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June & July 2019

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Dear Friends,

We're happy to share our newsletter for the month of June & July 2019.

Several of our children who excelled in their board examinations got admission into Delhi University. Capacity Building sessions were held with members of Childrens Cooperatives. Palgrave Macmillan formally published our study on children in conflict with law. 155 children in crisis situations were rescued by Butterflies CHILDLINE. All this & more in this issue.

Thank you, for being a friend, an ally in this journey towards changing children's lives. We really appreciate you taking the time to read our newsletter.



Butterflies CHILDLINE

"Children should not work in fields, but on dreams!"

Butterflies CHILDLINE celebrated International Anti Child Labour day at Hazrat Nizamuddin Railway station. The CHILDLINE team sensitized passengers and vendors on the issue of Child Labour and conveyed the message of International anti Child Labour Day.

Health Session at Night Shelter, New Delhi

On 26th July 2019 Butterflies CHILDLINE organized a session on Hepatitis for the inmates of the SPYM Night Shelter, Sarai Kale Khan. Dr. Pratap Goyal and Dr. Akansha Bharti, Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi took sessions and explained the types of Hepatitis, reasons, symptoms and how to prevent them. Useful tips were also given to children and parents on keeping themselves safe and healthy.

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CHILDREN'S COOPERATIVES

Childrens Development Khazana

A training for 16 CVMs and ACVMs was organized on 20th July, 2019 at Butterflies. The purpose of this training was to train children in basic accountancy, book keeping, budgeting, roles and responsibilities. The training also helped children better understand the importance of saving for their future and emergencies.

Child Health Sports Cooperative

Seven sessions on Personal Hygiene were held at each contact point with almost 130 children. On topics like personal hygiene, self-awareness, interpersonal skills, self-image & evaluation and critical thinking. Following the self-evaluation activity, children prepared a plan, where they listed few of their personal hygiene habits that they want to improve in the coming months and which will be examined by their Child Health Educator (CHE) every month.





AT A GLANCE

Street Education Programme- One of our children, Garima, from Jama Masjid won the third position in an inter-school Yoga competition organised by the Directorate of Education, Government of Delhi. Several of our students, owing to their good performance in the 12th board exams have got admission into the prestigious Delhi University for their under graduate studies.

Butterflies School of Culinary & Catering (BSCC) - In order to share the progress made by the trainees, a meeting with parents, guardians was organized on 11th July. A Cooking Competition was also organized where the trainees prepared dishes like kadhai paneer, Rice, Dal, Roti and raita. In addition, new recipes were also taught to the trainees like Paneer tikka, Kashmiri dum Aloo, Papri, Methi paneer, Carrot and cabbage tooran, Chicken Schezwan, Chicken with coconut milk, Chinese stir fry vegetables and Methi paneer.

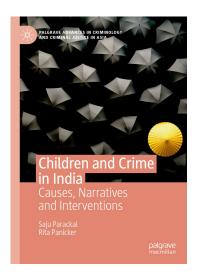
Alliance - On 5th July, the Bi monthly meeting of Delhi Child Rights Club (DCRC) was organized with a participation of 52 children and staff. The meeting which helped children learn the values of Mahatma Gandhi also witnessed children developing a year long plan of activities to celebrate

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Children and Crime in India -**Causes, Narratives and Interventions**

This book published by Palgrave Macmillan offers a sociological exploration of street children in India and what pulls and pushes them into delinquency. It draws on a rich, unique data set to provide a nuanced understanding of the causes of juvenile delinquency in India and offers an international study of delinquency situated in the global context. The book widens discussions around youth crime to the Global South and speaks to academics, practitioners and social workers in child protection, and policy makers in India and in developing countries and beyond. Those interested can buy the book online from- bit.ly/20c3KAP

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