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General Academics

Re – Opening Day

School Re-opened on 1st June and the grand Re-opening Day was conducted on Tuesday, 13th June. Rev. Fr. Samji Vadakkedom CMI (Principal, K E Carmel Muhamma) inaugurated the function. Smt. Jalaja Kumari (President, Champakulam Gramapanchayat) felicitated the function. Rev. Fr. Subin Kottoor CMI Principal welcomed all to the programme. KG opened on 6th June and XI opened on 12th June.

Academics - Board Results

We have achieved 100% pass for Class – X Board Exam, out of 107, 17 students secured 90% above and 47 students got 80% above. Class – 10th toppers are Juni Maria Biju and Christo Joseph.

Class XII topper is Kumari Alphy Maria Joji with 95%. Out of 47 students of XII, 7 secured 90% above and 27 students got 80% above. We got 100% pass in both 10th and 12th Board Exams .

Exams

In line with CBSE, all the prescribed exams are conducted time bound under the titles PT -1, PT – 2, PT – 3, Half Yearly & Annual Exams. Different competitive exams like Sugama Hindi, PCM and many more exams are conducted to enable the students to compete with the present day needs. Porukara is an exam centre for CBSE Board Exam, NEET Exam and NIOS Exam.

Scholarship Exams

Like every academic year, this academic year too, a large number of students are appeared for the various exams which were conducted by the outside bodies and bagged many prizes.

Recognition And Awards

Many of the porukarities participated in various competitions and bagged many prizes. All Kerala Inter School English Grammar Contest, All Kerala Quiz & Melody Completions, Vijnanakairali Exam, Maths Olympiad, Green Olympiad, Independence Day celebration connection with Dhanalakshmi Bank are a few among them.

Alappuzha Sahodaya Educational Expo

Alappuzha Sahodaya Educational Expo 2023 was conducted this year too. Porukara organised an Educational Expo on 20th and 21st October 2023 in collaboration with the Alappuzha Sahodaya Competition. Chief Guest of the inaugural ceremony was Sri.P. Prasad, Minister for Agriculture. Participants from 24 schools in and around Alappuzha attended the competition. External agencies like ISRO, Believer's Medical College, St.Rita's Hospital, Saintgits College and many more took part in the exhibition and provided wide range of awareness and guidance to the public. A planetarium was arranged along with several stalls like Nano Robotics, Rice Research Centre Moncombu, Display of weaving and Spinning Machineries, Game Corner, Food Courts, Clothes and apparels etc... added beauty to the event.

Orientation Programme for Teachers

During the summer holidays a one day orientation programme was organized for the teachers under COE.

In-service Programme

All subject teachers attended the subject wise programmes by CBSE hosted by Alappuzha Sahodaya .

English	-	Ms. Leenamma Thomas, Ms. Priyanka Kuriakose
Maths	-	Ms. Maria Tresa , Ms. Mariamma. C
Malayalam	-	Mr. D. Binu Kumar, Ms. Sunimole.S
Social Science	-	Ms. Jasmin Joseph, Ms. Saranya M.K
Science	-	Ms. Manju .P. Kuruvila, Ms. Ambili E.R, Ms.Raji .R
Hindi	-	Ms. Roshini.R, Ms. Swapna Devi.S
Computer Science	-	All the Computer Teachers
K.G Teachers	-	All the KG Teachers

The following teachers attended the training programme conducted by CBSE.

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| 1. Roshini.R | - | Centre of Excellence | - | Inservice Programme |
| 2. Radhika R | - | Two day's Principal's Training | - | All Kerala Sahodaya -
Principal's Conference |

COE Programmes – 50 hours Online Training.

All the teachers attended 50 hours online training and received certificates as per CBSE

Investiture ceremony

It was a solemn occasion where the young students were all prepared to do the mantle of the leadership and responsibility. The investiture ceremony for the academic session 2023-24 was inaugurated by Mr.G.Sureshkumar, CI, Nedumudy on 22nd June 2023.

The elected office bears were :

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| Head Boy | - | Surya Kiran (XI – B) |
| Head Girl | - | Aksa George (XI – A) |
| Arts Cub Secretary | - | Sheethal Syam (IX - A) |
| Magazine Editor | - | Elsna Chakkankary Joseph(XI- B) |
| Sports Captain | - | Gautham Sankar(XI – A) |

Arts Day - Arangu & House Fest

Arangu -2023 -24 provides the Porukarites ample opportunity to perform cultural and literary activities. We have celebrated 'Arangu' and "House Fest" on 3rd & 4th August 2023 which was inaugurated by Dr. Neethu Joseph (T.D Medical College,Vandanam) Rev. Fr. James Madathilchira CMI felicitated the function. The four houses of Porukara, Emerald, Ruby, Amber and Sapphire competed with enthusiasm and grabbed many prizes in the competitions.

Celebrations

Onam Celebration

With nostalgic memories, Onam was celebrated on 24th August for KG to std IV . Mr. Varghese Antony, Teacher, St Joseph's H.S Changanasserry and for std V to XII ,it was on 25th August and the chief guest of the day was " Rev.Fr. Ankit Cheenchotu CMI.

Kerala Piravi

The Kerala Piravi day celebration was held on 1st November 2023. The guest of the day was Fr. Tomy Elavunkal CMI. Our Manager Rev.Fr. Chacko Akkathara CMI felicitated the event.

Sports Day

Sports Day for Pre-Kg to -Std IV had is on 16th November 2023 and for V to XII had their sports day on 17th November . The guests of the day were Sri. N. Rajesh, Sub Inspector of Police, Nedumudi and Sri. Anilkumar. S.I of Nedumudi.

Christmas

Christmas was celebrated with a valuble message to the society. "Sharing is Caring " is being spread through this event in the form of "orupidi Nanma". As part of this noble thought, three poor families were adopted Rev.Fr. Antony Elamthottam CMI, Provincial, St Joseph's Province, Trivandrum was our chief guest . Smt. Jalajakumari, Champakulam Panchayat President, and Mr. Thomas Joseph, ward member felicitated the event.

Day Celebrations

Reading Day

Reading day was celebrated on 19th June, various competitions like Debate on 'Artificial Intelligence 'and book review competitions were conducted.

Independence Day

The 76th Independence Day celebration was held on 15th August 2023,Smt Binu Isaac Raju, District Development Standing Committe Chairperson, Alappuzha delivered the message.

Environmental Day Celebration

Environmental Day celebration was held on Monday ,5th June 2023. Rev. Fr. Jossy Kollamalil CMI, Principal, Porukara College of Advanced Studies inaugurated the event. Dr. Annie Mathew (Asst. Director of Agriculture ,Dep. Alappuzha felicitated the function.

Yoga Day

International Yoga day was celebrated on 21st june 2023 by our trained students.

Manager's Day & Principal's Day

To show our love and respect to our dear Manager, Rev.Fr. Chacko Akkathara CMI, his festal day was celebrated on 27th July 2023 with attractive stage programmes. Our Principal Fr. Subin Kottor CMI's feast day was celebrated on 21st September 2023.

Founder's Day

Founder's Day, the feast of St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara (1805 – 1871) was observed on 6th January 2024. A workshop was organized for the faculties of Porukara Group of Institutions followed by lunch. Saplings were distributed among the staff.

Children's Day

Children's Day of our school was celebrated on 14th November 2023. The guest of honour was Kumari. Nivedita - Flower's Top Singer Season -3 Winner.

Teacher's Day

Porukara teacher's day celebration was held on 12th September 2023. The event was inaugurated by Rev. Fr. Dr. Kurian Chalangady CMI (Prior, St. Joseph's Monastery, Mannanam) Mr. George M.K, PTA President felicitated the function.

Tours

"All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" To explore the outside classrooms, students from Pre-kg to std – XII were taken on tour to different places.

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In line with CBSE guidelines we have successfully uploaded all the data regarding school quality assessment and assurance frame work this year too.

NEET EXAM

The school was an exam centre for NEET in the year 2023 also.

KG World

Pink Day

On July 27, 2023 a special day was designated to alleviate the stage fright of Porukara's young buds. On the day, a pink paper fashion contest was held for KG and play school kiddies. Mr. Jibin Thomas, A choreographer at Amara Fashion Hub, was one of the competition judges.

Onam Celebration

The celebration of onam titled as " Onanilavu 2K23" held on 24 and 25th August 2023. The days became fond impression as they have coloured with the flower carpets, tug of wars and many more dance forms.

K.G Talent Day

Talent day was observed on 17th and 19th August 2023 for pre KG as well as KG students to showcase their talents . Rev.Fr. Philipose Thundualichira CMI was the chief guest of the day. During the prize distribution ceremony, special recognition was given to the top performers from each session.

Christmas Celebration

Christmas celebration was held on 21st December 2023 in the KG auditorium. Delegates of Santhi Bhavan Br. Mathew Albin was the chief guest. Rev. Fr. Chacko Akkathra CMI felicitated the function.

KG Picnic

This year's picnic, the children were taken to Lazza-i-drive, Kodimatha, Kottayam

Annual Sports Day

The 30th sports meet was held on November 16th and 17th 2023. The chief guest of the lower section sports meet was Kumari. Subhadra Jayakumar a well known state basketball player.

School Day Celebration

School day was conducted on 30th June 2023. Demo of Principal room and Principal and other activities were arranged in the auditorium.

Achievements

Eldrok India K -12 Summit Award

Our school won Eldrok India k – 12 summit award for inculcating Logical & Advanced learning.

Kune – Do Championship & Festival

Four of our students secured gold and Bronze medals for the championship held in Delhi.

Jenet Gego	-	Gold
Joslin Maria Johny	-	Bronze
Joyal Johny	-	Bronze, Gold Medal (Kung – fu)

Kris KG Kids Fest

The sizzling stars of LKG & UKG participated in the inter school competition held at Kristu Jyoti Kindergarten, Chethipuzha on 14th October 2023. Our kids bagged lots of prizes

Master. David V A (LKG)	-	1 st Prize Colouring
Baby. Gouri Harikrishnan(UKG)	-	1 st Prize Clay Modeling
Group Song	-	3 rd Prize & 2 nd Runner Up

Super Kid Scholarship

Super kid Scholarship Examination conducted by the The Council for Academic performance and Evaluation for students from LKG to VI.

Third Prize - Bronze Award

Rs. 1001 + Bronze Medal + Merit Certificate Aarushi Aneesh (II – C)

Sahodaya Interschool Kids Competition

Our twinkling stars participated in various competitions on 4th November 2023 at Holy Angel's School Pallipad. The winners are :

Hridwika V Nair (Std II)	-	3 rd Prize with A Grade for Light Music
Meenakshi Manoj (Std II)	-	2 nd Prize Malayalam Recitation

Merry Blossom Fest

Our students from KG participated in the Merry Blossom Fest held in S.H Kilimala. David V.A Won 3rd Prize with A grade in the Colouring Competition.

Sahodaya State Festival

Porukaries participated in the Sahodaya Kalotsav 2023-2 and the following Prizes.

1. Pranav Sreemon (Std -VII)	Cartoon	1 st Prize
2. Kristel Alphonsa Jacob (Std - VII)	Recitation English	1 st Prize
3. Theresa Martin (Std – III)	Elocution Malayalam	3 rd Prize
4. Agnes Mary Antony (Std – IV)	Recitation Hindi	1 st Prize
5. Heera Lakshmi (Std – VIII)	Mappilapattu	3 rd Prize
6. Vaiga Lakshmi (VIII)	Recitation Malayalam	1 st Prize
	Light Music	2 nd Prize
	Classical Music	3 rd Prize

Porukara Corner

Porukara Charity Drive

The Porukara charity drive was inaugurated on 15th August by Smt. Jalajakumari, President, Champakulam Panchayath. It was a resounding success. The event aimed to collect food items for 10 poor homes including 12 families in Veeyapuram Panchayath. We were able to donate food items worth more than 1.5 Lakhs rupees. We have raised a fund of Rs.17100/- which was used to purchase rice bags.

Porukara Blossoms 2k23

Our new venture Porukara Blossoms 2k23 inter school dance fest was held on 21st October 2023 in our auditorium. 9 schools were participated. Ms. Bincy Biju (T.V Fame, R J) inaugurated the function and Rev.Fr. Paul Mangad CMI, Manager Christ Group of Institutions, Trivandrum gave away the prizes.

Porukara Basketball Tournament

Porukara caters not only academics but also caters the budding sports stars. After a long break of 13 years, Porukara basket regained its soil and court. The Inter School Basket Ball Tournament was held on 18th November 2023 in our school. 11 schools from various parts of Kerala participated in it. Mr. Eudrick Perera was the Chief Guest. Sri. Suresh Kumar, C I of police Nedumudy gave away the Porukara Trophy to the winners.

Orupidi Nanma

“No one has ever become poor from giving “. To nurture life skills and helping mentality for the under privileged , Porukara started adopting three families of Champakulam Gramapanchayat this year onwards. Along with this Porukara will resume its legacy in the illustrious generosity towards its society by helping 12 families in Veeyapuram Panchayt. It was our dream drive.

Porukara Coin box Collection – “Sharing The Joy”

During the Christmas season, we have started a coin box collection under the name “Sharing The Joy” in all the classes, staffrooms and in the office. We have collected Rs.60,000/- We were glad to share the amount to Br.Mathew Albin, Shanthi Bhavan and Sneha Bhavan Trust as Christmas Gift.

Porukara Summer Academy

In order to nurture children, along with academic clubs, various other clubs like “Football club, Music Club, Dance club and Basket ball clubs” are included in the curriculum during the summer vacation. Students are given choice to join basic Grammar and Maths classes too.

Porukara Stars Day

In the history of Porukara 'Stars Day' was literally a day for the stars. Based on the grading scale, the children were awarded with insignia in Ruby, Gold, Emerald and Silver.

Gallery of Knowledge : Library

Our school library is the treasure of knowledge. Students utilize their library period by stepping into the world of adventure, magic and wonder. This world of books providing not only the stories, comics and articles but also showcase advanced graded books, previous year question papers and the books for different competitive exams.

Remedial Classes & Weekend Tests

Apart from normal remedial classes, a special woven academic was started keeping an eye on the slow learners. Std – I to IV students are given special training in Reading which may help them to attain the main purpose of language learning. Std V – VII are given special training in Grammar which may help them to root in the traditional grammar and can speak error less English in their day to day life. Students from Std - VIII & IX are given almost care as they are going to appear for the next year Board Examination. Basic and tough concepts in Science & Maths are being discussed and explained in the class. Along with this training, weak students are identified after each exams and are given special attention and coaching in the extra hours of school time. To equip the children with the time management and skills to appear for the exams the students of std X and XII have given weekend tests.

School Assemblies & CCA

School Assemblies provide the children a vast stage to include a large number of participation to showcase their talents. To promote team spirit and collaborative learning, class assemblies were conducted under different themes. Inorder to inculcate life skills along with curricular activities, extra a curricular activities are essential . Hence Porukara enhances the skills of children by providing with various activities like Drawing, Keyboard, Cricket, Classical Dance, Kung-Fu.

Mannanam Pilgrimage & Annual Retreat

Students of std – VII & VIII are taken to Mannanam during the holy week and won 1st Prize for procession. Students of std X & XII are taken on pilgrimage on 12th January. On 04th November 2023, a one day retreat was arranged for std VII to XII. Fr. Titto Vallunthara CMI and his team led the retreat.



Different Clubs

Clubs are the soul part of the functioning of every school. In order to cultivate and enhance the language proficiency and other inborn talents of our children, Fr. Thomas Porukara central school encouraging various clubs such as Language club, Maths Club, Social science and Nature Club .

Various Awareness Programmes

An Adolescent Awareness programme was conducted for the students on 21st August 2023. Mr. Siju Thomas Alencherry , founder & CEO of Wings to Win was the resources person. Vigilance award week celebration was held on 10th November 2023. A poster making competition was also conducted in this regard. As per CBSE circular on 3rd October 2023, a cleanliness drive was observed.

PTA

PTA plays an important role in the smooth functioning of an institution. With the co-ordination skills and collaborative activities PTA helps our school throughout the year. A committee constituting 15 members was selected and Mr. George M.K is the President and Ms. Gayathri.S is the Vice President .

Alumini

The first informal gathering of Porukara Alumini was held on 19th September 2023 in our school. The office bearers were selected. There after the first formal meeting was held on 25th November 2023. They took the initiative to sponsor the best outgoing student and the merit award during the Annual Day function.

Goals and Dreams

Fr Thomas Porukara Central School envisions every child to attain excellence in education by adopting novel thinking, cross cultural competency, sense making techniques, multifaceted personality and to continue with grater fervour to build a balanced and a globally sensitive individual remaining connected with the nation and our environment.

Conclusion

Education is a blend of academic excellence and creativity. Fr Thomas Porukara Central School provides individualised education that addresses students' unique learning styles, cultivates independent thought and promotes the building of character, enabling them to contribute to their communities in meaningful and positive ways.



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