Sandnya Sanwardhan Sanstha
Report on activities during Oct. through March ’08

This period of the year is a pleasant time as far as weather is concerned. Rains are already receding and winter has not really set in. This favourable weather condition certainly results in better student attendance which further makes learning process much easier for mentally challenged students. Our teachers are also very enthusiastic in getting the objectives reached as per the individualistic curriculum.

27th October 07 --- The Programme of KOJAGIRI was arranged in the campus of Sandnya Srushtri. The total gathering of 150 persons was present which includes students, parents, staff, trustees and few invitees as well. Though this event is meant to be celebrated during full moon night, because of limitations of our students we celebrate during our school hours.

4th November 07 --- The annual day Programme was held at 5.30 pm at JR Shaw auditorium. The hall was full to its capacity. More then 600 people witnessed the spirited performance of our mentally challenged students.

Students are ready for performing, awaiting their chance.
L-Profoundly retarded children are given opportunity to come on the stage  
R-Rev. Swami from Ramakrishna Math addressing the gathering.  

The content of the programme is such that there are performances by students alternated with awareness massage and information on the progress of SSS for the benefit of the members of the audience most of them are our donors also. The objective of this yearly activity is to put before the audience and parents the abilities our students in terms of confidence and skills of social adoptability. The type of cheering they get from audience and parents one must see to believe it. It can not be described by mere words. It is not only a entertainment nor it is only about awareness regarding the problem of mentally challenged but it is about getting common people involved in this noble cause.

17th December 07 SSS started plying two of its own buses for students. One bus was sponsored by Asha for Education, Silicon Valley, and other one from M/s Gas Authority Of India, New Delhi. We hope apart from convenience these buses will reduce our expense by at least 20% on transport account. Both the buses are from Tata Motors.

22nd December 07 --- Students of SSS went for a outdoor picnic along with staff and other people to a farmhouse which is about 10-15 km. from our campus. This is a day time picnic and the main purpose is to acquaint the students with out side world and more so with the nature.
2\textsuperscript{nd} & 19\textsuperscript{th} January 08 --- A whole day workshop on speech and hearing was conducted for the staff of SSS. The expert faculty not only helped in evaluating speech and hearing problems of our students but guided the staff for handling such problems effectively to the satisfaction of the parents. Such exercise not only motivates the staff but updates them with latest techniques as well.

22\textsuperscript{nd} to 24\textsuperscript{th} January 08 --- These were the days for fields’ sports activity for students. This is an intra school activity and is carried out with lot of enthusiasm in students and staff.

26\textsuperscript{th} January 08 --- Republic Day was celebrated and students did the march-past also. On this same day Sankrant festival was also celebrated and Til Gul was distributed to all students and parents also.

2\textsuperscript{nd} March 08 --- Matru Sangharsh [Mothers association] and SSS cosponsored Mahila Melawa. It is a yearly activity for mothers of mentally
challenged students for sorting out their own problems through sharing each other's experiences which also helps in boosting their morals. Other then mothers were also present and the total number was more then 350. It was almost a whole day Programme.

The students of D. Ed college in our first flr. hall during the awareness meeting held on 6th Feb.08. This hall was inaugurated formally on 2nd March08.

During this period 5 awareness meetings were held. Four of these were held in our campus Sandnya Srushti. We addressed to around 350 students, about 50 teachers and more then 300 other people.

We had 3 parents meetings and held 8 mothers meetings as well. All these meetings had good attendance.

From 31st March 08 younger students will go on summer vacation. And others will go on vacation from 30th April 08. The institute shall reopen from 15th June. Rehabilitation units shall work through summer also except for a week.