



LAKSHMI DARPAN

To Build Confident, Competent and Compassionate Citizens
through value based quality education

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From the Principal's desk

Greetings to all of you!

The year 2020 will go down in history as a year of no exams but great learning! Each day during the lockdown has been a time of reflection and introspection. Man's knowledge and pride have been challenged by an invisible virus! The virus is a leveller- same restrictions, same vulnerability, same uncertainties for all! The true meaning of life has been unfolded before us.

Post lockdown, we have all changed for the better. Our priorities have changed:

Today --

We know what fun it is to play a game of carrom with our dear ones, though there are no trophies to win!

We know how yummy the home made cake tastes, though it has no fancy toppings!

We know how strenuous it is to bend and sweep under the dark corners of the cot, though earlier we shoved chocolate wrappers underneath.

We know how hard it is to wash utensils that are not soaked in water, though we used many plates unmindful of the cleaning!

We know how difficult it is to hand wash stubborn stains on our dresses, though we enjoyed messing our clothes with ink.

We know today that 24 hours is a long time, though we've often felt that there was no time to complete our work.

More importantly, we know how dear our family is to us as the whole world literally shut us out.

Post lockdown, life is limping back. Let us not dump our new found values which have added a new meaning to our life. Let our love for our parents and compassion and empathy for our helpers keep growing.

Above all, we know - the fun that a school offers can never be replaced by the most sophisticated screen! Learning will happen, but the pat of a friendly teacher and a reassuring smile from your friend can never be replicated.

Dear children, once back in school, let us savor every moment and celebrate the invaluable days at school.

Hoping to welcome you all back to school! Until then stay safe in your homes.

Shanthi Mohan

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June

- 2nd - Virtual Parent Orientation – Classes VI & VII
- 3rd - Virtual Parent Orientation – Classes IV & VIII
- 6th - Virtual Parent Orientation – Classes I to III
- 8th - Virtual Parent Orientation – UKG
- 20th - Virtual Parent Orientation – LKG

NEWS AND EVENTS



July

- 4th - Formative Assessment 1 – Classes IV & V
- 11th - Virtual Parenting Session – Classes II & III
- 17th - Virtual Parent Orientation – Class XI
- 24th - Virtual Mothers' Club Meeting – Class V
- 23rd - Virtual Aadi Perukku Celebration – LKG to Class I
- 25th - Virtual Parenting Session – UKG & Class I
- 31st - Virtual Investiture Ceremony

August

- 4th - Virtual Mothers' Club Meeting – Class X
- 6th - Formative Assessment 2 – Classes IV & V
- 11th - Virtual Krishna Jayanthi Celebration – LKG to Class III
- 13th - Virtual Tamil Debate – Class V
- 15th - Virtual Independence Day Celebration
- 21st - Virtual Vinayagar Chaturthi Celebration – LKG to Class III;
Virtual Live Book Session – Class IX
- 23rd - Virtual Hindi Debate – Class V
- 28th - Virtual Mothers' Club Meeting – LKG to Class I;
Virtual Live Book Session – Class XII
- 29th - Virtual Mothers' Club Meeting – Class VII
- 31st - Virtual Onam Celebration – LKG to Class III

September

- 4th - Virtual Open House – Classes II & III; Virtual Mothers' Club Meeting – Class XII
- 5th - Virtual Teachers' Day Celebration
- 7th to 11th - Virtual Summative Assessment – Classes IV & V
- 7th to 19th - Virtual Open House – LKG & UKG
- 8th - Virtual Open House – Classes VI to VIII
- 9th to 11th - Virtual Open House – Class I
- 11th - Science Forum – Class VII D
- 12th - Virtual Mothers' Club Meeting – Class IV
- 15th - Virtual Live Book Session – Class XI
- 16th - Guest Lecture with Mr. Kaushik (MBBS) – Class V
- 28th - Session on Challenges During Adolescence – Class VIII
- 29th - Interhouse Declamation – Classes VI to VIII

October

- 3rd - Food fest ;
Science Forum – VII C
- 4th - First Terminal examination begins – Classes VI to XII
- 13th - Grandparent's Day Celebration – LKG
- 18th - Navarathiri pooja
- 19th - "Kathai Kalam" story time for primary level



MISSING SCHOOL!

What can I say !

I haven't seen you since May,
All the good times with friends
making merry
Now, all we've been seeing is
sadness and worry
I really miss my classroom, the
teachers, the library
The play ground! Oh, my Lakshmi
School!
You're soooo.... Cool.
It's been so long
When can I come along?

A. Anusha - III E

MY BODY

I want my body to be strong,
If we eat junk food it is wrong,
We should exercise daily
Then we can live happily.
Nothing can bother us
If we are healthy and fit.

L.Hariharan - II C

LOVE MY SCHOOL

Summer is over, August is here,
But I am still at home.
My lovely teachers are ready,
My little friends are ready to show off,
But I am still at home.

OH GOD!

We are ready to stand in a single straight line,
We are ready to stay calm during assembly,
We are ready to eat fast during lunch,
We are ready to go to school, let the pandemic go away,
We want to hear our school bell ringing again!

R.Aditri - IIC



OFFLINE

Buzzing bees, singing mynas
Breezing wind, flowing streams
I can hear
Creatures roaming freely around.



Plants growing without
weeding,
I can see
Mamma's kitchen is always on
Pappa's unknown talents are out now
Brother's quarrel becomes
intimate chats

I can feel
Peaceful mornings, playful
evenings,
And sometimes sleepless nights
I can enjoy

Through offline syllabus
Which nature gives us to learn
During lockdown to open up our minds
I can celebrate nature.

S. Jaswanth - V A

COVID - 19

By now all of us are aware of online classes. We have become used to meeting our teachers and friends online. Even though COVID-19 has forced us to stay indoor, we can see each other through online classes.

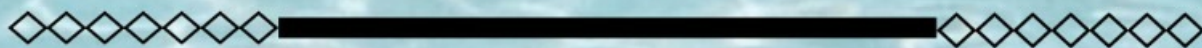
In spite of lot of advantages through online classes, I miss spending some joyful time with my friends and teachers personally. But, through these online classes, I was able to see and experience the virtual tour of my teacher's garden. I enjoyed it very much because my teachers showed me various plants and their medicinal values.

V. Abinhav - III A





VIRTUAL INVESTITURE CEREMONY -2020



The investiture ceremony, one of the most significant events of Lakshmi School was held on the digital platform this year due to the Corona virus pandemic on 30 July, 2020.

Ms. Soundharya Pradha, an alumnus was the chief guest.

To improve leadership qualities in the students and motivate the new administrative body, a school prefectorial board has been formed through a process of interviewing nominated students. This event marks the formation of the student council that will lead and represent the student body.

The ceremony began with the school prayer followed by the school song which was accompanied with a beautiful curated video showcasing past events in Lakshmi school.

Following this, proud parents donned sashes to their children as the school community looked on virtually. It was a great honour to be awarded by our parents in front of all the other school leaders and teachers. The programme was followed by a suitable motivational song performed by a senior student.

The oath taking ceremony was led by our Principal, Ms. Shanthi Mohan. The Principal wished the student leaders success in completing responsibilities entrusted to them in the year ahead.

In her address, Ms.Soundharya Pradha appreciated the efforts taken by the school for inculcating hands on leadership skills. She also congratulated the newly elected student council for their preparedness to take responsibilities and wished the students of the prefectorial board. She commended the school for having thought of an innovation and successfully conducting the event virtually. She gave an inspiring speech mentioning the important traits a leader should possess.

It was definitely a motivating speech for everyone witnessing the show.

The online programme came to an end with the blessings given by some of the dignitaries present with us, followed by vote of thanks and the National Anthem. We all felt lucky to participate in the virtual investiture ceremony and are looking forward to perform our duty to our student community.



J.J. Neha - XII A



LIVE BOOK SESSION - BROADENING OUR HORIZONS

After a day of online classes, students of grades 11 and 12 logged onto the Student Enrichment channel in Microsoft Teams. There was considerable excitement among the students as it was the first online livebook session of the year 2020. The many questions regarding college education burning in students' minds were given an outlet. The guest for the day was Ms. Archana Muruganandham, an alumna of Lakshmi School, who pursued her education at National University of Singapore, and went on to become a professor.

After the school prayer, the school captain Neha read out the questions submitted by students. Questions ranging from aspects of what gives a student an edge over others in terms of admissions, to the value of a NUS degree worldwide, was answered.

Ms. Archana also talked about the importance of choosing a stream that was suited to an individual, and about the weightage given to extra curricular activities in admissions. She cleared doubts about difference between Artificial Intelligence and Computational Intelligence. She spoke about the significance of freelancing and volunteering, pointing out the real life experience gained from it. She encouraged students to choose multi - disciplinary courses, that is, choosing majors and minors from different fields, which expand our knowledge and opportunities. Finally, she reassured us about indecisiveness, and encouraged us to talk to as many professionals in a field as possible to make a well informed decision.

This session was apt for the students of grades 11 and 12, many of whom are making major decisions about their careers and future right now.

M.Meha - XI A



A STEP INTO THE FUTURE



Being the first competition of the new academic year, that too on a virtual platform, everybody was excited when the announcement for the debate contest was made. As soon as the topic was given, we knew it was not going to be an easy ride. The topic "The new education policy is a boon to India" was very recent and demanded deeper insights. We had to refer very many articles and also consult with people from academia to understand the nuances of the policy before preparing the script.

On the day of the debate, speakers were buzzing with energy and were ready to express their strong views with clear statistics on the new education policy. New faces with high spirits were seen representing their houses. Valuable points leading to heated arguments were put forward by every participant. When my turn came up, all I could do was hope for the best and state my points with confidence.

Debaters discussed in detail about the merits, demerits and the possible challenges in the implementation of the new education policy and its impact on the country. The school captain and the moderator ensured the smooth flow of the event. The debate helped us, the participants and the audience have a 360 degree view of the much awaited new education policy. We were indeed overwhelmed, when not only our teachers but also the judges complimented the quality of the deliberations and the energy level of the speakers.



V. Harshita - XI B



THE TRICOLOUR FESTIVITY

On one of the most important days of India's history, our teachers and students combined their efforts to set an enormously successful ceremony to celebrate the 74th Independence Day virtually. The ceremony started at 9 am in the school with teachers, students and parents connected online. The ceremony began with a beautiful song by Sai Hithesh of Class VIII. Ahalyanjuna's mesmerising classical dance full of grace captivated all. Our Principal Ms. Shanthi Mohan delivered a beautiful speech. She reinforced the fact that it is important to respect the nation by- following the rules and regulations of the nation, not wasting resources and contributing to the development of the nation. Followed by one inspiring speech, Vivienne of class XII, delivered yet another motivating speech on the sincerity of our Nation's Army and the undiscovered heroes in every one of us. The ceremony later took an interesting turn towards the most awaited inter house debate. All participants gave their best opinions on the topic that is pertinent in today's times: The National Education Policy. The event was closed with a thank you note by our Vice Principal Ms. Subashini and a beautiful smile and gush of patriotism set in our hearts.

-V.R. Vidya Meenakshi- XII B

ONLINE INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

The Virtual Independence Day celebration was conducted on the 15th of August, 2020. My son Lakshanraj was asked to compere the event. I was a bit doubtful about how the Independence Day celebration could have been conducted through a virtual assembly, but the way the students, teachers and the parents performed was impressive. My first and foremost appreciation goes to the Teachers who organized the event with composure and patience. One thing which has always fascinated me about Lakshmi School is that it lives up to its motto of creating "Confident, Competent and Compassionate Citizens" even during these difficult times. All the students who performed in the Virtual Celebration performed par excellence. I was very proud in the way my son ran the show with confidence at such a short notice. The Celebration could not have been a success without the enthusiasm and encouragement of the parents. To my surprise even grand parents came forward to participate in the Virtual Celebration. In conclusion, it was a memorable day and very nice to see Kutti Bharathiars through our screens reminding us of our rich and diverse history.

-P.Gowthami (Mother of Lakshanraj- III B)

Can you imagine this? Yes, I did go to a wedding during lockdown. It all started way back in January with the engagement of my lovely cousin. We were super excited and we planned a grand wedding including Sangeet, reception, pre and post wedding parties. When the preparations kickstarted, out of nowhere the pandemic struck and boom came the lockdown. With a lot of uncertainty, we were looking forward for a relaxation of the lockdown from the Government so that we can have the wedding as planned during the month of May. With both the families praying for the occasion, the groom, a lieutenant colonel, was not able to make it on time because there was unrest in the Indo-China border. So the wedding was postponed to June 24. With the rising cases of Covid19, the family struggled to plan for the wedding. Finally the venue was changed to an ethnic resort. Two days before the wedding, we took part in the Sangeet and Mehendi ceremony. Though it was not as much fun and joyful like normal times, it gave us satisfaction to see people close to us. On the eve of the wedding, the reception was all set in the lawn against the beautiful backdrop of mountains; hundreds of small colourful lights were lit as we greeted the beautiful bride and the handsome groom amidst floral decorations. We all wore masks. The wedding dinner was carefully prepared under strict hygienic conditions. The next day was the wedding. We finished the procedures to apply for E-pass and received it. Suddenly the government declared a strict lockdown from the proposed wedding day onwards. It was a real challenge to attend the wedding. We also had to pick another cousin who lives in the other side of the city. This made it all the more difficult. Passing all these hurdles with the help of my father's friend, we reached right on time for the muhurtham. But this was not like a normal wedding with hundreds of people flocking to witness, but only the loved ones of the bride and groom were present. It was a quiet ceremony but filled with blessings and good wishes. In my case after a long period of lockdown it was adventurous for me to venture out and attend a wedding. Meeting my cousins there was nothing fun. Usually we would play and run around but due to safety reasons we followed social distancing and only spoke to each other. The fact that I learnt from this pandemic is that pomp and grandeur is not as important as being surrounded by your loved ones and well wishers.

- G.Aaradhna - VII C



INTO THE WILD

**Congratulations! Ms.Santhia
Priya Sannasi on the birth of
your son.**

**Ms.Aarthi V on the birth of your
daughter.**

ONLINE
CLASSES

On 21st August 2020, a virtual live book session was conducted for class IX students. This was the first live book session for the year 2020-2021.

The resource person was Mr.Kalirathanam UdhayaKumar, a curator from the Singapore Zoo. The live book session proved to be really "live" because Mr. Udayakumar stood amidst all his favourite elephants in the Singapore zoo as he shared his experiences with us, thereby giving us the actual feel of being there with him. He took us through the various activities of the zoo and gave us a comprehensive idea of how animals are taken care of in a zoo. The session was very interactive and students from different sections asked him several questions related to wildlife, caring for animals, conservation of nature, animal behavior and about animals confined within an artificially created environment etc. Mr.Udayakumar also shared with us information about the basic qualifications and skills required to become a curator in a zoo. The session was informative, interactive and full of fun. The programme ended in a note of delight with his favourite Elephant "Jathi", waving goodbye to us with her trunk before leaving for her meal. This live book session will stay in our hearts for many years to come.

-B.Harini - IXD

Life was very much normal until March. All of a sudden the whole country went into a lockdown. Lockdown? First I didn't grasp it correctly. Then, I got to know that we all have to stay indoors, that too for a long time. No school, no fun. Usually, all of us wait for the reopening day with excitement. But this time, all new things became impossible — new uniforms, new school bags, new friends....One fine morning, we received a message about online classes. It sounded interesting. The school resumed online. We met and communicated with our friends and teachers virtually. I enjoyed the classes and waited for more. This unforeseen situation has taught me to be tolerant and responsible. I wish to meet my friends and teachers soon in our school.

-M.N. Anahitha IV F



A VISION TO A MISSION DURING THE PANDEMIC

“A Journey of a thousand miles starts with a Single Step.” What an appropriate saying to use to describe the journey our Interact Club Team undertook to turn the Grand Vision of our Principal to a Mission that will go down in the annals of School. It was and remains to be unprecedented times in the history of humankind as a result of consecutive lockdowns like our country and the world have never seen before. All educational institutions shut overnight with short notice on 21st of March. It was a time to Stay Safe and Stay Home. This sudden break in routine and a complete disruption in academics of normal school communities was overwhelming. It was during this time, The Principal convened a meeting of the Interact Club and gave the Team a Big Challenge - “to Engage at least 1000 Students of Lakshmi School during this COVID pandemic lockdown period”. This was to come in the form of a competition using the Art and Digital (video) platform. The Vision received further direction with the Principal suggesting us to take this to the next level to use this platform to not just keep ourselves engaged but to trigger a sense of a social responsibility in all of us and contribute to the community during this intense Pandemic time. It was a challenging task during this Complete Lockdown time, but the Spirit of the Interact Club Team Soared High to take on this massive challenge. The outcome of this exercise was an outstanding participation of the students in the competition (over 70% of the total school strength) and a staggering 2.32 lacs rupees contribution as a donation fund that came across from all levels. 3 months into the lockdown, the pressure was enormous not just for the common citizen but also for the every institution that was at the forefront as Covid Warriors to protect the society from the dangerous spread of the Pandemic. With so many options available, with the help of our Charity Arm Arogya Trust and the inputs and support provided by Management, Directors, Principal and UP, it was wisely decided to utilize the funds to support the Collectorate, the Commissioner’s office and the District health office who needed it most to treat Covid positive patients. A big basket of items such as Oximeters, Personal Protection Equipment and Furniture were donated to these departments. During the visits to these departments, the high ranked officials praised and thanked the school for the service and were quite touched to hear the journey which we had undertaken to generate these funds from our dear students and their parents. As we reflect on this journey we recognize that we have donated is not just monetarily but also with compassion, love and prayers for those needy and in suffering. We are now part of a history where we are living through a pandemic. We have done our bit and we hope to do more to our school and the city of Madurai. This is a testament to what we can do when we unite together to serve our community. Indeed we have been the Covid Warriors from Inside supporting the Covid Warriors Outside.

-Ms. Padmaja Rishi , Senior Faculty - Level U



PHYSICS FORUM

I'm happy to share my personal feedback about Physics forum. Actually this year the forum was conducted through virtual platform and we explored a lot. We had practice sessions and rehearsal through online mode after class hours.

It was something different which we never had earlier. When the topic was shared by my Physics teacher, Ms. Kavya, I started surfing through the internet and collected the content for the project through which I self learnt. I made a working model of eclipse by which I got hands on skill. We had hand shadows and shadow play as a part of our forum and I very well enjoyed witnessing it. My parents were delighted to see me performing in the forum. Finally after the programme, we received appreciative comments from our school heads and teachers which was a boost to me. Thank you for the opportunity provided.

Thank you!

-T. Aparnaa - VII D

CHEMISTRY FORUM

I am very happy to give a report on my chemistry forum. Carbon is an important element for life on earth. Our science forum was held on 11th September, 2020 at 3:30 pm, wherein we showcased our talents on creativity and innovation. We made models which were tools for understanding various scientific concepts in Carbon chemistry. The objective was not only to inculcate scientific concepts but also improving self-learning process. We discussed for a long time and then decided to showcase a model of pure form of carbon (Diamond, graphite and fullerene). With the help of our parents and the guidance of our teacher, we started putting together our models. We streamed a video about carbon nanotubes, the material of our future, advantages of carbon and the role of carbon in our body. We used cardboard sheets to build the structure of carbon and painted it with acrylic colours. There were many sections which interested the parents and friends who logged onto witness the forum. The gameshow (Connection game), discussion on hydrocarbon plant and application of CNT was of an exceptionally high standard. Our chemistry forum was appreciated by all. A big thanks to our Principal, Vice Principal, Academic Coordinators, Our Chemistry Teacher, our parents and my friends who supported our team.

- M. Sanjana Renu VII D

நேரலை வழிக்கல்வி

அறிவுவளர்ச்சிக்கும் தனிமனித ஒழுக்கத்தின் வடிவமைப்பிற்கும் கல்வி முக்கியப் பங்காற்றுகிறது. ஆனால், இன்றைய அபாயகரமான சூழலில் கல்விச்சாலை சென்று கற்பது இயலாத ஒன்று. அதற்காக மாணவர்கள் வீட்டிலேயே முடங்கி சோம்பல் வளர்ப்பதும் ஏற்புடைதல்ல. ஆகையால், அரசும் கல்வி நிறுவனங்களும் இணைந்து இணையவழிக்கல்வி' என்ற அருமையான முயற்சியை ஊக்கப்படுத்துகின்றன. 'காலம் பொன் போன்றது. கடமை கண் போன்றது' என்ற பழமொழிக்கு ஏற்ப அன்றாட வாழ்க்கையில் சோம்பலுற்று நேரத்தை வீணடிக்காமல் உபயோகமாகப் பயன்படுத்தும் விதத்திலும் இருக்கிறது. இணைய வழிக்கல்வியின் மூலம் தொழில்நுட்பம் பற்றிய ஆழ்ந்த அறிவும் கிடைக்கிறது. போக்குவரத்து நேரம் குறைகிறது. அமைதியான சூழலை ஏற்படுத்தி நன்மை அளிப்பதோடு நோய் தொற்றிலிருந்தும் நம்மைப்பாதுகாக்கிறது. எனவே இணைய வழிக் கல்வி நன்மை பயப்பதாகவும் தற்காலச் சூழ்நிலைக்கு இன்றியமையாததாகவும் திகழ்கிறது.

-க. கீர்த்தனாபாரதி, 9 - ஊ

நேரலையில் நாடகம்

லக்ஷ்மி பள்ளியில் ஏழாம் வகுப்பு 'ஊ' பிரிவு மாணவர்கள் 'எண்ணப் பறவைகள்' என்னும் தலைப்பில் நாடகத்தை இயற்றிநடித்தனர். இந்நாடகம் மிகவும் எளிமையாக மாணவர்களுக்குப் புரிந்து கொள்ளும்படியாகவும் அதே நேரத்தில் கருத்தை உணர்ந்து கொள்ளும் வகையிலும் இருந்தது. இணையம் வழியாக நாடகம் நடித்துக் காண்பது இதுவே எனக்கு முதல்முறை. மேலும் இந்நாடகத்திற்குப் பின்னணி இசையும் இருந்ததால் மேடையில் பார்த்த உணர்வு ஏற்பட்டது.

இந்நாடகத்தில் நம் பள்ளியில் முதல்வர், துணைமுதல்வர், ஒருங்கிணைப்பாளர்கள், தமிழ்த் துறைத்தலைவர் மற்றும் பிற ஆசிரியர்களும் இணைந்திருந்தனர் மாணவர்களுக்கு ஊக்கம் அளித்தனர். நாடகம் முடிந்ததும் சில கேள்விகள் கேட்டனர். அதற்கு மாணவர்கள் சிறப்பாகப் பதில் அளித்தனர். இந்நாடகத்தில் இந்த வகுப்பில் பயிலும் ப்ரிஷாவின் பெற்றோராகிய நானும் பங்கு பெற்றது மிகவும் மகிழ்ச்சி அளிக்கிறது. லக்ஷ்மி பள்ளி ஒரு குடும்பமாக இணைந்து செயல்பட்டதில் நான் மிக்க மகிழ்ச்சியடைகிறேன். இந்தக்கடின சூழ்நிலையிலும் மாணவர்களுக்கு ஊக்கமளித்து அவர்களின் திறமைகளை வெளிக்கொணர்ந்த தமிழாசிரியருக்கும் லக்ஷ்மி பள்ளிக்கும் மனமார்ந்த பாராட்டுகள்.

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‘கொரோனா’ விடுமுறையில் கற்றவை

மார்ச் மாதம் இறுதியில் இருந்து கொரோனா தொற்று காரணமாக நாங்கள் பள்ளிக்கு வருவது இயலாத காரியமாகிவிட்டது. கடந்த நான்கு மாதங்கள் எனக்கு நேரத்தைக் கழிக்க மிகக் கடினமாக இருந்தது. கொரோனா தொற்றுப் பயத்தால் என்னை என் அம்மா வாசல்படிக்கூடத் தாண்ட அனுமதிக்கவில்லை. அப்போது தான் எனக்கு மிகவும் பிடித்த ஓவியத்துறையில் எனது கவனத்தைத் திருப்பினேன். தினமும் இரண்டு படங்களாவது வரைவதை எனது வழக்கமாக்கிக் கொண்டேன். என் குருநாதரான என் தாத்தா கணேசன் அவர்களிடம் கேட்டு ‘பென்சில் சேடிங்’ வரைவது பற்றிக் கற்றுக் கொண்டேன். மனிதர்களைக் கட்டம் போட்டு வரைவது, அதற்கு ‘வாட்டர் கலர்’ போன்றவற்றை வைத்தும் வண்ணம் தீட்டுவது பற்றிக் கற்றுக்கொண்டேன். விடுமுறை நாட்களை நான் பயனுள்ள முறையில் கழித்தேன்.

- குமரன், 8 - ‘எ’

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ஐந்தாம் வகுப்பு மாணாக்கர்களின் மத்தியில் நடத்தப்பட்ட “நோய்த் தொற்றிலிருந்து நம்மைக் காத்துக் கொள்ள நமக்குத் தேவைசுயக் கட்டுப்பாடே! பொதுக்கட்டுப்பாடே!” என்ற தலைப்பில் நடத்தப் பெற்ற தமிழ்ப் பட்டிமன்றத்தில் நான் பெற்ற அனுபவங்களை உங்களுடன் பகிர்ந்து கொள்கிறேன். இந்தப் பட்டிமன்றத்தில் சுயக்கட்டுப்பாடே சிறந்தது என்ற தலைப்பில் பேச எனக்கு வாய்ப்புக் கிடைத்ததை எண்ணி மகிழ்ச்சி அடைகிறேன். முதலில் பேச எனக்கு மிகவும் அச்சமாக இருந்தது. பலமுறை பயிற்சி எடுத்த பின் ஒத்திகையின்போது என்னிடம் இருந்த அச்சம் விலகி விட்டது. பட்டிமன்றத்தில் என்னுடன் பேசிய நண்பர்கள் அனைவரும் சிறப்பாகப் பேசினார்கள். அனைத்து ஆசிரியர்களும் நாங்கள் பேசிய கருத்துகளைப் பாராட்டிய விதம் எங்களுக்கு மனநிறைவைத் தந்தது. இன்னும் இது போன்ற நிகழ்ச்சிகளில் கலந்து கொள்ள ஆர்வத்தையும் அனுபவத்தையும் இந்தப் பட்டிமன்றம் எங்களுக்குத் தந்துள்ளது. இதற்கு உறுதுணையாக இருந்த பள்ளிக்கும் எங்கள் தமிழம்மாவுக்கு என் பெற்றோருக்கும் நன்றியைத் தெரிவித்துக் கொள்கிறேன்.”

-தி.கிருத்திகாஸெட்சுமி, 5 - ஈ.

தமிழ்த்துறையின் செயல்பாடுகள்

தமிழ்த்துறை சார்பில் இணைய வழியாக நேரலையில்
எட்டாம் வகுப்பு, ஐந்தாம் வகுப்பு மாணவர்கள்
தனித் தனியாகப் பட்டிமன்றத்தையும் ஏழாம் வகுப்பு
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நடத்தினர். ஒன்பதாம் வகுப்பு மாணவர்கள் பத்துப்
பேர் கொண்ட குழுவாகப் பிரிந்து, ஒவ்வொரு
குழுவினரும் சமுதாய விழிப்புணர்வு சார்ந்த ஐந்து
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நேரத்தில் கல்விக்கு அப்பாலும் இத்தகைய
பணிகளைச் செய்த மாணவர்களுக்கும் அவர்களுக்கு
ஆதரவாக இருந்த பெற்றோர்களுக்கும் மாணவர்களை
ஊக்கப்படுத்திய தமிழாசிரியர்களுக்கும் நெஞ்சார்ந்த
நன்றியினைத் தெரிவித்துக் கொள்கிறோம்.
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