

Bethany School Kinnikambla Annual Report for the year 2022-23

We delight in the beauty of the butterfly and rarely admit the changes it has gone through to achieve that beauty. It is the changes that we all go through in our life, that constantly improve us. A pleasant evening to one and all gathered here. A special and cordial welcome to our chief guests and guest of honour. Truly amazing to have you all present amidst us. It is my bounden duty as Principal to present before you the annual report of Bethany School (CBSE) for the year 2022-23, documenting its developments, achievements and success stories.

Reach high for stars lie hidden in your soul. Dream deep for every dream leads to the goal.

Great Philosopher Socrates said 'Education is the Kindling of the flame and not filling of the vessel'... we have stepped into this academic year with the total commitment and carried out our programmes and activities to reach the aims and goals of the institution to mould and shape the young minds to make good and responsible citizens.

Education imparted and the activities conducted are in part with the BES vision and core values. To promote the glory of God by the holiness of the members and to attain fullness of life various methods are introduced morning assemblies national and religious festivals are celebrated with the skits, songs, role plays, display of project work, bulletin board, etc has deepened the God experienced, unity, team work, leadership, love and appreciation to different cultures and religion.

Students Enrichment Programme: We lay considerable importance on extra – curricular activities to bring out the hidden talents of the students. The students shine on all occasions in the competitions conducted in various levels. The school is giving an ample of opportunities to participate in various competitions like dance, singing, drawing, speech, essay, card making, fancy dress, clay modelling, memory test, fruits and vegetables carving, cooking without fire, Science Model Exhibition, sports, yoga, karate, cub bulbul, scout and guides, balloons day and colours day and club activities etc are conducted in the school for all round development of the students.

- Special attention to help the slow learners is given
- Counselling by Thejakshi Shetty.
- Value based education through creative techniques
- Bridge course and unit tests are conducted
- Computer facilities, coaching in sports, games.
- Summer camps in the month of April is conducted
- To increase their scientific temper students are encouraged to participate in the science working model competitions at various levels. For grade 5th to 10th the school organized science working model competition cum Exhibition. Ln. Mr Venkatesh Hebbar was the chief guest of the day together with Sr Gracy Monica the correspondent and Dr. Sr. Juliet launched the exhibition.
- Various clubs are introduced for skill development and to generate inquisitiveness and interest and encourage students to bring out creativity.
- Children are like buds in a garden and should be carefully and lovingly nurtured. We celebrated the children's day with a colourful programme and made the children to feel that they are loved and respected.

Celebration of Events

- World Environment day
- Bethany Foundation day celebration
- Pink day

- Independence day celebration
- Kite day
- National Mathematic day
- National Science day
- Gandhijayanthi
- World Animal day
- Kannada Rajyothsava
- Hindi diwas
- World thinking day
- Parents day celebration
- Fruits day
- World food Day
- Awareness programme on E-Waste management
- Awareness on health and hygiene
- Seminar on stress management and time management
- Seminar on Competitive exams
- Constitution day
- Inauguration of the Platinum Jubilee of the Bethany Educational Society
- Career guidance was arranged for the students by Dr. B.G Bhaskar by an academician practicing psychologist and motivational speaker, for grade 8th to 9th Students.
- Career guidance for grade 9th and 10th was organized on 27th of August. Mr Patric Braggs from Mangalore gave input session to the students together with the parents. The students appeared for the aptitude test and after the evaluation for he guided the students together with their parents individually.
- Grand Parents are heroes for their grand children, stories of their struggles and hardships always inspire the young minds for a life time. To instil love and respect in the students towards their grand parents Grand Parents day was celebrated on 16th November.

Student cabinet council: In order to help the students to gain insight into the parliament process of the country members of the student council are elected every year. The Purpose of the student council is to give students an opportunity to develop leadership by organizing and carrying out school activities and projects. create an environment where every student voice their concern and need.

Annual Sports Meet: An athlete must run with hope in his heart and dreams in his head. The school organized an unique and colourful sports day. The sports meet was inaugurated by Mr Nishith Loius Lobo the advocator, state level volley ball and kabaddi player. Students belonging to sports club put up beautiful display.

Social outreach programmes: To instil love for the poor, sick and needy of the society Social Service Week was celebrated and students together with the parents out of their generosity collected dress, rice, coconuts, tooth paste and money, grocery items. It was shared with the poor students in the campus and with the poor families. On the occasion of Nativity of Mother Mary the students of little way of association collected vegetable and fruits and distributed to the poor families and on the occasion of Christmas they also collected Kuswar (Christmas Sweets) and Shared with the migrants in the vicinity.

Staff :

Glory name and fame of an institution is assessed by the contribution and selfless service of the staff. We have a dedicated and committed teaching faculty. “Develop a passion for learning. If you do, you will never cease to grow”. Staying updated is the key to success in any field, especially in the field of Education. Our teachers constantly strive to stay updated by attending

workshops, webinars and various training programme conducted by the management and the CBSE. Such as....

- Class room management
- Enhancing reading habits in students
- Skill based learning to build scientific temper and mathematical thinking
- Bridge course Essentials for primary classes and component of essentials for online classes
- Pedagogical Leadership
- Career guidance portal training programme for teachers
- Ekalavya
- Science webinar
- CBSE learning standards framework training
- Orientation session for Principals on school health and wellness programme
- Training on National Education policy 2020
- Health and Physical Education for PET teachers
- Induction Programme for new teachers
- Simplifying the unknown ...Mathematics Education in the information Technology.
- AICS annual conference 2022 on the theme Towards taking our schools to a higher level

Staff Picnic: a days outing was arranged for the staff to Mysore..... It was indeed a day filled with excitement, Music and dance. Every staff member enjoyed the day to the fullest with an environment filled with love and good cheer.

Parents teachers association : Education cannot be imparted to a child in isolation. Keeping in mind we encourage the parents to actively collaborate in the process of education. With this intension our PTA Vice President Mrs Laveena Preethi and members of executive committee are rendering their co-operation in order to help in the smooth functioning of the school. Those who educate children are more to be honoured. With this thought in mind PTA executive members celebrated along with the students the teacher's day. Delicious meal was sponsored for the teachers and students on the occasion of Teacher's day and children's day respectively.

Fr Arun Lobo the Counsellor was the resource person for the Annual General Body Meeting. He enlightened us on Z generation and tips for parents in the digital world.

Special Achievements of Students: The competition is not only among the fellow students. They need to extend their boundaries and emerge as victors among other students.

Under 14 years category Our school boys secured runners up trophy at District level in volley ball held at Bhuvana Jyothi residential school, Shirthady.

Master Lavan grade 9th, Buhvan grade 8th and Nishi R Acharya grade 8th have Participated in Mini Olympic Games and secured 3rd place in net ball which was organized by Government of Karnataks state and also participated in 1st mini sub Junior state Level Netball Championship 2022 organized by Ramanagara District Net ball Association on 16th and 17th April 2022

Parikshith grade 9th secured 3rd place in chess competition which was at Taluk Level Organized by Mangalore Taluk Panchayath on 05.08.2022 and also participated at district level.

Nandan Kamath of grade 8th secured 12th rank in Karnataka state level grand Finale of wiz National spell bee competition which was held on 16th Feb 2022 and also secured 45th rank in the National Mega Final wiz National spell bee competition which was held on 20th Feb 2022.

Amna Sheik of Grade 10 secured 1st place in at district level in Essay writing competition the topic was serving hands are better than praying lips. This which was organized by St Matheresa Vichara Vedike , Mangalore in memory of 25th Death anniversary of St Mother Theresa on 20th August 2022.

Nandan Kamath of Grade 8th secured first place in Karate Kata and kumite at state level Karate Championship 2022 and Kodagu cup-2022 organized by kalabhoomi martial Arts Academy and Kreedha Bharati Mangalore Vibhaga on 2022.

Young scientist Master Ujwal from grade 6 participated in the state level Science working model competition Tejas international School at Bagalkote conducted by the CBSE on 1st and 2nd December 2022. His project was Automatic watering the plant on reading the moisture content in the soil.

Nishy Acharya bagged 2nd place at State level drawing competition on the occasion of Children's day conducted by Kannada student council and Kannada cultural department.

As we complete 9 years of the inception of our school and one year into CBSE, we remain grateful to God our almighty for his abundant blessings on us and on our institution for the soothing and peaceful environment and for the care and protection through the intercession of Mary our Mother. On this auspicious occasion we gratefully acknowledge the gracious blessings and support by Sr Rose Celine, The Superior General, Sr. Sandhay, Secretary, Bethany Educational Society, Sr Cecilia Mendonca Provincial Superior & Corporate Manager, Sr Shubha the Coordinator for Education, Sr Gracy Monica the Correspondent, Sr Leera Maria The Local Manager, for their prayers and blessings work wonders for all round progress and development of our school.

I extremely thank for the selfless services rendered by all our teaching and non teaching faculty who are an instrumental in designing, moulding and nurturing our children to be good and responsible citizens of our nation.

I may fail in my duty if I forget to thank our parents, without their valuable support and co-operation we are not able to reach our goal as we stand today. I would like to play on record,

my sincere gratitude on behalf of the management and staff we thank you dear parents, well wishers and donors for your generous support and the cooperation.

To conclude, this year, we all took more collective step towards our vision, and while one step was taken, many more are to go, and it is certainly achievable.

“Every great dream begins with a dreamer. Always remember, we have within us the strength, the patience, and the passion to reach for the stars to change the world”.

Thank you. God Blesses us all !