

St. Vincent Pallotti School, Indore

Presents

The Annual School Report' 2021-22

"It's not how mach we give but how mach love we put into giving"

- Mother Teresa

The following was the last third stanza of our Annual School Report' 2021-22

Did you see it? The silver lining in those dark clouds... see there He is hovering His blessings on us, assuring us... "Put yourself in God's hand and everything will go well"... I am simply eager to greet you all once again, SOP is all set, cautious at every step and expecting the same from you, just waiting to once again discover myself in your chaos, two one za two, two two za four, wish to accompany you during exam fever, wish to taste the delicacies which you unintentionally left on table you were eating on, wish to read your thoughts on display board, wish to witness your confidence during assembly on dice, wish to get defeated by you while playing with you yet cherishing with you when you shout that you won.....

"Silver lining in those dark clouds"... but a steady increase followed by an exponential surge in infections from April, 2021 onward culminating in the second wave of the pandemic made it cataclysmic. Severe consequences in the form of spiraling cases, reduced supplies of essential treatments and commodities affected each and every family in India, people were suffering, grieving, pleading; anxiously looking for hospital beds, oxygen, ambulances and basic help. Dreariest and the most tragic sight was to see long queues of ambulances waiting their turn for funerals in the crematorium.

"And silver lining in those dark clouds"... it would not be at all inappropriate to say that the "education and so the educational institutions" ranked far more than septenary, octonary, nonary... in the list of one's priority as every individual was surrounded by life threatening situations.

"And silver lining in those dark clouds"... yes the silver linings were all arrested in the ever seen nimbostratus scenario of March, April and May, 2021. Silver linings disappeared and so the hope ebbed.

"May the tender love and care of God urges us."

was the concluding line of our Annual School Report' 2020-21, as the hope ebbed, "May the tender, love and care of God urges on us."... Prayers took the lead and in simple and precise, I am still alive to compose this annual thesis as you read in successive lines.

I feel privileged and blessed enough in sharing with you all that the core of mine, every member of my, 30 Non-Teaching Staff, my 80 Teaching Staff, and my Apex, the School Management continues to see the next day Sun, the greatest of the most dearest ingredients, 2450 Students are all there growing and developing under my social, cultural, intellectual and ecological dynamo. "Zero casualties reported" in this bunch of close relatives is something at which I must slow down, take a halt, join hands, bow down and pay reverence to His "Great Care".

As I and all my close relatives are cared for by Him, soaked with the same feelings and emotions, I have been trying my level best to be generous in various capacities through "V-Care", a socio- charitable initiative founded and run successfully for many years. I do not want to lie, the start-ups of evening school where a targeted, less privileged children in nearby vicinity were provided with free education services was severely challenged and owing to restrictions it has presently ceased. But the spirit of service remained unaffected and it continued to perform as per the changing needs, free ration kits were distributed to economically challenged sections of society, a forum was provided where used textbooks can be donated and received. The most admiring and pleasant story of 'V-Care' can be narrated from the times of second wave of pandemic, from few dedicated members it expanded to the entire teaching fraternity of this Institution, irrespective of in-house or outside, any request for life saving drugs, beds in hospital, oxygen cylinder, funds etc. was addressed in the Official Group, transparency with regards to sharing account/ venue details of the particular in need etc. brought many helping hands voluntarily, every small contribution made was equally entertained and appreciated.

I feel honored and privileged to share with you that in later days when the peak of Pandemic subsided, I had an opportunity to contribute to the noble cause in serving mankind by being a proudful center for vaccination against Covid-19. Team of Officials from the Government, a few of my close relatives, Teachers worked each day to ensure that maximum of the eligibles, in-house people, people near my vicinity, Teachers, Parents, Students etc. get inoculated timely, and this was executed with tedious work of maintaining accounts of date of birth, important documents like Aadhar Card, resolving various queries, breaking the myths against the vaccine and motivating each eligible to get vaccinated in the subsequent days.

I find that my close relatives, my Apex, the School Management and Teaching Staff collectively institute in some or the other benign manner to strengthen, the most crucial close relatives, Mothers. Couple of years ago dedicated orientation programmes were incorporated to impart required knowledge based on healthy motherly care for teenagers, they were conducted by

Ms. Dolly Dsouza, a known Educationist and Child Psychologist of Indore. These Endowments were reinforced through the Spoken English Classes which were conducted during feasible noon hours on every Saturday since October, 2021. It aimed not to make the end-users, mothers communicate fluently in English but make them independent enough to understand simple sentences of English Language, remarks given by the Teachers, to help them construct simple sentences in English, make them feel confident as they assist their children during studies.

"May the tender love and care of God urges us." The concluding line of our Annual School Report' 2020-21 continued to communicate into the ears of Divine and w.e.f. Him and under His custody I, to continue the legacy of consecutiveness and to fulfill the cause for which I was raised more than decade back, was made open on 14th June, 2022 with the profound anomalies of Pandemic through Blended Learning and with new custom of Google Classroom. My Apex, Rev. Fr. Dantees Thomas, the Principal of this Institution stressed that one must not sideline the opportunities and possibilities when one teaches or learns through online media, self-esteem is a trait desired in all, 3-tier principle- believe that you can get it, believe that you deserve it, believe that you get it, to achieve success in one's own life.

New Normalcy landed me at new anomalies, Google Classroom, absence of cent percent physical presence of my close relatives had never ever turned me into some hideous state or nasty; grotesque look, and credit for my decontaminated appearance solely goes to the hands, and so to their physical strength and tireless dedication of members of Support Staff. They exhibit their proficiency under the managerial skills of, again my Apex, Rev. Fr. K.P. Thomas, the Manager of this Institution which such a precision that I don't find any need to alter much in my fourth stanza w.r.t Annual School Report' 2020-21, Hence I gave command of Ctrl+Shift+ \mathbb{Z} followed by Ctrl+C and Ctrl+V as I jot down this Annual thesis and here it is,

Digitally enhanced classrooms, well equipped laboratories, well systematic library, well furnished infirmary, well designed atelier, music and dance rehearsal space, big playground, lush green lawn, evergreen trees, chirping birds and fluttering butterflies, bountiful fresh air and sunlight, clean and hygienic campus, all such precious assets waits eagerly to be once again become an integral part into the life of my most dearest and promising strength, my children.

And yes they became an integral part for multitudes especially from the month of September, 2021 because they were perfectly maintained and looked after even during the odd hours due to Pandemic, infact with whatever possible and available, both resources and funds, initiatives were made to renovate and introduce novelty, renovation of washrooms with well regulated drains through proper pipes and connections, beautiful work of ceramics, marble and granite on floors and partitions in washroom, nomenclature of every possible space in the School Premises by fixing appropriate signages, painting of iron grills and gates to prevent the monetary loss due to rusting of iron, replacing the old and distorted furniture with new one,

installation of LED screens in lobby and in corridors of each floor, etc. can be cited when I firmly stand on the terrace of my second floor or when I walk through the corridors, crossing the squares and triangles or over the footover bridge.

Entab indeed is another technical asset; it is sincerely working in parallel, to effectively fulfill our growing needs and challenges, just a call or a message and the team is right there, available to assist us with quick, sound and relevant solution when my close relatives, my Teaching Staff or my Prime Consumers namely Students and Parents are hit by some query or any technical bug. Experience the Learning Lab, a venture of Entab Campus Care has offered a chance to my close relatives, my dear Students to get motivated through many eminent personalities from the field of Education, Sports etc. Hence once again I don't find any need to alter much in the fifth stanza w.r.t Annual School Report' 2020-21, following the same mechanism of Ctrl+Shift+②followed by Ctrl+C and Ctrl+V as I jot down this Annual thesis and here it is in below lines,

Endlessly striving for years to incorporate finest technical tools so as to make the teaching – learning paradigm more efficient and simultaneously to establish quick communication with our end users- Students and Parents, Entab, the Online School Software has effectively catered the very prominent need of this drastic transition- "to stay connected".

10th June, 2021 marked a day for me to reflect on what I was able to render in proportion to the yearlong aim and planning I had proposed at the onset of academic year 2020. Both my Apex, the Principal and my close relatives, my Teachers contributed immensely by making the discussion during the Annual Appraisal' 2020-21 concentrated with feedback and opinions from the majority. Restrictions hampered them to organize it, as a customary, in a well facilitated ambience, my Auditorium but that could not prevent them to participate and propose interactively. Descriptions by all the In-Charges of respective wings helped to evaluate and estimate the growth achieved, shortcomings and their remedies continued to pop out every single instance throughout the meeting. My Apex, Rev. Fr. Dantees Thomas, the Principal through a story, cited that "zero casualty" of Pallottine Staff is an achievement for which we must acknowledge and express our gratitude to the Supreme. He urged before his close relatives, the Teachers to strengthen their close relatives, Students for both academics and emotions as some of them are life long abandoned due to sorrowful loss of their parents, guardians, near and dear ones.

NEP' 2020 has been trending since day one of its launch on 29th July, 2020. Its noble aim to ensure that no child loses any opportunity to learn and excel because of the circumstances of birth or background made all my close relatives, my Apex and the Teaching Staff curious and keen to know and study in detail to promote and practice its fundamentals as like a professional commitment. Ms. Anjali Singh, Senior Editor & Senior Trainer at Ratna Sagar Pvt Ltd, Greater Delhi sufficiently illuminated them in this regard on 11th June, 2021 through a webinar. This year onwards log of Lesson Plans for all the subjects across all the classes were

all executed through Entab's Integrated Software System- Campus Care, an Orientation Program on 11th June, 2021 highlighted the key features and steps for my close relatives, Teachers to get handy to it. A webinar on "Capacity Building Support for Teachers" held on 12th June, 2021 conducted by Dr. Neel, Consultant Psychologist, Behavioural Counsellor & Life Coach filled them with motivation through various inspirational real-life connected, audiovisual content. As per the directives issued by the CBSE, all my Teachers enrolled their name in various training programmes conducted round the year via various prestigious media like, Diksha, Nishta, IITs, and IIMs and therefore continued to upgrade themselves with changing paradigm in structure of education incorporated in the curriculum with reference to NEP. An Orientation Program highlighting the reforms in Board Examinations was conducted in the month of June by Mr. Prateek Shrivastava, In-Charge for Std. IX and X in High School. A webinar dedicated to Pre-Primary and Primary Teachers by Ms. Smitha Mathai, Trainer at Orient Black Swan, enhanced them on Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing (abbreviated as LSRW) skills on 25th September, 2021. Apart from this, initiative of In-HouseTraining Programme held from 4th October, 2021 to 23rd October, 2021 based on the training programmes attended at CBSE training Portal served effective in encourageous peer to peer learning, Teachers from Primary Wing, Ms. Priyanka Thakker, Ms. Sweety Dwivedi, Ms. Rita Sonwane, Ms. Sukhvinder Kaur, Ms. Preethy Sebastian, Ms. Lata Soni, Ms. Kratika Naik, Ms. Neha Prajapati, Ms. Neeta Kashyap threw light on subjects like, Methods of Teaching English as Second Language, Stress Management, Critical thinking and Creative Thinking, Teaching Through Storytelling, Happy teacher create happy classroom, Gamification in learning, Joyful Learning In Mathematics, Experiential learning respectively through various examples and activities. Anomalies of New Normalcy, introduction of Google Classrooms ruined the peaceful night sleep for many of my close relatives, pronouncedly, Class Teachers and Admin Staff, Mr. Joshy Abraham from Admin Staff like a technical frontier sincerely assisted day and night to all my close relatives, Teachers, Students and Parents to acquaint thoroughly to the operational basics. Concept of "Hands on Learning " aided all to get rehearsed with it, and as a matter of few weeks, proficiency was attained by all the zonals, namely Service Providers and Service Seekers. My close relatives, Students from Std. IV to IX augmented their existing knowledge about coding and programming languages through a Live Masterclass exclusively organized for the Students of this Institution under the caption "What can Captain America's Shield teach you about Computational Thinking?" by Mr. Aanand Srinivas, the Founder CEO of Stayqurious and Former Content Head at Khan Academy on 25th November, 2021.

CBSE Examinations for Std. X and XII continued to receive content full of comments and suggestions from large masses, frequently a space was reserved for it in print media on the front page as headline and as top stories on electronic media. In Fact the matter was also addressed repeatedly before the Bench of Judges in the Supreme Court of India, since the break of this disease. FAQs regarding occurrence, time of occurrence, mode of occurrence, safety regulations, possible threats, post-vaccination, current status etc. justified a dilemma that existed for months amidst appearing candidates, evaluators etc. across the whole nation.

As per the final verdict from the Honorable Supreme Court of India, Board Examinations were rescheduled, all my close relatives, my dear Eighty-Seven Aspirants of Std. XII and One Hundred and Fifty Seven Aspirants of Std. X who appeared for these most delicate levels namely Matriculation and Intermediate of their academic life, passed it. Yearlong practice of hard work, determination and discipline was well reflected as I read Miss. Jyoti Vishwakarma (94.8%, Std. XII, Science Stream), Mast. Aditya Sharma (94.4%, Std. XII, Science Stream) and Miss. Roshini Giri (94%, Std. XII, Science Stream), Miss Gunjan Pardeshi (Std. XII, Commerce Stream), Mast. Anuj Gour (94.6%, Std. X) and an enclosure of factual importance highlighting more than ten Aspirants of both, Std. XII and Std. X secured above 90% on my webpage, official page on Instagram, Facebook, as status of Whatsapp etc. inflates my heart with a feeling of satisfaction, acknowledgement towards the dedication shown by my close relatives, my Teachers that aided in seeking a moment of pride and glory for this Institution. In context to Board Examinations for Std. X and XII, I and my close relatives, Aspirants of Std. X and XII and Teaching Fraternity involved in teaching them, are always keen and in process overwhelmed with joy on lending ears to the most iconic show hosted by the Honorable Prime Minister of India, Mr. Narendra Modi under a caption "Pariksha par Charcha" annually during the Festive Board Examination Season, in the Month of March. His inspiring words encourage each Aspirant to thoroughly indulge into a well-strategic plan of self study, rigorous revision etc. during the peak season. My Apex, the School Management annually makes necessary arrangements to facilitate students from Std. IX, X, IX and XII to attend this show and gain valuable inputs and tips to boost up their performance as they appear for Board Examination in consecutive months or years.

To remain healthy and fit is world wide zeal, so is mine, hence I call and request annually on every 21st June to all my close relatives. Therefore again, I don't find any need to alter much in my ninth stanza w.r.t Annual School Report' 2020-21, (except to make it successive) Hence I gave command of Ctrl+Shift+ \mathbb{Z} followed by Ctrl+C and Ctrl+V as I jot down this Annual thesis and here it is,

Joining with the world in Seventh Annual International Yoga Day Celebration on 21st June, 2021, our students and their family members were encouraged through various audio-visual contents prepared by the Sports Instructor to schedule Yoga practices into their daily lives.

Movements like NCC, Air NCC, Scout and Guide continue to flourish my close relatives, Young Cadets through physical training, including them in various events which tend to build in them the quality to serve the nation during any natural calamity, medical emergency etc. As physical interaction was discouraged as per the norms of Pandemic for almost September, 2021, so were the field training shunned for several months. Post September, 2021 enabled my close relative, Young Cadets to participate in various iconic events. On 9th February, 2022 Twenty-One Air NCC Cadets (Junior Division- Eight and Junior Wing- Thirteen) visited Airport Hanger, Devi Ahilyabai Holkar Airport, Indore under the guidance of ANO- T/O Mr. Vijay Kumar Tiwari, CT- Mr. Awadesh Pal. Sergeant Mr. Kulkarni and Corporal Mur. Rakesh Kumay provided details

on the basics of the airport, fundamental principles of an aircraft, dimensions of runway and other transportation areas, features of lightweight Aircraft- Virus- SW-80 etc. to our Cadets. On 12th March, 2022, Fifteen Cadets participated in An Awareness Drive organized by the 1 MP Air SQN NCC under the guidance of NCC officer, Mr. Vijay Kumar Tiwari at Vidhya Sagar School, Indore. Team Disha Cell which consisted of IAF Personal along with Special Induction Publicity Exhibition Vehicle (IPEV) became the center of attraction. Presence of Wing Commanders, Mr. Aditya Singh Panwar, Mr. Dandekar, SQN Leader, Ms. Shubha Shri and Flying Officer, Ms. Prerna made the event more effective. I and my close relatives, my Apex, the School Management, express sincere gratitude to these Movements, their Heads and the entire team that aids us in offering a vivid exposure and technical atmosphere to the enrolled members of this Institution every year.

My Apex, the School Management leaves no stone unturned to convert potentials of my close relatives; my Dear Students into kinetics, rarely any opportunity is missed where they fail to participate. Therefore again, I don't find any need to alter much in my tenth stanza w.r.t Annual School Report' 2020-21, (except to elongate it a bit as this year due to continuous hard work many medals are into my buckets) Hence I gave command of Ctrl+Shift+1followed by Ctrl+C and Ctrl+V as I jot down this Annual thesis and here it is,

Our students rehearsed well through various online sessions even during the times of complete restrictions owing to which we still succeeded in continuing the legacy of upbringing the innate talents and acquired skills. They were offered with vivid learning exposure through various inter and intra school competitions conducted through online mode by Sahodaya Schools Complex, Indore hosted by different Schools in Indore. Miss. Anika Palwal of Std. II secured position in the best three in the Fancy Dress Competition organized by Anasuiya School, Indore. Mast. Alphee Sebastian from Std. VI was awarded as Best Performer of Maska-thon Competition organized by Shri Ram Centennial School, Indore. Miss. Sanskriti Kureel and Miss Hiranshi Gore of Std. XI were recognized among the best three in the English Panel Discussion Competition. Mast. Lakshya Verma of Std. IX was appreciated for being in the best three in the Photography Competition. Miss. Disha Negi of Std. VIII and Mast. Arush Raghuvanshi of Std. VII were recognized among the best three in Poster Making Competition and Shlok Vacchan Competition respectively, organized by Hope Hall Foundation School in R.K. Puram, New Delhi. Online Quiz Competitions organized by Mind Wars, Zee Television Media catered massive enthusiastic participation from Students from all the classes.

As I mentioned in much above lines, I was known for and by everyone across the city, always immaculate and found myself once again integral to the lives of my close relatives, Students from the month of September, 2021. For initial days foot falls were too scarce in number to be expressed. Fear and courage are like any contagious disease, so was in case of numerical strength of students attending the flipped classrooms, as the months passed by foot falls became abundant, encouraging words and physical presence of regular Students in the school as per the prescribed schedule filled in other Students with courage, Parents became more

assured and I reached to a stage where my lawn was once again full of students standing in queue for Assemblies on Wednesday and Saturday every week. My Apex, Rev. Fr. Dantees Thomas the Principal of this Institution enlightened on the genesis to conduct assemblies in school, its purpose, through a story of Ram encouraged in everyone the quality of perseverance which one must behold for one's own talent, a logical example urged everyone to divide any big task into smalls for the ease of successful completion, admonished Students to refrain themselves from developing traits of procrastination.

Adversities laid by the second wave of Pandemic brought every second, in my close relatives in the state of mental trauma. It goes without saying that examination, competitions and celebrations, all three run in parallel, one after the other, round the year. Celebrations and Competitions are crucial inclusives for any academic calendar so are mine. Like a usual custom and unlike with evermore new vibrancy in terms of variety seen and participation fetched, given below is a tabulated data consisting of events held in context to tests, examinations, result declaration, competitions and celebrations.

Month	Wings				
	Pre-Primary (Nursery, KG-I, KG-II)	Primary (Std. I and II)	Primary (Std. III to V)	Middle (Std. VI to VIII)	Higher (Std. IX to XII)
June	Environment week celebration. Green Day activity	Celebration of International Yoga day. International Plastic bagfree day. Celebration of International Doctor's day.	International Yoga Day. English (Word Chain) and Sports activity	Celebration of International Yoga day.	Section-wise orientation on examination reforms conducted for class
July	Rainbow week celebration. Storytelling activity. Puzzle-making activity.	Celebration of Kargil Vijay Diwas. Inter-school drawing competition organized by Sahodaya samagam.	Computer (Model making) and Hindi (Brainteasers) activity for Class IV. Dance (Ball dance, Zumba) activity and	Solo singing competition for classes VII and VIII. Drawing competition for class VI. Science - Poster-making activity on the occasion of	Inter-school Photography competition organized by Sahodaya samagam.

August	Independence	Periodic test 1	EVS (Salad decoration) activity for class V.	International Doctors Day. English activity (Character adjective accordion, Musical Poem and A tale of Morality) conducted for classes VI, VII and VIII. Inter-school Mask-a-thon competition organized by Sahodaya Samagam. PT1 was	Parents and
, tugust	week celebration through activities Release of E- handbook Offline drawing competition Rakhi making activity Offline distribution of certificates for fancy dress and drawing competition	was conducted from 2-11 August 2021. Independence day celebration through activities - Rakhi Making Competition on the theme - Tricolor,	for class V -3D shapes. Rakhi making competition Inter School Drawing competition organized by Sahodaya Independence day celebration	from 2-7 August 2021 Shlok Vaachan competition	Grandparents day virtual celebration Rashtra Gaan- a singing event was organized as part of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav Ad mad show Hum fit to India fit

		shared stories on how they celebrated Independence Day when they were kids. Inter School fancy dress competition organized by Sahodaya. Independence day celebration.		Open House for PT1 Independence day celebration	
September	Teachers day celebration First-term assessment conducted from 9-17 September 2021 Hindi week was celebrated	Teachers day celebration Eco-friendly Ganesha idolmaking activity conducted on the occasion of Ganesh Chaturthi. Inter School poem recitation competition organized by Sahodaya Janmashtami celebration through activities Inter School poem competition on the theme - Teachers Hindi	celebration English activity - picture description for class V	celebration Eco-friendly Ganesha making competition Hindi activity	

		handwriting competition was conducted on the occasion of Hindi Diwas Solo Dance competition		
October	Open house Animal week was celebrated Diwali celebration through activities Mother's day was celebrated for KG1 and Nursery Release of school annual E-magazine	Half-Yearly exam was conducted from 1-12 October 2021 Inhouse training conducted by class - 1 & 2 teachers Spoken English Classes for mothers started on October 2, 2021 Open House for Half- Yearly examination Release of school annual E-magazine	Half-yearly exam conducted from 18-25 October 2021. Spoken English Classes for mothers started on 23 October 2021. Inter School folk dance competition organized by Sahodaya Release of school annual E-magazine	virtual English panel discussion competition organized at Shree Kasera Bazar Vidya Niketan School

Docombox	Tagra Zamaan	Taara Zamaan	Hindi activity	to VIII on 27th Nov 2021 Renowned industries- a social activity for class VIII on 29th Nov 2021 Postcard campaign: Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav on 14-15th Nov 2021 Children Day celebration	DT 2 over
December	Taare Zameen par- Annual day celebration Second term examChristmas celebration	Taare Zameen Par- Annual Function program was organized in the school on December 1, 2021 English Handwriting Competition on 4th Dec 2021 Greeting card and Bell- making competition was conducted on the occasion of Christmas on 11th Dec	fun with time for class III Christmas card making competition for class III Christmas tree decoration competition for class V Bell making competition for class IV Solo dance competition for class III to V Christmas	(offline) for classes VI to VIII from 6-8th Dec 2021 Shlok recitation-	PT-3 exam conducted online from 24-29th Jan 2022 Vaccination drive of first and second dose Christmas celebration

		2021 Red color day celebration was organized in the school on 18th Dec 2021 A trip to the farm, an educational tour was organized on December 23, 2021 Christmas celebration	dance competition on 23rd Dec 2021 Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav: postcard campaign for classes 4 and	Christmas celebration	
January	House-making with shapes activity for Nursery 'A' phonic sound words activity for KG1 Flower-making activity for KG2. Kite toran making activity for Nursery Kite making activity for kg1 Makar Sankranti, Pongal and lohri symbol making activities for KG2 Tri-color art and craft activities	of International Youth Day on January 8, 2022		from 8-14 January 2022 PT-2 Open house	Cartoon making and pencil sketching competition for the school magazine from 17/01/2022 Republic Day celebration

	Subject enrichment activities — Math activity for nursery, EVS activity for KG1, and English activity for KG2. Cartoon making and pencil sketching competition for the school magazine from 17/01/2022 Republic Day celebration	for the school magazine from 17/01/2022 Water Rangoli making activity on the theme of Republic day on January 21, 2022 Keychain and mobile stand making activity on the occasion of Father's day on January 29, 2022 Republic Day celebration	magazine from 17/01/2022 Repulic Day Celebration		
February	Exhibition	Exhibition Annual Exams begin	Annual Exams begin	Annual Exams begin	
March	Picnic	Picnic	Exhibition Picnic	Exhibition Picnic	Pre-Boards Examinations Begin Picnic

Few among the above events listed in the above table bring all my close relatives, Students, Parents, School Management, Teachers, and Support Staff under one umbrella such that I easily sense the spirit and joy of togetherness. I found myself dipped in tints of Saffron, White and Green as I joined the nation during the celebration of 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav', the 75th Year of Independence Day on 15th August, 2021. After unfurling the Tricolour, my close relative, my Apex, Rev. Fr. Dantees Thomas, the Principal of this Institution urged everyone to read the Indian Sacred Document, the Indian Constitution and to find out its influence in one's life, the idea to have dream for our country and to contribute in various capacities for its growth and progress by him sounded both novel and noble to me, to all the attendees and to the viewers across the screen. My close relatives, my dear children are always fond of

Teacher's day, as the 5th day of September marches closer in calender to the today's date, a lot on, surprises, doing something new, contributing, etc. is heard when I lend my ears to the walls of classroom as I walk through corridors. They portrayed their sentiments of reverence, gratitude and affection towards their close relatives, their Teachers in forms like, speech, dance, drama and music. My day was made when I discovered myself on the same day, 5th September, 2021 amidst the close relatives, my Teachers dressed in traditional outfits of various states of India, attempting to speak in dialects of the respective state represented by their team, loads and loads of back to back questionnaire, distribution of goodies on correct answer, combo of powerpoint presentation, dance, drama and music followed by an appetizing meal left me in state of simply and in simple words "happiness". My Apex, Rev. Fr. KP Thomas, the Manager of this Institution requested the Teachers to develop in them the traits of impartiality, in his minute details he mentioned that there is a natural likeness towards the child who performs well, complete the work in time, more active, gives answer but that never dilutens the importance of the child contradictory to these natural expectations of a Teacher. Rev. Fr. Dantees Thomas reacted blissfully on witnessing this grand show animated by all his very close relatives, Teaching Staff, Office Staff, Support Staff, who managed to find time after their working hours and enthusiastically conducted rehearsals and trials for days and days. The return gift on Teachers with reference to the Teacher's Day wishes and celebration organized by students was due, it was timely delivered as per the convention on 14th November, 2021, the 132nd Birth Anniversary of the then Prime Minister of our country, Late Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, a dedicated audio-visual content filled with emotions of love, affection, care and concern of Teachers towards their very close relatives, their Students was aired through the various online platforms adhering to the norms prescribed for Pandemic. My Apex, Rev. Fr. Dantees Thomas, the Principal of this Institution greeted my, His, Teacher's Dearest Close Relatives with words like Priceless and Precious, and in his account revolving around these two noble words, he emphasized that these two assets of any individual are irreplaceable, for the ease of understanding to the dearest end users, students he clung the following in simple and precise manner- keep away from bad company, stay distance apart from social networking sites and other age inappropriate; malicious content, restrict hours on various social media, get intensive on education, being young respect elders and old people, help less privileged, differently abled, weak and senior citizens, make efforts to correct the mistakes. As described in the Handbook, I am a non-aided Christian Minority Educational Institution covered under Section 2 (g) of the National Commission for Minority Educational Institutions Act, 2004, I wish to place it on record that since my infancy, I am nurtured and nourished as per the Forty-second Amendment of the Constitution of India enacted in 1976, the Preamble to the Constitution asserted that India is a secular nation and so I grew with an idea of secularism, run by Prabhu Prakash Samajik Sansthan I have learned to hold great reverence and I pay gratitude to all the religions, caste, creed, gender and color, this quality in me continues to unite all my diverse close relatives and I feel immense pleasure in sharing with you that I persist healthy relations with different Institutions or Organizations across the city. I was lighted all over my parapet wall and many other significant areas and space generally visible to the footfalls on the eve of Dussehra and Diwali, artwork of Rangoli

made my premises appear flamboyant. Coruscating in the warmth of Red, Green, Gold and Silver, I discovered the true meaning of Christmas when I lended my ears to my Apex, Rev. Fr. Dantees Thomas, the Principal of this Institution, through his words he made me understand that each one of has affinity towards few basic physical commodities and abstract commodities, love is one among the abstract commodities, everyone has a thrust for being loved, as the Almighty loves us I must replicate and spread it to others, these paraphrases from him brought Christmas to a moment more than celebration. My Apex, Rev. Fr. K.P. Thomas, the Manager of this Institution expressed his sincere gratitude to each of my close relatives, Teaching Staff, Admin Staff and Support Staff for the service they provide to keep me in accordance with their expectations, motto and philosophy of our Patron, Saint Vincent Pallotti. I, together with my close relatives, observed our Very Rev. Patron Saint Vincent Pallotti's Feast Day on 22nd January, 2022, the day was apt indeed to make a pristine declaration, a dedicated audio-visual content especially prepared for the cause aided to resolutely present before everyone that St. Vincent Pallotti is merely not a name under the banner of which this Institution is operated and managed but a philosophy, ideology which can be understood with the following saying from him, "God sent you as workers into his harvest that through your ministry, faith may be preserved and love may grow." In January, Omicron, a new mutant of Covid-19 once again restricted the entry of my close relatives in my premises; surprisingly I was again sparsely populated, 73rd Republic Day was celebrated on 26th January, 2022 with exclusive presence of my close relatives, School Management, Teaching Staff, Admin Staff and Support Staff. Respected Sir, Mr. Salil Bisht, the CEO of 2MP ARMD SQN NCC reminded the credentials of Republic Day. My Apex, Rev. Dantees Thomas, stressed on the foundational values- Sovereign, Socialist, Secular, Democratic, Republic laid down in the Preamble of Indian Constitution. He added that the assurance of Justice, Liberty, Equality, Fraternity, Rights and Duties by our Constitution must be respected, nurtured and practiced wholeheartedly in all walks of life.

I am always fond of promoting the talents and potentials of all my close relatives, in doing so I receive ultimate happiness and joy and you know, it's my annual practice that creates a hub for each of my close relative to unify and bring out their best beyond academics and leave a long lasting impression on those who witness. Annual Day Celebration is a premium hub in this regard. My close relatives, Students and Teachers from Pre-Primary Wing observed their Annual Day Celebration on 1st December, 2021. Rinsed in vibes of "Taare Zameen Par", the view of tiny tots dressed in bright, tapping their feet on beats of music, sharing the dice to host and coordinate, fascinated the attendees. My Apex, Rev. Fr. KP Thomas, the Manager of this Institution expressed that he has been observing that how parents entrust their tender heart pieces, their children into their most trustworthy hands, the Teachers, he drew attention of all his close relatives, Parents by stating that this is not enough, to ensure the substantial growth and progress of child, in harmony with nature and ethical values, they must equally participate along with the Teachers, continue to take follow-ups, monitor their performance and habits they develop in long run. Ms. Deepa Dagaukar, the Director and Senior Trainer at Fostering the Future Skill Training Centre, Indore was pleased to be part of

this event, as she delivered in her speech. Exhibitions are too super premium for the cause described in above lines; it provides a platform to actually present "hands on learning" of my close relatives, My Dear Students in a creative and innovative style. My close relatives, Students and Teachers from Pre-Primary Wing executed the same on 26th February, 2022. Comprehensive artworks designed by young kids and equally aided by Teachers and their Parents were displayed. The Chief Guest Rev. Fr. Johnson Puthur, the Treasurer of Pallotti Group of Institutions, Dignitaries, Rev. Fr. Allen Santo, Rev. Bro. C.J. George along with my Apex, Rev. Fr. K.P. Thomas, the Manager of this Institution and Rev. Fr. Dantees Thomas, the Principal of this Institution blessed the event, themed "Rainbow", through their auspicious presence. Kiddie's Exhibition by my close relatives, Students and Teachers from PrImary Wing (Std. I and II) transformed the 12th day of February, 2022 than any usual into a Brio. The Chief Guest, Mr. Satish Patel, Town Inspector, Heera Nagar Police Station, Indore appreciated the efforts of newly skilled hands, he was left in warmth when exploring desk after desk, each full of artistry. "Ingenious Quest" was again a challenging milestone for my close relatives, Students and Teachers from Primary Wing (Std. III, IV and V) and Middle Wing (Std. VI, VII and VIII), it was so because Omicron, the new variant of Pandemic since the outbreak brought the campus and so the classes sparse in population, jam packed schedule with tedious examination work, commitment of result declaration, limited resources in the form of students and so their presentations etc. arose lots of mutual chaos and commotion with regards to planning, venue, arrangement, crowd control, space management etc. Despite such crests and troughs, a healthy show is now a history and so is now typified under the head, "Exhibition" in this Annual Thesis. My Apex, Rev. Fr. KP Thomas, the Manager of this Institution at this occasion quoted, "Necessity Is the Mother of Invention", a popular proverb given by the Athenian Philosopher, Plato and brought in limelight aided with examples the ocean of opportunities that exist for Indian Brains in the Global Market. My Apex, Rev. Fr. Dantees Thomas, the Principal of this Institution congratulated the initiatives in form of projects, charts, static and working model kept for display of each and every of his and mine dearest and very close relative, Students, he stated that such exhibitions create junction for the initiatives from the young to be recognized and appreciated by large masses. I wish to place it on record that this plethora of display of skills and talents was lead and guided by In-Charges from respective wings, namely Dr. Rupali Jadhav (Former In-Charge, Pre-Primary Wing), Ms. Sapna Chavande (In-Charge in force, Pre-Primary Wing), Ms. Priyanka Thakkar (Former In-Charge, Primary Wing (Std. I and II)), Ms. Rita Kumarawat (In-Charge, Primary Wing (Std. III, IV and V)) and Ms. Bhumika Bobde (In-Charge, Middle Wing (Std. VI, VII and VIII)).

After a span of more than two years, on 21st March, 2022 at Tornado Water Park, situated at the outskirts of Indore, I found an instance to recreate, rejuvenate and replenish along with my close relatives, Teaching Staff, Admin Staff, Support Staff and my Apex, the School Management. Splash of water, music, appetizing meals encouraged us to disport with a sense of camaraderie. Similar moments of disport were also organized for my close relatives, inhouse for the younger ones and outings for the grown-ups in the month of February and March, 2022.

My close relatives, Teachers involved in airlifting the Institution during the financial crises by tirelessly motivating both my close relatives. Class Teachers to continue the practice of followup of Parents and Parents to approach with a full freeness to discuss and resolve at occasions of financial uncertainty or during inability to clear the debt were all acknowledged and appreciated on 9th April, 2022. My Apex, the School Management, Rev. Fr. KP Thomas, the Manager of this Institution and Rev. Fr. Dantees Thomas, the Principal of this Institution recognised the efforts of the leader of the team Ms. Jaspreet Mago, and the intensively active members namely, Mr. Awadesh Pal, Mr. Dharmendra Yadav, Ms. Seema Soni, Ms. Lity Gijo, Ms. Tabassum Khan, Ms. Sunita Raghuvanshi, Ms. Jaishree Soni, Ms. Sreelekha Vinod, Ms. Preeti Gayakwad, Ms. Shruti Dale, Ms. Sukhwinder, Ms. Jyoti Marathe, Ms. Anita Modhe, Ms. Bhavana Jadhav and the durationally active members, Ms. Vinita Jadaun, Ms. Khushbu Jain and Ms. Vandana Jaiswal, this was accompanied with cash vouchers for an appetizing meal which brought a ravishing smile on their faces. My Apex, Rev. KP Thomas, the Manager of this Institution tired not to list out the USP's of this team, prominently he stressed that all the members consolidated with a ideology to motivate the Parents to clear the dues, to understand their financial downfall and cite a suitable remedy like part payments, rebate from late fees, concession under very special circumstances like casualty reported due to Covid-19 in the family etc., updating the Parents with the various schemes of Government in Central and State for Casualties reported during the Pandemic. He found it apt to disclose that none of the members who provide valuable service to this Institution, irrespective of the kind, may be a Teacher or a Guard was impeached or requested to resign, also the dues and arrears of all the Working Fraternity were clear well in time.

I and all my close relatives, Teaching Staff, Admin Staff, Support Staff and my Apex, the School Management together bid farewell to the Aspirants of Std. XII. I am pretty assured on account of the meticulous work done by my close relatives, Teaching Fraternity and the School Management, my lifetime assets, Students of Std. XII will achieve something great in their lives, will be ethically strong, will contribute to the progress of our nation and will create a moment of pride and joy for me, my close relative and their next of kin, their Parents. I and all my close relatives wish and pray for their complete well being and happiness forever in their life and sincerely urge them to perform sincerely in CBSE Board Examinations commencing from 26th April, 2022 and onwards.

Pages full of life and vitality, pages of Lume Pallotti, the Annual School Magazine, Volume- 13 was made public on 2nd October, 2021, the auspicious day of 152nd Birth Anniversary of Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi. All the goodness with which it was composed depicts the phenomenal and courageous journey of my close relatives, my dear Students, Teaching Staff, Admin Staff, Support Staff and my Apex, the School Management during the toughs of Pandemic. Lume Pallotti -13 is solely dedicated to the fond memories of all the Dear and Near Ones who lost their lives in fighting against Covid-19. Unfeigned thanks to my close relatives, members of the Editorial Board who are committed to produce this Document which creates a moment for me and my close relatives to relish, as they turn page after page to navigate Life

at St. Vincent Pallotti School, Indore. I am glad to reveal with this that this year as well this Annual Thesis as I write is about to complete and as it is fully furnished it will become integral of Lume Pallotti, the Annual School Magazine of this Institution, 14th Edition which will mark the celebration of 75 years of Free India.

I and all my close relatives, continue to pay homage and tribute to the two great renowned personalities of the nation. Posthumously conferred with Padma Vibhushan, Late Sir Bipin Rawat, the Former CDS General of India who lost his life in a helicopter crash on 8th December, 2021. Bestowed with Bharat Ratna, Dadasaheb Phalke Award, Legendary Playback Singer noted for her distinctive voice and vocal range, Queen of Melody, Nightingale of India, Voice of Millennium, an Elderly, Motherly and a Sisterly figure to the entire nation, Lata Mangeshkarji. Her aura is so divine, heavenly and wide that she continues to accommodate in some part of our heart through her songs that I and my close relatives deny to speak or write about any such factual importance data which attempts to defeat her state of mortalism, 'Naam Gum Jayega, Chehra yeh Badal Jayega, Meri Aawaj hi Pehchan hai, Agar Yaad Rahe.....'

"May the tender love and care of God urges us."

I am indebted to the above just line, it seems as if it is omnipotent and indomitable and so was its influence on me during the odds of this year, it made me feel that I am nurtured under His deific custody, He will do every single to prevent me from being demolished and the chronology of past seventeen years which was only and only possible with His robust and herculean support, assures me that soon in subsequent years I will be two decade old. A million thanks to all my close relatives, first and foremost my dear Children as they are the cause for this St. Vincent Pallotti School, Indore to run, they are the cause for my close relatives, my Apex, the School Management, my Teachers, Admin Staff and Support Staff to seek employment in this Institution. I am obliged to my close relatives, Parents, who continue to trust me and aid me to sustain my economy by clearing the dues in time, as that is the prime source that assists me to operate my business and in time permit me to fulfill the need of all those who depend on me for their bread and butter. I am honor-bound deep within my hearts to all my close relatives, Teaching Staff, Admin Staff, and Support Staff for rendering their service zestfully to my expectations. I am not a solo performer, each of my moves requires goods and services from people and organizations from different walks of life, and hence all my Benefactors and Well-Wishers are equally appreciated. Million, Billion, Trillion... thanks to Anomalies of Pandemic, Google Classroom and the Team who prevented me from collapsing and dismantling, Online Social Media Service, Instagram, Meta, Whatsapp, Youtube etc. aided me to restore and promote my identity and so the skills and talents were portrayed on these "Hub of Goodness." I bow down in reverence to the saintly quotation from Very Rev. Saint Mother Teresa instilled in me the desire to compose this Annual Thesis.

Hereby I now conclude this Annual Thesis for the Year 2021-22 and what greater than the following line suits best to do the "Honor of Conclusion".

May the tender love and care of God urges us."