

## **NIRMALA PUBLIC SCHOOL MUVATTUPUZHA**

### **ANNUAL REPORT 2019-20**

Respected President of the day Very Rev. Mgr. Cherian Kanjirakombil, our manager and Vicar general of Kothamanalam Diocese, our chief guest Sri Rishi Raj Singh IPS, DGP, Prison Kerala, Rev. Sr. Lucitta FCC, Provincial Superior, Vimala Province Muvattupuzha, Rev. Fr. Joseph Ponneth, Mr. Biju MS and Mrs. Reena Mathew our Vice Principals, Rev. Sr. Jyothis FCC, Headmistress, Sri Sabu Vazhayil, PTA representative, Rev. Fathers, Sisters, distinguished guests, parents, staff and students.

“The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams.” Greetings from Nirmala..... With a deep sense of exhilaration and delectation I present the annual report of the year 2019-20.

#### **RE-OPENING OF THE SCHOOL FOR THE ACADEMIC SESSION 2019-20**

With high expectations and academic dreams, Nirmalites began their journey through the year 2019-20 on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2019. Principal along with the staff warmly welcomed the students back to a new academic year in a very gracious and prayerful atmosphere. The new academic year had a prayerful beginning with the Holy Mass celebrated at the school auditorium by our patron Mar George Madathikandathil Bishop of Kothamangalam. The school blessing ceremony was held on 5<sup>th</sup> July 2019 by Rev. Mgr. Cherian Kanjirakompil, the manager of the school and offered the entire Nirmala School to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

#### **A GLIMPSE OF THE ACADEMIC ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

The academic ability of Nirmala was proved again with 100 percentage success in the class X and XII Board Examinations held in March 2019.

25 out of the total 151 students in class 10 and 9 out of the total 103 in class 12, who appeared for the examinations, scored A1 in all the subjects. Chris Sara Biji of Science stream and Anjali Nair of Commerce stream emerged as the school toppers by securing 484 and 491 marks respectively in class XII and Tess Santhosh of class X became the topper by securing 493 marks. I am so happy to inform you that Tess Santhosh secured 7<sup>th</sup> rank and both Minna Catherine Jose and Grace Maria Giby secured 9<sup>th</sup> rank respectively at National level.

Nirmalites added another golden feather by achieving centum for various subjects. Tess Santhosh, Lakshmipriya Sunish, Neha Thomas and Gopika G Nair scored 100 in Malayalam, Aravind P T, Eldo Saju, Rahul KR, Rajagopal V, Juwana Rajan, Lakshmipriya Sunish, Merriya Ginto, Nandana S, Reenamol Jeas, Tess Santhosh, Grace Maria Giby and Jan Lee Joshy scored 100 in Social Science, Ajzal Ali and Reenamol Jeas scored 100 in

Mathematics, Chris Sara Biji scored 100 in Biology, Anjali Nair and Vishnu R scored 100 in Computer Science and Fia Rose Manuel scored 100 in Economics.

On 6th June 2019 Nirmala family assembled in the indoor stadium and honoured all the A1 holders. Rev. Mgr. Cherian Kanjirakompil, the manager of the school appreciated all the A1 holders for their remarkable achievement and distributed prizes and certificates.

### **SCHOOL PARLIAMENT ELECTION AND INVESTITURE CEREMONY**

For the selection of skilled and quality leaders meet the candidate session was organized on 26th June 2019. The school election was held on 27th June 2019 under the guidance of Mr. Somy Mathew and Mr. Bless Tom, wherein the students of class 5 to 12 casted their votes through ballot system.

8 houses have been formed for organizing various co-scholastic activities. On 15<sup>th</sup> July **2019** Nirmala Public School held its investiture ceremony. Rev. Dr. Manuel Pichalakkattu Vice-Principal, Newman College Thodupuzha vested powers to the newly elected office bearers and inaugurated the co- curricular activities of the school for the year 2019-20. Master Sefan Mathew and Kumari Janlee Joshy of class XI, the head boy and the head girl along with House Captains and parliament leaders of various classes were honoured with badges and sashes by Fr. Mathew M Mundackal.

### **KALOTSAV 2019**

In order to tap the hidden talents of our students and to showcase their talents, our school provides various opportunities every year. This year the school level arts fest, Nirmalotsav 2019 conducted on 2nd and 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2019 was officially inaugurated by Rev. Sr. Jyothis FCC, our Headmistress. It was conducted on house wise and the winners were awarded with trophies and certificates. Along with this every day we are conducting assembly for the students of class 5 to 9 on class wise and various opportunities are being provided to them for developing and exhibiting their talents. This help the students to develop their leadership and creative skills.

This year Nirmala Public School organized the inauguration of Central Kerala Sahodaya CBSE Arts Fest, Kalotsav on 11<sup>th</sup> October 2019 followed by the band competition. The official inauguration of the Kalotsav 2019 was done by Rev. Fr. Sijan Paul Oonnukallel, President of CKS and was presided by Rev. Mgr. Cherian Kanjirakombil, our manager. Off stage events and Category 1 items were held in our school on 12<sup>th</sup> October. The computer department of our school deserves a special appreciation for their tireless efforts in making the Kalotsav a grand success and a special note of thanks to Mrs. Gincy George who coordinated all the activities.

The record victory achieved by our students in the CKS Kalotsav is appreciable. 290 students from our school participated in the Kalotsav held at Nirmala Public School Muvattupuzha, Infant Jesus Public school North Paravur, Shanthal Jyothi Public School Muttom and Vimala Public School Thodupuzha on 12<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> of October. Nirmala Public School became the champion school securing 876 points and bagged all the championship titles of all the categories. I am much delighted to announce that this is the first time ever in the history of Central Kerala Sahodaya that the same school achieved overall in all the categories.

Our 14 students participated in the CBSE State Kalotsav held at Carmel CMI public school Vazhakulam in the month of November. Chrslin Saji of class IV secured 1<sup>st</sup> in Folk Dance of category 1, Ayana Babu of class X secured 1<sup>st</sup> in Mappilappattu, Category 3, Krishnarchana of class 9 secured 2<sup>nd</sup> in Ottanthullal, Category 3 and Devika V A of class 9 secured 2<sup>nd</sup> in Mohiniyattom, category 3.

Our students participated in the cultural competitions conducted by Manorama in association with Vignan University and secured first position at district level.

## **SPORTS AND GAMES**

The sports department organized a series of inter house indoor and outdoor events throughout the year. School Sports Meet held on 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> of November 2019 was declared open by Mr. Anilkumar, DySP of Muvattupuzha. The March past conducted by the entire students of Nirmala Public was well appreciated by the chief guest.

63 athletes from our school participated in the Central Kerala Sahodaya Sports Meet held at Viswadeepthi CMI Public School Adimali on 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> November 2019. Securing 182 points our athletes won the overall championship for the 6<sup>th</sup> consecutive year along with over all in sub junior, junior and senior categories. The March Past done by our students was outstanding and secured 1<sup>st</sup> position. Rohan P Unni of class 6, Sneha George of class 7, Christus Joby of class 8 and Fayaz P Ajims of class 10 secured the Individual Championship trophies.

23 students participated in the State CBSE Sports Meet held at Maha Raja's College stadium, Ernakulam. Securing 7 gold, 10 silver and 3 bronze medals our students achieved 4<sup>th</sup> position in the State level. Fyaz P Ajims secured individual championship trophy. Christus Joby, U S Nidheesh, Aravind Saji, Kasinath S, Ibnu Abbas, Fayaz P Ajims, Anu Mariya Jose, Mariya Jojo and Tessa Manoj were qualified for the National meet.

On 11<sup>th</sup> November the entire Nirmala family assembled in the Indoor Stadium and congratulated all the participants of Kalotsav and Sports meet. It's our students who made it possible by putting all their efforts in the most effective and appropriate way to the pioneer school. I congratulate all the participants.

A special applause to our Physical instructors Mrs. Rejani Thomas, Amal V R, Anand S and Vineeth K K and Gincy George, Annamma Mathew, Reena V Jose and Vimala Bennex, the Kalotsav Coordinators for their effective training that they have given to the students. Along with this I appreciate and express my sincere gratitude to all the teachers, staff, parents and students of Nirmala for their support and hard work that helped our school to achieve this great victory.

## **SCIENCE FAIR**

Our school, in order to nurture and develop scientific ideas and creativity in students organizes science fair every year. This year it was held on 23rd November 2019 which was inaugurated by Dr. B Rageshkumar, Professor Physics department, Nirmala College Muvattupuzha in which skilled artists, future scientists and promising mathematicians exhibited their skills and proved themselves with lot of enthusiasm. The integrated project presented by students of class 9 -11 and Best out of the Waste (Recycling waste Product) by the students of class 5 -12 were much appreciated by all.

## **TEACHERS' DAY**

Nirmala Public school celebrated Teacher's Day, 'SADARAM 2019' on 5<sup>th</sup> September with various interesting activities. The students of class 12 took the privilege of organizing the event. The meeting was inaugurated by Prof. George Varghese, the former Vice Principal of Nirmala College Muvattupuzha. On the auspicious occasion Mr. Biju M S and Mrs. Shila C R, the senior faculties were honoured for their selfless service along with best teacher award of the year to Mrs. Hema Vinod, Sajitha Paul, Tintu Eldo and Vimala Bennex in their respective categories. All the teachers were honoured with gifts and various games were arranged for them by the students.

## **TEACHER EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMMES AND TRAINING**

Staying updated is the key to success in the field of education. Our teachers constantly strive to stay updated, by attending workshops and various training programmes. Teacher orientation programmes are held on a regular basis at our school and the teachers are taking keen interest in attending the Capacity Building Programme conducted by CBSE on various topics. This year such trainings were arranged in our school on Inclusion and Inclusive Strategies, Experiential Learning for Principals, CBP for Class X Science teachers and Language fest for English teachers. Almost all the teachers attended the mandatory training session as per the affiliation bye laws of CBSE.

## **SEMINARS AND TRAINING PROGRAMMES**

The school has integrated life skill training programmes in the schedule so that students develop the ability to meet difficulties in life. Various training sessions, Career Guidance programmes, Seminars, etc. were conducted for the students of all sessions in order to motivate and equip them with various skills. Topics like How to be a model student, Responsible youth, Joyful learning, bring out the best in you, healthy friendship, trust in God, healthy food habits, happy adolescence, Health and Hygiene, Physical fitness etc. were dealt with during this year. Career guidance class was organized for the students of plus two. Students with special needs are identified and monitored by class teachers and subject teachers. Such students are then regularly counseled by the school wellness teacher.

## **SPIRITUAL EMPOWERMENT**

Catechism and Value education are part of school curriculum. We celebrate Holy Mass on every first Friday with enlightening messages along with orientation classes for non-catholic students. Confession facilities are provided to catholic students. In the month of October all the catholic students along with teachers gathered together in the school chapel and prayed through the intercession of Holy Mary by reciting the Rosary. The last day was a grand celebration with a rosary procession in the campus by all the members of Nirmala family.

## **DEPARTMENT WISE PROGRAMMES**

This year in connection with HINDI DIVAS, the Hindi department observed Hindi week by arranging various events and competitions for the students.

The English department conducted Art Integration activities for the students of class 5 to 11 in which the students exhibited their lesson through various forms of art. They also made one profile magazine that helped the students to identify famous writers. The students of class IX made a news paper with the programmes and events conducted in our school.

Malayalam department conducted elocution and 'Sahitya Prasnothiri' quiz competition, in connection with 'Kerala Piravi' and the message of the day was given by Biju MS.

Mathematics department released Mathematics magazine called 'Dalet' for generating interest towards the learning of Mathematics.

Science department conducted quiz competition on a weekly basis for the students of class 5-8 for a period of 2 months and the toppers were awarded prizes on the Science fair day. On 6<sup>th</sup> October class XI students participated in the 'Student Solar Ambassador Workshop' held at Nirmala College Muvattupuzha. This programme was conducted by

IIT Bombay in association with Government of India in connection with the 150<sup>th</sup> birthday of Mahatma Gandhi in which students were given training in making solar lamp. Students of class 11 were given the opportunity to visit the medical exhibition conducted by MOC medical college Kolenchery. As a part of the Childrens' day celebration, various competitions like news reading for the students of class 5 to 9, fancy dress and mohiniyattom for the primary section were conducted on 14<sup>th</sup> November. Special congratulations to all the HODs for taking too much effort in arranging various programmes for the skill development of our students.

### **OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS AND PROGRAMMES**

9 students participated in the 9<sup>th</sup> inter school Karate Championship held in our school in the month of August and our team secured 3<sup>rd</sup> position. Sourav S Nair, Janani P and Jonath K Wilson of class 7 secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position in Kumite conducted at District level . Jonath K Wilson secured 3<sup>rd</sup> in Kumite conducted at State level also.

Muhammed Naif of class 7 and Emil Kurian Eldhose of class 9 secured 1<sup>st</sup> in Robotics competition held in collaboration with Robotics Department of IIT Mumbai and have been selected for the National level competition to be held on January 2020.

**International Yoga** day was celebrated on 21<sup>st</sup> June 2018. A team of students under the direction of Yoga trainer, Smt. Beena Benoy conducted Yoga demonstration at the school indoor stadium.

**73<sup>rd</sup> Independence Day** of our Nation was celebrated on 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2019 at 9.00am with great patriotic spirit. Principal Fr. Mathew M Mundackal hosted the flag and Master Sefan Mathew the head boy delivered the message of the day by highlighting the importance of being truly patriotic and urged the students to grow in patriotic values.

### **STUDY TOURS, PICNICS AND FESTIVALS**

Picnics are a thrill for all at any stage and enjoying events for everybody. Class wise trips and visits were held for our students from class 1 to 12. This year we had many such occasions that gave our students a different atmosphere from the stress and strain of the classrooms and helped them to understand various places and cultures.

In order to inculcate the feelings of happiness and integrity every year we conduct various festivals and celebrations like Onam, Childrens' day, Principal's day, Christmas, food fest, etc. for the students.

## **SOCIAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

Our students are aware about their social responsibility towards the society and a social experience programme initiated by the school has enhanced social commitment amongst students and provided them with opportunities to serve the society. The social service department which includes two selected leaders from each class and one teacher coordinator once in a week collects contributions from the students for various social service activities and this year they collected Rs. 3,25,000/-

In addition, this year our staff and students actively participated in extending our helping hands towards the flood affected people. A special collection was made by the students for the flood affected fellow-beings of Malabar and raised around Rs.1,75,000/- A team of students under the guidance of Fr. Joseph Ponneth, our Vice Principal and Tintu Eldho the social service coordinator of the school visited the flood affected areas of Malabar and contributed Rs. 1,50,000/- Along with this they handed over the clothes and other items collected by the students. In the month of November our students contributed Rs. 1,00,000/- to a student who is suffering from cancer.

## **PTA MEETINGS**

The school gives a lot of importance in maintaining cordial relationship with parents. In almost all the activities of the school the parents are rendering selfless service and encouraging us with their valuable suggestions. The periodic open house meeting permits the two way communication between teachers and parents providing a good platform for the face to face interaction regarding on all issues concerning the progress of the students. The executive committee of PTA met thrice this year and they expressed happiness in the effective functioning of the school. This year the PTA took keen interest in not only supporting our students but they were there to appreciate both the students and teachers when our school became victorious. They honoured the sahodaya coordinators with mementos. The support and co-operation extended by them for the success of all the activities of the school are appreciated by all.

## **SCHOOL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

For the effective functioning of the day to today activities of the school an efficient SMC is constituted under the guidance and leadership of Rev. Mgr. Cherian Kanjirakompil, our Manager and President of the Trust The SMC consists of 15 members and constituted as per the directions given in the Affiliation Bye laws of CBSE. This year the SMC met twice in the month of May and November. The first meeting of the SMC was held on 5<sup>th</sup> May 2019. The SMC members evaluated the Board examination result of class X and XII and appreciated the management, staff and students for the outstanding result secured by the students. The committee discussed various matters like Sahodaya sports, arts, etc and

planned all the activities for the session 2019- 20. The committee decided to construct a new language lab for the students. Decision had been taken to increase the tuition fee of the students during the year.

The 2nd meeting the SMC of this year was held on 18<sup>th</sup> November 2019. The committee evaluated the performance of school and appreciated the management for implementing the language lab and congratulated all the staff and students for achieving overall in Sahodaya arts and sports. In a special way they acknowledged and remembered the name of Mrs. Rejani Thomas who was declared as the Best Physical Trainer of the year by Central Kerala Sahodaya. Various matters like scheduling Annual day celebration, Christmas and annual examination were discussed in the meeting and decided to conduct annual day in December. The committee expressed their satisfaction in the smooth running of the school and offered all the support in all the activities of the school.

### **RECOGNITION AND AWARDS**

**Best Coach Award:** Our physical education trainer Mrs. Rejani Thomas was awarded with Best Coach Award for the year 2019-20 by Central Kerala Sahodaya. This is given in consideration with excellent and outstanding coaching she has been giving to the students for the last years that helped the trainees to achieve overall in Sports for the last 6 years.

**Global Innovative School Award (GISA):** Nirmala Public School is awarded with Global Innovative School Award by Birla Institute of Technology and Science(BITS) Pilani Dubai. The award committee selected our school for the award on the basis of academic performance of the school, inclusion of cultural activities, use of technology in the curriculum, social awareness programmes conducted by the school for the last 5 years. We were able to achieve this award by the unanimous work of teachers, students and parents. I appreciate all the stakeholders for securing this international award.

### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

Rev. Fr. Jose Karivelickal Endowment Award for the topper student of class 12 in the Board Examination will be given to Chris Sara Biji of Science stream and Anjali Nair of Commerce stream.

Milby Teacher Memorial Award for the topper student of class 9 in Malayalam will be given to Chackochan Jose.

In order to sustain the everlasting memory of Sri Deepak Venugopal, the family members introduced Deepak memorial Endowment award for the topper student of class 12 in Physics. This year the award is given to Chris Sara Biji.



Rev. Fr. Jose Kodamullil Memorial Endowment award for the best student in each class will be given to -

Abigail Saju	Class 5
Jubina Biju John & Navya Manoj	Class 6
Devika V A	Class 7
Calvin Bennex	Class 8
Krishnarchana S	Class 9
Ayana Babu	Class 10
Minna Catherine Jose & Reenamol Jeas	Class 11
Dona Agnes Jose	Class 12

## **TO CONCLUDE**

It is rightly said “the secret of all great undertakings is hard work and self reliance.” I avail this opportunity today to express my heartfelt thanks to Rev. Mgr Cherian Kanjirakompil and Sr. Lucitta FCC, our managers who have boosted our efforts to make our school one of the best schools. On this joyous moment I thank Fr. Joseph Ponneth, Reena Mathew, Biju MS our vice principals, Sr. Jyothis FCC our headmistress, teachers, staff, parents, students, all our well wishers and I thank each and every one of you for your relentless support and encouragement, the dedication and untiring efforts that have taken Nirmala to the towering heights of success and accomplishments.

17.12.2019

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