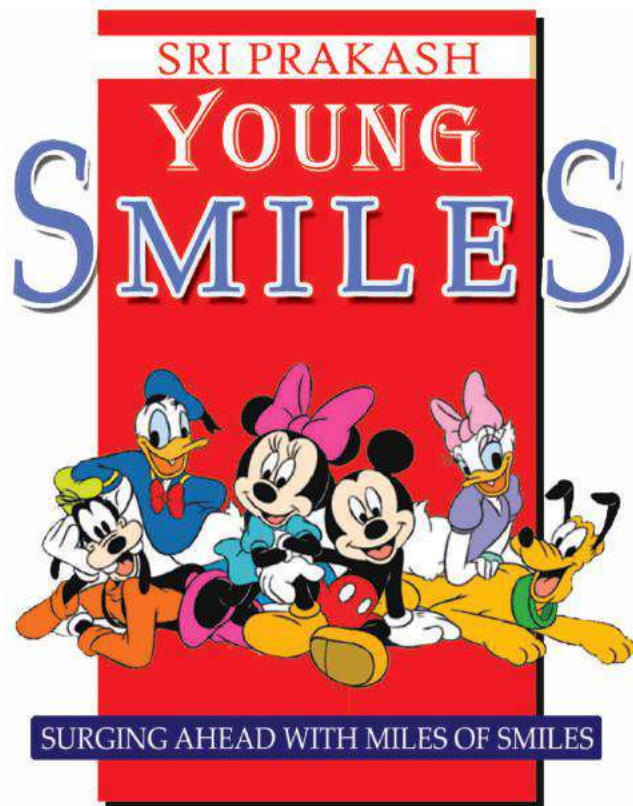




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SRI PRAKASH NEWSLETTER



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SRI PRAKASH
Children's
PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

Captain Suresh Sharma,
Renowned Wildlife and Nature Photographer



Our Inspiration - Our Guide
Sri Ch.V.K. Narasimha Rao

Every successful person must have begun with the belief that his future would and should be better than the present and that he should prepare himself today

K. B. Subramaniam, Retd. Principal RIE Mysore, **Dr. P. V. Brahmachari**, HOD, Bio-Technology, Krishna University, Machilipatnam **Sri Balkrishna**



Sri Balkrishna Shetty, IFS (Rtd.),
India's Ambassador to Sweden, Latvia, Bahrain, Senegal and Mali with Prakashites.

(from right to left : **Sri S. Diwakar**, Retd. Addl. S.P, **Prof. G.S.N. Murthy**, **Prof. V. Bala Mohan Das**, Former V.C. Acharya Nagarjuna University, **Prof. Raja Gopal**

Shetty for inculcating the importance of S.T.E.M. among the Prakashites. I extend my fond regards and thanks especially to . I am extremely thankful to all the patriots **Prof. Y. Satyanarayana**, Director, School of Law GITAM and **Sri P. Neelamani Prasad**, Retd. English Lecturer **Sri A. Srinivas Sarma**, Sr. Advocate - High Court, **Sri Sabbavarapu Suryanarayana**, Rtn. **Balakrishna Rai**, Commander **P. Ramarao**, who raised patriotism among on Prakashites

Ikuko, Deputy Director, Sakura Kindergarten, Japan and **Mr. Takahasi Kazuya**, Assistant Principal Teacher, Junior High School of Kogakuin University,

Japan for blessing the teachers on the occasion. I earnestly thank **Sri Prabhal Mohanty**, Professional Photographer, **Captain Suresh Sharma**, Indian Army Veteran, Team leader-Green Dot Expeditions, **Sri B.K. Agrawal**, Renowned Photographer, Agrawal Images **Sri C. V. Subrahmanya**, Versatile Photographer, The Hindu, who graced the school on World Photography Day. The members of the Photography Club could exercise their skills with the fond advise and interaction of **Sri K. Bhaskar Rao**, **Sri K. R. Deepak**, **Sri S. V. S. Ravi Kumar**, an

Studies (CTMS), **Dr. Aditi Singhal**, **Mrs. Mala Palani**, **Brother B. K. Rajesh Arora** and **Sister B. K. Madhuri**, **Mrs. Gowri Mirley Achanta**, **Mrs.**



"Inculcate S.C.A.M.P.E.R."

Substitute, Combine, Adopt, Modify, Put to use, Eliminate, Rearrange "

Dr. Janchai Ying Prayoon

Dy. Dean, Suan Sunanda Rajabhat University, Thailand

Sonia Relia, for agreeing to empower our Teachers. I whole heartedly thank **Ms. Divya Devaguptapu**, an internationally acclaimed Bharatnatyam dancer and choreographer, for allocating time to interact with the budding dancers. I thank **Mr. Lakshman Namal Rajapaksa**, Member of Parliament, Sri Lankan, **Sri Sudhakar C Agarkar**,

for the future that would be his. To be able to nurture such individuals with the needed requirements children at Sri Prakash are postulated into myriad amalgamation of activities both scholastically and co-scholastically. We ensure children are provided the

Prakashites had a great learning experience with the Science workshop conducted by

Dr. Tetsuhisa Shirasu,

Showa Women's University, JAPAN

Mr. Takahasi Kazuya

Global Teacher Prize Awardee (Often referred to as Nobel Prize in Education) Japan, among 50 nominees from 8000 candidates from 148 Countries



opportunity to transform their dreams into reality, with all sorts of inputs. Children are involved into various activities, when they interact with the scientists, the intention is, to help a child know that he too can be one such influential person, in this connection I profoundly thank all the scientists who

71st

Independence Day Celebrations. Guru Utsav - the festival of Teachers was celebrated where each and every Teacher was saluted. In this regard I sincerely thank the great sources of inspiration for igniting our teachers on the occasion. **Sri M. Ram Mohan Rao**, Professor and Dean Emeritus, Indian School of Business, Hyderabad, **Sri P. Neelamani Prasad**, Retd. English Lecturer and an Eminent Astrologer, **Sri A. Prasanna Kumar**, Former Rector & Retd. Professor, Andhra University, Director, Centre for Policy Studies, **Sri T. S. R. Prasad**, Retd. Addl. S.P., **Mrs. Ampikavathy Thiagarajah**, Head, Department of Science, R.E.A.L. International School, Shah Alam, Malaysia, **Dr. Tetsuhisa Shirasu**, Department of Human Life Sciences, Showa Women's University, Tokyo, **Ms Chino**

eminent Photographer, **Sri Gorantla Suresh** and **Sri Debidas Benerjee** and **Sri Sujit Saha** from Alok Rekha Club. On the occasion of Doctors' Day, **Dr. K. V. Apparao**, Ophthalmologist, Bobbili Eye Hospital, **Dr. G. A. Ramaraju**, Krishna IVF Clinic, **Dr. K. Hari Priya**, Anaesthetician, **Dr. M. V. Shanti Annapurna**, Pulmonologist, spoke to the children and stressed on the importance of good health. I express my true thankfulness. I am thankful to all the luminaries, **Dr. Sultan Ahmed Ismail**, Director, Eco-Science Research Foundation, Chennai, **Dr. Janchai Ying Prayoon**, Dy. Director, International college, Suan Sunandha Rajabhat University, Thailand, who spent their valuable time for conducting workshops for the Parents and for enlightening them on the Art of Parenting. I am also thankful to **Padma Shri T. Hanuman Chowdary**, Founder of the Center for Telecommunications Management and

Dr. Lukshman Nonis, **Mrs. Shahila Manorathne**, Principal, Lyceum International School, Wattla, for interacting with the Prakashites during the Educational Tour to Sri Lanka. The myriad exposures, experiences and expertise have augmented our children's holistic



Padma Shri T. Hanuman Chowdary
Founder of the Center for Telecommunications Management and Studies (CTMS)



learning and I am sure they will continue to do so. I congratulate all the achievers and wish the very best of luck for their upcoming endeavours and I also thank all the parents for their fond support in nurturing the Prakashites.

- **Chitturi Vasu Prakash**, Director



"Imbibe discipline, integrity, sincerity ..."

Sri M. Rammohan Rao, Prof. and Dean Emeritus, Indian School of Business, Hyderabad

interacted with our children and provided them with required inputs. Thank you **Dr. Hukum Singh**, Prof. of Mathematics, HOD of Education in Science and Mathematics, Head Division of Educational Kits and Dean (Academic), NIE, N.C.E.R.T., New Delhi, **Dr.**

S.P., **Mrs. Ampikavathy Thiagarajah**, Head, Department of Science, R.E.A.L. International School, Shah Alam, Malaysia, **Dr. Tetsuhisa Shirasu**, Department of Human Life Sciences, Showa Women's University, Tokyo, **Ms Chino**



Conducted RECIPE (Rajyoga Education and Consciousness Improvement program for Educators)
Brahma Kumari Brother Rajesh Arora



"Only practical work and experience lead the young to success"
Mrs. Ampikavathy Thiagarajah,
Head of Science, REAL International School, Malaysia



"Teachers must stay focussed on the class discipline and classroom management"
Ms. Gowri Miralay Achanta



"Imagine, Imagination is as important as knowledge as it encircles the World"
Dr. P.V. Brahmachari,
Faculty & HOD, Biotechnology, Krishna University



"Imagination is more important than knowledge; knowledge is limited, imagination encircles the world", said Dr. P.V. Brahmachari, faculty of Bio-Technology, Krishna University, Machilipatnam in an interaction with Prakashites. A PhD. in Microbiology, patent law and intellectual property right from National Law School, Bangalore spoke to the students coming down to their level to enhance their understanding. He elaborately elucidated the history of science and extensively discussed about a few scientists. He even spoke on the discovery of Raman Effect and narrated them how his repeated failures turned into success.

Sri Balkrishna Shetty, IFS (Rtd.),
India's Ambassador to Sweden, Latvia, Bahrain, Senegal and Mali
interacts with Prakashites.



"Train your Brain Cells to be Dynamic and Teach Dynamism"
Mrs Aditi Singhal on "Memory Techniques"



"I Lead India I will be the Change - Let us Make it our Motto"
Ms Sonia Relia, Resource Person, Delhi



"Let Children to be themselves"
Dr. Sultan Ahmed Ismail,
Director, Eco Science Research Foundation, Chennai



"Develop questioning skills to enhance your learning"

Dr. Hukum Singh Professor of Mathematics,
"The study of Mathematics, begins in minuteness but ends in Magnificence."





Rich grandeur marked the occasion on 19th August, 2017 as our School rejoiced on the occasion of the World Photography Day along with innumerable stalwarts in the field of Photography. Well known and veteran photographers, Sri. B. K. Agrawal, Renowned photographer, Agrawal Images, Sri. C. V. Subramanyam,

Versatile Photographer, 'The Hindu', Sri Prabal Mohanty, Professional Photographer and Captain Suresh Sharma, Indian Army Veteran, Team leader-Green Dot Expeditions enlightened the budding pho-

SRI PRAKASH Children's PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

tographers about the nuances in the spectrum of Photography and also advised Prakashites to fuel the desire to capture every moment to embark on their journey of photography. Captain Suresh Sharma presented a book

'Legacy of a Legend-MIG 21 in the Indian Air Force', as a token of appreciation to the institution. The release of the newsletter 'Young Smiles' by the dignitaries added glory to the occasion. A mind-blowing capture 'The striking view of Vizag Skyline' which covered a four kilometer stretch was showcased



to the young minds by Mr Prabal Mohanty who was grandly felicitated for his great accomplishments in the field of photography. As a part of the celebrations a photography



exhibition was organized showcasing the moments captured by more than 350 amateur photographers with 900 photographs based on different themes like 'Reflections',



'Central Park', 'Street Children' and 'Vizag Beach'. The best captures of the Prakashites were awarded with prizes and certificates.

Felicitation to Sri Prabal Mohanty A Professional Photographer





Sri M. Rammohan Rao
Professor and Dean Emeritus,
Indian School of Business,
Hyderabad



GURU DEVO BHAVA...
GURU UTSAV
The Festival of TEACHERS

Dr. Tetsuhisa Shirasu
Showa Women's University,
Tokyo, JAPAN



Sri P. Neelamani Prasad.
Retd. English Lecturer
An Eminent Astrologer



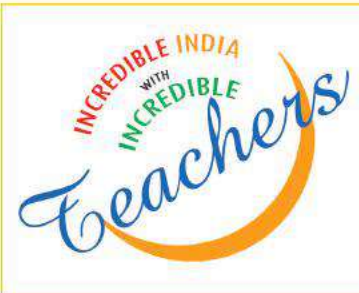
Mrs. Ampikavathy Thiagarajah
Head, Dept. of Science
R.E.A.L. International School Shah
Alam, MALAYSIA.



Ms. Chino Ikuko
Deputy Director,
SAKURA Kindergarten,
JAPAN



Dr. A. Prasanna Kumar
(Former Rector & Retd. Professor,
Andhra University)
Director, Centre for Policy Studies,
Visakhapatnam



Mr. Takahasi Kazuya
Assistant Principal Teacher,
Junior High School Of Kogakuin
University, JAPAN



Sri T.S.R. Prasad
Additional S.P. (Rtd.)



"A teacher is one who simply teaches, but a Guru is one who guides. A teacher is one step lower than a Guru because a teacher gives you information or teaches you skills, but a Guru is one who makes you reach your destination." – Sri Sri. For many years, we have been celebrating this day the 5th September, as Teacher's day in India, marking the Birthday of the Great Guru Sri Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan. It was an opportunity to recall the services of the teachers to the society. Enthusiasm and festivity marked the Teachers day celebrations, the day was made a memorable experience with the presence of the most eminent and revered personalities' speeches for the teachers to look back. Guru Utsav at our School is always celebrated with great delight and pride that the

day is shared with the presence of many renowned distinguished guests - Sri M. Ram Mohan Rao, Professor and Dean Emeritus, Indian School of Business, Hyderabad, Sri P. Neelamani Prasad, Retd. Lecturer English Language and an Eminent Astrologer, Sri A. Prasanna Kumar, Director, Centre for Policy Studies, Sri T. S. R. Prasad, Retd. Additional S.P., Mrs. Ampikavathy Thiagarajah, Head, Department of Science, R.E.A.L. International School Shah Alam, Malaysia, Dr. Tetsuhisa Shirasu, Department of Human Life Sciences, Showa Women's University, Tokyo, Ms. Chino Ikuko, Deputy Director, Sakura Kindergarten, Japan and Mr. Takahasi Kazuya, Assistant Principal Teacher, Junior High School of Kogakuin University, Japan. The programme

commenced with the Jyothiprajwalana and the Garlanding of our most reverent Guru Sri Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan's Portrait and then the Teachers had a good eye-opener to the novel ways of Teaching the 21 st Century Children. Speaking on the occasion Sri M. Ram Mohan Rao, explained, 'student exchange programmes, quality in quantity - the need of the present day, changing of the pedagogy according to the requirement' are important for a good teacher, Sri P. Neelamani Prasad, stressed that the responsibility of the Teachers in the 21 st Century is mainly to inculcate the right values along with curriculum. Sri A. Prasanna Kumar, enlightened on the facts that the Teacher is a moulder, to speak effective English and inculcate the same with the stu-

dents and even shared his moments that were spent with Sri Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan. Sir advised the Teachers to be the ladders and the children must mount on to these ladders to attain knowledge. Mrs. Ampikavathy Thiagarajah, said that the role of a Teacher is to prepare, manage the class room, adopt a friendly attitude to know the students properly and to be as a facilitator for getting the maximum output from the students. Dr. Tetsuhisa Shirasu, Ms. Chino Ikuko and Mr. Takahasi Kazuya enlightened that as we all are born with deep natural capacity for creativity and the school is a community for learners. We must focus and plan.



"When you know yourself, you are empowered.
When you accept yourself, you are invincible."

Brahma kumaris **Sister Madhuri** with Prakashites



Vidushi Divya Devaguptapu

Internationally acclaimed Bharatanatyam Dancer and Choreographer based in San Francisco, USA interacted with Prakashites and demonstrated the art of dancing



71st INDEPENDENCE DAY!

PRAKASHITES SALUTE THE NATION



Prakashites took great pride to be part of the grand celebrations of 71st Independence day along with the guests Prof. Y.Satyanarayana, and Sri P. Neelamani Prasad, Sri A. Srinivas Sarma, Sr. Advocate - High Court, commander P.Rama Rao, Sri. Bala Krishna Rai, Sri Sabbavarapu Surya Narayana unfurled the



National flag. The patriotic aura was felt in the atmosphere with the ambiance of the National Anthem followed by a rhythmic march past with children dressed in colourful attires representing 29 states of India. Speaking on the occasion Prof. Y. Satyanarayana stressed on imparting values with a positive thought. He also focused on the goals of the upcoming generations - "If you decide in your mind you will complete the task". Sri P. Neelamani Prasad expressed his views stating that Indian culture and languages are very important and unique. He also stated that we are not only Indian citizens but also world citizens. Sri A. Srinivas Sarma, sensitized everyone by recalling the statements of Lord Macaulay on education system followed earlier during the then India. Students promised that they would bring back the lost values to their Motherland. As a part of the celebrations prizes were given away to the winners of the various competitions held in the school and the Big Picture highlighted the pioneers of Indian freedom movement, painted by the budding artists depicting through true patriotism and talent. It was a feast to the eyes of one and all and a standing ovation was given to appreciate the same followed by the cultural programme with patriotic fervour.



Commander P. Ramarao
Air -Wing
Commander,
Indian Navy



Sri Bala Krishna Rai
Retd. Chairman
Rotary Blood Bank



Sri Sabbavarapu Suryanarayana
An eminent
Personality, Civil &
Criminal Justice



A. Srinivas Sarma,
Advocate,
Highcourt



Prof. Y. Satyanarayana
Director, School of Law
GITAM University



Sri P. Neelamani Prasad
Retd. Lecturer
English Language

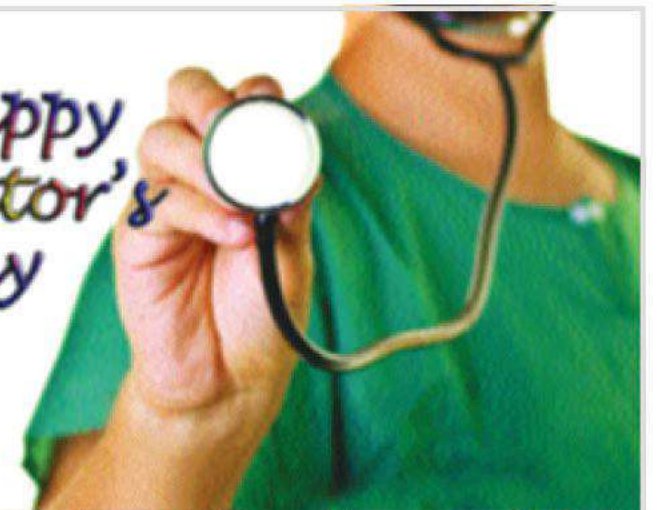


"No one understands heartbeats better than a doctor." Doctors day, an annual observance is aimed at appreciating and thanking physicians for their services to mankind on July 1st every year. Doctor's day is celebrated to honor the legendary physician and the second chief minister of West Bengal, Dr. Bidhan Chandra Roy, the recipient of the country's highest civilian award, Bharat Ratna. The portrait of Dr. Bindhan Chandra Roy was

garlanded and tributes were paid to him. The event began with a speech on the importance of doctors followed by a song and a skit. Children dressed up as doctors and nurses. Presented a skit showcasing the importance of cleanliness and how to guard ourselves from dreadful diseases like dengue and malaria. Children spoke about few personalities who have dedicated their lives to the welfare of the country.

It is great to
be a Doctor in
this World !
&
It is your deed
that makes us
feel proud.

Happy
Doctor's
Day



Dr. K.V. Apparao, Ophthalmologist, Bobbili Eye Hospital



Dr. G.A. Ramaraju
Founder & Director, Krishna IVF Clinic,
Visakhapatnam



Dr. M.V. Shanti Annapurna
Pulmonologist



Dr. K. Haripriya
Anaesthetician

Overseas Study Tour to SRI LANKA DAMBULLA, KANDY, COLOMBO & NEGOMBO

from 23rd Sept. 2017 - 28th Sept. 2017



A traveller
without
observation
is a bird
without wings

Sri Lanka is an island nation south of India in the Indian Ocean. Its diverse landscapes range from rainforest and arid plains to highlands and sandy beaches. It's famed for its ancient Buddhist ruins, including the 5th-century citadel Sigiriya, with its palace and frescoes. The city of Anuradhapura, Sri Lanka's ancient capital, has many ruins dating back more than 2,000 years.

Pinnawala Elephant Orphanage

Established in 1975 by Sri Lanka Department of Wild life Conservation



Shankari Devi Temple

in Trincomalee
One in all of the Asta Dasha Shakti Peethas



Kanniya Hotsprings

Trincomalee
Hot water springs dated back to the Ravana era



Temple of the Sacred Tooth Relic,

Kandy,
Buddhist
Temple World
Heritage Site



Kandy is a large city in central Sri Lanka. It's set on a plateau surrounded by mountains, which are home to tea plantations and biodiverse rainforest. The city's heart is scenic Kandy Lake (Bogambara Lake), which is popular for strolling. Kandy is famed for sacred Buddhist sites, including the Temple of the Tooth (Sri Dalada Maligawa) shrine, celebrated with the grand Esala Perahera annual procession.

Royal Botanic Gardens

Established in 1912 by the Department of Agriculture



Spice Gardens

with 4000 different spices of plants
Ideal grounds for traditional Ayurveda



Hotel Sigiriya
Sigiriya Village, Dambulla



Isini Gems Workshop



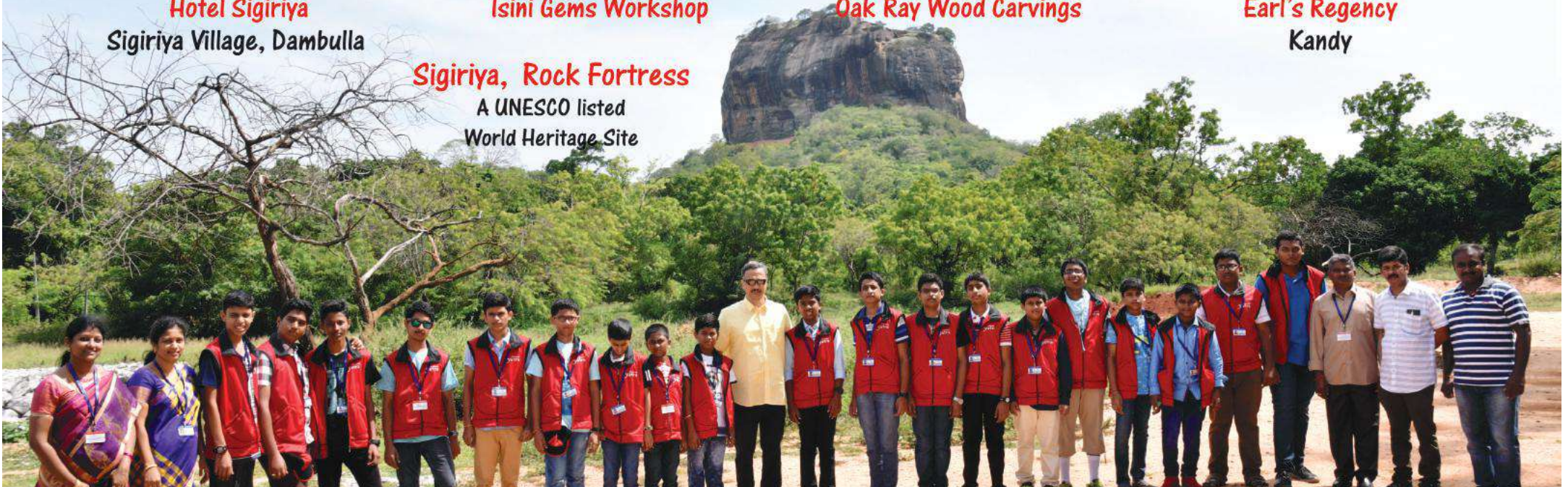
Oak Ray Wood Carvings



Earl's Regency
Kandy

Sigiriya, Rock Fortress

A UNESCO listed
World Heritage Site

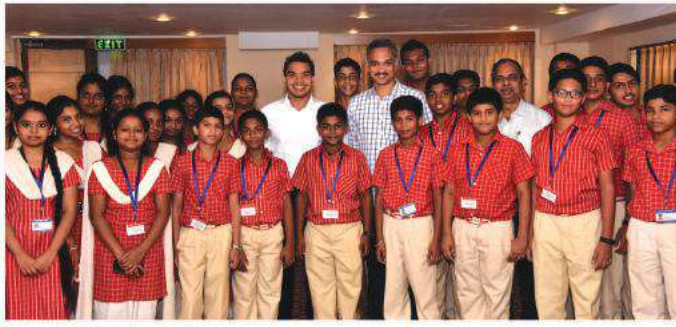


"You may have good skills and better knowledge,
but it is your attitude that will bring people closer to you." - Israelmore Ayivor

Colombo, the capital of Sri Lanka, has a long history as a port on ancient east-west trade routes, ruled successively by the Portuguese, Dutch and British. That heritage is reflected in its architecture, mixing colonial buildings with high-rises and shopping malls. The imposing Colombo National Museum, dedicated to Sri Lankan history, borders sprawling Viharamahadevi Park and its giant Buddha.



Mr. Lakshman Namal Rajapaksa, Member of Parliament, Sri Lanka



Sri G. Narayanan
Counsellor
(Education)
High Commission
of India, Colombo



Sri Panchamukha Hanuman

Established in
30th June 1996,
with a five faced idol
of Sri Anjaneyar



Dr. Lakshman Nonis

an Eminent
Educationist,
**Lyceum International
School, Wattala**
Sri Lanka
takes pride in explaining
the science experiments
in his own Science Lab.



Lakmedura

Art and Craft Stores
Renowned emporium with
display of artwork batik
garments and jewellery



Kandyan Dance

Sri Lanka's
Cultural Dance



Sea Turtle Farm and Hatchery

Non profitable
organisation
- Survival of Sea
Turtles



Lyceum International School, Wattala



**PRAKASHITES CHISEL THEIR MATHEMATICAL SKILLS.**

Pi Approximation Day is observed on July 22 (22/7 in the day/month date format), since the fraction 22/7 is a common approximation, which is accurate to two decimal places and dates from Archimedes. Pi has been calculated to over one trillion digits beyond its decimal point. As an irrational and transcendental number, it will continue infinitely without repetition or pattern. While only a handful of digits are needed for typical calculations, Pi's infinite nature makes it a fun challenge to memorize, and to computationally calculate more and more digits. The day was celebrated by explaining students the importance of pi (22/7) and it carried more importance as the day was 22nd of July. Value of pi was calculated on the board with different shapes which sensitized students and they were given activities like Sudoku with different values of pi to be solved as per their classes.



"Photography is also an important art, learn it keenly"

Sri S.V.S.Ravi Kumar,
Versatile Photographer

"Develop your photography skills with seriousness"

Sri K.Bhaskara Rao,
Eminent Photographer

"Nurture observation skills to seal the perfect movement"

Dr. Gorantla Suresh,
Eminent Photographer



"There is no shortcut to success only practice & Practice makes man perfect"

Sri B.K. Agrawal, Fellow India International Photographic
Council Fashion & Industrial Photographer

"Explore the nuances of Photography"

Sri K.R.Deepak, Special News Photographer, The Hindu



**Sri Prakash
Interact Club**

WE MAKE A LIVING BY WHAT WE GET, BUT WE MAKE A LIFE BY WHAT WE GIVE..

**Social
Responsibility**

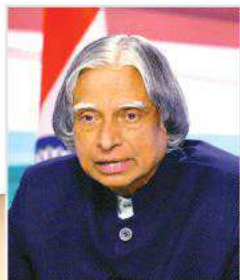


INTERACTORS undertook the **School Bags, Books, Water Bottles, Pencil Boxes and Umbrellas** were distributed as a part of promoting Education among the underprivileged children in the presence of Captain Suresh Sharma, Renowned Wildlife and Nature Photographer, Sri B.K. Agrawal, Sri Vijay Mohan, Director, Holiday World India



Artificial limbs were donated to the needy in the august presence of Mrs.Ampikavathy Thiagarajah, Malaysia; Dr.Tetsuhisa Shirasu, Showa Women's University, Tokyo, Japan; Mr. Takahasi Kazuya, Japan; Ms. Chino Ikuko, Deputy Director, Sakura Kindergarten, Japan; Ms.Yuna Shirane, Showa Women's University, Japan & Sri Chittui Vasu Prakash, Director of Sri Prakash Vidyaniketan.

Prakashites Pay Rich Tributes to
Former President & Missile Man of India
Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam.



International Yoga Day Celebrations

21st June 2017

Yoga is all about a very deep understanding of the human mechanics - not only of the physical dimension but of all aspects of a human being



Janmashtami marks the birth of Lord Krishna who is believed to be the eighth incarnation of Lord Vishnu on earth, as mentioned in our scriptures. India is often called the land of festivals, and rightly so. There is hardly any month in the year which has no major festival lined up. This year Janmashtami was celebrated with great fervor and it is said that Lord Krishna was born at midnight on the 'eighth day' or the 'Ashtami' of the holy month, Shravana, according to the Hindu Lunar calendar. The legend behind Lord Krishna's birth, and his triumph over enemies, makes



for one of Hindu folklore's most loved tales, and was recited amongst the devoted Prakashites with much fervor on Janmashtami. On the pious occasion all the students offered their prayers and offered the sacred prashad to their beloved deity. 'Nand Gopal' or Baby Krishna was dressed up in new festive attire. Lord Krishna's idol was garlanded and puja was performed spreading the fragrance of divinity. Instrumental music violin was played by the students on this occasion at the lotus feet of Lord Krishna along with the songs recited by the students.

September 14th - Hindi Diwas



Hindi Diwas Stands as a patriotic reminder to Indian population about their common roots also a reminder that the constituent assembly of India adopted Hindi in devanagiri script as the official language.

Telugu Bhasha Dinotsavam "Desa bhashalandu telugu lessa"



Telugu Bhasha Dinotsavam was celebrated on 29th August, 2017, marking the 152nd Birth Anniversary of Gidugu Venkata Ramamurthy.





50th Joint School Science Exhibition HONGKONG

Project on
AUTO ACCEL CHAIR
(Mobility Made Easy & Affordable)
by B. RISHIK & M. DEV SRE ASISH of X Grade



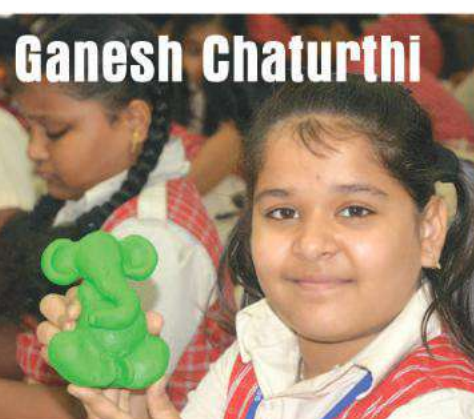
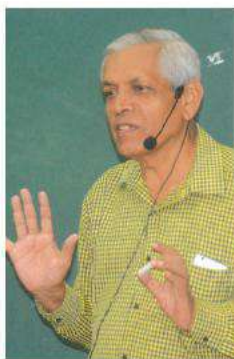
Educators Opinions on the Project

Innovative design. Will come! Keep up the good work!
Benny Olin
Nice presentation. Creative and useful! great thinking! keep up the good work
Noble Suen
Quite a surprise, good job! It's a very new idea. I very like it!
Henry Wang
very good and I can't believe it! The idea is good and helpful!
Joe Ma
Great idea and well-explained!! Practical & Portable, Nice!
New idea to the market. Hope to see them in factories
Tommy
The best presenter in this exhibition!!! A nice substitute for the study!!
Liz



"The Only way to learn Mathematics is to practise Mathematics"
Dr. K. B. Subramaniam, Retd. Principal RIE Mysore

"A Good Photographer is the one who shoots what everyone else shoots, yet makes the difference"
Mr. Debi Das Benerjee, Alok Rekhay club



2nd A.P.Youth Basket Ball Inter District Championship for Boys & Girls
from 5-5-2017 to 7-5-2017 & Residential Camp between 15-6-2017 to 29-6-2017.

Alumni **B.Bhaskar**,
MIT interacted with his Juniors



The Learning Dais...



Winning the first prize in Photography contest is quite exciting and encouraging. Interactions with renowned photographers inspired me a lot. I feel proud to be a student of Sri Prakash Vidyaniketan. I thank my school for the great exposure it assures to our hidden talents.

- CH. Balendra Kiran, VI B



Prakashites Swami Abhishek & Ch. Abhigna bagged 1st and 2nd Ranks among 593 participants in the Ahamamika Book Reading Contest conducted by National Science & Technological Laboratory (NSTL), Visakhapatnam.



My Happiness knew no bounds when I along with the INTERACT club members were involved in the distribution of artificial limbs.

- Mounika Sri Ramya, IX



Mrs. Sri Latha the resource person created an urge in us to contribute our part for the protection of rivers. We are indeed fortunate to be a part of 'Rally for Rivers' - a call given by Sadguru. Jaggi Vasudev

- M. Harini, VIII



I was on cloud nine when I found my article placed in young INTACH - Heritage Newsletter on the theme 'History of Musical Instruments'

- P. Aditya, VII

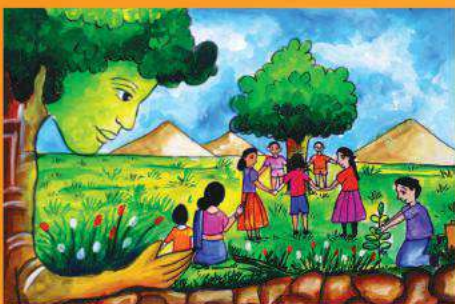


The enthralling "yatra" to Srilanka gave me an excellent opportunity to witness the unique harmony between nature and human imagination. It was a great learning experience

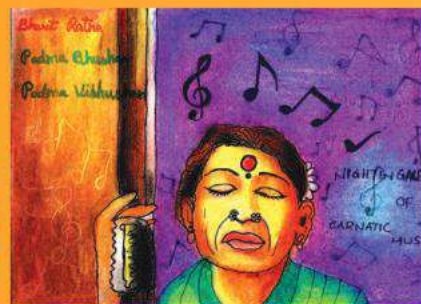
-Ch. Venkata Krishna Prakash, VII



ART GALLERY...



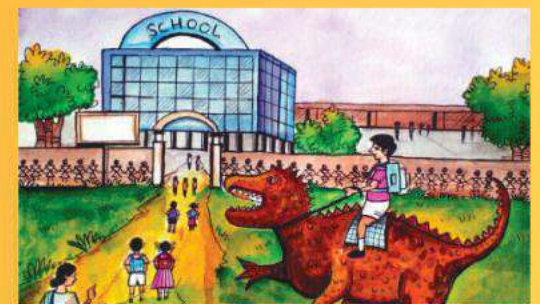
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The hostel which houses numerous children of varied age groups is a perpetual hub of activities. The school strives to provide myriad experiences which are a ready amalgamation of a homely, intellectual and rational environment with the celebration of Birthdays, Festivals like Ganesh Chaturthi and visiting tourist sites.

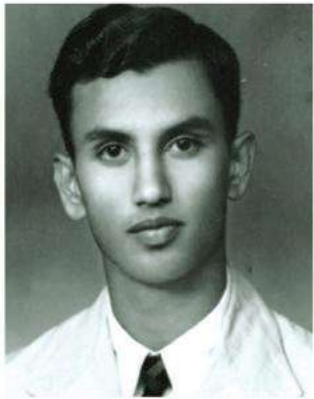


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THE GREAT SCIENTIST OF INDIA

Padma Vibhushan Udupi Ramachandra Rao

Udupi Ramachandra Rao (10 March 1932-24 July 2017) was a space scientist and Chairman of the Indian Space Research Organisation. He was also the Chairman of the Governing Council of the Physical Research Laboratory at Ahmedabad and Nehru Planetarium at Bengaluru and Chancellor of the Indian Institute for Space Science and Technology (IIST) at Thiruvananthapuram. UR Rao died on 24 July 2017.



His remarkable contribution to India's space programme will never be forgotten, Tweeted the Prime Minister.

Early Life : Prof. U. R. Rao was born at Adamaru in the state of Karnataka. His parents were Lakshminarayana Acharya and Krishnaveni Amma. He had his primary education at Adamaru & completed his secondary education from Christian High School, Udupi. He completed his B.Sc in Government Arts and

the first Indian satellite "Aryabhata" in 1975, over 18 satellites including Bhaskara, APPLE, Rohini, INSAT-1 and INSAT-2 series of multi-purpose satellites and the IRS-1A and IRS-1B remote sensing satellites were designed, fabricated and launched for providing communication, remote sensing and meteorological services.

As Chairman of ISRO : After taking charge as Chairman, Space Commission and Secretary, Department of Space in 1985, Rao accelerated the development of rocket technology resulting in the successful launch of ASLV rocket in 1992. He was also responsible for the development of the operational PSLV launch vehicle, which successfully launched an 850 kg. satellite into a polar orbit in 1995. Rao initiated the development of the geostationary launch vehicle GSLV and the development of cryogenic technology



Prof Udupi Ramachandra Rao (sitting in the extreme left) with fellow scientists Aravamudan R (seated in the centre), APJ Abdul Kalam (seated second from right), G Madhavan Nair (standing third from right) and others in the early 60s at Thumba Equatorial Rocket Launching Station in Thumba, Thiruvananthapuram

Science College, Anantpur, M.Sc from Banaras Hindu University and Ph.D at Physical Research Laboratory, Ahmedabad under the guidance of Dr. Vikram Sarabhai.



Career : Rao started his career as a cosmic ray scientist, and worked under Dr. Vikram Sarabhai, which he continued at MIT. In association with the JPL Group, he was the first to establish the continuous nature of the solar wind and its effect on geomagnetism using Mariner 2 observations. Rao's experiments on a number of Pioneer and Explorer spacecraft led to a complete understanding of the solar cosmic ray phenomena and the electromagnetic state of the interplanetary space. Convinced of the imperative need to use space technology for rapid development, Rao undertook the responsibility for the establishment of satellite technology in India in 1972. Under his guidance, beginning with

in 1991. He was responsible for successful launch of INSAT satellites during his stint at ISRO. The launch of INSAT satellites gave a thrust to communications in India, during the 1980s and 1990s. The successful launch of

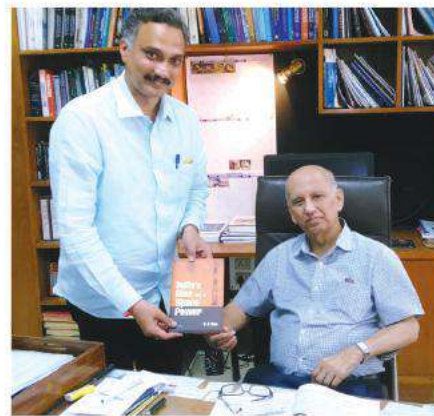


Prof. Rao with late Prof Satish Dhawan

INSAT provided telecommunication links to remote corners of India. This development played a key role in future for India to develop as an Information Technology hub. He was the first Chairman of Antrix Corporation.

Additional responsibilities : Chairman, Karnataka State Science and Technology, Chairman, Bangalore Association of Science Education-JNP, Chancellor, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow, Member, Central Board of Directors, Reserve Bank of India, Additional Director, Bharatiya Reserve Bank Note Mudran Private Ltd., Bangalore, Chairman of the Governing Council of Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, Pune. He has authored many books, including "Physics of the Communication", "Space and Agenda 21 - Caring for the Planet Earth" and "Space Technology for Sustainable Development". Rao was an elected Fellow of many academies such as Indian Academy of Sciences, Indian

National Science Academy, National Academy of Sciences, Institute of Electronics and Telecommunications Engineers, International Academy of Astronautics and Third World Academy of Sciences. Rao was conferred



Director Receiving the Book 'India's Rise as a Space Power from the author Prof. U R Rao

Fellowship of the World Academy of Arts & Sciences. He was the General President of the Indian Science Congress Association for 1995-96. Rao was the Vice President of International Astronautical Federation (IAF) during 1984 to 1992 and continues to be the Chairman of the Committee for Liaison with Developing Countries (CLIODN) since 1986. Rao was elected as the Chairman of United Nations - Committee On Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (UN-COPUOS) in June 1997 and also Chairman of UNISPACE-III Conference. He was elected as the Chairman of the 30th International Antarctic Treaty Consultative Committee Meeting at Delhi in April 2007.

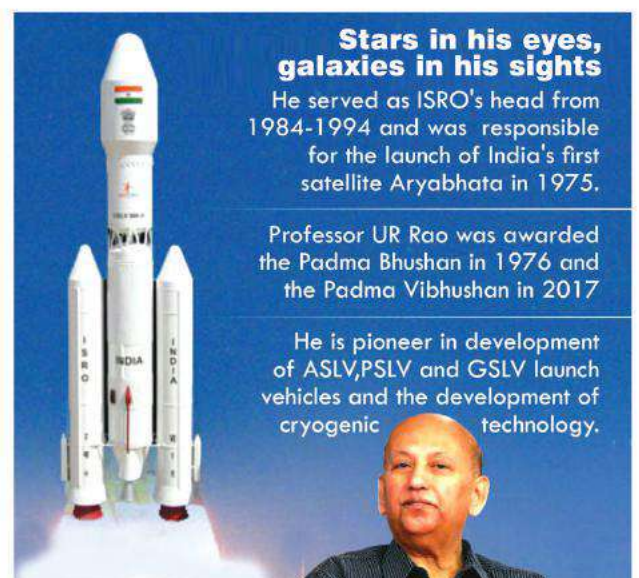


Prof. Rao with Wing Commander Ravish Malhotra and Squadron Leader Rakesh Sharma

He was the Co-Chairman of the National Centre for Antarctic and Ocean Research, Goa. He was the first chairman of Prasar Bharati. Even as Rao continued to work on several scientific missions, his vision to give India a series of applications through space science was never affected. He had a wonderful way of marrying the two, and as a result, he pioneered several applications that helped the country look into its groundwater, monitor its forests, telemedicine, education. Rao was also a great leader, who helped build a wonderful team of scientists, just like his predecessors, Satish Dhawan and Vikram Sarabhai. And, he always led by example.

Greatmen were children one day Children can be greatmen some day

- One man, many achievements Rao served as a faculty member at Massachusetts Institute of Technology and University of Texas.
- In 1972, he pioneered the satellite technology in India.
- In 1975, the first Indian satellite 'Aryabhata' was launched
- Awarded Padma Bhushan in 1976
- In 1991, he initiated works for developing Geostationary Satellite Launch Vehicle and cryogenic technology
- He served as ISRO chairman from 1984 to 1994.
- 18 satellites designed and launched for various purposes under his guidance. Rao provided advice for Chandrayan-I, Chandrayan-II, Mars Mission and yet to be launched Aditya project
- Augmented Satellite Launch Vehicle and Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle were successfully launched under his guidance
- He was the first Indian space scientist to be inducted into the prestigious 'Satellite Hall of Fame' in Washington DC, USA on March 19, 2013
- First to be inducted into the prestigious International Aeronautical Federation Hall of Fame at Guadalajara, Mexico in 2016
- Awarded Padma Vibhushan in 2017
- Published over 350 scientific and technical papers on cosmic rays, interplanetary physics and other subjects



Stars in his eyes, galaxies in his sights

He served as ISRO's head from 1984-1994 and was responsible for the launch of India's first satellite Aryabhata in 1975.

Professor UR Rao was awarded the Padma Bhushan in 1976 and the Padma Vibhushan in 2017

He is pioneer in development of ASLV, PSLV and GSLV launch vehicles and the development of cryogenic technology.

Even after retirement, there hadn't been a single day that he was in Bengaluru and not at office. His commitment to contribute to India is also visible in the number of initiatives he helped governments, states and the Centre.



Prakashites' Golden Moment with Prof. U.R. Rao, Former Chairman, ISRO

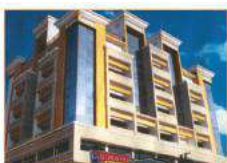


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