

OCTOBER

"The month began with the usual energy and enthusiasm, as students and teachers returned to their routines with renewed focus".



Annual Long Trip to Kerala

This academic year, the long educational trip was organized to Kerala from 29th September to 3rd October. The itinerary included visits to Munnar, Kochi, and Alleppey. The journey commenced with a train ride on 29th September, marking the beginning of an exciting and memorable experience.

The first day was dedicated to sightseeing in Munnar, where students visited attractions such as the Tea Museum, Botanical Garden, and Waterfalls. The second day featured a visit to the Alleppey Houseboat, offering students a unique experience of Kerala's serene backwaters. On the third day, the group explored Kochi, visiting places such as the Jewish Street, beach, and enjoying a cruise ride.

The trip provided a perfect blend of learning and leisure. Students thoroughly enjoyed the experience and returned with unforgettable memories and renewed enthusiasm.

ONE DAY TRIP

A one-day recreational trip was organized for students of different classes to various destinations during the month of October. Students from Classes 3 to 10 visited GRS Fantasy Park, Mysuru, on 10th October. The Kindergarten students enjoyed their visit to Fun World on 17th October, while students of Grades 1 and 2 had an exciting trip to Neladhasiri Resort on 25th October. These trips provided the students with a refreshing break from their regular academic routine and offered them opportunities for fun, learning, and social interaction. The students returned with wonderful memories and renewed enthusiasm.



Gandhi Jayanthi

Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated with great enthusiasm on 15th October in the school campus. The programme began with a serene prayer service, setting a peaceful tone for the day. The Kindergarten students opened the celebration with a delightful dance performance themed on non-violence, reflecting one of Mahatma Gandhi's core principles.

The Primary section students then presented a captivating skit portraying the virtues and values lived by Gandhiji, Fancy dress, and they also presented a song, while the High School students enthralled the audience with a patriotic dance performance expressing their love and respect for the nation.

The Investiture Ceremony of the Bunnies was held on this day with great enthusiasm. The young Bunnies proudly received their aprons from Sr. Annette, Principal, and took their oath to uphold the values of discipline, service, and teamwork.

The celebration concluded with an inspiring address by Sr. Annette, our Principal, who reminded everyone of the significance of Gandhi Jayanti and emphasized Mahatma Gandhi's invaluable role in India's freedom struggle. Her words encouraged students to carry forward Gandhiji's ideals of truth, peace, and non-violence in their daily lives.



ANNUAL SPORTS MEET-2025

"Champions are made on the field, not just in classrooms."

The Annual Sports Meet 2025 of Mount Carmel Central School was a much-awaited event that brought out the true spirit of sportsmanship, teamwork, and healthy competition among students. The campus was filled with energy and excitement as students participated with great enthusiasm in a variety of events.

The Sports Meet featured a range of games, field events, and track events conducted over several days. Games such as Throwball, Basketball, and Football were held within the school campus under Junior and Senior categories, with house teams competing keenly to secure top honors.

- Field events like Shot Put and High Jump took place on the school grounds, while Discus Throw, Long Jump, and Javelin Throw were conducted at the Mount Carmel College Stadium on different days. The track events included heats for 100 m, 200 m, 400 m, and 600 m races for students from Grades 4 to 10, showcasing speed, strength, and endurance.
- Adding a touch of fun and excitement, students from Kindergarten to Grade 3 participated in a variety of obstacle races, which brought smiles and cheers from the audience.



FINAL DAY- ANNUAL SPORTS MEET



"The harder the battle, the sweeter the victory."

The Finale Day of the Annual Sports Meet was held with great pomp and grandeur on 30th October 2025 at the Mount Carmel College Stadium. The event was graced by the Chief Guest, Ms. Shreya K. H., Assistant Professor, Department of Physical Education and Sports Science, Chanakya University. The Guests of Honour were

Sr. Fridoline, Manager, Mount Carmel Educational Society; Sr. Petronilla, Correspondent, Mount Carmel Central School; and Sr. Annette, Principal, Mount Carmel Central School.

The day commenced with the welcoming of the dignitaries by the Guides and School Band, followed by a grand March Past led by the Student Council, the Marians (champions of the previous year), Florians, Teresians, and Josephites. The vibrant School Band added rhythm and pride to the parade.

The Opening Ceremony featured a Prayer Service, a Welcome Address by Sr. Annette, and the Oath-taking Ceremony led by Ms. Greeshma Ballal, School Sports Captain. The Lighting of the Lamp and the Lighting of the Sports Torch symbolized the spirit of courage, unity, and fair play. The Chief Guest then addressed the gathering with inspiring words before officially declaring the Sports Meet open, alongside the Principal, with the symbolic release of the dove. The School Flag was hoisted by Sr. Fridoline, followed by a Vote of Thanks marking the conclusion of the opening ceremony.

The competitions began soon after, with students from Kindergarten to Grade 10 participating enthusiastically in the final rounds of various events, including Shuttle Relays, 100 m, 200 m, 400 m, and 600 m races, and the much-anticipated 4 × 100 m and 4 × 200 m relays across the Under-12 and Under-16 Junior and Senior categories.

As each event concluded, medals and certificates were awarded to the winners. The Individual Championship Trophies and the Overall Championship Trophy were presented by Sr. Annette, Principal, to recognize outstanding performances.

The Closing Ceremony featured a final March Past by all four houses, followed by the lowering, folding, and handing over of the School Flag by the Sports Captain and House Captains to the Principal, marking the official conclusion of the Annual Sports Meet 2025.

The event reached its peak of pride as the Marians were declared the Overall Champions, with the Florians emerging as Runners-up.

The Annual Sports Meet 2025 truly embodied the Carmel spirit of sportsmanship and unity. It was a day that celebrated not just victory, but also participation, perseverance, and unity – reminding every Carmelite that true champions are those who strive with heart, courage, and grace.

