

SARVAREDDY VENKUREDDY FOUNDATION FOR DEVELOPMENT (SVFD)



*We cannot help ourselves without helping others
we cannot develop our selves without developing others
we cannot prosper without bringing prosperity to others*

Sarva Reddy Venku Reddy Foundation for Development (SVFD) is a non-profit registered organization established in 2013. The experience gained and lessons learnt in working with poor through Participatory Rural Development Initiative Society (PRDIS) a Professional NGO has been a source of Inspiration for establishing the SVFD. The foundation works for promotion and advancement of agriculture, rural development, skills, education, health and sanitation, science and technology and welfare activities.

Vision

To focus on overall amelioration and betterment of poor people lives by promoting sustainable development and welfare activities.

Mission

To become a catalyst in facilitating enhancement of the livelihood capabilities of poor and to give them access to opportunities to lead a quality life through innovation, science, technologies and welfare activities.

Focus

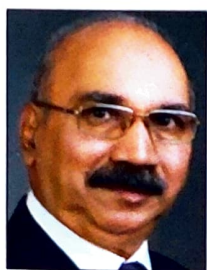
- To promote development of technologies relevant to the welfare of rural and urban people through encouragement of application of appropriate knowledge and skills in basic and applied sciences.
- To develop suitable strategies for education, research and extension that will promote furtherance of sustainable farming and rural development with economic growth, stability and equality as guiding principles.
- To promote dissemination of knowledge, information, skills and technologies relevant to development pursuits through lectures, seminars, workshops, training programmes, demonstrations Farmer Field Schools, publications, ICT, Information kioskeses.
- To undertake and promote monitoring, evaluation and studies that will enable formulation of appropriate policies, programmes and projects in purist of the above objectives.
- To construct and/or maintain schools, technology institutions, colleges and other educational institutions, hospitals, nursing homes, old age, physically handicapped, destitute homes, meditation, prayer and yoga halls, community centers etc.,

- To give grants, scholarships, fellowships, travel grants and prizes for the purposes of education and research and for medical expenses.
- To give financial aid to poor families for marriage, education and other worthy deeds, irrespective of the caste, creed, community and gender
- To establish and / to maintain an institution as technical resources center which could be a centre of excellence in agricultural extension.

The foundation has vision and commitment for the growth and development of farmer, rural and urban poor people. The foundation will play crucial role in mobilizing and motivating the pro-poor with above aims and objectives along with the involvement in the ongoing projects through their meaningful participation. It has high level of credibility, sincerity and honesty of purpose and dedication to the cause of mission. The Foundation is hosted in an independent Building having good communication facilities. It has experienced and dedicated staff who can implement the activities to full fill the vision and mission.

Prof. S. Venku Reddy Chairman of Foundation

Prof. Sarvareddy Venku Reddy is an Agricultural Extension and Rural Development Specialist with over four decades of experience in teaching, research, training and extension work connected with rural development. He is the recipient of Gold Medal from Indian Agricultural Research Institute, Delhi at Ph.D level.



Earlier he worked as Professor and Head of Extension Education Institute, ANGR Agricultural University, Hyderabad. Agricultural Extension Services Advisor, Ministry of Agriculture, Republic of Uganda; Consultant World Bank and FAO. He was member of Several Committees/ working groups including knowledge commission and planning Commission of Govt. of India. He got the rare opportunity to associate with eminent personalities in the field of Agriculture namely; Nobel Laurate Dr. Norman Borlaug and Daniel Benor .

Prof. Reddy at present is holding the position of President of Participatory Rural Development Initiative Society (PRDIS), Chairman of Net Work NGO organization-PARENT, Expert member, Agricultural Biodiversity committee, National Biodiversity Board, GoI. Director of J.N. Agritech International Ltd., Uganda. He is the recipient of Life time achievement award for 50 years of service to journey with Agricultural Extension and farmers welfare.

Board of Trustees

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Life time achievement award to Dr. S.V. Reddy.

Activities done so far

- a) Donate for installation of silver Jubilee Pilon at Extension Education Institute (EEI) Rajendranagar in memory of Late S. Mallikarjuna Reddy, Ph.D. Scholar in Agricultural Extension.
- b) Participated in Public Awareness Campaigns on Health, Child Labour, Agriculture and Environment Issues
- c) Supported International Workshop on Peace, Prosperity and progress through sea 2014 organised by Osmania University.
- d) Supported skill 2016 international conference organised by REEDS.
- e) Supporting sustainable spices initiative and Better Cotton Initiative Projects with 10000 farmers in A.P and Telangana
- f) Organised Brain storming session on Climate Change and Agricultural Extension.
- g) Supported Agriculture Extension Interface at IIRR Hyderabad.
- h) Contributed for Education of School Children
- i) Donated Furniture to Schools and Destitute homes
- j) Contributed for Health Expenses of old-age persons



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