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AVGIANS & BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

Wish,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, All our *well wishers*

*Happy & Prosperous
New Year 2009*

Dear Well-wishers,

We are happy to address you all on the eve of New Year to wish you and your families a Happy & Prosperous New Year 2009. On this occasion we would like to memorise and share with you our AVG's VISION, MISSION and revive the APPEAL which is being reported to you all in these columns.

VISION: Vision of AVG is to facilitate the deserving orphan and poor students in all aspects to pursue their higher studies thereby realise their aspirations & goals and stand on their own in the society as successful citizens in all parameters.

MISSION: Getting construction of the 'AVG Golden Jubilee Home' to embrace more number of deserving orphan and poor students. (AVG Golden Jubilee Home is about to be constructed in the site allotted by the HUDA)

APPEAL: We earnestly Appeal you all to participate in fulfillment of AVG *Mission* by donating generously as doing for all these years. With such help and blessings of many philanthropists like you only, the AVG *Vision* could last long.

With warm new year greetings,

Yours Sincerely,

(C.V. RAGHUVIER)
PRESIDENT

(M. RAJESH)
GENERAL SECRETARY

"TOGETHER WE CAN"

Current Events

Blood Donation

The AVGians voluntarily donated blood in a camp organized at AVG on 19.10.2008. The camp has been sponsored by a social group of software professionals called 'NESTHAM' under the leadership of Sri V Ashok. The doctors and medical staff of Govt. Blood Bank, Narayanguda, Hyd. have collected the blood while conducting requisite tests for the donors and they also issued donor certificates. Inaugurating the blood donation camp the beloved well wisher of AVG Sri D Sudheer Reddy, ex-HUDA Chairman, has well noticed and appreciated the AVG boys for coming forward and donating blood. AVG Secretary Sri M Rajesh conveyed thanks to the NESTHAM and medical team of Blood Bank for conducting the blood camp. The NESTHAM group and AVG Board Member Sri K Srinivasa Reddy also donated blood in the camp. By this voluntarily gesture the AVGians proved a sort of their commitment towards the society which is always caring them.

Building Committee Meeting

AVG Golden Jubilee Home building committee met under the chairmanship of Sri K Saibaba on 12.12.2008 to review the activities towards the construction. With the slow phase in the preparatory activities the committee took a decision to speed up the process and must have meetings once in a month as suggested by the Chairman. Initially the member convener Sri M Rajesh appraised the committee about present status and steps taken for finalization of the building plan.

Board Meeting

For taking stock of routine affairs the AVG Managing Committee met in October under chairmanship of Vice-president Sri Y Narasaiah. After briefing by the Secretary Sri M Rajesh the board reviewed AVG activities in detail. The AVG accounts for 2007-08 placed in the meeting were approved. Sri K G Maniyar, Chartered Accountant has come forward voluntarily and taken up the task of statutory audit and Sri M Prabhakar Reddy, who volunteered to advice on accounts maintenance, have detailed the accounts and financial position to the board members. The board also had a brief on AVG Home construction affairs. Appreciations were placed on record by the board for Sri V Maheswar and Sri K Srinivasa Reddy for their services in regular publishing of AVG TIMES and for Sri M Prabhakar Reddy for his advices in Tax matters. After the meeting as a token of gratitude Sri K G Maniyar, Chartered Accountant, was felicitated with a shawl and memento by the Secretary in the presence of AVGians and the board members.

Special Classes

As part of special classes to AVGians on various issues;

- Sri Vangipuram Ravi Kumar, HR Consultant, has been taking classes to the AVGians on topics like Human Relations, Self Motivation and Consciousness. He has also provided study material specially designed for the AVGians.
- The AVGians got opportunity of attending the Personality Development classes being arranged monthly twice at Amberpet Sri Shirdi Sai Baba Temple by the Temple Trust under Chairmanship of Sri K Sai Baba. Speakers in the classes include Dr Ratnakar, Head of Global Hospitals, Dr B V Pattabiram, Sri Venu Baghavan, Dr N Renuka Devi, Trainer of Mind Management.
- Sri Sampath Reddy of Q.Q. Govt. Polytechnic, is teaching Grammar & General English to the AVGians. Sri V Maheshwar of CHASE Institute of Spoken English & Personality Development has also been providing Spoken English coaching to the AVG boys. Particularly the students coming from Telugu medium are very much benefited from the English classes.
- The AVGians daily schedule includes compulsory session of Meditation in the early morning from 5.30 to 6.00. As part of regular practice of meditation under guidance and supervision of Spiritual Master Sri K Srinivasa Reddy, a special class of Sri Raya Jagapathi Raju, Senior Pyramid Spiritual Master, has been arranged on a Full Moon day in November, 2008. The AVGians Meditational experiences are tremendous resulting in successful taking path of self-realization besides spontaneously improving their concentration, memory power and getting rid of general health disorders, if any, in their routine life.
- A few of Pyramid Young Masters Association members have come and shared their meditational experiences with the AVGians and offered to provide any help in practicing of meditation.

'AVG Home'

Construction Progress.....

Completing all procedures an Application alongwith building plan has been submitted to the GHMC seeking permission for construction. And it is being actively pursued with the GHMC. The construction work will start once the permission is granted by the GHMC.

from
Editorial Desk.....

*By stepping into New Year 2009 our AVG has crossed one more milestone of its 100 years – a century. Initially this temple like shelter of needy has been conceptualised in the year 1919 by an advocate and a humble philanthropist late Sri Ambadas Mukhedkar with an ambition of providing shelter to orphan and poor boys with burning desire and determination to pursue higher studies. Ofcourse those were the days known for people sharing their mite for such a noble cause of uplifting needy. With the passage of time it is known fact all societal environment has undergone a sea change and in the process order of the day has emerged as accumulating the individual assets as much as possible by whatever means and deeds. Philanthropism has taken back seat otherwise replaced by commercialism. But still the AVG has been surviving and sustaining despite so many ups and downs in its journey, because of its unequivocal ambition and generosity of New Age Philanthropists (NAPsters). On the other hand year by year more number of students are knocking the door of AVG for shelter as they found the AVG is a right place to stand by them with its uncompromised system of support. During the last century hundreds of orphans and poor boys being AVGians have come out with flying colors in their studies and leading life in a manner not below to none. This all credit goes to a number of ordinary individuals those who have been guiding and guarding the AVG all along as part of their life and equally to the NAPsters who have been extending their helping hand with subscriptions and donations in cash and kind. With **New Year Greetings...** the AVG appeals more NAPsters to come forward and express their philanthropy and patronage.*

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THOUGHT – TALK – HUMANITY

KEEP ON KEEPING ON

(Anitha Chopra)

In 1938 when Soichiro Honda took his 1st working sample of piston ring to Toyota, they rejected it stating that the sample was not upto their standards. Rather than focusing on the failure, he continued to work on his goal. After two years of redesigning, he finally won a contract with Toyota. He built a factor which was brought down into rubbles by an earthquake. Honda was not a man who would accept failure as a possibility. Recession is depression caused by the war had created extreme Gasoline shortage in Japan. So people resorted to and cycling. Honda designed a tiny engine and attached it to cycle. His neighbors too wanted one of those motorized cycles from him. So he built plant and manufactured his motor cycle “The super cub” which earned him the Emperors award! Today Honda Corporation employees over 1 lakh people why? Honda never considered failures as the end.

Great people become great people because of the way they dealt with failures are set backs in life. At every fall they refused to remain fallen. They refused to quit. They refused to give up. They refused to access a “NO” from life. “Their greatest glory” in the words of “never falling but rising every time they fall”.

The news paper editor hired him because he had no new ideas! A pastor employed him to draw conversing material for the church. He was allowed to stay in the mouse- infested church garage. One of the mice inspired the man so much that Mickey-Mouse was born and Walt Disney was revealed to the world. Walt Disney epitomized what Churchill preached Never, Never, Never, Never, Never give up. Chester Earlsions idea was rejected by over 20 corporations and also 7 long years of rejections. He started his own Xerox Corporation! Colons Harland D Sanders heard 1009 No's to his proposals of a food chicken recipe before he heard the first “YES” and thus the multimillion dollar RFL Corporation was born. The Ramboe we know, Sylvester's album one was rejected by over 1000 agents before he had his first break through. One of the greatest inventors by are times who went on to receive 1093 patents, more than any one in the history of the world is Thomas Alva Edison.

Even he failed 9999 times before he perfected the light bulb! Einstein's parents thought that he was mentally retorted. Steven Spielberg was placed in a special class for learning disabled! ISSAC NEWTON did barely in grade School! Beethovan's music teacher told him. “You are helpless”! Michel Tordan was dropped Francis school basket base team. Winston Churchill failed in his 6th grade. Edison's teachers told him he was too studied to learn

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Grateful to.....

P Upender Reddy	- Rs.1,50,000
V Ashok	- Rs.16,270
Garlapati Subba Rao	- Rs.22,500
Indira Vadapally	- Rs.10,000
Central Bank of India Staff	- Rs.10,000
PYMA (an organization of spiritual youth)	- Bunch of new age Spiritual Books

..... these contributions to AVG will go in the long way as to serve the society thro' AVG.

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Many feel, but only a few can express. It is the power of expressing one's love and appreciation and sympathy for others, that enables a person to succeed better than others.

- Swami Vivekananda

KEEP ON KEEPING ON

..... anything !!! Abraham Lincoln failed in business at the age of 21 and again at 24. He was defeated in a legislative race at the age of 22 and twice in the congress race at the age of 34 and again at the age is 36. He lost senatorial race at the age of 45 and 49. He ailed to become the vice-president of USA at the age of 47. Yes after are these failures. Abraham Lincoln went on to become the historic president of United States at the age of 52.

Failure is the Parenthesis inside which success hides, there is no sun rise with out sunset. There is no life with out death. There cannot be only success with out failures. Champions that it is better to face outstanding failures than mediocre success. Only those who are willing to persist in spite of temporary set backs, only those who would not succumb to defeats. Only those who persisted in spite of midway failures went on to write success stories.

The very fact that so many failures have finally turned into success implies that failures are not wrong. Learn from your failures and move on. Just don't give up. *Keep on keeping on.*

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