



Velemegna News Letter Oct-Dec-2024

Greetings to you in the precious name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Our God for is merciful and faithful his promises for 2024.

Psalm 27:13:- I would see the goodness of the lord in the land of the living...

Prov 23:18:- There is surely a future hope for you, and your hope will not be cut off.

FAMILY NEWS:

Vineet is doing MBA (Hospital Administration) and Khushi is studying 3rd year Engineering (Bio technology).



Vineet, Khushi and Dr.Sybil

HOSPITAL NEWS:

OCT EVENTS:-

We celebrated the **World Sight Day** program at **Bal Bhavan Children's Home**. During the event, we conducted eye screenings for **78 children** and provided eye health awareness sessions. On **October 10, 2024**.



Dr. Sheena and Mr. John visited **Velemegna** and conducted a free general health checkup at **Dr. Salins Vision Centers**. They also conducted health checkup of all staff and did quality checks in all departments in the month of October 2024.



Dr.Sybil with Dr. Sheena and Mr. John

Mr. Sundeep Salins and Dr. Swarthik Salins and family visited **Velemegna**, In October 2024.



The SCB Project Team visited Velemegna to conduct audits of the **Dr.Salins Vision Centers** (Santpur, Sulepet, Bhalki, Humnabad and Basvakalyan) In October 2024.



HOSPITAL STATISTICS

| Month | No. of patients seen in our OPD | No. Surgeries Done | |
|--------|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------|
| | | Free | Paying |
| Oct-24 | 1627 | 107 | 199 |
| Nov-24 | 2210 | 152 | 210 |
| Dec-24 | 1831 | 78 | 111 |

NOV EVENTS:-

On November 4, 2024, we conducted a **free eye screening camp** for auto drivers across all 10 Dr. Salins Vision Centers.



On November 12, 2024, we organized a **free dental checkup camp** at Bhalki Vision Center, conducted by SB Patil Dental College, Bidar. A total of **103 people** were screened during this event.



DEC EVENTS:-

On December 3, 2024, we celebrated **World Disability Day** at Rang Mandir, Bidar, by organizing a **free eye camp** for persons with disabilities and conducting an **awareness program** in collaboration with DDRO (District Disability Rehabilitation officer) Bidar.



We celebrated Christmas at “NFHS David Seamonds Function Hall” Bidar, on December 23, 2024.



Team Velemegna

We conducted a free eye screening camp for the staff of KKRTC Bus Depots in Bidar, Bhalki, Aurad, Humnabad, and Basavakalya, On December 28, 2024. Total OPD (All Depots): 210 Cataracts Identified: 7 Refractive Errors Identified: 103 Pterygium Identified: 16 Other Eye Problems Identified: 47



OTHER NEWS:-

We celebrated Dr.Sybil's Birthday on 13TH October 2024 at Velemegna Eye Hospital.



Dr.Shruti Ophthalmologist Joined Velemegna in the Month of Oct-2024.



Dr. Sybil with Dr.Shruti



VISION CENTERS NEWS

Vision Center's Community Health workers are conducting their door to door Survey, School Screening and Eye Camps.



NAVJEEVAN CHILDREN'S HOME:-

45 Children are studying and doing well.



BARIDABAD & CHATNALLI NEWS:-

We celebrated Christmas in Navjeevan Leprosy centre on 21st December 2024.



Farm: - We planted 500 drumstick trees 800 bamboo trees and 30 coconut trees in Chatnali & Baridabad,



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT NEWS

Bro. Jyothithompson visited regularly all the community centers, meeting the emotional, physical and daily needs of the community people.



A new community center is being built in Dhotikol village, Chincholi taluka, Kalaburagi district.



SALINS COLLEGE OF OPTOMETRY:

S. Salins College of Optometry conducted its "graduation ceremony" on December 23, 2024, honoring all students who successfully completed their course.



S. Salins College of Optometry celebrated "Children's Day" with great enthusiasm, organizing various fun-filled activities and events for the students.



PRAYER POINTS:-

Praise:

- For God's provision for all our needs

Prayer Requests:

- We are going through a financial crisis patient flow has reduced cash flow has reduced.
 - Children home & their education
 - All intuitions of Velemegna
 1. 10 Vision Centers
 2. Nayantara Beauty parlour
 3. S.Salins College
 4. Community Centers (5)
 5. Baridabad farm
 6. Navjeevan Leprosy Center
 - For the welfare of staff, children, social workers and their families.
 - Baridabad fencing problem
 - New Hospital (10 CR)
 - New land
 - New Director
 - For Khushi's & Vineet's studies
 - For all the future plans of Velemegna
- In closing I wish to thank you very much for your Love, support, Gifts and Prayers....God bless you!

Happy New Year 2025.

- **Dr. Sybil Salins**

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