

PRINCIPAL'S PRIZE DAY REPORT

06th July 2013 – 20th June 2014

The Chairman Ven. S. J. Jeyaveerasingan, Archdeacon of Jaffna & Manager of our College, the Chief Guests Mr. Bernard Sinniah, Managing Director and Global Head of Sales for Corporates, Citibank, London, and Mrs Anita Sinniah, Chairman of the Governing Body Dr. Dan Seevaratnam, Mr.S.G.Premkumar, Secretary of the Governing Body, Mr. S. Gobinath, Welfare Officer of our College, Rev Jason Selvaraja, President, OBA Jaffna, Mr.L.N.Balaretnaraja, President, OBA South Ceylon & Member of the Governing Body, Dr.T.W.Jeyakularajah, our Former Manager, Members of the Governing Body for CMS Schools, Brother Clergy, Heads of Institutions and Schools, distinguished Guests, Old Boys, Parents and Well-wishers,

St. John's extends to you all a warm and cordial welcome to its Annual Prize Day Celebrations. The presence of parents, Old Boys and well-wishers in large number encourages us this morning. We are confident that your interest in our school will remain deep and unfailing.

Our Chief Guest Mr. Bernard Sinniah is an Old Johnian and spent 10 years studying here. He started at Evarts and finished at Fleming Hostel as a College Prefect. He represented the College in Hockey and Athletics and was a member of the Interact Club, Student Christian Movement, the Boys' Scout and the Science Club. He was awarded the Best Actor's Prize, for two consecutive years in the Annual Boarders' Day. I have seen you as a student in the Middle School guiding the College visitors in their tour of the college. This was a responsibility entrusted to you several times by the then Principal the late Mr.C.E.Anandarajan. This shows your ability and the soft skills you had at that very early age.

Bernard is currently the Managing Director and Global Head of Sales for Corporates at Citibank, London. He is also the Head of Foreign Exchange for Europe. He is a member of the European Central Bank, Foreign Exchange contact group.

Bernard joined Citibank in Colombo, soon after leaving school and was transferred to Australia in 1986. He was a Foreign Exchange Trader before he moved to Sales and became the Head of Sales for Australia. He moved to London in 1999 and became Head of Sales for UK and then for Europe. In 2005, he was promoted to become the Global Head of Sales.

Bernard has a Masters in Applied Finance from Macquarie University, Sydney, Australia.

Bernard is married to Anita. She studied at St Bridget's Convent in Colombo and joined Citibank in 1982. After working in the Client / Customer service divisions of Citibank, she joined Bernard in Australia after their marriage in 1988. They have three children and live at Walton on Thames, in Surrey, United Kingdom.

St. John's College wholeheartedly welcomes you both to the Annual Prize Day celebrations. I have great pleasure in inviting our Chief Guest to receive the memento presented by the College in honour of his presence as Chief Guest at his Alma Mater, and in gratitude for his steadfast interest and ardent support for the College.

It's indeed an honour to welcome the Chairman of the Governing Body Dr. Dan Seevaratnam to this significant event of the college. We greatly appreciate your abiding interest in our school and the vision you have for its upliftment. We also welcome all the members of the Governing Body to our Prize Day and thank them for their kind presence.

Venerable Chairman, we greatly appreciate your steadfast interest in our school and its spiritual sphere, as the Archdeacon of Jaffna and the Manager. We are grateful to you for taking the chair.

The report I am presenting today is for the period from 06th July 2013 – 20th June 2014.

PRIZE GIVING

The College Prize Giving is organized separately for each Section to ensure maximum presence of parents and students. The number of Prize recipients for the year 2013:

Primary School Parents' Day & Prize Giving (Grade 1-5)	292
Middle School & Junior Secondary Level Prize Giving (Grade 6-8)	126
Prize Giving for Senior Students (Grade 9-A/L)	<u>389</u>
Total	807

ENROLMENT

The number on roll at present is 2029, the break up being 304 in the Lower Primary (Grades 1 - 3), 177 in the Upper Primary (Grades 4 & 5), 350 in the Middle School (Grades 6 & 7), 377 in the Junior Secondary (Grades 8&9), 328 in the Senior Secondary (Grades 10 & 11), and 493 in the Collegiate Level (Grades 12 &13).

STAFF - TUTORIAL & NON-TUTORIAL

Tutorial staff: 125 (Government Cadre: 86 and College Appointment 39)

Master's Degree with Postgraduate Diploma	07
Graduates with Postgraduate Diploma	23
Graduates:	43
Higher National Diploma	01
Diploma:	02
Specialist Trained:	18
GCE (A/L) & other qualifications:	<u>31</u>
	125

Non-Tutorial Staff:	<u>48</u>
Total:	173

We thank the under mentioned for their help and support in co-curricular activities:

Mr. V.K.Shanmugalingam	Cricket
Mr A Lakshitha Bandara Herath	Cricket
Mr.S.Vijayaraj	Karate
Mr.S. Vithan	Weight Lifting
Mr.K. Subaskaran	Pole Volt
Mr. Justin Jocks	Western Band
Mr.A. Arnold	} organizing Coaching Camp at Nondescripts Cricket Club & Max Academy, Colombo, and for the cricket materials presented
Mr. G. Vaheesan	

APPOINTMENTS

Ms.Vasuki Rajasingham	Sectional Head-English - 10 th February 2014
Mr. S. Gobinath	Coordinator, Special Educational Support Programme - 1 st Jan 2014 & Welfare Officer - 1 st April 2014

We welcome the following teachers who have been absorbed into the permanent cadre:

Mr. A. Aravinthan
Mr. R. Thevakumar
Mr. P.Thinesh
Miss. M.C. Leonsious

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT - TEACHERS

Study Leave

Miss. H.S. Noel is on study-leave following Teachers Training in English at the Teachers' College, Batticaloa.

The following teachers have come back after completing their Teacher Training at the Teachers' College:

1. Mr. J. Anton Lurgino Social Science
2. Miss. K. Kanagasabapathy Primary Education
3. Mr. T.S. Mayooran English
4. Mrs. S.R. Sivatharshan English
5. Mr. R. Wigneswaran Agriculture

The following teachers have completed their Postgraduate Diploma in Education:

1. Mr. Beno Rajothayan
2. Miss. A. Gnanendran
3. Mr. V.Kumanan
4. Mr. M.Lingeswaran
5. Mr. S. Roshan
6. Mrs.J.P.Sarathilagan
7. Mrs. K. Umakanthan

Mr. S. Harshan has completed his M.Sc. in Geographical Information System and Remote Sensing at the University of Peradeniya.

JUBILARIAN

Mrs.R.Arudchelvam in the Primary School has completed 25 years of service at St John's. Currently she serves as the Supervisor of the Upper Primary School (Grades 4&5).

VOLUNTEERS FROM ABROAD

Mr Shinsuke Yokote from Japan has been assigned by the Ministry of Education to help us in sports from September 2013 to September 2014.

Mr.K.Yoganathan, one of our ardent Old Boys from Canada was with us in February and March to help improve the standard of English of our students.

Miss. Zhamiley Manoharan from Canada was at the College from 19th to 30th May 2014. She taught English in the secondary classes.

RETIREMENT

Tutorial Staff

The following teachers left us during the period under review:

Mrs. Dilshani Nugawela	English (Primary)	14.05.2012 - 31.08.2013
Mr.Ravindra de Silva	Sinhala as a Second Language	24.04.2012 – 31.08.2013
Mr. B.Arun	Science	13.08.2009 – 25.03.2014
Mr. G.Pirabaharan	Physics	02.01.2007 – 31.08.2013
Mr. N. Edison	Physics	16.09.2008 – 08.10.2013
Mrs. M.Rasaratnam	Sinhala as a Second Language	03.01.2012 – 31.12.2013
Mr. P.Maheswaran	Mathematics	05.01.2009 – 31.12.2013
Mr. R.Balachandran	Science	01.01.2010 – 31.12.2013
Mr.S.Thiruchelvam	English	01.02.2005 – 31.12.2013

Mr. S. Antonypillai served as the Welfare Officer and the Director of the Academy from 22nd October 2012 to 31st March 2014.

Non-Tutorial Staff

Mrs.S.Arumugasigamany, the Librarian, retired in December 2013. She had been serving the college since 1st January 1985.

Mr.S.Selvaratnam joined the Academy in 1974 as Office Assistant, became the Welfare Office Assistant later and retired in December 2013.

We thank all of them for their dedicated services to the College, and wish them a happy and peaceful retired life.

STAFF DEVELOPMENT

Mr. Dayan Seneviratne, CEO, IPM, Colombo, conducted a workshop on “Challenges faced by Teachers and ways & means to overcome them” for the Staff of St. John’s College and Chundikuli Girls’ College on 3rd January 2013.

Dr. Peter Selvaratnam and Pastor Hilda Samuel from Australia conducted an ‘Inner Healing’ Programme related to counselling in March. Teachers and students of Christian Studies Unit participated. Mr. Jito Senathirajah, Mr. S. Matthew and Mr. P Chris conducted a workshop to further train our teachers and students from 7th – 12th June 2014.

A seminar was conducted by the Governing Body for CMS schools on 11th April 2014 in Colombo for the Administrative Staff of church schools, in which the Principal, Vice Principals and Ms. Vasuki Rajasingham participated. The thoughts received were shared in a meeting with the members of the management committee on 29th April.

Four past pupils of our school Mr. J. R. Joshua, Dr. V.Varatharajan, Mr. P. Shanthakumar and Mr. E.S. Thambaiyah from Australia visited the school from 19th to the 24th of April and shared the Word of God with the members of the SCM and students of Christian Studies Unit.

Mr. S. Sooriyakumar, one of our Old Boys from Australia, addressed the staff on ‘Cultivating Reading Habits’ on the opening day of the Second Term - 21st April 2014.

Scout Leader Mr.S.S.Thomas, Sea Scout Leader Mr.V.Daniel Jeyaruban and four students (scouts) participated in the Global Friendship Scout Camp 2013 held in Norway from 4th – 11th August 2013.

Through the All Ceylon Union of Teachers, our staff member Mr.V.Daniel Jeyaruban participated in the 7th Education International Asia Pacific Regional Conference held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia from 18th – 20th Sept 2013.

Under the British Council’s Connecting Classrooms Programme two of our teachers visited our partner schools (Primary & Secondary School Links) in Northern Ireland from 18th – 25th May 2014. Mr.A.H.Gnanarajan visited Victoria Primary School, Carrickfergus, and Mr.C.A.Pararajasingam visited Castle Tower School, Ballymena.

BEYOND THE VEIL

Mr.T.Gunaseelan, Former Principal, passed away on 16th July 2013. Principal Mr Gunaseelan served the College since 1958 to 1987 as teacher, Sectional Head, Vice Principal and Principal. He started his schooling at St. John’s. After passing his Advanced Level, he joined Jaffna College to continue his higher studies. On obtaining the B.Sc. (London) degree he came back to his Alma Mater in 1958. His forte was Physics, and he was a successful teacher in the Advanced Level classes. His loyalty and devotion earned him many positions of responsibility. He was Johnstone House Master, Prefect of Games and Senior Boarding House Master. He obtained the Diploma in Education in 1970, and in January 1972 he was appointed Supervisor of the Middle School and thereby he became a part and parcel of the College administration. He was appointed Vice Principal in 1980. He became principal in 1985 during a period of political turmoil in Jaffna.

Rev.V.P.Thanendra, Chaplain of the College from January 2013, succumbed to illness on 27th August 2013. He joined the College on 10th August 2011.

Mr M. Johnpillai, who was serving the College from 1953 to 1993 as Laboratory Assistant (Chemistry), passed away in November 2013.

St. John's conveys its heartfelt condolences to the members of their families. May their souls rest in peace.

VISITORS

The Most Rev. Dr. Philip Freier, Archbishop of Melbourne, Australia, along with the Bishop of Colombo the Rt. Rev. Dhiloraj Ranjit Canagasabay visited the College on 20th March 2014.

Mr David McCann, Vice Principal of Castle Tower School, Northern Ireland, our secondary school's partner in the British Council's Connecting Classrooms Programme, visited the College from 8th – 15th November 2013.

Canon John Carter, the Press and Communications Officer, Diocese of Ripon and Leeds, UK visited St. John's College in February 2014.

Members of the Canberra Ceylonese Cricket Club, Australia visited us on 1st June 2014, and played a friendly match against our Old Boys.

190TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

The 190th anniversary which the College celebrated on the 4th of May 2013, culminated in a grand final celebration on 7th December 2013. The highlight of this function was the "Happy Birthday Dear Old Boys" Birthday Party, a special event organized for Old Boys celebrating their 50th, 60th and 70th Birthdays this year. Those who were over 70 years too were invited. Old Boys who were born in 1963, 1953, 1943 or before celebrated their birthdays with the 190th Birthday of their Alma Mater. It was the College's little way of saying a BIG THANK YOU to the Old Boys for being the backbone of the College.

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- **Grade 5 Scholarship Examination 2013**
88 students sat for the exam and 12 students qualified for the scholarship, the percentage being 14%. Sixty-three students (percentage 72%) obtained above 100 marks. Seventy-three students (percentage 83%) obtained Merit Certificate. M. Mithulan, who obtained 193 marks, was ranked 2nd Island wide in the Tamil Medium.
- **G.C.E. (O/L) December 2013**
144 Students sat for the Examination – 122 Tamil Medium + 22 English Medium
The Number of students qualified to follow A/L: 130 (TM-108, EM-22)
 - 9A -4 Students
 - 8A -8 Students
 - 7A -6 Students
 - 6A -9 Students
 - 5A -8 Students

- **G.C.E. (A/L) August 2013**

Number sat for the examination: 184

Number eligible to apply for University 63.6%

6 Students obtained 3A's

Kandasamy Thivaharan
Joseph Andrew Vasanthan
Thevarajah Bryan Eric
Sivaloganathan Gunesan
Somasundaram Nishanthan
Maheswaran Vintharakan

8 Students obtained 2A's & 1B

Navarathnarajah Veeradinesh
Sithambaranathan Jasothakrishna
Saravanapavan Gowmaran
Nagenthiran chuhasanan
Thayapararajah Sam Niroshan
Sathiyaseelan Neebajan
Thuraisingham Anojithan
Hiritharan Marino vijitharan

One student obtained 2A's & 1C

Sithamparanathan Jasokulan
3 Students obtained A,2B.
Sivanesan Sivaram
Selvaratnam Kumaresan
Srikanthan Srinath

One student obtained 1A, 1B & 1C

Tharmakulasingham Sivananthan

2 Students obtained 3B's

Ragu Saravanan
Shanthakumar Lessly Lavan

- **University Admissions based on the A/Level Results 2012**

Engineering	7
Management	2
Medicine	1
Information System	1
Agriculture	1
Physical Science	4
Biological Science	2
Tourism and Hospitality Management	3
Commerce (B.Com)	1
Mineral Resource and Tea Technology	1
Tea technology and Value Addition	1
Food Science and Nutrition	1
Molecular Biology	1
Agriculture Technology	1
Arts	3
Total	30

Congratulations to the above students and all the teachers for their hard work.

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

There are 42 Clubs and Associations operating in our College. These help students to develop their leadership and personality. The various activities carried out by the Clubs and Associations, and their detailed reports appear in the annual College Magazine.

GAMES & ATHLETICS

ATHLETICS

The Annual Inter-House Athletic Meet was held on 1st February 2014 with Mr.& Mrs. George Kandiah Yoganathan as the Chief Guests. Peto House emerged Champions and Pargiter House Runners-up. The following students achieved Colours Standard:

1. R. Sam David U/19 800m
2. M. Nilojan U/19 400m

The Primary School Inter-House Sports Meet was held on 14th February 2014 with Mr.M.Elampirayan, Lecturer – Physical Education, University of Jaffna and Secretary, Old Boys' Association Jaffna as the Chief Guest. Johnstone House emerged Champions and Peto House Runners-up. Two new ground records were established:

1. A. Abisherik U/11 – Cricket Ball Throw 50m 1 cm
2. K. Sabesan U/11 – 100m Hurdles 17.1 sec

The following places were obtained at the Departmental Athletic Meet 2014. The Provincial Meet is being held.

	First	Second	Third
Divisional Level	09	22	12
Zonal Level	16	12	07

SOCCER 2013

Team	Coaches	Matches Played	Won	Drawn	Lost
1 st XI	C.A. Aravinthan	08	05	01	02
2 nd XI A	T. Ajanthan	07	03	02	02
2 nd XI B	N. Edison	05	01	01	03
3 rd XI A	G.A. Gracian	07	04	03	-
3 rd XI B	M Chandrakumar	05	02	01	02
4 th XI A	V. Kumanan	07	01	05	01
4 th XI B	B. Pirasath	05	-	04	01

CRICKET 2013

Team	Coaches	Matches Played	Won	Drawn	Lost
U-17 A	P.Lavendra	13	13	-	-
U-17 B	G.Gopikrishna	03	01	-	02
U-15 A	A.D.Surendran	14	13	-	01
U-15 B	S.Vinoth	06	03	-	03
U-13 A	S.Vinoth	05	04	-	01
U-13 B	P.Rubendran	05	-	01	04

CRICKET 2014					
U-19	P.Lavendra	17	12	02	03
U-17 A	A.D.Surendran	03	02	-	01
U-17 B	P.Lavendra	04	02	-	02
U-15 A	S.Vinoth	06	06	-	-
U-15 B	P.Rubendran	05	-	01	04

The Battle of the North

The 108th “Battle of the North” – Central - St John’s Cricket Match was played on 13th, 14th & 15th March 2014. The match was abandoned and subsequently the victory was awarded to St John’s.

Limited 50-over Match

The 12th Encounter of the Limited 50-over Match against Jaffna Central was played on our grounds on 5th April 2014. Our College won the match by 139 runs.

Score: SJC: 273 for 8 wickets in 50 overs

JCC: 134 all out in 38.4 overs

St. John’s equalled the highest score of the series by Jaffna Central 273 all out in 2010.

OTHERS

- J. Ebenezer Nesakumar and J. Omshiyamsankar of Grade 3 won the 2nd place in the Light of the World Speech Contest 2013 organized by the YMCA.
- The Governor’s Trophy Chess Championship -2014 organized by the Governor’s Secretariat, Northern Province:

R. Sarvesh	Under 10	Champion
T. Brahman	Under 18	Runner-up
- Our team became Runners-up in the Governor’s Trophy Debate Competition (English) 2014.
 - P. Mithushan
 - N. Kadootkajan
 - S. Jonathan Mathushan
 - T. Sayeeshan
- T.Thivithan of Grade 7 Junior Young Inventors’ Provincial Level – Best 5
- N.Thuvarakeathan – 3rd Place, German – Sri Lanka Friendship Art Competition
- M.Mithulan, R.Athithan and S.Praveenan of Grade 6 participated in the National Mathematics Olympiad Competition.
- Six students participated in the Colombo Model United Nations debating competition from 28th February to 2nd March 2014.
- E. Thavasuthan of Grade 7 won the 2nd place in the Essay Competition at the Provincial Level Tamil Day Competitions-2014.
- The College won 1st first place in the Clean and Green Environment Competition-2013 organized by the Central Environmental Authority, Ministry of Environment & Renewable Energy at District Level, and was awarded a cash prize of Rs.10,000/= and certificate. Prizes were awarded by His Excellency the President at an Award Ceremony.
- Our First XI Cricket Team, which became champions in the Northern Province, was invited to play a match against Sri Lanka U/16 at the R. Premadasa stadium on 9th April, and got the opportunity to welcome the T20 World Champions at the Bandaranayaka International Airport on 8th April.

PARTICIPATION AND PLACEMENTS 2014

		Divisional	Zonal	District	Provincial	National
Table Tennis	Un-15 Un- 19	-	2 nd Runner-up 2 nd Runner-up	- -	-	-
Soccer	Un-17 Un-19	- -	Runner-up 2 nd Runner-up	- -	-	-
Badminton	Un-15 Un-19	-	2 nd Runner-up Champion	-	- Runner - up	*
Carom	Un-15 Un-19	- -	Champion Runner –up	-	Champion 2 nd Runner-up	-
Cricket Softball	Un-19	Runner-up	Champion	-	-	-
Hockey					Champion	*
Tennis Un-19		-	-	-	Runner-up	*
Athletics		1 st place09 2 nd place22 3 rd place12	1 st place16 2 nd place12 3 rd place07	31 athletes eligible to participate in the provincial competition		
Cricket First XI					“Best Team - Northern Province” – recognized by Bata Award “Best Team - Northern Province” – recognized by Singer Award	-

*eligible to participate in the National Level competition

Tamil Day Competitions 2014

	First	Second	Third
Divisional Level	06	02	05
Zonal Level	04	03	02
Provincial level		01*	

*eligible to participate in the National Level competition

English Day Competitions 2013

	First	Second	Third
Divisional Level	05	09	01
Zonal Level	02	04	03
Provincial Level		01	
National Level	01		

English Day Competitions 2014

	First	Second	Third
Divisional Level	03	05	10

PROVINCIAL LEVEL ACHIEVEMENTS

Carom U/15 and Hockey U/19 became Champions, and Badminton U/19 and Tennis U/19 Runners-up at the Provincial Level. Carom U/19 became 2nd Runners-up. These teams are eligible to participate at the National Level competitions to be held in September.

Karate Schools Sports Competition-2014 – organized by the Provincial Department of Education, Northern Province – College won 3 Gold Medals and a Silver Medal:

T. Thanujan	U/15	Kumite	Champion
A. Thusiyanthan	U/17	Kata	1 st Runner-up
A. Thanushan, A. Thusiyanthan & S. Nitharshan	U/17	Team Kata	Champions
A. Elankeeran, S. Pavikaran & M.Jenoyan	U/19	Team Kata	Champions

These students are eligible to participate at National Level.

NATIONAL LEVEL ACHIEVEMENTS

English Day Competitions

P. Mithushan of Grade 12 won first place in the Oratory- Impromptu competition 2013.

Cricket U-17 “A”

Joint Champions in the Division III Tournament 2013 organized by the Sri Lanka Schools’ Cricket Association, and were promoted to Division II. Coach: Mr.P.Lavendra

Weight Lifting

U.Vinothkumar won the 1st place in the Under-19 (Body weight 62-69 kg) category (performance – 200kg), and B.Victor John obtained 3rd place in the Under-19 (Body weight Over 105 kg) category (performance – 135kg) organised by the Ministry of Education, All-Island School Games. Coach: Mr.S.Vithan

Karate

A. Thanushan (Under 15) won the 3rd Place in Kumite at the All-Island Schools Sports Competitions -2013

7th National Karate Championship-2014 organized by the Shotokan Karatedo Federation Sri Lanka:

V.Nevethan	Kumite 1 st & Kata 1 st
A.Thusiyanthan	Kumite 3 rd & Kata 1 st
A.Thanushan	Kumite 1 st

Coach: Mr.S.Vijayaraj

President’s Scout Award

Four Scouts won the President’s Scout Award:

S.Sharmilan

S.Vijitharan

A.Pirunthujan

C.Sivamynthan

Teacher in charge: Mr.S.S.Thomas

Gold Star in Cub Scouting

Anton Harisraj won the Gold Star award in Cub Scouting. This is an achievement after 30 years in the College history, and in the history of the Northern Provincial Scouts' Association.

Teacher in charge: Mrs. S. Ananthasabesan

INTERNATIONAL PARTICIPATION

P.Thuvarakaseelan participated in the ‘Murali Harmony Unity Tour 2014’ in UK from 9th to 17th June 2014. He was the Vice Captain of the Murali Harmony Unity Team.

B.Charan, S.Banugoban and T.Sayeeshan participated in the JENESYS 2.0 programme (Japan East Asia Network of Exchange for Students and Youths) in Japan from 9th – 18th March 2014 organized by the Japan International Corporation Centre.

Our Scouts T.Regno Romesh, A.Sam Thushanthan, P.Samuel and S.Sharmilan participated in the Global Friendship Camp in Norway from 4th – 11th August 2013.

Congratulations to the above students on their achievements at the Provincial & National Level competitions and on their participation in the international programmes, and all the teachers for their dedication and hard work.

PRINCIPAL’S VISIT

The Principal visited the Old Boys in Singapore, New Zealand, Melbourne, Sydney and Perth in August 2013 to commemorate the 190th Anniversary of the school.

PREFECTS’ GUILD

The Prefects’ Guild with N. Kadootkajan as Senior Prefect and P.Thuvarakaseelan as Deputy Senior Prefect continues to help the school in the day-to-day affairs and in all school activities. I appreciate their leadership and responsibility.

Section	Head Prefect	Deputy Head Prefect	No. of Prefects
Primary School	M.Joseph Jeyshan	D.P.Jude Sharown	25
Middle School	E.Thavasuthan	D.David Livingstone	14
Junior Secondary	P.Elshan Denushan.P	E.Alex Godwin	24
Senior Secondary	V.Deluxshan	P.Somaskaran	18
Collegiate Level	N.Kadootkajan	P.Thuvarakaseelan	38
Total students in leadership			119

THE COLLEGE HOSTEL

The number of students in the Hostel is 133. We thank Mr. Lal, the Senior Hostel Master, and all other Hostel Masters for their commitment, and Dr.M.Arunkaran and Mrs.Lal (Nurse) for providing our hostellers with medical support. Thanks are also due to Mr. N. Kanagaratnam for being in charge of catering.

THE COLLEGE MAGAZINE

The Magazine for the year 2012, and the Special Edition (2013) covering the activities of the 190th Anniversary are in print.

THE COLLEGE WEBSITE

The College Website is maintained by the Web Committee under the guidance of Mr. Bavaan P. Saravanapavaan and coordinated by Mr.K.Girishan.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING UNIT

Five students completed the English Language Development Programme for School leavers (ELDP – Stage I) in May.

Eight students follow the Stage II program, which prepares the students for the Cambridge University’s Teaching Knowledge Test (TKT). TKT lessons are taught by Mr. Mick Chatwin, an English Teacher from the UK.

COMMERCE STREAM EXTENDED PROGRAMME

Our students are encouraged to do professional courses in Accountancy (AAT) parallel to their Advanced Level course.

The following students have completed the AAT Stage I:

N. Kadootkajan	4A
P. Caleb	2A, 1B & 1C
S. Jonathan	2A, 1B & 1D

SPOKEN ENGLISH EXAMINATIONS 2013

The Spoken English Examinations for different grades were conducted by the English Language Teaching Unit of the College and certificates were awarded. 205 students were awarded certificates.

Grade	Distinction	Very Good Pass	Credit	Pass	Total
Elementary	04	08	12	04	28
Gr. I	10	02	02	-	14
Gr. II	02	02	04	03	11
Gr. III	11	05	06	04	26
Gr. IV	09	07	05	09	30
Gr. V	09	11	04	04	28
Gr. VI	08	11	05	10	34
Gr. VII	11	10	09	04	34

CHRISTIAN STUDIES UNIT

Mr S.S.Thomas was successful in the Diploma in Christian Studies Examination conducted by the Serampore University.

A workshop on “Building your Self-esteem” was conducted with the help of Kerygma Team from India.

A counselling programme (Inner Healing Ministry) was conducted by the Jesuran Inner Healing Ministry in March and June.

Five students from the Christian Studies Unit have entered the Diocese as Lay Leaders in June 2013:

T.Edwinraj
P.Prince Neushan
R.Ruban Pradeep
A.Sam Thushanthan
S.Thevathas

CADET CORPS

All the four Corps – Band, Land, Sea and Air participated in the Annual Assessment Camp.

WESTERN BAND

The Western Band is now well organized. The Senior Band performs for the Senior School Annual Prize Giving, and the Junior Band for the Junior School and Primary School Prize Giving & Parents' Days. Mr. Bernard Sinniah helped us to purchase the additional musical instruments for the band.

THE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION

We thank the Old Boys around the world for their continuous support and financial contribution individually, in Batches and through Associations.

OBA	President	Secretary	Treasurer
Jaffna	Rev.J.Selvarajah	V.Sanjeev	G.Gopikrishna
South Sri Lanka	L N Balaretnaraja	B.Thayalan	S Malavarayar
Canada PPA	Yoga Arulnamby	Walter Dharmarajah	Mrs. Nantha
SJC-DCETF Canada	P.Rajkumar & Sri Paramanathan	Vignapalan Sellakandu	Ranjit Sivananthan
UK PPA	Mrs Nancy Gunaratnam	Mrs Rohini Ranjithkumar	P.Sripragash
Sydney	Peter Benedict	Logendran Mahadeva	Dilano Sinaiah
Victoria	Dinesh Sundaralingam	Jude Prakash	Tulin Ratnam
Norway	Angelo Snell	J.Jeykrishna	K.Prabakaran
USA	Coordinator: Dr. Karunyan Arulanantham		
New Zealand	Coordinator: Dr. Ram Sriramaratnam		
Denmark	Coordinator: T.Thevarajah		
1981 Batch	Coordinator: Hudson Solomons		
1987 Batch	Coordinator: S. Sooriyakumar		
1990 Batch	Coordinator: Jeganathan Markandu		
1992 Batch	Coordinator: Jude Prakash		
1996 Batch	Coordinator: T. Danendra		
1997 Batch	Coordinators: N.Nirmalan & V.Sanjeev		
2001 Batch	Coordinator: M.Mathuran		
2002 Batch	Coordinator: K.Vimalan		
2004 Batch	Coordinator: Pratheesh Maheswaran		

OBA CONTRIBUTION 2013 / 2014

2013/2014	Chundikuli Trust Fund PPA UK	DSCP	6,092,537.90
2013	PPA UK	University Scholarship	60,016.00
2013	OBA Sydney	DSCP	874,915.50
2014	PPA Canada	Staff Welfare Fund	88,300.00
2013/2014	SJC-DCETF	DSCP	2,992,645.00
2013	SJC 87 Batch	DSCP	126,000.00
2014	Kids of Vancouver	Trust Fund – Games	1,002,490.00
2014	OBA South Sri Lanka	Scholarship	144,945.00

INTERNALLY DISPLACED SCHOOL CHILDREN PROJECT

We have supported 739 students through this project since 2009. Currently, we have 392 children, (Boarders 138 & Day Scholars 254). These students enjoy free education, meals, accommodation and recreation facilities. In addition, they are provided with extra tuition, and some of them are provided with clothing and appropriate materials for their schooling according to their needs. We need more sponsors to support this programme.

Academic Achievements of Displaced Children (G.C.E O/L and A/L)

University Admission based on 2012 A/L Results

Number of students eligible to apply for University admission:

Engineering- 01

G.C.E Advanced Level Results – August 2013

Number of students eligible to apply for University admission:

Arts Stream - 01

Commerce Stream – 01

Bio Science stream - 01

G.C.E Ordinary Level Results – December 2013

34 students sat and 23 students qualified to follow A/L.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES

65 students are awarded Academic Scholarships this year on the basis of the performance in the Term Exams (Gr.2 - A/L), and 39 students in need received Bursary.

2 students were awarded Full Academic Scholarship on the basis of the marks obtained in the Admission Test for Grade 6.

NEW ACTIVITIES

Technology Stream for Advanced Level (Technological Faculty)

This is a new stream introduced by the government to promote Technology in addition to the conventional streams of study such as Arts, Commerce and Science. There are 44 students (1st year: 26 & 2nd year: 18) who follow the Technology stream.

To establish this stream at school, there has to be proper facilities according to standards set by the government, which will cost a minimum of LKR 30 million. This is a new challenge to raise LKR 30 million to build a laboratory with facilities conforming to government specifications, so that our students may follow Technology studies in the college. The Ministry of Education has approved this stream of study for our College on condition that we meet their requirements.

The foundation stone for the Technology Laboratory will be laid tomorrow 22nd June 2014 by Dr. Dan Seevaratnam, Chairman of the Governing Body.

This project will help the students of St John's and the community in Jaffna. We would greatly appreciate if parents, Old Boys (OBA's or Groups) and well-wishers could kindly commit to contribute to this project.

Commonwealth Class Team Project – Team Ten

British council is organizing a project - Commonwealth Class Team Project - to mark the Commonwealth games which is scheduled for July/August 2014 in Glasgow, United Kingdom. St John's College was selected as one of the participating teams working together with nine other schools from across the Commonwealth on a series of monthly collaborative tasks.

The Jaffna Academy and School of Technology

- After a lapse of about thirty years, a batch of 13 students (second sitting) sat for the GCE (A/L) Examination in August 2013. Two students are eligible to enter the university.
- 4 students (1 first-sitting & 3 second-sitting) sat for the GCE (O/L) Examination in December 2013. One student is qualified to follow A/Level.
- Grade 1 Trilingual students appeared for the English Language and Speech Examinations conducted by the Asian Academy of Performing Arts, and all got through the exam.
- The final Program of Pre-primary and Primary Teacher Training (Stage 111) was also completed in December 2013.
- The Bridge Building Program for students who were admitted to the Grade 1 Trilingual Class in 2014 was conducted during December holidays. The students admitted to Grade 1-2015 are currently following the same programme.
- Under the Displaced School Children's Project – Stage 6, we extend our support to the Trilingual Nursery Program and the after school classes at Thanneerutu, Santhapuram and Kilinochchi.

I have invited Mr.S. Gobinath, one of our loyal Old Boys, who is a retired Additional Director of Education, Nuwara-Eliya, and Ms. Vasuki Rajasingham, who has experience in teaching English Language, Literature and Speech Therapy at university level, to help develop the Academy. We are thankful to Mrs.S.R.Jeyaveerasingan for coming forward to help us to conduct the Pre-primary and Primary Teacher Training Programs.

Special Educational Support Programme

Students who require special care in their studies are identified from each class, and a special programme is being worked out for them to suit their level. The programme includes a variety of activities and effective teaching methods using computer-aided instruction.

Counselling Unit

Counselling is being promoted with the help of the Jesuran Healing Ministry. A few rooms will be set up in the Administrative Block for this purpose very soon.

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE

06.07.2013	Prize Giving - Chief Guests: Prof & Mrs. Suresh Canagarajah
10.07.2013	Terminal Holy Communion Service Science and Young Inventors Exhibition
02.08.2013	Term-End
02.09.2013	College Reopening
14.09.2013	Middle School & Junior Secondary Level Prize Giving – Chief Guests: Mr. S. Aravinthan, Manager, HSBC Jaffna, and Mrs. Suganeya Aravinthan, Lecturer, University of Jaffna
20.09.2013	Commerce Day – Chief Guest: Mr. E. Ratnam, Head of the Department - Marketing, University of Jaffna
21.09.2013	Admission Test - 2014

- 28.09.2013 Primary School Parents' Day & Prize Giving
Chief Guests: Mr. L. N. Balaretnaraja, President, St. John's College Old Boys' Association - South Ceylon, and Mrs. Damayanthi Balaretnaraja
- 02.10.2013 86th Anniversary of Gandhi's Visit - Chief Guests: His Excellency V. Mahalingam, Consul General of India, Jaffna, and Mrs. Nithya Mahalingam
- 05.10.2013 International Teachers' Day
- 12.10.2013 Saraswathi Pooja
- 03.11.2013 C.G.C & S.J.C Carol Service
- 07.11.2013 Inter-House Matches Award Ceremony - Gr.3 - A/L
- 09.11.2013 Festival of Carols by the Youth of the North
- 16.11.2013 U/11 – J Amalaseelan Soccer Carnival
- 03.12.2013 Primary School - Middle School Combined Christmas Celebration
- 07.12.2013 190th Anniversary Year-end Celebration & S.K.Mahalingam Seven-a-side Soccer Tournament
- 03.01.2014 College Reopening - Staff Service, Workshop & Staff meeting
- 21.01.2014 Leo Club Installation
- 01.02.2014 Inter-House Athletic Meet –
Chief Guests: Mr.George Kandiah Yoganathan & Mrs. Jebarajini Yoganathan
- 06.02.2014 St. John Ambulance Installation - Chief Guest: Dr.M.Arunkaran (Jaffna Teaching Hospital)
- 14.02.2014 Primary School Sports Meet - Chief Guests: Mr. M.Elampirayan, Lecturer – Physical Education, University of Jaffna /Secretary, OBA Jaffna, & Mrs.Sivasakthi Elampirayan, Teacher, Anaikoddai RCTM School
- 15.02.2014 A/L Union Lunch - Chief Guest: Mr.K.Indravasan, Regional Manager, HNB, Guest of Honour – Dr.G.Sritharan – Registrar in Surgery, Teaching Hospital, Anuradhapura
- 21.02.2014 Baden Powell Day
- 01.03.2014 OBA Day
- 04.02.2014 Tamil Day - Chief Guest: Mr.M. Roobavathanan, Senior Lecturer, Uva Wellassa University
- 13th Thu } **“Battle of the North”**
to } **J.C.C. vs. S.J.C. Cricket Match**
15th Sat } **108th Encounter**
- 17.04.2014 Interact Club 50th Anniversary Celebration & Installation
Chief Guest: Mrs.N.Tharmakulasingam, President, Rotary Club Jaffna
- 05.04.2014 Central – St John’s Limited overs Cricket Match
- 09.04.2014 Educational Tour - LVI
- 20.04.2014 Easter Bajanai
- 24th Thu } **6 – A – Side Cricket Tournament**
& }
26th Sat }
- 05.05.2014 College Day - 191st Anniversary
- 09.05.2014 Library Day – Chief Guest: Mr. A. Jesurasa (a writer & critic)
- 23.05.2014 Science Day - Chief Guest: Mr.Nishanth Nagaratnam, Attorney at Law, State Council, Attorney General’s Department
- 02.06.2014 Environmental Day by Agricultural Science Club

BUILDING PROJECT

Teachers’ Quarters

The ground floor of this four-storeyed block has been completed, and will be dedicated and blessed by the Bishop of Colombo the Rt. Rev. Dhiloraj Ranjit Canagasabey tomorrow 22nd June. We thank Dr. Gunam Kanagaratnam for his support towards the Chaplain’s Unit, and Mr. Ravi Thambiayah for a Staff Unit. Our aim is to complete one floor each year, and dedicate that floor on the Teachers’ Day.

STAFF QUARTERS CONTRIBUTION

YEAR	NAME	AMOUNT
2012	Dr Gunam Kanagaratnam	4,063,500.00
2012	Mr Morton F Peto	5,080.00
2013	Mr R B Thambiyah	5,000,000.00
2013	OBA Sydney	58,900.00
2013	OBA Victoria	796,742.80
2013	Mr V Utharshan	1,000.00
2013	Dr L Anandarajah	25,000.00
2013	Mr Coomarasamy Mithiran	500,000.00
2013	OBA Jaffna	833,500.00
2013	Students Collection	2,173,700.00
2013/4	PPA UK	3,259,500.00
2013/4	SJC 81 Batch	433,709.70
	Total	17,150,632.50

The Objectives of the project

- To have more staff living inside the school as close supervision is required for better student performances particularly by hostellers
- To ease unwarranted pressure on the part of the staff who pay large sums of money as rent and reduce their travel time to spend more time inside the school
- To develop a more homely environment for needy students and to increase trust and unity among students and staff

This project will benefit both staff and students. St. John's needs to look into the welfare of the teachers who have been the backbone of this noble institution for 191 years. So we turn to the pillars of St. John's College, our Old Boys (OBA's or Groups) and well-wishers for support to complete the project.

Purchase of Land

We were able to purchase two properties with houses (each 2 larchams) for the total cost of Rs. 20 million adjoining the College on Kandy Road. One of these has been named after our former Headmaster Mr. Jeremiah Evarts ("Evarts Cottage") and converted into a Guest House. It will be opened tomorrow by our Former Manager Dr. T.W. Jeyakularajah. The other will become staff quarters.

(Mr. Jeremiah Evarts served as Headmaster in charge of the school from 1867 – 1886. The Evarts Hostel was built in his memory in 1889, which was later transferred to a place close to the present Basketball Court. This was later damaged during the displacement in 1995.)

OUR NEEDS

1. Funds to award scholarships to students who excel academically
2. Addendum to Staff Welfare Fund
3. Addendum to Students Welfare Fund

INFRASTRUCTURE	Expected Amount
A/L Technology Facilities	30M
Staff Quarters - 8Units	20M
Primary School 16 Classrooms Space with Hall	30M
Resource Room for Primary School	2M
Resource Room for Middle School	2M
Resource Room for Secondary	2M
Resource Room for Collegiate Level	2M
Air Condition - Library	2M
Air Condition – Auditorium	1.5M
Peto Hall – Ceiling	2M
Ground levelling, Water system, Drainage system, Grass planting	10M
Office redesigning and counselling rooms	1.5M
O/L 16 classrooms Space with Agri. Room	30M
Basketball Court carpeting	1.5M
Ground Pavilion	3M
Hurdles	0.5M
College Bus	6M
Solar energy system	5.5M

PRINCIPAL'S COMMENTS

Dear Parents and Students,

As we walk rapidly towards a world with high educational standards, it is essential that we, as children, youth and parents understand who each one of us is while we are at our different stages in life. Understanding who I am includes understanding what my skills and talents are, how I can develop them, how I can identify my inner wounds, heal them and renew myself. This year this process was enriched by the programme introduced under the title 'Inner Healing and Rejuvenation'.

Stage I of the programme involved Dr. Peter Selvaratnam, an old boy, and our former Librarian Pastor Hilda Samuel, both of the Jesuran Healing Ministry in Australia, who trained teachers in the process of Inner Healing in March this year. Other members of their team have come from Australia since then and done follow-up training.

The process of Inner Healing has now been introduced to some students and is being regularized now: this is the second stage of the programme. As the third stage, we are hoping to involve parents in the process.

I believe that this programme will create a healthy atmosphere both at school and home by building positive relationships between students, teachers and parents, nurturing a healthy attitude to learning, creating a positive learning environment, and ensuring respect for human values.

அன்பான பெற்றோரே, பண்பான பிள்ளைகளே,

சிறந்ததோர் கல்வி உலகை நோக்கி வீறுநடை போடுவதற்குச் சிறுவராக, வாலிபராக, பெற்றோராகப் பல்வேறு வயது வளர்ச்சிப் பருவங்களில் நான் யார்? என்பதை ஒவ்வொரு வயதுப் பருவங்களிலும் விளங்கிக் கொள்வது அத்தியாவசியமாகும். நான் யார்? என்பதனை விளங்கிக் கொள்வதாவது ஒவ்வொரு வயது நிலையிலும் இருக்கும் அவரவர்க்குரிய திறன்களையும், ஆற்றல்களையும் இனங்கண்டு அதனை வளர்ப்பதற்கான வழிமுறைகளை ஒழுங்குபடுத்துதலும், மனதில் சிறுவயதில் இருந்து ஏற்பட்ட மனக் காயங்களை இனங்கண்டு அக்காயங்களை ஆற்றுதலும், புத்தூக்கம் பெறுதலும் என்பனவற்றை உள்ளடக்கும். இச் செயற்பாட்டை “உள்ளார்ந்த மனமாற்றமும் புத்தூக்கம் பெறுதலும்” எனும் தலைப்பில் ஆற்றுப்படுத்தல் செயற்பாடானது இந்த வருடத்திலிருந்து மேலும் மெருகூட்டப்பட்டு செயற்படுத்தப்படுகின்றது.

இதன் முதற்கட்டமாக பங்குனி மாதத்தில் இருந்து கட்டம் கட்டமாக ஆசிரியர்களுக்குத் தொடர்பயிற்சி அவுஸ்ரேலியாவில் இருக்கும் “யெசுரன்” உள்ளார்ந்த உள ஆற்றுதல் பணிமையத்தினால் பழைய மாணவர் வைத்திய கலாநிதி பீற்றர் செல்வரட்ணம், எமது முந்நாள் நூலகர் அருட்பணி கில்லா சாமுவேல் ஆகியோரால் ஆரம்பித்துவைக்கப்பட்டு அவர்களது பணிமைய அங்கத்தவர்களினால் தொடர்பயிற்சிகள் வழங்கப்படுகின்றன.

இரண்டாவது கட்டமாக மாணவர்களிற்கு பரீட்சார்த்தமாக உள ஆற்றுகை செயற்பாடுகள் நடத்தப்பட்டு தற்போது தொடர் நடவடிக்கையாக இச்செயற்பாடு ஒழுங்கு முறைப் படுத்தப்பட்டு வருகிறது. மூன்றாவது கட்டமாகப் பெற்றோர்களும் இதில் பங்கேற்கும் வகையில் அறிமுகப்படுத்தப்பட இருக்கின்றது.

இச் செயற்பாடுகளால் மாணவர் - ஆசிரியர்கள் - பெற்றோர்களுக்கிடையே ஆரோக்கியமான கற்றல்மனநிலை, கற்றல்சூழல், மானிட விழுமியங்களை மதித்தல் போன்ற ஆரோக்கிய உணர்வுகள் மேலோங்கிக் கல்லூரியிலும் வீடுகளிலும் மென்மேலும் மிளிரும் என்பது எனது நம்பிக்கை.

இவ் ஆரோக்கிய நிகழ்ச்சித் திட்டத்தில் அர்ப்பணிப்புடனும், ஆரோக்கியத்துடனும் பங்கு பெற உங்கள் அனைவரையும் அன்புடன் அழைக்கின்றேன்.

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Other Contributions 2013 / 2014

2013	Eagle Christian Fellowship of Canada	190th Anniversary	507,500.00
2013	Mr Uthayakeethan	Soccer Jersey	25,000.00
2013	Mr Lesly Gunaratnam	Hostel Washrooms	999,900.00
2013	Gifts of Love	Christian Study Unit	49,500.00
2013	Mrs E R Thevathason	“Battle of the Babes” Gr 5 Cricket Match	25,000.00
2013	Dr M Theivendra	Weight Lifting Equipment	206,447.00
2013	Dr Royce Arasaratnam	Weight Lifting Equipment	73,289.00
2013	Dr (Mrs) Mithi Niranjanan	Weight Lifting Equipment	10,322.00
2013	Mrs Leela Smith	Weight Lifting Equipment	15,483.00
2013	Mr S Thiru	Weight Lifting Equipment	4,129.00
2013	Ms Mary Jeya Inpanayagam	The Academy & School of Technology Scholarship	122,500.00

2013	Mr V P Lingajothy	The Academy & School of Technology Scholarship	147,700.00
2013	Mr Alex Thambirajah	Stationery	5,000.00
2013	Joyce & Noel Thevarajah	Christian Study Unit	50,000.00
2014	Bishop of Colombo	Christian Study Unit Youth Program	62,800.00
2014	Mr K Yoganathan	Athletic awards	40,000.00
2014	Mr K Yoganathan	Badges for best attendance Academy	15,000.00
2014	Mr S K Annalingam	Battle of the North Award	10,000.00
2014	Mr S K Annalingam	Limited Over Match Award	10,000.00
2014	Dr Peter Selvaratnam	Technological Faculty	54,366.00
2014	Mr Puspakaran (UK)	Saraswathy Memorial Cash Prize for the Winners of the Big Match	100,000.00
2014	Eagle Christian Fellowship Canada	David Gulasekaram Award	35,172.50
2014	Mr Bernard Sinniah	Band & Musical Instruments	391,000.00
2014	CIMA Sri Lanka	Thanapalan Trophy	35,000.00

Sponsors	No. of students sponsored
SJCDCETF - Canada & USA	190
UK –Eagle Nest	69
Sydney	11
87 Batch	05
Individuals	71
Need sponsors	46
Total Sponsored	392

We thank the following donors for creating Trust Funds for prizes and scholarships.

PRIZE ENDOWMENTS - 2013 & 2014					
Year	Donor	In Honour / Memory of	Subject	Class	Invested Amount
2013	Mr T Thayalaratnam		Scholarship	Gr 1 - A/L	5,000.00
2013	Mrs Molly Daniel		English		26,600.00
2013	Cynthiya Dano	Mrs Vathany	Principal Fund		12,780.00
2013	Dr Mithiran Coomarasamy		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	49,900.00
2013	Mr J H Ariyaratnam		Scholarship	Needy Children	10,000.00

2013	Dr Sabapathy & Mrs Indra Sivayoham	Appacutty Sabapathy & Nagamma Sabapathy	Scholarship	Needy Children	645,613.00
2013	Dr Sabapathy & Mrs Indra Sivayoham	In honour of Dr Sabapathy Sivayoham & Dr Mrs Indra Sivayoham	Scholarship	Needy Children	645,613.00
2013	South Asia Christian Youth Network		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	115,420.00
2013	- Anonymous -		Scholarship	Needy Children	530,983.00
2013	New Testament Church in New Zealand		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	25,750.00
2013	Mr S Egaten		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	5,890.00
2013	Rev & Mrs Mather		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	5,890.00
2013	Dr Mrs Thayala Richard		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	11,780.00
2013	Dr Peter & Mrs Jeyadevi Selvaratnam		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	17,670.00
2013	Mr Prithiviraj		Scholarship	Scouts and Sea Scouts	47,120.00
2013	Mr & Mrs Daisy Vaseeharan Australia		Scholarship	Stage 6	35,340.00
2013	Dr A T Thevakumar, Australia		Scholarship	Stage 6	23,560.00
2013	Dr Mithiran Coomarasamy		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	29,450.00
2013	Mr Sree Jeyan, Australia		Scholarship	Needy Children	11,780.00
2013	Mrs Nirmala Rajasekaram		Scholarship	Maths	58,900.00
2013	Edie & Gethsi, Australia		Scholarship	Stage 6	5,890.00
2013	Mr Bala, Australia		Scholarship	Stage 6	5,890.00
2013	Jeyadevi & Arumainayagam, Australia		Scholarship	Stage 6	25,000.00
2013	S Atchuthan & Nivetha Australia		Scholarship	Stage 6	25,000.00
2013	Professor Paul Mather		Scholarship	Prize Fund	150,000.00
2013	Dr S T Kasinathan		Scholarship	Merit	300,000.00
2014	Mrs A M K Arasaratnam, UK	Dr Malathi Rajasingam	Scholarship	Needy Children	10,000.00
2014	Kids of Vancouver	Van Kids for Kids Scholarship	Needy Children	Sports	600,000.00
2014	Kids of Vancouver	Vancouver Kids for Kids Scholarship	Needy Children	Higher Education – Sports	402,490.00
2014	Mrs T Gunaseelan	T Gunaseelan Mem Prize Fund	Physics	A/L	50,000.00

2014	Pastor Hilda Samuel		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	34,500.00
2014	Mr Sivanantharajah Alagarajah		Scholarship	Prize Fund	90,000.00
2014	Varathan Vasu Karuna Indra Joshua & Shanthi		Scholarship	Principal Fund	35,090.00
2014	Mr Ganarajah Verendran	Skanda Varendran Mem Sch Fund	Scholarship	Needy Children	350,872.00
2014	Mr Ranjit Jeyaratnam		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	A\$ 1200
2014	Mr Matthew Avadier		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	A\$ 600
2014	Mr Jay Annandasivam Jesuran Healing		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	A\$ 150
2014	Mala & Chandran Rajasingam-Jesuran		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	A\$ 100
2014	Irene & Raj Thavarajah-Jesuran Healing		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	A\$ 100
2014	Ms Vasanthy Selvarasa-Jesuran Healing		Scholarship	Christian Study Unit	A\$ 100
2014	Mr Rajan Navaratnam Family		Scholarship	Merit	25,000.00
2014	Mrs Chandra Navaratnam	Sundarampillai Navaratnam Mem Fund	Scholarship	Merit	25,000.00
2014	Mrs Nirmala Rajasekaram	Mahilrajan Rajasekaram Memorial Fund	Maths		10,000.00
2014	D R Gladstone Thambirajah		Scholarship	Needy Children	65,100.00
2014	Children of Former Principal the late Mr. A W Rajasekaram	Mr. A W Rajasekaram	Scholarship	Needy Children	20,400.00

We thank the following donors for the Addendum to the Trust Funds for prizes.

ADDENDUM TO PRIZE ENDOWMENTS - 2013 & 2014

Year	Donor	In Honour / Memory of	Subject	Class	Amount
2013	Mr & Mrs Premakumar	In honour of P Noel Rukshan & P Joel Anukshan	Welfare	Staff	2,900.00
2013	Mr S G Premkumar	-	Christian Studies		15,000.00
2013	Dr Arjan Nallaiah	J R Gunaratnam Mem Fund-	Best Cricketer of the year	U-17	20,000.00
2013	Mr Ravi Casinader	-	Scholarship	Needy Children	10,300.00
2013	Uniting Church in Australia Parish of Balkara(Add)	-	Scholarship	Needy Children	70,680.00
2014	Mr Sam Nalliah	SJC CGC PPA Vancouver	Scholarship	Needy Children	265,862.00
2014	Mr K Yoganathan	-	Welfare Fund	Staff	50,000.00
2014	Mr K N Y Maurice	A M Maurice Scholarship Fund	Scholarship	Grade 1	13,000.00

2014	PPA Canada	-	Welfare Fund	Staff	88,300.00
2014	Mr S Kathirgamathamby	-	School Development & Prize Fund		3,000.00
2014	Mr Rohan Rajaratnam	Jimmy Rajaratnam	Sports		56,202.80
2014	Rev N J Gnanaponrajah	Rev&Mrs Bala Arulpragasam	Welfare	Staff	1,200.00
2014	Mr P Sriharan	-	Welfare	Staff	1,200.00
2014	Mrs S D Nagalingam	Mr P Kularajasingam	Resource Room	Senior Secondary	3,600.00
2014	Mr V D Jeyaruban	Elizabeth Jeyarane Vijayathanan	Scholarship	Needy Children	6,000.00
2014	Mrs S S Vijayapathy	Mr T Ratnarajah	Welfare	Students	600.00
2014	Mrs A S Yogaratnam	Mrs I Kiruparaj	Eastern Music Instrument		1,200.00
2014	Mr S Michael	Honour of Rev N J Gnanaponrajah	Welfare	Students	1,200.00
2014	Mr A Donald	Amos	Stage 6 Tharmapuram	Needy Children	1,200.00
2014	Mr R Nishan		Upgrading Facilities		1,200.00
2014	Mr S G Premkumar		Christian Studies		15,000.00
2014	Mrs Bharathy Prabakaran	Nagalingam Prabakaran	Scholarship	Gr 6 - A/L	20,606.00
2014	Mr A Gopalakrishnan	Ranjithapoorani Gopalakrishnan Mem Fund	Gold Medal for the best student	Medical faculty	20,000.00
2014	Mr & Mrs N N Karunairaj	Mark Mythran	Scholarship	Needy Children	5,000.00

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Finally, I thank and praise the Almighty God, who has been guiding us for the past 191 years, and pray that He continues to lay His hands upon this institution to bless, protect and lead us into the future.

Thank you.

Rev N J Gnanaponrajah
Principal

21st June 2014