**ROTI BANK SAMACHAR** 





# Mumbai Roti Bank wishes you Happy Holi!



Festivals are among the most anticipated events of the year. We all want to spend quality time with our family and friends. On the occasion of Holi, Roti Bank provided meals and sweet boxes to 12,000 schoolchildren and underprivileged people across Mumbai. This distribution campaign was planned to instil hope in the children, encouraging them to study for upcoming exams while also assuring them of our support. Every day, all of these people receive freshly cooked, nutritious meals. We are inspired to continue to support, increasing aid to all those in need and empowering them to succeed in the country's path to eliminate the hunger and malnutrition crisis. The celebrations were more lively and enjoyable because we could see them smiling and having a good time. Let us all come together to serve society's underprivileged people, especially children with special needs, and bring a smile to their faces. Your small contribution can bring a smile to someone's face, so please join us in serving happiness and spreading smiles around the world.

Hyderabad Roti Bank distributed geometry boxes and sweets to 200 girls at Hyderabad's Guild Of Service Sevasamaj and Govt Girls High School.



### **Visit to our Distribution Centre**

On March 12, 2022, our Managing Trustee and Mentor, Mr. D Sivanandhan sir, paid a visit to the distribution centre outside Tata and KEM Hospital. A few children from our Mankhurd distribution centre also came to meet him, making it a memorable day for everyone.

Mr. D. Sivanandhan sir assisted in the distribution of food and provided ice cream to the children. Children had a good time interacting with sir.





### **Roti Bank Launches a Special Initiative for Children**

Roti Bank launched a Special Initiative in March to help close the nutrition gap among children. We have begun distributing fresh fruits to children to promote good health and optimal growth. Since March 23rd, we have been actively distributing thousands of fruits such as apples and bananas to local schools on a daily basis. Fruits such as apples and bananas are high in essential vitamins and minerals, which are critical for the growth and development of young children. Fruits also contain healthy sugars and carbohydrates, which provide energy for them to perform their daily activities effectively.

Roti Bank wishes to promote quality nutrition and an all-around diet among children, a.k.a. the future of our country, through this initiative.







### **SPECIAL MENTION**

We are grateful to Axis Bank Ltd, Everest Kanto Cylinders Ltd, Sharp Business Systems (India) Private Limited, Xoriant Solutions Pvt Ltd, Quantum Projectinfra Private Ltd, Welvan Securities Pvt. Ltd, DSM Nutritional Products India Private Ltd, Laxmiben Harilal Mapara Foundation, Expanded Polymer Systems Pvt. Ltd, Forbes Charitable Trust, and FAL Industries Charitable Trust for their contributions.

While we have received tremendous support from a number of organisations, we still require your ongoing assistance in the form of raw grain, pulses, and monetary donations in order to multiply our efforts. We would like to express our gratitude to everyone who has helped us in any way!

# Meals served so far in Mumbai



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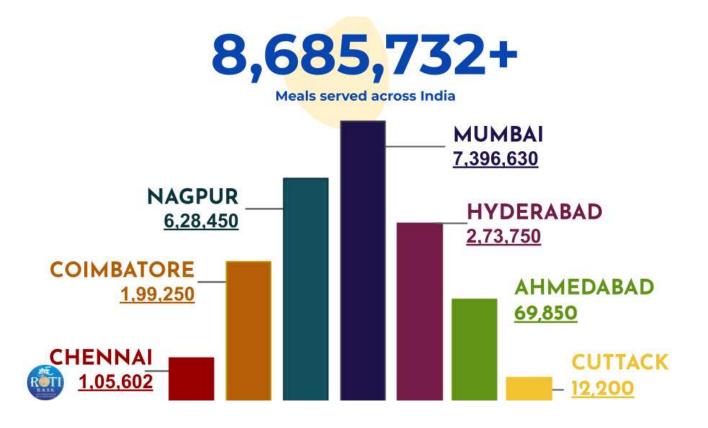
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# **5 WAYS YOU CAN CONTRIBUTE**

If our cause of hunger elimination moves your core and urges you to help out, here's how you can be a part of the Roti Bank movement.

**Donate Food:** Roti Bank has a dedicated number which can be reached for donating food, whether it is from a canteen, corporate office, wedding, party or any place where excess usable food would normally go to waste. At a personal level, excess food from your home could be passed on to your hired help or someone nearby who you can easily access. The joy of serving food yourself is worth experiencing. Call **86555 80001** to donate food.

*Tie-ups:* In order to provide food daily, we rely on enduring tie-ups. Organisations, schools, mess, hospitals, temples or caterers who would like to donate food to Roti Bank on a regular basis could alliance with us.



*Schools and Colleges:* We intend to develop a network of zestful youth who share our values and will help in spreading our reach. Students can set up chapters in their institutes and donate their time to our cause. If they wish to, they can join our volunteering team. In addition, engineering students can use their know-how in technology to grow our operations as projects in their curriculum. We would also like to tap into the potential of existing and established student chapters and find synergies to work on.

**Donate to the Cause:** To make our movement of hunger elimination grow manifold, monetary backing is a boon. Roti Bank Founder, Mr. D. Sivanandhan envisions serving as many meals as possible in the year 2022. We have served more than **8.5+** million meals so far, and to increase our reach further more, we need a bigger fleet of vehicles and more personnel to handle the logistics. Your support can go a long way in enabling us to free many more people from the suffocating grip of hunger.

Visit www.rotibankindia.org for more details.

*Spread the Word:* In case you wish to contribute, but can't in any of the above-mentioned ways, you can still do your bit. A shout out from you on social media and offline would mean a lot to us. If you believe in our cause as much as we do, please make sure to tell as many people as you can. We need everyone to make this a success. Start by sharing our newsletter with your friends!

We need all the help we can get. To donate funds, use the following details.

Beneficiary: Roti Foundation Mumbai Account no: 303402127218 IFSC code: RATN0000088 Bank Name: RBL Bank, Lower Parel

Donate: http://rotibankfoundation.org/donations/

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