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Academic Programmes

IInd Unit test Commenced:

- Std I-IV 06.08.18 10.08.18
- Std V-06.08.18 09.08.18
- Std VI- 14.08.18 23.08.18
- Remedial Classes for std I VI commenced on 11.08.18
- Unit Test I Parent Open Meet for Std I—VI was conducted on 04.08.18

Young Ramanujan Exam

Students from classes IV - VI Participated in the Young Ramanujan Exam conducted by SETHU BASKARA MHSS, Ambattur on 18.08.18

Logic MILLS

Ms.Tippy's team from Logic Mills along with *Mrs Indra Jeyaraj*, Vice Principal, SHARPEN visited the school on **20.08.18**and conducted an activity for the students.

The team observed the Logic Mill activity conducted by *Mrs. P.B. Kavitha, Dept.of English* and shared their reviews with the teacher.





Mrs. G.Subhashini, Dept.of. Computer Science assisted the activity.

SPORTS ACHEIVEMENTS

37 children from classes III, IV, V and VI participated in the *Sports Festival Competitionconducted by Tamilnadu Sports Promoters Association at SDAT Grounds, Nehru Park on 06.08.18*

uryamurthy std V, and V.K. Sajeev std V won 1st prize in Group Singing competition.

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The following students won medals.



- 1. V.Megha-Std V- Gold- 100mts
- 2. M.Silambarasan- std IV- Gold- soft Ball Throw
- 3. B. Kavya- Std III- Silver- 50 mts
- 4. Charumathi -Std III Silver Soft Ball Throw
- 5. S.Pranathi- Std VI- Silver- 75mts
- 6. G. Ananya -Std VI- Silver-100mts
- 7. M.Selvarasan-Std VI- Silver- 75 mts
- 8. V.Thaneesh Std III- Bronze-Soft Ball Throw
- 9. N. Mrithula- Std IV- Bronze-75mts
- N.S.Deepshika-Std VI-Bronze-75 mts



Extra-curricular Activities

Students participated in the Independence Day Competitions from 31.07.18 – 04.08.18 Std V& VI -English and Tamil Elocution Std III &IV – Wealth from waste Std I & II-Drawing UKG- Fancy Dress (National Leaders) LKG – Colouring(National Symbols)

SINGING

V.K.Sajeev of Std V participated in *Air Tel Super singer preliminary rounds* on **04.08.18**



Around 15 students from classes IV- VI participated in the *Airtel Super Singer Voice Au*-



Key Board Classes for the students commenced on 31.08.18

THEMATIC OBSERVANCES

Green Colour Day

Green, the colour of nature was celebrated by the *Dept. of Kindergarten* on 03.08.18.

Children were taught about the nutritional value of greens through the cartoon character **Popeye**. The importance of nurturing **Mother Earth** and the need to maintain greenery for survival was stressed through songs and speeches.



Children understood that Green symbolizes growth, harmony, freshness, and fertility.



Hiroshima Day was observed on **06.08.18.as Peace Day.** The situations during the *World war II* that led to the bombing were shared with the children. A speech on the *Aftermath of atomization* by Dhanushga of Std V helped the students understand the *ill effects* of atomic bombs. Children were advised to promote peace. They took an oath *"Let there be peace in the world and let it begin from me"* during the assembly.



Friendship Day was celebrated on 07.08.18.

Children from Std V presented a Friendship song. Students tied Friendship bands to share their concern and friendship.



Children made Greeting Cards for their friends and displayed them on the Notice Board.



Kindergarten celebrated Independence Day on 10.08.18.

A special celebration was organized for the Kindergarten children to initiate them into patriotism. During the special assembly, teachers enlightened them on the importance of National Flag, Contribution of Leaders like Gandhi and Bharathiyar and the diverse culture of India.



Independence Day



Independence Day was celebrated on 15.08.18 with zealand patriotic spirit.

The Chief Guest Mr. Rajangam, Inspector of Police, Thazambur unfurled the tricolor and delivered the Independence Day message.



The Associate Secretary of SBIOA Educational Trust Mr.STamilventhan delivered the special address. Trust Member **Mr. G.Kamakodi**, Mr. Raja, SI, Thazambur, Mr.V. Palani, Superindent, Sub Jail Madurantakam graced the function with their presence. Tharikai Chitra of class II A welcomed the gathering. The school choir set the pitch for the program with patriotic songs in Tamil and Hindi.



The speeches presented by the students urged today's generation to value the freedom we havesecured after the sacrifices of many and appreciate the diverse culture of our Motherland with unity. Students also danced to a medley of songs from Hindi, Tamil and Malayalam involving multiple styles with brimmed with patriotic fervor. KG children who were dressed up as famous freedom fighters were a cynosure to the eyes.



The cultural presentation eceived much deserved applause from the parents and guests. The cultural programme was compered by Roshan, Hannah Blesson and Malathi Chidambaram of Std V. The winners of Inter-school Competitions and Independence Day Competitions were awarded Trophies and certificates. Nithya Sri of Std V proposed the vote of thanks.

World Photography Day

World Photography Day was celebrated on 20.08.18.



Children presented speeches about photography during the special assembly. Children exhibited an array of photographs taken during their childhood, picnics, family functions etc. They also shared their memories and stories behind their display with their school mates. The celebration aided in developing a special bond with their families and friends.

Out Reach

Mrs. M. Kavitha, Dept. of English, visited the **Panchayat Union Primary School**, **Sonalur**on 09.08.18. The children were taught about Nouns and its Kinds in an interesting way.



Mr. M. Rajesh, Dept. of Physical Education visited **the Panchayat Union Primary School, Sonalur** on 31.08.18. Children were taught few basic exercises and games were also conducted.



Others

Swacch Classroom– Cleanliness award is a campaign in SBIOA IS that aims to keep the classroom clean and neat. The objectives of Swachh Class room include responsibility to keep the surrounding clean, free from litter and dust and establishing a routine in the minds of the children to maintain their space tidy.



The award was first bagged by Std VI – for the 4th week of July.



The class teacher and class representatives received the award during the Assembly

August- Winners Std IV- 1^{st} week Std VI -2^{nd} week Std I A- 3^{rd} week Std III- 4^{th} week

Youth Parliament



Youth Parliament was formally inaugurated on **30.08.18**. An introduction to the functioning of Parliament was given by Mrs. M. Chitra, Dept. of Social Sciences.

Headmistress explained that the parliament should be used to effectively express the concerns of the students and also instill a sense of responsibility to take part in school projects. School SPL, ASPL, Class Leaders and Asst. Class leaders participated in the programme.

They were initiated as MP's by the Headmistress, Mrs Vijayalakshmi Nageswaran and assigned portfolios like General Discipline, Campus Cleanliness, Display Coordination, Campus Language usage etc. It was decided to have the monthly meeting of the mock parliament on the 4th of every month.

Teachers' Day Competitions



Competitions like Throwball, Carrom and Cricket were conducted as part of Teachers' Day celebration from **21.08.18 – 31.08.18** Teaching and Non-teaching staff participated in the events enthusiastically.



Seminars & Workshops

02.08.18Seminar for Spell Bee -Coordinators

Mrs. S. Uma Maheswari Dept. of. Science attended the workshop 'Building Students Communicative English' organized by Spell Bee International at Raj Palace Sundar, Chennai.



The seminar threw light on the Certified programs like phonics, public speaking, poem writing, essay writing elocution, in house magazines etc., conducted by Spell Bee. Improving LSRW skills through games and innovative methodologies in teaching



Digi Interactive Board demo was conducted for the teachers on **04.08.18**.

Teachers were enlightened about the features in the Smart Board and how to use it to the maximum for teachinglearning process. Mr. K. Sowrirajan, Business Head- Learning Solutions was the



Workshop for Tamil Department



Mr. Raghunathan and Mr. Shankar, Dept. of Tamil attended the model teaching classes on Grammar, Prose and Poetry organized by SHARPEN, SBIOA ET on 04.08.18



Maths Semínar

Mrs. Padma Vaishanavi, Dept. of. Mathsattended a one-day workshop on 'Active Learning in Mathematics' on 22.08.18. The workshop was conducted by Cambridge Mathematics at Benz Park, T.Nagar.



• The class teachers on 31.08.18 regarding 'Unity in Diversity' Mela.

Staff Meetings

Headmistress convened meetings for

- The Kindergarten teachers on 01.08.18 regarding Term wise Academic Programmes.
- The staff on 07.08.18 regarding Independence Day Programme and rehearsals.
- The class teachers on 10.8.18 regarding Discipline of the students and the role of the teachers.
- The staff regarding Teachers' Day celebrations on 20.08.18.
- The class teachers and subject teachers regarding syllabus completion on 21.08.18
- The conveners of various committees on 28.08.18 to discuss the planning of Annual and Sports Day celebrations.