

The Symbioun Community Newsletter

This month, Symbioun marks a significant leap in both agriculture and community empowerment. From reaching a milestone of 15,000 seedlings in our Mavadivembu farm to a successful showcase of agro-products and women-led crafts at the Batticaloa International Trade Fair, our regional footprint is expanding. Meanwhile, our Saturday classes continue to flourish with the introduction of Chess and advanced IT training, proving that our commitment to nurturing the next generation is stronger than ever.



COMMUNITY UPDATES

Mavadivembu Farm Update: A Season of Growth

With the dedicated involvement of our new caretaker, the Mavadivembu Farm is seeing a significant boost in productivity.

- **Seedling Production:** We have successfully produced 15,000 seedlings, including Brinjal, Chili, Capsicum, Tomato, and the fiery Ghost Pepper.
- **Natural Fertilizers:** To ensure the highest quality of natural farming, we have produced Fish Amino Acid for crop application. Additionally, our Vermicompost production is being scaled up and prepared for the current season.
- **Cultivation Season:** We have officially kicked off the cultivation season by planting Ladies' Finger (Okra), with several other seasonal crops scheduled for planting very soon.



Success at Batticaloa International Trade Fair 2026

From February 13th to 15th, the Symbioun Agro Community Farm participated in the International Trade Fair held at the Sivananda College Grounds in Kallady, Batticaloa. Supported by a sponsorship from the Chamber of Women's Economy, our stall became a hub for natural farming enthusiasts from across the East, including Kalmunai and Ampara.

- **Showcasing Excellence:** We displayed our range of agro-products, including healthy seedlings, saplings, informative farming booklets, and premium Vermicompost.
- **Women's Crafting:** The Batti Women's Crafting Team also showcased their incredible talent, earning a good sale and gaining vital exposure as a successful women-led artisanal unit.

The key outcome was the widespread awareness created for Mavadivembu Farm as a leading unit for natural and sustainable farming in the region. We extend our deepest gratitude to the Chamber of Women's Economy for their sponsorship.



Mavadivembu Saturday Classes: Empowering the Next Generation

Our educational programs continue to thrive, focusing on both academic and extracurricular excellence.

- **Special Celebrations:** On 7th February, we happily celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Janet Joseph, the wedding anniversary of Mr. Leonard Joseph and Mrs. Ruwani Goonawardane, and Kamelendran's birthday. This special event was sponsored by SEF President, Mrs. Joseph, and special food was provided for children. The birthday of Mr. Rasaiah Rajeswaran was marked on February 20th with the sharing of a celebratory cake and special refreshments.
- **New Skills:** We are excited to announce the start of Chess classes as of February 21st, led by our coach, Mr. Krithikan.
- **Digital Growth:** Our IT classes are showing remarkable results. Students who previously lacked basic computer knowledge are now demonstrating significant improvement and confidence.
- **Physical Discipline:** Practice sessions for Karate grading are currently in full swing during both weekdays and weekends as students prepare for their upcoming assessments.





Looking Ahead

We are proud of the strides our community is making in agriculture, craft, and education. If you would like to support our initiatives or purchase our natural products, please reach out!

**Symbioun – Cultivating Change,
Empowering Communities.**



We are grateful for the overwhelming support from the community and our dedicated team who have made these programs a reality.

To keep up to date with our activities, please follow us on the links below.



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