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SIXTY FOURTH FOUNDER'S DAY

Amarar P. Nachimuthu Gounder's 64th Founder's Day started with the prayer song. Mrs. Gowri Manickam, Mrs. Abirami Harihara Sudhan, Shankar Vanavarayar- Joint Correspondent of Kumaraguru College, Mr. K. Ramasamy, Chairman – Roots Group of Companies, Coimbatore, Sirpi Balasubramaniam – Head – Arutchelvar Translation Centre, NAAPA members, Employees from Precision Group of Companies, Directors, Principals, Professors, Teachers and students of NIA Educational Institutions were present.



Secretary-NIA, welcomed the gathering by highlighting the background and significance of the function. He explained about Kongu Naattu Sadhanaiyaalar Award and informed that this is the 15th consecutive year, the award is bestowed on an eminent personality of Kongu Region who has served the Kongu region in various fields such as, Medicine, Education, Society etc.



He informed that a special lecture is also arranged during the founder's day and it's the 47th consecutive year the lecture is organized. He briefed on the importance of the NIA Diamond Jubilee Celebrations and the yearlong celebrations that are conducted in various campuses of NIA Educational Institutions. He briefed on the developmental activities of NIA-Educational Institutions and the financial aid that the institution provides to financially poor students.

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Dr. M. Manickam - Executive Chairman-Sakthi Sugars Limited and Chairman-NIA Educational Institutions delivered the Presidential address. He stated that more people are studying today and informed that there are more employment opportunities today for the students to grab, than ever before.

He pointed out that more number of North Indian employees get jobs in Tamilnadu. So, if our students work hard and prepare themselves, they will have abundant opportunities. He pointed out Mr. K. Balasubramaniam as an example for people who can excel in life from a simple background.



Mr. Manivannan, Principal I/C – NPT introduced Shri. K. Balasubramaniam, Chairman-Precision Group of Companies. He told how Mr. K. Balasubramaniam rose to this height from a humble background. He highlighted the contributions of Mr. K. Balasubramaniam to his employees, industry, society and to his Alma Mater.

Dr.P.A. Periyasamy read out words of appreciation for Mr. K. Balasubramaniam.



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Shri. K. Balasubramaniam, Chairman-Precision Group of Companies was conferred with Kongu Naattu Sadhanaiyaalar Award. In his acceptance speech, he briefed on the visionary dream of Amaran P. Nachimuthu Gounder and Dr. N. Mahalingam who fulfilled his father's vision of providing technical education to the rural students thus elevating those students to the next level of life.



He pointed out how the family of Dr. Mahalingam continues with this visionary dream by providing education, employment and humanitarian aids. He told that the education that he received from NPT and the experience that he gained from Sakthi Sugars turned his life upside down. He elaborated the importance of time, connecting it to his life and requested the students to utilize time effectively. He elaborated his experience in Sakthi sugars at Aappakkoodal and mentioned that his mentor Mr. Haridas who constantly encouraged him to focus on the task at hand. He told that hardships will strengthen people to perform well and outlined his experience in starting his own company. He detailed the struggle in improving his qualifications by saying that self-confidence, aim in life and talent are the three components that will make one qualified.

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Shri. N. Subramanian, Assistant Commissioner, Income Tax Department, Tanjore and Mr. T. Vijayakumar, Executive Engineer, Erode Corporation were conferred with Jewel of NPT Award.



Shri. N. Subramanian, Assistant Commissioner, Income Tax Department, Tanjore delivered the acceptance speech. He thanked the management and requested the students to focus on the task in the present without worrying about the past and the future.



He elaborated how he was selected for the Income Tax Department by narrating a Kabadi match where he defeated the Income Tax Department team with his village team. He fondly recalled his association with NAPAA. He requested all the students to focus on their strength and pursue their dreams without getting exhausted.



Rev.Fr. Jegath Gaspar Raj, Chairman, Goodwill Communications LTD, Chennai and Founder-Tamil Maiyam, Chennai in his memorial lecture recalled the greatness of Amara. Nachimuthu Gounder and Dr.N.Mahalingam.

He recalled his experience of working with Okhi cyclone affected people and later with Kaveri delta people by saying that humanity is about sharing the struggle and bitterness of common people even after becoming great which Amara. Nachimuthu Gounder and Dr.N.Mahalingam followed throughout their life. It's about creating legacy and not just earning money through business.

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He recalled how both the founders of this great entity became successful and served people without dislocating themselves from their root. He insisted on learning from ordinary people and highlighted the humanistic approach of Nachimuthu Gounder and Dr. N. Mahalingam that differentiated them from their contemporaries. He insisted that hard work is not a way to success but it's a paradigm that is rooted in Tamil Culture. He pointed out that working hard should be part and parcel of one's personality rather than learning it as a new skill. He told that all the great people had the courage to dream, dare and walk alone and insisted that change begins with self. He requested the students to respect the land, environment and time in order to create businesses that would not affect the environment and people. He elaborated how this present generation struggles because of their change in the value system and their desire to get white collar jobs. He concluded his speech by requesting the students to be connected to their roots and requesting the management to continue with their humanistic service.



Shri.M. Hari Hara Sudhan – Executive Director-ABT LTD and Correspondent-NIA Educational Institutions felicitated the function. He recalled the important points of the speakers of the day.



He requested the students not to limit themselves with the available opportunities but to create opportunities. He congratulated Shri. K. Balasubramaniam, Shri. N. Subramanian and Mr. T. Vijayakumar.

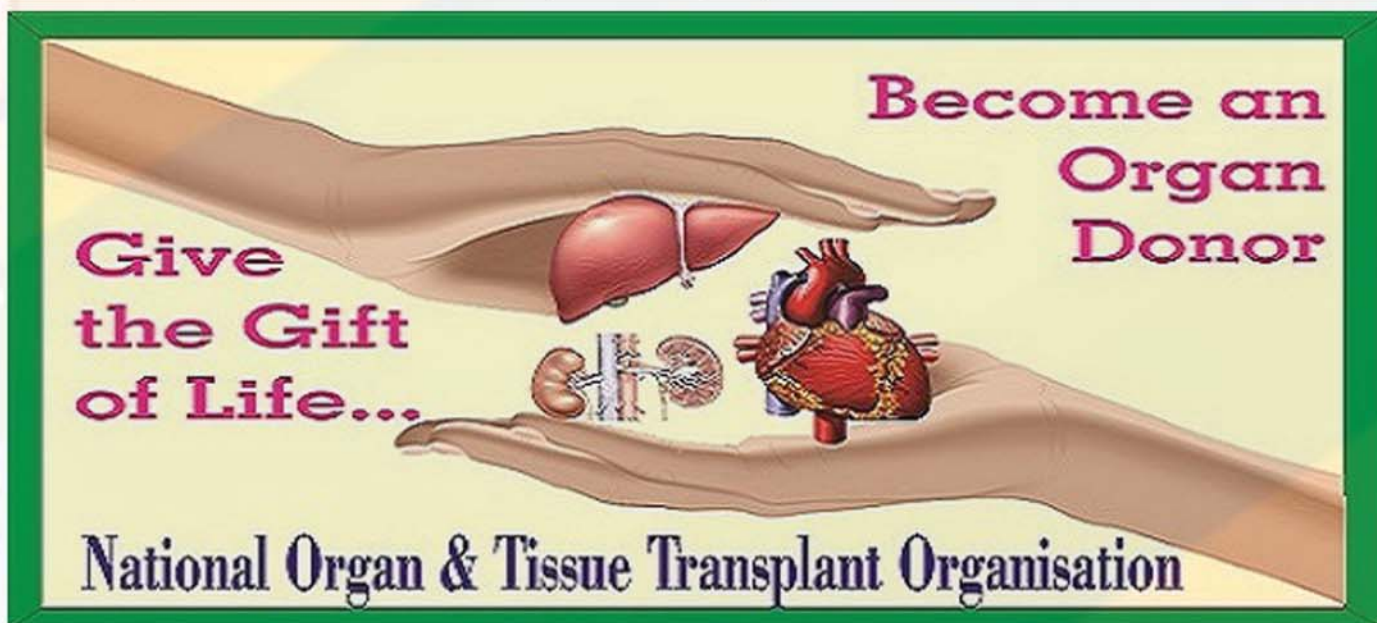


Dr. A. Rathinavelu, Principal-MCET, delivered vote of thanks and the function came to a formal closure.

LIFE AFTER DEATH

“The sole meaning of human life is to serve humanity”



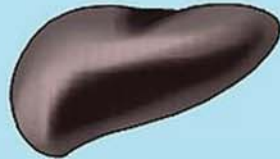
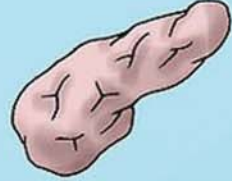
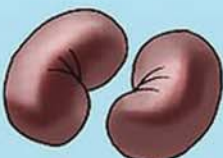





What is life? How does it initiate? Human life initiates from a small dot, called cell and ends as the body of human being as we know it. At the end it turns into one of the five elements of earth. The gap between these two happens to be the life of a human being. The most precious thing about human life is that it ends at some time; Of course, every human life has an end. But what matters is what we do while living that life. Life is a beautiful gift to us given by GOD and we must live up to justify our presence on the earth. If you enquire people regarding its possibilities, they would ask you to achieve something, invent things, etc., but one of the most significant way of living life even after death is by donating organs.



Organ donation is the act of giving the organs of an individual willingly to the people in need of them. To do so, one must confess with their will while they are alive. The need for organ has gone up substantially all over the world. India too suffers from acute organ shortage with little to no solution for this issue. It is estimated that every year 1.5 lakh people suffer from renal failure out of which, only 3000 people get donors. Similarly, every year, around 2 lakh people die of liver failure or cancer and rarely get any help in the form of organ donors. It is the same for heart patients, for every 50,000 heart attack patients, there are only 15 hearts available for transplantation.

LIFE AFTER DEATH

Organ donation by an individual after his/her death even proves to comfort their family members by reducing the grief of losing their loved ones with the thought that they are living in other people. It has been proven that an organ donor can save the life of approximately 58 people. Usually, a donor will be dead while donating the organs to an individual. But, organ donation can also be done while the donor is alive. The most widely donated organ alive is the kidney. Now-a- days, organs such as lungs, liver and pancreas are also donated by living donors. The living donors widely range between the age group of 35 to 49 years across the world, followed by donors in the age group of 18 to 34 years and 50 to 64.

			
Heart	Lungs	Liver	Pancreas
			
Kidney	Small Bowel	Eyes	Bones
			
Skin Grafts		Heart valves	

There are some limitations for the living donors that they must not have diabetes, high blood pressure, H.I.V., cancer, heart or kidney disease, or other infectious diseases. Now, let's have a look at the deceased donors. The organs that can be donated after death are heart, eyes, kidney, lungs, pancreas, intestine, corneas, veins, skin, heart valves, tendon, ligaments and bones. As stated before, a deceased donor can save more than 50 lives.

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The organs of a donor should be donated before they become unfit to be transplanted. There is certain time span before each organ losing their functionality. The approximate maximum time for the organs/tissues is, Lung - 4 to 6 hours, Heart - 4 to 6 hours, Liver - 24 hours, Pancreas - 24 hours, Kidney - 72 hours, Corneas - 14 days, Bone - 5 years, Skin - 5 years and Heart valves - 10 years.

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1 donor can save and transform up to 9 lives



It is a proud and boastful fact that the state of Tamilnadu stands first for the three consecutive years in a row in donating organs. Although awareness programmes are conducted by the government and NGOs, people are still not aware of it completely. Our physical body after our death is either going to be buried thus becoming one with the earth or burnt to ashes. So, let's think of living after dying.

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BREAKING OUR LIMITS

I happened to watch and listen to the speech of JACK MA, the founder-Alibaba Group during the “WORLD ECONOMIC FORUM” and I thought it’s worth penning it down, so that it might inspire a few others. He started by saying that we are very lucky as the world today has transformed a lot because of the technological advances. Technology has made people more creative than ever and many people have succeeded by finding real time solution to the day today problems of the society. In the next 30 years, he told that there is going to be a lot of changes that are coming into the world.



When we are between 20-30 years old, we should follow a good boss and learn from him. When we are between 30-40 years old, we need to do a job that we like because there are so much time to stand up and gain from failures. When we are between 40-50 years old, we have to do the job in which we are strong at. When we are between 50-60 years old, we have to teach the young generation. When we are 60 years old, we have to spend time with our grandchildren. If we work to gain success tomorrow or the next year, he says that it’s highly impossible but if we work to win after the next 10 years, there are huge possibilities. For a company to be successful, the best colleagues are women because men care for themselves, while women care for others.

BREAKING OUR LIMITS

Our fathers worked for 10 hours a day and told us that they were busy. We work for 8 hours a day and tell that we were busy. Our children will work 3 hours a day, thrice a week and will still say that they are busy. Robots that are built on Artificial Intelligence are going to replace human jobs. If we want to be successful, we have to learn from others' mistakes because when there is a high speed car, no one will think of racing with it. Computers are becoming smarter than us and if we don't change the way we teach our children, 30 years later, they will be in a huge trouble. We are going to teach our children the concepts that are 50 years old but they will be using it after 50 years from our time. Yes, we have to teach values, ethics, respecting others, believing others, thinking independently, caring for others etc.

The founder of Alibaba was right when he mentioned about reiterating and reinstating the human values in the future generations because they will learn the technology but humanness and human values need to be taught. We make machines, so that they will assist us and make our tasks easier but again only in complex tasks where human life will be in danger. We need to be very careful that our generation doesn't fall prey to machines and become addicted to the machines. I thank JACK MA, Founder and CEO of ALIBABA group for rendering such an excellent speech which will act as the inspiration for the young engineers.

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SMALL HANDS IN BIG HANDS

Will the very old dusty ghost of child labor let us free...?

Not all children enjoy childhood and more than half of them undergo tireless work to produce just a small complete product for which they are not even paid properly. Children are forced to work rather than study due to their family's economic background or because of the ignorance of their parents. About 60 to 80% of children below 14 years of age are working as child-labors for a maximum of 9 tireless hours a day. India has large amount of child labors because of dire and highly poor schooling facilities. Poor families live in a small cramped room of about 7.6 sq. meters in most of the slums in big cities.



Children in pain, give us no gain...!

Although they are not given proper wages, they still work tirelessly for those stubborn owners who don't care for their workers. Actually, child-labor was started by British where those cunning men used this strategy to yield a large number of goods and services by paying less. Another reason for involving the children as child labors is that they wanted to make sure no one gets proper education. Later, this scenario prevailed for children whose parents failed to pay the loan or debts to their owners. Children of coolies or tribes do petty works in most of the urban cities to pay off their ancestral debts.

SMALL HANDS IN BIG HANDS

Sometimes, the sweat of children is literally woven into the products we buy every single day.

It is the duty of our government to take steps against child labor. Only governments can constantly monitor the employers to make sure the country is free of child labor. The only way to make children enjoy their childhood is to make them realize that there is a meaningful life only when they get educated. Education alone will take them to heights and elevate their lives and the lives of people around them. Making parents understand the importance of education and provide them with the basic knowledge about the visible enemy of child labor and child abuse will help them change their mind. They need to be made aware of the consequences of alcohol on their children and family.

Children are THE MASTERS of their own actions.

Educating people about child-labor and advising them to eradicate it will be very difficult now as it has already reached its peak. They need to provide employment to every family, bring in more social security measures and regulate alcohol which takes toll of most of the poor people in the state. Let's be a part in ensuring that every SMALL HAND attains education, healthcare and opportunity to be self-dependent in this chauvnisting world of BIG HANDS.

Today's children are Tomorrow's Future...!

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SAVE FARMERS AND AGRICULTURE

Once upon a time, Tamilnadu played a vital role in agricultural produce but now, the scenario has completely changed because of the irresponsible government and society. One of the major elements for agriculture is water but today many farmers have more lands but they have less water. Olden days, farmers never worried about water because they know when it would rain thus differentiating crops according to the season. Industries, technology and white collar jobs have all damaged the entire agricultural system. Global warming and industrial pollution all contribute to the change in the climate thus affecting the rainfall.



Governments constructed dams and reservoirs for the purpose of storing water for later use. Most of the dams were constructed mainly for satisfying the needs of the common people. This method worked better for many years. Today, the same governments within a country have started using water as a political issue and never want to resolve the issue. Agriculture has become an endangered occupation because of water scarcity and the greedy politicians who use people's problems for their personal gains.

Many farmers are committing suicide because of unbearable loss in their agriculture. There is no one to support the farmers as they are left out. The greedy and corrupted politicians know that they won't get any bribery from the farmers, so they have started saying that they are going to help the industries. Farmers stand without any help from anyone. Educated people have deceived and used the innocence of the farmers to exploit them.

SAVE FARMERS AND AGRICULTURE

Media is busy with the political and cinema issues. They keep projecting the unwanted issues and keep diverting the real issues to increase their TRP rate. Few actors make use of farmers' problems in their movies and show as if they are the real friends of farmers but in reality, they had never visited an agricultural field. Their box offices will be always full and they will earn enough money. They all live with the CM dream by projecting themselves as the problem solving leaders.

Farmers are few innocent people and what will they do? Government is very eager to welcome corporate companies and multinational companies and provide them whatever facilities they need such as land and water in the name of offering jobs to people. They do this because only from them politicians could get more bribe. Recently a news became viral that in Trichy, a cola company has taking 6 lakhs litres of water daily from Kaveri River for manufacturing their products while farmers were left without a single drop of water for agriculture.

Many people don't know that agriculture is the backbone of our country. Many foreign countries care more for agriculture but our government allows multinational companies to build corporate offices and residential buildings in the rivers when there is no water thus blocking the water way. If this situation continues, one day people have to fight for food because at the end of the day, one should eat only food and not technology. Many of us doesn't know that the corporate companies are like silent bombs. They suck all our ground water as all of you know how many lakhs of litres of water is required to manufacture a car. Farmers still believe that the government and people will fight for their rights and get their share of water in order to begin their farming and save the existing crops.

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ENTREPRENEURSHIP

We all know that India is the second largest populated country around the globe, so, it should be our primary motto to think about the overall development of the country in all the fields. India stands first among the developing countries chart along with China and this is achieved mainly due to the rapid development of different industrial clusters that were started in the past decade. This process could be strengthened when the tendency of younger generation turns from employee mindset to employer mindset thus starting more businesses.



This is the reason for all the developed countries becoming economically rich. Our government is aware of this phenomenon and it has established many schemes in order to speed-up achieving the dream of "make in India". It's not shaping up well because of lack of awareness among the people. Parents want their children not to take any risk but encourage them to get a safe job. It is a challenging thing to raise the GDP of a vast country with 125 crore people but it's the need of the hour. If the youngsters think of doing their own business, they would become self-sufficient people and help in the development of India too. So, the perfect solution for the development of India is entrepreneurship.

The base of business should be laid in the school education itself, thus a student with business interest, should be given enough training in business strategies and other techniques in business field.

ENTREPRENEURSHIP

This will not only increase their confidence level but also help them to make their business ideas better. While it strengthens the business knowledge of people who want to become entrepreneurs, it will also provide an overall view to others in the classroom too.

In Tamilnadu, a private software firm called "Framtid Group Company" has initiated this practice along with the personal skill development groups and delivers persistent motivational classes in few schools in the southern part of Tamilnadu. If more big companies take up this initiative as their CSR activities, it would help the future entrepreneurs. Most of the developed countries don't force their citizens beyond the basic education which is upto school level. Only those who are interested will pursue their higher education and others start their business or start working for someone to know how the businesses run. If we don't wake up now and start working towards boosting entrepreneurship, Indians will remain employees of X or Y company from abroad.

It's time for India and it's time for Indians. The future Engineers should consider the vast market India has. So, new developments and products should focus on the ordinary people and help them with their day-to-day activities. I hope this generation young Indians will achieve it.

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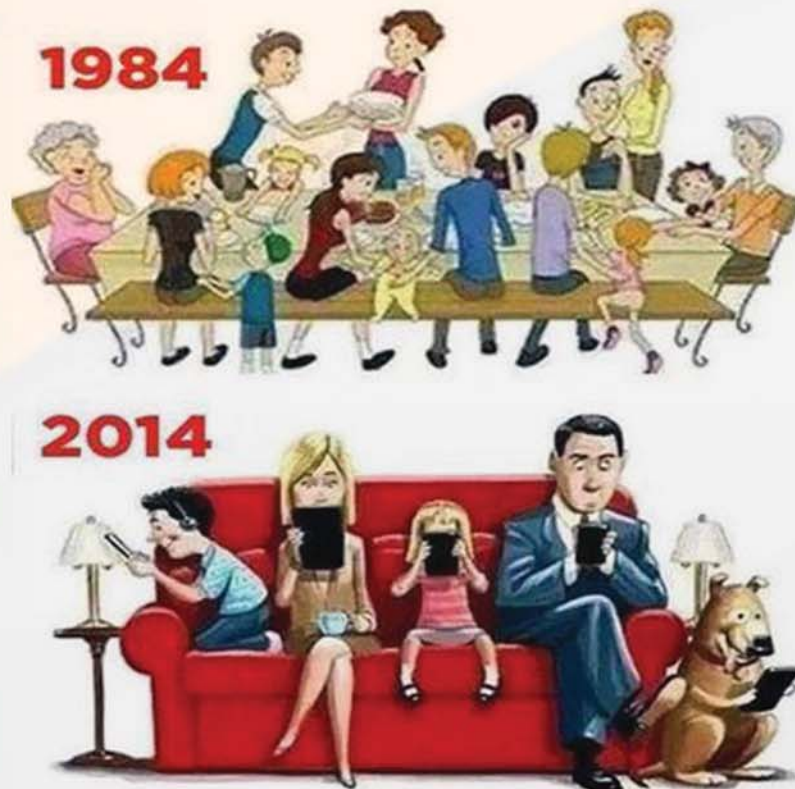
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CHANGING FAMILY STRUCTURE

Family is the basic unit of any society and it has gone through lots of changes before reaching its current state. Two most important family structures present today are, joint families and nuclear families. I'm going to discuss how families have changed over a period of time and what it does to everyone in the system. Problems in the families, will affect the larger social structure thus will affect everyone as family is the micro unit and society is the macro unit.



Firstly, I would like to share few things about joint families. In those days, people loved to live together in a joint family and share everything such as money, work, happiness, sadness etc. among themselves. They make decisions together and share responsibilities among themselves. Elders were present to look after kids while the adults worked outside. Kids spent time with elders and listened to them thus learning moral values of the society. People had lots of love and time during those periods and everyday was a celebration. People were not materially rich but they were very rich in character. Although there are a few advantages such as, planning their programmes and budget in a small unit, spending the little family time, go out without any restrictions and move wherever they want to, it has its own disadvantages.

CHANGING FAMILY STRUCTURE

Today, the joint family system is only in the books and few remote villages. People of modern generation are not ready to adopt themselves to live in a joint family. There are many reasons behind. Most people give more importance to privacy and only the husband and wife live in the house. If we look at it closely over a period of time, they both live in their own worlds and the rise in recent divorces are the result of it. People are becoming increasingly selfish, so they don't want to share things and time with others. This selfishness has landed today's generation in great trouble as they don't have anyone to share their emotions when they are in trouble. So most of the children growing in that situation become emotionally unstable adults as they grow.

Children growing in nuclear families have no one to spend time with them because the mother either works or takes care of the household works and the father is always busy, thus forcing the children to become close with someone or something else. So, the children are caught in the hands of gadgets, bad company outside etc. Gadgets such as, phone, television, computer have distanced people who are living in a small space. Most of them have even forgotten laughter because their acquaintance with the machines have made them machines. Parents in nuclear family provide money and materialistic support but they are finding hard to spend time with them and discipline them. They both are working and there is no one at home to look after them except a maid. Life is beautiful and whether it is a joint family or a nuclear family, we should share love, time, material and happiness and make others happy.

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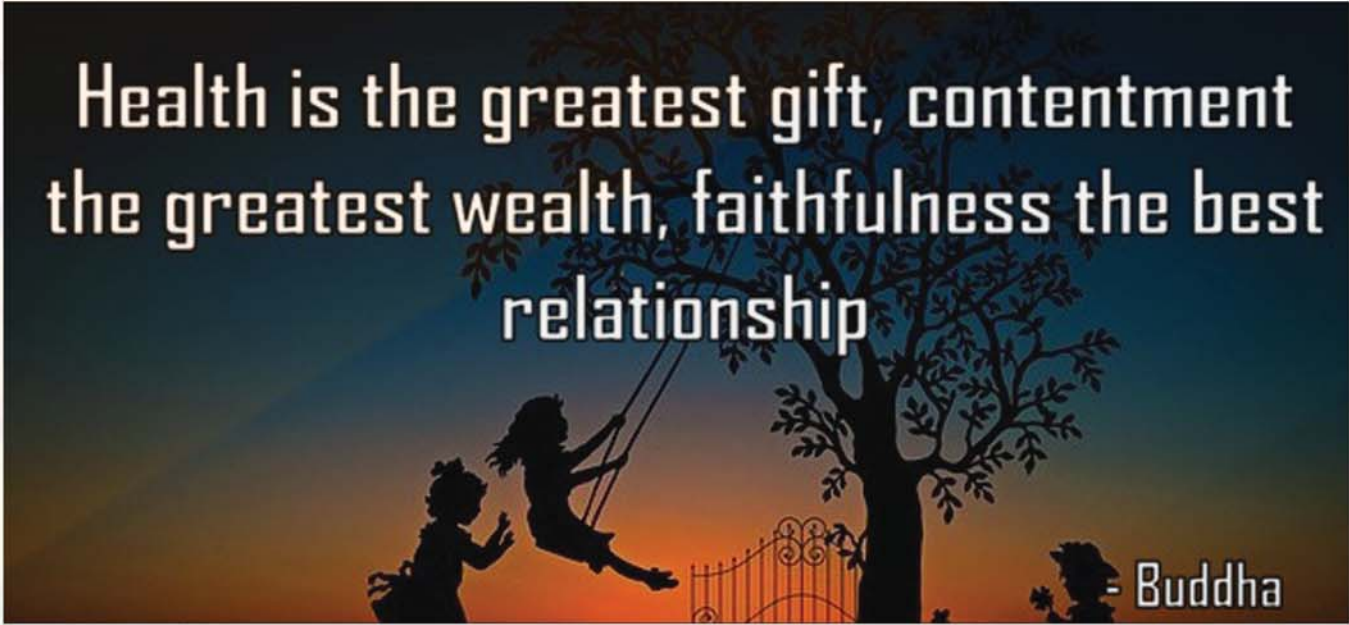
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HEALTH IS WEALTH

One of the most difficult question for a person to answer is 'are you healthy'? World Health Organization defines wellbeing as physically, mentally and spiritually healthy. If we fit this definition to ourselves and answer the above question, how many of us will say that we are healthy? One of the most important reason for people not being healthy is the development of technology and the increase of white collar job. People say that they don't have time but in reality, they have become lazier.



Health is the greatest gift, contentment
the greatest wealth, faithfulness the best
relationship

- Buddha

In order to maintain good health, we should keep our body healthy from our childhood onwards, else we will carry the unhealthy food habits and unhealthy life style till our end. So, healthy habits need to be incorporated in the school system as well as in the family. According to research, a normal child should play or should engage in any physical activity at least an hour a day. This could be achieved by including sports in our school curriculum and parents should allow their kids to play outside for a while.

Physical activities not only improve our physical health, but it will help us improve our mental health. While playing, we will be free from stress, strain and all the other negative thoughts. Sports helps students to improve their endurance and concentration over a period of time. The main aim of sports activity is to improve our team spirit and group work which provides enough avenues to improve our social behaviour and attitude. Sports balances our emotions and thus stabilizing our minds.

HEALTH IS WEALTH

If we look at someone being very calm and attentive, they would be playing a game or involved in sports because physical activity will bring calmness and attention to detail in one's personality. Sports activities also improve our leadership skills and decision making skills. Sports helps people get relieved from their diseases and physical pain because sports is a better medicine than other chemical induced drugs. People who play and exercise are living healthily but people who don't, spend their money in the hospitals. If we look around us all of our sports players and athletes are healthy. Sports activities make students engage in some physical activities thus preventing them from becoming lazy.

If physical education is made compulsory in school curriculum, students can maintain physical and mental health thus improve their academic performance. If we force them to study always, they will become physically and mentally stressed and it would reflect in their academic performance too. It would also help our children keep themselves out of obesity.

A fifteen years old should consume 1200 calories per day but in present scenario, they in take more than that and most of them are junk food which is not good for their health. The burning out of that calorie is not that much thus saving fat for the future which gets the passport to obesity and collecting tokens in the hospitals. It's becoming very sick to listen to news such as, youngsters dying out of many diseases and most of the diseases were caused by their unhealthy life style. So, maybe it's time that we take our health seriously by adopting to sports, exercise and eating healthy foods.

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FRIENDSHIP KEEPS YOU HEALTHY

'A friend is where I find my second self', yes we all do find ourselves in our friends. A friend is our second self because a friend understands you more than yourself, at times. Friendship is not a luxury but a basic need without which one cannot live. If you are living without a friend, then don't call it living it's just existing because I think to live is to love and share. Earth is a place where seven billion people live. Yes, they live because everyone will have their own friend whom they love. A friend can be a father, mother, brother, sister, class mate, he, she, dog, cat, dove, snake; whatever if one cares for it as one's own. Friend is a lover, so I think no one is single here. Yes, you need your friends and your friends need you.



What will it give? 'A friend in need is a friend's indeed' is the answer. It gives you security, comfort, belongingness etc. When we share our feelings with our friends, may it be a loss, failure, downtime in life etc. they will comfort you. Most of the time, our first priority in the line of comforting zone are our friends and not even our parents. Friendship is priceless but it also comes with a price because one needs to be loyal, trustworthy and give selfless love. So, we need to get ready with our selfless efforts in order to receive friendship and friends.



FRIENDSHIP KEEPS YOU HEALTHY

Friendship doesn't expect any materialistic gains not your money or wealth but your time and love because nothing is worth more than time and love. Everyone's life will have some sweet memories and I am sure that sweetness comes from our friends. Friends can make or mar our life because we all tend to listen to everything that our friend says in order to be good to him. It's not necessary that we should always say yes because that would make us weak over a period of time. Saying no to even one's closest friend shows one's strong personality.

We all know how a mother suffers during her delivery. Some say that it is like crushing the skull hard yet, when she sees the baby, she experiences ecstasy. Friendship doesn't cost any suffering and you will get it for free if you are honest. The only thing you have to do to deserve friendship is being selfless. According to me, friend is a synonym for support. Most of the time, they not only support you but also guide you during times of difficulty. Friends celebrate your victories as theirs and they also share your sadness as theirs. If you suffer, your friends cry as if they themselves suffer. Friend is more than your shadow because shadows will not follow you in darkness but your friends will. Let's all celebrate friendship, let's all value friendship, let's all respect friendship.

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A BEAUTIFUL RELATIONSHIP - PART II

The lady was her maternal aunt. Charvee had two maternal aunts and they were nothing different from her mother.

“Why didn’t you come with Ranbir?” Charvee asked.

“We can’t oversee two babies, my dear, so I left him there”, she explained. “And you know something, you are gonna come with me, while I’m leaving”.

“Really???, I’m ready and I’ll wait for you to complete all your works. Let’s go” she said in high spirits.

“No Shakshi, it would be a tough task for you to manage her along with Ranbir” Sheela said. “Let her meet him on her next visit”.

Charvee’s face shrunk because she knew that she wouldn’t be allowed.



“I expected this, Sheela. Leave her to her own interest. She would take care of herself. Don’t try to encircle her in your own boundaries”, Shakshi said.

“It’s OK ma... Alright. I’ll come there and pass my days when Ranbir grows up. And now, what mom says is the ultimatum”, Charvee said since she understood the situation and she knew well that it would lead to discontentment because her mom didn’t like Charvee to go now. Shakshi grasped Charvee’s idea and took her place bashfully in the cushioned couch.

A BEAUTIFUL RELATIONSHIP - PART II

All the members of the family forgot Charvee when they gurgle the baby everytime, but Shakshi had concern on both the kids. This made Charvee to gratify herself. But all these people, at some instance lost their consciousness on Shantu. He was tongue-tied with the cup of Cerlac given to him.

On seeing this, Charvee, with her hands on her haunch, voiced towards Shoba "OK then, you won't share this food with me, right???"

"Yeah, of course Charvee. I won't. Just weigh it up as your punishment for leaving Shantu alone", said Shoba with laughter in her face. Cheek-to-cheek with her sister, she treated herself with a cup of chaya.

"Is it? Fine. And I know, you will give me this after sometime", said Charvee with a grin from ear to ear. And not more than a couple of minutes, she received a cup full of her favourite.

It was Charvee's other maternal aunt. After her university, she lodged herself in Sheela's home to assist her in household works. Sheela was not used with the household works and so Shoba joined her sissy promptly after her marriage. Till then, she carried herself as Charvee's mom, dad, and sibling. Charvee had a unique space in her heart for shoba aunty. Charvee could live without anyone in this world but without Shoba, she couldn't. Both can be said as a bat and ball; or milk and bread; or any other combination. They were inseparable.

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