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Foreword by **Ms. Sharmishta Sen,** Trustee, Victory Sports Foundation



Welcome to the 4th edition of our quarterly newsletter, '**Yuva Shakthi**'. This edition is extremely special because the second quarter of 2022 marks the start of the 19th year of Victory Sports Foundation's inception. In 2004, VSF started as a small boxing initiative; with just two staff and many enthusiastic young students. The idea of an established organization that brings together sports enthusiasts from around Tamil Nadu soon took to flight from there.

As you are aware, our focus has always been on using sports as a medium for change. In our 19th year, I would also like to highlight the community-level efforts that we introduced to bring about a change in their outlook toward society. Through non-sports activities like tree plantation drives, lake cleaning initiatives, food distribution to the needy, and disaster management during Covid (like distribution of food packets to migrant laborers, distributing health products like sanitizers/masks/-gloves, etc), we aimed to instill in them key values like discipline, respect for their surroundings, sensitivity and empathy towards those less fortunate than they. Over the years, we have successfully impacted over 3500 students in Tamil Nadu.

The journey has been memorable, with a few lows and many highs. And the experience was most gratifying. This has been possible thanks to you – our ever-supportive network of donors, volunteers, funders, and corporate partners. The team at VSF remains eternally grateful to each of you for your faith and investment in our cause. Once again, thank you all. Please continue to show your love for our students and our cause.

About VSF

Victory Sports Foundation Started in the year 2004 and it is a registered non-governmental organisation committed to developing and promoting sporting programmes for children. Our vision is to ensure that all children, irrespective of their socio-economic background are given equal opportunity to participate in sports. Our focus has always been to foster their overall development via sports by emphasising moral values, discipline, teamwork, fair play and fun.



What we do

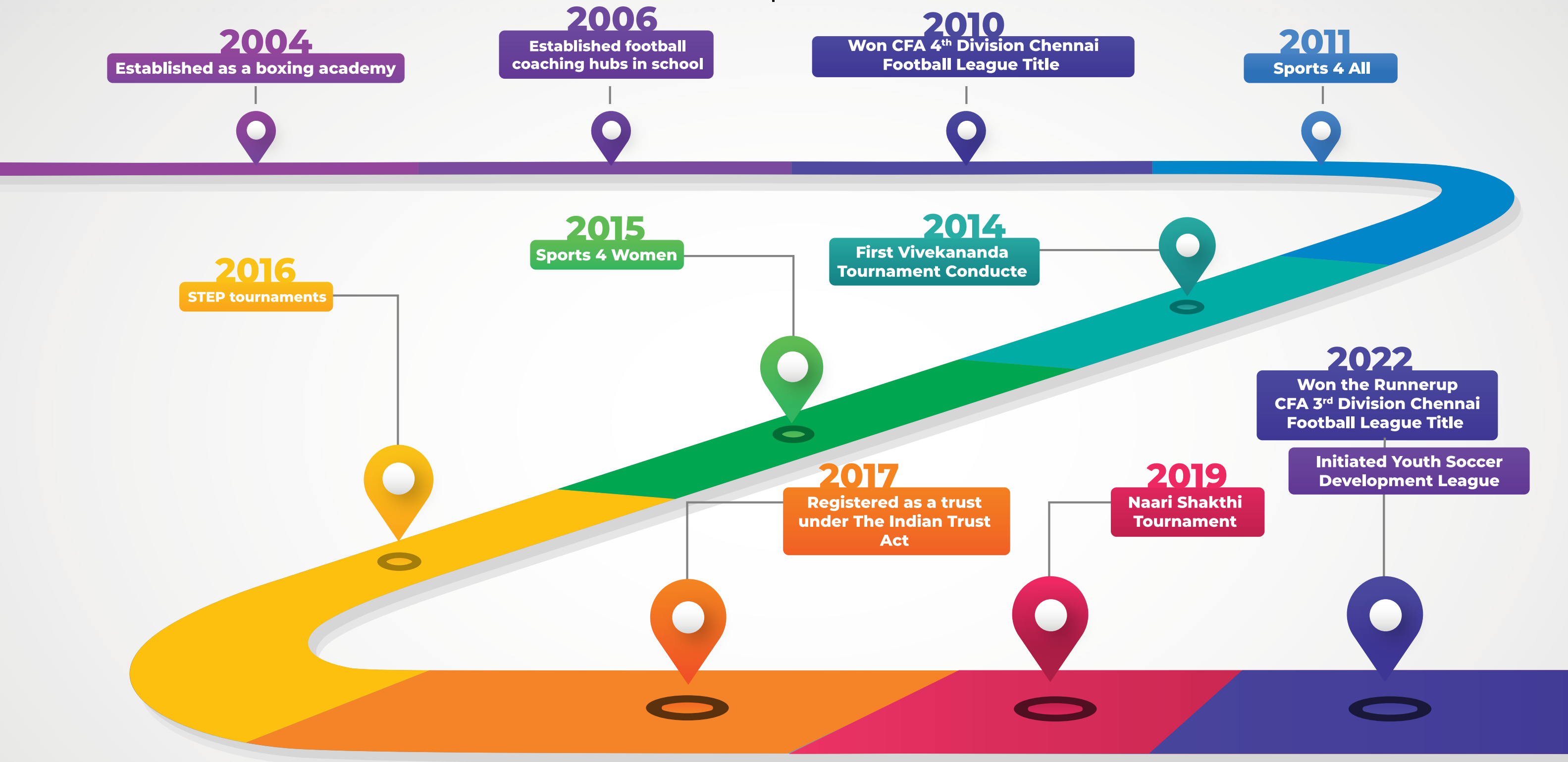
-  Sports coaching.
-  Assessing fitness/sports skill levels.
-  Conducting Tournaments.
-  Provision of personal sports kits /equipment.
-  Nutrition support.
-  Upgrading grassroots sports infrastructure /equipment /sports kits.
-  Encouraging women participation in sports.
-  Disaster Management and Social Activities.

Our impact since inception

- 3500 children benefitted
- 5 districts in Tamil Nadu outreach
- 14000 hours of training
- 5000 hours of social activities
- 19 alumni/students placed in secure jobs
- 3500 sports kits distributed
- 2000 trees planted

19th Year of Victory Sports Foundation. Many changes along the way

On our 19 th anniversary, we look back fondly at our journey since our inception. Our road has been one of many challenges, but a glimmer of optimism has always accompanied it.



The years gone by - Fond memories since 2004



What we did this Quarter? (April - June)

'Boxing Fight Night'

Since the onset of the pandemic, the number of boxing tournaments and matches conducted has dwindled considerably. As part of our 'Opportunity for All' program that focuses on ensuring that players participate actively in tournaments and improve their skills/fitness, VSF teamed with



Disha Boxing 360 conducted the 'Boxing Fight Night' tournament'. This was done with the objective of ensuring that young boxers in the city have the opportunity to improve their skills and fitness levels. The program was conducted in association with the Tamil Nadu Boxing Association, TNPET and PDA on the 10th of April at J.N Stadium. 24 boxers from three states participated in 'Boxing Fight Night'. Of the 24 participants, 18 were from Tamil Nadu, 4 from Telangana and 2 from Pondicherry. In all 12 matches were conducted for the sub-junior and junior weight category.

Mr. Devanand (International Boxer), Dr. Nagaraj (Acting Secretary, Dr. Hari Sankara Varma (Physiotherapist) and Mr Devi Selvam were the chief guests. The program was convened by Mr Thulasi Dass, Mr. Giri Anand and our founder Mr S.K Thanigaivelan.



International Yoga Day Celebration



The United Nations declared 21 June as the International Day of Yoga by resolution 69/131 on December 11, 2014, acknowledging its appeal to people all around the world. The goal of this day is to increase awareness of the numerous advantages of yoga practise on a global scale. We, at VSF also wanted to promote this wonderful sport part that is an integral component of our indigenous health system. To commemorate this day, we conducted a one and a half hour yoga session at the Marina Beach. Over 3 students of VSF who undergo boxing and football training at our Model School hub and Boxing hub had taken part. The session was very well-received by the enthusiastic youngsters who displayed great interest in performing the asanas and breathing exercises.

CFA 3rd Div League Runnerup



Our students participated in the 2022 Chennai Football League organized by Chennai Football Association at the Kanagapuram Ground Playground. Seven teams including Wesley United Football Club, YMCA Sports Football Club, Madras Aryan Club, YMCA Chennai, GT Social, SIAA and Dawood Memorial Football Club (managed by us) participated in the tournament that

was conducted over a span of two months (April, May 2022). In all, 14 matches were played and 15 goals were scored. Our team participated in all the four stages (first-leg, second-leg, super-league (first-leg and second leg). In an exciting and nail-biting closure to the tournament, our team Dawood Memorial Football Club emerged runner-up.

HCL Tamil Nadu State and Zonal Championship

One of our Supported School (Govt. Madarsa Hr.Sec School) took part in the 4th Tamil Nadu State and Zonal Championship sponsored by HCL. Our team participated in three matches and won two matches against teams representing Coimbatore and Tiruvallur. Some of the students from the winning and runner-up teams will be selected for the upcoming HCL National Championship 2022.



New Sports Admissions

GOVT. MADRASA-I-AZAM HR SEC SCHOOL
No 779, Anna Salai, Chennai - 600002

Selection Trial for Sports Admission 2022-2023

11th June Saturday **07 AM Onwards**

Hockey | Football
Athletics | Boxing

Selected Candidate will provide the following

- Free Education & School Uniform
- Complete Personal Sports Kit
- Professional Coaching will be Provided
- Medical Support
- Nutrition Support
- Outstation Tournament Exposure
- Playing Opportunity in Various League

***Note: Meritorious Out station Players will Provide Accommodation and Food at Govt Hostels During Selection: Other District Players will Provide Accommodation on 10th June Evening.**

Venue: Govt. Madrasa I Azam Hr Sec School Ground
No 2, Anna Salai Near Spencer Plaza/Behind Quith Millath Womens College

Head Master Physical Education Teacher

Further details contact: 9003695454 / 9444057508

We conducted a selection drive for 2022-23 on June 11 to recruit new students. The trial was conducted at Government Madrasa I Azam in disciplines like Hockey, boxing, football and athletics. 80 students from standard 4th Std to 12th Std participated. 85 children were participated. in all. The selected candidates will be provided with free sports coaching, sports uniforms, a personal sports kit, nutrition support, free education, medical support (when required), chances to participate in outstation/intra city tournaments and opportunities to play in league matches.

Project Disha Boxing 360
10th April, 2022

Boxing Club Fight Night

Category: Sub Junior/ Junior

Mehru Stadium Boxing Hall, Chennai

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1ST BASKETBALL SUMMER COACHING CAMP - 2022
20th MAY - 5TH JUNE - 2022

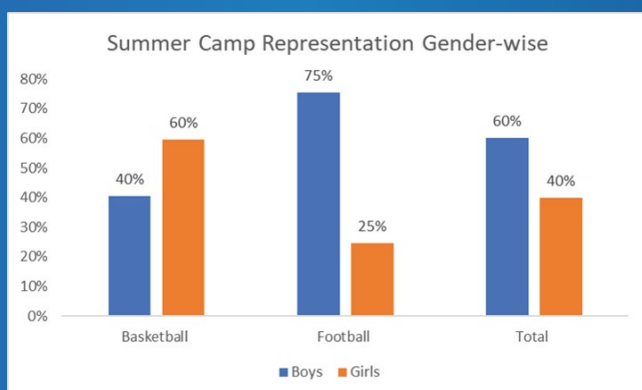
Govt. HR. Sec School, Athanavoor Yelagiri Hills, Thirupathur District

Camp Headed by:



Summer Camp 2022

Summer camps are meant to tap the hidden talent of the children. Every year, VSF conducts sports summer camps for children at the Govt Hr Sec School in Yelagiri. This year, we conducted a basketball and football camp between 20th May – 3rd Jun. 47 students participated in the basketball coaching and 61 students in football. In all, 108 students participated. 40% of the participants were girls, as detailed in the graph below.



Dr Sathiyaseelan (Former Director, University of Madras and Loyola College) Well renowned Coach was headed the camp. We are extremely grateful to our donors of the basketball camp

(Soliton Technologies represented by Mr Vikram Arjun) for their generosity and support. We also thank all our donors who helped make this a fun summer experience for our students.



Support our fundraising campaign for the 'Battle of the Buffet' program



For more details, click on
Visit: ngo.battleofthebuffet.org/bob2022/victory-sports

We are pleased to announce our participation in the 'Battle of the Buffet' (BoB), an annual fundraiser for local NGOs in Tamil Nadu, held by Chennai Mission in conjunction with Daan Utsav Celebrations. Since 2009, BOB has raised close to Rs. 33.89 crores, benefiting two lakh people and hundreds of grassroots initiatives. Each year, 50+ NGOs from TN partake in this event to raise funds for their respective causes.

This BoB, we are aiming to raise Rs 5 lakhs to support Coaches Salary/Sports Equipment / Diet / Sports Tournament. We are hopeful that this will help bring us one step closer in our quest to develop grassroots sports in Tamil Nadu. The campaign ends on 10th October 2022. So please do donate and help us further our cause.



Donations

- Donations via Cheque may be made in name of Victory Sports Foundation.
- Online donations can be made via visiting <https://victorysportsfoundation.org/donate/>

RTGS/Bank Transfer

Name of Account: Victory Sports Foundation

Name of the Bank: Karur Vysya Bank

Branch: Triplicane

IFSC Code: KVBL0001158

Account No: 1158115000021687

Type of Account: Current Account

Cheque

Please make cheques payable to "Victory Sports Foundation", send a soft copy via mail to: victorysportsfoundation@gmail.com and hard copy to

Victory Sports Foundation, New No – 4, Old No – 10, Venkatesa Puram 4th Street,

Dr.Natesan Road, Triplicane, Chennai – 600005, INDIA.



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