



REPORT OF IMPORTANT ACTIVITIES FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2023

EVENTS:

- Guru Sri.Vikas Parayil's disciple Kum Thaarunika has hired Rukmini Arangam on 30th July for Bharatanatyam arangetram.

Administration:

- On 13.07.23 Review Committee Meeting held for the engagement Shri. Kalamandalam Prashanth as faculty for Kathakali for RDCFA.
- On 20.07.23 Selection Committee Meetings held on for the recruitment of contract faculty for Visual Arts Department/ candidates for Internship for Bharatanatyam and Visual Arts /Costume Assistant.
- On 24.07.23 Selection Committee Meetings held for the recruitment of contract faculty for Vocal/Veena/Mridangam in RDCFA/ Wardens for BCCH and Walk-in interview for faculty – Tamil, Sanskrit, Telugu and English.
- On 27.07.23 Selection Committee Meeting held for the recruitment of contract faculty for Vocal/Mridangam in RDCFA.

UKMINI DEVI COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

- Selection of candidates for admission into 4-year diploma courses was held and admissions into 4-year diploma courses were made.
- Academic committee meeting was held on 07.07.2023 at 10.00 a.m. at Old Central Office, Kalakshetra Foundation.
- Selection of students for the Part time Pratama course was held on 8th July 2023 and 75 nos. students were selected for admission into various courses.
- Rukmini Devi College of Fine Arts reopened on 28th July 2023.

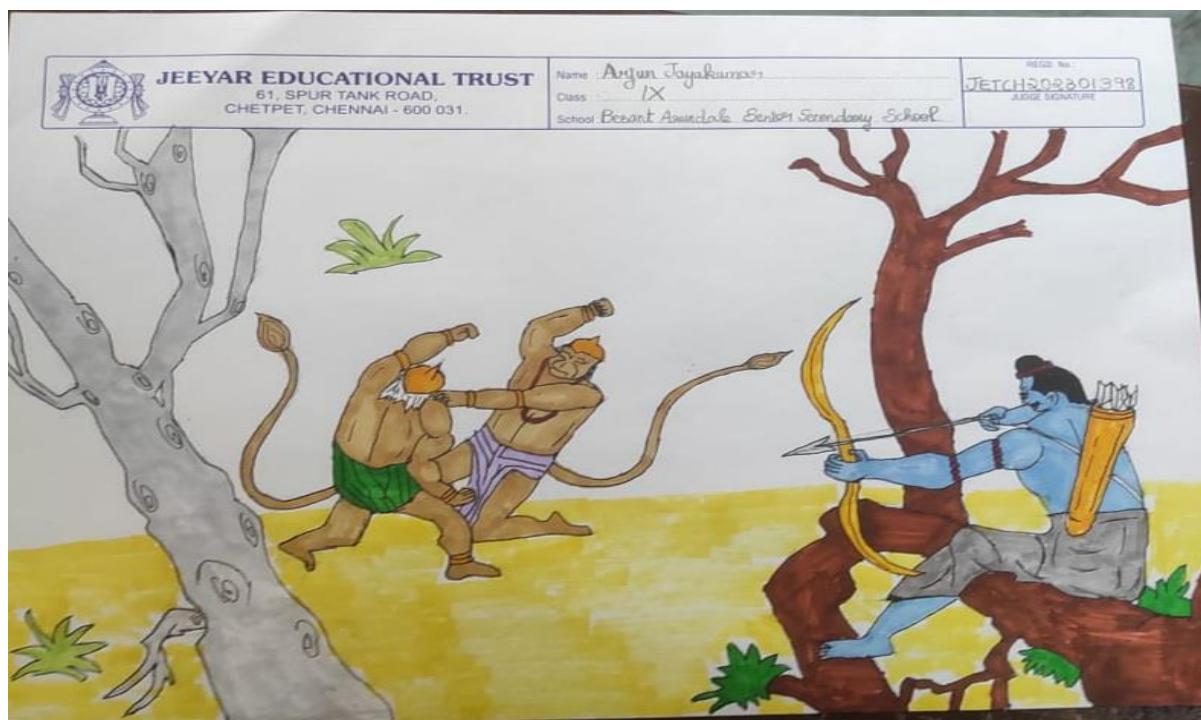
➤ Vidyarambham function was held on 28th July 2023 at Bharatha Kalakshetra Auditorium, the students selected for the diploma courses joined college on that day. Dr. Sudha Seshayyan, was the Chief Guest for this function.



BESANT ARUNDALE SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL(BASS School)

- Students of classes IX to XII were taken to BV Bhawan's Rajaji, Kilpauk for Essay Writing competition in Hindi, English, Sanskrit and Tamil languages on 1st July 2023.
- Nellai Nadar School organised **KAMARAJAR KALVI VIZHA** in association with Ramachandra Public School and conducted various competitions. BASS school students participated and won **1st prize in Group Dance Competition** and the school student Mr.Arjun R of class XII got **2nd prize in Tamil Oratorical Competition** at the senior level category and got selected to the **District Level Competition**. Also Arjun received a cash award of Rs.3000 /- and a memento.
- An Inter – school competition was conducted by Omega International School on 12th July 2023 and BASS school students participated and won **3rd Prize in Group Dance Competition** and **2nd Prize in Basketball Competition**.
- GRT School conducted **Drawing Competition** on 15th July 2023 and BASS school students bagged **first three prizes**.

Ms./Mr.		
Jayasurya	XI	First Prize
Arjun	IX	Second Prize
Arjunan	X	Third Prize



- **PERIODIC TEST – 1** likely to commence from 2nd August 2023 and the Timetable has been shared for class I to XII.
- **SPL and ASPL Election** conducted in school premises on 15th July 2023.
- **Smaraneeyam Inter** – school competition was conducted by Sri Sankara School, Adyar. BASS school students participated in various competitions and won 1st prize in Basketball Competition and 2nd Prize in Solo Music Competition.
- The Times of India conducted quiz competition on Computer and Artificial intelligence for School Students in association with Vellore International School, and three of BASS school students won First three prizes.
- On the occasion of the 3rd anniversary of the National Education Policy 2020, the Ministry of Education in collaboration with the Ministry of skill development and Entrepreneurship organised **Akhil Bharatiya Shiksha Sangamam** on the 29th and 30th of July 2023. The inauguration of the event was graced by the Hon'ble Prime Minister on 29th of July 2023. The live streaming link was shared with students and BASS school students watched the program.



THE BESANT THEOSOPHICAL HR.SEC. SCHOOL

- Special Class for the slow learner (IV to VIII) started , SGT teachers have been deputed to give reading practice and dictation daily.
- CRC training was held for I ,II and III std teachers at Egmore on 06.07.2023
- CRC / RP training was held for VI and V std teachers at Egmore on 07.07.2023
- Training was given to I to III std teachers on the topics school Health & Wellness , Child health and wellbeing , growing up healthy.
- Students participated in the “Best out of waste program (VI to VIII)” held at Bentick girls Hr.Sec.School and won prizes
- Competitions (Oratorical, Drawing , Essay and Kavithi) were conducted for students from IV to XII std on the occasion of Kamarajar Birthday . The students took pledge and prizes were distributed.
- Under CSR project, 1972 batch alumni Thiru. Mohan alumini sponsored distribution of two sets of uniforms to all the students studying from Standard I to XII which was distributed to the students.
- Tamil Nadu day was celebrated to create awareness among local residents. The students went for rally in the streets near by the school shouting slogans and with banners on 19.07.2023
- On 22.07.2023, a function was held in which cycles received under Free cycle scheme of Govt. of Tamil Nadu were distributed to the eligible students by Velachery MLA Thiru Moulana Azan in the presence of ward councilor Ms.Kayalvizhi and officials of Kalakshetra Foundation.



➤ Selection committee meeting for recruiting contract faculty for Physics, English and PET was held on 24.7.2023.

CRAFT EDUCATION AND RESEARCH CENTRE (CERC)

The following items were produced at CERC during the month of July 2023.

Weaving:

- Silk Sarees – 8 no.s; Cotton with silk saree – 2 nos
- Dance dawani – 7 no.s; Cotton design saree – 7 nos
- Cotton Korvai saree – 4 nos;
- Dhoti, Angavastram, Kurta set no. 1 on order
- Cotton Korvai saree – 1 no.; Cotton Angavastram – 10 nos

Painting:

- Wall panels – 10 nos
- Applique work on saree – 3 no

Printing:

- Double bed sheet – 6 no.s; Dress Material – 138.25 mts
- Towel – 111 no.s; Stole printing Indigo – 9 nos
- Scarf Indigo – 2 no.s; Stole printing – 4 nos.
- Stole printing – 4 no.s; Scarf big – 5 nos
- Chanderi Dupatta – 15 nos
- **Made up items:** Rectangle purse 38 no.s; Pen Holder – 9 nos
- Table holder – 7 no.s and Mat – 7 nos

Workshops & Visitors:

- 70 Indians and 8 foreigners visited the Craft center in addition to the Campus visitors.
- 3 persons has attended for workshop on Kalamkari process during the month.

Adai Documentation as part of CSR:

The project funding is utilised for documenting adai designs of Smt. Rukmini Devi Arundale and to weave the designs on textiles and creating a directory for Rukmini Devi Design Directory. The project is for 3 years and proposes to document about 75 designs. During the 1st about 32 adai designs had been completed with report drafted for the same.

Procurement through GeM

The following procurement was made through GeM portal

Purchase of Dell Desktop 5 Nos. for Rs. 4,85,925/- from M/s. Airwave Communications made during the month of July 2023 and payment made on 31.07.2023.