



HOLY FAMILY CONVENT
JAFFNA

PRIZE DAY

10TH JULY 1981

Rt. Rev. Dr. B. Deogupillai
(Bishop of Jaffna)

WILL PRESIDE

Prof. K. Indrapala
(Prof. in History, University of Jaffna)

WILL BE THE CHIEF GUEST

Mrs. Indrapala

WILL DISTRIBUTE THE PRIZES.



1. Invocatory Hymn
2. Principal's Report
3. Address by the Chief Guest
4. Distribution of Prizes

ENTERTAINMENT

1. Welcome Song — Primary
2. Welsh Dance — Upper School
3. Selected Numbers — By School Band
4. Percussion Band
5. Ballet — "Seetha Paranam"
6. Vote of Thanks — Head Girl

SCHOOL SONG

NATIONAL ANTHEM

} School Band

Principal's Prize-Day Report-1979—1980

**YOUR LORDSHIP,
PROFESSOR INDRAPALA,
MRS. INDRAPALA,
MR. SIVANATHAN D.E/N.R.
REV. FATHERS,
REV. SISTERS,
PARENTS AND WELL WISHERS.**

WELCOME

It gives me great pleasure to present to you the Prize Day report for the years '79-80'. Prize days we believe encourage parents, teachers and pupils in no small way, and are therefore a welcome event. They help us assess our achievements, take stock of our weaknesses, and review our progress. Before I present my report, let me say how glad I am to welcome you all to this function this evening.

My Lordship, your presence is always an encouragement & a support and brings us a feeling of paternal warmth. While extending a filial welcome to you My Lord, we offer you our prayerful gratitude for your caring and sharing with us at all times.

We are greatly honoured to welcome today as our Chief Guest a person of the calibre of Professor Indrapala. His recent appointment as Director of the Evelyn Rutnam Institute for Inter-Cultural Studies is a fitting endorsement of his many accomplishments. As Professor of History he is well known for his enrichment of the subject, his dedication to research & learning, his contributions to journals of repute, and for his total involvement in the cause of education. Cultured and refined, simple in manner, humble in achievement, he is a model to be emulated by the young. We recollect with pleasure

his course on "Culture & Heritage" which History teachers on our staff including myself had the privilege of following a few years ago. We were completely captivated by his brilliant & elegant presentation of the subject. We are also happy to recount here, Professor Indrapala, that history was one of the favourite subjects in our school, in the days before the mass exodus for Science had begun. In those days our school often hit the enviable water mark of 100% success in the subject at the University Entrance Examination.

To you Mrs. Indrapala, we extend a very warm welcome. It has been observed in the course of history that behind every great man stands a woman, who is largely responsible for his greatness. Mrs. Indrapala is sure proof of this fact. She enhances the stipulation further by her prettiness and charm. We thank you Mrs. Indrapala for accepting our invitation and graciously consenting to give away the prizes.

To our D. E. Mr. Sivanathan we extend a loyal & special welcome. His impartiality in the execution of educational policy has contributed largely to the streamlined administration of our region on democratic lines. We owe him and his officers a debt of gratitude for being so liberal in sanctioning the estimate for our new Science Block and new water-tank. Thanks to his generosity and to the untiring efforts of our M. P. Mr. Yogeswaran our problem of accommodation has been considerably eased. Our new Science building is a living testimony to the concern of the Educational authorities towards this most pressing problem.

EDUCATIONAL PROBLEMS

In surveying the educational scene certain trends demand our undivided attention. I shall deal with them briefly, and separately. First, the private tuition menace. It is an evil that has assumed the nature of a compulsive obsession in the A. L. classes. Students in general are so caught in its tentacles that consequent absenteeism is a common feature in A. L. classes. Private tuition promises overnight success but ends frequently in disillusionment & failure. Records prove that absentees have habitually failed to secure pass marks at term exams. I have nothing against private tuition when it serves as a crutch for a weak student but deplore it as a habit that has enslaved the present generation, a practice that thwarts the very ideals of education. I appeal to parents to see the futility of private tuition before it is too late.

A serious tendency to be taken note of, is the deterioration of moral values among the young. We observe that the young have scant regard for time-honoured virtues such as uprightness, moral courage, respect for authority and sense of responsibility. While we uphold the fact that the school plays a major role in inculcating moral values, we emphatically state that parents must not shirk their responsibilities in this sphere. This is particularly true during the critical years of adolescence as in the formative years of childhood. You will appreciate the fact that unwieldy numbers in classes make it well nigh impossible for the teacher to pay individual attention to every student. Many a tragic situation could be averted by the vigilance of watchful parents during after-school hours.

Another area where parents could guide their children wisely is in their choice of subjects in the A.L. classes. Some pressurise their offspring to follow courses

for which pupils have no aptitude at all. This imposes an impossible burden on the student and brings frustration & failure in its wake. Disillusioned & unable to attain the required standards, pupils resort to deception, even altering marks in report cards. Parental whims, popular appeal, & status value are not the criteria for choice of subjects. A square peg in a round hole never enriched an individual or society!

Yet another disconcerting feature is frequent absenteeism from school. We know that sporadic attendance hinders progress and has an adverse cumulative effect on a pupil. It prevents systematic work and develops into an insidious habit. I appeal to parents not to allow their children to absent themselves from school for the flimsiest reason. Let me remind them that their children's education is a joint venture. The out-come would be more rewarding if the lines of communication were kept open between parents and teachers. I ardently solicit their cooperation.

OUR STAFF

Our staff has under-gone many changes during the past two years. Quite a number of our teachers retired from service. Others went on transfer & new ones took their place. Among those who retired, I wish to refer in particular to Mrs. Margaret Saverimnthu (B.A.Lon. Ist Div) a loyal old grl & devoted teacher. Our school has lost an efficient disciplinarian and teacher who served the school for 44 yrs of unbroken service. She was one of the corner-stones of the Institution and many a member of our present staff was taught & moulded by her. Our thanks to her for her loyal service. Also in the list of retired teachers are:

Mrs. Yogam Marampillai (Tamil trained)
Mrs. Lily Thurairatnam (Tamil trained)

In the list of those transferred were the following:-Sr. Alphonse Mary (Gen.Trd) Sr. Bonaventure (Gen. Trd&B. A. Ceylon.) Mrs. K. Navaratnasingham (Com. Sp. Trd.) Mrs. R. Antonipillai (Art & Craft Trd.) Miss. F. Pragasam (Tamil. Trd.) Mrs. T. Sivagunam (B. A. Ceylon.) Miss. J. Thiruchelvam (Gen. Trd & B.A. Ceylon.) Sr. M. Lina (Eng. Sp. Trd., B. A (Cey) Sr. M. Christabel (Maths Sp. Trd.)

Sr. M. Sophia (Gen. Sc. Sp. Trd.) Mrs. M. A. A. Rajeswaran (B. Sc. Ceylon,) and Mrs. K. Vasudevan (B. A. Ceylon) left us to go abroad. We wish them success in their new places of work.

We welcome the following to our staff. Mrs. C. Berchmanus (Tamil Trd.) Mrs. M. Ariyaratnam B. Sc.(Mad), Miss. Y. Vinnasithamby B. Sc. (Mad), Mrs. T. Jeyaparagasam B. A. (Cey), Mrs. S. Annamalai B. Sc. (Cey), Mrs. S. Umamaheswaranpillai B. A. (Cey) Mrs. J. Thambipillai B.A. (Cey), Sr. Laura B. A. (Cey), Sr. Lily Rita (Eng. Sp. Trd., Tam. Trd.,) Sr. Maria Goretti (Tam. Trd.)

We record with deep sorrow the death of Mrs. K. Vithiananthan (B. A. Cey, Dip-in Ed. Ceylon) wife of the Vice chancellor of the Jaffna Campus and member of our staff. She was an asset to our school and endeared herself to both teachers and pupils alike by her simple winning ways. Our sympathies to the bereaved family.

We also record the untimely death of our Lab Assistant M. Joseph who served us faithfully for 40 years. He proved himself a devoted and willing worker. He died in harness.. May he rest in peace.

EXAM RESULTS

The following students entered the University during the period 79-80.

Faculty of Medicine.

Miss Malathy Sithamparanathan

Miss Rubini Phillipupillai.
.. Sahayabama Emmanuel
.. Srisala Navaratnam
.. Marie Mathews.
.. Emelda Antonipillai
.. Puspallata Mariadas.

Dental

Miss. Doreen Cathiresoo
.. Moira Pillaynayagam.

Bio Science

Miss. Deepa David.
.. Anne Devanayagam.
.. Priscilla Johnpillai.

Arts

Miss Chrysanthi Phillips.
.. Shanthakumari Perinpanayagam.
.. Arlene Arulanantham.
.. Thusnevis Mariampillai.
.. Jeya Xavier.
.. Isabella Thurairajah
.. Sumathy Marianayagam.

Agriculture

Miss. Nimal Jesuthasan.

The following gained admission to the School of Fine Arts:

Miss. Jasmine Sinnadurai(Dip-in-Music)
.. Devika Lazarus (Dip-in-Music)
.. Anne Esme Galasion (Dancing)

The best results at G. C. E. O/L Exam 1979 was obtained by Miss. Perpetua Forman with eight Distinctions. At the A. L. exam 79 Marie Mathews topped the list with one A, two B, & one C.

The best results at the G. C. E. O/L 1980 was that of Miss. Sobodini Sabanathan who obtained Six Distinctions. At the G. C. E. A L exam 1980 Miss. Girija Antonipillai obtained two Bs and two Cs

EXAMINATION RESULTS (GENERAL)**A. L 1979 August (Science)**

Total sat	—	28
Passed in 4 subjects	—	8

Maths

Total Sat	—	8
Passed in 4 subjects	—	5

A L August 1979 (Commerce)

Total Sat	—	16
Passed in 4 subjects	—	6

1980 (A. L) Results**Science**

Total Sat	—	75
Passed in 4 subjects	—	27

Arts

Total Sa	—	67
Passed in 4 subjects	—	17

G. C. E. (O. L- Results 1979

No Sat	—	155
No qualified for Science	—	48
Arts	—	27
Home. Sc	—	23

G. C. E. (O. L) Results 1980

No Sat	—	116
No qualified for Science	—	67
Arts	—	30
Home. Sc	—	12

Grade 5 Scholarship Exam

No. of pupils selected	—	7
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Diocesan Catechetical Exam

N. of pupils who won Certificate of Merit	—	152
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SPORTS

We believe that sports play an integral part in personality development and foster physical and mental alertness. The important thing to learn in games is how to play the game regardless of whether we win or not, just as in life it is the struggle & not the victory that counts.

We hold a proud record of success in sports for the period. We were Northern Province Netball Champions in all three

divisions, (Senior, Inter, & Junior) and also Senior & Inter champions in the Departmental Netball matches held in 1980. We won the Northern Province Championship cup. & the Silver Medal for being All-island runners-up in the A. G. A Division Matches as well.

In 1979 we emerged Basket-ball champions in all 3 divisions (Senior, Inter, & Junior). We were equally successful in the Throw-ball & Volley-ball finals. Our Annual Athletics Day evokes much interest & enthusiasm and Mr. Ramnuthugala S. P and Mr. P. Mahendran D. I. G Police, the Chief Guests for the respective years were impressed by the high standard of our performance.

ENGLISH DAY

In spite of several hindering factors mostly of an environmental nature that stand in the way of the successful teaching of English, it continues to hold pride of place as a subject in our curriculum. We are glad that the importance of this world-language is now acknowledged without reserve, and that more and more pupils are keen on mastering it. Last year English Day was celebrated with a variety of items and was graced by Miss. P. Navaratnasingham Education Officer as Chief Guest. She was highly taken up by the standards attained by the students and congratulated the teachers and students. Speech items of the 1st Prize winners found a place in the programme. Scenes from "Taming of the Shrew" were enacted by the Collegiate Section. The Primary pupils staged the playlet "The Shoe-maker and the Elves" while the middle school acted "The Sleeping Beauty". Classroom activities include English singing, poetry recitation, and Elocution. Two of our pupils Miss Dharshini Balaratnam & Miss Shomini Arupathantham were the proud

winners of the 1st & 2nd places respectively in the District English Speech contest for girls held by the Education Dept. on the theme "National Intergration & Unity". Several of our students also won certificates of merit in the "Speech- Rhyme- Project" conducted by the Palay Teachers' Training College. "More and better English is our goal and we are happy to say that more students now offer English as a subject at the A.L Exam.

TAMIL DAY

Tamil being the Mother Tongue of our pupils is the vehicle of creativity & originality through language. As such it gives scope for a deal of literary and cultural activity. Tamil Day is celebrated annually with much enthusiasm. Dance, drama and Art contests highlight the days activities. Last year Professor Shanmugathas of the Jaffna Campus was th Chief Guest at our Tamil day Celebrations. Tamil culture was depicted in dress and decor. Two dramas "Meenachi Kalyanam" and "Senkola Eluthaniya ?" won plaudits. The Tamil Mantram, a literary society of student - members organises activities such as talks & debates at inter school level. We are proud to report that our Intemediate Bharatha Natya Item won the first prize in the All-Island Dance Competition.

SPIRITUAL ACTIVITIES

We believe that man's perfection lies in his spiritual development as much as in other spheres of his growth. Although the modern world tends to deify science and technology we can-not deny that spiritual fulfilment is the pinnacle of all progress. "God is not dead", as they would have us believe. We pursue the ideal that real education and Man's fulfilment cannot be realised without a spiritual base. Moulding God-centered

youth thus becomes our primary aim. Morning assemblies commence with invocatory prayers and hymns. Annual Retreats are organised for teachers and pupils; while the Legion of Mary, a lay-apostolate group trains our pupils in social and religious work. Important School events are celebrated with religious ceremonies and pupils visit churches and temples to participate in religious festivals.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

THE A. L UNION now comprises of grade 12 pupils of the Science, Arts and Commerce streams. Its activities range from inter-School debates, mock U.N.O. Sessions, and talks by distinguished speakers to annual socials and dinners. Last year the Union met a group of University students from Peradeniya at a debate titled "Will spiritual or Economic Uplift solve the problems of modern man?" Another noteworthy activity was a seminar which our pupils attended at Kaithaddy on "Leadership and problem solving techniques."

HOUSE AND PREFECT-SYSTEM

The four houses Evangelist, Loyola, Louise and Sebastian continue to cater to the needs of our pupils for team spirit, and healthy rivalry. Inter-House tournaments and contests are a regular feature. In 1979 Sebastian House emerged Champions while Loyola House were runners up. 1980 saw Sebastian House win the first place again with Evangelist House as runners up. We congratulate the winners. The Head-girl, School Prefects and House Prefects are nominated and elected by the staff and A. L. Students. Prefects meet regularly to discuss and solve problems pertaining to discipline and order. They also meet prefects from neighbouring schools to cover common interests.

GIRL-GUIDES and LITTLE FRIENDS

We lost an energetic and dynamic leader when Sr. Sophia left us to go abroad for higher studies.

The Girl-Guide Association formed in 1975 has a flourishing membership of 100. It functions in two groups (Senior and Junior) under the leadership of Mrs. J. M. P. Sathaseevan. Camps are organised regularly and members participate in social service projects and functions in and outside school.

The Little Friends movement functions under the leadership of Mrs. Sothy Rajasingham and has a membership of 25. A new group of 36 little friends was formed, and members were enrolled by the District Commissioner. They too have taken part in social service and done their bit in out-door activities. We are happy to say that Miss. Chrisanthi Thambirajah a little friend won the first place in the speech contest conducted in the Northern Province.

SCHOOL BAND

Our School band consists of a senior and a junior group of musicians. The Senior and Junior group secured first and second places respectively in the contest conducted by the Y M. C. A. Our band was also called upon to play at the welcome accorded to the Minister of Lands, Land Development and Mahaweli Development Mr. Gamini Dissanayake when he visited Jaffna. Our congratulations to Miss. Shamini Atputhanathan a member of our senior group for winning the first place in the Instrumental Western Music contest conducted by the Education Department, Jaffna and second place at the All Island Contest.

EXCURSIONS

Education being no longer confined to the walls of the classroom, excursions and field trips punctuate school activities. Early last year our A. L. commerce students were taken on an excursion to Colombo covering places of interest in the Free-Trade-Zone and places such as the Ekela Industries Centre, the Ceramics factory at Piliyandhala & the S. L. B. C. The Science students visited Kandy covering Sigiriya, Dambulla, Polgola and neighbouring places of interest. Closer home they visited the Paranthan Chemicals factory and Salterns at Elephant Pass and did field work at Keerimalai and K. K. S.

Not to be out done the Primary pupils did short trips to the Yarl Metal Works Centre, the Soap factory at Vannarponnai, the pottery centre at Chankanai Senthankulam beach and the cement factory K. K. S.

QUIZ DEBATES AND SEMINARS

To diversify the channels of education and make it community-related efforts are made to provide talks and Seminar-discussions. Dr. Victor Benjamin Professor of Surgery, Jaffna Campus, addressed the A. L. Students and Staff on "Cancer in Women", Mr. Mahesan, Principal Sanmarka Vidyalayam spoke on "Population and Development," to the Commerce students. Mr. Balasubramaniam President Rotary Club Jaffna, gave a talk on the U. N. O. to students of Gr. 10 upwards. A "Yogasana" Demonstration and talk by Mr. A. Kanagarajah was greatly appreciated by the whole school. Our A. L. Science students participated regularly in Seminars organised by the Chief Education Officers of Science at Thondamanaru. They also took part in a Science quiz at St. John's College and in a debate titled:

"Should Christians involve themselves in Social problems?" organised by the same College.

Mr. N. Perinpanathan, Lecturer, Jaffna Campus enlightened our commerce students on: "Economic growth and Development" while a religious sister from South East Asia Rev. Sis. Gladys D' Souza rscj spoke to the girls on "Education to Reality", acquainting them with the broader perspectives of Education with special reference to South East Asian countries.

Permit me to digress. We have just received a small publication from U. K. giving us news of the Sri Lanka Holy Family Association (U. K. Group). The Brochure published by the Association has among its contribution a poem by Sr. Josephine Tynan titled "The Tamarind Tree". The author is none other than Mother Josephine, a former Principal of our School, and the Tree is the one that still stands in our school compound. The poem epitomizes the deep love that our foreign missionaries had for our country and our school. We are printing it at the end of this report, not only as a tribute to a predecessor but also as an example of loyalty at its best. We are proud to note that our pupils in London are helping to keep the home fires burning under foreign climes, and in distant places. Old pupils like Mr. Angelo Rajakariar, Dr. A. E. A. Joseph, Dr. (Mrs). Theresa Joseph, Dr. Mrs. Saratha Subramaniam, Mr. Anton Thambirajah and Mrs. Rita Sandrasegaram—all office bearers of the Association in U. K. keep the familial flag flying in the United Kingdom. May their tribe increase!

NEWS OF OLD GIRLS

I am happy to report the achievements of the following Old Girls for the period 79-80 and congratulate them on their

success. I know this list is not a comprehensive one, but it is so mostly because we've not been able to contact all of them. I take this opportunity to kindly request Old Girls to keep in touch with their Alma Mater as far as possible.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Miss Lilian Agnes Annasampillai has been appointed J. P. for the Judicial District of Jaffna.

Miss Marian Arulanantham has obtained her Degree in Chemical Engineering at the University of Salford U. K. with Second Class Honours.

Miss M. J. Bernarda Arulanantham has passed her second M.B.B.S. Exam (Cey) in the First Class obtaining distinctions in all three subjects—Anatomy, Physiology and Bio-Chemistry.

Miss Kalamathy Wijeyaratnam has completed the Postgraduate Diploma in Dancing at the Adaiyar College of Music and Dancing, Madras.

The following have obtained their M. B. B. S

Dr. Mrs. Sybilla Kumar presently at Zambia
 .. Miss Iruthayamalar Jacob
 .. Mrs. Karthigesu (presently at U. K.)
 .. Mrs. Mariampillai (presently at U. K.)
 .. Miss Davaki Coomarasamy
 .. Mrs. Florence Rasiah
 .. Miss Sophia Lazarus
 .. Miss Yogeswari Paramsothy
 .. Miss Vijayaledchumi Paramsothy
 .. Mrs. Rita Segarajasinghe is presently on a W. H. O. Scholarship in U. K.

Dr. Mrs. Theresa Christian has specialised in Paediatrics in U. K.

The following have qualified as accountants:

Miss Shanthi Joseph Parquet Ceylon Ltd. Colombo.

Miss Angeline Manuepillai C. W. E. Colombo.

Mrs. Clotilda Sivakumar C. V. Bhatt Ltd.
Colombo.
Miss Anne Joseph B. Sc (Cey) Siedles Ltd.
Colombo.
Mrs. Delecta Martyn (presently in Canada)
Miss Fatima Ratnasingam presently in U. K.

The following qualified as Attorney-at-Law

Miss. Manorani Sebaratnam
,, Logawathi Ponnukone
,, Mallika Joseph
,, Sushila Naganathan
,, Annarani Manuelpillai

The following are attached to the University Staff.

Mrs. Bawani Thirunavukarasu (Jaffna)
Miss Annette Selladurai (Jaffna)
,, Annetta Antonypillai (Peradeniya)
,, Grace Singarayer (Peradeniya)

Appointments:

Miss Pathmini Ponnudurai Draughtsman,
Dept. of Highways, Colombo.
Miss Antonine Michaelpillai Sports Officer
Jaffna.
Miss Kamalini Selvalingam B. Sc Palmyrah
Development Board, Jaffna.
Miss Maria Forman Tour Assistant, Brown
Tours, Colombo.
Miss Philomena Stanislaus Instructress in
Agriculture, Mirusuvil.
Miss Chrysanthi Emmanuel Confidential
Secretary U. N. O Geneva.
Miss Jacintha Arulappu Marketing Dept.
Colombo.
Miss Juanita Antonypillai Acting Medical
Practitioner Jaffna.

The following joined the Banking Service:

Bank of Ceylon

Miss Pathmini Thurairaja
,, Nalayini Joseph

Miss Clare Arulappu
,, Crescentia Alexander
,, Nicholene Saminathan
Mrs. Edna Chelvanayagam

Peoples' Bank

Mrs. Magdalene Josiah
Mrs. Noela Rahulan
Miss Jeyaseeli Velichore
,, Mercy Joseph
,, Bernadette Gnanapragasam
,, Nalayini Chandrabala

Hatton National Bank

Miss Reenie Antonypillai

Grindlay's Bank

Miss Bernadine Sebaratnam

The following joined the Clerical Staff Jaffna Kachcheri

Miss Freda Sebaratnam
,, Rajini Arulnayagam
,, Nirmala Pius
,, Josephine Arulappu

CONCLUSION.

Let me thank you once again for
your kind presence here this evening.

Occasions such as this, serve to bring
the school closer to the community, and
vice-versa They strengthen the links
between parents, teachers and pupils, and
keep us acquainted with common needs and
aspiration. For our part we assure you
that we will try to preserve and maintain
the rich traditions and high ideals that this
institution has been noted for, down the
years.

God bless you all.

Sister Antony Joseph,
Principal.



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Mr. K. Nadesan.
Mrs. S. Jesuthasan.
Miss Selvamagal Christopher.
Mrs. V. Nicholas.
Mr. A. Ponniah.
Mrs, S, Nicholas
Mrs. R. Arulanandam
Mrs. S. Kandasamy



PRIZE WINNERS - 1981

PRIMARY SCHOOL

L. Kg A

General Proficiency;

- 1 Surejini Sylvester
- 2 Linda Loraine Joseph

L. Kg. B

General Proficiency;

- 1 Veena Manoharan
- 2 Shamala Kanagasabai

U. Kg. A

General Proficiency;

- 1 Dhushyanthi Pathmanathan
- 2 Chrstine Emmanuel

U. Kg. B

General Proficiency;

- 1 Shivonne Antonipillai
- 2 Slosanna Poopalasingham

GRADE II A

General Proficiency;

- 1 Suganthi Theivendrarahah
- 2 Narmatha Kankeyan

GRADE II B

General Proficiency;

- 1 Judea Joyce Henry
- 2 Shobanna Anandarajah

GRADE II

Arithmetic

- 1 Kohila Sripathy

Tamil

- 1 Jeyajanani Kandasamy

GRADE III A

General Proficiency;

- 1 Sharmilla Aneez
- 2 Saira Thanabalasingam

GRADE III B

General Proficiency;

- 1 Janzia Kaleel
- 2 Mary Judith Nicholapillai

GRADE III

Religious Knowledge

- 1 Yoga Cherin Gnanadas
- 2 Mary Judith Nicholapillai

Arithmetic

- 1 Dhushyanthi Mylvaganam
- 2 Yoga Cherin Gnanadas

Tamil

- 1 Jasmine Fredrick
- 2 Christa Jovita Jesudasan

English Language

- 1 Jansia Mohamed Kaleel
- 2 Sharmilja Aneez

English Spelling:

- 1 Saira Thanabalasingham
- 2 Anjula Nicholapillai

English Hand Writing:

- 1 Anjula Nicholapillai
- 2 Krisha Jesuthasan

Environmental Studies:

- 1 Irene Tharani Arulanandam
- 2 Tharani Maheswaralingam

GRADE IV A

General Proficiency;

- 1 Kirupa Rasavallavan
- 2 Jenette Swinitha Xavier

GRADE IV B

General Proficiency;

- 1 Thulasi Thirugnanasampanthar
- 2 Swarna Leo Edirmanasinghe

GRADE IV*Religious Knowledge:*

- 1 Sherine Nilanthi Abraham & Jenette Swintha Xavier
- 2 Swarna Leo Edirmanasinghe

Arithmetic:

- 1 Thulasi Thirugnanasampanthar
- 2 Sherine Nilanthi Abraham

Tamil:

- 1 Maureen Juliet Francis
- 2 Thulasi Thirugnanasampanthar

English Language:

- 1 Swarna Leo Edirmanasinghe
- 2 Kausalya Pooranachandran

English Spelling

- 1 Sherine Nilanthi Abraham
- 2 Chryshanthi Thambirajah

English Hand Writing:

- 1 Meera Rajaratnam I
- 2 Marina Piriayatharshini Isidore

Hinduism:

- 1 Gangatharshini Kanagaratnam

Environmental Studies:

- 1 Kirupa Rasavallavan
- 2 Thulasi Thirugnanasampanthar

GRADE V A*General Proficiency:*

- 1 Niromi Sherina Thambynayagam
- 2 Annette Selvini Christopher

GRADE V B*General Proficiency:*

- 1 Caroline Sumathy Rajasingham
- 2 Subitha Sritharan

GRADE V*Religious Knowledge:*

- 1 Annette Selvini Christopher
- 2 Caroline Sumathy Rajasingham

Arithmetic:

- 1 Subitha Sritharan
- 2 Amirthasiri Gopalasingam

Tamil:

- 1 Nilanee Sundaralingam
- 2 Annette Selvini Christopher

English Language:

- 1 Niromi Sherina Thambynayagam
- 2 Antonette Judyliya Muthiya

English Spelling:

- 1 Caroline Sumathy Rajasingham
- 2 Subashini Anandarajah

English Hand Writing:

- 1 Nilanee Sundaralingam
- 2 Shirani Christopher

Hinduism:

- 1 Arulmoli Tharmalingam

Environmental Studies:

- 1 Caroline Sumathy Rajasingham
- 2 Subashini Anandarajah

MIDDLE SCHOOL**GRADE VI***General Proficiency:*

- VI - 1 Lettitia Soosaipillai
- VI - 11 Amala Arulanandam
- VI - 111 Loretta Nithyananthi Labre

*Religious Knowledge:**Christianity R. C.*

- 1 Lettitia Soosaipillai
- 2 Judette Mariampillai
- 2 Loretta Nithyananthi Labre

Hinduism:

- 1 Vasanthanayaki Balasingam
- 2 Subashine Balasubramaniam

Tamil:

- 1 Lettitia Soosaipillai
- 2 Ranjithakala Rajanayagam

English:

- 1 Amala Arulanandam
- 2 Ahila Pooranachandran

Mathematics:

- 1 Lettitia Soosaipillai
- 2 Delusha Philip Neri

Science:

- 1 Lettitia Soosaipillai
- 2 Loretta Nithyananthi Labre

Social Studies:

- 1 Loretta Nithyananthi Labre
- 2 Ranjithakala Rajanayagam

Home Science

- 1 Amala Arulanandam
- 2 Logini Shanmugarajah

Needle Work:

- 1 Evelyn Antonipillai
- 2 Sasikala Sivasubramaniam

Art:

- 1 Joyce Rosita Pragasam
- 2 Shobanna Mariathas

Music:

- 1 Lettitia Soosaipillai
- 2 Ranjithakala Rajanayagam
- 2 Duwaraka Mylvaganam

Dance:

- 1 Karthiya Pathmanathan
- 2 Subashini Balasubramaniam

GRADE VII*General Proficiency:*

- VII - 1 Shakila Ferdinand
 VII - 11 Judine Theophilus
 VII - 111 Emerentia John

*Religious Knowledge:**Christianity R. C.*

- 1 Emerentia John
- 2 Tharshini Thambypillai

Christianity Non R. C.

- 1 Shirani Rajasenan
- 2 Ruth Alexander

Hinduism:

- 1 Chithra Seevaratnam
- 2 Sumithra Logendran

Tamil:

- 1 Emerentia John
- 2 Jeyarajini Jeyarajasingham x
- 3 Kausala Sangaralingam

English:

- 1 Shirani Rajasenan
- 2 Rathanika Antonipillai

Mathematics:

- 1 Jeyarajini Jeyarajasingham
- 2 Judine Theophilus

Science:

- 1 Judine Theophilus
- 2 Jeyarajini Jeyarajasingham

Social Studies:

- 1 Judine Theopeilus
- 2 Kausalya Sangaralingam

Home Science:

- 1 Emerentia John
- 2 Shakila Ferdinand

Craft:

- 1 Joyrose Marcelline
- 2 Sutharshini Murugesu

Needle-Work:

- 1 Judine Theophilus
- 2 Jeyarajini Jeyarajasingam

Art:

- 1 Judine Theophilus
- 2 Chithra Seevaratnam

Music:

- 1 Shantha Thirugnanasampanthan
- 2 Indiraneeth Muthuthamby

Dance:

- 1 Caroline Vijitha Rajanayagam
- 2 Emma Vethanayagam

GRADE VIII*General Proficiency:*

- VIII 1 Mythili Thirunavukarasu
 VIII 11 Anusha Mather
 VIII 111 Thirumahal Gurunathan

*Religious Knowledge:**Christianity R. C.*

- 1 Baladevi Kandasamy
- 2 Marina Alice Joseph

Christianity Non R. C.

- 1 Rowena Sabaratnam
- 2 Anusha Mather

Hinduism:

- 1 Mythili Thirunavukarasu
- 2 Malini Mahalingasivam

Tamil:

- 1 Malini Mahalingasivam
- 2 Mythili Thirunavukarasu

English:

- 1 Sharmini Pararajasingham
- 2 Mythili Thirunavukarasu

Mathematics:

- 1 Pushpageetha Mariathan
- 2 Chryshanthi Abraham

Science:

- 1 Rohini Navaratnam
- 2 Malini Mahalingasivam

Social Studies:

- 1 Koshala Ponnampalam
- 2 Bhamini Velaauthar

Home Science:

- 1 Vathany Nicholas
- 2 Mary Nevis Miranda

Craft:

- 1 Shobanna Benedict
- 2 Shirani Thurairajah

Needle Work:

- 1 Thirumahal Gurunathan
- 2 Vinotha Ariyaratnam

Art:

- 1 Rowena Sabaratnam
- 2 Baladevi Kandasamy

Music:

- 1 Mythili Thirunavukarasu
- 2 Malini Mahalingasivam

Dance:

- 1 Niranjella Stanislaus
- 2 Thirumahal Gurunathan

GRADE IX*General Proficiency:*

Sabina Chithra Alfred

*Religious Knowledge:**Christianity R. C.*

Sabina Chithra Alfred

Christianity Non R. C.

Sharaneeth Alahakone

Hinduism:

Nalayini Kandasamy

Tamil:
Julie Anne Jesurajah

English:
Regina Francis

Mathematics:
Nalayini Kandasamy

Science:
Julie Anne Jesurajah

Social Studies:
Antonette Rasaiah

Home Science:
Julie Anne Jesurajah

Craft:
Doreen Stonach

Art:
Suganthi Ariyaratnam

Music:
Sharanee Alahakone

Dance:
Annett lyn Roicy Emmanuel

UPPER SCHOOL

GRADE X

General Proficiency:

- X 1 Priyarubini Selvaratnam
- X 11 Geethanjali Rajanayagam
- X 111 Lumina Antonipillai

Religious Knowledge:

Christianity R C.

- 1 Subohini Sabanathan
- 2 Justina Francis

Hinduism:

- 1 Premala Balasundaram
- 2 Priyarubini Selvaratnam

Tamil:

- 1 Sasikala Sivapathalingam
- 2 Subodhini Sabanathan

English:

- 1 Priyarubini Selvaratnam
- 2 Karthiayini Thuraishamy

Mathematics:

- 1 Sasikala Sivapathalingam
- 2 Priyarubini Selvaratnam
- 3 Gunanarani Gnanapragasam

Science:

- 1 Priyarubini Selvaratnam
- 2 Sasikala Sivapathalingam

Social Studies:

- 1 Premala Balasundaram
- 2 Subodhini Sabanathan

Home Science:

- 1 Lumina Antonipillai
- 2 Geethanjali Rajanayagam

Craft:

- 1 Gnanarani Gunapragasam
- 2 Jemma Joseph

Commerce:

- 1 Sasikala Sivapathalingam
- 2 Neeliya Vanniasinghe

Music:

- 1 Subodhini Sabanathan
- 2 Shamini Atputhanathan

Dance:

- 1 Irene Luchshiny Cyril
- 2 Evelyn Bastiampillai

GRADE XI SC

General Proficiency:

- XI Sc 1 Perpetua Forman
- XI Sc 11 Viji Yogarathnam
- XI Sc 111 Selvaluxmy Shanmugalingam

Physics:

- 1 Pushpaleka Mariathan
- 2 Kumudhini Satkunathevan

Chemistry:

- 1 Viji Yogaratnam
- 2 Pushpaleka Mariathasan

Botany:

- 1 Krishnalatha Krishnapillai
- 2 Pushpaleka Mariathasan

Zoology:

- 1 Perpetua Forman
- 2 Pushpaleka Mariathasan

Pure Maths:

- 1 Nalayini Sundaralingam
- 2 Concepta Joseph

Applied Maths:

- 1 Dharshini Dominic
- 2 Helen Antonipillai

English Language:

- 1 Perpetua Forman
- 2 Subashini Kulendran & Selvaluxmy Shanmugalingam

GRADE XI Arts.*General Proficiency:*

- 1 Rosalin Gowry Thurairajah

Economics:

- 1 Anna Shyamala David
- 2 Rosalin Gowry Thurairajah

Accounts:

- 1 Anna Shyamala David
- 2 Nageswari Arunagirinathan

Commerce:

- 1 Anna Shyamala David
- 2 Dharani Thambithurai

Political Science:

- 1 Rosalin Gowry Thurairajah
- 2 Dharani Thambithurai

Religious Knowledge:

- 1 Thanuja Vethanayagam
- 2 Maria Everest Saverimuthu

Tamil:

- 1 Maharanee Varnakulasnghe
- 2 Jessica Thavagnanam

Geography:

- 1 Maharanee Varnakulasinghe
- 2 Rubini Antonipillai

GRADE XII Sc Ist Year*General Proficiency:*

- XII Sc 1 Damayanthi Philips
- XII Sc 11 Dharshini Balaratnam

Physics:

- 1 Vani Loganathan
- 2 Damayanthi Philips

Chemistry:

- 1 Damayanthi Philips
- 2 Ileen Thommaikuddy

Botany:

- 1 Damayanthi Philips
- 2 Ileen Thommaikuddy

Zoology:

- 1 Damayanthi Philips
- 2 Vani Loganathan

Pure Maths:

- 1 Dharshini Balaratnam
- 2 Angela Poopalasingham

English Language:

- 1 Judy St. George
- 2 Evelyn Sylvester

GRADE XII Arts Ist Year*General Proficiency:*

- 1 Sharmini Edward

Economics:

- 1 Carmalita Rajaratnam
- 2 Judiline Arulpragasam

Accounts:

- 1 Judiline Arulpragasam
- 2 Carmalita Rajaratnam

Commerce:

- 1 Carmalita Rajaratnam
- 2 Judiline Arulpragasam

Tamil:

- 1 Devathayali Joseph
- 2 Paramasndary Sithampathanathan

Religious Knowledge:

- 1 Carmalita Rajaratnam
- 2 Girli Thevasahayam

Geography:

- 1 Amara Somasundaram
- 2 Sumithra Emmanuel

GRADE XII Sc 2nd Year*General Proficiency:*

- XII Sc 1 Amirthini Pius
XII Sc 11 Vasanthy Gasperson

Physics:

- 1 Girija Antonipillai
- 2 Satharegima Sebastiampillai

Chemistry:

- 1 Satharegima Sebastiampillai
- 2 Girija Antonipillai

Botany:

- 1 Satharegima Sebastiampillai
- 2 Felicitus Siluvairajah

Zoology:

- 1 Satharegima Sebastiampillai
- 2 Rufina Francis Xavier

Pure Maths:

- 1 Sahayarane Joseph
- 2 Girija Antonipillai

Applied Maths:

- 1 Girija Antonipillai
- 2 Sahayarane Joseph

GRADE XII Arts 2nd Year*General Proficiency:*

- XII Arts 1 Geetha Joseph
XII Arts 11 Samson Abdul Nihara

Economics:

- 1 Josephine Augnstine
- 2 Geetha Joseph

Accounts:

- 1 Geetha Joseph
- 2 Kathija Beebi Cader

Commerce:

- 1 Annencita Jesuthasan
- 2 A. S. Thellamuthu Mariaroganam

Tamil:

- 1 Annencita Jesudasan
- 2 Devasuganthini Yoganathan

Geography:

- 1 Concy Muthiah
- 2 Gayathiri Rasaratnam

English Language:

- 1 Amare Somasudram
- 2 No Award



SPORTS

SCHOOL TEAM NORTHERN PROVINCE CHAMPIONS—1979

Net Ball, Throw Ball and Volley Ball

SENIORS

- 1 Jacintha Leo
- 2 Damayanthi Ragunathan
- 3 Roshni Arasanilai
- 4 Lourdes Dominic
- 5 Jeyanthi Joseph
- 6 Vanaja Ariyaratnam
- 7 Jerine Emmanuel
- 8 Victoria John Bosco
- 9 Judy St George
- 10 Dharshini Balaratnam

- 5 Bawani Manuelpillai
- 6 Placida Gnanapragasam
- 7 Ranjika Nadarajah
- 8 Joyce Logini Sellathurai
- 9 Renuja Rajanayagam
- 10 Patricia Mathews

JUNIORS

- 1 Luckshala Patrick
- 5 Koshala Ponnampalam
- 3 Chryshanthi Abraham
- 4 Anita Karunanayagam
- 5 Vinotha Ariaratnam
- 6 Kaladevi Selladurai
- 7 Mangalika Aseervatham
- 8 Fatima Chrysostom
- 9 Dhayani Ramanathan

INTERMEDIATES

- 1 Vatsala Mahesan
- 2 Sureka Navaratnam
- 3 Nalayini Selvarajah
- 4 Denicia Rajanayagam

ALL ISLAND RUNNER UP NET BALL

A. G. A. Division 1979 (Silver Medal)

1. Dhamayanthi Ragunathan
2. Jacintha Leo
3. Roshini Arasanilai
4. Lourds Dominic
5. Vanaja Ariaratnam

6. Jayanthi Joseph
7. Jerine Emmanuel
8. Nalayini Selvarajah
9. Nalini Arasanilai
10. Victoria John Bosco

SCHOOL TEAM NORTHERN PROVINCE CHAMPIONS 1980

Net-Ball (Seniors)

- 1 Vanaja Ariaratnam
- 2 Jacintha Leo
- 3 Victori John Bosco
- 4 Lourdes Dominic
- 5 Judy St George
- 6 Mabel Joseph
- 4 Winifred Sebastianpillai
- 8 Nalayini Selvarajah

Volley Ball (Seniors)

- 1 Jacintha Leo
- 2 Vanaja Ariaratnam
- 3 Victoria John Bosco
- 4 Lourdes Dominic
- 5 Maybel Joseph
- 6 Judy St George
- 7 Winifred Sebastianpillai
- 8 Nalayini Selvarajah

Volley Ball (Inters)

1. Vatsala Mahesan
2. Sureka Navaratnam
3. Ranjika Nadarajah
4. Joyce Logini Selathurai
5. Placida Gnanapragasam
6. Denicia Rajanayagam
7. Bawani Manuelpillai

Volley Ball (Juniors)

1. Luckshala Patrick
2. Koshala Ponnampalam
3. Chryshanthi Abraham
4. Anitta Karunanayagam
8. Vinotha Ariaratnam
9. Kalladevi Selladurai
7. Fatima Chrysostom
8. Mangalika Aseervatham
9. Thirumahal Mahesan

NORTHERN PROVINCE CHAMPIONS**Net Ball 1979 & 1980**

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|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Dhamayanthi Ragunathan | 6. Jerine Emmanuel |
| 2. Jacintha Leo | 7. Sureka Navaratnam |
| 3. Roshini Arasanilai | 8. Vanaja Ariaratnam |
| 4. Lourdes Dominic | 9. Nalayani Selvarajah |
| 5. Jayadthi Joseph | 10. Judy St. George |

<i>Best Net Ball Player</i>	Mrs. P. Rajaratnam Memorial Prize	1979 Roshini Arasanilai
	Donated by Mrs. P. Cumarasamy	1980 Vanaja Ariaratnam
<i>Special Award For</i>	David Memorial Cup	1979 Vanaja Ariaratnam
<i>Indoor Games</i>	Donated by Mrs. Francisca Fredrick	1980 Roshni Arasanilai
<i>Sports Star of the year</i>	Segarajasinghe Memorial Prize	1979 Dhamayanthi Ragunathan
	Donated by Mrs. M. Thambynayagam	1980 Jacintha Leo

1980 HOUSE CHAMPIONSHIPS

<i>Net Ball - Seniors</i>	Sebastian House	<i>Net Ball Juniors</i>	Sebastian House
<i>Throw Ball Seniors</i>	Loyola House	<i>Throw Ball Juniors</i>	Sebastian House
<i>Kho Kho</i>	Evangelist		
<i>Tennisball Doubles :-</i>			
<i>Seniors</i>	Evangelist House	<i>Juniors</i>	Loyola
<i>Tennisball Singles:-</i>			
<i>Seniors</i>	Sebastian	<i>Juniors</i>	Sebastian
<i>Volley Ball</i>	Louise House		
<i>Basket Ball</i>	Sebastian House		
<i>Champions in major</i>			
<i>Games</i>	Sebastians House		
<i>Studies Shield</i>	Louise House		
<i>House of the Year 1980</i>	Louise House		

SPECIAL AWARDS

<i>Religious Knowledge</i>	Sr. Martina Memorial Prize Donated by the staff H. F. C. Jaffna	Mary Teresa Bastiampillai Gr. 12 Annette Suganthi Xavier Gr. 8 Baladevi Kandasamy Gr. 8 Caroline Sumathy Rajasingam Gr. 5 Felicia Shamini Antonipillai Gr. 4
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PRIMARY

<i>Best all rounder</i>	In honour of Mother Visitation Donated by the Provincial H.F.C Jaffna	Kalpana Gnanasingam
<i>Courtesy Prize</i>	Donated by Mrs. Metilda Emmanuel	Aureen Ajanthi And rew
<i>Best in Arithmetic</i>	Francisca Stanislaus Memorial Prize Donated by the Lower Scholl Staff	Thulasi Thirugnanasampanthar
<i>Aesthetics</i>	In honour of Mother Clare Donated by the Superior H. F. C. Jaffna	Antonette Maria Stella Gomez
<i>Physical Activities</i>	Sr. Martina Memorial Cup Donated by Mr & Mrs Rajendram	Della Fatima Xavier
<i>Elocution English Gr. V</i>	Donated by Mrs. Christine Pius	Niromi Sherina Thambynayagam
<i>Elocution English Gr. IV</i>	Donated by Mrs. Christine Pius	Chryshanthi Thambirajah
<i>Elocution Tamil</i>	Donated by Dr & Mrs. Abraham	Vanathy Balasundaram
<i>English Group Activity</i>	Donated by Mr & Mrs. G. Mathews	Grade IV
<i>English Dramatics</i>	Mother Baptist Memorial Prize Donated by the Nursery class pupils	1. Lourdes Nirmali Manuepillai 2. Rathy Mahendran
<i>Carnatic Music</i>	Donated by Mr. & Mrs. Devasahayam	Bernadine Vinothiny Wincelaus
<i>Little Friends</i>	Mary Lazarus Memorial Cup Donated by Mr. L. Chelvanayagam	Marietta Jerine Xavier

MIDDLE SCHOOL & UPPER SCHOOL

<i>Outstanding Student</i>	Lizzy Memorial Prize	Amala Arulanandam
<i>Gr. VI</i>	Donated by S. Joseph	
<i>Special Prize Gr. VII</i>	Sumathy Memorial Prize Donated by Mrs. Sithamparanathan	Judine Theophilus

<i>Special Prize (Tamil)</i> <i>Gr. VIII</i>	Blossom Samuel Memorial Prize Donated by her pupils Kanagasundary Family	Malini Mahalingasivam
<i>Aesthetics</i> <i>(Middle School)</i>	Elizabeth Francis Memorial Prize Donated by Mrs. Ludovica Jacob	Thirumahal Gurunathan
<i>Special Prize (science)</i> <i>(Middle School)</i>	Donated by the Provincial Economic H. F. C. Jaffna	Rohini Navaratnam
<i>Courtesy Prize</i> <i>(Middle School)</i>	Donated by the Principal H. F. C. Jaffna	Rowena Sabaratnam
<i>Outstanding Student</i> <i>Gr. X</i>	Jothini Memorial Prize Donated by Mr. Nadarajah	Sasikala Sivapathalingam
<i>Best Science Student</i> <i>Gr. X</i>	Velupillai Memorial Prize Donated by Mrs. M. Velupillai	Cynthia Thurairajah
<i>Best performance</i> <i>(O/L) Exam</i>	Donated by Manoharan & Vettivelu Contractors & Suppliers, Stanley Road Jaffna.	1979 Perpetua Forman
	Meera Memorial Prize Donated by Mrs. Rajadurai	1980 Subodhini Sabanathan
<i>Western Music</i>	Mother Columbanus Memorial Prize Donated by the Music pupils	Inthumathy Chinniah
<i>Special Prize</i> <i>(pianoforte)</i>	Donated by the Navaratnasinghams in honour of Mother Annunciation	Sharmini Atputhanathan
<i>Guide of the year</i> <i>(Senior)</i>	Donated by Mrs. Thanavathany Sambanthan	Sharmini Edward
<i>Guide of the year</i> <i>(Junior)</i>	Donated by Mrs. Ranjini Skantharajah U. S. A.	Kaladevi Selladurai
<i>Elocution English</i> <i>(On National Unity and Integration)</i>	Donated by Mrs. Gnanapragasams Gnanams Studio Jaffna.	1. Dharshini Balaratnam 2. Sharmini Atputhanathan
<i>Elocution Tamil (on The Mahaveli Project)</i>	Somasundara Pulavar Memorial Prize Donated by Dr. Barathy	1. Rosalin Gowry Thurai 2. Sasikala Sivapathalingam
<i>Special prize (Tamil)</i> <i>(upper school)</i>	Mrs. Vithiananthan Memorial Prize Donated by the staff H. F. C. Jaffna	Vasuki Thirunavukarasu
<i>Special prize (science)</i> <i>(upper school)</i>	Donated by Dr(Miss) S. Panchalingam	Satharegima Sebastianpillai
<i>Mathematical Ability</i>	M. C. Thambypillai Memorial Prize Donated by Dr.(Miss) Pius and sisters.	Girija Antonipillai
<i>Courtesy Prize</i> <i>(upper school)</i>	Elizabeth David Memorial Prize Donated by Mr. David	Gnanamathy Kumar

*Best performance
(A/L) Exam*

Donated by Mrs. Antonia Saminathar

1979 Marie Mathews

"**Anthony Pillai Memorial Prize**"
Donated by Miss Manonmany
Anthony Pillai

1980 Girija Antonipillai

BEST ALL ROUNDERS

Loyola House

Donated by Mrs. Teresa Perinpanayagam

Selvaluxmy Shanmugalingam

Sebastian House

Mrs. Thambypillai Memorial Prize
Donated by Mrs. P. B. Marianayagam

Chryshanthi Abraham

Evangelist House

Donated by Miss. V. Emmanuel in
honour of Mother Evangelist

Pushpaleka Mariathasan

Louise House

Donated by Mrs. Teresa Perinpanayagam

Nirmala Arumugathas

Special Prize

(Science activities)

Mr. M. Joseph Memorial Prize
Donated by Science Union H. F. C.
Jaffna

Anusha Arumainayagam &
Geetha Gnanarajah

Commerce &

Arts Activities

Josephine Rajasooriar Memorial Prize
Donated by Mr. A. G. Rajasooriar

Gnanamathy Kumar

Familian of the year

Appolonia Philips Memorial Prize
Donated by Dr. J. P. C. Philips

Dharshini Balaratnam



THE TAMARIND TREE

You stand in that hot sandy compound
A haven of coolness and shade
Your rootsfconvoluted and twisted
Your leaves as translucent as jade

Who planted the seed that produced you
O mystical Tamarind Tree?
To me you are timeless and ageless,
With secrets as deep as the sea

Your image will always be with me
A symbol of all that is strong
Old Tamarind Tree were you vocal
You'd tell of our sessions of song

You'd tell of the countless 'Familians'
Who neath your great dome loved to play,
You'd tell of assemblies and drilling
And red-letter days of display

You speak to me stillo'er the oceans
Of places long since left behind
Of memories loving and lasting
Of people so gentle and kind

Dear landmark majestic and holy
A monument more han a tree
Enshrining the wisdom of ages
You're all that is Lanka to me.

Sr. Josephine Tynan

SCHOOL ANTHEM

I

With joyful emotion and loyal devotion
United in chorus we honour our school;
Familians together, supporting each other,
To praise Alma Mater, and cherish her rule,
We'll ever be faithful dear fostering Mother
And promise once more to be constant and true.

II

Bright memories linger, of highest endeavour
And noble achievements which past years unfold;
With true aspiration, let each generation,
Familian traditions and spirit uphold,
"To God alone Glory" sublime Salutation,
Sure motto inspiring the young and the old.