

Carmel CMI Public School, Annual Report 2024 -25

Introduction

Honorable guests of the day, principals from different schools, beloved fathers, dear parents, students and all well-wishers...

I deem it, a great honor and privilege to be the one, presenting the annual report of the academic year 24-25.

We have a tone of positive news and stories to share, after completing a large portion of this academic year

Carmel school has spent, 41 years successfully, completing its quests for perfection.

The school, situated in spectacular settings, plays a multifaceted role to foster the vision and mission of its founder, St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara, focusing the motto, caring for excellence.

Let me give a rear view of this academic year through a visual presentation. Thank you.

A new Horizon: Carmel, nestled in the heart of Pinapple city, stands as a beacon of educational excellence, promotes human values based on, character formation, academic excellence and development of psychomotor skills. Our institution currently has a student strength of 2428, reflecting steady growth and a commitment, to deliver quality education. This figure not only showcases our capacity, but also emphasizes the trust, parents place in our institution, as, a centre for learning and growth. Our key highlights are: **D**iverse student population across the country, **R**obust infrastructure to support academic and extracurricular development, and **D**edicated faculty and staff, ensuring excellence in education.

New Leadership: This year our institution witnessed an important transition with the change of principal, making a new chapter in the school's leadership and vision. Former principal and a great visionary of Carmel for a decade, Fr. Sijan Paul Unnukallel CMI is appointed as the Director of Carmel education Trust and Fr. Johnson Vettikuzhiyil CMI is appointed as the new principal of Carmel school. His extensive experience, unwavering integrity and value centric leadership will lead Carmel to better heights.

The grand opening: The new academic session began with prayer, introduction and newcomer workshop. The Vidhyarambham for K G section was on 8 th June 2024.

Academic Mastery: Legends are ordinary people who are willing to walk an extra mile, push the limits and create a new meaning for themselves and for society. This year has been marked by significant achievements and milestones demonstrating our institutions commitment, growth and excellence. 110 students from class 10, and 195 students of class 12 secured first class. Alfred Jenson class 10, the school topper scored 499 out of 500, S Reshitha and Liya Maria J with 98.6% in second position, and Jyothilakshmi Raj with 98.4% in the third position. 22 students of class 10 scored full A1 for all subjects, 7 students in Malayalam got 100 out of 100, 4 students in I T, 3 in Social science and 2 in science. Plus Two science stream, Meenakshi A, the school topper with 98.4% scored full mark for physics and chemistry, Uthra S in second position with 97.2%, and Adith T with 97% in the third position. 24 students scored full A1 for all subjects. Daniel Bijo and Ema John for Biology 100 out of 100, Nikhil Kuruvila Varghese 100 out of 100 in Chemistry, Shinscina Shinto and Shivani Rajesh full mark in Computer Science. In commerce stream Liya George, the school topper with 98.2%, scored full mark in Accountancy, Economics and Informatic practices. Angelin Mary Eldho with 96.6% in second position, scored full mark in Malayalam. Sanio Santhosh with

96.25 in the third position, scored full mark in Business studies and informatics practices. Devasurya R Nair got full mark in Business studies. Aleena Sunny scored full mark in Informatics Practice, Tiya Titto, Jomin S George, and Angelin Mary Eldho full mark in Malayalam. Congratulations dear students. We wish you to move on and work towards the next success. The finishing line of one line is the starting line of the next. Keep going on because, bigger successes await you.

Our Teaching faculty: The education landscape has evolved significantly with educators assuming a more profound role in shaping young minds. Teachers can discern the unique strengths, talents and qualities embedded within each student. The faculty consists of 100 teachers, 6 office staff, 10 drivers, 13 Ays and 2 security staff. Their dedication and expertise are crucial, ensuring quality education and preparing learners for future challenges.

Staff Enriching Programmes: A profession requires people to have a set of skills and knowledge in their field. It demands a higher standard of training and education, alongside work ethics and a code of conduct. Career progression is intrinsic to any good institution and we provide ample opportunities to our teachers to develop their overall skills. Capacity building programs from time to time help our teachers to cultivate an academic atmosphere.

Supportive Resources: School organizes variety of programmes to empower the students. Daily assembly, Regular P T sessions, Class Assembly, Literary and cultural activities, Spiritual orientations etc. A professional counsellor provides regular counselling for the wellbeing of our students. Enhanced facilities including upgraded class rooms, Laboratories, Digital Learning tools, Gymnasium, swimming pool, Turf court etc.

Holistic Formation: At our institution we prioritize the holistic development of students focusing on nurturing their emotional intellectual and spiritual growth.

Holy mass and regular confession on every First Friday for catholic students

Ten- day Rosary in the month of October

Class on **Say no to drugs**, Health and Hygiene class for girls, Awareness of sexual harassment and Pocsso, Career guidance etc. We provide mentorship programmes to guide students on their academic and personal journeys.

Supplementary Learning: The school organizes a variety of beyond class room programs to foster the potential of students and nurture the sense of creativity. Regular training sessions are held in:

Archery, Karate, Glass painting, Jewellery making, Metal engraving, Drawing and Painting, Computer Typing, Abacus, Guitar, Keyboard, Tabala, Classical Dance, Roller skating, Tailoring, Embroidery, Yoga, Basketball, Football and Swimming.

Carmel Kindergarten: The kindergarten programme serves as the cornerstone of early childhood education providing a nurturing environment where young learners begin their journey of exploration, creativity and growth. Competitions like self- introduction, fancy dress, Smart kid, Independence- day, color days, Kerala Piravy, Malayali Manka, Kerala Sreeman etc. ensure to develop essential skills and values in early childhood.

School Senate: Abel Tojo and Annu Kuriakose have been elected the Head boy and Head girl respectively in a smooth and democratic voting process, utilizing the digital platform for accuracy and efficiency. Anabel Rose Joshy elected as the General Secretary and Abhinav Raj as General

Captain. Arvin Arun and Lisa Marim Haeigin were voted to the positions of Junior Head boy and Junior Head girl respectively.

Carmel Kalolsav and Sports Day: Cine artist Sumesh Chandran opened school youth festival on 27/07/2024. Students participated in various competitions enthusiastically and displayed their talents in music, dance, acting etc. Mr. Paul P.P, former Indian athletic Coach kicked off Carmel sports day. It was an event filled with excitement, energy, and sportsmanship. Students and teachers gathered to celebrate the spirit of team work, competition and physical fitness.

L P Fest: Vista 2024, the L P Fest was inaugurated by cine artist Master Adish Praveen. Students showcased cultural diversity and artistic expression through classical, contemporary and folk-art forms. Their enthralling performances in dance, music and drama captivated the audience. erstanding of their subjects through real world experiences.

Sports Milestones: This year has been remarkable in terms of our sports milestones reflecting the dedication, hard work and resilience of our athletes. Carmelites excelled in various sporting events, demonstrating exceptional skills and sportsmanship, bringing pride to the school.

All Kerala C B S E Athletic Meet: Carmel school participated all Kerala Central School sports meet at Sree Narayana Public School Poothotta and secured over all Championship with 244 points. Individual Champions are: Under 14 girls Jewel Elsa Sebastian

Under 17 boys Aswin Kumar Ambujan

Under 17 girls Liya Rajesh

Under 19 boys Mathew Alex

Under 19 girls Annu Rose Binoy

Carmel CMI Public School emerged as Champions of the, all Kerala C B S E Basketball Tournament held at Lake Fort School, Kollam.

Carmel CMI Public School clinched the Championship title winning the Central Kerala Sahodaya Basketball tournament held at St. Philominas Public school Elenji.

Further more our team also had the prestigious honor of combating at the national Level.

Central Kerala Sahodaya Sports Meet:

Carmel CMI Public School proudly hosted Central Kerala Sahodaya athletic Meet, a premier sporting event from October 24 to 26 at Carmel Stadium and emerged as the **overall hat-trick champion** with a resounding total of 554 points.

The individual Champions are:

Under 10 boys	Kevin Sijo
Under 14 girls	Jewel Elsa Sebastian
Under 17 boys	Dhayan Vamattom
Under 17 girls	Liya Rajesh
Under 19 boys	Mathew Alex
Under 19 girls	Annu Rose Binoy

Central School District Athletic Meet: The winner of Central School District Athletic Championship is Carmel CMI Public School, Vazhakulam with 203 points.

Wishing all the best to our athletes, for their outstanding performances and we remember our physical education teachers, Mr. Shijo P Scaria, Mrs. shiny George and Mr. Kiran Krishna, for their great effort and

dedication. These achievements are, a testament to the school's commitment to, nurturing athletic excellence, and fostering a culture of, sportsmanship.

Central Kerala Sahodaya Kalolsav Dwani 2024:

The school secured the esteemed position of First Runners-up at Central Kerala school Kalolsav held at Nirmala public School, Muvattupuzha. Students displayed their talents through inspiring literary and cultural programmes.

Scholarly Excellence:

Kevin Antony Joshy and Daniel Shibu Thomas got first prize with cash award of Rs.10000/- in Mission India quiz Competition

John Marian Babu and Jerome Mathew decorated first position in all Kerala Mathematics quiz competition with cash a prize of Rs.10000/-

Congratulations to Daniel Shibu Thomas and Kevin Antony Joshy for emerging as the winners of All Kerala Inter school quiz competition.

Hartiest congratulations to our amazing students, Heavendrin Likhiya Shanto and Heavendrik Likhiya Shanto for securing first position in badminton doubles held at Vimala Public School, Thodupuzha.

Academic Travel Programme: The study tour is a key educational experience designed to extend learning beyond the class room. All study tours were carefully planned to offer students, the opportunity to explore new environments, gain practical knowledge and develop a deeper understanding of their subjects through real world experiences

Social Activities: The school environment serves as a fertile ground for learning essential life lessons like nurturing self -assurance, instilling motivation and fostering social out- look. The school arranges social activities for promoting social consciousness and community connect

program. Visiting old age homes and orphanages, sparing time with them develops empathy, social responsibility and leadership among students

Carmel Boarding House: Our boarding programme is designed to offer students a comfortable, supportive and safe environment enabling them to focus on their academic and personal growth. Through the boarding life students receive a balanced experience, combining education with recreational and social opportunities. There are 120 students in the boarding, and, round the clock supervision, by trained staff, ensure the well-being of students.

P T A: Parents play a crucial role in the process of education and formation. Active parental involvement is essential for fostering a supportive learning environment. P T A general body meeting was held on 20/07/2024 and the chief guest was Mr. Shaji C Mani, an International Motivational trainer. The executive committee members were elected and Mr. Prince T George the president and Mrs. Elby Jibin as, vice president respectively.

Conclusion: As we conclude yet another remarkable year at Carmel school, we reflect with pride on the accomplishments, growth and progress achieved by our students, staff and the entire school community. The academic excellence, extracurricular triumphs, and the unwavering spirit of collaboration have truly defined this year. Let us step into next year with renewed enthusiasm, determination and, a shared vision for success. Thank you for being an integral part of our journey.

