



Unite & Inspire

...to make an impact!



From our Founder's corner.....

To serve others is to serve oneself! Volunteering is a great tool of learning about life..its beauty and reality!
How wonderful if we could sow these seeds in young minds and help them grow with compassionate hearts to help!

Unite & Inspire is born with this ideology and so is the spirit of U&I...its you & I along with our children, who could impact our world with our selfless service, and I take immense pleasure of being the Founder of this organization,

Here we not only help & impact through other orgs., but also we share & grow along, we rise & thrive for a better community and make it a Nandanam- beautiful garden of resources for our friends in need abroad.

Our logo launch event was a major stepping stone of our beautiful journey in this quarter of 2019. Our logo represents just that very spirit, symbolically designed by our designing team which was unveiled by Mr. Sri Preston Kulkarni

on the 23rd Feb'19 in the midst of our U&I Board, family, friends, well wishers and most importantly our U&I Volunteers.

I, along with Co-founders Ms. Suchitra & Dr. Deborah and our Team strive incessantly for these precious young hearts to blossom into responsible citizens!



*-Rajani Priya Ayilavarapu.
Founder, U&I*

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We were busy with....



We took our first step in January 2019 in making a 'an impact' with our VERY first project ...bone marrow donor registration booth at Sri Meenakshi Temple, Pearland, TX.

"Volunteering with Be the Match is a wonderful opportunity to educate myself and numerous others about the higher chances of finding a donor in one's ethnicity; it emphasizes the need for one to become a part of the world-wide database." -Anagha N, High schooler

Gardening is a favorite for our elementary age volunteers...

"I like community gardening because it makes me feel happy, I get to do lot of things there, it is so fun. It helps fight hunger in the community"

-Vedanta S., 2nd Grader



"The experience of gardening is that when I do it, I think and feel like I am helping people who are in need."

-Aneesa A., 2nd Grader

"I felt joy and sympathy creating the cards for the homeless and I hoped it would cheer them up as I was making them. I didn't want them to feel left out. I wanted them to know that we think about them and I want to help them."

- Advika P., 7th Grader



► *Partnering with Star of Hope...making encouraging and kind notes to the homeless families at Cornerstone community.*



Conducted clothing drive to benefit Clothed By Faith . We sorted gently used clothes into bags.

"We felt good while doing this activity, as we had fun while we were helping needy people, so it was a win-win situation."

- Srivibhav T , 4th grader & Ayon R. 3rd grader

We were busy with....



We along with Arc of Fort Bend, enjoyed the Parents evening out Friday with our special friends of Sugarland.



"We can't help everyone, but everyone can help someone"

The experience was refreshing and rewarding."

-Zoya S, 9th grader.



A Saturday morning well spent with our special friends at Dream League....

"Volunteering with Dream League Baseball made an immense impact on me by allowing me to experience working with many wonderful and creative children that kept surprising me with every minute I spent with them. Each moment gave way to the creation of a sibling bond that I can never forget."

- Navya K., 8th grader

We were busy with....



- *Our first art workshop by our high school volunteers was a huge success ...*



*"It was amazing experience and it meant a lot to teach something to all who had genuine interest in learning."
-Ishika P., 10th grader*

*"I learnt a lot in this project, not only coding. But how to make someone happy after learning something."
-Pranav , 12th grader*



- *Coding Team volunteers conducted HTML Coding Workshop, and this is an unique opportunity to our High Schoolers to teach and give back to the community with their knowledge and making a positive impact!*



Our Volunteers diligently sorted and boxed medical supplies with our partnering organization Project C.U.R.E, the world's largest distributor of donated medical supplies to resource- limited communities across the globe-touching the lives of patients, families & children.

"Project C.U.R.E. is a great undertaking that is run by a limited number of actual employees. Volunteering with them directly helps those in need around the world gives one a feeling of immense pride"

-Krishiv E, High School

Peek at Our Special Teams.....



Art Workshop Team



Our Art workshop team was busy with the preparations for our first art workshop and is always looking forward for future ones.

Coding Workshop Team



Our coders are already preparing their codes to help the next set of enthusiastic learners

Digital & Creative Team



Our creative digital team was working on the special works of our initiative Share&Grow collaborating nonprofit Be The Match! When they are doing these projects they are not only bettering their skills but learning more about the cause which they are helping out.

Glance at the Logo Launch moments....



Our Logo Designers



Advisory Team



Executive Team

Ops Team



U&I Collaborators



► **Lastly but most important..... We appreciate you all and your volunteer hours count !!!**



Total volunteers : 145

Total hours : 588 ..and counting....