

ANUBANDH

The journey of Sri Ramakrishna Sevashram

Daridra Deva Bhavo - We see God in the poor & needy. We are glad to serve them in all forms, irrespective of caste and creed.



Sri Sudhanshu Biswas, a freedom fighter and founder of SRKS



“Education is The Manifestation of The Perfection Already in Man”
– Swami Vivekananda

Namaskar Mahasaya & Mahasay,

Owing to the help & guidance of our dear volunteers, we are glad to bring out the second edition of Anubandh. We believe, by God's grace all of you and your family are doing well. In the Ashram, along with our beloved founder & all inmates, we are all fine. In this edition, we bring you a write-up on our founder Sudhanshu Ji by Chandan Naskar, an 8th standard student and resident of the Ashram. We are proud to state that, he stood 1st in his class in the last annual examination.

“Shri Sudhanshu Biswas is the founder and secretary of Shri Ramakrishna Sevashram. His selfless work for the poor in the field of education has earned him fame not only in our district but also in and around Kolkata. Well, that does not stop us from calling him ‘Dadu’ (Grandpa) fondly. It's his hard work and robust optimism that helped build this ashram—a shelter for the poorest of poor. And it's his love that helps us focus on our collective dream—to become a complete man. At the age of 98, he works hand-in-hand with us in almost all the activities with amazing vigour—from the morning mathematics

class to the evening prayer. He admonishes us when we make a mistake but at the next moment, he smiles and corrects us. We cannot fathom the depth of his love. How can a person be so patient, loving and unselfish! It must be God's will that gives him so much inner strength to work for the impoverished. Even the animals and birds living in our ashram are not deprived of his affection. His life is a saga of emancipation. At an early age, he gave up the comfort of his home and joined the Indian freedom movement. Today, even in his late 90s, he's still fighting to spread education among the poor kids. In this materialistic world, where most of us are chasing momentary pleasures, Dadu is the beacon of light. His holy life is an inspiration to all of us. It's his unconditional love that helps us tread through the troubled waters of today.”

Yours truly,

Sri Ramakrishna Sevashram – Executive Management Team

Swami Vivekananda – “Educate and raise the masses, and thus alone a nation is possible”. CW 8.

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General updates

Our Annual Festival day celebration was held on March 30th, 2014. People from all walks of the society (monks, govt. officials, social workers, teachers, villagers, doctors & all other well-wishers) gathered at the Ashram and took part in the various programmes throughout the day.

Key events were Vedic chanting, lecture by monks & our founder, cultural programme, cloth distribution among the distressed and prize distribution of Sports day.

Around 1,200 people joined us. Prasad was given to all in the afternoon.

Our annual Bengali publication – 'UTTARON' was published by the respected monks of Sri Ramakrishna Mission.

This annual event gives right direction to the kids in their life, as the whole programme is based on the teachings of Shri Ramakrishna & Swami Vivekananda. Abandoned senior citizens too find a new hope and meaning to their life through these inspiring talks.

We are happy to inform that all the kids and the inmates enjoyed the day to the fullest.



The plans to start vocational training is going in full swing. Currently, we are setting up the basic infrastructure, i.e., painting & renovation of the rooms are complete. 3 courses will be offered.

- State government will provide faculty and conduct examination. On successful completion & passing, certificates will be given the related department.
- We assume around 40 students in the first year.

We are excited to start this project and help generate employment in these poor villages. Come join our hands and support this project.

We seek your help in terms of time & skills. We request volunteers to help us in teaching kids, training on soft skills, fund raising, imparting computer education, doing admin work or anything you feel will be of value to us. Please call us, drop an email or show your interest through our social media sites.

Donations are eligible for tax exemption under Section 80(G) of the Indian Income Tax Act, 1961.

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