

Hudhud Cyclone Relief Work

A very severe cyclonic storm Hudhud hit Vishakapatnam in Andhra Pradesh on 12th October 2014. The peak wind speeds reached 180 km/h. Hudhud caused extensive damage to the city of Visakhapatnam and the neighbouring districts of Vizianagaram and Srikakulam of Andhra Pradesh. The cyclone wrecked homes, uprooted trees and power lines, blocked roads and caused extensive damage of crops. Lakhs of people had to take shelter in relief camps.



The State Chapter of Breakthrough Science Society collected cyclone relief fund from teachers, students and general public. In a public program on Nov 17, note books, exam pads, pens, pencils and other education kits were distributed to students affected by the cyclone. Shri S Govindarajulu, Advisor, BSS State chapter who spoke on this occasion explained about cyclone and its impact. Others present were Mr R Gangadhar, Convenor, BSS, Mr L Neelakanta and Mr Sai Venkatesh. Mr Gangadhar also spoke about the aims and objectives of BSS.

