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Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today.

Distinguished Guests on and off the dias, Parents, teachers, students and all who have gathered today, a great good evening to you all.

With the quickly changing employment landscape and global ecosystem, it is becoming increasingly critical that children not only learn, but more increasingly learn how to learn. Education thus, must move towards less content and more towards learning how to think critically and solve problems, how to be creative and multidisciplinary, and how to innovate, adapt and absorb new material in novel and changing fields.

With the blessings of the Almighty, we are going to successfully complete the academic year 2024-25. I am pleased to present the Annual Report for this year.

The school reopened for the academic year on June 3rd, 2024, marked by a special assembly led by students of Class IX. During this assembly, we recognized and honored students who excelled in their Class X and XII examinations.

In the 2023-24 academic year, among the students who took the Grade X examinations, three students achieved Full A1, three secured four A1, and rest of the students received high first-class grades. 11 students scored over 90%, while 8 students achieved over 80%, with the rest exceeding 70%. The highest percentage in Grade X was 99% achieved by AMINA NADHA METHAR. In Grade XII, 10 students appeared for the examination, and the top score was 445 out of 500 by ALVIN ABRAHAM DARBY.

On June 5th, we warmly welcomed 28 students to Class XI with a celebratory ceremony. This event coincided with Environment Day, where students took an oath for a greener planet and participated in exciting bird feeder and coloring competitions.

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MANAGER ST.THOMAS PUBLIC SCHOOL IRINGOLE, PERUMBAVOOR We prioritize both academic and extracurricular activities equally. In academics, we have revised the question paper pattern starting from Grade I, focusing on application-based and case study questions aligned with the CBSE Board Exam format.

Life skills activities included presentations, seminars, financial management, community service, cooking, indoor games, debates, calligraphy, and career talks, all aimed at equipping students for future success. As a part of life skill classes, students from Classes XII,XI,X, and Ix extended their support to the thaluk hospital every month. Students collected small contribution and a meal was served at the hospital by the students.

We invited speakers from various fields to discuss topics like financial management, legal studies, the importance of adolescence, and rabies awareness. Students also engaged in gardening, preparing salads, and making healthy snacks.

Logical Reasoning (LR) classes have been introduced from Grades VI to VIII to help students excel in competitive examinations. Furthermore, activities such as Taekwondo, swimming, chess, skating, dance, music, yoga, craft, artificial intelligence, and the school band contribute to their mental and physical well-being and boost their confidence.

Our school employs a student counselor, providing every student with the opportunity to meet with them at least once a year, with additional sessions arranged as needed. This initiative has been instrumental in addressing emotional and mental health concerns, helping many students build confidence and overcome learning challenges. Kindergarten students participated in numerous engaging activities, including colors day, brushing teeth day, fruit salad day, Environment Day, and Yoga Day, fostering their growth and development.

The new LKG batch was warmly welcomed on June 7th, and both students and parents were thrilled to be part of what they regard as their second home.

A Reading Day was organized on June 19th, featuring activities such as writing their favorite idiom, nursery rhyme, and story they recently read with their parents, along with tongue twisters.

Grades I and II also enjoyed a movie day with their classmates.

School council members were selected through a thorough election process, which included receiving nominations, interviews, candidate meet-and-greet sessions, and an electronic voting system. The school council consists of Master.BENNET AJI, Head Boy, Kumari. ALENTEENA SOJAN Head Girl, Master. JOHAN BIJU Assistant Head Boy, Kumari. NISHITHA SUSAN PETER, Assistant Head Girl, Master.SAM MATHEWS PANTHALANGAL Junior Head Boy, Kumari. BERIL BIBIN Junior Head Girl. The Investiture Ceremony was made special by the presence of our chief guest, Captain Manoj Kumar of the Indian Navy, who delivered an informative session on the scope of naval careers and available courses.

On Yoga Day, students from Grades VIII and IX showcased their talents through a yoga dance performance.

Our school organized a memorable anti-drug campaign in Perumbavoor Town on June 26th, 2024. This event featured a flash mob at the Perumbavoor Municipal Building, inaugurated by Municipal Chairman Mr. Biju John Jacob, followed by a mini-marathon and a valedictory function where Mr. Binu S, Excise Circle Inspector, distributed certificates and led students in a pledge against drug misuse.

A parents' orientation program was conducted by Mr. Krishnaraj, master trainer of ICT Academy of Kerala, focusing on effective parenting strategies.

Autistic Pride Day was celebrated on July 2nd, for which We invited students from Autism Special school with their teachers. Their performance and visit was very inspiring and heart touching. The teacher who accompanied, Mrs Lydia, gave a short insight on how Autism occurs and its impacts on daily life. It marked an eye opener for everyone who attended the session.

St. Thomas Day was celebrated by Grades V and VI with great enthusiasm, presenting a skit that illustrated the life of the saint, complemented by dances and songs.

Proudly we announce that ABHINANDHU UMESH cracked the Guiness World records as the youngest boy swimming across the VEMBANAD LAKE with hands tied together. He won the ASIA book of records, INDIA and International Book of records.

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MANAGER ST.THOMAS PUBLIC SCHOOL IRINGOLE, PERUMBAVOOR The highly anticipated FESTAC-GAUDIUM GALA 2024 curtain raiser took place on July 19th, showcasing competitions such as stand-up comedy, Rubik's Cube challenges, and Opanna, all of which were met with great enthusiasm.

The Civil Service Training program, organized by the Vedhik Academy, was inaugurated on August 15th, following an orientation on August 9th. Mr. Babu Sebastian, former Vice Chancellor of MG and Kannur University and founder of Vedhik Academy, officiated the inauguration. Many students registered, and the club remains active in providing free webinars and online sessions. Independence Day was celebrated on August 15th, with outstanding performances from students of Grades III and IV.

The FARMERS MARKET, which is the initiative put forward by our school, which allowed students to create and sell handmade products, receiving an immessne positive response. This event was inaugurated by PTWA President Mr. Anand.

On September 12th, Kindergarten students celebrated Onam and Onasadya with dances, skits, and competitions. The day featured various activities, including house-wise Vadamvali, teacher participation in Vadamvali, uruyadi, Onasadya, games, and performances, making for a grand celebration.

Our students participated actively in the Central Kerala Sahodaya competitions, achieving high grades and points in various categories. Noteworthy achievements include Rayan M Biju securing first place in Category I Pencil Drawing and Jennifer Anand securing second place in Category IV Watercolor Painting, Adwaith V Namboothiri securing 1st place in category 4 karnatic music also bagging third position in state level central kerala sahodaya CBSE competition.

Additionally, students excelled in athletic competitions, with Felix Paul James winning a silver medal in the under-18 boys' shot put at the 68th Ernakulam District Athletic Championship 2024-25. Also felix paul james, Justin Thomas, Irene Elsa Eldho, Neviah Gimmy Participated and won bronze medal in various events in central kerala sahodaya athletic meet held at carmel public school, Vazhakulam. Our students also secured second runner up position in the sahodaya chess championship conducted at the village international school. We also achieve overall second position in the central kerala sahodaya roller skating championship. Special mention to Muhammed Faizan who was an individual champion in his category. Abhinandhu Umesh, Jeeva Umesh, Muhammed

Faizan, Aleena Susan, Hafsa K.M, Serin Elizabeth, Johan Anish, Joshua Thomas, Jaquin Joy acquired first and second position in various events in the sahodaya skating competition.

The Hindustan Scouts and Guides Bunny Unit was inaugurated at our school on October 15th, 2024, with Mr. K Sivakumar, State Training Commissioner, HSG, as the chief guest. The KG children proudly donned their sashes and bunny uniforms, and the presence of many parents added to the event's significance. To ensure the health and well-being of all students, we conducted dental and eye check-ups for every child.

School trips were organized for different grade levels: Kindergarten to Grade II visited Chitillapilly Park, Grades III to V went to Silver Storm, Grades VI and VII enjoyed Wonderla, and Grades X and XII travelled to Munnar. A trip to Hyderabad for Grades VIII, IX, and XI is planned for January.

On October 28th, our school hosted the Perumbavoor Blooms Fest, featuring participation from 285 students in various competitions. The involvement of parents in events such as Chef de Cuisine and Dance with Mama was remarkable, and play schools from the Perumbavoor area, including Time Kids, Kiddeez, and Euro Kids, also participated enthusiastically.

This academic year we have 28 students appearing for class X Board Exam and 26 students for Class XII Board Exam. The Practical exams are expected to begin in January and theory exams in February. We are fully prepared and on track with the revisions.

With that we present all honour and grace to the Almighty for His providence and also for the blessing of the year to complete. With your permission I present the report of 2024 - 25.

Thank You.

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