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LYCEUM NEWS RATNAPURA

MESSAGE FROM
OUR FOUNDER
MR. MOHAN LAL GRERO



ACTIVITIES IN JULY 2015

02 nd July	Kavi Competition (Semi Finals)
03 rd July	Art & Craft Exhibition (Nursery - Grade 8)
10 th July	Kavi Competition (Finals)
21 st July	Concert Rehearsal (Nursery & Pre Grade)
24 th July	Concert (Nursery)
28 th July	Concert (Pre Grade)

PARENT TEACHER DAY (NURSERY-GRADE 12) THURSDAY, 18TH JUNE 2015

Dear Parent,

Parent Teacher Day will be held on 18th June 2015. You are cordially invited to the above meeting. For Grades 9 to 12 parents, participation is compulsory. We recommend parents of Grades 1 to 8 students to give priority to visiting the English, Maths and Science teachers and only if time permits, to visit the other subject teachers.

(Thursday, 18th June 2015 will be a school holiday for Nursery to Grade 8 students)

Please note that we may need to restrict time allocations when there is a crowd. It would be much appreciated if you could come ready, with your problems and suggestions noted down prior to the meeting.

Please use the following system when coming for the Parent Teacher Day.

Surnames beginning with	Time to meet teachers
A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H	7.30 am 9.45 am
I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P	9.45 am 11.45 am
Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z	11.45 am 2.00 pm

Students must respect the school rules and abide by the dress code when they accompany their parents to the Parent Teacher Day Meetings. Students are not allowed to wear sandals/slippers with uniform, or fancy accessories etc.

Thank you
Principal

LEAVING CERTIFICATES

Dear Students,

The best time for you, to obtain your leaving / character certificate, is as soon as you have finished schooling. Please remember to submit your clearance form, request, the certificates etc, 3 weeks in advance.

Principal.

If you spill something on a carpet, won't you try to find a stain remover and try to clean it up? You know the quicker you deal with it, the easier it would be to remove the stain.

It's the same way in our lives. Procrastination is putting off till later what we ought to do now. It is very easy to justify this. We think, one day I'm going to do it, so I'm not really being disobedient. We say, "Someday, I'm going to get serious about my studies but not right now", or "One day, I'm going to get back in shape." Unfortunately, for many people, that day never comes.

We say, "I have good intentions; I'm planning to be obedient, so that's not so bad." However good intentions don't equal obedience, and delayed obedience is disobedience. Rather than being a procrastinator, be a person who does things immediately. Don't merely intend to be obedient, promptly obey.

Maybe you go to bed with a guilty conscience because you are putting off what you know you should be doing. Procrastination makes us feel badly about ourselves; it condemns us. You walk in to a messy bedroom which you've been meaning to clean up, or you've got incomplete homework and wonder when you will ever get to finish it. That's a negative cycle, and it will continue unless you put your foot down and say, "I'm going to get my room in order. I'm going to make some changes today. No more procrastinating for me."

Remember, good intentions are not the same as obedience.

So, dear children, choose to be obedient today!

CONGRATULATIONS TO DHAMMA SCHOOL STUDENTS

The Ratnapura Pradeshiya Shasanarakshaka Mandalaya has been adjudged the Best among 318 such units, representing 38 districts, at an assessment made recently. In this connection, Ratnapura Pradeshiya Shasanarakshaka Mandalaya, gratefully acknowledges and appreciates the role played by the students and teachers of Lyceum Sambodhi (English Medium) Dhamma School, Batugedara to reach this high level of National achievement.

SPORTS NEWS

RATNAPURA ZONAL ATHLETIC MEET 2015

On 12th - 14th May 2015
@ Public Grounds, Ratnapura

Athletes qualified for the Provincial Athletic Meet

Under 11 Girls

Anjalika Madushani { 75m (12.0sec)
L. Jump (3.38m)
H. Jump (1.05m)

Under 13 Girls

Navodi Silva L. Jump (3.69m)

Under 13 Boys

Nethum Gunasekara L. Jump (3.89m)

Under 15 Girls

Dilara Perera Shot Put - 2nd Place (6.13m)

Under 15 Boys

Asitha Athukorala { Long Jump - 2nd Place (5.69m)
100m - 4th Place (13.0 sec)

Chanaka Chandrasekara }
Samud Dulshan } 100x4 Relay- 4th Place (51.9 sec)
Emal Athapaththu }
Shabinojar Ravi }

Fawaz Ahamed High Jump - 4th Place (1.40m)

Under 17 Boys

Rajitha Chandrasekara { 100m - 2nd Place (12.1sec)
200m - 1st Place (24.1 sec)
400m - 3rd Place (56.6 sec)

Sanji Poobalakumar { Triple Jump - 3rd Place (11.69m)
400m - 4th Place

Rajitha Chandrasekara }
Pasindu Ganganath } 4x100m - 2nd Place (48.1 sec)
Sanji Poobalakumar }
Dillesh Chamodya }

Ushan Gunarathna { Shot Put (11.66m)
Discus (38.9m)

Under 19 Boys

Kalindu Bandara Long Jump - 3rd Place



CONGRATULATIONS!

SABARAGAMUWA PROVINCIAL SCHOOL GAMES 2015 KARATE COMPETITION

9th May 2015 @ St. Josheps' Balika Vidyalaya
Kegalle

Loganathan Sujeewanan

3rd Place - Karate Kumite Under 17Boys

CONGRATULATIONS!

MESSAGE FROM OUR COORDINATING PRINCIPAL



Love Makes Families Last

A few decades ago the family unit consisted of mother, father, children, grandparents and even aunts and uncles, with families living in the same compound or the same house. Now, things have changed. The size of the family has continued to shrink, and the roles have changed too. The average family consists of mother, father and one or two children. Lives are fast-paced. Both parents work and children see more of school than home or their parents.

However, it is not the education or the money earned that keeps families together. It is love and only love. So what is love? It is not what you see on T.V. It is not just a feeling but also an action. Love grows stronger the more you exercise it just like your muscles.

Parents love hearing you tell them that you love them. However, only saying that you love them is not enough. **Show them** that you love them by being obedient. They have been through life and know more about the world. They also only want the best for you and will never let anything harm you. So, trust their judgement. If you have a problem talk it over with them, don't keep it bottled up inside or go in to a rage and start slamming doors. However, love is a two way street: parents, in turn, must be understanding and approachable, yet firm.

Your grandparents have worked hard to bring up your parents. Now it gives them much joy to see your parents bringing up a family of their own; and to see you, their grand-children, growing up in front of their eyes. All they need from you is to spend a little time with them. In their old age they are unable to do many things for themselves. So, help them. Converse with them and inquire about their well-being.

Remember, you too will become a parent and then a grandparent. So treat your parents and grandparents the way you would like to be treated if you were in their shoes.

Remember, F A M I L Y means

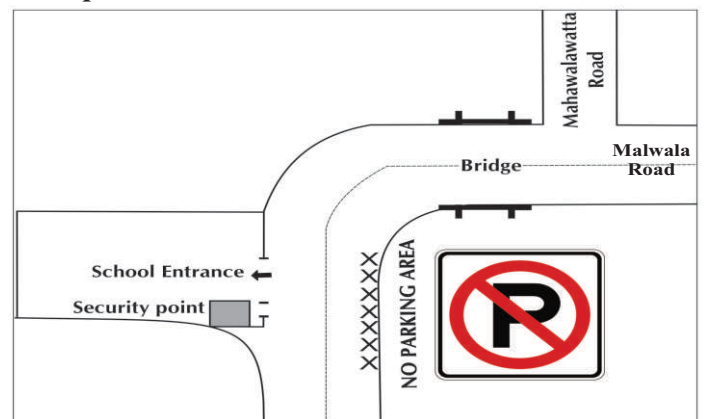
Father **A**nd **M**other **I**Love **Y**ou

PARKING

Dear Parents,

It has been observed that the traffic block near the main gate is caused by parking on both sides of the road, in front of the main gate. Therefore, please refrain from parking on the right side, as shown in the diagramme below :

Principal.



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