

**NOTRE DAME SCHOOL, VETTIKUZHY**  
**ACADEMIC YEAR 2022-23**  
**JUNE – 2022**

**June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 – WELCOME TO THE NEW ACADEMIC YEAR**

It was the most awaited day for the students. They entered the school with much enthusiasm and excitement. The school was decorated well to receive the students. A special assembly was organized by the teacher representatives. The teacher welcomed Sr. Mercy the Manager, Sr. Julie, the newly appointed Principal and the teachers who are appointed to the school for this academic year. Sr. Julie gave an inspiring message to the students that would help them to be better students.

**June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – STAFF MEETING AND LANGUAGE ENHANCING CLASS**

A staff meeting was conducted at 9:15 am. It was to evaluate the orientation classes conducted. It was found it enriching and helpful from the sharing of the teachers. In the meeting teachers were reminded to submit the lesson plan every Monday before the morning assembly, submit the monthly lesson plan typed to submit to the board (IX & X) on the 1<sup>st</sup> working day of the month. Teachers were requested to take care of their responsibilities on time.

Today at 9:45 am Mr. George Dybin, a communication English trainer helped our teachers with the language to be confident in their teaching. The class ended at 12:00 noon.

**June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022 – DRUG AWARENESS TALK**

This morning, during the assembly Mr. Santhosh from excise office, Chalakudy came to the school to help the students to become aware of the usage of drug and its effects in their life, family and society. It was indeed an enriching session.

### **June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY**

The class X organized an inspiring assembly at 10:00 am. We had Mrs. Aswathy, the Krishi officer of Athirappally as the chiefguest for the occasion. The PTA president Mr.DilikDiwakaran and the Mr. P. A Suresh (Krishi Officer), Sr. Mercy the manager, sisters and teachers were present for the assembly. They talked about the need to conserve the nature by planting more trees take care of the nature and the effects of environmental destruction. Saplings and vegetable seeds were distributed to the teachers and students to mark the day.

### **June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – VISIT FROM ATHIRAPPILLI POLICE STATION**

This morning two police men came to find out if we have formed a Cyber Club in the school. They asked us to follow their instruction to have a protective campus for the students.

The students of IX & X began their periodic test today.

### **June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – ORIENTATION FOR HIGH SCHOOL**

This after noon, we organized an orientation for the high school students Fr. Robin Palatty the Parish priest of Chaipankuzhy Parish conducted the session. Father explained to the students the need of concentrating on their studies the coming years. He also gave them a few tips that would help them to better their studies. He also advised the students to get rid of the unnecessary usage of mobile and the effects of drug addiction. The students gained much from the session.

### **June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – SCHOOL MASS & ORIENTATION**

Today, Fr. Robin offered the Mass in the school for the staff and the students at 11:30 am. And in the afternoon at 1:30, he conducted a motivational session for the students of V, VI & VII. Father helped the students with many tips to have better performance to their studies. We concluded the session by 3:00 p.m.

### **June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – INTERNATIONAL DAY AGAINST DRUG ABUSE**

The real day being on Sunday, the school conducted an assembly on the theme. And at the end, the students took a pledge to do away with drugs. A short film shot was send to the parents to make them aware of the effects of the usage of drugs.

### **June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – NATIONAL DRUG ABUSE DAY**

This day being on Sunday, we had a special assembly on the impact of drug use on Friday. The school had participated on a short film organized by the Vimukti Excise

Mission called" Porattam". It was send to all the students and parents to make them aware of the destruction done to the Society because of drugs.

### JULY 2022

#### July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 – PTA MEETING FOR IX & X STUDENTS

After completed the 1<sup>st</sup> Periodic test the meeting we organized a meeting of parents with the teachers to discuss the performance of the students. Sr. Julie met the parents of the academically weaker students. Time 9:15 -12:00. Most of the parents attended the meeting.

#### July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – STUDENT COUNCIL INDUCTION

This morning at 9:30 we had Student Council Induction. The Manager Sr. Mercy PTA President, sisters, a few parents of elected Student Counciland all the students were present for the occasion. Sr. Julie and the PTA president gave messages. the students.

The Elected Student Council 2022-23 are

#### **STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS 2022-2023**

PRESIDENT	EVA ROSE JIBU	X-A
VICE PRESIDENT	ADHALIN V JACOB	IX-A
SECRETARY	SANTINA SHIJU	X-A
SPORTS CAPTAIN	ROHIN S MANJALI	X-A
CULTURAL SECRETARY	SREELAKSHMI M SUSEELAN	X-A
TREASURER	DEVANGANA A.G	X-A

#### GANDHI HOUSE

CAPTAIN (Green)	ALWIN B SAKARIA	X-A
VICE CAPTAIN (Green)	ALDHIYA GIMMI MAMPILLY	IX-A

#### JULIE HOUSE

CAPTAIN (Blue)	HARIET ANNA JIJO	X-A
VICE CAPTAIN (Blue)	JEEVAN SHAIJU	IX-A

#### NEHRU HOUSE

CAPTAIN (Red)	JAQULIN JIMMI K	X-A
VICE CAPTAIN (Red)	EDWIN K T	IX-A

#### TAGORE HOUSE

CAPTAIN (Yellow)	ASHIK K S	X-A
VICE CAPTAIN (Yellow)	ANNMARY JAISON	IX-A

**CLASS REPRESENTATIVES**

VEDHA SAJIN	IV-A
SERAH ELIZABETH SIJU	IV-B
ABHINAV J KARIYADAN	IV C
KRISHNANJALI VINEESH	V-A
ANTONY JOSE	V-B
CATHRINE VARGHESE	VI-A
ANGEL MARIYA JOY	VI-B
SAM JOHN SHINSO	VII-A
ATHUL K RIJU	VII-B
GODWIN JOSSY	VIII-A
NIKHITHA SHAJU	IX-A
JONATHAN K. JAISON	X-A

In the same afternoon we had a PTA Executive members meeting (2.30 pm) to discuss the election of the new committee for the academic year 2022-23. Most of the members were present. In the meeting it was decided to collect the same amount (Rs200/-) as PTA fund. The meeting ended by 3:15pm.

**July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – SAHODAYA AGM**

This morning Sr. Julie went to Nirmalajyothi CBSE School, Mundur, Thrissur to attend the AGM of Sahodaya organized at 10:30 am. The competitions of the games, sports and extra-curricular and the venues were finalized.

**July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – ST. JULIE'S DAY / WORKERS' DAY**

The students of std VIII were prepared by MrsPriya, Suman&Gracy for the day. We began the assembly at 9:30 am. All the sisters were present for the day. After the assembly everyone was given a munch each and students went home 11:00 am. At 11:30 am the staff had a get with together along with the maintenance staff to appreciate their hand work. Then workers were given a gift, worth 500/ (steel pot) to mark the day. Everyone left school by 1:00 pm.

**July 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022 – CHESS COMPETITION**

The ministry of youth affairs of sports, Thrissur district organized a Chess competition (44<sup>th</sup> Chess Olympiad Torch Relay) today at Marottichal. Adhalin Jacob of Std IX participated in the competition.

### **July 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022 – CBSE BOARD EXAM RESULTS**

2022 Board exam students received the results at 3.00 pm today. All the students passed. One students got A1 in all the subjects with 96.2%.

Sl.No.	Name	Percentage
1	ALVIYA SHAIJAN	96.2
2	ANJU SAJU	95.4
3	VAISHNAV P S	94
4	MISHAL E O	93.4
5	MILNA MILTON	91.6
6	IVAN GEORGE	91.2
7	AYONA ANNA SUNNY	90.6

Full A1 - ALVIYA SHAIJAN

Distinction - 23 students

First Class - 11 students

Second Class - 4 students

### **AUGUST 2022**

#### **August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – MATHS COMPETITION**

This after many students from I – VIII participated in the Mathematics quiz written competition conducted by Thrissur Sahodaya. Those stood 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>& 3<sup>rd</sup> will participate in the Sahodaya level competition in November. Congratulations to the winners.

#### **August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 – PRINCIPAL'S DAY**

Today, the school celebrated Principal's Day on the occasion of Sr. Julie's birth day. Under the guidance of Sr. Felicia, the teachers prepared an inspiring assembly followed by entertainment. Every students of the school wished sisters. Dismissal for the students was at 12 noon. At 12.30 pm the staff gathered in KG block to wish Sr. Julie. It was followed by delicious lunch.

#### **August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022 – ELIPSE**

This morning an English Language competition was conducted at Thrissur Sahodaya. The winners (1<sup>st</sup> three position – each class) will participate in the 2<sup>nd</sup> competition under Thrissur Sahodaya in November. The Students of StdI – VIII participated in it. Registration fee Rs. 70/-.

On this day, the junior and seniors Throwball team participated in the District level competition conducted in Thrissur. The senior boys won the 1<sup>st</sup> prize and junior boys reached the 4<sup>th</sup> place. Though the girls lost the match, it gave an exposure to them to letter themselves in the future. Well done students.

### **PTA EXECUTIVE MEETING**

This morning the newly elected PTA executive members came together to have the office bearers to be selected. Mr. DilikDivakaran was suggested to be the president. And the mentions are.

#### **Ex-Officio Members**

Sr.Mercy	:	Manager
Sr.Felicia	:	Treasurer, NDS
Mrs. Siby	:	Staff Representative
Mrs.Sandhya	:	Staff Representative
Mrs.Jiji	:	Staff Representative

#### **Office Bearers**

Sr.Julie S N D	:	Chair Person
Mr. DilikDivakaran	:	President
Mr. Linton K L	:	Vice President
Mrs. NiyaKatharin	:	Secretary
Mrs. Molly Basil	:	Treasurer
Mr. Jomon Sebastian	:	Member
Mr. Eldhose M Mathai	:	Member
Mr. Biju K. V	:	Member
Mr. Pradeep M Varghese	:	Member
Mrs. Ramia Davis	:	Member
Mr. RijuMavelil Joy	:	Member
Mrs. ShaigyV.V	:	Member
Mr. Jijo Varghese	:	Member
Mr. Manoj Kumar K P	:	Member

The meeting was concluded by thanking the office bears and the others by the secretary. All enjoyed the tea organized every body disappeared by 11:00 am.

### **August 29<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022 – ARTS FEST**

In school level Arts Fest organized on 29<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup>. Rev. Dr. Santhosh CMI, the founder Principal of CMI public school, Chalakudy was the Chief guest for the inauguration of the Arts Fest. Sr. Mercy, the manager of NDS, PTA President, Mr. DilikDivakaran along with other sisters, teachers and students was present for the event. It was conducted on three categories. Judges for dance and singing were called

from outside. The events began from 10:30 am at various venues. Students from LKG to Std –II remained at homes these days.

### **August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022 – ARTS FEST CLOSING CEREMONY AND AWARD DAY FUNCTION**

This afternoon, we had the closing ceremony of Arts fest, Award Day and the display of photos by the Pariyaram photography group. The photography exhibition was inaugurated by Sr. Julie at 12:45 pm. Then the students had a chance of viewing the photos displayed on the verandah.

The closing ceremony of Arts fest was at 1:30 pm we had Dr. Libin Benny, one of our parishes, an artist and a practicing clinical pharmacy doctor. After the inauguration and a few cultural items of students the guests handed over the prizes to the winners.

It was also the day to honour the 2022 CBSE batch students. Most of the students were present for the function. The management honoured the students who stood 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> position with trophy and cash awards (1<sup>st</sup> 1000/, 2<sup>nd</sup> 750/ & 3<sup>rd</sup> 500/). The PTA president honoured all the students.

The chief guest honoured the winners of throw ball championship team 2022. The programme ended by 3:15 pm.

### **SEPTEMBER 2022**

### **September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATION**

All the teachers were honoured today for their dedicated service to the school and the society. The student's council got ready the prayer service and the greeting song under the guidance of Sr. Julie and Felicia. The classes VIII students trained the lower class students for the day. There was a colourful variety entertainment for the teachers. Most of the students were present for the day. The dismissal for students was at 12:00 noon. After that the staff gathered in the K.G block for the felicitation of teachers. Every teacher and the office staff received a set of bed sheet (Rs.700/) on this occasion. After that we had a sumptuous lunch. Everyone dispersed by 2:00 pm. Every sister was given an envelope of Rs. 500/-.

### **September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – ONAM CELEBRATION**

The class VI students were ready for the day's assembly. The class teachers prepared the students very well. The assembly was conducted in the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor hall due to heavy rain fall. A few games "Tug war" for high school and teachers. Everyone, including the drivers of the school received a cup of 'payasam' to mark the celebration. Around 12:00 noon along with PTA executive members' PTA staff representatives, 10 students representatives and Sr. Julie & Felicia went to SSSMILE VILLAGE to share the joy of Onam celebration with the inmates of the village by giving them the Onam collection

from the students. (rice, pulses, toiletry items, sugar, jaggery etc.)The priests (Fr. Antony & Jomon) appreciated the help received for the inmates .

The school remained closed for all till 12<sup>th</sup> and for students till 19<sup>th</sup> September.

**September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – PTA GENERAL BODY MEETING**

This morning, we had the PTA general Body Meeting of 2022-23. Around 400 parents were present for the AGM. The meeting began with a prayer by the teachers. Then the PTA President Mr. Dilik Diwakaran and the executive members conducted the meeting. After having submitted the PTA meeting reports of the 2021-2022 and the financial reports of 2021-2022, the responsibility of the treasurer and secretary was handed over to the 2022-2023 members.

An awareness class on Drug Abuse was conducted by Mr. Suresh IAS of the Athirappilly Police Jurisdiction. It was well appreciated by the parents. The AGM was conducted by 12:15 pm. All the parents and invitees were served tea and snacks.

**OCTOBER 2022**

**October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – FORMATION OF JAGRATA SAMITI**

As per the direction of the State govt. under the guidance of Mr. Bibin, the Executive officer, Chalakudy in the school. We formed “Jagrata Samiti” this morning. Mr. Ramachandran updated us, the issue of using drugs by the students. To curtail the use of it and to handle the youngsters gently in case of usage of it an awareness talk and then “Jagrata Samiti” was formed. The members are:-

**സ്കൂൾതലജനജാഗ്രതസമിതി**

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| അദ്ധ്യക്ഷൻ | : | ദിലിക്ലിവാകരൻ   |
| കൺവീനർ     | : | സിസ്റ്റർ ജൂലി   |
| അംഗങ്ങൾ    | : | രാമചന്ദ്രൻ      |
|            |   | ബിപിൻകെവിൻസെൻറ് |
|            |   | പ്രദീപ് ഇബി     |
|            |   | വിവിജോർജ്ജ്     |
|            |   | ഉണ്ണികെപാർത്ഥൻ  |
|            |   | ജയചന്ദ്രൻകെഎം   |
|            |   | ലിന്റോൺകാവുങ്ങൾ |
|            |   | കൈകെറിജേഷ്      |
|            |   | മോളിബേസിൻ       |
|            |   | നിയകൈതാരൻ       |
|            |   | സിബിജോസ്വി      |
|            |   | ജിജിജോസഫ്       |
|            |   | അദലിനപിജേക്കബ്  |
|            |   | ഇവാറോസ്കിബു     |
|            |   | സാൻറീനഷിജു      |



The duration of meeting was from 11:00am to 12:15pm.

**October 18 – 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – WELCOME TO SR. MANISHA**

This morning, we welcomed Sr. Manisha, the education co-ordination of the province to the school. The students of V B had a special assembly prepared for her. At the end of the assembly, Sr. Manisha addressed the students and talked to them about the soft skills that we must practice in our daily life.

Then sister Manisha along with Sr. Julie observed the classes of the following teachers from 18<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup>. The details are:-

**OBSERVATION OF CLASSES**

<b>18/10/2022</b>	<b>SECOND PERIOD</b>	<b>THIRD PERIOD</b>	<b>FIFTH PERIOD</b>
TUESDAY	LKG B MALAYALAM MRS.BLESSY	LKG A MATHS MRS.MAREENA	UKG B MATHS MRS.SRUTHILA
<b>19/10/2022</b>	<b>FIRST PERIOD</b>	<b>SECOND PERIOD</b>	<b>FOURTH PERIOD</b>
WEDNESDAY	III B MATHS MS.JEESHMA	VI B HINDI MRS.BETSY	IV B ENGLISH GRAMMER MRS.LIJI
<b>20/10/2022</b>	<b>THIRD PERIOD</b>	<b>FOURTH PERIOD</b>	<b>SIXTH PERIOD</b>
THURSDAY	VI A HISTORY/CIVICS MRS.SHEEJA	III B ENGLISH MRS.SANDHYA	IV A MALAYALAM MRS. MARY

**October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – HOLY MASS**

At 9:15am, we had the Holy mass offered by Fr. Robin and Fr. Lijo. After the mass Fr. Lijo was welcomed to the school with a bouquet by Sr. Julie as it was his first visit to the school. Then father Robin blessed the rosaries brought by him and to the priests distributed them to the students from std V to X, teachers and to the non-teaching staff. During mass we specially prayed for sister Manisha as she celebrated her birthday.

**October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – LANDSLIDE DISASTER MANAGEMENT (MOCK)**

This morning the Vettilappara police under the guidance of Thrissur DC and local government arranged mock landslide Disaster Management. The people from Pandarampara. The area where a landslide occurs every year brought to the school- the evacuation center entry programme was video graphed.

**NOVEMBER 2022**

### **November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 – KERALA PIRAVI**

On the occasion of Kerala Piravi and also the Anti Drug campaign Day a special assembly was organized.

### **November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022 – SAHODAYA KALOLTSAV**

This morning at 5:30 am 24 students went to Thrissur to participate in the CBSE Thrissur District Kaloltsav. They participated in Hindi Recitation, English Story Telling, Painting, Malayalam Recitation, Power Point Presentation etc. They returned by 8:45 pm. Mrs. Shyba and Bindhu Paul accompanied the students.

### **November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – AWARENESS CLASS**

The Vettilappara Health Department organized an awareness programme on "Eradication of Leprosy" Mr. Vipish, the Asst. Health Inspector and A Asha worker was there to facilitate the programme. It was from 3:00-3:45pm.

### **November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – PTA MEETING**

This afternoon we had a meeting the parents of Std VIII, IX & X to of the Educational Tour planned for the students. Most of the parents were present for the same. The parents cleared all their doubts about the trip. After present half an hour meeting the parents of VIII, IX & X their children left the meeting hall.

Then we had the meeting with the students and parents of class x. The subject teachers briefed the parents about the conduct of exams, classes and the performance of their children. The teachers expressed dissatisfaction of performances the same that the students. And also the parents felt the same that the students are not yet serious in their studies. Sr. Julie told the parents that the school will do everything possible to help the students to improve in their studies. And the same cooperation requested from students and their parents for the next three months. The meeting ended by 3.30 pm.

### **November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – EDUCATIONAL TOUR**

After having received the permission from the RTO, the school informed the Vettilappara Panchayath and the Police Station about the trip to Mysore on 7th.

This morning all the 82 students 9 teachers gathered at 5:45 am at school. Sr. Julie said a prayer of safety in the presence of the parents and sent them two buses to Mysore at 6:00 am. Sr. Julie will join the group tomorrow (Thursday) in Mysore.

### **November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – CHILDREN'S DAY**

This morning at 9:30 the school gathered in the hall at the KG building for the Children's Day celebration. The teachers conducted an assembly. Then they had a variety entertainment and games organized for the students. The students enjoyed the programme. Every student was given a cup cake on this day. Dismissal was at 11:30 am.

#### **November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – CBSE MEETING**

This morning after the assembly Sr. Julie left for Vadodara for attending the CBSE principals national meeting. Meeting was on 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>. Sr. Julie also made a short visit to Vasai before evening. She returned on 21<sup>st</sup> evening.

#### **November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022 – PERIODIC TEST AND REVISION TEST**

Today students from Std I – VIII began their 3rd periodic Test and the class X began their 1<sup>st</sup> Revision Test. The Pre-Primary completed their monthly assessment today which started on 15th November.

#### **November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022 – INTERVIEW**

Today we interviewed 12 candidates for LKG and I student for class I.

#### **November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – ORIENTATION**

This morning an orientation of “Teaching Skills” was conducted for the teachers of LKG – Std II by a resource person from Chrysalis. Mr. HineshShankar explained well to the teachers the multi skills in detail to increase the outcome of students learning time 9:30-11:00 am.

#### **STAFF MEETING**

In the afternoon today at 1:00 pm we had a staff meeting organized to plan for the Annual Day. During the meeting, teachers were requested to get ready the costumes and songs and props needed for their item. We decided to begin the practice on 5th December. During the staff meeting we also picked up the names of our Christmas friend. And decided to have gift bought for the friend Rs. 250-300/-

#### **November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – LAST DAY PERIODIC TEST**

Students of classes I & II completed their 3<sup>rd</sup> periodic test today.

#### **DECEMBER 2022**

#### **December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 – LKG INTERVIEW**

We conducted interviews for the admission to LKG. About 10 parents came with their children. Time: 10:00-11:30 am.

#### **December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – REVISION TEST**

The students of class x began their 2<sup>nd</sup> revision test today for 40 marks.

#### **December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – PTA MEETING**

A PTA meeting was organised at 2:30 pm today. It was to brief the Executive members about the preparation completed for the Annual day. And also to distribute the responsibilities among the members for 21<sup>st</sup> December.

#### **December 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – PTA CHRISTMAS GATHERING**

This afternoon at 2.30 pm, we had the PTA Christmas gathering. This time Sr. Julie updated the executive members the preparation that is going for the Annual day . Sr. Mercy, the manager gave a message. At the end of the meeting sisters wished the executive members a blessed and Christmas by giving them cake.

#### **December 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022 –CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION**

This after noon every class had the Christmas celebration. The students exchanged gifts in their teacher's presence. Every staff and students were given a piece of cake after the lunch.

In the morning and the previous days, we had rehearsal in the ground.

#### **December 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022 – ANNUAL DAY CELEBRATION**

Today we had the Annual Day Celebration. It began at 6:00 pm by escorting the Chief guest Shri. Babu K Thomas, the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Irinjalakuda and the special invitee Shri. KalabhavanAntu by the band of Notre Dame school to the open ground. After the official welcome speech by Sr. Julie, SND and the inauguration of the Annual day. Our special Invitee Shri. KalabhavanAntu, the Mimic entertained the audience. It was indeed a wonderful performance.

There after, we had the play “ The song from Heaven” in which every student was a participant. The entire celebration was will appreciated. The compound was will lit and made it apt for the day. The programme ended with Christmas celebration. A message by Rev. Fr. JijoChakiath, the parish priest of Chaippankuzhy and the arrival of the Christmas Papa and finally wishing everyone a blessed Christmas and a prosperous New year 2023.

There were arrangements of food court, snacks and icecream, every one enjoyed a delicious supper and went home by 9:00 pm.

### **December 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 – CHRISTMAS GATHERING**

This morning at 11:30 We had the gathering of the teaching and non-teaching staff. We had a few Christmas Carols and exchange of gifts to Christmas friend. Every staff was given a cake from the school. We all enjoyed a sumptuous lunch and returned home to get ready for the Christmas. School remained closed from 23<sup>rd</sup> December to 2<sup>nd</sup> January.

### **December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022 – GETTING READY THE SCHOOL**

Today all the maintenance staff to came to school to clean the school and campus to have the school opened after the Christmas vacation.

## **JANUARY 2023**

### **January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 – MANNAM JAYANTI**

On the occasion of Mannam Jayanti school remained closed.

### **January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023 – CLASSES RESUME**

After the Christmas vacation classes resumed today. A special assembly was conducted and Sr. Julie gave new year message to the students on Resolutions.

### **January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – TESTS FOR HIGH SCHOOL**

The students of classes VIII & IX began their IV periodic tests and class X started their 3<sup>rd</sup> Revision test today.

### **January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – THANKS GIVING DAY**

This morning the class X students conducted the assembly expressing their gratitude to their former principals sisters, teachers and to the entire fraternity of Notre Dame.

This afternoon, the class X had a Career guidance programme conducted by Mr. P.L Jomy, an educationist programme from Trichur. The two hours long session helped the students to clarify their doubts.

### **January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – REPUBLIC DAY**

At 8:30 am all the students who could make it were brought to school by the bus drives. We had the National flag hoisting at 8:45am by Sr. Julie. About all of the students were present for the by. After saluting the Tri colour flag and National Anthem,

we gathered on the hall for the assembly. It was conducted by VII A & B students. The stage was decorated apt for the occasion. The students inspiring patriotic programme under the guidance of Mrs. Sheeja and Jini. Sweets were distributed to all those who present. Dismissal was at 10:00am.

### **January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023 – DEWORMING DAY**

The health Department of Vettilapara Panchayat, came to school to distribute De worming tablet to the students. It was done after the lunch at 12:45 pm.

Thereafter, at 2:00 pm, we organized a Parent teacher meeting of classes VIII & IX in the hall in the hall. This was to explain to the parents the performance of their children. It was explained by Sr. Julie. After that the parents met their child's class teacher and the subject teachers.

## **FEBRUARY 2023**

### **February 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023 – KIDS FEST**

This morning at 9:45 am we had the inauguration of the kids fest 2022 – 23. Teachers in charge Mrs. Siby and Mrs. Bindhu Paul made all the arrangements along with the other co-teachers. The inauguration was done by lighting lamp – Sr. Julie, Mrs. Sly Mrs. Bindhu Paul and student representatives. Then the item in charge teachers separated the students and conducted the items at different places.

The second day we had most of the stage items. The students were well prepared by the parents and the performance of the students were commendable.

On 3<sup>rd</sup> February, we had the prize distribution to the winners. The teachers prepared the students with a few items for this concluding day. In category I (LKG – UKG) Kalathilakam - Leona Lintous (UKG B), Kalaprathibha – Ihaan Sanal (UKG A) Category II Kalathilakam – Theres Mariya John (II A) Kalaprathibha – Efryn Joseph Togy (II C).

In Kids fest was a successful event. congratulations to all the teachers of LKG – Class II.

### **February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – EXHIBITION, PTA MEETING & GATHERING**

The Annual Science, Arts & Craft exhibition was organized today. The high school prepared many models. And every class had prepared colourful handicrafts, paintings and attractive drawings. Sr. Mercy, the manager of the school inaugurated exhibition in the presence of the Principal, PTA executive members, teachers, parents and students. All the parents visited the exhibit ion appreciated the hard work of the students under

the guidance of Mrs. Sheena, the Art teacher. Since it was also the open day. Most of the parents visited the school.

### **PTA MEETING**

An emergency meeting of the PTA executives was called to discuss the matter concerning Mr. Devassy, the security. In the morning it was suggested that us shall have consultation with the higher authorities of the province. But every one present was not in favour of giving any benefit to Mr. Devassy as he already received a sum of 60,000 in 2019. In members disperses after the refreshments by 11.00 am.

### **GATHERING OF CLASS X**

This afternoon we had gathering of the staff and students to express our appreciation to the std X students. The teachers and the representatives from X expressed their feelings of being in the school for the past many years. We had brunch together and dispersed by 1:30 pm.

### **February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – PRAYER AND CONFESSION**

This after we had Prayer and confession for the std x board students Fr. Robin Palattyled the students through an inspiration talk and helped them to have an examination of concious. This followed by confession. The session was conducted for the Catholic students. Time 2:00-4:00 pm

### **February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – HOLY MASS**

This morning at 9:10 am, we had the monthly offered Mass by Fr DijoChakkiath. During mass father specially prayed for the board students. It was the thanks giving Mass of the academic year.

### **February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – FAREWELL OF CLASS X**

This day was set apart to give farewell to the stdX by the stdIX. Class IX under the guidance of Mrs. Nirmala prepared a prayer service. Sr. Julie gave a message. The std IX had a few entertainment items and game. Prize were distributed to the winners. The std IX students went home by 12:00 noon.

### **February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – GRADUATION DAY**

This after noon at 2:00 pm, we had all the tenth standard dressed in their graduation attire and marched to the stage along with the rhythmic music played. The parents were seated to witness the ceremony of their child. Mrs. Jiji Joseph the the class teacher welcomed the gathering. Class VII girls invoked God's presence on the gathering with their gentle steps. The Chief for the day was Mr. C. C. Babu, the Principal of PMG

College, Chalakudy and the Exam Controller of Calicut University gave inspiring and thought an provoking message to the graduates. Sr. Julie, the Principal, P.TA President Mr. DilikDiwakaran, Mr. Jose TM, a parent wished the students the best for their board exams and for their future careers. The staff showered blessings on the students by a blessing song. A lighted candle and a momento was given to each student. Master Adithyan expressed the gratitude to the gathering and KumariDevangana spelt feelings towards the school, parents, teachers, classmates and the juniors for their support and instilling in them value and knowledge. All the parents and graduates were given at packet of snack. The ceremony ended 3:45 pm.

The std VIII & IX students began their final exams this morning.

### **February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – TEACHRES PICNIC**

Most of the teachers and 2 maintenance staff went to SagarRani and the neighboring places for a day's picnic. The trip was very relaxing and enjoyable. We left at 6:30 am and returned by 9.30 pm.

### **February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – MENTAL MATHS COMPETITION**

This morning we had the Maths Competition for classes I-VII.

### **February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – ISSUE OF MR. DEVASSY**

Mr. Devassy, the security had submitted an application for getting "Retirement Benefits," though he is over aged and doesn't deserve it. Mr. Satish Kumar, the CPM secretary of Athirappilly Panchayat visited the school today to submit the application.

### **February 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – STUDENTS PICNIC**

Today we had the picnic for class I - IV to Silver Storm in Athirappilly and V-VII to Wonder la Cochin. The students (113) left for Wonder la by 7.30 am along with Sr. Felicia and 13 teachers. They returned 9:30 pm. The students 1 – IV left school at 9:30 am (188) along with 22 teachers and maintenance staff. The school vehicle (5) took them from school and brought them back by 4:00 pm

### **February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 – INSPECTION**

This morning Mr. Bipin, the Civil Excise officer from Chalakudy visited the school to find if there is any difficulties in the institution. The Preventive officer Mr. Manmadhan also was there. They gave a general instructions regarding addiction

### **February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023 – INTERVIEW**

This morning we had interviews for admission to LKG to class I



### **February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023 –STAFF MEETING & PTA MEETING**

This morning at 9:15 am we had gathering of teaching staff. We discussed how to enhance the admission number of the school, and what more we can do together to improve the quality of teaching. We decided to “Summer Camp” for stds 3-7 from March 27<sup>th</sup> to April 4<sup>th</sup>. English course for teachers from May 16<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>. The meeting ended by 10:45 am.

At 10:45 am the PTA Executive gathered at the Conference room to make a final conclusion regarding to the issue of Mr. Devassy, the security. Sr. Julie explained to the that we give a sum of Rs 35,000/ to Mr. Devassy and close issue at the earliest as suggested by Sr. Chetana. Every one welcomed the idea. The President offered help to get the details of the matter printed on a stamp paper (Rs.200/-). The meeting dispersed by 11:30 am

### **February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – CBSE BOARD EXAM BEGINS**

Our 28 board exam students went to Crescent Public School to write their 1st paper English. A bus was arranged from the school to reach the students to the centre on time. Mrs. Jiji Joseph accompanied the students.

### **February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – REPORT CARD DAY & SPELLING CONTEST**

This morning the students of VIII and IX had their final Report card day. The students came along with their parents to receive the final report and to collect the text books for the new academic year. Time 9:30 – 11:30 am.

Today after the assembly the students from LKG – V had their spelling contest conducted. It was done well. Congratulations to the winners.

## **MARCH 2023**

### **March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 – CLASSES RESUME**

The students of class VIII & IX began their classes today.

### **March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 – NOTIFICATION TO THE AUTHORITIES**

An E mail notifications were sent to the DC ,Asst DC, Chalakudy Municipality President, Athirappilli Panchayath President, Vettilappara Health Department and Chief minister this evening. The notification was about the infection occurred among the students were infected from class I – IV and many were admitted in the hospitals for several days.

### **March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023 – ENQUIRY FOR THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT**

After houring informed the various departments about the infectious, the Health Department visited the school today and checked all the students from I – IV. Two doctors, 2 nurses & Health Inspectors were there to do the needful and assist the school. They checked each students and made reports.

At 11:00 am Mr. Satish, the local president from Athirappalli and Mr. Devasy, the former security came to the school asking for the benefits they asked for Rs. 35,800/-. They were informed to come to the school at 3:00 pm. Since we were still on the process of getting the papers ready and the time given was 3:00 pm they were upset and went out of the office talking to Sr. Julie roughly. And they didn't come at 3:00 pm though the manager, PTA president & Mr. JomonKavungal waited for them.

### **March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – UNIFORM MEASUREMENTS**

Today, the Kalyan Silks tailors took the measurements for uniform for the new academic year and the existing students.

### **March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – CLASS PHOTO**

The class photos were taken today by the photographer Mr. Prince.

### **March 10<sup>th</sup>& 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – FINAL EXAMS**

The students from I – V had their moral science exams this afternoon. And on 13<sup>th</sup> all the students (LKG – VII) began their Annual Examination.

### **March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – FAREWELL TO MRS. GRACY**

After a long period of service Mrs. Gracy the Malayalam teacher resigned from her post due to personal reasons. We the Management, staff and PTA executive joined together to bid farewell to Mrs. Gracy at 12:00 noon for her 19 years of service. We had an inspiring felicitation. Mrs. Gracy was presented mementoes by Sr. Julie and the PTA President Mr. DilikDiwakaran. A lunch was served for all after which we dispersed.

### **March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – SUMMER SEMINAR / CAMP**

A first time Summer Camp was organized for classes III – VII for 7 days (March 27<sup>th</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> April). About 100 students joined the camp. Mrs. Leema (KeziaStd – III) took the sessions on all days with the support of our teachers. Time 9:00 – 12:00. The camp was a profitable, knowledge gaining and enjoyable. The students look forward to such fulfilled activities in the future. On 4<sup>th</sup> April every students was given a “ Summer Camp” certificate. A token of appreciation was extended to Mrs. Leema for voluntary service.

# NOTRE DAME SCHOOL, VETTIKUZHY

## SCHOOL REPORT 2023-24

MAY -2023

### May12th- Board exam result announced

This afternoon the CBSE board announced the result of 2022-23 academic year the school required 100 % result. Adithyan acquired in 91% as the highest among the 28 students.

Total members of students - 28

Distinction- 20

First Class - 7

Second Class - 1

Hearty congratulation to our teachers, parents and students.

### May 16 to 26<sup>th</sup> :- English course for teachers

A ten days English language- Spoken English class was arranged for our teachers and MR. P.C Jose from Oxford Academy Pariyaram was the instructor. The daily class was from 9:15 to 11:45 a.m.

### 29 to 31:- Retreat

A three days retreat was organized for the teaching and non-teaching staff of the School. Rev. Fr. Robin Palatty and the team conducted the retreat. Every day we had Holy Mass and adoration. Time 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. It was indeed an enriching, healing and counselling secession. On the last day (31st May) Rev. Fr.Jijo Chakkiath, our Parish priest help with the confession and blessing of the school buildings.

**JUNE 2023**

### June 1<sup>st</sup>:- New Academic Year

Today we began the academic year 2023- 24 for UKG to class X. All the teachers were present. Except a few, all the students too were present. The past Staff Council prepared an inspiring assembly to welcome all the new and old students. Sister Julie welcomed all the new teachers with a flower to the school. They are Sister Shiny Mrs. Sini V V, Mrs. Jaina , Mrs. Sheeja Jose , Mrs. Anitha, Mrs. Feji, Mrs. Shelmy, Mr. Praveen

Kumar and Mrs.Shereena. The message to the students by the principal was "A little progress each day, help you to be successful".

### **June 3<sup>rd</sup>:- Staff Meeting, Farewell to Sister Felicia and teachers**

Today at 9:15 a.m. we had the staff meeting conducted. During the meeting Sister Julie gave a thought provoking message to the teachers. She also had the staff Council selected for the academic year from each section. Sister then requested every teacher to be professional in their teaching career.

At 11:30 a.m. we have organized a combined gathering of the staff and PTA executive to bid farewell to Sr. Felicia who is transferred to Mysore after 4 years of her service at Vettikuzhy. We also had Mrs.Liji, Mrs.Vinny and Mrs.Renu who resigned from their posts and Mrs.Bindhu Paul was unable to join the gathering due to her father's demise to bid farewell.

### **June 7<sup>th</sup>:- PRAVESANOLSAVAM**

This morning at 10 a.m. we had the Praveshanolsavam for the nursery and the LKG student. The celebration began at the entrance of the KG section welcoming the new students with a crown. During the meeting every student was given a lit lamp to place it on the alphabet A, and the parents accompanied them. A few entertainment items were staged and the PTA president gave a felicitation speech. Mrs. Siby explained the do's and don'ts to be followed in the school. The students returned home with their parents after the celebration.

After the praveshnolsavam, the PTA executive members came together for a short meeting. In the meeting it was decided that an outreach programme to be planned before the new PTA is formed. We decided to have a visit to the Mentally challenged students center at Pariyaram and present an umbrella each to the inmates there.

### **June 9<sup>th</sup>:- PTA meeting of X**

This afternoon at 2:00 p.m. we had the PTA meeting of class X students. After the prayer by the students Mrs.Jiji Joseph welcomed the parents to the meeting. Then Sister Julie addressed the gathering. Sister talked to the parents and students about the importance of focusing on study, as the system of CBSE is changing it's rules and regulations from one year to the other. Sister sought the co-operation of every parent and student to enhance the result of the board exam of our students. After that every subject teacher talked about their subject. At the end of the meeting the parents had the chance to meet with the individual teacher. The meeting was ended at 3:45 p.m.

### **June 12<sup>th</sup>:-St Julie's Day & Workers' Day**

This morning at 9:30 a.m. we had a special assembly in honour of St. Julie, the Spiritual Mother of the Sisters Notre Dame. And it is also celebrated as worker's Day. The class IV A and B students were prepared for the special day's assembly. The workers were given a gift of worth Rs 500/- and every student was given a toffee each.

### **June 14<sup>th</sup> :-Parents - teachers meeting of IX**

This afternoon from 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. we had the parent teachers meeting. This was to explain to the parents the changes that have brought out in 2024 CBSE Board examinations. The teachers- subject wise explained the blueprint of the question papers. Sister Julie addressed the parents, expressing the concern about being focusing on their daily studies. Students must follow the instructions of the teachers to perform better in their board exam. The meeting ended by 3:45 p.m.

### **June 15<sup>th</sup>: - Traffic Awareness Program**

This afternoon from 2:30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. Athirapilly Panchayat Traffic Authorities came to give an awareness program to our students. It helped student to be cautious while on the road and travelling in any moving vehicles. The informative class was ended by 3.30 p.m.

### **June 19<sup>th</sup>: -Outreach Activity**

This morning Sister Julie, PTA representatives headed a by the President Mr. Dilik Diwakaran, teachers and student representatives visited the special school at Pariyanam. Our students performed a few entertainment items. The students of the special school had an entertainment program. We gifted every student of the school with an umbrella. We return to school after 2 hours. It was indeed an enriching experience.

### **July 15<sup>th</sup>:- Annual General Body Meeting and Award Day Function**

This morning at 11 a.m. the Annual General Body Meeting was organized. Most of the parents attend it. After the prayer lead by the school Choir, the president of PTA Mr. Dilik Diwakaran addressed the gathering explaining the agenda of the day. There after Sister Julie, the principal of the school read the Annual Report of 2022- 23. Then the newly elected PTA executive took over their responsibilities. The PTA executive members of 2023 24 are:

**The PTA of Notre Dame School 2023-24  
Consist of the following**

Sr.Julie S N D	:	Chair Person
Mr. Joison Kalleli	:	President
Mr. Steephan Achadan	:	Vice President
Mrs. Anju Ashokan	:	Secretary
Mr.Titus K D	:	Treasurer
Mr. Santosh Vattoly	:	Member
Mr. Biju P U	:	Member
Mr. Prinson C P	:	Member
Mr. Vipin	:	Member
Mr. Biju V J	:	Member
Mr. Jaison K C	:	Member
Mr. Sanu Manadan	:	Member
Mrs. Roshini Mathachan	:	Member
Mrs. Niji Siju	:	Member

Then the session was opened for discussions and suggestions. Many parents expressed dissatisfaction about the stitching of regular uniform. And just one said that the fee of the school is high. The meeting ended by 12:00 pm noon. It was followed by a “Drug Awareness” talk by the police persons of the Athirapilly police station. It was indeed the most talked about issue of the state. They cautioned the parents to be vigilant of their children on daily basis.

In the afternoon at 1:30 p.m. the students of 2023 batch along with their parents came to school for the Award Day Function. Mrs.Hema James the School Innovative Ambassador Training Program was the Chief Guest. She gave a motivating talk to the students and then handed over a memento to each one. Sister Julie honoured the chief guest and appreciated her for her valuable presence. the Ex PTA President and the present PTA president wished the students for their future career. Mrs. Valentina Minivet, parent of Adityan expressed the heartfelt appreciation to the management teachers and parents for their untiring support to the students. The function was ended at 2:30pm.

## AUGUST 2023

### August 3<sup>rd</sup>:- Red Eye Awareness Programme

This after noon at 12:30 p.m. the inspector of the Primary Health Athirappilly visited the school and gave an awareness talk to the upper primary and high school students on conjunctivitis. The causes, symptoms and how to take care of it were explained to them. A short documentary on the same was sent to all the parents for conscientizing them too.

### August 8<sup>th</sup>:- Wellness meeting

This morning around 10:30 a.m. Mr. Praveen attended a Wellness meeting organized by the Primary Health of Athirappilly.

### August 9<sup>th</sup>:- Drug and POCSO meeting

This morning Mr. Praveen attended a meeting on drug abuse and POCSO organized by the Excise Personal of Chalakudy.

### August 14<sup>th</sup>:-Independence Day Celebration

An inspiring Assembly was organised by the students of Standard VI. It instilled in every one the spirit of Patriotism. Most of the students and teachers were present for the flag hoisting at 9:00 a.m. Flag hoisting was done by Sr. Ancy on 15<sup>th</sup> August. Dismissal was at 10:30 a.m.

### August 22<sup>nd</sup>:- Principal's Day

This morning all the students came to wish Sister Julie, Principal's day on her birthday. There was an inspiring assembly on the theme 'Rainbow' and it was followed by entertainment items. Dismissal for students was at 12 p.m. Teachers had lunch with sisters. Sister Julie gave a laddoo each to everyone. Dismissal for students was at 12:30 pm.

### August 25<sup>th</sup>:- Onam celebration and inauguration of Kids Learning Aids:-

Today we celebrated the festival of Onam. There was an inspiring assembly conducted by Standard 8 students. It was followed by the inauguration of Kids Learning items. The Managing Director Mr. Dinesh Thambi the Director of TATA in Kerala along with his team were present for the occasion. The PTA president, Mr. Joyson Kalleli thanked the team for their generous contribution to the school. Mr. Dinesh Thambi inaugurated the function by cutting the ribbon. Sister Mercy, the manager of the school, sisters, teachers, PTA executive members were also present for the occasion.

After the Assembly we had a few games organised for the students and teachers. Prizes were given to the winners. A cup of payasam was given to all those who were present in the campus. Dismissal for students was at 1:30 p.m. Every class had the Onam celebration by having various prepared items brought from their homes. Everyone enjoyed the day. School remained closed from August 26th to September 4th.

## **SEPTEMBER**

### **September 5<sup>th</sup>:-Arts Fest Opening:-**

Today was the opening of the Arts fest. 2023 to 2024. Fr. Jijo Chakkath, the Vicar of St. Antony's Church Chaipankuzhy was the Chief Guest for the day. The other invitees were Sister Mercy, the manager of the school, PTA president – Mr. Jason Kallely and Sisters. The opening ceremony was at 9:15 a.m. After the Assembly, the students went to various venues for the competitions. Students from nursery to standard II remained home on 5, 6 and 7<sup>th</sup>.

### **September 8<sup>th</sup>:- Arts Fest closing**

This afternoon at 2 p.m. we had the closing of the Arts fest 2023. We had Mrs. Varsha Vikram, a Music Artist as our Chief Guest. We had a few entertainment items and then distribution of prizes. Mrs. Varsha also sang a few songs along with the students.

### **September 12<sup>th</sup>:- Sr. Chetana's Visit**

This morning, Sr. Mary Chetana, our Provincial Superior visited the school. We had a special assembly organised by class 6A students. And then followed a few entertainment items. Sister Chetana then addressed the students taking their attention towards justice and integration.

At 10:00 a.m. Sr. Chetana met with all the teachers and asked them how they were doing. Also if they have any concerns. Sister asked the teachers to be the messengers to get more students to the school. Later sister met with all the maintenance staff for a while.

### **September 16<sup>th</sup> :- Teachers' Day Celebration**

Though Teachers' Day was on 5th September, due to the arts fest it was postponed to 16<sup>th</sup> September. This morning we had a special assembly for the Teachers. Then every class had an item for the teachers. Class 8 girls took up the responsibility to get the students ready for the day. All the students went home by 12:00 noon. Then we had a gathering in KG section. The Sisters wished the teachers and handed over the gifts to everyone. After that we had a sumptuous lunch. Everyone went home happily by 2:00 p.m.



### **September 18<sup>th</sup> :- Throw Ball Match**

Our students participated in Junior boys and girls Championship organised in Thrissur. Junior boys got first prize and third position for both sub junior boys and girls. Congratulations!

### **September 25<sup>th</sup> :- Throw Ball- Mini Group**

The Mini group's Throw Ball championship was conducted in CSM Thriprayar. Though they won no prizes, it was a good exposure for them to prepare better for future competitions.

## **OCTOBER**

### **October 6<sup>th</sup> :-State Mini Throw Ball Championship**

The state mini throw ball championship was conducted in Idukki. About 7 boys and 6 girls were selected for the State Championship. Since it was the first time our students participated, got a very good exposure and prepare themselves better in future. Mr. Praveen and Mrs. Vinitha accompanied our students. It was organized for 3 days.

### **October 26<sup>th</sup> :- Meeting at District Collector's Office**

This afternoon at 4:00 p.m. the District Collector of Thrissur Mr. V R Krishna Teja IAS called a meeting of all the CBSE principles of the district. This was to request the schools to reach out to the financially and physically weaker families by adopting them by the school. The students collect food items and reach the same to the families on every first Monday of the month. The meeting was from for 4:30 p.m. to 5:15 p.m. Sr. Julie attended the meeting.

### **October 27& 28<sup>th</sup> :- Retreat for the students**

We conducted two days Retreat for the students from class 5 to 10. Fr. Robin Palatty and his team conducted it. There were 4 counsellors to help the students who needed guidance. It was indeed an enriching Retreat for our students.

### **October 29<sup>th</sup> :- Cyber Safety Awareness Programme**

The Inspector of Athirappilly police station Mr. Byju gave a thought provoking talk on "Cyber safety" to the teachers and the students. They benefited much from the session.

## NOVEMBER

### **November 11<sup>th</sup> :- Sahodaya Throw Ball Championship**

The District- Thrissur Sahodaya Throw Ball Championship was conducted in the school today. It was only for the junior girls. There were 7 teams from 7 CBSE schools. It was the first time organised in our school. The Chief Guest for the day was Mr.Babu Koikara, the Treasurer of the Sahodaya. It began at 9:30 a.m. with a formal inauguration function. We had Mr. Unnikrishnan, the District President of Throw Ball association as the Special Guest. The students from our school was the champions of 2023- 24 Sahodaya Throw ball. The second stood SN Vidya Bhavan senior secondary School and third stood Lemor public School and Shri Gokulam Public School. The prize distribution was done at 3:30 p.m. and everyone dispersed by 4 p.m.

### **November 8<sup>th</sup> 9<sup>th</sup>& 10<sup>th</sup> :- Kids Fest**

Today at 9:30 am we had the inauguration of the kids Fest. Sr. Julie, Sr.Ancy, Mrs.Febin and a student representative lit the lamp at the opening ceremony. Then the students went to various venues for the competitions.

### **November 10<sup>th</sup>:- Closing of Kids Fest:-**

This afternoon at 2:30 p.m. we had the closing of the Kids Fest. Sister Julie addressed the gathering and congratulated the well planned and executed Kids Fest. The winners were awarded with medals and certificates.

### **November 14<sup>th</sup>:- Children's Day:-**

On the occasion of Children's day today the teachers organised a prayer service. Sweets were given to the students. To mark this day a fun fair is to be organised on 25th November (Saturday). Then we continued with the regular classes.

### **November 25<sup>th</sup>:- Fun Fair Day:-**

This was the first time fun fair for the students. After having discussed with the teachers many times two committees were formed. One for the food counters and the other for the Games. Sister Julie had prizes for various games. 10 games were arranged, and a dance floor and haunted house. There was an overwhelming response from the parents and students. Parents of Nursery to class II were permitted to accompany their wards. The inauguration of the fun fair was done by sister Mercy the manager of the school. Coupon system was of allowed for both games and food. Time 9:00 a.m.- 12 noon. All the food items were finished by 11:30 a.m. and the prices for each game got over by 11:45 am.

The students and parents were very happy and contented. The teachers were responsible for both games and food along with the assigned students. The dismissal for the students was at 1:00 pm.

**DECEMBER**

**December 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup>S:- State Throw Ball Championship :-**

A four days State Throw Ball Championship was organised in the school. There were 28 teams from 14 districts staying overnights for to participate in the Championship. The teams came in on 1st evening and left on 4th evening.

The inauguration of the Championship was done by Mr. Saneesh Kumar Joseph, the respected MLA of Chalakudy. The opening program is as follows.

**ഉദ്ഘാടന സമ്മേളനം (02/12/2023)**

- സ്വാഗതം: സിസ്റ്റർ ജൂലി SND (പ്രിൻസിപ്പൽ NOTRE DAME SCHOOL VETTIKUZHY )
- അധ്യക്ഷൻ: ശ്രീമതി അഡ്വക്കേറ്റ് ആതിര ദേവരാജ് പഞ്ചായത്ത് പ്രസിഡന്റ്
- ഉദ്ഘാടനം: ശ്രീ സനീഷ് കുമാർ ജോസഫ് (എംഎൽഎ ചാലക്കുടി)
- ആശംസകൾ : ശ്രീ റിജു മാവേലി പ്രസിഡന്റ് കോടശ്ശേരി ഗ്രാമപഞ്ചായത്ത്  
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 ശ്രീ കെ എസ് സാംബശിവൻ (പ്രസിഡന്റ് തൃശ്ശൂർ സ്പോർട്സ് കൗൺസിൽ)  
 ശ്രീ മനു പോൾ (വാർഡ് മെമ്പർ അതിരപ്പിള്ളി ഗ്രാമപഞ്ചായത്ത്)  
 ശ്രീ ജയിംസ് കുറുക്കാടൻ (വാർഡ് മെമ്പർ കോടശ്ശേരി ഗ്രാമപഞ്ചായത്ത്)
- നന്ദി: ശ്രീ ഉണ്ണികൃഷ്ണൻ പ്രസിഡന്റ് തൃശ്ശൂർ THROW BALL അസോസിയേഷൻ

After the inauguration matches went on in two different courts, simultaneously.

**സമാപന സമ്മേളനം 04/12/2023**

- സ്വാഗതം ശ്രീമതി സിനി (അധ്യാപിക NOTRE DAME SCHOOL)
- അധ്യക്ഷൻ സിസ്റ്റർ ജൂലി SND (പ്രിൻസിപ്പൽ NOTRE DAME SCHOOL)
- ഉദ്ഘാടനം ശ്രീ വേണു കണ്ടോരു മഠത്തിൽ (ബ്ലോക്ക് പഞ്ചായത്ത് പ്രസിഡന്റ് ചാലക്കുടി)
- സമ്മാനദാനം ശ്രീ ജിനീഷ് പി ജോസ് (ജില്ലാ പഞ്ചായത്ത് മെമ്പർ തൃശ്ശൂർ)

മുഖ്യ അതിഥി	ലൈജുമോൻ സ്റ്റേഷൻ അതിരപ്പിള്ളി
ആശംസകൾ	സിസ്റ്റർ മേക്സി എസ് എൻ ഡി (മാനേജർ നോട്ടീസ് സ്കൂൾ വെട്ടിക്കുഴി) ശ്രീ പ്രദീപ് കെ (മെമ്പർ റോബോട്ട് ഫെഡറേഷൻ ഓഫ് ഇന്ത്യ) ശ്രീ ശാഹുൽ ഹമീദ് കെ എം (എക്സിക്യൂട്ടീവ് മെമ്പർ ഫെഡറേഷൻ ഓഫ് ഇന്ത്യ) ശ്രീ മഹേഷ് കെ (സ്പോർട്സ് കൗൺസിൽ)
നന്ദി	ശ്രീ ജോസ്റ്റൻ കല്ലേലി(PTA PRESIDENT, NOTREDAME SCHOOL)

Though the concluding and the prize distribution planned at 3:00 p.m. due to tough competitions, it got extended to 5:30 p.m. The champions of 2023 (Senior boys) were Palakkad and the senior girls were Ernakulam.

Congratulations to Mr. Aakash the Secretary of the District Throw Ball Association who initiated the Championship in our school. Mr.Praveen, our PE instructor , Mr.DilikDiwakaran, Mr.Jomon Kavungal , Mr.Manu Paul- Ward member, PTA Executive members who stood by us to see the smooth running of the event and helped us find the needed funds. Our heartfelt gratitude to our teachers, maintenance staff, parent volunteers, students of the school, ex-students for their hard work and support to being this went to a successful end.

**December 9<sup>th</sup> :- Annual Sports Meet**

Today we had the Annual Sports Meet. The Chief Guest for the day was Mr Anil Kumar, an International Gold Medal winner for Swimming and the retired SI of Vettilappara. We also had our Parish priest Rev. Father Jijo Chakkiath to light the sports light in the presence of PTA executive sister Mercy, the Manager of the school, parents, ex-students and the school staff.

The sports meet began by welcoming the chief guest and the other invitees with accompaniment of the School band. The program was well appreciated by everyone witnessed it. The entire sports meet lasted for 3 hours (9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.). The following working day (11/12/23) was holiday for the staff and the students.

**December 22<sup>nd</sup> :- Christmas Celebration**

Today at 9:30 a.m. we had the school Christmas celebration. The class 5 A and B were prepared well for the day. Sister Mercy the manager of the school gave an inspiring message. Thereafter after every class had their own celebration and they exchanged gift to their Christmas friend. A cake piece was given to eat student. Dismissal for students was at 12:00. Every driver was given a cake each. At 12:15 p.m., the staff gathered to exchange the gift to their friends. It was followed by a lunch. After the lunch the

maintenance staff exchanged the gifts. After cleaning the area, everyone left by 3:00 p.m.

School remained closed for Christmas vacation from 23rd December to 2nd January 2024.

### **JANUARY– 2024 Happy New Year!**

#### **January 5<sup>th</sup> :- PTA Meeting of X**

This afternoon from 2.00 –to 3.30 pm we had the evaluation of the class X student's 2<sup>nd</sup> Pre- final exam. The parents expressed dissatisfaction about the students' performance. They felt and continue to experience lack of seriousness in preparing for the board examination from student's part. Sr. Julie explained to the parents and to students that the 3<sup>rd</sup> pre – final would start on 19<sup>th</sup> January and question papers are set by the Kerala Regional Examination Centre. Thereafter, the students who needed more time would stay at home to study and the others continue to come to school. The meeting ended by 3.30pm.

#### **January 26<sup>th</sup>: Republic Day Celebration**

Today on the occasion of the 76<sup>th</sup> Republic Day of the nation, we had the Flag hoisting at 8.45am by Sr.Julie. We had most of the students present for the occasion. The class III A, B, & C teacher prepared their students for an inspiring assembly. It was done very well. Dismissal was at 10.30am after distributing sweets for all.

### **FEBRUARY**

#### **February 2<sup>nd</sup> :- Notre Dame Day / Manager's Day**

This morning at 9.00am we had the Holy Mass by Fr. Jijo Chakkiath. Today being the First Friday, the regular monthly Mass offered as the "Thanks giving Mass "praying specially for all the 10<sup>th</sup> standard students who begin their board exam on 24<sup>th</sup> February. It was also done on the occasion of Notre Dame Day and Sr.Ancy's birthday .

The students of class V were prepared by their class teachers for a special assembly. It was conducted at 10.30am where we remembered all the pioneers of Notre Dame in India. A special honoring was done to Sis. Mercy the manager of the school as this is also considered as Manager's Day. Every sister was wished with a flower and prayed for.

### **February 3<sup>rd</sup>:- Graduation Day**

This morning at 10.00am we had the Graduation Ceremony of the outgoing students of class X. We had Mr. James Chittilappilly, a National Painting Artist and the retired lecturer of the Calicut University. All the parents of the graduated were present for the function. Mrs.Jiji Joseph welcomed the guests and the parents and the students. All the sisters were also present for the day. After the inauguration and the address by the Chief guest, Mr.James Chittilappilly was done.

#### **Programme**

- Welcome speech - Mrs. Jiji Joseph
- Prayer dance - Class VII
- Lighting the Lamp
- Prayer service
- Presidential address - Dr. James Chittilappilly
- Felicitation speech - Mr. Joison Kallelly (PTA President)
- Farewell speech - Miss. Ann Maria Basil
- Felicitation speech - Mrs. Jisfy Midhun  
(Parent representative)
- Distribution of Mementos and Light.
- Honouring the Chief Guest- Sr.Mercy,SND
- Vote of thanks - Master Praveen C P
- School song - choir

#### **MARCH**

### **MARCH 5<sup>th</sup> :- Final Examination for class VIII and New Academic year for class IX**

Today the class VIII began their final exams. The class IX students started the classes for X. A special time table was set for them.

### **MARCH 13<sup>th</sup> :-Mental Mathematics Competition**

After having completed the portions of the academic year, a mental Mathematics competition was organized for the students from class I – VII. It was conducted by the Math's Club. Everyone was prepared well and a tough competition was witnessed. Congratulations to the participants!

### **MARCH 17<sup>th</sup> :- Staff Meeting**

This morning at 9.15 we had a staff meeting. It was to have an evaluation of the year's performance and Sports Day. This was also to plan for the upcoming exams.

### **MARCH 24<sup>th</sup> :- Board Exam & Art Exhibition**

The class X students began their CBSE Board examination today. They had Malayalam paper. The center for our student's board exam was Crescent Public School Chalakudy.

Today was the last open day for the parents before the final Examination. The Art Exhibition was organized on this day. We had Mr. Gopakumar (Kannan Athirappilly) a Cine art Director as the Chief guest for the day. After welcoming the chief guest, he inaugurated the exhibition of the year 2023-2024 at 10. 00am. School Manager Sr.Mercy , PTA President ,Parents, teachers and students were present for the occasion.

### **APRIL**

#### **April 4<sup>th</sup>:-Spelling Contest**

Today after the regular assembly we organised the spelling contest for classes LKG to 5. Congratulations to the winners and the participants!

#### **April:- 8<sup>th</sup> Shocking News**

This evening we received a sad news of two of our students met with an accident. Aiden of UKG and his brother Amarjeeth of class 5. It happened after the Holy Mass when a group of children returning home. Both these children were hit by Mr. Jomom Kavungal. Immediately the children were taken to St James hospital Chalakudy. Since Aiden's injuries were very serious the parents shifted the children to Rajagiri hospital, Aluva. Aiden was in the ICU for about a month. God indeed worked a miracle in the life of Aiden by giving him a second life. The entire school, parents and people all those who connected with the family intensely prayed for his recovery and he came out victoriously and it did truly increase the faith of everyone who knew the family.

#### **April 26<sup>th</sup> :- Hockey Kits Distribution**

Today on the last day of the annual examination, we had the inauguration Hockey Sports in the school. We had the Thrissur Hockey Association president Mr. Abenezar Jose and the team to distribute the hockey kits to the students. We had the presence of the school manager Sr.Mercy, PTA president Mr. Joyson Kalleli, Vice President Mr.Steephan Achadan, Dilik Divakaran for this occasion.

The school remained closed for Easter days. Today was the last working day for classes IX & X also.

**April:- 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Report card day**

Today On 5th we had the report card for the students. 5th April was for Nursery to 3 and on 6th for classes IV to VII.

After issuing report cards we had the gathering of the staff to bid farewell to the teachers who resigned from their posts, in the afternoon. Sisters Julie and Mercy thanked the teachers for their contribution to the school. Every teacher was given a gift.

**April 29<sup>th</sup> :- School Affiliation Extension**

After having submitted all the required documents to the CBSE board, school received the Extension of Affiliation for 5 years up to 2030.