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LIFE LINE CLUB ACTIVITIES 2017-2018

ANIKAITH KAPOOR, X B

A DAY FOR A NOBLE CAUSE

It was the 21st of September when we left for Vedika Nilayam for boys and girls. The Orphanage for boys is located at Musheerabad and at Sitafalmandi for girls. We left the school at around 2:00 pm. We were accompanied by our teacher co-ordinator Ms. Mohila Ma'am.

We went to this place along with other students from the Lifeline Club. We took some necessary items such as biscuits, soaps, detergents and medicines. We reached there at around 2:45 pm. The students welcomed us with great zeal. The students interacted with us and we all had a good chat with them. We gave the things which we brought their faces blossomed like the flower. When they saw what we had to give them. We then left to Sitafalmandi to Vedika Nilayam for girls. They also welcomed us whole-heartedly. We were amused to see the cleanliness there. We came to know that the children do their work together and all the children do their own works and are not dependent on anyone else.

We then left for Don Bosco, Nampally. It is an Orphanage for boys, between the age group of 3 and 15 years. We had a chance to have an interaction with the students about their daily schedule. We gave them books, stationery items and many other necessary materials. They were very happy to see the generous help. We then interacted with the boys, had a quick look at the Orphanage and were then taken to the place where they live. We were happy to see that they kept their beds and rooms clean and their wardrobe was well arranged. They took keen interest in what we had to say to them. They were mentally very strong as they knew their condition. We then finally left for our school.

We left very happy to be a part of this noble cause. I will surely visit these places again to know about their condition and shall strive hard for the betterment of these young minds.

A. KSHETRA, X A

A VISIT TO THE LAND OF HOPES

It was the 21st of September. The day when we were taken to the Home for the Disabled and the Home for the Aged. At around 2'o clock, we left for the Home for the Disabled at Bansilalpet with Mohila ma'am and Sampath sir, our teachers. We carried all the basic and necessary material required for them.

The Home for the disabled was a touching sight for our eyes. Every person there was specially abled. They welcomed us warmly. The people there have their lunch together. Though their family has abandoned them, they built their family in the home. Their cheerful smiles brought a smile on our faces. They felt very happy when they interacted with us. They were happy and satisfied when they realized that there was someone out in the world who cared for them. Their pitiful condition really touched my heart. I realized how lucky I am to have a fit body and a pleasant life.

We then headed towards the Home for the Aged Musheerabad, which was looked after by the Little Sisters of the Poor, an organization dedicated for serving the needy. We felt very homely in the Home for the Aged. The elderly people there treated us like their own grandchildren. They held our hands and shared their sorrow. Their bedrooms were clean and the clothes in their wardrobe were well arranged. They were really active and were mentally strong. They were truly an inspiration to all of us.

After visiting these places, I felt really happy. I felt like a part of their family. I will surely visit these places again and help them in the future.

ISHITA SHARMA, X D

AN EYE OPENER – SERVING HUMANITY

On the 9th of September, a group of students accompanied by Mohila ma'am visited a number of Orphanages and Old Aged Homes around the city. It was a great honour to be a part of this charitable cause. Our first visit was to AshaJyothi – Home for the Aids affected patients. The place is located in Pregnapur, situated in the Gajwalmandal of Medak district. We expected to find sick, desolate conditions but instead were greeted by cheerful voices and hopeful faces. May be their lives were clouded with struggles, medicine bills and illnesses. But their eyes shone with unmatched curiosity and enthusiasm. Accompanying us, were a group of doctors headed by Dr. AshishChauhan. They administered influenza vaccine to both the inmates and the staff. I was a real pleasure for all of us as their bright faces interacted with us in an environment that we had mistaken to be a pitiful one. Their zeal was not only contagious but also a real eye opener.

We left for BalikaNilayam – Home for girls. We found girls aged from three to fifteen all in perfect discipline and in a happy atmosphere. They greeted us with smiling faces as we went about distributing books and stationary among them. The girls varied in age, class and height but had one thing common to them hope. We had a wonderful time getting to know about them, their dreams, their conditions, their aspirations and their plans for the future.

It was a truly memorable experience for all of us. We realized the value of everything in our lives. We learnt to appreciate our health, our parents, our home and our life in general. We learnt that there can be light in the darkest of the days, if only we make an effort to spread happiness. Our little act of goodness can go a long way in someone's life.

DHRUV SAXENA – X A

A HOME AWAY FROM HOME – A VISIT TO THE ORPHANAGES

On the 21st of September, a group of students accompanied by Mohila Rani Ma'am visited the Orphanages for slum children around the city. I was a member of this lifeline mission. Firstly, we visited the PIN Schools, an Orphanage for slum children where we were greeted by a sea of enthusiastic children. The students were open to interactions and we had a lot of fun interacting with them. We distributed books and stationary items to the children. We were surprised at the unending hunger for knowledge in their eyes. It was eye opener for all of us. This act of kindness, inspired us, that one's donation towards the needy can light up their life.

Then we departed for the Montfort Nilayam. A home for the street children. The disciplined students, clean and green surroundings were a few of the noteworthy features of this orphanage. The orphanage felt like a home, because of the friendly behavior amongst the children. Even though we were unknown yet they treated us like their family members and so did we gift them as our friends. We distributed rations, books and other stationery items. Though they had several problems in life and had to live a poor life, their faces possessed glittering smiles which is incomparable.

It was an enriching experience, as I had an opportunity to be a part of this noble cause. This life line mission taught me that our donation can mould the happiness that others need.