



# BHAGWAN MAHAVEER FOUNDATION



# MAHAVEER AWARDS

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21<sup>st</sup> Mahaveer Awards Presentation Function  
held on 02-12-2018

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Shri Banwarilal Purohit - Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu

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# NAVKAR MANTRA



Namo Arihantanam  
Namo Siddhanam  
Namo Ayariyanam  
Namo Uvajjhayanam  
Namo Loe Savva Sahunam  
Eso Panch Namokaro  
Savva Pavappanasano  
Manglananch Savvesim  
Padhamam Havei Mangalam

I bow down to Arihanta  
I bow down to Siddha  
I bow down to Acharya  
I bow down to Upadhyaya  
I bow down to Sadhu and Sadhvi  
These five bowing downs  
Destroy all the sins  
Amongst all that is auspicious  
This Navkar Mantra is the foremost

While reciting the Navkar Mantra, we are bowing down with respect to Arihantas, Siddhas, Acharyas, Upadhyayas Sadhus and Sadhvis. Collectively, they are called Panch Parmesthi.

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## FOUNDER'S MESSAGE

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation acknowledges and values the role compassion, empathy, charity and social welfare play in the development of our nation.

Bhagwan Mahaveer said “Parasparopagraho Jivanam”, that is, “All living beings are interdependent”. It is well-known that what we do to others, we do to ourselves.

Violence, war and atrocities of all kinds pervade our contemporary world. It is essential that we make efforts to ensure a more peaceful future for our children. For peaceful, harmonious co-existence we must learn to have kindness, compassion and empathy for all living beings.

Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation instituted Mahaveer Awards in the year 1995 to recognise the selfless services of individuals and institutions uplifting the quality of life of the less fortunate amongst us.

I am grateful to former President of India, Smt. Pratibha Patil, the then Vice President of India Shri K.R.Narayanan, the former Vice Presidents of India, Shri Krishan Kant, Shri Hamid Ansari, the present Vice President of India, Shri Venkaiah Naidu, Governors and other eminent persons who have honoured the awardees and the Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation by presenting the annual Mahaveer Awards.

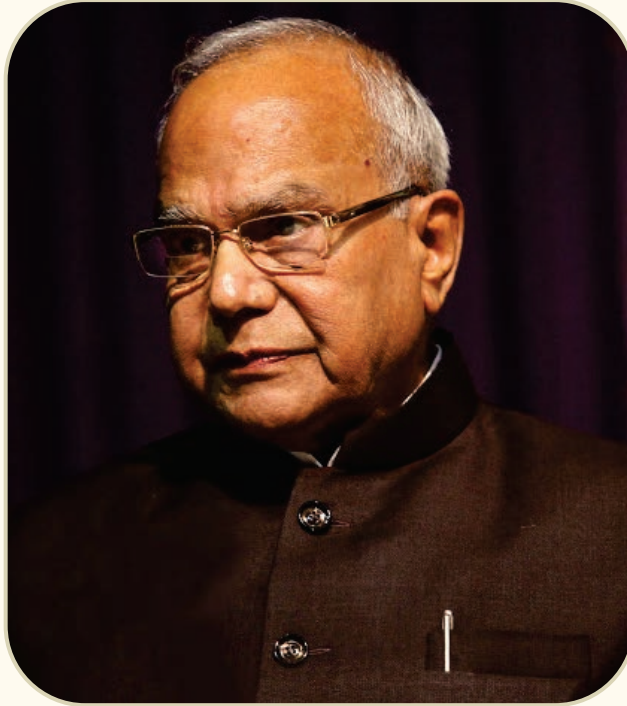
I also congratulate the 76 individuals and institutions who have received the Mahaveer Awards till date. I am confident that their empathy and altruistic services will make many others also to participate in helping the needy in the society.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation nurtures the message “Live and help others to live”. The Foundation wishes to spread and reiterate this universal message throughout the globe. It is my good fortune and honour to be guided and supported in this venture by eminent people like Justice Shri M.N.Venkatachaliah, former Chief Justice of India, the members of Selection Jury, Shortlisting Committee members and other Trustees.



**Shri. N. Sugalchand Jain**  
Founder

## CHIEF GUEST



**Thiru. Banwarilal Purohit**  
Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu

# BHAGWAN MAHAVEER FOUNDATION

## Objective

Bhagwan Mahaveer, the 24th Thirthankara taught the principles of Ahimsa and peaceful, harmonious co-existence in the world. It is the belief of the founder of the Bhagwan Mahaver Foundation, Shri N. Sugalchand Jain, that peace and harmony in a society can be achieved mainly through compassion, goodwill, brotherhood and empathy. He founded the Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation to spread this message of Bhagwan Mahaveer.

The Foundation identifies and encourages individuals and institutions who are doing selfless service for the underprivileged in our society and inspires others to emulate them.

The Objectives of the Foundation are

I-Identify, inspire

R- Recognise and reward

I-Individuals and Institutions doing

S-Selfless services for the Society



## Genesis:

Shri N Sugalchand Jain and a few like minded friends felt that there are a large number of individuals and institutions spread over throughout the country serving their fellowmen. Their noble deeds most often go unnoticed and unheralded. The initiatives of these individuals and institutions should be recognised and rewarded. They felt that if such noble people are recognised and honoured in functions, many others would be inspired to incline towards social service and social well being. Thus the Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation was established in 1994 by Shri N.Sugalchand Jain under the Chairmanship of Bharat Ratna Late Shri C.Subaniam.

## Shri Prasanchand Jain

Managing Trustee

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<b>Board of Trustees</b>	1. Shri Prasanchand Jain	Managing Trustee
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	3. Shri Pravin B Chheda	Trustee
	4. Shri Vinodh Kumar	Trustee
	5. Shri Pramod Jain	Trustee
	6. Shri Pratik Jain	Trustee
	7. Shri K Nanda Kishore, I.A.S. (retd.)	Advisor

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# MAHAVEER AWARDS

## **Awards:**

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation has instituted various awards in various fields from time to time with an ambition to encourage every kind of social and community service. The Foundation instituted the following Awards:

1. Mahaveer Awards : in 1995
2. Dr. Nemichand Jain Memorial Awards : in 2004
3. Mahaveer Award for Essays : in 2016

## **About Mahaveer Awards**

The Mahaveer Awards are presented annually to individuals and institutions ceaselessly serving the weak and the voiceless in our society. The awards are given for excellence in human endeavour in the fields of

- Non-Violence & Vegetarianism,
- Education,
- Medicine,
- Community & Social Service

Initially the Foundation instituted one award under the category Community & Social Service. Gradually, the number of awards increased from 1 to 4 over the years and the total cash component of the award from Rs. 5 Lakhs to Rs. 40 Lakhs.

Every year received nominations are placed before the Shortlisting Committee and the shortlisted nominations are submitted to the Selection Jury for deciding the awardees.

So far 76 awardees from 21 States and 1 Union Territory have been honoured in recognition of their selfless service for the welfare of the underprivileged. Awards amounting to Rs. 5,85,00,000 (Rs. Five crores and eighty five lakhs) have been presented to the awardees in formal functions by eminent persons of our country like the President of India, Vice Presidents of India, Governors, Chief Minister, Ministers and other eminent persons.



## INFOGRAPHIC TIMELINE

1994	<p>The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation was established by Shri N Sugalchand Jain to identify, encourage and honour individuals/ institutions doing selfless service for the needy and poor in the society under the Chairmanship of Shri C. Subramanian, former Union Minister and Governor of Maharashtra.</p>	1995	<p><b>1<sup>st</sup> Mahaveer Award</b> <b>Category</b> Community &amp; Social Service <b>Award Money</b> Rs. 5 lakhs</p>
1996	<p><b>2<sup>nd</sup> Mahaveer Award</b> <b>Category</b> 1. Community &amp; Social Service 2. Non Violence &amp; Vegetarianism <b>Award Money</b> Rs. 5 lakhs Each</p>	1998	<p><b>4<sup>th</sup> Mahaveer Award</b> <b>Category</b> 1. Community &amp; Social Service 2. Non Violence &amp; Vegetarianism 3. Education &amp; Medicine <b>Award Money</b> Rs. 5 lakhs Each</p>
2004	<p><b>Dr.Nemichand Jain Memorial Awards</b>  For journals/books propagating non-violence, vegetarianism and teachings of ancient spiritual leaders</p>	2011	<p><b>14<sup>th</sup> Mahaveer Award</b> <b>Category</b> 1. Community &amp; Social Service 2. Non Violence &amp; Vegetarianism 3. Education 4. Medicine <b>Award Money</b> Rs. 10 lakhs Each</p>
2016	<p><b>Mahaveer Awards for Essays</b> To acquaint the school and college students with the teachings of Bhagwan Mahaveer and to emphasize the contemporary relevance of Ahimsa and peaceful harmonious co-existence.</p>	2021	<p><b>Women Social Entrepreneur/ Achiever</b> An award for Women Social Entrepreneur/Achiever, carrying a cash component of Rs.10 lakhs, a memento and a citation was presented on 29/01/2021</p>

## SCOPE OF AWARDS

### **Non-Violence & Vegetarianism**

- a. Propagation of vegetarianism
- b. Practice of vegetarianism
- c. Protection and care of animals, birds and reptiles.
- d. Improvement in livestock
- e. Provide selfless service and compassion
- f. Creative work in promoting Non-violence

### **Education**

- a. Potential ideas that bring about improvement in educational practice
- b. Efforts to educate the tribal and villagers.
- c. Improvement in communication systems, Literacy campaigns, improvement in attendance in rural schools, reduction of school drop-outs rehabilitation of the mentally retarded and slow learners.
- d. Innovative educational practices.  
Vocational training or any other alternative system of education.

### **Medicine**

- a. Dedication to the care of underserved populations.
- b. Demonstrated altruism, compassion and personal sacrifice while providing quality health care to a destitute, distressed or marginalized population in an impoverished community.
- c. Contributing better healthcare for rural population.  
Free or low-cost medical care facilities for women and children, pre-natal and post-natal care, education for better health and hygiene, better nutrition for children.

### **Community & Social Service**

- a. Supply of pure drinking water, initiation and improvement in sanitary facilities, low cost balanced diet.
- b. Improvement in village roads, transport and communication systems
- c. Rehabilitation of vulnerable children, work in slums.
- d. Free or low-cost legal aid to women in distress, creating general awareness among women about their rights.
- e. Care, education and rehabilitation of the mentally retarded and the physically challenged and dyslexic children.
- f. Rehabilitation of persons afflicted by leprosy
- g. Dalit and Tribal Welfare
- h. Removal of Untouchability
- i. Rural Development

# SELECTION PROCESS

## **Invite Nominations**

Nominations in the prescribed format are invited from around the country. The help of district administrators, legislators, bureaucrats, educationists, media, social workers, parliamentarians and other eminent people is sought.

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## **Shortlist**

The received nominations are submitted to the Shortlisting Committee. The Shortlisting Committee prepare a shortlist of the nominations.

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## **Visit the Nominees**

The Shortlisted nominees are visited by the representatives of the Foundation in their place of service. To ascertain the overall genuineness and the positive impact of services rendered by the nominees amongst the people.

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## **Selection Jury**

The Selection Jury is headed by Justice Shri M N Venkatachaliah, Former Chief Justice of India. The shortlisted nominations and visit reports are placed before the Selection Jury, who evaluate and decide the awardees.

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## **Awards Function**

The awards are presented by eminent personalities like the President of India, Vice President, Governors, Chief Minister, Ministers and other eminent persons. The awards are presented in formal functions.

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## SELECTION JURY



**Justice Shri. M.N.Venkatachaliah**  
Former Chief Justice of India,  
Chairman Selection Jury



Poojya Acharya  
**Shri. Chandanaji Maharaj**  
Eminent Sanyasini and Social Reformer



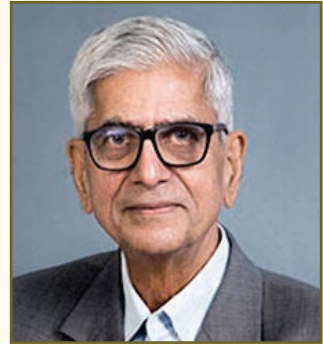
**Shri. S. Gurumurthy**  
Editor - Thuglaq,  
Part-time Director of RBI



**Prof. B.M.Hegde**  
Chairman Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan,  
Mangalore Kendra



**Shri. T.S.Krishnamurthy**  
Former Chief Election Commissioner of India



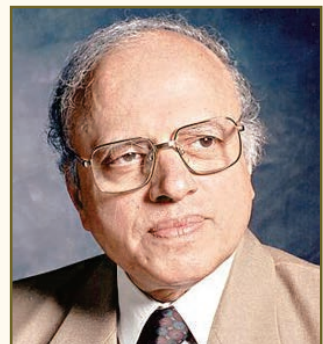
**Shri. D.R.Mehta, I.A.S. (retd.),**  
Former Chairman, Securities  
and Exchange Board of India



**Shri. Prabhat Kumar, I.A.S. (retd.),**  
Former Cabinet Secretary,  
Government of India



**Justice Shri G.S.Singhvi**  
Former Judge of  
Supreme Court of India



**Prof. M.S.Swaminathan**  
Chairman Emeritus,  
M.S.Swaminathan Research Foundation,  
Chennai

## SHORTLISTING COMMITTEE MEMBERS



**Shri. Chinny Krishna**  
Chairman Emeritus,  
Federation of Indian Animal Protection  
Organisations (FIAPO).



**Shri. Kailashmull Dugar**  
Former President, Rajasthani Association,  
Tamil Nadu



**Shri Naresh Gupta, I.A.S. (retd.)**  
Former Chief Electoral Officer, Tamil Nadu



**Shri. D.K.Oza, I.A.S. (retd.)**  
Former Vice Chancellor of  
Gandhigram Rural University,  
Tamil Nadu



**Shri P.Shankar, I.A.S. (retd.),**  
Former Chief Vigilance Commissioner



**Dr. T.S. Surendran,**  
Director, Paediatric Ophthalmology,  
Sankara Nethralaya

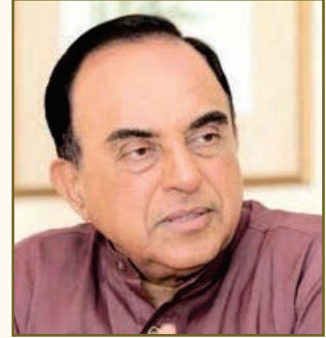
## CHIEF GUESTS OF MAHAVEER AWARD FUNCTIONS



2021- 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> Award  
His Excellency,  
**Thiru. Banwarilal Purohit**  
Governor of Tamil Nadu



2018- 21<sup>st</sup> Award  
His Excellency,  
**Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu**  
Vice President of India



2017- 20<sup>th</sup> Award  
**Dr. Subramanian Swamy**  
Hon'ble Member of Rajya Sabha



2016 - 19<sup>th</sup> Award  
**Shri. S. Gurumurthy**  
Editor Thuglaq, Part-time Director of RBI &  
Commentator on Economic and Political Affairs



2015 - 18<sup>th</sup> Award  
**Shri Thaawarchand Gehlot**  
Hon'ble Union Minister for  
Social Justice & Empowerment



2015 - 17<sup>th</sup> Award  
**Dr. S.S. Badrinath**  
Chairman Emeritus  
Sankara Nethralaya



2013 - 16<sup>th</sup> Award  
His Excellency  
**Shri. M. Hamid Ansari**  
Vice President of India



2012 - 15<sup>th</sup> Award  
His Excellency  
**Dr. K. Rosaiah**  
Governor of Tamil Nadu



2011 - 14<sup>th</sup> Award  
His Excellency  
**Shri. M.K. Narayanan**  
Governor of West Bengal

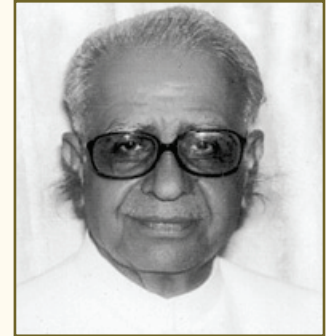


2010 - 13<sup>th</sup> Award  
**Prof. M.S. Swaminathan**  
Chairman Emeritus

M. S. Swaminathan Research Foundation, Chennai



2008 - 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Award  
Her Excellency,  
**Smt. Pratibha Patil**  
President of India



2006 - 10<sup>th</sup> Award  
His Excellency,  
**Shri. T.N. Chaturvedi**  
Governor of Karnataka



2005 - 9<sup>th</sup> Award  
His Excellency  
**Shri. Surjeet Singh Barnala**  
Governor of Tamil Nadu



2003 - 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Award  
His Excellency  
**Shri. K.R. Malkani**  
Lt. Governor of Pondicherry



2000 - 6<sup>th</sup> Award  
**Shri. P.T.R. Palanivelrajan**  
Hon'ble Speaker of Tamil Nadu  
Legislative Assembly



1999 - 5<sup>th</sup> Award  
**Dr. M. Karunanidhi**  
Hon'ble Chief Minister  
of Tamil Nadu



1998 - 4<sup>th</sup> Award  
His Excellency  
**Shri. Krishan Kant**  
Vice President of India



1997 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Award  
**Shri. Karan Singh**  
Hon'ble Member of Parliament



1996 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Award  
Hon'ble  
**Shri. C. Subramaniam**  
Former Governor of Maharashtra



1995 - 1<sup>st</sup> Award  
His Excellency  
**Shri. K.R. Narayanan**  
Vice President of India

## AWARDEES

MAHAVEER AWARD	NON-VIOLENCE & VEGETARIANISM	EDUCATION & MEDICINE	COMMUNITY & SOCIAL SERVICE
1st 08/11/1995			Veerayatan, Rajgir, Bihar
2nd 08/09/1996	Shri S Jagannathan & Smt.Krishnammal Jagannathan, Gandhigram, Tamil Nadu		Shri Ramakrishna Mission, Ashrama Narainpur, Bastar Dist, Chhattisgarh
3rd 20/04/1997	Shri Ratanlal C Bafna, Jalgaon, Maharashtra		Shri Anna Hazare, Ralegaon, Siddhi, Ahmed Nagar, Maharashtra
4th 09/04/1998	Sadhu Vaswani Mission, Pune, Maharashtra	Shri Avinashilingam Education Trust Institutions, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Dr. Prakash Murlidar Amte & Dr.Mandakini Prakash Amte, Lok Biradari Prakalp, Hemalkasa, Maharashtra
5th 03/04/1999	Smt. Maneka Gandhi, People for Animals, New Delhi	Dr. G Venkataswamy Chairman – Aravind Eye Hospital & Post Graduate Institute of Ophthalmology, Madurai, Tamilnadu	Bhagwan Mahaveer Viklang Sahayata Samiti, Sawai Man Singh Hospital, Jaipur, Rajasthan
6th 05/10/2000	Dr. Kalyan Motilal Gangwal, Pune, Maharashtra	Cancer Institute (W I A), Chennai, Tamilnadu	Tripura Adivashi Mahila Samithy, (Mrs. Anurupa Mukherjee) Krishna Nagar, Agartala, Tripura
7th 22/03/2003	Late Dr. Nemichand Jain, Indore, Madhya Pradesh	Dr. H.Sudarshan, Vivekananda Girijana Kalyana Kendra Yelandur Tk, Karnataka	Bharat Sevashram Sangha, Sonari West Jamshedpur, Jharkhand
8th 22/03/2003		1) Vivekananda Rock Memorial & Vivekananda Kendra, Kanyakumari, Tamilnadu 2) Marudhar Mahila Shikshan, Sangh, Vidyavadi, Kimel, Rajasthan	Dr. S V Adinarayana Rao, Director General – Prema Hospital, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh
9th 14/02/2005	Shri Siddharaj Dhadha, Chaura Rasta, Jaipur, Rajasthan	Uttarakhand Seva Nidhi Paryavaran Shiksha Sansthan, Jakhan Devi, Almora, Uttarakhand	Swami Vivekananda Youth Movement, Saragur, Karnataka
10th 11/01/2006		1) Dr. Sharadkumar Dicksheet M.D, Dr. Sharadkumar Dicksheet Charitable Trust (India), Pune, Maharashtra 2) Dr. S S Badrinath, President & Chairman, Sankara Nethralaya, Chennai, Tamilnadu	Shri Rajmal S Jain, Village Bisalpur, Pali, Rajasthan
11th 19/05/2008	Shri Bharat Amritlal Kothari, Rajpur, Gujarat	Dr. Shiv Kumar Sarin, New Delhi	Acharya Dr. Kishore Kunal, Patna, Bihar
12th 19/05/2008	Action for Protection of Wild Animals (APOWA), Hatapatana, Kendrapara, Orissa	Mahatma Gandhi Institute of Medical Sciences, Sevagram, Maharashtra	Amar Seva Sangam, Ayikudy, Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu
13th 09/07/2010		Tribal Health Initiative, Sittilingi, Dharmapuri, Tamil Nadu	1) Shri Karni Nagar Vikas Samiti, Gordhanpura, Kota, Rajasthan 2) Swami Vivekananda Integrated Rural Health Centre, Pavagada, Karnataka



MAHAVEER AWARD	NON-VIOLENCE & VEGETARIANISM	EDUCATION	MEDICINE	COMMUNITY & SOCIAL SERVICE
14th 09/11/2011	Shri Dayananda Swamiji, Bengaluru, Karnataka	The Indian Planetary Society, Mumbai, Maharashtra	Voluntary Health Services, Taramani, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Snehalaya Social Charitable Trust, Solapur, Maharashtra
15th 10/10/2012	Shri Chiranjee Lal Bagra, Kolkata, West Bengal	Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences, Bhubaneswar, Orissa	Dr. Anant Sinha, Ranchi, Jharkhand	Shri Ramakrishna Mission Hospital, Ita Nagar, Arunachal Pradesh
16th 04/06/2013	Shri Mohd Shafique Khan, Sagar, Madhya Pradesh	Gandhi Vidya Mandir Churu, Rajasthan	Dr. R. Ravi Kannan, Silchar, Cachar Dt., Assam	Smt. Sushila Bohra, Jodhpur, Rajasthan
17th 14/02/2015	Blue Cross of India, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Shri Sarada Ashram, Ulundhurpet, Tamil Nadu	Dr. Sunil Sanon, Mussorrie, Uttarakhand	Smt. Phoolbasanbai Yadav, Rajnandgaon, Chattisgarh
18th 21/08/2015	Visakha Society for Protection and Care of Animals, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh	Kasthurba Gandhi Kanya Gurukulam, Vedaraniam, Tamil Nadu	Sane and Enthusiast Volunteers' Association of Calcutta (SEVAC), Kolkata, West Bengal	Vikas Bharti Bishunpur, Ranchi, Jharkhand
19th 29/09/2016	Compassion Unlimited Plus Action, Bengaluru, Karnataka	Dr. Sapam Nabakishore Singh, Silchar, Assam	Dr. R.V. Ramani Sankara Eye Institutions, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Mrs. Shamshand Begum, Durg, Chhattisgarh
20th 08/09/2017	Animal Aid Charitable Trust, Udaipur, Rajasthan	AIM For Seva, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Dr. M.C. Nahata, Indore, Madhya Pradesh	Arpana Research & Charities Trust, Karnal, Haryana
21st 02/12/2018	Dr. Shiranee Pereira, People For Animals, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Shri Anand Kumar, Super 30, Patna, Bihar	Bhagwan Mahavir Jain Relief Foundation Trust, Hyderabad, Telangana	Rural Health Organisation, Imphal, Manipur
22nd 21/01/2021	Federation of Indian Animal Protection Organisations, New Delhi	Shree Panchmahal Anusuchit Jati Education Trust (PAJET), Adadara, Gujarat	Jeevodaya Hospice for Cancer Patients, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Gramin Adiwasi Samaj Vikas Sansthan (GASVS), Sausar, Madhya Pradesh
Women Social Entrepreneur / Achiever - Smt. Shyamalatha Mohan Raj				
23rd 21/01/2021	Baba Palla Singh Goushala, Baba Bakala Town, Punjab	Manav Kalyan Trust, Navsari, Gujarat	Pain and Palliative Care Society, Kozhikode, Kerala	Sewadham Ashram, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh

# 22<sup>nd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARDEES



Non-Violence & Vegetarianism  
**Federation of Indian Animal  
Protection Organisations  
(FIAPO), New Delhi**

Represented by  
**Ms. Norma Alvares**



Education  
**Shree Panchmahal Anusuchit  
Jati Education Trust (PAJET),  
Adadara, Gujarat**

Represented by  
**Shri. Nathabhai G. Vanakar**



Medicine  
**Jeevodaya Hospice  
for Cancer Patients,  
Chennai, Tamil Nadu**

Represented by  
**Sr. Lalitha Teresa**



Community & Social Service  
**Gramin Adiwasi Samaj  
Vikas Sansthan (GASVS), Sausar,  
Madhya Pradesh**

Represented by  
**Shri. Shyamrao Dhawle**



Women Social Entrepreneur/  
Achiever

**Smt. Shyamalatha Mohan Raj**

# 23<sup>rd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARDEES



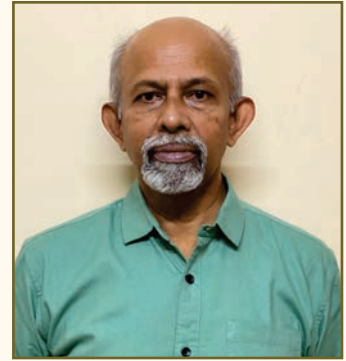
Non-Violence & Vegetarianism  
**Baba Palla Singh Goushala,**  
**Baba Bakala Town, Punjab**

Represented by  
**Baba Gajjan Singh**



Education  
**Manav Kalyan Trust,**  
**Navsari, Gujarat**

Represented by  
**Shri. Dhananjay T Desai**



Medicine  
**Pain & Palliative Care Society,**  
**Kozhikode, Kerala**

Represented by  
**Shri. Sree Kumar P.C**



Community & Social Service  
**Sewadham Ashram,**  
**Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh**

Represented by  
**Shri. Sudhir Bhai Goyal**



Education  
**Shri Anand Kumar**  
**Patna, Bihar**  
**21<sup>st</sup> Mahaveer Award**

## STATE WISE AND CATEGORY WISE DISTRIBUTION OF MAHAVEER AWARDS

	Non-Violence & Vegetarianism	Education	Medicine	Community & Social Service	Women Social Entrepreneur/ Achiever	Total
Andhra Pradesh	1			1		2
Arunachal Pradesh				1		1
Assam		1	1			2
Bihar		1		2		3
Chhattisgarh				3		3
Gujarat	1	2				3
Haryana				1		1
Jharkhand			1	2		3
Karnataka	2	1		2		5
Kerala			1			1
Madhya Pradesh	2		1	2		5
Maharashtra	3	1	2	3		9
Manipur				1		1
New Delhi	2		1		1	4
Odisha	1	1				2
Punjab	1					1
Rajasthan	2	2		4		8
Tamil Nadu	3	5	7	1		16
Telangana			1			1
Tripura				1		1
Uttarakhand		1	1			2
West Bengal	1		1			2
<b>Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>76</b>

# 21<sup>st</sup> MAHAVEER AWARD EDUCATION

Shri. Anand Kumar, Super 30, Patna, Bihar



*The Maths Wizard coaches underprivileged students for entrance exams of IIT.*



*"Super 30" – innovative Educational Programme*

Shri Anand Kumar, of Patna, Bihar, the maths wizard coaches underprivileged students for entrance exams of IIT. He started the 'Ramanujam School of Mathematics' in 1992 when he was 19 years old to teach mathematics.

In 1994, when he couldn't proceed to pursue higher education in Cambridge University because of financial reasons, he converted his disappointment to constructive passion, and decided to provide opportunities to meritorious young indigent persons to complete higher education. Through Ramanujam School of Mathematics, he trained a small group of poor students for various competitive examination without charging any fees. He contributed materials on Mathematics to various journals, magazines and newspapers.

In 2003 "Super 30", the brain child of Anand Kumar, the innovative educational

programme was born. 30 poor meritorious & talented students were selected and equipped to face the country's premier educational Institution IIT's entrance exam.

He generated finances by teaching the affordable students of other schools. His mother, Smt. Jayanthi Devi supported him in every possible way. Boarding, lodging & tutoring, were provided free of cost to the students.

The services rendered by Anand Kumar are a boon to the meritorious hard working students with no financial assistance to pursue higher studies.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation is pleased to confer the Twenty First Mahaveer Award in the field of Education on Shri Anand Kumar in recognition of his significant services. We believe many would be inspired by his services and emulate him.

## 22<sup>nd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARD NON-VIOLENCE & VEGETARIANISM

Federation of Indian Animal Protection Organisations (FIAPO), New Delhi

The FIAPO was founded in the year 2010. It works in collaboration with more than 80 members, 200 supporter organisations and 400 individual activists in over 40 cities. It aims to change the attitude of people towards animals across the country, through education, research, advocacy, mobilisation, training and direct action.

FIAPO, with support from its member organisations and activists have helped achieve a ban on marine animals in captivity. It also took various efforts to improve the quality and conditions of dairy farms in the country which benefitted the animals.



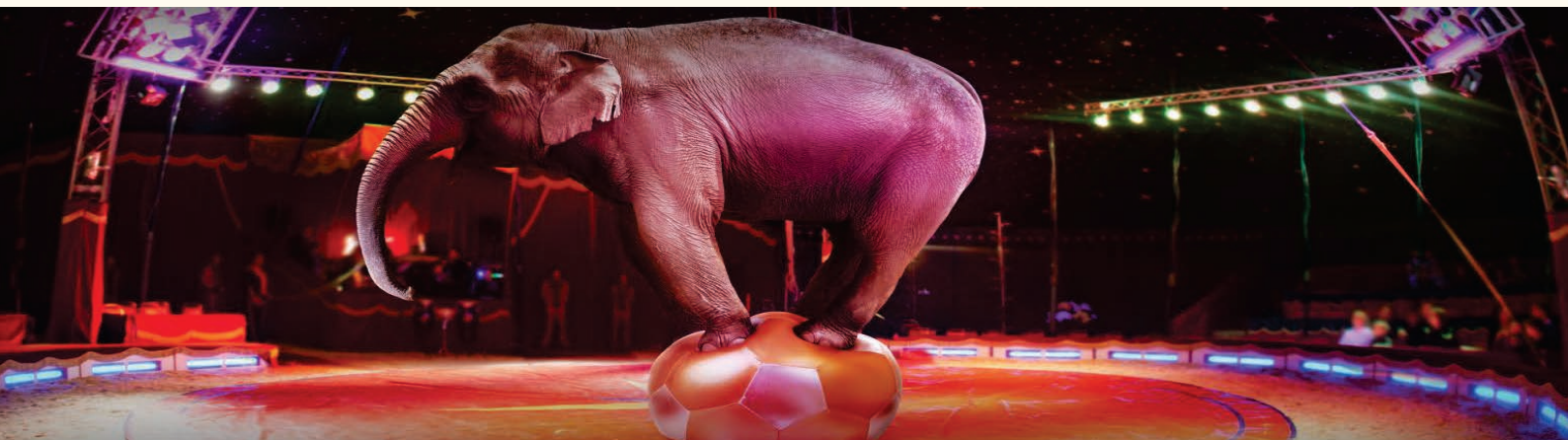
*FIAPO aims to connect animal protection organisations and activists across India to build a strong animal protection movement.*

It has also rescued many animals from over 16 circuses by highlighting the trauma and pain

suffered by animals while being trained to entertain. It campaigned against animal slaughter in 6 cities and ensured action is taken against many meat shops. FIAPO trained and facilitated 1000 activists to start outreach activities to spread vegetarianism in many cities, reaching out to about 6 lakh people. It campaigns for vegetarianism and creates awareness about the benefits of vegetarianism through digital and print media.

It trained and empowered 250 activists in Varanasi, Agra, Jammu, Patna, Delhi, Indore and Bilaspur to provide the much-needed aid to injured street animals. Through this, the trained activists were able to help 2000 street animals. It started nation wide dog bite and rabies prevention campaign called “Rabies free India” and petitioned for favourable laws to stop the mindless killing of street dogs in India.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation is pleased to confer the Twenty Second Mahaveer Awards in the field of Non-Violence & Vegetarianism on Federation of Indian Animal Protection Organisations, in recognition of its exemplary service for protection and care of animals. We believe many others will be inspired to emulate them.



*FIAPO has rescued many animals from circuses by highlighting the trauma and pain suffered by animals while being trained to entertain.*

## 22<sup>nd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARD EDUCATION

Shree Panchmahal Anusuchit Jati Education Trust (PAJET), Adadara, Gujarat

Shree Panchmahal Anusuchit Jati Education Trust (PAJET), Adadara is a non political and non governmental voluntary organization working in the Panchmahal and Dahod Districts of Gujarat for the educational development of tribal and rural people. These Districts are predominantly inhabited by people belonging to the Bhil tribe. Under challenging circumstances, the NGO has



*PAJET is working in the Panchmahal and Dahod Districts for the educational development of tribal and rural people*

established schools and hostels and vocational training centers for improving the quality of life of the tribals.

The Organization has established and is maintaining following educational institutions:

- Gandhi Special School for Deaf & Dumb Children at Godhra, Dist. Panchmahal. Students come from Panchmahal, Dahod, Mahisagar, Chhota Udepur etc. At present 102 students [Boys and Girls] are given free education with boarding and lodging facilities.
- Ashram Shala. It is a Residential School for

Scheduled Tribe Children in Adadara. The School has 1st to 10th standard Classes with separate hostel facility for Girls.

- Girls' Secondary School, Adadara. It provides free educational, boarding and lodging facilities to 166 SC, ST girls and boys of Kalol Taluka.
- PAJET has established 4 Hostels, namely, Smt. Jayaben Bhadrasen Khot Hostel, Ku. Resha Patel Girls Hostel, Nayanaba P. Chauhan Girls Hostel, Swami Vivekanand Boys Hostel. Free lodging and boarding facilities are provided to the students of remote areas. At present more than 300 students are availing the benefits.
- PAJET is providing vocational and skill development training to Persons with Disabilities for a minimum of 6 months and maximum of 12 months.
- Computer Classes have also been started benefitting more than 1000 boys and girls.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation is pleased to confer the Twenty Second Mahaveer Awards in the field of Education on Shree Panchmahal Anusuchit Jati Education Trust in recognition of its significant services. We believe many would be inspired by the services and emulate them.



## 22<sup>nd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARD MEDICINE

Jeevodaya Hospice for Cancer Patients, Chennai, Tamil Nadu



*Jeevodaya believes – “There is limit for cure but no limit for care”.*

Under the aegis of Jeevodaya Public Charitable Trust, the Jeevodaya Hospice was established in 1995. This is the first of its kind in South India and the second in the country. The Hospice is focusing on cancer care and providing free Palliative Care to patients who are terminally ill and beyond the help of treatment centres and abandoned by their family members. Jeevodaya Hospice believes there is limit for cure but no limit for care.

The Hospice has so far taken care of about 6600 patients and more than 5000 persons have breathed their last peacefully at Jeevodaya

since inception. The last rites of orphans and destitute patients are taken care of by Jeevodaya. Out patient care and free medical services are provided to general public of nearby villages.

A free community clinic at Chinna-bommagikulam of Nemmallur panchayat, started in 2013, caters to the needs of more than 15 villages. As on date 1171 patients are getting free treatment. It has adopted two colonies of backward communities and a Govt Lower Primary School. It implements plans to improve the education and standard of living of the children and people in these colonies.

The services offered by Jeevodaya are without any discrimination of caste, class, creed or religion.

It has conducted more than 600 cancer awareness camps and 175 screening camps which have been attended by more than 33000 persons. These camps and screening processes help the patients by detecting the disease before it reaches the advanced stage and referred for early treatment. Jeevodaya is recognised as a regional centre for training doctors and nurses in palliative care by Indian Association of Palliative Care (IAPC).

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation is pleased to confer the Twenty Second Mahaveer Awards in the field of Medicine on Jeevodaya Hospice for Cancer Patients in recognition of its exemplary service. We hope many would be inspired to emulate them.



## 22<sup>nd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARD COMMUNITY & SOCIAL SERVICE

Gramin Adiwasi Samaj Vikas Sansthan (GASVS), Sausar, Madhya Pradesh



**GASVS started the Community Based Rehabilitation (CBR) programme for physically and mentally challenged people in Sausar Block in Chhindwara district**

Gramin Adiwasi Samaj Vikas Sansthan (GASVS) works for physically and mentally challenged people. GASVS started the Community Based Rehabilitation (CBR) programme in 13 Gram Panchayats covering 80 villages and one Nagar Panchayat of Sausar Block in Chhindwara district in Madhya Pradesh. Village Level Disabled Peoples Organisations (DPO) have been formed that have been federated into Block Level Disabled Peoples Organisation in the name of Chetna Vikalang Sangathan Sausar.

417 (152 women and 265 men) People with Disabilities (PwD) are the members of Chetna Vikalang Sangathan. The DPO is a platform which identifies needs of its members, expresses views on priorities, evaluates services, advocates change and public awareness. It uses India's 1995 Disability Act as a springboard for introducing strategic interventions at various government levels, mobilize the PWDs to seek their rights and entitlements by creating leaders

among them.

It engages with the government agencies at the village, taluka, district and state levels to make disability inclusion a priority in their schemes. Through the advocacy of GASVS free public toilet was constructed in the premises of Janpad Panchayat Sausar.

The livelihood support programs like vocational skill training, open employment, wage employment, self-employment, micro savings and accessibility of

credit through other SHGs, linking to the pension schemes of the Government etc were started in 16 Gram Panchayats of Pandurna Block.

The CBR programs focuses on enrolment of Children with Disabilities in the regular schools and the follow up of inclusive education. It works for disabled women in the areas of reproductive health, income generation, micro-credit and vocational training. Out of 167 children and adults with disability, 91 have attained adequate level of health.

GASVS has started Programs that focus on removal of stigma and acceptability of the special people in the society.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation is pleased to confer the Twenty Second Mahaveer Awards in the field of Community & Social Service on Gramin Adiwasi Samaj Vikas Sasthan in recognition of its exemplary service. We hope many would emulate them in the service of society.

## 22<sup>nd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARD WOMEN SOCIAL ENTREPRENEUR/ACHIEVER

Smt Shyamalatha Mohan Raj, New Delhi



*Smt. Shyamalatha Mohan Raj works to rehabilitate leprosy afflicted patients and their families and makes them live with dignity.*

Smt Shyamalatha Mohan Raj is lovingly called as 'Maa Shyama'. She has dedicated her life for the welfare of leprosy afflicted patients and their families. She works to rehabilitate them and make them live with dignity. Leprosy patients in India are the most neglected lot and even today treated as untouchables.

Smt Shyamalatha started her services about 20 years ago when she encountered a leprosy slum in Delhi. Seeing their sufferings, she started visiting the slum regularly and finding solutions for their problems. She organises funds for their upkeep and health check ups and treatment.

She began counselling women on importance of hygiene. She established "Maitreey Preksha Seva Mission" in 2004 which has adopted a few leper colonies/slums situated in Delhi inhabited by 2000 people. The organisation provides dry rations, clothes, household items, stationery, toiletries and other items on daily basis to colonies where people afflicted by leprosy live.

She is running a shelter cum school called "Vatsalyam Gurukul" for destitute girls and for healthy girls of leprosy afflicted parents. This

gurukul mainly intends to prevent the girls from contracting the disease and get a chance to come up in life. The girls are provided free boarding, lodging, schooling and vocational education. Presently there are 50 girls living and studying in this facility.

To address the issue of high drop out rates among slum children, she is running a free tuition centre called "Maitreey Sakshar" in a slum of South Delhi. About 100 slum children are given education in addition to providing nutritional supplements, milk, books, stationery. Four teachers are employed, and classes are held in 2 batches.

She organises funds for the treatment of several poor terminally ill patients who come from Delhi and from far flung villages. She taught them to clean the wound and do dressing on each other. There were no toilets in these colonies where more than 500 people lived. She collected funds and constructed toilets for men and women.

Today, about 12-15 dedicated volunteers are involved with her in working for their welfare. Smt Shyamalatha is a researcher and a writer. She has written articles on various energy healing techniques and has published 5 books. She also regularly conducts spiritual classes.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation is pleased to confer the Twenty Second Mahaveer Awards in the field of Women Social Entrepreneur/Achiever on Smt. Shyamalatha Mohan Raj in recognition of her exemplary service. We hope many would emulate her in the service of society.

## 23<sup>rd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARD NON-VIOLENCE & VEGETARIANISM

Baba Palla Singh Goushala, Baba Bakala Town, Punjab



*Gosevaks have dedicated their lives in the service of cows and other animals*

Sant Baba Palla Singh, known as Gosevak, was born in the village Lohgarh in 1943. He was fond of serving the cows since childhood. He dedicated his life in the service of cows and other animals. His dedication and love for the animals resulted in the establishment of a Goushala in Baba Bakala town, 40 kms from Amritsar in Punjab. The Goushala came to be called Baba Palla Singh Goushala.

Local people grew fond of him and used to invite him along with his cows to graze in their fields believing that the yield in their fields would double ushering in prosperity.

He also established a small hospital to tend to the needs of the stray animals. His concern and care for the cattle spread far and wide. And his Goushala became a refuge for unwanted and stray animals. Thus many animals were saved from slaughter houses and the problem of stray animals was also solved.

Baba Palla Singh passed away in 2018 and has left behind a herd of 16,000 stray animals,

mostly cattle. The Goushala is currently being run by Sewadars (care takers). The dedication and vision of Baba is now being continued by the care takers.

Baba Palla Singh was a true believer in equal rights for animals and served them, mostly stray cattle, throughout his life, without government assistance and away from the limelight. There are many followers of Babaji all over Punjab.

There are various branches of the organisation in different areas of Punjab. All animals including cows, buffalo etc are taken care in the Goushala. The Sewadars of the Organisation take good care of all destitute, stray, injured and wounded animals.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation is pleased to confer the Twenty Third Mahaveer Awards in the field of Non-Violence & Vegetarianism on Baba Palla Singh Goushala, in recognition of its exemplary service for protection and care of animals. We believe many others will be inspired to emulate them.

## 23<sup>rd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARD EDUCATION

Manav Kalyan Trust, Navsari, Gujarat



*Disabled children are given vocational training*

Manav Kalyan Trust, Navsari, Gujarat is a non-profit charitable NGO working in the field of special education and rehabilitation of persons with varied disabilities for the past 5 decades. It provides vocational training, latent skills development and medical care to children/adults afflicted by mental and physical challenges. The Trust was founded by Late Shri Maheshbhai Kothari, a devoted social worker and a visionary.

It is running three residential educational campuses in the district of Navsari, namely,

- Shri P.S. Kothari Multipurpose School for the Deaf.
- Balaji School for the mentally retarded children.
- Training and Rehabilitation center.

- It is running a school for the Blind and low vision, a pre-vocational training center in tribal districts of Dang and Valsad.

Separate buildings for all schools, separate hostels for Girls & Boys, Computer lab, Digital Classes, assembly halls, playgrounds, well maintained kitchens are functioning in the centers.

The schools provide education from Pre-Primary level to Secondary level. The children are provided Physiotherapy services by qualified

Physiotherapists on permanent basis. All educational and residential facilities are provided free of cost to the students.

Presently 788 children with disability are benefitted through the services provided by the residential schools and rehabilitation centre. Also 70 children/adult with various disabilities are getting pre-vocational and vocational training.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation is pleased to confer the Twenty Third Mahaveer Awards in the field of Education on Manav Kalyan Trust in recognition of its significant services. We believe many would be inspired by the services and emulate them.

## 23<sup>rd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARD MEDICINE

Pain and Palliative Care Society, Kozhikode, Kerala



*Providing palliative care to terminally ill patients*

Pain and Palliative Care Society (PPCS) is one of the pioneer charitable societies for community based palliative care for lower income groups. It provides palliative care to individuals with incurable and long-term illnesses, reduces the pain and suffering, provides Out-patient care, In-patient care and Rehabilitation support.

PPCS initiated the first community volunteer program and the first home care program for the bedridden patients. The Foundation Course in Palliative Care started by Pain and Palliative Care Society in 1996 was the first residential course in palliative care for health care professionals. Institute of Palliative Medicine (IPM) is training Doctors, Nurses, Auxiliary nurses and Volunteers in the “Kerala Model” of palliative care worldwide.

Through a program called 'Footprints', it provides rehabilitation support to paralysed and bedridden patients.

It provides regular free of cost home care by

doctors and nurses 6 days a week. Two home care teams set out to make planned visits at the homes and provide doctor's consultation, Nursing care and procedures, Medicines and medical devices, monthly groceries. The program has benefitted more than 400 patients. The organisation spends Rs. 10,000 per day providing home-based palliative care to 14 to 15 patients per day.

The Society has a 30 bedded In-patient facility. The patients and the primary care-givers receive food for free during the in-patient stay. The organisation spends about Rs.18,300 per day to provide In-patient care to the patients and families. More than 47000 out patients and 12000 in patients have been benefitted till date.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation is pleased to confer the Twenty Third Mahaveer Awards in the field of Medicine on Pain & Palliative Care Society in recognition of its exemplary service. We hope many would be inspired to emulate them.



*Providing home care to bed-ridden patients*

## 23<sup>rd</sup> MAHAVEER AWARD COMMUNITY & SOCIAL SERVICE

Sewadham Ashram, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh



*Life time shelter and rehabilitation center for the elderly and mentally ill persons*

Sewadham Ashram Ujjain is serving differently abled kids and running children home for boys and girls for the past 3 decades. Currently Sewadham, is providing shelter to 600 residents irrespective of age and gender.

The ashram is a life time shelter and rehabilitation center. It provides love, care and compassion to children, old, mentally ill and destitute. It provides care and treatment till their last breath. Such under privileged inmates suffering from physiological disorders, cancer and other terminal diseases, orphaned, victims of natural calamities are brought here from all over the country. The inmates are referred through Commissioner, District Collector, Local administration, Social Justice and Empowerment department, judiciary courts and even jails.

The Ashram provided care and shelter for more than 5000 suffering people. Nearly 2000 people were rehabilitated, last rites of more than 1500 people were carried out according to

the individual religious belief, about 500 people benefitted through eye donation. The ashram has organised 200 eye and health camps.

It runs Avedna Kendra, a Hospice where terminally ill residents can breathe their last in peace and dignity. It accommodates 100 women and 100 children. It also runs Sevanjali School for deaf and dumb, Ankit Vinay Vihar School that are imparting education and special training to deaf dumb and mentally ill children.

The organisation is exclusively running on public support, donations from charitable organisations, donations from philanthropists and supporters. Sewadham's humanitarian services are free for the suffering needy people.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation is pleased to confer the Twenty Third Mahaveer Awards in the field of Community & Social Service on Sewadham Ashram in recognition of its exemplary service. We hope many would emulate them in the service of society.



*Providing Humanitarian services with compassion and kindness*

# MAHAVEER AWARD FOR ESSAYS



Bhagwan Mahaveer, the 24th Thirthankara, who lived 2600 years ago emphasised Ahimsa and preached the path of Non-Violence. His main principles and teachings are Ahimsa, Satya, Aparigraha, Astheya and Brahmacharya.

## Snapshot

2019 - 20

**143**

Schools & Colleges  
participated

**52,071**

Total  
Participants

Cumulative (From 2016)

**91,918**

School students  
participated

**24,538**

College students  
participated

**1,16,456**

Total  
Participants

**384**

Prize Winners

**Rs. 18.04 Lakhs**

Total Prize money distributed

## **Overview:**

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation felt the desire and need to acquaint the young people with this Universal Message of Peace & Harmonious co-existence preached by Bhagwan Mahaveer.

The Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation instituted the “Mahaveer Award for Essays” in Tamil and English for the students of schools & colleges situated in and around Chennai. This competition was started in 2016 and held every year. The response of students and teachers of schools and colleges is very encouraging.

## SUGAL GROUP ENTITIES FOR CSR ACTIVITIES

The Sugal Group has established various Charitable Institutions to fulfil the responsibility as a good corporate citizen and contribute to the improvement in the society. It firmly believes that the growth of a Nation lies in Education and Health sectors.

The Sugal Group, through diverse social contributions and initiatives, helps the disadvantaged and marginalised and ensures achieving human development.

### Singhvi Charitable Trust - Estd 1974



- Singhvi Scan & Diagnostic Centre
- Health camps (Eye, Dental etc), assistance for heart & other surgery/treatment in Tamil Nadu & Rajasthan
- Mahaveer Ashray, unit of Cancer Institute, Palliative Care Centre, Sriperumbudur
- Contributions and support to NGOs
- Swach Bharat activities in Rajasthan

### Bhagwan Mahaveer Foundation – Estd 1994



- Mahaveer Awards for excellence in human endeavour in 4 fields
- Mahaveer Awards for Essays for School and College students
- Dr.Nemichand Jain Memorial Awards for journals & books dealing with propagation of non-violence, vegetarianism & teachings of ancient spiritual leaders

### Vidhya Jyothi Trust – Estd 2000



- SJNS Jain Mat. Hr. Sec. School, Triplicane, Chennai
- SJNS Jain Nursery & Primary School, Big Street, Triplicane, Chennai
- SJNS Jain Nursery & Primary School, Ponnappa Lane, Triplicane, Chennai
- Mahaveer Institute of Technology & Science, Jadan, Pali, Rajasthan
- MITS Science Arts & Commerce College
- Smt. Chandrabai Computer Literacy Programme

### JainsIndia Trust – Estd 2002



- Scholarship to Jain students
- Monthly pension to the needy Jains
- Stipend to students for higher studies in Jainology in University of Madras



## INFRASTRUCTURE CREATED AND DONATED

### 1. For Animal Care



- 3.5 acres of land was donated to People for Animals, Chennai where an animal welfare shelter is being run for the past 20 years.
- The Sugal Group donated 18.4 acres of land in Uthukottai, near Chennai, where these animals will be transferred as soon as the requisite infrastructure is ready.



Every day, about 250 kgs of wheat is fed to pigeons at Singhvi Scan and Diagnostic Centre, Triplicane, Chennai.

## 2. For Patient Care

**The Sugal Group has created the following infrastructure for the needy patients:**

1. **Bhagwan Adinath Jain Complex**

The General OPD runs in Bhagwan Adinath Jain complex in Cancer Institute (WIA), Adyar, Chennai.

2. **Bhagwan Mahaveer Vishranti Graha**

The block was donated to the Cancer Institute (WIA), Adyar, Chennai.

3. The **Oncology block** was donated to the Cancer Institute (WIA), Adyar, Chennai

4. **Patient Block** in Voluntary Health Services, Chennai

5. The **Smt. Jadavbai Nathmal Singhvee Glaucoma Service** was donated to the Sankara Nethralaya.

6. **Mahaveer Ashray – A Palliative Care Centre**

The Mahaveer Ashray situated in 5 acres of land in the Smt.Chandrabai Campus was handed over to the Cancer Institute (WIA), Adyar, Chennai on 22/06/2017.





Bhagwan Adinath Jain Complex  
in Cancer Institute (WIA), Adyar, Chennai.



Bhagwan Mahaveer Vishranti Graha  
in Cancer Institute (WIA), Adyar, Chennai.



Oncology Block in Cancer Institute (WIA),  
Adyar, Chennai



Patient Block in Voluntary Health Services,  
Chennai



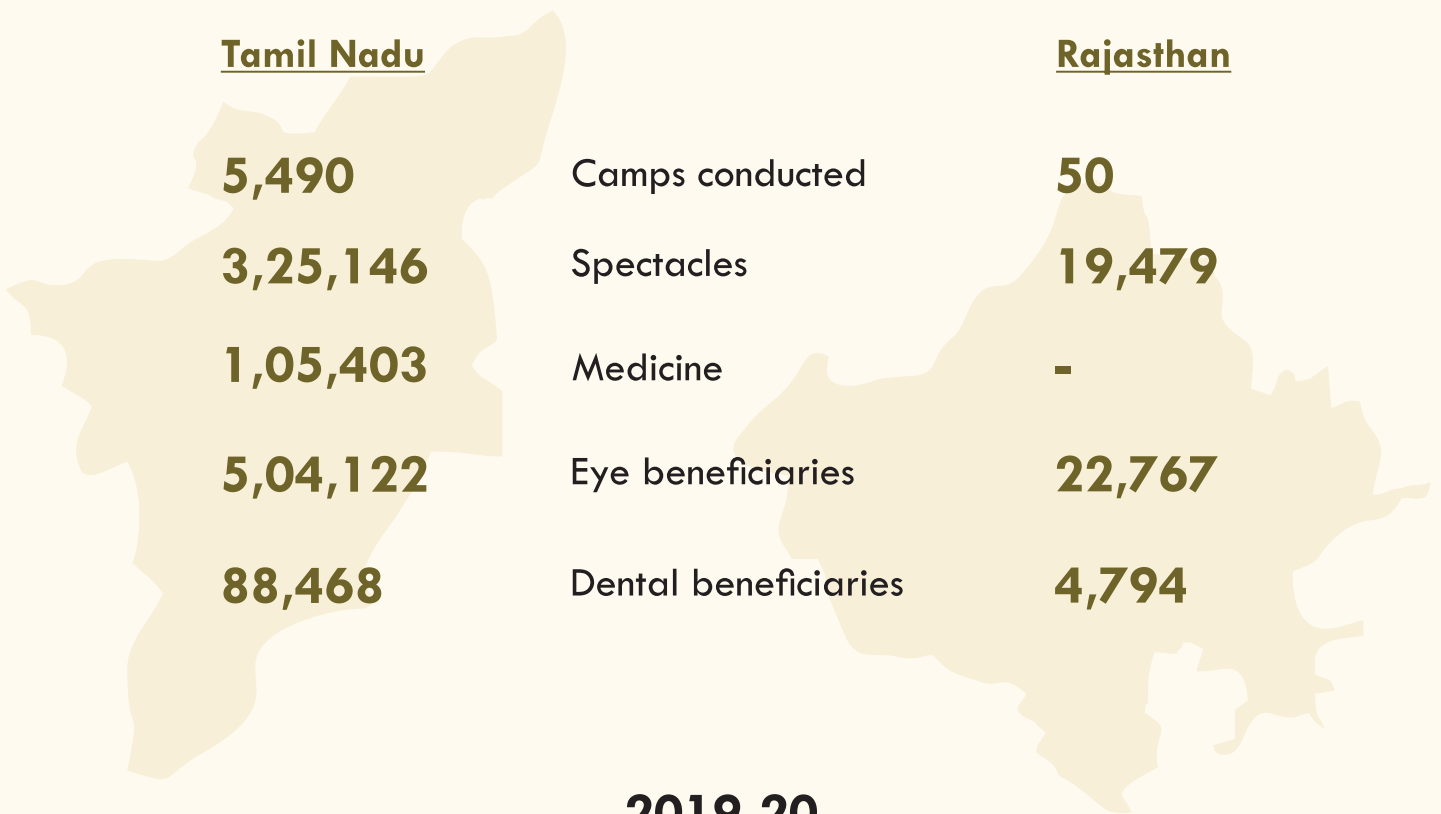
Smt. Jadhavbai Nathmal Singhvee Glaucoma Service  
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# SINGHVI CHARITABLE TRUST

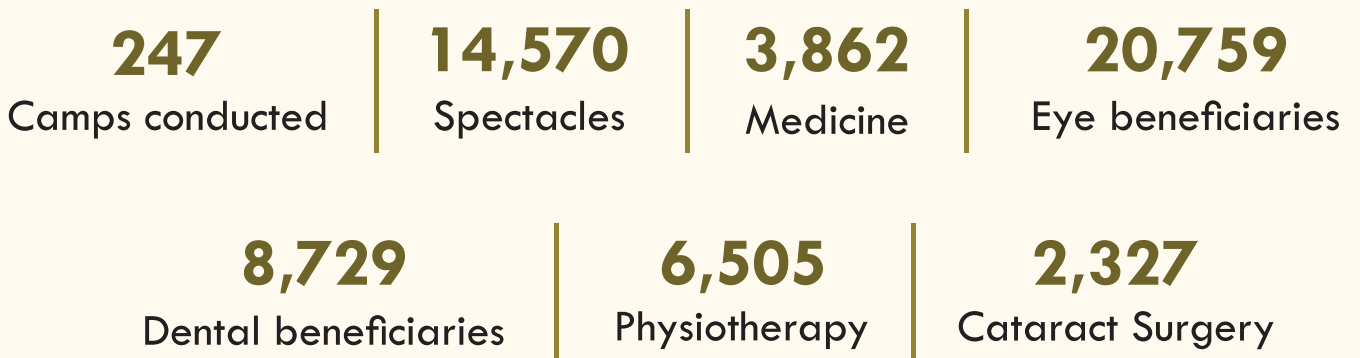
Singhvi Charitable Trust serves the weaker sections of society with the objective of “vision to all”. It undertakes activities to provide Solace, Comfort and Tranquillity to the under privileged, needy and weak.

## Snapshot - Rural and In-house Camps

Cumulative - Since inception



### 2019-20



## Objective

The Singhvi Charitable Trust was established with a vision to help the poor, deserving and needy community. It focussed on improving the social condition and general well being of people. It initiated several programmes, social welfare schemes and measures to ensure good health.



Medical camp conducted at Sadari Desuri, Rajasthan

## Activities

The Trust started conducting free dental, eye and health camps in remote rural areas of Chennai. The Trust continues to conduct the camps for the past 45 years.

1. Camps are conducted on Sundays in rural areas of Chennai. On a daily basis in-house dental and eye camps are conducted in the Singhvi Scan and Diagnostic Centre at Chennai.
2. The Trust started conducting regular medical camps in Pali district of Rajasthan in 2014.
3. Since 2001, Singhvi Charitable Trust provides assistance for poor and needy to undergo heart surgery. A sum of Rs.10000 is given for the purpose. Till December 2020, the Trust has provided assistance to 1609 needy people for the heart surgeries.
4. The Trust provides assistance on need basis to the poor people to undergo medical treatment, gives medicines etc. Amount of Rs. 6 lakhs was given to poor patients in the last 2 years.
5. The Trust regularly distributes notebooks and geometry boxes to the students of Corporation and Government Schools in Chennai.

## VIDHYA JYOTHI TRUST

Vidhya Jyothi Trust was established in 2000 by Shri N.Sugalchand Jain. VJT believes in social change through empowering the children of underprivileged communities.

### **Educational Projects undertaken by VJT**

1. Two Nursery & Primary Schools and a Higher Secondary School under the name SJNS Jain Group of Schools, Chennai, Tamil Nadu.
2. Mahaveer Institute of Technology & Science, Pali, Rajasthan.
3. MITS Science, Arts & Commerce College, Pali, Rajasthan.
4. Provide scholarship to deserving students.
5. Smt. Chandrabai Computer Literacy Programme.
6. Adopting Schools and providing infrastructure to government schools.



**SJNS Jain Matriculation Higher Secondary School, 16 & 17 Ganapathy Street, Triplicane, Chennai.**

The Vidhya Jyothi Trust was founded on the belief that quality education is the undeniable right of every child and that children should not be deprived of this just because they do not have access to it or the resources to realise their dreams. The Trust promotes the welfare of children to bring about a positive change in the social structure of the society for a better tomorrow.

# MAHAVEER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCE

Engineering & Degree college has become a brand synonymous with quality affordable education in the region.

Mahaveer Institute of Technology & Science offers B.Tech. in Computer Science, Electrical, Civil & Mechanical Engineering and is affiliated to Rajasthan Technical University and Bikaner Technical University for the program. The first batch that passed out in session 2017-18 had the highest pass percentage of 93.6% in Rajasthan in the University exams conducted by Rajasthan Technical University.



**Contributing towards better environment- Solar power plant installed in the campus of MITS**

MITS Science Arts & Commerce College started in session 2018-19 is affiliated to Jai Narain Vyas University, Jodhpur. The college is the first English medium college in the region. Looking at the need of the region special emphasis is laid on communication and over all grooming of the students.

Students are also encouraged to participate in many of the social, academic & other co-curricular activities. The programs offered are B.Sc.(PCM), B.Sc.(CBZ), B.Com, B.A. & new courses in offering are B.B.A & B.C.A.

The parent organization Vidhya Jyothi Trust offers merit scholarship to every student. Since the inception of college in 2014, scholarship worth Rs. 5.6 crore has been given in terms of fee waiver to the students. Training & Placement activities are given top priority. The students have been able to secure positions in government, corporate & private sectors.

# JAINS INDIA TRUST

## Overview

The Jains India Trust was established in 2002 to help the needy members of Jain community. JIT has undertaken many charitable activities and educational projects to promote Jain culture, heritage, philosophy, literature, architecture as well as promote Jain Way of Life for our present and future generation.

## Activities undertaken by JIT

- Grant scholarship to deserving students of Jain Community
- Provide Stipend to students pursuing higher studies in Jainology
- Providing financial assistance to needy Jain women



## SNAPSHOT

Cumulative - since inception till December 2020

Scholarship granted	Stipend	Financial assistance to needy women
<b>9,937</b> No. of Students	<b>312</b> No. of Students	<b>1,491</b> No. of Beneficiaries
<b>10,89,59,561</b> Amount (in Rs.)	<b>17,00,000</b> Amount (in Rs.)	<b>2,60,91,000</b> Amount (in Rs.)



# GANADIPATHY TULSI'S JAIN ENGINEERING COLLEGE (GTEC)

Ganadipathy Tulsi's Jain Engineering College (GTEC), named after his Holiness Acharya Sri Ganadipathy Tulsi is functioning from 2000 in Kaniyambadi, Vellore district, which is a remote rural area in Tamil Nadu. Since its inception the College is providing an excellent opportunity for the students from rural area to pursue higher education in the field of Engineering.

The College has excellent infrastructure in terms of land, building, equipment, laboratories and faculty. The College offers 6 disciplines of UG Courses (Civil, CSE, ECE,EEE, IT & Mech), 2 PG Courses (MBA & MCA). Three UG courses namely CSE, ECE & Mech are permanently affiliated to Anna University, Chennai.

The College imparts knowledge and discipline with emphasis on core competence in the fundamentals and strives to inculcate high professionalism and ethical attitude in the students. The college consistently maintains the good track record of Anna University rank holders. The record of campus placement has increased considerably from year to year, many of our students found gainful opportunity in top MNC's.

## **Maharishi Vidya Mandir Vellore**

To provide quality schooling for rural school going students, we have started Maharishi Vidya Mandir, Vellore, a unit of Ganadipathy Tulsi's Jain Engineering College. It is designed to be an international school. It has started functioning from the Academic year 2019-20.



**The school is constructed in a land area of about 6.56 acres  
and the built up area is about 27000 sq.ft.**

# EMPATHY FOUNDATION

## Overview

Empathy Foundation is a Public charitable trust and is the CSR initiative of the Business group - M/S Sugal and Damani.

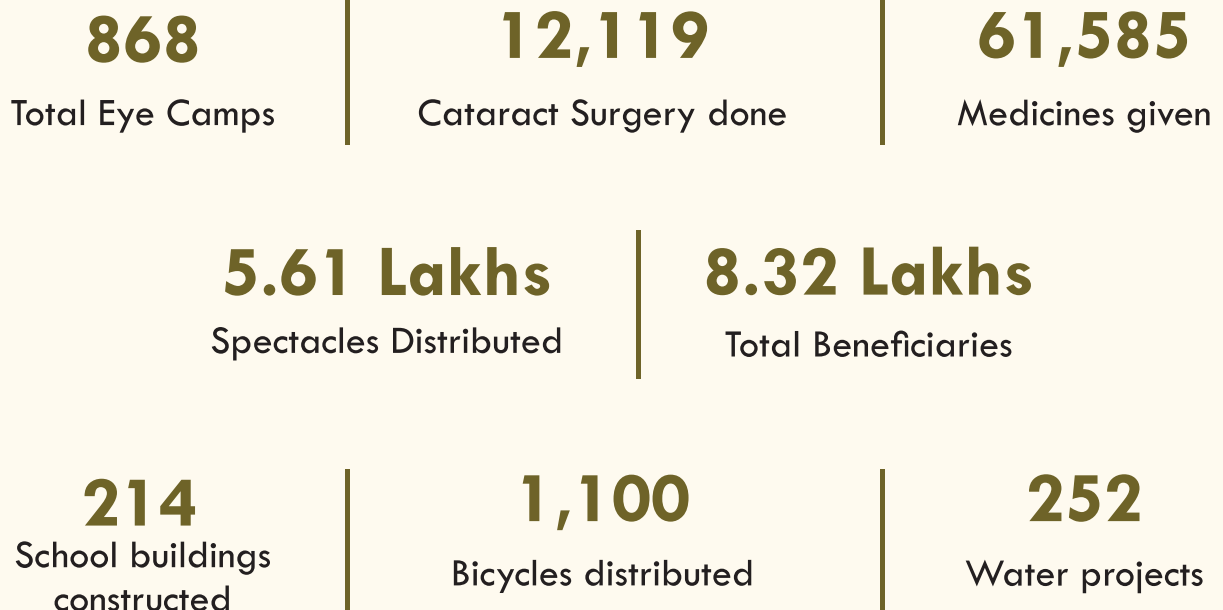
## Activities undertaken

- Distribution of Appliances for disabled
- Manav Vikas Karyakram (Collaborated with Maharashtra Govt.),
- Providing Palliative Home Care services to terminally ill cancer patients
- New Born Baby Kits to needy mothers
- Early Breast Cancer detection program in Maharashtra
- Water Projects in Latur Maharashtra,
- Solar Lights, E- Learning Projects in Various schools in Maharashtra,
- Scholarship to students for Vocational Training

Empathy Foundation has been constructing new school buildings and repairing existing ones where required, in the rural areas of Maharashtra. The Foundation has built 214 schools in more than 16 districts of Maharashtra.

## Snapshot - Activities of Empathy Foundation

### Cumulative - since inception





**The Singhvi Family**





## 150<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of the Father of the Nation

The Sugal & Damani group donated a 15.3 feet bronze statue of Mahatma Gandhi to Dakshin Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Chennai on the occasion of the centenary celebration of Dakshin Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha and 150th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi. The statue of Mahatma Gandhi was unveiled by His Excellency, Shri Ramnath Kovind, Honourable President of India on 21/02/2019 at Chennai.

Shri N.Sugalchand Jain, Founder Trustee, BMF, pays floral tribute to Mahatma Gandhi at the Dakshin Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Chennai.