

SRI SATYA SAI SEVA
ORGANISATION

SATARA DISTRICT

... .. 20 **Annual
Report**

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This report is dedicated at the Lotus Feet of our Lord and Master

Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba

Humble Pranams at the Devine Lotus Feet of Bhagvan Shri Sathya Sai Baba.

It is my great pleasure to submit the Annual Report of Satara District for the period from 1st April 2018 to 31st March 2019.

Satara is a Holy and Historic place which is cleansed by touch of Sant Ramdas and Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj, surrounded by Sayandri hills and a based on banks of River Krishna.

2018-19 is the Golden Jubilee year. Since 1968 in Satara District other than regular Spritual, Seva and Educational activities, this District has organised EHV training to entire District's ZP Schools, Tailoring classes, Computer fundamental training courses, Vocational trainings, Smokeless chulas and compost manure pits in entire village also took place besides Balvikas education upto Group III etc. programes.

In Satara District, majority of youth are either commuting between Pune & Mumbai for bread & butter or trying to join in Indian Army to serve the nation. As a result, there is scarcity of youth in the District.. Now we are approaching college for Spiritual and Seva activities.

We pray to Swami to make us **HIS** instrument in **HIS DEVINE MISSION** and enable us to spread **HIS** message '**LOVE ALL - SERVE ALL**' – '**HELP EVER – HURT NEVER**'.

Jai Sai Ram.

Sheetal Shashikant Shinde
District President, Satara

The Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisations, founded by Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba in the year 1965, is a service organisation with a spiritual core and base to benefit all mankind irrespective of religion, caste, creed or sect. The Organisation serves as a platform for its members to undertake service and other activities motivated by an urge for one's own transformation with the aim of realising one's inherent divinity.

Without any distinction of religion, nationality, race, socioeconomic status, either for those who work in the Organisation or for those who are served by it, the Organisation transcends all barriers leading humanity towards the ideal of 'Fatherhood of God and Brotherhood of Man'.

The concept of fees or membership subscription is alien to the Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisations, for there cannot be any fee or subscription for one's journey towards his own self.

The organisation functions through its primary units called as Samithis and Bhajan Mandalis of which individuals - from different strata of society, different ethnic groups pursuing different religions and faiths -are members bound by the dictum of "Love all, Serve All" and pursue their own sadhana towards self-transformation following the path of selfless service to humanity.

At no point is an individual asked to follow a certain religion or rituals. On the contrary each is inspired to follow his own faith so as to ensure that a Hindu becomes a better Hindu, a Muslim becomes a better Muslim and a Christian becomes a better Christian and so on. In fact, this spiritual basis inspires everyone to pursue his own religion better by putting into practice Love and Selflessness. That is why the Organisation features in its emblem the symbols of the major religions of the world.

"The Organisations named after Me are not to be used for publicising My Name, or creating a new cult around My worship....They must render seva (service) to the helpless, the sick, the distressed, the illiterate and the needy. Their seva (selfless service) should not be exhibitionistic; it must seek no reward, not even gratitude or thanks from the recipients. Seva is sadhana (spiritual exercise), not a pastime of the rich and well placed.

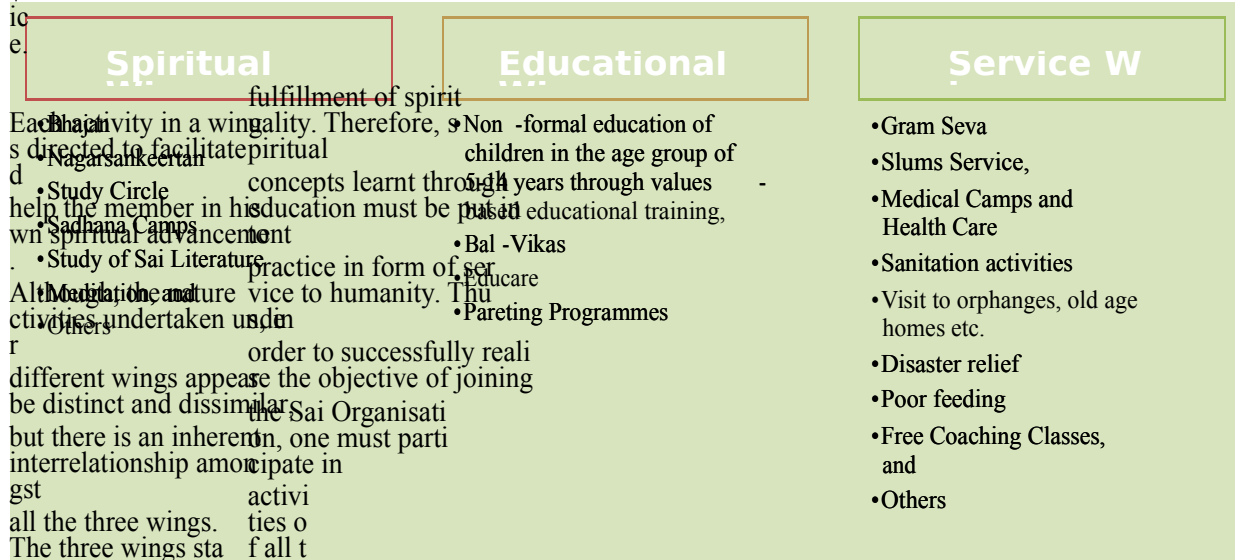
You must have the firm belief that the aim of this Organisation is to remove the obstacles that keep man away from God, that separate maanavathwa (Humanity) from Maadhavathwa (Divinity).. This Organisation must elevate the human into the Divine."

WINGS OF THE ORGANISATIONS

The Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation functions are supplementary and under three wings viz. (i) Spiritual, (ii) Educational, and (iii) Service. Spirituality is the

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ADMINISTRATION OF THE ORGANISATION

Worship, Wisdom and Work.

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- Visit to orphanages, old age homes etc.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE

Headed by an All India service at Prashanthi Nilam, at medical camps, by the National Vice Presidents and State Presidents, the Organisation functions like a well-oiled machine in the District under the stewardship of the District President, focused on one purpose, clear in its vision and dedicated in its efforts to live up the wami's message – "Love
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doing Narayan seva for the bal-vikas gurus who work with young children to inspire in them a desire to inculcate the five human values of Truth, Righteousness, Love, Peace and Non-violence, or the teachers who having undergone the training in EHV help in guiding the young minds towards the higher goals of life or the Sai Youth who work

The Samithis and the Jan Mandalis constitute a genuine spiritual movement where the members are united by a common bond – Love for God and Service to fellow human beings. tirelessly in the Sri Satya Sai Village Integration Programme and Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyoti Programme – each of them are bound by one goal – "Service to Man is Service to God".

The members of the organisation work as one cohesive unit, whether as sevadals providing

THE 9 POINT CODE OF CONDUCT AND 10 PRINCIPLES

Every member of the Organisation is expected to undertake Sadhana (spiritual discipline) as an integral part of his/her daily life by abiding by the following Nine Point Code of Conduct which has been bestowed by Baba for one's spiritual and personal development. In addition, the ten principles that forms the core of guidance for all the members of the Organisation as ordained by Baba himself are also produced hereunder. The nine point code of conduct and the ten principles are fundamental to the spiritual development of the members of the Sai Organisations.

BRIEF HISTORY

Point Code of Conduct	10 Guiding Principles
<p>⌋ Daily meditation and prayer.</p> <p>⌋ Devotional singing/prayer with members of one's family once a week.</p> <p>⌋ Participation in Bal Vikas programme by children of the family conducted by the Organisation.</p> <p>⌋ Attendance at least once a month at Bhajan agar</p> <p>⌋ Sankeertan programme conducted by the Organisation.</p> <p>⌋ Participation in community service and other programmes of the Organisation</p> <p>⌋ Regular study of Sai literature.</p> <p>⌋ Speak softly and lovingly with everyone with whom he comes into contact.</p> <p>⌋ Not to indulge in talking ill of others especially in the absence of the person.</p>	<p>⌋ Treat as sacred the land in which you were born.</p> <p>⌋ Have patriotism to your nation - but do not criticise other nations or put others down. Not even in your thoughts or dreams should you think of bringing grief to your country.</p> <p>⌋ Respect all religions equally.</p> <p>⌋ Recognise humanity as one family - treat everyone as a family member - love all</p> <p>⌋ Keep your house and surroundings clean - for this will promote hygiene and health</p> <p>⌋ Practice charity - but do not encourage beggars by giving money. Provide food, clothing, shelter and help them on other ways (do not encourage laziness)</p> <p>⌋ Never give a bribe or take bribe - never give in to corruption.</p>

⌚ Putting into practice the principle
“Ceiling on Desires” and utilise any savings thereb
y generated for the service of t
he mankind.

⌚ Curb envy and jealousy; expand you
r vision and outlook, Treat all equally regardless
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⌚ Be self-reliant. You may be wealthy and have
servants to do your bidding, but service to security
must be done by yourself.

⌚ Have and cultivate 'Love for God and fear of sin'.

⌚ Never go against the laws of the land; follow these
diligently both in word and in spirit. Be an
exemplary citizen.

SRI SATHYA SAI SEVA ORGANISATION, SATARA

benefit society include

BRIEF HISTORY

Dr. Gajanan Bhosale, Prof. Manohar Kulkarni, Shri. Abasaheb Chavan, Shri Shan karrao Shirke with their family and friends visited First World Conference held at 'Dharmakshetra' Andheri, Mumbai and got inspired with Swamis Avatar Karya. Thereafter returning back, they all started Samiti at Satara on 19 Jan. 1968. Initial activities were Bhajan, Nagarsankirtan, Celebration of festivals, Swadhya, Shramadan, free coaching class at Jamunabai Boarding. New Samitis were formed at Arvi (Tal. Koregaon) and Phaltan. Balvikas was Started in 1970. Youth Sevadals training and exams were conducted. From 1972 to 1975, 11 youths attended Summer course at Brindavan.

DIVINE VISIT			
EDUCATIONAL SPIRITUAL	<p>It was learnt that Swami visited Satara in the year 1965-66 and Stayed at Govt. Resthouse.</p> <p>OVERVIEW</p> <p>Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisations is functional in Satara with members from various cross sections of society and different faiths. With around 5 Samitis and Bhajan Mandalis, the Organisation serves as a platform for its members to undertake spiritual practices through its various wings such as spiritual, education and service for their own betterment.</p> <p>Training thrust is on self-transformation for it is only individual transformation that would ultimately lead to global transformation.</p>	<p>1965-66 and Stayed at Govt. Resthouse.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Bhajan Centers Nagarsankirtan Sadhana Camps <p>Parenting</p>	
	<p>The following tables give an overview of the Organisation in SATARA.</p>	<p>Parenting</p>	
SERVICE	<p>Centers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer Training Spoken English Literacy Programs <p>Units</p> <p>Samithis</p> <p>Bhajan Mandalis</p> <p>Total</p> <p>Number of Sevadals</p> <p>Gents</p> <p>Ladies</p>	<p>Medical Centers</p> <p>Eye Camps</p> <p>Blood grouping camps</p> <p>Camps</p> <p>Camps</p> <p>5</p> <p>1</p> <p>35</p>	<p>National Narayan Seva Program</p> <p>Correctional Homes, Orphanages,</p> <p>Narayan Seva</p> <p>Service Camps</p> <p>Vocational Training Camps</p> <p>programmes for village youths</p> <p>run hospitals, fairs and public places</p> <p>programmes in School / Colleges</p> <p>10</p> <p>47</p>
	<p>Number of Youths</p> <p>Gents</p> <p>Ladies</p>	<p>Number of Member</p> <p>10</p> <p>47</p>	<p>12</p> <p>17</p>

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ACTIVITIES

The members of the Organisation are involved in various activities on regular basis which primarily

members of the

includes Spiritual Study Circles, Community Bhajan, Nagrsankirtan through the spiritual wing; Bal-Vikas and Parenting programmes through the Education Wing and various service activities

visits to leprosy, correctional and old age homes, medical camps in villages, Narayan-seva, free coaching classes, vocational training for employability enhancement of the villagers, sanitation at public functions, fairs, and public urinal cleaning.

through the service wing. Importance is given to regular service activities as only through constant involvement in good work can self-transformation be achieved. Service activities which are regularly undertaken at Samithis for the transformation of the

The following table

the

activities undertaken in 19 districts of State.

EDUCARE

MEDICARE

SOCIOCARE

- Study Circle for Adults
- Conference Retrits
- Bal Vikas Classes based on
- Bal Vikas & Guru
- Free Coaching & Tutition
- Adult Education
- Dental Treatment
- Veterinary Camps including public urinals.
- Disaster Management Awareness and other institutions.
- Parent's Awareness programs
- Parenting Workshops
- Medical Camps in Hospital, Disabled/Old Age Homes
- Visit to Leprosy Villages,
- Blood Donation
- Employability enhancements
- Sanitation at different government

A summary account of regular activities that are undertaken on monthly/weekly basis across the Districts is given in the following table.

An account of regular activities undertaken across the District		
Activities	Total Number	Total No. of
SPIRITUAL		
Participants		
Devotional Singing	8	50
No. of Community Bhajan Centers	5	12
No. of Bhajans Held	240	15
Seven Household Bhajan	-	-
No. Of Cluster	-	-
No. of Houses	-	-
No. of Bhajans Held	-	-
Nagar Sankirtan	4	12
Study Circles	90	7
EDUCATIONAL		
Conference/Retreats Sadhana Camps	5	25
Activities	Total Number	Total No. of Students
Bal Vikas Centers		
Urban	6	43
Rural	2	32
School	-	-
Total (i+ii+iii)	8	75
SERVICE		
Bal Vikas Gurus	6	-
Activities	Total Number	Total No. of
Beneficiaries		
Visit to:		
Leprosy Village	-	-
Correctional Homes	-	-
Orphanages	-	-
Hospital	-	-
Disabled/ Old Age Homes	-	-
Camps:		
Narayan Seva	1	60
Veterinary Camps	-	-
Medical Awareness Camps	-	-
Eye Camps	-	-
Blood Grouping Camps	-	-
Service Camps	-	-
Vocational Training Centers	-	-
Free Coaching Centers	-	-
Medical Centers	-	-
Sanitation (Public Urinals)	-	-
Dental Treatment Camps	-	-
National Narayan Seva	2	140
Blood Donation Camps	2	6

OFFICE BEARERS

Name of the Office Bearer	D e	T e n u r e		
Sau. P admaj a Bho sale	Sta te EH V Co -	2008 – till dat e		
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Shri. Shivajirao Bhosale

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Shri. Shivdas V. Jambhale

Samiti Convenor Karad

2000 till date

Shri. Sudhakar Potdar

Samiti Convenor Wai

2008 till date

Shri. Shripatrao Patil

Samiti Convenor MIDC

2000 till date

Shri. Appasahab Lipane

Samiti 2016 till date
Convenor Maskarwadi

Gurupournima Celebration at Karad

Balvikas at Remote area Palsavde

Anganwadi

Guru pournima Celebration
at Karad
Guest lecture Prof. Parte to
Balvikas at
Machi Peth
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ri. B. M. Kirane Divyatatak p
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Blood Donation at Krishna
Hospital, Karad

Swachata at Kaas, Satara

Swachata at Kaas with 'SAKAL MEDIA', Satara

Medical Camp at 'Dyaneshwar Maharaj
Palki, Lonand

Swachata at Kaas with 'SAKAL MEDIA', Satara

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Medical Camp at Vahagaon, Wai

Medical Camp at Remote area Sahyadri n
agar, Satara

National Narayan Seva at Civil

Medical Camp at Remote area Hospital, Sata
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Laghu Rudra pathan in Shravan at
Satara

Visit and Distribution of Tooth paste, Brush,
Notebook
etc. at Aashram Shala, Parli,

Visit and lecture on cleanliness and healthy diet at Aashram Shala, Parli, Satara

Laghu Rudra pathan in Shravan at Satara

Satsang and Raksabandhan Celebration

Celebration of Swami's Birthday

Balvikas trip at Sajjangadh.

Celebration of Swami's Birthday

Veda Chanting at Satara.

Balvikas trip at Sajjangadh.

Balvikas trip at Dhom, Wai.