



mudita

Registration Number: F-27612



mudita

Quarterly Newsletter: 1-2019

I love drawing and I want to take it up when I go to school... I feel happy to come here at Mudita School children camp, especially to learn about drawing... I love the children camp. The activities are filled with funs and joy, just like Mudita means Pure Joy. Says, Rohini 5 years tribal girl, living in a jungle where she has no access school to unlock their imagination and potential.



**Cover Photo by Bharat Wankhade. This photograph titled 'A hope for beautiful life'**

## **Contents**

- **Founder Message:**
- **The Events:**
- **In the Media:**
- **Contact Us:**



## FOUNDER MESSAGE

We are passing through exhilarating times, and India's economy booming. India is now the world's sixth largest economy and has seen a major transformation in many parts of the country. And yet- despite these great achievements the glory of India is deeply uncertain. Even today in 2019 caste discrimination remain a monstrous, dehumanizing force that limits the life opportunities of millions of Dalit and Tribal children. Over 200 million people in India still suffer the social exclusion and stigma of being as a Dalit and Tribal. They are routinely denied access to education, food and the possibility of a dignified existence. Dalit and Tribal children are forced to drop out before finishing primary school, while the girl suffers the double discrimination of gender and caste.

Life for low-caste villagers in rural India is a vicious cycle of oppression, kept in motion by illiteracy and lack of opportunity. Many of our children would have been destined to follow in their parents' footsteps. Mudita School empowers children from India's lowest socioeconomic class to break the cycle of generational poverty and caste discrimination through education, leadership, and compassion.

Mudita works to uplift and educates India's most deprived and poor children from extreme poverty and historic prejudice of Caste. What we do at Mudita is a dignity all of our Children. We strongly believe that sustainability can only be achieved through equality and justice. Equality between Girls and Boys. Equality of rights, opportunities, and freedom.

Yours  
**Bharat Wankhade**  
Founder  
Mudita



# Events

## Girls Matter- Educating the girl child.

The saying goes 'Educate a woman, and you educate a family,' and it couldn't be truer. In a country slowly coming out of the grips of social evils like dowry, child marriage, female foeticide, and continuing to grapple with serious issues like gender inequality, the safety of women and rape. Mudita organised a children camp to stress upon how vital it is to educate our country's girls. These precious daughters are often the ones whose education is neglected due to discrimination of gender and caste. Many were taken out of school early to be sold into marriage to rid the family burden or helping out at home and taking care of their younger siblings.

The children had some much-needed fun and played games together throughout the day during camp. Mudita conducted the activities with the intention to enhance their ability to perform in a group, perform as a group, helping each other and boost their confidence to overcome the inferiority complex of being born a girl. The camp was a unique blend of fun activities and learning for the girls.



## Art competition to express hidden talent



Mudita organised "Art and Smile", activity for the underprivileged children from Dalit and Tribal community at Rajura, in Amravati district. The activity aimed at empowering children by raising awareness about education in rural India.

## Taste of Hope and Joy



Mudita launched its pilot project "Mission Education" focuses on the holistic development of children beyond just classroom learning and helps discover and nurture their hidden talents. This becomes very significant for these children who are unable to get a conducive environment at home, with their parents struggling to meet everyday needs.

# In the news

## पारधी समाजातील मुला-मुलींकरिता आनंद शिबिर

अमरावती (प्रतिनिधी): मुद्रिता शाळेच्या वतीने २४ मार्च रोजी पारधी समाजातील मुला-मुलींकरिता एक दिवसीय आनंद शिबिर शहरातील राजपुरा येथे आयोजित करण्यात आले होते. यावेळी समाजातील कुलपुरुषांच्या कल्पकतेने व त्यांच्या कलागुणांच्या वाव मिळाल्या व दृष्टीकोनातून विविध बौद्धिक तंत्रेच कलात्मक स्वरूपात प्रेक्षकांच्या होत्या. अज्ञान व अस्वच्छता यामुळे विविध होणारे अनेक प्रश्न आणि शिक्षण व रोजगारासाठी कोसो दूर असणाऱ्या समाजातील मुला-मुलींना शिक्षणाच्या प्रवाहात आणण्याची काळजी आनंद शिबिरात आणून त्यांचा विकास होऊ शकतो असे प्रत्येकाला दिसून येऊ शकते. आज पारधी समाजातील मुला-मुलींचा



मुद्रिता शाळेचा उपक्रम

## मुद्रिता शाळेच्या वतीने पारधी समाजातील मुला-मुलींकरिता शिबिर



अमरावती (प्रतिनिधी): मुद्रिता शाळेच्या वतीने मागासवर्गीय पारधी मुला-मुलींकरिता एक दिवसीय आनंद शिबिर नांदगाव खेडेश्वर तालुक्यातील मंगरुळ बसठोक येथे आयोजित करण्यात आले होते. अंधश्रद्धा, अज्ञान यामुळे निर्माण होणारे प्रश्न, शिक्षण आणि रोजगारासाठी कोसो दूर असणाऱ्या या समाजातील मुला-मुलींचा मुख्य प्रवाहात आणण्याची काळजी मुद्रिता शाळा असल्याचे यावेळी व्यक्त करण्यात आले. छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराजांच्या कलागुणां व छत्रपती शाहू महाराजांनी श्रद्धा असाव्या या जगातील महत्त्वाचे स्थान दिले आहे. आज पारधी समाजातील मुला-मुलींचा समाजाला सामोरे जाण्यासाठी व शैक्षणिक प्रवाहातून दूर असणाऱ्या पारधी समाजातील मुला-मुलींचा मुख्य प्रवाहात आणण्याची काळजी तात्पर प्रदान करीत आहे, असेही मान्यवरांनी नमूद केले.

## मुद्रिता शाळेच्या वतीने एक दिवसीय शिबिर



(प्रतिनिधी): २५ विद्यार्थ्या, गायन इत्यादी मध्ये ०९९ रोजी मुद्रिता शाळेच्या वतीने पारधी मुला-मुलींकरिता एक दिवसीय शिबिर नांदगाव खेडेश्वर तालुक्यातील मंगरुळ बसठोक येथे आयोजित करण्यात आले होते. अज्ञान व अस्वच्छता यामुळे विविध होणारे अनेक प्रश्न आणि शिक्षण व रोजगारासाठी कोसो दूर असणाऱ्या समाजातील मुला-मुलींचा मुख्य प्रवाहात आणण्याची काळजी आनंद शिबिरात आणून त्यांचा विकास होऊ शकतो असे प्रत्येकाला दिसून येऊ शकते. आज पारधी समाजातील मुला-मुलींचा



## Contact Us:

The future is in your hands!

Find out more on [www.muditaschool.org](http://www.muditaschool.org)

**mudita**

Arusha Enclave Yogiraj Nagar Tapovan,  
Amravati University Road Amravati,  
Maharashtra:- 444605, India  
Phone No. +91-9421313406

**Web :** [www.muditaschool.org](http://www.muditaschool.org)

**Email :** [founder@muditaschool.org](mailto:founder@muditaschool.org)

[bpwankhade@gmail.com](mailto:bpwankhade@gmail.com)

Children we say are the future and the future of children right now is in your hands. Millions of children across India are missing out on education due to caste discrimination and chronic poverty. Your support can change this. Our commitment to empowers children from India's lowest socioeconomic class to break the cycle of generational poverty and caste discrimination through education, leadership, compassion and giving them an opportunity to be a child; to hope and dream. Give them a better future they deserve! The Future is in your hands! You can make a difference. Support mudita.