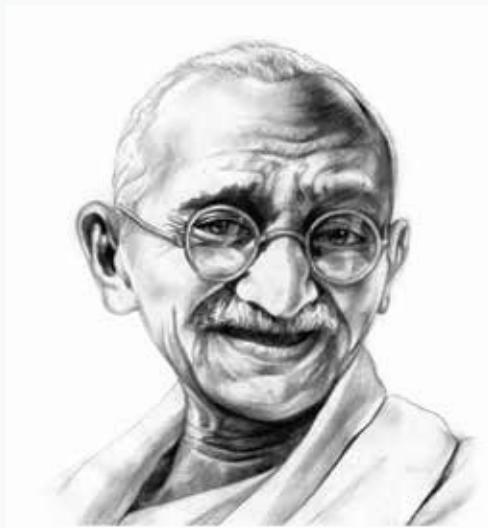




**SHRI RAGHUNATH SAHAI
CHARITABLE TRUST**





“Where there is love, there is life”

- Mahatama Gandhi



Lt. Sh. Raghunath Sahai

Freedom Fighter

Teacher

Mectech's driving force is the towering legacy left behind by **Late Shri Raghunath Sahai**, a great freedom fighter who was associated with patriots such as late Sardar Bhagat Singh, Jaigopal and Shukhdev during his early years at DAV College Lahore. He was the only graduate in 1924 to be offered a Job of Tehsildar in Ambala district of Punjab by the British government, which he refused and instead dedicated his life to the social cause of teaching.

Like all freedom fighters, he foresaw that the real struggle would happen after the Independence, when millions will need to be uplifted not only with food clothing and shelter but a strong moral fiber that would impel the "saare jahan sey achha" nation forward!

To honor his dedication to social causes, Mectech manages the SHRI RAGHUNATH SAHAI CHARITABLE TRUST for the past nineteen years by annually contributing substantially to the CSR(Corporate Social Responsibility) activities.



Ishwar Sahai

Trustee

Mr. Ishwar Sahai is one of the trustees of Shri Raghunath Sahai Charitable Trust. As a person of indomitable courage and pioneering spirit, He is a self made entrepreneur who has trail blazed the entire edible oil sector in the country , practically defining and establishing it in India. One of the ablest technocrats in the present times, he has revolutionized the total concept of extraction, edible oil refining and Vanaspati technology. Valiantly fighting the well entrenched MNC's in fair competition, he has lifted the entire sector that now stands shoulder to shoulder with the erstwhile giants. He is the Chairman & Managing Director of the Mectech Process Engineers Pvt Limited and Mectech Knitfabs.



Neera Sahai
Trustee

Mrs Neera Sahai is a trustee and a woman of great values. She has inculcated the right values amongst the entire family.

As a woman she brings incredible insights borne of compassion and empathy. The Trust's emphasis on uplifting the women and girl child as well as the sick and the handicapped would perhaps taken another direction without her.



Education

The Trust has given education as its first priority and has Sponsored their education for over 100 children in the past 19 years.

Education is the most important and powerful tool in this world. It's not about studying and only getting good marks. It makes a personality in you, the personality who knows right or wrong, good or evil and many more things in a situation. Women must be educated in a nation because they play a very big and important role in nation's development. Empowered woman can change a family and a society as whole.

"If you educate a woman, you educate a family, if you educate a girl, you educate the future." - Queen Rania of Jordan



Old Age Ashrams

The world goes dark when the parents pass away in the middle of childhood. Grappling to understand why the tragedy has hit them, they ask endlessly "Why Me?" But nobody answers or cares! Increasingly, newer diseases like HIV diseases and other viruses and even pollution are leaving vast multitudes as orphans. Emotional and behavioral problems become widespread spreading rapidly among orphans -especially emotionally needy, insecure, and poor ones - and they become hit by abuse, exploitation, neglect and pine for lack of love and parental care.

Many Groups have come forward in their inclusive embrace and have been working positively for the orphans. Shri Raghunath Sahai Charitable Trust contributes financially and opens myriad opportunities for orphans to integrate into society as valuable members.



Women Empowerment

Women in India are perhaps the most disadvantaged social group not only lagging behind men in every aspect but severely discriminated even within their own families in many cases. Yet without , their contribution no family could survive. When a self help group of disadvantaged women and girls began stitching clothes and embroidering work to generate income , Shri Raghunath Sahai Charitable Trust stood right behind them. It encouraged and enthused them to work hard to contribute towards their family's income and win the fight for survival. RSCT has contributed immensely by donating regular amounts even apart from the enormous amounts spent on education and educational institutions. RSCT has directly contributed by helping the buy sewing machines and fabric designs and even provided direct employment through projects by Mectech Knitfabs.

In fact, RSCT has acutely focussed on women children and widows by substantial contributions to areas of their welfare.



A Child Called Sheetal

Sheetal was a young girl like any other. Jumping walking and frolicking with other children Eating sweets and desiring new clothes every day. Her mother tried to discipline her but who listens? She never managed to make perfect round chapattis. But she could walk ..and walked ..and walked ..collecting Puja flowers , buying small articles needed for household...

Till one day she went down while walking. Excruciating pain had hit her legs. The neck seemed to unhinge.
The entire body went numb !

Her entire family went numb when they heard was diagnosed with spinal cancer. Her father broke down then and there- her mother left standing -a little more stoic.

But will the light of a young effervescent girl be extinguished ?Who would bear her exorbitant cancer treatment costs?

Nobody did- till Shri Raghunath Sahai Charitable Trust came forward to take up her case and donate for her cause.

**Sheetal's operation was successful . The highly skilled doctors removed her tumor.
Now she is on her feet..Walking ...and walking with a smile of gratitude on her lips!**



Medical Aid to Poor People

Poverty is a disease that leads to myriad diseases. While infirmities are often caused by inadequate food, dirty water and air, there is not enough money for treatment. Some treatments for chronic diseases are so expensive to be out of reach. Then there is the matter of some diseases that need treatment from superspeciality hospitals, advanced equipment and medical teams.

Shri Raghunath Sahai Charitable Trust stands with the poor and the infirm. Reaching the poor to the hospitals and getting them hospital beds. The Trust has donated Ambulances to enable timely treatment. Moreover, RSCT extends substantial contributions to facilitate medical treatment for the poor!



Deaf Children's Organizations

Imagine a world without sound. No sound as the bird chirps-no nor songs from any lips. The airplanes zoom in the sky yet noiselessly. The mother makes those sounds of affection but you remain unaware of what she's saying. Nobody sings you a lullaby- nobody showers you with words of praise. Only a stark and silent world awaits- unconcerned and unaware of what you are trying to say or communicate. At each moment you feel shunted away -pushed into a corner in a silent corner...

Yet, some people hear you from the heart. They open opportunities that would place the deaf people in a situation to thrive- in the midst of your family and community.

Shri Raghunath Sahai Charitable Trust listens to these people and contributes substantially to these organizations- regularly . So that the deaf society can hear the voices of love as they build their lives- successfully!



Orphanage Homes

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Building Foundations with Education

Mectech has touched the lives of over **5000 people**, ranging from rehabilitating widows and helping the disabled, to providing medical aid to underprivileged children and the elderly.

And through Mectech we provide a global platform to highly talented but economically backward artisans and craftmen.



Employment for Empowerment

Thus, Just like those invisible threads that stitch together and strengthen our society, we continue tirelessly to empower our women artisans and champion social causes that create
a happy and
brighter tomorrow.



Home for Spastic people

The Trust is constructing a 4000 sqft shelter home with all amenities for differently abled people in Palani Tamil Nadu, South of India.

Trust aims to address certain questions related to welfare of spastic people, People from various walks of life have joined hands to make efforts to arrange for long term care of such people, and also to help their family live life fully, purposefully and contentedly by bringing them closer to each other, by creating coordination between various agencies, social workers, professionals and infra-structure providers.

Efforts are also being initiated to make environment of more spastic friendly.

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A SNAPSHOT

- **Contributing to the society for the past 19 years**
- **Have funded over 500 institutions**
- **Self generated over One million USD**
- **Contributed Medical Aid to poor people.**
- **Contributed Aid to Deaf ,Handicapped children & Orphanage.**
- **Contributed to building Society's future by education aid to poor child.**
- **Contributed to others including Women's welfare.**

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