

CELEBRATING EXCELLENCE A RADIANT MERIT DAY AT ST. MARY'S PUBLIC SCHOOL

On a splendid day marked by the promise of achievement and the spirit of celebration, St. Mary's Public School played host to an inspiring Merit Day, orchestrated by the esteemed Kochi Metro Sahodaya. The event, held in the vibrant and nurturing environment of the school, was a testament to the celebration of academic excellence and holistic development.

The day began with a warm and gracious welcome from Principal Ms. Rakhi Vijayan, whose words resonated with encouragement and pride. Following the welcome note, Ms. Deepa Chandran, President of Kochi Metro Sahodaya, delivered an inspiring Presidential Address. The inauguration of the function was marked by a traditional and symbolic lighting of the lamp, performed by Mr. P V Sreenijan, MLA, Kunnathunad. The keynote address was given by Jacob C. Mathew, Manager, St. Mary's Public School, whose insightful and motivating speech captivated the audience. The ceremony saw the felicitation of distinguished individuals by Mr. Bobby Joseph, the Secretary of Kochi Metro Sahodaya. The event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Ms. Pratheetha, Joint Secretary of Kochi Metro Sahodaya.

As the function unfolded, the atmosphere witnessed the celebration and pride. The highlight of the day was the recognition of outstanding achievers of SSC and SSCE examinations in the year 2023-24 from various schools under Kochi Metro Sahodaya. Merit Day at St. Mary's Public School was a resounding success, a day where achievement was celebrated with great fervor. The collaborative spirit of Kochi Metro Sahodaya, the warm hospitality of Principal Ms. Rakhi Vijayan, and the dignified presence of the Kochi Metro President all combined to make this event a truly memorable one.



Roots of Tomorrow: Celebrating Karshakadinam

AT ST. MARY'S PUBLIC SCHOOL



As the first light of the day bathed the school grounds in a golden glow, Principal Ms. Rakhi Vijayan and the Board Members gathered to mark the significance of Karshakadinam. The event commenced with a poignant tribute to the farmers who tirelessly cultivate the land and feed the nation. The center piece of the celebration was the Echo Club's initiative, a hands-on project that showcased the students' commitment to environmental stewardship. With a sense of purpose and enthusiasm, the Echo Club members embarked on a green mission: planting saplings in the school yard. The sapling planting was more than just an activity; it was a moment of connection with nature and a commitment to sustainability.



HARVESTING KNOWLEDGE: An Experiential Journey into **Agriculture**

From the soil beneath our feet to the fruits of our labour, agricultural work is as much an art as it is a science. Our journey took us through the fields where tradition met innovation, and where every task, whether planting, tending, or harvesting, was a step towards mastery and understanding.

On 7th August, 2024, students from classes three and four took part in a hands-on learning experience as part of The Malayala Manorama Nallapaadam initiative. The program, held at a local farm, offered the students a unique opportunity to connect with nature and understand the intricacies of agriculture.

Guided by the school manager, Mr. Jacob C Mathew, and board member, Mr. K. P Alias, along with Principal Ms. Rakhi Vijayan and their teachers, the children explored the paddy fields, planted saplings, and participated in an engaging session on farming. Kizhakkambalam agricultural officer Mr. Safna Salim, conducted an informative class covering topics such as seeds, sowing, and reaping, with assistance from the assistant agricultural officer.

The farm owner, Mr. T. T Vijayan, extended a warm welcome and guided the children through the process of planting paddy seedlings. This experiential learning opportunity not only deepened the students' appreciation for agriculture but also provided them with valuable lessons that will resonate beyond the classroom.



IGNITING MINDS: ENGLISH FEST (2024 -25)



St. Mary's Public School, Thamarachal, came alive with the vibrant energy of language and creativity on August 9, 2024, as it celebrated its much-anticipated English Fest. The event began with a solemn prayer, followed by a warm welcome speech by the Literary Club President, Hayah Fathima. The ceremonial lighting of the candle was gracefully performed by the School Manager, Mr. Jacob C Mathew, in the presence of Principal Ms.Rakhi Vijayan and Vice Principal Mr. Joseph P.A.

The day was packed with engaging activities such as JAM, Guess the Word, Word grid, monologues, declamations, skits, and performances in Western solo and dance. The event showcased the linguistic prowess and creative talents of the students, with sessions like anchoring and panel discussions adding depth to the proceedings. The day concluded on a high note with a heartfelt vote of thanks delivered by Kumari. Parvathy Santhosh, leaving everyone with cherished memories and a renewed love for the English language.



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Threads of Freedom:

A VIVID TRIBUTE TO INDIA'S INDEPENDENCE DAY

On a day brimming with patriotic fervor and national pride, St. Mary's Public School celebrated Independence Day with a ceremony that resonated with respect and admiration for the values of freedom and unity.

The festivities commenced with a warm and enthusiastic welcome speech delivered by the Head Girl, Devananda. The Presidential Address was delivered by Mr. Jacob C. Mathew, whose words were a poignant reminder of the sacrifices made for our freedom and the responsibilities we carry as citizens. The event was further distinguished by the presence of our special guest, Colonel S. Dinny. His presence added a touch of solemnity and respect to the occasion. The felicitation segment of the celebration was led by the Board Members, who always stood for their exemplary contributions to the school and the community. The event concluded with a thoughtful vote of thanks delivered by Muhammed Irfan Farris C A, Head Boy. The event began with a burst of energy and excitement, as the venue was transformed into a canvas of vivid hues and lively decorations. The centrepiece of the event was an array of cultural performances that highlighted India's diverse heritage. Through a blend of performances, interactive experiences, and heartfelt tributes, the event captured the essence of India's journey and its vibrant traditions. It was a celebration that not only entertained but also educated and inspired, leaving a lasting impact on all who attended.

