூறு வந்தாலும்
உறுதியுடன் பின்பற்று

“தாய்மொழி உணர்வோம், தலை நிமிர்வோம்”



ஈகை கொண்டு
பகைமை வென்று
சேவை செய்யும்
பார்வை கொண்டு
திறமை கண்டு
திறனும் கொண்டு
பெண்மையிங்கு
மேன்மை ஈன்று

அறிவுறுவோம்
செறிவுருவோம்
ஆற்றல் கொண்டு
அறனுருவோம்
நலம் பெறுவோம்
வளம் பெறுவோம்
ஏற்றம் கண்டு
இனிதுருவோம்

உறவுறுவோம்
உலவிடுவோம்
நிமிர்ந்து நின்று
நிலவிடுவோம்
பயனுறுவோம்
பலனடைவோம்
பண்பு கொண்டு
பழகிடுவோம்

ஈகை சிறக்க
கரமிணைவோம்
இலக்கு நோக்கி
எய்திடுவோம்
உயர்வுறுவோம்
உயிர் தருவோம்
உலகம் சிறக்க
இணைந்திடுவோம்

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மகிழ்ச்சி தொண்டு
மனிதநேய
மனசைக்கொண்டு
அமெரிக்காவில்
வென்றிணைவோம்
தமிழ்நாடு
பவுண்டேசனில்
ஒன்றிணைவோம்

- நீலகண்டன் கோவிந்த்



SARATHIKA

X STD, GHSS, MELANIKUZZHI, ARIYALUR

“A page in a book could just be a sheet of paper,
but if read in-depth can impart wisdom”
– these words from our Soft skills trainer,
Mr.Isaki Muthu, was an inspiration to me
and my classmates.

பொன்விழாவை நோக்கிப் பொலிவுறு தமிழ்விழா...! TNF 48

"சேமமுற வேண்டுமெனில் தெருவெல்லாம்
தமிழ்முழக்கம் செழிக்கச் செய்வீர்!" மகாகவி பாரதி



திரைகடல் ஓடியும் திரவியம் தேடுவதோடு செந்தமிழின்
பெருமையை உலகெங்கும் பரவச் செய்ய வேண்டும் எனச்
செயல்படுகின்ற சங்கம் தான் தமிழ்நாடு பவுண்டேசன்.

48 ஆம் ஆண்டு தம் தமிழ்ப்பணியினைத் தொடர்கின்ற இச்சங்கத்தார் தமிழின்
பெருமையை உலகறியச் செய்வதோடு தமிழகத்தில் கல்விக்கான அரும்பணியையும்
இடையறாது செய்து வருகின்றனர்.

இந்தியாவின் ஆன்மா கிராமங்களில் தான் இருக்கிறது என்றார் மகாத்மா காந்தி. அவரின்
கூற்றுப்படித் தமிழகத்தில் உள்ள கிராமங்களைத் தத்தெடுத்து கல்வி பயிலும் மாணவ
மாணவியருக்கு உதவி வருகிறது தமிழ்நாடு பவுண்டேசன்.
மாணவ மாணவியர் படிக்கின்ற பள்ளிக்கூடக் கட்டிடம், உறைவிட
வசதிகள், நாற்காலிகள், கரும்பலகைகள், ஆசிரியர்களுக்கான ஊக்கத்தொகை
இவற்றையெல்லாம் தமிழ்நாடு பவுண்டேசன் மூலம் தொடர்ந்து செய்துவருகின்ற
இவர்களின் கல்விப்பணிக்கு ஈடேது, இணையேது!

இன்னரும் கனி சோலைகள் செய்தல்
இனிய நீர் தண் சுனைகள் அமைத்தல்
அன்னசத்திரம் ஆயிரம் வைத்தல்
ஆலயம் பதினாயிரம் நாட்டல்
பின்னருள்ள தர்மங்கள் யாவும்
பெயர் விளங்கி ஒளிர நிறுத்தல்
அன்ன யாவிலும் புண்ணியம் கோடி
ஆங்கோர் ஏழைக்கு எழுத்தறிவித்தல்

எனும் பாரதியின் கவிதையை நனவாக்கும் முயற்சியில் தமிழ்நாடு பவுண்டேசன் தன்
செயற்கரிய பணியை செய்து வருவது வாழ்த்திற்குரியது.

தமிழகத்தில் இவர்களின் உதவி பெற்று வளர்ந்து வரும் பள்ளிகளில் சென்று உரையாடிய
பெருமை எனக்கு உண்டு. தற்போது அமெரிக்க நாட்டில் டாலஸ் நகரத்திலுள்ள
இந்நிறுவனம் நடத்துகின்ற 48 ஆம் ஆண்டு நல்விழாவில் சிறப்புரை நிகழ்த்த என்னை
அழைத்துள்ளார்கள். இதுவும் எனக்குக் கிடைத்த பெருமைகளுள் ஒன்று.

விரைவில் பொன்விழா காணவிருக்கின்ற தமிழ்நாடு பவுண்டேசன் தன் தமிழ்ப்பணியால்
தனிப்பெருமையால் தரணி புகழும் சிறப்பினைப் பெறட்டும்! இவர்கள் பணி தொடரட்டும்!
தமிழகத்தின் கிராமப்பள்ளிகளில் கல்விப் பூ மலரட்டும்! இந்த மலரின் மணம்
உலகெங்கும் பரவட்டும்!

**வாழ்த்துகளுடன்
கு.ஞான சம்பந்தன்**

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ஈதல் இயையாக் கடை

ARIYALUR DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|---|-------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (Thiru. Murugan Kannan) | Government Higher Secondary School, Melanikuzhi | Melanikuzhi | 2021 - 2022 | ₹35,059 | 291 Students |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID 19 Pandemic | Student | Ariyalur | 2021 - 2022 | ₹10,000 | 1 Student |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Government Hospital, Jayamkondam | Jayamkondam | 2021 - 2022 | ₹39,52,514 | General Public |



ABC - Regular Classes



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Special Coaching Class

KANYAKUMARI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Govt. Hospital, Colachel | Colachel | 2021-2022 | ₹13,68,616 | General Public |
| Educational Scholarship (Periasamy Gounder and Tmt. Ponnammal Educational Scholarship) | Student | Kaniya- kumari | 2021-2022 | ₹14,501 | 1 Student |



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The Soft Skill Training Program was very relevant and of value to me. It helped me find ways to define better and thereby achieve my goals. It also helped me to build on my communication skills in English. Now I have no inhibitions while communicating in English.

CHENGALPATTU DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|---|---------------------|-------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Government Medical College & Hospital, Chengalpattu | Chengalpattu | 2021 - 2022 | ₹52,49,526 | General Public |
| | Government Hospital of Thoracic Medicine, Tambaram | Tambaram | 2021 - 2022 | ₹24,25,680 | General Public |
| | Government Hospital, Tambaram Sanatorium | Tambaram Sanatorium | 2021 - 2022 | | General Public |
| Tailoring Education (TNF Chicago Chapter) | Women | Perumbakkam | 2021 - 2022 | ₹87,048 | 25 Women |
| Educational Scholarship (Bhavani Sridhar Educational Scholarship) | Student | Mamallapuram | 2021 - 2022 | ₹20,267 | 1 Student |
| Enhancement of School facilities (Individual Donor) | Sivananda Ashram orphaned students | Kattankolathur | 2021 - 2022 | ₹46,380 | 146 Students |



Government Hospital, Chengalpattu



Tailoring Education

VIRUDHUNAGAR DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|------------------|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Educational Scholarship (Hope3 Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Student | Virudhunagar | 2021-2022 | ₹86,000 | 1 Student |



Educational Scholarship

CHENNAI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|--|-------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF San Francisco Bay Area Chapter) | Greater Chennai Higher Secondary School, Shenoy Nagar | Shenoy Nagar | 2021 - 2022 | ₹1,37,239 | 639 Students |
| | Government Boys High School, Mogappair East | Mogappair | | | |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID - 19 | Government Kilpauk Medical College & Hospital | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹23,70,000 | General Public |
| | Government Hospital for children, Egmore | Chennai | | ₹2,34,150 | |
| Digital class room (TNF San Francisco Bay Area Chapter) | Government Higher Sec. School, MMDA | Arumbakkam | 2021 - 2022 | ₹92,014 | 1043 Students |
| Awareness campaign on birth defects and other genetic disorder (Dr.V.G. Dev) | Birth defects and Genetic disorder | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹9,60,065 | 970 General People |
| Educational Scholarship (Manikam & Padmavathy Educational Scholarship) | Students | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹1,01,000 | 4 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Kalvi Educational Scholarship) | Students | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹27,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (CM Educational Assistance and Rural Development) | Students | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹52,000 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Hope3 Foundation) | Student | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹80,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Stanley Medical Alumni Scholarship) | Student | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹12,660 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Dhana Rengachary Educational Scholarship) | Student | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹19,500 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Essvee Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Student | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹35,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Mrs. Lakshmi Sevugan) | Educational assistance to the Destitute and Socially abandoned School Children | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹15,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Student | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹39,055 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (TNF Chennai Chapter) | Student | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹10,000 | 1 Student |
| Welfare of Physically Challenged People (TNF Chennai Chapter) | Students | Chennai | 2021 - 2022 | ₹21,942 | 8 Students |



ABC Class



Soft Skill Training



Awareness campaign on birth defects and other genetic disorder



Digital Class Room Project



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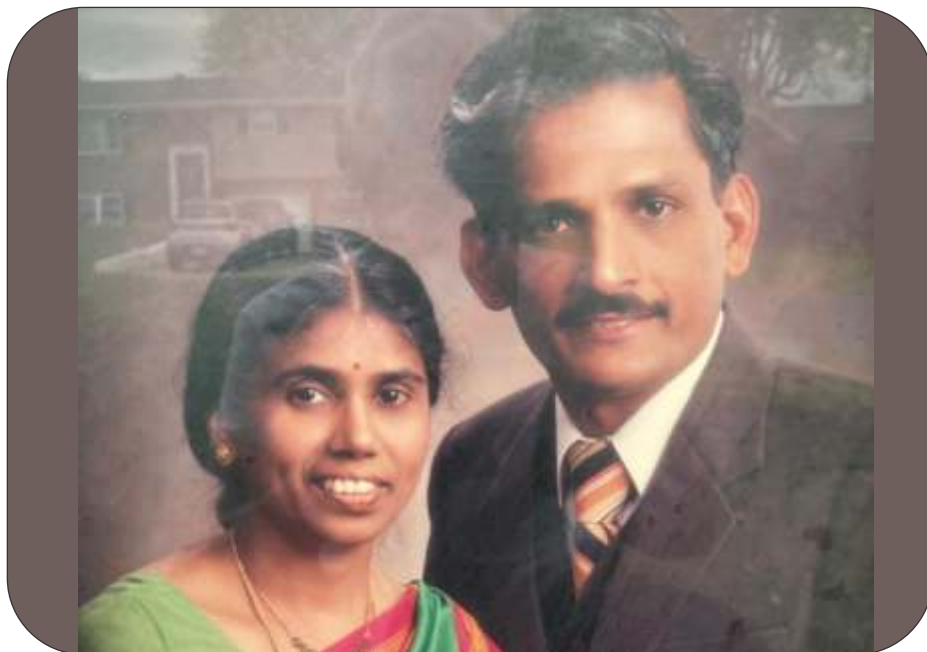


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| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|--|------------------------|-------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC School Project (TNF Austin Chapter) | Government Higher Sec. School, Ramanathpuram (Mannur) | Ramanathpuram | 2021 - 2022 | ₹2,83,835 | 579 Students |
| | Government Higher Sec. School, Chettipalayam | Chettipalayam | | | |
| TNF ABC School Project (Thiru Patcha Gounder & Thirumathi Nanjammal alias Ponnammal) | TSA Government Higher Secondary School, Kattampatty | Kattampatty | | ₹98,813 | |
| TNF ABC School Project (Thiru. Gopalaswamy Manokaran) | Government Higher Secondary School, Kinathukadavu | Kinathukadavu | | - | |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID - 19 | Coimbatore Medical College & Hospital | Coimbatore | 2021 - 2022 | ₹7,23,120 | General Public |
| | Coimbatore ESI Hospital | Coimbatore | | ₹24,40,800 | |
| | Government Hospital Pollachi | Pollachi | | ₹3,88,800 | |
| COVID Awareness Educational Project | General Public | Coimbatore | 2021 - 2022 | ₹3,92,000 | General Public |
| Digital Classroom (Thiru. Sathya Krishnan) | Government Higher Secondary School, Vadasithur Students | Vadasithur | 2021 - 2022 | - | 250 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Gopalakrishnan Memorial Scholarship Fund) | Students | Varathaiyangar palayam | 2021 - 2022 | ₹5,200 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship - (Er. Senthilkumar Mahadevan & Uma Senthilkumar Trust) | PSG College of Technology students | Peelamedu | 2021 - 2022 | ₹60,000 | 3 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Hope3 Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Student | Coimbatore | 2021 - 2022 | ₹28,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Student | Coimbatore | 2021 - 2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Essvee Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Students | Coimbatore | 2021 - 2022 | ₹1,02,000 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Mrs. Lakshmi Sevugan) | Educational assistance to the Destitute and Socially abandoned School Children | Coimbatore | 2021 - 2022 | ₹15,500 | 1 Student |



ABC Class



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Special Coaching Class

CUDDALORE DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|--|-------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Chicago Chapter) | Government High School, Keerapalayam | Keerapalayam | 2021 - 2022 | ₹6,85,461 | 818 Students |
| | Government High School, Sakkangudi | Sakkangudi | | | |
| | Government Adi Dravida Welfare Higher Sec School, | Madurantha- | | | |
| | Maduranthagallur Govt. Middle School, Oodakanallur | ganallur | | | |
| | Govt. Aided Middle School, Poonthotam | Poonthotam | | | |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Govt. Hospital, Kattumannarkovil | Kattumannarkovil | 2021 - 2022 | ₹22,55,255 | General Public |
| | Kamaraj Government Hospital, Chidambaram | Chidambaram | 2021 - 2022 | ₹27,59,606 | General Public |
| Educational Scholarship (SethuVenu Educational Scholarship) | Students | Cuddalore | 2021 - 2022 | ₹30,119 | 6 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Tmt.Lakshmi Sevugan) | Educational assistance to the Destitute and Socially abandoned Student | Cuddalore | 2021 - 2022 | ₹22,500 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Student | Cuddalore | 2021 - 2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |



ABC Class



Soft Skill Training



Research & Diagnosis of Covid -19



Educational Scholarship



Exposure Visit

DHARMAPURI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|---|----------------|-------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (Dr. M.N. Inbavazhu Memorial) | Government Girls Higher Secondary | | 2021 - 2022 | ₹1,28,228 | 285 Students |
| | School, Pennagaram Government Boys Higher Sec. School, Pennagaram | Pennagaram | | | |
| Educational Scholarship (Dr. M.N. Inbavazhu Memorial) | Government Girls Higher Sec. School, Pennagaram | Pennagaram | 2021 - 2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID19 Pandemic | Students | Dharmapuri | 2021 - 2022 | ₹40,000 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Tmt. Sundari Viswanathan) | Government Girls Higher Sec. School, Bommidi | Bommidi | 2021 - 2022 | ₹9,000 | 6 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Individual Donor) | Student | Dharmapuri | 2021 - 2022 | ₹9,730 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (CM Educational Assistance and Rural Development) | Student | Palacode | 2021 - 2022 | ₹25,999 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (CM Educational Assistance and Rural Development) | Government Higher Secondary School, Ichampallam | Dharmapuri | 2021 - 2022 | ₹12,000 | 12 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Hope3 Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Student | Dharmapuri | 2021 - 2022 | ₹3,000 | 1 Student |



ABC Class



Educational Scholarship



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KARTHICK, XII STD, SAV HSS, CHATRAM, THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT.

Prior to attending the Orientation Program on Career Guidance, I was unsure of the approach I should take in choosing a career path. But the course clearly outlined various branches of engineering, their relevance to employment opportunities, which has helped me chart out a plan.

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DINDIGUL DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|--|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Educational Scholarship (Bharatiyar Arakatalai) | Student | Dindigul | 2021-2022 | ₹10,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Hope3 Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Students | Dindigul | 2021-2022 | ₹79,200 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Tmt. Lakshmi Senguvan) | Educational assistance to the Destitute and Socially abandoned student | Dindigul | 2021-2022 | ₹22,000 | 1 Student |



Educational Scholarship



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Educational Scholarship



AUGUSTINE, IX STD, GHSS, SHENOY NAGAR, CHENNAI.

Attending the Soft Skill Training Program was an eye-opener for me. The teacher emphasized the importance of 'mindfulness' of our behavior and attitude, and mending our ways. Personal experiences that he shared with us made his teaching more credulous. He countered my desire to pursue a simple Major and get employed by stating that success in life comes for those who challenge themselves. An easy path will have limited benefits.

ERODE DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|--|--------------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Government Medical College & Hospital, Erode | Erode | 2021-2022 | ₹60,48,000 | General Public |
| Educational Scholarship (Senthil Mahadevan and Uma Senthil) | The Sengunthar Higher Secondary School, Erode | Erode | 2021-2022 | ₹6,000 | 3 Students |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID19 Pandemic | Students | Erode | 2021-2022 | ₹36,090 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Thiru. Sridharan) | Diamond Jubilee Higher Secondary School students | Gobichetti-palayam | 2021-2022 | ₹13,614 | 9 Students |



COVID 19 - Educational Scholarship



Educational Scholarship



Research & Diagnosis of COVID - 19

KALLAKURICHI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|--|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Chicago Chapter) | Panchayat Union Middle School, Koothanur | Koothanur | 2021-2022 | ₹49,424 | 101 students |
| Educational Scholarship (Stanley Medical Alumni Educational Scholarship) | Student | Kallakurichi | 2021-2022 | ₹11,533 | 1 Student |



Regular Class



Special Coaching Class



Educational Scholarship - Stanley

KANCHIPURAM DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|--|-----------------|-------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Greater Boston Chapter) | Government ADW Higher Secondary School | Injambakkam | 2021-2022 | ₹35,522 | 37 Students |
| | Government High School | Nazarath-pettai | | | |
| | Government Higher Secondary School | Kaliyam-poondi | | | |
| | Government High School, Kunnam | Kunnam | | | |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Govt. Hospital | Kanchipuram | 2021-2022 | ₹7,77,600 | General Public |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID19 Pandemic | Students | Kanchipuram | 2021-2022 | ₹60,500 | 4 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Tmt. Lakshmi Senguvan) | Educational assistance to the Destitute and socially abandoned student | Kanchipuram | 2021-2022 | ₹50,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (CM Educational Assistance and Rural Development) | Students | Kanchipuram | 2021 - 2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (P. Ramaswami Memorial Educational Scholarship) | Students | Kanchipuram | 2021-2022 | ₹6,460 | 3 Students |



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KARUR DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|---|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (Thiru. Periasamy Gounder and Thirumathi Ponnammal) | Panchayat Union Middle School, Thottampatti | Thottampatti | 2021-2022 | ₹38,227 | 44 Students |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Govt. Hospital, Karur | Karur | 2021-2022 | ₹3,88,800 | General Public |
| Educational Scholarship (Thiru. Nachappa Gopalsami) | Government Higher Secondary School, Thennilai | Karur | 2021-2022 | ₹1,00,000 | 4 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Essvee Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Students | Karur | 2021-2022 | ₹1,30,000 | 3 Students |



ABC Class



Educational Scholarship



Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19

PERAMBALUR DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|---|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Government Medical College and Hospital | Perambalur | 2021-2022 | ₹8,85,600 | General Public |
| Educational Scholarship (Essvee Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Student | Perambalur | 2021-2022 | ₹60,000 | 1 Student |



Educational Scholarship



Govt. Medical College



Govt. Medical College

KRISHNAGIRI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|--|---------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (Adobe Benevity Grant) | Government Girls Higher Secondary School, Hosur Block | Hosur | 2021-2022 | ₹3,98,863 | 1780 Students |
| | Government Higher Secondary School, Hosur Block | Mullai Nagar | | | |
| | Government Boys Higher Secondary School, Hosur Block | Hosur | | | |
| | Government Higher Secondary School, Thenkanikottai | Natram- palayam | | | |
| | Government High School, Uthangarai Block | Uthangarai | | | |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID19 Pandemic | Government School Students | Hosur and Mullai Nagar | 2021-2022 | ₹1,17,000 | 43 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Essvee Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Students | Krishnagiri | 2021-2022 | ₹1,07,930 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Stanley Medical Alumni Educational Scholarship) | Students | Krishnagiri | 2021-2022 | ₹40,216 | 2 Students |



Regular Class



Softskill Training



Special Coaching Class

MADURAI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|---|---------------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF - ABC Project (Dr.Somalay Somasundaram) | Government High School, Pappakudipatti | Pappakudi- patti | 2021-2022 | ₹48,089 | 83 Students |
| | Government High School, Kodukkanpatti | Kodukkan- patti | | | |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Madurai Medical College & Hospital | Madurai | 2021-2022 | ₹12,89,520 | General Public |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID19 Pandemic | Student | Madurai | 2021-2022 | ₹13,550 | 1 Student |
| Enhancement of School Infrastructure facilities (VTK Memorial Fund) | Government High School, Pappakudipatti | Pappa- kudipatti | 2021-2022 | ₹29,960 | 82 Students |
| Enhancement of School Infrastructure facilities (VTK Memorial Fund) | Government High School, Kodukkanpatti | Kodukkan- patti | 2021-2022 | ₹48,300 | 200 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Students | Madurai | 2021-2022 | ₹41,708 | 4 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Bharatiyar Arakattalai) | Students | Madurai | 2021-2022 | ₹78,000 | 4 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (SEEDS Educational Scholarship) | Students | Madurai | 2021-2022 | ₹80,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Hope3 Educational Scholarship) | Students | Madurai | 2021-2022 | ₹95,000 | 1 Student |



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MAYILADUTHURAI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|---|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF - ABC Project (Tmt. Malathi Palaniappan) | Government Higher Secondary School, Korukkai | Korukkai | 2021-2022 | ₹1,13,015 | 214 students |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Govt. Hospital, Mayiladuthurai | Mayiladuthurai | 2021-2022 | ₹7,77,600 | General Public |
| Special School for Intellectually Disabled students (TNF Philadelphia Chapter, Dallas Chapter and Numerous Individual Donors and TNF Chapters) | Intellectually Disabled students | Sirkali | 2021-2022 | ₹12,40,641 | 63 Students |
| Special School for Intellectually Disabled Students (VTK Memorial Fund) | Intellectually Disabled students | Sirkali | 2021-2022 | ₹1,46,490 | |



ABC Regular Class



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Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19

Special School for Intellectually Disabled Students



NAGAPATTINAM DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|--------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Central Ohio Chapter) | Government High School, Ettukudi | Ettukudi | 2021-2022 | ₹8,21,454 | 1177 Students |
| | Government High School, Gramathumedu | Giramathumedu | | | |
| | Government High School, Seruthur | Seruthur | | | |
| | Government High School, Karapidagai | Karapidagai | | | |
| | Government High School, Thirupoondi | Thirupoondi (North) | | | |
| Gaja Relief and Rehabilitation | Government High School, Thirupoondi | Thirupoondi (North) | 2021-2022 | ₹18,284 | 250 Students |
| Support to Rural School Students - NEET online coaching classes (Various Donors) | School Students | Nagapattinam | 2021-2022 | ₹1,45,000 | 43 Students |



ABC Regular Class



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JESSIDHA, X STD, GHS, KATCHANAM, THIRUVARUR DISTRICT.

Orientation Program on Career Guidance was conducted by Sir Issac Newton College, Nagapattinam. Faculty members dealt with measures to overcome anxiety, during exams. We were educated about the various course options related to, both, academics and sports. They briefed us about scholarships and courses with fee waivers offered by the Government.

NAMAKKAL DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|---|--------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Michigan Chapter) | Valvil Ori Government Tribal Residential Higher Secondary School, Kolli hills | Vazhavan- dhinadu | 2021-2022 | ₹8,58,469 | 2034 Students |
| | Government Tribal Residential Higher Secondary School, Sengarai | Sengarai | | | |
| | Government Tribal Residential Higher Secondary School (Boys), Mullukurichi | Mullukurichi | | | |
| | Government Tribal Residential Higher Secondary School (Girls), Mullukurichi | Mullukurichi | | | |
| | Government Higher Secondary School (Boys), Erumaipatti | Erumaipatti | | | |
| | Government Higher Sec. School, (Boys) Kalappanaickanpatti | Kalappanaic- kanpatti | | | |
| | Government Hr. Sec. School, Pallakkapalayam | Pallakka- palayam | | | |
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Newyork Chapter) | Government Hr. Sec. School, Pallakkapalayam | Pallakka- palayam | | | |
| TNF ABC Project (Tmt. Dheepa Rammohan Maturi) | Government Hr. Sec. School, Sowdhapuram | Sowdha- puram | | | |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID-19 Pandemic | Students | Namakkal | 2021-2022 | ₹40,000 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Dr. Rajammal Jayakumar) | Students | Thiruchen- gode | 2021-2022 | ₹4,15,000 | 23 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Thiru. Ponnuswamy Palaniswamy) | Students | Thiruchen- gode | 2021-2022 | ₹40,000 | 3 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Student | Kollihills | 2021-2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |
| 'LOOPS' under the TAYMAI PROJECT | Government Higher Secondary School, Kalappanayakkanpatti | Pallakka- palayam | 2021-2022 | ₹1,38,760 | 136 Students |
| | Government Higher Sec. School (Boys), Erumaipatti. | Erumaipatti | | | |

NAMAKKAL DISTRICT GALLERY



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Loops under Taymai Project



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Dr. Somalay Somasundaram and his wife, TNF, actively participated in the Soft Skills Training Program that I attended. They brought home concepts of management such as SWOT, SMART and Effective Time Management. They stressed on analysis of our strength, weakness to avail the opportunities Importance of verbal, non-verbal and visual communication was highlighted. Their down to earth approach and involvement in all these activities, was an inspiration to us.

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NILGIRIS DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|--|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Primary Health Center, T. Oranally | T. Oranally | 2021-2022 | ₹14,86,352 | General Public |
| | Primary Health Center, Ketti | Ketti | 2021-2022 | ₹14,34,402 | General Public |
| Educational Scholarship (Tmt. Lakshmi Senguvan) | Educational assistance to the Destitute and Socially abandoned student | Nilgiris | 2021-2022 | ₹80,000 | 2 Students |



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GPHC-ORANALLY (3)

PUDUKOTTAI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|--|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Dallas Chapter) | Government Girls Higher Secondary School, Thirumayam | Thirumayam | 2021-2022 | ₹1,06,800 | 208 Students |
| | SKT Gandhi High School, Rayavaram | Rayavaram | | | |
| Gaja Relief & Rehabilitation - 9 Nos Makeshift Houses | Gaja Cyclone affected families | Muttanpalam | 2021-2022 | ₹2,81,250 | 9 families |
| Educational Scholarship (CM Educational Assistance and Rural Development) | Student | Pudukotai | 2021-2022 | ₹15,000 | 1 Student |



ABC CLASS



Special Coaching Class



Construction of House

RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Memphis Chapter) | Government Higher Secondary School | Uppoor | 2021 - 2022 | ₹47,792 | 100 Students |
| TNF ABC Project (TNF North East Ohio Chapter) | Government Higher Secondary School | Devipattinam | 2021-2022 | ₹59,932 | 196 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Stanley Medical Alumni Educational Scholarship) | Student | Ramanathapuram | 2021-2022 | ₹16,500 | 1 Student |



ABC Class, Devipattinam



ABC Class, Uppur

THENI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|--|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (Dr. Bala Swaminathan) | Government Higher Secondary School, T.Subbulapuram | Theni | 2021-2022 | ₹32,803 | 92 students |
| Educational Scholarship (Dr. Bala A. Rengarajan) | Sri Krishna Aiyer Hr. Sec. School students | Chinnamanur | 2021-2022 | ₹93,791 | 37 students |



Regular Class



Special Coaching Class



Educational Scholarship

RANIPET DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|---|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Newyork Chapter, TNF Atlanta Chapter & Turbo Energy Pvt. Ltd) | Government High School, Anvarthikanpet | Anvarthikanpet | 2021-2022 | ₹8,68,265 | 1857 Students |
| | Government Boys Higher Sec. School, Guruvarajapet | Guruvarajapet | | | |
| | Adi Dravida Welfare Government High School, Elathur | Elathur | | | |
| | Government High School, Kunnathur | Kunnathur | | | |
| | Government High School, Mittapettai | Mittapettai | | | |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Students | Arakonam | 2021-2022 | ₹40,000 | 2 Students |
| YOX Program (TNF San Francisco Bay Area Chapter) | Anvarthikanpet Library Students | Anvarthikanpet | 2021-2022 | ₹6,015 | 9 Students |



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SALEM DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|--|---------------------|-------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF South Florida Chapter) | Government Boys Higher Secondary School, Mecheri, Mecheri Block | Mecheri | 2021-2022 | ₹3,07,625 | 537 Students |
| | Government Boys Higher Secondary School, JariKondalampatti, Panamarathupatti Block | Jari-kondalam-patti | | | |
| TNF ABC Project (Thiru. Mike Manickam) | Government Higher Secondary School, Neikarapatty | Neikarapatty | 2021 - 2022 | ₹62,088 | 98 Students |
| | Government High School, Akkamapettai | Akkama-pettai | | | |
| TNF ABC Project (Thiru. Mani Rajendran) | Government (Boys) Higher Sec. School, Sankari | Sankari | 2021-2022 | ₹66,730 | 371 Students |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Government Hospital, Salem | Salem | 2021-2022 | ₹11,66,400 | General Public |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID19 Pandemic | Students | Salem | 2021-2022 | ₹70,000 | 6 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Student | Salem | 2021-2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Tmt. Lakshmi Seguvan) | Educational assistance to the Destitute and Socially abandoned student | Salem | 2021-2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |



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SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|---|---------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Philadelphia Chapter) | Sathappa Govt. Higher Sec. School, Nerkuppai | Nerkuppai | 2021-2022 | ₹7,89,365 | 1023 students |
| | Subramanian Chettiar GuruKulam Hr. Sec School, Amaravathipudur | Amaravathi Pudur | | | |
| | Government Higher Secondry School, Vettriyyur | Vettriyyur | | | |
| | Government Higher Secondary School, SS Kottai | SS Kottai | | | |
| | TPU Middle School, Vadugappatti | Vaduga- ppatti | | | |
| | TPU Primary School, Nerkuppai | Nerkuppai | | | |
| | TPU Middle School, Konnathanpatti | Konnathan- patti | | | |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Government Hospital, Singampuneri | Singam- puneri | 2021-2022 | ₹23,32,800 | General Public |
| Educational Assistance to orphaned girl children (Mr. Balaji Prakash Rao) | Children | Kundrakudi | 2021-2022 | ₹20,04,900 | 27 Children |
| Educational Support to Government aided school (Mr. Subu Ganesan) | Subramanian Chettiar GuruKulam Hr. Sec School, Amaravathipudur students | Amaravathi Pudur | 2021-2022 | ₹7,82,380 | 180 Students |
| Somalay Memorial Branch Library, Nerkuppai (Dr.Somalay Somasundaram) | Somalay Memorial Library - Village Children and adults | Nerkuppai | 2021-2022 | ₹1,35,366 | General Public / Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Mr. Viswanathan Arunachalam) | Pethal Achi Girls Higher Secondary School, | Devakottai | 2021-2022 | ₹1,41,330 | 18 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Govt. Higher Sec. School, SS Kottai | SS Kottai | 2021-2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | ITI Students | Kundrakudi | 2021-2022 | ₹2,00,000 | 40 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Students | Sivagangai | 2021-2022 | ₹12,994 | 3 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Bharathiyar Arakattalai) | Students | Sivagangai | 2021-2022 | ₹10,953 | 2 Students |
| YOX Program | Sathappa Govt. Higher Sec. School, Nerkuppai | Nerkuppai | 2021-2022 | - | 24 Students |

SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT GALLERY



VTK Award



Nerkuppai Library



JEE Class



Talking Pen Project



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YOX



Educational Scholarship



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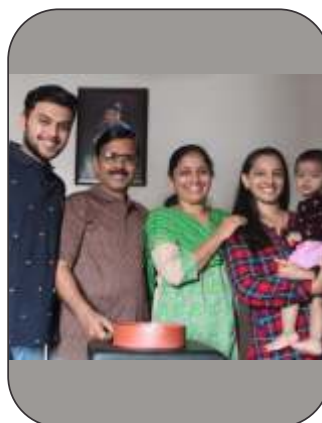
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TENKASI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|--|-----------------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Washington DC Chapter) | Government Higher Secondary School, Thirumalapuram | Thirumalapuram | 2021-2022 | ₹4,47,484 | 1788 students |
| | AMC Government Higher Sec. School, Karivalamvanthanallur | Karivalamvanthanallur | | | |
| | G.A. Government Higher Sec. School, Sankarankovil | Sankarankovil | | | |
| | Government Hr. Sec. School, Sayamalai | Sayamalai | | | |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Student | Tenkasi | 2021-2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |
| Provision of water facility (TNF USA Board Government School water & toilet project) | Government Higher Secondary School, Thirumalapuram | Thirumalapuram | 2021-2022 | ₹2,05,057 | 725 Students |



ABC CLASS



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Soft Skill Training



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Mr. Elango, Soft skills Trainer, took that approach when he led our Soft Skills Program by including various instructional and interesting games and activities.

THANJAVUR DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|---|-------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Govt. Hospital | Thanjavur | 2021-2022 | ₹3,88,800 | General Public |
| | Govt. Hospital | Pattukottai | | | |
| | Govt. Hospital | Peravurani | | ₹7,13,386 | |
| | Govt. Hospital | Kumbakonam | | ₹54,18,039 | |
| | Primary Health Center | Konulampallam | | ₹1,33,312 | |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID19 Pandemic | Students | Thanjavur | 2021-2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Students | Thanjavur | 2021-2022 | ₹1,00,000 | 5 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Tmt. Lakshmi Seguvan) | Educational assistance to the Destitute and Socially abandoned student | Thanjavur | 2021-2022 | ₹24,833 | 3 Students |



COVID - 19 Scholarship Project



COVID - 19 Scholarship Project



Research & Diagnosis of COVID Project



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TamilNadu Foundation conducted an Orientation Programme on Career Guidance for students of XII standard. They elucidated on the various courses and career options to be pursued after completion of XII standard. It was very valuable.

THIRUNELVELI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|--|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Washington DC Chapter) | Government Higher Secondary School, Vannikonenthal | Vannikonenthal | 2021-2022 | ₹98,448 | 312 Students |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Govt. Hospital, Thirunelveli | Thirunelveli | 2021-2022 | ₹11,66,400 | General Public |
| | Thirunelveli Medical College & Hospital | Thirunelveli | | ₹11,02,500 | |
| Educational Scholarship (Hope3 Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Student | Thirunelveli | 2021-2022 | ₹1,15,000 | Student |



Ventilators



Soft Skill Training



Oxygen Concentrator

THIRUVANNAMALAI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|---|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (Thiru. Gynanasabai Muthupalaniappan) | Government Higher Secondary School, Vadailuppai | Vadailuppai | 2021-2022 | ₹70,596 | 187 Students |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Government Hospital, Arani | Arani | 2021-2022 | ₹13,97,970 | General Public |
| Enhancement of School infrastructure facilities (Thiru. Gynanasabai Muthupalaniappan) | Panchayat Union Middle School, Meesanallur | Meesanallur | 2021-2022 | ₹20,500 | 149 Students |



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Soft Skill Training



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The Orientation Program on Career Guidance organized by HSE college faculty members gave us a comprehensive overview of various fields in science and technology. They also detailed the entrance examinations that one has to take for admission. We were also briefed how we could take recourse to Civil Services. I am confident I will be able to make the right choice.

THIRUVARUR DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|---|------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| ABC Project (TNF Houston Chapter) | Government High School, Katchanam | Katchanam | 2021-2022 | ₹6,82,476 | 1597 Students |
| | Government High School, Ezhilur | Ezhilur | | | |
| | Government High School, Thiruthangur | Thiruthangur | | | |
| | Government High School, Thalaikkadu | Thalaikkadu | | | |
| | Government Higher Secondary School, Thiruthuraipoondi | Thiruthurai- poondi | | | |
| | Government Higher Secondary School, Nedumbalam | Nedumbalam | | | |
| ABC Project (Thiru. Doss Kuppaswamy) | Municipal Elementary School, Keelarajaveedhi, Mannargudi | Mannargudi | | | |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID - 19 | Govt. Hospital, Thiruthuraipoondi | Thiruthurai- poondi | 2021-2022 | ₹17,27,496 | General Public |
| | Thiruvarur Medical College & Hospital | Thiruvarur | 2021-2022 | ₹14,28,696 | General Public |
| | Muthupettai Upgraded Primary Health Center | Muthupettai | 2021-2022 | ₹1,36,462 | General Public |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID - 19 Pandemic | Student | Thiruvarur | 2021-2022 | ₹20,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Student | Thiruvarur | 2021-2022 | ₹40,000 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Manikam & Padmavathy Educational Scholarship) | Student | Thiruvarur | 2021-2022 | ₹99,500 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (CM Educational Assistance and Rural Development) | Students | Thiruvarur | 2021-2022 | ₹3,000 | 3 Students |



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THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|--|--------------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (TNF Washington DC Chapter) | Government Hr. Sec. School, Sekkarakudi | Sekkarakudi | 2021-2022 | ₹8,23,754 | 950 Students |
| | SAV Higher Sec. Schl, Chathiram St. | Chathiram | | | |
| | Extension Middle School, New Colony | Thoothukudi | | | |
| | Government Higher Secondary School, Savalaperi | Savalaperi | | | |
| | Govt. Hr. Sec. Schl. Mudivaithanenthall | Mudivaithanenthall | | | |
| ABC Project (PSK Rajaratnam Memorial) | Govt. Hr. Sec. Schl, Karungulam | Karungulam | | ₹3,225 | 45 Students |
| | Government Higher Secondary School, Kombankulam | Kombankulam | | | |
| | Government Higher Secondary School, Kommadi-kottai | Kommadi-kottai | | | |



Regular Class



Soft Skill Training



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Orientation Programme on Career guidance

THIRUPATHUR DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|----------------------------|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Govt. Hospital, Tirupathur | Tirupathur | 2021-2022 | ₹15,55,200 | General Public |
| TNF Educational Scholarship for Orphaned children due to COVID19 Pandemic | Students | Tirupathur | 2021-2022 | ₹75,445 | 2 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Essvee Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Student | Tirupathur | 2021-2022 | ₹45,000 | 1 Student |



COVID Educational Scholarship



COVID Educational Scholarship



Research and Diagnosis of COVID-19

TIRUPUR DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|--|--|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (Dr. P.K. Rajan) | Arignar Anna Higher Sec. School, Vellakoil | Vellakoil | 2021-2022 | - | - |
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Government Medical College & Hospital, Tirupur | Tirupur | 2021-2022 | ₹60,48,000 | General Public |
| Educational Scholarship (Rakkiyappan and R. Bhuvaneswari Chinnappan Educational Scholarship) | Government Girls Higher Secondary School, Palladam | Palladam | 2021-2022 | ₹4,000 | 1 Student |



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THIRUVALLUR DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|--|-------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Govt. Hospital, Thiruvallur | Thiruvallur | 2021-2022 | ₹11,66,400 | General Public |
| | Govt. Hospital, Tiruttani | Tiruttani | 2021-2022 | ₹7,77,600 | General Public |
| | Primary Health Centre, Pallipat | Pallipat | 2021-2022 | ₹3,54,000 | General Public |
| Educational Scholarship (TNF Dallas Chapter) | Student | Thiruvallur | 2021-2022 | ₹36,120 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Dhana Rengachary Educational Scholarship) | Student | Thiruvallur | 2021-2022 | ₹12,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Mrs. Lakshmi Sevugan) | Educational assistance to the Destitute and Socially abandoned School Children | Thiruvallur | 2021-2022 | ₹57,000 | 2 Students |
| Conversion of roof to School Building (TNF Dallas Chapter) | Government Hr. Sec. School Visually Impaired, Poonamallee | Poonamallee | 2021-2022 | ₹8,63,785 | 225 students |
| Educational Scholarship (CM Educational Assistance and Rural Development) | Students | Thiruvallur | 2021-2022 | ₹16,000 | 16 Students |



Visually Impaired School-Poonamalle



Educational Scholarship



Research and Diagnosis of COVID-19

Hosting Partners



THIRUCHIRAPALLI DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|--|----------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Primary Health Center, Uppilyapuram | Uppilyapuram | 2021-2022 | ₹20,45,342 | General Public |
| | Primary Health Center, Eragudi | Eragudi | 2021-2022 | ₹1,33,312 | General Public |
| | Primary Health Center, Sengattupatty | Sengattupatty | 2021-2022 | ₹1,39,360 | General Public |
| | Primary Health Center, B. Mettur | B. Mettur | 2021-2022 | ₹13,96,546 | General Public |
| | Mahatma Gandhi Memorial Govt. Hospital, Trichy | Trichy | 2021-2022 | ₹1,71,360 | General Public |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Nagammaiyar Children's Home | Trichy | 2020-2021 | ₹1,27,800 | 23 Students |



Educational Scholarship



Research and Diagnosis of COVID-19



Research and Diagnosis of COVID-19

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VELLORE DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|---|-------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| TNF ABC Project (Mr.Gynanasabai Muthupalaniappan) | Government Higher Secondary School, Konavattam | Konavattam | 2021-2022 | ₹34,615 | 900 students |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Government Girls Higher Secondary School, Katpadi | Katpadi | 2021-2022 | ₹1,00,000 | 15 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (VTK Memorial Fund) | Government Boys Higher Secondary School, Katpadi | Katpadi | 2021-2022 | ₹1,00,000 | 15 Students |
| Educational Scholarship (Mrs. Lakshmi Sevugan) | Educational assistance to the Destitute and Socially abandoned student | Vellore | 2021-2022 | ₹22,000 | 1 Student |



GHSS - Konavattam



Educational Scholarship

VILLUPURAM DISTRICT

| Project Name (Funded By) | Beneficiary Name | Village / City | Period | Amount (in Indian Rupees) | No. of Beneficiaries |
|---|---|-------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Research & Diagnosis of COVID-19 | Government Medical College and Hospital, Villupuram | Villupuram | 2021-2022 | ₹17,44,000 | General Public |
| | Primary Health Centre, Villupuram | | | | |
| Educational Scholarship (TNF USA Board) | Student | Villupuram | 2021-2022 | ₹10,000 | 1 Student |
| Educational Scholarship (Essvee Foundation Educational Scholarship) | Student | Villupuram | 2021-2022 | ₹60,000 | 1 Student |



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