

Respected President, Vice President, Members of Managing committee, Supporters and members of Mahesh Foundation.

Namaskar,

It gives me pleasure to present before you the 1st over view report of the projects and activities accomplished by Mahesh Foundation for the year 2010-11. I would like to highlight the activities conducted by the Mahesh Foundation during this Season.

This year Mahesh Foundation, a non-governmental organization started working, for the welfare of children and youth affected by HIV/AIDS in society by ensuring them education and encouraging them to fight against HIV/AIDS the deadly disease.

Mahesh Foundation started “**AADHAR**” Orphanage, where 16 HIV infected & affected orphans children are sheltered.



Membership.

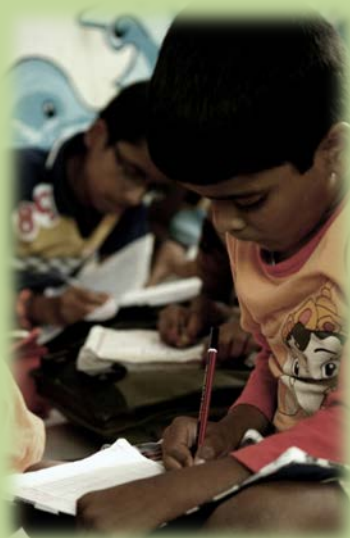
In order to strengthen the organization and broaden the base the Managing committee took efforts to enroll more and more members due to which the total members as on **31st March 2012** are as follows Members – **24**.

Managing Committee Meeting.

The Managing committee meeting is conducted 1st Sunday of every month at **Mahesh Foundation**. So there were **12** meetings during the year and 1 annual General

	body meeting.
New Admissions in AADHAR Orphanage	During the end of this year we have newly adopted 16 HIV infected & affected orphan children in AADHAR orphanage. Total Sheltered Children – 16.
Activities:	
Shelter HIV Infected and Affected orphan Children. 	Mahesh foundation works for orphans and vulnerable children. We started “AADHAR” orphanage, this orphanage shelters 16 children and caters to their varied requirements including Shelter, Medicine, Nutrition and Education. Total Sheltered children– 16.
Nutrition Support to Children Living with HIV. 	Mahesh Foundation provides nutrition support for 50 Children Living with HIV/AIDS in Belgaum district. The instances say that two CLHIV children on an average are dead because of non availability of proper nutrition food. Mahesh Foundation is trying to at least supply nutrition food to CLHIV so that it helps to keep them alive. Total Benefitted children – 50.
AADHAR HIV/AIDS Helpline 	The Objective of the Helpline is not only to help and assist those infected with HIV/AIDS but also to create awareness about the disease. People are hesitant to reveal the truth due to the social stigma attached. As a result, patients do not receive proper counselling or timely medicine. The trauma caused by the knowledge of infection is often so severe as to drive youth and couples to suicide. HIV is considered a “disease of the others” i.e. of people living in the margins of society with questionable lifestyles. This prevents people from seeking information and help. Lack of correct information can result in either indifference or panic, both of which are undesirable from a societal point of view.

Youth Awareness about Social Responsibility.



Total Benefitted – 11,000 people.

Mahesh Foundation has taken steps forward even in youth awareness, by allowing the youngsters to celebrate festivals with the children of our orphan age, we have done youth awareness in various colleges, telling them about social responsibilities to give same love and care which we get from our parents to such children by celebrating birthdays with them spending time with them giving them a feel of being a family. Keeping the good network with collage students have given us very enthusiastic volunteers who comes to our programs n give their helping hands.

More than **500** + college students visited Mahesh Foundation during year.

Total Benefitted – 500 College students.

School Support Programs



Mahesh Foundation Conducted School Support program For orphans, HIV infected, Slum Children and very poor children from rural school. In this Campaign we collect Rs. 300/-, as sponsorships for one child, this contribution will surely motivate a child to go to school and put a big smile on their face... The school kits will be given to support orphans, HIV infected, Slum Children and very poor children from rural School. The kit includes a school bag, note books, stationery & a water bottle.

Total Benefitted – 310 school children.

Functions and Programs:

Opening Ceremony of “ADHAR” Orphanage.

The 15th Aug of 2010 was a great day for us, as we inaugurated our orphanage “ASHA KIRAN” a home of hope which is a home for HIV affected orphan children.

Celebrated Raksha Bandhan with GAINTS group pariwar

The Children of our orphanage celebrated Raksha Bandhan with GAINTS Pariwar Group on 24th Aug of 2012.

Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration	September 4 th of 2010 was a joy full day for Children; We celebrated Ganesh Chaturthi at our orphanage.
Ram Teerth Tour by Kannada Rakhana Vedike.	The Kannada Rakshana Vedike, Belagum sponcered a tour for the children. They took the children to Shri Ramteerth Temple near Belgaum and a day way memorable.
Christmas Day	Some of the JAIN Clg students Celebrated Christmas Day 25 th of December, with the children of our orphanage, Day was full of Sweets, Smiles and Music.
New Year Celebration	Children at our orphanage celebrated new year with the Students from Bharatesh Collage and we saw a rising hope for the support of our causes.
NDTV Crew Visits the orphanage	On 14 th of Jan 2011 we Mahesh foundation Welcomed the team of NDTV India. The team came in with lots gifts and sweets played around the children and made great day for us.
Team of SHIVAM Dance Academy Visit	Team of SHIVAM dance academy visits our orphanage and taught some of steps and dance to the children
Launch of our Website	On 26 th of Feb We Launched our website Maheshfoundation.org
Germany Rotarian visited AADHAR	Germany Rotarian visited our orphanage on 15 March of 2011.
Our 1st Holy Celebration	We Celebrated 1 st holy at our orphanage with some friends and family members and THE kids of our orphanage, we had a great blast on that day and the colors of holy had spread all over.
Support From Other NGO's	We Mahesh Foundation got help from NGOs like "SMILE" Foundation and others.
Republic Day.	We Celebrated our 63 rd Republic Day with all our Children, staffs, managing committee members in AADHAR

	orphanage premises.
Awards & Honoring:	
Belgaumite of the Year	By online voting Awarded by allaboutbelgaum.com .

The accounts of Mahesh Foundation have been audited by **Ravindra Potdar** Chartered Accountants who were appointed as the auditor at the general body meeting last year. The income tax benefit u/s 80G has been extended and as per few rule it will be continued without renewal.

This are the very few methods adopted to betterment of society, in the same way there are many such incidents which shows the methods adopted by Mahesh Foundation towards this society. To get their rights Mahesh foundation is struggling & is successful & will struggle until all these peoples get their rights.

Secretary.