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YEARS
2011 - 2021

*A decade in
kindling aspirations*

**SHRI T. V. RAMAN PAI AND
SMT. T. VIMALA V. PAI HOSTEL**
WORLD KONKANI CENTRE, MANGALURU

Glimpses





**SMT. T. VIMALA V. PAI AND
LATE T. V. RAMAN PAI**

A Catalyst

Shri T. V. Raman Pai and Smt. T. Vimala V. Pai Hostel at World Konkani Centre, Mangaluru has been a catalyst in kindling aspirations for higher achievement among the rural youth since its founding in 2011.

This magnificent building has seen thousands of footfalls since then. Especially of young people. In the last 10 years, nearly 12,000 students have experienced the hospitality at this hostel, built their aspirations, made thousands of memories and returned from even across the globe to relive the memories they made here.

Hundreds of students walked in every year and stayed at Smt. T. Vimala V. Pai and Shri T. V. Raman Pai Hostel in the last 10 years to undergo softskills training programmes. And went back with a bundle of memories they created in this place.

The aspiration they have built in this place has lead them to far off places on the planet. Every year many of them come back to relive the moments they spent in this place. The hostel is truly a catalyst in forging amazing friendships which lasts forever.



12000

Student Stays

2019 - 20	 1419
2018 - 19	 2019
2017 - 18	 1979
2016 - 17	 1643
2015 - 16	 1268
2014 - 15	 1072
2013 - 14	 1019
2012 - 13	 810
2011 - 12	 607

Two unique dates



Foundation Laid
📅 10.10.2010 ⏰ 10.10 a.m.



Inaugurated
📅 11.11.2011 ⏰ 11.11 a.m.



Foundation Stone



The Foundation Stone laying ceremony of Shri T.V.Raman Pai and Smt. T. Vimala V. Pai Hostel was held on 10.10.2010 at 10.10 a.m. in the presence of Smt. T. Vimala V. Pai, Shri T.V.Mohandas Pai, Dr. P. Dayananda Pai, Shri Basti Vaman Shenoy, Shri Ramadas Kamath U., Shri Pradeep G. Pai, Shri B.R.Bhat and other dignitaries.



Shri T.V.Mohandas Pai laying the foundation stone of the Hostel. Dr. P. Dayananda Pai, Shri Basti Vaman Shenoy and Shri Ramadas Kamath can be seen in the picture.



Smt. T.Vimala V. Pai laying the foundation stone.



Shri T.V.Mohandas Pai being honoured by Dr. P. Dayananda Pai, Chairman, World Konkani Centre.



Shri T.V.Mohandas Pai and other dignitaries with the plan of proposed hostel building.

Inauguration



Smt. T. Vimala V. Pai inaugurating the Hostel 11.11.2011 at 11.00 a.m.. Shri T. V. Mohandas Pai, Shri R. V. Deshapande, Dr. P. Dayananda Pai, Shri N. Yogish Bhat, Shri Ramadas Kamath, Shri Basti Vaman Shenoy and other dignitaries present.



Smt. T. Vimala V. Pai unveiling the inaugural plaque. Shri T. V. Mohandas Pai, Shri T. V. Ramachandra Pai, Shri R. V. Deshapande, Dr. P. Dayananda Pai, Shri N. Yogish Bhat, can be seen in the picture.



Dignitaries lighting the lamp on the occasion.



Shri T.V. Mohandas Pai speaking on the occasion.



Konkani speaking people of various communities present at the inaugural function.

Memories





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Our WKC hostel was never a building. And the term "Hostel" too would be playing it down. It is a place that crafted our little hearts and minds into responsible and empathetic adults. A place we bonded and made a brand new family that we chose. A home, a school, a temple, and a spa all in one. A place where the heart yearns to return to. A place the soul would never forget!

Dr. Megha Shenoy
2012 Batch Alumni
Armed Forces (BSF)



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The hostel aura brings in an inspiration to come up in life. The facilities provided at the hostel boosts up the dreams of scholars who want to make their lives and living better. At the same time, it teaches us how to live with integrity.

Vineeth Shanbhag
2011 Batch Alumni
TESCO



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The hostel and entire World Konkani Centre fraternity have shown that there are people who care and respect every scholar as much as they care about themselves. In fact, when scholars lose their hopes, it is this place that has made sure to cheer up without being judgemental.

Blossom D'mello
2013 Batch Alumni
Intel Corporation



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When I saw the hostel and rooms for the first time, I was surprised and happy. The good, clean rooms and the dining area made me happy. It's a memory I will always cherish.

Archana Pai I.
2010 Batch Alumni
eClinicalworks



A big thank you

Dear TVM sir,

Love. Simple but a powerful word that fits this moment. Over the past decade, you have wholeheartedly given us your love. The love for our mother-tongue and the love for its children.

As our Patron, you have truly given us a Path to Rock ON! You have given us education, you have given us jobs and to add to all of it, **you have given us a home!** A home that has built thousands of friendships, created millions of memories but most importantly taught us to DREAM BIG!

As we celebrate 10 years of this beautiful home, we thank you for transforming our lives but even more so, what we want to say is that we love you a lot.

Your children at WKC



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