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Message from the Chairperson



SANRAKSHAN - Society for Protection of Children is a registered national-level non-political and non-sectarian non-governmental organization that strongly believes in HUMANISM and is committed to the cause of underprivileged and marginalized communities such as children, women, and youth living below the poverty line. The key focus has been child rights and child protection, particularly for the cause of vulnerable children who are deprived of family care for any reason and exposed to high risks.

It has been an upward journey for SANRAKSHAN which has completed three years in the service of children. We feel proud that we are on the right track to achieve our Mission and are committed to ensuring rights for every child in society.

I take this opportunity to thank the entire team of Sanrakshan which includes individuals from different walks of life such as child rights practitioners, human rights activists, philanthropists, Rotarians, social workers, and others. Despite all their personal engagements, the members continued to support the Sanrakshan effort, even during the Covid-19 pandemic when the vulnerabilities of the children in street situations had increased. The Nobel Peace Laureate, Malala Yousafzai has rightly stated that our efforts are for "...forgotten children who want education. It is for those frightened children who want peace. It is for those voiceless children who want change." Sanrakshan made every effort to reach out to children in institutional care in various States to guarantee their well-being in a time of country-wide distress. Our efforts resulted in the reintegration of many children with their families.

Over the span of three years, Sanrakshan has emerged as a leading child protection organization, spreading its work in Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, and Karnataka. This was possible only because of continuous motivation and support from a host of esteemed Patrons like Shri Pramod Kulkarni (Founder of SATHI organization and recipient of the President's Award), Dr. Lalitha Iyer (Institutional Development Consultant) and Ms. K. Anuradha (CEO of Rainbow Foundation of India), along with blessings and guidance of Justice Shri Sudhir Saxena, Justice Shri Amar Sharan, and many civil servants. We are thankful to supporters like SATHI, Rainbow Foundation of India, United Way Bengaluru, Deliver Health, Communications Test Design Inc, Debrief Creative Labs Private Limited, Alpha Elsec Defence and Aerospace Systems Private Limited, Anmol Swarn Pvt.Ltd, Sineng Electric Pvt. Limited who have believed in us and supported our cause.

The Government of Karnataka and its many departments have extended their cooperation and validated our efforts.

We owe it to each one of you - our donors, supporters, volunteers, partners, and patrons as well as the founding members of SANRAKSHAN with their immeasurable passion, experience, and exposure to the field of child rights and child protection – who have partnered with us in our journey of three years. I extend my profound thanks to all who played their role in bringing smiles to the faces of our children and enabling them to hope for a bright future.

Wishing you a happy reading of our Third Annual Report. We look forward to receiving your love, guidance, and support in the years to come.

With faith and hope

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(Signature of Chairman)

Dr. Ramanath Nayak

Chairman, Governing Board

Sanrakshan

Message from the CEO



It is with great pleasure and a profound sense of gratitude that I present the annual report of the Sanrakshan Organization. As the Executive Secretary, it is an honor to lead a team that is dedicated to providing a nurturing environment for children, ensuring their rights to a family setting, holistic growth, and a bright future. Every child deserves to experience the warmth and love of a family, along with access to essential resources such as education, healthcare, and life skills development. At Sanrakshan Organization, we have made it our mission to fulfill these fundamental needs for over 50 children through our Residential Care and Educational Support Program, as well as the Community-Based Care Program.

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We firmly believe that collaboration is key when it comes to creating a brighter future for children. We urge all institutions working towards the betterment of children's lives to join hands and work together on a unified platform. By pooling our resources, knowledge, and expertise, we can maximize our impact and reach a greater number of children in need.

As a startup NGO, we are incredibly grateful to our partners and supporters who have stood by our side in this journey. I would like to express our heartfelt appreciation to Sathi, Rainbow India Foundation, United Way Bengaluru, Communication Test Design India Pvt. Ltd., Debrique Creative Labs Pvt. Ltd., Alpha Elsec Defence & Aerospace Pvt. Ltd., Anmol Swarn Pvt. Ltd., Singeng Electric Pvt. Ltd, Welive Foundation and Goonj for their unwavering support. We are also indebted to the Department of Education, Bengaluru, Karnataka, and the Child Welfare Committee for their invaluable assistance in our efforts to provide aid to girls in need. Furthermore, we extend our gratitude to Ms. Nirmala Murthy and all the individuals and organizations who contributed to building the necessary infrastructure for our girls' school building. Your generosity has played a vital role in creating a safe and conducive learning environment for these young girls.

Together, we have made significant strides in fulfilling the rights of children and fostering their well-being. However, there is still much work to be done. Let us remain united in our resolve to create a society where every child can flourish, free from the shackles of adversity and equipped with the tools to pursue their dreams.

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Mr. Rajashekhar.M
Executive Secretary
Sanrakshan

About us

Sanrakshan, an NGO established in 2020 in Bengaluru, Karnataka, runs a residential home for 50 girls on the premises of the Government Higher Primary and High School, Juganahalli, Rajajinagar, Bangalore. It is currently benefiting 50 girls between ages 6-18 from economically and socially marginalized backgrounds. It has the approval of the state Directorate of Child Protection, the Department of Public Instruction (Education), and the Child Welfare Committee II, Bengaluru.

Started in August 2020 during the challenging Covid-19 crisis, Sanrakshan has its office in Mathikere in north-west Bengaluru. It has 18 full-time paid staff and 8 volunteers, while the Society office bearers render voluntary service with no remuneration.

The Secretary and CEO, Mr. Rajashekhar M. has over 22 years of experience in the development sector. He has worked with children in difficult circumstances, children in contact with the railways, with government Child Care Institutions, and with policy formulation regarding the care of children when he oversaw the programmes of SATHI, a national-level NGO working on child protection. Sanrakshan meets all statutory requirements such as registration under the Societies Act and FCRA (including bank account with SBI), registration under the Income Tax Act (including for 80G, 12A), in the Darpan2 portal of NITI Aayog and in CSR under the Companies Act 2013.

Sanrakshan's work is aligned with the national efforts to protect children (the girl child in particular) and ensure their development and well-being through collaborative efforts of NGO-government-private sector partnerships.

Sanrakshan is currently present in Bengaluru (Karnataka), Kanpur and Lucknow (Uttar Pradesh) and Patna (Bihar).

Vision

To create a world where every child enjoys the right to live with dignity and complete childhood without discrimination of any kind and free from abuse, violence, exploitation, and neglect.

Mission

To work as a catalyst to bring sustainable change in the lives of children and youth from underprivileged and marginalized communities

Values

For SANRAKSHAN, every child matters and every child counts; and without their restoration, reintegration, and mainstreaming, the society and country cannot progress.

What is unique about this project?

The cost factor, safety factor and promoting girls' education. Most children's homes are run in premises that are rented or owned by an NGO. Government Child Care Institutions (CCI) incur heavy costs in terms of infrastructure, staffing and operational costs. Sanrakshan, on the contrary, aims to keep costs low while educating children. The home at Rajajinagar runs in the premises of a 30-year-old government school. Three to five decades ago, state-run Government schools in Karnataka catered to large numbers of children as private schools were far and few. However, in recent times, with an increase in access to private schools and quality education, the number of student footfalls in Government schools has drastically reduced. But the fact is that the need for Government schools remains vital as it caters to children coming from marginalized and poor backgrounds who are just about able to afford a basic education.

In poor families, even today, girls are stopped from school after puberty while boys are supported for schooling and beyond. Through a sustained campaign, Sanrakshan has encouraged families to continue to send their daughters to school, while it supports the costs of food and shelter for them. This strategy has not only utilized vacant space in the school but also increased enrolment and retention of girls in school, besides increasing teacher motivation through its support for their efforts.

Sanrakshan has made modifications in the school premises to accommodate board and lodging for the children. It has also installed a water filter, built washrooms and renovated existing ones, and arranged for medical check-ups and for a counsellor who comes in weekly. Children enjoy outings, indoor and outdoor games, sports, and cultural entertainment. There are quarterly parent meetings to encourage them to value their daughters and prioritize their education.

Over 48% of the girls currently in the Sanrakshan home are orphans, from broken families, woman-headed households, or families with alcohol-based domestic violence situations. They benefit enormously from having a stable environment in which to learn, be with other children, and grow up in the care of supportive adults, while also being in touch with their families. They are being prepared for national merit scholarships and overall, for a promising future.

We have plans for providing digital literacy skills for girls, skill training for school leavers, and linking them to livelihoods and emerging job opportunities.

Organization Intervention

INTERVENTION	GOAL	OUR SERVICES
Children in Child Care Institutions (CCIs)	To provide quality childcare along with emotional security and help to develop their full potential and achieve their goals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Run the Sanrakshan Rainbow Home based on the CCI model and help the girls to live with dignity • Offer long-term care • Offer educational support at the centre which includes children from the Government Children's Homes • Advocacy to improve childcare in Government Children's Homes
Community-based care for children and their families	An opportunity to develop their full potential and emerge as youth leaders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identity proof and access to Government Child Welfare measures (Aadhaar enrolment, PAN card, etc.) • Providing community-based childcare • Organizing camps for behavioral change and stopping destructive habits like substance abuse • To provide non-formal education (NFE), talent spotting and support
A support system for COVID-19 affected children who belong to financially marginalized families in Kanpur and Delhi	Continuing education of orphan and semi-orphan children and provide them with a life of dignity in society.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure children continue their education • Act as a bridge to enroll children and families for social entitlements in Government schemes • Conduct awareness drives • Ensure the rights of children for care and protection • Fulfil their basic needs and bring them to the mainstream and ensure respect and dignity for them
Children on Railway Platforms (CRP)	Systematic rescue and restoration of children staying on railway platforms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Platform presence, Shelter services • Counselling and family reorientation • Address tracing and reuniting them with their families • Advocacy to improve the coverage and quality of support

Approach and Methodology

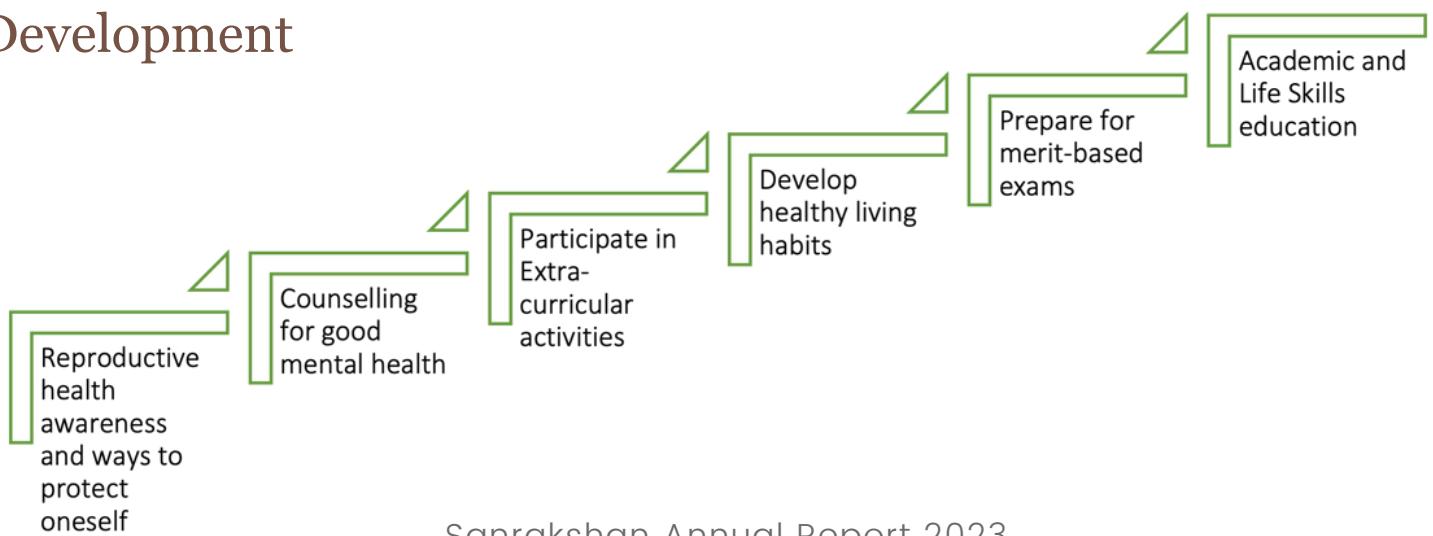
The program targets girls aged 7-18 years which include girls who are homeless and living in slum areas. There are girls who dropped out of school for various reasons, including lack of fees, lack of opportunity or any other types of abuse, but are willing to go back to academics.



Intervention Process



Components in Children's Development





Artist: Rakshitha

Our programmes

Sanrakshan Rainbow Home

Empowering Street and Vulnerable Children through Child Care Institutions
(Focus on residential care, protection, and comprehensive education)

In response to concerns regarding the safety of girls during the pandemic, Sanrakshan in collaboration with Rainbow Foundation India established safe residential facilities at Rajajinagar Government School, Bengaluru, Karnataka with the aim to 'Empower Street and Vulnerable Children of Migrant Families'. The Rainbow Community Child Care Centre focuses on the holistic development of girls who are either homeless or come from a hostile home environment of violence and abuse.

The programme has been successfully running for the past two years, with 48 girls aged between 7 – 17 years currently residing at the centre. Besides receiving formal education along with board and lodging, girls at the shelter also get an opportunity to grow as individuals through talent identification and skill-based interest in sports, music, art and more. It offers girls the guidance and support required to become financially independent, resilient, and an inspiration to others in their community.

Community – Based Care

The Community – Based Care programme provides comprehensive care in areas related to Food security, Education, Life skills, Health, and Emotional care through a Learning Centre. Such a centre has been established at Rayasandra, a small village on the outskirts of south Bengaluru for children of a nomadic tribe who are school dropouts.

Community Learning Centre

At the Community Learning Centre, the children receive value education, socio-cultural formation, and counselling.

The centre also works with the families to strengthen their awareness of various social issues, especially related to children and their safety, access to their entitlements, joint childcare plans, and more such issues.

Through this programme, the organization has reached 82 children and their families.

'Future' Programme

Future Programme was recently introduced by Sanrakshan to address the needs of young adults who leave childcare institutions at the age of 18. As these young adults lack social, emotional, and financial support, the programme aims to offer support, guidance and life skills for their integration into the world outside and for career development. It enhances not only academic achievements but also facilitates vocational training. It assists them to pursue higher education and job opportunities. The programme also involves raising awareness regarding the opportunities available for skilled employment and self-employment. This is to ensure that these young adults make a smooth transition towards becoming stable, independent, and responsible adults. This programme is for girls who are above the age of 18 and attend university or are looking for work after schooling.

Currently, four girls are associated with this programme and 2 are studying in class 12th at Panchajanya Vidyapeeth, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru, the other 2 girls are studying in a Nuring college.

2022-2023 in numbers



250 + children have received support from Sanrakshan



Children at the home are aged between 7 - 18 years



86 of 100 children have received educational support through Rainbow Community Care Learning Center



10 children continue to receive Community-Based Care



10 of 21 have completed their 10th and are pursuing their graduation through the Future Programme

Highlights of the year

- Mr. Suresh Kumar, MLA, Rajajinagar, and former Education Minister, Karnataka inaugurated a room for our junior children on 28th June 2022 in the Rajajinagar Rainbow Home. Mr Vasudeva Sharma, founder of Child Rights Trust was the special guest. It was an honor that the minister himself visited and underscored the importance of education for girls.
- With the assistance of Rtn Naagheash, President of Rotary Club, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru, our organization helped our children to apply for scholarships in the month of August 2022. Two of our children visited Rotary House in preparation for the scholarship exam. One of them received a scholarship of INR 3000.
- Our girls in the Home participated in the Rise Against Hunger India programme at Ramamurthy Nagar on International World Food Day, October 16, 2022. They learned about hygienic food packaging and nutrition. They got an opportunity to entertain themselves through dancing and singing.
- 31 girls (Nazmin, Ganagamma, Lakshmi. R, Sowmya, Swapna. N Eshwari, Sujatha, Suvarna. K, Kavya, Savita, Monika, Susmitha, Doulabi, Komalakshi, Bagyalakshmi, Rakha, Netra, Raskshitha, Shwetha, Aishwarya, Girija, Kaveri, Chaitra.M, Nandini, Chinnu, Chaitra. N, Renuka, Sandhya, Maheshwari, Nasrin, and Rajeshwari) participated in Nakshatra 2022, an event organized by NGO Bhumi. They had an exciting time taking part in dancing, painting, singing, rangoli, and other competitions. We are glad that our children gain exposure to cultural activities.
- We launched our English-speaking programme called Aarunya (meaning 'compassionate') in November 2022, sponsored by SATHI, a well-wisher NGO. The aim of the programme is to enhance the children's spoken English abilities.
- Nalaboyal Swapna and Rakshitha participated in the District Level Cluster Games organized by the school they live and study in, the Government Higher Primary School, Juganahalli. They won 1st and 2nd place in the Discus Throw competition.
- A dining hall-cum-programme hall for children 10 -14 years was constructed in the Rajajinagar school in December 2022 at a cost of Rs. 4 lacs with funding from Mr. Naagheash, President, Rotary Club, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru, and Mr.Venkatesh,Accel.

Case studies of Hope and Achievement

Abandoned on the streets by her parents



A girl full of dreams, Radhika was 13 years old when she stepped into Sanrakshan Rainbow Home in 2019. Her parents were daily wage workers and lived in a temporary shed. They abandoned all their children and went away. The children have no relatives. Radhika has three siblings, the oldest among them is Renuka who is married and takes care of her other siblings. Radhika's 2 siblings stay with the sister's family and are pursuing their education in classes 10th and PUC respectively. Renuka worked to take care of her siblings, but later put them into our Child Care Institution (CCI) for better care. Radhika's other sister, Rajeshwari studied till the 7th class in Kodihalli Namma Mane before she came to the CCI.

Radhika was an infant when her parents left her near a garbage dump. What Radhika went through at such an age is unimaginable. She has a hearing problem stemming from insect bites at that time. At Sanrakshan she experienced a loving and accepting environment in which to grow, study and blossom. Radhika is now in the 9th grade. She is hardworking, brilliant in her studies, sensitive, empathetic, courteous, and balanced. She loves singing. She has good communication skills and is responsible, honest, determined, and a leader for her friends and classmates. She does not share much about her feelings with others and is reserved and quiet. From an abandoned child to a lovable teenager, Radhika stands out as a role model for her peers. It is remarkable how a family or family-like environment can help a child grow up feeling safe, secure, and able to think of a bright future.

Orphan and struggling for survival by begging

Vinitha, 8 years was rescued by one of the staff in 2018. Her father was unemployed and an alcoholic who physically abused his wife and children. The mother left the home along with her children and moved to another area. Unfortunately, she too was an alcoholic and often unwell. Vinitha lost her father to alcoholism and TB. Her mother although ill, took care of the children until she too passed away.

When Vinitha was first identified, her mother was still alive and desperately wanted her children to live in a safe place after her. By the time the girl was rescued and brought to the CCI the following week, the mother had passed away. At the time, Vinitha and her sister were living in a makeshift settlement and had resorted to begging for survival.



Case studies of Hope and Achievement

Vinitha does not clearly remember her past, and most information during the intake process was given by her sister. It was learnt that they were 8 siblings - 6 shared the same biological father and 2 were stepsister and stepbrother. One of her siblings had died young in an accident and another had passed away from a heart attack at 16. Medical check-ups revealed that all siblings, except Vinitha, were HIV positive. They are all now sheltered in Cavalry Chapel Home of Hope for Special Children, Bangalore. After undergoing so much hardship at such a tender age, Vinitha finally found her home in Sanrakshan.

A school dropout from the primary level itself, Vinitha could not read and write when she came to Sanrakshan. She studied hard in our bridge course program here and was mainstreamed to 2nd Std. in the Rajajinagar school. She is a good student and now does her homework and other tasks independently. She is responsible and well-behaved. She is sensitive to herself and others. Vinitha's unstoppable courage and willpower have made her succeed where others might have given up. Sanrakshan takes the utmost care to help children in difficult circumstances rescued by them get over their childhood traumas and have a safe and caring environment to grow up in.

Witness to abuse and murder of mother



Sharanya has had an extremely traumatic childhood. She is an orphan and was found at age 9 on the streets of Bilekahalli in south Bangalore. The family was involved in rag picking. Her father died from an illness while her mother was sexually abused, beaten up and murdered by a scrap dealer and his brother in front of the children. After her mother's death, the sister of the scrap dealer took Sharanya and her three siblings under her wing. However, she made them work as rag pickers and used to beat them every day. Sharanya's older sister had an abusive child marriage, was rescued, and now stays in a shelter home with her child while the case is still in the Family Courts.

The second sister, now studying in the 10th Std. is sheltered at another CCI, while Sharanya's younger brother is not traceable. When Sharanya first came to the Sanrakshan Home, she was afraid of others. With reassurance and care from our caregivers and the friendly attitude of other children, she slowly started mingling with them. Sharanya can read and write as she attended primary school earlier. She is not yet mainstreamed in school and is undergoing the bridge course. Sharanya, now aged 14, is very happy in our Home and has grown to be a very empathetic and responsible girl. She is extremely creative and talented and loves to help other children. Sanrakshan may be based in north Bangalore, but our reputation based on the quality of care and protection of children entrusted to us has got the Social Welfare Board and its agencies, the police, and the public to refer children in distress to us.

Events and Activities

At Sanrakshan, we believe that along with quality education, there are other aspects like development of the mind, body and life skills that play an equally important role in a child's holistic development. At the centre we ensure that every developmental stage of a child is given utmost priority that enables them to grow up safe and secure into adulthood.

Physical activities



Physical activity is one of the foundations for an active and healthy life. Therefore, every day except Sundays, the Sanrakshan Home organizes yoga sessions for the girls under the guidance of Mr. Govindh, an experienced yoga teacher. They also practice meditation and exercises which help them perform better at school. The importance of providing a routine for growing children cannot be overestimated, as it provides them with boundaries while also making them feel secure in a dependable environment.

Education

To bridge the gap in children's learning levels, the Sanrakshan Home offers a bridge course for children. The bridge course teaches reading and writing in Kannada, Hindi, English – whichever is familiar to the child. Remedial classes are held for children who have challenges coping with school lessons and homework in subjects difficult for them.



The Sanrakshan Home also set up a library with storybooks in Kannada and English to stimulate the reading habit among the children. There are two library sessions every month where the students get an opportunity to read a favourite book and improve their reading skills and vocabulary.

Events and Activities

Nutrition

The Food Committee at Sanrakshan with 9 girls, ensures that healthy and high-quality nutritious meals are provided to the children regularly. Their heights and weights are measured monthly to check for malnutrition. A doctor's periodic visits to the Home for check-ups also ensure the children stay healthy



Life skill training and activities

Life skill training programmes are conducted to empower children with knowledge on life matters. Some of the sessions were conducted by Enfold India on reproductive and sexual health. Here, the children have learned about safe and unsafe touch, sexual abuse, attraction to the opposite sex, and other topics that help these girls get a better understanding of their childhood and prepare them for responsible adolescence. Life skills activities also include practical skills like time management, cleanliness, respect for the ecology, and social awareness.

Extra-curricular activities



Several extra-curricular activities like dancing, singing, drawing, painting, creative art, drama, sports, and storytelling are organized every month at the Sanrakshan Home to help children recognise and develop their talent, interest, and passion. The children wait for these occasions as they provide an outlet for their creative spirit, imagination, and talents.

Counselling

Individual Counselling for Home Children: We conducted regular in-depth counselling sessions for children during the months of April to September 2022. These sessions included Behaviour Modification Techniques along with empathetic listening and space for children to voice their thoughts and feelings. Specific interventions and mentoring sessions are also conducted if the need arises.

Intervention session for children in the ‘Future’ Programme: The centre also organises counselling sessions for children enrolled in the Future Programme (which prepares adolescents for adult life). The intervention and guidance are meant for dealing with issues related to motivation, adjusting to a new environment and dealing with other internal and external factors in the process of adulting.

Age-appropriate group sessions and psychoeducation: Every month we organize group sessions and psycho-education. This is conducted to help children build their support systems and learn to deal with problems collectively. It also helps in strengthening interpersonal relationships and effective coping strategies in teamwork and crises.

Solution-Focused Interventions during Bal Sabha (Children’s Committee Meetings) This is organized by the children at the Home where they, along with the staff discuss day-to-day problems which need immediate attention. The solutions are proposed and adopted through arriving a consensus.

Counselling to deal with Transition: We organize counselling sessions for children who are going through a difficult transition in their lives (reaching age 18, moving to another Home, going back to family, etc.). These sessions help them to think rationally and realistically about how to deal with a transition in a functional manner.

TED Talks and psycho-educational group sessions: These sessions are usually held in June and July, where children attend online TED Talks organised by the counsellor. Some of the topics that were discussed in the past years have included Healthy Habits, Hygiene Practices, and Self-Awareness. Psycho-educational group sessions covered topics about Mindfulness, Learning styles and Emotional Regulation. These classes are conducted by a volunteer under the supervision of the home's counsellor.

Specific Family Counselling Interventions on CWC order: We conduct specific family counselling sessions as directed by the Child Welfare Committee (cwc) of Bengaluru Urban District. This includes mentoring and guidance of children and their parents and siblings, understanding their family dynamics, parental situation, and wellbeing, safety, and protection, and present financial status. Such sessions help our team and the CWC make informed decisions about the future of a child in our care.

Counselling pre-SSLC- results and remedial sessions: The students who were to appear for the SSLC board exams this year received special remedial study sessions. One of the children, a slow learner, passed the SSLC exam after a remedial session in which her learning style was identified, and she was guided to leverage it to study better and do better academically.

Vocational Guidance and Career Counselling: We conducted special counselling sessions for the girls who were to sit for the SSLC exams. These sessions include career guidance, issues in adolescence and tips and tricks to overcome exam fears and perform better. The children also got an opportunity for one-on-one sessions with the counsellor to figure out career and life plans after their SSLC results.

Children's Committees

Sanrakshan believes that having a routine for children in their early years has a tremendous positive effect on their mental and emotional health, leading to sharper mental awareness better emotional well-being, and being more energetic and productive throughout the day. These Children's Committees, formed under the supervision of our staff team, help children to develop positive habits early on in life. It also helps them to develop planning, teamwork, and leadership skills.

The following infographic shows the Committees, their function, and the number of members (in brackets).

Education(08)

- Coordinating freshening up after school, moving to remedial classes, and maintaining library books, notebooks, and bags

Food(08)

- Making sure that everyone has breakfast, lunch and supper at the appropriate times, ensuring cleanliness and count of plates and glasses , informing the children about the menu.

Discipline(09)

- Ensuring that all the girls keep their rooms tidy, practise good hygiene, are quiet during meetings and other events, and attend school on time

Health(09)

- Monitoring children who feel ill, providing them with food and medication, alerting staff members, checking expiry dates on medications and maintaining good hygiene practices.

Cleaning(08)

- Maintaining cleanliness of the Home and making sure that the cleaning is done regularly.

Sports and Welcome(09)

- Welcoming visitors and attendees at functions, meetings, and events, as well as ensuring that all children participate in sports and cultural activities.

Purchase(08)

- Purchasing of material required in the Home under the supervision of the staff

Events

Goonj organized a menstrual hygiene awareness programme in the Rajajinagar school in July 2022



A quarterly health camp was organized by Bhoomi at the centre for children and their parents on 30th July 2022

A Community - Based family meeting was organized on July 31, 2022, to communicate and discuss the plans for the CBC (community-based care) and Future programmes. Mr. Jaikar, State Coordinator, CBC and Mr. Rajashekhar, Founder of Sanrakshan, gave each child an educational and grocery kit at the end of the meeting.

The Patna Riders Kabaddi team visited our organization on 3rd October 2022 and taught the game to the children. Mr. Suresh Kumar, MLA, Rajajinagar Constituency Bengaluru, and Ex-Minister Higher Primary & Secondary Education and Govt. of Karnataka were also present at the event.



Sub-Inspector Geeta and Mr. Shreedhar, constable, from the Yeshwantpur Police Station Cybercrime team, visited the Home on October 19, 2022. They spoke to the children about possible career opportunities in the Police force and provided information about competitive examinations.

Events

A career development session with Ms. Manjula Telegada, State Future Coordinator, Rainbow Foundation India was organised on October 13, 2022, for the children who are enrolled in the Future Programme.

Mr. Narayana, Gym trainer, at GET FIT gym, was invited to come and talk to the children on October 21, 2022, about the importance of physical fitness and meditation.



A session on National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship (NMMS) was organized for students of classes 8th – 10th standard in November 2022. This session was conducted by Ms. Muskan Agarwal, a volunteer, at NGO Bhumi, who spoke to them on ways in which they can prepare for competitive examinations



Our children attended a workshop organized on 5th February 2023 on the ways to overcome their fear of examinations. The workshop was facilitated by Ms. Princy, Research Assistant, National Institute of Mental Health, and Neurosciences (NIMHANS), Bengaluru, and Mr. Samson, Assistant Professor, Montfort College (a counselling training institute), Bengaluru.

- An awareness program on “National Deworming Day” was organized on 10th February 2023 by Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) doctors from Rajajinagar.
- Ms. Ravikumari, our Community-Based Care coordinator on 22nd November 2022 spoke to the children on sensitive issues related to abuse and mental wellbeing.
- The Amazon team from Bengaluru visited the Home and spoke to the children about future career opportunities in Amazon India.
- 15 girls from the Home participated in the Global Handwashing Day activities on October 15, 2022. As a part of the Government school's handwashing awareness, the children were taught different hand-washing techniques for better hygiene.
- Our girls in the Home participated in the Rise Against Hunger India programme at Ramamurthy Nagar on International World Food Day, October 16, 2022. They learned about hygienic food packaging and nutrition. They got an opportunity to entertain themselves through dancing and singing.
- A get-together was organized for parents and children on January 8th, 2023, with the help of United Way, Bengaluru followed by fun games and activities conducted by NGO Magic Bus.

Educational Trips

- We organized a visit to the Indian Music Experience Museum in JP Nagar, Bengaluru. This outing and experience of seeing, touching, and playing musical instruments there helped children enhance their musical sensibilities and gain knowledge about various musical instruments.
- Sanrakshan organised a picnic-cum-educational trip on 13th November 2022, with the help of Reshma Reddy, Relationship Manager, and social activist of NGO iVolunteer. As part of this treat, the children got an opportunity to watch the movie "Gandhadhagudi" (Sandalwood Hill) by the famous late actor Puneet Rajkumar. Along with being entertained, they learned the importance of conserving forests and wildlife and restoring and valuing the natural beauty of Karnataka.
- The children were taken to Jawaharlal Nehru Planetarium and the Sir. M. Visweswaraiah Museum, Bengaluru on the 10th of December 2022 as part of an educational trip.

Capacity Building and Training Sessions

- Sanrakshan organized a staff training program on 21st December 2022 on Child Rights and the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child at the Child Rights Trust (CRT) office in Bengaluru. Mr. Nagasimha G. Rao, Director of CRT spoke to our staff on child-related issues and legal pathways to uphold child rights and report child abuse.
- A capacity-building workshop was organised by Rainbow Foundation (Sanrakshan's donor and partner) at the Home on 26th November 2022. The staff team was given an induction to understand Rainbow Foundation's history, its operations; and the use of certain software such as 'Ruby on Rails' and a few more. They attended Child Protection Policy Training, an NGO at City Desk, organised by Rainbow Home National Program Team Ms. Shubhada and Ms. Sathya.
- A Legal Literacy session was conducted on January 25th, 2023 for the Sanrakshan staff team on Child Rights, The Juvenile Justice Act, and The Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act, 2012 at Bengaluru. The workshop was facilitated by lawyers Ms Saba and Ms Purna who explained practical issues related to the rescue of abused children and how to handle these.
- A capacity-building session for staff using the 'River of Life' exercise was facilitated by Dr. Lalitha Iyer, Managing Trustee, Plustrust, Bengaluru, on January 2nd, 2023. The session helped them examine their own life journeys and how various life events have shaped them, thus enhancing their awareness about their self and behaviour.
- Workshops were organized every 2 months to teach Sanrakshan staff Email communication, the use of Microsoft Office application tools, basic life skills, and more. The sessions were facilitated by Ms. Pavithra, Project-in-charge, Sanrakshan. Staff capacity building is an important part of Sanrakshan's work.
- Members of our team participated in a District Child Protection Unit (DCPU) training session we organised at Shishu Mandir, K R Puram, under the guidance of Ms. Bharathi and Ms. Lakshmi from the DCPU on 26th August 2022. The session reinforced the knowledge of our team on rules and regulations of The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015, adoption procedures, the laws that govern adoption policies, and how to interpret the Competition Act, 2002 for the administration, implementation, and enforcement of the Act (Competition Commission of India).
- Sanrakshan staff participated in a workshop on the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act. This event was organized by the National Management Information System along with Ms. Kushi Kushalappa, Director, Support & Rehabilitation, Enfold India, another child protection NGO. Issues on sexual abuse, the Juvenile Justice Act 2015, the POCSO Act, and its main provisions were covered.



Artist: Savithra

Glimpse of celebrations at Sanrakshan



Kannada Rajyotsava Day,
1st November 2022



Dusshera and Diwali festival
Oct 24th and Nov 12th 2022



International Yoga Day June 21,
2022



Children's Day celebrations with
Bhumi and Rotary Club of 14th
November 2022 Bengaluru



Ugadi (Kannada New Year) day
celebrations 14th April, .2022



Independence Day celebrations
15th August 2022



Ambedkar Jayanti celebrations
with Mr. Arvind and team,
Confederation of Indian
Industry (CII) on April 14, 2022



Birthday Celebrations of children
with Mr. Sathish and Mr. Raghu,
regular donors

Visit by IIFL Samasta Finance Ltd.
team 7th September, 2022

Partners



Rainbow Foundation India, is an Indian NGO that runs the Rainbow Homes programme of which Sanrakshan is a partner. RFI is committed to the cause of underprivileged and marginalized groups such as children, women, and youth. Sanrakshan received 60% grant support from RFI.



DeliverHealth is focused on providing software, AI, and services that reduce costs and resources, resulting in exceptional care and business. They have supported us with funding for our organizations.



United Way is the oldest and largest privately funded charity in the world, established in 1887 in USA. It raises large sums of money to address community needs, every year. Sanrakshan has received sub grants from United Way, Bengaluru, which has helped the holistic development of vulnerable children through nutritional, educational and health support.



Debrique Creative Labs Pvt Ltd (DCLPL) aim is to disrupt the construction industry using modularity as a design principle and aid in transforming the world to a sustainable future. With the help of DCLPL, we have been able to purchase a van for essential travel for children in the Home. They have also helped with funds for nutrition, educational, and health support of the children in the Home.



Communications Test Design, Inc. (CTDI) is a full-service, global engineering, repair and logistics company that provides best-cost solutions to the communications industry. With the support of CTDI, Sanrakshan has made improvements in infrastructure facilities for the children and purchased a Maruti Eeco Van for transport of children to the CWC and back.

Partners



Alpha-Elsec Defence and Aerospace Systems Pvt Ltd (ALPHA) specializes in R&D, manufacture, assembly, testing, qualification, integration & installation of Defence Electronics, Avionics & Space Satellites systems. ALPHA too has provided funds for nutritional, educational, and health support for the children in our Home.



SATHI's work primarily revolves around two themes – 'early intervention' and 'restoration of separated children back to family'. SATHI provides support and guidance to the Sanrakshan Rainbow Home, especially in education



Sineng Electric India Pvt Ltd (SEIPL) provides comprehensive support for all solar installations throughout the entire Life cycle. SEIPL has provided grants for nutritional, educational, and health support for children in our Home.



ACCEL is a leading venture capital firm that invests in people and their companies from the earliest days through all phases of private company growth. They have helped in infrastructure support for Sanrakshan home.



Anmol Swarn, a new-age jewellery house in the South has contributed funds to help us purchase a van.

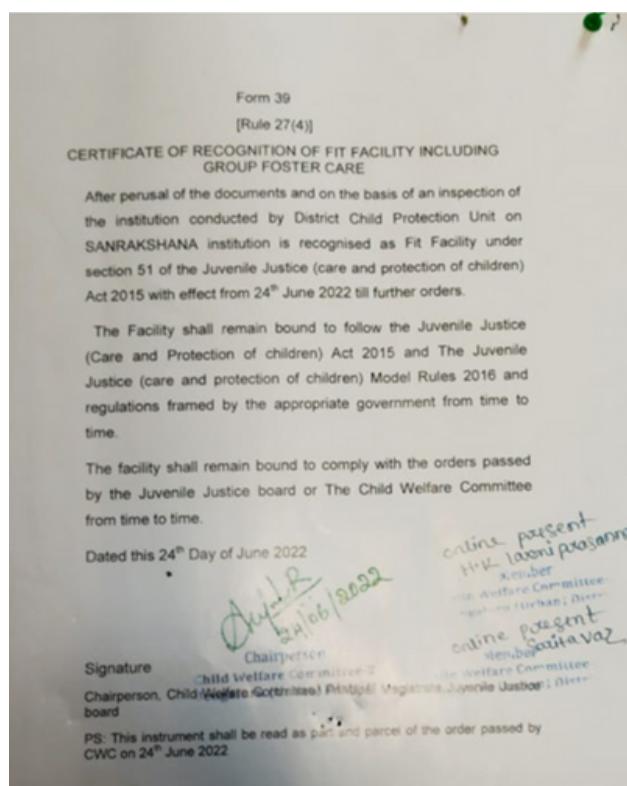


Goonj established in 1999 to provide humanitarian aid, aims to build an equitable relationship of strength, sustenance and dignity between cities and villages using under-utilized urban materials as a tool to trigger development with dignity across the country. Sanrakshan has received huge support from Goonj in terms of infrastructure and clothing

Awards and Recognitions



An appreciation certificate for Sanrakshan as United in Kindness to Selfless Service to Society on February 28, 2023, from the Lions Club Bengaluru Phoenix, organized by the Rotary Club, Malleswaram.

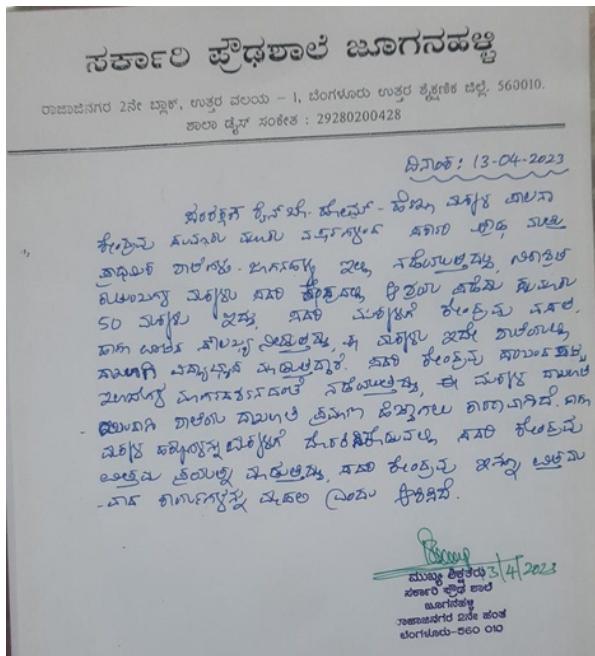


We received a certificate recognizing Sanrakshan Rainbow Home as a fit facility under Section 51 of the Juvenile Justice Act of 2015. This is a matter of pride that the Social Welfare Board trusts Sanrakshan as a child protection institution.

Testimonials

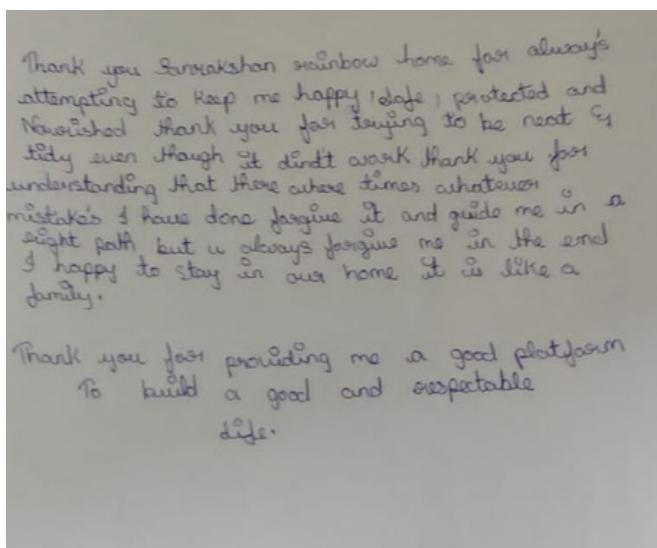
"Sanrakshan rainbow home is a very professional organization to work with. They were our implementing partner for project support to street children. They maintained all books of records with accuracy and the staff is approachable and easy to work it. They take care of the children with lots of love and care. The shelter home is well maintained and the children are disciplined."

Ms Rachel Natasha, Sr. Executive, United Way Bengaluru

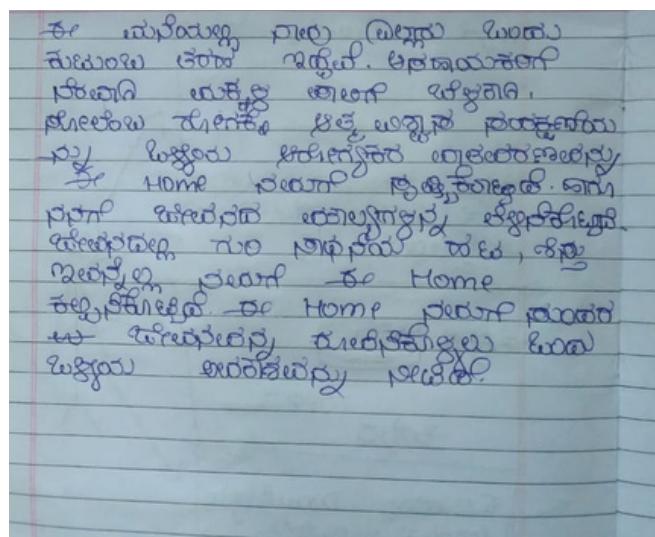


Mr.Beerappa, High School Headmaster
Juganahalli, Government High School,
Bengaluru

Children's Testimonials



Rajeswari, 8th class



Yasmine 8th class

Supporters and Patrons

We are deeply grateful to all our individual donors and well-wishers. Thank you for believing in our work. Your invaluable support has contributed to bringing about enormous change in the lives of the children and youth from underprivileged and marginalized communities who are in our care. Without you, we would not be rooted in our work in Karnataka and elsewhere.

Mr. Naagheash, President of the Rotary Club, Bengaluru	Naresh
Mrs. Simoni and her team	Ashok Rao
Ms. Ranjani	Sonali
Ms. Anitha Reddy	Patna Rockers (Kabaddi team)
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Ms Mamata	Jaya Prakash
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Mr. Suresh	Mr.Sarith.S
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Ms.Veena	Mr.Ravi Varriar
Jayakhar.K	Mr.Raghu Nanda
Preetha and Team	Mr.Ajay Kumar
Mr.Ravi	

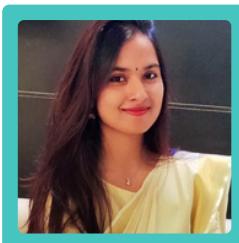
Organizations

Challengers Youth Association
Open Door Foundation
Youth Association Trust
Lions Club Bengaluru Phoenix

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Mr. Rajesh Kumar Saini
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Home Manager



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Home Manager



Ms. Shobha
ECO/ Teacher



Ms. Ravikumari
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Umaina Hafeez
Counsellor



Renukamma
Cook



Sasikala
Home Mother



Shruti
Security Guard



Ms.Lakshmi
Social Mobiliser (RS)

Financial results for the year 2022-2023

SANRAKSHAN NO 53, SHRI VENKATESHWARA NILAYA 5TH CROSS , HMT LAYOUT, MATHIKERE, BANGALORE 560054 RECEIPT & PAYMENT FOR THE PERIOD 01.04.2022 TO 31.03.2023					
RECEIPTS	AMOUNT (Rs.)		PAYMENT	AMOUNT (Rs.)	
To Opening Balance SBI AC Mathikere: 39646240532 Staff Program advance	1,49,480		By. Payment made from Specific funds 1)Payments from RFI receipts	1,08,524	
		1,49,480	2)Payments from UWB receipts	40,614	
To Grant received from Specific funds 1)RFI -direct support	28,50,000		3)Payments from Debrique Creative labs pvt.l	1,340	
2) Communication test design india pvt.Ltd.	6,17,000		4)Payment to Sundry Creditors	18,52,425	
3) Debrique Creative labs pvt.Ltd	7,12,000		5) Payments from CTDI Receipts	3,15,525	
4) United way bengaluru	14,40,500		6) Payment from General Fund	12,450	23,30,878
5) General contributions	12,48,805		By. Other Payments 1)Payment for House rent deposit	1,00,000	
6) Alpha Elsec Defence & Aerospace Pvt Ltd Receipt	2,50,000		2) Bank Charges		
7) Anmol Swarn Pvt Ltd Receipt	1,32,000		3)Payments made towards sundry advances	13,01,233	
8)Singeng Electric Pvt Ltd	2,00,000	74,50,305	4) Repair & Maintenance	29,45,536	
			5) Payment towards duties and taxes		43,46,769
To, Other receipts: TDS receivable Loan received from sundry creditors Sundry receipts from debtors Interest on IT refund Bank interest received	2,700 2,45,958 11,068 200 7,659	2,67,585	Closing Balances SBI AC 39646240532	11,89,723	11,89,723
Total	78,67,370		Total		78,67,370
For Sanrakshan		-	For PK Subramaniam and Co., Chartered Accountants FRN: 004135S		
Rajashekhar M Secretary Bangalore 30.04.2023			CA Veerabasana Gouda Partner MRN: 208698 UDIN:		

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SANRAKSHAN NO 53, SHRI VENKATESHWARA NILAYA 5TH CROSS , HMT LAYOUT, MATHIKERE, BANGALORE 560054 INCOME & EXPENDITURE FOR THE PERIOD 01.04.2022 TO 31.03.2023					
EXPENDITURE	AMOUNT (Rs.)		INCOME	AMOUNT (Rs.)	
To, Expenditure from General fund Travel expenses Bank Charges PT registration charges Repair & Maintenance Website , designing & Hosting Total Expenditure	11,90,268.00 - 31,591.00 Total Expenditure	12,21,859	By General contributions By. interest on IT refund By Bank interest received Total Income	13,87,899.05 200 7,659.00 Total Income	13,95,758
To, Excess of income over Exp. transferred to Balance Sheet		1,73,899.05			
TOTAL Rs.		13,95,758	TOTAL Rs.		13,95,758
For Sanrakshan			For PK Subramaniam and Co., Chartered Accountants FRN: 004135S		
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SANRAKSHAN NO 53, SHRI VENKATESHWARA NILAYA 5TH CROSS , HMT LAYOUT, MATHIKERE, BANGALORE 560054 BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2022					
LIABILITIES	SCH	AMOUNT (Rs.)	ASSETS	SCH	AMOUNT (Rs.)
I. General Fund : Op: Balance Add: Excess of Income over exp. transferred from I & E A/C		1,73,899	I.Fixed assets GF Assets & Inventory Purchase	4	56,271
II. Undisbursed Funds: Rainbow foundation india United way bengaluru Debrique Creative Labs Pvt Ltd Communication test design india pvt Ltd.(CTDI) Anmol Swarn Sineng Electric Pvt.Ltd. Alpha Elsec Defence and Aerospace Systems Pvt.Ltd.	1	-76,426 - 6,49,553 - 1,32,000 2,00,000 2,50,000	II.Current Assets TDS Receivable Deposits Loans & Advances(asset) Bank balance.	5 6	1,800 1,00,000 -373 11,89,723
III.Sundry Creditors Advance from Creditors	2	-			
IV.Outstanding Liability	3	18,395			
TOTAL Rs.		13,47,421	TOTAL Rs.		13,47,421
For Sanrakshan			For PK Subramaniam and Co., Chartered Accountants FRN: 004135S		
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Schedule-1 (CSR Fund)				
Notes forming part of CSR fund received and utilized as on 31-Mar-23				
Particulars	Opening balance as on 1.4.22	Received	Spent	Closing Balance as on 31.3.2023
A.Rainbow Foundation India				
RFI (direct)Receipt:	-	28,50,000	-	28,50,000
Less: CBC Rainbow community based care program	-	-	2,99,996	-2,99,996
Less: CCI A CHILD CARE INSTITUTE	-	-	26,26,430	-26,26,430
Total(A)	-	28,50,000	29,26,426	-76,426
B.United Way Bengaluru				
UWB Receipt	-	14,40,500	-	14,40,500
Less: UWB 1 Child Home Educators and HR Related Cost	-	-	6,36,000	-6,36,000
Less: UWB 2 Children Nutrition	-	-	1,80,026	-1,80,026
Less: UWB 3 Child, Home Education Related Cost	-	-	3,32,432	-3,32,432
Less: UWB 4 Home Related Cost and Office Related	-	-	2,12,080	-2,12,080
Less: UWB 5 Capacity Building & Monitoring Evaluations	-	-	79,962	-79,962
Total(B)	-	14,40,500	14,40,500	-
C.Debrique Creative Labs Pvt Ltd				
Debrique Creative Labs Pvt Ltd Receipt	-	7,12,000	-	7,12,000
Less: DCLP1 Child home educators and related cost	-	-	20,000	-20,000
Less: DCLP2 Children nutrition	-	-	1,470	-1,470
Less: DCLP 3 Child, Home & Education Related Cost	-	-	26,520	-26,520
Less: DCLP 4 Home Related Costs & Office	-	-	13,061	-13,061
Less: DCLP 5 Capacity building & Monitoring and Evaluations	-	-	1,396	-1,396
Total (C)	-	7,12,000	62,447	6,49,553

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D.CTDI				
CTDI Receipt	-	6,17,000	-	6,17,000
Less:CTDI 1 Bunker Cot with Storage Box	-	-	2,31,516	-2,31,516
Less:CTDI2 Eco Maruthi Suzuki van	-	-	2,00,000	-2,00,000
Less:CTDI 3 Sick Room Setup for SRN	-	-	30,000	-30,000
Less:CTDI 4 Counselling Room Setup for SRN	-	-	30,372	-30,372
Less:CTDI 5 Pad Burner Machine	-	-	16,583	-16,583
Less:CTDI 6 Solar Water Heater	-	-	29,313	-29,313
Less:CTDI 7 LED TV for Onlinc Class	-	-	30,500	-30,500
Less:CTDI 8 Reading Room Flooring & Painting	-	-	48,716	-48,716
Total(D)	-	6,17,000	6,17,000	-
E.Sineng Electric India Pvt Ltd.				
Sineng receipt	-	2,00,000	-	2,00,000
Less:Expenses	-	-	-	-
Total (E)	-	2,00,000	-	2,00,000
F.Alpha Elsec Defence and Aerospace Systems pvt Ltd.				
Aerospace receipt	-	2,50,000	-	2,50,000
Less:Expenses	-	-	-	-
Total (F)	-	2,50,000	-	2,50,000
G.Anmol Swarn				
Anmol Swarn receipt	-	1,32,000	-	1,32,000
Less:Expenses	-	-	-	-
Total (G)	-	1,32,000	-	1,32,000
Total (A+B+C+D+E+F+G)	-	62,01,500	50,46,373	11,55,127
For Sanrakshan				
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