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Distinguished Chief Guest of the day Sri V P Sajeendran M L A Kunnathunadu Constituency, Special invitee and Guest of Honour Ms Neena Kurup Film Actress and T V Artist , Honourable Members of the Parama Bhattara Gurukula Vidyapeedhom trust , Chairman Sri Karthikeyan Payyampillil, Secretary Sri Santosh , Treasurer Sri Appukuttan Pillai, Asramam President Sri Sreeni, Asramam Secretary Sri Sreekumar ,P T A President Sri R Sivasankara Pillai, Respected members from the Panchayath , other distinguished members on and off the dais, executive members of PTA, Alumni of Param Bhattara Kendriya Vidyalayam, my dear parents, teachers, students and non teaching staff,

A VERY WARM GOOD EVENING AND HEARTFELT WELCOME TO ONE AND ALL ON THE OCCASION of our 18th Annual Day Celebrations.

Invoking the Blessings of Srimad Chattambi Swamigal and Srimad Bhagyananda Swamigal and upholding the Guru Parampara traditions, it's my proud privilege, to present before you the happenings and achievements of this institution, for the academic year 2017 – 2018 .

The Faculty year began on June 1st ,with the declaration of CBSE Board examination results . Our school children secured 100 % results in the class X and XII. We congratulate our children , teachers and Parents on this joyous occasion for bringing glory to this institution. In class XII out of 31 students , 21 students got distinction. The toppers in Science stream : Archa Lakshmi Sojan with 96% and all A1. Commerce stream : Krishnapriya with 93.2 % and Aleen Mariya Joseph with 88% in Humanities stream.

In class X results out of 90 students, 21 students got all A1 and 47 students got distinction. All the meritorious students will be honoured today. They received trophies from our M L A Sri V P Sajeendran on Oct 14th in the SUCCESS 2017 programme conducted St Peters Higher Secondary School Kolenchery . The LKG Ambady kids were welcomed by holding a Praveshnotsavam Ceremony. Dr Sreehari Psychiatrist at Amrita school of Medical Sciences talked to the young parents on building up healthy , emotional behaviour in children.

The school activities began by holding school council election democratically with a candidates campaign on 19th June , elections on June 22nd & the election results were declared on 23rd . The newly elected school council were inducted & bestowed with badges and responsibilities through a grand investiture ceremony, held on June 29th in the presence of Sri Shaiju Damodaran noted sports Journalist and I S L Commentator. Master Manujith P S and Kumari Vismaya B Nair were elected the Senior Head Boy and Head Girl respectively. Master A K Suryadattan and Kumari Parvathy A S as Junior Head Boy and Head Girl and the other members include Akshay Anoop as Magazine editor , Vithul Prathap as Sports Captain , Haripriya Sathyan as Arts Club Secretary. Sri Shaiju Damodaran spoke to our children on how to lead a successful life by nurturing the three D'S ie Detemination, Dedication and Discipline . House Captains to the four houses were also selected.

On International Womens Day we honoured Smt Dolly a philanthropist and teacher who looks after 19 differently abled children at her house in vadayampady. Our girls displayed self defence techniques and also conducted a road show to strengthen the status of Women in the society . On Anti Narcotics day June 27th , Noted Psychiatrist of Sunrise Hospital, Dr Das spoke on the ill effects of drugs and other intoxicants, he also said that todays children are becoming MOBILE PHONE addicts which is even more dangerous than any substance abuse. Independence Day celebrations was held on August 15th , where in Sri Thilakan Kavanal a veteran freedom fighter hoisted the tricolour and gave the message in the presence of PBGV Trust members . Children were made aware of the History of Indian Independence through Patriotic Songs , and a glimpse into the struggle against the Britishers correlating with the happenings in Kerala during the same time. Gandhi Jayanthi celebrations included week long 'Shramdaan' work in the campus and the surrounding areas and a presentation of Swatch Bharat campaign by 6th class students in the assembly . Depletion in the Ozone layer is causing serious hazard to the health and environment at large which was beautifully depicted by 6c children in the assembly.

"You cannot cross the sea merely by standing and staring at the water "-- Rabindranath Tagore.

Cultural and Literary activities began with Music and Yoga Day on 24th June .Yoga postures were displayed . A Gaanamalika programme and sopana sangeetham refreshed the mind and body . A Book Fair was held in our school auditorium from 19th June to 24th June by UNITED BOOKS to inculcate healthy reading habits in our children . Smt Subhadra Antarjanam headmistress of Ramamangalam School inaugurated the Reading Week event. Children honoured the senior most teachers who completed 12 years of service upholding the GURU PARAMPARA traditions and expressing their love and gratitude to the teaching community at large during Guru Poornima celebrations on July 11th . The Month long Ramayana masam celebrations during karkkidakam included Ramayana Quiz , Ramayana Parayanam, declamation of characters from the epic in the assembly ,ending with a talk by Sri Manmadan Nair, Chinmaya Mission & stage presentation of sampoorana Ramayana katha on Aug 14th . The Inter house Cultural Fest ESPERANZA was held on July 28th and 29th which was inaugurated by Sri Kalashala Baabu well known Cine artist and Kathakali exponent. Our drawing teacher Sri Rangan , budding artist Master Ananthakrishnan and Kumari HariPriya Sathyan were honoured on the occasion . Master Anathakrishnan got the 3rd prize and HariPriya Sathyan got special appreciation in the LULU'S SPARKY event organised by Lulu Mall during May 2017.The house points at the end of all the cultural competitions are as follows Chetak with 158 points, Garuda with 145 points, Pavan with 163 points and the winners Thejus scoring 221 points.

August 9th was celebrated as Sanskrit day were in the children of class IX Kumari Anupriya & Arya Narayanan spoke on Importance of Sanskrit Language. We ushered in the malayaam New Year in traditional style with a simple presentation and our Guest Sri Thampy rendered Naadan pattukal & chintu pattu. On August 30th Srimad Bhagyananada Swami Jayanthi celebrations was held which included Pushparchana and Naamarchana upholding the Guru Parampara traditions. Onam celebrations was held on 31st August, which included Pookkalam, Vanchipaatu, Thiruvathirakali, vadamvali , skit Onanilavu and a sumptuous Onasadya. At the State Level competitions of English Quest held on 24th September at HARISREE VIDYA NIDHI SCHOOL THRISSUR. RISHI MANU class 9 won the Second Prize with a cash award of Rs 5000 and R KRISHNA VENI class 5 won the THIRD PRIZE with a cash award of Rs 3000. Our students participated in the BHOOMIKA and Tiny Tyros competitions conducted by SBOA School Chittoor on 26th Sept , our children won a number

of prizes and we were placed in the 3rd position in Tiny Tyros and 2nd position in the Senior school section competing with 20 eminent schools of the city..

133 children participated in the CBSE district Kaloltsavam held at different venues in Kochi from Oct 23rd to Nov 10th . Devadattan got 1st prize in mimicry, HariPriya Sathyan got 2nd prize in Folk dance , Hariharan got 1st prize in Digital painting, Arundathy Nair & Geethu Mohan got 3rd prize in Malayalam versification in different categories and 3rd prize in mime for boys. These children participated in the state level and Devadattan and Hariharan got C grade certificates. Hearty Congratulations to all the winners for bringing glory. Children's Day was celebrated on November 14th by holding competitions as Kiddies Esperanza. Christmas was celebrated on Dec 20th to spread the message of Peace , Joy and Brotherhood. Rev Father Ebin Manakkattu ,Vicar Karingachira Church graced the occasion and gave the Christmas message. Children sang Christmas Carol, Santa Claus visited amidst Jingle Bells ringing & the cake cutting ceremony was held.

Science activities included participation in the event Young Scientist Contest and Science Exhibition conducted by ADI SHANKARA COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING on Feb 18 th . Our team Darwin's presentation of their project at the science exhibition @Kalady was well appreciated and we were selected for the best 10 special prizes in which Nikhil Krishnan and Shravan received a cash award for their project 'Wealth from Waste'. Our Green army children have been able to create awareness on saving rivers in the neighbourhood by collecting water samples from Chitrapuzha and sending them to the labs for testing . The idea was to awaken the society to keep our rivers clean and use water as a safe drinking source. On World Water Day our Green Army students submitted a memorandum to MLA P T Thomas at Marine Drive Kochi.

Science Students of class XI were taken to student's science festival Kerala held at Rajagiri Public School on Nov 3rd for an interactive session with Eminent scientists. A Grand Exhibition "Tharinija " with the theme –The life, The Essence, The Call was held on Nov 18th in the school premises which was inaugurated by Sri Chandrasekharan Sir retired Principal of N S S Higher Secondary School Valayanchirangara & Sri E Ramankutty, director of BVB Kendra Kochi showcasing vast number of still & working models ranging on a wide variety of subjects which included Art and Architecture, Literary world of Languages , latest Scientific Inventions and Discoveries, Ancient Civilisation & Museum in Humanities, the Indian Contribution to the Mathematics world, a peep into the commercial Business world, the latest Technological revolution in the digital world of Computers and Electronics and bringing out the importance of Physical fitness and development of sound emotions through Yoga and Sports. Children also displayed Food Carving , Salad making skills in the Food Court section and a cultural show was also held.

Sports Activities began with our children from 6th to 12th participating in the Olympic Run held at Marine drive Ernakulam , which was flagged off by Olympian Mercy Kuttan. The inauguration of Kerala Blasters Football Academy in our school was held on Aug 18th with the help of Kerala Football Association . Noted football personalities Sri Tangboi Singto Coach of our Kerala Blasters , Michael Andrews FIFA Referee and Sri Shaiju Damodaran ISL commentator graced the occasion and their motivating and inspiring speeches still reverberating in our minds. The coaching classes are being held, 3 days a week in two categories to nurture talent and develop football skills . Our school hosted the District Archery Championship in which 13 teams participated in 6 events in 3 different categories. Our School Children won Prizes in the Indian Round ,Athulya Jayakumar got gold ,Binna Mary Mathew got gold, Krishnasree got silver, Manujith got silver in the various categories.

We enrolled our school Archery team on the CBSE website and they participated in the CBSE National Archery championship held at Krishna Public School Chattisgarh from Nov 3rd to 5th. Our school Archery team consisting of 8 students ie 4 boys & 4 girls with their coach and Mentor Sri Sajan, Pt Teacher and a Lady Manager left for Raipur on Oct 30th . Almost 365 schools with 2300 odd archers from all over the country competed for the top position. We participated in the Indian Round category and with immense pride and pleasure I would like to announce that our team comprising of Athulya Ajay kumar, Anupama , Yashaswini, Athira , Manujith, Vysakh, Anantha Padmanabhan , Alkeshchand WON the Bronze medal , Manujith P S and Athulya Ajay Kumar won the mixed event Gold and Athulya Ajaykumar won the Silver medal in the Individual event giving us National Prominence . A grand reception was accorded on Nov 9th for the players and Coach & they were honoured & given cash awards . Sri Sajeendran M L A graced the occasion, in the presence of PBGV Trust members , Panchayath members, teachers, students and parents. The boys team also won cash award of Rs 5000/- in the archery championships held at M A College Kothamangalam. The school also provides Karate classes to equip our children in the art of self defence. We provide training in Roller Skating for our children on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings . Kumari Akshita Jiju won 2 Gold and 1 Silver in the District & State Roller Skating championship held at different venues. The School Annual Sports Meet was held on Nov 29th and 30th which was inaugurated by Sri P. Anil Kumar Secretary of Kerala Football Association. A march past display , lighting of the Olympic Torch , Oath Taking ceremony and a number of athletic events were held. The house tally are as follows Pavan with 319 , Thejus with 293, and Chetak with 316 points Garud with 322 stands first.

“If kids come to us from strong, healthy functioning families, it makes our job easier. If they do not come to us from strong, healthy, functioning families, it makes our job more important “ - says Barbara Colorose. Our management believes that Inspired and motivated teachers are an asset to the Institution and so teacher Empowerment training session was held from 22nd to 26th May 2017 at PBKV by trainers and resource persons from Rajagiri School of Social Science and Rajagiri Institute of management . My Pedia training sessions began in May and are being conducted regularly for constant updation of Knowledge. An Educational Seminar was held on 27th may 2017 at 10.00 AM in the School auditorium for children,teachers and parents by Prof Dr C I Isaac (ICHR , MHRD , Gov of India) on the topic ---"Objectives and Scope of studying Humanities . Our teachers were sent to CBSE Training programmes held at various schools in Kochi in the different subjects : English , Science and Mathematics , Commerce and Economics. Our Principal attended a CBSE training session on Sept 23rd on the Remodelled Assesment Scheme. Our malayalam teacher K G Sreekumar was honoured as a poet on 28th April 2017 at Vyapara bhavan , Perumbavoor.

General body of PTA was held on Oct 7th with a Measles Rubella Vaccine awareness programme conducted by Dr Eapen Mathew from Community Health Centre Kadayiruppu in the School auditorium. . Sri Sivasankara Pillai was elected as the President . PTA executive meeting are being held at regular intervals to discuss the problems of children. Open House at regular intervals was conducted to enable a positive interaction between parents and teachers for the holistic development of our children. Students are constantly battling to meet the expectations of family and society. They are living in a fiercely competitive environment. This year 69 children are appearing for the class X and 29 children in the class XII Board Examinations. As you all know ours is a senior secondary school with a choice of 3 streams with Science, Commerce and Humanities at +2 level, we

hope you will continue to support us in all our endeavour for the holistic development of our children.

Death is a painful truth.....

We express our condolences and sincere prayers to the bereaved family members of our trust members, school staff and students who lost their near and dear ones :-

1. Sri K N Anil Kumar lost his father Narayanan Nair Kuppakattu.
2. Sri Pushpakumar M V lost his brother Gopinathan Nair.
3. Sri N K Gopinathan lost his mother Lakshmikutty Amma.
4. Sri Parameswaran Nampoothiripad lost his wife Anitha N B our beloved Vice Principal .
5. Sri Subhagan lost his wife Indira our dear ayamma who served us with a smile for 9 long years
6. Amith K Alias lost his mother Deepthi.
7. Vismaya Raju lost her mother Rakhi Raju.

To improve the standard of the school and to facilitate teaching – learning process our management has a long term vision. This year we were able to digitalise 25 classroom , improve drinking water, sanitary and infrastructure facilities. What began as a humble Sanskrit Padhasala in 1991 has expanded to this stature. We are indeed highly indebted to the dynamic members of the Parama Bhattara Gurukula Vidyapeedhom Trust and I express my deep sense of Gratitude to them.

The Academic year is coming to a close, I wish to impress on all the people gathered here, young and old, that vision and values cannot be just words on a piece of paper, everyone has to work in a rhythm, communication has to be clear and effective for we are responsible for the youth graduating out of our school. We the teaching and non-teaching staff pray to the Lord Almighty to give us the inner strength and positive thoughts to sustain our sense of commitment, integrity, dedication and love for our Institution and our mother land as a whole, to keep it glorious and illustrious in the times to come.