

SRINIVAS YOUNGMEN'S ASSOCIATION

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Secretaries Report for AGM 2022

We warmly welcome members, family, guests and all the attendees for the 2022 AGM of SYMA. Now in our forty Fifth year, we wish to first thank all the office bearers, for their commitment to attain the aims of the association, and for their support. We have had a few changes to the office bearers previous year inducting couple of youngsters in the committee and some internal changes in the office bearers to strengthen the organization which yielded some good results.

Picture 1

We are happy to inform you all that team "Sweet Karam Coffee" has honored our association with **"BRASS FILTER AWARD 2021"**

Picture 2

On September 18 2021 is another proud moment for Triplicane. **The executive board announced the Sahitya Akademi Translation Prize 2020 in 24 Indian languages on Saturday. The Hindi translation of Thiruvalluvar's "Thirukkural" by T E S Raghavan won the award among 22 others.** we at SYMA feel doubly happy at the honor as the son of recipient of a great award – S Parthasarathi, is a well known face in Triplicane and is a Committee-member, donor of SYMA !!

We wish to inform you all that our medical centre is duly registered under Clinical Establishment Act. It is yet another milestone for SYMA. Though we have submitted it long back, our member Mr. K V Srinivasan spoke to Dr Radhakrishnan IAS., Health Secretary – Tamilnadu and requested him to help. He immediately honored the request, and the certificate was issued in a day. Sincere thanks to Dr. Radhakrishnan IAS., Health Secretary, Mr. K V Srinivasan & Dr. Sridhar who was instrumental for us to apply this.

We acknowledge and thank all who have donated to SYMA or sponsored our associations projects over the last year

As a team, we sincerely thank all our members who had elected and given us the opportunity to serve the society through this great association.

Picture 3

S. Venkataramanan & Sanjeevi Raghunathan

Secretaries

Total collection for the year 2021 – 2022 is Rs. 44,52,000/-.

We thank all our members and well-wishers who have contributed and collected during the year 2021-22. Though every one of us do that without expecting to be praised, we place on record the names of those members who have brought one lakh and above.

Mrs. Saranya Arvind	-	Rs. 6,06,000
Mr. A V Kasturirangan	-	Rs. 3,42,000
Mr. S Sampathkumar	-	Rs. 1,09,500
Mr. J. Venkatesan	-	Rs. 1,00,000

Our Collection Highlights:

General Donation: Rs. 14,99,792/-

Major Contributors - M/s. Sundaram Finance: Rs.5,00,000/-, M/s. Paleppu Pharma: Rs.2,25,000/-
Grundfos: Rs. 50,000/-

Medical Centre: Rs. 3,56,853/-

Dhanvantri Scheme: Rs. 1,75,000/-

Major Contributors - Mr. S. Sampathkumar, Bharath Sampathkumar & Sabitha Rangarajan (Through Mr. A V Kasturirangan) Mr. T S P Lakshmanan (Through Mr. R Seshadri) Mr. Ramu Govindan (Through Mr. Sanjeevi Raghunathan) Mr. Ramasamy T S - Advocate (Through Mr. R V Narasimhan) Mr. A Ramachandran (Through Mr. D V Raghavan)

Corpus Fund: Rs. 1,00,000/-

From Mr. T R Kuppuswamy (Through Mr. S Sampathkumar)

Covid Relief Fund: Rs. 7,01,400/-

From M/s Gartner – Rs. 6,00,000/- (Through Mrs. Saranya Arvind)

Our hearty thanks to all of them.

We have pleasure in presenting to you snapshot of our Activities during 2021-2022

The dreaded Corona virus 'Covid 19' played havoc globally and from mid Mar 2020, life has not been the same. Our Primary activities – medical service and educational service as also every other way of social service was deeply impacted by Covid restrictions – this year the report is more a snapshot of some of our activities

Medical Services: We are happy to share that we have served 7775 patients at our medical centre premises.

For an Organisation started with the objective of keeping the environ clean and civic activities, our journey in medical service has been mentored, guided, and properly steered by Dr K Sridhar. A renowned Plastic surgeon, earlier member of Planning Commission of the State, presently - Director & Senior Consultant – Plastic Surgery Institute of Caraniofacial, Aesthetic and Plastic Surgery – has always provided us the correct advice. Every time we think of our services in Medical field, we remember him and he was instrumental in our setting up the newly introduced Ultra Scan centre too.

We are thankful to the Doctors who have been rendering medical advice to the patients. We appreciate the services of medical fraternity of Dr. Nagaiah Chetty, Dr. Yojitha, Dr. K S Vidyalakshmi, Dr. Monisha Ramesh, Dr. Suganthi, Dr. Murali, Dr. R Sandhya vasan, Dr. Rajasekar, Dr. Divya, Dr. Ibad Shah, M/s Pammal Sankara Eye Hospital and Mr. Vignesh. We also thank the Doctors running Private clinic at our premises - Dr. Venkatesh, Dr. Sunanda & Dr. Shruthi Sampathkumar.

We are also thankful to the management of pammal sankara eye hospital for operating a OP clinic at our medical centre charging only Rs.50/- for eye consultation & testing.

We have introduced Ultrasound (Scanning) in our Medical centre. We are immensely thankful to Donor Mr. TA Rajagopalan in memory of his parents Late Mrs. Rajalakshmi Padmanabhan & TA Padmanabhan. Dr Divya Ganesan is overseeing this medical facility. We thank Dr Sandhiya Vasan of SIMS for the great support in ensuring necessary license from Directorate of Medical Service.

Picture 4

- We have conducted Covid vaccination camp on 26th & 27th May 2021. More than 500 people benefitted in this camp. Our Thanks are due to Mr. SR Raghunathan who not only arranged camp at our medical center but also invited Corporation commissioner Mr. Gagandeep singh Bedi & Health secretary Mr. Radhakrishnan to our medical centre. The follow up camp for 2nd dose too on 28th Aug 2021. Almost a routine camp on Sundays were conducted at our medical centre.

Picture 5

- During May 2021 - SYMA organized free auto services for Covid patients and patients going for tests to the nearest health services centre / hospital between 7 am to 7 pm. Around 300 public utilized this service in 26 days. We have also arranged a concessional rate for covid testing if one wish to go to Ehrlich Laboratory. We have propagated that the family members of covid symptoms patients can take the letter from our medical centre. We are very thankful to Mr. CR Sreedhar for sponsoring Auto engagement program during Covid 19. His support through Dia Associates is recorded with great thanks.

- **Picture 6**

- On 22.8.2021 – We provided commodity assistance to the Conservancy workers, frontline workers, vendors at Triplicane and other needy. We deemed it an opportunity to honor those workers and say “Thank You” for protecting us from the dreaded disease and ensuring hygiene in the Society. We heartily thank M/s Gartner, the Sponsor, Mrs. Saranya for the great coordination – Mr. SR Parthasarathy for identifying and distributing, Mr. TJ Ramani for his zeal in coordinating with conservancy and other workers – zestful volunteers like Mr. Ramesh, Mr. A V Kasturirangan, Mr. Sanjeevi Raghunathan, Mrs. Jayasudha Sanjeevi, Mr. VP Manivannan, Mr. Parthasarathi, Mr. Aravind, Mr. Venkatesh, Mr. Venkatramana, Mrs. Mahalakshmi, Mr. Rajkumar, and host of others involved in proper distribution.

- **Picture 7**

- On 25th Aug 2021 - We have distributed spectacles to 60+ persons remembering Mr. KE Raghavan, who left us in 2007. The eyeglasses were made by Sri Sankara Eye Hospital, Pammal and they were distributed in a function held at our Medical Centre in presence of Mr. KE Narayanan (Brother of Late K E Raghavan).
- On 13.9.2021 – Pooja for Ultra Scan services was conducted and opened for public. Dr. TS Kannan, Dr. Sridhar, Dr. Jayalakshmi, Mr. Murali (Auditor) our sponsor Mr. TA Rajagopal graced the occasion.

Picture 8

- On 25.3.2022 - We conducted a camp for students of NKT Teacher Training College. HB Blood test, ENT, Eye, General women doctor consultation were given to 183 students. 180 students have given their blood group to register for blood donors app. Camp started by 10 am and went on till 4 pm. Prof Jayashree of NKT Training college inaugurated the camp and was well co ordinated by Asst professors Ms Geethanjali & Ms Rajamani. Our Thanks to Dr Varshinee (General consultation) Dr Alagammai (ENT) Optometrist Mr.Vignesh ,PASUPATHI G & Ms. SOUNDARYA G and pammal sankara eye hospital management. We thank Dr Chamundeswari Principal NKT Training college for giving syma an opportunity to serve the student community. Ms. Mahalakshmi and Mr. Rajkumar (Our Employee) along with Ms. Vanmathi (arranged for camp) deserves appreciation for a tremendous work.

- **Picture 9**

- On 03.03.2022 - We organised mega medical camp @ V R Pillai street chennai corporation Community Hall. Random sugar test from Nueberg Erlich was taken. Consultation of Specialists for Children's, Women Health care, General medicine, ENT were given. We thank all the doctors who gave consultation.

We thank - Radha Medicals and the good work of our staff's Mrs. Mahalakshmi & Mr. Rajkumar

Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav of the Nation:

Picture 10

Independence Day was celebrated with flag hoisting and eye camp with pammal sankara eye hospital. This year after a year break due to Covid 19, - National flag was hoisted at our premises at 37 Car Street, by Mr M Muthukumar, Frontline staff, Pammal Sankara Eye Hospital and Sri NKT Jayagopal ji - Sathyananda Yoga Centre inaugurated the new website of SYMA and blood donor app.

Picture 11

SYMA entered 45 years and at the camp – close to 200 people were screened – 21requiring cataract surgery. Those requiring cataract surgery without any charge, were taken to Pammal Sankara

Hospital, underwent operation and were brought back in vehicle arranged by us. We sincerely thank M/s Pammal Sankara Eye Hospital, Mr. NKT Jayagopal.

We thank Mr. Chandrasekhar of Creative desk for re-creating the website and developing the blood donor app. Also we thank Mr. S V sekar for giving a video message requesting eligible donors to register in syma app. Members we also request you to register yourself, your kith and kins, friends and relatives in this app if eligible for blood donation.

Republic Day:

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On Republic day January 26, Sahitya Academy Awardee, Triplicane Shri. T. E. Srinivasa Raghavan unfurl the National Flag at SYMA Medical Centre. We heartily thank him for having consented to participate inspite of his old age. Also thank Mrs. Prema krishnamohan and her troupe for participated and sung patriotic songs. Thanks for all those attended,

EDUCATION:

Picture 13

- On 01.12.2021 - We reopened "Growth" tuition centre for students for class 10 and 12 of academic year 2021-22 with a pooja at NKT Boys High School. But due to the upsurge of covid cases in January 2022, considering the safety of the students, we have closed the tuition centre. Our sincere thanks are due to Mr. S Sampathkumar & Mr. R Seshadri for their efforts and support.

• Picture 14

- We have distributed college books to around 90 students.

SPORTS:

Picture 15 & Picture 16

On 19.03.2022 and 20.03.2022 conducted a two-day tennis-ball cricket tournament at the Arulmigu Kabalieswarar Thirukoil ground in Mylapore. It was organised in the first place to create a database of young blood donors. And also to honour the memory of late N Ganapathy, former president of SYMA Eighteen teams from across the city — in the 18 to 30 age group — have registered for this T10 tournament, which does not offer cash prizes, but merchandises to the best-performing teams and players.

The tournament was inaugurated by Dr K Sridhar, Director & Senior Consultant, Plastic Surgery, Institute of Craniofacial, Aesthetic and Plastic surgery on 19th march. Our Members Mr. Aravind, Mr. Jagan, Mr. Sanjay, Mr. Arjun, Mr. karthik & other friends in and around Triplicane along with Secretary Mr. Sanjeevi Raghunathan put in all the efforts for the smooth conduct of the tournament. The event is a tribute to our former president Late. Mr. N Ganapathy as during his tenure he encouraged many youngsters in sports and in other social & spiritual initiatives. Mr. C R Sridhar who sponsored Cups, Bags and caps to all the participating team members. He was the chief guest and distributed cups to the winners and runners.

Syma Thanks joint commissioner of Arulmigu Kabalieswarar Temple, Ms. Kavery who readily agreed to spare venue and we don't have words to thank Mr. C R Sridhar who made all the arrangements to make ground ready for playing cricket.

Tournament was very nice and happy to share that around 100 blood donors are identified through this tournament. Thanks to all the office bearers for the support.

Blood donation has been one of the activities of SYMA but with an exclusive app we hope to increase our data base of young donors and reach out to people in need.

SYMA with Banyan:

- From 25-01-2022, we have arranged for a Lunch & Dinner around 3 weeks for mentally retarded home during COVID.
- This centre was supported by NGO called "The Banyan" who are responsible for taking care of mentally "Retarded" / "Ill" people identified by corporation of chennai or any calls received from any public. They ensure treatment for them by providing consultation with psychiatrist weekly thrice (Monday, Wednesday & Friday) and medicines are provided by them. They have records of each and every person rescued and they have also reunited 102 patients with their family. Some of them who are still there who is not able to identify themselves are with them. Whoever are physically fit are given training for candle making, bag making etc., some of them are given responsibility of taking care of the premises, cooking, helping others with them. Greater Chennai Corporation involvement with this centre is just a building and ambulance services.

Chennai Rains & SYMA Supports

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Since a couple of days rain has affected Chennai city very badly. Flood in chennai has ruined lakhs of life. The relief work in chennai is ongoing and we at SYMA doing everything we can to support. We have come across an appeal from NGO "The Banyan" to support them with the food for the mentally retarded / Ill patients at west Saidapet as their kitchen submerged in water. There are around 29 patients and 10 support staffs. Initially we have committed them food whole day (Lunch & Dinner for 45 people) for 10 days from 11-11-2021 Our sincere thanks are due to the donors who had volunteered to support for the day.

Picture 18

- Around 150 families were distributed with Milk Pockets, Breads, Biscuits & Food. We have contributed Rs. 10,000/- through Mr. Ravi Ranganathan who was a triplicanite now residing in Varadharajapuram distributed the items to the needy on behalf of us. We sincerely appreciate his commitment and appreciate the timely action to serve the needy. We also record the appreciation to Mr. T J Ramani and Mr. M A Sadagopan for the coordination and support.

Technology Support:

- Our special thanks to our Members Mr. N Sadagopan and Mr. M K Parthasarathy for donating "Dell inspiration laptop with Laser Printer & Dell Inspiration Laptop respectively to our medical centre.

Blessings from GURU's: Photo 19,20 &21

- 10th of February 2022 – Srimad Alagiya Singar 46th Sri Ahobila Mutt Jeeyar blessed by the visit and gave anugraha bashan.
- 15th of February 2022 - SYMA - blessed by the visit and anugraha bashan by Paramapujya Sriman Madhwacharya Moolamaha samsthana Sri Vyasaraaja Matadheesa Pujya Srisri 1008 Vidyashreesha theertha Swamiji.
- 16th of February 2022 - Srimath Paramahamsethyathi His Holiness Sri Sri Madhurakavi Vanamamalai Jeeyar Swamy -blessed us by visiting SYMA Medical centre

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. Special mention to Ms. Abinaya for complying with the financial requirements of filing our returns and other support. We thank them for the guidance and for the scrutiny of our accounts.

MEDIA:

- We place on record our thanks to Mr. S R Raghunathan and Mr. K V Srinivasan for their help in arranging coverage of our functions in the media and fixing up the Guests for the Programs.
- Our Sincere thanks to 'The Hindu', 'Hindu-Tamil' 'The Hindu – Downtown', 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 Mr. S R Parthasarathy.
- The enthusiasm, vigor, and coordination of Mr. M A Sadagopan deserves special mention – for his role in arranging the various medical camps.
- Thanks to Mr. Venkatesh who has done a great job throughout the year taking care of all banking deposits, withdrawals, renewals of FD etc.

- 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.

Special Thanks:

- Our Sincere thanks to Mr.T.P. Srikanth and Mr. T.P. Sridhar for continuous support to our medical centre and tuition centre Growth by providing A4 papers.
- We thank all our sponsors for the monetary assistance to our projects and all our members in collecting and helping through sponsors.
- We place our sincere thanks and gratitude to Dr. K Sridhar for the guidance and motivation in running the medical centre and Lab.
- We thank Mr. CR Sreedhar of Media Associates and Gold Winner for the regular support and sponsorship.
- We appreciate the effort of Mrs. Jayasudha Sanjeevi and Mrs. Saranya Arvind for maintaining our website and thanks to Mr. Chandrasekar for able support.
- We thank Mr. Venkatadri Headmaster of NKT Boys School for always helping us with venue for our meetings.
- We thank Mr. Mani & Mr. Narayanan of Swaraj Graphis, RNR Printers and SS Graphics for supporting us for our various requirements of printing and display of banners.
- We thank sweet karam coffee and Mr. Venkatakrishnan, his team for selecting SYMA for this award. It is indeed a great honour for us.
- We thank all our members for the trust and giving this opportunity to serve this year.

At the outset, SYMA is fortunate to have Mr. T A Sampathkumar as a president giving clear directions and apart from those mentioned. Some are ever ready to come and offer work like Mr. Venkatesh, Mr. V P Manivannan. Positive contributors like Mr. A V Kasturirangan, Mr. Ramesh, Mr. Parthasarathy. Mercurial workers like Mrs. Jayasudha Sanjeevi & Mrs. Saranya Arvind & Mr. Arvind. Meticulous like Mr. T J Ramani, Mr. S R Parthasarathy & Mr. Seshadri who are don't even care for appreciations!

Many a times, when we do the function, the background gets missed out and does not get due recognition. Due apologies if we had missed out some obvious work or names. The purpose is not to highlight Individual work but to admit and place that behind every other function there is so much happening!

We are signing off by praying Lord Sri Parthasarathy that let SYMA grows more and more and all members, family, guests, philanthropists who are associated with SYMA remain in good health.