



# THE LYCEUMER

## PANADURA

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### MESSAGE FROM OUR FOUNDER

Mr Mohan Lal Grero

*“ What’s important is not the accolades and memories of success but the way you respond when opportunities are denied. ”*

— Tony Dungy

The way you respond to circumstances is always in your control. It’s easy to respond in a positive way when everything is going great, but can you take that positive attitude and apply it to defeat too ?

You see, true champions know that defeat is part of the process - that you can’t win every time. You must be able to work through defeat and come back even stronger. Otherwise you’re out of the game.

The next time you fail, have faith in yourself and accept the defeat graciously. That way, when the opportunity for success presents itself, you will be able to accept that graciously too. But remember, you are not granted success. You are only granted opportunities. Success has to be gained !

Tom Hopkins once said “You are your greatest asset. Put your time, effort and money into training, grooming, and encouraging your greatest asset.”After all, if you don’t use today better than yesterday, then why would you need a tomorrow?

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### March, 2018

LYCEUM - PANADURA



- March 2<sup>nd</sup> - Concert Rehearsal -Gr. 10-12
- March 3<sup>rd</sup> - Inter House Soccer Tournament
- March 6<sup>th</sup> - Concert Rehearsal -Gr.1
- March 8<sup>th</sup> - Concert -Gr. 10 - 12
- March 10<sup>th</sup> - Inter House Karate
- March 12<sup>th</sup> - Concert -Gr. 5
- March 15<sup>th</sup> - English Singing Senior & Junior Finals
- March 16<sup>th</sup> - Concert -Gr.1
- March 19<sup>th</sup> - First Semester Exam-Gr.9N & 10N
- March 20<sup>th</sup> - Second Exam- Gr.10 Cam & Gr.12  
- First Semester Exam- Gr.9, 10N,11N
- March 21<sup>st</sup> - Second Exam- Gr. 10 Cam. & Gr. 12  
- First Semester Exam- Gr. 6 -9 , 10N & 11N
- March 22<sup>nd</sup> - Second Exam - Gr.10 Cam. & 12  
- First Semester Exam -Gr.1 to 9, 10N & 11 N
- March 23<sup>rd</sup> - Second Exam - Gr.10 Cam & 12  
- First Semester Exam -Gr.1 to 9, 10N & 11
- March 24<sup>th</sup> - Inter House Scrabble Tournament
- March 26<sup>th</sup> - Second Exam - Gr.10 Cam. & 12  
- First Semester Exam - Gr.1 to 9 , 10N ,11
- March 27<sup>th</sup> - Second Semester Exam - Gr.10 Camb. & 12  
- First Semester Exam - Gr.1 to 9, 10N, 11  
- Inter House English Drama -Rehearsal
- March 28<sup>th</sup> - Test Paper Corrections (Holiday for-Gr.1 to 12 Students)  
- KAT (Kiddies Activity Time)
- March 29<sup>th</sup> - Test Paper Corrections (Holiday for-Gr.1 to 12 Students)
- March 30<sup>th</sup> - Holiday - Good Friday
- March 31<sup>st</sup> - Holiday- Bak Poya Day

### ALMS-GIVING TO THE TEMPLE OF THE SACRED TOOTH RELIC (Sri Dalada Maligawa)



It is with great delight we inform that Lyceum International School, Panadura will be offering alms to the Temple of the Sacred Tooth Relic in Kandy during the month of March 2018 for the third successive year, with the intention of evoking the blessings of the Noble Triple Gem on our students and wishing them for future success.

Parents who wish to have the privileged opportunity of donating for this worthy meritorious deed, are most welcome to make their contributions (on voluntary basis) to the Accounts Department on or before the 16<sup>th</sup> of March 2018.

If any parents wish to donate Ata-Pirikara or any other Pirikara items, please do contact the Chief Coordinator, Ms. Dilumini Guruge on or before the 16<sup>th</sup> of March 2018.(The Ata-Pirikara from the Buddhist Cultural Center at Nedimala, Dehiwala are recommended to offer.)

We believe that the generous contributions made by you towards this noble meritorious deed, will truly evoke blessings upon yourself and your dear child/children.

**May the blessings of the Noble Triple Gem be upon you !**

# MEMOS



## BEST PREFECT OF THE MONTH

Shayan Guruge (11 Nat.Com) has been selected as the Best Prefect of the month of January , 2018



**CONGRATULATIONS**

## ANNUAL ENGLISH BEST SPEAKERS CONTEST 2017 / 2018 WINNERS

Grade	Place	Name	Class
Six	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Samidhi Dabare	6D
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Thiseni Lelwala	6G
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Sandithi Nimaya	6B
Seven	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Amir Jezmi	7G
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Menalie Jayasuriya	7E
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Lisari Kahandage	7B
Eight	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Methvindi Rathnasiri	8D
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Newanmi Kisalma	8A
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Leanne Bakelmun	8B
Nine	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Pramudi Perera	9 Nat. B
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Ishini Dabare	9 Cam. (Sci.) A
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Devni Jayawardane	9 Cam. (Sci.) B
Ten	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Shenuri Mendis	10 Cam.(Com.) A
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Piyathi Pamaya	10 Cam. (Sci.) A
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Sulanya Kothalawala	10 Nat. A
Eleven	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Sathis Jayasuriya	11 Cam. (Com.) A
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Shakya Wanniarachchi	11 Cam. (Com.)A
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Pasandi Peiris	11 Cam. (Com.)A
Twelve	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Sheneli Mendis	12 Cam. (Sci.) A
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Sheran Nanayakkara	12 Cam. (Com.) A
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Navindu De Silva	12 Cam. (Sci.) A

**Orator of the year -2017/2018 :**  
**Sheneli Mendis of Grade 12 Cambridge (Science) A**

**CONGRATULATIONS**



## SPARK -2017 -SPEECH CONTEST

Shakya Wanniarachchi of Grade 11 Cambridge (Commerce) A, became the 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up at the Finals of the "SPARK-2017" Speech Contest, organized by Rotaract Club of Edulink International Campus recently.



**CONGRATULATIONS**

## CONCERT GR. 7 - 9 -LAKE OF STARS

The grades 7-9 concert, was held on 26<sup>th</sup> January, 2018 in the school auditorium. The many colourful performances of our young students kept the audience spell-bound. It was a hugely successful event enjoyed by all the participant.



## SINHALA KAVI COMPETITION 2017/2018

Sinhala Kavi Competition was held on 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2018 in the school auditorium.

### WINNERS

#### Grade 06

1. Isumi Jithma
2. Tevin Gamage
3. Poojani Liyanage

#### Grade 08

1. Posondi Wethalawa
2. Kaushali Fernando
3. Uvindu Kumarasiri

#### Grade 07

1. Dilanya Waidyathilaka
2. Poojaanee Senevirathne
3. Menali Jayasuriya

#### Grade 9 & above

1. Sulanya Kothalawala
2. Dulana Pitiwaduge
3. Chehal Jayasuriya

**CONGRATULATIONS**

## **GUIDELINES FOR THE SURAKSHA STUDENT INSURANCE COVER**

The “SURAKSHA” Student Insurance Cover is a programme conducted by the Government of Sri Lanka under the theme “Protect Forever - the Children of the Nation”, where the Ministry of Education has taken necessary steps to ensure the physical and psycho-social well beings of students, in order for them to live in a protective environment by introducing a health insurance scheme to cover diseases, accidents and disabilities experienced in school or outside the school premises. As you are aware, all students of Lyceum International School who submitted forms last year are now covered by the above mentioned insurance scheme. Please take a moment to read the details of the cover provided.



<b>TERM</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
Insurance Cover	‘SURAKSHA’ introduced by the Ministry of Education
Insurance Provider	Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation
Beneficiaries of the Scheme	All Sri Lankan students (aged 5-19 years) who are registered in the admissions register.

### **How it will work:**

The Sri Lanka Insurance Company will issue a Suraksha Student Insurance Card to identify the beneficiary, with a unique number being the insurance number of the beneficiary . This should be used when claiming benefits.

The school will maintain the details of all students' covered by the insurance and will issue these cards to them once they are received. (Note: If a student leaves Lyceum during the period of cover the school or parent must inform the Ministry of Education and Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation.)

If the students insurance card:

- \*has not been issued or
  - \*has incorrect information on the card or
  - \*has been misplaced / lost Please inform the Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation in writing as soon as possible or contact their hot line - 0112 357 357.
- (Note: New cards will be issued with a Rs.50/= fine payable to the Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation)

During the period of the insurance cover, an insurance claim can be made by obtaining a certificate from the Principal of the school (stating the School Census Number, Student Admission Number and current grade of the student) and submit it along with the claim form until the insurance card has been issued. (Note: In order to obtain a 20% discount from the total cost, the Insurance card must be provided as proof of studentship).

**A gift of an insurance coverage up to 500,000 from the ministry of education to all Sri Lankan school children between ages 5 - 19.**

### **Benefits you have**

- Hospitalization fee up to Rs.200,000
- OPD coverage up to Rs.10,000 for 7 selected ailments
- Up to Rs.100,000 on an accidental death of a student
- Up to Rs.75,000 on an accidental death of a parent
- Up to Rs.100,000 on permanent total disability
- Permanent partial disability from Rs.50,000 to Rs.100,000
- 20% Discount on hospital bills
- 20% Discount on Doctor channelling fees

**To obtain benefits please hand over all relevant documents to the closest branch of the Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation**



### **CONFISCATED MOBILE DEVICES**

The phones confiscated will be returned to the parents after one month. The phone will be sealed immediately and contents will not be looked at.

### **CANCELLATION OF SPORTS & EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

All Sports & Extra curricular Activities will be cancelled from 12<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> March 2018, due to the first semester examination.

## SPORT PARENTS CODE OF CONDUCT

1. Remember that children are involved in sport for their enjoyment, not yours.
2. Respect all decisions made by coaches, referees and officials.
3. Be a role model by supporting your child.
4. Do not coach your child in games or training..
5. Respect the rights of all players.
6. Applaud effort and hard work, as well as success.
7. Avoid criticising any player on the pitch or at training.
8. Encourage children to play according to the rules.
9. Do not force your child to participate in sport.
10. Do not shout or criticise players if they make a mistake.
11. Do not be rude towards players, other parents, coaches and officials.
12. Applaud the opposition as well as your own team.

## **HOW TO WORK DURING A MATH LESSON**

1. First sit properly on the chair.
2. The book should have a name slip pasted on it.
3. Stop all the other work and listen to your teacher attentively.
4. Draw a straight line to separate the previous day's work.
5. Remember to write the date. Write down the topic and underline it.
6. Number each sum and circle the number.
7. Write one number only in each square.  
Do not let the number touch the lines of the square.
8. Leave one line after each step and two lines after each sum.
9. Check your working and underline the answers.
10. Draw diagrams and graphs using a sharpened pencil and a ruler.
11. If you make a mistake cut it off with one line using a ruler.
12. Complete the days work and submit the book for corrections.
13. Do not do other things during Math time.
14. Just concentrate on what you are doing.
15. Always work as neatly as possible.
16. Math will become like a game when you start working with a positive attitude.
17. Never disturb the teacher or the others.
18. Respect the teacher and the subject you learn. You will be brilliant in maths

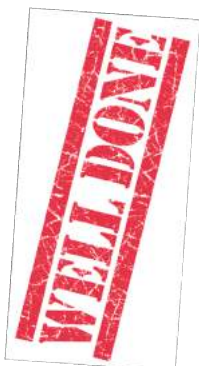
**YOU WILL BE BRILLIANT IN MATHS  
GOOD LUCK !**

## **THE SOUND OF MUSIC**

South Asia's First ever International theater performance of Andrew Lloyd Webber and David Ian's West End production of the much loved and revered musical, the Sound of Music was held at the Nelum Pokuna Theater Colombo, from 14<sup>th</sup> of 18<sup>th</sup> of February 2018.

While the cast, crew and orchestra were flown in especially for this performance, 12 Sri Lankan children had the privileged opportunity of being cast in the roles of the Von Trapp family children. We are extremely proud of our Students Amaya Perera (Gr. 8A) and her brother Lohan Perera(Gr. 6C) and Evni Sapugoda of Lyceum Nugegoda who were members of this exclusive troupe of very talented young artists chosen to be a part of this unique production. They, along with the other children gave an outstanding performance which was greatly admired and appreciated by the audience.

We would like to Congratulate Amaya and Lohan Perera for their amazing performance and wish them the very best to continue to develop their talents.



**CONGRATULATIONS**

# SPORTS



## 54<sup>TH</sup> MILO/PRAM MALAYSIA INVITATION AGE GROUP SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018

Above swimming meet selection trial was held on 27<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> January 2018 at Sugathadasa Swimming Complex Colombo.

Thinaya Jayarathne of Grade 8-A was placed first in the following events. 50 M breast stroke and 100 M breast stroke.

She was selected for 54<sup>th</sup> Milo/PRAM Malaysia, Invitation age group swimming championship 2018 which will be held from 15<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at the National Aquatic Center, Bukit Jalil Malaysia.



## SRI LANKA AQUATIC SPORTS UNION NOVICES SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP - 2018

Date : 22<sup>nd</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> February -2018

Venue : Sugathadasa Stadium Swimming Pool Complex

### UNDER 11 (BOYS)

#### Thisen Damsilu

200 M IM - 3.27.13 -	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place
500 M Free Style - 38.17	Qualified
50 M Breast Stroke - 50.28	Qualified

### UNDER 11 (GIRLS)

#### Lakkhi Wijesinghe

50 M Free Style - 43.60	Qualified
50 M Butterfly Stroke- 50.09	Qualified
200 M IM - 4.02.24	Qualified

### UNDER 13 (GIRLS)

#### Lesara Peiris

50M Free Style - 37.66	Qualified
50M Butterfly Stroke - 43.01	Qualified
100 M Free Style 1.27.08	Qualified

### Under 13 (Boys)

#### Daniel Fernando

100 M Free Style - 1.27.90	Qualified
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## THE TRINITY EXAMINATION 2016/2017

Date : August 2017

Trinity Grade : Initial

Teacher in Charge: Ms.Zarah Hussain

27 students from grade 4 participated, and all the students obtained distinction.

### Highest Marks achieved by:

- ✓ Linara Abeysekera
- ✓ Methuki Warnakula
- ✓ Induni Chamathka
- ✓ Lithumi Thuduhena

Trinity Grade: 1

Teacher in charge: Ms.Zaima Fazan

➤ 23 students from grade 5 participated, out of which 16 students obtained Distinction and 7 students obtained Merit.

➤ Thiseni Lelwala achieved the highest marks for the grade mentioned above.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

## SPEECH & DRAMA

The Trinity Examination for the year 2016/2017 was held in August last year. 55 students of Grade 6,7 and 8 participated in it. 25 students obtained Distinction while 30 students received Merits.

Teacher in charge: Ms.Gayathri Pangoda

Following are the students who obtained the highest marks.

Trinity Grade 2- Niruksha De Mel

Trinity Grade 3- Minanga Kumaranayake

Trinity Grade 4- Devni Jayawardena

**CONGRATULATIONS**

## 11<sup>TH</sup> SRI LANKA SCHOOLS NOVICES SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP 2018

Date : 15<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Venue: Sugathadasa Swimming Pool Complex

### UNDER 9 (BOYS)

#### Lithum Devvin

50 M Free style	37.16	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place
50 M Butter Fly Stroke	46.56	Qualified
50 M Back Stroke	48.88	Qualified

#### Sasvindu Perera

50 M Back Stroke	47.08	1 <sup>st</sup> Place
50 M Free Style	38.37	Qualified

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### UNDER 11 (GIRLS)

#### Lesara Peiris

50 M Butterfly Stroke	42.68	1 <sup>st</sup> Place
200 M IM	3.35.70	1 <sup>st</sup> Place
50 M Free Style	38.37	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place

(Under 11 Girls Champion)

#### Tarini Jayasena

50 M Breast Stroke	50.65	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place
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**CONGRATULATIONS**

**TRINITY**

## 3<sup>rd</sup> BATTLE OF THE LYCEUMERS

### LYCEUM NUGEGODA Vs LYCEUM PANADURA

Held on 17<sup>th</sup> February 2018, at P. Sarawanamuththu Stadium – Colombo

Sithira Tennakoon- Captain  
Sheron Liyanage- Vice Captain

Nesanda Weerasekara  
Shayan Guruge  
Aditha Iddamal goda  
Buddhika Jayasekara  
Isuru Perera  
Nimantha Ransilu  
Devin Rodrigo  
Chathil Aponsu  
Rehan Fonseka  
Dulash Abayarathne  
Raveen Jayaweera  
Dulan Fernando  
Dulana Perera



**Best Batsman**  
**Sheron Liyanage**  
Lyceum-Panadura

**LISP – 196 runs in 42.5 overs**

Sheron Liyanage – 65 runs

Sithira Tennakoon – 31 runs

**LISN– 197 runs for 1 wicket in 23.1 overs**

Vihanga Ambepitiya – 117 not out

Hansaja Bandara – 51 not out

*LISN WON BY 9 WICKETS*



ANNUAL  
CRICKET  
ENCOUNTER  
LISP vs LISN

### SRI LANKA SCHOOLS UNDER 13 DIVISION 111 CRICKET MATCHES



Our Under 13 Cricket team won all the matches at preliminary level and also won the Quarter Final Match held on 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2018, at Karadeniya Central Grounds against Narendeniya Central College. They qualified for the Semi Finals.

*We wish our team Best of Luck  
for the Semi Finals !*

### INTERNATIONAL SCHOOLS SOCCER TOURNAMENT 2018

#### Under 18- 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up

**Amhar Hilal - Captain**  
**Ashan Kaveesha - Vice Captain**  
Sanjeev Ravishankar  
Afsal Shiham  
Mehedi Mubarak  
Feroze Faiz  
Basith Ifaz  
Ameer Niyas  
Shuraim Ifhaam  
Rahmath Rizwi  
Mohamed Aseef  
Amhar Suhail  
Ayman Shiham  
Akif Naushad  
Arham Hilal  
Sajad Jazook  
Areeb Irfam  
Abdul Hafeez

#### Under 14 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up

**Akmal Fazly - Captain**  
**Nisila Kakillearachchi -Vice Captain**  
Umar Shakil  
Fahid Faiz  
Usman Faizer  
Senal Sachintha  
Abubakar Athaulla  
Mohammed Faiz  
Yousuf Fauzan  
Fahdi Minhaj  
Insaf Ahsan  
Shahid Ahamed  
Afsal Ahamed  
Arham Aflal



*Congratulations to both teams !*

### INTERNATIONAL SCHOOLS SCRABBLE TOURNAMENT

The Lyceum Panadura Scrabblers took part in the International Schools Scrabble Tournament which was held on 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2018.

Four teams of five players each took part in the three categories as follows :

- One team in the junior (Under 13) ,
  - Two teams in the intermediate ( Under 16)
- and one team in the senior (Under 19) The overall position /Rank was 2<sup>nd</sup> runner up.

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