

'SEPTEMBER AT A GLANCE'



543

screenings for cataract surgery.



20

girls provided with 4-year nursing
course scholarships.



25

students provided with
engineering scholarships.



Dear Friends,

Every month we spread smiles and hope in our communities and to those in need.

I take this opportunity to share with you some glimpses of the month and a brief account of the positive change our initiatives make every day.

Hope you enjoy reading the same.

**Warm Regards ,
Ritu Prakash Chhabria
Managing Trustee
Mukul Madhav Foundation**

1st September 2023 , Providing nutrition to cancer patients

Mukul Madhav Foundation, provides nutrition to cancer patients at their doorsteps.

We realize how the right nutrition can positively impact these patients in terms of treatment and recovery. Hence every month along with ration we also provide them with fortified nutrition to suffice for a month - sprouted millet, sprouted multigrain, dry fruits, and herbs mix powder.



Since Oct 2022, with the support of Sahaya Hasta Trust, we have been supporting 42 deserving cancer patients in the rural areas of Doddaballapur, on the city outskirts of Bangalore South, Kumbalgod, and Hakki pikki colonies since Oct 2022.

Sahaya Hasta Trust Bangalore has expressed its thanks to us at Mukul Madhav Foundation for this support.

5th September 2023 , Supporting Dialysis Centres

Mukul Madhav Foundation, upgraded the Sevabhava Dialysis Centre with a dialysis machine and Patient Bed. We also supported the dialysis center of R.S.S. Jankalyan Samiti Maharashtra Prant with four 4008 SNG Hemodialysis Machines with Diasafe & NIBP Module. Along with six two-section Recovery Beds with Polymer Molded Bows and 5" Castor Wheels. Signing an agreement on 5th Sept, with R.S.S. Jankalyan Samiti Maharashtra Prant in the presence of Mr. Vinayak R. Dambir Jt Secretary and Mr. Sandesh Ubhe CEO of R.S.S. Jankalyan Samiti Maharashtra Prant, Mr. Sachin Kulkarni, Mr. Jitendra Jadhav and Mr. Babalu Mokale from Mukul Madhav Foundation. This support will help patients from various hospitals who need regular dialysis in the central location of Pune city. The service will be provided with concessional rates which will help patients to reduce the burden of treatment expenses.



5th September 2023, Healthcare for senior citizens

We received an appeal from Navale hospital to conduct 50 hernia surgeries for senior citizens. These senior citizens traveled from Satara and Pune district. The senior citizens were very happy with the arrangements made, the procedure and the outcome.



5th September 2023 , Planting trees for a green future

Mukul Madhav Foundation, joined hands with Sahyadri Devarai for the Vrikshaprasad initiative on 5th Sept 2023. It was launched at Dagdusheth Ganapati Trust Pune in the presence of Bollywood actor Sayaji Shinde, Mr. Mahesh Bhau Suryavanshi, Mr. Sunilbhau Rasane from Mandir Samiti and Mr. Sachin Kulkarni and Mr. Mokale from Mukul Madhav Foundation.



Through this initiative we will be supporting with 1000 trees every month to distribute in the Mandir as a Maha Prasad to the devotees and Devarai will track every tree which is distributed. Encouraging every devotee to take care of the tree as it is a Prasad from Dagdusheth Ganapati Pune. Till Jan 2024 a total of 6000 trees will be planted.

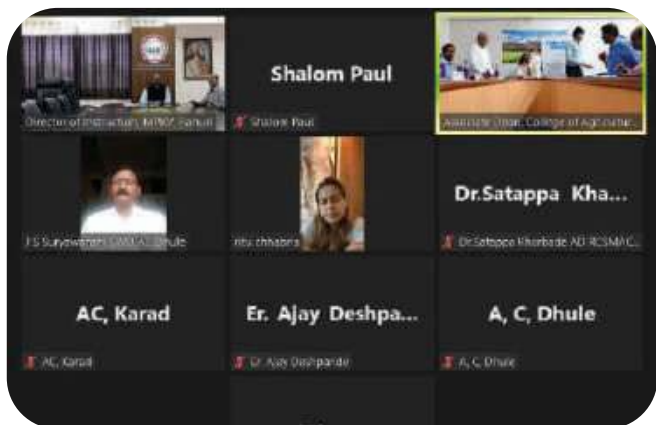
5th September 2023 , Looking forward to a green future

Mukul Madhav Foundation, signed an agreement on 5th Sept with Devrai NGO to plant 1200 trees on the way to Sant Dnyaneshwar Maharaj Palakhi. This was done in the presence of Mr. Girish Kher, Mr. Sukan Bafna from Devrai and Mr. Sachin Kulkarni and Babalu Mokale from Mukul Madhav Foundation. In the first phase, we planted 300 trees with Devrai in Borgaon near Baramati Dist. Pune. This support provided by us will maintain the growth of 1200 trees for 3 years with tree guards, using organic fertilizer, with watering on a weekly basis. As a protocol, we choose native plants, ensuring that the selected site for planting has proper soil, water availability, and sunlight exposure. We also prepare the land before plantation.



6th September 2023 , Educating Girls through Scholarships

Late Smt Mohini Pralhad Chhabria Scholarship for Agriculture students in Maharashtra. Mukul Madhav Foundation collaborated with Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth Rahuri in 2019 to start Late Smt. Mohini Pralhad Chhabria Scholarship for Agriculture Students.



Offering 76 students across 10 colleges, a sum of Rs. 50,000 per year, from 2019 to 2023. Taking this further, on 6th Sept. 2023, we signed an agreement with MPKV Rahuri to extend this same support to a fresh batch of 124 Agriculture students from B.Sc and M.Sc streams across 15 colleges under MPKV Rahuri for their entire college tenure of 4 years, with a scholarship of Rs. 50,000/- per year. After the admission of students we will conduct the interviews in

respective colleges to select the students for the scholarship. The agreement was signed in the presence of Dr. Pravinkumar Patil, Vice Chancellor MPKV, online presence of Ritu Prakash Chhabria Managing Trustee – Mukul Madhav Foundation, Mr. Ashutosh Kulkarni from Finolex Industries Limited, Dr. Mhasalkar Dean Agriculture College Pune and, all deans of respective colleges joined online and Team Mukul Madhav Foundation for this agreement signing.

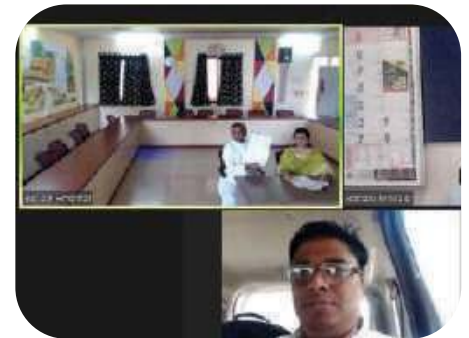
Managing Trustee Mukul Madhav Foundation Ritu Prakash Chhabria reassured students and the university of our continued support and encouragement to deserving students.

Vice Chancellor Dr. Pravinkumar Patil is thankful to Finolex Industries and Mukul Madhav Foundation for their support through these scholarships and infrastructure support.

Since 2019 we have supported an agriculture college in Pune with a Cow Shed and Milk Analyzer for the young veterinarians, a scholarship for girls, and with a Basketball court to promote sports in college.

6th September 2023, Healthcare for vulnerable communities

Mukul Madhav Foundation, signed an agreement with the Indian Red Cross Society's Bel-Air Hospital in Panchgani. We upgraded Bel-Air Hospital with an Anesthesia work station. This will ensure that patients in the remote areas of Panchgani, Maharashtra, can avail of better health care services. The agreement was signed on 6th Sept. 2023 in the presence of Father Tomy, Director Bel Air Hospital, Ritu Prakash Chhabria, Managing Trustee Mukul Madhav Foundation and Team Mukul Madhav Foundation. Besides the general public, Bel Air Hospital also provides health care facilities to vulnerable communities in Panchgani, Maharashtra.



6th September 2023 , Fighting Autoimmune Diseases

Mukul Madhav Foundation, extended its support to Vadodara AIDS Prevention and Control Unit with a supply of Nevirapine Syrup for HIV Pregnant Women and newborn babies. This contribution will benefit over 70+ newborn babies of HIV women over the next year. The handover ceremony was graced by the presence of Dr. Vipul Trivadi, the District TB & HIV Prevention Officer of Vadodara, along with the dedicated staff of Vadodara AIDS Control Unit and Mr. Nitul Barot from Mukul Madhav Foundation. Dr. Vipul Trivadi expressed his heartfelt gratitude for our support, emphasizing that Mukul Madhav Foundation has already supported 100 TB patients with nutrition kits over the past six months and has pledged to continue this support for the next seven months. He expressed sincere appreciation for our commitment to improving the lives of people through its participation in government projects.



8th September 2023 , Supporting brighter visions

On the occasion of 38th National Eye Donation Fortnight, Mukul Madhav Foundation supported an event organised by the Ophthalmology Department of Sassoon Hospital, Pune. The event witnessed doctors enjoying and participating in various activities like essay competition, a lecture on eye donation, and a CSR training program.



11th September 2023 , Promoting environmental sustainability and community development.

Mukul Madhav Foundation has been actively involved in promoting environmental sustainability and community development.

In July 2023, we successfully planted 1535 plants across 9 schools in the Padra Blocks area. On 11th Sept, we extended our commitment by planting 181 tree plants in the neighbouring villages of Gayapura and Kural.

This monsoon, Mukul Madhav Foundation aims to complete the plantation of more than 3100 plants in Gujarat, contributing significantly to the enhancement of our local environment.



The recent plantation event in Kural Village was attended by Mr. Shailendra Vaghela, President of Padra Taluka Panchayat, along with the Sarpanch and Gram Panchayat members of Kural Village, as well as villagers. Similarly, in Gayapura Village, the Sarpanch, Gram Panchayat Members, School Principal, and staff joined us in our plantation efforts.

The Sarpanch of both villages expressed their gratitude to Mukul Madhav Foundation, emphasizing that these plants not only benefit the environment but also contribute to the beautification of their villages.

12th & 14th September 2023 , Fighting Thalassemia

We have been committed to healthcare right from our inception 25 years ago. Over the last five years, Mukul Madhav Foundation has taken one more step forward by assisting Thalassemia youngsters with Filters, medicines, and counseling patients with disability certificates. Seeing the difference early diagnosis makes, we started conducting thalassemia awareness sessions and screening camps at various colleges. Till date Mukul Madhav Foundation has conducted many such thalassemia awareness sessions with screening camps in 10 colleges in Pune and Ratnagiri, with a total of 1450+ students attending. We completed 1100+ blood tests and identified 27 minor students, and we provided counseling to all minor students in collaboration with Dr. Nita Munshi, Dr. Liza Bhusare, and Dr. Shweta.



On 12th September 2023 Mukul Madhav Foundation conducted a Thalassemia camp at the New Education Society's Arts Commerce and Science College Lanja.(District Ratnagiri). A total of 210+ students attended the program, and 250 blood tests were performed (CBC, HB- electrophoresis, and sugar). The increase in number of testing is due to the motivation spread by the students themselves to their colleagues and friends. New Education Society's Arts Commerce and Science College Lanja, appreciated Mukul Madhav Foundation for organizing such a valuable camp and thereby making available quality testing to the students of the college at very subsidized rates. Management also requested Mukul Madhav Foundation to organize one more such camp after Ganesh Utsav

13th September 2023 , Recognition of Efforts

Mukul Madhav Foundation has been honored by District collector for TB Mukht Bharat Abhiyan. Mukul Madhav Foundation has been honoured with recognition for an outstanding six months of dedicated support in providing essential nutrition kits to 82 TB patients in Padra Block, as a crucial part of the Pradhan Mantri TB Mukht Bharat Abhiyan.

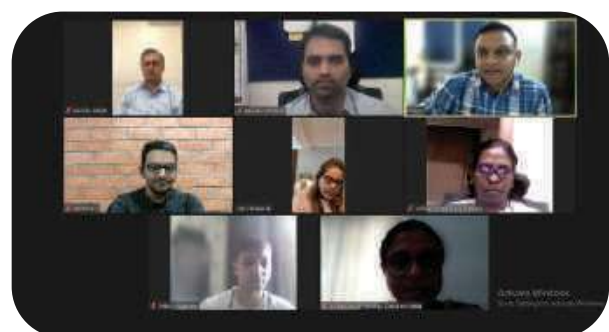
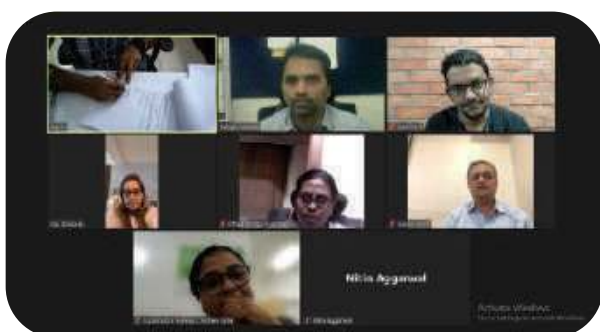
Mukul Madhav Foundation commitment remains resolute as we pledge to continue our support to 100 TB patients in Padra Block until March 2024.

This certificate bears the signatures of the District Collector of Vadodara and the District Development Officer. It was presented in the presence of esteemed individuals, including the District Health Officers of Vadodara, the District TB Officer, the Taluka Health Officer of Padra, the President of Padra Block, other corporate members, and representatives from Padra's corporate sector



14th September 2023 , Protecting vulnerable children

On 14th Sept. 2023, Mukul Madhav Foundation, signed an Agreement with Railway Children India for the protection of vulnerable children in Delhi in the presence of Ritu Chhabria Managing Trustee Mukul Madhav Foundation and Team Mukul Madhav Foundation along with Mr. Navin Sukumar CEO RCI and Team RCI. The program's objective is to ensure the rights to education, health (including mental health), nutrition, protection, and safeguarding for all 1298 children residing in the four high-risk slum communities in Dayabasti, Kishangunj, Balmiki and Tulisnagar.



These community-based clusters are situated near the railway stations of Delhi Saraih Rohilla in the Central district of the National Capital Territory of Delhi. This initiative seeks to create a reinforced family safety net that prevents the 1298 children from being drawn into vulnerable street life, thereby avoiding unnecessary family separation.

14th September 2023 , Promoting Women Entrepreneurship

Finolex Industries Limited and Mukul Madhav Foundation have supported a tribal Self-Help Group (SHG) of women in starting a flour mill business named 'Ekta Flour Mill.' Mukul Madhav Foundation are working in Vadodara District across three blocks in collaboration with the implementation partner, ActionAid Association (An NGO), under the project titled 'Enabling Sustainable Livelihood Options for the Tribal Communities of Vadodara District,' which is scheduled to run until March 2024.

Under this project, Mukul Madhav Foundation, and ActionAid have facilitated various government schemes, including providing 20 widow pensions to women, distributing Manrega job cards to 52 families, issuing 96 E-Shram Cards, 11 ration cards, and offering government grain support. Additionally, they have provided Ayushman Cards to 29 families and, a free plot scheme to one family with more support currently in progress. Furthermore, Mukul Madhav Foundation have extended their support to three widows by providing input support to help them establish small businesses such as food stalls, small provision stores, and imitation jewellery businesses, enabling them to earn a livelihood.

At the Flour Mill at Tarsana Village, Dabhoi Block, a collective of five women will manage the flour mill business under the registration of the Self-Help Group. The women from Ekta Flour Mill expressed their gratitude and acknowledged that Mukul Madhav Foundation, and ActionAid have shown concern for tribal women and supported them in establishing their businesses. They salute all those involved for providing them with this opportunity.



Mukul Madhav Foundation, collaborating with Finolex Industries as their CSR partner, has spearheaded Mission Cerebral Palsy since 2015, establishing 6 rehabilitation centers in Satara, 2 in Ratnagiri, and 1 in Masar. On 15th and 16th Sept. Mukul Madhav Foundation organised an Assessment Camp for children with Cerebral Palsy in Satara.

A total of 118 children attended the camp in Satara on 15th Sept, while 116 children attended the camp in Wai. Each child (and parents) consulted with orthopedic, audiology, ophthalmologic, Neuro physician, Speech Therapist and Physiotherapist.



This camp was only made possible with the support from Zilla Parishad Satara, Sarv Shiksha Abhiyan, RBSK, Education Department. Along with invaluable doctor and therapist support from Sancheti hospital, Bharati Hospital, Bharati Vidyapeeth, HV Desai Eye hospital.

Post the camp, we will follow up for the diagnosed and recommended surgeries, therapies and assistive devices.



Mukul Madhav Foundation, has been actively promoting mental health for the last five years by providing training to teachers and students. Recently we received an appeal from Municipal school of Panchangi. 13 students were facing challenges in their studies and needed the support of trained teachers.

On 16th September 2023 Mukul Madhav Foundation did an assessment camp and imparted training to teachers. With the coordination of Maharashtra Institute of Mental Health a total of 19 teachers attended the session and assessment camp was conducted for 13 students.

It was an interactive session, where many questions were asked by the teachers, clarifying the confusion around mental health screenings.



Training session done on

- ★ Learning disability what are the type and how to do the screening
- ★ Life skill training- problem solving, communication, coping with stress
- ★ Anxiety
- ★ Autism
- ★ What are government scheme for students

We also identified the following areas where support is necessary:

- ★ Some parents are not ready to accept that their child has problems. How to counsel parents?
- ★ Remedies training for the teacher
- ★ Group session of parents whose children have challenges

Of the 13 children assessed, one child was identified as autistic, while two showed possibility of a learning challenge. Detailed reports were later shared by Maharashtra Institute of Mental Health.

16th September 2023 , Upgrading educational institutions

Mukul Madhav Foundation continue to upgrade sanitation facilities, upgrading infrastructure in Zilla Parishad schools, hostels and providing other support to schools in Ratnagiri and its periphery.

On 16th September 2023 the classrooms at Pawas Golap Urdu school, Pawas, Ratnagiri were inaugurated with completed Electrical work. The classes were professionally fitted with new electrical equipment that includes tube lights, fans and proper wiring. Now the classrooms in the school look bright and beautiful.

The inauguration was done in the presence of Mr. Jigarmiya Pawaskar, Sarpanch of Golap village, Mrs. Samant, Sarpanch of Pawas Village, Mr. Fondu, Ex Sarpanch of Pawas, Mr. Kazi, Mr. Kajve, center head Pawas Beet, Mrs. Solkar, principal of School, Parents committee, Gram Panchayat members, Students, teachers, and Mukul Madhav Foundation representative Mr. Sagar Chivate and Mr. Abhishek Salvi.

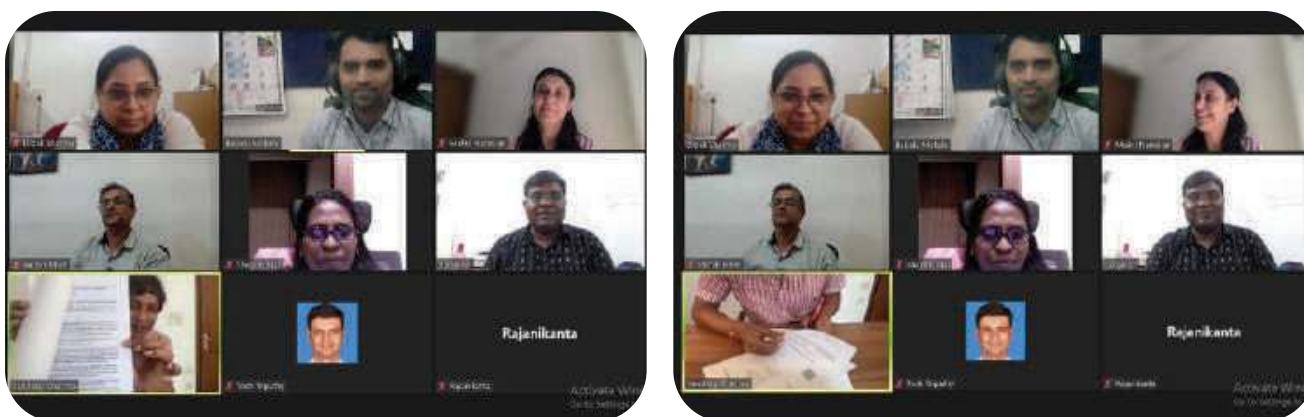


22nd September 2023 , Creating Alternative Livelihood Opportunities for Youth and women

Creating Alternative Livelihood Opportunities for Youth and women from the Most Vulnerable Families of Kendrapara District, Odisha

Mukul Madhav Foundation, with the collaboration of ActionAid Association, supported the project for Creating Alternative Livelihood Opportunities for Youth & Women from the Most Vulnerable Families in Pattamundai block of Kendrapara District of Odisha.

There is a need to reach out to these women of rural areas and enable them to have sustained alternative livelihoods for themselves and their families. There is a need to create various avenues for livelihood for women as labor requirement in agriculture is reducing drastically with decrease in agricultural activities and an increase in agriculture mechanization.



On 22nd Sept. 2023 an Agreement was signed in the presence of Mr. Sandeep Chachra - Executive Director of Action Aid, Team Action Aid, Mr. Rajanikanta Biswal, Finolex Ind. Ltd. Manager-Sales Odisha, Mr. Tosh Tripathi, Sales Finolex Ind. Ltd. Odisha and Team Mukul Madhav Foundation. This project will be implemented in 10 villages impacting 313 families for livelihood activities.

Objectives of the project

- ★ To create alternate livelihood opportunities and enhance the income of women and youth from the most vulnerable families through input support for individual and collective livelihood activities.
- ★ To form and strengthen the collectives of women from OBC communities in villages and enable them to access entitlements that are fundamental to ensuring a basic living.

Snehalaya, which means “A Home of Love” is situated in Wagholi which is about 20 kms from Pune City. Snehalaya is run by Snehalaya Education Society, started in the year 1996. The purpose of this Institute is to care for, educate and rehabilitate children with Cerebral Palsy and multiple disabilities. Snehalaya has been doing an excellent job in this field for the past 25 years for orphans as well as underprivileged children.

Mukul Madhav Foundation has been supporting Snehalaya with regular speech therapy session over the last three years, and with teacher salaries over the last two years. We have also supported the surgery and orthotic devices of a child.

On 27th September 2023 we conducted speech therapy assement camp where a total 22 children were recommended speech therapy sessions. Bi-weekly speech therapy sessions, every Wednesday and Friday, will begin immediately.



TB support at Gujarat and Ratangiri

In line with the National TB Elimination Programme (NTEP), which aims to eliminate TB by 2025 as announced by the Honourable Prime Minister Shri. Narendra Modi, FIL-MMF joined hands with the Vadodara District TB Department in March 2023 to provide support through Nutrition Kits for the last 6 months and now again MMF has taken a pledge to support till March 2024

The Nutrition Kits, as suggested by the TB District Department, included 1 KG of Tuver Dal, 1 KG of Mug, 1 KG of Groundnut, 1 KG of Jaggery, 1 KG of Chana, 1 Litre of Edible Oil, 400 Grams of Protein Milk Powder, and 1 KG of Dates.

Masar	100 kits
Block	Kanzat Village Mobha Village Sandhi Village Padra Block
Ratnagiri	503 kits
Talukas	Ratnagiri Mandangad Lanja Dapoli Sangmeshwar Guhagar Devrukh Chiplun Khed

MONTHLY SUPPORT

70

Cataract surgery

H V desai hospital
and Set Trachand
Hospital

187

**Thalassemia
Support**

188

Diabetic support

KEM Hospital Pune,
Masar,
Jalgaon, Dadund

64

**Grocery
support**

**1000+
Daily**

**Road side
Mid day Meal**

**1000+
Meals**

**Sadhus at
Varanasi**



7

Teacher support

Mahatam Gandhi
school and
Panchgani school

190
Patients

**Medical
Support**

67

**Education
Support**

**One
Fellowship**

**Support
at KEM hospital**

**One
Physiotherapist**

**Support
at ECHS**

SPECIAL PATIENTS SUPPORT

Name of the patient	Datta Koli
Age	37
Family history	He stays with his parents, father is a watchman with a monthly salary of 13000/- so they are unable to give treatment to their son. They requested Mukul Madhav Foundation for support.
Diagnosis	Paralyses and psychiatric intervention
Medical Support	We admitted patient on an urgent basis at Navale Hospital and began treatment. Post this, we transferred patient to Abhalamaya Old age for proper care and further treatment.

Name of the patient	Kavsalya Devi
Age	58
Family history	Her husband used to work in shop as a cleaner, now due to age he is unable to work so retired from work.
Diagnosis	Stomach pain
Medical Support	We admitted patient on an urgent basis at Navale Hospital. Treatment is on, and a surgery is planned in a few days.

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For your continued help and support
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Hope you have enjoyed this issue!

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