



VIVEKANANDA KENDRA RDP - NEWS

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Secretary's Message

*Dear Sir / Madam,
Vanakkam. We are happy and obliged to send you the activities report conducted by VKRDP. The details of our activities, for the month of December 2012, are listed for your ready reference and kind information.
S.Ayyappan.*



"Sri Rama Jaya Rama" Mantra was chanted during Deepa Pooja, Shivalinga Pooja and daily by our Balwadi school children, cultural class students and during monthly meetings by our Balwadi teachers and Social Workers. This month nearly 5,43,842 times mantras were chanted in 84 localities.

Through 75 Balwadis, 1930 rural Children were nurtured. In all the Balwadis, Malt along with hygienically prepared highly nutritive lunch with vegetables were served during the day. And in the evening vitamin-rich cereals were provided to the children.



In our Medicare Programme, 1929 patients were examined and treated for various common ailments, through 14 Rural Medical Centers in Kanyakumari, Nellore and Thoothukudi districts.

Under Adopt a Granny Programme, 36 destitute and old people were provided with monthly solatiums, in the form of rice, dhal, oil, etc., for their livelihood and 68 persons provided rice only, in Southern five districts of Tamilnadu.



In 208 Samskara Vargas, 6783 students participated. The students were taught about the values of Indian Culture, through games, lectures & lessons. The feelings of oneness were strengthened among participants, through patriotic songs and games.



Eye camps were conducted at 2 places, in Kanyakumari and Nellai districts in which 321 were treated for their eye ailments and 65 were operated for cataract.



Under Amrita Surabhi Scheme, our Kendra workers collected 1143 Kgs of rice from Kanyakumari, Tirunelveli, Thoothukudi, Virudhunagar and Ramnad districts.



Through various branch centers, including Thoothukudi A.O. and book stalls, literature books were sold for Rs. 82,275/-



Vivekavani Subscriptions for 91 for one year and 1 for two year subscription were collected. Also contribution were received for 1 Yuva Bharathi, and 55 Patrons.

80 women are being benefited in 4 Self Help Groups in Kanyakumari district.

Monthly Deepa poojas were organized in 250 village temples in five districts of Southern Tamilnadu, in which 10,449 ladies participated and offered prayers for the welfare of self, family and the society.



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- Swami Vivekanandar*

Yoga Varga has been conducted at 1 place Aruppukottai in which 15 persons attended

4 tailoring units are functioning well in Nellai & Kanyakumari districts with the total attendance of 84.

Shivalinga Poojas were conducted at 3 places in Kanyakumari District and 138 members participated

Durga Pooja was conducted at 2 places, in Kanyakumari District in which 127 devotees participated.



*Anna pooja were celebrate in Ramnad district
270 people participated . 5310Kgs rice were collected*



Guru Poornima was celebrated at Peyankuzhi in Kanyakumari district where 68 people were attended.

Geetha chanting function were celebrated in all five district in 8 places where 932 people participated.

Parents meeting was held at 7 place in Thoothukudi district wherein 205 parents participated.

Sankalpa Diwas conducted in 17 places in Three district where 894 people participated

Mathru pooja were celebrated in Duraisampuram at Thoothukudi district where 80 people participated

Personality camp were conducted at Vallioor in Tirunelveli district where 195 student participated.



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Rural level competition conducted in all the five districts as following details:

*Total No.of. competitions- 14
Total No.of Schools - 119
Total No.of. Students - 2429
Total No.of. Parents - 52
Total No.of. Teachers - 137*



VACS SCHOOL LEVEL CAMP



Vacs Hr.Sec. School Level boys camp was conducted at Kanyakumari from 24.12.2012 to 27.12.2012. 155 students from 58 schools & teachers, 2 parents participated in this camp.

Vacs Hr.Sec School Level Girls camp was conducted at Kanyakumari from 28.12.2012 to 31.12.2012. 203 students from 60 schools and 13 teachers, 30 Parents participated this camp.



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This month, we have distributed the rice which was collected through Amrit Surabhi and Anna Pooja to Balwadi children, old poor people and the institutions as mentioned below :

- 1. Sri Sarada Devi Anbu Illam, Sitharal - 50 Kgs*
- 2. Shri Mavna Gurusamy madam, Thoottiyodu - 100 Kgs*
- 3. Thirumalapuram school - 200 Kgs*
- 4. Siva sailam Ashram - 200 Kgs*
- 5. Johny Middle School, Samuga Rengapuram - 100 Kgs*
- 6. Hindu Middle school, Kalanthapanai - 130 Kgs*
- 7. Chitralaya Sevalayam trust, Thootheriyodu - 50 Kgs*
- 8. Avvai Ashram - 200 Kgs*
- 10. Balwadi Children - 1615 Kgs*
- 11. Adopt-A-Grannie Scheme - 730 Kgs*

Inspiring Incident

R. Reginal, Souththamaraikulam, Kanyakumari district

Our Balwadi was functioning in an old building for so many years. I used to tell the people to construct a new building for the children. All the people have decided and constructed a new building with all facilities which were opened on 28.08.2012 in a grand manner. I am so proud to inform the same.

Sridevi, Mannarkoil, Tirunelveli district

In our Balwadi one girl named Amirtha is studying. She is very smart and clever girl. One day all the students were playing. Amirtha called all the children and instructed how to play and gave physical exercises to all the children. She has corrected those who have wrongly done. She is having the capacity of leadership quality even in her childish stage. I remembered the message of Swami Vivekanandar about the leadership quality. I wondered about her activities.

*With regards,
Yours Sincerely,*

S.Ayyappan