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INDIAN SCHOOLS ALUMNI AND FRIENDS NEWSLETTER

PROJECT EFFORTS ON A SATISFACTORY TRACK IN 2011

The Fall issue of the Newsletter usually provides a good opportunity to see how we are doing this year while there is still time this year to take action we meant to take but couldn't get to.

Our overall year-to-date project efforts appear to be on a similar track as the last year which was at a decent level for INSAF. Our total effort at ~\$52K through Sept. 30 in Yr 2011 is about 8% better than the comparable period in Yr 2010. While a small amount of the financial support has gone within the United States, our projects to-date cover 8 states/territories in India., relative to 11 in the same time frame last year. The data available through the end of September show that our project effort had spanned 21 projects versus 22 last year.

You can read about the projects this year on the pages to follow. Former INSAF President **Dr. Sudershan Bhateja's** work touches about 2,000 students in 4 schools in Punjab (See Page 2). The largest contributions so far have been to **Pratham Mysore** and totaled \$9,750 thanks to the support from **Arun & Padma Cariappa, Aneesh Prabhu/McGraw-Hill, Shalini Jain, Ashok Malladi Reddy, Ashok & Surekha Shenoy, and Riverside Partners LLC.** Pretty close are the efforts of **Dr. Mahendra & Jyoti Nanavati, along with Pankaj Nanavati,** who are supporting several projects with \$9,600 at this point (See Page 5).

A project with \$6,850 by 8 INSAF families has been to help build a classroom-veranda at a village school at Purreyavalasa-Ramaligapuram in Andhra (See Page 5). The **Shrimati Dwarki-Devi-INSAF-Vidya-Mandir** at Hoshiarpur, Punjab is now in operation, thanks to the efforts of **Surinder and his wife Nirmal Maheshwary and family** (See Page 4). Thanks to **S. Thangavelu's** support of Daya Ghar in Chennai, INSAF returns with a project to Tamil Nadu.

Please see Page 4 for an interesting story in which a young tennis player **Sam Finegold** has saved money by giving tennis lessons to send \$140 to M.A. Ideal School in Hyderabad, an exemplary private school for the community there.

Please also consider introducing INSAF to like-minded people. You know the reasons already but you may find "Why Join INSAF" on Page 3 useful for others.

This is a good time of the year to reflect on what project(s) you might like to support or start. A starting point can be project types suggested on the contribution sheet on Page 7. Supporting one or more poor students through school or college can be a good way to lift them out of poverty. Upgrading the quality of existing schools/colleges makes them more effective. Also, please be on the look out for new ideas which can amplify the benefit of our modest funding levels. It remains to be seen if the \$35 tablet computer in India is a reliably functional product but it could be an example of one new idea.

Many thanks to the Project Sponsors, Project Leaders, and other INSAF volunteers for their efforts to support and monitor the projects. Here is wishing Happy Holidays and much happiness and lots of success throughout the Year 2012 to each and every INSAF member and their families.

Dr. Sudershan Bhateja Continues to Strengthen the Quality of education for 2,000 students in 4 Schools

Former INSAF Exec Dr. Sudershan Bhateja guides and motivates the village students to set/meet high goals (>80% marks), instead of just "passing" marks (>33%) through his yearly visits to 4 schools in Punjab. He teaches English, Math, Science, and America-India comparisons. Moreover, Sudershan strongly encourages students to develop and pursue their natural talents and interests (drama, debates, public speaking, sports, singing, dancing, art and craft, whatever).

Sudershan encourages, inspires, and advises the schools/the Panchayat/the Parents/the Clubs to clean and improve the village and seek financial help from the City, District, State and Central Authorities (essentially anybody, who will listen). He finds that instilling the concept of teamwork between the teachers, and the schools, the villagers and the local Clubs is exceptionally rewarding and the resulting positive outcomes pleasing.

Dr. Bhateja keeps in touch with the schools every few weeks to monitor the education and projects, and to cross-fertilize ideas/thoughts and create synergy with and between all schools (having home phone numbers of his contacts has been helpful). The time, money and effort extracts enviable progress.

During 2010-2011, Sudershan raised an impressive \$5,550 for the schools including \$2,500 thanks to Roger Bakshi, CEO, Cal Coast Financial Corp, Fremont, and \$2,000 from Dr. Chander P. Bhateja, towards these projects. Sudershan is thankful to Mr. Zora Singh of Canada, for hosting him in Banbhouri during his extended stays there which have magnified the positive results from all these efforts manifold as noted below:

Govt. High School and Govt. Primary Schools, Banbhouri (Yr 2010 funding \$900):

- Purchased and installed two new computers in the Computer Laboratory
- Installed 2-4 fluorescent tube lights in every classroom; excellent lighting now
- Repaired and re-installed the Water-Cooler (a new filter donated by one of the teachers)
- Supported students with school fees, books, supplies, uniforms
- Paid an extra Rs 1,000/month to keep a competent but underpaid Math teacher in school
- Awarded 10th Grade (External Board Exam) students for achievement: four of them scored 81, 82, 85, 87 % marks
- Arrangements made for Govt. Primary School to use the Computer Laboratory/Water Cooler
- Letter to the Headmaster acknowledging/admiring "extra" contributions from each teacher and personal interactions with teachers resulted in exceptional teamwork in the school
- Excellence rewarded for attendance, handwriting, sports, debates, etc, with about Rs. 33,000 awarded in prizes

In collaboration with the High School and the Panchayat, 4 lakh Rupees (~\$8,500) have been acquired from the Govt. A new classroom (miscellaneous use) has already been constructed and is being used; the rest of the money will be used for construction/repairs including solving a serious water-logging problem that cost the school two weeks of education during the last rainy season.

A Club started at the village (comprised of progressive, working

locals to keep the unemployed, jobless high school graduates away from drugs, and into sports, and improving the village): Organized local sports and invited several District and State dignitaries and the local MLA who promised to build a Sports Stadium in Banbhouri, to be shared with the neighboring villages as well!! Bravo!!

Govt. Senior Secondary School, Banbhaura (Yr 2010 funding \$1,800; Yr 2011 funding \$850)

- 12 old drinking water taps for boys have been repaired, plus ten new taps have been installed (Cost ~ Rs. 25,000)
- A new Men's Toilet has been built (Cost ~ Rs.99,000); project started in late 2010 but finished in 2011
- 10th Grade: 3 students 75, 77, 79% marks; 12th Grade: 7 students, 71 - 79% marks

Govt. Girls Senior Secondary School (GGSSS), Dhuri (Yr 2011 funding \$2,000):

- A new Table Tennis table purchased (~ Rs. 20,000) and in use; because of the quality new table, GGSSS was asked to, and did, host the District level Table Tennis Tournament for <15, <17, and <19 Yr olds. GGSSS won the <19 to move to state level!
- A Laser Printer/Scanner/Copier purchased (~ Rs. 15,000) and now in fruitful use.
- Needy students supported with school fees, books, supplies, etc. (Rs. 5,000)
- 12th Grade: 11 (eleven) students earned 81, 82, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88% marks (unheard of before)

About Rs. 50,000 are being in a fixed deposit for future activities.

Along with the GGSSS Welfare Committee — efforts resulted in:

- "R.O.System" (Water Filter) installed - Rs. 1.70 Lakhs (through an MP)
- Four classrooms built upstairs, and furnished; already in use - Rs. 6 (six) Lakhs (mostly City funding)
- One LCD Projector and two Laser Printers from the Education Dept, now in use at the school.

Achievement Awards: With the aim to promote winning habits and excellence in education, Sudershan awards prizes of Rs. 2000 to each student) for earning > 80% marks, a score which also makes them eligible for State Merit scholarships. Sudershan is refining his strategy on how to inspire the good students to >90% and lower-rung students to reach >80%.

Summary/Future Plans:

The GGSSS, Dhuri and GHS, Banbhouri have listened to Sudershan very well and excelled in seeking funds from many different sources in 2011. Sudershan profusely commended both Schools, the Panchayat, and the Club in Banbhouri and encouraged them all to keep it up! He also emphasized the need to collect the monies promised by the gov't. sources, immediately, before they disappear for whatever reason!

Sudershan's efforts have influenced the lives of ~2,000 village students already. Most students do listen carefully, ask questions, learn, and practice winning habits to excel. Students excitedly tell Sudershan about the professions they want to pursue; others even ask him about tips for the IAS examinations (in High School!). It is gratifying to note the positive impact: 25 10th/12th Grade students earning >80% marks. Dr. Bhateja wants to reach many more schools/students before exiting the world! If he can arrange more financing, he would include even more schools.

WHY JOIN INSAF?

- INSAF is a non-profit charitable organization
- INSAF is duly registered with the IRS – donations tax deductible
- INSAF members can earmark donations for any current INSAF project or start a new one
- INSAF sends your entire donation to your project
- INSAF members can initiate a new charitable project in any part of India
- INSAF members can donate ANY amount -- small or large.
- INSAF overhead is negligible (< 1%)
- INSAF is run completely by people volunteering their time - NO paid personnel
- INSAF projects are run and supervised by member sponsors - NO wastage or corruption
- INSAF activities are totally transparent (financial details published annually)
- INSAF newsletter is published regularly
- INSAF: actively seeks members' input and suggestions
- INSAF: truly "of the members, for the members, by the members"

Additional background on INSAF is available at www.insafweb.org

"Why Join INSAF" concept was originated by Dr. Sudershan Bhateja

WARM WELCOME:

A very warm welcome to the new INSAF Life Members who have joined this year:

- Sh. Neil & Ms. Shannon Bhargava, Wichita, KS
- Mr. David Carter, Wichita, KS
- Mrs. Raju Keshavanaryana, Wichita, KS
- Sh. Chandrasekhar Kota, Wichita, KS
- Sh. Surinder & Ms. Nirmal Maheshwary, Canton, OH
- Sh. Rishi & Ms. Margarita Malhotra, Dallas, TX
- Sh. Vinod & Ms. Parveen Makhija, New Albany, OH
- Ms. Bharati Ramanan, Wichita, KS
- Sh. Pavan Reddy, Wichita, KS
- Sh. Raj Narayan Sharma, Wichita, KS
- Sh. Vikram & Ms. Anu Sharma, Galena, OH
- Sh. Chani Sra, New Canaan, CT

All those from Wichita, KS as well as Sh. Sra became aware of INSAF thanks to the efforts of INSAF President Prem N. Bajaj. Sh. Rishi & Ms. Margarita, Sh. Vinod & Ms. Parveen, and Sh. Vikram & Ms. Anu became aware of INSAF thanks to the efforts of former INSAF President P. K. Malhotra. Sh. Surinder Maheshwary is a co-founder of INSAF; he & Ms.

Nirmal are converting from Annual Membership to Life Membership.

A warm welcome also to the following for their annual memberships this year:

- Sh Pankaj Nanavati, Cupertino, CA — thanks to Dr. Mahendra and Ms. Jyoti Nanavati
- Sh. Hemanth & Ms. Geetha Reddy, Wichita, KS — thanks to Dr. Prem N. Bajaj

We are delighted to have each of the new members as part of INSAF and look forward to their participation.

INSAF Executive Team Update

INSAF Exec **Sh. Kumar Kapur** has unselfishly served INSAF with distinction as our Financial Secretary for over 20 years . He has done so despite health challenges for the last several years. With consideration for Kumarji's health, **Ms. Padmashri Lad** will take over his role as the INSAF Financial Secretary, effective January 1, 2012. Kumarji will take over Padmashri's role as the Internal Auditor.

INSAF is indeed very fortunate to have the benefit of such dedicated and capable colleagues as Kumarji and Padmashri.

Sam Finegold and M.A. Ideal School — intersection of two inspirational stories

Sam Finegold is a young tennis player and a freshman in college. M.A. Ideal School is a private school in Hyderabad, India. Some years ago, Sam traveled to India with his dad, Dr. David Finegold, a Dean at Rutgers University, and learned how students from very poor background were getting good quality education at the school founded and managed by Shri Mohammad Anwar. Please see a Boston Globe article at the link below for more on the model of education at the school:

http://www.boston.com/bostonglobe/ideas/articles/2010/05/09/class_difference/

Sam saved up \$140 by teaching tennis lessons and sent it to the school through INSAF. A side story is that Kumarji sent the check twice by air-mail but the school somehow did not receive the checks. Coming forward to the rescue was Dr. Raj Lad, who hand carried the 3rd try check to India, and then sent it successfully via courier in May 2011.

Sam is planning of send another contribution by saving money from his tennis coaching lessons.

PROJECT DUE DILIGENCE

It is natural that all sponsors would wish to ensure that their funds are used for the purposes intended. The INSAF Leadership team also realizes that the tax-exempt nature of all contributions comes with the responsibility to obtain "due diligence" documentation which shows how specifically the funds sent were used by the receiving organization. With these thoughts in mind, INSAF policy is to seek due diligence documentation on contributions of \$1,000 or more.

Project Sponsors and Leaders are requested to support only those organizations who are willing to provide due diligence documentation on how the funds sent to them were used. It is best to clarify this during the initiation stage of any project.

Principal Raminder K. Sharma Awards, Bhaee Rupa (Bhatinda), Punjab

In January 2010, the Government Higher Secondary School for Boys in the village of Bhaee Rupa (near Rampura Phool) instituted merit awards to motivate the 6th-11th grade students to strive for excellence and to combat low grades and a high drop-out rate. The awards are in memory the late Principal Raminder K. Sharma, your Newsletter editor Bhav's brother and 11th grade English teacher.

It is too early to say if the awards had anything to do with it but the school's results in both Yrs 2010 and 2011 have been significantly better than those in recent years. An award ceremony was planned for Nov during which students finishing 1st, 2nd, or 3rd were to be given merit awards and certificates supported by a \$560 contribution sent on behalf of Bhav & Kaye Sharma.

Dwarki Devi—INSAF Vidya Mandir, Hoshiarpur, Punjab

INSAF Co-founding member **Surinder and his wife Nirmal Maheshwary and family** have succeeded in starting a school for poor children in Hoshiarpur, Punjab, in memory of Surinder's respected mother, Shmt Dwarki Davi, who was a very kind and humane lady.



Shmt Dwarkidevi-INSAF Vidya Mandir (DIVM)



A Class in-progress at the DIVM

Surinder & Nirmal hope the students will learn Sehyog....Seva....and Sanskriti (Cooperation, Service, and Culture). A DVIM Trust has been registered with the government, which allows the Trust to receive contributions in foreign currencies. The Trust, with the help of an Advisory Committee, will oversee the DIVM School and its outreach to migrant laborers and neighboring communities.

Surinder & Nirmal are supported by family members **Suneer-Laura Maheshwary, Rishi-Meredith Maheshwary, Tanvir & Mona Zaidi** in this noble project. Congratulations & Bravo.

Members are encouraged to contribute to this worthy project.

INSAF Families Help Build a Primary School Room in A.P.

A group of INSAF families have teamed up to sponsor the building of a classroom for the Primary School in Purreyavalasa Village of the Ramalingapuram Panchayat in Chipurupalli district of Andhra Pradesh (AP). The sponsors: Santosh Chokhani, Gopal & Shibani Chotani, Joginder & Meera Kundra, Raj & Padmashri Lad, Ashok & Darshan Mehan, Manoj & Maneesha Shrivastav, Jay & Shashi Shetty, and Bhav & Kaye Sharma. An interesting tidbit is that none of the sponsors are from AP.

In Yr 2010, the local community asked for support by noting that each class not having a space of its own interfered with the quality of the children's education. Consequently, the group sent \$6,850 (Rs. 3.02 lakh) earlier in Yr 2011. The local community contributed their free labor and the result is the room shown in the picture below. The children began to use the facility after a function on October 2 (Gandhiji's & Shastriji's birthday).



Classroom by INSAF and the local-community at Purreyavalasa

Two Young Women In Kerala Go For A Diploma In Nursing With Insaf Member Support

Amalapushpam, a young resident at an orphanage in Paduapuram, Kerala, had been supported in her education for the last several years under the INSAF's child support project. Since 2009, Amala and her sister Venila have been supported under INSAF's College Education Project toward a 3½ year diploma course in Nursing and Midwifery.

We are pleased to report that both Amala and Venila have entered their 3rd year. A check for \$2,500 to support the sisters for their 3rd year was sent on behalf of **Ashok & Darshan Mehan, Santosh Chokhani, Raj & Padmashri Lad, and Bhav & Kaye Sharma**. This project is another example of how INSAF members can help children from very poor families move up into the middle class with appropriate education.

Nanavati Family Continues to Support Worthy Causes

Dr. Mahendra & Jyoti Nanavati, along with Pankaj Nanavati, have again selected several community service organizations to support with their contributions totaling \$9,600 this year.

Manav Kalyan Trust, Navsari, Gujarat

Manav Kalyan Trust, founded in 1971, operates a boarding school at village Shivarimal in Dang District, where about 600 children with hearing or learning or sight handicaps receive education and life skills training. The Trust provides this support free to these children. The Nanavatis have provided \$5,500 to support the work being done by the Trust.

Jain Swetamber Murtipujak Vishashrimali Mitra Mandal, Ahmedabad, Gujarat

The Nanavats have supported the Jain Swetamber Murtipujak Vishashrimali Mitra Mandal with a contribution of \$2,300. In addition a check for \$500 from Yr 2010 needed to be re-issued this year.

Adivasi Unnati Mandal

The Adivasi Unnati Mandal (loosely translated as Organization for the Progress of the Aboriginal People) provides primary health care to the rural Adivasi population in a part of Maharashtra, and received \$800 from the Nanavatis.

Shrimad Rajchandra Adhyatmik Sadhana Kendra, Dharampur, Valsad, Gujarat

The Kendra operates a school (Gurukul) at an ashram and provides free buttermilk to villagers in the summer. Nanavati's contribution of \$800 will support the Adhyatmik Sadhana Kendra.

Rotary Club Ahmedabad South Charitable Trust

The Rotary Club will be supported by a contribution of \$200 by the Nanavatis.

INSAF President Dr. Prem N. Bajaj Honored

The Cultural Association of India (CAI) of Wichita, KS, at its Diwali function for 400-450 attendees this year, honored three community members. INSAF President Dr. Prem Bajaj, and the other two honorees, received recognition and mementos for their "Service to the Indian Community". Congratulations to Prem Ji for this honor.

UPDATE: Pratham Mysore

Pratham Mysore is an NGO which promotes the cause of educating underprivileged children from the slums and narrow lanes of Mysore. During April 2010 to March 2011, an average of 4,640 pre-school and remedial education children at 14 slum locations were supported by Pratham Mysore.

Several INSAF colleagues have been supporting the good work being done by Pratham Mysore. This year, contributions totaling \$9,750 have been sent to support the work of Pratham Mysore by **Arun & Padma Cariappa, Aneesh Prabhu/McGraw-Hill, Shalini Jain, Ashok Malladi Reddy, Ashok & Surekha Shenoy, and Riverside Partners LLC.**

Om Parkash Soni Charitable Trust, Jagraon, Punjab

Shri Om Parkash Soni Charitable Hospital in Jagraon Punjab provides free medicines and other medical services to poor patients irrespective of caste or religion. This year, a contribution of \$1,250 (supported by \$1,100 from **Ashok & Usha Sachdev** and \$150 in matching funds from INSAF) has been sent to support the services provided by the Trust.

Sevasadan English Medium School, Pune

Dr. Raj & Padmashri Lad are initiating the support of Madhura Gokhale, a student recommended by the Sevasadan School. A contribution of \$600 has been sent for this year's support. This is another example of how we can support a bright student from a poor family to become eventually self-sufficient.

O.S.D.A.V. School, Kaithal, Haryana

Long-time INSAF member **Manju Chexal and her late husband and former INSAF Exec Bindi** have supported the education of poor children at the OSDAV School in Kaithal for many years. This year, 5 students received merit-cum-means awards of Rs. 2,675 each from the funding they have provided:

- Neha Batra, Class 11th
- Tanvi Maggu, Class 10th
- Purav Maggu, Class 7th
- Prince Mittal, Class 12th
- Maitri Singla, Class 11th

We also greatly appreciate that OSDAV School voluntarily sends their report diligently every year.

New Project: Divyadeepa, Kenchalagudu (Mysore)

Former INSAF President **Soma and Parvathi Murthy** have successfully initiated a worthy new project along with Harsha & Shaku Harshavardhana and Bhav & Kaye Sharma. The Divyadeepa Trust near Mysore is operated by Soma's dedicated cousin, Ananth and his wife Shyamala. They operate a school called Kaliyuva Mane (the House where you learn) for poor children with the goal of helping them find a path for becoming self-sufficient.

Under this project, two students (D.B. Mahesh and Sachin Srirampura), from very poor families, will be supported for their education after the 10th grade. Mahesh is in PUC II (equivalent to 12th grade) in Commerce. Sachin is at the Industrial Training Institute (ITI) studying to be an Electronics Mechanic. A contribution of \$1,100 has been sent for Sachin & Mahesh's support this year. The plan is to support them through the end of their ITI and B.Com. graduations, respectively.

This project could be considered a good example where a sponsorship helps lift poor families into the middle class.

Daya Ghar, Chennai, Tamil Nadu

Sh. S. Thangavelu has initiated a project to support the noble work at Daya Ghar, which is a home in Chennai for poor children where they get personalized support and care unlike an orphanage. Daya Ghar (Home of Kindness) has been founded and managed by Sundaram Kumar, an IIT engineer and wife Neelayathakshi. One of their success stories is D.Manikandan, who is doing a diploma course in Petrochemical Eng., after 6 yrs at Daya Ghar, and is on his way to becoming economically self-sufficient.

Sh. S. Thangavelu has sent a contribution of \$230 to support the worthy efforts at Daya Ghar.

EDITOR'S CORNER

Every year, the United Nations Development Program issues its Human Development Index which ranks countries on a broad definition of well-being on the dimensions of health, education and income. Although India has made progress on an absolute scale of this Index, the relative rank remains similar where 68-70% of the countries continue to rank higher. For 2011, India is at No. 134 out of 197 countries (<http://hdr.undp.org/en/statistics/>), underscoring that organizations like INSAF have a lot to do yet. Since INSAF is run entirely by volunteers, it has no overhead beyond minimal necessary expenses. One or more members have a direct personal connection with every project which eliminates the possibility of waste or corruption. Thanks to all who are supporting one or more projects and those who are thinking about doing so.

2011 CONTRIBUTIONS

As the Yr 2011 approaches its end, one of the "to do" items is to consider some project of your interest. Here is a menu of choices for you to consider. October-November are proposed as the months of giving something back. Please mark your choice(s) and enter the tax-deductible dollar figure you would like to contribute. Don't see a cause you would rather support? Feel free to start something new for your idea with a contribution, and one of your fellow INSAF colleagues will be in touch with you to help.

Your Choice	Your 2011 Contribution	Type of Project	Example of Current or Recent INSAF Projects
1	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	Community Development Build a schoolroom or some durable facility	Pondicherry Children's Home (Jeevan Prabhat) School Room at Rishikesh School, Uttaranchal School Room at Ramalingapuram, AP Shri Samarth Society School, Mumbai Saraswathy Vidyalam, Eagandiyur, Kerala Govt High School, Banbhouri, Punjab Dwarki Devi-INSAF Vidya Mandir, Hoshiarpur, Pb
2	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	School Support Pay for volunteer staff or improvements at a school or fund awards for achievements	Sodhana/Ramalingapuram area schools, AP Dr. Bhateja led efforts at village schools in Punjab Bhulpur Shiksha Samiti, UP
3	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	Basic Health Services Provide simple medical services for the poor	O.P. Soni Charitable Trust, Jagraon, Punjab Sodhana, Chipurupalli, AP
4	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	Women's Empowerment Fund awareness seminars for rural women	Sodhana, Chipuripalli, AP
5	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	Literacy Improvement Fund efforts to increase literacy	Pratham, Mysore, Karnataka
6	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	Hunger Alleviation Fund food services for the poor	Maheshwary Charitable Trust, Kothari Charitable Trust
7	A <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	Child Sponsorship Sponsor a specific child Primary thru 12th grade education (6-10 yr commitment)	SOS Children's Village Rajpura, Punjab Bal Niketan, Panchkula, Haryana CASP Pune, Maharashtra Balabhavan, Paduapuram, Kerala
	B <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	Child Support for Higher Education Help a student for higher Ed (2-4 yr commitment)	Balabhavan, Paduapuram, Kerala CASP, Pune, Maharashtra
	C <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	Non-specific Education Support Grant funds to a school to meet student or staff or operational needs	OAS DAV School, Kaithal, Haryana
8	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	Animal Welfare Grant funds for care of stray animals in major urban centers	Animal Trust, New Delhi Friendicoes, New Delhi
9	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____		Start a new project based on your idea. Pls. add a few words in the space to the left & describe your idea in an e-mail to sharma7336@gmail.com

Membership Contribution: \$150/couple Life-Membership [\$100 for Single] \$15/couple Annual-Membership or \$10/Single Annual-Membership.

The above list of projects is not comprehensive; readers are encouraged to report errors and omissions as well as additional ideas so we can continue to improve this sheet for the future.

NAME(S) _____

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Sh. K. Kumar Kapur, 33 Waddington Avenue, West Orange, NJ 07052 (checks dated Dec 31, 2011 or earlier).

Ms. Padmashri Lad, 137 Seagate Drive, San Mateo, CA 94403 (checks dated Jan 1, 2012 or later)

INSAF PROJECTS

The following is a partial snapshot of INSAF current activities over the past 3 years. One-time projects are not listed. Kindly do let the Editor know of any errors and omissions including any corrections to the names listed under Project Leaders.

Project Leader (s)	Project
Sudershan Bhateja	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Govt. High Schools, Banbhouri, Banbaura, and Dhuri, Punjab (3 schools) ● Govt. Primary School, Banbhouri
Ram Chaudhari	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bhulpur Shiksha Samiti, Bhulpur, U.P
Arun & Padma Cariappa, Arunadhathi Malladi, Aneesh Prabhu, Shreedhar & Padma Murthy (& Friends)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Pratham Mysore, Karnataka
Manju Chexal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● OSDAV Public School, Kaithal, Haryana
Santosh Chokhani (w Lads, Mehans, Sharma)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Balabhavan Student Support for Higher Education
Santosh Chokhani, Gopal & Shibani Chotani, Joginder & Meera Kundra, Raj & Padmashri Lad, Ashok & Darshan Mehan, Ramesh & Pratibha Paliwal, AJ & Thankamma Poulouse, Manoj & Maneesha Shrivastav, Jay & Shashi Shetty, Bhav & Kaye Sharma	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Stipends for volunteer social workers (through SODHANA), Chipurupalli, AP ● Emergency medical aid for the poor (through Sodhana) ● Ramalingapuram Village Adoption Project, AP (through Sodhana)
Om & Veena Garg	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● A.S.D. High School, Narnaul, Haryana
Shakunthala & P. Harshavardhana	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Government Model Primary School, Saneguruvanahalli, Karnataka
Kumar & Sudesh Kapur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SOS Children's Village Child Sponsorship, Rajpura, Punjab (w Kundras, Sucheta Sachdev, Mehans, Sharmas) ● Ekal Vidyalay
Joginder & Meera Kundra	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Adivasi Child Education, Lathakhaman, Jharkhand ● Disadvantaged Children's Home, Pondicherry (Jeevan Prabhat)
Tarun & Kamal Kothari	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kothari Charitable Trust, Raipur, Chhatisgarh
Raj & Padmashri Lad	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Shree Samarth Education Society School, Mumbai (w Mehans, Sharmas) ● Child Sponsorships, CASP, Pune, Maharashtra (w Aruna Marathè, Sharmas) ● Child Sponsorship, Seva Sadan, Pune, Maharashtra
P.K. & Suresh Malhotra	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Nar Seva Narayan Seva, Abohar, Punjab
Aruna Marathè	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Animal India Trust, Friendicos (both based in New Delhi area)
Ashok & Darshan Mehan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Child Sponsorship, SOS Village Rajpura, Punjab (w Kapurs, Kundras, Sharmas)
Surinder & Nirmal Maheshwary (and Family)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Maheshwary Charitable Trust, Hoshiarpur, Punjab ● Shrimati Dwarki Devi INSAF Vidya Mandir (DIVM)
Soma & Parvathi Murthy (w Harsha & Shaku, Bhav & Kaye)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kaliyuva Mane, Divyadeep Trust, Jayapura hobli, Mysore, Karnataka
Mahendra & Jyoti Nanavati and Family	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Manav Kalyan Trust, Adivasi Unnati Mandal, Drishti Netralaya, Dardionu Rahat, Dardi Sahayak Trust, Adhyatmik Sadhana Kendra, Gujarat.
Ashok & Usha Sachdev	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bal Niketan, Panchkula, Haryana (w Kundras, Sharmas)
Bhav & Kaye Sharma	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Balabhavan Orphanage, Paduapuram, Kerala (w Lads, Mehans, Chokhani) ● Bhaee Rupa Govt. Higher Secondary School, Bhaee Rupa, Punjab
Kailash & Savitri Sharma, Shivendra & Richa Pandey	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● University for the Handicapped, Chitrakoot, UP
Ashok & Sanjeevan Soni, Ashok & Usha Sachdev	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● O.P. Soni Charitable Hospital, Midtown Jagraon and Raikot, Punjab
Vasu & Lalitha Vasudevan (and Friends)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Saraswathy Vidyalayam, Eagandiyur, Kerala