

Montfort Hr. Sec. School
Champaknagar, Belbari, West Tripura.
Affiliation No. 2030018, School Code: 35393

Annual Report: 2023-24

Reopening of the school for the year 2023-24:

The eagerly awaited day has finally arrived as students, teachers and non-teaching staff gathered with a renewed sense of enthusiasm to teach and learn in the new scholastic year which began today on 12th April 2023. During the assembly the Principal welcomed the students who are the reason for the existence of Montfort Hr.Sec. School at Champaknagar. He then warmly welcomed the teachers too who will begin to impart their knowledge and bring out the best in the student's. The other high lights of the function were the Bible reading and intercessory prayers said for everyone who will be part of the institution in various ways. The classes were only for half day.

Initiation Ceremony – LKG:

The little angels of Montfort Hr.Sec.School Champak agar was warmly welcomed by the students of class class X along with principal, Vice-Principal, coordinator and the class teachers on 26th April. After a short and sweet welcome by the Principal Bro.M.K Devassy the students performed few dances to entertain the little stars. There were cries and noises which enabled the audients to recall back their childhood days on which they began their learning. The initiation ceremony of making the kids to write the alphabets was done by the Principal and other important persons gathered there. The students were given sweets

Reopening of class XI

Class XI students were admitted during the last week of April after the entrance examination. The class was started for them on 02nd May. We have six sections in class XI with a total number of 275 students.

Investiture Ceremony

The ceremony was conducted on 03rd May 2023. The Chief guest was Bro. Richard and the guest of honour was Bro.Anand.

The Lighted lamp was handed on to the Principal Bro.M.K. Devassy and he in turn handed over the lamp to the head boy. The Vice Principal handed over the same lighted lamp to the Head girl

The principal administered the oath of the office to the elected leaders of the school cabinet .

The principal in his speech Congratulated the newly formed school cabinet and motivated them to prove themselves worthy of the responsibility bestowed upon them .

Farewell and welcome

The Twin Ceremony of Farewell and Welcome was organized on 24th June Saturday 2023 in the Montfort school premises. The program began with the welcoming of both outgoing and incoming Principals (Bro.M.K Devassy and Bro.K.J.Jose) with chandan on their forehead and wearing of Risha.The program began with a prayer song, Bible reading; welcome address, Farewell message, action song and words of appreciation and thanks by the outgoing principal Br.Devassy. The new principal Bro.K.J Jose also was invited to give the introductory talk. The Head Girl Elisha Koloï spoke the achievements recorded during the tenure of the outgoing principal. The program ended at 10 am, students along with their class teachers c wished the outgoing principal with beautiful flowers and gifts .Both the principals then had a short visits to different classes .Followed by the MGA associates invited both the Principals to felicitate. The concluding event of the day was the meeting with all the teaching and non-teaching staff at school hall, wherein both principals gave a short speech and was given chance for the teachers to talk. Few teachers expressed their gratitude to the outgoing principal and the way he has touched /encouraged them to be what they are today. Sumptuous Lunch was served at the end of the program at 1.pm .

Inter House Games Competition:

Montfort school has conducted Inter-House Games competitions on 5th August 2023. The games conducted were Basketball, Volleyball and Football. There are four houses they are Gabriel House, Louis House, Anthony House, Joseph House. Every House whole heartedly participated in the competitions.

Laying of the Foundation of Stone:

New School Hall Foundation Stone was blessed by Rev. Fr. Valentine Dung Dung, Parish Priest of Khumulwng on 9 August 2023. The Foundation Stone was laid by the Principal, Brothers, Staff and class leaders.

International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples:

The International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples is observed on 9th August every year to create awareness and protect the rights of the world's indigenous population. The students were invited by an NGO i.e. Joint Action Committee of Civil Society to perform cultural show at State Level program at Agartala. Two Teachers – Sir Monison Hrangkhawl and Sir Sudha Ranjan Debbarma and 45 students attended the program and students had participated 'Welcome Group Song' and 'Cultural Show' and they were appreciated for their excellent performance.

Sir. Gaurav Debbarma and 40 students took part in the seminar conducted in TTAADC on the same occasion. A few cultural programmes were organized in the school to commemorate the day.

The 77th Independence Day 2023:

Montfort School students participated in March Past and group dance on the 77th Independence day on 15 August 2023 at TTAADC, Khumulwng. The March Past was guided by Sir. Soutam and Ms. Salpi and the dance was choreographed by Ms. Ibarilang Iacais Debbarma and Sir Anu Sinha. Prior to the celebrations, we took part in the Volleyball Match, Drawing and painting competitions and Fit India Run. The students won many prizes in various events.

Peace Club:

Sir Chandra Sekhar Molsom and five students went to Agartala and attended Peace Club Seminar on 18 August 2023. The seminar was conducted on the theme "Promotion of Peace Through Arts and Music".

Teachers' Day Celebration:

Teachers' day celebration was very colourful with songs and dances. The students expressed their respect and love for the teachers by way of good behaviour, gifts and sumptuous meal.

Montfort Talent Time:

The preparation for MTT was more interesting to watch than the actual event itself. Teachers and students were doing many things in a hide and seek manner to protect the secrecy and strategy of their houses. On 20th October was a colourful day in Montfort, seeing the participants in different costumes and varied expressions. All the items were conducted on the same day at different locations in the campus. The judges really had a tough time to give marks for the items.

Memorial Tournaments:

8th late Bro. Joy Alex memorial volleyball tournament for boys and 2nd late Bro. Joseph John football tournament for girls were held on 25th November. There were 15 teams for volleyball and 13 teams for football. Volleyball final was played between Montfort A and B teams and B team lifted the trophy. Football final was played between Khumpui Academy and Montfort and Khumpui Academy won the trophy. It was an exciting day for all of us, a lot of fun and frolic and some serious moments to add colour to the day.

Annual Sports:

Annual sports days begun with Match past and Mass drill. It was a show of precision, synchronization and elegance. Bro. Varghese M, Provincial Superior was the Chief Guest for the inaugural function. At the end of his message, he declared the sports meet open and thereafter the students and teachers were enthusiastically active to take part and conduct the various events. Teachers mixed relay, 100M run for ladies and 200M run for gents were the highlight of the events.

Christmas and Tring Celebrations:

Pre-Christmas and Kokborok new year(Tring) celebrations were held on 21st December and children performed a few meaningful items to mark the day. Class wise Christmas

Tree decorations were exciting for everyone. At end of the function, holidays began for the students and teachers. Everyone was happy to relax a few days.

Fourth quarter of the academic year:

We are at the fag end of the academic year 2023-24. Hence buss of conclusion of activities and exams. The academic year was creative and enriching. God was on our side-directing, leading and guiding us.

Tripura Catholic Schools Association of Games and Cultural Meet (TCSACAGM):

Tripura Catholic Schools Association of Games and Cultural Meet (TCSACAGM) was conducted from 13-15 January 2024 at Don Bosco School, Pathaliaghat. 18 schools took part in the event and as usual Montfort School was the Champions.

Republic Day Celebrations:

Republic day was celebrated with vigour and enthusiasm. We hoisted the National Flag in the school and proceeded to take part at the TTAADC level celebrations. Our students bagged second prize in March past and cultural dance.

Farewell for class XII:

Farewell was organized for class XII students on 01st February. The students were overwhelmed with the feelings pain and joy. Class XI students with their class teachers organized the function with perfection.

Examinations:

Class X and XII started their board examinations on 15th February. They had ample preparations prior to the starting of the board exam. Hope and pray that all will come out with high percentage of marks.

School annual examination was started on 28th February and it got over on 07th March. School result was declared on 23rd March. All the staff will have their short break from 28th March to 07th April 2024.

Auditorium Construction:

Construction of the school auditorium work is in full swing. They have completed the pillars and hoping to complete their part of the work by end of March. The stage, floor and side wall work, the school need to complete at their space and time.

Toilet block:

Construction of the toilet block is in the progress. Hope to complete the work by end of April 2024. Students will be extremely happy with this additional facility.

New books in the Library:

We have added new collection of books in the Library. Updating of knowledge center is a sign of growth and enrichment. Children are very happy with the arrival of new books in the Library.

**Bro. Jose Joseph
Director/Principal**