North Jersey Sewa for Cricket

Lincoln park Cricket Ground, NJ, Sep 07, 14, 15 2019

9th Annual Cricket Tournament was successfully conducted on Sept. 7th, 14th and 15th to support Sponsor a Child program. It was conducted by Sewa NY Metro with the support of North Jersey chapter. Total 41 teams participated of which three women and two teenager teams are the highlight. The tournaments were conducted at Lincoln Park Cricket grounds in Jersey City. Many young volunteers (LEADS) from North Jersey chapter supported the event. More than $10,000 were raised by the event through the registrations and sponsors.
North Jersey Sewa: Rt 46 cleanup

Parsippany, NJ, Sep 22, 2019
Sewa volunteers performed Rt. 46 clean up service in Parsippany. It spanned over two miles. Eight volunteers participated and picked up eight bags of litter. This is third cleanup of the year. This year we renewed the contract for two more years with DOT of NJ and Clean Communities Council of NJ.

North Jersey Sewa: Sewa booth at Parsippany Fall festival

Parsippany, NJ, Sep 22, 2019
Sewa setup an information booth at the Fall Festival of Parsippany. We provided free henna and water. Beside many visitors, town Mayor Michael Soriano also visited our booth.

North Jersey Sewa: Kutumbha Prabhodhan (Happy Families)

Parsippany NJ, Sep 28, 2019
Family Services has facilitated Kutumbha Prabhodhan (Happy Families) workshop for parents.
Mananiya Yogendra Ji Gupta – National Coordinator for Kutumha Prabhodhan has conducted the three hour workshop on how to raise a happy family on Hindu value system. Around 34 people participated and they found it to be very valuable. We plan it to conduct again for those who missed it.

**North Jersey Sewa: LEAD Conclusion Program**

*Parsippany NJ, Sep 28, 2019*

It is an internal conclusion program of LEAD North Jersey 2019. Mani Ji Venkat presented the review of the LEAD program. LEADs Charan Kanna and Ananya Raghavan, and LEAD parents Senthil Ji and Sudha Ji gave feedback of the entire program.

Mananiya Gaurav Ji Singhal – North East Coordinator for HHS spoke about the importance of sewa (selfless service) and how it uplifts ones own life. Shri Ashish Vilas Bhave – Director of Skill Development – India thanked LEADs for their support to the Girl Child and Sponsor a Child projects in India.
Central Jersey Sewa: Boat Festival at Woodbridge

Central Jersey, Sep05, 2019
Sewa Leads participated in the 'Boat Festival' organized by the Radha Gopinath Temple. The leads did a great job starting with Chetana applying Tilak (Bottu) to everyone. Anjali, Veena, Muskan, Aparna Raunak, Aarna and Pari served food to everyone before themselves. This was the first event where parents joined hands with the Leads in making it a successful event.

Central Jersey Sewa: SEWA Awareness at Oak Tree Mall

Edison & Monroe NJ, Sep 07, 2019
Leads organized Sewa awareness at Ganesh Utsav, Oak Tree Mall. More than 100 guests were among the people of the various charity and humanitarian endeavors of SEWA International and SEWA NJ. Great job Anjali and Sri for organizing the event and Anjali, Chetna, Veena, Prabhat, Pari and Raunak for participating.
Central Jersey Chesterfield Center: NJ walk for PKD

**Mercer County Park West Windsor, Sep 22, 2019**

Chesterfield SEWA team volunteered at NJ Walk for PKD (polycystic kidney disease) Organized by PKD Foundation at Mercer County Park, About 400 participated in this 5k walkthon.

The Sewa Team helped with the setting up, placing the signboards, cheering walkers & teardown. About 24 volunteers put a total of 144 hours. Received a great response from the organizers & participants.

Central Jersey Sewa: Adopt a highway

**Central Jersey, Sep 28, 2019**

Adult volunteers participated in the Adopt a Highway route 27 clean up. Acting mayor of Metuchen Linda Koskoski came to kick start the clean up event, she came on a bicycle.
Central Jersey  Chesterfield Center: Harvest Festival

Chesterfield, Sep 28, 2019

About 25 Chesterfield SEWA Volunteers played a vital role in Chesterfield 4th Annual Harvest Fest. They not only helped with the setup (tents, unloading pumpkins, mums, placing the signs) but also helped 15+ vendors in setting their tables. At the SEWA booth, our volunteers educated residents on the right way of recycling & distributed goodies from the Burlington County Recycling Authority. SEWA team received lot of appreciation & encouragement from the township & residents for their volunteering efforts.

Central Jersey Sewa: Edison Center: Java Programming Workshop

Edison, Sep 29, 2019

Edison center of Central NJ chapter organized a small Java Programming workshop for 12+ year olds in Edison to raise funds for Sponsor -A-Child.
Soup Kitchen Food Delivery

Morristown NJ, September.
As a monthly practice, Chandra Ji Multini collected food from the participating families of Sewa and delivered to Morristown Soup Kitchen on October 6th, for the month of September

Upcoming Events:

for October & November months
SEWA Diwali Food Drive - All chapters
North Jersey Group Lead award ceremony
Chesterfield Community Fall cleanup
Chesterfield CPR Training
Edison Tower trail cleanup
Edison & Monroe Group Lead award ceremony
Westchester NY Carroms for SEWA
Westchester NY Greenburgh Nature center Halloween

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This month's quotation:

Om Sarve Bhavantu Sukhinah