Brahma Teertham

Bhumi Pooja at Brahma Teertham – 17th Feb. 2015

Praying to the Varuna Devata after Bhumi Pooja
Site cleaning before the marking

Garbage dumped by Municipality year after year has settled in the water body
Site full of garbage – old foot wear, broken bottles, plastic, old clothes etc. Excavated 3 feet - the entire area and cleared the filth

Minimum 3 ft layer will have to be removed in the surrounding area to clear the dirt or else, the teertham will have polluted water
Three layers – (i) filth at the left side (ii) the leveled ground at the front and (iii) the excavated pond

JCB in Operation
Dedicated workers working in the filth for a better tomorrow!

7 Ft Water level after digging 10 feet
Water level going up very fast as the water oozing and coming from the road side rather than the lake side
Note:

i. The project is sponsored by GKD Trust, Coimbatore

ii. We are requesting the Rameshwaram Municipality to remove the near by mountain of garbage by way of JCB and tractors and shift it to compost yard.

iii. As the municipality was using this area for dumping the township garbage, the entire area of 2 – 2 ½ feet will have to be excavated and the filth removed. We are trying to have the intervention of the Dist. Collector to carry out this work.

iv. After cleaning, the area will be covered with sand to have a better look as well as to work as a sand filter

v. We have decided to stop the work for a while as the water level is very high and inspite pumping the water it is again getting filled up.

vi. The summar has started and so we hope the water level will go down very fast and then after a month we will be able to start the work again.

vii. Once the work starts, we will finish up the entire work within two months