

## **Report for the Month of May, 2020**

### **1. Central Office**

The following work was awarded during May 2020—

<b>Sl.No.</b>	<b>Name of work</b>	<b>Estimated cost</b>
(i)	Improvement work at Rukmini Arangam – Fabricating and fixing sliding wooden door at Rukmini Arangam	Rs.39,143.00
(ii)	Providing and supplying –Walkie Talkie (License free LF – Communication Radio) – 10 numbers to security personnel at Kalakshetra Foundation	Rs. 92,500.00
(iii)	Laying wooden flooring – traditional type for stage area (deep stage and proscenium area) at Rukmini Arangam. Wood available in the stock will be used. Only labour charges and incidental charges will be incurred.	Rs. 2,98,910.00
(iv)	Construction of garage (for bus parking) at Kalakshetra Foundation	Rs.9,98,418.00

### **2. Rukmini Devi College of Fine Arts**

The academic activities remained suspended. However, remaining examinations will be conducted through online.

### **3. Craft Education and Research Centre**

#### **I. Production for the month of May 2020**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Printing Section</b>	<b>No of items</b>
1	Towel	52
2	Kerchief	84
3	Table Cloth (Small)	17
4	Table Cloth (Big)	3
5	Dress material	1.9 Meters
6	Napkin set	18
7	Bed Sheet Double	4
	<b>Painting Section</b>	
1	Order Saree	1

2	Wall panel	14
	<b>Handloom Products</b>	
1	Silk Saris	3
2	Cotton Dupatta	20

## II. Sales

S.No.		Amount (in Rs.)
1	Kalamkari Sales	12890
2	Job Order	2600
3	CERC Weaving	77260
	Total	92750

### 4. Theatre

Kalakshetra Repertory has been involved in regular practice during the month of May 2020 .

### 5. Archives

- (i) 8 dance-drama programmes were edited and prepared for online viewership
- (ii) Retrieval of media assets for SAANGANIK KARYASHALA programme
- (iii) 2500 images and video clips tagged for retrieval
- (iv) 16 hours of video added to the archives ready for utilisation

### 6. Outreach

- (i) Kalakshetra posted a series of videos from 1<sup>st</sup> May to 30<sup>th</sup> May 2020 on its YouTube Channel for the rasikas. The videos are programs from Kalakshetra's December Art Festival 2018-2019 (65<sup>th</sup> Annual Art festival). **On public demand, each dance drama is now being broadcasted for 3 days.**
- (ii) Besant Arundale Senior Secondary School dance & music audition was conducted online on 13<sup>th</sup> May 2020 and students admitted to XI Std. – tentative admission pending declaration of X Std. results.
- (iii) Kalakshetra Foundation's Facebook, Twitter Instagram, Youtube Channel and MOC whatsapp group are being updated daily – RDCFA college admission details, part time courses, BASS school admission, Online workshop, and YouTube video broadcast.

7. **Besant Arundale Senior Secondary School**

- The School remained closed from March 2020. In the prevailing circumstances, care was taken to ensure that students do not miss out on their academic learning. Study materials are uploaded using TCSiON platform. For live classes, the School is using CISCO WEBEX app. The teachers were trained in usage of online platforms for teaching. Trial classes were held which was monitored by the Director and feedback given to the teachers for optimum usage of the platforms.
- Results for all classes were declared following the guidelines issued by CBSE. Admissions for class XI is in progress. Admission to XI Std. Fine Arts streams was held through audition conducted online.
- Links for Free Reading by Scholastic and Karadipath were also shared to students to encourage reading. Story-telling Videos were also shared for the benefit of students of primary classes.

8. **Besant Theosophical Higher Secondary School**

The School remained closed. As the School is a State Govt. affiliated and aided school, it follows directions issued by the State Govt. for its academic activities.