Bhoomi Pooja Ceremony

Sri Sathya Sai Hostel

Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning
Muddenahalli Campus

A Report

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“In this age, students have to imbibe the nine important qualities which are nine precious gems. These are spirit of sacrifice, humility, the spirit of selfless service to society, friendliness, discipline, commitment to integrity and truth, love, non-violence and faith in God.”

Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba
Revered Founder Chancellor

The Bhumi Pooja and Ground breaking Ceremony for the new hostel building at Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning (SSSIHL), Muddenahalli Campus took place on 3 March 2014 at the Muddenahalli Campus of the university.

The Chancellor of the University, Justice M N Venkatachaliah (former Chief Justice of India), the Vice-Chancellor, Prof. J Shashidhara Prasad, members of the Sri Sathya Sai Central Trust, members of the Board of Management, teachers, students and administrative staff of the campus, along with invited guests were present.
The ceremony commenced with Vedam chanting and Bhajans at 9.15 a.m. The Honourable Chancellor, accompanied by the Vice-Chancellor sought the blessings of Bhagawan and broke coconuts and shoveled a handful of earth, signifying the ceremonial ground breaking. The members of the Trust and other senior members of the University also took part in the Ground Breaking Ceremony.

This was followed by talks by the Registrar, Vice-Chancellor and the Chancellor of SSSIHL. Sri V Srinivasan, All India President, SSS Seva Organisation and member, Sri Sathya Sai Central Trust and Dr. A R Manjunath, Director, Muddenahalli Campus also spoke. The morning function came to a close with Bhajans followed by Mangala Arati to Bhagawan.

The Muddenahalli Campus, located in Muddenahalli, Dist. Chickballapur, Karnataka, is the fourth campus of SSSIHL. Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba laid the foundation stone for the campus on 14 February 2009.

The first batch of BBM and BCA degree men students joined on 1 June 2012. With little over a hundred students, the teachers and staff of the campus have worked hard and made personal sacrifices over the past two years to promote the unique ambience of Sri Sathya Sai educational institutions at the campus.

The 57,200 sq. ft. hostel building will house all students, teachers and staff members and will become operational in the academic year 2014/15.