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Annamrita is looking out for talented and committed individuals to join us as volunteers or full time employees for various vacancies we have at the moment. We also require individuals with strong Sales skills to promote our cause and help us to raise funds. For more information about these profiles or Internships please contact Dilzad on dilzad@annamrita.org



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Events

Culture Connect

Sahachari Foundation is a Trust established to raise funds for deserving NGOs in the areas of education, healthcare, socio-economic upliftment and promotion of the Arts.



Every year Sahachari Foundation organizes events to raise funds to support the activities of deserving NGOs through specially-designed high-profile events. This year as well, members of Sahachari Foundation have chosen to support Annamrita Foundation in recognition of its good work. They have been supporting Annamrita with Mid Day meals for the past 3 years now. Like last year, this year as well they had organized a fusion concert called Culture Connect featuring Zakir Hussain and 6 other musicians at Tata Theatre, NCPA. The proceeds from the concert were given to Annamrita for sponsoring Mid Day meals as well as meal delivery vehicles. We thank Sahachari Foundation for their kind support.

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NMMC Picnic

Navi Mumbai Municipal Corporation organized their annual picnic for school children of the Navi Mumbai area. The picnic was conducted between 1st week of January 2019 to 20th February 2019. Around 6000 children were covered by the NMMC for this event. Daily around 300 to 400 children from standard 6th to 9th were brought by buses to Nehru Planetarium at Worli. Again this year Annamrita provided the lunch and snacks to the children for this excursion. After a hearty breakfast of pocha, sheera and upma, they were taken to Nehru Science Center where they then had lunch of rice, dal, sabji and chapati. After an informative and joyful day they were packed off in the evening with snacks for home.



Chef Marco Pierre White - World on a Plate



The fourth season of World on A Plate (WOAP), India's most coveted culinary festival, had British celebrity chef Marco Pierre White making his culinary debut in India. Season 4 of the World On A Plate had curated restaurant pop-ups by the city's top restaurants, master classes by renowned master chefs, exclusive curated dinners and lunches, competitions amongst amateur chefs, awards given away by some of the world's most influential culinary artists and much more.

Annamrita was glad to be a part of this event, we had around 50 municipality school children attending the event and meeting with Chef

Marco Pierre, Chef Ranveer Brar and other esteemed Chefs at the event. A special fare was whipped up for the kids by famed Chef Jason Hudanish of XICO restaurant Mumbai. He made them a special beans and veggie mix in tomato "chatpata" gravy along with light Mexican rice. The children loved the meal and completely indulged themselves. We sincerely thank Jason for this lovely meal which was a first time experience for all the children.



The Palghar Khichdi Mahotsav

On Sunday, 20th January 2019, a unique Khichdi Festival was organised by Annamrita Foundation at Palghar. Around 2000 people who attended the event received varieties of khichdi prasadam.

Participants also included several dignitaries in and around Palghar city, bureaucrats, govt. officials and ISKCON devotees. They attended the event enthusiastically and participated in the famous Jagannath Rathayatra procession which paraded the entire city and culminated into a big gathering at the Congress Bhavan park where a drama on the life of Bhakta Pundarik was enacted by the Wada devotees for the entertainment of assembled people.

A big stall of Annamrita khichdi was set up where many people visited and sample tasted all the displayed varieties of Annamrita khichdi. The stall was displaying all the standard operating processes of Annamrita like procurement, washing, cutting, cleaning, cooking and dispatch. All the people who visited the stall marvelled at and praised Annamrita for its high standard of cooking and hygiene and its unique special taste.

Everybody happily partook of different varieties of khichdi served at the stall, praising Annamrita heartily.



Tata Mumbai Marathon

The 16th edition of the Tata Mumbai Marathon was held on 20th Jan 2019 in Mumbai. The Tata Mumbai Marathon is one of the World's Leading Marathons. The event boasts of being a fundraising platform which is managed by United Way Mumbai, the official philanthropy partner of the event. Over the years, the fundraising platform has assumed a stature of eminence of being the single largest philanthropic sporting event in India. 550 NGOs have successfully raised INR 196 crore over the past 14 editions.

For the 8th year consecutively Annamrita participated in this mega event with individual and senior citizen runners running on behalf of the Foundation.

We are glad to say that everyone completed the event and in the course also helped sponsor meals for 830 children. A big Thank You to all our runners.



DSIMS - Cricket for a Cause

As part of their Institutional Social Responsibility, DSIMS organizes a Charity Cricket match every year to raise funds for a selected NGO. This year as well their annual event "Cricket For Social Initiative" had corporate teams from different industries come together to play the game of cricket and raise funds for Annamrita Foundation. This is the second year in a row DSIMS has chosen Annamrita as the Charity partner for the event. A part of the registration fee which was collected from all participating teams was given to Annamrita at the end of the match. This year we had Book My Show, Intelenet Global Services, BLR Logistiks Ltd, Zinghr, Carnival Cinemas India, Reliance Mutual Fund, Morgan Stanley India, IndusInd Bank, Team Global Logistics Pvt. Ltd., UPL Ltd, Mumbai, KCD Heritage Pvt Ltd. participating in the match. Teleperformance earlier known as Intelenet were the winners of the match.

Thank you to DSIMS for helping sponsor nearly 120 students with Mid Day Meals through this Charity Match.

Job Fair

Alkesh Dinesh Mody Institute for Financial and Management Studies was co-founded by Shri. Dineshbhai Mody in loving memory of his son Late Shri Alkeshbhai D. Mody. The objective of the institute is to bridge the industry-academia relationship and produce effective managers who could lead the organizations with their humble attitude and management knowledge.

In January Alkesh Dinesh Mody Institute held a fair for differently abled people. The fair was held for people who were hearing or speech impaired, or had locomotor or visual issues. The fair was open to 10th/ 12th/Diploma/ ITI/ Graduates/ Post-Graduates students in the sectors of Hospitality, Retail, Banking & Finance, BPO, Textiles, IT/ITES, Travel & Tourism, Telecom, E-Commerce, Manufacturing.

Annamrita Foundation provided all the participants meals for the event including breakfast, lunch and evening tea. More than 300 differently abled participants attended the full day event.

GIC Re donates food delivery vehicles to Annamrita

GIC of India (GIC Re), a state owned enterprise in India has been supporting the Annamrita Mid Day meal project for the last 2 years. This year they sponsored meal distribution vehicles for Annamrita Mumbai and Jaipur locations. GIC was formed for the purpose of superintending, controlling and carrying on the business of general insurance and is ranked 10th among the top 40 global reinsurance groups by S&P Global Ratings.

Mrs. Alice G Vaidyan, Chairman-cum-Managing Director, Mrs. M. Sashikala, Director & General Manager, Mr. Namdeo Kadam – Asst. General Manager (CSR) and other top officials of GIC

Re flagged off the Mid Day Meal vehicle in the presence of Shri RadhaKrishna Das, Founder of Annamrita Foundation. The inauguration took place at the GIC-India Head Office at Churchgate. The custom-designed vehicle is insulated to maintain optimal temperature, and help retain the freshness of the meals. A similar inauguration was held at Annamrita Jaipur center where Mr. Prakash Kumar Moodbidri, a senior Manager of GIC Re, inaugurated a Mahindra Bolero Maxitruck Plus vehicle in the presence of Mr Sanjeet Sharma and team from Annamrita Jaipur. The meal delivery vehicle will help transport hot, nutritious meals from the centralized kitchens to nearly 1700 children daily across 40 schools.

Speaking on this occasion, H.G RadhaKrishna Das, Founder of Annamrita Foundation said, "We are thankful to GIC Re for their generous support. These meal delivery vehicles will help us carry our food to many more children."



Shout Out

Samsara Shipping Donation

Samsara Shipping commenced business operations in the year 1996, with the motive of making available to the EXIM fraternity a range of highly professional Shipping Agency services. With smart and timely investments in professional human resources and advanced technology; coupled with an emphasis on a high quality of service, SAMSARA soon evolved to become one of India's most respected shipping agency services provider. Samsara Group has been supporting Annamrita for the last 3 years now with Mid Day Meals. This year as well, Mr Nagpal – Vice President, Samsara Shipping Pvt. Ltd. visited the Annamrita project at Tardeo. Samsara Shipping Pvt. Ltd. has helped sponsor 2666 children for this year as well thanks to their generous contribution towards our Mid Day Meal project.

We thank Samsara Shipping for their support and look forward to a long and fruitful collaboration with them.



Happy Soul Foundation

Happy Soul Foundation Ltd is a not for profit charity organisation based in Australia. It is registered with Australian Charities and Not For Profit Commission (ACNC). Happy Soul Foundation was founded in 2017. Its vision is to provide access to basic needs of food, water, clothing and shelter or everyone worldwide.

With the vision in mind, the foundation started its first project in India with the help of Annamrita. This project involves feeding impoverished children a Mid Day Meal in public schools. They visited the Annamrita tardeo kitchen and served meals to school children as well.

The funds for the charity mainly comes from Yoga taught by a partner organisation "Turn Inwards" as well as generosity of its donors. We thank Happy Souls Foundation for sponsoring Mid Day meals for approximately 720 children for one year.



Tithi Bhoj by Meera

Tithi Bhoj – The art of making Special Occasions more Special.

Young Meera Goyal also contributed towards Annamrita's Tithi Bhoj program when she turned 4 this year. Meera's parents requested all the guests who attended her Birthday party celebrations to make a contribution towards the Annamrita project instead of getting gifts for their daughter. "Meera has everything she needs right now, she would be happier seeing another child eating than eating herself" says her mother.

Thank you Meera and family for sponsoring 3600 meals for underprivileged children through Annamrita's Tithi Bhoj program.

Rotary Club of Deonar

Rotary Club of Deonar supports Annamrita's Mid Day meal program. They had their monthly meeting at Golf Club of Chembur this February where a presentation was made on the Annamrita project by Ms Madhurya Shroff. They appreciated the work being done by Annamrita and felicitated us with a cheque to sponsor 333 children with Mid Day meals. We thank Rotary Club of Deonar for their continued support.



Rotary club of Bombay Mid-Town



Rotary club of Bombay Mid-Town has been sponsoring Annamrita Mid Day meals for a couple of years now. Every few months a few of the Rotary club of Bombay Mid-Town members visit the Annamrita project and a school. This February as well around 10 Rotarians visited a municipality school in Mumbai Central as well as had a look at how the meals were cooked in the Tardeo kitchen. Around 10 Rotarians along with their families visited the kitchen and then the school where they served meals to the children. The children enjoyed the company and our guests had wonderful experience.