

### WHO ARE WE ?

A voluntary organization set up in year 2000 with the prime objective of improving the lives of underprivileged school children from government and corporation schools in Bangalore, India

It is named after - ASHWINI- the first child the trust sponsored





### WHAT DO WE DO ?

## empower each child to be self reliant-physically, financially, & emotionally...





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HEALTH CARE, FOOD FOR THOUGHT, EDUCATION, RECREATION, SPORTS, LIFE



ashwini The next step





#### Ratio Of Boys and Girls







#### Seven Levels Of Intervention







Academics -

SCHOOL FEES BOOKS/STATIONERY UNIFORM VOLUNTEERING EDUCATIONAL VISITS GUEST LECTURES

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### **Recreation / Connecting**

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS FUN OUTINGS EDUCATIONAL TRIPS





INDIA

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### Health Care

VACCINATIONS HEALTH CHECK UP PROTEIN MIX





HOME VISITS MOTHERS MEET LIFE SKILLS WORKSHOPS ACTIVE DECISION MAKING







### **Financial Freedom**

HEALTH CARE, FOOD FOR THOUGHT, EDUCATION, RECREATION, SPORTS, LIFE



### OPENING BANK ACCOUNTS





### HOW DO WE MAKE IT POSSIBLE ?

- Identify deserving children
- Sponsor their education
- Equip them with study skills
- Provide Computer education.
- Monitor their progress regularly
- Conduct recreational workshops in sports, dance, music, art and craft
- Provide them with medical facilities
- Counsel the kids and their families





### WHO DO WE SUPPORT ?

#### **CHILDREN**

- of daily wage earners like maids, vegetable vendors, tailors from single income families having 4 to 5 siblings
- whose parents have neither the time nor the resources needed to educate their children

As of this year we have 200 children under our wing





**Success Stories** 







### **TESTIMONY FROM VOLUNTEERS & DONORS**

"There is always one more kid who needs education whose mother is knocking at the door at ACT. For ACT to say yes to one more child who badly needs a hot meal or a pair of shoes so she can go to school, they need the support from organizations and individuals on a continual basis."

- Lea King, Senior Marketing Director, Worldwide Service Provider Cisco System





### **TESTIMONY FROM VOLUNTEERS & DONORS**

"I have been volunteering with Ashwini Charitable Trust (ACT) since October 2005. I have been teaching Mathematics to the senior children every weekend, since I started volunteering at ACT and it makes me proud to see several of my students now working, some of them in reputed multi-national companies, standing on their own feet and helping their families improve their standard of living. These girls are proof that ACT is taking the right steps towards accomplishing their mission of "educating and empowering underprivileged children and supporting them until they are gainfully employed."

- Arpita Datta, INTEL





### **TESTIMONY FROM BENEFICIARIES**

Our father was a watchman (retired) and mother is a home maker, we were financially weak, it was ACT who supported us over 10 years at times of difficulties and gave us the opportunity to study in one of the reputed schools and colleges in Bangalore.

Even when our father was ill and was hospitalized, ACT gave us financial and psychological support. We have received academic help too such as computer skills, presentation skills, soft skills, character building and tutoring in various subjects and also entertained us with some fun activities.

Now, we are gainfully employed and we support our family, we have cleared all our parent's debts and our focus is to complete our further studies and buy our own house for our parents.

Our journey still continues with ACT - we come on every weekend and volunteer our time with kids in their studies.

- Lakshmi.B and Revathi.B (sisters)





### **FACTS & FIGURES**

- We are supporting **200** children in the academic year 2013-14.
- We spend **Rs.13,520/-** per child per year. This amount is used for their educational fees, educational supportive accessories, stationery, vaccines, daily snacks, fortnightly special meal, and birthday celebrations
- Thanks to Global Giving we have collected enough funds to support **31 Children** for this academic year equaling to **Rs. 4,28565/-.**
- We have also collected Rs. 25278/- which will be used for 20 pairs shoes, 300 pairs of socks, 7 birthday cakes, 168 stationery kits and daily snacks for 10 days.





### **ON GOING PROJECTS FOR THE YEAR**

- We have already started our operations for this academic year.
- The schools have all started for the academic year so we distributed school bags, and stationery kits to all the children.
- When they come from school to our little activity center they spend an hour and half either working on academics with the help of volunteers or playing games with classmates and friends.
- We provide them with nutritional snacks before they return home.
- We administered Typhoid vaccines to the children.
- We also celebrated the birthdays of 11 children for the month of May.





### **PHOTO LINKS**

Vaccination -

https://picasaweb.google.com/act.students/Vaccination228513?authkey=Gv1sRgCPLGzfi15sqWyQE

#### Birthday Celebration-

https://picasaweb.google.com/act.students/BirthdayCelebration228513?authkey=Gv1sRgCP7ypKyt6 JP7Ow

#### Volunteers in Action -

https://picasaweb.google.com/act.students/IndrianagarCenter1642013?authkey=Gv1sRgCKnv8e7it uCwqgE

#### Stationery Distribution -

https://picasaweb.google.com/act.students/StationeryDistributionIndranagarCentre140613?authke y=Gv1sRgCIrHwpG1gZ3UxgE#slideshow/5891505528530959842





## THANK YOU .



You stepped in to support a needy child .... we welcome you to stay and become a member of the ACT family.

On behalf of all of us at Team ACT (the Board of Trustees, Volunteers, children and their parents) THANK YOU very, very much for your unstinting support. Welcome to the ACT family.

