

E-STREET VOICE

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER FROM BOSCO BENGALURU

Editorial Note

"The Power of Educators: Shaping Children's Futures"

"One book, one pen, one child and one teacher can change the world."

Malala Yousafzai



TEACHER stands for Talented, Educated, Adorable, Charming, Helpful, Encouraging, and Responsible. Teachers play a vital role in shaping the future of students. Their impact goes beyond providing academic knowledge; they also serve as mentors, role models, and key influencers in a children's life.

Teachers are at the heart of shaping the future of students. Through guidance, mentorship, fostering a love for learning, building confidence, and resilience, teachers have a profound impact on the lives of their students. They serve as role models who inspire and motivate them to achieve their goals. Teachers can have a profound impact on their children's lives, instilling values such as perseverance, kindness, and responsibility that can last a lifetime. By serving as mentors, teachers can inspire students to set goals, work towards achieving them, help students navigate the complexities of life, and overcome challenges along the way.

The importance of teachers in children's lives is evident in how they inspire curiosity, foster critical thinking, and instill values that students carry throughout their lives. Their dedicated efforts create a nurturing environment where students can explore their interests and develop essential life skills.

They deserve appreciation, applause, and support in their mission to nurture and inspire the leaders of tomorrow! Come, let's honor and express gratitude to educators who play a crucial role in shaping students' futures and guiding them through their wisdom. As Mustafa Kemal Atatürk says, 'A good teacher is like a candle; it consumes itself to light the way for others.'

Thank you, teachers, for being the light in the children's lives!

STREET PRESENCE

Nivas - Tuition Classes



ARSP - Public Awareness at Platforms



Nilaya - Health Camp



Bus Stand - Survey of Fresh Children at the Bus Stands



Magadi Road- Awareness for Auto Drivers



Gandhi Nagar Area - Awareness for Pourakarmikas



COMPONENTS

Various activities were conducted by the different components of BOSCO: Stakeholders' Workshop by CRISP, Rescues by CSN, Open House Programme by SJPU, Virtual Meeting with the District Directors by Foster Care, Orientation Programme for the Social Work Students from Christ College by HRD, Contacting funding agencies and corporate offices to raise funds for the programme activities and Eye Screening Camps by Health Care Programme, Home visits by Family Restoration and After Care.



OUR CHILD CARE CENTRES

BOSCO VIKAS

BOSCO Vikas children visited Police Station



BOSCO RAINBOW HOME

AON visited BOSCO Rainbow Home



OUR CHILD CARE CENTRES

BOSCO MANE

BOSCO Mane conducted Makal Shaba for the centre children



BOSCO Yuvakendra

Safety Net Programme by Taj Group of Hotels



BOSCO SUMANAHALLI

Awareness on Nutrition by St. Joseph's College Students



OUR CHILD CARE CENTRES

BOSCO YUVODAYA

Kenya Zetech University Students visited BOSCO Yuvodaya.



BOSCO VATSALYA BHAVAN

BOSCO Vatsalya bhavan conducted Gowri Ganesha Festival



Extra Ordinary Visitation at BOSCO Bengaluru

Fr. Fabio Attard was on a three-day visit to BOSCO Bengaluru and interacted with the children, staff, and Directors regarding the different programs, components, and activities carried out by the organization for the welfare of the underprivileged children from September 3 to 4, 2024.



Anniversary Celebration at BOSCO Nilaya

BOSCO Nilaya celebrated its eighth anniversary with the Director and staff of Nilaya, CRISP Project, Yuvaspandana and Migrant Help Desk on September 21, 2024. Fr. Deepu, Director, BOSCO Nilaya exhorted the staff to continue serving the poor and underprivileged children and youth and make a difference in their lives for the better.



BOSCO Yuvakendra Celebrates 40th Anniversary

BOSCO Yuvakendra opened in 1985, serving youth above 15 years old who require support to secure employment or apprenticeship or to acquire a vocational skill leading to job placement, celebrated its 40th year of inception in the presence of Fr. Fabio Attard, SDB, Extra Ordinary Visitor from Rome, Fr. Varghese Pallipuram, Executive Director, BOSCO Bengaluru, Fr. KJ Joseph, Director BOSCO Mane, Fr. Joseph Dandavathi, Director BOSCO Yuvakendra, Fr. Philip, Fr. Mathew Vadakel, staff, centre youth and tuition children on September 4, 2024. A new Computer Lab was inaugurated on the occasion.



Onam Celebrations

Onam Celebrations were held at the different centres of BOSCO Bengaluru from September 15 to 29, 2024 involving the children, youth, staff and Directors. The centres were decorated with beautiful floral designs- Pookalam giving a festive look and divine vibes at the centres.



Teachers' Day Celebrations

Children from BOSCO Sumanahalli, Rainbow Home, Nivas, Nilaya, Vikas, Mane, Vatsalya Bhavan, and Yuvakendra areas celebrated Teacher's Day at the respective centres on September 5 and 6, 2024. Children performed skits, dances, and songs, and did drawings and paintings. Children and youth spoke about the importance of Teacher's Day and about Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan. Children also organized various activities and games for the teachers and staff of the centres.

Fr. Vaghese Pallipuram, Executive Director, BOSCO Bengaluru, addressing the children, appreciated the teachers at the centres. The Directors of the centres exhorted the children to honor their teachers and follow their good example. It provided an opportunity for the children and the youth at the centres to appreciate and acknowledge the contribution of their teachers and other staff. Children from the centres and areas participated in the Teacher's Day celebrations.



Distribution of Course Completion Certificates at Yuvaspandana Computer Centre

The students of Yuvaspandana Computer Centre were awarded the course completion certificates on September 11, 2024. Fr. Varghese Pallipuram, Executive Director, BOSCO Bengaluru, in his introductory speech, explained about the skill training courses available at BOSCO. Addressing the children, Fr. Deepu, Director, BOSCO Yuvaspandana wished best of luck for the future and exhorted them to make the best use of the skills learnt. Computer students shared their opinions. Some of them who have already got jobs thanked BOSCO. Mr. Jack, Area Leader, Vinobha Nagar was present on the occasion. Certificates were distributed to fifty students who completed their course.



Visit of Collaborators to BOSCO Bengaluru

Collaborators from various Salesian Houses of Karnataka led by Fr. Shalbin, Vice Provincial, Bangalore Province had an exposure visit to BOSCO Mane, Bengaluru on September 28, 2024. Fr. Varghese Pallipuram, Executive Director, BOSCO Bengaluru gave an orientation about the organization and its services. The visiting group also interacted with the children of the centre.



BOSCO Home Link Child MISS MONTHLY REPORT





SEPTEMBER 2024

	Male	Female	Total
Children rescued	273	23	296
Service provided	20	02	22
Grand Total	293	25	318

New Children Data of Contact Center/Area:

Contact Point	Fresh		Repeated		Total
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	
Railway Station DCPU staff	20	02	01	00	23
Bus Stand BMTC	54	02	00	00	56
Bus Stand KSRTC	50	04	01	00	55
BOSCO Yuvodaya	01	00	04	00	05
BOSCO Yuvakendra	01	00	00	00	01
BOSCO Nivas	01	02	00	00	03
BOSCO Nilaya	02	00	00	00	02
BOSCO Rainbow Home	00	01	00	00	01
BOSCO Vatsalya Bhavan	00	02	00	00	02
CSN	17	01	00	00	18
SJPU	12	06	00	00	18
ARSP	109	03	00	00	112
TOTAL	267	23	06	00	296

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Children's Corner

