ಭಾಸ್ಕರಾಚಾರ್ಯ ಶೈಕ್ಷಣಿಕ ಸಂಪನ್ಮೂಲ ಮತ್ತು ಸಂಶೋಧನಾ ಕೇಂದ್ರ – ಬಿಜ್ಜರಗಿ

Bhaskaracharya Educational Resource & Research Institute Bijjargi

Introduction & Background

- BERRI-BIJJARGI is registered as a charitable trust.
- It was founded on 4th April, 2017 (It will be 5 years in April 2022)
- It has been recognised by the income tax department and granted 12A and 80G certificate.

- Mathematics workshops and programmes
- Astronomy related programmes and activities
 - Lunar Eclipse on 31st
 January, 2018
 - Crescent Sun Solar Eclipse on 26th December, 2019
 - Eclipse viewing goggles were distributed

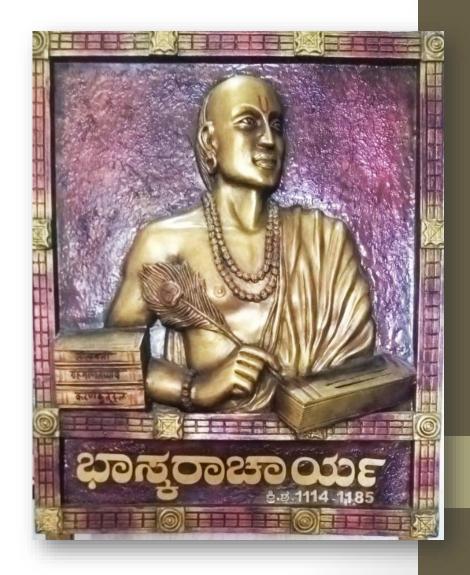




- Cultural Programmes
 - Concert folk singing (Siddappa Bidadi, Bilagi)
 - Theatre performance (Sitanatarala ,Y D Badami Production from Sanenahalli)
 - Musical programme was organised to encourage local Artists.

Cultural programmes, to share the legacy of Bhaskaracharya and the importance of his works

- Bhaskaracharya's Murals
 - Installed in multiple places including Bijjargi



- Environmental Programmes
 - Awarenessprogrammes
 - Multiple tree planting programmes



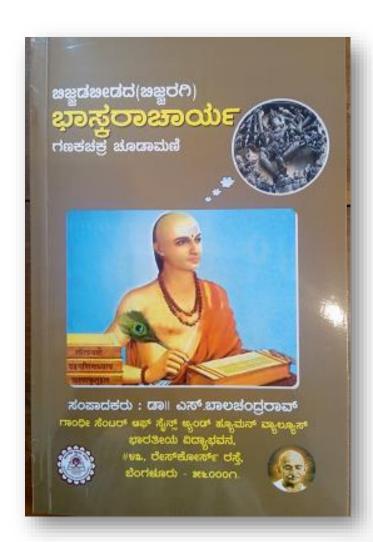
- Exhibition on Bhaskaracharya displaying his life's work and his place of birth
 - Kaggodu, Vijayapura Dec, 2018.



This was a part of the Bharatiya Samskruthi Utsava.

 Assisted in bringing out Bhaskaracharya's book

Bijjadabidada(Bijjargi) Bhaskaracharya Ganakachakra Chudamani



 Being blessed by Siddeshwara Appaji and Suttur Desikendra Swamiji at our centre Bijjargi on 03rd January, 2020.





Progress and Development of BERRI-BIJJARGI

- Setting up of place for starting the activities
 - We have a building with a large multipurpose hall for all activities.
 - Attached to this is a small office room, resource room cum library
- We have acquired 4 acres of land for setting up a functional campus
- This campus is under development already with rainwater harvesting system, and many regular tree planting activities.
- We have been involved with the Karnataka State Akkamahadevi Women's university

Our Challenges

- Financial sustenance and fundraising
- Talking to young people about the need for taking up community service in their lives
- It has been difficult to get participation from rural women in Bijjargi. It has been a constant challenge to invite them to engage with issues larger than their own homes.
- Because of Covid-19 and associated lockdown, it was difficult to involve children in various activities in 2020-21 and 2021-22