Annual Report

2016-2017

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From the Founder's Desk

The passion of serving the needy is endless. Kritagyata shaped up when I found myself with lot of restrictions to help the needy and understood that to do service I need to write my own pros and cons.
After spending a decade in working with various NGOs and various volunteer social projects, as we involve more deeper in supporting the needy, once you will soon realize a fact that, there is always a growing gap. Over period of time, various organizations try to scale up, but for various reasons, they saturate at some point.

The only reason is to make sure that they sustain the quality and commitment with the current program. It is in this moment, new NGO jump into take the torch and run into an unexplored territory. I was at this Juncture once, with months of introspection and with a lot of encourage--ment from supporters, I decided to walk on what i felt correct.
Kritagyata can also be explained as my gratitude towards my god who has given this wonder--ful and meaningful life. My family who has always stood by me to fulfill my dream to serve the needy.

My experience for a decade with different NGOs has given me lot of courage and confidence to take this initiative to the next level of practical implementation.
Kritagyata as of today in a sprouting stage, soon to be a very big tree which can give shelter to lot many who deserves.

Aruna Diwakar

Founder – President

Kritagyata: Vision Mission and Goals

Vision: To help the needy children and women to get their basic rights and help the children in educating them and making them sus--tainable to face this competitive world in a healthy way.

Mission: Enabling and encouraging the individual and collective poten--tial around us to utilize the strength to help the needy. Through which the dream of a healthy society is fulfilled. We are continu--ously working towards creating the resources to reach our vision.

Goals: We, at Kritagyata, aim to make the world a better place to live, especially for those who deserve it.

Accredition

- We are registered under the Indian Trusts Act.
  Reg No. RJN – 4 – 00538/ 2014- 15.

- Certified under section 12A R/w Section 12AA (1) (b) (i) of the Income Tax Act.1961.

- Certificate No: CIT(E)BLR/12A/M-137/AACTK5392F/ITO(E)-1/VOL2015-2016.

- Approved under Section 80G (5) (VI) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

- Approval No: CIT(E)BLR/80G/M-138/AACTK5392F/ITO(E)-1VOL2015-2016.

- ECS utility code for Kritagyata Trust is HDFC05786000027702 has been received from NPCI.

Board of Directors

Aruna Diwakar Entreprenuar, Business Consultant. Bangalore	***Founder - President***
Ashok G Team Manager, Birla Sunlife. Bangalore	***Vice President***
Aditya Diwakar Entrepreneur, Bangalore	***Secretary***
Latha Raju A Teacher, Social Worker. Bangalore	***Treasurer***

Societal Impact

The main responsibility of any social organisation is to successfully achieve the goals and objectives the drive for which led to its formation in the first place. We, as a non- profit organisation, aim to bring about the following changes in the society:

1. Providing educational requirements to every deserving child who would otherwise be deprived of it.

2. Empowering the women of rural areas to become self-sustained and fight for their rights.

3. Fulfilling housing, healthcare, education and all other basic requirements of children who are in need for it.

4. Making people aware of the need to save the environment and doing part of the responsibility.

5. Educating people in the rural areas on the need for undergoing regular medical checkups and taking initiatives to organize them ourselves.

My Home

This is a children home where we are taking care of 6 children giving them all the basic facilities like food, shelter, clothing, education and health sup--port. These children are either single parented or completely orphaned. We provide a proper system to take care of there requirements.We send them to a nearby school for all their educational needs.

Children of My Home

Dhanushree's has a single mother who prepares snacks to sell in the neighbourhood and earns her living, she cant afford taking care of the child's basic needs too. She has an other son who is 2 years old.

Sushmitha has a single mother works as a cook for her living and doesnt have a home to live in too, she cant afford taking care of the child's basic needs. The child has a twin sister and a elder sistertoo who stays with us in My Home.

Children of My Home

Hemalatha has both the parents, the father has terminal illness and they are below the povery line, They cant afford taking care of the child's basic needs. The child has a brother who stays with the parents.

Aishwarya has a young single mother who sweeps the roads and stays in the slum, she cant afford taking care of the child's basic needs. The child has a two sisters amongst one stays with us in My Home.

Children of My Home

Nishmitha has a single mother works as a cook for her living and does'nt have a home to live in too, she cant afford taking care of the child's basic needs. The child has a twin sister and a elder sister too who stays with us in My Home.

Smitha has a single mother works as a cook for her living and does'nt have a home to live in too, she cant afford taking care of the child's basic needs. The child has a twin sisters too who stays with us in My Home.

Vidya Spoorthi

This is a unique education empowerment program which caters to the rural and underprivileged children to study uninterruptedly by providing the schooling material. We adopt the bad shaped schools to rejenuvate it to life and help the students to continue studies. We also focus on pro--viding the platform for volunteers to part with their knowledge with the needy children.

This financial year, we conducted the following activities under our Vidya Spoorthi program:

- Complete education sponsorship for 5 children
- Distribution of books and stationary for 200+ children in the rural areas around Bangalore.

Student Profile

She is Suparna B. K. She studies in the 10th Std. She is an extremely talented student and is also the class topper.

She is Isha Kumari. She studies in the 6th Std. She is also a very intelligent student and also the class topper.

She is Tulasi Kumari. She studies in the 5th Std. She is a class topper as well and is also good in extra curricular activities.

Student Profile

He is Sunny Kumar Sharma Studying in 7th Std. An Extremely talented student, good in sports and class topper. He is sponsor--ed under our Vidya spoorthi program.

Nandini G K is an other child studying in 3rd Std, she is a single parented child, her mother working as a cook and not able to take care of the child's education. She is very good in academics.

Highlights of the year

- Visit to the Mango Grove:

We took the children of My Home on a visit to a mango grove near Kolar district for a day out and a feel of fresh air. The child--ren had the seasonal mangoes and enjoyed to their fullest.

- Educational Outing to Bannerghatta National Park:

We took out children on yet another trip to Bannerghata Nation--al Park where they spent ta whole day at the zoo. They learnt a lot about different animals and their habitats.

- Book Donation Drive by Vidya Spoorthi:

Vidya Spoorthi managed to conduct an even bigger book do--nation drive this year by distributing stationsry (including books, sharpeners, erasers, pens. etc.) to about 2,000 children across 27 schools in Nelmangala with the help of the education depart--ment.

Highlights of the year

-Computer Donation:

Another effective initiative to educate the rural children with basic computers. We accumulated three computers in good condition and routed them to an NGO which is training the rural and underprivileged children with basic computers.

-Children's Day Celebration:

We were able to distibute chocolate muffins to about 3,000 children across rural Nelamangala with the help of the amaz--ing bakers of Ovenderful.

-Kendriya Vidyalaya, Yelahanka Foundation Day:

We were invited by Kendriya Vidyalaya Yelahanka to be a part of their foundation day and social interaction day. Our kids also gave cultural performances by dancing and singing.

Highlights of the year

-Work shop for the Board Exam givers:

Our first Workshop for the students preparing for the board exams this academic year was conducted in Chikkaballapur District, under our activity; Vidya Spoorti. We kick started with a crowd of 500 students

Celebrations at My Home

Volunteering Actions

Individual volunteering can be categorised in two different channels:-

1. **Direct Volunteering:**
In this the individual will be involving himself or herself with the direct activites or the partnered activities of the organisation. The sch--edule will be communicated to all the volunteers and their interest of service will be known and the tasks will be deputed accordingly.

2. **Indirect Volunteering:**
In this the individuals who are interested to show their kritagyata towards the society and the time factor is stopping them to do so. We encourage them to write the content, creating newsletters, publishers etc., and help us in building the website and helping us technically.

The forms for both kinds of volunteering can be downloaded in a .pdf format from our website: ***www.kritagyata.com***

Volunteering Actions

As our organization gained a little more exposure and more people came to know about it this year, there were some studnts as well as working you--ng adults who came forward to provide direct as well as indirect volunte--ering services. Some of these services included:

*Spending time with the children at My Home
*Assisting in carrying out the various schedules events
*Providing technical and digital media related help with posting content
*Celebrating various occasions and festivals with the children at My Home

This helped us to ensure that we are growing as an NGO and more people are noticing us. We are proud that we were able to grow to some extent and strive to achieve a higher reachability rate in the suceeding year.

Infrastructure and Development

Last year, we succeeded in making our organisation come into notice by conducting various activities. We managed to grow further by conducting more activities as compared to last year and reaching out to more people.

We also manged to take a few educational and fun trips with our children. Also, many people came in to celebrate various festivals and special occa--sions with our children which helped them interact more and make new friends.

We also grew with respect to our professional and volunteering team as a result of inner desires of some people to serve the society. We are only exp--ect to build even more in relation to manpower in the upcoming year.

The Kids Speak..

"Hi! I am Dhanushree aged about 8 years, studying in 3rd std, Thank you for your support. I aspire to become a teacher in future. I like pink, I love dancing and music and my best play time is with my friends in My Home. "

"Hi! I am Smitha aged about 10 years, studying in 4th std, Thank you for your support. I aspire to become a Dancer in future. I like Maroon, I like dance playing carroms and origami and my best playtime is with my friends in My Home."

"Hi! I am Madhushree aged about 5 years, studying in LKG, Thank you for your support. I aspire to become a Teacher in future. I like Blue, my best playtime is with my friends in My Home.

"Hi! I am Sushmitha aged about 8 years, studying in 3rd std, Thank you for your support. I aspire to become a Engineer in future. I like Blue, and my best playtime is with my friends in My Home."

"Hi! I am Nishmitha aged about 8 years, studying in 3rd std, Thank you for your support. I aspire to become a Engineer in future. I like Purple, I like dance and my best playtime is with my friends in My Home. "

"Hi! I am Aishwarya aged about 6 years, studying in LKG, I am new to My Home, Thank you for your support. I aspire to become a Teacher in future. I like Blue, my best playtime is with my friends in My Home."

"Hi! I am Hemalatha aged about 6 years, studying in LKG, Thank you for your support. I aspire to become a Doctor in future. I like Blue, my best playtime is with my friends in My Home."

"Hi! I am Bhoomika aged about 5 years, studying in LKG, I am new to My Home, Thank you for your support. I aspire to become a Teacher in future. I like Blue, my best playtime is with my friends in My Home."

Our Partners

NGO Partners:

NGO's willing to partner are welcome to be a part of our ongoing activities or we will be open to partner with them to implement any activity formed by them to help the society.

Our NGO PARTNERS ARE: Shiva Shakti Charitable Trust, Punya, Lovedale Foundation And many more like minded NGO's working towards the bene--fits of the society.

Shiva Shakthi CHARITABLE TRUST

punya

LOVEDALE

Our Partners

Holistic Partners:

Our Holistic Partners help the overall development of the children under the umbrella of Kritagyata in terms of health and building immunity.
Our curent Holistic Partner is Swarna Prasanna.

swarna prashana

Testimonials

"At the outset, the very thought of being socially associated with society and make ones presence felt in translating ideas and to transform in reality is something which always appears to be an abstract, because talking is something different to action, but I felt exc--eption is in the case of Mrs Aruna who has chosen to tread a different path by choosing a career which brings smile in destitute children and ignored elderly women."I am glad to vouch for Mrs. Aruna Diwakar and her social venture "Kritagyata"
I know personally Mrs Aruna , President for the last 6 years. She have been doing amazing work for the cause of poor and needy in the city of Bangalore. She is an extremely commit--ted and passionate women. I am sure she will continue to make a difference in the lives of the vulnerable sections of the society. Punya is glad to be associated with her organiz--ation. I confidently vouch Kritagyata's activities & projects particularly "Vidya Spoorthi", authenticate the credentials of Kritagyata ."

Varun V Singhi
Founder and Chief volunteer
Punya An Inspired Vision to Help.

"Few years back, we a group of parents (which includes professional doctors and holistic healers) were looking to facilitate and advocate the use of ancient lifestyle practices to the needy one. One of the projects was to facilitate Ayurvedic way to building better brain power and help young children build immunity in a natural way called as swarna prashana. It was at that time, when we met Aruna, it was inspiring to see a person who appreciate the value of our ancient practices and follow the holistic advises with great dedication and commitment.
It is indeed a great honor to say few words about her dedication. I seek the nature to support her in this highest form of humanity service."

Velu Jayaprakash
Founder of SwarnaPrashana.Org

"Serving our own family is our responsibility, but serving the needy children needs more n greater commitment n heart. Kritagyatha is one such organisation with lots of love n interest in building our country's future generations."

Ranjan and Sowjanya
Wolverhampton near Birmingham

Corporate Social Responsibility

CSR The corporate social responsibility acts a very important and vital role in the sustainability of any NGO. The involvement as a corporate can be very strong pillar for the NGO to focus on the vision and mission and imple--ment the same in a very effective way.

We are primarily focussing on providing nourishment to the girl child specifi--cally as we see of it as an area of issue in our country, and are on the verge of finalizing the deserving children for 2017-18. Transmision India has helped us in taking care of these children. We have planned on increasing the intake at My Home as and when we are able to accumulate the requ--ired funds.

The Bangalore Turf Club has also ben providing us with monetary assistance with our day to day activities and expenses.

Financial Summary

Balance Sheet

Balance Sheet as at 31st March'2015

Liabilities	₹	₹	Assets	₹
Trust fund			**Fixed Assets**	
As per Last Balance Sheet	54,988		As per Schedule No.1	2,57,696
Add: Excess Of Income Over Expenditure	1,88,653	2,43,641	**Current Assets**	
			Rental Advance	80,000
Amount Received from Aruna Diwakar Trustee		2,35,000	**Cash & Bank Balances**	
			HDFC Bank - 443756	3,172
			HDFC Bank - 98906	1,33,508
Audit Fees Payable		10,000	Cash-in-hand	14,266
		4,88,641		**4,88,641**

Income and Expenditure

Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31-03-2015

EXPENDITURE		₹	INCOME		₹
To	Administration Expenses	2,84,463	By	Donations	17,29,939
"	Audit Fees	10,000			
"	Bank Charges	3,501			
"	Consumables & Provision	2,25,549	"	SB Interest	937
"	Clothes	40,645			
"	Salary	3,45,550			
"	Telephone and Internet Charges	32,498			
"	Depreciation	39,253			
"	Electricity Charges	13,337			
"	Gas Charges	11,507			
"	Advertisement Charges	57,915			
"	Medical Expenses	4,282			
"	Printing and Stationery	11,263			
"	Prakruthi Program	44,800			
"	Rent	92,000			
"	Repairs and Maintenance	21,700			
"	School fees	2,27,510			
"	Scholarship	17,600			
"	Water Charges	26,000			
"	Vidya Spoorthi Program	32,850			
"	Excess Of Income Over Expenditure	1,88,653			
		17,30,876			**17,30,876**

Receipts and Payments

Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31-03-2015

RECEIPTS		₹	PAYMENTS		₹
To	**Opening balance**		By	Administration Expenses	92,000
	Cash at Bank	21,651	"	Audit Fees paid	10,000
	Cash in Hand	56,789	"	Administration Charges	2,84,463
			"	Bank Charges	3,501
"	Donations	17,29,939	"	Consumables & Provision	2,25,549
			"	Clothes	40,645
"	SB Interest	937	"	Salary	3,45,550
			"	Telephone and Internet Charges	32,498
			"	Electricity Charges	13,337
			"	Gas Charges	11,507
			"	Advertisement Charges	57,915
			"	Medical Expenses	4,282
			"	Printing and Stationery	11,263
			"	Prakruthi Program	44,800
			"	Repairs and Maintenance	21,700
			"	Vidya Spoorthi Program	32,850
			"	School fees	2,27,510
			"	Scholaship	17,600
			"	Water Charges	26,000
			"	Air Cooler	9,451
			"	Computer	18,250
			"	Furniture	5,500
			"	Mobile Phone	9,400
			"	Two Wheeler	1,12,800
			"	**Closing balance**	
				Cash at Bank	1,36,680
				Cash-in-hand	14,266
		18,09,316			**18,09,316**

Milestones (2016-2017)

Reaching out to about 2,500 children in the rural areas of Benngaluru through our Vidya Spoorthi Program.

Making over 3,000 rural students a part of our festive celebration.

Providing examination guidance to about 500 board-givers of the rural areas.

A much better focus and objective base for our functioning. (Save the girl child.)

Reach Us

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