



Dear Oasis Family,

Greetings! As February unfolds, we are delighted to bring you the latest updates from Oasis India in our monthly newsletter. This month has been marked by three significant events.

We celebrated the International Day of Women and Girls in Science, acknowledging the invaluable contributions of women in the field.

Additionally, we observed the World Day of Social Justice, reaffirming our dedication to fostering a just and inclusive society.

One of the highlights of the month was a series of heartwarming graduation ceremonies across our projects. These joyous events marked the successful completion of various courses, including Tailoring, Computer, and Hair and Beauty. The achievements of our graduates reflect the transformative impact of our collective efforts in empowering women and children. Thank you for being an integral part of our journey towards a better world for all.

## A SPOTLIGHT ON THE MONTH'S TOP MOMENTS



*International Day of*  
**WOMEN AND GIRLS IN  
SCIENCE**







### International Day of Women and Girls in Science

On the International Day of Women and Girls in Science, Oasis India empowered our hair and beauty students at our Parlour in Naigaon with an insightful seminar.

We delved into the science behind hair highlights, addressing the meticulous process of working with chemicals.

Our skilled instructors guided the girls on the art of mixing the perfect quantity of hair blender powder with developer cream, ensuring that the natural color or henna tint remains intact. The seminar shed light on the transformative journey from bleached hair to vibrant shades emerging from the color tube.



The joyous feedback from those who had their hair colored echoed the success of the session. Not only did they leave with a stunning new look, but they also gained valuable insights into the fascinating world of hair coloring through chemicals.

Meanwhile our little talents at the ASP Centres had an enchanting day, expressing their dreams through vibrant drawings and paintings on International Day of Women and Girls in Science.







The Oasis Academy in Guwahati recently hosted an awe-inspiring science exhibition, showcasing the innovative prowess of its students. The event, held in the school's spacious campus, featured an array of exhibits that ranged from fascinating experiments to cutting-edge projects. Students from various grades enthusiastically participated, demonstrating their scientific acumen and creativity.





The exhibition not only highlighted the academic excellence at Oasis Academy but also provided a platform for students to explore and present their scientific ideas. The atmosphere buzzed with curiosity as parents, teachers, and fellow students engaged with the exhibits, fostering a sense of appreciation for science and technology. The event served as a testament to the school's commitment to nurturing a passion for learning and fostering a spirit of inquiry among its students.

# SCIENCE EXHIBITION @ CHENNAI



In celebration of the International Day of Women and Girls in Science, the vibrant students of Kannigapuram and Kalyanapuram, Chennai, unleashed their scientific prowess with thrilling experiments that captivated the audience.

Amidst the excitement, enthusiastic visits from NGO members and students of C.T.T.E College brought in an extra dose of energy, cheering on the participants. The air was electric with anticipation as prizes were eagerly claimed by the most outstanding groups. Children revelled in the day's

festivities, and the entire event became a pulsating source of motivation for their budding scientific journeys!



This month brought an exciting opportunity for exploration and learning for our ASP children as they embarked on an eye-opening educational trip to witness the manufacturing operations of milk products at the renowned [Amul](#).

At Oasis India, we believe in empowering the next generation with knowledge that goes beyond the classroom, instilling values that shape a better future for women and children.







# TAILORING COURSE

We are thrilled to announce the successful graduation of the 1st batch of our Basic Tailoring Course at the Kalwa Project!

A huge congratulations to the 30 incredible women and young girls who have completed the course with flying colors!

We also had a wonderful tailoring graduation program at Nirmal Bhavan and Dhaniv Baug.

A big Salute to the amazing trainers who played a crucial role in shaping the skills and empowering these bright minds.

At Oasis India, we are dedicated to "Making India better for women and children," and this graduation day is a testament to the transformative power of education and skill-building.



# COMPUTER COURSE



On February 5th, 2024, we celebrated a remarkable milestone with our computer course graduates!



These incredible individuals have successfully completed their courses, marking a fantastic start to the New Year.

A big shoutout to our dedicated teachers who played a crucial role in shaping these bright minds.



This month our Nallasopara computer students embarked on a memorable outing day at Bhuigaon beach in Vasai!

Amidst the soothing waves, they embraced the joy of togetherness and shared delightful moments over a scrumptious lunch.

Laughter echoed as they engaged in various games, creating beautiful memories that will last a lifetime.

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On Valentine's Day, Oasis India spread love beyond boundaries!

Our team in Mumbai, including Nirmal Bhavan, Dhaniv Baug, DIC tailoring students, and Naigaon Hair Project students, embarked on a heartwarming mission.

They visited construction workers, sharing roses and snacks, creating an unforgettable experience for the community.

Love knows no bounds, and it's not just for couples. It's for everyone! Proving this, we celebrated Valentine's Day with children, emphasizing that love extends beyond gifts and embraces respect, care, forgiveness, and help.





We also observed a solemn moment, marking a Black Day in remembrance of the brave soldiers who sacrificed their lives at Pulwama while defending our nation.

Our celebration incorporated red and black balloons, symbolizing both love and remembrance.

We engaged with youths, children, and communities, highlighting the importance of love as a multifaceted concept.

At Oasis India, we believe in teaching children the right values early, fostering a community where love is synonymous with respect and care.



**EMPOWERING CHANGE  
TOGETHER ON VALENTINE'S DAY**







Recently, our team organized a drawing competition at Kannaginagar school, where 122 talented students showcased their creativity. The event wasn't just about art; it was a platform to discuss the importance of supporting and celebrating every genders equally.

A heartfelt conversation took place on why it's crucial for boys to stand beside girls. We believe that by fostering understanding and collaboration, we can create a society where everyone thrives.



In our After-school Program (ASP) at Kannaginagar, an interactive session unfolded, highlighting the pivotal role boys can play in a girl's life. It was not just an educational experience but a step towards breaking stereotypes and building a more inclusive community.

In Kalyanapuram, our interns took the stage in a powerful drama with parrai, shedding light on the significance of girls' education and the collective effort needed to say NO to child marriage.

## **ANTI HUMAN TRAFFICKING (AHT) SESSION**







### ***Empowering Minds, Changing Lives!***

This month, Oasis India had the privilege of conducting an impactful Anti Human Trafficking (AHT) session at Shastri Vidyalaya School in Virar East.

Over 500 enthusiastic students joined us in our mission to create a safer and better India for women and children.

Our dedicated change agents, who are students from the same school, took the stage to deliver a powerful drama on Anti Human Trafficking. Through the art of storytelling, we aim to raise awareness and inspire action against this grave issue.



This month, we conducted an eye-opening session on Anti-Human Trafficking at ZP School, Manvel Pada, Virar.

Over 44 enthusiastic students actively engaged in understanding the gravity of the issue, thanks to the enlightening insights shared by our dedicated resource person, Mr. Sudesh Rajruru. Together, our team explored preventive measures to ensure a safer environment for our women and children.

A heartfelt thank you to the school principal for shedding light on local incidents, emphasizing the need for awareness. Oasis India is honored to contribute to creating a safer space for our community across India.







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## WORLD DAY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE

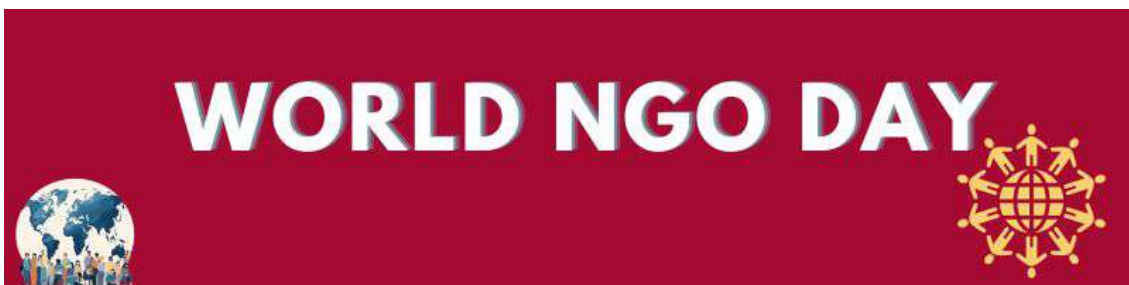
On WORLD DAY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE, Oasis India Bangalore team had an insightful sessions at HGH Bangalore!

Our dedicated team engaged with the 1st & 2nd batch of Computer Students, delving into discussions on key laws and the Indian Constitution – shedding light on the JJ Act, Posco, and the constitutional provisions that empower young minds.



Empowering the future generation with knowledge about their rights is crucial. So, we also hosted a vibrant CHILD RIGHTS SESSION at Akshara English Medium High School, where 39 enthusiastic children eagerly learned about their rights.

By understanding their rights, children not only empower themselves but also become advocates for positive change in their communities.







On World NGO Day, Oasis India proudly united with 36 organizations at CTTE College Chennai, in collaboration with the MSW department.

Our team engaged in a constructive Forum follow-up meeting, shaping actionable plans to foster collaboration and impactful work ahead.

The event was graced by the insightful presence of Mr. Camillus Rajkumar, CAO of Damien Foundation, who conducted an enriching capacity-building session on Fundraising and Social Audit.

Together, NGOs shared their inspiring visions, mission, experiences, achievements, and challenges, forging a collective commitment to make India better for women and children.

# ANNUAL SPORTS MEET 2024



The annual sports meet at Oasis Academy in Guwahati was a vibrant and exhilarating event that brought together students, teachers, and parents in a celebration of athleticism and team spirit. The school grounds buzzed with energy as participants from various grades competed in a variety of sports, showcasing their skills and determination.

Students engaged in friendly rivalry, displaying sportsmanship and camaraderie throughout the competitions. The cheers from the spectators echoed across the campus, creating an atmosphere of unity and support. As the day unfolded,



memorable moments were created on the track, field, and court, leaving a lasting impression on the participants and spectators alike.



The annual sports meet at Oasis Academy was not just a showcase of physical prowess but also an embodiment of the school's commitment to holistic development and fostering a sense of community among its students.



# Patgungin

15, Manipur

## FROM ADVERSITY TO ARTISTRY:

Patgungin's Journey of  
Hope and Creativity  
with Oasis India



Meet Patgungin, a 15-year-old boy from Haotak Vajang, Churachandpur, Manipur. He faced a difficult situation when ethnic violence hit Manipur on May 3, 2023. Despite the challenges, Patgungin, the third son of Letjangam, remains a dedicated 7th-grade student at Gandhi Memorial High School, Molnom, Churachandpur.

Before the displacement, Patgungin's parents were hardworking farmers. Now, with the chaos surrounding them, Patgungin's resilience shines through, thanks to Oasis India and their Nano IDPs Livelihood program. They provided him with materials for handicrafts, and he used his creativity to make 15 artificial trees, earning over Rs. 25,000 (INR).



Meticulously crafted by Mr. Patgungin as part of the Nano Livelihood Program for Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs)."



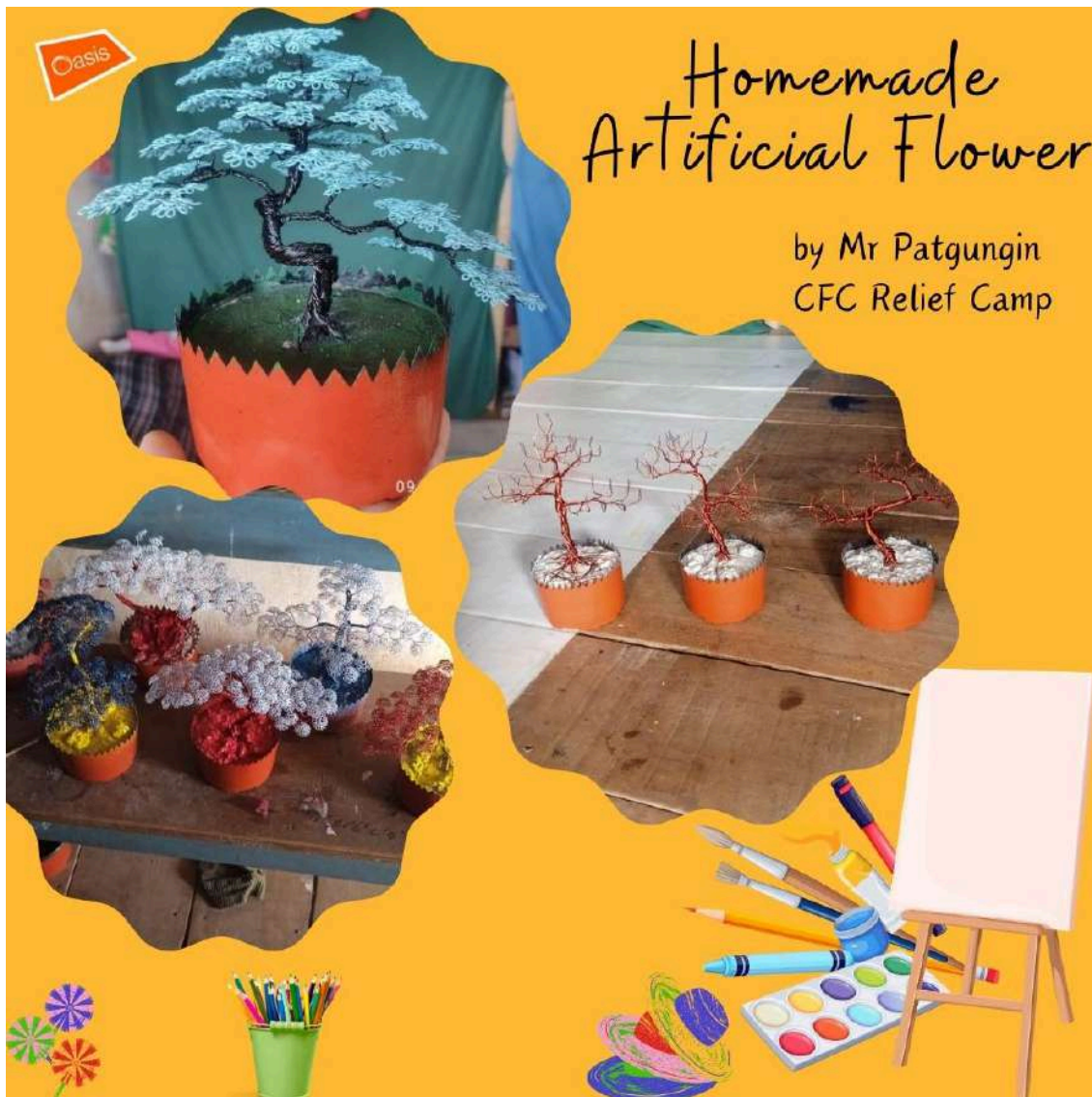
With this support, Patgungin invested Rs. 3,000 back into his craft, meeting the increasing demand. Currently, he's working on crafting five more artificial flowers for a customer. Beyond his personal goals, Patgungin takes on the responsibility of funding his own school admission for the new session.

The income from the Nano Livelihood program not only supports his education but also addresses essential needs at home. His family uses the earnings for hygiene kits, warm winter clothes, and medicine for his father, a former TB patient. This financial help is crucial for his family during these tough times.

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Grateful for the opportunity, Patgungin expresses his heartfelt thanks to Oasis India for providing the materials that allowed him to create artificial trees. The income from his craft has become a source of hope for his family, easing their burdens. With optimism, he wishes for Oasis India's staff to continue their dedicated service to those in need, especially within communities, in the days ahead.



# Break the chains. Connect with Hope



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**FACES OF COUNTLESS CHILDREN & WOMEN AND**  
**HAS SOWN THE SEEDS OF A BRIGHTER**  
**TOMORROW...**



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**GENEROSITY IS NOT JUST APPRECIATED:**

*it's changing lives every day...*



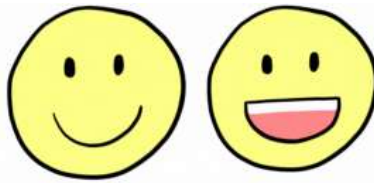
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Thank you for being a part of the Oasis India family.

Stay tuned for more updates, and feel free to visit our website and social media channels if you'd like to see more updates.

Once again THANK YOU for joining us in making a profound difference in the lives of many individuals and communities across India as we collectively strive to make India a better place for women and children.





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