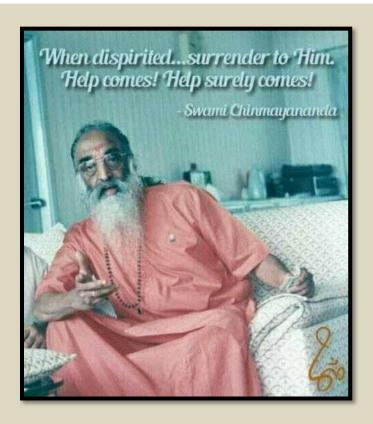


Chinmaya Vidyalaya Kundanbagh, Begumpet, Hyderabad-500016

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Our studies, reflections, prayers and meditations

must carve out of us

mighty soldiers

of power & intelligence, of character &heroism,

to lead the country & its history

into the peaks of glory & sunshine.

1st June 2017: Vidyalaya Reopens

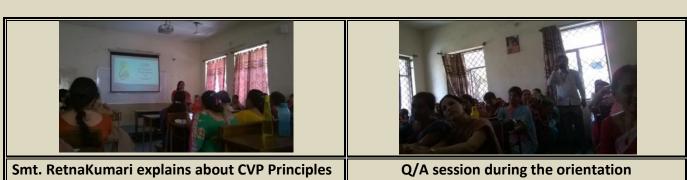
Vidyalaya started for the new academic year on an auspicious note with a traditional Paduka Puja which was done by Principal Madam and Smt. RadhaRani (TGT). This was followed by the Samishtha chanting of Lalitha Sahasranamam and Vishnu Sahasranamam by the entire staff.



2nd June 2017: Orientation Workshop

A small introduction of Pujya Gurudev was given by Smt.Parvathi Balaram Teacher to the entire staff as a way of introducing our Vidyalaya to the new comers.

The CVP Principles of Integrated Development, Indian Culture, Patriotism and Universal Outlook were explained in detail by Smt. RethnaKumari. Some of the teachers who attended the Chinmaya Parichay programme in May 2017, shared their experiences.





Sri. DurgaPrasad sharing his experiences about Chinmaya Parichay



Smt. Prasanna sharing her experiences about Chinmaya Parichay

3rd June 2017: Class X Results:

A total of 103 students gave the exams for Class X from our Vidyalaya. 25 students secured CGPA of 10/10. Indeed a great achievement for the students and teachers of Class X! Congratulations to all of them.



AISSE TOPPERS (CGPA 10) FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2016-17							
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1	4095066	VENGALA AKSSHAYA	9	14	4095131	BALA SAI PRABHA KATTA	2
2	4095072	TANMAY PRAVIN PARAB	9	15	4095057	YUKTA MAHESEKAR	
3	4095078	EMANI SAI SRIKAR	9	16	4095074	SRIJANANYA VENKATESH	9
4	4095108	M S VENKATA NARASIMHA HRISHIKESH	3	17	4095075	A SAI ANANYA PAVANI	9
5	4095124	UPPALA SUKEERTHI	3	18	4095092	PAMIDI SWETHA	8
6	4095128	PODDUTURI SNIGDHA REDDY	9	19	4095102	VEERUBHOTLA SRI CHANDRA NIHITHA	
7	4095135	KRISH JAI GWALANI	3	20	4095070	AKHIL GAJULA	9
8	4095139	CHALLA BHANU PRANAV	9	21	4095076	HARINISREE KEERTHIPATI	9
9	4095146	TEJAS MAHAJAN	8	22	4095133	PALARAPU SUNMATHI	9.
10	4095154	SHREYA KUCHIBHATLA	A	23	4095137	PULLURU KAVYA	
11	4095103	SAMPURNA SENGUPTA	9	24	4095141	THUTUPALLI SHANMUKHAVAMSIKRISHNA	8
12	4095114	APARAAJITHA KOTA	9	25	4095158	SURYA PRATAP	
13	4095123	SHREEJA SRIVASTAVA	9				

12th June 2017: Reopening of the Vidyalaya:

Classes for all the students of the Vidyalaya from LKG to Class XII started on the 12th of June 2017.



Paduka Pujas:

Class XII on 12thJune:

Students of Class XII performed the PadukaPooja on 12th June- the reopening day of the Vidyalaya. Blessings of the Almighty were sought to be on the right track, and do their best in academics in such a crucial year of their career. May Gurudev's blessings always be with them!



Paduka Puja by Class X A on 16th June 2017:







Students of Class XA performing the Paduka Puja in the Vidyalaya Ground floor lobby.

Paduka Puja by Class X B on 23rd June 2017:







Students of Class XB performing the Paduka Puja in the Vidyalaya Ground floor lobby.

19th June 2017: Election Campaign

The election campaign for the elections to the Vidyalaya's student council began early in June itself. Our senior students filed their nominations for different posts in the Council. The students of Class VI to XII exercised their franchise. The teachers also cast their choice through the ballot paper.









Students and teachers voting for the Vidyalaya council members

Results of the Election Campaign:

Student council members for the Academic Year 2017-18 were elected through the regular democratic secret ballot system. Responsibilities and duties were given to the students. It is expected that these children perform these additional duties apart from doing their best in academics as well. All the best to all of them.



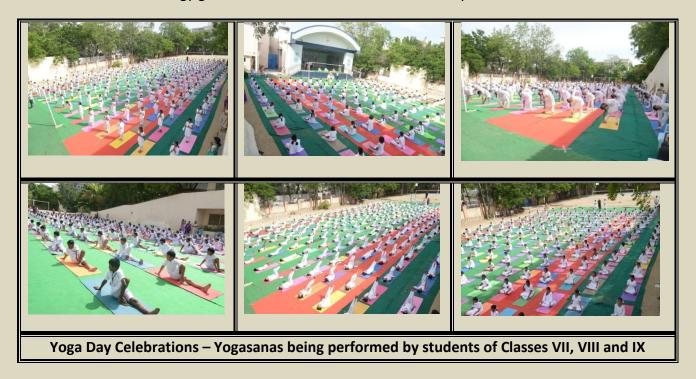
21st June 2017: International Day of Yoga.



International Yoga Day was celebrated in the Vidyalaya, with the school choir children rendering the very meaningful Yoga song, the music of which, was composed by our Vidyalaya Music teacher, Smt. NagaSuneeta.



Students of Classes VII, VIII and IX participated in a variety of yogasanas, spreading the cumulative cosmic energy generated as a result of this form of body exercises.



It was exceedingly heartwarming to remind ourselves of the vision of our Prime Minister, Sri. Narendra Modiji, who was instrumental in getting 21st June declared as the International Day of Yoga. The oneness of the Vidyalaya could be felt in the disciplined manner in which children have performed the asanas. This has taken lots of practice by the yoga teachers and the students.

23rd June 2017: Participation in NASSCOM Big Data Summit:

10 students accompanied by our Vidyalaya faculty , Sri. Krishnakant attended a workshop on Artificial Intelligence at Hyderabad Convention Centre, Novotel on the 23rd of June 2017. This workshop was conducted by 13 year old Tanmay Bakshi, a highly popular whiz kid from Canada who has been programming since the age of 5.He spoke about benefits if AI, deep learning, neural networks and machine learning.

He explained about his latest project which helps people suffering from Rett Syndrome (a neurological disorder that impairs the the usage of muscles of the eyes, body and also the speech) to communicate with the outside world by capturing their brainwaves pattern and display the person's message on the computer screen.









Vidyalaya Students in a session with Tanmay Bakshi

It is indeed amazing to have met a person of such high caliber and capabitlity, when most of us at his age are still playing pranks and having fun. It is indeed an excellent opportunity for our Vidyalaya children to have attended this workshop.

29th June 2017: Visit to Ravindra Bharati:

On 29th June eleven students of Class IX, X and XI accompanied by Principal madam-Vani madam, and admin faculty- Sri. Krishnakanth participated in an awareness programme conducted by the "Traffic Police of Hyderabad" at Ravindra Bharati. The main aim of this programme was to show students their responsibility towards society and to ensure safety amongst students. This session promoted Swachh Bharat and road safety. The chief guest of

the event was Sri. M. Mahinder Reddy- Commissioner of Police , Hyderabad City. Sessions were conducted by the GHMC Commissioner- Sri. Janardhan Reddy and the joint commissioner of police (traffic)- Dr. V. Ravinder. Children being the next generation to make use of these facilities, awareness needs to be created and the rules need to be followed strictly by them, right from this age so as to mould themselves as good citizens of our country, in order to be part of universal oneness. Being addressed by such disciplinarians of the country, our Vidyalaya children along with all other children who participated in this programme, were strongly inspired to follow safety rules and to have a Swachh Hyderabad and a Swachh Bharat.



30th June 2017: Guruji's Birthday Celebrations:

Pujya Swami Tejomayanandaji's 67th birthday was celebrated in the Vidyalaya with a devoted traditional Paduka Puja by the entire Vidyalaya- right from Class I to Class XII.



A week prior to his birthday, the activity given for CCA was "making a birthday greeting card for Guruji's Birthday". Children poured in their ideas, with a spectacular combination of colours and cut outs. An amazing showcase of talent by our middle school children. These greeting cards were displayed in the lobby boards in the ground floor.











Greeting Cards for Guruji's birthday done by students of Class VI, VII and VIII as part of the CCA activity.

SUPW teacher, Smt. SapnaKumari made a very beautiful birthday card for Guruji. Class XII students made an amazing greeting card in the shape of a box. The moment the lid was opened, this magical box changed to four fold set of sheets. Some of the sheets were again in the form of boxes. On opening all the boxes, the entire set of sheets had handmade cards , each one a special creation by itself. Hats off to the entire group of Class XII students and the teachers who have supported them! Amazing thought process and creativity of these children! Seeking His blessings on this occasion, these cards were sent to Guruji.



Birthday Card for Guruji made by SUPW teacher, Smt. SapnaKumari



Birthday Card for Guruji made by Class XII students

Students from Class I to Class XII performed the Paduka Puja in their respective classrooms.







Children from the primary and secondary sections doing paduka puja on the occasion of Guruji's birthday

Students of Class X C and Class X D performed the puja at the main alter, with Swami Saakshiroopanandaji guiding all the children in performing the Puja. Students of Class IV and Class VII rendered bhajans during the puja. Flower petals offered during the puja were later arranged in a beautiful rangoli by primary teachers near the main alter.





Paduka Puja performed by students of Class XC and XD. Bhajans rendered by students of Class IV and Class VII



Floral Rangoli by primary teachers after the collection of "puja offered flowers" from all the classes

Classroom Activities:

Sandwich Making by students of Class II.

Class II students prepared some mouthwatering, yummy snacks as part of their EVS activity. Healthy in all ways, veggies and whole wheat bread with more of the required ingredients (chutneys, chat masala, salt etc) were brought to the Vidyalaya, and the first floor was abuzz with the aroma of sandwiches.



Animal character enaction:

As part of the Math activity, the chapter of "Ordinals" was taught in the form of animal character enaction. Students of Class II thoroughly enjoyed this activity. This method of teaching ensures that every child has learnt his/her basic concepts.



Number Learning with the help of Flash Cards:

Order of the math numbers in Class I were learnt with the help of games and flash cards. The children pitched in to find out the before and after numbers, as the maths teachers called out a number.



Puppet Show by students of Class VIII:

The lesson of "The Ant and the cricket" was explained and later demonstrated by the students of Class VIII in the form of a puppet show. Children came well prepared and had tremendous fun doing this activity.



Kindergarten Section:

Kindergarten teachers have done their best projecting a very welcoming environment for their little LKG and UKG students. Each of these classes were themed very differently, but again, each was one of its kind!

Board Decorations:







Little 4 year old LKG children settled down in their classrooms with their respective teachers. They are participating in all activities, cutting, gluing, colouring, playing around, and enjoying school.



International Day of Yoga was celebrated by our tiny tots in the Sishu Vihar Wing by performing a few yogasanas.



Activities in the Kindergarten this month also included a puppet show, a rainy day, enaction of the story of "Clever Fox "and "Red" colour theme for the entire classroom

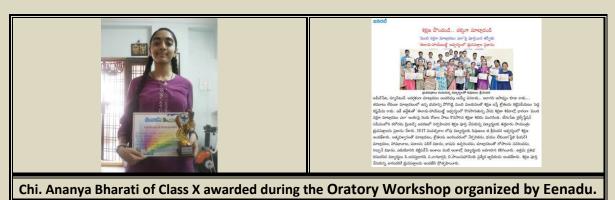




Other awards and Laurels:

Five of our Vidyalaya students, Chi. Khushi Jalan, Chi.Prashant Chavan, Chi. Akash Dakoor, Chi. Vaishakh Menon and Chi. Samskrutipriya qualified in the prestigeous IIT- Mains examination held in April 2017. Of these, Chi. Akash Dakoor also qualified in the IIT-Advanced examination. Congratulations to all these students.

Chi. Ananya Bharati of Class X participated in Children Oratory Workshop conducted by "Eenadu Hai Bujji" on the $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$ and $\mathbf{2}^{\text{nd}}$ of June at Begumpet, Hyderabad. She stood first place in the spontaneous extempore competition held by them. The workshop was guided and the competitions judged by educationalist, Smt. G. SriChandana.



Chi. Oorja Nadkarni of Class VII participated in Annamacharya Keerthanalu Singing Competition organized by "Aahlada"- an organization with the mission to promote the benefits of being competitive in life and society. This was held on the 17th and 18th of June 2017 at Balanagar. Chi. Oorja was one of the youngest participants in that group. She was awarded a certificate and a trophy.

Chi. Hasini of Class VI participated in a few dance drama programmes in the months of April and May. In the last week of April, she has performed a group dance at Mahankali Temple, based on

Mahishasuramardhini stotram, in which she played the role of the Mother Goddess. On May 10th, the same group performed at a temple in Sanathnagar, in which Chi. Hasini played the role of Vakula Mata, as part of the dance drama on "Srinivasa Vaibhavam". Chi. Hasini also played the role of Bhasmasura in the dance drama "Mohini Bhasmasura" along with the same group of children. These dance dramas were highly appreciated by the audience. All these were conducted by the Narthanasala dance academy, Sanathnagar.



Chi. Hasini of Class vi participating in dance dramas

Chi. Shravan of Class VII participated in the Under-13 Badminton Championship organized by Shuttlers Badminton Academy on the 10^{th} and 11^{th} of May 2017 at Banjara Hills, Hyderabad. He was presented with a trophy and a racket.

Chi. Chakrika Raj of Class III won the IInd prize in the Lawn Tennis Junior Championship held at GHMC Tennis Playgrounds, KPHB Colony, in April 2017 in the Under-8 Girls Category.



Chi. Girish of Class IX participated in the "World Music Day "celebrations at Musee Musical institute in Hyderabad on the 18th of June. He played the drums.

Chi. Dinesh of Class XII Science has been selected to play cricket for Hyderabad Team for IJPLT20 (Indian Junior Players League- T-20 tournament) after a selection process held at Hyderabad in Nov 2016. We wish good luck for his further sports endavours.



Chi Shravan of Class VII participated in the Hyderabad District Badminton Championship- 2017 (HDBA) held at KVBR Indoor Stadium, Yousufguda from the 25th to 28th of June 2017. He was presented with a trophy and a certificate.

Chi. Nikhil of Class VIII participated in an open chess competition conducted by the Mahavir Institute from the 22nd to the 27th of April 2017. He won a certificate, trophy and cash prize. Chi. Nikhil also participated in another open chess competition conducted at Bangalore from the 27th of April to the 1st of May 2017. This was organized by the Bangalore Rural District Chess Association. He was awarded a certificate and cash prize. They also had the competitions category wise, and he stood 4th in his category. Chi. Nikhil stood 9th position at state level in another chess competition, at Nacharam, Hyderabad. From the 16th to 21st of May 2017, Telangana State Chess Association held an Open Chess Tournament, in which Chi. Nikhil participated and won a certificate and cash prize.

Chi. AnanyaBharati of Class X participated in a dance competition during the inauguration of GSA World Divine Congress 2017 and Presentation of GSA Outstanding Citizen awards on 23rd June 2017 at Shilpakala Vedika Auditorium , Madhapur, Hyderabad. This programme was organized by (NRI Seva Foundation , Telangana Tourism- Govt of Telangana, TANA, Indian Medical Association and Hyderabad City branch Connect Here 4 Info Services) and was to be inaugurated by the Honorable President of India, Shri. Pranab Mukherjee .

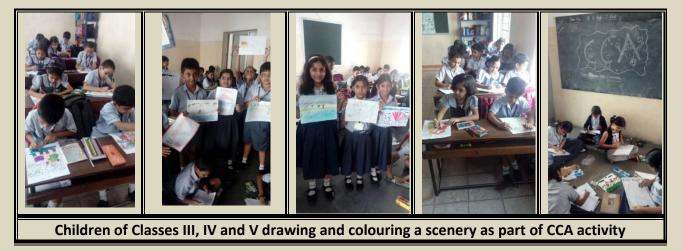


CCA Competitions:

CCA Competitions were held for primary classes and secondary classes on Fridays and Saturdays respectively. These are activities conducted as per the festivals and events occurring in that particular month.

Primary				
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1.	16 th June 2017	I to III	Colouring Competition	
			Drawing & Colouring Competition for the topic "Scenery of a Rainy Day"	





Primary				
S. No Date Of Event Cla		Classes	Activity	
2.	23rd June 2017	I & II	Sticking green bindis/stickers/kundans on the picture of a tree	
		III & IV	Preparing a photo frame	
		V	Preparation of pen stand	













Children of Class V making a penstand as part of CCA







First Prize winners from Classes I to V for the CCA activity of Colouring and scenery drawing

Secondary				
S. No	Date Of Event	Classes	Activity	
1.	17 th June 2017	VI	Poster Making on "Logo of International Yoga Day"	
		VII and VIII	Poster Making on "Swachh Bharat"	







Poster Making on "Logo of International Yoga Day" by Students of Class VI as part of CCA







Secondary

S. No Date Of Event Classes Activity

2. 24th June 2017 VI, VII and Freparation of Greeting card for Guruji's birthday.







Secondary
S. No Date Of Event Classes Activity

1. 24th June 2017 IX Creative Handwriting

X



Written Quiz on "Gurudev-

my icon"

Senior Secondary			
S. No	Date Of Event	Classes	Activity
1.	June 2017	XI and XII	Poster Making on
			"International Day of Yoga"
2	June 2017	XI	Essay Writing on "Success is
			in the mind"
		XII	Essay Writing on "Being
			Humane is more important
			than being a Human Being"



Until Our Next Issue : Keep Smiling ***** HARI OM*****