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Subi Vidya Foundation

Nurture Nature

Wisdom in Action

This month we invite our student community to move from ‘**Awareness to Action.**’ Like cutting a tree is seen as disrupting an entire generation of life, ‘Nurturing Nature’ means defending what has spent lifetimes in growing.

Welcome to Ms. Seetha Rajagopal



We are delighted to welcome Ms. Seetha Rajagopal as our Program Coordinator.

Having worked for many years with the Indo-American Chamber of Commerce in Chennai, Seetha brings rich experience to her new role. She is highly enthusiastic and has already made a strong impact by successfully coordinating some of SVF initiatives with educational institutions.

Inspiring Young Minds: Water Conservation Painting Contest

To inspire young minds and build creative thinking skills, SVF organised a painting contest on “Water Conservation” for the members of the SVF Student Chapter at DMI College of Engineering in Chennai.

The response was enthusiastic, displaying creativity and awareness among students. There was a tie between two winners for the first place. The lucky winners are:

- Ms. G. Sushmita, Third Year, CSE
- Mr. K. Karmugilan, Second Year, B.Tech. IT

Both received cash prizes and commendation letters from the Chairman of SVF.

We thank the college management and the students for their active participation in this contest.



Thought Leadership: Ethics in AI

With the rapid rise of Artificial Intelligence, SVF hosted a guest lecture on “*Ethics in AI*” by Ms. Vidya Bharadwaj at DMI College of Engineering. Qualified in computer engineering from the University of Illinois, Urbana Champaign, USA, Vidya has done excellent work on AI.

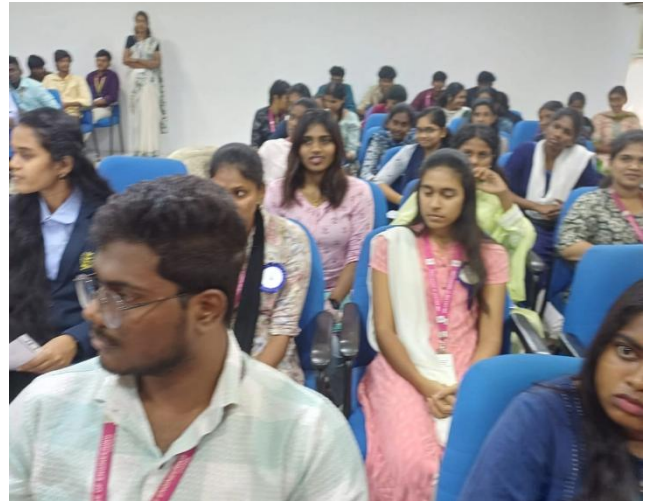
More than 120 students and faculty members participated in the event.

The session encouraged students to reflect on the responsible and ethical use of emerging technologies.

Action on College Campus: Water Audit Launched

On March 3, 2026, SVF Chairman Subi Subramanian engaged with the leadership, faculty, and students of DMI College of Engineering to formally launch a Water Audit Initiative.

He shared a document on the "Guidelines for Water Audit" with Dr. Panimozhi, the Faculty member in charge of the water conservation project. He also presented a water audit tool kit and a pair of electronic meters that determine the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) at various sources of water supply to measure water quality.



Headed by Dr. Panimozhi and student leader Mr. Sampaul, members of the SVF Student Chapter have formed voluntary teams to work in various sections of the college to:

- Assess water usage
- Identify conservation opportunities and
- Promote sustainable practices.

This marks a shift from awareness to measurable action.

Partnering with DMI Engineering College, SVF is empowering a generation of youth in pursuing sustainability.



In April 2026, the students and staff turned the awareness into action through a series of activities that included taking a pledge, pasting 'Save Water' posters at various spots in the college, and reducing water wastages.

In recognition of the initiatives launched by SVF, the DMI College presented a colorful plaque to SVF chairman Subi Subramanian.

Community Outreach: Spreading Joy



On April 1, SVF hosted a special lunch for differently abled young students at Shalom Educational Center in Khopoli, Maharashtra.

It was not an ordinary meal – it was much more. The smiles and the feeling of togetherness were the rewards for the organizers.

The event, organised by SVF coordinator Mr. Abhijit Hungund, and attended by more than 20 members, fostered:

- Compassion,
- Confidence and
- A Deep Sense of Belonging.

SVF records its appreciation of the excellent support by the staff of Shalom Educational Centre and the coordinator Abhijit Hungund.



Looking Ahead

Summer Initiatives

As summer unfolds, SVF is preparing a series of initiatives to harness the sun's rays as a source of energy and spread the joy of vacation for students.

During this summer, we are planning to focus on:

- Awareness of free solar energy
- Sustainable living practices
- Student-driven environmental action

Stay tuned for exciting updates!

About SVF

Transforming Awareness to Action in Sustainability

More information at:

 www.subividyafoundation.org

We invite individuals, institutions and corporate partners to join us in nurturing nature and building a sustainable future.