

# **LIGHTWORKERS ACADEMY**

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# FROM OUR PRINCIPAL'S DESK





"Dasamaya" was a dashing success, and this newsletter carries the numerous wishes and feedback of this grand event. Teachers Day was celebrated with lots of enthusiasm and joy. LWA had the privilege to welcome and host the Egyptian Kabaddi team in collaboration with the Tamil Nadu Sports University. Let's all bask in the glory of our Decennial year and enjoy reading our September newsletter !!!

-Ms.Santhi Swaminathan





Highlights of September 2023 DASAMAYA 2023 - DECENNIAL YEAR CELEBRATION TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATION- Class XI EGYPTIAN KABBADI TEAM SPECIAL ASSEMBLY "GANESH CHATHURTHI" - CLASS V B **BHARAT SCOUTS AND GUIDES CAMP KANCHI CLUSTER AWARDS XQ VIDEO LAB SEPTEMBER EVENTS COMPETITIVE EXAMS GLIMPSES OF DASAMAYA 2023** FEEDBACK - DASAMAYA 2023

# DASAMAYA 2023 - DECENNIAL YEAR CELEBRATION

Lightworkers Academy, Nallambakkam, Chennai celebrated its Decennial year on September 16<sup>th</sup> 2023. LWA from its humble beginning with a handful group of students to a well-known group of students, to a well-known institution today, is a long journey where the students, parents and faculty who believed in their dedication and perseverance and who in turn achieved their ideals of empowering the young generation through education and extended their service to all by providing a holistic excellence. The chief guest of the day Dr.M.Sundar,Vice Chancellor, Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University graced the occasion. The programme commenced with invoking prayer song by our school choir and welcome dance with the theme of "Women empowerment". The Welcome address was delivered by Annapoorani and Dishitha Ayyar of Class X. The programme was started by honouring the teachers and staffs who rendered their selfless service in the school for 10 years. The students who had made both the school and their parents proud during the academic year 2021-2022 and 2022-2023 were acknowledged and felicitated by the chief guest.

The kindergarten children were the highlight of the day who were dressed up like fruits and vegetables and conveyed the importance of including in our meal to have a balanced diet. The primary school students portrayed the different dance forms of the various states which was a treat to watch. Salute to Corona warriors by the middle schoolers and Technology and Development by the high school students. The students exhibited their artistic talent through colourful and spectacular performances. The programme came to an end with a vote of thanks from the School Pupil Leader Ms. Shivaani of class XI and the overall compering was done by Varsha of class X and Paargavi of class XII.











### **TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATION - Class XI**

The Teachers' Day celebration at LWA was a grand success, leaving everyone with cherished memories. The students of class XI conducted the Teacher's Day assembly. It was a day filled with laughter, joy, and heartfelt expressions of gratitude. The inclusion of games and dance performances added an element of fun and entertainment to the event while reinforcing the strong bond between teachers and students. The assembly included a prayer song and speeches in different languages, talking about the importance of the day as well as teachers in the students' lives. The electrifying dance performance truly brought life to the stage. The students of class 11 prepared a special video for the teachers. The students also displayed a skit conveying a special and strong message. The teachers flaunted their elegance and beauty in the ramp walk. The celebration served as a reminder of the crucial role teachers play in shaping the future of the nation and left everyone with a renewed appreciation for the dedication and hard work of our educators. It was a day to honor and celebrate the guiding lights of our lives — our beloved teachers. Our Management also honoured all the teachers with wonderful gifts.











### EGYPTIAN KABBADI TEAM

The Tamilnadu Sports University in collaboration with the National Service Scheme and Egypt Kabaddi Federation had an "International Workshop on Sports Beyond Borders", @ Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University where the LWA students performed a cultural dance. The Egyptian Kabaddi team along with the Tamilnadu Sports University chancellor were felicitated. Dr.M.Sundar, Vice Chancellor, Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University along with Egyptian Kabaddi team visited our school and had a splendid time with our students and teachers.

#### EGYPT IS A LAND FULL OF DREAMS, MYSTERIES AND MEMORIES,

Egypt, commonly known as The Motherland of the World, Land of Civilizations and The Greatest Power in Human History, is reputed worldwide for its distinct 7,000-year-old record of civilization and immense wealth of knowledge. Egypt Kabaddi Federation (EKF), which hosted the Africa Kabaddi Championships last year, will be the strategic partner as World Kabaddi embarks on promoting and developing the sport around the globe, with specific emphasis in the African continent this year.

"Play Hard! Play Smart! Play Together!" was chosen as the theme for this year's World Kabaddi Day.









# SPECIAL ASSEMBLY "GANESH CHATHURTHI" - CLASS V B

Festivals bring people together and creates a sense of belonging in the community. They also provide opportunities for participation, skill development, social, cultural and environmental developments. Students of class V B conducted GANESH CHATHURTHI Special assembly. The assembly began with an invocation of the divine. The students shared positive and inspirational Speeches to bring out the true spirit of the festival. They also performed special dance and song about Ekadant. Everyone participated with full enthusiasm and the performance of the students left everyone with festive mood.









#### BHARAT SCOUTS AND GUIDES CAMP

"Scouting is all about building confidence and self-esteem learning important life skills and leadership skills, team building, outdoor adventure, education and fun".

The Bharat Scouts and Guides camp was held at Tamilnadu State training centre, Stanley Park, Coonoor from 24/9/2023 to 30/9/23. From LWA, Mr. Karuvalagan and Mrs. Kanchana attended the advanced level training for Scout Master and Cub master. The seven days programme included various activities like Hiking, making group songs, story telling and camp fire. All activities were based on four pillars - Character training, Health & Strength, Skill development and Service to others. Camp fire was organised for all the levels like Cub masters, Guide masters and Scout masters at the last day of the camp. The camp came to an end successfully by receiving a Course completion certificate.



#### The Bharat Scouts & Guides-Tamil Nadu **State Headquarters**

**Advance Cub Masters Course** Venue:Stanley Park, STC, Coonoor, Ottupattarai, Coonoor, From: 24.09.2023 to 30.09.2023



.Periya Samy, M.Jaganath, R.Vinnarasi, K.Anitha, S.Akila, T.Manjula Bharathi, N.kanchana, S.Keerthi .Prabhakaran.

Maniyannan, C.Velayan, B.Inba Sekaran, C.Johnwesley, M.Murugan, M.Ram Kumar, S.Bharathi, ROW: R. Manjula ALT/G, J. Sakthivel LT/S, R. Venugopal LT/C (LOC), S. Nagarajan LT/S K. Ekambaram LT / C, K. Punitha ALT / C



#### The Bharat Scouts & Guides-Tamil Nadu State Headquarters

**Advance Course For Scout Masters** 





Line 1:D.NandhaGopalan, V.Deenadha velan, M.Vijayan, M.Agnirasu, A.Vellivel Kumaran, V.Senthil Kumar, B.Joshw A.Roslin Vimala, A.Maheswari, V.Bagyalakshmi, N.Jayamani, M.S.Srinath, B.karuvalagan, K.N.Govindarajan, G.Allwin Jacob, P.Sathiamoorthy, M.Manikandan

Line 2: T.Palpandi, P.Suresh, A.Samvel Sathva Seelan, A.Venkatachalam, S.Baskar, T.Manikandan, M.Sivakumar, K.Anbu, M.Chandra Mouli, J.John Biritto, K.Tamil selvan, M.Duraiswamy, M.Lokesh.

SITTING ROW: R. Manjula ALT/G, S. Ganesan Pre - ALT/S, J. Sakthivel LT/S, G. Mahadevan LT/S, S. Nagarajan LT / S, R. M. Kannan ALT / S, V. Saran Raj ALT / S, R. Surya Narayanan Pre - ALT / S







#### KANCHI CLUSTER AWARDS

Everyone likes to be appreciated and recognized for the work we perform and for our accomplishments. KANCHI CLUSTER has been doing this noble service of extending their recognition not only to the teaching staff but also to the non-teaching staff as well as supportive staff. This year Mrs. Subapradha (HOD - Hindi Department) and Mrs. Sangeetha (Maths Department) were the recipients of the "SHIKSHA SIROMANI" Award. Mr.Gowtham (Executive - Administration) and Mr.Veerabadhran (security of LWA) were the recipients of "SEVA SIROMANI" award.







### **XQ VIDEO LAB SEPTEMBER EVENTS**

India's first Art-Integration Video Olympiad is being conducted in the months of September and October 2023. A total of 33 students from our school across grades III to IX had enrolled and continue to participate in it. The last date for video submission has been extended till October 15<sup>th</sup> 2023. The results will be announced in the month of November 2023.

The students of grade IX expressed their gratitude for the Teachers through a video card on Teachers' Day. Please enjoy the video by clicking on the link below.

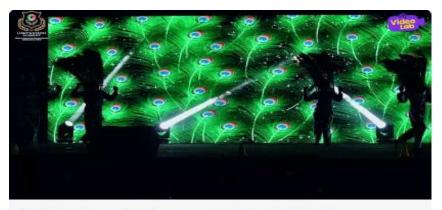
https://xqvideolab.page.link/RBCn (Teachers day card)

An exclusive video on "Dasamaya", the decennial year Annual day celebration and on "Egyptian Kabaddi Team" visit to our school are also available in the xQ video lab app in the following links.

https://xgvideolab.page.link/EyxM (Dasamaya)

https://xqvideolab.page.link/HAPh(Egyptian kabaddi team)

Please do Like and Share the videos.



Lightworkers Academy completes 10 Years!
Lightworkers Academy marked a decade of excellence
with "Dasamaya", their decennial annual day celebration....



Egyptian Kabaddi Team visit to LWA



Students of Lightworkers Academy express gratitude for their teachers in a unique style this year Watch the students of xQ Video Lab of Lightworkers Academy surprise the teachers in their school through th...



# ARYABHATA GANIT CHALLENGE EXAM 2023

Application of Mathematics in daily life needs development of certain competencies and to promote such competencies among students through joyful assessment, Aryabhata Ganit Challenge (AGC) is conducted by CBSE. This test mainly focuses on the extent to which students are able to apply Mathematics to their daily life.

Level 1: In this level, all the students from classes 8 to 10 participated.

Level 2: Top 3 students from level 1 were selected for this level. Level 2 examination is the national level competition. Level 2 examination was conducted on October 3<sup>rd</sup> 2023.

From our school, Anshul karthik class X, Adithya Kakade and Madhu shwetha class IX B were selected for level 2.

# WILD LIFE WISDOM GLOBAL CHALLENGE 2023

Birds are essential to our world — as pollinators, seed dispersers, predators, scavengers, and ecosystem engineers, they link ecosystems and help in maintaining the health of the planet!. With "Birds of the World" as the theme for Wild Wisdom Global Challenge 2023, WWF has started an initiative 'Wild Wisdom Global Challenge 2023' to engage and inspire school children to learn about nature, biodiversity, and key conservation issues. The students of classes 6<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> participated in the classroom challenge. Around 160 students participated out of which 30 students were selected for WWF School Challenge which is from 7<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> of October.

#### **OLYMPIAD EXAMS SEPTEMBER 2023**

Every year students of LWA enthusiastically participate in the Olympiad exams conducted by SOF. This year the, IGKO and IEO exams were held on 21<sup>st</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> of september respectively. These Olympiad Exams conducted at regular intervals helps the students to face future challenges confidently. The IEO Exam helps the students to upgrade their skills in English grammar and Language and the IGKO Exam helps the student to expand their knowledge of current affairs. Students enjoy taking up these exams as it is different from their regular studies.

### **READING CHALLENGE 2023**

To analyse the reading competence of the students, CBSE conducts Reading Challenge for classes 6 to 10 every year. We carried out this reading challenge in our school on  $22^{nd}$  September, 2023.

2 Students scoring highest mark in each class will be eligible for the next level.

The following students are qualified for the next level

Class VI: Meryl & Sameeha.

Class VII: Aaron Juby & Sasha Clement. Class VIII: V.Riya & Preetham Vaddi.

Class IX : Vinisha & Aadhithya. Class X : Keerthi & Dishitha.





COMPERING BAND



SWARASAGARAM

SUSWAGATHAM







SPLASH AND CLASH



# GLIMPSES OF DASAMAYA 2023 – TOPPERS OF LWA





year celebrations with great joy and gratitude. Ten years of togetherness brought together the management, staff, students and parents. M Sundar, vice-chancellor, Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University, was the chief guest. The staff members who had completed ten years of service were honoured by the chief guest. The students who excelled in their academics in classes 10 and 12 were felicitated by the Principal Mrs. Santhi Swaminathan. The event was a grand success.



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JAMMU AND KASHMIR







CULTURAL GAALA

WEST BENGAL





LIGHTWORKERS ACADEMY





FANTASTIC FOUR







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OUR AUDIENCE





OUR LWA TEAM



#### FEEDBACKS - DASAMAYA 2023

Very Nice Program, I watched on YouTube. Thanks to you, all the Staff, teachers for their best efforts.

- Mr. Panda Coordinator of the Trust



Thank you so much for the efforts Rani mam. Teachers have organized the event so perfectly and our kids implemented in a superb way. Kudos to all.

- P/ O Rasimarshal Class Prep Thank you for all your hard work and dedication .Wonderful event and fabulous performance by kids. We all enjoyed their dance. Credit goes to the teachers and the team.

- P/O Nilaalini Class Prep

The annual day celebration had to be postponed due to rain, but it was worth the wait. These kids delivered outstanding performances, and I couldn't be prouder. My son even took a week off before the event, and our worries about his performance vanished when he flawlessly executed every step. This success is a testament to the dedicated teachers who poured their hearts and souls into training these kids. Congratulations to the entire team and management for creating such wonderful memories for us!

- P/O Antonios Dre Hansel.D. Class 1 Each and every performance was awesome. We stayed till end. Even with bad weather enjoyed a lot. Great efforts by all teachers and kids.

> - P/O Anbu Devisri Class 1

Hearty congratulations to you Kanchana mam and your kids. They all performed very well. Thank you.

- P/O Veena Class 2 Well organized and all the teachers took good care of them. Nice to see. Thanks once again.

- P/O Pershitha Shree Class 2 Thank you for your efforts Leema mam.Really program is very super.

> - P/O Haatim Class 2



### FEEDBACKS - DASAMAYA 2023

The LWA School's annual day function on September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023 was fantastic and the performances were outstanding. My son was excitedly anticipating the event. He was going to school for practice and doing it at home as well. Despite the rain scaring us for a while, the lighting and display made for a wonderful evening. The function was well thought out and beautifully conceptualized. The acts and dances of the tiny toddlers were a reflection of the efforts of the teachers and staff. Watching them was a stress- buster. Our kids were encouraged to perform better in fine arts and studies thanks to the overwhelming experience. I thoroughly enjoyed the program.

- P/O Achyuth S Nair Class 3 Our annual day was amazing for both students and parents because the LWA family has a fantastic instructor and coordinator. The great coordinator and instructor from the LWA family thrilled both parents and pupils.

> - P/O Abishalini Class 3

Coordination was mindblowing. Credits goes to the teachers who trained the kids. All kids enjoyed their dance and performed in excellent manner and the props were well handled by kids without mess up. Teachers hard work is really appreciable.

- P/O Sridhanvanthri Class 4 Thanks a lot to Jayanthi and Anitha Mam. All the students were well trained and the programs were of good standard. Both of your help in getting students ready for the event is commendable!

- P/O Purna Rajesh Class 4

Congratulations to all the teachers and the entire team who organised such a fabulous function. It was great to see all the kids perform so well with lot of confidence. We are proud to be a part of the LWA School.

- P/O Nithyashree Class 4 Thanks to one and all for the hard work, effort and training showered to make the event a grand success. All the program were best and we had a wonderful treat.

- P/O Karthik Sreeram Class 4

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank each one of you for making this day so special and memorable not only for the kids but for the parents as well. Indeed the weather was not supporting but all the performances were breath taking and mesmerizing. The lighting, stage, costumes and the sound effects were really good. Thank you teachers and staff for your efforts and dedication.

- P/O Vrinda Class 6



### FEEDBACKS - DASAMAYA 2023

Such a beautiful evening with wonderful performances, the spirit of the children were so high despite the rain. All the programs were too good and the kids did an amazing job on the stage. Thanks to the teachers' long hours and hard work, this would not have been possible without you!!Hats off to you teachers...

-P/O Sameeha Class 6 Thank you so much teachers for your encouragement and cooperation.. It was very wonderful. Your hard work is shown in the performance. Thank you so much for guiding us all the way from the beginning to the final performance. We couldn't have made it without you. Thank you so much Sudha mam, Malini mam and Karuvalagan sir for your support, dedication, passion and involvement in this program.

- P/O Jayashri Class 6

#### Dear Principal Madam,

Congratulations for the successful Dasamaya event yesterday even with heavy rain pouring. This time, all arrangements and children showcase were amazing. Chairs are clean, no mosquito biting (I guess pest control sprayed), video and audio both are very clear, live web stream another classic idea, adequate snacks drinks available, water facility every corner, energetic teachers & staffs ensured seamless support, no unnecessary Mike announcement, panic less handling of crowds during raining, simple & very supportive special guest, great cooperation from students & their parents etc.. All are commendable. Franklin D. Roosevelt said "A smooth sea never made a skilled sailor". As a captain, you managed the event very well even with heavy tides winds rains yesterday. All teachers & staffs efforts are highly appreciated. Hard work never gets wasted, another proof yesterday, even Varuna gave way for atleast 3 hours to showcase your efforts. It's pity that We definitely missed higher class students performance & chief guest speeches but fair enough given the weather circumstances atleast we could cover 90% of planned agenda. Also, congrats and best wishes for 10 years awarded teachers & staffs.Please keep it up & share our thanks to all of LWA teachers & staffs who made this event a grand success! Only one suggestion for improvement: if possible, next time let's ensure much more smoother transition between each programmes so audience gets continuously engaged. This is definitely possible because you have already set the high class benchmark. Once again thanks & regards.

> - Vijayakumar & Sangeetha P/O Senthamil Selvan (Class 5) and Keshav (Class 8)



