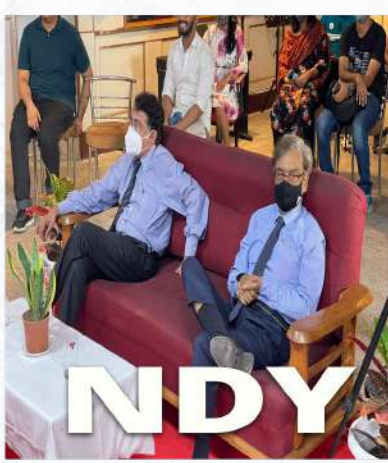




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GENERAL SECRETARY & CEO SPEAKS

Dear Members,

Greetings!

As Delhi and other states relax their coronavirus restrictions, it's back to business, but not business as usual. In fact, it is becoming all too clear that with the vaccination, the economy will bounce back but gradually. Amid the wave of reopening, many people remain wary with the concern that lifting restrictions will lead to additional infections.

With the virus far from vanquished, the reopening could prove to be a stop-and-start, two-steps-forward-one-step-back process especially at New Delhi YMCA Tourist Hostel, Greater Noida Programme Centre, Sat-Taal Campsite and Human Potential Development Programme. Though it is going to take time for the economy to recover, it gives a good feeling to see Tourist Hostel back with people; The Dining hall is a busy place, sounds of Piano-Drums-Guitar at School of Music, Fitness enthusiasts at the Gymnasium, men & women getting trained as Life Guards at the Swimming Pool, Sports people screaming on the Volleyball & Basketball Courts, Boys & Girls rushing to Education Centre for registering for academic programmes.

Keep the New Delhi YMCA in your Prayers as it resets.

Mark

SHD Department Conducts Critical Awareness Generation Programmes



The Department of Social and Human Development, organized Awareness Generation Programme on Precautions of Covid -19 and Importance of Vaccination at Community Development Centres Karpoori Thakur and Daya Basti, with an objective to create awareness about Prevention and Precaution for COVID-19, and also to create an awareness within the Community about the Importance of Vaccination and Healthy Diet.



The Community Development Centre - Savda Ghevra, organized an Awareness Generation Programme on Personal Hygiene and Sanitation with Adolescent Girls on 7th August 2021. The objective of this programme was to create awareness about health & hygiene and educate the Adolescent Girls on Importance of Personal hygiene. The session was conducted by Ms. Anjali Choudhary, Counselor, CDC Savda Ghevra and 17 students participated and benefited through the programme.



The Community Development Centres at Karpoori Thakur, Daya Basti and Sunlight Colony distributed Certificates of Diploma in Cutting & Tailoring issued by SINGER to the students who successfully completed their 6 Months Course in Diploma in Cutting & Tailoring.



FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

Dear Friends of Y,

Greetings in His Name!

When you show courage in the face of adversity, you change lives. Many times struggles help us to teach life lessons. The Covid-19 has just done that to us.

While New Delhi YMCA resumes its programmes and activities, the situation demands us to come out of our comfort zones. The organization has really taken care of everyone at Y during the past 16 months, now it is time for all to give back to it. It is time to ask what I can do for my organization. We need to quit settling for average and strive for the extraordinary. We need to believe in ourselves and take NDY forward.

When Covid was beating us down, we found new ways and worked around to get back up again.

I encourage the entire team of New Delhi YMCA to give your best and surely NDY will grow by leaps and bounds.

Thanks, Regards and God bless!

Jovial Vaghela



NDY-SHD organized an Awareness Generation Programme on "Menstruation Health and Hygiene" with Adolescent Girls and Women at Community Development Centres at Karpoori Thakur, Kalyanpuri and Sunlight Colony. The objective of the programme was to generate awareness among adolescent girls and women on Menstruation Hygiene and to explain and clarify the myths and misconception associated with the Menstruation Cycle and emphasize the Importance of "Regular Use of Sanitary Napkins"

The Community Development Centre at Kalyanpuri organized an Awareness Generation Programme on the "Importance of Online Education" on 4th August 2021. The objective of the programme was to motivate students for Online Classes in order to maintain continuity with the Academics. The session was conducted by Ms. Annu, Field Administrative Worker, CDC Kalyanpuri and 10 students participated and benefited through the Programme.



The Community Development Centre at Savda Ghevra organized an Awareness Generation Programme on the "Importance of Breast Feeding and Family Planning" with community women on 10th August 2021. The objective of the programme was to raise awareness on the importance of Breast Feeding and discuss various methods of Family Planning, in order to "Control the Population Growth". The session was conducted by Ms. Anjali Choudhary, Counselor, CDC Savda Ghevra and 11 women participated in the programme.

The Community Development Centre at Savda Ghevra also organized an Awareness Generation Programme on the "Importance of Nutrition for Good Health" on 17th August 2021. The objective of the programme was to provide knowledge about low cost Nutrition Diets and options of Food for Good health. The session was conducted by Ms. Anjali Choudhary, Counselor, CDC Savda Ghevra and 13 women participated in the programme.



The CDC at Karpoori Thakur organized an Awareness Generation Programme on "Seasonal Disease" highlighting Flu as a critical disease, with the youth, on 17th August 2021. The objective of the programme was to create awareness about Prevention of Seasonal Diseases. The session was conducted by Mr. Anoop Kumar, Field Supervisor, CDC Karpoori Thakur and 12 youth participated in the programme.

An Evening of Symphony & Harmony at Y School of Music



Music is a source of Happiness, Peace and Togetherness. The Y School of Music (YSM), an integral part of the Programme Cultural & Tribal Committee (PCTC) recently organized a wonderfully orchestrated event at the newly allotted YSM facility where Harmonic Symphonies created a mesmerizing evening of Musical Magic. The talented and dedicated students of YSM, under the leadership of their Coaches / Faculty displayed a variety of skills through individual and group presentations on the Piano, Guitars, Drums and Vocals. The Program was physically attended by 25+ participants at the YSM Hall which included the presence of Honorable NDY President Mr. Jovial Vaghela and Respected General Secretary & CEO Mr. Mark Clive. Using the attributes of Technology to our advantage, the YSM program was broadcasted over Zoom and Facebook Live and was witnessed and enjoyed by more than 250 participants Online. The initiative was highly appreciated by all in attendance and the students were filled with a sense of achievement and motivation with the praise and gratitude of the well-wishers.

Memorable Moment at Tourist Hostel

Guests and staff were equally delighted when Padma Shri Smt. Anuradha Paudwal, the renowned playback singer of the Indian Film Industry visited the New Delhi YMCA. She was delighted by the Hospitality and the Services offered by the Staff.



NDY-TH Heinz Auditorium is Back in Full Swing

NDY Tourist Hostel has restarted the hosting of "Wedding and Reception Ceremonies". Following strict Covid-19 protocols, the TH staff & team are serving the clients and guests with optimum services. The Wedding Arrangements and Hospitality Services are being highly appreciated by the Clientele.



Obituary

Rev. John Caleb, Member & Ex-Board Member of NDY passed away on 30th August 2021. May God grant peace to the bereaved family.

Mr. Alexander Khakha, elder brother of Dr. Cecil Christopher Khakha, Member, NDY, was promoted to the glory of the Lord on 23rd August 2021. May God grant peace to the bereaved family.