

# Indian Scout & Guide Fellowship

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## MAY 2021 MONTHLY REPORT

Prayer performed the right way brings a number of beneficial emotional and mental effect. These effects are primarily seen in people who use positive religious techniques like acceptance of their life purpose and God's plan. This, as a rule, translates into acceptance of our current life circumstances, no matter how grave or difficult they seem to be.

### **At A Glance**

- Virtual Shradhanjali organized
- Prayer Sessions held on Sundays for peace & normalcy
- Puducherry State SGF - establishment process began
- Released Second Quarterly News Letter of ATAS India
- Represented in 9<sup>th</sup> AsPac SGF Committee Meet
- Two New Guilds installed in Tamilnadu State SGF

### **National Updates**

#### **Virtual Shradhanjali**

On Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2021 at 11 am, Indian SGF organized Virtual Shradhanjali to pay homage to Veteran Satish R Khanna, Mrs Reenaben Jhaveri and Young Inspirer Santosh Talpe. It was International Condolences Meeting, attended by Leaders from Nine NSGF's and around Thirty State SGF's with all key leaders and National Council Members.

Shradhanjali meeting was started by Scout/Guide Prayer followed by Geeta Shloks from 15<sup>th</sup> chapter and All faith Prayer. Chief Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri (Rtd) - President in Chief Indian SGF and Asha Khanna - Donor Member Indian SGF, given Shradhanjali to departed souls & remembered memories with them, Mr Aditya Talpe son of Santosh Talpe mentioned about his illness. After one minute of silence prayer, tributes paid by Anju Khanna Khan - Canada - NRI Guild Patron Member, daughter of Satish R Khanna she remembered words of Khanna Saheb. Yeoma Jhaveri - Member, Friends of APR, daughter of Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri paid tributes & remembered memories of her mother Mrs Reenaben Javeri. Mr Mukesh Khanna, Ambassador Indian SGF expressed his feelings and Vikas Khanna Donor Member & Trustee Satish R Khanna Annual Award - Indian SGF paid tributes & completed his talk by a thought

of Robert Baden Powel that 'Leave this world little better than you found it'. Shradhanjali Video for Satish R Khanna, was played.

Shradhanjali was followed by International Condolences, led by Girish Kumar. Video message received from Republic of Korea- Simon Rhee & message from Singapore - Lo Lih Jhang, Gunaseelan T from AsPac SGF Foundation & BP Guild Malaysia explained his deep condolences, Akber Reza from Bangladesh, Kamalnath Jinadasa from Sri Lanka, Dayang Marianni from Trefoil Guild Malaysia, Lakshmi Gunaseelan Richardson NRI Guild Member and Chamila Kumara young leader from Sri Lanka delivered their condolences and many other international members were also presented and messaged their homage & prayed for peace, followed by Prayer and Announcements of Annual Lectures in memory of Satish R Khanna by MAK Mecci & he updated Annual Award Name also, now it's '**Satish Asha Khanna Award**'.

Chief Justice Geeta Mittal (Rtd) - National President Indian SGF expressed her condolences and prayed for the strength for family members followed by Prayer and Shradhanjali from State SGF representatives, led by Seema Rathi. More than 30 states participated & paid tributes to departed soul. Savitaben Pujara Advisor Indian SGF explained life journey of Mrs Reenaben Jhaveri, along 7 members of Indian SGF who succumbed to COVID19 in one month. Condolence Meeting was concluded by Madhu Kalia Advisor Indian SGF and ended by devotional Bhajan.

### **Prayer Virtual Sessions**

Indian SGF organized Prayer Sessions on Sundays at 11AM, for peace and normalcy all over. Regional Councils took lead one by one in Sessions. On 9<sup>th</sup> May 2021 - Central Region, on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2021 – Eastern Region, on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2021 – North Eastern Region, on 30<sup>th</sup> May 2021 – Northern Region.

### **Vision 2030 – Planning Meet**

Vision 2030 planning review held on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2021 with 2nd stage of planning to be executed from 5th June 2021. Chaired by Justice Geeta Mittal & led by M A K Mecci. Convened by Seema Rathi along with Madhu Kalia, Diana Kharshiing, Dr Deepak Patel.

### **ATAS India Updates**

Second Quarterly Newsletter of ATAS India was released on 17<sup>th</sup> May 2021. ATAS India Team meeting was organized virtually on 19<sup>th</sup> May 2021, at 11 AM, with State Key Leaders with single agenda of installing Covid -19 helpline all over India. Meeting was chaired by MAK Mecci and convened by Kaushik Chatterjee ATAS National Convener attended by 12 members including Dr. Pradeep from Kerala & Seema Rathi. ATAS India released All India Helpline Numbers for Covid 19 on 27<sup>th</sup> May 2021.

### **AsPac SGF**

9th Annual AsPac SGF Committee met on 29th & 30th May, 2021 virtually on Zoom where member Countries presented their Annual Reports. Financial Statement was presented by the Treasurer and passed by the House. Updates on World Conference was given by the Chairman and a decision on the 10th Annual Meeting of the Committee was finalized and deferment of the 16th Annual Gathering also discussed. Other important issues were taken

up. The meeting successfully concluded with a short presentation of understanding Social Media and how to use it effectively by a member of Maldives SGF.

Diana E Kharshiing International Secretary represented Indian SGF and Seema Rathi presented glimpses of Annual Report of Indian Scout & Guide Fellowship for the Year 2020 - 2021 in the AsPac SGF Committee Virtual Annual Meet.

## **INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY**

### **Central Region**

States within Region: - Chhattisgarh State SGF, MP State SGF, NW Railway State SGF, Rajasthan State SGF, SEC Railway State SGF



Central Regional SGF Council met on 7th May 2021 to review preparation for 1<sup>st</sup> Virtual Prayer Session organized on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2021, led by Central Region with Seema Rathi.

दिनांक 09.05.2021 (रविवार) को इंडियन स्काउट & गाइड फेलोशिप द्वारा विश्व शांति के लिये वर्चुअल माध्यम से "प्रार्थना सभा " का आयोजन सेंट्रल रीजन SGF द्वारा किया गया। स्काउट प्रार्थना से कार्यक्रम की शुरुआत की गई। सेंट्रल रीजन की मेजबानी में आयोजित प्रार्थना सभा में सभी उपस्थित सदस्यों का रीजनल कन्वेनर रत्नेश कोहरू द्वारा अभिनंदन करते हुए परमपिता परमेश्वर से शांति की याचना करते हुए प्रार्थना की गई। तत्पश्चात राष्ट्र सन्त तुकडोजी महाराज की विश्व प्रसिद्ध प्रार्थना "हर देश मे तू, हर देश में तू" प्रस्तुत की गयी। तत्पश्चात अलवर जिला SGF राजस्थान से नीता जी द्वारा "बिना शस्त्र से युद्ध जो महाभारत से भारी हैं", आलोक जी जायसवाल सिवनी SGF मध्यप्रदेश द्वारा, प्रभु शान्ति कीजिये झुंझुनूं जिला SGF राजस्थान से कविता सोनी जी द्वारा "तेरे चरणों की भक्ति भगवान हमे देना" की प्रस्तुतियां पहले चरण में की गई।

तत्पश्चात राष्ट्रीय कार्यकारी अध्यक्ष श्री मैक मेक्की जी द्वारा विश्व शांति के लिये प्रेरणादायक उदबोधन दिया जिसमें कोविड को हराने वाले योद्धाओं का विवरण बताया गया साथ ही रेलवे SGF के नेशनल कन्वेनर एवम दक्षिण पूर्वी मध्य रेलवे राज्य SGF के सचिव श्री देवेन्द्र साखरे को "फेलोशिप कोविड हीरो " की उपाधि प्रदान की गई।

प्रार्थना सत्र के दूसरे चरण में छतीसगढ़ राज्य SGF की सक्रिय सदस्या डॉ. बबली दत्ता द्वारा उपस्थितों से विश्व शान्ति हीलिंग प्रार्थना करवाई गई, उदयपुर राजस्थान राज्य SGF से श्री उदित चौबीसा द्वारा वैदिक शांति पाठ, अलवर राजस्थान SGF से शम्भूदयाल शर्मा द्वारा रामरक्षा प्रार्थना, सिवनी मध्यप्रदेश SGF से अब्दुल फारुख खान द्वारा "परवर दीगर से अमन की दुआ" अलवर राजस्थान SGF से प्रमीला जी द्वारा..."दुनिया से मैं हारी तो मैं आई तेरे द्वार....", साउथ ईस्ट सेंट्रल रेलवे से श्री रामलिंगम राघवपुरी द्वारा वैदिक प्रार्थना, अलवर राजस्थान SGF से श्री अजय जैन व श्रीमती निधि जैन की संयुक्त प्रार्थना, डायना मैडम की मसीही प्रार्थना तथा नार्थ वेस्टर्न रेलवे राज्य SGF के कार्यकारी अध्यक्ष श्री गिरीश जी यादव द्वारा मनमोहक गीत.. "कँहा तक ये अंधेरे मन को छलेंगे" ...प्रस्तुत किया गया।

तत्पश्चात राष्ट्रीय अध्यक्ष माननीय गीता मित्तल जी द्वारा शांति उपदेश दिया गया जाकर समस्त फेलोशिप यूनिट्स को स्थानीय स्तर पर कोरोना आपदा सेवाएं एवं जागरूकता कार्यक्रम के संचालन हेतु प्रेरित किया गया। कार्यक्रम के अंत में सेंट्रल रिजन Sgf के अध्यक्ष श्री हरीश चंद कालरा द्वारा धन्यवाद प्रस्ताव

प्रस्तुत किया गया। उक्त प्रार्थना सभा के कार्यक्रम का समन्वय सफलता पूर्वक राष्ट्रीय महा सचिव श्रीमती सीमा राठी जी के निर्देशन में किया गया।

### **Chhattisgarh State SGF**

**Raipur District SGF** - In this pandemic situation as we all know the 2nd wave is going on. We the members of Chhattisgarh SGF worked on for beds, plasma, food, medicine, blood and oxygen. In this work some heart touching moment came, like a Youngster who donate plasma and save the life as he was corona positive and fight with disease on that day he decided to donate plasma as he felt that pain and call me for this donation. This young boy is Anirban Sen. On the occasion of Mother's Day arranged a free health camp for old age Home ladies & provide medicine to them. Tapasi Dutta, Dr Anand Guha Da, Amitabh Choudhary, Ritesh Parpani, Raksha Parpani, Pradosh Dutta Banik & all the members contributed in this complete work.

### **Rajasthan State SGF**

वर्तमान में कोरोना के बढ़ते प्रकोप को देखते हुए दिनांक 09.05.2021 रविवार को होने वाली विश्व शांति के लिए प्रार्थना सभा का आयोजन वर्चुअल माध्यम से होना तय हुआ है। इसी क्रम में आज सेंट्रल रिजन की पूर्व तैयारी हेतु आवश्यक बैठक सम्पन्न की गई। जिसमें होने वाली प्रार्थना सभा से संबंधित प्रतिभागियों की प्रत्यक्ष या वीडियो के माध्यम से एंट्री ली जायेगी। वीडियो की एंट्री सभी प्रतिभागी ताराचंद अग्रवाल को भेजेंगे। उक्त बैठक में सेकेटरी जनरल सीमा जी राठी, सेंट्रल रिजन अध्यक्ष हरीश चन्द्र कालरा, रिजन कनवीनर रत्नेश कोहरू, एन. डब्ल्यू. आर. प्रतिनिधि अतुलेश जी कुलश्रेष्ठ, राजस्थान सचिव हरिशंकर तिवारी, मुकेश हर्ष, उदित चौबीसा, डॉ. कन्हैयालाल लाठ, अजय जैन, आर.के.भट्ट, राधा अग्रवाल, शम्भू दयाल शर्मा उपस्थित थे।

**अलवर जिला SGF:** -स्टेटअध्यक्ष श्री हरीश कालरा के आवाहन पर परिंदों को परिण्डे अभियान के बाद 21 मई 2021 को मास्क वितरण का कार्यक्रम आयोजित किया गया। जिसमें अलवर शहर में घर घर जाकर अखबार वितरण करने वाले 400 हॉकर्स के लिए शहर विधायक श्री संजय शर्मा के सानिध्य में हॉकर्स एसोशिएशन को एस.जी. एफ. लोगो लगे हुए कपड़े के 400 मास्क सौंपे गए ताकि वे महामारी के समय में लोगों को सुरक्षित तरीके से अखबार पहुंचा सके और मास्क को रोजाना साबुन पानी से धोकर पुनः इस्तेमाल कर सकें। इस कार्यक्रम में शहर विधायक श्री संजय शर्मा, श्री मनोज शर्मा, दैनिक भास्कर से डिस्ट्रीब्यूटर मैनेजर श्री दिलीप नरूका, एस. जी. एफ. अलवर जिला इकाई सचिव श्री मधुसूदन शर्मा, राजेश भट्ट, राजेंद्र अरोड़ा, शम्भू शर्मा, जितेंद्र गुप्ता, ताराचंद अग्रवाल, रामप्रकाश गुप्ता, प्रमिला गुप्ता, सीताराम शर्मा आदि सदस्यों की उपस्थिति रहीं। सचिव मधुसूदन शर्मा ने बताया कि परिंदो के लिए बाला किला वन क्षेत्र की दुर्गम पहाड़ी क्षेत्रों में 31 परिण्डे लगाए गए हैं और दाना पानी की व्यवस्था सुचारू रूप से की जा रही है। विधायक श्री संजय शर्मा ने परोपकारी सेवा कार्यों के लिए स्काउट गाइड फैलोशिप कार्यकारिणी की सराहना की और सभी को धन्यवाद ज्ञापित किया।

**हनुमानगढ़ जिला SGF** - दिनांक 28.05.2021 (शुक्रवार) को गांव चाहुवाली, हनुमानगढ़ राजस्थान में राजकीय आयुर्वेद औषधालय व स्काउट एन्ड गाइड फैलोशिप के सहयोग से रोग प्रतिरोधक क्षमता बढ़ाने के लिए काढ़ा वितरण किया गया। जिसमें गांव के लगभग 600 लोगों को काढ़ा कोविड-19 की गाइड लाईन का पालन करते हुए वितरित किया गया। इस अवसर पर प्रभारी डॉ.रामकिशन जी शर्मा, सरपंच इंद्राज निहालिया, हाकम सिंह सहारण, रोशन लोहरा, सुभाष दुपगा, रनवीर छिम्पा मौजूद रहे।

**जैसलमेर जिला SGF** - दिनांक 27.05.2021 बुद्ध पूर्णिमा पर विराट ऑनलाइन कवि सम्मेलन ,देश विदेश के 30 कवियों ने भगवान बुद्ध को किया याद उजाले मुस्करायेंगे, छँटेंगे व्योम के बादल - विजयलक्ष्मी देथा ।

इण्डियन स्काउट एण्ड गाइड फेलोशिप, राजस्थान जिला इकाई जैसलमेर ने बुद्ध पूर्णिमा की रात विराट ऑनलाइन कवि सम्मेलन का आयोजन कर भगवान बुद्ध की शिक्षाओं को जीवन में उतारने का संकल्प लिया। प्रदेश कार्यकारी अध्यक्ष श्री हरिश कालरा ने बताया कि इस विराट आभासी कवि सम्मेलन में देश विदेश के 30 कवि और कवियत्रियों ने काव्य पाठ किया। हर्ष ने बताया कि वर्तमान समय में कोरोना महामारी से सभी ने प्रत्यक्ष और अप्रत्यक्ष रूप से कुछ ना कुछ खोया है। ऐसे में निराशमयी वातावरण को हम शांति, सेवा, परोपकार और सकारात्मक नजरिये से आशामयी और खुशहाल बना सकते है। बुद्ध पूर्णिमा के शुभ अवसर पर भगवान बुद्ध की शिक्षाओं को जीवन में अंगीकृत करने के उद्देश्य से फैलोशिप द्वारा इस कवि सम्मेलन का आयोजन किया है। विराट ऑनलाइन कवि सम्मेलन की अध्यक्षता करते हुए उदयपुर के ख्यातनाम कवि श्रेणीदान बाहरठ ने 'जो जलकर करै उजास, उणीरै तले अंधारों; पंक्तियों के माध्यम से वर्तमान व्यवस्था पर करारा व्यंग्य कसा। मुख्य अतिथि भंवरदान मधुकर मांडवा द्वारा कोरोना काल में किसानों की महत्ती भूमिका पर प्रकाश डालते हुए अपना काव्य पाठ किया। विशिष्ट अतिथि उदयपुर की प्रख्यात कवयित्री विजयलक्ष्मी देथा ने 'उजाले मुस्करायेंगे, छँटेंगे व्योम से बादल' गीत के माध्यम से कोरोना से मुक्ति की बात कही। फैलोशिप के सूचना एवं जनसम्पर्क अधिकारी संजय कुमार हर्ष ने बताया कि 'मुझे मेरा हंसता हुआ भारत फिर से लौटा दो' की भावना के साथ उदयपुर की सात साल की नन्हीं परी आद्या पुरोहित ने कवि सम्मेलन का आगाज किया। पोकरण के कवि गंगाराम द्वारा प्रभू में विश्वास रखने की बात कहते हुए अपना काव्य पाठ किया। वहीं उदयपुर की डॉ॰ कुमुद पुरोहित ने जीवन के गूढ़ रहस्य को बतलाते हुए संतोष और तृप्ति की एक बूंद में अमृत की बात कही। जैसलमेर की उभरती कवयित्री शिवानी व्यास ने बुद्ध की शिक्षाओं को अपने जीवन उतारने की बात कहते हुए अपनी रचना प्रस्तुत की। अलवर की प्रमिला गुप्ता ने आषावादी विचारों के साथ अपनी बात रखी। इसी प्रकार जोधपुर की दीपा परिहार ने गजल तो जैसलमेर के सुरेश हर्ष ने हम मानव है मानवता का कर्म करे का भाव रखा। वर्तमान समय में मोबाइल फोन की महत्ता की प्रतिपादित करते हुए अलवर के ताराचंद अग्रवाल ने काव्य पाठ किया। उदयपुर की मयूरा मेहता ने जिंदगी एक सफर है की बात कही। पोकरण की कवयित्री मालती छंगाणी ने क्रुद्ध मन बुद्ध हो जाए के भावों की अभिव्यक्ति की। लड़ रहे है, लड़ते रहेंगे, देश की हर महामारी से पंक्तियाँ के द्वारा कोरोना विजय की कामना करते हुए मध्यप्रदेश सिवनी के धर्मेन्द्र शुक्ला ने अपनी रचना प्रस्तुत की। इसी प्रकार उधमपुर के संजय कुमार पुरोहित ने जीवन में ढाई अक्षर और ग्वालियर की अर्चना बामनगया ने कोरोना काल के गुजर जाने की बात अपनी रचना के माध्यम से मंच के समक्ष रखी। सकारात्मकता की सोच की झलक जैसलमेर के भोजराज वेष्णव और जयपुर की ग्यानवती सक्सेना की रचनाओं में देखने को मिली। जयपुर के विजयमोहन राठी ने रामधारी सिंह दिनकर की 'रष्मिरथी' कृति का तीसरा सर्ग सुनाकर जीवन के रहस्य को स्पष्ट किया। सात समंदर पार दुबई से आशीष व्यास ने अपनी रचना कोरोना योद्धाओं को समर्पित करते हुए कहा कि जो दूजे का भला चाहे वहीं इंसान है कहलाता। भोपालसिंह सोढ़ा ने बुद्ध के वनगमन के भावों का सुन्दर चित्रण अपनी कविता में किया। जोधपुर के छगनराज राव द्वारा हर निराशा को हराती, मन की आषा बात कही गई तो कांकरोली राजसमंद की पुष्पा पालीवाल ने समय की कद्र करने की बात कही। देश की माटी की सुगंध को अपने शब्दों में जोधपुर की नलिनी पुरोहित ने पिरोया। जैसलमेर के नरेंद्र वासु और सीकरी भरतपुर के गिरधारी खंडेलवाल ने अपनी कविताओं से कवि सम्मेलन को चार चाँद लगा दिये। कवि सम्मेलन में भक्ति की शक्ति की बात भीलवाड़ा के ओम उज्ज्वल ने अपनी रचना के माध्यम से सभी समक्ष रखी।

अहमदाबाद के अनेन्द्र भट्ट ने पक्षियों के दर्द का भावपूर्ण वर्णन अपनी कविता में किया। इस विराट कवि सम्मेलन के संचालक मुकेश हर्ष भारत ने अपनी रचना में मन से एक मजदूर हूँ के द्वारा आशावादी सोच का परिचय दिया। इण्डियन स्काउट एण्ड गाइड फेलोशिप जिला इकाई जैसलमेर के अध्यक्ष श्री ओम प्रकाश हर्ष ने सभी कवि और कवयित्रियों का धन्यवाद ज्ञापित कर जीवन में भगवान बुद्ध की शिक्षाओं को ग्रहण करने की बात कही एवं प्रदेश कार्यकारी अध्यक्ष श्री हरिश कालरा द्वारा जैसलमेर इकाई को सफल कार्यक्रम के लिये बधाई देकर अभिनंदन किया गया।

**जोधपुर जिला SGF** - जोधपुर जिला स्काउट एण्ड गाइड फेलोशिप, राजस्थान द्वारा संस्था के निम्नानुसार माननीय आजीवन सदस्यों ने स्काउट सेवा भावना से राजस्थान चीफ मिनिस्टर रिलीफ फण्ड ( राज. सी.एम.आर.एफ. कोविड -19 मिलिगेशन अकाउंट) में राशि समर्पित की गई जो निम्नलिखित हैं :-कंचन सदायत 10,000/-, बी आर बंशीवाल 2500/-, उस्मान खान 1000/-, मधु समदानी 1100/-, सुरेश कुमार निर्मल 1000/-, प्रसन्न राज चौहान 1000/- कुल राशि 16600/- (रुपये सोलह हजार छः सौ मात्र) आपदा के समय आपकी सर्वेदनशीलता के लिए हार्दिक शुभकामनाएं फेलोशिप जिला अध्यक्ष बी आर बंशीवाल द्वारा दी गयी ।

**उदयपुर जिला SGF** - दिनांक 04.05.2021 मंगलवार को उदयपुर जिला स्काउट एवं गाईड फ़ेलोशिप, राजस्थान द्वारा कोरोना के विकराल स्वरूप को देखते हुए वर्चुअल माध्यम से बच्चों के लिये भारतीय संस्कृति के आदर्शों, महापुरुषों, वीरांगनाओं की जानकारी तरह तरह की प्रतिस्पर्धा के माध्यम से आयोजित की जा रही हैं । इसी तत्वावधान में आज मंगलवार को हमारे महापुरुषों और वीरांगनाओं की वेशभूषा एवं उनके द्वारा कही गयी महत्वपूर्ण बातों पर प्रकाश डाला गया। जिसमें प्रथम स्थान पर दिव्योदित चौबीसा और सृष्टि चुण्डावत जिन्होंने श्री कृष्ण और रानी लक्ष्मीबाई की वेशभूषा में रहे। द्वितीय स्थान पर ध्रुव अरोड़ा और लिभान श्रीमाली जो श्रीराम एवं महाराणा प्रताप की वेशभूषा में रहे। तृतीय स्थान पर दीक्षा राठौड़ जो मीरा बाई की वेशभूषा में रही। सभी बच्चों ने बड़े ही उत्साह पूर्वक भाग लिया । सभी प्रतिभागियों को प्रमाणपत्र डिजिटल माध्यम से प्रदान किये जायेंगे । निर्णायकगण इंडियन स्काउट एण्ड गाइड फ़ेलोशिप के राष्ट्रीय कार्यकारिणी सदस्य उदित चौबीसा, राजस्थान स्टेट कॉउन्सिल सचिव हरिशंकर तिवारी एवं स्टेट कॉउंसिल सदस्य देवेन्द्र कुमार माथुर थे। उक्त कार्यक्रम में जिला सचिव सी.के.पालीवाल, कोषाध्यक्ष सूरज प्रकाश श्रीवास्तव, अरुण निगम, शिवकुमार शर्मा, किशोर मिश्रा, चीफ पेटर्न सनाढ्य जी, डॉ. अग्रवाल सहित अन्य फेलोशिप सदस्यों की उपस्थिति रही ।

दिनांक 13.05.2021 गुरुवार को उदयपुर जिला स्काउट एवं गाईड फ़ेलोशिप, राजस्थान द्वारा कोरोना काल में बच्चों को पर्यावरण एवं वन संपदा हेतु जागरूक करने हेतु वर्चुअल माध्यम से बच्चों के लिये "वन्य जीवों को जानो" प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया गया । उक्त आयोजन में बच्चों ने जिज्ञासा पूर्वक रुचि दिखाई ओर बढ़ चढ़ कर उत्साहपूर्वक हिस्सा लिया । विविध जीवों के बारे में प्रतिभागियों की जानकारी विभिन्नता एवं जैविक उपयोगिता लिये हुए थी । जिसमें प्रथम स्थान पर उदयपुर से दिव्योदित चौबीसा, द्वितीय स्थान भीलवाड़ा से सृष्टि चुण्डावत और नामीबिया से जिनिशा श्रीमाली, तृतीय स्थान पर उदयपुर से झलक ओझा रही । सभी बच्चों ने बड़े ही उत्साह पूर्वक भाग लिया । सभी प्रतिभागियों को प्रमाणपत्र डिजिटल माध्यम से प्रदान किये जायेंगे । निर्णायकगण समाजसेविका श्रीमती वीना श्रीमाली, एडवोकेट भावना नागदा, इंडियन स्काउट एण्ड गाइड फ़ेलोशिप के राष्ट्रीय कार्यकारिणी सदस्य उदित चौबीसा, राजस्थान स्टेट कॉउन्सिल सचिव हरिशंकर तिवारी एवं स्टेट कॉउंसिल सदस्य देवेन्द्र कुमार माथुर रहे । उक्त कार्यक्रम में जिला सचिव सी. के. पालीवाल, कोषाध्यक्ष सूरज प्रकाश श्रीवास्तव, अरुण निगम, शिवकुमार शर्मा, किशोर मिश्रा, चीफ पेटर्न सनाढ्य जी, डॉ. अग्रवाल सहित अन्य फेलोशिप सदस्यों की उपस्थिति रही ।

दिनांक 26.05.2021(बुधवार) को उदयपुर जिला स्काउट एंड गाइड फेलोशिप राजस्थान द्वारा मठ मादड़ी, नेशनल हाइवे के पास, आकाशवाणी रोड़, उदयपुर राजस्थान वर्तमान कोरोना काल की परिस्थितियों में 70 जरूरतमंद परिवारों को निःशुल्क राशन सामग्री बाटी गयी। जिसमे स्टेट कॉउन्सिल सचिव हरिशंकर तिवारी, चंद्रकांत पालीवाल, देवेन्द्र कुमार माथुर, उदित चौबीसा की उपस्थिति रही।

दिनांक 28.05.2021 (शुक्रवार) को उदयपुर जिला स्काउट एंड गाइड फेलोशिप जिला इकाई उदयपुर राजस्थान द्वारा दूसरे एवं तीसरे चरण में सेक्टर 11,13,14, गोवर्धन विलास बस्ती, मिराज मॉर्निंग कॉम्प्लेक्स के समीप, नेला तालाब के पास एवं हाईवे के पास के स्थलों पर लगभग 45 जरूरतमंद लोगों को निःशुल्क राशन सामग्री बाटी गयी । जिसमे स्टेट कॉउन्सिल सचिव हरिशंकर तिवारी, देवेन्द्र कुमार माथुर, चंद्रकांत पालीवाल, उदित चौबीसा, शिवकुमार शर्मा की उपस्थिति रही

Individual Dr. Rajendra Singhvi continue to serve during Pandemic challenges Monthly seva project, distributed 6 food packets to needy ones and Donated Ansariji

### **NW Railway State SGF**

**Ajmer District SGF** - Dr Abha mittal has given 2000 dose of Immunity Booster For COVID, Dose Received by Rumanshu Mishra,this Dose issued on Official Order Of District Legal Service Authority Ajmer, N.W. RLY Ajmer Division has Played leading role for Official Distribution. Additional District Judge shri Ram Pal Jat ji Ordered to us for manage all Distribution related activities and Said BIG THANKS to N. W. Rly Aii Ind.SGF for the taken this responsibility.

उत्तर पश्चिम रेलवे इंडियन स्काउट गाइड फ़ेलोशिप अजमेर मंडल, द्वारा सचिव जिला विधिक सेवा प्राधिकरण अजमेर, माननीय श्री राम पाल जाट (अपार जिला न्यायधीश, अजमेर) को उ.प.रे इंडियन स्काउट गाइड फ़ेलोशिप अजमेर मंडल के जिला सचिव श्री हेमन्त कुमार व सहा. जिला सचिव श्री रुमांशु मिश्रा के द्वारा राजस्थान सरकार आयुर्वेदिक विभाग के पत्र से अवगत करवाया गया तथा आयुर्वेदिक की रोग प्रतिरोधक क्षमता बढ़ाने वाली दवाई के लाभ के बारे में बताकर व जिला विधिक को सुझाव पत्र दिया गया, तत्पश्चात जिला विधिक सेवा प्राधिकरण अजमेर द्वारा, राजकीय होम्योपैथिक चिकित्सालय के प्रभारी चिकित्सा अधिकारी श्री मति डॉ. आभा मित्तल जी को विभागीय पत्र भेज 2000 डोज़ मंगवाना सुनिश्चित किया गया, जिला विधिक को डोज़ उपलब्ध करवाने में उत्तर पश्चिम रेलवे इंडियन स्काउट गाइड फ़ेलोशिप अजमेर मंडल की महत्वपूर्ण भूमिका रही, तत्पश्चात अपर एवं जिला न्यायधीश के आदेश अनुसार, जिला बार एसोसिएशन अजमेर के पदाधिकारियों को दवाई सपुर्द की गई तत्पश्चात जिला विधिक सेवा प्राधिकरण अजमेर के सचिव माननीय श्री राम पाल जाट जी (अपर एवं जिला न्यायधीश ) व जिला बार एसोसिएशन द्वारा फ़ेलोशिप

Jaipur District SGF - दिनांक 15/5/2021 शनिवार को 11.30 बजे उत्तर पश्चिम रेलवे स्काउट गाइड फ़ेलोशिप की एक वर्चुअल मीटिंग रखी गई जिसमें सदस्यों के परिवार जनों के खुशहाली के बारे में पूछताछ की गई तथा उनकी कोई आवश्यकता हो तो उस पर भी सभी से पूछा गया । भविष्य में किस प्रकार स्काउट गाइड फ़ेलोशिप के सदस्यों द्वारा सेवाएं दी जानी चाहिए उस पर भी चर्चा की गई चर्चा के दौरान पता लगा हमारी एक वरिष्ठ सदस्य श्रीमती विभा तापड़िया द्वारा चीफ वेलफेयर इंस्पेक्टर उत्तर पश्चिम रेलवे मुख्यालय के द्वारा जरूरतमंद रेलवे कर्मचारियों / सेवानिवृत्ति रेलवे कर्मचारियों को उनके घर पर दवाई भेजने का कार्य किया जा रहा है जिसकी सभी सदस्यों द्वारा भरपूर प्रशंसा की गई । मीटिंग

में यह भी कहा गया कि सभी सदस्य अपने घरों के आगे कम से कम 2-2 वृक्ष लगाएं ताकि प्रकृति से हम ऑक्सीजन प्रचुर मात्रा में प्राप्त कर सकें।

मीटिंग की अध्यक्षता जिला अध्यक्ष श्री आर पी माथुर ने की, संचालन जिला सचिव अतुलेश कुलश्रेष्ठ ने किया। मीटिंग में कार्यकारी अध्यक्ष राज्य श्री गिरीश यादव के अतिरिक्त श्रीमती विभा तापड़िया

### **SEC Railway State SGF**

**Nagpur District SGF** - दक्षिण पूर्व मध्य रेलवे इण्डियन स्काउट गाइड फैलोशिप जिला नागपुर के द्वारा आज दिनांक 16/5/2021 को ऑनलाइन बैठक रखी गई सर्वप्रथम श्री राहुल रामटेकेजी (जिला सहसचिव) एवं श्री सुदेश सरजारेजी जो कोविड 19 कोरोना-वायरस से जुझते हुए हमारा साथ छोड़ गए उन्हें 2-मिनट का मौन धारण कर श्रद्धांजलि अर्पित की गई तत्पश्चात इंडियन रेलवे इंडियन स्काउट गाइड फेलोशिप के सचिव श्री देवेन्द्र साखरेजी द्वारा ADRM & Sr.DPO जी के द्वारा दिए गए निर्देशों को बताया कि जो रेलवे एवं सिविलियन जो कोरोना पाज़ीटिव (Home Isolated) है उनसे फोन पर बात कर उनके लिए आवश्यक सामग्री जैसे दवाइयां फल एवं सब्जियां उनके घर तक पहुंचाया जाए एवं जिले के सभी गिल्ड के सदस्यों को घर में रहे सुरक्षित रहे एवं जब ड्यूटी में जाए तो सतर्कता, मास्क लगाए एवं सैनिटाइजर का उपयोग करें का निर्देश दिया गया, इस अवसर पर जिले के सभी गिल्ड आमगांव, तुमसर, भंडारा, नैनपुर बालाघाट, राजनांदगांव के सदस्यों ने भाग लिया इस मीटिंग का संचालन श्री संजय सरजारेजी व श्री चंद्रशेखर साखरेजी द्वारा किया।

### **Eastern Region**

States within Region: - Bihar State SGF, Jharkhand State SGF, Eastern Railway State SGF, Odisha State SGF, SE Railway State SGF, West Bengal State SGF

Eastern Regional SGF Council Preparation Meeting with Eastern Region States was held on 15th May 2021 under chair of Tapan Kr Banerjee, attended by 12 members. Dr Deepak Patel & Seema Rathi was present from NHQ.



On 16<sup>th</sup> May 2021, Prayer Session organized by Ind SGF & led by Eastern Region. After Prayer Dipanker Deshgupta took over the session and he delivered his heartiest thanks to the Key Leaders of Indian SGF, arranged Prayer Session to boost up the mental strength of the members, during this Pandemic Situation. Started by prayer 'Humko Man Ki Shakti Dena' followed by " Lord Jagannath Bhajan" by Rusi Pattnik from Odhisa, Buddhist prayer by Bharuvana Barwa from West Bengal, Geeta Shloka by Bibhu Kanungo from SER, Muslim Prayer by Sufiya Begum from Eastern Railway, Mahamratyunj Shlok by Pradeep Pandey from Bihar, Bhajan 'Itni Shakti Hume Dena Data' by Rupali Sharma from Jharkhand, Sikh Prayer from Gurudwara by Simran Kaur from EC Railway, Devotional Song by ECR and Christian prayer by Sanjeev Dey from CLW.

Out of 08 States of Eastern Regional Council 07 States were participated in the Prayer Session. Secretary General also requested to do some prayer; she also sang a " Beautiful Bhajan"



National President Executive Mr MAK Mecci could not attend the Prayer Session due to another meeting, he sent a message for this Prayer Session, and declared the Covid Warriors for Eastern Regional Council= Kharagpur District of SER by Seema Rathi.

Whole Prayer Session was coordinated by Secretary General and assisted by National Co-ordinator Dr Deepak Patel, Hosted by Sri Dipankar Dasgupta of Eastern Railway. On behalf of Eastern Regional Council, Chairman Tapan Benerjee heartily thanked everyone for their efforts.

### **SE Railway State SGF**

**Kharagpur district SGF** - On 9.5.2021 Kharagpur district SGF members observed 160th Rabindra Jayanti and tribute to centenary year of Satyajit Roy by D P Kanungo, Gurupada De, Dipika Rana, Banani Nag, Manidipa De, Priti Banerjee Amitesh Kundu.

on 17.05.2021 Kharagpur district SGF members organized Covid awareness campaign and mask distribution among poor and needy people at Dhansing maydan basti, Kharagpur. Participants are Kallol dey, D P Kanungo, Dipika Rana, Debashis Mazumdar, Srinivas Rao.

On 21.05.2021 Kharagpur district SGF members organized Covid Awareness and mask distribution among needy people at Subhaspally Basti area by members DP Kanungo Moitraye Nanda, Amitesh Kundu.

On 25.05.2021 Kharagpur district SGF members observed NAJRUL JAYANTI . D P Kanungo Swapna Majumder, Debasis Majumder performed.

### **West Bengal State SGF**

On 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2021, Under immediate need WBSGF response to a COVID19 Safety Service Program. Sonarpur Ghasiara Sukanta Smriti Sangha, a Registered Club render service in the above area. A call to assist was received by the WBSGF SHQ. WBSGF immediately responded to their call and joined the service program at Sonarpur. Sanitization of surroundings of COVID POSITIVE residents and public drainage done during the program. Bapi Sarkar, State Treasurer were present.

**Paschim Burdwaen District SGF** - Members of Paschim Burdwaen District SGF west Bengal engaged in relief Work Digha on 31/5/21 under the leadership of Kausik Chattaraj.

**Andal District SGF** - Andal Scout Guide Fellowship Members rendered Services at Yaas victimised area of Shankarpur near Digha with Team Captain Kausik Chattaraj, They donated cloths, Food, Drinking Water Bottles Etc.

### **North Eastern Region**

States within Region: - Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Meghalaya, North Frontier Railway & Tripura State SGF



The North Eastern Region SGF has successfully hosted the virtual all faith prayer on zoom platform on 23rd may, 2021 to tell the almighty to keep everyone safe and sound in this tough time of Covid-19 pandemic.

The NE Region of India is home to more than 200 tribal groups which speak different languages and follow different religions but live-in peace and harmony. In the prayer meeting SGF units from states of Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Meghalaya, Mizoram have taken the active part, and showcased the ethnic cultures with different types of religious prayers and religious songs from the different states of the Northeast.

After the welcome address by Madam Seema Rathi, the session started with the unique style of virtually lighting the lamp, playing of Deva Baidya (Instrument of God), Mongalacharan, Borgeet, recitation of Namghosha followed by the individual Hindu, Christian, Muslim and Sikh prayers. Gurpreet Singh, an active scout in his school day, who had recently recovered from covid shared his experiences and informed the members how to hold the spirits high if they suffer from Covid.

Sangita Bhagabati from Assam State SGF took the lead and effectively conducted the Program. The prayer session was highlighted with the motivational speech by respected MAK Mecci Sir, Madhu Kalia Ma'am. The Prayer Session was wound up by respected Diana Kharshing ma'am with a wonderful concluding note. Dr Deepak Patel effectively controlled all the technical aspects.

### **Meghalaya State SGF**

The Meghalaya Scout Guide Fellowship had conducted a webinar on subject, COVID- 19 PANDEMIC on the 15th of May, 2021. This webinar was also streamed live on Facebook where there were almost 200 viewers on ZOOM and Facebook live. It was also translated into KHASI & GARO since the focus was to educate the rural people of the state.

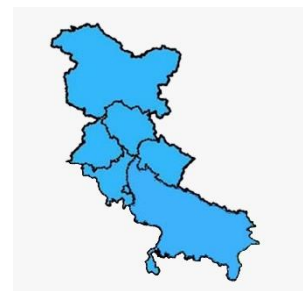
Meghalaya Scout Guide Fellowship in collaboration with the Meghalaya Bharat Scouts & Guides and the Assam Don Bosco University conducted an online Webinar on Saturday, May 29, 2021 on following subjects: - STRESS, PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS & THE SURGE IN SUBSTANCE USE AMONG YOUTHS.

The program was directed towards the wellbeing of the youth and awareness about drugs & the harmful effects of addiction.

### **Northern Region**

States within Region: - Delhi, Haryana, Jammu & Kashmir, Punjab, Uttarakhand, Utter Pradesh State SGF

The 4th Prayer Session Lead by Northern Region SGF which was organized virtually on 30th May 2021 on Zoom Application. Sumit



Gehletia, Convenor Northern Region hosted the program on behalf of Northern Region. The Prayer session started with Scout Guide prayer.

Seema Rathi Secretary General gave the opening remarks. All the officials from Indian SGF NHQ along with regional representative of Northern region welcomed by Sumit Gahletia, Convenor Northern Region. Justice Geeta Mittal, National President blessed the gathering with future goals and important actions to save our planet. After that combine prayer played by Dr Deepak Patel. From Delhi State SGF Madam Madhu Kalia, President Delhi State along with all members presented prayer Video. After that Manju Gautam presented video. Rajnish prays from Haryana State SGF. Akram Khan and Nawaz presented from Jammu and Kashmir. MAK Mecci , President Executive Blessed the Gathering. Mr & Mrs Harbjan Singh prays from Punjab State SGF. Dr Daljeet Kaur and Zarina Rolston prayers From Utrakhand State SGF. Chandrasheker Rana, Birjender Kumar Dubey and Muskan Sharma presented prayers from U. P. Vote of thanks gave by Dr Daljeet Kaur. Chairman. Northern region SGF. Prayer session winding up Mrs. Madhu Kalia, Advisor Northern region SGF. After that prayer session ending with motivational video. Dr Arun Agrawal selected as Hero of the Northern Region.

### **Delhi State SGF**

Delhi SGF along with GGSSS Ambedkar Nagar ,New Delhi organised All Faith Prayer on 28th 2021at 6:30pm. Ms Indira Rikhi ,Sport Supervisor ( District South ) and ELTAI National Chapter Convener Dr Mangai Wilson graced the occasion .

The programme was started with a Welcome address and by observing one minute silence remembering the departed Souls during #pandemic and for the speedy recovery of sick and affected persons during #covid19 situations.'All Faith Prayer' was started by lighting Candles/Diyas. Members of Delhi State Sgf and teachers presented all Faith Prayer in sequence starting from Pratah Smarami to Shanti Path ,Sarve bhavantu sukhinah.

After all Faith Prayer, a meditation / mindfulness activity was conducted by Ms Manju Gautam. All present over there felt relaxed after this activity even in this locked and pandemic situation. Guests were present at National as well as International levels

All members during this pandemic and lockdown situations have kept themselves busy.As people badly needed oxygen cylinders in this #pandemic to breathe, members staying at home took much care of plants in order to get oxygen free of cost. Greenery gives us happiness and health.

So ,our members are taking much interest in planting more saplings and that too with proper care."Due to CORONA pandemic there is acute shortage of blood, the blood donation camp is going on at Najafgarh, New Delhi, organised by Sh. Kamal Verma of Maharana Guild of Former Scouts & Guides on 30<sup>th</sup> May 2021.

### **Haryana State SGF**

हरियाणा राज्य भारत स्काउट्स एंड गाईड्स भीष्म एंव झांसी ओपन ग्रुप .तथा इंडियन स्काउट एंड गाईड फैलोशिप जिला कैथल द्वारा स्वस्थ बालिका स्वस्थ भारत अभियान के दूसरे चरण मे श्री नर

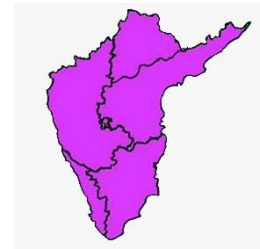
नारायण समिती द्वारा पंत नगर मे संचालित शिक्षा केंद्र की 12 जरूरत मंद लडकियों को तीन माह के लिए निशुल्क सेनेटरी नेपकिन प्रदान किये गये ,कार्यक्रम सह संयोजिका ममता वधवा द्वारा लडकियों को स्वच्छता एवं कोरोना नामक बिमारी के बारे मे बताया तथा कोरोना से बचने के लिए मास्क ,सेनिटाइजर ,social distancing, एवं वैकसीन के बारे मे बताया ।ग्रुप लीडर बख्शीश गिरधर के नेतृत्व मे रोवर रेंजर द्वारा साथ लगती बस्ती मे जाकर लोगों को वैकसीन के बारे मे बताया तथा वैकसीन लगवाने के लिये प्रेरित किया इस कार्यक्रम मे रोवर सुनील ,विकास, कृष्ण, रेंजर अन्नया ,मोक्षिका ,शिक्षा केंद्र की अध्यापिका अंजू पुनिया का सराहनीय योगदान रहा

## **Punjab State SGF**

On 1st May 2021, Mr & Mrs Harbhajan Singh celebrated their Marriage Anniversary at Brid Ashram (Old Age Home) in Badrukhan. They distributed snacks to all members and spent time with them.

## **Southern Region**

States within Region: - Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala, Southern Railway, South Central Railway, South Western Railway, Tamil Nadu, Telangana State SGF



Indian SGF Southern Regional Council conducted the installation ceremony of Pondicherry State SGF on 8<sup>th</sup> May 2021 at 10.30 am on virtual platform. The ceremony started with prayer. Tamilnadu SGF State secretary Mr. Gunasekaran welcomed the gathering. Chairman Southern Regional Council and Tamilnadu SGF State president Mr.L.Ravikumar gave a brief about Tamilnadu SGF and explained the purpose of gathering. He introduced the members, R.Saravanan as President, Saran Raj as Treasurer, Annamalai as Secretary and Munusamy, Baskaran, Vinod, R.Narayanan as members.

Explanation about scout promise and scout law was given to all the new members. Mr. Seshadri state coordinator administered Scout promise. He recognised their efforts by awarding the Pink Badge of World Buddhist Council. Addressing the ceremony Justice Kalpesh Zaveri President in chief of Indian SGF impressed upon the brotherhood and stressed the need to follow fundamental aims of Indian Scout and Guide Fellowship.

Indian SGF Southern Regional Council conducted virtual meeting on 13.5.21 at 7 pm to discuss and approve agenda for the "Prayer for Peace and normalcy all over" Programme being organised by Indian SGF on Regional basis. Representatives from Andhra, Kerala, Tamilnadu South western Railway and Southern Railway attended the programme. A draft agenda (prepared on the lines of All Faith Prayer) was discussed. All the key leaders agreed to go by the Agenda. Chairman requested the leaders to send a 2-minute video on the list of programe indicated in the agenda and confirm the same before 17th May 2021. All completed videos (preferably from SGF members) to be sent in or before 20.5 21 without fail. The following leaders will go through the videos and decide the video to be screened on 6.6.21. Gunasekaran – Tamilnadu, Vishnu Venugopal – Kerela, Suvarnalatha – Andhra,

Rajesh Kumar – SW Railway, Jothiraman - Southern Railway. Chairman thanked all them for participating in the meet.

Indian SGF Southern Regional Council conducted virtual meeting on 31.5.21 at 7.30 pm to discuss and approve agenda for the “Prayer for Peace and normalcy all over” Programme being organised by Indian SGF on Regional basis. Representatives from Andhra, Kerala, Tamilnadu, South western Railway and Southern Railway attended the programme based on discussions held on 13.5.21 the Agenda was rolled out on virtual platform. The trial programme was compered by Dr Padmini Sridhar. All the videos were played. After viewing the trial members suggested some corrections. Chairman thanked all the members for participating and requested that many of the members should attend the session.

Southern Regional Monthly News Letter was released on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2021, included all states report within the Region with motivational remarks of Regional Chairman L Ravikumar.

### **Karnataka State SGF**

**Ballari district SGF** – Mission - Fight with Covid - District Vice president Virupaksa distributed food packets to Police, Home guards and Health workers in Ballari and also distributed food packets daily to truck drivers in Ballari.

Members Bepar Aejaz Vijayalakshmi distributed food packets daily in slums of Ballari to the deserving people in the month of May 2021. District Vice President Virupaksa giving food packets daily in his locality to the deserving people.

District Secretary Ajmal Shakeeb, and Mrs ASMA Shakeeb distributed Ration kits to 500 poor families in Ballari, Member of Parliament Janab Nasir Hussain graced the occasion. Member Khaja Moinuddin distributed food packets daily in slums of Ballari to the deserving people,

Members Bepar Aejaz and Shameem Jakali distributed food packets daily to women & children and also to unorganized labourers in Ballari. Member Mehaboob Basha placed Birdsbath tubs for the birds to beat the Summer. Member Ms Uma Maheshwari assisted Vaccination centres in Ballari. On the occasion International day of Action for Women.

Members organised lunch with Leprosy affected people in Leprosy colony in Association with Red Cross. District President Vikram Pola, Vice President Virupaksa, District Secretary Ajmal Shakeeb, Members Khaja Moin, Rizwana, Shameem, Mehaboob., Nisar Ahmed, Vijayalakshmi, Farida participated.

District Vice president Virupaksa performing yoga and breathing techniques to the patients in Covid ward at Trauma Care Center in Ballari.

Member Ms Uma Maheshwari had Vaccinnated Covishield in Vaccination centre in Ballari. On the occasion International Nurses Day

**Chamundi Guild SGF** - Distribution of provision kits to the needy families from chamundi guild members on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2021.

Chamundi Guild SGF members donated 1 oxygen concentrater worth 50,000/- Rs to Bharat scouts and guides oxygen concentrater bank.

**Impeeza Guild SGF** - On behalf of Impeeziens support and Initiative to provide small contribution to Front line Warriors of Bowring Hospital Bangalore, contribution was done on 22nd May 2021 with daily needs and necessities lead by J C Murli Krishna President along with team of Palanivel, Riyaz & Shakeer.

With special Coordination done By Sujaya and Ayub we are continuing our Services to Bowring Hospital

### **Kerala State SGF**

Tide Turners Plastic Challenge - Kerala State SGF, being the implementing partner of Centre for Environment Education (CEE) for Tide Turners Plastic Challenge, part of UN Environment Program, conducted three webinars to spread the awareness about single use plastic pollution and to inspire the youth to participate in the program. Officials of CEE, Ms. Srishti Singh, Project Coordinator – Climate Change & Tide Turners Plastic Challenge, Ms. Arju Goud, Project Officer, Ms. Mansi Shah, Project Officer and Mr. Deep Shah, Project Officer, led the webinars and Mr. P Vinod Unnikrishnan Menon, State PRO, Kerala SGF was the speaker.

First webinar of May and third in total, was conducted on 08th May 2021, 06:00 pm, organised by Adventures Guild Chavakkad SGF. Conducted second webinar on 15th May 2021, 11:00 am, organised by Vaanavil, a NGO based at Porur, Chennai, Tamilnadu. 15 members from all around Chennai participated. Ms. Pallavi Jayaraman and Mr. Balaji B, Founders – Vaanavil, moderated the webinar. The third webinar was organised by Guruvayur Guild SGF on 15th May 2021, 07:30 pm. More than 10 Champions came up from these webinars and many individuals completed the Leader and Basic levels of the challenge.

Re-orientation Meetings - Kerala SGF conducted two re-orientation meetings for units, with Naduvannur Guild SGF on 27th May 2021, 08:00 pm and with Adventures Guild SGF on 29th May 2021, 08:00 pm.

**Kerala Open Guild** SGF organised a webinar on Amateur Radio in relation with World Telecommunication & Information Society Day (May 17th). The webinar was on 16th May 2021, 07:00 pm. Guild Secretary Mr. Renju played the moderator role. HAM & Assistant Sub-Inspector of Police, Kerala Police Academy Mr. Boby Chandy, VU3BOC, shared his experiences as a HAM, described the role of amateur radio in disaster management and armed forces. Kerala SGF State Coordinator and HAM Mr. Jyothisraj V Balachandran, VU3JVB, described the relation between Scouting and HAM. Kerala SGF State President and HAM, Er. N I Verghese, VU3WNI, introduced amateur radio to the participants. Kerala SGF State Treasurer and HAM Mr. Vishnu Venugopal, VU3UJH, shared his experience as a HAM in disaster management and with local government and gave vote of thanks. More than 30 participants from all over Kerala participated in the webinar and started the journey to become a HAM.

**Chavakkad Adventures Guild SGF** – Tide Turners Plastic Challenge - Organised a webinar on Tide Turners Plastic Challenge in association with Centre for Environment Education and Kerala SGF, on 08th May, 2021 06:00 pm. Around 20 people participated in the webinar.

**Guruvayur Guild SGF** - Tide Turner's plastic challenge - Organised a webinar on Tide Turners Plastic Challenge in association with Centre for Environment Education and Kerala SGF, on 15th May, 2021 07:30 pm. Around 20 people participated in the webinar.

Guruvayur guild SGF organised online covid care yoga program to boost immunity through meditation, yoga and breathing from 21st to 23rd May 2021. Three-day program was very effective and almost 35 participants experienced the profound state of Yoga through various simple effective yogic practices and breath meditation.

COVID-19 campaigns - Guruvayur Guild SGF members, led by Kerala SGF State Vice President, Mrs. Vasanthamani P M rolled up their sleeves and volunteered in a mass free COVID vaccination camp organised by Indian medical association & Janaseva Forum at Guruvayur on 28th May 2021. Nearly 500 people were registered and received vaccination.

**Ernakulam District SGF** – International Nurses Day - District SGF had conducted an online meeting on 12th May in honour of the nurses on the occasion of International Nurses Day.

COVID-19 campaigns - District SGF along with Justice Brigade and Green Cochin Mission distributed food to the underprivileged section in the city who is suffering due to COVID situation. Ernakulam District SGF members are continuing to render their services at COVID care hospital in Ambalamugal, Ernakulam.

Planning Meeting - Ernakulam District SGF had a general meeting and decided to conduct a National Adventure Camp in the month of December 2021.

### **SW Railway State SGF**

**Hubli District SGF** – On 9<sup>th</sup> May 2021, Hubli District SGF team assisted Home for Aged members to get Covid19 Vaccination done lead by Rajesh Kumar.

Hubli SGF arranged two units of plasma for two patients at Swami Vivekanand hospital Hubli on 10th May 2021 led by Rajesh Kumar

### **Tamil Nadu State SGF**

News Letter video was released on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2021.

Tamilnadu State SGF released Career Corner 1<sup>st</sup> information guideline on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2021, 2<sup>nd</sup> on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2021, 3<sup>rd</sup> on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2021, 4<sup>th</sup> on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2021 and 5<sup>th</sup> on 30<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Tamilnadu SGF conducted the installation ceremony of **Cuddalore Guild SGF** on 8.5.21 at 10.00 am on virtual platform. The ceremony started with prayer. State secretary Mr. Gunasekaran welcomed the gathering. State president Mr.L.Ravikumar gave a brief about Tamilnadu SGF and explained the purpose of gathering. He introduced the members of the Cuddalore Guild, Ramalingam as President, Dinakaran as Treasurer, Vasanthakumar as Secretary and members Vijay, Madhanraj, Rajkumar, Saravanan.

Explanation about scout promise and scout law was given to all the new members. Mr. Seshadri state coordinator administered Scout promise. Addressing the ceremony Justice Kalpesh Zaveri President in chief of Indian SGF impressed upon the brotherhood and stressed the need to follow fundamental aims of Indian Scout and Guide fellowship. He congratulated the efforts taken by Tamilnadu SGF. MAK Mecci President - Executive congratulated the state president and state secretary for their efforts and explained how the unknown boy story created.

Tamilnadu SGF organised the installation of RASSI GUILD on 30.5.21 on virtual platform. Mr.K.Gunasekaran State secretary welcomed the gathering. Mr.Pandian state Vice President introduced the members of Raasi Guild. They are Soundarapandian. President, M.Karthikeyan. Secretary, G.Devi. Treasurer and K.Gowtham , C.Bharatkannan as members.

Mr.L.Ravikumar state President explained the Scout Promise and Law. This was followed by renewal of Scout Promise to all the new members. The scout promise was administered by Mr.Seshadri state coordinator. State President in his address said that this is the 12 th guild in the state and that the membership has increased by 12 as against the goal for 21-23 i e 50 . Secretary General of Indian SGF. Seema Rati appreciated the efforts of the state and welcomed the new members. Mr.M A K Mecci. President - Executive Indian SGF said that the Fellowship is like a family and recalled some of the happy moments with Mr. KrishnMoorthy SGF member. State president joined him recalling some of the brotherhood moments between all of them and highlighted the presence of strong scouting spirit of Mr. Krishnamoorthy. Mr. Mecci requested the state to form a women guild and emphasised on more women participation. The programme ended with vote of thanks proposed by Mr.V.Ganesh. State Vice President.

**Chennai West Guild and Kancheepuram Perundevi Guild** launched its “CAREER CORNER “- a e-job paper on virtual Platform on 1.5.2021 at 8 p.m.

Mr Ganesh Vice President hosted the programme, Mr Lakshmi Prasad, joint secretary Chennai District SGF welcomed the gathering. Mr Sushanekumar member Chennai south Guild explained the concept of GDP. Mr L Ravikumar. President Tamilnadu SGF articulated the linkage between the present initiative and the Vision 2030 document of Indian SGF which links the Sustainable Sevelopment Goals No.8 - Decent Employment and economic growth. He did a special mention of Mr Seshadri and Lakshmiprasad for this initiative.

Mr M.A.K.Mecci President- executive, Indian SGF launched the CAREER CORNER E-Job paper. In his speech he appreciated the efforts of Tamilnadu SGF and said that Indian SGF can contribute in many ways apart from the scouting practices and lauded the efforts put in by Chennai west guild and Kancheepuram Perundevi Guild.

**Thankavur Chozar Guild** secretary participated in the consultative meeting held by District Collector, Thanjavur District to discuss about the ongoing CORONA awareness programme and rules to be followed on receipt of calls from Corona patients at the District Cintrol room. Mr. Rajaganesan. Is the resource person for Tiruvarur District on 30th April 2021.

## **Telangana State SGF**



**Bhadradi Kothagudem District SGF** - On 11<sup>th</sup> May 2021, during the second wave of Corona Pandemic, irrespective of the horrible situations, the poor and the destitute in the premises of Bhadradi Railway station were distributed fruits and food packets by our Dynamic Vice President of TELANGANA STATE SGF, Md Khasim garu followed by his team on the occasion of the month of Ramadan.

As server(11.05.2021)60 Food packets and Banana to aged elderly people who are needy of food, Their services continued.

Activities held in the month of May 2021, The Municipality Staff of village Panchayat Babucamp along with the poor Muslim brothers and sisters, were distributed New Clothes by our Vice President of TELANGANA STATE SGF, Md Khasim garu in memory of his parents on the eve of RAMZAN , followed by the SGF team .

## Western Region

States within Region: - Dadra Nagar Haveli – Daman & Diu, Gujarat, Maharashtra & Western Railway State SGF



### **DNH & DaDi SGF**

DNH SGF team along with BS&G volunteers rendering services during Covid Vaccination program in Silvassa on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2021.

DNH SGF conducted program on World No Tobacco Day on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021, organised by Krishna Cancer Aid Association. President of Lions Club Of Silvassa Shri Jayesh S Seth was Chief Guest and Smt. Jigisha Gandhi was Guest of Honour for the occasion.

### **Gujarat State SGF**

**Ahmedabad State SGF** led by Dr Ronak Chouhan on 17 May 2021, to mark 10th death anniversary of her Father-in-law. Distribution of food kit to needy households' helpers in society.

### **Maharashtra State SGF**

**Greater Mumbai Unit** - Greater Mumbai Unit, organized its incoming and outgoing executive committee members meeting. Mrs. Chanchala Mistry newly appointed President of the Unit, welcomed all the members and the team for the next 3 years was formed. Sunjoy Mehta was appointed as the Vice President, Sachin Toshniwal was appointed as the Treasurer, Mansi M. Shetye was appointed as the General Secretary, Ravikumar Yadav was appointed as the Cordinator, Mugdha Bhogle was appointed as the Joint Secretary, Mansi M. Chavan was appointed as the Assistant Secretary, Aditi Jadhav was appointed as PRO. Vote of thanks was given out by Mugdha Bhogle, Joint Secretary

**Lonavala Guild** - Members of the Lonavala guild collected clothes like sarees, uniforms etc and decided to distribute it to the tribal areas near Lonavala where no help was reachable,

hence the guild distributed the clothes to phanaswadi tribal areas which is 7kms away from kune village.

As the quantity of clothes collected was huge, the guild also distributed the clothes to the construction labourers of thakarwadi and kune village also.

Following members contributed to the activity, Ratnaprabha Gaikwad, Sunil Shinde, Suresh Gaikwad, Shravani Kamath, Ashish Jangir & Asmita Shinde.

### GONE HOME

1. N Nanjaiah Father of Anu Thimmappa State Secretary of Karnataka State SGF & Member National Council, passed away with brief illness. Let's pray for departed soul to rest in peace.
2. Vinod - Husband of Treasurer, Impeeza Guild SGF & ATAS G Vinitha passed away after long sickness & organ failure.
3. Odisha State SGF Senior Vice-President & Hon'ble Rajiya Sabha MP, Padma Vibhushan Dr. Raghunath Mohapatra (in centre) passed away on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2021 at 3.39pm in AIIMS, Bhubaneswar due to Covid19.
4. Col V. Bajpai, veteran member of Meghalaya SGF on 9th May, 2021 on account of old age ailment.
5. M. Rangasamy ALT (S) (Father of Mr. Pandian, Vice President Tamilnadu SGF) former Dt. Training Commissioner Salem Dt. And former secretary, Salem District SGF passed away on 12.5.21 at Salem. He is like a father of all scouts and guides in Salem.
6. Dr. Manik Bersley former Vice President of Indian SGF NHQ. Present Chief Commissioner Guide of BS&G, State Chief Commissioner of Delhi State BS&G is no more. She breathed her last on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2021.
7. Advocate Hemant Mudaliar - Founder Member of Jalgaon District SGF & former Organising Secretary of Maharashtra State SGF is no more. He succumbed to Covid19 on 21<sup>st</sup> May 2021.
8. Santanu Roy, Ex President Scout & President Rover, of Eastern Railway - Asansol District & ATAS member breathed his last on 20.05.21

We pay our gratitude and homage to the members who bid goodbye to us and remorse for the loss. We pray that their souls rest in peace.

### Dates to remember.

- Friday 30<sup>th</sup> July to Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> August 2021 – 15<sup>th</sup> National Gathering, Alwar Rajasthan
- September 2021 – Indian Railway SGF Gathering