

### **Splendid Victory for NRMU (C.Rly.) in the election of Institutes**

Despite all vicious and dirty propaganda unleashed against NRMU in the recent past with a view to defeat it in the election of the Institute of Ajni (Nagpur) and Parel Workshop (Mumbai) which were due to take place, NRMU put up candidates and conducted the propaganda systematically. Railway employees at large know that only NRMU can be trusted to run institutions where money transactions are involved.

The election for the Ajni Institute was held on 20<sup>th</sup> June 2011 and when the result was announced NRMU panel won all the 9 seats with over whelming majority of votes and CRMS secured zero seats. The Parel Workshop election was very prestigious and tough. Not only NRMU contested the election, the Rail Kamgar Sena (RKS), Maharashtra Nav Nirman Rail Kamgar Sena (MNRKS), CRMS and SC/ST Association had also fielded candidates. RKS was holding office for last 8 years. The elections held on 24-6-2011 was keenly contested with 79% voters participating.

The counting was done on 25-6-2011 and the NRMU emerged victorious in 8 out of 9 seats. One seat of a Managing Committee was annexed by the RKS. The CRMS candidates secured 40, just 40, panel votes out of the total votes polled 2409. Praise worthy indeed!

**Congratulations to all the candidates, activists and Branches**

**Keep it up**

### **Blood Donation Camp held at Parel**

Since there was acute shortage of blood in KEM hospital, it requested the Parel Workshop Branch of the Union to arrange a blood donation camp urgently. The Branch in co-operation with C.Rly. Nursery School, Parel organized a Camp at Welfare Hall, Parel on 27-5-2011.

Shri A.K. Verma, CME, C.Rly. inaugurated the camp and appreciated the efforts of NRMU of organizing such camps for the benefits of patients.

Com. S. K. Bose, Asst. Genl. Secretary of the Union in his speech said that the NRMU is a biggest Blood Donation Camp organizer of Maharashtra and has been receiving shield at the hands of Governor of Maharashtra every year. NRMU, while fighting for the cause of Railwaymen, is equally active for social causes. It has helped immensely the super cyclone victims of Orrissa, Tsunami victims of Nagapattinam flood affected people of Bihar, Malnutrition victims of Nandurbar, Earthquake victims of Gujarat and Latur, families of Martyrs of Kargil war etc.

Shri Sunil Sharma, CWM, Parel Workshop, Dr. Samuel and Shri Ingales, Blood Bank Incharge of KEM hospital and Com. R.K. Menon, Chairman of Parel Workshop Branch were seated on the dias and they were presented with bouquets.

Programme was conducted by Secretary of the Branch Com. R.B. Mahapure. The first donor was Com. S.K. Bose. Total 85 bottles of blood were collected in the camp. It was a successful camp