

THE INSIGHT

TALENT QUEST FOR INDIA - QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER



A Glimpse of OCTOBER, NOVEMBER, DECEMBER 2022 Events

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thank you



We thank each and every volunteer, their family, our college partners, organisation partners and our children a

HAPPY NEW YEAR
2023

We wish and commit to listen more, collaborate more and volunteer more by taking more responsibility!



2022 RECAP

30 Govt school students who got trained by our volunteers cleared Trust and NMMS Scholarship exams

TQI Ullas 7th Academic year started with more joy as TQI Anna's and Akka's are back to school to meet their brothers and sisters

TQI கல்வி40 - Kalvi40 partnership witnessed enormous happy moments with the Joy of Learning sessions through Online story telling

TQI One Year One Cause - "Joy of Reading" saw our volunteers taking children to Book Fair and also conducting Book Donation drive

TQI Daan Utsav - Joy of Giving Week saw our volunteers and their family celebrating by giving time, resources and skills to the needy.

TQI Reconnect Meet is back where it always amazing to listen to our stories of TQI Seniors who are now across the world creating an impact

TQI Mission Samriddhi Cluster Development program started where we are working with the community to empower children in over 45 villages

We are selected in the Top 10 Educator LeadZ awards by rMrB and #UN

TQI Kanaa Science program is back on ground where our volunteers ignited students to apply for INSPIRE Awards

We had supported the needy students in paying school, hostel fees with fund raising

MySchool MyPride Re-initiated where our volunteers are going back to their alma mater to thank their teachers and conduct career guidance sessions for children

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DAAN UTSAV CELEBRATIONS

This year's DaanUtsav was launched with "Book and Stationary donation drive" at Paavai institutions.



Our team at Cuddalore celebrated DaanUtsav by collecting stationaries, geometry boxes, and books from friends in person and it was shared with the students of Karunai illam.

TQI Thoothukudi volunteers celebrated DaanUtsav by spending time with children at the Hill Charity organization and giving food to street dogs.



KS Rangasamy College Team celebrated DaanUtsav by collecting hand written and digital greetings for our soldiers and sending it to the camp



DIWALI CELEBRATIONS



Our TQI Chennai volunteers joined for Diwali celebration with Individuals with special needs at V-Excel Centre!



NEW BEGINNINGS

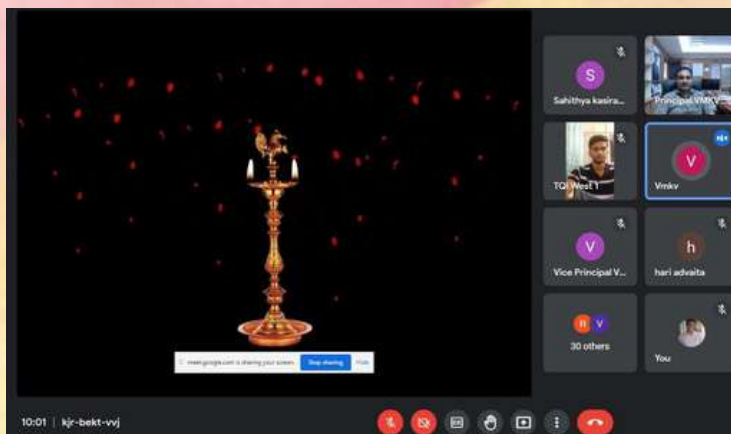
TQI signed MOU with Paavai Engineering College & Paavai College of Engineering

for involving their college students in volunteering activities and skill development programs. The team is active since 2014 and the college students are running this volunteering movement effectively



TQI Club inauguration at Vinayaka Mission's Kirupananda Variyar Engineering College (VMKV), Salem

TQI VMKVEC team which started in 2013 doing amazing volunteering work consistently. Harikrishnan who started 2013 team participated and spoke about volunteerism during inauguration





SCHOLARSHIP TRAINING

FOR SCHOOL STUDENTS

With 11 trainers, 37 days of training, Students in villages formed a study circle and attended sessions. Their Parents were happy about children asking doubts and learning by interacting



For the TRUST Exam Conducted by Tamil Nadu government for 9th Class students, we saw a huge sign-up of more than 400 students which is more than the last 2 years !!

MISSION SAMRIDDHI



PARTNERING WITH MISSION SAMRIDDHI

TQI is proud to partner with Mission Samriddhi in taking education programs to the 9 clusters of Tamil Nadu. Mission Samriddhi team & TQI Volunteers engaged in effective brainstorming session. We Started Ullas program for 9th class students in all 40+ villages.



Talent quest celebration

TQI @MissionSamriddi திறமை தேடல் திருவிழா" (Talent Quest Celebration) where 9th std students from different villages participating in the Can Do & Summit programs.

Erode, Chengalpattu 1&2, Dharmapuri, Namakkal, and Kancheepuram clusters

Villupuram, Karur and Cuddalore clusters



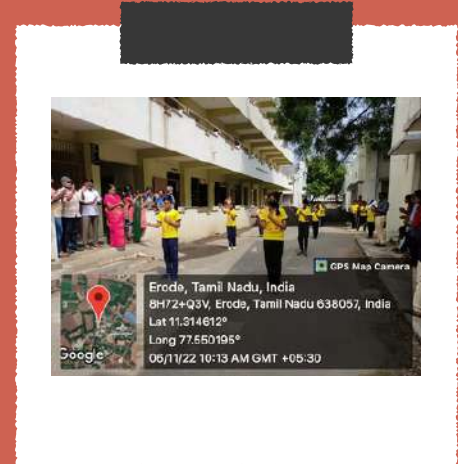
PROGRAMS



ERODE

Erode Sengunthar Engineering College UBA team, Thudupathi panchayat, Mission Samruddhi team and Talent quest for India(TQI) jointly Organized the Skill development program (ULLAS) for School children.

Volunteers from Bangalore and Chennai travelled to Erode for the launch of the cluster program and to mentor the college volunteers in Erode.



KANCHEEPURAM

TQI seniors and college volunteers travel from Chennai to villages in Kancheepuram to motivate children to dream big. It's amazing to witness TQI seniors who are working professionals & college volunteers travel long distances to listen, appreciate and interact with children





MY SCHOOL MY PRIDE

TQI "My School My Pride" is an initiative launched in 2019 to motivate people to go back to their #almamater (School), thank their teachers and facilitate our "Career Guidance" program for the students. Many signed up for this initiative and we received heartwarming feedback.

After COVID, it is re-initiated by Madhan who joined TQI during his college days and now working in a reputed firm went back to his school and took the session for 12th std students.



ONE YEAR ONE CAUSE 2022 JOY OF READING

TQI OneYearOneCause 2022-23 - Joy of reading
We have been taking school children to the District Book fairs and making them choose books which will go as part of the Library Corner. The Salem volunteer team took students to the book fair and students choose **72** books!



BOOK REVIEW

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MAN'S SEARCH FOR MEANING IN LIFE VIKTOR FRANKL

Man's Search for Meaning in life is a book by Viktor Frankl , chronicling his experiences as a prisoner in Nazi concentration camps during World War II.

The book has a very honest and precise account of concentration camps relating to finding meaning in suffering without making it sound morbid.

As the author asks us to stop asking about meaning of life and start answering the questions life asks us every hour, day, week. Our answer must consist in not talk and meditation but in right action and right conduct. Life ultimately means taking responsibility and finding right answer to its challenges to fulfill the tasks it constantly sets us."

The book gave me an immensely powerful way of looking at life. It's ultimate aim is to find the meaning of life. The book answers the question many might have in their mind: "what's the point for living?" and I'm sure this work shares the real meaning to live despite the losses that one might have in their life.

TAKEAWAYS

To survive is to find meaning in suffering.

No matter what odds we are faced with, life is always worth living when we know the reason what we want to live and die for.

Life is a gift.

Got some insights about life, death, pains, loss, happiness and how to deal with them.



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