

WELFARE ASSOCIATION FOR REHABILITATION OF DISABLED AND SOCIETY (WARDS)**C.A.Site No.1, 10th main road, Jeevan Bhima Nagar, Bangalore-560075****ANNUAL REPORT****Report presented at the 23rd Annual General Body Meeting held on 26/10/2014**

I am presenting the 23rd annual report for the year 2013-14. (from august 2013 to September 2014) It is my duty and pleasure to thank the office bearers , Board Members, General Body Members and the staff who have extended their timely co-operation to plan and implement the program of this institution properly and effectively.

WARDS was registered in the year 1991 under the Societies Registration Act of Karnataka and the registration is being regularly renewed every year.

1. Number of Mentally Retarded Children and adults enrolled at Present receiving educational and vocational training is	45
2. Number of staff serving at this institution in various capacities is	
a. Full time (15)	
b. part time (3)	18
3. Number of admissions during the year 2013-2014 is	02
4. Number of General Body Members on roll is (Life Member)	34
	(Ordinary Members)
	04
5. Number of Board Meetings held during this periods	05
6. Donation received both in kind and cash	
A <u>By Cash</u>	<u>value</u>
I. <u>Local:</u>	
From public , philanthropists & software companies and Chartered Sahakari Bank.	24,76,022
II. From parents and children	1,55,510
III. Foreign contribution	
(a) From Action V Germany	3,25,260
(b) From HSBC Employees London	1,97,160
(C) From Sishu Kunj London	2,00,000

B In Kind

1. Canon digital camera donated by Mr. Jacob. Value Rs.7270
2. Commercial stove heavy donated by Mrs.Pradeepa Anchala Value Rs.3150
3. Physiotherapy equipment donated by omega health care value Rs.30000
4. Cement and sand donated by Mr.Vakil housing Rs.150000
5. Plumbing materials donated by Mr.Ravindran Rotarian value Rs.15000
6. News paper from various donors.
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7.Functions:

Ayuda pooja Celebrations on	04/10/2013
Children's day	14/11/2013
Christmas celebrations on (Gifts to children sponsored by henry knight of CSI, Bangalore)	23/12/2013
Republic Day was celebrated on	26/01/2014
Participated in splash drawing Competition at cubbon park	06/08/2014
Independence Day	15/08/2014
Teachers Day	05/09/2014
Ayuda Pooja	22/09/2014

8. Excursion:

One day trip to Gold Coin resort on 15/02/2014

9. Sports , Cultural activities and other events :

Participated in dance completion at New Delhi organized by Samarth on 13th , 14th
,15 January 13

10. Exhibitions:

- a) The products manufactured by students in the course of training were exhibited at V.M.ware on 25.10.13, Eco space on 31.10.13 and 29.11.13 and at UST global on 14.3.14

11. Vocational Projects:

Vocational Training for adults and pre-vocational training for children are being provided in the following skills.

- a) Chalk Making b) Candle Making c) Greeting Cards Making d) Paper Cover Making e) Envelops Making f) Block printing g) Gardening h) Yoga i) Training in sports and Gymnasium.

The paper covers are being continued to supply to HOPCOMS . The chalk pieces are supplied to nearby Government and private schools. The candles are being supplied to Teat restaurant and parents visitors and parents.

12. Existing Projects:

1. Day Care Program:

- a. Vocational Tanning
 - b. Life Skills
 - c. School
 - d. Out Reach program
- 2. NIOS (National Institute for Open University) coaching children with mentally retardation for 10th standard with in a period of 3 to 5 years through NIOS Scheme. This program covers children with Mental Retardation , Cerebral Palsy, Autism and Multiple Disabilities. Continuation of education and vocational training for children and adults with Mental Retardation only national institute for open university.**
- 3. Out Reach Program: This program is supported by Action V, Germany by meeting the salaries of two teachers ,one physiotherapist. Under this program 30 disabled children integrated in 11 schools around our center are covered. All Government benefits such as Scholarship, Identity Card, Disability Certificate, Assisive Devices and Railway Concession Forms duly signed by authorized Medical Practitioners are made available to these children. 46 children have been awarded scholarship by the Department of Women and Child Welfare , Government of Karnataka for the year 2013-14 with the help of WARDS.**

13. Hospital for Assessment and Referral Services:

- a. Victoria Hospital for certifying the percentage of disability of the Children.
- b. HAL Hospital for Psychological Assessment.
- c. Primary health center for general health problems.

14. Networking with other agencies:

- a. Karnataka Parents Association for Mentally Retarded Citizens (KPAMRC).
- b. Parivaar.
- c. National Trust(autonomous body for MR,CP,MD,and autism) New Delhi.
- d. Government of Karnataka.
- e. Karnataka Special Olympics for Mentally Retarded Children.

15. Major Donors:

- a) Action V Germany
- b) Emma Peglar team HSBC of the world
- c) Gauri Ganesh trust of Holland through sister Maria now at Puttaparthi Sai Hospital, Andhra Pradesh
- d) Sitaram jindal Foundation , Bangalore
- e) Arun Nalapat Architects
- f) Smt. Pradeepa Anchala
- g) Smt. Anuradha
- h) Quadwave consulting pvt ltd
- i) Rotary club Indiranagar
- j) Rotary club Jeevan Bima Nagar
- k) Chartered Sahakari Bank Koramangala
- l) Mr.Asish

16. Midday Meals:

Midday Meals to children during the academic year 2013-14 is sponsored jointly by Quad wave Consulting Pvt. Ltd , Indiranagar Rotary club and Rotary club Jeevan Bima Nagar Bangalore.

17. Construction of first floor comprising class rooms and office block

Construction of first floor has been taken up during this year and work is in progress.

18. Grants:

I am very sorry to report repeatedly that no grant has been received from Central Government in spite of our continuous effort in this direction. Application for grant under child center scheme was submitted this year. But the grant was denied to school since from the date of approval school will be completing 3 years by 2015.

19. Future Program:

- a) 1st floor will be completed by the end of this year.
- b) Block printing will be a part of vocational section and will be initiated in new building.
- c) Developing disabled Friendly Park in the school.
- d) NIOS will be one of the major program focused this year.

20. Achievements:

- a) **Successful implementation of all the services mentioned above with all strain and stress is the achievement during this year.**
- b) **Awareness was created on the products made by our disabled children at WARDS in various Software companies and other public places through organized exhibitions.**

I once again extend my thanks to the General Body Members, Office Bearers, Staff and Well Wishers for their constructive role and support to strengthen the activities of WARDS from year to year. I appeal to all the Board Members to devote their time to shape this institution and provide a meaningful future for the children who come to receive training at our center. I thank all those who are helping us to grow and develop stronger and request them to continue their support and co- operation in future. I thank M/S V.R.Murali and Madan &Co, auditors for having rendered free services to audit our accounts for the year 2013-14.

**C.M.Kathavarayan
(Hon. Secretary)**