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**Sri Sri Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji
Sri Adichunchanagiri Maha Samsthana Math**

Introduction

Sri Sri Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji is the head of Adichunchanagiri Math. Swamiji was born on 20 July 1969 in a village called Cheernahalli in Gubbi taluk of Tumkur district. After doing his Diploma at Government Polytechnic College (Tumkur), he did BE in Civil Engineering at National Institute of Engineering Mysore and M.Tech in Structural Engineering at Indian Institute of Technology Madras. He was selected as a scientist at Central Water and Power Research Station Pooa. He instead volunteered to teach at a blind school in Ramanagar district. In 1998 he renounced worldly life and became a Swamiji. Balagangadharanatha Swamiji appointed him as the head of the Adichunchanagiri Shaka (branch) Math at Chikkaballapur.

The successor of Natha Parampara along the lineage of Sri Bhaktanatha Mahaswamiji, Sri Chandrashekaranaatha Mahaswamiji, Sri Ramanandanatha Mahaswamiji and Sri Balagangadharanatha Mahaswamiji with an historical tradition of 1800 yrs is the present illumined seer Sri Sri Sri Nirmalanandanatha Mahaswamiji, heading the Adichunchanagiri Mahasamsthana as its 72nd pontiff. He follows the footsteps outlined by his predecessor with awe and envisions for continuing the good works carried out by Math and expanding the same to benefit the global masses.

Mahaswamiji strongly believes that India is a rich Nation with abundant resources. He aspires to extract and efficiently utilize these resources so as to contribute for the development of the Nation. Having a scientific background and mastery over traditional knowledge, the Mahasamasthana acts as an advantage to combine Technology and Philosophy to come out with a new outlook towards life which is progressive, far sighted, humane, realistic, long-lasting and practical. Under his enthusiastic leadership and dedicated service Spiritual foretellers and seekers predict the Mahasamasthana to reach greater magnificence and splendor

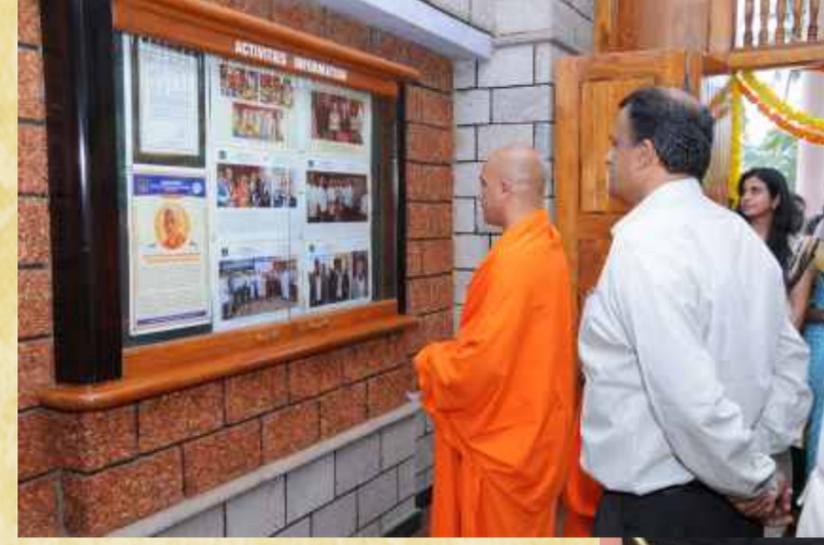


Tulasi Mala welcome by Mr. Manjunath Bhandary, Chairman, Sahyadri Educational Institutions



Traditional welcome by Sahyadrians

Mr. Manjunath Bhandary takes Sri Sri Sri Adichunchanagiri Maha Swamiji around the Campus



“ ಕೇವಲ ಬಾಹ್ಯ ಸೌಂದರ್ಯವಷ್ಟೇ ಅಲ್ಲದೆ, ಸಹ್ಯಾದ್ರಿ ಮಹಾವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಒಳಾಂಗಣದ ಮನಮೋಹಕ ವಿನ್ಯಾಸ, ನಿಜಕ್ಕೂ ಅದ್ಭುತ. ”

Sharing happy moments



“Jnana & Karma Divine Path to Salvation”

Educational

Nahi Jnanena Sadrusham...

The slogan means there is no match or alternative for Knowledge. As the old saying goes a King is honored only in his kingdom; whereas a knowledgeable person is revered anywhere in the world. Knowledge is the resultant of proper Education. Education in its true sense is important for an individual's upliftment and progress.

Sri Aurobindo rightly states that Education is the manifestation of the Divinity which already exists in man. Hence Education has been an inseparable part of all civilizations, though in varied forms and modes. In addition the present pontiff strongly believes that Education is “the tool” for upliftment of individual and also the Nation from the impoverishment and dependency resulting out of the ignorance and superstitions masking the minds of the people. He envisages spreading this campaign of education initiated by the Math all over the world so that the fame of India as an Educated and developed country reaches every corner of the world.



Social

Life Laughs while you cry,
Life smiles when you are happy,
Life salutes when you make
others happy.

Sri. Adichunchanagiri Math accomplished socio-spiritual works. Human beings and other creations are considered as the integral part of the society. Way of individual's life reflects upon total fabric of society.

Sri Swamiji's ability to oversee many on-going social activities is remarkable, yet he attributes everything to the blessings of Sri Kalabhyreshwara Swamy.

Moral

The Morality exists
within the minds of
Individuals leading to
an Ethical Society

Imbibing moral values in one's life is very much essential for a peaceful and stress free life. The Adichunchanagiri Math under the guidance of the Maha Swamiji was able to initiate many moral related programmes and activities through the Math.



Around the Sahyadri Campus





Interaction with Media

Answering the media, Sri Sri Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji said, “No country will rise beyond the level of teachers and only infrastructure cannot build an institution but the role of teachers plays a major role.” He also appreciated the internal beauty of the institution when asked by the media what he felt about the institution. Observing each and every venue with keen interest “Education is the Manifestation of Divine Perfection already existing in Human-beings. That perfection can be seen in the infrastructure of the institution, including the laboratories, auditorium and food court. Every stone of the institution speaks about academic ambience”, he added.



His Holiness Paramapoojya Jagadguru Padmabhushana Sri Sri Sri Dr. Balagangadharanatha Swamiji



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Mangalore Math

Sri Sri Sri Nirmala Palanatha Swamiji
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Two saints are etched in the hearts of all



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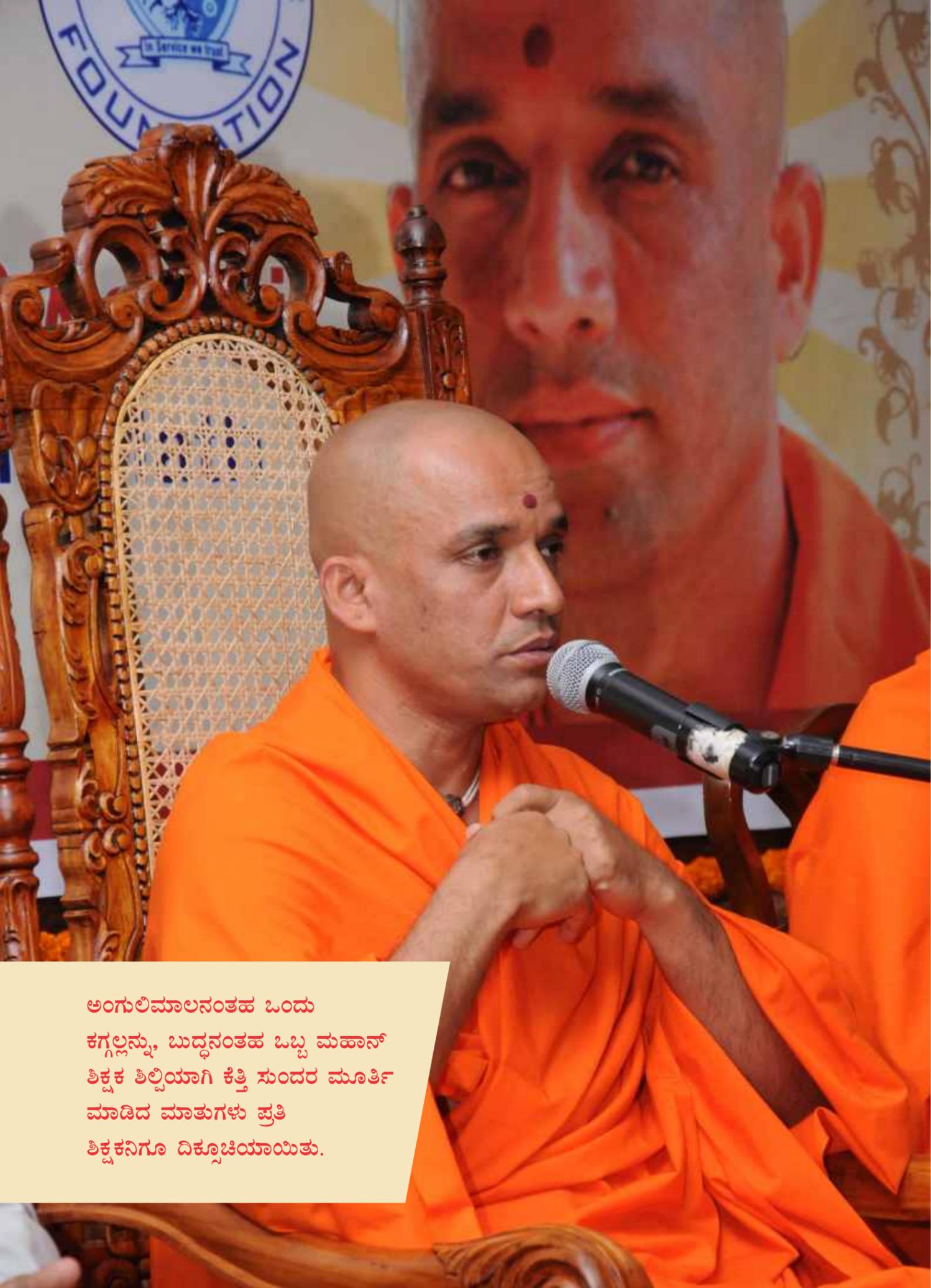
ಒಂದು ಮಹಾವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಪ್ರಗತಿಯ ಹಿಂದಿರುವ ಶ್ರಮ ಹೇಳತೀರದು. ಬಾಲಗಂಗಾಧರನಾಥ ಮಹಾ ಸ್ವಾಮೀಜಿಯವರ ಈ ಮಾತಿನ ತಾತ್ಪರ್ಯ ನನಗೆ ಅರ್ಥವಾಗಿದ್ದು, ನಾನು ಸಹ್ಯಾದ್ರಿ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಮಹಾವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯವನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಿದಾಗ, ಇದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ 20 ವರ್ಷಗಳೇ ಬೇಕಾಯಿತು ”



Down memory lane...

Sri Sri Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji, Sri Adichunchanagiri Maha Samsthana Math and Sri Sri Dharmapalanatha Swamiji, Mangalore Math visited Sahyadri College of Engineering & Management, Mangalore. During the interaction Mr. Manjunath Bhandary, Chairman, Bhandary Foundation shared his continuous rapport and his experience with Sri Adichunchanagiri Swamiji throughout his student days till date. He recollected the days when he was blessed with conversations with Param Poojya Jagadaguru Padmabhushana Sri Sri Sri Dr. Balagangadharanatha Mahaswamiji. He said that the words of MahaSwamiji about how difficult it is to build and nurture an educational institute still rings in his ears and how relevant he finds it even after twenty years of the incident when he established the institution. Mahaswamiji expressed his happiness when He was informed that Dr. Manjunath Bhandary had opened an educational institute for the benefit of the society. Mr. Manjunath Bhandary expressed his deep sorrow because His Holiness Param Poojya Jagadaguru Padmabhushana Sri Sri Sri Dr. Balagangadharanatha Mahaswamiji could not visit the institute but at the same time, he felt truly blessed that his Holiness Sri Sri Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji had visited and graced the Institution.





ಅಂಗುಲಿಮಾಲನಂತಹ ಒಂದು
ಕಗ್ಗಲ್ಲನ್ನು, ಬುದ್ಧನಂತಹ ಒಬ್ಬ ಮಹಾನ್
ಶಿಕ್ಷಕ ಶಿಲ್ಪಿಯಾಗಿ ಕೆತ್ತಿ ಸುಂದರ ಮೂರ್ತಿ
ಮಾಡಿದ ಮಾತುಗಳು ಪ್ರತಿ
ಶಿಕ್ಷಕನಿಗೂ ದಿಕ್ಕೂಚಿಯಾಯಿತು.

“ ಅರಳಿದ ಹೂ ಹೇಗೆ
ಸುಗಂಧವನ್ನು ಸೂಸಿ
ದುಂಬಿಗಳನ್ನು ಆಕರ್ಷಿಸುತ್ತದೆಯೋ
ಹಾಗೇ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬ ಶಿಕ್ಷಕನೂ ತನ್ನ
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ಮಾರ್ಗದರ್ಶಕನಾಗಿರಬೇಕು ”



In a separate session with the faculty members and students, he gave a call to the teachers to invest absolute energy and teach beyond the subjects and that will be the greatest achievement of this holistic profession. Swamiji spoke about the meetings of Swami Vivekananda with Sri Jamshetji Tata and how he was inspired to build the Tata Institute.

Narrating the story of Buddha and Angulimala, he said that the teachers have power to mould the minds of their students by brightening each others lives. He gave an example of Dr. Radhakrishnan and Stalin saying that one should live like a human being. Education leads to emancipation and one's personality should evolve and spread light around. He further said that one should use their senses and understand the power within and rise above. He compared teachers to flowers and said that they should bloom and spread the fragrance around through one's spirituality. The session was followed by a Q & A session. wherein

Interaction with faculty members

Q & A Session



Answering one of the questions asked by a student, he gave a call to the students to evolve as good human beings not only through academic learning but with the help and guidance of the parents, personalities and literature but ultimately the inner power should flow from within oneself.

Dr. Umesh M. Bhushi, Principal moderated the Q & A session and thanked the dignitaries for their visit and talk on “**Role and Message for Teachers.**” Dr. Bhushi quoting Sadguru Sri Sharavana Baba and Lord Sri Krishna, said that the seeker cannot transmit light if he himself is in darkness. He must therefore illumine himself first before he is able to give light to others. For this to happen certain qualities must be nurtured like overcoming desire, self- control, generosity, self confidence, adherence to truth and righteousness, softness in speech, have love and compassion for all beings, abstain from violence. He also said that the three doors of darkness are passion, anger and greed. These invite unhappiness and misery. On the other hand Faith, dispassion and surrender are the key ingredients that illumine the path of the spiritual aspirant.

“ ನಿಜವಾದ ಮಾನವನನ್ನಾಗಿಸುವ ಆಧ್ಯಾತ್ಮಿಕ ಶಕ್ತಿ, ಕೇವಲ ಶೈಕ್ಷಣಿಕ ಅಧ್ಯಯನದಿಂದ ಲಭಿಸುವುದಿಲ್ಲ, ಅದು ತಂದೆ, ತಾಯಿ ಆಶೀರ್ವಾದದಿಂದ, ಸಂತರ, ಮಹಾನ್ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಗಳ ಸಂಗದಿಂದ, ಮತ್ತು ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯದಿಂದ, ಮುಖ್ಯವಾಗಿ ಅದು ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬ ಮನುಷ್ಯನ ಹೃದಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಉದಯಿಸುವ ಆಂತರಿಕ ಶಕ್ತಿ. ”

Moments of Admiration



Mr. Manjunath Bhandary, Chairman, Bhandary Foundation, Mrs. Prasanna Bhandary, Secretary, Bhandary Foundation, Dr. Umesh M. Bhushi, Principal honoured Sri Sri Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji, Sri Adichunchanagiri Maha Samsthana Math.



Mr. Manjunath Bhandary, Chairman and Mrs. Prasanna Bhandary, Secretary, Bhandary Foundation honoured Sri Sri Dharmapalanatha Swamiji, Mangalore Math.

Moments of Admiration



In turn, Sri Sri Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji honoured the Chairman, Mr. Manjunath Bhandary and his wife Mrs. Prasanna Bhandary. A team from the Sri Adichunchanagiri Maha Samsthana Math, Trustees of Bhandary Foundation, faculty members, staff and students were present on the occasion.

Press Clippings



ಮಂಗಳೂರು: ಶ್ರೀ ಆದಿಚುಂಚನಗಿರಿ ಮಹಾಸಂಸ್ಥಾನ ಮಠದ ಶ್ರೀ ನಿರ್ಮಲಾನಂದನಾಥ ಸ್ವಾಮೀಜಿ ಶುಕ್ರವಾರ ಅಡ್ಡಾರಿನ ಸಹ್ಯಾದ್ರಿ ಎಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆದ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದಲ್ಲಿ ಮೌಲ್ಯಾಧಾರಿತ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಮತ್ತು ಆಧ್ಯಾತ್ಮಿಕತೆ ಕುರಿತು ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸ ನೀಡಿದರು. ಆದಿಚುಂಚನಗಿರಿಯ ಕಾವೂರು ಶಾಖಾ ಮಠದ ಧರ್ಮಪಾಲನಾಥ ಸ್ವಾಮೀಜಿ, ಸಹ್ಯಾದ್ರಿ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಮಂಜುನಾಥ ಭಂಡಾರಿ ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತರಿದ್ದರು.



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