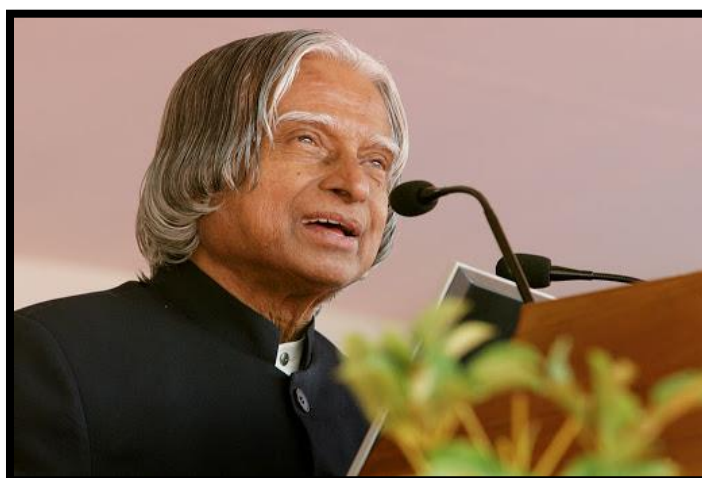


Dr. Abdul Kalam Anniversary Event



Action 2020 Program – Sunday, July 26 @ 6PM PDT

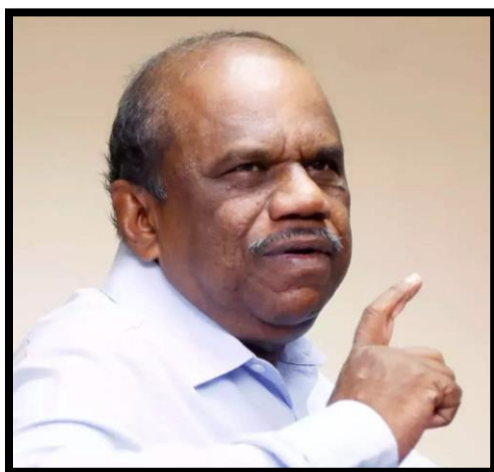
6.00 PM	Special Musical Performance by Mandolin U Rajesh
6.30 PM	Welcome by K. Srinivasan (Prime Point Foundation)
6.35 PM	Dr. Sundar Kamath (Sanmina Corporation) – Science for Society – Ideal villages
6.40 PM	Mr. B Suresh Kamath (Patterns, India) – Supporting physically challenged persons
6.45 PM	Dr. Sunny Anand (Stanford University) – Heart to Heart Foundation – Free Heart surgery
6.50 PM	Ms. Priyadarshni Rahul (PreSense) – Positive journalism and five initiatives
6.55 PM	Mr. Jayadev Chandrasekhar, (Netflix) – Each One Educate One Foundation – Free Education
7.00 PM	Mr. Natarajan Raman (Dream India) – Supporting poor children for education
7.05 PM	Mr. Anand Kadali (Annapoorna Trust) – Free breakfast for school children
7.10 PM	Dr Abdul Kalam Excellence Award Ceremony
7.20 PM	Address by Mr. Arjun Malhotra, Successful Entrepreneur, Industrialist, Philanthropist and Guest of Honour
7.30 PM	Address by Dr. A Sivathanu Pillai, Eminent Scientist from India and Guest of Honour
7.40 PM	Address by Chief Guest Mr. Arjun Ram Meghwal, Honorable Minister of State, Parliamentary Affairs, Government of India
7.50 PM	Vote of Thanks & Action Plans

Chief Guest - Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal Ji



Mr. Arjun Ram Meghwal is a Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs, Government of India. He represents Bikaner, Rajasthan Constituency. He is one of the outstanding Parliamentarians of Indian Parliament. He is known for his debating skills. He was honored with Sansad Maha Ratna Award by Prime Point Foundation for the 15th Lok Sabha.

Special Guest of Honor – Dr. A Sivathanu Pillai



Dr A Sivathanu Pillai has served more than 40 years in DRDO and ISRO. He had closely worked with Visionary Scientists like Vikram Sarabhai, Satish Dhawan and APJ Abdul Kalam. He contributed to the successful development of SLV III as a core team member and to the evolution of PSLV configuration for ISRO. He is known as the Father of Brahmos Missile Project. He is the recipient of Indian Government's top civilian awards Padma Sri and Padma Bhushan.

Special Guest of Honor - Arjun Malhotra



Arjun Malhotra is the Chairman of AT Group LLC, USA and offers a comprehensive and significant financial and technology knowledgebase accumulated over his 45+ years of developing and managing IT and financial services companies. In 1975 he co-founded HCL (Hindustan Computers Ltd) and served as the Vice chairman for 23 years. Later he founded TechSpan, an internet consultancy company which in 2003 merged with Headstrong, the leader in consulting to the financial markets that sold in 2011 to Genpact for over \$500M. Arjun also serves as a Director of Lumis Partners and is a Governing Board Member of the Indian School of Business and also the current Co-Chair of the Global Pan-IIT Alumni Association. He serves on the Board of multiple institutions and was declared a Life Fellow of IIT Kharagpur in 2003.

Prime Point Srinivasan



Krishnaswamy Srinivasan, popularly known as Prime Point Srinivasan is the Founder and Chairman of Prime Point Foundation, a non-profit trust in India. The Foundation publishes an eMagazine PreSense since March 2006 based on the suggestions of Dr Abdul Kalam for positive journalism. PreSense has five initiatives viz. (1) Educational Loan Task Force to create education loan awareness (2) Sansad Ratna Awards to honour outstanding Indian Parliamentarians (3) Next Gen Political Leaders (NGPL) to develop leadership skills among young political leaders and aspirants (4) Digital Journalists Association of India (DiJAI) to create digital journalism awareness and (5) Digital Security Association of India (DiSAI) to create digital security awareness.

Dr. Sundar Kamath



Dr. Sundar Kamath is senior VP and CTO of Sanmina Corporation, based in San Jose, California with \$8.2 Billion in sales and locations in 24 countries, including a world class electronics manufacturing campus in Chennai. Dr. Kamath previously held technology development roles at IBM Microelectronics in New York. For the past 6 years, he has been active with various NGOs on the Ideal Village project to enable self-sustaining rural communities using appropriate technology. He is a co-organizer of the annual Ideal Village conference at Stanford University.

Mr. B Suresh Kamath



Mr B Suresh Kamath, is one of the well-known banking software developer. He has designed e-Kuber core banking software to Reserve Bank of India and this has won several International awards. He is an ardent follower of Dr Abdul Kalam. On his advice, he has been encouraging Indian software products. He gives preference to physically challenged persons and poor people in the employment. For this purpose he has won several awards, including the National Award from Dr Abdul Kalam himself, Distinguished alumnus award from IIT Madras and many more.

Dr. Sunny Anand



Dr. K.J.S. (“Sunny”) Anand is currently Professor of Pediatrics & Anesthesiology at Stanford University. He received his medical degree from India and D.Phil. from University of Oxford as a Rhodes Scholar, followed by post-doctoral training at Harvard Medical School. His research on pain and stress in children has been recognized with many professional awards including the highest international award in the field of Pediatrics, the only Indian citizen and 1-of-5 Americans who have ever received this honor. He has authored >300 peer-reviewed articles and other monographs, 9 books, and 60+ book chapters.

Priyadharshni Rahul



She is an Advocate in Supreme Court of India, Delhi. She is the Deputy Editor of eMagazine PreSense, Executive President of Sansad Ratna Awards Committee and National President of Next Gen Political Leaders (NGPL). She was the Youth Ambassador of India to United Kingdom assigned by the GoI; National Award winner for Scouts and guides by then President Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam; International Award winner for Duke of Edinburgh; She led the NCC contingent of TN Pondicherry and Andaman and Nicobar islands and won Gold medal at the Republic Day in Delhi; Young achiever Awardee from Anita Bose Pffaf, d/o Subhash Chandra Bose

Mr. Jayadev Chandrasekhar



Jayadev Chandrasekhar, is a software architect working in Silicon Valley, California, with more than a decade of experience in architecting and building many of the large scale systems at Yahoo! and currently leads some of the Machine Learning and AI efforts at Netflix in California. He has done his Masters degree with distinction from Indian Institute of Science and Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning. He is very passionate about empowering next generation of children with value based education and is a volunteer of Each One Educate One foundation.

Mr. Natarajan Raman



Inspired by the last page of 'Wings of Fire' during his student days, Natarajan Raman founded Dream India, a non profit trust to help the poor children. Dream India has chapters at Chennai, Bangalore, Pune and Mumbai. Every year, the volunteers of Dream India work with more than 5000 poor children. In the past 16 years, they have supported more than 1 lakh children through coaching, scholarship, etc.

Mr. Anand Kadali



Anand K Kadali is an experienced professional in the software industry and has worked in global companies such as Hewlett Packard Enterprise, HCL, and Dimension Data. Having been in the Software industry for 15 years, he chose to use this experience to serve the rural poor spearheading the Annapoorna Breakfast Program. What started off as a small initiative to provide breakfast to 50 school going children and today this work has expanded to over 500,000 children in 6,000+ govt schools across 17 states and 3 Union Territories in India.

Special Musical Performance - Mandolin Uppalapu Rajesh



Uppalapu Rajesh is an Indian mandolin player in Carnatic classical music, a music producer and a composer. His work with John McLaughlin's album *Floating Point*, received a Grammy nomination in 2009. He was the youngest participant in the Magic Mandolin Festival, (Germany), has performed at the Lincoln Centre, New York City, and has given concerts in BBC Live at London, and several other countries. His music performance at New York in 2006, was voted among the best concerts of the year, by *The New Yorker*. He was specially honored by the President of India, in April 2007. He has released solo albums, and has been involved in tours and recordings with many music artists in both North and South India. He teamed with singer Karthik to form the band Srishti in 2014.

Moderator - Mr. Arvind Thiagarajan



Arvind Thiagarajan was mentored by Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, the former President of India. Arvind is the Founder & CEO of HD Medical Inc. He is an inventor and entrepreneur with a history of founding, advising, and building technology companies. Arvind was given a special award from Member of Parliament for Science and Technology, India for his contributions to research and science and his work as part of HD Medical won the Socially Relevant Product (SRP) award in IIT Madras. His inventions have helped in screening thousands of children and people in India and worldwide. He graduated from CEG, Anna University in India with an engineering degree in Electronics and Communications and specializes in signal processing and algorithm development with multiple granted and pending patents along with several award winning technical publications under his name. Founded SAI Global Mission.

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