

Respected Provincial Rev. Fr. Augustine Mullloor OCD, Chief Guest of the day Mr. G. Anandakrishnan RTO, Ernakulam, our school Manager Rev. Fr. Augustine Steejan OCD, other distinguished guests, respected fathers, sisters, dear teaching and non- teaching staff, parents and loving students.


With a deep sense of gratitude to God, I feel really honoured to present before you the Annual report of the Academic Year 2023. presentation of the school report on its Annual Day is an enduring tradition to take time to pause, turn around to look at the fruitful year gone by, achieving both the expected and unexpected, while setting various milestones and then synergizing ourselves to move ahead to face the challenges in the coming year, with a positive attitude.

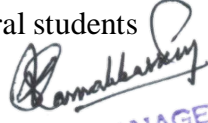
Guardian Angels' Public School, Manjummel is run AND MANAGED BY Carmelite Fathers of St. Pius X Province, Manjumel. Our mission is to bring the teaching and values of the humanity to the children and thereby to the families that make our school community. First and foremost, I would like to thank God Almighty for all the blessings showered upon our school for all these years and very specially all throughout this academic year. Without further ado here I present before you the report in a nut shell of all our activities this year.

GUARDIAN ANGELS' PUBLIC SCHOOL conducted **re-opening ceremony** of the academic year on 1st June 2023 in a grand way. The function started at 10 am. The chief guest of the day was Provincial Very Rev .Dr Augustine Mulloor OCD. The school Manager Rev.Fr Augustine Steejan OCD, Rev. Fr Nixon Jose OCD, Rev Fr Vinu Joseph OCD and the Vice Principal Mrs. Ramsi M J were present and felicitated the gathering. The school honoured the toppers and all the pass out students of Xth and XIIth. The rhythmic steps as welcome dance by students brought a blissful experience among the entire audience. The best performer and the best camper awards were given to the students who participated in the Sports Era 2023 and also those who got full attendance in the academic year 2022 -2023.

On 9th June 2023 the school witnessed two major events at the start of the academic year. We had the **environment day** celebration along with the inauguration of the Nalla Padam Project. The chief guest for the day, Rev. Fr. Johnson Mudavassery OCD, motivated our students and all our students took an oath to protect and take care of our mother earth. To mark the day we had a tree sapling planted in our school compound by the chief guest. Different competitions were conducted for all the classes on the theme: 'beat plastic pollution' and the winners were awarded saplings of different fruit trees. A beautiful mime by the students and a poem composed and sung by Miss Lissy Mary got the special attention of everyone. As a part of the Nalla Padam project an energy conservation competition was launched and also the venue witnessed students starting their own herb garden.

Reading Day was celebrated at Guardian Angels' Public School on June 19, 2023. Fr. Vinu Joseph, the school Principal, along with Mrs. Ramsi, the Vice Principal inaugurated the event, which featured a variety of activities. The primary objective of the occasion was to motivate students to engage in more reading and raise awareness about its significance. A review writing competition was also organised to encourage our students. Several students delivered speeches in various languages to commemorate Reading Day.


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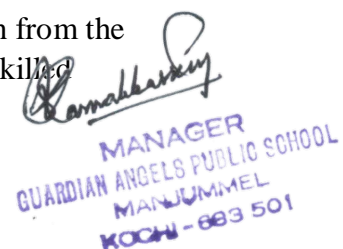
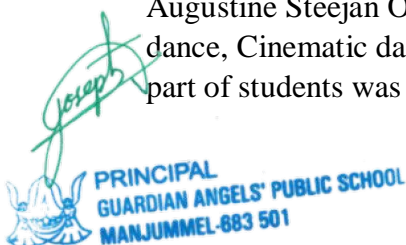
With the same aim of cultivating reading habit in children a **School book fair** was held at Guardian Angels' Public School. DC Books one of the prominent book selling store in the state conducted the book exhibition on 10th and 11th of July. Wide range of books of all literary genres were displayed in the book fair. Children enjoyed the fair and many of them brought the books they wished to read.

Guardian Angels' Public School, Manjummel commemorated the **world anti-drug day** by organizing various activities in collaboration with Nalla padam project. Chief Guest ACP Abdul Salam Sir, from Kochi Narcotics, graced the event while Rev. Fr. Vinu Joseph OCD, the Principal, presided over it. The Chief Guest gave an inspiring speech on drug abuse from his day to day experience. The day was made special also by the investiture ceremony where the school leaders and the leaders of various clubs took the oath and received their badges from the Chief Guest. A musical drama was performed by Class 12 students highlighting the dangers of drug addiction. Following that, all the students took a pledge against the use of drugs.

Guardian Angels' Public School celebrated **Doctors' Day** on 3rd July with immense enthusiasm. The event was graced by the presence of Dr. Ashok Varkey, a renowned Paediatrician, who was invited as the chief guest for the occasion. Principal, Fr. Vinu Joseph OCD presided over the function. During the event, Dr. Ashok Varkey interacted with the students and delivered a captivating speech on the importance of immunity building and maintaining a healthy diet. He emphasized the significance of nurturing one's health and shared valuable insights on how to achieve it. Fr. Vinu Joseph and Vice Principal, Mrs. Ramsy M.J honored the Chief Guest with a memento and a traditional ponnada as a gesture of appreciation. Later Aami Raj and Anagha K.S enriched the students with their talk on healthy habits and Monsoon diseases. The event was made entertaining by the students of Grade IX who performed a flash mob to pay tribute to all the medical practitioners.

The International Research Conference for children -2023 (IRCC 2023) was held at Different Art Centre, Thiruvananthapuram, on 22nd and 23rd July 2023. This was a young researcher's meet in collaboration with Global Young Researchers' Academy (GYRA), STEM4Girls and SCIENTIA. Navami Jayaprakash, Adarsh Babu, Misriya Sunil and Christy Godwin from class XII participated in this two day's programme as the representatives of GARC (Guardian Angels Research Council) Manjummel. Around 400 students participated from all over India. The representatives of our school presented a research paper on 'Domestic Waste Water Treatment Plant'. They got certificates and cash prize for the same. The event was inaugurated by veteran scientist Dr. Nambi Narayanan

Angelic Fest The Screening of Non stage events started on 10th July. All the Non stage competitions were conducted during zero period. Finals of Non stage items started on 26th July and teachers were assigned as judges for Screening and Finals. The prize distribution of Non stage events was done by Rev. Fr. Dany Antony, the Asst. Parish Priest of Manjummel Parish on 4th August. The Stage Events were held over two days. The Final day of Angelic Fest was on 11th August and the competitions were inaugurated by School Manager Rev. Fr. Augustine Steejan OCD. It was conducted in two different stages. Dance items like Folk dance, Cinematic dance and Fancy dress were conducted on that day. Participation from the part of students was really appreciative. In order to make the Fest more realistic, skills



dance teachers were invited as judges from outside. The art festival held was unique in all aspects through the meticulous planning , execution, impartial judgement and distribution of awards to the winners.

A Valedictory function was held soon after the competition in which the famous Music Director Mr. Alex Paul was the Chief Guest. During his felicitation Mr Alex Paul congratulated the winners and participants. Around 700 students participated in various competitions. Principal Rev. Fr. Vinu Joseph OCD proposed the vote of thanks.



We celebrated the 77th **Independence day** in our school on 15th August, 2023 with great enthusiasm and patriotic fervor. The theme of the day was "Nation First, Always First." The entire Guardian Angels' Family, students and parents assembled together at Chamberlain Open theatre at 9:30am. The school head girl Ms.Anushka Manoj welcomed the gathering. The chief guest Smt.Aparajitha Mohapatra, the Senior Commandant of CISF, hoisted the National Flag. It was followed by March past, Independence day messages by chief guest, School manager Rev.Fr.Augustine Steejan OCD, Principal Rev.Fr.Vinu Joseph OCD, Vice Principal Mrs.Ramsi M J and different student representatives. The cultural activities like patriotic song, patriotic dance and display aroused among children the spirit of loyalty to the nation. A tableau competition was held based on the theme "The Independence movement" for the category III students on the same day. The chief guest distributed the prizes for the winners of different competitions.

Vyshakhi K S of grade 7 was esteemed with memento, certificates and medals for her remarkable performance in aquatic events. She won 5 bronze medals in 21st Ernakulam district aquatic association for junior and subjunior championship held in Kothamangalam, she also won silver medal in Kerala aquatic association 49th Junior and 39th Subjunior championship held in Thiruvananthapuram and also secured gold medal in the 3rd Kerala fin swimming championship held in Rajagiri swimming academy

A grand **Onam celebration** of GAPS was held on 25th August 2023.It was inaugurated by Rev. Fr. Johnson Perumuttath who is the Vicar of St. Valentine Church Italy. The programmes started with the games. All the games were distributed House wise. All the students participated energetically to all the competitions. The best of them was the Tug of War. It was a house wise competition. Students were in full on energy. There was an eye-catching procession by the KG students and a small demonstration of the myth of Onam. There was a wide variety of cultural extravaganza and the celebration ended with the serving of payasam to all our students.

Teacher's Day was celebrated with zeal and zest on September 5, 2023. The Principal appreciated the sincerest efforts of the teachers in playing a catalytic role in the holistic development of every student. The students of the senior classes took upon the duty of maintaining the class discipline and custom made greeting cards and gifts were distributed by the students to their beloved teachers.

Guardian Angels' Kindergarten celebrated **Grandparents day** on September 9th, 2023 with over 250 participants, who were kind enough to come inspite of the heavy rain that day. The event started with a prayer and a motivating speech by Mr. Alex Paul, one of the grandparent and also the chief guest of the day. He shared his secret on how to remain young always. Grandparents exhibited their talents by dancing, singing and acting as well. Special



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programmes were organized by the students of KG to honour and pay tribute to their grandparents.



Compassion and empathy shouldn't be reserved for the ones we know. The children of our school are always generous when it comes to helping someone in need. A **student of grade 3** of our school was suffering from Thalassemia Major (a blood disorder) and has undergone a Bone Marrow transplantation & is under intensive care. We decided to collaborate to extend a financial assistance towards the heavy expense of the treatment and medicine of the child. Because of your generous and virtuous heart we could contribute one lakh towards the cause. An **orchestra performance** by blind people was held on 13th October at 9.00 am in our school. Jyothis Orchestra from Vypeen, came forward with the initiative as a part of educating the poor blind children. They are expecting a collection from our school to support of blind children. We could support them by collecting

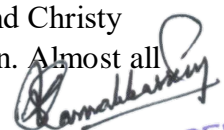
Angelic kids fest 2023 screening of non-stage items started on 10th October. The stage events were held over two days in our Tagore Hall with Sr. Vincy and Sr. Anumol as the Judges. The final day of Angelic Kids fest was on 20th October and the competitions were inaugurated by school Principal Fr. Vinu Joseph OCD. Stephy Bino of UKG welcomed the gathering. Events like Cinematic Dance and Fashion Show were held that day. The participation of our KG Students in the art festival was really appreciative. Around 650 students participated in various competitions.

Guardian Angels' Interschool Football Tournament, **KICK A SOCCER – 2023** was held on 3rd and 4th of November this year. The tournament was inaugurated by former Indian International Goalkeeper Mr/ Feroz Sherif.. 13 schools participated in the tournament. Najath Public School won the Title after defeating St. Alberts HS in the finals. The valedictory function was presided over by Rev. Fr. Augustine Steejan, our school manager. The former Indian Arrows Asst. Coach and under-19 Indian Team Coach Mr. Hameed K.K presented the trophies and the cash awards to the winners. Aadidev T.S of our School was selected as the best goal keeper and Host Guardian Angels' Public School was selected for the fair play team award. The whole tournament was refereed by 3 ISL referees. The event witnessed our young players with sportsmanship and team spirit. The event sponsors Y.V Naidu, the manager of Union Bank and Mr. Arun, A & M Digital Lab Proprietor were also present.

The **annual sports day**, Angelic Sporta of the KG section was held on November 8th and for the rest of the classes it was on 10th of Nov. All the events were held house wise. The preliminary competitions were held in August, September and October. The spirited participation from the members of each house was explicit all throughout the events. It was inaugurated by Dr. T.A Renjith, the present head coach of u-18 Hyderabad FC and the former Asst. Coach of U-16 Indian National Team by hoisting the school flag followed by the torch relay of our sports achievers Vyshaghi, Alwin Shaiju, Mariya Jewel and Nehala. Medals and certificates were distributed after each event. The meet was concluded around

Kochi Metro Sahodaya a dynamic consortium of 72 vibrant schools in and around Kochi City organised a **Sahodaya level Kalotsav** at Naipunya Public School this year. It was 3 day mega event starting from 2nd November. It featured 140 diverse competitions, involving more than 3700 students competing with each other. Our school obtained a total of 217 points and 30th position out of 72 schools. Devika O.N of class... secured third in folk dance and Christy Godwin and Devananda TS of class 12 secured third in power point presentation. Almost all



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of our students scored A Grade and B Grade. A Big salute all of them for their wonderful achievement.

Xplora'23 a prestigious event dedicated to the fascinating and futuristic world of robotics was organised and conducted by the students of our school. It was unique event as it brought together students, teachers, parents and industry experts to celebrate the latest and the greatest in robotics. It was inaugurated by K. Chandran Pillai, former M.P and the present chairman of GCDA. The highlights of the event were the working models created by our students with the help of their robotic teachers, the 3D theatre, gaming and VR rooms, Mini Planetorium. The robotic expo also featured robotic fashion show competition for our KG students.

on 13th of November as a part of **Anti- Bullying Day**, an awareness was created to encourage the students to be accepting and tolerant, to teach them to stand up for each other, regardless of whether it is happening to them or anyone in the class. In connection with it a Paper Band Making with a slogan against Bullying and Essay Writing Competition on the topic: End bullying for better mental health and Learning" was conducted

Guardian Angels Day was celebrated by all the three Schools in Manjummel (Guardian Angels L.P School, Guardian Angels H.S School and Guardian Angels Public School). A common assembly was held in front of the church and senior students of our school took part in it. The Provincial Councillors, Fr. Manager, Coorporate Manager, Fr. Antony MadathiParambil and the principals of the three schools were present. Following the assembly there was Holy Mass for the Christian Students.

To ensure that our students are well equipped with knowledge to face any challenge, we had **seminars** conducted throughout the year on various topics like on healthy diet taken by students of St. Teresas College, Motivation and exam guidance class by Fr. Paul Thathamangalath, awareness programme on addiction by Mr. Babu, Excise Inspector. A **Motivation and prayer session** for the students of classes 7th to 12th was held on 15th & 16th September with the intention of helping them to develop their personality, form a positive self-image. It was organized in an engaging and inspiring manner by the Jesus Youth team led by Mr. Joby.

On this memorable occasion as we recount our success with pride and happiness, I take this opportunity to thank almighty God for blessing the entire Guardian Angels Family to aspire together and achieve together.

The management for their invaluable guidance and encouragement


Fr. Nixon Jose for his continuous support and guidance all

The dedicated teachers and staff for their competent and committed service

All the parents for being active and highly supportive

The students for making all our efforts truly meaningful and rewarding

All well-wishers and patrons who silently contribute to the moral and financial strength of the school


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