

Deserving school students appeared for the scholarship test

Nishkam conducted a scholarship test for class VIII-XII students. The test was held in Sukho Khalsa Senior Secondary School- Tilak Nagar on 19th November and at S.G.N.P. Girls Sr. Sec. School- Shahbad Markanda (Haryana) on 29th November. 324 candidates appeared for the test. A scholarship of up to Rs. 6000 has been given to the students to support the expenses. Likewise, every year The Relief Committee of Greater New York (USA) and Nishkam under its Perpetual Scholarship scheme "Master Harbans Singh Memorial Scholarships" jointly provide scholarships for students from underprivileged families.



Students writing their luck

Celebrating the teachings of Guru Nanak

On 25th Nov., Nishkam Tuition Centre celebrated the Parkash Purab with utter passion. An awareness film on Guru Nanak's teaching was shown to the students. Students enjoyed watching this movie. Langar(milk) was served to all. Later on, on the eve of Guru Nanak's Birthday (27 Nov), Nishkam put up a stall at Gurdwara Rakab Ganj Sahib. Many people showed interest and became aware of the involvement of Nishkam in social welfare. Nishkam sewadars enlightened the Sangat with the exceptional performance that Nishkam has been doing in transforming lives since 1984. People felt amazed to see the performance of welfare initiatives changing lives in plight.



Presentation on Guru Granth Sahib

On 17th Nov. a slide show presentation on Modern Science and Guru Granth Sahib Ji was exhibited. Guru Nanak undertook journeys to bring in change and moved from place to place enlightening the people about the truth of life and ultimate reality. His approach to the study of the universe was analytical, systematic and scientific and his propagation of scientific truth was realistic and humane. We are thankful to both organizations (Rang Kartar De and Being Khalsa) for creating awareness through such an initiative.

Outreaching the deserving beneficiaries

On a mission of reaching the neighbourhoods, Nishkam initiated to propagate the various welfare schemes and showcasing the performance in the local Gurdwaras across Delhi. Nishkam sewadars share the selfless mission with the community and ask to join. The local sangat and gurdwara management committees felt overwhelmed and showed a positive gesture. In the fast-paced world, many in need are not even aware and finding the solutions to their problems, this outreach initiative plays a vital role in providing solutions to the needy and reviving the presence of Nishkam.



Scholarship Success Story

For Gauravdeep, life changed because of SHDF Scholarships. His father was missing when he was just 5 years old, and his mother, a homemaker took the responsibility to look after Gauravdeep and the household. Life took a tragic turn in their lives in an unfortunate way. His father was running a transport business in Amritsar, owning two trucks. He went missing one day while travelling towards Rajasthan and never came back to his family. They tried to trace him out but all went in vain.

The family of 5 included Gauravdeep who was merely 5 years old and his younger brother was just one year old and his sister was around 7 years old. In the absence of the father who's the sole

breadwinner of the family, his mother took a chance to join Akal Academy, Baru Sahib.

The Akal Academy provided shelter, and resources and offered a school to study for the family but limitations have their own challenges. After facing his struggling school years, Gauravdeep opted for pursuing Engineering in Computer Sciences but having limited financial support he's depending on scholarships. It all changed when his mother came across an official at Baru Sahib who asked them about SHDF Scholarships given through Nishkam.

He wrote to the council and ever since then, he received the scholarship after passing through the process. Financial problems never affected his studies thereafter and his family didn't have to worry about expenses again.

Gauravdeep currently works as a Senior Software Engineer for Agilent Technologies, Gurugram, a USA-based Tech. firm for the last four years. He has worked with On Demand Agility Solutions as a Software Engineer for almost 4 years and got a lucky break as a placement with Wipro for 4 months, so in total, he has 8 years of professional experience.

"SHDF has helped my family and I could get through some tough times in life. The most fulfilling achievement for me is the fact that I can support my family and our lives have improved a lot now. I have a successful career and a happy family now just because of SHDF and Nishkam's support." -Gauravdeep shared.



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Agilent Technologies



"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams." – Eleanor Roosevelt

Visit for Sikligars



Nishkam team visited Kharkhoda, Sonipat (Haryana) on frequent trips to meet Sikligar students, school teachers and their parents. They counselled the students being supported by Nishkam and emphasized the importance of education for them. During their interactions with the parents, they urged them to encourage their children to be regular in going to school and after-school tuition classes. Nishkam has been supporting these children and regularly checking their attendance and academic performance in the academics. Nishkam Sewadars frequently undertake such trips to their bastis and try to coordinate with families and beneficiaries throughout India.

Bringing warmth to the elderly on Diwali



What is Diwali for abandoned deprived senior citizens residing in old-age homes? A smile and joy from various generous hearts keep the momentum of hopes and brightness alive within humanity visible across MGSN. They tried to bring some cheer to their faces by gifting them some warmth with blankets, quilts and lohis. For each one of us, joy and goodness are a personal agenda and we feel thankful for every gesture while receiving the goodies as a Diwali gift in crossing boundaries for their happiness.

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