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Opening Thought

"The quality of our thoughts determines our own personal degree of happiness."

Foreword

Dear Concerned friends,

We are extremely happy for the opportunity to interact with you once again, through the columns of this Newsletter. Sai RAM Trust celebrated its first anniversary on 1st June, 2008. The road taken up in this short span of one year has given us a lot of strength, success and our family grew to more than 1500 comprising experts from Academics and Industry, Bureaucrats, NGOs, Teachers, Parents, Students, and School children. We all shall proudly dedicate ourselves to this noble mission.

The current issue comes to you with a few pleasant surprises in the form of significant achievements towards our mission. This is the result of our dedicated team working with their high level of commitment and the hearty involvement of kind Patrons like you.

Sai RAM Trust, with the support of many hands and hearts like yours, is moving ahead towards establishment of its first Academic Institution "**Centre for Advanced Diploma Studies & Research, (CADSR)**" in Ahmedabad, taking the first step towards our proposed University - 'Mahatma Gandhi Vishva Bharati'.

CADSR- plans to offer a few short term courses like Scientific writing and Regulatory Compliance for the Graduate and Post Graduate students from the varied Science Streams and allied disciplines. We are also planning to offer a few courses like Communicative English & life skills, Office Management, Basics of Accounting etc to the graduates from all streams.

We are sure you observed a few changes and additions on our website. We are organising Social sensitising initiatives and E Communities through our website. We are taking up poster campaigns to spread information on Sai RAM Trust.

We are taking up a few consultancy services and research studies. We are currently working towards a research project on "Assessment of HR Needs and Expectations of Biotech Industries in Gujarat", in association with Gujarat State Biotechnology Mission(GSBTM).

We earnestly seek your enthusiastic participation, support and valuable guidance that has been our driving force.

With many thanks in anticipation and kind regards,

Yours Sincerely,

Sai RAM Family.

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Happenings

Meetings of Expert Academicians from Biotechnology and Pharmacy

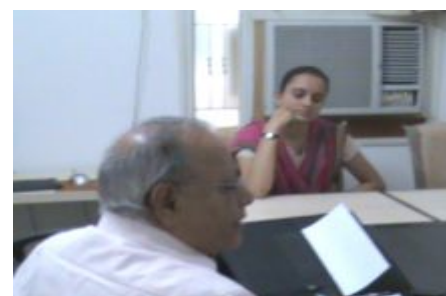
A meeting of Experts from the Academics and Industry was organised by Sai RAM Trust on 12th June, 2008. Prof. Dr. P.G. Shrotriya, Executive Director Cadila Pharmaceuticals Limited, Prof. Dr. Gaurang Shah, Head, Department of Biotechnology & Pharmacy, Sarva Vishvavidyalaya, Gandhinagar, Dr. Milan Satia, Chief Scientific Officer, Accutest Research Laboratories (I) Pvt Ltd., Prof. Dr. Shobhlata V Udupudi, Director in Charge, Gujarat National Law University, Dr. Ms. Kajal Gupta, Faculty, Indian Institute of Advanced Research, Gandhinagar, Mr. DNS Siva Kumar, Director, Sai RAM Trust, and Ms. Smruthi Srinivasan, a researcher in Biotechnology from Gujarat University participated in the discussions.

The meeting approved the proposed course contents for Scientific Writing along with the schedule for conducting the programme.

The course on IPR/Patents and Regulatory affairs was suggested to be improved by its contents and topics to cover the International regulatory compliance standards and norms. Sai RAM Trust shall be offering these two courses through the **Centre for Advanced Diploma Studies & Research** - planned to be established very shortly.

Students' participation in the proposed Research Project with Gujarat State Biotechnology Mission (GSBTM)

Sai RAM Trust is proposing to take up a research consultancy project on 'Assessment of HR Needs and Expectations of the Biotech Industries in Gujarat' in association and support of Gujarat State Biotechnology Mission. We wish to involve students to undertake this study and contacted different Departments and Universities. Several students from the Gujarat University and Integrated programmes of Biotechnology from VN South Gujarat University submitted their willingness to join our endeavour, voluntarily. We are quite encouraged for their response. We received a total of 62 applications from students of various Institutions across Gujarat.



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Orientation and Interactive sessions

We organised two student interactive sessions and an orientation session as a part of GSBTM research project, for the group of students from Department of Microbiology & Biotechnology of Gujarat University. Dr. A.N. Bhadalkar and Dr. Anasuya Laheri of GSBTM actively participated in the orientation session and highly motivated the students for Research.

Special thanks to Dr. AK Saxena the Director of GSBTM, Dr. AN Bhadalkar and Dr. Anasuya Laheri, the sector specialists for Industries and Environment at GSBTM - for all their support and encouragement. We look forward for active coordination with GSBTM and qualitative contributions through the research projects being taken up.

Sai RAM Trust heartily thanks all the young students for their involvement and support. The contribution of Ms. Smruthi Srinivasan from Gujarat University was praise worthy.

Interactions with Experts from the Industry and Academics

Mr. Siva Kumar and Mrs. Sindhura G from Sai RAM Trust met Prof. Dr. CJ Shishoo, Prof. Dr. Harish Padh, Prof. Dr. Shubha Desai and Dr. Tanuja Kulshresta and appraised them of the short term courses being proposed to be offered by Sai RAM Trust through Centre for Advanced Diploma Studies and Research. The efforts were appreciated and all the experts have provided their valuable suggestions and inputs. We thank them all for their kindly assistance.

Guest Book

- ★ "Very good purpose with a noble cause. All the best." - **Dr. Milan Satia, Chief Research Officer, Accutest India Ltd.**
- ★ "Learning is a life long process. It is wonderful to be associated with an Institute so holistically in that process." - **Dr. Shobhlata Udupudi, Director, Gujarat National Law University**
- ★ "Immensely impressed with the approach and objectives. Best Wishes." - **P.G. Shrotriya, Executive Director, Cadila Pharmaceuticals**

Feedback & Support

- ★ I am definitely interested in the activities of the trust particularly academic and educational activities and would like to help in any way I can. Please keep me informed about the outcome of the meetings and further developments. Kindly let me know if there is any thing I can do in future also. - **Dr. Shubha Desai Professor, LM College of Medicine.**
- ★ I am forwarding you the links for various courses that are offered in Universities abroad. - **Dr. Kajal Gupta, Research Associate, Indian Institute of Advanced Research, Gandhinagar**



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[A new team member joins Sai RAM Trust](#)

Mrs. Sindhura Gudipati, a Biotechnologist with M Tech from BITS, Pilani joined our mission, as a Faculty member cum Academic Coordinator. She has a good exposure to teaching, Research at CCMB, Hyderabad and a brief spell of Industrial exposure. **We heartily welcome Mrs. Sindhura to our team.**

[Good Job Keep it up](#)

The designing skills and creativity of Ms. Krupali Bhatt, a Designer cum Researcher working at Sai RAM Trust, was largely appreciated by many of the members of our family. Her contributions enabled Sai RAM Trust to explore consultancy services in the Corporate and Industry. **Well done Krupali, Keep it up.**

[Just for laughs](#)

Career Song - The 8 stages

1. When in college : Hum honge kaamiyaab, Hum honge kaam iyaab ek din.....
2. When giving interview to Multi National Company: Tu hi re.. Too hi retere binaaa main kaise jiyunn....
3. Waiting for interview result: Intehaa ho gai Intzaarki.. aayinaaa kuch khabar mere yaarki ...
4. Just joined: Too cheez badi hai mast mast.....
5. After some time: Ye kahaan aa gaye hum??
6. After some more time: Naa koyi umang hai, naa koyi tarang hai, meri jindagi ek kati Pathang hai (boohoooo)
7. Floating the resume: kabootar ja ja ja... kabootar ja ja ja... pehele pyar ki peheli chitthi...
8. Finally when you don't get a better offer any longer:

Crying **Jeena Yehaan, marna Yehaan, is kesiwa Jaana Kahaa..!!**

[A good story](#)

A young and successful executive was traveling down a neighborhood street, going a bit too fast in his new Jaguar. He was watching for kids darting out from between parked cars and slowed down. When he thought he saw something. As his car passed, no children appeared. Instead, a brick smashed into the Jag's side door! He slammed on the brakes and backed the Jag back to the spot where the brick had been thrown.

The angry driver then jumped out of the car, grabbed the nearest kid and pushed him up against a parked car shouting, 'What was that all about and who are you? Just what the heck are you doing? That's a new car and that brick you threw is going to cost a lot of money. Why did you do it?' The young boy was apologetic.

'Please, mister....please, I'm sorry but I didn't know what else to do,' He pleaded. 'I threw the brick because no one else would stop...' With tears dripping down his face and off his chin, the youth pointed to a spot just around a parked car. 'It's my brother,' he said. 'He rolled off the curb and fell out of his wheelchair and I can't lift him up.'

Now sobbing, the boy asked the stunned executive, 'Would you please help me get him back into his wheelchair? He's hurt and he's too heavy for me.'

Moved beyond words, the driver tried to swallow the rapidly swelling lump in his throat. He hurriedly lifted the handicapped boy back into the wheelchair, then took out a linen handkerchief and dabbed at the fresh scrapes and cuts. A quick look told him everything was going to be okay. 'Thank you and may God bless you,' the grateful child told the stranger. Too shook up for words, the man simply watched the boy! push his wheelchair-bound brother down the sidewalk toward their home.

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It was a long, slow walk back to the Jaguar. The damage was very noticeable, but the driver never bothered to repair the dented side door. He kept the dent there to remind him of this message:

'Don't go through life so fast that someone has to throw a brick at you to get your attention!' God whispers in our souls and speaks to our hearts. Sometimes when we don't have time to listen, He has to throw a brick at us. It's our choice to listen or not.

If God had a refrigerator, your picture would be on it. If He had a wallet, your photo would be in it. He sends you flowers every spring. He sends you a sunrise every morning Face it, friend - He is crazy about you! God didn't promise days without pain, laughter without sorrow, sun without rain, but He did promise strength for the day, comfort for the tears, and light for the way..

Read this line very slowly and let it sink in...

If God brings you to it, He will bring you through it.

Let's Shape a Better World

"Be kinder than necessary because everyone you meet is fighting some kind of battle."

A sharp tongue can cut my own throat.

If I want my dreams to come true, I mustn't oversleep.

Of all the things I wear, my ex-pression is the most important.

The best vitamin for making friends..... B1.

The happiness of my life depends on the quality of my thoughts.

The heaviest thing I can carry is a grudge.



One thing I can give and still keep...is my word.

I lie the loudest when I lie to myself.

If I lack the courage to start, I have already finished.

One thing I can't recycle is wasted time.

Ideas won't work unless ' I ' do.

My mind is like a parachute...it functions only when open.

The 10 commandments are not a multiple choice.

The pursuit of happiness is the chase of a lifetime!

It is never too late to become what I might have been.

Life is too short to wake up with regrets. So love the people who treat you right. Forget about the one's who don't. Believe everything happens for a reason.

If you get a second chance, grab it with both hands.

If it changes your life, let it. Nobody said life would be easy, they just promised it would be worth it.



"Treat others as you want to be treated by them"