

THE MENTOR

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STF ALUMNI MEET - 2024

STF Alumni Day was celebrated on March 3, 2024 at Good Shepherd School, as a vibrant event attended by approximately participants, 60 including trustees and members of the management committee. The day featured a variety of engaging activities organized by the Alumni Committee Members Manikandan S, John Douglas P, Malini S, Meena A, Jayashree E, Jayashre D, Arunkumar R, Tamil Selvan M, Soundarya Gurulakshmi R, Gowthami S, and Jeevanthika R.

Each participant received a printed coffee mug as a special gift, in addition to the prizes awarded for the games held throughout the event.













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MENTOR-MENTEE CATCHUP

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MENTOR-MENTEE MEET AND VALEDICTORY FUNCTION

The Valedictory Function for the graduating children of the 2024 batch and the Mentor Mentee Meeting of the Sugun Thomas Foundation was conducted at Good Shepherd's School on August 25, 2024.

The Mentors had an opportunity to discuss with other mentors the experiences they had during mentoring. The Mentoring Head Sashi Rekha joined in with her knowledge and experience and suggested ways in enhancing the whole mentoring journey.

While the mentors were busy, the alumni entertained the children by conducting a few games.

Mr. J Krishnan, MD of Unimity Solutions, was invited as the Chief Guest to deliver a brief motivational speech to the children. The key points of his talk emphasized the importance of recognizing and nurturing one's talents, applying them effectively, and building selfconfidence. He highlighted that these interconnected elements are essential for both personal and professional growth. By balancing these aspects, individuals can unlock their full potential, drive progress, and achieve success in various areas of life.

A certificate of course completion was given to all the passing out students.







EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF PASSING-OUT STUDENTS

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Jayachandar P

BE ECE - CGPA 9.31 Meenakshi Sundararajan Engineering College Placed at Aerolyt as a Electronic Design Engineer

Mentored by: Mr. Vergis KR

Dharun C

B.Tech Al & DS - CGPA 8.66 KCG College of Technology Placed at Anunta Technology as Software Developer

Mentored by: Ms. Sashi Rekha

Leelaprasath LB.Tech AI & DS - CGPA 9.02 KCG College of Technology Placed at Saturn Pyro as Software Engineer Mentored by: Ms. Kani Mohi

Rincy Saj S

BE Mech - CGPA 7.6 THE LICET Placed at Alstom Company as Trainee Mentored by: Ms. Vidya Chandar

Dharshini D

BE ECE - CGPA 8.4 THE LICET Placed at Raxtech International as Embedded Hardware Design Engineer Mentored by: Ms. Ameeta Fernando

Ahathiya S

BTech IT - CGPA 8.86 THE LICEI Placed at Recode Solutions as Software Mentored by: Ms. Vidya Chandar

Abishekan Joseph A

BE Mech - CGPA 7.6 THE LICET Placed at Hutchinson as Trainee Mentored by: Mr. Vergis KR

Jessica J

BE ECE - CGPA 8.7 Saveetha Engineering College Placed at Coaps.ai as Full Stack Developer Mentored by: Ms. Smriti Rajeev

Agilbert Sesu Felick F

BE EEE - CGPA 9.17 SSN College of Engineering Placed at Wood PLC as Trainee Mentored by: Ms. Kriti Menon

Shrinath J

BE Mech - CGPA 9.15 SSN College of Engineering Placed at Wood PLC as Trainee Mentored by: Mr. AM Visvanathan

Mubasheer Ahamed M

B.Tech IT - CGPA 8.1 KCG College of Technology Awaiting Placement Mentored by: Mr. Roshan Kuriyan

Tharunkumar M

B.Tech IT - CGPA 8.14 KCG College of Technology Awaiting Placement Mentored by: Mr. Arvind Mahesh

Abdhur Rahmam Sheik

BE ECE – CGPA 7.4 KCG College of Technology Placed at Decathlon Sports Equipment Mentored by: Ms. Sashi Rekha

Hariraja H

BE Computer Science - CGPA 8.45 THE LICET Placed at Abletech as Trainee entored by: Mr. Manikandan S

Prasanna L

BE Computer Science - CGPA - 8.39 THE LICET Pursuing Higher Studies Mentored by: Mr. Narayanan H

Debika Piriya D

BTech IT - CGPA - 8.88 SSN College of Engineering Pursuing Higher Studies at NYU, USA Mentored by: Ms. Sashi Rekha

Pooja V

B.A Economics - CGPA 7.12 Quaid -E- Millath Govt. College for Women Placed at India Filings Mentored by: Dr. Jayanthi Sridhar

Aarthi U

B.Com Gen - CGPA 8.5 AM Jain College Placed at Menaka Cards Mentored by: Ms. Sumitha Joseph

Janani R

B.Com Gen - CGPA 8 AM Jain College Awaiting Placement Mentored by: Ms. Poornima Visvanathan

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Joys Mary AD

B.Com Gen - CGPA 7.5 Don Bosco Arts & Science College Placed at Sitco Bags as Sales Cordinator Mentored by: Ms. Anupama Cherian

Dhanushiya M

B.Com Gen - CGPA 6.1 Idhaya College of Arts & Science for Women Pursuing Full Stack Development Course Mentored by: Ms. Ashwini N Chezhiyan

Manimegalai N

B.Sc Cardiac Care Technology - CGPA 6.2 Dr. MGR University & Research Institute Hospital Internship Mentored by: Mr. Ramani

Susan R

B.Sc Aeronautical - CGPA 9.2 Vels University Pursuing Global Flight Handling Service Mentored by: Ms. Kani Mozhi

Mohamed Rafi M

B.Sc Computer Science - CGPA 8.27 The New College Awaiting Placement Mentored by: Mr. Rajan Nichani

Vignesh R

Dip. in Computer Science - CGPA 9.97 Murugappa Polytechnic College Placed at Renault Nissan as Trainee Mentored by: Mr. Narayan H

Jayaprakash J

MBBS - CGPA 6.6 Govt. Mohan Kumaramangalam Medical College Hospital Internship Mentored by: Dr. Kartik Rajaratnam

Sanjay G

BDS - CGPA 7.2 Tamil Nadu Govt. Dental College & Hospital Hospital Internship Mentored by: Dr. Sangeetha George

Celebrating the Joy of Placement Offers



Beneficiaries visited the STF office to share their joy of receipt of their placement with Dr. Susan Thomas, Secretary, Sugun Thomas Foundation. It was truly a dream come true!

Remembering Mr. Verghese Eapen: **First Donor of STF**



Mr. Verghese Eapen, the first donor of Sugun Thomas Foundation (STF) passed away on July 30, 2024. He deeply believed in the vision of STF and continuously supported it for 19 years.

Our Deepest condolences to his family and loved ones.

SPOKEN ENGLISH SESSION

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Sukha Education Foundation, led by the dedicated team of Sanjana and Kavya, proudly organized comprehensive а 6-month spoken English course for the beneficiaries of the Sugun Thomas Foundation.

This initiative aimed to enhance the English-speaking skills of participants, empowering them with confidence and proficiency in a language that opens doors to numerous opportunities. The course was meticulously designed to cater to a diverse group, ensuring that each participant could benefit from the training.

The sessions were held every Sunday from 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM, providing a consistent and convenient learning schedule for all participants. The program spanned from February 11, 2024, to August 4, 2024, encompassing a total of 24 sessions.

The success of this program highlights the importance of continued support and investment in educational initiatives by STF. The Sukha Education Foundation too is ready to offer similar opportunities in the future.

STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS

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Yasmeen - B.Tech IT 3rd year The Oxford College of Engineering, Bangalore.

Yasmeen secured 2nd place in the Argu Vista Debate Competition and won certificates in various other events at her college.

Tushar Arora - BE CSE Final Year RV Institute of Technology & Management, Bangalore

- Secured All India Rank 14 and Global Rank 21 in CodeChef Starters 140 Division 2 Competition.
- Secured All India Rank 23 and Global Rank 178 in LeetCode Biweekly Contest 121 Competition.
- Ranked 1st in College on Leetcode and Code-Chef platforms
- Semi-Finalist 2024 Flipkart GRID 6.0 UNSTOP for cybersecurity domain
- Selected by Microsoft for the Microsoft LSA Program (currently Beta-MLSA)
- Scored 9.0/10.0 SGPA in 6th semester.
- Scored 100/100 in 3 subjects in 6th semester.



Priyanka K - BE EEE Final year The LICET

Priyanka has been the top student in the EEE department up to the 5th semester, consistently achieving a CGPA of 9.3+ and holding First Rank in her class.



Abirami R - BSc. Nursing Final Year College of Nursing, Govt Mohan Kumaramangalam Medical College, Salem

Won 1st prize Rolling Trophy in Intercollege Competition on Obstetrics & Gynaecology, Community Health Nursing and General Knowledge.





Palaniappan A - BE Manufacturing **CEG Guindy Anna University**

Palaniappan's first short film, which he wrote and directed, was released in the classroom and received an overwhelmingly positive response. He also organized the Campus Heist event as part of "Mugavari," the signature event of Guindy Times.

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Kiruba TS - B.Sc Nursing 2nd year College of Nursing, Govt Mohan Kumaramangalam Medical College, Salem

Kiruba achieved a distinction in Microbiology, Adult Health Nursing and in her Practical Examination during her 3rd semester. Her overall marks are 78.6%.



Maria John Franco M - BCA - 2nd year Don Bosco College, Yellagiri

The Bosco Theater Club in Yellagiri organized a "Villu Pattu" program, led by Maria John Franco as the key initiator.



Adalina A - B.Com Gen 2nd year Women's Christian College

Adalina excelled in an inter-college event, securing 1st place in Shipwreck, Block and Tackle, and the Vivadha Medhai debate contests.

MOTIVATIONAL SESSION AT ASSUMPTION SCHOOL BY **ALUMNI OF SUGUN THOMAS FOUNDATION**



On August 10, 2024, Alumni of Sugun Thomas Foundation conducted motivational sessions at Assumption School for students in classes 10, 11, and 12.

These sessions were aimed to inspire students and provide them with tools to overcome challenges, plan and achieve their goals, and enhance their overall outlook on life.

The alumni speakers shared personal stories, and practical strategies, fostering an environment of encouragement and positive change. Their experiences and advice offered students fresh perspectives and actionable guidance, helping them cross their academic and personal journeys with enhanced motivation and confidence.

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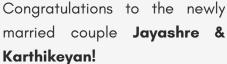
ALUMNI CORNER

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May every corner of your new house be filled with warmth and comfort, making it a true haven for you and your family.



We wish you a lifetime of love, countless beautiful joy, and moments happiness together!!



Congratulations John Douglas on your new Hyundai Car!! This is such an amazing milestone for you.

Wishing you an exciting journeys ahead!



Congratulations to the newly married couple Gomathi & Manikandan.

Our Best Wishes on this wonderful journey as you build your new lives together. May the years ahead be filled with lasting joy!!

Chennai meets Bangalore



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Ms. Yukti Asher - Chief Head of Sugun Thomas Foundation Bangalore Branch, had casual а meeting with Dr. Susan Thomas, Secretary of Sugun Thomas Foundation during one of her visits to Chennai.

STF FACT SHEET

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SUGUN THOMAS FOUNDATION FAC	T SHEET - 2024 (Jan-24 to Sept-24)			1
Date of commencement of activities	Year of Incorporation - October 2005			
	80-G: AAGTS1280GF2020601			
Registrations numbers: 80G, 12 A. etc	12 A: AAGTS1280GE2020601			
	CSR NO. CSR00010966			
Registered Office	No.8, 15th Avenue, Harington Road, Chetpet, Chennai-600031			
Website	http://sugunthomasfoundation.org/			
Banker	Indian Bank, Federal Bank and State Bank of India			
	Total - 7 nos.			
Trustees	Ms. Anita George Vettath			
	Mr. Cherian Abraham			
	Mr. K R Vergis			
	Mr. Ravi Chitturi			
	Mr. Roshan J Kuriyan			
	Ms. Sashirekha Natarajan Ms. Susan Thomas			
Honorary Secretary	Ms. Susan Thomas Ms. Susan Thomas			
Honorary Treasurer				
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Total number of children supported till date : Apr 2005 to Sept 2024	Category	Boys Gir	s	Total
	Current Students 2023-24	38	64	102
	Pursuing Higher Studies	4	5	9
	Alumni Employed	73	106	179
	Unemployed	6	5	11
	Partially Supported from 2005 to 2023	47	59	106
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	2. Indian Postal Service	18. Cap Gemini		
	3. Accenture	19. Sundram Finance Limited		
	4. Wipro Technologies	20. Hexaware Technologies		
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A MEMORABLE VISIT

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During one of Mr. Ravishankar's (Placement & Communication Head) visits to Coimbatore, a heart-warming moment unfolded when beneficiaries Sharun, Sandhiya, and Bhavana had the opportunity to meet him in person. The meeting was a special occasion for both the beneficiaries and Mr. Ravishankar, highlighting the tangible impact of the Sugun Thomas Foundation's educational support.

Sharun, Sandhiya, and Bhavana, were eager to express their gratitude and appreciation for the support they had received.

In a gesture of appreciation, the beneficiaries presented Mr. Ravishankar with carefully chosen gifts. These gifts, which were thoughtfully selected, represented their heartfelt thanks for the opportunities and encouragement provided through Sugun Thomas Foundation.

The meeting was a memorable experience for everyone involved. For Sharun, Sandhiya, and Bhavana, it was a moment of pride and joy, showcasing their growth and the positive outcomes of their hard work and dedication. Coming from the down-trodden Irula community these children stand as a beacon of hope for many to follow.

Please donate generously!

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