

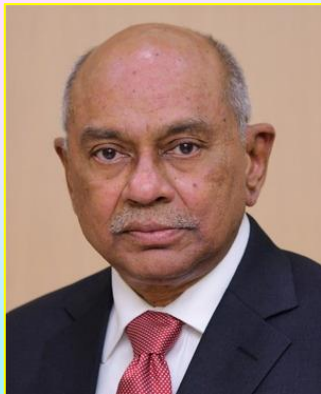


BHAVAN'S GANDHI VIDYASHRAM

KODAIKANAL

NEWSLETTER JUNE-JULY 2023

Children are the seeds of our future. Plant love in their hearts and water them with wisdom and life's lessons. When they are grown, give them space to grow.



Nestled among the lush green hills of Kodaikanal, Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram dwells in the lap of sprawling orchards. It is one of the best residential CBSE schools in South India. At the helm of affairs, we have our Chairman, Shri Annamalai, an educationist, philanthropist and visionary.



Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, a co-educational residential school was established with the aim of providing quality education. In our pursuit of excellence, we persistently seek and adopt innovative methods to improve the quality of education as well as life on the campus. A dedicated band of experienced and learned teachers nurture the talents of the students.

Life at Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram is replete with numerous activities, workshops for students and teachers and cultural events, as we believe that such co-curricular activities are essential for moulding the students into holistic personalities.

We are happy that we are engaged in nurturing tomorrow's leaders. Creativity and innovation are nurtured among students in a fearless and student-friendly ambience.

Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, a hallmark of quality education in Tamil Nadu and the country is 40 years old and is growing strong in academics and other co-curricular activities.

**An umbrella cannot stop the rain but can make us stand in the rain.
Confidence may not bring success but gives us power to face any challenge in
Life**

**ONLY THOSE WHO WILL RISK GOING TOO FAR CAN POSSIBLY FIND OUT
HOW FAR ONE CAN GO**

BHAVAN'S GANDHI VIDYASHRAM, KODAIKANAL EXCELS IN X AND XII BOARD EXAMINATIONS

Our school has set a high standard in today's field of education and is one among the cream of best residential schools in India.

We are happy to inform you that we have secured cent percent results in AISSE (X) & AISSCE (XII) Exams held between February to April 2023.

The results of classes X and XII board examinations 2022-23 have been outstanding. Our school had excellent results for the year 2022-23.



All the students in class XII secured distinctions. Master Roshan Badrinarayanan was the school topper with 95.4 percent in the Science Stream while N. Jothish was the school topper in the Commerce Stream with 89 percent. Aditya Vivek was the School Topper in the Humanities Stream with 91 percent.

In Class X, 19 students out of 20 secured distinctions. Master Ajwad of Class X was the School Topper with 90.4 percent.



CAREERS 360-India's Best Schools 2023 We are glad to share that based on students' academic performance, faculty quality and infrastructure, Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal has been rated AAA+ grade for the academic year 2022-23 under Residential School Category.

ANOTHER FEATHER IN THE CAP-Roshan Badrinarayan of Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram secured 7562 Rank in All India JEE Advanced.

WORKSHOP ON NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY 2020 AND NATIONAL CURRICULUM FRAMEWORK 2022 & 2023

Our Principal-In-charge, Dr.Meera Rajkumar attended an online workshop held on 12 May 2023 on the virtual platform on 'Dynamics of School Education with Reference to National Education Policy 2020 and National Curriculum Framework 2022 & 2023'. The Resource Person for the programme was Ms.Anita Karwal (Secretary, Department of School Education and Literacy Ministry of Education Government of India, Former Chairperson CBSE).



INDUCTION PROGRAMME FOR PRINCIPALS AND TEACHERS

As desired by Bhavan's Shikshan Bharati Mumbai, an induction programme for Principals and teachers of Bhavan's Schools across India and abroad who joined Bhavans group of institutions for the academic year 2023-2024 was scheduled for 29th May 2023 on the virtual platform.

- Our Principal, Dr. Meera Rajkumar and Mr. Arun Nehru of the Maths Department participated in the induction programme.

TEACHER AMELIORATION PROGRAMMES

- The Principal, Dr. Meera Rajkumar and our teachers, Mrs. Deepika Devi, Mrs. B. Rajeshwari, Dr. Veena Devi, Mrs. Ramya, Mr. Arun Nehru and Mrs. Gayathri P. attended the Online Workshop titled “Role of Guidance and Counselling Services in Schools.”
- Mrs. Deepika Devi, Academic Coordinator and Head of the Computer Department attended the online sessions on “Empower every student with an inclusive classroom” and Enrich the learning experience in Edge Browser”
- Mrs. Rajeshwari B of the Science Department attended an online Workshop based on the topic, “Making Authentic Assessments in Science”.
- The Principal attended the Orientation Session for Principals of CBSE Schools on UNESCO School Health and Wellness Programme held on 10 July 2023.
- The Principal attended the Webinar on School Quality Assessment & Assurance Framework (SQAAF) on 21 st July 2023.
- The Principal, Dr. Meera Rajkumar and Mrs. Deepika Devi, the Academic Coordinator attended an Online Session on “Cyber Safety and Security” on 24 th July 2023.

30 May 2023-We are indeed glad to share that Miss M.B. Hiran Mayee of Class 8 was declared a regional winner at the **National Level of the “MY FOOD HERITAGE NATIONAL COMPETITION** on “conducted by INTACH, Kodaikanal Chapter.



9 June 2023-Teacher Exchange Programme-Visit to Kodaikanal International School

Ultimate goal of educational institutions is to develop a vibrant and diverse faculty. The faculty exchange programs present a unique opportunity for interaction between institutions. The Principal, Dr. Meera Rajkumar and three other faculty members, Mrs. Deepika Devi, Mrs. Gowri and Mrs. Rajeshwari visited the Kodaikanal International School on 9 June



2023 to gain information about the functioning and the teaching learning practices carried out at KIS. They were given a warm welcome by Commander Ashwin Fernandes, Executive Administrative Manager of KIS. He then took our teachers around the Campus and gave an insight on the functioning of the school. Such exchange programs have proved to be effective platforms to share pedagogical practices and methodologies. The exchange programme was an enthralling experience both in terms of academic and cultural exchange.

12 June 2023-School Reopened

The first term of the academic year 2023-24 commenced on 12 June 2023. All academic, Co-curricular and Sports activities started as scheduled.

14 June 2023- Eco-Club Inauguration-Tree Plantation

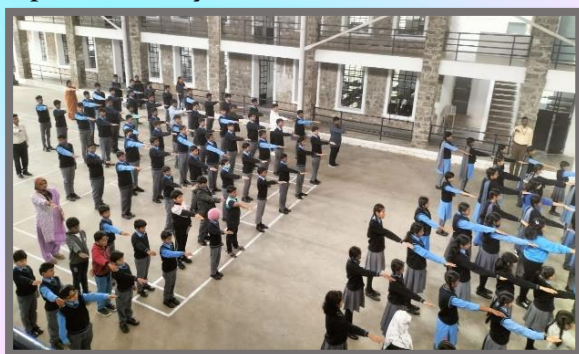
Eco-Club was inaugurated at Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal on 14 June 2023. The first project taken up the Club was a "Tree Plantation" programme "MY EARTH – MY DUTY".



It was attended by the Principal, Dr.Meera Rajkumar, Eco-Club Coordinators, staff and students. Under the Guidance of the Principal and the Eco Club Coordinators, student volunteers planted more than 10 trees. Each student took the responsibility to nourish and maintain the allocated plant.

World Elder Abuse Awareness Day

World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (WEAAD) is observed annually on June 15th to raise awareness about the mistreatment and neglect of older adults and promote the importance of their well-being and dignity. The day serves as a global call to action to combat elder abuse and protect the rights of older individuals. Our students took a pledge in the assembly on 15 June 2023 to raise awareness about the abuse and neglect experienced by older adults.



Fresher's Day :Freshers Day, a joyful event that welcomes the new students with open arms, brings the campus to life as the new academic year commences. Welcoming the new students is a tradition in Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram. Fresher's day was organised and celebrated on 17 June 2023. This was a good platform for our new students to introduce themselves and exhibit their individual talent. The new students and teachers performed on stage with enthusiasm. The old students encouraged them and helped them in strengthening the bond among the students and teachers.



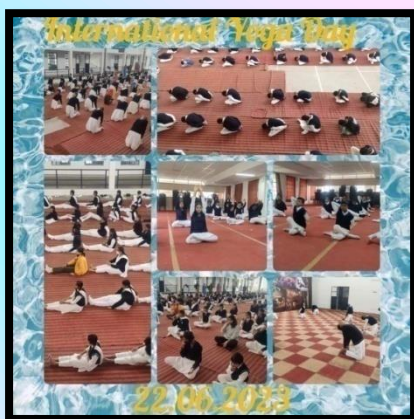
Freshers Day is the first step in the journey filled with excitement and possibilities.

CAREER GUIDANCE SEMINAR FOR NEET ASPIRANTS

The students of Grades 11 and 12 attended a Career Guidance Seminar for NEET aspirants conducted by AkashByju's at Grand Palace Hotel on 18 June 2023



International Yoga Day



International Yoga Day was celebrated by the students and teachers at Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram with great enthusiasm on 21 June 2023. A special assembly was conducted. Speeches and talks on the importance of yoga were delivered by the students. All the students performed various asanas to bring out the importance of yoga in serving better mental health practices in our lives. The main aim of the program was to raise awareness and ignite a passion for fitness and yoga among the students.



COOKERY CLASSES:

Hands-on cooking activities help children develop confidence and skill. Flameless Cooking Classes were held on 28 June 2023 and 15 July 2023

MATHS EXPO-Students of grades 6 to 11 of our school had a chance to explore and experience the mesmerizing realm of mathematics when they were taken to Madurai for a Maths Expo organized by NMS Vijayalakshmi Sanjeevimalayan Kalviyagam, Madurai on 1 July 2023.



We wish to thank Mr. Bose, our Governing Council Member for his excellent hospitality and the great opportunity given to our students and teachers. The Maths Expo was a great learning experience for all. It was very informative and interesting and our students were highly inspired by the same.



In the games and competitions conducted during the Maths Expo, our Maths teacher, Mr. Arun Nehru secured the first place and our student Master Karthik secured the second place.

FRIENDS AND POPULARITY



Settling down to a new curriculum and a new atmosphere can be time consuming but the newcomers to Bhavans managed to settle down quite



fast, thanks to the efforts of their new friends and teachers who left no stone unturned to make them feel at home. Elections were conducted in school on 12 July 2023 to select the Most friendly Old Student and the Most Popular New Student.

The results of the Elections were as follows:

Most friendly Old Student (III to VIII) Boys-Master Melwin Jones (Class VI)

Most Friendly Old Student (III to VIII) Girls-Miss Asvatha (Class VIII)

Most Friendly Old Student IX-XII) Boys –Nitheash R.K. of Class XI, Kailaas of Class XII

Most Friendly Old Student (IX to XII) Girls-Tanya Pidigun of Class IX

Most Popular Old Student (III to VIII) Boys-Master Sabarish of Class VIII

Most Popular Old Student (III to VIII) Girls-Miss Amrithaa of Class VIII

Most Popular Old Student (IX to XII) Boys-Master Adith Ahmed of Class XII

Most Popular Old Student (IX to XII) Girls-Miss Rithanyaa of Class XI

INVESTITURE CEREMONY-17 July 2023

A good leader leads the people from above them. A great leader leads the people from within them. A school plays a pivotal role in instilling leadership skills in students.

July 17, 2023 dawned as a momentous day for Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal, for on this day the new elected members of the student council were invested in their office through a well-planned Investiture Ceremony.

The Chairman, Shri Annamalai and the Principal, Dr. Meera Rajkumar pinned the badges and bestowed the mantle of responsibilities. They blessed the young office bearers to serve the office with dignity and encouraged them to uphold the school values and portray high skilled demeanour as the benchmark for their juniors.

The Chairman congratulated the newly elected members and urged them to take up the responsibilities with commitment and integrity.





ECO-CLUB INAUGURATION

To raise awareness on the issues of pollution, conservation of resources, and promoting the green way of life, an Eco Club was formed in our school and inaugurated by the Chairman of our school on 17th July 2023.



MATH LAB INAUGURATION

To develop students' level of Math skills and knowledge, our School inaugurated Math Club on 17th July 2023, opening the path to various mathematical activities. The primary objective of the Math Club is to foster a community of students around a common interest in mathematics.





The club was formed mainly to help make the study of Mathematics more easy and appealing to students. It proposes to undertake projects to develop analytical thinking



and logical reasoning among the students. It would also serve as a platform to exchange creative ideas in the field and propagate various mathematical applications among the students.



PERIODIC TEST 1

The Periodic Test 1 for the students was conducted between 18th to 24th July 2023.

FIELD TRIPS

VISIT TO CEH- (CENTRE OF ENVIRONMENT AND HUMANITY)



The students of grades 8, 9 & 10 visited the Centre of Environment and Humanity at Kodaikanal on 26 th July 2023. They attended a very enriching and interactive session on Endangered Birds of Shola Skylands. They also toured the section of "Global Warming and Climate Crisis", which is a storehouse of valuation information through impactful visuals.

VISIT TO A FARM

Farming is educational, and teaching our children where exactly their food comes from. Children get to see the hard work and effort that goes into planning, growing and harvesting crops as well as raising and caring for livestock. Also, understanding the farming process can help children to be grateful for their food. Keeping this in mind, on 27 July 2023, the students of grades 11 and 12 were taken to a farm belonging to Rtn. Karthikeyan, Past President of the Rotary Club of Kodaikanal.



"Shola Forest Heritage Walk" - A service to mother Nature

In order to learn the ecosystem and unique flora and fauna of native shola forests, the students of grades 3-7 were taken to the "Pambar Shola" on 2nd August 2023.



They also got an insight into the two-hundred year old history of our hill station, Kodaikanal, the Princess of hills by visiting few heritage sites in Kodaikanal.

The students also contributed towards the keeping their environment by participating in the forest cleaning campaign.



Bhavan's Cross Country Race



To develop the physical stamina and confidence of the students, a Cross Country Race was conducted by Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal on 5th



August 2023. The run started off at 6 a.m. and was flagged off by the Principal, Dr. Meera Rajkumar. The students participated enthusiastically in the event.

SPORTS AND GAMES Inter-house Badminton and Basketball matches were conducted in school in the months of June and July 2023



FRIENDLY MATCHES

- Our School Basketball team played a friendly match with the Kodaikanal Public School Basketball team and St. Peter's Matriculation School on 15 July 2023.
- Our School Football Team played a practice match with St. Peter's Matriculation Higher Secondary School on 16 July 2023.

CCA Activity

At Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal, we believe in improving the overall personality of a student and the emphasis is not on academics alone. In order to instill confidence, the willingness to face an audience and the desire to excel, several co-curricular activities are conducted under the banner of CCA every Saturday afternoon. Great care is taken to see that every single student gets a chance to come on stage.



BharatiyaVidya Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal

List of Competitions and Winners – 2023 – 2024

Skit competition 01-04-2023	
I Place	Chola
II Place	Chera&Chola
III Place	Pandya

Doha competition 08-04-2023		
Category VI - VIII		
I	Tanya Alagar	Chera
II	Ayesha Fatima	Pandya
III	Asvatha K	Chera
Category IX + XII		
I	Kausthubh K Anil	Pandya
II	Tanya Pidugun	Chera
III	Aswin	Pallava

Reading competition 15-04-2023

Classes V - VI

I Hasini D Pallava

II SamhithLakshman Pandya

III Anvii S Chera

Classes VII - VIII

I SwethaPidugun Chola

II Tanya Alagar Chera

III Ayesha Fatima Pandya

CheJeevaeDiliban Chola

Reading Competition 21-04-2023

Classes III - IV

I Jeremiah Miguel L. Chola

II G. JENY CHRISTLIN Pandya

III AYAAN AHAMED Pandya

R. Arthi Chera

C. LIYAZHINI Pallava

Spell Bee Competition 22-04-2023

I K.SABARISH Pandya

MONIC BASIL C Pandya

R. MAHADEVAN Pandya

SAMEEKSHA T.S. Pandya

Runner up R.A. BARANI SANKARALINGAM Chola

VISHWESH.R Chola

SANJITH LAKSHMAN Chola

S.B. DHEYA Chola

Rithushiya Mahendran Chola

Drawing Competition 16-06-2023

Class III

I AYAAN AHAMED Pandya

R. Arthi Chera

II S. PRASANNA Chola

III AKHIL VARMAN .S Chola

Class IV

I G. VAISHNAVI Chera

II G. JENY CHRISTLIN Chola

III C. LIYAZHINI Pallava

Class V

I SAMHITH LAKSHMAN Pandya

II S. ANVII Chera

III RUDHRA ALAN RAJESH MANI Chola

LIGHT MUSIC COMPETITION 23-07-2023		
Category 1 (III - V)		
I	C. LIYAZHINI	Pallava
	G. JENY CHRISTLIN	Chola
II	Jeremiah Miguel L.	Chola
	S. AsthakAhamed	Chola
III	AKHIL VARMAN .S	Chola
	S.S.I. AL RAYYAAN	Chola
Category 2 (VI - VIII) 24-07-2023		
I	AYESHA FATHIMA	Pandya
	V. KarthikSankaran	Chera
II	S.P.Amirthaa	Pallava
III	Aniruth Mahendran	Pandya
Category 3 (IX - X) 26-07-2023		
I	SAMEEKSHA T.S.	Pandya
	SANJITH LAKSHMAN	Chola
II	S.B. DHEYA	Chola
III	G. HARINI	Pandya
Category 4 (XI-XII) 27-06-2023		
I	MONIC BASIL C	Pandya
	DHANVI SAILESH	Pandya
II	K. HARISH	Pallava
	AROCKIA SAMANTHA RICHARD	Pandya
III	A. AATHIKA BEGAM	Chola
	R. MAHADEVAN	Pandya

ENGLISH ELOCUTION 30-06-2023		
Class III		
I	AKHIL VARMAN .S	Chola
II	S. PRASANNA	Chola
III	R. Arthi	Chera
	AHMED SORAB KOYA	Pandya
Class IV		
I	G. JENY CHRISTLIN	Chola
II	Jeremiah Miguel . L	Chola
III	S. AsthakAhamed	Chola
Class V		
I	RUDHRA ALAN RAJESH MANI	Chola
II	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	Pandya
III	R. Shri Nithish	Pandya
FOOTLOOSE 14-07-2023		
Class III		
I	AKHIL VARMAN .S	Chola
II	S. PRASANNA	Chola
III	R. Arthi	Chera
Class IV		
I	Jeremiah Miguel L.	Chola
II	S. AsthakAhamed	Chola
III	G. JENY CHRISTLIN	Chola
Class V		
I	R. Shri Nithish	Pandya
	PRIYANKA S	Chola
II	S. ANVII	Chera
III	S.S.I. AL RAYYAAN	Chola

ENGLISH ELOCUTION 15-07-2023		
Class VI		
I	VAKIYAH SRI V.S.	Chera
II	Hasini.D	Pallava
III	B.KRISH ADHITHYA	Pandya
Class VII		
I	ADWAIT VENUGOPAL P	Pandya
II	V. KarthikSankaran	Chera
III	S. SAI ABINAYA	Pandya
Class VIII		
I	SWETHA PIDUGUN	Chola
	K. ASVATHA	Chera
II	AYESHA FATHIMA	Pandya
	R. LATCHANYA	Pallava
III	M.B.HIRAN MAYEE	Chola
Class IX		
I	TANYA PIDUGUN	Chera
II	KAUSTHUBH ANIL	Pandya
	Shehnaz P Sinoob	Chola
III	S.V. GURUPRASAD	Pallava
	Rithushiya Mahendran	Chola
Class X		
I	R.MUKUNTHAN	Chola
II	M.SARANYA	Pallava
III	SANJITH LAKSHMAN	Chola
Class XI		
I	DHANVI SAILESH	Pandya
	A.S. RAIHAN	Chola
II	AROCKIA SAMANTHA RICHARD	Pandya
	A. AATHIKA BEGAM	Chola
	G. Tanisha	Pallava
III	ENOVA VINOETHINI	Pandya
	J. AANSU JOY	Pandya
	MUHAMMAD FAHEEM	Chera
	K. Rithanyaa	Pallava
Class XII		
I	ADITYA VENUGOPAL P.	Chera
	A. MOHAMED BASSIM	Chera
II	ARAVIND SUBRAMANIAM. M	Pallava
III	R.A. BARANI SANKARALINGAM	Chola

CLUBS AND HOBBY CLASSES

Hobby Classes are conducted for students every day and this gives the students a chance to pursue their hobby with their friends. The hobby classes range from chess to badminton and also include skating, archery and silambam.

Besides with a view to giving students adequate exposure in different fields, various clubs like Eco Club, Math Club, Interact Club, etc. have been formed in school this year.

SLOKA CLASSES

To revive and safeguard on of our most ancient language in our country, Sanskrit, we have introduced sloka chanting classes this academic year. This also helps them to understand and interpret the Vedas and Upanishads, and put it into practice in day-to-day life.



Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram

Kodaikanal

NEWS LETTER- AUGUST-SEPTEMBER 2023



Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan was founded by Kulapati Munshi in 1938, a full decade before the advent of independence. The founding of the Bhavan was based on the preservation and propagation of Indian Culture. Over the years from a modest research institution, it has steadily grown into a comprehensive,

cooperative, apolitical national movement with an international outlook.

Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal was founded in 1983 by the luminaries of the Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan. We wish to recall with gratitude, the initiatives taken by the great visionary, Late Shri. C. Subramaniam, former Finance Minister of India and former Governor of Maharashtra on whose guidance and advice this school was started. This serene and ideal environment, free from crowded urban life exudes an air of academic ambience. Named after Mahatma, the father of our nation, the school stands for the lofty ideals cherished by the educationalists and architects of the Bhavans.

All the students studying here must pursue knowledge and gain skills that will make a lasting contribution to humanity. When these are done we will be fulfilling the dreams of the great visionaries who have started this school.

Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram is a residential school, situated in the hills of Kodaikanal



and fine-tuned to the throes of the cultural ethos of India. The school is managed by a board of directors. The Governing Council Members have vast experience in industry and education and their contribution is complemented by a school management committee comprising senior educationists.

40th ANNUAL SPORTS MEET 2023

Sports Day is an occasion where pupils, teachers and parents come together for a day of competitive sport. To inculcate the spirit of sportsmanship and fondness for sports in our children, the 40th Annual Sports Meet of our school was celebrated with great zeal and passion at the sprawling school groundson 12th August 2023. The ceremony was witnessed by all the students, teachers and parents.



The programme began with the arrival of the Chief Guest, Mrs. A. Madhumathi, TPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police. She honoured the spectacular and well-synchronised March Past and declared the Sports Meet Open. The Chief Guest then presided over the oath-taking ceremony and also addressed the students. She motivated them to lead a balanced life

giving equal importance to academics and sports. The Principal, Dr. Meera Rajkumar, in her address emphasised the need to participate and said that it is not important to win. It is participation that makes all the difference. The students displayed their physical prowess with a wide array of energetic sports events. Certificates were distributed to all the winners.





INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION 2023



The 77th Independence Day was celebrated in school with great patriotism and fervour on 15th August 2023. It was marked with a lot of fanfare. A gamut of celebration activities was organised



in the school campus. The Principal, Dr.Meera Rajkumar presided over the function and hoisted the National flag. She addressed the students on the occasion.



The students displayed their innate talents through a wide variety of programmes. They delivered speeches in English, Tamil and Hindi. A special programme comprising of songs and dances was also organised on this special occasion.

ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS 2023

RYLA is an intensive leadership experience organised by Rotary Clubs and Districts where the youth develop their skills as a leader while having fun and making connections.

Four students of our school, Miss Alisha of grade 12, and three students from grade 11, Master Suveer, Master Raihan and Master Ajwad participated in the 3-days residential training camp conducted by Rotary International District 3000 at Sirumalai on 25th,

26th and 27th August 2023. The resource persons were knowledgeable and a source of great inspiration for our students. The students were greatly benefitted and they expressed that the Camp was a great learning experience for them.



Varalakshmi Vratam also known as Varalakshmi Puja is an important Hindu festival dedicated to the goddess of wealth and prosperity, Varalakshmi. The term Varalakshmi is self-explanatory as 'Vara' means boons or wishes and in turn refers to the Boon-Giver-Goddess Lakshmi. Worshipping her on this day can ensure her blessings for good health, wealth, prosperity and abundance.



This festival was observed and celebrated in the Sadasivan auditorium with devotion and religious fervour on 25th August 2023. Prayers were recited and devotional songs were sung by the students and teachers on this



occasion. After the Puja, prasadam was distributed to all.



THE BHAVAN'S TROPHY-2023



The Bhavan's Trophy was inaugurated on 26th August 2023 by Mr. J. Sam Babu (Former Vice President TNCA and our Principal, Dr.Meera Rajkumar at the Bhavan's Sports Grounds.

Mr. Rohan Samuel, Chairman, Kodaikanal Division League (Vice President DDCA), Mr V. Amarnath Hon, Secretary, DDCA and Dr.Madhan Govindan, President of Rotary Club of Kodaikanal graced the occasion.

ONAM is a traditional ten-day harvest festival that marks the homecoming of the mythical King Mahabali. It is a festival, rich in culture and heritage. Echoing the festive spirit, the Bhavanites celebrated Onam with much zeal and zest in school on 26th August 2023. The students came to school in traditional clothes. A special lunch was organised in dining hall. A house-wise Pookolam competition was conducted during CCA time. The students and teachers participated enthusiastically. The results of the Pookolam Competition were as follows.

- PallavaSangam-First place
- CholaSangam-Second place
- CheraSangam-Third place
- Pandya Sangam-Fourth place





CAREER GUIDANCE

In today's world, where the job market is becoming more and more competitive, career guidance programs are becoming increasingly important for high school students. These programs provided guidance and support to students in choosing their future career paths, and can help students make informed decisions about their education and future.



Mrs. Kala Anand, a seasoned professional with over 20 years of experience specialising in international education and trade, visited our school and addressed our students during the morning school assembly. She has conducted over 100 Career

Insights workshops for high school students and undergraduates.



Mrs. Kala Anand interacted with the students of grades 11 and 12 and enlightened them on how to choose the right career.

KRISHNA JAYANTHI-2023

Krishna Janmashtami, also known as Gokulashtami, is an annual Hindu festival that celebrates the birth of Krishna, the eighth avatar of Vishnu.



Krishna Jayanthi, the festival revelling the birth of Lord Krishna was celebrated in school on 6th September 2023 with great devotion and enthusiasm. A special puja was performed in the Sadasivan Auditorium. Our junior students came dressed up in ethnic wear as Radha and Krishna and performed a splendid and colourful dance.



The students and teachers recited prayers and sang devotional songs in praise of Lord Krishna. Prasadam was distributed to all.

TEACHERS' DAY (2023) - Celebrating and Honouring their Legacy

Teachers' day was organised with incredible gusto and zeal by the students of Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram. Teachers play a major role in making their students responsible citizens of tomorrow and good human beings. Hence to express their gratitude, our students organised a wide range of activities on this occasion. Various entertainment programmes were organised by the students. The day commenced with a special assembly. After this, fun games were organised for the teachers.



for the male staff.

After lunch, a treasure hunt was specially organised for the teachers.

This was followed by a special programme with students showcasing their singing and dancing skills with many scintillating song and dance performances. The day concluded with each teacher being honoured on stage for their valuable contribution to the school.

All the teachers appreciated and applauded the overwhelming zeal and enthusiasm of the students for organising a glorious event which would be cherished forever by them.



GANESH CHATURTHI 2023



Ganesha is the first to be worshipped among all the gods in Hindu mythology. He is known as the God of prosperity and wisdom who removes all obstacles, bestows happiness and spreads peace. The students and teachers of Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram celebrated Ganesh Chaturthi with great pomp and festivity on 18th September 2023. As a part of celebrations, a special puja was performed in the Sadasivan Auditorium.

The students and teachers recited prayers and sang devotional songs. Prasadam was distributed. The programme concluded with positive vibes all around.



KODAIKANAL MUNICIPALITY-INDIAN SWACHHATA LEAGUE-SEASON 2



Our students participated in the Plastic Awareness Rally, Tree plantation and lake cleaning Campaign conducted by Kodaikanal Municipality on 17 September 2023.



The students of Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal participated enthusiastically



and secured the first place in the Art Out of Waste Competition conducted during the event.



BHAVAN'S ALUMNI MEET-Alumni meet is a lifetime experience for both the alma mater and its alumni. The event was heralded with a traditional lamp lighting followed by school prayer.



The students of grade 10 (1990 batch) visited our school on 23rd September 2023. A special assembly was organised and the alumni addressed our students. They shared their experiences and memories. They also interacted with our students and inspired them.



TEACHER AMELIORATION PROGRAM

- Our teachers Mr. Senthil Kumar of the Tamil Department, Mrs. Deepika Devi of Computer Science Department, Dr.Veena of the Hindi Department, Mr.Joseph of Social Department, Mrs. Priyadarshini of English Department, Mrs. Ramya of Social Department and Mrs. Gowri of Science Department attended the Online session on 'Counselling Approaches' organised by the Centre of Excellence, Thiruvananthapuram on 9th August 2023.
- Our Principal, Dr.Meera Rajkumar attended the Workshop on "Embracing Educational Trends" on 29th September 2023.

SWACHHATA HI SEVA CAMPAIGN-2023

On the occasion of “Gandhi Jayanthi” Swachhata Hi Seva Campaign was successfully organised in school with the active involvement of students and teachers. A Cleanliness Drive-Ek Tareekh Ek Ghanta was conducted in school on Saturday, 30th September 2023.



A TREK TO GREEN VALLEY

The boarding students visited Green Valley on 2nd October 2023.



INTACH COMPETITION

Our students participated in the Quiz Competition conducted at Zion School on 3rd October 2023. Two of our students, Miss Saranya of grade 10 and Miss Latchanya of grade 8 made our school proud by securing the third place. The event was organised by the INTACH, Kodaikanal Chapter.



Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram (CO-EDUCATIONAL RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL)

Vijayadashami

ADMISSIONS
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FROM CLASSES
I to VIII



HIGHLIGHTS

- Fully Activity-based Education In A Natural Environment
- Well Trained And Qualified Teachers
- Individual Care With Only 20 Students In A Class
- Reasonable Fee With Healthy And Nutritious Vegetarian Lunch
- Only Transport Extra

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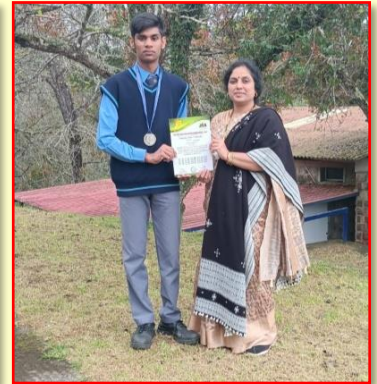


BHAVAN'S GANDHI VIDYASHRAM KODAIKANAL

NEWSLETTER - OCTOBER-NOVEMBER 2023

STATE LEVEL OPEN SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP 2023

We are happy to share that our student, Master Tharun Jayanth of grade 11 Commerce stream, participated in the Under 16, JSA State Level Open Skating Championship 2023 held at JSA Skating Rinkat Tiruppur on 28th and 29th September 2023. He secured the second position and is the proud recipient of the silver medal.



SPORTS DAY-7thOctober 2023

Sports Day events concluded on 7th October 2023 with the relay races and other events.



The Overall results of the Sports Day Competition are as follows.

1st Place - PANDYA SANGAM

2nd Place - CHOLA SANGAM

3rd Place - PALLAVA SANGAM



RECIPIENTS OF INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Sub Junior boys - Master Melwin Jones, Chera Sangam



Sub Junior Girls - Miss Anvii, Chera Sangam

Junior boys - Master Che Jeeva Diliban, Chola Sangam



Junior Girls - Miss Nuha Samreen, Pandya Sangam

Senior Boys - Master Abisheick Manikandan, Chola Sangam

Senior Girls - Miss Saranya, Pallava Sangam

Super Senior Boys - Master Monic Basil, Pandya sangam

Super Senior Girls - Miss Rithanya, Pallava Sangam





TEACHERS' AMELIORATION PROGRAMME

- Principal, Dr. Meera Rajkumar participated in the online training program, PRAYOG conducted during July and August 2023 on CBSE initiatives for implementation of NEP 2020.

AMPS EDU EXPO & CONCLAVE 2023

Five of our teachers, Mrs. Deepika Devi, Mrs. Ramya, Mrs. Lakshmi, Mr. Frederick and Mr. Arun Nehru attended the AMPS EDU EXPO 2023 at Chennai Trade Centre, Chennai on 7th and 8th October 2023.



Mrs. Deepika Devi attended the following seminars

- Developing Leadership through 7 habits
- Chat GPT for students and Teachers
- T20- Twenty Traits of a Teacher
- Integration of Social Science with Everyday life
- Curriculum Design and Alignment with Educational Goals

Mrs. Lakshmi attended the following seminars

- Developing Leadership through 7 habits by Dr. Kannan Gireesh (Doctor-psychiatrist, Live Life Education)
- Heritage Awareness Together by Mr. Sivasankar Babu (Heritage Speaker Tamil Heritage Trust) & Mr. Gopu R. (Co-Founder, Varahamihira Science Forum)
- Concepts are caught, not taught by Sri. ATB Bose (Advisory board, AMPS)
- Visualising Abstract Concepts by Sri. ATB Bose (Advisory board, AMPS)
- Incorporating Humour in Education by Mr. Shankar Goenka (Chief Architect, Managing Director - WOW Factors)
- Tips, tricks and techniques of storytelling by Smt. Deepa Ramanujam, (Founder- Director, Kathalaya International Academy of story telling)
- Fundamentals of learning by Jamshed Bharucha (Founding Vice Chancellor Sai University)
- Assessment, grading and analysing using AI by Smartail Inc.

Mr. Frederick of Social Department attended the following seminars

- Developing Leadership through 7 habits
- Chat GPT for students and Teachers
- T20- Twenty Traits of a Teacher
- Integration of Social Sciences with Everyday life
- Curriculum Design and Alignment with Educational Goals

Mrs. Ramya of Social Department attended the following seminars.

- Integration of Social Sciences with Everyday Life
- Curriculum Design and Alignment with Educational Goals.
- T 20 - Twenty Traits of a Teacher.
- Chat GPT for Teachers and Students
- Mrs. Ramya also attended an online session on "The Whole and Its Parts: A History of Ideas about Brain" by Professor Srinivasa Chakravarthy, IIT Madras on 31st October 2023.

Mr. Arun Nehru of the Tamil Department attended the following seminars.

- Heritage Awareness Together.
- Concepts are caught, not taught.
- Visualizing Abstract concepts.

WORLD MENTAL HEALTH WEEK CELEBRATED IN SCHOOL

World Mental Health Day is observed on 10th October every year, with the overall objective of raising awareness of mental health issues and mobilizing efforts in support of better mental health.

The theme for World Mental Health Day 2023 is 'Mental health is a universal human right.' This subject emphasises the necessity of assuring that everyone, regardless of age, socioeconomic class, or background should have access to high-quality mental health care and support.

World Mental Health Day was celebrated at school on 10th October 2023. A special assembly was organised. Students delivered speeches on the importance of Mental Health and performed yoga to celebrate the day.



TALK ON MINDFULNESS AND POSITIVE MENTAL HEALTH

To celebrate Mental Health Week, a special talk on "Mindfulness and Positive Mental Health" was organised for the students of grades 6 to 12 on 14th October 2023. This program was organised to create awareness among students and teachers about mental



health and well-being. The program included activities and talk on mental wellbeing. The resource person was Dr. Suresh Kumar, a top-rated psychologist from Madurai.



SEMINAR ON GOOD PARENTING AND POSITIVE PARENTING STRATEGY

A session on "Principles of Good Parenting and Positive Parenting Strategy" was organised for our parents on 14th October 2023. The orientation programme was a great success and the parents gained an insight about positive parenting strategies. After the session, a Class-wise PTA meeting was held.



RASHTRA BHASHA HINDI PARIKSHA 2023-24



Our students participated in the Rashtrabhasha Hindi Pariksha conducted by Bharatiya Rashtrabhasha Vikas Samithi. We are happy to share that Miss Tanya Alagar of Class 8 is the recipient of Rashtriya Bharat Ratna Puraskar. She received a gold medal for the same.

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS

State Level Open Skating Championship 2023

We are happy to share that our student, Master Tharun Jayanth of grade 11 Commerce stream, participated in the under 16, JSA State Level Open Skating Championship 2023 held at JSA Skating Rink 200 meters, at Tiruppur on 28th and 29th September 2023. He secured the second position and is the proud recipient of the silver medal.

District Level Silambam Open Tournament 2023

Our students participated in the 1st District Level Silambam Open Tournament 2023, held at the Government Higher Secondary School, Kodaikanal on 15th October 2023 and secured the second position in the event.

The following students won prizes in the Mini Sub Junior, Sub Junior & Junior Boys category.

R.M.K. Harish (Grade 10) - 2nd place

T. Harshagunan(Grade 10) - 3rd place

P. Gowtham(Grade 8) - 3rd place

S. Akhil Varman (Grade 3) - 3rd place



FRIENDLY FOOTBALL MATCH

Our Boys Football team won the friendly match against Brindavan School on 19th October 2023.

CBSE CLUSTER VI FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

We are happy to share that our school Football team has won the first two matches of the CBSE CLUSTER VI Football tournament held at AGARAM PUBLIC SCHOOL, DHARAPURAM on 22nd and 23rd October 2023 and entered the third round.

A total of 5000 students from 336 different schools are participating in the tournament and Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram is one among the top 32 schools in Tamil Nadu, Puducherry and Andaman Nicobar on the whole.



CBSE CLUSTER VI BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT 2023

We are happy to share that our school Basketball team has the first two matches of the CBSE CLUSTER VI Basketball Tournament held at SUNBEAM INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, VELLORE on 21st and 2nd October 2023 and entered the third round.

A total of 1700 students from 175 different schools are participating in the tournament and Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram is one among the top 44 schools in Tamil Nadu, Puducherry and Andaman Nicobar on the whole.



CBSE CLUSTER VI BADMINTON TOURNAMENT-2023

South Zone Badminton Tournament was conducted at Kamalam International School, Dharmapuri from 28th October to 30th October 2023. Our school students participated in the CBSE Cluster VI Badminton tournament 2023.

Our school U-14 & U-17 Boys Badminton team qualified for the third round. U-14 Boys Team won the first two matches with Mount Litera Zee School, Kanyakumari 2-0 and Sri RKD Fomra V. Vidyalaya, Chennai 2-0. U -17 Boys Team entered the Third round and lost with Chinmaya vidyalaya Nagapattinam 0-2.



AYUDHA PUJA & VIJAYDASHAMI CELEBRATED IN SCHOOL

Ayudha Puja was celebrated in school on 24th October 2023. A special puja was performed in the Sadasivan Auditorium. The students and teachers recited prayers and sang bhajans. Prasadam was distributed at the end of the puja.



KODAI OPEN BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT 2023- (26th -29th October 2023)



Our Boys and Girls Basketball Teams participated in the Kodai Open Basketball Tournament held at Kodaikanal International School between 26th to 29th October 2023.

The Boys Basketball team of Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal brought laurels to the school by winning the match against Hebron School, Ooty on 28th October 2023 in the Kodai Open Basketball Tournament.



BHAVAN'S BASKETBALL GIRLS TEAM



ROTARY COMPETITIONS



Our students participated in the Inter-School Drawing Competitions conducted by the Rotary Club of Kodaikanal on 11th October 2023.



ROTARY INTER-SCHOOL DUMB CHARADES 2023



ROTARY INTER-SCHOOL

QUIZ COMPETITION 2023

Our students participated and secured the second position in the Inter-School Quiz Competition conducted by Rotary Club of Kodaikanal on 26th October 2023.



ROTARY INTER-SCHOOL SINGING COMPETITION

Our students participated in the inter-school Singing Competitions conducted by Rotary Club of Kodaikanal on 1st November 2023.

RASHTRIYA EKTA DIWAS 2023 CELEBRATED IN SCHOOL

Rashtriya Ekta Diwas was observed in school on 31st October 2023 to commemorate the Birth Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.



A special assembly was organised to mark the occasion. The assembly began with a prayer followed by a speech explaining the importance of National Unity Day. The Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Pledge to uphold the unity and integrity of the Nation was taken by all the students and teachers. This significant programme evoked the spirit of Unity amongst all .

PRINCIPAL AND TEACHERS HONOURED WITH LEADERSHIP ICON AWARDS



We are glad to share that our Principal, Dr. Meera Rajkumar and two Senior teachers, Mrs. Deepika Devi and Mr. Senthil Kumar of our school are the proud recipients of Leadership Icon Awards 2023.



While Dr.Meera Rajkumar received the Best Principal Award, our teachers received the "Best Teacher Award" on 2nd November 2023 in a Special function held at Dindigul. They were honoured by the Chief Educational Officer of Dindigul, Mr. A. Nazarudeen and District Educational Officer of Dindigul, Mr. A. Chandrakumar.



RESULTS OF THE INTER-SCHOOL ROTARY COMPETITIONS 2023-24

Our students have brought laurels to the school by bagging the First, Second and Third Prizes while participating in the various Inter-School Competitions. Kudos to the winners! The names of the achievers in respective events are as follows

ART (Drawing)– JUNIOR (English Medium Schools)

NAME	CLASS	POSITION
LiyazhiniC.	IV	Second

ART (Drawing)– SENIOR (English Medium Schools)

NAME	CLASS	POSITION
Tanya Pidugun	IX	Second

ART (Drawing)– SUPER SENIOR

NAME	CLASS	POSITION
Harish R.M.K	X	Second

ESSAY WRITING ENGLISH – SENIOR

NAME	CLASS	POSITION
Swetha Pidugun	VIII	Third

QUIZ BIZZ- SECOND PLACE

NAME	CLASS	POSITION
Aditya Venugopal	XII	Second
Sanjith Lakshman	X	
Raihan A.S.	XI	
Suraj B	IX	

GROUP SINGING ENGLISH MEDIUM– 7- 9 STD (SENIORS)

NAME	CLASS	POSITION
Ayesha Fathima	VIII	Second
AmrithaaS.P.	VIII	
Hiran Mayee	VIII	
Ridha Rajesh Mani	VIII	
Swetha Pidugun	VIII	
Tanya Pidugun	IX	

SOLO SINGING–(SENIORS)

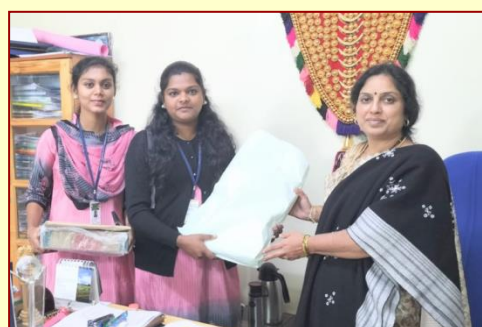
NAME	CLASS	POSITION
Ayesha Fathima	VIII	Second Place

SOLO SINGING– (SUPER SENIORS)

NAME	CLASS	POSITION
Dhanvi Sailesh Ranga Bashiam	XI	First Place

STATE EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT SURVEY (SEAS 2023)

State Educational Achievement Survey was conducted by PARAKH (Performance Assessment, Review and Analysis of Knowledge for Holistic Development)-NCERT on 3rd November 2023 in all States and UTs. CBSE schools have also been selected as sample. State Establishment/ NCERT/ PARAKH were directly in contact with the sample schools. The survey was conducted to gauge the foundational literacy and numeracy of students in Classes 3, 6 and 9 across government, government-aided, and private-unaided schools across the country.



Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal had been selected as a sample school, and our students wrote the PARAKH-NCERT- SEAS 2023 test."

AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN DRAWING AND ART FROM WASTE



Our students, Master R.K. Nitheash of Class XI, Miss S. Yazhini of Class X, Miss Tanya Pidugun of Class IX, Miss Ayesha of Class VIII, Miss Tharini of Class VIII, Miss Hiran Mayee M. B. of Class VIII and

Miss Swetha Pidugun of Class VIII participated in the Drawing and “Art from Waste Competition” conducted by the Kodaikanal Municipality. This event was conducted to promote Clean-Green Diwali signature campaigns in schools and colleges and also to create awareness about the 3 Rs (Reduce, Reuse and Recycle).

Miss S. Yazhini of Class X made the school proud by securing the first place in the Drawing Competition held on 10th November 2023. We also received the first place in “Art from Waste” Competition.

HANDWRITING COMPETITION

Our students participated in the handwriting Competition conducted by Brain ‘O’ Brain & News 7 Tamil on 16 November 2023.

TALK ON “HOW TO LIVE” teachings of Sri Sri Paramahansa Yogananda

Our students of grades 9 to 12 attended an eye-opening motivational speech based on "How to Live", teachings of Sri Sri Paramahansa Yogananda in his book "The Law of Success" on 18th November 2023.



The Guest Speaker was Mr. Vishwanath Krishnan. He discussed about the need to overcome fear, importance of self- introspection and scientific techniques for attaining direct personal experience of God.

BHAVAN'S INTER - SCHOOL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT 2023-24

Bhavan's Boys Basketball Team brings laurels to the school by securing the second position in the Bhavan's Inter-School Basketball Tournament held today at our school Basketball ground on 19th November 2023. Students of Kodaikanal Public School lifted the overall Championship trophy.



SCHOOL PICNIC TO MANNAVANUR

Just education is not enough, children must have sunshine, freedom and playtime. Learning is an ongoing process and all the experiences, result in one or the other form of learning. As a part of outsource activity a recreational picnic was arranged for the students of grades 3 to 12 on the 20th November 2023. The venue was Mannavanur, an ideal place for a picnic.

The students visited the Rabbit Shed and the Sheep Research Center. This centre is the animal science research centre under ICAR for both Tamil Nadu and Kerala states. located in Mannavanur village.

After spending time there, they visited the lovely Mannavanur Lake with the serene surroundings. The most enjoyable time was in the play area with swings, slides, merry-go-round, see saw, and spring animals. They then relished a sumptuous lunch.

All the students expressed a desire to revisit the place again. Indeed, it was a great day for all the students and teachers, as it strengthened the bond between the students and their teachers.



CCA COMPETITIONS

Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Gandhi Vidyashram, Kodaikanal

List of Competitions and Winners – 2023 – 2024

SKIT COMPETITION 01-04-2023

I PLACE	CHOLA
II PLACE	CHERA&CHOLA
III PLACE	PANDYA

DOHA COMPETITION 08-04-2023

CATEGORY VI - VIII

I	TANYA ALAGAR	CHERA
II	AYESHA FATIMA	PANDYA
III	ASVATHA K	CHERA

CATEGORY IX + XII

I	KAUSTHUBH K ANIL	PANDYA
II	TANYA PIDUGUN	CHERA
III	ASWIN	PALLAVA

READING COMPETITION 15-04-2023

CLASSES V - VI

I	HASINI D	PALLAVA
II	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA
III	ANVII S	CHERA

CLASSES VII - VIII

I	SWETHA PIDUGUN	CHOLA
II	TANYA ALAGAR	CHERA
III	AYESHA FATIMA	PANDYA
	CHE JEEVAE DILIBAN	CHOLA

READING COMPETITION 21-04-2023

CLASSES III - IV

I	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L.	CHOLA
II	G. JENY CHRISTLIN	PANDYA
III	AYAAN AHAMED	PANDYA
	R. ARTHI	CHERA
	C. LIYAZHINI	PALLAVA

SPELL BEE COMPETITION 22-04-2023

I	K.SABARISH	PANDYA
	MONIC BASIL C	PANDYA
	R. MAHADEVAN	PANDYA
	SAMEEKSHA T.S.	PANDYA
RUNNER UP	R.A. BARANI SANKARALINGAM	CHOLA
	VISHWESH.R	CHOLA
	SANJITH LAKSHMAN	CHOLA
	S.B. DHEYA	CHOLA
	RITHUSHIYA MAHENDRAN	CHOLA

DRAWING COMPETITION 16-06-2023		
CLASS III		
I	AYAAN AHAMED R. ARTHI	PANDYA CHERA
II	S. PRASANNA	CHOLA
III	AKHIL VARMAN .S	CHOLA
CLASS IV		
I	G. VAISHNAVI	CHERA
II	G. JENY CHRISTLIN	CHOLA
III	C. LIYAZHINI	PALLAVA
CLASS V		
I	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA
II	S. ANVII	CHERA
III	RUDHRA ALAN RAJESH MANI	CHOLA

LIGHT MUSIC COMPETITION 23-07-2023		
CATEGORY 1 (III - V)		
I	C. LIYAZHINI G. JENY CHRISTLIN	PALLAVA CHOLA
II	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L. S. ASTHAKAHAMED	CHOLA CHOLA
III	AKHIL VARMAN .S S.S.I. AL RAYYAAN	CHOLA CHOLA
CATEGORY 2 (VI - VIII) 24-07-2023		
I	AYESHA FATHIMA V. KARTHIK SANKARAN	PANDYA CHERA
II	S.P.AMRITHAA	PALLAVA
III	ANIRUTH MAHENDRAN	PANDYA
CATEGORY 3 (IX - X) 26-07-2023		
I	SAMEEKSHA T.S. SANJITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA CHOLA
II	S.B. DHEYA	CHOLA
III	G. HARINI	PANDYA
CATEGORY 4 (XI-XII) 27-06-2023		
I	MONIC BASIL C DHANVI SAILESH	PANDYA PANDYA
II	K. HARISH AROCKIA SAMANTHA RICHARD	PALLAVA PANDYA
III	A. AATHIKA BEGAM R. MAHADEVAN	CHOLA PANDYA

ENGLISH ELOCUTION 30-06-2023		
CLASS III		
I	AKHIL VARMAN .S	CHOLA
II	S. PRASANNA	CHOLA
III	R. ARTHI AHMED SORAB KOYA	CHERA PANDYA
CLASS IV		
I	G. JENY CHRISTLIN	CHOLA
II	JEREMIAH MIGUEL . L	CHOLA
III	S. ASTHAK AHAMED	CHOLA
CLASS V		
I	RUDHRA ALAN RAJESH MANI	CHOLA
II	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA
III	R. SHRI NITHISH	PANDYA
FOOTLOOSE 14-07-2023		
CLASS III		
I	AKHIL VARMAN .S	CHOLA
II	S. PRASANNA	CHOLA

III	R. ARTHI	CHERA
CLASS IV		
I	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L.	CHOLA
II	S. ASTHAKAHAMED	CHOLA
III	G. JENY CHRISTLIN	CHOLA
CLASS V		
I	R. SHRI NITHISH	PANDYA
	PRIYANKA S	CHOLA
II	S. ANVII	CHERA
III	S.S.I. AL RAYYAAN	CHOLA

ENGLISH ELOCUTION 15-07-2023		
CLASS VI		
I	VAKIYAH SRI V.S.	CHERA
II	HASINI.D	PALLAVA
III	B.KRISH ADHITHYA	PANDYA
CLASS VII		
I	ADWAIT VENUGOPAL P	PANDYA
II	V. KARTHIK SANKARAN	CHERA
III	S. SAI ABINAYA	PANDYA
CLASS VIII		
I	SWETHA PIDUGUN	CHOLA
	K. ASVATHA	CHERA
II	AYESHA FATHIMA	PANDYA
	R. LATCHANYA	PALLAVA
III	M.B.HIRAN MAYEE	CHOLA
CLASS IX		
I	TANYA PIDUGUN	CHERA
II	KAUSTHUBH ANIL	PANDYA
	SHEHNAZ P SINOOB	CHOLA
III	S.V. GURUPRASAD	PALLAVA
	RITHUSHIYA MAHENDRAN	CHOLA
CLASS X		
I	R.MUKUNTHAN	CHOLA
II	M.SARANYA	PALLAVA
III	SANJITH LAKSHMAN	CHOLA
CLASS XI		
I	DHANVI SAILESH	PANDYA
	A.S. RAIHAN	CHOLA
II	AROCKIA SAMANTHA RICHARD	PANDYA
	A. AATHIKA BEGAM	CHOLA
	G. TANISHA	PALLAVA
III	ENOVA VINOETHINI	PANDYA
	J. AANSU JOY	PANDYA
	MUHAMMAD FAHEEM	CHERA
	K. RITHANYAA	PALLAVA
CLASS XII		
I	ADITYA VENUGOPAL P.	CHERA
	A. MOHAMED BASSIM	CHERA
II	ARAVIND SUBRAMANIAM. M	PALLAVA
III	R.A. BARANI SANKARALINGAM	CHOLA

ENGLISH RECITATION – 21/07/2023

CLASS III

I	PRASANNA S	CHOLA
I	AYAAN AHAMED	CHERA
II	ARTHI R	PALLAVA
II	AKHIL VARMAN	CHERA

III	ADHISH SINDHU RAJESH	PANDYA
CLASS IV		
I	JENY CCHRISTLIN G	CHOLA
II	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L	CHERA
III	VAISHNAVI	CHERA
CLASS V		
I	RUDHRA ALAN RAJESH MANI	CHOLA
II	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA
III	ANVII S	CHERA

DUMB CHARADES – 28/07/2023		
CLASS III		
I	ARTHI R	PALLAVA
II	AKHIL VARMAN	CHERA
III	PRASANNA S	CHOLA
CLASS IV		
I	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L	CHERA
I	JENY CHRISTLIN G	CHOLA
II	LIYAZHINI C	PALLAVA
III	ASHTAK AHAMED	PANDYA
CLASS V		
I	ANVII S	CHERA
I	SHRI NITHISH R	PALLAVA
II	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA
III	PRIYANKA S	CHERA

FOOT LOOSE 29/07/2023		
CLASS VI – VIII		
I	ANIRUTH MAHENDREN	PANDYA
II	BHARATH S	PALLAVA
III	ASHWANT KUMAR S	PANDYA
CLASS IX - X		
I	NISHANTH S	PALLAVA
II	MUKUNTHAN R	CHOLA
II	DHEYA S B	CHOLA
II	KEERTHIKHA E	PALLAVA
III	GURUPRASAD S V	PALLAVA
III	HARINI G	PANDYA

PATRIOTIC SONG – 04/08/2023		
CLASS III		
I	ADHISH SINDHU RAJESH	PANDYA
II	PRASANNA S	CHOLA
III	AYAAN AHAMED	CHERA
CLASS IV		
I	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L	CHERA
II	JENY CHRISTLIN G	CHOLA
III	NISCHAY BARNAL	CHERA
CLASS V		
I	SHRI NITHISH R	PALLAVA
II	PRIYANKA S	CHERA
III	AL RAYYAN SSI	PANDYA

DUMB CHARADES – 05-08-2023	
CLASSES IX - XII	
I	CHERA
II	CHOLA
III	PALLAVA

DRAWING COMPETITION – 11/08/2023

CLASS III		
I	ARTHI R	PALLAVA
II	PRASANNA S	CHOLA
III	AKHIL VARMAN S	CHERA
CLASS IV		
I	VAISHNAVI G	CHERA
II	LIYAZHINI C	PALLAVA
III	JENY CHRISTLIN	CHOLA
CLASS V		
I	PRIANKA S	CHOLA
II	ANVII S	CHERA
III	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA
TAMIL/HINDI RECITATION – 18/08/2023		
CLASS III		
I	ADHISH SNDHU RAJESH	PANDYA
II	ARTHI R	PALLAVA
III	PRASANNA S	CHOLA
CLASS IV		
I	LIYAZHINI C	PALLAVA
II	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L	CHERA
III	NISCHAY BARNWAL	CHERA
CLASS V		
I	PRIANKA S	CHOLA
II	ANVII S	CHERA
III	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA

PATRIOTIC SONG – 18/08/2023

JUNIORS		
I	AMRITHAA S P	PALLAVA
II	AYESHA FATHIMA	PANDYA
	KARTHIK SANKARAN V	CHERA
III	ASVAHA K	CHERA
	TANYA ALAGAR	CHERA

GREETING CARD MAKING – 25/08/2023

CLASS III		
I	ARTHI R	PALLAVA
II	PRASANNA S	CHOLA
III	AYAAN AHAMED	CHERA
CLASS IV		
I	LIYAZHINI C	PALLAVA
I	JENY CHRISTLIN	CHOLA
II	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L	CHERA
	VAISHNAVI G	CHERA
III	ASTHAK AHAMED	PANDYA
CLASS V		
I	PRIANKA S	CHOLA
	SIHAAN MOHD REHAN	CHERA
II	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA
III	SHRI NITHISH R	PALLAVA
	AL RAYYAAN SSI	PANDYA

POOKOLAM COMPETITION – 26-08-2023

CLASSES IX - XII	
I	PALLAVA
II	CHOLA
III	CHERA

CLAY MODELLING COMPETITION – 01/09/2023

CLASS III		
I	ARTHI R	PALLAVA
	AKHIL VARMAN S	CHERA
II	PRASANNA S	CHOLA
	AYAAN AHAMED	CHERA
III	MOHD HAFIDH R	CHOLA
	AHAMED SORAB KOYA	PANDYA
CLASS IV		
I	LIYAZHINI C	PALLAVA
	ASTHAK AHAMED	PALLAVA
II	NISCHAY BARNWAL	CHERA
	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L	CHERA
III	VAISHNAVI G	CHERA
CLASS V		
I	PRIANKA S	CHOLA
II	RUDHRA ALAN RAJESH MANI	CHOLA
I	SIHAAN MOHD REHAN	CHERA
II	AL RAYYAAN SSI	PANDYA
III	SHRI NITHISH R	PALLAVA
III	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA

POT PAINTING – 29/9/2023

CLASS III		
I	AKHIL VARMAN S	CHERA
II	SREEDEV O NAIR	PALLAVA
III	ARTHI R	PALLAVA
CLASS IV		
I	NISCHAY BARNWAL	CHERA
II	VAISHNAVI G	CHERA
III	ASTHAK AHAMED	PALLAVA
CLASS V		
I	PRIANKA S	CHOLA
II	AL RAYYAAN SSI	PANDYA
III	RUDHRA ALAN RAJESH MANI	CHOLA

MEMORY GAME – 06/10/2023

CLASS III		
I	AKHIL VARMAN S	CHERA
II	ARTHI R	PALLAVA
III	ADHISH SNDHU RAJESH	PANDYA
CLASS IV		
I	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L	CHERA
II	LIYAZHINI C	PALLAVA
III	NISCHAY BARNWAL	CHERA
III	VAISHNAVI G	CHERA
CLASS V		
I	ANVII S	CHERA
II	AL RAYYAAN SSI	PANDYA
III	SHRI NITHISH R	PALLAVA



TAMIL ELOCUTION – 07/10/2023

CLASS VI - VIII

I	TANYA ALAGAR	CHERA
II	ASVATHA K	CHERA
III	KARTHIK SANKARAN V	CHERA

CLASS IX – X

I	MUKUNTHAN R	CHOLA
II	NISHANTH S	PALLAVA
III	GURUPRASAD S V	PALLAVA

DIYA DECORATION – 13/10/2023

Class III

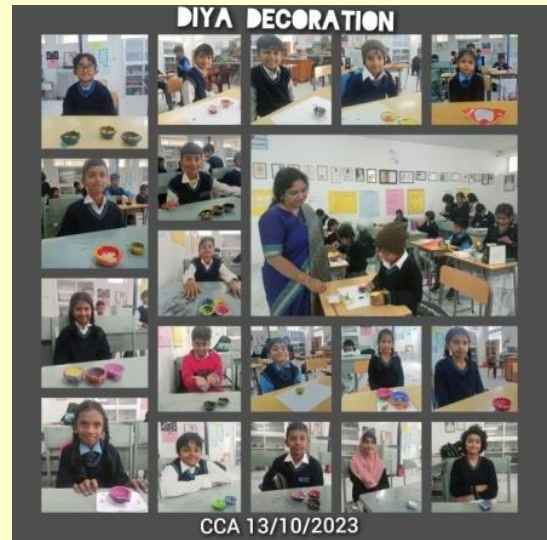
I	ARTHI R	PALLAVA
II	SREEDEV O NAIR	PALLAVA
II	AHAMED SORAB KOYA	PANDYA
III	ADHISH SNDHU RAJESH	PANDYA
III	AKHIL VARMAN S	CHERA

CLASS IV

I	LIYAZHINI C	PALLAVA
II	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L	CHERA
III	ASHTAK AHAMED	PANDYA

CLASS V

I	SAMHITH LAKSHMAN	PANDYA
I	PRIANKA S	CHOLA
II	SIHAAN MOHD REHAN	CHERA
III	ANVII S	CHERA
III	AL RAYYAAN SSI	PANDYA



CLASSROOM DECORATION – 20/10/2023

SUB JUNIORS

I	CLASSES III & IV
II	CLASS V

JUNIORS

I	CLASSES VI & VIII
II	CLASS VII

SENIORS

I	CLASS IX
II	CLASS X

POSTER MAKING COMPETITION – 27/10/2023

CLASS III

I	AKHIL VARMAN S	CHERA
II	PRASANNA S	CHOLA
II	ARTHI R	PALLAVA
III	ADHISH SNDHU RAJESH	PANDYA

CLASS IV

I	VAISHNAVI G	CHERA
II	JENY CHRISTLIN G	CHOLA
III	JEREMIAH MIGUEL L	CHERA

CLASS V

I	PRIANKA S	CHOLA
II	ANVII S	CHERA
III	AL RAYYAAN SSI	PANDYA





POSTER MAKING COMPETITION 28/10/2023		
CLASS VI		
I	ANIRUTH MAHENDRAN	PANDYA
II	HASINI D	PALLAVA
III	VAKIYAH SRI V.S.	CHERA
CLASS VII		
I	HARINEE V.	PANDYA
II	SAI ABINAYA S.	PANDYA
II	NAKUL S S	CHOLA
III	KARTHIK SANKARAN V	CHERA
III	LAKSHITH PRADOSH	PALLAVA
CLASS VIII		
I	TANYA ALAGAR	CHERA
	K. ASVATHA	CHERA
II	SREEHARI O. NAIR	PANDYA
	SOHAN SATHEESH S	PANDYA
III	SWETHA PIDUGUN	CHOLA
CLASS IX		
	SHEHANAZ P. SINOOB	CHOLA
	GURUPRASAD S V	PALLAVA
II	TANYA PIDUGUN	CHERA
III	KISHORE KUMAR B	CHERA
	KARTHIKEYAN G	PANDYA
CLASS XI		
I	NITHEASH R K	CHERA
II	DAYANITHI K	CHERA
III	DHARUN ANANTHAM S	PANDYA

MATH EXPO-SIGMA 2023

Math is an effective way of building mental discipline and encourages logical reasoning. In addition, mathematical knowledge plays a crucial role in understanding the contents of other school subjects as science, social studies and even music and art.

To remove the fear of Math and to instill a love for the subject, our school organized a first of its kind Math Expo titled "Sigma".

The Expo was inaugurated by the President of Rotary Club of Kodaikanal, Dr. Madan Govindan. The Secretary of the Club, Rtn. Akbar Shait and the past Assistant Governor of Rotary Club of Kodaikanal graced the occasion. Students and faculty members of local schools were also invited for the event. Our Principal welcomed and addressed the gathering. The students exhibited models showcasing simple mathematical calculations, different shapes of geometry, use of a balance, among others. The students of grades 3 to 12 participated in the event enthusiastically.





MANGALDEEP 2023-24

Mangladeep, literally means “Auspicious Lamp”. It with the lighting of this auspicious lamp, the students of Classes XII and X are bid farewell. The Farewell function for the outgoing students of classes X and XII was celebrated on 24th November 2023 and was hosted by the students of Classes XI and IX.

The programme commenced with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp. The Principal addressed the students and wished the students of the outgoing batches of Classes X and XII good luck for the future years.



The students put up a wonderful show comprising of songs and dances. The outgoing students were presented with mementoes and gifts. The students of the outgoing batches recollected their sweet experiences in the school and thanked the Principal and the members of the faculty for their relentless support and guidance. The outgoing students sought the blessings of the teachers.

Later the students were presented with small ceremonial lamps lit from the Kuthuvilakku which were then offered to Goddess Saraswati with a prayer. The festivities culminated with a special buffet dinner around a bonfire in front of the Dining Hall. Crackers were burst on the occasion which was enjoyed by one and all.

PTA MEETING

The first PTA Meeting of the academic year 2023-24 was held on 25th November 2023 at 11 a.m. The parents attended the meeting in large numbers and shared their views and opinions. The Principal responded to the suggestions and grievances of the parents in an interactive session. The meeting concluded with the Vote of Thanks and the National Anthem.