

## Minutes of the Core Group Meeting On Children – 29.10.05

Date : 29-10-05  
Venue : Room no-313, Collectorate  
Time : 5.00 pm

Mr. Jerald, NCRC Presided over the meeting and read out the newly added sponsors list

- Ithaya Every Child → Break Fast for Marathon participants, 15 Volunteers and
- Karuna karuya Trust → Noon Meals for 4000 persons.
- Real plan → 100flasks and water packets for all the participants.
- Leonard Cheshire International- → Meeting the expenses of transportation for the physically challenged children from Municipality areas. Meeting the expenses for sports events conducted for the physically challenged children.
- TLAC → 12 volunteers.
- Save The Children → Mementoes for all the participants.
- Cultural program
  - ✓ There will be Magic show, kungbhoo, and Body Building.
  - ✓ A common dance is planned to express **“Unity in Diversity”**.
  - ✓ 50 groups will be dancing in different places for one particular song **“Made in India”**.
  - ✓ 6 children from each group are expected to dance in the common dance.
  - ✓ The NGOs are welcomed to tie the banners in place, where their group children are dancing.
  - ✓ Prize will be given to all participants in the dance through the NGOs.
  - ✓ Major decision about the cultural program will be taken in the next meeting.
- Rewards for sportsmen
  - ✓ There was a proposal that we can identify the National players, State players and district players and giving them some reward.
  - ✓ Award winners can be identified below 18 years old.
  - ✓ This has to be discussed in the next meeting.
- Inviting the Chief Guests
  - ✓ Inviting the VIPs for inaugurating marathon, flag hoisting and prize distribution.
  - ✓ The team proposed that we can call mainly disaster management officials, Sportsmen (State level), collector, Additional collector, SP and ADSP.
  - ✓ SP and ADSP will begin the Marathon run
  - ✓ Collector and Additional Collector will do the Flag hoisting
  - ✓ Prize distribution by Mr. Sankar. IAS. Chennai,

- Meeting the Chief Guests
  - ✓ It was decided to meet the Chief Guests on 3<sup>rd</sup> morning to get their appointments.
  - ✓ The NGOs, who are going to meet the VIPs, are requested to gather at Hotel Sea Horse at 7 o' clock in the morning. Before that they must confirm through phone to Mr. Jerald, NCRC about their arrival.
  
- Common Logo
  - ✓ Common logo is made for the children's day. The logo is like having a smiling child at the center of the India map and two children carry the India.
  - ✓ NGOs proposed that since it is a common program, common logo can be printed in banyans and caps. This will be decided by the general body committee.

#### Stalls for exhibition

Children's made articles can be kept in the exhibition. If any NGO is willing to make stalls for the hand made articles done by the Children, they have to inform in advance and they have to take up the full responsibilities. So for NGOs like - SNEHA, PDA, PHOENIX, and SOS Children Villages of India, have come forward to put up the stalls.

- Points for discussion in the next meeting
  - Finalizing the chief guests
  - Finalizing the program list.
  - Finalizing the invitation
  - Finalizing time and distance for Marathon run
  - Splitting the group into deferent team and sharing the responsibilities.
  - General body decides about police information and finalizing finance, common logos on banyans, caps, finding donors for giving price for all children in group dance.

Participants list must be submitted before 4<sup>th</sup> of November to Mr. Jerald through E-mail or submitting the hot copy in the next meeting. Together with the Children, each Ngo must bring 3 physically challenged children for the events.

#### Please note.

- ❖ The core group members are requested to gather at Hotel Sea Horse on 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7 o' clock in the morning to invite the local VIPs. Before that they must confirm through phone to Mr. Jerald, NCRC about their arrival.
- ❖ Next core group meeting will be on 3<sup>rd</sup> evening at 5pm in Room no 313, Colectorate
- ❖ Next general meeting of all the NGOs will be on 5<sup>th</sup> evening at 4pm in the main Conference hall, Colectorate.