

SECONDARY - REPORT

BHAVAN'S MUNSHI VIDYASHRAM, TRIPUNITHURA

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Esteemed Chief Guest of the day Shri Dinesh Thampi ,Vice President(Operations) ,Tata Consultancy Services ,Honourable Chairman C A Venugopal C Govind, , Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Kochi Kendra, Respected Director Shri E Ramankutty , Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Kochi Kendra ,members of Kendra Committee, ,SMC Chairman Sri. Appukkuttan , members of Research and Education Wing, members of SMC, Education Officer , Bhavan's Shikshan Bharati,Smt. Usha K, PTA President Sri. P.Prajeesh Panickar, Vice Principal Smt.Remya Das, Asst. VP Smt.Nirmala V K, parents, staff , students and all well wishers ,

Namaste and good evening to all!

Education is part of the foundation of all progress and growth, both as an individual and as a society.

The unprecedented pandemic brought in its wake, a precarious time of instability and adversities. There was an overwhelming sense of unease everywhere . Yet, on reflection, these years of pandemic have also taught us resilience and the ability to bend and adapt and not break.

After an interval of two years, the school reopened on June 1st 2022. In the month of July , we bid adieu to our Principal Smt. Mini K, as she took charge as the principal of Bhavan's Vidya Mandir, Elamakara. Smt. Latha S, Vice Principal, was elevated to the post of the Principal of Bhavan's Munshi Vidyashram. Smt. Remya Das, formerly Vice Principal at Bhavan's Vidya Mandir, Eroor, took charge as the Vice Principal and Smt. Nirmala V K, took charge as the Asst. Vice Principal.

And now, the chosen time has come to look back and count on the blessings that heaven has showered on us and thank our creator for the wonderful laurels that our school could achieve. It gives me immense pleasure and pride to present before you the Annual report of Bhavan's Munshi Vidyashram, Tripunithura for the academic year 2022-2023.

EXEMPLARY ACHIEVEMENTS IN ACADEMICS

Excellence in academics is the hallmark of any good institution and class X and XII results of our school prove without any doubt that our students have made us proud.

Of the 141 students who registered for the SSCE, 117 students secured distinction and 16 students secured A1 in all subjects. Aishwaria N scored 97.6% in Science stream and Madhurima S Rudra secured 98% in Commerce Stream and became the school toppers in Class 12. Of the 148 students registered for SSE, 131 students secured distinction and 26 of them secured A1 in all subjects. Nehal Sara scored 99% thereby becoming the school topper in Class 10..

This year we have 116 students appearing for the SSCE and 113 appearing for the SSE. We bestow our blessings upon them.

The school council comprising the Captains and prefects of the Houses is headed by Senior Head Boy Shone Thomas Baiju, Senior Head Girl Vaidehi S Warriar and Senior Sports Captain Vaishakh S.

Guides is an international movement that inculcates a spirit of loyalty, patriotism and thoughtfulness for others in the young girls. The Guides extend their support and help in various activities of the school. They participated in the Independence Day parade at Collectorate ground, Kakkanad.

- Anna V Ciji and Namitha Suresh of Std X qualified for the Rajya Puraskar Test held in January 2022 and earned the certificates and badges awarded by the Governor of Kerala
- 22 Guides of our school attended a three days long Rajyapuraskar test camp at GHS, Elamakkara. Smt. Juby TJ, teacher, Dept. of Science, accompanied the team of students. Smt. Lilly Abraham, teacher, Dept. of P.E, attended the *Rajya puraskar* test camp at St. Joseph's Convent Girls High School, Chengal, Aluva.
- The investiture ceremony of 31 Guides from classes 7 and 8, was held at school on 16 November,2022.
- Smt Juby T J,from the department of Science attended a week-long advanced course for Guide Captains at Palodu, Thiruvananthapuram.

KINDERGARTEN

The new building of Bhavan's Bala Mandir was inaugurated by C A Venugopal C Govind, Chairman, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Kochi Kendra in the beginning of the academic year for the tiny tots, to unleash their creativity and innate skills in a free and spirited way.

I am filled with joy and pride to inform you that our students have participated in various National , State,zonal and district inter school competitions and brought laurels in the fields of arts, culture ,sports and technology.

- Nikhil K Menon and Siddharth S Nair of Std X and IX represented the school as part of Youth Innovators programme held at IIT, Kharagpur. Their project was ANTELLIGENCE- Earthquake detection using animal intelligence. The mentor teacher is Smt. Sreelekshmi M from the Computer Science department.
- Anuvind E N and Shreyas Parthaje of Std. X, won the CBSE Regional Science Exhibition under the theme Advancement in Information and Communication Technology and will represent the school in the National Science Exhibition to be held in Gurgaon, Haryana in February 2023.
- In connection with *TATHVA*'22 conducted by the IEEE wing of NIT, Calicut, Jayasurya P J and Aswanth Anilkumar E emerged winners for their project, **evianSTAT**, a technology to find out the exact location to dig wells.
- Students of classes IX ,X and XI attended the TYE Young Entrepreneur programme held at our school.. It is a global programme aimed at fostering our future generation of entrepreneurs. Our school team consisting of Niranjana M, Gauri V Nair, Sidharth Varma, Thejus Varma S and Athira K J of std XI, has been selected to participate in the Chapter finals of the same .
- Our school team comprising of Aswanth Anilkumar E, Vishnu Sanu Varier, Amar Saraj E.S, Alok Prasad T.V and Jayasurya P J secured Third Prize in the junior category in the paper presentation competition on 'Future Space Station Designing Challenge conducted by Vikram Sarabhai Space Center, Thiruvananthapuram in connection with World Space Week Celebrations 2022

- In the XXIV All Kerala Bhavan's Fest, our students Niranjana Manayil, A B Ardra, Milina Mathew, Rajnarayan Nair, C S Muralikrishna, Gowri Gayathri R and Chinmaya Suresh have done us proud by winning prizes
- Our students won the Third prize in the Young Journalist 2022 Competition conducted by Young Indians (Yi).
- In the International Book Festival held at Ernakulathappan Ground, our students paid a tribute to Dr. A P J Abdul Kalam, 'Jeevithathinte Naalvazhikal'- a visual presentation on the life and journey of the great scientist and visionary of India.
- A book exhibition was conducted in the school and a team of experts from the literary field adjudged Master Jayasurya P J of Std IX as the Best Reader . Pranav S Mullackal of Std VII) and Adwaitha S Nair of Std IX got a special mention.
- Gowrikrishna K U of Class XII secured second prize and cash award of Rs 5000/- in the C.A. Balagopal Ramamohan Memorial Inter School Elocution Competition *Eloquium*, conducted by the Ernakulam Branch of SIRC of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI).
- Our team emerged Runner up in Magnum Opus, the inter school fest, conducted by Bhavan's Vidya Mandir, Girinagar.
- Malavika Manoj of Class VII was selected as a Zonal Finalist in the JSW Paints Futurescapes Painting Competition in the Junior Category
- C S Murali Krishna of Std XI bagged the 3rd prize in the Senior Vocal (Boys) in Nadanirjhari, Carnatic and Instrumental Music Competition organised by Vidyodaya School, Thevakkal.
- As part of All Kerala Literary Competitions conducted by Kerala Sahithya Mandala, our student Milina Mathew of Class IX bagged first prize in Malayalam Poetry writing competition in the High School section.
- Our school team comprising of Shreyas Panikar, Advaith Praveen and K R Pranav , Amar Saraj E S, Aswanth Anilkumar E and Jayasurya P J won prizes in abhyudaya@75 organized by Bhavan's Adarsha Vidyalaya.
- Nandika M Nair of Class VI and Nivedhya Sreenath of Class III won second prize in the Inter-School Gita Recitation Competition conducted by Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Thrissur Kendra

- Shreyas Panicker of Std VII secured Second prize in category I in the Champion Inter-school Sports Quiz Grand 2022 conducted by Champion School, Cochin.
- Niveditha V of Std VI won third prize in ‘Abhinaya Chaturi’, and Vyshnavi Muraleedharan of Class IX won third prize in ‘*Vartasamayaha*’ as part of the Inter School Literary Competition, Samskritamritam held at Vidyodaya School, Thevakkal.
- Malavika Manoj and Dyuthi Ajesh of std VII bagged first place in Chromatematico - Maths Meet Art, held at Bhavan’s Adarsha Vidyalaya, Kakkanad.
- Gayathri S Ganesh of class XI secured second prize in the Inter-school Maths Quiz Competition 'SQUIRCLE 2k22' conducted by Sree Narayana Public School, Poothotta.
- Akshith Unnikrishnan and S Shashwat of class XI, and Siddharth S Nair of class IX secured Second prize in 'The man who knew infinity', presentation of a video based on an incident from the life of Mathematical wizard Srinivasa Ramanujan , in Ganit Wizard - an inter school mathematics competition conducted by BVM, Girinagar. Aditya Rajagopal and Aravind Nair P of Class V bagged second prize in - Little Brainiac, Maths Quiz competition.(Part of Ganit Wizard). Our school emerged as the winners of the Ganit Wizard.
- In the Inter-school competition 'Freedom Quest' conducted by Al Ameen Public School, Edappally, we emerged the first runner-up.
- In the International Yoga Championship, YOGA UTHSAV 2022, conducted by Patanjali Yoga Training and Research Centre, Hrishikesh Praveen of Class V secured Second Prize in the Sub Junior Category.

SPORTS & GAMES

Our students made their mark in all levels of the sporting pyramid during the 2022 - ‘23 schedule.

- In the CBSE Cluster XI Kho-Kho championship our Boys’ team emerged as the Winners and participated in the Nationals held at Dr. Dev Raj D.A.V. Senior Secondary Public School, Sangrur, Punjab.

In the cluster XI Kho Kho championship Diya Dileep of Std 7 was adjudged the Most promising player, Jins P J of Std 8 as the best player and John George of Std 8 as the Best Defender and the Girls' team bagged the Third position.

- Sreenithi V of Std. VII and Sidharth Varma of Std. XI will be participating in the CBSE National Athletic Meet to be held from 1st February 2023 at Varanasi in Uttar Pradesh.
- Our school emerged Second Runner Up in the Under 19 Girls CBSE Cluster XI Volleyball Tournament organized by CBSE and hosted by Bhavan's Newsprint Vidyalaya.
- Jins P J and John George of class VIII and Adith Krishna of class VII have been selected to the Ernakulam Sub Junior Kho Kho team. They will be representing the District in the forthcoming State Championship at Calicut.
- Our school emerged champions in the Kochi Sahodaya Inter School Athletic Meet 2022 in which 34 city schools had participated.
- Our school emerged overall champions in the Ernakulam District Kids Athletic Meet held at St Peter's college, Kolenchery.
- In the 1st Kerala State Kid's Athletics Championship held at St. Peter's college, Kolenchery BMV team emerged Runner up in Level-2 Girls category.
- The school won the Ever-rolling trophy in the Inter-school Soccer Tournament held at Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Tripunithura. Shone Thomas Baiju was adjudged as the Player of the Tournament and Jireh Siloam Lakra was adjudged the Best Goal Keeper.
- Riswin T J of Std V won an award for swimming across the Periyar river at Aluva conducted by the Valasseril River Swimming Club.
- In the Kerala State Inter district Tennis Championship held at RSC Kadavanthra, Parvana P Nair of Std VIII emerged winner in the Under 14 and Under 16 Girls Category.
- In the Dr. Tony Daniel Memorial 66th Ernakulam District Athletics Championship held at M.A College Ground Kothamangalam, the following students bagged prizes:

Devdath V.S- Class 10, Gold medal in Javelin.

Sidharth Varma- Class 11, Bronze in High jump

Shone Thomas Bajju - Class 12, Gold medal in 400 metres race.

- In the All Kerala Inter-School Shuttle Badminton Tournament 2022, our students, Mainusara Vinod of class VIII and Dakshina C P of Class III secured the Runner-up position in the Under- 14 Girls category.
- In the Ageas Federal Kochi Spice Coast Marathon 2022, Nriya Mahesh of Std V secured the title of the youngest female participant who has successfully completed the 21.1 Km Half Marathon .
- Mainu Sara Vinod of Class VIII, Sree Parvathy V of Class X , Dakshina C P of Class III and Shivani S Sharma of Class VIII secured 2nd position in the Super Serve Inter- School Badminton tournament 2022-23 in the Under 17 Girls category conducted by Global Public School, Thiruvaniyoor.
- In the Rajagiri Feather Drop Badminton Championship 2022 ,Mainu Sara Vinod of Class VIII and Sree Parvathy V of Class X bagged first prize in the Under 17 Girls' Doubles event and Mainu Sara Vinod bagged first prize in the Under 15 and 17 Girls' Singles event.
- Our girls' Football and Kho Kho teams emerged winners in the Sri S Ramakrishnaji Memorial Girls' Games Meet 2022-23, held at Bhavan's Vidya Mandir, Eror, Meria Rachel Binu of Std XI was declared the Best Football player of the tournament and Annmary Bejoy of Std IX won the trophy for the Best chaser in the Kho Kho tournament.

QUIZ CONTESTS

- The school bagged the First Runner- up trophy in the Quizzobuz - India@75 interschool quiz competition held in connection with 'Suvarnashobha', the Golden Jubilee Celebrations of Bhavan's Vidya Mandir, Elamakkara.
- Our students Niranjana Manayil of class IX and S Krishnaprasad of Class VIII won the second prize in the Quiz event in 'Freedom Quest', an Inter-school competition conducted by Al Ameen Public School, Edappally.

IMPLEMENTATION OF NEP 2020

- **Introduction of Foundational literacy and numeracy**

As per NEP 2020, latest pedagogical interventions like Toy Paedagogy, Joyful Learning and Storytelling as pedagogy have been introduced in the primary classes.

To improve the awareness, develop skills and make children industry-smart, skill development modules have been introduced in middle school. Modules on financial literacy are being transacted for students of Standard VI, VII and VIII and Artificial intelligence has been made a part of the curricular transaction in classes IX and X and this year it is introduced as the sixth optional subject in Std XI .

ORATORY CLUB

Oratory club, initiated by the Department of English, is a vibrant, creative and innovative public speaking forum which caters to providing students with a perfect environment to hone their speaking skills.

- **Reduction of Bag Weight**

A study on the factors affecting weight of the bag was conducted by the teachers. After an analysis of the findings, the following steps were taken

(i) Children were advised to bring empty water bottles and fill in water from the water dispensers at school.

(ii) A schedule was drawn in such a way that the children need not carry the textbooks to school daily.

INCLUSIVE EDUCATION FACILITY

We have around 50 children who come under CWSN from classes KG to Std VIII and three Educators in this department. These students attend the regular classes with their peers and get the required support from the teachers and remedial educators who are trained in special education. Our Health and wellness teacher provides all the support to children in need, especially post pandemic

CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Principal Smt. Latha S was one among the selected 200 principals across the country ,chosen as master trainer in SCHOOL HEALTH and WELLNESS Program organized by Government of India, UNESCO, NCERT and CBSE . She attended a week-long training in NCERT ,Delhi and in turn is training school health and wellness coordinators under the auspices of CBSE,COE , Thiruvananthapuram.
 - **Certificate of Recognition** by Computer Science Academicians Wave as the Global CS Ambassador for the excellence in leadership in promoting Computer Science Education, was awarded to the Principal, Smt. Latha S.
 - Smt. Meera Venugopal , teacher, Department of Science , received an appreciation award for being the top performer of 20th Management Development Programme on Gamification for Learning and Development conducted by School of Management Studies CUSAT, in association with RESORCIO.
 - Principal, Smt.Latha S, acted as a resource person for CBSE COE PRP and CBP programs on Cyber Safety and Security. She also acted as Resource person for various online and offline sessions of CBSE including NEP 2020.
 - Vice Principal, Smt.Remya Das acted as a resource person for subject specific CBP - Physics for senior secondary teachers.
 - Our school was the venue for the training on Integrated Payment System . Smt. Latha S, Principal, was the Resource person for the training in which Principals of around 60 schools from the city participated.
 - Sri Hareendranath K, Teacher, Dept. of Physical Education was the Resource Person in the CBP on Health and Physical education.
 - Smt. Preethi Prabhas, teacher, Dept. of English brought laurels to our institution by winning the prestigious **Inspirational Guru Award 2022**, from the renowned author, Sri. Chetan Bhagat, in an award ceremony organised by Sri Saraswati Vidya Mandir, Tamil Nadu. She also authored a novel ‘The Lord Of The Crystal’ which was released online.
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- Principal Smt. Latha S attended a workshop on the topic ‘Leadership 4.0 - A Retreat for High Potential School Leaders’ from 27th July 2022 to 30th July 2022 at Indian Institute of Management, Kozhikode.
 - Vice Principal, Smt. Remya Das attended CBSE PRP Program on Creative and Critical Thinking at Amrita Vidyalayam, Edapally.

- Smt. Nirmala V K, Assistant Vice Principal, attended a workshop on ‘Prevention and Resolution of Disputes’ organised by Kochi Sahodaya School Complex.
- The faculties in the Dept. of Science attended a three day All India Conference for Science teachers *DISHA* held at Bhavan’s Vidya Mandir, Elamakkara, organized by Bhavan's Research and Development Center, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan Azim Premji foundation.
- Teachers of the Commerce Department attended a Subject Specific Training organised by Bhavan’s Education and research wing. The Resource person was Dr. Rajagopala Nair, Dean, Bhavan’s Royal Institute of Management, Thiruvamkulam.

STUDENT EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMMES

Bhavan’s Munshi Vidyashram caters to the needs of children by conducting various awareness programmes and talks which indeed enrich them with positive thoughts.

- As part of the academic association School Guild with Rajagiri School of Engineering and Technology, our students visited the college to participate in the Inspire STEM Awareness Expo. As part of the same program, Smt. Srilekshmi M and Smt. Reshma Raju of Dept. of Computer Science accompanied a team of 30 students to the High Performance Computing lab and Fabrication Laboratory at RSET.
- SALT(Startup Awareness and Leadership Training) a week long awareness Programme was organised for students of classes 9 to 12 by Innovation and Entrepreneurship development Centre, at Bhavan’s Royal Institute of Management, Tripunithura.
- We are glad to inform you that our school has joined hands with KRUU, a unified platform that connects students in middle and high schools with top minds in higher education globally. The KRUU programme was launched with effect from 20 January 2023.

- In connection with International day against Drug abuse and trafficking, an awareness talk was given to children by Mr K V Raju, trainer in state excise Academy, resource person in KILA.
- An awareness class was organised by ICDS for students of Std VIII on the topic 'Physical and Mental Health of Adolescents'.
- In the reach out programme conducted by VSSC, Sri. Suresh Nair, Deputy project director, PSLV Project addressed the students of Std 8 on the topic Space Technology and its opportunities.
- A talk on 'Sky watching' by Sri Anujan S was organised for students of std VIII.
- An awareness class on Health and Hygiene '*Susthiti*' by Ms. Remya M R was organised for the students of Std 7 to 11.
- As a part of the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav celebration, 'VANDE MATARAM', a play by Apple Cart Theatre Group led by the celebrated lyricist and Music Director, Sri. Santhosh Varma, was staged in the school.

Margadarsanam

- A career guidance session was conducted for students of class XII by Bhavan's College of Arts and Commerce, Kakkanad. An expert team of Faculty members handled the session.
- A session on 'Scope of Humanities stream' was conducted for students of class 10 by Reshma Jolly, an alumna of our school and an author
- Various sessions on Career Guidance were organised for the students of Classes IX to XII by Dr. Rajagopala Nair, Dean, Bhavan's Royal Institute of Management, Tripunithura.
- An Event management session 'Doing Things the Manager's Way' was conducted for the students of Class XI by team members from Bhavan's Royal Institute of Management, Tripunithura.

PTA

- The PTA continues to extend their help and support in the activities of the school. The PTA generously supported us in many programmes. A

motivational class by R J Sharat, former teacher of our school on ways to reduce examination stress among students, was arranged for students of 10 and 12 .

- The PTA Day was celebrated with all fanfare and festivities on January 28. The cultural event was inaugurated by the ‘Malikappuram team’.

IMPORTANT DAYS CELEBRATED

To mark the significance of the national , international and cultural days,several programmes and functions were organised. Environment Day, International Yoga Day, Gurupoornima, Ramayana Week, Hiroshima Day, Independence Day, Republic Day, Teachers’ Day, Janmashtami, Gandhi Jayanthi, Founder’s Day ,Hindi Day, Sanskrit Day, Children’s Day, Onam, Navaratri ,Kerala Piravi ,Christmas and PTA day were observed and celebrated in the most befitting manner .

IMPORTANT EVENTS HOSTED BY THE SCHOOL

- **It was a moment of great pride and honour for our school to host the XXIV All Kerala Bhavan’s Cultural Fest. Around thousand students from 30 Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan schools across Kerala participated in the fest.**
- Our school conducted *Abhiruchi*-the teachers’ conclave, an initiative of the research wing of Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Kochi Kendra,for bringing the teaching methodologies/pedagogies in alignment with NEP 2020. The prizes for the teacher achievers will be distributed today.
- A Prospective Resource Persons programme in NEP 2020 ,of CBSE ,COE,Thiruvananthapuram was hosted by our school, in which around 80 principals from all over the state participated
- The school hosted **Srushti 2022- Enigma**, the Inter-School Quiz Competition on 12 August 2022 in which 300 students from over seventeen CBSE schools in the distric participated.
- Merit Day- Prathibha Sangamam 2022 was organised at school to honour the bright sparks of SSE and SSCE. Professor of International School of Photonics & Dean of Cochin University of Science and Technology, Sri. M Kailasnath, was the Chief Guest.

- Our school was the venue for All Kerala Subject Specific Training for Computer Science Teachers. Mr. Anoop Thomas, Assistant Professor, Rajagiri School of Engineering and Technology, Kakkanad conducted a session on ‘Arduino Programming and Artificial Intelligence’.

HEALTH CHECKUP

- ‘Health is happy, health is hearty, health is happiness’-upholding this statement we conduct health checkups every year for the students of classes 1 to XII to ensure good health and hygiene among students.

NEWS PAPER IN EDUCATION

- To sensitise the children to contemporary issues and to help them develop critical thinking and strong reading habits, the Student Edition of ‘The Times of India’ and ‘The Hindu’ are distributed among students of classes VI to XII.

STUDY TOURS

Study tours were organised for students of various classes as they provide great opportunities for children to cherish lifelong experiences and also helps in their personal development.

SOCIAL CONSCIOUSNESS

Our school has always extended a helping hand to the less privileged section of our society. As a part of this noble gesture, the ‘*Kanivu*’ charity programme took initiative and gifted 20 less privileged children with school bags and learning materials in the beginning of the new academic year. We distributed provision and vegetable kits to the non-teaching staff and to deserving families in the neighbourhood. Our students took part in the anti-drug campaign ‘*Laharikethire lakshyadeepam*’, as part of ‘*Nalla Paadam*’, programme. Our school donated diapers and catheters to the patients in palliative care at the Ernakulam General Hospital.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This report presents the achievements of the year gone by and at the same time sets the path for greater accomplishments in the years to come. I would like to express my deepest gratitude to our Chairman, C A Venugopal C Govind, Director, Sri. E Ramankutty, Members of Kendra Committee, members of Research and Education Wing , SMC and PTA ,whose efforts to uphold the ideology of education has enabled the school to reach these heights. I also wish to thank all the students, parents, teachers and the non-teaching staff for their unstinted support in taking the school forward.

Thank you