

Value Statements

VISION

- That all differently abled children will be safe and enjoy equal opportunities

MISSION

- To reach out to abandoned differently abled children in need of care and protection
- To protect and promote the rights of such children
- To socially equip them and the community for integration into society

GUIDING VALUES

- Emphasis on ability rather than disability
- Transparency
- Credibility
- Equality
- Compassion
- Dignity
- Inclusion



SRI ARUNODAYAM
Home for Mentally Challenged Destitute



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Visual Theme:
Vibrant Hues and Weaves of Prayatna's Products
Conceptualized and written by Althea D'Sylva,
Designed by Pixint.

ANNUAL REPORT | Emphasis on Ability
2017 - 2018 | rather than Disability

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FOCUS DETERMINES REALITY

Negativity can distract us from our goals – unless we are able to use it constructively as motivation to work even harder and end up even stronger! In our field it's not uncommon to hear excuses and reasons for why things can't be done. It's often easier to go with the flow of the pervading mind-sets besetting the disability sector that focus more on the don'ts and can'ts.

Yet, working with children with disabilities has taught us that there is no place for such negative attitudes. Of course, rehabilitation is a long and difficult journey, but there's always light at the end of the tunnel – IF we are willing to put in the effort and endure with patience. The children never seem to give up hope. Why should we?

Focusing on ability rather than disability has been our guiding force. It is this focus that keeps us going day after day. It is the same focus that contains the power to make the dreams and hopes of 113 children in our care, a reality.

Iyyappan Subramaniyan
Founder & Managing Trustee

PAST YEAR'S Highlights

World Down Syndrome Day



We commemorated World Down Syndrome Day through multi-level awareness campaigns at the home and outside. We took Moosan (our youngster with Down syndrome) to 2 city colleges to meet the students, and he was a big hit! Moosan's presence helped the audience truly understand the need for society to become a more welcoming place for persons with disabilities.

Special Mom Award



Our 2nd Annual Special Mom Awards (that honor mothers of special children), was well received by the public. The audience of around 700 people from across industry sectors were literally moved to tears by the unique stories of our special moms. This award recognizes these mothers for their progressive abilities, for making a significant impact in the lives of their children, and for demonstrating an ability to be positive role models of parenthood in their communities.

Infrastructure Expansion



We are constructing a new home to accommodate 100 abandoned, intellectually disabled little girls. The Bhumi Puja was conducted on September 6th. We want to do our bit to rescue and rehabilitate more vulnerable children. By constructing this home we will create a safe haven where their dignity and rights are upheld.



Akshaya

Akshaya is a sweet 15 year old whose name means 'indestructible'. Soft-spoken, well-mannered and radiating a joyful spirit, you'd think that she had a happy childhood albeit some difficulties, but her story is just as traumatic as the others'. Akshaya was abandoned when only a month old, in May 2003. Moderately intellectually disabled with cerebral palsy and a speech disorder, she came to us when she was 7 years old. Akshaya was ADL (Activities of Daily Living)-dependent then. To her credit, she worked with her therapists and her rehabilitation turned out to be successful. Akshaya is completely ADL independent now and has a bright future. We've enrolled her in vocational projects she's interested in, such as weaving (colorful wire baskets) and tailoring and embroidery. Akshaya is our home's 'little mother'. She grooms the little ones so meticulously that she's become indispensable to our care givers! She is also great at housekeeping. Whatever she does, she does well, and far surpasses her role as caregiver (which she assumed entirely on her own!). Akshaya will make a great house mother and Vocational Trainer one day.

From a life of total dependence 8 years ago to one of complete independence today, Akshaya has more than proved that she truly has an indestructible spirit!



Satish

Satish remembers his father (an auto rickshaw driver) leaving him at the Mylapore Railway Station in early June 2005. He was only 12 years old and obediently waited as his father had instructed him. Sadly, the man never returned, and Satish was rescued and sent to us. The child was deeply hurt and it took a lot to coax him out of his sadness and get him interested in the world around him. Satish lives with mild intellectual disability and has regular bouts of fits. He's a silent type and prefers to take on challenging tasks that command his complete attention. This ability made him a top student at Prayatna – our vocational training center, where he mastered all the activities - from making candles, to painting lamps, to binding books, to wrapping products... no one beats him yet! Satish is also a good dancer and is currently learning Western dance. He is a sportsman and State player recognized by the District Differently Abled Welfare Office (DDAWO), Chennai.

We are incredibly proud of this young man who chooses not to let his past eclipse him. It's not that he has forgotten, but that he bears his sorrow with a quiet dignity, continuing to put his best foot forward each day. This is a beautiful life from which we have much to learn!



Sri Arunodayam is a home for abandoned children with intellectual disabilities, founded on humanitarian values that uphold the dignity and rights of such children. We nurture, rehabilitate, and at times even restore children to their repentant families. We offer these children the same opportunities that normal children receive so that they may experience content and purposeful lives. Through our rehabilitation programs they become self-reliant and gain confidence to become productive citizens in society. The secret to our success is our focus on ability rather than disability.

Working with

- The Department of Social Defense
- The Department of Social Welfare
- Child Welfare Committees

Nurture

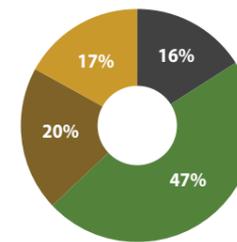
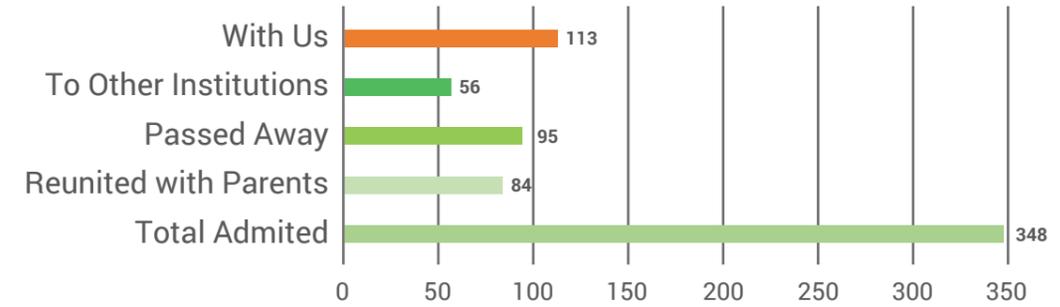
All new entrants are medically treated, comforted, nurtured and loved. When ready to interact, we move them to the next phase of rehabilitation.

Rehabilitate

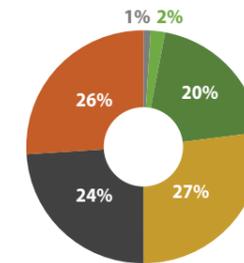
Rehabilitation work is ongoing. Physiotherapists, speech therapists and special educators work with the children, harnessing their inherent skills by focusing on their abilities rather than their disabilities. The children are progressed to Early Intervention, Pre-Primary, Primary and Vocational programs.

Restore

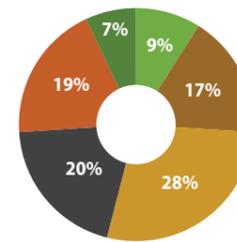
Believing that a family set-up is the best environment for a child, we make every attempt to trace and reconcile families, with a primary focus, on the welfare of the child. Families willing to be reunited are provided counsel and guidance to receive Government aid. We have reunited 84 children with their families, since 2003.



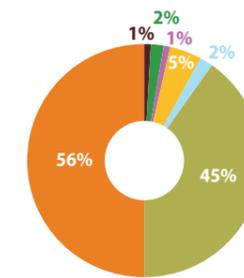
Age Group



Disability Level



Programs



Prognosis

Abbreviations

- MR - Mental Retardation
- CP - Cerebral Palsy
- VI - Visual Impairment

TRUSTEES

Sri Arunodayam is a Registered Charitable Trust, governed by a group of Trustees whose approval is required for all Trust activities in relation to the children. The Board also ensures that all policies aimed at the betterment of the home and compliance and credibility norms, are met.



Iyyappan Subramaniyan
Founder & Managing Trustee
 Bachelor in Psychology,
 Bachelor in Law, and a Post Graduate in
 Law specializing in Constitutional Law
 and Human Rights.



C Ranganathan Chetty
Trustee
 Chartered Accountant for over 36
 years with Chartered Accountants
 Chevala & Co.



Nanda Kumar Nagarajan
Trustee
 Over two decades of IT experience; now
 a certified, full time yoga teacher and
 the Founder of YogaBandham.



K Radha Krishnan
Trustee
 Active social worker and retired
 Headmistress from Padma
 Sarangapani Matriculation Higher
 Secondary School, Villivakkam

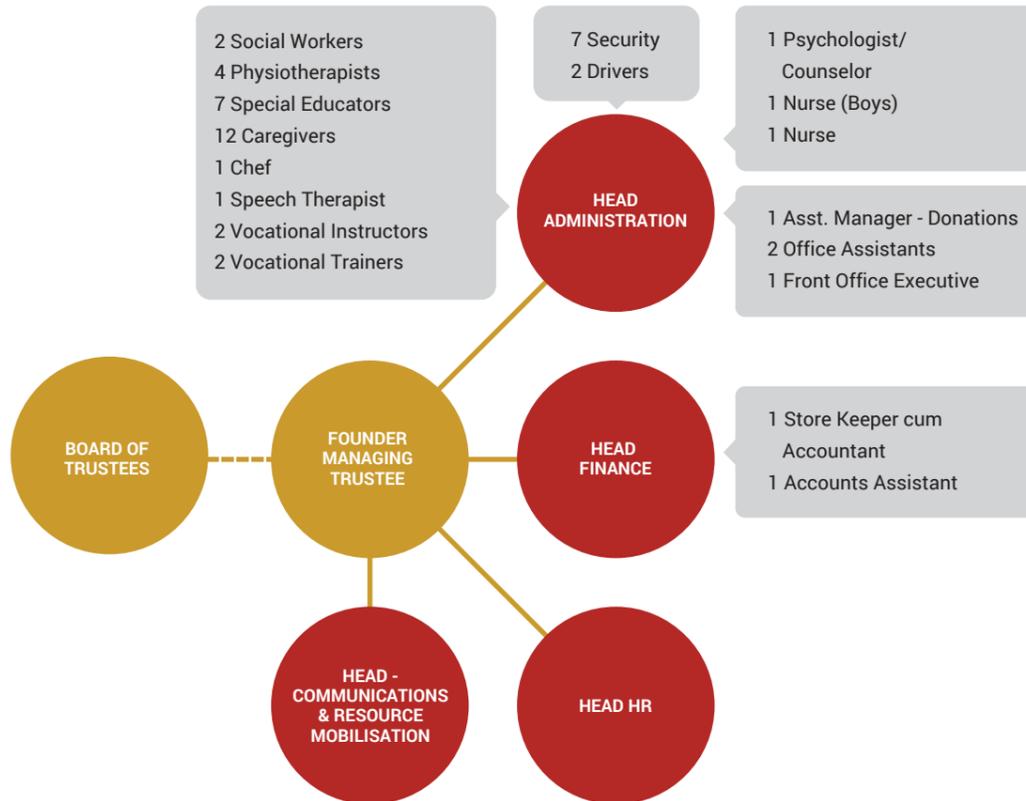


Legal Advisor
T Thangavelu
Advocate
 Chennai High Court



Auditor
**K M Mohandass &
 Company**

ORGANOGRAM



- 1240+ donor birthdays celebrated with the children
- 1930+ visitors spend quality time at our home
- 165+ donors celebrated their wedding anniversaries at our home
- 395+ visitors honor the memory of their deceased loved ones by sponsoring meals
- 1440+ hours of special education provided to the children
- 1440+ hours of physiotherapy provided to the children
- 26 picnics and educational outings
- 12 medical camps conducted
- 6 festivals of all religions celebrated
- 15 new children admitted to our home
- 4 children reunited with their families
- 3 new vocational projects commenced
- 138 project orders fulfilled by Prayatna – our vocational training center

EVENTS

EMPHASIS ON ABILITY RATHER THAN DISABILITY



PRAYATNA

An initiative by
Sri Arunodayam Charitable Trust

In 2012, we opened our Vocational Training Center – Prayatna (which means “Good Effort”), with a crucial mandate to rehabilitate youngsters (above the age of 18) with skills for community-based employment. Those of you who receive our reports are aware of this, hence we want to take a fresh look at the progress being made in the disability sector rather than providing another Prayatna update here.

What’s happening in the world

According to DREDF (Disability Rights Education & Defense Fund) USA, people with intellectual disabilities are being involuntarily locked away in institutions, subjected to abuse and neglect, and deprived of their right to live as equal citizens in the community. Governments that perpetuate such mistreatment are rarely subject to international scrutiny or recrimination. But now, there is growing international recognition for the right of an individual with a disability to live and receive any necessary treatment in the community rather than in an institution, and to ultimately be integrated into mainstream society. This growing recognition is based on innumerable studies that prove that such persons can actually lead dignified and successful lives and become independent in all spheres (personal, social and occupational) - provided that proper training is imparted to them from the very beginning.

What’s happening here

While such recognition gains momentum abroad, our society continues living with its myths and misinformation about disability. Sadly, the Government who is responsible for strengthening the policy for the disabled is in itself unable to take a more progressive view, continuing to treat disability as a medical or charity issue. Persons with disabilities (PwDs) are still being looked down upon and their families continue to disown them on account of a sense of “shame” – thanks to a complete lack of advocacy. (Doing our bit to counteract this prevailing mind-set, we pioneered the [Special Mom Award](#) and [Special Mom Forum](#).) Yet, organisations like us could tend to fight a losing battle unless Government departments take their responsibilities more seriously. They can do a lot, if they truly desire effective inclusion in all spheres of life. The lack of sensitivity and awareness has been, and continues to be, one of the most significant hurdles in promoting employment opportunities for PwDs, and it’s high time the Government addressed such issues. Setting up public, disabled-friendly infrastructure and implementing a firm anti-discrimination policy that makes Indian companies accountable in employing PwDs, can play a huge role in encouraging PwDs to enter the job market.

Considering that disability is a subject in the constitution, the Government’s advocacy efforts must first focus across its own ministries to ensure that their service delivery design is inclusive and accessible to PwDs. It must also hold its state governments accountable to do their bit.

What we’ve learnt

If we’ve learnt anything at all in these past 16 years of caring for the intellectually disabled, it is that nothing is impossible for them when they are given the right opportunities and support. They have every potential of becoming productive citizens of society, if only given a chance. So, while they wait for their fundamental rights to be upheld, our youngsters continue to astound.

[Click here](#) for Prayatna’s story, and [here](#) for a quick update on what these young men and women are quietly achieving.

“Products made
by our youngsters.”



FINANCIALS

BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2018

LIABILITIES

	As on 31.03.2018 (INR)	As on 31.03.2017 (INR)
GENERAL FUND		
Opening balance	81,514,732	68,274,516
Add: Excess of Income over Expenditure	10,513,756	13,240,216
Total	92,028,486	81,514,732
CURRENT LIABILITIES & PROVISIONS		
Sundry Creditors	143,189	62,388
Rental Advance received	200,000	175,000
Outstanding Expenses	366,863	56,745
Tds Payable	923	12,890
Total	92,739,461	81,821,755
ASSETS		
FIXED ASSETS - AS PER SCHEDULE	51,644,856	53,875,306
FIXED DEPOSITS	33,552,895	18,933,904
CURRENT ASSETS, ADVANCES & DEPOSITS		
Interest Receivable	595,150	390,033
Advances & Deposits	81,650	208,734
Tax Deducted at Source	125,650	44,877
Telephone deposit	2,000	2,000
Electricity deposit	104,625	23,880
LPG deposit	3,490	-
Rent Receivable	26,613	53,500
CASH AND BANK BALANCES		
Cash in hand	55,593	84,497
Bank of Baroda - A/c No 2763	11,941	11,941
ICICI Bank - A/c No 7045	2,162,680	2,144,358
Indian Bank - A/c No 9699	4,055,438	4,116,988
State Bank of India - A/c No 5847	36,758	1,721,024
HDFC - A/c No 10687	280,122	210,712
Total	92,739,461	81,821,755

For SRI ARUNODAYAM CHARITABLE TRUST
(Managing Trustee cum Treasurer)

Place : Chennai
Date : July 31, 2018

For K.M.MOHANDASS & CO.,
Chartered Accountants.

(R.SETHU MADHAVAN)
Partner

FINANCIALS

INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.03.2018

	As on 31.03.2018 (INR)	As on 31.03.2017 (INR)
INCOME		
By Donation General	13,998,174	12,717,694
By Government Grant	7,796,190	7,301,896
By Donation FCRA	6,267,363	7,435,907
By Interest Income - From Fixed deposits and SB A/	2,129,747	2,149,545
By Prayatna Income	268,679	151,789
By Rental Income	368,613	283,500
Total	30,828,766	30,040,331
EXPENDITURE		
To Salary and Wages	7,399,958	6,082,993
To Children Welfare Expenses	3,101,734	2,275,529
To Children Medical Expenses	621,712	484,506
To Repairs and Maintenance Charges	775,231	785,672
To Rent Expenses	355,000	300,000
To Vehicle and Ambulance Maintenance Expenses	431,207	403,721
To Administrative Expenses	49,017	11,350
To Advertisement Expenses	25,892	32,414
To Audit Fees	41,300	35,886
To Bank charges & Commission	22,824	40,812
To communication & Fund raising Expenses	178,497	247,310
To Electricity charges	214,995	185,767
To Fees & Subscriptions	26,576	4,360
To General Expenses	78,325	45,228
To Insurance Charges	110,035	92,046
To Office Equipments	3,700	13,928
To Postage & Courier Expenses	33,074	42,577
To Prayatna Expenses	385,226	260,131
To Printing and Stationery Expenses	117,161	118,973
To Rates and taxes	36,890	48,006
To Staff welfare Expenses	63,149	56,489
To Special MOM Award Expenses	928,336	-
To Telephone Expenses	121,620	100,605
To Travelling & Conveyance Expenses	430,707	198,263
To Loss on Sale of Xerox Machine	14,187	-
To Depreciation	4,748,657	4,933,549
to Excess of Income over Expenditure	10,513,755	13,240,216
Total	30,828,766	30,040,331

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RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.03.2018

	As on 31.03.2018 (INR)	As on 31.03.2017 (INR)
RECEIPTS		
To Opening Balance:		
" Cash	84,497	80,415
" Bank of Baroda - A/c No 2763	11,941	11,589
" ICICI Bank - A/c No 7045	21,44,358	1,85,848
" HDFC - A/c No 10687	2,10,712	9,24,061
" Indian Bank - A/c No 9699	41,16,988	33,08,689
" State Bank of India - A/c No 5847	17,21,024	-
" Donation (FCRA Main)	62,67,363	74,35,907
" Donation (General)	1,39,98,174	1,27,17,694
" Government Grant	77,96,190	73,01,896
" Interest Received on F.D. & S.B A/C	12,24,866	4,97,702
" Praytna Income	2,68,679	1,51,789
" Rental Income	3,14,000	2,30,000
" Rental Advance	56,860	2,25,000
" Salary advances (Net)	1,07,142	-
Total	3,83,22,794	3,30,70,591
PAYMENTS		
To Administrative Expenses	49,017	11,350
" Advertisement Expenses	25,892	32,414
" Bank charges & Commission	22,824	40,812
" Children Welfare Expenses	31,01,734	22,69,628
" Children Medical Expenses	6,14,212	4,84,506
" Electricity charges	2,67,104	1,85,767
" Fees & Subscriptions	26,216	4,360
" General Expenses	63,325	45,228
" Insurance Charges	1,10,035	92,046
" Office Equipments	3,700	13,928
" Postage & Courier Expenses	33,074	42,577
" Prayatna Expenses	3,85,226	2,60,131
" Printing and Stationery	1,17,161	1,18,973
" Rates and taxes	36,670	48,006
" Rent Expenses	3,19,500	3,00,000
" Repairs and Maintenance	4,71,221	7,85,672
" Salary and Wages	70,40,057	60,42,571
" Staff welfare Expenses	63,149	56,489
" Telephone expenses	1,17,310	1,00,605
" Travelling & Conveyance	4,30,707	1,98,263
" Vehicle & Ambulance Maintenance Exp.	4,30,207	4,03,721
" Communication & Fund Raising Exp.	1,78,497	2,47,310
" Special MOM Award Expenses	7,82,547	-
" Fixed Assets	29,15,443	77,68,363
" Fixed Deposits	1,40,00,000	50,00,000
" EB Deposit	4,900	-
" Gas Deposit	3,490	-
" Staff advances (Net)	-	1,91,621
" Other Advances (Net)	67,917	5,293
" Outstanding Expenses	39,126	31,436
" Closing Balance:		
" Cash	55,593	84,497
" Bank of Baroda - A/c No 2763	11,941	11,941
" ICICI Bank - A/c No 7045	21,62,680	21,44,358
" HDFC - A/c No 10687	2,80,122	2,10,712
" Indian Bank - A/c No 9699	40,55,438	41,16,988
" State Bank of India - A/c No 5847	36,758	17,21,024
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CREDIBILITY ALLIANCE NORMS COMPLIANCE REPORT

GOVERNANCE: DETAILS OF BOARD MEMBERS (AS ON MARCH 31, 2018)

SRI ARUNODAYAM IS GOVERNED BY A GROUP OF TRUSTEES

No	Name of the Trustee	Position Held (2017-18)	Contact Details
1	Iyyappan Subramaniyan	Founder, Managing Trustee & Treasurer	sriarunodayam@gmail.com / +91-9444915803
2	C. Ranganathan Chetty	Trustee	chevala_audit@yahoo.co.in / +91-9841058227
3	N. Nanda Kumar	Trustee	ngknanda@gmail.com / +91-9841432359
4	K. Radha	Trustee	Radkris2006@gmail.com / +91-9840798207

Accountability and Transparency

- The Board of Trustees met on the following dates: 7th April 2017, 31st July 2017, 10th November 2017.
- The minutes of the Board meeting are documented and circulated among the Trustees.
- The Board of Trustees approves programs, budgets, annual reports, audited financial statements, policies and the honorarium for the head of the organization. The Board also ensures that the organization is in compliance with all the required laws and regulations.
- The Board of Trustees does not receive travel allowances to attend Board meetings.
- No expenses are reimbursed to Board members, or to staff and volunteers on national and international trips.
- Statements of account have been prepared on accrual basis.

STAFF DETAILS (AS OF MARCH 31, 2018)

Gender	Full time paid	Part time paid	Unpaid volunteers
Male	17	-	-
Female	28	1	-

STAFF SALARY LEVELS (AS OF MARCH 31, 2018)

Slab of gross salary (INR) plus benefits paid to staff (per month)	Male Staff	Female Staff	Total Staff
Less than 5000		1	1
5,000 – 10,000	10	17	27
10,000 – 25,000	6	9	15
25,000 – 50,000	1	2	3
Total	17	29	46

STAFF REMUNERATION (IN INR IN 2017-2018)

Head of the organization: (Honorarium): 8,40,000 per year

Highest paid person in the organization: 4,20,000 per year

Lowest paid person in the organization: 60,000 per year



Jayachitra Deepakraj

Jayachitra (Chitra) is one of the longest serving staff, and Iyyappan's sister. When Iyyappan started Sri Arunodayam 17 years ago, he had no support and pretty much managed things on his own. Watching his struggles, his parents sent Chitra to help him. Chitra had just completed the Std. 12 exams and was enjoying the holidays but willingly came over. Brother and sister looked after the children and Chitra, being a wonderful cook, ensured that the children always had a hearty meal in their stomachs. "Those were really hard days but God's grace covered us like a warm and comforting blanket against the cold indifference of society", Iyyappan says.

Chitra was very young when their elder brother with Down syndrome passed away, so she couldn't have known how to care for special children. But, to her credit, she blossomed into a wonderful foster mother. She also took care of the home's administration. Chitra's personal sacrifices are legendary. She's spent countless days at hospitals watching over the children and performing the funeral rites of so many others; seeking always to give them the dignified send-off that they rightly deserve. "Chitra inspires me in ways I cannot count," Iyyappan says, as he remembers a certain incident. "I was in Mumbai when one of the children passed away. Chitra was engaged to be married at that time, and in our custom, engaged girls should not enter a burial ground. Not being one to bow to such norms, Chitra went to the grounds to complete the rites. That day, she broke a taboo but neither of us regret it. She's completely selfless. I'm so fortunate to have her in my life," Iyyappan says with deep gratitude.



Saraswathi Karthick S J

Saraswathi is a long-standing volunteer, extremely passionate about helping children with disability because they are an incredibly vulnerable section of society. "I first visited Sri Arunodayam back in 2004. In those times it was a home for girls and I was simply moved to tears watching them. I remember thinking that I wanted with all my heart to become a part of their lives," she says. And so she did. "I love that equality is truly practiced here. They aren't treated differently but like normal children," she says. Watching our home grow over the years, Saraswathi is particularly impressed with Prayatna – our vocational training center. "It's a great initiative that keeps kids motivated; a place where they develop confidence and maturity," she says. The Special Mom Awards is another one of our programs that she especially espouses. "It has the potential to transform society and improve the way disabled children are treated across the nation," she says.

"I truly wish that the generations will be sensitive to the less fortunate. Charity is not a duty but a joy," she says, as a parting message to those who would care to listen.

RECOGNITIONS



- Recognized under the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Amendment Act 2006, as a Children's Home for the Mentally Challenged Destitute
- Recognized by the Government of Tamil Nadu in 2008 as a Reception Unit for destitute intellectually disabled children under the age of 10
- Registered under the National Trust Act 2000
- Registered under the Persons with Disabilities Act 1995
- Declared a Fit Institution in 2005 by the Child Welfare Committee, Chennai, Govt. of Tamil Nadu
- Licensed under Food Safety & Standards Act, 2006 (Government of Tamil Nadu)
- Registered with Credibility Alliance, Mumbai
- Recognized by Give India Foundation
- Certified top-ranked, vetted organization by GlobalGiving Foundation, USA
- Advanced Level Gold Certified GuideStar India Member
<https://guidestarindia.org/Summary.aspx?CCReg=484>
- Given 12 AA and 80 G tax exemptions by the Income Tax Department under the Income Tax Act 1961
- Registered under the Foreign Contribution Regulation Act 2010 to receive overseas donations
- Winner of the prestigious World of Children® Award 2016 - Considered to be the 'Nobel Prize' for heroic work with children. <https://sriarunodayam.org/world-children-award/>
- Honoured by the Anti-Corruption Association, Cuddalore, Tamil Nadu in 2018



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Running a home for children with special needs can be quite a challenging task, but thanks to your kindness we are able to meet the children's day-to-day expenses. There are many more programs to sponsor, please check the list of special projects here.

For 113 Children (in INR)

1. Sponsor a meal	
a. Breakfast	2,500/-
b. Lunch	3,500/-
c. Dinner	2,500/-
2. Sponsor vegetarian meals for a day	8,500/-
3. Sponsor vegetables for a day	1,500/-
4. Sponsor an evening snack	1,500/-
5. Sponsor a cup of milk	1,000/-
6. Sponsor a recreational outing	10,000/-

For a Child (in INR)

1. Living expenses for a month	3,000/-
2. Sponsor a dress	1,000/-
3. Diapers for a month	1,000/-
4. Special education training for a month	1,000/-
5. Psychiatric medicines for a month	1,000/-
6. Physiotherapy treatment for a month	1,000/-
7. Sponsor an annual check-up	3,000/-
8. Sponsor School Books	650/-
9. Sponsor a School Bag	600/-
10. Sponsor a School Uniform	1,500/-
11. Sponsor School Stationery	900/-
12. Sponsor Teaching Aids	2,500/-

VOLUNTEER <https://sriarunodayam.org/volunteer/>
FUNDRAISE <https://sriarunodayam.org/fundraise/>
DONATE <https://sriarunodayam.org/donate/>

THANKS TO

The innumerable individual donors who take their commitment to the children seriously. Their support enables us make positive impact in the lives of vulnerable children, and helps us reach out to more each year.

Our institutional donors who help us sustain critical long-term projects. Special thanks to Adroit Urban Developers, Dishaa Charitable Trust, USA, Fundacio Privada Marc Sauquet Foundation, Spain, GiveIndia Foundation, Mumbai, GlobalGiving Foundation, USA, Government of Tamil Nadu, India, Jeppiaar Remibai Charitable Trust, LogixHealth Solutions Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore, Pratap Public Charitable Trust, Ramjidas Charitable Trust, Rangoonwala Foundation (India) Trust, Mumbai, World of Children, USA.

The Doctors treating our children, especially Dr. A. P. Mythili, Senior Psychiatrist, Kilpauk Medical College & Hospital, Dr. S. Velusamy, Senior Neurologist, Stanley Medical College & Hospital, and Dr. C. Arumugaswamy, Managing Director – Retteri Sri Kumar Health Center.