



TGRS&JC, Sarvail: A Living Legacy of Vision, Sacrifice, and Excellence

I had the privilege of visiting the first residential school in the combined state of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh— TGRS & JC, Sarvail (Sarva Velupula Puram), Nalgonda district —a landmark institution inaugurated by the visionary leader Shri P. V. Narasimha Rao.

This pioneering Gurukul was made possible by the extraordinary sacrifice of Sri Maddi Narayan Reddy, Sarpanch of Sarvail village, who was deeply inspired by Acharya Vinoba Bhave’s Bhoodan Movement. In the 1970s, he generously donated 100s of acres land, including 45 acres specifically for this school, to uplift underprivileged children through education. The Gurukul concept was envisioned by Shri P. V. Narasimha Rao and wholeheartedly supported by the land donor—an inspiring confluence of leadership and selflessness.

Over the decades, Sarvail has emerged as a true Centre of Excellence, shaping thousands of students who now serve the nation and the world with distinction. Among its illustrious alumni are Dr. Prabhakar Reddy (film actor), former DGP Mahender Reddy, IPS, and Sri Rabakrishna Rao, the present Chief Secretary of Telangana.

Knowing about such SoulDeers of Bharat Mata—who shared their wealth and vision for the nation is deeply moving.

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