Dear Parents/Guardians,

The year 2013-2014 is the Diamond Jubilee year of South Point. In the Diamond Jubilee year of its existence, South Point has decided to initiate a “Blood Donation Campaign”. This drive is being undertaken by the School, along with South Point Ex-Students’ Association and Interact Club of South Point High School mainly to sensitise people at large, especially our pupils, “tomorrow’s citizens”, as to how important it is for all to be aware about the benefits of donating blood.

“Blood” is possibly the only human component which till date has not been replicated in medical laboratories. The ‘demand’ for blood, however, is extremely high. It is estimated that one out of seven human beings requires at least one blood transfusion in his/her lifetime. This demand must be met with an adequate and uninterrupted supply, the source of which is only another human being.

Anybody in the age group of 18 to 60 years can donate blood. It is just that he/she should not be suffering from any major ailment and weigh 45 kg or more. In fact, an individual can make multiple donations with a gap of three months between each donation. A single donation of 350 ml of blood can save three different persons, simultaneously. Your donation will entitle you to a donor card, which can be used to procure blood on requirement, at a minimal charge.

We appeal to you and your family to come forward, register to donate blood and set an example. It is, after all, a social responsibility which needs to be taken up by each individual in his lifetime. All you need to do is spare a little time, because the process of the actual donation involves a maximum of 10-15 minutes. The fifth camp will be organised at South Point School, 16, Mandeville Gardens, Kolkata – 700019 on August 17, 2013 from 9.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. Registration of donors will be done in groups of 20 persons for every one hour slot.

Those interested in being a part of this noble cause, are requested to fill up the counterpart of the notice and send it to the Class Teacher through your ward latest by August 5, 2013.

Please note that in case of excess enrolment, the names of our valued donors will be put on a waiting list for the next camp.

Thank you,

Yours faithfully,

D. K. Chadda
Principal
31.07.2013

Please fill in, detach and return the consent form

I, ………………………………………………………….. Father / Mother / Relative of ………………………………
(I.D. No………………..) Class …………………., would like to enrol my name for the voluntary Blood Donation Camp organised by the School at its premises on August 17, 2013.

I would like to be present between: 09.30 a.m. and 10.30 a.m. □
10.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m. □
11.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. □
12.30 p.m. and 01.30 p.m. □

Date: (Signature of the donor)