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He who plants a tree,
Plants a hope.

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Dear Readers,

People at all levels are the essence of an organization and their full involvement enables their abilities to be used for the organization's benefit.

Helping people at all levels to communicate empowers them to recognize important issues and find common grounds for action, and builds a sense of identity and participation in order to implement their decisions.

On top of that, development involves change, new ways of doing things. Will people have the confidence to make a project work? Will they acquire the new knowledge and skills they need? How can barriers of illiteracy be overcome? Communication media and techniques can be powerful tools to advise people about new ideas and methods, to encourage adoption of those ideas and methods, and to improve training overall.

We live in a communication age, and the full impact of communication on development is just starting to be seen. Based on the experience of FAO and other agencies, communication for development has reached the stage where it can have a noticeable and rewarding effect on many development programmes.

This Newsletter not only promotes the concept of development communication but, more important, it also describes how achieving its full potential to support development requires executive decisions by planners and policy-makers.

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COMPANY NEWS:

New Projects :

ONGC, Mehsana, Gujarat

Tender bidding for ONGC – “Modification of 2000m3/day ETP”, Mehsana, Gujarat was recently won by SMS.

The project is worth Rs. 3 Cores.

In this tender bidding SMS is at Level 1.

Calendar of Environment Events – November

≈ International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in War and Armed Conflict - 6th November

≈ National Recycling Week - 8th to 14th November

≈ World Fisheries Day - 21st November



* Suggestions are welcomed @ borolea@smsl.co.in *

Multilevel Car Parking & Commercial Complex @ Delhi

SMSIL has bagged the Tender for Automated Multilevel Car Parking at Defense Colony jointly with our technology partner Proviron technology BV from Switzerland.

This is second project, we have bagged. The First one is at Kamlanagar.

The concession authority is Municipal Corporation of Delhi. The complex will house about 540 cars at a time.

This is BOT project and investment will be recovered by leasing out commercial area. The estimated cost of project is about 120 Cores.

Proposed
Site Map





K.S.M Kahure (Ministry of Health and Social Services, Namibia) & Anupchand



Sanjay Chauhan & S D dixit (Maneger Operation).



N.K Singh (Alfatherm Ltd) & P N Kutty (Cure chem)



R Frege (Namibia High Commission)

Visitors from Namibia @ BMW Facility; New Delhi

The Team from Namibia Visited the BMW Facility on 10th October 2011.

All the Visitors were very impressed and appreciated the work.



C Platt (Ministry of Health and Social Services), Joseph Mudiuu (Ministry of Health and Social Services), IAN Masowke (MSH / SCMS, Namibia)



During BMW Site Visit



At BMW Conference hall

Visit of Officials from Suchwita Mission, Government of Kerala @ MEPL

28th September 2011

Dr. George Chackacherry, Executive Director, Suchitwa Mission, Kerala and his team member Mr. Dileep Kumar, Director, Suchitwa Mission along with Mr. S R. Chandran visited the MEPL facility to explore options for Plasma Gasification of Municipal Solid Waste. They were deputed by the Government of Kerala for the visit.



They appreciated the warm welcome of the MEPL Team to the site their comments in the visitor's book mentioned "It was really a great experience. We got an insight on waste management. The interest shown by the MEPL Team to show the plant and discuss the technology was excellent we will definitely inform the Government the lessons learnt".



Resource India Expo 2011, Mumbai; 20th – 23rd October 2011

The TIMES RESOURCE INDIA EXPO, an initiative by the Times Group and Conventions & Fairs (India) Pvt Ltd (CFI), is an endeavor to create a value added platform for manufacturers, suppliers, end users and experts to meet and explore business opportunities.



The TIMES RESOURCEINDIA EXPO was promoted on a scale never witnessed before. Buyers from all over the country converged at the Bombay Exhibition Centre, Mumbai from the 20 - 22 October 2011.

The SMS Group participated in the exhibition setting up a stall focusing on Waste Management & Waste Water Management.



ENVIRONMENT NEWS

Regional Solid Waste Disposal Facility

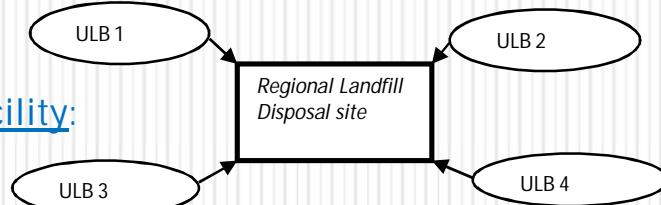
The Municipal Solid Waste (Management and Handling) Rules, 2000 defines municipal solid waste as the solid or semisolid waste generated in a municipal or notified area which does not include untreated Bio-medical waste and industrial hazardous waste. Due to rapid urbanization and uncontrolled growth rate of population municipal solid waste management has become acute in India. The environmental problems arising from unscientific and indiscriminate disposal of municipal garbage are a real menace for the whole society.



Problem faced by the Urban Local Bodies in Mumbai Metropolitan Region (MMR):

As per Municipal Solid Waste (Management & Handling) Rules 2000, the compliance necessary on the part of the Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) in India, related to the disposal is to establish and operate a Sanitary Engineered Landfill for final disposal of Municipal Solid Waste. The Municipal authorities need to identify adequate land that meets the technical parameters prescribed under MSW (M & H) Rules 2000 and large enough for the disposal of waste for 20 to 30 years. For medium or small municipalities finding land, building a sanitary landfill and running the operations can be extremely difficult. The challenges mainly faced include getting enough funds for the construction and operation, finding the technical personnel to operate the heavy machinery and fighting the opposition from the neighborhoods where the landfill is located. One of the solutions to this problem could be the Regionalization facility where adjoining ULBs join together and operate a common disposal facility. Such regional approach is the most cost-effective and viable solution that enables two or more municipalities to derive the benefit of economy of scale. In order to help ULBs in MMR, MMRDA as Infrastructure Development Authority has taken initiative and has proposed to develop Regional Landfill Facility in the Mumbai Metropolitan Region .

Diagrammatic Representation of Regional Landfill facility:



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About the project

Development of Regional Landfill Site (RLS) - salient features:

- As a first step, after the Pre-feasibility study of 15 identified sites, 05 sites viz. a) Taloja b) Kalyan-Shilphata Road, c) Bhiwandi d) Old Panvel- Pune Highway and e) Ambarnath-Ulhasnagar were found suitable for developing RLS.
- Out of above 5 sites, the site at Taloja is being developed first for development of such Regional Landfill site.
- The development of Regional Landfills Project (RLS) is unique and altogether a new concept, not only for the state of Maharashtra but for the country as a whole.
- The objective of above studies is to take care of all risk elements and have the best Techno-commercially viable, sustainable model which will serve as a permanent solution to the problems of waste disposal.
- The project will have overall integration of treatment facility, land-filling activities, post closure mechanism with a State of Art and will also include novel features of Solar Park, Organic Farming, Rainwater Harvesting, continuous surveillance and monetary system etc.

Recent updates :

- MMRDA has invited bidders to develop Regional Solid waste management project at Taloja on Public-Private Partnership module for a period of 25 years
- The bid winner is expected to construct and operate Transfer Stations for four Municipal Corporations of Thane, Kalyan - Dombivli, Ulhasnagar and Bhiwandi - Nizampur and two Municipal Councils of Ambarnath and Kurla - Badlapur and transport the municipal solid waste to the solid waste management facility at Taloja.
- The project also includes construction and operation of processing 2,000 tonnes of municipal solid waste per day with the arrangement to handle solid waste up to 2,500 tonnes per day. The project scope further requires setting up of scientific landfill and disposal of the process remnants and inert materials.
- Also, the landfill site will not only be stench-free, but also generate electricity and have organic farms producing compost.

Benefits of Regional Landfill

Financial Benefits:

- Reduction in the fixed costs (for example, lining, equipment, human resources, land, and overhead) per unit of waste because of the greater amounts of waste and the allocation of costs among several municipal bodies
- Cost saving because of sharing of overhead and maintenance costs among participating municipalities
- Improved bargaining power to buy better equipment and systems at lower costs

Technical benefits:

- The municipality has greater access to technical resources and professional experts
- It can use large and sophisticated equipment (for example compaction)
- Large landfills allow waste to be stacked to greater heights – over 30 meters, compared with the common practice of 3 to 5 meters. Greater height also corresponds to greater depth of land filling, which implies a substantial increase in available air, space and hence, wastes disposal capacity per acre of land, meaning lower capital cost per ton of waste.

CSR ACTIVITY

SMS supports CARE

CARE (Child Adoption for Rehabilitation and Education) project intend to patronize orphans who are physically/mentally challenged/HIV positive and support them by providing medicinal, boarding, educational and other basic amenities for living a quality life.

For this year, SMS Infrastructure Ltd has finance this noble cause.



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Lunch to participants and audience of Abhang and Bhajan singing Competition ; 22nd-23rd October 2011

The MEPL Team as a part of the Corporate Social Responsibility sponsored lunch to all the participants and audience for the 4th State level Abhang & Bhajan singing Competition of Jagatguru Shri Sant Tukaram Maharaj. The competition was sponsored by the Sharad Krida & Sanskrutik Pratishtan in the Shirur Municipal Corporation hall.

खराडी, घुलेवाडी संघांचे भजन स्पर्धेत यश

शिरूर, ता. २८ : शरद क्रीडा व सांस्कृतिक प्रतिष्ठानातके 'जगद्गुरु तुकाराम महाराज राज्यस्तरीय अभंग व भजन स्पर्धेचे नुकतेच आयोजन करण्यात आले होते. दोन दिवस चाललेल्या पुणे विभागाची पातळीवरील स्पर्धेत पुणे, नगर व सातारा जिल्ह्यांतील सुमारे ४२ संघांनी सहभाग घेतला.

संतत्रिष्ठ झानोबा माडली, जगद्गुरु तुकारामाचा, राष्ट्रीय तुकडोजी महाराज, गांडोबोबा, संत एकनाथ या संतांच्या पांपरिक रचना या संघांनी सादर केल्या. बाल व खुल्य अशा दोन गटांत खालेल्या स्पर्धेत अनुक्रमे १५ व २७ संघांनी सहभाग घेतला होता. वालगांवातून खराडी (पुणे) येथील सुंदरवाई मराठे विद्यालयाच्या संघाला दीपाली शेळके व डपस्थितांच्या हस्ते गौरविण्यात आले.



शिरूर : 'जगद्गुरु संत तुकाराम महाराज राज्यस्तरीय अभंग व भजन स्पर्धेत' पुणे विभागात विजेत्या ठरलेल्या खराडी (पुणे) येथील सुंदरवाई मराठे विद्यालयाच्या संघाला दीपाली शेळके व डपस्थितांच्या हस्ते गौरविण्यात आले.

तबलावादक ओमकार भुसारे आणि जाझुई आवाजाने भावार्प रचना सादर करण्याचा शिकायूर येथील गौरी झाले या दोघा कलाकारांना वैयक्तिकीत्या संघाने, तर खुल्या गटात घुलेवाडी (ता. संगमनेर, जि. नार) येथील

उर्वरित निकाल पुढीलप्रमाणे : खुला गट : तृतीय क्रमांक : वापुजी दुवा भजनी मंडळ (नेवासा, जि. नार), उत्तेजनार्थ : स्वामी समर्थ महिला भजनी मंडळ (पुणे), साई गणेश महिला भजनी मंडळ (हडपसर, पुणे), स्वरागंग संगीती

विद्यालय (गोपाळवाडी, दौँड), भजन संघां संगीत विद्यालय (श्रीगोदा), स्वरसाधना संगीत सुप (उरलगाव, ता. शिरूर)

बाल गट : द्वितीय गेनवा सोयाराव मोळे प्रसाळ (भेरवडा, पुणे), तृतीय : हुमंत बाल भजनी मंडळ (लाखेवाडी, मलठण, ता. शिरूर), उत्तेजनार्थ : श्री माडली संगीत विद्यालय (नसरापूर), भक्ती भजन मंडळ (जोशीवाडी, शिरूर), श्री दत्त

बाल भजनी मंडळ (गुपाता, ता. शिरूर), हनुमान प्रासादिक मंडळ (दौँड).

या स्पर्धेचे परीक्षक माडली सावंत व नविकेत मेहेदले, तसेच संयोजक लक्ष्मीकात खालिया, यशस्विनी अधियानच्या दीपाली शेळके, पोपट औस्तवाल, सुकुमार बोगा, शिवाजीराव खेमर, जात्राय पाचणे, पी. एन. ढोकले याच्या हस्ते विजेत्या संघांना पारितोषिके देण्यात आली. नीलेश खालिया यांनी आधार मानले.



HR FORUM

Fire Fighting Training Program @ MEPL; 13th October 2011

The MEPL Team had organized a Fire Fighting training Program for the employees to train and make them aware of the accidents due to Fire.

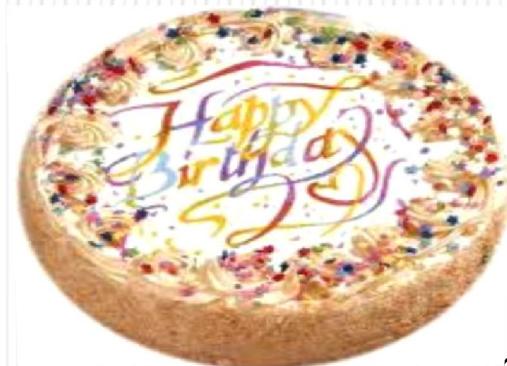
This training program was attended by 29 employees.



WE WISH YOU ALL THE VERY WARM WISHES ON YOUR BIRTHDAY!!

Sr. No.	Name of Employee	DOB	Company
1	Sudhakar Gaikwad	1-Nov	MEPL
2	SANGEETA PUROHIT	2-Nov	SMSIL
3	Vaibhav Pathak	2-Nov	MEPL
4	Ganesh Jagdale	2-Nov	MEPL
5	Rajesh Patil	3-Nov	SMSEL
6	R.G.Ughade	5-Nov	W-CETP
7	Manish Raj Singh	5-Nov	MEPL
8	Santosh Kadam	6-Nov	M-BMW
9	Shailendra Jaiswal	7-Nov	SMSEL
10	Milind Adbe	8-Nov	SMSEL
11	Rohidas Nawale	8-Nov	MEPL
12	KALYAN SHIVANKAR	10-Nov	SMSIL
13	Kalyan Ramchandra Shivankar	10-Nov	SMSEL
14	ABHISHEKH MEHTA	11-Nov	SMSIL
15	Prakash Shinde	11-Nov	MEPL
16	NITIN LENDE	12-Nov	SMSIL
17	Kamlesh Khanderia	12-Nov	M-BMW
18	Nitin Lende	12-Nov	SMSEL
19	Saptarshi Mandal	12-Nov	KMDA
20	RAVI RANJAN MISHRA	14-Nov	SMSIL
21	Pandurang Jadhav	14-Nov	W-CETP
22	NEEMA KONGRE	16-Nov	SMSIL
23	Deepak Thakre	16-Nov	SMSEL
24	Neema Kongre	16-Nov	SMSEL
25	Anand Dongare	16-Nov	VEPL

Sr. No.	Name of Employee	DOB	Company
26	SHIV SHANKAR CHUVAN	17-Nov	SMSIL
27	Chaman Lal	17-Nov	D-BMW
28	Shivshankar Chauhan	17-Nov	SMSEL
29	Phand Dattatray	18-Nov	MEPL
30	Lalit Barai	18-Nov	VEPL
31	Shashank Pedram	19-Nov	MEPL
32	Ramdas Kadam	22-Nov	MEPL
33	Appa Zarekar	22-Nov	MEPL
34	Vishal Pathak	22-Nov	MEPL
35	Rajesh Ghadigaonkar	23-Nov	M-BMW
36	Yogesh More	24-Nov	M-BMW
37	Anil Vaity	24-Nov	M-BMW
38	RATNAKAR PAGARE	25-Nov	SMSIL
39	SAGAR DURUGKAR	27-Nov	SMSIL
40	SUSHANT HARIDAS	27-Nov	SMSIL
41	Sameer Maniyar	28-Nov	W-BMW
42	Nilesh Ragit	29-Nov	SMSEL
43	Vishal Salunke	30-Nov	MEPL



FOOD FOR THOUGHT

EARTHLY JOURNEY OF LIFE

Our journey of life, full of happenings, which are so well planned by Almighty and can never be changed and challenged. He knows what is good for you, and what is bad. At times you are put to test by Him. He gives you all Happiness and Joy and then withdraws the same

At this time you suddenly fall in deep depression and sadness and you start cursing yourself and others, you even come to a point to say why was I born? Other way you question the Almighty for allowing you to be born, and even you forget Him. In all the Phases of Life we have to pass all hurdles, at times you walk in sandy soil, in stone, thorns Hills and Terrain Mountains in Heat- cold- rain etc. Life is not that easy as it is a bed of thorns. All along the journey of life we leave behind sweet memories good friends and bad companions and cruel ones.

During your tour you shape your own destiny. At times to shape your destiny you are misled to take a wrong decision. Before taking any decision try to have a thought and reflect on your action, try to know why you have decided on a particular reason.

A human child would not like its mother carry another child, it cries and makes its way to the mother.

One animal would not allow its master feeding another animal, even if they are given equal share in a separate plate .It will definitely chase it and go to inspect the other plate and eat the feed from that plate and later returns to have from the plate given to it.

The phase that one passes is of unforgettable nature and contains lot of memories. As you are of good nature, friends came forward to help you. And over come the situation of sorrow which you did face.

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Friends circle you when you have all earthly pleasure to share with them and leave you alone when you have none. Remember friend in need is friend indeed.

Let's consider when you are in sorrow due to some mishap in your family circle. Friends and near ones and neighbors come to visit you, can anyone take away your sorrow? The answer is a No; so why do they to visit you its only to tell you/inform you that they share your sorrow. Again we consider happiness and Joy we invited friends and relative to share the joy; Does your joy or Happiness increase? Again the answer is No. Friends came forward to help you, to overcome the situation of sorrow and Happiness. Who are these friends? Who has sent them to you? The Answer is simple His command.

Go and I will be there and He will be with you in whatever form. As Friends/Parent/Teacher/ Professor/husband/wife and even as enemy resisting you to do good then evil and be a guiding force, guiding you in all your difficulties and see that you are happy. As a human you are bound to make errors and wrong decision due to some opposite situation, as anger, hate and misunderstanding tries to prevail over you.

Give a deep thought on to the subject, you may realize that you have done something wrong. You should have the courage & decency to apologize for it as you are not loosing anything but mending your decision which will definitely give better understanding & maintain good will & respect.

- Be Proud for what you are
- Beauty lies in the eyes of the beholder.
- For everybody there is an eye somewhere to see it;
- For every truth there is an ear to hear it,
- For every Love there is a Heart somewhere to receive it.
- No matter how ordinary you look, how casual you behave, No matter if you aren't one of those model type people, Just remember to be proud of whatever you are, for there is only one original you

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