

Youth Hostels Association of India

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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 benefitted 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 program or 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 is planning to organize a tour program 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 more than 70 countries around the globe.
- Participate in economical Adventure and other 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.

Overview of Membership

Membership Fee

Membership Fees during the year 2020-21 is as under :

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

Members Enrolled

Members Enrolled during year 2020-21 are as follows:

S. No.	Membership Type	Members Enrolled
1	Junior Membership	657
2	One Year Membership	6796
3	Two Year Membership	3090
4	Life Membership	2209
5	Institutional Membership	3
Total		12755

Due to Covid-19, the number of membership enrolments got affected in the year 2020-21

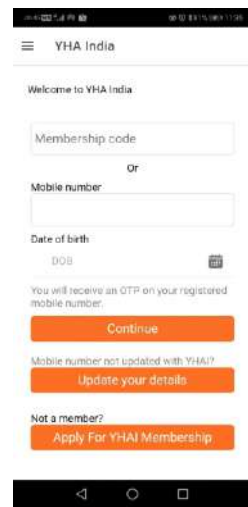
Digital Membership

YHAI started Digital Membership through Mobile Android App. Only following a few steps are to be following to take immediate Digital membership :

1. Download YHA India Android App through google play store.
2. After the download 4 options will be shown i.e. Programs, Hostels, Membership and More
3. You may login with Mobile Number & Date of Birth combination
4. Here you may update your details if any
5. If you are not a member, Enroll Yourself here as a YHAI Member

Benefits of Digital Membership :

1. All the same features of a physical card (and more)
2. Higher Level of Security
3. Easier Card Management
4. It is cost and time effective
5. Management of the cards could actually be even more simplified”



Addition In Benefits On YHAI Membership Card

YHAI collaborated with Meru Cab for Discount on YHAI Membership Card

Meru Cabs (A subsidiary of Mahindra & Mahindra) agreed to give offer of 10% discounts to YHAI Members. It added value to YHAI membership card. For getting the discount, YHAI members need to use Coupon Code- YHAI

YHAI Owned Hostels Occupancy

Occupancy of International Youth Hostel New Delhi, 2020-2021

S. No	Month	Male	Female	Beds Occupied
1	Sep-2020	258	47	305
2	Oct-2020	238	69	307
3	Nov-2020	248	64	312
4	Dec-2020	486	179	665
5	Jan-2021	518	3366	3884
6	Feb-2021	508	232	740
7	Mar-2021	658	277	935
8	Apr-2021	317	49	366
9	May-2021	122	9	131
10	Jun-2021	279	47	326
11	Jul-2021	700	124	824
12	Aug-2021	930	156	1086
Total		5262	4619	9881

Occupancy of International Youth Hostel Mysuru, 2020-2021

S. No	Month	Male	Female	Beds Occupied
1	Sep-2020	113	24	137
2	Oct-2020	140	55	195
3	Nov-2020	150	38	188
4	Dec-2020	310	159	469
5	Jan-2021	240	161	401
6	Feb-2021	527	450	977
7	Mar-2021	356	321	677
8	Apr-2021	65	22	87
9	May-2021	1896	0	1896
10	Jun-2021	1890	0	1890
11	Jul-2021	1973	0	1973
12	Aug-2021	365	30	395
Total		8025	1260	9285

Occupancy of International Youth Hostel Darjeeling, 2020-2021

S. No	Month	Male	Female	Beds Occupied
1	Sep-2020	0	0	0
2	Oct-2020	3	0	3
3	Nov-2020	25	10	35
4	Dec-2020	141	58	199
5	Jan-2021	22	13	35
6	Feb-2021	22	22	44
7	Mar-2021	52	17	69
8	Apr-2021	106	65	171
9	May-2021	0	0	0
10	Jun-2021	0	0	0
11	Jul-2021	5	2	7
12	Aug-2021	27	16	43
Total		403	203	606

Occupancy of International Youth Hostel Leh, 2020-2021

(The Hostel opens only from May to September)

S. No	Month	Male	Female	Beds Occupied
1	May-2021	27	19	46
2	Jun-2021	20	10	30
3	Jul-2021	45	35	80
4	Aug-2021	105	79	184
Total		197	143	340

Election of State Branches

Tamil Nadu State Branch

The Triennial Election of Tamil Nadu State Branch was held on 20th September, 2020. The following Office Bearers are elected:

State President	:	Sh. S. Panchapakesan
State Vice Presidents	:	Sh. M. Chandrasekar
	:	Dr. (Smt.) Girija Seshadri
	:	Dr. A. Raja

State Chairman	:	Sh. S. Venkat Narayanan
State Treasurer	:	Sh. E. Jeevanantham

Sh. Koothan Manohar was nominated as the State Secretary of Tamil Nadu State Branch.

Uttar Pradesh State Branch

The Triennial Election of Uttar Pradesh State Branch was held on 21st September, 2020. The following Office Bearers are elected:

State President	:	Sh. Kuldeep Lakhtakiya
State Vice Presidents:	:	Sh. Rajesh Verma
	:	Sh. Anoop Malhotra
	:	Sh. Anant Sharma

State Chairman	:	Sh. J.P Sharma
State Treasurer	:	Sh. Ravi Prakash Singh

Sh. Vijay Bhushan Jaiswal was nominated as the State Secretary of Uttar Pradesh State Branch.

Odisha State Election Branch

The Triennial Election of Odisha State Branch was held on 27th September, 2020. The following Office Bearers are elected:

State President	:	Dr. Surendra Kumar Ray
State Vice Presidents	:	Sh. Dambarudhar Behera
	:	Sh. Bhabani Prasad Mishra
	:	Dr. Bikas Kumar Prasad

State Chairman	:	Sh. Padmanabh Dave
State Treasurer	:	Sh. Pramod Kumar Saraf

Sh. Prahallad Chandra Pattanaik was nominated as the State Secretary of Odisha State Branch.

Goa State Branch

The Triennial Election of Goa State Branch was held on 11th October, 2020. The following Office Bearers are elected:

State President	:	Sh. Sidharth Kuncalienkar
State Vice Presidents	:	Sh. Narayan B Shinde
	:	Sh. Ashok Gadag
	:	Sh. Laxmidas Mangeshkar

State Chairman	:	Sh. Rohidas Naik
State Treasurer	:	Sh. Rajesh Keny

Ms. Roopa Nair was nominated as the State Secretary of Goa State Branch.

Rajasthan State Branch

The Triennial Election of Rajasthan State Branch was held on 1st November, 2020. The following Office Bearers are elected:

State President	:	Sh. Parakram Singh Rathore
State Vice Presidents	:	Dr. Jogender Singh
	:	Sh. Hansaram
	:	Sh. Mehboob Sanwara

State Chairman	:	Sh. Mool Singh
State Treasurer	:	Sh. Narayandas Prajapat

Sh. Ghanshyam Khatri was nominated as the State Secretary of the Rajasthan State Branch.

West Bengal State Branch

The Triennial Election of West Bengal State Branch was held on 29th November, 2020. The following Office Bearers are elected:

State President	:	Sh. Moloy Ghatak
State Vice Presidents	:	Sh. Santi kr. Roy
	:	Sh. Sibaji Chatterjee
	:	Sh. Sukumar Hazra

State Chairman	:	Sh. Rabi Shanker Paul
State Treasurer	:	Sh. Abhijit Chatterjee

Sh. K. Mitra Thakur was nominated as the State Secretary of West Bengal State Branch.

Bihar State Branch

The Triennial Election of Bihar State Branch was held on 25th July, 2021. The following were elected as office bearers:

President	:	Sh. Mohan Kumar
Vice Presidents	:	Sh. Sudhir Madhukar,
	:	Sh. Rita Kumari Singh
	:	Sh. Sharad Ku. Shalapuria

Chairman	:	Sh. K. N.Bharat
Treasurer	:	Sh. Priyesh Ranjan

Shri A.K. Bose was nominated as the State Secretary of Bihar State Branch.

Haryana State Branch

The Triennial Election of Haryana State Branch was held on 25th July, 2021. The following Office Bearers are elected:

President	:	Sh. Sanjay Goyal
Vice Presidents	:	Sh. Nakul Mohunta
	:	Sh. Anup Kumar
	:	Sh. Jitender Kumar

Chairman	:	Sh. Janardhan Sharma
Treasurer	:	Sh. Aashwin Bansal

Sh. Pawan Kumar Bansal was nominated as the State Secretary of Haryana State Branch.

Madhya Pradesh

The Triennial election of Madhya Pradesh State Branch was held on 29th August, 2021. The following office bearers are elected:

State President	:	Sh. Ashok Golane
State Vice Presidents	:	Sh. Dilip Chavrekar
	:	Sh. Gopaldas Sharma
	:	Sh. Ramnarayan Mishra

State Chairman	:	Sh. Manoj Johri
State Treasurer	:	Sh. Vinod Nigam

Shri Shripad Kundle was nominated as the State Secretary of State Branch.

National Chairman Visits

18.11.2020	Puducherry	National Chairman attended Inaugural Ceremony of YHAI Vedhapuri Unit & YHAI Kalapet Unit, Puducherry and also inaugurated its New Office.
21.11.2020	Karnataka	<p>Visited Shimoga City for the inauguration of Kumudvati and Hosanagara Units on the invitation of the Units and Karnataka State Branch. He also attended joint meeting of YHAI Tarunodaya and YHAI Shivamogga Units.</p> <p>Enroute he also visited the Sagara Unit and addressed the queries raised by the unit members.</p>
13.02.2021	Jamnagar	Visited Jamnagar Unit and had a meeting with Unit Executive committee members.
10.07.2021	Manali-Leh-Khardungla Mountain Biking Expedition	National Chairman along with Chairman APC reached Manali to flag off the participants of the National Mountain Biking Expedition-2021. They accompanied the participants till Khardungla and motivated them.
24.09.2021 to 27.09.2021	Shimla	National Chairman along with Chairman APC, CEO and Shri Mayuresh Khanvte, NEC member visited Himachal Pradesh to meet His Excellency, Governor of Himachal Pradesh, Shri Rajendra Vishwanath Arlekar to apprise him about YHAI and its activities. He was also apprised that maximum activities of YHAI are organised in Himachal Pradesh and requested him to extend support to organise them successfully. His Excellency appreciated the activities of YHAI and assured to provide all possible support to YHAI in Himachal Pradesh.

International Hostelling Conference-2020 (Virtual)

The International Hostelling Conference-2020 Virtual was conducted from 1st to 5th September, 2020. The following Delegates and Observers participated in the Conference:

Delegate

1. Shri S. Venkat Narayanan : National Chairman
2. Shri C.D. Vivekanandan : National Vice President

Observer

1. Ms. Ridhi Rajeshkumar Dave : National Council Member from Gujarat
2. Dr. Manubhai Kubavat : State President, Gujarat State Branch
3. Shri Shailesh Bhai Bhatt : State Executive Committee member and Ex-National Council member, Gujarat

Meeting with His Excellency, Governor of Himachal Pradesh

National Chairman along with Chairman APC, CEO and Shri Mayuresh Khanvte, NEC member visited Himachal Pradesh to meet His Excellency, Governor of Himachal Pradesh, Shri Rajendra Vishwanath Arlekar to apprise him about YHAI and its activities. His Excellency appreciated the activities of YHAI and assured to provide all possible support to YHAI in Himachal Pradesh.



HI CEO Meet, 2021 at Barcelona, Spain

The HI CEO Meet, 2021 was conducted by HI at Barcelona from 19th to 21st October, 2021. Shri Rupesh K. Pandey, CEO YHA of India participated in the meeting physically.



Provided Food to Marginalised and orphanage children as “ A Happy Full Stomach encourages good and sound sleep”

On the Occasion of International Peace Day, YHA India participated in the programme “Sleep for Peace” on 21st September 2021 organised by Hostelling International HI with the slogan "A Happy Full Stomach encourages good and sound sleep!".

YHA India through its all the State Branches gave free meals to the children in various orphanages across India and other places, with an aim of contributing a little for the wellbeing of orphan children by giving them nutrient rich food for a day.



Overview of National Adventure Programmes

S.No.	Programmes Names	No. of Bookings
1	Weekend Sightseeing 2020-21	246
2	National Char Dham Trekking cum Training Expedition 2020	9
3	National Himalayan Kedarkantha Winter Trekking cum Training Expedition 2020-21	579
4	Darjeeling Family Package 2020-2021	8
5	National Himalayan Brahmatal Winter Trekking cum Training Expedition 2020-21	382
6	National Himalayan Summer Brahmatal Trekking cum Training Expedition 2021	144
7	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition Chopta Tungnath Chandrashila 2021	91
8	National Individual Adventure cum Training Camp North East India-2021	19
9	National Himalayan Sandakphu Gurdum Summer Trekking cum Training Expedition 2021	54
10	National Family Adventure cum Training Camp Leh - 2021	115
11	National Leh Explore Adventure cum Training Camp -2021	152
12	National Char Dham Trekking cum Training Expedition 2021	77
13	National Mountain Cycling cum Training Expedition Manali - Leh - Khardung La 2021	223
14	National Individual Adventure Cum Training Camp Leh -2021	167
15	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition Kashmir Great Lakes 2021	809
16	National Mountain Cycling cum Training Expedition Leh 2021	180
17	National Himalayan Trekking Cum Training Expedition Hampta Pass & Chandertal 2021	53
18	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition Valley of Flowers 2021	672
19	Leh Couple Adventure Motorbiking Cum Training Expedition 2021	122
20	Leh Khardungla-Changla-Nubra-Pangong Lake National Adventure Motorbiking cum Training Expedition-2021	250
	Total	4352

Programs Cancelled due to Covid-19

S. No	Programs Name	No. of Booking
1	National Family Camping cum Training Expedition, Srinagar 2021	167
2	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition, Sar Pass 2021	1568
3	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition, Chanderkhani Pass 2021	222
4	National Himalayan Har Ki Doon Trekking cum Training Expedition 2021	152
5	National Himalayan Trekking cum Training Expedition, Saurkundi Pass 2021	115
6	National Mountain Biking cum Training Expedition, Tirthan Valley Jalori Pass 2021	101
	Total Booking	2325

Purchase of Two Man Tent

Keeping in view the present situation, it was decided that participants should be accommodated in two men tents for their safety and security. After pandemic, YHAI introduced the innovative colourful two men tents in trekking programs and started its implementation from Kedarkantha and Brahmatal Winter Trekking Programs. This not only ensured the social distancing between the participants but also decorated our camp sites in a professional way which is one of the main attractions for trekkers and travellers.



Weekend, Short-term and new programmes

During pandemic, as per the need of the day, YHAI introduced Weekend programs during 2020-21 at different tourist destinations of the country like Nainital, Mussourie, Dalhousie, Lonavala, Manali, Kasol etc.

Overview of State Branches & its Units Activities

Andhra Pradesh State Branch

National Executive Committee Meeting

YHAI Andhra Pradesh State Branch hosted National Executive Committee Meeting at AP Tourism Hotel, Appughar, Visakhapatnam on 3rd April, 2021. All the State Office Bearers and Units of Andhra Pradesh State Branch have supported their level best. Accordingly, Visakhapatnam district Unit took the major task to make the event grand success, and it is not out of place to mention Shri N. Nageswara Rao services were laudable.



On the occasion of Independence Day, Andhra Pradesh State Branch has conducted Cycle Expedition in the name of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' from Youth Hostel building Visakhapatnam to Rishikond Beach. Dr. V. Sanyasi Rao, Additional Commissioner of Greater Municipality Visakhapatnam has flagged off the event. 25 numbers of enthusiastic cyclists took part in the expedition. Sh. Bum Rao, State Chairman, Sh. M. Krishna Murthy, State Vice President, Sh. Ravipaul, State Secretary, Sh. Mazar Ibrahim, State Org-Secretary and Sh. N. Nageswara Rao graced the occasion, Sh. E. Buthi Raju acted as Programme director, Sh. P. Nagesh, as director, Sh. P. Srinivasa Rao, Sh. K. Suryakumar and Sh. E. Srinivasa Rao volunteered to the event.



Inauguration of Visakhapatnam Women's Unit on 4th April, 2021



Visakhapatnam Women's Unit inaugurated at Youth Hostel building, Near Beach Road, Visakhapatnam, by National Chairman Shri S. Venkat Narayanan in presence of National Vice Presidents Shri Ashok Golane, Shri C D Vivekanandan and Shri Kiran V Natekar, National Treasurer Shri Manoj Johri, CEO. Shri Rupesh K Pandey and all National Executive members.



Group Photos of Visakhapatnam Women's Unit

Visakhapatnam Women's Unit has successfully completed its first trek event on 1st August 2021 at Madhavadhara hill, with the supervision of Shri B. Umamaheswar Rao, State Chairman. 80 members of YHAI have participated in the event. Mrs. Lakshmi Swaroopa rendered her services as Field Director for the event, and Sh. N. Nageswara Rao, State APC Chairman has guided the team.



Women's Trekkers Group photos at Madhavadhara

Assam State Branch

28/01/2021	Seminar on SDG held, simultaneously demonstration on YHAI & distribution of membership forms.	Goalpara College, Goalpara	Students / Faculties were present on the occasion.
29/01/2021	Seminar on SDG held, simultaneously demonstration on YHAI & distribution of membership Forms.	Abhayapuri College, Abhayapuri in Bongaigaon District	Students / Faculties, including Principal were present on the occasion.
01/03/2021	MoU signed with university of Science & Technology, Meghalaya, demonstration on YHAI & distribution of membership Forms.	USTM, 9th Mile, Meghalaya	Students / Faculties, HOD were present.
08/03/2021	International Women's Day held simultaneously demonstration on YHAI & distribution of membership Forms.	Kaziranga University, Jorhat	Students / Faculties were present on the occasion.
17/03/2021	MoU signed with Nowgong College, simultaneously demonstration on YHAI & distribution of membership Forms.	Nowgong College, Nagaon	Principal/ HOD were present.
22/03/2021	MoU signed with University of Science & Technology and World Water Day-2021 observed. Demonstration on YHAI was given	USTM, 9th Mile, Meghalaya	Students / Faculties, HOD were present.
23/04/2021	Demonstration on Membership of YHAI & Distribution of membership forms.	Abhayapuri College	Students/ Principal / Faculties/ HODs were present on the formation of adhoc Committee.

Bihar State Branch

Bihar State Branch honoured the Nurses and Cleaning staff of Hallway Hospital, Danapur, Patna for their outstanding services in COVID-19.

To encourage Girls of our society, Bihar State Branch organised a programme in meeting Room of DRM, Danapur on 09.08.2021. Five girls candidates of Bihar Public Service Commission examination were honoured by Div. Railway Manager, Shri Sunil Kumar and Divisional Women Welfare Organisation President Smt. Supriya and all were given membership of YHAI. State President Shri Mohan Kumar and State Vice President Shri Sudhir Madhukar were present on this occasion.

Amrapali Unit

Daughter's Day Celebration

Amrapali Unit honored 12 girls for their outstanding performance in Board Examinations on 27th September, 2020. On this occasion Shri K.N Bharat State Chairman, Shri AK Bose State Secretary, Smt. Meena Singh Unit President, Smt. Santosh Bharat, Unit Chairperson, Smt. Priyanka Kumari Unit Secretary, and Smt. Richa Anand, Unit Vice President were also present.



Visit to Old Age Home

On 23rd October, 2020 Amrapali Unit Members visited local Old age home and distributed clothes and fruits to old age persons to enlighten their life with happiness.

On 01st March, 2021 Amrapali Unit Members again visited local Old age home and distributed sarees and sweets to celebrate Holi festival with them.

Christmas Day celebration with Children

Unit Members distributed toys, cakes and other items to the children of Baal Sudhar Grih and celebrated Christmas with the Children.

International Women Day Celebration

Honored 10 women with sarees, shawl and mementos by Chief Guest, Smt. Lesi Singh, Cabinet Minister of Bihar Government on the occasion of International Women Day.

National Sports Day Celebration

On 29th August, 2021, Unit organised a Women Hockey Match in which winner and runner players awarded with memento by Chief Guest Smt. Vinita Sinha. On the occasion, Smt. Santosh Bharat Unit Chairperson, Smt. Priyanka Kumari, Secretary, Smt. Jawa Bhattacharjee were present.

Bhagalpur Unit

Yuva Diwas Celebration on birthday of Swami Vivekanand

On 12th January, 2021 for celebrating Yuva Diwas six units blood donated by the unit members. Shri Shailesh Gupta, Unit Secretary also donated the blood.

Celebrated Milan Samaroh on Makar Sankranti

On, 14th January, 2021 Unit organized Milan Samaroh on the occasion of Makar Sankranti festival for poor people of society. Unit distributed sweets and various other gifts to 35 people. Unit Chairman, Shri Swadesh Banerjee, Vice President, Shri Sharad Salarpuria and a large number of people were present.

Environment Day Celebration

Unit Celebrated Environment Day on 05th June 2021 at Village Basudeopur by planting 10 mangoes trees by the Unit Members. Shri Swadesh Banerjee, Unit Chairman and Shri Sharad Salarpuria, Vice President were present on the occasion.

Katihar Unit

Awareness Seminar on COVID 19

Unit organized seminar on Covid 19 safety and preventions for the school students on 28th August, 2021. 23 students presented their view on the same. Gifts were also distributed by the Unit. On this occasion, Shri Prafulla Chandra State Chairman, Shri Subhash Jha, Secretary and Chief Guest, Shri Nikhil Kumar Jha were present.

Pataliputra Ad-hoc Unit

T - Shirt Painting Competition

Unit organized T Shirt painting competition on 29th July, 2021. 19 girls participated and painted the T-shirts. T-shirts were provided by Madhya Pradesh Tiger Foundation Society. Prizes were given by Shri Mukesh Kumar of Khargaul Police Station.

Cultural Function in Munger

Unit organized a colourful function in Munger in which 5 girls were honored by the Association for their success in Bihar Public Service Commission Examination. On this occasion a cultural fest is also organized where local artists performed dance and music.

Purnea Unit

Donation of Oxygen Cylinder during COVID-19

Purnea Unit purchased 5 oxygen cylinders from the donation of members and during COVID 19 it was donated to COVID patients free of cost.

T-Shirt Painting Competition

Unit organized T- Shirt painting competition for the school children on the occasion of International Tiger Day. T-Shirts were provided by Madhya Pradesh Tiger Foundation Society and total 25 students participated in the competition. Mementos and certificate were given to the winners.

Plantation Programme

On 25th July, 2021, Unit organized plantation programme in the campus of Zila School Purnea. 25 plants planted by the officials of various units who were present in State Branch Election.

Chhattisgarh State Branch

Korba Unit



One-Day Heritage Trekking programme at Madku Dweep on 10th Oct, 2020

The Youth Hostels Association of India Korba Unit organized a one-day Heritage trekking programme at MADKU DWEEP on 10.10.2020. The whole programme was conducted by following the COVID19 protocols. Only 10 members were present due to CORONA at full swing in Chhattisgarh state. They also joined the Yagya which was being conducted there. Shri Dhanbahadur Subba, Shri Shailendra Namdeo , Mrs. Neelu Subba, Mrs. Sharda Namdeo Safal, Amal and few more members were present in the heritage trek. At the end of the programme team had a sapling plantation programme.



Weekend Programme to Heerakud Dam, Sambalpur, Odisha on 13th Dec, 2020

YHAI Korba Unit organised one day weekend programme to Heerakud Dam, Sambalpur, Odisha on 13.12.2020. Around 30 participants participated in this programme. The team at sambalpur visited Eco Retreat, Heerakund dive , Gandhi Minar and Nehru Park. While returning back the team also visited Shri SATYANARAYAN BABA dham at Raigarh. All age group participants participated in the programme from 5 years to 74 years. The programme was organised by Unit Chairman, Shri Sandeep Seth along with Unit President Shri Satish Shukla. Unit org. Secretary, Shri Shyam kewat, Treasurer Shri Vijesh, Exeutive Member Vikas also participated along with family members.



"Safai Mitra" at Manikanchan Centre on 17th Dec, 2020

YHAI Korba Unit donated Hand Sanitizers, Masks and Hand gloves to the "SAFAI MITRA" at Manikanchan Centre, Korba. Around 30 members of SAFAI MITRA were present at that time. Our team motivated them for their work and also thanked them for the work they are doing for the society. Team also gave small training to keep themselves safe from spread of CORONA. At the end the MITRA team also thanked our team for the small gesture. Team members present were Shailendra Namdeo, DB Subba, Shyam Kewat and Sandeep Seth.



Trekking & Training Programme at Sita Bengra Udaipur & Mainpat Chhattisgarh on 26th and 27th Dec, 2020

YHAI Korba Unit organised 2 Days 1Night trekking & training programme at Sita Bengra Udaipur & Mainpat Chhattisgarh on 26th and 27th Dec 2020. Around 30 members participated in the programme. This was one of the most memorable moment for the participants, as due to pandemic situation no camps were organised. The team was led by Korba unit Chairman Shri Sandeep Seth. Unit President Shri Satish Shukla ,EPC member Shri DB Subba and Secretary Shri Shailendra Namdeo had a great contribution in organizing this programme.



"Unused Cloth Distribution Programme" on 7th Jan, 2021 at Leprosy Ashram, Motisagarpara

YHAI Korba Unit organised "Unused Cloth Distribution Programme" on 07.01.2021 at Leprosy Ashram, Motisagarpara. Around 300 pairs of cloth (Old/New) and 30 New Blankets were distributed. Around 20 YHAI volunteers were involved in the programme. YHAI got full support from the local Parshad of Motisagarpara Mrs & Shri Santosh. The clothes were donated by around 20 families. New Blankets were donated by Shri Satish Shukla Unit President, Mrs Suman Seth, Shri R S Sahu, Mrs & Shri Manoj Mishra and Shri Shailendra Namdeo.



Trekking and Training programme at Rani Jharna, Ajgarbahar Korba on 7th Jan, 2021

YHAI Korba Unit Chhattisgarh State organised one day Trekking and Training programme at RANI JHARNA , Ajgarbahar Korba. Around 70 participants actively took part in it. The trek was around 7 KM. The trek leaders were Shri DB Subba and Shri Satish Shukla. Team had a healthy lunch after the trek followed by Certificate distribution ceremony. Secretary Shri Shailendra Namdeoji made proper trek marking for all. Team also made banners to avoid use of plastic, clean environment clean and green and hanged on the trees. At the end, Clean drive programme was done in nearby areas of the spot and the garbage was disposed properly.



Public awareness programme Phase- 1 to protect Environment, Animals and to Keep Environment Clean and Green on 24th Jan, 2021

YHAI Korba Unit organised a Public awareness programme to protect Environment, Animals and to Keep Environment Clean and Green. On call from Unit President, Shri Satish Shukla a team of four members was formed for the event. Team Korba went to 3 picnics spots Rani Jharna, Satrenga, Boda Nala and its nearby areas and fixed around 50 flexes of public awareness at various spots and also asked the public to follow the rules and discipline to keep the surrounding clean and green. Team Also planted Almond saplings near by areas with tree guard and arranged the security of it. Unit secretary Shailendra Namdeo along with Shyam and Vijesh also gave their full support in organising the programme.



Free Eye Checkup Camp for its Members on 30th Jan, 2021

YHAI Korba Unit jointly with Chasma Ghar Korba organised a “FREE EYE CHECKUP” Camp for its members .



Public Awareness Programme Phase-II on 14th Feb, 2021

YHAI Korba Unit organised the public awareness programme Phase -II from Balco to the picnic spot Coffee point Korba. DFO Shri N Gurunathan with his wife also joined the programme.



Sapling plantation programme on 5th June, 2021 on World Environment Day at Nand Bagh, Korba.

YHAI Chhattisgarh State jointly with YHAI Korba Unit organised a sapling plantation programme on 5th June on World Environment Day at Nand Bagh, Korba. Jamun, Badam, Neem, Ashok and other saplings were planted. The team also took oath to protect them till they grow up. Korba President, Shri Satish Shukla, State EPC Shri Shailendra Namdeo, Unit APC Shri DB Subba , Exeutive Members Shri Shiv Shankar, Swati, Seema Shukla, Junior member Sankalp and State Chairman Shri Sandeep Seth were present in the programme.



Saplings plantation on Rajgamar Road on 27th June, 2021

YHAI Chhattisgarh State jointly with Korba Unit organised a Saplings plantation on Rajgamar Road Team planted around 20 Saplings and 40 seeds in various locations.



Raipur Unit

Raipur Unit Jointly with Chhattisgarh State Branch organized Blood Donation Camp on the occasion of Youth Day 12.01.2021 (158th Birth Anniversary of "Swami Vivekananda"). Blood Donation Camp organized at City Blood Bank. Shri Sunil Vishnoi, Council Member welcomed the Staff members of City Blood Bank and the Donors. In total Seven donors came forward to donate blood



Trekking cum Training Programme at Achanakmar Tiger Reserve on 20th & 21st February.

Raipur Unit of YHAI has arranged Trekking cum Training programme at Achanakmar Tiger Reserve on 20th & 21st February. Around 50 participants participated. Along with trekking the participants had view of Dog show, visited Ghongha Dam, Kopra Bird Habitants and all above Jungle Safari to ATR with open Gypsy & Canter.



YHAI Raipur Unit had an intensive plantation programme on 24.07.21 Gram Ruhi, Tehsil Jamgaon (M), Patan and 12.08.2021 at Teen Dham Temple, Mathpurena, Sheetla Talab, where the members planted about 159 saplings.

Raigarh Unit

Family get-together on 25th Dec, 2020 at Kelo Dam

15 Members of Raigarh Unit visited Kelo Dam. Participants reached Dam around 11 AM. Shri Prashant Mishra invited the members and asked to follow the guidelines of the Kelo Dam. Participants enjoyed the gathering.



Trekking cum Training Programme' at Parsada on 25th February, 2021.

Members of Raigarh Unit successfully organized one day 'Trekking cum Training Programme' at Parsada on 25th February, 2021.

All the members actively participated in trekking and training programme & enjoyed a lot. The mottoes, objectives and activities of YHAI were briefed to all the participants and participation certificates were distributed at the end of the programme. Shri R.K.Trivedi (Patron), Dr. Sanjay Debnath (President), Shri K. Subramanyam (YHAI Chhattisgarh State Secretary) expressed their hearty congratulations to all members.



Bilaspur Adhoc Unit

Trekking cum Training Programme at Achanakmar Tiger Reserve & Bird Festival at Kopra on 20th & 21st Feb, 2021

Around 15 members attended the ATR programme, while coming back members visited the Bird Festival at Kopra, new members were excited to see these event and assured to join in future programmes too.



Bhilai Unit

Two Day programme was organized at Nagzira on 24th & 25th December, 2020

20 participants participated in the said programme. Participants were asked to work on Environment Protection, so before leaving the premises members took keen initiative and participated to keep the surroundings clean.

The entire programme was led by Shri K.Subramanyam, Shri G. Rajesh & Shri Salim Khan.



One Day Trekking cum Training Programme at Khursipar Khurud, Kolarghat, Dongargarh held on 10th Jan, 2021

35 participants participated in the said programme. Participants were from all the age groups i.e. 5 years to 85 years.



Bird festival at Gidwa Parsda, Bemetara on 1st & 2nd February 2021

Programme was organized jointly with Forest Department, Durg. Members of Bhilai, Raipur & Bilaspur unit visited the Bird festival, as it was nearer to their place.



Bhilai, Raipur, Dhamtari, Korba, Raigarh & Bilaspur (AdHoc) Unit

Shri Raj Adatiya, a Business Tycoon and a member of Bhilai Unit along with his colleagues working in this pandemic session and helping all the needy people by organizing activities like Plasma Donation, Blood Donation, arranging Ambulances, Oxygen Cylinders, Medicines, Food for the needy people across the State.

Since 1st week of April onwards without break he is conducting the above said events on daily basis. He has created some separate whatsapp groups and through this he is monitoring the mechanism, also he motivates the new / fresher's for Blood, Plasma, Eye, Body Donation in addition to the present demand in the market.



Dhamtari Unit

Dhamtari Unit organised a one day programme “BIKE RALLY” at Harfar Aaroud on 20th Dec, 2020

Harfar Aaround was forty km away from Dhamtari, 29 members took part in the event. It was excellent event in all respects; In which the joy of biking, trekking, boating, water fall and adventure got together.

There were 18 new members in this event, who were thrilled to see the diverse beauty of nature for the first time under the banner of Youth Hostels.



One Day Trekking cum Training Program at Khallari Mata Temple and Chandi Mandir Ghunchapali Bagbahara on 25th Dec, 2020

52 members of all age groups participated in this event and experienced trekking.



A Hundred and Fifty Meter Long Tricolor Journey on 14th February, 2021

In honor of the martyrs of Pulwama, a hundred and fifty meter long tricolor rally was taken out in joint collaboration with the Freedom Physical Training Academy, Youth Hostel Association of India, the Police Training Center and Indian Army to commemorate the second anniversary of the soldiers killed in

Sapling Plantation at KeshKal on 13th June, 2021

This virtuous work was completed under the guidance of Dr. Mahavar. He is continuously doing this work of planting seeds at the time of arrival of monsoon with the help of youth hostels for the past many years. They believe that with year after year efforts, their hard work will pay off and one day the Keshkal valley will surely turn into a valley of flowers.

Youth Hostels creates social environmental consciousness by planting seeds and planting different species every year during the rainy season. The organization has the same affection for trees and flowers as parents have for their children.

One Day Monsoon Trek on 29th Aug 2021 at Parry Ghumar, District Gariaband

YHAI Chhattisgarh State Branch jointly with Dhamtari Unit organised 1 day monsoon trek on Parry Ghumar , District Gariaband Chhattisgarh. Around 70 participants participated in this programme from various Units Dhamtari, Raipur, Korba, Bhilai and Bilaspur. The programme was organised by Shri Ramesh Dev, APC member, Chhattisgarh State along with Shri Yogesh Gupta, Chairman, Dhamtari Unit, and Shri Hukum Chand Jain, Programme Coordinator. The team visited Rajim, Holy place of Hindus and took blessings at Rajiv Lochan Temple, and then the team visited Bhuteshwar Nath Temple at Gariaband District where Asia longest SHIV-LING is there and is increasing naturally.

Then after, team had a trek of around 3 KM in dense forest and reached Parry Ghoomer spot. Programme ended with Certificate distribution.

Delhi State Branch

Munsiyari Khaliya Top Trekking cum Training Expedition-2021

The Munsiyari Khaliya Top Trekking cum Training Expedition - 2021 was organized from 13th to 18th April 2021 with 63 participants in all, coming from different parts of the country. The Programme, which was for 6 Days/5 Nights, was very successful and thoroughly enjoyed by the participants. The programme was organized with all the safety guidelines and Covid protocols issued by Government.



Mussoorie Naag Tibba Trek- 2021 (Weekend)

The Mussoorie Naag Tibba Trekking cum Training Expedition - 2021 was organized from 23rd January to 26th January, 2021 with 11 participants and officials. The Programme duration was 4 Days/3 Nights. The programme was very successful and enjoyed by all the participants.



T- Shirt Painting Competition in collaboration with Madhya Pradesh Tiger Foundation Society.

T-Shirt Painting Competition was organized by YHAI, Delhi State Branch with collaboration of Madhya Pradesh Tiger Foundation Society. Around 60



participants participated in this event and winners were felicitated by the National Chairman, Shri S . Venkat Narayanan.

Goa State Branch Panaji Unit

Tree plantation

Tree plantation was organized at Youth Hostel campus on 30th June 2020, Miramar. Various fruit bearing saplings were planted by State President Shri Sidharth Kuncalienker, State Chairman Shri Rohidas Naik, State Secretary Ms Roopa Nair , Adventure Promotion Committee (APC) Chairman Sh Manoj Joshi, and Environment Protection Committee (EPC) member Ms Shilpa Joshi. A special thanks to Youth Hostel Manager, Shri Anant Joshi without whose cooperation, this would not have been possible.

One Day Trek To Vazra Sakla Waterfall

One Day Trek to Vazra Sakla Waterfall at Virdi village near Chorla Ghat was organized on 7th February, 2021 by Panaji Unit. Total 53 participants trekked to this water fall. This waterfall displays natural wonder wherein water of the river Haltara from Chorla, tumble down from the height of 150 mts in Virdi Village of Maharashtra. This water later mingles in the Valavanti river of Goa. One can see geological wonders through the unique rock formation. The Local participants enjoyed the trek.

Porvorim Unit

On 2nd October, 2020 Mahatma Gandhi Jayanti was observed by cleaning the bushes surrounding the Herbal & Butterfly Bio-Diversity Garden at Alto-Porvorim. 10 volunteers of YHAI, Porvorim unit participated in the drive. All the collected dry waste such as Pet bottles, plastic bags & wrappers etc. were handed over to Village Panchayat's dumping yard at Porvorim.



On 4th October, 2020, one day cycling cum trekking programme was organised to Chapora fort. 20 participants took part in the cycling event from Porvorim to Chapora Fort covering total 35 km. Trekking was done from Chapora fort till Ozra Beach covering 5 km. Total 30 participants took part in the trekking event including 20 cyclist.



On 6th October, 2020, one of our members Shri Aditya Ashok Gadag donated Plasma at Plasmapheresis Centre, GMC Bambolim after recovery from Covid-19.



On 11th October, 2020, the Unit President Shri Ashok Gadag, was selected as Vice-President of New State Executive Committee for 2020-23 under the leadership of State President, Shri Siddarth Kuncalienker.



On 6th December, 2020, a Get Together Cum Outing Programme was organised for the members of YHAI and their family, after a long break caused by the Covid pandemic. Total 30 nos of participants participated. They visited 4 places/villages in the neighboring state of Maharashtra. Participant got chance to visit Waghbil at Kas village which has a biggest Den in the Sindhudurg district of Maharashtra, which can accommodate more than 1000 people at a time. Then visited a village name Nigude and experience a ringing stone namely Kinkina Khadap as they say in their local language, which is situated on top of the small hill. Then visited Vetoba Temple at Aravali village and enjoyed evening at Shiroda beach. While returning they visited Redi Fort situated 7 km away from Terekhhol Fort.



On 20th December, 2020, Five members of our YHAI, Porvorim Unit namely Shri Ashok Gadag, Shri Maruti Bhosale, Shri Mahesh Pandit, Shri Ashok Pai and Shri Bhagawant Ranade rendered Honorary service and voluntarily escorted the bikers in the National Biking and Training Expedition Goa, 2020 organised by YHAI, Goa State Branch during 20th December 2020 to 02nd February 2021. The services of above volunteers were appreciated by the Goa State Committee.



On 25th and 26th December, 2020, Family Tour was organised at neighbouring village of Kundal in Karnataka State in which 2 families participated. They had a pleasant overnight stay in a local house in the village. Enjoyed local food, and could interact with local livelihood. Next day visited Dandeli for water sports activities and enjoyed kayaking, river rafting, camp fire and Jacuzzi bath.



On 9th and 10th January, 2021, Seasons first overnight trek was organised at Fukeri-Kumbhawade-Pargad in Maharashtra, A total of 31 participants were registered but 29 participated in the trek. Participant could enjoy village life of Kumbhawade after trekking through dense forest of Sayhadri Mountain Range for 5 hours from Fukeri to Kumbhawada. Next day 2 hours trekking from Kumbhawada to Kegadwadi and later visited Pangad Fort.



On 17th January, 2021, One day trek was organized at Zarani Waterfall at Valpoi. There were 45 participants who enjoyed the beauty of Mhadei and sahyadri.

21st February, 2021, One Day Trek was organized at Mainapi Waterfall, near Netaravali. Total 46 members participated in the trekking activity consisting of 8 km through Khotigao Wildlife Sanctuary. The participants enjoyed the day long trek.



Gujarat State Branch

Gir Exploration Trekking and Family Camping Training Programme

Gujarat State Branch organised a National Gir Exploration Trekking and Training Programme with a Family camping in Junagadh and Gir Forest Area from 21-12-2020 to 26-12-2020 in two batches. 17 participants joined in the Trekking programme and 10 families in Family camping programme. Because of Covid-19 situation in the state, we organised it for limited participants only. The Covid -19 guidelines and instructions from the Government authorities were followed strictly during the entire programmes. The participants were from the states of Gujarat, Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Delhi and Karnataka.

Monsoon Masti in Dangs - 2021

Gujarat State Branch organised a state level programme named 'Monsoon Masti in Dangs' with trekking and training from 14th August to 17th August 2021 at Shabridham village in the thick forest and waterfalls areas in Dang district of Gujarat State. The responsibility to organise this programme was assigned to the Bilimora Unit of YHAI Gujarat State Branch. In this programme total 86 members participated. The participants were from Gujarat, Maharashtra and Karnataka states. The programme was most successful.

T-Shirt Painting Competition 2021

On the occasion of World Tiger day on 18th July 2021, the T-shirt competition was organised by the M. P. State Tiger Foundation Society of Forest department and M. P. State Branch of YHAI. The Gujarat State Branch of YHAI was requested to organise this competition by the Gujarat State branch and its units. A State level T-shirt competition was organised jointly with the V. V. Nagar Unit, Vadodara Unit and Dhrangadhra Unit. Total 62 members participated in the competition. The M. P. State Tiger Foundation Society, Bhopal provided 50 plain T-shirts for competition while 10 T-shirts were arranged by the Vadodara Unit and one by Dhrangadhra Unit. The Gujarat State Branch arranged for fabric colour and other material required. The Gujarat State Branch awarded memento and colorful certificates to all the participants and volunteers. Breakfast and food provision was arranged by the Gujarat State Branch. The M. P. State Tiger Foundation Society, Bhopal awarded Trophies to first three winners and two as consolation prizes. After completion of the competition, a total 62 painted T-Shirts were returned to them. The National President of YHAI Shri Mohammad Shafi Pandit sir conveyed his best wishes by phone to all the participants, The State Chairman thanked him on behalf of the state branch and three Units.

Ahmedabad Bapunagar Unit

The Bapunagar unit organised the Blood donation camps for thalassemia and Covid -19 patients amid corona epidemic situation in Ahmedabad city with the slogan "Blood Donation Before Vaccine". They organized 16 blood donation camps in different areas of Ahmedabad city from 10 February 2021 to 24th August 2021 and collected almost 500 bottles of Blood from the donors. The campaign was done with the help of other Social groups and a group of Doctors. The donors were awarded mementoes by them.

Unit also organizes cycling programmes regularly in the vicinity of Ahmedabad.

Ahmedabad Ellis Bridge Unit

The Ahmedabad Ellis Bridge unit organised the Deepawali Nature camp at Mt. Abu on 16th to 18th November 2020. 35 members participated in this programme.

During Covid-19 situation, the unit distributed the ration and home use kit to needed poor residents of Ahmedabad.

Ahmedabad Main Unit

During the year Ahmedabad Main unit had organised 4 (Four Camps), with all precautions laid down under Covid-19 advisory with full of enthusiasm and keeping in mind the aim of YHAI of providing comfortable, hygienic accommodations with assured quality standards at affordable rates.

The details of camps organised are:

1. Nature Study camp at Jessore Sloth Bear Sanctuary: This camp was scheduled on 26th & 27th February 2021. Total 32 participants (including volunteers) participated in the camp.
2. Explore Aravali Monsoon Trekking Program :- This Camp was organized on 24th & 25th July 2021 near Mazoom Dam on top of Sayra Hills 120 K.M away from Ahmedabad. Total 35 campers (along with Volunteers) participated in the camp, enjoyed the beauty of Aravali, identified different bird species, flora and fauna etc.
3. Independence Day at SAGVAN Panam Dam 14th & 15th August 2021 :- This camp was organized on 75th Independence Day. SAGVAN is camp site in Natural Environment surrounded by SAG i.e. Teak wood nearby Panam Dam. There were a total 31 participants including Volunteers.
4. Devinimal Chalo Dang trek 10, 11th and 12th September 2021:- Chalo Dang during Monsoon was among the dream project of YHAI Ahmedabad Main Unit and it was organised in consultation with Forest Department at campsite "Devinamal", an Eco-tourism site located 5 km off from the Dang district headquarter, Ahwa and near Ambica river amidst the dense jungles of the Dangs. The Devinamal has emerged as a fresh Eco-tourism center. During 3 days various treks along with visit to nearby places were organized.

Bhavnagar Unit

Bhavnagar Unit has conducted following activities during the reporting year:

1. Zanzmer to Gopnath one day trek on 31st Jan., 2021 with 44 participants
2. Kuda to Hathab Sea shore Trekking on 07th Feb., 2021 with 126 participants.
3. Shana Dungar-Diu and Tulsishyam Trekking programme on 21st & 22nd March, 2021 with 28 participants
4. Mithivirdi to Nishkalank Sea shore Trek on 4th July, 2021 with 33 participants.
5. Mahadev Galo one day hill Trekking on 4th July, 2021 with 60 participants. Unit organised two separate programmes on the same day.
6. Malnath to Dhavdi Mata Trek on 24th July, 2021 with 41 participants.
7. Mahadev Galo Trekking on 1st August 2021 with 92 participants.
8. Kaliya Thakar (Vaniya Vir trek) on 8th August 2021 with 65 participants.
9. Navnath (Shihor) Trekking on 16th August 2021 with 75 participants.
10. On the occasion of celebration of Youth Hostel Foundation day on 26th August 2021, the Unit conducted the nature walk programme in Victoria Park Jungle situated in the heart of city of Bhavnagar. Dr. Indra Gadhvi a well known Wild Life resource person joined the programme as Guest. Total 75 members joined the programme.
11. Sandhida Mahadev trekking on 29th August 2021 with 45 participants.

Bilimora Unit

Bilimora Unit organised following Unit / State level programmes during the reporting year.

1. Kushmal -Ajmalgadh Programme
2. One day trekking cum training programme on 3rd January 2021 at Kushmal - Ajmalgadh in Dangs. 72 members participated in this programme.
3. **Blood donation camp:** The Blood Donation camp was organised on 10th January, 2021 wherein 22 donors have donated the blood.
4. The Nature Study cum Training programme was organised on 27th & 28th February 2021 at Kilad in Dang district of Gujarat wherein 24 members participated.
5. On the eve of World Environment Day on 5th June 2021, Bilimora unit of YHAI started monsoon's plantation drive by planting 11 plants in different areas of the town. Unit plants around 150 trees every year in and around Bilimora town and takes care of all the plants throughout the year. Approximately 70% of plants grow and become trees. Unit also distributes Sparrow Nests in the region regularly.
6. One Night Firefly Show was organised on 26th & 27th June 2021 at Shabridham village in Dang forest of Gujarat wherein 19 members of the unit had participated.
7. Unit organised a State Branch programme named 'Monsoon Masti in Dangs-2021' from 14th to 17th August 2021 wherein 86 members participated. The Programme was organised by the Gujarat State Branch and was managed by Bilimora unit.



Dhrangadhra Unit

Unit organised following programme in the year 2020-21.

1. In October 2020, Dhrangadhra Youth Hostel and Cycling group had organized an environment awareness programme on the occasion of "Sharad Purnima" and arranged a cycling ride from Dhrangadhra to Falku Dam.
2. In "Guthkhar Sanctuary", 9 members from Dhrangadhra unit joined with the Forest department for the "Birds census" and they received the certificate from Forest department.
3. On the occasion of "World Environment Day" on 5th June 2021 Dhrangadhra Unit had organized an "Online Quiz Competition" wherein 455 participants were registered and they all were honored with the certificate.
4. On the occasion of Founder's day of Youth Hostels movements on 26th August 2021, a get-to-gather programme was organised by the unit.

Dhoraji Unit

On World Environment Day on 5th June 2021, Dhoraji Unit organized a plantation programme at Public Garden Dhoraji which was desolate for more than twenty years. 60 Members along with The President of Municipality, Chief Officer, MLA, Tehsildar of Dhoraji and other distinguished personalities remain present. The Chairman of Dhoraji Unit Shri Vinodbhai Ukani and YHA Dhoraji team doing continues hard work for more than a week on 12 acres undeveloped land and implants trees.

Gandhinagar Unit

On the occasion of World Environment Day, Gandhinagar Unit organized two virtual competitions. The Elocution Competition for the members above 18 years and Essay Competition for the participants from 10 to 18 year of age. Total group wise participation was 32 and 35 respectively in both competitions. Every participant was awarded with E-certificate and winners will be awarded with cash prize and a letter of felicitation by the unit later on.

Jamnagar Unit

Jamnagar Unit organised following programmes during the reporting year:

1. The Unit organised a Naklank Ranuja Early Morning Trek of 15 KMs on 29th November 2020 wherein 35 members participated.
2. The Unit organised Sapda Dam Cycling Program -40 KMs was organised on 5th December 2020. 15 members joined this cycling programme.
3. The Unit organised a Nature Study Program at Shivrajpur Blue Beach - Dwarka on 22nd December 2020. 22 members participated in this programme.
4. The Unit organised a Trekking Program in Polo Forest from 8th to 10th January 2021. Total 32 members participated in this programme. It was organised with the help of Ahmedabad Ellis Bridge unit.
5. The Unit organised a Khijadiya -Narara Nature Study Program in the National Marine Park near Jamnagar on 7th March 2021. 35 members participated in the programme. Khijadiya Bird sanctuary is one of the best Bird sanctuaries of India. Narara is world famous for Marine Life and live corals.
6. From 25th April to 5th May 2021, the Unit distributed total 4390 Bottles of cold Mineral Water to the Covid patients and their relatives (Free of cost) who were waiting outside the Covid hospital for the admission in the Hospital and to the friends and relatives of the deceased patients waiting at the Crematorium for the funeral. Water bottles were also distributed to the Traffic Police of Jamnagar City who were on duty on the main roads of Jamnagar City.
7. Unit has started free distribution of the Face Shield for the protection from Covid 19 to its Life members. Till 10th May total 340 Face Shields distributed. The Unit has 1200+ Life Members of YHAI.
8. On the eve of World Environment Day on 5th June 2021, the Unit officials / members have planted the trees in Jamnagar city and surrounding area. Unit organised a free distribution of plants to the members and civilians of Jamnagar. Total 650 Tulsi Plants were distributed with the help and co-operation from the Forest department.
9. The Mount Datar Trekking Program organised on 7th and 8th June 2021 in Junagadh. 12 members participated in this programme.
10. The Unit organised a Shivgufa (an Ancient Cave) in Mount Girnar, Junagadh Trekking Program on 28th and 29th August 2021 wherein 23 members participated.

Junagadh Unit

A clean the environment project was jointly organised by the Junagadh unit and the Forest department to celebrate World Environment Day on 5th June 2021 . About 35 members of the unit collected 20 bags of garbage from almost 400 steps of Datar hill of Mount Girnar & from the area of Willingdon Dam. The collected garbage was handed over to the officials of Gujarat Pollution Control Board (GPCB) in collaboration with the Forest Department and disposed off in a very scientific way. Chief Conservator of Forest Shri K. Ramesh, ACF Shri Patel was apprised about YHAI and Junagadh unit activities and they were highly impressed.

Mahuva Unit

Unit organised a one day trip from Bagdana to Kadamgiri trek 45 KMs. from Mahuva on 25th July 2021 wherein 74 members participated.

Palanpur Unit

Palanpur Unit organised following programmes and activities during reporting year 2020-21.

Date	Programme	No. of participants.
16/09/2020	Lunch With Old Age People At Old Age Home, Palanpur	90
03/10/2020	Fresh Cloth Distriubition to Tribal Students-Vishveshver	75
31/10/2020	Ride For Unity Cycling by Members To Dantiwada Dam, 30km	54
31/10/2020	Sarad Purnima Cycling To Ambaji and Back, 120km	35
07/11/2020	Sankleshwari Teak Trekking Two Days	75
07/11/2020	Cloth, Chocolate Distribution to Child Home, Palanpur	25
28/12/2020	Weekly Virtualcycle Compition By Yhai Palanpur Unit	135
12/01/2021	Youth Day Blood Donation Camp- Vivekanand Anniversary	44
16/09/2020	Lunch With Old Age People At Old Age Home, Palanpur	90
20/03/2021	Cleanliness Of Jesore Forest World Forest Day	25
21/03/2021	Distriubition Of Chakli Mala And Pots (3000 + 1000)	
21/03/2021	Family Get To Gather At Angola Mandir	75
05/06/2021	Distriubition Tree Seplings World Enviornment Day	350
26/08/2021	Distriubition Of Tulsi And Medicinal Plants-Founder's Day	500

Patan Unit

Patan Unit organised following programmes and activities during the year 2020-21.

1. Unit organised a Blood donation camp on 12th January 2021 wherein 18 members donated their blood.
2. Unit organised a trekking programme from Vastaneshwar to Gurushikhar on 13th & 14th February 2021 with 33 participants.
3. A joint programme of the Aravali Monsoon trek was conducted with the Vadodara Unit. Total 51 members from both the units had participated.

Porbandar Unit

Porbandar Unit organised following programmes during the year:

1. Porbandar to Khimeshwar Cycling programme on 3-1-2021 with 29 members.
2. Porbandar to Mokarsagar Wetland Biking and Bird Watching Camp on 17-01-2021 with 16 members.
3. Porbandar to Bhatvari Hill Cycling and Trekking programme on 07-02-2021 with 35 members.
4. Porbandar to Morjhopda Biking cum Trekking programme on 01-08-2021 with 44 members.
5. Porbandar to Khimeshwar Cycling programme on 08-08-2021 with 60 members.

Sanand Unit

Sanand Unit organised following programmes:

26-01-2021	Unit Get to gather programme	160
13/14-02-2021	Nada bet '0' Border Family Tour	45
01-03-2021	Yoga Training Camp	20
21-07-2021	Visit to WANAKBORI Thermal Power station	50
20-06-2021	108 Surya Namskaar and Yoga training.	65
20-08-2021	Cycling programme to 100 ACER (30 K.M.)	40

S.K.V. Nagar Unit

The unit organised following programmes:

1. Unit organised a trekking programme from SKV Nagar to Nagdham on 26th January 2021 wherein 29 members participated.
2. Unit organised an Astronomy (Aakash darshan) programme along with a get-together programme of unit members and their family on 22nd July 2021 wherein 55 members participated with 15 children.
3. Unit organised a trekking programme from Mata no Madh (Kutch) to Khatala Bhavani peak on 15th August 2021 wherein 63 members participated.

Vadodara Unit

Following activities done by Vadodara Unit during 1st Sept 2020 to 31st Aug 2021.

1. In Feb 2021 the workshop of Rangoli conducted by the Unit and 2 renowned artists were invited who conducted the workshop for different designs, under water Rangoli, over the water Rangoli. The Workshop conducted by our Unit Member Dr Pragna and Smt. Vibha Deshpande. The participants and artists were felicitated with Plant Distribution by State Chairman
2. On the occasion of World Bicycle Day and the World Environment Day 3rd and 5th June unit had conducted a virtual cycling Ride for the different age group of up to 15th, up to 50 and above 50 age groups. The highest no of cycling were honoured by the Unit.
3. The honouring of these participants was on our 475th Sunday, 29th August.
4. The T shirt Painting on the occasion of the World Tiger Day conducted on 18th July 2021. 10 female members participated in the competition. 10 T shirts allotted to Unit through M. P. State Branch of YHAI. The Trophies sponsored by the Gujarat State branch along with colourful certificates were distributed to the participants.
5. A joint program of the Aravali Monsoon trek was conducted with the Patan Unit. Total 51 members from both the units had participated.
6. Every Sunday YHAI cycling club organises Cycling programme in the surrounding area of Vadodara. Average 50 members join this programme every week with the object of awareness of the environment & go green concept.

V. V. Nagar Unit

Unit organised following programmes and activities:

1. Unit organised a Virtual Campfire on Saturday, 26th June, 2021. Total 40 members participated in this event. This event is first of its kind organized at Gujarat level.
2. On the occasion of World Tiger day on 18th July 2021, the T-shirt competition was organised by V. V. Nagar Unit on the direction by the Gujarat State Branch of YHAI. The competition was jointly organised with the M. P. State Tiger Foundation Society of Forest department and M. P. State branch of YHAI. Memento and colorful certificates were awarded to all the participants by the Gujarat State Branch.

Wanakbori Unit

On the eve of World Environment Day on 5th June 2021, Unit celebrated the day by organising a tree plantation programme. Total 100 trees were planted by 10 members of the Unit in the presence of unit officials and Forest officers. Unit also distributed 500 tree plants to the residents of GSECL colony for plantation and being taken care to develop the trees.

Haryana State Branch

Ladwa Unit

Covid-19 Awareness Camp

On 21st April, 2021, Ladwa Unit organized Covid -19 awareness and Mask Distribution camp in New Grain Market Ladwa. As wheat season was on full swing and farmers were coming to Mandi with their crop, so unit organized awareness camps at all 5 centres of Ladwa Mandi. Members of unit distributed 400 mask among the farmers and general public and motivated them to follow the instructions regarding Covid -19. On this occasion President of the unit Shri Naresh Garg innuagrated the camps and vice president Shri Sumit Garg, Chairman Shri Pawan Bansal, Secretary Shri Aman Garg, and executive members Shri Ranjiv



Kapur, Shri Manav Garg, Shri Sandeep Goel, Shri Vaibhav Chawla and many other members were also present. This programme was covered by news papers.

Bagh Sakha T-shirt Painting Competition

On 18th July 2021, Unit organized Bagh Sakh T-shirt Painting competition, T-shirts was provided by M.P. Tiger Foundation Society and YHAI M.P. State Branch. 20 T-shirts were received and on the spot painting completion was organized in a local school. 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners were selected by two judges. And each participant was also awarded with a beautiful momento by Ladwa Unit.



Covid -19 Vaccination and Corona Test Camp

On 31st July, 2021, A mega covid -19 vaccination camp was organized at Anaj Mandi Dharamshala , Ladwa. The SDM Shri Snubhav Mehta inugurated the camp by taking his 2nd Dose in the camp. Shri Abhilaksh Sachdev, sponsor of the camp was the guest of honor. C.M.O. Dr.Anjali Vaid lead the team of doctors and nursing staff for vaccination and corona test. In this camp corona test was done of 160 persons and nobody was found positive. Total 400 persons were vaccinated. The programme was a great success.

Chief Guest, Guest of honor, CMO, and head of the corona test team and Presidents of Ladwa Grain Market were honored with beautiful momentos.



Jharkhand State Branch

1. Two days Nature Study cum excursion program was organized jointly by State Branch and Jamshedpur Unit at Dalma Wild Life Sanctuary, Jamshedpur in the month of January 2021 with 42 participants.
2. Jharkhand State Branch and Jharkhand Cycling Association Jointly Organized Cycling Expedition on 12th January 2021 in 6 Districts i.e.Ranchi,Dhanbad, Saraikela, Jamtara, Garhwa and Koderma. Blood donation camp jointly organized by YHAI Jharkhand St Branch and Jharkhand Olympic Association at five Districts i.e. Ranchi, Dhanbad, Jamshedpur, Pakur and Silli.

Ranchi Unit

1. Organized Cycling Expedition on 12th January 2021
2. Blood donation camp Organized by YHAI Ranchi Unit on the occasion of Youth Day. 60 Unit Blood donated.
3. Tree Plantation Program organized at Morabadi Ranchi on World Environment Day.
4. Ranchi Unit organized a Publication Ceremony APNE SAHAR KAAADMI SIRIAL'S 7TH Edition 'ASMAN CHHUTE SAPNEY.
5. BAGH SAKHA T -SHIRT Painting Competition Organized at Ranchi.



Jamshedpur Unit

1. A Nature Study cum Trekking program was organized by Jamshedpur Unit at Joyda to Chandil Dam on the bank of River Swarnrekha in January 2021 with 55 number of school students from different schools.
2. A family program was organized by Jamshedpur unit at Joyda Temple to Chandil Dam on the bank of River Swarnrekha in January 2021 with 37 family
3. 15 Members Donated Blood at Jamshedpur Blood Bank in the eve of YOUTH DAY 12th January 2021.
4. A one days Nature Study cum Trekking program was organized Jamshedpur unit at Dalma Wild Life Sanctuary, Jamshedpur on 18th January 2021 with 42 participants

Sili Unit

1. Sit & Draw competition was organized by Silli Unit in February 2021.
2. A Cycling Program was organized by Unit at Muri area.
3. Blood donation and art competition was organized by Silli unit for local people of Silli.
4. Tree Plantation Program organized at Silli Unit on the eve of World Environment Day.

Chatra Unit

1. Sit & Draw Competition was organized by Chatra Unit in March 2021
2. A Cycling Program organized at Chatra Unit on 12th January 2021.

Kerala State Branch

'Break The Chain' Campaign Against COVID-19

Kerala State Government has launched a 'break the chain' campaign to fend off the Covid-19 spread, in the wake of a second wave of infections after a virus carrier family returning from Italy had created a cluster in Pathanamthitta district of Kerala State. 'Break the Chain' campaign promoting effective hand-washing techniques and wearing of Mask that can prevent the spread of COVID-19. Government requested for the support of NGO's , Residential Associations and Apartment homeowners for the awareness campaign. Kerala State Branch of YHAI decided to join the Campaign. As per the urgent online message, various Units of YHAI organised the BREAK CHAIN- Campaign programme throughout the State.

YHAI units distributed Masks & Sanitizers to General Public including Labour Class, Street Dwellers, Transport Staff and Passengers etc. They have also provided Hand Wash Units at Kadavanthra Cochin and Feroke Kozhikkode . Varkala, Thodupuzha, Cochin, Ferok, Kannur and Thiruvanathapuram units of YHAI are actively participated in the Campaign.



Distribution of Mask and Sanitizer:

YHAI Kerala State branch distribute Ten Thousand masks and hundreds of sanitizer bottle to public in various palaces ie Feroke, Kannur, Malappuram , Ponnani, Ernakulam (Cochin), Kollam and Varkala



YHAI Varkala



YHAI Cochin



YHAI Idukki @ Thodupuzha



YHAI Feorke Tile City Unit (Kozhikkode)



Photo Competition 2020

YHAI Kerala State Branch organized a National Photography Competition. We got 150 entries for the competition. Following are the Winners

First Prize: Manoj Kunnumbath

Second Prize : 1. Jayesh Joseph, Sasthi Johri Bhopal

Third Prize : 1. Sivaprasad K Sachin Matkar Indore Sujithbabu

YHAI Idukki Unit successfully organised Anakkulam Trekking cum Training in Western Ghats (Munnar Area). Trekking route was Padikappu to Perumpankuthu Water falls, via Avarukutty, Kurathikudy, Anakkulam, near Munnar. 25 Members participated in the Programme .



YHAI Idukki Unit successfully organised Kolukkumalai Trekking cum Training in Western Ghats (Munnar Area). 30 Members participated in the Programme.



Madhya Pradesh State Branch

BHEL Unit

Blood Donation Camp

BHEL unit organized Blood Donation Camp on 10th January, 2021. Total 29 blood donors donated blood in this donation camp.

Gwalior Fort Unit

Celebrated Bhagat Singh Jayanti

On the occasion of Bhagat Singh Jayanti Unit members garland the statue of Sardar Bhagat Singh jee and celebrated the day on 28th September, 2020.

Tapovan Trek

Gwalior Fort Unit organized Tapovan Trek on 22nd November, 2020 at Cancer Hill in the Forest of Tapovan. Total 35 participants participated in this program.

Blood Donation Camp

Gwalior Fort Unit organized Blood Donation Camp on 10th January, 2021. Total 45 blood donors donated blood in this camp.

Celebration of Vivekanand Jayanti

On the occasion of Vivekanand Jayanti on 12th January, 2021, unit members garland the statue of Shri Vivekanand ji situated at Thatipur Choraha and celebrated the day with full zeal.

Celebration of Subhash Chandra Bose Jayanti

On 23rd January, 2021, for celebrating the Subhash Chandra Bose Jayanti unit honored 55 NCC cadets with “Guard of Honor” and celebrated the day with these Cadets.

Maa Tujhe Salaam Program

Gwalior Fort Unit organized “Maa Tujhe Salaam” program on 09th February, 2021 with school students in which they performed on patriotic songs. Certificates and shields were given to the participants of this program.

Mom ke Hanuman Cycling Expedition

Gwalior Fort Unit organized Mom ke Hanuman Cycling Expedition with 20 cyclists and reached to the ancient mom ke hanuman mandir situated in forest. Cyclists done trekking also in this forest and praised the program.

Khadiya Kho Two Wheeler Expedition

Gwalior Fort Unit organized Khadiya Kho Two Wheeler Expedition on 2nd March, 2021 with 52 members.

Indore City Unit

Keshar Parvat Plantation Drive

On 20th December, 2021 Unit organized plantation drive named Keshar Parvat. Total 25 participants participated and total 200+ saplings planted in this drive.

Blood Donation Drive

Indore City Unit organized Blood Donation Drive on 10th January, 2021 on the occasion of “National Youth Day”. Total 54 donors donated blood in this Donation Drive.

Environment Protection Rally

Indore City Unit organized Environment Protection Rally in form of cycling program on 21st February 2021. Total 150 cyclists participated in this environment protection rally and spreaded awareness about the Environment Protection.

Jayanti Mata Trekking Program

Jayanti Mata Trekking Program was organized by the unit on 14th March, 2021 with 40 participants.

Indore District Unit

Opening of New Office of Indore District Unit

Indore District Unit opened its new office at Malhar Ashram School at Tilakpath. On this occasion tree planting and donation of labour program organized on 05th July at 09.15 AM.

Blood Donation Camp

Indore District unit organized blood donation camp in which Youth Hostel members and Vivekanand Yuva Mandal members have participated.

Kal Ahisha Hill Trekking Program and Picnic

Indore District Unit organized Kal Ahisha Hill Trekking Program and Picnic in end of January month with 65 participants.

Cycle Heritage Trek

Indore District Unit organized Cycle Heritage Trek under the guidance of Madhya Pradesh State Branch. Total 40 members participated in this program.

Patai Pada Trek

In the month of March, Unit organized Pata Pada Trek with 31 participants.

Katni Unit

Blood Donation Camp

Katni Unit organized Blood Donation Camp on 10th January, 2021 on the occasion of Youth Day.

Membership Campaign

Katni Unit organized Membership Campaign from 01st April, 2020 to 31st March, 2021. In this Campaign, Unit sold one lifetime membership, 60 senior one year membership and 50 junior memberships.

“Parivar Milan Program” at Karodi

On the occasion of Unit's silver Jubilee year, Katni Unit organised “Parivar Milan Program” on 17th January, 2021. Total 30 families gathered and went to the midpoint of India at Karodi and celebrated the day. Family picnic and games for families and children was organized for the celebration.

Distribution of Footwear, Winter Clothes and Eatables

Katni Unit distributed footwear, winter clothes and eatables to the tribal people of Village Karodi on 17th January, 2021. The purpose of the distribution drive is to provide basic necessity items to the needy people.

Run For Katni Marathon

Run for Katni Marathon organized by Councilor Shri Masood Ahmed Bittu in association with Youth Hostel Association and Athletic Federation on 14th February, 2021. Many youngsters participated in this program.

Environment Public Awareness Campaign (Youth on Cycle)

For spreading the awareness about Environment and for promoting cycling in youth, Katni Unit organized “Youth on Cycle” program on 21st February, 2021. Total 141 participants participated in this program and made the campaign successful.

Information Drive in Sarasvahi Plantation and Research Centre

Katni Unit organized information drive for the children and provided information regarding Mis-chamber poly House, Green House importance and what is the importance of plantation of trees in our lives.

45+ Veteran Cricket Event

In the memory of Late Shri Yashpal Lamba with the contribution of his family, Katni unit organized Veteran Cricket Competition from 17th February 2021 to 21st February 2021 and Rs.5100/- awarded to the winner team.

New Year Meeting and Yearly General Meeting

Katni Unit organised New Year Meeting and Yearly General Meeting on 03rd January 2021 at Satkar Garden, Kotla Pump. A big number of members attended the meeting.

12th State Level Football Tournament

As per the decision taken in yearly General Meeting it was decided to organize a 12th State Level Football Tournament on the remembrance of Founder of the unit Late Shri Yashpal Lamba from 20th February, 2021 to 28th February, 2021. The Tournament was organised at Caldridge Ground, NCC. The winner team was awarded by the Unit with the contribution of Late Shri Yashpal Lamba's family.

Mandideep Unit

Masks and Food Distribution during COVID 19

Mandideep Unit distributed masks and food during COVID 19. Warrior Honor certificates awarded by Youth Hostel Association of India to all the warriors.

Blood Donation Camp

On the occasion of Swami Vivekanand Jayanti (Youth Day) Mandideep Unit with the collaboration with Red Cross Blood Bank organised National Blood Donation Camp on 17th January, 2021. Total 106 donors donated their blood in this Donation Camp.

Chidi-kho to Karvati Cave Local Trekking

On 07th February 2021, under the leadership of Shri Nirmal Yadav “Narsinghgarh Trekking program” was organised. Total 50 participants participated in this program.

Health and Environment Protection Awareness Program

Mandideep unit organised awareness program for spreading awareness about Health and Environment protection. Total 65 participants participated in this program and they did cycling from Mandideep Sports Field to Dahood Dam. Every participant awarded by the certificate of completion by the Unit.

Ratlam Unit

COVID 19 Quiz Competition

For spreading the awareness among unit members and local public about COVID 19 history and its technicality, E-Quiz competition was organised on 16th September, 2021. Total 120 participants participated in this quiz and e-certificates were also distributed to the participants.

Blood Donation Camp on Youth Day

Ratlam unit organised blood donation camp on the occasion of Swami Vivekanand Birthday (Youth Day) on 12th January, 2021 with the guidance of State Branch. Total 35 blood donors donated blood in this camp.

Republic Day Flag Salutation and Cleanliness Program

On 26th January 2021, on the occasion of Republic Day, Ratlam Unit organised Republic Day Flag Salutation and Cleanliness program in the lap of nature in Karmadi Village near Panchal Temple and Karamadi pond. On this day, unit members spread the awareness about cleanliness and cleaned the nearby places of the temple.

Pedal for Health Cycling

Ratlam Unit organised Pedal for health cycling rally on 20th February, 2021. Total 25 participants participated and cycled for 14 km to spread the awareness about cycling benefits.

Youth for Nature Trekking Program

Ratlam Unit organised trekking program near Palsodi hills with more than 40 participants on 07th March, 2021. The objective of the program was to give information about the natural beauty of the area.

Panchanan Ganesh Cycling Trekking Program

Ratlam Unit organised a cycling trekking program near Panchanan Ganesh Mandir situated in Isrthuni village on 14th March, 2021. Total 25 participants participated in this program.

Free Coaching for Board Classes Students

Ratlam unit was organising this drive from past 11 years and this year also this drive was organised through online mode by Zoom and Youtube platform. Shri Santosh Joshi distributed softcopy of education material to the students. More than 300 students attended this online coaching.

Rewa Unit

Tree Plantation on World Environment Day

On 5th June, Rewa Unit organised Tree plantation program with their members including Shri Shailendra Nigam, Shri Shahid Parvej, Shri Vijay Agarwal, Swami Amarnath Shrivastava, Shri Puneet Thapar, Shri Rajendra Mishra, Shri Reva Shankar Awasthi, Shri Balram Yadav, Shri Jagendra Singh, Shri Kamalendra Badolia, Shri Dinesh Gupta and Shri Jitendra Kushwaha etc.

Trekking Program in Eco Park

Rewa Unit organised a trekking program in December, 2020 in Eco Park with 60 members in which Slacklining, cycling, shooting activities were included. This program lead by Shri Shailendra Nigam and Shri Shyam ji Shrivastava.

Nasha Mukht Bharat and Nasha Mukht Rewa Campaign

On 1st January 2021 Rewa unit organised Nasha Mukht Bharat and Nasha Mukht Rewa Campaign by a Shanti Daud (Run for Peace). This campaign was successfully completed by Rewa Unit with the help of Commissioner Rewa Division Rewa, Collector Rewa, Nagar Nigam Commissioner Rewa and React Society's President Dr. Mukesh Yengal.

Mega Medical Camp

Rewa Unit organised a Mega Medical Camp on 28th February, 2021 with the help of Dr. Sunita Pandey, Shri Sunil Singh and Shri Shahid Parvej with the collaboration of Badrika Motors. More than 2000 people got benefitted through this medical camp as free medicines, medical advice and medical tests were also provided.

Food Distribution in COVID 19

From 15th March 2021, in 2nd Wave of COVID 19 Rewa Unit distributed 500 food packets daily to the needy people with the guidance of Government. Chairman Shahid Parvej lead this program.

Sarvani Women Unit

Bird Watching and Cleanliness Campaign

Sarvani Unit organised a Bird Watching and Cleanliness campaign in collaboration with The Nature Volunteer organization. Total 45 members participated in this campaign and evening rally was also organized till Sirpur Pond by them.

Blood Donation Camp

MP State Branch organised a blood donation camp in Malhar Ashram Indore on 10th January, 2021. Sarvani Unit members also participated in this event.

Night Camping and Trekking Program

Sarvani Women Unit organised Night Camping and Trekking program for the very first time with their women members at Ahinsa Hill, in which 24 women participated. This program organised under the observation of Smt Kusum Thakre Chandel, Shri Durgesh Thakre and Smt Swati Kardile.

Cycling Campaign

Unit organised Cycling Campaign to spread the awareness about the Heritage of city on 21st February, 2021. This cycling program lead by Smt Vijaylaxmi Purohit and Smt Jaishree Kamalkar.

Amba Jhar Mahadev Temple Trek

Unit organised Amba Jhar Mahadev Mandir Trekking Program on 21st February 2021 with 25 members. This trek became more adventurous when members drove their cars in this trekking route.

Distribution of Clothes and Gifts to Children

On the suggestion of one of senior member, Smt. Archana Chogankar, Unit took initiative and with the collaboration with Aabha Kunj Welfare Society a program was organised in an open garden and clothes and gifts were distributed to the children on 03rd March, 2021.

Celebration of International Women Day

On the evening of 07th March, 2021, Sarvani Unit celebrated International Women Day with 25 members. Every woman member shared their experience about Youth Hostel and their trekking experience. Certificates and prizes were also distributed to the winners of different programs.

Shajapur Unit

Organisation of Virtual Meeting

Shajapur Unit members organised virtual meeting of all the unit members on 07th September, 2020.

Conducted Three yearly Unit Elections

Unit organised three yearly Triennial elections with the permission of State Branch in the observation of Shri Rajeev Kiledar at Nehru Smriti Forest Shajapur on 20th December 2020.

Blood Donation Camp

Shajapur Unit organised blood donation camp on 12th January, 2021 and celebrated Swami Vivekanand Birthday by donating blood. Total 22 blood donors donated blood in this camp.

Family Trekking and Tourist Program

Family Trekking and Tourist Program organised by the unit on 16th January, 2021 in Narsighgarh with 34 members.

Cycling Campaign

Shajapur Unit organised cycling program in the observance of Shri Manoj Johri, National Treasurer and State Chairman to promote cycling in youth to stay healthy. More than 120 cyclists participated in this program.

Promotion of Cycling Campaign

For promoting cycling among people cycling bank was created by the Unit on 21st February, 2021. Eight members deposited their cycles in this bank and any interested cyclist can take these cycles for free and enjoy cycling. Unit honored these eight cycle donors. This step of unit was very much appreciated by all units.

Jatashankar Trekking Program

Shajapur Unit organised Jatashankar Trekking Program in Shujalpur with 67 children. Shri Vishal Jhala President, Shri Gaurav Sharma, Treasurer, Shri Mahendra Raval Vice President and Shri Sandeep Agrawal organised this program successfully.

Ujjain Unit

Dry Land to Dream Land Webinar

On 6th September 2020, Ujjain's Unit two life members Shri Milind Pandit and Dr Swati Savtatar presented topic of Save Water in National Webinar Dry Land to Dream Land. It was praised worldwide which is a great achievement for the Unit.

Social Responsibility

In November 2020, Ujjain Unit members provided helping hand to Shri Ram Narayan Shukla Secretary Betul Unit when his son was not well. Shri Kailash Chandra Shrivastava, Shri Rubal Verma, Dr. Sudha Mall, Shri Arvind Jain, Shri Dileep Pawar, Shri Dilip Chauhan, Shri Vinod Kumar Maaru and Shri Shailender Kumar Shah were the main persons who stood up for this noble cause and helped the family.

First Online Meeting

Ujjain Unit first time organised online meeting of unit members on 06th December, 2020. State Chairman Shri Manoj Johri and State Secretary, Shri Akhilesh Guha addressed the meeting. With the approval of all the unit members, Smt Anita Gaud was appointed as Unit Chairperson.

Blood Donation Camp

Ujjain Unit in collaboration State Anand Institute organised blood donation camp on 10th January 2021 at City Hospital Blood Bank. More than 14 members and some non members donated blood in this camp.

Cycling Safari Program

Ujjain Unit organised cycling program on 21st February, 2021 with 25 members. Members cycled 10 km and spreaded information about protection of environment and health. This cycling program started at 08.15 am on 21st February, 2021 from Nana Kheda Petrol Pump and completed the cycling at same point.

Puducherry State Branch

Sponsoring Oxygen Concentrator Machine 6th June, 2021

National Office donated an Oxygen Concentrator Machine (9Ltrs. Capacity). Accordingly, with the concurrence of the State Executive Members, on 06th June 2021 State Branch handed this Oxygen Concentrator Machine to Smt.

Alice Thomas, Founder, Vudhavi Karangal Samuganala Thodar Kalvi Iyakam, Puducherry for the utilisation of the needy Covid-19 patients of Puducherry State, with kind instruction to handle the Oxygen Concentrator Machine at utmost care and to the maximum utilisation of the needy people.



Honoured the Home Minister of Puducherry by the National Office on 2nd July, 2021

National Chairman, Shri S. Venkat Narayanan and Chief Executive Officer, Shri Rupesh K. Pandey along with Warden, Shri J S Walia were honoured our Hon'ble Home Minister of Puducherry and Senior YHA National cyclist, Shri A. Namassivayam and presented memento to him on this memorable visit on 02.07.2021 at International Youth Hostel, New Delhi.



Election of India's First Women Unit on 18th October, 2020

YHAI's 1st Exclusive Women Unit Jeanne D' Arca Unit under Puducherry State Branch successfully conducted its First Election on 18.10.2020 (Sunday) at 10:00 a.m. On behalf of Unit they thanked and expressed their heartfelt gratitude to Shri S. Venkat Narayanan, National Chairman, the CEO and Puducherry State Branch Office Bearers and Unit members for their constant support, guidance and encouragement.



Drawing Competition for School Children on 21st August, 2021

To commemorate YHAI'S 112th Founder's Day, Jeanne d' Arc Women Unit has conducted Drawing Competition for school children on 21-08-2021. The competition was conducted in 2 categories, namely, Junior and Senior. The theme of the Competition was "SAVE TIGERS". More than 30 students have enthusiastically participated in this program. The winners were presented with memento, certificate of Award and participation was distributed to all participants.



Craft Making Workshop on 20th February, 2021

Jeanne d' Arc Women Unit in association with Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, Regional Centre, Puducherry has organized "One Day Craft Making Workshop" for the Empowerment of Women on The "Traditional Fragrant Root - Vettiver". The event was presided by the Chief Guest Tmt. P. Ragini, Director, Dept. of Art & Culture, Govt. of Puducherry and in the august presence of State Vice President Shri T. Saravanan, State Chairman, Shri N. Egilane Lebel, State Office Bearers, Unit Office Bearers and Women Members participated in large and graced the occasion.



Celebration of World Women's Day 8th March, 2021

On the occasion of International Women's Day (08-03-2021) YHAI - Jeanne d' Arc Women Unit, Puducherry Executive Committee members met and honored Honorable Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry Dr. Tamilisai Soundararajan and wished her on the special occasion. During this occasion Honorable Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry was presented with Seer Thirumoolar's Thirumandiram book with Pen Drive of Thirumandiram Audio.



Kalapet Unit

New Office Building of Kalapet Unit was inaugurated on 18th November 2020, by the National Chairman, Shri S. Venkat Narayanan as Chief Guest and in the august presence of State Vice Presidents Shri K. Gajendirane and Shri T. Saravanan, State Chairman, Shri N. Egilane Lebel, State Office Bearers, Unit Office Bearers and Members participated in large and graced the occasion.



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World Environment Day Celebration on 5th June, 2021

On the Celebration of World Environment Day, Environment Protection Committee (EPC) in association with Kalapet Unit jointly organised Tree Saplings Plantation Programme at Parrikalpattu Village. In this programme, various units Members of Puducherry State Branch have planted tree saplings and medicinal saplings around their home itself due to pandemic situation of Covid-19 second wave.



Vedhapuri Unit

Cycle Expedition to Aranya Forest on 24th January, 2021

Vedhapuri Unit has organised a cycle expedition to Aranya forest in association with State Adventure Promotion Committee on 24th January 2021. The expedition was flagged off by the State Chairman, Shri N. Egilane Lebel. A total of 45 members have participated in this expedition which includes State Office



Orientation Workshop on Higher Education on 26th January, 2021

On 72nd Republic Day, Vedhapuri Unit organised Higher Education Guidance program "Way to Higher Education: Orientation on High School to Higher Education" to the orphaned and abandoned children at SOS children Village, Puducherry. The Orientation was inaugurated by Shri K. Velayudam, in the august presence of unit Convener Shri U. Devasenadhi pathi. A total of 40 high school & higher secondary students have attended the orientation programme. Our Resource persons Dr. P. Karmenivann an and Dr. B.



Balaji explained the available conventional and non-conventional higher education courses suitable to the skills and interest of the Children and then clarified various doubts raised by the Children. Our other resource person, Shri Leonard entertained the audience with his beautiful Guitar music.

Flag off event to Guinness World Record “Travel for Tourism through YHAI” 7th February, 2021

Vedhapuri Unit Life Members Shri G.V. Dheelepan & Shri J. Adamsonraj from Puducherry State Branch contending Guinness World Record titled "Longest Journey by Scheduled Public Transport in a Single Country".



Craft Workshop on Paper Sculpture on 13th February, 2021



Vedhapuri unit organised One Day Workshop on Paper Sculpture using waste paper for the benefit of rural students studying at Government High School, Mangalam on 13th February 2021. The event was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Shri Seenu Mohandas, Headmaster.

To commemorate the 75th Independence Day & 112 years of Youth Hostelling movement, Vedhapuri Unit organised “BALL BADMINTON TOURNAMENT” under mixed doubles category. The Tournament was conducted from 18th and 22nd August 2021 at Pavendhar Bharadhidasan Ground.



Oulgaret Unit

Heritage Tip to Gingee on 28th February, 2021

The Heritage and Pre-historic Exploration Programme to Gingee and Archeological site visit was conducted on 07.02.2021. The Programme was graced by Shri N. Egilane Lebel, Founder of Oulgaret Unit and Chairman of State Branch YHAI. Shri G. Krishnaraj, President and Shri R. Manogar, Vice



President of Oulgaret Unit presided over the event and Shri V. Sridharan, Chairman flagged off the event in the august presence of Shri T. Saravanan, State Vice President, Shri M. Shanmugavelu, State Secretary and Shri P. Anandarajan, Org Secretary.

Palm Tree Seed Planation on 14th August, 2021

In order to the increase the presence of valuable palm (Palmyra) trees and reap its benefits, 112 Palm seed plantation programme was organised on 14th August 2021 by the State EPC in association with Oulgaret Unit to commemorate the "112th Founder day 2021". The event was presided over by the Chief Guest Shri Dhanajezhiyan, Former President of Pallithennai Grama Panchayat, in the august presence of Shri T. Saravanan, State Vice President, Shri A. Rajamohan, State Treasurer, Shri M. Shanmugavelu, State Secretary, Shri P. Anandarajan, State Org. Secretary and Shri M. Shanmugam, Member of EPC.



Reddiyarpalayam Unit (Ad-hoc)

Reddiyarpalayam Unit (Ad-hoc) organised a food distribution program on 17.07.2021 for 50 plus needy people of Tribal at Irrulars colony Poothurai, Tamilnadu. The event was graced by the State Branch Office Bearers, State Executive Committee members and unit's members. The event was organised by the Convener, Shri K. Senthilkumar, Adhoc committee members Shri S. Bharathiraja and Shri Dineshkumar.



Pondy West Unit (Ad-hoc)

Tree Plantation Program on 18th July, 2021

Pondy West Unit (Ad-hoc) organised "Tree Saplings Plantation program" on 18.07.2021 at Ariyapalayam village, Villianur, Puducherry. The event was presided by Shri A. Rajamohan, State Treasurer and the event was graced by the Adhoc Committee Members and Unit Members of the Pondy West Unit participated in this program and 25 tree saplings were planted.



Cycle Expedition for Awareness Creation 31st July, 2021

Pondy West Unit (Ad-hoc) organised "Cycle Expedition Adventure program" for awareness on COVID Vaccinations and Environment Conservation on 31.07.2021. The expedition started from Gorimedu RTO check post to Thiruvakarai Fossil Park via Mailam Murugan Temple and returned through Thirumangalam and Vazhudavur to Puducherry covered around 60 kms and 6 members have participated in the said expedition. The event was organised by the Convenor Shri V. Shanmougam.



Cycle Expedition on 14th August, 2021



Pondy West Unit (Ad-hoc) organised "Cycle Expedition Adventure program" towards 112th Founders Day Celebration 2021 and promote YHAI adventures activities to the public on 14.08.2021. 6 unit members participated in this expedition and covered around 75 Kms vide by-cycle.

Palm Tree Seed Planation on 14th August, 2021

State EPC in association with Pondy West Unit (Ad-hoc) organised "Palm Seeds and Tree Saplings Plantation program" on 14.08.2021 at Ariyapalayam village, towards 112th Founders Day Celebration 2021.



Rajasthan State Branch

State Executive and State Council Meeting

First time Rajasthan State organised State Executive and State Council Meeting on Zoom successfully with the guidance of YHAI, National Office.

Jaisalmer and Shree Mohangarh Desert Unit

Cycle Rally and Tree planting Day on World Environment Day

Jaisalmer and Shree Mohangarh Desert Unit organised Cycle Rally and Tree planting Day on 05th June, 2021. Shri Hasana Ram, State Vice President flagged off the event. The rally passed through the main routes of the city while explaining about clean environment and reached at ShivMarhi Mandir.

Motorbiking Rally on International Yoga Day

Jaisalmer and Shree Mohangarh Desert Unit organized a motorbiking rally from Hanuman Choraha to Shivmarhi Vatika, Jaisalmer on 21st June, 2021. Shri Narayan Das Prajapat, State Treasurer flagged off the event and the main purpose of program was to spread awareness about Yogasan.

Rani Padmini Women Adhoc Unit

Cycling Rally and planting Trees

Rani Padmini Women adhoc unit organized cycling rally from hanuman choraha to Shivmarhi vatika with the coordination of Jaisalmer and Shree Mohangarh Desert Unit on 04th July, 2021. Ladies and girls of unit distributed education regarding female education and planting trees. They have also provided information regarding the cycling programs of YHAI.

Jaisalmer, Shree Mohangarh Desert and Rani Padmini Women Adhoc Unit

Jaisalmer, Shree Mohangarh Desert and Rani Padmini Women Adhoc Unit collaboratively organized a Tree planting activity on Maharawat Gharsi Ji Dune situated in Garisar Galav. This event was completed under the observation of Shri Chandan Singh Uttarakhandi. Boundary walls were constructed around the trees and regular watering is also given under the guidance of Shri Chandan Singh Uttarakhandi.

Sawai Madhopur Unit

Unit Chairman Smt. Kusum Gawai and Unit Secretary Smt. Anita Karnawat distributed masks to Forest Officers and Villagers time to time. Medicines were also distributed in village. On World Environment Day, cleaning of Plastic in Forest was done by the unit members and Painting competition was organized.

Pali Unit

Pali Unit planted trees at Shakti Mata Mandir area in Ranakpur and planned about regular watering to these plants on 14th August, 2021.

Chittorgarh Unit

Unit organized one day trekking program in Sita Mata Sanctuary on 09th August, 2021. Rajasthan State Branch also participated in this program and advertising of the program was done through motor biking rally.

Tamil Nadu State Branch

Munnar Cycling Program

State Branch Organised Munnar Cycling Program in the month of December, 2020. Around 28 Participants had participated. National Chairman, Shri S.Venkat Narayanan inaugurated this Cycling Program. The State Vice President, Dr.A.Raja had Flagged off on Second day and Group departed from Munnar Base Camp. Cycling Route : Munnar - Kundala - Pambhati Chola - Devikulam - Munnar.



Nilgris Trekking Program

The State Branch had organized Trekking Program at Nilgris Hills on April, 2021. Trekking Route : Ooty - Parsans Valley - Portimund - Pandiyar - Naduvattam - Mudumalai - Sholur - Ooty. In this Program, Around 40 Officers Trainees from IPS, IFS, IRS, etc had participated. National Chairman. Shri S.Venkat Narayanan inaugurated this Trekking Program. Camp Leaders Dr.A.Raja, Shri Koothan Manohar, Shri Shankar, Shri Murali Krishnan, Bhuvaneswaran, Shri Muthu karthi, Shri Arun Dixit and Shri Vivek Thomas had led respective Campsites. At Last day Felicitation Program, Nilgris DFO Shri Gurusamy, MCR HRD Institute Faculties were attended and distribute Momeentos to all.

Covid Program

The State Branch received 2 Oxygen Concentrators from National Office for providing help to needy people in the state. One of them had been donated to Chennai Hospital. Another Oxygen Concentrator had given to Nilgris Tribal Hospital through Nilgris Collector Mrs. Innocent Divya IAS on 23rd June 2021. In this occasion, National Council Member Dr.A.Raja donated Oxygen Concentrator to Nilgris Collector Mrs.Innocent Divya at Nilgris Collector Office . Kongu Unit EC Member Stalin and State Camp Leader Shri Surya had also attended in this Program.

Temple Welfare Camp

On behalf of Tamil Nadu State, Camp Leader Shri Surya had donated One Big Bedspread to Tamil Nadu Erode Kongalamman Temple on 17th July, 2021 in presence of Tamil Nadu State Vice President, Dr. A. Raja which is useful to Poor People Marriage Purpose.

Ooty Youth Hostel Development Committee Meeting

Ooty Youth Hostel Development Committee Meeting had held on 23rd August 2021 Nilgris Collector Mrs. Innocent Divya IAS had presided the Meeting. In this Meeting, various Decisions had taken. The Warden, Shri Bernard had shown last year Accounts. YHAI National Council Member Dr. A.Raja, Nilgris PWD Engineer and others had attended this Meeting. At last, Dr. A.Raja felicitated Nilgris Collector for rendering her Services for last more than 4 years and 2 months as Collector. It is great Record throughout India.

Tripura State Branch

As directed by YHAI National Office, Tripura State Branch of has successfully organized Voluntary Blood donation camp at Jampuijala, West Tripura District on 12th January, 2021. In the Blood donation camp 11 nos YHAI members has donated blood.

State Branch also organized Sleep for Peace program at Agartala on 21 September, 2021 under which State Branch distributed food and water among the needy people at IGM Hospital premises, Laxminarayan bari premises and Battala areas of Agartala, Tripura State. The food was provided to 32 people.

Uttar Pradesh State Branch

Distributed Corona Warrior Certificate.

Valley of Flower photography competition.

Triennial Election on 21st September.

Blood donation camp on 12th January.

'Save the Tiger' Competition.



Badhni Unit

Youth day celebration (12th January).

Kanpur Unit

Sanitization during corona.

Plantation on 5th June, 2021.



South City Kanpur Unit



Plantation on 75th Independence Day (15th August, 2020)

Saket Unit

River bank trekking in Ayodhya.

Heritage walks in Ayodhya on 26th September 2020.

Seminar on Tourism on 27th September 2020.

Seminar on Foundation day on 27th September, 2020

Plantation on 5th June, 30th July.

Participated in Deepotsav 2020.

Blood donation camp on 12th January, 2021



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Lakhimpur Kheri Unit

Plantation on 7th August, 2021

Lucknow Unit

In the leadership of Co- Vice President, Shri Rajesh Verma, Chairman Shri Rajesh Mishra, Unit Secretary, Shri Shiv Kumar and Unit Members, the following activities are organised :

Free Cloth distribution on 19th December.

Family camping in Nainital from 22nd December to 24th December.

Nainital Trekking on 3rd January to 10th January.

Republic Day celebration (26th January).

Rashtrapati Bhawan Garden Tour on 21 March.

Cloth distribution on June 24, 2021.

Plantation on 26th September 2020, 5th June, 24th June, 14th July (foundation day) 24 July, 28 July, 10th August.

On foundation day free uniform and food material distribution.

Plantation on sports day i.e. 29th September.



Meerut Unit

In the leadership of Unit Secretary, Shri Surendra Kumar and Unit members conducted the following activities :-

Kasauli tour from 1st October 2020 to 5th October 2020

Blood donation camp on 12th January.

Environment Conservation.



Shane Awadh Unit

Photography competition on tourism day.

Blood donation camp on 12th January.

Republic day celebration.

Free clothes, food etc. distribution to needy people on 5th April.

Plantation on 4th June & 10th July, 2020.

On 72th Foundation Day, 14th July, plantation was done by unit.

Ride on 75th Independence Day (15th August, 2020).

Workshop on photography.

Seminar on Foundation day. Photography competition on 27th September, 2021.

Sports day program on 29th September.



Tulsipur Unit

Poster competition on world polio day 24th October

Online dance competition on Navratri & Deepawali in 4 groups.

Republic day celebration.

Drawing competition on Holi in 4 groups.

Blood donation camp on 12th January 2021, 23rd March 2021, 27th June 2021 and 15th August 2021.

E camp fire on 13th June and 10th July.

Mask and Sanitizer distribution.

Various online activities for children during lockdown.



Utrala Unit

Blanket distribution on 26th January.

Mask distribution on 28th September 2020 & 9th August 2021.



Aligarh Unit

Free food distribution continued for 9 days.



Uttarakhand State Branch Nainital Unit

On 20th September, 2020 a virtual EC meeting of unit convened. The following were attended online:

1. Dr. Girija P. Pandey-President
2. Shri Siddharth Sah-Chairman
3. Mrs. Saroj Plaiwal-Co-Chairman
4. Dr. Hari S. Bisht- Secretary
5. Dr. Deepak Paliwal, Tresurer
6. Shri Dheeraj Tewari-Organizing Secretary

Following members were also attended;
Shri Dinesh Joshi L/M
Shri Abhay Bisht Prosp. Member

A virtual meeting was convened by the state branch on 10th January, 2021. From the Nainital Unit following were attended;

- I. Dr. Girija Pande
- II. Dr. Deepak Paliwal
- III. Mrs. S. Paliwal
- IV. Dr. Hari S. Bisht

On 7th March, 2021 & 15 March, 2021 two virtual meetings were convened by the state branch to discuss the purchasing of ten MTB (a proposal of the Nainital unit for promoting the YHAI activities in the state)

The meeting was attended by following;

Prof. (Dr.) Devendra Bhasin
Chairman, State Branch
Shri Sanjay Tandan, State Secretary
Dr. Girija Pande, State Org.
Sec./President, Nainital Unit
Dr. Hari S. Bisht, Secretary, Nainital
Dr. Deepak Paliwal, Treasurer,
Nainital
Mrs. S. Paliwal, VP, Nainital
Shri Amit Chouhan, Ddn
Shri Nitin Dua, Ddn
Shri Shashi Kant, Ddn
Shri Shrinath Ponnam, Ddn



On 19th March, 2021, the State Branch allows to purchase five cycles for Nainital unit. The unit has started the 'Cycling for Social Cause' campaign towards promoting the objectives and achieving through this it.

Finally Unit has got five MTB Cycles for the promotion of YHA activities in the region/district.



Surmount Public School Campus, Basani

The drive was started on the Friday, 16th July, 2021, Harela day from the Surmount Public School, Basani. Trees were planted at the surmount public school campus at Basani Village about 12 km. far from Haldwani city, as all 15 members walked through their Cycles early morning and planted fruits and medicinal trees at the pre-decided place and also pledged to take care of these trees at least in a month till they become older.



The New Montessori School Campus, Chaklua, outskirts of Haldwani

On August 1, 2021, a prize distribution ceremony was organized at Shamrock School at Haldwani by YHAI Nainital Unit for the winners of Save Tiger Campaign Sponsored by MP Save the Tiger Foundation and MP State Branch of YHAI. After a penal of judges observation following students won first second and third:

1. Vedang Joshi
2. Aranyan Gandharve
3. Rudrakshi Bisht



Painting prizes distribution event held at Shemrock World School

YHAI Nainital unit members participated in final tree plantation of one month long drive under YHAI's "Cycling for Social Cause" Initiative on the occasion of 75th Independence day, on 15th August, 2021. In a form of cycle rally at , it was flagged off by Shri K K Kapil, Director, PD Memorial School from the School gate and all reached GIC Narayan Nagar Medicinal saplings were planted at the campus of the college before flag hoisting and recite of Rashtra Gaan. Introduction of YHAI has given by unit President Prof. Girija P.Pandey followed by a kavita on nature's gift by Mr. Vinod Joshi. Thanks was extended to the college Principal, Teachers, Staff and students by the unit Secretary Dr. Hari S Bisht.

In the month long drive on every Sunday YHAI cyclists went to different institutions of the town and planted a total 51 trees. They pledged for taking care them by meeting their tree time to time. Starred E -certificate of appreciation were dispatched to all participant through Emails/WhatsApp.



Tree Plantation



Cycling for Social Cause

West Bengal State Branch

Asansol Unit

Basanto Utsab celebration:

The festival of colours Basanto Utsab was celebrated on 28th March, 2021 at District Library auditorium with active presence & participation of Unit members. Cultural programme dance, drama, recitation, songs was performed by the members.

Independence Day Celebration on 15th August, 2021

The auspicious day was celebrated at Unit office with creative activities of the members.

Prize & certificate was distributed among the participants of T Shirt painting completion on the initiative of MP Tiger Foundation collaboration & forwarded by YHAI MP State Branch.

Burdwan Unit

Members donated an amount of thirty thousand rupees responding to the call of unit which was handed over to the cultural activists of TEPANTOR THEATRE VILLAGE who were in utter financial distress during the lockdown in 2020.

We organised a trip to Gangdua (Shali river dam), Bankura, from 2-3rd January 2021 which was attended by twenty four members of unit. We also visited nearby spots like Bisindha hill during the tour.

YHAI Burdwan unit organised another trip to Gangdua comprising of 13 members on 3-4 April 2021 and also visited neighbouring places.

Howrah District Committee:

26TH ADVENTURE-CUM-NATURE STUDY CAMP : Duration - 21st January to 27th January, 2021

Place : Brindabanpur, Santuri, Purulia (W.B.)

No. of Trainees : 36

Camp Commandant : Dr. Prabir Ranjan Sur, Field-Director : Indrajit Hazra,
Camp In-charge : Banibrata Karar, Rakesh Mullick

ANNUAL PICNIC & SPORTS : Date : 7th February, 2021 Venue : Jadavbati, Maju, Howrah (W.B.)

No. of Participants : 60

FRUIT DISTRIBUTION PROGRAMME : Date : 21st February, 2021, Venue : Shromojibi Hospital, Belur, Howrah (W.B.)

No. of Patients to distribute : 82

ODISHA EXCURSION : Duration : 26th March to 1st April, 2021
Team Leaders : Subir Banerjee, Arnab Pachal
Visiting Places : Gopalpur Daringbari Puri
Total Members Present : 40

BENGALI NEW YEAR'S CELEBRATION : Date : 25th April, 2021
Venue : Bantra Anath Bandhu Samity, Howrah (W.B.) Members Present : 50
Publish : 'Simana Chhariye' Magazine
[Recitation, dance, music, flute etc. are performed of our Members]

Kadambini Unit

Kadambini, 2nd Women's Unit Bardhaman, has successfully organised the T-shirt Painting Competition on 24th July 2021 at Riddhi, Nibedita Abasan, Kanainatshal, Purba Bardhaman which was arranged by Madhya Pradesh State Branch. There were a total of 30 participants including tender students as well as mothers and senior citizens. The mode of painting was Fabric colour where each participant brought their own tools. All the rules and regulations along with safety for Covid-19 was maintained by the unit and all measures of protections were taken. The institution was delighted to hold such a mesmerizing event gathering all the women and setting an example of Women Empowerment.

Pandua Unit

The National Youth Day was celebrated by organising voluntary Blood Donation Camp on 12th January'21 with the enthusiasm and participation of the members. State Chairman, State Secretary & State Treasurer grace the occasion and congrats the donors

Regent Park Unit

Yaas Relief Program at Dadanpatrabar on 5th June 2021

On 5th June, 2021, World Environment Day, YHAI Regent Park Unit supported 100 families at Dadanpatrabar, Purba Medinipur who lost their shelters & belongings in the cyclone Yaas last With the help of all YHAI members & well wishers we were able to help them with dhotis, sarees, dresses for men, women & children, various dry foods, etc. They acknowledged the effort of the Unit.

YHAI on Social Media



Facebook: 1,04,366+ Likes & 1,05,320+ Followers

Instagram: 18,800+ followers

YouTube: 3400+ Subscribers

Twitter: 3140 Followers

YHAI Hostels in India

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

<p>INTERNATIONAL YOUTH HOSTEL NEW DELHI</p> <p>5 Nyaya Marg, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi -110021 Contact : Reception Phone:11-26116285; 24101246 Email: hostelbooking@yhaindia.org</p>	<p>INTERNATIONAL YOUTH HOSTEL DARJEELING</p> <p>Opposite New Taxi Stand & Multi Level Parking, Just 300 Mtr. Before of Darjeeling Railway Station on Main Road, Chota Kakjhora, Darjeeling-734101 Contact : Reception Phone :+91 354 2252001, +91 8754044504 Email:darjeeling@yhaindia.org hostelbooking@yhaindia.org</p>
<p>INTERNATIONAL YOUTH HOSTEL MYSURU</p> <p>B-1 5th Main, 15th Cross Gokulam II nd Stage Mysuru Karnataka 570 002 Contact : Reception Phone: 0821-2511442,2511542,+91 8105229050, Email: mysore@yhaindia.org</p>	<p>INTERNATIONAL YOUTH HOSTEL LEH (May-Sep)</p> <p>Skara, Next to Hotel Shambhala Resort, Near Zorawar Fort Leh-194101 Contact :National Office Phone : 011-7827999000 Email:contact@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

Feed to Children Drive under International Day of Peace, 21st September, 2021

Hostelling International (HI) is celebrating “Sleep for Peace” program globally since 2015 on 21st September every year on the UN International Day of Peace.

This year Youth Hostels Association of India has also participated in this program “Sleep for Peace”. A Happy Full Stomach encourages good and sound sleep! In the light of this statement on 21st September 2021 YHA India with its all the State Branches has provided free meals to the children in various orphanages across India, with an aim of contributing a little for the wellbeing of orphan children by giving them nutrient rich food for a day.

Total 5740 Orphan Children fed during the event across all India.



Relief extended during Covid-19 in different parts of the County

National Chairman appealed to all members of National Executive Committee, National Council and sub-Committees, State Branches, Units and Youth Hostels and general members of YHAI to contribute in the relief fund created to help the people who have affected due to outbreak of Covid-19.

All of them contributed Rs. 12,82,740/- in this fund generously. The fund is already utilized by the National Office by distributing medical help to the society and oxygen concentrators to the State Branches to provide the help to locals.

The following members contributed in the said fund:

S.N	Name	Received	Unit/State	State
1	YHAI Palakollu Unit	29,500	PALAKOL	AP
2	Mr. KEV Prasad	5,000	VISAKHA CITY UNIT	AP
3	Shri Sai Ramaraju	1,000	UKKUNAGARAM	AP
4	Late Shri VN Pratap Family	5,000	VISAKHA DISTRICT	AP
5	Shri Ravi Paul	1,000	UKKUNAGARAM	AP
6	Shri Pundari Kaksha	1,000	VISAKHA CITY UNIT	AP
7	Shri Ibrahim	1,000	VISAKHA DISTRICT	AP
8	Dr. Padma latha	1,000	VISAKHA DISTRICT	AP
9	Shri Jagapati Raju	1,000	UKKUNARAM	AP
10	Shri P Nagesh	1,000	VISAKHA DISTRICT	AP
11	Shri Varma Raju	1,000	VISAKHA DISTRICT	AP
12	G. Srinivas	1,000	UKKUNAGARAM	AP
13	Shri Surya Kumar	1,000	UKKUNAGARAM	AP
14	Shri M Krishna Murthy	1,000	UKKUNAGARAM	AP
15	Shri SRC Mohan	500	VISAKHA CITY UNIT	AP
16	Shri KV Raju	1,000	VISAKHA DISTRICT	AP
17	Shri E Srinivasa Rao	500	UKKUNAGARAM	AP
18	Shri DVV Ramchandra Raju	1,000		AP
19	Shri Balaji Guru	1,000		AP
20	SRS Sharma	5,000	VISAKHA DISTRICT	AP
21	Shri Srinivasa Raju (Ukkunagaram)	1,000	UKKUNAGARAM	AP
22	Shri JGK Raju (ukkunagaram)	1,000	UKKUNAGARAM	AP
23	Prof. Matlapudi Satyanarayana	15,000	BHIMAVARAM	AP
24	Dr. Aswini Kr. Sarma	2,000	Assam State	Assam
25	Shri RK Prasad	5,001	Patna Unit	Bihar
26	YHAI Bihar State Branch	76,715	Bihar State	Bihar
27	CA. Seshank Moghe - Chairman CA. Ashok Jhabak - Secretary	11,111	Raipur Unit Raipur Unit	Chhatisgarh Chhatisgarh
28	Yogesh Gupta - Chairman Subodh Dewangan - Secretary	5,000	Dhamtari Unit Dhamtari Unit	Chhatisgarh Chhatisgarh
29	Prshant Kr. Mishra - Chairman Suman Mandal - Secretary	2,000	Raigarh Unit Raigarh Unit	Chhatisgarh Chhatisgarh
30	Sandeep Seth - Chairman Shailendra Namdeo - Secretary	2,001	Korba Unit	Chhatisgarh Chhatisgarh
31	K.Subramanyam - Secretary	2,001	Bhilai Unit	Chhatisgarh
32	Sandeep Seth - Chairman K.Subramanyam - Secretary	3,001	Chhatisgarh State	Chhatisgarh
33	Shri Sadeep Seth - Personally Donated	2,101	Korba Unit	Chhatisgarh
34	Shri J K Shrivastwa	51,000	Delhi State	Delhi
35	Shri Rashmikant C. Chhipa	100001	Gujarat State Branch	Gujrat
36	Shri Rohitbhai Patel	5000	AMD Bapunagar	Gujrat
37	Shri Yashpalsinh Jhala	31000	AMD Main	Gujrat
38	Shri Kiritbhai K. Patel	10000	AMD North	Gujrat
39	Dr Hasuben Patel	5000	AMD Shahibaug	Gujrat
40	Shri Dharmeshbhai B. Vyas	3333	AMD Sabarmati	Gujrat
41	Shri Nareshbhai S. Chauhan	12500	Bharuch	Gujrat
42	Shri Prabhatsinh B. Gohil	11100	Bhavnagar	Gujrat

43	Shri Mihirbhai D. Raval	5000	Bilimora	Gujrat
44	Shri Nareshbhai H. Agrawal	2100	Dhrangadhra	Gujrat
45	Shri Vinodbhai G. Ukani	5100	Dhoraji	Gujrat
46	Shri Chaitanyabhai Nimavat	2500	Gandhinagar	Gujrat
47	Shri Milanbhai C. Thaker	40802	Jamnagar	Gujrat
48	Shri Mukeshbhai J. Desai	11000	Junagadh	Gujrat
49	Shri Parthbhai Sorathiya	5100	Kachchh (Kandla)	Gujrat
50	Shri Anantbhai B. Dhani	2100	Kachchh(SKV Nagar)	Gujrat
51	Shri Rajeshbhai D. Purohit,	10001	Mahuva	Gujrat
52	Shri Vishveshbhai Joshi	10000	Palanpur	Gujrat
53	Shri Akshaybhai Patel	2500	Patan	Gujrat
54	Shri Narendrabhai D. Kotia,	5100	Porbandar	Gujrat
55	Shri Bhashyantbhai T. Thakkar	13362	Sanand	Gujrat
56	Dr Mauleshbhai N. Joshi	2500	Vadodara	Gujrat
57	Shri Rashminbhai Joshi	5100	V. V. Nagar	Gujrat
58	Shri Kuldeepbhai V. Sharma	11000	Wanakbori	Gujrat
59	Smt. Vijayaben H. Joshi	2100	Palanpur	Gujrat
60	Dr. Manubhai Kubavat	5100	Sanand	Gujrat
61	Sh. Rajivbhai Desai	15000	Bapunagar	Gujrat
62	Sh. Jitendra Rakholiya	5000	Bapunagar	Gujrat
63	Smt. Vibhaben Deshpande	2500	Vadodara	Gujrat
64	Sh. Shaielshbhai Desai	2100	Surat (Udhana)	Gujrat
65	Sh. Arunbhai, Member	1000	Bapunagar	Gujrat
66	Sh. Rameshbhai Andharia	1001	Bhavnagar	Gujrat
67	Sh. Yashpalsinh Member	1000	Bapunagar	Gujrat
68	Shri Pawan Bansal	2,500	Ladwa Unit	Haryana State
69	Jiya Lal Bansal	2,100	Fatehabad Unit	Haryana State
70	Deepak Bhardwaj	10,000	Rohtak Unit	Haryana State
71	Dr.P.M.Gaur	5,100	Sonipat Unit	Haryana State
72	Nakul Mohunta	2,100	Sirsa Unit	Haryana State
73	Shri Shivendra Dubey	11,000	Jharkhand	Jharkhand
74	YHAI J&K State	20,000	J&K State	J&K
75	Shri K Purushotham	10,000	Karnataka	Karnataka
76	Shri Haridas	15,000	Kerala State Branch	Kerala
77	Shri Atul Ramesh Ajmera	5,100		Maharashtra
78	YHAI Kandiwali Unit	25,000	Kandiwali Unit	Maharashtra
79	Youth Hostel Pune	7,000		Maharashtra
80	Shri Atul Bhardwaj	11,101	Amrawati Unit	Mahasashtra
81	Shri Anand Joshi	10,000	Sholapur Unit	Maharashtra
82	Shri E D Nongsiang	50,000	Meghalaya State	Meghalaya
83	Shri Zothanmawia	5,000	Mizoram State	Mizoram
84	YHAI Sarvani Adhoc Unit	6,751	Sarvani Adhoc Unit	MP
85	Mandideep Unit	3,000	Mandideep Unit	MP
86	Mr. Jeewan Lal Sharma	2,100	Mandideep Unit	MP
87	Agwaral, Tikamgad Unit	5,000	Tikamgad Unit	MP
88	Dinesh Kumar Gupta, Rewa Unit	5,000	Rewa Unit	MP
89	Shri Manav Agnihotri	5,100	Lake City Unit	MP
90	YHAI MP State Branch	21,000	MP State	MP
91	Shri Prakash Rai	2,100	Lake City Unit	MP
92	YHAI Gwalior Unit	11,000	Gwalior Unit	MP

93	Lake City	25,000	Lake City Unit	MP
94	Sahajapur Unit	1,100	Sahajapur Unit	MP
95	Shri Ashok Kumar Golane	5,000	Indore Dis. Unit	MP
96	Shri Pradeep Balmiki	1,111	Satpuda Unit	MP
97	Shri Kishore Mangrulkar	1,111	Satpuda Unit	MP
98	Shri Arshad,	500	Satpuda Unit	MP
99	Shri Arvind	500	Satpuda Unit	MP
100	Shri Prakash Chandra GA	500	Ratlam Unit	MP
101	Shri Gopal Sharma	10,100	Katni Unit	MP
102	UJJAIN UNIT	14,900	Ujjain Unit	MP
103	Shri. N. Egilane Lebel, State Chairman	10,000	Puducherry	Puducherry State
104	Shri. V. Sridharan, Unit Chairman	47,501	Oulgaret Unit	Puducherry State
105	Shri. M. Senthilkumar, Unit Chairman	5,000	Kalapet Unit	Puducherry State
106	Ms. Anu Muthukumar, Convener	10,000	Jeanne D'Arc Women	Puducherry State
107	Shri. R. Kulasegaran, Convener	2,000	Reddiyarpalayam Unit	Puducherry State
108	Shri. U. Devasenadhipathi, Convener	5,500	Vedhapuri Unit	Puducherry State
109	Shri PN Dave	25000	Orissa State Branch	Orrisa
110	YHAI Rourkela Unit Orisa	11000	Rourkela Unit Orisa	Orrisa
111	Shri Ashok Khanna	21000	Rajasthan State	Rajasthan
112	Shri Mool singh	10000	Jaisalmer Unit	Rajasthan
113	S. Venkat Narayanan	51,000	Tamilnadu State	Tamilnadu
114	S. Venkat Narayanan	5,000	Tamilnadu State	Tamilnadu
115	Shri Shankar	2,000		Tamilnadu
116	Shri Raja	2,000		Tamilnadu
117	Shri Ayyappan	1,000		Tamilnadu
118	Shri Subodh	1,000		Tamilnadu
119	Shri G V Sriram	1,000		Tamilnadu
120	Smt Shanthy	1,000		Tamilnadu
121	Shri E Jeevanandam	2,000		Tamilnadu
122	Shri Subramani	1,000		Tamilnadu
123	Shri Chandrasekar Chariman	5,000	Rajapslay Unit	Tamilnadu
124	Shri M Sekar	1,001		Tamilnadu
125	Dr. Girija Seshadri	10,000	Jai Gopal Garodia Hindu Vidyalaya	Tamilnadu
126	S. Venkat Yadav	5,000	Telengana State	Telengana
127	Shri Bibhuti Deb Verma	5,000	Tripura State	Tripura
128	Shri J P Sharma	21,000	UP State	UP
129	Shri Pankaj Shrivastawa	20,000	Shan E Awadh Unit,	UP
130	Shri Sanjay Tandon	10,000	Uttrakhand State	Uttrakhand
131	Shri Mintu Sah	2,002		WB
132	Shri Ravi Shankar Paul	25,000	West Bengal State	WB
133	Shri Gulshan Gandhi	2,500	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
134	Mr. Gulzar Ahmed	600	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
135	Mrs. Anjana Sejwal	2,000	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
136	Mr Sanjay Kumar Mishra	1,000	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
137	Shri Suresh	605	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
138	Shri Abhinav Pandey	1,001	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee

139	Shri manish Saxena	1,000	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
140	Shri Shrestha	1,000	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
141	Shri Tanmoy	1,001	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
142	Shri Anshul Sood	1,000	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
143	Shri Rajpal Singh	1,000	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
144	Shri Saurav Sadhu Khan	1,000	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
145	Shri Navin Tiwari	1,111	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
146	Smt Charanjeet Kaur	2,600	YHAI Employee	YHAI Employee
147	Shri Satish Chopra	5,100	NYHT Employee	NYHT Employee
148	Shri Tapas Kumar Kundu	1,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
149	Shri Pururava Acharya	100	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
150	Shri Rinesh Kumar	3,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
151	Shri Meena Chawala	1,111	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
152	Shri Abhi Dixit	1,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
153	Mss.Neha Joshi	600	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
154	Shri Anup Kumar	2,100	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
155	Shri Pankaj Kumar	500	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
156	Shri Jagat Baxi	500	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
157	Shri Bharat J Nirmal	2,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
158	Shri Bharat J Nirmal	2,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
159	Shri Bharat J Nirmal	5,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
160	Shri Pradeep P Sahu	2,001	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
161	Shri Debadutta Arun Das	1,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
162	Shri Naresh Shankar Shi	1,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
163	Subramanaian K M	10,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
164	Mr Yoosuf T	1,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
165	Unknowan Person	10,000	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
166	Mrs Varsha	2,001	Unit Name is not known	State Name is not known
	Total	1,282,740		

Donation of Oxygen concentrators

Out of the above fund, YHAI purchased Oxygen Concentrators to overcome the shortage of oxygen at different locations of the country. The oxygen concentrators were handed over to the below mentioned State Branches with the aim to keep it in their custody and who so ever is needy may be given to him/her in case of emergency.

01	Madhya Pradesh State Branch (Indore Unit)
01	Kept in the National Office for the use of IYH Delhi
01	IYH Mysuru
02	Tamil Nadu State Branch
02	Odisha State branch
02	Gujarat State branch
02	Goa State branch
01	Kerala State branch
01	Puducherry state branch
01	Karnataka State branch
05	Kept by National Office for the use in programmes and donating to Kullu Hospital
19	Total

Mega Blood Donation Camp on the birth Anniversary of Swami Vivekananda and National Youth Day on 12th January, 2021

YHAI organized a Mega Blood Donation Camp throughout India. All the State Branches/Units/Youth Hostels participated in this great Mega Blood Donation Campaign.

YHAI thanks to all State Branches, Units & Hostels for coming forward to make this Campaign a grand success. Total Collection of Units 1544

State Branch	Unit	Blood Units	Blood Units donated by each State
AP	Ukkunagaram	53	71
	Palakollu	18	
Bihar	Bhojpur	18	90
	Purnea and Amarpali	72	
Chhattisgarh	Dhamtari	16	81
	Korba Unit	15	
	RAIPUR	7	
	Raigarh	11	
	Bilaspur(ADHOC)	6	
	Bhilai Unit	26	
Delhi/IYH	Delhi IYH	34	34
Gujrat	PALANPUR	42	187
	Patan	18	
	Ahmedabad North	54	
	OKHA UNIT	51	
	Bilimora	22	
Jharkhand	Jamshedpur Unit	11	11
Karnataka	Sagara Unit	54	94
	Tarnuodaya Unit	40	
Kerala	Malappuram	33	33
IYH Mysuru /Gangotri Unit	IYH Mysuru/Gangotri Unit	44	44
Madhya Pradesh	Satpuda unit	57	620
	Indore city unit	54	
	GWALIOR Fort	40	
	BHEL Bhopal	29	
	Sarwani Indore	9	
	Indore Distt	33	
	Lake City Bhopal	53	
	Katni	35	
	Betul	22	
	Ratlam Unit	34	
	Ujjain Unit	14	
	Shajapur	22	
	Bhojpur Mandideep	106	
	Rajgargh	58	
	Satna	54	
Puducherry	Oulgaret Unit	6	29
	Kalapet Unit	11	

Mega Blood Donation Camp

	Jeanne D' Arc Women Unit	3	
	Reddiyarpalayam Unit	4	
	Vedhapuri Unit	5	
Telangana State Branch		30	30
Tamil Nadu		59	59
Tripura State Branch	Tripura State Branch	10	10
Uttar Pradesh	Tulsipur	13	91
	Shaneawadh	23	
	Saket	27	
	Meerut	13	
	Lucknow	15	
West Bengal	Pandua Unit	30	60
	Howrah Dist. Committee	30	
Total		1544	1544

Covid Care Center at Mysuru International Youth Hostel

The MOU was signed with Brindavan Hospital to convert the Mysuru International Youth Hostel into Covid Care Center (CCC) from 4th May 21 until end of May 2021. Accordingly 63 beds were provided to run the CCC

Women Empowerment

To encourage and increase the number of women in YH movement, YHAI have taken an initiative to form Women Units. The following two Women Units joined the chain :

1. Visakhapatnam Women Adhoc Unit, Andhra Pradesh
2. Rani Padmini Adhoc Unit, Rajasthan

YHAI Meeting

National Executive Committee Meeting

The National Executive Committee meetings were held on 3rd April, 2021 at AP Tourism Hotel, Visakhapatnam in which some of the important decisions have been taken. This meeting was chaired by Mr. 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.

Support from Government Department

No. 325/1/2019-16/CS/CSO
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
Department of Personnel & Training

Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated 04th December, 2015

No. 98016/3/89-Estt (A)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
(DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING)

New Delhi-110 001 dt: 25 October, 1989

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's O.M. No. 98016/9/84-Estt(A), dated 11-4-1985 which provides for grant of special casual leave to government employees 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 organised by Youth Hostels Association of India as well as Expeditions which have the approval of the Indian Mountaineering Federation.

2. Therefore, the period of absence from duty of Central Government employees 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 —

- That the expedition has the approval of the Indian Mountaineering Federation or is organised by Youth Hostels Association of India; and
 - There will be no change in the overall limit of 30 days of special casual leave for an individual Government servant for one calendar year for participating in sporting events of national or international importance.
- ii. The period of absence in excess of 30 days should be treated as regular leave of the kind admissible 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

To
All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India.
No. 98016/3/89-Estt(A), New Delhi, the 25 October, 1989
Copy with usual number of spare copies, forwarded to —

- Comptroller and Auditor General of India, New Delhi.
- Union Public Service Commission, New Delhi.
- Central Vigilance Commission, New Delhi.
- Registrar Supreme Court of India, New Delhi.
- Central Administrative Tribunal, Principal Bench, New Delhi.
- Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha Secretariat.
- Commissioner for Linguistic Minorities, Allahabad.
- All Union Territories Administrations.
- All attached and subordinate offices of the Department of Personnel and Training, Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances and Department of Pension and Pensioners's Welfare.
- All offices and Sections in the Department of Personnel and Training, Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances and Department of Pension and Pensioners's Welfare.

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

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subj: Scheme for promotion of Adventure Sports and similar activities amongst Central Government Employees.

The undersigned is directed to enclose herewith a copy of the Scheme for promotion of Adventure Sports and similar activities amongst Central Government Employees with the request that the contents of the Scheme may please be disseminated amongst the employees who are eligible to avail the benefits of the Scheme.

- The details of the programme etc. will be circulated/loaded on the website of the Department of Personnel & Training separately.

(Ajay Jais)
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.
Tel:25469261

To
Director/Deputy Secretary (Administration) of all
Ministries/Deptt.

LIST OF APPROVED INSTITUTES/ORGANISATIONS FOR SCHEME FOR PROMOTION OF ADVENTURE SPORTS AND SIMILAR ACTIVITIES AMONGST GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES AS ON 13.04.2016

1. Ramu Institute of Mountaineering, Uttarakhand, Uttarakhand. (Recognized by Ministry of Defence and Government of Uttarakhand) <http://www.ramuindia.net>
2. Atal Bihari Vajpayee Institute of Mountaineering and Allied Sports, Manali, Himachal Pradesh, (Government of Himachal Pradesh) <http://www.abvimsportshimachal.org>
3. Indian Institute of Skiing & Mountaineering, Department of Tourism, Gulmarg, Jammu & Kashmir (Ministry of Tourism) <http://www.iismgmjammu.in>
4. National Institute of Water Sports, Vasco da Gama, Goa. (Ministry of Tourism) <http://www.niwsn.in>
5. Swami Vivekanand Institute of Mountaineering, Mount Abu, Rajasthan. (Government of Gujarat) <http://www.svimount.com>
6. Garwal Mandal Videsh Nigam Ltd. Dehradun, Uttarakhand. (Government of Uttarakhand) <http://www.gmnl.com/engpage>
7. Himalayan Mountaineering Institute (HMI), Darjeeling, West Bengal. <http://www.hmi-darjeeling.com>
8. Jawahar Institute of Mountaineering (JIM), Palaiyam, JKK. <http://www.jawaharinstituteofmountain.com>
9. National Institute of Mountaineering & Allied Sports (NIMAS), Dibrang, Arunachal Pradesh.
10. Youth Hostels Association of India (YHAI), Chankyapur, New Delhi. <http://www.yhai.co.in>

Financial Summary of Youth Hostels Association of India

Consolidated Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended March 31, 2021

(Amount in Rupees)

Sch	Year Ended 31.03.2021	Year Ended 31.03.2020
INCOME		
Membership Collection	H 6,307,435	13,525,330
Programme Income	I 18,837,853	120,349,525
Hostel Receipt	J 1,933,298	7,734,746
Other Income	K 6,286,356	8,179,032
Donations & Grants	138,860	75,759
TOTAL INCOME	33,503,803	149,864,392
EXPENDITURE		
Consumption of Saleable Articles	L 45,073	472,938
Programme Expenses	M 15,475,830	82,023,433
Administrative Expenses	N 32,043,657	46,892,039
Donation to others	310,651	66,254
Grants-in-aid to States/units	403,104	720,047
Depreciation	11,663,178	12,511,243
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	59,941,493	142,685,954
Excess of Income over Expenditure	(26,437,690)	7,178,438
Less: Transfer to Capital Reserve Fund	(412,605)	(780,576)
Less: Transfer to Journal Reserve Fund	(412,605)	(780,576)
Less : Transfer to TPS Chwala Justice Fund	(115,887)	(111,846)
Less : Transfer to Sidharth Fund	(32,917)	(69,083)
Surplus transferred to Balance Sheet	(27,411,704)	5,436,357

Significant accounting policies and notes on accounts o

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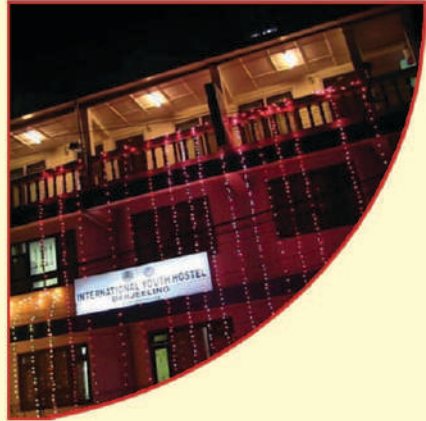
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