

**INAUGURATION OF THE PROJECT - 'CHANGE MAKERS FOR A BETTER TOMORROW'**

The inauguration ceremony of 'CHANGE MAKERS FOR A BETTER TOMORROW' - a joint initiative of Kanara Welfare Trust, Ankola, and Kruger Foundation for Child Aid, Karwar, was held on 24<sup>th</sup> January 2008 at Gokhale Centenary College, Ankola.

The inaugural ceremony commenced with a prayer invocation by Miss Supriya Marballi, a student of G.C.College, Ankola.

Shri K.V.Shetti, Administrative Officer, Kanara Welfare Trust, Ankola, welcomed the dignitaries and the student members of the project. Mr. Christian Kruger, Mr. Peter Wieser, Mr. Jose Palau Mallol, Mr. Nestor Solenthaler and Mr. Madhav Kamat were the guests of honour. The guests and dignitaries were accorded a traditional welcome by way of garlands.

Shri S.P.Kamat, Chairman, Kanara Welfare Trust, Ankola, and Kruger Foundation for Child Aid, Karwar, made the introductory remarks. He explained in detail the vision and mission of the project.

The project was formally started with lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries present. The emblem of the project was inaugurated Mrs. Kruger.

The guests of honour addressed the gathering and stressed the need for undertaking a project of this kind to benefit society and mankind as a whole.

Shri S.P.Kamat made the concluding address.

Vote of thanks was rendered by Prof. Smt. Poornima K.Gaonkar. Prof. Smt. Rohini V.Nayak was the master of ceremony.

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