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**4th Annual Report  
2011-2012**

# 4th Anniversary Celebration of the Trust





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## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

President	Mr. Gurunath Shankar Naik
Vice President	Mr. Khemu Narayan Gouda
Managing Secretary & Treasurer	Mr. Sitaram Subray Gaonkar
Trustee	Dr. Chandrashekhar M. Kadam (from June 19, 2011)
Trustee	Mr. Dinesh Vithal Gaonkar
Trustee	Mrs. Reshma Gurunath Naik
Trustee	Mr. Prakash Ganapati Gaonkar
Trustee	Mr. Rainier J. Rodrigues (from June 19,2011)
Trustee	Mrs. Deepa Deepak Gaonkar
Trustee	Mr. Lesa Narayan Gouda (till June 18, 2011)
Trustee	Mr. Shivaram Subray Gaonkar (till June18, 2011)
Auditors	Hegde G & Co Chartered Accountants Raikar Manor, Kaikini Road, Karwar.
Registered Office	Amadalli, Karwar-581324, Karnataka.
Bank	State Bank Of India, Pickle Road, Karwar.

## OBJECTIVES

The Prem Ashram Charitable Trust, Amadalli was registered on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2008 under No. KWR-4-00043/07-08. The **vision** of Prem Ashram Charitable Trust is to **decrease illiteracy, poverty, hunger, and disease** substantially among the underprivileged and socially disadvantaged citizens. The **mission** of Prem Ashram Charitable Trust is to create and support programs that will lead to sustainable changes aimed at upliftment of the lives of economically and socially disadvantaged youth, women, senior citizens, and disabled citizens irrespective of religion, cast, gender, colour, and creed.

### Education

The initial priority is to increase literacy among the youth in rural, remote villages. A decrease in illiteracy will lead to a decrease in poverty/hunger.

- Enable the economically and/or socially disadvantaged youth to obtain education and/or vocational training (such as sewing, computer education, small scale industry etc.) at an affordable cost or no cost, depending on the financial status of the youth, so that the youths can get a satisfying job, and support themselves and their families. Thus, the underprivileged youth will be self-reliant, responsible, and productive citizens. We will develop world class human resources by focusing on education of the underprivileged citizens, especially children and women.
- Participate in the social and cultural development of all youth regardless of economic and social status. This will involve increasing literacy and improving written and oral communication skills of youths from villages.

### Health

Strive to decrease disease among the lesser privileged children, women, and senior citizens by instituting health programs such as medical, dental, and eye camps on an ongoing basis. Provide information on nutrition and good hygiene and financially help the underprivileged with medical expenses.

### Poverty/Hunger

Serve economically and/or socially disadvantage children, women, and senior citizens who are facing social isolation, neglect and physical or mental abuse. Provide support and services to empower them and enhance quality of their lives. Among the services provided may involve counseling, legal advocacy, vocational training, helping to be self reliant, health check ups etc.

### Serve the Physically Challenged

Champion programs for the lesser privileged, physically challenged people with a commitment to make them productive citizens of our society. This may involve medical treatment if necessary, counseling, vocational training, and making them self reliant.

### Focus

Initially, Trustees will focus on education (increasing literacy) of the underprivileged children and women's empowerment. Other activities will be taken up concurrently or later as more financial support becomes available.

## AUDIT REPORT

I have audited the attached Receipts & Payments Account, Income & Expenditure Account & Balance Sheet of PREM ASHRAM CHARITABLE TRUST, AMADALLI, KARWAR for the year ended 31-03-2012.

I report that:

- I have obtained all the information & explanation, which to the best of my knowledge & belief were necessary for the purpose of the audit.
- All the necessary Books of accounts & vouchers have been maintained by the trust.
- The Receipt & Payment Account dealt with by this report is in agreement with the books of accounts.

In my opinion and to the best of our knowledge and according to the explanation given to us the said accounts give a true and fair view.

i) In the case of the Income & Expenditure Account of the Excess of the Income over Expenditure for the year ended on that date.

Place: Karwar.

Date: 17-05-2012

Sd/-  
HEGDE G. & CO  
Chartered Accountants  
Kaikini Road, Karwar

**PREM ASHRAM CHARITABLE TRUST**

**AMADALLI, KARWAR**

**INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD  
01.04.2011 TO 31.03.2012**

<b>EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>AMOUNT(Rs.)</b>	<b>INCOME</b>	<b>AMOUNT(Rs.)</b>
To Education Program	334,913.00	By Donation	1,039,301.00
To Education Program— Hostel	118,206.00	By Interest from Bank	33,788.00
To Health Program	202,749.00		
To Printing & Stationery	5,766.00		
To Poverty Elimination Program	18,408.00		
To Postages & Telephone	3,010.00		
To Bank Charges	1,740.00		
To Legal Expenses	1,500.00		
To Freight & Transport Expense	525.00		
To Rent Expenses	5,775.00		
To M H A Expenses	26,000.00		
To Miscellaneous Expenses	175.00		
To Annual Day	2,920.00		
To Provision for Building Construction	300,000.00		
To Excess of Income Over expenditure	51,402.00		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,073,089.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,073,089.00</b>

<b>LIABILITIES</b>	<b>AMOUNT (Rs.)</b>	<b>ASSETS</b>	<b>AMOUNT(Rs.)</b>
<b>CORPUS FUND</b>	18,000.00	<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>	
<b>Income &amp; Expenditure Account</b>		Furniture & Stores 10,485	
Op Bal: 296,003.00		Add: Addition 3,700	14,185.00
Add: Addition 51,402.00	347,405.00	<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>	
Provision for Land	300,000.00	Cash in Hand	NIL
		Cash at Bank	
		SBI -98474	490,665.00
		SBI - 91421	160,555.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>665,405.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>665,405.00</b>

**PREM ASHRAM CHARITABLE TRUST  
AMADALLI, KARWAR**

**RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD 01.04.2011  
TO 31.03.2012**

RECEIPTS	AMOUNT (Rs.)	PAYMENTS	AMOUNT(Rs.)
To Opening Balance		By Educaton Program	334,913.00
Cash in Hand	NIL	By Education Program -Hostel	118,206.00
Cash at Bank		By Health Program	215,349.00
SBI - 98474	302,483.00	By Printing and Stationery	5,766.00
SBI - 91421	1,035.00	By Poverty Elimination Program	18,408.00
To Donation	1,039,301.00	By Postages and Telephone	3,010.00
To Interest from Bank	33,788.00	By Bank Charges	1,740.00
To Refund of Lions Club Karwar	12,600.00	By Legal Expenses	1,500.00
		By Office Furniture	3,700.00
		By Freight & Transport Expense	525.00
		By Rent Expenses	5,775.00
		By M H A Expenses	26,000.00
		By Miscellaneous Expenses	175.00
		By Annual Day	2,920.00
		<b>By Closing Balance</b>	
		Cash in Hand	NIL
		Cash at Bank	
		SBI -98474	490,665.00
		SBI - 91421	160,555.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,389,207.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,389,207.00</b>

Sd/-

**HEGDE G. & CO.**

**Chartered Accountants, Kaikini  
Road, Karwar.**



## **ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT BETWEEN 1/4/2011 – 31/3/2012**

The Board of Trustees of the Prem Ashram are trying their best to decrease illiteracy, poverty/hunger, and disease among the lesser privileged people. Providing education is the current focus as it would empower and enable the rural, underprivileged youth to find a decent job and support their families financially. Thus, the underprivileged youths will be self-reliant, responsible, and productive citizens.

### **PROGRAMS TO ENHANCE EDUCATION (INCREASE LITERACY)**

#### **1. Continuing to Run Girls' Hostel at Asnoti for the Underprivileged Girls from Rural Villages**

Eight underprivileged girls from remote, rural villages (mostly from Joida Taluka) were accommodated in the Girls' Hostel in a rented house. They have been provided with free boarding and lodging. A Warden and one cook have been engaged in looking after students' well-being and preparation of the meals. These eight students have been covered under the "Rastra Apatti Kavach Insurance". Special coaching to the hostel residents in English, Maths, and Science was provided to boost their academic ability. Funds will be sought from private and government agencies to build a permanent hostel building for the rural, underprivileged girls.

#### **2. Supported Boys' Hostel for the Rural Students at Asnoti**

Thirty two students, mostly from the remote villages of Joida Taluka, are staying in the Boys' hostel that is managed by the Shivaji Vidya Mandir. Prem Ashram Charitable Trust paid Rs. 40,000 towards part of boarding expenditure incurred during 2011-12.

#### **3. Supported Saraswati Vidyala Boys' Hostel at Karwar.**

Twenty three students staying in this hostel are from remote villages of Yellapur, Joida, Mundgod, and Haliyal Talukas. Our Trust paid Rs. 15,000 towards part of the boarding expenditure incurred during 2011-12.

#### **4. New Boys' Hostel Building for the Underprivileged Children from Rural Villages**

Prem Ashram Charitable Trust is striving hard to increase literacy and espouse to realize full potential among the lesser privileged children through a special focus on education. We want to produce doctors, engineers, and lawyers out of these underprivileged children. We hope to develop world class human resources by focusing on education.

The trust sought financial help to build a permanent hostel building for the underprivileged, rural children so that they can continue their education. Prem Ashram Charitable Trust received a commitment from USA-based Global Organization of People of Indian Origin (**GOPIO Chicagoland NFP**) to partly fund the project for building a hostel for the underprivileged, rural students. GOPIO is a not-for-profit organization in Glenview, IL, USA and supports charitable, cultural, and educational activities for the people of Asian Indian origin.

Prior Permission application for accepting foreign contribution from GOPIO was submitted to the Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India in December 2009. Buying of land and construction of the hostel building will begin soon after we receive the Prior Permission from the Indian Govt. Hostel building will have about 2700 sq ft area and will accommodate about 30 students.

**5. Provided Notebooks, ID Cards, and Uniforms to the Less-Privileged Students**

Prem Ashram Charitable Trust provided 2,350 notebooks worth Rs. 36,000 to the poor students of various schools, Identity Cards worth Rs. 4230 to the students of Amadalli H P S School, and uniforms worth Rs.7603 to the poor and needy students.



**6. Conducted Education Programs for the Youths**

Awareness of education was conducted through Lions Club, Sadashivagad, Akhand Bharat Darshan, Sadashivagad, Bharat Scout & Guide Karnataka, Karwar, Siddaram Education Society, Karwar, and Hindi Language Teachers' Society, Karwar. The expenditure incurred for these activities was Rs. 12,000.

**7. Provided Financial Assistance for 26 BPL Students Attending Schools, High Schools, and Colleges**

Several students solicited financial help from our trust so that they can continue their education. Our trust provided financial assistance totaling Rs. 38,500 to 26 BPL students towards their fees, books, bus pass, and other school-related expenses. Please see pages 11 and 12 for more details.

- A. Financial assistance of Rs. 7,000 was provided to Mr. Raghunath V. Velip of Nujji (Joida Taluka) towards his 1<sup>st</sup> year college expenses. He hails from a poor family and his parents were unable to pay his college expense although he passed SSLC with 82% marks.
- B. Rs.2,500 was paid towards college-related expenses to Miss. Pooja D. Malsekar of Kodibag. She is studying in 4<sup>th</sup> Sem. in an Engineering College.
- C. Rs. 2,500 was paid towards college related expenses to Mr. Milin T. Cutinho of Sadashivagad. He is studying in 1<sup>st</sup> year PUC.
- D. Rs. 2,000 was paid towards school-related expenses to Miss. Aswini N Shetty of Ankola. who is studying in 7<sup>th</sup> std. Her father died and there is no earning member in her family.
- E. Rs. 1,500 was paid towards college-related expenses to Mr. Vinayak Rajendra Gaonkar of Sadashivagad who is studying in 1<sup>st</sup> yr Diploma.
- F. Rs. 1,500 was paid towards college-related expenses to Miss. Priyanka Rajendra Gaonkar of Sadashivagad. She is studying in 1<sup>st</sup> year PUC.
- G. Rs. 1,500 was paid towards college-related expenses to Mr. Shridhar S. Bhat of Kumta who is studying in 1<sup>st</sup> year Degree College.
- H. Rs. 1,500 was paid towards college-related expenses to Miss. Ratika P. Naik of Sadashivagad. She is studying in 2<sup>nd</sup> year PUC.
- I. Rs. 1,500 was paid towards collage-related expenses to Miss. Tanvi C. Achari of Sadashivagad. She is studying in B. Com II.
- J. Rs. 1,500 was paid towards collage-related expenses to Miss. Sonali M. Naik, of Asnoti. Sonali is studying in 1<sup>st</sup> year PUC.
- K. Rs. 1200 was paid towards school-related expenses to Miss. Manisha S. Padavalakar of Hotegali. She is studying in 10<sup>th</sup> std.
- L. Rs. 1200 was paid towards school-related expenses to Mr. Shubham P Kolambkar of Hotegali who is studying in 10<sup>th</sup> std.
- M. Rs. 1200 was paid towards school-related expenses to Mr. Prajwal P. Kolambkar of Hotegali. He studying in 9<sup>th</sup> std.
- N. Rs. 1,200 was paid towards school-related expenses to Miss. Karishma G. Kolambkar of Hotegali. She is studying in 10<sup>th</sup> std.
- O. Rs. 1,200 was paid to Miss.Karishma U. Achari of Sadashivagad who is studying in 2<sup>nd</sup> year PUC towards college-related expenses.
- P. Rs. 1,000 was paid towards college-related expenses to Miss. Dakshyaini Y. Ghadi of Chendia. She is studying in 1<sup>st</sup> year nursing in Ankola.
- Q. Rs. 1,000 was paid towards college-related expenses to Miss. Shalini D. Gouda of Baad who is studying in 1<sup>st</sup> year PUC.
- R. Rs. 1,000 was paid towards school-related expenses to Mr. Kedar N. Naik of Mudageri. He is studying in 10<sup>th</sup> std. His father is bedridden due to a head injury for the last two years.
- S. Rs. 1,000 was paid towards college-related expenses to Mr.Abhishek A. Bandekar of Chendia who is studying in 1<sup>st</sup> year Diploma.
- T. Rs. 1,000 was paid towards college-related expenses to Mr. Durgedh Vaman Bhandari of Amadalli. Durgedh is studying in 2<sup>nd</sup> year PUC.
- U. Rs. 1,000 was paid towards college-related expenses to Mr. Balakrishna R. Kalas of Chendia who is studying in 1<sup>st</sup>year ITI.

- V. Rs.1,000 was paid towards school-related expenses to Miss. Reema N. Shetty of Ankola who is studying in 5<sup>th</sup> std. Her father died and there is no other earning member in her family.
- W. Rs. 1,000 was paid towards college-related expenses to Mr. Pramod K. Gouda of Amadalli who is studying in B.Com. (4<sup>th</sup> Sem.).
- X. Rs. 500 was paid towards school-related expenses to Miss. Kalpita N. Naik of Mudageri. She is studying in 7<sup>th</sup> std. Her father is bed ridden due to a head injury for the last two years.
- Y. Rs. 500 was paid towards school-related expenses to Mr. Shashikant Mukund Achari of Amadalli who is studying in 10<sup>th</sup> std.
- Z. Rs. 500 was paid towards school-related expenses to Miss. Dhanashree P. Kadam of Majali Karwar. Her father died and family has no income. She is studying in 9<sup>th</sup> std.

## 8. Financial Assistance Provided to Additional 464 Needy BPL Students

Increasing literacy among the underprivileged students from rural, remote villages is the current focus of Prem Ashram Charitable Trust. There are many students in Uttar Kannada district whose parents are struggling to meet the financial need of their children to attend schools and colleges. The trustees visited numerous primary and middle schools, high schools, and colleges and identified students from BPL category who really are in need of financial help to attend school/college. Several trustees visited >44 schools and colleges in Karwar and Ankola talukas and collected data of several needy BPL students who applied for the financial assistance. The Trust provided financial assistance amounting to **Rs. 2,24,750 to 464** needy BPL Students from **44** schools and colleges of Karwar and Ankola Talukas. Details are as shown on page 13.



**Students who Received Financial Support from Prem Ashram Charitable Trust from 01/04/2011 to 31/03/2012**

<b>No</b>	<b>Name of the School/College</b>	<b>Number of Students Supported</b>	<b>Total Amount (Rs.)</b>
1	B G V S Arts & Commerce College, Sadashivgad	17	17,000
2	Govt. P U College, Amadalli	17	17,000
3	Shivaji Composit P U College, Chittakula (Sadashivgad)	12	12,000
4	The Popular New English School, Chendia	17	8,500
5	Shree Shivaji Girls High School, Baad	12	7,500
6	Saraswati Vidhalaya High School, Karwar	15	7,500
7	Jai Hind High School, Ankola	16	6,800
8	Shree Shivaji High School, Baad	15	6,300
9	Shivaji Composit P U College, High School Section, Chittakula (Sadashivgad)	15	6,300
10	Sadashivagad High School, Sadashivagad	15	6,300
11	Union High School, Majali	15	6,300
12	B G V S P U Arts, Commerce and Science College, Sadashivgad	6	6,000
13	Mahasati P U College, Ulga	6	6,000
14	Govt. Model Higher Primary School, Baithkhol	16	5,800
15	Modern High School, Halaga	11	5,500
16	New High School, Baad	13	5,300
17	Dr. Durga Laxman Telang High School, Baad	10	5,000
18	New High School, Kinnar	10	5,000
19	Mahamaya High School, Balni	10	5,000
20	Shree Shivaji Secondary School, Ulga	10	5,000
21	Shree Santeri Vidyalaya, Hankon	9	4,500
22	Shivaji Vidya Mandir, Asnoti	9	4,500
23	Secondary English School, Angadi	9	4,500
24	Swami Vivekanand High School, Kodibag	9	4,500
25	Somanath High School, Binaga	9	4,500
26	Kuvempu C. Model School Rehabilitation, Todur	15	4,500
27	Govt. High School, Amadalli	9	4,500
28	Mahasati Arts, Commerce & Science College, Ulga	10	4,000
29	Govt. Higher Primary School, Todur	12	3,600
30	Govt. Higher Primary Kannada School, Ulga	11	3,300
31	Govt. Model Higher Primary Kannada School, Halga	11	3,300
32	Govt. Higher Primary Kannada School Majali	10	3,000

33	Govt. Higher Primary School, Chendia	10	3,000
34	Govt. Model Higher Primary School, Amadalli	10	3,000
35	Govt. Higher Primary Kannada School, Achhakanne	9	2,700
36	Govt. Higher Primary Kannada School, Asnoti	9	2,700
37	Govt. Higher Primary Kannada School, Medishitta (Majali)	9	2,700
38	Govt. Model Higher Primary School, Sadashivagad	9	2,700
39	Govt. Model Higher Primary School, Binaga	9	2,700
40	Adarsh Vidyalaya, Hotegali	3	1,500
41	Govt. Lower Primary School, Idoor	5	1,500
42	Govt. Higher Primary School, Chendia	9	1,350
43	Govt. Higher Primary Kannada School, Hosali	4	1,200
44	Mahasati English Medium Primary School, Ulga	3	900
<b>Total</b>		<b>464</b>	<b>2,24,750</b>

## PROGRAMS TO ENHANCE HEALTH

### 1. Health Camp for Rural People in Amadalli

A health camp for rural people was organized in Amadllai on June 26, 2011. Dr. Asha Kadam (ENT Specialist) and Dr. Poonam Phal Desai (Ayurvedic Doctor) volunteered their time and expertise. One hundred and eighteen (118) people, mostly from the rural areas, have taken advantage of this camp. Blood samples were collected from 76 patients and got analyzed at the recommendation of the two doctors. Free medicines were provided to most of the patients. Total expenditure for this health camp was Rs. 59,960.





## 2. Eye Camp for Poor People in Karwar

Prem Ashram Charitable Trust co-sponsored an Eye Camp at Karwar on September 10-11, 2011 in collaboration with the Loins Club of Karwar and Government of Karnataka Health Department. 170 poor patients from the surrounding villages registered their names for eye check-up and treatment. Out of 170 patients, 129 patients were operated for cataract. The expenditure incurred for the Eye Camp was Rs. 87,600.



## 3. Health Camp in Mudgeri

Health camp was organized at Mudgeri on January 18, 2012 in collaboration with Loins Club of Sadashivagad and Sumati Rejuvenation Centre, Sadashivagad. One hundred and ten (110) poor patients from the surrounding area took advantage of this health camp. Free medicines were supplied to most of these patients. The expenditure incurred for this health camp was Rs. 10,302.



#### 4. Health Camp in Hankon

An Aurvedic Health camp was organized at Hankon on February 1, 2012 in collaboration with Loins Club of Sadashivagad and Sumati Rejuvenation Centre, Sadashivagad. About 85 poor patients took advantage of this camp. Free medicines were supplied to these patients. The expenditure incurred for this medical camp was Rs. 7,001.



#### 5. Financial Help Provided to the Poor and Needy People Towards Expenses Related to Helath

- A) Paid Rs. 5,000 to Mr. Umakant H Ramanathkar, Amadalli, who is suffering from brain tumor. He badly needed financial help towards his medical expenses. Since there is no other earning member in his family, the trust assisted him for his medical expenses.
- B) Paid Rs. 5,000 to Mrs. Nisha Nagesh Naik of Mudageri towards medical expenses of her husband, Mr. Nagesh Naik, who is bedridden due to a head injury for the last 2 to 3 years and is unable to work. His children are attending school and high school. No other members in his family earn.
- C) Mr. Uday Shamba Shejwadkar of Makheri is suffering from thigh bone fracture, is unable to work, and has two children attending school. The trust Paid Rs. 3,000 towards his medical expenses.



- D) Assisted Mr. Subba Kariya Gouda of Amadalli with Rs. 2,500 towards his medical expenses. He had a stroke and is bedridden due to a paralytic attack.
- E) Paid Rs. 2,000 to Mr. Anil Shrikant Gayak, of Amadalli who is mentally disabled and was in need of financial help to pay for medical expenses.
- F) Paid Rs. 1,500 to Mrs. Jayashree Jairam Kanakonkar, Makheri towards her husband's medical expenses. Her husband Mr. Jairam is bed ridden due to ill health and no other earning members are in his family.
- G) Mr. Damodhar E. Naik of Ankola who suffers from epilepsy requested financial assistance to pay for some of his medical expenses. Trust paid Rs. 1500 because he hails from a poor family.



- H) Paid Rs. 1500 to Mrs. Somi Narayan Ager, Amadalli, who suffers from ill health. Her health does not permit her to do any work. Since no other members in her family earn, the trust assisted with her medical expenses.
- I) Mr. Rama Kunta Gouda, Amadalli, is totally blind and is unable to work. Since there is no other earning member in his family, the trust paid him Rs. 1,500 for his medical expenses.



### ACTIVITIES TO ALLEVIATE POVERTY AND HUNGER

- A) Mrs. Shobha Yeshavant Naik, Makheri is handicapped, unable to work, hails from a poor family, and has no earning member in her family. The trust paid her Rs. 4,000 as she needed financial help for the day-to-day expenses.
- B) Mrs. Marry Paulo Fernandes, Sankrivada is a old woman, hails from poor family, and needed financial help for day to day expenses because there are no other earning members in her family. The trust paid her Rs. 3,000.



- C) Paid Rs. 2,500 to Mrs. Rakhi Ram Naik of Asnoti. Her son is handicapped and is unable to stand or sit. She needed financial help as she does not have an earning member in her family.



- D) Mrs. Parvati Govind Ager from Amadalli is very poor S.T. woman and needed financial help because she has no income. Trust provided financial help of Rs. 1,500 to Parvati.
- E) House of Mallikarjun Doddamani, Tender Cocoa nut vender, was destroyed by fire on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2011 and entire household things were burnt. Household and kitchen items worth Rs. 1910 were bought and given to Mallikarjun.
- F) Paid Rs. 1500 to Mrs. Kalpana C. Naik of Amadalli as she is extremely poor and needed financial help.



- G) Mr. Uttam Ram Gaonkar from Bargi is handicapped and hails from a poor family. He needed financial help for his day-to-day expenses as he has no other earning member in his family. Trust provided financial help of Rs. 1,500 to Uttam.
- H) Paid Rs. 1000 to Mrs. Jayashree J Kankonakar, Makheri. Her husband, Mr. Jairam, expired on August 4, 2011. She needed financial help for the funeral expense.



- I) Paid Rs. 1000 to Mrs. Mamata Kashinath Kolambkar, Hotegali. Her son Mr Pandurang expired and she did not have money for his funeral expenses. Trust helped her with Rs. 1000 for the funeral expenses.

## OTHER NEWS

### 1. Fourth Anniversary Celebration of the Trust

Fourth anniversary of Prem Ashram Charitable Trust was celebrated on February 5, 2012 in Daivadnya Hall in Karwar. About 200 people attended the ceremony. Mr. Arun Gaonkar was the Master of Ceremony (MC) of the event. Mr. G.S. Naik, President, of the trust, reminded that the vision of Prem Ashram Charitable Trust is to decrease illiteracy, poverty, hunger, and disease substantially among the underprivileged and socially disadvantaged citizens and its mission is to create and support programs that will lead to sustainable changes aimed at upliftment of the lives of economically and socially disadvantaged youth, women, senior citizens, and disabled citizens irrespective of religion, cast, gender, colour, and creed.

Mr. S.S. Gaonkar, the Managing Trustee, indicated that the trustees and volunteers are working hard to accomplish the vision and mission of the trust. He also thanked the donors for supporting the trust. Variety entertainment programs were performed by the girls of the Prem Ashram Girls' Hostel and residents of Shivaji Vidya Mandir's Boys' Hostel. Some local youths also participated in the program. Prizes were given to the some meritorious students from both the hostels.

### 4. 12A and 80G Tax exempt Status for the trust

The trust received 12A certification from the Income Tax Department and already applied for 80G tax exempt status from the Government so that the donors can avail of tax exemption on their donation. Final Approval is expected to come soon.

By providing education, i.e., increasing literacy, we can tackle both poverty and hunger. That is like killing two birds with one stone. It is our hope that these children that we help educate will in turn help other underprivileged children when they start earning and such chain reaction will lead to sustainable upliftment of the less privileged and socially disadvantaged citizens of our society.

In addition to focusing on increasing literacy among the rural, underprivileged youth, we will continue to help other lesser privileged people of our society especially women and senior citizens. Trustees and volunteers of Prem Ashram Charitable Trust are striving hard to bring a positive change in our society by serving the needy, lesser privileged people with love.

**- The Trustees of Prem Ashram Charitable Trust, Amadalli, Karwar., May 27, 2012**

## LIST OF DONORS

Prem Ashram Charitable Trust Received Donations from the Following Donors Between 1/4/2011 to 31/3/2012

No	Date	Name of Donor	Amount
1	09/06/2011	Mr. Kamalaksha R. Naik, Mumbai	1,000,000
2	05/02/2011	Mr. Ramachandra D. Naik, Sadashivagad	25,000
3	29/04.2011	Dr. Vikram S. Nayak, Basgod	5,000
4	19/12/2011	Mr. P Vishwanathappa, Bangalore	5,000
5	05/02/2011	Mr. Dayanand M. Sawant, Haliyal	1050
6	04/01/2011	Mr. S. P. Bhoplapur, Savadatti.	501
7	05/02/2012	Mrs. Geeta G. Powar, Dombivali	500
8	05/02/2012	Mrs. Mradula A Devasthali, Dombivali	500
9	02/03/2012	Mrs. Sujata M Gaonkar, Balni	500
10	09/03/2011	Mr. Shridhar B Nayak, Sadashivagad	500
11	02/03/2012	Mr. Ramadas S. Naik, Nandangadda	200
12	02/03/2012	Mrs. Sandhya S. Gaonkar, Nandangadda	200
13	02/03/2012	Mr. Manjunath A. Gaonkar, Balni,	200
14	02/03/2012	Mr. N Narasimhamurthy, Balni	150
		<b>Total Rs.</b>	<b>1,039,301</b>

