

# CARMEL SPECTRUM



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Dear Readers,  
Greetings !

This issue of the 'SPECTRUM' is a milestone that marks our growth, unfolds our imagination and presents a beautiful mosaic of activities and creative talent of our students, highlighting their success and achievements. Students involved in various co-curricular, extra-curricular activities and community service training have donned the mantle successfully and displayed a great sense of duty with dedication. This has helped the school carry out many important tasks with ease.

I seize this opportunity to thank our worthy Principal Sr. Maria Swati A.C. for her immense support, guidance and cooperation throughout as well as the efforts put in by the editorial team. Fortunate, as we are to receive support and blessings of our Manager Rev Fr. Shaiju Chacko, the school has by his benevolence taken up the upgradation of the infrastructure in a big way.

I would like to convey my heartfelt thanks to Carmel Staff for their unending support and cooperation. You have been a significant part of my journey here. My aspiration for all of you is to continue with the team-work, stay dedicated and focused to taste the fruit of success. It's been a wonderful experience working here and I am going to miss Carmel and its faculty very much. As I leave the portals of Carmel I take along the fond memories with me

Carmelites, you are lucky to have been blessed with the opportunity of receiving education and spending your formative years in this beautiful campus where nature abounds in its full glory. Make the optimum use of the facilities available here for your growth and learning. Explore yourself from within, identifying your strengths and weaknesses to develop yourself physically, intellectually and spiritually, so that when you leave, you make yourself known as good human beings with a spirit of love, compassion and fully equipped with all the skills to face the challenges that would await you in the open world.

Our motto 'Belief Enhances Life' is our guiding force and we remain committed to our endeavour. I also thank the parent community for having bestowed their faith and confidence in us. Your faith in us is our driving force. We are also grateful to the members of School Management for making 'CARMEL SPECTRUM' an integral part of Carmel Family. I heartily wish all the readers my best wishes and hope this souvenir will enjoy your critical acclaim and prove itself to play a vital role in the all round development of the children.

Happy Reading and Viewing!



**Ms. Deeksha Dhar**

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# CLIFF NOTES...

## Happiness depends on what you can give, not what you can get – Mahatma Gandhi



I have sought an inexpressible delight in serving the school as an Admin staff. I have been a part of this school for twenty one years and witnessed all the good and unforgettable moments of it. My journey in Carmel started in 1998 under Sr. Wilfreda A.C, when the school was a single block. Growing from there, to a sprawling campus today, under the leadership of Sr. Maria Swati and Rev. Fr. Shaiju Chacko– the school has come really a long way and so have all of us. The love and support of the sisters, the co-operation of the staff, the affection of the students, the spirit prevailing in this Institution is just wonderful. No wonder the blessings of the Lord have been pouring down leading Carmel to be one of the best in Jammu.

This silver jubilee year has been significantly special in so many ways, from purchase of new land to reconstruction of the admin office; the management has left no stone unturned to provide the best facilities to not only the students but the staff as well. We should reflect back, think and feel proud of what we have achieved together. What I am today and where am I has largely been shaped by this school. I would not be lying when I say Carmel has been a major part of me and my family's life and I am proud of it. Thank you Carmel!

- Mrs. Susan Kuriakose

## Few words from a 16 year old proud and fortunate member of Carmel...



Teaching is an art of awakening the natural curiosity of young minds for the purpose of satisfying it afterwards. It was my cherished desire to express my experience in SPECTRUM and I am fortunate enough that it has been fulfilled. Carmel was a young sapling when I joined this esteemed institution sixteen years ago. It has now grown up beautifully into a higher secondary with young girls shining like stars in their respective careers. The greatness of Carmel has taught me how to respect my individuality, to cultivate high esteem and a positive attitude. Carmelites are imparted quality education and are empowered to achieve great heights with courage and conviction.

Under the guidance of our respected School Manager Rev Fr. Shaiju Chacko and Principal Sr. Maria Swati A.C, the school has progressed each passing day. From inauguration of Higher Secondary to the new school building, from advanced library to Tata Edge smart class and Edu Sports, all are commendable to make Carmel what it is today.

Looking back at the sixteen years of association with Carmel, I feel blessed to be a part of this institution. I thank God for this opportunity and wish for guidance and wisdom for everyone associated with Carmel.

- Mrs. Harpal Kour

## "Learning is the process of constantly updating in an ever changing world."



I am experiencing an immeasurable ecstasy for being blessed to present this message. I am proud of Carmel for providing versatile teachers, modern technology and conducive infrastructure. I am short of words to explain what Carmel means to me. Many who are aware of the school's efforts for its quality education are proud of its achievements. The perfect education atmosphere helped the management in propelling this institution to its peak. I am privileged to be a part of an institution of such mighty reputation.

Education with excellence is the only mission on which the school works and quality education has become the hallmark of Carmel. Our motive is to work on the spiritual, moral, intellectual, social and physical development of the girls and every year we are creating physically and mentally strong human resources.

I take this opportunity to thank respected School Manager Rev Fr. Shaiju Chacko, worthy Principal Sr. Maria Swati A.C. and the management for creating an ocean of opportunities for Carmelites to excel in their talents.

- Ms. Rabia Kousar

## "Focus on the journey, not the destination. Joy is found not in finishing an activity, but in doing it."



I joined the prestigious Carmel Jammu in the year 2015 as a pre primary teacher and since then there has been no looking back. It gives me immense pleasure to be a part of this beautiful family. Learning at Carmel is based on the fundamental principles of life; teaching the children to be courageous, confident, disciplined, responsible and loyal. Education at our school

provides a foundation for a lifetime of learning and is great fun too. It is a two-way process; where the teachers first try and understand each individual child so as to provide them with the most easy and adaptable techniques and a conducive ambience for them to learn what is delivered. We believe in teaching by following the child. We strive to keep our toddlers busy with learning activities. Under the dynamic leadership of Rev. Fr. Shaiju Chacko and Sr. Maria Swati A.C., the school has achieved greater heights. The introduction to new kindergarten infrastructure, well modified smart classes, play gym, demonstration programmes has contributed to the development of the little ones in all areas i.e. cognitive, emotional, social, moral, psychomotor and aesthetic giving them the right values from the very beginning. Our role as a school is not only to pursue academic excellence but also to empower our students to be lifelong learners. We try to provide the best possible environment for the development of young children in a carefully planned and structured environment in which the child grows and learns in a natural way.

- Mrs. Enna Charak

## THE BUZZ...



**M**y dream of getting my daughter admitted in Carmel turned into reality in 2007. The school is a club of academics and sports activities. The thing which distinguishes **Carmel Jammu** from other schools is its emphasis on co-scholastic activities. The academics are under taken by well experienced teachers. The school has the best sports facilities wherein interested students practice under the guidance of well trained coaches. It rightfully deserves the tag of **Best School for girls in Jammu**. Not only this, they provide utmost care and comfort to students and hone their skills. Being a parent, I am highly content with the level of education passed on to students and am relieved after putting my daughter in this school because I know her all round personality development is underway.

- Mrs. Sumanjit Kour m/o Sirjan Kour (VI B)

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**L**ot of international schools have flooded the market but being a parent the responsibility of choosing the right & best school for our child rested heavily on us. School form the very foundation of a child's personality and **Carmel Convent** is the **best school in Jammu**, as tiny tots are perfectly taken care of by developing their cognitive and psycho motor skills. They are taught to express clearly and effectively. As a mother, I don't have to worry any longer as my child is learning all the right things. I am grateful to the school for taking such good care of my three year old. I can confidently say that **Carmel is the best in town**. The experience my child has with **Carmel Convent School** is incredible. From the very start, we were impressed with the discipline, patience and caring environment in which the children are taught. This is by far an educationally superior school with highly experienced and dedicated teachers. Our daughter developed a passion for art and significantly improved her language skills to the point that she is now fluent in English. We highly recommend the school to any parent who wants the absolute best education for their child.

- Mrs. Gurpreet Kour m/o Gurnoor Kour(LKG B)



**M**y daughter joined this prestigious school in LKG and is presently studying in class XI. In this span of about twelve years, I am very much delighted about her tremendous progress. I have very closely observed and experienced that all the teachers are fully dedicated towards the progress and all round development of students. The other matter that touched my heart is that more emphasis is laid on discipline, punctuality, character building and moral values, which is today's need for a true citizen. The behaviour and cooperation of teaching and non-teaching staff is highly appreciated. Additional physical features of the school are large area, well planned building, garden, playground and beautiful natural surroundings. The other attractions of this school are - various clubs, cultural activities, Art/Craft/Science Exhibitions, Celebrations of National and other festivals, Annual Day, Zonal level programmes like Skit/Debate/Cultural Meets and many more. The most important factor is that the standard of the programmes may be ranked among the best Indian schools. Due to intense dedication towards quality education, the school is gradually heading towards becoming a world-class education centre. I thank and congratulate all the respected teachers for providing quality education to our children. Finally in my view, whole efforts could be possible only in the leadership and guidance of respected Principal Sr. Maria Swati A.C. I thank and congratulate her with lots of compliments and best wishes.

- Mr. Sandeep Bhat f/o Perna Bhat (XI A)



**I**t was a proud moment for me when I got my daughter admitted to Carmel. The sprawling field of school and spacious class rooms not only provide abundant space for children to enjoy the learning process but also gives adequate chance to foster the holistic development in young aspirants. The learned teachers and non-teaching staff contribute their best efforts to prepare students to be civilized and responsible citizens of future. The regular co-curricular activities as reflected in different spheres of life by the students have proved that Carmelites are excelling in every sphere. The regular meeting of parents with teachers act as a good platform for inculcating confidence and sense of responsibilities amongst students as I have seen in my daughter. I wish the same sense of confidence and attachment is developed amongst all the students to help them build their bright future. Best wishes!

- Mrs. Shifali Choudhary m/o Bhavya Sandhu (IV A)

## NEW VENTURES...

*The Lord is good and kind ! A reason for great Jubilation in the Jubilee year !*

With the blessings of the Almighty and the support of the Jammu-Srinagar Educational Society, Carmel is blessed with the most valuable addition of new land for the school that not only provides direct access to the highway but also takes care of the safety of our students as they move in and out of school. This new addition opened the scope of expansion for the school. The dream of Bishop Hippolytus, the founder of Carmel Jammu came to its fruitful realisation in the 25<sup>th</sup> year of the school. The infrastructure in Carmel also took a giant leap. Renovation of school playground, Principal's office and upgraded Pre primary class furniture was done to make learning joyful.



## BROADCAST...

### SCHOOL AGAIN...



The silence in Carmel campus was shattered with the chirping of happy students as they walked back to school after a long summer break. It was a glorious moment as the students entered through the new school gate. They were thrilled, excited and raring to go! The assembly teemed with a wave of enthusiasm. The students came back fresh, reenergised, well rested and full of excited stories about their vacations. The school News letter "Carmel Spectrum Vol 2 Issue 1" was distributed on this day.

### TATA CLASS EDGE SEMINAR...



An informative seminar was conducted for the staff members to make learning more interesting with skill-based knowledge. The resource persons Mr. Amritpal Singh and Mr. Sourav Sharma from Tata Class Edge provided information about updating of the content and its user-friendly software. It was a well-planned and effective session, which enlightened and encouraged the teachers to use skill-based knowledge for the benefit of the students.

## STEM SEMINAR...

Carmelites of Std. IV and V attended a STEM (Science, Technology, Mathematics & Engineering) workshop in Intl. Daily Raising School. Wide arrays of public and personal issues were discussed—from global warming to medical treatment to laws of motion. Mr. Amit Sharma, Resource Person, instructed the students about potential benefits and career in STEM. The Carmelites were accompanied by Mrs. Sandeep Kour.



## A TRIP WORTH REMEMBERING...

**"A Journey of a thousand miles must begin with a single step."**

Overwhelmed with joy, 38 exultant Carmelites along with Principal Sr. Maria Swati, Mrs. Sanjeet Kour and Mrs. Shivani Chib went on an educational trip to Mumbai and Goa. It was a fun filled trip away from school and home where students had the opportunity to learn in a totally different environment. They learnt to take care of themselves and their belongings away from the supervision of their parents. They adjusted well in the company of their friends. The students along with teachers and a wonderful guide began their journey to explore the best spots of Goa, amidst the palm trees, surrounding the sea. The Carmelites visited all places of tourist interest like Calangute Beach and Fort Aguada, Anjuna Beach, Vagator Beach, Dona-Paula, Miramar Beach, Bomjesus Cathedral Church and enjoyed shopping at Panjim. The children had a wonderful time at the Baga Beach and Calliguti Beach. They enjoyed the rides and of course the dip in blue sea. The most exciting part was the cruise, where they danced to the beats of the music. As the ship glided in the shimmering sea, sparkling with reflection of multi coloured lights, it was a beautiful sight for them to remember for their lifetime. The students bid a good bye to pleasing Palm trees and alluring beaches of Goa and proceeded to Mumbai. The journey in Mumbai flagged off with the visit to the Gate Way of India, with a view of Taj Hotel. The enthusiastic Carmelites visited Siddhivinayak temple, Mount Mary Basilica, Haji Ali Dargah and Taraporewala Aquarium, Juhu. The day ended with shopping at Bandra Link road. The students returned to Jammu soaked in the memories of the most memorable trip ever.



## EDUCATIONAL TRIPS...

### TRIP TO MANDA ZOO...

An educational trip to Manda Zoo was organised for the Girl Guides of Std. VIII to acquaint them with the wildlife habitation. The students were familiarised with exotic and endangered animals species. The visit provided an opportunity to the students not only to observe the animals but also study their respective behavioural pattern. The students were made to understand the importance of taking care of the environment as it has a significant impact on the lives and welfare of animals. The girls were accompanied by sports teacher Ms. Aashima Pathania.



## PRAVESH COURSE



Carmel organised a three day awareness programme of Pravesh course for the Girl Guides of standard VI at Bharat Scouts and Guides Headquarters, Gandhi Nagar Jammu. The group was accompanied by the Girl Guide captain Mrs. Jyoti Wali and Sports Teacher Ms. Aashima Pathania. In the awareness programme, the students were enlightened about the history of the scouting movement and Law promises, knowledge of Patrol Signalling, First Aid, Health Rules, Tying of knots, Flag Song and Sign language etc. The whole programme was an enriching experience for the young guides.

## VISIT TO SCIENCE AND ART EXHIBITION...

28 enthusiastic Carmelites accompanied by Mrs. Ramnik Arora went to St. Peter's Hr. Sec. School, Karan Bagh to see the Science and Art & Craft exhibition held on 7<sup>th</sup> September. The students witnessed static and working models which can be used for learning various scientific concepts for children of the age group 11-15 years. The objective was not only to inculcate a scientific attitude and research-mindedness but also creating teaching aids. It encouraged students to participate in activities so as to understand the cognitive, affective and psychomotor aspects of the task.

In the arts section, the students witnessed art work like emboss painting, glass painting, kundan painting, wall hangings, flower pots etc. The Carmelites returned back refreshed with knowledge.



## QUEST- 7<sup>th</sup> EDITION, 2019... "Inter School Quiz Competition- QUEST"



Carmel Convent organised the 7<sup>th</sup> edition of the much awaited Inter School Quiz competition 'Quest' in the school premises. Thirteen reputed schools of vicinity participated in the competition and upheld the unique initiative of Carmel. The quiz coordinator Mrs. Anita Rampal welcomed the participants and briefed them about the day's proceedings.

The contest comprised of ten rounds and every round was a mixed bag of questions from history, sports, books and authors, current affairs, languages and vocabulary, general knowledge, science etc. which engaged the students for two hours. The students surprised the audience with their in-depth knowledge and showcased their brilliance by rapidly answering all the questions. The concluding rapid fire round was the most fascinating

one and was played between all the schools. They displayed tremendous grit and talent and ensured a neck to neck competition. Although all the teams participated actively, Jodhamal Public School emerged as the winner. The rolling trophy was taken by the winning school. The second and third prize was bagged by Carmel Convent Hr. Sec. School and Army Public School, Kaluchak respectively. The students displayed ecstatic spirit and enjoyed the quiz to the fullest.

Fr. Shaiju Chacko thanked all the schools for their untiring support and whole hearted participation in making 'Quest' a great success every year. He congratulated all the students for their commendable efforts and presented trophies and certificates to the beaming winners and participants. Certificates were given to all the participants.



## COMPETITIVE EDGE...

### Dry Flower Making Competition...

**A**s a learning activity, Art and Craft has traditionally been passed over in favour of more academic pursuits. It not only allows the kids to explore ideas and concepts but also develops their fine motor skill. The flowers are integral part of any decoration. The students from IV to VI were taught to

make dry flowers in the classes to hone their creativity skills. The Carmelites used their innovative ideas to make beautiful flowers with their artistic talent. It was very interesting to witness our little budding artists creating masterpieces with great enthusiasm.



### Fancy Dress Competition...



**C**armel organised the Fancy Dress competition on 31<sup>st</sup> July. Among many activities of the ISA project, Fancy Dress Competition flagged off on theme "Cherish Your Freedom". The purpose of conducting the competition was not only to blend learning with fun but also develop confidence in the Carmelites of pre-primary and primary sections by giving them an opportunity to get on the stage and speak in front of an audience.

The children were seen dressed as freedom fighters from India, France and South Africa. They walked forward with a lot of enthusiasm and excitement and displayed their vibrant and

colourful costumes. The judges were truly mesmerised to see the young ones display such impeccable talent. The competition bought an amiable ambience and each participant left the stage with prolonged deafening applause. The objective of the competition was achieved as the students learnt about international figures like Nelson Mandela, Ahmed Timol, Hector Pieteron, Mahatma Gandhi, Shaheed Bhagat Singh, Sarojini Naidu, Jean Moulin, Simone Segouin and many more. Principal Sr. Maria Swati A.C. lauded the admirable performances of the tiny tots and thanked the parents and teachers for the success of the event.

### Story Writing Competition...

**A**t Carmel, we believe that it is important for students to inculcate the habits of reading and writing at an early age, which will help them to begin the process of self awareness. To brush off the talented pool of bright young minds of the school, a story writing competition was conducted for classes VII to IX.

Through this activity, students were exposed to quality literature representing a variety of literary styles and views by prominent authors in the area of young adult literature.



## ISA ACTIVITY "CHERISH YOUR FREEDOM"



With the support and motivation of the Management; Carmel initiated the process to instill a global dimension into the learning experience and registered for the British Council International School Award (ISA). Numerous activities were organised under the theme "Cherish Your Freedom" as a part of ISA Action plan. Different competitions like Quiz, Declamation, Poster making and Wall painting were

conducted for the students. The Carmelites were involved in the international framework, collaborative curriculum-based work and international activities. The volume of work and the students-teacher involvement was truly commendable. This accreditation opened windows to explore other countries and its cultures, giving teachers and pupils a new outlook of the world. It prepared one and all with skills of life.



## CELEBRATIONS GALORE...

### PRINCIPAL'S BIRTHDAY...



Carmel lit up with joy and excitement for the birthday celebrations of our esteemed Principal Sr. Maria Swati. By invoking the choicest blessings on dear Sr. Swati, the choir sang the prayer song and marked the beginning of the day's celebration. Each class expressed their love, fondness and conveyed their heartfelt wishes and blessings through flowers, cards, meaningful words and broad smiles. The day's celebrations culminated by cutting of the birthday cake with the entire Carmel Family.

### CARMEL FEAST CELEBRATION...

The Feast day of 'Our Lady of Mount Carmel' was celebrated with great devotion and fervour and special prayers by the Sisters marked the celebrations of the feast. This was followed by a staff get-together to share the family spirit where Sr. Maria Swati prayed for each Carmel family member in a special way. Various games and activities filled the atmosphere with laughter and gaiety. A delicious lunch cemented the bond and strengthened the Carmel family spirit.





# TEACHERS' DAY-

**"A day dedicated to the Gurus..."**



Carmel celebrated Teachers' Day with great pomp and grandeur in the school campus. The Members of the Student Council organised a scintillating cultural show to denote their love, respect and recognition of the hard work put in by the teachers towards their development. The teachers were welcomed by presenting them with flowers in a lovable way by that provided a grand feast to their eyes. They were overwhelmed by a feeling of their efforts being acknowledged and appreciated. This was followed by various vibrant and enjoyable performances dedicated to the teachers. The day had an emotional and recreational touch. The students did all the preparations with complete energy and enthusiasm.

The cultural show incorporated poems, songs, dance and drama. They also entertained teachers by arranging fun games for them. They emphasised that teachers play a vital role in making their pupils accountable citizens of tomorrow and wonderful human beings.

School Manager, Rev. Fr. Shaiju Chacko lauded the contribution and devotion of the teachers towards the institution as well as to the cause of education. He also appreciated all the students for putting up a tremendous show for the love of teachers.

# RAKSHA BANDHAN-

**"A BOND OF LOVE..."**

Carmel celebrated the auspicious occasion of Raksha Bandhan with religious fervour and ardour making the students aware about the significance of this promising festival. The students of grade I to X participated in the Rakhi Making competition where they took keen interest in making colourful and aesthetically designed eye-catching rakhis.

Carmel collaborated with Dainik Jagran and in a sweet gesture of solidarity; the girls sent rakhis to soldiers stationed at Jammu ahead of the festival of Raksha Bandhan. The girls expressed their feelings through handmade rakhis and special crafts to show their love to the jawans who protect and keep us safe round the year.

Sr. Maria Swati A.C enlightened the Carmelites by making them realize that Rakhi is not only a festival of the siblings but it is also a celebration of mankind and humanity irrespective of all differences. She added "As a part of our 'Cherish Your Freedom' theme, we are doing this campaign so that our students feel proud of their soldiers from an early age".



# INDEPENDENCE DAY...

Carmel celebrated Independence Day on the theme "Let's Salute the Nation" with gusto and patriotic fervour. The day started with great vigour to honour the sacrifices made by great men and women for the country. The whole campus wore a patriotic look. The programme witnessed a musical rendition of patriotic songs by the students of class VIII. The students showcased a colourful spectacle of India's freedom through a delightful dance performance. On this patriotic occasion, Declamation Competition was organised on the topic "Freedom Fighters of France, India and South Africa". This ISA activity helped the children to explore international history. The objective of the competition was met, as the students learnt about international figures and their achievements.

In her address, Principal Sr. Maria Swati A.C. emphasized on the fact that Independence Day is a moment to pay tribute to the ones who sacrificed everything for the country's independence. She reminded everyone of the privilege to be born in an independent country and urged all to value and nurture this freedom.



## CARMEL MARCHES ON

Carmel gained outstanding results in the field of sports. Our girls continued to aim high and yet again, proved their mettle in Zonal level competitions in games like Kabaddi, Netball, Softball, Baseball, Tennis Cricket, Basketball and Tug of war. Each Carmelite displayed great leadership skill, confidence, teamwork, determination, incredible sporting talent and self belief. The competitions and tournaments in which Carmelites excelled in are:



Inter Zonal Kabaddi Tournament- Gold for Carmel



Tug of War Competition- 3 Carmelites selected for Zonal level Competition



Tennis Cricket Championship- 4 Carmelites selected for Inter District Competition



U-19 Basketball Tournament- Silver for Carmel.



U-19 Badminton Championship- 3 Carmelites selected for Inter District Competition



U-19 Netball Tournament- Gold for Carmel



U-19 Softball Tournament- Gold for Carmel



U-17 Baseball Tournament- Gold for Carmel



U-19 Baseball Tournament- Gold for Carmel

# INTER CLASS MATCHES...

To enhance skills like strength, speed, endurance, agility, flexibility, control and balance, inter class matches were organised from pre primary to VIII. Different games like Obstacle Races, Spoon Race, Hop Race and Kho-Kho were conducted and the children played with full enthusiasm and excellent team spirit. Winners were felicitated with medals and certificates on occasion of National Sports Day.



## NATIONAL SPORTS DAY...

Carmel celebrated 'National Sports Day' with zeal and zest on the eve of birth anniversary of the Hockey wizard, Major Dhyan Chand. A special programme was conducted that highlighted the importance of sports in one's life. Mrs. Madhu Bandral, DSP, Jammu graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and Mrs. Anju Gupta, ZPEO, Jammu was the Guest of Honour. They were accorded a warm welcome by the Management and Staff. A skit on the life of cricketer Harmanpreet Kour performed by the senior students won every heart present. The speech by Sports Captain Harshpreet Kour aptly depicted the role of sports in the integrated development of children.

The Chief Guest and the Guest of Honour awarded the medals and certificates to the National Players of the academic year 2018-19 and winners of the various sports events conducted in the current session. The chief guest addressed the gathering and emphasized upon the importance of sports in a



child's life. She was delighted to see girls participating in almost all the sports event. She also applauded the School Principal, Sr. Maria Swati A.C for empowering girls and congratulated her for the school's outstanding achievements in various spheres.

## PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP

**"Photography is the most democratic visual art."**  
- Wendy Ewald

Carmel organized a photography workshop conducted by Rev Fr. Shaiju Chacko in the school premises. More than 100 students from classes IX to X took keen interest in the workshop with complete enthusiasm. Students were briefed about the basics of photography, camera settings and were given lessons on how to click a good picture. Students showed tremendous interest and excitement throughout the workshop.

It was a complete student centric workshop where students enjoyed and learned photography skills. With the help of mentor tips and guidance, students were able to get good clicks. It was an amazing experience seeing students thinking out of the box, innovating new ideas and sharing them with our mentor for polishing them. The idea behind the workshop was to arrange the power of visual curiosity within students and to express their thoughts through pictures and give them a chance to learn something new and exciting.



# A DAY BEHIND THE LENS...



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