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Our Foundation's Growth & Impact

- **550 saplings** planted in a day in Hyderabad and Bangalore that enhanced the oxygen production by **64,900 kgs per year**. (approx.)
- **175000 milligrams of plastic** (approx.) usage reduced by making the bird feeder from waste coconut shells instead of using plastic bottles.
- Set to achieve a significant carbon offset of **260 tonnes** annually and generate **262,000 kWh of clean energy** each year through our Solar Blazer project in Telangana.
- **50 children** receive English and Computer lessons twice a week at the Sulochana Mansi Jajodia Youth of India Skill Centre.
- **125 children** provided with bags and stationary kits in the distribution drive.

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ISRO partners with Youth of India Foundation

Youth of India (YoI) MUN 2024

The Youth of India MUN Conference hosted distinguished guests like ISRO Chairperson Dr. S. Somanath, spiritual leaders Shri Bhavesh Yuj Ji and Smt. Parveen Sharma Ji, lawyer-politician Smt. Charu Pragya, SSB Inspector-General Shri Sudhir Kumar, singer Shivam Batra, Youth of India Foundation's Smt. Sulochana Mansi Jajodia, social activist Shri Ravindra Jain, SRM Estate Officer Shri Arunachalam R., Virina Foundation founder Smt. Upasana Singh, and DJ Sachin Lohar, among others.

Expert sessions featured Former Director, UNEP, Mr. Erik Solheim, G20 Sous Sherpa Shri Kiran DM, and cricketer Shri KS Bharat, offering delegates real-life insights to promote quality debate and holistic development.



Important Announcements

- The distribution of the largest number of sanitary pads to women, in collaboration with the Virina Foundation.
- Launch of a Youth of India Skill Centre in the heart of Chennai supported by SRM Chennai Estate Officer Shri Arunachalam R.
- An announcement by the ISRO Chairman that the first Indian National Space Day will be celebrated in collaboration with Youth of India Foundation.

Revival of the Indian Postal Services by Launching Youth of India Stamps and Stamp Books.



- 780 young people from 35 educational institutions participated.
- 20+ Orientations given to delegates before the conference.
- 50% of the YoIMUN Secretariat were women.
- The revival of cultural art, music, and heritage through Conference Stamps and Icons, featuring traditional dance, festivals, cultural symbols, and local artisan stalls practicing Block & Thread Art.
- The Foundation practiced and promoted sustainability by using recycled plastic bottles, creating files and folders from natural husk and waste cardboard, and providing 100% sustainable delegate kits.

APRIL - JUNE

ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED



Solar Blazer Project

The Youth of India Foundation, in partnership with Salesforce, has launched the Solar Blazer project in Jangoan district, Telangana, installing a 140kWh Solar P.V Plant. This initiative supplies reliable, eco-friendly electricity to the village, offsets 226 tonnes of carbon annually, and generates 262,000 kWh of clean energy. It supports India's goal of net-zero emissions by 2070 and promotes sustainability through green skills training for women and enhanced infrastructure resilience. The project aligns with multiple UN Sustainable Development Goals, including Affordable and Clean Energy (Goal 7), Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure (Goal 9), Clean Water and Sanitation (Goal 6), and Climate Action (Goal 13).

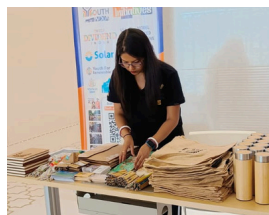
Feed the Birds campaign: Set in the New Chumta Tea Estate, is a youth-led initiative by the Youth of India Foundation that transforms coconut shells into bird feeders, promoting environmental stewardship, community engagement, and wildlife conservation.



YoIMUNited: An initiative taken for the first time in the history of MUN by the Youth of India Foundation, delegates themselves had the privilege of declaring the conference open, creating a unique and youth-centric platform. Hosted by Chief Advisor Satyam Singhal, YoIMUNited served as a pre-conference event with an Open Mic session showcasing a diverse range of poetry and emotions, the innovative MUNiverse card game, and the unveiling of the conference theme, "Embracing Heritage for the Future."



Inclusion day with Microsoft: On June 20th, the Youth of India Foundation set up stalls at Microsoft's Inclusion Day in Noida, featuring eco-friendly products made by marginalized and tribal women trained through the Foundation's workshops.



Bags and Stationary Kit Distribution Drive: The Youth of India Foundation, in collaboration with the Dwarika Group of Companies, under the guidance of Dr. Avijit Shevale successfully provided Educational Kits with school bags, notepads, stationery, and water bottles to students of New Chumta Prathmik Vidyalaya in West Bengal's Chumta Tea Estate.

On May 19th, ISRO Chairperson Dr. S. Somanath inaugurated the Sulochana Mansi Jajodia Youth of India Skill Centre in New Chumta. The Skill Centre's mission is to empower children by providing them with skills in English and Computer literacy, fostering their self-reliance.



Plantation Drive: On June 29, the Foundation executed a plantation drive in Bengaluru and Hyderabad resulting in the planting of over 550 saplings, aiming to create innovative green spaces in Indian cities.

Movie Screening: On June 17th, the Youth of India Foundation arranged a special movie screening of the film "Srikanth" for the Divyaang children.



Gratitude Day: On June 9, the Youth of India Foundation celebrated the 10th year anniversary with a live Instagram session featuring the Founder Shri. Sailesh Singhal.

FUTURE INITIATIVES



- In collaboration with **United Bharat Foundation (UBF)**, Youth of India Foundation will introduce Jan Poshan Aahar, an initiative aimed to offer free meals to marginalized families and patients' families in Government hospitals all across Siliguri.
- The Youth of India Foundation plans to conduct a **Plantation Drive in Jaipur** with the goal of planting about 250 saplings. This initiative aims to foster innovative green spaces within urban areas across India.



- Launch of the **Sulochana Mansi Jajodia Youth of India Skill Centre** at Kalamjote, West Bengal.



- In partnership with **Salesforce**, the Youth of India Foundation is set to introduce a pioneering Solar Blazer project in Jangaon, Telangana.

MOUs, Partners & Agreements



Volunteering Companies

