

# Mukul Madhav Foundation

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## NEWSLETTER

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Dear Friends,

Greetings from Mukul Madhav Foundation!

I take this opportunity to share with you our monthly newsletter.

Hope you enjoy reading the same.

Stay Home, Stay Safe!

Warm Regards,  
Ritu Prakash Chhabria  
Managing Trustee  
Mukul Madhav Foundation



## Combating COVID-19 and supporting the needy & deserving

Finolex Industries Limited and its CSR partner Mukul Madhav Foundation in continuation to extended lockdown continued to carry out various initiatives to provide help during the outbreak of COVID-19 pandemic. A special power point presentation giving details of the work undertaken over the past 3 months is attached for your ready reference.

### Continuing our support in 2nd phase, with the distribution of seeds to widowed women farmers in Osmanabad.

3th June, 2020

Finolex Industries and its CSR partner Mukul Madhav Foundation have supported 312 widowed women famers in Osmanabad, Maharashtra this year too by providing 30kg of Soya seeds and 15kg of Tuvar seeds. Sowing of seeds started in some parts of Osmanabad.

60% of the women have been able to repay their debts and support their children's education from the harvest of the crops with seeds provided last year.



### Relief support to 450 families affected by Amphon Cyclone in West Bengal.

3th June, 2020

FIL/MMF provided help to 450 families affected by Amphon Cyclone in collaboration with Rangeen Khidki Foundation as on-ground implementation partners.

- Supported women in need with 2000 sanitary Napkins with the help of West Bengal police and West Bengal Relief Collective.



- Distributed relief kits including dry grocery, tarpaulin sheets and face masks to aid 450 families in 3 villages of West Bengal: Taldi, Minakhan, Sandeshkhali



## Distribution of Sanitary Napkins in Pune, Panchgani & Junnar

5th June, 2020

FIL/MMF in collaboration with Krishi Vidyan Kendra, Baramati procured sanitary towels for the welfare of the girls in the society and helped 8140 females by providing 9090 sanitary Napkins.

The support was provided to the Rural and urban slums of Pune, by liaising with NGOs which are working towards the welfare of women.

This initiative has increased awareness among women and girls on Menstrual Hygiene and leading a healthy life.



## Aiding the Transgender Community in Pune

8th June, 2020

From abandonment to discrimination, the Transgender community has always been forced to take up begging. With the lockdowns in place, they are struggling to survive.

FIL/MMF has donated 165 grocery kits and is running a fundraiser on Ketto to support many more individuals from the community.



## Support to 400 COVID-19 patients from Tadiwala slums, Pune by distributing Eggs kindly donated by Vencobb

9th June, 2020

FIL/MMF in continuation to their initiative of distributing eggs, on 9th June, distributed 1200 eggs (3 each) to 400 suspected COVID-19 victims from Tadiwalla slums near Pune station with the help of Ms. Sulakshana Kamble, who is running women's self help group. These victims were quarantined for 15 days and were discharged.

Since 28th May to 13th June, 2020, FIL/MMF as on-ground partner distributed 1,40,000 Eggs kindly donated by Venkys to Hospitals with COVID-19 patients, families of daily wage earners, migrant workers and slum dwellers in Pune to ensure a balanced diet for those in need.



## Relief support to 575 families & 175 Orphans affected by Nisarg Cyclone in Raigad, Ratnagiri & Pune District.

10th - 17th June, 2020

### Support to Raigad -

FIL/MMF supported victims of Raigad fort by providing 250 grocery kits, 170 blankets, 100 Chappals, 27 tarpaulins to



need for shelters with the help of Mr. Raj Deshmukh as ground partner. Cyclone Nisarg has destroyed their homes, leaving them unemployed and homeless.

Further, FIL/MMF is supporting Shikshangram Naisargik Shikshan Sanstha, Malavali - Home for housing 175 orphan children to construct the roof which was damaged in the cyclone.





## Support to Dapoli & Mandangad, Dist. Ratnagiri

FIL/MMF team reached Dapoli and Mandangad, Dist. Ratnagiri to support victims of Nisarg Cyclone with 2400 steel sheets, 300 Grocery kits, 240 Solar lanterns & blankets.

Our team visited with full truck load to Seven villages & personally distributed the above items with the help of Eminent Government officials and support of local MLA and completed this mission.

For more details kindly log on to below link - <https://youtu.be/7acEpPjOLc4>



## Support to Panshet -

FIL/MMF Supported 5 villages in Panshet victims of Nisarg Cyclone at Panshet with 250 Steel sheets, 60 Solar lanterns, 100 kg. Rice & dry snacks.





## COVID-19 Support to Gadchiroli

In the past, we have supported the women of Gadchiroli with Holiday Home (for women who need a proper place to rest during their menstruation).

These women who live in the village at Tumkum while being there in the holiday home have stitched 5000 three ply khadi face masks which have been donated to the Government Health Department, Gadchiroli district. Additionally 172 PPE kits have been provided. This initiative has been done in collaboration with Yuva Parivartan.



## Physiotherapy through local TV channels for Cerebral Palsy Patients

12th June, 2020

Mission Cerebral Palsy since its inception in 2015 has impacted the lives over 986 kids affected by CP in rural Maharashtra. Despite the lockdown and unavailability of reliable network connection, FIL/MMF are committed to ensure that the kids have access to regular physiotherapy.

FIL/MMF with effect from 12th June 2020, initiated home based physiotherapy by streaming the sessions on TV, where Physiotherapist, doctors and professionals participate and share expert knowledge on television which will benefit parents to understand Cerebral Palsy which will benefit parents to conduct home based therapy for their children.

**GOING THE EXTRA MILE TO SUPPORT KIDS AFFECTED WITH CEREBRAL PALSY**

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**NEWS CHANNEL - KTV**  
**MORNING SLOT - 8:30 AM - 9:00 AM**  
**EVENING SLOT - 4:30 PM - 5:00 PM**  
**THE INITIATIVE STARTS FROM 12TH JUNE 2020**

**TUNE IN!**



## Webinars

15th June, 2020

Managing Trustee, Ritu Prakash Chhabria was invited by like minded partners to be a speaker for two webinars to discuss synergies in working for the society in India and globally.

1. Virtually Yours – Discussion on challenges during the Pandemic and support to the society.
2. Strengthening Child Healthcare post COVID 19



## Support continues to Art Contest through Khula Asamant

12th June, 2020

FIL/MMF supported the art contest through Khula Aasman headed by Mr. Milind Sathe to encourage artists to bring their art to a common platform. During COVID-19, Art lovers of any age participated in this contest sitting at home and created their piece of art and uploaded the same online. Due to overwhelming response this contest got extended till 30th June 2020.

To see the beautiful artistic creations by children, young adults, working professionals and senior citizens during the challenging times of the national lockdown, click on the below link –

<https://india-art.blog/coronavirus-pandemic-lockdown-paintings/>





## Chocolate distribution to Orphan homes on behalf of Indian Red Cross Society.

16th-19th June, 2020

On behalf of Red Cross Society, Pune, FIL/MMF distributed 17344 chocolates to 13 Orphan Homes kindly donated by India Food Banking, Distribution Partners, Rotary Club Khadki to various orphan homes in the vicinity of Pune District.

5005 Chocolates and 144 Juice packets were distributed at slum areas like lohegaon, Balaji nagar, Gawali nagar, Sus Gaon community and NGO like Maher



## International Yoga Day

21st June, 2020

FIL/MMF despite the lockdown and limited internet connection, ensuring kids learn healthy habits like yoga.

As a part of Mission Cerebral Palsy since 2015, FIL/MMF ensured that kids affected by Cerebral Palsy get access to yoga session via live streaming on Local television Channel in Ratnagiri which broadcasts the basic physiotherapy session along with a 10-minute yoga



session. This has received an encouraging response as children will not have to miss their sessions and it helps improve their quality of life.

Conducted a virtual yoga session for the students of Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya (MMV) under the guidance of Adv. Ruchi, legal advisor of MMV. Yoga education has been integrated part of syllabus at Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya for the physical and mental well-being of the children.



## International Widows day

23rd June, 2020

FIL/MMF on account of International widows day supporting 165 widows at Mahila Seva Mandal and Maher with Sarees, bedsheets, pillow covers & 60 women in Kashmir with mustard oil and Sugar (grocery)



## Support to Mhabodhi International Centre and Mahakaruna Foundation, Ladakh.

The Mahabodhi International Meditation Center, Ladakh through its activities, works to assist the old, sick, undernourished and undereducated peoples of Buddhist Asia. They runs a residential school for poor children drawn from surrounding villages, an institute for the blind,



a home for the aged, a monastery, a nunnery and more.

To support them in carrying out their activities during pandemic, FIL/MMF has provided them financial support.



## UPDATES FROM MASAR

### Donation of Plants to Gram Swaraj Uttar Buniyadi Hostel, Masar

24th June, 2020

FIL/MMF donated 450 plants to Gram Swaraj Uttar Buniyadi Hostel for plantation. Mr. Kartik Maharaja, DFO-Vadodara and Mr. Shailesh Talpada, RFO-Padra were present for the tree plantation.

In the last 2 years FIL/MMF donated 860 saplings along with the Drip Irrigation System to them.

Mr. Kartik Maharaja appreciated Finolex Industries CSR activities by saying that FIL/MMF has left no stone unturned when it came to conservation of the environment. He further stated that by donating fruit trees through their CSR activities, FIL/MMF has ensured the protection of the environment as well as secured the education of students. The profits earned by Gram Swaraj Uttar Buniyadi through selling of the fruits shall be used to further develop the education infrastructure of the school.





## Treeplantation at Narsinhpura Primary School

25th June, 2020

FIL/MMF planted 105 and 100 tree plants at Narsinhpura Primary School and FIL Masar Plant Premises respectively.

Village Sarpanch, School Principal and Gram Panchayat Members at Narshihpura Primary School and FIL Employees at FIL Plant attended the event. The initiative undertaken by FIL/MMF towards the environment was appreciated by Narsinhpura Village Sarpanch and School Principal.



## UPDATES FROM RATNAGIRI

### Distribution of Grocery kits, to villagers from Phansop & Bhahtye, Ratnagiri

31st May, 2020

In response to a request made by Bhatye and Phansop Grampanchayat, Tal. Dist. Ratnagiri, FIL/MMF supported and distributed 392 essential grocery kits to the needy villagers and their families of Phansop and Bhatye and are unable to earn due to the current COVID -19 lockdown situation. The Sarpanch and the villagers of the Bhatye and Phansop appreciated about the continuous support of FIL/MMF to villages and timely response for distribution of kits to 392 needy people in both the villages.



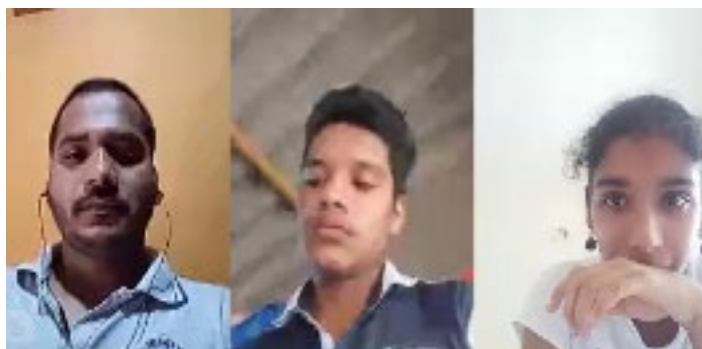


## Updates from Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya

### Online Classes for 8th to 10th Std at MMV

16th June, 2020

In order to keep the students of 8th to 10th std appraised with their syllabus and that the current COVID - 19 lockdown situation should not have an adverse effect on their education, online classes have been resumed for the students by our sincere and hardworking teachers at MMV.



### 11th Anniversary of Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya

24th June, 2020

On account of 11th Anniversary of Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya, FIL/MMF Supporting women in Anusaya Anandi Mahila Ashram in Pawas, Ratnagiri with grocery, kaftan and personal grooming kit to 13 ladies.

## Success Story

### Finolex Industries and its CSR partner Mukul Madhav Foundation supports prosthetics for 29 year old Sagar.

Mr. Sagar Fulkumar met with a train accident in 2016 and was rushed to Sion Hospital, Mumbai and later transferred to Sancheti Hospital, Pune. Both his legs had to be amputated. He did not receive adequate support from his family.

Mr Prashant Jagtap a social worker from Lohegoan approached MMF with an appeal to support Mr. Sagar with artificial prosthetics.

The Management did a due diligence and after consulting experts at Sancheti Hospital supported Mr. Sagar with prosthetics. This brought a smile on his face and he is now able to walk independently.



FIL/MMF continues to Spread Hope and Happiness in the lives of the lesser privileged people.



## Letter of Gratitude from parent of MBA Student

June 11, 2020

To,  
Mukul Madhav foundation,

Respected Mrs. Ritu Chhabria & Ms. Pratika Chhabria ji,

Thank you very much for your great support of my daughter Konika Sharma for helping towards her education in MBA. IBS college Powai, Mumbai, yesterday I got a call from her university in respect of her fee, that they have received a demand draft of sum of Rs. 1,00,000/ (one lakh rupees) from your respected Mukul Madhav Foundation, Mam in this critical situation in India you have helped us a lot where no help from others.

We all our family pray to the god blessing you & your family from our heart.

We are very sincerely thankful to Mr. Sanjay Jumani Late Shrimati Shant Jumani for their blessing.

Thank you very much again.  
Daresh sharma  
Father of Konika Sharma

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### Medical Assistance –

Cochlear Implant - Rs.1,50,000 for 2 patients.

Medical Assistance – Rs. 7,18,500 for 25 patients

### Donors for this month

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**We would like to THANK our generous donors.**

**A special mention to Finolex Industries Limited for supporting all our initiatives!**



## Awards & Accolates









## Sanitary Towels distribution

### 10,000 छात्राओं को 'स्वच्छ मासिक धर्म' के लिए मदद

मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन का पुणे जि. प. के साथ उपक्रम

नगर संवाददाता

पुणे. अपने सामाजिक कर्तव्य के लिए विख्यात फिनोलेक्स इंडस्ट्रीज का सीएसआर उपक्रम मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन की ओर से पुणे जिला परिषद की विभिन्न स्कुलों में पढ़ने वाली 10 हजार किशोरी छात्राओं को उनके स्वच्छ मासिक धर्म के लिए विभिन्न स्तर पर मदद दी जा रही है. मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन की मैनेजिंग ट्रस्टी रितु छाब्रिया और पुणे जिला परिषद के सीईओ आयुष प्रसाद के सहयोग से यह उपक्रम चलाया जा रहा है. ज्ञात हो कि, ग्रामीण इलाकों की स्कुलों में पढ़ने वाली छात्राओं को उनके मासिक धर्म के संदर्भ में कई सारी समस्याएं होती हैं.



उपक्रम के चलते काफी अच्छी जानकारी और मार्गदर्शन मिलने की जानकारी छात्राओं ने दी.

■ ऐसे में उनके मासिक धर्म को स्वच्छ बनाने और उनके शारीरिक-मानसिक स्वास्थ्य के लिए मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन की ओर से इस 28 मई से 'विश्व स्वच्छ मासिक धर्म दिवस' के मौके पर पुणे जिला परिषद के सहयोग से 10 हजार लड़कियों को हर संभव मदद देने का फैसला किया. इस उपक्रम के लिए पुणे जिला परिषद के मुख्य कार्यकारी अधिकारी आयुष प्रसाद ने भी हर संभव मदद दलाई. 28 मई को पुणे जिले के सभी 13 तहसीलों के इस उपक्रम के तहत लड़कियों को सैनिटरी नेपकिन्स का वितरण किया गया तथा उन्हें मासिक धर्म में स्वास्थ्य अवज्ञा कैसे रखें, इसके संदर्भ में विस्तार से मार्गदर्शन किया गया. मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन और जिला परिषद के इस मार्गदर्शन मिलने की जानकारी छात्राओं ने दी.

#### बंगाल की महिलाओं को भेजी गई मदद

■ हाल ही में पश्चिम बंगाल में अम्फान तूफान ने काफी तबाही मचाई. ऐसे में वहां पर महिलाओं को मासिक धर्म के संदर्भ में समस्याओं से गुजरना ना पड़े, इसके लिए सैनिटरी नेपकिन्स और बाकी मदद भेजी गई. हाल ही में यह मदद रवाना की गई है, जिसका लाभ वहां की महिलाओं को अभी हो रहा है. कुछ आदिवासी समाज में मासिक धर्म के संदर्भ में कई सारी अवधारणाएं हैं. ऐसे में वहां पर महिलाओं को मासिक धर्म में अलग झोपड़ियों में रखा जाता है.

#### गढ़चिरोली की महिलाओं के लिए भी उपक्रम

■ इन झोपड़ियों में किसी तरह की कोई सुविधा नहीं होती, जिससे उनका मासिक धर्म का समय और भी कठिनाइयों से घिर जाता है. वहां की महिलाओं की यह समस्या देखकर मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन की ओर से वहां पर मासिक धर्म में महिलाओं के लिए 'डको फ्रेडली होम' तैयार किए गए हैं. वहां पर सभी प्रकार की सुविधाएं उपलब्ध कराई गई हैं, जिससे आदिवासी महिलाओं का मासिक धर्म काफी स्वच्छ और स्वस्थ हो. इस तरह के कई उपक्रम मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन की ओर से चलाए जाते हैं, ऐसी जानकारी फाउंडेशन की मैनेजिंग ट्रस्टी रितु छाब्रिया ने दी.

## Support for Ramadan

### 'फिनोलेक्स' तर्फे मदत

पिंपरी : कोरोनाच्या संकटकाळात फिनोलेक्स इंडस्ट्रीजतर्फे पाच हजार कुटुंबांना फळे आणि भाज्या पुरविण्यात आल्या. तसेच, रमजानसाठी सुमारे दोन लाख लोकांना अन्न पुरविण्यात आले. कंपनी आणि मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन यांच्या सीएसआर फंडातून उपक्रम राबविण्यात आला. शेफ विकास खन्ना आणि मॅक्सिमस कोलॉबस यांचे सहकार्य लाभले. सामाजिक जबाबदारीच्या भावनेतून हा उपक्रम राबविल्याचे कंपनीचे कार्यकारी अध्यक्ष प्रकाश छाब्रिया आणि मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशनचे व्यवस्थापकीय विश्वस्त रितु छाब्रिया यांनी स्पष्ट केले.



## Support to Nisarg Cyclone Victims



Yuvraj Sambhajiraje Chhatrapati

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नूयॉर्क वासीयांनंतरनंतर पुणेकरांनी माझ्या आवाहनाला प्रतिसाद देत, रायगड परिसरात प्रत्यक्ष मदत पोचवली. वादळाच्या तडाख्याने बेघर झालेल्यांच्या डोक्यावर आसरा उभा करणाऱ्या शिवछत्रपतींचा मावळा राज देशमुख आणि टीम चे मनःपूर्वक आभार...

काही दिवसांपूर्वी निसर्ग चक्रीवादळामुळे महाराष्ट्रातील कोकण भागात खूप मोठ्या प्रमाणात नुकसान झाले. चक्रीवादळाचा फटका स्वराज्याची राजधानी आणि आसपासच्या गावांत राहणाऱ्या नागरिकांनाही बसला. रायगड किल्ल्यावर राहणाऱ्या काही लोकांच्या घरावरील छप्पर या वादळात उडून गेले. ही बाब लक्षात आणून देऊन या ठिकाणी मदत करण्याची सूचना केल्याने मदतीसाठी राज देशमुख आणि टीम पुढे सरसावली.

आज रायगड किल्ल्यावर राहणाऱ्या कुटुंबांना छप्पर आणि हिरकणीवाडी, टकमकवाडी येथील नागरिकांना किराणा, ब्लँकेट्स, तसेच जीवनावश्यक वस्तू घेऊन राज देशमुख, योगेश केदार, विराज तावरे, अनिकेत घुले आणि पराग( मामा) मते, अभय शास्त्री, अक्षय भागवत यांची टीम रायगड ला पोहोचली. रायगड किल्ल्याजवळ राहणाऱ्या या कुटुंबांना मदतीचा हात देत त्यांना थोडासा दिलासा देण्याचा प्रयत्न या तरुणांनी केला. जवळपास ४ लाखाची ही राहण साधने गेल्यापासून पोहोचविण्यात आली.

सर्वांच्या वतीने मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन व सर्वांचे मनापासून कौतुक करतो व समाजकार्यात असेच अग्रेसर रहावेत अश्या शुभेच्छा देतो.

## Support to widows

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## विधवा महिलाओं को आत्मसम्मान

नवभारत संवाददाता

पुणे. अपने बेहतरीन सामाजिक कार्यों के माध्यम से समाज में परिवर्तन लाने का प्रयास मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन की ओर से हमेशा से किया जाता रहा है. अंतरराष्ट्रीय विधवा दिवस के मौके पर 23 जून को फाउंडेशन की ओर से विभिन्न उपक्रम चलाए गए. इन उपक्रमों के लिए मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन की मैनेजिंग ट्रस्टी रितु छाबरीया ने पहल की. फिनोलेक्स इंडस्ट्रीज का सीएसआर उपक्रम मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन सामाजिक परिवर्तन के लिए पिछले कई वर्षों से समाजसेवा में अग्रसर है. संयुक्त राष्ट्र संघ की ओर से विधवाओं को अपनी आवाज उठाने का मौका मिले, इसके लिए 23 जून को अंतरराष्ट्रीय विधवा दिवस मनाया जाता है.



इस मौके पर फाउंडेशन की ओर से विधवाओं के लिए प्रतिवर्ष विभिन्न तरह के उपक्रम चलाए जाते हैं. विधवाओं को अपने पैरों पर खड़े होकर उन्हें जीवन में आत्मसम्मान दिलाने के लिए मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन उन्हें हर संभव मदद करती है.

## अंतरराष्ट्रीय विधवा दिवस पर मुकुल माधव फाउंडेशन की पहल

इस उपक्रम के तहत फाउंडेशन की ओर से पिछले 22 वर्षों से महिला सेवा आश्रम तथा 'माहेर' संस्था चलाई जाती है. यहां पर विधवाओं और उनके परिवारों को आत्मसम्मान से जीने के लिए आधार दिया जाता है. फाउंडेशन की ओर से अब तक उस्मानाबाद जिले के 312 आत्महत्याग्रस्त किसानों की विधवाओं को खेती के लिए हर संभव मदद दी गई है. उन्हें बीज और खाद की आपूर्ति की जाती है. इसके माध्यम से आज यह किसानों की विधवाएं अपना आत्मसम्मान बचाते हुए अपने परिवार का गुजारा कर रही हैं. इसके अलावा श्रीनगर की 60 महिलाओं को उनके परिवार का गुजारा चलाने के लिए किराना और जरूरी सामान इस मौके पर बांटे गए.

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