

# COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAMME

(A project of Bombay Regional Conference, MCI)



40

YEARS OF SERVICE

ANNUAL REPORT 2016-2017



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## LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR

Dear Friends,

It gives me great pleasure to present CORP's Annual Report for 2016-2017. Our Report features not only our performance and accomplishments for the year but also for the four decades of our selfless-services towards development of underprivileged children, youth and women. We are proud to have helped more than **one million** women and children, since our inception in 1977, while building deep credibility and trust in the communities we are serving.

For the past forty years, CORP has assisted children from difficult situations-the poorest of the poor; destitute, neglected, abused, and orphaned-with the hope of giving them a bright future and developing them into responsible, independent adults. Everyday, our staff members and volunteers work together for the welfare of these underprivileged children. Through our various programmes and services, the organisation has strived to build a better future for the children.

I am proud that CORP's regular Health Camps have reached more than 32,000 children and women during the year. Over 1200 kids under the age of 6 years benefited through Creche and Daycare Centres. 140 street children were provided education, nutrition and support which gives them a protective and safe childhood. CORP supported 85 children through residential shelter homes. Around 130 children with special needs, (physically or mentally challenged or hearing-impaired) were assisted through our differently-abled children project. Over 800 women completed vocational training courses and are earning their livelihood today. We supported 300 poor senior citizens by providing healthcare and a monthly ration. Our Family Counseling Center was able to come to the aid of 198 disputes many of which were for victims of domestic violence.



I am thankful to all our donor agencies, corporate partners and committed volunteers. Besides, I thank our many visitors for having spent quality time with the children, thereby bringing a smile on their faces. As Director, I am indebted to our dedicated staff for their sincere efforts throughout the year and for the successful implementation of our programmes towards betterment in the lives of the community people.

I am personally grateful to all our long-term partners namely, Dasra, Aasha Foundation, Kindernoethilfe-KNH, Vibha, GiveIndia, Inspirasia Foundation, Bombay Community Public Trust-BCPT, The Barrington Education Initiative -BEI, Brembo, Maharashtra State Social Welfare Board and Central Social Welfare Board, Government of India.

Finally, what CORP is today, is because of our donors and well-wishers who supported us through donations, in-kind items, goods, quality time spent and services. During the coming years, CORP is determined to garner enhanced support, enabling our projects to grow further and develop. Your endless support is invaluable to us. Just 1 US Dollar or ₹ 60 a day ensures a nourishing snack for the child to study without feeling hungry. Surely with your support, we hope to do much more....

**Nirmal Chandappa**  
Director







*Every child has the right to education!*



## MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN



Dear Friends,

I am glad that CORP completed 40 years of noble service reaching out successfully to the underprivileged in Mumbai slums. We are indeed proud that CORP has grown from its humble beginning four decades ago into a multi-faceted organisation. From the grassroot level, CORP steadily increased into a sustainable, holistic community-based solution.

We strive for the people of the slum communities to improve their living and social conditions, by providing quality education, vocational training, healthcare, nutrition, legal guidance, capacity-building workshops and other services that foster self-dependency. CORP with its extensive association with the community and genuine concern towards transformation of the lives of underprivileged children and women, sets an example for caring to the least and the lost.

In the last year, about 40,000 people, primarily women and children, from Mumbai slum communities benefited from at least one of CORP's programmes. We constantly endeavour towards their growth with our great work.

The director, staff, volunteers and all our partner agencies deserve appreciation for reaching out with unfettered support, concern and fulfilling its tasks for achieving our goals.

Thanks for all the support and encouragement CORP received from our friends and partners in India and around the globe. Indeed, without everyone's efforts and dedication, we would not be able to implement these programmes that reach out to the underprivileged in Mumbai. Each gift is an invaluable contribution, which we pride ourselves on using your contributions well and together create a lasting impact in peoples' lives.

May God abundantly bless CORP's ministry.

**Bishop Dr. Anilkumar Servand**  
**Chairman, CORP**





## AN OVERVIEW

Founded in 1977, CORP has grown from a single community center into a network of 20 centers working across multiple city slums. Our goal is to empower at-risk children, women, and teens, by sharing the education, tools, and training they need to improve their own lives.

It is estimated that hundreds of new families come to Mumbai every day. Most of these migrants will find themselves living in a slum colony, sometimes staying with up to 10 people in a single room hut. Others find cover on a railway platform, or squat on the nearest available footpath. Of the one million people living in Mumbai's largest slum, Dharavi, many are second or third generation residents. Most are employed full-time, working in either one of countless slum-based factories that produce goods for large high-street brands, or for companies based elsewhere in the city.

Also, the slum-dwellers stay in dire poverty and they exist without basic amenities. The slum people live in locations unsuitable for human habitation, which are life-threatening, due to prevalence of diseases, like malaria, dengue, etc. Owing to lack of education or skills, they work in menial jobs and their earnings are meagre to cope with their family household expenses.

This is the context in which CORP has operated for the past 40 years. From a two-teacher, 40 children initiative, to a 100 staff- 1 million children and women initiative. Today, the organization has come a long way. CORP will continue to touch and heal the lives of those in need.



**Our Vision** : CORP envisions a society where all women and children are dignified and empowered, with their basic rights respected.

**Our Mission** : CORP's mission is to educate, nurture, and guide vulnerable children, to empower disadvantaged women and to raise the standard of living for Mumbai's slum communities.

**Objectives** :

- To encourage all sections of society, irrespective of caste, religion or economic status, to cooperate on long-term development.
- To empower, train, and support local people to take responsibility within their own communities.
- To create an awareness of self-worth and provide facilities for improving the lives of the slum residents.

**Our Core Values**

- Respect
- Integrity
- Commitment
- Excellence
- Empowerment





*Children have the right to a standard  
Of living that is good enough to meet  
their physical and mental needs*





# PROGRAMMES AND CENTRES ACROSS MUMBAI



## Ambarnath

- Creche
- Vocational Training
- Senior Citizen Group
- Medical Checkups
- Social/Medical Awareness
- Non-Formal Education
- Tuition/Tutoring
- Adult Education
- Youth Groups
- Income Generation

## Virar

- Creche
- Senior Citizen Group
- Medical Checkups
- Social/Medical Awareness
- Self Helps Groups
- Pregnancy Club

## Thane

- Creche
- Shelter Homes
- Disabled Children
- Vocational Training
- Senior Citizen Group
- Medical Checkups
- Social/Medical Awareness
- Non-Formal Education
- Tuition/Tutoring
- Income Generation
- Self Helps Groups
- Counselling

## Dharavi

- Creche
- Shelter Homes
- Vocational Training
- Senior Citizen Group
- Medical Checkups
- Social/Medical Awareness
- Income Generation
- Counselling

## Reay Road

- Creche
- Vocational Training
- Senior Citizen Group
- Medical Checkups
- Social/Medical Awareness

## Jogeshwari

- Creche
- Vocational Training
- Senior Citizen Group
- Medical Checkups
- Social/Medical Awareness
- Self Helps Groups

## Grant Road

- Medical Checkups
- Street Children

## Matunga

- Creche
- Disabled Children
- Senior Citizen Group
- Medical Checkups
- Social/Medical Awareness

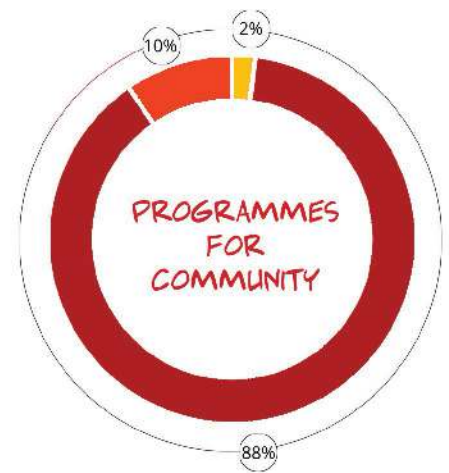
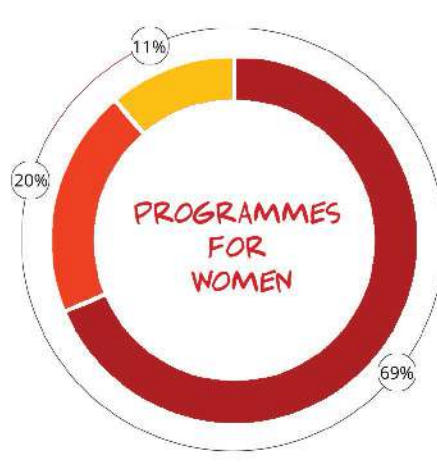
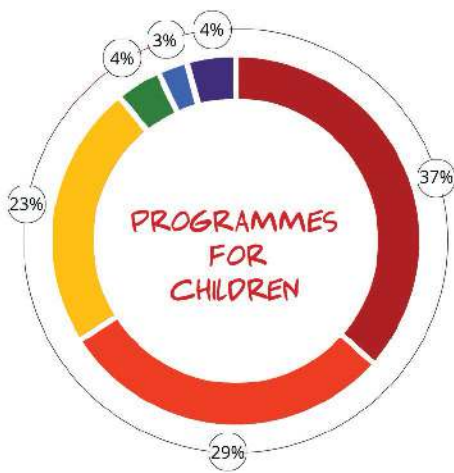
## Kurla

- Creche
- Vocational Training
- Senior Citizen Group
- Medical Checkups

## Mumbai Central

- Head Office





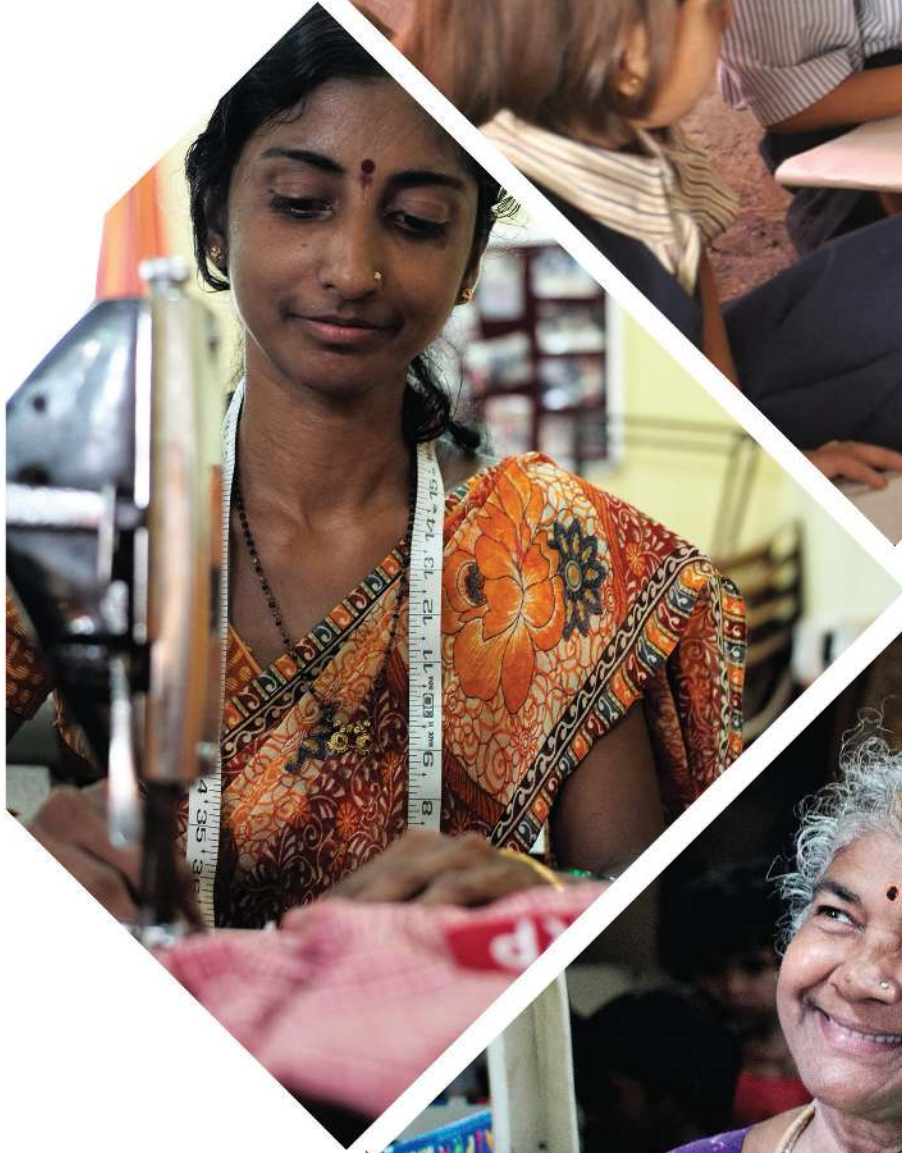
- Creche
- Community Toy Library
- Education Support
- Disabled Children
- Residential Shelter Homes
- Street Children

- Vocational Training
- Senior Citizen
- Income Generation

- Nutrition
- Family Counseling
- Health and Social Awareness







WHAT WE DO





## Community toy library



During the development years of a child, toys help in promoting their progress. CORP has a Community Toy Library at 12 centres for 600 children. The children enjoy access to hundreds of toys and games while learning to share and play with other children. Also, we distributed over 1000 toys to poor children in the age group from 1 to 10 years with the support of our partner NGO ToyBank.

## Pregnancy club for poor mothers

CORP supports the pregnant women of Tribal Adivasi villages of Virar, and enabled 246 women to give a safe birth to their children. Now, in these villages 100% of the deliveries happen in the hospital under proper medical supervision.

CORP makes every effort to provide pregnant women with proper health awareness, regular check-ups and healthy nutritious meals during pre as well as post natal periods. Now, the women are more knowledgeable and informative as regards what to expect during and after pregnancy. The women are much healthier and have a better sense of family planning. We even conduct regular health check-ups for these women during their pregnancies which help them to monitor the growth of the infant.



## Career guidance training for poor students:



CORP conducted Career Guidance training for the poor students who had appeared Std. 10th and Std. 12th Exams. The workshop was conducted in Khandala in the midst of nature where the students were guided through the bank of careers, courses, scholarships and various levels of professional qualifications achievable. Series of workshops on molding their personality was conducted in an interactive manner. After the training, 100% participants continued their education in colleges, universities plus various vocational training and focused on career prospects. Thanks to Ms.Taral Parekh and team who conducted the training programme.





## STREET CHILDREN PROJECT

Of all the deprived children in our society, the street child is the most vulnerable. There are many such children living in Mumbai streets who have been abandoned, orphaned, victimized by abuse, or who are the children of parents who are unable to provide safe care and a roof over their heads.

Everyday our staff brings these children to our center from railway platforms, the streets, traffic signals, bus stands and from the pavement dwellers. After coming to our center in the morning, their hygiene requirements are taken care of and they are provided nutritious meals and are sent to government/ municipal schools. Also, a few children attend night-school. Tuition classes, counselling and access to healthcare, alongside recreational and creative opportunities are provided to these children at-risk.

CORP follows the Day care Center model, thereby the children living on the streets are identified and CORP ensures that each day of the child is well structured. The children receive emotional and counselling support.



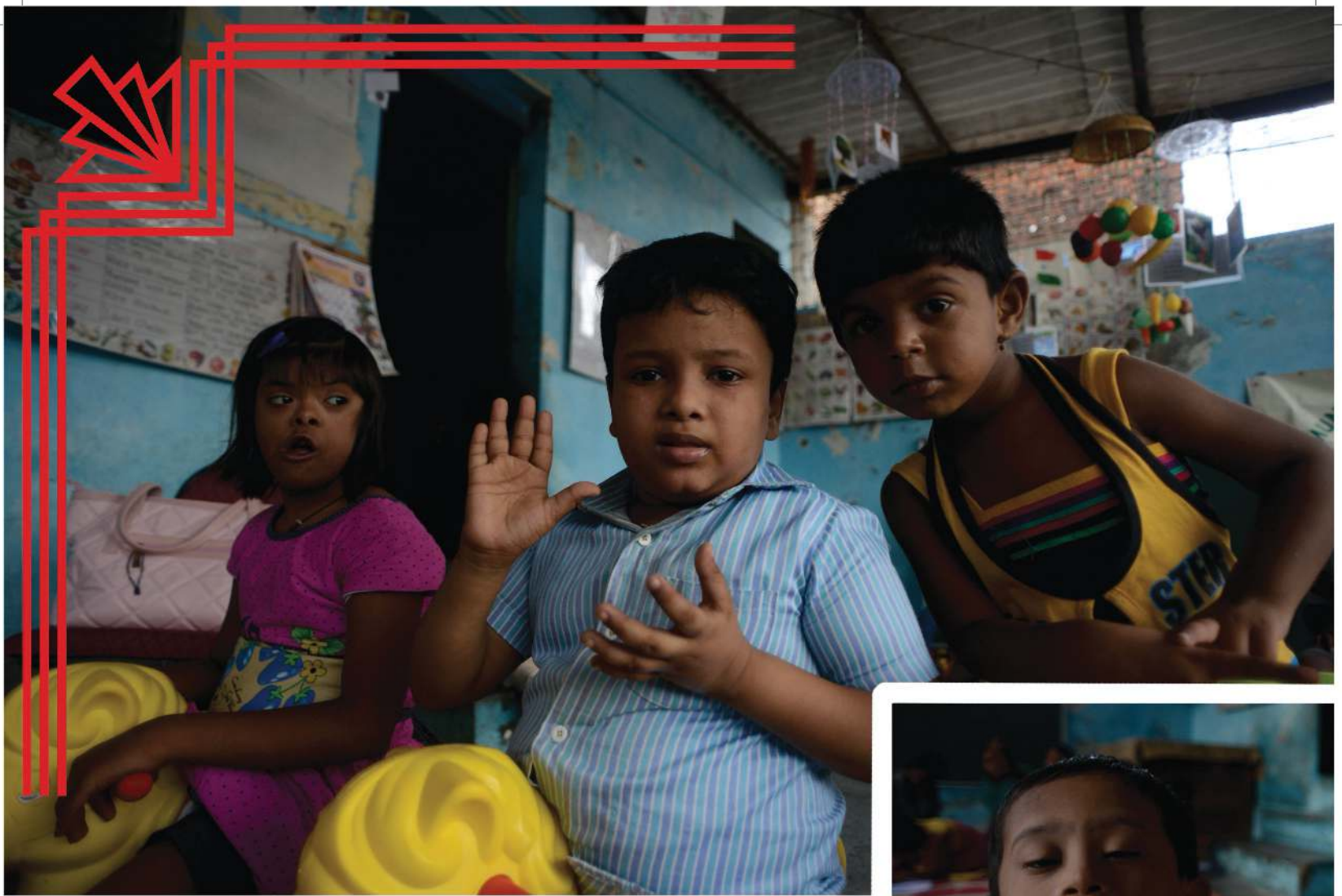


## CRECHE

CORP's Crèche and Day-care Centers are located in some of the most poverty-stricken areas of Mumbai. In these centres, the children of poor working mothers are provided with a safe and caring environment. These children are given a nutritious meal daily, access to basic healthcare for proper development, and education in basic cleanliness and hygiene. Significantly, they are provided a safe and caring environment during the day, allowing their mothers to go to work to support the family.

During the year about 1200 children, in the age-group from 8 months to 6 years, benefitted from our 20 Crèche Units. They are provided with a foundational education to prepare them to attend formal school. Every year in June, over 350-400 children on completing 6 years of age are admitted to formal schools in Std. 1st.





## DIFFERENTLY-ABLED CHILDREN PROJECT

The physically and mentally challenged, and hearing impaired children of poor families face significant hardships. Their families often cannot provide needed medical care or medical equipment and they may not be able to send their children to special schools. CORP is presently working with 135 differently-abled children and all are attending schools and a few undergoing vocational training along with their studies. All these children are from Below Poverty Line (BPL) families with health issues and domestic problems in the family.

Our programmes for these children emphasize on their total development along with their family, and a goal of helping them to lead mainstream lives and achieve their goals. Through our programme, the children receive nutritious meals and regular medical care including provision of hearing aids and prosthetics, and most importantly enjoy a sense of community belonging. They are also supported in their education and guided by our teachers in their homework. After school hours, the children receive opportunities for various educational activities and engage in activities like computers, drawing, craft and games conducted at the Centre.

We have seen progress in each and every child who is motivated. They are enrolled in special school, show interest in their studies and are advancing from one level to another.







## SHELTER HOMES

CORP's Shelter Homes provide a safe and permanent home for children in need. We have 3 residential shelters. Our goal in running these full-time shelters is to provide a home-like environment where the joys of childhood can be found alongside the fundamentals of education and a safe, secure environment. The children who live in our homes were previously denied the rights to a normal childhood; however, through our programmes, they are provided a platform to showcase their inner resilience, overcome their pasts and participate in making decisions about their future.

The Shelter Homes provides the children with nutritious meals, quality education by enrolling them at private schools in the neighbourhood, tuition (tutoring) support, counselling and access to healthcare, alongside recreational and creative opportunities and nurturing care. Also, there are many extra-curricular activities like yoga, basketball, arts & crafts, dance, and swimming. In addition, CORP provides yearly healthcare, including physical, dental and eye check-ups.

Our aim is that the children complete at least 12th grade and have an opportunity to enroll in university or quality non-degree training programmes. CORP not only supports university fees but also arranges residence in college dorms/hostels. After completion of their studies, CORP assists the students with job placements, and participates in a meaningful way in their transition towards self-dependence.

Our children are growing-up and becoming confident, well-adjusted youth and are ready for the demands and requirements of both independent living and for the professional workplace. The first among them have graduated from university, found gainful employment and are financially self-dependent. They are working as graphic designers, hotel management, human resources, I.T., accounting, nursing and other professions. Currently, 12 young women and 7 young men are working full-time and supporting themselves.

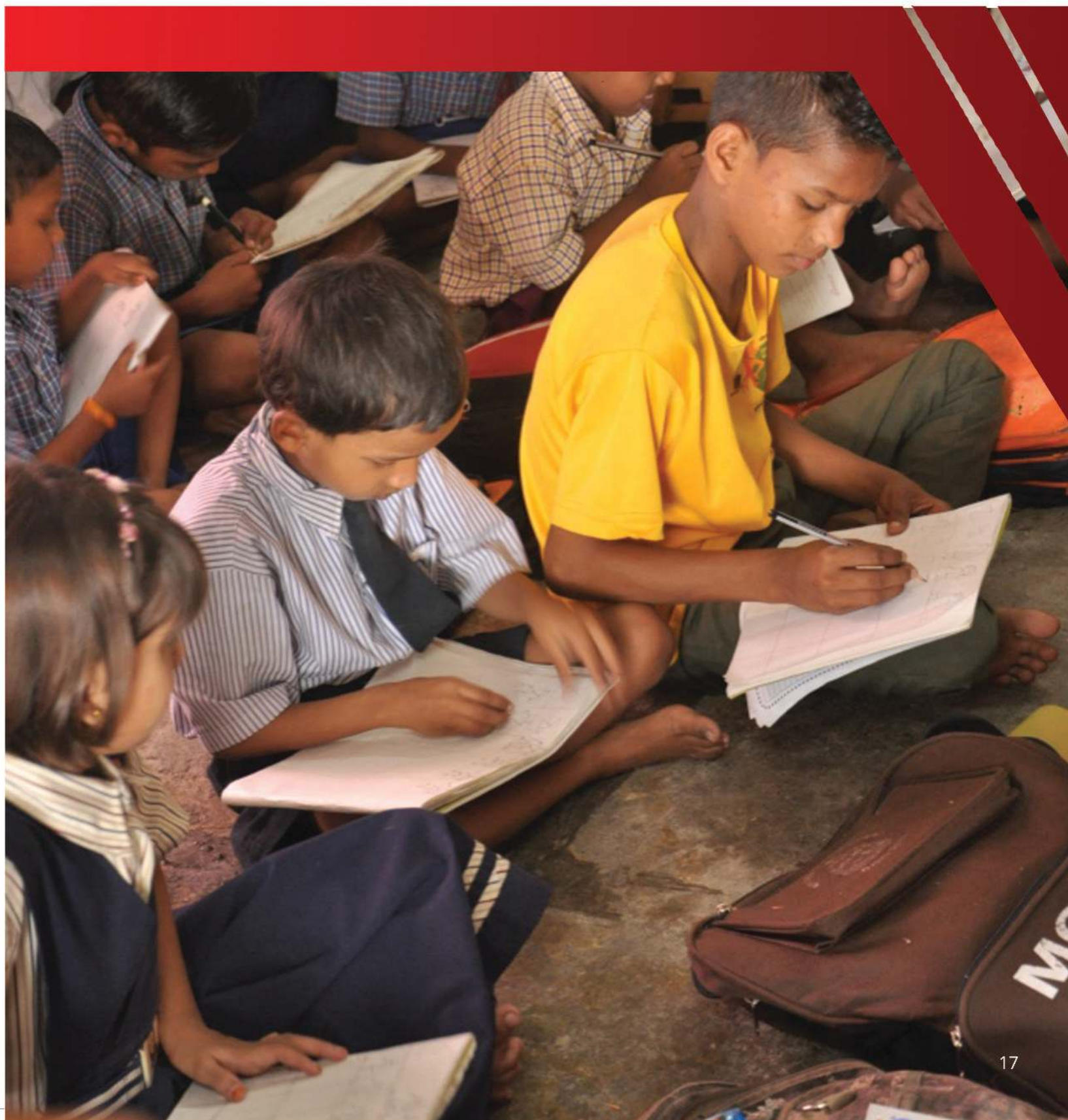


## TUITION (TUTORING) CLASSES

Education leads to better livelihood opportunities, enhanced income and a better living for youngsters. Equitable, inclusive and relevant quality education leads to gender equality and human resource development.

Many school children from disadvantaged backgrounds have outside factors that impact their performance in school. These factors include parents who are illiterate or otherwise incapable of helping them with their studies, small houses lacking privacy or a suitable space to concentrate on studies.

CORP provides support to these children to help them succeed in their studies through afterschool tuition (tutoring) programmes in our community centers. In these programmes, children are provided with an environment conducive to learning, individualized attention, and homework assistance, in addition to supplementary nutrition. This year more than 300 school-going children have benefited from our tuition classes.





## WOMEN EMPOWERMENT

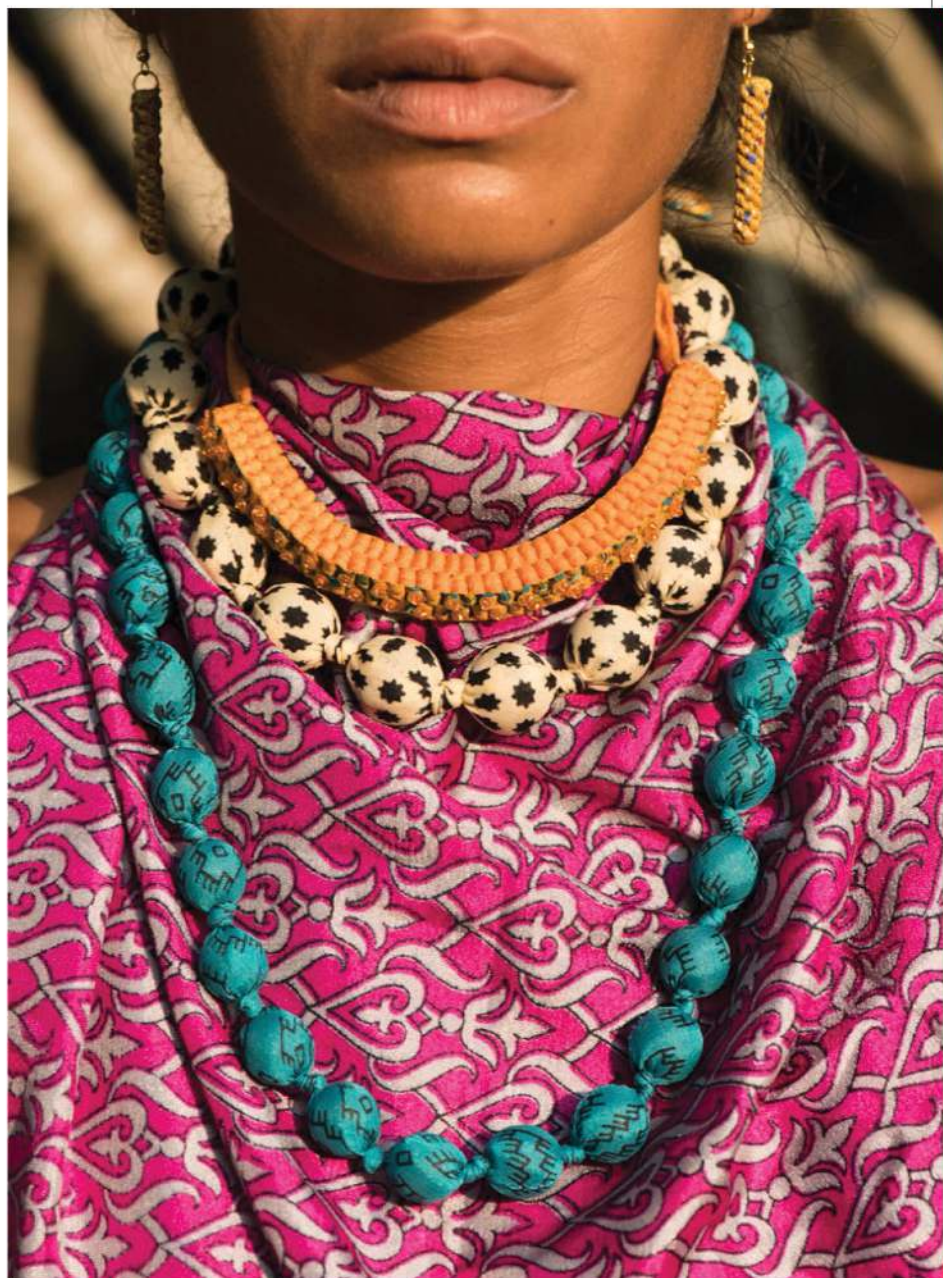
### Vocational Training & Income Generation

Many women living in slum communities are illiterate or have limited education. They are often confined to traditional roles in the home, taking care of their families and their households. They have limited opportunities to express themselves, learn new skills, contribute financially to the family.

To give these women new opportunities to earn and to motivate them to think differently about their futures, CORP offers a number of vocational courses in Tailoring, Beautician, Montessori Teachers Training and Income-generation Programmes. The skills acquired from our programmes provide women with the ability to seek outside employment or to work from their own homes providing services to their neighbours in the community. This year, 500 women were enrolled in our courses and many women from our tailoring and beautician classes received outside employment opportunities in the garment industry and beauty salons respectively.

Besides, we conducted special workshops and seminars for skills and technique training that added value to the training, helped boost their confidence and motivated training. Also, a few programmes, like Hand-Stitch and Embroidery, Personality Development workshops, sessions on Life Skills Training, Special Advance course in Tailoring & Beauty Parlour and products skill training for women in livelihood are highlighted.

Our Income-generation programmes provided women job training and undertook orders for uniforms, bags, customized handmade accessories and soft toys, thereby benefitting over 200 women annually. The project is supported by our partners like Brembo, CESVI, 2nd Inning handicraft Pvt limited, Pashoo-Pakshee, I Was A Sari Project and Chindi.







Consistent improvement of quality training and growth for Income-generation activities reflected on the conduct of training, discipline in implementation of the activities with more effective methods and strategies. This is one of the more visible activities, which strengthened our bonds with the community people and also attracted Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) support for Women Empowerment projects. We believe more in quality change in living standards of beneficiaries than the numbers. Training has been competitive and delivered additional skills, like communication, personality development, professional ethics, etc.

### Celebration of International Women's Day-2017

CORP celebrated International Women's Day on 9th March 2017 with a gathering of over 1000 women. Our Chief Guests, Mrs. Sylvia Servand, President, Deaconesses Conference, BRC, MCI and Mrs. Amy Sebes & Mr. Thomas Vajda of U.S. Consulate General in Mumbai, graced this event. The Chief Guests enlightened the womenfolk on the theme *"Be Bold for Change"*.







**THANK  
YOU** .....







## SUPPORT FOR POOR SENIOR CITIZENS

The elderly residents of poor communities face a wide range of challenges and worries. With increased medical needs, they often find it difficult to adjust to their deteriorating health. They may have become a burden to their families or lack care from their family members. Having spent their lives working in menial jobs, they have little or no savings and are continuing to work in laborious jobs to survive. Many senior citizens become isolated and lonely. To combat these problems, CORP runs programmes for senior citizens at our different community centers. Over 300 poor seniors attend our daycare programme to spend time with others, receive medical support, food, seek help from our social workers, and engage in recreational activities.

This year, we conducted many noteworthy programmes, including an eye check-up camp, attended by more than 300 seniors and many cases of cataracts were identified and treated. We also distributed sarees to these senior citizens. Also, we provide them monthly ration (food grains) called "Food Box For Granny" which costs of Rs.1200 per month per poor senior citizen. Because of their generosity, our donors have contributed not just money, but increased life expectancy, health, and happiness to many senior citizens.



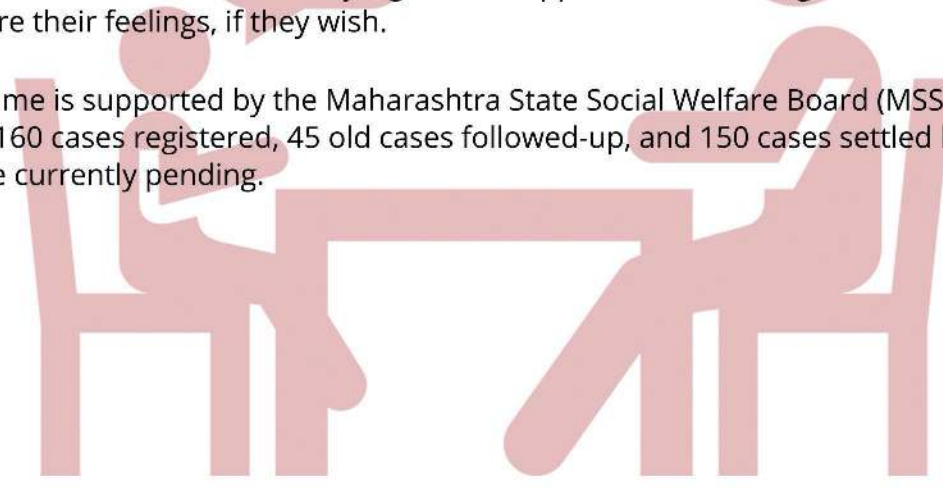




## FAMILY COUNSELLING CENTRE

Many of the women in our communities face significant difficulties in their home lives including problems with young marriages, abusive husbands, family disputes, and in-law relations. In many circumstances these problems involve legal or police intervention. CORP Family Counseling Center works with these women and their families to provide information and advice and help them during disputes and crises. The FCC is staffed by counselors with social work training and knowledge of the legal system. The types of cases that are often tackled include dowry issues, harassment by in-laws, extra-marital relationships, and property disputes etc. CORP's FCC provides confidential and non-judgmental support and encourages all those who come to have their say and share their feelings, if they wish.

Our FCC programme is supported by the Maharashtra State Social Welfare Board (MSSWB) and CSWB. This year, there were 160 cases registered, 45 old cases followed-up, and 150 cases settled by the efforts of our staff. 55 cases are currently pending.





## HEALTH, NUTRITION AND AWARENESS PROGRAMMES



CORP, time to time conducts awareness programme related to health, with help of volunteer Doctors, who devote their time for the betterment of the society. These awareness programmes help to improve the knowledge and attitude of patients about detection, treatment and control of disease. To create public awareness about the ill-effects of alcohol, smoking and drugs, to promote and provide good health, encouraging residents to keep a clean environment, practice good hygiene. Many are focused on prevention, hoping to eradicate the myriad of health problems common to slum communities with vaccines, vitamins, healthy habits, and proactive medical care. Particular care is given to the very ill, young and at-risk pregnant women.





## HEALTH AND SOCIAL AWARENESS DATA : 2016-2017

Types of camps	No. of Camps	No. of Beneficiaries
Malaria	38	1680
Skin	32	1900
General Check-Up	140	6102
Eye	16	1106
Dental	10	886
Gynecologist	2	136
Immunisation	72	2601
Cancer	4	204
HIV/AIDS	4	308
Leprosy	1	24
Tuberculosis (TB)	8	428
Pulse Polio	71	9349
Diabetes	111	6607
ANC & PNC	4	286
Family Planning	3	65
Vitamin A	10	702
Pregnancy Club	65	465
Catract operation	3	86
Ear Check -Up	12	540
Others	34	1342
<b>Total</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>34,818</b>



Health, social awareness and nutrition are critical components of all of our programmes and campaigns against diseases, such as anaemia, malaria, tuberculosis, cancer, diabetes, eye-care and HIV/AIDS and water-borne diseases. All of the women, children and senior citizens attending our educational, residential, and support programmes receive medical check-ups, medical care, and nutritious meals.

*In fact, every day we feed more than 1,000 children.*





**TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY DISCLOSURE FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2016-2017**

Registration	Registration Date	Registration No.	Valid till date	State
Registered as Society	10-08-1977	Bom/338/77	PERMANENT	MAHARASHTRA
Registered as Trust	12-10-1977	F-4582 (MUMBAI)	PERMANENT	MAHARASHTRA
12A	31-05-1978	NS./12466	PERMANENT	MAHARASHTRA
80G	15-04-2009	DIT(E)/MC/80G/1292 /2009-10	PERMANENT	MAHARASHTRA
FCRA Registration	22-08-2016	83780064	31-10-2021	MAHARASHTRA
PAN	12-10-1977	AAATC1150F	PERMANENT	MAHARASHTRA
TAN	26-05-2005	MUMC13413B	PERMANENT	MAHARASHTRA
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## BOARD MEMBERS

Sr. No.	Name	Position	Gender	Occupation
1.	Bishop Dr. Anilkumar Servand	Chairman	Male	Service
2.	Mr. Nirmal Chandappa	Director/Secretary	Male	Service
3.	Mrs. Elizabeth Shiromani	Treasurer	Female	Education
4.	Rev. James V. Kumar	Executive Member	Male	Retired
5.	Rev. Tenison Peter	Executive Member	Male	Service
6.	Rev. S.G. Suryawanshi	Member	Male	Service
7.	Mrs. Shweta Tribhuvan	Member	Female	Educatiotn
8.	Mrs. Sulochana Retnamony	Member	Female	Health & Nutrition
9.	Mrs. Prema Rajasingh	Member	Female	Finance
10.	Dr. B. Anantha Rao	Member	Male	Medical Doctor
11.	Mrs. Margaret Jagtap	Member	Female	Health
12.	Dr. Arun Narvekar	Member	Male	Health Consultant
13.	Mr. Joseph Massey	Member	Male	Business & Finance
14.	Mr. Girish D. Bansod	Member	Male	Service
15.	Mr. Raja Kumar	Co-opted Member	Male	Business

### Main Bankers

#### Name of Banker (FCRA) : Central Bank of INDIA

(Mumbai Central Branch)

**Address:** Sabir Volla, Opposite Nair Hospital, Dr. A.L. Nair  
Mumbai Central, Mumbai - 400008

**Account Number:** 1026797882

**SWIFT/BIC CODE:** CBININBBOSB

**IFSC:** CBIN0280601

#### Name of Banker : CORPORATION BANK

(Mumbai Central Branch)

**Address:** Bhojwani Mansion, Ground Floor, 24,  
Maratha Mandir Marg, Mumbai Central,  
Mumbai - 400008

**Account Number:** 520101003285193

**SWIFT CODE:** CORPINBB115

**IFSC:** CORP0000115

### Statutory Auditors

**Name of the Auditing Firm:** P. J. RAICHURA & CO

**Address:** 71/72, Ashok Chamber, Devji Ratanshi Marg,  
Masjid Bunder (E), Mumbai 400009

**T:** +91(22) 6634319

**E:** pjraichura1@gmail.com

Total Number of CORP team members	No. of persons
Regular full time staff	6
Regular part time staff	-
Full time contract staff	72
Part time contract staff	9
Consultants	1
Paid volunteers	-
Unpaid volunteers	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>



## BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH, 2017

Liabilities	Amount(Rs.)	Assets	Amount(Rs.)
Corpus Fund	12,068.00	Fixed Assets	2,680,782.95
Other Earmarked Funds	5,620,344.00	Investments	6,217,705.00
Income and Expenditure A/c	6,005,386.88	<b>Current Assets and Loan Advances</b>	
		Advances and deposits	841,019.00
		Intrest receivable	54,381.44
Other liabilities for expenses	761,483.00	<b>Grant Receivable</b>	
		- For FCC F.Y 2015-16	64,500.00
		- For FCC F.Y 2016-17	144,000.00
		CSWB F.Y 2015-16	2,046,600.00
		KNH	272,005.50
		<b>Cash and Bank Balances</b>	78,287.99
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,399,281.88</b>		<b>12,399,281.88</b>

## INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2017

Expenditure	Amount(Rs.)	Income	Amount(Rs.)
Establishment Expenses	1,431,768.50	Donation Received	23,962,384.19
Depreciation	440,627.00	Local Donation from Centres	1,891,255.00
<b>Expenditure on the object of the Trust</b>		<b>Grant from Central Social Welfare Board of India</b>	
- By CORP	1,363,074.50	i) Sanctioned during the year	
- By CORP Centres	26,6v31,424.50	- CSWB	2,046,600.00
		- F. C.C	288,000.00
		FD Interest	479,667.91
		Bank Intrest	70,314.97
		Gas Subsidy	1,748.37
		Interest on I.T Refund	5,231.00
		Deficit during the year of Balancesheet	1,121,693.06
<b>Total</b>	<b>29,866,894.50</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>29,866,894.50</b>

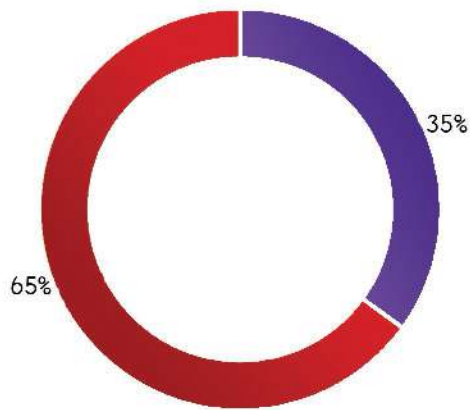


## CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED ON 31ST MARCH 2017

Receipts	
Opening Cash	170.49
Opening Bank Balance	2,28,132.97
<b>Give India Corpus Fund</b>	
Self Generated (Fees/Subscription/Interest/Community Contributions/Proceeds from sale of goods or services produced by the organisation etc)	23,00,907.34
<b>Donations from Indian Individuals</b>	
a) Donations from Indian Individuals through Give India	24,78,750.00
b) Other donations from Indian Individuals	46,73,322.81
<b>Donations from Foreign Individuals</b>	
a) Donations from Foreign Individuals through Give India	96,237.60
b) Other donations from Foreign Individuals	164,31,447.79
Grants from Indian source (trust/govt/companies/foundations)	8,26,200.00
Grants from International Sources (under FCRA)	-
Sale of Assets	-
Miscellaneous	
	<b>270,35,169.00</b>
Payments	
Capital items purchased for the organisation investment (Fixed Deposits)	79,600.00
Capital items purchased for beneficiaries	-
Investment (Fixed Deposits)	10,64,879.00
<b>Programme Related</b>	
Salaries and Benefits	126,12,966.00
Staff Training	30,781.00
Staff Travels	2,18,043.00
Consultant Fees	-
Office Support expenses (Rent/Telephone/Electricity etc)	22,39,896.00
Materials Procured (Consumables as seed/food/book provisions etc)	59,96,023.00
Grants/donations given to other organisations as a part of programme	-
Depreciation	-
Others	54,14,022.00
	<b>255,26,452.00</b>
<b>Non- Programme Related</b>	
Salaries and Benefits	10,01,198.00
Staff Training	-
Staff Travels	22,942.00
Office support expense (Rent/Telephone/Electricity etc)	44,550.00
Consultant Fees (Audit/Legal/Programme)	-
Communication (Correspondence/Annual Report/Brochures/Appeals/ website etc)	-
Depreciation	
Other Non-Programme Expense	3,61,739.01
	<b>14,30,429.01</b>
<b>Closing Cash Balance</b>	<b>136.49</b>
<b>Closing Bank Balance</b>	<b>78,151.50</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>270,35,169.00</b>

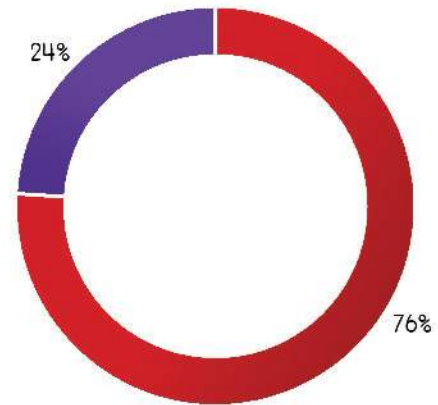


### Origin of our funds



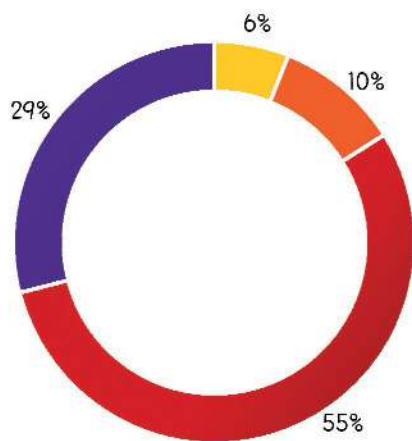
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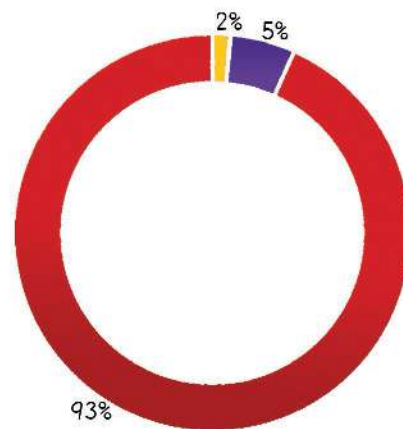
- Recurring
- One Time

### Sources of our funds



- Funding Agencies
- Individuals
- Central and State Government
- Corporates

### Utilization of our funds



- Programmes
- Administration
- Capital Expense

### DISTRIBUTION OF PAID STAFF ACCORDING TO COMPENSATION LEVELS AS ON 31st MARCH, 2017

Gross Salary + Benefits per month (Rs.)	Male	Female	Total
4,000 - 5,000	-	16	16
5,001 - 10,000	1	45	46
10,001 - 25,000	3	18	21
25,001 - 50,000	1	4	5
50,001 - 1,00,000			

Total annual payments made to consultants (Rs.)	No. of Consultants
50,001 - 1,00,000	1



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Without the contributions from these funding agencies we would not be able to provide the support and services that are essential to our mission and objectives. We sincerely thank each and every one of these organizations for their continued support and belief in the work that we do.



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Tamilasaran Rajan  
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Vidhi Godhatia  
Vinita Sangathan Vibha  
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Xzavier Killings  
Zankhana Patel





## OUR TEAM

We strongly believe that staff development is the key to creating an impact. Many of our staff members are themselves success stories: women from the disadvantaged communities we serve who have participated in our programmes and subsequently received the necessary training and development to join our team as full time teachers and social workers.



**Mrs. Rossamma David**

I am proud to be a part of CORP for about forty years. My heart fondly recalls memories of 1985: one day while taking my regular rounds in the community in Dharavi slums, I saw a small boy who was afflicted by polio. He was crying because he could not get up and pick up the ball that had rolled away from him. His mother was too busy with the housework and did not bother about her crying child. I went and picked up the ball and gave it to the child and then a thought came into my mind. Can I help this child to pick up the ball himself? Can he be able to walk? CORP endeavoured to explore these possibilities and thereafter the differently-abled children programme started. Through this programme medical assistance and prosthetic aid are provided. Over the years, CORP has supported hundreds of physically challenged children and groomed them towards self-dependency. I am grateful to God for giving me this opportunity towards achieving CORP's goal.





**Ms. Agnes Sailekar**

I have been a part of CORP for the past 35 years. Initially, I joined CORP as a teacher since I have a passion for teaching children. I have attended many training programmes during my association with CORP and have developed both professionally and personally. During my tenure, I was promoted as In-charge of Creche and Daycare projects and later on I was elevated as a Programme Officer. For me CORP is like a large family. What I like best in CORP is that it never treats the staff as an employee but as a family member. In fact, during joy and sorrow, CORP is always with me and also assisted me financially during my cataract operation. I will never forget CORP in my life.

I started my journey with CORP 35 years ago as a teacher since my zeal is to teach children, whom I love very much. Over the years, I have developed an innovative way of thinking. I attended many workshops and enriched my knowledge and diligence as my core duties are related to social work. Whatever I have achieved for this organisation is solely because of the support and cooperation of the inspiring CORP staff. Owing to CORP's valuable encouragement, I have strengthened my overall relationship. Now, I am proud to lead 5 projects as Programme Officer in Thane slums. CORP has truly become an unforgettable part of my life and I will continue to do my very best.



**Mrs. Hasina Anand**

This year's Annual Report is very special to me, since I cherish the 20 years of my journey with CORP, which has now completed its 40th year. I heartily congratulate CORP's large family. I am glad to work with the organisation in different capacities, especially my role in establishing a Shelter Home for children who were formerly homeless, destitute or abandoned. I felt a strong desire to serve these children. In 2000, I was moved at the sad plight of these needy children, particularly when 5 year old Chanda told me "I do not want to call you Didi but I want to call you Mummy", since Chanda is an orphan, lacked motherly affection and warmth. I felt highly emotional and afterwards I got an opportunity to be the "foster parent" of 30 daughters like Chanda. Today, I am proud that 12 girls from those 30 daughters completed their educations, underwent job skills training, acquired employment in different professional jobs and are now living independently. The successful lives of the girls is my biggest treasure.



**Mrs. Sharda Nirmal**



# CORP'S 40 YEARS JOURNEY AT A GLANCE....

## CORP's first Annual Report 1977-1978....

### Community outreach programme

#### The accent is on development

Corp is not a charity organisation. Corp is designed to help hundreds of slum people help themselves in reversing the trends and reshaping their lives. To help them deal with the tragedies of slum dwelling. To help fight slum deterioration. To educate and train themselves. To find employment. To care for their own health so that they can create for themselves a new life style within a more livable environment.

#### Planned Programmes:

Through a progressive and integrated approach Corp has conceived the Tri-Field comprehensive community development programme.



#### Corp in education:

- 413 Children benefited through 9 integrated pre-school units.
- Functional education for illiterate adults.
- Plan of action for the local problems.

#### Corp community health service:

- Medical aid by physicians and trained nurses.
- Informal education in health, hygiene, sanitation and nutrition by health workers.

#### Corp self help schemes:

- Sewing and crocheting units.
- Sale of garments produced.

#### Community development:

- Shramadan or work-days to transform the environment.
- Community kitchen - providing nutritious food to children and lactating mothers.
- Regular community meetings to encourage local leaderships.
- Local programme committees to take on local responsibility.

#### Areas of activity:

- Chembur, Dharavi, Dhorwada, Matunga, Kailashwadi, Bhandup, Jogeshwari, Ambivali.

#### Corp in action:

- ◀ Kailashwadi Pre-school: ▶
- Shramadan at Dharavi. Building their own community centre. ▶



Corp accounts for every paise received.

Last year CORP received:		Rs. 178,212
a) From World Hunger Fund		117,887
b) In-kind & Cash from CFS & Others		52,306
c) Beneficiary Contribution		7,534
d) From Balance of 1977		486

#### Of this we

a) Utilised in education	Rs. 75,390	- 42%
b) Spent as medical aid	33,551	- 19%
c) Allocated for self help schemes	31,011	- 18%

#### This means that our basic overheads were

a) For salaries	Rs. 20,300	- 11%
b) For administration	17,960	- 10%

Chartered Accountants: Picardo & Narkar, Bombay.

#### The CORP Team

Coordination

Coordinator: Mr. George Palamattam  
Office Supp.: Mr. Chandrasekhar Bhopale

For Educational Programmes:

Mr. A. Tribhuvan  
Dr. Thida  
Mrs. Vinata  
Thirteen field staff

For Health Programmes:

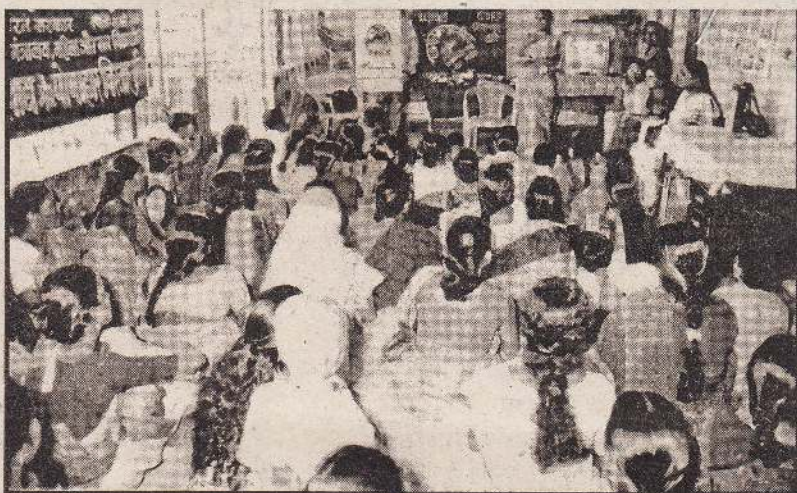
Dr. Mrs. Ponniah  
Mrs. G. Meshramkar  
Six field staff

For Self Help Schemes:

Mrs. Molly George  
Three field staff

## as samaritans in 1993....

## in the year 1987....



कॉर्पसंस्थेतर्फे आयोजित अन्नदिन कार्यक्रमात सहभागी झालेल्या महिला.

36 कॉर्पसंस्थेतर्फे विश्व अन्नदिन साजरा





# सलाह, सहायता और सेवा में जुटी 'कार्प'

कार्प मुंबई के मेथाडिस्ट चर्च की परियोजना है। इसे मौजूदा राजनीतिक और आर्थिक व्यवस्था की उपज झोपड़पट्टियों में रहनेवाले लोगों के जीवन स्तर को बेहतर बनाने की दिशा में बतौर एक प्रयोग शुरू किया गया है।



विभिन्न झोपड़पट्टियों और शहरों पर जाने वाले लोगों के बीच जुटी है। उन्हें स्वयंसेवक, कार्प में शामिल होने के लिए समान-काम अथवा आयोजकों के रूप में एकजुट करके आकर्षित करने का उद्देश्य कार्प का है। कार्प की 'सेवात्मक डेय प्रोग्राम' को शुरू में एक दिन में तीन दिनों तक विभिन्न झोपड़पट्टियों में जाती है और इसके त्वरित स्वयंसेवकों को के रोजगारों का व्यवस्थापन करने का मिशन और व्यवस्थापन करने है।

विभिन्न और जनसमर्थन मिलकर ही को अपने चर्चों पर खड़े

# अत्याचारग्रस्त बालकांना कॉर्पचा मदतीचा हात

**। ठाणे / प्रभा न्हाडे**  
काही समाजकटकांच्या अन्यायाला, अत्याचाराला बळी पडणाऱ्या मुलांना तसेच अल्पवय वारिष्ठेचे शोषण झालेल्या मुलांच्या व वारिष्ठेचे शोषण झालेल्या मुलांच्या बालकांच्या आवुध्यात नव्याने प्रकाराची न्योत निर्माण करून त्यांना मदतीचा हात देण्याचे मौलिक कार्य कम्प्युनिटी आऊटरीच प्रोग्राम म्हणजेच कार्प ही संस्था करीत आहे. दुःखी, पीडित, अन्यायग्रस्त मुलांना खरा आधार देऊन त्यांच्या शिक्षण, नोकरी, विवाहाची जबाबदारी ही संस्था पार पाडत आहे. ही मुले उद्याची भविष्य आहेत, या उद्देशाने त्यांना स्वावलंबी बनवून त्यांचे भविष्य सुकर करण्याचे काम खऱ्या अर्थाने ही संस्था करीत आहे. परकामाला जाणाऱ्या महिला आपली मुले घरात ठेवून जातात. या कुटुंबाचे संचालन केले असता या मुलांना खरी पाठ्याधाराची गरज असल्याचे कार्प या संस्थेच्या निदर्शनास आले. या तळागाळातील दारिद्रीरेषेखालील

बालकांसाठी पाठ्याधर चालू करण्याचे या संस्थेने ठरवले आणि १९७६ मध्ये धारावीम ध्ये कार्प संस्था सुरू केली. तर दारिद्र्यातील मरीच मुलांसाठी १९८० मध्ये कैलास नगर येथे संस्थेची स्थापना झाली. शहरात या संस्थेच्या ३ शाखा कार्यत आहेत. दारिद्रीरेषेखालील कुटुंबांचे संचालन केले असता या मुलांना विविध समस्थेने प्राप्त केले असल्याचे आढळून आले. अनेक मुलांनी मध्येच शाळा सोडली होती, तर काही मुलांच्या पालकांचे एड्स या आजाराचे निधन झाले होते. तर काही मुलांचे लैंगिक अत्याचार झाले होते. या मुला-मुलांना समर्थित बाहेर काढून शिक्षणाच्या मुख्य प्रवाहात आणण्यासाठी कार्प या संस्थेने मदतीचा हात दिला.  
या संस्थेतील पाठ्याधरत ० ते ६ बचोवटातील ६० मुले आहेत. तर आश्रम गृहस्थ ३० मुले आहेत. या मुलांचे सगोपन या संस्थेमार्फत केले जाते. त्यांना नासता, जेवण दिले जाते तसेच शैक्षणिकदृष्ट्या त्यांना



महत्त्वाचे असे खेळही शिकवले जातात. अमिता आनंद या ३० वर्षांपासून या मुलांची सेवा करत आहेत. त्यांच्या मदतीला ३ शिक्षिका असून एक महिला पूर्वविद्य असते. ० ते ६ बचोवटापर्यंतच्या मुलांना सुरुवातीला शिक्षणासाठी तयार केले जाते. ६ वर्षांनंतर या मुलांना पालिकेच्या शाळेत दाखल केले जाते. या संस्थेत वेगवेगळ्या जातीधर्माची मुले असून त्यांच्याकडे सगळे सणही साजरे केले जातात. आता ही मुले या संस्थेलाच आपले घर मानत असून स्वतःच्या इच्छेने व आनंदाने या संस्थेत राहतात. अशा मुलांचे भविष्य उजळविणारी कार्प संस्था ही खरोखरच त्यांचा आधार ठरली आहे.

# Women's day celebration, 2007...

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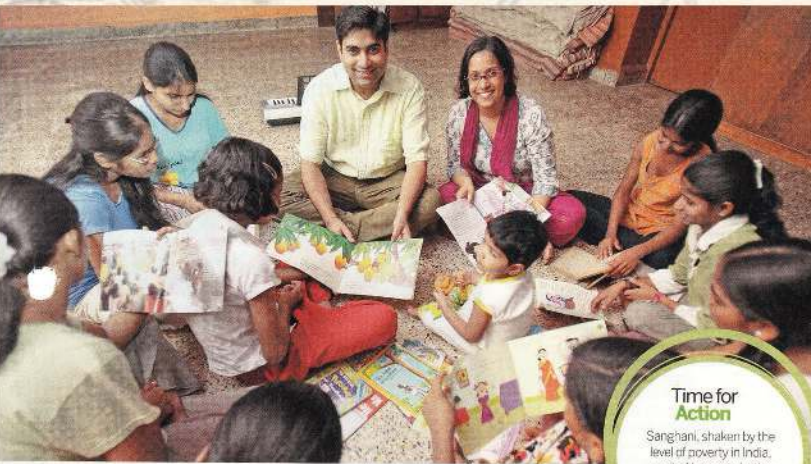
वसई, (प्रतिनिधी): कम्प्युनिटी आऊटरीच प्रोग्राम ही समासेवी संस्था गेली २८ वर्षे मुंबई व उपनगरात गरीब वस्तीत विकसाचे कार्य करीत आहे. या विकसाकार्याच्या अंतर्गत वस्तीतील लोकांसाठी विविध कार्यक्रमांचे आयोजन केले जाते लहान मुलांसाठी बालवाडी त्वरान क्लास, अनेचारीक शिक्षण, आरोग्य सेवा तसेच महिला शक्तीकरणासाठी बचत गट, जागृती कार्यक्रम व उद्योजकता विकास कार्यक्रमही



# Offering employment to disabled children in 2009...



# in the year 2009....



**Time for Action**  
Sanghani, shaken by the level of poverty in India, wanted to create better opportunities. And he did not want to wait till he turned 60.

**"BY LEAVING THE LAND OF OPPORTUNITIES WE WANTED to make a statement so that others are motivated enough to join the not-for-profit sector."**  
**DEVAL SANGHANI, 33 NEERA NUNDY, 34 SOCIAL WORKERS**

India in 1999 to start Dasra, an institution that provides funding and support to not-for-profit organisations in India. Sanghani, now based in Mumbai, believes India lacks processes that make NGOs sustainable and scalable. Instead of starting a new institution, Sanghani decided to bring management skills to a sector which is not known to attract talent. By 2004, Sanghani was joined by Nundy after she had completed her business degree from Harvard University.

# Teacher's day celebration...2012....

## Teacher's day special



## Slumming it out for a good cause

"Teaching in a slum is very different from teaching in a plush school. Slum children come with baggage other than just academics," says Sulochna Rajan Mistry. The 31-year-old has been teaching slum children between the ages of one to five, in Thorwada, Dharavi for the last 13 years. She joined CORP (Community Outreach of children and women welfare, in 1999 and drew a salary of Rs1,200 then. A decade later, Mistry earns Rs3,000, and isn't complaining. "It's not about the money" she says. "I have always wanted to be a teacher." Besides introducing the toddlers to popular nursery rhymes, she feeds the kids khichdi and milk, and ensures that the children get their afternoon nap. When the kids are at the centre from morning till five in the evening, it also means that the parents are free to do their jobs. "In fact, many mothers who were otherwise stuck at home looking after children, have now taken up odd jobs like buckle and sequin work on garments. Some of them work as home-maids in Bandra and Mahim," says Mistry about the indirect benefits of her job. For Mistry's colleague Sangata Podnekar, who tutors slightly older children for a fee of just Rs20 a month, her job often requires her to slip into the role of counselor. "Studios become difficult when you are living in a 10x10 room, with just one cot, the sound of television, a drunken father or fighting parents," says Podnekar who often uses games or engages the children in small talk before beginning the classes. "They need to be in the right frame of mind to grasp what is being taught," she says.



# in 2016....

**Deval Sanghavi Co-founder and Partner at Dasra**



# Three rooms, 30 daughters and two big hearts

Humaira Ansari

Enter the main hall at Sharanam, Nirmal Chinappa's home in Matunga, and you'll find girls of all ages comfortably seated in their little corners — some studying, some gossiping, others browsing through their Facebook accounts or researching for a school project on old laptops.

They are 30 in all, either orphans or abandoned by their families or runaway children. But this is a shelter home. These girls have been adopted by Chinappa and his wife Sharda, who share their three-room home with them.

"Eight-year-old Sonam was the first to enter our family," says Chinappa, director, CORP, an NGO that works in the area of children and women's development. He



## THE CHINAPPA CLAN

The Chinappas started Sharanam in June 2000, a month after their marriage. The funds for the girls' education, food, clothes, and vocational courses come from CORP, an NGO and other voluntary donors

Nirmal and Sharda Chinappa with their big, happy family

started as a volunteer with the same NGO before reaching the top position. Chinappa got unstinted support from Sharda, also a volunteer with the same NGO. The socially inclined duo got married in May 2000 and started Sharanam (what they call their

home) in June the same year. "Sonam was my first child. Over the years I have become a mother of 30 beautiful girls," laughs Sharda. The couple has two children of their own, Jennifer, 3, and Jonah, 10.

Sharda admits it has not

been an easy ride. "The first few years were a nightmare," she says. The fact that the girls came from different backgrounds and often used foul language, meant she had to be extremely patient. "As the girls grew older, they started

looking after the younger ones. And I knew I could take it easy," says Sharda.

Bharti, 17, one of the girls, just appeared for her tenth standard exams. She has completed a photography course and interned with a tabloid for seven months. "I want to direct documentaries," Bharti says, as she excitedly runs to fetch her prized possession, a Nikon D300, recently gifted by Chinappa.

For 16-year-old Chanda, who will appear for her boards next year, Sharda is her mother and not didi. "One fine day she suddenly walked up to me and said 'can I call you maa'," says Sharda. Chanda who holds a diploma in classical dance, and has performed on stage with the Shiamak Davar troop, wishes to be a Bollywood choreographer.

## Women's Day Celebration in 2016....

### Community Outreach Programme celebrates Women's Day-2016



Community Outreach Programme (CORP), a prominent Mumbai-based NGO working for women and children celebrated International Women's Day along with a vast gathering of over 1000 women, who are CORP's beneficiaries and of Self-Help Groups from different slum communities across Mumbai. The Chief Guest and other dignitaries spoke on the theme Pledge for Parity emphasizing on equality for women, empowerment of women through education and skill trainings towards self-dependency.

## Boeing supports CORP in 2013....

### Community Outreach Programme



Community Outreach Programme (CORP), a prominent Mumbai-based NGO working for upliftment of marginalised children had organised a sports event for treet children at Mohammed Hussain Playground, Mumbai Central. CORP's new initiative during the "Joy Of Giving Week" attracted over 500 homeless children across Mumbai. The participants enthusiastically took part in various sports, like long jump, tug-of-war, cricket and much more. The winners were awarded prizes. Breakfast and delicious lunch was provided. Overall, the fun-filled event provided a platform to the Street children to integrate into the main stream of society bringing joy and cheer in their lives. On behalf of underprivileged children in Mumbai, CORP expresses heartfelt gratitude to our prominent Donor, The Boeing International Corporation India Private Limited, for their valuable support.

## Spreading smiles...2014....

# Dabbas for grannies, stories for kids; Daan Utsav is for all ages

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In a recent film, the humble lunchbox took on a special significance when a serendipitous mix-up set the stage for an unlikely friendship between a crusty accountant and a young housewife. Food Box for Granny, an initiative launched by the Mumbai-based Community Outreach Programme or (CORP), is likely to create a similar atmosphere of bonhomie. At the very least, it will help counter citizens' fears



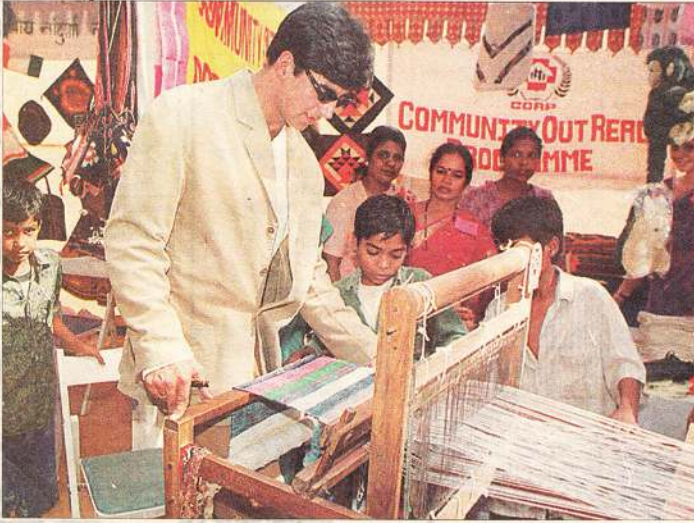
**BOXING DAY:** CORP aims to provide 150 elderly women basic food ingredients every month

events planned for Daan Utsav. Over a 100 NGOs will network with the public for funds and other assistance during a Sev. Mela, while five-star hotels will serve their signature dishes; a black-tie dinner to raise money for government schools. Entrepreneurs, celebrities, and politicians will attend this charity ball called Food for Change. Another initiative is Gift Compassion where children from different socio-economic backgrounds will exchange gifts creating "a bridge of con



## OUR PROMINENT VISITORS...

in the year 1997....



Actor Akshay Kumar

in the year 2010....



The US ambassador, Timothy Roemer & his wife, Sally

in the year 2014....



Sharon Johnston wife of His Excellency David Johnston, The Governor General of Canada

in the year 2017....



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## OUR AWARDS...





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