

LOUIS BRAILLE DAY CELEBRATIONS AT CHANDIGARH

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Amway Opportunity Hosts Contests For Visually Challenged In Chandigarh

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Amway Opportunity Foundation (AOF), a registered non-profit organisation and face of Amway India's social responsibility initiatives, in association with its National Project for Blinds partner National Association for the Blind (NAB), organised braille reading and computer typing competitions for the visually challenged to commemorate Louis Braille Day at Asha Kiran Vocational Institute for the Differently Abled in Sector 46 here today.

Visually challenged students of AOF and NAB run computer centre in the institute enthusiastically participated in the competitions. In a message from Delhi, Chairman of AOF, William Pinckney, said, "We at AOF would like to pay tribute to Louis Braille, whose great work Braille language has assisted the visually challenged in communication."

AOF vision is to enable the less privileged to lead a better life and has a special focus on the visually challenged.

Vinod Chadha of NAB expressed optimism over increased corporate involvement in social issues. "By consistently being part of NAB activities, AOF and indeed, Amway have shown that corporates and the NGO sector can forge long-lasting partnerships. We would encourage other corporate houses to follow this example," he said. ♦

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Students of AOF-NAB Centre for Excellence participating in a braille writing competition organised jointly by Amway Opportunity Foundation and National Association for the Blind on the occasion of Louis Braille Day at Asha Kiran Vocational Institute for the Differently Abled in Sector 46, Chandigarh, on Monday. — FW photo