



St John's Campus, Neerpair

News Letter-December 2017

Prayerful greetings from Fr John Suresh, Fr Backia Raj and Nandhini Krishnan.

Hope our news letter finds you all good in everything. As every news letter carries some significant news about our school, boarding, CHEER Trust and WE, this news letter also carries some of significant events that happened here.

1. Dr R Arulappa Higher Secondary School

1.1 Parents Meeting

After the quarterly examination the corrected papers were given to students. Then the teachers prepared the progress cards and arranged parents meetings. In the meeting the parents were instructed about the status of the students in the examination and their overall performance.

1.2 Dengue Awareness Rally

In Tamil Nadu now a day's people are very much afraid of Dengue fever which has spread widely and has taken away more than hundreds of lives. Though the government has taken several steps it has not been eradicated completely till now. In order to bring awareness among the people about this so called fever we conducted a rally in Neerpair Village and explained how this disease spreads and the precautions to be taken in order not to be affected by this disease.

1.3 Distribution of bags.

Some of our WE members who are working in Zoho, a reputed software Company, collected two Hundred School bags from their staff and distributed to the needy and poor students in our school. We sincerely thank the Zoho Company and our WE members who have taken this effort.

1.4 Associations Activities

In our school there are five association based on the subjects. This month all the associations' activities were mainly on Dengue Fever, the epidemic which has spread not only in Tamil Nadu also widely identified in India. Many people died due to this, most of them are Children. These activities have brought awareness among our students.

1.5 Cleaning the School Campus :



There has been lot of small pushes has filled the ground part and the east ground of Dr Arulappa Hr Sec School. Our Management has arranged tractors with leveling blades to clean the bushes. Students are now our fear on the reptiles within the campus.

2. St John's Home

2.1 Caring of Pet Animals

Taking care of animals is also one of the unique qualities of human beings which everyone should possess. In our boarding we have a few pet animals and they are taken care very well by our children. They feel they more varieties and different kind of pets.

3. WE Group Gathering



WE - Zoho Annamalai Marriage : One of our WE group members, Mr Annamalai got married on 3rd of November 2017. He was the past pupil of Dr Arulappa Hr Sec School, belongs to 2008 year batch pass out.

4. Cheer Trust

4.1 CHEER Second year Anniversary :



Mass for 2nd year anniversary : On October 22nd the Cheer Trust office had its Inaugural day it on 2015 on this same day Pappa Mispagel Inaugrated this building. We commemorated this day in a very simplest way. Fr John Suresh came and celebrated a Thanks giving mass on that day. Along with CHEER office residence some of the representatives of WE Group, Cultural team members and the elder sister of Ms Nandhini Krishnan, Mrs Nirmala took part in this Holy Mass. We offered this Mass for all those benefactors well wisher of CHEER. At last Ms Nandhini Krishnan distributed sweets to share the joy of the second year anniversary of CHEER.

4.2 Camp for Seminarians

On 5th of November to 11th of November 2017 there was a Theatre and cultural training program took place in Cheer trust. The participants are seminarians three northern dioceses of Tamil Nadu and some are from the religious congregation. Choosing our CHEER training centre the training was given by Rev Fr John Suresh and our Adavu cultural team members Mr Andrews and Mr Lucas.



5. Europe Trip Report :

This Year from Sept 6th to Oct 11th Rev John Suresh and Ms Nandhini Krishnan went for overseas trip to Canada and Europe. The first part is advance training program in Playback Theatre in Canada. It was for about 10 days. Later they visited Europe especially there was a project meeting with Pappa Dr Johannes Mispagel with his team. They also visited Nienburg to Arivu association and their partner School ASS. Where there was 10th year anniversary of Arivu was celebrated. The main focus point of their trip is the Wedding of our dear friend Mr Hannes Datta with Ms Laura. It took place on 23rd of September in

Netherlands. We are proud to say that Mr Hannes Datta with his friend Mr Martin Jensen, did their social year in our Dr Arulappa Hr Sec School in the academic year 2004 to 2005. Later their trip was taken around Belgium, France and Norway to visit other friends.

6. Meeting with Bishop :



As soon as Fr John Suresh and Ms Nandhini Krishnan were back from their overseas trip they got ready with the report and submitted the report to the diocesan authorities. Both Rt Rev Bishop and the Vicar General Rev Fr Regis they appreciated the report and responded to the further discussion on the development of the Neerpair Project. Later the same report was

send to all the donor and to some important friends in Europe.

7. Success Story



Dear benefactors and my dear lovable friends, I am Ragu from the village named Sengattur one of the beneficiaries of WE group. Today I am working as one of the log in operators in ICICI Bank (one of the leading banks of India) after the completion of my college studies in Loyola College in Chennai.

As in every poor family our father is the bread winner of the family and my mother is a cooly (daily wages) worker for whom the work is not sure thorough out the year. After completing VIII standard I Joined in Dr. R. Arulappa Higher Secondary School, Neerpair where I could complete my school studies with the help of Fr. John Suresh and Nandhini Akka. Of course here I got partial support from them. But while carrying out college studies I got full support of Fr. John Suresh and Ms Nandhini through the WE program. Here I must honestly accept that had they not helped me, I would not have done my college studies in a well known reputed college? My family situation did not allow me to carry out my further studies after my School. Soon after the completion of my studies I got the job of log in operator in one of the leading banks as I mentioned in the beginning. I am able to earn money with which I could meet my needs and support our family. Now I take this moment to thank all of you for supporting me in one way or the other through Fr. John Suresh and Nandhini Krishnan. I am ever grateful to you and also I promise that I will give my full support for the well future of our WE group. Thank you very much dear Pappa Dr Johannes Mispagel, benefactors. I wish you a **“Happy Christmas and Prosperous New year 2018”**

I am also very good at arts and I have sent a few pictures which I have drawn on my own.

Thanking you

With Prayers from

Ragu

A true story of our child from St. John's home.



Dear friend

In every news letter you find a success story of our students whom we bring up through your kind help. From this news letter on words we are going to give the true story of a child each time. Because in our home there are 86 children are studying from whom there are orphan children, semi-orphan, economically very poor back ground children who are needed motherly love and care. In this news letter we are going to explain about an orphan child who never got love and care from his parents. Here is his real story which he says by himself (but translated).

My name is S. Moses from Kadapakkam Village studying at x standard in Dr R Arulappa Higher Secondary school. When I was one year old, I lost my mother (Mrs Shanthi) and when I was 12 years old I was abandoned by my Father who settled with another woman after the death of my mother in Chennai without taking care of me. I received no love and affection from my father though he was alive after the death of my mother. Then I was taken care by my aunty (The elder sister of my mother). I came to our St John's Home after the admission into VII standard. Since I am orphan, I am given free education and all my expenses are born by Rev. Fr John Suresh, Fr Backia Raj and Ms Nandhini Akka. With their help I am now Studying in X standard. I receive the love and affection from Fr. John Suresh, Fr Backia Raj and Ms Nandhini akka which I lost all these Years before I met them. I sincerely thank them for extending all their supports for the better future of mine. I also thank all the kind hearts who have been helping one way or the other directly or indirectly through Fr. John Suresh.

Thanking you

Yours is in love

S. Moses



We Wish you a *MERRY CHRISTMAS* & Prosperous *New Year 2018*
We Pray that God may shower his abundant blessing and keep you all in
his providence all through this year - *Fr John Suresh, Fr Backia Raj, Ms*
Nandhini Krishnan & Editorial Team .