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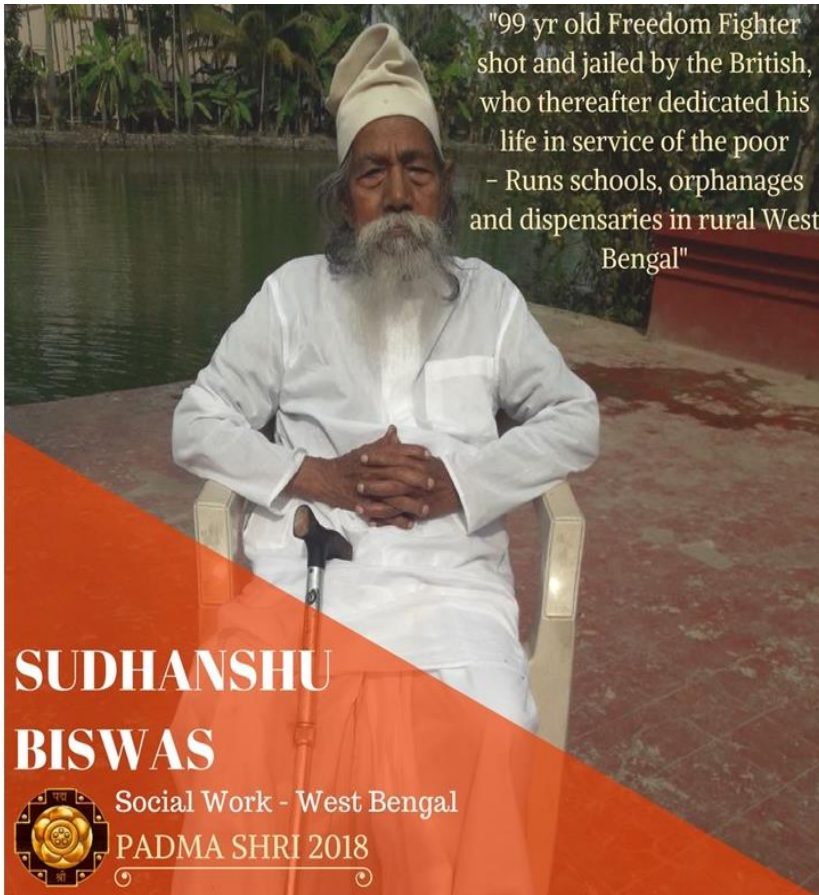
The journey of Sri Ramakrishna Sevashram

***Daridra Deva Bhavo***

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

## Namaskar Mahasaya & Mahasay,

We believe by the grace of Bhagwan Sri Ramakrishna you and your family are doing well. We hope we are able to provide regular updates on the Ashram activities through Anubandh.



"99 yr old Freedom Fighter shot and jailed by the British, who thereafter dedicated his life in service of the poor - Runs schools, orphanages and dispensaries in rural West Bengal"

**SUDHANSHU  
BISWAS**

Social Work - West Bengal

PADMA SHRI 2018



Please let us know your feedback not only on Anubandh but on our seva work. Request you to share Anubandh among your circles. We invite all of you to visit our Ashram. Your good wishes and support have been with us for more than four decades and we hope it will continue in the future. Yours truly,  
**Sri Ramakrishna Sevashram – Executive Management Team**

On April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 our beloved founder Sri Sudhanshu Biswas was awarded 'Padmashri' by the Hon. President of India Sri Ramnath Kovind. The grand ceremony took place in the Rashtrapati Bhavan at 6:30 PM on that day with other great sons and daughters of our motherland being awarded in the presence of Vice President of India, the Prime Minister and other distinguished person.

The Ashram inmates, workers and volunteers were thrilled to watch Sri Biswas in T.V. His comment on the award after returning to the Ashram – "All is due to the worship of Daridra Narayan and by the grace of Thakur. I feel happy for the Ashram. Lot of work to do in the future."



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## Annual Function was a Success



Our Ashram's annual festival was held on March 25th. At 5 AM more than 300 devotees attended the *mangalarati* in Sri Ramakrishna temple. Followed by a morning procession by 200 students and 700 villagers. Air was filled with devotional songs sung by them. Puja and *yagna* started in the temple at 8 AM. Next Vedic chanting reverberated the Ashram for couple of hours. Readings from the Holy Mother's Gospel was followed with lectures from monks and other guests.



Devotional songs, discussions on values and education and annual sports prize distribution was done. Nearly 2,000 people from surrounding villages were served prasadam. The day ended with cloth distribution among 500 widows, old citizens and destitute.



For over 3 decades Dr. Soumendhra Kumar Bagchi, current SRKS President has been serving voluntarily with 3 W's. Has strategically guided with his **WISDOM** as Sri Biswas was ageing. One of the busiest & selfless **WORKER** even after completing 75 years. Still travels in local train and takes vocational training classes. A philanthropic soul who is always the first to donate his **WEALTH** to the Ashram and free Homeopathic medicines to all Ashram inmates for decades now. We are fortunate to have YOU among us.

## General Updates – Newly painted walls



**BEFORE**

**AFTER**

Due to the benevolent support by our well wishers we gave a fresh paint to the walls of the Boy's home. Kids co-operated well in shifting goods out of the room. Both the rooms are looking new and rid of the shabby looks. It gives us joy to see the kids like the rooms.

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## General Updates – Pure Drinking Water for All



Thanks to the generous help of MP Sri Abhishek Banerjee, Diamond Harbour and Sri Dilip Mondal, MLA, Bishnupur -1, the Ashram received a 800 feet deep submersible pump. The boys and all inmates are now getting clean and uninterrupted water. This is a kind and timely help to beat the summer.

“We want the education by which character is formed, strength of mind is increased, the intellect is extended, and by which one can stand on one’s own feet.”

**Swami Vivekananda** - CW: Vol. 5, Pg. No.: 342

## Our Needs – We request your support & kindness



Current practical classes of the vocational training courses takes place in a three decade old temporary building. Due to the unplaster structure of the rooms, the dust creates huge problem in mobile repairing and other classes. The requirements are followings:

- **A strong shed** : Rs. 1.5 lakhs
- **Plastering** : Rs. 1.2 lakhs
- **Wall Paint** : Rs. 50,000
- **Wiring** – Rs. 30,000



SRKS inculcates responsibility & discipline among the students. We are planning to introduce uniforms for the kids. For one year, each kid will get 2 sets of half shirt & pant and 1 set of full shirt & pant. To be worn always except when they are inside the boys room. The cost for these 3 sets would be **Rs. 1,000 per kid**. We are in need of uniforms for **35 kids**.

**For more details and suggestions, request you to contact: Sri Ramakrishna Sevashram**  
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May the blessings of God be ever with you and yours.