

# Campus Grapevine

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FUTURE GOALS!

We believe....

"EXCELLENCE IS
NEVER AN ACCIDENT:
IT IS THE RESULT OF
HIGH INTENTION,
SINCERE EFFORT,
INTELLIGENT DIRECTION,
SKILLFUL EXECUTION
AND THE VISION TO SEE
OBSTACLES AS
OPPORTUNITIES."

Where we would like to be!!

Where we are!

Where we were!



WRAP UP ISSUE





A FUN
FILLED
JOURNEY
IN GRADE I
2019-20

### Wrap up



























### THIRD GRADERS IN ACTION 2019-20

They were energetic and active from the beginning to the end of the academic year exhibiting a positive spirit in every activity that they participated..

















### GRADE 4 2019-20

"Our fantastic fourth graders at their best during the year. They participated enthusiastically in all the activities and competitions and enjoyed learning by doing."



















Grade 5 2019-20 A year in perspective!











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### Marredpally in a Nutshell! 2019-20

### Pre- Primary & Primary Activities



Exploring Numerals



Familiarizing with the Animal Kingdom



Mesmerising Mental Math



Fishing line in action



Let your light shine is our motto



Soft sand makes learning soothing



Tracing Letters



Development of fine motor skills



My colour My choice



Swinging and Swaying with opposites



Yellow, Yellow makes us a smart fellow



Bingo! It's Rhyme time



Keen Observations



Ten or One, We are in.















Creativity brought live on stage - Dramatics

Artistic minds at work! -Lantern Making

Sparkling lights for a bright Diwali









Storage capacity
Memory Game

Science and Art Exhibition; Learning made perfect.









### Grade 6 2019-20- Memories to Cherish

### **Subject integration**







**The Creative Minds** 







**The Terrific Talents** 



Mayank Panda Magnificent Rapper



Thanu Sri Sports Champion



Sai Varun Math Wizard



Srushti Patel Eminent Writer

### **The Fearless Performers**





Ronica
Outstanding Orator



Rimaa Saai Amazing spelling Bee

### Sixth Graders who did us proud in 2019-20

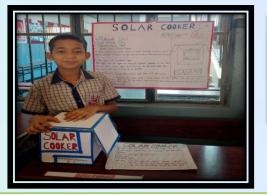


Mayank Panda, an all rounder in the class has the inborn talent of instantly composing songs for any event especially Rap. He and his team composed a lovely song for the teachers of grade six on Teachers' Day in (2019-2020). This was a wonderful gift which the teachers cherish.

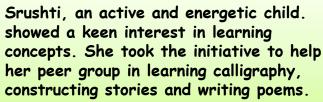
### wrap up!

Ronica, a brilliant orator participated in many competitions and activities and won many laurels for the school as well as the class during this academic year; she has been an asset to the class.





Mohd. Cyclewala, an enthusiastic and active member in the class came up with the brilliant idea of making a solar cooker for the science exhibition. His confidence and presentation skills were excellent.







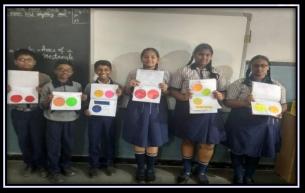
Varun, an intelligent child is very good at logical and reasoning skills. He is also known as a math wizard and recently participated in the ABACUS Advanced Level - 1 (National and International) and won the first runner prize making the class and the school proud of his achievement.

Beno, a nature lover, takes immense pleasure in conserving nature. He is very compassionate and enjoys discussions and debates conducted on nature. He participated in the science fair with an innovative perspective on tropical rainforests.



### 'EDUTAINMENT' MOMENTS IN GRADE-7 2019-20





**Learning by Integrating subjects** 





**Overcoming stage fear** 

**Listening is important** 



Class Picnic









SCHOOL IS FUN!

'When Education meets Entertainment' 11

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### Some INCREDIBLE MOMENTS of GRADE 8 in 2019-20



'Collaborative thinking during classroom activities"



"Healthy nutritional food in School"



"It's Revision time!"



"Lessons depicted with Comic strips"



"Learning By Doing"



Special Assembly On "Human Rights"



oing our part to save the environment- Making of Clay Ganeshas"



"Great satisfaction comes from sharing with others"



Season of sparkles

WIMP

up



exhibited during the "Cooking Without Gas e-Newsletter March 2020



"Timeless memories... from an amazing picnic" 12



### Some we moments in GRADE 9 2019-20

We know that children do amazing things in school. They are part of clubs. They excel in sports or dance. They win competitions, take part in charity events and much more that makes everyone very proud of what they have done. These are

some of the WOW moments of our grade 9 students



Square root spiral. Integrating art with mathematics



**Understanding quadrilaterals is** 

more fun way.



Learning by doing ..... Science experiment- Archimedes principle



St Michael's and Indus have it easy

Rohan slammed seven goals as St.
Michael's trouced Pallavi Model
School 22-1 in the first St Andrews
Inter-school futsal tournament on
Wednesday. In another match, Arjun
etted five goals and Anish
three as Indus Universal defeated
CMR 16-2.

Excellence in sports





Grade 9 students unwinding t at the class picnic



Preparing for charity event



Hand on art and brain at creativity



Enjoying an **English class** outdoors in sync with nature!



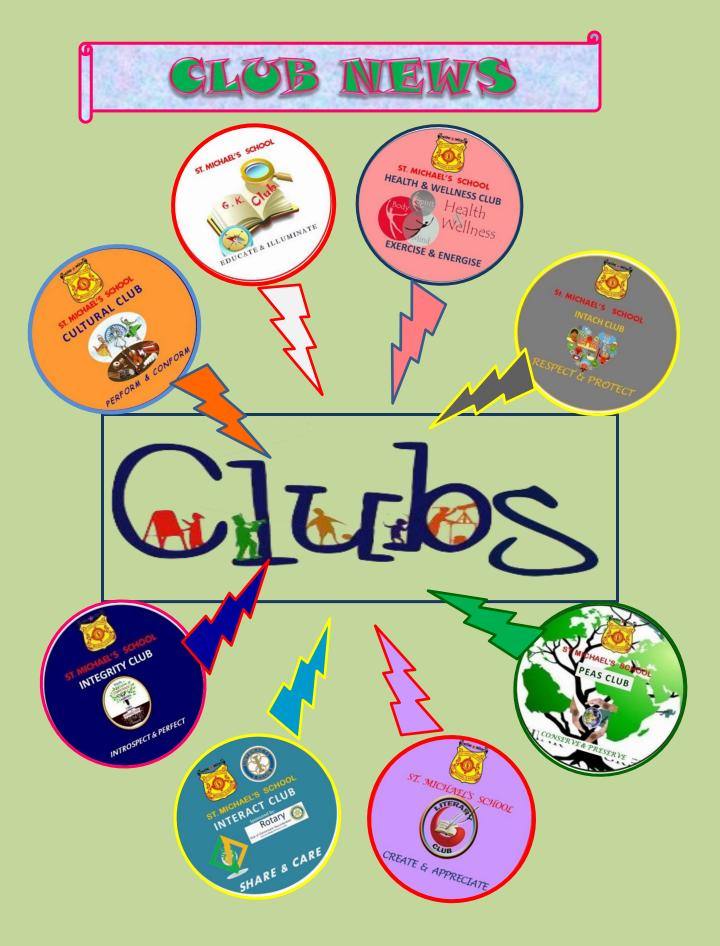
# Grade :10 Some Highlights of the year that went by....



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Cracking the Pre-board Exam

Honing their scientific temper at NRSC



# **CULTURAL CLUB PRIMARY** CULTURAL CLUB गाओं पानीव चा



**Children performing** a skit in Hindi on 'Save trees' to bring about awareness of the importance of trees.



The art children of the club made paper bags with the motto 'Reduce Reuse and Recycle'.





The dynamic dancers of the Cultural Club danced enthusiastically by putting their best foot forward.







The various activities conducted by the club during the academic year helped the children understand and learn the the importance of first aid, safety rules of the road to be followed in school and at home and the importance of healthy food and exercise..











Wellness





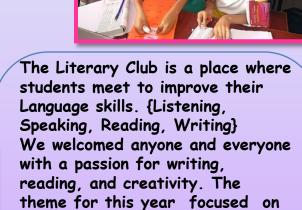
### PRIMARY LITERARY CLUB











The children of the club participated in different activities like: Debate, Vocabulary building, Dictionary check, Extempore etc which helped them to improve their over all communication skills and helped to boost their confidence.

reading, writing, and creative

thinking.

















### **PRIMARY PEAS CLUB**





SHOWING OF VIDEOS & Interaction
– JUN & JUL

MAKING OF PENSTAND FROM PET BOTTLE
-AUG & SEP



THREE 'R'S TO

SAVE

ENVIRONMENT

ARE

REDUCE

REUSE

RECYCLE





PAPER BAGS OUT OF NEWSPAPER
-OCT & NOV

SHOPPING BAGS OUT OF OLD T-SHIRTS
- DEC



### Cultural Club Activities -2019-20





Students watched a classical dance on Ms. Malala's Speech

(ONE TEACHER-ONE BOOK-ONE PEN CAN CHANGE THE WORLD)



In the Assembly area western dance children practiced Zumba



Students took the blessings from their Gurus.



Field Trip

Students performed a Classical dance on "Guru paduka" sloka written by saint Snakaracharya Two club members explained the nuances of classical dance and demonstrated the steps simultaneously

Children Spoke and enacted a skit on e-waste, plastic Management and Waste management.



# SENIOR SCHOOL GK CLUB ACTIVITIES for the year 2019 - 2020 "Knowledge is Power" is the motto of the club

# Learning by playing – sports



Students enjoying Jumbo dance



### Monthly topic-wise quiz







### AIM OF THE CLUB

The club aims at acquainting and enhancing the students with general awareness of local, national and international events, personalities, sports etc. and sharpening their memory by conducting quizzes, solving puzzles and playing intellectual games.

### Club Seminar







### Field Trip









A field trip was held on 1st February 2020 for G.K. Club when the students visited Centre of Excellence (Department of Horticulture) Jeedimetla. The students were excited to learn more about plants by getting information and observing them.

A Seminar was held on 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 for the students of GK Club, for classes 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>. The Seminar was conducted by Mrs. Kauser Sultana. She enlightened us with use of life skills in day-to –day activities

# ST. MICHAEL'S SCHOOL HEALTH & WELLINESS CLUB Port Health Wellness EXERCISE & ENERGISE

### HEALTH AND WELLNESS CLUB NEWSLETTER

### HIGHLIGHTS OF







\$ 2020

2019



INTRODUCTION OF CLUB ACTIVIES AND MOTTO OF THE CLUB WERE DISCUSSED IN THE FIRST CLUB PERIOD



CELEBRATIONS
OF
INTERNATION
AL YOGA DAY





### SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

STUDENTS PERFORMED A STREET PLAY TO EDUCATE CHILDREN ABOUT JUNK FOOD Vs HEALTHY FOOD.





### Annual report 2019-2020





INTACH (Indian National Trust for Art & Cultural Heritage) club aims at creating awareness and instilling a sense of social responsibility among our students to conserve our rich heritage.

With this motto we conducted several club activities at the school level which helped students to stay in touch with our culture and traditions. Some exciting events too were organised like participating in INTACH quiz at Salarjung museum, a heritage walk and talk by Mrs. Anuradha Reddy to Wesley Garrison Church and finally an exciting field trip to Shilparamam to instil a sense of appreciation for the art and craft of our country and skills of the artisans.









### INTEGRITY CLUB 2019-20 - A walk down memory lane



Day out with the Senior Citizens in February 2020

Integrity club is all about practicing good values and learning some life skills too. It was quite an eventful year for the Integrity club members. A variety of programmes were conducted to stay connected with their roots. The students were also encouraged to do their bit for the society. Among the many activities the highlights of the year was a field trip to the Senior Citizen's Home at Bhoiguda and a guest talk by Mr. Ramesh, from IVIDA who is visually impaired; he shared his life experience and the challenges that people like him face. He finished his talk with a demonstration of how Braille actually works.



### Activity Report Of Interact Club

A tour of the kind deeds of the Interact Club members through out the year in 2019-20



POWER OF ONE, SHARE AND CARE, COMMUNITY SERVICE





Distribution of books LITERACY PROGRAM





Distribution of soaps WASH program







**DISTRIBUTION OF RICE, POTATOES** 





**A Motivational Guest** Speaker Rtn.Gaus From the Parent Rotary Club **TOPIC**: Inspiration to achieve your goals



### Literary Club- A Peep into the year (2019-2020)

The aim of the club is to develop students' imagination, writing skills, vocabulary, communication skills, confidence, creativity etc. The activities were accordingly planned.

Fun games such as Pictionary, Hat Speech, Charade etc were played to infuse confidence and better communication skills.











Adult literacy programme







Students making a note of the procedure for printing journals, pamphlets.

Field Trip to 'Zonal Printers'



Essay Writing Competition









duty to save

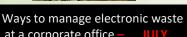
It is our

environment's

DEAUTY

**WOW-JUNE** 







E-waste management at the Rotary Club-JULY



Making of Seed Balls
JULY



Workshop on Water Conservation AUGUST



**Gifted Plants-SEPTEMBER** 



**Planting Trees -SEPTEMBER** 



Guest Speaker Mr Arun Krishnamurthy talks on Lake cleaning.
-DECEMBER



Field TRIP-FEBRUARY



Karo Sambhav an organization works on Waste management. Won a Gold prize in activities conducted by the Karo Sambhav- MARCH

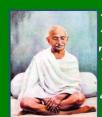












### **EMERALD** TRUTH AND JUSTICE

Truth is the first to be sought for beauty. Goodness & justice will then be added unto you." Mahatma Gandhi



### **RUBY**

### COMPASSION

Good works are links that form a chain of love and compassion."

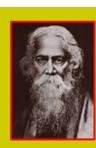
Mother Teresa

### **SAPPHJRE**



### KNOWLEDGE

"Arise! Awake! Stop not until the goal is reached" Swami Vivelananda



### TOPAZ

### FAITH

Faith is the bird that feels the light when the dawn is dark."

Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore

The Four Houses were busy with Inter House **Competitions right** through the academic year 2019-20. The Sports, **Literary and Cultural** Competitions saw the enthusiastic participation by all the Four Houses. Sportsman spirit was evident as the houses tried to do their best without bothering about the end result.

### INTER HOUSE COMPETITIONS



## EMERALD HOUSE ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2019-20







**Elocution** 

House Assembly

March Past

The Emerald House represents the ideologies of the Legendary icon Mahatma Gandhi. It was Gandhiji who taught us the value of harmonious co-existence and mutual respect. These principles of his are reiterated during our House Assemblies that are conducted every Wednesday.

Various competitions were held throughout the year. The Extempore, Elocution and Book review competitions gave the children a platform to exhibit their eloquent communication skills. Added to the above, a number of Athletic events like Throw ball, Football, Shot put and Swimming were conducted. These activities lead to an all-round development of the children.

Children took part in all these competitions with a lot of zest and enthusiasm. They won some and lost some, but the undying spirit of never giving up was commendable and well appreciated.







Extempore

Book Review

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### ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2019-2020











We, the students of RUBY house follow the principles of Mother Teresa. She believed in obedience, compassion and working to uplift the economically weaker section of society. With this belief, we had a lot of inter house activities, giving opportunities to budding talents where the physical and mental abilities of students were tested. We had competitions like extempore, debate, patriotic singing, spell bee, elocution, book review, calligraphy & recitation and other sports and athletic events where the students showcased their abilities. "You lose some; You win some; nothing wrong with that at all" kept the spirits high. Through house assemblies the children took turns to speak about "World Drug Day" and also about many other 'Red Letter Days'; poems by middle school children were recited about importance of the "Save Water" campaign.







**ELECTIONS** 

Proud moments of Ruby House



**Budding Radiant Rubies** 



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Independence day



# SAPPHIRE HOUSE ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2019-2020





The Sapphire house follows the principles of Swami Vivekananda who believed that all power is within you; you can do anything and everything. With this belief we had a lot of inter house activities where the physical and mental abilities of students were activated. We had competitions like extempore, debate, patriotic singing, spell bee, elocution, book review, calligraphy & recitation and other sports and athletic events where the students showcased their abilities. Though we won some and lost some; however our students gave off their best. Through house assemblies we motivated our students to participate and encouraged them to take up many more activities to take our house to greater heights.















### Topaz House Annual Report 2019-20

The Topaz House follows the principles of its patron, Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore. Tagore believed in perfection of man which can be brought about by dispelling ignorance and ushering the light of knowledge so that one can lead a complete life - economically, intellectually, aesthetically, socially and spiritually.

Many activities in the form of competitions were organised to help the students steer themselves towards light by exhibiting their talents. Competitions such as singing, spell bee, debate, elocution, extempore, book review, calligraphy, and recitation saw the day of light with spirited students enthusiastically participating in them. Added to these there were games and sports too. The Topaz House bagged many prizes. Those that we lost, taught us many lessons! There were periodic House meetings held to keep us abreast with the goings on and also braze us up for the upcoming events. New council members were elected for the next year. The whole year was an eventful one!









Tammana Lakshmi, B.Sc. B.Ed, Science HOD
Someone rightly quoted that the future of the world
lies in the classroom today and I think this is what has
driven me to be associated with the teaching profession
for so long. My stint with the Michaelite family has
been over 11 years now and as I look back at my journey
so far, I really cherish each and every day and every
moment I have taught here. In fact my personal
learning curve I feel, has risen with my association with
St. Michaels.

As children grow up in this technologically and scientifically developing nation, there arises a need to develop various facets of thinking, learning to solve problems and making informed decisions, so as to build a critical thinking aptitude. Being a science teacher has helped me in delivering this. I have always encouraged my students to adopt inquiry-based learning as they are the budding scientists, the future of tomorrow. I thank the management of St. Michaels for giving me this valuable opportunity of living my passion and at the same time nurturing the greatest treasure i.e. children.





### N. Padmavathi

(TGT- Science - Biology and Chemistry)

As a teacher in St. Michael's School, I have learnt and adapted with change and patience, the key of all true learning and have tried to instill a love of learning among students. I believe that students should be taught how to think rather than what to think.

### Ms Ramya M.Sc. B.Ed

"

Science is a poetry of reality."

"Science and everyday life cannot and should not be separated."

Working with St. Michael's School is the most memorable moment and it has been a beautiful learning period in my teaching profession.

I thank the management for the wonderful opportunity given to me to mould and educate the children and myself. Ramya





'Education is simply the soul of a society as it passes from one generation to another.'It has been in existence in one form or the other. Societies knew early on that to survive knowledge and experiences must be passed on to future generations. By passing on this knowledge people could take what others learned then build upon it. One such example is of the man inventing the wheel and how it was shared and is used in our modern generation. This miraculous feat might never have happened if he had not shared what he knew with others. So, don't limit the knowledge only to yourself let be passed to our future generations.

Mrs. Chaitanya B.Sc., B.Ed

I have been associated with this esteemed organization for the last 6 years. I strongly believe in the maxim "To Teach is to touch a life forever". I am passionate about my subject and enjoy nurturing the young minds of our school. I ensure that the students comprehend the concepts using a practical approach. I am delighted to be a part of this team, which helps me to explore new horizons and inspires my students to excel in the subject. Continuous interactions and sharing of knowledge with my colleagues, helps me to stay motivated, all the time. Thank you St Michael's for making me a better teacher!

Mrs. Deepika Mishra

Qualification: M.Sc., B.Ed.





What a wonderful year it has been...

This was my first year of classroom teaching and so I stepped into St. Michael's School, Old Alwal with lots of hope, enthusiasm and of course anxiety. The management and my colleagues helped bid my anxiety adieu, as they have been extremely welcoming and supportive throughout. My beloved students, who are my driving force have been very kind, affectionate and ever helpful. I've always felt and believed that the basics learnt in school have a major role in shaping an individual's life and strive to inspire students to shape a better future for themselves! I hope that the lessons in my class aren't only building skills to help students succeed in the school exams but are mainly preparing them for the future. It has been a highly emotional year filled with new experiences and challenges. To sum up this year in a sentence I would say, "I came to teach, but have learnt a lot more!" Thank You St. Michael's!

Y. Srividya M.Sc., B.Ed



I, Mrudu (M.Sc.B.Ed) have learnt being a Michaelite is that 'Education should not be restricted just to dispense the curriculum in a mechanical fashion but must ignite minds.' The purpose of education is not to add anything from outside or to dispense degrees that enable a student to earn a living. Besides these external outcomes, the purpose of education is to instil the spirits of humanity and virtues in young minds, so that they can grow up to become not just responsible citizens of the world but also leading lights that illuminates humanity around them.

Ms. Mrudu

I am so glad to work as a facilitator in St. Michael's school for a long time. Being a science teacher I engage my class with various fun filled activities and interesting experiments to build up scientific temper among the children. I would like to thank the management for giving me a chance to gain some valuable experience and to work with some of the loveliest children. I wish them good luck for their future. Thank You

Sudipa Dutta Chakraborty





I, as a Science teacher being a fresher to the teaching field was blessed to be a part of St. Michael's School. The school offered the best platform to interact with students and gave me an opportunity to use my knowledge into practical teaching. It has helped me grow professionally and enrich myself with subject knowledge through workshops that were organised by the management. The support from colleagues and management helped me to groom myself as a professional teacher. Looking forward to working with enthusiasm in the coming years. Maria Anjushree

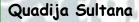


St. Michael's school is a great place to start your career as I did. As it is said "To teach is to learn twice". It's a school with a difference as it is completely child centric which makes an educator more and more innovative and helps to motivate students in a very healthy way which in turns helps to symbiotic relationship. educator it always keeps me on my toes thus making situations challenging and exciting. Gabadia Arathi Kaur

B.Com

The purpose of education is not just to memorize the information from your books. It is about understanding it, learning from it and applying it in your life to develop yourself holistically and become a human being with good character.

The first year of my teaching experience has been a memorable one as I got ample opportunities to portray my talents as well as to learn many new things. The best part of being a teacher I feel is when your students get connected to you and take you as an example and are ever enthusiastic to learn from you and share their feelings with you , which helps you as their mentor to understand them in the best way and lead them to the right path to become a better human being.



B.Sc B.Ed



To raise new questions, new possibilities, to regard old problems from a new angle requires Creative imagination and marks real advance In Science