



# Sacrifice Secures Success



**Fr. Jino Thomas**  
Principal

**Great Achievement is born of  
Great Sacrifice**

The phrase "Great achievement is born of great sacrifice" serves as a reminder that the road to success is rarely without challenges, setbacks, or sacrifices. It highlights the dedication, perseverance, and resilience necessary to overcome obstacles and accomplish extraordinary

things. Let us remember that sacrifice is not limited to monumental gestures alone. Even small sacrifices, such as giving up leisure time to study, helping others in need, or sacrificing personal desires for the collective good, can pave the way for greatness.

In every significant accomplishment, there lies an underlying story of sacrifice. Whether it is in the realm of science, arts, sports, or any other field, individuals who have achieved greatness have often made tremendous sacrifices to attain their goals. Sacrifice can come in various forms: time, effort, personal desires, comfort, and even relationships. It is the willingness to give up something valuable in pursuit of a higher purpose that distinguishes extraordinary achievements from ordinary ones.

One of the most notable examples of great achievement born of great sacrifice is that of the scientific genius, Marie Curie. Born in Poland in 1867, Curie devoted her life to the study of radioactivity. Her groundbreaking research led to the discovery of two new elements, polonium and radium, and she became the first woman to win a Nobel Prize. Curie's success was not without sacrifice. Her relentless dedication to her work exposed her to hazardous radiation, which ultimately led to her premature death. Her sacrifice, however, paved the way for groundbreaking discoveries and transformed the field of science forever.

Similarly, we can draw inspiration from the life of Nelson Mandela, a visionary leader and an icon of freedom. Mandela spent 27 years in prison, enduring immense hardships, fighting against apartheid in South Africa. His sacrifice for the cause of equality and justice laid the foundation for a democratic and inclusive society.

In conclusion, the concept of "Great Achievement Born of Great Sacrifice" stands as a testament to the human spirit and the extraordinary capabilities we possess. It reminds us that remarkable accomplishments do not come without sacrifice.

# Dream Come True



**The Beats**  
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In this digital age and with so many other avenues of communication available to us, it seems that *The Beats* is the best outlet for students' creativity and developing critical thinking skill. So Mary Matha Media team has tried to shape an online newsletter into a responsive, dynamic content including images, news and creative works of students. The first Volume of *The Beats* was released on 5th June 2023 by Fr. Jino Thomas, Principal handing over the first copy to Vice-Principal Mr. Sujith MV.

*The Beats* is a very informative and valuable tool. It provides updates and information to parents on every school activities. It is published on the first Wednesday of every month. *The Beats* highlights a child in one way or another and tells the parents that their child is more than just a number. Clear and concise content grabs the attention of the readers. It is uploaded in school website and school Whats App groups so that readers can access newsletter at anytime and anywhere from any device.



## Inauguration of Clubs

Different clubs were inaugurated in the school main ground on 12th July 2023. The program started with prayer song at 10 AM. School choir has sung the prayer song. The cultural ministers welcomed everyone to the program. Different clubs were inaugurated by Mrs. Ujwala Gaikwad, academic coordinator. She has emphasized on the importance of the new perspective "learn, unlearn and re-learn".

Club opening events started with the programs of science and eco club. Ms. Siddhali Bhosale is the in-charge of science club. Students of science club gave an introduction of science and ecology and presented the club's name, Shroninger club. They

presented quantum entity through a skit. Students of language club presented different programs including skit and speech. They presented biography of Hindi writer Prem Chand. Language club presented their name as Letterflies. Mrs. Chippy VS is the in-charge of language club. Health and Wellness club demonstrated yoga postures. Mrs. Sarika and Mrs. Seema are the

in-charge of health and wellness club. Mathematics club introduced their name, Ignite infinity forum of mathematics. Students of mathematics club presented importance of zero through skit. Mrs. Sumita Shelke is the in-charge of mathematics

Club Heritage club introduced their name Fire of remembrance. Students of heritage club presented traditional dress of different States. Mrs. Chinnu VS is the in-charge of heritage club.

Principal Rev. Fr. Jino Thomas distributed the prizes to the winners of respective fields. He advised students to use their chances and overcome their stage fear. The function ended with school anthem.

"The illiterate of the 21st century will not be those who cannot read and write but those who cannot learn, unlearn and re-learn"

(Mrs. Ujwala Gaikwad, on the occasion of Club Inauguration)





Ever-rolling trophies for curricular, co-curricular and Extra-curricular excellence (2022-23) lifted by Green, Yellow & Red Houses respectively.

# Olympiad 2023-24

World's Biggest Olympiad

MARY MATHA

Empowering Children to Become  
Global Champions

Register Before

15 August 2023

Exciting  
Awards  
&  
Prizes



## Special Assembly



Red house (Daring Dreamers) organized Special Assembly on 5th July 2023 on the theme *"Unwavering determination, persistent hard work and thorough perfection lead to success"*.

This was mime presentation in which there were six characters. From those three characters were representing how do determination, and hard work lead to success. But the other three characters were opposite. Instead of being determined, hard work they involved in unwanted activities which made them unsuccessful to reach the success.



One day little 12 years old girl asked her father, "What are you going to gift me for my next birthday?" Father smiled and said, "There is much time, so wait till your birthday". Just after few days of this conversation, the girl fainted and was rushed to the hospital. After checking on girl, doctor came out and informed family that girl had a bad heart and probably she will die. Everyone in family was shocked to hear that and didn't know what to do.

While girl was lying on bed in hospital and her father was sitting near her. She asked, "Daddy, Am I gonna die?" Father replied, "No dear, you will live." He gave her a warm hug and kissed her on forehead and left weeping. Girl said, "How can you be so sure daddy?" Father turned around and replied, "I know." After some time, girl got treated and was recovering, at same time She turned 13. After she come home, she found a letter on her bed.

It says: "My sweet kid, if you are reading this, it means everything went well as I told you. You remember? Once you asked me what am I gonna gift you for your birthday. Well, at that time I didn't knew what I am gonna give you but now my present to you is "My Heart".

Father donated his heart for her. Daughter ...!!



Anwayi Santosh  
Ghadage  
Grade V



*"A dream dosen't become reality through magic , it takes sweat , determination and hardwork."*  
(Tanvi Manojkumar Katkar, On the occasion of Special Assembly 5th July 2023)

## Storytelling Competition Adding Wings to Imaginations



Kachare Devashree  
IV-A

Patil Swarda  
IV-B

Roman Shrimayi  
IV-A

Bhosale Arjun  
III-B

Jamdade atharv  
III-A

Godse Hriday  
II-B

Storytelling is an art of narrating and unfolding the narratives of a story. Stories teach us about life, about ourselves and others. Storytelling is unique way for students to develop an understanding, respect and appreciation for other culture and can promote a positive attitude to people from different lands, races and religion.



Shridhan Avinash  
I-A



Naste Vighnharta  
II-B



Dhruv Sarngar Pol  
I-B

and impressive expressions which impressed the audience very much. The competition was judged by a panel of three judges. Judgment was based on actions, pronunciation, performance and presentation skill of the children.

Competitions are the best way to build the confidence in children. Keeping this in mind, an English Storytelling Competition was conducted on 14th July in the Lower section (I-IV) to enhance the confidence and speaking skills of the students. Many students participated in the competition. The little kids of Mary Matha participated in the competition actively and enthusiastically and performed spectacularly narrating their favourite stories with enthusiasm, actions, voice modulation

The competition was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. It reflected the efforts of the children and parents, put along with the support of the teachers. The little story tellers won everybody's heart and were applauded. Each and every Story was recited with a moral. The oratory and presentation skills of little kids of Mary Matha were outstanding.

FA-I for Grades from I to VIII and Pre-Midterm for Grades IX and X were conducted between 17 July and 22 July.

The goal of formative assessment is to monitor student learning to provide ongoing feedback that can be used by instructors to improve their teaching and by students to improve their learning. More specifically it helps students to identify their strengths and weakness and target areas that need work. It also helps faculty to recognize where students are struggling and address problems immediately. Above all it is executed in Mary Matha as a tool that identify misconceptions, struggles and learning gaps along the way and assess how to close those gaps.



## Craft Day 21/07/2023



Sanskruti Arun Gore  
Grade X

Just as the full moon shines its light upon the world, teachers illuminate our minds with knowledge, guiding towards enlightenment and growth.

(On the occasion of Gurupoornima)

# Master Brain Quiz Competition

Master Brain GK quiz competition was held on 26th July 2023. The primary goal of this event was to educate the students on current general knowledge in Science, Sports, 21st Century Skills, Maharashtra, Great personalities. Program was coordinated by Mr. Sujith MV & Mr. Sathish Mathew. The event was graced by Fr. Jino Thomas, Principal, Mary Matha School along with faculty members and Higher Section Students. The quiz was divided into four rounds. The first place winner was Red House and Second Place winner is Yellow House. The level of competition was kept par with competitive exams to assist students in their academic careers and future educational opportunities.



## Know Your English

1. Except: not Including, other than / They work every day except Sunday
2. Expect: regard (something) as likely to happen/ It's as well to expect the worst.
3. Accept: consent to receive something offered/ He accepted a pen as a present
4. Kick the bucket: to die/ Everyone one of us will kick the bucket someday
5. Break a leg: good luck/ Do you have exam today? Break a leg.

## CDF Prelims-I (31 July 2023)

CDF stands for 'Concept – Definition – Formulae' in Sciences and Mathematics. CDF Test is conducted to enable the students of Mary Matha to appear for any competitive / scholarship exam and even to crack the career building exams such as IIT-JEE, NEET, UPSC etc. it creates a competitive environment throughout the academic year that can help students to develop a healthy enthusiasm for competition. CDF helps the students to foster a sense of healthy competition, where students strive to do their best and improve their performance at different levels of CDF. The yearly climax of the CDF Tests is Mary Matha Science Scholarship Exam in April, 2024.

## Upcoming Events -August 2023

11. English Handwriting Competition ( Class I-X)
15. Independence Day, Patriotic Singing & March Past Competition. Fancy Dress Competition (Pre-Primary)
16. Parsi New Year
21. Nagapanchami
23. Rakhi Making Competition (Class I-X)
- 25-26. Drishya Arts Day Competition
29. Onam
30. Raksha Bandhan



Sanskruti Anol Ghadge  
Grade V

"The victory in Kargil was the victory of the brave sons and daughter of indomitable courage. victory in Kargil was the victory of India's resolutions. Victory in Kargil was the victory of India's power and patience. Victory in Kargil was the victory of the India's dignity and discipline. Victory in Kargil was the victory of every Indian."

(On the occasion of Kargil Vijay Diwas 26 July)

# Happy Birthday Fr. Principal

**I**t is a time when July begins  
It is a time when our heart wings  
It is a feeling with true prayer  
Towards the God to bless you with care  
A millions of stars up in the sky  
But you shine the brightest in my eyes  
You are not just our Principal  
You are truly our Father

**I** just want to tell you today  
I hope you have wonderful birthday  
I hope all your wishes and dreams  
Intend true because my heart has love for you

**T**hese are words with emotions,  
This is not just a song  
This is a true desire for you.



Harsh Shilwant  
Grade V

(A poem written as part of English Weekend Activity)