

# Velemegna News Letter April-June-2024 Greetings to you in the precious name of our

Greetings to you in the precious name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Our God for is merciful and faithful his promises for 2024 grace & mercies on us Promise verses for this year.

Isaiah 54:10:- Though the mountains be shaken and the hills be removed, yet my unfailing love for you will not be shaken nor my covenant of peace be removed" says the LORD, who has compassion on you.

#### **FAMILY NEWS:**

Khushi Tara is studying Bio-Medical Engineering at Sir M. Visveswaraya Institute of Technology, Bangalore, while Vineet is currently pursuing his (MBA) Hospital Administrator course. He is also managing hospital administrative work alongside his college studies.



Vineet, Khushi and Dr.Sybil

## **HOSPITAL NEWS**: APRIL EVENTS:-

We conducted department-wise staff training on SOPs, as well as on handling Code Blue, Code Red, Code Pink, and Code Purple scenarios in preparation for the NABH inspection scheduled for August 2024.





The "Azim Premji Foundation" team from Bangalore visited us for a new project, in the month of April 2024.



#### **MAY EVENTS:-**

We Celebrated International "Mothers day" on 8th May-2024.







#### **JUNE EVENTS:-**

We celebrated the "56th Founders day" on June 1, 2024. During this event, we conducted a free eye check-up and dental check-up camp for the people of Bidar Urban. In addition we held a free eye check-up and awareness program for Bidar Urban ASHA workers 60 Asha workers came.







We Celebrated "Fathers day" on 18th June-2024.



Dr. Sybil participated in the "Eye Donation Awareness Program" at St. Paul's Methodist Church, Bidar, in June 2024.



#### **OTHER NEWS:-**

Dr.Sybil went to USA in April-2024.





Dr.Sybil attended ASCRS conference in Boston her Video "Hypermature cataract extraction with IOL simplified by special MSICS" was selected for the conference in April-2024.





**Dr.Sybil in ASCRS Conference**Our Staff Mr. Emanuel was blessed with a baby girl on 2<sup>nd</sup> April-2024.



Dr. Veerendar Patil and Mr. Puttraj Attended "SEVA" Partners meet Bhubaneswar Odisha in the month of April-2024.





Dr. Veerendar & Mr. Puttraj

#### **HOSPITAL STATISTICS**

Month	No. of patients seen in our OPD	No. Surgeries Done	
		Free	Paying
April-24	1785	100	158
May-24	2193	192	243
June-24	1807	196	143

We are pleased to announce that our esteemed staff member, Mr. Dhanraj, has retired as a receptionist in the month of April 2024. He served the institution for 22 years.



Mr.Dhanraj

We are pleased to announce that our esteemed staff member, Mr. Maruthi, has retired as a watchman in the month of April 2024. He served the institution for 40 years.



Mr.Maruthi

Druvan S/o Harish 6 years old boy diagnosed with Developmental cataract in both eyes, He underwent the following procedure Phaco+foldable IOL in the month of May 2024. He & his family are happy with the vision. This Surgery was sponsored by "Dame Anne Gloag".



Pre Op Druvan Post Op

"The staff at Velemegna enthusiastically participated in the voting process on April 27, 2024, exercising their democratic rights.



Alcon team conducted one day training for Velemegna Counseling staff in the month of April-2024.



NAVJEEVAN CHILDREN'S HOME:-

47 Children are studying and doing well in their academics. All are promoted to the next class.



We distributed uniforms, school bags, shoes, socks, tiffin boxes, and water bottles to all the children of Navjeevan Children's Home.



Our children participated in Yoga Day on 21st June-2024.



#### **BARIDABAD & CHATNALLI NEWS:-**

Farm:-We planted sugarcane (4 tons)



We harvested 7 quintals of onions in the month of April 2024.





#### **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT NEWS**

VBS was conducted in hospital from 17<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2024, 87 children enrolled and 76 received certificates. VBS was concluded with a beautiful program by children followed by dinner with parents and staff. Certificates were given away by chief guest Mr. Philemon Raj, Administrator of VGNS.

VBS was held in all the other community centers of Velemegna Good News Society in Goudanahalli CC, Kodampur CC, Jaknal CCand Maroor CC.









Maroor Community Center VBS



Jaknal Community Center VBS



Kodampur Community Center VBS



Goudanhali Community Center VBS

#### **S.SALINS COLLEGE OF OPTOMETRY:**

Admissions are open for B.Sc. Optometry course for 2024-25.



Mrs. Aparna Rai joined S. Salins College of Optometry as a new tutor (Asst professor) in May 2024.



Mrs.Aparna Rai

#### PRAYER POINTS:-

#### Praise:

• For God's provision for all our needs

#### Prayer Requests:

- For education of children We need financial support for (45+Children)
- Support for free eye surgeries including pediatric (Children) Cataract Surgeries
- For New Hospital & New land
- For all our institutions
- > Dr. Salins Eye Hospital
- > 5 Community Centers
- > Baridabad Farm (Boundary wall)
- > 10 Vision centers
- > Navjeevan Children home
- > 5 Salins College of Optometry
- Navjeevan Leprosy center
- For our FCRA renewal
- For the welfare of our staff, Social workers, Children and their families

In closing I wish to thank you very much for your Love, support, Gifts and Prayers....God bless you!

### - Dr. Sybil Salins

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