



RIPPLES GREAT...!

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MYSTIC MOMENTS

CHILDRENS DAY

A day marking childhood! Children's day celebrations focused on an extravaganza by the primary students of PSG Public Schools on 24th November on the theme 'Parambariyam'. The Chief Guest Ms. S. Lakshmi, Deputy Commissioner of Police rendered a sparkling speech. The students from Pre-KG to class V entertained the audience with fabulous songs and dance performances.



ANNUAL DAY



16th Annual Day was celebrated on 3rd November 2017 in PSGIMS&R Auditorium. The Chief Guest Dr. T. Balaji , Director of V.N. Cancer Centre & Guest of Honour Smt. Geetha Jayachandran, Principal of Yuvabharathi Public School and Managing Trustee Shri. L. Gopalakrishnan presided over the function. Welcome was rendered by Principal Shri. E. Girish. PSG News reporters for the day from class XII – Jeneeta Eliza John, Varun Sreedhar presented the Annual Report. Prizes for Proficiency and Commendation for 100% Attendance, Special Awards to High Scores of AISSCE & AISSE CBSE



Examinations were distributed. Pavithra U of class X received an award for her excellence in the swimming tournaments across the country. Chief Guest delivered his address followed by the Presidential Address by Managing Trustee Shri. L. Gopalakrishnan, and Smt. Velumani, Headmistress proposed the vote of thanks.

Cultural events – songs, dance-drama on the devotion of Markandeyan to Lord Shiva on the foreground, drama on Paramartha Guru, fusion dances by students from classes VI to XII added another success story to the school's era.



DIWALI

Diwali was celebrated with great fanfare, devotion and excitement on 13th October. The day began with bursting of crackers, sweets distribution, etc. The students of classes 3-5 denoted Rs.4900/- from their savings along with teachers, to Manavar Illam. A sum of Rs.23130/- was donated towards fees for few children at PSG Sarvajana Hr. Sec. School. The festival of lights was teeming with limitless joy of the season.



CULTURAL FIESTA

Cultural Fiesta was held from 6th – 11th November. Numerous events were held – Math Puzzle, Origami, Science Kit preparation, Science Sculpture, Art, Documentary preparation, Poster making, Music (Vocal & Instrument), Dance and Skit. Students from classes VI – XII enrolled in the competitions representing their houses.



ACTS SMALL... RIPPLES GREAT...!



Charity is an integral part of every entity. What goes around comes around, so does an act of kindness. Mr. Vijayaraghavan and Ms. Lavanya from Shanthi Ashram conducted an awareness programme on 21st October to make the children aware of the suffering lot and to inculcate a habit of saving money to help the needy children. Students also contributed handful of grains to help the needy.



On 9th December, as part of community outreach activity in co-scholastic education the students of Grade IX accompanied by teachers visited a school for the Hearing Impaired in Tirupur. The students entertained the children with dance, drama and donated a mid-day meal and snacks.

Class VIII accompanied by teachers visited Love and Grace Mission Children's Home located at Thondamuthoor to extend a helping hand and to understand the need for charity.

FIRE DRILL

A Mock Fire Drill was held on 9th November to create awareness towards safety measures and First Aid, in case of emergencies in fire accidents. Mr. Rangaraju, Safety Officer, PSG Institutions, educated all on first aid, steps to safety explaining about the types of fire, the Do's and Don'ts with demonstrations.



CLEANLINESS IS NEXT TO GODLINESS!

A survey programme was conducted by Swachh Survekshan 2018 – First Pan India Sanitation Survey on 15th December. Mr S. Jagan, Mr. V. Gopinath, Mr S. Chandramohan and Mr S. Suresh from Karpagam College visited the school for a survey of cleanliness inside the campus with the assistance of a few volunteers from the school.



MOCK PARLIAMENT

Mock parliament by the students of IX –XII held discussions on current issues dressed as MPs – Issues on demonetization, petroleum price rise, crude oil price, Gujarat poll, beef ban, mobile banking service, relevance of Aadhaar, triple talaq, brain drain, foreign imprisonment, Ganga plan, bullet train, low domestic product and high foreign product, national handloom development, indigenous weavers, GST on petrol & liquor, legal binding of Swatch Bharat, Jio before demonetization, etc. Ruling and Opposition parties had heated debates as is often witnessed at the centre.



NATIONAL MATHEMATICS DAY

National Mathematics Day was celebrated on 23rd December in commemoration of the 130th birth anniversary of renowned mathematician Srinivasa Ramanujan. PowerPoint presentations, speeches, amazing facts and riddles adorned the celebrations.



CHRISTMAS

Dashing through the snow the celebrations entered the campus on 23rd December. The day was imbued with the spirit of Christmas bringing Joy and Cheer. Christmas carol singing, feast of dances and skits, and delicious treats, Santa Claus joining the celebrations showering sweets and candies, dancing to the tunes of Christmas songs and the entire school was decked to wear a festive look, keeping with the spirit of the season resonating to the minds the principles of Jesus Christ – of universal love and brotherhood.



GROUNDING TO EXCELLENCE

Ms. N. Banu, Mr. R. Prakash, and Ms. Deepthi Kurian, attended the One-Day Teacher Enhancement Programme for Science teachers of the Senior Secondary Schools organized by Kovai Sahodaya Schools Complex in the school premises on 14th October. Resource persons were Dr. Meenakshi Janakiram, Central Leather Research Institute, Adayar, Ms. Sankari Ravi, Vice Principal, Vidhya Mandhir, Chennai & Mr. Bhaskar from Vidhya Mandhir.

National Students' Space Challenge – IIT Kharagpur in association with Yuvabarathi Public school conducted a Two-Day Workshop on IOT with Arduino Utkraani 2018 – National Level Championship On 27th & 28th October 2017 at Yuvabarathi Public School. Fifteen students from classes IX, X, XI and XII were appreciated for their Programming and Software development skills.

25 NCC Cadets from the school attended the inauguration of PSG Traffic Forum on 10th October. Forum Logo was presented by Shri. Sujit Kumar, IPS, Deputy Commissioner of Police – Traffic Coimbatore City.

Karadi Path team Mr. Anuj Dev Leslie, Mr. Mahesh Kumar and Ms. Lavanya organized a half-day session for the English teachers at school discussing the levels and sessions in Language teaching in class rooms.



The teachers from the department of English attended a workshop organized by Karadi Path at CAG Pride on 2nd December. The Resource person Ms. Shoba Viswanath spoke on the 'Importance and the art of Story Telling'.



One-day capacity building programmes for school principals on 'Remodeled structure of assessments' was organized by the Central Board of Secondary, Education at schools in Chennai on 25th & 26th November. Mr. E. Girish, Principal, PSG Public Schools was appointed as the resource person by the CBSE.

CII School Education conference 'School Leadership for the 21st Century' was held at SITRA Auditorium, Avinashi Road on 2nd December. Mr. E. Girish, Principal, Ms. B. Velumani, Headmistress, Coordinators and Head of the Departments attended the conference.

Ms. N. Sarala and Ms. Nirmala Devi attended a workshop organized by Ratna Sagar (P) Ltd at Hotel Vijay Elanza on 25th November. The topic was 'Breaking Mindsets' – 11 cat behaviours. Mr. S. P. Ravikumar from the unit conducted the workshop.

Central Board of Secondary Education, COE, Cochin and Kovai Sahodaya Schools Complex jointly organized Capacity Building Programme for Mathematics teachers on 8th & 9th December. Resource persons were Mr. E. Girish, Principal, PSG Public Schools (CBSE Master Trainer), and Mr. T. Venkata Alagiri, Principal, Kailash Manasarovar School, Salem. 32 teachers attended the workshop. Ms. N. Amudha, Department of Mathematics from the school attended the workshop.

Live and Let Live! Sparrow – a bird on the verge of extinction is a cause of immediate care. A one-day programme organized by Mr. Ishak Jamal, Mr. Vivek and Ms. Sanjani from 'Young Indians' was an initiative to create awareness to save sparrows and on the necessity to maintain an ecological balance. The reasons for the decline of sparrows in the recent times were discussed through an interactive session. The students of classes IV and V participated in the discussions learning manifold through the displayed videos and slides on life of sparrows.



42 students of Grade IX along with 4 teachers went on an educational trip to Hyderabad from 13th – 17th December and visited the National Geophysical Research Institute to get a deeper insight into disaster management, movement of tectonic plates & resultant earth quakes, apparatus recording seismograph, and survey of ground water. They also visited other places like Golkonda Fort, Hussain Sagar Lake, Lumbini Park, Ramoji film city, Birla Mandir, Charminar, Chawala mahal and Salarjung museum.

Mr. Sabarikarthik from PHASE (Physical Health and Sports Education) visited the school on 29th & 30th November and held a practical training session for the students on physical activities.

Swachh Survekshan 2018 - First Pan India Sanitation Survey – a survey of cleanliness in the campus, with the help of student volunteers was conducted in the school on 18th December by Mr. S. Jagan, Mr. V. Gopinath, Mr. S. Chandramohan and Mr. S. Suresh from Karpagam College.

Really WOW! An initiative to spread awareness about the importance of 'Reduce, Recycle, and Reuse' was organized on 16th December. Students exchanged old books for 'Classmate' notebooks and stationeries. The students were appreciated for greater contribution with certificates.



Ms. Preethi Angelin, English teacher from the school attended a workshop on 'Gardening Genres' – a training towards making the 'non-detail' reading interesting for students.

Ms. Manimegalai attended an EVS workshop on 'Strategies to activate Inquiry skills' at Vivekalaya Matric. Hr. Sec. School.

Ms. S. Hepsiba Bala Sundari attended a workshop organized by the Oxford University Press, India at Jennys Residency on 19th December. Ms. Gayathri Khanna – consultant & resource person from CBSE conducted the programme on 'Changing patterns of Teaching and Assessment'.

ELEVATING EXPEDITIONS

S.V. Sports Centre, Singanallur, Coimbatore organized **Tennis tournament** on 1st October. **M.J.Sai Sanchit** emerged as winner in the U-12 category and entered Quarter Finals in the U-14.

An Inter-School **Music Competition** was conducted by Kovai Sahodaya School Complex on 7th October in the school premises. 10 schools participated of which our school won the First Place in group singing.



	CATEGORY-A	CATEGORY-B	CATEGORY-C
CLASSICAL	👍 Vijay.K.B Second place	👍 Lakshana.K Second place	👍 Supriya Pandu First place
FOLK	😞	👍 Diravina.E.A Second place	👍 Shriya.M Second place
WESTERN	😞	😞	👍 Sritesh Second place

Nandana A.M of class X A emerged as Winner the Navodaya Academy **Inter School Skating State Championship 2017** held at the Namakkal district on 8th October 2017.

In the Inter School **Skating Meet** conducted by Kovai Sahodaya School Complex at Yuvabharathi Public School on 10th October, **Tharun Balaji J** of Class I secured First position. **Nandana A. M** of class X secured the First position in Inline Rink – IV for U-17 category.

In the Kovai Sahodaya Schools Complex **Badminton tournament** held on 1st & 2nd November – **Cindu C J** of class X emerged as Winner in the Singles U-17 category and with **Divyasrita V S** of class X emerged as Runners in the Doubles U-17 category. **Abishek G** of class XI won the Runner up for the Singles U-19 category.



K. Mirdhuna of class IV took part in **State Level Open Badminton tournament** in the singles and Doubles and won a Trophy and a certificate. She was also selected for the semi-finals.

S. J. Jaisujan of VI standard won the first position in team Kata boys - black belt U-12 category in the 4th South India Open **Karate Championship 2017** held at Tirupur on 5th November, receiving a certificate and a trophy.

Sachin S of Class I secured Second Position in the Rewheelution Students **Cycling Fest** conducted on 5th November.

Tharun Balaji J of Class I secured Second Place in Tamil Nadu Speed **Skating Championship 2017** organized by TNSSA on 24th – 26th at Maharashi Vidya Mandir.

S. Visanth and S. R. Akshaya of grade V won the First and Third Places respectively in the **Oratorical competition** 'Every child – a story teller' on the topic 'Stop Violence and take a small step' organized by Shanthi Ashram on 20th November.

Global Event Managers organized **State Level Drawing competition** – Talent Kids 2017-2018. **D. Shivani** of III-B, **M. Swathi** of IV-A and **D. Sreeniketh** of V-A won First Place and received Gold Medals and certificates. The school also won the Best School Trophy for registering most number of participants.

In the 'Open Day' organized by Kumaraguru College of Technology on 18th November for school students **Rajesh Praneeth B, Niranjan Harikrishna B & Deepak Dakshin R** of class XI won the Second place in the **Mr. Mechanic competition** receiving books and gift vouchers.

In the Tamil Nadu State Junior & Sub Junior **Inter School Swimming Championship** 2017 held on 18th November, **Pavithra U** of class X secured Second place in 100 m Free style, 50 m Free style, 50 m Breast stroke and Third place in 50 m Butterfly stroke. **Shri Shruthika R** secured Second place in 100 m Back Stroke & Third place in 50 m Back Stroke.

Asfaque Ahmed of class X was awarded Rs. 30000 as cash prize for securing 4th place out of 800 participants in the **Sir. C. V. Raman Talent Hunt Examination** held on 5th December in the city. **Shyam K.S** of Class VIII was awarded Rs. 10000 for securing the 15th place.

Shri Shruthika R secured second place in **Swimming Competition**: 50 m Breast Stroke and received Rs. 750 cash award from Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu – Chief Minister's Trophy – District level Sports and Games 2017 – 2018 at Jenny's Residency.

Nandana A. M of class X emerged as Winner in U-14 to 16 categories in the **24th Coimbatore District Roller Skating Championship 2017** at VOC Park Skating Rink Coimbatore from 9th -11th December.

In the AITA Talent Series Boys & Girls U-14 **Tennis Tournament** organized by Levo Sports from 16th – 18th, **Armaan Ahmed I** of class VIII emerged as Runner in U-14 Singles.

Physical Education Teacher **Mr. K. Kuppusamy** represented Coimbatore district for 70+ category securing 1st place in Pole Vault – 1.80m, 2nd place in 80m Hurdles and 3rd place in Long Jump in the **36th Tamilnadu State Masters Athletic Championship** organized by Karur District Masters' Athletic Association held on 9th & 10th December.

Kovai Sahodaya Talent Search Examination Award Ceremony 2017 was held at PSG IMS&R auditorium on 1st December. **Shruthi R** from class IV won the First Position and received a certificate, Gold Medal and a TAB worth of Rs. 5000. **Harish G. M.** of class VII, **Santhosh V** of IX, and **Hyagreev R** of X received Second Places; **Subaang A** of VII & **Abhinav R** of IX received Third Places – all receiving trophies, mementoes and certificates.



Kovai Sahodaya Schools Complex 1st Annual Athletic Meet was held at PSG IMS&R ground on 23rd & 24th. 634 athletes from 25 CBSE schools participated of which 26 students from the school emerged as winners at various athletic events. **Lakshmikant** of class XII bagged **Individual championship** for U-19 Boys. The school also received the **Overall Championship Trophy** for U-17 Boys.

CATEGORY - UNDER 12 YEARS

NAME	CLASS	EVENT	AWARD
Ashwina J	VI STD	High Jump	Third Place

CATEGORY - UNDER 14 YEARS

NAME	CLASS	EVENT	AWARD
Jai Sujan S.J	VI STD	High Jump	Third Place
Dhanush M.S	VII STD	100m Running 200m Running	First Place Second Place
Raghav Krishna M	VIII STD	400m Running	Third Place

Class VIII students **Dhanush M.S, Raghav Krihsna M, Vikaash A.M & Mangalesh S** secured **First place in U – 14 Boys 4 x 100 m Relay.**

CATEGORY - UNDER 17 YEARS

NAME	CLASS	EVENT	AWARD
Pavithra U	X STD	800m Running	Second Place
Chanduru A	X STD	Discus Throw	Second Place
Shyam Kesavan S	X STD	800m Running 400m Running	Second Place Second Place

Gokul V	XI STD	High Jump 100m Hurdles	Second Place Second Place
Cindu C.J	X STD	Discus Throw	Third Place
Shri Meenakshi S	IX STD	High Jump	Third Place

Nandabalan M, Shyam Kesavan S, Saran & Joe Priyan secured **Second place in U -17 category 4 x 100 m Relay**

CATEGORY - UNDER 19 YEARS

NAME	CLASS	EVENT	AWARD
Lakshmikant R	XII STD	Shot Put Discus Throw	First Place First Place
Vishwath N	XI STD	Javelin Throw	Second Place
Srinidhi Vidya Dharini N	XII STD	High Jump	Second Place
Raagul R.N	XII STD	High Jump Triple Jump	Second Place Third Place
Alamoo Priya	XII STD	800m Running	Third Place
Nikitha M	XI STD	Shot Put Discus Throw	Third Place Third Place

Sanjay Krishna R, Naren C, Geo George Alapat, Nikil V secured **Third place in U -19 category 4 x 100 m Relay**

14 students secured Gold, Silver and Bronze medals in Team Kata event at 2nd International Open **Karate Championship** by Japan Hayashi-Ha Shito – Ryu organized by Sri Krishna Institutions on 10th December.






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