

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF ETERNAL HOPE

LOVE CARE CENTRE

ARPAKKAM, KANCHEEPURAM



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The **Love Care Centre**, falling under the purview of the **National Institute of Eternal Hope**, was formed as an integrated and registered trust around January 2000. Since 1986, the promoters Late Dr. John Chelladurai and Sophia Chelladurai have engaged in looking after abandon children, giving encouragement and support to deserted women and equip them to lead a decent life .

WHERE YOU CAN SEE THEM

These Destitute children are found begging in the traffic signals, cleaning tables in restaurants ,hauling bricks in constructions sites, sleeping in huddles on dirty pavement, growing up without safety, love & care .

VISION

“TO SHARE THE LOVE AND CARE TO EVERY NEEDY SOUL”

MISSION STATEMENT

“National Institute of Eternal Hope is committed to create a safe homely environment for Children, Aged & destitute in an atmosphere of Hope and self actualization, by providing them adequate care, education, skill, support to become self reliant.

AIMS OF LOVE CARE CENTER

- * To reflect and share the Love of God to less fortunate children
- * To rehabilitate the children by providing shelter, food, clothing and other basic Needs
- * To provide good education and to ensure that their thinking is in line with any other child of the higher strata of society.
- * To impart sound Christian education and a sense of self security
- * To provide a happy family atmosphere in which the young children will develop their personality, accept responsibility and enjoy their liberty.



GENESIS OF LOVE CARE CENTRE

ORPHANAGE FOR THE DESTITUTE CHILDREN

The **Love Care Centre** started functioning as a well knit unit rendering succor, shelter, protection, education, medical care, etc with an assured future . The **Love Care Centre**, which started with two children has grown to more than 150 children. They come from different parts of the country namely Manipur, Assam, Nagaland, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Orissa, Mizoram, and Tamilnadu. Most of the children are from different tribes hailing from most backward areas.



The Center is Home to children from many different backgrounds. Some of the children who hail from Manipur have AIDS affected parents or from destitute families. Ongoing guerilla warfare activities make it very difficult for NGOs to operate there. Some children are from tribal villages in Orissa, where they lack infrastructure facilities and without government funding

has lead destitute families being unable to send their children to schools. The rest of the children are from Tamil Nadu a combination of Tsunami orphans and street children

Most children arrive at the Center with few possessions and in a bad condition. Very few speak English. We often have to spend time combating malnutrition and ill health. After a few months, the children show more resilience and adapt to life well, settling down to their studies



When our children leave school they are given the opportunity to pursue further studies with which we endeavour to support them as much as possible. However, these courses are very costly! At the moment we have children, now young men and women, studying

nursing, engineering and commerce. One of our girls has completed her studies and is working for the Indian Government; hopefully the first of many children to feel the benefit of the support we give.

ORPHANAGE BUILDING

The building at Arpakkam constructed by Valayadi construction was completed in August 2010 and the children at Chinna Kancheepuram were shifted to the Centre at Arpakkam.

The building is 8000 sq.ft with 6 dormitories and two rooms, 8 toilets and 8 bath rooms.

EDUCATION

Education is one of the primary goals of the Love care Center. Therefore, the Center insists that every child should be provided with a firm education and to ensure that their future is assured with a vocation of their choice and satisfied living.

Education is the most valuable asset that we give to the children. When children started arriving at the center, they were absolutely raw and did not have sufficient exposure to education. Therefore the Management decided to provide basic education with learned teachers at the Center, so they could be brought in level with educational standards provided by the State Government.

EDUCATION:

Grace Carmel Primary & Nursery School was started in its own premises on 15th June 2009, with 85 children from LKG to 5th Grade. The medium of instruction is English and the Matriculation Board syllabus is followed. In the year 2009, we have upgraded the school to 5^h Grade.

Grace Carmel Primary & Nursery School

The purpose behind our starting of this Grace Carmel School in the year 2009 at Kancheepuram was to provide education of a good standard exclusively to the children of Love Care Centre.

In the month September 2010, the Love Care Centre was shifted to Arpakkam, Kancheepuram Dist. The school was running at Chetty Street, Kancheepuram was also shifted to Arpakkam. Till April 11, GCS was running for Love Care Center children.

After shifting, the goal of the management was not only to provide education of a good standard to the inmates of the LCC but also to afford equal education to the children dwelling around this village Arpakkam with affordable fees as a gesture of noble service for the upliftment of the society.

EDUCOM – SMART CLASS

To improve the education and the knowledge school has introduced Educom - Smart Class. Students were able to comprehend & learn new things through hearing and seeing.

There are 20 teachers with highly qualified who have completed B.Ed., (M.Sc)Maths , M.Phil, & D.T.Ed.



To improve the standard of education the school has introduced Educom, (Smart Class). Students were able to learn the new things through videos.

Educom is simplest, fastest and easiest way to teach with illustrations. The children will make it easier for them to understand and involve in their lessons better.

We are happy to inform the Mr V.S Ramana, Head Corporate Communications - from L&T who has been such a great support a to LCC , donated EDUCOM – SMART CLASS.

Special Thanks to Mr Vivek Norman, MD, Netzsch Technologies India Pvt Ltd, for providing special dresses and food for the children for New Year 2015.

Christmas day was celebrated on 20th of December, and the Chief Guest was Pas Joe, Korean Pastor. The Love Care Center children and the Grace Carmel School children received Christmas Gifts from Santa Claus

After the construction of the school building there was no Electricity, as we were not able to fix the Electricity board, wire and switches to get the current. We thank Pas Sunghak Joo, Korean Pastor who was kind enough to sponsor for the Electricity of the school.



On the Eve of Christmas, we had Camp fire with Carol singing along with games, dance and fire Crackers .The children were so thrilled as they celebrated Christ's Birth. New Dress were distributed to the children.

CHRISTMAS CAROLS BY LCC CHILDREN

Children were invited to the **Christmas Carnival- Kris Kringle held at ST EBBAS**

Higher Sec. School, Chennai. Mr Bruce was kind enough to keep the children in his Residence for 2 days and provided delicious food for them. LCC children sang carols on both the days at the Carnival. Kris Kringle was organized by Mr Kumar Asirvatham, Managing Director of FLY ALBATROSS TRAVEL & TOURS LVT LTD, Chennai, Thanks to Mr Kumar Asirvatham and Mrs Pricilla Asirvatham for organizing this.



Special thanks to PRAYAS, of L&T – Ladies Social Welfare Association) for coming to the center. We are so privileged to have you all support us.



Communications and the HR Team.

MEDICAL CAMP

We are so thankful to L&T who had organized a Medical camp for all the LCC and Grace Carmel School Children. General Check up and eye check was done for every staff- Teaching staff & non Teaching staff by Specialist of Kaveri Hospitals (Heart specialist, Bone Specialist & Eye specialists) We are thankful to Mr Ramana, Head Corporate

Canteen Day:

On 25th of January 2015 we had Canteen Day, the teachers brought various eatables and sold to the students for a very minimum cost. From that income pencil boxes were bought and distributed to the Government school children.



SPORTS DAY:



The Sports Day of Grace Carmel was conducted on 26th January, 2015. It was our pleasure to have Mr. K.R. Moses, Managing Director of Allison Transmission India Pvt Ltd, Oragadam, Kancheepuram Dist to hoist the National flag on the Republic day and declare open the Sports day by lighting the Torch. We also thank Mr. Guru

and Mr. Vignesh from Allison Transmission who also participated with such enthusiasm.

GOSPEL TEAM

It is our pleasure to have the Gospel Team - Bridge of Love headed by Mrs Lisa Yow to come to Love Care Center to teach new action songs, perform skits & puppet leaving an impact on the children.

We are thankful to Mrs Lisa Yow from Bridge of Love, for donating School bags for the children.



5TH ANNUAL DAY:



Mr Bruce Schwack, Managing Director of B&A Digi Tactical Pvt Ltd, was kind enough to accept our invitation to be Chief Guest to participate the 5th Annual day celebration on March 26th 2015. Gifts were distributed to the 1st and 2nd Rank Holders. Prizes were also awarded to the children who took part in various competition like English & Tamil Elocution, singing, Essay writing Fancy Dress and Drawing.

The children are very enthusiastic, energetic and taken up their subjects very sincerely and enjoy the Physical Education under the coaching of our Educated and Trained teachers.

WRITTEN COMPETITION

Different competitions like Elocution, Essay writing, drawing, painting, fancy dress, singing, dancing, memory verses, reciting Thirukural were conducted. The children took part with enthusiasm on November 2013. Special gifts were distributed to encourage the winners.



TEACHERS DAY & CHILDREN'S DAY

On 5th September 2015 the school celebrated the Teachers Day. The Management distributed gifts to the teachers in gratitude to their service.



Children's Day was celebrated with much joy on Nov 14th at Grace Carmel School. The teachers sponsored a special delicious lunch for the students.

Members who Celebrated their Birthdays

We thank every person who celebrated their special day with the Love Care Centre children. A special thanks to:

- Mrs Saro Prabhakar celebrates her Sons,

Daughter-in-laws and grand children Birthdays by donating delicious lunch for the children every month.

- Mr Kripesh Krishnadoss celebrates his birthday by donating lunch as well as full provision for Love Care Center.
- Students from Meenakshi Medical College celebrates their Birthdays by giving dinner for the children





- Students from Hindustan College came to Love Care Center to show the Love of Christ headed by Mr Ashwin Sunderraj
- Sarah who came along with Ashwin Sunderraj from Hindustan College was touched by the Love shown by the children, she brought her parents. Sarah's mother Mrs Sumo taught the children some songs and games to the children.

- Sarah from Hindustan Engg College introduced youth of St Mary's Orthodox Syrian Church, who came and sponsored lunch and also gifted Pen Pouch, note books and Bible Verse wall hanger to every child.
- The following well wishers are sponsoring some of the Love Care Center children. Thank you so much for your support and able to carry these children in their education.



- Mr Mohan , from Malaysia supporting 4 gypsy children.
- Mr Anand Rajan supporting one child Sumitha
- Mr Ernest Sunder supporting a child
- Mrs Hema Paul Bedford supporting a child.

We are thankful to Dr Murali Krishnan for his periodical visit to check the children;s health and the free medical care and medicine.

Thankful to Mr Pal, Customs officer, Chennai and his wife for the generosity of providing provision twice a year.

Thankful to Mr Chandra Mohan, S,I, from the village Magaral, Kancheepuram for his concern and love for the children by providing 5 bags of Rice, every month.

Mr Shivakumar and his wife Malarvizhi invited all the Love Care Center children for their wedding on 5th February 2015.

Love Care Centre Children are from Tamil Nadu, Orissa, Manipur. From Tamil Nadu children are Narikuravar (Travelers) , Street dancers, and orphans. Though they are from different categories, still they are united together and trying to learn and speak English.



CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS – IN 2015



First we like to thank everyone for donating to get new cloths to make the LCC children happy on this special Christmas celebration.



Special Thanks to:

- We are thankful to the Trustees of Cherish India, UK for the Love and Concern to the children, for sending Sponsorship funds for the Love Care Center children. With the sponsorship money, we were able to get provisions, Rice, vegetables and pay the Electricity Bill, pay the salary to the workers. Thank you Lynn, Maggie, and other Trustees.
- Thanks to Mr Trevor and Anna Trevor, USA for raising money for the LCC children, for paying the School Fees for the Bigger children from class 8th to 12th and for the Colleges.
- Thanks to Weikbe and Hubert to buy special rice for the children.
- .Bruce Schwack, Managing Director of B&A Digitactical Ltd, Chennai who donated new clothes for the children.
- The Jesus Calls, Chennai, for donating new cloths for the children.
- Mrs Lisa Yow, from Bridge of Love, Chennai, for donating Schools bags for the children

Children were thrilled to receive the new dresses for Christmas which lit up every one of their beautiful faces with a glowing smile.

Special Thanks to Mr Crossby Vijayakumar, Head of Political Science from Madras Christian College for bringing Christmas celebration at LCC on 13.12.2014. Thank you for bringing the joy of Christmas to the children. Thank you all for the Christmas gifts to the children

PICNIC TO MGM



Every year we take the children for an outing , this year we took the LKG and UKG children to Vandalur Zoo and to MGM ,Kishkinda, an Amusement park. The children enjoyed going in different games and enjoyed various special waterfalls.

CCTV FOR LOVE CARE CENTER

As Love Care Center is charitable organization having 130 children as inmates, the management has to overlook the incoming and outgoing people in the premises. The Social Welfare Department and Child Welfare Committee insisted on CCTV to watch the movement of the people in and out of the centre. We were able to fix 8 CCTV around the campus.



We are thankful and grateful to Dr Smita and Dr Devinder Raju for installing CCTV at the Center.



Visit of Dr VIJAY PRABHAKAR

The children were so happy and excited to have Dr Vijay Prabhakar, USA and Dr Myil Vaganan visit them. Dr Vijay was kind enough to supply lunch and Ice Cream for the children which is their all time favorite.

During the flood in November 2015, Dr Myil Vaganan with his family and the youth supplied important medicines, like Paracetamol , Amoxilin , cough mixture etc , and Rice bags, dhal, bedsheets and some provisions for the Love Care Center. It was timely help during the rainy season.



Mrs Kavitha Jayaseelan and her friends collected mats, medicines, bed sheets and Rice bags for the children.



During Christmas 2015 New Dresses was provided to all the children

CHILDREN'S ACHIEVEMENT

- Thompson from Love Care Center won Gold Medal in JUDO (Kungfu) in District level and Silver medal in State level at Karaikudi.
- Revathi is from Love Care Center finished her Nursing course at Kalyani Hospital, Chennai and now working as a full time Nurse at Global Hospital. She is a hard worker. Revathi is selected as thoughtful, skilled and vigilant Nurse of the month. God Bless her work. Congrates Ravathi.



L&T on 12th March 2016

We are thankful to L&T for making 200 benches and Tables for the Grace Carmel School. We are thankful to Mr Ramana, Head Corporate & Communications of L&T and the HR Team.



Praise God for the excellent results our children at Love Care Centre have scored in their Xth std exams

1. Ryan Jena, Babu ,Timothy , Dharmendra, Thulasi, Rohini, Soudamini studied in Matriculation and scored above 450 out of 500
2. Arjun, Ranjith, Saranya and Roja scored above 400 marks



Thank you all for your support and prayers. Ps keep these children in prayer

New year celebration on 10th January at St. MARY's orthodox Syrian Church @ Injambakkam, Chennai . Thanks to Cor Episcopa Father George Verghese for inviting the Love Care Center children and presenting special gifts. We were blessed





India Campus Crusade for Christ had Summer for the year 2016 at Love Care Center. 30 students and staff headed by Mr Verghese Paul, They enjoyed the stay and dedicated themselves for the Missionary work

Love Care Center took a small part in providing Cloths, Tamarind Rice, Vadai and Idli to people stayed in Kalyana Mandapams during flooding time



Education. They are encouraged to study professional courses of their preference until they attain degree level of study or University level of study.

- ❖ David - after completing Technical course working in Apollo Health Care.
- ❖ Thailu completed B.Com and took a Banking course now he is working in ICICI bank
- ❖ Kailuni finished B.Sc Philosophy, and MBA now he is working in HONDA CO. in Delhi
- ❖ Sanga - finished her hotel Management and working in a Hotel at Delhi
- ❖ Gowthami finished her ECE and working in a reputed company.
- ❖ Kanchana finished her B.Sc (Bio Chemistry)
- ❖ Kavitha will complete M.Sc (bio-chemistry) this year
- ❖ Rohit and Jeeban doing their 3rd year in BBA
- ❖ Upendra finished his BBA at Shankara Arts and Science College and doing his MBA
- ❖ Suibi, Benjamin, Rojan completed their Graduation working in different companies.
- ❖ Suibi is working in ITC Grand Chola, Guindy.
- ❖ Shanker, has taken Mechanical Engg at Vellore
- ❖ Daisy doing Air Hostess & Hotel Management at Chennai and Doing BBA Correspondence course
- ❖ Samuel is in the 3rd year doing B.Sc

NEW CHURCH AT LCC CAMPUS:

By Gods Grace Love Care Centre has been blessed with a beautiful Church .We were longing and praying for a Church building in our premises .We are ever so grateful Late **Mrs Kamala Thambusamy and family** who donated and saw to every detailing of the church construction including the interiors.

We are thankful to Mr Hiram Thambusamy for inspecting the church construction at every step till completion. We are thankful for his effort to fulfill Mrs Kamala Thambusamy's Vision. The Church Building was dedicated in Memory of George Michelle Thambusamy.



The foundation was laid in Feb 2015 and construction completed in Sept 2015.

It was such a pleasure to have the entire Thambusamy family to be with us as the Church was dedicated on 10th of Oct 2015.

The Church has been such a blessing and has been open to all. Regular Worship & prayers with Sunday Services are happening. All Glory and Praise to God.