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SRI SATHYA SAI SEVA ORGANISATION, ODISHA

KALAHANDI

DISTRICT ANNUAL REPORT

1st January 2020 to 31st December 2020

LOVE ALL SERVE ALL

This report is dedicated at the Lotus Feet of our Lord and Master

Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba

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Foreword from the District President

AUM SRI SAI RAM

Offering our Humble Pranam at the lotus feet of our beloved Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba, we the "SAI ASRITA S" of Kalahandi District, Odisha want to convey our feeling the innermost recess of our heart to our Lord.

"Dear Swami in the munden world when the other souls are immersed in the transient joy forgetting his Divine goal and going away from the God Ward Path, you keeping us on your Divine lap have given so many Divine Dictum like "Love all Serve all, Help Ever Hurt Never, Daiva Preeti Papa Veeti- Sangha Neeti:" to follow, You are so merciful and kind that despite of all draw back in our lives you have given us a rare opportunity of being an Active Worker in the great Divine spiritual Organisation.

The different activities of three wings of our Organization have provided us ample opportunity to develop our Individual, Family and Social Sadhana which brings transformation in our lives.

This Annual report of our **Kalahandi District** with some data and photos speaks some activities of the three wings (Spiritual, Service & Education.) which we have taken in the Sai Year 2020. We offer this annual report at the Divine Lotus Feet and pray to give us profound faith in Him, will Power and Strength to undertake all the activities of this organization with utmost sincerity, Purity and Devotion for the self transformation as well as for the peace and bliss of the world.

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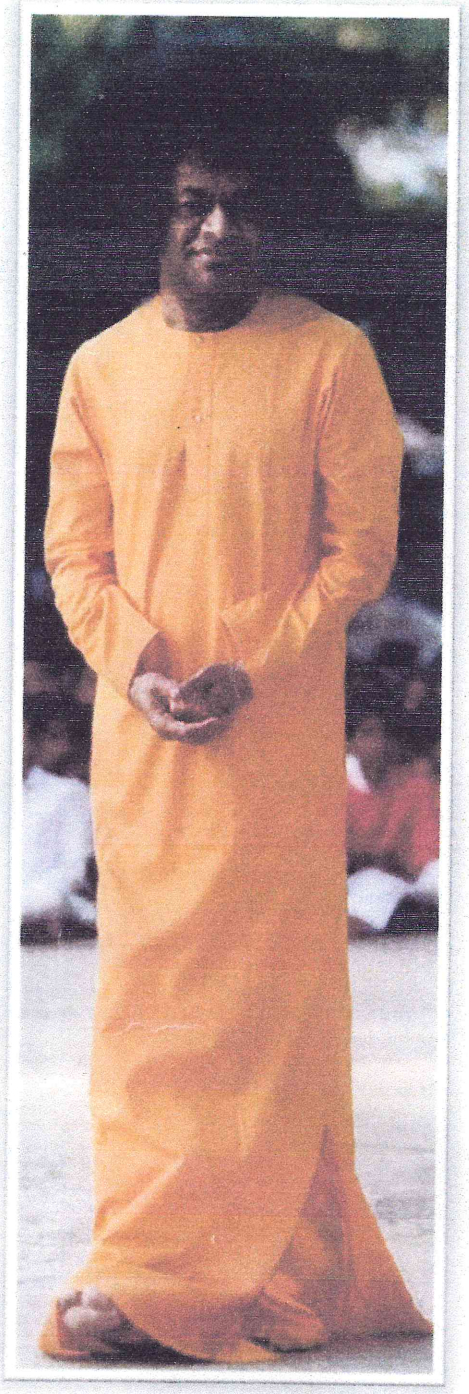
Pranams at the Lotus Feet
Benudhar Kumar, District President
With all Sai Sevaks of Kalahandi District

Sri Sathya Sai SevaOrganisations– an introduction



The Sri Sathya Sai SevaOrganisations, founded by Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba in the year 1965, is a service organisation with a spiritual core and base to benefit all mankind irrespective of religion, caste, creed or sect. The Organisation serves as a platform for its members to undertake service and other activities motivated by an urge for one's own transformation with the aim of realising one's inherent divinity.

Without any distinction of religion, nationality, race, socio-economic status, either for those who work in the Organisation or for those who are served by it, the Organisation transcends all barriers leading humanity towards the ideal of 'Fatherhood of God and Brotherhood of Man'.

The concept of fees or membership subscription is alien to the Sri Sathya Sai SevaOrganisations, for there cannot be any fee or subscription for one's journey towards his own self.

The organisation functions through its primary units called as Samithis and Bhajan Mandalis of which individuals - from different strata of society, different ethnic groups pursuing different religions and faiths -are members bound by the dictum of "Love all, Serve All" and pursue their own sadhana towards self-transformation following the path of selfless service to humanity.

At no point is an individual asked to follow a certain religion or rituals. On the contrary each is inspired to follow his own faith so as to ensure that a Hindi becomes a better Hindu, a Muslim becomes a better Muslim, a Christian becomes a better Christian and so on. In fact, this spiritual basis inspires everyone to pursue his own religion better by putting into practice Love and Selflessness. That is why the Organisation features in its emblem the symbols of the major religions of the world.

"The Organisations named after Me are not to be used for publicising My Name, or creating a new cult around My worship....They must render seva (service) to the helpless, the sick, the distressed, the illiterate and the needy. Their seva (selfless service) should not be exhibitionistic; it must seek no reward, not even gratitude or thanks from the recipients. Seva is sadhana (spiritual exercise), not a pastime of the rich and well placed.

You must have the firm belief that the aim of this Organisation is to remove the obstacles that keep man away from God, that separate maanavathwa (Humanity) from Maadhavathwa (Divinity).. This Organisation must elevate the human into the Divine."

Sri Sathya Sai Baba

WINGS OF THE ORGANISATIONS

The Sri Sathya Sai SevaOrganisation functions under three wings viz. (i) Spiritual, (ii) Education, and (iii) Service.

Each activity in a wing is directed to facilitate and help the member in his own spiritual advancement. Although, the nature of activities undertaken under different wings appear to be distinct and dissimilar, but there is an inherent interrelationship amongst all the three wings. The three wings stand for Worship, Wisdom and Work.

Spirituality and Service aresupplementary and complementary to each other. Spirituality is the motivational force behind service and service is the fulfillment of spirituality. Therefore, spiritual concepts learnt through education must be put into practice in form of service to humanity. Thus, in order to successfully realise the objective of joining the Sai Organisation, one must participate in activities of all the three wings.

Activities under different wings of the Organisation

Spiritual Wing	Educational Wing	Service Wing
• Bhajan • Nagarsankeertan • Study Circle • Sadhana Camps • Study of Sai Literature • Meditation, and • Others	• Non-formal education of children in the age group of 5-14 years through values-based educational training. • Bal-Vikas • Educare • Pareting Programmes	• Gram Seva • Slums Service, • Medical Camps and Health Care • Sanitation activities • Visit to orphanges, old age homes etc. • Disaster relief • Poor feeding • Free Coaching Classes, and • Others

ADMINISTRATION OF THE ORGANISATION

Headed by an All India President who is supported by the National Vice Presidents and State Presidents, the Organisation functions like a well-oiled machine in the District under the stewardship of the District President, focused on its purpose, clear in its vision and dedicated in its efforts to live up the Swami's message – "Love All, Serve All".

The Samithis and the Bhajan Mandalis constitute a genuine spiritual movement where the members are united by a common bond – Love for God and Service to fellow human beings.

The members of the organisation work as one cohesive unit, whether as sevadals providing service at PrashanthiNilayam, at medical camps, doing Narayan seva or the bal-vikas gurus who work with young children to inspire in them a desire to inculcate the five human values of Truth, Righteousness, Love, Peace and Non-violence, or the teachers who having undergone the training in EHV help in guiding the young minds towards the higher goals of life or the Sai Youth who work tirelessly in the Sri Sathya Sai Village Integrated Programmeand Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyoti Programme– each of them are bound by one goal – "Service to Man is Service to God".

THE 9 POINT CODE OF CONDUCT AND 10 PRINCIPLES

Every member of the Organisation is expected to undertake Sadhana (spiritual discipline) as an integral part of his/her daily life by abiding by the following Nine Point Code of Conduct which has been bestowed by Baba for one's spiritual and personal development. In addition, the ten principles that forms the core of guidance for all the members of the Organisationas ordained by Baba himself are also produced hereunder. The nine point code of conduct and the ten principles are fundamental to the spiritual development of the members of the Sai Organisations.

9 Point Code of Conduct

- Daily meditation and prayer.
- Devotional singing/prayer with members of one's family once a week.
- Participation in Bal Vikas programme by children of the family conducted by the Organisation.
- Attendance at least once a month at Bhajan or Nagar Sankeertanprogramme conducted by the Organisation.
- Participation in community service and other programmes of the Organisation.
- Regular study of Sai literature.
- Speak softly and lovingly with everyone with whom he comes into contact.
- Not to indulge in talking ill of others especially in their absence.
- Putting into practice the principle of "Ceiling on Desires" and utilise any savings thereby generated for the service of the mankind.

10 Guiding Principes

- Treat as sacred the land in which you were born. Have patriotism to your nation - but do not criticise other nations or put others down. Not even in your thoughts or dreams should you think of bringing grief to your country.
- Respect all religions equally.
- Recognise humanity as one family - treat everyone as a family member - love all
- Keep your house and surroundings clean - for this will promote hygiene and health.
- Practice charity - but do not encourage beggars by giving money. Provide food, clothing, shelter and help them on other ways (do not encourage laziness)
- Never give a bribe or take bribe - never give in to corruption.
- Curb envy and jealously; expand your vision and outlook, Treat all equally regardless of caste or creed.
- Be self-reliant. You may be wealthy and have servants to do your bidding, but service to security must be done by yourself.
- Have and cultivate 'Love for God and fear of sin'.
- Never go against the laws of the land; follow these diligently both in word and in spirit. Be an exemplary citizen.

SRI SATHYA SAI SEVA ORGANIZATION {KALAHANDI}

HISTORY OF SAI MOVEMENT IN THE DISTRICT

With the blessings of divine mother Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba. Sai Movement in our undivided Kalahandi District Started in the year 1965. At the beginning Bhajan Center was started by Late Damodar Tripathy (Head Assistant, Collectorate Bhawanipatna) in his rented house at Bhawanipatna with weekly Bhajan, Nagarsankirtran and monthly Narayan Seva with the cooperation of fifteen other members. In the year 1971 this Bhajan Centre was upgraded as a Samiti.

In the year 1968 late B.Rama Chandra Raju initiated a Bhajan Centre at Dharamgarh in his residenece with minimum activities like Bhajan Nagarsankirtan and Narayana Seva . In the year 1972 it got recognition as a Samiti. There after the message of Divine Incarnation spread throughout the district like the fragnance of the flower. Now we have 05 Samities 30 bhajan mandalies and 12 Sai Centres in our district with 469 nos. of active workers 1293 nos. of members. We have 59 Balvikas Centres across the district with 1488 nos. of Bal Vikas Students and 97 nos. of Gurus.

The restless effort and dedication of late B.Raghunath Senapati, S.R.Raju, S.N.Achary, S.Sathya Rao, Surendra Kumar Sahu, Krishna Rao of Bhawanipatna Samiti. Dhaneswar Panda, Sudarshan Patjoshi, Kumuda Chandra Panda, Bijaya Ku. Behera, Krishna Ku. Agrawal, Hari Prakash Agrawal, Madhaba Ch. Behera of Dharamgarh Samiti, M.Sarveswar Rao, Hare Krushna Mohanty, Arjun Maharana of M.Rampur Samiti, Narayan Prasad Behera, Makaranand Pattnaik of Jaipatna Samiti, Gopinath Panda and Krushna Ch.Panda of Junagarh for spreading the Organisation are unforgettable.

Under the able guidance of the former Disrtrict President – Sri Damodar Tripathy, S.R.Raju, Dhneswar panda and Sri Khetramohan Sahu Sai Momentum picked up with greater speed through the entire district.

With the blessings of Bhagawan Baba and strong leadership of Late Parsuram Sahu (Ex. Convenor of Books & Publication Trust, Odisha) B.Raghunath Senapati, S.R.Raju, Dhaneshwar Panda and the Cooperation of all other members of Bhawanipatna Samiti "SATHYA SAI VIDYA MANDIR" was established at Bhawanipatna in the year 1983. Now we have a Vision to open the Sathya Sai Center in each panchayat by 2025. We pray to our beloved Swami to bless us for the fulfillment of our team.

DIVINE VISIT

This section should contain an account of Divine visit by Swami. If any and should be supported by photograph

OVERVIEW

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation is functional in KALAHANDI DISTRICT with members from various cross sections of society and different faiths. With 5 Samitis and 30 Bhajan Mandalis, the Organisation serves as a platform for its Members to undertake spiritual Practices through its various wings such as spiritual, education and service for their own betterment.

The thrust is on self-transformation for it is only individual transformation that would ultimately lead to global transformation.

The Following Table give an overview of the Organization in **KALAHANDI DISTRICT**

STATISTICAL OVERVIEW ON 31ST DECEMBER 2020

UNITS	NUMBERS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS
SAMITHIS	05	435
BHAJAN MANDALIS	30	1203
TOTAL	35	1638
No Of Sevadals		
• GENTS	312	
• LADIES	190	
No Of Youth		
• GENTS	163	
• LADIES	97	

Adopted Slums/Villages	Numbers	Number of Students
Slums/Villages Adopted Under SSSVIP **Total**	03	500

Adopted School under Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Jyoti	Numbers	Number of Students
SCHOOL	02	350

SAI CENTRES

SL NO	NAME OF THE SAI CENTRE	ACTIVITIES DONE	DETAILS OF CONTACT PERSON
01	**PANJIA VILLAGE Under Dharmagarh Samiti –**	Regular weekly Bhajans on every Thursday & Sunday evening Observing several religious functions like Rama Navami, Swami's Birth day Hanuman Jayanti etc.	Bhubaneswar Nag At/po- Panjia Via Sosila Cell-8480456763
02	**AKASH College Centre, Under Dharmagarh Samiti**	Regular weekly bhajans on every Thursday evening & Monthly Seminar & Satsang .	S.K Deo At/Po- Dharmagarh Cell -9437964787
03	**CHAULIA PADA VILLAGE Under Dharmagarh Samiti**	Regular weekly Bhajans & Nagar Sankirtan on every Tuesday evening. B.V Class every Sunday. Monthly Sanitation & observation of swami's Birthday	Keshba Gopal At-Chauliapda Po-Ghumar Dharmagarh Cell-7752029351
04	**KANKRI VILLAGE Under Dharmagarh Samiti**	Regular weekly Bhajans	Khirasindhu Meher At/Po- Kankri Via – Dharmagarh Cell 6370307275
05	**KARLAKOT VILLAGE Under Dharmagarh Samiti –**	Weekly Bhajans,Nagarsankirtan on every Thursday. Monthly Satsang & Narayan Seva observation of all the festival like Janmastami,Sivratri etc. with seva. B.V Class every Sunday.	Abodh Ku.Panda At-Karlakot Po-Chaharbahal Cell -9937803075
06	**SARGIGUDA VILLAGE Under Dharmagarh Samiti**	Regular weekly Bhajans & Nagar Sankirtan on everyThursday evening. B.V Class every Sunday. Monthly Sanitation. observation of all the festival like Swami's Birth day Janmastami, Sivratri etc.	Bibhuti Naik At/Po- Sargiguda Via- Mahichala
07	**MALKHUT PADA Under Hinjilibahili Samiti**	Regular weekly Bhajans on Friday.	Jagannath Chalan At-Bhainriguda Po-Junagarh
08	**Pipalpadar Village Under M.Rampur Samiti.**	Regular weekly Bhajans on Thursday & B.V class on Sunday.Observation of Swami's Birth day, Sivaratri, Janmastami	Minaketan Behera At/Po-Pipalpadar Via-Kesinga

09	**SAI SANTOSHAM (Ashram for neggleted boys) Under Dharmagarh Samiti.**	Daily Omkaram,Suprabhatam,Bhajan,Veda,Free Coaching, Monthly Bratakalpa puja & Observation of all Festivals.	Saraswati Bharadwaj (Sai Santosham) At-Kasibahal Po- Dharmagarh
10	**GUDJUNG Under Bhawanipatna samiti**	Regular weekly Bhajans on Thursday.	Daitari Behera At/Po –Gudjung Via-Borda
11	**KANTAMAL Under Bhawanipatna samiti**	Regular weekly Bhajans on Thursday.	Dakshya Sahoo At/Po-Kantamal Via-Borda

ACTIVITIES

The members of the Organisation are involved in various activities on regular basis which primarily includes Spiritual Study Circles, Community Bhajan, Nagrsankirtan through the spiritual wing; Bal-Vikas and Parenting programmes through the Education Wing and various service activities through the service wing. Importance is given to regular service activities as only through constant involvement in good work can self-transformation be achieved. Service activities which are regularly undertaken at Samithis for the transformation of the members and for the benefit of the society include visits to leprosy, correctional and old age homes, medical camps in villages, Narayan-seva, free coaching classes, vocational training for employability enhancement of the villagers, sanitation at public functions, fairs, and public urinal cleaning.

The following table broadly categories the different activities that are undertaken in all the 35 districts of the State.

Overview of activities undertaken across all the Districts

	Educare	Medicare	Sociocare
Spiritual	• Study Circles for Adults and Youth		• Community Bhajan Centers • Nagar Sankirtan • Conference/Retreats Sadhana Camps
Educational	• Bal Vikas Classes based on human values • Bal-Vikas and Guru training		• Parents' Awareness programs on Parenting • Parenting Workshops
Service	• Free Coaching and Tuition Centers • Computer Training • Spoken English • Adult Education • Literacy programs	• Medical Centers • Medical Camps in villages • Eye Camps • Blood Grouping Camps • Blood Donation Camps • Dental Treatment Camps • Veterinary Camps	• National Narayan SevaProgramme • Visit to Leprosy Villages, Correctional Homes, Orphanages, Hospital, Disabled/ Old Age Homes • Narayan Seva • Service Camps

			• Vocational Training Centers • Employability Enhancement program for village Youth • Sanitation at different Government run hospitals, Fairs and Public Urinals • Disaster Management awareness programs in schools/colleges and other Institutions

A summary account of regular Activites that are undertaken on monthly / weekly basis across the District is given the following table

An account of regular activities undertaken across the District

Spiritual

Activates	Total Number	Total Number of Participants
Devotional Singing	34	130
No of Community Bhajan Centers		
No. of Bhajans Held	260	3900
Seven Household Bhajans	52	1560
No. of Cluster		
Nagarsankirtan	78	390
Study Circles	20	180
Conference/Retreats Sadhana Camps	01	165

Educational

Activates	Total Number	Total Number of Students
Balvikas Centers		
Urban	28	730
Rural	30	507
School	01	251
Total (i+ii+iii)	59	1488
Balvikas Gurus	97	

ACTIVITY	TOTAL NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBERS OF BENIFICIARIES
Visit to:		
Leprosy Village	00	00
Correctional Homes	00	00
Orphanages	**04**	**30**
Hospital	**09**	**20**
Disabled/Old Age Homes	**01**	**35**
Camps:		
Narayan Seva	**13**	**300**
Veterinary Camps	00	00
Medical Awareness Camp	00	00
Eye Camp	00	00
Blood Grouping Camps	00	00
Service Camps	00	00
Vocational Training Centers	00	00
Free Coaching Centers	**02**	**15**
Medical Centers	00	00
Sanitation (Public Urinals)	**43**	--
Dental Treatments Camps	00	00
National Narayan Seva	**06**	**06**
Blood Donation Camps	00	00
Amruta Kalash Distribution	**96**	**350**
Sai Swabalambi	**05**	**20**

DISTRICT LEVEL OFFICE BEARERS

SL NO	NAME OF THE OFFICE BEARERS	DESIGNATION	TENURE
01	BENUDHAR KUMAR	DISTRICT PRESIDENT	Since 1 Yr
02	SUBHASH PANDA	DISTRICT SERVICE COORDINATOR (G)	Since 1 Month
03	DHARMARAJ SAHU	DISTRICT SPRITUAL COORDINATOR (G)	Since 1 Month
04	TULARAM SAHU	DISTRICT EDUCATION COORDINATOR (G)	Since 1 Month
05	SAI KRISHNA DEEXIT	DISTRICT YOUTH COORDINATOR (G)	Since 1 Month
06	GEETA KUMAR	DISTRICT SERVICE COORDINATOR (L)	Since 4 Yrs
07	S GOURI LALITA	DISTRICT SPRITUAL COORDINATOR (L)	Since 5 Yrs
08	SARASWATI BHARADWAJ	DISTRICT EDUCATION COORDINATOR (L)	Since 9 Yrs
09	MAMATA JAL	DISTRICT YOUTH COORDINATOR (L)	Since 1 Month

DISTRICT LEVEL IN-CHARGES.

SL NO	NAME OF THE DIST. INCHARGE	DESIGNATION	TENURE
01	Bhakta Ch Bhati	District Archive In-charge	Since 3 Yrs
02	Mahesh Agrawal	District Veda In-charge(G)	Since 9 Yrs
03	Sai Raman Panda	District Sai Symphony In-charge	Since 4 Yrs
04	Maheshwar Rana	District Dhana Vriksha In-charge	Since 1 Month
05	Partiswar Mund	District Vahini Parayana In-charge	Since 2 Yrs
06	Dhiren Naik	District SRP In-charge	Since 2 Yrs
07	Premlal Sahu	District Tribal Development In-charge	Since 2 Yrs
08	Gobardhan Meher	District Prashanti Seva In-charge	Since 6 Yrs
09	Ranjit Beshra	District Blood Donation Camp In-charge	Since 1 Month
10	Jitendra Pattnaik	District Vidya Vahini In-charge	Since 2 Yrs
11	Nanda Kishore Sahu	District School Balvikas In-charge	Since 2 Yrs
12	Padmani Mohanty	District Sai Prem Dhara In-charge	Since 2 Yrs
13	S. Soubhagya Lata	District Veda In-charge (L)	Since 1 Month
14	Harihara Panda	District Sai Swabalambi In-charge	Since 4 Month
15	Baikuntha Bemal	District Vidya Jyoti In Charge	Since 1 Month

IMPORTANT EVENTS AND CONFRENCES

Glimpse of Activities

AMRUTA

KALASH

IN THE COVID 19 PANDERMIC SRI SATHYA SAI SEVA ORGANISATION KALAHANDI SERVED HOUSE HOLD COOKING MATERIAL FOR ONE MONTH SURVEY OF POOR

SAI SHAKTI SWARUPINI DAY CELEBRATIONS

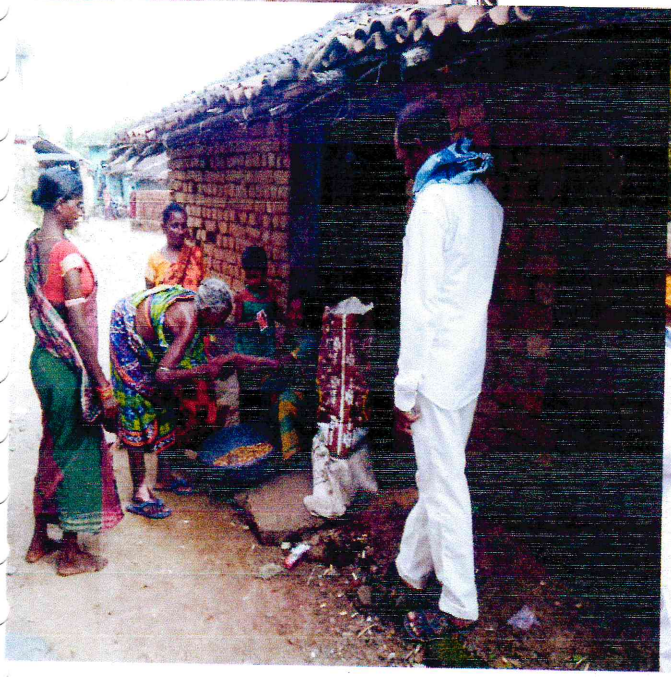
SAI BRATAKALAPA PUJA

SEVADAL TRANNING CAMP, JAIPATNA SAMITHI

VIDYA-JYOTI VILLAGE AWARNESS PROGRAM, NARANGKHOLA

SAI SWABALAMBI

"Self Reliance Project Kalahandi for Covid-19 Migrants"



ESWARAMABA DAY CELEBRATION

VEDA BRUKHYA

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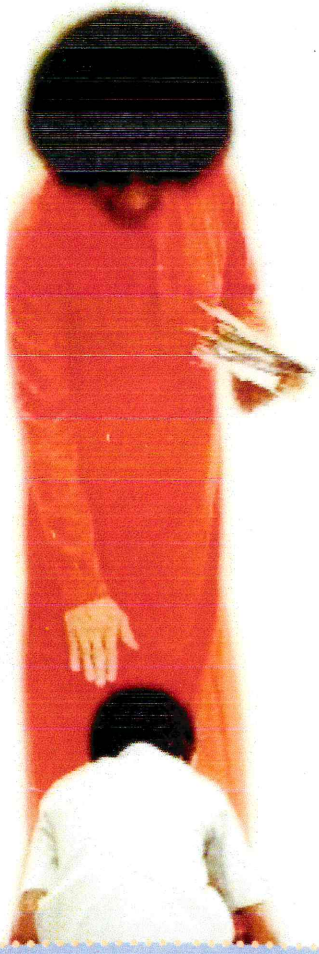
BALAVIKAS STUDENTS



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