QUARTERLY SEMINAR ON ROLE OF LIBRARIES IN EDUCATION

will be held on Saturday 29th March, 2014 at 10 a.m

Venue: H. K. Arts College UGC Conference Room

Opp. Handloom House

Ashram Road

Ahmedabad

This Quarterly Seminar on Role of Libraries in Education has been organized jointly by ADINET and Gujarat Vidyasabha and Brahmachari Wadi Trust Affiliated Institutions (Shri H. K. Arts College and H. K. Commerce College)

The objective of this Seminar is to see how the role of libraries can be made more meaningful and enhanced to support education. There is a fundamental relationship between libraries, literacy and education. Education and Libraries are inseparable and indivisible.

To meet this objective it is recommended to have three presentations from (i) Users which include Teachers and Students, (ii) Principals who provide the management support and (iii) College Librarians.

Shri H. K. Arts and H. K. Commerce Colleges are the offspring of Gujarat Vidhyasabha. Gujarat Vidhyasabha is the brain child of a British officer Sir Alexander Kinlock Forbes who embarked on the mission of enriching the vernacular (the Gujarati) language. Both the colleges were supposed to cater to the rising needs for commerce and arts education in a changing society.

ADINET is a Network of about 2000 Libraries and Information Centers in Gujarat. Its main vision is to join libraries to enable them to harness their limited resources and collective strengths, so that they can continue to play their historic role as society's portal to information.

Library Professionals who wish to attend are requested to register their names before 26th March with either H. K. Arts or H. K. Commerce College (<u>toralhk@yahoo.in</u> & <u>libr.hkcc@gmail.com</u> ph no. 079 26585454 & 079 26589961) or with ADINET (<u>alibnet@gmail.com</u> ph no. 079 26305630).

As usual there will be no Registration fees.

- 10.00 a.m. Registration
- 10.15 a.m. Invocation
- 10. 20 a.m. Welcome address by Principals Prof. Subhash V. Brahambhatt & Dr. Gopal R. Bhatt (H. K. Arts & H. K. Commerce College)
- 10.30 a.m. Objectives of this Seminar by Mrs. Rhoda Bharucha (Hon. Director, ADINET)
- 10.40 a.m. Keynote Address by Dr. H. Anil Kumar (Librarian IIM-A)
- 11. 00 a.m. Services required by Teachers and Students
- 11.30 a.m. Presentation by Prof. Subhash V. Brahambhatt & Dr. Gopal R. Bhatt and other Principals to share their views about the management support which they can provide.
- 12.15 a.m. Presentation by College Librarians
- 12.30 p.m. Questions and Answers
- 1.00 p.m. Visit H.K. Arts, H. K. Commerce and B. J. Institute Libraries
- 1.30 p.m. Lunch