

**Work for equality - "WE"- A step towards equal opportunities**

**Monthly Newsletter -October 2017**

**Work for Equality is a registered organization working for the benefits of marginalized communities especially with children for their holistic development.**

#### **Achievements of the month:**

**Success stories:** name change for confidentiality: Atul is studying in 6th standard, he is quite elder than other students in his class. As per his school teacher's opinion, Atul frequently misbehave with children especially with girls. Teachers has prohibited Atul to attend regular school. This punishment did not able to change Atul behavior but he has felt insulting and stigmatize. PRERANA teacher understood Atual's need and provided him counseling. We sensitized school principle about side effect of his decision. Now Atul has got permission to attend regularly school, such a way we supported right to education of one child.

**Counseling support:** we are promoting girls education and their safety through providing counseling support to the homeless family. We found still families are raged for girl education. Need more sensitization in society regarding girl's education



**Right to Education for marginalized children:** Due to strong opposed of villagers for the education of marginalized children, we have done advocacy and started playgroup for the children. Forty children are taking benefits of the program. Along with education, we are providing daily nutrition, leisure and recreational activities for the development of deprived children.





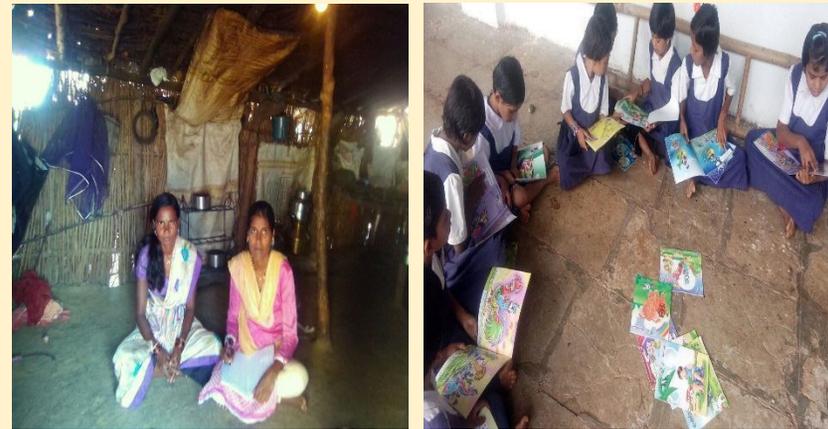
**Sport- Yoga and Nutrition:** Through PRERANA center we are not only provide educational guidance but also provide health and nutritional support for the development of children.

**Life Skills training program for the marginalized children:** In the month of October, we facilitated life skills training program on nutritious food, true friend and no to crackers. these topics emphasized to do positive changes in the behavior of children such as many children has started to avoid junk food, as well as during Diwali vacation, maximum of them has avoided crackers due to sensitization sessions for them. .



## CHANGING BEHAVIORS:

At the beginning, Anurag and Tanuja were using slang language, after getting proper guidance and counseling through PRERANA, slowly their behavior changed and they have started to give respect and take care of each other. Their mother is happy because they are part of PRERANA. Children who are part of PRERANA are showing interest in reading because they are getting regular books for reading



Through regular Parents meeting we are sensitizing parents on child rearing, health and hygiene, education etc.

## **Big Thanks to Our supporters and Well-wishers**

- Alochana
- Training for Development Scholarship Society
- Schindler India Pvt. Ltd
- Kirloskar Oil Engines
- Accops systems Pvt. Ltd.
- Earn blessings
- Tech Mahindra
- Gabriel Pvt. Ltd
- L'OREAL
- Mahindra Spare Parts
- Continental India
- Air Liquide foundation
- Goonj
- Knowledge White board
- Kshitij
- Rotary Club of Talegaon MIDC
- LIONS Club Talegaon
- Education Department Talegaon
- Lokmanya Tilak School No 3 Talegaon
- Koregaon village Z.P. School
- Rajubai Vasti Z.P. School
- Varale Village Z.P. School
- Sant. Tukaram Nagar Z.P. School - Yelwadi
- Eainade Vasti Z.P. School
- Rotary Club of Pune Royal
- Rotary Club of Panvel
- Savitribai Phule Pune University
- Youth for Human Rights
- Rainbow foundation
- PANAN Sanchanalay Maharashtra Shashan