

Interfaith initiative “ Tree Planting Project and Sports Donation at Muslim Ladies School, Colombo”

In a remarkable effort to support Interfaith Harmony Week, SUNFO Silver Supportive Fellow Dr. I. Y. M. Aniff launched a tree planting project and donated sports items to the Muslim Ladies School in Colombo on 03rd Feb 2025. This initiative aimed to promote environmental sustainability, foster interfaith unity, and support the holistic development of students. By engaging with a school from a specific religious community and addressing both environmental and educational needs, Dr. Aniff demonstrated the power of interfaith collaboration in creating meaningful and lasting impact.

Key Highlights of the Initiative:

Tree Planting Project:

Dr. Aniff led a tree planting initiative at the Muslim Ladies School, involving students, teachers, and community members. The project aimed to:

Promote environmental awareness and sustainability.
Create a greener and healthier school environment.
Symbolize growth, unity, and the interconnectedness of all living beings.

Donation of Sports Items:

Recognizing the importance of physical activity in students' overall development, Dr. Aniff donated sports equipment such as balls, nets, and other items to the school. This donation aimed to:

Encourage students to engage in sports and physical fitness.
Foster teamwork, discipline, and healthy competition.
Support the school's efforts to provide a well-rounded education.

Promotion of Interfaith Harmony:

The event brought together individuals from diverse religious and cultural backgrounds, emphasizing the importance of unity and collaboration. By supporting a Muslim Ladies School, Dr. Aniff highlighted the shared values of compassion, service, and community building that transcend religious differences.

Educational and Environmental Awareness:

The tree planting project included an educational component where students learned about the importance of trees in combating climate change, improving air quality, and supporting biodiversity. This awareness session encouraged students to become environmental stewards in their communities.

Community Engagement:

The initiative actively involved the school community, including students, teachers, and parents, fostering a sense of ownership and responsibility for the newly planted trees and donated sports items.

