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NEWS LETTER

AUG 2008

DELHI

Activities

- Protsahan activities went on as usual. We are facing a temporary shortage of active volunteers since many of our regular volunteers are tied up with other things.
- Plans are underway about setting up a temporary shelter in the slum where we can teach the children.

Thank You

We want to thank the Rotary Club for providing us with additional medicines to be distributed among the people at the slum since we ran out of them on the day of the Health Camp.

Wanted

We require volunteers for the Protsahan activities since attendance has been very low past couple of months. We also require help with setting up a temporary shelter in the slum or locating a place near by where we can teach the children.

MUMBAI

News

Pankhudi Members contribute to the relief funds of victims affected by floods in Bihar through Goonj.

Feature

- Regular classes to commence in full from the 20th of September
- Content matter and its development was focussed upon.

Activities

- Reconciling the list of members in the Mumbai Chapter.
- Consultation and guidance sought from senior BMC teachers.
- Creating awareness about Pankhudi through presentations/talks etc. in colleges and companies.
- Drive undertaken to update children enrolled with Pankhudi to ensure a good strength when classes commence.
- Teaching techniques in the class restructured. The level of students to be gauged by a test. Volunteers to be allotted smaller batches ensuring personalized attention and growth of the children.
- Creative workshops for children to be conducted by Rang and Udaan. Rang and Udaan are clubs from IIT Bombay involved in creative arts and basic paper aero modelling.
- Regular feedback to the news desk

Thank You

Thanks to Lions club of Chembur (W) for their support.

Wanted

- Teaching volunteers required for the 6:30-8:30 pm classes on Friday and 4:00-6:00 pm; 6:30-8:30 pm classes on Saturday and Sunday.
- Volunteers ready to teach classes from 6:30-8:30 pm on weekdays are also welcome.

PUNJE

Feature

- An induction programme was conducted for the parents of short listed students of Patil Estate , Wakdewadi.
- Classes have commenced for the 16 school drop out kids

News

Protsahan induction Programme was conducted on 3rd of August with motive of spreading education awareness among Patil Estate residents.

At the programme:

- Mrs. Smita Khirsagar & Mrs. Sahastrabudhe delivered motivating & enlightening speeches.
- Mr. Shushil from Patil Estate gave useful real life insights.
- Older Protsahan kids were felicitated with books & gifts.
- Supportive parents of older Protsahan kids were awarded an Appreciation Certificate of "Adarsh Palak - An Ideal Parent".

Protsahan

Regular weekday classes for the kids of std 1st to 4th have commenced from 4th August.

The Spoken English and Life-Skills classes are being conducted on weekends for the senior batch.

Aashayein

Visits to Sweekar & Manavya have been made on weekends.

Thank You

- Mrs. Khirsagar & Mrs. Sahastrabudhe - for making the induction programme a huge success & guiding us on every step.
- Mr. Shushil from Patil Estate - for helping us motivate the parents & helping with the arrangements for the induction programme.

Performers of the Month

- Swapnil Surana
- Abha Biyani
- Srushti Dhok
- Sheetal Jadhvar
- Vibha Menon
- Shraddha Chandak

Wanted

- Sponsor a teacher – 500 per month
- Sponsor a class – 2500 per month (5 teachers)
- Sponsor teaching material / aids.
- Volunteers for Protsahan classes - situated near shivaji nagar.
- Volunteers for Ashayen project - situated near Sukhsagar Nagar/VIT College or Kothrud.



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