

Mukul Madhav Foundation

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NEWSLETTER

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19 women students from Gavasad Skill Development Center receive certification on 26th March 2022 for completing basic tailoring course

FIL/MMF started the Gavasad Skill Center in November-2018 and till date 80 plus women from 6 batches have successfully been able to complete the tailoring training and gained a livelihood from it. Presently, the 7th batch of the Gavasad Skill Center has started.

*On the day of their convocation their family members were also invited so that these women are encouraged and motivated. In addition to this their photographs, receiving certificates were framed and distributed on 2nd April 2022.

These women students were surprised and overjoyed with the surprise and mentioned that they would keep this as their beloved memory.



FIL/MMF supported Sassoon hospital during Samaj Sethu Event.

On 27th March Sassoon hospital conducted Samaj sethu event where over all Maharashtra government hospital Social work were present and Team MMF was present there. MMF distributed **150 Sack bags** to all the social workers present at Sassoon Hospital. The Chief guest of the event was Dr Chandanwale, and Dr Kale and was attended by Ms Yasmin Shaikh from MMF. The chief guest Dr Chandwale Sir appreciated the work done by the Mukul Madhav Foundation towards Sassoon hospital and always being an helping hand towards the initiatives.



Betal Nut / Supari Plantation Project by YVK (Yuva Vikash Kendra) with the help of FIL – MMF started in Devipur ADC Village, South Tripura.

On March 30, 2022: With the aim of making rural farmers self-reliant through betel nut cultivation, a one-day beneficiary selection and awareness workshop has been organized at Devipur ADC Village, South Tripura by the Gandhian Youth Organization of Tripura Yuva Vikash Kendra with the help of Finolex Industry Limited CSR Partner Mukul Madhav Foundation, Pune. In today's program, **28 youth and women farmers of the village** have participated. All the beneficiaries have been informed in detail about this project by the organizers and the ideas have been exchanged among themselves. Very soon a one-day special training program will be organized by selecting these beneficiaries, after which each of the beneficiaries will be given 150nos betel nut plant for each farmer free of cost by the organizers. Total of 100 farmers will be supported in this initiative



Bariya Samaj has organised a group wedding(Samuhik Vivha) of 25 couples from the underprivileged communities at Padra Block(Nearby FIL Masar Plant) and requested support from FIL/MMF for these couples.

Acting on the request and keeping the thought of their basic requirements in mind, Ritu Madam gifted the newly married **25 couples** 25 cookers on 21st April 2022. Mr Mangesh Bhake from FIL/MMF presented these gifts to the couples on behalf of Ritu Madam.

The President of Bariya Samaj was very thankful for the gifts and mentioned how on the first request itself the Management sprang into action and took the initiative of gifting the couples. For the support from FIL/MMF, the whole of Bariya Samaj is grateful to the Company and Management.



FIL/MMF supported Maharashtra Granthottejak Sanstha (Deccan Vernacular Translation Society)

Finolex Industries and its CSR partner Mukul Madhav Foundation supported Maharashtra Granthottejak Sanstha(Deccan Vernacular Translation Society) founded by 25 visionary maharashtrian social reformers like Lokmanya Tilak, Justice Ranade and Dr. Sir Bhandarkar in 1894. Its main objective is to uplift Marathi language and literature.

Mukul Madhav always believes in promoting art, culture and heritage which has been carried on from ages, with this vision an appeal was responded to with a computer and printer support to the institution which was handed over on 28.3.2022. This would enable the institution staff to store, convert old, rare documents and manuscripts to digital format.



Senior Citizen home supported with infrastructure support.

Shivganga old age home at Kamshet near Pune was supported for flooring, sanitation and painting work. The coconut breaking ceremony was conducted on 2nd April and due for completion soon. This center houses 10 senior citizens. This event was attended by Mrs Ganga Patil Founder member and staffs along with Mr Jadhav and Mr Bhushan from MMF were present for the same.

Janseva Foundation panshet Ambi Village near Pune was supported for leakage of roof in hall, Kitchen painting and water proofing at ceiling. The coconut breaking ceremony was conducted on 09th April and due for completion soon. This center houses **175 senior citizens**. This event was attended by Ms. Sonali Surani - Manager, Mr. Pradeep Priswas - In charge along with Mr. Yogesh and Mr. Bhushan from MMF was present for the same. (Funded by FIL) Appeal was given by them.



Finolex Industries limited and its CSR Partner Mukul Madhav Foundation provided Computers and Printers to 4 Jails in Maharashtra in collaboration with Police Mitra Sanghatana

The inauguration of this initiative was conducted on 6th April 2022 where these computers were handed over to authorities in Pune Jail. This event was attended by Mr Patil, DYSP Yerawada Jail, Mr. Sarode PI, Yerawada Jail, Mr Sumit Darandale President Police Mitra Sanhhatana and Team MMF.

On 9th April the distribution and handing over was done at Ahmednagar District Jail in the presence of Mr. Petras Gaikwad (Jail S. P) Mr. Shamakant Shedge(Senior Jailer) Mr. Manikrao Vidhate (President Ahmednagar dist Rastrawadi Congress) Sumit Darandale (State secretary Police Mitra)Dinesh kadam (member Police Mitra) and Dadasaheb Gadakh (FIL Ahmednagar)
On 22nd April the distribution and Handling over was done at Kholapur Jail and Satara Jail in the presence of the official authority from the jail and Police Station were present with our Finolex representatives.

This support will help Jail authority's for their day to day administration work.



Finolex Industries and its CSR partner Mukul Madhav Foundations' initiative of Open Defecation Free

Finolex Industries and its CSR partner Mukul Madhav Foundations' initiative of sanitation began in November 2016. This journey began in Palghar and has now completed the construction of **778 individual, solar illuminated toilets with soak pits**. In total 13 villages in this district is now Open Defecation Free.

21 Tribal villages in Maharashtra declared Open Defecation Free (ODF)

13 in Palghar and 8 in Gadchiroli

In continuation this initiative moved on to Gadchiroli, Nagpur. Here a total of **8 tribal villages** have been declared Open Defecation Free with a total of 260 individual, solar illuminated toilets with soak pits.

We are happy to announce the above and grateful to individuals, the authorities, Yuva Parivartan, our ground implementation partner and all our representatives.



Late Smt. Mohini Pralhad Chhabria Scholarship for Agriculture colleges of Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth Rahuri

Finolex Industries and its CSR Partner Mukul Madhav Foundation started intervention in the spectrum of Water conservation from 2014 and completed 23 projects in the districts of Solapur, Sangli, Pune, Satara, Ratnagiri and Osmanabad in Maharashtra and it has benefited more than 3 lakh people in farming sector.

While supporting farmer with water and environment Finolex and Mukul Madhav Foundation has also initiated a program to support students from agricultural sector and MOU has been signed on 4th June 2019 to provide scholarships and assistance to 36 undergraduates, 20 Post Graduates students to the lower strata of the society at these universities.

In 2021-2022 FIL/MMF increased 2 BSc students in each college. On 22nd March 2022 third year scholarship is handed over to all 10 colleges of Agriculture.

Total **76 agriculture** students now benefiting through this initiative.

This will enable students to be motivated and educated with the required expertise in the field of agriculture. Finolex Industries and Mukul Madhav Foundation continue to Spread Hope and Happiness in the lives of students.



FIL/MMF Supported to school going children with school fees

On 31st March 2022 Mukul Madhav Foundation and Yoshika Engineering pvt. Ltd. supported **40 students** from 5th STD to 12th STD of Vidya Mahamandal's Laxman Rao Apte School, Pune for their school fees. Students are from low income families and their parents are daily wages worker, Auto rickshaw driver, Maid and vegetable seller.

All these students are scoring very well in their academics this support will help these students to continue their education. In Jan 2021 MMF Supported **59 students** for the school fees.

Laxman Rao Apte School is a very reputed and aided school, catering to children from surrounding slum and low income group children to have good education in their school. School has retained excellence in academics over the years.



FIL/MMF Supported School going children with school fees at NMV School Pune

On 31st March 2022 Mukul Madhav Foundation and Yoshika Engineering pvt. Ltd. supported **73 students** from primary section of Nutan Marathi Vidyalay for their school fees. Nutan Marathi Vidyalaya is one of the oldest schools in Pune, Maharashtra, India. The school was founded by the Shikshan Prasarak Mandali, an educational charity on 1 January 1883.

Students are from low income families and their parents are daily wages worker, Auto rickshaw driver, Maid and vegetable seller. This support will help these students to continue their education.



Healthcare

Finolex Industries and its CSR partner Mukul Madhav Foundation support children with Cerebral Palsy at Snehalaya.

FIL/MMF associated with Snehalaya institute in July 2021, an NGO working in Pune for Children (65 children) with Cerebral Palsy and are supporting them with various therapies. FIL/MMF began supporting Snehalaya institute with assessment camp with the support to Sancheti Hospital and Bharti Hospital for orthopedic and speech assessment. During the camp **12 children** were suggested for Orthotic devices.

Alongside remuneration is being supported for 3 teachers at this institute since October 2021. From November we started weekly speech therapy sessions twice a week on Wednesday and Friday for 20 children's, FIL/MMF are supporting the 12 children with orthotics device and clothes has been given to them for their new outfits.



A special update on Sassoon General Hospital and KEM Hospital

In an attempt to modernize and improve the quality of medical treatment provided to children, MMF set up a Neo-Natal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) in the year 2000 and a Neo-Natal Ward in the year 2001 at KEM hospital as its first project in Healthcare.

There after many projects and initiatives have been done. Another breakthrough is when MMF created the NICU at Sassoon General Hospital. Thereafter others departments have been upgraded and a continuous follow up and reporting is done on a monthly basis.

- NICU Sassoon hospital – **125 Patients**
- Retinopathy of prematurity (ROP) is an eye disorder caused by abnormal blood vessel growth in the light sensitive part of the eyes (retina) of premature infants –

Total Screening 38

- Endoscopy surgery – **207 Patients**
- Dental Surgery – **11 Patients**

- Otoacoustic Emissions (OAE) screening can help to detect sensor neural hearing loss occurring in the cochlea. It can also call attention to hearing disorders affecting the pathway to the inner ear – **419 Patients**
- Hemophilia Screening – **4 Patients**
- Sonali ward(NICU) KEM Hospital – **2 Patients**

Finolex Industries Ltd and its CSR Partner Mukul Madhav Foundation inaugurated ophthalmic clinic at Gatha Mandir in Dehu Gaon , with the support of Sassoon General hospital in 2019, (this is re-ignited after the covid wave and should be merged with Sassoon)

FIL/MMF donated advance machine for eye checkup at Dehu OPD and started eye checkup services for pilgrims and rural population of the Dehu and surrounding village.

Due to pandemics Sassoon general hospital closed the OPD services and now the Situation came an normal level we have followed with Sassoon general hospital and Gatha mandir to restart the ophthalmic clinic monthly once on Wednesday.

On 23rd March 2022, **25 Screening** has done and the referral is given to Medicine and for the surgery Sassoon Hospital vehicles will pick up all patients on Saturday and Monday they will drop the patients.



On the 17th of April 2022, at the 8th Camp 16 children with Type1 Diabetes were supported with insulin cartridges and laboratories test.

Mukul Madhav Foundation is supporting children with diabetes since 2016 and providing insulin vials and supporting with blood tests to deserving patients in collaboration with KEM hospital Pune.

To increase the support and reach of MMF in collaboration with the Diabetic Association of Vadodara (DAB) in Gujarat, MMF embarked to support up to **20 children with Type 1 diabetes** since September 2021.

The Children were given information about their insulin use and abuse by Dr Shusuil Patel, Diabetologist and Parents/children get new information regarding “Understand Diabetes in a Different Way”.

Parents and children got a chance to meet Dr Mona Shah, MD Endocrinologist, Dr Sushil Patel, Diabetologist, Dr Parag Rana, MD Physician(PG Diabetologist), Dr Vanishaben Nambiyar, Dietician and Dr Ravindra Nanavaty, Secretary of DAB to discussed their queries with these doctors regarding diet and insulin. This event was attended by Trustees and members of DAB, Senior Doctors associated with DAB, Past Diabetes Children supported by DAB, Parents and Type1 Children supported by FIL/MMF and Mr Nitul Barot from MMF were present for the same. DAB Trustees and Members expressed their gratitude and thanked the FIL/MMF management for monthly support.



Eye Check camp for drivers and ancillary staff of Finolex Industries Ltd

Finolex Industries and its CSR Partner Mukul Madhav Foundation organize Optometry and general health and well-being camp for drivers and ancillary staff. This was done in collaboration with H V Desai Hospital with their fully equipped mobile van with their medical team at Finolex Industries Ltd Corporate Office in Chinchwad 12th April and at Finolex Industries plant at Urse 15th April.

A total of **145 (62 to from Chinchwad and 83 from Urse)** individuals from both locations underwent these checkups. Further, assistance as needed would be supported by Mukul Madhav Foundation.

We are grateful to HV Desai Eye Hospital and congratulate them on this mobile support.



Awards

FIL/MMF awarded in the “Global CSR Excellence & Leadership Awards” on 24th March 2022 at Taj Lands’ End, Mumbai.

The Jury council of “Global CSR Excellence & Leadership Awards” Congratulate “Mukul Madhav Foundation” for winning the “Best CSR Project in Sanitation” category Award at such platform. The award was collected by our Trustee Mr. Vijay Gurnani sir along with MMF team members Mr babalu Mokale and Mitesh Shrigiri.



Mukul Madhav Foundation is proud to be the recipient of the Vivekananda Sustainability Awards 2022 for improvement of Clean Water and Sanitation in Communities.

This was at the august hands of Swami Chidanand Saraswati, Acharya Dr. Lokesh Muni and Former Chief Justice of India – Mr K G Balkrishnan.

We are grateful and thankful to Mr. Vinay Saini, AGM, North and Mr Arun Ojha, GM, Delhi from Finolex Industries for receiving this award on our behalf on 20th April 2022 at Delhi.



G100 and Denim Club have presented an award of Exceptional Women of Excellence to Mrs. Ritu Prakash Chhabria at the House of Lords, London on 29th March 2022.

G100 is an empowered group of 100 women leaders from across the world, in 100 diverse sectors, supported by 100 eminent He or She champions, for powerful advocacy, awareness & impact across governments and global organizations for a gender equal future. G100 is an action + think tank with a global, cross-cultural, intersectional and intentional perspective toward peace, parity and prosperity for all.

G100 is supported by The Denim Club: Group of 100 He-for-She Champions globally, comprising leaders and luminaries from the business, corporate and political domains, each leading a sector of influence and having their companies and institutions in support of gender parity and equality.

Mukul Madhav Foundation team is delighted and happy to share this news with our friends and well-wishers.



MUKUL MADHAV VIDYALAYA

The Moment of Calm

Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya observed "The Moment of Calm" on 31st March, 2022 and 1st April, 2022. This concept was initiated by Dada Vaswani who was the spiritual head at the Sadhu Vaswani Mission, headquartered in Pune. **412 members** including the teachers and the students were a part of the momentous moment. A prayer was recited by the students in the school, followed by silence for two minutes. "The Moment of Calm" was also conducted through online sessions.



Sports Day at Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya

On 8th April 2022, sports day event was inaugurated by Mr. Navin Bijlani, Principal of Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya, by breaking a coconut. The event started with great enthusiasm where students were very happy to take part in their favourite sport. Students from 1st to 9th std participated in various sports activities from running, long jump, doge-ball, Langadi and many other fun games.

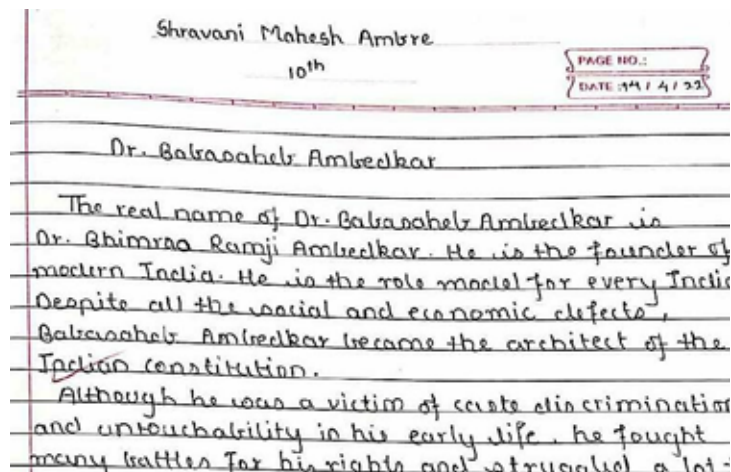
Sports days will be conducted at Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya for four days. The competitors participated with great excitement in the track and field events. We, at Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya, believe that sports events teach children how to cope in a competitive environment as well as learning all about winning and losing since these are important life skills to assimilate in preparation for the working environment.

Sports events will help students to have a good break from studies and will provide the much needed recreation after 2 years since no sport event was conducted during the pandemic period.



Eassays on Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar by students of Mukul Madhav Vidyalyaya

On the occasion of Ambedkar Jayanti on 14th April, students of Mukul Madhav Vidyalyaya wrote some beautiful essays on the life of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar. These essays were written by the students of Std. IV to Std. VIII. This was a mark of respect that they have for this great personality of India. By writing these essays, our students paid homage to Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar. We proudly share these essays with you.



Fun filled activities for KG section students at Mukul Madhav Vidyalyaya

To bring a break in the monotony of academics and bring fun element in teaching, KG section students were introduced to computers. We, at Mukul Madhav Vidyalyaya believe that this will help these tiny tots to become familiar with computers at an early stage and become tech savvy. Similarly, fruits activity was also conducted at school where students were asked to bring different fruits to school. Fruit Day was celebrated in our School to make the children familiarize with fruits which are essential for our healthy life. Our school hopes to raise children to embrace a healthy fruit eating habit, make them conscious of the health benefits of different local fruits, and include fruits in their diet.

All the students participated and took keen interest in these activities enjoying the same.



COVID-19 Vaccination drive at Mukul Madhav Vidyalyaya

As Health department opened up vaccinations for younger age group, a second round of vaccination drive was conducted on 13th April 2022 for students of the age group 12 to 14 years. Total of 100 students took their first dose of vaccination and 15 students got their second dose getting fully vaccinated. In total, **115 students** took benefit of this vaccination drive. First round of vaccination was organized on 13th January 2022 to provide vaccines to students from the age group of 15 to 18 years where 74 students took their first dose.



The vaccination drive was organized in collaboration with Health Department- Ratnagiri, at the school premises ensuring that the students get vaccinated in safe and hygienic environment. 7 of Primary Health Centre, Doctors and our own in-house Medical Officer Dr. Anup Karmarkar were present to ensure that students are vaccinated with utmost care and precaution. Parent's consents to have their wards vaccinated at school were obtained prior to vaccination. The vaccination drive was conducted adhering to all COVID-19 social distancing and hygiene protocols.

We at Mukul Madhav Vidyalyaya are grateful to local authorities for supporting this initiative and making it a success.



Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya bags Desh Apnayan awards 2021-22

Desh Apnayan's conducts school programs which are participative, proactive and help individuals understand the concept of citizenship in India and play their part in democracy better. The core idea of Desh Apnayan's initiatives is to foster a love for the nation amongst the youth by reigniting a sense of pride and patriotism in them.

Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya has been associated with Desh Apnayan since 2016. Even, this year during pandemic situation, Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya has actively participated in activities conducted such as Digital Citizenship, India Culture and Scientific thinking, interdependence in global world and Hindi Diwas.

This year also Mukul Madhav Vidyalaya actively participated in all the activities structured by Desh Apnayan. This consistent and active participation enabled MMV to bag awards at Desh Apnayan Annual Award function 2021-2022 as under -

- 1) Annual Award for consistent participation
- 2) Champion Teacher award won by Ms. Shrutika Khanvilkar
- 3) Monthly Recognition Award for the month of December
- 4) Champion School of the Month (February)

Following are the students, who received certificates for their active participation -

Grade 5: **Shraddha Dange, Mohini Dange**

Grade 6: **Varad Bhatkar, Chaitanya**

Gole, Radha Korgaonkar, Soumyak Jadhav, Aditya Bane, Mugdha Nevarekar, Nuha Budy, Samruddhi Zore, Shamika Petkar, Shravani Nevarekar.

Grade 7: **Kanika Surve, Aishwarya Kelkar, Swara Bartakke, Vedant Shelar**

Grade 8: **Chandrabhushan**

Karmarkar, Darshana Dange, Sairaj Dange

Grade 9: **Bhakti Borkar, Nirjara Jagkar,**

Tanishka Vaidya, Shravani Ambre, Isha

Pawaskar, Shreya Petkar, Sharvani Damle

We congratulate our students and teacher for securing this award and wish them all the best to keep up with the good work they have been doing.



Monthly Support – April 2022

	Institutes	Benefeciaries	Amount
Grocery	26	1611	Rs. 3,00,336
Diapers to senior citizens	2	53	Rs. 21,550
Medicines Support	2	48	Rs. 5,500
Cataract Operations	1	20	Rs. 50,000

Pharmacy Support

Institutes	Patients	Amount
Sasoon Pharmacy supported by glucose strip	1500	Rs. 12,000
KEM Hospital Life Care Medicine support monthly	4	Rs. 5,026

Education Support

Institutes	Amount
KEM Fellowship to KEM Hospital	Rs. 20,000
Teacher salary support at Roba Trust, Dehradun	Rs. 41,666
Teachers salary support to Mahatma Gandhi School	Rs. 25,000
Snehalya Institute teachers support	Rs. 15,000
Panchgani Teacher support	Rs. 1,500

Diabetic Support

Institutes	Patients	Amount
KEM Hospital Diabetic Support (Maharashtra)	16	Rs. 35,083
Diabetes Associate of Baroda (Gujarat)	10	Rs. 11,320

Thalassemia Support

	Patients	Amount
Wishing Factory Baroda Gujarat Staff Support	4	Rs. 13,000
Wish Factory Baroda Patient Support	35	Rs. 42,000

Hot Meal Support

	Benefeciaries	Amount
Sadhu Vaswani Mission Center	2787	Rs. 38,640
Annamrita foundation a. Hot meal support to Punruthhan Samrasata Gurukulam at Chinchwad for 220 children b. Hot meals support roadside people 4 times in a week	6820 2700	Rs. 1,70,500 Rs. 81,000
Amit Caterers Homeless Individuals	1050	Rs. 70,875
Atharva Caterers Homeless Individuals	1900	Rs. 55,912
Animal Welfare Feeding Cows	100	Rs. 1,08,500

Measuring the Pulse

Medical Assistance 

Rs. 13,17,512 for 64 patients

Educational Assistance 

Rs. 4,83,500 for 20 students

Thank you for your continued help and support towards
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