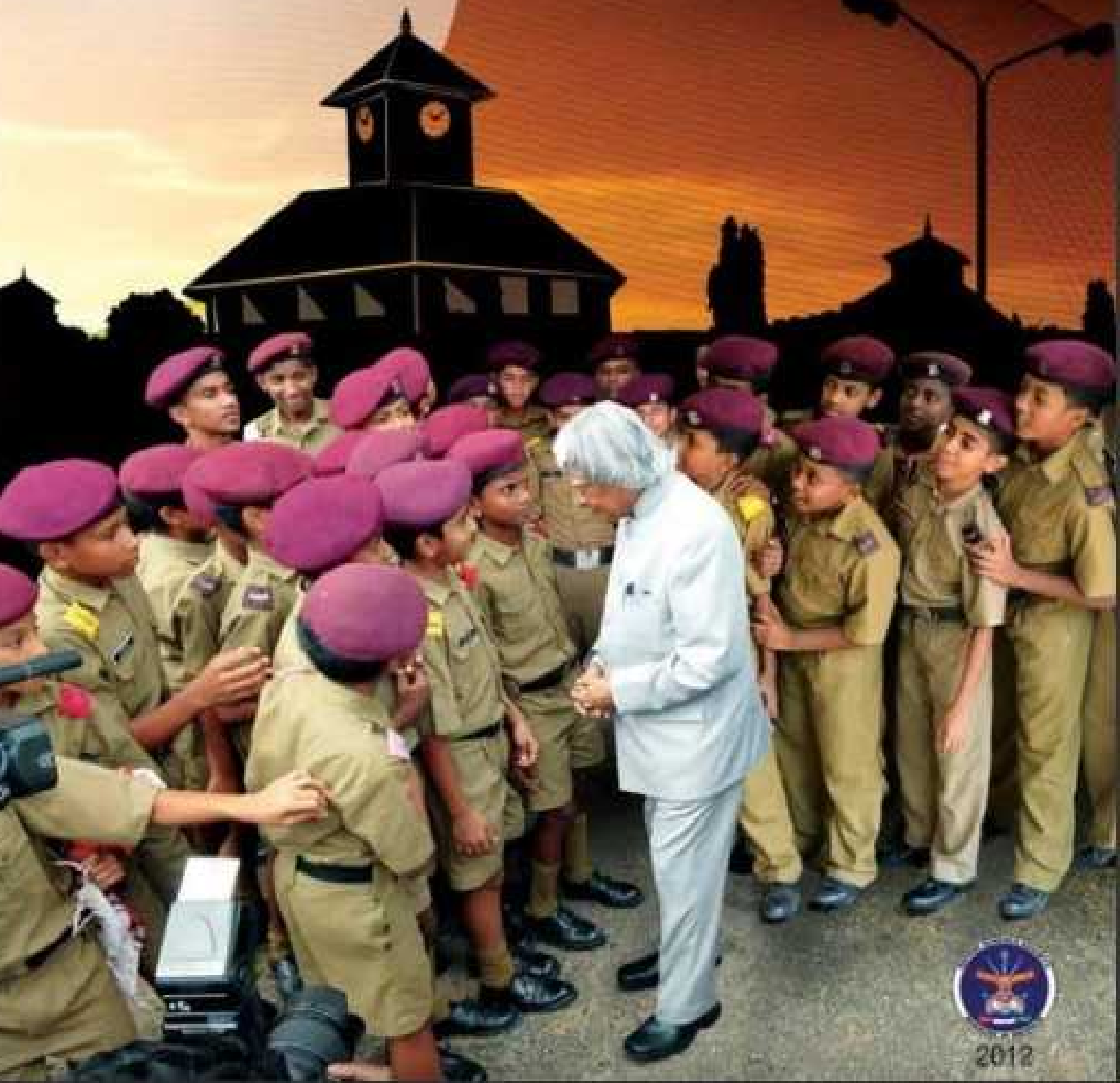




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Mission Statement

Embedding values and nurturing excellence in young minds through education, work, and play thus paving the path to National Defence Academy



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Golden Jubilee 1962-2012



Inauguration of Golden Jubilee Ball at Sainik School, Kazhakoottam, 2012

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Air Marshal RK Jolly VM, VSM
Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief

I am immensely pleased to note that Sainik School, Kazhakoottam will soon release the next issue of its Annual Magazine - The Kazhak Cadet.

Since its formation, the school has achieved significant success. In the last five decades, many outstanding officers in the armed forces as well as exemplary achievers in other fields of nation building have passed through the portals of this school. It is heartening to note that during the occasion of the Golden Jubilee celebrations of the school, overwhelming enthusiasm was noticed amongst the cadets, staff, parents as well as the alumni.

The school magazine unfolds all activities of the previous academic session and also provides an opportunity to the cadets to showcase their writing talents in English, Hindi and local vernacular. 'The Kazhak Cadet' in this edition has not only achieved all this, but makes an interesting read.

I wish the Principal, Staff and Cadets all success in their endeavours in the years to come and also complement the Editorial Board for publishing yet another splendid journal.

Jai Hind!

Thiruvananthapuram,
November, 2012.

Air Marshal RK Jolly



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Message



Sameer Kumar Khare
Joint Secretary (TRG) & CAO



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It is heartening to know that Sainik School Kazhakoottam, is bringing out its next issue of annual magazine 'The Kazhak Cadet'. On this occasion, I extend my congratulations to entire Sainik School Kazhakoottam fraternity.

It is a matter of pride that the School has been carrying out the entrusted responsibility with sincerity & devotion and preparing the young cadets to become responsible citizens. A large number of its alumni have not only occupied decorated ranks in Armed Forces but have also distinguished themselves in other walks of life.

I am confident that the school would continue to provide quality education and build character of the young cadets to enable them to serve the nation in years to come.

New Delhi
November, 2012

Sameer Kumar Khare

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Rabindra Prasad
Deputy Secretary (TRG) &
Honorary Secretary

It is a matter of pleasure to learn that 'The Kazhak Cadet' for 2011-2012 is soon to be published by Sainik School, Kazhakoottam.

It is a noticeable credit that over 850 cadets from Kazhakoottam have become service officers till now, say, nearly 20% of the cadets who left the school in the last fifty years. The Sainik Schools are meant for bringing in overall development in the children within a span of seven years assisting them for the officer career in the defence forces at an early age.

The school magazine projects various activities undertaken by the school during the academic year and includes the written creations of the staff and cadets to share their views and thoughts with the unknown readers. Such effort facilitates the young minds to express freely in the form of articles and also to display their skills in the art, photography, etc. A well brought out school magazine reflects the quality of education in the institution and the effort of team work.

Best wishes to the Patron and Editorial Board of 'The Kazhak Cadet' and all Kazhaks who may cherish the 50 years breakthrough!

New Delhi
September, 2012

Rabindra Prasad



Brig B Ajit Kumar
Inspecting Officer (A)



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I am happy to know that Sainik School, Kazhakkootam is bringing out 'The Kazhak Cadet' this year as a special issue to mark the conclusion of its golden jubilee.

Sainik School, Kazhakkootam has contributed significantly over the last five decades to the cause of our armed forces by contributing over 800 cadets to NDA and other officer training academies. Many of them have risen to the higher echelons and provided quality leadership in Army, Navy and Air Force. Sainik School Kazhakkootam in pursuit of its conceptual vision has always endeavoured to sow the seeds of quality leadership in its young cadets by setting high standards of achievement with impeccable values.

The quality of the school magazine reflects the overall standards maintained by the school. 'The Kazhak Cadet' continues to evolve with innovations in content and design with pleasing effect. My kudos to the editorial team for having sustained a rising graph in the overall quality of the journal over the years.

My best wishes to the Principal and the Editorial Team, and greetings to all 'Kazhaks' and their families!

New Delhi
September, 2012.

Brig B Ajit Kumar



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Gp Capt VT Parnaik
Inspecting Officer (F)

I greet the entire team of Sainik School, Kazhakkootam for venturing a special issue of their school journal 'The Kazhak Cadet' highlighting its Golden Jubilee celebrations. This will remain as a historical archive record for the school with plethora of photographs to be repetitively accessed by thousands of children joining the school in the years to come.

This Sainik School has completed fifty glorious years with consistent achievements not only by producing over 850 defence officers and excelling in various fields but also meeting the dreams of the common people located in different parts of Kerala and other states.

I have no doubts that this unique citadel of excellence will move leaps and bounds towards greater glory. Let the spree of success of Sainik School, Kazhakkootam reach new highs in the future.

My best wishes to the Principal, Staff and Cadets, and all Kazhaks!
Jai Hind!

New Delhi
September, 2012

Gp Capt VT Parnaik



to the school in the beginning of the current session 88 in class VI and 10 in class IX. The present school strength is 885 including 39 Day Scholars.

Academics

Despite busy schedule of various regular co-curricular and extra-curricular activities, Academics continues to be our prime concern and top priority. As in the past, this year too our academic achievements have been remarkable with 100% pass in Class X and 98.8% in XII CBSE Board Exam held in March 2012.

Of the 84 cadets who appeared in class X, 82 secured COPA above 7.5 and the remaining 02 cadets secured COPA above 6.

In class XII, of the 84 cadets who appeared, 24 secured distinction, 42 secured first division and 14 secured second division. Cadet Rishi

Rakesh topped the list of successful candidates by securing 92.4% in class XII. Cadets Akshay P.S, Jasmin Antony, Harikrishnan MK, Vikas Kumar, Shru Shaker Sharma, Anik Krishna Kumar, Vikas Nair M and Srihari Uday were the school toppers in class X by securing A1 in all subjects. These cadets were awarded merit certificates by the CBSE. This year the School has the honour of having attained the 2nd position among all Sainik Schools in the Class XII Board exam.

National Defence Academy

Our first batch of students joined NDA in 1988 and to date more than 650 alumni have been awarded President's Commissions in the Armed Forces. Some of them have been conferred gallantry awards for the services and sacrifices rendered to the nation. Regular NDA coaching

classes are arranged for the boys to prepare them for the UPSC written examination. In the previous year 83 Cadets appeared in the UPSC Exam for the 126th NDA Course, out of which 34 cadets qualified the exam, 12 cadets qualified the SSR, 06 cadets joined the NDA and 04 cadets joined the Naval Academy. In the 127th NDA Course 82 Cadets appeared in the UPSC Exam, 33 cadets qualified the exam and 10 cadets qualified SSR. The UPSC written examination for entry into the 128th course of NDA was held on 21 August 11. This year 22 cadets out of 48 have qualified in UPSC written examination.

Sports and Games

Facilities for playing almost all major games (Football, Hockey, Volleyball, Tennis, Basketball, Cricket and Badminton) and participation in athletic track and field events exist in the School campus. Besides these, the Cadets take up indoor games like Table Tennis, Chess and Carroms. Participation in the games for all the boys is compulsory and one hour in the evening in the daily routine has been earmarked for this purpose. The school has a modern swimming pool of olympic standards and all the cadets have programmed swimming classes. Cadets are also exposed to activities such as Karate and Yoga. A mini Gymnasium cum health club functions for the cadets.

73 cadets participated in the South

Zone Inter Sainik School Sports & Games Meet held at Sainik School Bijapur from 28 Jul to 30 Jul 11. Our School emerged as Champions in Junior Football and Runners up Sub Junior, Runners up in Basketball and second in Quiz & Debate.

16 cadets of Football team participated in the All India Sainik Schools Inter Zonal Football Championship at Sainik School Sujapur, Tris from 23 Aug to 27 Aug 11.

Col H J Nair AC, 10th Memorial All Kerala Inter School Quiz Contest was held at Sainik School Kazhakoottam on 11 Oct 2011. 25 schools from different parts of Kerala, took part in this event. After the screening test six teams entered the finals. Shri P Vijaya Kumar retired Professor from Women's College, Thiruvananthapuram conducted the Quiz contest. Additional DPO Shri RK Krishnan also attended the function. Bharathiya Vidya Bhavan, Kozhunganur won the Overall trophy.

Capt Harshan Memorial All Kerala Inter School Basketball Tournament was held from 28 Oct to 30 Oct 11. Thirteen schools from different parts of Kerala have participated in this prestigious tournament. Shri KB Saneesh Kumar, Honble Minister for Forest, Sports and Cinema, Govt. of Kerala graced the function as Chief Guest. St. Joseph's School, Tighi won the Championship Trophy and a cash prize of Rs. 10,000.

Co-curricular Activities

To bring forth the latent talents of the Cadets, Inter House Competitions were held in Recitation, Declamation, Quiz, Essay Writing, Calligraphy, Spelling-Bees and Debate. Wide exposure is also given to the cadets by allowing them to participate in various literary competitions conducted by the leading schools in Thiruvananthapuram. 41 cadets of this School participated in the Inter School Competition - 'Sensivo 2011' organised by St Thomas



Residential School, Trivandrum on 28 Jun 11. Cadets won Second position in 'Burn the Floor'. 83 cadets from classes XI and XII proceeded to Loyola School, Breakkaryam on 08 Jul 11 to take part in 'La Feste' Competition. Our School bagged the 2nd prize in quiz competition, 26 cadets of this School participated in the 'Science & Literary Inter-School Fest' organised by Trivandrum International School on 22 Jul 2011. For Hindi Eloquution School secured the 3rd position, for Maths Quiz 2nd Prize in seniors. For Science Quiz - 2nd in Seniors. 40 cadets of this School participated in the Spectra 2011, the talent Fest organised by Trivandrum International School, on 23 Jul 11. This School bagged trophies for Quiz, Dance and Drama and had won the Runners up trophy. 48 cadets of this School participated in the Inter School

Competition - 'Samskara 2011' organised by Bharathiya Vidya Bhavan Senior Secondary School, Trivandrum on 08 Aug 11. Bharathiya Vidya Bhavan, Thiruvananthapuram organised competitions based on Ramayana, which include Eloquution, Recitation and Essay Writing. The Competitions were held on 13 Aug 11 in two groups. We won several prizes in Eloquution and Recitation, 17 cadets participated in the All Kerala Hindi Competitions conducted by Kerala Hindi Prachar Sabha, Thiruvananthapuram on 17 Sep 11. Our School won the 1st Prize in Essay writing, Third Prize in Recitation, First prize in Eloquution, 3rd Prize in Patriotic Song.

Two cadets participated in the Quiz competition held at Christ Nagar School on 11 Oct 11 and won first position. 02 cadets Sooraj S Uday and Arjun C of Class X participated in the Inter School English Debate Competition organised by S H Public School, Chankattukonam on 09 Nov 11 and won the Second position.

NCC Activities

NCC Annual Training Camp for the cadets of Classes VIII to X and XII was conducted in the school from 08 May to 17 May 2011. The cadets were exposed to various NCC training



activities like route march, trekking, map reading, field craft, firing and weapon training during the camp. 08 cadets of class XI and 02 cadets of class IX attended the IGC preparatory camp at Neyyattali from 11 Oct 11 to 21 Oct 11. 08 cadets of class XI and 02 cadets of class IX participated in the Inter Group Competitions at Calicut from 28 Oct 11 to 03 Nov 11. 04 cadets of class XI and 02 cadets of class IX are attending the Pre-RCC NCC Camp.

Cadet Anandhu 03 is visiting Bangladesh under the Youth Exchange programme organized by the NCC. I am happy to announce that Cadet Binu V. Shiva Sivasakar, Elion Jacob C. Ronnie T. Jacob and Santhosh Kumar Beera have been selected to represent Kerala State at the Republic Day Parade activities to be held at New Delhi in January 2012.

Hobbies and Clubs

The school also provides a wide variety of club activities, namely Art, photography, Book binding, Music, Swimming, IT, Science Clubs, Journalism, Literary, Communication Skills, Yoga, Skating, Chess, Ship Modeling and Karate. The creative outputs of some of these clubs you would have noticed during your visit to the Kathak Exhibition earlier in the day.

Motivational Tours

In order to break the monotony of the routine life at school and to widen the imagination of the cadets we organise motivational tours to various historically important places of interest for all classes. As part of this programme the Cadets of Class XII went on a Motivational Tour to NDA Kadakwala, Pune and Mumbai from 23 May to 01 June 2011. They witnessed the Deputy Commandants Review Parade at NDA. At Western Naval Command, Mumbai the cadets visited warships and submarines of the Indian



Navy at close quarters. The trip infused a lot of enthusiasm into the young minds and inspired them to aim for a career and life in the Armed Forces. The cadets of class X went on an educational tour to Hyderabad from 18 Aug to 21 Aug 2011. The party visited Necklace Road, Lumpini Park, Salarjung Museum, Chattramar, Artillery Centre, Golconda Fort, Ramoji Film City, Air Force Academy and I Max. The cadets of class VI went on an Educational Tour in and around Trivandrum on 10 Jun 11. The party visited Shangumugham Beach, International Airport, Museum, Zoo, Science and Technology Museum, Planetarium, Legislative Assembly and Kovalam beach. The cadets of class VII went on an Educational Tour to Kanayakumari on 08 Nov 11. The Cadets of class VIII went on an Educational Tour to Wayanad and Athirappally from 28 Nov to 29 Nov 11. Class IX cadets took part in an Adventure Training Camp at Nahital and visited Delhi in the month of Oct-Nov 11. This year Cadets of Class XI went on a Motivational Tour to Pune, NDA Kadakwala, Pune and Bangalore.

Old Boys' Association

Sainik School, Kathakootam, has a vibrant and closely knit Old Boys Association. They have very close association with their alma mater. Every year DBA organizes a reunion in June in which most of the Old Boys make it along with their families and

children. It is an event which every Old Boy is looking forward to eagerly. I am also happy to place on record my deep appreciation for the yeoman service rendered by the DBA in all the developmental activities of the school.

Parent-Teacher Meeting

A Parent-Teacher Meeting was held on 12 Nov 2011. A large number of parents attended the meeting and interacted with members of the faculty regarding the academic performance of their wards. The constructive suggestions put forward by the parents are being implemented.

Golden Jubilee Celebration

The Golden Jubilee Year commenced on 20th 2011 with a Special Assembly in the School Auditorium on 20th Jan 2011.

The formal inauguration ceremony of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations of the school was held on 27 Feb 11. Hon'ble Defence Minister Shri AK Antony was the Chief Guest. He inaugurated the Golden Jubilee Dwar and the Somalian Aquatic Complex.

A Cultural Evening was organized through SPIC MACAY with a Flute Recital Programme by Pt. Ronu Majumdar at 1800 h on Tuesday on 01 Feb 2011 at WOOM Auditorium.

A "Blood Donation Programme" was organized in the school on 14 June 11, on the "World Blood Donors' Day" under the aegis of Blood Bank, Government Medical College, Trivandrum.

Curuvandhanam to felicitate all retired masters of the school in coordination with Old Boys Association was conducted on 24 Sep 11.

"Kathakali" the traditional art form of Kerala was organised through 'Manji' on 26 Jul 11 in the School Auditorium. Air Vice Marshal KP Nar. SDA, SAC was the Chief Guest for the function.

A Tree Plantation Drive was carried out in the school campus on 02 July 11.

A Cultural Evening was organized through SPIC MACAY with a Manipuri Dance Programme by Chief Artist Padmasree Darshana Jhaveri on 23 Sep 11 at the School Auditorium.

School organised an Ottam Thullal programme on 27 Aug 11 from 1100 h to 1130 h by Arjuna Society of Classical Arts.

An exhibition depicting 50 Years of Sainik School Kathakootam was held at Kanakakunnu Palace from 14 Oct to 18 Oct 11. The photo exhibition and Science exhibition were appreciated by one and all.

As part of Golden Jubilee Celebrations, a Malayalam Drama 'Melvilassam' Directed by Sri Surya Krishnamoorthi was organised through Parents Association at 1430h on Sunday on 11 Dec 11 at the School Auditorium.

Dr APJ Abdul Kalam, former President of India visited the school from 1000 h to 1100 h on 18 Dec 2011. Dr APJ Abdul Kalam had an interaction with the staff and students of the School.

It is proposed to release a Commemorative Special Cover on the occasion of the closing Ceremony which is on the 21 January 2012 by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Kerala Shri Commn Chandy.

Staff News

Lt Col Thomas MC, Registrar was posted out to MD 2 Corps, C/o 68 APD on 18 March 11.

Lt Col P D Suresh Kumar took over the charge as Registrar on 23 Aug 11.

Mr. Sreekumaran Chettiar, Offg Senior Master retired from service after superannuation on 28 Feb 11.

Mrs. Preethi N. Asst Master has joined the School in the current session in the Department of Biology.

Mr. Rajan Nampoothiri, Asst Master in Maths joined this school from Sainik School Kodagu.

Mr VD Mathew Kutty, LDC retired from service voluntarily on 10 Jul 2011.

Physical Training Instructor, Nalk Subedar V Dayalan was posted out to OSC Centre Cannanore on 04 July 11 and was replaced by CHM/APTC S Suresh Kumar.

Mr Sri J. Sudhakaran, General Employee retired from service voluntarily on 30 Nov 2011.

APTC/BHM Anil Kumar will be posted to I Bn NCC, Delhi wef 20 Dec 11. Hav Manoj Kumar, PFI joined the school on 18 Dec 11.

Conclusion

My profound thanks to the Chairman LBA, Air Marshal Satish Pal Singh, Air Sr. VM, Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief Southern Air Command, Dr Sangeetha Theodor, MP and member of LBA and all other members of the Local Board of Administration for their valuable guidance and support. I am also grateful to the Govt. of Kerala, PWD, LDCPE and

Police Dept for their timely help. I also thank President and other respected members of Parents' Association for their advice, support and suggestions. My gratitude and thanks to the Electronic and Print media for giving ample publicity and recognition to our school. I would like to place on record excellent work done by the Registrar, Headmaster, Offg Senior Master, Academic, Administrative, PT, NCC staff, General Employees and the daily wage employees for making today's PDR Exhibition and Annual Day events a noticeable success. The direct or indirect contributions of every cadet is highly commendable. My compliments to everyone of them for cheerfully shouldering the responsibilities assigned to them in making these events meaningful and organized in a befitting manner. On behalf of all Kathaks, I once again express my sincere thanks to Smt Shoba Koshy, Chief Post Master General, Kerala our chief Guest, distinguished guests, parents, Old Boys, and all well wishers of the school on this occasion for being with us. As I strongly believe 'In vain without God', I do thank God almighty to grant us the right dreams to grow into the future and stand by us to face the challenging days ahead. Finally on behalf of the entire Kathaks I wish you all a Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year 2012!

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Registrar



Lt Col PG Suresh Kumar

They Guide Us...

Head Master



Cdr Jason Paul



Shri PKR Panicker

Offg. Sr. Masters



Shri K Rajendran



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**4434 Ajith Kumar P**

He is fondly called 'Jinx' by his batchmates and 'Shai' by his juniors. His cupboard resembles the art gallery of Nehru house. He is a good cross country runner who captained the Nehru house football team.

4436 Prem Sagar. K

He sleeps, eats and studies in the study hall itself. Favourite of all XI std. A good all-rounder who is a great aspirant of NDA.

**4437 Sharath. K. Sukunan**

He is always lost in his thoughts. He is popularly known as 'endiran' among his batch mates. His magical touch powers the TV.

4517 Vijin VR

Good Football player, was adjudged best player of the year 2011-2012. A good motivating house captain who is the son of his house master. His room resembles an 'Aairikada'.

**4511 SCA Jeeth Jacob Thomas**

He is often considered as the dictionary of the house. His motto is 'Never trust anyone'. He is the tallest guy in the batch who is well known for his walking speed. His words are a treat to hear when he is angry. A good debater for whom 550 was a safe walk. Presently he is struggling to speak in Hindi.

4520 Anandu G.S.

He was fortunate enough to be the Sameeksha Shri. A Roaring lion, if plate is not served in the mess. A good swimmer and his RDC videos are famous among XIth.

**4512 Rahul Krishna**

A very hard working Excelsior. Ace Hockey player who led Prasad house to 1st runner up in 3rd position. He is a good actor and a good debater. He passed 550 and is waiting to walk in to Naval Academy.

4521 Sooraj Krishna. R

When someone asked him to push on the tube his doubt was whether it is test tube or burning tube. He is often appreciated for his song selection in Mess. A hard working Kathak who cleared 550 but still doesn't know how to take even a front roll.

**4513 Akhil Raj. T.S.**

He is an excellent long distance runner who bagged the cross country medal for the 6th consecutive year. He is one among the Excelsiors who has a fans club among the juniors. He is the black pearl of Nehru, and plays football, Hockey and cricket.

4523 Sarath Achingal

He has a small fish tank in his cupboard. Fondly called as 'Kothulu'. 550 was nothing but a tour for him. His tongue is inversely proportionate to his size.

**4514 Anandu R**

The only one in the batch who knows Taijwondo and a commonly known as lundan. He had the capacity to water water twice at a stretch. Even though he doesn't want to ride a bike, he often gives lectures on how to ride a bike. He is a good hockey player, artist and dancer.

4526 Abraham Jerome

His favourite master is his House Master. Great aspirant of Indian Armed Forces and cleared 550 with great determination. A good Basket ball player, good actor and a good debater.

**4515 St. Sgt. Jibin Johnson**

His promotion to class 12 still remains a mystery. He leads the house in all extra-curricular activities. He is the Michael Jordan of the house who captained the school extra team. He is an NDA aspirant and an ardent fan of Vijay. He is popularly known as Mickey.

4527 Nandagopan. G

He is a man who admires magic and very fond of magicians behind it. He is the brand ambassador of dairy milk and his cupboard is full of it. He is rarely seen in his school hoodie after his meals. He is the Clean Boy of the batch and a die hard Chennai fan.



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4529 Aravind Krishna

He is the pet of his house master. He doesn't compromise on eating. A good Cricket Player and a great fan of Mohanlal.



4530 Shawn M Thomas

A god fearing guy who promises a bewitching smile and no one knows what's behind it. He is always seen in the study hall with a Bible and rosary. He captained the house Volley ball team to last position by his motivational speeches.



4551 Kiran Chand C

"Shunday or Monday, Shunday feels no funday." He passed UPSC to get his sister married. He was frequently caught by his House Master for late night mobile chatting. He is a good Basketball player.



4532 Krishna Raj

He tries for different styles on all Sunday's but nothing works out. Good Singer and good in academics. He is very fond of his own styles.



4535 Swathi S Sudan

He is famous for his short temperment. Black tea and lungi are his weakness. He is an adventurous guy who used to scale the boundary wall frequently. He is a good Hockey and Cricket Player.



4534 Arjun Sunil

He is popularly known as 'Japer' among his batch mates. He is the Mr. Decent of Nehru House. He is a good Basket ball player who is famous for his bath room singing.



4535 Krishna Prasad

He uses the House Captain's room more than the house captain. He is the football goal keeper of Nehru who managed to break his leg hitting the goal post. He is a great aspirant of NDA.

4537 H C Vishnu S

He is the China wall of school football team. He is the Arnold Schwarzeneger of the batch. He is the pandithurayanman who is often found in lungis and he has a lot of stories to tell. He is also a good mechanic.



4540 Sreeja M S

A fun loving guy who does not fear even if sky falls. He cleared UPSC by his sheer hard work in the exam hall. He was the pet of his former House master. He is currently writing an auto biography titled 'while I was jumping from the wall'.



4545 Sreenath P

Early bird catches the worm-but he hates early birds. He chairs the late night TV shows. He captained the house Basketball team to 2nd position. He has a habit of taking bath after breakfast. A studious guy who cleared UPSC.



4544 Sanjay S

Popularly called as Maphi. Won an unexpected medal in 8000 mtms. Only fan of Gureah Gopi and Telugu actors. His motivational talk led Prasad to last position.



4545 Arun Jayan

The MC of Nehru whose room resembles the Chongral. He cleared UPSC and also attended the Republic Day Parade. He is a good debater who starts like Mahatma and ends like Kuttiravallam Rappu. He is also a good basket ball player. He is known for his high waist among his batch mates.



4546 HC Akshay Andrews

He is from a political family and wishes to study in Australia. This house captain is also a good hockey goalkeeper. He is rarely seen in his parent house.



4548 Sr Sgt Chris Xavier

He is the 'Kottayam Kurijochan' of the house. A god fearing guy who is liked by all. He is famous for his sentimental lectures to 7th standard. A lunatic Navy aspirant who is hard working and was the saviour of the house athletic team.



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4548 Nidhin Devasay

A god fearing guy who eats and sleeps in the study hall. He was the officiating House captain of Nehru house. He is a good Basketball Player and also a good debater. He is also a good cross country runner.



4558 HC Sarvesh Kumar

He is famous for the song 'Maathakilli' that he sang while in 9th. A great hard working student. Famous for his speech of the people by the people, for the people.



4558 Shashank Shekhar Sharma

He talks like Rajadharani, express which even Davinci cannot decode. He is a good athlete and also excels in co-curricular activities. He is a hard working guy and an IIT aspirant.



4561 Karun K

The captain cool of Football team which had the chance to lift the cup without touching the ball. Popularly known as Kaira. He is a great fan of Surya.



4562 Rahul Suresh

He has a highly gymnastic, 18 pack body. Length of his tongue is inversely proportionate to his body. Richer Rich of the batch and has a special attraction towards Bangles. He is never seen study but tops academically.



4565 Anu VS

The lone member of Rookstar fans association who captained the house Hockey team to victory. He is also the captain of school Hockey team. An ardent fan of Hritvik Roshan. He is a good motivator who failed to get motivated.



4567 HC Vinayak S

He is the smallest guy in XII. A very great Army Aspirant, who with sheer determination and hard work passed both UPSC and SSB and is ready to walk into the portals of Naval Academy. He is also a long distance runner.

4578 Amal R Raj

A short silent guy who passed UPSC with his hard work. He always sleeps with books. He is a good cross country runner and also a good athlete.



4578 Abhimanyu G.S

He is the brand ambassador of all the branded stuff in the house. He rarely misses first day show of a film. For him X-country route is out of bounds. He is the Zuckerberg of the excelsiors.



4580 Thomas GP

He walks as if the whole burden of the house is on his back. His motivational speeches led the house to last position. He is also a good Volleyball player.



4682 HC Aahish Dhadwal

He is the glamorous guy in the school. A good dancer and a good declaimer. He plays both Volleyball and Basketball. He helped Prasad bag the swimming trophy with his exceptional skill in swimming.



4584 Veena

She is found very friendly to all her batch mates. She is present for all group songs on house days. Active participant of all school activities.



4585 Stephy

She is known for her walking styles. A silent excelsior who spreads cheer wherever she goes.



4688 Gokul

He is the day scholar who is a frequent visitor to his house. Good in academics, cool and clam guy. He is a good cricketer.



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4831 Abhilash Menon

His cupidoid resembles a beautiful our Orietal captain with sheer determination and hard work took Prasad house to ruins. Probably the guy with most no. of girl friends. Good athlete and a fan of M.J.



4833 HC Aby Mathews

He is a god fearing house captain who showed exceptional skills in angling. He is filled with lots of goals. He even hired a KRTC bus for transporting his entire village to witness his POP. A studious guy who cleared UPSC and is also a good actor.



4835 Sibin Babu

This guy's bed resembles dhobi ghat but is rarely seen in washing area. Good academician who cleared UPSC with his sheer hardwork. His ambition is to become a writer.



4837 Vishnu S.

A silent guy who is the last one to go to bed. Buy of the house, cool, studious, and a good singer.



4838 St. Sgt. Amith S.G.

His face resembles Nazrudin Shah in the dirty picture. He is a studious boy who tops in academics. Great IAF aspirant. Brand ambassador of JOCKEY.



4839 Jebin Jimmy

His walking style resembles that of a 70 year old. He cleared UPSC by sheer luck. Good Basketball player who captained the extra team of the school. He thinks that he is the Mr. Perfect of the house.



4841 Sarin VK

"When darkness prevails a man dreams" He is an ardent fan of Gombi and Pothiraj who often argues that Pothiraj is the only south Indian actor who knows English. He is a hard working NDA aspirant and member of Kanner Football team.



4848 SBM Anesh I.V.

A good guy - carefree, who sleeps with a tubelight on above his head. A good dancer, good Oriental, Volleyball and Football player. Great fan of Karthi. Probably he is the first band major who doesn't know to play any of the band instruments.



Caricature by
Swathi Jaikumar
Art Master



Mr. Arunkumar G
House Master

We the Nehruvians flagged off our chariot, embroidered with hope and desire for our zenith. Our hopes were rejuvenated, when the mightiest of mighty showcased their endurance and won the cross country trophy for the seventh consecutive year, which is also the only existing record in the school. Cot Akil Raji TS and Cot Ajith kumar P. finished off in style in crosscountry with 1st and 2nd respectively and showed it was just parlor tricks for them.

Nehruvians then pocketed the games trophy by encouraging their agility, team spirit and skills in hundreds of minds. We were the strongest in hockey, cricket and basketball and runners up in football. Cot Akshay PS and Cot Abhishek KR's skills and performances were awarded with the best player trophy.

We were first in Malayalam debate and Hindi debate and 2nd in English

debate. Cot Shawn M Thomas, Sr Sgt Mohin Devasay, Cot Ajeesh AK, Cot Sibin Babu, SDC Shashank Bekhar and Sgt Mitinlean bagged individual spot and achieved the rare feat when all our debaters and declaimers won individual positions.

In athletics we rode on the powers of Ajith, Akhil Raji TS, Ajeesh AK, Abhishek KR, Joel, Shashank and over powered the colossal 3-point points. Cot Akhil Raji TS who was on the verge of breaking another school record was awarded the honorary plazer.

Then on, we won the runners up in PT competition and won the U.P.S.C trophy. Sgt Akhil Raj RR attended ISC 2011 in Calicut. Sgt Shiva and Sgt Ronnie attended the RD comp at Delhi. Sgt Shiva was selected for Rajpath march and Sgt Ronnie T Jacob was awarded the Prime Minister's silver medal in the best cadet competition.

Cot Arjun Sunil and Amal V Raj won



individual positions in quiz competition. Cot Sibin Babu, Amal V Raj, HC Arun Jayan, Sr Sgt Jebin Jimmy, Vihnu Narayanan, Akhil Rajendran, Akshay PS and Rajesh Sharma wound their own olive leaves in our laurel wreath.

We showed our grit by bagging the cleanliness trophy for the 3rd consecutive year.

With iron hearts blazing with friendship and brotherhood we wielded the shield of glory for being the best lot.



Mr. NG Babu
Attached Master



Mr. KS Antony
Attached Master



Arun Jayan
House Captain



Mohin Devasay
Sergent



Jebin Jimmy
Sergent



Akhil Raj R
Sergent



Mr. Girish KR
House Master



Dr. George PI
House Master



Jose Tom was adjudged best player in volleyball while Vijin VR bagged the football best player award. Thus we were runner-up in Games trophy. We the Green warriors ruled over the stage and bagged the co-curricular trophy. The names of cadet Jeeth Jacob, Ranul Krishna, Jerome and Sarvesh Kumar are notable here. In the athletics also we gave our challenging presence. Cadets like Aneesh, Jose, Abhishek,

when he represented the school at Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan.

Green warriors made their notable presence in the NCC activities as well. Cot Anandhu GS represented the country in YEP at Bangladesh and Cot Ebin Jacob C was a part of Republic Day contingent of Republic Day parade 2012 at New Delhi.

This is the fifth consecutive year that we proudly lifted the most coveted academic trophy. The NDA Trophy also found its way to the Prasadian showcase.

The Prasadians seated hard and finally turned their dream into reality by lifting the most coveted Cook House Trophy for the fifth consecutive time. In all it was an enthusiastic year for the Prasadians and we hope that the legacy of Prasad would continue in the coming years.

A year where the "winds of change" really blew would be how we the Green Warriors would describe academic year 2011-12.

The Prasadians proved their undputed supremacy by emerging victors in volleyball and football and runner up in basketball. The names of cadets Aneesh, Ebin, Karun K Abhishek Menon, Jose Tom, Vijin, Vinayak are worth mentioning here. It was a year of awards and prizes for the house.

Sanjay and Vijin proved their talents. The maiden swimming gala held on October was another chance for Prasad to show the others that we were not only good in literary activities but that we excelled in sports as well. The name of Cot Anandhu GS were written on the school records when he bagged the best swimmer trophy. Cot Ashish D and Cot Ashik also helped Prasad to lift the swimming trophy. Cot Anandhu GS bagged the 'Samaksha Bree' title

The academic year 2011-12 was an year of mixed fortunes for Cariappans. We started off by topping in the Essay writing and calligraphy competitions. The names of the cadets Abhishek Nair and Akhil P are worth mentioning in the Calligraphy competition.

We are proud of our fitness as we bagged the trophy for PT Competition. The 'Best Physique' of the campus HC Vishnu S led the house from the front. We proved our worth in the field when we were runner up in the athletics as well as in the cross-country championship. The calm and serene atmosphere at the house helped us to get cleanliness trophy.

We are very proud when Sooraj Krishnan joined in NDA and Aday Mathews Naval Academy, Ezhimala. Our XII Std cadets were very good in academics and were first in their

session and class XI cadets were second in overall. It is the 10th year of the formation of the house and when we look back we are quite contented

with our performance. The experience and lessons learnt during the years will help Cariappans to strive hard in the coming year.



Ebin Jacob C
Sergeant



Anandhu GS
Sergeant



Amit S Gopal
Sergeant



Vijin VR
House Captain



Mr. Alex Abraham
Attached Master



Mr. Arun Kumar MS
Attached Master



Mr. Unnikrishnan D
Attached Master



Mr. MQ Francis
Attached Master



Vishnu S
House Captain



Chris Xavier
Sergeant



Ajith John
Sergeant



Jathesh A
Sergeant



VELUTHAMPI



Mr. Sambhu R.
House Master



SHIVAJI



Mr. Manoj P.
House Master

The academic year 2011-12 was a mixture of both happiness and disappointments for the Veluthampians. Cadets started their cockhouse run by winning the first position in calligraphy competition. Names of the cadets like Ravi Prakash, Piplin Kijal and Sahil Khan are worth mentioning. From there onwards the performance of the Veluthampians was at its Zenith. They were placed first in Inter-House quiz spelling bee competitions.

They were also placed second in debate competition. Name of cadets like George Luke, Goutham Mahean and Balakrishnan were worth mentioning.

The cricket trophy again found its way to the house by the sheer hardwork of skilful players like Saurev Kumar, Sahil Khan, Ravi Prakash, Suryakant and Vikas Kumar. The experiences and lessons learnt during the academic year will help the Veluthampians to



strive hard on the coming years. We go by the words "Pallava's is the stepping stones to success". With lots of hopes

we look forward to the coming academic year to bring on more laurels to our great house.



This year the Shivajians lived upto their expectations as we emerged as the overall champions by taking cockhouse trophy. We started grabbing our points at the very beginning of the year. With the best efforts of Col Benny Thomas and Col Mohammed JS we bagged the Malayalam debate

and later on we also bagged the English debate in which Col Arjun C and Col Mohammed JS put an excellent performance which brought home the coveted Debate trophy. Shivaji house brought out their valour in the sports field. "No ring too high" was our motto while we won the basketball trophy

with team captain Col Akhil Kumar adjudged the best player. The tracks were set afire by the roaring lions by the clean sweep of the athletics trophy.

As a house, the physically fit house of all, Shivaji house bagged the PT competition with ease. Shivaji house proved their dominance yet again by honoring to the phrase, "CITIUS ALTIUS FORTIUS".

Cleanliness was a trademark for the Shivaji house which again won the cleanliness trophy. Even with minor bracks in the creek, the Athapockalam trophy found its place at Shivaji. Col Binu Lal and Col Mohammed JS worked their brains out by winning the chess competition. We are proud of Sgt. Binu V who attended the ROC and was also selected for the YER.

This year around too, the Shivajians were able to live up to their motto "WITH THEE AT THE HELM, WE WILL WIN AT THE END".



Sunny Kumar
Sergeant



Jose Im Abraham
Sergeant



Thomas G Pappay
House Captain



Ms. Kalnakumari Anna
Station



Mr. Rajesh Kumar S
Attached Master



Mr. PKR Panicker
Attached Master



Mr. R Rajesh
Attached Master



Mr. Mathew K Thomas
Attached Master



Ms. Geetha E
Attached Master



Sarvesh Kumar
House Captain



Binu V
Sergeant



Binu V
Sergeant



Ms. R Sandhya
House Master



The academic year 2011-12 was a rewarding year for Vallatholans. The cadets did exceedingly well in most of the interhouse competitions and brought laurels to the house.

The winning streak started with lifting the football trophy. We were placed first in the cricket competition and it was thus a cakewalk for us towards lifting the games trophy. Cot Deep Marand was adjudged the best player in football.

The spirited Vallatholans proved to be a cut above the rest in stage events. Cot Hima George and Cot Anjan Kumar set the stage ablaze with their



Mohit Kumar
Coronel



Vidhin Kurianose
Sergeant



Anshay Andrews
House Captain

excellent speeches and got 1st in English and Hindi debates respectively. We maintained the house and its surroundings spick and span throughout the year and were rightly rewarded with the runners-up trophy in cleanliness competition. We also came up with a good show in other inter house activities like calligraphy, spelling bee and mathematics table recitation competitions. We were placed

second for the co-curricular activities. The energetic Vallatholans with their will power, team spirit, endurance and strength clinched the coveted and respected coor-country trophy. We put up a good show in athletic competition too. The names of Abhinav KJ and Rahul Raj are worth mentioning.

With the sheer dedication of cadets like Manoj Kumar and Nandagopan, we were able to give a good fight for academic trophy. All in all it was an excellent year for our house. Even though we clinched almost all the trophies, we had a few shortcomings and pit falls. And that may be the reason why, we missed the cock trophy by a whisker.

Anyway, what we have learnt from our experience is that

"We have miles and miles to go before we sleep".

So our hopes and aspirations for a bright future remain immortal.



Ms. Nalini Kumar
Attached Master



Ms. Jayashree GS
Attached Master



Ms. GK Supriya Rani
House Master

The team spirit, hardwork, enthusiasm and joy of the inmates, brought the coveted cockhouse trophy to ASHOKIANS after a long gap.

We started our winning streak by regaining the debate trophy by the remarkable performance of cadet Piyush V who clinched the 1st prize in English debate and 2nd in Recreation.

The ashokians geared up for the cleanliness competition tirelessly. They achieved the 3rd position in cleanliness competition.

They proved their might on the fields too. The efforts of Rahul Ranjan, Abhinav Kumar, Bhusham Sinha, Jayesh Balan and Manu Kumar brought the 2nd runners-up trophy in Athletics. Cadet Rahul Ranjan was declared 2nd in Hindi debate. Ashokians became the descendants of Ramaraju by winning the multiplication table recitation competition. Cadets Anshika, Deepak and Abhinav

proved their worth by their manuscripts thus winning 2nd in Malayalam and feat too sharing 1st in Hindi calligraphy competition respectively. With the power vocabulary skills they bagged the interhouse spelling bee competition. Cadets Deepak and Aneek won 2nd and 3rd prize in quiz. This brought home the co-curricular trophy.

The determination and team spirit of the inmates fetched the runners-up trophy in RT and Cross country. The academic performances of Mohammed Aneek and Mohammed Shan are worth mentioning who secured 60/60 points



in their class 7th and 8th respectively. The bright academicians brought the runners-up trophy in Academics.

Cadet Mohammed Aneek was adjudged the best reader in the sub-junior section.

The creative talents also fetched them the second position in floral design competition. The treaters played their vital role in learning a great deal from their seniors in how to deal in different conditions of life.



Mr. Swathi Jayakumar
Attached Master



Ms. Sudha Lakshmi
Attached Master



Ms. Nalini Kumar
Master



Abraham Jeyaraj
House Captain



Shiva Sasidhar
Sergeant



Anil Mohan
Coronel



Mr. K Rajendran
House Visitor



Mr. Prince Prabhakaran
House Visitor



junior category. He won 2 gold in track events and a silver medal in field event. The house once again repeated its outstanding performance in the cross country race by bringing home the trophy. Cot Sarthosh Kumar bagged the runners up position.

Cot Aayush Kumar bagged the Principal's special prize in the Hindi Debate. Cot Sobraj B Ubay brought laurels to the house by winning inter house English Recitation and Debate contests. Cot Hanishan NS made the school proud by winning the inter school Malayalam Elocution competition in the spelling Bee contest. Cot Akaan KR secured runner up position and the house won the first position. Inter House Quiz Contest also belonged to Rajajans and Cot Pranay Rajeev bagged the first position.

The academic achievements of Cot Pranay, Cot Amal, Cot Akaan, Harayashan and Cot Vigneeen is worth mentioning. They were toppers in Class X examination by securing full 10 CGPA.

The General performance of of the Rajajans in all the activities was good. However the Rajajans will continue their pursuit for excellence in all domains of activities and strive hard to better their performance in the coming year.

Cot Anishan Jeevan won the first prize in swimming competition. The die-hard Rajajans won the relay competition and were the runners up in the Athletic meet.

In the field of co-curricular activities, Rajajans made their mark by winning numerous prizes. Cot Hanishan NS stood first in the Malayalam calligraphy contest and the house stood first in the contest. In English Essay writing, Cot Akaan KR bagged the first position. Cot Hanishan NS bagged Principal's special prize in Malayalam debate and the house secured over all third position.

The academic year 2011-2012 started off very well for the Rajajans. We started our quest by being the champion team in football and runners up in volleyball. Cot Amrit Ranjan was declared the best player in football. We also bagged the runners up position in the Inter house Basketball championship. Cot Ranul Kumar and Cot Alan Christo participated in the Captain Marahan AC Memorial Inter school Basketball championship by representing the school team.

In athletics, Cot Prashant Anishan secured the best athlete trophy in the

The academic year 2011-2012 was a Saga of laurels for the Tagorians. With zeal, zest, persistence and perseverance the Tagorians marked every competition either by a winning note or by learning a lesson in all their failures.

First of all to be mentioned is a test of art style skills and legitemacy of words. Our scholars Cot Sai SS, and Cot Hanishan made the house proud by winning the silver in the Malayalam calligraphy. Cot Anul R Promod and Cot Amal S enthralled the audience with their questions and statements thus making their opponents spellbound and thus concluded the competition by striking the silver in the inter house debate competition. The tactical movements of ponds, knights and the effervescent quickness of surge the enemy to defeat was dramatically acted out by our chess player Cot Aayush Pradeep and Cot Shivan by bagging the

individual 2nd and the overall 2nd position in the Quiz competition. Cot Aayush Pradeep got the individual 3rd for the spelling Bee competition. The style and dramatization enthralled Cot Anul RP to bag the individual 2nd in the recitation competition. In Athletics, the combined efforts of Cot Adarsh Dohan, Cot Nilesh Kumar, Cot Valsahan, Cot Ranvir K, Cot Hitesh K and Cot Divakar was highly enthusiastic and thus brought the Torch of Fame home by winning the athletic trophy. Cot Adarsh Dohan also won the individual 3rd in the Cross Country run.

And thus, Tagorians finally made history by winning the Academic Tro-



phy with the class toppers Cot Jerry Mathew, Cot Sai S.S, Cot Aayush R, Cot Aravind K and Cot Amal S. And thus with all these they brought home the runners up trophy for the cobbles competition. The Tagorians took up to their wings on fire like the phoenix to rise from the ashes with fame and glory.



Shailesh Raj
Sergeant



Shiv Sekhar S
Sergeant



Ashish Doodhwal
House Captain



Ms. Geetha E
Head



Mr. Justice KI
Attached Visitor



Mr. Naccan
Attached Visitor



Ms. Swagna DS
Attached Visitor



Ms. Sonia R
Attached Visitor



Ms. Geetha E
Head



R Krishna Raj
House Captain



Rohini T Jacob
Sergeant



Mostafa Husain WS
Captain



Ms. Deepa RVM
House Master



Mr. Mahadevan Nair G
House Master

Another year of challenges, victories, disappointments and accomplishments has gone by for the VKKians. All the VKKians participated in various competitions with whole hearted spirit and dedication under the care of house master and the leadership of house appointments.

We started off by bagging the first position in Malayalam debates with Cot Anne Mary Mathew and Cot Saurev Prakash securing the first and special prize respectively. Cot Advithn Raghav, Cot Akash Kumar also proved their intellectual powers by winning prizes in English and Hindi debates. Cot Amal Prakash and Cot Himanshu Kumar bagged 11th place in Malayalam and English Calligraphy.

"Cleanliness is next to godliness" is the motto of VKKians. When it came to cleanliness, once again it was a clean sweep by VKKians who exhibited their camaraderie, commitment and esprit de corps in maintaining the house neat and clean, through the year and brought home the trophy the "Cleanest House".

Cot Himanshu of Class VII annexed gold in all three events in annual athletic meet and was adjudged the best athlete in subjunior section.



VKKians showed their mettle in games field by bagging runners up trophy in Cricket and Football. Names of Cot Himanshu Kumar and Cot Ajay are worth mentioning in bagging runner up in spelling bee competition.

With their immaculate behaviour, discipline and conduct VKKians brought home the coveted Intercolony trophy.

VKKians bagged second position in academics in which performance of

Cot KK Mathew, Cot Akash Kumar, Cot Himanshu Kumar, Cot Aksh Chelvan, Cot Denny Sumod, Cot Niranjan and Cot Sreelakh Raj deserves an applause.

Although the cock house trophy eluded us by a whisker, we showed great perseverance, determination and team spirit. The spirit of determination, confidence and the strong will to win will keep one great quest for the cock house title.



Benny Thomas
Overall



Sreehan Uday
Sergeant



Ahy Mathew
House Captain



Ms. B Radhika
Attached Master



Ms. Preethi N
Attached Master



Mr. NG Babu
Attached Master



Mr. Balaramrigan N
Attached Master



Ms. Naliniakalan Anna
In-charge



Vinayak S
Head Captain



Sandeep Pancher
Sergeant



Ajesh A
Sergeant

The academic year 2011-2012 was a year of mixed fortunes for the Patelians. The year started with great hopes. It was an year of achievements, disappointments, happiness and sadness but enriching and memorable.

James trophy found the way to the house when cadets Shyam Kishore, Sandeep KS, Rahul K, Prashant K and Ram Chander rules the Volleyball and Hockey courts unchallenged. Cot Shyam Kishore and Rahul Kumar were adjudged best players in Hockey and Volleyball respectively.

In the Annual Athletic Meet the hardy, sturdy athletes of Patel put up an excellent performance on track and field events and bagged several medals for the house.

Patelians had a strong presence on stage activities. Names of cadets Saubham V, Shanin Saim, Prashant Kumar, Mark MT, Chandan K are worth

mentioning.

Cot Saubham V and Mahesh M dominated with their words in Malayalam Essay writing.

Patelians exhibited true team sportsmanship and team spirit by being the runners up in PT Competition.

We proved our worth by bagging the inaugural swimming trophy leaving the spectators spell bound. The talents of Yash Singh, Aman Bedola, Chandan K and Aravind P K proved instrumental in this success.

Patelians showed excellence in academics also. Contributions of Cots, Aravind PK, Vishnu US, Saubham



V, Prashant K, Chandan K and Saurev have to be appreciated.

Whatever has been achieved is the fruit of team work, cooperation and determination of our young cadets imbuing lessons from the lapses, the rejuvenated Patelians await the upcoming year with renewed zeal and vigour to hunt the cock house.



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The First day in Khaki

When I came to Sainik School I
 saw my seniors wearing khakis. But we
 were asked to put white shirt and white
 shorts. I was curious to wear khaki but
 Miss told that we would get it only later.
 Then I noted the beret, school belt,
 house colour, SSKZM and most
 importantly the name tab. One day I
 dreamed of wearing khaki and going
 near my cousins. I waited and waited
 and one day Miss gave us khakis, beret,
 school belt, house colour, SSKZM and
 name tab. Then I and my batch mates
 were too happy.

5240 Abhijith A.S.



The Beauty of Nature

It's full of hills
 It's full of green, forests
 The sky is deep blue
 A lovely sight to see.

The rivers, the streams
 They all flow down the hills
 Splitting into small channels
 They travel far and wide
 They dash into the rocks
 and splash out.
 They jump from big rocks
 and form a waterfall.

The hilly slopes are full of green
 The bright fresh green grass
 Holds the dew drops
 They shine like jewels in sunlight
 Look at the blue sky,
 The birds flying in full freedom
 With its wings outstretched
 in the sky that has no end.
 We have such a beautiful nature
 in this little heaven;
 The only one home we have:
 The beautiful Earth!



5049 Alex M

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When parents say time is up to get up
Children say No, just five minutes more.
When parents say it's time to bathe
Children say "we want to play"
When parents say it's time for school
Then children say "I am bathing now"
When parents say it's time to study
Children say "we want to chat with each other"
When parents say don't run here and there
The children say "we want to enjoy"
When parents beat the children.
Then the children cry.
At last the parents go near and soothe them with a hug.



Parents Vs Children



5121 R Unnirishan



5155 Menu Kumar

प्यारे बच्चों



प्यारे बच्चो, प्यारे बच्चो,
इस प्रदूषण से तुम लड़ो
जहाँ तारी है प्रदूषण हो प्रदूषण,
सुन्द नहीं है वातावरण ।।
गूँस लगाओ, गूँस लगाओ,
इस दुपट्टे बंधे तुम लहाराओ
कलरे नलो है पेलो की छाया,
सिंह है कुवेरिन की भावा ।।
जल नहीं रहेगा, जल नहीं रहेगा,
इस संसार का कल नहीं रहेगा ।
मिट्टा डालो प्रदूषण को जड से,
नहीं रहेगी बीमारी कल से ।।
प्यारे बच्चो प्यारे बच्चो
इस प्रदूषण से तुम लड़ो ।।



4995 Vaishnav Gopi

ലഹരിയിൽ അമൃതം മനം മൂർ

"അവർ മൂന്നിൽ പ്രതിഷ്ഠിച്ചു പഠനത്തിൽ പിന്നോക്കമായി. മൂന്നിൽ വഴങ്ങാമായി. അങ്ങനെ അവനെ പ്രിൻസിപ്പലിന്റെ അടുത്തേക്ക് കൊണ്ടുപോയി. അവർ അവിടെ നിന്ന് പ്രിൻസിപ്പലിനെ പിന്തരിച്ചു. കുറേക്കാലം ഓരോരതിൽ വളരുകയുണ്ടായി."

വ്യക്തിത്വ വളരാനിടയായപ്പോൾ അവർക്ക് അവർക്ക് ഇതിനെക്കുറിച്ച് ചിന്തിക്കാൻ തുടങ്ങി. അവർക്ക് ഇതിനെക്കുറിച്ച് ചിന്തിക്കാൻ തുടങ്ങി. അവർക്ക് ഇതിനെക്കുറിച്ച് ചിന്തിക്കാൻ തുടങ്ങി.

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4520 Anandhu G S

After the rigorous selection procedures during the RDC-2011, I, U/O Anandhu G.S., was fortunate to be selected as a delegate to represent India in a foreign country as part of NCC Youth Exchange Programme. It was a moment of joy for me when I received the letter from DG NCC intimating that I had been selected to be part of YEP Bangladesh-2011 to witness "the Victory Day celebrations" to be held at Dhaka. On the 1st of December I boarded the flight to Delhi so as to reach there by the same day around 4 in the evening. As the winter had set in, it was very cold in Delhi. It took me a while to get adjusted with the climate there. I reported to the YEP cell on the same day. In the evening we were given a chance to introduce each other and had a briefing about the entire YEP programme by our contingent commander Col. Ajay Gupta, the group commander of Jabalpur, M.P directorate. In the 10 days that followed, we got to know more of each other and our bond of friendship grew stronger and

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stronger. We had a couple of outings in and around Delhi. We had our measurements for the NCC dress taken. In the meantime we also prepared our cultural programme and slide presentation about India which was to be presented in Bangladesh. And finally, the day for us to proceed to Bangladesh arrived. We were all thrilled as it was the maiden foreign trip for almost all of us. On December 11 we proceeded to Indira Gandhi International Airport from where we were to board our plane to Dhaka. After the normal security checks, we boarded the flight and reached Dhaka Hazrat Shajjal International airport by 3.30pm. We were greeted by Bangladesh NCC cadets and staff at the airport and they accompanied us to our accommodation area near the BNCC

headquarters. They provided us with some light refreshment. At the BNCC headquarters we met our counterparts from Sri Lanka and had an interaction with them. On the next day, that is, the 12th of December YEP Bangladesh was officially inaugurated by DG BNCC and gave us a briefing about Bangladesh. Then we proceeded to Anzar Academy, our first visit in Bangladesh. This is a unique institution as it provides training about all walks of life including military training, disaster management, self defence, etc. to the poor people hailing from villages and other backward communities. This government institution is being well maintained by the Bangladesh Army. On the next day we visited the 'National Martyr's Square' and the Indian High Commission. The

National Martyr's Square is a war memorial built in memory of the brave soldiers who attained martyrdom in liberating Bangladesh in the 1971 war. We then had a cup of tea at the Indian High Commission and an interactive session with the members of Indian high commission. On 14th December our visit was to Bangabandhu Memorial Museum. This was once the home for Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, the father of the Nation of Bangladesh. It was here that this great hero was assassinated during the 1975 military coup. We also had our visit to some historical places. In the evening we had the cultural programme co-hosted by Indian, Sri Lankan and Bangladeshi NCC teams. We were fortunate to have our DG NCC, Lt Gen P S Shaha as the chief guest for the function. We were filled with joy when we came to know that our programme was one of the most acclaimed events of the evening. The next day was of utmost importance as it was on this day that our visits to all chiefs of the defence force were scheduled. First we visited the Chief of Army Staff and then the Navy Chief followed by the Chief of Air Staff. In the evening we had a formal dinner hosted for the cadets of Indian and Sri Lanka. The boys were out in their Jodhpuri suits and the girls in their silk saris. We then had an exchange of mementoes and a photo session. The next day was the most important day as it was the Victory Day celebrations. We were seated in the pavilion by 8.00am in the morning. The parade began by the march past of the army, navy and airforce contingents. We were delighted to see our fellow mates of BNCC marching in the parade. The wonderful parade culminated in the skillful, breathtaking air show by the

Bangladesh Air Force. In the evening we were fortunate to attend the reception hosted by the president of Bangladesh, Shri. Zilur Rahman, for the dignitaries. There we also met the prime minister, Sheikh Hassina, and the war veterans of 1971 war. On the next day we had a long journey to Jamuna resort. It was about 80 kms away from the BNCC headquarters. The main attraction of this resort is the Jamuna multipurpose bridge, which is 4.7kms long. The bridge consisted of both railways and roadways as well as the gas pipeline. There we had a river cruise, a memorable and enjoyable one.

After this we had a delightful feast and after a small interaction with the area commander we returned to BNCC headquarters. On the 18th of Dec. We all packed up to leave for Chittagong. It was for the first time that an NCC delegation was moving out of Dhaka. We were all amazed to see the transport that they hired for us. Believe it or not it was a Mercedes S class sleeper coach! It was a wonderful journey and on the way to Chittagong we got down at Comilla Cantonment which was the commanding post of late Gen Silver, the commander of British Indian territory during world war - II. We then proceeded to Chittagong and we reached the Naval Quarters by around 6.30 in the evening. Later we had a reception hosted by the BNCC cadets of Chittagong area. On the next morning we visited the 'War Memorial Museum' where the weapons used during the war were kept. We then proceeded to Bangladesh Military Academy (BMA), where we witnessed the Commandants passing out parade. After the parade we visited the west point, which is the end of Bangladesh



territory. We had our lunch there and enjoyed in the nearby beach. We had an opportunity to ride in a quad bike. The next day was the last day of our trip.

On this day we were taken to the Naval Dockyard where we saw the BNS Umar Farooq, the first ship of Bangladesh Navy. Then we had a sea cruise in Bangladesh naval ship and by noon we were back in Naval Quarters. On the same day we boarded the train which took us back to Dhaka. The next day we had shopping in and around Dhaka and in the evening we were busy thanking our conducting officers and cadets of BNCC. We took each other's contact address as it was time for us to part. The next day, that is 22nd Dec, was a sorrowful day waving goodbye to our counterparts from Bangladesh and Sri Lanka. We boarded our return flight to Delhi at 9.30 am and reached IGI airport by 12.45PM. We were then escorted back to YEP cell. On the next day, since my flight back to Trivandrum was at 2.00PM, I left the YEP cell with a heavy heart, waving goodbye to my friends. I boarded my return flight at 1.30 and reached back Trivandrum at around 7.30 in the evening. The trip was a fulfilled one, and it was the best experience that I ever had in my life. I would like to thank the NCC for organising such a memorable trip for us.

जल

जल है नदियों, झीलों में।
खालों में और कुओं में।।
जल क्या है सन जानते है।
जल को जरूरी मानते है।।
जल है जीवन के लिए जरूरी
इसके बिना जीवन अधूरी।।
जल हमारे अनेक उपयोगों में काम आए।
अगर यह न मिले तो हम मर ही जाए।।
इसके बिना जिया न जाए।
यह पीने के काम आए।।
जन्तुओं को इसकी आवश्यकता।

पौधों को अत्यंत आवश्यकता।।
पेड - पौधों का है यह जान।
और किसानों का यह शान।।
आज का जल हो गया प्रदूषित।
रहा न अब पीने के लिए उपयुक्त।।
जल है धरती की अमूल्य अनुपायी।
इसका महत्व समझो मेरे भाई।।



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Indian Energy Sector



5340 Harishankar S

The energy sector in India is becoming a growing market for investments. It has seen a large growth in the last few years.

The electricity sector in India has an installed capacity of 185 Gigawatts as of November 2011, the world's fifth largest of the installed capacity: Thermal powerplants constitute 65%, hydroelectric power 21%, and the rest 14% is a combination of wind, biomass, waste - to - electricity and nuclear.

In December 2011 over 300 million Indian citizens had no access to electricity. Over one third of rural population and 6% of the urban population had no access to electricity. To most of the people who have electricity supply, it is intermittent and unreliable. Blackouts and power shedding interrupts irrigation and manufacturing across the country. Electricity distribution network in India is inefficient as compared to other countries. India's network losses exceeded 32% in 2010 as compared to the world average of 15%. Loss reduction technologies if adopted in India can add about 30 GW of electrical power, while simultaneously reducing electricity loss and carbon footprint.

India is the world's fourth largest consumer of electricity, but it currently suffers from a major shortage of electricity generation capacity. The International Energy Agency (IEA) estimates that India needs an investment of at least \$ 135 billion to provide

universal access of electricity to its population.

Power development in India was first started in 1897 in Darjeeling, followed by the commission of a hydropower station at Sivasamudram, Karnataka in 1902. India's electricity generation capacity has increased from about 100GW in 2001 to over 185 GW in 2011. India's growth rates are still less than those achieved by China, and short of the capacity of electricity to ensure the availability of electricity to all its citizens.

India's energy sector is the world's most active player in renewable energy utilisation, especially wind energy. As of December 2011, India's installed capacity is about 22.4 GW of renewable technology based electricity.

According to Oil and Gas journal, India has approximately 30 trillion cubic feet (Tcf) of proven natural gas reserves. United states energy information administration estimates that India

produced approximately 1.8 Tcf of natural gas in 2010, while consuming 2.3 Tcf. The electricity, power and fertilizer sector accounts for nearly three-quarters of the natural gas consumption in India. Natural gas is expected to be on increase as the country pursues energy security.

The country already produces some coalbed methane and has major potential to expand this source of cleaner fuel. India is estimated to have between 600 to 2000 Tcf of shale gas resources. Despite its natural potential, India has yet to hold licensing round for its shale gas blocks. The traditional natural gas reserves too, have been very slow to develop in India because of regulatory burdens and bureaucratic red tape severely restrict the country's ability to harness its resources.

If India were to use its resources to its full potential, it could say good bye to its energy problems, no doubt.



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स्कूलों में अनुशासन।

4890 Kaushal Kishore

अनुशासन का अर्थ प्रकट होता है जो है - अच्छे गुणों तथा व्यापारों का पालन-पालन करना। जहाँ तक हम इस गुण को चेष्टा करते तो वह मानवता के जीवन का सर्वश्रेष्ठ गुण और वही तो धर्म भी। अनुशासन मानव के जीवन में एक शासन का मार्ग विधेयता है जो अति आवश्यक है।

गौंधी जी कहा करते थे 'शिक्षा ही जीवन है, जिसकी प्राप्ति केवल अनुशासन से मिलती है। अनुशासन हमारे जीवन का एक अंग है जो मानव के जीवन को शिक्षा प्रदान करता है।

जहाँ तक हम स्कूलों में अनुशासन के महत्व को प्रकट करते तो यह अर्थ उत्पन्न होता है कि यह एकदम

अनिवार्य है। स्कूलों में शिक्षा ग्रहण करने के लिए, अनुशासन का होना आवश्यक है। विद्यार्थियों में अनुशासन का संगम होता है। किसी भी विद्यालय को प्रगति लाने तथा प्रगति को जारी रखने के लिए अनुशासन जीवन का एक अंग है। किसी भी विद्यालय में सर्वकलाओं को जारी रखने और उनका विकास-विकास में अनुशासन का ही हाथ होता है।

हम लोग सभी जानते हैं कि अनुशासन का स्कूलों में होना महत्व का शक्ति पर चोट लाती है। समाज में भी रहने के लिए हमें अनुशासन का पालन करना पड़ता, उसी प्रकार किसी भी स्कूलों के विद्यार्थियों में यह गुण का प्रकट होना अनिवार्य होता है। विद्यार्थी का जीवन समाज

एवं देश का एक मुख्य निधि होता जो अपने देशों पर अनुशासन का पाठ पढ़ाएगा। अनुशासन का पाठ तो स्कूलों से जारी होता है।

स्कूलों में अनुशासन का एक शक्ति विद्यार्थियों से लेकर शिक्षकों तक रहता है जो उसे उच्च और अदरस बनाता है। स्कूलों में आंतरिक अनुशासन ही एक अनुशासन का वेद बोलता है। अनुशासन के माध्यम से स्कूलों के बच्चों में अनेक गुणों का विकास होता है जैसे आत्मविश्वास, गतिशीलता, ईमानदारी इत्यादि। यही सब गुण उनके आचरण तथा चरित्र को पतित करने में मदद करती है। अनुशासन के स्कूलों में होने के महत्व है किसी भी जीव में जीवन को अत्मा। अनुशासन ही बच्चों को

A Love Story

There was a blind girl. She hated everybody except her boyfriend. She used to tell him that, if she had eyes she would marry him. Then after some days someone donated eyes to the girl. She saw her boy friend and was surprised because he was also blind. The boy asked his girlfriend, "Now you have eyes, will you marry me?" The girl was silent for some time and said, "No". The boy came near the girl and told her, "Take care of my eyes, Bye".



9213 Adwaith HN



गुणों तथा धर्मों के द्वार पर पहुँचाता है। अनुशासन को ज्योतिषी विद्यार्थियों में सफलता का मार्ग व्यक्त करता है। स्कूलों में यह अनिवार्य है क्योंकि बच्चों के जीवन का यह एक जीवन पालन है, जो इसे एक सम्मानित तथा अपरिचित व्यक्ति बनाता है। यह स्कूलों का एक रक्षकाल है जो बच्चों को ठीक समय में अपने कार्य करने तथा कर्तव्यों का पालन करने में सहायता का हाथ बढ़ाता है। विद्यार्थियों में अनुशासन एक ज्योतिषी की तरह चमकता है और चमकती स्वरूप देता है। स्कूलों में अनुशासन का महत्व यह है कि नियमों का सही-सही पालन करना और एक अनुशासन पति जीवन जीना।

अनुशासन में रहने वाले विद्यार्थियों के हर कदम में उसे यश तथा सफलता मिलती है। उनका आदर होता है। स्कूलों में अनुशासन विद्यार्थियों को एक ऐसे दिन में रखता है जो कार्यसमय प्रकोप हो। किसी भी विद्यार्थी के लिए अपने विद्यालय में सभी शिक्षकों का आदर मानना, देखभाल करना, अपना कार्य समय पर करना ये सब अनुशासन है। अनुशासन ही उनके जीवन में अदर तथा सम्मान की झोलों भर देता है। सभी बच्चों से मिल जुल कर रहना, सबका आदर करना, अनुशासन से शिक्षा ग्रहण करना, प्यार से रहना यदि अनुशासन का प्रकोप दिखाता है। यह हमारे जीवन में रहना का मार्ग रखाता है।

जहाँ तक मैं इस स्कूल को बात करूँ तो मैं यह आपको बरोसा तथा विश्वास दिलाता हूँ कि यह विद्यालय अनुशासन का एक अंग पालने में सफलता प्राप्त करे। यहाँ सभी बच्चे तथा शिक्षकगण के हृदयों में अनुशासन का यह शक्ति भरा है। अनुशासन का पाठक पालन करनेवाले स्कूल स्वर्ग का एक भाग है।

अनुशासन ही हमारे जीवन का एक प्रकट है जो हमें उच्च तथा आदरस बनाता है, इसलिए इनका विद्यालयों में होना अनिवार्य है।

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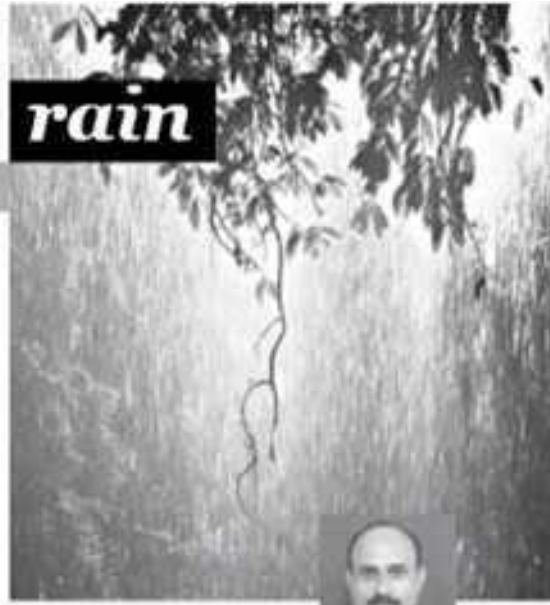
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एक फूल सबको लुभाती
ये सभी करे है वह मिलाती
इसको घुसने बहुत सुगामी
कर दे सबको मग्नगामी
फूलों में है वह सुन्दर
इसका कोई भेद न भान

5151 Dheeraj Kumar

लाल रंग का फूल है वह
ललचाती है वह सबको मन
इसके खिले में है कोई,
कड़-कड़ कर प्यार बढ़ाती.

Song of the rain



K.S. Antony
Dept. of English

Rim-zim, rim-zim, drop, drop, drop
I come down dancing pitter, pitter
Rim-zim, rim-zim, drop, drop, drop
I come down twittering pitter, pitter.
I get a response mixed and vexed
It depends on the time and place
Oft I'm welcome when they're parched
Or else it's all flood and fury.
Rim-zim, rim-zim, drop, drop, drop
I may come down "cats and dogs"
To the sheltered it's all picnic then
But the homeless run all helter-skelter.
Green fields wave and forests sway
To extend their welcome notes
Wearied hearts and dreary sands
All alike are filled with joy.
Rim-Zim, rim-zim, drop, drop, drop
I come down spraying spraying pearls of chill
Pearls of chill, pearls of thrill
Oft it's welcome as drops of life.
To the Indus, Yamuna and Kaveri
I'm a devil and monster sure
But to the dreary stretches parched and hot
I'm an angel sought and prayed.
Fonds and wells do well up well
Drains and gutters drain out well
Flora and fauna do up well
And people let a sigh o, well.

For umbrellas both new and old
It's a day of rejoicing
They all come out of their dusty hidings
And take out processions long and winding.
Sometimes I flood lands and homes
And force a frog atop a water-weed
Or a man atop his roof
Or worse, both down and out!
Parents vex as children rush out to embrace me
Children are fazed as parents frown at them
But the vexed and the fazed all alike
Sing my melodies through and through.

The Relativistic lady

There was a lady called Bright
She travelled faster than light
She left her home one day
And travelled in a relative way
And reached back home the previous night.



4715 Akash K R

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“लोग कहते हैं कि सपना कभी-कभी हकीकत बन जाता है”



4920 Prasanth Kumar

ने सोचा, मैंने कोई गलत काम नहीं किया है? यह सोचकर एक दिन वह घर से भाग गया और भगवान को खोजने लगा। पाँच दिन पारंपारिक उसे कुछ लगने लगी फिर वह भगवान का स्थान मन में रखते हुए चलता रहा। जब वह हिमालय के करीब पहुँचा तो वह बिलकूल रुक गया। उसे एक कदम चलना भी मुश्किल पड़ रहा था। फिर भी अपना पूरा नाम लगाकर दिन भर कठो मेहनत के बाद उसे कुछ खाने के सामान मिला और पीने का पानी जो बहुत दूर से लाया था। जैसे ही वह खाने के लिए बैठा उसे एक शीमी अखान सुनाई दी। उसने उस दिशा की ओर चला पड़ा। वहाँ देखा कि एक साधु दर्द के मारे पीड़ित था। उसके शरीर से लहू बहर रही थी और वह पानी-पानी कर रहा था। उसने तुरंत अपना पानी साधु को दिया और अपना कपड़ा उतारकर उसका रक्त पीने लगा। साधु जैसे कि खाना समाप्त किया वह एक आराम के गेस में प्रकट हुआ। वह बोला कि वह स्वर्ग का द्वारपाल है। और तुम्हारी परीक्षा ले रहा था। उसे सब मालूम था कि वह

उसे सब मालूम था कि वह घर से भागकर आया है। उसने राजू को अच्छा खाना खिलाया। और फिर आगे जाने का मार्ग बताया। उसे फिर कई मुसीबतों का सामना करना पड़ा।

राजू नाम का एक लड़का था। वह अपने छोटे परिवार के साथ पाषाणपुरी में रहता था। उसे परिवार की कहानी सुनने का बहुत शौक था। वह अपनी दादी से रोता, परिवार की, देवी एवं देवताओं की कहानी सुनता था। उसे जब भी समय मिलता वह अपनी दादी से के पास कहानी सुनने जाता जाता। उस भगवान से मिलने का बड़ा शौक था। वह अपनी इच्छा, एक दिन दादी से बोला कि वह भगवान स्वर्ग में रहते हैं जो लोग अच्छा काम करते हैं भगवान उनकी को मिलते हैं।” राजू

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5080 Arun Pralash J

The Appointment

An appointment is smart
Smarter than anyone else
Physically and mentally fit
So only he is an appointment.

He puts on haddies on his beret
Keeps a formation sign and a
Pair of shoulder flaps and a
Whistle guard and he is an appointment.

He participates in every activity
And makes people impressed
He gives respect to seniors
And takes respect from juniors.

He is a simple person like
All of us-but
He is smarter than anyone else
So only he is an APPOINTMENT.

घर से भागकर आया है। उसने राजू को अच्छा खाना खिलाया। और फिर उसे भगवान को खोजने का मार्ग बताया। उसे फिर कई मुसीबतों का सामना करना पड़ा। अर्द्धरात्रि जब वह भगवान का स्थान पहुँचा तब उसे द्वारिका उसे पहचान लिया और उसने पूछा तुम यहाँ हो जो वहाँ के

रखवाले से मिल। नाओ अंदर भगवान इन्द्र तुम्हारा इंतजार कर रहे हैं। जैसे ही वह मिलने वाला था कि अखानक पीछे से अखान आई' बाहर नाओ' और फिर आवाज में परिवर्तन आई 'और उसने धपड़ मारी। तब जाकर मुझे अहसास हुआ कि वह एक सपना

था। सोना कोई और नहीं कहा के उतावले थे और जो धपड़ मारा कोई और नहीं बल्कि मेरे हिन्दी शिक्षक शंभु सर थे। मैं क्लास के बाहर चला गया और भगवान से प्रार्थना की कि मेरे सपने को सच कर देना।

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കുട്ടുകാർ ഇല്ലാതാകുന്ന നിമിഷം



ഞാൻ പ്രിയപ്പെട്ട കുട്ടിയല്ലാതാക്കിയില്ലെന്ന് കരുതിയിരുന്നു. ഞാൻ നന്നായി പഠിപ്പിച്ച് പഠിപ്പിച്ചു. കുട്ടി കഴിഞ്ഞു. അപ്പോൾ അമ്മയുടെ നീ. വന്നു പറഞ്ഞു "കുട്ടിമാരേ! പോവാ" എന്ന്. ഞങ്ങൾ പൊകാനൊരുങ്ങി. ഞാൻ മറ്റൊരു കുട്ടിയെ കണ്ടു. അതിനാൽ ഞാൻ അവിടുപോയില്ലെന്ന് മറ്റു കുട്ടി മനസ്സിലാക്കുകയാണു്. അപ്പോൾ കരയാൻ തുടങ്ങി. പക്ഷെ കരഞ്ഞില്ല. ഞാൻ പറഞ്ഞു "കാൽനീർ എടുപ്പിച്ച് മെഴക് നോക്കൂ..." എന്ന് കുറേ പ്രാർത്ഥനകൾ പറഞ്ഞു. അപ്പോഴൊക്കെ

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THE REPUBLIC DAY CAMP 2012 An Ever Lasting Experience

5032 Eldho Jacob

Those days are gone from me and a few others of this state, Kerala. The days on which I sweated in each second of the hot sunny climate of this state. It was only for one single goal, the Republic Day camp at Delhi.

The tough and strenuous training of the drill and cultural events started from the first camp itself in which 12 JD and 24 SD cadets of this prestigious institution participated. From the hard and tough selection camps held at Calicut. Finally 104 were selected to represent Kazhaka at Delhi, out of which 5 were Kazhaks. On 20th Dec 2011 we boarded the Kerala express at 11:30 hrs to Delhi with the songs of josh and the motto "Hum Dilli Jayenge".

We reached Delhi on 31st Dec. 2011 by around 14:30 hrs. It was freezing cold in Delhi. All of us kept ourselves warm with sweaters. From the railway station we were taken to the Republic Day camp site in a bus. After a 3 hour

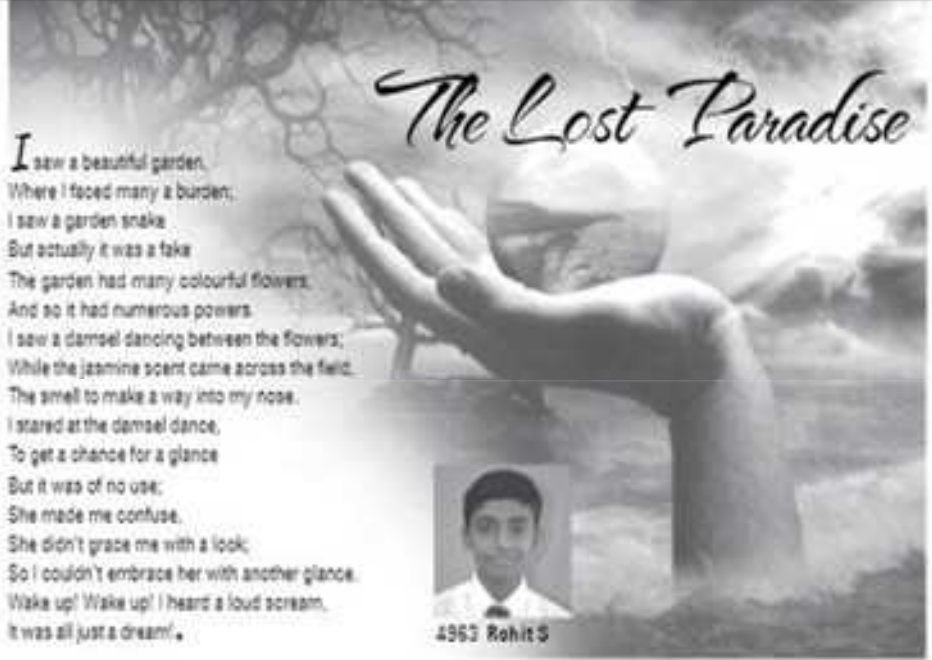
long journey, we entered the beautiful 100 acre RD village. We were received by a group of officers and each one of us still remember the taste of the hot coffee and the pastries we got at the reception.

From the very next day onwards the inter state competitions of drill and cultural events started. First of all was the drill competition in which I was lucky enough to represent the state. It is hard to believe for anyone that each day cleanliness competition was held at the camp. Likewise the days of competition went on. At last the D-day came, the 26th January. I take pride in saying that one of our kazhaks Sgt-Shiva-Sasidhar marched on Rajpath in front of the PM of Thailand Mrs. Yingluck Shinawatra and the president of India. On 20th Jan DG's awards were announced. Again kazhaka proved their worth. Sgt. Ronnie T. Jacob was awarded the 2nd Best cadet at All India Level. Sgt. Blyin Y

participated in the PFI rally and Cdt. Santhosh Kumar Besra was the right marker of JD drill team. Another interesting fact is that totally around 50 cadets from various Sainik Schools attended this year's RDC. Also the present DG NCC, Lt Gen RS. Bhalla is an old boy of Sainik School Kuripuram.

On 31st Jan we boarded the Kerala express and by 2nd Feb around 10:45hrs we reached Thiruvandrum. We were given warm welcome by Ministry of Education, Govt of Kerala, as well as NCC directorate, Kerala and Lakshadweep.

Some good things about the RDC is that, at Delhi each day you will be interacting with officers of high rank. I am sure it will increase your motivation level and also your self-confidence. "Motivation and self confidence are the corner stones of success. So, I will be failing in my duty if I don't acknowledge the help of officers, Teachers, NCC instructors and PI staff, who ran behind the stage for gearing up the Kazhaka for this mission."



*I saw a beautiful garden,
Where I faced many a burden,
I saw a garden snake
But actually it was a fake
The garden had many colourful flowers,
And so it had numerous powers,
I saw a damsel dancing between the flowers,
While the jasmine scent came across the field,
The smell to make a way into my nose,
I stared at the damsel dance,
To get a chance for a glance
But it was of no use,
She made me confuse,
She didn't grace me with a look,
So I couldn't embrace her with another glance,
Wake up! Wake up! I heard a loud scream,
It was all just a dream!.*



4953 Rohit S



Mobile Magic

It was a pleasant and calm morning. I took my cycle and went to Gandhimaidan (Park) as it was my usual daily routine. That day also I found that many people young and old were indulging in some activity. All the young men playing cricket, while girls and ladies were doing yoga. All the old people were walking around. I came to the centre of the park. Then suddenly I noticed a mobile on the ground and immediately I took it. Before keeping in my pocket, I looked around to see if there was anyone looking at me. Slowly I kept that mobile in my pocket went away with my cycle to outside the park. As soon as I was out of the park, I peddled my cycle fast reach my home frankly speaking I didn't know what to do with

that mobile. My mind changed and planned to give it back to the owner. Moreover being a Sainik School cadet there was no other option for me. I reached home and said to my mother and sister about this pleasant morning.

I switched on the mobile, I saw that the wallpaper was of Katrina Kaif. My sister asked, "What are you going to do with this mobile?" I will give this to the owner," I replied. Soon the mobile rang and I heard a girl's voice. I moved away from my sister and mother to have a private talk with her. She requested to give back her mobile. I told her, I would give it back. So again I went back to the entrance of the park, where she called me. Once again mobile rang and she told her dress code. She was in pink



4918 Santhosh Kumar

skirt and red top. I could identify her from far away but she was still looking for me. I went close to her and asked "Are you the owner of this mobile?" With in a second she took back her mobile from my hand and thanked me twice. She introduced herself to me saying that she was studying in 10th. I didn't mind her being one class Junior. She also asked about me. In between the conversation I couldn't count the number of thanks from her. We almost talked for 20 minutes. Then she at last asked my contact number. Then I turned back and kept my right leg on the pedal. Again she asked, "Don't you have any contact number?" I went 10 metres away from her and turned back and said, "I already have added my contact number in your mobile. Once again I turned and saw she was smiling and waving her hand."

In our world
The virtual place
She came to me by my side.
After gaze met mine as
They were like rulers.
After voice came to me as
They were like music.
Her face towards me has
the radiance of morning sun
Her hair tinkled my senses as
they were like gentle waterfall.
Her smell intoxicated me as
They were of roses.
Her skin made me grey with pleasure as

Happiness is Virtual



4982
Alan Anderson Dijo

They were like silk
Her lips were seducing me as
The predator was by the prey;
But at last she was lost due
To my awaking from my dream
I wept like a heart stricken lover
For his mate waiting when they
Can become once again as one's.

School Appointments



Shashank Sekhar Sorma
School: Colet Gaudin



Jeeth Jacob
School: Colet Aquavit



Aneesh I V
School: Bani Hall

WELCOME



Ms Preethi N
Gen. of Colet



Mr Rajan Nambudiri
Gen. of Name



Mr Gopakumar
LDC



Mr Sreejith
GT



Mr Y D Mathukutty
LDC



Mr Sudhakaran
LDC

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Dr APJ Abdul Kalam, former President of India at SSKZM



Shri Gommen Chand, Chief Minister of Kerala, Shri Pallam Raju, Minister of State for Defence and Shri MA Vahid MLA at the Closing Ceremony of Golden Jubilee Celebrations



Smt Shoba Koshy, Post Master General, Kerala Circle during the School Annual Day Celebrations

Smt Kanhu Somaiah, W/o Founder Principal late Lt Col Somaiah at Guruvandanam



Shri KC Venugopal, Union Minister of State for Power at the unveiling of the bust of 2/Lt Radha Mohan Naresh



Shri KB Ganesh Kumar, Minister for Sports and Forest, Govt. of Kerala at the finals of Capt Harshan R AC Memorial All Kerala Basket Ball Tournament



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Her Highness Gowri Parvathi Bai, Chief Guest, Kazhak Bopsi, being received by the First Lady of the campus Smt Suganthi Janardhanan



Inspecting Officers Brig B Ajit Kumar and Go Capt VT Pannik at School

Padmasree Darshana Jhaveri, Performer, Manipuri Dance receiving memento from Principal Go Capt B Janardhanan



Sharing a lighter moment... Air Marshal SP Singh, the Chairman, LBA with Hon'ble CM and RRM



Reviewing Officer Air Mahi J Chauhan AVSM, VSM, presenting the 'Best All round Cadet' award to School Cadet Captain

The teachers and the taught - on the occasion of Guruvandanam



Pandit Ronu Majumdar's Flute Recital





6th June 2011

Investiture Ceremony





Wreath laying ceremony

Lt Gen Jasinder Singh AVSM, SM
Cmde NDA - Chief Guest on the
OBA day



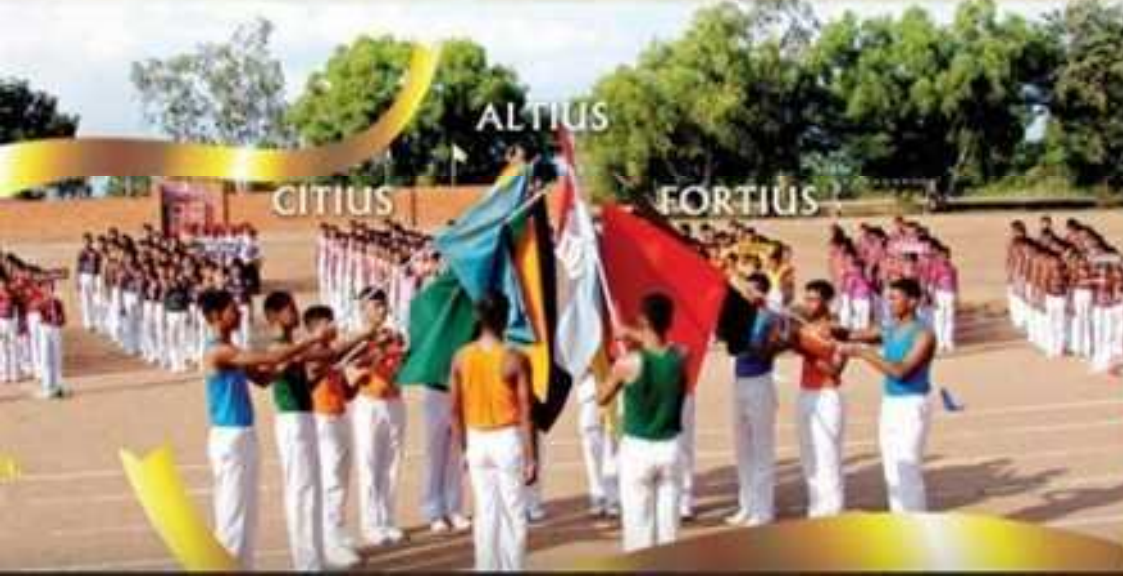
Guard of honour



18th Nov. 2011

Golden Jubilee Annual Athletic Meet

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ചെറിയ കെട്ടിടം നീക്കം ചെയ്തുകൊണ്ട് അതിൽ പലപ്പോഴും നിൽക്കാനാവാതെ പലപ്പോഴും കയറിയുണ്ടായിരുന്നു. ആ സമയത്ത് അമ്മയുടെ അടുത്തടുത്തായി പാർക്കിംഗ് ചെയ്യാൻ തുടങ്ങി. അമ്മയുടെ അടുത്തടുത്തായി പാർക്കിംഗ് ചെയ്യാൻ തുടങ്ങി. അമ്മയുടെ അടുത്തടുത്തായി പാർക്കിംഗ് ചെയ്യാൻ തുടങ്ങി. അമ്മയുടെ അടുത്തടുത്തായി പാർക്കിംഗ് ചെയ്യാൻ തുടങ്ങി.

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Ride on a roller Coaster!



5283 Sreeram Anil

Whenever somebody asks me to relate an experience that I can never forget, hundreds of different experiences come to my mind. But, there is one experience which I would consider to be the most unforgettable and scary. It was the first time I rode on a roller coaster. The fear and anxiety that I felt is beyond one's imagination. Let me recall the whole incident.

"Come on brother! Mom, can we go?" my sister asked. I could never understand why people craved to be tossed through the air like vegetables in a blender, instead of enjoying the peacefulness of the ground!

"No! No! No!" I answered. But, my sister didn't give in. She begged my mother until she said, "Okay, go on."

biggest roller coaster that stood in front of me did amaze me.

"Hurry up!" urged my sister. I followed her unwillingly. I was more nervous when I saw the sign "CAUTION". My sister led me to where the person-in-charge showed us our seats. I sat on my seat reluctantly.

"Relax and take it easy!" my sister

It was a scary day. I woke up early in the morning. The room that came into my view was unfamiliar. "Wired" I thought to myself. "Why couldn't I recognize my own room?" After a while, I remembered. "I'm in Cochin."

"We are going to Veega-land today." My sister's voice interrupted my thought. I couldn't understand why there was a sense of happiness in her cheerful voice.



I wasn't always excited to visit a theme park. But, I don't want to dampen my sister's happiness and excitement. The moment we reached there, my sister suggested, "Let's go for a ride on the roller coaster. I've heard so much about the roller coaster and I am dying to try it!"

I've always been fascinated by carnival rides, but seeing the huge morastrosities that would throw people in the air in all directions never sat well with me. "No way, man. I don't want to be scared to death!" I, 5 years old then, protested, shaking my head from left to right as hard as I could.

Without wasting a second, my sister dragged me to where the roller coaster was. I was really nervous. "Wow!" my sister cried out loudly. She couldn't hide her surprise. "This is the biggest roller coaster I have ever seen. I agreed with her in my heart. The

tried to comfort me, but it did not help. I nodded obediently and managed to flash her a smile.

After a while, I heard a siren that warned us that the scary trip was to begin. I shut my eyes tightly. Both my hands seized the bars so tightly that they



The Unhealing Touch



4517 Vijin VR

There was a little boy with a very bad temper. One day his father gave him a bag of nails and told him that everytime he must hammer one nail into the wooden fence surrounding their home. The boy did as he was told. On the first day he drove 30 nails into the fence and found it was hard work. He tried to control the temper and as the

days passed he needed to drive fewer nails into the fence. Finally a day came when he didn't lose his temper at all. He rushed to his father to tell him the good news. The father now suggested that the boy pull one nail each when he was able to hold his hard temper. The days passed slowly finally the boy was able to tell his father all nails were gone.

The father took his son by hand and led him into the fence. He said "you have done well, my son, but the fence will never be the same again. When you say a thing in anger, they leave scars, just like you say you are sorry, the wound still remains there."

ached. I guess I was panicky. I tried to calm myself down but in vain. I heard people shouting excitedly. They were so eager to begin. Finally, I felt the roller coaster move slowly at first, then faster, faster, and faster as it began to pick up speed. I felt my stomach turning upside down. It moved so fast that I nearly fell from my seat. I felt sweat streaming down from my face and my forehead. My heart was pounding loudly. I regretted taking a ride on this scary thing. "When will this big stupid caterpillar stop moving? Slow down,

slow down or I'll get a heart attack." I pleaded in my heart but the roller coaster refused to listen to my pleas. I heard people screaming crazily. It was driving me nuts. The roller coaster, swung to the left and then to the right. It swung so hard that my head knocked against the front seat. When the roller coaster slid down from the highest peak, it was the most frightening part of the whole trip. My eyes were wide open. My heart stopped beating. I screamed at the top of my voice. The fifteen minutes ride on the roller coaster was like fifteen years to

me. My face was as pale as a corpse when I came down from the roller coaster. I buried my face in my hands, because I felt that the world was spinning. My parents rushed to me when they sensed something was wrong with me. My whole body was trembling and my mouth was empty when I tried to speak. My hands were ice cold. From that moment on, whenever people mention roller coaster a chill runs through my spine. I think that was the most unforgettable experience in my life.



5049 അലക്സാ എം

മാമ്പഴക്കാലം

മനസ്സം പഠിക്കാൻ പഠിപ്പിക്കാൻ വീണ്ടും കാണുകയോടിച്ച കൈതുകയോടിച്ച അതിലെ ചിലർ കണ്ടു തന്നിട്ടു അതിലെ ചിലരെ ആർത്തു വെച്ചിട്ടു അവരുടെ നിലയില്ലി ആ പ്രാർത്ഥന മുഴുവൻ കൂടുതൽ വേണമേ മാൻ, കാലം വെറുതെ പാഴായി കൈതും കാലവും അനക്കാൻ വെറു വെറുതൊരു മാമ്പഴക്കൊമ്പി പഠി വെറുതെ നന്നം പാഴാക്കി ഇത്തിരി കൊതിക്കാൻ ഒത്തിരി തരമിട.



My Sweet Little Sister

I have a sister, a sweet little sister. Naughty, loving and caring Her hobby is to make me angry. We often quarrel. But we really enjoy it. It lasts just for seconds. Again she is my sister. My sweet little sister. Mother usually call us "Snake and Mangoose". Mother is wrong, we are like Honey and bee. How a bee can be alive without honey? I love my sister. My sweet little sister.....



5199 Sidharth S

एक मधुर स्वप्न



4865 Sathayam Deep

वे मनुष्य की तरह थे, लेकिन उनकी पंख थे। उनमें से एक मेरी निकट आया और मुझसे कुछ कहा। मैंने इशारा किया कि मैं भुखा था। वे विचित्र लोग मेरी बात समझ गए और मुझे इशारा किया कि मैं उनके साथ चलूँ। वे मुझे अपने घर पर ले गए।

स्वप्न हम लोगों के लिए नई चीज नहीं है। जब हम सोते रहते हैं तब हम स्वप्न में बहुत कुछ देखते हैं। एक रात मैं ने एक आनंददायक

स्वप्न में बहुत कुछ देखा है। एक रात मैं ने एक आनंददायक स्वप्न देखा। मैं महसूस करता हूँ कि मैं इस स्वप्न को बहुत दिनों तक नहीं भूलूँगा।

स्वप्न में मैंने अपने अंध को एक हवाई अड्डे पर पाया। मैं ने एक विचित्र हवाई जहाज देखा। उसमें चालक नहीं था। मैंने हवाई जहाज का भीतरी भाग नहीं देखा था। अपनी उत्सुकता को शांत करने के लिए मैंने हवाई जहाज में प्रवेश किया। हवाई जहाज का भीतरी भाग एक सुसज्जित कमरे को तरह था। मैंने एक कोने में एक बटन देखा। ज्योंकि मैंने उसे दबाया त्योंकि हवाई जहाज हिला। मुझे लगा कि मैं हवा में उड़ रहा हूँ। मैं उतरोक हो गया। मुझे उस रोमांचकारी अनुभव से अहं हूँ। जब मैंने खिड़की से झाँक कर देखा तो एक बड़े गेंद को तब देखाई पाये। मेरे मन में अजीब गहरे विचार आने लगे। लेकिन मैं धक्का नहीं देता।

कुछ समय बाद हवाई जहाज नीचे उतरा। जब मैं हवाई जहाज से बाहर निकला तब मैंने कुछ विचित्र लोगों को देखा। वे मनुष्य की तरह थे, लेकिन उनको पंख थे। उनमें से एक मेरा निकट आया और मुझसे कुछ कहा। मैंने इशारा किया कि मैं भुखा था। वे विचित्र लोग मेरी बात समझ गए और मुझे इशारा किया कि मैं उनके साथ चलूँ। वे मुझे अपने घर पर ले गए। जब मैंने देखा कि उनका घर सोना और चाँदी का बना है तब मैं अश्चर्यचकित रह गया। भौषण करने के बाद मैं टहलने के लिए बाहर आया। मैं बहुत देर तक इधर उधर घूमता रहा। मैं ने उस स्थान को इतना पसंद किया कि मैं ने वहाँ बस जाने का निश्चय किया। इतने में किसी ने मुझे हिलाया। मैंने जाहक देखा कि मेरी माँ मेरे कमरे में थी और मैं घरती पर था।



4866 Sachin S Kumar

One Creepy Afternoon



Friends what will be your reaction if any 'Reptile' a live or dead falls on your body. You can't imagine that, right? But this happened to me in my life. And this is not a lie, it's a real life story.

It was a normal afternoon. After finishing my meals, I came back to house. But suddenly I felt that something was not okay. I saw my friends going to their bed and falling asleep fast instead of talking or reading. I felt very lonely. I looked around me. I couldn't hear any body talking. After sometime I saw someone coming. I saw one of my friends coming back to the house after calling his parents. I felt happy that at least I got one boy to talk to. As part of friendship he shared his snacks with me and I shared a book with him. We were very excited talking and reading. Without disturbing anyone sleeping we moved to the corridor side of central path and settled down. We were so busy in talking that we were not concentrating on the things happening near us. After sometime I took out my pen from the pocket for marking some points in the book. Suddenly my eyes fell on a creature wobbling on the ground. It was grey in colour, very long and thin. It coiled on the ground. I thought it was a leech. But my mind didn't accept it. Then I saw its head touched the foot wear of my friend. Then suddenly I came to a know that the creature was nothing but a long snake.

When it coiled it self and got ready to attack my friend, I shouted at the top of my voice "Snake..... Runnn." We jumped on the corridor. I saw that the snake was very angry. Two boys were not sufficient for killing that reptile. So we took the help of some seniors. One of the seniors was very excited after hearing the name snake. He came running towards the long reptile and took a big stone and threw on the creature- BLAM!!! But the snake escaped somehow. One of the stones fell on the snake's tail. It was unable to move forward. I can still see that scene in front of my eyes. When the tail was stuck all of them covered it's body with big stones. Many boys gathered there. After sometime we thought it died. One of the boys with a stick removed a stone and we were astonished to see that the snake survived the pressure of the stones. One boy told that he was going to crush the head of the snake. The boy crushed it's head till he could see the creature stops wobbling. Then he removed all the stones from it's body. He thought of a mischief and started

playing hockey with it. We were standing on the corridor and was watching what was happening. At that time that boy scooped the snake with the stick like a hockey ball. The snake flew in the air. We thought it would fall on us and we ran shouting. My friend ran and looking at me and splash!!! The snake fell on my head and started to swing. The blood was all over my face, it's head entangled in my fingers, the body on my head and what not. I threw the snake down in a quick action and ran two times around the house shouting 'Aaah.....!!!'

I ran to the tank, took a bucket of water and poured over my whole body. I was shivering like a small child who had seen a ghost in the midnight. I applied the soap again and again on my face and hair!!! I was satisfied. The snake was carried on a stick followed by all the boys. It was looking like a grand funeral procession of the richest person on earth. After that I realised that the uncomfortable thing that stuck in my mind was nothing but the thing which stuck on my head.



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Dheeraj Kumar

The Journey to Mars

As you know, right now sitting on earth, a space rover called Curiosity, on board a rocket called the Atlas V is speeding away towards Mars. Curiosity is also called the Mars Science Laboratory or MSL in short. It is going to explore if Mars is habitable.

The Mars Science laboratory, christened Curiosity, was launched on the 26th of November 2011 from Cape Canaveral in Florida. It will land in the gale crater on Mars in August 2012 if everything goes according to plan.

The rover weighs almost two thousand tons, more than the last three Mars rovers put together, and so landing it on Mars will be a challenge. Two thirds of previous mission sent to Mars have either crashed or lost contact with the earth. Methods like airbags to cushion a free fall will not work, given the weight of Curiosity.

To solve this problem NASA has designed an ingenious rocket 'sky crane' that will hover above the surface and lower the rover gently down to the Martian surface.

In short Curiosity will revolutionise our understanding of Mars. The data about the atmosphere and weather collected will take us closer to being able to send a manned mission to Mars. The European space agency plans to perform this by the year 2030.

The year 2012 looks to be an exciting year for space exploration. There are various missions which may be headed towards new discoveries,

starting off with our neighbour planet Mars.

It is carrying a large collection of instruments to Mars. These instruments are among the most sophisticated technology ever sent to space. In fact the instruments are so numerous and so varied in function that NASA has likened the rover to a living creature in a warm box that protects the circuits and controls the temperature inside. The 'brain' of the box is the computer onboard. The rover has a robotic arm that will work much like a human geologist would, scraping and collecting samples.....

The dawn space craft took off from earth in 2007, it then flew towards Mars when passing Mars in 2009. It received a boost to its velocity from Mars gravitational field. It reached Vesta in July 2011. It is due to take off from Vesta in June 2012 and start its journey towards Ceres.



The Satisfied Man

So quietly I came out
from a belly so stout
just crying all day
I eat and I lie

I sit and I stand
I drink and I chew
I will walk with no hand
and I've teeth met a few

My desire was to learn
Now I've learnt to earn
With many an evaluation
I made a graduation

To a girl I got married
A son I got later
The wife is now worried
I've more duties than the letter

My son is now earning
Our choices are now charming
The girl he's gonna marry
Should be pretty like a fairy.

We found out one soon
The marriage all done
Just like a great boon
A grand child I got one

I'm content I'm proud
I stand bold in a crowd
Sundered to grey hair
I rest on chair

Lay resting forever
Six feet behind my home
So quietly I go back
The way I had come.



5147 Balakrishna Menon



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The Ghost

Once I was lost
In a forest path
I tried to recover, but in vain
And ill luck tightened it's wrath.

I walked on and on,
And the path became lone
The moonlight shone,
And behind the clouds it was gone.

I saw in the moonlight,
Such a wonderful sight
A house with such a height,
Stood with all its might.

I thought I was right,
To enter the house
I was afraid and told myself to Fight,
And not to be such a cowardly louse.

The inside of the house was a host
Such that the beauty was ablaze
and once again I was lost,
in this scary maza

My senses were right,
Or were they wrong
I tried with all my might,
To concentrate all along.

I saw something move,
Or was it my imagination?
One moment it was there
And the next second it was gone.



4857 V N Krishna Kumar

A lazy white figure was in front of me,
With skirts that stretched up to her knee
And there was evil in her eyes
And I knew it was the end of me.

And all at once I saw a sight,
In the darkness, there was light!
Not just an ordinary light but a tube light
which made me jump and fall.
Getup! Getup! I heard my sergeant call.

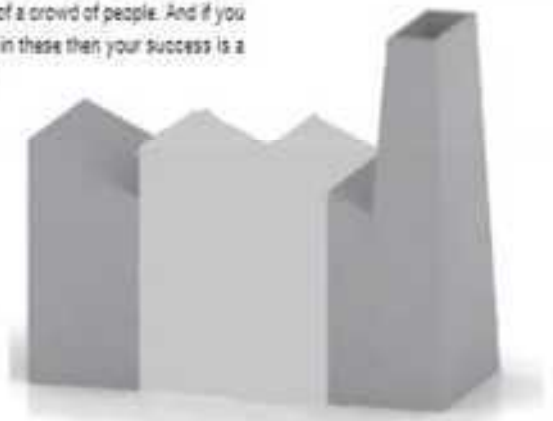
Rising of Confidence

One of the crucial aspects of life that has an impact on everything is "confidence". It plays a major role in education, work and bringing up of your friendship. To achieve confidence we can do many things and if you succeed in it then your future is brightly written. Confidence means we should be ready at all times to face any problems or challenges. We should Adopt a role model whom we believe to be our best choice. We should accept criticism and try not to fight with anyone. Knowing our limits achieve confidence step by step. Don't ever even think about your past but live in today's world. Appreciate

yourself and accept compliments from others. Be your own best friend. Turn out should be proper whenever you go in front of a crowd of people. And if you believe in these then your success is a fixed.



4905 Rahul T



TIMELINE



2011-'12



On the Run - Inter-house 1 Mile Run Competition



Parent - Teachers Meeting



Dramatic Performance - Junior House Day



Tribute to the Founder - by former President of India



Something to cherish - Shri. KB Ganesh Kumar, Hon'ble Minister for Sports & Forest during his visit to school



Chappatis in-Plant - Inauguration of Chappati Making Machine by Shri. Ramachandran, GE and our Principal

TIMELINE



2011-'12



In the lap of nature - Class VII on tour



Home coming - Dining in ceremony of Lt Col PG Suresh Kumar



Impressive oratory - Inter house Malayalam Debate



All Ears! - Visit of Inspecting Officers, 000



Best of Luck - Hari Balji NCC PI Staff being presented the School memento



Cup of Joy - Cook House Trophy (Sub-juniors) for Ashokiana



Verbal Skills - Inter house English Debate



Good Going - Inter house volleyball competition



Proud Winners - Cook House Trophy (Juniors) for Shrivajana



Drinking Glory - Cook House Trophy (Seniors) for Prasadana



Paid presence - Kazhak Expo at Kanakakunnu Palace



Personality development interactive session in progress

TIMELINE



2011-'12

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2011-'12



Merry Bunch - Freshers Party at Kazhak House



Bio ADIEU - Farewell to APTQ/BHM Anilkumar



Smart Kick - Inter house Football Championship



Grievances Addressed - Visit of Inspecting Officer, SSS



Honour to the Heroes - By Officers



A Point to Note - Inter house Hindi Debate



Reward for Merit - Felicitation to Staff members



Heroes on Stage - La Fete at Loyola School, Tiruvannam



Singh - NCC Contingent Marching at Central Stadium, Independence Day Celebrations



Shri VD Mathukutty at the Farewell Assembly



Planning Future Plans - Local Board of Administration Meeting



Lighting the Torch - Memory of 2 Lt Pashamohan Nares

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Token of love - Shri J. Sudhakaran, GE on the occasion of his farewell function.



Gate-way to NCA - Class XI with Commandant, NCA, Alumna of the School



Send off - ADIEU to Passing out batch



In Remembrance - Retiring Officer, NCF receiving memento from Principal



Marching Speed - Passing out Parade



Bring the Plunge - Inter house Swimming Contest




CAPT R Harshan AC
23rd Oct. 2011 **Memorial**
All Kerala Basketball Tournament





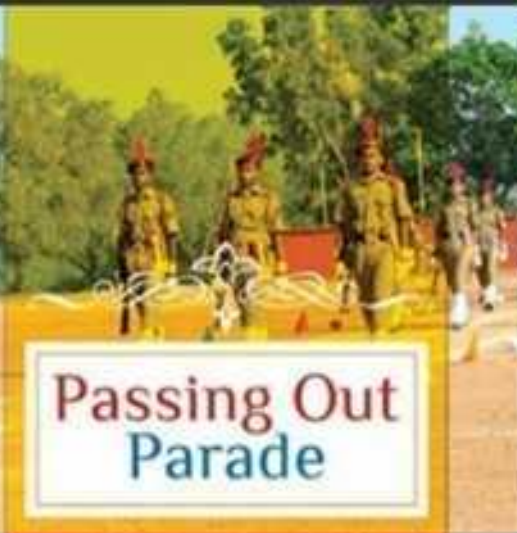
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Marching ahead



Passing Out Parade

17th December 2011



Air Marshal D Chauran AVSM, VSM reviews the Passing out parade

Annual Day 2011 Celebrations



Chief Guest Smt. Shoba Koshy, Chief Post Master General, Kerala, Addresses the gathering





Annual Day 2011

Cultural Programme





4409 - Anshad AA



4417 - Bharath Murali



4425 - Jubit Jestine TES



4438 - Vinay Sunder



4440 - Akash S Naval Academy



4452 - Harish Kumar SS Naval Academy



4456 - Vayshak DG



4723 - Nando S



4830 - A Kannan Nair Naval Academy



4511 - Jeeth Jacob



4512 - Rahul Krishnan



4520 - Anandu GS



4521 - Sooraj Krishna



4531 - Niranchand C



4543 - Sreenath P



4545 - Arun Jayan



4546 - Nidhin Devasia



4556 - Shashank S

Proud to be a Kayshak



4567 - Vinayak S



4835 - Sibin Babu



4836 - Jabin Jimmy



4833 - Aby Mathews



5163 Himansu Kumar

माँ का महत्व

हम सभी का सौभाग्य है कि हम सभी के पास माँ है।

माँ के साथ रहने से हमारा सारा कष्ट दूर हो जाता है और जीवन सफल हो जाता है।

माँ एक शक्ति है जिसे सुनते ही ममता एवं प्यार वाप आ जाता है। माँ वह तालकवार है जो बड़े-ले-बड़े चोटान को काटकर मीठा इरना कहा सकती है। माँ के प्यार को दुनिया की किसी भी चीज से तुलना नहीं की जा सकती क्योंकि वह अतुल्य है। माँ के प्यार को कोई ऊँचाई नहीं है और माँ का प्यार समुद्र से भी गहरा है। माँ ममता, प्यार त्याग, क्षमता एवं न्याय की मूर्ति है। वह अपने बच्चों के उज्वल एवं गौरवशाली भविष्य का सपना देखती है। वह अपने बच्चों को सुखों के लिए दिन-रात कष्टिन से कष्टिन मेहनत करती है। इतना ही नहीं वह अपनी पेट काटकर बच्चों को अच्छी शिक्षा एवं देखभाल करती है। हम सभी का सौभाग्य है कि हम सभी के पास माँ है। माँ के साथ रहने से हमारा सारा कष्ट दूर हो जाता है और जीवन सफल हो जाता है।

हर मनुष्य जब जन्म लेता है तो वह माँ का दूध जो अमृत से भी मूल्यवान है वह पीकर बड़ा होता है। माँ के शरीर में ममता का खगर

उपर होता है। लेकिन बच्चों को देखते ही सारा दर्द मिट जाता है। जब बच्चों को कुछ बीमारी होती है तब माँ के दिल को कितना दुःख होता है वह रिफैं इंधर ही समझ सकता है। वह दिन-रात बिना भोजन किए अपने बच्चों के बगल में बैठे रहती है और भगवान से प्रार्थना करती है, उसका बच्चा जल्द से जल्द ठीक हो जाए। जब उसका बच्चा ठीक हो जाता है तो माँ के दिल में जो आनंद एवं हर्ष को बारिश होती है वह कोई अंदाजा नहीं लगा सकता।



चार वर्ष पहले की बात है जब मैं तीसरी कक्षा में पढ़ता था गोंय के एक प्राइवेट

भरा हुआ है जो कभी समाप्त नहीं होता। हर दिन का एक-एक पल माँ अपने बच्चों को जी-जान लगाकर पालती है। एक-एक क्षण वह अपने बच्चों का देखभाल करती है और औषधों में सपना संशोधन करती है, कि कब मेरा बेटा बड़ा हो जाए।

जब बच्चा कुछ बड़ा हो जाता है तो माँ के ऊपर बहुत ही जिम्मेदारी आ जाती है। सुबह उठकर खाना बनाना बच्चों को तैयार करके निद्यालय भेजना जैसी कितनी काम माँ के

निद्यालय में। मेरी पढ़ाई में उतना मन नहीं लगता था। और मैं अपने पाठों के साथ हमेशा खेलता था। साल के अंत में जब तीसरी कक्षा का 'रिजल्ट' आया तो मैं फेल हो गया था। मैं बहुत डर गया था कि घर जाने पर माँ से डीट-फटकार खाती पड़ेगी। जब माँ ने मेरा रिजल्ट देखा तो वह थोड़ी सी उदास हो गयी। लेकिन माँ ने डीट के बजाय मुझे बहुत देर तक समझाया। माँ ने मेरे शरीर में विश्वास, आत्मविश्वास

बालक हूँ मैं वीर निराला



5161 Divakar Kumar

बालक हूँ मैं वीर निराला
 नहीं किसी से डरने वाला।
 उस माई का लाल नहीं,
 जो मुझको डरना सिखायाती।
 उस माई का प्यार नहीं,
 जिसको छली डर से फट जाती।
 मैं कष्टों से लड़नेवाला
 मैं दुष्टों से भिड़नेवाला।
 बालक हूँ मैं वीर निराला,
 नहीं किसी से डरनेवाला।।
 मैं नहीं वैसा हदय वाला,
 जिसका हृदय पाषाणोंवाला।।
 मैं शत्रु पर दया करनेवाला।
 मैं शत्रु पर दया करनेवाला।
 मैं शत्रु का प्राण हरनेवाला।

दुष्टों को दुर्गन्धित करनेवाला।। मैं भूमण्डल जीतनेवाला।
 चीन-बंधुओं को बचानेवाला। मैं गदार को मारनेवाला।
 बालक मैं वीर निराला, मैं देशभक्त बनानेवाला।
 नहीं किसी से डरनेवाला।। बालक हूँ मैं वीर निराला,
 मैं गिरो लायन करनेवाला।। नहीं किसी से डरनेवाला।।



My First Cross-Country Race

My first cross country race was when I was in 7th standard. I got up early and wore my house colour T-Shirt with full pride and self-confidence. We knew that the house victory depended on us. I entered the parade ground seeking blessings of all the gods, especially Jesus. With my heart full of courage I went straight to the starting point. My house master came to us and gave us instructions. Of course, our appointments were the brain behind it. The whistle was blown and all the 6th standards cheered us. It was one of my unforgettable moments. I was biting my collar so that I would not suffocate. But after the parade ground, I got angry and left my collar.

I ran and reached the quarters. I saw Jayesh some 50m ahead of me. I surely thought I would reach the first enclosure. The race was getting tougher

and the destination was far ahead. Blood flowed faster through my nerves and I tightened my fist, took lead. The race was the same like our life- full of bushes, rocks, pits etc. The main part is that we should overcome it. Soon I reached inside where our cadets call it "forest". My seniors used to scare us telling that while they ran the cross country, they saw fox, jackals, snakes etc. But there I did not find anything. Then my common sense started telling me "You better concentrate on your race or else sometimes our house may not get the trophy". My concentration was fully on the race.

At last I reached out of the forest and swimming pool. It is a turning point of race. Any thing can happen at any time. I was afraid through out the race that I would be pushed by some one else. I reached near the game store.

There I saw Subham Sinha & Anchan near me. When I entered the parade ground, Himanshu had just entered the enclosure and was the first boy to reach. Mean while Adarsh and Jayesh had finished the race, followed by Rahul Ranjan. At last I finished the race, reaching the enclosure. It was the first cross country of my life. Though our house was Runners up, in my mind we were the champions. I will keep in mind that cross country where the 7th standards showed their might in front of their juniors and continuously encouraged them to keep up the same spirit.



5136 Abhijith JS





4715 Alash K.R.



5264 Neeraj Kumar

पैसों का महत्व

ऑन का गुण पैसों का गुण है। पैसा ही हमारी माता-पिता, दोस्त - दुश्मन, भाई - बहन और शिक्षक है। इसके बिना हमारा जीवन नहीं चल सकता है। जैसा कि आपने सुना होगा कि पैसा हैलाता है और पैसा ही सजाता है। हमारे जन्म से लेकर मृत्यु तक हमें इसको जरूरत होती है। हमारे माता-पिता को कितने ही पैसों की थिथकियाँ को देना पड़ा

होगा। हमारे फलन-पोषण को पूरी जिम्मेदारी इसी पर निर्भर रहता है। जैसे हमारी फर्माई के लिए कितने ही पैसा शिक्षकों को देना पड़ता है। इसके बिना हमें शिक्षा प्राप्त नहीं हो सकती है। एक पॉसल से लेकर मोटी-मोटी पुस्तकें खरीदने के लिए इसे को ही जरूरत होती है। स्कूल पोसाक को खरीदने के लिए भी इसे को जरूरत होती है। एक नौकरी

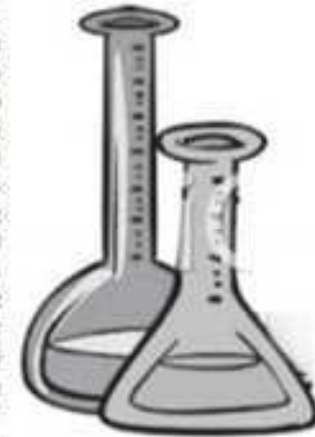
पाने के लिए भी न जाने कितने पैसों को खर्च करना पड़ता है। तब जाकर नौकरी मिलती है। इसके साथ-साथ हमारे भाई-बहनों के लिए भी कितने रूपयों को जरूरत होती है।

न जाने इतने 'पैसे' क्यों से माता-पिता हमारे लिए पूर्ण करते हैं। इस समस्या को न समझाकर कितने बच्चे पैसों को किज्जूल खर्च करते हैं। हम बच्चों को अपने माता-पिता के इस समस्याओं को समझना चाहिए और पैसों का काम सार्थ करना चाहिए।

published a paper in 1905. Theories of God and heaven were thrown away. Even science was rattled by its core. The clerk, or Albert Einstein, as was his name, published few more papers in 1915, which we know today as the general theory of relativity. Mass which was taken to be constant in all equations till then, was proved to vary with respect to velocity. A speed limit was put on all bodies, that is, the speed of light was the ultimate barrier. This achievement seems huge and wonderful, but what led to it was a question which he asked when he was a child "what would we see, if we were to catch up with light?" Light would no longer be light as it is relative to the observer: it would be

stationary, and hence the speed limit. Relativity caused such a major upheaval that radical theories and fantastic breakthroughs began to happen by the day. Science won the match.

There was no looking back. Theories and hypotheses were proven and disproven. Models were made accurate upto the order of 10⁻³⁰ units. Even the inherent uncertainty in nature was brought to the fore with mathematics as the tool of exploration. It is upto us to continue this victory march onwards and find the 'truth'. The achievement would be the crowning glory of humankind.



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science

knowing the truth, it represents the strife towards enlightenment. No life is complete without wondering about how it all began. Humans take pride in being self conscious. Therefore it is the inherent quality of humans to be curious about how life and subsequently, themselves, came to be. In the dark ages, men thought earth was the centre of our universe and the heavens were the abode of gods and goddesses who defied any understanding. Then a man found out scientific proof that earth revolved around the sun but the power of ignorance was so much that he was forced to keep his theory under cover. Then another man, the world famous Galileo proposed that stars were huge fireballs and not palaces of gods. He was lucky not to be beheaded. Why did these men bother? They could have kept quiet and said ignorance is bliss. So

round one went to the church, and gods powers were unquestioned.

Then, as legend goes, an apple fell some centuries later, and instead of eating it, Newton found the Law of Gravity. He followed it by findings in optics, calculus, laws of motion, geometry etc. 'Principia de Mathematica' rocked the very foundation of the idea of an omnipotent God. The motion of the heavenly bodies was not captained by any god but a few mathematical equations. Round two went to science.

Many theories of Newton were later put under the anvil as scientists, a new breed of man, began to find properties and sequences in the way things happen in our vast universe. Later, the need to introduce dual nature of light was felt and the ensuing confusion was insurmountable. Then, a clerk in a German patent office

Nature and her secrets lay hidden in the dark. God said "Let Newton be, and all was light."

It is pointless to ask what science is, as the classical, monotonous definition has been hammered into the mind of millions of children throughout the world for many centuries. But, why science? For many students, it represents a hurdle in their life and they wonder why they should study it when they have nothing to do with it afterwards. The answer is simple. Science is the curiosity towards



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Swathi B.A.

Behind every successful man there is a woman. But her role is seldom understood. A woman is the other half of man. Women have equal right in all aspects like education, business, family, political issues, or any other field which is of importance in the progress of a country.

Women are deprived of even the basic joy of being literate. The enormous talent resident in them has never been nurtured. They are confined to the four walls of the houses. Dowry is another problem faced by women in India.

Indian Women should come forward to take the challenge of running the country. They should adopt a life of



The Women of Today

simplicity. Woman is not a play thing of man she is not born just to satisfy the lust of man. One should stand in the shoes of a woman to know what her true feelings and thoughts are. Gandhiji says "Women should avoid the extreme need for wealth for showy dress and decorations. There's always a natural scent originating from the inner hearts

of women". Therefore they are not required to attract others by applying scent.

Women's heart is very noble and humble. They are the embodiment of sacrifice, silent suffering, humility, faith and knowledge. Women have the power to understand any situation without being taught. *



Precious Time

misusing it. I am going to tell a short story on the precious time. By listening to this story you can't even imagine how much valuable time is. As we know P.T. Usha was one of the fastest women runner of this world. In an athletic meet she participated in 100 metre running. But unfortunately she lost the first position and got second position. She lost 1st position due to difference of 1/100 minute. If 1/100th minute consists this much importance then think about yourself. How much time you are spoiling. Some will say "Oh! I missed my flight because I was one minute late." So, we should be punctual

and not waste time because time has its own significance. It is said that we can't compare lakh of rupees to even a single minute. We all should be a strict followers of time. A person lives a very happy life when he does all his work in proper time. The person who doesn't give importance to time can't achieve his ambition. So, for being a successful person we should give much importance to the precious time. *

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Vikash Kumar



Happy School days

215 Madhav Rajan

Dear Friends,

The year was 1967 ... a very good year ... as it was the year of romance ...

... We had come back from taking part in the Republic day parade, in Delhi, and before that we were lucky to go through the preparatory camp at Munnar at least I was lucky, as I met my girl friend Vatsala, there. We were in the same singing group rending out one beautiful/malayalam song after another, in the evenings.

"Gayakare unarunaroo ... Kadhikare unarunaroo ...": "vande puka vande, vandi vandri ninne pole vayrinakathum theeyanu ..."

The day the song practice was not there, we somehow found a way to meet, outside the Spencer's mini mall. She was great company during the train journey to Delhi and back.

I became, a very ardent devotee, of SriKandeswara Temple in Vanchiyoor, in Trivandrum, her house was next to this temple.

I think, I picked up the rudiments of writing, from this period, in shortest number of words, I had to tell her, how much, she meant to me.

After a year, of frenetic letter writings, and risky visits to the alleys, behind the temple to meet her, the romance petered out. Her parents caught her with my letters, and laughed at her for romancing a School boy, when she was already in college ...

Final straw, was the caste factor. How can a brahmin girl, even think of marrying a Nair boy, that too a school going boy.

There was nothing else, to look forward to, except NDA results. Then came a breather.

A trek to Courtallam falls ... Mr Fendred, our British volunteer, cum football coach, cum, English teacher, cum Director, of all Shakespearian plays, like Comedy of Errors, and his friend Smith, were willing to take us for a trek, to Courtallam Falls, in Tamil Nadu. ... we were to be, dropped at a place called TENMALA, then had to walk on foot, fifty kilometers, towards Tamil Nadu border, Aryankavu, cross over to Shencottai, in Tamil Nadu, make a base at Courtallam Falls 5 Kilometers away, and then, be brought back to SSKDM by bus.

... We trekked with our Haversacks, with a cheerful forest stream, keeping us company and at odd times, old ladies used to peek out from their shanties, on the side of the road, and berate us, why can't you people be a little more patient ... there is a bus every Three hours to Shencottai.

... Our British Volunteers, tried to make our hike, a little more interesting.

They made us, sing aloud ... a British Marching Song ...

... "Roll me over, on the clover ... Roll me over on the Clover ..."

At Aryankavu we crossed over to Tamil Nadu, passed through Shencottai, and reached courtallam falls, ... a refreshing bath at the water fall, spirits soaring, we all were singing.

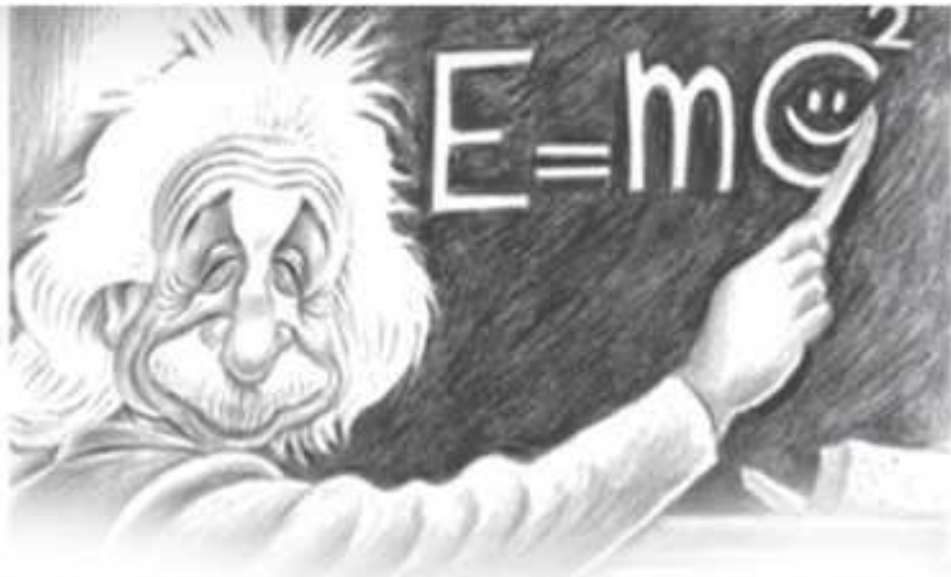
... "Hurrah, Hurrah ... we sing so happily, Hurrah, Hurrah ... the place that makes us free ... and so we sang the chorus, from Trivandrum to the sea, ... as we were marching ... from Pangode"

... Bring the good old bugle boys 'I'll sing another song, sing it with a spirit that will move the wheels along ..."

Sing it as we used to sing it, two and fifty strong, as we were marching from Pangode"

Back in the school with memories of a Grand ... Summer of '67. *





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5215 Naveen Hari

Extraordinary claims require extraordinary evidences, then Scientists involved in an experiment called OPERA (oscillation project with emulsion-tracking apparatus) have provided just that, when 90 nanoseconds threaten modern physics a sentence which is known to all. Yes, with the discovery of neutrinos, particles that travel faster than light, the foundation of modern physics is shaking.

Neutrinos fired from a supercollider outside Geneva to an underground laboratory in Granasso Italy took less time than light to get there. A beam of light would take 2.4 milliseconds to cover this distance. This means neutrinos were travelling at a speed of 299,790, 454 metres per second. While the speed of light in a vacuum is slower

at 299, 792, 455 metres per second. This new discovery shocked scientists all over the world. Albert Einstein's 1905 special theory of relativity that states nothing can travel faster than light is now in doubt, if it is proved wrong the very foundation of modern physics will be demolished. Another one very interesting fact is that if neutrinos can travel faster than light less time for travel may be possible. The theory is very simple to understand. Imagine you can run with the speed of a neutrino. You are standing in a race track. The light from the sun (any other light source) touches your body and reflects. At the same moment you start running. You being faster than light reaches first in the finishing line. When you look back you can see your own self in the past. If you keep running, at some stage you may beat the light which reflected from

Akbar's Court. One defect: No sound. Because sound travels much slower. Yet another amazing fact is that nothing can stop a neutrino. They are formed when stars explode. It may or may not be proved that neutrinos travel faster than light. If proved, New technologies will come to existence. What I say is "Hope for the best".



Friendship



5002 Nandan Kumar

he is one among the few relations on the earth that never dies. Friendship helps to make a friend strong. You can enjoy the love more given by the friends if you make it close. Choosing a friend should be slow; changing him should be even slower.

As you all know the bond of friendship is stronger than the bond of feiv-kwik. It depends with whom you want to be bonded to. A strong, close, good, true friend-ship will never sink. To call somebody a 'friend' means that

'A friend in need is a friend indeed.' This English proverb means that, a true friend is someone who helps you when you are in need. Some don't know what friendship actually means. When you are

in danger, only a true friend will guide you and will make you free from danger, that also without any harm. A friend can see the mark of his friendship on the earth below and the heaven above.

Remember, anyone can achieve what he wants, even if it is difficult, with the help of his true friends. So make friends, attain prosperity and share it with them. The friend who tastes his friendship like nectar, bit by bit will relish it forever and, besides, not overtax it..

भारत के नन्हें मुझे

हम खो आगे आगे बढ़ना
उंचे उंचे पर्वत चढ़ना
हमको है बढ़ते रहना
पलते होगा लिखना पढ़ना
हम खो है मिनजुलुकर रहना।
कभी किसी से न डरना करना।
कूख भी हम काम करने।
घिर भी जाग में नाभ करने।

कदम मिलाएँ, कदम बढ़ाएँ।
कभी मौत से हम न घबराएँ।
अपना साहस कभी न छोड़ें।
बात-बात पर हम न रोएँ।
जो डरते हैं, घबराने हैं।
कभी कुछ नाँवें कर पाते हैं।
जो निर्भय बन जाते हैं
वे अपनी मौजिल पाते हैं।
हम भारत माँ के बच्चे
कधे मुझे पर दिल के बच्चे।
सदा काम करते हम अच्छे।



5159 Anubrat Kumar

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इन्टरनेट: एक वरदान



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Abhyas Kumar

परंपरागत पद्धति में छात्रों के पास निश्चय बहुत कम होते हैं और सबसे बड़ी बात तो यह है कि छात्रों को यह पता नहीं चल पाता कि छात्रों को यह पता नहीं चल पाता कि किसी एक विषय पर उसके पास कुल कितने विकल्प हैं? लेकिन इसकी तुलना में आज उसके पास कंप्यूटर है और है इंटरनेट जैसी चमत्कारी प्रौद्योगिकी। अब बस माउस को एक क्लिक भर से पलक झपकते ही सूचनाओं तथा जानकारियों का भंडार सामने खुल जाता है।

या छात्रों को किसी भी विषय पर अधिक से अधिक जानकारी प्राप्त कर सकते हैं।

जैसे मनुष्य की प्रकृति है कि वह कूल जल्दी निष्कर्ष निकालने लगता है। कथामत का रोग खड़ा करने में उसे तनीक भी देर नहीं लगती। कुछ लोगों का कहना है कि इंटरनेट छात्रों के शिक्षामूलक प्रगति में रुकसकट तथा तनाव डालता है। वे कहते हैं कि इंटरनेट के कारण छात्र अब कित्तियों को छोड़कर कंप्यूटर के सामने बैठना अधिक पसंद करते हैं। हाँ! यह सच है। क्योंकि पुस्तक प्रकाशन की

कहा गया है "आज का कार्य आज के आधुनिक उपकरणों के द्वारा करना चाहिए।" इंटरनेट ने युवाओं के लिए रोशनी व शिक्षा के लिए आसान मार्ग खोल दिए हैं। अब सूचनाओं के आदान-प्रदान, शिक्षा, मनोरंजन सामाजिक-मेलनोल तथा उन्मुक्त प्यार का पर्यायवाची इंटरनेट ही है। छात्र व छात्राएँ इंटरनेट संबंधी तकनीक में परिणत हो कर अच्छी नौकरियों पाते हैं। उनमें से कुछ तो विदेश भी जाते हैं जहाँ इंटरनेट का उपयोग पेशी करेता की बोलत को खोलने के समान है। यही नहीं अब आप घर बैठे-बैठे रेलवे या प्लान में सीट बुक कर सकते हैं। इससे छात्र

छात्र व छात्राएँ तथा इंटरनेट से सम्बन्धित सभी लोग इंटरनेट का भरपूर प्रयोग कर सकें, इसी उद्देश्य की पूर्ति के लिए यह पृष्ठ उद्योग गया है।

अर्थात्, सूचना-प्रौद्योगिकी को नई देन का हमें स्वागत करना चाहिए। अतः छात्र अगर ज्ञान अर्जन करने की परंपरा को बचाए रखना चाहते हैं तो इस विज्ञान के देन के अनुरूप स्वयं के तौर तरीकों में बदलाव लाना होगा।

The Small Friend of mine



It was raining in the night
My eyes felt on a little rain drop
He spoke to me you know!
As the rain became slow.



He rolled like a diamond
In the light of the moon
What a wonderful sight!
What a wonderful sight.



He cried suddenly
My heart became soft
Like the feather of the peacock
I spoke to him you know!

"Why are you crying little one?"
"My family is dying" said he
"What's so wrong
To happen like that?"



"Because the people pollute us" replied he
Suddenly some one called me
It was a dream, indeed a good one
I will not forget my little friend and his family
Who appeared in my dream. ♣



4866 Prince Deepu



Remember

Luck is not in your hand
Work is in your hand
Your work can make luck
But luck cannot make your work.
Past is experience.
Present is experiment
and future is expectation.
Use your experience in your
experiment to achieve your expectation.
Always ask God to give you
What you deserve
not what do you desire.
It is because your desire may be few
but you deserve a lot
Remember that
You are very special
No one can play
Your role better than you
You are unique
So love yourself always. ♣



4902 Arun M.B.

Founding Father



Shri. VK Krishna Menon



Lt Col KN Sardana
1978-1980



Lt Col ML Sapru
1980-1983



Lt Col RBL Mathur
1983-1986



Lt Col BK Somalah
1961-1966



Lt Col KA Rao
1986-1988



Col BC Kathpal
1989-1990



Col HS Sangha
1990-1992



Wig Cdr KHS Rao
1966-1971



Capt (IN) Krishnan
1992-1993



Capt (IN) APA Robin, NM
1993-1999



Cdr Paul Abraham
1999-2003



Cdr GD Singh
1971-1974



Wig Cdr S Roy
1974-1976



Lt Col OP Chaudhry
1976-1978



Col CV Ramanaiah
2003-2006



Col B Ajit Kumar
2006-2010



Gp Capt B Janardhanan
2010-

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27 February 2011



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28th December 2012





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VIJAYANTA TANK



GURUVANDANAM

23rd September 2011

The Torch Bearers





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RM's tribute to the Pioneers



Inauguration by Her Highness Gouri Parvathi Bai

KAZHAK EXPO
at Kanakakkunnu Palace
Thiruvananthapuram



Musical Tribute
to
Sathesh Chandran



Unveiling the Bust of Z/Lt RM Naresh





Celebrations

Felicitation of the Pioneers



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KAZHAK EXPO at Kanakakkunnu Palace Thiruvananthapuram



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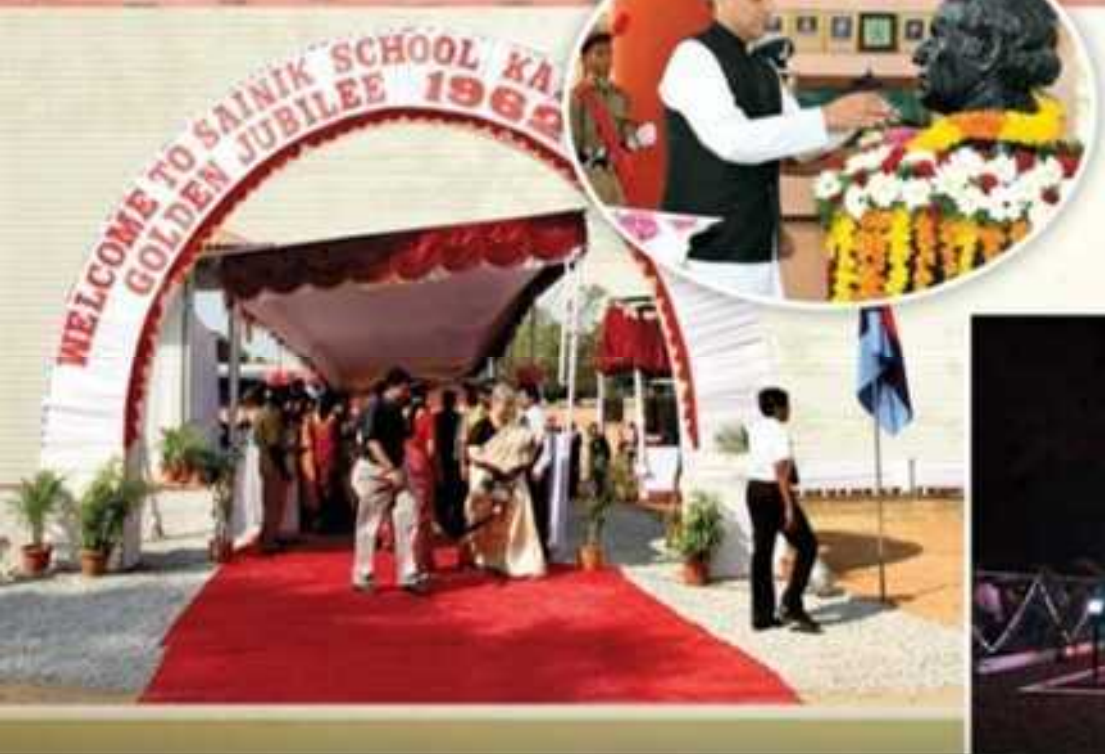
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50 Celebrations
Grand Finale
21-01-2012



RRM Shri Palleem Raju
reviewing
the Guard of Honour



Chief Minister Shri Dominen Chandu
Inaugurating the 'Hut of Remembrance'





Celebrations Grand Finale



The dignitaries on the stage

GJ Grand Finale... 21 January 2012



Release of 'After you sir' written by Captain (IN) Ramesh Babu (Rtd), Roll No 888 (Alumnus)



Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Goman Chandy addressing the audience



Releasing of special cover by Smt. Shoba Kishy, CPMG



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Celebrations



Up in the Air - IAF Air Devils



The Dara Devils



Engrossed audience dignitaries... Guests...



Stunning manoeuvres - The Dara Devils performing



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INDIA @ 7 BILLION



5084 Fabin Filal

The growing population is a big challenge to India and world as well. The latest baby boom and the 102 year old Hilla Sorab Billimoria of Kolkata represent, between them, two ends of India's complex population story.

At one end are the staggering numbers. With an estimated 1.21 billion people, India is a "Population billionaire" next only to China (1.34 billion), as the UN population fund described the country in a recent report titled India @ 7 billion. By 2025 India will overtake China to become the world's most populous country, with the numbers expected to exert enormous pressure on natural resources.

That 11 babies of the \$1 born every minute are in India. The lowest ranking Indian states on the human development index, highlights the

imperatives of Indian planners providing access to food, water, health, shelter, sanitation, education and jobs to all, the same time, balancing these against scarce resources, safeguarding the environment and protecting against climate change. But India's decadal population growth rate, which touched a high of over 24 percent in the 1970's, is slowing down. According to the 2011 census, it was 17.64 per cent in the last decade. That presents both opportunities and challenges. Lucknow, the capital of India's most populous state, also has one of its worst sex ratios: there are just 895 girls to 1000 boys, a sign of endemic desecration. India now has its worst ever child sex ratio: there are just 914 girls for every 1000 boys according to the 2011 census. Ten years ago, the 2011 census found it was 927.

1000: The decline has continued since 1961. Though things are improving in some state among them Punjab, Haryana, Gujarat, Himachal Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, the overall picture is grim.

India's maternal mortality ratio- the number of women dying due to maternal causes- per 1,00,000 live births- is pegged at 212. Fifty new borns among every 1000 also die. India is struggling to knock down these numbers, but has had limited success. Perhaps more important, challenge is the falling sex ratio and the "Vanishing" girl population. The shaming numbers underscore the fact that laws have done nothing to curb female foeticide or change the cultural preference for a boy child.

Along he sat in darkness alone
Shabby, dirty and his mind torn
Alone he sought his way out
Dull in his mind remains a doubt
Why was he born here,
In the midst of darkness and fear
Why couldn't he die now
Why was he here now
Among the cruel and vile minds
Who try to stab you from behind
He was broken at last
When she came back from past
He couldn't believe what he saw
As everything was against the law
Love and hate stood against

Love & Hate



4895 Deelohith C

With him in middle and all in haste,
He really didn't know-
Should he stand with hate or love
He stood beside love and sought
But the hate won the war he fought
And now he took a new birth
With anger and hate in his mind
But it was really meant to be his death.

विज्ञान या भगवान

5239 Ritik Raj



वे किसी भी आकस्मिक घटना को अवश्यंभावी समझकर मान लेते थे, लेकिन अब इस विज्ञान ने उसे अवश्यंभावी का नाम नहीं देते बल्कि पूरे घटना का यथोचित कारण ढूँढ निकालते हैं।

विज्ञान हमारे जीवन का महत्वपूर्ण हिस्सा है। यह हमारे कष्टों को सरल बनाता है। यह कुछ समय में विज्ञान काया को पूरा कर हमारा समय बचाता है। इसकी शक्ति अपार है। वैज्ञानिकों ने विज्ञान को खोज कर हमारे जीवन में क्रांति परोक्षता ला

दिया है। इसकी आधुनिक खोजों ने पूरी दुनिया पर अस्तित्व जमा लिया है। आज हम एक जगह से दूसरे जगह बिना समय नष्ट किये टिकट - जालनों से कुछ ही घंटों में क्रांति पुर सफर करते हैं, जो पुरातन काल में मनुष्य पैदल यात्रा कर कुछ महीनों में पहुँच पाते थे। आज के छोटे-छोटे घंटे पूरी दुनिया को जानकारी रखते हैं जो पुरातन काल में क्रांति दिनों के बाद लोगों को जानकारियों प्राप्त होती थी। आज विज्ञान के बल पर ही हम विश्वस की ओर बढ़ रहे हैं। इसके कारण हम सिर्फ दूर जगहों पर ही नहीं बल्कि चंद्रमा और अन्य ग्रहों पर भी जा सकते हैं।

द्वंद्व निकासते हैं। आज भी कुछ व्यक्तियों का मानना है कि सभी चीजें ईश्वर की शक्ति हैं। इन दोनों का अपने-अपने क्षेत्रों में विशेष-विभिन्न, अपना अपना एक महत्व है। विज्ञान ने अभी तक इस सृष्टि की रचना का पता नहीं लगाया किन्तु अस्तित्वों ने यह कहकर मान लिया की सृष्टि की रचना भगवान ने ही की है।

घंटे भले ही ईश्वर की देन नहीं है, परन्तु हमें यह मानना पड़ेगा कि गौतम बुद्ध को उस वक्त क्रुश से ही ज्ञान की प्राप्ति हुई। बिलाने महान् साधु-संतों ने विभिन्न ऋषियों से यह साक्षात् किया है कि उन्हें यह शक्तियाँ ईश्वर द्वारा ही मिली हैं। उनका कहना यह है कि ईश्वर निराकार है, हम उन्हें देख नहीं सकते परन्तु हम उन्हें महसूस कर सकते हैं। उनके अनुसार ईश्वर उनके रंग-रंग में निवास करते हैं। हमें उनको पूजा करने के लिए मंदिर, मस्जिद, गुरुद्वारा या गिरजाघर जाने की कोई जरूरत नहीं बल्कि उन्हें अपने मन में प्रकृत याद कर लेते हैं।

A Woman

When I am born
I am protected by all
And all take care of me.

As I group into my childhood
I am guided by all
And I have my parents to protect me.

As I get into my teen and youth
I scolded for all my mischiefs
And I have an energetic bro to save me.

Later on as I get married
I am getting into a new world,
I get new responsibilities and kind
And I have my husband to protect me.

Moving on, I get into my motherhood
I suffer pains for my dear one's gains
And I have my husband to share
my gains and pains.

On the move as I reach my old age
I have my children
Whom I took care of
And I have them to look after me
Not as a reward
But its their responsibility.

At the end I meet my death
You note that I have
Some one to protect my life through
They are protectors and
Aren't my superiors whose slave I am
But I do obey them...

Then as a girl or
As a wife or
As a mother...
Let me ask you
Why is a woman
Harassed or abused or
Raped?
Why?.



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The orphan

I am an orphan
Who has no-one to care
Who has no one to know
I have cried a lot
But no one has ever heard me.
I am hungry but

no-one to give me food
I can't beg
I can't do any work
This makes me starve
Which makes me lonely
But there are children in the world
Whose life is bitter and ugly

Where children cry and
Pray to the Almighty to save them.
Life is not fair to anyone.
And always leaves many behind
It's full of commitment and
Effort you have put in your life
It's not your fault that you are
Born in the streets without anything
But it is that you have died
Earning or achieving nothing in your life...

In that Marvellous Garden

I think sometimes
How wonderful would it be
Our classes in a green beautiful garden
In the midst of twittering birds,
The trees full of flowers
Butterflies all around
In the silence of the nature.
The fresh air all around
Refreshes our heart
Our mind ignores all the worries
Our body gets relaxed.



5005 Rajan Kumar

In that green marvellous garden,
Our teachers teach happily
The interesting lessons
We enjoy the pleasures of studies
They just motivate,
We would do all ways the best
In that green marvellous garden.
When we feel bored in the class
The beautiful sight refreshes again,
We enjoy our lesson then
With happiness and joy.

Interesting Facts



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- ◆ Dolphin sleeps with one eye open
- ◆ The swan has 25000 feathers on its body
- ◆ A Butterfly has 12,000 eyes
- ◆ Ostrich eats pebbles to help digestion by grinding up the indigested food
- ◆ The Earth has over 12,00,000 species of animals, three lakh species of plants and one lakh other species
- ◆ It is illegal to own a red car in Shanghai, China
- ◆ Kite flying is a professional sport in Thailand.
- ◆ A Blue whale can eat as much as three tons of food every day, but at the same it can live without food for six months
- ◆ The right lung takes more air than left
- ◆ Ramagule badane a variety of brinjal from Karnataka is used to prevent tooth decay
- ◆ Insects and fish have no eyelids. Hardened lens protect their eyes.
- ◆ In a day, a mature oak tree can draw approximately 150 litres of water.
- ◆ Most of the nutrients in potato reside just below the skin layer
- ◆ When glass breaks, the cracks move at speeds of up to three thousand miles per hour
- ◆ All sea snakes are venomous. Some of the sea snakes have a venom 100 times as toxic as any land snakes.
- ◆ A giraffe can clean its ears with it's ears
- ◆ You can't kill your self by holding your breath
- ◆ Fingert nails grow 4 times faster than toenails

The Importance of Learning History

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History is the study of our pasts. It is important to study the past so as to understand the present, and understanding the present dictates all our action. A better future can only be achieved by learning from our mistakes and successes in the past. History is the study of such past mistakes or successes or events. It provides the basement to build the houses of the present. As students who are the future

of the world, it is our duty to make a better world and education is what empower the children to do so. Therefore it is imperative that they learn the basement of the past to make a strong future.

History has always been a weak spot for many students though not always. This difficulty has arisen mainly due to the fact that they do not understand why they should learn about dead kings and

emperors, long past events and seemingly unimportant dates.

They quiver at the thought of long boring lecture on the political systems of Europe and industrialization and colonialisation. It is this view of history

that discourages them from liking history. They should know that the use of studying history stems from the fact that it is to guide them in the future. Teaching history must be a holistic learning experience for the students.

Events depicted in the history lessons of students are of great importance. These are the events that changed the course of the future. Events like the world wars, mechanization and industrialization are what made the present as it is. Periods of history like the dark ages and Renaissance tell us of the revival of mankind from long dullness and sorrow. Such events, if repeated will change the face of earth. History helps us to be careful in our steps and work for a better future by learning from the past. Historical dates are also important as it catalogs the falls and leaps of mankind. Wars fought long ago and its results persuade us to work for peace. Such an important subject is an unavoidable part of a budding youth's educational curriculum.

Another aspect which makes history boring and fearful to students is the interpretation of history as 'his' story. Students



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SUPER FACTS

- > June 5 is celebrated as World Environmental day
- > The earth's temperature has risen by 0.8^o Celsius since the beginning of the 20th century
- > Spider webs can help us to study about global warming, this is because they trap droplets of fog or cloud water and the scientists use these as samples for studies
- > There have been 11 ice ages and the last one the "The great ice Age" that occurred 11,000 years ago
- > There is an Ozone hole over the south pole
- > Hungary scored the most goals by a team in a world cup
- > A sneeze travels out of our mouths at 100 mph!
- > The pharaohs of Egypt wore garments made with thin threads of beaten gold
- > The diamonds in a deck of playing cards represent Julius caesar
- > Thesaurus is a book of words that have the same or nearly the same meaning
- > Mount everest is the youngest mountain. Do you know when it was formed? It was formed 85 million years ago
- > India's only active volcano is found on Barren islands in Andaman and Nicobar islands
- > The Sunderban Delta derived its name from the sundarbrees which grow well in marshland
- > Majuli, in the Brahmaputra river is the largest inhabited riverine island in the world.



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believe that history is just a story of a man or a king and it has nothing to do with reality. This is another barrier in making history a popular subject. Understanding the importance of history as a study of the past, to make a better future is necessary for this purpose. Students should be encouraged to discuss various events and people so that they can understand the situation of the society at that time clearly. Introducing new methods of teaching like history trivia and comic strips of important events simplify the hardships often wrongly associated with learning history.

Such new methods along with understanding the need to learn history

will make the students better prepared for the future. They learn the values displayed by various people or even countries in the past and can act accordingly for their own betterment. Moreover it helps to build an understanding between what has to be done and what should be stopped. History also helps us to understanding the earth better and for conserving its resources. The bloodshed and massacres seen in history teach human beings of the consequences of their own actions. Revolutions and rebellions teach us what humanity wants and how best to rule them. It shows us the hardships and sufferings of people, now long forgotten to ensure that such things are not

repeated. History guides us in our path towards progress by showing what difficulties and problems humanity faced in past during its relentless driven towards progress. It helps us cope with difficult situations by showing the courage and co-operation of human in the long gone centuries.

Learning history helps avoiding mistakes or mishaps in our pursuit of excellence and for a student such a guidance in his activities is of utmost importance. Therefore history, the study of our pasts that allows us to understand the present better and plan a good and happy future is very important. These facts reiterate the value of learning history.

A HOST OF GOLDEN DAFFODILS

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I am on holidays at Nenmara, near Palghat, with my parents, sisters and brother, after passing from viii std to vii std, in SSKZM. Actually I had never, ever ... seen the name of this town on newspaper, until our famous Minister from Kerala, Shashi Tharoor, decided to marry his Kashmiri bride, in a village near Nenmara. I would be lying down on my bed, with my sister and brother, lying on their stomachs, with their palm supporting their chin ... waiting for me to start ... I start ... I come from haunts of oot and hem, I make a sudden sally And sparkle out among the fern, to bicker down a valley. By thirty hills, I hurry down, Or slip between the ridges, By twenty thorpes, a little town, And, half a hundred

bridges. They both together repeat " KAMIME FRAMME , BONZY GANDI , CAPRIKOOTTI BATER GANDI, SADDEN SALLY ANDEN SPARLE, LARAMANGA, OOF EARN INTO BIKKAR DOWNI ..."

That sounds like the craziest version of Lord Tennyson's famous poem "The Brook" It remains in my mind after many many years, because of the way, it was taught to us by our Lady teacher, Mrs Myrtle Jacob. She made poem reading, poem writing, poem comprehension, such fun ... I even started writing a poem about the view from our house, overlooking miles of parrot green paddy fields, gently swaying in the breeze, with a chirpy stream giving this beautiful green saree, a golden kasav border ...

Of course it did not impress my mother one bit ... "you should be answering sums after sums of mathematics, then rote aloud all the formulas of elements, compounds, and their idiotic chemical reactions... that's where your future lies ... Kavita is for daydreaming people, with woolly brains ..."

That would remind me of the power and influence Balettan sir, held over us, while in Pangode...what he said was quoted as gospel truth, god's own commandments ...never hit a boy behind his head, he will die, never kick him on his private parts ... he will konk off in a second ..."

This got drilled into my mind ... at least I knew where to protect myself, in case of the many scuffles I had with fellow cadets ... One Abraham, nicknamed me Justice Mathoo ... I ran after him, round and round the red house, then the blue house, then the kitchen, and finally caught up with him behind the row of toilets, where we all usually play 'seven tiles' with AJIT JACOB and gang.

Abraham warned me ... hit me anywhere except where Balettan sir, told us not to ... I cut off the confrontation and invited him for a game of 'seven tiles'.

I sit with my niece in Bangalore, and tell her about the wonders of the Periodic table of Elements, atomic numbers, atomic weights, coooper



sulphate, sodium, potassium and how we frightened our parents, when they came on the annual day, by scattering, dollops of special explosive compounds, on the floor ...

The elders would step on them and as it gave a cracker of a mini blast, give a shriek of sheer fright, that would delight all of us to no end, making us laugh and guffaw holding onto our bellies ...

Balettan sir, would watch from the sidelines, to make sure, our gimmicks did not cross, acceptable limits.

Behind the success of many of our alumni, in IITs, lies, the steadfast and selfless devotion Balettan sir, applied in making the subject of Chemistry, easy to understand, gripping, and a source of wonder ...

the development of our old boys association, school journal, directory ... are all because of his tireless pioneering efforts ...

The very pleasure I get in sitting in front of this computer, and chatting

away with my school mates ... I owe to NBN Sir, no doubt about it ...

his contribution in character building, personality development, and confident posture of our cadets, especially in front of SSB Boards, and other competitive interviews ... are undisputable ... I get back to the reality ... my brother and sister are waiting for another poem ... I recite "I wandered lonely as a cloud, That floats on high o'er vales and hills, when all at once I saw a crowd ... Surprisingly, they both, repeated the words of this famous poem, by William Wordsworth exactly, as above ...

Time to take them on in a competition ... "Which is the Capital" ? ... They are saying the capital of India is Calcutta ... That is true, but long long back during British days of East India company ... how could they say capital of America is London ... anybody coming out with an exaggerated tale, would be dismissed as telling a London pulu (a skyscraper of a bluff) ... My mind wanders off to our Geography teacher Mr Thomas ... his smiling face, the

way he encouraged us in making those maps of North America and Africa ... we shaded the outlines with wetted crayons, to really impress him ...

I come to reality, as my mother shouts, 'what is going on', my brother and sister had gone off to sleep ...

time to go out and look closely at the 'chemparathy poove' ... the hibiscus flower. Our Biology teacher Mr George Joseph had ingrained in us, a great love for plants, and even microscopic organisms like amoeba, hydra and paramecium ... (my brother repeated after me 'Parameswaran') ...

The seeds of my love for nature, flora and fauna, were planted by George Joseph sir ... I still remember the dancing steps he took, before delivering a fiendishly unplayable, legbreak, at the batsman ... " Howzzzzat"

Not to mention Vasudevan sir, our physics teacher, would be unfair, as his motivation resulted in me always getting the highest marks in Physics, always above, seventy five percent ... I could visualize the innards of a synchronesh gear box, thanks to his encouragement, later to write all the lesson plans for high tech BMP Armoured Personnel Carriers, for the battalion, and then seeing it, being accepted as syllabus in IITech Inf School in Ahmednagar, is all due to him.

Next to Bhagavad Gita, I keep the books, " HOW THINGS WORK", vol 1, and 2, as my bible ... sheer enthusiasm for machinery, instilled in me by Vasu Sir.

Actually I could write a book on our fantastic teachers of Sainik School ... may be sometime ...



Can India be rid of corruption?

(Awarded 1st Prize in the Inter-House Essay Writing Competition - Seniors)



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"Power tends to corrupt and absolute power corrupts absolutely". There are the words of John Aton, who comments upon a dirty reality that exists in all parts of the world - corruption means lack of integrity. It is an act done to take some advantage inconsistent with official duty and rights of others. It is not just about bribery, but also involves the abuse of political power for private gain.

Corruption is a word used by many people in India. India has now come under the spotlight as a highly corrupted nation with cases such as common wealth games scam, 2G spectrum allocation scam, Bofors scam, Adarsh housing society scam, BSNL looting by Dayanidhi Maran etc. An alumnus of the prestigious NDA and an air force officer, Suresh, Kalmadi was chief organiser of the common wealth games. But he was arrested and now is languishing in Tihar jail for having allegedly given the conducting rights to a foreign company at high price and thus causing heavy loss to the government. Then came A.Raja, former telecom minister for having sold the 2G spectrum to those companies which did not fulfil the conditions for obtaining it. About 4,327 lakh crores was the loss to the exchequer. This money was illegally transferred to Kalsingar TV through certain firms. MP Kanimozhi and Shard Kumar, who are the owners of Kalsingar TV are also in Tihar jail after the CBI investigation on 2G scam. The corruption cases even dates back to the time of Indra Gandhi. Illegal transfer of

arms by a company called Bofors in India caused serious revolts at various places. The former chief minister of Maharashtra, Ashok Chavan is also under the scam with regards to Adarsh housing society scam. The latest is the looting of BSNL by the union textiles minister, Dayanidhi Maran, who was the then telecom minister. He allegedly used 323 telephone lines in Chennai which was used by Sun TV network for transfer of heavy audio and video data thus causing a loss of about 400 crore rupees to the government. If such levels of corruption exists in the high levels of government and bureaucracy, we can well imagine the situation in lower levels. A common man has to bribe even a clerk in a panchayat office to get his things done. This is an ugly reality and we are to be blamed for it.

In spite of all this, I still believe that India can be rid of corruption. First of all, the attitude of the people has to change. When they bribe an officer or pay money to disobey the traffic rules they are watched by their children, who come to a conclusion that money power can break any laws. So the parents have to teach the children about values and ethics. So it helps to check corruption from the basic levels.

There are many institutions set up by the constitution to check corruption. One of these is the central vigilance commission. They conduct investigations about firms and politicians in order to prevent corruption. Another body is the Vigilance and Anti Corruption Bureau (VACB). We can file

our complaints in VACB and they will probe into the case. Another way is the Grievance Redressal Machinery by which one can gather information about a particular deal and he finds something wrong can file a case. The trust of people on judiciary has been lost as even judges are corrupt these days. We can also consult a Public Information Officer to file a case against corruption issues. A major law which helps us to curb corruption is the Right to Information Act. According to this we can gather information from any public office in India by filing an application from and nominal fee. This provides us information about the working of different government departments, other than those related to national security.

Another much sought about bill is the Jan Lokpal Bill. This came into consideration after the struggle of Anna Hazare against the corruption. Lokpal committee headed by Pranab Mukherji is under the drafting of this proposed bill. People believe that once the bill is passed by the parliament corruption can be stopped to a large extent. The members can include former or retired CBI officers, Vigilance Officers and former chief justices of both supreme court and high court. This committee will broke into the functioning of all government departments and will investigate cases of corruption against politicians and bureaucrats. This body will be free from the control of judiciary and prime minister. So they can take independent decisions. It also empowers



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An Unusual Day in School

My body was cold, eyes were closed still.... I got ready and went for south zone practice. The morning tea was good until a sixth standard spilled his tea on my shorts.

Its cold.... so peaceful to sleep GET UP! its time! 5.00 clock. I felt someone shaking my legs. It was my house master. He told me to call everyone. Couldn't get up. My body was cold, eyes were closed still.... I got ready and went for south zone practice. The morning tea was good until a sixth standard spilled his tea on my shorts. The practice was tough and boring. But hockey balls can be tricky. They find their way to the legs of players. Ouch

.... that hurts. I thought a bad start can happen but the day is still on! Positively I got ready had my breakfast and went to school. Luckily nothing awkward happened. Maths was the first period. I prayed to God and started. Hope I will learn everything my teacher teaches and nothing can go wrong. Happily when I'm sitting my class master asks, "All ready for maths exam?" What in the name?" Exam? I asked my neighbour he said.... "Why you don't know?" After seeing the questions I was heart-broken. Sitting by shifting scratching on the head, I finished my paper. Computer period next. Hal! what could possibly go wrong? I went inside. He asked everyone, "How many covered your notebooks?" ..Oh!.... my note was the same as I got from the stationery. He was also my housemaster. He gave a strong shot on my left shoulder. Only then I knew formation signs could fly. Next maths period.... wow I just scored

12/25 the pinch was killing me. Although I knelt down in the class. I thought as usual I would do better next time. The afternoon was tiring and I got to bed. I got up at 4.00pmGood! South Zone practice...! I ran for the practice with my T-shirt in one hand. I had to talk sentimentally to overcome the angered PT instructor. Game went well and got ready for night studies. I proudly took my squad and went on with my friends. Cutting across is really messy after the rains. As I ran.... splash on a mud hole! you can guess my white and whites! After that didn't go for supervision that day. Night. I came tried to be careful not to get anything bad.... before going to sleep as I was writing in the diary.... I looked at the heading. "A usual day in school. I changed it to. "An unusual day in school"

Beware! a day like this can come to you also.

the people to reject an MLA or MP during the elections. People or rather citizens of India strongly believe that corruption can be eliminated upto an extent by the proposed Jan Lokpal bill.

The struggles of civil society activists such as Anna Hazare and Baba Ramdev will become fruitful in the coming future. Yes, corruption could be stopped and India can come out of it

with the support of its citizens. If we decide not to pay bribe, we can also help in this great campaign against corruption. We can hear and learn of a corruption free India in future.

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Sitting L to R: CHM Suresh Kumar, Mr K Rajendran, Col Jason Paul, Gp Capt B Janardhanan, Lt Col PG Suresh Kumar, Mr Justice KJ, CHM Manoj Anu VS, **Standing 1st Row:** L to R: Rahul Suresh, Sr Sgt Chris Xavier, Prem Gagar, Ranjay S, Ranu Krishna, Sr Sgt Anil S Gopal, HC Arun Jayan, Sr Sgt Jebin Jimmy, SBM Babu, Gauri VK, Ajith Kumar P, Sarath S, HC Akshay Andreiks, Swathy GS, Anandhu R

School Band



Sitting L to R: Mr K Rajendran, Col Jason Paul, Gp Capt B Janardhanan, Lt Col PG Suresh Kumar, Mr Maccson M, Aneesh IV, **Standing 1st Row:** L to R: Varun EA, Shrinivasan A, Cyril T Saji, Bhaskar Prem, Manu Murali, Aravind CB, Arun Praveen, Pranikesh C, Gaurav G, Ashvithak, Nithun George, Sachin S Kumar, Deekshir Chandre, Adhithak AL, **Standing 2nd Row:** L to R: Premjith, Ashwathi/ Akash S U, Midrad, Mahesh M, Anil Babu, Abhish Jeevan, Balachandran, Benny Thomas, Ashwin M, Binoy

School Cricket Team



Sitting 1st row L to R: CHM Manoj, Mr Girish KR, Col Jason Paul, Sp Capt B Janardhanan, Lt Col PG Suresh Kumar, Mr K Rajendran, Abhilash Menon,
Standing 1st row L to R: Vishnu S, Swathy Sudhan, Aneesh N, Aravind Krishna, Anandhu G, Haridagopan G, Ajith Kumar P, Karun K, Anandhu P,
Standing 2nd row L to R: Akhil Raj TB, Krishna Raj M, Gokul M, Shashank Sekhar Sharma, Binath P, Vijay VR, Vishnu S

School Volleyball Team



Sitting L to R: CHM Manoj, Mr Alex Abraham, Col Jason Paul, Sp Capt B Janardhanan, Lt Col PG Suresh Kumar, Mr K Rajendran,
 CHM Suresh Kumar, Aneesh N **Standing L to R:** Azy Mathew, Sarvesh Kumar, Sarjay, Shavin M Thomas, Abhilash Menon, Jeeth Jacob Thomas,
 Amish Dadwa, Krishnaraj, Achimanyu, Vishnu, Sarath

School Swimming Team



Sitting L to R: CHM Suresh Kumar, Mr Alex Abraham, Col Jason Paul, Sp Capt B Janardhanan, Lt Col P G Suresh Kumar, Mr K Rajendran,
 Anandhu G, **Standing L to R:** Arjun Suri, Abhilash Jeevan, Sarath KG, Ajith, Ashish D, Krishna Prasad, Nithin Devasay, Rahul P, Sarin VK, Yash
 Singh, Aman Badola

School Basketball Team



Sitting L to R: CHM Suresh Kumar, Mr Mahadevan Nair G, Col Jason Paul, Sp Capt B Janardhanan, Lt Col PG Suresh Kumar, Mr K Rajendran,
 Kiran Chand C, **Standing L to R:** Arjun Suri, Nithin Devasay, Azeel Naryanan, Anandapadmanabhan, Binath P, Azy Mathew, Jeeth Jacob,
 Azy Vishwan TB, Anandhu G, Rahul Kumar, John Johnson

South Zone Sr. Football Team



Sitting L to R: CHM Suresh Kumar, Mr K Rajendran, Col Jason Paul, Gp Capt B Janardhanan, Lt Col P G Suresh Kumar, Mr Sarobu, Mr Rajesh Kumar & Standing 1st Row L to R: Setu, Dhreyash, Aien Anderson, Vipul, Sandosh Beera, Ajith Kisku, Abhinav US, Standing 2nd Row L to R: Rajan, Nandan Kumar, Ranjan Kumar, Mohammed JS, Divam, Raj Kumar, Jayesh, Vikash

South Zone Jr. Football Team



Sitting L to R: CHM Suresh Kumar, Mr K Rajendran, Col Jason Paul, Gp Capt B Janardhanan, Lt Col P G Suresh Kumar, Mr Sarobu, Sanjeev Mummur, Standing 1st Row L to R: Sandeep Kumar Guman, Mohammed JS, Suraj Kumar, Praveen Anand, Benny Thomas, Anvith Ranjan, Anesh Kumar, Vipul Kumar Suryakarth, Standing 2nd Row L to R: Jaheesh SS, Prashanth Anishak, Akhil Babu, Mohit Kumar, Prem Kisku, Mitheesh

EDITORIAL

Epilogue...



The yearlong Golden Jubilee Celebrations have come to an end. The elegant inaugural function was made memorable by the gracious presence of Shri A K Antony, the Union Minister for Defence and the breath-taking finale was graced by Shriommen Chandu, Chief Minister of Kerala and Shri Pallam Raju, Minister of State for Defence. Between these two major functions there have been a number of programmes sprinkling delight round the Golden Jubilee year.

A tree is known by its fruits. The innumerable Kathkas occupying enviable positions in the Defence Services as well as in other walks of life will vouch for the unique recipe they have received from this great institution for a happy and successful life. If the first fifty years was an achievement, the next fifty years is going to be a challenge - A daunting challenge to remain on top, a challenge to perpetuate the rich legacy we have inherited from the pioneers of this institution. Let us face this challenge with grit and guts.

I hope that the Golden Jubilee issue of The Kathak Cadet will provide you with moments of delight and the little jottings of our young minds will amuse you beyond expectation. May the light kindled by our pioneers guide our future path.

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Prayer From Gitanjali

Where the mind is without fear and the head is held high;
Where knowledge is free;
Where the world has not been broken up
Into fragments by narrow domestic walls;
Where words come out from the depth of truth;
Where tireless striving stretches its arms towards perfection;
Where the clear stream of reason
has not lost its way into the dreary desert sand of dead habit;
Where the mind is led forward by thee into ever-widening thought and action...
Into that heaven of freedom, my Father, let my country awake.

Rabindranath Tagore



The Hut of Remembrance, 2012
Great Contribution by 1985 Pioneer Batch
Initiated by Brig Charles Abraham, Para (Dad's Regiment) (Roll No. 30)



I Believe...

Having entered the portals of
Sainik School Kazhakootam I believe that
I have climbed a pedestal. Henceforth
my aims and dreams shall be lofty and
worthy of emulation. I shall set
standards for myself worthy of an officer and
a Gentleman of the Armed forces and
an ideal citizen of the Nation. I shall do
my utmost to cherish and uphold
the honour and fair name of
my alma mater at all times.

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