

Monthly Journal of

KARNATAKA POSTS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS PENSIONERS' ASSOCIATION (R)

(KSR Act 1960, REG. No. 1069/98-99) (FORMERLY RMS PENSIONERS' ASSOCIATION)

Registered as "a Wholly Charitable Trust" U/S. 12A of I.T. Act 1961

Registered Office: Pensioners' Bhavan, Telecom Layout, Sriramapura Phase II Bengaluru-560064 Working Office: # 165, 4th Main, 3rd Block, 3rd Stage, Basaveshwaranagar, Bengaluru-560 079 Phone: 23230545

e-mail: pensionersbhavan@gmail.com Website : www.kptpa.org

 G. Babu
 M.N. Gopinath
 K.B. Krishna Rao
 V. Gopal
 K.R. Anantha Ramu

 President,
 Vice President
 Secretary,
 Joint Secretary
 Treasurer

 Ph.: 23220355, 94480 40355
 Mob: 9480586661
 Ph.: 23230545
 Mob : 8197918085
 Ph.: 23642466

VOLUME XIX ISSUE 6 JUNE 2018

Annual Subscription: Members-Rs. 120/- Others - Rs. 150/- Single Copy - Rs. 15/-



Swatch Bharat Abhiyan

PENSIONER'S CHAMPION

June 2018

Report : Page-3



Representatives of KP&TPA



Assembly of Pensioners, Teachers & Students



Symbolic planting of a sapling by the Chief Guest & Others



Prize winning students on the dais



Corporator Smt.Savitha Mayannagowda addressing



Chief Guest Sri Ravisubramanya, MLA addressing



MLA being felicitated by the Chairman CCCGPA



Corporator being felicitated by the Chairman CCCGPA

Swatch Bharath Abhiyan & World Environment Day

As a part of 'Swatch Bharath Abhiyan' the Coordination Committee of Central Government Pensioners' Associations (CCCGPA), Karnataka, under the auspices of Pensioners Associations of Autonomous/ Statutory bodies of Central Government, arranged a function at Shri Vivekananda School, Banashankari 1st Stage, Bengaluru on 5.6.2018, which also happened to be 'World Environment Day'. A good number of pensioners from several Pensioners' Associations, Teachers and students of Swamy Vivekananda School participated in the Abhiyan. Sri L.A. Ravisubramanya, Member, Karnataka Legislative Assembly, Basavanagudi Constituency and Smt. Savitha Mayanna Gowda, Councilor, BBMP Ward No. 56, graced the occasion.

To bring awareness among the general public and to spread the message of 'Clean Bharat', Banners, Posters and Placards with messages written in English and Kannada languages on "Swachhta" were placed in the road leading to the School, in the School Campus and at the venue of the meeting. An essay competition on cleanliness was conducted in which about 100 students from schools in the area participated. Prizes were given to the students who had secured the first, second and third places in the competition. Participation certificates were given to all other participating students.

Programme commenced with the invocation by Shri Keshavakumar, Retd. AC, Income Tax. Shri L. Sathyanarayana Rao, retired teacher of the school, who compered the function, gave a brief introduction about the function. He said that Indians have always cared about the nature, so much so that we call the earth 'Mother' and worship trees, animals as gods. He quoted and explained Bankim Chandra Chatterjee's famous composition 'Vande Matharam'.

Shri S.Radhakrishna, General Secretary, CCCGPA delivered the welcome speech. He welcomed Shri Ravi Subramanya, MLA, Basavanagudi Constituency, Smt. Savitha Mayanna Gowda, Corporator, Hanumanthanagara BBMP Ward-56, Shri H.V.Shankar, Secretary, Vivekananda Educational Society, Shri K.B.Krishna Rao, Chairman, CCCGPA, Shri Nagaraj, Retired Teacher of the school, all the pensioners and the students of the school, attending the function.

Shri Nagaraj spoke at length about the necessity for protecting the environment. He said that in 1977, United Nations Organisation declared 5th June every year to be observed as 'Environment Day' to bring awareness among the people about the necessity of preserving the environment. Man, he said, thinking that all natural resources on the earth are there only for his use, has been making excess and unnecessary usage of these resources for more than a century now. As a result of such over exploitation, not only the resources are depleting, but also the whole planet is getting polluted. He explained how, on the one hand, the very air that we breathe is no longer pure because of the emission of carbon monoxide from unchecked use of petrol vehicles resulting in raise in temperature and how the rivers are getting dirtier from dumping factory wastage. On the other hand, we are denuding forests for agriculture and housing. The forests are necessary for timely rains and protection of flora and fauna. Trees are essential for keeping the air clean, as they absorb carbon dioxide and give out oxygen. He also explained how, the man made plastic is causing untold damage to the environment. Within decades of its invention, it is being used in all countries and in all forms. But plastic cannot be destroyed. It won't even decompose, however long buried in earth. Plastic is now so all pervading that it is doubtful whether we can

stop using it fully. However, we have to reduce its usage to the minimum by whatever means at our disposal.

Shri Nagaraj said that man's selfishness has led to the environmental problem. By the time man realised the extent of destruction of the environment, it was late, but not too late. That is why UNO had to declare observance of 'World Environment Day' in 1977. This year UNO motto for the day is "Beat Plastic Pollution'. Shri Nagaraj also explained the 'Swatch Bharath Abhiyan' (Clean India Movement), started in 2015 by the Government of India. He advised the young students to care for nature.

Smt. Savitha Mayanna Gowda, BBMP Councillor said that the Corporation of Bengaluru has made a programme of distributing free saplings. She bemoaned felling of trees and said as per a recent study there is only one tree for seven people in Bengaluru whereas there must be seven trees for one citizen. She talked about the garbage disposal problem in Bengaluru. She assured supply of saplings to the School to continue with their programme of "planting trees" in the campus and in the area. She also advised the students to keep the school clean by disposing of used stationeries properly. She asked them to prevail upon their mothers to segregate garbage in their houses. She thanked the CCCGPA and the school for arranging the function and assured her help. She was presented with a shawl and fruit basket by Shri K.B.Krishna Rao. President.

Shri H.V.Shankar, Secretary, Vivekananda Educational Society, spoke about global warming and how cities have become concrete jungles. He also advised the students to keep the school surroundings clean. He said that everybody should contribute towards saving the planet in any capacity, however small. He also thanked CCCGPA for choosing his school to hold the function in. He was honoured with a shawl and a fruit basket.

Shri S.Radhakrishna spoke about the hidden and invisible effects of electro-magnetic waves caused by Metro and usage of other modern technology. He explained that Pensioners' Associations are supplying some necessary equipment to some schools and doing other social work, as a token of gratitude towards society that gave pensioners comfortable living. He thanked Shri Ravi Subrmanaya MLA for attending the function in spite of his busy schedule and requested him to help in the matter of extension of 7th CPC benefits to the Autonomous Body pensioners from 1-1-2016 on par with other Central pensioners, since the department of Commerce has decided to extend the 7th CPC benefits to them only from 1-1-2018. He thanked Shri Shankar for allowing CCCGPA to hold the function in the school premises. He also read out the pledge of 'Swatch Bharath' in Kannada and English, which was taken by all. The pledge was readout in Hindi also by Shri Puranik.

Head Master of the School spoke about the preservation of forests and wildlife. He said that man's attitude towards environment should change and that he should realise that this planet belongs to every human being and every animal or plant.

Chief Guest, Shri Ravi Subramanya, MLA, symbolically planted a sapling to mark observance of the "Environment day". He distributed mementos and certificates to the 3 students of the school, who won the essay competition on 'environment'conducted by CCCGPA. He spoke about clean environment and clean mind. He also advised the students about the necessity to keep our city clean. He thanked senior citizens for inviting him to the function. He also promised to do what he could in the matter of Autonomous Body Pensioners and asked Shri Radhakrishna to meet him after some days. He was felicitated by the President with a shawl and a fruit basket.

Shri K.B.Krishna Rao, Chairman CCCGPA proposed vote of thanks to the Chief

Guest, Guest of honour, the School Management, pensioners and all the students, who attended the function and specially to Shri Suryaprakash, Joint General Secretary of CCCGPA for the excellent arrangements made. Voicing his concern about indiscriminate use of plastic, which is the main cause of pollution, implored upon all citizens to avoid use of plastic, especially "single use plastic products" like bottles, spoons, cups etc. He also

suggested limited use of private transport vehicles to reduce air and sound pollution. Underscoring the importance of keeping our rivers clean, he said that we should stop polluting our rivers with discarded plastic and other waste materials, since as per a study, by 2050, there will be more plastic than fish in the seas.

The function ended with National Anthem at 1.30 PM.

And yet another feather in his cap

Sri K.K.Gangadharan (KKG) was conferred with yet another award for his contribution to the Kannada literature during the past 2 decades by actively involving himself in translation of many works from Malayalam to Kannada. On 29.5.2018, Government of Karnataka, Department of Kannada and Culture, Kuvempu Bhasha Bharathi Pradhikara, conferred on him the "Award for the year 2017"which carried a cash prize of Rs.50,000/ -. In a glittering investiture ceremony held at Nayana Sabhangana, Kannada Bhavana, JC Road, Bengaluru, filled to its capacity, Dr. K. Marulasiddappa, President of the Pradhikara, gave away the awards to KKG and other recepients. The list of awardees, among several others, included Prof C N Ramachandran, a well known and highly acclaimed Critic, who has to his credit many translation works from Kannada



to English including that of Dr.Kuvempu's epic "Ramayana darshanam", Pro O.L. Nagabhushanswamy, well known Poet, Plawright and Orator and Dr.H S Srimathi. Kuvempu Bhasha Bharathi Pradhikara, brought out a booklet containing photos & profiles of all the 11 awardees and an account of their works in the literary field

KPTPA congratulates KKG on his getting the award. An article on his profile and achievements was published in November 2017 issue of Pensioners *Champion*.

1st Floor of Pensioners' Bhavan, 1st main, Telecom Lay out, Bangalore 560064 for rent

Spacious 3 BHK house. Excellent road connectivity from GKVK /Jakkur Cross on New Airport Road.

Direct Road connectivity from Telecom Layout to Manyata Tech Park/ Hebbal Ring Road
For other details: Sridharan: Ph.080 23437588 Mob:9448937677
Or Bhasha: Mob 998044733

Construction of an Annexe to Pensioners' Bhavan, Association's Building An APPEAL FOR DONATION TO THE BUILDING

FUND OF THE ASSOCIATION

Civil works of construction of ground floor and first floor are completed. Other works are in progress. Cost of construction is estimated to be around Rs.60 lakhs including GST. Donation collected so far amounts to Rs.46 lakh only. We are forced to repeatedly appeal for liberal donations from those of our



Members and Subscribers who have not yet sent their contributions. 22nd list of donors is published in this issue. Annexe is scheduled to be opened on 9-9-2018.

Most of the Pre-2016 pensioners have got arrears of pension consequent to revision of their pension under 7th CPC. We appeal for liberal donations from those who have not yet donated to the building fund.

Members who have donated less than Rs.2000, the minimum amount of donation that we had appealed for, may please remit additional amount to increase their contribution to at least Rs.2,000. Those who have donated above Rs 5,000 but less than 10,000 and above Rs.10,000 but less than 25,000 may please consider increasing their donation to Rs.10,000 & Rs.25,000 respectively, so that their names may be included in the boards

Donation can be made in instalments also. Progressive total of donations made will be indicated in the list published in the Association's Journal *Pensioners' Champion*, as and when donations are received

Names of those who donate Rs.25,000/- and above will be engraved on granite stone to be embedded in the front wall of the new building and of those who donate Rs. 10,000 and above but less than Rs.25,000/-, will be printed on the boards to be provided in the main hall

Income Tax exemption: 50% of the amount of donation made to K P&TPA, is eligible for deduction in the Gross total Income under Section 80-G of Income Tax Act.

Donation to be remitted by *crossed cheque* payable to "Karnataka P&T Pensioners' Association". (Not KPTPA or KP&TPA)

Cheques may please be sent to: K.R. Anantha Ramu, No 1158, 7th Main, 7th Block, HMT Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore-560097. (Ph: 080 23642466 Mob: 9448477129)

Note: Cheques are not to be drawn in the names of either the Secretary or the Treasurer

Opening of new building: 9-9-2018. Please remit your donation so that your name can be included in the boards

PENSIONERS' CHAMPION



Independent Auditor's Report on Financial Statements

To the Members of M/s Karnataka Posts and Telecommunications Pensioners' Association (Reg).

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of M/s Karnataka Posts and Telecommunication Pensioners' Association, which comprise of the Balance Sheet as at March 31 2018, the Income and Expenditure Account, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's Responsibility for the Financials

Association is responsible for the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance of the Association. This responsibility includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Those Standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.

The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Association's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of the accounting estimates made by Association, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient. and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the financial statements give the information required by the Act in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:

- a) In the case of the Balance Sheet, of the state of affairs of the Association as at March 31st, 2018 and
- b) In the case of the Income and Expenditure Account, of the Excess of Expenditure over Income of the Association for the year ended on that date.

For GRSM & ASSOCIATES Chartered Accountants F.R. No.: 000863S

A Rajgopal Partner M.No: 205296

Place: Bangalore Date: 31st May 2018

PENSIONERS' CHAMPION

(7)

Reg. Off: Pensioners' Bhvan, Telecom Layout, Sriramapura Phase II Bengaluru

Receipts and Payments Account for the Period Ended 31st March 2018

Previous Year(16-17)	RECEIPTS	Current Y	/ear(17-18)	Previous Year(16-17)	PAYMENTS Current Year(
Teur(10 17)	To Opening Balance			1001(10 17)	By Donations	15.000
1,95,582	Cash at Bank		6,40,025	3,888	Others-CCGPA	13,000
1,00,002	To Subscriptions		0,10,023	3,000	By Printing Charges of Journals	
1,45,828	Pensioner's Champion	1,64,452		1,81,987	Pensioners Champion	1,86,794
11,675	Annual Subscription	13,480		1,01,307	By Printing of Supplement to campendium	58,240
33,680	Compendium	1,36,471	3,14,403	12.000	By Refund: Rent Advance	24.000
33,000	To Donations	1,50,471	3,14,403	12,000	By Refund of Building fund	26,000
22,58,005	Building Fund	19.53,079		16.000	By Water Connection Expenses	4.729
48.122	Association	35,305	19.88.384	357	By Electricity expenses	6.097
40,122	To Bank Interest	33,303	13,00,304	13,153	By Postage & Telephone	18.900
18.183	on S.B Account	21.925		3,093	By Printing & Stationery	5.622
10,100	on F.D Account	1,65,407	1,87,332	24,584	By Professional Fees	9,200
-	To Fixed Deposits Matured	1,05,407	63,09,665	-	By Photograph	2,350
39.000	To Security Deposits/rent in advance		18,000	21,880	By Charitable function at Govt school	36.100
1,050	To Admission Fees		1,250	980	By Subscription to Periodicals	1.407
2,55,201	To Rent		2,86,853	12.983	By Travelling Expenses (TA)	3.100
52,980	To Life Membership Fund		63,500	19,00,000	By Fixed Deposits	69,75,072
0£,300	To Life Weinbership Fund		03,300	700	By delegation fees	700
				-	By Websites Charges	17.321
				6,000	By Building Maintenance	9.050
				2.365	By Registration of Firm/Society	2,975
				1.29.235	By Annual General Body Meeting	1.51.124
				15,203	By Executive Committee Meeting	19.792
				1.500	By Affiliation Fees	1.040
				3,624	By Bank Charges & M.O	3,570
				23,077	By Conveyance	31,283
				22,000	By Remuneration & Wages	22,000
30,59,306	To C/F		98,09,412	23,94,609	By C/F	76,31,466
30,33,300	10 C/ F		30,03,412	£3,34,003	by C/F	10,31,400

Reg. Off: Pensioners' Bhvan, Telecom Layout, Sriramapura Phase II Bengaluru

Receipts and Payments Account for the Period Ended 31st March 2018

Previous Year(16-17)	RECEIPTS	Current Year(17-18)	Previous Year(16-17)	PAYMENTS	Current	t Year(17-18)
30,59,306	To B/F	98,0	,412 23,94,609	By B/F		76,31,466
			3,437	By Portal a/c Expenses		
			21,235	By SB interest recovered		
				By Building Construction Expenses		12,88,060
				By Rates and Taxes		14,091
				By Closing Balance		0
			6,40,025	Cash at Bank		8,75,795
30,59,306	TOTAL	98,0	,412 30,59,306	TOTAL		98,09,412

9

For GRSM & ASSOCIATES

Chartered Accountants

F.,R., No: 00863S

G.Babu (President)

A.Rajgopal

(Partner)

M No: 205296

K . B Krishna Rao (Secretary)

Place: Bangalore Date: 31-05-2018 K .R Anantha Ramu (Treasurer)

June 2018

Reg. Off: Pensioners' Bhvan, Telecom Layout, Sriramapura Phase II Bengaluru

Income and Expenditure Account for the Period Ended 31st March 2018

Previous Year(16-17)	EXPENDITURE	Current Year (17-18)	Previous Year(16-17)	INCOME	Current Year (17-18)
1,29,235	To Annual General Body	1,51,124	1,050	By Admission Fees	1,250
15,203	To EC Meeting	19,792		By Donations	
1,500	To Affiliation Fees	1,040	48,122	Association	35,305
3,624	To Bank & MO Charges	3,570		By Subscription to Pensioners	
23,077	To Conveyance	31,283	1,45,828	Champion	1,64,452
3,888	To Donations	15,000	11,675	By Annual Subscription	13,480
-	To Building Construction	12,88,060	33,680	By Compendium Subscription	1,36,471
-	To Websites Charges	17,321		By Bank Interest	
13,153	To Postage & Telephone	18,900	18,183	on S.B Account	21,925
3,093	To Printing & Stationery	5,622	1,31,825	on F.D Account	1,43,433
	To Printing Charges of Journals		2,55,201	By Rent	2,86,853
1,81,987	Pensioners Champion	1,86,794			
-	By Printing of Supplement to Compendium	58,240			
25,196	To Professional Fees	10,620			
980	To Subscriptions to Periodicals	1,407			
	To Charitable Functions Held				
21,880	at Govt School	36,100			
13,683	To TA DA & Delegation Fees	3,800			
6,000	To Building Maintanence	9,050			
4,42,499	To C/f	18,57,723	6,45,564	By C/f	8,03,169

PENSIONER'S CHAMPION

KARNATAKA POSTS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS PENSIONER'S ASSOCIATION (REG)

Reg. Off: Pensioners' Bhvan, Telecom Layout, Sriramapura Phase II Bengaluru

Income and Expenditure Account for the Period Ended 31st March 2018

9,18,593	3	22,78,981	9,18,593	TOTAL	22,78,981
,	a a sa a	,			
22,000	To Remuneration & Wages	22,000			
4,10,700	To Depreciation	3,69,016			
2,365	To Registration of society	2,975			
3,437	To Portal Expenses Photograph	2,350			
357	To Electricity Charges	6,097			
21,235	To SB interest reversed	14,091		Income	14,75,812
16,000	To Water Connection Charges	4,729	2,73,029	By Excess of Expenditure over	
4,42,499	To B/F	18,57,723	6,45,564	By B/F	8,03,169

Vide our report attached For GRSM & ASSOCIATES

Chartered Accountants

F.,R., No: 00863S

A.Rajgopal

(Partner)

M No: 205296

G.Babu

(President)

K . B Krishna Rao (Secretary)

Place: Bangalore Date: 31-05-2018 K .R Anantha Ramu (Treasurer)

June 2018

Reg. Off: Pensioners' Bhvan, Telecom Layout, Sriramapura Phase II Bengaluru

Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2018

Previous Year(16-17)	LIABILITIES	31/03/2018		Previous Year(16-17)	ASSETS	31/03	3/2018
	Corpus Fund				Computer		
50,32,077	Opening Balance	47,59,048		2,048	Opening Balance	819	
	Less: Excess of Expenditure over						
2,73,029	Income	14,75,812	32,83,236	1,229	Less: Depreciation @ 60%	492	327
47,59,048				819			
	Life Membership Fund				Furniture		
10,54,563	Opening Balance	11,07,543		1,80,064	Opening Balance	1,62,059	
52,980	Add: Receipts during the year	63,500	11,71,043	18,006	Less: Depreciation @ 10%	16,206	1,45,853
11,07,543				1,62,059			
	Security Deposits of Rent			39,14,650	Building	35,23,185	
1,02,000	Opening Balance	1,29,000		-	Add: Additions	-	
39,000	Add: Receipts during the year	18,000		3,91,465	Less: Depreciation @ 10%	3,52,318	31,70,867
		1,47,000		35,23,185			
12,000	Less: Refund	24,000	1,23,000	7,86,934	Land		7,86,934
1,29,000					Current Assets		
	Building Fund				TDS		17,924
-	Opening Balance	22,58,005		29,02,636	Fixed Deposits		35,68,043
22,58,005	Add: Receipts during the year	19.53,079		2,47,138	Accrued interest		2,07,240
		42,11,084		6,40,025	Cash at Bank		8,75,795
	Less: Refund	26,000	41,85,084				
9,200	Professional Charges Payable		10,620				
82,62,796	TOTAL		87,72,983	82,62,796	TOTAL		87,72,983

Vide our report attached For GRSM & ASSOCIATES

Chartered Accountants F.,R., No: 00863S

A.Rajgopal (Partner) M No: 205296 G.Babu (President) K . B Krishna Rao (Secretary)

K .R Anantha Ramu (Treasurer)

Place: Bangalore Date: 31-05-2018

MEMBERS TO BE FELICITATED IN THE ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING TO BE HELD ON SUNDAY THE 9TH SEPTEMBER 2018, AT

Pensioners Bhavan, 61/1, 1st Main, Telecom Layout, BANGALORE-560064

The list hereunder, includes the names of members who are 75 years and above as on 31-3-2018,but does not include the names of those members who have already been felicitated previously by the association and of those who did not participate in the fecilitation function after inclusion of their names in the lists of members to be felicitated, published in the previous years

SI No	Membership LM / ALM	Name Smt./Sri	DoB	Designation & Office from which retired
1	838	Channappa B L	10.04.1942.	HSG I CMA BCity RMS Bg
2	844	Munimadaiah H K	09.05.1942.	AHRO BG TD Stg
3	850	Shankaranarayana	01.06.1942	Sr Audit Offr AG office BG
4	856	Vasantha Martin T	01.04.1942	CTS BGTD
5	861	Akilandam K	12.08.1942	CSS BG TD
6	870	Rukmangada G K	08.10.1942	SDE BGTD
7	871	Thejappa H	12.10.1942	H.S A HSGI BG Stg Dvn
8	877	Renukaradhya	03.10.1942	HSG II Supr BG Stg Dvn
9	908	Sridhar Bhat K	10.07.1942	Sr.Supdt of Pos Gulbarga Dvn
10	911	Ramprasad K N	13.10.1942	AGM Bg TD
11	918	R K T Shastry	17.01.1943	Sr.Supdt of POs Mysore
12	928	Basavaiah B	15.06.1942	Dir (Scientist'F') Electronics Reg. Test Lab, N.Delhi
13	952	Paul Pinto	23.05.1942	DGM BGTD
14	961 R	a ß adashiva	17.01.1943	ASPM Gandhinagar P O BG
15	982	Subbarao B V	01.01.1943	Asst.Supdt of Pos O/o SPO Hassan
16	992	Srinivasaiah B	10.11.1942	Sr.Section Supr O/o PGM BGTD
17	1000	Prakash I.R	29.07.1942	ASW AIR AE Civil AIR N.Delhi
18	1007	Leela Edward Smt.	31.10.1942	Sr.Telephone Supr O/o CTX BG
19	1017	Vishwanatha P S	05.08.1942.	Asst Meteorologist MEG(Records) BG
20	1038	Shivaram K L	15.05.1942	Dy AM BSNL O/o AM BGTD
21	1068	Krishnamurthy R S	24.11.1942	Scientist D GTRE
22	1170	T S Vasudevan	01.09.1942	CGMT CGMT Chennai
23	1184	Venkataramu V	08.04.1942	LSG S A BG City RMS
24	1200	Zaheeruddin P	01.10.1942	DGM BSNL Cuddappah AP
25	1247	Seshadri N S	08.09.1942	C.Adm. Officer HQ Western Naval Command Mumbai
26	1293	AnanthapadmanabhaRao N	18.09.1942	JTO BSNL BGTD
27	1390	Syed Abdul Zahir	15.05.1934	Tech. Chargeman, CQAEL. Bg.

SI No	Membership LM / ALM	Name Smt./Sri	DoB	Designation & Office from which retired
28	1401	Jagadish C G	28.02.1943	Scientist 'C' DRDO BG
29	1437	Ravi K V	26.09.1942	Asst Director, MET Min of SSI
30	1478	Venkatesan R S	07.01.1943	PGM PGM Office Coimbatore
31	1479	Mruthyunjaya N	02.07.1942	Technical Offr Grd'C' LRDE BG
32	1524	Karim M F	20.07.1942	Electric Foreman Central Poultry Breading, Agr.Dpt
33	1526	Longhinose P A	15.03.1943	SAO, IA&AD Pr. A G.Trivandrum (audit)
34	1555	Rajeev M.N	05.03.1943	DET DoT Mandya
35	1576	Nazareth K F	25.08.1942	Supdt of Pos Gokak Postal Dn
36	1631	Venkateshu A.G	15.03.1943	SPM HSG I Kanakapura PO
37	1720	Ashwathanarayana Murthy P	16.12.1942	Stg Asst Bg Stg office
38	1742	Sayi Narayana K C	09.01.1943	A E CE (AF) BG M.o.Def
39	1806	Sathyanarayana A	09.12.1942	AE Super Power Transmission AIR BG
40	1871	Madyastha C S	30.10.1942	Tecl Officer-B LRDE DRDO Bg
41	1882	Vasanthakumar K G	18.06.1942	Techl.Officer-A LRDE DRDO Bg
42	1913	Indar Kumar Sukhija	12.07.1942	SE Elec MTNL N.Delhi
43	1918	Sathyabodha Rao A H	21.09.1942	Section Supr CPMG BG
44	1954	Thimma Gowda.T.G	05.06.1942	Record sorter Jt.D G.Foreign Trade
45	1955	Subbakrishna.C.S	19.04.1942	SQAE(L) SQAEL East Bangalore
46	1969	Durgaprasada Rao.K.R.G	15.01.1943	CAO BSNL Hyderabad
47	2005	Veerabhadraiah N	12.10.1942	SPM Agram Post office Bg
48	2087	Manikarnika Devi K.R	28.12.1942	LSG O/o th DE JP Nagar BG TD
49	2109	Nanjanjunde Gowda M	24.12.1942	SPM Oklipuram P O Bg
50	2163	Chandrasekara R	21.03.1943	Gestener Operator O/o GE J Jalahalli, MoD
51	2272	Rama Murthy.H.N	11.05.1942	HSG-2 Supr Bangalore City RMS
52	2277	V.Narayanamurthy	25.12.1942	Asst. PM Dharmavaram P O
53	2349	Yarramsetty Venkateswrlu	22.12.1942	Postmaster-HSGI Pulivendla P O
54	2359	V.S.Krishna Murthy	01.03.1943	AGM(PR) O/o CGMT, Bg
55	2375	K.Balan,	01.06.1942	Chargeman Grade-1 CQAEL
56	2378	A.B.Basvarajaiah,	02.05.1942	SPM Davanagere
57	2384	Veerakyathaiah	03.02.1943	Meteorologist Grade-1 Min of Defence
58	2422	Nagaraj.A.P	13.07.1942	Postmaster HSG-I Basaveshwaranagar, Blore
59	2426	Sarvamangala	28.03.1943	Section Supr O/o PMG, SK Region

SI No	Membership LM / ALM	Name Smt./Sri	DoB	Designation & Office from which retired	
60	2429	A.Chandrasekhara Setty	11.02.1943	LSG PA Brahmavara P O	
61	2438	RangachaarluSalagram	01.06.1942	Sub Postmaster Madanapalle	
62	2459	Mehta B G	07.08.1942	Spm (HSG I), Jetpur, Gondal Division Rajkot	
63	2463	Jayaram K	12.10.1942	CAO BSNL Bg	
64	2499	Krishna Murthy R	25.12.1942	JSO CQAL Bg	
65	2510	Ashokkumar.G	28.03.1943	Scientist "C" LRDE, Bg	
66	2521	Nagaraju.H.V	07.10.1942	SAO, CDA Defence Accts	
67	2533	Yeligar.H.B	05.01.1943	Telegraph Master CTO,Bg	
68	2550	Santhu Peter	24.05.1942	Sr.Sectn. Supr BSNL, Bg	
69	2557	Deshpande.J.N	09.07.1942	Scientist "B" LRDE, Bg	
70	2607	Ramaiah.R.T	13.07.1942	BCR Supr BCity RMS Bg	
71	2610	Chockalingam.M	07.04.1942	Dy.PM Madurai HPO	

Members listed above are requested to attend the AGB on 9-9-2018 for being felicitated. They are requested to confirm their participation before 20-7-2018. Arrangements for felicitation will be made only for those who confirm their attendamce in the AGB. Confirmation can be made either through Post, Phone call, WhatsApp message, SMS or Email

By Post / By Phone call / Whatsapp message / SMS to:

V.Gopal, Joint Secreatary,

Flat No. 5-B-20, 1st Phase, Nandi Garden Apartments, Avalahalli, J.P. Nagar 9th Phase, Bangalore-560 108.

Mobile: 8197918085

email: pensionersbhavan@gmail.com

23rd Annual General Body Meeting of Karnataka Posts and Telecommunications Pensioners' Association,

Will be held simultaneously with the OPENING CEREMONY of the newly built Annexe to Pensioners Bhavan, No.61, 1st Main Road, Telecom Layout, Sriramapura, Phase II, Jakkur Cross, Bengaluru-560064

on Sunday the 9th September, 2018 at 9-00 a.m.

Annual Accounts & Auditor's report and List of Members of 75 years of age to be felicitated in the AGB are published elsewhere in this issue of the Journal

Formal Notice of the meeting & Agenda and Annual Report will be published in July 2018 issue.

Members are requested to bring this issue to the General Body Meeting for participation in the discussions.

PENSIONERS' CHAMPION



Our Readers write

Mr B A Shetty's letter (May2018) strangely advances an argument that the feedback published in our journal is mostly a 'flattery' and that 'good work done does not need any appreciation'.

The column introduced last year reflects how sensitive our readers are to the information given in our journal and how they put into words the full impact of the news. There is nothing wrong in praising the editor for selecting and grading the information relevant to the pensioners whose cause the journal has been espousing for the last two decades.

The principles and purpose of journalism are defined by... 'the function news plays in the life of people' (read pensioners). The well-meaning readers choose words to say that they 'would like to preserve the journal' 'the worksheet of revised pension was very helpful', etc. The phraseology is spontaneous and there is no need for restricting it. Such an expression of appreciation gives strength to the person rendering selfless service to others.

'Flattery' is insincere compliment. On the other hand, a flatterer does so to gratify vanity or self-esteem or in the hope of expecting a favour. To call frank expression of readers' thankfulness as 'flattery' is out and out 'terminological inexactitude' to use the weighty phrase of the famous lexicographer Dr Samuel Johnson.

It may be added here that amidst the multiplicity of organizational affairs, the editor brings out the journal in time by putting his heart and soul in to it. The editor does his job alone without the assistance as I could observe when in Bengaluru. No remuneration is paid to him for the work. This is an expression of good will. Let this not be mistaken for 'flattery'.

R.Soundararajan (LM-710) Nagapattinam

I read with interest the comments made by Sri B A Shetty. I welcome the column introduced in *Pensioners' Champion*. English Daily News papers in their columns 'Letters to editor' provide an opportunity to their readers to express their views on several issues. Good work done requires appreciation and such letters from readers have to be published in the Journal.

S N Janakiraman, (S-51), Madurai

We are thankful to KP&TPA for evincing interest in settlement of 7th CPC pension revision case of Sri D D Khavasi Cooperation extended by the association cannot be forgotten.

OBITUARY

Sri. H S Anantha Murthy, LM-2369 retired Postmaster, Bijapur HPO expired on 8-3-2018 at the age of 83 years. He is survived by wife and three daughters.

Sri R.Krishnan ALM 502, retired from Geological of Survey of India expired on 3-6-2018 at the age of 86 years. He is survived by wife, two sons and two daughters.

We convey our heartfelt condolences to the bereaved families

R V Yadav Secretary, AICGPA, Dharwada Branch

	ALL INDIA CONSUMER PRICE INDEX									
Month	CPI Base 2001=100	12 Months' Total	,	% increase over 261.42						
				7th CPC	6th CPC					
Jun 17	280	3323	276.92	5.93	139.22					
Apr 18	288	3424	285.33	9.15	146.48					

DA/DR from 1-1-2018: 7% (2% increase over July 2017 rate of 5%) 6th CPC - 142% (3% increase over July 2017 rate of 139%)

Expected DA/DR w.e.f. July 2018 : 9% (2% increase over Jan 2018 rate of 7%)

PENSIONERS' CHAMPION

(16)

Donation for the Building Fund - 22nd List

SI No.	Name Sri/Smt.	Membership No.	Amount Rs.	Receipt No.	Progressive Total of donation
926	A.G.Doraiswamy	32	40000	3386	70100
927	M.Muniyappa	2495	25000	3382	50501
928	K.Bharathi	1345	20000	3371	30000
929	S.C.Bhavi	2201	11000	3341	
930	A.K.Raghothamachar	384	11000	3357	26000
931	P.Lakshminarayana Gupta	1367	10100	3366	20100
932	M.N.Gopinath	1085	10000	3372	40000
933	Dr.K.B.H.Nayar	1243	10000	3345	20001
934	P.Subbaramaiah	1860	10000	3375	15000
935	R.K.T. Shastry	918	10000	-	25000
936	B.L.Channappa	838	6000	3373	41159
937	R.Soundararajan	710	5001	3389	10001
938	B.N.Krishna Murthy	18	5000	3388	25000
939	N.Varadarajan	562	5000	3363	10000
940	S.D.Shahane	654	5000	3349	10000
941	K.T.Rajan(S/o P.Kothandaraman)	947	5000	3374	
942	M.M.Hanji	1286	5000	3358	30001
943	M.Pari	1749	5000	3356	
944	Krishnaiah	2474	5000	3368	
945	R.T.Ramaiah	2607	5000	3394	6001
946	K.Ramesh Babu	2620	5000	3362	
947	Krishna Bai Krishna Murthy	648	4000	3387	6000
948	K.R.Siddeshwar	944	3000	3376	5000
949	Chandrashekhar Karanth	1076	3000	3369	21111
950	H.Suresh Mallya	1313	3000	3395	5000
951	C.L.Lingaiah	1428	3000	3393	5000
952	K.R.Anantha Ramu	2062	3000	3397	40000
953	S.Mahadevaiah	2586	3000	3359	
954	S.N.Janakiraman	S-56	3000	3377	7000

PENSIONERS' CHAMPION

Donation for the Building Fund - 22nd List (cont.)

SI No.	Name Sri/Smt.	Membership No.	Amount Rs.	Receipt No.	Progressive Total of donation
955	P.Balachandra Menon	691	2000	3367	4000
956	Bhaskara Bhatt	808	2000	3385	4000
957	Padmavathy	2483	2000	3390	
958	N.Mruthyunjaya	1479	1000	3436	
959	N.Venkatachalapathy	1912	1000	3348	1500
960	Veerakyathaiah	2384	1000	3364	3500
961	M.S.Lalitha	1296	500	3370	2500
962	S.Manjulamba	2211	500	3379	
963	A.N.Nagesh	2443	500	3378	

Postal Pensioners disbursement of Pension/ Family Pension

Gol, Ministry of Communications, Department of Posts, New Delhi Letter No.33-7/2011 PA(PEA)/D/2933-3026 dated 05-06-2018

To

All Heads of Circles /All General Managers (Finance) / All Directors of Accounts(Postal)

- 1. Delay in commencement of family pension to spouse on death of pensioner. Item(X) of ATR of 30th SCOVA meeting
- 2. Timely restoration of commuted pension and commencement of additional pension on attaining the age of 80,85,90,95,&100 years.

Sir / Madam,

Kindly refer to the subject cited above. A number of complaints is being received from various Postal and Telecommunication Pensioners' Associations regarding delay in commencement of family pension to spouse on death of pensioner, timely restoration of commuted pension and commencement of

additional pension on attaining the age of 80 years and above.

In view of the above, you are requested to take suitable measures and ensure for timely payment of family pension to spouse on death of pensioner under the existing rules and automatic restoration of commuted pension after expiry of 15 years and commencement of additional pension on attaining the age of 80 years and above by the pensioners/ family pensioners by maintaining a system in the present software or maintaining a register for the purpose

Anju Lata Director (Budget &Admn)

Editor's note: This issue was vigorously pursued with the Dept of Posts by Sri S P Gupta, Secretary, P&T Pensioners' Association, Rajastan, Jaipur. We thank Sri Gupta for his efforts.

BSNL IDA

From 1-4-2018: 127.2% (0.3% increase over Jan, 2018 rate of 126.9%)

PENSIONERS' CHAMPION

	Subscription received for Pensioners' Champion in MAY-JUNE 2018						
Rs.	120/- Smt./Sri	Rs.120/- Smt./Sri	Rs.240/- Smt./Sri	Rs.450/- Smt./Sri			
48	S.M.Vittala Rao	2412 K.S.Sampath	2289 Range Gowda	1621 B.A. Shetty			
49	K.G.Rau	2435 M.A.Bukkebag	2306 D.Varadarajulu	Rs.480/- Smt./Sri			
70	N.Lakshmana	2449 Dr.Venkateshwara	2372 M.N.Anjanappa	32 A.G.Doraiswamy			
268	Y.L.Vasudeva Rao	Sharma.K	2378 A.B.Basavarajaiah	985 V.R. Janarthanam			
668	A.Ramamurthy	2470 K.H.Jagadeesh	2443 A.N.Nagesh	Rs.500/- Smt./Sri			
710	R.Soundararajan	2485 S.Lakshmi	2464 B.K.Lakshmanan	1440 M.S.Dattathri			
958	K.R.Ananthakrishnan	2495 M.Muniyappa	Rs.250/- Smt./Sri				
1178	K.N.Tiwari	S-241 S.N.Dorennanavar	654 S.D.Shahane	,			
1487	M.Thamees Deen	Rs.125/- Smt./Sri	Rs.300/- Smt./Sri	Rs.600/- Smt./Sri			
1527	T.Mani	81 S.Balasundara Raman	2118 M.R.V.Nath	2437 Shantha.V.Murthy			
1721	M.V.Prahlada Rao	Rs.200/- Smt./Sri	S-298 N.Pushpavalli	1981 H.A.Bharathi			
1742	K.C.Sayinarayana	2285 S.S.Nanda	Mannargudi	2483 Padmavathy			
1915	M.S.Ramamurthy		Rs.360/- Smt./Sri	2497 C.R.Gayathri			
1997	D.N.Jagadeesh	Rs.240/- Smt./Sri	229 M.R.Nagaraja	Rs.960/- Smt./Sri			
2013	K.Guruswamy	838 B.L.Channappa	562 N.Varadarajan	2001 K.G.Ravindra			
2014	R.Ramamurthy	1130 N.G.Kadni	2344 S.Dattatri	Rs.1000/- Smt./Sri			
2157	V.Gopal	1131 K.B.Krishna Rao	2346 S.Usha Devi	1243 Dr.K.B.H.Nayar			
2267	K.S.Gowrambike	1628 B.G.Mugadur	2384 Veerakyathaiah	Rs.1200/- Smt./Sri			
2308	P.M.A.Dhanaraj	1759 V. Appalaraju	Rs.400/- Smt./Sri	2511 T.G.Chandrashekara			
2323	B.S.Gopalappa	2211 S.Manjulamba	2459 B.G.Mehta				

Newly Enrolled Members				
Name (Smt./Sri)		Designation & Office in which last worked	Type & No.	
1	B.N. Suryanarayana	Telecom District Manager, Kolar	LM	2631
2	R. Narayanappa	Postal Assistant, Bangalore GPO, Bangalore	LM	2632
3	B.K. Gayathri	Stenographer Grade I, All India Radio, Bangalore	ALM	2633
4	J.C. Thaker	Selectiongrade Phone Inspector, Surendranagar(Guj)	LM	2634
5	A. Ananda	Sub Record Officer, HSG II, Mysuru	LM	2635
6	S. Uma Manjunath	Postwoman, Chamarajpet Post Office, Bangalore	LM	2636
7	B.M. Geetha	TBOP PA, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore	LM	2637
8	T.V. Lakshmi Devi	Civilian Gazetted Officer(Admn), HQ Trg.Commd. IAF, Bangalore	ALM	2638
9	B.T. Krishna Murthy	Personal Assistant 'C', Defence Food Research Laboratory, Mysuru	ALM	2639
10	. K.R. Gurukar	Training Officer, Foremen Training Institute, Bangalore	ALM	2640

LM: Life Member ALM: Associate Life Member

PENSIONERS' CHAMPION



World Elder Abuse Awareness Day

Elder Abuse - Sons are the foremost perpetrators Findings of 2018 'Elder Abuse Study' published in The Hindu 15th June 2018 Report released by Help Age India on Thursday, 14th June 2018

The study covered 23 cities across India. 25% of 5,014 respondents said that they experienced abuse

Elder abuse starts at home with the people closest to senior citizens guilty of mental and physical abuse

Of the 5014 respondents, 52% said that they had been abused by their sons while 34% said that the perpetrators were their daughters-in-law

Most common form of abuse: Disrespect 56%, Verbal abuse 49%, Neglect 33%, beating/slapping 12%

70% of the abusers were educated up to the 12th standard, 40% were skilled workers Main reason for abuse: Abuser wanting to live independently (26%), Property (22%), lack of resources to meet the needs of elders (22%) Dislike for the senior's way of living (23%) 25% of the respondents said that their children saw them as a burden

Reporting is low

Though there is greater understanding among seniors about abuse, reporting remains dismally low.82% failed to report the abuse to any person or agency, 52% did not report to maintain confidentiality, 34% did not know how to deal with the problem.

Percentage of elder abuse at city level

Mangaluru 47%, Ahmedabad 46%, Bhopal 39%, Delhi 33%, Chennai 27% Bengaluru 26%.

Expert legal opinion

Laws cannot stop elder abuse. Children should be sensitized from a young age to respect their elders.

Justice N.Santhosh Hegde,

former Judge, Supreme Court & former Lokayukta, Karnataka.

Regd. Journal

If undelivered, please return to: **Karnataka Posts and Telecommunications**

Pensioners' Association (R) 165, 4th Main, 3rd Block, 3rd Stage, Basaveshwaranagar, Bengaluru-560 079. То

Edited, Printed and Published by **Sri N. Bhaskaran** for and on behalf of **Karnataka P & T Pensioners' Association**, 1397, 23rd Main, Banashankari II Stage, Bangalore-560 070 and Printed at: **Omkar Hi-Prints**, No. 24, I Cross, I Main, Tata Silk Farm, Basavanagudi, Bangalore-4. Ph.: 9480184985