



# South Calcutta Girls' College

## 5.4.1

### ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

When the second wave of COVID 19 turned out to be an ocean of disaster on the invaluable lives of the Indians, then a little ray of hope came, as if, one could finally see a streak of land after experiencing a wreckage in a sea storm. Like many other groups that emerged to save each and every life in the dire need, Prayash, the alumni association of our beloved South Calcutta Girls' College, made it possible to bring back smile on the faces that lost hope; though God didn't show his mercy to all. Under the strong leadership of Rita Sen Chowdhury, Secretary of Prayash, the ex-students of the college made the impossible, possible. Their works included arranging plasma, blood, medicines, oxygen, ICU beds, and ventilators for serious patients, free doctor tele-consultation, and food for COVID affected families, home treatment & ICU setup, arranging safe-home, counseling COVID affected families, fighting against the black-marketing.

The goodwill service was not restricted up to the above-mentioned works. Sneha Das, an ex-student of the college took the tremendous initiative along with Meghatithi, Moumita, Shalini, Shilvia, Tuli a many others made a Whats app group and dedicated their 24 hours leaving everything behind, just for the cause. Though it was a tremendous pressure on the COVID warriors, but we can proudly say that we left no stone unturned to help those in need.



When the cases slowly started decreasing, another disaster that struck Bengal, was the cyclone YAAS. Like last year's Amphan, this time also, the ex-students formed groups and reciprocated as quickly as possible to arrange reliefs for the YAAS affected families. The alumni members along with our secretary and the teaching faculties raised funds to arrange food items for the community kitchen, dry foods for the infants and expected mothers, arranged old clothes, arranged hygiene and other necessary items, organized medical camps.

The work has not stopped yet; as we pledged to stand by each other till our last breath, the commitment of supporting the distressed is still going on. Our formal work of renewal of the 2019-2020 registration of our alumni has also been completed amidst all other works. Registration for 2020-21 is pending, will be completed soon. Our vision is to make the society a better place and pass on the baton to our next generation; because, we believe in "UNITED WE STAND, DIVIDED WE FALL".