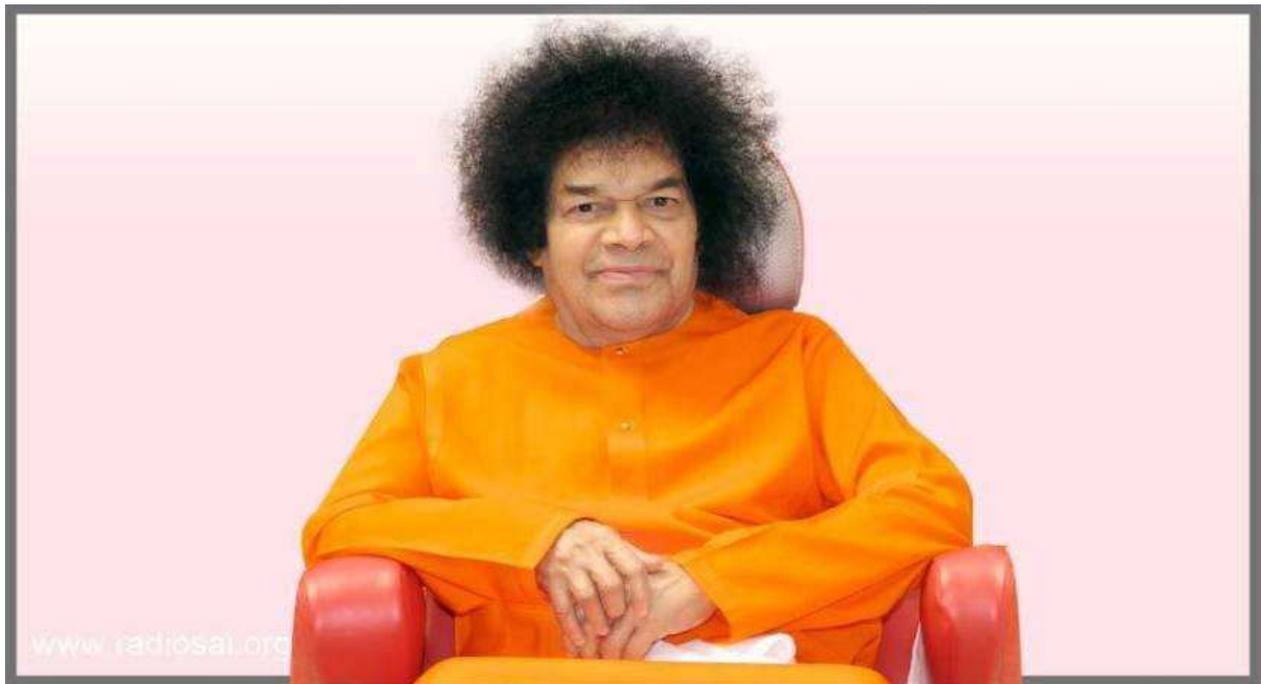

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organization Pune District



Annual Report 2018- 19

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

Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba



Foreword from the District President

Saprem Sairam!

We are indeed blessed to place this Annual Report for the Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organization, Pune State of Maharashtra for the year 2018-19 at the Divine Lotus Feet of our Beloved Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba. Some of the highlights are as follows:

- Educational Wing: To spread the value-based education to children at large, the Balvikas team of Pune have adopted 5 schools for conducting Balvikas classes. The support received from the school authorities is overwhelming. By Bhagwan's grace Balvikas Wing of Pune is doing very well and is expanding its base in School, Urban and rural Bal Vikas and ensuring quality and not just numbers.
- Spiritual Wing: Spiritual fervor has been gaining momentum year after year with regular holding of Sadhana Camps, Study Circles, mass chanting of Rudram, in residential and public places to name a few like annual events at Dagdu Sheth Ganapati , Chaturshringi Devi Mandir, Samarpan organized by Alumni from SSIHL now residing in Pune and assisted by all samithis on a rotational basis whereby the program is spread all over Pune.
- Service Wing: Activities in the service wing are based on the teachings professed by our beloved Bhagawan and are conducted by the sevadal with utmost dedication and devotion. Following activities are undertaken in Pune:
- Narayan Seva- Each samithis are actively involved and perform regular Narayan Seva and Special Narayan Seva on special occasion like swami's Birthday, Aradhana Divas, Ashadi Ekadashi, Kartiki Ekadashi and so on and so forth.
- Regular Fruit distribution is taken up by various samithis on a regular basis at various hospitals in the city for several years. Special need of food for patients without any attendants or family is taken care of by devotees by providing nutritious home cooked food with love and affection as the main ingredients to the patients and attendants as and when demanded.

➤ Regular Narayan seva at School for children of construction workers performed on a monthly basis.

➤ School adopted by samithis in city and Bahirwadi village are served during special events

And festivals.

➤ Drinking Water and sharbat distribution: During peak summer devotees from all over Pune do sharbat and water distribution seva at heavy traffic areas where the travelers have no source of clean drinking water.

➤ Blanket Distribution: This activity is taken up during peak winter season predominantly by the youth and reach out to the underprivileged people and lovingly place blankets on the people sleeping on the streets of Pune without any shelter. At least 400~500 Blankets were distributed every year and progressively increasing numbers.

➤ Medical Seva is performed by the Pune district Medical team under the guidance and immense support of the medical team Co-Ordinator from Mumbai. With Swami's Blessings we have a dedicated team, running a total of 4 medical vans in the district. The team is so dedicated that even in adverse weather conditions, the vans reach their planned spot and seva is performed without fail. A special project is undertaken by the medical team to serve Cataract patients. The needy are painstakingly identified by the team in conjunction with a renowned hospital, by conducting screening camps in villages within Pune district followed by transporting the patients to the hospital followed by Cataract operation and post-operative care and transportation back to the home villages.

Till date a total of 144 patients have been treated and with Bhaghwan's Blessings the team has planned to cover a total of 1000 patients from Pune and neighboring villages.

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation - an

founded by



The Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation,

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, 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.

WINGS OF THE ORGANISATIONS

The Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation functions under three wings viz. (i) Spiritual, (ii) Education, and (iii) Service.

Each activity in a wing is directed to facilitate and help the member in his own spiritual advancement. Although, the nature of activities undertaken under different wings appear to be distinct and dissimilar, but there is an inherent interrelationship amongst all the three wings. The three wings stand for Worship, Wisdom and Work.

Spirituality and Service are supplementary and complementary to each other. Spirituality is the motivational force behind service and service is the fulfillment of spirituality. Therefore, spiritual concepts learnt through education must be put into practice in form of service to humanity. Thus, in order to successfully realise the objective of joining the Sai Organisation, one must participate in

activities of all the three wings.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE ORGANISATION

Headed by an All India President who is supported 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 its purpose, clear in its vision and dedicated in its efforts to live up the Swami’s message - “Love All, Serve All”.

The Samithi’s and the Bhajan Mandalis constitute a genuine spiritual movement

Activities under different wings of the Organisation



where the members are united by a common bond – Love for God and Service to fellow human beings.

The members of the Organisation work as one cohesive unit, whether as Sevadal providing service at Prashanthi Nilayam, at medical camps, doing Narayan Seva or the Balvikas 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 tirelessly in the Sri Sathya Sai Village Integrated Programme and Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyoti Programme – each of them are bound by one goal – “Service to Man is Service to God”.

THE 9 POINT CODE OF CONDUCT AND 10 PRINCIPLES

- ❖ Daily meditation and prayer.
- ❖ Devotional singing/prayer with members of one’s family once a week.
- ❖ Participation in Bal Vikas programme by children of the family conducted by the Organisation.
- ❖ Attendance at least once a month at Bhajan or Nagar Sankirtan programme conducted by the Organisation.
- ❖ Participation in community service and other programmes of the Organisation.
- ❖ Regular study of Sai literature.
- ❖ Speak softly and lovingly with everyone with whom he comes into contact.
- ❖ Not to indulge in talking ill of others especially in their absence.
- ❖ Putting into practice the principle of “Ceiling on Desires” and utilise any savings thereby generated for the service of the mankind.
- ❖ Treat as sacred the land in which you were born. 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. ⇒ Respect all religions equally.
- ❖ Recognise humanity as one family - treat everyone as a family member - love all
- ❖ Keep your house and surroundings clean - for this will promote hygiene and health. ⇒ Practice charity - but do not encourage beggars by giving money. Provide food, clothing, shelter and help them on other ways (do not encourage laziness)
- ❖ Never give a bribe or take bribe - never give in to corruption.
- ❖ Curb envy and jealousy; expand your vision and outlook, Treat all equally regardless of caste or creed.
- ❖ 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.

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

9 Point Code of Conduct

10 Guiding Principles

the spiritual development of the members of the Sai Organisation.

Sri Sathya Sai Organisation, PUNE

BRIEF HISTORY

Samithi Establishment Year - 1966 by very senior devotees from Pune Col Soman Sir and has ever since been guided by Shri Jinralkar ji, Shri Tokekar Ji, Shri B.K.Vasudev as the District Presidents. The District has evolved and is having all the wings fully functional and progressing in a planned manner.

DIVINE VISIT

Last divine visit in Pune district was in the year 2009 Oct 28th and 29th.

OVERVIEW

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation is functional in **Pune** with members from various cross sections of society and different faiths. With around **7 Samithi's and 16 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. The thrust is on self-transformation for it is only individual transformation that would ultimately lead to global transformation.

The following tables give an overview of the Organization in **Pune**

Statistical Overview as on 31st March 2019

Units	Numbers	Number of members
Samithi's	7	932
Bhajan Mandalis	16	27
Total		231

No. of Sevadals		90	
• Gents		141	
• Ladies			
No. of Youth		74	
• Gents		56	
• Ladies			
Adopted Slums/Villages		Numbers	Number of Beneficiaries
Slums/ Villages Adopted		8	1555
Adopted Under SSSVIP		4	300
Total		12	1855
Adopted Schools under Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyoti		Numbers	Number of Students
Schools		6	1435

SAI CENTRES

Sri Sathya Sai Nilayam, Sadashiv Peth.

Address:

Activities: Bhajans and events every Monday ,

Timing: 07 to 8 pm , Currently suspended due to renovation work.

- **Residence of Krishnananda, K Revankar : Every 1st Sunday of the month. Narayan Peth , Pune. 526 Narayan Peth, Shop No-1, Punit Apartment, Near Modi Ganpati Mandir Pune-30, Narayan Peth, Pune, Maharashtra 411030**
- **Sai Deep , Singhagad Road , Kothrud Samithi, Pune**
Activities: Regular Bhajans every Saturday, Study Circle , special bhajans
Timings : Every Saturday 7 pm to 8 pm. Special occasions at convenient time.
- **Ganesh Deep , Mayur colony, Kothrud Pune.**
Activities: Bhajans every Thursday 7pm to 8 pm, Study circle, Geeta Dharma Mandal every Wednesday, All Samithi meetings, Special Programs and events, Capacity up to 100 persons.
- **Camp Samithi : Every Thursday at Atur Park Co-operative Housing Society, Sangamvadi**
Pune, Maharashtra 411001 from 7 to 8 pm.
- **Sri Sathya Sai Gramin Vikas Kendra, Phulgaon.**
Address: Phulgaon
Activities: Mahashivratri akhanda bhajan for past 2 years , also akhanda bhajan 1 year. Regular bhajan is held every Monday, from 7 to 8 pm and is attended by villagers.
Timing:07 to 08 pm. Warkari seva during Ashadi and Kartiki Ekadashi every year.

Narayan Seva on Thursday once a month.

- **Nagar Road Samithi : Bhajans at Kalyani Nagar, Viman nagar every Sunday and Thursday, Chandan Nagar ,Vishrantwadi Once a week and special bhajans study circles at least once a month and various locations within the samithi. Study Circle twice a month ,Special guest speakers are regularly invited at least once every quarter.**
- **Sahakar Nagar : Regular Bhajans are held at 2 centers at Sahakar nagar on Sunday and 1st Monday of the month. Public bhajans at Shirdi Sai mandir every Thursday. Rudram pathan every 1st Thursday of the month.**
- **Vedam group is very active and strong in all the samithis. Regular Training Programs and practice sessions are held on a regular basis. Numerous Public Vedam events are held all over Pune on festivals.**

ACTIVITIES

The members of the Organisation are involved in various activities on regular basis which primarily includes Spiritual Study Circles, Community Bhajan, Nagrsankirtan through the spiritual wing; Bal-Vikas and Parenting programmes through the Education Wing and various service activities 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 Samithi's for the transformation of the members and for the benefit of the society include 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. The following table broadly categories the different activities that are undertaken .

Overview of activities undertaken across all the Districts

	Educare	Medicare	Sociocare
Spiritual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Study Circles for Adults and Youth 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Bhajan Centers Nagar Sankirtan Conference/Retreats Sadhana Camps
Educational	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bal Vikas Classes based on human values Bal-Vikas and Guru training 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parents' Awareness programs on Parenting Parenting Workshops
Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Free Coaching and Tuition Centers Computer Training Spoken English Adult Education Literacy programs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Medical Centers Medical Camps villages Eye Camps Blood Grouping Camps Blood Donation Camps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Narayan Seva Programme Visit to Leprosy Villages, Correctional Homes, Orphanages, Hospital,
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dental Treatment Camps Veterinary Camps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Disabled/ Old Age Homes Narayan Seva Service Camps Vocational Training Centers Employability enhancement programmes for village youth

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sanitation at different government run hospitals, fairs, and public places including public urinals Disaster Management Awareness programmes in Schools/Colleges and other institutions
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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

Spiritual	Activities	Total Number	Total Number of Participants
	Devotional Singing	55	577
	No. of. Community Bhajan Centres	0	
	No. of. Bhajans Held	0	
	Seven Household Bhajan	135	863
	No. Of Cluster	0	
	No. of Houses	0	
	No. of Bhajans Held	0	
	Nagar Sankirtan	28	343
	Study Circles	82	1038
Conference/Retreats Sadhana Camps	1	250	
Activities	Total Number	Total Number of Students	

Educa ti o n	Bal Vikas Centers	56		
	Urban	44	446	
	Rural	01	60	
	School	11	902	
	Total (i+ii+iii)	56	1408	
	Bal Vikas Gurus	40	40	
Servi ce	Activity	Total Number	Total Number of Beneficiaries	
	Visit to:			
	Leprosy Village	2	135	
	Correctional Homes	0	0	
	Orphanages	5	295	
	Hospital	16	2718	
	Disabled / Old Age Homes	9	640	
	Camps:			
	Narayan Seva	90	9399	
	Veterinary Camps	0	0	
	Medical Awareness Camps	29	1554	
	Eye Camps	2	40	
	Blood Grouping Camps	0	0	
	Service Camps	2	120	
	Vocational Training Centers	0	0	
	Free Coaching Centers	8	40	
	Medical Centers	27	2260	
	Sanitation (Public Urinals)	0	0	
	Dental Treatment	0	0	
	Camps	1	0	
			1500	
		National Narayan Seva		

SPECIFIC SERVICE PROJECTS OR INITIATIVES

Medical Centers : No Medical center in Pune district.

Medical Vans : Pune has 4 medical vans managed by the District medical team catering on an average, 9,000 patients on a monthly basis. A very well-planned schedule is prepared by the district coordinator and Doctors, paramedics, sevadal, drivers etc. are arranged accordingly. On special occasions like Ashadi and Kartiki Ekadashi team organises regular camps at Alandi and treat the warkaris and provide them with medicines.

Disaster Management : None as of now.planned for 2020 to create awareness and training camps for youth and create a Disaster management team and a rapid action force to deployed in emergency situations.

Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyoti Program

Under this program the Youth wing ladies under the guidance and initiative of State Mahila Youth co Ordinator has adopted 6 schools as per the enrollment guidelines and undertaking various activities with the students around 1445 students are engaged in various events and activities. Every endeavor is made by the team to add more schools to the program.

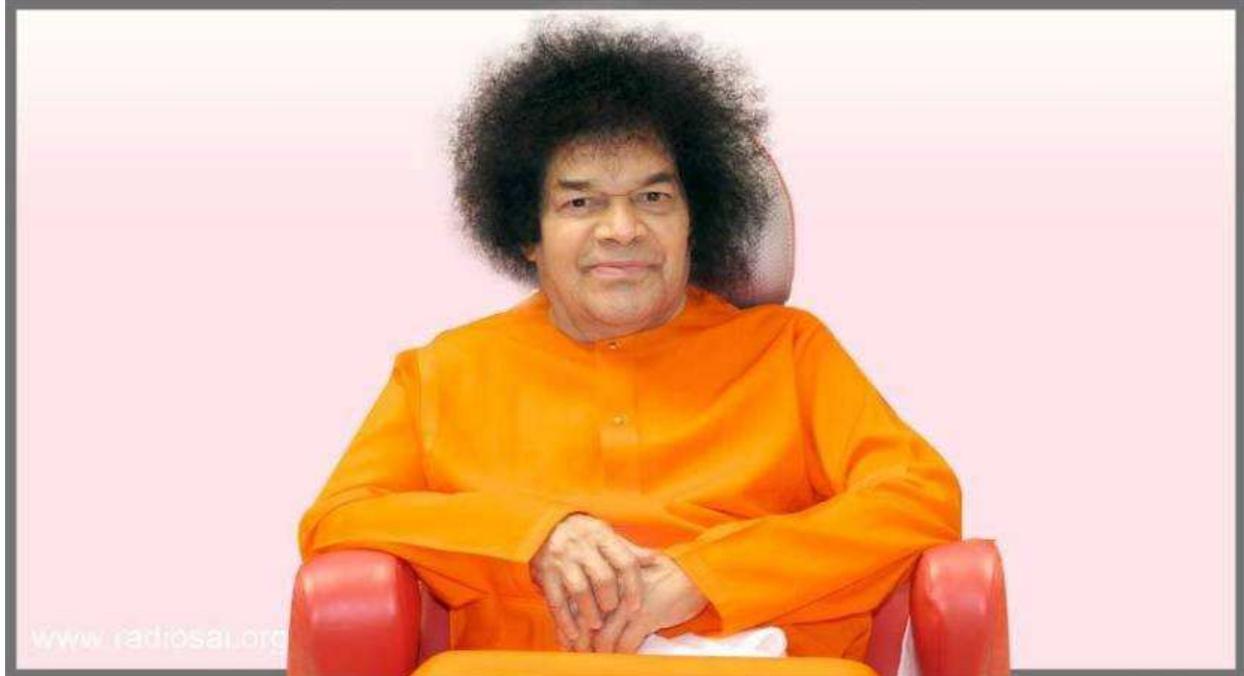
Yava Vikas a new initiative under the guidance of the State youth wing is taken up in 2 colleges in Pune where regular interaction is held with the students by selected team members from the youth wing.







LOVE ALL SERVE ALL



SPIRITUAL – To cultivate love is the best spiritual discipline

❖ Samarpan

With Swami's grace and blessings, Pune Samithi along with alumni of Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning had organized SAMARPAN– a program of gratitude and love to the Lord, where a devotee shares with all indelible experiences and life lessons learnt at the divine lotus feet. A total of 4 sessions were conducted in the year 2018-2019.

1st Session by Sri P. Vijay Bhaskar on 15th April, 2018

2nd Session by Dr. Shashank Shah on 1st July, 2018

3rd Session by Dr Rajeshwari Patel on 14th October, 2019

4th Session by Sri Abhimanyu on 24th February, 2019

We are fortunate to listen to the Leelas of the Lord from the devotees who were blessed with DIVINE association and relive those moments spent with HIM, re-connect with HIM and soaked in HIS Divine presence. It is SAI BHAGAWATHAM.



❖ Veda Chanting - Dagadusheth Halwai Ganapati Temple

On 18th September 2018 evening our loving Swami blessed the Pune Veda chanters with an opportunity to chant in front of Pune's most revered Shreemanth Dagduseth Halwai Ganpathi. The recitation started at sharp 4.30pm. The program was well attended not only by Pune but also Mumbai sai devotees. More than 100 participated in this event. Our National Veda Coordinator and State Veda Coordinator also attended and graced this occasion. The Trustees of the Temple presented a token of appreciation for the punctuality and dedication shown by the chanters



❖ Global Akhand Bhajan

Global Akhand Bhajan for Pune District was organized on 10th Nov 2018 from 5pm to 11th Nov 6pm at Shirdi Sai Mandir, Pune. The event started with Veda recitation and then Bhajans by devotees from all Samithi's. Different slots were allocated to all Samithi's. At night Youth enthusiastically sang Bhajans. Balvikas students participated in the morning. Bhajan ended with Swami's Aarti and Prasadam.



❖ Sai Vivek Vichar Dhara

Sai Vivek Vichar Dhara – a series of Satsangs were organized by the Sai Youths for all the devotees of PCMC Samithi. A total of 3 sessions were conducted covering different topics.

1st Session on 3rd November 2018 by T Ravi Kumar. He shared his school and College days experience he had with Swami. Also shared valuable insights on Swami's Divine message and how his career got excelled under Swami's suoversuper.

2nd Session on 9th December by Shyamsundar VN, Veda Coordinator. He explained the essence of Veda in Life, origin of Veda, what Veda, Importance of Veda chanting, is Power of sound, Science & Veda, Veda as a worship/Prayer/Seva, Veda & our Health, Divine mission of Veda poshana, Why Swami stresses so much on Gayatri Mantra and Veda chanting!!

3rd Session on 23rd March, 2019 by Dr. Shilpa Narayanan. She explained the impact of spiritual wellbeing on one's health and need to discover the link between health and Spirituality.



❖ Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba's Birthday Celebration Pune

Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba's 93rd Birthday Celebrations was organized by SSSSO Pune District. The programme started with 3 Omkaar's and lighting of lamp by the chief guests. Veda Chanting was performed by the Balvikas children followed by Prashanthi Bhajans. A video presentation was showcased highlighting all the activities performed from all 3 wings Educare, Service, Spiritual performed by SSSSO Pune in this year. SSSSO Pune also felicitated few devotees for their tremendous contribution in the field of educare, spiritual and service wings. The chief guest who is a member of Samarpan and Prashanthi Bhajan group shared his beautiful experiences and messages of Swami. A special musical programme "Abhang Varsha" will be performed by Pandit Hemant Pendse and Radhika Tamhankar. The event concluded with Swami's Aarti and Prasadam. Over 500 devotees participated in the Birthday Celebrations.



❖ Sadhana Shibir

Sadhana Shibir was organized by Pune Nagar Road Samithi on 6th January, 2018. Programme started with Veda and Bhajans. Later our guest speaker, Brother Sai Litesh gave a very beautiful and insightful discourse, nectar of his speech was enjoyed by minute by minute, his life experience started with Divine grace, every act is our Swami's will, his personal association and experience was so touching which brings Swami practices what he teaches in discourse, life experiences of Sai brother gave us insight into Educare, Socio-care and Medicare, how we can transform our self to have constantly with Swami, Experience of His presence more and more, how Swami takes care as father and mother, He is Atmaswaroopa, Understands the need and expectation of the near and dear ones. Later Balvikas students of Nagar Road who participated in drama on Ashadi Ekadashi at Puttaparti last year were also felicitated. Recently Group 2 passed out Balvikas students were also handed Swami's Certificate. Program concluded with Mangalarati and Prasadam. Around 100 devotees took part in this beautiful Shibir.



❖ Pune District Level Meet

With Swami's grace and blessings, Pune District level meeting took place on 23rd February, 2019 at Kshipra Society, Kothrud. Event was attended by State President, Pune office bearers, Samithi Convenors, Coordinators of all 3 wings (Educare, Spiritual, Service). Event started with lighting of lamp, followed by Veda and Bhajans. All the Samithi Convenors and Coordinators of all 3 wings presented the activities performed at Samithi and District level in the previous year 2018. They also laid the roadmap of the activities scheduled in 2019. Pune District President thanked one and all for the efforts taken in making and presenting your presentations. State President appreciated the implementation of the presented programs as promised in the presentation as a humble offering to Swami was truthfully and diligently is our duty.



SOCIOCARE - Service to Mankind is service to GOD

❖ Ashadi Ekadashi Warkari Medical Camp – Alandi and Dehu

Our Beloved Swami gave us yet another opportunity to perform Manav Seva in the form of a Mega Medical Camp at Alandi and Dehu from 3rd July to 5th July 27, 2018

The inauguration ceremony took place on 3rd July, 2018 at the Bombay Fruitwala Dharmashala at Alandi. From July 3rd -5th, with Bhagawan's blessings around 9753 patients were treated at Dehu and 11189 patients at Alandi. Doctors and Sevadals worked tirelessly to serve 20,948 patients in total. This also included a medical camp at Dehu-the sacred abode of Tukaram Maharaj. A total of 6 locations were covered including the one at Dnyaneshwar Maharaj Devasthan in Alandi.



❖ Dental Camp - Salavade Village, Bhor, Pune

SSSSO Pune Medical team in joint collaboration with Singhagad Dental & Law College, Narhe, and Pune conducted free dental camp and also gave free Legal aid to the villagers of SALAVADE (TAL. BHOR) on 9th March, 2019 from 10.00 am to 1.30pm. In Dental, in all 94 patients were checked and in general category in all 80 patients were checked by the team of doctors from Singhagad Dental College (9 Doctors) and Bharthi Vidhyapeeth, Pune(2 Doctors). Similarly, two Advocates gave free Legal services to the villagers on different disputes. The village Sarpanch extended all possible support like shamiyana, table, chairs, breakfast and lunch to all 100+ people. There was a very good response from the villagers as well.



❖ **Kartiki Ekadashi - Medical Camp Alandi and Dehu**

With Swami's grace and blessings Medical camp was organized by SSSSO Maharashtra & Goa along with Pune Samithi at Alandi and Sant Tukaram Maharaj Temple, Dehu on the occasion of Karthiki Ekadashi from 2nd Dec to 5th Dec, 2018

Few highlights:

General medicine.	15579
Dental.	1374
Diabetic checkup/HB	2797
Acupressure.	152
Total	19932



❖ Para Medical Training - Pune

With Swami's grace and blessings, SSSSO Pune Medical Seva team had organized Para Medical training on 2nd, February, 2019 at Kimaya Housing Society, Bibwewadi, Pune. Event started with Samithi wise registration followed by lighting of the Lamp. Samithi wise introduction of all the participants took place. This training program was attended by 3 Samithi Convenors along with 75 participants from different Samithi's. First session started with District Medical Coordinator sharing the schedule for the day long training program and also shared its importance, experiences and miracles during Medical Seva. Second Speaker, Dr. Pradeep Mahajan, a famous Dermatologist who is pioneer and instrumental in starting this Medical Seva in Pune shared his experiences about the camps in earlier days. Session continued with Shri Mohan Bharwani ji wherein he shared about how this Mega Medical project started with a small seed sowed way back in the year 2007 and now has 56 Mobile Medicare Vans(Sri Sathya Sai Arogya Prem Rath) across Maharashtra. Shri B. K. Vasudeo demonstrated the Life Savings techniques in emergencies which was appreciated by one n all. Mrs. Poornima Kamat spoke

about the importance of Medicines, how to keep, its handling, doses and usage of medicines in daily lives as well as in emergencies. Mrs. Hansaben spoke about the administrative aspect of Mobile Medicare Project regarding of Cost of Medicines, cost of vehicles, cost per patients, its upkeep etc. Also informed the gathering about arrival of 4th Medical Van in PUNE shortly which was appreciated and all pledged to offer service.



❖ **Tukaram Beej Medical Camp - Dehu**

SSSSO Pune Medical team along with Para Medical Mumbai team had organized Medical camp at Tukaram Gatha Temple, Dehu Pune on the occasion of Tukaram Beej from 20th March to 23rd March. A total of 7592 Maulis (patients) were treated by team of 5 doctors and 29 Sevadals offered service over a period of 4 days.

Below is the day wise count of patients treated :

20th Mar - 1346

21st Mar - 2586

22nd Mar - 2407

23th Mar - 1253



❖ SAI VISION FOR ALL

Medical team from Pune district under the guidance and advice of Medical coordinator's from Mumbai have started a new project under the name of "SAI VISION FOR ALL". Under this project the Medical team of Pune district arranges screening camps to identify patients in and around Pune especially in rural areas where patients don't have any means or resources of identifying the eye ailment and no resources of treating them. The team has a MOU with a renowned hospital in Pune who provide them on site screening facilities, Pre-Operative care, Post-Operative care and follow up treatment. As of today, a total of 144 Patients have been identified and successfully treated under this scheme and swami willing the teams plans to cover 1000 patients in the coming days and year. below we have some pics for reference. Pray to swami to guide the Medical team in achieving their goal.



Apart from the Medical camps all the 4 Medical vans named as “SRI SATHYA SAI AROGYA PREM RATH”, cover the length and breadth of the city in a month-long schedule covering an average of 9,000 patients each month and an annualized count of 84,000 patients approx. The Mobile Medicare project is on the right path in serving the Manav.

❖ **Sai Prem Deep Lantern Workshop**

Sai Prem Deep Lantern workshop was conducted across different Samithis on 7th October 2019. Beautiful lanterns carrying Swami's messages were crafted by the Balvikas Children and Devotees. These lanterns were then hosted at every devotee's house on the occasion of Deepavali.



❖ **SWACCHATA SE DIVYATA TAK**

With the Grace of Bhagwan Baba, Swacchata Abhiyan under the Divine's program SWACCHATA SE DIVYATA TAK was conducted at Katraj Lake on 7th October 2018 and

Poona Blind Old age Home, Sinhagad on 14th October 2018. Around 77 devotees across Pune participated in this event. Around 600kgs of waste was cleaned from the surface of the lake. Pune Corporation Health Supervisor for Katraj Division quoted that 'Many groups are doing such cleaning camps at Katraj lake, but it was so differently and uniquely done by youth of Sathya Sai Seva Organisation. They were very mindful and sincere while doing the seva activity. All the participants enjoyed the bliss and offered the sewa at the Lotus feet of Bhagwan Sri Satya Sai Baba.



❖ **Aaradhana Mahotsav Narayan Seva - Alandi**

On the occasion of Swami's Aaradhana month celebrations, Narayan Seva was conducted at Alandi Indrayani River Ghat every Sunday from the month Feb 2019 to April 2019.

Devotedly & deliciously prepared Poha and Sabudana Khichdi was served as Prasad to thousands of people.



❖ District Level Sai Youth Meet - Pune

District level Sai Youth Meet was conducted on 26th Jan, 2019. Around 25 Youths from all Samithi's attended this annual event. Pune Youth Coordinator presented all the activities performed by Youths in last year. He also laid down agenda and initiatives to be taken up this year. This year major event taken up by Youths will be Yuva Vikas where youths from colleges will be guided for Vikas of the students. All the youths shared their suggestions, opinions in this meet.



❖ Sai Blankets Distribution – Winter Season

With Swami's blessings and grace, Sai Youths of Pune conducted blanket distribution seva on the chilling nights from 15th Dec to 22 Dec 2018. Around 49 Sai Youths from different Samithi's, distributed 133 Sai blankets to needy ones in areas covering pcmc, sahakarnagar, Nagar road, NIBM, Wakad, Dehu, Ravet, shivaji Nagar, Pune railway station, Alandi, Kothrud etc.





❖ **Diwali Celebrations, Tekpole Village Pune**

By the divine blessings of our beloved Bhagawan, on the occasion of Diwali, devotees from Pune Dist visited the village Tekpole for gram seva on 4th November, 2018. Program Started with 3 Omkars and Prashanthi Bhajan. Medical camp conducted for villagers. Distribution of Amrut kalash to 50 needy families. 76 Sarees (Sahawari and Nauwari) gifted to sisters and mothers. A wheel chair was also donated to handicapped elderly lady. This wheel chair will help her to be independent on others. Diwali Faral (laddus and chiwada) packets for all families and crackers for the children in the families were distributed by Youth wing. 40 Volunteer including 23 youths participated. It was a joyous day to be with the Tekpole villagers and celebrate with them this Diwali. This was an attempt to spread Swamis divine love on this festive season.



❖ Bhagawan's 93rd Birthday Celebrations - Narayan Seva

On the eve of holy month of our Beloved Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba's Birthday Celebrations, SSSSO Pune Nagar Road Samithi had organised Naraya Seva on 11th Nov 2018 at Dr Bandorawalla Govt. Leprosy Hospital, Kondhwa Budruk.

Following things were distributed:

1. New sarees
2. Hygiene kit
3. Muflers

4. New towel

All were also served with Deepawali snacks. All the staff members were also distributed with Swami's gifts.



EDUCARE – Character is the most precious gift of education

❖ Science is Fun

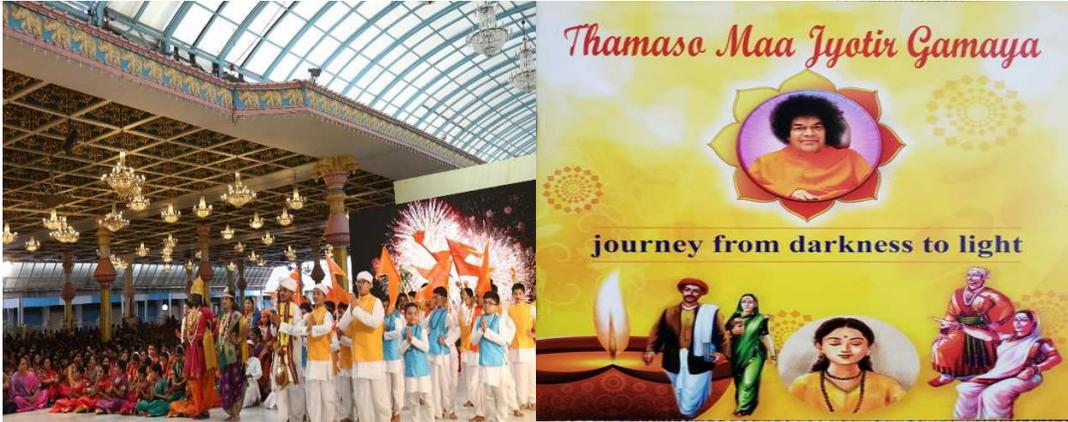
Science is fun (formerly known as Masti ki Prayogshala) is fun based interactive session conducted for the students of Standard Xth. As a part of Maharashtra State Board curriculum, 4 chapters each of Physics and Chemistry subjects were covered along with hands on practicals. A total of 6 sessions were conducted by Pune Youths during the interval 7th July to 12th January 2019 at Dhotre High School at Phulgaon and Indira Gandhi School at Kharadi.



❖ **BALVIKAS :**

- ❖ WE HAVE TOTAL 44 RESIDENTIAL BALVIKAS CENTERS IN 6 SAMITHIES IN PUNE DISTRICT CONDUCTING GROUP 1,2,3 BV CLASSES.
- ❖ WE ALSO CONDUCT SCHOOL BALVIKAS IN 5 SCHOOLS IN PUNE DISTRICT.
- ❖ WE HAVE TOTAL NUMBER OF 1408 STUDENTS ENROLLED IN VARIOUS BALVIKAS CLASSES IN PUNE.
- ❖ WITH A DEDICATED AND DEVOTED TEAM OF 40 BALVIKAS GURUS.
- ❖ Regular training programs are conducted in Pune for training new balvikas gurus and refresher training programs for the existing gurus.
- ❖ 65 balvikas children were fortunate to present a dance drama “TAMASOMA JYOTIR GAMAYA“ in puttaparathi, in July 2018 Ashadi Ekadashi program.
- ❖ BALVIKAS STUDENTS GROUP SINGING EVENT
- ❖ Children between age group 6 to 15 years participated .

- ❖ We had 135 participants from all 6 smithies of Pune district .
- ❖ Children presented different types of group songs like devotional song, value song and patriotic song.



❖ **Mother and Child Care Program**

Mother and child care Team conducted monthly awareness sessions for the ladies and children at Junavne veetbhatti near Dehu and Phulgaon village. Many ladies and children were benefitted

from these sessions. Different games and workshops were conducted for better understanding.

