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Ask any successful person how they came to this point in their lives, and they will have a story to tell - Mark Twain

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"Leadership is the capacity to translate vision into reality." - Warren Bennis

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# **Transcendence!**

At the point of death, a man, **Tom smith**, called his children and he advised them to follow his footsteps so that they can have peace of mind in all that they do.

His daughter, **Sara**, said, "Daddy, its unfortunate you are dying without a penny in your bank. Other fathers that you tag as being corrupt, thieves of public funds left houses and properties for their children; even this house we live in is a rented apartment. **Sorry, I can't emulate you, just go, and let's chart our own course.** 

#### Few moments later, their father gave up the spirit.

Three years later, **Sara** went for an interview in a multinational company. At the interview the Chairman of the committee asked, **"Which Smith are you?"** 

Sara replied, "I am **Sara Smith**. My Dad Tom Smith is now late."

Chairman cuts in "O my God, you are Tom Smith's daughter?"

He turned to the other members and said, "This **Smith** man was the one that signed my membership form into the Institute of Administrators and his recommendation earned me where I am today. He did all these free. I didn't even know his address, he never knew me. He just did it for me."

He turned to **Sara**, "I have no questions for you, consider yourself as having gotten this job, come tomorrow, your letter will be waiting for you."

**Sara Smith** became the Corporate Affairs Manager of the company with two Cars and Drivers. A Duplex attached to the office, and a salary of £100,000 per month excluding allowances and other costs.

After two years of working in the company, the MD of the company came from America to announce his intention to resign and needed a replacement. A personality with high integrity was sought after, again the company's Consultant nominated **Sara Smith**.

In an interview, she was asked the secret of her success.

With tears, she replied, "My Daddy paved these ways for me. It was after he died that I knew that he was financially poor but stinkingly rich in integrity, discipline and honesty."

She was asked again, why she is weeping since she is no longer a kid as to miss her dad still after a long time.

She replied, "At the point of death, I insulted my dad for being an honest man of integrity. I hope he will forgive me in his grave now. I didn't work for all these; he did it for me to just walk in."

So, finally she was asked, "Will you follow your father's footsteps as he requested?"

And her simple answer was, "I now adore the man, I have a big picture of him in my living room and at the entrance of my house. He deserves whatever I have after God."

#### Are you like Tom Smith?

It pays to build a name, the reward doesn't come quickly but will come however long it may take and it lasts longer.

Integrity, Discipline, Self control and Fear of God make a man wealthy, not the fat bank account.

World Earth Day Inauguration of Clubs

## World Earth Day

The World Earth Day – 2016, was celebrated ceremoniously on 22nd April 2016. An assembly comprising of the Inauguration of the Eco –Club of the school, with 22 members - The 'Green Saviours' adopting the theme 'Trees for the Earth' was conducted. The function was presided over by Mr. E. Girish, Principal of the school who inspired the students to act towards conservation of water, electricity, and other resources to preserve and protect the environment. The Staff and students took an oath over the need to nurture and cherish Mother Earth and to preserve and pass it on safe and clean into the hands of the future generations.

### Inauguration of Clubs



The Inauguration of 7 other assorted clubs in the school was held on 23rd April 2016 to tap the multifarious potentials of students. The programme was inaugurated by Mrs. Patricia Tanner, President of the Anglo Indian Association. The following were the clubs inaugurated – Health and Wellness Club, Science & ICT Club, Literary Club, Mathematics Club, Quiz Club, Photography Club, and the Fine Arts Club.



Inauguration of Clubs | The Fresher's Day



### The Fresher's Day

The Fresher's Day was celebrated at the Senior Block on 18th June -2016. The newly joined students and staff showcased their talents through various mind blowing performances. Principal, Mr. E. Girish in his speech, stressed the significance of conducting such programmes in schools in order to identify the hidden reservoirs of talents and to use them for the overall development of the student fraternity. It also served an icebreaking moment for the freshers from classes VI to XII when they staged programmes like skit, symphony, dance, speech, magic show and presented an array of martial arts. The school was enthralled by the performances.

It was a welcome party at the Primary Block to the newcomers, inviting them into a friendly atmosphere to encourage their creative impulses and to boost their confidence. A little music, new faces, smiles all along, resounding laughter yes! It was party time! There would be no better way to celebrate a Fresher's Day than with such an enchanting and entertaining cultural extravaganza comprising of dances, melodies and choreography as presented by children.







The Fresher's Day Fruit Salad Day



### Fruit Salad Day



### -Enjoy the taste of eating right!

The delicious and nutritious fruits play an essential part of a daily diet, keeping us fit and fine for a healthy living. To develop the habit of eating fruits among children, the Fruit Salad Day was celebrated.. Children were asked to bring their favorite fruits to the class and share them with their friends. The teachers and students together prepared a tasty fruit salad. The children enjoyed the yummy-yummy fruit salad and were curious to know more about fruits. Their curiosity led them to research more on plants and trees in gardens and orchards - Fruits like mangoes, apples, pomegranates, oranges, grapes, papaya, guavas which are relished and savored in different seasons of the year.

The tiny tots learnt more about fruits when they were taken to Pazhamudir Nilayam, Peelamedu – the smell, colour, texture of fruits and the hygiene part of washing the fruits before eating them. It indeed was a fruitful venture to gain knowledge on the benefits of eating fresh fruits.



World Environment Day International Yoga Day

### World Environment Day





World Environment Day was celebrated on the 10th June 2016. The students of class IV and V engaged in sketching, drawing and essay writing activities. Themes were varied and related to environmental degradation - measures for upgrading, creating a greater interest and awareness among students also ensuring a deeper understanding into the importance of preserving and protecting the living planet - Earth.

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### International Yoga Day

#### - 'Peace, Harmony, Happiness and Success to Every Soul in the World'

International Yoga Day was observed on 21st June 2016, in PSG Public School. A great opportunity to imbibe the value of the discipline – students learnt how yoga embodies unity of mind and body. The students of classes IV and V with the teachers performed different yoga postures like Vrikshasana, Uttaanaasana, Trikonaasana, Bhadrasana, Shashankaasana, Bhujangasana, finally ending with Pranayama and meditation. Prayers were recited before and after the programme.

In the Senior Block, Mr.Ganesh, the Yoga Instructor of the School, iterated the beneficial aspects of yoga & meditation over the mental, physical and spiritual well-being of a person, and the need for consistent practice of the asanas. Students of classes VI – XII were directed to perform yoga asanas and concluded with Pranayama and meditation.

# **Elevating Expeditions**

#### Achievements & Results

## The Journey Begins Here!

19th Asia Masters Athletics Championship – 2016 In the 19th Asia Masters Athletics Championship – 2016 held at Singapore from 4th – 6th May, Mr. K. Kuppusamy, Department of Physical Education represented our country under 70 -74 yrs category and secured 3 silver medals with the following records:

Pole vault – 2.00 m, 100m Dash – 15.43 seconds, Long Jump – 3.90 m

In the Rising Stars State Level League – a Tennis Tournament conducted by Levo sports on 14th May 2016, 2 students who participated won in the events as follows:

**R.D.Vishal Karthick of VII B** won the Runners Up Trophy in Singles Red ball Mini's Tennis. Janesh Nandha.K.S of class VI B emerged as the Winner in U-10 category.

In another State Level Open Tennis Tournament organized by AVA Sports and Family club & Victoria Residency & Jay Resort, Thanjavore, **Janesh Nanda.K.S of class VI** represented the school and entered the 2nd round.

State Level Open Tennis Tournament

District Open Sports & Athletic Meet 2016 **Pavithra. U of class IX** and **Shri Shruthika. R of class VIII** represented the school in the District Open Sports & Athletic Meet 2016 on 15th June organised by Life Spring (360 Fitness) at the Nehru Stadium, under Group II Girls category and emerged as Winners

**Pavithra.U** bagged the Individual Trophy of Group II Girls emerging First and securing **Gold Medals** in 100 m Individual Medley, 50 m Butterfly Stroke, 100 m Free Style and 50 m Free Style.

**Shri Shruthika.R** secured **Gold Medals** in 50 m Breast Stroke, 100 m Breast Stroke, 100 m Butterfly Stroke and a Silver Medal in 100 m Individual Medley.

The school was awarded Performance Excellence Award – 2015 - 16 for overall performance in Silver Zone Olympiads. **Mrs.Vidhubala** also received the Best Coordinator Award.

Kindergarten teachers in appreciation were awarded for their 'Continuing Professional Development' by **EZ Vidya.** 



# **Elevating Expeditions**

Achievements & Results

## CBSE-AISSCE / AISSE / March 2016 Results

The school has produced 100% results in the AISSCE – Class XII Examination, held in March 2016.



Chandini.A XII Management secured – 471/500.



Rohit Madhavaram XII Management secured 100/100 in Economics.



Johir Suresh Science Stream scored a Second with a score of 464/500

The result statistics is as follows:

Marks	No. of Students	Percentage
90 and above	8	22%
80 - 90	16	44%
70 - 80	9	25%
60 - 70	2	6%
50 - 60	1	3%
TOTAL	36	100%

The results of the Class X - AISSE examinations in which 56 students appeared for the examination, 14 students secured 10 CGPA



Alaka Panigrahi



Alamoo Priya.RM



#### Aruna Sree.S



Ashish Panigrahi



Dharini.C.R

# **Elevating Expeditions**

Achievements & Results



Jagatheaswaran.S



Kausik.I.R



Koushik Dhanvanth.S



Logithya Mirra.D.K



Yashwanth.M





Sai Samudhra.V.A

Sanchana Subramanian Shree Harshinee.P



#### The result statistics is as follows:

MARKS	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	No. of students	RANGE	TOTAL
ENG	34	17	5	0	0	0	0	56	9 - 10	25
II LAN	31	20	2	3	0	0	0	56	8 - 9	19
MAT	16	22	11	4	3	0	0	56	7 - 8	6
SCI	22	19	8	6	1	0	0	56	6 - 7	1
SST	25	19	9	3	0	0	0	56	5 - 6	0

Success is the result of Perfection, Hardwork, Learning from Failure, Loyalty and Persistence. - Colin Powell

Educational Trip to CMC | Staff Orientation Programme

### 'Intellectual growth should commence at birth and cease only at death' - Albert Einstein

### Educational Trip to CMC



The PSG Public Schools arranged an edu-visit to the Exhibition – 'Med – I – Scene' conducted by the Coimbatore Medical College on 21st and 22nd June 2016. An exhibition to celebrate CMC's 50th anniversary held various stalls displaying the evolution of modern medicine to its reaching the current status. Students from classes VI to XII, accompanied by teachers were enlightened through the exhibited specimens of human organs. It also proved a beneficial venture into the many displayed modern machines that are used today in the field of medicine, igniting the aspirant minds.

### Staff Orientation Programme

Staff Orientation Programme was conducted on 1st June 2016 in a gesture to step on to another rigorous curriculum year. It served as an ice-breaking for the new-joiners into the school staff fraternity. Sessions were conducted by the Principal Mr. E. Girish on – Theories of Learning, Styles of Learning, Constructivism, and Formative Assessments – Tools & Techniques. Departmental planning, Goal setting and Action plan for the academic year were also part of the programme.

Coimbatore Sahodaya Schools Complex organised two One-day Enhancement programmes for the Science and Humanities subjects on 24th and 25th of June 2016 for the senior secondary teachers at the School premises. The resource persons from the school were Mr. E.Girish and Ms J.Diana from the Department of Mathematics, Mrs. N.Banu, Mrs. R.Meenakshi and Mrs. M.Devi from the Department of Science; Mrs. S.Veena and Mrs. Prametha from the Department of Humanities; other resource persons were – Mrs. Shantha Kumari and Mrs. Hussaina from SSVM World School, Mrs. Manjula from Yuva Bharathi, Mrs. Deepa Menon from Kathir Vidhya Mandir. Workshops were conducted across subjects.

The programmes were attended by Mr. Prakash, Department of Chemistry, Mr. Vineesh Vishwam, Department of English and Mrs. Punithavathi, Department of Computer Science, from the school besides 156 teachers from other CBSE schools.



# **Grounding to Excellence**

Faculty Development Programme | Road Safety Day

### Faculty Development Programme

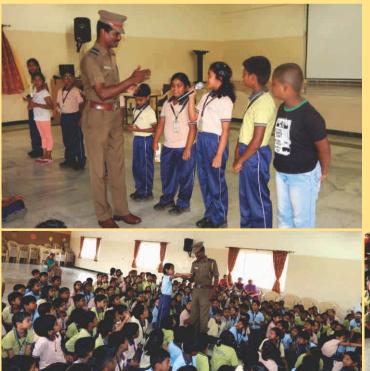


A Faculty Development Programme was organized by Karadi Path Power English, for teachers of class I to V. The teachers were provided with intrinsic training on different spheres pertaining to Karadi path methodology. EZ Vidya conducted a workshop for Kindergarten teachers. The training was designed to equip the teachers acutely with the patterns of teaching the toddlers.





### **Road Safety**



#### The Earth Spins at 1,000 MPH - Wear Your Seat Belts.

With the number of vehicles on roads increasing every day, the traffic situation is going from bad to worse. The police force, in an effort to bring about a positive change in the traffic scenario, has decided to tap the potentials of the young minds through schools – to **educate and create awareness of the traffic rules**, signals and the use of pavements, zebra crossing.

'Train up a child in the way he should go and even when he is old he shall not depart from it.'

The programme was headed by Mr. Vinayaga Moorthy, Tamil Nadu Wardens Organization, Coimbatore. Demonstrations illustrating the crossing of roads, using of helmets for safety, etc. were part of the programme. Oath was taken by the students to abide by the traffic rules.



# **Supporting Ventures**

- The school initiated a technology based app SCHOOL POPs for providing with better communication to parents. Home assignments and other communication are now accessible from anywhere, at a click.
- Verification of Evidences of Assessments as proposed by the Central Board of Secondary Education were held at the school from 18th April 20th April 2016. Evidences of Term II assessments from across 40 CBSE schools in Tamilnadu were received. It set learning guiding platform for the assessors stepping on to grounds that are CBSE designed.

# Melange O' Manoeuvres



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