

# MAR THOMA PUBLIC SCHOOL, KOCHI-30

## ANNUAL REPORT 2023-2024

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Hearty welcome to the Annual Day 2023-24 of Mar Thoma Public School.

A resplendent evening unfolds as we come together to celebrate the near culmination of another academic year at Mar Thoma Public School. With immense gratitude and pride, I welcome each one of you to the Annual Day. In the kaleidoscope of education, where each day is a unique hue, our journey at Mar Thoma Public School has been a canvas of shared vision, relentless endeavours, and triumphant achievements. This Annual Report serves as a chronicle of the collective strides we've taken, the challenges we've surmounted, and the victories we've celebrated.

### **BOARD RESULTS 2023**

Let me begin with the performance of our students in the class X & XII board examination held in March 2023.

In class XII, from a total of 74 students who appeared for the examination, all the students scored first class, 72 secured distinction, 12 students secured full A1 and 36 students scored above 90%.

**Raunak Rajesh was the School Topper of Class XII.**

The toppers of each stream are -

- ★ **Raunak Rajesh** of Commerce Stream scored **98.6%**
- ★ **Anjelina Nijo** of Humanities Stream **scored 96.8%**
- ★ **Christi Mariam Thomas** of Science Stream scored **96%**

The students with full A1 in class XII were -

<b>SSCE-2023 - A1 IN ALL SUBJECTS</b>
<b>RAUNAK RAJESH - 98.6%</b>
<b>JOY ABRAHAM KURISINKAL (98.2% )</b>
<b>ANJELINA NIJO (96.8 %)</b>
<b>NICOLE TESSA JOICE (96.8 %)</b>

FEBIN SUNNY (96.4 %)
CHRISTI MARIAM THOMAS (96%)
SHEIK MOHAMMED FARHAN (95.2%)
ANLEYA JOHNS ( 95.2%)
ANNA SHIBY (95 %)
ARCHITH NINAN ( 94.6%)
DEVIKA R NAIR (93.6%)
P J SREERENJINI (93.2 % )

36 students scored above 90% in class XII :

SSCE-2023 - ABOVE 90%	
RAUNAK RAJESH - 98.6	JOY ABRAHAM KURISINKAL - 98.2
ANJELINA NIJO - 96.8	NICOLE TESA JOICE - 96.8
FEBIN SUNNY - 96.4	HANNAH SUSAN THOMAS - 96.2
CHRISTI MARIAM THOMAS - 96.0	MATHEWS P CHERIAN - 95.4
SHEIK MOHAMMED FARHAN - 95.2	SERA BINO JACOB - 95.2
DEENAH FAISAL - 95.2	ANLEYA JOHNS - 95.2
ANNA SHIBY - 95	KEVIN PAUL - 94.6
ARCHITH NINAN - 94.6	BENNETT M KOSHY - 94.2
DEVA NANDA NAIR - 94	CORAL PHILOMENA JOBY - 94.0
AMITA KUDILINGAL MANOJ - 94	DEVIKA R NAIR - 93.6
PJ SREERENJINI - 93.2	ABHIJITH NAIR - 93.2
CASCY SARAH ABRAHAM - 93.2	BHARAT CHANDRA - 93.2
RASHA FEBIN K - 93.2	ABHINAV K NAIR - 93.2
ANWITA A - 93.2	SREELAKSHMI DINESH- 93
ACSAH MARY PHILIPS - 92.8	K S MANU RAJ - 92.6
MATHEW C ABRAHAM - 91.4	ADITHYAN RATHEESH E K - 90.6
SHARON SANTOSH SAMUEL - 90.6	CHRISTINA SARA THOMAS - 90.6
MIRZA TALHA BAIG - 90	BEN JOSEPH SAMUEL - 90

The Subject Toppers in class XII were -

<b>SSCE-2023 SUBJECT TOPPERS OF MAR THOMA PUBLIC SCHOOL, KOCHI</b>	
BENNET M KOSHY, DEENAH FAISAL and AMITA KUDILINGAL MANOJ were the toppers in	ENGLISH - with 98 %
CHRISTI MARIAM THOMAS, KEVIN PAUL, SHEIK MOHAMMED FARHAN, ANWITA A, BHARAT CHANDRA, ARCHITH NINAN, K S MANURAJ, VISHNU VINOD MENON and DEVANANDA NAIR were the toppers in	PHYSICS - with 95 %
CHRISTI MARIAM THOMAS, KEVIN PAUL, SHEIK MOHAMMED FARHAN, ANWITA A, BHARAT CHANDRA, RASHA FEBIN K, ABHINAV K NAIR, DEVIKA R NAIR, ACSAH MARY PHILIPS and K S MANURAJ were the toppers in	CHEMISTRY - with 95 %
ANWITA A, DEVANANDA NAIR and ACSAH MARY PHILIPS were the toppers in	BIOLOGY - with 95 %
KEVIN PAUL was the topper in	MATHEMATICS - with 96 %
KEVIN PAUL and CHRISTI MARIAM THOMAS were the toppers in	COMPUTER SCIENCE - with 100 %
RAUNAK RAJESH, JOY ABRAHAM KURISINKAL and FEBIN SUNNY were the toppers in	INFORMATICS PRACTICES - with 100 %
RAUNAK RAJESH and JOY ABRAHAM KURISHINGAL were the toppers in	ACCOUNTANCY - with 100 %
JOY ABRAHAM KURISHINGAL was the topper in	BUSINESS STUDIES - with 100 %
NICOLE TESA JOICE was the topper in	ECONOMICS - with 98 %
CASCY SARAH ABRAHAM was the topper in	HOME SCIENCE - with 99 %
AMITA KUDILINGAL MANOJ was the topper in	PSYCHOLOGY - with 94 %
RAUNAK RAJESH was the topper in	PHYSICAL EDUCATION - with 98 %

Moving on to Class X results . .

Out of 99 students in class X who appeared for the board exam, all of our students secured first class, out of which 82 students got distinction, 1 student secured A1 in all subjects, 8 students secured A1 in 4 subjects and 31 students scored above 90%.

**SRIDHATTSAVI MADESH** was the **School Topper of Class X** with **97%** and **IVAN PRAMOD** secured **full A1** with 95.8%.

8 students secured A1 in four subjects and 31 students scored above 90% in class X :

<b>SSE-2023 - A1 IN 4 SUBJECTS</b>
SRIDHATTSABI MADESH (97%)
MARIA SIMON (95.4%)
NIYA ROSE THOMAS ( 95%)
AAYUSH J S (94.4%)
FELIX RANSON (93%)
VISMAYA VINOD (92.4%)
ANCELIN ROSE JAISON (92%)
ANUPAMA SUSAN KORUTH (90.8%)

SSE-2023 - ABOVE 90%	
SRIDHATTSABI MADESH - 97.0	
IVAN PRAMOD - 95.8	MARIA SIMON - 95.4
DARSHAN JOHNSON OOMMEN - 95	NIYA ROSE THOMAS - 95
AAYUSH J S - 94.4	AIN MARIBELL - 94
RYAN GEORGE CHERIYAN - 93.6	ABEL DAN MANGALAM - 93.4
JOEL LOGI P - 93.2	FELIX RANSON - 93
ADHITYA K MENON - 92.8	BITHIAH MIRIAM MATHEW - 92.8
MARYAM ANZAR - 92.6	VISMAYA VINOD - 92.4
JANITTA JIJI - 92.2	ANCELIN ROSE JAISON - 92
ZAINA ROSE STANLEY - 92	RACHEL ITTOOP - 91.8
THOMAS K ABRAHAM - 91.2	ABHISHEK P - 91.2
JEFFIN G JOSEPH - 91.2	BHAVNA CHANDRA - 91.2
ASHISHA ELU SIMON - 91.2	ANUPAMA SUSAN KORUTH - 90.8
AABHA SREE ABHILASH - 90.4	ARDITH R - 90
GAURI NAIR - 90	DEEPA LESLY GEORGE - 90
ROMA B LOUIS - 90	SREENANDA LAIJU – 90

The Subject Toppers in class X were -

<b>SSE-2023 SUBJECT TOPPERS OF MAR THOMA PUBLIC SCHOOL, KOCHI</b>	
SRIDHATTSABI MADESH	ENGLISH - with 99 %
VISMAYA VINOD and SREENANDA LAIJU	MALAYALAM - with 100 %
ANCELIN ROSE JAISON	HINDI - with 95 %

SRIDHATSAVI MADESH	FRENCH - with 96 %
IVAN PRAMOD	MATHEMATICS - with 96 %
IVAN PRAMOD	SCIENCE - with 98 %
MARIA SIMON	SOCIAL SCIENCE - with 100 %
NIYA ROSE THOMAS and DARSHAN JOHNSON OOMMEN	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY- with 100 %

Congratulations to all our students who have made us proud with their commendable performance.

A **Merit Award Ceremony** was organised by **Kochi Metro Sahodaya**, to honour the **toppers of CBSE Class X and XII** examinations on June 15. 4 students of MTPS were honoured at the event by **Sri. Mahesh D. Dharmadhikari, CBSE Regional Director, Thiruvananthapuram.**

Students from classes X and XII who secured A1 in all subjects were also honoured with **P.T Thomas Educational Excellence Award 2023**, an initiative by **MLA Uma Thomas**, on **August 26th**. Our teaching staff **Mrs. Regha S. Varrier** was selected as the Best Teacher of the year 2022-23 from MTPS and also awarded by **Shri. NSK Umesh, District Collector of Ernakulam.**

<b>NEW PRACTICES 2023-'24</b>	
→	In this academic year we successfully implemented the National Education Policy (NEP) aligned curriculum ensuring <b>activity oriented, student centered, Competency based and holistic approach to education.</b>
→	Additionally, life skills were seamlessly integrated into our teaching methodologies, enriching the learning experience of our students. It provides an opportunity to students for realizing one's potential through practical experience.
→	<b>The introduction of 22 Clubs and the vibrant atmosphere of club activities once a week</b> provides students with diverse opportunities for personal and social development, fostering a well round educational environment. These initiatives collectively contributed to our commitment to delivering a progressive and comprehensive education.
→	Various Clubs are: <b>Literary, Dramatics, Mathematics, IT, Quiz, Eco, Personality, Cookery, Art &amp; Craft, SEED, Yoga, Band, Dance, Music, Aerobics, Reading, Fitness and Robotics</b>
→	With the blessings of our President <b>Rev. K. G. Joseph</b> , inauguration of the <b>School Elevator</b> in the main building was held on <b>June 22.</b>

- The **new academic year 2023-24** commenced on **June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023** for classes **III - XII** and on **June 5<sup>th</sup>**, for classes **I-II**.

### EXTRA ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES 2023-'24

In the academic year 2023 at Marthoma Public School, a vibrant array of activities unfolded, enriching the educational experience for our students.

- For instilling a sense of Ecological responsibility, **World Environment Day** was fervently celebrated on **June 5<sup>th</sup>**. Activities included were a special assembly, a video presentation etc. **30 Saplings** were planted in the school premises by the MTPS students.
- The School observed **Reading Week** from **June 19 - 23** to promote reading and to build the basic block of learning. Book Reading Competition was also held. Our school gifted a **box of books** for the students at **Hope of Faith, Home of Orphans, Chittetukara**.
- School celebrated **Yoga Day** on **June 21<sup>st</sup>**. Students performed **various yoga postures** which promotes physical and mental wellbeing.
- School observed **Anti-Drug Day** on **June 27<sup>th</sup>** and all the students pledged for a drug free life.
- **Class Variety Entertainment Program** of classes **III - VI** were held at the school auditorium on **July 3, 2023** and for classes **VII & VIII** on **July 7**.
- **The Investiture Ceremony** of the Student Council for the year **2023-'24** was held on **July 12**.
- Head boy Mast. Aditya Murali, Head girl Kum. Manna Grace Philip, Games captains, Cultural captain, House captains, Vice captains and the prefects were invested with their new badges and sash. The School Principal, Dr. Sheela Seth, administered the oath to the new Student Council.
- The **Literary & Arts Fest - Meraki 2023-24** was inaugurated on **July 24 by the school Principal**. House wise individual and group level competitions were conducted for various categories. These competitions sparked intellectual and artistic abilities fostering a culture of excellence.
- Patriotism soared during the Independence Day Celebrations on **August 15<sup>th</sup>**. The School President Rev. K. G. Joseph hoisted the National Flag, which was followed by series of activities including patriotic song competitions, dances, marches etc.

<p>→ <b>Onam</b> Celebrations on August 25<sup>th</sup> brought about Cultural Vibrancy in the campus with <b>cultural programmes</b> and <b>House wise competitions for Flower Carpets and Fresh Flower Arrangements</b> .</p>
<p>→ <b>Mar Theophilus Interschool Memorial Elocution Competition</b> was conducted in the school chapel on <b>September 8<sup>th</sup></b>. Thirty four schools participated in the competition on the topic "<b>Emotional Intelligence: A requisite for peace and harmony</b> ".</p> <p>→ <b>Celessia Saji</b> of <b>Toc H Public school, Vyttila</b> bagged the <b>first</b> position winning the Ever Rolling Trophy and the cash prize of Rs.10000 sponsored by Mr. Oommen Johnson, <b>Kerin Miriam Philip</b> of <b>Mar Thoma Public School</b> won the <b>second</b> position and the cash prize of Rs. 7000, sponsored by Mr.Reuben Oommen Johnson, <b>Riyan Paul Mathew</b> of <b>Vidyodaya School , Thevakkal</b> won the <b>third</b> position and the cash prize of Rs. 5000, sponsored by Mr. Easo John.</p> <p>→ <b>The Ever Rolling Trophy is sponsored by Mr &amp; Mrs. John Philip.</b></p>
<p>→ <b>Hindi Diwas</b> celebrated on September 13<sup>th</sup>, reinforced linguistic diversity.</p>
<p>→ To spread awareness about <b>Cyber Security</b> and safety against <b>Child Abuse</b> , our school conducted a <b>Cross Country Race</b> on <b>October 28<sup>th</sup></b> for students of classes <b>VI-XII</b>. <b>Mr. Biju Vincent, ASI of Infopark Police station</b> flagged off the race. Embodying the essence of healthy lifestyle, the race spanning from the school to Infopark was one of the effective community outreach activities.</p>
<p>There was a <b>Cultural Fiesta</b> by the students with a variety of programs on November 1<sup>st</sup>, which marked <b>Kerala Piravi</b> of this academic year. The day was really a celebration of the rich heritage of Kerala.</p>
<p>→ A <b>Bagless Day</b> was organized on <b>November 4<sup>th</sup></b> for Classes <b>III</b> and <b>IV</b> with different activities like Nature Walk, Zumba, Sports etc.</p>
<p>→ <b>Annual Sports Meet 2023</b> was inaugurated on <b>November 6<sup>th</sup></b>, by <b>Mrs Serah Jacob, National Games Medalist and Table Tennis Player</b>. The theme for this year was "<b>Prevention of Child Abuse &amp; Cyber Safety</b>".</p> <p>→ During Sports Day, students exhibited commendable sportsmanship, engaging in spirited competitions through a series of inter house sports events that highlighted their team work.</p>
<p>→ As a part of observing <b>Vigilance Awareness Week</b>, class <b>IX</b> students conducted a special assembly on <b>November 8</b>, based on the theme '<b>Say no to corruption; commit to the nation</b>'.</p>
<p>→ <b>Diwali</b>, marking the festival of lights added a festive touch to our academic journey, on <b>November 10<sup>th</sup></b>.</p>

<p>→ On <b>November 14<sup>th</sup></b> , <b>Children's Day</b> was celebrated with activities like special assembly, <b>Fancy Dress Competitions</b> and inter house <b>One-act Play</b> competition.</p> <p>→ Children were greeted by <b>Mr. Sreejith, S.I of Infopark</b> , who made them aware on <b>importance of Child Safety</b>.</p>
<p>→ Reminiscing the memories of schooling at MTPS, the <b>Last Assembly</b> of Class XII, 2023-24 batch was conducted on <b>November 24</b>.</p>
<p>→ School observed <b>Communal Harmony</b> by conducting a special assembly , and a <b>Quiz Competition</b> based on the theme '<b>Communal Harmony &amp; Indian Constitution</b>' on <b>November 27<sup>th</sup></b>.</p>

## DEVELOPMENTAL ACTIVITIES 2023-'24

In addition to traditional academic subjects, our school also focuses on developing students' social and emotional skills.

→ The **School Protection Group (SPG)** meeting was held on **June 16**. An awareness talk was given by the **P R Santhosh, Inspector of police**, Infopark station

→ **Vayanakalari Club** of our school was inaugurated by **Mr. Sony P. Skariah** - Managing Director of Advance Engineering and Infrastructures Pvt.Ltd, on **22<sup>nd</sup> June**.

→ A talk on **Good Parenting** was delivered by the **School Counsellor Mrs Sapna Jacob** on **July 22<sup>nd</sup>** during the **First Parent Interactive Session**.

→ **Sessions** were presided by **Rev. K G Joseph** followed by a **general discussion on academics and extracurricular activities** by the school **Principal Dr. Sheela Seth**.

→ **Football and Badminton Coaching Camps commenced** for **Junior and Senior boys** in the school campus from **July 20**.

→ **The Guidance and Counselling Cell** of our school organised an awareness session for classes III & above on the topic "**Awareness on Child Safety**" in the month of **August**.

→ On **October 7**, 10 students from class **IX and XI** visited **Vikram Sarabhai Space Foundation** and interacted with **Shri S.Somnath, Chairman of ISRO**. It was a moment of pride that during the session, the first question that was selected to be answered by the Chairman was from our student **Vaishnavi D of class 9A**.

→ **Motivational sessions for students and teachers** by **Dr. Thomas George, Director and Chairman** of the Lead College of Management on October 26, was a resounding success. His inspiring insights have remarkable achievements left an indelible mark.



→ As part of the curriculum for the holistic development of the students, picnics were organized for lower classes and tours for the higher classes in the month of October.

- ◆ Classes III & IV to **Dream World Amusement Park, Athirapally.**
- ◆ Classes V & VI to **Silver Storm & Snow World, Athirapally**
- ◆ Classes VII & VIII to **Vagamon.**
- ◆ Classes IX & X to **Hyderabad.**
- ◆ Classes XI & XII to **Goa.**

→ The **Government of Kerala** in association with **SERT State Assessment Cell** has conducted a **State Educational Achievement Survey (SEAS)** for classes VI and IX on **November 2<sup>nd</sup>.**

→ 86 students of class XI visited an **exhibition at the Naval Base, Kochi** accompanied by their class teachers with the objective of exploring career opportunities in the Indian Navy on **November 21.**

- As a part of Seed club activity the following activities were conducted :
- A Sensitization Program on **Organic Farming**
- an awareness talk **Mrs. Anna Valentine , District Coordinator of Suchitwa Mission**
- **Season Watch** by **Sri. Mohammed Niyas**

→ **Career Guidance Sessions** was organised for **class X and XII** on **December 2** by **Career Launcher** in the school chapel.

→ To explore different subjects and to enhance the skill set, various competitive exams were conducted at school premises :

**SOF Olympiad, Silver Zone Olympiad, Brilliant Scholarship Examination, Hummingbird Scholarship Examination, NASO Olympiad, Bebras India - Computational Thinking Challenge, Sugamo Hindi Exam, Aryabhata GANIT Challenge**

→ The awards and certificates for the Olympiad exams conducted last year were distributed to the students.

→ **Bulletin Board presentations** were prepared by students to create awareness on various topics :

- ◆ **Conservation of Non renewable resources** by Class X on July 19<sup>th</sup>
- ◆ **Freedom and Empowerment of India's marginalised groups** by Class IX on August 11<sup>th</sup>
- ◆ **Safe food today for a healthy tomorrow** by Class VIII on October 3<sup>rd</sup>
- ◆ **Safe and Secure Cyber space** by Class VII on November 30<sup>th</sup>

**FACULTY IMPROVEMENT 2023-'24**

The Annual capacity building programmes for teachers aimed to enhance educators knowledge, skills and abilities to address evolving student and educational system requirements. Teachers attended capacity building programme in diverse areas such as curriculum development, pedagogy, assessment, life skills, technology integration.

→ There was a 2 day - **Capacity Building Program On Creative And Critical Thinking** by **Mrs. Kalyani Balakrishnan, Founder Principal of Paramakkavu Vidya Mandir, Thrissur** and **Dr. Susan George, Principal of St. John's School, Pathanamthitta**.

→ A motivational speech was delivered by **Prof. P.C. Thomas, Founder, Chairman of PC Thomas Classes** on **May 27**.

→ A Sensitization Program on **Financial Literacy**, organised by **CBSE** was held on **September 17**. **42** teachers attended the workshop led by the **Insurance Consultant Mrs. Sobha Maria John**.

→ Several in house training sessions were conducted :

→ **School Quality Assessment and Assurance (SQAA)** and **Incorporating Life Skills** by Principal **Dr. Sheela Seth**

→ **National Curriculum Framework (NCF)** by **Ms. Jeena Jacob**, Social Science department

→ **Art Integrated Learning (AIL)** by **Mrs. Susan Jacob**, Science department

Further to these, our teachers have also attended various capacity building training programmes and workshops conducted by CBSE, Sahodaya and other organisations.

### WORKSHOPS / WEBINARS ATTENDED BY THE TEACHERS

DATE	WORKSHOP / WEBINAR	CONDUCTED BY	ATTENDED BY
26/02/22	Managing adolescent depression and suicidal tendencies.	Rajagiri public school	Sapna Anu Jacob
05/03/22	Anger- Don't let it get the best of you.	Rajagiri public school	Sapna Anu Jacob
07/11/23	Counselling Techniques	COE Noida	Susan Asha Mathews
16/11/23	Cyber Safety and Security	COE Chandigarh	Susan Asha Mathews
10/05/23	Art integration PRP	COE Thiruvananthapuram	Susan Jacob
14/10/23	National Curriculum Framework	Dr. Sunil Tripathy	Regha S Varrier

12/07/23	Workshop for commerce	Kerala commerce forum	Regha S Varrier
24/06/23	SEED	Mathrubhumi	Reena Antony
18/11/23	Effective Hindi Language Teaching in Live with NEP	Madhubun Educational Books	Nitha T S Mary Celine K J
19/08/23	Art Integration CBP	CBSE	Jyothy Thomas
08/11/23	Economics Workshop	Kerala Commerce Forum	Jyothy Thomas

## EVENTS, COMPETITIONS & ACHIEVEMENTS 2023-'24

Interschool competitions provide an invaluable platform for children to showcase their talents, skills, and abilities.

→ **Shreya M.R.** of class **IX D** won the **Second prize** for **Reading Competition** organised by **Kerala Sahitya Mandalam, Ernakulam** on **July 19<sup>th</sup>**.

→ **Abby Anil** of class **VI A** got **Second prize** and **cash award** of **Rs. 5000** for the **Diary Writing Competition**, organised by **Padippura Hai Kids, Malayala Manorama** on **July 27**.

→ Our school participated in **Fabula** organised by **Rajagiri Senior Secondary School** on **August 5<sup>th</sup>**, and the following students got prizes.

- ◆ **Nathanian C Gregory** of **Class VII D** won **1st Prize** for **Cartoon drawing**
- ◆ **Ananya Abhilash** of **Class X B** won **1st Prize** for **Soap carving**
- ◆ **Jiya Rejin** of **Class XI D** won **2nd Prize** for **Portrait painting**

→ Our school also bagged the **ART ALL-ROUNDER TROPHY**.

→ On **August 8<sup>th</sup>**, **Jiya Rejin** of **Class XI D** and **Akshay BB** of **Class XI C** participated in **Crossroads at Global Public School** for **Canvas painting** and bagged the **Second position**.

→ Our school participated in various competitions conducted by **YMCA, Aluva** on **August 15**, and our **Junior Choir** bagged the **First Position** for **Patriotic Song** and **National Anthem**. And, **Vismaya Vinod** of class **XI C** got **Second prize** for **Elocution competition**.

→ **Rinchen Siby John** of class **VII B** and **Junior Head Boy Aman Manaf** of class **VII A** have been selected for the **Ernakulam District Sub- Junior Football Team** on **August 17<sup>th</sup>**.

→ **Rinchen Siby** was also selected as the **Team Captain**.

→ Our school participated in the inter school competition - **Spiritus**, conducted by **Sri Sri Ravi Shankar Vidya Mandir** on **August 21<sup>st</sup>**, and **Aavani Rajesh M.R.** of class **VI C** won the **Third prize** in the event **Olanjali Kuruvi**.

<p>→ Our school participated in competitions organised by <b>Assisi Vidyaniketan</b> on <b>September 12<sup>th</sup></b> and our students <b>Taran A R</b> of <b>class VIII B</b>, <b>Johanna Shinu Koshy</b> and <b>Neha Elsa Santhosh</b> of <b>class VIII C</b> won the <b>Third</b> prize for <b>HARMONY-</b> Western Musical Programme.</p>
<p>→ <b>Aadhya Anudas</b> of <b>VI B</b>, <b>Anna Lal</b> of <b>VI D</b> and <b>Alexy Lal</b> of <b>IV B</b> won the <b>Championship</b> in <b>BrainOBrainFest 2023 - National Abacus Competition Festival</b>, held at <b>Chennai</b> on <b>15<sup>th</sup> September</b>.</p>
<p>→ Our school participated in <b>VISIO - Inter School Competition</b> at <b>Chavara Darsan CMI Public School, Koonammavu</b> on <b>19<sup>th</sup> September</b> and <b>R. A. Vinaya</b> of <b>VI D</b> has got the <b>Third</b> prize for <b>Water Colour</b> competition.</p>
<p>→ <b>Chavara Darsan CMI Public School, Koonammavu</b> conducted the <b>U-13 Football Tournament</b> on <b>21<sup>st</sup> September</b>. 32 schools participated and our team were declared the <b>FINALIST</b> and won the ever rolling trophy, gold medals and certificates.</p> <p>→ <b>Aryan S Hari</b> of <b>class VIII D</b> was selected as <b>Best Player</b> of the tournament and <b>Aman Manaf</b> of <b>class VII A</b> as the <b>Best Goalkeeper</b>.</p> <p>→ U-16 team also participated in the tournament</p>
<p>→ <b>Ernakulam District Sports Karate Association</b> conducted <b>Ernakulam District Karate Championship 2023</b> on <b>16<sup>th</sup> October</b> and the following students won various medals :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <b>Alexy Lal</b> of <b>class IV B</b> has secured <b>Gold</b> Medal in <b>Sub Junior Kumite Boys</b></li> <li>◆ <b>Anna Lal</b> of <b>class VI D</b> has secured <b>Gold</b> Medal in <b>40kg Kumite Girls</b></li> <li>◆ <b>Aadhya Anudas</b> of <b>class VI B</b> has secured <b>Bronze</b> Medal in <b>40kg Kumite Girls</b></li> <li>◆ <b>Abhinav Abhilash</b> of <b>class VII B</b> secured <b>Bronze</b> Medals in <b>35kg Kumite Boys</b> and <b>Individual Kata</b> events</li> </ul>
<p>→ <b>Hridhya P.R</b> of <b>class VI D</b> bagged <b>Silver</b> in <b>Kerala State Taekwondo championship 2023</b>, held at <b>Kalamassery Municipal Town Hall</b> on <b>27<sup>th</sup> October</b>.</p>
<p>→ Our students <b>Abel Dan Mangalam</b> of <b>class XI C</b> and <b>Norah Sara Philipose</b> of <b>class IX D</b> entered the finals of <b>SECURE BYTES 1.0</b>, a <b>Cyber security Quiz</b> conducted by <b>Bhavans Munshi Vidyamandir, Tripunithura</b> on <b>October 29</b> and secured the fifth position out of 18 schools.</p>

- MTPS students participated in **Kochi Metro Sahodaya Kalotsav** held at **Naipunya Public School on November 2023** and showcased their exceptional talents and garnered an impressive array of awards. Out of 101 students participated, which included 6 group entries, we are elated to announce the following achievements:
- The following students won **First position with A grade** :
- ◆ **Kashinadhan K S** of class VII B **for Folk dance (boys)** in Category 2
  - ◆ **Ardra Mathew** of class X C **for Essay writing (Hindi)** in Category 3
  - ◆ **Anwida Rajesh** of class VIII B **for Kuchipudy** in Category 3
  - ◆ **Bhadra R** of class IX A **for Bharathanatyam** in Category 3
  - ◆ **Leya Mariam Vaghese** of class XI C **for Recitation (Sanskrit)** in Category 4
  - ◆ **Sneha Shabith** of class XII B **for Cartoon** in Category 4
- The following students won **Second position** :
- ◆ **Darshan Reny** of class V C **for Light Music (boys)** in Category 2
  - ◆ **Fyona Ann Indigo** of class VII B **for Cartoon** in Category 2
  - ◆ **Vaishnavi D** of class IX A **for Recitation (Sanskrit)** in Category 3
  - ◆ **Harish V Chillal** of class VIII A **for Flute (Eastern)** in Category 3
  - ◆ **Hanna Judy** of class XII B **for Pencil Drawing** in Category 4
  - ◆ **Vismaya Vinod** of class XI C **for Recitation (Hindi)** in Category 4
  - ◆ **Maryam Anzar** of class XI B won **Second position for Recitation (Arabic)** in Category 4
- The following students won **Third position with A grade** :
- ◆ **Avani Rajesh** of class V C **for Light Music** in Category 2
  - ◆ **Shreya M R** of class IX D **for Versification (Malayalam)** in Category 3
  - ◆ **Shreya M R** of class IX D **for Story writing (Malayalam)** in Category 3
  - ◆ **Sreelakshmi Ajay** of class X B **for Classical Music** in Category 3
  - ◆ **Dishitha sharma** of class X B **for Tabla (Eastern)** in Category 3
  - ◆ **Amna Ansar** of class IX B **for Recitation (Arabic)** in Category 3
  - ◆ **Rohit S** of class XII B **for Mridangam** in Category 4
  - ◆ **Jiya Rejin** of class XI D **for Poster designing** in Category 4
  - ◆ **Manna Grace Philip** of class XII B **for Recitation (English)** in Category 4
- The following teams won **Third position with A grade** :
- ◆ **Our Senior girls** (Vismaya Vinod, Vibha S Govind, Vismaya Vinod, Norah Thirza Sajan, Karen Elsa Mathew, Hannah Susan Joseph, Arundhathi Murali, Anna Rose Shibu, Sreelekshmi Ajai, Shreya Manoj) **for THIRUVATHIRAKALI (GIRLS)**
  - ◆ **Our Senior boys** (Abel Dan Mangalam, Akshay B B, Bhavana Chandra, Aryananda C L, Ryan Laiju, Vyomakeswar, Deon Dan Mangalam) **for MIME**
- In a field of 52 participating schools, our school proudly secured the **7th position with an impressive total of 547 points**.

<p>→ <b>12 students who secured FIRST POSITION for District Kalotsav</b> participated for the <b>All Kerala State CBSE Kalotsav at Sree Sarada Vidyalaya, Kalady</b> held on November 24-26 and our students <b>Kashinadhan K S</b> of class VII B won <b>First position for Folk dance (boys)</b> in Category 2 and <b>Anwida Rajesh</b> of class VIII B won <b>First position for Kuchipudy</b> in Category 3 at the <b>STATE LEVEL</b>.</p> <p>→ Our students <b>Ardra Mathew</b> of class X C, <b>Leya Mariam Vaghese</b> of class XI C, <b>Bhadra R</b> of class IX A, <b>Vaishnavi D</b> of class IX A, <b>Harish V Chillal</b> of class VIII A, <b>Hanna Judy</b> of class XII B and <b>Maryam Anzar</b> of class XI B won A grade for their respective events</p>
<p>→ <b>Alexy Lal Mukkadan</b> of class IV B secured <b>Bronze medal in Sub junior Kumite Boys Kerala Karate Championship 2023</b> held at Kozhikode on <b>November 11</b></p>
<p>→ <b>Anwida Rajesh</b> of class VIII B won <b>First position for Bharatnatyam</b> for the <b>29th All Kerala Childrens' Fest</b> conducted on <b>November 12</b></p>
<p>→ <b>Vismaya Menon</b> of class VI C was selected as <b>U-11 champion</b> for the <b>Women's chess tournament - Queen's battle</b> conducted by <b>St Xavier's College</b> on <b>November 21</b></p>
<p>→ Our students <b>Nivedita M P</b> and <b>Serene Babu Philip</b> of class IX C participated in the <b>The Excelsior Model United Nation (EMUN) conference</b> held at Excelsior High School, Kottayam on <b>November 23-25</b>, and <b>Serene Babu Philip</b> earned an '<b>HONOURABLE MENTION</b>' for representing the Arab Republic Of Egypt.</p>
<p>→ Our school participated in the <b>U-15 Football Tournament</b> conducted by <b>Sree Narayana Public School, Poothotta</b> on <b>24<sup>th</sup> November</b> and <b>U- Football Tournament</b> conducted by <b>Rajagiri Christu Jayanthi Public School</b> on <b>29<sup>th</sup> November</b> and were <b>victorious till the Semi final stage for both tournaments</b>.</p>
<p>→ <b>Aadhya Anudas</b> of class VI B won the <b>Championship for Brain o Brain International Abacus Competition</b> held at <b>Dubai</b> on <b>27<sup>th</sup> November</b>.</p>
<p>→ Our shining stars have also acted in Malayalam movies :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <b>Jess Sweejan</b> of class III has acted in the movies <b>Pachuvum Albudavilakum, Valaaty</b> and <b>Pheonix</b> this year. She was also awarded best child artist for Monster movie by Orkid IFF awards</li> <li>◆ <b>Kashinadhan K S</b> of class VII B acted in the short movie <b>Paradise</b></li> </ul>

Our students also participated in various other competitions conducted this academic session :

- Our school participated in the **Nadanirjhari** (Carnatic Music & Instrumental Music Competition) organised by **Vidyodaya** on **June 24**
- Our school participated in the **Fresco Competition** at **Rajagiri Christu Jayanthi Public School** on **July 19<sup>th</sup>**. **Jiya Rejin** of Class XI D got the **Consolation Prize** in **Acrylic Painting**.
- Our school participated in the **Vista Competition** at **Rajagiri Public School, Kalamassery** on **22<sup>nd</sup>**

**July.**

- Our school participated in **Public Speaking and Quiz competitions** organised by **TOC-H Public School** on **5<sup>th</sup> August**.
- Our school participated in the Science **Exhibition** organised by **Sacred Hearts** on **28<sup>th</sup> September** and reached the final round.
- Our school participated in **CBSE Cluster Kho Kho** competition at **Bhavans Vidya Mandir, Eroor** on **18<sup>th</sup> October**.
- Our school participated in **CBSE Cluster XI Football** competition at **Crescent Public School, Aluva** on **25<sup>th</sup> October**.
- Our school participated in **YWCA Inter School Chess Championship 2023** in association with the Chess **Association, Ernakulam** on **31<sup>st</sup> October**.
- Our school participated in **Nava Checkmate - All Kerala C V Paul Memorial Inter School Open Chess Tournament** conducted by **Nava Nirman Public School, Vazhakala** on **December 1<sup>st</sup>**.
- Our students participated for **CBSE District Sahodaya Athletic Meet** organized by Kochi Metro Sahodaya at **Sree Narayana Public School, Poothotta** on **December 9**
- Our school participated in **Graffiti Painting** at **St Paul's International** on **November 3<sup>rd</sup>**.
- 221 students from our school participated in **Bebras India**, an online **Computational Thinking Challenge** started from **November 20<sup>th</sup> - December 2<sup>nd</sup>**.

As we navigate through the pages of this report, let me reflect on the academic excellence, the artistic brilliance, and the unwavering spirit of camaraderie that defines the essence of our school. It is a testimony of the support of the School Management **under the leadership of our Chief Patron Rt. Rev. Dr. Abraham Mar Paulos Episcopa**, dedication of our diligent educators, the enthusiasm of our talented students, and the unwavering support of our parents.

I extend my heartfelt appreciation to the management, our dedicated faculty, the supportive parents, and, most importantly, our resilient students who continue to be the heartbeat of Mar Thoma Public School.

I thank the Almighty God for his counsel, grace and mercy in all the endeavors.  
Thank you one and all.

**The book of Isaiah Chapter 11:2 says**

“The Spirit of the LORD will rest on him  
the Spirit of wisdom and of understanding,  
the Spirit of counsel and of might,  
the Spirit of the knowledge and fear of the LORD”

The same spirit which was upon Jesus is with the Marthoma family Thanking Lord Almighty' I conclude

**DR. SHEELA SETH**  
Principal