FLYING -HIGHER AND UP WITH THE AGES

**ANNUAL REPORT 2020-2021**

We delight in the beauty of the butterfly, but rarely admit the changes it has gone through to achieve that beauty. Same way Matha achieved its beauty and colour with tireless and continuous efforts of 41 years.

The Academic Year- 2020-2021 has been exceptionally uncommon and at the same time eventful for all of us.  When the world set new norms and normal, we tried to conquer it with synergy and diligence. Looking back, we see with great clarity that what once appeared as difficulties now reveal themselves as achievements.

It is with great pleasure and honour that I would like to present 41st Annual Report of Matha Senior Secondary School of the year 2020– 2021. First of all we express our sincere gratitude to the Almighty for keeping us in His loving care and our patroness Mary Matha for her motherly protection.

It was Late Rev.Fr. S.Kakkanat who took the bold decision to start Matha school, with the permission of the Late Bishop Isaac Mar Youhanon. The Matha School has grown into a Senior Secondary School affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi, with the great care and vision of Rev.Fr. Stanislaus Kakkanat

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**MANAGEMENT**

Matha Senior Secondary School is owned, managed and run by the Malankara Catholic Arch Diocese of Tiruvalla. His Grace Most Rev. Dr. Thomas Mar Koorilos, the Metropolitan Archbishop is the Patron of the school. Msgr.Cherian Thazhamon is the Vicar General of Arch Diocese of Tiruvalla. Rev. Fr. is the Corporate Manager of unaided schools of the Arch Diocese of Thiruvalla. . Rev. Fr. Antony Chethipuzha is the Local Manager of Matha Senior Secondary School.

The Students Council

 The student’s council is body of elected members that includes a sense of leadership and democracy among the students. It plays an important role in being a mediator between the students and the management. It comprises of School Leader, Deputy Leader, Scholastic Leader, Scholastic Deputy Leader, Co-Scholastic Leaders, Co-Scholastic Deputy Leaders and four House Captains and Vice- Captains for each House.

Inter- House Activities:-

Students are divided into four houses

1. **Ravindra Nath Tagore (Red)**
2. **C.V. Raman (Yellow)**
3. **Mother Teresa(Green)**
4. **Mar Ivanios(Violet)**

ONLINE EXAMINATIONS: Conducted online examinations for all the classes in a systematic way.

Online Training Programme for Teachers and Students

With the sole purpose of updating teachers' knowledge, the school hosted a series of Teachers' Workshops and students training programmes. It was an attempt which inclusively engulfed various significant aspects like Moral Values, Life Skills by CBSE, Meditation & Stress Management, , English Language and Mathematics.

**ONLINE Club Activities**

Club activities provide a wide range of portals for children to display their talents in the most spontaneous way. The informal setting of these activities offers an excellent environment for learning besides having fun. Important clubs are Philately Club, Science Club, Maths Club , Social Science Club, I.T. Club . Dance club, Music club and Literary Club.

 ONLINE READING WEEK CELEBERATIONS

To instill the habit of extensive reading, Reading Week was organized and various online competitions like poster making, preparing charts , quiz competition and speeches were organized in connection with reading week. Teacher incharge: -Ms.Indu Ramachandran

Cultural And Festival Activities 2020

A GLIMPSE OF SCHOLASTIC AND NON-SCHOLASTIC ACTIVITIES OF THE SCHOOL

*Independence Day:-*

Independence Day was celebrated with flag hoisting, and singing of patriotic songs.

**Online Curriculam Improvement Programmes:-**

The teachers have attended different online seminars organized by CBSE Southern Region in relation to Remodeled Assessment, Curriculum improvement, life skill development and evaluation techniques in English, Mathematics , Social Science, Malayalam

**MOTIVATIONAL TALKS AND SESSIONS**

In order to facilitate the holistic development of children of all classes, various webinars on a variety of topics like Health and Wellness, Nature and its Resources, Good Parenting etc. awareness sessions, motivational talks and interactive sessions with famous personalities from various organizations were arranged during the academic year. A handful of subject specific webinars and career guidance sessions were also arranged for the students of senior secondary.

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**ONLINE SAHODAYA DISTRICT KALOLSAV 2020 :- Matha School won First position in different categories and online competitions hosted by Matha School.**

SPORTS AND GAMES

***“To be a great champion, you must believe you are the best. If you are not, keep on trying.”***

Our school showed admirable commitment in sports and games. In keeping up the tradition of Matha our students have uphold the records. Arranged special online training progrmme for students of all the levels.

*Competetive Sports:-*

Our school has strong teams in Basketball, Table tennis, Cricket, Football and Athletics **and Badminton.**

**BHARATH SCOUTS AND GUIDES & BAND TROUPE**

With great pleasure , I wish to bring to your kind attention that our school has a well organized Scout troop which performs their functions in a most colourful manner under the guidance of our Scout Master Mr. John Fernandaus . Special online training progrmmes arranged for scout students.

I happy to mention that Our School Band made a prestigious appearance in different occasions and won the prizes in different levels. Congratulations for all the band troop members and Teacher incharge Mr.Madavan. He arranged special online training programme for band troop members.

As the school’s unprecedented journey in 2020-‘21 is drawing to  a close, let  us all look forward to a fruitful academic year with a new set of  dreams and  aspirations. Optimism is a happiness magnet, a powerful force of reassurance.  So stay positive and be led by the dreams  in your  heart.

**CONCLUSION**

I do not want to hold you up further, but before I conclude the report, I would like to say a few things briefly. From the lengthy reporting it may be clear to you that this has been an eventful year for Matha School. **We express our sincere thanks and heartfelt gratitude to all our students, parents, well-wishers and patrons of our school without whose help we would not have been in a position to maintain high standard of education and discipline in our school. We take this opportunity to commit ourselves to do our best to serve this locality in the educational field.** I hereby place on record the great service of P.T.A., its Executive Body and especially the services of P.T.A. President Adv.P.V. Thomas..

**We seek the blessing from the God Almighty to help and guide us in the future in the right way.**

**I thank you all, once again. JAI HIND**

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DATE: 07-01-2021. RAJAN JOSEPH KADANTHODU

(PRINCIPAL)

 Matha Senior Secondary School, Thumpoly, Alleppey