



Love All - Serve All with Love & Kindness
DEAR JJA FAMILY

The ashram continues to observe strict controls for Covid-19, as per the guidelines of the Government, including weekly sanitizing of the facilities. Masking and social distancing precautions continue to be practiced by all residents, staff members and visitors. No cases of Covid-19 have been reported in the ashram in 2021. Our facility currently houses 82 children, five senior citizens and twenty two staff members.



2022 Goals:

Our board has decided to scale back the frequency of our newsletter to once per quarter. Look for our next newsletter in March.

We plan to vigorously pursue the goal of starting construction of the permanent building for the facility. The first part of this project will be to raise sufficient funds for the construction of the perimeter wall. Once we obtain estimates for the project (building and boundary wall) we will start a campaign for raising the funds.

Thirteen of our children are currently enrolled in high school or college (plus two) programs. Currently we have found sponsors for only two of these children. **We urge other members of our community to please step up to sponsor one or more of the other children for their educational expenses. Please email us at ijashram20@gmail.com if you would like to sponsor one of these students.** Please click on the following link for a list of students who are currently enrolled in colleges.

[Sponsorship for College Enrolled- Click Here](#)

Significant Accomplishments in 2021:

Computer certification program was established for primary and secondary students. We thank two sponsors from Charlotte, USA for their support in providing broadband access for the students and obtaining a qualified instructor for six months.

Academic coaching programs were initiated for all our students. We greatly appreciate the generosity of two sponsors in Bhubaneswar, Odisha for allowing us to implement these programs that form the backbone of our mission.

A tailoring program has been implemented for the secondary students. We express our gratitude to the two sponsors of this program, who are residents of Charlotte, USA.

Jeevan Rekha, a branch of JJA, was established to help provide home care services, with a nominal fee, to the elderly.

We have obtained sponsors for four festivals (Saraswati Puja, Rajja, Ganesh Puja and Dusserah) to be observed at the Ashram in 2022. We wish to thank the sponsors for enabling us to provide new clothing and accessories for all our residents for each of these events.

Several other programs including Arts & Crafts, Dance, Yoga, Karate were offered over the course of the year. Such programs help maintain the spirit of the residents and staff of the ashram.

We would like to express our gratitude to our monthly online donors as well as several one-time contributors, from Odisha and the USA, for the month of December. In addition, fourteen families stepped up this month to sponsor events at the ashram to recognize birth, marriage or death anniversaries of their family members. Food was served after a short prayer on each occasion. Please check the link below to get further information.

[Click Here for Link](#)

Christmas was celebrated at the ashram this month, following which lunch was served to all the attendees.



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