



Punya Pragati

The Monthly reporter of Punya

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From the Founder's Desk



Dear friends and all the well wishers of Punya,

I am glad to present you "**PUNYA PRAGATI**" the monthly report of Punya for the month of September 2010. This report makes a sincere effort to maintain highest level of quality and transparency of disclosures and is testimony to the strong foundation of Punya.

I would again like to emphasize that education is the most important enabler for growth and equitable development. We all know that education empowers. Particularly, when it offers the most disadvantaged & the most underprivileged the opportunity to influence the very fabric of society. In essence, what education does is to offer everyone the promise of a better life, which is indeed of the utmost importance. I have seen this happen time and again. Punya makes its third sincere effort to provide opportunity to one deserving and disadvantaged student in Chennai by providing educational scholarship.

This month's fund raising efforts have generated **Rs. 8602 from 13 generous donors** across the country. We continue to focus on creating awareness about Punya by leveraging social media. A better example for this would be that Punya's website has been viewed by visitors from as many as 13 different countries.

I look forward to your comments/suggestions on this report. I thank each of you for your enthusiastic participation in our philanthropic journey and look forward to your continued support as we go forward to reach the un-reached. I wish you all happy days ahead! And please remember our commitment continues! 😊 😊

Varun V Singhi
Founder and Chief Executive Volunteer
PUNYA – An Inspired Vision to Help



Details of the activity performed in the month of September 2010

S. No	Date	Activity Particulars	Beneficiary Details	Coordinator	Contribution	Purpose	Location
11	Sep 8, 2010	Educational Scholarship Provided to A.Priyadharsini - Student of XII Std.	A.Priyadharshini Chennai	Rajiv Krishna, Karthick K, Vijaylakshmi	Rs.5500	Education Scholarship	Chennai

Event # 11 – Punya Educational Scholarship - Chennai

Punya provides financial assistance to another girl student from Chennai. **A.Priyadharshini** is from a lower middle class background. Though she is an average student with mediocre communication skills, she had the passion and desire to do something and that's why Punya showed faith in her abilities. She desires to make her career in visual communication. Punyaites (Karthick and Rajiv) will be her mentors and will track her performance on quarterly basis and provide proper guidance to do well in the board exams

List of Donors and Donation Utilisation – September 2010

Monthly Account Sheet					September	2010
DATE	MEMBER CODE	MEMBERS / PARTICULARS	COMPANY	LOCATION	AMOUNT(INR)	
1/9/2010	n/a	Ashwath Prasad - Net Transfer	Wipro	Bangalore	1,000.00	
2/9/2010	n/a	Shabbar Hasan - Net Transfer	Wipro	Bangalore	1,200.00	
2/9/2010	21	Magesh Dhamodaran - Net Transfer	Wipro	Singapore	200.00	
3/9/2010	n/a	Sijal Surendran - Net Transfer	Wipro	Chennai	500.00	
6/9/2010	38	Archana Vishwakarma - Net Transfer	Oracle	Bangalore	1,500.00	
7/9/2010	7	Sushil Khanchandani - Net Transfer	Business	Chennai	200.00	
7/9/2010	n/a	Christina Sivaranjani - Net Transfer	HCL	Chennai	500.00	
7/9/2010	41	Ruchi Kosh - Net Transfer	Sapient	Bangalore	1,000.00	
8/9/2010	49	Pandi Priya - Net Transfer	Aricent	Chennai	500.00	
10/9/2010	47	Harish Gupta - Net Transfer	Cisco	USA	501.00	
11/9/2010	n/a	Prakash N Jain - Net Transfer	-	Chennai	500.00	
17/9/2010	19	Ganesh Krishnamurthy - Net Transfer	PDIL	Baroda	500.00	
20/9/2010	n/a	Mukundan Raman - Net Transfer	Standard Chartered	Chennai	501.00	
		Expense Total Details				

		Event # 11 - Punya Scholarship provided to XII Student - A. Priyadharshini , Chennai	Cheque: 110756	Rs. 5500	
		Postal /Courier Charges		Rs.100	
		Current Month Donation received		Rs. 8602	
		Total Balance (Current month + Previous month)	8602 + 63916.43	Rs. 72518.43	
		Closing Balance (Total Balance - Expense Total)	72518.43 - 5600	Rs. 66918.43	
		Cumulative Collection till Date		Rs. 148,928.43	
		Cumulative Expense till Date		Rs. 82010	

* All the transactions are in INR (Rs)

Please Note:

If you have contributed for this month and your name has not featured in donors list or there is any discrepancy in the amount mentioned against your name , please drop an email to singhi.varun@gmail.com

A Big Thank You from all the PUNYAITES to our kind Donors

New Members joining Punya to serve the under-privilege

Membership.No	Member Name	City	State	ZIP Code	Company
46	Devika Selvaraj	Chennai	TN	600017	Wipro
47	HARISH KUMAR GUPTA	San Jose	CA	95132	Credent Business Solutions
48	Sofiya Ambrose	Mumbai	MH	400066	Bank of Baroda
49	Pandi Priya	Chennai	TN	625001	Aricent

Please note:

Those who are willing to serve others and interested in becoming a member of Punya are requested to drop an email with the subject line “ **I WISH TO BE A PUNAYITE**” to hr.punya@yahoo.com

Bills and Acknowledgements - Event # 11 - Chennai



KING'S MATRIC. HR. SEC. SCHOOL

(Recognised by the Govt. of Tamil Nadu)
11, K.K. Koil Street, Madipakkam, Chennai - 91.

FEE RECEIPT

No. **32904** Date **8/9/10**
Name **A. Priyadarshini**
Id No.: Class **XI.D**

PARTICULARS	Rs.	P.
Fee for the Month of June '10 to Sept 10 650 x 4	2600	—
Special Fee	3200	—
Admission Fee By cheque 5500/-		
Miscellaneous HDFC Bank 11075.6		
By Cash 300/-		
Total	5800	—

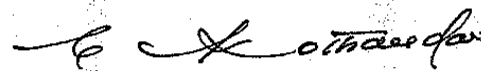
[Signature]
Cashier

Letter of Acknowledgement

I hereby acknowledge the receipt of the cheque dated 30.08.2010 worth **Rs.5500/-** (Five Thousand Five Hundred only) – scholarship awarded for the student named **Priya Dharsini A (XII Std)**.

Cheque Details:

Cheque No : 600240051
Issued To : King's Mat. Hr. Sec. School
Issued By : PUNYA Charitable Trust
Bank : HDFC



[Signature of Recipient]

Dr. G. Kothandan, M.A.B.Ed., Ph.D.
Principal & Correspondent,
Kings. Mat. Hr. Secondary School
(Recog. By the Govt. Of Tamilnadu)
MADIPAKKAM, CHENNAI-600 091.

Upcoming Projects Details

1. Construction of a classroom in a Govt. School in Jagadgirigutta near Balanagar, Hyderabad

Punya got a reference for this project from Mr. Vivek Yacham, an employee of Cognizant. There is an incomplete class room of a government school in Jagadgirigutta near Balanagar, and Parents of the poor students and their teachers are requesting for some one to sponsor in order to complete the construction of the class room. There are 700 students with more than 80 pass percentage in SSC. The Estimation of the project is between INR 1,25,000 to 1,35,000. Vivek has already started fundraising for this ambitious project and has generated around 70% of the fund. He has approached Punya for financial help for this project. Punya will be conducting feasibility studies and then decide upon based on current month's fund generation .

Budget Estimation for the Construction of the Classroom

3	Product	Approximate Quantity	Amount	Comments
4	Bricks	5000	20,000	For the remaining out standing brick work
5	Cement	150 bags	15,000	For flooring and Walls
6	Sand	One full load	20,000	For flooring and walls
7	Concrete		5,000	Flooring
8	Asbestos Sheets	30 pcs	20,000	For celing
9	Anglers & Pipes		8,000	For celing support
10	Labour charges		30,000	
11	Door and Window		5,000	
12	Painting		10,000	
13	petty exp		2,000	Misc exp
14	Total		135,000	

Telugu Newspaper Article about the school

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అర్థంతరంగా ఆగిపోయిన తరగతి గది నిర్మాణం

ఆగస్టు 18 (వ్యూహబుడి): ఆగస్టు 18న సోమయ్యవగర్ ప్రభుత్వ ఉన్నత పాఠశాలలో అదనపు గది నిర్మాణం అర్థంతరంగా ఆగిపోయింది. ఏడాది శ్రీతం 6 స్వచ్ఛంద సంస్థ విద్యార్థుల సౌకర్యం కోసం అదనపు గది నిర్మాణం ప్రారంభించింది. అయితే అనంతరం నిధుల లేమిలో భవన నిర్మాణం పూర్తి కాలేదు. ప్రస్తుతం మొదటి గోడలతో వర్షంపడింది. దాతలు ఎవరైనా ముందుకు వచ్చి గది నిర్మాణం పూర్తియ్యాలంటే సహకరించాలని విద్యార్థుల తల్లిదండ్రులు, ఉపాధ్యాయులు కోరుతున్నారు.



అసంపూర్ణంగా ఉన్న నిర్మాణం

Incomplete Classroom 's Picture - 1



Incomplete Classroom 's Picture - 2



Incomplete Classroom 's Picture - 3



2. Provision of hearing kit to an underprivileged girl

----- Forwarded message -----

From: "aruwe org" <aruwe@rediffmail.com>

To: <aspy.joyson@gmail.com>

Date:

Subject:

Dear Varun,

Greetings to you from **Aruwe**,

Thanks for all the support extended towards **Aruwe**. I had already discussed about a young girl named Ms. Vimala who is having hearing problem. We had taken her to the ENT specialist Dr. Pacifica Simon of Mehta hospital. She has suggested her to do some audiology test, after which she was recommended to use hearing aid. The cost of the hearing aid comes around Rs.4,500 (Rupees Four thousand five hundred only).

The girl is from a low economic background and she has two elder sisters who are not yet married, one sister had undergone open heart surgery years back. The family is not able to meet the basic requirements. This girl Vimala has stopped going to school because of her hearing problem. The family due to poverty is not in a position to buy this child hearing aid.

We therefore request you to kindly help this client by providing her with hearing aid. Thanks in advance.

Thanks,

Yours together in service,

Aspy

Aruwe

Social Welfare Organisation

11, Solai Amman Koil Street,

Ayanavaram,

Chennai 600023, Ph.26454615

www.aruwe.org

3. Educational Scholarship

Punya will provide financial assistance in the form of educational scholarship to Naveen a 9th Std Student who is an inmate of Abilashalayam, Bangalore - home where destitute children are being transformed to lead lives on their own and start helping ones in need of desperate care.

Appeal for support

“Hope” is a good thing, may be the best of things and good thing ever dies. We must count our blessings, for there are many who haven’t been blessed that well.”

Friends, We appreciate your concerns for the underprivileged and downtrodden. In case you would like to contribute for any of the Punya’s social development activities, Please click on the below link to know more.

[Click here to know how you can Help in bringing few lost smiles back!](#)