

SECRETARIES REPORT

We have immense pleasure in presenting to you the Annual report along with the audited financial statement for the year 2014 – 2015.

- ◆ Total collection for the year 2014-2015 is around Rs. 14 Lakhs.
- ◆ Educational Aid & Tuition Centre collection of around Rs. 11 Lakhs and Rs. 16 Lakhs - towards Corpus funds collected.
- ◆ Special thanks to our President Mr. T A Sampathkumar & Mr. J Venkatesan for their continuous support in collecting maximum donations to our various projects including Education Aid.

SPECIAL FEATURES:

- ◆ Uniform distribution to 1200 students.
- ◆ Financial assistance to around 25 students.
- ◆ This year we served 7100 Patients at our Medical Centre and around 2500 benefitted at our Diagnostic lab.
- ◆ More than 150 students [10th and +2] benefitted by learning at our tuition centre – SYMA Growth.

A gist of our Activities during the year 2014 - 2015 : -

At the outset a big thanks to all our members for the total support in initiating and successfully implementing so many projects. SYMA is committed to the cause of serving people and we will continue to strive for the betterment of the society.

Medical Service :

- ◆ From 13th Mar 2009, we are running the medical centre and lab independently, and continue to be guided by Dr Sridhar.

We appointed permanent doctor to our medical centre and our special thanks to Dr. Nagaiah Chetty for his continuous support.

We are thankful to the Doctors who have been rendering medical advice to the patients. We want to appreciate the services of Medical Faculty consisting of: Dr Nagaiah Chetty, Ms.Poomgodhai, Dr.Seetharaman, Dr.Vidya, Dr.Arulkumaran who has been a great source of strength.

Our cherished dream of a SYMA hospital catering to the poor providing quality medical care would dawn to a reality one day.

Medical Camps :

- ◆ As we enter our 25th year in Medical service, we plan to celebrate it big and in useful way to the Society by conducting more camps and reaching more people. Our Medical centre (popularly Rs.2 hospital) is of use to so many persons. We remain ever thankful to Dr.K. Sridhar and

Kanchi Sankara Foundation who initiated us into this service and supported us all along providing financial support and guiding us in all endeavours. SYMA has been in Press many a times and on 12th Sept. 2014 – The Hindu (Tamil) carried out a detailed article in its 2nd page hailing our efforts and commitment. Our special thanks to the Management of The Hindu, Mr K Sri Barath and Sri SR Ragunathan for the same. The article has reached people far and wide – as we received letters appreciating the good work as also financial assistance

- ◆ On 6th April 2014, SYMA in association with Sakthi Multi speciality organized a medical camp at Bharathiyar illam. Patients were checked for diabetes by taking blood sample and ECG was also done. 49 male patients and 42 women were screened in the camp. Medicines were given free. We thank the Doctors, Management and staff of Sakthi Multi Speciality, Triplicane for the camp.
- ◆ On 27.7.14, SYMA in association with Kanchi Kamakoti Sankara Medical Trust, Ashirwad Development Foundation and SRM Institute for Medical Science (SIMS) conducted a mega camp at SHG Terapanth Bhavan concentrating on general health, diabetes check, blood pressure, bone strength and heart. There were specialist Doctors, especially for Heart care and special consultation for women. A total of 166 patients were screened.
- ◆ On Independence Day, the Eye camp was inaugurated at Sri Seervi Samaj Bhavan. This camp for deduction of cataract was organized in association with Sri Sankara Eye Hospital Pummam, Lions Club of Chennai Venus, Sri Kanchi Kamakoti Sankara Medical Trust & Sri Seervi samaj. The Chief Guest was Mr. M Murali, Sri Krishna Sweets. Mr. J Babu., CEO of Sankara Eye Hospital detailed about that could ail vision and explained the various activities of his Hospital their reach to rural poor. More than 250 persons were screened and 34 persons were deducted with cataract which requires surgery and they had been taken Sri Sankara Eye Hospital, Pummam and the surgery was conducted successfully on next day.

Later spectacles were distributed to 33 persons at our medical centre in memory of our beloved member Late Mr. K E Raghavan

- ◆ On 18th September 2014, SYMA in association with Sankara Eye Hospital, Pammam conducted 'eye check-up' camp at Raghavendra Primary School, Triplicane. A total of 211 students were screened. Two girl child were referred to hospital for further diagnosis, 9 students were prescribed spectacles
- ◆ On 30th Nov 2014 SYMA conducted a medical Camp exclusively for women. 82 persons participated of which 58 were below the age of 18 comprising mainly of SYMA Growth students. Dr Milly Mathews, Senior Consultant, Nephrology, Dr Deepika Gandhi, Senior Consultant, Paediatrics, Dr Sandhya Vasan, Consultant, Obst. & Gyn. –from SRM Institute of Medical Science provided consultation. Initially, the Doctors answered the questions of the participants clarifying various doubts on general health and later there was individual consultation.

- ◆ On 12th and 15th December 2014 a special Dental camp for the students of the Hindu Senior Secondary School, Triplicane was conducted by Tamilnadu Dental College. Close to 2000 students were screened. Our Treasurer M.A. Sadagopan coordinated the camp. We thank the Doctors and staff of more than century old institution, Tamil Nadu Govt Dental College for the neat conduct of the camp.
- ◆ On the Republic Day of the Nation, SYMA conducted a camp for 'oral hygiene'. This Dental camp was conducted at NKT National Boys School, Triplicane, Chennai 5. Around 50 people benefitted in this camp. The camp was coordinated by MA Sadagopan and well supported by Mrs Shobhana Narasimhan and Mrs M.K. Prema.
- ◆ We are grateful to Dr.M.B.Aswath Narayanan, Professor & HOD of the Dept. of Public Health Dentistry for the continued support. He was our Chief Guest and hoisted the National Flag at our Medical Centre earlier in the morning.

Education:

- ◆ On 12th July 2014 (Sunday) we organized our Educational Aid Programme at Bharathiyar Illam. There was a huge gathering. Besides distribution of School uniforms, We honoured School Toppers of Schools in Triplicane, provided financial assistance to College Students.
- ◆ Mr. V. Balakrishnan, IPS was the chief guest of the programme. Mr. Gopinath Goswami, CEO, Online Surgical.com and Mr. Sarathbabu Elumalai, Entrepreneur graced the occasion.
- ◆ Financial assistance was distributed to the distinguished students of SYMA Growth and the school toppers of various schools of Triplicane were honoured. The prizes to School toppers is an award instituted by TA Ramachandran in memory of Mrs Rajalakshmi Padmanabhan.
- ◆ Over the years, SYMA is the platform for honouring the toppers of various schools in Triplicane and this year we presented medals, certificates and cash award to those bright students wishing them to do well in future.
- ◆ We are keen to make our tuition centre reach greater heights and we have been encouraging our students to do well. The toppers of our tuition centre – SYMA Growth were honoured on the podium. For 3 college students we awarded Rs.5000/- each and Rs.2000/- each for 15 students who excelled in 10th examination by scoring more than 400 marks. The award for Growth Topper was instituted by Ms Bharati Bhaskar as 'D Krishnan Memorial Award'.
- ◆ The function went off very well, largely due to the meticulous planning in distribution of uniforms by our Vice President R Seshadri @ Durai ably assisted by D Veeraraghavan, Madhavan and enthusiastic band of volunteers. The function ended with singing of National Anthem.
- ◆ We express our gratitude and thanks to all those who have been supporting us. We owe our success in Social activities to the active participation, blessings, advices and donations of so many good willed, like minded persons. We see the SUCCESS of the function not as achievement of any particular individual but only a collective effort, a good one at that.

GROWTH:

- ◆ In the month of May 2014, applications were distributed and we conducted a personal interview for each student who was accompanied with their parents. We have finalized the students based on the economic criteria and the fourth year of SYMA Growth was launched on June 2014.

We thank the teaching Staff Mrs Lakshmi Arulalan, Mrs Vijaya Krishnan, Mrs K N Vijayalakshmi, Mrs Subashini, Mrs Devasena, Mr S Venkatadri, Mr Shahul Hameed, Mr T Srinivasan, Mr T Venkatesan, Mr K S Venkatakrishnan, Mr Senthil Murugan, Mr Kannan, Mr Sriraman & Mrs S Ganthimathi - for their efforts in providing quality education to our students.

We must place on record our gratitude and thanks to the management of NK Thirumalachariyar National Boys High School and to Mr S Venkatadri, Head Master of National Boys High School for providing us the infrastructure and other facilities

PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT OF OUR GROWTH STUDENTS. We live by the axiom that 'Education is the only tool which can uplift the Society and empower the lower echelons of the Society'. The foremost responsibility of a Social Service Organisation is to improve the society and help the underprivileged. From smaller experimentations to full-fledged quality educational assistance in the form of SYMA Growth was born in 2008. We have nicely moved along. At SYMA Growth, we have X Std Tamil Medium; X Std English Medium; +2 Commerce Group and +2 Science Group. Besides education support, we have plans for the overall personality development of the students too. Recently, we elicited information from all our students by way of a simple questionnaire and are working on some of the finer aspects learnt. We have since made arrangements for some special classes on specified subjects to strengthen their fundamentals. Another observation from this exercise, is the need for making them mentally strong and addressing some of their fears and perceptions. Psychometrics is the field of study concerned with the theory and technique of psychological measurement. Counseling psychology encompasses research and applied work in several broad domains. The students were collectively and individually addressed to by a specialist. On 28th Dec 2014, the parents of our Growth students listened with rapt attention to the special lecture delivered by Mrs J. Sudhavalli. She dwelt at length on parenting and the positive impact that is required in creating necessary environ for the child to study. The parents appreciated the Guest speaker as also SYMA for this initiative. Our special thanks to Mrs J Sudhavalli for volunteering this initiative and supporting us.

- ◆ The Academic Year 2014-15 came to a close and we concluded the Tuition classes at our SYMA Growth by organizing Special pooja for the welfare of our students and to pray to Lord for their success in their examinations. Pens, writing material and sweets were distributed to students. Mr Prashant Singh, was there last year providing great inspiration; this year thoughtfully he had arranged for quality writing material, exam pads, pouches and more for our students. We are gladdened by this great gesture of remembrance. SYMA wishes the students grand success in their examinations.

SYMA SEVA AWARD

- ◆ As a Service Organisation engaged in Social Service for over three decades, it is bounden duty of SYMA to recognise those who have been rendering service to the Society without thinking of any recompense. SYMA has been honouring people who have excelled in the area of service to mankind and society by conferring SYMA SEWA AWARD.
- ◆ This year SYMA Sewa Award was conferred on Dr A V Srinivasan is a famous Neurologist. Besides his great achievements in the field of medicine, he symbolizes service. He has been a member of SYMA from its earlier days and have actively participated in many camps and has been treating many poor patients free or at very nominal fees. SYMA felt happy in conferring SYMA Seva Award 2014 on him.

Gold Winner SYMA CHILD FEST

- ◆ At SYMA, we fully realize the need for inculcating good qualities in children as they only will shape the future of the Nation. SYMA all along has been striving betterment of society and imbibing competitive spirit in children. Over the years, Child Fest has become immensely popular with schools and with children. This year also the event sponsor of 2 day Child Fest was Gold Winner [special thanks to CR Sredhar for the continued support]. On day 1 Drawing competition for 6 Groups [Lkg to 12th Standard] was held on 24th Jan 2015 at the majestic N.K.T. National Girls Hr. Sec. School, Triplicane. At 08:45am, the Programme was inaugurated in the morning by Sri N.A. Rangaswamy Battar, Archagar of Sri Parthasarathi Swami temple and Sri. Sridhar Upadaya of Ragavendra Swamy Mutt. The programme started with traditional invocation to Lord and by lighting of 'kuthuvilakku' and prayer. Enthusiastic volunteers of SYMA, Soundarya Rathinamala, Students from MOP Vaishnav College and students from Bharat Scouts ensured that everything was according to the plans drawn up earlier. The event was well coordinated by our Secretary R. Sanjeevi. All the participating children were given prize and a Certificate commending their participation.

We had close to 2000 students and the cooperation of the N.K.T School authorities and staff ensured that we were able to accommodate all the students and provide proper seats to all of them easily. By the evening, the stage was set for a colourful fancy dress competition. The crowd was filling in large numbers – everywhere one can see painted children and anxious mothers. There were beautifully decorated animals, Various Lords – Hanumar, Buddha and more, National leaders like Bharathiyar, Gandhiji – science equipments and more – yes all beautiful children dressed and decorated capturing the attention and eyes of all. In the end, the children and parents left with happiness writ large in their faces. The results were put up on our website www.syma.in and voice of SYMA Mrs Vasudha Bakthisaran was active as usual. The talent and attitude of today's children is so encouraging and many of the drawings made us realize the innate talent that is present. The shamiana covering the play grounds provided good shelter against the sweltering heat of Sun and parents really appreciated the care taken by us. Utilising the gathering, a CD detailing the activities of SYMA and propagating our ideals was played often. Vittal Narayanan deserves special appreciation for the beautiful capsule on SYMA.

S sampathkumar added voice to the presentation, thereby making the ideals of SYMA reach more public. We had arranged for private security too, to ensure that everything is orderly. This year we introduced a few new events like Art work from junk materials, innovative thinking and group singing. We have received a good response for these new events. Alongside, the Quiz preliminary which was a written round consisting of 20 Questions was held. Most of the questions were topical and tested the knowledge of the events that captured headlines in newspapers. At 0200 pm – we had the finals of Quiz – first the A group, followed by Group B. The Quiz format was the brainchild of Brahma Associates - thanks to N Rajaram for the full support extended from Oman. The Quiz was conducted by Mr. S. Sampathkumar.

Though we had planned to wind up by 6 pm, the large attendance pushed the events beyond the schedule and the Prize distribution had to start much later than planned. The Chief Guest for the evening was Sri Nalli Kuppuswami Chetti, Industrialist. And we also had a special guests Sri VR Chari, Vice Chairman, GH Induction India Pvt Ltd and Cine actor Delhi Ganesh. The function started with a prayer. Secretary, S. Sampathkumar compered the programme, welcoming everyone and introducing the Chief Guests. T.A. Sampathkumar, President Spoke on the various activities of SYMA and on the vision of SYMA. Formal Vote of thanks was rendered by MR. R. Sanjeevi, Secretary, SYMA. We place on record our thanks to the event sponsor Gold Winner and CR Sredhar of Media Associates. We thank our Chief Guest Sri Nalli Kuppuswami Chetti, and other Guests, Sri Rangasamy battar, Mr Sridhar Upadyaya of Sri Raghavendra Swamy Mutt for honouring us with their presence. We thank Mangal Tirth Estates and its director Mr Balasubramanyam, M/s Lucas TVS, United India Insurance, Indian Bank, Triad, Axis Bank, Punjab National Bank for sponsoring the event. Reynolds, Arun Ice Creams, for the assistance. Special thanks are due to the management of Hindu Higher Secondary School and Dr P Balasubramaniam as also Principal, Headmistress and staff of NKT National Girls High School - for providing us the venue. We thank Mr A V Kasturi Rangan, Mr. T J Ramani & Mr. M K Sridharan for the coordination with the sponsors. The smooth conduct of the event was due to the extensive planning and work of our dedicated members of Soundarya Rathnamala led by Mrs Prema Krishnamohan. The work of our VP- R Seshadri @ Durai stands out in arrangement for distribution of the prizes and that of Mr SR Parthasarathi for all the outdoor work. We also thank Mr Chandrasekhar of Creative desk for the web support and Mr Mani & Mr Narayanan of Swaraj Graphics for the print support. Special thanks are due to Mrs Vasudha Bakthisaran, our voice for answering all calls relating to the Child Fest (@ 28441078). We thank our photographers Mr RS Kannan for the coverage. We thank the media, of The Hindu Downtown and Mr. KV Srinivasan for press coverage. Special mention is made of the captivating video made by Mr. Vittal Narayanan. The program ended with singing of "National Anthem".

National Days

- ◆ Independence Day was celebrated with patriotic fervor and National flag was hoisted at our premises by Mr.Murali of Sri Krishna Sweets
- ◆ We celebrated Republic Day with hoisting of the flag. The flag was hoisted by Dr.M.B.Aswath Narayanan, Professor & HOD of the Dept. of Public Health Dentistry

CIVIC

- ◆ What it takes to keep the surroundings clean ? – have you ever wondered when you walk past any area which is untidy ! – other than blaming the system and expecting people to refrain from throwing litter everywhere – WE can make a difference to the place around us – all that is required is 'indomitable will, few leading from the front and people cooperating' Civic activities and keeping the environment clean have been the founding platform of SYMA. On 7th Dec 2014, SYMA launched campaign to keep Triplicane clean titled 'At a time when the Prime Minister Narendra Modi made a great beginning with his pet initiative - Swachh Bharat Abhiyan and the Corporation of Chennai launching public campaign through various forums, including social networking sites, for a 'Clean Chennai' - SYMA has launched a pilot project. On that Sunday morning, Triplicane residents spurred by SYMA swung into action. With brooms in their hands, pledge on their lips imbued with enthusiasm to make the Divyadesam, a model place – a clean, hygiene place – volunteers of SYMA and passionate residents went around the Streets launching cleanliness campaign around the Temple aiming to make it a 'Litter-free Zone'. The Campaign kicked off with an awareness rally. More than 200 residents representing various associations including : Sathyananda Yoga, Soundarya Rathinamala Isaikuzhu, Mrs Lalitha of Pasumai lyakkam, Nanbargal kuzhu participated. The Awareness procession was flagged off by Mr Thirugnana Sambandham, Project Director, Ramky. 116 ward Councillor Mr B Srinivasan@ MGR Vasan, uniformed students and teachers of Hindu Sr Secy School, Patel Scout Group, Corporation workers and SYMA volunteers participated. Immediately after the 'awareness rally' – volunteers swept the streets of Triplicane ensuring its cleanliness. The campaign was conceptualised and executed by Vittal Narayanan whose audio material ensured that the planning had its desired effect among the residents of Triplicane. It certainly does not stop here ... more needs to be accomplished. In this pilot project, we have adopted South Mada Street, Thulasinga Perumal Kovil Street, Peyalwar Kovil Street and small portion of Car Street surrounding the temple. We have had rounds of interaction with Corporation Officials and Ramky, assisted by Mr MGR Vasan. We are creating the necessary infrastructure, spreading the awareness making the residents getting involved in keeping our place clean. There could be impediments, but together, we will ensure a neat, clean, hygiene environment – it starts with Us, our Family, our Street, our Area, Our Nation.
- ◆ Cattle Menace!!!! Now there is hope and happiness for the residents of Triplicane. Nearer Marina ground, Chennai Corporation has razed the ground and have provided an enclosure for cattle, where the owners can tie and rest their animals, instead of letting them out on the roads. The enclosure put up beneath the MRTS track has soil floors and fixed iron rings for tethering the cows and buffaloes. Corporation has made arrangement for borewells ensuring water supply for the animals and for keeping the enclosure clean. Some arrangements are being made for bringing the vegetable waste from the market and given to cattle. Some owners have already started using the facility and there appears to be good response from them. Some of them say that the new facility is good for them as they did not have proper sheds for housing the cattle. The move certainly benefits the residents who have felt the free roaming cattle to cause

disturbance and sometimes physical injuries. SYMA has been taking up this cause through media and dialogue. Various representations had been made to Civic authorities including Chennai Corporation. WE appreciate this initiative and thank our Mayor Mr Saidai Duraisamy for his personal involvement in bringing this about. Special thanks are also to Mr B Srinivasan @ MGR Vasan, Municipal Councillor, Ward no. 116 for his untiring efforts in bringing a peaceful resolution beneficial to all.

OUR SINCERE THANKS

OFFICE BEARERS & COMMITTEE:

- ◆ The continuity and performance of Social Service Organisation depends on the selfless and untiring efforts of its members and those at the helm. We are fortunate to have a team of dedicated persons who planned and actively participated in the activities throughout the year. The Committee was a right mixture of Elders and youngsters and we take this opportunity to thank each and every office bearer and Committee members for their unstinting support as also the tireless work.

AUDIT :

- ◆ Special thanks are due to our Auditor Mr V. Murali of M/s Devan & Co., who properly guided us in managing our funds and have given timely advice in placing deposits. We thank them for the guidance and for the scrutiny of our accounts.

MEDIA :

- ◆ We place on record our thanks to Mr. K V Srinivasan & Mr. S R Raghunathan for their help in arranging coverage of our functions in the media and also fixing up the Chief Guests for the Programmes..
- ◆ Our Sincere thanks to 'The Hindu' English and Tamil edition, 'The Hindu – Downtown', Times of India for publishing articles on activities of our association.

ADMINISTRATION and IMPLEMENTATION OF OUR VARIOUS PROJECTS:

- ◆ We place on record our special thanks and appreciation to the unbounded enthusiasm and coordination of our Vice President Mr S R Parthasarathy and our Committee member Mr D Veeraraghavan in all our projects.
- ◆ The organized work and clear instructions of Mr Durai alias R. Seshadri deserves special mention, especially in the distribution of school uniforms and during the Prize distribution in Child Fest
- ◆ The enthusiasm, vigor and coordination of Mr M A Sadagopan deserves special mention – for his role in arranging the various medical camps.
- ◆ We thank Mr. D Sudarsan, Mr. K.S. Varadarajan, Mr. S Venkatesan, Ms. Saranya, Mrs. Jayasudha Sanjeevi, Mr. Prasad, Swaraj Graphics & Sunsar Printers for the help rendered in Office correspondence, Administration & printing etc.,
- ◆ A special mention to our Treasurers, Mr. M K Sridharan & Mr. M A Sadagopan for their regular quality work.

VOLUNTEERS:

- ◆ Our special thanks to Mrs. Thara for balancing day to day affairs of 'SYMA Growth' efficiently.
- ◆ We thank our volunteers Mrs. M K Prema, Mr. S. Venkatesh, Mrs Suguna Ramesh and Mrs. Mahalakshmi for their support at our medical centre & Lab. Special mention to Mr N S Rangarajan for balancing day to day affairs of Medical centre and auditing the collections of medical centre and lab.
- ◆ We thank Mr. Raja of NKT Boys School and students who had earlier studied at our 'SYMA Growth' for their great support on day to day activities of SYMA Growth.
- ◆ Members are requested to visit our website www.syma.in for all our activities and our photo gallery : <http://picasaweb.google.com/SYMATRIPLICANE>

BLISS :

- ◆ Our newsletter BLISS has been propagating the various activities of SYMA from time to time. Mr. S. Sampathkumar has been the Editor for the same and thank you all for the wonderful support.
- ◆ We record our sincere thanks to Swaraj Graphics & Sunsar printers for their concerted efforts in ensuring rolling out of the issues.
- ◆ Our sincere thanks are due to M/s Kumaran Dresses & M/s. Chakra Technologies for the advertisements in BLISS.
- ◆ We look forward to receiving regular feedback on the newsletter. Also request you to send details of events of achievements of our Members and their wards for publishing in BLISS

SPECIAL THANKS:

- ◆ We thank Mr. A V Kasturirangan, for their support in coordinating with sponsors.
- ◆ We thank all our sponsors for the monetary assistance to our projects .
- ◆ We place our sincere thanks and gratitude to Dr. K Sridhar for the guidance and motivation in running the Medical centre and Lab.
- ◆ We remain ever grateful to Sri Kanchi Kamakoti Sankara Medical Trust for the financial assistance towards the expenses of the Medical centre / . Lab.
- ◆ We thank CR Sreedhar of Media Associates and Gold Winner for the complete sponsorship of our Child Fest.
- ◆ As you all would know, we launched a scheme for creation of Corpus fund. We are proud in announcing that we have 9 sponsors of Rs.1,00,000/- each, whose names stand etched on our premises. Our Special thanks are due to M/s AVM Charities (Mr AVM Saravanan) who has donated Rs. 6 Lakhs, Ms.T A K Kodhai, Mr. K S Shankar, Mr. A P Venugopal each 1 Lakh. Mrs. K P Vedambal donated Rs. 3 Lakhs, Mrs. C S Nagalakshmi in memory of Late S V Ramachandran donated Rs. 2 Lakhs, Mrs. Maya Natarajan & Mrs. Savitha Chandran donated us 10 Lakhs in memory of Late (Mrs.) N Meenakshi.

- ◆ We express our gratitude and thanks to all those who have been supporting us. We owe our success in Social activities to the active participation, blessings, advices and donations of so many good willed, like minded persons. The list of large hearted, good minded people is long. The help is not measured by the amount of contributions alone but by the spontaneity, willingness and the kind heartedness. We would like to place on record, our special thanks to : all our donors, patrons and well-wishers. We place on record our special thanks to the management of NKT Educational Trust and the Head Master of NKT Boys High School Mr S. Venkatadri for the support in running our tuition centre SYMA Growth. Special thanks are due to all our dedicated teachers. We thank all our donors and members with special reference to employees of Royal Sundaram / Citi Bank; Sri J Venkatesan; TS Lakshmanan, Sri Balasubramaniam of Mangal Tirth Estates; Mr CR Sridhar; We also thank Councillor of Ward 116 Mr B Srinivasan @ MGR Vasam for all the support rendered from time to time.
- ◆ Generally, most of our collections come at the time of Educational Aid programme. We request our volunteers to put in extra efforts for collecting more funds. Together we will strive to make the Society a better place to live in.

APPEAL

We request all our life members to contribute minimum of Rs.1000 per year towards our medical centre & "GROWTH". This will certainly help in meet the day today expenses of Tuition centre and Medical centre. Our sincere thanks to all who are already contributing.

OBITUARY

- ◆ BR Parthasarathy (affectionately Rao Sir) passed away on 7th Nov 2014 after battling cancer. He was 72. A very friendly person, pleasant to all, endeared to us all in SYMA by his attitude, financial support and passionate work. His efforts in coordinating with schools in Triplicane during Child fest and more specifically during Educational Aid function would remain unmatched. His passing away is a great loss to SYMA and to all of us personally. We miss you Rao Sir. SYMA register its heartfelt condolence to his bereaved family.
- ◆ Our life member Mr. P. B. Sudarshan passed away on 25.1.2015. SYMA convey deep condolence to the members of the family.