



BHAVANA – A Family of Elders

BHARATIYA VARISHTHA NAGARIK SAMITI

An all India secular, non-political, non-profit, non-government voluntary organization dedicated to the cause and care of Aged Persons and weaker section of society including Women, Physically & Mentally Challenged Persons and Destitute, registered at Lucknow under Societies Registration Act, 1860. Registration no. 662/2000-01

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NIRDHAN JAN SEWA CAMP ORGANISED IN VILLAGE SURWARI, DISTRICT AYODHYA ON 17th JANUARY, 2021

BHAVANA organized its fourth "Nirdhan Jan Sewa Camp" of this winter on Sunday, 17th January, 2021 in the premises of Shree Neelkanth Mahadeo Mandir, village Surwari, around 110 km away from Lucknow in Ayodhya district. 118 new all wool blankets were distributed to pre-identified very poor families, headed by senior citizens residing in this village and its hamlets. One blanket was given to each of the 118 families selected.

Persons assembled in the camp were also given awareness lessons with practical demonstration on the following issues which are very relevant for their wellness and wellbeing:

1. Simple tips for maintaining personal hygiene and health without medication.
2. Keeping the environment clean and healthy within and around one's own dwelling.
3. Tips about precautions that are to be taken by the village folks in the current "Corona Pandemic".
4. About various schemes of Central & State Governments already available for the welfare of poorest of the poor.

Some photographs of the event are being attached herewith.

BHAVANA's Nirdhan-jan Sewa Mission is totally funded by its own members and donors. BHAVANA's Mission has nothing to do with the blankets distribution program of Government of U.P. or of any other organization.

Every year around ten such camps are organized in urban as well as rural areas of Lucknow and adjoining districts wherein around 1000 new all wool blankets are distributed to poorest of the poor families headed by senior citizens. In addition, around 2000 used but re-usable garments, bed-linen, utensils etc. are also distributed to the needy persons attending the camp. BHAVANA has been organizing such camps in every winter for the last 15 years without fail. This camp was fourth in the series of such camps this winter.

Summary of previous three camps held during this winter:

27th December, 2020: Village Thakurpur, situated around 60 km. away from Lucknow, in Barabanki district. 100 new all wool blankets were distributed to pre-identified very poor families, headed by senior citizens residing in this village and adjoining village Shyamnagar and their hamlets.

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04th January, 2021: Block & Tehsil Hasanganj, situated around 40 km. away from Lucknow, in Unnao district. 100 new all wool blankets were distributed to pre-identified very poor families, headed by senior citizens residing in villages Amoiya, Jagdishpur, Kurauli and their hamlets.

10th January, 2021: Sant Kabir Nagar locality, Faizullaganj-2, Ghaila Road, situated on the periphery of Lucknow City. 50 new all wool blankets were distributed to pre-identified very poor families, headed by senior citizens residing in this locality.

BHAVANA's team is grateful for the help provided by the local young volunteers headed by Ashram Incharge (Sri Ramdas Mission, Surwari) Sri A.T. Radhakrishnan, Sri Bheem Singh, Sri K.N. Pandey, Sri Vishwambhar Singh, Pt, Pravesh Tewari, Advocate Sri Doodh Nath Yadav, Sri Satyanam Singh, Sri Ajay Pratap Singh, Sri Chhedi Lal and Sri Prabhakar Singh in organizing the Surwari camp and identification of prospective beneficiaries.

BHAVANA solicits support from sensitive and caring persons for this noble mission. One all wool blanket costs ₹300.00. Clean used but re-usable garments (but strictly not undergarments), bed-linen, utensils etc. are also welcome. Cash support may be given by account payee multicity cheque drawn in favour of "BHARATIYA VARISHTHA NAGARIK SAMITI" and sent to its office at 507, Kasmanda Apartments, 2, Park Road, Lucknow-226001, U.P., INDIA. Donations are solicited digitally on-line also. Relevant details for this purpose are:

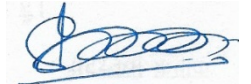
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Donations to BHAVANA are exempted from Income Tax under section 80G of Income Tax Act.

All about BHAVANA is available on its website www.bhavanaindia.org

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