

CHINMAYA VAANI

OCTOBER-NOVEMBER EDITION

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HELLO READERS,

It has been an exciting period in that will be written in the annals of our school's history unforgettable in the time to come. It will be talked about by many batches to come and it will not cease and will be etched permanently in our minds and all who know it. Perhaps the greatest achievement in our school's history, and is definitely the highlight of the decade, our football team ran the path towards being National Runners Up. The school has also conducted many programs that we hope will not be overshadowed by this. All of this has been discussed in this newsletter of ours.

ABHIRAM M S (XID)

AJUL K KRISHNAN (XI C)

“No man who is truly great is great only in his lifetime; the true test of greatness is the pages of history”

EVENTS

GANDHI JAYANTHI CELEBRATIONS

Gandhi Jayanthi was observed in the Vidyalaya during the morning assembly on 1st October. In connection with the same 'RaghupathiRaghava' was sung by the choir group. The Junior Head Boy Abhiram Spoke about Gandhiji and the relevance of his ideals in the present day.

Many children dressed as Gandhiji adorned the open stage while Gandhiji's quotes were rendered. A skit on communal harmony was illustrated on the day. The Principal appreciated the students of STD XI & XII who had come early that morning to clean the campus, giving a day off to the non-teaching staff. Articles and posters relevant to the observance of Gandhi Jayanthi were put up on 'My Wall'.



A pledge 'ThoovalaViplavam (Handkerchief Revolution)' was taken by the whole school creating awareness on tuberculosis & TB center. Swachatha Drive was arranged for all classes during the zero period. On the same day a 'Sramadhan' was executed by the scouts and Guides of the Vidyalaya who cleaned the premises close to the school.

MATHRUPOOJA

Mathrupooja as part of the Navarathri Festival was held on the 5th of October. H. H. Swami Gabheeranandaji initiated the auspicious function. A lot of students took part in the occasion and offered Mathrupooja at the feet of their mother. The auditorium reverberated with Bhajans before the commencement of the Pooja. Teachers rendered the slokas with the explanation of Mathrupanchakshari.



HONOURING CEREMONY OF STATE CHAMPION UNDER 19 FOOTBALL

Our school football team had won under 19 state CBSE football tournament 2019-20 held at Chalakkudy and thereby was qualified for Nationals CBSE football tournament to be held at Haryana. To honor the champs a special assembly was arranged on 9th of October. The players were ushered in with by school band. The chief guest for the day Sri Anil Akkara MLA



congratulated the entire team and reiterated that the victory is the result of the combined efforts of each and every player. The 16 players of the team were awarded a medal, certificate and memento in front of their proud parents. Sri Kiran G Krishnan the coach was specially applauded for his excellent coaching and services. He was honored with a ponnada, memento and cash award.

DRUG AWARENESS SEMINAR

A seminar on the topic 'Drug Awareness' was organized in the Vidyalaya on the 10th of October 2019 in connection with "Motor Show 2019 " celebrating 12 years of success by GEC Thrissur. Sri Joseph, Awareness officer, Excise Department, Thrissur was the guest of the day. Sir enlightened the children through heart rending stories about MAD (Mind altering drugs). Sir made them aware that all these drugs have their useful effect but the correct usage is important. This session was good for the children to create awareness about drug related issues.

SALAD DAY

In connection with World food day, a salad making and salad dressing activity was organized for students of class 6 & 7. Students brought raw salad vegetables, fruits, leaves, pepper & salt from their homes. After preparation, the students savored it. This activity enabled them to realize how good salads are and how to prepare & arrange them which is a culinary art.

H.H. SWAMI SWAROOPANANDAJI'S VISIT

H.H Swami Swaroopanandaji, the Global Head of Chinmaya Mission visited the Vidyalaya on 21st October. Swami was welcomed by a group of children with their paintings on 'keep smiling'. Swami was received with a 'poornakumbham' and welcome song. Our Principal welcomed the gathering. Swamiji shared his childhood experience and advised the students not to go to the peak for meditation. Holistic development of the child is of equal importance as academics so the children were asked to imbibe good values. After the address the head boy and head girl had offered dakshina to swamiji.

HONEST SHOP



In order to inculcate the values of honesty among children an honest shop was inaugurated by MLA Sri Anil Akkara on 9th October. In this shop children can buy stationery by dropping the labelled price money in the cash box without the supervision of any person.

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KERALA PIRAVI DAY CELEBRATION

In connection with Kerala Piravi Day various programs were organized in the Vidyalaya. A talk about the formation of Kerala, “Akshara Slokam”, Imitate Character, Group dance, Group song were conducted. Smt Mridula Prindipal Cooperative Public school was invited for a Seminar on the topic “Influence of Language in Daily Life” for the students of class 8.



HONOURING THE NON-TEACHING STAFF



It is customary of the Vidyalaya that, on Kerala Piravi Day, Non-Teaching Staff who have completed 25 years of meritorious service be honored. This year Smt Nalini P S and Sri Pradeep Varma were honored. They were honored with an “Om” lamp and a Ponnada.

CHOCOLATE SEED PROJECT

As part of SEED Project, students of the Vidyalaya wrapped vegetable seeds in the waste papers collected from the classrooms and these ‘SEED Chocolates’ were distributed among the students as they were instructed to disperse them in their gardens at home. A group of students also dispersed these seed chocolates in the compound near the Vidyalaya, so that these seed chocolates germinate and grow into plants.



INTERNATIONAL SCIENCE DAY

International Science day was observed on the 11th of November. Students from class 6, 7 and 8 dressed as eminent International and National scientists paraded in front of the stage during the morning assembly. This was to create awareness about the importance of Science and India's contribution to Science and Technology.



NABIDINAM



In connection with Nabidinam, a mehandi competition was conducted house wise for the students of standard 8, 9, and 10. The group that secured the fourth position (Cat-2) in SahodayaKalotsav for Oppana, showcased their performance on Nabidhinam day.

CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION

On children's day, it is customary on the part of the Vidyalaya teachers entertain the children. The assembly was conducted by teachers. A skit, scripted by Principal Smt Shoba Menon was presented by the teachers to show the various characteristics among children. A group song and a group dance by the teachers also added grandeur to the day.



ADOLESCENCE EDUCATION / SEX EDUCATION SEMINAR

A talk on adolescent education/ sex education for standard 11th girls and boys was organised separately on 16th November 2019 Saturday in the conference hall and Chinmaya Balakrishna respectively. Dr Vinita (Consultant Gynecologist) District Hospital Thrissur and Dr Ramesh Kumar (Consultant District Hospital Thrissur) addressed the students based on the queries they had placed.

GRAND FUNCTION ORGANISED FOR HONOURING THE UNDER-19 FOOTBALL NATIONAL RUNNERS

Chinmaya Vidyalaya Kolazhy hosted a grand celebration to honor the Runner up of CBSE Football tournament 2019-20 U-19 boys held at Fathehabad Haryana on the 20th of November 2019 (Wednesday).

Sri Victor Manjila Former Indian International Football Goalkeeper and coach, Thrissur was the Chief Guest. All the members of the football team were honored with Medals, Certificates & Trophy. Team Managers and Coach was also awarded with Certificates, memento and cash prize .As a token of appreciation, Chinmaya College Principal Sri Krishnakumar handed over a trophy to the football champions.



Acceptance speech and words of gratitude were expressed by team manager, SmtNiji N Raju, team coach, Sri Kiran G Krishnan and a parent Smt Sangeetha.

FOOD FEST



A food fest 'Arogyanidhi' – NaadanRuchiMela, was organized in the Vidyalaya on the 21st of November for classes 7 and 8. This was to create awareness about the importance of homemade nutritious food and avoid excess consumption of junk food. Students, with help of their parents, prepared mouthwatering nutritious delicacies with vegetables and exhibited them in their classrooms

ACHIEVEMENTS

CBSE CLUSTER X Football Tournament

Cluster X Football Tournament 2019-20 was held from 1st October to 5th October at CMI Public School Chalakudy. Our Vidyalaya represented U- 17 and U-19 boys' category. Out of 32 teams that participated our Vidyalaya got the first prize in U 19 category and got qualified for the Nationals to be held at Fathehabad, Haryana. They created a history in the records of Chinmaya Vidyalaya by winning the 1st Runner-up for Under 19 CBSE National Football Tournament.

Motor Show Quiz

Govt Engineering College, Thrissur had conducted a motor quiz for the students of class 11 and 12. 48 students took part in the same. Vishnu Sai Vinod (12 C), Hari Krishnan S and Amaljeet S (12 D) secured 1st, 2nd & 3rd positions respectively. They were awarded with a free entry pass to view the motor show conducted by their college.

Food & Nutrition Quiz & Poster Design

Association of Food Scientist & Technologist, India conducted a quiz and a poster designing competition on the 16th of October 2019 at Veterinary College Mannuthy in connection with the observation of World Food Day. A team represented by Lynn Mary Jose (X A) and Harishankar V (X D) won the first prize in the quiz. They received certificates, trophies and a rolling trophy for the Vidyalaya. A team comprising of Sanvid Sankar (XD) and Ritwik Padma raj(XC) secured 3rd prize in poster designing. They received individual trophies & certificates.

Basketball cluster

Cluster Basketball tournament was held at Marygiri Public School, Kannur from 16th October to 19th October. We had three teams participating for the tournament; Under 19 Boys & Girls and Under 17 Boys. Girls' team won the 2nd runner-up position.

WWF Quiz

WWF India conducted a Quiz competition namely Wild Wisdom Quiz. Shri. Vishnu (7A) Gopika Jayachandrakumar (6D) represented our Vidyalaya Middle School team and Jwalya Vidyadharan and Navaneeth Krishna (4A) represented as the junior team for the city/ state level of this quiz competition held on 3rd November 2019 at YMCA Auditorium, Trivandrum.

Ujjwalprathibha award

Two students of our Vidyalaya, Lynn Mary Jose from category 3 and Anirudh Sasikumar Menon from Category 4 qualified smoothly to the final round of UjjwalPrathiba. Both the students came out victorious and were bestowed the UjjwalPrathiba award 2019.

Lingua Fanta

Sahodaya Complex conducted District Level LINGUA FANTA 2019 (English Language Fest) at Devamatha CMI Public School, Patturaikkal on 23rd November. 24 schools participated in the competition. 56 students from our school took part in the different events. Our Vidyalaya emerged victorious winning the overall third position.