



Junior Jana Gayana Competition

The Junior Jana Gayana Competition was held on 26th October 2015 at 2.15p.m. in the Zeus Hall.

Results.

Grade 1

1st Danidu Ekanayake 2nd Neleesa Jayawardhana
3rd Shashini Maneesha

Grade 2

1st Navinu Gamage (Kandana Br)
2nd Deenu Perera 3rd Maleena Van Dort

Grade 3

1st Sesandi Abhayarathna 2nd Yenuki Jayakody
3rd Sarah Mohamed

Grade 4

1st Arunicka Sivakumaran 2nd Ishitha Premnath
3rd Sethuramalingam Sanjay

Grade 5

1st Manuth Mullahanda 2nd Thasanduni Hewage
3rd Thevindhi Edirisinghe

Grade 1 Reading Seminar

The Grade 1 Reading Seminar was held on 16th October 2015 in the Zeus Hall at 5.30p.m. We thank all the parents who were present on that day.

Pre School Reading Seminar

The Pre Grade Reading Seminar was held on 25th September 2015. The guest speaker was Dr. Asiri Rodrigo a Consultant Psychiatrist and Lecturer at the Faculty of Medicine, Ragama.

The Nursery Reading Seminar was held on 30th October 2015. The guest speaker was Ms. Achini Ranasinghe, Clinical Psychologist and Counsellor.

Senior Concert

The Senior Concert "Entelechy" was held on 19th October 2015 in the Zeus Hall.

Lyceum Home Study Time

- Grades 1 to 5** : 1 hour
- Grades 6 to 12** : 2 hours
- First quarter** : Studying and completing that day's work
- Second quarter** : Preparing for next day. (i.e. putting books according to time table etc.)
- Third quarter** : Reading (study books / story books)
- Fourth quarter** : Writing. If your handwriting is not good copy writing, or if handwriting is good, write small stories, poems etc.

Message from Mrs. Kumari Grero Coordinating Principal



Please see that your child eats a healthy breakfast and comes to school. If he / she cannot have breakfast at home, please send some breakfast for the child to eat during register marking period.

* When you drop your child at school, please make sure your child has the bag and the water bottle in his / her hand.

* Please make sure you send a very light weight raincoat in your child's bag.

* Please see that boys comb their hair with a side parting. Girls' uniforms should be below knee level.

* Make sure that the books are sent according to the timetable.

Inter House Debating Competition

The above competition was held on 14th October 2015 in the Multimedia room.

Topic:

In response to current discrimination by police against African Americans. This house as a black police officer in the United States would resign from his job.

Results:

Winning Team: Cetus House (774 points)

Radika Warnasinghe, Sachin D. Fernando, Dilshan Ariyawansa

Runners Up: Ursa House (765 points)

Danidhu Vithanawasam, Sakina Juzar, Anuk Kariyawasam

Best Debator and Best Captain

Danidhu Vithanawasam

Religious Programme Grades 6, 7 & 8

The Religious Programme for Buddhist, Catholic, Hindu, Islam and Christian students of Grades 6, 7 and 8 will be held on Wednesday 25th November 2015 from 8.00a.m. to 12.30p.m. in the school premises.

Venue :

- Buddhist Programme - 5th Floor Building B
- Catholic Programme - 5th Floor Building A
- Hinduism Programme - Dancing Room
- Christianity Programme - 3rd Floor Building B, 8K Class (B314)
- Islam Programme - 1st Floor Building C, Multimedia Room

House Badges

Please note that students from Grades 1 to 12 need to wear the House Badges which is available with Ms. Shanika at the General Office. (Revised price at Rs. 170/-)



Dear Parents

Adolescence is a time change

Dear parents it is important to understand the changes in a young adult. And it is time for you to help him / her to go through his / her adolescence successfully. Most adults assume the child's thinking is basically similar to their thinking.

The child's feelings in his/her adolescence, He / she wants to break free from family bonds and be independent, has the feeling of establishing a unique identity. Some may disengage from family bonds and might rebel, Gets irritated for the slightest thing, Spend more time in their room and also dislikes being disturbed.

They assert themselves among others. Class room gangs, neighborhood becomes their socializing agents, and their home becomes an important base of operations.

This is an age children experience major physical, intellectual and emotional changes, also experiencing new sexual feelings and not knowing how to respond. They are confused and concerned with what others think of them, and pre occupied with their looks.

How do you as parents respond?

Understand the change, as parents we must be aware of their current stage and their feelings, the child's basic concerns are been challenged and he will want help from you by talking things over with you. Avoid direct questions - Example what is wrong with you instead you can say you are worrying over some thing, would you like to discuss.

Avoid being overactive, the child should feel that parents accept the reality of the changes he / she is going through.

Dear parents try to understand their physical, and their psychological needs, love them and understand their feelings, respect them, value their individuality belongingness and acceptance.

Youngsters who have successfully gone through this face, would develop a basic sense of trust, can function on their own, could be initiative and feel competent to overcome the uncertainty of adolescence and to develop a strong self concept of who they are and what their role in society should be.

Failure to form a viable identity will result in role confusion which prolongs adolescences characteristics and lack successful functioning as adults.

Don Bosco Invitation Basketball Tournament 2015

Venue : Don Bosco Courts, Negombo **Date :** 24th, 25th & 27th October 2015 **Organized by:** Don Bosco Technical Centre

Under 15 Boys

Captain : Nazly Ahamath

Vice Captain : Pranil Perera

1st Match

Lyceum Wattala vs Gateway College, Negombo
21 00

2nd Match

Lyceum Wattala vs Royal College, Colombo
18 15

3rd Match

Lyceum Wattala vs St. Peter's College, Colombo
12 08

4th Match

Lyceum Wattala vs St. Thomas' College, B Team
23 06

5th Match (Quarter Final)

Lyceum Wattala vs St. Anthony's College, Wattala
26 13

6th Match (Semi Finals)

Lyceum Wattala vs St. Thomas' College, A Team
28 16

7th Match (Finals)

St. Joseph's College, Wattala vs Lyceum Wattala
19 18

Special Awards:

Best Defensive Player: Pranil Perera

We became Runners up in the above tournament.

Under 13 Boys

Captain : Mohamed Ziyen

Vice Captain : Lithan Abeywardena

1st Match

Lyceum Wattala vs St. Joseph Vaas College
12 04

2nd Match

Lyceum Wattala vs St. Joseph's College, Wattala
20 06

3rd Match

St. Joseph College, Maradana vs Lyceum Wattala
13 10

4th Match

Lyceum Wattala vs Gateway College, Negombo
12 02

5th Match

Lyceum Wattala vs Maris Stella College, B Team
18 04

6th Match (Quarter Final)

Lyceum Wattala vs Maris Stella College, A Team
19 07

7th Match (Semi Finals)

Lyceum Wattala vs Royal College, Colombo
12 08

8th Match (Finals)

St. Joseph's College, Maradana vs Lyceum Wattala
10 09

Special Awards:

Best Defensive Player : Mohamed Ziyen.

We Became Runners up in the above event.



Congratulations!

Under 17 Inter International Schools' Cricket Tournament 2015

1st Match

Venue : Shalika Ground
Lyceum Wattala vs Stafford International School
Lyceum Wattala won by 8 wickets.

2nd Match

Venue : Health Ground
Lyceum Wattala vs Leighton Park International School
Lyceum Wattala won by 9 wickets.

3rd Match

Venue : Health Ground
Lyceum Wattala vs Gateway College, Colombo
Lyceum Wattala won by 9 wickets.

4th Match (Finals)

Lyceum Wattala vs Whycherly International School, Colombo

Lyceum Wattala won the toss and elected to bat first

Score

Lyceum Wattala : 103 / all out (36.5 overs)

Batting Figures

Abinesh Ravichandran 19
Dilshan Jayawardena 16
Mishara Silva 16* not out

Bowling Figures

Abinesh Ravichandran 16 / 5 (7 overs)
Dilshan Jayawardena 11 / 2 (5 overs)

Score

Whycherly International School : 73 / all out (27 overs)

Lyceum Wattala won by 30 runs.



Team Members

Dishan Jayawardena, Mishara Silva, Pavith Lahandupurage, Imantha Fernando, Ravichandran Abinesh, Saleem Usama, Thimira Jayasekara, Monil Silva, Jeevithan Mageshwaran, Praveen Silva, Vishal Perera, Asher Kurukulasooriya, Rashen Perera, Dulaj Nair, Dian Aron Vaas, Achin Weerathunga, Asel Attanayake, Chandira Yasaswin

Special Awards:



Man of the Final

Abinesh Ravichandran



Best Fielder

Thimira Jayasekara

Under 19 Girls All Island Basketball Tournament 2015 'B' Division

Venue : British School in Colombo. **Date** : 17th to 25th October 2015.

Organized by: Sri Lanka Schools' Basketball Association.

Team Members

Kasuni De Silva (Captain), Pawani Ranepura (Vice Captain), Rashmi Perera, Nishni Perera, Hazeena Abdul, Tharinduni Rodrigo, Shanel Dias, Shyni hettiarachchi, Lubna Morseth, Asha Shake, Imandi Edirisinghe, Mihinsa De Alwis.

1st Match

Lyceum Wattala vs Methodist College
47 vs 19

2nd Match

Lyceum Wattala vs Kokuvil Hindu College
54 vs 41

3rd Match

British School in Colombo vs Lyceum Wattala
58 vs 56

Quarter Final

Lyceum Wattala vs Ladies College
65 vs 40

Semi Final

Lyceum Wattala vs Colombo International School, Colombo
47 vs 37

Finals

Lyceum Nugegoda vs Lyceum Wattala
96 vs 88

We became Runners-up in the above tournament.

Special Award:

Best Defensive Player : Hazeena Abdul

Refundable Deposit Receipt

Please keep this receipt carefully until your child leaves school, as without it we will not be able to refund your money.

Special Message to Grade 9 Students & Parents

Grade 9 teaches will be staying after school one day per week to help students clarify any doubts regarding subject matter or class work. Please speak to your teachers to find out the days.



National & Junior National Swimming Championship 2015

Held on 29th, 30th, 31st October and 1st November 2015 at Sugathadasa Stadium Swimming Pool Complex.

Team Ranking Through Event 70

Senior Boys Category

Lyceum Wattala Team 4th place with 70 points

Junior Girls Category

Lyceum Wattala Team 1st Runner with 111 points

Junior Boys Category

Lyceum Wattala Team 6th place with 50 points

Individual Ranking

Junior Girls - Thimali Bandara & Deekshi Gunasekara (4th place)

Junior Boys - Rakitha De Silva (3rd place)

Junior Boys Category - Rakitha De Silva

1st place - 400m Free Style, 1st place - 50m Butterfly, 2nd place - 200m Free Style, 2nd place - 100m Free Style, 2nd place - 200m Individual Medly

Junior Girls Category

Deekshi Gunasekara

1st place - 400m Free Style, 2nd place - 200m Free Style, 3rd place - 100m Butterfly

Thimali Bandara

2nd place - 400m Free Style, 2nd place - 200m Individual Medly, 2nd place - 100m Free Style, 2nd place - 50m Free Style, 3rd place - 200m Free Style

2nd place - 4x100m Free Style Relay

Chamathi Siriwardena, Deekshi Gunasekara, Thimali Bandara, Sahani Bhagya

2nd Place - 4x50m Free Style Relay

Chamathi Siriwardena, Deekshi Gunasekara, Thimali Bandara, Sahani Bhagya

Senior Boys Category - Diluk Jayathilake (1st place - 200m Breast Stroke)



Well Done

Itosu-ryu Karatedo Championship California, USA 2015

Itosu ryu Karatedo Championship was held on the 20th of September 2015 at Soka University in California, USA. Participants from South Africa, China, Japan, Canada, Sri Lanka and many states from the US had taken part in this tournament.

Following students from Lyceum Wattala have achieved positions.

13-14 years Individual Kata and Kumite (Novice)

P.G. Dineth Oshan - Kata (Gold), Kumite (Gold)

13-14 years Individual Kata and Kumite (Intermediate)

Hashen Dinusha Rajapaksha - Kata (Gold), Kumite (Silver)

15 - 16 year Individual Kata and Kumite (Intermediate)

Krishan Dayalan - Kata (Silver), Kumite (Silver)

11-12 years Individual Kata and Kumite (Novice)

Damiyan Reginald Daniel - Kata (Bronze), Kumite (Silver)

Library Donations

Ashini Dilshima Perera (Grade 12 Sci A)

Cambridge (O/L) and (A/L) marking scheme and Past Paper books.

Kathya Fernando (Grade 12 Sci N.A) - Story Books

Tr. Princy - 34 Reader's Digest Manazines.

Beverly Fernando (Grade 9 Sci B) - 9 Story Books

Shamesh Fernando - 5 Story Books

Antonie Jude Hamesh Fernando (Grade 3J) - 3 Story Books

Disath Thulmlna Withanage (Grade 3I) - 4 Story Books

Selection Criteria for Pre A/Ls

The new Pre A/L class will commence on 13th June 2016.

*Students have prove their basic competence for Sixth Form (O/L) work by having gained Grade A-C passes at the Second Examination held in March 2016 in Mathematics and in those subject being continued to Advanced Level.

*Behaviour should have been exemplary during the last 2 years (Grades 9 & 10).

* Pre A/L classes will commence in June and it is compulsory for the full term fee to be paid for the 3rd term. Students who are selected for Pre A/Ls should collect the Term Fee Voucher from the Accounts Department before the end of June.

* 10X students will be notified in January 2016 whether they are selected for Pre A/Ls or not according to the above criteria.

Holiday Camp 2015

Ambewela

Date : 2nd to 5th September 2015

Venue : The Plains, Ambewela.

More than 60 scouts and sea scouts participated for this holiday camp and got new experience of camping.

Mountain Hike : Batapola Kanda

Date : 4th September 2015

Our scouts got the opportunity to climb the 3rd highest peak in Sri Lanka