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Earth Day celebrations in the Junior School on the

7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY



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TMPORTANT HUMAN RIGHTS DAYS IN JUNE

- Global Day of Parents June 1
- International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression June 4
- World Environment Day June 5
- World Oceans Day June 8
- World Day Against Child Labour June 12
- World Elder Abuse Awareness Day June 15
- World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought June 17
- World Refugee Day June 20
- International Day of Yoga June 21
- International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking June 26
- United Nations International Day in Support of Victims of Torture June 26

"Earth has enough to satisfy every man's needs, but not every man's greed." ~ Gandhiji

THERE IS NO PLANET B!

BY MR. PIYUSH EMMANUEL

Climate change is the alteration in Earth's climatic conditions leading to the ill health of the planet and this is now a global challenge. The Earth's rising temperature, the change in monsoon pattern, frequent eruptions of volcanoes and natural disasters, rising of the sea level, and melting of glaciers are all hinting toward the days of severe consequences mankind will face in the future if we do not pull ourselves into any immediate action. The greenhouse gases, deforestation, pollution, per capita carbon emissions, and technological advancements are all the roots of life-threatening alterations in the environment. A recent report from the UN has predicted an increase of 6 degrees Celsius by the end of this century. But if humans fail to transform, the costs we will bear can be more severe than this.

It is time we educate our communities and make them realize that though the damage cannot be undone, we can undeniably save what we are left with and make the optimum use of what is existing by being sustainable. We at SCS have been ever conscious of making this world a better place to dwell in, not just for humans but for all livings beings. We follow the path of sustainable development to effectively address the concerns of climate change. St. Columba's has been working towards achieving the goal of Sustainable Development. By adopting clean technologies and addressing the issues of equity and justice, we have been striving to make our development process more harmonious with nature.

Come together and pledge to walk hand in hand with nature and preserve what is left to build a world for everything that has life to bloom forever.









Save Soil campaign by Junior School children



YOGA DAY

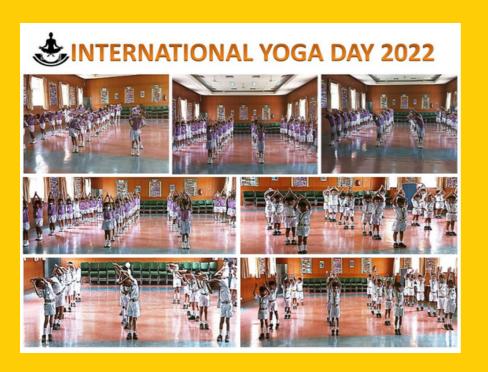
BY UDAY SINGH-IOE





Yoga is a light, which once lit, will never dim. The better your practice, the brighter the flame. Yoga is an art, an art that adds years to your life, and life to your years.

Yoga Day is celebrated on the 21st of June every year. This year to celebrate it many boys from Junior School, Middle School & Senior School came together for a recording of various asanas. This was a wonderful initiative by our School & CBSE to promote such an incredible sport.





SUMMER CAMP

BY UDAY SINGH-10E



St. Columba's has always been a firm supporter of extra curricular activities and sports, from annual coaching to summer camps, we have it all! This year again, we have summer camps for many sports! Cricket, Football, Badminton, Basketball & Swimming, Columbans made their vacation worth!







INTER-HOUSE QUIZ - MS

An Inter-House quiz competition was held in the Middle School Auditorium for classes 4 to 10. It was an interesting three round competition consisting of questions from a variety of genres like current affairs, science and technology, art and entertainment, sports, language and authors.









INVESTITURE CEREMONY-MS & SS

UDAY SINGH-10E

Investiture ceremonies were held in the Middle and Senior Sections to install the newly appointed prefects, captains and head boy of the Middle Wing and the Student Council of the Senior Wing.

Headboy (MS)- UDAY SINGH

President (SS)- RUDRAKSH CHAKROBARTY





<u>IIVE JAM-CHARCHA SESSIONS & OPEN MIC</u>

An open mic and charcha sessions were hosted by the team of live jam for the students of classes 11 and 12 on 13th May 2022. The session included a live band performance by SCS students.





SATTALEDUCATIONALTRIP

BY RONEUACOB MATHEW-10B

The Sattal trip was an all-in-one experience for the enthusiastic students of class 10 & 11. The adventure camp had a variety of activities and provided a typical camping experience. The lovely view of the mountains and the fresh air of the campsite gave students the relaxing edge they required. The camp promised various adventure sports like fox flying, tyrolean traverse, burma bridge, waterfall trek, knot-making, and rock climbing. Along with that, students were also taken for an early morning mountain trek to the nearby temple. Other than these thrilling sports, students engaged themselves in different board games and team-building games conducted by the trip organising team. The students were at all times under the care and protection of teachers & the organising team.

Overall, the students loved the experience and cherished the calm, peaceful and beautiful environment of the campsite.









WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

BY STEPHEN SUNNY-12F

We live in a world filled with mind boggling creatures and picturesque places, and yet there are still places where no one has been before, animals no one has seen before. Nature is still a mystery to all of us and we truly don't know if we will ever uncover it fully. BUT we humans seem to have forgotten that we are still part of nature, rather we seem to believe that we small insignificant beings' rule everything under the sun. Humans have caused more damage to nature than any species before us and probably after us as well. We don't seem to understand that nature will replenish over time but the harm we are causing to our species will not. But it does seem like people are starting to understand the impact we have on nature, one of the examples being World Environment Day, it has been celebrated annually on the 5 of June since 1973. It is a celebration of the beauty of nature and simultaneously spreading awareness about the problems we cause to it. It is a day we all should be happily and proudly celebrating as we should all believe that it is not too late to start making amends with nature.

ARTIST OF THE MONTH

ANIKET BACHHET-6B



Name: Indominus Rex.

The first ever hybrid created .(T-Rex and Velociraptor). It was first spotlighted in Jurassic World and also featured in an animated series camp Cretaceous.

HOLIDAYS, REST & LEISURE

BY TUAN MUANLAL NGAIHTE- 12 E

One of the joys of being a student or a working person is getting holidays. It is a special day granted to us to either celebrate an occasion/festival or to rejuvenate and rest. With the hectic schedule of our day-to-day life, it is quite inevitable that at some point one longs for a day, a week or perhaps even a month of rest and leisure. Most people like to spend their holidays on a trip somewhere or at home depending on the duration, season as well as preference. However, a minor section of society does not believe in the concept of enjoying a holiday. But what does this mean? Simply put, this implies that such people feel that holidays are merely nothing but a social construct. While the vast majority might have fun and enjoy their time, these people do not find any contentment or excitement in holidays. Whatever the preferences may be, one must find a way to enjoy or refresh because it is a way of giving life its meaning. Life is a gift bestowed upon us by God which not everyone is privileged enough to have. Therefore, when we have holidays or ample time to rest and rejuvenate, we must learn to make the most of it and appreciate the little things in life.



POEM OF THE MONTH

END THE DREAD OF BULLYING

-BY AAHREN SRIVASTAV 7E



SAY NO TO GRABBING SOMEONE'S LUNCH AND SAY NO TO TEASING OTHERS WHEN YOU'RE IN A BUNCH.

IT'S NOT GOOD TO BE UNKIND.

YOU NEVER KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON IN ANOTHER'S MIND.

SAY NO TO BULLYING.

'COS BULLYING IS NOT NICE.

YOU HURT PEOPLE'S FEELINGS.

WITHOUT KNOWING WHAT THEY ARE CAMOUFLAGING.



SO DON'T GO PUSHING

DON'T GO WANDERING LOOKING FOR TROUBLE. DON'T REDUCE SOMEONE INTO A RUBBLE.

DON'T CALL SOMEONE A LOSER

JUST COS YOU THINK YOU ARE THE PRIME MOVER.



IF YOU CANNOT BE A FRIEND. AT LEAST DON'T BE A BULLY. SAY NO TO BULLYING 'COS BULLYING IS NOT NICE. YOU HURT PEOPLE'S FEELINGS.

WITHOUT KNOWING WHAT THEY ARE CAMOUFLAGING.





SO OPEN THE DOOR TO LOVE AND LIGHT. AND CLOSE THE PATH TO BULLYING. STOP THIS ENDLESS SPIRAL OF DREAD. AND LEAVE THE CRUEL WORDS UNSAID.









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GOOD SAMARITAN OF THE MONTH

ADHIVEER GANDHI - 10E



Adhiveer volunteers to help out with recordings and photography of the events that take place at MS and is part of the creative team.

THE SINGING LEGENDS GONE TOO



Sidhu Moose Wala 1993–2022



Khrishnakumar Kunnath (KK) 1968–2022

HAVE SOME JUSTICE NEWS TO SHARE?

You all are invited to send in your own brilliant ideas on sustainable living, justice work reports, news articles, poems, artwork and paintings.

Send your awesome creativity or reports to the official Columban JustNews Email Id



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SCS CAMPAIGN



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