



# MPF Pune Central (2023-24)

*A journey towards Culture and Commitment*

Joy of  
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# Ganesh Stuti

मन से मन का साक्षात्कार  
अंतर्मन में फैला प्रकाश  
मन हर्षित रोम रोम पुलकित  
मन दर्पण मन प्रतिबिंबित मनमोहक  
अति पावन सुंदर गणेश जी का चित्र विराजित  
अवर्णनीय - अव्यक्त अनुभूति अकल्पनीय मनस्मृति  
कुछ नम कुछ स्निग्ध भाव  
मन मौन प्रभावित  
हे प्रभु गणेशा,  
आप रहना साथ हमेशा।

जब मैं हो जाऊ उदास, मेरे हृदय में करके वास,  
जगा देना मेरा विश्वास  
विसर्जन करूँ मैं अभिमान, गुस्सा, द्वेष, लोभ,  
मोह, आलस, चिंता, निराशा और बुरी आदतों का।  
दान देना आप ज्ञान का, काम ऐसा करें  
बढ़े मान माँ-बाप और समाज का  
खुश रहूँ और जीवन हो सम्मान का  
दूसरों की सेवा का व्रत मैं पाल लूँ  
आपकी कृपा से ये जिंदगी सम्भाल लूँ  
आपकी भक्ति की आदत मैं डाल लूँ  
हे प्रभु गणेशा,  
आप रहना साथ हमेशा।

# Joy of Life

## (Leading a Healthy Life)

### Joy of Life (JOL) 2023: Celebrating the "Joy of Being Healthy"

In the heart of Maheshwari Professional Forum (MPF), the annual Joy of Life (JOL) event is a vibrant celebration that pulsates with life's diverse dimensions. This year's JOL had a profound theme: "Joy of Being Healthy."

#### Highlights:

- **Health & Blessings:** The day commenced with a spiritual touch, seeking blessings from Lord Ganesha with a heartwarming Ganesh Vandana.
- **Health Check-Ups:** In association with Krsnaa Diagnostics, **216 members** had free blood tests, assessing vital health markers.
- **Dance & Fitness:** The trampoline arena ignited with an electrifying dance performance, featuring 150 enthusiastic kids and 190 adults grooving to Zumba beats.
- **Community Unity:** A grand total of 380 participants made this JOL the most significant in MPF history.



#### Beyond the Main Event:

- **Eye Check-Ups:** In partnership with Agarwal Eye Hospital, 180 adults had free eye check-ups, ensuring clear vision for all the excitement.
- **Stylish Transformation:** The Joy of Fashion event at BCL saw 200 people experimenting with cool hairstyles, adding a touch of flair to their looks.

MPF's mission is to unite hearts and spread joy, and JOL exemplifies this commitment. Each year, we raise the bar, taking our community to new heights of happiness and celebrating the Joy of Life together.

In 2023, it was all about the "Joy of Being Healthy" - a reminder that good health is the key to unlocking life's full potential.

# Mahesh Gaurav Puraskar (Recognition & Felicitation)

## Mahesh Gaurav Puraskar 2023: Celebrating Remarkable Contributions

Mahesh Professional Forum (MPF) Pune, hosted the esteemed Mahesh Gaurav Puraskar on August 6th, 2023, at the Swami Vivekanand Auditorium, MIT, Pune. This annual event is a tribute to exceptional individuals in two categories:

### Man of Substance:

Shri Radheshyam Ji Devkisan Ji Chandak

### Woman of Substance:

Mrs. Kirti Ji Kabra



### Remarkable Awardees:



**Shri Chandak Ji, founder of Buldana Urban Credit Cooperative**, is a revered social worker from Vidharbh. He has significantly improved the lives of people in weaker sections, farmers, and students by providing accessible and low-interest finance. His contributions extend to healthcare and education sectors.

Similarly, **Mrs. Kirti Ji Kabra** made her mark in the corporate world at a time when opportunities for women were limited. Her relentless efforts and



innovative ideas propelled **RR Global** into a global brand present in over 90 countries. Beyond professional success, she has made significant contributions to uplifting underprivileged communities through technical training, promoting women's education and self-reliance, and advancing healthcare.

The event was graced by dignitaries including Mrs. Shruti Ji Karnani, Chairperson of Mahesh Forum Charitable Trust (MFCT), who expressed her elation at honoring these outstanding personalities. Dr. Ashok Ji Laddha, Shri Purushottam Ji Mundada, and Shri Vipul Ji Nawandar were also present on the dais.

The entire ceremony was meticulously organized by all Chapters of MPF, Pune, under the adept leadership of Shri Manoj Ji Baldawa. Mahesh Gaurav Puraskar 2023 celebrated not only professional excellence but also the profound impact of these individuals on society, exemplifying their dedication to upliftment and progress.

# Gift of Education

(Aims to sponsor needy students' college fees)

## Breaking News: Double the Delight - GOE Event Shines Twice!

Imagine an event so grand, it had to be held on two spectacular days! That's the Gift of Education (GOE) event, brought to you by Mahesh Professional Forum (MPF).

7 chapters of MPF under MFCT teamed up to make it happen, all for a great cause.

### What's the Buzz?

**Two-Day Extravaganza:** It's the first time in MPF's history that GOE spanned over two days. The enthusiasm was just too contagious!

**Fits the Theme:** The event harmonized perfectly with our theme - "**A Journey Towards Culture and Commitment.**" It was like a live episode of Ramayan, starring some of our favorite TV actors.

**More Hearts, More Funds:** Corporations pitched in with Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) funding. Our family of donors also grew, making this GOE a true community effort.



### Event Thrills:

**Warm Welcome:** As you stepped in, Traditional Tilak marks set the mood and melodious Shank Gunj

**Applauding the Heroes:** The event spotlighted 20 remarkable donors and sponsors who made this extravaganza possible.

**Cultural Delights:** The epic Ramayan came alive, transforming the venue into a little Ayodhya. Zenda and Shank Gunj added to the charm, while delicious food packets satisfied your taste buds.



# Gift of Education (Contd..)



## Heartwarming Initiative:

MPF introduced a touching initiative - members contributing on special occasions like birthdays and anniversary.

Already, we've raised over **INR 2 lakhs**, setting a record for the highest number of donors in a single event, with more expected soon.

## Record-Breaking Success:

The GOE 2023 set a new standard, **raising INR 1.5 crores**, exceeding everyone's wildest expectation in association of **Abhay Bhutada Foundation**

People have been showering us with compliments! **Abhay Ji Bhutada** was amazed at how it touched people, Puneet Issar praised everyone for being so professional, and Chandan Ji Lahoti gave a big thank you to everyone who helped make it happen.

This achievement, under the guidance of **Omprakash Marda and Chandan Lahoti**, strengthens our resolve to empower education.



# Blood Donation (PR Activity )

## A Lifesaving Blood Donation Drive - MVPM Leads, MPF Supports

In an initiative led by MVPM, MPF proudly stood as an associate partner for a monumental blood donation campaign on **August 20, 2023**. This heartfelt endeavor spanned at **6** in Pune and **20 locations** in Maharashtra, resulting in an astounding **4,900** collected blood bottles, with Pune's contribution totaling **1,537**. This powerful collaboration showcases MPF's steadfast dedication to serving the community. Through their joint efforts, lives are being impacted in a profound way.

This initiative lead by **Kailashji Navandar** and **PR team** continues to inspire hope and exemplifies the extraordinary achievements possible when organizations unite for a common cause.

**MVPM ALUMNI AND MVPM**  
ALONG WITH 30+ ORGANISATIONS IN PUNE  
**MEGA BLOOD DONATION**  
(PUN MAHARASHTRA)  
Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August 2023  
9 AM to 5 PM  
SUPPORTED BY:  
**Abhaya Bhudekar FOUNDATION**  
PROUD ASSOCIATION  
**MPF Central**  
LOCATIONS:  
V. N. Lahoti Wajyashri Dhevan Medel Colony, Shivajinagar, Pune  
MVPM Laxmi Hostel, Near Zambra Palace, Wakund Nagar, Pune  
Khandaraya Mangal Karyalay, Khandoba Chowk, Warudal Pune Road, Ahardi, Pune  
MVPM Ganer Hostel, Galswadi Phata, Ganer, Pune  
Mahesh Wajyashri Kulkarni, Pune  
Kastur Thel Building, Ganesh Pagar, Below Under, Near Kulkarni Phata Wagdar, Pune  
Solicit Your Support & Encouragement  
By Donating Blood  
TEAM MVPM ALUMNI  
**Donate blood, save life!**

**Record 4812 Bottles of one-day Blood Donation in Maheshwari Samaj..!**  
CITY WISE DONATION COUNT  
Pune - 1537    Malegaon - 212    Thane - 70  
Solapur - 684    Nagar - 208    Amalner - 42  
Jalgaon - 721    Nashik - 185    Akola - 39  
Ichalkaranji - 305    Jaina - 112    Mulund - 54  
Latur - 301    Satara - 150  
Digital Certificates were Provided to all Blood Donors.  
On the Occasion of VN Lahoti Hostel Foundation Day!  
**MVPM ALUMNI & MVPM**  
In Association with 30 Like Minded Organizations, Organized a State Wide Campaign  
**MEGA BLOOD DONATION**  
(PUN MAHARASHTRA)  
Sunday 20th August 2023





# Directors' Corner

(Apr-Sep 2023)



**Atulji Navandar**  
(President Elect &  
Dir. Ashirwad Samaroh)

**Thought behind Theme:** Becoming a BOD member is a deserving thing/achievement indicating your leadership skill and you are ready to do social work and give back to society. Wanted to give BOD a royal feel related to our Rajasthani culture.

**Experience working with Team:** A good team with freedom of thought

**Team bonding with Team:** Team had new concepts, ideas & were ready to work whole heartedly throughout the event. It was a complete teamwork that led to successful event

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**Thought behind Theme:** We wanted to relate the sport of cricket to our Chapter's theme for this year "**A Journey Towards Culture and Commitment**". Donated amount equal to runs scored for the cause of Gou Seva, Cultural aspect was followed. Planted the trees equal to wickets taken, we further cemented our commitment to mother earth. Kids BCL teams were named of our Deities.



**Shrikantji Rathi**  
(Dir. Battle of Prof.)

**Experience working with Team:** Organizing a mega event like BCL, close to every MPF member's heart is a very daunting task. BOP team under the Chairmanship of Ar. Darshan Lakhotiya and Nisha Baheti worked actively and diligently had raised the bar through promotional videos, adoption of Casino theme for auction were loved and appreciated by all and deeply satisfying experience.

**Team bonding with Team:** Most of the meetings were conducted in homes of team members only. These things coupled with love and respect for each other have surely created a strong and long-lasting bonding within our team

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**Tulsiji Mantri**  
(Dir. Joy of Life)

**Thought behind Theme:** Committee Members thought of all practical and budget prospects and finalize the Trampoline theme for joy of life event along with Health check up

**Experience working with Team:** Nice experience working with all committee members as we planned sub committee according to flow of event and interest of Committee members', so it's made me very easy to execute all activities in event

**Team bonding with Team:** As we know MPF is like a family itself and I am working for family and with family, so we all are together and that made strong bonding among us.

# Directors' Corner

(Apr-Sep 2023)



**Manojji Baldawa**  
(Dir. Mahesh Gaurav)

**Thought behind Theme:**

**Idea:** Evolving solutions to pressing issues.

**Focal Point:** The pivotal moment their business idea materialized.

**Growth:** Strategies ensuring widespread impact, adapting to changing dynamics and overcoming challenges.

**Contribution towards Society:** Emphasizing their innate social responsibility and tangible community contributions. This theme truly encapsulates their extraordinary achievements.

**Experience working with Team:** A good team with freedom of thought

**Team bonding with Team:** Team had new concepts, ideas & were ready to work whole heartedly throughout the event. It was a complete teamwork that led to successful event

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**Thought behind Theme:**

At start of the year, we decided a theme for the year, and I was clear to have an event aligned to our Theme. Further Ramayan suggest us what we should do in our life which is need of the hour. So, we planned a Modern Play, which depict what should we do and what we should not do in current circumstances.



**Chandanji Lahoti**  
(Dir. Gift of Education)

**Experience working with Team:** Learning is key, and I learnt a lot from this event. Some qualities which I learnt through this event were leadership, networking, project management, saving etc. The support which I got from GOE Team, BOD, Secretary, Treasure and President was of next level

**Team bonding with Team:** Trusting, believing, allocating work on basis of someone's interest and availability. As a leader you must be agile/flexible in your approach and take everyone together.

# Teens' Articles

## (GenNxt)

### CHANDRAYAAN 3: INDIA'S SUCCESSFUL JOURNEY TO MOON

India's ambitious third lunar mission, Chandrayaan-3, is a continuation of Chandrayaan-1 and Chandrayaan-2. India's second attempt to make a soft landing on the Moon's surface is called Chandrayaan-3. ISRO is working on a project to land successfully on the moon's surface and send a rover out to collect data and conduct experiments. The mission's primary objective is to investigate the geology, mineralogy, and exosphere of the moon to advance our knowledge of the moon's formation and evolution.



The goals of Chandrayaan-3's mission are to demonstrate a soft and safe lunar surface landing, lunar rover roving, and in-situ scientific experimentation. To accomplish the mission's goals, the Lander is equipped with several cutting-edge technologies, including velocimeters, laser and RF-based altimeters, and a propulsion system. Several Lander special tests, including the Integrated Cold Test, Integrated Hot Test, and Lander Leg Mechanism

Performance Test, have been planned and successfully completed to successfully demonstrate such cutting-edge technologies in real-world settings.

India wants to show off its scientific prowess, technological prowess, and commitment to space exploration through Chandrayaan-3. Chandrayaan-3 will improve India's standing in the international space community if it is a success. The younger generation will be motivated to pursue STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) careers by this mission.



**By: Aavani Mahesh Jaju**

# Teens' Articles

## (GenNxt)

### G20 – Global Summit

G20 called as global 20, is a group of 20 countries. Initially it was a group of 7 countries. These all countries look towards the global economy, such as international financial stability, climate change mitigation and sustainable development. This year's presidency is with India, following Brazil the next year.

This year's theme was "**Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam**" - emphasizing global unity. It was founded on 26 Sept. 1999. The G20 summit is held annually, under the leadership of a rotating presidency. It accounts for more than 2/3rd of the world's population, 75% of global trade and around 85% of the world's GDP which makes it the largest informal group in the world.



By: Laksh Punit Baheti

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The group of Twenty (G20) is the premier forum for international economic cooperation. It plays an important role in shaping and strengthening global architecture and governance on all major international economic issues. The main countries are- China, the USA, Russia, India, Australia, Canada, Japan and many more.

The G20 was founded in 1999 after the Asian financial crisis as a forum for the Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors to discuss global economic and financial issues.



By: Anvee Sandeep Mundada

The G20 Summit is held annually, under the leadership of a rotating Presidency. The G20 initially focused largely on broad economic issues, but now it has expanded its agenda to trade, sustainable development, health, agriculture, energy, environment, climate change and anti-corruption. India will hold the presidency of G20 from 1 December 2022 to 30 November 2023. "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam", which translates to "One Earth, One Family, One Future" is the theme of India's G20 presidency.

The theme specifically highlights the importance of all kinds of life- human, animal, plant and microorganism on Earth and their interdependence on each other. In conclusion, G20 is important as it provides a platform for the country to engage with the world's largest economies, promote its economical interests and also address the critical global issues.

# Teens' Articles

## (GenNxt)

### G20 – Global Summit

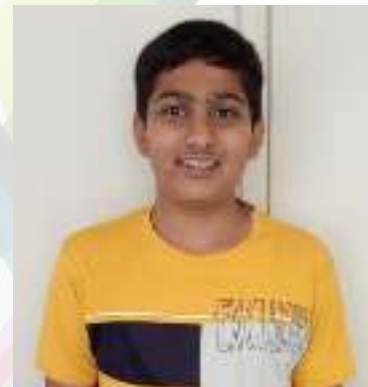
G20 or Group of twenty is an international forum that brings together the world's major economies to discuss and coordinate on critical global issues. It was established in 1999 and is used as a crucial platform for addressing economic, financial, and geopolitical challenges in an increasingly interconnected world. G20 was formed due to the financial crisis of late 1990s.

During 1973 Arab countries imposed an embargo on supplying oil to countries which were in support of Israel. To overcome the issues caused due to embargo on oil, these countries came up together and formulated G7. Later, on countries went on adding which were in socio-economic issues. So, on 29 September 1999 the finance ministers of G7 countries changed the name to G20.

The G20 comprises of 19 individual countries and European Countries. The members are Argentina, Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, France, Germany, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Republic of Korea, Mexico, Russia, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Turkey, the United Kingdom, the United States, the African Union and the European Union. These nations are chosen on their economic strength and collectively they represent around 85% of the world's GDP and two-third of its population.

The G20 initially focused largely on broad macroeconomic issues, but it has since expanded its agenda to inter-alia include trade, sustainable development, health, agriculture, energy, environment, climate change, and anti-corruption. It plays an important role in shaping and strengthening global architecture and governance on all major international economic issues.

India held the presidency of the Group of Twenty (G20) from December 1, 2022 to November 30, 2023. India's G20 presidency theme was "**Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam**" emphasizing the idea that the world is one family, highlighting the importance of international cooperation and solidarity in addressing global issues.



By: **Sumit Amol Marda**

# Teens' Articles

## (GenNxt)

### The Asian Games: A Celebration of Sporting Excellence and Unity

#### Introduction:

The Asian Games, also known as the Asiad, are a multi-sport event held every four years, featuring athletes from across Asia. Since its inception in 1951, the Asian Games have grown to become one of the world's most significant sporting events, promoting athletic excellence, cultural exchange, and unity among diverse nations. In this article, we will explore the history, significance, and impact of the Asian Games.

#### Significance of the Asian Games

**Promotion of Sports:** The Asian Games serve as a platform to promote sports and physical fitness in Asia. They encourage the development of sporting talent and infrastructure in participating countries, contributing well-being of the population.

**Cultural Exchange:** The Games are not just about sports; they are also an opportunity for cultural exchange. Athletes and visitors from diverse backgrounds come together, sharing their traditions, customs, and cuisines. This cultural interaction fosters understanding and friendship among nations.

**Unity and Peace:** The Asian Games promote the spirit of unity and peace. In a region often characterized by political tensions, the Games provide a peaceful arena where nations can compete setting aside their differences temporarily.

**International Recognition:** Successful Asian Games athletes often go on to represent their countries in the Olympics and other international competitions, earning recognition and pride for their nations.

**Economic Benefits:** Hosting the Asian Games can have significant economic benefits for the host city and country. It boosts tourism, creates jobs, and stimulates infrastructure development.

#### Conclusion:

The Asian Games are more than just a sporting event; they are a celebration of human achievement, unity, and cultural diversity. As Asia continues to grow in prominence on the global stage, the Asian Games will remain a symbol of the region's sporting prowess and its commitment to fostering peace and understanding among nations. With each edition, the Games inspire millions of athletes and spectators alike, proving that sports have the power to transcend borders and bring people together in the spirit of competition and friendship.



By: Dhruv Manoj Mall

# Puzzle Mania

## (MPF Central Events related)

1. In 2023 with whose blessings the BOD installation ceremony (Ashirwad Samaroh) was done?
2. What is the theme kept by our beloved president Omprakash ji Marda for 2023-24?
3. Who was the chief guest for this BCL 2023-24 inauguration?
4. How many total teams played this BCL tournament in 2023-24?
5. How much runs were scored in this season for which donation was done towards Gou Mata seva? What is the amount?
6. How many wickets were taken in this BCL 2023 and what initiative was taken by BOP team for the same?
7. What was the Venue for Mahesh Gaurav? Name any one famous food joint near that area?
8. What was the initiative taken by JOL 2023 during BCL 2023-24?
9. Quantify the benefits of initiative taken by Team Joy of Life.
10. What was the initiative taken by President Choice and with whom they partnered?
11. Quantify the success of Team President Choice 's initiative.
12. How many Govinda bhakt went to Darshana to Tirumala-Tirupati?
13. Which troop performed on occasion of Aashadi Ekadashi?
14. How many chapters are there in MPF as of 2023-24?
15. Who is holding presidentship of MFCT as of 2023-24?

**Please fill google form with your response:**

<https://forms.gle/MqmuxF6hMjAmPgyt6>

# Upcoming Events

## (Oct-Dec 2023)

### Diwali Milan:

Join us for an electrifying Diwali celebration on **November 5th!!!**

Get ready to embrace the festival of lights with vibrant decorations, cultural performances and delicious Indian cuisine. It's an evening of a joy, tradition and community spirit.

Don't miss out on the opportunity to create cherished memories with friends and family.

Mark your calendar for a **dazzling Diwali experience!!!**

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### Samvid:

Samvid Conclave 2023 is a mega business event on **December 9th, 2023.**

It's a first if it's kind unique combination of Business exhibition and Conclave sessions. It comprises of 100 business stalls and over 4 sessions of most renowned names across the country.

An event that aims to bring over **5000** people to **Pandit farms** on the day is a great opportunity for everyone to exhibit their business and create strong brand recall and networking.

The knowledge sessions will impart knowledge and leave everyone with a lot of inspiration to achieve.

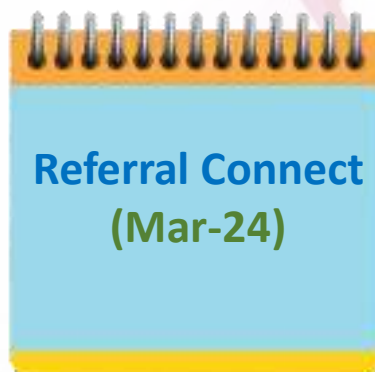
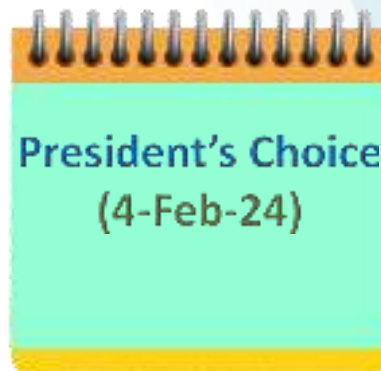
It's a collective effort of 8 chapters. The stall bookings opened on Ganesh Chaturthi this year and the stalls earmarked for MPF were sold out in no time.

In the next few months entire team Samvid aims to bring maximum coverage and visibility to the event and looks forward to everyone's support and contribution



# Calendar for Rest of the Year

(Oct 2023 - Mar 2024)



# Deep Condolence

## (MPF Central Members' Parents)

**MPF family conveys sincere condolences to the bereaved family and extend support during the hard times**



**Jagdish Ji Baldawa**  
f/o Yogeshji Baldawa



**Shobha ji Bhutada**  
m/o Gokul Bhutada



**Premalabai ji Toshniwal**  
m/o Rameshji Toshniwal



**Premlataji Sadani**  
m/o Abhishekji Sadani  
(MPF Central's Mentor)



# Thank You!!!



## Team Digital & Referral Connect



**Shruti & Mahesh Bangad**



**Kirtie & Satish Bajaj**



**Sapna & Anuj Kabra**



**Abha & Akshay Pediwal**



**Ashish & Ritu Daliya**



**Sheetal & Tejas Zavar**



**Omprakash Marda  
(President)**



**Pushpak Mundada  
(Secretary)**



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(Treasurer)**



**Amit Rathi  
(Dy. Governor – Zone 2  
Digital Connect)**

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