

# VELEMEGNA NEWS LETTER

## JULY - SEPTEMBER 2012 ISSUE

Greetings in the precious name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. In our journey of life without His mercies we are consumed (Lam 3:22)

**FAMILY NEWS:** By God's grace both Vineet (1<sup>st</sup> PUC) and Khushi (3<sup>rd</sup> Std) are studying well

### HOSPITAL NEWS:

We celebrated our 66<sup>th</sup> Independence Day on 15<sup>th</sup> Aug'2012. We had the closing ceremony of our 16<sup>th</sup> Hamara Bandhan eye camps on the same day. We successfully did 100 cataract surgeries for HB in this last camps held in Bhalki, Chillargi, and Changlera in Aug 2012.

We also successfully completed 400 cataract surgeries for Helpage India in July 2012.



Hamara Bandhan Closing Ceremon Aug'2012

We are in process of computerization of all the departments of the hospital, in order to have Electronic Medical Records (EMR)

We sent our staff for training in Medical records, OT techniques and Infection control in Aug & Sep'2012.



Seemran before Surgery

Seemran's happy face after Surgery

### STATISTICS FOR THE MONTHS OF JULY - SEP' 2012

Month	No. of patients seen in our OPD	No. Surgeries Done	
		Free	Paying
Jul'12	1571	130	88
Aug'12	1436	120	71
Sep'12	1175	66	48

### OTHER NEWS:

Rhona and Callum visited us from Scotland in June 2012. We acquired a New Infiniti (Alcon) Phaco machine for the hospital.

We send Swetha for 1 year vision technician course at LVPEI Hyderabad in Aug'2012.



I attended the 9<sup>th</sup> GA IAPB conference at Hyderabad in Sep'2012 along with my staff Sheeba & Elizabeth.

OEU from Hyderabad conducted the IIInd phase training for our OEU field staff in Aug'2012.



Dr Sybil, Mrs.Elizabeth & Ms. Sheeba at the IAPB 9th General Assembly (9GA) at Hyderabad in Sep'2012

### BARIDABAD AND CHATNALLI NEWS:

We had good rains this year. We were able to harvest ginger and Jowar. In Aug'12 Canara Bank manager distributed bed sheets to our residents of NJLC, Chatnalli.

The same day all of our Velemegna staff planted 50 fruits bearing trees in NJLC Chatnalli.



### NAVJEEVAN CHILDREN'S HOME:

We now have 25 children in our Children home. All are keeping good health and are doing well in studies. In Sep'2012 we conducted a Bible quiz competition for the children

### PRAYER POINTS:-

#### PRAISE:

- for New Alcon Phaco Infiniti machine
- For Completion of 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor roof
- For Good rains,
- for new website ([www.velemegna.org](http://www.velemegna.org))

#### PRAYER REQUESTS:

- for the Welfare of all staff
- for Vineet, Khushi and our hostel children's education.
- For Gods provision for all needs of Velemegna
- For New land allotment and procurement.

In closing I wish you happiness and health. I thank you for your gifts, love, prayers and support

May God Bless you abundantly

-- Dr. Sybil Meshramkar.

**SPECIAL STORY:** 15year old Md. Isamuddin got electrical burns when he accidentally held a live wire. He developed B/L cataracts as a result of the electric burns. His family spent a lot of money to save his life from the burns and had no money left to treat his blinding cataracts. So with help of "Help Me See" we were able to restore the vision in his both eyes in Sep'2012. He now has gone to have further surgeries for burns contractures. Both he and his family are grateful to Help Me See ([www.helpmesee.org](http://www.helpmesee.org))



Md. Isamuddin before Surgery

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