

Hello everyone,

You must be aware about the ensuing Bombay Parsi Panchayat elections.

Mrs. Arnavaz Mistry of Dadar Parsi Colony has submitted her candidature for the post of a trustee.

Many of you may have heard about the kind of dedicated service that she has been giving for the past 22 years.

I have myself seen her working closely for the past 10 years, during which I have been assisting her in her selfless endeavors.

Please go through the following write-up carefully, and do vote for her.

If you are abroad or are not registered as voters, please forward the same to all the community members on your mailing list.

Thank you, Zarin Havewala.

"I shall pass through this world but once. Any good that I can do, or any kindness that I can show any human being, let me do it now and not defer it, for I shall not pass this way again."

We only live once in this world. Each of us has a purpose. Each one of us is busy with life's routine fulfilling duties as a member of our family, or working in offices that are financially rewarding. On life's path we come across a lot of unfortunate brethren who need our help. But we are too busy to do anything for them. Sometimes we may help them with money, but emotionally we cannot do much for them.

If there is one person who considers all the unprivileged ones as a part of her own family, it is Mrs. Arnavaz Jal Mistry.

Nearly 22 years ago **Arnavaz** took her first step to serve the poor by working in the [Parsi Ward of J.J. Hospital](#). The ward was an abandoned, desolate out-house with just 20 beds for accommodation. It was in such a dilapidated condition, that even destitutes were wary of habitation there. Today the ward is a posh homely place with more than double the number of beds. There is a long list of old members of the community who are waiting for their turn to get into the ward. This is due to the tireless efforts of **Arnavaz Mistry**. She makes all possible efforts to see that the inmates feel that this is their own home. And the love and affection that she gives them, will make you wonder if they have ever got that kind of love and affection even from their own families!

Arnavaz is also involved in various other charitable and social causes. Every single

day she is busy taking care of all the needy members of our community, as well as other unfortunate brethren.

Some of the other institutions that she is involved with are Parakh Dharamshala, Doongerwadi, various hospitals, Young Rathestars, Don Bosco Shelter (for street children), Kamla Mehta Blind School, Jai Vakeel School for children in need of special care, Ackworth Leprosy Home, etc.

Following in the footsteps of her guide and mentor, the late Mrs. Sillamai Kavarana, **Arnavaz** has now submitted her candidature as a Trustee for the ensuing B.P. P. elections. Not for any other purpose but only to equip herself better with one more avenue to help our community. As she is not employed anywhere, she will be able to devote all her time to community matters.

There are some who feel that Trustees occupy the office for many other gains. This cannot be true in **Arnavaz's** case, as Dadar Ahura Mazda has blessed her with everything. In fact she spends huge amounts of personal finances for helping the poor and the needy.

Arnavaz is well experienced in handling the working of various organizations and trusts. The administration of all these have been handled by her with total transparency, honesty, efficiency and with a deep concern for the betterment of the community.

If you are wondering whom you should vote for in the B. P. P. elections, think no further. Vote for Arnavaz Jal Mistry with full confidence. You will NEVER regret your decision.

Let all the community members support her and strengthen her hands, so that she can continue doing her good work for many more years to come.

Wishing you all a very happy and prosperous New Year,

FROM FRIENDS, RELATIVES and WELLWISHERS.