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TUH Newsletter – Autumn 2025

Dear TUH Members and Well Wishers,

We trust that you are all keeping warm and well taking care of yourselves in this winter weather.

This is an overdue newsletter to keep you all updated slightly later than usual.

Following the last newsletter in September 2024, Dr T Navaneethan was nominated as the new President in October 2024 after the AGM along with a few new Executive Committee members.

2025 AGM will be held on Sunday 4th January 2026

TUH held a New Years party on 4h January 2025 in Watford involving many past students which was memorable. Also, a fundraising Karaoke in May 2025 involving the community was a successful event raising a great revenue.

During the Spring of 2026, a Food Festival is being planned and it will be great to see everyone there.

TUH, likes to share the details of donations made to help the needy and deserving people in areas of SRI LANKA where Tamil language is spoken. This is made possible with your continued kindness and generosity over the years, mainly from the gratefully received subscriptions of £60 per family from the current members yearly.

During October 2025 the following eight charities received £800 each:

- Annai Sri Sarada Centre - empowering girls who live below the poverty line & orphans.
 - Association for Health and Counselling – Shanthiham – supporting affected youth.
 - Dharishanam, Batticaloa - School for the visually handicapped.
 - Malaiyaham (upcountry) students - Educational Support by JCC OBA and School.
 - Olirum Vaalvu – Thunnukai – supporting war victims and widows.
 - Olirumvaalvu, Udayarkaddu, Mullaitivu – supporting autistic children with special needs.
 - Sarvaam's Milestone - Support for Schoolgirls with undergarments to restore dignity.
 - Vaazhvaham – Chunnakam, Jaffna - Home for the visually handicapped.

(The Committee has the responsibility to maintain receipts of funds donated to charities via respective members)

Please feel free to contact our office bearers (listed below) if you wish to get further information

The TUH 2025 AGM will be held on 4th January 2026 (details to follow)

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