



## Annual Children Programs 2006

### Awards Ceremony - March 5, 2006, Visakhapatnam, AP, India

The most outstanding children who performed very well at school were recognized and rewarded at our annual program. We wanted to encourage other children to do well through this type of public gathering and many of the children met us after the meeting to ask us if they could get a reward for scoring high next year. That is exactly the response we were looking for.

The chief guest for the program was Smt. Vugadi Madhuvani, I.R.S (Addl. Commissioner of Income Tax, Government of India). Ms. Madhuvani presented the awards to the students and Pr. John Choudampalli, President of Seventh-day Adventist Institutions in Central India from Hyderabad, AP, India, was our guest of honor. Nearly 300 attended the awards ceremony including the Vonumu children, their parents/guardians, school principals and well wishers. Following the ceremony was a nice luncheon for our children and their parents.



## Ramya Award lead to Boggavarapu Foundation Award

Last year Ramya Boggavarapu, a very generous 5 year old child, gave half of her birthday money (\$44 dollars) to our charity. Her donation was used to reward two outstanding children. The first cash award of Rs. 900 went to Pavan Kumar, a student of St. Joseph Public School in grade III, Cherukupalli, Guntur, AP, India. His GPA was 4.0 (A+). The second award of Rs. 1000 went to Ruth Seelam, a student of Seventh-day Adventist High School, Hyderabad, AP, India in grade I, for securing first in her class.



St. Joseph Public School, Cherukupalli, India



Pavan Kumar receiving cash award

Ramya's parents (Dr. Lava & Dr. Navin Boggavarapu) were happy to see their daughter's donation so well spent. They have now come up with a family award for outstanding children from the 2006 school year. The award is named " Dr. Boggavarapu Subbarao Memorial Award" from their Boggavarapu Foundation. There were 22 recipients selected to receive this year award to be presented in February 2007 during our annual meeting.

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