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My dear Staff, Students, Parents & Well-wishers,

With each passing month, our Trust's Monthly Magazine becomes a window into the energy and enthusiasm of our school community and I am pleased to address you all through another enriching edition. Our students actively involve themselves in both academics and a vibrant range of extra-curricular activities, striking a healthy balance between learning and holistic development. While they pursue their academic goals with focus and determination, they also participate enthusiastically in sports, arts, clubs and various school events that broaden their skills and interests. By embracing opportunities both inside and outside the classroom, our students grow into well-rounded individuals prepared to excel in every sphere of life.

I take immense pride in congratulating our outstanding students who have excelled at the national level in football and athletics. Their remarkable achievements are a testament to their hard work and unwavering commitment to their sport. With every training session, every challenge and every victory, they have demonstrated exceptional talent and a spirit of perseverance that inspires the entire school community. Their success not only brings honour to our institutions but also motivates their peers to dream big and strive for excellence. I wholeheartedly appreciate their efforts and extend my sincere congratulations to these young champions who have made us truly proud.

I see our students excelling in the Model United Nations (MUN) too. It plays a transformative role in students' lives by nurturing confidence, global awareness and leadership skills. MUN encourages them to step into the shoes of global leaders, understand diverse perspectives and work collaboratively toward meaningful solutions. This experience strengthens communication skills, builds diplomacy and promotes empathy—qualities essential for success in the modern world. Beyond academics, MUN shapes students into informed, responsible and articulate individuals who are prepared to make a positive impact on the society.

As we step into the final month of the year, December arrives like a gentle reminder that every ending carries the promise of a new beginning. The cool air and festive spirit around us invite reflection, gratitude and renewed hope. It is a wonderful time to celebrate your achievements, learn from your challenges and prepare yourselves for the exciting possibilities that await in the year ahead.



Let December inspire you to finish strong, stay cheerful and shine with kindness in everything you do!
A. Senthil Ramesh
Secretary & Correspondent



RUSSIAN HOUSE WORKSHOP

Twenty students – five from each of the four Chennai SBOA Schools – set off to the Russian Centre of Science and Culture on 10th November, 2025, accompanied by two teachers. Upon arrival, we were introduced to the iconic Russian doll *Matryoshka* and learned about the importance and use of birch wood in Russian craftsmanship.

We then stepped into a vast repository of knowledge that housed thousands of books. There, we were briefed on the first man and woman to travel to space – Yuri Gagarin and Valentina Tereshkova – and we also learned about the celebrated Russian writers and poets Alexander Pushkin and Leo Tolstoy.

Next, we proceeded to the main workshop, which began with an inspiring address by Mr. Alexander Dodonov, Director of the Russian House in Chennai. We were then taught a few graceful moves to Russian folk songs by Ms. Natalia Lygorevo, accompanied by lively accordion music played by Mr. Kim Ochkalov. This was followed by an enjoyable hands-on session where we learned to weave colourful bracelets using the materials provided.

Overall, it was an enriching and engaging experience that offered us a glimpse into the beauty of Russian culture, art and music. This short educational trip left us inspired and delighted.



Reported by *Vishakh Arjun (8-D), J. C.*





QUIZZING TACTICS

WORKSHOP



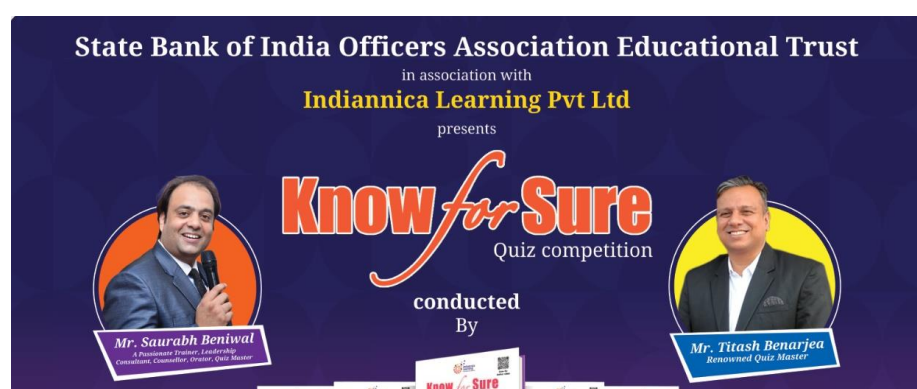
A workshop on **'Quizzing Tactics'** was held on Saturday, 8th November, 2025, at SBOA Matriculation & Higher Secondary School, Anna Nagar, Chennai, drawing enthusiastic participation from teachers across various SBOA schools within and beyond the state. Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh, President of the SBOA Educational Trust, addressed the teachers, highlighting the need for continuous learning to prepare students for the competitive world while preserving the institution's legacy of excellence. The resource person, Mr. G. Karthikeyan, opened the session with an engaging question on whether quizzing is meant only for high achievers, leading into explanations on

identifying student categories and making quizzing a joyful, everyday classroom practice. He emphasized that teachers already quiz students informally and that structured quizzing can be a powerful, enjoyable pedagogical tool. Through demonstrations of quiz formats, popular events, rebus puzzles, taglines, audio and audio-visual rounds, anagrams and the art of crafting questions, he illustrated how quizzes can ignite curiosity and deepen learning. The highlight of the event was an interactive quiz for teachers, where participants teamed up through lots and competed enthusiastically under his guidance. The workshop concluded with the announcement of winners and runners-up, with prizes awarded to the victorious teams. The entire programme proved to be informative, engaging and inspiring—motivating teachers to incorporate quizzing techniques to make classroom learning more vibrant, dynamic and enjoyable.

Reported by – Ms. Vijaya Rameswari G., Ms. Lalitha S. & Ms. Kavitha P., S.B.O.A. Matric. & H. S. School, CBE-39



With the guidance of our Secretary & Correspondent Shri. A. Senthil Ramesh, 'Know for Sure' Inter-School Quiz Competition 2025 unfolded with grandeur on 28th November, 2025, at S.B.O.A. Matriculation & Higher Secondary School, Chokkampudur, Coimbatore. The event was magnificently organised by the S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust, Chennai, in collaboration with Indiannica Learning Pvt. Ltd. Invitations were extended to nearly 450 schools across the district, marking an impressive outreach that reflected the scale, prestige and educational impact of this remarkable programme.



The competition was expertly helmed by esteemed Quiz Masters Mr. Saurabh Beniwal and Mr. Titash Banerjee from Indiannica Learning Pvt. Ltd. Their poised presentation, vibrant stage presence and intellectual command elevated the experience for every participant and the audience who witnessed it.

The quiz featured three meticulously crafted, fast-paced and intellectually stimulating rounds, designed to test memory, logic, general awareness, lateral thinking and presence of mind. The proceedings were smooth, systematic and highly engaging, ensuring active participation throughout. The questions, presented with creativity and flair, ranged from visual and audio prompts to rapid-fire thinking challenges. Each question ignited curiosity, excitement and analytical thinking, transforming the competition into a dynamic arena of wit, wisdom and mental agility. The experience became a knowledge-rich feast that enlightened, inspired and empowered young minds to think beyond the ordinary.

The venue resonated with brilliance—the auditorium came alive with a dynamic digital backdrop, gleaming trophies and the animated responses of an enthusiastic audience. Applause, anticipation and youthful energy filled the air, creating an electric and intellectually charged atmosphere.

In the Junior Category, teams from Salem, Madurai and Pattanam showcased admirable talent and teamwork. SBOA Matriculation & Higher Secondary School, Coimbatore, clinched the Championship title, while Yuvabharathi Public School and Emerald Valley Public School, Salem, secured the first and second runner-up positions, respectively.

The Senior Category witnessed equally competitive participation from SBOA MHSS, Trichy, SBOA Public Senior Secondary School, Ernakulam, and BVB School, Coimbatore. Demonstrating clarity of thought and exceptional presence of mind, SBIOA International School, Mambakkam, Chennai, emerged as the Senior Champions. SBOA Matriculation & Higher Secondary School, Chennai, secured the first runner-up position, followed by SBOA Global School, Chennai, as the second runner-up.

The champions were felicitated during the prize distribution ceremony, which celebrated the spirit of participation, excellence and intellectual pursuit. Shri M. Murugesan, Correspondent, SBOA Schools, Coimbatore, delivered an inspiring Presidential Address. Shri D. Ravikumar, Administrator, SBIOA Educational Trust, Chennai, presided over the event with grace and distinguished leadership. Smt. Sabural Banu Ibrahim, Principal, warmly congratulated the winners and wholeheartedly appreciated the steadfast efforts of all participating institutions.

The competition not only tested knowledge but also enriched, enlightened and ignited countless young minds—paving the way for the thinkers, leaders and innovators of tomorrow.

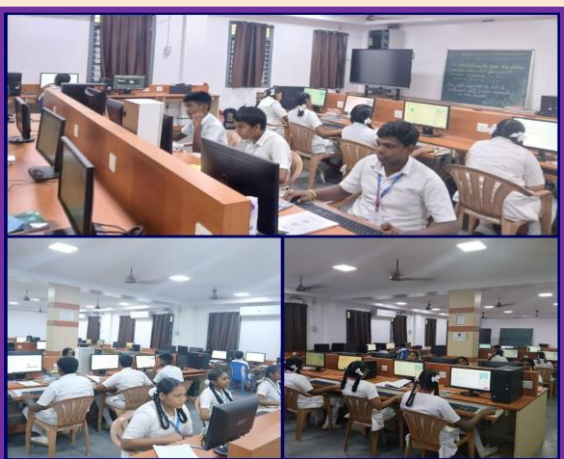


CONGRATULATIONS



The Cspathshala Bebras Computing Challenge, held on November 6 & 7, 2025, was a huge success! Students from Classes 3rd to 12th tackled interactive tasks that sparked curiosity and creativity, helping them develop essential digital skills.

Students of Classes I to VIII who enrolled for the Silverzone Olympiad wrote the *Silverzone International Olympiad of English Language* on 13.11.2025.



The **CBSE SAFAL (Structured Assessment for Analyzing Learning)** online examination for Class 9 was successfully conducted between 10.11.2025 and 17.11.2025. Aligned with the vision of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, the SAFAL assessment focuses on promoting competency-based education, moving away from rote memorization. This assessment aimed to evaluate students' competency levels by testing their understanding and application of concepts in subjects such as language, Mathematics and Science.

Students of Classes I to IX who had enrolled for the Silverzone Olympiad wrote the **Silverzone Science Olympiad Exam** on **18.11.2025**. A total of **32 students** enthusiastically participated in the examination.



Around 200 students of Classes 8, 9 and 11 participated in a mass singing event at Trichy Railway Junction to commemorate the 150th birth anniversary of Shri Bankim Chandra Chatterjee. They sang *Vande Mataram* in unison, expressing patriotism and remembering its historical significance. Railway officials, students and the public attended with enthusiasm. Speeches highlighted unity in India's freedom struggle and its relevance today. NCC cadets and Scouts & Guides actively participated, adding discipline and teamwork. The event concluded with the National Anthem, reinforcing values of unity and national pride.

Blue Day was celebrated with great excitement. Children took part in activities such as blue kite flying, blue things display and learned about the importance of aquatic animals. A special blue kite formation photo shoot was also organised, creating a memorable moment for the students. The celebration helped children recognise the colour blue and appreciate nature in a fun and meaningful way.



Children's Day was celebrated on 13.11.2025. The teachers presented special programmes such as dance, song, mime act and skit. The students participated in fun activities such as a hurdle game and a dance session. To make the day even more special, piggy banks and sweets were distributed to all the children.

Children's Day was celebrated on 13th November, 2025, with great enthusiasm. The **Chief Guest Mr. D. Mohanraj** addressed the students with an inspiring message on the value of smiling. The Principal felicitated the students and conveyed her warm wishes. The staff presented a thought-provoking cultural programme, making the day enjoyable and memorable for all.

**Happy
Children Day**



The primary teachers conducted the morning assembly, beginning with a prayer and thought for the day. They also sang the song '*Vaa Selvamaa*' for the students. The Headmistress addressed the gathering and shared her wishes. The assembly was brief, meaningful and well received.

International Men's Day was celebrated on 19th November 2025. The women staff of the School conducted games for the men and the winners were honoured with prizes. As a token of appreciation for their cooperation and support in the workplace, the women staff contributed and gifted the men a travel bag and a soap dispenser. A special word of appreciation was also given by the Principal and the Headmistress.



21.11.2025 அன்று, ஐந்தாம் வகுப்பு தமிழ்ப் பாடப்புத்தகத்தில் இடம்பெற்றுள்ள 'விதைத் திருவிழாப்' பாடத்திற்கிணங்க, விதையின் அவசியத்தையும் நஞ்சில்லா பாரம்பரிய உணவின் முக்கியத்துவத்தையும் மாணவர்களின் மனதில் ஆழமாக பதியச் செய்வதற்காக விதை மற்றும் பாரம்பரிய உணவுத் திருவிழா மிகச்சிறப்பாக நடத்தப்பட்டது. பாரம்பரிய உணவுகளை மாணவர்கள் தொடர்ந்து எடுத்துக்கொள்ளும் பழக்கத்தை ஊக்குவிக்கும் வகையில் குறிக்கோள் விதை விதைக்கும் நிகழ்வும் நடத்தப்பட்டது. இவ்விழா பள்ளி முதல்வரின் மேற்பார்வையில் இனிதே நிறைவுற்றது.



The School won the **Trichy District Level Under-14 5-A-Side Football Tournament** held from 08.11.2025 to 09.11.2025, organized by Goat Sports Club, Trichy. **Master S. K. Charann** received the **Best Goalkeeper Award** and **Master V. G. Kanishkar** received the **Best Defender Award**.



The Tamil Nadu State Level Softball Championship was held at Manaparai, Trichy, from 21st to 23rd November, 2025. In this prestigious event, three students from the School were selected to represent the Trichy District Team. Demonstrating remarkable skill and teamwork, the **Trichy Team emerged as the Title Winner** of the Championship.

The students, Saanvi S. (5-B) and Lisandro E. (7-A) were part of the Rainbow FM 102.1 (AIR), became RJs and shared their presentation in the Children's Day Special Programme 'Poodu Aatam Poodu'. Lisandro spoke about his favorite gift and Saanvi sang a song written by Bharathiyaar. They were lauded by the host team of AIR for their choice of topic and their spontaneous presentation. A You tube link of the recording was also made. <https://youtu.be/3hcWtyIAI-I>



The webinar on the Two Board Exams was conducted in the Computer Science Lab from 10:00 AM to 1:30 PM on 20.11.2025. Dr. Shweta Arora welcomed the attendees and released the FAQs. Mr. Rahul Singh explained the need for introducing two board exams as per NEP, while Mr. Sanyam Bhardwaj detailed the 2025-26 exam structure and clarified major FAQs. A Q&A session followed, addressing concerns from participants. The meeting concluded with action points and a vote of thanks.



On 17th November, 2025, the School organised a Career Guidance Session for the students of Classes 11 and 12. The renowned career expert, **Dr. Jayaprakash Gandhi**, conducted the session, focusing on higher education opportunities and future career pathways. The students benefited from his valuable insights.





On 14th November, 2025, a vaccination camp was conducted by the School Management as per the Collector's order. The aim was to create awareness about compulsory vaccinations like Diphtheria and Tetanus for students of Std I, V & X. Nearly **102** students were vaccinated.





The Health and Wellness Club – ECA Group A – conducted a hygiene awareness campaign on 14.11.2025. The program aimed to educate toddlers on basic cleanliness habits. The students participated enthusiastically by preparing charts, posters and short demonstrations on hand washing, personal cleanliness, and healthy habits. Their efforts helped create awareness among the young children in a simple and engaging way. The campaign was impactful and successfully promoted good hygiene practices among toddlers.

Wellness



Dr. R. Murali Shankar, Department of Music and Hindi, received the Ambassador of Thirukkural 2025 Award and the Manidham Vidhaipom Award 2025 from the organisation Manidham Vidhaipom in Madurai on 25.11.2025.

Congratulations



Cancer Awareness Day - 07.11.2025



World Pneumonia Day - 13.11.2025



World Diabetes Day - 17.11.2025



World Immunization Day - 17.11.2025



International Tolerance Day - 17.11.2025



Constitution Day - 26.11.2025



The Mathematics Week was observed from 17th to 22nd November, 2025, with the central theme 'Shapes around Us'.



English Week was observed for classes I to VII from 24.11.25 – 28.11.25.



Child Safety Week was observed by the department of Humanities from 17.11.2025 to 21.11.2025. A Procession emphasizing the need of 'Child safety', poster displays and oath taking activities were carried out.



Child Safety Week

Lit Fest-2025 was celebrated by the Department of English and Tamil on 05.11.2025. In session I, a debate was organised in Tamil on the topic 'மாணவரின் எதிர்காலத்தை நிர்ணயிப்பதில் பெரும்பங்காற்றுவது கல்வியே! திறன்களே!' In the II session, students dressed as William Shakespeare, William Wordsworth, Robert Frost, Ruskin Bond and Sarojini Naidu took the audience to the garden of Literature through time travel.



Character Counts Week was observed from 10.11.2025 to 13.11.2025. Programmes such as a mime portraying 'Humanity and Compassion', a thoughtful play on 'Respect', a speech on 'Honesty, Gratitude and Kindness', a song on 'Discipline' and a vibrant parade of iconic characters highlighting the values of hard work, unity, truth, perseverance and courage were presented by the students.



B. Gautham Karthik (VI) bagged the Bronze medal in 50mts Butterfly Style in District level Swimming Championship which was held at Racecourse Swimming Pool, Madurai, on 07.11.2025.



A. Sharveshwaran (IV) bagged the Gold medal in the State Level Open Silambam Championship which was held at Ranvee School, Madurai, on 09.11.2025.



K. Manya (XI) and R. Deeksha (VIII) secured the Runners-up position in the Badminton Inter School Competition which was held at SPJ Matriculation Hr. Sec. School, Madurai, on 14.11.2025.



In TNKARATE premier League 2025 – Individual KATA event organized on 16.11.2025, S. Oviyaselvan (VII) won the First Prize.



S.P. Sabari Yugan and S.P. Jai Hari participated in the Gymnastics competition conducted by Madurai District Gymnastic Association and won Silver Medals on 23.11.2025.



23 NCC cadets of the School took part in CATC CUM DTE RDC TRG-I Camp organised by TRG-I CAMP 9 TN NCC Unit, Tirunelveli, at NTA Idayapatti from 01.11.2025 to 10.11.2025. Cadet S. K. Bedhiraj secured a gold medal in drill and cultural. Cadet R. Sivasuriya won a gold medal in Anchoring and silver medal in drills. Cadet M. Magizh Rayer got a bronze medal in the drill. Cadet B. Santhosh got a gold medal in Anchoring. In Marathon, all three places were sealed by S.B.O.A. students. Cadet K. Jaikirish got the gold, V. Sivakarthykeyan bagged the silver medal and S. Harsha Vardhan won bronze medal.



The Madurai Sahodaya Schools Complex conducted 'Aarohanam 2025-2026', an Inter school cultural event-Zone-6 on 22.11.2025. The students participated in various competitions and won prizes in the following competitions: Mini Eco Warriors - I Prize; Little Planet Parade - II Prize; Wonder wings - III Prize; Design with Math - I Prize; Collage Carnival - I Prize; Kathai Kooral - I Prize; Street play - II Prize; Rhythm shift - II Prize; Engineering and Disaster Management - I Prize. The School won the Overall Shield!



CHILDREN'S DAY - 14.11.2025



Department of Physical Science and APJ Kalam's Vision Club organised an air show on 20.11.2025. They inspired the students with the model flights and robots. Children enjoyed the show.



Children of KG were taken to Thiruparankundram Eco Park on 06.11.2025.



Orange day was celebrated by the kids of kindergarten on 22.11.2025.



Mr. B.K. Athmanandam, Retired Teacher, Kendra Vidhyalaya conducted a comprehensive brain storming session for class XII Accountancy students on 'Cash Flow Statements and Company Accounts' 20.11.2025.



J. Vasanthan and M. Yohith Raja (IX) and A.S. Ajay Anto and B.U. Ashwanth Bala (XI) attended the Master classes on Vibe Coding using AI conducted by Echo Innovators Ideathon 2026 on 15.11.2025 and 16.11.2025.



Mr. R. Saravanakumar, Academic Supervisor (Mathematics) conducted an AI-Integrated High Achievers' Brainstorming Session on 'Probability & Techniques of Integral Calculus' for the students of class XI and XII on 26.11.2025.



Teachers from all compartments attended the Capacity Building Programme on 'Stress Management' at SBOA School (CBSE), Madurai, on 29.11.2025. The Resource Persons were Mrs. B. Vasantha, Principal, Sri Vidhya Mandhir, Dindigul and Mrs. P. Hamsapriya, Academic Director, Mahatma Montessori School, Madurai.



Career Consultant Mr. Ashwin addressed the parents and students of Standard XII and delivered an insightful and motivational speech on 19.11.2025. During his address, he highlighted the wide range of academic pathways and career opportunities available to students upon the completion of their higher secondary education. He provided valuable guidance on choosing the right stream based on individual aptitude, interests and future goals. The session was highly informative and helped both parents and students gain clarity and confidence in planning the next phase of the learners' academic journey.



Ms. Archana from Gamlin and KOKUYO, conducted a skill development workshop for the students of Std. VI and VII on 01.11.2025. During the session, students were introduced to four different drawing techniques - Water proofing, Lamination, Embossing, Sandwicing, helping them enhance their artistic skills and creativity.



An Orientation Program on Robotics was conducted on 04.11.2025 in the Conference Room (Annexe) for Std VI & VII and Conference Hall (Main) for Std VIII and IX.



Spoken English classes for RTE parents are conducted on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of every month, for one hour in the evening, with the objective of empowering them with essential language skills and contributing to the growth of a more literate society.



A total of 127 students from Std IX enthusiastically participated in an educational field trip to Dakshin Chitra on 08.11.2025, where they explored the rich cultural heritage and traditional arts of South India.



'LIFE MAY BE A RACE, LET THEM FOLLOW THEIR PAGE'. Children's Day celebration went on in full swing with full of joy. On 14.11.2025, teachers performed during the special assembly to entertain them on their special day. A food mela was also organized.



The School celebrated Children's Day with great joy and excitement on 20.11.2025. Dr. P. Nithish A.R. Singh, President of the SBIDA Educational Trust and Correspondent of SBOA Matriculation Higher Secondary School, delivered the Presidential Address. The Chief Guest, Ms. Tanya Dutt, Executive Director of Kromatiks and Insulants Pvt. Ltd., gave an inspiring speech and the Guest of Honour, Mr. Abrahaam Nithya Pandian, Alumnus (2017 batch), Vijay TV Super Singer fame, graced the occasion. During the celebration, the in-house magazine 'Voices' was released, marking a proud moment for the school. Class magazine prepared by the students of class III to IX were released. The teachers entertained the children by dressing up as cartoon characters and the day ended with smiles and happy memories.



The Children's Day projects done by the students of KG, Std I & II were displayed with great enthusiasm. Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh, President, SBIDA Educational Trust and Correspondent of S.B.O.A. Matric., Chennai, along with the Principal, Mrs. Sunila Cherian and the distinguished guests visited the exhibition. Various creative models such as a farm, police station, fire station, hospital, science lab and rockets were set up for display. The students dressed as community helpers—including doctors, nurses, educationists, policemen, postmen and chefs—spoke confidently and relevantly about their roles. A group of children performed an action song related to the theme, while a vibrant group dance on community helpers stole the show. The project proved to be highly informative, helping the children gain a deeper understanding of community helpers and their valuable services to society.



LITRECIA '25

LITRECIA'25, the interschool literary quest, witnessed an enthusiastic participation of 170 students from 14 schools, showcasing their creativity, confidence and linguistic flair. A wide spectrum of events such as Storytelling, Bookmark Making, JAM, Parody, Short Film Making, Slogan Writing, Debate, Creative Writing, Chrono Quest and Book Review provided a vibrant platform for young minds to express their imagination and literary skills.

Each event was efficiently coordinated by dedicated teachers-in-charge, student coordinators and volunteers from Classes X-XII, ensuring smooth organisation and a spirited competitive environment. The programme reflected the essence of literary excellence, teamwork and intellectual growth, making LITRECIA'25 a memorable and inspiring experience for all participants. The Valediction of Litrecia'25 marked the conclusion of the interschool literary celebration. The event began with the Presidential Address by Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh. The highlight of the evening was the inspiring message from the Chief Guest, Ms. Sundari Ganapathy, alumna (1993 batch) and an author. The programme also included the recognition of winners and expressions of gratitude, making it a memorable finale to Litrecia'25.



The Literary Club of the School was inaugurated on 6th November 2025, marking the beginning of a promising and creative journey for all young writers, readers and speakers. The Patron, Mrs. Sunila Cherian invested the office bearers with their roles - President, writing leads, debate leads, creative leads, drama leads etc. Following the inauguration, the club met twice—on 7th November 2025 and 14th November 2025—setting a strong foundation for the club's activities. To start with, JAM and POETRY WRITNG were conducted on these days. With exciting activities, workshops and events ahead, the members look forward to a meaningful and inspiring literary journey.





The School, in collaboration with ICUBE Robotics, has introduced Robotics classes for students of Standards VI to IX. This initiative aims to equip students with essential 21st-century skills by providing hands-on exposure to robotics, coding and innovative problem-solving. Through this program, students will have the opportunity to explore technological concepts, develop computational thinking, and cultivate creativity in a structured learning environment.

Niranjana S. (IX-D) secured the 5th Position and reached top 5 in Techfest Olympiad Chennai Zonal Level and Hari Krishna (X-E) secured the 5th Position and reached the top 5 in Sparks X in Chennai Zonals and are selected for the National Level Olympiad in IIT Mumbai Techfest 2025 to be held at IIT Mumbai in the month of December, 2025.



'I am an Author', conducted a Story Writing Competition in celebration of Children's Day 2025. Anagha Hemraj (XII-C), distinguished herself by winning a prize for her exceptional story titled '*Woven Tales*'.



Know for Sure – Quiz Competition was conducted by the SBIQA Educational Trust at SBOA Matric School, Coimbatore. The School team Monish P.S. (XII-B), Mathew Stanly S (XI-F) and Srikanth (XI-E) won the II Prize in the Senior Category.



SBOA Global School conducted an Inter school competition on Video Games on 21.11.25. Our school students won the First Prize in GMI – Battle Grounds Mobile India and Second Prize in Valorent.

Elakiya S. (XII-H) and Harita Y (XI-B) secured the III Place in the U-19 Lawn Tennis Doubles category at the Divisional Level Tournament held at SDAT, Nungambakkam on 11.11.2025.



Raushan Kumar K. of XII H and Shelton Roy of X C secured the II place in the U-19 Lawn Tennis Doubles category at the divisional level tournament held at SDAT, Nungambakkam on 11.11.25.



S. Sahana (XI-G) won the Silver medal in Triple Jump organised by Amity Global Business School at Nehru Stadium on 12.11.2025.



Thabazyah V. (VI-D) secured the IV Place in the First RCA & DPCA State Level Children's Chess Tournament held on 22.11.2025.



Bharathidasan Public Schools, Panapakkam, conducted the SGFI State Level Trails for Netball on 05.11.2025 and 06.11.2025 and P.R. Madesh Kumar (VIII-A) & T. Pagalavan (VIII-C) have been selected in SGFI U - 14 Netball Boys Tamilnadu Team.





The Inter-House Competition for the academic year 2025-2026 was conducted in the month of November for students of Classes I to XI. The four houses participated in a wide range of events with great enthusiasm, showcasing their individual and collective talents. For Classes I & II, the events included Shell Smart, Solo Dance, Spin a Yarn and Tongue Twister. For Classes III to V, competitions such as Solo Singing, T-Shirt Logo Designing, Quiz – Animal Facts and Best out of Waste were held. Students of Classes VI to VIII took part in DIY – Machine Contest, Face Painting, Adaptune and Singing – Mash-up. For Classes IX to XI, the events conducted were Debate (English, Tamil, and Hindi), Solo Instrumental Music, Rangoli and the Make-up Challenge. The competitions were conducted with much flair, and the students approached each event with a competitive spirit, giving their best performances throughout.





Appreciation cards bearing titles such as *Classroom Superstar*, *Awesome Work*, *Commendable English Speaker* and *Thanks for Helping* were presented to the students of Classes I to V on 13th November 2025, in recognition of their dedication to academics and discipline. This thoughtful initiative, introduced by the Principal Mrs. Sreekala Karunakaran, aims to motivate and encourage young learners to grow into responsible, confident and compassionate citizens.



'The Globe Trot', a grand Mega Expo, was held on 21st and 22nd November, 2025. The event was thoughtfully curated to take visitors on an intellectual and immersive journey across the world through student-led project exhibits representing various countries. The expo was inaugurated by Smt. D. S. Sangeetha, IRS, Additional Commissioner of Customs, Chennai Zone. The presence of Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh, President, SBIDA Educational Trust, Shri A. Senthil Ramesh, Secretary & Correspondent, SBIDA Educational Trust and Shri J. Ravi Kumar, Correspondent, SBOA Global School, added grace to the occasion and greatly boosted the enthusiasm of the students.



The Globe Trot featured exhibits on countries such as Singapore, Italy, Saudi Arabia, China, Russia, Japan, France, Israel, Australia, England and Egypt. Each project showcased the unique culture, heritage, history, inventions and global significance of the respective nations, reflecting the creativity and research skills of the students. A special Visa Ticket was issued to all visitors, allowing them to collect country stamps as they explored each pavilion. This engaging activity enriched the experience, enabling guests to complete their 'world tour', beginning their journey from India by air.



The Kindergarten department conducted a fun-filled event for parents on 29th November, 2025, designed to strengthen the bond between children and their parents through joyful and collaborative activities. The major highlights of the day included Cook with Dad, a creative Fashion Parade and an energetic Dance with the Parent segment. The event was filled with laughter, participation and memorable moments, making it a delightful experience for every family.



Children's Day was joyfully celebrated on 14th November, 2025, to commemorate the birth anniversary of our first Prime Minister, Shri Jawaharlal Nehru and to honour the spirit, innocence and immense potential of every child. A colourful special assembly, presented by the teachers, filled the students' hearts with delight and excitement. The teachers thoughtfully organized a day brimming with joy, fun activities and entertainment, making the celebration truly memorable for all the children.



Mrs Varalakshmi and Mrs Saranya Dept. of English attended a workshop on 1st November 2025, at the Orient Black Swan office on the topic 'Student-Led Classroom in English - Realising the Vision of NEP 2020'.



The resource person, Mrs. Ruchi Sengar, shared valuable insights and practical takeaways for implementing it in the classroom.



Mrs. R.E. Subha and Mrs Gajalakshmi of Hindi Department attended a workshop on 1st November, 2025, at the Bengal Association, T. Nagar.

The Resource person was Dr. Usha Sharma (Associate Professor, Department of Elementary Education, NCERT). She emphasized on Innovative Methods of Teaching Hindi Grammar and Experiential learning.

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S.A. Aadhrithswamy (LKG-B) won the Second Prize in the Drippy Dash Competition and Saranshi Prasad (UKG-B) won the Second Prize for Karate in the Interschool Competition conducted by Kola Perumal Chetty Vaishnav School on 1st November, 2025.



S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust conducted Inter School Quiz Competition in association with Indiannica at S.B.I.O.A Matriculation School, Coimbatore, on 28th November, 2025, in which Sudheerthi Paravataneni, Anirudh Sathish (X) and Neil Nage (IX-B) secured the 3rd Place.



Kayal Hasanthika (IX-A) won the 1st Place in the Inter-school Drawing Competition conducted by YMCA Madras Rotary Club on 15th November, 2025.



எஸ்.பி.ஓ.ஏ. பள்ளி மற்றும் இளநிலைக் கல்லூரியின் முத்தமிழ் மன்ற விழா போட்டிகள் 15.11.2025 அன்று அப்பள்ளி வளாகத்தில் நடைபெற்றன. அதில் நம் பள்ளி மாணவர்கள் இரண்டு பிரிவுகளில் வெற்றி பெற்றுள்ளனர். கதைக்கூறல் போட்டி: அ. சஹானா (I-A) - மூன்றாம் பரிசு; பேச்சுப் போட்டி: கா. பிரஷ்ருதி (5-A) - இரண்டாம் பரிசு; மு. ரியா (5-B) - மூன்றாம் பரிசு.



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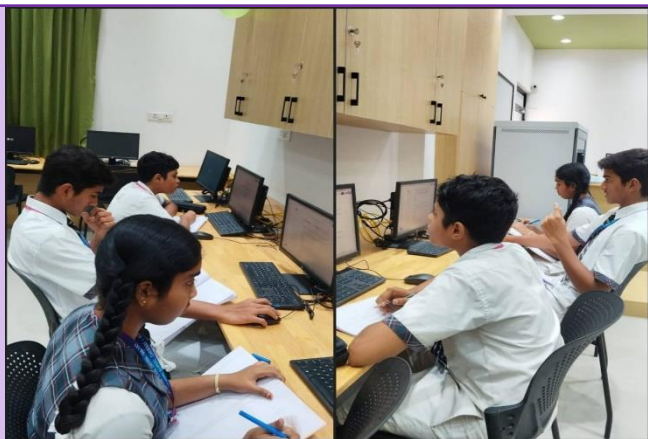
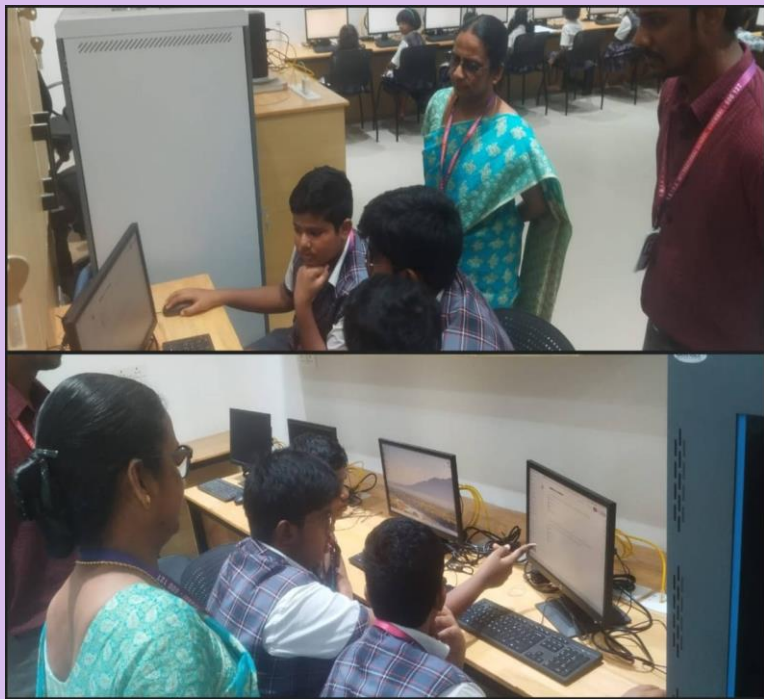
An integral aspect of education is cultivating the right attitude. Proper attitude at the right time and place determines your actions and behavior.



The SAFAL KSA 2025-26 Assessment for English-medium schools was conducted by CBSE in digital mode. For Grade 9, assessments were held for English, Mathematics, and Science on November 10th, 12th, and 17th, respectively. For Grade 6, the English and Mathematics assessments were conducted on November 24th and 26th, respectively. The assessment aimed to evaluate learners' conceptual understanding and essential skills.



The Preliminary round of the Heritage Quiz 2025, conducted by CBSE, was held on 13th November, 2025, at S.B.I.O.A. International School. Students participated with great interest as the quiz focused on India's rich cultural and historical heritage. The exam provided an engaging platform for students to test their knowledge and deepen their appreciation of India's legacy.



The Aryabhata Ganit Challenge 2025 (Finals) was conducted online on November 10, 2025, for Mathematics. Three students—Raghunandhan M (X-B), S. M. Vishwa Cindhurah (IX-B) and Arnav Satish (IX-B) proudly represented the School.

The Quiz Club was inaugurated by Principal Smt. Revathy Alagarswamy on 21st November, 2025. The students were selected based on their performance in the preliminary round, which was conducted for Grades 5 – 9, and 11 on current affairs. The Principal addressed the students, highlighting the benefits of being part of the club. The selected members also took their first weekly current affairs test as part of the club's activities.



The Inter-School Quiz Competition was held on November 28, 2025, at SBOA Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Coimbatore. Sponsored by Indiannica Pvt. Limited, the event featured three rounds of testing general knowledge and quick thinking. Seventeen teams participated in the Senior Category. SBOA International School, Mambakkam, represented by Venmukilan (Grade 10), Keerthivashan (Grade 9) and Anuroopa (Grade 7), secured the First Prize with 60 points.



The State-Level Kids Inter-School Athletic Meet was held on November 1, 2025, at Tamil Nadu Sports University under the direction of Fit India. In the Grade 3 and 4 Girls' Category, Harsha V (3-B) secured a Silver Medal in the 75 metres event and a Bronze Medal in the 50 metres dash. In the Grade 7 and 8 Boys' Category, Vetrivel S.U. (8-A) won the Gold Medal in Long Jump and a Bronze Medal in the 200 metres dash.



The Open State Level Inter School Athletic Meet was held on 15th November, 2025, at the Tamil Nadu Sports University, organised by Real Sports Academy. R. Dhiya (11-A) secured the Gold Medal in the Shotput event in the Super Senior Girls Category. E. Harini (8-B) won the Bronze Medal in the Long Jump event in the Junior Girls Category. Vetrivel S.U. (8-A) earned the Silver Medal in the 200 metres Dash in the Junior Boys Category.



Vetri Maaran D. (2-B) secured the Second Place in both the 50 metres and the 75 metres events at the State Level Inter School Kids Athletic Meet held on 15th November, 2025, at Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University. The event was organised by Real Sports Academy. His achievement earned him a Certificate of Merit in recognition of his commendable performance.



On 22nd November, 2025, Viyan B. (I-A) represented the School in the 1st Inter-School Chess Competition 2025 held at Athena Global School. He secured the Second Place in the Under-8 category, bringing pride to the School with his remarkable achievement.



A Foundation Day Camp for the Bharat Scouts and Guides was held on November 8, 2025, at the Alathur Camp Site, with 92 participants from SBIDA International School, including 45 Cubs and 47 Bulbuls. The Scout Master of the Camp Site, Mr. Saranraj, addressed the students and conducted activities such as flowerpot making, action songs and sapling planting. The young participants took part enthusiastically and enjoyed a fun, meaningful and enriching camp experience.



A Walkathon under the Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan was organised in the School on 18th November, 2025, where Scouts, Guides, Road Safety Patrol and other student volunteers participated with great enthusiasm. The event focused on spreading awareness about the harmful effects of drugs among young learners. During the programme, Principal Mrs. Revathy Alagarsamy spoke to the students, urging them to stay away from substance abuse and to positively influence their peers and community.



The students of Grade 8 visited the Hatsun Dairy Plant, Red Hills, on 17th November, 2025, while Grade 6 students visited the Fort St. George and the Legislative Assembly on 20th November, 2025. These educational field trips provided students with meaningful exposure beyond the classroom, enabling them to connect their lessons with real-world processes and historical contexts.



The students of Grade 8 from SBOIA International School visited SBOA Global School on 21st November, 2025, to experience the Globe Trot event. Each classroom was transformed into a different country, featuring monuments, costumes, cultural symbols and food displays. The students explored the countries through models, charts and short presentations, gaining exposure to global cultures.



The kindergarten celebrated Wildlife Safari Day on November 7, 2025. The children eagerly took part by naming and describing different wild animals and singing lively animal-themed songs. They also performed an energetic action song, expressing joy and confidence. It was a fun learning experience that helped young learners understand wildlife and the importance of protecting animals.



Children's Day was celebrated on 14th November, 2025, with great enthusiasm. A special assembly marked the beginning of the day, followed by a vibrant cultural programme presented by the students of Grades 7 to 10. A debate on the use of mobile phones was conducted for students of Classes 9 and 11. Class Magazines were prepared by the students of Grades 3 to 9. The Best Magazine Award winners were appreciated with gifts. A special 3-D show was arranged for students from KG to Class XII, making it a day filled with excitement, learning and joy. The KG teachers organized an engaging Sing-Along session, which the children enjoyed thoroughly. The teachers dressed up as different characters to entertain the little ones. The children joined in with lively actions to various songs, making the celebration cheerful, interactive and memorable.



An advanced and effective communication knowledge-transfer session, originally attended in October, was shared with the staff on November 1, 2025. The session was presented by Mrs. Moumita Bhunia, Ms. Sowmiya R., and Mrs. Nisitha K. from the Department of English. It focused on enhancing communication skills through practical application. Participants found the session informative and beneficial.



An Art-Integrated Learning session was conducted by Ms. P.P. Rehana from the Department of Physical Training for teachers handling classes from KG to Grade 8 on November 10, 2025. The session highlighted practical ways to weave art into everyday teaching, enabling children to learn with greater interest, creativity and ease. It emphasized making classroom experiences more engaging by blending concepts with simple, enjoyable art-based activities.



A Knowledge Transfer session on Gender Sensitivity was conducted by Mrs. Elizabeth Rani from the Social Science Department and Mrs. K. Malathi from the Mathematics Department on November 17, 2025. The session was based on the training they had earlier attended in August at Maharishi Vidyamandir. It highlighted the importance of ensuring equal opportunities for all students, promoting a bias-free environment and discouraging any form of discrimination between boys and girls. The session encouraged teachers to foster an inclusive and respectful classroom atmosphere.



Mr. Ranjithkumar P. from the Department of Physical Education served as an official at the 23rd Asia Masters Athletics Championship 2025, organized by the Masters Athletics Federation of India from November 5 to 9, 2025, at the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium in Chennai. He was awarded a Certificate of Appreciation for his dedicated service and for successfully completing the STO (State Technical Official) certification. His contribution added value to the smooth conduct of this international championship.



A two-day CBSE Science Workshop on Competency-Based Assessment (Case Studies) was conducted on November 21-22, 2025, at SBOA School and Junior College, Annanagar. The sessions were led by resource persons Mrs. P. N. Sundari and Ms. B. Hema Malini, with an address by COE Chennai Head, Ms. Arunima Mazumdar. Teachers explored case-based questions through interactive activities, including role-play and presentations. Mr. Ramesh Babu (AS Dept. of Physics), Mrs. Sujini (Dept. of Biology) and Mrs. Sredevi Varma (Dept. of Chemistry) participated in the workshop.



PROSPECTIVE RESOURCE PERSONS PROGRAMME

Competency Based Assessment (Case Studies)

Science (Secondary) (Grades 9-10)

VENUE : SBOA SCHOOL AND JUNIOR COLLEGE, CHENNAI – 101





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The Department of School Education, conducted Republic day and Bharathiar day State Athletic Meet at Tanjore from 1st to 3rd November, 2025. R. Neil Samraj (XII-E) won the Gold medal in the 100m and the 200m race. He is also qualified to participate in the School Games Federation of India's National Athletic Meet.



The Department of School Education conducted the Revenue District Squash Tournament on 02.11.2025. S. Harshini Sri (XI-A) won the Gold in Squash Singles and Doubles and J.S. Yuvasri (XI-A) won the Gold in Squash Doubles. They have been selected to participate in the Republic Day and Bharathiar Day Squash Championship, which will be conducted by the Department of School Education, Tamil Nadu.



Inter School Quiz Competition 2025 was organized by the 'Divyodaya Inter-Religious Centre' in Coimbatore on 07.11.2025. Harshan P. (VIII-E) and Chiraag R. (VIII-A) bagged the First Prize.



VIBGYOR Group of Schools organized 'The Stars Ensemble', a prestigious global talent competition for the students to showcase their diverse talents on 08.11.2025. Benita Theocharis I. (XII-C) and her team got First Prize in the singing competition.



The 34th Children's Science Congress - 2025 was organised by the Tamil Nadu Science Forum, the Institute of Mathematical Sciences and the All India People's Science Network on the theme 'Sustainable Management of Water and Sanitation', at the Corporation Boys Higher Secondary School, Siddhapudur, on 14.11.2025. The students of Classes 6 to 9 participated in this project display. Hemayaazhini M. (VI-C) & Aaradhiya M.K. (VI-C) were selected for the next level to be held in Kangeyam.



11th Sub Junior State Level Softball Championship 2025-2026 for Boys & Girls was organized by Tiruchirapalli Softball Association, affiliated by Tamilnadu Softball Association and recognized by the Indian Softball Federation. The Girls team secured 14 Bronze Medals, Merit certificates and 2nd Runner-Up Trophy.



Uyir Trust, in collaboration with Honda Company, conducted a Road Safety Programme at The Grand Regent Hotel on 8th November 2025. Out of 2,700 schools, Uyir Trust shortlisted 150 institutions for appreciation, and we are proud to share that SBOA, Coimbatore, was one among the honoured schools.

'Know for Sure' Quiz Competition 2025 was organized by the SBIOA Educational Trust, Chennai, in collaboration with Indiannica Learning Pvt. Ltd at Coimbatore ON 28.11.2025. Renowned Quiz masters Mr. Saurabh Beniwal and Mr. Titash Benarjee conducted the three-round competition for both Junior and Senior categories, with around 22 schools participating. SBOA MHSS, CBE, Junior Category – Chirag R. (VIII-A), Harshan P. (VIII-E) & Sudharsan R. (VIII-C) – bagged the First Prize. They were honoured with medals, certificates and a trophy.



An insightful one-day workshop on the theme 'A Blissful Journey – From Entropy to Stillness' was organized by the SHARPEN Academy for the teachers of SBOA MHSS and SBIOA Public, Pattanam, at SBOA MHSS, Coimbatore on 29.11.2025. The resource person, Mr. Saurab Nehiwal, briefed on how to move from chaos and disorder toward a state of peace and inner calm.

'A Blissful Journey – From Entropy to Stillness'



The 40th Annual Sports Day 'Rapsodia Sportiva' (Integrating Frenzy Romania), was held on 3rd November, 2025 in the presence of the President Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh, S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust, Secretary & Correspondent Shri. A. Senthil Ramesh, S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust, Chief Guest Tmt. M. P. Dhivya, DCP, Mr. M. Murugesan, Correspondent of the SBOA Schools, Coimbatore and the alumna Dr. Samyuktha S. commenced with an Invocation, Welcome Address, a brief introduction of the Chief Guest and flag hoisting followed by the lighting of the Olympic Torch by Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh, President, SBIOA Educational Trust. Cultural presentations such as Romanian-themed performances, Yoga displays, Silambam, Band formations and a Continuity Drill enriched the event.



Children's Day was celebrated with great zeal on 14 November 2025. Students from Classes KG to V enthusiastically participated in the programme. Shri M. Murugesan, Correspondent, and Smt Sabural Banu Ibrahim, Principal, conveyed their warm greetings to the students.

Ms Ramyaa K. R., Early Childhood Educator, International Montessori Teacher, Centre Director – IMTTI, Coimbatore, and Founder of Dreamers' Workshop, graced the occasion and addressed the gathering.

As part of the celebration, KG parents were invited to join their children in engaging traditional games. A Disney dinosaur-themed movie was screened for the KG students. Various competitions such as colouring, storytelling, greeting card making, lemon and spoon race, and talent hunt were conducted for students of Classes I to V. The children celebrated the special day with immense joy, enthusiasm and excitement.



As part of Vigilance Awareness Week, on 17.11.2025, a special programme was organised to promote the values of honesty and responsibility. Shri. M. Murugesan, Correspondent, SBOA Schools, delivered the Keynote Address, setting the tone for the event. This was followed by a Special Address by Shri. Sudhir Kumar, DGM (Vigilance), State Bank of India. The Chief Guest, Shri Jayateertha V. Jainapur, General Manager and Disciplinary Authority, State Bank of India, emphasised the importance of vigilance in everyday life and administered the Vigilance Oath in English, while the oaths in Hindi and Tamil were rendered by other officials. Prizes were also distributed to the winners of the Essay Writing Competition, marking a fitting conclusion to the meaningful programme.



'Kalam's World Records' was organised by the Vetri Martial Arts Academy at Brindavan Public School, Coonoor on 09.11.2025. Students performed nonstop Silambam Rotation for 79 minutes while standing in a human tree shape formation to promote the theme 'Save Nature'. Shakti Karthikeyan (V-D) was one among them.

Rapsodia Sportiva showcases sporting excellence



The 40th Annual Sports Day of SBOA Matriculation and Higher Secondary School, Chokkampudur, Coimbatore, was celebrated with great zeal and sporting spirit on Monday, November 3, 2025, at the school ground.

The event commenced with the energetic school band in attendance. The theme 'Rapsodia Sportiva- The Spirit of Romania' captured the essence of rhythm, strength, and unity, celebrating the harmony between culture and athletic excellence. It reflected the school's vision of fostering global values through the universal language of sports.

Dr P Nithish Andreyys Raja Singh, president, SBOA Educational Trust, Chennai, presided over the function.

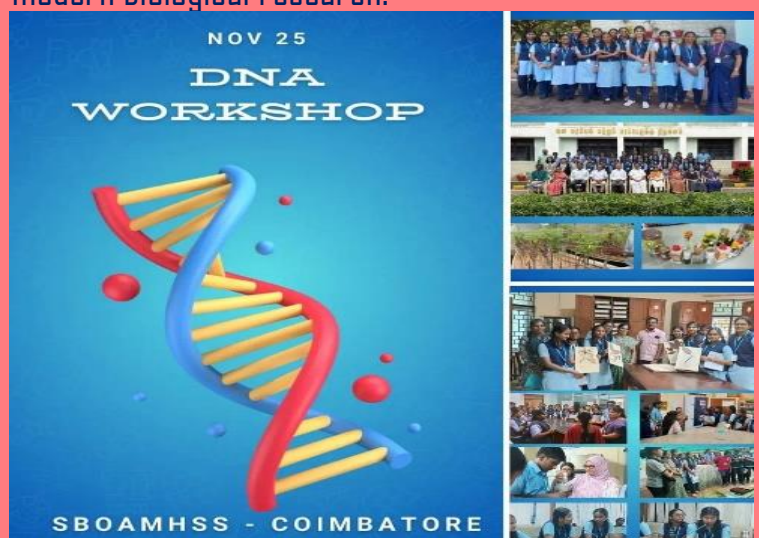
A Senthil Ramesh, secretary and correspondent, SBOA Educational Trust,

delivered an inspiring keynote address, and M Murugesan, correspondent, SBOA Schools, Coimbatore, gave a motivating special address.

Chief guest M P Dhivya, IPS, Deputy Commissioner of Police, Headquarters, Coimbatore City, unfurled the national flag and took the salute at the grand and disciplined march past. The programme began with an invocation to Tamil, followed by a gracious welcome address, flag hoisting, and the lighting of the Olympic torch, symbolizing the true Olympic spirit.

The day witnessed spirited competitions, precision drills, and vibrant performances like Goal Quest Romania, Yoga, Silambam, and the rhythmic band display. The celebration concluded with a vote of thanks and thrilling athletic events, showcasing teamwork, endurance, and excellence in sportsmanship.

'ABC OF DNA' workshop was organised by ICFRE - IFGTB at Forest Campus, Coimbatore. A total of 15 students took part in this Central Government-supported scientific training programme. The workshop aimed to deepen students' understanding of DNA, genetics and modern biological research.



Our school had the privilege of hosting a batch of students for the IIT Madras School Connect Program, organized by the Centre for Outreach and Digital Education (CODE). 12 students have successfully completed the online course by clearing a written examination and submitting a project. Through this initiative, students were introduced to diverse and emerging fields such as Introduction to Data Science and AI, Fundamentals of Aerospace, and Introduction to Engineering Biological Systems. The interactive sessions and assignments provided valuable insights beyond the regular curriculum. The program proved to be an enriching experience, inspiring students to explore higher learning and develop a deeper interest in scientific and technological innovation.

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On November 1st, the School celebrated Kerala Piravi Day with great enthusiasm in the morning assembly. The Malayalam, Hindi and Sanskrit Departments jointly organized the programme which highlighted the cultural richness and linguistic heritage of Kerala through songs, speeches and performances by the students.



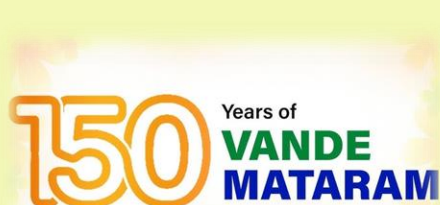
On 5th November, a Student Enrichment and Awareness Programme on Health, Hygiene and Sex Education was conducted for the students of Classes V and VI. The session was handled by Dr. M. N. Venkateswaran, Child and Adolescent Consultant, who currently serves as the Medical Superintendent and Head of the Department of Paediatrics.



On 4th November, Drawing and Painting competition was conducted in connection with the International Whale Shark Day and Manta Day 2025, organised by ICAR-CMFRI in the School. 1st Prize - Bhadra Vinesh (6-A); 2nd Prize - Gaeya Shysin T.S. (5-A) & 3rd Prize - Akshara Rinoy



On 5th November, the Boys' Football (Under-17) team secured the First Runner-Up Position in the KIZSAPS Tournament 2025-2026 held at St. Antony's Public School, Kizhakkambalam.



On 7th November, the SBOA Air Wing NCC Cadets celebrated the 150th anniversary of our National Song. The event was organised as a tribute to *Vande Mataram* and to honour its historic significance.



On 7th November, Srilaya (VI-A) won the U-15 Girls Champion Title in the V.V.S. Chess Tournament conducted at Cherai.



Annabelle had won the Third Prize in International Okinawan Shorin Ryu Seibukan Karate-do of India 12th National Karate Championship 2025 held in Kaloor on 07.11.2025.



On 14th November, the KG section celebrated Children's Day with great enthusiasm and joy. The programme began with a solemn prayer, setting a positive tone for the event. This was followed by a well-articulated speech by Eshan Emir, who highlighted the significance of the day. The celebration continued with lively dance performances. Thanvi presented a graceful solo dance, followed by an energetic performance by the Pre-KG children. Later, Zabdial and Elizabeth each showcased delightful dance numbers, adding colour, charm and excitement to the occasion. A special dance performance by the teachers brought smiles and cheers from the children.



On 17th November, 2025, SriLaya (G-A) had won the U-12 Girls' Champion Chess Wiz Tournament at Forum Mall, Kochi.



Silviya Merin won the Third Prize in the Malayalam Elocution Competition held in connection with Vigilance Awareness Week 2025 and also received a cash award of ₹1000. The competition was organised by The Fertilizers and Chemicals Travancore Limited (FACT).



Mitra and Pragathi of Class XI won the Second Prize for their PPT presentation at the SASTRA Science Exhibition conducted at Campion School.



On 17th November 2025, on the occasion of *Ekta Diwas*, the NCC Air Wing Cadets of SBOA School delivered a speech and administered the National Unity Day pledge to commemorate the significance of the day.



Anna Jain, Eline Rodrigues and Augustine Jeeze (XI) participated in the Wall Painting Competition conducted by St. Paul's International School and received the Consolation Prize along with a cash award of ₹1000.



Aravind Gopan, Agnae K. Vinod, and Siddharth Karakkad received the Certificate of Appreciation for reaching the grand finale of the *Know for Sure* Quiz Competition organised by the S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust in association with Indiannica Learning Pvt. Ltd.



A group of 45 students from SBOA Public (Sr. Sec) School undertook an exciting educational visit to the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) to witness a rocket launch. The trip also included visits to the VSSC Space Museum and the Priyadarshini Planetarium on 19th November 2025. The trip was coordinated by ABHA Space Research Organisation, and the students were accompanied by two teachers from our school, Mrs. Sreeja S. and Mrs. Asha Jayachandran.





A one-day Workshop-cum-Competitions was organised by the Department of Artificial Intelligence & Data Science at MGR Educational & Research Institute on 3rd November, 2025. A total of 49 students from Classes VII to XII participated in the event. The students excelled in various events, winning multiple prizes, certificates, cash awards and proudly securing the Overall Championship Trophy.



Sri Apoorva (III-B) secured the First Place in the Tamil Nadu State-Level Silambam Competition under the Sub-Junior category, held at Mylapore on 09.11.2025.



SBOA Matric & Hr. Sec. School conducted Litrecia '25 on 21.11.2025. The students from Std. III to XI participated enthusiastically in various competitions. Among them, Deborah Shiny Princess (X) won the Third Prize in the Creative Writing Competition.



M. Darrshini (X) won five gold medals and an Individual Championship Trophy in the Madras District Association Inter-School Swimming Meet held at Velacheri, Chennai on 30.11.2025.



Madhubhan Educational Books conducted a one day workshop highlighting on the process of language learning techniques on 01.11.2025. The resource person Mrs. Usha Sharma provided practical tips and effective grammar teaching and learning techniques in Hindi. Mrs. C. Sinthya and Mrs. A. Krishna Vani attended the session.



A Team of Doctors from Rainbow Hospital conducted general health check-up for students of KG to Std. V ON 04.11.2025.



On account of Children's Day, a series of competitions was conducted from 04.11.2025 to 06.11.2025. The events included a Fashion Show for Pre-KG, Colouring for LKG and UKG, Action Song for Std. I and II, Storytelling for Std. III and IV, Thirukkural Recitation for Std. V and VI, English Elocution for Std. VII and VIII, Poster Making for Std. IX and X, and Just a Minute for Std. XI and XII. The prize winners were honoured with trophies on Children's Day.



SBOA School & Junior College conducted 'The Muthamizh Vizha Competitions' on 15.11.2025. Students from various categories took part enthusiastically and showcased their talents. They displayed remarkable skills and received appreciation for their outstanding participation and achievements in multiple events.



United Way Myrtle VIA Safe Mobility Ambassadors conducted an impactful Road Safety Workshop for the students of Std. VI to IX at the auditorium on 19.11.2025. The session empowered the students with sharp insights on traffic rules, safe commuting practices, and proactive safety measures, enhancing their awareness as responsible young citizens.



SBOA Global School organised an exhibition titled 'The Globe Trot' on 21.11.2025. Students from Std. VII visited the exhibition and were mesmerised by the displays showcasing various countries along with their capitals, culture, food, dance styles, traditional games and models of historical monuments.



The Department of Kindergarten celebrated **Snowman Day** on 21.11.2025. The day brought a cool winter vibe into the classrooms with beautiful white décor, balloon snowmen, and a festive ambience. Children came dressed in winter outfits and enjoyed fun activities, winter rhymes, and creative snowman craft work. A special photo corner added to the excitement. The celebration provided a joyful, engaging, and memorable winter-themed experience for all the kids.



Tamil Ilakkiya Manram organized a singing competition for the students Std. III & IV on 25.11. 2025. The children rendered soulful Bharathiya songs, showcasing their talent and love for Tamil literature.



The winners of the Intramural Tournament for the year 2025-2026 for the senior category were honoured with certificates and shields in the assembly on 26.11.2025.



Mrs. S. Manvizhi and Mr. Arivazhahan, Dept. of Tamil, visited the Shelter Trust Home, a home for the HIV affected children on 29.11.2025 and donated the contribution of the staff and students.



Bharatiyar Day was celebrated by the Dept. of Kindergarten with great vibrancy to introduce them to the poet's ideals and patriotism on 28.11.2025. The Common Assembly, graced by Vice Principals set a spirited tone. Mrs. Nishanthini, Dept. of Tamil delivered a simple, engaging talk on Bharatiyar and taught a lively Bharatiyar song. The children dressed as Bharatiyar and wore themed masks, adding charm to the event. The celebration was joyful, meaningful, and a memorable learning experience for all KG students.



“Educating the mind without educating the heart is no education at all.”

Aristotle

“Don't put a limit on anything. The more you dream the farther you get.”

Michael Phelps
22 medals

“The right steps will always lead you to Success”



On 03.11.2025, in connection with World Food Day 2025, students of Class VIII A presented a talk on the importance of food. They highlighted key benefits such as improved physical health, enhanced mental and cognitive function, a stronger immune system, healthy development, longevity, and disease prevention. Students distributed fruits to their peers and encouraged them to choose fruits over junk food, helping them understand the value of healthy eating habits.



Children's Day was celebrated with joy and enthusiasm, on 17th November, 2025. The event was presided over by Shri. M. Vajravel, Correspondent, S.B.I.O.A. Public School, Salem and graced by the Chief Guest, Dr. Raeshmi, Paediatrician and Medical Director, Ramalingam Hospital, Salem. The Correspondent delivered the Presidential Address, emphasizing the importance of children and their role in society. Dr. Raeshmi addressed the students and shared value-based stories on good habits, discipline and a balanced lifestyle for a bright future. She stressed the importance of cleanliness and demonstrated the seven steps of handwashing. The celebration featured cultural performances by kindergarten and lower primary students, as well as a short speech on the life and contributions of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru. Prizes for the Multi-disciplinary Exhibition winners were distributed by the dignitaries.



The Kindergarten wing celebrated 'Yellow Day' with great excitement on 28.11.2025. The campus was decorated in vibrant shades of yellow, creating a cheerful atmosphere. Children enthusiastically participated in Show and Tell activities and a fashion parade, bringing various yellow objects from home. Engaging art and craft activities were organized to foster creativity and fine motor skills. The colour yellow, symbolizing joy and positivity, spread happiness throughout the campus.



Constitution of India in 1949, was commemorated in the School. The students of Class VI-A conducted a special program to create awareness about the framers of the Constitution and the importance of the document in upholding democratic values. They delivered a speech on the significance of the Constitution and the Preamble of India was read aloud and taken as an oath by all students.

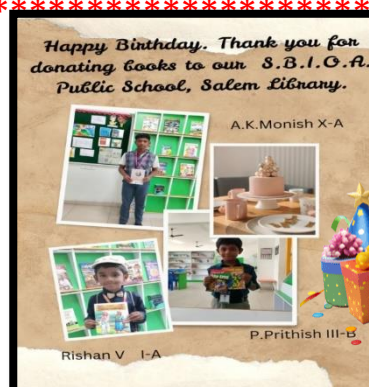


The Annual Taekwondo Training and Belt Grading Test 2025, hosted by the Salem District Taekwondo Association, was conducted at S.B.I.O.A. Public School, Salem. Nearly 36 students participated and showcased their martial arts skills. Their performance was assessed, and they were recognized with certificates, medals, and the White-1 Belt.





**BIRTHDAY
BOOK DONATION**



To inculcate the value of cleanliness and create awareness about maintaining a clean school environment, a weekly Cleanliness Trophy is awarded to deserving classes. This initiative encourages students to keep their surroundings neat and instills responsible habits.



**WINNERS
CLASSES I & II**

**CLASS
CLEANLINESS
TROPHY
WINNERS**



**WINNERS
CLASSES III - V**



**WINNERS
CLASSES VI - VIII**



**WINNERS
CLASSES IX & X**



Many students participated in the Thozha Athletic Academy meet held at St. Paul's Higher Secondary School on 01.11.2025 and won prizes. Ram Kumar R. (IX) secured a silver medal in the 400 m event. Sagithya Shree T.L. (VII-A) secured a silver medal in Shot Put. S.B.I.O.A. Public School, Salem, was awarded the Overall Participants Trophy in recognition of the students' enthusiastic involvement.



Sri Sai Varunika (II-A) participated in the National Level Abacus Exam held in Palakkad and secured the 2nd Rank. She received a certificate and an award.



Pavanitha V.S. and Pranitha V.S. (IV-B) got meritorious award in State Level Mastermind Abacus Gala 2025.



Ashrith (IV-A) had participated in Salem District Level Karate Championship held on 16.11.2025 and secured the 1st Prize in Individual Kata and Individual Kumite.



Nakshtra (II-C) has actively participated in the Drawing and Painting competition and secured the 3rd Place. She was awarded with the certificate and silver gram coin.



04.11.2025 – Bubble wrap printing is a fun, sensory-rich art technique that uses the textured surface of bubble wrap to create unique circular patterns on paper or fabric. It is an engaging activity suitable for all ages and is especially effective for creating backgrounds and decorative artwork. In this activity, children used bubble wrap sheets and paint to create leaf patterns for trees. The activity supported creativity and sensory development.



07.11.2025 – In this activity, bottle caps were used as stamps to create colourful designs. Students dipped bottle caps in paint and pressed them onto paper to form creative patterns. The activity helped develop fine motor skills, hand-eye coordination, and creativity. It was also adapted to support learning objectives such as colour recognition and early literacy skills. Kindergarten students enthusiastically demonstrated their talents.



22.11.2025 – The motivational movie 'Nam-Asiriyar' was screened for students from Classes I to IX. The film encouraged students to set clear goals in life and highlighted the important roles teachers play in shaping their future. The students enjoyed the movie and took away meaningful lessons on guidance, gratitude and ambition.



17.11.2025 – The Kindergarten classrooms were decorated with colourful balloons, creating a festive and cheerful atmosphere. The day's activities were designed to make every child feel special and appreciated. Children engaged in creative gift-making, enjoyed a cartoon movie session and had fun interactions with a mascot. The celebration captured the true spirit of childhood.



19.11.2025 – Adirvan (III-A) took a commendable initiative to promote environmental protection. He actively encouraged his parents and neighbours to avoid plastic bags and use cloth bags instead. By spreading awareness about the harmful effects of plastic pollution and advocating the use of reusable bags, he inspired others to adopt eco-friendly habits. This initiative motivated other students to follow similar practices.



Without plastic, all are fantastic, and you are majestic.
Say No to Plastic

22.11.2025 – A spoken English session was conducted for the service staff with the objective of improving their communication with students. The session began with a brief review of previous lessons, followed by the introduction of essential topics such as basic greetings and vocabulary related to fruits and vegetables.

Common and practical phrases, such as "Don't spill the food," "Don't go there," "Ma'am is calling you," and "Sit in your place," were taught and practiced. The staff members were then paired up for a role-play activity to use the newly learned vocabulary in simple conversations. They later shared the challenges they faced while speaking English and were encouraged to practice regularly. The training helped build their confidence and communication skills.



Initiative by the Department Of English
The English Department has recently launched an innovative initiative aimed at promoting the effective use of the English language across the campus. The main objective of this program was to encourage students to improve their diction, intonation, spelling, and usage of new vocabulary in their daily communication. To achieve this, faculty members conducted interactive activities, reading sessions and assess them in the everyday class sessions. As part of the initiative, the department introduced a motivational badge-awarding system. Students who demonstrated exceptional language skills received titles such as 'English Champion', 'Speech Star', 'Master Communicator', and 'Word Wizard'. These badges not only celebrated individual achievements but also inspired other students to participate enthusiastically and enhance their language abilities.



LIBRARY ACTIVITIES

Quiz club

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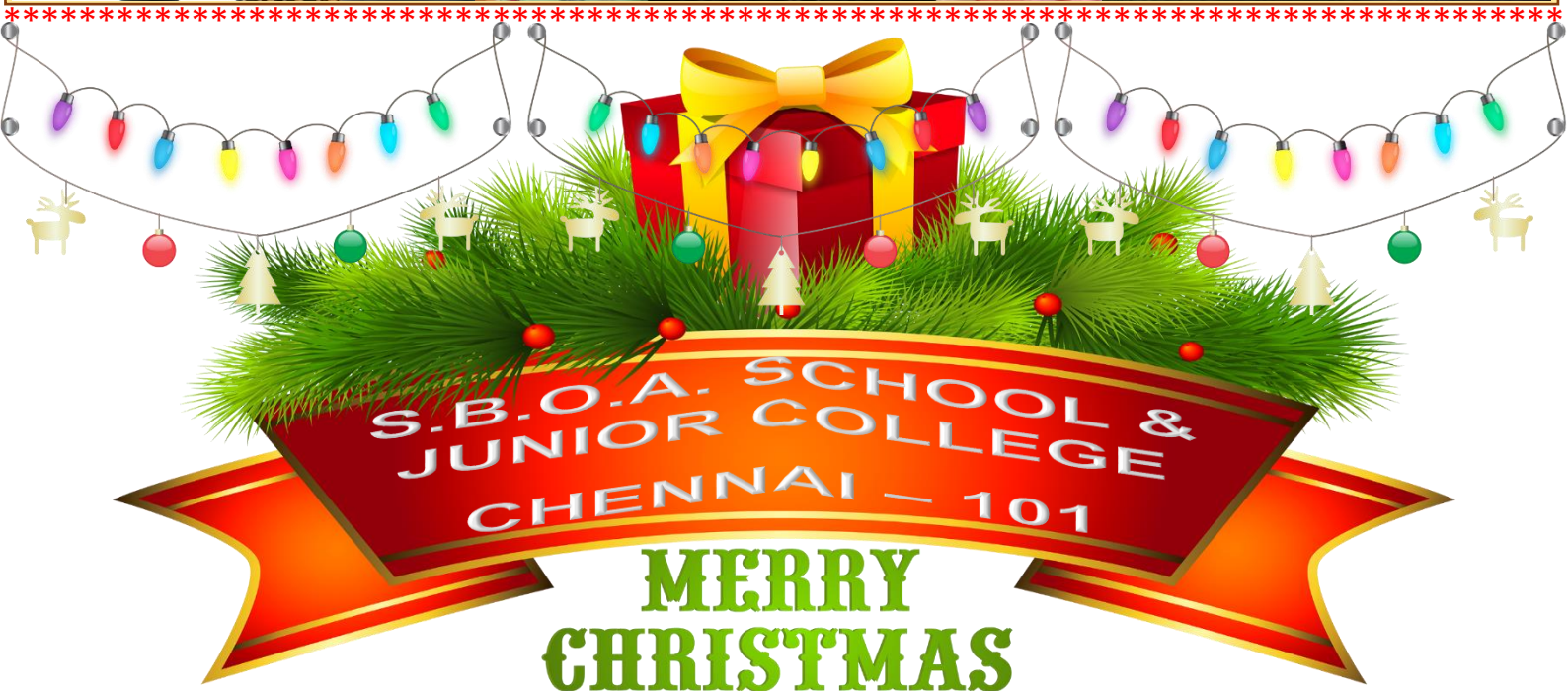
Read Aloud

Magic pot puzzles

Magic Pot Coloring and Maze



Mrs. Sumi Jose P, Principal and Mrs. T. Priyadarshini, IT faculty of the School, attended the AI Adoption Workshop for Educators on 29th November 2025, organized by SCHOOL NET at Hotel Grand Estancia, Salem. The session gave an overview of the current landscape of AI in education, highlighting its potential to improve personalized learning, assessment efficiency and student engagement. Experts emphasized responsible and ethical AI use, including data privacy, bias mitigation and digital literacy for students. They had an opportunity to interact with Sudarsan, the Robot dog and a Humanoid Robot.



S.B.O.A. School & Junior College inaugurated its new state-of-the-art Multimedia Lab on 1st November 2025, marking a major milestone for digital education and creativity. The event was presided over by Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh, President of the S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust and Shri. A. Senthil Ramesh, Secretary & Correspondent, S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust. Shri. Arunkumar Gopinath, Founder and CEO of Coherent Pixels Systems, served as the Chief Guest, formally opening the lab and providing insights on technology and innovation. Principal Mrs. Sharadha Ramamurthy and other distinguished guests also attended. The lab is set to significantly strengthen digital learning, with the inaugural program specifically involving students from Standard IX in hands-on digital exploration. This facility reflects the school's commitment to providing students with essential 21st-century technological skills.

An insightful and practical workshop on Student-Led Classrooms in English: Realising the Vision of NCF 2023 by Mrs. Ruchi Sengar (a CBSE mentor, trainer, material developer, author and ELT consultant) was organised by Orient Black Swan publishers and distributors on 1st November 2025. Mrs. Miriam Veronica (A.S.) & Mrs. Mable Elizabeth Thomas (A.C.) Dept. of English attended the session commitment to providing students with essential 21st-century technological skills.



Two students achieved recognition at the Inter-school Multi-Talented Competition 2025, which was organized by Sri Chaitanya School, Nolambur, on 1st November 2025. A. Aadhya (G-J) secured the 3rd Prize in the Dance Competition, demonstrating her artistic talent. Additionally, Daanvi (LKG-A) earned the 3rd Place in the Fancy Dress competition, showcasing creativity and performance. These achievements highlight the diverse talents of the students across various disciplines.



Shri. C. Felix Raj, the Physical Education Teacher and Athletics Coach was honoured with the prestigious Dronacharya Award by the Rotary International (RI) District 3234 in a ceremony on 3rd November 2025. His exceptional dedication and coaching prowess has consistently enabled the S.B.O.A. athletic team to achieve numerous victories in both state and national-level athletic competitions throughout his tenure.



The Cambridge Young Learners English Test (YLE), organized by the British Council on behalf of Cambridge University for the academic year 2025-26, was conducted on 8th November 2025.



CAMBRIDGE ENGLISH
Language Assessment
Part of the University of Cambridge

Cambridge English
Young Learners

Cambridge Young Learners English Tests (YLE)

In connection with the Children's Day celebration, NO BOOK DAY was observed on 01.11.2025, 15.11.2025 and 29.11.2025 (Saturdays). Children exhibited their latent talents and enjoyed doing various activities on all the subjects.



Rayyan M. J. (6-F) achieved notable success by participating in the Inter-school level competition known as 'Innoverse25'. The event was organized by the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Vadapalani, on 5th November 2025. He secured the 2nd Prize in Project Expo Category.



The semifinal round of the PATTAM Quiz competition was successfully organized and held on 12th November 2025, at Sitaram Hall, with the presence of GK Club members. In the highly engaging competition, Shraddha (7-I) and Raisah (7-N) were declared the overall winners of the PATTAM Quiz. All participating semi-finalists were duly recognized for their efforts, receiving medals and certificates, while the victorious winners were specially presented with impressive trophies.



A contingent of 20 students actively participated in the DT Next Interschool Quiz Challenge, which was organized by DT Next Magazine at the DT Next Studio. The school's official team, comprising Hanesh Kannan M. (11-B) and Amara Sri Vikram Gupta (9-B) performed exceptionally well, securing the 3rd Place in the competition. All twenty students who took part in the challenge were recognized for their efforts and were awarded with medals and certificates.



On 14th November 2025, staff members were recognized by the Ambattur District for their achievements in the Scouts and Guides movement. These teachers were honoured for successfully completing the Advanced Leadership Training (ALT) and Healing While Breathing (HWB) courses. The honouored personnel were Mrs. Karpagam K. (Guide Captain); Mrs. G. S. Parimala (Guide Captain); Mrs. Femila Albert (Cub Master); Mrs. Reshma Suresh (Flock Leader); Mrs. A. Ruby (Flock Leader); Mrs. A. B. Sumathy (Flock Leader).



Children's Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm on 13th November, 2025. The event was graced by the presence of Shri. A. Senthil Ramesh, Secretary & Correspondent, S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust, Chennai. The School welcomed two distinguished Chief Guests: Dr. M. Akhil Murugan, MBBS, MEM-GWU (USA), Senior Registrar at Kavery Hospital, and Shri Sachin Sundar, a renowned Music Director. The celebrations were further highlighted by the presence of

Shri Varun Senthil Kumar (Student, BDS – Saveetha Dental College), a renowned Novelist, participated as the Special Guest for the day.



Children's Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm on 14th November 2025. The day was successfully observed as a 'No Book Day', featuring a range of activities. The students actively participated, demonstrating both creativity and enjoyment throughout the celebration.



The Pre-KG class celebrated Children's Day on 14th November 2025, the atmosphere was made vibrant and welcoming with beautiful flower decorations as the children arrived, filling the space with happy smiles. They enjoyed a fun-filled No Book Day with games and dance. The celebrations extended to 17th November with a puppet show by the teachers, highlighting the theme that 'everyone is special in their own way'.



In the month of November 2025, students from our school successfully participated in the Computational Thinking Challenge. This educational competition was conducted by Bebras India, aiming to promote problem-solving skills and foundational computer science concepts among the participants.



On 18th November 2025, was a day of celebration as the kindergarten observed Children's Day under the magical 'Underwater World' theme. The event's highlights included stage performances by the teachers: a story enactment, a Parade of Birds and a colourful fusion dance, making it a truly joyful and unforgettable experience.



Scouts & Guides Investiture Ceremony was held on 19th November, 2025.



In November, a professional development session was conducted for all Primary Mathematics & Hindi teachers handling Classes 1 to 5. The session included model classes and paper presentations aimed at enhancing teaching methodologies and strengthening classroom practices. All teachers actively participated.



On 21st & 22nd November 2025, Science Teachers participated in a CBSE – organized Capacity Building Programme titled 'PRP - Capacity-Based Assessment – Case Studies Science'. The training was effectively conducted by Resource Persons Mrs. P.N. Sundari (Academic Advisor, Amalorpavam Lourds Academy) and Mrs. B. Hema Malini (Former Academic Coordinator, CMR National Public School).



The School clinched the Overall Trophy at LITRECIA '25, the Inter-School Literary Competition. This prestigious event was conducted by the Department of English at SBOA Matriculation & Hr. Sec. School, Chennai, on Friday, 21st November 2025. Marks in Time (Bookmark Making) – 2nd Prize; Echo in a Line (Slogan Writing) – 3rd Prize; Clash of Eras (Debate) – 1st Prize; Verses in Vibration (Creative Writing) – 1st Prize; Through the Sands of Story (Book Review) – 2nd Prize & 3rd Prize.



Students of Std 6 enthusiastically participated in the 'Dhai Akhar' Letter Writing Competition on 24th November 2025. The students enjoyed writing letters to their Role Models.



On a sunny morning, the little Pre-KG children enjoyed a pleasant outing to the Bird Sanctuary set up within the school campus. Their eyes shining bright, they marvelled at the models and pictures of colourful birds like parrots, peacocks, and sparrows. As a takeaway, they received a bird's nest craft, lovingly created by their own tiny hands.



The Academic Proficiency Prizes for the year 2024-2025 were presented to the students of Standard XI on 27th November 2025. The event commenced with a welcoming address by Vice Principal Mrs. M.V. Mahalakshmi to the PTA members. Principal Mrs. Sharadha Ramamurthy congratulated the deserving students. Prizes were then distributed by PTA President Mrs. Priya Chandra Prakash and her team members, who offered their best wishes to the recipients.



On 29.11.2025, the Principal planted saplings alongside the NCC Air Wing and NCC Army Wing cadets, demonstrating a shared commitment to fostering a greener campus.



Lalaji Omega International School conducted an Inter-School Hockey Tournament on 6th and 7th November 2025. The School Under-14 Boys' Team proudly won the Winner's Trophy.



The Colour Splash 2025 event, themed 'From Festivals to Landmarks: Young Minds Paint a World of Wonder', saw a fantastic burst of talent. The students explored two concepts—'Around the World in a Day' and 'Travelling through a Land of Festivals'—encouraging them to reimagine global landmarks, cultures and India's festive spirit. The junior and senior participants filled the venue with expressive lines, bold palettes and imaginative narratives.



The winners with their certificates

Our students participated in the State-level Children's Chess Tournament organized by Radical Chess Academy. The event was held at St. Thomas College of Arts and Science, Koyambedu, Chennai, on 2nd November 2025. M. Maitreyi (5-L) – 2nd Place & Thigazhini R. (5-I) – 3rd Place in Under 11 Category.



The School team delivered an exceptional performance at the Amity Premier League Athletic Meet, organized by Amity Business School on 12th November 2025. They achieved an excellent result by securing the Overall Championship in both the Boys' and Girls' Categories.





SBOA JC Triumphs in Chennai District Inter-School 20-20 Cricket Tournament! The Tamil Nadu 20-20 Cricket Association successfully organized the Chennai District Inter-School 20-20 Cricket Tournament at the ICF Cricket Ground. The SBOAJC Team demonstrated exceptional skill, winning the tournament and taking home the coveted trophy and a cash award of Rs. 20,000/-. Adding to the victory, G. Samuel of SBOAJC clinched the Man of the Match title for his phenomenal performance, which included securing 5 wickets. The final was held on 16th November 2025.





The Girls' Football Team emerged victorious in the Inter-School Football Tournament held at Vidya Mandir Senior Secondary School, Mylapore, on 21st November, 2025. Along with the prestigious Winner's Trophy, the team was awarded a cash prize of Rs.8,000/-.



V. S. Pratul, B. Inba Kumaravel & N. Kavin Nambi of 8I participated in School Sports Festival - Hockey Tournament conducted on 6th and 7th November 2025 and emerged as the Winner by securing the First prize.



THE TIMES OF INDIA

Chennai
7th November 2025

SCHOOL SCOOP

Enjoyable immersive experience at mock bird sanctuary

SBOA School and Junior College

Pre-KG students at SBOA School and Junior College recently enjoyed an immersive visit to a bird sanctuary set up within the school premises. Guided by teachers, the children identified models and photos of birds like peacocks, parrots, and sparrows, learning fun facts along the way. The session featured bird call mimicry and hands-on nest-making, making science lively and memorable. "Letting children interact with nature sparks real curiosity," said a pre-KG teacher. The event closed on a joyful note, with students taking home crafted bird nests as keepsakes.

ANNA NAGAR TIMES

Chennai
9th November 2025

PT teacher presented Dronacharya Award

C. Felix Raj (Physical Education Teacher and Athletics Coach, SBOA Junior College, Anna Nagar Western Extension) was presented the Dronacharya Award by Rotary International (RI) District 3234 in a function held on Nov. 3 Under Felix's coaching, the SBOA team has won several state and national-level athletic competitions over the years. His contact number is 99948 88286.

Mr. C. Felix Raj
Dept. of Physical Education

WE'RE IN THE NEWS

MULTIMEDIA LAB INAUGURATED

WHAT'S UP AT SCHOOLS



Anna Nagar: SBOA School and Junior College inaugurated their state-of-the-art Multimedia Lab in a grand ceremony. Chief Guest Mr. Arunkumar Gopinath, Founder and CEO of Coherent Pixels Systems, inaugurated the lab. Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh, Shri A. Senthil Ramesh, and Principal Mrs. Sharadha Ramamurthy graced the occasion.

Boys clinch championship at athletic meet!



The boys' team of SBOA School and Junior College delivered an exceptional performance at the Amity Premier League Athletic Meet organized by Amity Business School. With grit, determination, and remarkable athletic skills, the SBOA boys dominated several track and field events, showcasing outstanding teamwork and sportsmanship.

Their consistent efforts and excellent achievements led them to secure the Overall Championship in the boys' category, bringing immense pride to the school. This remarkable victory reflects their commitment, discipline, and the relentless support of their coaches. Kudos to the entire boys' team for their stellar performance and for bringing laurels to SBOA!

WHAT'S UP AT SCHOOLS

GIRLS WIN OVERALL CHAMPIONSHIP



Anna Nagar: SBOA School and Junior College girls' team won the Overall Championship at the Amity Premier League Athletic Meet organized by Amity Business School. Their strong performances reflected dedication, teamwork and skilled coaching, earning appreciation and bringing pride to the school community.

JOCKEY JUNIORS

A burst of talent at Colour Spash 2025!

From Festivals to Landmarks: Young Minds Paint a World of Wonder



JOCKEY JUNIORS

GET CREATIVE ON CANVAS

The winners with their certificates

MULTIMEDIA LAB INAUGURATED

SBOA School and Junior College inaugurated their new state-of-the-art Multimedia Lab, marking a major step in strengthening digital learning and creativity. Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh, President of SBOA Educational Trust, and Shri A. Senthil Ramesh, Secretary and Correspondent, presided over the event. Chief Guest Mr. Arunkumar Gopinath, Founder and CEO of Coherent Pixels Systems, opened the lab and shared insights on technology and innovation. Principal Mrs. Sharadha Ramamurthy, Mrs. Swarna Lakshmi Arunkumar, Shri Niranjan Kumar, Shri Isakimuthu Das and Shri Akilan also graced the occasion. Students of Std. IX attended the programme, which encouraged hands-on digital exploration.



SBOA team wins T-20 cricket tourney

By Our Staff Reporter

The Under-14 boys' team of SBOA School and Junior College (Anna Nagar Western Extension) won a cash prize of Rs. 20,000 for winning the city-level T-20 cricket tournament conducted by Chennai District Cricket Association in ICF South Colony playground (6th Avenue, Anna Nagar) on Nov. 16.

For his all-round performance of 10 wickets, 100+ runs and 5 catches, G. Samuel of the team won the Man of the Series award.

The team is coached by S. Joseph Packiarajan (Ph. 99405 72737).



An English Daily (Dhina Thanthi) conducted DT Next Inter-School Quiz Challenge 2025 on 15th November, 2025. Our school students Hanesh Kannan of 11B and Amara Sri Trivikram Gupta of 9B won the III place in the Competition.



SBOA JC students collecting the trophy after coming third...

Day at farm strengthens bond with nature



SBOA School and Junior College

Students of class XII of SBOA School and Junior College embarked on an exciting educational trip to Dream Kalam - Nature Hub Farm, Takkolam, on November 1, 2025. The visit offered a wonderful blend of fun and learning. Students enjoyed hands-on experiences such as planting saplings, ploughing fields with cows, grinding henna, riding a tractor, observing livestock, and exploring the fruit garden. The lively rain dance added extra cheer to the day! The trip not only strengthened their bond with nature but also inspired them to appreciate and protect the environment.



SBIDA UNBOUND – The 7th Annual Sports Meet was celebrated with great enthusiasm on 14th November, 2025. The Chief Guest Mrs. K Jeyabharathi, DIG of Prisons, Coimbatore, addressed the gathering. The event was graced by Dr. P. Nithish A.R. Singh, President of the SBIDA Educational Trust, Shri. C. Lazer Jeyaprakash, Associate Secretary, Shri. S. Prakash, Treasurer, Shri. M. Murugesan, Correspondent and Principal K. K. Ganesh. The event highlights included an impressive March past, lighting of the Olympic torch, a series of athletic event and vibrant drills.



SAMARPAN – the 7th Annual Day Celebrations 2025 was observed with great enthusiasm and reverence, based on the powerful theme *'Echoes of Service, Voices of Heroes'*. The event stood out for its unique focus on honouring real-life community helpers—the unsung heroes. Dr. S. R. Ramanan, former Director of the Indian Meteorological Department and the Chief Guest, shared his inspiring thoughts with the audience. The celebration was graced by Dr. P. Nithish A. R. Singh, President of SBIDA Educational Trust; Shri C. Lazer Jeyaprakash, Associate Secretary; Shri S. Prakash, Treasurer; Shri M. Murugesan, Correspondent and Principal K. K. Ganesh. The students paid a heartfelt tribute to various community helpers through dance, songs, skits and thematic presentations, expressing their admiration and gratitude for their invaluable service. The unsung heroes from each department were honoured with a shawl and presented with the school magazine.





On 28.11.2025, the Department of Kindergarten celebrated **Orange Day** with great enthusiasm and vibrant spirit. The children arrived in bright, attractive orange attire, adding charm to the occasion. Engaging activities such as coloring, craftwork and identifying orange objects enriched their learning experience. The teachers provided a meaningful and an interactive guidance, helping students understand the significance of the colour. Overall, the celebration was well-organised, lively and educational.



NEWS

SPORTING ACHIEVEMENTS CELEBRATED

SBIOA Public School celebrated sporting achievements at the Sahodaya Schools Complex Competitions, with S. Sanjith of Grade 9C winning a bronze medal in the 10-metre peep sight air rifle event. He also represented their school in major air rifle championships in Dindugal and Chennai, gaining valuable exposure. The Under-16 Girls Handball Team impressed at the Sahodaya Girls Handball Tournament hosted by ARB International School, Pollachi, securing the runner-up position among strong competitors. The school community congratulated the students for their dedication and encouraged them to continue striving for excellence.



Young achievers shine in sports arena



SBIOA Public School proudly celebrated the remarkable achievements of its young sports talents who brought glory to the institution at the 46th Sahodaya Schools Complex Competitions.

In the shooting category, S. Sanjith of class IX C emerged as a shining star, winning the Bronze Medal in the 10-meter peep sight air rifle event. His outstanding performance reflected his perseverance, discipline, and passion for the sport. Sanjith further honed his skills by representing the school in major championships, including the CBSE South Zone Air Rifle Competition 2025 at Dindugal, the Open South Zone Air Rifle Competition 2025, and the Open State Air Rifle Shooting Competition at Chennai. His participation in these prestigious events provided him valuable exposure and a platform to grow as a skilled shooter.

Adding to the school's pride, the SBIOA Under-16 Girls Handball Team showcased exceptional teamwork and sportsmanship at the 46th Sahodaya Girls Handball Tournament hosted by AFB International School, Pollachi, on 25th October 2025. Competing against 20 schools, the team displayed impressive skills and secured the Runner-Up position.

The management, teachers, and students congratulated the winners and participants, urging them to keep aiming higher.

Unbound spirit marks a day of athletic excellence

SBIOA Public Senior Secondary School, Coimbatore, celebrated its Annual Sports Day "SBIOA Unbound" on 14 November 2025, showcasing energetic performances, spirited competitions, and exemplary sportsmanship.

Chief guest K. Jayabharthi, DIG of Prisons, Coimbatore, delivered an inspiring address highlighting the values of perseverance, discipline, and physical fitness in building responsible and resilient individuals. The programme was graced by Dr P Nithish A R Singh, president of SBIOA Educational Trust, A Senthil Ramesh, secretary and correspondent, C Lazer Jayaprakash, associate secretary, S Prakash, treasurer, M Murugesan, correspondent, and principal K K Ganesh.

The day commenced with a march past, featuring contingents from the school's various houses marching in perfect uniformity. This was followed by the lighting of the



ANNUAL SPORTS DAY CELEBRATED

SBIOA Public Senior Secondary School, Coimbatore celebrated their Annual Sports Day, "SBIOA Unbound," with great enthusiasm. The Chief Guest, Mrs. K. Jayabharthi, DIG of Prisons, Coimbatore, addressed the gathering on perseverance, discipline and fitness. The event was graced by Dr. P Nithish A R Singh, Mr. A Senthil Ramesh, Mr. C Lazer Jayaprakash, Mr. S Prakash, Mr. M Murugesan and Principal Mr. K K Ganesh. Highlights included an impressive March Past, lighting of the Olympic torch, vibrant drills and a series of athletic events. Outstanding performers were honoured, marking a spirited and memorable celebration of sportsmanship.

Young Tech Minds Earn IIT Certification



In a proud moment for the institution, thirty-two students from Grades IX to XI of SBIOA Public School have successfully completed an eight-week Certification Course conducted by the prestigious Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Chennai. The program, aimed at nurturing young minds in the field of technology and innovation, offered students a valuable opportunity to explore advanced concepts in computing, programming, and problem-solving.

The course was designed to provide school students with a strong foundation and hands-on exposure to emerging areas in

analytical thinking and technical proficiency.

This achievement was made possible under the mentorship of Kiruthika, the school's IT Teacher, whose guidance and encouragement motivated the students to balance their academic responsibilities with the rigors of the certification program.

Correspondent M Murugesan congratulated the students and commended the efforts of Kiruthika for successfully guiding them through the program. Principal K K Ganesh lauded the teacher's commitment and dedication in nurturing the students' technological skills.

CAREER GUIDANCE PROGRAMME



Coimbatore: SBIOA Public Senior Secondary School organised a Career Guidance Programme featuring Mrs M. Lakshmi from Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, who spoke on emerging career paths and future skills. Principal Mr K. K. Ganesh highlighted the value of collaboration with Amrita University and emphasized that skill development is the key area where students must focus. The session empowered students to make informed career choices.

STUDENTS EXCEL IN IIT CERTIFICATION COURSE



Coimbatore: SBIOA Public School students of Grades IX to XI successfully completed an eight-week Certification Course by IIT Chennai on technology and innovation. Guided by IT teacher Mrs. Kiruthika, the students were congratulated by Correspondent Mr. M. Murugesan and Principal Mr. K. K. Ganesh for their remarkable achievement.

ANNUAL SPORTS DAY CELEBRATED



Coimbatore: SBIOA Public Senior Secondary School held their Annual Sports Day, "SBIOA Unbound," featuring a March Past, drills and athletic events. Chief Guest Mrs K. Jayabharthi, DIG of Prisons, addressed students alongside Principal Mr K. K. Ganesh and dignitaries. Medals were awarded to outstanding performers.

ANNUAL DAY CELEBRATED



Coimbatore: SBIOA Public Senior Secondary School celebrated their annual day, 'Samarpan 2025', on the theme "Echoes of Service, Voices of Heroes" Chief Guest Dr S. R. Ramanan joined Principal Mr. K. K. Ganesh and dignitaries as students presented tributes to community helpers and felicitated real-life representatives onstage.

Samarpan 2025 celebrates service and community heroes

The annual day celebration of SBIOA Public Sr Sec School, Coimbatore, Samarpan 2025, was conducted with great enthusiasm and reverence, centering on the powerful theme "Echoes of Service, Voices of Heroes." This year's event stood out for its unique focus on honouring real life community helpers who serve society with commitment and courage.

Chief guest Dr S R Ramanan, former director of the India Meteorological Department, shared inspiring thoughts on dedication, discipline, and public service. Also present were Dr P Nithish A R Singh, president of SBIOA Educational Trust, A Senthil Ramesh, secretary & correspondent, C Lazer Jayaprakash, associate secretary, S Prakash, treasurer, M Murugesan, correspondent, and principal K K Ganesh.

The programme was conceived as a tribute to various community helpers, acknowledging their invaluable contribution to society.



Performances centered around police officers, soldiers, teachers, sanitary workers, doctors, nurses, firefighters, farmers, and drivers, with each item depicting the life, challenges, and selfless service associated with the respective roles. Students showcased their talents through dance dramas, songs, skits, and thematic presentations, all of which highlighted the essence of service and sacrifice.

After every programme, an actual representative from the profession portrayed—such as a real police officer, doctor, sanitation worker, or farmer—was invited onstage and felicitated. This heartfelt gesture received overwhelming appreciation from the audience.

Speaking on the occasion, the chief guest commended the school for selecting such a thoughtful theme and praised the students for their sincere performances. The school management also appreciated the efforts of the students and teachers in bringing the theme to life with creativity and purpose.

Samarpan 2025 concluded with resounding applause, leaving the audience with a renewed sense of gratitude towards the silent contributors of society. The event successfully delivered its message, reminding everyone that true heroes are often those who work quietly, yet tirelessly, for the welfare of others.

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On 04.11.2025, the Resident Correspondent, Shri. K. Gurunathan along with the Headmaster addressed the students of Std. X, XI & XII who will be appearing for the Public Examinations in March. He encouraged them to work hard, score high marks and bring glory to the School by achieving State and District Ranks. He also assured that the toppers would be honoured.

On 06.11.2025, the students participated in the District Level Softball and Netball Tournament. A total of 12 boys and 9 girls took part in the events held at Bharathidasan Public School, Pannampakkam, Ranipet. In Softball (Under - 19), Eshwari (XII-C), Jenifer (XII-B) and Pooja (XII-A) were selected for the SGFI Tamil Nadu Team (Girls category). In Netball, Rexiline Jeffina (IX-A) was selected for the SGFI Tamil Nadu Team (U-14).





On 06.11.2025, in Softball, Palanivelan (XII-A), U-17 G.M. Lishanth, Abhinav and Jeevananthan (XI-A & B), U-14 Mano Sri Bharathi (VIII-A) were selected for the SGFI Tamil Nadu Team. In Netball, Mohammed Fardeen (XII-A) was selected for the SGFI Tamil Nadu Team (U-19).



On 06.11.2025, G.M. Sri Kamini, U-19 Category of XII-A, participated in the State Level Swimming Selection at Chennai and won two Gold Medals. Owing to her excellent performance in various events, she has been selected to represent the SGFI Tamil Nadu Team at the State Level Swimming Championship for the year 2025-2026.





Mr. Thalaivan and Mr. Senthil Kumar from SBIOA Sr. Sec. School, Madurai, were honoured for decorating the classrooms of LKG & UKG and the ground floor corridor. Their artistic works added colour and beauty to the school environment. They were presented with mementos by the kids of LKG & UKG as a token of love and gratitude.

The Southern Railway, Trichy Division, organised an en-masse rendition of Bankim Chandra Chatterjee's 'Vandae Mataram' to commemorate the 150th year of iconic patriotic song on 07.11.2025 at 10.00 am at the main entrance Concourse of Trichy Junction Railway Station. The students had the privilege to take part in the grand mass singing event. Std: VIII to XI were taken there. Shri. Balak Ram Negi, Divisional Railway Manager, Trichy Division, presided over this event. Co-ordination and cooperation of the school was highly appreciated by the authorities and it was remarked by them that it added colour to this grand moment.



K. Saran Vel (XI-A) has been selected for the Tamil Nadu SGFI U-17 Handball National Team. The selection trials were held at Adimana Government School, Dharmapuri on 06.11.2025. He also attended the Senior Softball National Selection Trials held at Nanda Engineering College, Erode on 10.11.2025 and has been selected for the Senior National Softball Team. The Senior National Championship will be held in West Bengal in December.



With the support of Primary Health Centre Airport DBT and TT Vaccinations were administered on 14.11.2025 for students aged 5, 10 and 15 years. The parents accompanied their wards.



On 06.11.2025, the School teams excelled in the Trichy Revenue District Handball Competition held at Ramakrishna Engineering College. → U-17 Boys won the Gold Medal and qualified for the State-level RDG. → U-19 Boys won the Silver Medal. → U-19 Girls won the



On 15.11.2025, the students Sanjay & Sanjith (IX-A) and Roshan, Suhaa John, Mahanesan and Sai Sanger (VIII-A) took part in Unit Shooting Competition Training which was conducted at the Army Shooting Academy, Tiruchirappalli.



On 14.11.2025, various competitions were organised for our school children in connection with celebration of Children's Day. The students actively participated in the events that encouraged creativity, teamwork and talent. The competitions created a joyful and engaging atmosphere, making the occasion memorable for all.



On 15.11.2025, Cadet Muthu Pandi. P [TN2025JWIA 4070019] (IX-A), Troop No 441A, successfully completed the Rifle Simulation Training conducted by 2 (TN) Armoured Squadron NCC at the NCC Trichy Unit Office. He displayed dedication, enthusiasm and commendable performance during the training.



On 17.11.2025, the students of Classes XI & XII attended a Career Guidance Programme headed by Dr. Jeyaprakash Gandhi, one of India's leading educationists. It was held at the ATAL Lab. The students were encouraged to make the best use of the session and were given the opportunity to clarify their doubts regarding higher education and future career pathways.



The Children's Day and Men's Day Celebrations were held on 21st November, 2025. Dr. S. Rajakumar, Associate Professor and Head, Department of Marine Biotechnology, Bharathidasan University, Trichy, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. The students and the teachers actively participated in the celebration by presenting a variety of cultural programmes such as dances, songs, skits and thematic performances. Their enthusiastic participation showcased their creativity and added vibrancy to the event.



On 22.11.2025, a total of 22 students participated in the RAJ UTSAV'25 Dance, Tamil and English Speech, Quiz, and Word Building competitions held at Rajaji Vidhyalaya, Tennur. They were accompanied by the librarian, Mrs. Kasthuri. In recognition to their active participation, the school was honoured by Rajaji Vidhyalaya Sr. Sec. School, Trichy.



The Planet Protectors Kids Expo 2025 – GLOBALIA was conducted on 27th November 2025. The event was inaugurated by Dr. M. Mohamed Imran, Assistant Professor, Department of Biotechnology and Microbiology, National College (Autonomous), Trichy.



The School teams achieved remarkable success at the 11th Sub-Junior State Level Softball Championship organized by the Tamil Nadu Softball Association and the Tiruchirappalli District Softball Association, held at St. Antony's Hr. Sec. School, Manjampatti, Manapparai, Trichy, from 21.11.2025 to 23.11.2025. The Boys' team emerged as the Title Winner, securing the Gold Medal and one of the students from Std IX delivered an exceptional performance, earning a cash prize. The Girls' team also won the Gold Medal, adding further glory to the School. Additionally, five boys have been selected to participate in the Sub-Junior National Championship to be held in Haryana.



Wishing everyone a peaceful end to December 2025 and a hopeful, joyful and prosperous New Year 2026 ahead. May the coming year be filled with opportunities, good health and success in every endeavour.

Warm wishes for a wonderful year-end and a beautiful new beginning!

