

Minutes of the Meeting held on December 3rd, 2020.

Time: 7:30 pm

Members Present: 49

A R K Rao	Anshul Kumar	Ayush Kumar
B M Patnaik	Bala Gangadhar Mantri	Chandra Sekhar Kuppili.
Chandra Babu JV	Chowdhary Prasad	Dharmendra Patnaik
Gaurang Behara	Goutami Mantri	Govinda Rao Dabbiru
Jagadish Prasad Mantri	Lata Karakavalasa/Kuppili	Keerti Patnaik
Krishna Rao	Krishna Rao Dabbiru	Maheshwar Nagumantri
Malleswara Rao Baliwada	Murali R J	Nagesh Kumar
Naraharinath Sekharamantri	Narasimha Rao Mantri	Narsimhamurty Mantri
Naresh KP Dasimantri	Naresh Patnaik	Navaneetam Karakavalasa
Prabhavati Mantri	Pratapraj Tamirsi	Prasada Rao N
Rajasekhar Prasad Manipatruni	Rajasekhar Mantri	Ravi Karakavalasa
Rishab Mantri	Rishika K	Satya Rao B
Sreeharsha Dabbitu	Sridhar Avilala	Srinivasa Lumburu
SR Murty Patnaik Karakavalasa	Suresh Kumar D	Suryamani Patnaik
Swarajya Lakshmi Patnaik	Uday Ch	Vani Dadhirao
Venugopal Kspa	Vikas Naupada	Yedukondalu K
ZPHS Rampalli		

Points Covered

- It was noted that members of our community from different states participated in this meeting:
 - Telangana – 25
 - Andhra Pradesh – 9

- Chhattisgarh – 2
 - West Bengal – 2
 - Uganda - 2
 - Odisha – 1
 - Karnataka – 1
 - Unidentified – 7
- It was also noted that among the participants were 6 youngsters who took an active part in the inaugural Skills Development session.

MAIN NOTES

Sistakaranam Ikyavedika digital team called for a special online event for launching of its first ever Pan-India Digital Newsletter, namely “**Sistakaranam Lekha**” in English and Telugu. The event was held on 3rd December, 2020 at 7.30 p.m. There was a huge response across the country and the event was witnessed many enthusiastic well-wishers. Chowdhary Prasad, AIPSKA, Dabbiru Krishna Rao, SWA, ARK Rao, SWA, Dabbiru Govinda Rao, Kalam Snehitulu, Mantri Narasimha Murthy, Vizag Association spoke few words conveying best wishes for Lekha on behalf of their Associations. Majority of members present in the meeting had also wished for taking the newsletter to new heights.

The event was started with introductions of various members. When the arms of the clock was ticking 8 p.m., the Hon’ble Chief Guest, Shri Mantri Rajasekhar had declared the newsletter “Sistakaranam Lekha” as launched officially.

The name of the Chief Guest was not mentioned in any invitation communications. The name of the Chief Guest was announced when he joined in the meeting at 7.50 p.m. Then all the members had welcomed Mantri Rajasekhar warmly. Initiating the launching activity, Mantri Narasimha Rao had extended benevolent welcome and narrated the house that Shri Mantri Rajasekhar was given his consent instantly to launch the newsletter as it is an exclusive diamond for the Sistakaranam Community across the globe. Then Mantri Narasimha Rao introduced the chief guest the house. He revealed to the house in introduction that it was Mantri Rajasekhar could make Sistakaranam community appear in BC list under Group ‘D’ by hitting bulls’ eye, the then Chief Minister, Hon’ble late Dr.Y.S. Rajasekhara Reddy just few minutes before the passing of BC categorization bill. It was narrated as how the name of Mantri Rajasekhar has become a house-hold name of all Vizagites apart from Sistakaranams. He has been elected Employees Secretary of Visakha Steel Plant representing 17 thousand plus employees. Mantri Rajasekhar visited many countries as the Secretary of International Metal Federation. He is visiting INTUC chief person to many public sector companies in the welfare of employees. Speaking on the occasion, Mantri Rajasekhar at the outset conveyed for thanks for inviting

him to this auspicious event and then declared the newsletter, Lekha as launched. He wished for the glory of Lekha and assured to support to it as and when necessary. He also wished for the success of the event. After the launch of the newsletter LEKHA, Narasimha Rao conveyed thanks to Mantri Rajasekhar for accepting the invitation and launching the newsletter in spite of his busy schedule.

Sekharamantri Naraharinath then played video recordings received from well-wishers across the globe conveying wishes to Lekha and its team. He also showed glimpses of all pages to the house explaining what are the pages contemplated in general even for future issues. Narahari also explained the efforts of the team and the cooperation extended by other members in bringing the newsletter. He recalled the contribution made by Kharagpur members, especially by Mantri Bala Gangadhar in bringing out a special addition on completion of 100 years of Kharagpur Sistakaranam Associations, namely "Sistakarna Samajam" and "Utkal Sistakarana Samajam". While this program was going on, the digital team circulated both versions of Lekha to all whatsapp groups. After this, the moved to the next schedule program on "Effective Communication Skills".

Initially Ravi Karakavalasa introduced the Trainer, Shri Naresh Patnaik to the house. Naresh Patnaik, popularly known as 'NP' is a Certified Leadership and Soft Skills Master Trainer and worked for MNCs like The Oberoi, HSBC, TATA etc. NP had imparted training to 1000 plus trainers across India with Employability and Entrepreneurship Skills. A postgraduate in English from ANU. He achieved numerous awards in his journey. With these few words of introduction, Ravi handed over the house to Naresh Patnaik.

At the outset, Naresh Patnaik conveyed his thanks for providing the opportunity to interact with the community of people across the country. The session moved around the importance of communication skills to become successful in employment, job performance and in business. At this point of time, Pratap Raj Tamirsi voiced loud emotionally and stressed the importance of education for a happy life. Narasimha Rao stated his opinion that education makes eligibility and skills bring selections. Agreeing to this, Naresh Patnaik continued his session. At one stage, Narasimha Rao pointed out that the house had only parents in spite of communication that the session was for youth appearing for interviews. Naresh Patnaik then effectively utilized the opportunity stating that the influencers were important and hence continued his session. At the end of the sessions, children/job seekers started interacting with Naresh Patnaik. Bala Gangadhar suggested to establish separate channels for children of different age groups so that their interaction among themselves would generate their needs. Baliwada Malleswara Rao emphasized taking up of skill development programs in technical/software and to integrate these personality development programs. Naresh Patnaik expressed his willingness for share his skills to the Sistakaranam families.

Narasimha Rao concluding the meeting conveyed heartfelt thanks to all the participants for making the event successful.

Action Items from the Meeting

<i>From Current Meeting</i>			
Broad Initiative	Action proposed	Member Responsible	Approximate E.T.A
Skills Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Youngsters present in the meeting to help reach out to more youngsters in the community. A separate WhatsApp group to be created for participants of Skills Development programs 	Narasimha Rao Mantri	Sat, Dec 12, 2020
<i>Carried forward from previous Minutes of Meeting</i>			
Broad Initiative	Action proposed	Member Responsible	Approximate E.T.A
Facebook Page	Look into the aspects of creating the page, and update the house in the next meeting.	Rajesh Kumar / Naraharinath	Sat, Dec 5, 2020
Website	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exploring what it will take to implement the website. Tentative Project Plan. 	Naraharinath Sekharamantri	Sat, Dec 5, 2020
Newsletter	Presenting the “Correspondents” team to larger audience	Naraharinath Sekharamantri	Sat, Dec 5, 2020
Member Data Collection	Formal Launching of the Form	Ravi Karakavalasa	Sat, Dec 12, 2020

Vivaha Vedika	Work on the details , and update the house in the next meeting.	Naresh Dashimantri	Sat, Dec 12, 2020
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Meeting ended at 10:20 p.m.