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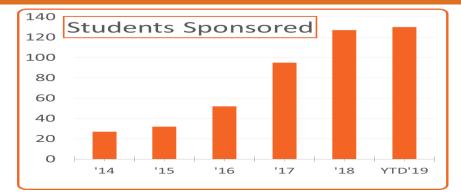


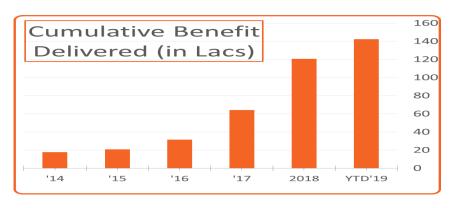
### Newsletter

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Spring '19

#### HELPING UNDERPRIVILEGED STUDENTS PURSUE THEIR DREAMS





Message from President

<u> Message from Treasurer</u>

Message from Director Operations



ear Volunteers

, Sponsors,
Supporters, Wellwishers, Critics,
Social Media Followers, and our
Amazing Students,

On behalf of the Executive Team at TeluguPeople Foundation, I am glad to let you all know that we are going to have our 11th Annual Success Celebration on June 9th, 2019! Please save the date on your calendars!

We are going to have our Annual Event in a slightly bigger way this year with a hope that we can spread the word better by inviting more people. We are reaching out to many sponsors and we are happy to receive great responses from them. With the support of our sponsors and supporters, we are planning the event with some entertainment too.

# President's Message

**By Prasad Kunisetty** 

Well known Telugu Music
Director and Award-Winning
Movie Director RP Patnaik garu
has agreed to attend our event as
the Chief Guest. The event venue
is at Mirage Convention Center,
a well-known location on Oak
Tree Road.

Amazing Singers Prasad Simhadri, Sruthi Nanduri, Sundari Mulakaluri and Anchor Manoj Iruvuri are going to entertain the audience.

The venue is around 3 times bigger than the last venue we had. Hence, I request all of you to reach out to your friends who might be interested in the activities of TeluguPeople Foundation. Please help spread the word and try to bring at least one new family to the event along with yours. Let them see what we have been doing in the last 11 years and let them come forward to support us.

I once again sincerely thank all of you for what and where we are today. I thank you all from the bottom of my heart for your amazing and continued support in our mission to bring change in many lives.

We all can proudly say that every student we are helping can directly or indirectly influence and bring change in the lives of another 100 people in the short, medium and long terms. We need to reach out to the lowest segments of our society and help them grow in their lives.

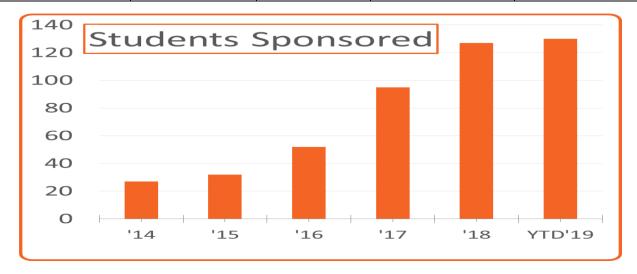
We also need to create more leaders in TeluguPeople
Foundation and onboard more volunteers so that we will be able serve and help more students.
Please suggest us if you come across anyone who can help strengthen our foundation. Also, please spread the word about us, spread the work we are doing.
Use your social media strength to promote TeluguPeople
Foundation.

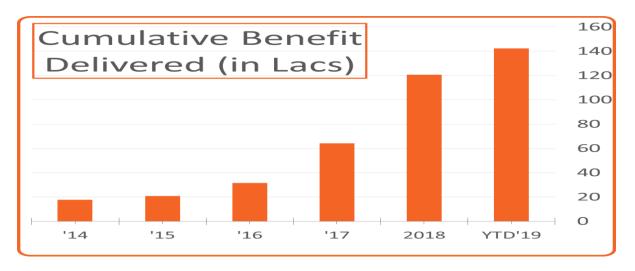
Once again, thank you very much for your continued support!

# Scholarships at a glance

By Director, Operations - Krishna Kotha

Years	Students	Graduates	Projects	Money Disbursed
Established	Sponsored	Employed	Sponsored	(₹)
11	130	31	33	1,42,22,409





# Treasurer's report

By Lava Boggavarapu

Even though I, as the Treasurer, get to disburse the scholarship amount to the beneficiary students, I hardly get a chance to learn about them or their background. During my last trip to India in Jan/Feb '19, I was determined to meet a few of the students. It was a very fulfilling experience.

After reaching Vizag, drove down to Araku and from there to Burj, a hamlet near Srikakulam. I first met **Sri. Vasudeva Rao Paridala**. Sri Vasudeva Rao, a man of immense energy and optimism, is our Field Volunteer there. He helps in vetting the local applicants. Had the good pleasure of meeting about 7 students there.



Back in Vizag, I met five students, over two separate two sessions.







In Kakinada, my hometown, met Mr. Pavan Kesarapu, who has completed is BTech and is now pursuing MTech at JNTUK. He's happily employed as an Instrumentation Engineer at one of the sugar factories in Kakinada. It's very impressive to see him juggle many things: his long commute, his full-time job and his MTech!



He comes from a farming family and wants to use his technical skills to develop tools to farm better in the local conditions.

We had an impromptu visit from one of our close supporters, **Mr. Sandilya Garimella**, from the Bay Area, CA. Krishna, Prasad and I had the pleasure of dining with him recently.



One thing I noticed is the level of energy and enthusiasm in these students. They are ambitious and have ambitious goals. We wish them the best and will continue

to encourage them to reach their full potential.

Amazon Smiles continues to be generous to our cause – in all of 2018, we received a total of \$46.79 from them. When you purchase from Amazon, please login via Amazon Smiles and select TeluguPeople Foundation as your favorite charity. Amazon donates 0.05% of the transaction to us.



Prior to making a donation, please check the Matching Gifts section in our <u>Donate</u> page. You can easily double, or even triple, your impact in case your employer matches your Donation.



# Students Roundup

By Director, Operations - Krishna Kotha
Scholarships offered during
the quarter

We have offered scholarships for 3 new students during the quarter. Below are houses of some of our students. The pictures speak volumes about their economic status and why we chose to support them.









Adopt-a-Project(s): New projects undertaken during this Quarter: In partnership with our donors and field partners, we have undertaken several new projects during this quarter. Out of these, the following projects are completed.

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Water plant, Furniture and Sports equipment for ZPH School, Cheemalapadu, Krishna (Dt) in collaboration with Prathigna





# Sports & Music Equipment

Sports
Equipment for
ZPH School,
Cheemalapadu
Krishna (Dt)



Digital Audio set for MPE School, Mannarpolur, Nellore (Dt)







### మంగళవారం 12 ఫిబ్రవల 2019

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## Playgrounds

Playground at MPP School, Chevuru, Prakasam (Dt)

Playground at MPP School, Chintalapalem, Nellore (Dt)







### TV & Incinerators

**TV** for MPP School, Bollapalli, Guntur (Dt) with <u>Sneha</u> <u>Hasthaalu</u> and Pure Foundation





Incinerators for
Multiple schools
in Guntur (Dt) in
collaboration
with Sneha
Hasthaalu and
Pure Foundation





Incinerators donated schools: Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya, Rajupalem,

Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya, Sattenapalli and Amaravati Girls Social Welfare Hostel



We have six other projects currently in progress with various field partners. We have sanctioned funds for them to begin work and the projects are currently in execution. We will provide more updates as they progress.

If you would like to refer or sponsor a student, meet our students or to volunteer, please reach out to

<u>admin@TeluguPeople.org</u> or <u>students@TeluguPeople.org</u>

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We are always looking for funds to support more students.

Please donate

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Your referral could change the course of a student's career and life.

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