

# ANNUAL REPORT 2023-2024

A school is incomplete unless it instils a life force into learning and education. It is a miniature world where children practice life. At Gurukul Mount we try to make our students meet the challenges of life with head, heart and hand.

We are completing 18 glorious years in pursuit of knowledge.

On this auspicious occasion, I am extremely elated and proud to present before you a comprehensive account of the activities and events of the academic year 2023-24.

## NEW ACADEMIC YEAR

The school reopened on 1 June 2023 for classes UKG to 11 after Midsummer Vacation with a special Assembly. LKG classes began on 7 June.

## STAFF

The Staff put on the best of their ability for the welfare of our school.

Teaching Staff 22

Non Teaching Staff 09

Constant evaluation of the teaching-learning process is done through Staff meetings, held on a regular basis. Various committees were formed for the smooth conduct of school affairs during this academic year.

## BOARD EXAMINATION RESULTS

We had unprecedentedly excellent results this year for Class X & XII Board Examinations.

We can be proud that all the class X & XII students came out successfully with first class

Here is the result in a nutshell

### Class XII Science

Candidates Appeared 04

Distinctions 02

First Class 02

### Class XII Commerce

Candidates Appeared 04

Distinctions 04

### Class X

Candidates Appeared 18

Distinctions 06

First Class 12

Appreciation and congratulation to the strenuous effort put on by the teachers, the student's hard work, and the parents & constant motivation that facilitated this marvellous achievement.

## EXAMINATIONS

The school conducts Mid Term and Half Yearly Examinations in addition to frequent test papers

## PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

PTA General Body Meeting was held on 1 July. Mr. Shijo Zacharia (National Trainer, JCI India) led the orientation program. Members of PTA Executive Committee were elected. Mrs. Sahitha Varughese has been elected as the President. We express our sincere gratitude to Rev. Fr. Varghese John who had been the PTA President for the last 14 years.

## SOCIAL ACTION

Children are taught to make small sacrifices so as to help a less fortunate fellow human being. Our students bring extra lunch packets to the inmates of Karunya Bhavan every Wednesday.

## **EXCURSION**

Excursions are arranged to provide relaxation to students from their hectic schedule of learning. Students of Senior classes went on a tour to Athirappally & Silver Storm on Saturday 9 December. The Junior classes went to Wonderla on 7 th March.

## **HOUSES**

Students are divided into four houses –Jal, Vayu, Prithvi & Agni. The captains and vice captains of each house lead the activities.

## **SUMMER COACHING CAMP**

We organised a Summer Coaching Camp for students. Training in various games were given to the participants.

## **MINI MARATHON**

A Mini Marathon was conducted on 29 th April from Mammood to Kunnammathanam to give awareness about the ill effects of Drugs. Mr.Sanalkumar C.G, DySP of Changanacherry flagged off the Marathon. Mr.Adarsh B.S SI of Keezhvaipur gave away the prizes.

## **ORIENTATION PROGRAM**

An Orientation Program for students of Classes 9,10 & 11 was conducted on 25 th May in which Mr.Shijo Zacharia, HR Trainer motivated the children with his enriching sessions.

## **TEACHERS' TRAINING PROGRAM**

Training program for teachers was conducted on 25 & 26th May.

## **WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY**

Mr.Kuruvilla Thomas former Administrator inaugurated the program by planting a sapling. He enriched the students with Environment Day message.

## **GRADUATION CEREMONY**

Graduation ceremony of UKG students was held on 7 June. Rev. Fr. Varghese John awarded the students with certificates.

## **MERIT DAY**

In order to congratulate the students and teachers for the exciting performance in the Board Examinations, a Merit Day was organized on 8 June. Mrs.Sreedevi Satheesh Babu, the President of Kunnammathanam Grama Panchayath was the chief guest.

## **INVESTITURE CEREMONY**

Members of the Students Council took oath in a colourful meeting on 8 June.

## **INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY**

June 21- Yoga Day was celebrated in our school in collaboration with Sevabharathy Kunnammathanam. Dr.Gopal K Nair inaugurated the program.

## **INTERNATIONAL DAY AGAINST DRUG ABUSE**

A special assembly was conducted in connection with International Day Against Drug Abuse in which students took pledge that they will not use any kind of narcotic substances.

## **MANORAMA READ & WIN**

A quiz program was conducted in our school by Manorama, Jemi M Chacko, Soya Sara Sabu & Shinto Varghese won the first three positions respectively.

## **DEEPIKA COLOURING CONTEST**

Colour India drawing & painting competition organised by Deepika was held in our school. Winners in each category were awarded with mementos.

## **INDEPENDENCE DAY**

On 14th August a special assembly with a skit was conducted as a part of Independence Day Celebrations.

## **ONAM CELEBRATION**

A colourful celebration was arranged in the school in connection with Onam, on 25 th August in which Mrs.Suseela Balakrishnan, Principal.MST Public School, Paippad gave Onam message.

## **SCHOOL YOUTH FESTIVAL**

The school youth festival was conducted on 17 & 18 th August in which students of all classes participated. Students who got selection in the school youth festival participated in the Sahodaya Youth festival held at AravindaVidyaMandiram, Pallickathod on 26, 27 & 28 October and bagged 103 points.

## **TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATIONS**

International Teachers' Day was celebrated in our school on 5 October. There were variety programs by the teachers. Mr. Roy P.K, Principal, Cardinal Padiyara Public School was the chief Guest.

## **SAHODAYA THROW BALL COMPETITION**

Our Boys team Girls team participated in the KottayamSahodaya Interschool Throw Ball Competition held at Good Shepherd Public School, Thengana on 3 & 4 November.

## **CHILDRENS DAY CELEBRATIONS**

Childrens Day was celebrated in our school with pomp and colour on 14th November. The celebration began with a colourful rally.

## **EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITION**

An educational exhibition was organized in our school on 21 October, which received a wide spread acclamation from both students and parents. Charts, still models and working models were exhibited.

## **CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION**

Christmas was celebrated in our school on 22 December. Rev. Fr. Thomas Planthottam, Vicar, Kunnamthanam Church was the Chief Guest on the occasion.

## **NIRAKKOOTT**

An Interschool Drawing and Painting Competition NIRAKKOOTT was held on 16 th December. Winners of each category received Prizes and Cash awards

## **SPORTS MEET**

The Annual Sports Meet was held on 2 nd December in the school ground. Competitions were held in sprint items and throw items.

## **CADENCE**

18th Annual Day of our school was conducted on 3 February 2024 elegantly. Ms.Cristee Binnet, the renowned cine artist was the Chief Guest. Rev. Fr. Thomas Parathanam, Vice President of Kottayam Sahodaya& Principal of S H Public School Kilimala was the Guest of Honour.

## **BLESSING & DISTRIBUTION OF HALL TICKETS**

The students who write the Board Exams this year were called on 19 February 2024 along with their parents. Rev. Fr. Vino John, Vicar of St. Kuriakose Orthodox Church Mundukuzhy, blessed the students and gave an enriching message.

## **COUNSELLING**

Counselling sessions were arranged for all the students by Mrs.Preetha T.R, Director, Prathyasa Counselling & Training Centre Ettumanoor, on12 March 2024.

## **CONCLUSION**

We are in an uphill journey to reach the summit of excellence and have progressed considerably in that direction.

But we haven't yet reached the summit. So we can't sit back and relax in a state of complacency.

We should continue our journey with renewed vigour and vitality so that we can reach the top.

My heart beams with gratitude to the Management, Staff, Parents& Students of our school. I thank the God Almighty more than anyone for showering upon the school abundance of blessings

Let us all strive together to keep up the fame that we have earned.

Thank you

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