

SARTHAK NAAI DECEMBER BULLETIN

UPCOMING EVENTS

World Braille Day- 4th January, 2020

TATA Mumbai Marathon- 19th January, 2020

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EVENT OF THE MONTH

TATA STEEL 25K



Joining hands with **Procam International**, Sarthak trainees participated in **TATA Steel 25K Kolkata as Champions with Disability Facilitator.**

One of the largest philanthropy events in East India, the run invited participation of people with physical/ locomotor disability, Intellectual impairment, visual impairment, hearing impairment and neurological disorder under its Champions with Disability category.

106 trainees from Sarthak engaged in this fun run with the help of more than **60 buddies** making the event a huge success.

International Day of Persons with Disability

Celebrated every year on 3rd of December, International Day of Persons with Disabilities is aimed to bring changes in people's attitude towards Divyangjans and create awareness about the rights of PwD's.

Working towards this mission of empowerment of People with Disabilities, Sarthak Educational Trust also celebrated this day across all its centres in India.

To add values of learning and motivation, **Sarthak invited all its prominent Alumni, trainees and their parents along with Advisory Board members of Sarthak for an interaction session at the centre.**

Sarthak alumni were seen sharing stories of their struggles and support provided to them by Sarthak in polishing their skills and shaping their career.



CENTERS IN PROGRESS

SAMAGAM and 151th Job Fair in Bhopal



Samagam-Round Table Conference was organized in Composite Regional Centre, Bhopal themed on **Setting Pathways to Disability Inclusive Development**. Inaugurated by **Chief Guest Disha Pranay, Deputy CEO at Nagvanshi, Dr. Ganesh Joshi, Director CRC and Rajbir Singh, Founder Chairperson of Organic Farming Service along with Dr. Jitender Aggarwal, Founder and CEO of Sarthak**, the conference invited representatives from various corporate houses and NGO's for panel discussions on Disability Inclusion Advantage and Partnership Model for PwD Inclusivity. Sarthak alumni also joined the conference in the Super Idol Panel and shared their work experiences at corporate houses.

Alongside the conference , Sarthak also organized 151th Job Fair for Persons with Disability.

The Rozgar Mela invited **participation of 106 People with Disabilities** out of which **57 were shortlisted** by recruiters for further employment steps.

CENTERS IN PROGRESS

Team Jaipur with Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment

Sarthak Jaipur team was invited by **Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of Rajasthan**, to celebrate International Day of Persons with Disability. The Sarthak team along with the alumni discussed with people how Sarthak with the support of various change makers has been empowering the lives of people with disabilities.



Sarthak Virar at Marg Darshan Mela



Sarthak Virar team participated in Marg Darshan Mela **organized by Vasai Virar Municipal Corporation (VVMC)**. Sarthak team members oriented people about the mission and vision of Sarthak and gave them insights of various initiatives undertaken by the organization for empowerment of PwD's.

PLACEMENTS AT SARTHAK

HIRING AT FLIPKART, HYDERABAD

31 trainees from Sarthak got selected at **Flipkart, Hyderabad** post the completion of their skill-training program.



LUCKNOW JOB FAIR

49 People with Disabilities were shortlisted at Lucknow Job Fair by prominent organizations like **Aegis, Swiggy and HUL.**



STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH

Grant Award by Andaz Hotels

Children from Early Intervention Centre of Sarthak were **invited at Andaz Hotels for a grant award ceremony**. During the ceremony, the work done by Sarthak was acknowledged and a **grant prize of USD 15000** was presented to the organization in lieu of selfless service provided by the organization for empowering the lives of disabled.



Employability Award by State Commissioner, West Bengal

Token of Appreciation was presented to Sarthak Kolkata Team by **Shri Debabrata Chattaraj, IAS and State Commissioner for PwD's**. The award was recognized for the commendable training and sustainable employment efforts undertaken by Sarthak to empower the lives of People with Disabilities.



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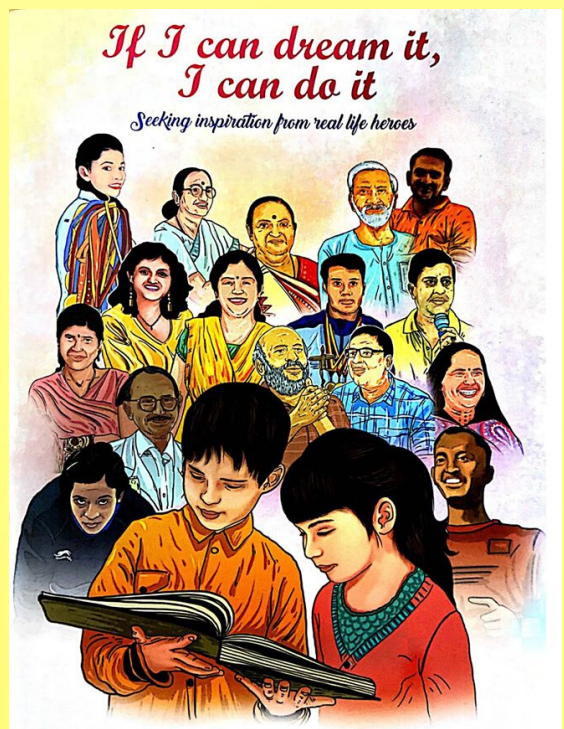
Dr. Jitender Aggarwal feliciated with GT Sabera Award

Dr. Jitender Aggarwal, Founder & CEO, Sarthak Educational Trust was felicitated with **Grant Thornton SABERA 2019** award under the **category of Change makers**. The tremendous achievements of Sarthak were recognized along with felicitation of selfless service provided by Sarthak all these years for empowering lives of people with disability.



Sonalika Tractors publishes story of Dr. Jitender Aggarwal

Sonalika Publications featured the story of Dr. Jitender Aggarwal in it's book titled "**If I can dream it, I can do it**". Dr. Jitender Aggarwal shared his struggles and journey of Sarthak in the book.



STORIES OF EMPOWERMENT



Born and brought up in Vishakhapatnam, Anil Kumar struggled to achieve his dream of financial independence. Born with a 100% hearing impairment, Anil often found it hard to communicate his ideas and thoughts to people around him.

With his father being the only bread-earner in the family, Anil and his family had to go through various financial constraints. Determined to support his family, Anil was determined to find a good job for himself. But while giving interviews, he realized that not only his communication skills but a lack of technical skills became a major reason for not getting selected by recruiters.

After knowing about Sarthak through one of his friends, Anil immediately realized how Sarthak's Skill Training Program can be a platform for him to develop his skills.

Post the completion of program, Anil was not only a more skilled professional, but he also got successfully placed at Swiggy and can today proudly support his family.

सार्थक का जॉब फेयर आयोजित

भोपाल. कॉर्पोरेट हाउस व एनजीओ के प्रतिनिधियों की उपस्थिति में डिसएबिलिटी इंकलुसिव डेवलपमेंट पर सार्थक ने राउंड टेबल कॉन्फ्रेंस एवं जॉब फेयर का आयोजन किया। इस अवसर पर मीडिया से चर्चा करते हुए सार्थक के संस्थापक एवं सीईओ डॉ. जितेन्द्र अग्रवाल ने बताया कि सरकार ने दिव्यांगों के उत्थान के लिए कई कानून बनाए हैं लेकिन सभी के लिए समानता का मार्ग अभी संघर्षपूर्ण है। रोजगार मेले में कई प्रमुख कंपनियों ने हिस्सा लिया।



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भोपाल। पीडब्ल्यूडी के सशक्तिकरण के लिए विविध हितधारकों के बीच वार्ता शुरू करने के उद्देश्य से सार्थक और एनएआई ने राजधानी के कंपोजिट रीजनल सेंटर में शुक्रवार को समागम- सेटिंग पाथवेज टू डिसएबिलिटी इंकलुसिव डेवलपमेंट व राउंड टेबल कॉन्फ्रेंस का आयोजन किया गया। इसका शुभारंभ मुख्य अतिथि जेएन कंसोतिया, प्रमुख सचिव सामाजिक न्याय एवं दिव्यांग कल्याण विभाग तथा डॉ. जितेन्द्र अग्रवाल, संस्थापक व सीईओ सार्थक एजुकेशनल ट्रस्ट ने किया। रात्रि कॉन्फ्रेंस

सभी के लिए समावेशी दुनिया की जरूरत पर प्रकाश डालते हुए वार्ता एवं विचार-विमर्श का एक महत्वपूर्ण मंच बन गई। रोचक सत्रों के साथ इस कॉन्फ्रेंस में विविध कॉर्पोरेट हाउस के प्रतिनिधियों एवं एनजीओ ने हिस्सा लिया। इसमें दिव्यांग समावेशन लाभ तथा पीडब्ल्यूडी के समावेशन के लिए गठबंधन मॉडल जैसे पैनल्स पर विचार किया गया। इस कॉन्फ्रेंस में सुपर आईडोल पैनल भी शामिल था, जिसमें सार्थक से प्रतिष्ठित एल्युमनी आगे आए एवं उन्होंने सफलता की अपनी यात्रा के बारे में बताया।

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रोचक सत्रों के साथ इस कॉन्फ्रेंस में विविध कॉर्पोरेट हाउस के प्रतिनिधियों एवं एनजीओ ने हिस्सा लिया। इसमें दिव्यांग समावेशन लाभ तथा पीडब्ल्यूडी के समावेशन के लिए गठबंधन मॉडल जैसे पैनल्स पर विचार किया गया। इस कॉन्फ्रेंस में सुपर आईडोल पैनल भी शामिल था, जिसमें सार्थक से प्रतिष्ठित एल्युमनी आगे आए एवं उन्होंने सफलता की अपनी यात्रा के बारे में बताया। पीडब्ल्यूडी के सशक्तिकरण के

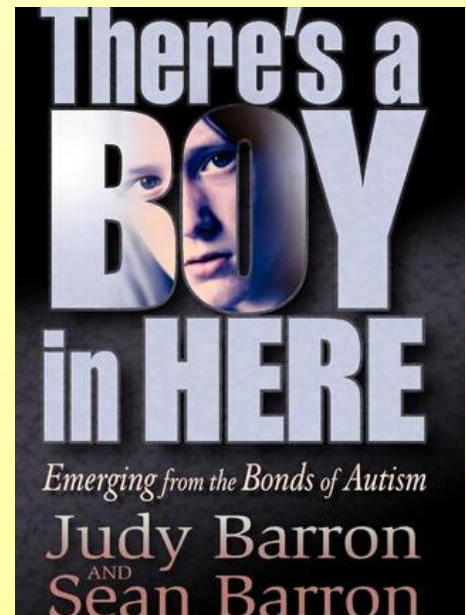


अपने मिशन को आगे बढ़ाते हुए, सार्थक ने दिव्यांगों के लिए 151 वां रोजगार मेला एवं राउंड टेबल कॉन्फ्रेंस का आयोजन किया। 150 से ज्यादा पीडब्ल्यूडी की प्रतिभागिता के साथ रोजगार मेले में एजिस, महिंद्रा फर्निचर, टेलीपरफॉर्म, रिलायंस प्रेम, ऑनडोर, विद्या ऑटोमोबाइल्स एवं पैटालुस जैसे संगठनों ने प्लेसमेंट आर्मात्रि किए। सार्थक के संस्थापक व सीईओ, डॉ. जितेन्द्र अग्रवाल ने कहा, "सरकार के सहयोग से आज दिव्यांगों के उत्थान के लिए विविध कानून बन गए हैं। लेकिन सभी के लिए समानता का यह मार्ग अभी भी संघर्षों से पूर्ण है, जिसका कारण पीडब्ल्यूडी से जुड़ी धर्म एवं विविध विकलांगताओं के बारे में जानकारी की कमी है। सार्थक एजुकेशनल ट्रस्ट का मानना है कि अपनी विकलांगता के बावजूद हर दिव्यांग में पहाड़ को झुकाने की सामर्थ्य होती है। यह कॉन्फ्रेंस सम्मान व समावेशन से संपन्न विषय के निर्माण की दिशा में एक प्रयास है।" इस कॉन्फ्रेंस का समापन एक प्रेस कॉन्फ्रेंस के साथ हुआ, जिसमें डॉ. अग्रवाल ने मीडियाकर्मीयों से बात की और पिछले 11 सालों में सार्थक द्वारा हासिल की गई उपलब्धियाँ तथा इसके भविष्य के अभियानों के बारे में बताया।

MEMOIRS OF PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY

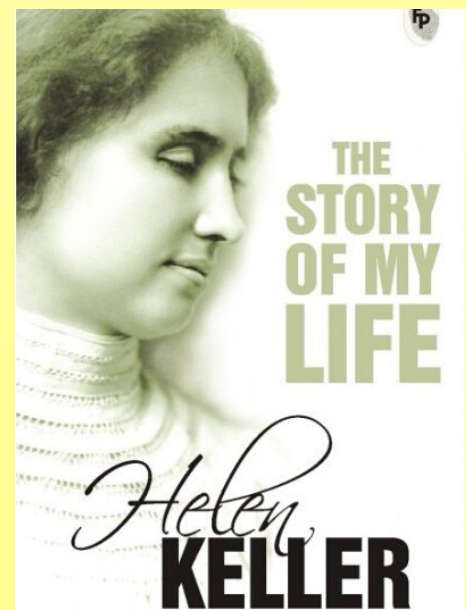
There's a Boy in Here: Emerging from the Bonds of Autism-Judy Barron and Sean Barron

This dual autobiography written by Sean Barron and his mother Judy Barron is a chronicle on Sean Barron's younger days and talks about the effects of autism on him and his family.



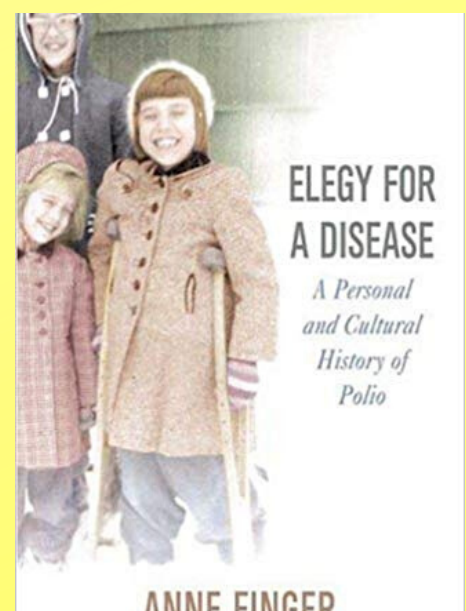
The Story of My Life-Helen Keller

This autobiography on Life of Helen Keller celebrated her triumph over blindness and deafness. Known as one of the most inspirational story, the book deals majorly with her early life and her experiences with Anne Sullivan.



Elegy for a Disease: A Personal and Cultural History of Polio-Anne Finger

Anne Finger gives a historical narrative on how polio was viewed and dealt with in the years before the Salk vaccine was invented. She discusses her personal experience with polio and how she overcame the struggles associated with it.



TESTIMONIALS

We are really happy working with Sarthak NGO, we have hired more than 10 candidates from Sarthak and have a great experience. The candidates are well trained. Thanks to the entire Sarthak Team. – Swati Shrivastav, Assistant Mnager, Teleperformance

Working with Sarthak has given me an opportunity to interact with a lot of people working for this good cause. I look at this as an opportunity to give back to the society and serve for this noble cause.– Priti Khurana, Manager-Capacity Building, SARTHAK

Working with Sarthak has been enriching. The amount of exposure I get in a daily basis, feeds in me a positive outlook, and to strive for learning.– Manjulata,Employment Coordinator, SARTHAK

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