

LITTLE ANGELS SCHOOL

Sector IX, Ukkunagaram



SCHOOL NEWS LETTER

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HIGHLIGHTS

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2. COMMENCEMENT OF RED HOUSE ASSEMBLY PROGRAMMES.
3. PICNIC TO SHIVAJI PARK FOR CLASS 7.
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**“SELF-
CONFIDENCE IS
NOT ABOUT
BEING THE BEST,
ITS ABOUT
BELIEVING IN
YOUR ABILITY TO
LEARN GROW
AND OVERCOME .**

“EXAMINATIONS ARE NOT JUST A TEST OF WHAT YOU KNOW, BUT A CHANCE TO SHOW HOW MUCH YOU HAVE GROWN.”

Term-I Examinations for classes LKG and UKG and Periodic Test -2 commenced from the 2nd of December 2024.

The Red House Assembly

Programmes commenced from the 9th of December 2024, marking the beginning of an engaging and purposeful series of events aimed at fostering teamwork, creativity and leadership among its members.

“A PICNIC IS A GREAT WAY TO CELEBRATE THE SIMPLE PLEASURE OF LIFE, FRESH AIR, GOOD FOOD AND TIME WITH DEAR ONES.”

The students of class 7 along with their teachers went on a picnic to ‘Shivaji Park’ – one of the most popular tourist attractions in Visakhapatnam.



Students enjoyed the green gardens, the slides and the swings.



“ENERGY SAVED IS ENERGY EARNED. LET US WORK TOWARDS A SUSTAINABLE WORLD BY EMBRACING RENEWABLE ENERGY.”

As a part of ‘National Energy Conservation Day’ the Science Club organized various activities to promote awareness about the significance of energy conservation and sustainable practices. One of the key highlights of the event was 20 minutes “Plug Out” initiative i.e from 2:30pm to 2:50pm during which all non-essential electric devices in the school were switched off. This symbolic act aimed to demonstrate how small efforts can lead to significant energy saving.

In addition an exhibition of materials related to energy conservation was set up in the premises. The display featured posters and charts explaining the importance of Energy Conservation.



Informative articles on practical tips to reduce energy consumption were displayed by the students.



“THE AIM OF ART IS TO REPRESENT NOT THE OUTWARD APPEARANCE OF THINGS, BUT THEIR INWARD SIGNIFICANCE.”

- ARISTOTLE

Art Club ‘Splash’ celebrated the Birth Anniversary of Sattiraju Lakshminarayana known professionally as ‘Bapu’ on the 13th December. Bapu was an Indian film director, painter, illustrator, cartoonist, music artist and designer known for his work in Telugu and Hindi cinema.

Principal Smt. Visalakshi, Headmistress Smt. Arundhati and teachers offered floral tributes to the portrait of the great artist. A report highlighting Bapu's achievements and his contribution to art was presented in the assembly.



Principal Smt. Visalakshi and Headmistress Smt. Arundhati gave away the prizes for the winners of the Spot Painting Competition conducted by Art Club 'Splash'.



“PAINTING IS A MEANS OF SELF-ENLIGHTENMENT.”

- JHON OSLER



Principal Smt. Visalakshi in her message encouraged the students to follow the techniques of drawing skills which not only helps them to become a good artist but also helps them in their academic activities.



In order to provide hands on learning experiences, the students of class 6 visited the ‘Vermi-Compost Unit’ on the 16th of December 2024.



The field trip aimed to enhance their understanding of sustainable waste management and the role of Vermi Culture in producing organic fertilizer.



The primary objective of the field trip was to familiarize the students with the importance of recycling organic waste and how compost is beneficial for plant growth and soil growth.



The students of classes 8 and 9 went for a picnic to Vuda Park. The picnic was a resounding success. Participants explored the lush greenery, landscaped gardens and water features.



Fun-filled activities helped enhance camaraderie among participants. The students relaxed under the shade of trees, enjoying the peaceful ambiance.



The picnic to Vuda Park provided an excellent opportunity for recreation, relaxation and bonding. The students appreciated the natural beauty and the scenic surroundings leaving everyone refreshed and energized



**“MATHEMATICS IS THE MOST BEAUTIFUL
AND MOST POWERFUL CREATION OF THE
HUMAN SPIRIT.”**

National Mathematics Day was celebrated on 21st December 2024 to commemorate the Birth Anniversary of the great Indian Mathematician ‘Srinivasa Ramanujan’. A special assembly was organized wherein the children presented various programmes.

A special pledge on Mathematics was read in the assembly with the promise to practice Maths everyday. A conversation highlighting the importance of National Mathematics Day and the achievements of Srinivasa Ramanujan was presented in the assembly.

A combo dance depicting types of angles, parallel lines and intersecting lines was presented beautifully by the students.



An exhibition was organized in the Science Lab where the students of classes 1 to 9 presented their exhibits encouraging them to make learning more engaging , interactive and practical.



Principal Smt. Visalakshi in her message advised the students to see the wonder and elegance in Mathematics by discovering the joy of patterns, the beauty of logic and the power of critical thinking. She encouraged the students to embrace Mathematics with an open mind and a positive attitude.



**“THE SCIENCE OF TODAY IS THE
TECHNOLOGY OF TOMORROW.”**

The Science Club celebrated ‘National Science Day’ on the 19th of December, 2024. To mark the occasion a Science Exhibition was organised in the school to ignite curiosity and foster a love for Science among the students. The exhibition was organized in the science lab, showcasing the innovative projects made by students of classes 1 to 5. Each class presented unique models and experiments reflecting their understanding and application of scientific concepts.

The young scientists of classes 1 to 5 exhibited simple yet engaging models, such as water cycles, solar system, light and shadow, homes of animals, road safety, seed germination etc.



The students visited the exhibition and were enthusiastic to see the models made by their classmates.



‘THE STORIES WE LOVE BEST DO LIVE IN US FOREVER.’

- J.K ROWLING

English Club ‘Alphabet’ celebrated National Short Story Day’ on the 20th of December with lot of zeal and enthusiasm. A special assembly was organized as a part of the day wherein students presented a report on the importance of the day and the guidelines to write a good story.



The Primary students narrated short stories from the 'Panchatantra'. Narration of short stories not only help the students to develop speaking skills and presentation skills but also contribute to their holistic development.



‘A STORY IS A WAY TO SAY SOMETHING THAT CAN’T BE SAID IN ANY OTHER WAY.’

- FLANNERY O’ CONNOR



Principal Smt. Visalakshi appreciated the students for beautifully narrating stories from the ‘Panchatantra’ and encouraged the students to take time to read short stories that spark one’s curiosity, to overcome obstacles, achieve goals and to think in an innovative way.



The students of classes 6 to 9 took an active participation in the 'Panchatantra Quiz' competition, a learning platform to foster both academic excellence and personal growth.



**‘ART IS NOT WHAT YOU SEE BUT WHAT YOU
MAKE OTHERS SEE’**

- EDGAR DEGAS

Art Club ‘Splash’ organized an ‘Art Exhibition’ on the 21st of December. It was a vibrant showcase of creativity and talent by students from all grades.

The event celebrated the artistic endeavours of young minds and provided a platform for students to express themselves through various medium of art.

The exhibition not only celebrated artistic skills but also encouraged budding artists to pursue their passion.

Red House conducted Interhouse Competition – I on the 21st of December. The students participated very enthusiastically in the competitions. The following competitions were conducted for classes LKG to 9.

- a) ‘Roll a ball’ for classes LKG and UKG
- b) ‘Print Finity’ for classes 1 and 2
- c) ‘Spot Fun’ for classes 3 to 5
- d) ‘Stylish Stringing’ for classes 6 to 9.

The tiny tots of Kindergarten took an active participation in the 'Roll a Ball' competition. They enjoyed rolling the ball on the circle with their hand drawn on the floor.



'TO THE WOMAN WHO DOES IT ALL WITH GRACE AND LOVE.
THANK YOU FOR EVERYTHING YOU DO.'

The students of classes 1 and 2 made New Year Greeting Cards for their mother with Vegetable Block Printing.



In the 'Spot Fun' competition the students of classes 3 to 5 enjoyed by spotting the difference among the two pictures given to them.



**‘FITNESS IS THE KEY TO A HEALTHY,
PRODUCTIVE AND HAPPY LIFE.’**

The Fit India week celebration was held from the 10th December to 21st December 2024. The programme was launched by the Government of India to promote fitness and a healthy lifestyle among citizens. Fit India week focuses on schools and students to inculcate fitness habits from a young age. The main object behind the celebration is to encourage schools to organize fitness-related activities and educate students about the importance of staying active.

Various activities were conducted as a part of 'Fitness India Week celebrations. On day 1 the students of classes 6 to 9 played traditional games which not only reflected community's history, traditions and values but also brought a sense of nostalgia and comfort.



The day 2 programme was ‘Khelo India Fitness Assessment’, where a comprehensive fitness assessment based on specific parameters to evaluate overall health, fitness and physical abilities was conducted for classes 6 to 9.

The initiative is a step towards creating a strong fitness culture and improving the overall health of the nation’s youth.



The day 3 programme was a poster making competition on importance of physical fitness. The students took an active participation in the competition.



The day 4 programme started with Yoga and Meditation in order to promote mental health and stress management. The secondary students took an active participation in the Yoga and Meditation session.



To emphasize the importance of a balanced lifestyle, teamwork and a spirit of healthy competition among participants. ‘Sports Day’ was organized as a part of Fit India week celebration. Sports Day motivates students and participants to engage in physical exercises, helping to improve their fitness levels and overall health. Sports Day fosters a sense of fair play and sportsmanship, teaching participants how to handle victories and defeats gracefully.

The students of classes 1 to 10, participated in various sports event which not revealed their hidden athletic talents but also provided an opportunity for further development in sports.



Participating in sports events boosts self-esteem and confidence.



Games were organized for teachers as a part of Fit India celebrations to promote health and well-being among educators. By involving teachers the movement aims momentum in educational institutions.



The Fit India week celebration concluded with a 'Fitness Pledge' with an aim to promote a culture of fitness and health, and to encourage students to incorporate physical activity into their daily lives a fitness pledge was taken on 20th of December in the assembly. The students along with the teachers participated in the fitness pledge.



‘AS YOU CELEBRATE THE GLORY OF THE MIRACULOUS SEASON, MAY YOUR HOME BE FILLED WITH LOVE, PEACE AND JOY. MAY THESE BLESSINGS FOLLOW YOU THROUGH OUT THE NEW YEAR.’

Christmas was celebrated with lot of joy and enthusiasm on the 24th of December. Red House organized a special assembly to celebrate the joyous festival of Christmas. The school was adorned with a beautiful Christmas tree and gleaming stars symbolizing hope, love and divine light.

The Crib or Nativity Scene which looked very lively reflects the humble circumstances of Jesus' birth.

Verses from the Bible was read by a student. These verses convey spiritual truths, moral conduct and understanding of God's relationship with humanity.



The students presented a colourful and vibrant dance with graceful moves infusing the spirit of Christmas.



The students presented melodious carols which created an atmosphere of unity and goodwill.



A skit highlighting the importance of kindness and gratitude was well-presented by the students as they reflected the core values and message of Christmas.



Principal Smt. Visalakshi extended her greetings to the students and teachers. She advised the students to remember the importance of sharing joy with those around them and cherish the values of kindness, compassion and help the less fortunate with open mind which not only strengthens our bonds but also serves as a source of blessings in time of need.

Santa Claus is a symbol of joy, generosity and the spirit of giving. Santa Claus visited the classrooms and distributed sweets to the students.

Distributing sweets adds to the festive mood and makes children happy.



The students of class 3 went to a field trip to Arogyavanam in Steel Plant. The students learnt about the different types of medicinal plants and their conservation methods.



Children gained knowledge regarding the different plant parts to be used in preparing medicines.

Mr. Subhash, officer at the Agroforestry Department explained about the names of different medicinal plants and their uses.



The last month of the year, December encourages reflection on achievements, challenges and growth over the past year. It serves as a reminder to express gratitude for the blessings and lessons learned. It is a time to set intentions for a fresh start in the coming year.

