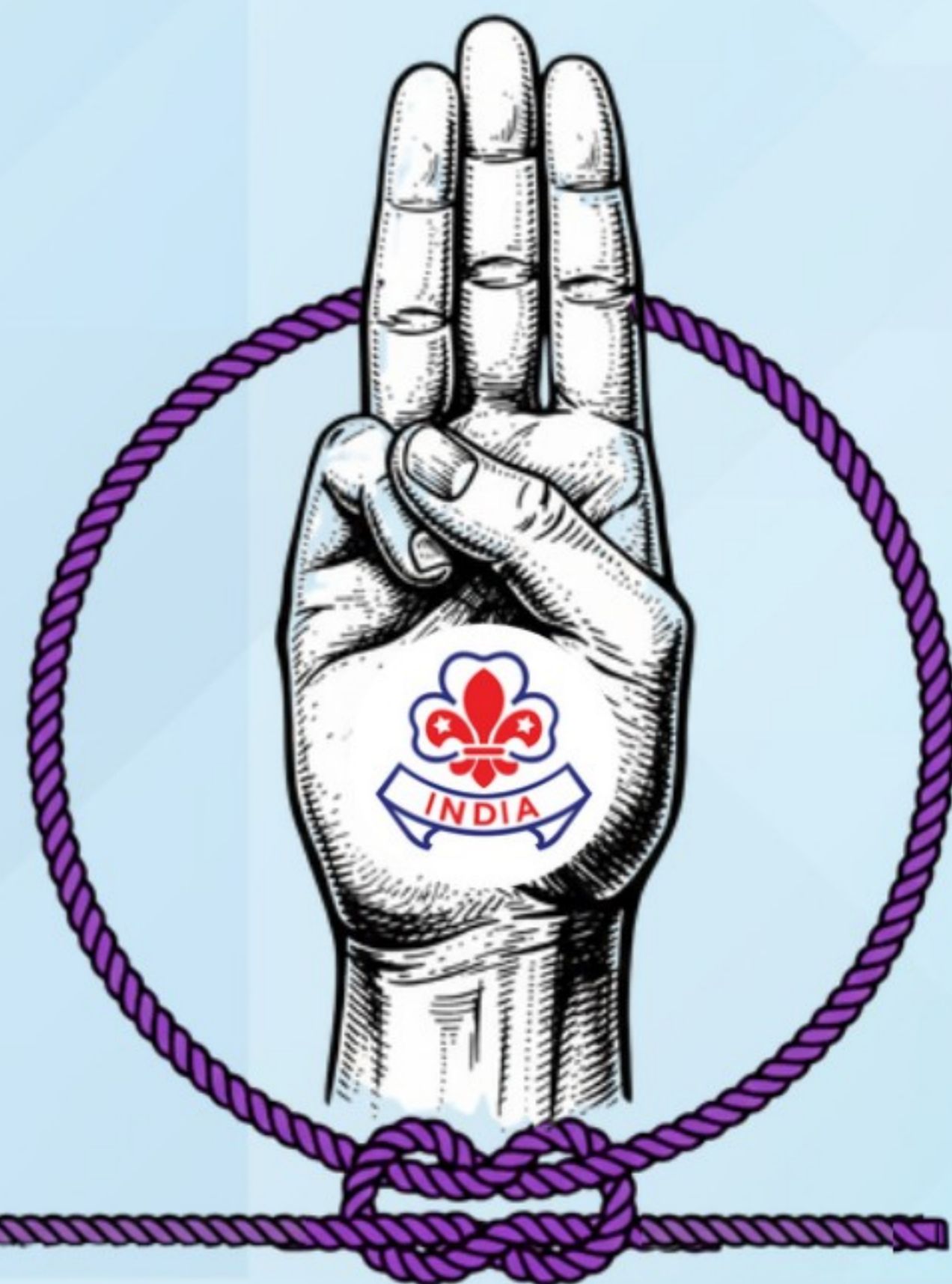




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Indian SGF believes in grooming its members with update life skills.

Trending skills for adults in 2026 are heavily focused on leveraging Artificial Intelligence (AI), managing data, and navigating digital transformations, alongside essential human-centric soft skills. Few skills focus on enhancing personal well-being and independence:

- **Financial Literacy:** Budgeting, investing, and managing credit.
- **Basic Home/Automobile Repair:** Performing minor maintenance to save costs.
- **Digital Literacy & Privacy:** Navigating online safety and basic troubleshooting.
- **Cooking & Nutritional Knowledge:** Preparing meals and understanding dietary needs.
- **First Aid & Emergency Preparedness:** Basic safety skills like CPR.

We can get self educated on and be ready to survive in future.



- From the Presidents Team - Indian SGF /NHQ





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SUCCESS STORIES/AT A GLANCE

- Padam Bhushan Dr Rahul Dravid installed as Ambassador of Indian Scout & Guide Fellowship on 11th January 2026
- Installation Ceremony held for National President of Indian SGF Padam Shri Dr Sayad MH Kirmani for the Year 2025 -2028
- A to Z Service Centre organised in 1st National Rover Ranger Jamboree at Balod Chhattisgarh
- 5th All Indian Railway SGF Gathering successfully held at Chitranganj CLW
- A to Z Service Centre organised in 21st All India Railway Jamborette Lilluah -Eastern Railway
- ATAS India members met in Railway Gathering
- Southern Regional Meeting held at Bangalore Karnataka
- Karnataka State SGF Celebrated 15th Year anniversary
- Aspac Region SGF Committee Meeting attended by members





NATIONAL UPDATES

Indian SGF - On 10th Jan 2026 Padma Bhushan Dr. Rahul Dravid has accepted to be Ambassador of Indian SGF in Bangalore. He took pledge under National President Padma Dr. Syed M H Kirmani and President in Chief Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri. The ceremony lead by M.A.K. Mecci and assisted by Seema Rathi. Witnessed by 80 members of Indian SGF from 9 state SGFs.

Induction of Ambassador for Indian SGF - on 10th Jan 2026 Padma Bhushan Dr. Rahul Dravid former Captain and Coach of Indian Cricket inducted in to Indian SGF as Ambassador in presence of President in Chief Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri and National President Padma Shri Dr Syed M.H Kirmani in Cluny Convent Malleshwaram Bangalore and same was held during Reunion organised by the Karnataka State SGF.



The induction lead by M A K Mecci President Executive with greetings, prelude on Indian SGF and reaffirmation of Scout Promise. Followed by special plaque presentation and recognitions assisted by Seema Rathi Secretary General. Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri gave he welcomed Dr. Rahul Dravid in to Indian SGF and blessed. Dr. Dravid gave his maiden speech with his acceptance as Ambassador. Dr. Kirmani appreciated Dr. Dravid's gesture and expressed his happiness, thanked him for being with SGF family. With formal vote of thanks by Sujaya R State Secretary and the guests were facilitated by J C Murlikrishna State Co-ordinator.





NATIONAL UPDATES

Indian SGF Governing Body team had a formal meeting with Dr. Rahul Dravid prior to installation on 10th Jan 2026. He was received and scarf was presented with his consent. The team gave him brief on Indian SGF and its basics, BS&G and its purpose for character building, all round development of youth as its members. Our focus on SDG'S and serving society/ communities during disasters. Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri, Dr. Syed Kirmani, Munira Mistry, Seema Rathi and M A K Mecci were present in deliberations, J C Murlikrishna assisted in facilitating with Mary Phelomina. After the discussion Dr. Rahul Dravid gave his acceptance to be Ambassador of Indian SGF





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Indian SGF Ambassador Dr. Rahul Dravid along with Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri and Dr. Syed Kirmani cut the special cake to mark

1. 75 years of BS&G
2. 65 years of Indian SGF
3. 15 years of Karnataka State

Same was organised by Mary Philomina LT of BS&G from Cluny Convent Bangalore.



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NATIONAL UPDATES

A to Z Service Centre - was organised by Indian SGF during 1st Rover Ranger Jamboree in Balod Chattisgarh. Same was managed by team from Chattisgarh State SGF comprising of Dr. Bubby Dutta Banik Chair of Central Regional SGF Council, Gayatri Singh Secretary Chattisgarh StateSGF, Chintamani Sahu and Bharat Sahu. Young adults from Jamboree were getting benefited of our free services and our team is serving with smiles. Premprakash Sharma Working President of Chattisgarh State SGF is supporting the Centre along with others.



A to Z Service Centre team met Indian SGF patron Satyanarayana Sharma during his visit to Jamboree. He being Vice President of the BS&G NHQ supported our service centre.





NATIONAL UPDATES

Indian Railway SGF

A to Z Service Centre was organised during 21st All Indian Railway Jamborette held at Liluha hosted by Eastern Railway State BS&G from 17th to 21st Jan 2026. Under the patronage of PCMM Sandeep Shukla President in Chief, Eastern Railway SGF team Ajit Sharma, Biswajit Saha, Rajkumar Rajbhar, Tarapada Sadhukhan stayed in Jamborette and managed the services. 527 young people were benefited and every one who visited the centre went back with satisfaction and smiles.



A to Z Service Centre - on concluding day 181 Scouts Guides visited the A to Z service centre and availed the facilities. Grand total of beneficiaries becomes 710. Further many former key leaders visited and encouraged the service team including S J Hobib, S. S.Paul- C K. Bhattacharya, Md. Yusuf. E Rly SGF members from Sealdah and Liluah Districts SGF also visited along with Gopal Chandra Roy, Balaram Biswas, Bandana Roy-, Soumen Roychowdhury, Sukumar Khashnobish, Nirmal Chakraborty & Dipika Subba. Overall it was meaningful moments for Indian Railway SGF on 21st Jan 2026.





NATIONAL UPDATES

5th Indian Railway SGF Gathering

Hosted by CLW SGF in Chittaranjan from 16 to 18th Jan 2026. Attended by 58 members from 7 Zonal Railways and 2 guests from West Bengal State SGF. Indian SGF NHQ was represented by National President Padma Shri Dr Syed M.H Kirmani, President Executive M A K Mecci and Secretary General Seema Rathi. The Gathering was lead by President in Chief and PCMM A K Mehsram of CLW and assisted by B.P.Naik APO/HQ and President CLW SGF, Shankar Sharma Principal TTC and Vice president CLW SGF and coordinatnated by Rajnish Prasad Secretary CLW SGF. The Indian Railway SGF Core Team Aijaz Mirza, Devendra Kumar Sakhare and Usha Ramesh also part of Team.



The Gathering had registration and lunch on 1st Day and moved to bank of River Ajay (the rviver divide the West Bengal and Jharkhand states). Integration session began with SDG Actions on River Bed by removing the plastic and the activity brought all participants integrated as a Gathering. With formal introduction of key leaders, organisers and Indian Railway SGF Core Team, Rohit Kerketta Dy.Secy to GM and Treasure CLW SGF blessed the integration session. With songs, lighter entertainment Gathering divided in to 5 groups. With tea and snacks Gathering returned to venue.





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The Gathering was inaugurated formally by National President Padma Shri Dr Syed M.H Kirmani as per schedule 17.30 hours. Seema Rathi monitored the ceremony and B P Naik greeted one and all, lighting of lamp by a team gave the ceremony special moments. CLW SGF team welcomed the Chief Guest and other HOD's under A K Mehsram leadership and he gave his opening remarks as well. M A K Mecci delivered key note address and explained the basics and fundamentals of Indian SGF, he also introduced Dr. Kirmani as a National President. Dr. Kirmani gave mesmerising speech and inaugurated the gathering. His every word gave the gathering and invited guests around 100 members sat still for 20 minutes to listen him. With other formalities and group pics - evening become more colourful with entertainment by young people from CLW. The day came to end with dinner, instructions for next day and meeting of key leaders.

Indian SGF organised special cake cutting ceremony to mark 75th year anniversary of CLW Indian Railway and Dr. Syed Kirmani did the honor with all key officers and SGF members present.





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On day 2 Gathering came together for a All Faiths Prayer meet and followed by breakfast. At 09.30 special session began with prayer, formal announcements and Dr. Syed Kirmani shared his lifetime experiences of cricket before leaving the gathering. Followed by technical chaired by A K Mehsram and convened by M A K Mecci. Indian Railway SGF report was presented by Seema Rathi from 4th to 5th Railway Gathering. Railway SGF technical issues were discussed and few points recommendations were discussed and same will be submitted to RSGB for consideration. With special recognition by NHQ to A K Mehsram and B P Naik technical session ended. With tea break - the gathering visited Chittaranjan Loco Works workshops and assembling centres lead by CLW SGF team. Gathering enjoyed the educational visit and enjoyed the lunch.





NATIONAL UPDATES

After a break, Gathering assembled in a Railway Locomotive Park for Fellowship Village Fair monitored by Seema Rathi and Devendra Kumar Sakhare. Five groups put up best innovative display and sales with available modified materials. With local music gathering danced to tunes and enjoyed the moments. Gathering went around the Locomotive Part and enjoyed the display of various memorable locomotives. The village fair ended with lot of fun, sales and exchanges, with evening tea and snacks.



The Gathering moved to Railway Officers Club for closing and campfire. The NHQ presented recognitions to two more members of CLW SGF, charters, Life / Donor membership certificates were distributed among present eligible members. Next gathering was announced to be hosted by SECR State SGF. CLW SGF team recognised all participating Zonal teams and key leaders including guest from Jharkhand.





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Followed by campfire inaugurated by A K Mehsram moderated by Devendra Sakhre and Aijaz Mirza, five groups gave beautiful items with SDG'S messages and entertainment. With closing remarks by M A K Mecci, gratitude to all were expressed by Seema Rathi. The day ended with dinner and lots of satisfying smiles.





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On 3rd Day Gathering came together with prayers, briefing and sightseeing of Chittaranjan lead by Devendra Sakhre, Aijaz Mirza and Rajnish Prasad with his team. All members departed to their destinations after lunch, CLW SGF also made arrangements for those who stayed back. Overall the 5th Indian Railway SGF Gathering was successful and memorable. Indian SGF congratulate CLW SGF



ATAS India

- Members met in Chittaranjan CLW on 17th Jan 2026 during Indian Railway SGF Gathering. Akash Chatterjee invited new members to join and register with ATAS India.





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INTERNATIONAL UPDATES

ISGF AsPac Regional Committee (2025 - 2028) met for 2nd time virtually on 24th Jan 2026. Attended by office bearers and country representatives from Australia, India, Malaysia, Maldives, New Zealand, Republic of Korea, Taiwan. The team discussed various important points and decisions were taken including governance, accounts, future actions and planning along with updates on initiatives of partnership with WOSM, WAGGGS. Chaired by Vice Chair M A K Mecci and convened by Secretary Minha. Eilif Wong, Advisors Dr. Shakeela and Simon played participatory roles. India and Maldives presented their reports. Over all meeting concluded with positive vibes and with assistance to meet in Batam Indonesia in March 2026 along with efforts to establish NSGF in Singapore.





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INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

SOUTHERN REGIONAL MEET

On 10th January 2026, key leaders of the Southern Region met at Shantigriha, BS&G, Bengaluru for a Review, in the presence of Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri, President-in-Chief Indian SGF, M.A.K.Mecci - President Executive Ind.SGF, Seema Rathi – Secretary General and Munira Mistry President Coordination Ind.SGF. Under the Chairmanship of the Chairperson – Southern Region – Fr.Thomas Paul, Regional Coordinator Southern Region Sujaya R began the proceedings with a silent prayer. She welcomed all the members and explained that this review is intended to bridge any gap between states in the region and the NHQ. She called upon the States one-by-one to present their problems, any issues being faced. Starting herself with Karnataka State – as State Secretary, she informed that though one of the Districts Ballari District has enrolled in the SDG programme as conceived by the SDG team of the Ind.SGF. But submitting the record of deliverables is not happening and she assured that the State teams will coordinate with the NHQ SDG team and do the needful. She invited individual units within the State to raise any issue they may have. There were none. Next it was decided to take up state wise interaction in alphabetical order. Andhra Pradesh – Suvarnalatha Gummudi expressed that the State Council needs to be re-elected in view of it being dysfunctional. She was advised by the NHQ team to official send a mail/letter to the Regional coordinator to initiate the process. Kerala State – had a similar issue where M.A.K.Mecci informed the house that the State team stands dissolved by the NHQ in view of the fact that both President and Secretary have tendered resignation. The question was opened to the house to discuss next course of Action. Parag Chhatbar KSGF Life member suggested that Vice President could take over. But with the consent of Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri, Mecci informed that the Vice President could only be the acting leader and it would be only an interim arrangement until a new Council is elected. Everybody present agreed that fresh elections need to be held.





INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

SOUTHERN REGIONAL MEET

The State Coordinator Firosh KM was entrusted with forming a committee to chart out the election process and present it before the next National Council Meeting scheduled on 06th and 07th of February 2026. Southern Railway State was applauded on achieving the feat of getting an official premises allocated to the SGF team as Scout Den for the Fellowship activities. Their doubt regarding active BS&G members seeking membership in SGF was explained by M.A.K.Mecci. The next State – South Western Railway – they were reminded that activities have to be conducted regularly and reported. It was also pointed out that there was no Council Meeting or any meeting being held by the SWR team. They were exhorted to enhance and take up the matters on an early basis. The new nominated Council member Diana Thomas and State Secretary Ayub Khan agreed for the same. Tamil Nadu State SGF – were doing well. M.A.K.Mecci reminded the State President L.Ravi Kumar that other than Chennai and Salem, there have been no new units/Districts being formed in the State and that should be the area of focus for the future. Sujaya reminded that Pondicherry revival was to be taken up with the support of Tamil Nadu state which is yet to be completed. Mecci informed that under the NHQ efforts, it is in the process and that soon things may work in the favour. In Telangana State, Mohammad Khasim mentioned that the State unit leadership there are some lacunae and M.A.K.Mecci suggested that NHQ may have to take some steps to liaison, which was agreed upon. With this, the floor was open to any other issues that needed discussion. Munira Mistry pointed out that the States – when they present the Annual report of activities in the National Gathering – must ensure that the report covers – growth in the unit/district levels, their audited financial statements, updating about their specific achievements and any SDG specific activities rather than just the report of activities. M.A.K.Mecci informed the house that Southern Region was adjudged the best region during the assessment taken up at the National Gathering in Bolpur and congratulated all the states and encouraged them continue in the spirit of service and fellowship. The meeting concluded with vote of thanks.





INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

BIHAR STATE SGF

Katihar District: ATAS Katihar Chapter: दिनांक 01 जनवरी 2026 को नव वर्ष समारोह का आयोजन किया गया। अटास के सदस्यों के परिवार के सदस्यों ने मिल जुल कर इस समारोह का लुप्त उठाया। यह समारोह भारत स्काउट गाइड जिला मुख्यालय कटिहार के प्रांगण में आयोजित किया गया। एसोसिएशन ऑफ टॉप एचीवर स्काउट में मुख्य रूप से राष्ट्रपति स्काउट गाइड प्राप्त होने के उपरांत इसमें सदस्य बनाया जाता है। आए दिन ये संस्था स्काउट गाइड के बच्चों को सभी तरह से सहायता प्रदान करती है। इस नव वर्ष समारोह में सफल आयोजन में राम बाबू डी.ओ.सी.स्काउट कटिहार, राजेश कुमार वर्मा जिला कॉर्डिनेटर अटास, अवधेश यादव, अनूप उपाध्याय, डॉक्टर कुमार अमरेश, प्रिया कुमारी, मयंक राय, रंजन कुमार, ललन राम, राहुल वर्णवाल ये सभी राष्ट्रपति स्काउट गाइड का सहयोग सराहनीय रहा। मुख्य आयुक्त श्री दिनेश दुबे, जिला आयुक्त अर्चना राय, अमित जायसवाल एवं जिला सचिव के द्वारा नव वर्ष की शुभ कामना दी गई। इस कार्यक्रम को सफल बनाने में स्काउट गाइड का सराहनीय योगदान रहा।





INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

BIHAR STATE SGF

दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को 77वा गणतंत्र दिवस के शुभ अवसर पर महेश्वरी एकेडमी कटिहार के प्रांगण में जिला मुख्यालय भारत स्काउट गाइड कटिहार शिक्षा विभाग के तत्वाधान में मुख्य अतिथि पूर्व उपमुख्यमंत्री सदर विधायक श्री तारकेशोर प्रसाद जी ने राष्ट्र ध्वज एवं जिला शिक्षा पदाधिकारी श्री राहुल चंद्र चौधरी जी द्वारा स्काउट गाइड संस्था का ध्वजारोहण किया। इस अवसर पर एसोसिएशन आफ टॉप एचीवर स्काउट के जिला कॉर्डिनेटर राजेश कुमार वर्मा, अनुप कुमार उपाध्याय, डॉक्टर कुमार अमरेश, गणेश ठाकुर, राम बाबू, रवि रंजन, रंजन कुमार, राहुल वरनवाल, ललन राम, कमल चन्द्र वंशी, प्रिया कुमारी, सदस्यों ने अपना सहयोग प्रदान किया, इस कार्यक्रम का मंच संचालन काशी प्रसाद चौहान एवं धन्यवाद ज्ञापन जिला सचिव संजय श्रीवास्तव के द्वारा किया गया।



CHATTISGARH STATE SGF

दिनांक 03 जनवरी 2026 को छत्तीसगढ़ का लोकपर्व "छेरा - छेरी" पारंपरिक उल्लास के साथ सम्पन्न हुआ। पौष मास की पूर्णिमा (पौष पुत्री) को मनाए जाने वाले इस पर्व को, नई फसल आगमन और अन्नदान उत्सव के रूप में मनाया जाता है। इस अवसर पर पारम्परिक छत्तीसगढ़ी आशीष गीत गाते हुए पहुँची युवाओं की टोली को महामाया गिल्ड SGF रायपुर की सचिव गायत्री सिंह और सदस्य शमीम खान द्वारा अन्नदान दिया जाकर, छत्तीसगढ़ी लोक परम्परा संरक्षण में योगदान किया गया।





INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

CHHATTISGARH STATE SGF

The A to Z Service Centre was organized by Indian SGF during the 1st Rover Ranger Jamboree at Balod, Chhattisgarh, and was inaugurated by Sudhanshu Shekhar, State Organising Commissioner (Scout), The Bharat Scouts and Guides, Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu. After the inauguration, the centre operated under the guidance and support of Prem Prakash Sharma, Working President, Chhattisgarh State SGF and State Commissioner (Scout), whose leadership ensured smooth functioning of the services. The centre was managed by the Chhattisgarh State SGF team comprising Dr. Bably Dutta Banik - Chair Central Regional SGF Council, Gayatri Singh - State Secretary and National Council Member; along with Chintamani Sahu and Bharat Sahu. Free services, including Medical First Aid under National Coordination, were provided to young participants, reflecting the spirit of service and teamwork.





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INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

CHATTISGARH STATE SGF

Cure Violence Medical Guild: On 01st January 2026, on the occasion of the New Year, a humanitarian activity was organised at the Railway Station, where blankets and sweaters were distributed to needy people to help them cope with the cold weather. The initiative aimed to spread warmth, care, and compassion among the underprivileged at the start of the new year. The distribution drive was carried out with the active participation of Guild Secretary Dr. Bably Dutta along with Guild members Toshima Dahariya, Sameera Rathore, Mithun Mandal, and Bikas Das. The program reflected the Guild's continued commitment to social welfare and service to humanity, bringing comfort and hope to those in need.



On 12th January 2026, National Youth Day was celebrated on the occasion of Swami Vivekananda Jayanti. The program was successfully organized under the guidance of Dr. Bably Dutta, Guild Secretary, led by Toshima Dahariya, Guild member, with active participation from all guild other members. Janhavi Dahariya, Sulochana Pawar, and Suman gave their valuable contributions.





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CHATTISGARH STATE SGF

On 23rd January 2026, the 129th Birth Anniversary of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose was celebrated. Tribute was paid by offering garlands and flowers to his statue in honor of his contribution to India's freedom struggle. The program was organized by Guild Secretary Dr. Bably Dutta, with the participation of members Toshima Dahariya, Sameera Rathore, Mithun Mandal, and Bikas Biswas. The event reflected respect for Netaji's ideals and his inspiring legacy.



On 26th January 2026, the 77th Republic Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm. As part of the celebration, chocolates were distributed among children to spread joy and happiness. The program was led by Guild Secretary Dr. Bably Dutta and was supported by Guild members Raksha Parpani, Ritesh Parpani, Toshima Dahariya, Samira Rathore, Mithun Mandal and Bikash Biswas. The event highlighted the spirit of patriotism and unity among the participants.



Mahamaya Guild : दिनांक 17 जनवरी 2026 को इंडियन स्काउट गाइड फेलोशिप के संरक्षक छ.ग.शासन के पूर्व कैबिनेट मंत्री एवं जनप्रिय जननेता माननीय श्री सत्यनारायण शर्मा जी के जन्मदिन पर शुभकामनाये प्रेषित की गई। राज्य सचिव गायत्री सिंह द्वारा स्कार्फ पहनाकर और पुष्प गुच्छ भेंट कर अभिनंदन किया गया। इस अवसर पर गिल्ड सदस्य शमीम खान, नीता धीवर उपस्थित रही।



INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

CHATTISGARH STATE SGF

दिनांक 23 जनवरी 2026 को प्रकृति, संस्कृति और लोक पर्व "वसन्त पंचमी" को विद्या की देवी "माँ सरस्वती" के सार्वजनिक पूजन द्वारा मनाया गया। बसंत पंचमी ऐसा पर्व है, जहाँ प्रकृति, विद्या, लोक और संस्कार, चारों का अद्भुत समन्वय दिखाई देता है। इस अवसर पर सचिव गायत्री सिंह ने कहा कि-सरस्वती पूजन का आशय केवल विद्वान बनना नहीं, बल्कि संस्कारी और विवेकशील मनुष्य बनना है। यह पर्व याद दिलाता है कि शिक्षा का उद्देश्य केवल आजीविका नहीं, बल्कि जीवन की दिशा तय करना है। शिक्षा जितनी जल्दी और जितनी संस्कारित होगी, समाज उतना ही सशक्त बनेगा। आज जब शिक्षा को केवल डिग्री और रोजगार तक सीमित कर दिया गया है, तब बसंत पंचमी शिक्षा के मूल उद्देश्य - चरित्र निर्माण और समाज-कल्याण की याद दिलाती है। यही उद्देश्य स्काउटिंग और गाइडिंग का है। इस कार्यक्रम में गिल्ड के नीता धीवर, शमीम खान झामनी साहू, सीमा साहू, चित्ररेखा साहू, मोना साहू एवं अन्य सदस्य उपस्थित रहे।



दिनांक 30 जनवरी 2026 को राष्ट्र पिता महात्मा गांधी जी की 77 वी पुण्यतिथि के अवसर पर, रायपुर जिला कलेक्ट्रेट परिसर में स्थित टाउन हॉल में पुष्प अर्पण कर श्रद्धांजलि दी गई। सचिव गायत्री सिंह ने सदस्यों को बताया कि राष्ट्रपिता महात्मा गांधी जी ने दो बार, दिसम्बर 1920 में कंडेल नहर सत्याग्रह धमतरी और नवंबर 1933 में हरिजन उद्धार अभियान के दौरान रायपुर प्रवास किया। रायपुर में गांधीजी की यादें आज भी जैतूसाव मठ, आनंद वाचनालय, गांधी मैदान और पं.रविशंकर शुक्ल के निवास से जुड़ी हैं। ये दोनों प्रवास छत्तीसगढ़ में स्वतंत्रता संग्राम, असहयोग और सामाजिक सुधार की भावना को मजबूत करने वाले थे। इस कार्यक्रम में शमीम खान, कार्तिक भोआल, लक्ष्मी निषाद उपस्थित रहे।





INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

DADAR AND NAGAR HAVELI STATE SGF

On 26th January 2026, the 8th State Youth Award and 77th Republic Day program was hosted at Bharat Scouts and Guides Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu State Headquarters Dokmardi. Flag unfurling was done by the Honourable Resident Deputy Collector Silvassa/ Vice President DNH DD Bharat Scouts and Guides Shri.Amit Kumar. SDM Silvassa Ms.Stuti Garg Vice President, Dr.Jyotirmay Sur, State Commissioner Guide/ Principal Red Cross School for Special Children, DNH DD Active Fellowship Member Nikhil Moolwani, Kavita Moolwani, Riyaz Sarvaiya and all teachers were present. The most active and Dedicated Rovers Rangers and Guides were awarded :

1. Shri Vivekananda Youth Awards - Ms. Palak Shekhawat
2. Shri Ranjit Acharya Youth Awards - Mr. Randhir Kumar
3. Mrs. Sunila Devi Youth Awards - Ms. Anamika Singh
4. Ms. Laxmi Sirsat Youth Awards - Ms. Yogita Sen

Jay Hind, Seva Bharati Open Group, Red Cross School Special Scouts and Guides gave patriotic programmes.



All Youth Awardees on this special occasion 77th Republic Day at State Headquarters Dokmardi





INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

DELHI STATE SGF

On 18th January 2026, young member Rahul Thakur donated his Blood for a patient's open Heart surgery at Ambedkar Hospital, Rohini.



On 18th of January 2026, a get together program was organised to celebrate New year, Youth Day & Birthday of members at Sanjay Lake, Trilokpuri, Delhi. The program started with Scout and Guide prayer followed by a welcome address by State Secretary Preeti Anand. She also discussed forthcoming activities of the state. Every member shared their views regarding Youth Day & Fellowship activities. Aman Gupta recited a very beautiful song. Manju Gautam conducted zumba activities. All the members enjoyed nature & did a few Adventure activities. State Secretary Preeti Anand facilitated Aman Gupta a young member with scarf & angvastra, for recently joining the Indian information services (UPSC). A new member Mrs.Supriya Ranjan was introduced. She was welcomed by giving fellowship scarf by Dipti Jain and Preeti Anand administered the scout / Guide Promise. The Birthday of Mr.A.K.Sharma was celebrated by cutting the cake. Everybody enjoyed the delicious cake and snacks with tea. 14 members participated in the get-together program. Preeti Anand, Dipti Jain, Avtar Singh, Manju Gautam, Rajeev Anand, Aman Gupta, Vandana Bhagat, Savita Manchanda , Sandeep Chauhan, Arun Kumar Sharma, Richa Sharma, Umesh Ranjan, Supriya Ranjan, Satender Singh. The program ended with a vote of thanks by the State Co-ordinator Avtar Singh.





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DELHI STATE SGF

On 23rd January 2026 Festival Basant Panchami was celebrated at different places. State secretary Preeti Anand and member Shikha Gautam along with other neighbouring ladies celebrated at Niti khand-1 Indirapuram, and PRO & Legal Advisor Dipti Jain celebrated at her work place (in the school). Everyone wore yellow clothes & worshiped Goddess Maa Saraswati and had Sweet yellow rice as Prasad.



On 26th January 2026, Republic Day celebration was organised in collaboration with RWA at Niti khand-1, Indirapuram. Small children of the Colony unfurled the National flag along with State Secretary Preeti Anand & other members. A beautiful cultural program was presented by children which was highly appreciated by everyone. All the participants were encouraged by giving small gifts. At the end of the program snacks & Ladoo were distributed to all. Members Rajeev Anand, Shikha Gautam, Santosh Choubey were also present.





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INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

DELHI STATE SGF

East District: On 26th January 2026, Republic day was celebrated at the office of District Magistrate East Delhi. The National Flag was unfurled by the DM Shri.Amol Srivastava & Guard of honour was given by State Coordinator Avtar Singh & his team.



EASTERN RAILWAY STATE SGF

On 12th January 2026, Swami Vivekananda's Birthday was observed at Kharagpur Koushalya More.

Andal Guild: On 12th January 2026, Swami Vivekananda's Birthday was observed at Engineering Scout Den premises at Andal where J.K.Bose, Srikant Lall, Swapan Chatterjee, Ajit Kumar Mondal, Pulakananda Mukherjee, Dipak Kumar Roy, Jagabandhu Ghosh & Pulak Sarkar were present. They garlanded the image of Swamiji and paid their respect. Members present participated in the discussion about the life of Swami Vivekananda.

On 26th January 2026, Republic Day was celebrated, where 11 members including P.N.Mukhopadhyay, Srikant Lall, T.K.Sarkar, Amalendu Sarkar, P.C.Sarkar, J.B.Ghosh, J.K.Bose, S.Chatterjee, T.K.Banerjee, A.K. Chatterjee & Rita Mondal were present.





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INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

EASTERN RAILWAY STATE SGF

Asansol District: On 12th January 2026, members celebrated Swami Vivekananda Birthday ceremony & National Youth Day at SGF office premises.



On 26th January 2026, Republic Day was celebrated at SGF office premises. Dipak Sen, Secretary hoisted the National Flag followed by the National Anthem. D.Dasgupta Working President, S.Roychowdhury, Tapan Kr. Paul & Pijush Sarkar were present.



GUJARAT STATE SGF

On 15th January 2026, Wg Cdr Pranav Shah visited the Arrow of Light Cub Scout Den in Long Island City New York USA and interacted with the Den members. He gave a talk about how an airplane flies and different types of airplanes. The cubs were then given paper and a choice of designs to make their own airplanes. Later a fun contest was held to see whose airplane flew the farthest. This helped them fulfill their Engineering Adventure elective requirement. The members were further inspired to do a project on Scouting in different countries.





INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

GUJARAT STATE SGF



HARYANA STATE SGF

Kaithal District: दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को गणतंत्र दिवस समारोह में भीष्म ओपन ग्रुप कैथल के रोवरस स्काउट्स ने जिला स्तरीय कार्यक्रम में मार्च पास्ट में भाग लिया। इस कार्यक्रम में जिला संगठन आयुक्त गाइड्स रजनी बाला, ग्रुप लीडर बख्शीश गिरधर, रेंजर लीडर अंजू शर्मा, इंडियन स्काउट एंड गाइड फैलोशिप जिला कैथल से सुनील चौधरी, विकास कुमार, वेंकटरमन व अन्य रोवरस स्काउट्स का सराहनीय योगदान रहा। गणतंत्र दिवस कार्यक्रम के मुख्यातिथि सांसद नवीन जिंदल जी, उपायुक्त महोदया अपराजिता जी, सुपरिडेंट ऑफ पुलिस, जिला शिक्षा अधिकारी संग जिला संगठन आयुक्त गाइड रजनी बाला, ग्रुप लीडर बख्शीश गिरधर, झांसी ओपन ग्रुप कैथल की रेंजर लीडर अंजू शर्मा, व भीष्म ओपन ग्रुप कैथल के रोवर स्काउट्स थे।



INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

HARYANA STATE SGF

दिनांक 29 जनवरी 2026 को हरियाणा राज्य भारत स्काउट्स एंड गाइड्स भीष्म एवं झांसी ओपन ग्रुप कैथल तथा इंडियन स्काउट एंड गाइड फैलोशिप जिला कैथल द्वारा चलाए जा रहे स्वस्थ बालिका स्वस्थ भारत अभियान व सतत विकास लक्ष्य संख्या 3 उत्तम स्वास्थ्य और खुशहाली के अंतर्गत निःशुल्क सिलाई केंद्र में मासिक धर्म स्वच्छता जागरूकता कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया गया। ग्रुप द्वारा भिन्न भिन्न समय विभिन्न बस्तियों में लड़कियों व महिलाओं को मासिक धर्म स्वच्छता के प्रति जागरूक करने के लिए जागरूकता अभियान चलाए जाते हैं। इस कार्यक्रम का शुभारंभ स्काउटिंग परम्परा अनुसार जिला संगठन आयुक्त गाइड्स रजनी बाला को रेंजर लीडर अंजू शर्मा द्वारा स्कार्फ पहना कर किया गया। कार्यक्रम में बोलते हुए रजनी बाला जी ने कहा कि यह इस विषय पर बात करने में आज भी लड़कियां झिझकती है। मासिक धर्म एक सामान्य प्राकृतिक प्रक्रिया है जिसमें लड़कियों तथा महिलाओं के शरीर में हर महीने रक्त का स्राव होता है। यह प्रक्रिया महिलाओं में प्रजनन का हिस्सा है। इस समय लड़कियों को अपनी निज स्वच्छता का ध्यान रखना जरूरी है। इसके लिए सेनेटरी पैड का उपयोग करें तथा नियमित रूप से बदलें। पौष्टिक आहार लें। इसके पश्चात भी यदि कोई समस्या आती है तो अपने घर के सदस्यों से बात करें। ग्रुप द्वारा लड़कियों के लिए चलाया जा रहा यह अभियान प्रशंसनीय व सराहनीय है। रेंजर लीडर अंजू शर्मा ने कहा कि मासिक धर्म स्वच्छता के प्रति जागरूक करने के साथ विभिन्न सामाजिक विषयों जैसे जल संरक्षण, पर्यावरण जागरूकता, स्वच्छता, शिक्षा, खेलकूद के प्रति तथा समाज में फैली विभिन्न कुरितियों के प्रति भी जागरूक करते हैं। इंडियन स्काउट एंड गाइड फैलोशिप से पूजा गिरधर ने कहा कि लड़कियों को विभिन्न विषयों के प्रति जागरूक करने के साथ साथ विभिन्न बस्तियों की 150 के लगभग लड़कियों को हर तीन माह के अंतराल पर निःशुल्क सेनेटरी नेपकिन वितरित करते हैं। अभियान के 70वें माह में सिलाई केंद्र की 35 के लगभग लड़कियों को आगामी तीन माह के लिए निःशुल्क सेनेटरी नेपकिन वितरित किए गए। इस कार्यक्रम में रोवर सुनील चौधरी, विकास कुमार, अंकित, सुभाष, अमन, कुलदीप, पवन, विकास, गौरव व सिलाई केंद्र की अध्यापिका सतबीर कौर आदि का सराहनीय योगदान रहा।





JANUARY 2026

INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

JAMMU & KASHMIR STATE SGF

On 08th January 2026, a Special Meeting was held at Anantnag. Members met at Ravenwood International School, Anantnag in a cordial, purposeful, and inspiring atmosphere, truly reflecting the ethos and values of the Scout and Guide Fellowship. A key highlight of the meeting was the formal induction of new members. The newly inducted members were accorded a warm welcome and were comprehensively briefed about the objectives, principles, and functioning of the Indian Scout and Guide Fellowship. Senior members, while addressing the gathering, underscored the pivotal role of the Fellowship in fostering leadership, discipline, community service, and a lifelong commitment to the ideals of Scouting and Guiding. Emphasis was laid on the Fellowship's responsibility in nurturing socially responsible citizens dedicated to nation-building. The members were also apprised of the ongoing activities and initiatives being implemented across the Union Territory, with special focus on community service programmes and alignment with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The session concluded with an interactive discussion, encouraging active participation, collective responsibility, and renewed commitment towards strengthening the Fellowship in Jammu and Kashmir. The meeting reaffirmed the collective resolve of the J&K State SGF to work with dedication, unity, and purpose for the growth of the Fellowship and to contribute meaningfully to society.





JANUARY 2026

INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

KARNATAKA STATE SGF

Teams met for few times at the venue Cluny Convent Malleshwaram Bangalore & on zoom to finalise Southern Regional Gathering and Reunion 2026. State President Padma Shri Dr Syed Kirmani also taking initiative to make it successful and memorable.



Reunion 2026:

Part-I – BS&G 75 years – Rally:

(i) On 10th January 2026, KSGF organized a Rally at Cluny Convent High School, Malleshwaram - to mark 75 years of BS&G. The Rally began with prayer and BS&G flag hoisting ceremony and color party led by Dr. Mary Philomena Albert and assisted by Bhuvaneshwari, Gayathri Singh, Narendra. State President – Padmashri Dr. Syed M.H. Kirmani with the graceful presence of Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri – President-in-Chief Indian SGF were the Chief Guests. The event began with an energetic welcome with the school band accompanying the guests into the school premises. President Executive Indian SGF – M.A.K. Mecci. Secretary General Ind.SGF – Seema Rathi and President Coordination Indian SGF – Munira Mistry escorted the guests, with echoing band, beating of drums and bugles. The guests were received in traditional way by little children applying tilak and taking arti with a lamp. Little cubs and bulbuls gave a greeting in their own cute way led by Leader Trainer (Bulbuls) Dr. Mary Philomena Albert and her able team of teachers and flock leaders of the Cluny Convent School. The children were then made into groups for various activities like scouting skills, fun games, patriotic songs and General Knowledge spot quiz led by SGF members and Guiders of Cluny Convent High School. The children enjoyed the various activities. Band party of Cluny Convent did their best to support March past, and gave demonstrations. The programme concluded with National Anthem and children dispersed after being provided light breakfast.





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During the 75th year of BS&G celebrations - the special Scouts and Guides were invited by KSSGF. SoCare Scouts and Guides Group (prisoners wards) is registered with Bangalore North District under Malleshwaram Local Association of BS&G. Established in 2009 by KSSGF and it is 16 years - still running strong. Hundreds of young people were benefiting. 45 Scouts and Guides from Socare joined and become part of Rally. Same was monitored by Palanivel Muthu, Murlikrishna and Ayub Khan. Another challenge was taken up by KSSGF is to enroll special children from Swasti Foundation – School for Children with Special Needs. 15 Special Children were inducted into BS&G and same was registered under monitoring of Munira Mistry. This unit is Special milestone to mark 75th year of BS&G.

After a brief address by Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri, Investiture ceremony of special children led by M A K Mecci with assistance of Murugan was held. Dr. Syed Kirmani congratulated the special children, socare team for being part of Scouting and Guiding.

Overall 270 young people joined from Cluny Convent, BBMP, Socare and Swasti Foundation. 80 SGF members from 9 states attended





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KARNATAKA STATE SGF



Reunion 2026 was organised by Karnataka State SGF to mark – 65 years of Indian SGF / 20 years of Bangalore District SGF / 15 years of Karnataka SGF. The reunion is in continuation with the Rally on 10th January 2026, an event was held in the same venue in closed auditorium. It was also an event for southern regional SGF teams in the presence of Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri – President-in-Chief Indian SGF; T.Prabhakar – President-in-Chief – Karnataka State SGF; Padmashri Dr.Syed M.H.Kirmanani – President Karnataka State SGF, M.A.K.Mecci – President Executive Indian SGF and Seema Rathi – Secretary General Ind.SGF. The reunion began with the greetings and command of State Secretary Sujaya R, with Scout Guide prayer followed by a welcome address by Gayatri Singh Chair of the Reunion organising Committee. Karnataka journey from 1959 as a Mysore State to today's State SGF under individuals as a founder of Indian SGF Justice Mir Iqbal Hussain, then Mrs. Balajii Singh and finally by M.A.K.Mecci till 2004. In 2005 Bangalore District SGF was formed and Karnataka State SGF in 2009. Mecci gave a brief gratitude and condolences for the contributions of all the pioneers of the movement throughout these years





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Indian SGF NHQ took over the reunion and Seema Rathi took a lead. Installation ceremony of Padmashri Dr.Syed MH Kirmani who was elected as the President Indian SGF during the 35th General Assembly (Special) held in Bolpur West Bengal on 8th November 2025. He was inducted by Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri and reaffirmation of promise lead by M A K Mecci. In his acceptance speech, Dr.Kirmani expressed his pleasure in accepting the role and assured of his continuous support and presence in the organization. On the occasion Seema Rathi was presented with ISGF AsPac SGF Regional recognitions as best performer in the region. KSSGF recognised Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri with a strawl and souvenir. The NHQ also installed the Suryakumari as Donor Member, Anu Thimmappa, Ayub Khan and others as Life Members.





INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

KARNATAKA STATE SGF

Lighting of the lamp led by Bhuvaneshwari Vice President of KSSGF and Prresident of Bangalore District SGF. Young team of Cluny under the leadership of Dr.Mary Philomena Albert, gave an invocation and stunning performance from reality sgow which was enjoyed by all. Anu Thimmappa State Vice-President recognised representatives from the various state SGFs who had come from the Southern Region - Andhra, Karnataka, Kerala, Tamilnadu, Tillangana, SR, SWR, Rajasthan and Gujarat. Opening remarks were given by T.Prabhakar where he congratulated all those present and past who have contributed in the growth of Indian SGF and Karnataka State SGF.



Reunion came to end with cake cutting ceremony by Dr. Rahul Dravid, recognition of selected individuals from other states, souvenirs were distributed among all registered members by KSSGF team and induction of 4 new members in to SGF. With smiles and satisfaction the reunion ended and regional team moved to Shantigriha for the next meet and dinner.





INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

KARNATAKA STATE SGF

Reunion followed by a video presentation highlighting the the journey of the KSSGF – presented by J.C.Murali Krishna State Coordinator KSGF. Sujaya R State Secretary announced the recognitions wity certificates and souvenirs were distributed to all the stalwart leaders, past and present, in the growth of KSGF by the Presidents presence. Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri gave his blessings on the occasion. Invited regional guests shared their messages on the occasion. With announcements Reunion had a tea break.



On 11th January 2026, and excursion/picnic was conducted for the participants who had come from various States to attend the Reunion event and Southern Regional Gathering on 10th January 2026. The outing was led by Narendra. The participants gathered at Shantigriha BS&G office at 7 AM for breakfast and proceeded by a hired bus and personal vehicles to Thimmappana Betta, a small hillock in Ramanagara Taluk around 65 kms from Bengaluru. The main attractions there are the Twin rocks and the scenic view of surrounding hills. After reaching the top of the hill, everyone enjoyed the chill air and scenic view. Various games, fun activities and sing-song sessions were held by Ayub Khan. M.A.K.Mecci conducted a short quiz regarding Fellowship and Scouting and souvenirs were given away to the members who gave right answers. Impeeza Guild members distributed mementoes to a few of the members who were recognised for their contributions in Fellowship. Representatives from Southern Region, Rajasthan and Gujarat States along with KSGF members participated in this excursion. After having lunch at a nearby hotel, all the participants dispersed for their respective destinations.



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KERALA STATE SGF

Kodanad Guild: Deworming Day: On 12th January, 2026, Guild members along with the Family Health Centre (FHC), Kodanad, collaboratively observed Deworming day by distributing deworming tablets to the students of Baselius Augen Public School. The programme was conducted in the presence of Adv. Rev. Fr. Thomas Paul, School Manager, Ms. Prasanna Kumari, Guild Member, and the Vice Principal.



On 17th January 2025, the Carbon Literacy Program – Phase II was organised at Abhayaranyam, Kodanad for children aged 3-6 years. The programme titled "Kurutholayum Kunjikayyum" focused on creating environmental awareness through engaging activities led by Cartoonist Sini Lal and was graced by Panchayat President Shri Binoy Areeckal. All Guild members and Baselius School staff actively participated, and certificates, T-shirts, and prizes were distributed, making the programme informative and enjoyable.





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On 23rd January 2026, a motivational class was organised for parents and students at the auditorium of Baselius Augen Public School, Kodanad. The session was led by Sr.Divina, SD, a renowned educator and motivational speaker. She inspired students to be confident, disciplined, and focused on their goals, and guided parents on how to support their children positively. The program was informative and motivating, and it created a positive impact on all the participants.



On 26th January 2026, Republic Day was celebrated with pride at Baselius Augen Public School. The Principal Ms.Biji John, unfurled the National Flag, followed by the National Anthem. Students presented a patriotic song dance and also sang a patriotic song. Scouts, Guides, and all staff members actively participated in the programme. Laddus were distributed to all, marking a joyful conclusion to the celebration.





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MADHYA PRADESH STATE SGF

Balaghat Guild: दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को 77 वा गणतंत्र दिवस के अवसर पर बालाघाट शहर के प्रसिद्ध "बाबा साहेब आम्बेडकर " चौक मे, गणतंत्र दिवस समारोह के सार्वजनिक आयोजन मे हिस्सा लिया गया। राष्ट्रीय ध्वज को "मान वंदना" दी गई। इस अवसर पर गिल्ड सदस्य अर्पणा इंदुरकर, छाया बंसोड, गिल्ड सचिव वंदना मेश्राम उपस्थित रहे।



Seoni District: दिनांक 09 जनवरी 2026 को आरोग्य श्री ग्राम, मंडला रोड, सिवनी के जंगल क्षेत्र में एक नेचर वॉक का आयोजन किया गया। इस नेचर ट्रेल के दौरान प्रतिभागियों ने पहाड़ी नदी के अधूरे वाटर चेक डैम के निर्माण को पूरा किया, जो वर्षा जल को रोककर भूजल स्तर बढ़ाने और मिट्टी के कटाव को रोकने में सहायक होगा। इस गतिविधि के माध्यम से SDG-3, SDG-13, SDG-15 के लक्ष्य पूर्ति की दिशा में योगदान दिया गया।

कार्यक्रम के दौरान सुनील सिंह ठाकुर को स्कार्फ पहनाकर औपचारिक रूप से Seoni District SGF की सदस्यता प्रदान की गई। कार्यक्रम के अंत में, नवागत नेशनल काउंसिल सदस्य (मध्य प्रदेश) डॉ.महेंद्र डहरवाल का स्वागत, अध्यक्ष नितिन सक्सेना, कोषाध्यक्ष फारूक खान, सचिव रत्नेश कोहरु अतिरिक्त सचिव अनुराग ठाकरे द्वारा किया गया।



दिनांक 25 जनवरी 2026 को "Inspire Global School "ARI" के छात्रों के लिये, गणतंत्र दिवस आयोजन की श्रृंखला में चित्रकला प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया गया। "हमारा भारत" शीर्षक पर छात्रों ने सुंदर चित्र बनाये। इस प्रतियोगिता में 130 छात्रों ने हिस्सा लिया। सभी को उपहार स्वरूप "कलर पेंसिल बॉक्स" भेंट किये गए। इस प्रतियोगिता में सदस्य हर्षिता चौहान, काजल कटरे, नूपुर कटरे, तृप्ति ठाकुर, उषा साहू, अर्चना भगत, टीनम पटले ने सहयोग दिया। प्रतियोगिता संयुक्त सचिव अनुराग ठाकरे के नेतृत्व में, सह सचिव महेंद्र डहरवाल, कोषाध्यक्ष फारूक खान, अध्यक्ष नितिन सक्सेना के संयुक्त मार्गदर्शन में आयोजित की गई।



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MAHARASHTRA STATE SGF

On 26th January 2026, Madan Mohan Rathi National Advisor was felicitated by presenting a Rajasthani pagdi and mala by Vishnu Agarwal and Srifal by Chanchala Mistry, on being presented the MARWAD RATNA award by Pali Mandal Mumbai, at Tarapant Bhawan, Kandivali. On behalf of the Indian SGF, Vishnu Agarwal State President gave a small brief about the Fellowship and support and motivational talk was given by Madan Mohan Rathi.



Greater Mumbai District: दिनांक 03 जनवरी 2026 को शिवाजी शिक्षणोत्तेजक मंडळ संचलित मोहनबाई चुनिलाल मेहता गर्ल्स हायस्कूल, काळाचौकी मुंबई में बालिका दिन का आयोजन किया गया। विद्यालय की पांचवीं से दसवीं कक्षा की छात्राओं ने हिस्सा लिया। पाठशाला के नजदीकी ग्रंथालय को भेंट दी। वहाँ उमा ने कुल 50 गाईड तथा अन्य छात्राओं को लेकर बालिका दिन मनाया। सावित्रीबाई फुलेजी की प्रतिमा को पुष्पहार पहनकर सभी ने अभिवादन किया। सावित्रीबाई फुलेजी की जीवनी का सारांश श्रीम. राऊळ ने छात्राओं को सुनाया। कुछ छात्राओं ने सावित्रीबाई फुलेजी की जीवनी के बारे में अपने विचार कहे। इस सम्पूर्ण कार्यक्रम का आयोजन चव्हाण, राऊळ, श्रलावडे, मुख्याध्यापिका कारळे के मार्गदर्शन से किया। अन्य शिक्षक गण तथा शिक्षकेतर कर्मचारी वर्ग की सहायता से यह कार्यक्रम सफल रूप से संपन्न हुआ।





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On 03rd January 2026, an Executive committee meeting was held at the book-bank office at Gilderlane School. The meeting started with Scout And Guide Prayer. activities for the 65th year celebration were discussed. Discussion was also held about membership fees and all the members were told to increase the members by each member bringing atleast one member from amongst friends or relatives. Logo for this celebration was finalised by Vishnu Agarwal and the executive committee. Members Chanchala Mistry, Vishnu Agarwal, Mansi Shetye, Manasi Chavan, Mugdha Ghogale, Archana Kharge, Aditi Jadhav, Pradanya Fondekar were present in this meeting. The meeting ended with delicious sandwiches and a vote of thanks.



दिनांक 09 जनवरी 2026 को शिवाजी शिक्षणोत्तेजक मंडळ संचलित मोहनबाई चुनिलाल मेहता गर्ल्स हायस्कूल, काळाचौकी मुंबई में स्काउट- गाईड के प्रणेता लॉर्ड बेडन पॉवेल स्मृतिदिन मनाया गया। विद्यालय की नौवीं कक्षा की गाईड छात्राओं ने सहभाग लिया। चव्हाण मैडम ने लॉर्ड बेडन पॉवेल की प्रतिमा को पुष्पहार अर्पित किया। गाईड की छात्राओं ने उन्हें मानवंदना दी। चव्हाण मैडम ने गाईड की जानकारी दी तथा गाईड द्वारा उन्हें प्राप्त हुई उपलब्धियों के बारे में बताया। राउल मैडम ने छात्रों गाईड के नियमों की चर्चा की।



दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को शिवाजी शिक्षणोत्तेजक मंडळ संचलित मोहनबाई चुनिलाल मेहता गर्ल्स हायस्कूल, तथा शिवाजी विद्यालय कालाचौकी मुंबई में गणतंत्र दिन मनाया गया। प्रमुख अतिथि मा. महोदय प्रशांत प्रताप अहिर को गाईड सलामी देकर उनका स्वागत किया। राष्ट्रध्वज को सलामी देकर राष्ट्रगीत का गायन किया। गाईड छात्राओं तथा छात्रों ने संचलन किया। इस समारोह में स्काउट गाईड जिला मध्य मुम्बई कार्यालय की संगठक मा.अरुणा बिरारी उपस्थित थीं।





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Lonavala Guild : On 04th January 2026, a monthly meeting was held in which many issues, such as the distribution of Lonavala Guild stickers, fee collection, formation of new key members, planning for January activities, and Nagpur AGM were discussed. Additionally, Sayali Joshi's birthday was celebrated. The members who participated in this meeting were Dr. Amol Kalekar, Sayali Joshi, Hemlata Sharma, Neetu Pujari, Rajashree Kamble, Ambika Gaikwad, Sulbha Khire, Diksha Kamble, Ashish Jangir, Sunil Shinde, and Shashikant Bhosle.



On 12th January 2026, the birth anniversary of Rajmata Jijau Saheb and Swami Vivekanand was celebrated by garlanding their photos and discussing their life philosophies. The guild also celebrated National Coordinator Dr. Amol Kalekar's birthday at his clinic with the staff, including nurses, doctors, and other personnel. They cut a cake, enjoyed biryani, and sweets. National Coordinator Dr. Amol Kalekar, Ratna Prabha Gaikwad, Sayli Joshi, Hemlata Sharma, Neetu Pujari, RajShri Kamble, Ambika Gaikwad, Punam Gaikwad, Sulbha Khire, Diksha Kamble were present.





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On 26th January 2026, on the occasion of Republic Day, a flag hosting program was organized at Nagar Parishad and Nagar Palika School. On this occasion, Ratnprabha Gaikwad, Hemlata Sharma, Shravani Kamat, Ambika Gaikwad, Jyoti Punakar participated and sweets were distributed to the school children.



Nagpur District: दिनांक 03 जनवरी 2026 को क्रांतिज्योती सावित्रीबाई ज्योतिराव फुले की जयंती "बालिका दिन" के स्वरूप में बड़े उल्लासपूर्ण वातावरण में मनाई गई। कार्यक्रम की शुरुवात में स्काउट गाईड प्रार्थना से हुयी। डिस्ट्रिक्ट अध्यक्ष अशोक बोंदाडे ने सावित्रीबाई के प्रतिमा को माल्यार्पण कर अभिवादन किया। उपस्थित गाईड बालिकाओ ने भी और डिस्ट्रिक्ट ज्वाइंट सेक्रेटरी सुनीलकुमार गणेर ने सावित्रीबाई के संघर्षपूर्ण जीवनी के बारे में बताया। उपस्थित बालक-बालिकाओ को चॉकलेट बांटा गया। कार्यक्रम में डिस्ट्रिक्ट कार्याध्यक्ष सुनील गजभिये सर, सदस्यगण पृथ्वीराज सोनटक्के, ज्योत्सना कुर्वे, कोमल मेश्राम, धिमकला धापके, दिपा भैसारे, माधुरी सोनटक्के, प्राची रोकडे और स्काउट-गाईड बालक-बालिका विशेष उपस्थित थे।



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दिनांक 07 जनवरी 2025 को जनवरी 2025 की मासिक सभा उत्साहपूर्ण वातावरण में संपन्न हुआ। डिस्ट्रिक्ट अध्यक्ष अशोक बोंदाडे इस सभा के अध्यक्ष थे। सभा की शुरुवात में स्काऊट प्रार्थना ली गई। सभा में जनवरी माह के कार्यक्रम का नियोजन किया गया। फेलोशिप के सदस्य और शुल्क पर चर्चा हुई। साथ ही नागपुर में होने वाले एजीएम पर भी विचार विमर्श किया गया। सभा का संचालन कार्याध्यक्ष सुनील गजभिये ने किया तो आभार प्रदर्शन ज्वाइंट सेक्रेटरी सुनीलकुमार गणेर ने किया। उपाध्यक्ष सौ माया बोंदाडे, संघटक सचीव प्रतिक कन्नाके भी इस अवसर पर उपस्थित थे।



दिनांक 08 जनवरी 2026 को स्काऊट गार्ड के जनक लॉर्ड बेडन पावेल की 85 वी पुण्यतिथी मनाई गयी। इस अवसर पर दिप प्रज्वलित कर माल्यार्पण किया गया। डिस्ट्रिक्ट अध्यक्ष अशोक बोंदाडे कार्यक्रम के अध्यक्ष थे। कार्यक्रम का संचालन करते हुए डिस्ट्रिक्ट ज्वाइंट सेक्रेटरी सुनीलकुमार गणेर ने लॉर्ड बेडन पावेल का जीवन वृत्तांत बताया। सभी ने लॉर्ड बेडन पावेल को सैल्यूट कर अभिवादन किया। इस कार्यक्रम का आभार प्रदर्शन कार्याध्यक्ष सुनील गजभिये ने किया। इस अवसर पर फेलोशिप उपाध्यक्षा माया बोंदाडे, सलाहकार विमल टेंभुर्णे तथा सदस्य सतिश बागडे, धीरज जनबादे, संध्या जनबादे विशेष उपस्थित थे।



दिनांक 11 जनवरी 2026 को कार्याध्यक्ष सुनील गजभिये का जनम दिन उत्साहपूर्ण वातावरण में मनाया गया। इस अवसर पर फेलोशिप की ओर से उन्हें पंचशील ध्वज प्रदान कर पौधा देकर उनका सन्मान किया गया। उनके दीर्घायु तथा उत्तम स्वास्थ्य के लिए सभी ने बर्थ डे गीत गाकर शुभकामनाएं दी। उपस्थित सभी फेलोशिप सदस्यों के लिए अल्पोहार का प्रबंध किया गया था। इस अवसर पर डिस्ट्रिक्ट ज्वाइंट सेक्रेटरी सुनीलकुमार गणेर, सलाहकार विमल टेंभुर्णे, कोषाध्यक्ष आम्रपाली गणेर, सदस्य सतिश बागडे, प्रकाश गजभिये, सुनिल बोरकर, पृथ्वीराज सोनटक्के, धिमकला धापके, संध्या मेश्राम, नमिता बागडे विशेष उपस्थित थे।





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दिनांक 12 जनवरी 2026 को स्वामी विवेकानंद जयंती बड़े उल्लासपूर्ण वातावरण में मनाई गयी। इस अवसर पर नागपुर डिस्ट्रिक्ट एसजीएफ के कार्याध्यक्ष सुनील गजभिये की प्रमुख उपस्थिति थी। कार्यक्रम शुरूवात में स्काउट प्रार्थना ली गई। उसके उपरांत डिस्ट्रिक्ट कोषाध्यक्ष सौ.आम्रपाली गणेर ने स्वामी विवेकानंद जी के जीवनी के बारे में जानकारी दी। उन्होने कहा कि, स्वामी विवेकानंद जी का नाम नरेन्द्रनाथ दत्त था। उनका जन्म 12 जनवरी 1863 में कोलकता में हुआ था। युवाओं को आत्मविश्वास, राष्ट्रभक्ती और चारिज्य का अनमोल संदेश दिया था। इस अवसर पर डिस्ट्रिक्ट ज्वाइंट सेक्रेटरी सुनीलकुमार गणेर, सलाहकार सौ.विमल टेंभुर्णे तथा सदस्यगण सतिश बागडे, प्रकाश गजभिये, सुनिल बोरकर, पृथ्वीराज सोनटक्के तथा सौ भिमकला धापके, संध्या मेश्राम, नमिता बागडे विशेष उपस्थित थे।



दिनांक 14 जनवरी 2026 को मकर संक्रांती का पर्व बड़े उल्लासपूर्ण वातावरण में मनाया गया। इस अवसर पर फेलोशिप सदस्यों ने एक दुसरे को तिल गुड बांटकर शुभकामनाएं दी। "तिळ गुड घ्या अन् गोड गोड बोला"। इस अवसर पर उपाध्यक्षा माया बोंदाडे ने मकर संक्रांत का महत्व बताते हुए कहा कि, इस दिन उत्तरायण आरंभ होता है। यानी सूर्य उत्तर दिशा की ओर बढ़ता है। नई फसल का आगमन होता है। इस कार्यक्रम में डिस्ट्रिक्ट अध्यक्ष अशोक बोंदाडे, कार्याध्यक्ष सुनील गजभिये, ज्वाइंट सेक्रेटरी सुनीलकुमार गणेर, संघटक सचीव प्रतिक कच्चाके, सलाहकार विमल टेंभुर्णे, कोषाध्यक्ष आम्रपाली गणेर तथा सदस्य सतिश बागडे, प्रकाश गजभिये, सुनिल बोरकर, पृथ्वीराज सोनटक्के, राजकमल डोंगरे, ज्योत्सना कुर्वे, धिमकला धापके, कोमल मेश्राम, संध्या मेश्राम, दिपा भैसारे विशेष उपस्थित थे।



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दिनांक 15 जनवरी 2026 को अध्यक्ष अशोक बोंदाडे का 73 वां जनम दिन उत्साहपूर्ण वातावरण में मनाया गया। इस अवसर पर उन्हें पंचशील ध्वज प्रदान कर, पौधा भेंट देकर सम्मानीत किया गया। केक काटकर तथा बर्थ डे गीत गाकर उपस्थित सभी ने शुभकामनाएं दीं। उनके उत्तम स्वास्थ्य के लिए तथागत से प्रार्थना की गई। कार्याध्यक्ष सुनील गजभिये, उपाध्यक्ष माया बोंदाडे, ज्वाइंट सेक्रेटरी सुनीलकुमार गणेर, सलाहकार विमल टेंभुर्णे, कोषाध्यक्ष आम्रपाली गणेर, संघटक सचीव प्रतिक कन्नके तथा सदस्य सतिश बागडे, प्रकाश गजभिये, सुनिल बोरकर, पृथ्वीराज सोनटक्के, राजकमल डोंगरे, कोमल मेश्राम, संध्या मेश्राम, ज्योत्सना कुर्वे, दिपा भैसारे, धिमकला धापके विशेष उपस्थित थे।



दिनांक 23 जनवरी 2026 को स्वतंत्रता संग्राम सैनिक नेताजी सुभाषचंद्र बोस की जयंती उत्साहपूर्ण वातावरण में मनाई गयी। इस अवसर पर डिस्ट्रिक्ट अध्यक्ष अशोक बोंदाडे ने नेताजी के जीवन संग्राम के बारे में बताया। इस अवसर पर कार्याध्यक्ष सुनील गजभिये, ज्वाइंट सेक्रेटरी सुनील कुमार गणेर तथा सदस्य सुधिर माने, रंजिता गजभिये, धिमकला धापके, दिपा भैसारे, ज्योत्सना कुर्वे, अर्चना बागडे, उर्मिला माने, मनिषा शिवणकर, हर्षिता भिवगडे विशेष उपस्थित थे।



दिनांक 25 जनवरी 2026 को सदस्य सुधिर माने का जनम दिन बड़े उत्साहपूर्ण वातावरण में मनाया गया। इस अवसर पर डिस्ट्रिक्ट अध्यक्ष अशोक बोंदाडे ने उनको पौधा भेंट स्वरूप देकर सम्मान किया। ज्वाइंट सेक्रेटरी सुनील कुमार गणेर ने उन्हें स्माइली भेंट दी। सभी ने बर्थ डे गीत गाकर शुभकामनाएं दीं। सुधिर जी ने सभी को मिठाई खिलाई। इस अवसर पर कार्याध्यक्ष सुनील गजभिये तथा सदस्य सुधिर माने, उर्मिला माने, रंजिता गजभिये, ज्योत्सना कुर्वे, धिमकला धापके, दिपा भैसारे, मनिषा भिवगडे, हर्षिता शिवणकर विशेष उपस्थित थे।





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दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को नागपुर डिस्ट्रिक्ट स्काउट गाईड फेलोशिप तथा बिकन स्काउट और गाईड ओपन ग्रुप के संयुक्त विद्यमान से 77 वा गणतंत्र दिवस समारोह बड़े उल्लासपूर्ण वातावरण में मनाया गया। सुबह 7.00 बजे डिस्ट्रिक्ट अध्यक्ष अशोक बोंदाडे के शुभहस्ते ध्वजारोहण का कार्यक्रम संपन्न हुआ। साथ ही उपस्थित सभी ने राष्ट्रगीत गाकर झंडा सलामी दी। इस अवसर पर उपाध्यक्षा माया बोंदाडे, कोषाध्यक्षा आम्रपाली गणेर, ज्वाइंट सेक्रेटरी सुनीलकुमार गणेर, संघटक सचीव प्रतिक कन्नाके तथा सदस्यगण ज्योत्सना कुर्वे, रंजिता गजभिये, भिमकला धापके, कोमल मेश्राम, दिपा भैसारे, मनिषा शिवणकर, हर्षिता भिवगडे, राजकमल डोंगरे उपस्थित थे। साथ ही नागरिक भी विशेष उपस्थित थे।



दिनांक 30 जनवरी 2026 को बिकन स्काउट और गाईड ओपन ग्रुप के साथ राष्ट्रपिता म.गांधी जी की पुण्यतिथी को "हुतात्मा दिन" के स्वरूप में मनाकर सभी शहीदों को विनम्रतापूर्वक अभिवादन किया गया। कार्यक्रम की शुरुवात स्काउट प्रार्थना से हुई। राजकमल डोंगरे ने गांधी जी की प्रतिमा को स्कार्फ पहनाया और सभी ने सैल्यूट किया। इस अवसर पर फेलोशिप कार्याध्यक्ष सुनील गजभिये, कोषाध्यक्ष आम्रपाली गणेर तथा सदस्य भिमकला धापके, कोमल मेश्राम, दिपा भैसारे, रंजिता गजभिये, प्राची रोकडे और स्काउट-गाईड विशेष उपस्थित थे।





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Pune District: On 06th January 2026, a meeting was held at the Pune Scout Guide Local Association office to discuss key points such as Updating the bank account name immediately; State AGM to be held in February 2026; Membership fees for 2026; Activities planned for the next 2 months. The meeting concluded with the vote of thanks by Sunita Ambep. Dr.Dineshkumar Pande, Col.Rocque, Hemalata Vadapurkar, Priyamvada Saxena, Suneeti Joshi, Hemlata Bhangale, Jyoti Belliappa, Madhuri Dhodapkar, Sunita Ambep and Priya Kalaskar were present.



On 17th January 2026, a workshop was organised at The Poona Blind School for Boys, Koregaon Park, Pune. The activity involved teaching visually impaired children how to make paper bags, led by Jyoti Belliappa, with support from fellow members and school teachers. The children thoroughly enjoyed the experience. Additionally, Sunitee Joshi led a fun singing session. Other participating members included Madhuri Dhodapkar and Hemlata Bhangale.





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Shishuvihar Guild: On 03rd January 2026, a fancy dress competition was organised on the occasion of Savitribai Phule Jayanti. Guild Secretary Mugdha and Guild Treasurer Sneha judged the competition. Winners were awarded with gift and certificate by Guild President Suchitra. Guild member Archana proposed vote of thanks.



Thane District: On 26th January 2026, a toy distribution program was organised for children at Bhimnagar, Kalwa, Thane, in collaboration with Samta Vichar Manch. The event saw the presence of officials from Samta Vichar Manch and Thane District Scout and Guide Fellowship. The joy on the children's faces after receiving the toys was indescribable.



INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

NORTH FRONTIER RAILWAY STATE SGF

दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को रेलवे मैदान में मंडल रेल प्रबन्धक किरेन्द्र नारहा के द्वारा 77 वे गणतंत्र दिवस के अवसर पर झंडोतोलन कर राष्ट्र को सलामी दी गई। इस अवसर पर शाखा के सभी अधिकारी गण एवं रेलवे सुरक्षा बल के जवान पूसी रेलवे के स्काउट गाइड, फेलोशिप के सदस्य गणेश कुमार ठाकुर, जय प्रकाश सिंह, विजय विश्वास, पवन कुमार, रजनीश कुमार, सुजीत कुमार आदि प्रमुख लोगों ने राष्ट्र ध्वज को सलामी दी।



Katihar District: दिनांक 19 जनवरी 2026 को सदस्यों ने मिलकर गुप्त नवरात्र के अवसर पर ओ.टी.पारा दुर्गा मंदिर परिसर में मंदिर को फूल माला से सजा कर सेवा कार्य किया। इस सेवा कार्य में अजय कुमार, राकेश कुमार, विनय सिंह, एस कुमार, आदि सदस्यों ने मिलकर गुप्त नवरात्र में पूजा अर्चना भी किए।



दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को 77वा गणतंत्र दिवस बड़ी धूमधाम से महेश्वरी एकेडमी कटिहार के प्रांगण में जिला मुख्यालय भारत स्काउट गाइड कटिहार शिक्षा विभाग के तत्वाधान में मुख्य अतिथि पूर्व उपमुख्यमंत्री सदर विधायक श्री तारकिशोर प्रसाद जी ने राष्ट्र ध्वज एवं जिला शिक्षा पदाधिकारी श्री राहुल चंद्र चौधरी जी द्वारा स्काउट गाइड संस्था का ध्वजारोहण किया।



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इस अवसर पर पूसी रेलवे स्काउट गाइड फेलोशिप के सदस्यों ने अपना पूर्ण सहयोग प्रदान किया, इस कार्यक्रम में गणेश कुमार ठाकुर, अनूप कुमार उपाध्याय, कार्तिक कुमार, प्रभात रंजन दास, अजय कुमार, विनय कुमार सिंह, राकेश कुमार संजय सिंह, अर्चना राय, प्रिया कुमारी, राजेश वर्मा, रवि रंजन, महत्तम चौधरी, दिनेश दुबे काशी प्रसाद चौहान, आशीष रंजन, सत्येन्द्र गिरी आदि मौजूद थे। कार्यक्रम के समापन के अवसर पर जिला सचिव संजय श्रीवास्तव द्वारा धन्यवाद ज्ञापन किया गया।



NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY STATE SGF

District Unit: दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को 77 वाँ गणतंत्र दिवस रंगकर्मियों के साथ रंगशाला जवाहर नगर, जयपुर में प्रातः 9:00 बजे कुल 13 जनों के साथ उत्साहपूर्वक मनाया गया। कार्यक्रम का शुभारंभ राष्ट्रीय ध्वज के सम्मान के साथ किया गया। कार्यक्रम का संचालन गिरीश यादव कार्यकारी अध्यक्ष, द्वारा किया गया। इस अवसर पर सभी थिएटर आर्टिस्ट को राष्ट्रीय ध्वज के महत्व एवं उसके शिष्टाचार (Flag Etiquette) के बारे में विस्तारपूर्वक जानकारी दी गई। कार्यक्रम के दौरान गणतंत्र दिवस के ऐतिहासिक महत्व पर संक्षिप्त विचार साझा किए गए। इसके पश्चात सभी उपस्थित रंगकर्मियों एवं सदस्यों के बीच मिठाई का वितरण कर आपसी सौहार्द एवं खुशी के साथ कार्यक्रम का समापन किया गया।





INDIAN SGF VISIBILITY AROUND THE COUNTRY

ODISHA STATE SGF

On 19th January 2026 M A K Mecci visited Bhubaneshwar and met Vice President NHQ and State Chief Commissioner of Odisha BS&G, also President of Odisha State SGF Dr. K P Mishra in his chamber. It was a meet to discuss key areas of revival of SGF, future events and progress. He gave his complete assurance and a schedule was discussed for future actions. Anamika Das SOC Guide and Administrative Officer of BS&G also present and she will help us to follow up actions. In evening another meeting was held with State Secretary Rusi Patnaik and Satyabhama Behra with revival of Odisha State SGF was informed.



Second round of revival meeting held in SHQ Bhubaneshwar on 20th Jan 2026 facilitated by Anamika Das, joined by De. Rusi Patnaik and Dr. Swadin Panda. M A K Mecci gave detailed info on Indian SGF and its basic purpose with principles. In continuation Mecci met members from Rourkela and Khurdha as a matter of team building efforts.





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PUNJAB STATE SGF

Macauliffe Guild: On 15th January 2026, under the guidance of State Secretary Dr.Monica Malhotra, scout unit of the school in collaboration with the Nagar Council Samrala organised a Plastic Awareness Programme at Max Arthur Macauliffe Public School, Samrala. During the programme, students were sensitised about the harmful effects of single-use plastic on the environment, human health, and biodiversity. Officials from the Nagar Council interacted with students and highlighted the importance of adopting the principles of Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle in daily life. Principal Dr.Monica Malhotra encouraged the students to become responsible citizens, stating that small conscious steps taken today can lead to a cleaner and healthier future. The programme was successfully coordinated by Teacher In-charges Ms.Charanreet and Ms.Arshdeep, who actively participated in the initiative and guided students throughout this awareness activities.



On 26th January 2026, under the leadership of Dr.Monica Malhotra State Secretary, the Scout and Guide Wing of Max Arthur Macauliffe Public School actively participated in the Republic Day celebration held at Samrala with great enthusiasm and patriotic spirit.





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PUNJAB STATE SGF

The students demonstrated discipline, unity, and a deep sense of national pride while representing the school on this significant national occasion. The students also presented a vibrant and well-coordinated patriotic dance that beautifully conveyed the values of freedom, sacrifice, and unity. Their graceful performance captivated the audience and earned appreciation from the dignitaries and spectators present at the event. Principal Dr. Monica, congratulated the students and the guiding staff for their commendable efforts. She stated that such platforms help inculcate the values of patriotism, leadership, discipline, and social responsibility among students. She further added that participation in national celebrations strengthens students' respect for the Constitution and inspires them to contribute positively towards the nation's progress.



Maharaja Ranjit Singh Guild Rupnagar: On 14th January 2026, on the Eve of Makkar Sankranti under the guidance of State President Avtar Singh, members of Maharaja Ranjit Singh Guild, Gurbachan Singh Sodhi co-ordinator, Nahar Singh Joint Secretary supported District Youth Talmel committee Rupnagar (President Ashwani Sharma) for organising the annual 14th Blood donation camp at Village Bindrakh, (Rupnagar) where Guru Gobind Singh ji met Baba Amarnath a Kashmiri Pandit ji. A team from PGI Chandigarh came for the collection of blood. About 70 units of blood were collected and refreshment was provided to the donors. Certificates were also issued to the Blood

Donors



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Alwar District: दिनांक 25 जनवरी 2026 को माह के अंतिम रविवार को स्थानिय संघ कार्यालय कंपनी बाग, अलवर में प्रातः भ्रमण के लिए आने वालों के लिए निःशुल्क बी.पी. व शुगर जांच शिविर का आयोजन किया गया। आज के शिविर का आयोजन जिला उपाध्यक्ष एवं आजीवन सदस्य श्री बी.आर.निमेष जी के सौजन्य से आयोजित किया गया। ईश वंदना कर शिविर की शुरुआत की गई। शिविर में लगभग 58 महिला, पुरुषों ने बी.पी. एवम् शुगर तथा वजन जांच कर कैंप का लाभ उठाया। सर्द मौसम के कारण लाभार्थियों की संख्या अपेक्षाकृत कम रही। शिविर में संरक्षक हरीश कालरा, अध्यक्ष गिरीश गुप्ता, उपाध्यक्ष जितेंद्र गुप्ता, बी.आर निमेष, सचिव ताराचंद अग्रवाल, राजेश भट्ट, सुरेन्द्र कुमार सोनी, ओमप्रकाश गुप्ता, सतीश गुप्ता, कैप्टन सीताराम शर्मा, डॉ गजेंद्र सिंह, आशा कालरा, प्रमिला गुप्ता, अनीता भट्ट, मंजू शर्मा, सहित एस. जी. एफ. सदस्यों ने कैंप में सहयोग किया।



दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को 77 वां गणतंत्र दिवस समारोह "संबल भवन" अम्बेडकर नगर, अलवर में आयोजित किया गया। इस अवसर पर मुख्य अतिथि श्री चंद्रप्रभु विकलांग कल्याण समिति के अध्यक्ष श्री अशोक जैन (अगोनिज) द्वारा राष्ट्रीय ध्वज फहराया गया। तत्पश्चात सामूहिक राष्ट्रगान हुआ। कार्यक्रम में मुख्य अतिथि श्री अशोक जैन ने सभी को गणतंत्र दिवस पर बधाई देते हुए सभी को मिलजुल कर परोपकार और देशहित में कार्य करते रहने का संदेश दिया। संरक्षक हरीश कालरा ने भी सभी को गणतंत्र दिवस पर बधाई दी और कार्यक्रम में शामिल होने के लिए धन्यवाद ज्ञापित किया। इस अवसर पर अलवर जिला संरक्षक हरीश कालरा, पूर्व अध्यक्ष राजेश भट्ट, उपाध्यक्ष जितेंद्र गुप्ता, सचिव ताराचंद अग्रवाल, पूर्व सचिव रामप्रकाश गुप्ता, ओमप्रकाश गुप्ता, कैप्टन सीताराम शर्मा, गजेंद्र सिंह निर्वाण, आशा कालरा, प्रमिला गुप्ता, पूनम गोयल, चंद्रप्रभु विकलांग कल्याण समिति के अध्यक्ष अशोक कुमार जैन, मंत्री कैलाश गुप्ता, डॉ एस पी शर्मा एवं स्टाफ सदस्य सहित एस. जी. एफ. सदस्यों ने भाग लिया।



Golden Guild Pali: दिनांक 11 जनवरी 2026 को गिल्ड की पाक्षिक बैठक एवं नए वर्ष का स्नेह मिलन कार्यक्रम लोकल होटल पाली में अध्यक्ष लखपत राज सिंघवी की अध्यक्षता में एवं संरक्षक घनश्याम भटनागर के सानिध्य में आयोजित किया गया। अध्यक्ष महोदय ने प्रार्थना पश्चात सभी पधारे गोल्डन गिल्ड स्काउट सदस्यों का स्वागत किया गया एवं नए पधारे सदस्य श्री प्रणव सोलंकी (एडवोकेट) को स्कार्फ पहना कर बहुमत किया गया। गत वर्ष गोल्डन गिल्ड के सभी स्काउट सदस्यों का अध्यक्ष महोदय लखपत राज सिंघवी ने गत वर्ष अच्छा सहयोग करने के फलस्वरूप सभी उपस्थित सदस्यों को कंबल, पेन, बेग, आइटम, ऊपरना, पहना कर, सोल ओढ़ा कर विभिन्न प्रकार के आइटम्स देकर सभी को सम्मानित किया गया।

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सभी स्काउट का अच्छा व्यवहार अच्छा सहयोग एवं सौहार्दपूर्ण वातावरण बनाए रखने में पूर्ण रूपण स्काउट कार्यो के प्रति समर्पित रहने से सभी को पुरस्कृत किया गया। चंपालाल सकलेचा भामाशाह के रूप में स्काउट सदस्य ने नेत्रहीन संस्था के वक्त कार्यक्रम ₹5000 का योगदान दिए जाने से इन्हें स्काउट कार्यक्रम में सोल उठाकर इनका बहूमान किया गया। कार्यक्रम में विनोद कुमार शर्मा ने अपने विचार रखे एवं ज्ञानवर्धक कविता के रूप में पंक्तियां सुनाई। घनश्याम भटनागर, कांतिकंद मुथा, राजेश कुमार अरोड़ा, राधेश्याम भाटी, श्रीमती लीला चौहान, अंजू जैन, प्रताप राम चौहान ने भजन, गायन, मारवाड़ी गीत, गाकर सभी ने अच्छा मनोरंजन एवं बैठक कार्यक्रम में रोचक बनाए रखा। कृष्ण चंद्र जोशी, चैनसिंह भाटी, प्रमोद कुमार माथुर, सुरेश मोहन शर्मा, मोहनलाल अगलेचा, कमल किशोर अग्रवाल, रामनिवास गांधी, सुशील जैन भी उपस्थित रहे। इन्होंने भी अपने-अपने विचार रखे। आगामी पाक्षिक बैठक पूर्व शहीद स्मारक गार्डन, लखोटिया गार्डन में सफाई अभियान कार्यक्रम रखा जा कर सफाई की जाना भी निश्चित किया गया।



दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को नेत्रहीन विद्यालय में अध्यक्ष लखपत राज सिंघवी, संरक्षक घनश्याम भटनागर एवं नेत्रहीन विकास उद्योग समिति पाली के अध्यक्ष छगनलाल सालेचा व संस्था के पदाधिकारी, अध्यापक, बच्चों के साथ आमंत्रित मुख्य अतिथि डॉक्टर मदन राजपुरोहित, विशेष अतिथि गुलेछा जी के सानिध्य में ध्वजारोहण किया गया और राष्ट्रगान का आनंद बच्चों के साथ लिया गया। गिल्ड सदस्य विनोद कुमार शर्मा, चंद्रिका शर्मा, चंपालाल सकलेचा, प्रमोद कुमार माथुर, सुनील कुमार टॉक, राजेश कुमार अरोड़ा, गिरधारी राम जाट, लीला चौहान, जयंता व्यास सभी उपस्थित रहे। गिल्डसदस्य चंपालाल सकलेचा द्वारा सभी आमंत्रित सदस्यों, महानुभव एवं संस्था के बच्चों को मिष्ठान का वितरण करवाया गया।



Udaipur District: दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को 77वा गणतंत्र दिवस हर्षोल्लास पूर्वक मनाया गया। गोवर्धन सागर की पाल पर ध्वजारोहण किया गया। कार्यक्रम के मुख्य अतिथि डॉ. जयराज आचार्य रहे, जिसमें जिला संरक्षक हरिशंकर तिवारी, जिला अध्यक्ष देवेन्द्र कुमार माथुर, जिला सचिव उदित चौबीसा, जिला उपाध्यक्ष चंद्रकांत पालीवाल एवं अरुण निगम, जिला कोषाध्यक्ष शिवकुमार शर्मा, देशबंधु, वीणा पालीवाल, मुकेश मोड, अनिल भटनागर, पंकज जैन किशोर मिश्रा, सूरज कुमार मेहता, एवं अन्य सदस्यों की गरिमामय उपस्थिति रही।



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मुख्य अतिथि एवं पदाधिकारियों द्वारा देशप्रेम से ओतप्रोत अभिव्यक्ति दी गयी। कार्यक्रम का सफल संचालन उदित चौबीसा द्वारा किया गया। कार्यक्रम पश्चात अल्पाहार की व्यवस्था की गई थी।



SOUTH CENTRAL RAILWAY STATE SGF

On 01st January 2026 members assembled on the occasion of the New Year at the chamber of Aroma Singh Thakur, IG-cum-PCSC and President-in-Chief of SCR SGF. She greeted all members and wished everyone a happy and prosperous New Year 2026. During the gathering, Usha Ramesh (National Coordinator, SGF) and Mari Jacob presented New Year greetings to the President-in-Chief. As part of the meeting, National Coordinator Usha Ramesh reviewed the activities completed in December 2025. Following this, U.Hari Krishna (Secretary, SCR SGF) proposed initiating the activities suggested by Dr.Indira (Vice President, SCR SGF), along with an upcoming SCR SGF meeting. After a detailed discussion, the President-in-Chief approved the proposal. Season's Greetings were exchanged by member S.Z.Khan, CSO/ DIG, with all the members present. He assured his support and cooperation. The meeting was attended by Nirmal Singh AMM (Asst. Secy/SCR SGF), Kishore (OS, PCMD Office & Member SCR SGF), member G.T.Srinivas and other dedicated members.





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On 09th January 2026, members celebrated the New Year meet & greetings at the Principal Chief Security Commissioner's Conference Hall. The meeting commenced gracefully with the Scout and Guide Prayer song. Welcome & Investiture Ceremony. U.Hari Krishna (AHO HQ SCR & Secy SCR SGF) welcomed the gathering. A highlight of the session was the Investiture Ceremony where three new leaders were inducted into the SCR SGF fold. After leading the Scout-Guide promise, Aroma Singh Thakur (IG-cum-PCSC & President-in-Chief/ SCR SGF) decorated the following members with the SGF



Scarves. K.M.E.Elumalai (Physiotherapy Officer, CH/LGD). Anjali (Rtd. Asst. Nursing Officer, CH/LGD), Ganesh (Student). Following the Promise & Investiture, a New Year Celebration was held. Vijayavani (National Advisor SGF) and Aroma Singh Thakur cut the New Year cake and shared greetings. Md.Shadan Zeb Khan (DIG-cum-CSC/RPF/SCR) also addressed and greeted the members. The Action Plan up to March 2025 was approved. The meeting concluded with a Vote of Thanks by Usha Ramesh (State Coordinator SCR SGF) followed by the National Anthem. Everyone enjoyed the tea and snacks. Approximately 20 members were in attendance.

On 26th January 2026, Republic Day was celebrated with a grand fellowship gathering at the RPF Training Centre, Moula-Ali. The event was graced by Ms.Aroma Singh Thakur, IG cum PCSC and President-in-Chief of SCRSGF, who presented certificates and mementos to talented children who participated in cultural events and sports competitions.





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A total of 40 students and their trainee masters were felicitated for their outstanding performance. The event also honored Ms.Aroma Singh Thakur for receiving the President's Medal for Distinguished Service (PSM) on Republic Day 2026. The program included the presentation of a CLW SGF scarf and memento to Ms.Aroma Singh Thakur and U.Hari Krishna, AHO HQ SCR & Secretary SCR SGF. Ms.Thakur appreciated the efforts of Sri Kishore in organizing the program and sponsoring the mementos, cash awards, and certificates. Shri.Md Shadan Zeb Khan, DIG-CUM-CSC/RPF/SCR, and Smt.Usha Ramesh, National Coordinator SCR SGF, also addressed the gathering. The event concluded with a lunch sponsored by the RPF team.



On 27th January 2026, an Awareness Program was organized at Railway Mixed High School Secunderabad. An Health Awareness program for all High School Students of Railway Mixed High School, South Lallaguda, Secunderabad, was held. The event, was aimed at fostering goal, focus, excellence, overall development and well-being among School Students. The program commenced after the School assembly at 08:45 hrs. Ms.Aroma Singh Thakur, IG cum PCSC and President-in-Chief of SCRSGF, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. The program featured insightful talks from various experts: Smt. T.Renuka Devi, Senior Dietician, Central Hospital Lallaguda, spoke on Nutrition for Adolescent Boys and Girls. Usha Ramesh State Coordinator educated students on Building the Future. Sri.Umakanth, DGM/ITC/WOW, addressed Well-being with Waste. Dr.Indira Vemuri advised Students on All-round Development and quality performance of Students. She assured that meritorious Students will be awarded by SCRSGF. R.V.S. Raghava Rao Guru offered greetings and well wishes for the children's bright future.





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Ms.Aroma Singh Thakur counseled the students on the importance of hard work for their careers and urged them to dedicate time to sports for proper growth and well-being. The program also included an investiture ceremony for four new leaders joining SCRSGF, proposed by U. Hari Krishna, AHO HQ SCR & Sec SCRSGF. Ms.Aroma Singh Thakur decorated Sri.Umakanth DGM/ITC/WOW, Smt.T.Renuka Devi Sr Dietician Central Railway Hospital, Sri.Ashok Kumar Yadav CHI / SLGD/HYB Div/ SCR, and Sri.K.Kishore CHI SC Stn/ SC Div., with Scout Scarves, followed by their oath. To encourage all round performance SCRSGF Members distributed 100 Sling bags, notebooks, Geometry boxes, and PUMA Caps to IX th-Class Students. Ms. Thakur appreciated Dr.Indira Vemuri (Retd Principal & Vice President of SCRSGF) and Sri.Umakanth (AGM/ITC/WOW) for sponsoring useful items to encourage Students. Sri Vijay Raj, Head Master of Railway Mixed High School, felicitated SCRSGF for their valuable contributions and extended greetings to Ms. Aroma Singh Thakur for receiving the President's Medal for Distinguished Service (PSM), and to Sri Utham Kumar Bandyopadhyay, ASC/RPF SCR & SCRSGF Member, for receiving the Police Medal for Meritorious Services. The program concluded with a Vote of Thanks from the Head Master.

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दिनांक 02-01-2026 को Shri Aditya Kumar PCPO/SECR & National President Indian Railway SGF, Shri.K.K.Bhardwaj Sr.DEE (R.S. & G)/BSP & President SECR BSP District और Shri.S.Bharatheeyan DCM/BSP & Vice President के साथ शिष्टाचार मुलाकात हुई और साथ में नए वर्ष की हार्दिक शुभकामनाएं एवं बधाई संस्था की ओर से दिया गया। PCPO/SECR ने नव वर्ष की बधाई देते हुए संस्था की उज्ज्वल भविष्य की कामना किया। DCM/BSP ने अपील किया कि अपना प्रोग्राम और नाटक रेल सुरक्षा, सफ़र में अनाधिकृत विक्रेता से खान - पान की वस्तु ना ले जैसे विषय पर करें और रेल यात्रियों को जागरूक करें।





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Sr.DEE(R.S. & G)/BSP ने आगामी चितरंजन की प्रोग्राम के लिए शुभकामनाएं दी और साथ में ये आश्वासन दिया कि कोई भी जरूरत की यथा संभव मदद की जाएगी। इस मुलाकात के बाद All India SC&ST Railway Employee Association SECR के महामंत्री प्रभात पासवान से मुलाकात कर उनके जन्मदिन का मुबारकबाद दी गयी। इस मुलाकात में District Coordinator B.Krishna Kumar, Secretary Krishna Vallav, Balveer Singh, Deepak Singh और P. Mahajan रहे।



Bilaspur District: Fellowship extends helping hands to employees: On 03rd January 2026, receiving information from member Anil Singh, SECR Bilaspur Shahdol, about serious illness of Shri.Kailash Prasad Jatwar, Track Maintainer suffering from Brain Hemorrhage, B.Krishnakumar, District Coordinator, with his team members Shubham and R.K.Yadav attended to him in Railway hospital and arranged referral to higher center and accompanied the patient to higher center.



Nagpur District: दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को डोंगरगढ़ के उत्सव हॉल में गणतंत्र दिवस मनाया गया। ध्वजारोहण सहायक अभियंता ए.ई.एन. श्री ऋषभ यादव द्वारा किया गया। तत्पश्चात उद्बोधन जिसमें ग्रुप के सभी सदस्य शामिल हुए। यह कार्यक्रम देवेन्द्र कुमार साखरे के निर्देशन में व विजय सरकारें के नेतृत्व में व सत्यनारायण के विशेष सहयोग से किया गया।





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On 12th January 2026 members joined the nation in celebrating the 163rd birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda at Kaushalya more, Kharagpur.



On 21st January 2026, a community service drive was conducted to provide relief from the winter cold, by distributing blankets to needy families and individuals residing in Balarampur village area premises.



TAMIL NADU RAILWAY STATE SGF

On 02nd January 2026, State President Ravikumar, State Vice President Ganesh and State Secretary Gunasekaran met Mr. Azhaguvel, Headmaster, Singaram Pillai Boys Higher Secondary School at Chennai as a follow-up meeting with regard to revival of Scout activities. Headmaster informed that he has identified one of his teachers for scouting activities and invited Tamilnadu SGF to help him in reviving scouting at school. Based on the discussion it was decided to start scout activities from 22.2.2026 i.e. Founder's Day. Further discussions were held about the proposed celebrations of NATIONAL YOUTH DAY during January 2026. The introduction letter about the Youth Award and nomination forms were handed over to him. All state officials inspected the hall for the conduct of Youth Award function at school premises. Headmaster agreed for the conduct of the program at his school.





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On 04th January 2026, State President Ravikumar who is also President /Patron of JRD Tata scout group and Priyadarshani Guide company participated in the opening ceremony of refurbished Scout Den of the Group at Perambur. Mr.Sagayaraj LT/R opened the Scout Den in the presence of group Vice President Mr.Ganeshkanth and scouts and guides of the group. The ceremony started with the scout flag hoisting by Duty patrol leader followed by a Scout prayer song. The State President in his address emphasised the importance of Den and patrol corners and reminded the Scouts and Guides that the Scout Den as per Founder of Scouting movement is the Heart of Scouting and requested them to use it to gain character, knowledge, and good citizenship. Mementoes were given to the chief guest by Mrs.Nirmala State Training Commissioner and LT / Rangers. The state President announced cash award of Rs.3000/- to the Group. The ceremony ended with the lowering of the scout flag, followed by the National Anthem.



On 17th January 2026, State President Ravikumar, State Secretary Gunasekaran, State Vice-President Ganesh and Chairman of Finance Committee Prabhakar had an online meeting with Ms.Krishnaveni of ARAISE an NGO based out of Srivilliputhur. The state officials explained about Scout and Guide fellowship and its objectives. A presentation was done about the activities of Fellowship.





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Krishnaveni runs an NGO and is very active in the social service space. State Officials explained the purpose of their visit to Srivilliputhur during the third week of January 2026. Krishnaveni explained about the meeting arrangements with school officials and also a meeting with parents of the school children. She has agreed to be the Working President for Virudhunagar District Scout and Guide Fellowship and help in formation of 3 Guilds. The meeting ended with thanks to all.

On 22nd January 2026, State President Ravikumar, State Secretary Gunasekaran, State Vice-President Ganesh and Chairman - Finance Committee Prabhakar met Ms.Malarvizhi, Headmistress, Government Higher Secondary School Ullurpatti, Srivilliputhur, Virudhunagar District, Tamilnadu and explained about Indian SGF and its objectives.



On 22nd January 2026, on Invitation from Government Higher Secondary School, Ullurpatti, Srivilliputhur Virudhunagar District, State President Ravikumar took a session on “Adolescence Management Program” based on Rovering to Success written by Lord Baden Powell. The session was interactive and all students evinced interest in the topic. Chairman Finance committee took up a session on Career Guidance and introduced various career options and advised the student to self evaluate on what is their interest and plan their higher studies accordingly. The State Secretary conducted games for the students.





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On 22nd January 2026, Ms. Krishnaveni was nominated as Working President of Virudhunagar District Scout and Guide Fellowship, at Srivilliputhur, Virudhunagar District, Tamilnadu. Chairman Finance Committee adorned the State Scarf to Ms. Krishnaveni. State President read out the nomination letter. Mr. Sekar was inducted to Virudhunagar District SGF by the Working President. This was followed by renewal of scout promise. State Vice President Ganesh and State Secretary Gunasekaran participated in the installation ceremony.



On 22nd January 2026, on Invitation from Irudaya Girls Higher Secondary School, Srivilliputhur Virudhunagar District, Tamilnadu Sste President Ravikumar took up a session on “Adolescence Management Program” based on Rovering to Success written by Lord Baden Powell. The session was interactive and all students evinced interest in the topic. Chairman Finance Committee took up a session on Career Guidance and introduced various career options and advised the student to self evaluate on what is their interest and plan their higher studies accordingly. State Secretary conducted games for the students. Rev. Sr. Loudou Principal of the school was inducted to Virudhunagar SGF and he appreciated the efforts taken by Tamilnadu SGF in guiding the students to become happy, healthy and useful citizens.





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On 23rd January 2026, State President Ravikumar, State Vice President Ganesh and Chairman of Finance Committee Prabhakar visited a village Nadhikudi in Srivilliputhur Taluk of Virudhunagar District, Tamilnadu. They met Mr.S.Emperumanar at his house. State Vice President Ganesh explained about Indian SGF and Tamilnadu SGF and about its activities. The State President explained about the formation of the Guild and its composition. Mr.Emperumanar is a retired Executive from TVS and has settled in his village. He has been conducting night classes for the school children in his village and doing social service. Based on the inputs about the Fellowship activities, he has agreed to become a member of SGF and form a Guild soon. Following this State Vice President Ganesh adorned the Tamilnadu SGF scarf and Chairman Finance Committee honoured him with a shawl. As part of induction ceremony, renewal of scout promise was done.



On 24th January 2026, on invitation from Singaram Pillai Boys Higher Secondary School, Villiwakkam, State President Ravikumar took scout class as part of the effort to revive scouting activities in the school. Scout Promise, Scout Salute, Scout sign and Scout promise were introduced. All students enjoyed the games at the end. The parts of the uniform were explained to all.





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Chennai District : On 26th January 2026, Republic Day was celebrated with the boys of Singaram Pillai boys Higher Secondary School, Chennai. Sweets were distributed to children and the new Scout Master Mr.Ganesan was honoured with a Memento. This was followed by distribution of sweets to children.



Gugai Guild: On 26th January 2026, on the occasion of Republic Day 2026, a Flag Hoisting Ceremony was held, hosted by senior Guild member P.N.V.Parthasarathy, at Sri Saraswathi Padasalai, followed by the distribution of sweets and water bottles to the children, as part of the Salem District SGF Celebration with Gugai Guild. Guild Members Nirmala P – President, Nivethitha P – Secretary, Anantharaman S.K.N – Treasurer, and Rishikesavan P.V.P participated and made the program grand, meaningful, and memorable. The principal and teachers appreciated the Guild.



Kumaran Guild: On 01st January 2026, members visited Nesackkarangal Destitute old-age home Yercaud adivaram Kondappannaikan-patty Salem. Members distributed sweets and wished a happy new year to the elders. The initiative aimed to assure them of the care and concern of elders. Guild president N.Periya samy, District coordinator Madhan, District Vice President R.Duraisamy, Guild members Deivarajan, S.Subramaniyan also joined the program.





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On 04th January 2026, members assisted Nesakarangal Destitute Elder's Home, Salem in conducting a tour for destitute elders. 25 destitute elders took part in it. The members visited Muthu malai Murugan temple, putheragoundanpalayam, Belur arulmigu Than thontri eswarar Kovil & Udaya patty SRI kandaasharamam. All elders participated in prayer organised by Guild members. They also visited puluthikuttai, aanai maduvu Dam, and enjoyed surrounding places and nature. Food and snacks disturbed to all elders. N.Periya Samy, Guild president, Co ordinated the program. R.Durai Samy, Guild Vice President, Salem District coordinator Master N.Madhan. Deivarajan, Superintendent and other members helped in organising the program.



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On 09th January 2026, a special meeting of members was held at Guild President's chamber, Salem. Guild President Periasamy presided over the meeting. Guild Secretary welcomed the members. Members discussed about Fellowship activities in rural areas, need for starting new guilds, National youth Day & and week celebration i.e. Pongal festival. The President welcomed a new member Mrs.Sajutha Banu by adorning the scarf and introduced her in the meeting.



On 12th January 2026, National Youth Day was organized on the occasion of Swamy Vivekandar Birthday at Nesackkarangal, Salem. Swamy Vivekandar Photo was garlanded by the Guild members & students. Various competitions were conducted and Prizes distributed. Guild President N.Periyasamy, Guild Vice-President R.Duraisamy & Guild members Gomathi and Banu also took part in the program.



On 14th January 2026, Pongal festival celebration was held at Nesackkarangal destitute elder's home, Yercaud adivaram Salem. New clothes were distributed to poor male and female elders. All inmates were also provided mini meals. The program was coordinated by Guild president N.Periyasamy, Salem District Vice President R.Duraisamy, elder's home Senior manager & Guild member, S.Subramaniyan, home superintendent, Deivararajan. District Joint Secretary T.Srinivasan also joined the special program.



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On 15th January 2026, on the occasion of Pongal festival, old student Ms.Mythili B.E first year & Ms.Punita, B.SC nursing, first year students of tribal area, Yercaud were blessed and greeted for Pongal by Guild President N.Periyasamy. New clothes were handed over to the students. Guild new member and senior warden Mrs.Komathi and other guild members took part in the event.



On 22nd January 2026, on the death anniversary of the revered father of Guild President N.Periyasamy, the Late M.Nainamalai Pillai, an annadhanam and sweet distribution programme was connected at Destitute Students Home run by Nesackkarangal Salem District. Guild President N.Periyasamy, Guild Secretary T.Srinivasan and other Guild members took part in the program





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On 26th January 2026, members organised and celebrated 77th Republic day celebration at Nesackkarangal Salem. National Flag was hosted by R.Balasankar, District President in the presence of R.Duraisamy, Guild Vice President. Master N.Madhan District and Guild co-ordinator gave the welcome address. Various competitions were conducted and certificates distributed and suitable prizes were given. Guild members and students participated in the event. Sweets and snacks were distributed. Guild President N.Periyasamy, advised & coordinated the event. Vote of thanks was given by Guild member and girls warden Gomathy. The event concluded with National Anthem.



TELANGANA STATE SGF

On 24th January 2026, members had a meeting at Akshara Vaagdevi School under the guidance of Working President Vanaja. The meeting was attended by state council members. 12 members were present including Vaagdevi Guild members. The meeting started with prayer and condolences for Shri.Chinnadurai who left for home in the early morning.





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Members were enlightened about the journey of SGF in the state and the contributions of Sri.Chinnadurai in keeping the spirit of the organization alive after Telangana SGF was started. 24th January being National Day for Girl child, members discussed the need to create awareness about the gender equality that BSG inculcates in society.

On 26th January 2026, Akshar Vaagdevi International School in Secunderabad, Telangana, celebrated the 77th Republic Day with great enthusiasm and patriotism. The event was attended by students, parents, teachers, and dignitaries, including Chief Guest Sri P. L.Srinivas, Founder and Life Member of the Scout and Guide Fellowship.



The celebration showcased the spirit of unity, discipline, and national pride, with Sri.P. L.Srinivas emphasizing the importance of constitutional values and responsible citizenship. The event concluded with a collective pledge to uphold the Constitution's ideals and serve the nation

Bhadradi Kothagudem District: On 08th January 2026, the death anniversary of Robert Stephenson Smyth Baden-Powell, Founder of the Scouting movement was observed by paying respects to Sir Baden-Powell. State Vice President Logani Sreenivas, State Coordinator Mohammad Khasim, District President P.Ramakrishna Rao, District Treasurer D.Sammaiah, P.Thames, Srinivas participated.





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On 12th January 2026, on the occasion of Swami Vivekananda Jayanti, floral tributes were offered to the statue of Swami Vivekananda located at Ganesh Temple Center within the limits of Kothagudem Municipal Corporation in Bhadradi Kothagudem District. This programme was organized under the leadership of Vivekananda Youth. On this occasion, State Vice President Logani Srinivas participated as the Chief Guest and, while addressing the gathering, praised Swami Vivekananda as a great visionary who showcased the greatness and glory of India to the world.



SDG GOAL 2 Zero Hunger: On 14th January 2026, Rice and Vegetables, fruits, sweet were distributed to Agricultural Labourers, on the occasion of Makara Sankranthi Festival. Mohammad Khasim and Naseem Pasha participated.



On 26th January 2026, Republic day was Celebrated at Nandanavam park Premises Ch.Krishnaiah garu hosted the National Flag followed by the National Anthem. Mohammad Khasim, Naseem Pasha, M.Uma, all the Nandanavam residents participated in the program.





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On 30th January 2026, members paid their Homage and Humble tributes in Honour of Great Leader Mahatma Gandhi ji on his death anniversary. This program was organised at Nandanavam park Vepalagadha. Fruits and Vegetables were distributed to people. Mohammad Khasim, Naseem Pasha, M.Uma, M.Kishore, Ram Mohan Rao participated.



Women's Guild : On 02nd January 2026, with the noble objective of relieving hunger among the needy, as per the call given by the National Committee of the Indian Scout and Guide Fellowship (SGF), members organized a food donation program on the occasion of the birthday of Karun Kumar, son of SGF well-wishers Panchala Nagabhushanam and Nagamani. As part of this initiative, food was distributed to the homeless at Kothagudem Railway Station, RTC Bus Stand, and Post Office Centre. The program was conducted under the leadership of State Vice-President Logani Srinivas. Participants included Bhadradi Kothagudem District, Women's Guild representatives Logani Jyothirani and Chunchu Anjali, member C.H.Srinivasa Rao, donors Panchala Nagabhushanam, Nagamani, Amrutha Rao, Paul, Kavitha, Srinivas, and others.



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On 11th January 2026, essential commodities, cash, and clothes were distributed today to the family of Krishna Kumari, a differently-abled woman, residing near Geetha Ashram in Srinagar Colony, Lakshmidvipalli Mandal. This programme was conducted under the leadership of Dr.Noori Meharunnisa, Guild President of SGF Women's Guild, Bhadradi Kothagudem District. Women's Guild representatives Jyothi Rani, Anjali, Jareena, Kalyani, Kalavathi, along with SGF Telangana State Vice President Logani Srinivas, participated in this programme.



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Dehradun District: दिनांक 07 जनवरी 2025 को सदस्यों के द्वारा अटल बिहारी वाजपेयी स्मृति पखवारा के अंतर्गत 'लेखक गांव' थानों, देहरादून का दौरा किया गया जहाँ पर सनराइज़ एकेडमी मैनेजमेंट सोसायटी, देहरादून की प्रबंध निदेशिका श्रीमती पूजा पोखरियाल को फेलोशिप सदस्यता प्रदान की गई। उनके साथ उत्तराखंड राज्य की चेयरमैन व चीफ़ डॉक्टर.दलजीत कौर, अध्यक्ष राजीव शर्मा, PRO ममता शर्मा, उपाध्यक्ष डॉ.पूनम शर्मा, हरजीत कौर आदि उपस्थित थे। सदस्यों द्वारा लेखक गाँव परिसर में स्थित नृसिंह देवता मंदिर में दर्शन के उपरांत अटल जी को श्रद्धा सुमन अर्पित किए गए। दल ने नालंदा पुस्तकालय में संग्रहित पुस्तकों का भी अवलोकन किया और अटल प्रेक्षागृह, लेखक कुटीर, नक्षत्र वाटिका, संजीवनी वाटिका, स्पर्श गंगा वाटिका, व धन्वंतरि प्रतिमा के भी दर्शन किए। यह स्थान सम्वेदी रचनाकारों को अपने लेखन हेतु अप्रतिम अवसर और सुविधाएं प्रदान करता है।





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दिनांक 23 जनवरी 2026 को Sunrise Academy Management Society, Dehradun परिसर में माँ सरस्वती की वंदना कर फेलोशिप सदस्यों द्वारा देवी का अनुग्रह प्राप्त किया गया व सभी को प्रसाद वितरित किया गया।



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Bareilly District: दिनांक 04 जनवरी 2026 को मासिक बैठक का आयोजन अरविंद कुमार कोषाध्यक्ष के निवास करिश्मा एन्क्लेव निकट साई धर्म कांटा बरेली पर किया गया जिसकी अध्यक्षता हरीलाल शर्मा, अध्यक्ष जनपद फेलोशिप बरेली द्वारा की गयी बैठक में आगामी कार्यक्रम छब्बीस जनवरी, बाईस फरवरी, समाज सेवा आदि कार्यक्रम पर बिचार किया गया। कार्यक्रम में करुणा शंकर मिश्रा, जमनाबती उदयप्रताप सिंह अरविंद कुमार, देवेन्द्र सिंह आर्य, जयश्री आदि ने प्रतिभाग किया। जयश्री को सदस्यता दिलाई गयी तथा फेलोशिप स्कार्फ पहनाया गया। कार्यक्रम का शुभारम्भ स्काउट गाइड प्रार्थना से किया गया उदयप्रताप सिंह द्वारा आभार व्यक्त किया गया।



दिनांक 13 से 15 जनवरी 2026 तक बरेली क्लब मैदान में उत्तरायिणी मेले का आयोजन किया गया जिसमें फेलोशिप के सदस्यों द्वारा समाज सेवा कार्य किया गया जिसमें यातायात नियन्त्रण, प्राथमिक चिकित्सा, खोया पाया, आदि कार्यों में संस्था को सहयोग प्रदान किया गया। कार्यक्रम में सहायक सचिव गौरब पाठक का संचालन रहा। कार्यक्रम हरीलालशर्मा अध्यक्ष फेलोशिप जनपद बरेली के निर्देशन में चलाया गया।



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दिनांक 22 जनवरी 2026 को भारत सेबक समाज इ.का.रजपुरी नबादा में चल रहे स्काउट गाइड शिबिर का बिधिबत समापन हो गया। शिबिर का समापन थाना प्रभारी पुलिस थाना भुता द्वारा किया गया। शिबिर में भुता थाने केस्टाफ द्वारा नारी शसक्तीकरण एवं सड़क सुरक्षा नियम के बिषय में जानकारी दी गयी। कार्यक्रम का संचालन हरीलाल शर्मा द्वारा किया गया। प्रशिक्षण जमनाबती जिला प्रशिक्षण आयुक्त द्वारा दिया गया। आभार डा.करुणा शंकर मिश्रा द्वारा ब्यक्त किया गया। कार्यक्रम में डा.मुकेश कुमार, सुलक्षण पाठक, सोमदेव सुमित अग्रवाल आदि द्वारा सहयोग प्रदान किया गया। गीता रानी बथनीरामजी द्वारा स्कार्फ, बैज लगाकर स्वागत किया गया। स्काउट गाइड द्वारा तम्बू बनाना, कुकिंग, मार्च पास्ट, गांठे बन्धन कैम्प फायर, आदि का प्रर्दशन किया गया।



दिनांक 24 जनवरी 2026 को पूर्व माध्यमिक बिधालय अटरिया में उत्तर प्रदेश स्थापना दिवस मनाया गया। कार्यक्रम का निर्देशन अरबिंद कुमार कोषाध्यक्ष द्वारा किया गया। कार्यक्रम में स्काउट गाइड द्वारा बिभिन्न कार्यक्रम प्रस्तुत किये गये। कार्यक्रम में हरीलालशर्मा द्वारा मार्ग दर्शन किया गया।



दिनांक 26 जनवरी 2026 को गणतंत्र दिवस के अबसर पर स्काउट.भवन जी आई. सी.बरेली मे हरीलाल शर्मा अध्यक्ष द्वारा ध्वजारोहण कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया गया। इस अबसर पर स्काउट द्वारा सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रम प्रस्तुत किये गये तथा मार्चपास्ट मे भाग लिया गया। कार्यक्रम में गौरब पाठक सहा सचिव जमनाबती उपाध्यक्ष ने प्रतिभाग किया।





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कार्यक्रम के अंतर्गत सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रम बरेली कालेज में विभिन्न विधालयो द्वारा प्रस्तुत किये गये। मार्चपास्ट बरेली कालेज से प्रारम्भ होकर राजकीय इ.का.बरेली पर समाप्त हुआ तथा वहां पर पुरस्कार बितरण हुआ जिसका संचालन जिला सचिव डा.पुष्पकांत शर्मा द्वारा किया गया।



दिनांक 28 जनवरी 2026 को जिला कार्यकारिणी बरेली की बैठक तिलक इंटर कॉलेज में सम्पन्न हुआ। बैठक का आयोजन तिलक इ.का.बरेली में किया गया जिसमें आगामी कार्यक्रम पर विचार किया गया। बैठक में अध्यक्ष हरीलाल शर्मा, सचिव पुष्पकांत शर्मा, सहा सचिव गौरब पाठक, उपाध्यक्ष जमनाबती तथा संयुक्त सचिव राकेश कुमार शर्मा ने भी प्रतिभाग किया।



WEST BENGAL STATE SGF

AKG Guild : On 07th January 2026, Guild members and AIWC South Kolkata Constituent Branch jointly organized an illustrated talk followed by QA sessions by Mr.Kinjal Bose on Heritage temples of West Bengal with its architectural details at AIWC South Kolkata office. The talk was well attended by AIWC & AKG Guild SGF members with guests.





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WEST BENGAL STATE SGF

Paschim Burdwan District: On 26th January 2026, Republic Day was celebrated with Gilwell Guild Andal Eastern Railway in the presence of State Secretary, National council members, Vice President and other members.



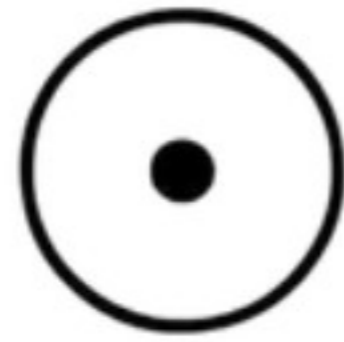
On 28th January 2026, service was rendered at Dignala Andal in eye test and operation camp organised by DSPS DVC UNDER CSR Andal association with Andal GP, AMIS through Metaji Eye Hospital Ramchandrapur Purulia West Bengal in the presence of District President Chiranjib Roy and Pradip Ram, Barsha Sarkar. 243 persons got their eyes tested and 153 persons were selected for operation in Hospital.



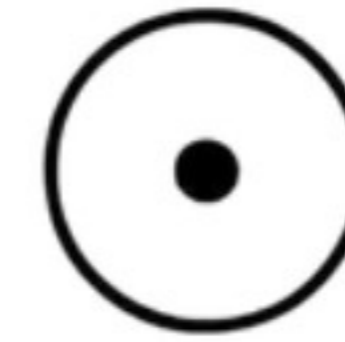
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On 15th January 2026, on the auspicious occasion of Makar Sankranti, fellowship members Geeta Joshi and other members distributed snacks to underprivileged children in nearby slum areas and joyfully celebrated the festival with them.





GONE HOME



04th Jan 2026: Dileep Kumar K Founder of Raigarh District SGF of Chattisgarh in 2004 and Chittur Guild SGF Kerala in 2006, also member of ATAS India passed away on in road accident. He is also founder secretary of Disha Scouts in Bangalore and was part of Intensified Leprosy Elimination Program under AHM/WOSM in Chattisgarh for period 2004 to 2008. He joined AHMWOSM Leprosy Elimination during World Scout Jamboree in Thailand. He also assisted various Indian SGF National events. It was a great loss to his family (wife and two young kids), we pray for departed soul to rest in peace.

14th January 2026: P Saroja former Director of the BS&G and Honorary Life Member of Karnataka State SGF is no more. She was a recipient of 1st Ravi Wesley Award, assisted 14th ISGF AsPac SGF Regional Gathering in Bangalore 2015. She served the BS&G in Karnataka for over 30 years as a professional. She dedicated her life to Scouting and Guiding. We pray for her soul to rest in peace.

20th January 2026: K Narsimha Murthy founder of Chamundi Guild SGF and Group Leader of Chamundi Scout Group Malleshwaram is no more. He has served BS&G for last 65 years and Karnataka State SGF for last 15 years. We pray for his soul to rest in peace.

24th January 2026: Chinna Durai one of the founder member of SC Railway State SGF and former President passed away on . His continuous support and contributions to Indian Railway SGF will be remembered for long. He has been recognised with Life Time Achievement Justice Hidayatulla Award. We pray for his soul to rest in peace.

DATES TO REMEMBER

- **ISGF AsPac Regional Committee/Task Force Meeting at Batam - Indonesia/Singapore**
Thursday 26th to Monday 30th March 2026
- **Youth Awards Ceremony Shillong Meghalaya**
Tuesday-Wednesday 11th & 12th August 2026
- **20th National Gathering & 36th General Assembly** - September 2026
- **2nd NRI Guild Gathering- Malaysia**
March 2027
- **North East Regional Meeting - Guwahati**
Sunday 9th August 2026

