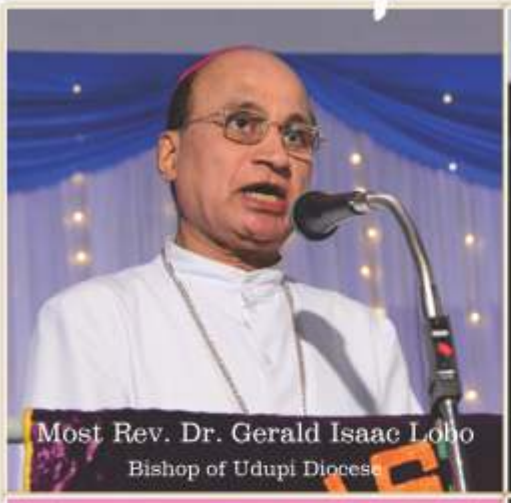

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Peace
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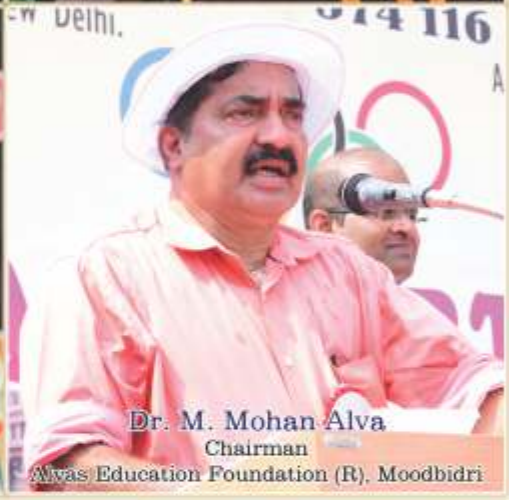

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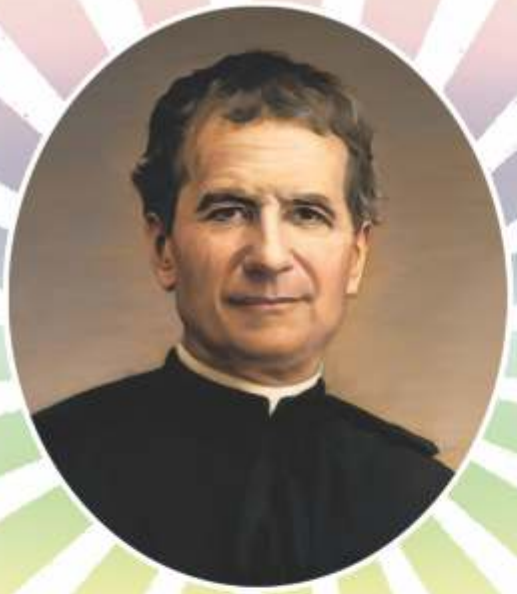

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THE GATEWAY OF DON BOSCO EVER OPEN TO WELCOME...

SCHOOL EMBLEM



The Book : Refers to knowledge and truthfulness

Lighted Candle : Giving light to world, dispelling darkness

Lilly Flowers : Symbolizes Purity

Globe : Serve The World

Hence the Motto : Growing in truth and purity

VISION

To impart value-based education that will liberate, humanize and transform every student into persons of Character, Competence, Conscience, Commitment and Compassion.

MISSION

Our endeavour is to establish a student-friendly School with active and creative minds, where every student feels loved, welcomed, respected, affirmed and valued; a sense of understanding and compassion for others. To develop our school which gives more importance to character formation than to competence; where the staff work as a team with fervour and enthusiasm; where discipline is achieved with respect and love. We stress the total development of each child: spiritual, moral, intellectual, social, emotional, and physical.

PATRONAGE
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V. Rev. Fr Aloysius Rosario

1985- Founder, Don Bosco Higher Primary School



V. Rev. Fr Sylvester D'Souza

1993- Founder, Don Bosco High School



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2016- Founder, Don Bosco CBSE School





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Entrance Arch Inauguration

27-04-2019







From Editor's Desk...



If we teach today's students as we taught yesterday's, we rob them of the tomorrow".

Welcome to the Edition of Bosco Rays - the annual magazine of Don Bosco CBSE School. It is published with two main aims to maintain a record of all the major activities and achievements of the school and to bring out the creative learning of the students. It motivates the students to put forth their ideas and thoughts that are too deep to be expressed and too strong to be suppressed. Our vision and mission is to evolve the total development of each child; spiritual, moral, intellectual, social, emotional and physical. To foster these values the school has a well trained qualified team of educators. Today, schools need to prepare students for more rapid economic and social change than ever before, for jobs that have not yet been created, to use technologies that have not yet been invented, and to solve social problems that we do not yet know will arise. As educators we are on a constant search mission to fire the imagination of students with futuristic means to achieve knowledge through ingeniuty rather than the memorisation. The present generation of students are fragile substance, handle with care is the need. As Alan Blanstein quotes. "Lose the curriculum, don't lose the kids". As teachers the bond of relation shouldn't stagger in pursuit of being syllabus bounded. The academic year 2018-19 had a remarkable event to celebrate the affiliation and official inaugural of the school building.

The transformation from State to Central Syllabus was not a smooth sailing, but the determination, dedication and hard team spirit enabled to achieve the impossible. Let each individaul involved in this noble cause of giving light to the world by dispelling the darkness to gain knowledge to serve the world must toil hand in hand to give a moral, responsible universal citizen.

I am grateful to the ex Headmistress Mrs Irine Rodrigues, Present Principal Rev. Fr Mahesh DSouza, Teachers, computer staff and students for their constant support and rich creative, contribution towards the Annual School Magazine. As I entrust the baton my prayers and best wishes for the glory and higher achievements of the school. May sky be the limits of your fame.

'Dream Big, Sparkle more, Shine bright

Mrs. Cecilia Lewis

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Correspondent's Message...

Namasthe!

Welcome to Don Bosco Family! Now onwards the Students-Parents-Teachers and the Management are integral parts of this Education family or this temple of knowledge. Let's all endeavour to make our student's life better and beautiful.

Education is perhaps one of the most important ingredients to a happy, successful, and constructive life. In fact, having access to a good education during childhood and one's early adulthood can make a real difference in ones later life.

Real education is not just preparing the students for exams but preparing them for life. So the quote: "Give a man a fish and you feed him for a day. Teach a man to fish and you feed him for a lifetime" Maimonides.

In the ideal case, education and educators inspire pupils and students to open and expand their minds. Even more importantly, a good education system skilfully prepares the young children for life. Yet, Maths, Biology and Physics alone won't prepare you for the Challenges of life.

The Don Bosco CBSE School too has a similar motto of "Preparing students for life". In this entire process the parents and teachers play an important role, of course along with the management. We have a great responsibility of shaping the personalities of the young children. We can make or mar their future. Hence we require committed and dedicated teachers and equally responsible parents. Let us all strive to make the Don Bosco campus a student friendly where our students can be creative, spontaneous and vibrant.

This quote is to my young friends: "Aim for Success, not perfection. Never give up your right to be wrong, because then you will lose the ability to learn new things and move forward with your life. Remember that fear always lurks behind perfectionism". David M. Burns.

Come on! Let's work as a team under the leadership of the Principal and make the lives of our students happy, constructive and successful.

Fr Denis D'Sa
Correspondent



Principal's Message...

"Education is a shared commitment between dedicated teachers, motivated students and enthusiastic parents with high expectations"

It is hard to believe that it was 3-years ago when we commenced with CBSE Curriculum; the impressions were that it's going to be a challenging job but by ceaseless efforts and rigorous work of its stakeholders made it possible to reach the destiny. As I reflect, I am so grateful for being given the opportunity to lead a school where the students, staff, and school community are such a vibrant and vital part of our success. We have much to be proud of and to celebrate and yet I know that our job is never done. We are always on a continuous cycle of improvement.

Today, the role of a school is not only to pursue academic excellence but also to motivate and empower its students to be lifelong learners, critical thinkers, and productive members of an ever-changing global society. More than three decade back Don Bosco English Medium School pledged to transform education. The school that is being run under the aegis of well established Management "Catholic Board of Education" has earned its own niche not only in Shirva but across the globe. At DBEMS we provide an atmosphere to our students for multifaceted development, where children are encouraged to channelize their potential in the pursuit of excellence. This can only be possible in a holistic, student-centric environment. The talents, skills and abilities of each student need to be identified, nurtured, and encouraged so that he/she is able to reach greater heights. Students need to be provided with a platform to think, express and exhibit their skills. It is necessary to empower them to negotiate several issues that confront them, with the teacher being a facilitator.

The school is striving hard to make the best possible efforts to inculcate strong values combining with academics and extra-curricular activities in the children. Converting every individual into a self-reliant and independent citizen, the school provides an amalgam of scholastic and co-scholastic activities.

No wonder, a student harnessed in such an atmosphere has every hope and possibility of becoming a responsible, balanced and a mature adult and is able to live in to contribute and to shoulder responsibilities of the society, of which he forms an integral part. Children need a supportive environment at home and at school. They need to set goals, within their reach until they gain confidence and determination. They should reexamine their priorities, set clean goals and make specific plans to achieve what they desire. Focusing on specific goals, helps them move forward purposefully in life. They would, thus, have the pleasure of watching their dreams into reality.

At DBEMS our approach to learning is child centric encouraging activity based on learning. In our curriculum the student is the primary focus and each child is involved in the learning process. We are constantly improving our teaching methodology so that it turns learning into combination of classroom study, research and scientific discovery. While academic excellence is our major thrust, the school is also devoted to prepare the students for life, groom them to face the challenges of tomorrow, and encourage them to be socially relevant. We constantly endeavour to always live up to this ideology and inculcate this into everything we do, with the aim that we will be able to ensure that the children grow to their full potential, while constantly being groomed to pass out as men and women competent to bear responsibility in all walks of life. The parents are the most strengthening power in moulding the future of children. Their consistent support empowers us to do more and more. I pay my gratitude to them for their faith in us.

I render sincere gratitude to Mrs Cecilia Lewis for taking efforts in order to present beautiful Bosco Rays Annual Magazine of our school. After serving 30 years at our institution she has left permanent hallmark at our hearts and minds. She has given her best in improving and focusing all activities of our school.

I am confident enough that the Don Bosconians will make themselves stronger day by day, adding a new leaf to the grandeur of the school.

Rev. Fr Mahesh Dsouza
Principal

ENLIGHTENING LAMPS OF THE SCHOOL



Teachers cultivate the young minds who are responsible for the future
- Keith Wynn

AU-REVOIR to Class X Batch 2018-19



May your life be colourful

TRIBUTE OF LOVE



RENISHA RUTH DSOUZA

Birth : 10.02.2012 Became dear to God : 23.03.2019

Don't cry for me,
I'm not gone.
My soul is at rest,
my heart lives on.
Light a candle
for me to see
and hold on to
my memory,
but save your tears
for I'm still here,
by your side
through the years.

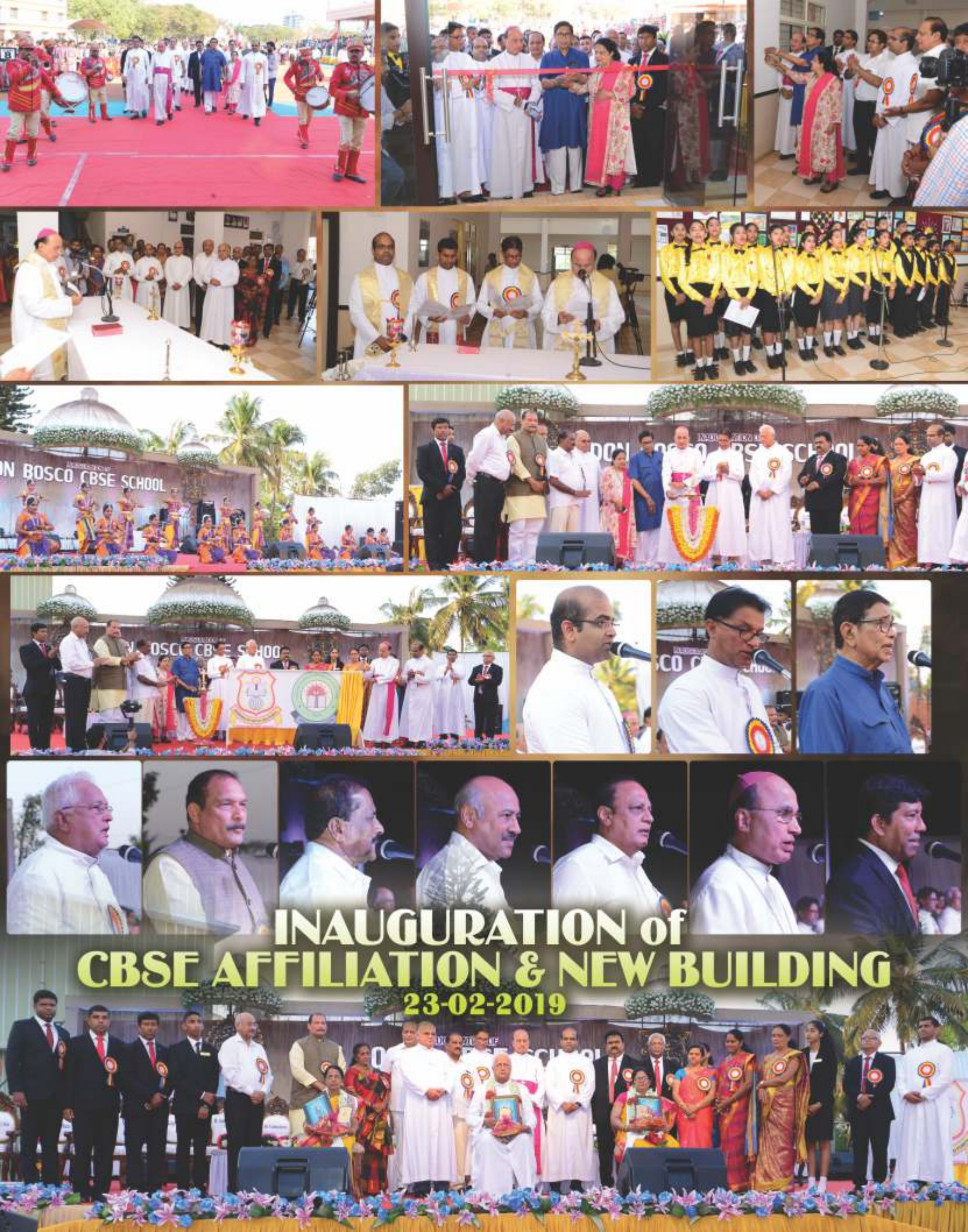
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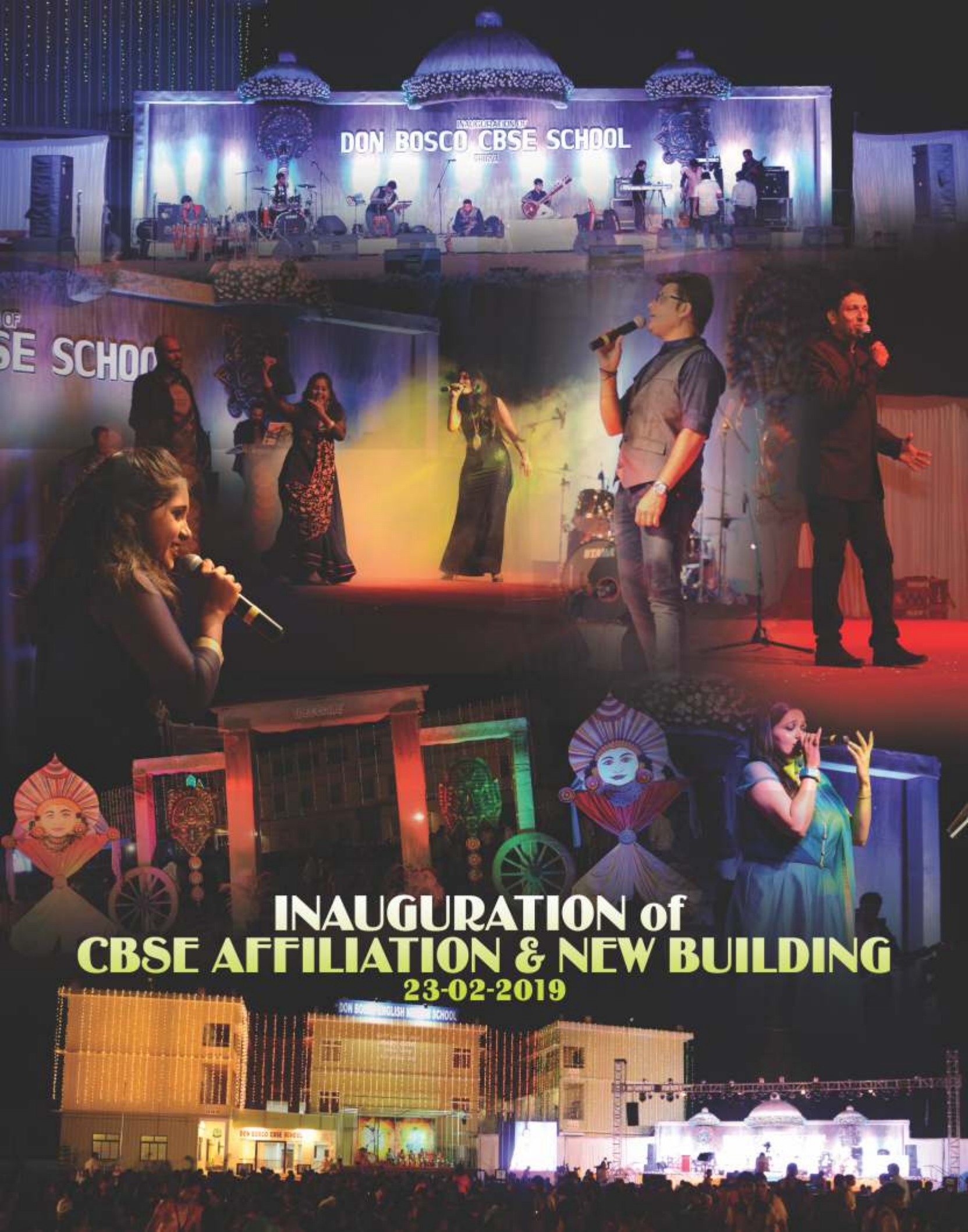


Your retirement has made
Everyone value you ever more
It has made us appreciate
The way you strenghthened our cores
You are not just retiring
From your post. position or role
You are retiring as a teacher
who inspired our souls...

From,

Correspondent, Management, PTA
Alumni, Staff and Students
Don Bosco English Medium School, Shirva


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LKG B
Class Teacher
Mrs Shruthi Prasad



UKG A
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Mrs Shylet Mythri



UKG B
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I A
Class Teacher
Mrs Shalet Mathias



I B
Class Teacher
Mrs Irine Quadros



II A
Class Teacher
Mrs Reshma Pinto



II B
Class Teacher
Mrs Jenifer Fernandes



III A
Class Teacher
Mrs Zarina



III B
Class Teacher
Mrs Felcy Mascarenhas



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Mrs Priya Fernandes



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V A
Class Teacher
Mrs Ivine DSouza



V B
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Class Teacher
Mrs Joyce Menezes



VI B
Class Teacher
Mrs Cynthia Pereira



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Class Teacher
Mrs Anitha DSouza



VII B
Class Teacher
Mrs Philomena Barboza



VIII A
Class Teacher
Mrs Priya D Martis



VIII B
Class Teacher
Mr Umesh Kanchan



IX A
Class Teacher
Ms Jane M Mendonca



IX B
Class Teacher
Mrs Priya Noronha



X A
Class Teacher
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X B
Class Teacher
Mrs Juliet Sequeira

DON BOSCO ENGLISH MEDIUM SCHOOL, SHIRVA
KINDERGARTEN SECTION
SCHOOL ANNUAL REPORT 2018-19

A warm and hearty welcome to you our esteemed guests, Respected president of the function, V. Rev. Fr Denis Dsa, the Chief Guest of the day, Mrs Soujanya Shetty, Administrative officver, Dr A.V. Baliga Group of Institution, Udupi. Mr Wilson D'Souza, Vice President of Parish Pastoral Council, Shirva, Mrs Leena Machado, Secretary of Parish Pastoral council, Mr Melwyn Aranha, Co-coordinator of Commissions, Members of Management Committee, Parents of Students, Alumni Members, Benefactors, Well Wishers of our institution, dear parents and beloved students.

I deem it as a proud privilege to present before you a report of activities of the Don Bosco English Medium Kindergarten School. Don Bosco Kindergarten is a happy place in a stress free setting created for the physical, emotional, intellectual, creative and social development of children in the age group of three and a half to five years.

Management:

Don Bosco English Medium School established in the year 1983 is under the Management of Catholic Education Society of Udupi. Most Rev. Dr Gerald Isaac Lobo, Bishop of Udupi Diocese is the President of the Management, Msgr Dr Baptist Menezes, Vicar General of the Diocese of Udupi is the Vice president of the management, Rev. Dr Lawrence Dsouza is the secretary of the Management, Very Rev. Fr Denis Dsa is the Joint Secretary and the Correspondent of the School, Mr Wilson Dsouza, Mr Melwyn Aranha, Mr Julian Rodrigues, Mr Melwyn Dsouza, Mrs Diana Saldanha & Mrs Irene Rodrigues are the members of School managing committee. It is a non profitable minority Christian charitable institution working for the total welfare of the people of India. The school was founded by Late Very Rev. Fr Aloysius Rosario and Very Rev. Fr Sylvester D'Souza who had extensive experience in the field of Education. Though they are no more, the ideals and principles they embodied are inherited by his successors. The management is composed of individuals with rich experience in the field of education.

A Word of Gratefulness and a Word of Welcome:

We are ever grateful to our former Correspondent Very Rev. Fr Stany Tauro who has served as a Correspondent of our School for eight years. It was his initiative and far sightedness to commence a CBSE affiliated School at Shirva. At present Very Rev Fr Stany Tauro is serving at Holy Rosary Church, Kundapur. He got transferred on 04-06-2018. We wish God's abundant Blessings and good health on his mission.

Our hearts are filled with warmth and happiness to extend a cordial Welcome to Very Rev. Fr Denis Dsa. His personality doesn't require an introduction. He is a multi talented, multifaceted, exuberant personality. Very Rev Fr Denis Dsa has served in various capacities at Mangalore and Udupi. He was the Director at prestigious institution for art, Sandesha Kala Kendra, Mangalore, Administrator at Father Muller's Hospital Mangalore, PRO of the Diocese of Udupi, Director for Health commission at Udupi, Parish Priest at St Anthonys Church Kuntalnagar. It is our good fortune to have Very Rev. Fr Denis Dsa as our Correspondent to lead our School to greater heights. He has received the baton to lead the School on 5th of June 2018. We offer our prayers and best wishes in his mission.

Genesis and Growth of the School:

Don Bosco launched its historic career in 1983, when it started the Kindergarten classes with just 30 students on role. It is a composite school from Kindergarten section to class X. With over 900 students and around 50 teachers now, all together 80 teaching and non-teaching staff members. It is the one of the largest English Medium Schools in the Taluk, with the healthy teacher - student ratio of 1:40.

CBSE Affiliation:

The School by its existence has got 35 years of history. It has served for more than thousands of students in and around the society of Shirva. As a part of development and growth, from the year 2016, the farsighted Management had taken a bold step to switch over the school into a CBSE syllabus School. This is a milestone in the life of Don Bosco English Medium School. The inspection for the CBSE Affiliation was held on 23rd of March 2018 and the School

got affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Affiliation on 25th of May 2018 with the affiliation Number 830838. CBSE affiliation is a moment of dream come in to reality. This was a herculean task to the management to face all the challenges in this procedure but the ceaseless efforts brought laurels in achieving Central Syllabus Affiliation within the span of two years. We remain thankful to our Management team with all the present day challenges and hurdles for providing a beautiful opportunity for the growth of academicals spheres at our Campus. We request the generous heart people to extend their co-operation for this noble cause.

Staff and the students:

We have four sections at Kindergarten with 150 students; there are six teaching and three non teaching staff members. Mrs Shyona D'Almeida is the head teacher of the Kindergarten Section. Following are the teachers who serve at Kindergarten Section:

Mrs Leena Menezes
Mrs Jennifer Sunitha D'sa
Mrs Shruthi Prasad
Ms Nidhi Hegde
Mrs Shylet Mythri

We place on record, their dedicated service in this institution, who guide and help to acquire all basic skills required for Kindergarteners. At this time I thank all the teachers and helpers for their sincere efforts.

Academic Performance:

Our academic year began on 7th of June with the arrival of L.K.G. and U.K.G. children. A warm welcome goes a long way in starting the year well. The tiny tots were welcomed with lot of warmth and cheer.

- There is every day assembly and school prayer.
- Education is imparted with various joyful activities.
- There are three internal tests and two term examinations to evaluate the performances of the Students.
- First term examination was held in the month of September. Second term Examination will be in the month of March.
- Literacy begins by immersing children in literacy with rich environments. Our children are exposed to English language at all the time.
- Stories, songs and rhymes are used by the teachers to help children, to appreciate the rhythm of new language.
- We have planned activities that involve children in discriminating sounds, identifying colours, print, recognizing letters and writing.
- We aim to infuse in children the joy of reading and love of books right from their young age through library period once a week.
- By using a variety of teaching aids, several mathematical concepts like big, small, few, tall, short etc. are introduced before teaching numbers and counting.
- Children are taught Art, General knowledge and various dances.
- Children enjoy watching many educational and other interesting programmes through Smart Classes.
- Full day classes are arranged for the Kindergarten children. A separate activity period is arranged to get children involved in solving Zig Zag puzzles, stringing beads, learning skills of everyday life like buttoning, shoe lacing etc.

Co-Curricular activities:

- Conducted dough molding activity on 20th of July. This helps the children's hands to develop the strength, dexterity, and control needed to handle everyday items such as scissors, pencils, and buttons Etc.
- Conducted Stringing Beads Activity on 20th of July. This activity will increase the grasping capacity which also strengthens the small muscles of a child.
- Conducted Palm Impression activity on 27th of July. It follows a curriculum of learning through fun and innovation. There is nothing more adorable than a craft made with little hands. Children were surprised to see the prints of their little palms on paper. They were amazed and delighted, and admired their priceless pieces of art. Children had learnt so much through this fun activity, colour recognition, eye, hand co ordination and above all the wonderful art of palm printing. The different colours were imprinted forever on the minds of the students through their little palms!
- Conducted thumb print activity on 18th of July. This activity helps in Child sensory integration where touch,

taste, hearing and vision will develop for, math and language concepts.

- Conducted paper craft activity on 25th of July. This activity will improve their Coordination, Fine Motor Skills and important Visual Processing Abilities.
- Conducted leaf print activity on 25th of July.
- Conducted Paper crumble activity on 8th of August.
- Conducted vegetable print activity on 23rd of August.
- Conducted paper craft on bird and scarf activity on 18th of September.
- Conducted Shapes collage activity on 19th of September.
- Conducted sorting and sticking grain activity on 9th of October.
- Conducted different taste activity on 26th of October.
- Conducted paper craft activity on 26th of October.
- Conducted decorating the lanterns activity on 2nd of November.
- Conducted cotton ball activity on 5th of November.

Activities yet to be conducted are Ice cream stick activity, collage with seeds, Christmas card and stars, Paper craft activity on bird, Seed germination activity, lemon juice activity, paper craft activity on Tulip and pencil shaving activity.

Various Celebrations:

- Green Day and Celebration of festival of Vanamahotsava on 5th July. Cultural programme was performed by the Tiny Tots.
- Celebration of Ramzan festival on 23rd of June. All children enjoyed the lovely greetings of Ramzan Festival.
- Orange day was on 9th of July.
- Independence Day celebration - Students participated in a variety of cultural programmes portraying the country's heritage.
- Teachers Day celebrated on 5th of September.
- Purple day celebrated on 7th of September.
- Grand Parents day was celebrated on 12th of September.

Mrs Emilia Sanctos former KG Teacher was the Chief Guest. Lucky games for the grandparents were held and distributed the prizes by the president Very Rev. Fr Denis Dsa the correspondent of our school. This celebration is appreciated and enjoyed by all the Grand Parents of our students.

- Celebration of Fruit Salad day conducted on 9th of October.
- Celebration of yellow day conducted on 2nd of November.
- Deepavali Celebration organized on 5th of November. Tiny tots enjoyed the celebration with various lights of colour.

Celebrations yet to celebrate are Red day celebration, Christmas Celebration, Blue Day Celebration, Educational trip to the people who help us every day, Sports day, Rainbow day, Educational trip to places of worship and Science Day.

Competitions conducted during the year:

- Singing competition
- Story telling competition
- Elocution Competition
- Drawing competition

Child Safety Measures:

- Principal Fr Mahesh D'Souza attended various departmental meetings periodically in this regard.
- Distributed guidelines to the parents about child safety measures.
- Organized school vehicle drivers and conductors meeting and given awareness on Child safety topic.
- Installed 76 Close circuit cameras in the school premises to have the surveillance of activities.
- Enlightened the parents in the meeting to safe guard their children.
- Teachers have attended the input session on POCSO law.
- Special instructions are given to the staff members about sexual harassments and corporal punishments.

- Child safety software is installed and the status of the child is made known to the parents through the E-communication.

Faculty Development Programmes:

- Ongoing formation' to all the teaching staff on NCERT text books and English Communication Phonetics on 11th and 12th of April by Professor R. Victor Mangalore.
- Training programme to teaching Staff on Computer software Linux Obuntu by the resource person Dr Renuka Prasad B & team from RV College Bangalore on 16th and 17th of April 2018.
- Five days training programme to the teachers on Functional English was held from 14th to 18th of May by the resource person Mr Arvin Rodrigues, Mangalore.
- Three days training programme was conducted to the teachers of our School on Educational Psychology by the resource person Mrs Shailaja Shastri and team, Bangalore from 21st to 23rd of May.
- Teachers of our School attended training on Protection of Child from Sexual Offence held at St Marys College Shirva on 6th of October 2018 organised by the Catholic Society of Udupi.
- Organized half day training to all the teachers of our School on English Communication by Very Rev. Fr Valerian Mendonca on 22nd of October 2018.

Participation of parents:

- Parents Meetings whole day session on 13th of March 2018. The resource person Professor Mathew C Ninan enlightened the gathering with the topic Upbringing of the children in the present scenario.
- An orientation programme for the Parents of LKG children on 2nd of June
- Parent Teacher interface programmes on 12th and 13th of July 2018.
- Open Days on 4th of April and 27th of October to evaluate the performances of the students after the term examinations along with parents, students and the teachers. It was a day to know the performance of the child to the parents and also to have an interface with parents and teachers. The open day sessions were well appreciated by the parents.
- Parent Teacher Association representatives meeting was held on 19th of November.
- The next open day sessions will be organized in the first week of April.

Annual Sports Meet of Kindergarten Section will be organized in the month of January.

A deep debt of gratitude:

An institute can function only with the willing hand and active co-operation of all its stake holders.

We are ever thankful to Most Rev. Dr Gerald Isaac Lobo the Bishop of Udupi and the Director of Catholic Education Society, Udupi

Rev Fr Lawrence D'Souza the Secretary of Catholic Education Society Udupi for his constant guidance and support.

We wish to express our gratitude to our dear Correspondent Very Rev. Fr. Denis Dsa for his support and all that he has been to the School.

We are thankful to Mr Wilson D'Souza, Vice President of Parish Pastoral Council for his ceaseless efforts in leading the school towards the development.

Our sincere thanks to the Heads and Staff of Don Bosco & St Mary's sister institutions, which is a powerful witness of love and unity.

We remain ever grateful to the School Managing committee members for their guidance, which is a strong pillar to the school.

Our staff members both teaching and non teaching deserve a word of appreciation and thanks for their efforts and whole hearted co-operation in molding the future generation.

We remain grateful to Fathers of Don Bosco Youth Center and Sisters of Nativity and Auxilium Convents for their selfless service for the betterment of the school.

May the providence of Almighty God who has guided us in the past continue to shower His blessings on us now and in the years to come. May Our Lady of Health the Patroness of our School bless us all.

DON BOSCO ENGLISH MEDIUM SCHOOL, SHIRVA
ANNUAL REPORT 2018-19

Respected Very Rev. Fr Denis Dsa, Correspondent of Don Bosco and St. Mary's Educational Institutions Shirva and the President of this function, Honorable Chief Guest Shree Udyavara Madhava Acharya, Rtd Economics Professor, Orator, Short Story Writer, Poet, Choreographer & Theater Director, Rev. Fr Ashwin Aranha, Asst Parish Priest of our Parish, Mr Wilson D'Souza, Vice President of Parish Pastoral Council, Shirva, Mrs Leena Machado, Secretary of Parish Pastoral council, Mr Melwyn Aranha, Coordinator of Commissions, Members of Management Committee, School Pupil Leader Avni Ferrao, Assistant School Pupil Leader Alden Correa, Parents of Students, Alumni Members, Benefactors, Well Wishers of our institution, ladies and gentlemen. It is with great joy that I extend a warm and cordial welcome to you and would like to present a glance of the life and activities of Don Bosco English Medium School.

Management:

Don Bosco English Medium School established in the year 1983 is under the Management of Catholic Education Society of Udupi. Most Rev. Dr Gerald Isaac Lobo, Bishop of Udupi Diocese is the President of the Management, Msgr Dr Baptist Menezes, Vicar General of the Diocese of Udupi is the Vice president of the management, Rev. Dr Lawrence Dsouza is the secretary of the Management, Very Rev. Fr Denis Dsa is the Joint Secretary and the Correspondent of the School, Mr Wilson Dsouza, Mr Melwyn Aranha, Mr Julian Rodrigues, Mr Melwyn Dsouza, Mrs Diana Saldanha & Mrs Irene Rodrigues are the members of School managing committee. It is a non profitable minority Christian charitable institution working for the total welfare of the people of India. The school was founded by Late Very Rev. Fr Aloysius Rosario and Very Rev. Fr Sylvester D'Souza who had extensive experience in the field of Education. Though they are no more, the ideals and principles they embodied are inherited by his successors. The management is composed of individuals with rich experience in the field of education.

A Word of Gratefulness and a Word of Welcome:

We are ever grateful to our former Correspondent Very Rev. Fr Stany Tauro who has served as a Correspondent of our School for eight years. It was his initiative and far sightedness to commence a CBSE affiliated School at Shirva. At present Very Rev Fr Stany Tauro is serving at Holy Rosary Church, Kundapur. He got transferred on 04-06-2018. We wish God's abundant Blessings and good health on his mission.

Our hearts are filled with warmth and happiness to extend a cordial Welcome to Very Rev. Fr Denis Dsa. His personality doesn't require an introduction. He is a multitalented, multifaceted, exuberant personality. Very Rev Fr Denis Dsa has served in various capacities at Mangalore and Udupi. He was the Director at prestigious institution for art, Sandesha Kala Kendra, Mangalore, Administrator at Father Muller's Hospital Mangalore, PRO of the Diocese of Udupi, Director for Health commission at Udupi, Parish Priest at St Anthonys Church Kuntalnagar. It is our good fortune to have Very Rev. Fr Denis Dsa as our Correspondent to lead our School to greater heights. He has received the baton to lead the School on 5th of June 2018. We offer our prayers and best wishes in his mission.

Genesis and Growth of the School

Don Bosco launched its historic career in 1983, when it started the Kindergarten classes with just 30 students on role. It is a composite school from Kindergarten section to class X. With over 900 students and around 50 teachers now, all together 80 teaching and non-teaching staff members. It is the one of the largest English Medium Schools in the Taluk, with the healthy teacher - student ratio of 1:40.

CBSE Affiliation:

The School by its existence has got 35 years of history. It has served for more than thousands of students in and around the society of Shirva. As a part of development and growth, from the year 2016, the farsighted Management had

taken a bold step to switch over the school into a CBSE syllabus School. This is a milestone in the life of Don Bosco English Medium School. The inspection for the CBSE Affiliation was held on 23rd of March 2018 and the School got affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Affiliation on 25th of May 2018 with the affiliation Number 830838. CBSE affiliation is a moment of dream come in to reality. This was a herculean task to the management to face all the challenges in this procedure but the ceaseless efforts brought laurels in achieving Central Syllabus Affiliation within the span of two years. We remain thankful to our Management team with all the present day challenges and hurdles for providing a beautiful opportunity for the growth of academicals spheres at our Campus. We request the generous heart people to extend their co-operation for this noble cause.

Condolences:

A person who departs from this earth never truly leaves, for they are still alive in our hearts and minds, through us, they live on. We are deeply saddened by the loss of two of our students they are Master Adithya who was studying at Class 6th, became dear to God on 28th of February and Master Akvin Christ Lobo who was studying at Class 6th, became dear to God on 26th of April. May God grant them eternal rest and we extend heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family members and the large student and staff community.

Students and Staff:

We have 24 sections with 901 students from Class LKG to 10.

The School work is decentralized with various responsibilities to the teachers for the effective administration of the School.

Mrs Irene Cardoza - Vice Principal of the School and the Head Teacher of the Secondary Section.

Mrs Irene Rodrigues - Head Teacher of Primary Section

Mrs Philomena Barboza- Head Teacher of Middle Class

Mrs Shyona D'Almeida - Head teacher of KG Section

There are 50 teaching staff and 30 non teaching staff members who work continuously for the wholesome growth of students, enhancement of the educational quality and also for the up gradation of the School. This year as the class sections got increased we have welcomed 12 new teaching staff members to the Primary section they are,

Mrs Laveena D'Souza	TGT
Mrs Priya Fernandes	TGT
Mrs Shalet Mathias	TGT
Mrs Joyce R. Menezes	TGT
Mrs Priya Dimple Martis	TGT
Ms. Pooja Udupa	PTI
Mrs Jeneview Gomes	School Nurse
Mrs Jenifer Sunitha D'Sa	NTT
Mrs Shurthi Prasad	NTT
Miss Nidhi Hegde	NTT
Mrs Shylet Mythri	NTT
Mrs Nirmala	Peon

We extend a warm welcome to these teaching and non teaching staff. It gives me immense pleasure to convey you all, that we have dedicated and committed staff to cater to the academic needs of our children.

We also thank those teachers who served at our institution and got retired and left the job for better prospects.

Mrs Emilia Sanctos

Mrs Divyashree Nayak

Mrs Soniya Safalya

Mrs Preethika Dsouza

Mrs Sherlin Matilda

We place on record of their services which they offered to our School.

Academic Performances:

- Education is imparted with various joyful activities.
- There are three internal tests and two term examinations to evaluate the performances of the Students.
- We have secured 100% result in the class 10th Final Examination. Harikrishna Bhat is the topper with 613/625 (98.08%)

Number of students appeared to the Examination – 70 Students

Above 85% (Distinction) – 40 Students

First Class – 30 Students.

- We have got 100% result in the class 7th and 10th Diocesan Catechism and Value Education Assessment.
- Rhiona Dsouza of the Class 7th is the topper in the Catechism Examination.
- Pranamya N Tantry of the Class 7th is the topper in the Value Education Examination.
- Iral Hancia Nazreth of the Class 10th is the topper in the Catechism Examination.
- Harikrishna N Bhat of the Class 10th is the topper in the Value Education Examination.

Spiritual and Moral Formation:

A special concern is shown to nurture spiritual and moral values in the students. This has helped the students to form their life in a disciplined way.

- Daily assemblies, School Prayer and Daily Class wise performing activities
- Every day Morning Prayer
- Mass for Catholic Students
- Catholic Students participate in the Sacrament of Reconciliation
- Catechism and Value Education Classes

There will be a day to celebrate for Value Education and Catechism and also one day retreat and Value Education sessions to be held in the month of February

Extra Curricular Activities:

Meaningful education is much more than mere academic excellence. The emotional faculties of students should be developed by a range of extra-curricular activities at school. With this end in view, the School has introduced Scouts, Guides, Cubs, Bulbuls, Bunnies etc and different clubs to cater to the various interest/ aptitude groups. Adequate emphasis is given to sports and games to build up the physical and mental endurance of students. Literary and cultural competitions are organized every year to unearth and encourage the latent talents of students. Special extracurricular activities are conducted for the class 5th to 9th on Saturday from 9.00 am to 10.30 am.

Following are the Extra Curricular Activities:

1. Key Board
2. Bharathanatyam
3. Craft
4. Stitching
5. Home Science
6. Karate
7. Drawing
8. Yoga

Competitions:

- Various Competitions are held throughout the year which helps students to know their talents. Following are the competitions.
  - Drawing Competition
  - Singing Competition
  - Elocution Competition
  - Essay Competition
  - Quiz Competition
  - Rangoli Competition
  - Sky Lamp Competition

A brief Report on Scouts, Guides, Cubs and Bul Buls:

- Club activity classes are held on every Saturday from 11:30 to 12:30. There are 47 Scouts, 63 Guides, 76 Cubs and 78 Bul Buls in our School
- 6 Scouts and 8 Guides are in RAJYA PURASKAR level and they are going to write the Rajya Puraskar exams in the month of March
- 10 Scouts and 8 Guides are in TRITIYA SOPAN level.
- 10 Scouts and 24 Guides are in DWITIYA SOPAN level.
- 15 Scouts and 9 Guides have completed their PRATHAM SOPAN level.

Programmes Conducted for the Scouts Guides' Cubs and Bul Buls:

1. 10 Scouts and 8 guides of class 8th and 9th had taken part in Karnataka Darshan from 18th to 21 of December 2017 organised by Bharath Scouts and Guides Udupi District.
2. On the occasion of World thinking day, and founder's day, one day trekking was conducted to Kunjar giri on 22nd February and conducted all faith prayer at Pajaka Kshetra.
3. On 21st of June was celebrated World Yoga Day under the guidance of Miss Sumithra.
4. On 1st of August was celebrated World Scouts Scarf Day.
5. Visited Adarsha Hospital Udupi on 15th of September to obtain Ambulance man badge.
6. Visited Government Community Health Center Shirva on 10th of October for the purpose of Public health man badge.
7. Scouts and Guides have participated in tritiya sopana testing camp which was held at District training center, Pragathi Nagar, manipal
8. 6 Scouts and 10 Guides participated in the District rally conducted by Bharath Scoutes and Guides Udupi on 16th November at trinity English Medium School Perampally.
9. Scouts and Guides are going to visit the Karnataka Darshana exposure programme on 15th to 19th of December.
10. We are happy to announce Scout Master Mr Umesh Kanchan has secured Wood Badge highest Scouting award.

School Cabinet:

- Cabinet Election: School Cabinet is the important segment in the functioning of the School. Election of 2018-19 went on in a Democratic manner on 07th of June. Students were given a model picture of a Democratic election.
- Avni Ferrao of Class 10th as SPL and Alden Correa of Class 9th as ASPL were elected and they are helping us in the smooth running of the school.
- The School Cabinet Installation programme was held on 11th June, 2018.

There are various clubs in the school which helps students to have an integrated growth:

Following clubs are effectively functioning in the School.

1. Eco Club
2. History Club
3. Health Club
4. Interact Club
5. YSM

All clubs of the school were inaugurated on 09th July.

Various events and celebrations at the School:

- A benefit show 'Eduru Kopa', a Tulu entertaining drama played at the School grounds in order to raise some funds for the infrastructure of the School on 10th December 2017.
- Celebrated Christmas on 22nd of December 2017, the Chief Guest was Rev. Fr Tyol Machado, Asst Priest of St Francis Xavier Church, Mudarngady, spoke on the significance of Christmas.
- A session was conducted on 7th of January 2018 to the students of class 10th on preparing for the examination and carrier guidance by Mr Ronald Pinto Ex vice Principal St Aloysius College Mangalore.
- Republic day was celebrated on 26th January; chief Guest was Rev. Fr Paul Rego, Parish Priest of Holy Cross Church Pamboor.
- Celebrated Patron's Day on 31st of January, the President of the programme was Former Correspondent Very Rev. Fr Stany Tauro.
- The Students of Class 10th were taken out for one day outing to Mangalore.
- A motivational session conducted on 19th of February to the students of class 10th by JCI club Shirva on how to prepare and face the Board Examination.

- World Science day and Sanjeevini Eco Club day was celebrated on 3rd of March 2018, Dr Dheeraj Fernandes, the Alumnus of our School was the Chief guest.
- The Students of 8th and 9th were taken to Adani Power Limited Nandikur as a part of Industrial Visit on 28th March 2018.
- A send off function organized to Mrs Emelia Sanctos an assistant teacher of KG Section. The former Correspondent Very Rev. Fr Stany Tauro, the members of the Managing Committee, heads of sister institutions of campus were present.
- On 4th of June, the Academic year 2018-19 was inaugurated by performing a prayer service.
- A prayer service organized on 5th of June to thank God Almighty for his innumerable blessings on us through securing the CBSE affiliation to our School, at the same time entire School blessed, new block of Mid-Day meal inaugurated and the farewell function to the Correspondent Very Rev. Fr Stany Tauro conducted. Bishop of Udupi Diocese, Most Rev. Dr Gerald Isaac Lobo was present for the programme. World Environment Day also celebrated on the same day.
- On 14th of June we welcomed the new correspondent Very Rev. Fr Denis Dsa and the Asst Parish Priest Rev. Fr Ashwin Aranha. On the same day School Cabinet Investiture was conducted and the School Annual Magazine 'Bosco Rays' was released.
- Ramzan festival was celebrated on 23rd of June and on the same day various clubs were inaugurated.
- Vanamahotsava programme was organized on 5th of July
- On 7th of July the AICS (The Association for ICSE and CBSE Schools) conducted Inter School competitions at Trinity Central School Perampally, 17 of our students participated in various cultural competitions.
- On 15th of August Independence Day celebrated. The Correspondent Very Rev. Fr Denis Dsa was the President, Mr Joshua Rodrigues, and the Alumnus of our School was the Chief Guest of the programme. Students performed cultural activities which created patriotic ambience. Large number of parents, parishioners and well wishers witnessed the programme.
- On 16th of August, celebrated Parisara Samrakshana Day and distribution of saplings with collaboration of District Administration Udupi, Lions Club Shirva and Udupi, Diocese of Udupi, St Mary's and Don Bosco Educational Institutions was held at School auditorium. Children taught the importance of Go Green atmosphere.
- On 20th of August, collected various objects and materials from large students' community for the need of flood affected people of Kerala and Madikeri.
- National Library Day was celebrated on 21st of August.
- 53 students appeared Keyboard Music practical examination conducted by Melody Music School, affiliated to Trinity College of London on 24th of August.
- Teachers' Day and Canonization of St Mother Theresa was celebrated on 5th of September.
- On 2nd of October organized Gandhi Jayanthi celebration.
- Three of our Students Rovina Monis, Rovita Monis and Heckson Fernandes attended three days "Life skills Training Programme" from 18th to 21st of October at St Josephs School Belman.
- Children's Day and Deepavali was celebrated on 14th November. An assembly organized to all students. The celebration was colorful and went on with the spirit of light. Few activities conducted to cherish the moments of Children's day. On this occasion conducted games and prizes given to the students during the assembly.
- Six of our Students had participated at 18th State level abacus competition held at Bangalore on 18th of November

Following are the list of students:

1.	Clarissa Castelino	Class 7th	I Place
2.	Ankitha Salian	Class 5th	I Place
3.	Denali Dsouza	Class 7th	II Place
4.	Sannidhi Shetty	Class 5th	II Place
5.	Joshua Castelino	Class 1st	II Place
6.	Glen Fernandes	Class 8th	III Place

Art and Drawing:

The Drawing and Craft class in the school enhances the psycho motor skills, concentration and creativity in students. The positive effects of this activity are already seen in students. Children with more enthusiasm participate in this class. Previous year 27 students have appeared for the Drawing grade exam organized by the Karnataka Education Board. This year 43 students have appeared for the same examination. We thank Mr Shivaraj, Art and Craft teacher of our School for conducting art activities in an effective way.

Smart Class:

Each class has a Smart Board with a projector with fast internet connection and Smart Class Instructor. There are 26 smart boards and the teachers are availing best use of this facility. The learning becomes joyful. We are grateful to Mrs Shwetha Shetty for the smooth functioning of Smart Classes at our School.

Counseling:

The counseling will provide a comprehensive development and lays a positive impact on students. It prepares the students to face challenges builds self confidence, fills in integrity and infuses humanness to live a happy life. Counseling facility at our School has paved the right path to students, enlightened the minds of parents & made the family bonds much better. We are indebted to Ms Renu Veronica Dsouza who is our own alumna, for the dedicated work at the counseling section.

Library:

A Library in the School is like brain and heart of the School. To the requirements of the students and staff a well equipped library with the latest magazine, journals and books on various subjects are available. We have for about 7500 books and 25 journals and magazines at our library. We are thankful to Mrs Vanitha Kulathakodi for the systematic arrangement of Library.

School Nurse:

The school also has a qualified experienced nurse to look into the health problems of sick students. School Nurse plays an important role in maintaining good and healthy atmosphere in the school. Healthy children are successful learners. The School Nurse is responsible for the physical, emotional, mental and social health of the students. We thank Mrs Geneview Gomes who is our own alumna is rendering her humble services at the medical room.

Laboratories:

To enhance in the students practical knowledge in the field of General Science, Mathematics, Computer we have laboratories with all the required instruments. At present we have Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Mathematics and Computer Lab. We are also thankful to ICT instructors Mrs Neetha Castelino and Ms Sumithra.

Mid-day Meal:

It was yet another request from the side of the parents to serve hot and fresh cooked food to students for the lunch. Considering this point as a need of the time the enthusiastic management has provided Hygienic mid-day meal with a clean kitchen and modern cooking equipments. All together 850 students and staff members have their food in the mid day meal. We serve food to students in a subsidized rate. We are thankful to the Cook - Mr Krishna Bhat, Supervisor – Mr Johnson Dsouza, Mr Loy Dsouza and all the co workers.

School Transport:

The school transportation facility is to provide safe and secure mode of transport. It was a great venture to the management to plan to organize and to execute. Transportation system is functioning smoothly with responsible drivers and conductors for every bus to cater to the needs and safety of the students.

School Magazine & School Website:

The creativity of a child is exhibited in the Annual School Magazine. Every year we publish our school magazine under the name called 'Bosco Rays'. The old

students spread across the globe can assess to the events and celebrations held in the school through the Website. School Web ID is www.donboscoschoolshirva.com.

School Band:

We have a School Band Group which performs as and when there are occasions.

Good Practices of the School:

Certain good practices are performed in the school, like conducting the assembly daily, cleanliness in and around the school, banning plastic, seeking blessings from elders, unity and brotherhood during religious festival of all religion, arrangements at the mid-day meal hall, seniors helping the juniors. Concern for the needy students.

Child Safety Measures:

- Principal Fr Mahesh D'Souza attended various departmental meetings periodically in this regard.
- Conducted a Seminar on 'Adolescent Problems and effects of Social media' for the students of class 6th to 10th in four sections. The resource persons for the programme were, Mr. Lesly Aroza, Director Family Commission, Diocese of Udupi., Mr Aman M Sequeira, Lecturer at Bhandarkars College, Kundapur., Mrs Prathibha Brags, Principal at Dhanvanthari Nursing College Udupi., Miss Sara D'Silva, Lecturer at Dhanvanthari Nursing Collge Udupi. The session was interesting and educative to the students.
- Distributed guidelines to the parents about child safety measures.
- Organized school vehicle drivers and conductors meeting and given awareness on Child safety topic.
- Installed 76 Close circuit cameras in the school premises to have the surveillance of activities.
- Enlightened the parents in the meeting to safe guard their children.
- Teachers have attended the input session on POCSO law.
- Special instructions are given to the staff members about sexual harassments and corporal punishments.
- Child safety software is installed and the status of the child is made known to the parents through the E-communication.

Sports and Games Activities:

A brief report of the sports activities for the year 2017-18. Sports do not build character, they reveal it. Sports teach us to understand the meaning of team work and it enables us to work with everybody. There are three physical education teachers at our school. Mr Vishwanath Acharya, Ms Rashmi H.K., Ms Pooja Udupa.

Students Participation in sports:

- 15 students of Secondary Section participated in Football Tournament held at Yenapoya School Mangalore organized by association of ICSE and CBSE School, Udupi and Dakshin kannada districts.
- 12 students of Secondary Section participated in Volleyball tournament held at Prakruthi National School, Sanoor organized by Association of ICSE and CBSE Schools, udupi and DK districts.
- 24 students of Secondary and Middle section will participate in athletics meet to be held at district stadium, Ajjarkad.

Various Activities:

Students play indoor and outdoor games enthusiastically. Indoor games include Chess, Carrom, Shuttle Badminton and Table Tennis. Outdoor games include Volleyball, Throw ball, Archery and Basketball.

Annual Sports Meet:

Annual Sports Day celebrated on 11th and 12th of October 2018 at St Mary's College ground with much pomp and grandeur. It gave ample scope for maximum participation and activity. Our athletes and sportsmen have done exceptionally well in the current academic year. It was presided over by the Correspondent Very Rev Fr Denis Dsa, and the Chief Guest Mr Mohan Alva, Chairman of Alva's Education Foundation Moodbidri. There was a commendable display of March past by the students. The School is proud of its young athletes.

Champions:

- Secondary section, senior boys, Anwith Shetty was the individual champion with 15 points from Ashok squad.
- Secondary section, senior girls, Cemona Nazareth was the individual champion with 15 points from Kaveri squad.
- Secondary section junior boys Haden Dsouza and Haston Dsouza were the champions with 15 points each.
- Secondary Section junior girls, Panchami Tantry and Rovita Vineesha Monis were the champions with 15 points each.
- Middle section, senior boys, Winston Preeth Fernandes of Bharath squad with 15 points was the individual champion.
- Middle Class section senior girls, Alisha Saloni Dsouza
- Middle Class section, junior boys, Evan Lawrence Noronha and Nikhil Alva were the individual champions
- Middle Class section junior section, Shareen Corda was the individual champion.
- Sports Meet of Primary Section was celebrated on 16th of November 2018 with magnificence and splendidness.
- Intramural games were conducted for Secondary and Middle class section on 19th November 2018. Volleyball, Shuttle Badminton, Throw ball and Football were conducted. Ashok squad among boys and Nethravathi squad among girls won the overall championship in the secondary section, Bharath squad among boys and Narmada squad among girls were the overall champions in the middle section

Participation of parents:

- Parent, Student and Teacher individual meet of Class 10th was conducted from 13th to 18th January 2018.
- Parents Meetings whole day session was organized on 13th of March 2018. The resource person Professor Mathew C Ninan enlightened the gathering with the topic Upbringing of the children in the present scenario.
- Parent Teacher interface programmes were conducted on 12th and 13th of July 2018.
- Open Days were conducted on 4th, 5th, 6th and 9th of April and 23rd 27th and 29th of October to evaluavate the performances of the students after the term examinations along with parents, students and the teachers. It was a day to know the performance of the child to the parents and also to have an interface with parents and teachers. The open day sessions were well appreciated by the parents.
- Parent Teacher Association representatives meeting was held on 19th of November.
- The next open day sessions will be organized in the first week of April.

Faculty Development Programmes:

- Ms Rashmi, Mrs Priya Noronha and Mr Yashwanth had undergone basic training in fire prevention and fire fighting from 11th to 13th of December 2017, under the guidance of Chief fire officer, Fire Station, Mangalore.
- Ms Renu Veronica Dsouza, a counselor of the School attended three days on going formation from 26th to 28th Febraury 2018, On Psychological interventions through trauma genic dynamic framework in child sexual cases conducted by Inchara of Child protection unit, Mangalore.
- On going formation' to all the teaching staff on NCERT text books and English Communication Phonetics on 11th and 12th of April by Professor R. Victor Mangalore.
- Training programme to teaching Staff on Computer software Linux Obuntu by the resource person Dr Renuka Prasad B & team from RV College Bangalore on 16th and 17th of April 2018.
- Mrs Josephine Rebello and Mrs Reshma Pinto attended advance training on Bul Bulls which was held at Pilikula Mangalore on 17th to 22nd April, conducted by the Department of Bharth Scouts and Guides.
- Five days training programme to the teachers on

Functional English was held from 14th to 18th of May by the resource person Mr Arvin Rodrigues, Mangalore.

- Three days training programme was conducted to the teachers of our School on Educational psychology by the resource person Mrs Shailaja Shastri and team, Bangalore from 21st to 23rd of May.
- Mrs Shalet Mathias, Mrs Lavina Dsouza, Mrs Reshma Dsouza, Mrs Ivin Dsouza and Mrs Priya Dimple Martis had attended two days capacity building programme on classroom management at St Marys CBSE School Kannarpady, udupi on 28th and 29th of June 2018, which was organized by the CBSE regional office, Chennai.
- Sr Letitia Pais and Mrs Juliet Sequeira have attended one day capacity building programme at St Marys CBSE School Kannarpady, udupi 14th of July 2018, the resource person was Dr Abdul Jaleel, organized by the CBSE regional office, Chennai.
- Principal Fr Mahesh D'Souza attended two days CBSE training held at regional office Chennai on 30th and 31st of August, 2018.
- Mrs Philomena Barboza, Mrs Maria Anitha Dsouza and Mrs Priya Reshma Noronha attended two days capacity building programme on 14th and 15th of September 2018 at St Agnes School Bendur, Mangalore, which was organized by the CBSE regional office, Chennai.
- 18 teachers of our School attended training on Protection of Child from Sexual Offence held at St Marys College Shirva on 6th of October 2018 organised by the Catholic Society of Udupi.
- Mrs Juliet Noronha and Mrs Geneview Gomes attended a training programme on Health and Physical Education at St Marys CBSE School Kannarpady, udupi on 13th of October 2018, which was organized by the CBSE regional office, Chennai.
- Organized half day training to all the teachers of our School on English Communication by Very Rev. Fr Valerian Mendonca on 22nd of October 2018.

A deep debt of gratitude:

An institute can function only with the willing hand and active co-operation of all its stake holders.

We are ever thankful to Most Rev. Dr Gerald Isaac Lobo the Bishop of Udupi and the Director of Catholic Education Society, Udupi

Rev Fr Lawrence D'Souza the Secretary of Catholic Education Society Udupi for his constant guidance and support.

We wish to express our gratitude to our dear Correspondent Very Rev. Fr. Denis Dsa for his support and all that he has been to the School.

We are thankful to Mr Wilson D'Souza, Vice President of Parish Pastoral Council for his ceaseless efforts in leading the school towards the development.

Our sincere thanks to the Heads and Staff of Don Bosco & St Mary's sister institutions, which is a powerful witness of love and unity.

We remain ever grateful to the School Managing committee members for their guidance, which is a strong pillar to the school.

Our staff members both teaching and non teaching deserve a word of appreciation and thanks for their efforts and whole hearted co-operation in molding the future generation.

We remain grateful to Fathers of Don Bosco Youth Center and Sisters of Nativity and Auxilium Convents for their selfless service for the betterment of the school.

We are grateful to all our Co-curricular activity teachers.

Key board	–	Mrs Vidya Dsa
Bharathanatyam	–	Mrs Pavana Bhat
Karate	–	Mr Suresh
Stitching	–	Mrs Sunitha Menezes
Drawing & Craft	–	Mr Shivaraj
Brass Band	–	Mr Immanuel Karkada

May the providence of Almighty God who has guided us in the past continue to shower His blessings on us now and in the years to come. May Our Lady of Health the Patroness of our school bless us all.

KARATE CLASS

Karate is a sport, originally from Japan in which people fight using their arms and feet. Training in Karate will help the school students, be the best they can to use this body and mind to this fullest potential possible.

It not only defend himself but also tprepare the child to face the future with confidence. It teaches great discipline and consistency for work. Later they develop self-discipline. This improves their concentration. This teaches to overcome their weakness and develop self discipline. It complements, educating them as a team.



To fulfill their need to learn Karate, there are two Karate Instructors namely, Mr. Suresh Acharya and Mr Gopal Devadiga. They have been teaching Karate to our students for the last ten years.

The Karate classes are held on every Saturday 9.00am to 10.30am

Number of students in Primary Section (29 Boys + 2 Girls)

Number of students in High School Section (37 Boys + 1Girl)

Total number of students are (66 Boys +3 Girls)

Our Karate students were participated in various competitions such as Zonal level, District Level, State Level Karate Competitions.

Inter School/College State level open Karate championship held at Swami Vivekananda School Puttur

1. Ginnel Quadras: 2nd in Kata and Kumite
2. Brennet Nazareth: 1st in Kata
3. Gavin Noronha: 1st in Kata
4. Ivan D'souza: 1st in Kata
5. Macquin Lasrado: 1st in Kumite and 2nd in Kata
6. Roy Paul Kunder: 2nd in Kumite and 3rd in Kata
7. Prince Reberrio: 1st in Kata and 2nd in Kumite
8. Anish Martis: 2nd in Kata
9. Rishone: 1st in Kata and Kumite
10. Manvith: 2nd in Kata

- Held at Bharath Vidhya Bavan. Mangalore
- 5th District Karate Championship 2019 Organized by institute of Karate and Allied Arts.
- Ginnel Quadras has participated in individual Kumite event in Female Blue and Purple belts and won 1st place.
- Brennet Nazareth has participated in individual kumite event in male Brown Belts and won 1st place.
- Prince Reberio has participated in individual Kumite event in male Orange and Green belts and won the 2nd place.
- Manvith Naik has participated in Individual Kata event and won the 2nd place.

Today Karate is needed for every individual for self defence and to lead a disciplined and ethical life.

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ENDOWMENT PRIZE LIST

We gratefully acknowledge the generosity of the following donors for their kind generosity to donate permanent prize fund for the school

Sl	Particulars	Purpose
1.	Late Rev. Fr Aloysius Rosario Memorial Prize Fund	90% above of Class Ist to VII
2.	Late Master Royce Vinet D'Souza Memorial prize fund founded by Mr Richard & Emilia D'Souza	Top scorer in Catechism of Class VII
3.	Late Rev. Fr Henry Castelino Memorial Prize Fund	Top scorer in English of Class VII
4.	Late Mr Louis Felix Pereira Memorial Prize founded by Mrs. Cynthia Pereira	Top scorer in Maths & Science of class 7th
5.	Late Master Melwyn Pinto Memorial Prize Fund founded by Mrs & Mr Anthony Pinto	Top scorers of class 1st
6.	Mr Felix Lobo Memorial Prize fund founded by Mrs Sweeta Lobo	Top scorers of class II nd
7.	Mr Joseph & Mrs Cecilia Menezes Prize fund founded by their children	Top scorers of class IIIrd
8.	Mr Benedict Tauro Memorial Prize fund	Top scorer of Class VII
9.	Mr. Robert Lobo Memorial Prize Fund founded by Members of Secular Franciscan	Top scorer in Catechism of class VI
10.	Late Rev. Fr Lawrence Gomes Memorial Prize Fund	Top scorer in Catechism & Value Education of Class 1 to VII
11.	Mrs Pauline Ferrao	Top Scorer of UKG
12.	Mrs & Mr Mark Martis	Top Scorers of class I
13.	Mrs & Mr Ronald D'Souza	Top scorer in HIndi of class VII
14.	Mr Mathias D'Souza & Fly	Top scorer in Value Education of class III
15.	Mrs Irine Machado	Top scorers of class IV
16.	Mr Borgea & Mrs Gracy D'Souza	Top scorers of Class V
17.	Mrs Monica Dias Endowment Prize Fund	Top scorers of K.G. Section
18.	Endowment Prize fund by the students of 7th std 2000-01 Batch	Top scorer in Kannada of class VII
19.	Endowment Prize fund by the students of 7th std 2001-02 Batch	Top scorer in catechism of class IV
20.	Mr Robert Lobo Memorial Prize Fund founded by Cecilia Lobo	Best Athlete

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21.	Francis Robert Lobo Memorial Prize fund founded by Mrs. Cecilia Lobo & Children	Top scorer of class VIII
22.	Joseph & Cecilia Menezes Memorial Prize fund founded by Ms Leny Barboza Gurunja	Top scorer of class IX
23.	Benedict & Clara Furtado Memorial Prize fund founded by Mrs Maria Jacintha Furtado	Top scorer of Class X
24.	Old Students of 2013-14 Batch	Highest in Kannada of class VIII & IX
25.	Ms Priya D'Souza Bantakal	Highest in Kannada of class X
26.	Shirva Welfare Association Kuwait	Highest in English of class VIII & IX
27.	Old Students of 2005-06 Batch	Highest in English of class X
28.	Old students of 2015-16 Batch	Highest in Hindi of class VIII & IX
29.	Ms Priya D'Souza Bantakal	Highest in Hindi of class X
30.	Old students of 2011-12 Batch	Highest in Maths Science of class VIII
31.	Old students of 2007-08 Batch	Highest in Maths Science of class IX
32.	Old students of 2006-07 Batch	Highest in Maths Science of class IX
33.	Old students of 2010-11 Batch	Highest in Social Science of class VIII & IX
34.	Muralidhar Tantry Memorial prize fund founded by Mrs. Supirta Tantry	Highest in Social Science of class X
35.	Mr Alban Pereira Jantra	Highest in Catechism of class VIII
36.	Mr Ronald Menezes, Gurunja	Highest in Catechism of class IX
37.	Rev. Fr Lawrence Gomes Memorial	Highest in Catechism of class X
38.	Old students of 2012-13 Batch	Highest in Value Education of class VIII & IX
39.	John Celestine D'Souza Memorial founded by Mathias D'Souza, Bantakal	Highest in Value Education of class X
40.	Rosario & Celestine Machado Memorial prize fund founded by Mr Norbert E Machado	90% above of class VIII, IX & X
41.	Herald Menezes Memorial Prize fund founded by Mr Simon Menezes	Best Handwriting Prize
42.	Mrs Emilia Sanctos & Family, Shankarapura	Kindergarten Section

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K.G.SECTION ACTIVITIES

KG ORIENTATION

To acquaint the working, rules and regulation of the Kindergarten section an Orientation Programme for the parents was held on 2nd of June. The invocation hymn was held by the K.G teachers. Mrs.Shayona Almeida welcomed the parents. The Principal Rev.Fr briefed the parents about the rules and regulations, mid-day meal, milk and snack, bus facilities etc. During the question hour some queries were put forward by the parents to which the Principal gave a satisfactory response. Vote of thanks was proposed by Mrs.Shruthi Prasad. Refreshments was served. Parents were asked to meet the child's class teacher and also to have a glance of the Kindergarten section.

KINDERGARTEN ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR 2018-19

" Every child is gifted. They just unwrap their packages at different times "

A child entering the portals of the school is a blank sheet, time and activities enables each one to bring out that hidden potentiality. Each child is unique and to unearth that talent various activities are conducted by the vibrant, innovative teachers of the K.G section.

One such acivity was " Dough moulding " At first some were reluctant to mess their tiny hands , but later on they came out with unimaginable creative art. This dough moulding enables the child to develop their motorskills cognition which helps in the future. Next they had "Palm Impression", where they dipped their hands in the colours and imprinted them on the chart. The joy on their face to see their palm impression was something that cannot be described . "Trees are the poems that earth writes upon the sky". To appreciate the value of trees Vanamahotsava and Green Day was observed. Different objects and vegetables with green colour were kept and the tiny tots observed in what they saw green colour. Also small trees made of chart were given to each child to take to home as a gift on Green Day . Along with the Principal, Rev. Fr.Mahesh D Souza the students planted a sapling. In a short span of one and a half month the tiny tots enriched their knowledge and in the coming months many more activities are yet to bubble out. So keep on watching.

KG THUMB PRINT ACTIVITY

Finger painting stimulates a child's senses, touch, sight, smell, taste. It helps a child's intellectual development. It strengthens the hand and fingers which helps with fine motor skills. To develop and strengthen the skill our toddlers of Kindergarten were entrusted with paints on their teensy weensy finger to engulf the blank picture into life by the vibrant colours on their fingers. The joy shining in their eyes and face was a sight to see on the completion of a brightly coloured object. Each child carried back home a tale to be cherished for a lifetime.



KG ORANGE DAY



Orange is the colour of joy and creativity. It is a combination of red and yellow. The Orange colour lifts our spirits. The tiny tots at K.G section had an Orange Day where they expressed their views on orange colour and did various craft and activities to show the importance of orange. The orange ambience truly gave one the joy and sense of enthusiasm and warmth.

KINDERGARTEN PAPER CRUMPLE ACTIVITY



This crumpled paper art activity incorporates a sensory element for toddlers that allows for hands on creating. This art activity focuses more on the process instead of the end result. Papers are cut into small bits they have to crumple it in their hands and stick them to an outline picture drawn. This activity enables them to use their fingers in various skills like writing, drawing, playing a musical instrument etc. At first they rolled the bits of papers on their palms and made round ball, but later on they learnt to crumple it with their fingers. The glint of having achieved was seen on their faces to see the result of their art. This activity was conducted on 10th August 2018.

KINDERGARTEN SINGING COMPETITION



A bird does not sing because it has an answer. It sings because it has a song. Everyone has talents, its up to us to explore and nurture it to grow. Our little Boscoits too have many talents and one of them is singing. It is the platform at pre-school where it is recognised and the responsibility of the elders to guide and train them for the future in the right direction. The Kindergarten kids had a Singing Competition on 10th August 2018, the students participated and sang very melodiously. Judges were there to judge their singing. They will be the singing stars for the future grand occasion of the school.

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION – KINDERGARTEN



"History will judge us by the difference we make in the everyday lives of children"

Today's children tomorrow's nation's citizen to inculcate and follow this principle the spirit of patriotism is embedded at a tiny stage. On 15th August we celebrated our 72nd Independence Day throughout the country.

There was also a celebration of Independence on 20th August for the K.G. section. The program began with a prayer song very sweetly sung by the little ones students' sang patriotic songs and some dances. They also spoke about national symbols some enacted the leaders of freedom movement. The Principal Rev. Fr. Mahesh DSouza gave a very applicable message to the little ones' Athan Corda proposed the vote of thanks and the program was compered by Meora Gomes and Anika Acharya. To make it memorable the tiny tots were given Independence Day badges and sweets.

VEGETABLE PRINTING ACTIVITY



Creativity is as important now in education as literacy and we should treat it with the same status.

The toddlers were excited and anxious for a very interesting activity of vegetable printing. Picture of vegetables, flower vases were given to them. Then okra (lady finger) was dipped into colours and then imprinted within the object given to the students.

The enthusiasm and joy was seen on every face while doing the printing and then seeing the result. It was really awesome as they did it very beautifully and neatly. All these activities will arouse their creativity to do some unique piece of art in the future.

KINDERGARTEN TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION 2018

"Teachers can change lives with just the right mix of chalk and challenges."



The happiness of every student to honour their teachers is the greatest joy. The little ones were too waiting anxiously for this great moment. The programme began with a prayer song. As a mark of respect the Principal Rev Fr Mahesh D Souza Head Teacher Mrs. Shyona DAlmeida and the teachers offered flowers to the portrait of Dr. S Radhakrishnan. Students of each section felicitated the teachers with a wishing song. Arnold D'Souza of U.KG played the role of Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishna and spoke about his life. The Principal in his message spoke and explained about the importance of Teacher's Day. The programme was well compared by UKG teacher Ms. Nidhi Hegde.

KINDERGARTEN GRANDPARENTS DAY CELEBRATION 2018



The history of our grandparents is remembered not with rose petals but in the laughter. It is unto us that the lives of grandparents have gone. It is in us that their history becomes a future.

The 12th of September the school witnessed special guests coming towards the school building. Some indeed were struggling with great difficulties to walk. Some special celebration in the school. It was Grandparents Day of our tiny tots.

The joy that was gleaming in the eyes of both the grandparents and grand kids was indescribable. The Programme began by invoking God's blessing through a prayer song sung by the tiny tots. Genelia DAlmeida welcomed all gathered in the hall. The Principal Fr. Mahesh DSouza introduced the Chief Guest Mrs. Emilia Santos, retired teacher of the K.G. Section.

In her message she urged them to upgrade themselves to the present situation and the mentality of the child. Little ones follow their grandparents more than the parents. They are your footsteps for the future generation. The Correspondent Very. Rev. Fr. Denis D'Sa called all the little ones to the stage, sat with them and dedicated a beautiful song to the grandparents on behalf of the children. The audience were mesmerized by this touching gesture. His appeal to the grandparents was not to build walls but rather a bridge which is connected with great values like love, compassion, kindness. He expressed his appreciation towards the Principal, Teachers and the janitors for the exceptional care and guidance they render to the development and moulding of every child entrusted to them. The Chief Guest was honoured by the Correspondent, Principal and teachers. Meora Gomes of U.K.G conveyed her memorable, beautiful thoughts and moments with her grandparents. A short cultural programme of eight dances by the little ones was performed. To enhance the joy and happiness of the grandparents, Rev. Fr. Mahesh D Souza conducted some spot games. Ethan Corda expressed his words of gratitude. Adriel Soans and Alriya Saldanha compered the programme very beautifully.

KG PURPLE DAY



Colours bring life and happiness to anything. From a young age an individual learns about different colours and has a favourite colour. Every colour has significance, to it. The little ones learnt about a new colour purple which signifies royalty, nobility, luxury,etc. To have the correct knowledge Purple Day was held. Each section sang a song on purple day. While some tiny tots explained the things having purple colour. The Principal gave his message and many examples of purple colour. Mrs.Leena Lobo compered the programme.

DEEPAVALI CELEBRATION IN KG



"Beautiful light is born of darkness so the faith that springs from conflict is often the strongest and the best."

There was joy and excitement from morning as the KG tiny tots were ready to celebrate the festival of lights- Deepavali.

The celebration started with a prayer song. The Principal and teachers lighted the lamps. The students of Upper KG enlightened the students about the various rituals and the importance of the festival.Each section sang melodiously songs on Deepavali. The Principal Rev Fr Mahesh D Souza and Mrs Irene Rodrigues gave the message and importance of the festival. Teachers involved the students in decorating the lanterns. Mrs.Shruthi Prasad compered the program. Sweets were distributed to the students.

FRUITS SALAD DAY

Fruits are healthy food and everyone relishes it. On the last day of the first semester Fruit Salad Day was organized. Students with joyful smiles entering their classroom holding their favourite fruit. They were anxiously waiting to handover their fruit to the teacher. They brought variety of fruits like bananas grapes, apples, oranges and even watermelon. The teacher first instructed the little ones to wash their hands. Then in turns they brought their fruits and dropped them in the water bowl. The teacher demonstrated how to wash the fruits and why it is necessary. After washing she wiped the moisture with a towel. And the teacher told about the different colours, texture and tastes of different fruits. She showed them how to peel a banana an orange and how to cut the fruits. After chopping all the fruits she kept them separately and

asked the students to put one spoon of each fruit in a mixing bowl. Later the teacher mixed all the fruits and served the students and all the teachers in a cup. The students relished the yummy fruit salad and some asked for a second serving. The Principal visited during the preparation session and encouraged the tiny tots. Mrs. Irine Rodrigues encouraged and appreciated with her presence. In the afternoon they had an activity of sorting the grains and sticking them. It was indeed a very happy and activity fun filled last day of the first semester. The kids learned a lot of new things.



ANNUAL DAY REPORT OF KINDERGARTEN



The Annual Day celebration of kindergarten section was held on Friday, 30th of November 2019. The programme commenced with a prayer song sung devotionally by the tiny tots of kindergarten. The president of the programme very Rev. Fr. Denis D'sa, the Chief Guest Mrs. SoujanyaShetty the councilor at A.V. Baliga Hospital and the members of the Managing Committee were escorted by the school Principal Rev. Fr. Mahesh D'souza to the dais. The guests and parents were warmly welcomed by Yukthi and AshlynD'souza the tiny tots of kindergarten. This was followed by the very informative, power point presentation of the Annual Report for the year 2018-19, by the Principal Rev. Fr. Mahesh D'souza focusing on the activities and achievements of the school. This was accepted by our audience with a thundering applause.

The Chief Guest of the day Mrs. SoujanyaShetty and the President of the programme Very Rev. Fr. Denis D'sa joyfully honored each child of every section. Addressing the audience the chief guest said, the children of present day are not watching age appropriate TV shows. She requested the parents to spend some quality time with their kids. She even emphasized on teaching good touch and bad touch to children. It was a beautiful evening where an ocean of talents showcased through oration, dance, drama and music which brightened the horizon to the full. The entire programme was compeered by Arnold D'souza and Meora Gomes holding the audience with their strong emceeing. The words of gratitude were expressed by Shima and SinchanaShettigar.

KG CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION



Jinga-la-la -oh what fun it is to sing and dance with Santa in the festive season of Christmas. The Christmas Celebration was held on 21st Dec in the beautiful starlit ambience.

The programme started with a prayer song. As a sign of Christmas Celebration the birth of Jesus, the image of baby Jesus was placed in the manger by the Principal Rev.Fr. Mahesh D Souza. Children of U.KG performed a skit on the birth of Jesus. Students of all the sections performed a Christmas dance. The centre of joy and entertainment was the big bulgy Santa Claus who spread happiness and joy to all the tiny tots with his jingling moves. The Principal gave his Christmas

message to the little ones, Athan Corda and Meora Gomes compered the programme. Cakes and Santa Claus caps were distributed to all the children who went back home with happy moments of the Christmas Celebration.

KG- RED DAY



Red is the colour of fire and blood, so it is associated with energy, strength, power, love, danger. It is a noticeable colour. The celebration started with a prayer song. Students from each division performed a song and presented articles in red colour. The Principal Rev.Fr.Mahesh D Souza gave an appropriate message. As a take home gift each child was presented with a red colour bow. Mrs Shylet Mythri compered the program.

KG SPORTS MEET 2018



"Little Kids need a little help , a little hope , and some who believes in them".

Everything, everybody was vibrant and full of energy to participate and witness the KG Sports Meet which was held on 12th Jan 2019. The School Band ushered the president of the day Very Rev. Fr. Denis D'Sa the Chief Guest Mr. Roshan Menezes, President of USWAS.

Mr. Wilson D'souza, Vice President Mrs Leena Machado Secretary of Parish Pastoral Council. Mr. Melwin Aranha Co-ordinator of 18 Commission and the members of the Managing Committee to the stage. The prayer song was sung by the students of U.K.G. The Vice-Principal Mrs. Irene Cardoza welcomed the gathering. The Correspondent and Chief Guest unfurled the Sports Flag. Mr.Roshan declared the Sports Meet open symbolically as balloons were released.

The Principal introduced the Chief Guest and along with the Correspondent and dignitaries on the stage felicitated him. Chief Guest message was stressed on the slogan 'Khelega India, Badega India'. He advised the Parents to have a control on the electronic device for their child, let them know nature. Let them exercise and have healthy food.

The Correspondent congratulated and appreciated the March Past. He said to the series of Sports Meet we had K.G Sports Day is the crown of all the Meets. He wished the children to enjoy the day and one day fly high in the society. Every section was given a trophy for the March Past.

Miss Nidhi Hegde proposed the Vote of Thanks and Miss Jane Mendonca compered the programme. Later the students competed in various events. Certificates and medals were given to the winners by the Parents of K.G section.

KG BLUE DAY ACTIVITY



Blue the colour of the sea and the sky which symbolizes Trust, loyalty, wisdom, truth etc. Blue day was celebrated on 21.1.2019. The celebration began with a prayer song. Each section presented a song on blue colour and displayed various things in blue colour.

The Principal's message was on blue day and he made the tiny tots aware of saving water. He made them repeat the slogan "Save Water Don't waste water". As a token of remembrance they got a save water droplets. Mrs Shruthi Prasad compered the programme.

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MAJOR ACTIVITIES

RE-OPENING DAY



After a long relaxing holidays the school building echoed with the hustle and bustle, and angelic smiles of the children to herald the new academic year.

Morning assembly was conducted with a prayer service invoking God's blessing for the new year. All the students of classs I and newly admitted students were introduced and offered a rose. Even the new appointed teachers were introduced with a rose. Mrs.Anitha D Souza in-charge for Mid-day meal and Mrs.Cecilia Lewis, Editor of Sovenier and Reporter for the school Website were recognised with a rose. There were dark clouds which had overshadowed the school on 26th of April when one of our most loved student Akvin Christ Lobo left us all in grief as he began his heavenly journey to his eternal home. The Principal paid his homage by telling how he was loved by all. Flowers were kept on his potrait and candles lit.

BLESSINGS OF DON BOSCO NEW BUILDING AND SEND OFF TO REV FR.STANY TAURO

"Joy and sorrow are the two sides of life"

5th of June was a joyous day as the new building and hall was blessed by our Lordship Most Rev. Dr. Gerald Isaac Lobo and for the affiliation of CBSE school. The Bishop led the Prayer Service the word of God was read by the Correspondent, prayer of the faithful by the students and hymns sung by the school singing group.



A formal send off for the Correspondent Very Rev.Fr.Stany was organised. He was honoured with a shawl, head gear, garland, fruit bowl and the Scroll of Honour which was read by Mrs.Cecilia Lewis. Rikita Saldanha of Class 10th spoke about the Correspondent.

Mr.Michael D Souza, Contractor of the building was honoured on this occasion. The continuous support and guidance by the Bishop is noteworthy. To express our gratitude, the dignitaries on the dais honoured the Bishop. The Principal Rev.Fr.Mahesh D Souza too was honoured for his hard work, dedication and the cent percent SSLC result. The Bishop and the Correspondent in their message expressed appreciation and praised the Principal and Staff for their good work for the children of Shirva and the surrounding places. They invoked Almighty's and Our Lady of Health's blessings and protection. We pray the school reach greater heights. As the day also being the World Environment Day, Ayesha Sahana of class 10 spoke on the significance of the day. As a token of remembrance a sapling was offered to all the guests.

Words of gratitude was expressed by Mrs.Irine Cardoza. Mrs.Cecilia Lewis compered the programme.

CABINET INSTALLATION AND WELCOME TO NEW CORRESPONDENT

The air was full of mirth and joy on the morning of 14th June 2018. It was a day when the new cabinet for the academic year 2018-2019 was to be installed and a formal warm welcome to the new Correspondent and the Assistant Parish Priest. In a systematic in the line of democracy the school elections were held on 11th June 18. The programme began with a welcome dance by the students of Bharatnatyam, welcome song followed by a symbolic prayer service. Mrs Irine Rodrigues welcomed the gathering. The Principal Rev.Fr.Mahesh D'souza introduced the Correspondent Very.Rev.Fr.Denis D'sa and the Assistant Parish Priest Rev.Fr.Ashwin Aranha. The Correspondent ministered the solemn oath taking for the leaders. The SPL and ASPL were honoured with a sash, badge and a bouquet. All the other ministers were honoured with a rose.



SPL – Avni Ferrao, ASPL – Alden Correa, Sports Minister – Priston Gomes, Cultural Minister – Vaibhav Poojary

The portfolio for the other ministers was allotted like cleanliness, discipline, water etc.

Avni Ferrao and Alden Correa expressed their views and thanked the students for their trust and support.

On the occasion the school Souvenier 'Bosco Ray' was launched and the Editorial team was recognised with a flower.

The Correspondent began his address with a song and made the student's sing too. He appreciated the warm welcome given to him and Fr.Ashwin. Everything was systematic and well organised. The prayer service was meaningful. He appreciated and recognised the hard work of Fr. Mahesh. He is the captain directing and guiding the institute. He has put his heart and soul for the success of the school. He congratulated the SPL and ASPL and said you are the link between Principal, teacher and the Managing Committee. Recognised and congratulated the in charge teacher for the systematic election. He narrated the story of the Golden Buddha and advised the students that they are all the golden Buddha and allow your teachers to explore your hidden talents. Follow Devotion, Dedication, Discipline, Punctuality and Cleanliness.

"Don't just hear but listen
Don't just see but observe"

A sapling was given to the Correspondent and the Asst Parish Priest as a token of our love. Melissa D'Souza proposed the Vote of Thanks.

EID CELEBATION & CLUB INAUGURATION

O you who have believed, decreed upon you is fasting as it was decreed upon those before you that you may become righteous. After the fasting in the holy month of Ramadan the festival was celebrated on 16th June. The celebration of Ramadan along with the Club inauguration was held on 23rd June 2018.



Mohammed Sahil welcomed the Principal, teachers

and students. A very meaningful prayer service was held where the verses from the Quran was read with the explanation and prayer of the faithful, a song on Ramadan, a skit enacted as how Eid is celebrated, and the most spectacular performance was the duf played by the boys. Yushra spoke on the significance of Ramadan Eid.

The lamp was lit by the leaders and incharge teacher to symbolically inaugurate the various club activities like Guides, Scouts, Cubs, Bulbuls, YSM, Eco Interact, Health and History. The Principal highly appreciated the performance of the Muslim students to convey the message of Ramadan. He wished them and their families the Greetings, of Eid. He also had a word of appreciation for the incharge teachers. Khatija compered the programme.

VANAMAHOTSAVA CELEBRATIONS

"Lets take our hearts for a walk in the forests and listen to the magic whispers of old trees"



Vanamahotsava the festival of trees or 'Forest Day' was celebrated on the 5th of July 2018 in the school. The daily assembly was conducted before the celebration.

Chandan welcomed everyone, for the celebration. A poem on tree was recited by Vivian Castelino. We hear various melodious sounds of birds and animals in nature but those same sounds were produced by talented students. Heckson Macquin and Adlin Saldanha spoke on the 'Importance of Vanamahotsava'. A moral based skit of A Boy and The Apple Tree was enacted by the students. The teachers were presented with a sapling each. The Vice – Principal in her message emphasised the importance of plants and the awareness to have plants in the environmnt. She told the students to plant a sapling on their birthday in your garden. She appreciated all the in – charge teachers and the students. Faheeza proposed the vote of thanks and Anisha Alva compered the programme.

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

"Yoga is the journey of the self, to the self, through the self"



International Yoga Day was celebrated by scouts, guides cubs, bulbuls on 21st June. Yoga teacher Ms.Sumithra and the Scout Masters and Guide captains organized this program.Rikitha Saldanha welcomed the gathering and spoke on the importance of Yoga. Mrs. Cynthia Periera proposed the Vote of thanks.

A group of Scouts and Guides, under the leadership of Mr.Umesh Kanchan visited Adarsh Hospital for the Ambulance man Badge work. They consulted Dr.Gautham and collected lots of information about the related matter.

Scouts and Guides along with Scout Master had visited the Primary Health Center Shirva to get the "Public Health Man Badge " in preparation of Rajyapuraskara. 11 Guides and 8 scouts attended this event.

PARENT-TEACHER INTERFACE JULY 2018

'We all do better when we work together and invest in our future'

Our investment is the students of today and citizen of the nation and the world at large tomorrow. Together we work and strive for the best. With these thoughts the Parent Teacher Interface was conducted in four session on the 12th and 13th of July 2018. The first session K.G section, second – class 1 to 4, Third- 5 to 7 and last- 8 to 10.

Principal message for the K.G parents to have good relationship. The CBSE syllabus is from class 1 to 9. Next year the first batch of class 10 will appear under the Central Board Exam. We have experienced senior teachers and it is child centred school. Teachers plan their lessons and activities one month ahead. We are providing extra facilities like Smart Board, Computer Classes, A.V Room, Library, Laboratories, Auditorium, Drawing Room, School Bus, Mid-day meals, for K.G twice milk and snacks.

See that your child comes in time to the school, clean uniform, boys hair cut properly, girls with long hair, 2 plaits, speak in English with your child. Send umbrellas or raincoat, check their bags, books, homework, diaries etc. Sometimes they carry some other students things, if so then return it back the next day. See they don't bring chocalates or any other play things. K.G section parents can meet the teachers on Saturday and other days after 4 p.m. Higher classes after school. On birthday don't give sweets in the class or in the bus. Don't allow children to get addicted to mobile. Id cards are given to the students. When your child is sick, don't send them to school. If any clarification or problem then come and meet personally. Don't talk negative comments about the school or teacher. Avoid children eating junk food. The school magazine 'Bosco Rays' is given read it, also check the school website to see the various activities uploaded. Pay in time school fees, bus fees and mid-day meals money. We expect your co-operation. Don't expect the school bus to come till your door. If any problem, you can consult the counsellor.

In the 1st semester 1st test that is from 25th july to 27th., 1st Term Exam in September, 2nd Test December, 3rd Test February

In second Semester the best mark from 2nd and 3rd test will be taken. After 1st Term and 2nd Term exam there will be an Open Day to show the papers and result. For test it will be 30 marks and Term exam 80+10 from the test ,5 for books and 5 for project. Give more attention to Content Enrichment Activity and they submit in time.



Students have to be present on Independence Day and Republic Day.

All the teachers of the respective section were introduced. Fr proudly said we achieved 100% result and got the affiliation too. The Scouts and guides students will participate in Rajya Puraskar and Rashtra Puraskar exams. The parents had positive appreciation, like best school, infrastructure is nice, mid -day meal is good, our children are happy to come to school. Ex-students have apreciated. The Correspondent highly appreciated the Principal. He compared Fr to a captain that is, due to the able guidance, dedication and determination he along with his team of dedicated teachers have achieved affiliation, 100% percent result and are giving quality education. He said there are three places and people that influences a child first Home and Parents, second school and teacher. Third society and friends. It is a triangle and in the center is the child. Parents, it is not that you have admitted your child to a school, so it is their responsibility, no it is your's too, it goes hand in hand. A child is with you most part of the day. Today we are becoming a slave of media. Children's models are film

star, sports person, etc, parents are not their role-models. A light enlightens gives knowledge. He appreciated the efforts and dedication of Very Rev.Fr. Stany Tauro. To form the Parent Teachers Association-2 parent representatives were chosen from each class- section A and B. Prayer hymn was sung by the teachers.

YSM Activity



"We cannot always build the future for our youth, but we can build our youth for the future"

To empower the youth's energy, the YSM students along with their Animator Mrs Juliet Sequeira utilized their precious time to create a go green environment by creating a YSM garden on 21st July 2018. Students brought plants like Tulsi, Arrowroot,Mint etc and planted them with their animator. All the students actively took part and expressed their happiness and love towards the plants. They brought tools necessary for planting plants. They then nourished the plants with manure and water. This activity enabled the students to love and respect nature.

HIMALAYAN WOOD BADGE PARCHMENT



Another feather to the cap. Scout Master of our school Mr Umesh Kanchan successfully completed his Himalayan Wood Badge Course conducted by National Headquarters of India at Kondajji Basappa Training Centre Davangere on 09.10.2017 to 15.10.2017

Wood Badge courses aim is to make Scouters better leaders by creating a bond and commitment to the scout movement. He was awarded the Parchment of H.WB and honoured by the District Commissioner of Scout wing on 20th July 2018 at Kadiyali. The Principal Rev. Fr Mahesh D Souza honoured him during the School Assembly on 22nd July 2018 and wished him success in his mission.

AWARENESS OF SOCIAL MEDIA, PROBLEMS OF ADOLESCENCE

"The conflict between the need to belong to a group and the need to be seen as an unique individual is the dominant struggle of adolescence"

The young generation is in a state of confusion under many conflicts they face at this juncture called as the adolescent stage. He or She is neither a child nor an adult. To enable them to cope with the conflicts an awareness programme was organized on the 1st of August. Four groups were made, Boys section two groups class 5 to 8 and another Class 9 and 10.

The resource persons were Mr. Leslie Aroza, Director of Family Commission Udupi Diocese and Counselor for students and youth. He dealt the boys group on adolescent problems. Mr.Amar M Sequeira Asst Professor of Bhandarkars College, Kundapur spoke on social Media and its effects on adolescence.

Mrs. Pratibha D Souza, Principal of Dhanvanthari Nursing College, Udupi and Mrs.Sara D'Silva Lecturer of Dhanvantari College addressed the girls on adolescence problems and how to overcome. There was a very good interaction between the students and the resource person. Many of the problems and doubts were asked by the students for which they got a satisfactory answer. This programme really helped the students.



INTERACT CLUB

"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others"



The basic ideals of the Rotary Club are to help. The Interact Club is made up of a group of kids who share the same, interest of helping others through community service, team work and leadership. It is giving someone a hand or helping someone when not asked. They develop personal integrity, respect for others.

On 28th Aug 2018 the Interact Club was inaugurated. The Chief Guest was Mr. Pundalika Marate, Chairman Mr. Melwyn D'souza, President Mr. Dayanand Shetty, Secretary Mr. Honnayya Shettigar and other members of Rotary Club were present.

Student President of the Club is Lawrence Quadras and the Secretary is Arwin Menezes. Neil Fernandes welcomed the gathering, Enora Gomes proposed the Vote of thanks, Ginnel Quadras compered the programme.

72ND INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

"The spirit, Independence let me share! Lord of the lion-heart and eagle-eye, thy steps I follow with my bosom bare, nor heed the storm that howls along the sky."



The sky looked bright after days of dark and cloudy weather, everywhere the atmosphere was filled with colours of courage, peace and life. The aura of the hall was breath taking. The tri-colour was hoisted by the proud alumna Mr.Joshua Rodrigues, Chief Officer in Merchant Navy. The national anthem was lead by the school choir joined by the audience. After the flag hoisting the Correspondent, Very Rev.Fr.Denis D'Sa, Chief Guest and the dignitaries were led by the School Band towards the hall.

The programme started with a prayer song sung melodiously by the school choir. The dignitaries and the audience were welcomed by Ethan Martin Almeida and Mrs Cynthia Periera. The Principal Rev.Fr.Mahesh D Souza introduced the Chief Guest Mr Joshua Rodrigues as an alumna of Don Bosco from L.KG and completed SSLC of the batch 2005. He was

honoured by the Correspondent and the dignitaries on the stage. In his message he congratulated the Principal, Staff and Management Committee for achieving affiliation for CBSE. He spoke on the importance of Independence Day. The need for today's Free India is love and devotion, alliance with fellow citizen. A true patriot works for change, shows respect to each other, speaks up for justice, law abiding citizen, don't try to change the world but change yourself. He concluded by quoting Mahatma Gandhi watch your thoughts they become words ……..watch your character it becomes your destiny.

The Correspondent congratulated the Principal and his team for the lovely celebration arranged. He told the students to take Mr Joshua as a role model and be inspired by him to join the forces. He paid tribute to the brave hearts who are guarding the borders at minus degree temperature. It is because of them we are breathing the air of freedom and sleeping peacefully. I salute the brave soldiers who have left their homes to keep us safe. The present day India is losing its tolerance, we have to respect every person, every religion, and every culture. He concluded his message by melodiously singing the well known poem of Rabindranath Tagore. Where the mind is without fear and the head is held high. Into that heaven of freedom my father let my country awake.

A colourful Cultural Programme followed. Various patriotic songs, dances and great freedom fighters were performed. Don Bosco Kannada medium participated through a patriotic dance during the cultural programme. The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Panchami Tantri. The programme was well compered by Huzaifa Zakir and Allan D Souza. Shawn Wren Saldanha added flavour by providing music on his keyboard.

PARISARA SAMRAKSHANNA DINA

"The environment is where we all meet, where all have a mutual interest, it is the one thing all of us share.



On the 16th of August 2018 Parisara Samrakshanna day and distribution of saplings with collaboration of District Administration Udupi, Lions Club District 317C, Diocese of Udupi, St.Mary's & Don Bosco Educational Institutions was held at Don Bosco English Medium CBSE Affiliated School Hall.

The Bishop of Udupi Diocese Rt. Rev. Dr. Gerald Issac Lobo, Lions Club Governor Tallur Shivaram Shetty, Correspondent Very Rev. Fr. Denis D'Sa and the other dignitaries of various ranks were accorded a cordial welcome by the Band Troupe of Don Bosco. The dignitaries were then escorted by the Band to the hall . To invoke Almighty's blessing a prayer song was sung by the students of Don Bosco English Medium School. The Correspondent Welcomed the dignitaries on and off the stage.

The Bishop along with the dignitaries planted a sapling; all the dignitaries put soil and watered it. The Bishop in his valuable message emphasised on 3 vital words. He said these words if put into action can help to conserve the environment.

The first – is preserve environment, it is everyone's duty. Second – Protect environment gave example of Thimakka and Medha Pathar. Third – Promote environment for the future generation.

Lion's Governor Tallur Shivaram Shetty emphasised to plant one sapling, even if you have a small space around your house. He gave the example of the recent deluge raging in Kerala as nature's wrath against the destruction of environment. Later saplings were distributed to the selected representatives about a hundred students from each institution. After the distribution Lions Prakash Chandra a forest officer took the oath followed by the dignitaries and student representatives.

Around 3000 saplings were brought to be distributed to the students. The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Shirva Lions Club President Mr. Julian Rodrigues. The programme was very well compered by Mrs. Rajani, a lecturer of St. Mary's P U College, Shirva. As a mark of respect to the nation the national anthem was led by the students of Don Bosco English Medium School.

ACT FOR KERALA



"Caring people help others, not because they expect a reward, but because it's natural to show kindness"

No religion, caste or creed is higher than the spirit of humanitarian. The great catastrophe witnessed recently to our very next adjoining state of Kerala aroused the urge in every heart to be of any help to ease their suffering by contributing their mite in whichever way it was possible. Time was short after the notice given to help the people of Kerala mentioning the items. On Monday, 20th August in the morning the school entrance was overflowing with the best quality items and more than those mentioned. Everyone stretched their hands to sort, pack and load the necessary items at Udupi District Office. By afternoon the Principal accompanied the vehicle containing the goods to Udupi. The Correspondent and the Principal thanked the students and their parents for their generosity. The natural calamity of Kerala inculcated in the little students to be generous, share and to Be Human qualities.

NATIONAL LIBRARIAN'S DAY



"Books are the windows through which the soul looks out"

August 12th is being celebrated as National Librarian's Day in India, in remembrance of national Professor of library science, Dr S.R. Ranganathan, who had spearheaded library development in India. Due to the torrential rains and holidays National Librarian Day was celebrated on 21st August during the morning school assembly. The programme started with the daily prayers. The Principal, Vice Principal, Librarian, Heads of the section and leaders lit the lamp and inaugurated the Programme. Jovisha Menezes welcomed the teachers and students. Aaron DSouza of class VI A spoke on the importance of a Library. The teachers and students who donated books to the library were honoured with a rose. Risha Nazareth was appreciated and honoured for maintaining discipline in the library. Mainuddin and Tanisha were honoured for taking and reading the highest number of library books. The Principal in his message appreciated the librarian Ms Vanitha for silently working and arranging the library systematically. It was a herculean task for her to sort and set the books for the new library. The school has around 6500 books and he thanked all those who donated books. Read books as they are the knowledge house.

Haily Cabral expressed words of gratitude and Carol Alva compered the progrrame.

TEACHERS' DAY 2018



A teachers' purpose is not to create students in his own image , but to develop students who can create their own image.

The arrival of September brings back memories of school days and teachers. Students and teachers each year wants to make it a memorable celebration. On 5th September, students were gathering around the teachers near the entrance to wish them 'A Happy Teachers Day'. The programme started with a hymn by the school choir, prayer service led by Diya Castelino and Anusha Quadras welcomed the gathering.

The personality to initiate the celebration of Teachers Day was Dr. S. Radhakrishnan. Eden D'souza spoke about Dr. Radhakrishnan and the significance of the day Principal Rev. Fr. Mahesh D'souza, Vice Principal, Heads of different sections, SPL and ASPL paid their homage to the portrait of Dr. S. Radhakrishnan and St. Mother Teresa by offering flowers. Students melodiously sang the felicitation song.

In his message for the day the Principal asked the students to point out some features and speciality of the school. He called all the teachers in the front and wished them. Principal asked the students to put into practise two things:

1) To ban plastic in the school and campus 2) daily to seek their parents blessings before leaving for school.

Three students demonstrated as to how they seek blessings in their religion. A demo on waste management was shown and explained by Mrs. Irine Cardoza and Mrs. Priya Dimple Martis. The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Mohammed Afeez, Vinyas beautifully compered the programme.

ANNUAL SPORTS MEET 2018

Sport is friendship
Sport is health
Sport is education
Sport is life
Sport brings the world together



The sky was clear and blue, though the fear was lurking for a downpour as was the weather forecast.

The campus looked joyful as everyone looked anxiously for the Annual Sports 2018-19. The arena was ready with the markings, colourful flags, the sports torch stand and everything else was get set ready go. Athletes stood according to their squads. The band troupe with their colourful plumed cap and formal attire were ready to escort the Chief Guest and the dignitaries to the dais. The school choir invoked God's blessings with a prayer song. The Principal Rev.Fr. Mahesh D'souza welcomed the gathering. The dignitaries were accorded a floral welcome. The Chief Guest of the day Dr Mohan Alva, Managing Director of Alva's Education Foundation Moodbidri. The Correspondent Very Rev. Fr Denis Alexander D'sa unfurled the Sports flag. The Chief Guest and the Correspondent took the Guard of Honour as the 8 squad with their athlete marched smartly synchronizing with the rhythm and beats of the Band Group. The Hallmark of discipline was displayed through an eye catching mass drill.

The athlete of State and District carried the flame to light the torch and Cimona lit the fire for the Olympic torch. The Chief Guest Dr. Mohan Alva declared the Sport Meet 2018-19 open and an artistic thermo coal artwork was released along with the balloons of the Tri Colour flag. The Principal introduced the Chief Guest and the dignitaries on the dais joined to felicitate Dr. Mohan Alva.

In his message Dr.Mohan Alva appreciated the discipline and well organized programme. He said that Don Bosco has carved a name in Udupi District as a great institution. The 4 main points he stressed on the importance of Sports was Health, Harmony, Right Attitude and Medals. Life is a competition, not pride. May God bless this institution to reach greater height.

Priston Gomes, the Sports Secretary along with the squad leaders took the sacred oath of the Sports Meet. The Chief Guest and dignitaries were introduced to the squad. The Correspondent appreciated the systematic and well disciplined programme. He told the students, don't quit, but complete the race, accept the decision gracefully, help each other, and don't make fun of those who lost. The most spectacular event of the Sports Meet is the Relay where the team work and right co-ordination of the runner is seen. May you be blest to build a wonderful society and a beautiful Harmonious India.

Mrs Cynthia Pereira expressed words of gratitude. Mrs Joyce Menezes compered the event wonderfully.

ANNUAL SPORTS MEET VALEDICTORY PROGRAMME 2018

"A hard beginning makes a good ending"



Every good thing has to end, after witnessing the joy, anguish, excitement, anxiety the Annual Sports Meet was coming to an end. On 12th October 2018 the valedictory programme event after the most awaited event of the Relay and to add moments of excitement and surprise was a Relay of the Pastoral Committee with the staff. The joy, happiness of the spectator to see the priests running the race was remarkable. The winning squads secured the highest points were announced. Boys squad was Ashoka and Bharath whereas Nethravathi and Narmada in the girls section. The total Champions for the year 2018-19 were eleven and they were honoured with trophies. Ceremoniously the flag was lowered by the Correspondent, the champions ran around the field holding the flag. Anwith Shetty handed over the flag to the Correspondent. The Physical Trainers put off the torch. The Correspondent in his message said that he was immensely delighted with the Sports Meet; he congratulated the Principal Rev. Fr Mahesh D'Souza, the PT teachers Mr. Vishwanath, Miss Rashmi and Miss Pooja Udupa. Fr also appreciated and thanked the staff, students and parents for their support and encouragement.

Mrs Irene Cardoza proposed the Vote of Thanks. Mrs Laveena D'Souza compered the programme.

GANDHI JAYANTHI CELEBRATION 2018

"The world is big enough to satisfy the needs of any person, but too small to satisfy human greediness."

On 2nd October Gandhi Jayanthi and Lal Bahadur Shastri's birthday was celebrated in the morning. The introduction and welcome was done by Sharlene Gia D Souza. The prayer service began with a prayer song, holy scriptures were read by Hershel Menezes Panchami and Faheem Khader. The Principal Rev. Fr Mahesh D Souza and the staff offered floral

tributes to the portraits of Mahatma Gandhi and Lal Bahadur Shastri. Jovita Rodrigues enlightened the students about the life and works of Mahatma Gandhi. Miss Sumithra sang a very meaningful bhajan. In his message the Principal emphasized on the values and weapons taught by Gandhi . He also urged the students to practice Swach Bharat Abhiyan by keeping our hearts, body, home, school, environment clean.



He also conducted a small quiz on Mahatma Gandhi and prizes were given to the students and teachers.

Anusha Quadras proposed the Vote of thanks and Sharlene Gia compered the programme.

DEEPAVALI CELEBRATION AND CHILDREN'S DAY

"Never let age extinguish the light of your inner child"



The early morning of 14th November was filled with mirth and laughter as the school was celebrating Deepawali and Children's Day. The stage was beautifully set with lamps and lanterns. The celebraton began with a prayer song, reading of the Holy Scriptures by Aditya, Nashua and Ginnel. Various prayer intentions were said by the students.

Mrs.Irine Cardoza welcomed the gathering. The Principal and the staff lit the diyas to mark the festival of lights. Miss Sumithra recited a Sanskrit Slokha, Pranamya Tantry enlightened the gathering about Deepawali and Abhishek on Children's Day. On the ocasion of Children;s Day, lucky games were conducted and prizes were given to the winners. Principal, Rev Fr Mahesh D Souza in his message wished the greetings of Deepawali and Children's day. He told the students to be always happy, smiling, vibrant, powerful, never be sad, dull or lazy.

In the cultural programme skit, mime, dance and a song by the teachers was presented. Later in the afternoon, competition of rangoli for girls and sky lamp for boys was conducted. Mrs. Irene Rodrigues expressed words of gratitude and Rishal Monis compered the programme.

BISHOP'S VISIT TO THE SCHOOL

"Great leaders don't tell you what to do… they show you how's it's done, they stay behind the flock".



The Bishop of Udupi Diocese Most Rev. Dr. Gerald Isaac Lobo visited the school and addressed the staff during his pastoral visit to Shirva Church on 12th November 2018. It was a memorable day, as it was also the 70th Birthday of our Bishop. The Principal Rev Fr Mahesh DSouza welcomed the gathering and also silence was observed for the departed soul of Mr Ananth

Kumar, Union Minister. The school report was read through a power point presentation. He also wished the Bishop an artistic sketch of the bishop by Mr Shivaraj was displayed on the board, a coloured portrait drawn by him was presented by the senior teachers. The Correspondent presented a sapling as a memento.

The Bishop's message was appropriate and an inspiring one. First he congratulated and appreciated the dedication and hard work of the staff under the right direction and leadership of the Principal. The first indicator of your success is the increase in the student's strength, then infrastructure and all other facilities. He gave a 9 point slogan as what makes a good teacher all starting with the letter 'E' and the challenges a teacher and an institution has to cope up in the present education scenario. Now we have to come together and plan a vision and mission for 50 years ahead. He quoted "failing to plan is planning to fail". He thanked and wished well to the Correspondent, Principal and staff. The Principal thanked the Bishop, Correspondent and staff.

ANNUAL DAY CELEBRATION–FLAG HOISTING PROGRAMME



There is something incredibly nostalgic and sigificant about the annual school day celebration in the life of every child. The environment and thr ambience spoke about the annual School Day celebration which was a four fun filled day commencing from 27th Nov till 30th. The first day 27th was the flag hoisting day. The arena was all decked up to welcome the Chief Guest Assistant Sub Police Inspector Harikrishna Acharya of Shirva Police Station. The Guest were escorted by the School Band.The Chief Guest unfurled the flag. In his message he said students get an opportunity to exhibit their talents and wished them all the best.

The Correspondent addressed the students telling that its a day to perform and achieve.You have a long way to go and you are getting quality education. He wished the Principal, staff and student good luck. Reenal Fernandes welcomed the gathering,

Faheem Khader introduced the guest,Vote of thanks by Eshika Poojary and the programme was compered by Rikita Saldanha and Vaibhav Poojary.

ANNUAL DAY–PRIMARY SECTION



Annual school day of Primary and High school was grandly celebrated on the 28th and 29th of November at the school campus.

On 28th the programme commenced with a prayer song sung by the High school choir .The Presidnt of the programme was the Correspondent Very Rev. Fr. Denis D'sa and the Chief Guest of the day was a High profile personality Dr. Vincent Alva,Principal of Milagres College, Kallianpur. Being an eduationist he had an apt message to the students as well as the audience. He emphasised that every child is a pearl. School is the temple of knowledge. No religion teaches intolerance or hatred, let religion be a source to imbibe good values and teach them being human which is the true religion. He congratulated them for selecting Don Bosco for the education of their children. He requested the parents to create' a talk with the child environment at home.

The Correspondent congratulated the Principal for steering the ship in the right direction and also the staff. He appreciated the parents for sending their children to Don Bosco Quality education is imparted along with all round development of the child. He urged the parents to talk to the child.

The Principal Rev.Fr. Mahesh D'souza presented the Annual School Report.The Chief Guest was felicilated with a shawl, head gear, fruits and a memento. Proficiency prizes to meritorious students and athletes were given certificates and trophies. Arnika M. Rai welcomed the gathering, Ayesha Sheik introduced the Guest. The Vote of thanks was proposed by Rolwyn Fernandes, Winston Fernandes and Preemal Noronha compered the programe.

ANNUAL DAY – SECONDARY SECTION

The Annual School Day for the High School took place on 29th November. Gods blessings were invoked by the Primary School Choir. The SPL Avni Ferrao welcomed the audience. The Correspondent was the President of the Day and an eminent. Multi-talented, personality depicting simplicity and humility was Udyawara Madhava Acharya, retired Professor, Orator, short story writer, Poet, Choreographer and Theater Director. His message was full of appreciation, praise and respect towards educational institutions by religious missionaries and paid his respect to Fr Tellis. He considered himself privileged to be honoured. Though he shuns from honour he accepted it at the behest of Rev.Fr Mahesh D Souza. He said that Teacher student relations bond should be strong. Today there is fight for religion, caste, creed, etc and education is that weapon which will fight and free these differences. Let education become value based and not money or media based. He was honoured by the Correspondent and dignitaries on the dias with a shawl, head gear, fruits, memento, sapling and a portrait of Mother Theresa.



The Correspondent in his Presidential message praised the Principal and staff. Its the first Annual School Day after CBSC affiliation. The expectation are high and we have to meet that expectation and keep the standard. One has to change oneself. Let challenges turn into opportunity. Working in unison is the essence of success. He appreciated the gentle personality and simplicity of the Chief Guest. Parents,Teachers teach human values love and deeds of love are very powerful. Parents spend time with your child. Lets change our students with love and they will be better citizens of India .

Harikrishna N. Bhat was honoured with a shawl, memento ,sapling for achieving first Rank at SSLC examination 2017-18 . Proficiency prizes and trophies for athletes and team games were given . The Principal presented the Annual Report . Neil Lobo introduced the Guest, ASPL Alden Correa expressed words of gratitude and the programme was beautifully compered by Huzaifa Zakir and Arwin Meneszes .

Both the evenings entertained the audience with their exuberant, colourful, vibrant dances and skits.

CAREER GUIDANCE – CLASS X

"One way to keep momentum going is to have constantly greater goals."

To enable to have a successful career, one must be able to get the proper guidance for one's career. An individual when they are on the threshold of their studies finds it difficult to choose their career. At this juncture the school provides with the proper information, regarding their future course of studies. The students of class 10 had a very valuable session on Career Guidance by a very well-known resource person Mr.Ronald Pinto, faculty in St.Aloysious College and Director

for association for individual development for teachers, parents and students. The important areas covered by him were



i) after class 10th what next ii)how to face examination iii) Etiquette

He emphasized that one has to discover its aptitude from class 8th. He gave information about the various streams and what career one can get by attaining those degrees.

How to study : a) Listening, b) Reading (doing every day's work) c) Writing and learning d) Analyzing (why,how,what, when, etc) e) Applying

Besides educational excellence one must also have social etiquette to be acceptable and respected in the society. Avni Ferrao and Rikita Saldanha from the students side and from parents Mr.Anil D'Souza and Mrs.Sunitha D Souza expressed their views regarding the session. Words of gratitude was expressed by Mrs.Irene Cardoza.

QUIZ COMPETETION



Liberty cannot be preserved without a general knowledge among the people.

Knowledge from the subject books and scoring academic ranks is not very important, but simultaneously an individual needs to have general knowledge regarding to other things, To inculcate this quality and to expand their horizon of basic things squad wise Quiz competition was organized from Class 5 to 10th on 11th December in the afternoon. Sr Lethisia welcomed and informed about the procedure, rules and scoring method. There were altogether 12 rounds covering areas of General Knowledge, identifying famous personalities, places, objects used in the kitchen, different leaves of trees, recognising the spices from smell in a packet and scientific aspects. The question not answered by the squads was passed on to the audience and the student giving the correct answer was given a pen. Sr.Lethisia, Mrs.Ivin D Souza and Mrs.Irine Cardoza conducted the Quiz Round. Mrs.Ivin D Souza proposed the Vote of Thanks.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

Christmas is love in action…Every time we love, every time we give its Christmas.



Christmas bells jingling, boughs of holly swaying. Joy and mirth in the air. There was joy and laughter in the school for the Christmas Celebration. The celebration began with the prayer service lead by Anisha Alva, reading from the bible Avin Mendonca and prayer of the faithful. Andrea Monis gave the message of Christmas. The

Principal Rev. Father Mahesh D'souza in his message told a story and emphasised on 1.God is incarnation of love 2. Share god's love 3.How should we celebrate

There was a short cultural programme with carol singing and a special event introducing three youngsters Jason, Lynal and Waylon with their band group. Certificate for guides and Scouts Dwithiya Sopana Examinations were given. Keneth Mendonca welcomed the gathering; Shareen Corda proposed the Vote of thanks and Melisa Castelino compered the programme.

KARNATAKA DARSHANA



It was a pleasant day and an excited morning on 18-12-2018 because we were all going to Karnataka Darshana. We started our journey from Udupi at 6.30 a.m We had some refreshments. The first visiting spot was Murdeshwar. This is a very beautiful place with large Shiva Temple and 18 Storied pyramid [gopura]. We had our lunch in Suvarnagadde Zater. we went to Sirsi. Then we visited Sree Marikamba Temple 'Sirsi'. There were attractive paintings. At 5.30 pm we reached Banavasi. There were many stone carved idols. The guide gave us some information about the temple. We took rest at night in Hubli. The next day we saw some temples. We began our journey to Badami. We saw caves, idols and also the temples, later we went to Pattadakallu. There we saw temples made of rocks and stones. Then we visited the famous temples of Aihole. There are 125 temples in Aihole. A guide gave us the information about the history of Aihole. He also said that how the name ' Aiholi' came to that place. In the afternoon we visited Banashankari Temple which was a very good place. Then we went to Kudala Sangama to take rest. The next day i.e, on 20-12 -2018 we visited Kudala sangama temple. After that we went to the Alamattidam. There were 2 gardens and these were very beautiful. Next we visited Golgumbaz at Bijapur. It was a very beautiful structure. There was a hall like structure known as 'Whispering Gallery' . Then we saw the musical fountain. At 7.30 the musical fountain started it was very wonderful to see. Finally we went to hosapete and we stayed there. The next day we started our journey to Humpi. Hampi is historic place, it was the capital of Vijayanagara Empire. There we saw stone chariot and Virupaksha Temple. These had very beautiful architecture. Then we began our journey to Chitradurga. In Chitradurga we saw stone fort. We went and saw Obavua's Kindi. It was very amazing to go inside the fort. Then we visited the last spot of Karnataka Darshana i.e, Muruga mutt. It was like a Museum. Then we had food, we started our journey back to Udupi. Totally, it was a very good experience and an unforgettable experience of my life.

PICNIC OF CLASS X



"We didn't realize we were making memories we just knew we were having fun."

A day in the life of a person when one is with nature away from the four walls, books, class hour bells and discipline. Oh ! the picnic days are memorable days. The students of class 10th had a day excursion at Manasa Amusement Water Park, Pilikula in Manglore on 11th Jan 2019. The journey started at 9.00 a.m from the school and reached at 10.30 a.m.

The joy and fun the students had by sliding on the water slides, swimming and dancing as the water was gushing from the top. They ate sang, danced and clicked cherishing moments of the day. It was a real enjoyable, merrymaking memorable day in their lives. After a joyful day they returned home safely at 6 pm carrying with them happy memories of their school days.

BLESSING FOR THE FOUNDATION LAYING OF THE ENTRANCE GATE



Your presence we miss, your memory we treasure, loving you always, Forgetting you never…

Sweet cherished memories of a loved one engraved on everyone's heart cannot fade away. To keep the memory alive the entrance gate to the temple of knowledge where innumerable young minds will enter came into reality when the foundation stone in loving memory of Master Akvin Christ Lobo was laid on 21st January 2019. Akvin's family are the generous donors for this project. The Principal Rev Fr Mahesh D'Souza welcomed all .The Correspondent Very Rev Fr Denis D'Sa prayed and blessed the foundation stone. He also thanked the family of Akvin and assured God's Blessings on them and for the cherubic soul of Akvin. Rev Fr Ashwin Aranha, Deacon Noel Mascarenhas, Vice President and Secretary of the Parish Pastoral Council, Coordinator of 18 Commission, members of the Managing Committee and well wishers were present. Akvin grandparent Ignatius and Janet, parent Kevin and Anitha, brother Anvin Lobo took part in the prayer service. Rev Fr Mahesh Dsouza thanked the family and all present for the Foundation Laying Prayer Service.

REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATION



Freedom in mind faith in word. Pride in our heart, memories in our souls, salutes the nation.

26th of January is a gala day for every Indian. It was celebrated with great pomp and show. The students assembled on the ground by 9:00 am. The Chief Guest, the Correspondent and the guests were ushered by the School Band. The school choir invoked God's blessing with a prayer song. Iona Mathias welcomed the gathering.

The Correspondent along with the Chief Guest hoisted the national flag. The campus was thrilled to the robotic aerobic display of the students which was marvellous. The Chief Guest of the day Lion V.G Shetty MJF the second Vice District Governor was felicitated by the Correspondent and the dignitaries on the dais. He was introduced by Mrs Joyce Menezes. Neil Lobo enlightened the gathering on the significance of the day. The Chief Guest in his message told the students that they are fortunate to get all the latest facilities in education as well as extra – curricular activities. There are lot of opportunities, but at the same time lot of tough competition. Never expect defeat or failure, set a definite goal and achieve it. The line of success is very narrow, but keep on trying, using your talents, enrich your heart with love, kindness and

compassion. In his Presidential message the Correspondent congratulated the students for the fantastic aerobic display which was full of life and zeal. He also congratulated the 25 guides' troop who are representing the school for the Republic Day Parade at Udupi. He said he has dream that one day some of the students will represent the Republic Day. On this occasion the Physical Trainer Mr. Vishwanath, Miss Rashmi and Miss Pooja Udupa were honoured with a memento.

The 70th Republic Day was a memorable one as a troop of 25 girls Guides represented the Udupi District Republic Day Parade at Ajjarkade Udupi along with Mr. Umesh. After the stage programme a short cultural programme by Don Bosco English Medium and Kannada Medium students were performed. Anav M. Rai expressed wards of gratitude and Anora Gomes compered the programme efficiently.

PATRON'S DAY



"There can be no virtue without obedience".

The Patron's Day was grandly celebrated on 31st January 2019 in the school auditorium. The Correspondent Very Rev. Fr. Denis D'sa, Chief Guest Mr. Jayakara Shetty Indrali, Vice President and Secretary of Parish Pastoral Council, Co-coordinator of 18 Commission and members of the Managing Committee were ushered to the stage with the rhythm of the school band. The school choir invoked God's blessing with a prayer song. Rishal Manila Mathias welcomed the gathering. Sherwin Corda read a passage from the Holy Bible and the students prayed the prayer of the faithful. Haily Cabral and Andrea Monis quoted famous quotes of St.Don Bosco. Anson Nazareth described the life of Don Bosco.

The Chief Guest was felicitated by the Correspondent and the Guest on the stage. In his message the Chief Guest stressed that a student life is the best period in a person's life. To achieve success we have to work hard. Learn to respect and obey the elders from childhood. He changed the climax of the story of the Cap seller and the monkey, that in the end the monkey did not throw the caps. Same way the present generation is far ahead in their thinking and innovative ideas. Make good use of all the opportunities given to you.

The Correspondent appreciated the prayer song, ushering of the guest and the students speeches. He asked few questions related to Don Bosco. He said that God and Don Bosco is like a GPS guiding and protecting you at every step. Pray to him. May he bless you and all of us.

The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Avin Mendonca and Joylin Mathias compered the programme. 2 short dances on Don Bosco's song were performed.

MARTYRS' DAY



The tyrant dies and his rule is over, the martyr dies and his rule begins.

The nation in reverence pays homage to the martyr on 30th

January every year. It was on this black lettered day in the annals of India, a noble soul-Mahatma Gandhi was assassinated. The students of Class 9 B conducted the morning assembly in memory of the martyrs. After the prayer service students enlighted the students about Gandhiji. The Principal paid floral tribute to the Father of the Nation. Quiz questions were asked related to Gandhiji and an action song was performed. The value of Gandhi's ideals was imbibed through this assembly.

DON BOSCO CBSC SCHOOL, SHIRVA – INAUGURATION

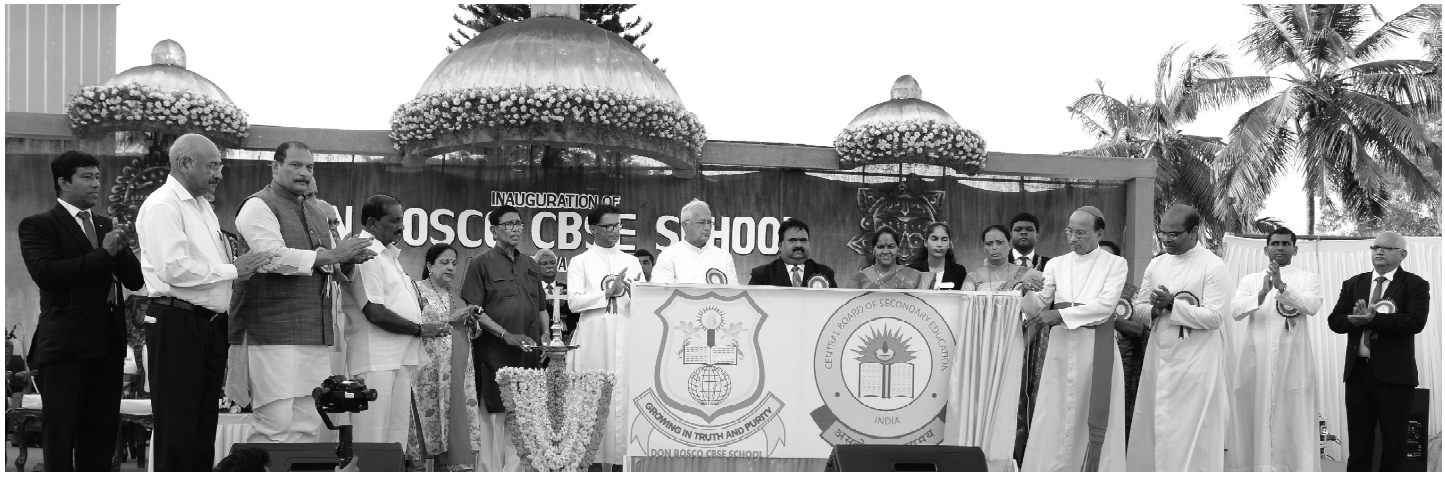
The affiliation Don Bosco English Medium School, Shirva with Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) Delhi and the inauguration of the newly built school building was held on Saturday February 23, at the School Campus. Mr. Oscar Fernandes, Member of Parliament, inaugurated the school building and unveiled the flag. Dr Gerald Isaac Lobo, bishop, diocese of Udupi blessed the new school building and also released the school logo during the formal function.

Fr Denis D'Sa, Correspondent, Don Bosco School in his introductory speech said, "It is indeed a red letter day in the history of Don Bosco School in which we all are part of. The seed sown by Fr Aloysius Rosario stands high like that of mustard. It was a Hercules task for us to get our school to be affiliated to CBSE. But with the ever progressive management, like-minded people, with the help of the bishop and under the leadership of Fr Stany B Tauro and Fr Mahesh, we are here to celebrate that great moment bearing the affiliation number 830838."

Oscar Fernandes, Member of Parliament addressing the gathering said, "Shirva is a place of development. Empowering the people is important. If money is given to a person, it can be taken away but if a person is given knowledge it cannot be taken away at any cost. Today the biggest challenge of our country is to provide education to the children. At Don Bosco School, there are smart techniques of learning and may this place lead in the path of development."

Fr Stany Tauro, former correspondent, Don Bosco School, Shirva expressing his views said, "Our Lady of Health has blessed us with knowledge along with good health. This school has the history of 150 years. Education is provided from KG to PG here. Bishop of Udupi diocese was the first person to dream of this school to be upgraded to CBSE. People of Shirva are rich by heart and due to this it was possible to get affiliation to this school. Principal Fr Mahesh has strived hard to get the affiliation along with the efforts of the School Management, Parish Pastoral Council and kind hearted donors of Shirva to fulfil this dream."

Speaking on the occasion Ivan D'souza, MLC and secretary of parliamentary affairs said, "This place has received the blessings of Our Lady of Health. The students who have studied in this institution are found in any part of the world. We give importance in giving good and higher education for our children. Christian community has given a huge contribution to the society in the field of education. We must adore these Christian missionaries for their selfless contribution. They



teach children with only aim to provide education and to build a better society. I wish all the best to the school, may it develop more and more in the coming days. ”

Lalaji Mendon, MLA Kaup in his message said, “Education will not be lost when we share it with others. This institution has given a value education to the students. The Christian community has rendered its service to all in spite of various caste and religion. We see a lot of students coming to our place for education purpose.”

Vinay Kumar Sorake, former MLA Kaup addressed the crowd and said, “Society must not be stagnant but it must be a flowing water which is possible through education. This institution has been a part to build a better society. The Christian missionaries have given their best to the society and have helped the society to be like flowing water. Though Shirva is known for NRIs, they have never forgotten their motherland. Today the old students are the treasures of this school. Let this institution be a university in future. I wish the best to the school. ”

Professor Mathew Ninan, Director, Little Rock Indian School Brahmavar said, “It is indeed a great moment for me to be here. I witnessed the traumatic experience of switching procedures from state to CBSE syllabus. Committee members have visited me many a times. Over 75 schools are under CBSE in coastal Karnataka. I have close attachment to Shirva when I started my career. Life with struggle makes it meaningful. If it is for a good cause then struggling is worth. The good quality of the politicians of coastal region is that they have stood by the educational institutions. I remember the speech of Piyush Goyel, the railway minister who helped to start Don Bosco School in North India. CBSE means teachers of high quality who can make the real difference in students' life.”

Bishop of Udupi diocese in his thanking note said, “I Appreciate the struggle and the hard work put in by the entire team for the affiliation. Catholic Church is the biggest education institution in the world. We are proud to serve our mother India with education. Being educated means being aware of one's legitimate rights and to recognize others rights. I thank each and every one for playing a vital role to make this institution grow. I thank all the government officials, and all who helped the process to switch over from state to CBSE. I congratulate the staff, students and management on this occasion.”

Dr Gerald Isaac Lobo, President, Catholic Education Society of Udupi, presided over the function. Oscar Fernandes, his wife Blossom Fernandes, Ivan D'Souza, Lalaji R Mendon, Vinay Kumar Sorake, Fr Antony Serrao, Secretary, Catholic Board of Education, Diocese of Mangaluru, Fr Stany Tauro, founder correspondent, Don Bosco CBSE School, Fr Denis D'Sa, Fr Mahesh D'Souza, Professor Mathew C Nainan, Wilson Rodrigues, member of Zilla Panchayat, Udupi, Geetha Wagle, member of Taluk Panchayat, Udupi, Varija Poojary, President, Shirva Panchayat, Fr Ashwini Aranha, Assistant Parish Priest, Shirva, Wilson D'Souza, Vice President, Parish Pastoral Council, Leena Machado, Secretary, Paris Pastoral Council, Melwyn Aranha, 18 – Commissions Co-ordinator, Parish Pastoral Council, Avni Ferrao and Alden Correa-SPL, ASPL, Don Bosco School and members of the school management committee were present on the occasion.

Donors of the entrance gate including presidents of SWAK and USWAS and those who had donated more than Rs 1 lakh towards the new school building were felicitated on this occasion. The present correspondent of Don Bosco CBSE School, Fr Denis D'Sa and Principal Fr Mahesh D'Souza were honoured for their service to the school. Professor Mathew Nainan, Fr Stany Tauro and Fr Mahesh D'Souza who had been guiding the school governing council in the task of securing the CBSE affiliation were felicitated.

Fr Mahesh D'Souza welcomed the gathering; Wilson D'Souza proposed the vote of thanks. Shayona D'Almeida, Ivine D'Souza and Sr Leticia compered the programme.

Following the stage function, musical entertainment was organized featuring Anuradha Bhat and Ajay Warrier, celebrated Indian playback singers with renowned professional music team from Bangalore led by Rajgopal and dance performance by teams from Bangalore.

AU-REVOIR CLASS 10 2018-19 BATCH

"You came and touched our hearts. Now you leave; it's hard to see. But we wish you happy days and a successful life ahead."



Every day has some importance, but the 9th of March 2019 was a much cherished and memorable day for the students of class 10th as they were given a formal Send-Off by the school. Each and every student was looking gorgeous and handsome. The program began with a prayer song by the students of class 9. Yushra welcomed the gathering. The reading from the Bible was read by Neil Lobo followed by the prayer of the faithful by the students. The Prayer service was led by Carol Alva.

Ginnel Quadras of class 9 shared her feelings about her senior school mates and wished them well. Students of class 9th sang a meaningful farewell song. Mohammed Mafaz and Ayesha Sahana of class 10th shared their beautiful memories of their Alma Mater. Sr Letisia in her message wished the students success and happiness. Certificates for Catechism and Value Education were given by the Correspondent. The top scorer in Value Education was Khatija, Avni Ferrao in Catechism. All the students were given memento by the Vice-President of the Parish Pastoral Council Mr. Wilson Dsouza. In his message the Correspondent said that today is a day of mixed feeling that of joy and sadness, but life has to go on moving. He narrated an incident in the life of Dr A.P.J Abdul Kalam where he is indebted to his mentor Fr. Patrao and shows his gratitude. He told the students to select good things in life, keep the name of the school high, and be grounded and humble, don't get head weight. Remember failures are not the end of the door, face challenges, blessed and wished them good luck. The batch of 2018-19 presented a token of gratitude and love to the Correspondent and Principal. The vote of thanks was proposed by Rishal Mathias and the programme was compered by Garron Menezes.

PRIZE DISTIRBUTION DAY

"Hard work and determination leads to reward and success. Every month a competition was held to explore the hidden talents of a child."



The competitions were like Elocution, Singing, Essay writing, Drawing, Sky Lamp making, Rangoli and Christmas Card. To appreciate and encourage a Prize Distribution Day was held on 9th March 19. The Correspondent Very Rev. Fr Denis D'Sa was the Chief Guest. He congratulated and appreciated the winners by giving away the prizes. Some prizes were given by the Principal Rev. Fr Mahesh D'Souza. It was a joy to see the glow of happiness on the faces of the students from lower KG to class 10.

SCOUTS GUIDES RESIDENTIAL CAMP



"The main question of life is not "what can I get?" but what can I give?"

As Robert Baden Powell rightly said "A week of camp life is worth six month of Theoretical teaching in the class room". To imbibe these values of sharing, caring and service. 2 days residential camp was organized for the Scouts, Guides, Bulbuls and cubs at Pragati Nagara on 24th and 25th March with Strength of 130 students. At the camp they had the flag ceremony, Nature study at Saalu Marada Thimmakka Park, Manipal, Camp Fire, all faith prayer, Blind game, preparing paper craft, collage, kite and greetings. These activities enabled them to help each other, work together and to understand certain hardships of life. During the camp Fire Mrs.Cecilia Lewis was the guest and in her message told what it is to be a Scout, Guides and wished them well. Mr. Vishwanath, Mr. Umesh, Mrs. Cynthia Periera, Mrs. Josephine Rebello, Mrs. Felcy Mascarenhas , Mrs. Anitha D Souza, Mrs. Ivin D'Souza and Mrs.Reshma Pinto, Ms. Rashmi K accompanied them and took care of them very lovingly.

AU REVOIR CECILIA TEACHER



"Good teachers are the reason why ordinary students dream to do extraordinary things"

In an emotionally surcharged atmosphere filled with mixed feeling on 26th April, students, staff along with the Principal, Correspondent, guests and alumni gathered to bid adieu to Mrs Cecilia Lewis, who rendered 30 long fruitful years of service in Don Bosco school. The programme started invoking God's blessings through a prayer song by the choir group of our school. Mrs. Irine Cardoza the Vice Principal welcomed the gathering. Eden D'souza of class VII and Carol Alva of class IX spoke about their memories and thanked Mrs. Cecilia for being a wonderful teacher, who taught with love and passion. Mrs. Lydia Mendonca expressed her sentiments and appreciated Cecilia teacher who instilled values like patience, tolerance, kindness and determination, which helped her to excel in her profession. Mrs Irine Rodrigues, head teacher of primary section expressed her experiences working with Cecilia teacher. The Correspondent Very Rev. Fr. Denis D'sa expressed his appreciation, thanked her and wished her a happy and peaceful Retired Life. The scroll of honour was read by Mrs.Philomina Barboza followed by the felicitation by the dignitaries on the Dias. As a token of love and remembrance a gold ring was presented to her. Students offered flowers as a token of gratitude.

In her farewell speech Cecilia teacher thanked the management for giving the opportunity to serve in this institution. She also thanked the Correspondent, Principal, teachers and students for their love and support. Vote of thanks was proposed by Mrs.Cynthia Periera and Mrs.Priya Fernandes compered the Programme.

At The Beach



On a Sunday morning I was at the beach with my parents. We found a place under a shady tree to sit and enjoy the cool breeze. I enjoyed playing in the water. I collected some shells. In the evening I saw a beautiful sight of the sunset. The beach is one of the best and relaxing places.

Gia Janice Castelino, L.K.G. 'A'

My School



My school is Don Bosco English Medium kindergarten school, Shirva. School is a temple of knowledge, because it is a place where children learn and study. In our school we not only learn different subjects but also participate in different extracurricular activities. Thus our school helps us to grow in mind and body. Our teachers are very wonderful. They teach us in a very understanding and creative manner. They guide us and encourage us throughout and bring the best out from us. Apart from learning I have made many new friends in school. We all enjoy studying and playing together. I am proud of my school and enjoy coming to the school every day.

Sia Elina D'souza, L.K.G. 'B'

My Pet Animal



I have a pet cat. Its name is Rinkie. It is white and grey in color. It has lovely green eyes. It is very soft and furry. It eats fish and drinks milk. It plays with me when I come back from school. I love my cat very much.

Raizel Maria D'souza, L.K.G. 'B'

My Family



I live in a joint family. I have 7 members in our family. The members of my family are my father, mother, grandmother, uncles, my little brother and I. We all live happily in the family. My father works hard to keep our family happy. We love each other in the family and share our things and feelings. I am proud of my family.

Shamith Acharya, U.K.G. 'A'

In the Park



A park is a place where one can spend time with family and friends. There is a big park near to my apartment with a big pond at the centre surrounded by trees and flowers. Every weekend my dad takes my little sister and me to the park to play. There are rides, swings, seesaw and many other games to play in the park. We love to make sand castle and play with other children by sharing our toys. Park is the best place to spend our free time.

Brianna Naomi D'souza, U.K.G. 'A'

My Friend



A friend in need is a friend in deed. Friends are important in everyone's life. I have many friends in school as well as outside. Shiyansun is my best friend. He always makes me feel special. Friend is one who always stays with us in good and difficult times. A true friend always helps guides and supports us at every stage. With friends we share our feelings and happiness. Friendship is noble, friendship is divine. A true friend is really a gift of God. I love my friend very much. He makes my life colourful.

Amogha V., U.K.G. 'B'

My Favourite Season



Rainy season is my favourite season. This season comes after the hot summer season. It begins in June and goes till September. During this season the sky becomes cloudy. It brings relief to human beings, animals, birds, plants and trees. The farmers will be very busy during this season. They work hard and grow food for the people. The rivers, ponds, wells will be filled with water. The whole environment becomes green and beautiful. In rainy season we see the beautiful rainbow in the sky. The weather is so pleasant in this season. That is why I love rainy season.

Saiesha S Bhandary, U.K.G. 'B'

My Friend



I have a best friend and his name is Radhwan. He is like my family member. We go to school together and also sit together in the school. He obeys and respects his teachers and parents. He is good at sports and has won many prizes on our school sports day. He is good in studies as well. He can draw beautiful pictures. I play with him and share everything with him. We study and eat together in the school. Sometimes we fight but we say sorry to each other. He is very cute and bold like me. I like him a lot and love to spend time with him.

Athan Corda, U.K.G. 'B'

NEWSPAPER



I am newspaper
Read by all
I give information
About day to day happenings.



I am rectangular in shape
My colour is varied
My language is different
I talk about everything.

I am used by children
To make boats
Teenagers use me
For latest bollywood news or Job vacancies

Aunties use me
To learn new recipes
Uncles use me
To read some crime news

I am used by seniors
To read political news
I am used in hotels
To pack the food

Students use me
To bind the books
Teachers use me
For information

I am a newspaper
Who gives sad and happy news?
I give information
About day to day happenings.

- Glarin Mefilda Lobo, VIIIB

THE POSITIVE OUTLOOK OF THE CBSE CURRICULAM

The choice of the Central Board of Secondary Education(CBSE) board makes a significant difference during the early developing of the child. In the Indian education system, CBSE board is the most recognized, popular board of education in India and it follows a concentric curriculum where the topics are progressive to what was taught in the previous academic year. CBSE is widely accepted at any university when a child seeks college-level education.

FACTORS ENRICHING FROM CBSE SYLLABUS

- When we take a detailed look, the CBSE board syllabus is in sync with most of the competitive exams like AIEEE, IIT-JEE etc, and is one of the major advantages of enrolling your child in CBSE board. After clearing the 12th exams, the education background makes it easy for your child to crack the competitive exams.
- CBSE syllabus of education keeps up with changing time with these active learning methods. they follow a specific teaching approach that focuses on learning through experimentation and experience.
- Compared to other boards CBSE is comparatively easy for students to grasp. Though easy, it doesn't mean that the syllabus is not competitive. Equally competitive to another syllabus, CBSE is easy to understand as they follow a concentric curriculum well-structured into subsections. Which means even if your child is changing to CBSE syllabus from any other board, he/she would be able to catch up things at a fast pace.
- As CBSE syllabus offers the holistic method of education and apart from academic excellence it focusses on independent learning, developing broad mindedness global exposure, intercultural understanding etc, Sports and wellness program also part of the curriculum to improve children's cognitive abilities.
- CBSE syllabus offers a rich learning experience to students which strengthens career growth by harmonizing academics with needs of higher education. The top CBSE syllabus schools in Bangalore has the right blend of academic and extra-curricular curriculum every year along with life skills programs and value-based education programs.
- CBSE prescribes the syllabus for Kendriya Vidyalayas, Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas, government schools in UT's and private schools across India. Therefore, due to its pan-India presence, CBSE is the predominant national board of education and its standards of education are considered to be the 'national standards' of primary and secondary education in India.
- CBSE syllabus is uniform across India. Students whose parents are required to constantly shift from one place to another for job purposes will find CBSE syllabus tailored to their needs on account of its uniformity.
- CBSE syllabus is considered as excellent preparation for JEE Mains, AIPMT and other Science-based competitive entrance examinations.
- CBSE syllabus is well balanced. It is not knowledge-heavy syllabus.
- Since 2010, CBSE has gradually began introducing application-based questions such as Value-based questions (VBQ) and Higher Order Thinking Skills (HOTS) questions. This is a great attempt to veer children away from rote learning and inculcate interest in the subject.
- CBSE Senior Secondary section curriculum (Class XI and XII) has included several unique subjects such as Legal Studies, Human Rights and Gender Studies, Mass Media Studies, Engineering Graphics, Graphic Design etc.



SOCIAL NETWORK
EFFECT ON OUR LIFE



-Jovita Maria Rodrigues, VI A

Social media (network) is one of the technological platforms of today's society and the world at large. It works faster than any other movements, only with a touch of a button. It is very common media in today's modern world, as through human intelligence and achievements it is one of the greatest gifts of humanity.

Social network basically means human communication or sharing information on internet through medium of computer, tablet or mobile. There are number of apps that make the work possible. It is the latest, largest, fastest and cheapest means and is gaining popularity day by day. Now humanity grows and lives with it.

Let us know some of the positive impacts of life:

1. In the family it helps to keep connected to family members far and near.
2. It is a good tool for education as it helps students to get any information, to learn the subject matter clearly and in deeper way. It also widens the knowledge and creates an interest to know and learn more and more.
3. It is helpful for the youth for online job application, online pay and buying, to send security warnings and more works are done on social network by the youth.
4. Marketing – many companies are part of social network online sites which helps in close connection between the customers and the companies.
5. Websites such as facebook makes communication faster and connects many from different parts of the world with their views. Almost 500 million users accounts, facebook is considered to be one of the most popular social media websites used all over the world, to share photos, post comments, view peoples personal information and make more friends. Never human beings were connected to each other as in todays world.
6. Entertainment the time is spent on watching posted videos, pictures, read stories and news and evenplay games.

As we agree with many positive impacts of social network, a short glance on negative side too.

1. It enables cheating in exams as we have heard and read news about it.

2. Dropping in grades and performance of students.

3. Lack of privacy – many children and youth are tempted to watch blue films (dirty films)

4. It cause poor mental growth in children.

5. More use, less sleep pattern grows in children.

Conclusion : One must carefully learn to weigh and handle it with care by making use of social network (media) for a right purpose, right time and with a right view.

IMPACT OF SOCIAL NETWORK IN OUR LIFE



- Chris Fernandes, VI A

Social network is imbibed in our lives so much that this generation cannot imagine their lives with facebook, twitter, Instagram etc. Social network changed our life and its impact cannot be ignored.

Communication has become a lot easier. We can now easily communicate and maintain a good relationship with others from any part of the world. Social network brought governance closer to people. Finding a job is never been this easier. One can build up her / his profile, apply for jobs and can attract the job opportunity. Social networking sites put pressure on its users to exhibit their lives as happier than the rest.

Students are getting edited to social and leaving their studies behind. Cyber bullying and threats from strangers have increased. Many now prefer social network virtual communication over real conversation. The youth are attracted to risky trends by selfies at dangerous places. These days fake news is going viral giving misinformation to public.

Social network act as a level playing field for businesses to market themselves. People now can easily market their products. Now people can easily express their opinions and can share easily. It can help the people in need. Many are now giving used items to less fortunate.

In the last few years social network has grown tremendously unexpectedly and has captured millions of users around the world.

Mistake

If a barber makes a mistake ,
It's a new hairstyle.
If a driver makes a mistake,
It's an accident.
If a doctor makes a mistake,
It's a new operation.
If an engineer makes a mistake,
It's a new venture.
If a parent makes a mistake,
It's a new law.
If a scientist makes a mistake,
It's a new invention.
If a tailor makes a mistake,
It's a new fashion.
If a student makes a mistake,
It's a MISTAKE



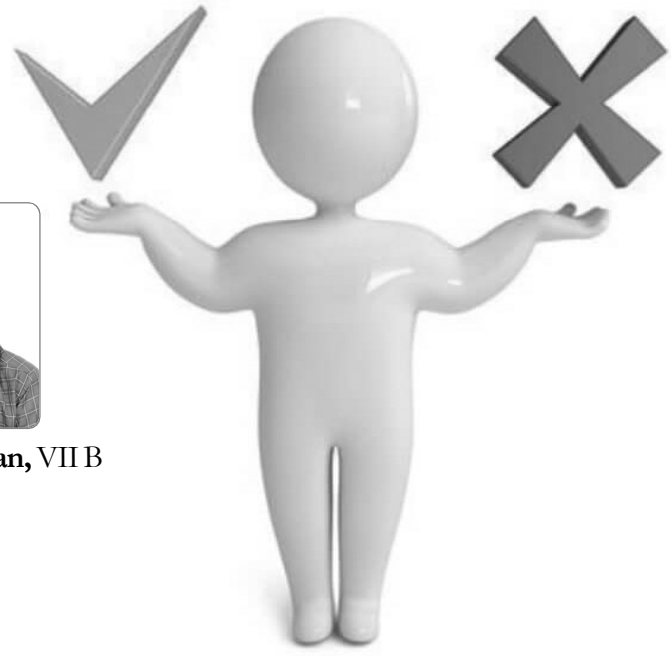


Janvi Shetty, VIIA

Friendship

Freindship is like a cake
Easy to break
Difficult to make
Don't love a friend
Like a flower
Because a flower dies
in season.
Have them like a river because
a river flows forever
Diwali is lightfule
Holi is colourful
Life is wonderful
Friendship is beautiful
Life is a drama
World is a stage
We are the actors
God is the director

THE TWO FACES OF SOCIAL NETWORK





- Abhishek Mohan, VII B

What is social network?

Social network is a medium through which the world is interconnected. In other terms social network means a platform where people around the world can communicate with each other. It's a place where one can express oneself, share his/her ideas and gain knowledge of the happenings. Some popular social networking sites are Twitter, Instagram, Facebook, Whatsapp, Skype etc. When we analyze the role played by social network we can see both the positive side and the negative sides i.e., the advantages and the disadvantages.

What are the advantages of social network?

The main advantage of social networking is that the people around the world can communicate with each other either in a voice call, video call or text messages. The social networking also plays a vital role in a student's academic and co-curricular activities as they can pursue any sort of knowledge through this. Social network also creates awareness among the people. It develops job opportunities and saves time as it helps to perform a task in a fraction of a second. It's a place where one can express his/her ideas freely and can express oneself. It makes us aware of our society and helps us to get news quicker than any medium. It can provide us with any sort of knowledge and we can discuss on the ongoing matters freely with everyone. Social network makes us feel that we are a part of the world. In simple words social network is a window of the world. Social network is widely used in the field of entertainment. Social network promotes products which have made promoting products a lot easier. Social network spreads news and gives us the detailed information about it.

What are the disadvantages of social network?

Excess use of social networking affects people in negative ways and one can get addicted to social network. Use of social network has made this world small and complex. So we just look at the world from the window and forget the outside world which awaits us. Social network can create an agenda which is most of the time irreverent. It creates an image of the world in our minds and makes us forget the hardship behind it. Social network gives us any sort of knowledge which includes forbidden knowledge, students misuse this kind of knowledge gained and nowadays cyber crime is rapidly increasing. Social networking makes us worms and decreases our thinking capacity. It cuts our creativity and makes us believe what we see rather than checking the news. Sometimes it spreads rumors and treats people unequally. It is addictive and students don't concentrate in the studies because of this. Youth nowadays are inculcating bad habits because of 'trends' that is followed in the sites. Teenagers are using these sites without their parents knowledge and they get caught in problems or be in trouble.

Social network has both positive sided face and negative sided face so it depends on how the user uses it.

Remember: "If a doctor can operate and save one's life with a knife, Then a murderer can kill someone with the same knife".

Use social network wisely and limitedly and be a good citizen of the country.

ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION





Shawn, V B

The land on which we live, the water we drink, the air that we breathe and the plants, animals and people around us make our environment. The population of the world has been increasing over the years. More people mean greater need for air, water and other resources. Over use of these limited resources result in pollution. Man has not only been using these limited resources but also misusing them to serve his selfish purpose. In order to grow richer man has been destroying nature by cutting trees. Vehicles and factories emit poisonous gas into the atmosphere and cause air pollution. We may fall sick if we breathe polluted air. Waste water from our homes, streets and factories are thrown into water bodies. The polluted water causes diseases and also harmful to animals and plants. The huge amount of garbage is thrown in open spaces causes land pollution. It becomes a home for mosquitoes and other disease causing germs. In order to keep the ecological balance more and more trees are to be planted people should be made aware of the danger of these various kinds of pollution. We should avoid waste and try to prevent pollution of air and water. So let us keep our surroundings clean and lead a happy and healthy life.

SISTER

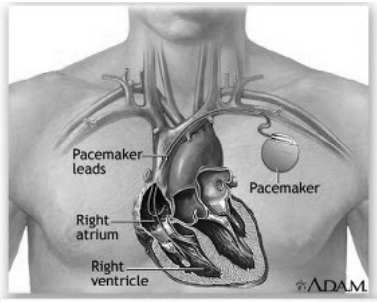
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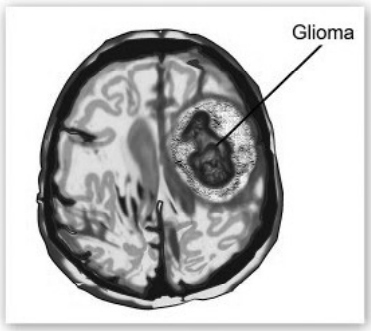
- Alona Rochelle Sequeira
VII A













EFFECTS OF CELL PHONE ON OUR HEALTH & BEHAVIOUR



-Haily Cabral, 9A

Do you know the addiction of the new generation? It is not drugs, It's a cell phone. The smart phones being the very new invention of humanity have become an inherent part of human life. The smart phone combines different sophisticated features. Cell phone is changing the way we live. In fact, some are questioning how we ever got along without them. This is the age of "anytime, anywhere communication". Today's multifunctional phones have become an indispensible life line to the rest of the world.

Think that you are in a public place, take a look around you and count how many people are using their cell phones. I can tell you that it is probably more than half, whether you are on a public transport, in a café or simply walking down the street. It actually amazes that how people can spend so much time on their phones without actually talking to anyone in particular. With the constant upgrade of technology we can now do practically anything on a device which can fit in the palm of our hands.

Generally, the mobile phone will certainly bring about a lot of advantages. First of all, the mobile phone is considered the quickest means of communication in our daily life, we can contact easily with our friends & relatives. Secondly, the mobile phone is also a means of entertainment for people. Finally, if we have a smart phone in our hand, our studying becomes more effective such as look up a dictionary, find out many source of reference on internet which is useful for studying.

On the other hand the mobile phone has many disadvantages. First, mobile phone user becomes addicted to their phone moreover, the ability of human communication is limited if the mobile phone is present in some event such as in bus, in the park. Some people only focus on their phone without communicating. The use of phone, not only influence on study results, makes students distracted, but also it is a disease for the eyes.

The study found that children with cell phone exposure displayed most of the behavioral problems. They are 80% more likely to have emotional problems, conduct problems, hyper activity etc. Some people have no idea how to make eye contact during a conversation due to always sending text messages or emails or making phone calls.

Using a lot of mobile can harm our brain, particularly teenagers & children who are under 16. If we use mobile phone too much, we will get bad effects like dizziness, blood brain barrier or ear problems. Numerous other studies have confirmed the hazards of cell phone use. Mobile phone creates many diseases like head-ache, sleep-disruption,

tiredness, high blood pressure etc. In addition, when we use mobile phones while driving, we will meet with an accident. Moreover radiations emitted from the phone are deadly harmful for the children.

Many complains that mobile phone makes us more concerned with the virtual world rather than the world under our feet and infront of our face.

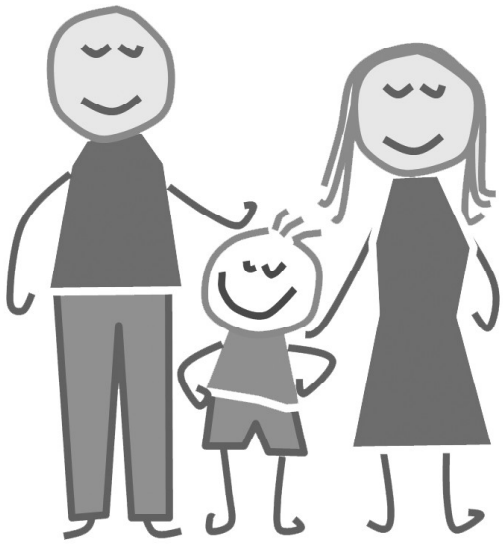
Of course we don't want to take the phone away from children. However we can do other things.

1) Set limits on the amount of time, they can use phone

2) Have children carry their phones in a back hack as far away from their bodies as possible. Phones carried in pockets have been resulted with cancer in the parts of the body near where phones are carried.

3) Get cell phone radiation protection. This can be the easiest way to solve the problem.

We can say that mobile phone is necessary for our modern lives today. However, It is helpful or not, that depends on our ways of using it. It will be better if we use it for a good purpose & in an appropriate time.



PARENTSARE VISIBLEGOD



- Shaina Gomes, 6A

Our parents are indeed the visible God. They are our roots that support us at the base and our existence without them is impossible. The phrase parents are the best teacher. "It is true but I feel parents are not only a teacher but also existence of the in visible God. Some of the people go to the Church, Temple, Mosque and pray to get something in life, but never try to understand that whole devotional places are under our parents feet. God cannot be everywhere to care, so that's why he created parents.

Every one's childhood passes under the protection of parents. They work very hard and earn money for us to give good food clothes and best education as much as possible. Parents do take care of nurturing and upbringing children and groom them as good citizens. Right from the day of her conception, a mother would not mind to forego her comforts and joys and abide by strict self discipline for the sake of giving birth to a physically and mentally sound baby. Not only the mother feeds the baby but also feeds its mind with lessons in good culture. Coupled with mothers love and fatherly affection, the child is royally brought up with fond love and care.

A child's training in acquiring knowledge starts with its initiation into learning the alphabets. While mother's love is cool like the moonlight, father plays his stern role in disciplining the child. A child grown into a youth in good health, knowledge, wisdom and good conduct will be inspired to live uprightly and tread the right path while discharging one's duties. A water drop either gets evaporated or turns into a pearl depending on the impact of the environment. Thus parents play a crucial role in molding the character of their children and helping them attain great heights.

Our parents and grandparents shine in our dark world like rays of light. The truth is our parents are the most indispensable part of our life. They are the light of our otherwise dark world. We must respect them and love them for their invaluable light of love and wisdom in our life.

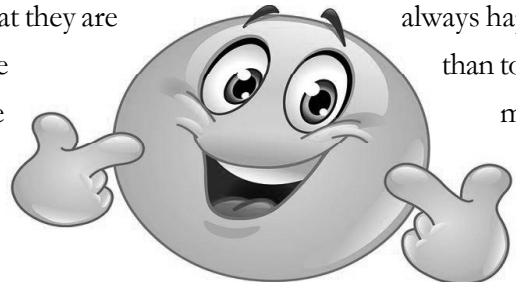
Our tradition insists on bowing to mother first and next to father, as they are the visible and living Gods to us.

A SMILE



- Haneena, VI A

Everyone has different types of smile but all smile sent out the same message. A smile is a way of showing your happiness, love, friendliness, appreciation and kindness. There are some people who are always smiling, which shows that they are always happy or at least trying to be happy. Did you know? It takes less muscles to smile than to frown. If you don't want wrinkles and want to look younger, you have to smile more and frown less. "A smile is infectious. If you have a friend who always smiles you also feel like smiling like the saying goes, "An apple a day keeps the doctor away. "I would say, "A smile a day will keep a tear away". A smile can change a person's mood if an angry person gets a smile from a loved one's or a stranger. It can change the person's anger. A smile costs nothing but it can change someone's life. When you are feeling, sad and seeing someone smile can lighten your day, can lift your heart and make you feel better and probably have a better day ahead. So after knowing the importance of smile, every one of us should make sure to give our million dollars smile as often as possible. As a conclusion it can be said smile is a must to be healthy, wealthy and happy. So smile always.



SOLDIERS
THE FIGHTERS OF DEATH

Soldiers, the great sons of India, you fight for us, you attack for us.
You die for us; you save us, whenever enemy attack our borders
You defend the country as well as its people
You are ready to sacrifice your life
You leave your friends, family & everything that is yours
You even sacrifice your property, only for the sake of the country
You fight against enemies, to save us, you die every second in the battle field.
You don't even know, when the attack is, but you are ready to die
Every minute you fight with death
But we sit at home, watch the T.V & enjoy our life
No one is greater than you, Not even the President, but you are the greatest of all
We live happily, it is because of you & we enjoy our life
Our nation is in peace, just because of you, everything is because of you
Thank you for giving us a beautiful peaceful life.



-Glarin Mafilda Lobo, VIII B

UNSUNG HEROES



Heroes are not only in Reel life but there are also in REAL life. Heroes can not only be humans they can even be animals. My hero is my pet dog Beedu which is a dachshund breed of dog.

So one sunny afternoon on the 15th of April 2018 this day I can never forget. Beedu was roaming out in the garden. Suddenly it tried to go under a block of stone and it was constantly barking. My grandma called us all we thought it might be a rat. Beedu was fighting with that creature. Suddenly something came out and it completely disappointed us for it turned out to be a poisonous snake. As Beedu is a hunting dog it won't get peace until it hunts that insect or animal. Beedu fought with that snake single handedly, And killed the snake. If Beedu wouldn't have killed that snake it might have bit anyone of us at home. After Beedu killed that snake it bite that snakes head and the poison entered into its mouth. We weren't aware of it. Later I found its tongue to be purple coloured. I told my dad and brother, about it. Then we took him to the veterinarian. He gave him 2 injections. But it couldn't survive. He died. I can never forget it.

That day I felt as if my life's happiness had disappeared. This kind of sacrifice is hard to find and impossible to forget. I miss Beedu a lot. Beedu is My Hero and nobody will replace it.



- Ginnel C. Quadros, 9th B

BENEFITS OF KARATE FOR GIRLS

Karate is often targeted towards young boys, but there is no rule that says girls can't enjoy learning martial arts as well. In fact, girls who participate in Karate classes from a young age may benefit in several ways. Even in our school we have karate classes for students from class 5 to 9. There are many boys and 3 girls.

Some uses of Karate are:

1. It increases focus and concentration.
2. It teaches you techniques to defend yourself as well as protecting others.
3. It teaches you to neutralize an attacker who is larger than you.
4. Developing confidence and awareness that allows you to stay calm

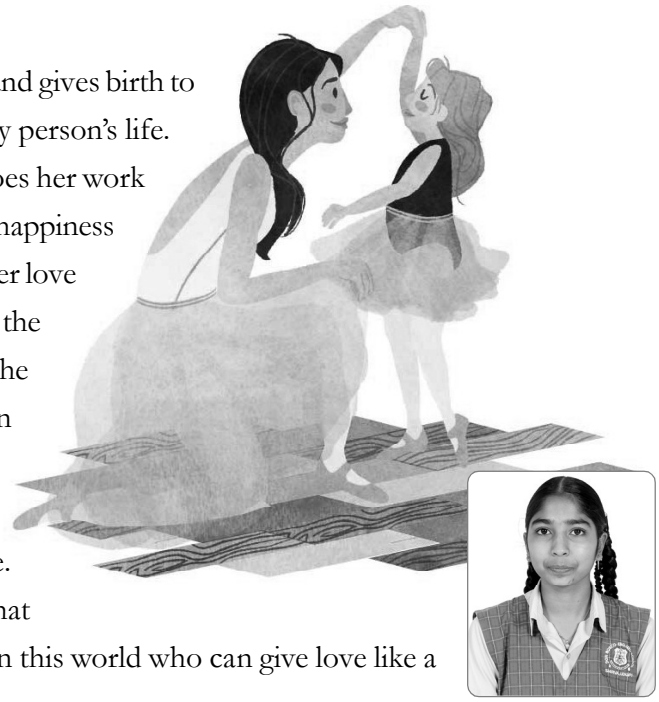


The students who learn Karate even have opportunities to compete in zonal, district, state, national and international level. So I would like to say that girls must learn Karate it is good for themselves.

Karate is not to hit someone, Nor to be defeated, It is to avoid trouble.

-Ginnel Quadros, IX B

MOTHER



Mother is one who carries us for nine months in her womb and gives birth to us. Mother is a kind person who plays an important role in every person's life. She always works for the betterment of her child's future. She does her work without complaining she is with her family in all situations during happiness and sadness she if of a very hardworking nature and is selfless in her love and sacrifice for her child and family. She is one who taught me all the moral values and lessons whenever I'm wrong in doing anything. She guides me how to do it in the right and calm way. It is a mother in every person's life who cannot be replaced by anyone. She is the angel of every child's life. Whenever I am sick my mother takes care of me and the whole night she sits near me and cares for me. Whenever we are in difficulties she helps us to come out of that difficulty. She is always concerned for her child there is no one in this world who can give love like a mother.

-Fathimathil Naseeba, IX B

GENERAL QUIZ



1. The chemically inactive or noble gas
   Ans : Argon
2. Atmospheric pressure generated on the earth's surface is due to
   Ans : Gravitational force of the earth
3. If there is no carbon dioxide in the earth's atmosphere the temperature of earth's surface would be
   Ans : Less than the present
4. High pressure sub-tropical calm belts known as 'Horse Latitude' lie between
   Ans : 30o to 35o
5. Which of the following can cause a tsunami
   a) Volcano b) Avalanche c) Gornado d) Earth quake
   Ans : Earthquake and volcano
6. Which can cause a planetary winds
   Ans : Trade wind
7. Name the continent where 'Tundra' type of climate is not found
   a) Europe b) Asia c) Africa d) North America
   Ans : Africa
8. One direction to which wind blow is known as
   Ans : Leeward
9. If the temperature of the place increase suddenly the relative humidity
   Ans : Decreases
10. The dew point is the temperature at which
    Ans : Water vapor condenses to a liquid.

- Avis Mendonca, VI B

SCROLL OF HONOUR

Mrs CECILIA LEWIS

"A good teacher is like a candle; it consumes itself to light the way for others"

Here we have a teacher who has played a major role in shaping the school's community and left a lasting impression on students and her colleagues. Now the time has come to bid adieu to our dear teacher who has rendered 30 years of selfless service in this school.

Mrs Cecilia Lewis was born on 11th April 1959. She is the daughter of Late Charles Lewis and Late Lily Lewis from Baroda in Gujarat. Being the youngest amongst four children she was the cynosure of the family. She got married to Mr Francis Robert Lobo from Shirva, who was a great source of inspiration and support in all her endeavours till he passed away in the year 2009. They are blessed with two sons Roger and Rayner.

Madam Cecilia had her early education at the famous Convent of Jesus and Mary School, Baroda-Gujarat. She did graduation in Arts, post graduation in Psychology and B.Ed from the renowned Maharaja Sayajirao University in Baroda. Initially she worked as an Assistant Officer in Baroda Productivity Council, Baroda. She started her teaching career at St Thomas School Baroda and then at Bright English Medium School, Baroda. She entered the portals of Don Bosco English Medium School, Shirva in 1989 and has served as a teacher with full dedication and love for a long tenure of 30 years.

A teacher plays a very important role in moulding a child's career thus educating them and shaping their future. Madam Cecilia is a teacher par excellence, a complete embodiment of all the qualities which a teacher should possess. It will not be an exaggeration to call Madam Cecilia a synonym to a TEACHER.

Very rarely we see a teacher with such high self-esteem, total dedication to the profession and full commitment to her mission. A teacher who is loved and respected by all her students whom she has taught so far is a rare feeling to cherish. Though she is a lady who is about to retire from her profession, she doesn't want to accept it when she is inside the classroom. For her ageing has less to do with the classroom teaching. When she is teaching in the classroom, she goes into the other world of teaching not only to derive self pleasure but also to share the same pleasure with the students for she is a down to earth teacher who can make any student understand what she is trying to convey.

We are lucky to having been associated with a personality who not only guided us but also was very considerate towards us. We have experienced the pleasure of working with her, who at times was a mother in her approach. As a person she stands above us all. Students start admiring and respecting her the very moment they meet her. She is a dedicated, passionate and a hardworking teacher. Many teachers have taken her as their role model for their teaching profession. In our life journey we meet very few people like Madam Cecilia. She is a fountain of love, concern, care, comfort encouragement and generosity to persons who approach her. Students come to her not only for academic advice but also for personal advice. Madam is a person who would go out of the way to help them. But she would hardly say a word about it

Dear Cecilia Madam you have been a powerful influence and inspiration on all of us by your smart, interesting, positive, confident, well informed and easy to understand qualities. Madam you have brought out the hidden talents of the students by encouraging them to write articles for the school annual magazine. You were the editor of the school annual magazine since its inception. You have established a friendly rapport with the alumni of our school. Madam is a pious lady. There were difficulties, hardships, problems and hurdles in her life, she trusted God and surrendered everything to his providence.

As you retire from active service on this day, may the lord's choicest blessings be showered upon you and may God Almighty keep you happy, healthy and contented throughout your retired life. Cheerio dear teacher. Fare thee well. May God always guide your way.

Correspondent, Principal, School Managing Committee, Staff & Students
DON BOSCO CBSE SCHOOL, SHIRVA





PARENTS ARE OUR VISIBLE GOD

"We make them cry, who care for us. We cry for those, who never care for us." This is the truth of life. "God cannot be present everywhere at the same time so he created parents." This is the truth belief.

Parents play an important role in our lives. They bring us up with good habits, they fulfill all our demands. All our parents have difficulties in their lives but still they do everything we ask for. In return its our duty to give respect, love and care to them. So why do some people leave their parents in old-age homes? Why they have to struggle all alone there? God has given human beings the quality to take care of their old ones.

The importance of parents is that they help us to become a better person in our life. According to me I think that parents have their own dreams but they sacrifice their dreams for their children. Parents are also a precious gift from God to us. They are next to God. They help us in every step of our life. Parents are the only persons who know the likes/dislikes of their children. Parents also help us in our basic needs such as food, clothing, medical care, education etc. When we do mistakes they are like our teachers to correct us. When we are happy they are happy, for this reason we call our parents as visible God.

Like our God whether we trust or not, but according to me all of us should respect our parents because it has been proved that without blessing of parents nothing is achievable. So I conclude that respect parents and support them when they need because parents are the face of God.

- Reewan Castelino,VIA

PLASTIC IS A BOON OR BANE?



Plastic is a Boon or Bane?

So before I start about this topic, what are plastics? Plastics are light weight easily affordable, easy to handle and durable. Plastics are proved to be boon in various ways. We use plastics in our day to day life. For example, we use many things in our house made of plastics such as plastic chairs, bottles baskets etc.

Though plastics are very useful materials, they are also dangerous. For Example: Plastics are non biodegradable. In other words they are non renewable resources. They take several years to get decomposed



Plastics have direct and indirect effects over the environment. The main reason for plastic as a bane is because of plastic bags. Millions of plastic bags are used daily throughout the world. So how are these plastics formed? Plastics are formed by using certain chemicals or by a single unit called Polymer.

So how can we reduce Plastics? There are many ways by which we can reduce plastics. One such way is not to use plastic bags instead of it use paper bags. So I prefer that plastic is not a boon but a bane.

We should protect our environment. We should try to reduce plastics in our day to day life and try to use natural substances rather than made of plastics. So I conclude by saying "Save water, Save Soil, Save Environment, Save our Mother earth from plastics.

- Rowin Lawrence Castelino, VIIIB

THE FIRST WOMAN

1. The first woman-governor in India **Sarojini Naidu**
2. The first woman-Doctor in India **Kadambini Ganguli**
3. The first woman Pilot in India **Sarla Thakral**
4. The first woman-Prime Minister of India **Mrs Indira Gandhi**
5. The first Indian woman astronaut to travel into space **Dr.Kalpana chawla**
6. The first woman to climb to the summit Mount Everest **Bachendri Pal**
7. The first Indian woman to win an Olympic Medal **Karnam Malleswari**
8. The first Indian woman to become an IPS officer **Kiran Bedi**
9. The first Indian woman to land in Antarctica **Meher Moos**
10. The first Indian woman to win a WTA title **Sania Mirza**



- Rishal D'souza, VIIB

WATERPOLLUTION



Pollution of water is a serious problem. Due to pollution the water loses quality and becomes unsuitable for use Water being a universal solvent dissolves most of the harmful substances and gets polluted.

Domestic wastes and agricultural industrial wastes are released into the rivers and lakes. Hence the water loses its quality and gets polluted. Drinking such polluted water can cause diseases like cholera, jaundice and diarrhea. Aquatics plants and animals die due to industrial wastes. Finally water becomes totally unsuitable for use. This leads to scarcity of drinking water.

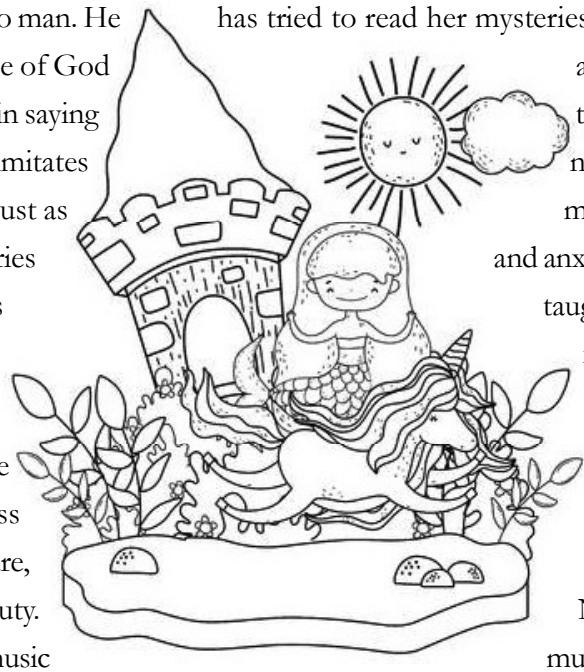


Eshika, VIIA

BEAUTIESOFNATURE

Nature never did betray, the heart that loved her, it's her privilege. Through all the years of this our life; to lead to joy and peace.

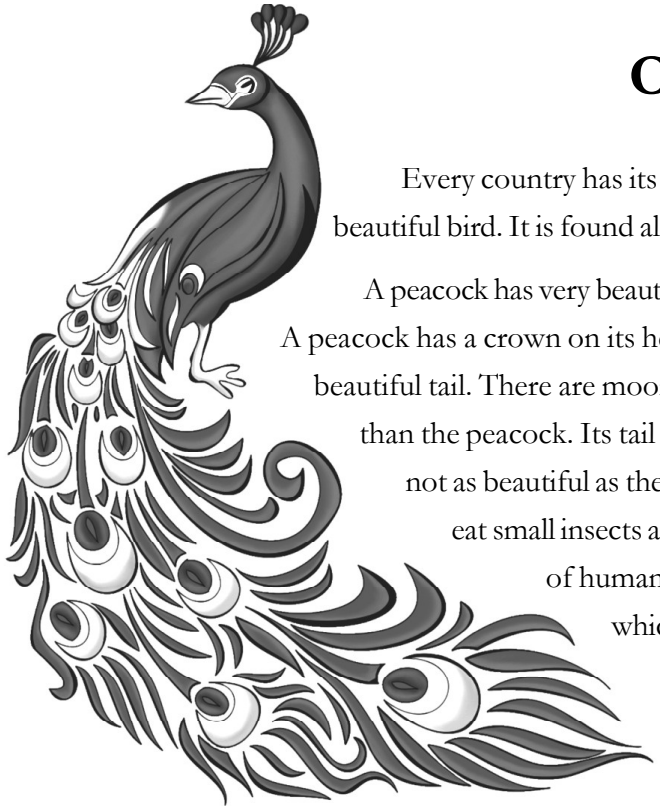
Man has in different ways tried to appreciate the beauties of nature and solve many mysteries. To a scientist nature has been a puzzle and a challenge to man. He has tried to read her mysteries and solve riddles. To Philosophers nature has been in her the presence of God and the divine spirit which radiates through its beauty. Goethe is right in saying that "nature is the living, visible garment of God". For an artist he imitates nature and worships it in his songs, in his painting and in his sculpture. Just as man, he finds peace in her lap and escape from the worries and anxieties of the world. Her silent and continued work has taught him the gospel of work; patience preference and fortitude. To an ordinary man it is a source of joy and happiness.





It is wrong to portray that the poets alone are the lovers of nature. The countless objects of nature are a joy forever. However, the visible shapes of nature, her sights and sounds speak to the poets the language of love and beauty. None the less one who is blind to the beauties of nature and deaf to her music must be dead in soul. Thus emotions and feelings find symbols in nature's objects. They instill an aesthetic sense and inculcate internal values of life.

Haneena, VIA



OUR NATIONAL BIRD

Every country has its national bird. Our national bird is the peacock. It is a very big and beautiful bird. It is found all over India.

A peacock has very beautiful feathers of bright blue colour. They shine when they are spread. A peacock has a crown on its head. The peacock is called the king of birds. It has a very long and beautiful tail. There are moon-like spots on the feathers of a peacock. Peahen is smaller in size than the peacock. Its tail is not long. It does not dance. It has no crown on its head and it is not as beautiful as the peacock. Peacock generally lives in green fields and gardens. They eat small insects and snakes found in the field and garden. They are known as friends of human beings. They are also the friends of farmers. They eat the insects which are harmful to crops.



Peacock feels very happy when the sky is over cast with clouds. It begins to dance seeing clouds in the sky. It makes loud noise of joy. A peacock is considered a sacred bird in our country. So it is not allowed to be hunted and killed. But it is a pity that some people kill this bird. Its meat is served in big hotels. Our government should put a ban on killing the peacock.

Rishal D'souza, VIIB

My Family

- Wilona Marita Castelino, IIA



There are 5 members in my family. They are our parents, grandmother me and my younger sister. My father is working in the office. My mother is a homemaker. She takes great care of us and manages the family nicely.

Home is a place where I feel like heaven and my parents are the reason for it. A family is the first school in which a child receives basic values of life. We learn good manners in the family. The morals and values I learn in the family becomes my guiding force. They make my character. They lay the foundation of our thinking. Since my early childhood, I was taught to respect the elders and love the children. We learnt the lesson of punctuality and honesty from our grandmother. Since our childhood, we have been put into the habit of rising early in the morning. This has a natural effect on our health and physical fitness. Last but not the least we are religious and God fearing family. My parents strictly follows Father Patrick Peyton popularized phrases "The family that prays together stays together" I feel fortunate to be born in a family where values are inculcated in early childhood. I love my parents very much and we always wish to be a lovable family as we are now, I am proud of my family.





SNOW LEOPARD

Snow leopards have long, thick fur, and their base colour varies from smoky gray to yellowish Tan, with whitish underparts. They have dark gray to black open rosettes on their bodies, with small spots of the same colour on their heads and larger spots on their legs and tails. Unusually among cats, their eyes are pale green or grey in colour. Snow leopards show several adaptations for living in a cold, mountainous environment. Their bodies are stocky, their fur is thick and their ears are small and rounded, all of which help to minimize heat loss their paws are wide, which distributes their weight better for walking on snow and have fur on their undersides to increase their grip on steep and unstable surfaces; it also helps to minimize heat loss.

Snow leopards tails are long and flexible, helping them to maintain their balance which is very important in the rocky terrain they inhabit. Their tails are also very thick due to storage of fat and are very thickly covered with fur which allows them to be used like a blanket to protect their faces when asleep. The snow leopard has a short muzzle and domed forehead, containing unusually large nasal cavities that help the animal breathe the thin, cold air of their mountainous environment. Snow leopards have powerful legs and are tremendous leaders, able to jump as far as 50 feet(15meters). They use their long tails for balance and as blankets to cover sensitive body parts against the severe mountain chill.



Snow leopards prey upon the blue sheep (bharal) of Tibet and the Himalaya, as well as the mountain ibex found over most of the rest of their range. Though these powerful predators can kill animals three times their weight, they also eat smaller ones such as marmots, hares and game birds.

- Danya Mary Barboza VIB

BEAUTIFUL WORDS

- Life is like a flute. It may have many holes and emptiness but if you work on it carefully, it can play magical melodies.
- Every teacher once was a student. Every winner once was a loser. Every expert once was a beginner. But all of them have crossed the bridge called learning.
- Don't compare your life with others. There's no comparison between the sun and the moon. They shine when its their time.
- A frog decided to reach the top of a tree. All frogs shouted "its impossible, its impossible…" still the frog reached the top. How? Because he was deaf, And he thought everyone was encouraging him to reach the top. Be DEAF to negative thoughts, if your aim is to reach your goal".
- Great books help you understand and they help you to feel understood.
- If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader.
- Small steps in the right direction are better than big ones in the wrong direction.



- Glarin Mefilda Lobo, VIIIB

MYFAMILY



A family is a little world, created by love. Families are like branches on a tree. We grow in different directions yet our roots remain as one. In the bible, God says "The family that prays together stays together" "Today's little moments, become tomorrow's precious memories".

In my family, we are 4 in number, my father, mother, brother and me. We all live together. I have 2 grand fathers, 2 grandmothers, 12 uncles and 11 aunts and 12 cousin brothers and sisters. We all meet together at functions. We all go to our grandparent's home during vacation and have a lot of fun together. I love my family so much. Sometimes, we all go for an outing. The love of a family is life's greatest blessings.

My father works abroad. During the holidays he comes to India to spend holidays with us. I love my parents. They are so good, helping me in my studies. They are supporting and encouraging me in my studies. They are caring and loving me. Family is not an important thing but every thing

I have a younger, cute and naughty brother. I love him so much. After completing our studies and school home works, we both play and fight with each other. We both are studying in the same school. My brother is studying in LKG. We both are coming to school and going back home together. I help my mother in the kitchen. Family is where I learn so many things grow together, have fun together.



Family is the best thing, we could ever wish for. They are there for us, during the ups and downs and love us no matter what. Family is the most important thing in this whole world. On the whole I love my family to the fullest.

- Jesvita D'souza, II B

THEWEAVERBIRD



The weaver bird weaves elaborate nests with just its beak. In the colony, weaverbirds build sturdy nests with materials such as stems, fonds, grass leaves, pine needles and twigs.

A unique feature about male weavers is that they are brightly coloured when compared to the female birds.

Weaverbirds belong to the Placeidae family and are mostly found in Africa and Asia.

Shanel Correa VIB

ROLE OF WOMEN IN OUR SOCIETY



There is a saying "Behind the success of a man there is a woman". Women are the precious gift of God given to all of us. There are many girls in our country who got gold in Olympics and some are political leaders. If a woman wish she can also be an astronaut like Kalpana Chawla. Women are not only fit for doing household chores but they are fully fit for doing greater jobs. Our government has made an association for girls "Beti Bachao Beti Padavo" So if a girl child is educated she is authorized to fulfill her dreams women have to work 365 days at home. Not a single day does she gets a holiday even if she has any illness she has to work. Women look after the whole family. We all should respect every girl and woman.



- Shanel Correa VI B

MY BEST FRIEND IS BOOK



I have many good friends. All my friends help me whenever I am in need of their help. I have one great friend named "book". Yes, books can also become our friends. We get more information from books, which our friends can't give. There are many types of books but I like to read story books from where I get moral values for my life. For me books are my best friends because. I get more information from them which no one else can give me. Now a days we get many things on the internet but if the same things we read from the books it is very nice and it doesn't harm our eyes. If we read books on the mobile then our Sight becomes weak. I really love my friend 'the book' through which I get knowledge and improve my language. I thank my best friend for making my life beautiful.

Ciona, III B

THE FLOWER



I have seen many types of flowers in our garden. But among them, my favorite flower is the Rose. We have different types of Roses in our garden. Roses have many different colours but I like white roses. White rose is the symbol of purity. I like white roses because I too want be like them. As they are pure I want to make my life also pure. Roses look very beautiful and spread the fragrance around us. But behind this as they grow they go through lots of difficulties and suffering. They look beautiful but they also have many thorns around them with what they get pain. They bear the pain silently. In the same way my life is also like them, it looks beautiful but I too have learnt from them to bear things silently. I am very happy that my favorite white roses give meaning to my life.

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Jessica Pinto, III B

AMAZING FACTS



- A woodpecker's tongue is so long that it has to be kept coiled inside its head
- The blue whale's heart weighs as much as a small car
- A newborn Kangaroo is about the size of a 2 cm long and weighs less than a gram
- Sea horses can see in two different directions at the same time
- Astronauts have grown potatoes on the space shuttle.
- Bubble gum was invented in 1928 by an accountant
- Sweden is the first cashless country
- If you eat too many carrots, your skin can turn orange
- According to the legend tea was discovered by a Chinese emperor when some tea leaves accidentally blew into a pot of boiling water.
- A breed of dog called Pitbull Terriers is banned in many countries.

-Eva Lora Gomes, VI B

THE REMEDY FOR DEPRESSION



A business man became depressed and nervous. The psychiatrist, whom he consulted, questioned him carefully and told him. "For starters, I will give you one exercise, go to the railway station and look for someone to help".

As ordered, the businessman went to the station and looked around. He saw an old woman crying in the corner of a waiting room. She had come to Bombay to visit her daughter, but she'd lost the address and did not have enough money to go to a hotel. The business man found the daughter's address in the telephone directory; and took the old lady there in a taxi. On the way he gave her a pleasant surprise by buying her some roses. Her joy was immeasurable. As soon as the man was free he rushed to telephone the psychiatrist and informed him "Now I realize the true joy in life".

We must realize that true joy comes when we render service to the needy without having any intention of a reward.

- Ginnel C Quadros, IX B

TO TEACHER WHO IS SO SPECIAL

Dear Mam



A teacher teaches poems and meaning. But you have taught us much more. You gave us the wisdom of recognizing opportunities waiting at our doors. Teachers teach numbers and equations. But you planted in us a seed. You taught us that one plus one is not two but 11 in team.

Anyhow more than that, it is just pure greed.

Teachers teach us concepts through diagrams. But you made us see life's grand visuals.

We wish you A Very Happy Farewell.

- Rachel Andrade, VIIB

STUDENTS AND SOCIAL SERVICE



Students have a very important role to play in the society. They are the citizens of tomorrow. The future is in their hands. Their main duty is to study. But along with their studies they can do many useful things for society. They can help the people around them in several ways. They can make new roads and repair old ones. They can also teach them how to prevent diseases. Students can help poor people to build houses or repair their old ones. They can also show villagers how to make use of modern methods of agriculture. Thus there is a lot of useful thing that the students community can do for society.

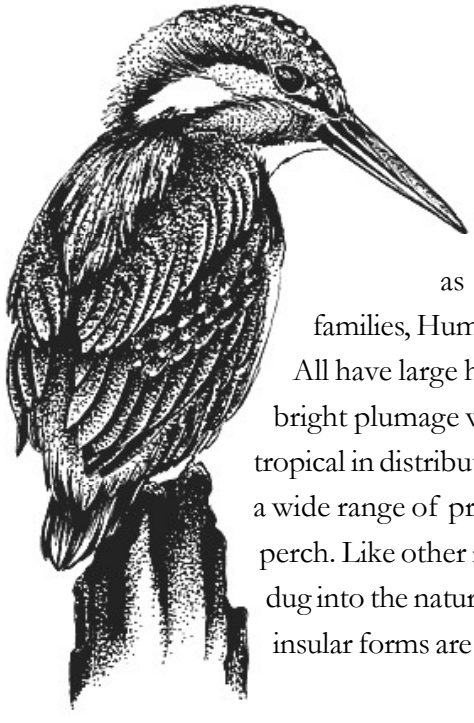
- Ramona Nazareth, V B

RMS TITANIC



RMS titanic was a British passenger liner that sank in the North Atlantic Ocean in the early hours of 15 April 1912, after colliding with an iceberg during her maiden voyage from Southampton to New York City. There were an estimated 2,224 passengers and crew about more than 1,500 died, making it one of the deadliest commercial peacetime maritime disasters in modern history. RMS Titanic was the largest ship afloat at the time she entered service and was the second of three Olympic class ocean liners operated by the white star line. She was built by the Harland and wolf shipyard in Belfast. Thomas Andrews, Chief Naval architect of the shipyard at the time, died in the disaster.

Arnika M. Rai, VII A



KINGFISHERBIRD



Kingfishers are a group of small to medium sized brightly coloured birds in the order of Coraciiform. They have a cosmopolitan distribution, with most species being found in the old world and Australia, the group is treated either as a single family, Acedimidas or as a suborder alcedimidae, containing three families, Humdinidas, Halcyonidas, and Crylidas. There are roughly 90 species of kingfisher. All have large heads, long, sharp, pointed bills, short legs and stubby tails. Most species have bright plumage with little differences between their sexes. Most species are tropical in distribution a slight majority is found only in forests. They consume a wide range of prey as well as fish, usually caught by swooping down from a perch. Like other members of their order they nest in cavities, usually tunnels dug into the natural or artificial banks in the ground. A few species, principally insular forms are threatened with extinction.

Tanisha S. Moolya, VI B

LEADERSHIP

Good manners, good habits and self discipline are the requirements of a good leader. Politeness, sincerity, honesty and truthfulness are the key qualities of good manners. Polite words create good influence on others. Good habits are formed with our effort and determination while self-discipline is behaving oneself in the right manner without anybody's compulsion or supervision. Heads selection is done in two different ways such as election/selection and in our school election is done for SPL and ASPL and selection is done for ministers and opposition members from 9th and 10th Std. Demonstrating leadership is an art, which needs confidence, commitment to given challenges and come out with flying colours, Leadership is about motivating others to reach their goals.

Denali D'souza VII A

VALUE OF TRUE FRIENDS



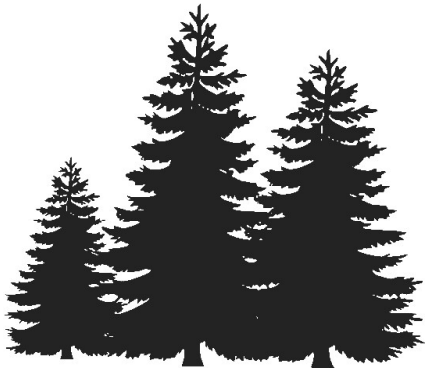
True friendship is the gift of God. Friendship is a feeling of love and affection of one person for another friend and who saves us in our dangers. We feel relieved when we tell our sorrows to a friend. A true friend is our asset. They share our sorrow and redouble our joy

We should guard ourselves against the false friends, such friends,are most dangerous than enemies. Friendship is noble. Friendship is divine. There are instances of men sacrificing their lives for their friends. If we wish that our friends should be true to us, then we must be true to our friends. We should always remember the golden sayings "A friend in need is a friend indeed"

Denali D'souza VIIA

THE THREE PINE TREES





Once, there were three pine trees atop a mountain. Of these, two pines were young and one was old. The young pines were tall and straight. Their wood too was of good quality. The old pine was bent with age. Also, its wood was chipping. The young pines made fun of the old pine every day. The old pine was very nice and did not say anything to the young pines. Then, one spring morning, a woodcutter came to the mountain. He saw the three pine tree and said 'Hmm, I'll cut the two younger pines. Their wood is fine and I can make a nice dining table from it. The old pine's wood won't be very strong". Saying this, he felled the two young pines. The old pine said to the young pines, when they were being chopped. Always be humble. You never know what may befall you.

Eva Lora Gomes, VI B

ANIMALS STORY

-Avin Martis, III B

One day, the animals were boasting about themselves. Giraffe was the first to say, "I have a really long neck!" I'm fast and have a sharp horn," said the Rhino. "I'm really big", said the Elephant waving his trunk back and forth. "I can eat elephant," the tiger mocked. "You're nothing compared to my claws and teeth." I'm the biggest creature on earth!"

HEALTH



Health is more important than wealth. An unhealthy man is a burden to himself and to others. He is never happy. He cannot enjoy life even if he has plenty of money. If a healthy man has no money he can work and earn money. But an unhealthy man cannot buy health with money. We should, therefore, take steps to maintain good health. Regular exercise and balanced food help us to remain healthy. We should abstain from unhealthy habits like smoking and drinking. We should not do anything bad or evil. A guilty conscience can ruin our health.

Rishal D'souza, VII B

SLEEPTIME



1. If you sleep for less than 4 hours or more than 10 hours, you're at a higher risk of dying at an early age.
2. A snail can sleep for 3 years.
3. 2/3 of a cats life is spent asleep. Humans spend 1/3 of their life sleeping.
4. Some people don't sleep because they have insomnia. Today we don't sleep because of internet connection.
5. In humans infants sleep for 16 hours, adults for 8 hours, elderly for 5-6 hours.
6. Koalas sleep 22 hours a day, so they are called the longest sleeping mammals.
7. Giraffes sleep 1.9 hours a day, so they are the shortest sleeping mammals.
8. Dolphins sleep by closing one eye at a time, allowing one side of the brain to rest, while using the other to watch for predators.

-Khathija Riza, VIII B

TRUE FRIENDS

True friends are those, who are so dear
We need them near, when we are in fear
They wipe out our tears, make illusions clear,
With them near, we feel very secure.

They are generous, true and kind
When your world looks shattered and blind
Such good friends are hard to find
Indeed, they are cords which friendships bind.

A true friend is a cherished one
With whom we have utmost fun
It is sure there can't be another
To fill our lives with bliss and fun.



- Walterina Jessica Louis, VIIB

OPEN BOOK



Open a book
And you will find
People and places of every kind
Open a book
And you can be
Anything you want to be
Open a book
And you can share
Wondrous words you find there
Open a book
And you too
Will love to read
Anything and everything
You love to read

Jeevan D'Mello, VI A

SOME INSPIRATIONAL QUOTES

Be not afraid of life. Believe that your life is not worth living, and your belief will help create the world.

William James

Believe in yourself and all that you are know that there is something inside you that is greater than any obstacle.

Christian D Larson

Success consists of going from failure to failure without losing enthusiasm

Winston Churchill

We must have a theme, a goal, a purpose in our life. If you don't know where are you you don't have a goal.

Mary kay ash

Good, better, best never let it rest. Till your good is better and your better is best.

St.Jerome

Failure will never overtake me, if my determination to succeed is strong enough.

Og Monolino

We should not give up and we should not allow the problem to defeat us

A.P.T Abdul Kalam

If you want to shine like a sun, burn like a sun

A.P.J. Abdul Kalam

Three things cannot be hidden: The sun, the moon and the truth

Buddha

Only I can challenge my life, no one can do it for me

Carol Burnet.

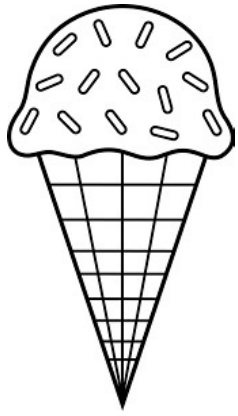
New day comes with new strength and new thoughts

Eleanor Roosevelt

- Alona Sequeira, VII A



ICE CREAM



Day and night I dream
Wait eagerly to have an ice cream

Mummy says, It's not so good
But I say, It's a tasty, tasty food.

Yummy, delicious ice creams
Truly like wonderful dreams

Hangyo, Ideal and Amul
All so sweet and cool.

Rich in numerous flavours
We get them in attractive colours.





Hmm! It's awesome
Hmm! It's toothsome

- Walterina Jessica Louwis, VIIB

My Best Friend

I have got a best friend
So good, so fine
She knows each and every secret of mine.
She is brave, courageous, honest and kind
Where such a good friend
I would never find
For every thought of mine
Suggestions does she give
These would help me a good life to live
She gets up early in the morning
Working for everything I want.
With all pain and silent mourning
She never says I can't
I wish in future
I would become like her
Hey, want to know who my "Best Friend" is
She is none other than "MY MOTHER".

- Alisha Saloni D'souza, VIIA

A HOUSE FOR HIPPO

One day Hippo said, "All my friends have houses. I should also have a house, but I don't know how to make a house.

"I will help you" said sparrow. She made a nest on a tree "there's your house" sparrow said. Hippo slowly climbed the tree and jumped into the house crash! Hippo was on the ground.

"I will show you how to make a house" said Rabbit.

He dug a big hole in the ground. "This is your house", said Rabbit. Hippo jumped in.



He got stuck in this house. Just then Elephant walked by. He pulled Hippo out of the hole. "I will tell you how to make a house", said the Elephant. "A house should have a strong floor; "No, no" said snake. "A house should have a high roof" "strong floor", said Elephant. "High roof", said Giraffe "long enough", said snake. Hippo went away in anger. He came to the river Hippo jumped in. The river was just his size. It had a strong floor. It was long. It had a roof as high as the sky. Happily Hippo splashed around in his house.

- Diyansh VB

BOOK QUIZ



1. A place where books are bound **Book Bindery**
2. A small book, usually with a paper cover **Booklet.**
3. A person who reads a lot **Bookworm**
4. A piece of furniture with shelves for books **Bookcase**
5. Strip of card for marking a place in the book **Bookmark**
6. The systematic recording of business account **Book-keeping**
7. Voucher exchangeable for books of given value **Book token**
8. Drops at the end of a row of books to keep them upright **Book ends**
9. Getting knowledge from books only **Bookish**
10. Label in the book with owner's name **Book plate.**

- Rishal D'souza, VII B



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1. Why does Mr Narendra Modi gets time only in the evening ?

   Because he is PM

2. What is never used until it is broken.

   Egg

3. What kind of tree everyone carries in their hand.

   Palm tree

4. What is it that is dark but made up of light?

   Shadow

5. What is it that you swallow but which can also swallow you.

   Water



- Rayan Alvares, IV B

WOMENEMPOWERMENT



The topic on women empowerment is a burning issue all over the world. Women empowerment and women equality with men is a universal issue. Women empowerment means increasing the strength of a woman socially, economically, emotionally.

In India women face many problems in their daily life. From eve-teasing, rape sexual abuse, workplace harassment, acid attacks, dowry killing and what not. They are always opposed and judged by the society for the choices they make in their daily life.

Empowering is to very necessary in our society because unless and until women's are empowered there can be no progress. Women empowerment will be more relevant if women are educated. Literacy of women is an important key to improving health, nutrition.

The women empowerment is the key to strengthen their participation in the decision making which is the most important key to social economic development. The women empowerment can help in reducing poverty, development of the country and it can provide a better chance for next generation. The issue like woman backwardsness in India such as gender-based violence reproduction health inequalities, economic descrimination, harmful traditional practices etc.,



In India there are certain Acts passed by the Parliament to empower women with legal right.
An equal Remuneration Act 1976
Dowry Stop Act 1961
Child marriage prevention Act 2006
Gender testing techniques Act 1994
Women's social abuse Act 2013 at work

In order to bring women empowerment in society it is necessary to understand the main causes of bad practices against women, which is the patriarchal and male influence system of society. It is necessary that we change old thinking against women and make changes in the constitutional and legal provision.

- Manshish, VIIA

Mother



M = Magnificent
O = Outstanding
T = Talented
H = Hardworking
E = Efficient
R = Remarkable

- Rolvin Menezes, VI B

Father

F = Faithful
A = Annointed
T = Talented
H = Helping
E = Each and every time
R = Ready to do anything



- Avis Mendonca, VI B

SAVE ENVIRONMENT





Environment is the surrounding in which we live. It is the source of life. Our whole life is dependent on the environment. The need of human beings for food, water, shelter and other natural things depends on the environment around us. Environment is given by nature to nurture life on earth. Everything that we use to live our lives comes under the environment like air, water, sunlight, land, plants, animals, forests and other natural things. It is believed that only the earth is the only home in the entire Universe.

All the natural things make life possible on earth such as fire, water, air sunlight our environment has been helping us and other types of organisms to grow and develop on earth from thousands of years. Humans are considered on earth as the most intelligent creature created by nature that is why they have more eagerness to know about the universe continuously. Increasing human population affects the forests. Human beings are cutting forests for making their homes to live however they do not think of the problem which arises due to the lack of deforestation. It completely disturbs the natural cycle between environment and life on the earth because of the over population and pollution like water, air, land and the numbers of various chemical elements is increasing in the atmosphere. which cause acid rain fall and global warming and other many diseases for living organisms on earth. Increasing human population needs more land for agriculture, cultivation and living purpose which force them to cut more trees increasing level of industries has harmful effects on the atmosphere because of the poisonous chemical and wastes drainage in the big water resources such as Yamuna, Ganga and other rivers. The ever changing environment is not the issue of government or countries it is the issue of all human beings on earth. Protecting the environment is our duty because we live on it.

World Environment Day is celebrated on June 5th every year. So that awareness among the public can be spread across the world for environmental protection and cleanliness. We should realize our mistake and be concerned about the environment in order to keep it clean safe and secure for healthy life. To keep our life healthy and happy we need healthy happy natural environment. We should not throw waste materials like paper, garbage's, plastic, plastic bottle etc., We should clean our environment day by day. We should keep our environment clean.

- Ansel Monis, IVA

STUDENT

S-Studies
T-Thoughtful
U-Useful to society
D-Dedicated full of devotion
E-Enlightenment conscious
N-Nationality concerned
T-Talented

Shareen Corda, VIIB



SUCCESS FORMULA



Add(+) your joy
Sub(-) your tears,
Multiply(*) your hard work,
Divide (/) your doubts,
You got the formula for yes

- Affeefa Hafiya, VIA

A ROLE OF STUDENT IN WASTE MANAGEMENT

Waste Management is the process of collecting storing, treatment and disposal of waste in such a way that is harmless to humans, plants, animals and the environment. Waste management manages every type of waste created by industries, household, commercial activities and natural waste. There are several methods of waste management and some of the common methods are as follows



Landfill:- Garbage is collected in trucks and are taken to an open area is known as landfill. Landfill is important because it helps us to prevent the contamination of our surroundings.

The 3 R's

Reduce, Reuse and Recycle

Reduce-We should reduce the use of such things which adds to the garbage and cannot be recycled. We must encourage car pooling because it prevents air pollution and the needs for parking spaces.

Reuse- Reuse is the action or practice of using something again and again. We must use bottles, plastic bags etc for as many times as we can. It prevents land, air and water pollution.



Recycle-Recycling is the process of converting waste materials into new objects. Some of the recyclable things include some kind of glass, metal, electronic etc.

These are some of the methods which children can understand and follow it. If a child picks five to six waste materials found in their surroundings, think about it, how much less will be the dirt in our surroundings. So let us keep our surrounding clean and protect our environment.

- Winston Preeth Fernandes, VIIB

THE BIRD

I fly above the taller trees
I am not a kite or a plane
I have wings and feathers
I like the rain.

I play among the passing clouds
I like to rise and sail
I am a friend who loves the nature
I am small and have a tail

I like the gusty month of March
I sour way out of sight
My shape is like the hen.
I am a brand new bird.



Yashraj S Shetty. IIIB

A GOOD STUDENT

A-Always liked by teacher
G-Greets everyone with a smile
O-On time to school
O-Obedient to teachers and parents
D-Dressed neat and correct
S-Studies with interest
T-Treats everyone with respect
U-Understands everyone
D-Does daily homework
E-Eager to know new things
N-Never Misbehaves
T-Talks less in classroom



-Shareen Corda, VIIB



EFFECTS OF GLOBAL WARMING



- Rowin Castelino, VIIIB

Global warming has become a reason for many environmental and social level changes directly and indirectly all through the world. So what is global warming? What are the causes or effects of it? Global Warming is a slow-steady rise in the temperature. The main cause for global warming is the environmental and social changes caused by human emissions of greenhouse gases.

The main reason for global warming is that it is caused by human activities such as burning of fossil fuels, technological advancement etc, When we burn fossil fuels like coal and gas to create electricity or power to our cars, we release Carbon Dioxide (CO_2) pollution into the atmosphere. Electricity generation is the main cause for global warming. Moreover Australians are big producers of Carbon Dioxide pollution compared to the rest of the world.

So how do we know that humans are the major cause for global warming? The answer is simple. Humans put too much carbon in the atmosphere like when we choose to extract and burn coal, burn fossil fuels, oil, gas or cut down and burn forests.

There are 10 main reasons for the effects of global warming rather than human beings. They are as follows:

1. Carbon Dioxide emissions from fossil fuel burning power plants: Every day, more electric gadgets flood the market and without widespread alternative every sources are highly dependent on burning coal for personal and commercial electrical supply.

2. Burning gasoline for transportation: More population means increase in demand for more vehicles. It means that increase in the use of fossil fuels for transportation.

3. Methane emissions from animals and agriculture such as paddies.

4. Deforestation, especially tropical forests for wood, pulp and farmland: Forests are mainly used for making paper products, furniture etc, This leads to deforestation.

5. Increase in usage of chemical fertilizers on croplands.

6. Rise in sea levels worldwide: Increase in level of seas is mainly due to melting of 2 massive ice sheets in Antarctica and Greenland. Many nations around the world

will experience the effects of rising sea levels, which could displace millions of people.

7. Killer Storms: Storms such as cyclones and hurricanes is increasing.

8. Massive crop failures: The main reason for this because of desertification(process of fertile land converting into deserts)

9. Widespread extinction of species: Rising temperatures could lead to the extinction of more than a million species.

10.Disappearing of rivers and lakes and changes in climate.

All this is because of the greatest effect named greenhouse effect. This effect is caused by the greenhouse gasses such as carbon dioxide, methane etc. When these gasses gets collected to the lower environments it makes a cover which easily allows all the hot radiation of sun to the earth however restrict its escape back to space. If Global warming continues, the world would be in danger.

Global Warming is the major challenge for our global society. So what is the solution for this main problem? We should plant more and more trees for prevention. We should always be prepared for this kind of situation.

EASY V/S DIFFICULT

Easy is to set rules
Difficult is to follow them,
Easy is to say we love
Difficult is to show it everyday,
Easy is to talk without thinking
Difficult is to refrain the tongue
Easy is to stumble with a stone
Difficult is to get up,
Easy is to enjoy life every day.
Difficult is to give it real value.

- Affeefa Hafiya, VIA

STRONG THINGS IN THE WORLD

Iron is strong,
But fire melts it.
Fire is strong,
But water extinguishes it.
Water is strong,
But it evaporates into clouds.
Clouds are strong,
But wind blows them away.
The wind is strong,
But mountains block its path
Mountains are strong,
But humans dominate them.
Humans are strong,
But fear overcomes them.
Fear is strong,
But sleep conquers it.
Sleep is strong,
But death overpowers it.
But kindness conquers, even death,
And remains forever.



- Alisha Saloni D'souza, VIIA

IN A PLEASANT MOOD

Patient: I have pain in my right leg.

Doctor: It is nothing to worry about. It is due to old age.

Patient: Strange! As far as I know, both my legs are of the same age!

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Subba: Master, I am going to invent something that will make me famous, in the four corners of the world.

Master: That is not possible, Subba

Subba: Why not?

Master: Because the world is round.

- Walterina Jessica Louis, VIIB

EFFECTS OF SOCIAL MEDIA ON STUDENTS





Nathasha Chrissane Lobo, IXA

Don't use social media to impress people, use it to impact people.

Social media is a playground for today's generation. Today's world is a global village. Everyone is connected to one another; whether it may be by whatsapp, face book, twitter, instagram and many more.

We live in a generation where losing our phone is more than losing our virginity where we are so dependent on the technology that is addictive as a drug.

90% of adults and 70% of teens are using social Media. As per 2015, the world's largest social networking company, Face book has 1.4 billion active users in which 72% are students.

As the proverb goes, "you can sign up for a face book account by your choice, but you cannot exist without the choice of face book?"

Social Media can be utilized as the beneficial tool to keep in touch with our friends and to communicate with people across the world.

- It connects people far and near
- Builds relationship among people
- We can share information
- We can send messages within a fraction of a second.
- Hence, It is very important and useful in today's generation.

But getting too involved in Social Media can lead to addiction, students forget now to interact face to face, who are their neighbours and who are their relatives. This can lead to misuse of personal information, online fraud, wastage of time eyesight problem, sleepless nights, increases stress etc,

However it must be mandatory in schools to educate students on the safe and correct access of social media.

So friends, its my humble request to you all, please do not gamble on your lives. We are the biggest asset of our country. Talk to each other, discuss with each other. It improves our relationship and also gives us self-confidence.

Student life is the most important stage in our life. God has given us this most precious life, maintain it and make use of it. Use social Media for a good purpose.

AMAZING FACTS

- Your left lung is smaller than your right lung to make room for your heart.
- All babies are colour blind when they are born
- The study of ant's is called myrmecology
- Polar bear can swim 60miles without pausing for a rest
- No word in the English language rhymes with month, orange or purple.
- A dragonfly has a life span of 24hours
- Bulls are colour blind.
- Zebres can't see the colour orange.
- A rat can do without water longer than a camel.

STORY-THE WILD CAT AND THE MOLE

One day, a wild cat sat under a tree in the forest. She was hungry and waited for some prey to pass by

A mole lived in a hole under the same tree. He peeped from his hole. When the cat saw him, her mouth watered she wanted to eat him. The cat said, "Poor creature! I pity you! God is very unkind to you. You live underground and cannot enjoy the sun like me. You should come out and enjoy the beautiful weather."



The Mole said, "I am happy and thankful to God for his gifts. The cat laughed and said, "you are half dead as you cannot enjoy life like others. God does not care for creatures like you" The Mole said, "God loves me. He did not give me eyes, but gave sharp ears which can sense danger before your eyes can even see it".

Suddenly, the Mole ran inside his hole in a hurry. The next moment, a hunter came near the tree He saw the cat and shot it. The cat had not seen the hunter, but the Mole had heard its footsteps and saved his own life.

Moral: God protects us at all times.

Jyothsna Riona Menezes, VIA

OH TIME, WE NEVER GOT YOU

Time-something precious and never ending
Once gone never comes back
No matter what we do
We'll never get it back once it flies off



Time is like a selfish little creature
Runs on, never waits for anyone
Makes people say,
"Oh no! Time is up!"
But it won't even care
It just runs its course

Time and tide wait for none
Is a proverb known to all
24 hours is like 24 minutes for the new generation
But alas! Instead we say, "we never got you!"

But remember we should always
Time is the one cause we enjoy our Sundays
Time is the one cause we go out and have dinner
Time is the one cause we watch a movie
Then why say, 'Oh no! I have no time!'

- Anusha Quadros, VII A

MOVING CLOUDS

Moving clouds, moving clouds
Where are you moving?
Carrying droplets of water on your shoulder
When you are tired of your burden
You make yourself light by sending rain

In summer you are as white as snow
In rainy season you are as black as coal
And sometimes blue or gray
Tell me who helps you to change your colours?

You are floating in the air
You are blocking the burning sun
And giving us plenty of shade
Are you not burning by its heat?

You are great!
You collect water from water bodies
And send them back in the form of rain
Are you not scared of huge aero planes?
When they pass through, hurting you?

How lucky you are!
You can roam around the big world
Without any ticket, free of cost
No one stops you to check your visa
Oh! Moving clouds you are really great!



ENVIRONMENT

"I can find God in nature, in animals, in birds and in the environment" says Pat Buckley

What is environment? As we know that we live on the planet earth, which is having different types of surroundings like air, land, water, living and nonliving things which is our environment, where we want to eat healthy, breathe freshly and live safely.

In older days man and environment had a great support. Human beings were entirely dependent on the nature, interms of food clothing and shelter. So there was a healthy natural balance between plants and animals, which helped in nourishing and developing all living things on this earth.

But what happens now? Our environment is in danger because of deforestation, industrialization, careless use of technology, population growth etc, which in turn results in all types of pollution as well as disturbs the ecosystem it causes health hazards to the birds, insects, animals, human beings etc.

Therefore we must understand the importance of ecological balance and promote a natural environment. So we have organizations like 'CITES', programmes like Vanamahostava, World Environment Day, we also have governments projects namely national park, wildlife sanctuaries, social forestry, rainwater harvesting, save underground water, Swachh Bharath, save rivers etc,.

In our school our Principal has started a new initiative regarding segregation of wastes in the form of organic, recyclable and non-recyclable wastes.

There is a saying that the children and students are the best hope of every nation. So as students what can be done?

We can walk or use bicycle to travel short distances, we can use water economically, switch off the power when not in use, use paper bags, reuse old things in new ways, have our own garden, at least grow one plant a year etc,.



Saving environment is the duty of every individual. We won't have a society if we destroy the environment.

Therefore "Love Environment, Live Environment"

Ashini Saldanha IVA

DARKBEAUTY

Afraid of the dark sky
I never went out
Just tried out going in the darkness today
The beauty of nature faded in the darkness
I felt as if the darkness will swallow me
I was lost in the dark sky
I realized that the beauty of nature never fades
It is ever lasting!!

Ginnel C Quadros, IX B

LOVE FOR ANIMALS

Bees give us honey
Cows give us milk
Hens give us eggs
Silkworm silk
And sheep wool
We use them as clothes
Animals help us
In so many ways
So let's be kind
And take care of them.



- Nupur Kamath

MY ROLE MODEL

My role model is Dr APJ Abdul Kalam. He was a great person. He was very kind and thoughtful. He came from a poor family. He wrote many books. He was famous all over the world. I also want to be a successful person like him. He was also known as the Missile man of India. He was a great soul, he worked hard and became a successful scientist. Even I would like to work hard and fulfill my parents dream.



Shonith H. Adappa, II A

AFRIEND

A friend of mine,
Is like a wine
Our friendship grows stronger
As the years go longer

A friend is with whom I can share
And I'll never find such a friend so rare
Our love will never fade away
Even though we may pass away

Her smile on her face
Makes my life win like a race
Such is a friend of mine
A friend of mine



- Rovita Lobo, III A

AERO PLANE

Aero plane, Aero plane
Flying so high
You look so small
Up there in the sky

You carry so many passengers
In your flight
And reach their destination
Within a night

- Rovita Lobo, III A

ಹೇಗೆ ತಾನೆ ಮರೆಯಲಿ

ಹೇಗೆ ತಾನೆ ಮರೆಯಲಮ್ಮ
ನಿನ್ನ ಕಣ್ಣ ಮಿಂಚನು
ಅದುವೆ ತಾನೆ ಎನ್ನ ನಿನ್ನ
ಮೌನ ವೀಣಾ ರಾಗವೂ
ಹೇಗೆ ತಾನೆ ಮರೆಯಲಿ

ನವಮಾಸ ಕಷ್ಟನುಂಗಿ
ಬರುವಿಕೆಗೆ ಹೆಣೆದೆ ಅಂಗಿ
ಪುಟ್ಟ ಪಾದ ಕಣ್ಣಿಗೊತ್ತಿ
ಹಮ್ಮನುಸಿರ ಬಿಟ್ಟ
ಕೋಮಲಾಂಗಿಯೇ ನಿನ್ನ
ಹೇಗೆ ತಾನೆ ಮರೆಯಲಿ

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ಎನ್ನ ಹರಸಿ ನಕ್ಕ
ವಿಲಾಸಿನಿಯೇ ನಿನ್ನ
ಹೇಗೆ ತಾನೆ ಮರೆಯಲಿ

ನಿನ್ನ ಕಡೆಯ ಕ್ಷಣವನು
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ಹೇಗೆ ತಾನೆ ಮರೆಯಲಿ

– **ತನಿಷ ಎಸ್. ಮೂಲ್ಯ,** VIB



ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಕೆಲವು ಪ್ರಥಮಗಳು

- ಭಾರತ ರತ್ನ ಪಡೆದ ಪ್ರಥಮ ಕನ್ನಡಿಗ – **ಸರ್.ಎಂ.ವಿಶ್ವೇಶರಯ್ಯ**
- ಕನ್ನಡದ ಮೊದಲ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆ – **ಮಂಗಳೂರು ಸಮಾಚಾರ**
- ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದಲ್ಲಿ ಮೊದಲು ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸಿದ ಊರು – **ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು**
- ಕನ್ನಡದ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಕವಿ – **ಎಂ. ಗೋವಿಂದ ಪೈ**
- ಪಂಪ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ ಪಡೆದ ಕನ್ನಡದ ಮೊದಲಕವಿ – **ಕುವೆಂಪು**
- ಕನ್ನಡದ ಮೊದಲ ನಾಟಕ – **ಮಿತ್ರಾವಿಂದ ಗೋವಿಂದ**
- ಕನ್ನಡದ ಮೊದಲ ವ್ಯಾಕರಣ ಗ್ರಂಥ – **ಶಬ್ದಮಣಿ ದರ್ಪಣ**
- ಸಂಪೂರ್ಣ ಸಾಕ್ಷರತೆ ಸಾಧಿಸಿದ ಪ್ರಥಮ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ – **ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ಕನ್ನಡ**
- ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಭೂ ಗರ್ಭ ವಿದ್ಯುದಾಗರ – **ವಾರಾಹಿ ವಿದ್ಯುದಾಗರ**

– **ಕೆ. ಶ್ರಾವ್ಯ ತಂತ್ರಿ,** 8ನೇ ಬಿ

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಪ್ರಮುಖ ಜಲಪಾತಗಳು

- ಜೋಗ ಜಲಪಾತ, ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ (ಶರಾವತಿ)
- ಶಿವನಸಮುದ್ರ, ಮಂಡ್ಯ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ (ಕಾವೇರಿ)
- ಮಾಗೋಡು, ಉತ್ತರ ಕನ್ನಡ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ (ಬೇಡ್ತಿ)
- ಲಾಲ್ ಗುಳಿ, ಉ.ಕ.ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ (ಕಾಳಿ)
- ಜಲದುರ್ಗ ಫಾಲ್ಸ್, ರಾಯಚೂರು (ಕೃಷ್ಣ)
- ಗೋಕಾಕಜಲಪಾತ, ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ (ಘಟಪ್ರಭಾ)
- ಉಂಚಳ್ಳಿ ಫಾಲ್ಸ್, ಉತ್ತರಕನ್ನಡ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ (ಅಘನಾಶಿನ)
- ಗಣೇಶ ಫಾಲ್ಸ್ ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ (ಘಟಪ್ರಭಾ)



– **ಕೆ. ಶ್ರಾವ್ಯ ತಂತ್ರಿ, 8ನೇ ಬಿ**

मेरी टीचर

मेरी टीचर अच्छी टीचर
सदा समय से आती है ।
अच्छे पाठ पढाती हमको
अच्छी बात सिखाती हमको ।

खेल कूद और पढ़ना लिखना
सब साथ में निभाती हैं ।
मीठी मीठी कविताओं को
याद कराती रहती हैं ।

अगर कहीं हम गलती कर दें
प्यार से वो समझाती हैं ।
मेरी टीचर अच्छी टीचर
सबके मन को भाती टीचर ।



-Mohammed Hasan
IIIB

भारत में महिलाओं का स्थान



– हैली कब्राल, IX A

भारत में महिलाओं की स्थिति ने पिछली कुछ सदियों में कई बड़े बदलावों का सामना किया है । प्राचीन काल में पुरुषों के साथ बराबरी की स्थिति से लेकर मध्ययुगीन काल के निम्न स्तरीय जीवन और साथ ही कई सुधारों के द्वारा समान अधिकारों को बढ़ावा दिए जाने तक, भारत में महिलाओं का इतिहास काफी गतिशील रहा है। आधुनिक भारत में महिलाएं राष्ट्रपति, प्रधानमंत्री, लोक सभा अध्यक्ष, प्रतिपक्ष की नेता आदी जैसे शीर्ष पदों पर आसीन हुई है ।

समाज में भारतीय महिलाओं की स्थिति में मध्ययुगीन काल के दौरान और अधिक गिरावट आयी । जब भारत में कुछ समुदायों में कुछ प्रयाएं शुरु हुई तब महिलाओं का जीना मुश्किल हो गया था । उन में कुछ प्रथाएं हैं

1. सती :

सती प्रथा एक प्राचीन और काफी हद तक विलुप्त रिवाज है, कुछ समुदायों में विधवा को अपने पति की चिता में अपनी जीवित आहुति देनी पड़ती थी । हालाकी यह कृत्य विधवा की ओर से स्वैच्छिक रूप से किए जाने की उम्मीद की जाती थी, ऐसा माना जाता है की कई बार इसके लिए विधवा को मज़बूर किया जाता है । 1829 में अंग्रेजों ने इसे समाप्त कर दिया । आजादी के बाद से सती होने के लगभग चालीस मामले प्रकाश में आये है । 1987 में राजस्थान की रूपकवर का मामला सती प्रथा (रोक) अधिनियम का कारण बना ।

2. जौहर :

जौहर का मतलब सभी हारे हुए (सिर्फ राजपूत योद्धाओं की पत्नियों और बेटियों के शत्रु द्वारा बंदी बनाये जाने और बेटियों के शत्रु द्वारा बंदी बनाये जाने और इसके बाद उत्पीडित से बचने के लिए स्वौच्छिक रूप से अपनी आहुति देने की प्रथा है ।

3. परदा :

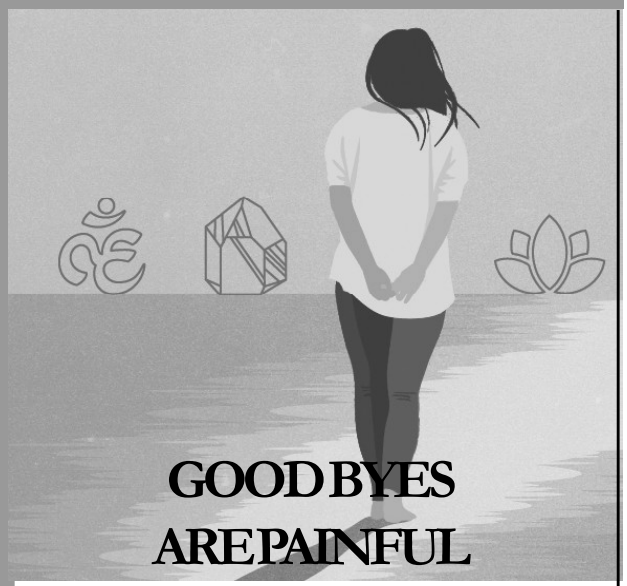
परदा वह प्रथा है जिसमें कुछ समुदायों में महिलाओं को अपने तन को इस प्रकार से ढंकना जरूरी होता है की उनकी त्वचा और रंग – रूप का किसी को अंदाजा ना लगे । यह महिलाओं के क्रियाकलापों को सीमित कर देता है, यह आजादी से मिलने जुलने के उनके अधिकार को सीमित करता है और यह महिलाओं की अधिनता का एक प्रतीक है ।

4. देवदासी :

देवदासी दक्षिण भारत के कुछ हिस्सों में एक धार्मिक प्रथा है जिसमें देवता या मंदिर के साथ महिलाओं की शादी कर दी जाती है । यह परंपरा दसवी सदी ए.डी. तक अच्छी तरह अपनी पैठ जमा चुकी थी । बाद की अवधि में देवदासियों का अवैध थान उत्पीडित भारत के कुछ हिस्सों में एक रिवाज बन गया ।

अब महिलाओं की स्थिति पूरी तरह बदल चुकी है । अब वे कमजौर नही है हर बाधा को पार कर सकती है । हमारे देश में बहुत से महिलाओं ने बहुत तरक्की की है । उपलब्धियों को हासिल किया है जैसे बचेन्द्री पाल भारत की पहली महिला जिसने एवरेस्ट को हासिल किया । किरण बेडी जो भारत की पहली महिला आई.पि.एस बनी । कर्णम मल्लेश्वरी ने औलिंपिक में पदक जीता । प्रतिभा पाटिल भारत की पहली महिला राष्ट्रपति बनी । हिमा दास जिसने एशियन गेम्स में पदक हासिल किया, भावना कस्तुरी जो की भारत की पहली महीला बनी जिसने गणतंत्र दिवस भारतीय थलसेना के पुरुषों के कंटिजेट का नेत्रत्व किया ।

ऐसी और भी कई महिलाए हैं जिन्होंने अपने सपने साकार किए है । हमें उन सब का सम्मान करना चाहिए । और उन सब को सलाम करना चाहिए ।



A lump in the throat
An anxious, drop of sweat
A tear in the eyes
A feeling of debt
The skip of a heartbeat
Emptiness in the soul
This is how I feel
As I leave my role as teacher of Don Bosco
My school was my family
that had accepted me for me
laughed with me, cried with me
helped me in my needs and grief
Life will not be the same hereafter
Goodbye will remain in my heart
like a beautiful song
Shine well with glories like sun beams
As this is my only dream
I say thank you, I love you
and you all mean everything to me
Good bye and stay blessed
I just wish you the BEST

- Mrs Cecilia Lewis

ನನ್ನ ಬಾಲ್ಯ

ದಾರಿಯಿದೆ ಸಾಗಲು...
ಮುಂದೆ ಮುಂದೆ ಹೋದಷ್ಟು
ಹಿಂದಿರುಗಲಸಾಧ್ಯ
ಸಾಧ್ಯವಾಗುವುದಾದರೆ
ನನಗಿನ್ನೊಮ್ಮೆ ಬೇಕು
ನನ್ನ ಬಾಲ್ಯ, ನನ್ನ ಮಿತ್ರರು
ನನ್ನಜ್ಜಿ ಹೇಳುವ
ಪುಟ್ಟ ಪುಟ್ಟ ಕತೆಗಳು
ನನ್ನ ಮಿತ್ರರೊಂದಿಗೆ
ಆಡಿದ ಸಣ್ಣಪುಟ್ಟ
ಆಟಗಳು... ಆ ಮೋಜಿನ
ಕ್ಷಣಗಳು... ನನ್ನ ಪುಟ್ಟ
ಬೆನ್ನಿನ ಮೇಲೆ ಕುಟುಂಬದ
ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿಗಳು

–ಗ್ರೆಟ್ಟಾ ಜೂಲಿಯೆಟ್ ನೊರೊನ್ಹಾ, ಶಿಕ್ಷಕಿ

ನನ್ನ ಬಾಲ್ಯ

ನೀನಾಡುವ ಮಾತಲ್ಲಿ
ನನ್ನ ಮಾತ ಕಂಡೆ
ನಿನ್ನ ಹಾವ ಭಾವ
ಸ್ಮರಿಸುತ್ತಿತ್ತು... 'ನನ್ನ ಬಾಲ್ಯ'
ನನ್ನ ನೆನಪು
ಹಿಂದೆ ಜಾರಿತು...
ಆದರೆ ಇಂದು...
ಬಾಲ್ಯ ಕಳೆದು ಮುಪ್ಪಾಯಿತು
ಆದರೆ ನಾ ಕಂಡ ಕನಸು
ಎಲ್ಲೋ ಕಳೆದು ಹೋಯ್ತು...

ಬೆಳವಣಿಗೆ

ಈಗಲೂ ಇದೆ ನಿನ್ನ ಬಗ್ಗೆ
ಕಳಕಳಿ
ಬೆತ್ತಲಾಕಾರದ ಕೆಳಗೆ
ಹೆಬ್ಬಂಡೆ, ಬೆಟ್ಟಗಳೆಡೆಯಲ್ಲಿ
ಏಕಾಕಿ ಹುಡುಕುತ್ತಿರುವೆ
ಎಂದಾದರೊಂದು ದಿನ ನನ್ನ
ಧ್ವನಿ ನಿನ್ನ ಕಿವಿಯಲ್ಲಿ
ಮಾರ್ದನಿಗೊಂಡಿತೇ...?



DON BOSCO ENGLISH MEDIUM SCHOOL, SHIRVA

CHAIN OF EVENTS (April 2018 to April 2019)

April 2018

11-04-2018: On going formation to the teaching staff on Pearl Text Books & Phonetics by Prof.R Victor, Mangalore

16-04-2018 & 17-04-2018: Training programme to the teaching staff on Computer Software- Linux Obuntu by the resource persons from R.V.College, Bangalore – Dr Renuka Prasad B, Dr Chandrashekar, Dr Manjunath & Mr Kumaraswamy.

17-04-2018 to 22-04-2018: Mrs. Josphine Rebello & Mrs. Reshma Pinto attended "Advanced Training " on Bulbuls which was held at Pilikula, Mangalaore conducted by the Department of Bharath Scouts & Guides.

May 2018

08-05-2018: Obtained 100% result in SSLC State Board Examinations.

No. of students appeared : 70
Distinctions : 39
First Class : 28
Second Class : 03
Top Scorer : Harikrishna N Bhat - Marks 613
Second Topper : Nicola Rodrigues - Marks 604
Third Toppers : Sherline Samantha Menezes & Arrel Lobo Marks 600

14-05-2018 to 18-05-2018: Five days training programme conducted to the teachers on "Functional English" by the resource person Mr. Arwin Rodrigues, Mangalore.

21-05-2018 to 23-05-2018: A training programme was conducted to the teachers on Psychology by the resource persons

25-05-2018: The school got affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Education with the affiliation number 830838

June 2018

02-06-2018: An orientation programme to the parents of LKG was conducted.

04-06-2018: The academic year 2018-19 was inaugurated by conducting a prayer service.

05-06-2018: The new block of the school building & the Lunch Home was blessed by the Bishop of Udupi Diocese Most.Rev.Dr Gerald Isaac Lobo. The farewell function to Very Rev Fr Stany Tauro the correspondent of the school was arranged.

05-06-2018: The World Environment Day was celebrated.

11-06-2018 - Election of the Cabinet Ministers was held by polling system.

14-06-2018: Welcomed the new Correspondent Very Rev.Fr Denis A Dsa & the Assistant Parish Priest Rev. Fr Ashwin Aranha.

Investiture programme of the School Cabinet was conducted. The school Souvenir "Bosco Rays" was realeased.

15-06-2018: The result of Drawing Grade Examination was announced.

	Higher Grade	Lower Grade
Students Appeared	10	17
Distinction	03	03
First Class	04	08
Second Class	03	06

21-06-2018: The Scoutes, Guides, Cubs & Bulbuls celebrated "World Yoga Day "

8 Scoutes & 11 Guides had visited Adarsha Hospital Udupi to obtain Ambulance Man Badge.

23-06-2018: Inaugurated various clubs of the school & celebrated Ramzan.

26-06-2018: The school secured certificate for the SSLC 100 % result from the Education Department.

28-06-2018 & 29-06-2018: Five teachers of our school Mrs. Shalet Mathias, Mrs. Lavina Dsouza, Mrs. Reshma Dsouza, Mrs. Ivin Dsouza & Mrs. Priya Dimple Martis had attended two days Capacity Building Programme on

classroom management, at St. Mary's School Kannarpadi, Udupi. This programme was organized by AICS Chennai.

July 2018

30.06.2018: Sr Letitia and Mrs Cecelia Lewis attended Catechism and Value Education Co-ordinators Seminar at Divyajyothi, Udupi.

05-07-2018: Celebrated Vanamahostava in the school. The K.G section celebrated Green Day.

07-07-2018: AICS had conducted interschool competitions at Trinity Central School, Perampalli. 17 of our students participated in various cultural competitions. Wilcita Lobo of Class X secured II place in Paper Quilling Competition, and other students were honoured with participation certificates.

12-07-2018 & 13-07-2018: Parent Teacher Interface was conducted in 4 sessions.

14-07-2018: Sr. Letitia pais & Mrs. Juliet Sequeira attended one day Capacity Building Programme at St Marys English Medium School Kannarpady. The resource person was Dr Abdul Jaleel.

Drawing Competition was conducted to the students from class 1 to 10.

August 2018:

01-08-2018: The students of Scouts, Guides, Cubs & Bulbuls celebrated World Scouts Scarf Day.

Arranged a talk on Adolescent Problems & Effects of social media. The students from class 6th to 10th were divided in 4 groups. The resource persons were 1. Mr. Leslie Aroza, Director Family Commission, Diocese of Udupi 2. Mr. Amar M Sequeira, Lecturer Bandarkar College Kundapur. 3. Mrs. Prathiba, Principal Dhanvanthari Nursing College, Udupi. 4 Ms.Sara Dsilva, Lecturer Dhanvanthari Nursing College, Udupi.

09-08-2018: The K.G students celebrated Orange Day.

10-08-2018: Singing Competition was conducted for K.G Students.

15-08-2018: Celebrated Independence Day. The Chief Guest was Mr. Joshua Rodrigues, Ex-Student of our School.

16-08-2018: Parisara Samrakshana Day & distribution of saplings with collaboration of Dist.Administration Udupi, Lions Club 3176, Diocese of Udupi, St.Marys & Don Bosco Educational Institutions was held at our school Auditorium.

20-08-2018: Act for Kerala- the students & staff contributed the best quality items of daily needs and clothes to the people of Kerala.

21-08-2018: Celebrated National Library Day

24-08-2018: 56 students of Keyboard class appeared theory & practical grade examinations conducted by Melody Music School, affiliated to Trinity College of London.

25-08-2018: Conducted Singing Competitions from class 1 to 10th

September 2018:

02-09-2018: K.G section celebrated Yellow Day.

03-09-2018: The management of Don Bosco & St Marys Educational Institutions celebrated Teachers Day.

05-09-2018: Celebrated Teachers Day during the School Assembly.

07-09-2018: K.G section celebrated Purple Day.

12-09-2018: Grand Parents Day was celebrated by the K.G.students. Mrs. Emilia Santos retired teacher of our school was the Chief Guest.

14-09-2018 & 15-09-2018: Mrs.Philomena Barboza, Mrs. Maria Anitha Dsouza & Mrs. Priya Reshma Noronha attended Capacity Building Programme on Inclusive Education at St. Agnes School, Bendur Mangalore. It was organized by the CBSE headquarters Chennai.

17-09-2018: Conducted Elocution Competition to the students from Class 1 to 10th .

22-09-2018: The results of Keyboard Music Grade Examinations

Grades	No.of students appeared	Distinctions	First Class	Second Class
Initial	25	11	05	09
Grade I	14	11	02	01
Grade II	10	05	03	02
Grade III	04	01	03	

25-09-2018: Mid Term Examinations Commenced.

October 2018

06-10-2018: 18 teachers attended a training on POCSO held at St.Marys College Shirva.

09-10-2018: The K.G Students celebrated Fruit Salad Day.

11-10-2018 & 12-10-2018: Annual Sports Meet was organized for the students from 5th to 10th Dr Mohan Alva Director of Alvas Educational Instituion, Moodbidri.

13-10-2018: Mrs.Juliet Gretta Noronha & Mrs. Genevieve Anita Gomes attended training Programme on Health & Physical Fitness at St.Marys School, Kannarpady Udupi Organised by AICS Chennai.

14-10-2018 to 24-10-2018: October Holidays.

18-10-2018 to 21-10-2018: Roveeta Monis, Roveena Monis & Heckson Fernandes of Class 9th attended 3 days Life Skill Training Programme at St.Joseph English Medium School Belmannu organized by Young students Movement, Diocese of Udupi.

21-10-2018 & 22-10-2018: The students participated in the II National Level Open Karate Championship held at Hubballi. Floyd Serrao of class III won silver medal in Kata Aden Dsouza of class II won bronze medal in Kata

22-10-2018: Organised half a day training session to all the teachers on English communication by Very Rev.Fr Valerian Mendonca.

23-10-2018: Open day for High School section was organised.

27-10-2018: Open day for K.G. section was organised 15 students of High school Section participated in Foot Ball Tournament held at Yenepoya School, Mangalore.

29-10-2018: Open Day for the classes 1 to 7th was organised.

November 2018

02-11-2018: Yellow Day was celebrated in K.G.Section.

03-11-2018: 4 students participated in IT Quiz competition which was held at Vidyanikethan Public School, Kaup.

Elocution Competition was conducted to the students from class 1 to 10th

05-11-2018: K.G students celebrated Deepavali.

10-11-2018: Essay competition was conducted from class 1to 10th

12-11-2018: Most Rev.Dr Gerald Isaac Lobo, Bishop of Udupi Diocese visited the school and addressed the staff of the school.

13-11-2018: Story Telling competition was conducted for the students of K.G.Section.

14-11-2018: Childrens Day & Deepavali Festival was celebrated. Afternoon session squadwise competitions on Rangoli for girls & Sky Lamp preparation for boys from class 5th to 10th were conducted.

16-11-2018: Annual Sports was organized for the students from class 1 to 4th. The Correspondent Very Rev. Fr Denis A Dsa inaugurated the Sports Meet. The Chief Guest was Dr Mohan Alva, Chairman, Alvas Educaiton Foundation, Moodbidri.

20-11-2018 to 22-11-2018: 25 students of Lower grade & 18 students of Higher Grade appeared the Grade examinations conducted by the Secondary Education Examination Board, Bangalore.

27-11-2018: 4 days Annual day celebrations of the school began with the Flag Hoisting & Inauguration of craft ,drawing

& stitching works. The Chief Guest was Mr Harikrishna Acharya, Asst. Sub Police Inspector, Shirva.

28-11-2018: Annual Day celebration of Primary Section. Very Rev Fr Denis A Dsa the Correspondent of the school was the President. Dr Vincent Alva, the Principal of Milagres College, Kallianpur was the chief guest. Classwise variety entertainment programmes were presented.

29-11-2018: Annual day celebration of High school section. Very Rev Fr Denis A Dsa the Correspondent of the school was the President. Mr.Udyavara Madhava Acharya, Rtd.Economics Professor, Orator, Short Story writer,Poet Choreographer & Theator Director was the chief guest. The stage programme was followed by the cultural programme by the students. Master Harikrisna N Bhat Top scorer in SSLC Examination 2017-18 was felicitated.

30-11-2018: Celebrated the Annual Day of K.G section.

The demonstration of Key Board Music & karate was organized. The chief guest was Mrs.Sowjanya Shetty, Administrative Officer, Baliga Hospital Udupi was the chief guest. The correspondent Very Rev Fr Denis A Dsa presided over the function.

December 2018

01-12-2018: 24 students had participated in Athletics Meet held at District Stadium, Ajjarkadu Udupi conducted by the Association of ICSE & CBSE Schools.

The following students secured the Medals:

Anwith Shetty class X- Bagged 2 gold medals in High Jump & Discuss Throw

Huzaifa of class X - Bagged bronze medal in High Jump

Panchami Tantry of class VIII - bagged bronze medal in Discuss Throw

Anwith Shetty was the Individual Champion under 17 age group Boys Category.

04-12-2018: celebrated Red Day in K.g Section.

10-12-2018: 19 scouts and 22 guides, 9 cubs & 11 bulbuls attended Dwithiya Sopana Examination at St.Johns Academy, Shankerapura.

11-12-2018: Conducted Squadwise quiz competition from class 5th to 10th .

13-12-2018: Elocution competition was conducted for K.G. students.

21-12-2018: Celebrated Christmas by the K.G Students.

22-12-2018: Christmas celebration was held for the class 1 to 10.

23-12-2018: Christmas Holidays commenced from 23-12-2018 to 01-01-2019.

January 2019:

06-01-2019: Conducted Diocesan Level Catechism & Value Education examinations to the students of class 7th & 10th .

10-01-2019: 45 students of class 10th attended Prerana Shibira at Narayanaguru English Medium School, Padubelle, organized by B.E.O Udupi.

12-01-2019: Organised Sports Meet for the students of K.G.section.Chief guest was Mr. Roshan Menezes, President of USWAS, Dubai

13-01-2019& 14-01-2019: State Level open Karate Championship held at Swami Vivekananda School,Puttur. Some of our students participated and secured medals.

Four students of our school attended Key Board practical examinations at Trinity Music School, Mangalore. Shawn Wren Saldanha sucured Grade III, Alston Dsouza secured Grade II, Glenn Fernandes secured Grade II, Rowin Castelino Grade II.

16-01-2019: 5th District Karate Championship 2019 held at Bharathi Vidya Bhavan School, Mangalore four students have participated in Belt Exams and secured places.

YSM 14 students attended Samskrithi Utsava at St.Marys School,Kannarpadi, Udupi.

17-01-2019: 11 students of Scoutes & Guides participated in the training held at Bantakal.

21-01-2019: Foundation stone laid for the School Entrance Gate.

K.G section students celebrated Blue Day.

25-01-2019: Conducted Drawing competition for the K.G students

26-01-2019: Celebrated Republic Day. Lion V.G Shetty MJF second Vice District Governor was the chief guest.

26 students of Guides participated in District Parade and won consolation prize.

31-01-2019: Celebrated Patrons Day. Mr. jayakara Shetty Indrali was the chief guest.

February 2019

11-02-2019: The students of K.G section conducted Rainbow Day.

12-02-2019: The Parent Teacher Interface was conducted in two sessions.

14-02-2019: LKG students were taken out to show the places of worship.

15-02-2019: The students of UKG were taken out to show community helpers.

23-02-2019: The affiliation of our school and Newly Built School building was Inagurated at the school campus. Mr.Oscar Fernandes, Member of Parliament inaugurated the School building & unveiled the flank. Dr Gerald Isaac Lobo, Bishop of Udupi Diocese blessed the new building and released the school logo and CBSE logo during the formal function. Mr. Ivan Dsouza member of Legislative Council & Secretary of Parliament Affairs, Mr. Lalaji Mendon, MLA kaup, Mr. Vinay Kumar Sorake, former MLA Kaup, Rev Fr Antony Serrao, Secretary CBE, Mangalore Very Rev Fr Stany Tauro, Founder correspondent of Don Bosco CBSE school, Shirva, Prof. Mathew C Nainan, Director Little Rock Indian School, Brahmavar, Mr. Wilson Rodrigues, Member of Udupi Zilla Panchayath, Mrs. Varija Poojary, President Shirva Panchyath, Mrs.Geetha Wagle, Member of Udupi Taluk Panchayath, Very Rev Fr Denis A Dsa the correspondent of the school, Rev Fr Mahesh Dsouza, Principal, Mr. Wilson Dsouza, the Vice –President of PPC, Mrs.Leena Machado, Secretary of PPC, Mr. Melwyn Aranha, the Co-ordinator of 18 commissions, the members of Managing Committee, the members of the Finance Committee were present on the dias. The stage programme was followed by the Musical Nite by Mrs Anuradha Bhat, Mr. Ajay Warrior & Team, Bangalore

March 2019

05-03-2019: II term examinations for K.G students commenced.

09-03-2019: Prize Distribution Programme and the Send-Off function for SSLC students were organized.

14-03-2019: II term final examinations were commenced for class 1 to 9th students.

24-03-2019: One day residential camp was organized for 130 students of Cubs, Bulbuls, Scouts & Guides at Bharath Scoutes/Guides District Training Centre, Pragathi Nagar, Manipal.

26-03-2019: Send-Off function to Mrs.Cecilia Lewis was organized.

27-03-2019: Final results of LKG students.

27-03-2019 to 17-04-2019: Coaching classes on various sports & games was conducted for the interested students from class 1 to 9th .

28-03-2019: Final results of UKG students was announced.

April 2019

05-04-2019: Final results of the students of class 1to 4th was announced.

06-04-2019: Theory & Pratical Examinations were conducted to 29 students from Initial & Grade II Key Board Music Students.

08-04-2019: Final results of the students of class 5th to 7th was announced.

Gradewise pratical & theory examinations for Grade I, Grade III & Grade IV for 34 students was conducted.

09-04-2019: The final results of the students of class 8th & 9th was announced.

27-04-2019: The Main Entrance Gate of the school was inaugurated by Mrs & Mr Ignatius Janet Lobo,Mrs.& Mr Kevin Anitha Lobo & Master Anvin Lobo at 5.00 P.M.The correspondent Very Rev. Fr Denis A Dsa blessed the Main Entrance Gate.

EDUCATIONAL QUOTES

Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.

-Nelson Mandela

Education is the key to unlock the golden door of freedom.

-George Washington Carver

The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character - that is the goal of true education.

-Martin Luther King, Jr.

Develop a passion for learning. If you do, you will never cease to grow.

-Anthony J. D'Angelo

Education is not preparation for life; education is life itself. **-John Dewey**

The roots of education are bitter, but the fruit is sweet. **-Aristotle**

Education is what remains after one has forgotten what one has learned in school.

-Albert Einstein

An investment in knowledge pays the best interest. **-Benjamin Franklin**

The Best way to predict your Future is to create it. **-Abraham Lincoln**

Education is a better safeguard of liberty than a standing army.

-Edward Everett

Children have to be educated, but they have also to be left to educate themselves.

-Ernest Dimnet

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We the proud Bosconians

In Don Bosco brotherhood

Nursing in our hearts the joys of true knowledge

and the good

Forward march with equal pace

Through our country's sounding ways

Treading where our Fathers trod

In the glorious light of God

We who are the happy band

Will not shrink from sweat and strife

In the service of our land

For a brighter cleaner life

We will toil till out of gloom

Day shall dawn and desert bloom

And our country's blessed soil

Shall be green and gold for God

DON BOSCO IN THE NEWS PAPER

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TINY TOTS ACTIVITIES


Library Hour


Purple Day


Red Day


Teachers' Day


Vegetable Print


Christmas


Lemon Juice Preparation


Rain Bow Day

KINDERGARTEN SECTION

TINY TOTS ACTIVITIES


Stringing the Beads



Grand Parent's Day


Blue Day


Picnic


Picnic


Ice Cream Stick Activity


Building the blocks


Drawing Competition

KINDERGARTEN SECTION

TINY TOTS ACTIVITIES



Deepavali Celebration


Independence Day


Pencil Shaving Art


Shapes Collage


Sorting and sticking the grains


Different Taste Day


Solving the Puzzles


Green Day

KINDERGARTEN SECTION

TINY TOTS ACTIVITIES



Yellow Day



Palm Print Activity



Paper Craft Activity



Fruit Salad Activity



Cotton Ball Activity



Different Taste Day



Paper Crumbpling



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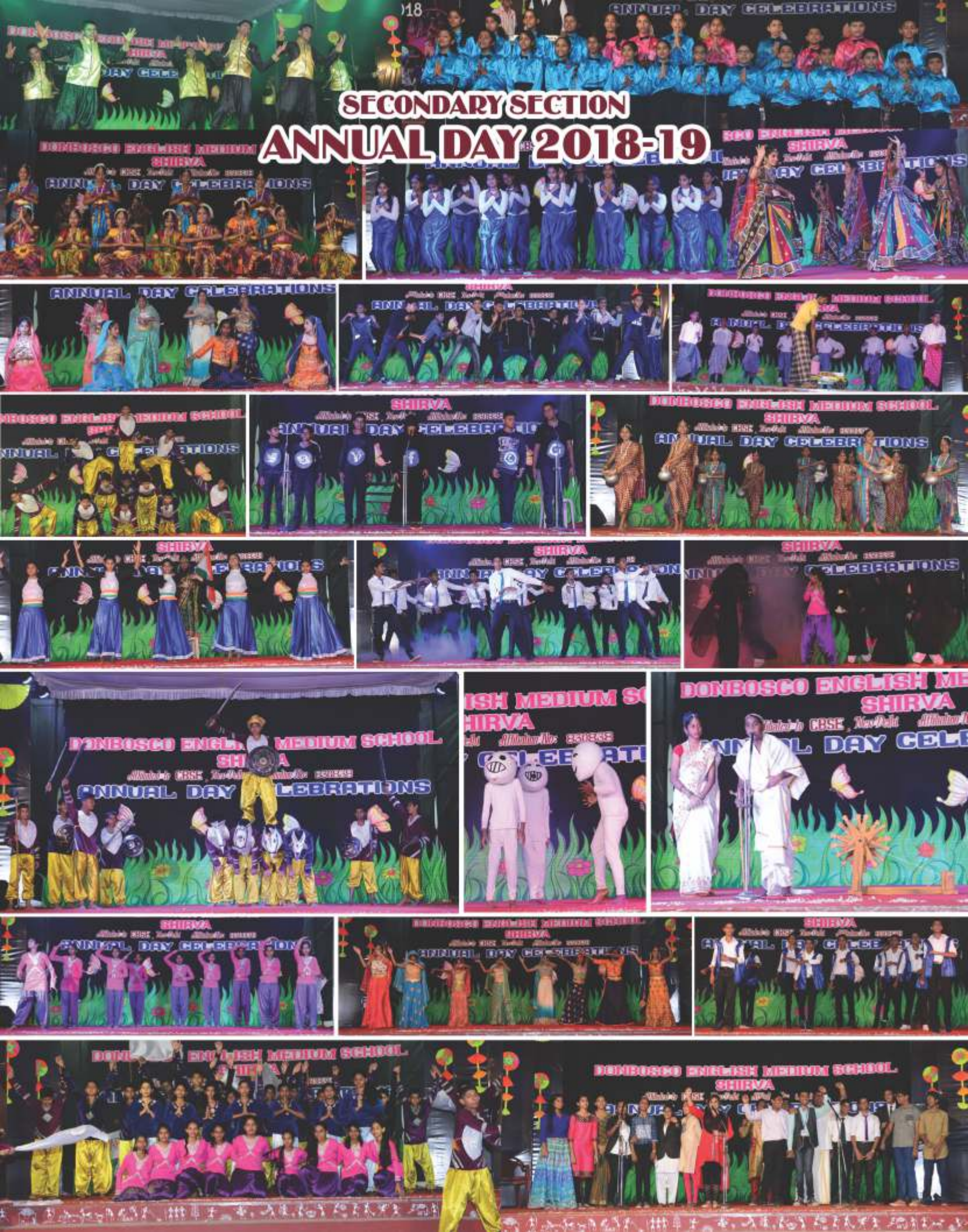


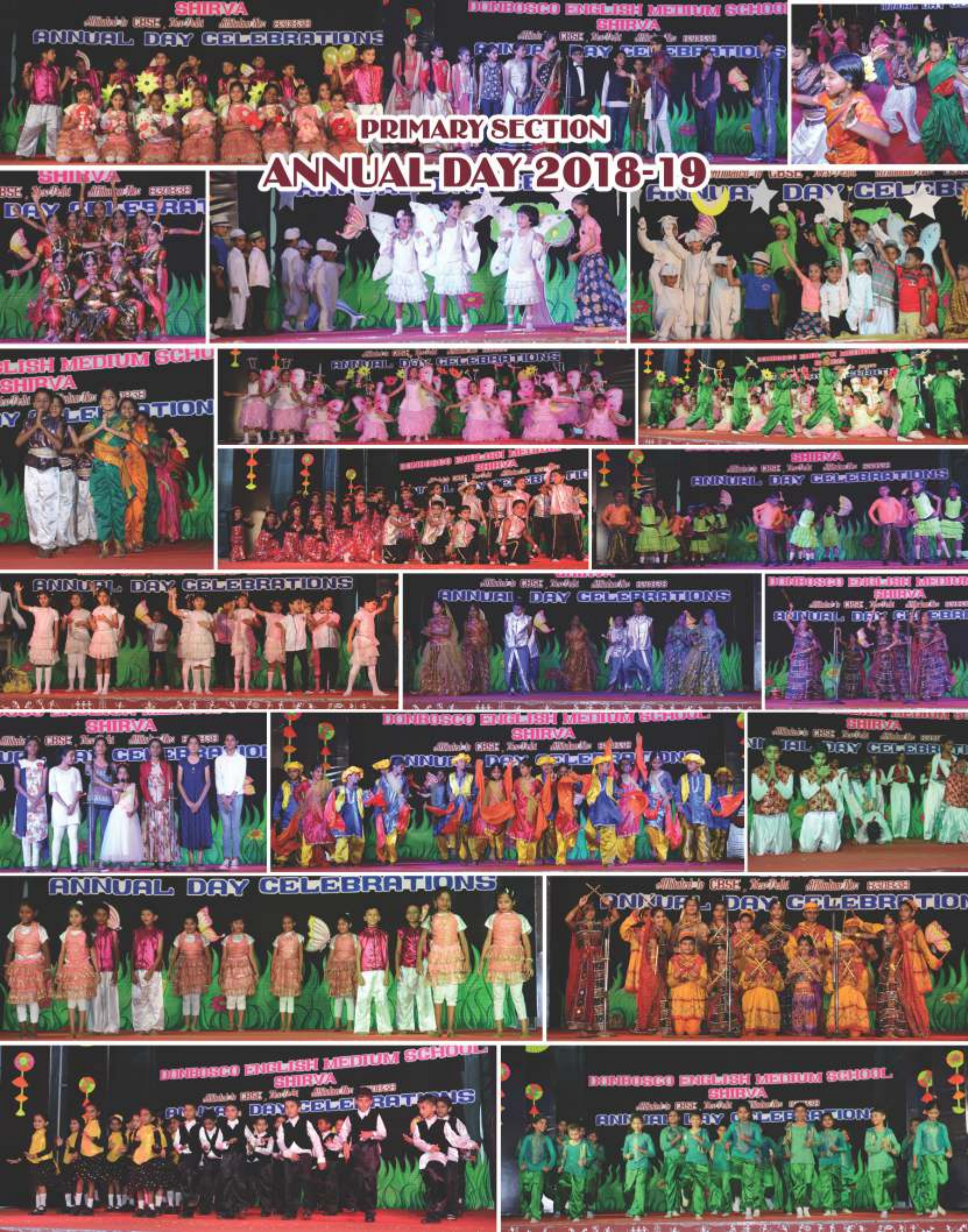


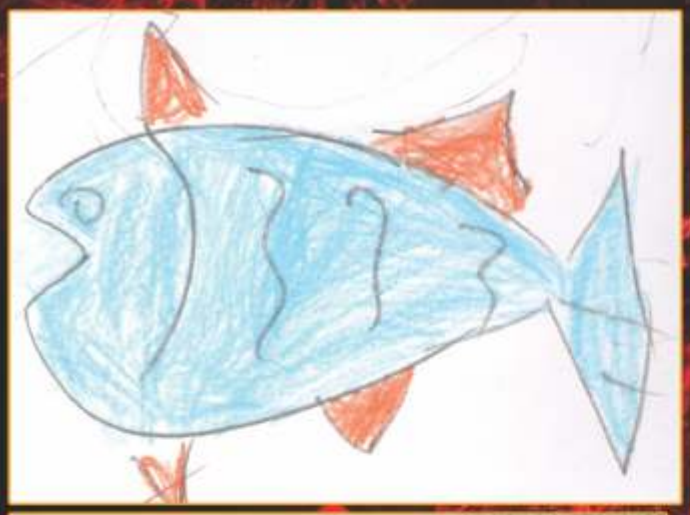







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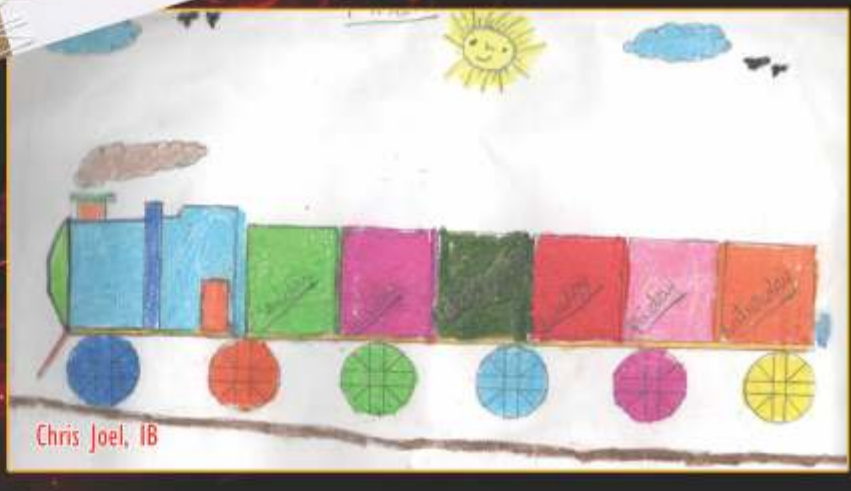

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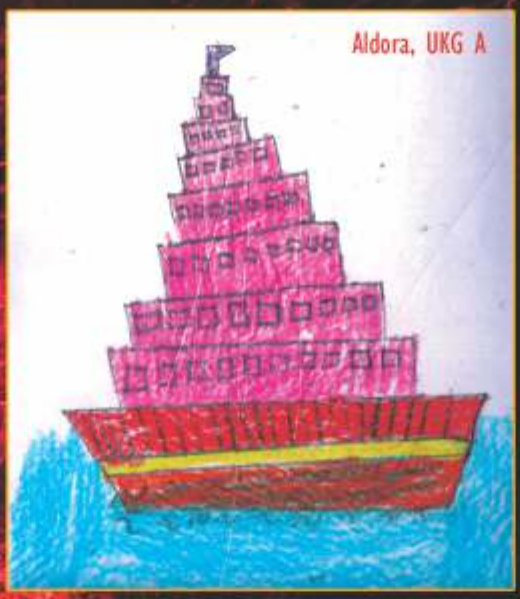

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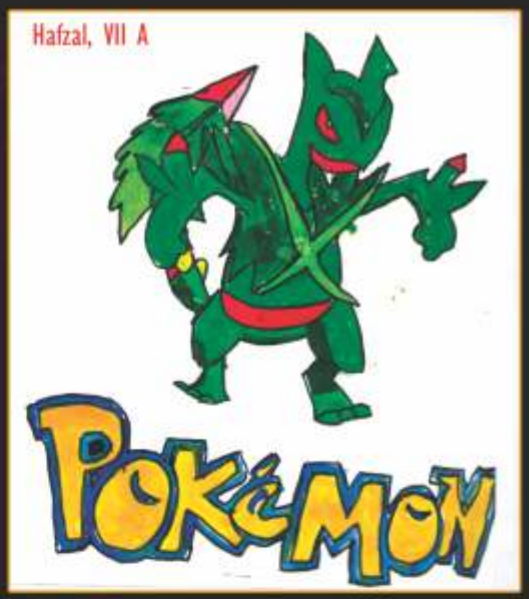

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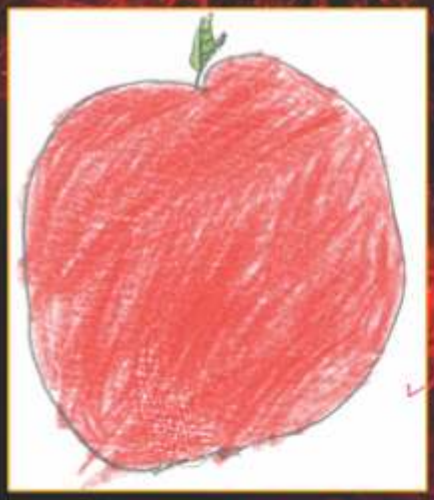

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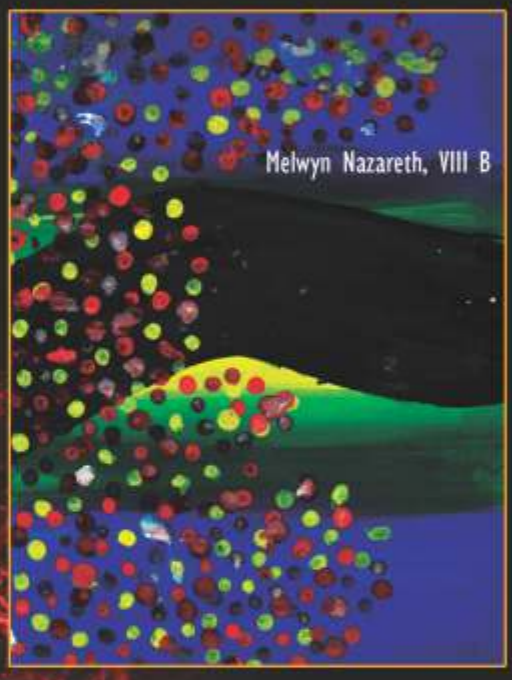

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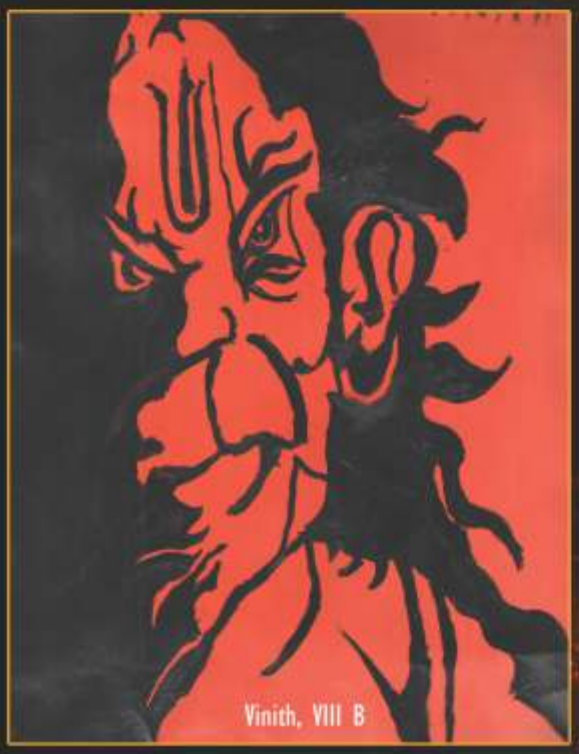

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DON BOSCO ENGLISH MEDIUM SCHOOL, SHIRVA

SSLC TOP SCORERS 2018-19



VALINE NORONHA
(95.04%)



AYSHA SAHANA
(93.76%)



KHATHIJA BI
(91.52%)



RIKITA SALDANHA
(89.76%)



CIMONA NAZARETH
(89.12%)



ALLAN MATHIAS
(88.64%%)



RENVIL CASTELINO
(88.64%)



WILCITA LOBO
(87.2%)



MELISHA CASTELINO
(86.56%)



AVNI FERRAO
(86.4%)



NEAL JOHN ALVA
(85.92%)



ROSHELLE DSOUZA
(85.76%)



ANISHA ALVA
(85.76%)



RICHELLE MONIS
(85.28)

Best Wishes From :

MANAGEMENT, ALUMNI, PARENTS, STAFF & STUDENTS

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(in Loving Memory of Master Akvin Christ Lobo)

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Mr & Mrs Kevin, Anitha Lobo *(Parents)*
& **Master Anvin Lobo** **(Brother)**

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Saturday, 27th April, 2019

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