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If the poor cannot come to education, education must go to them. - Swamy Vivekananda

We are happy that against all odds and misgivings DEENABANDHU CHARITABLE TRUST, MYSORE (DBCT) has established its identity and has come to stay. Beginning with the treatment of one cancer patient and by paying for the educational expenses of two orphan girls in 1996, the Trust has this year assisted in paying the school and college fees of 47 students (30 girls and 17 boys). While normally we pay Rs.5,000/- to each of the financially backward children, we paid special scholarship of Rs.10,000/- each to the following four students in appreciation of the grit and determination they are showing in their studies despite the handicaps they have to face.

Chammattira Rickhy Somaiah, who lost one of her legs in a freak accident has been getting high first class inspite of the odds she has to face. Her father is underemployed. She is studying in B.Com. II Year. She is one of our meritorious students and hence gets a special scholarship award of Rs.10,000/- for the third year in succession. This award was instituted by our founder Treasurer Late Pulianda A. Devaya by making a one time donation of Rs.1,00,000/-.

Ketolira B. Kariappa is a student of Cauvery College, Virajpet. He lost both his parents when he was very young. One of his aunts is helping him in his education. Last year based on his Principal Prof. I.K. Biddappa's recommendation, we had paid him Mr. & Mrs. Maletira M. Kaveriappa endowment scholarship of Rs.10,000/-. Mr. Ketolira A. Chengappa, a planter, Athur Nullore Estate, near Suntikoppa, Kodagu who read about this in our last year's News Letter No. 9, promptly sent us Rs.20,000/- with specific instructions, that this year Rs.10,000/- out of this money be specifically paid to Kariappa in memory of his illustrious grandfather late Dewanbahadur Ketolira. M. Chengappa. By this he has set an example to the rich and famous members in other Kodava families. We were happy to comply with his request.

Balliameederira P. Kavya is doing her II Year B.Com. in Cauvery College, Gonikoppa. She lost her mother when she was very young. Her grand parents Mr. & Mrs. Ottemada S. Aiyyanna who are themselves very poor are educating her. This year Mr. & Mrs. Maletira M. Kaveriappa endowment scholarship of Rs.10,000/- was paid to B.P. Kavya.

Cheppudira K. Tulasi who was one of our beneficiary students for the last 5 years and was a recipient of Rs.10,000/- last year awarded by the Kodava Samaja Cultural and Sports Club, Mysore, passed her

B.Sc. in Computer Science with high distinction and has now taken up a job in Chennai. We are happy that she does not need financial help from us any more. This year's special scholarship of Rs.10,000/- awarded by Kodava Samaja Cultural and Sports Club, Mysore is given to Miss. Patrapanda. U. Shameeka a I year B.Com. student of Cauvery College, Virajpet. Shameeka is a good student but is unfortunate being physically handicap since her birth which restricts her movements.

This year we have for the first time introduced a loan scholarship scheme for meritorious Kodava Students. By this, we plan to selectively provide a returnable loan to any poor Kodava Student who obtains a merit seat in any Medical, Engineering or any Post-graduate Course but cannot join the course due to financial constraints. To such, students we will provide a loan which they must return after completing their course. Cheranda Kaushik Thimmaiah obtained a I class in his B.Sc. with over 75% marks. As his parents could not afford the expenses of sending him for higher studies, he had to take up a job. Persuaded by our Trust, he appeared for the University entrance examination for admission to M.Sc. and stood second in the selection. He has now joined M.Sc.(Genetics) course in the University of Mysore and DBCT has promised to provide him the necessary funds for completing the course on condition that he returns the same on completion of his course.

Though our main thrust is on helping in the education of poverty stricken children, we have also paid for the medical treatment of critically ill-patients wherever it became absolutely necessary, as follows.

(1) Ballanamada Ashwath an employee of a club in Mysore, met with an accident and fractured his skull while returning home from work. He was in a coma for over a week. (2) Maletira A. Boppana a student of Cauvery College, Virajpet, was waiting for a bus ride to return home from his college when a dead branch of a tree fell on his head. The damage done to his head was so severe that he was in a Coma for over a week and was in the ICU. (3) Biddatanda Prashanthkumar's daughter who is about a month old was born with a congenital heart problem and needs heart surgery. The Trust paid Rs.10,000/- to each of these above patients to help them in their medical treatment.

In addition one Ichanda Ponnappa and Kechetira Ponnamma very poor old diabetic and cancer patients and old beneficiaries of the Trust who had nobody to look after them needed amputation of one leg each. Their treatments were very expensive. Mr. Karthamada T. Kariappa a retired aeronautical Engineer from USA who has settled down in Mysore paid us Rs.20,000/- for their treatment. This was a big help without which these patients wouldn't have been able to go through the amputations. Inspite of the specialized treatment, Kechetira Ponnamma passed away.

Since last year, we have been paying nominal annual pensions of Rs.2500/- each to three neglected senior citizens of the community. Thus while during the last one year we spent Rs.2,17,500/- towards the payment of school/college fees of 47 students spread over Gonikoppa, Ponnampet, Moornad, Badaga, Virajpet, Kushalnagar, Chikmundoor, Hudikeri, Arvothoklu, Mysore, Bangalore and Tumkur. We also paid Rs.58,000/- for the treatment of 9 extremely poor patients including the costs of their surgeries, amputations, costs of their crutches, etc.

We are also happy to put on record that more and more affluent Kodavas are coming forward to join us in this movement of helping educate the less fortunate children of the community. Here we wish to particularly thank Mrs. Cheppudira Parvathy Ponnappa for her tireless efforts in helping us in augmenting our resources not only by her own contribution but also by collecting funds from her relatives and friends. She is also responsible for identifying some of our poorest beneficiary students. Similarly, Mrs. Maneyapanda Mary Cariappa has been instrumental in carrying the Trust's message among the rich Kodavas. So far she along with her children and grand children have made a total donation of Rs.60,000/- and is always trying to persuade her rich relatives to contribute to our cause. Among our Trustees Mr. Maletira Nanjappa and Mrs. Chimmy Nanjappa have been in the forefront in collecting funds for the Trust. They have been collecting nearly a lakh of rupees every year for the Trust from their sons, friends and relatives. Mrs.Codanda Dechu Karumbaiah has also been instrumental in collecting funds for the Trust. The Trust is thankful to all of them for their efforts.

Kodava Samaja, Mysore under the Presidentship of Kattera A. Kariappa has been a tower of strength to us. Apart from their unflinching support, this year, they have given us a contribution of Rs.55,000/- making a total contribution of Rupees One Lakh during the last three years. In addition, Kodava Samaja

Cultural and Sports Club, Mysore has doubled their contribution by promising us Rs.20,000/- this year of which they have already paid Rs.10,000/-. While we are grateful to Mr. K.A. Kariappa and Mr. Mechanda M. Karumbaiah the Presidents of the Kodava Samaja and the Club, we have also instituted two special scholarships of Rs.10,000/- each to two most deserving of our beneficiary students. This year as mentioned earlier Miss Patrapanda U. Shameeka of Cauvery College, Virajpet was awarded the Scholarship instituted in the name of the Kodava Samaja Cultural and Sports Club, Mysore.

On the 9th of September this year in the annual meeting of the Trustees and Donors at the Kodava Samaja, Mysore our founder President Col. (Rtd) Pattamada C. Ganapathy and Mrs. Shanthi Ganapathy donated a fabulous amount of Rupees One Lakh to the Trust with instructions to create an endowment scholarship in their names and award Rs.10,000/- to a very deserving beneficiary student every year. The Trust is grateful to them.

During the last 15 years, the Trust has been built up by the tireless efforts of the Trustees and their spouses. Most of them are above seventy five years of age and some of them are not keeping good health. In the interest of Trust's growth and also with a view to hand over the reins of the Trust to the younger generation Mr.M.M. Nanjappa and Col.(Rtd.) N.B. Belliappa - two of our Founder Trustees have expressed their desires to retire and have asked for two younger members of the Kodava Community to be inducted as Trustees. We wish to put on record that without the hard work done particularly by these two elderly Trustees, the Trust could not have been built up to this level. We are grateful to them. We accede to their wishes and will continue to seek their guidance in the future. We wish them long and happy retired life.

In the meeting held on 9th September 2011 at Kodava Samaja, Mysore the following two prominent members of the Kodava Community were requested to join the Trust and on their acceptance were inducted into the Trust as Trustees.

- (1) Mr. Mechanda M. Karumbaiah, President, Kodava Samaja Cultural and Sports, Club, Mysore.
- (2) Prof. (Dr.) Kambeyanda C. Belliappa, Ph.D., Former Vice Chancellor, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh.

As during the previous years Prof. Ittira K. Biddappa and Dr.A.S. Pushpa Poovamma, Principals of Cauvery Colleges, Virajpet and Gonikoppa were very helpful in identifying really poor and deserving students who needed financial help in their colleges. Without their help it would not have been possible for us to reach out to needy Kodava Students. We thank them for their help. Next year we intend approaching Principals of a few more colleges in Kodagu for such help.

In appreciation of the work DBCT is doing the management of Cauvery College, Gonikoppal, Kodagu on the occasion of the inauguration of their Students Association and Talent Spectrum on 16th September 2011, felicitated the Trust's President Maletira M. Kaveriappa. On this occasion both Sri. Ajjinicanda T. Bheemaiah, the Vice President of Cauvery Education Society, Gonikoppal and Prof. Ittira K. Biddappa, Principal of the College paid glowing tributes to the humanitarian work DBCT is doing. The gratitude expressed by some of the beneficiary students present in the function was very moving. While thanking the college management for the felicitation on behalf of the Trust Sri. Kaveriappa said that it was a very satisfying moment for him. He also promised that the Trust shall continue to strive to help more and more poor students in different parts of Kodagu in the years to come.

During the period under this report we have gratefully received the following amounts

No	Name	Amt Rs		No	NAME	Amt Rs
1	Kodava Samaja, Mysore	55,000		5	Mr. & Mrs. Ketolira A. Chengappa , Suntikoppa	20,000

2	Capt. Biddanda Dulip Nachaiah, Qatar	30,000	6	Mr. & Mrs. Kandrathanda N. Ganapathi, Mumbai	15,000
3	Mr. & Mrs. Maletira Nanjappa Bopanna, Coonoor	25,000	7	Mrs. Chemira Cauvery Subramani,	12,000
4	Mr. Karthamada T. Kariappa, Mysore	20,000	8	Col. & Mrs. Ajjinicanda A. Ganapathy	12,000

We have also gratefully received Rs.10,000/- from each of the following:

1	Nanie Enterprises, Mysore		2	Mr. & Mrs. Malettira Nanjappa Appaiah, Bangkok	
3	Mr. & Mrs. Cheppudira. P. Belliappa of C.M.Poonacha Medical & Educational Relief Trust, Hosur, Kodagu.		4	Mrs. Swapna Bollera, U.S.A. - in memory of her father Kokkengada M. Ponnappa	
5	Mr. Kaliyatanda W. Somaiah, Mysore		6	Mrs. & Dr. Kambeyanda C. Belliappa, Mysore	
7	Mrs. & Wg. Cdr. Chendrimada G. Madappa, Mysore		8	Mrs. & Group Capt. Ammatanda Chinnappa Muthanna, Bangalore	
9	Mr. & Mrs. Maneyapanda J. Subbaiah, Mysore.		10	Mrs. Kuppanda Kitty and Ms. Simone Mandanna, Mysore - in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Kuppanda Muddappa.	
11	Mr. & Mrs. Nayakanda U. Appaiah, Mysore		12	Kodava Samaja Cultural & Sports Club, Mysore	
13	Mr. Parongada M. Cariappa, Boston, U.S.A. Grand son of Mrs. M. Mary Cariappa.		14	Mrs. Kuppanda Kitty and Ms. Simone Mandanna, Mysore - in memory of Chonira Smt.Gowru and Sri. Muthanna.	
15	Mr. & Mrs. Chenanda M. Ravish Machaiah, Bangalore		16	Mr. & Mrs. Chendrimada Shiv Somanna, Suntikoppa	
17	Mr. & Mrs. Moovera K. Kuttappa, Mysore		18	Messrs. Lion Security Bureau, Mysore.	
19	Mrs. Codanda Usha Bopaiah, Mysore		20	Anonymous Well Wisher, Mysore.	

21	Mr. & Mrs. Koothanda C. Medappa, Bangalore.		22	Mrs. Madrira Parvathi Biddappa, Mysore
23	Mr. & Mrs. Cheppudira P. Poonacha (Prithvi), Kanoor, Kodagu.		24	Mr. & Mrs. Kandrathanda A. Cariappa (Sunny), Madikeri
25	Mr. & Mrs. Mukkatira A. Appaiah and Kasturi, Parane, Kodagu.		26	Mrs. Ballachanda Shobha Belliappa, Mysore.
27	Mr. Maneyapanda Anil Cariappa S/o Mrs. Mary Cariappa, Dubai		28	Mr. & Mrs. Mandetira A. Ponnappa, Madapur

And we have received Rs.5,000/- from each of the following:

1	Mr. Ponjanda Ponnappa Appaiah, USA		2	Mr. & Mrs. Kuppanda Dalu Achaiah, Mysore
3	Dr. Patrapanda P. Poovamma, Mysore		4	Mrs. Cheppudira Parvathi Ponnappa, Mysore
5	Mr. & Mrs. Ajjinikanda A. Ganapathy		6	Mr. & Mrs. Chepudira Prithvi Poonacha, Kanoor
7	Mr. Chembanda G. Somanna, Mysore		8	Mr. & Mrs. Ballaranda Keshu Achaiah, Mysore
9	Mr. & Mrs. Bellathanda Amith Achaiah, Mysore		10	One who wants to remain Anonymous, Bangalore
11	Mr. & Mrs. Koothanda M. Poonacha, Bangalore		12	Mr. & Mrs. Puchimada K. Somaiah, Mysore
13	Ms. Shabari Karumbaiah, Singapore		14	Mr. Pemmanda M. Ganapathy, Mysore
15	Mr. & Mrs. Chemira B. Changappa, Mysore		16	Mr. & Mrs. Cheranda M. Madaiah, Mysore.
17	Mrs. Codanda Kami Cariappa		18	Mrs. Mandepanda Muthamma Appaiah, Mysore
19	Mr. & Mrs. Poyyettira Ganapathy, Mysore		20	Mr. & Mrs. Appachattolanda Harish Somaiah, Arecad, Kodagu.
21	Mr. & Mrs. Mukkatira Dinesh & Kavitha Madappa, USA		22	Mr. & Mrs. Nadkerianda A. Cariappa, Mysore

23	Mrs. Kokkengada Soubhagya Ponnappa - in memory of her parents Biddanda Aiyappa and Poovamma, Paka Estate	24	Mrs. & Dr. Kodira A. Kushalappa, Mysore.
25	Mr. & Mrs. Ottemada Rajamani, Kanoor	26	Mr. & Mrs. Adengada Belliappa (Vasu), Balele
27	Mr. & Mrs. Chenanda Deepak Ganapathy, Mysore.	28	Mr. & Mrs. Kalyatanda B. Ganapathy, Academy Newspapers Ltd.,
29	Mr. & Mrs. Kokkalera N. Uthaiiah, Mysore	30	Mrs. Kambeyanda Poly Cariappa, Mysore
31	Mr. & Mrs. Cheriyaanda C. Nanaiah, Kanoor	32	Mr. & Mrs. Chendrimada Ashok. Achaya, B'lore
33	Mr. & Mrs. Bidanda Bopayya, U.S.A. (Rs.5,520/-)	34	Mr. & Mrs. Maletira M. Kaveriappa, Mysore
35	Dr. Krithika Sampath Mullengada, U.S.A.	36	Mr. & Mrs. Manepanda G. Cariappa, Mysore
37	Mr. & Mrs. Natolanda A. Nanaiah, Madikeri	38	Ms. Codanda Shabari Karumbaiah, Singapore.
39	Mrs. & Col. (Rtd.) Chourira A. Ganapathy, Mysore	40	Mr. & Mrs. Mandetira Subramani, Mysore.
41	Mr. & Mrs. Biddanda G. Ponnappa, Kudige	42	Mr. Nayakanda M. Thimmaiah, Mysore.

And we thank the following ladies and gentlemen for the contributions shown against their names.

1)	Miss. Cheppudira Prarthana Poonacha, Kanoor	Rs.3,000
2)	Manepanda Ashwin Cariappa, Dubai - Grandson of Mrs. Mary Cariappa	Rs.3,000
3)	Mrs. Manepanda Mary Cariappa, Mysore.	Rs.2,750
4)	Mrs. Machimanda Geetha Karumbaiah, Hudikeri	Rs.2,500
5)	Mrs. Karthachira Renuka Devaiah, Cochin	Rs.2,500
6)	Mr. M.K. Prakash, Kanoor	Rs.2,000

7)	Mr. Manakamane Prakash, Kanoor	Rs. 2,000
8)	Mr. & Mrs. Ajjeranda B. Uthappa, Mysore	Rs. 1,000
9)	Mr. Kuttimada A. Muthappa, Mysore	Rs. 1,000
10)	Dr. Biddanda C. Ponnappa U.S.A.	Rs. 1,000
11)	Mr. Cheriya Annaiah, Kanoor	Rs. 1,000
12)	Mr. Kalengada Shiv Kalappa, Chennai	Rs. 1,000
13)	Mrs. Kuppanda Shanthi Subbaiah, Bangalore	Rs. 1,000

Our Annual Accounts have been updated and audited till 31st March 2011.

We thank Mr. Poyyettira S. Ganapathy of Good Touch Printers of Mysore for printing this newsletter free of cost as he has been doing for us for the last few years.

P.S.

- (1) If the names of any of our donors have been left out or wrongly printed in the above list it may kindly be brought to the notice of one of the office bearers on Mob. No. 970066142 or 919481533632.
- (2) Willing Kodava donors may kindly send their contributions by crossed cheques drawn in favour of DEENABANDHU CHARITABLE TRUST, MYSORE to the above address. Our donors are entitled to benefits under Sec. 80 G of the Income Tax Act.
- (3) Details of our Trust are also available in the web site 'kodavadeenabandhu.org'