

MONKS & WARRIORS FOUNDATION

Monthly Financial & Operational Update

August 2026 | 01 Aug 2026 – 31 Aug 2026

This month, the Foundation moved from preparation to action. Our first verified welfare case — referred to us by a Regimental Centre — has been supported in full.

Financial Snapshot

₹5.68 L CLOSING BANK BALANCE <i>As on 31 Aug 2026</i>	₹3.78 L RECEIPTS IN AUGUST <i>21 contributions</i>	₹2.61 L WELFARE DISBURSED <i>First supported case</i>
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August was the month in which the Foundation made its first welfare disbursement. Receipts continued to grow steadily through small online contributions, and were strengthened by a single substantial contribution from an individual donor. Against this, the Foundation released its first verified assistance — a case referred to us by a Regimental Centre.

Statement of Receipts and Outflow — August 2026

Particulars	Amount (₹)	Count
Opening balance — 01 Aug 2026	4,58,412.82	—
Online donations received (payment gateway)	1,77,540.48	20
Direct bank contribution from an individual donor	2,00,000.00	1
Total receipts in August	3,77,540.48	21
Welfare assistance disbursed to beneficiary	2,60,630.00	1
Salary and office expenses	5,000.00	1
Registry / despatch charges — outreach to Regimental Centres	2,315.00	1
Total outflow in August	2,67,945.00	3
Closing balance — 31 Aug 2026	5,68,008.30	—

All figures are drawn directly from the Foundation's bank statement for the period 01 Aug 2026 to 31 Aug 2026 (HDFC Bank, Sector 93A, Noida). Every transaction above is traceable to an entry on that statement.

Where Our Money Went — and Why

Welfare disbursement — ₹2,60,630. The entirety of this amount went to a single verified beneficiary family. Not a rupee of it was deducted for administration, processing or overheads. This is detailed in the section below.

Salary and office expenses — ₹5,000. This covers our sole staff cost together with essential office and administrative running expenses for the month. We continue to hold the Foundation’s operating footprint deliberately small, so that the maximum possible share of every contribution reaches those we exist to serve.

Registry and despatch charges — ₹2,315. This is the cost of formally writing to Regimental Centres across the country, introducing the Foundation, our mandate and our verification process, and inviting them to refer genuine cases of hardship among soldiers, veterans, Veer Naris and dependent families. We regard this as one of the most valuable rupees we spent this month — because a case that reaches us through a Regimental Centre arrives already grounded in institutional knowledge of the family and their circumstances.

Our First Supported Case

We are pleased to report that the outreach described above has begun to work exactly as intended. In August, a Regimental Centre referred a case to the Foundation. It was examined, verified and supported in full.

The case concerns the widow of a serving Havildar of the Indian Army who died while in service in late 2024, leaving behind two school-going children. Following his death the family was left without property, land or any alternative source of family support, and the responsibility for the children’s education and the household rested entirely on the young widow. Both children were, at the time of the referral, in the senior secondary years of school — the stage at which an interruption in education is the hardest to recover from.

Alongside the immediate need to keep the children in school, the family sought something we regard as equally important: a route to self-reliance. The widow asked for support to complete a stitching and tailoring course and to acquire a sewing machine, so that she could begin earning a regular income from home and, in time, meet her family’s needs without depending on anyone.

The Foundation verified the documentation submitted through the Regimental Centre, assessed the requirement, and approved the case in full.

Component of assistance	Amount (₹)
Children’s education — school fees, tuition, books, study material, uniform	1,38,630.00
Vocational self-employment — tailoring course fee and sewing machine	16,000.00
Household sustenance for one year — provisions, rent and utilities	1,56,000.00
Total assessed requirement	3,10,630.00
Disbursed by Monks & Warriors Foundation (RTGS, 31 Aug 2026)	2,60,630.00
Contributed directly to the family by Foundation follower	50,000.00
Total support delivered	3,10,630.00

Of the total assessed requirement of ₹3,10,630, the Foundation disbursed ₹2,60,630 directly to the family’s bank account by RTGS on 31 August 2026. The balance of ₹50,000 was contributed directly to the family by one of the Foundation’s own follower and well-wisher, who came forward the moment the need was made known to them.

The family’s full requirement has therefore been met.

In keeping with our commitment to the dignity and privacy of every beneficiary, no names, addresses, contact details or other identifying particulars of the family are published in this or any future report. The complete case file, verification record and payment trail are held with the Foundation and are available for audit.

Building the Referral Network

Our priority through August has been to widen and deepen the channels through which genuine cases reach us:

- Formal correspondence despatched to Regimental Centres across the country, introducing the Foundation and our referral and verification process
- Continued engagement with Army establishments, veteran networks and welfare organisations to identify families in need of sustained support
- Case-by-case verification and documentation, so that every rupee released is backed by an auditable file
- Maintaining a transparent, traceable payment trail — all assistance is transferred directly to the beneficiary's bank account, never in cash

The Road Ahead

The support extended this month does not change our broader approach: we will continue to grow the corpus deliberately, and we remain committed to building towards a sustainable base from which major welfare programmes can be launched and sustained. What has changed is that the machinery of referral, verification and disbursement has now been tested in practice — and it worked.

We will continue to help. As more Regimental Centres come forward with verified cases, and as the corpus grows, the Foundation intends to support such families steadily and without interruption. Every case will be verified, every disbursement will be published, and every beneficiary will receive assistance worthy of the sacrifice their family has made for this nation.

A Word of Gratitude

To every person who contributed this month — whether ₹108 or ₹2,00,000 — thank you. Twenty-one separate contributions came into the Foundation in August, and together they made it possible to answer the very first call for help that reached our door.

The trust placed in us comes with responsibility. We will not take it lightly.

Jai Hind

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