

CHINMAYA VAANI

Hari Om!

Hello Readers,

We present before you the newsletter for the months of June & July. This is to be a summary of all events which have occurred in the previous months. The editors and 'journalists' behind this newsletter are none other than the students and this shall be the newsletter of the students. We hope even through our inexperience we have drafted material to serve this newsletter's purpose of providing updates on the monthly happenings of our Vidyalaya.

"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world" - Nelson Mandela

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HONOURING THE BRILLIANT

MERIT DAY

Merit Day was organised in the Vidyalaya on 11th June at 10.30am in the school auditorium. Dr R Ratheesh, Scientist, Director of CMET was the chief guest.

The Vidyalaya magazine 'Chinmaya Dhwani' was released in the function. In the inaugural address, the chief guest tried to ignite a scientific interest in the children.



The editors of the magazine, Smt Saritha Mohan & Sri Madhavadasan were honoured.

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

International yoga day was observed in our Vidyalaya on 21st June in the school auditorium. Smt. Lathika Menon, Yoga trainer and psychologist was the esteemed guest. A visual treat was presented by the students of std7,8 & 9 with their spectacular display of yoga dance, suryanamaskar & yoga exercise.



READING DAY

The day was observed in the Vidyalaya on 19th June. In the assembly a speech on the importance of reading was presented. The best readers were rewarded with books. The best readers are Shivani K (7 B), Sanvid Sankar (10D) and Unnimaya C P (12 B). The students honoured their teachers by presenting them with bookmarks. Reading pledge was rendered in the morning assembly. Last period was observed as DEAR-Drop Everything and READ.



WELCOME DAY



The class 12th welcomed the freshmen of class 11th with splendour. They dished out an audio visual treat on June 26th wednesday at 1:30 pm. Variety entertainments were performed by all talented students of class 12 and the junior head boy and head girl gave the vote of thanks.

SATSANG WITH VIVIKTANANDAJI

On 28th June 2019, H.H. Swami Viviktanandaji (Regional head, Chinmaya Mission, Kerala) addressed the children of class 11th in the school auditorium from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm on the topic – Bhagavat Gita –as a life manual, a handbook for all. It was a refreshing and recharging session. Swamiji pinpointed that youth is the most beautiful season of life and advised the students to use it to their full potential. Swamiji narrated many stories as examples, which were appealing motivating and edifying.



INVESTITURE CEREMONY

The investiture ceremony for the academic year 2019-20 was organised in the Vidyalaya auditorium on 4th July 2019 between 10:30 am and 11:30 am. Commodore Ramesh M S Menon, Superintendent, Naval Aircraft Yard inaugurated the function and officiated the swearing in – ceremony.



The head boy and the head girl took the Vidyalaya pledge.

CHARITY-“ORU PIDI ARI”



As part of the “oru pidi ari” project to collect a fistful of rice from each child, the students of the school jointly collected 140 kg of rice which was handed over to the Asha bhavan on 10th July. The patients were very happy to see the teachers, assistant head boy, head girl and three of our students who accompanied the teachers and the office staff. The visit made the students aware of the need to support the under privileged people.

STATE LEVEL CYCLE RALLY

State level cycle rally (Trivandrum to Kasargode) by Chinmaya Yuva Kendra Kerala and Chinmaya Viswavidyapeeth visited our Vidyalaya on 15th July 2019 propagating environmental conservation and addressing issues on drug abuse. 12 cyclists with Dr. Sudheer Chaithanya were welcomed with appreciation cards made by the school CHYK members.

Principal Smt. Shoba Menon flagged off the rally when it proceeded to the next destination.



OBSERVANCE OF GURU POORNIMA

The auspicious day of Gurupoornima was celebrated in our Vidyalaya on 16th July 2019. A special assembly was conducted in the Vidyalaya, marked by floral tribute by the teachers and students to guru Vedhavyasa in ritualistic respect of gurupooja. The students from class LKG to XII to part in the archana. A video clipping with a message by H.H Swami Swaroopanandha pertaining to the occasion was screened in the auditorium



MID-DAY MEAL

Mid-day meal was given to the patients and by-standers of Medical College Thrissur on account of Guru poornima which was contributed by class XI and XII students.

RAMAYANA MONTH CELEBERATIONS



“Karkkidakamonnu” was observed in the Vidyalaya on 17th July with an introduction about the significance of the month and the season. A month long Ramayana parayanam began in the morning assembly. “TEN WONDERS-DASAPUSHPANGAL” displayed in the portico with all vernacular and botanical names. A song about these plants was rendered by the school choir group.

INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE DAY

International justice day was observed in our Vidyalaya in its true spirit on 17th July. Students of standard IX and X performed a skit throwing light on the issues like human trafficking, healthcare, war, AIDS etc.

PI DAY

PI approximation day was celebrated on 22nd July 2019. In connection with it, a special assembly was organised, and the concept of pie explained followed by a recitation on the same topic. The pie and its values was put on a chart and a challenge was put forward to the students to memorize the first 50 digits of its values.

ABHIMAN 2019-20

To create awareness and sensitise the students about drugs, drug abuse and many more evils in society, a seminar was organised in our Vidyalaya on 22nd July for classes XI & XII. The Thrissur city police conducted the seminar on the topic 'Curiosity training solutions'. Sri. M.K Pushkaran, Sri.Sivan Nenmanikkad and Sri. Sreejith addressed the students.

JCI PRATHIBHA PURASKAR AND INVESTITURE CEREMONY

Junior Chamber International Prathibha Puraskar was distributed in a function organized in the school at 9.30am on 23rd July. Junior Chamber International Prathibha Puraskar for the best student of the year was awarded to Master Devadath Mullappally of 12 A for the higher secondary level and to Shraddha K of X A for the secondary level. The award was presented by the JCI President and the certificate was presented by the Vice Principal. After presentation of awards 10th class investiture was held. Smt Sudha Jayachandran officiated, the badges were pinned up for the office bearers by the president of JCI.

ARTS CLUB AND TALENT TIME INAUGURATION



Arts club and Talent Time inauguration was held in the Vidyalaya on 25th July 2019 Thursday at 1.30 pm. Lighting the lamp was done by the chief guest Shri Anoop Sankar, playback singer. The chief guest delivered a motivating speech and he kept the audience thrilled with his sweet voice. The program ended with variety entertainments by Arts club members from classes 6-9.

SAHASRA POURNAMI AGOSHAM OF CHAIRMAN Dr G MUKUNDAN

Sahasra Pournami Agosham of the chairman Dr G Mukundan was held in the school auditorium in the presence of all the members of the Vidyalaya, college, management committee representatives, advisory board members, Dr G Mukundan sir's family and Mission members on 26th July. The prestigious welcome was done by administrators and HODs, Mangalpathraparayanam, felicitation by Dr V Venugopal (DOE), Shri Gopalakrishnan Chief Sevak from EKM and Dr V Ramankutty.



TALENT TIME 2019-20

The Talent Time was organized in the school on 27th & 30th of July. It was very auspicious to see almost all the students exhibiting their talents and putting all their hard work into it for making the occasion dazzling. The group items were held on 2nd of August.



ACHIEVEMENTS

❖ POSTER DESIGN COMPETITION ON FOOD SAFETY

In connection with Food Safety Day, a painting competition was organised by the Food Safety Department on 5th June at Town Hall for higher secondary students & *Lakshmi K* of Std XII won the first prize.

❖ FC CLUB -I LEAGUE

The Vidyalaya is proud of the achievements of our students namely *Sachidananth C.S*, *Adith N Vinodh*, *Aadith N Ashok*, *Sanskar V V* who have been selected for I league under 13,15 teams of FC Kerala among 3000 participants. We are also pleased to know that these children will get consistent training for 5 years under the guidance of FC Kerala.

❖ POSTAL PRIZE

Devnanda.V.Jayan of Std VIII A has won the 1st prize for the National level Letter Writing Competition conducted by Postal Department. She was awarded with an amount of Rs 25000. The cheque was handed over to Devananda on Merit day.

❖ KVPY SCHOLARSHIP

Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yogana is a scholarship program founded by The Department of Science & Technology of the government of India aimed at encouraging students to take up research career in the area of basic sciences. *Abhijith Hari Menon* of Std. XII qualified for KVPY after a screening test and an interview.

❖ INFINITUM QUIZ

National Institute of Technology Calicut conducted the District Level of the quiz named **Infinitum Quiz 2019** on mathematical aptitude and logical reasoning at BVB Poochatty on 9th July 2019. **Anirudh S Menon** and **Devadath Mullappally** of Std XII bagged the 1st prize from 33 teams across the district. They received a trophy and certificate. They are also qualified for the state level competition to be held at NIT campus, Calicut.