



New Project - Support A Grandma with Seneh

AFNA is excited to announce a new project with Seneh, Guwahati. Seneh is run by Bhavada Devi Memorial Philanthropic Trust to host destitute women, many of whom had troubled past. Seneh is currently home to 18 women who has restarted their life after being abandoned by their families. (You can see some of the Seneh boarders above) The trust is primarily funded by Group Captain (Retd.) AC Barua & family and meets most of its expenses. But they are running on deficits with meeting the medical needs of the aging boarders. **AFNA is kicking off Support A Grandma program in this Mother's Day (May 17th, 2017) to raise funds to support the boarders to meet their medical expenses. Please read more about [this project](#) and donate generously.**

In fond memory of Himadri Das

AFNA community is saddened by the demise of Himadri Das of MI. Himadri was an active member of the community and a long time AFNA patron. We are also grateful to his family who decided to honor Himadri by requesting well wishers to redirect any memorial contributions to AFNA. AFNA volunteers appreciates this gesture and will continue our commitments to its goals and to carry forward Himadri's dreams. You can read the brief obituary [here](#).

AFNA Essay Competition, 2017

The annual Essay Competition for High School students hosted by AFNA is back. The topic for this years essay is "What part of Assamese culture/traditions are you proud of and would love to tell your non-Assamese friends?" The last date of submission of the essay is May 31st, 2017. For complete detail check our [site](#).

Site Visits - ANeC & Seneh

AFNA Volunteer (and current Board Member & Treasurer) Sarfaraz Taher made visits to our partners Atma Nirbhar - ek Challenge (ANeC) & Seneh. Both these institutions are located in Guwahati. Find the site visit reports [here](#). Photos from the site visits are here too: [ANeC](#) & [Seneh](#)

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