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INTRODUCTION

"Talk to yourself once in a day otherwise you may miss meeting an excellent person in the world," says Swami Vivekananda. The quote beautifully invites everyone to have a daily introspection and dialogue with oneself, as it would be a great moment of knowing oneself and then actualize one's true self. I believe that is the purpose of every life – to actualize one's true self. Certainly, the pandemic period has enabled many of us to have sufficient time for one's family and especially for oneself.

I am happy to take you through the past one year life journey of Pallotti Hill Public School with vivid images of the various programmes, curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities.

MAJOR EVENTS OF THE YEAR 2020-2021

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- Valedictory Parents' Meet
- Farewell to the Outgoing Batch(2019-20)
- Jubilee Celebration

1. Re-Opening

This year, the school reopened amidst the COVID 19 pandemic on 1_{st} June 2020 itself. School Manager Rev. Fr. Antony Kaithaparambil, Principal Rev. Fr. Johny Amaladasan, School Supervisors and office staff were present for the lamp lighting ceremony.

2. World Environment Day Celebration

The World Environment Day was celebrated on 5th June. Almost all the students of Pallotti Hill Public School along with their family members planted saplings in their home ground. They send the videos of the event to their class teachers.

3. ST. Antony's Feast

13th June is celebrated as the the Feast Day of St. Antony. It is the feast day of our beloved Manager, Rev. Fr. Antony Kaithaparambil and New Principal Rev. Fr. Byju Antony. A virtual celebration was organized to felicitate our Fathers.

4. International Yoga Day

This year due to COVID 19 pandemic, our students performed the yoga exercises from their houses. Majority of the students took part in the programme.

6. Farewell to the Former Principal and Welcome to the New Principal

A small farewell gathering was organized on 18th July in honour of Rev. Fr. Johny Amaladasan. The gathering was consisted of the Manager, Principals, PTA President and Vice President, School Supervisors and Office staff. Each and every member of the meeting felicitated our former beloved principal and his relentless pursuit of perfection. In the same function the new principal, Rev. Fr. Byju Antony was given a warm welcome.

8. Virtual Parent's Meet

Even during the COVID 19 pandemic, Pallotti Hill Public School keeps good communication and contact with parents and students. Teachers are regularly conducting classes online/offline to students. Parent teachers meet were held under the leadership of our beloved Manager and Principal. The 9th & 10th Class PTA meet was conducted on 1st August at 6.30 pm in Google Meet. The second Google Meet was held on 8th August at 2.pm for the parents of class 6th to

8th. Google meet for the parents of 1st and 2nd class students was held on 20th August at 6.30pm. Parents Meet of the students of 3rd to 5th classes was held in Google Meet on 22nd August at 6.30pm. KG Section Parents Google Meet was on 24th August at 6.303pm. Almost all parents attended actively in all sections of the Parents' Meet and also came up with creative suggestions.

9. First Periodic Test

The First Periodic Test was conducted in Google classroom to all classes. The First Periodic Test of 9th & 10th was held from 3rd August to 7th August 2020. The duration of the exam was one and half hour. A bonus of one and half hour was allotted for them to upload the answer sheet in the Google classroom. The exam was scheduled from 9.30 am to 12pm. Students of 6th 8th attended the First Periodic Test from 17th August to 22nd August. They also got the same duration for writing the exam. Students from class 1 to 5 are going to write their examination from 14th September to 24th September. Since parents have to assist the children, they preferred evening time for the examination. Their exam will begin at 6.30 pm and ends at 9.30 pm.

10. Cyber Safety

A webinar on Cyber Safety was held on 13th August 2020 at 10.30 am for the students of classes 7 to 10. The resource person was Mr. Deepesh M, Sub Inspector of Police, Cyber Cell, Kozhikode Rural. The class was attended by our Parents, Students and Teachers. The resource person clearly explained the right usage of internet. Parents were asked to keep watch of their wards against the hidden dangers of internet. In his vote of thanks, our Principal, Rev. Fr. Byju Antony gave many useful tips to our students. He reminded the students to share everything with their parents and also to keep a cyber distance. He advised them to be good online as they are at offline.

11. Cynosure-1 and Independence Day Celebration

The Independence Day Celebration was coupled with the exhibition of Cynosure-1. A virtual celebration was organized to pay Tribute to the freedom fighters. The virtual celebration was great and splendid in appearance by the cooperation of students, teachers and parents. Various competitions like Fancy

dress, Speech, Video Making, Dance, Quiz, Placard Making, Essay writing and collage making were conducted in connection with the Independence Day Celebration; winners names were announced in the online celebration by Vice Principal Mrs. Bindu. The celebration could instil patriotic feeling in students.

12. Cynosure 2 (Onam Celebration)

Onam celebration was the Second Cynosure organized by our school. We provided our dear children and parents with a handful programmes and competitions to entertain them. To ensure maximum participation, three groups were formed. Pookkalam Group was consisted of KG section students; Students from classes 1 to 5 were put in Mavely Group and Vamana Group was for classes 6 to 10 students. Teachers and Parents were also competing in the Onam celebration. For KG section, colouring of floral carpets, Songs and Stories of Onam were included. For classes 1 to 5, Storytelling, Folk songs, Dance, Drawing, Vanchippattu, Greeting card making and Folk dance were scheduled. Competitions like preparation of PayasamRecipe, Back to Original etc. were planned for 6 to 10 students. For teachers, Salad preparation and for parents, Onam special cookery' and 'MavelyMozhi' were planned. The event was marked by active participation of all.

13. Teachers' Day Celebration

Pallotti Hill Public School organized a 'Virtual Teachers' Gathering on 5th September at 10:30 am. The programme began with Guru Pooja. The great educationalist, Mother General of the FCC Congregation, Rev. Sr. Ann Joseph FCC was the Chief Guest of the celebration. Principal Rev. Fr. Byju Antony introduced the Chief Guest to the gathering. A Special thanks to the Chief Guest was proposed by Supervisor Ms. Seby Sebastian. Teachers were felicitated by Manager Rev. Fr. Antony Kaithaparambil, Principal Rev. Fr. Byju Antony, PTA President Mr. Shyju Antony and Vice President Ms. Hashma. Vice Principal Bindu Ma'am shared her unforgettable moments and experience of teaching career with the teachers. The celebration was colourful with students' programmes like Action Songs, Skit, Dance, One Act Play, Guru Dakshina, Sharing of nostalgic memories and Presenting wishing cards and Messages to teachers.

14. Being Smart

A Motivational Session for Class IX and X was organized on 21st September 2020. The Resource Person was Rev. Fr. AjiPuthiyaparambil, the Parish Priest of Sacred Heart Church, Mukkam. The Session started with a Prayer by Remya Ma'am. The welcome speech was delivered by Devayani Ma'am. Principal Rev. Fr. Byju Antony introduced the Resource Person. The session was really entertaining and motivational for the students. The concluding remark was given by the Vice Principal Bindhu Ma'am. The Session ended with a vote of thanks by Bisni Ma'am.

15. Fit India Freedom Run

It was launched by Prime Minister of India NarendraModi at Indira Gandhi Stadium in New Delhi on 29th August, 2019 (National Sports Day). The main aim of this programme is to ensure physical fitness of the students during this critical period. Participants took the Fitness Pledge. They have to walk or engage in any physical exercises. Many of our students participated in the Fit India Freedom Run and won certificate. The video of the programme was uploaded in the School YouTube Channel. A Certificate of Excellence was presented to Pallotti Hill Public School by Kerala Olympic Association for the participating of maximum students in the Quiz competition organized as the part of "STAY FIT."

16. Gandhi Javanthi - The 150™ Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi

The celebration of GnadhiJayanti in our school began with the message of our beloved Manager Rev. Fr. Antony Kaithaparambil. On the occasion Rev. Fr. Shine Augustine, Principal of St. Vincent Palloti School, Nashik expressed warm Gandhi Jayanti wishes to all and shared a few thoughts on Mahatma Gandhi with us. Students prepared a video on Gandhi. As part of the celebration students sent Photos and Videos of 'Sramdhan.' Photos, Videos, Pictures, Messages and Songs of the event were uploaded in the School YouTube Channel.

17. Evaluation

The first Evaluation of the academic year 2020-21 for classes 1 to 5 was held from 17th August to 24th August. The examination was conducted through Google Classroom from 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm. The Second Periodic Test for classes 9 and 10

was scheduled from 12 to 17th September. The test was for 25 marks. The Second Periodic Test for the Middle Section was scheduled from 19th September to 3rd October. Exams were conducted through Online from 9:30 am to 11:30 am. Students were instructed to attach the answer sheets in the Google Classroom.

18. Mann Ki Baat

Mann Ki Baat is an online informal get-to-gether to extend love and build friendship with our students. The Session was organized through the Google Meet in the evening at 6 O'clock. The programme began with Higher Section students. The Mann Ki Baat Session of 10th Standard was on Thursday 1st October. The Mann Ki Baat Session of 9th standard was on Saturday 3rd October. The Session for 5th standard was on Monday 8th October and for 7th standard it was on Wednesday 7thOctober. It really helped to strengthen the bond between the teachers and students. Students got an opportunity to open their mind and converse freely. After attending the programme, students felt reinvigorated. The programme was extended to lower section also. The lower section Mann Ki Baat Session began from 14th October with 5th standard. The 4th standard got their Session on 16th October and for 3rd Standard it was on 26th October. The Mann Ki Baat Session ended with 6th Standard on Saturday 24thOctober.

19. Sectional Meetings

The School has decided to conduct Sectional Meeting to discuss points like Academic & Syllabus, Google Classroom, Students-Parents Contact & Communication, Feed-back, Evaluation of Exams/Sectional Programmes and Follow up of Remedial Students. The Higher Section Meeting was held first. The Middle Section Meeting was on Saturday 17th October at 11 am, the Primary Section Meeting was held on Saturday 24th October at 11 am and the KG Section Meeting was on Saturday 31stOctober 11 am.

20. TEACHERS' WEBINAR

The Password Publishing House Pvt. Ltd. organized a Webinar for teachers to discuss Teaching and Learning Post Covid, Roadmap Ahead. Entry to the Webinar was restricted 500 participants on first come, first serve basis. Those who couldn't join the zoom meeting watched the session live on Face book page. The

webinar was on Saturday 17th October at 2:30 pm and the Webinar E-certificate was awarded to teachers participated. The webinar was really informative and useful to teachers.

21. Kerala Piravi

In connection with 'Kerala Piravi,' Pallotti Hill Public School created a Video presentation named "Ente Keralam" and uploaded in the School YouTube Channel. At the outset of the celebration Principal greeted and expressed the birthday wishes of Kerala and Malayalam language to all the Keralites and the students, teachers and parents of Pallotti Hill Public School who enjoy the greenery and warmth of Kerala. Mrs. Remya M, narrated the history related to birth of Kerala state and Malayalam language reciting the lines of the famous poet Changampuzha. In connection with 'Kerala Piravi' students of classes 1 to 5 arranged very many programmes showing respect to "Keralam" and "Malayalam." The following competitions like, Story-telling Malayalam, Songs related with Kerala, Dances, Poster making and messages were prepared by the students. Selected programmes were uploaded in the School YouTube Channel on 1st November and winners' names were also announced.

22. Ripples

Pallotti Hill Public School Launched a new programme called *Ripples*. It is a series of Motivational Orientation Sessions provided for the different section students of our school. The first Session was scheduled for Classes 3 to 5 on 10th November at 10:30 am. The resource Person was Rev. Fr. John Valentine SAC, the Assistant Parish Priest, St. George Church, Kollam. The topic of the session was 'Discover Your Talents'. The Session began with a prayer by Mrs. Sheela. The welcome speech was delivered by Mrs. Divya AC. The Session was highly informative and entertaining with programmes like Inspiring talks, Games, Songs, Stories with moral and Activities for testing Observation and Memory. The session ended with a vote thanks proposed by Mrs. Rekha.

Ripples for Classes 6th to 8th was held on 14th November at 11 am. The Session began with a prayer song sung by Nihara Pradeep of 6th Standard. Lena John of 7th Standard delivered the welcome speech and invited our beloved

Principal to introduce the Resource Person of the Session, Rev. Fr. Ferdinand Franco SAC, Secretary to the Bishop, Gwalior. The topic of the Session was "Freedom with Responsibility in the New-Gen." Father began the Session with a Video presentation on Great Personalities and what they reflected about freedom. He focused on the qualities like optimism, faith, hope and light. He gave students the tips to be happy in life and reminded them the importance of listening and accepting others. Lakshmi Priya of 8th Standard proposed vote of thanks for the session. After the session our Principal conducted certain games for the students and gave them homework on drawing. Students participated in the game enthusiastically.

23. Integrity Pledge-Vigilance Awareness Week 2020

Central Vigilance Commission of India observed 27th October 2020 to 2nd November 2020 as Vigilance Awareness Week (VAW) based on the theme "Satark Bharat, Samriddh Bharat" (Vigilant India, Prosperous India). CBSE requested staff members and senior students to take e- integrity pledge during this period. As per instruction all the members of staff and senior students of our institution have taken the pledge from home itself. They proved they are committed to uphold highest standards of honesty & integrity and to follow probity and rule of law in all walks of life. Everybody received E-certificate.

24. Rashtriya Ekta Diwas

India is indeed a united country. Despite the diversity and differences our country always stands united. To uphold our nation's unity and to acknowledge Sri. Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's efforts in uniting the nation, CBSE has proposed the National Unity Day or Rashtriya Ekta Diwas to be celebrated on 31st October. We are proud that nearly 100 students have taken the pledge. The interest shown by the students in participating all the activities was noteworthy.

25. National Education Day

On 11th September 2008, Central Government declared 11th November will be observed as National Education Day to honour Sri. Maulana Abdul Kalam Azad, the great freedom fighter, eminent educationist and first Minister of Education.

The great personality's birth anniversary is on 11th November. Teachers posted messages regarding National Education Day in Whatsapp group of each class.

26. Children's Day 2020

The Children's Day was held separately for LKG, UKG and for the other Classes. The videos were uploaded in the School YouTube Channel. Kids performed in the costume of Chacha Nehru. The Messages, Speeches, Actions songs, Dances, etc., gave colour to the celebration. School Manager Rev. Fr. Antony Kaithaparambil gave Children's Day message on the occasion. Father wished a joyful celebration for students at home and congratulated teachers for taking extra effort to encourage and teach students through online classes. The Chief Guest of the Children's day celebration was Rev. Fr. Andrew Roshan Alva SAC, Principal of St. Vincent PallottiPU& Degree College, Bangaluru. In his speech Father advised us to make an effort towards building up a great India getting rid of the evil of child labour and to make our country a truly free country; a country having true respect to children. He expressed his warmest greetings to the students of Pallotti Hill Public School to celebrate the Children's day with joy.

27. Satsang

The present Pandemic situation has limited the teachers' social gatherings and get-togethers. Therefore, to build up our bonds and friendship, the school has decided to conduct an online gathering. This formal cum informal gathering is "Satsang." It was held on 14th November at 5 pm. The Satsang evening programmes were nicely anchored by our beloved Vice Principal Bindhu Ma'am. The Session began with a Prayer by Mrs. Daliya. Mrs. Sebi Sebastian delivered the official welcome speech and Principal Rev.Fr. Byju Antony introduced the Resource person to the gathering. The first part of the gathering was an enriching session by the Resource Person, the Rector of PallottiBhawan, Nagpur, Rev. Fr. Antony Roswan SAC. Father told us the importance of developing qualities like understanding, listening, appreciating, encouraging and forgiving to become a 'People Person.' Then he was talking about the traits of the People Person. People person should possess the abilities to inspire, feel and respond, motivate and reach out to others in their needs. The first half of the Session ended with a vote of

thanks proposed by Mrs.Shabeena. The second part of the session was filled with Games with lots of fun related activities. Principal started the second half with Music Cum Exercise Session. Later there was a funny quiz competition led by Sebi Ma'am and Shabeena Ma'am. The Satsang evening came to an end with a charming piece of music by our beloved Principal Rev. Fr. Byju Antony.

28. Art Integrated Webinar

An Art integrated Webinar was organized by Malabar Sahodaya for Malayalam Teachers on 17th December. The Resource person was Mr. P Karunakaran, Senior Malayalam Teacher of Airport Public School, Kondotty. The webinar was really useful and inform

29. Webinar on Competency Based Education & Art Integration

The webinar was on 28th and 29th December. The first day was scheduled for Competency based education and Art Integration. The resource person was Mrs. Shreya Lalwani. The second day topic was on shift from content teaching to concept development. The resource person was Mr. Ignatius. The webinar helped teachers in planning lessons and applying different tools and techniques to conduct and manage classroom. The webinar also emphasized that Art Integrated learning focusing on creativity and exploring the potential talents of children in visual and performing.

30. Constitution Day

Our School celebrated November 26th as the Constitution Day. As an important part of the celebration, this year the Hon'ble President led the reading of the Preamble at 11 AM. Our teachers and students joined in the reading of the Preamble.

31. Petals@2020- First e-Magazine

Our first e-Magazine was published on 15th March. The Pallotti Family was extremely proud in presenting Petals@2020. On the occasion our Principal sincerely appreciated and congratulated the Petals Team for their tireless efforts. The team consists of Mrs. Dhanya- the Chief Editor, Mrs. Lincy and Mrs. Ramya – Co-Editors, Mr. Saji –Designer of the PDF File and Mr. Rahul –Designing and Compiling the You Tube Video. Assistants of the team were Mrs. Jayalkshmi- KG

Section, Mrs. Sheela - Primay Section, Mrs. Kavitha- Middle Section and Mrs. Bisni -Higher Section.

32. Pallotti Family Kitchen

Our YouTube channel was opened to exhibit the cooking skills of our students, parents and teachers. Principal Rev. Fr. Byju Antony presented the video of the Pallotti Family Kitchen; a beautiful endeavour by the children, parents and teachers of our school. In his message Principal congratulated the children, parents and teachers for coming up with different varieties of recipes. The programme helped in sharing their cooking skills and knowledge to others.

33. The Second Evaluation of Class 1-5

The Second Evaluation of classes 1-5 was scheduled from 15th December to 22nd December. The examination was conducted through Google Classroom from 6pm to 9 pm. After the examination the school closed for Christmas holidays from 23rd December to 31st December.

34. Christmas Celebration (Cynosure 3)

This year, since we didn't have a common gathering, we celebrated Christmas in three sections, namely LKG, UKG and School section. The School Section celebration began with a Christmas message by our beloved Principal. In his message, Principal reminded everyone about the value of giving. Vice Principal Bindu Ma'am delivered the Christmas message to UKG kids. The message for the LKG Section was given by the Middle Section Supervisor, Mr. Sasikumar. There were programmes like Carol songs and dances related with Christmas. The Chief Guest of the programme was Rev. Fr. Shibi Thomas, Principal of Sacred Heart Public School, Nasik. In his message he encouraged us to remember the importance of sharing, loving and strengthening the friendship by exchanging gifts. There were programmes like Carol songs with family members, Tablo, Angel dance and Dance related with Christmas.

The Staff Christmas celebration was held on 23rd December at 11 am virtually. The Chief Guest of the programme was Rev. Fr. Joy Palachuvattil SAC, Provincial of PrabhuPrakash Province, Nagpur. The meeting began with prayer by Mrs.Daliya. Mrs.Asha welcomed the gathering. Our Manager Rev. Fr. Antony

Kaithaparambil delivered a message about Christmas. Provincial appreciated all the staff for the hard work during the pandemic period. The organizers of the meeting were Mrs.Preethi, Mrs.Divya A, Mr.Doffin and Mrs.Sebi. During the celebration we exchanged Christmas greetings to our Christmas friends.

35. First Aid Mobile App

The National Disaster Management Authority in collaboration with Red Cross society has developed a First Aid-First aid for teachers and students. It will help in imparting First aid training to teachers and school children, to ensure that any emergency situation in school premises is swiftly dealt with. Many teachers of our school installed the app.

36. Bells - Virtual Motivation

During this Covid 19 Pandemic period, our school initiated a new year Orientation Programme titled as First Bell, Second Bell, Third Bell and Long Bell. The First Bell was meant for classes 7, 8, 9 and 10. The Second Bell was for classes 3, 4, 5 and 6, and the Third Bell was for KG Section and classes 1 and 2. The Long Bell was for teachers. The First Bell was held on 1st January 2021 at 11.00 am. The Resource Person of the First Bell was Rev. Fr. Joshi Emmanuel SAC, Clinical Psychologist, Allappuzha. The Session highlighted the tips to organize their days, studies, relations and personality as whole. The Resource Person reminded the students that there is no short cut to studies. He also gave them guidelines to prepare for their examination. The First Bell ended with a vote of thanks by Niveditha Prasad.

The Resource Person of the Second Bell was Ms. Madhavi Kalvit, The Higher Section Supervisor of St. Vincent Pallotti School, Nasik. Principal Rev. Fr. Byju Antony started the session with a prayer song. The Motivational Session was held on Second January 2021 at 10.30 am. The resource person motivated students and introduced various games to improve their concentration. She also instructed them to plan and set goals for the future. Around 70 students participated very actively in the session. Irene Ann Shiju of 5th standard welcomed everyone to the Session. The Session made learning process interesting and brought the children

back to the academic level after Christmas holidays. Alphonsa Biju of 6th standard had delivered the Vote of thanks to the participants.

The Third Bell was meant for KG Section & Classes 1st and 2nd. It was held on 3rd January 2021 at 11 am. The Session was started with the prayer by Daliya Madam. Meyrine Rose Augustine of 2nd standard welcomed everyone to the meeting. The Resource Person of the session was Rev. Sister Pavithra C M C, Counsellor of Carmel Sisters, Mukkam. The Session highlighted the role of parents in their children's life. She reminded parents to become the role models of their young ones. The Session ended with vote of thanks by Mrs.Rekha.

The Long Bell was a motivational programme meant for teachers. It is beautifully said "Well begun is half ended". To begin the New Year with vigour and enthusiasm, our school organized a Virtual Orientation for Pallotti Hill staff named "Long Bell 2021" on 4th January 2021 at 5 pm. The Resource Person of the Session was Rev. Fr. Paul Chandrankunnel SAC, Director of St. Vincent Pallotti College of Engineering and Technology, Nagpur. The Session was really motivational, inspiring and informative.

37. "Uskool" – A School Visit Programme

It has been a long time that students are locked up in the houses due to Covid19 and students are missing the campus. To rejuvenate students and meet their friends and teachers we organized 'Uskool' (you to the school), a school visit programme for the students, respecting and upholding all Covid protocols. We provided them a time slot. The higher section students were requested to submit all the previously completed Answer Sheets, Note Books and completed works of Curricular, Co-Curricular and Extra Curricular works in the school. Class 1 Students were asked to visit the on 11th and 12th January. Students from 2nd standard to 5th standard visited school respectively on 13th, 15th, 19th and 20th of January. Students of 9th to 6th Standard visited school respectively on 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th of February. The programme was a successful one and most of the students attended the programme with great enthusiasm.

38. Youth Day

On 12th January, we celebrated as Youth Day – the birth day of Swami Vivekananda. In relation with youth day, students send videos of Vivekanada's speech, messages, Drawings, Quotes etc., in their own WhatsApp Class Groups.

39. Pallotti Dav

We celebrated our Patron's Day on 22nd January at school premises. In the students programme, there was prayer and songs in praise of Patron, St. Vincent Pallotti. The student's celebration ended with a vote of thanks by ManasaKurian. The staff celebration began with a prayer by Rani Ma'am. Dhanya Ma'am welcomed the gathering. There were hymns related with Patron and the reading of the Preamble of Pallotti by Rekha Ma'am. Manager, Rev. Fr. Antony Kaithaparambil addressed the small gathering. There was feast at the end of the celebration. The celebration came to an end with a vote of thanks by Divya A C Ma'am.

40. "Limitless Minds – An Accolade to Pallotti Hill Staff"

"Limitless Minds – Learn to Lead and Love" is a salute to appreciate and congratulate Teachers and Staff who really made the New Teaching and Learning a joyful experience for our students. The Pandemic Effect has not limited our readiness and generosity to impart knowledge and love to our students. Principal Rev. Fr. Byju Antony expressed his heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all the Staff especially Shabeena Ma'am and Rahul Sir for their tremendous hard work in bringing out the beautiful video.

41. Republic Day

We celebrated Republic Day on 26th January. The Chief Guest of the Day was Rev. Fr. Manoj Parabhari, Principal, St. Vincent Pallotti School, Pallotti Mount Daporijo. In his message he reminded students about their duties and responsibilities towards the country. There were messages from Vice Principal Bindu Ma'am and Supervisor Asha Ma'am. The second standard students actively participated and performed in various activities such as speech, messages, Tablo and the reading of the Preamble.

42. Road Safety Webinar

This year the government has decided to observe Road Safety Month from 18th January 2021 to 17th February 2021 on theme 'Sadak Suraksha, Jeevan Raksha'. As part of the programme students were asked to write Essays and prepare Posters and Slogans. We also conducted an online Webinar related to Road Safety Month. The Chief Guest of the day was Sajan Puthiyottil, Sub. Inspector of Kasaba Police Station, Kozhikode and State Stress Management Trainer, and SPC trainer. Parents, Teachers and Students participated in the Webinar actively. The Session was interactive and informative.

43. Annual Examination

Annual Examination of all sections was scheduled from 15th March. KG Section exam was scheduled from 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm. Class 1 to 5 Examinations began from 6:00pm to 9:00pm and the exam was out of 25 marks. Examination of 6th and 7th standard was scheduled from 9:30 am to 11:30 pm. The question paper was out of 40 marks. The examination of 8th standard was started from 15th March. The 9th standard exam began from 15th March. The exam was out of 80 marks and the duration was from 9:30am to 12:30pm. The First Model Exams of Class X were scheduled from 1st March to 10th March. The Second Model Exams of Class X were held from 22nd March. The result day and book distribution of new 10th and 9th standard were scheduled respectively on 5th and 6th March.

44. Book Distribution & Result Day

The result showing session for the 9th and 8th standard was scheduled on 26th and 27th February. Students were reminded to submit their answer sheets while coming to school. Students have to submit the clearance form in the office before receiving the books for the new academic year. The result showing session of the 6th and 7th standard was on 29th March. The result day and book distribution of the new 10th and 9th standard was scheduled on 5th and 6th March. The First Model Exam paper showing session of 10th standard was held on 20th March. The Book Distribution and the Result day for the KG Section to VIII STD were held from 19th April to 23rd April.

45. New Academic Year of New 9th & 10th

The New Academic Year for the New 9th and 10th was begun on 8th March. Prior to the commencement of the Class there was an online Inaugural Session from 9am to 9:30 am. The Middle Section Supervisor Mr.Sasikumar and Higher Section Supervisor Mrs.Sebi Sebastian conveyed the greetings, love and best wishes to the students and teachers on behalf of Pallotti Hill Public School. Madam briefed them about the Class timing, Timetable, Class teachers and Subject teachers etc.

46. Bus Drivers' Meet

The School Bus delivers' meet was held on 11th February to discuss the reoperation of the bus service for the students of 9th and 10th. Since they require a huge amount for the maintenance and other legal requirements, they were not in a position to re-operate the bus service. Moreover, they couldn't afford the expense since the number of students is very less. So, the idea was dropped and the students started coming to school in their own vehicles.

47. Subject Teachers' Meet

The Subject Teachers' Meet was conducted for a thorough analysis of the subject, book and other various aspects related to the subject. The meet was scheduled from 3rd March to 16th March. Subject teachers under the leadership of Principal participated the in the meet.

48. Valedictory Parents' Meet

Academic Year Concluding Meet was held on 29th March at 6.pm. The Session began with a prayer by Ragendu Rajeev of 5th standard. Official welcome speech was delivered by Seema Ma'am. Before addressing the gathering, Principal conducted a game to entertain the children. He talked about the adverse effects as well as the merits of Covid-19 Pandemic. He highlighted the merits. We got time to strengthen the bond among the family members, children got time to develop their inborn talents, and we become good citizens and also become conscious about health and hygiene. Parents gave their valuable suggestions about online classes and School Visit programme. The Session came to end with a vote of thanks proposed by Soumya Suresh, mother of Vyga and Vshnusai.

49. Farewell to the Outgoing Batch

The farewell function of the Outgoing Batch was held on 9th April from 10am to 1pm. Present 9th standard students hosted the farewell gathering. Various programmes like felicitation, video presentation, farewell addresses by Manager and Principal, presentation of Memento to outgoing students and topers of 2019-20 batch, Moral support by teachers, Lighting of the lamp and Blessing, Group song were organized

50. Jubilee Celebration

The Sacerdotal Silver Jubilee Celebration of Rev. Fr. Antony Kaithaparambil was held on 17th April at 10.30 AM. The School expressed its gratitude to Rev. Father for his tireless works and commitment to the School. The entire staff honoured him for his contribution and service to the school. The celebration concluded with an agape.

CONCLUSION

"None of us can change the past. But we can change the future when we take positive corrective action.... Success does begin with a dream of more." Overcoming our own complacent attitudes, we need to collectively and creatively think and dream more to find ways and means to revitalize our institutions with a matured and professional approach notwithstanding the risk it may call for. There seems to be no point in shedding tears or self-pitying over the situations we are surrounded with, rather we need to be courageous and confident to take risk to counter it. May I conclude this report with the words of Jen Bricker in her book, Everything is Possible, "Dream big; embrace what God has given you; bring light where there are shadows; spread hope, faith, love and peace."

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