HISTORY OF PASUM KUDIL ORHANAGE HOME, (Run by AWARD Trust, Mudukulathur, Ramnad Dist, Tamilnadu state, India)

LOCATION OF PASUM KUDIL ORPHANAGE HOME: Pasum Kudil Orphanage home is Located in Mudukulathur, Ramnad District, Tamilnadu India. Pasum Kudil Orphanage home is a Wing of our AWARD Trust.



Some problem associated with the lace of economic Development, Inadequate sanitation and clean water, indoor air pollution from bio mass, burning and many types of land degradation is developing areas have poverty as their root cause. With this is mint AWARD Trust and Action India Trust was given shape in the year of 2004, Mudukulathur Taluk. The activities of the trust will be in such a way that it addresses to the problem of the area and help the people to solve them. The trustees and other associated persons with the trust will be working towards this goal.

Vision :

- Empowerment of weaker section of women and facilitate changes for the betterment of the lives of women.
- AWARD Trust and Acton India Trust is working at present in women empowerment, children, Old age person, Orphanage children, Health oriented programmed and Environment at Mudukulathur city carrying out.
- Training to educate the urban poor and rural poor women & men and their rights.
- To conducting all the training programme for men, women,& Youth

One of our primary aims is to start an orphanage home to help the poor children for their education. Through the NGO net works we came to know about IHA and we had a opportunity to attend the IHA meetings in the year 2009. The *"Action India Charitable Trust" founders and executives* encourage us to attend the all the meetings conducted by IHA. With the encouragement of "Action India Charitable Trust, with the support of *"Vinir Indiands, Iceland and IHA"* we started the "Pasum Kudil" Orphanage home in the **year 2010'December 18th**.

INAGURATION OF PASUM KUDIL ORPHANAGE HOME

"Pasum Kudil" orphanage home was Inaugurated in the year 2012'december 18th. In this Inauguration Program was presided by Mr. Michael, Chennai, India & Mr. John (President of Action India Charitable Trust, Chennai). Many Government Officials & Dignitaries and Other NGO friends were participated in this Inauguration function. On that time we started the "Pasumkudil" orphanage home with only 5 girl children.



History Of Mudukulathur

Mudukulathur is a panchayat town in Ramanathapuram district in the Indian state of Tamil Nadu.

A highly underdeveloped region of the state. Most of the families in the town and neighboring villages are making their living out of farming that depends on irregular seasonal rain and depleted groundwater resources. More than one third of the population is living in poverty. Social harmony is very fragile because of recurring caste clashes. Educational levels of the youth in the town are below state average.

There are no employment generating economical or industrial activities at the local level and this town lacks in leadership on socio-economical spheres. Bargaining or lobbying power of the local administration with the state government and its agencies are at best very limited to non-existent. There are no socio-economic institutions in this town or Taluk.

Health is major concern here. Most of the men and women around 50 year of age are having Blood Pressure, Diabetes, and Arthritis etc. For health facilities people depend on the nearby town Parmakkudi. The government hospital serves the poor people of this town and the villages around it. But the quality health care is a distant dream and preventive health care is something people are not aware of, anyways this is the case with majority of Indian population irrespective of education or wealth levels.

Demography

As of 2001 India census, Mudukulathur had a population of 13,130. Males constitute 50% of the population and females 50%. Mudukulathur has an average literacy rate of 71%, higher than the national average of 59.5%: male literacy is 76%, and female literacy is 65%. In Mudukulathur, 12% of the population is under 6 years of age.

During olden days, the town used to be called Mutthukulathur meaning "the town with pearls in its lakes" in Tamil with obvious reference to the three ponds "oorani". However the name of the town changed over the years to Mudukulathur meaning "town of oldest ponds" in an ironical reference to the absence of the pearls and the ponds drying up.

Economy

The local economy produces commodities like Rice, Chilly, Cotton and seasonal vegetables. The economic engine of this town is mostly driven by the Gulf money, Wages from Government Salaries, Wages from Agri Labour and Trade.

Religion

The population of this town consists of Hindus, Muslims and Christians. There are many places of worship belonging to all these religious groups.

Hindu

Five temples (Murugan Kovil, Selvi Amman Koil, Pathira Kali Amman Kovil, Vinayaga koil and Sri Dharmamunishwarar and sodalaimadan koil),

And, there are many Vinayagar koils one is situated at the south-west corner of the Saravanapothiigai pond in the middle of the town and another is in Vadakoor.

Islam

Three Masjid is there Mudukulathur Muslim Periya Pallivasal, Thidal Pallivasal, Musthabapuram Pallivasal Mudukulathur Periya pallivasl Minara (height 150 m) is the highest height <u>minara</u> of the District.

ChristianityMore number of churches (T.E.L.C church, C.S.I church, One famous church in east street seventh-day Adventist church, etc.)

Infrastructure

Water-Road-Power

Water is very scarce in this town for many decades now. The local town administration takes care of supply of drinking water to homes. The water is supplied everyday for few hours in the morning. This water is mostly used for drinking and cooking. Summer months are problematic as the water is not supplied every day. Some people even buy water from local vendors.

This town has a well-developed road network to connect with nearby towns and villages but the quality of the roads not worthy of a mention except for the road that runs to Paramakkudi.

Most of the homes in this town are connected to the state electricity network TNEB.

Transport

The only means of transportation is by Road using public transport services operated by state transport corporation and private players like Jayavilas and Shanmugam Bus Transport companies. In the recent years, people use taxis and autos for local commute. A newly constructed bus stand, which has statues of leaders of two communities reflecting the social arrangement of present times, serves the commuters.

Health

This town being a Taluk headquarters, has a government hospital and a private clinic run by a lady doctor for many years, some private hospitals.

But the hospital does not have the adequate capabilities and capacities, generally people of this town don't

SELECTION METHOD OF STUDENT

Our AWARD Trust had 250 Women self Help Groups, & 150 Farmers clubs in 350 villages in Ramnad District. We have a Monthly meeting to the above self help groups and Farmers clubs. Our Ngo staff members conducted the monthly meeting. To the same groups we conducted number of Health Awareness programs, Legal awareness programs, Education Programs, and farmers programs. The contact between our NGO and the people in Ramnad District is like a parent and child relation. From this contact we identify the orphan, semiorphan and poor background children. From the above mentioned children we selected particularly those who need the support to fulfill their education thirst.

RULES AND REGULATIONS OF PASUM KUDIL ORPHANAGE HOME

- The Student must be the orphan, or semi orphan or from below poverty line(BPL)
- We concentrating only the girl children
- We support the hostel staying facility from the age 5 to 17 years
- The Student preferably belongs to Ramnad District location

TIME SCHEDULE FOR PASUMKUDIL CHILDREN HOME (Run by AWARD Trust, Mudukulathur, Ramanathapuram Dist.,)

S.NO	Schedule	Time
1	Wake up	5.00 am
2	Brushing	5.00 - 5.30 am
3	Study time	5.30 – 7.00 am
4	Ready to school	7.00 -8.30 am
5	Break fast	8.30 -9.00 am
6	Leaving from home to school	9.00 am
7	School time	9.00 am – 4.30 pm
8	Tea time	4.45 pm -5.00 pm
9	Play time& Relaxing	5.00pm – 6.00 pm
10	Tuition time	6.00 pm – 7.30 pm
11	Dinner	7.30 pm – 8.00 pm
12	Study time(above VI std)	8.00 – 9.00 pm
13	Sleeping time	9.00 pm

STAFFS DETAILS

Pasum Kudil Orphanage Home (Children) (Run By AWARD Trust, Mudukulathur, and Ramnad Dist.) Staffs Bio Data



1.	Name	J. Rexline Leonora
2.	Educational Qualification	MCA., PM & IR
3.	Husband Name	V. Chinna Maruthu
4.	Name of the Post	Manager
5.	Date of Appointment	18.10.2010
6.	Salary	-Voluntary
7.	Address for communication	4/35 , South Tidal Street Mudukulathur Ramanathapuram

Pasum Kudil Orphanage Home (Children) (Run By AWARD Trust, Mudukulathur, and Ramnad Dist.)

Staffs Bio Data

1.	Name	K. Maruthayee
2.	Name of the Post	Cook

1.	Name	P. ArputhaRaj
5.	Name of the Post	Watchman (Children Home)
6.	Date of Appointment	18.12.2010

Group Photo with the Iceland Volunteers visit





Lunch Time



Students playing Carom Board

Students playing Valley Ball





Students Playing Co-Co