Foreword

Sanghamitra wishes everyone a happy, prosperous, healthy, memorable new year and wishes for Pongal also. In one year, Sanghamitra English version gained many well wishers and readers. Sanghamitra is glad that many readers are interested in problem solving techniques and puzzles. Sanghamitra team is receiving tons of mails filled with new year greetings and requests for new articles. We thank all those who sent mails with wishes and feedback.

Sanghamitra received lots of mails regarding the cover page, Medhavadhanam, Kids' corner, Salutation to your solution etc. Sanghamitra started an article 'Words Of Wisdom' in this issue and planning to start 'Mathematrix' and 'Noted personalities in history' etc in the next issue. If you wish to extend your hand, please send mail to susri@sanghamitra.org.

We received calls from different parts of US for Vedic Mathematics classes. Due to time constraint we couldn't make it in 2008. We are going to share this knowledge in 2009. Most of the readers might have passed some resolutions for 2009. Hope you achieve the goal and succeed in all the best things you attempt. Sanghamitra is focusing on Vedic Mathematics this year.

Sanghamitra want to focus on meditation and peaceful living this year. Many countries in the world are raging war, violence is taking over peace, out of greed everyone is after money and giving up the basic human values. Sharing and Caring are getting limited to stories and movies. Each and every individual should come forward and share the excess food, clothing and other basic needs. We need to remember Mohan Das K. Gandhi's words in this context "You should be the change that you want to see in the world".

Let us meet again in the next issue due in April.

-Sanghamitra Team.