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## Ananda Nagar Housing Society

### Notice

Scientific planning for present and future of "Ananda Nagar Housing Society" as directed by Gurudeva is nearing completion. Those who have deposited full amount for their lands and whose lands have been included in the "Making Greater Ananda Nagar Program", soon all these lands will be handed over to the depositors for the propose of housing as per Baba's instructions.

We do not have everyone's current postal contact address and mobile number. All are requested to inform the known persons. Please send the current address and WhatsApp number of the land recipients at the following address.

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## First Diocese Seminar

3<sup>rd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> February: First Diocese Level Seminar was held at Ananda Nagar on 3-5 February. In the seminar, Acarya Kalyaneshvarananda Avadhuta had discussed on (1) The Macrocosmic Stance and human life (2) Ananda Marga Ashtangika Yoga Sadhana (3) Sangacchaddhvam, and (4) Acarya Tathagatananda Avadhuta on The Human Search for



## Birds of Ananda Nagar

1<sup>st</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> February: Pranesh, an Environmental Engineer and Sarada, an Ornithologist from Portugal, both new Ananda Margii visited first time in India and Ananda Nagar from 1<sup>st</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> February. The atmosphere of Ananda Nagar attracted them deeply. Pranesh has taught how to make organic soap and organic fertilizers in a simple way, eco-friendly and at very low cost. He taught our children's home boys practically. His wife Sarada used binoculars to find out how many species of birds are in Ananda Nagar. The entire Ananda Nagar has not been visited by them, but they have made a list of sixty-two species of birds with their Photos, the English names and the Latin names. Out of this one bird, that could not be named. They opined and believed that if they could able to visit the entire Ananda Nagar, the number of birds species would be more.

Interested readers can see all the birds that Srimati Sarada noticed during her stay at Ananda Nagar from this link:

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### **Uma Brahmacharini's self-immolation Day observed**

8<sup>th</sup> February: In a conspiracy to destroy Ananda Marga forever, on the instigation of the then Communist Soviet Union Government, the Government of India arrested Anandamurtijii, originator and proponent of Ananda Marga, and kept him in Bankipur Central Jail, Patna on false charges and "Brahmacharini Uma Acarya" committed self-immolation on February 8, 1978 in Berlin, Germany, protesting against the use of poison to death, continuous physical torture to HIM and demanding HIS unconditional release. Finally, on 2nd August 1978, the Patna High Court verdict proved that the charges framed against Him was false and he was acquitted and released from jail. In the same year, in her memory, the "Uma Nivas Multilevel Development Project" was established in Ananda Nagar to carry out the public welfare activities of the Women's Welfare Department. On the occasion of unique devotion to her spiritual preceptor and self-sacrifice day on February 8, 2023, 6 hours continuous "Baba Nam Kevalam" Nam Sankiirtan from 6 AM to 12 PM, cloth distribution, health camp and Narayan Seva were organized at the premises adjacent to the "Uma Nivas girl's children home" project. Local people and devotee anandamargii from different places participated in the event.





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## Housewarming and Birthday Ceremony

9th February: Chitmu village resident Shri Chakradhar Kalindi's grandson Gaurnitai's 7th birth anniversary and housewarming ceremony of the newly constructed two storied building was held as per Ananda Marga Caryacarya Rules. On this occasion six hours akhanda "Baba Nam Kevalam" nam sankiirtan, Collective Ishvar Pranidhan, Svadhyaya, distribution of one hundred blankets to the needy persons and Narayan Seva were organized.



## Nilkantha Divas observed

12<sup>th</sup> February: When the lure of money and power did not work, it was seen that the Ananda Marga could not be stopped despite efforts of slander, intimidation, organized attacks and killings, imprisonment in false cases etc., then it was decided by the then India Government that elimination of proponent of Ananda Marga from the earth can be the last way of removal of Ananda Marga. Planning this, the sinners poisoned Shri Shri Anandamurtijii on 12 February 1973 in the name of medicine through Dr. Rahmatullah of Bankipur Central Jail, Patna. Shri Shri Anandamurtijii's body started to react violently to the poison. But their purpose was not fulfilled even in that.

In protest of this heinous incident and demanding a judicial inquiry commission, a massive movement took place all over the world. Shri Shri Anandamurtijii Himself personally wrote letters to the then Governor of Bihar, Chief Minister of Bihar and President of India to appoint a Commission of Inquiry but no one paid any heed. When nothing was happening Shri Shri Anandamurthijii Himself started a hunger strike in jail from 1st April 1973 to protest against the poisoning. It was continued for five years, four months and two days until he was released from prison. Finally, the Patna High Court ruled that the case against Shri Shri Anandamurthijii was proved false and he was released from jail unconditionally. On August 2, 1978, he broke the long hunger strike after coming out of jail. In the history of Ananda Marga, this day is observed as "Neelkantha Divas".

The event concluded with six hours of uninterrupted "Baba Nam Kevalam" Nam Sankiirtan, collective Ishvar Pranidhan, Varnarghyadan, Svadhyaya, Discussion on Nilakantha Day's

Significance and Narayan Seva from morning to noon at Kaushik Ananda Nagar "Madhumurchhana" Margaguru residence.



### Players Selection for District Team

12<sup>th</sup> February: Selection trial was conducted at Purulia town for forming two District teams of Purulia, one for below 17 years and another one for under 12 years. The teams will play in the inter District Football Tournament to be organized by the Indian Football Association (West Bengal). 10 Boys for under 17 years and one boy for under 12 years were selected from Ananda Nagar S.S.A.C. (Spiritualist Sports and Adventures Club) Football Academy.



## Construction Work

1. Prashantika Unit of the Farm Dept. of Ananda Nagar completed constructing collapsed old wall, new wall, new gate and partial raising of old wall.



2. Covering work is in progress to protect the roof of Lower Hostel.



3. The construction work for increasing the wall height of PASAKA (Parivesh Samvardhan Kanan or Environment Enhancement Garden) at Central Ananda Nagar on the southern side i.e. adjacent to Madhukarnika Sarani is in progress.



## New House Entry Ceremony

15<sup>th</sup> February: Amra village resident Shri Satyaranjan Mahato's newly constructed residence inaugurated as per Ananda Marga Caryacarya rule. On this occasion six hours akhanda "Baba Nam Kevalam" Nam Sankiirtan, collective Iishvar Pranidhan, Varnarghyadan and Svadhyaya was organized and the significance of Grihapraves (housewarming) in the Ananda Marga was discussed. Finally, the program concluded with a collective meal and Narayan Seva.



## Cycle of Spiritual practice

18<sup>th</sup> February: Grihi Acarya Kishan Sood Dada organized a "Spiritual Practice Cycle" program at his newly constructed residence at Pundag, Ananda Nagar. The purpose is to focus exclusively on the spiritual practice of the followers of the Ananda Marga. Spiritual progress of the ascetic will improve his physical and moral welfare, the society will also be benefited.

In this program from morning 10 am to 1 pm there were twenty minutes of Bhajan (Prabhat Samgiita), twenty minutes of 'Baba Nam Kevalam' Kiirtan, twenty minutes of Sadhana (spiritual practice) and it continued in cycle, and a spiritual wave is generated i.e. a divine environment, At the end, the program concluded with Varnarghyadan, Svadhyaya and collective meal and Narayan Seva.







### **Akhanda Kiirtan at Baba Memorial**

19<sup>th</sup> February: There was three hours akhanda "Baba Nam Kevalam" Kiirtan, collective lishvar Pranidhan, Varnaghyadan, Svadhyaya Baba Memorial and Narayan Seva was also organized.



### **Camp for Women**

20<sup>th</sup> February: One day camp was held at Pundag on behalf of Ananda Nagar Girls Proutist Branch under the management of Smt. Anjali Gorain. Avdhutika Ananda Rupatita Acarya discussed on various problems of women, safety of women in the society and staying healthy.





### **“Rakta Mrittika Bhavan” Inaugurated**

22<sup>nd</sup> February: The newly built "Rakta Mrittika Bhavan" at North Ananda Nagar which has been constructed for the shelter of those whole-time workers of Ananda Marga Pracaraka Samgha i.e. Ananda Marga Mission who have lost their performance naturally or due to illness so that they can spend their last life in good health as per organizational rules.

The "Rakta Mrittika Bhavan" has been inaugurated today by Acarya Karunatmananda Avadhuta Dada, the senior monk of Ananda Nagar. On this occasion three hours akhanda kiirtan of the "Baba Nam Kevalam" is performed in the said building.





### Book and Pen Distribution

25<sup>th</sup> February: Acarya Chirgatananda Avadhuta on behalf of Ananda Marga Seva Dal arranged book-pen distribution and feast for Nowahatu village children. About two hundred people were served rice, dal, curry, papad, chutney etc.



### Three Hours Kiirtan at Shyampur

26<sup>th</sup> February: At Abani Mahato's residence in Shyampur village, an annual three-hour Akhanda "Baba Nam Kevalam" Nam Samkiirtan, collective lishvar Pranidhan, Varnarghyadan, Svadhaya and Narayan Seva was organized. Brahmacarini Amalina Acarya

explains the benefits of Kiirtan and how to achieve peace of mind and spiritual growth. Acarya Amritabodhananda Avadhuta explains the immense importance and necessity of spirituality in social system.



### Students Educational Tour

27<sup>th</sup> February: A number of Ananda Margiis and students from Orissa, Chattisgarh and Jharkhand states came on an educational tour to visit Ananda Nagar's anthropological and archaeological sites, spiritual Tantrapiiths, environmental science. They visited the Madhya Rarh Bindu, Malta Mosambi Lemon Garden, Asathi Pahar



Dinosaur Fossils, "Madhumurchhana" Marga Guru Residence, Madhya Ananda Nagar Environment Enhancement Forest (PASAKA), Tantrapiitsh and Lilavati Sayar and wandered around.





### Fruit Plants Gutted by Criminals

Condemn the cruelest incident

24<sup>th</sup> February: Philosopher Shri Shri Anandamurtiji has said "Is the human being only everything in this creation? --- No, it cannot be. This world is not only for humans, there are also many other creatures--animals, plants etc. They also have the right to live. Our world is not just human's world -- it is everyone's world. All created beings of the universe have equal rights over the world. It is the ancestral property of all."

In the words of Prabhat Samgiita:

“Mánuś jena mánuśer tare

Sab kichu kare jáy

E katháo jeno mane rákhe, pashu

Pákhí tár par nay, taruo bánçite cáy.”

Purport:

For humankind let humans

Go on doing anything and everything.

And this fact also let them heed— that animals and birds are our kin, and even trees want to live.

Keeping this great ideology of HIS in front of us despite hundreds of hurdles in the rough rocky terrain of Ananda Nagar, trees have to be protected by saving them from cows, goats and animals. Due to our planting of trees continuously:

1. The water level of the soil is being raised by making small dams in the river. So there is more precipitation here than elsewhere, also cooling the dry atmosphere.
2. The number of animals and birds has increased a lot.

But those evil of people, who enjoy the suffering of others, those creatures of darkness, do not want anything to be good for the society. So on 24.2.2023, the news came a little after noon next to the Baba Memorial in Ananda Nagar. That south of the Dakshina (Barki Gowai) river, in Chitmu Mauza of Chitmu area under Kotshila police station, which is under our PASAKA (Parivesh Sangvardhan Kanan) - Environment Enhancement garden, where more than five thousand different valuable and high yielding fruit trees were planted. Last year too, various hybrid high yielding fruit seedlings were brought and planted from Maharashtra and Karnataka States at huge labour and expenses. With care and attention

the plant was growing very well. Someone set fire to that garden. The fire quickly spread through the dry grass of the garden and destroyed the entire garden's valuable plants. Police administration, forest department has been informed through WhatsApp.

In the same way on 24.2.2021 in Guridih village our walled garden was also set on fire and many saplings were burnt. Antisocial people of this vicious nature are always preoccupied with self-interest. They cause great damage to the society.

As a result, innocent people have to suffer many difficulties for a long time. Such people should be identified immediately and collectively strict action should be taken against them. Exemplary punishment should also be provided.



Small video clips may be seen from the link below:

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