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OVERVIEW

Youth Hostels Association of India is a membership based Not-For-Profit organization with maximum surplus invested towards the growth and development of Youth Hostels. The first Youth Hostel came into existence in Germany in the year 1912 with an idea to create a network across the country of budget based accommodation for youth by Richard Schirrmann. The inauguration of the International Youth Hostel Federation (IYHF) was an outcome of the first International Youth Hostel Federation Conference which was held at Amsterdam in 1932.

Since the movement started in Germany in the second decade of last century, there was very little opportunity for young people of limited means to travel at will, see and enjoy the beautiful places in their own country and the world around. YHAI is an Associate Member of the Hostelling International, U.K., earlier known as the International Youth Hostel Federation (IYHF), a premier international Not-For-Profit organization promoting the Youth Hostelling movement, with a widespread network in 70 countries worldwide with more than 3300 unique hostels.

YHAI offers an ideal meeting place for people of varied nationalities, religion, color and backgrounds. YHAI also conducts various mission based activities including, trekking cum training sports adventure activities, awareness rallies and youth forums.

Besides participating in its activities, members are also benefited by attractive discounts on the membership card of YHAI, not only this, they are entitled to avail the facilities of Youth Hostels, spread in almost 70 countries around the globe and it also helps them to minimize their budget during international travel.

VISION & MISSION

VISION

To become a centre of safe, affordable and clean accommodation for young people during their travel, to encourage youth travelling in India and education & understanding through personal experience.

MISSION

Our Mission is to enable and promote Travel, Tourism, Adventure spirit, National Integration and Education & Health by providing hostels of good standards to millions of youth of limited means during their travel at an affordable rates on a sustainable basis and by organizing adventure and educational events and to develop understanding among youth about social & developmental issues.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

Membership of Youth Hostels Association of India is a unique product which gives access to more than 60 Youth Hostels in India and more than 3300 Youth Hostels with a widespread network in 70 countries. It also allows its members to participate in its economical adventure trekking and other programmes.

Reasons to be a Member

- Are you planning your holidays with your family and/or relatives?
- Are you thinking of going out with your friends on an excursion or trekking programme for just a fun trip?
- Do you want to travel across the country to understand its diversity culture, and the way of life?
- Is your school planning to organize a tour programme for its students?
- Do you want to add to your education and understanding through personal experience?
- Are you traveling abroad & looking for budget accommodation for a safe, clean and comfortable stay?

YHAI Offers The Following Multiple Benefits on Its Membership Cards:

- Avail budget/discounted accommodation in Youth Hostels at more than 60 locations in India and more than 3300 youth hostels worldwide.
- YHAI membership card is an International card and valid in 70 countries around the globe.
- Participate in economical Adventure and Trekking programmes organized by YHAI.
- Get over 40,000+ discounts all over the world through YHAI + IYTC Co Branded Membership.
- Discounts provided at different outlets in India.
- Discounts in accommodation, offered by different State Tourism guest houses all over India.

Membership Fees

Membership Fees during the year 2019-20 are given below:

Membership	Fees (Including GST)
Junior Membership	INR 70/-
One Year Membership	INR 170/-
Two Years Membership	INR 300/-
Life Membership	INR 2500/-
Institutional Membership (School)	Fees (Including GST)
One Year Membership	INR 750/-
Five Years Membership	INR 3000/-
Institutional Membership (College)	Fees (Including GST)
One Year Membership	INR 1500/-
Five Years Membership	INR 5500/-

Members Enrolled

Members Enrolled during year 2019-20 are as follows:

S. No.	Membership Type	Members Enrolled
1	Junior Membership	928
2	One Year Membership	8730
3	Two Years Membership	3890
4	Life Membership	2515
5	Institutional Membership	9
	Total	16072

YHAI Owned Hostels Occupancy

Occupancy of International Youth Hostel New Delhi, 2019-20

S. No.	Month	Male	Female	Beds Occupied
1	Nov-19	2918	1243	4161
2	Dec-19	2526	1711	4237
3	Jan-20	3446	3539	6985
4	Feb-20	2983	870	3853
5	Mar-20	830	799	1629
6	Apr-20	45	0	45
7	May-20	206	0	206
8	Jun-20	0	0	0
9	Jul-20	0	0	0
10	Aug-20	14	8	22
	Total	12968	8170	21138

Occupancy of International Youth Hostel Mysuru, 2019-20

S. No.	Month	Male	Female	Beds Occupied
1	Nov-19	1357	610	1967
2	Dec-19	1335	375	1710
3	Jan-20	1024	1027	2051
4	Feb-20	900	672	1572
5	Mar-20	478	247	725
6	Apr-20	30	0	30
7	May-20	31	0	31
8	Jun-20	52	4	56
9	Jul-20	64	21	85
10	Aug-20	145	42	187
	Total	5416	2998	8414

Occupancy of International Youth Hostel Darjeeling, 2019-20

S. No.	Month	Male	Female	Beds Occupied
1	Nov-19	100	37	137
2	Dec-19	403	156	559
3	Jan-20	25	5	30
4	Feb-20	14	13	27
5	Mar-20	38	13	51
6	Apr-20	0	0	0
7	May-20	0	0	0
8	Jun-20	0	0	0
9	Jul-20	0	0	0
10	Aug-20	0	0	0
	Total	580	211	791

Ex-President of YHAI Karnataka State Branch Conferred with Honorary Life Membership of YHAI

National Council in its meeting held on 1st December, 2019 conferred Honorary Life Membership of YHAI to Sh. D. Madegowda. He devoted his whole life for the up liftment of the movement in his capacity as the President of the Karnataka State Branch and he had assumed greater responsibility for promoting YH movement in Karnataka as well as in whole India. He was instrumental in bringing the second owned Mysuru International Youth Hostel and devoted his whole time during its construction. In Indian Youth Hostels Association, he has been elected many times as the Office Bearer of Karnataka State Branch and he is also Advisor of the Hostel Management Committee of Mysuru International Youth Hostel.

Considering his selfless and meritorious services to YHAI, National Council feels proud to confer him the Honorary Life Membership of YHAI.

Inauguration of YHAI's Fourth Women Unit 'Amrapali' Purnea, Bihar

Youth Hostels Association of India fourth Women Unit 'Amrapali' inaugurated on 29th December 2019 at Kala Bhawan, Purnea, Bihar. National Chairman- Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan, Chief Executive Officer YHAI- Sh. Rupesh K Pandey, Bihar State President- Sh. Mohan Kumar, Vice President- Sh. Raj Kumar, Secretary Sh. A K Bose, Amrapali Unit Convener- Ms. Santosh Bharat, Co-Convener- Ms. Sonali Chakraborty, MLA, Purnea- Ms. Lesi Singh and Mayor, Purnea- Ms. Kanti Singh were present on the occasion. It was a great occasion for YHAI Purnea Unit and almost 100 Women Members enrolled in the Unit at the time of its inception. National Chairman- Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan & Chief Executive Officer- Sh. Rupesh K Pandey greeted all the YHAI members & gave information about YH Movement & its activities. A Cultural Evening was organized by the Unit with the prize distribution for the women's for remarkable services in their respective fields.

YHAI National Chairman Visited Mysuru University and Met Vice-Chancellor

YHAI National Chairman Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan visited Mysuru University and met with Dr Hemanth Kumar, Vice-Chancellor along with Sh. D Made Gowda, Ex MLC, Sh. Ravi Kumar, National Council Member, Sh. Vijayanand, YHAI Member on 13th January 2020. National Chairman briefed about YHAI to Vice-Chancellor and seek his support to promote YHAI. Vice-Chancellor thanked and agreed to provide all support for the development of YHAI.

It was a fruitful meeting and YHAI will work with university and their affiliated colleges together to work for YHAI development.

Silver Jubilee Celebration of Indore Unit, M. P.

Indore Unit of Madhya Pradesh State Branch celebrated its Silver Jubilee Celebration on 16th and 17th February, 2020. On the occasion of Silver Jubilee Celebrations, an Exhibition of Photographs of different activities of YHAI was organised for two days which was appreciated by the members and visitors. A Cultural programme was also organised by the members. A book was also released by Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan, National Chairman, YHAI, Col. Akhil Diwanji (Retd) and Sh. Sandeep Gautam, S.D.O of Forest Department. The book, not only gives the information about the tourist places of surrounding area, but also gives the information about the trekking route. It was written by trekkers only.

YHAI Gangothri Unit, Mysuru Celebrated its 30th Anniversary

YHAI Gangothri Unit celebrated its 30th Anniversary on 19th, January 2020. The Chief Guest Sh. H.C. Kantharaju, Former Conservator of forests and Director of Project Tiger - Bandipur, narrated to the audience about YHAI, Gangothri Unit's contribution in carrying Tiger and Elephant Census, conducting Nature Study Camps for Children in Bandipur Forest and other activities.

YHAI Gangothri Unit organized Photography Exhibition also, which was inaugurated by Sh. K.B. Ganapathi, Editor in Chief of Evening daily 'Star of Mysuru' and 'Mysuru Mitra'. More than 300 Photographs taken by the trekkers in various places like Forests, Himalayas and a number of hills and forts in and around Karnataka, during their local, state and national level trekking were beautifully displayed in the exhibition.

YHAI National Office presented a cheque of Rs. 10,000/- and a beautiful memento in recognition of 30th year of Gangothri Unit. The Unit thanked National Chairman Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan and all Office Bearers of YHAI for their wishes and encouragement.

All the dignitaries were honoured for their valuable services to YHAI's movement.

Meeting with Hon'ble Minister for Sports & Youth Affairs

YHAI delegation comprising of National Chairman YHAI, Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan, APC Chairman YHAI Sh. Manoj Joshi and CEO YHAI, Sh. Rupesh K Pandey & Sh. Sidharth Kuncalienker called on Sh. Kiren Rijju, Hon'ble Minister for Sports & Youth Affairs and discussed issues pertaining to strengthening of Youth Hostelling movement in India. Hon'ble Minister expressed satisfaction over the work done in the field of adventure activities and assured his strong support for further activities.

Meeting with Hon'ble Union Minister of State for Defence and Ayush

YHAI delegation comprising of National Chairman YHAI, Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan, APC Chairman YHAI Sh. Manoj Joshi and Sh. Sidharth Kuncalienker, Chairman Goa State YHAI, met Hon'ble Union Minister of State for Defence and AYUSH, Sh. Shripad Naik and discussed various activities of YHAI in promoting adventure travel among the youth of the country and sought the support of Defence Ministry in organizing high altitude expeditions like Manali - Khardung la Mountain Biking etc. Hon'ble Minister assured his support in YHAI activities and promised to Visit YHAI National Office Soon.

National Chairman Visit's to Andhra Pradesh State Branch

National Chairman YHAI, Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan visited YHAI Andhra Pradesh State Branch on 25th January, 2020 & attended various programmes.

YHAI Ukkunagaram Unit conducted the Cycle Rally on 26th January, 2020 from Ukkunagaram to Appikonda Beach on the occasion of Republic Day celebration. National Chairman YHAI flagged off the event. 28 Cyclists participated in this rally.

After Cycle Rally, National Chairman YHAI attended the Kambala Konda Trekking event organized by YHAI Visakhapatnam District Unit. 240 School Children participated in this trekking. National Chairman, YHAI distributed the certificates to all participants.

YHAI Andhra Pradesh State Branch conducted tree plantation drive in Mutyalamma Palem ZPH School, Visakhapatnam on 27 January, 2020. National Chairman YHAI, all State office bearers and different unit's senior members took part in this event. After tree plantation students performed their presentation & musical instruments.

National Chairman YHAI met with all Office Bearers of Andhra Pradesh State Branch & discussed about various activities & encouraged them to increase the membership and participation in adventure activities.



Organised Second Half Marathon by CCSCSB (DOPT) & YHAI

CCSCSB, in association with Youth Hostels Association of India (YHAI), again organized its second Half Marathon in three different categories i.e. 5KM, 10KM and 21KM on 1st March, 2020 from 5:00 AM to 8:30 AM. The Marathon was organised at Jawahar Lal Nehru Stadium, New Delhi.

Central Government employees and their family members working in Ministries/Department located in New Delhi, employees of PSUs/Autonomous bodies (not family members) under administrative control of Central Government and members of YHAI (not family members) participated in the Half Marathon.

Trophies for first, second and third positions in each category of the run for males and females separately were awarded. On successful completion of the run in each category of the half marathon, each participant was given a Medal and Digital Certificate. Cash prizes for winners in all races for both Men and Women were given.

There were more than 1200 participants registered for the said Marathon for different categories of the run in which high dignitaries of Central Government also registered. More than 700 participants took part in the run.

The event was graced by the dignitaries of CCSCSB (DOPT) and YHAI, namely YHA India National President Sh. Mohammad Shafi Pandit, Vice President Sh. Ashok Golane, National Chairman Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan, CEO Sh. Rupesh K Pandey, CCSCSB (DOPT) Additional Secretary Ms. Sujata Chaturvedi, Chief Welfare Officer Ms. Vanita Sood, Secretary Sh. Kulbhushan Malhotra.



ELECTION OF STATE BRANCHES

Kerala State Branch

The Triennial Election meeting of Kerala State Branch was held on 6th Oct., 2019. The following were elected as Office Bearers:

- State President : Dr. C Haridas
- State Vice Presidents : Sh. Vadakkevila Sasi
- : Sh. A K Rajan
- : Sh. M C Mohandas

- State Chairman : Sh. M Aboobacker
- State Treasurer : Sh. Muhammed Jaffer K

Sh. J Shine has been appointed as State Secretary of Kerala State Branch

Assam State Branch

The Triennial Election meeting of Assam State Branch was held on 13th Oct., 2019. The following were elected as Office Bearers:

- State President : Sh. Tanuj Goswami
- State Vice Presidents : Sh. Ranjit Sarma
- : Dr. Utpal Tahbildar
- : Dr. Atanu Barthakur

- State Chairman : Dr. Aswini Kr. Sarma
- State Treasurer : Sh. Pallav Kamal Sarma

Mrs. Marami Goswami has been appointed as State Secretary of Assam State Branch

Mizoram State Branch

The Triennial Election meeting of Mizoram State Branch was held on 13th Oct., 2019. The following were elected as Office Bearers:

- State President : Sh. Robert Romawia Royte
- State Vice Presidents : Sh. Lalhmingmawia Colney
- : Sh. Vanlalfela
- : Ms. R. Lalthlamuani

- State Chairman : Sh. Zodingsanga
- State Treasurer : Ms. Lalthakimi

Sh. Moses Lathanpuia appointed as the State Secretary of Mizoram State Branch.

Gujarat State Branch

The Triennial Election of Gujarat State Branch was held on 19th January, 2020. The following Office Bearers are elected:

State President : Dr. Manubhai L. Kubavat.
State Vice Presidents : Sh. SandipbhaiModh.
Sh. Mukeshbhai Padsala,
Sh. Jayeshbhai Mandaviya

State Chairman : Sh. Rashmikant C. Chhipa
State Treasurer : Sh. M. U. Zaveri

Sh. Bhupatsinh R Zala was appointed as the State Secretary of Gujarat State Branch.

NATIONAL CHAIRMAN'S VISITS

Date	Place	Description
29th Dec-2019	Purnea, Bihar	National Chairman visited to Purnea to inaugurate the fourth Women's Unit "Amrapali"
13th Jan-2020	Mysuru, Karnataka	YHAI National Chairman Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan visited Mysuru University and met with Dr Hemanth Kumar, Vice-Chancellor
14th Jan-2020	Karnataka	Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan National Chairman, YHAI visited YHAI Gangotri Unit, Karnataka and met with all office bearers of Unit on 14th January, 2020. YHAI Gangotri unit is completed its 30th year this year.
25th Jan-2020	Andhra Pradesh	National Chairman YHAI, Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan visited YHAI Andhra Pradesh State Branch on 25th January, 2020 & attended various programmes.
16th to 17th Feb- 2020	Indore, MP	Visited Indore to attend the Silver Jubilee Celebration of the Unit



OVERVIEW OF NATIONAL ADVENTURE PROGRAMMES

S. No.	Programme Name	Total Participants
1	National Himalayan Kedarkantha Winter Trekking cum Training Expedition 2019-20	1324
2	National Himalayan Sandakphu Gurdum Winter Trekking cum Training Expedition 2019 - 20	246
3	National Himalayan Dalhousie Snow Trekking cum Training Expedition 2019-20	520
4	Mumbai - Goa National Coastal Cycling cum Training Expedition	44
5	Goa - Mumbai National Coastal Cycling cum Training Expedition	28
6	National Nainital Winter Trekking cum Training Expedition 2020	132
7	Nainital Ranikhet Almora Mountain Cycling cum Training Expedition 2020	98
Total		2392





BELOW ARE THE PROGRAMMES CANCELLED DUE TO COVID-19

S. No.	Programme Name	Total Participants
1	National Individual Adventure cum Training camp North-East India-2020	4
2	National Family Camping cum Training Expedition- Lonavala 2020	38
3	National Himalayan Sandakphu Gurdum Summer Trekking cum Training Expedition 2020	88
4	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training & Nature Study Expedition Dalhousie 2020	61
5	National Family Adventure cum Training Camp - Seobagh 2020	43
6	National Himalayan Nature Study cum Trekking Cum Training Expedition 15 Miles 2020	92
7	National Individual Camping cum Training Expedition Srinagar 2020	2
8	National Family Camping cum Training Expedition Srinagar 2020	157
9	National Adventure Cycling, Trekking, Water Sports cum Training Expedition Mysuru 2020	19
10	National Himalayan Har Ki Doon Trekking cum Training Expedition - 2020	278
11	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition Chanderkhani Pass 2020	335
12	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition Saurkundi Pass 2020	335
13	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition Sar Pass 2020	1988
14	National Mountain Cycling cum Training Expedition- Prashar Lake 2020	58
15	National Family Adventure cum Training Camp Leh 2020	123
16	National Individual Adventure cum Training Camp Leh 2020	48
17	National Mountain Cycling cum Training Expedition - Manali - Leh - Khardung La 2020	81
18	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition: Kashmir Great Lakes- 2020	160
19	Leh Couple Adventure Motorbiking cum Training Expedition 2020	62
20	National Mountain Cycling cum Training Expedition Leh 2020	0
21	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition Valley Of Flowers 2020	3
22	Leh Khardungla-Pangong Lake National Adventure Motorbiking cum Training Expedition 2020	211
23	National Himalayan Trekking And Training Expedition 2020 Zanskar Indus	28

Total 4214

The above programmes were cancelled due to Covid-19 and the following cancellation policy was announced :

(1) We offer an e-voucher for the full value of the trek that can be used by you for any National programmes of YHAI, including the ones organized by state branches by December 2021.

(2) We offer a cash refund deducting 20 per cent for administrative and logistical expenses already incurred.

(3) If the next programme opted by you is cheaper, we will refund the difference with a deduction of 20 per cent for administrative and logistical expenses incurred.

(4) If the programme is costlier, the trekker pays the difference.

(5) If the trekker opts for the same programme that was cancelled, he/she will not be charged extra even if the price goes up next year.

(6) E-vouchers are transferrable. You may transfer the same to your family members and friends.

OVERVIEW OF STATE BRANCHES AND ITS UNITS ACTIVITIES

Andhra Pradesh State Branch

Ride on Hills and Valleys 2019



The Andhra Pradesh State Branch organised an activity Ride on Hills and Valleys 2019 from 27th to 29th September 2019 on the occasion of World Tourism Day in which totally 30 riders participated.



Talakona Monsoon Trek and Training Programme 2019

Talakona Monsoon Trek and Training Programme 2019 was organised from 8th to 10th November 2019 in Talakona which is in Tirumala Hills of Eastern Ghats.



UKKUNAGARAM UNIT

Cycle Ride on the occasion of Republic Day Celebrations

Ukkunagaram Unit has conducted the cycle ride from Ukkunagaram to Appikonda beach on the occasion of Republic Day celebrations 2020. National Chairman, YHAI, Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan flagged off the event.



VISAKHAPATNAM DISTRICT UNIT

Trek for School Children and Orphan Kids



A novel trek was conducted by YHAI Visakhapatnam District Unit on 26th January 2020 for the school children and orphan kids in the Kambalakonda Wildlife Sanctuary, Visakhapatnam in which 240 children and 40 orphan kids participated. Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan, National Chairman attended the programme to motivate the participants.

Tree Plantation at Mutyalamma Palem School



Andhra Pradesh State Branch organised a Tree Plantation at Mutyalamma Palem School, Visakhapatnam. Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan, National Chairman attended the programme and donated Rs.22500/- which was contributed by National Office, Tamil Nadu State Branch and Andhra Pradesh State Branch to the school administration for the purchase of musical instruments.

CHHATTISGARH STATE BRANCH

Platinum Jubilee Celebration 2019 Bastar Heritage trekking and training programme



On the occasion of Platinum Jubilee of Youth Hostels Association of India, 3D/2N Bastar Heritage Programme was organized by Korba Unit along with Raigarh Unit and Institutional Member O.P. Jindal School, Raigarh. 50 participants participated in the programme. The programme was scheduled from 5th to 8th October 2019.

Achanakmar Tiger Reserve Nature Study & Trekking cum Training Programme



Chhattisgarh State Branch jointly with Korba Unit successfully organized 2D/1N Achanakmar Tiger Reserve Nature Study & Trekking cum Training Programme on 22nd and 23rd December 2019. Around 58 participants including kids participated in the state programme.

Blood Donation Camp

A Blood Donation Camp was organized on 09th February 2020 in which 25 members donated blood.



RAIGARH UNIT

Annual Plantation Programme



Annual Plantation programme is successfully arranged by the Eco club members of YHAI Raigarh Unit on 8th September 2019. Around 50 saplings were planted by 30 students of O. P. Jindal School and the members of YHAI Raigarh Unit.

Cycle Rally

Members of YHAI, Raigarh Unit successfully organised Cycle Rally on 01st December 2019 in Khairpur and Tipakhhol villages to create awareness to 'Say NO to use of plastic' to spread the message of 'Plastic free society and clean environment'.



Say No to Plastic Rally Programme

'Say No to Plastic' Rally was organized on 02nd December 2019. Ms. Rakhi Debnath, the Eco Club in-charge of the unit, along with the students of OP Jindal School (Institutional Member) and Sh. Satyakam Rajput (Member), explored Raigarh city's crowded and busy areas like Subhash Chowk, Gandhi Chowk, to approach shopkeepers and convinced them to use the handmade paper bags and cardboard packets to protect the society.



One Day Trekking & Training Programme at Tipakhhol

One Day Trekking & Training Programme at Tipakhhol was organized on 16th February 2020 in which 42 members participated. Members successfully conducted a "CLEAN DRIVE" of all plastic and non- biodegradable garbage at Tipakhhol' spreading awareness to 'Say NO to the use of plastic for a plastic free society and clean environment'.



KORBA UNIT

Family Picnic cum Trekking and Training programme



A Family Picnic and Trekking cum Training Programme were organized on 09th February 2020 in which 70 participants including kids and senior citizen participated in the Programme.

Covid Warrior Training Programme on Covid-19 25th to 27th April 2020



Sh. Sandeep Seth & Sh. D.B. Subba attended three days Training programme at Korba from 25th to 27th April 2020 organized by Chhattisgarh State Health Department.

Virtual Drawing & Painting Activity by EPC



Environment Protection Committee organized Virtual Drawing & Painting Activity on the occasion of World Environment Day on 05th June 2020. The topic was Environment Protection & Rain Water Harvesting and it was open for students of all age groups in which 199 students participated. Certificates were awarded to the Students.

Sapling Plantation



Sapling plantation activity was organised on WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY on 5th June 2020 near SARVMANGLA MANDIR in which 20 saplings of Lemon, Peepal and Almond plant were planted.

Online line QUIZ was organized jointly with Forest Division

YHAI Korba Unit with Forest Division organized online Quiz on the subject - "Know your Environment" on 11th to 16th June 2020. Around 160 participants from all over State participated and received online Certificates.



RAIPUR UNIT

Trekking cum Training Programme at Ranidhara Chilpi Ghati



Trekking cum Training Programme at Ranidhara Chilpi Ghati was organised on 28th and 29th December 2019 in which participants from different parts of India participated.

Bicycle Rally

Cycle rally started on 19th January 2020 with a Slogan "Environment Protection - Stay Fit & Keep Raipur Clean". 50 participants attended the same and travelled 22 Kms. Participants covered the inner core zone of the Raipur City.



Plantation Drive

Members Organized "Intensive Plantation Programme" at Bhatagaon on 19th August 2020 on the banks of the Kharun River, Raipur. Members planted around 45 saplings of Neem, Jackfruit, Sugar Apple, Mulberry, Indian Blackberry, Tamarind, Guava & various other saplings.



DHAMTARI UNIT



The Unit organised following Activities successfully:

- Hanuman Dhara Basikhai Dokal Monsoon Adventure Bike-10th September 2019
- Cycle Rally to Protest Single Use Plastic 15th September 2019
- Cleanliness Campaign on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti 02nd October 2019
- Sharadmahotsav cum Night Trekking in Bholapathar - 15th October 2019
- Trekking cum Training Programme at Nathukonha Madamasili's- 10th December 2019
- Trekking cum Training in Jabra (Dugali, Nagari) 14th January 2020
- Holi Celebration 17th March 2020
- Keshkal Valley of Flowers (a dream) 16th June 2020
- Plantation Drive at B.C.S. Government Postgraduate College 01st July 2020
- Monsoon Adventure Bike Trekking cum Plantation 14th July 2020
- Online Independence Day celebration 15th August 2020

DELHI STATE BRANCH

Gangotri- Dodital Trekking Cum Training Expedition

The Gangotri-Dodital Trek - 2019 was organised from 10th to 17th September 2019 in which 92 participants participated from different parts of the country.



International Yoga Day Celebration

On the occasion of International Yoga Day, the Delhi State Branch organised a programme on 20th June 2020 with a view to spread awareness on importance of Yoga in life in which 25 members participated. Sh.Yogi Sharad Kumar gave a detailed demonstration of various Yogasanas and also described the theoretical part beautifully.



Donation of Hands Sanitizer Dispenser

The Delhi State Branch donated two 'Hands Sanitizer Dispenser' on 20th July 2020, for use at the National Office. This was done as a necessary step towards making the National Office stronger in the fight against COVID- 19.



Formation Day Celebration

To commemorate the 72nd Formation day of Youth Hostel in India, the Delhi State Branch organised a tree plantation drive in office premises on 14th July 2020. Sh. J.K. Shrivastava, Chairman, DSB and Sh. Rupesh K. Pandey, CEO, YHAI planted a sapling of Jamun Tree. Ms. Usha Jain, Vice President, DSB and Ms. Samita Bhowmick, Secretary, DSB, planted a flower plant.



SOUTH UNIT

National Webinar on Vyanga Path



A National Webinar on "Vyanga Path" was organised by the South Unit of Delhi State Branch on 28th June 2020 at 05.00 pm. Office Bearers and YHAI members attended the programme on Google Meet.

CENTRAL UNIT

National Webinar on Kavya Path



A National Webinar on "Kavya Path" was organised by the Central Unit of Delhi State Branch on 05th July at 06.00 PM in which 50 participants participated.

GOA STATE BRANCH

Purchase of Office Premises

Goa State Branch had purchased office premises of its own at 301, Kamat Grand, St.inez, Panaji, Goa, admeasuring 90.25 Sq. Mts. This office was inaugurated by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Goa, Dr Pramod Sawant in the presence of Sh. Mohammad Shafi Pandit National President, Sh. Kiran Natekar National Vice President, Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan National Chairman, Sh. Manoj Johri National Treasurer, Sh. Rupesh K. Pandey CEO and Sh. V M Prabhu Desai Executive Director, Sports Authority of Goa, along with entire State office bearers and executive and council members. Large number of trekkers of Goa Monsoon Trekking Expedition also attended this function.

National Goa Adventure Festival 2019-20

The State Branch successfully organized the Goa Adventure Expeditions, which included Trekking, Biking and Family Camping programmes, from 10th December 2019 to 6th January 2020. The first batch was flagged off in the inaugural ceremony which was held on 16th December 2019. Dr Pramod Sawant, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Govt. of Goa, was the Chief Guest along with Sh. Shashank Mani Tripathi IAS, Director Sports and Youth Affairs and Sh. Subhash Chandra Principle Chief Conservator of Forest who were the Guest of Honour. Sh. V M Prabhu Desai, Executive Director of Sports Authority of Goa was the special Invitee.

A special session on CPR and life saving techniques was organized in collaboration with Drishti Life saving services.

Apart from above activities the following were organized:

National Trekking cum Training Expedition Goa was organized successfully in which 407 participants participated.

National Family camping Goa was successfully organized in which 130 families participated.



National Biking cum Training Expedition was organized in which 122 participants participated. The total route was 280 Km running through six picturesque talukas of Goa.

Tree Plantation

Tree plantation was organized at Youth Hostel campus on 30th June 2020, Miramar. Various fruit bearing saplings were planted.

Blood Donation Camp

To overcome tremendous shortage of blood in the GMC blood bank during pandemic times, YHAI once again shouldered its responsibility and three units of YHAI organized the Blood Donation camp in collaboration with Goa Medical Collage.

Mapusa Unit organized the camp on 26th July 2020 in which 43 volunteers donated blood.

Panaji Unit organized the camp on 2nd August 2020 in which 40 volunteers donated blood.

Porvorium Unit organized the camp on 30th August 2020 in which 40 volunteers donated blood.

KARNATAKA STATE BRANCH

Trek to Kudremukh (1892 m) & Kurinjal (1159 m) peaks

Karnataka State Branch in co-ordination with Tumkur Unit organised a 4 Days trek to Kudremukh (1892 m) & Kurinjal (1159 m) peaks from 07th to 9th November 2019. A total of 64 participants including 31 ladies completed successfully. A demonstration and a video show on forest conservation and pollution prevention was presented by the forest officials.



Interview at Namma TV, Shimoga

Sh. Vijendra Rao, National Council Member gave 20 minutes interview to Namma TV Shimoga, a local channel in July on the activities of the YHAI to encourage youth hostellers in joining the hostelling movement.

100 Days Membership Abhiyan

A Special "100 Days Membership Abhiyan" was taken up by the State Branch from September 2019 as to increase the membership base of the Association. A total of 522 Life Members and another 700 annual members were enrolled.



Workshop to Educate Members on Home Stays

A seminar was organised for Home Stays in Shimoga District under the leadership of District Commissioner wherein the guidelines for starting home stays was explained to the gathering. Sh. K. Purushotham, State Chairman exhorted people to have



home stays to enhance the hostelling facilities for the travellers and take license of the YHAI, Sh. A N Vijendrarao and Sh. G Vijayakakumar graced the Seminar.

TUMKUR UNIT

A monsoon trek was organised to Ambaragudda and Idu mane falls from 13th to 15th September 2019 in which 40 members participated including 13 females.

Tumkur Unit organised a Mega "MEDICAL CAMP FOR FOREST OFFICIALS AND TRIBALS" from 6th to 7th January, 2020 in KUDREMUKH NATIONAL PARK area. More than 290 tribal families and 80 forest officials examined where in medicines worth Rs 1.50 lakh was distributed free of cost. The camp was inaugurated by Sh. Prakash Nataalka, Chief Conservator Forests. YHAI Life Members



Dr. LK Rajeev, Oncology, Dr. Shiva kumar, Eye specialist, Dr. SB Shetty, Plastic Surgeon, Dr. Anasuya Desai, General Medicine, Dr. Sridhar, Cardiologist, Dr. Mala Malathesh,

Diabitalogist, Dr. Renuka Shetty, Skin Specialist, Dr. Arvinda Gopal, Dentist extended full support.



KOLAR UNIT

Kolar Unit distributed free uniforms, instrument boxes and notebooks to students of Government Primary School in Bangalore South taluk in December 2019.

Unit Donated a Band Set to Jnana Sindhu High School at Thibbegowdanadoddi, Ramanagaram District in December 2019.

Free uniforms were distributed to over 40 students of Sorekayi Doddi and K. Palya Government Primary Schools on 14th December 2019.



THARUNODAYA UNIT

A clean drive was organised near Ganapathi Lake from 11th to 12th January, 2020. The lake which was most polluted with thickly grown weeds was cleaned in which more than 1000 volunteers participated to make it a grand success.

A mega blood donation camp was organised in March 2020 in co-ordination with other organisations Sanjeevini Red Cross, Shivamogga Institution of Medical Science and NSS in which more than 200 participants participated.

Afforestation programme was organised by Tharunodaya unit in which planted over 1000 saplings from 2nd to 3rd July 2020.

MYSORE GANGOTHRI UNIT

Unit organised a trek to Yettinabhuja and Devaraman near Mudigere in February 2020 where in 30 members participated including 9 females.

Nature Study cum Safari to Andaman Island was organised on 26th February 2020 in which more than 120 participants participated.

MANGALORE UNIT

A Two days Trekking programme was organised to Vibhuti Waterfalls, Yana, Sahasralinga, Sirsi, Banavasi, Manjuguni and Mirjan Fort from 27th to 28th September 2019 in which 41 members including 22 ladies participated.

A Trekking cum Training programme to Meruti Parvatha, Basarikatte was organised in October 2019 in which 54 members participated.

A Trekking cum Training programme to Nshani Betta, Madikeri was organised in October 2019 in which 53 members participated.

Unit organised two days Gokarna Beach Walk on 6th September 2019 in which 54 members participated.

One day Trekking cum Training programme to Metkal Gudda and Thombattu Waterfalls was organised on 8th September 2019 in which 66 members participated.

One day Trekking cum Training programme to Samse to Didupe via Elaneer Falls was organised on 20th October 2019 in which 53 participants participated.

A Two days Trekking cum Training programme was organised to Kudremukh Peak from 17th to 18th November 2019 with 60 member's participation.

Another one day programme was organised to Honnegundi Waterfalls on 24th November 2019 with 59 member's participation.

A Two days Trekking cum Training programme was conducted to Pushpagiri Peak from 14th to 15th December 2019 in which 50 members participated.

A One day Trekking cum Training programme was organised to Nishane Motte near Bhagamandala on 12th January 2020 for 54 members.

A One day Trekking cum Training programme me was arranged from Megur to Horanadu on 9th February 2020 in which 54 members participated including 18 females.

A One day Trekking programme was organised on 16th February 2020 to Kudlu Theertha Waterfalls wherein 55 members participated.

Unit organised two days Trekking cum Training programme to Valikunja Peak from 7th to 8th March 2020 in which 50 members including 12 females participated.

SAGARA UNIT

Unit organised Hebbagodu monsoon trek in September 2019 in which 61 members participated.

A boating in the back waters of Sharavati River was organised in February 2020 in which 46 members participated.

A one day trek to Champaka sarasi from Sagara was organised for 30 members in November 2020.

KANAKAPURA UNIT

Seed balls with fertilizer were planted in surrounding hills of Kanakapura by the Unit office bearers on 28th June 2020

MYSORE UNIT

Unit organised a plantation drive in which members planted saplings in the compound of International Youth Hostel Mysuru on 13th June 2020.

Independence Day was celebrated on 15th August 2020 by organising Flag Hoisting at International Youth Hostel Mysuru.

Contribution towards Covid-19 relief



Units of Karnataka State Branch actively participated and contributed towards the relief for Covid-19 by distributing face masks, gloves, hand sanitizers, soap, ration etc in their respective region.

MADHYA PRADESH STATE BRANCH

BETUL UNIT

- On 8th and 9th May 2019 Betul Unit has organized Night Trekking where 20 youth members have participated.
- Betul Unit has organized live painting competition on 15th July 2019 for school's children in Hanuman Dol Temple area situated at Chikhlar Forest.
- 75 km far from Betul, Betul Unit has organized Parida Jharna Trekking programme with 10 members on 15th September 2019.
- On 26th September 2019, Betul Unit has organized blood donation camp in Shaskiye Polytechnic Mahavidyalaya Sonaghati village Betul with the collaboration of My Betul Group and Betul Hospital.

- Betul Unit has organized speech on brotherhood and patriotism on 13th and 14th November 2019 by Dr. S. N. Subbarao to address students of J.H.S. Mahavidyalaya.
- With the collaboration of National Yuva Yojna, Betul Unit has organized Bhopali trekking programme on 8th December 2019, which is situated in Satpuda range, 40 km far from Betul. Total 80 participants participated in the programme.
- Betul Unit has organized blanket distribution programme on 25th December 2019 at Matoshri Old age home with unit members.
- Betul Unit has organized livelihood fare for the students of Shaskiye Uchhtar Madhyamik Vidyalaya Village Kodarkoti with the help of Disha Programme on 29th January 2020.

GWALIOR FORT UNIT

- Gwalior Fort Unit has organized 'Morning Tapovan Family Trekking' on 5th May 2019 with its 65 members. They all have gained information about flora.
- On the occasion of World Environment day 5th June 2019, Gwalior Fort Unit has organized its 8th Cycle Rally. 550 participants including Children, Member and higher authorities has completed 5 km journey at theme road by passing through the main road of the city. Mayor Sh.Vivek Shejvalkar, Ms. Ex Mayor Samiksha Gupta and Police Officer Sh.Navneet Bhaseen have motivated people by riding cycles.
- 26 Females member of Gwalior Fort Unit has planted trees in AMMA MAHARAJ KI CHHATRI LASHKAR on 6th August 2019. On the occasion of Haryali Teej, everyone has performed dance on SAWAN songs and celebrated hauzi also.
- At Shaeed Trimurti Circle, Members of Gwalior Fort Unit and citizens has organized flag hoisting programme on the occasion of 15th August 2019.
- Gwalior Fort Unit has organized tree plantation and feed mentally retarded children programme at Mercy Home City Centre on 1st September 2019.
- Gwalior Fort Unit has organized Pawata (Barai) bike expedition with 25 participants on 22nd September 2019.
- Gwalior Fort Unit's member Yasir Ali has participated in Youth Convention programme In New Delhi on 15th to 20th October 2019.

- Gwalior Fort Unit has organized its Annual Deepawali Milan and Felicitation Ceremony on 6th November 2019 at Utsav Vatika. 183 families has participated and enjoyed dance, music and feast. Unit has honoured to Members of the organization, Gwalior Commissioner, Police Officer, Ex Mayor, Ex MLA and Active members.
- Gwalior Fort Unit has organized Sonagiri Family Trekking with 90 participants on 29th December 2019.
- Gwalior Fort Unit has organized 4 Days Youth Festival in Business Fair on 1st to 4th February 2020 where many more school's children has participated in Singing, Dance, Quiz etc programmes.
- Gwalior Fort Unit has organised Devi Mandir Mountains Trekking. They reached there by bike on 01st March 2020.
- Gwalior Fort Unit has organized Holi Milan Programme on 10th March 2020 at Soni Ji ke bare with 45 members.

INDORE CITY UNIT

- Indore City Unit has planted 100 trees at Rau's Residency area on 23rd June 2019.
- Indore City Unit has organized Kajligarh Tincha Waterfall Trekking programme on 14th July 2019 with 70 participants.
- Indore City Unit has organized bike expedition of Udainagar via Hatyari Kho on 28th July 2019 with 40 participants.
- 85 Members of Indore City Unit has done trek on Jogi Bhadak Waterfall on 11th August 2019.
- 45 Members of Indore City Unit has done trek on Bhairav Kund Waterfall on 25th August 2019.
- Indore City Unit has organized Chidiya Bhadak Trekking with 65 participants on 8th September 2019.
- Indore City Unit has organized trekking with 60 participants on Giriya Kho Waterfall on 22nd September 2019.
- Indore City Unit has organized Bagauda Fall Trekking with 34 participants on 24th November 2019.

- Indore City Unit has organized Jogidev Trekking programme with 45 participants on 8th December 2019.
- Indore City Unit has organized Bird watching programme at Gulavat with 25 members on 22nd December 2019.
- Indore City Unit has organized Choral Dam Par Trekking programme with 30 participants on 12th January 2020.
- Indore City Unit has celebrated its Silver Jubilee year by organizing painting exhibition and magazine release at the presence of National Chairman Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan on 16th February 2020.
- Indore City Unit has organized Baadi Jayanti Mata Waterfall Trekking on 15th March 2020 with 36 participants.

INDORE DISTRICT UNIT

- On 14th July 2019 Indore District Unit has organized Bamniya Kund Trekking and did planting in the forest.
- On 28th July 2019 Indore District Unit has organized Jogi Bhadak Water Fall Trekking programme which is situated at Dhal village.
- Members has visited Ganga Mahadev Temple and huge waterfall situated in the caves made by natural rocks during Ganga Mahadev Trekking Programme on 11th August 2019 organized by Indore District Unit.
- Indore District Unit has organized 15km trekking on Gidhiya Khoh Waterfall with its members on 25th August 2019. Here a water stream falls into the Kund from 350 ft height. Many more vultures are living here.
- Indore District Unit has organized Barfani Waterfall Trekking programme on 8th September 2019. A huge waterfall on Barfani Baba Temple use to flow into a Kund.
- Indore District Unit has organized Hatyari Khoh Trekking on 22nd September 2019. At this place every member has reached after 5 km treks on irregular rocks.

- Indore District Unit has organized Baneriya Gulavat Trekking programme at Jain Atishay area on 13th October 2019. Gulavat is famous for Lotus farming and dense forest of Bamboo.
- Indore District Unit has organized again Barfani Waterfall Trekking with 68 participants on 20th November 2019.
- Indore District Unit has organized, 50 km Jogidev Trekking Programme on 15th December 2019. They took Bath in Kannat River, visited Mata Temple and ancient rare Bhojpatra tree.
- Indore District Unit has organized Rala Mandal Cycle Trek of 20 km on 5th January 2020. There are more than 300 trees and more than 400 flora.
- Indore District Unit has organized Omkar Parikrama programme on 19th January 2020. Members have visited to Rinnmukteshwar Temple, Gauri Somnatah Temple, Aashadevi Temple.
- Indore District Unit has organized Chidiya Bhadak Trekking Programme on 8th February 2020. Participants has done 3 km trek by crossing dense forest and mountains.

KATNI UNIT

- On 22nd April 2019, Katni Unit has organized its Annual Meeting and a programme where members has played 'Hauzi' and enjoyed 'satire' of poets.
- From 1st May to 31st May 2019 Katni Unit has organized Athletics, Badminton and Table Tennis game and camping in the collaboration with Sports and Youth Welfare Department M.P.
- Katni Unit has organized 'Jal Sanrakshan Rally' on 28th May 2019 where children learnt inspiration about water uses.
- Katni Unit has cleaned forest playground on 5th June 2019 and organized rally for public awareness about tree planting.
- On 18th August 2019, Katni unit has organized trekking-training for Vasudha Non-Natural Waterfall situated in Rithi Van Area's forest with 212 participants.
- On the occasion of Foundation day of Youth Hostel on 26th August 2019, Katni Unit has distributed clothes and food to girls in Balika Aasra Grah.

- Katni Unit Member Sh. Nikhil Agarwal has participated in trekking programme on 2nd November 2019 organized by Meghalaya State Branch.
- Katni Unit has organized 12 km long Uma Doli Trekking programme with 335 participants via irregular forest path on 22nd December 2019. They have visited 125 years old dam also.
- Katni Unit Member Sh. Nikhil Agarwal has participated in Darkantha Trekking programme on 10th December 2019. Sh. Ashish Jain and Ms. Ishita Jain have participated in Kedarkantha Programme on 17th December. 5 member of the unit has also participated in Valley of Flowers programme.
- Katni Unit has organized blanket distribution programme to the poor tribal elderly people and children on 08th January 2020.
- Katni Unit has organized Uma Doli Trekking Training programme with 186 children on 5th January 2020. Children had learnt about flora and fauna and plastic cleaning drive has been conducted during the programme.

BHOPAL LAKE CITY UNIT

- On 21st April 2019, Bhopal Lake City Unit has organized a night trek at 'MANU ABHAN KI TEKRI'. Participants have enjoyed activities in moon light during the night trek.
- **Aashapuri Trekking Programme** has been organized on 14th July 2019 at Raysen district, which is 35 km far from the Bhopal. This 14km trek was started from Bhojpur Temple and ends at Aashapuri Museum. Total 50 participants have participated in the programme.
- **Manubhavan Trekking Programme:** This Trekking Programme has been organized at Famous scenic spot of Bhopal, 'Manubhavan Ki Tekri on 28th July 2019. This trek has been started at 06:00 am from Nevari Temple and after 2hour of the trek all 45 participants has reached at Newari Jain Temple. There is very beautiful view of city Bhopal from this Tekri.
- 70 km from Bhopal, Bhopal Lake City Unit has organized Amargarh Trekking with 58 participants on 4th August 2019. They have enjoyed huge waterfall after crossing mud and inaccessible paths.
- On 11th August 2019, Bhopal Lake City Unit has organized trekking inside the Chidikhon in Narsinghgarh Sanctuary. 56 members participated

- 14 km long Budni Ghat Trekking Programme has been organized with 56 participants on 18th August 2019. Everyone has enjoyed waterfall and Mrigendranath Temple.
- Bhopal Lake City Unit has organized Tapkeshwar Mahadev Trekking on 1st September 2019 with 56 participants. Treks started by forest route nearby Salkanpur Temple till the temple, then its reach to the main road via Saru Maru Caves.
- At Halali Dam, Bhopal Lake City Unit has organized Get together programme for 60 participants on 8th September 2019. A 3km short trek also organized. Everyone has enjoyed Antakshari, Hauzi and Dal Bafle by sitting nearby the waterfall.
- On 7th October 2019 a Dusbar Watching Camp was organized along with 80 members by the Bhopal Lake City Unit at Van-Vihar National Park. The purpose of the camp was to get information about the environment and biodiversity of the region.
- It has organized 14 km trekking in Ratapani forest, from Delbadi to Ginnor fort in which 36 participants participated.
- It has organized 10 km long Trekking in Raisen District on 12th Jan 2019.
- It has organized 12 km long Vector 3 Trekking programme on 2nd February 2020, where everyone has enjoyed the sightseeing of lush green farming field, pond and 3 step dam.

MANDIDEEP UNIT

- 32 Members of Mandideep Unit completed the 5 km ups down mountain trek on Bhopal's Jhiri Waterfall Kolar on 11th Aug 2019.
- Amargarh Jharna Khatpura Shahgunj Trekking Programme of 6km was organized by Mandideep Unit with 45 members on 1st September 2019. They completed after crossing rocky routes and river.
- Unit has organized Bandra Bhan Sand Trekking Programme on 24th November 2019.
- Unit has sent 5 members for the Recce of Badi Ki Gufaon on 4th December 2019. Member has done 5 km trekking.
- 6 Participants of Unit has participated in National Trekking Programme organized in Gir, Gujarat on 21st December 2019.
- Unit has organized 9 km trek of Chidikho Abhyaran Narsingharh Trek with more than 60 trekkers on 2nd Feb 2020.

P. & T. UNIT

- Unit has organized trekking of Satpuda Range K.B. Fall on 14th July 2019. Eighty participants participated in this programme. Participants had collected the trash also during the trek.
- Unit had organized trekking of Amargarh Fall on 27th July 2019. 25 participants participated in this trek. They enjoyed the lunch at water fall on 10-12km trek.
- Unit members had trekked 10-12 km, Amargarh fall trekking Khatpura to Amargarh on 25th August 2019.
- Unit organized Statue of Unity Sightseeing Programme on 14th December 2019.
- Unit organized Bandra Bhan Sand Trekking Programme which is situated at the bank of Narmada River near Hoshangabad with 30 members on 5th January 2020.

REWA UNIT

- Rewa Unit has organized a medical camp on 19th May 2019.
- From 1st to 30th May 2019, Rewa unit has installed Water Pyau at two places where they served around 500 people every day.
- Unit organized Trek to Mukundpur Tiger Safari with its 20 members, on 20th July 2019.
- Unit has organized 'Jadu Vigyan Hai' workshop on 25th September 2019.
- 40 Members participated Trekking Programme in Tons Fall and Dhankuchi in October 2019.
- Unit members participated in SHANTI DAUR on 1st January 2020.
- Member and authorities of Unit has organized Food Distribution programme to the 400 needy people during lockdown.

RAJGARH UNIT

- Rajgarh Unit has organized Chiri Khoh Trekking and Training Programme on 3rd November 2019. This 11 km long trek, starts from Chirikhoh and finished at Chhote Mahadev Narsingh. During the treks, participants have collected the trash from the forest.

RATLAM UNIT

- On June 2019, Ratlam Unit has organized 15 km night trek starts from Ratlam to Shri Sai Mandir situated near Village Dhamnod. 28 Member participated in the programme.
- On November 2019, Unit has organized annual meeting where 60 members were present. Unit election has completed successfully in the presence of State observer Sh. Navin Mathur.
- On February 2020, Unit organized free coaching for the preparation of 10th board examination. 160 students have got the benefits of this coaching. During this important event Ratlam Unit has honoured to Padamshri social worker Dr. Leela Joshi.

SHAJAPUR UNIT

- Unit has organized a Tree Plantation Programme on 5th June 2019.
- Unit has organized Tree Planting Festival on 3rd July 2019.
- Bheru Doongri Trekking had been organized by Shajapur Unit on 21st August 2019.
- Unit has organized Covid Virus Awareness Campaign on 20th March 2020.

SATPUDA UNIT

- Satpuda Unit Chhindwara organized Kukdikhapa Waterfall Trekking Programme on 9th September 2019, which is situated with Mohkhed tehsil.
- Unit has done trekking with 10 members on Vulture Point situated in Tamiya's picturesque litigants on 29th September 2019.
- Unit organized 2 days Chauragarh Dachesh Fall, Panchmarhi Darshan Sahsik Trekking Abhiyan with 18 members on 20th to 21st February 2020.
- Sh. Himanshu Jaysawal member of Unit gave his volunteer services for 21 days at National Himalayan Trekking Expedition.

SARVANI LADIES UNIT

- Sarvani Ladies Unit Indore has organized its first Women Trekking Programme Patalpani with 60 female members on 4th October 2019.
- 4 female members of Sarvani Ladies Unit Ms. Kusum Singh Chandel, Ms. Swati Kardile, Ms. Meghna Phanse and Ms. Neeta Rathor has participated in National Trekking.
- Member of Sarvani Ladies Unit has participated in Panchi Sarvekshan Programme organized by Madhya Pradesh Government.

UJJAIN UNIT

- On 21st April 2019, it has organized a stay in 'Prashani Dham Van Vihar' with its 15 members. Members were acquainted about the flora and fauna and they also shared their cycling and trekking experience.
- Famous water conservator Sh. Milind Pandit honoured by Ujjain Unit on 5th June 2019.
- Ujjain Unit organized Kaliya Deh Mahal Bhraman Programme on 4th August 2019, which is 12 km far from the city. Everyone have visited to the Sun temple and enjoyed beautiful sightseeing of 52 Kund.
- Ujjain Unit has organized its first Digital Trekkers Programme on 2nd October 2019, where Sakshi and Siddhartha Joshi have shared their memories.
- Ms Pragya Garhwal member, participated in International Youth Convention.
- Ujjain Unit has organized Rumi Ka Maqbara Sightseeing Programme with 16 participants on 24th November 2019.
- Taalab Trekking Programme has been organized by Ujjain Unit with 22 members on 12th January 2020. Where they have enjoyed rural lifestyle, bird watching and pond trekking.
- Every authorities and members of Ujjain Unit has organized meeting with National Chairman Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan on his arrival in Ujjain on 17th February 2020.

PUDUCHERRY STATE BRANCH

Inauguration Function of YHAI Reddiyarpalayam Unit

Reddiyarpalayam Unit was started with 65 members and inaugurated on 10th October, 2019 by Sh. T. Darbarounya Mourthy, State President in presence of Sh. N.Egilane Lebel, State Chairman and Dr. E.M. Rajan, Ex-State President. Sh. P. Boobathy, Vice Principle, Pavendhar Bharathidasan Hr. Sec. School, P.S. Palayam and Sh. D. Kupusamy, President, Puducherry Nagaichuvai Mandram was special invitees to the function.

State and Unit Office Bearers and Members of YHAI had participated and graced the inaugural function held at Tamizh Sangam, Puducherry on 10th October 2019. The event was organised by the Convener Sh. R. Kulasegaran and Ad-hoc Committee members.

Celebration of 110th Founders' Day

Puducherry State Branch celebrated Youth Hostels 110th Founder's Day.

Sh. Richard Schirrmann Award of Honour, 2019 was presented to Sh. R. Elumalai, Senior Member, during this function. State



Branch organised various Programmes such as Drawing, Quiz, Elocution and Embroidery competition for the school students and distributed prizes and certificates to winners and the participants.

Meditation Programme on National Youth Day

Puducherry State Branch organised a "Meditation" Programme on 12th January 2020 for the benefit of humankind and World Peace. State Branch Office Bearers, Units' Office Bearers and YHAI members had participated in large number and made the programme a grand success.



Trekking cum Training Programme



State Adventure Promotion Committee (APC) organised "One day Jungle walk and Trekking cum Training" Programme on 22nd February 2020 to

Kottamalai, Mulakadu Reserve Forest, Thiruvanamalai in which 45 members participated.

Relief work on COVID - 19

YHAI has arranged food distribution to needy people at JIPMAR hospital campus, Puducherry on 30th April 2020.



Sapling Plantation drive by State and its Units on World Environment Day



The State Branch and its Units organized sapling plantation drive on the occasion of World Environment Day on 05th June 2020.

JEANNE D' ARC WOMEN'S UNIT

Women Trekking cum Training Programme at Perumukkal Hill



Unit in association with State APC, organized first ever Women Trekking cum Training Programme at Perumukkal Hill on 01st September 2019 in which 50 women participant participated.

Membership Promotion and Awareness

Unit organised Membership Promotion and Awareness Programme about Youth Hostels Association of India on 29th February 2020 at Pondicherry Higher Education Benefit Society.

The occasion was graced by "Padma Shri Awardee Sh. V. K. Munusamy" Who won the award in Art Category 2020 and also many higher education students and parents attended the Programme.



Yoga demonstration and Cultural Programme at "Gandhi Shilp Bazaar- 2020"



Unit had performed "Yoga demonstration and Cultural Programme" at "Gandhi Shilp Bazaar- 2020" on 08th March 2020 by the Adhoc Committee members and Unit members.

Meditation Programme on 1st Anniversary of Unit



Meditation Programme for the Wellness of mankind and World Peace was organized on 04th May 2020 by the members of the unit to the Global Pandemic in their respective homes by lighting lamp.

Membership Promotion & Awareness

Unit conducted Awareness Programme about Youth Hostels Association of India and its Membership Promotion on 13th December 2019 at Idhaya College of Arts and Science for Women, affiliated to Pondicherry University, Puducherry. 170 enthusiastic NCC, NSS, Under Graduate students and professors attended the Programme.

Event was coordinated by the Convenor Ms. Anu Muthukumar, Committee members. Ms. V.Narmatha and Dr. M. Minu conducted the Programme through Power Point Presentation and explained about YHAI movement.



KALAPET UNIT

Relief work on COVID - 19

Kalapet Unit in association with Oulgaret Municipality and Local Administration Department, Puducherry had arranged and distributed Ration on 25th April 2020 to the 350 workers involved in the COVID-19 Sanitation and Cleaning Work in and around Oulgaret municipality.



VEDHAPURI UNIT

Counseling on Higher Education



Vedhapuri Unit has initiated a free online Higher Education Guidance Forum from 25th July 2020 to guide the recently passed out higher secondary students on higher education. The idea was conceived and developed by the Unit Convenor Dr. U. Devasenadhipathi and proud unit member Dr. Karmenivannan.

Face Mask Distribution Event

Vedhapuri Unit organised "Face Mask Distribution Event" at three identified religious places ThiruKameeshwarar Temple, Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine and Mohammadiya Mosque to distribute Face masks to prevent the spread of Covid-19 on 24th July 2020 at Villianur, Puducherry.



TAMIL NADU STATE BRANCH

Kodaikanal-Munnar Winter Trekking Programme was successfully organised in December 2019 in which totally 60 Participants participated in the programme. Group Leaders were Sh. Anand, Sh. Vivek Thomas, Sh. Madhan, Sh. Bhuvaneshwaran, Sh. Muthu Karthik, Sh. Koothan Manohar, Sh. E. Jeevananthan and Sh. Shankar. Programme coordinator was Dr. A. Raja.

Another Trekking programmes was organized successfully in the month of March 2020 for **MCR HRD Institute, Telangana** in which Around 150 Officers from IPS, IFS, IRS etc participated.



In Inaugural Function, Tamil Nadu Nilgiris Collector Ms. Innocent Divya IAS had inaugurated this programme.

Nilgiris District S.P. had attended the Function. Camp Leaders were Sh. Suboth Srivastav, Dr. A. Raja, Sh.Koothan Manohar, Sh.Ravikumar, Sh. Shankar, Sh.Madhan, Sh. Bhuvaneshwaran, Sh. Arun Dixit and Sh.Vivekanandan. In Felicitation Function, Nilgiris District Collector Ms. Innocent Divya, National Chairman Sh. S.Venkat Narayanan, Nilgiris S.P., Nilgiris DRO was participated.

KONGU UNIT

Unit organized Nature Trip with Industrial Visit on 16th December 2019 in Hindu Press Publications, Coimbatore District. Around 120 participants participated in this programme. Dr. A. Raja, Chairman, Kongu Unit had led the programme. Hindu Press Editor Sh. Palaniappan had attended as Chief Guest.



On 25th December 2019, Unit Chairman Dr. A.Raja had participated as Chief Guest in Seminar Class at Open Environmental area. Around 70 women had attended.

On 28th December 2019, Unit organized Tribals Welfare Camp with 20 Kms Trekking in Erode District Burhur Hills, Solaganai Hills. Around 80 Women NCC students and 30 Men Students participated from Vellalar Educational Institutions. Unit Chairman Dr.A.Raja and NCC Coordinator Dr.Kavitha had led the Trekking Programme. Unit Secretary



Dr. P.Ayyappan had led Tribals Welfare Camp which was held in Solaganai Tribals School. Students from Vellalar College had distributed Dresses, Pen, Pencil box with kit etc. to all Tribal's Students.

UTTARAKHAND STATE BRANCH

Auli Skiing Training Programme 2020

Auli Skiing Training Programme 2020 was organised by YHAI



Uttarakhand State Branch in association with Chamoli district unit in which totally 49 participants participated including 11 women from various states of India.

Trekking cum Adventure Training at Mussoorie

Trekking cum Adventure Training in the lap of enchanting "Queen of Hills (Mussoorie)" was organized on 29th September and 04th October 2019 in which 9 participants participated.



HIMALAYAN DOON UNIT

Elections of new Working Committee of "YHAI Himalayan Doon" unit held on 20th September 2019 at ONGC, Dehradun. The following Office Bearers have been elected unanimously as the working committee of Himalayan Doon unit of YHAI:

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|------|----------------|---|---------------------------|
| I) | President | : | Sh. Shashi Rajan |
| ii) | Vice President | : | Sh. Anand Kumar Singh |
| iii) | Vice President | : | Dr. Jagmohan Singh Sajwan |
| iv) | Chairman | : | Sh. Abhay Ram Chamoli |
| v) | Treasurer | : | Sh. Ponnam Srinath |

Vi) Executive Committee : Sh. Yogesh Chandra Verma, Sh. Satish Chand Chauhan, Sh. Nitin Dua, Mrs. Shobha Negi, Sh. Ashish Rawat, Sh. Prabhat Gaurav, Sh. Surendra Prasad, Sh. Vijay Paul, Sh. Pawan Kumar Dutt, Sh. Rakesh kumar Pokhriyal.

YHAI On Social Media

YHAI has expanded its wings throughout the country through Social Media for promotion of its activities and strong brand awareness. Nowadays people can interact with YHAI team through Social Media, share their experience, feedbacks and lot more.



Facebook: 104,326 Likes & 105,273 Followers

Instagram: 18,700 Plus Followers

Youtube: 3,390 Plus Subscribers

Twitter: 3,141 Followers

YHAI HOSTELS IN INDIA

There are 4 International Youth Hostels in India which is owned and managed by YHAI.

Below are the details of International Youth Hostels in India:

<p>INTERNATIONAL YOUTH HOSTEL NEW DELHI 5 Nyaya Marg, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi -110021 Contact:- 11-26116285; 24101246 hostelbooking@yhaindia.org</p>	<p>INTERNATIONAL YOUTH HOSTEL DARJEELING Opposite New Taxi Stand & Multi Level Parking, Just 300 Mtr. Before of Darjeeling Railway Station on Main Road, Chota Kakjhora, Darjeeling- 734101 Phone :+ 91 354 2252001 darjeeling@yhaindia.org</p>
<p>INTERNATIONAL YOUTH HOSTEL MYSURU B-1 5th Main, 15th Cross Gokulam II nd Stage Mysuru Karnataka 570 002 Contact:- 0821-2511442, +91 8105229050, mysore@yhaindia.org</p>	<p>INTERNATIONAL YOUTH HOSTEL LEH (May-Sept) Skara, Next to Hotel Shambhala Resort, Leh-194101 J&k Contact Sh. Tanmoy Phone : 9830589025, trek@yhaindia.org</p>

LICENSEE YOUTH HOSTEL

We have reached a Licensee Youth Hostel network of 62 Hostels across India:

S. No	State/UT	No. of Hostels
1	Andaman Nicobar	1
2	Chandigarh	1
3	Chhattisgarh	3
4	Gujarat	1
5	Haryana	2
6	Himachal Pradesh	8
7	Jammu & Kashmir	1
8	Karnataka	12
9	Kerala	1
10	Ladakh	3
11	Maharashtra	8
12	Odisha	2
13	Punjab	1
14	Rajasthan	5
15	Sikkim	1
16	Tamilnadu	1
17	Telangana	1
18	Uttar Pradesh	2
19	Uttarakhand	5
20	West Bengal	3
	Total	62

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Installation of Grid connected Solar system at International Youth Hostel Mysuru

To reduce the carbon footprints of the hostel in terms of energy consumption and to contribute the overall energy generated by the government, YHAI installed the grid connected solar panels at International Youth Hostel Mysuru. The project not only reduced the monthly expenses of the hostel in terms of electricity bills but also demonstrated our collective efforts to achieve and promote sustainability. The panels cover around 4,000 sqft. Area and is having the capacity to generate 60,000 KW of electricity approximately per year.

YHA INDIA WINNER IN HOSTELLING INTERNATIONAL SUSTAINABILITY FUND 2020



In the competition of HI Sustainability fund 2020, YHA India represented solar power project which was implemented at International Youth Hostel Mysuru. Eight National Associations participated in International voting and YHA India got the first prize by securing 1693 votes out of 3000 and received £4259 GBP (INR 4,25,049) for sustainability activity.

CLEAN KHAJJAR, GREEN KHAJJAR, HP

YHAI Trekking team follows the principles of responsible tourism and organizing eco-friendly programmes. A cleaning drive organized by YHAI trekking team at Khajjiar meadow which is also known as mini Switzerland of India on 30 Dec, 2019.

In this drive, the participants, YHAI National Council member, YHAI cook staff, locals and staff of YHAI Licensee Youth Hostel Khajjiar participated along with YHAI staff. In this drive approx. 60-70 Kg of solid waste was removed from the ground. The group also spread the message of "**Clean Khajjiar, Green Khajjiar**" and created awareness of removing solid waste generated in renowned tourist places.

CONTRIBUTION OF YHAI TOWARDS FIGHTING COVID-19 PANDEMIC

International Youth Hostel Delhi given for Quarantine center to Delhi Government

To assist the government of Delhi in fighting Corona virus, International Youth Hostel New Delhi was handed over to Delhi government for Quarantine Center from 1st to 30th April 2020.

Help by providing masks for the Corona Warriors of various Government Agencies

YHA India is committed to contribute every bit of it for the society's welfare. During the pandemic, when whole world was suffering, YHAI started stitching masks to distribute among various government agencies and needy people.

Handed over Nitrile-non Sterile Gloves to Hon'ble Chief Minister of Uttarakhand

CEO YHAI, Sh. Rupesh K Pandey, handed over 29000 Nitrile-non Sterile Gloves to Hon'ble Chief Minister of Uttarakhand, Sh. Trivendra Singh Rawat on 19th May 2020 alongwith Sh. J S Walia, OSD NYHT, Dr. Devendra Bhasin, State Chairman YHAI Uttarakhand State and Sh. Sanjay Tandon, Secretary YHAI Uttarakhand State.

Handed over masks to Delhi Police



Sh. Rupesh K Pandey, CEO YHAI along with Sh. J S Walia, OSD, NYHT & NYHT Staff handed over the masks to Delhi Police who were serving the society during deadly pandemic.

Handed over masks to IHBAS Hospital

YHAI handed over 500 Masks to Dr. Abhishek Garg, IHBAS Hospital Delhi Government & Joint Secretary and National Medicos Doctor's Association Delhi.

Handed over the masks to Chairman, NDMC



Sh. Rupesh K Pandey, CEO YHAI alongwith Sh. JS Walia, OSD, NYHT handed over the masks to the Chairman, NDMC to fight with COVID-19.

Handed over masks to CCSCSB-DOPT

YHAI handed over 500 masks to Ms. Vanita Sood, Chief Welfare Officer, DOPT & 100 masks to Sh. Kulbhushan Malhotra, Secretary, CCSCSB.



Handed over the PPE kits, N95 Masks & Thermal scanners and other medical help to Government hospital at Jerry, Kullu and Manali in HP

On behalf of YHAI, Forest Minister of Himachal Pradesh Hon'ble Sh. Govind Singh Thakur handed over the materials to Superintendent of Kullu Hospital Ms. Neena Lal and CMO Dr. Sushil Chandra. Sh. Budhi Prakash, Manager LYH Manali and Sh. Satvinder, Trekking Assistant, YHAI were also present during the occasion.

Productive Quarantine by YHAI

During the Nationwide lockdown, YHAI Gujarat State Branch started virtual online programme "Productive Quarantine by YHAI " and engaged the youth in different cultural activities to keep them away from the stress/tension caused due to Covid- 19.

WEBINARS

The following weekly webinar was organised to connect Youth Hostellers from 26th July- 18th Oct, 20. The main purpose was to connect all youth hostellers during COVID-19 pandemic virtually.

Motivation, Personality Development & Leadership Skill by Col. Ravi Sirahatti on 26th July, 2020

Total Participants on Zoom- 185

Views- 1.6K

Post Reach- 6213

Share- 4

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Human Life Integrated with Yoga by Aakikce Sidhar Yogam Mei Thathuva Research Trust. Instructed by Sh.Egilane Lebel, Dr. M Minu & Ms. Anu Muthu kumar on 02nd Aug, 2020

Total Participants on Zoom- 171

Views- 1.5K

Post Reach- 5941

Share- 8

02

Time Management by Prof. E. M. Rajan on 09th Aug, 2020

Total Participants on Zoom- 122

Views- 1.5K

Post Reach- 5272

Share- 11

03



Stress Management by Sh. R. S. Suman on 23rd Aug, 2020

Total Participants on Zoom- 155

Views- 1.3K

Post Reach- 5038

Share- 10

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Importance of Adventure in our Life by
Gp. Capt. Jai Kishan on 30th Aug, 2020

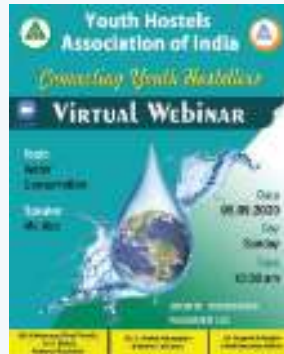
Total Participants on Zoom- 357
Views- 2.2K
Post Reach- 9147
Share- 19

05

Water Conservation- Dryland can be
Dreamland by Dr. Swati Samvatsar & Er.
Milind Pandit on 06th Sep, 2020

Total Participants on Zoom- 185
Views- 2.3K
Post Reach- 10360
Share- 9

06



Plasma Donation Awareness Campaign
by Dr. Shankar Revankar on 13th Sep,
2020

Total Participants on Zoom- 158
Views- 1.6K
Post Reach- 5825
Share- 18

07

Interpersonal Skills for Success by Sh. B.
Umamaheswar Rao on 20th Sep, 2020

Total Participants on Zoom- 189
Views- 1.2K
Post Reach- 4259
Share- 7

08



Cycling & its Importance by Sh. Vijay Sohni on 27th Sep, 2020

Total Participants on Zoom- 230
Views- 1.6K
Post Reach- 5796
Share- 13



09



Food, Family & Health Connect by Dr. Shobha G on 04th Oct, 2020

Total Participants on Zoom-127
Views- 907
Post Reach- 4551
Share- 18

10

Nature Tourism: Challenges in post & pre Covid by Dr. Nihal Chand Jain on 11th Oct, 2020

Total Participants on Zoom-165
Views- 1.4K
Post Reach- 4946
Share- 12



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Culture & Heritage-Context & Concept by Sh. Saleem Beg on 18th Oct, 2020

Total Participants on Zoom-113
Views- 1K
Post Reach- 4068
Share- 6

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74th Independence Day Celebrated by YHAI Cultural Promotion Committee on 15th Aug, 2020

YHA India organized Cultural Programme virtually to celebrate 74th Independence Day by Cultural Promotion Committee members. It was great successful cultural programme where 18 States performed virtually & celebrated Independence Day.

Total Participants on Zoom- 275

Views- 1.1K

Post Reach- 4569

Share- 10



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YHAI MEETING

National Council Meeting

National Council Meeting was held on 01st December 2019 at Mysuru. As Shri Mohammad Shafi Pandit, National President could not attend the meeting, Shri Ashok Golane, National Vice President chaired the meeting. The Council consists of 150+ council members who were representing respective State Branches and other affiliated organizations.

- ➡ Below were the objectives of the meeting:
- ➡ To discuss and take decisions on important policy matters recommended by National Executive Committee and other matters
- ➡ To consider and approve Audited Accounts of the Association
- ➡ Chief Executive Officer's Report
- ➡ Marketing initiatives and developments
- ➡ Any other new development for the growth and betterment of the organization

National Executive Committee Meetings

The National Executive Committee meetings were held on 19th October 2019 at International Youth Hostel New Delhi and 30th November 2019 at International Youth Hostel Mysuru in which some of the important decisions have been taken. These meetings were chaired by Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan, National Chairman. The committee discussed Action Taken Report with respect to the last Executive Committee Meeting, Audited Accounts, Marketing Developments, suggestions by Sub Committees, as well as important recommendations by the members for further development of the organization. Further these recommendations were presented to National Council for approval.

Virtual Environment Promotion Committee Meeting

Environment Protection Committee meeting was held on 01st August 2020 virtually on Zoom. Sh. J. Shine, Chairman, EPC chaired the meeting.

In this meeting, the committee discussed about the environmental issues and proposes action plans to overcome the issues. Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan, National Chairman also addressed the members.

Support from Government Department

No. 38843/HR-4/HR (A)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
(DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING)

New Delhi, 15.10.2019
25 October, 1989

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Grant of Special Casual Leave to Government servants participating in Trekking Expeditions.

The subject is directed to refer to the Department's O.M. No. 38843/HR-4/HR (A) dated 1.4.1988 which provides for grant of special casual leave to government servants participating in Trekking Expeditions and to say that it has been decided that special casual leave may also be granted to Government servants who participate in Trekking Expeditions organized by Youth Hostel Association of India such as Expedition which need the approval of the Indian Association of Trekkers etc.

If feasible, the period of absence from duty of Government servants participating in Trekking Expeditions may be regulated by grant of Special Casual Leave not exceeding 30 days in one calendar year subject to the following conditions:-

- (a) That the permission for the approval of the Indian Association Trekkers or it is granted by Youth Hostel Association of India, and
- (b) There will be no change in the usual limit of 30 days of special casual leave for individual Government servant for one calendar year for participating in Trekking events of national or international importance.
- (c) The period of absence in excess of 30 days if unavoidable at regular rate of the last calendar month under the leave rules applicable to the persons concerned. For this purpose, Government servants may be permitted as a special case, to combine special casual leave with regular leave.

Sd/-
(K. SARKAR)
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

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All ministries/Departments of the Government of India
No. 200 to 209/HR-4/HR (A), New Delhi, the 25 October, 1989
(Copy with usual number of four copies, forwarded to:-

1. Controller and Public Officer of India, New Delhi.
2. Union Public Service Commission, New Delhi.
3. Central Vacancy Commission, New Delhi.
4. Registrar Supreme Court of India, New Delhi.
5. Central Administrative Tribunal, New Delhi/Bombay/New Delhi.
6. Lok Satta Nyaya Yojana Secretariat.
7. Commissioner for Linguistic Minorities, Allahabad.
8. All Union Territory Administrators.
9. All attached and subordinate offices of the Department of Personnel and Training, Department of Administrative Services and Public Grievances and Department of Pension and Pensions' Matters.
10. All offices and sections in the Department of Personnel and Training, Department of Administrative Reform and Public Services and Department of Pension and Pensions' Matters.

Sd/-
(K. SARKAR)
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Consolidated Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31st March 2020.

INCOME	(Amount In Rupees)
Membership Collection	13,525,330
Programme Income	120,349,525
Other Income	17,872,598
(Less):Interest paid on deposits of States	(1,279,483)
Donations & Grants	75,759
TOTAL INCOME	150,543,729
EXPENDITURE	(Amount In Rupees)
Programme Expense	82,496,371
Administrative Expenses	46,892,039
Donation to others	66,254
Grants-in-aid to States/Units	720,048
Depreciation	12,511,243
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	142,685,954
Excess of Income over Expenditure	7,857,775
Less: Transfer to Capital Reserve Fund	(780,576)
Less: Transfer to Journal Reserve Fund	(780,576)
Surplus Transferred to Balance Sheet	6,296,623

As per the figure mentioned in the above table the total income for the financial year 2019 2020 is INR 150,543,729/- out of which the total expenditure for the year is INR 142,685,954/-. Therefore, the surplus for the year left over the expenditure is INR 7,857,775/- and the surplus after deduction of Capital reserve & Journal reserve transferred is INR 6,296,623/-.

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