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On October 2nd, our school members gathered to celebrate the joyous occasion of Navaratri with the traditional Golu Puja. This festival, which spans nine days, honors the divine feminine energy and is marked by vibrant decorations, music, and dance.

Celebrating Navaratri: A Vibrant Start to Golu



Our students and teachers came together to create a beautiful display of idols and traditional items, showcasing the rich cultural heritage of our community. The atmosphere was filled with excitement as everyone participated in the rituals and sang devotional songs and slogans.

The celebration not only fostered a sense of unity and devotion but also provided an opportunity for students to learn about the importance of traditions and the values they embody. As we continue this festive journey, let us embrace the spirit of Navaratri with joy and togetherness.



**“ If I have the belief that I can do it,
I shall surely acquire the capacity to do it
even if I may not have it at the beginning.”**

-Mahatma Gandhi

**2nd October -
Happy Gandhi
Jayanthi**

We are excited to share that **M. Ashwin Rubath** of 6th standard student, has claimed **1st place** in kumite at the **4th South India Open Karate Championship 2024!** conducted on 6th October. This remarkable achievement is the result of his hard work, determination, and skill.

Spotlight on Excellence: Ashwin's Shine



We couldn't be prouder of Ashwin's accomplishment and are grateful to Mr. Vinoth Kumar for fostering such talent in our school. Congratulations, Ashwin! Your achievement inspires us all!

Ashwin's success is a reflection of not just his talent, but also the invaluable support from his Karate master, Mr. Vinoth Kumar. Under his expert guidance, Ashwin has honed his techniques and embraced the spirit of martial arts, proving that dedication truly pays off.

Together We Thrive: A Celebration of Partnership

The Parent-Teacher Meeting on 10th October was marked by an exceptional turnout, with **759 out of 816** parents attending and signing in their children's report cards. This remarkable attendance showcased parents' commitment to their children's educational progress. The event was filled with meaningful discussions, with parents and teachers working together to review student progress, address any challenges, and celebrate recent achievements. Teachers shared their feedback about each student to their parents.



Under the guidance of our dedicated Scout Master, Mr. Rajesh, Scouts students played a key role in ensuring the event ran smoothly. They assisted parents by guiding them to the respective classrooms with warmth and professionalism, enhancing the overall experience for everyone involved.

PARENT
TEACHER MEETING

Education is a shared commitment between dedicated teachers, motivated students and enthusiastic parents with high expectations. - Bob Beuprez

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Vijayadasami Celebration and New Admissions at Our School

This year, our school celebrated Vijayadasami with great enthusiasm and joy on 11th October. The event was presided over by our esteemed Director sir, **Dr. R. Chezhan**, who not only inspired us with his words but also led the puja ceremony, invoking blessings for our school.

As part of the festivities, our dedicated teachers sang devotional songs, filling the atmosphere with spirituality and positivity. Following the rituals, our director sir, **Dr. R. Chezhan** performed puja for our school vehicle, ensuring a safe and prosperous journey for all our students.



We also welcomed 10 new admissions, marking a significant milestone for our school. To commemorate this occasion, sweets were distributed to all parents who attended, fostering a sense of community and togetherness. In a special gesture, gifts and sweets were presented to the Exupery family, recognizing their invaluable support to our school.



The victory of good over evil is a reminder that no matter how dark the night, dawn will always break.



As we committed to provide the best early learning experiences, our school has partnered with the Chrysalis curriculum for more than 10 years for Kindergarten. This carefully designed program aims to spark curiosity and foster creative thinking among our young learners, setting a strong foundation for lifelong exploration and learning.

Through Chrysalis, we aim to nurture holistic development in every child. By engaging their imaginations and encouraging them to question and explore, we believe this curriculum will help your child develop a well-rounded understanding of the world around them.



Chrysalis Coordinator's Visit Enhances KG Thinkroom Participation

On 21st October, our Chrysalis coordinator Mr. Delphine who participated in Thinkroom activities across all four KG classes. He conducted story assessments designed to evaluate comprehension and storytelling skills, allowing each child to express their understanding and responses.

Following the Thinkroom visits, an in-depth review meeting took place in the afternoon, where Mr. Delphine shared constructive feedback with our teachers. This session offered actionable strategies to further nurture the children's imagination, curiosity, and language development within our Thinkroom program.



Fire Safety Awareness for a Joyous Diwali

On October 28, 2024, our school had the privilege of hosting a vital fire safety awareness session led by local firefighters, including Mr. Yuvaraj and his dedicated team. As Diwali approaches, this event aimed to equip students with essential knowledge to ensure a safe and responsible celebration.

The session began with an engaging discussion on the importance of fire safety during the festivities. Mr. Yuvaraj highlighted key do's and don'ts for handling fireworks and other fire-related materials.



One of the session's highlights was a demonstration of fire extinguishing techniques. Students learned the PASS method—Pull, Aim, Squeeze, and Sweep. Ms. Gurupriya and Koventhan from 9th standard showcased this technique, demonstrating how to safely put out a fire with a fire extinguisher.

Additionally, the firefighters asked students about emergency contact numbers, emphasizing the importance of knowing whom to call when a crisis occurs.

The team also discussed alternative methods for extinguishing fires, such as using a wet sack or sand. It was showcased by Ms. Ranthini and Vasanth of 9th standard.

To reinforce the information shared, the firefighters distributed informative flyers detailing safety protocols and tips for a safe Diwali celebration.



Diwali Celebrations Spark Creativity in School

In the spirit of Diwali, our school conducted a series of vibrant competitions for students from classes 1 to 12, allowing them to showcase their creativity and celebrate the festival of lights. Each class group had a unique competition, designed to inspire their artistic and innovative skills.



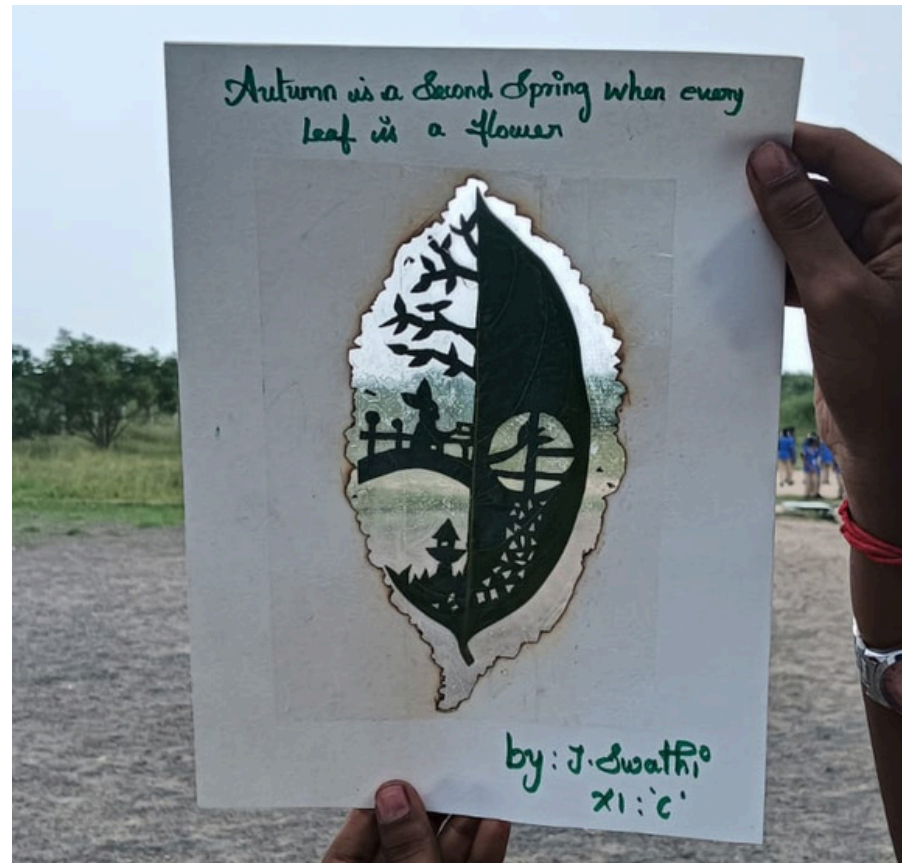
Our youngest students in classes 1 and 2 delighted everyone with a Fancy Show, dressing up and performing with enthusiasm. Students from classes 3 and 4 explored their creativity with Vegetable Impression art, using simple produce to create beautiful patterns and images. The "Waste to Best" challenge for classes 5 and 6 encouraged environmental awareness, as they transformed recyclable materials into inventive crafts.



Classes 7 and 8 worked meticulously on Diya and Kite Making, crafting vibrant pieces that symbolized joy and festivity.



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Students in classes 9 and 10 expressed their wishes for Diwali through handmade Greeting Cards, each reflecting a personal touch and artistic expression. The senior-most students, classes 11 and 12, created Leaf Art, demonstrating patience and precision in their intricate designs.



The winners of each competition were awarded certificates and prizes in recognition of their outstanding efforts and dedication. Through these activities, students not only celebrated Diwali with enthusiasm but also honed their skills, creativity, and environmental awareness.

Sparks of Kindness: Celebrating Diwali Through Joy and Giving

On 30th October, our school sparkled with joy and excitement as we celebrated Diwali, the Festival of Lights! The day was filled with vibrant colors, traditional attire, and cheerful festivities, bringing together students and staff in the true spirit of togetherness and harmony.

Our students performed a variety of cultural programs, including dances, skits, and songs, and Diwali Message shared by Mrs. Ranthini miss showcasing the essence and stories behind Diwali.



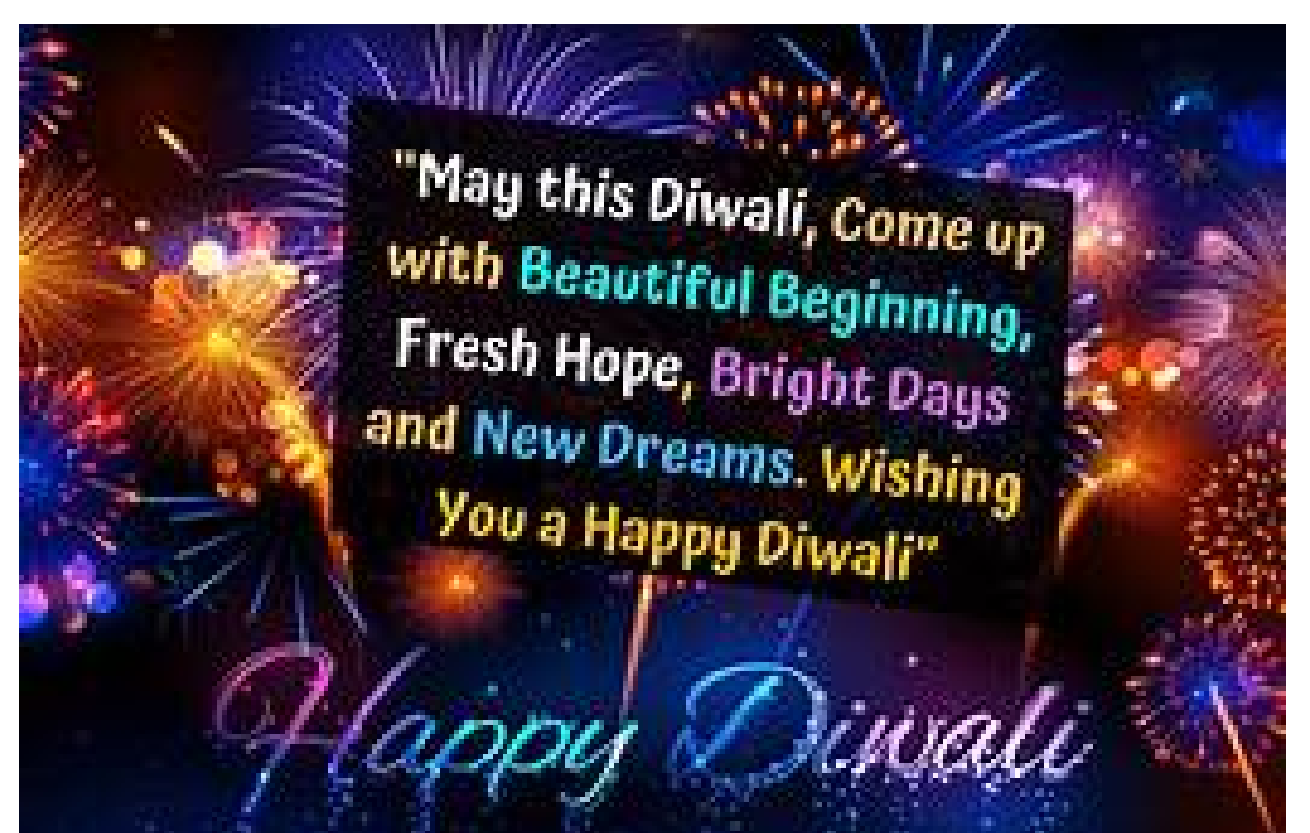
Principal ma'am expressed heartfelt gratitude to the celebration team for their dedicated efforts in organizing such a beautiful event. ma'am also emphasized the safety reminders shared by the firefighters, encouraging everyone to celebrate a safe and eco-friendly Diwali.

The celebration team spearheaded charitable initiatives to support local children's homes and old age homes. With the generous contributions from our students and teachers, we raised substantial funds for these meaningful causes.



On the evening of Diwali, our 12th-grade students and teachers visited the children's home in Kadapakkam. We provided Rs. 4,500 for a special dinner, along with sweets and crackers to spread joy among the children. Their smiles were a reflection to the impact of our efforts. Additionally, we donated Rs. 2,500 to the local old age home, ensuring that they, too, could enjoy a festive meal on Friday.

This celebration was not just about festivities but also about creating connections and spreading happiness. Thank you to everyone who participated and contributed, making this Diwali a true festival of light, love, and compassion! Let's continue to illuminate hearts and make a difference in the lives of those around us.



Sports News

Student Shines at District Tournament: Perunchithiran Wins Gold in 400m

We are excited to announce that our talented student, Perunchithiran, has brought pride to our school by winning the gold medal in the 400-meter running event at the District level Tournament, held at the prestigious Nehru Stadium. His dedication, resilience, and tireless effort have truly paid off, earning him this remarkable achievement.

This victory is an evidence not only to Perunchithiran's hard work but also to the commitment of our Physical Education department, led by our P.T. master Mr. Vignesh whose guidance and support were instrumental in Perunchithiran's journey. Congratulations to Perunchithiran and all those who supported him!



Exciting News from the District Level Basketball Championship!

It's our pleasure to share the remarkable journey of our school's Under-19 basketball team at the recent district-level championship held 19th October at Tambaram Monfort School. After an impressive performance at the zonal level, our boys advanced to compete against some of the best teams in the district.

Throughout the tournament, they displayed exceptional teamwork, skill, and determination.



Their hard work paid off as they made it to the semifinals, where they secured a convincing victory, propelling them into the finals.

In a nail-biting championship match, our students fought valiantly, showing incredible sportsmanship and resilience.

They missed the title by just one point! This close finish is an evidence to their dedication and talent.

We are incredibly proud of our boys for their outstanding performance and commend their efforts. This experience will undoubtedly pave the way for even greater achievements in the future.

Congratulations to our team for their hard work and commitment!

Let's continue to support our basket ball players as they strive for excellence in the upcoming events!



Triumphant in Track Events: Our Champions Shine in Hurdles

We are happy to share the achievements of our young athletes who have made us all proud with their outstanding performance in the recent Zonal Hurdles Tournament. Two of our talented students **Edunan - XII & Nirmal - XI** showcased their dedication and skill, securing victory at the zonal level and earning a place in the District Hurdles Tournament. Competing against the best in the district, at Chennai Madras Christian College they displayed resilience and determination, ultimately achieving an impressive 4th place.

Their journey from zonal champions to district is the award to their hard work and passion for athletics. Congratulations to our champions for this well-deserved recognition and for inspiring us all with their accomplishments. We are excited to see their future successes and wish them the very best as they continue to make strides in the world of sports.



District-Level Chess Competition Triumph

We are proud to announce our students' commendable performance in the District-Level Chess Competition held on October 21 at St. Mary's Matriculation School, Kadapakkam. The event brought together talented young minds from across the district, and our students showed remarkable skill and determination.

With 14 participants from our school, we are thrilled to report that many won trophy medals and certificates, showcasing not only their strategic thinking but also their dedication and sportsmanship.

Their achievements reflect the hard work and passion they bring to the game of chess, and we congratulate each of them for their impressive performance.



Our heartfelt thanks to the coaches, parents, and staff members who supported our students every step of the way. We look forward to more such accomplishments in the future and are excited to continue nurturing young talent in our school.



Message from School

At Saint Exupery School, education is a journey beyond textbooks—it's a path toward shaping minds and nurturing character.

Each day here is crafted to ignite curiosity, empower creativity, and build strength in every student. With the passion of our teachers and the steadfast support of families, we're cultivating a space where young minds can flourish, dream, and lead with purpose.

As we forge ahead, the future brims with promise and possibility. Together, let's continue to inspire, uplift, and guide our students to reach new horizons and create a meaningful impact on the world.

Thank you for being a valued part of our journey!



Thank you