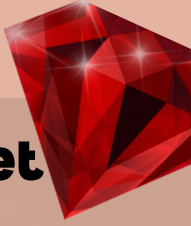




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The Ruby Jubilee Celebrations and Alumni Meet

Santhosha Vidhyalaya recently celebrated its Ruby Jubilee on Nov 11th, commemorating 40 years of enduring commitment, resilience, and visionary leadership. The event served as a momentous reflection on the school's rich history, acknowledging achievements, and looking forward to a future filled with endless possibilities. The festivities formed a vibrant tapestry interwoven with nostalgia, achievements, and unity.

Alumni graced the campus for the SVAA meet, rekindling old bonds and sharing success stories. Former staff members revisited, creating an atmosphere filled with laughter, shared memories, and deep camaraderie as they strolled down familiar hallways and classrooms.

The school unveiled a timeless keepsake for the celebration—the Ruby Jubilee Souvenir Magazine. Crafted meticulously, it serves as a nostalgic journey through the annals of the school's history, reflecting the stories, milestones, and cherished memories that have shaped the alma mater.

A dynamic alumni treasure hunt and photo gallery provided engaging experiences, and despite the rain, a friendly yet competitive football match for boys and throwball match for girls took place, allowing participants to showcase skills, share experiences, and foster a sense of community.



Alumni at
Ruby Jubilee Celebrations

Jubilee Joy Captured



Retired & Former Teachers / Staff of Santhosha Vidhyalaya

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Talents Exhibition

During the first week of November, we had the Talents Exhibition Events which were an incredible showcase of creativity, innovation, and sheer talent. The event was not merely a display but a celebration of the diverse abilities that make our school community so vibrant. Our students shine in many areas such as music, dance, art and writing. This event provided a platform for these budding talents to shine.

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Children's Day Celebration

Children's Day, observed on November 14th, is a special time to appreciate the innocence and potential of our youngest members. At our school, the celebration included a delightful array of activities, such as speeches, dances, songs, and a charming fancy dress exhibition. Winners from the talent competitions held the previous week were announced, and excitement filled the air as prizes were given. The shining eyes of the winners showed the happiness of being recognized, making the day truly special and memorable.



Talents Exhibition



Children's Day Programme



XSEED Exams

Learnometer is a comprehensive skill-based test for all school children which can provide valuable insights into students' academic and personal development. Such tests often play a crucial role in evaluating a child's understanding of the curriculum and identifying areas for further improvement, contributing to a well-rounded educational experience. Our primary school children are trained in the XSEED Curriculum and they have participated in this test.



CHRISTMAS CANTATA

The enchanting echoes of festive joy resonated through our school halls during the Christmas Cantata celebrations. Adorned in festive attire, students gathered in the joyfully decorated auditorium, creating a spirited atmosphere for the program. The school choir, in perfect harmony, filled the air with melodious carols, evoking warmth and unity.

Dr. Prateep V Philip, a distinguished retired IPS officer, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. His inspiring message added a special touch to the celebration, encouraging students on their unique journeys. Beyond showcasing musical prowess, the Cantata served as a heartfelt reminder of the true reason for the season – the birth of Jesus Christ. Teachers and students embraced the joyous festivities, embodying the genuine spirit of Christmas.

The festive celebration featured a delectable dinner, with teachers serving in cheerful attire, creating a warm and joyous atmosphere. Students and teachers alike indulged in the scrumptious feast, sharing laughter and creating cherished holiday memories together.





CAROLING ROUNDS

The start of December was devoted to spreading Christmas joy at our school. The choir visited the campus and Dohnavur Fellowship, harmonizing carols and praising God together. Additionally, they actively engaged in various churches' carol services, fostering a sense of community and celebration during the festive season. Teachers actively participated, extending the festivities to staff quarters, singing carols, and fostering a warm sense of community and celebration during the holiday season.



The Senior Choir spreading Christmas cheer at CSI Church, Kalungadi and Military Line Church, Tirunelveli



AMY CARMICHAELS BIRTHDAY

Celebrating Amy Carmichael's birthday, our school, located on the hallowed grounds of her service, honors her enduring legacy of faith and sacrifice. Our School Treasurer, Ms. Sithara Carunia from Dohnavur Fellowship shared some insights from Amy's childhood with students and staff, reflecting on the start of a long journey of faith that blessed many. As we look back on Amy's commitment to God's work, we are inspired to extend the love and grace offered by Jesus Christ to others. The spirit of Amy Carmichael lives on in our campus, reminding us of the transformative power of faith and service.



SVAA's Heartfelt Christmas Generosity

With a warm heart, the school staff would like to express our deep gratitude to the SVAA Alumni Association for your extraordinary Christmas generosity. Your collective effort has gifted joy to our dedicated team and retired members. SVAA, you are the unwavering backbone of our school, consistently supporting us in every endeavour. Your commitment embodies the spirit of unity and community that defines our cherished institution. A sincere thank you to the alumni for illuminating our holiday season with your kindness and goodwill.



Dr Jacob Anand on behalf of SVAA, handing over the Cheque to Ms. Sittara Carunia, Treasurer of Santhosha Educational Society. (In Picture all Office Bearers & Principal)

VISITORS AT CAMPUS



Rev. Mrs. Tarie Carlyon and Mr. David Price, Directors from UK (DF Corporation)



Mising Tribe from Assam, brought in by Mrs. Kavitha Densingh, FMPB, performing their traditional dance



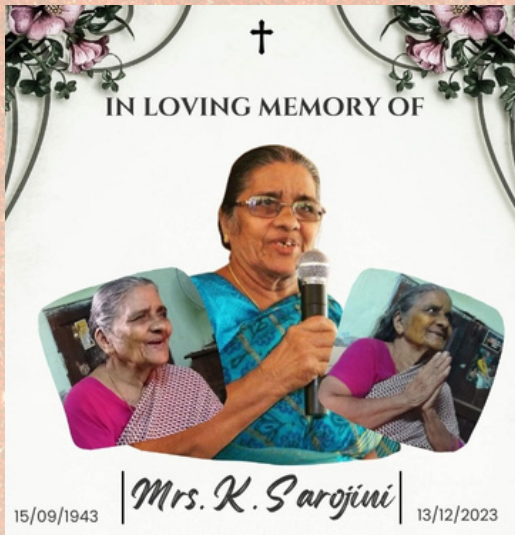
Eco club - Environmental Awareness Campaign by the XI boys



CSI Church, Dohnavur, visiting our campus during their Carol Rounds

Mid Term and Half Yearly Exams

After all the festivities, mid-term exams were conducted at our school, marking a crucial assessment period for students. The tests covered various subjects, evaluating comprehension and knowledge acquired during the term.



ETERNAL REST

In a heartfelt tribute to Sarojini Ma'am, we commemorate her unwavering dedication to the upliftment of her students. As a community, we gathered to bid farewell at her funeral service on Dec 14th. We collectively honored her enduring legacy as both a teacher and a devoted servant of God. In celebrating the profound imprint she left on hearts, we cherish the memories of a remarkable educator and compassionate soul.

**HAPPY
HOLIDAYS**

From
Dec 21st

**BACK TO
SCHOOL**

From
Jan 8th



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