

premdan newsletter

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In the beginning was the
Word and the Word was
God (Jn 1:1)

JESUS the WORD came
into the World as a little
Babe.... We all know the
beautiful story of
Christmas.

Talking about the birth of
JESUS we cannot help but
thank God for the beginning
and birth of PREMDAN.
Thirty three years ago, Sr.
Felicity Morris r.j.m. brought
to birth in a small, humble
but daring way, the Project
for the poor, the street
children and those living in
the slums. She took in the
little girls and boys
irrespective of caste
or creed. Her aim was
'Nutrition and Education'.
She realised that the eager
minds of these poor
children could not be
educated without their
bodies being given the
necessary nutrition. And that
continues to remain the aim
of PREMDAN.

Thanks: to the goodness and generosity of all you dear Sponsors who down the years have supported this Project. It is because of you that the little children aged 4 -6 years who pass through the - Prem Dan Nurseries, step into regular schools in and around Mumbai. Your sponsorship enables them to pay the school fees etc. They can then dare to step into the world; pursue further studies take up a job thus making something worthwhile of their lives.

Thanks: to many of our local SPONSORS who contribute food grains like rice, pulses, fruits, especially good nourishing bananas, eggs, milk etc.
- To the Taj President Hotel Staff, for their interest shown in PREMDAN and for the food supplied daily.

Thanks: to those who have rendered services to the little children in the Garden School, Reay Road classes and Geeta Nagar classes.



Diya painting

- * Staff and students of Aquinas College, Manchester.
- * Employees of Standard Chartered Bank.
- * A group from Jai Hind College.
- * Students from St. Xavier's College, Mumbai.
- * Students of Std. IX – of Fort Convent, Jesus and Mary School.
- * Members of Lions Club Mumbai

* And many other generous donors who do not wish to be named, yet give and give – from the goodness and generosity of their hearts. The students mentioned above along with the Prem Dan teaching staff help with the coaching classes conducted in the evenings for the sponsored children attending various schools. Thanks to St. Anne' Fort for keeping their premises available for some of the coaching classes.



with Lions Club



*Gifts from...
Taj President Hotel.*



Bank Officers spending time with our children.



...with Jaichind students

Our Boarding for poor girls at the Prem Dan Social Centre, Kharghar, continues to care for their well-being and their education. Recently that is July 25th 2010 Parents day was celebrated. Most of the girls come from homes with single parents or guardians. These had the joy of seeing their children exhibit their talents in the form of dance and song.



Serious Study ..PremDan Kharghar



To School from PremDan Kharghar



Camp at Khandala.

Camps in Khandala:

As mentioned in our earlier circular we have a 'Children's Home' at a Hill Station in Khandala. We continue to hold week-end camps from time to time for young deserving school going girls.

A new Logo and a Website for Prem Dan.

You will have noticed at the top of the page, that Prem Dan has a new Logo. I am sure you will pick up what it signifies. We are presently working on a new Website. We will communicate the address to you in our next newsletter.

We Srs. Felicity, Zelia, Vidya and the Staff of Prem Dan
send our warmest greetings to each of you for a.....



*Very Joyous Christmas
and Blessings
for each day of 2011.*