From the Director's Desk...

May 15 - International Family Day

Family is an integral part of every human. Every man is incomplete without family. Man is a social animal; in his life family plays an important role. A family means to have a man, his parents, his wife and his children all are living together.

All family members share equal part while shouldering responsibilities within the family. This will make the family complete and all members are happy. This is very much required in the society as because a good family makes a good society and a good society makes a good country.

A happy man will work happily, behave well with others, and completes all his responsibility towards society and nation. A family is behind a happy man.

There are numerous advantages of a family. These are: ♦ Family makes man complete human being. ♦ Men need someone close to share their happiness and problems. This gap is fulfilled by a family. ♦ Similarly, people are living within a family is happier than a people who live alone. Because family can cure your many problems but a lonely person can’t. ♦ Living within a family makes all members protected and secure from outside conflicts. ♦ Children within a family are more active, quick learners and smart due to elders/seniors are guiding them. ♦ Love, strength, honesty, confidence are building within a child who brought up under the guidance of elders. This is only happens in a family. ♦ The values of family will impact on a growing child within a society.

Finally, we all should make good family to get a good society.

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DB Tech: Don Bosco Tech is soaring high in skilling the Youth. In Telangana, under the SC Corporation Skilling Training programme we have training centres in Nizamabad district for dropouts and unemployed youth in different domains like General Duty Assistant (GDA), Hospitality and Retail. Successfully trained candidates are job placed, among them are these four working in Hyderabad.
Children's Parliament Staff Review Meeting

Children's Parliament: On 8th of April, Children Parliament-Tuition Centre teachers had a review meeting in Don Bosco Provincial House. Each one presented year long programme and evaluation of the programme took place. New learnings were shared, including creative ways of presenting the parliament to children. Some suggestions and resolutions were finalized for the upcoming programme.

Advertise For A Healthy Future

DBHRDC: On 28th April a Health Advisory Session was organised for students at Don Bosco Human Resource Development Centre, Gagillapur. Dr. Srinivas from St. Ignatius Health Centre addressed the students. He said, good health is a great asset, it is gift of God, and we need to take care of health by cultivating good habits. He said that most youth in the modern world feel, consuming alcohol and smoking is an identity of their adulthood, it is wrong notion. He enumerated few good health tips to be used in daily life. Students expressed their gratitude to the Doctor for giving them health advise that will be useful and relevant for their whole life.

Enterprising Sathya finds Success

"I am Thunduri Sathya Sri W/o. Srinivasa Rao. I belong to Machavaram Village in Ambajipeta Mandal of East Godavari District. I am one of the members of Srinivasa Self-Help Group and borrowed Rs. 20,000/- twice from Bosco Swavalambana MACS. I added some amount to the loan and purchased a grinding mill. I powder cereals, spices and pulses for a fixed rates. I am getting a decent income to run my family and I am repaying the loan regularly. I have two children who go to school regularly and are doing well. Currently my business is in good position. I am thankful to MACS for their help and guidance."

Tuition Centres Impactful in Ravulapalem

Tuition Centres: Bosco Seva Kendra supports 10 tuition centers at Ravulapalem. The tuition teachers have shared the feedback received from the parents of the children attending these centres. Each of the centres have reported positive response to the initiative saying that the parents are happy to see the children going to tuition centers and studying and reading under the guidance of a teacher. The elders of the villages also were happy to see children going to tuition rather than watching TV and wasting their time at home. The children are also feeling that they are able cope up with other students in the School.
A Temple of learning and a Shelter of Motivation

YaR: Don Bosco Bridge School with a long-standing tradition of excellence coupled with a caring, stimulating, and open ethos. We believe in educating students in the academic domains and engendering the qualities of courage, optimism, respect, and integrity.

This has come true in the life of Vasupalli Akash. Akash’s family migrated from Calcutta in search of livelihood. Father being a fisherman, the family landed on the shores of Visakhapatnam to throw their nets into deep waters, for a handsome catch to sustain the family. As the family was swimming against the currents of the sea, Akash was found drowning in the cares of little things. Akash took to the streets, exposing him to the dangers of unhealthy childhood. But Don Bosco brought him into the nets of education. The flexible learning spaces enabled Akash to engage in rich as well as meaningful experiences, to interact with peers and adults, and to develop lifelong skills. Though the education and the learning tasted bitter than street life for Akash, Don Bosco motivated him to continue with his studies.

Akash is mainstreamed to the regular school, and is very happy to be in school and is now studying in 7th class. He proudly says that, Don Bosco has become a temple of education and a shelter of motivation for him. He is ever grateful along with his parents for teaching him the alphabets of life to dream big.

Alumni Meet @ Schneider Electric

DB Tech: Electrical Domain students of Don Bosco Human Resource Development Centre (DBHRDC), Gagillapur participated in Alumni meet conducted by Schneider Electric located at Gagillapur. Mr. Prashanth Shetty Assistant Manager-CSR of Schneider Electric, Mr.Devadas Shetty – Plant Head and Mr.Raju the associate manager were present for the meet. Mr.Shiva Kumar, one of the DBTech Alum present at the meet shared his experience of training at DBHRDC and how it has positively changed his outlook towards work. The meet was an excellent platform for sharing among those working in the Electric field.

Volunteers' Meet @ DBNJ Vizag

Easter Celebration @ DBNJ Warangal

DBNJ, Warangal: Egg symbolizes New Life that Easter promises. The children and staff of DBNJ got together in preparing Easter Eggs and remembered all the benefactors and friends of DBNJ in their prayers.
Summer Camps @ INH Province