



NEWSHIS FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Dear Readers,

We are pleased to announce the first issue of our newsletter for the month of June. The beginning of the academic year is at its heart, a fantasy of newness and clean slates—of the chance to do things differently and with more attention to purpose. In reality, it's also one of the most challenging times of year for all.

This time of year, is full of enthusiasm and new opportunities. We meet new people and make new friends. We are committed to making every man a success and no man a failure. With the help of the newly elected student body council, we have been determined to conduct various events to recognize the talents of our ambitious students. The council has initiated several competitions, talent shows, and inaugurated clubs that develop their curiosity and sense of teamwork.

Happy Reading.... Give Wings to your dreams....it's time to Fly!

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LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD




HINDUSTAN
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 CHENNAI

Our heartiest congratulations to our beloved
 Founder Chairperson on receiving the

**LIFETIME
 ACHIEVEMENT
 AWARD**

Presented by the
 Rotary Club of Chennai Capital.

Dr. Mrs. Elizabeth Verghese
 Founder Chairperson, HGI









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The Rotary Club of Chennai Capital honoured eminent personalities for their exemplary contribution towards the society. The Award Ceremony was held on 10 June 2023 at the Hotel Hyatt Regency ,Chennai. Founder Chairperson Hindustan Group of Institutions, Dr. Mrs. Elizabeth Verghese was presented Lifetime Achievement Award for her lifelong commitment and service in her respective fields. We are truly honored to have such an eminent personality associated with our institution, and her accomplishments serve as a source of inspiration for all members of our community, reflecting the values and excellence that our institution strives to uphold.

DR.KCG VERGHESE EXCELLENCE AWARDS 2023



Hindustan Group of Institutions, a forerunner in the field of education orchestrated the Dr. K. C. G. Verghese Excellence Awards 2023 on Saturday 24th June 2023. The Excellence Awards instituted in the loving memory of our Founder-Chairman, Late Dr. K.C.G. Verghese, honor and celebrate the achievements of eminent personalities across the Globe. 32 reputed personalities were honored for their accomplishments. The event was presided by Chairman HGI, Dr. Anand Jacob Verghese in presence of other dignitaries, Dr. Elizabeth Verghese (Founder Chairperson), Mr. Ashok Verghese (Vice President, HGI), Dr. Susan Verghese (Vice President, HGI), Dr. Annie Jacob (Director, KCG College of Technology) and Dr. Aby Sam (Executive Director, HGI).

FOUNDER'S DAY

Dr . K.C.G. Verghese was a visionary leader who believed in his motto "TO MAKE EVERY MAN A SUCCESS AND NO MAN A FAILURE" and his contribution to the development of modern Indian thought through his educational and business philosophy is invaluable. He has been hailed as a progressive thinker who vociferously advocated the de -licensing of industrial production, initiated the Open Sky policy and was the prime mover behind the privatization of engineering education in Tamil Nadu. He was a staunch patriot and philanthropist with the view to commemorating his vision.



The 83rd Birth Anniversary of Founder Chairman Late Dr. K. C. G. Verghese was commemorated as Founder's Day on 20 June 2023. The Management, staff and students of Hindustan Group of Institutions (HGI) participated in the event. The distinguished event was presided by the esteemed chief guest Mr. M. M. Rajendran, Former Governor of Odisha and Former Chief Secretary of Tamil Nadu and Dr. Anand Jacob Verghese, Chairman HGI , Dr. Elizabeth Verghese Founder Chairperson HGI, Mr. Ashok Verghese Vice President, HGI, Dr. Susan Verghese Vice President, HGI, Dr. Annie Jacob Director, KCG College of Technology, and Dr. Aby Sam, Executive Director HGI.



CBSE RESULTS GRADE X & XII ACADEMIC YEAR 2022-2023

CONGRATULATIONS!



HINDUSTAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL - PADUR
(A Unit of Hindustan Group of Institutions)

Excellence is Our Hallmark



100% **PASS IN CLASS XII & CLASS X**
CBSE BOARD EXAMINATION 2022-2023

Congratulations Students We are proud of your Achievements!!

SCHOOL TOPPERS

SCIENCE STREAM

 NAMAN ADARWAL 92.2 %	 NEHA LAKSHMI NATARAJAN 92.8 %	 HARSHDEEP 91.8 %
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COMMERCE AND HUMANITIES STREAM

 ANUSHKA ANAND 88.4 %	 SANKSHA 88.8 %	 VISHWAS 82.4 %
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SUBJECT TOPPERS

ENGLISH NAMAN ADARWAL 99	MATH NAMAN ADARWAL 99	PHYSICS NAMAN ADARWAL 98
CHEMISTRY NEHA LAKSHMI NATARAJAN 99	COMPUTER SCIENCE HARSHDEEP 94	BIOLOGY VISHWAS 96
ECONOMICS ANUSHKA & HANISHAN 84	BUSINESS STUDIES ANUSHKA ANAND 92	ACCOUNTANCY SANKSHA & ANUSHKA 95

SCHOOL TOPPERS

 PRANATHI 88.2 %	 NAYANA 87.6 %	 JEEVAN 87.4 %	 JHANVI 87.2 %
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SUBJECT TOPPERS

ENGLISH PRANATHI, NAYANA, JAYAN 99	HINDI PRANATHI 97	TAMIL NAYANA, JHANVI, HANISHAN 95
MATH NAYANA 100	SCIENCE JEEVAN, PRANATHI, JHANVI 98	SOCIAL SCIENCE PRANATHI, JHANVI 100
AI PRANATHI, NAYANA, HANISHAN, JAYAN, NEHA 100		



Pranathi and Jhanvi Grade XII has cleared NEET Examination.

BEST EMERGING SCHOOL

**HINDUSTAN
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Congratulations

**We are proud to share that
Hindustan International School, Padur was awarded as
the " **BEST EMERGING SCHOOL**" in Tamil Nadu for the year 2023
for the Outstanding and Exemplary Contribution towards Education, Skill
Development and Research by the Centre for Education Growth and
Research (CEGR) in their Second Summit on "Vision 2047"**

**We thank all our Educators,
Parents and Students for making this possible!!**

The Centre for Education, Growth and Research aims to recognize and honour distinguished individuals and Institutions which have provided guidance and inspired students to keep up careers in Education and Research.

STUDENT'S ACHIEVEMENT



DISTRICT LEVEL

Master Nehan of Grade VII got Fourth Place in District level Chess competition



IMO - OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE

Rithvik Krishna of Grade III achieved International Rank 2 and Zonal Rank 2 in SOF International Math Olympiad

TEACHERS INDUCTION PROGRAM



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TEACHER INDUCTION PROGRAMME




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Welcoming the newly recruited teachers for AY 2023-24, members of the Senior Management familiarized the new comers with the functioning and professional expectations on 29 May 2023. The experts trained our staff on the best practices of CBSE/Cambridge.

The training program's focal point was on HGI Ethos & spirit, CBSE regulations, pedagogy and effective teaching strategies. Teachers were collaborative, responsive and introspective during the session. The training program was an experience itself and the Teachers have started incorporating the practices in their groundwork and all set to welcome our students.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Training and updating are the two important keys for a successful teacher. The process of learning facilitates the process of unlearning. To enhance the knowledge about the effective teachings and method of effective teaching, continuous Faculty Development Programs are organized and for the month of May and June. We had the following session rejuvenated the thoughts and yielded new ideas.

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1	A Teacher's Etiquette to a journey in meaningful education	Ms. Susan George Principal
2	Classroom Management & Ethics	Ms. Swetha HISTAR Coordinator
3	Role of Practitioner and Holistic Development	Ms. Liji Thomas Primary Coordinator
4	ERP and its functions	Ms. Selvi P ERP Coordinator
5	Examination Pattern as prescribed by CBSE - Understanding CBSE Transition to Digital Education and its effect on the millennial – An Introspection.	Ms.Kamala J Secondary Coordinator
6	Art Integration in Teaching	Kavita Shanmugham, Senior Coordinator

FACULTY ORIENTATION

Welcoming the newly recruited teachers for AY 2023-24, The experts trained our staff on the best practices of CBSE. The orientation session was extended for five days.



JUNE MONTH EVENTS



RE-OPENING DAY

Cheerful faces, new bags and new books, the new aura filled the joy into the lifeless bricks of the walls in the school when the children came back after the long Summer vacations on 12 June 2023



WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

Be the Change, Make the World Green. "For a healthy tomorrow, let's preserve our nature. A few plant saplings were planted and supported a green environment. On 14 June 2023 teachers and the students of Grade 11 & 12 planted saplings in school garden.



TALENT HUNT

Talent Hunt is an event, which gives a platform to students to represent their talents in any field. Students from Grade 1 to 12 has taken part in various activities like singing, dancing, Instruments to show case their talents.



CLUB INAUGURATION

“Clubs are the instruments through which one can find their hidden talent”. Mr Johnson Mathew ,Dean Academics inaugurated the various clubs and handed over the badges to Club coordinators.

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY



The International Day of Yoga has been marked annually on June 21 on a global school since 2015. Students performed Mass Yoga to symbolize the union of body & Consciousness

DOCTOR'S DAY



The Student Warriors of HISP visited Chettinad Hospital to honor the contributions of doctors and healthcare professionals.

The students wished them with a greeting card and distributed sweets.

INVESTITURE CEREMONY



“ To create leaders of tomorrow, there is no better opportunity to develop our students as leaders than today.” The Student Council for the year 2023-24 took charge on this day 24 June 2023 Dr R W Alexander Jesudasan, PRO Vice Chancellor, HITS pinned up the badges to the Student Council for academic year.

INTER HOUSE CHESS TOURNAMENT



"Chess is a game of not only intellect and cunning, but of bouncing back after losses, practice, discipline and persistence" This statement proved true for the Inter-house Chess event held on 28th June to 5th July 2023 at Hindustan International School, Padur. It was indeed a great honour to have the event inaugurated by our beloved Chairman Dr. Anand Jacob Verghese, Hindustan Group of Institutions and accompanied by Mr. Johnson Mathew, Dean of Academics and Principal Ms. Susan George

Students from four houses from Grade 1 to 12 played inter house chess competition. The houses secured points based on the category level. The students were awarded with a certificate.

ARTICLES

The Dandelion O'eR The Field

She thrives through the meadows
Swaying with the blows
As it strikes against
Her shaky crown

Watching the seeds flutter
With a whisper
To a deep and distant realm
While settling to retire

Later you see another
, You steadily blow among her
Warm and whole hearted
Hoping for your heart's desire

Adhiti Sudhakar
Grade 11



MY BALETTAN

Relationships are beautiful, but it becomes more painful when we miss the other person forever. In my case, it's about my grandpa, whom I fondly called 'Balettan', and me. He stayed in our hometown and we visited him a few times a year. But whenever I was with him, I spent a lot of time chatting with him on many topics like sports, the air force etc. Maybe for hours, and yet I was never bored. He was an Air Force officer, had won many medals, and had gone on missions abroad.

During the spike of covid - 19 cases in mid-2021, many lost their loved ones. One day, my grandfather felt sick and my uncle, my dad's younger brother, came from Trivandrum and immediately took him to the hospital. We were worried and planned our journey. It was the 2nd outbreak of covid, the dreaded delta. We had to wait 2 - 3 days for the RT-PCR result, get the pass, and cross the border.

My uncle was all alone with my grandpa in the hospital and struggled a lot all those days. It took a few more days for us to get going. There were no shops on the way, and without eating anything, we went straight to Kerala. After driving 12 hours, my dad rushed straight to the hospital leaving us in our grandparent's home. Soon, Grandpa got admitted to the ICU as his oxygen level started dropping rapidly. Everybody was scared, worried, shocked, and in despair, but still hopeful. We all clung to that ray of hope. My dad and my uncle were the ones who suffered a lot. As the scare of covid rose, protections came up too. They had to wear an N-95 mask 24/7 and could only remove their masks only when they were alone in a dormitory. Even in our house, everybody started wearing masks. One day my Grandpa was on a video call. I can't describe how I felt when I saw him on the call. He had an oxygen mask on and multiple tubes surrounding him. My grandma rushed to her room and started to cry.



We all felt sad in our hearts but no one dared to show it outside. We told him he would be fine and be back home in a jiffy. But regardless of his condition, he asked whether we bought prawns for me, and that's how much my grandpa cared for me. My grandpa, being a vegetarian always made sure that I had my favourite sea food there whenever I visited them. I smiled and still had a ray of hope shining in my heart. The next day at around 10: 30 PM, my grandpa was admitted to the ventilator. He needed life support and my Grandma was crying when my dad spoke with her. I told my cousins and sister and we both started crying too. The next day early morning my mom woke me up from sleep and told me that my Grandpa was with god. I couldn't brush my teeth properly as I tried to let the sad news sink in.

People came to mourn at our hours and my cousin sister and I had to eat biscuits for our breakfast but I felt like throwing up. Then an ambulance reached our gate and I saw that somebody carrying my grandpa wrapped in white cloth with two nose muffs.

The first death anniversary of my Grandpa was a couple of weeks back and we did the rituals for him. I miss my grandpa more during the IPL matches as I used to call him on the phone to discuss CSK's game. I felt I could have spent more time with him on every vacation when I thought about it .He was calm and humble always, and whenever got to see him one last time before his passing in real. We often take relationship for granted and realise the value once they leave us forever. Instead, we should celebrate every moment of our relationships.

Achyut S Krishnan
Grade 7

Education for Life: Empowering Lifelong Learners 'Education is not preparation for life, education is life itself'.

Children are impressionable, making them vulnerable to the different influences that they encounter in daily life. Apart from academic credentials, children require knowledge, skills and the right attitude to take on our complex and ambiguous world.

Education for Life is a transformative approach to learning that transcends the confines of traditional academic knowledge. It aims to equip individuals with the skills, values, and mindset necessary to navigate the complexities of life. The approach recognises that education is not confined to the walls of a classroom, but rather permeates every aspect of human existence.

Education for Life emphasises on holistic development, which involves nurturing the intellectual, emotional, social, and practical abilities of children in order to ensure that they are empowered to thrive in a rapidly changing world. It also fosters critical thinking, creativity, resilience, and empathy, preparing individuals to tackle challenges, adapt to new situations, and contribute meaningfully to society. By embracing this approach, we cultivate lifelong learners who are equipped to lead fulfilling and purposeful lives.

Teachers mould thought and wield the power to design learning environments in ways that can nurture curiosity and compassion. Besides providing an intellectual understanding of how to go about life, teachers must empower students to navigate challenges, pursue passions, and make informed decisions that can positively impact their own lives and those of the people around them.

In conclusion, Education for Life goes beyond ensuring the mere acquisition of knowledge and focuses on nurturing well-rounded, adaptable, and compassionate human beings. Thus, children are groomed with immense care, knowledge and responsibility to become assets for the country and the economy's human resources.

LIJI THOMAS
Primary coordinator

CREATIVE ZONE



AMEYA ANOOP
GRADE 4



CHINMAYI SARAVANNAN
GRADE 8



NEW MEMBERS AT HISP FAMILY



Ms Vidhya Palani



Ms Swarna



Ms Vasanthasena



Ms Swapna Menon



Ms Suja Mohan



Ms Soumya Parva Lal



Ms Sheela



Mr Rajkumar



Ms Razia Sultan

NEW MEMBERS AT HISP FAMILY



Mr Rajasingaram



Ms Priya



Mr Krishnasamy



Ms Heera Banu



Ms Josephine J



Ms Gayatri Meganath



Ms Archana Chidambaram



Ms Anjali Gupta



Mr Abner Charles



UPCOMING EVENTS

- 1. Doctor's Day**
- 2. Educational Development Day**
- 3. Inter House Chess Competition**
- 4. Class Photo Session**
- 5. PA Assessments**
- 6. Parent Teachers Meeting**
- 7. Intra School Basket Ball Match**