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Dear Readers

Christmas is a magical time. It is a season of love, joy and peace but it can be stressful, filled with obligations (like how you are writing your exams in the midst of the season). However, it is always good to slow down and remember why we are celebrating, and share the joy with the loved ones that surrounds us. Sometimes things does not go as we plan it to be. But remember that Christmas day is a living reminder each year that God will always fulfill his plans and promises to you. God never fails.

It is wonderful that we let so many lights burning brightly during Christmas season. They are reminders in a bleak, dark world that there is a true light that shines upon all mankind. He came to be the light, but the darkness does not accept him. Only when we open our hearts to him, can the light of truth, joy and peace come into our lives. Likewise, let us all be a light this Christmas, shining more brightly than those that we place on our trees or outside our homes. Let Jesus reflect His light through you!.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year Modern family.

Miss. Atuonuo Dept of Arts

Cultural Cum Literary Day

Cultural Cum Literary day on 4th November, 2023 under the theme "**Revisiting the past: Rewriting the Future**" at the school auditorium with Ms. Aseno Ayemi as the Special Guest.

The programme was chaired by Ms. Abigail and Mr. Atsuse. Ms. Weche-ü Thahu delivered the welcome note wherein she stressed on the importance of preserving one's culture through collective effort- rethinking the value of one's tradition and documenting the vibrant and rich tradition of the Nagas.

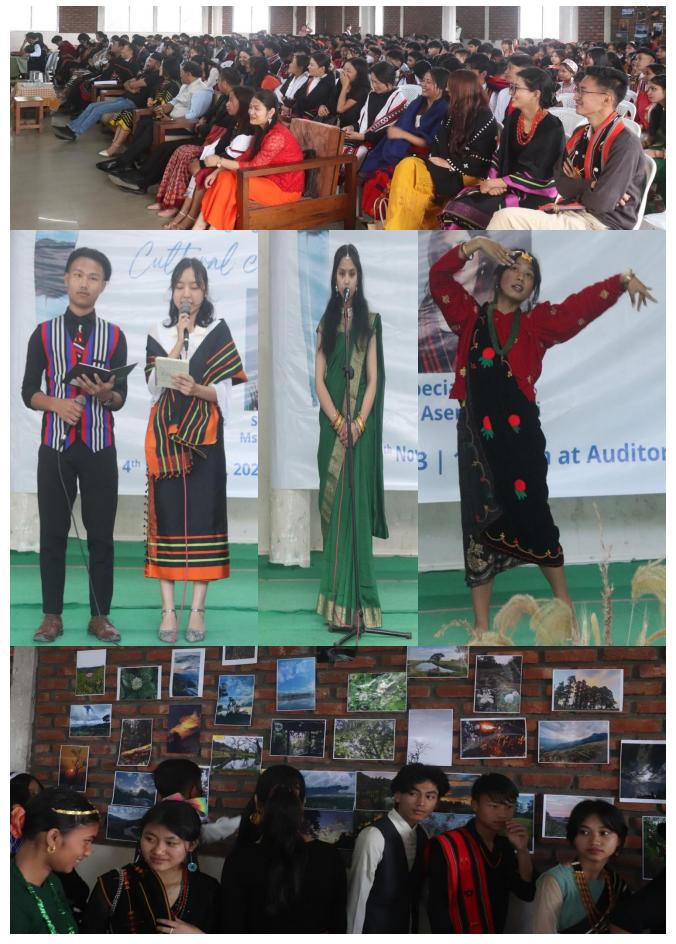
Ms. Aseno Ayemi enlightened the students on the importance of respecting one another; grabbing the opportunity that has been given, helping each individual to bring out the best in them.

Various competitions were conducted and the winners were awarded with Certificates and Cash awards in different categories.

The programme concluded with vote of thanks by Mr. Kaimangchoba Chang Convener Literary and Cultural Committee.









Science Exhibition

The Dept. of Science organised Science Exhibition on 7th of November, 2023. The exhibition was conducted to ignite the passion of science and also to give the students the opportunity to present various exhibits.

Teachers and students from Whito School, Public School Dzüvürü, Genesis School, Mount Sinai Higher Sec. School, Vikesel's Vision School and MITE visited the exhibition.

Cash awards were given to the best three exhibits.

- 1st Group 3 (Rukuosanuo, Abigail, Meiton and Bohong)
- 2nd Group 6 (Rokülenü, Minaj, Kai L, Arun and Wangngam)
- 3rd -Group 15 (Rodila, Imkum, Paogougin, Thsinglipi and Maveio)



Anti- Drug Campaign

Anti- Drug Campaign organised by 13 Assam Rifles was held in the school auditorium on 10th November, 2023.

The event was graced by Miss. Hikali Achumi, Miss Nagaland 2023. The guest speaker for the event was Mr. Anupam Rohit, Recovery Wellness Society, Guwahati. Invitees from different colleges in Kohima also attended the event- Sazolie College, Kros College and Kohima College Kohima.



Class 11 Arts Annual Picnic

Class 11. Arts went on an annual picnic to Dzüleke on 14th November, 2023 with a total of 120 students along with 3 teachers. The class picnic to Dzüleke turned out to be a wonderful and memorable experience. It provided the students with a chance to appreciate nature, engage in fun activities, and foster a sense of camaraderie within the class.

Meanwhile, Dept. of Commerce went to Poilwa Village, Sheep Farm along with Principal and two teachers. A total of 55 students went for the picnic. It was filled with fun, and refreshing day engaging in various fun filled activities.







2nd Annual Sports Meet

School kicked off its 2nd Annual Sports Meet on 15th November, 2023 at Modern College, Piphema with Brigadier Shiva Kant Shukla, Commander 6 Sector Assam Rifles as the Special Guest.

The programme was chaired by Ms. Thejazenuo. Ms. Nenia Theresa, Principal, MHSS delivered the welcome note while Mr Akuluzo presented a special number. Lighting of the torch was lit by the Special Guest.

In his speech, he stressed and pointed out that we should think young to remain young. A fine coordination between mind and body gives a good life he said. Further he highlighted the importance of sportsmanship within the students.

Students presented a fun thrilled Aerobics which enthralled the crowd. Mr Kikatemba led Oath taking and Mr Lemnyei Konyak, Convener, Sports Committee delivered the vote of thanks.

The programme concluded by singing the National Anthem followed by the declaration of the Annual Sports Meet by Special Guest.







NATIONAL CONSTITUTION DAY

The Department of Arts. MHSS observed "NATIONAL CONSTITUTION DAY" on 24^{th} November 2023.

Ms. Lochumi Patton exhorted the students followed by recitation of the Preamble and administering of pledge. In total 55 Students 2 faculty along with Principal Ms. A.Nenia Theresa took part in the programme.



National Education Day

Modern Higher Secondary School observed National Education Day on 10th November. 2023. Ms. Deepali Thapa, Department of Arts spoke on the significance of National Education Day. She mentioned that education is a basic right, as it is the need of the hour and a dream of every individual. She also encouraged and reminded the students about the responsibility to embrace education whole heartedly and to strive for excellence and to be a lifelong learner. Altogether 110 students attended the program.



Childrens' Day cum Cultural Day

Childrens' Day cum Cultural Day on 14th November, 2023 at the school auditorium. The occasion was graced by Mrs. A. Kaisa, Chairperson of Modern Society and Mr. Pelee Hekha, Managing Director of Modern Higher Secondary School.

The programme started with an invocation from Ms. Sanano Chanu and speech by Mr. Hmingthan Mowia and students with 100% attendance were awarded with certificates.

Then the entertainment session followed where both teachers and students took part in it with full enthusiasm. The programme concluded with a vote of thanks from Ms. Naomi Kath.





Graduation Day for Foundational Section

Modern Higher Secondary School held its Graduation day for Foundational Section for Class 2 students on 29th November, 2023 under the theme Success Against All Odds.









Motivational Talk

Motivational talk on 'How to become a Topper' for the students of class 10 was Conducted on 13th November, 2023 at the school conference hall.

The guest speaker for the programme was Mr. Elanthung Tsanglao (HSLC topper, 12th rank 2014-15). He shared his success story and encouraged the students to work hard consistently and to study for at least 7 hours a day. He also confronted the students not to stress so much and give their best effort in the exam.





Farewell programme for Class 12

Farewell programme was held for outgoing class 12 batch in the auditorium on 2nd December, 2023 under the theme "Farewell Fiesta".

Students from Class 11 hosted the session gracely by presenting interesting items like group dance, group song, cosplay and presentation for the outgoing batch. The senior students also gave voluntary speech on behalf of their departments.

The event concluded with a celebratory jam session.













Teachers' Advent Christmas

The teachers and Staff of MHSS celebrated advent Christmas on 4^{th} December, 2023 in 2k Hotel, Kohima.

The programme was chaired by Miss Ruovivonuo while Miss Atuonuo graced the event with the invocation.

Mrs. Yatetsongla and Mr. Rhazhute shared on *What Christmas means to Me*. It was followed by Gift exchange and a delicious meal.





What Christmas Means to me

Christmas is a time of joy, happiness and most importantly a time for friends and families to come together and spend time. Every year around the world, people celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ who came to this world to give us love, hope and joy. For me this is what makes Christmas worth celebrating. It is a day and a season filled with Christmas carols, gift giving, streets filled with the beautiful lights and Christmas trees around and, the cheerful atmosphere that surrounds it.

For me, Christmas is a time that gives me the opportunity to give the needy, and the poor in our society. It is not only a time to wine and dine but to know that there are many people out there who are unable to put food on their table. It is important to know that they need our help and therefore, it is a great time to contribute and inculcate the spirit of giving. Christmas inspires us to be charitable, wanting to reach out and be involved with the community, lending a helping hand wherever we can when it comes to giving of gifts, it is wonderful to make someone happy while giving you the added benefit of being happy as you share their joy. The gift of love and support is one of the most generous gifts you can give.

During the Christmas season, prayers also serve powerful medium for connecting with the Divine, expressing gratitude and reflecting on the spiritual significance of the occasion. A personal prayer can reflect on personal spiritual growth, expressing hope and more commitment to God. God's love is for everyone. You are not alone. You are loved and you can feel hopeful and joyful. That is the true meaning of Christmas. It also gives an opportunity to look back at all the moments we are grateful for and express thanks to others while we are together.

Christmas could hold different meaning for many people but there is no denying in the beauty and the essence it holds. Therefore, whatever significance it holds I believe that it gives each and everyone of us a time of peace and harmony and goodwill to all men.

Mrs. Yatetsongla Dept. of Arts

The Management and Staff of MHSS wishes all the students a very

Merry Christmas

and

Prosperous New Year.

Highlight of the Month (Higher Secondary) November

3rd November : Assembly (I/C class XII Arts)

7th November : Science Exhibition

10th November : National Education Day (I/C

Department of Arts)/Monthly Newsletter

13th November : Assembly

14th November : Children's Day (Commerce and 11

Arts Picnic)

15th –17th Nov : School week

18th November : Science and 12 Arts Picnic

24th November : Observance of Constitution Day

(Department of Arts)

December

1st December : Observance of World Aids Day

2nd December : Farewell to class XII/ Staff meeting

4th - 13th Dec : Pre- Board Examination for class

XI/Improvement Examination for

class XII

14th – 15th Dec : Conduct of HSSLC Practical

Examination 2024 (Class XII

Commerce and science)/ Conduct of English Speaking and Listening test for

class XI/ Submission of IPR

16th December : Declaration of Pre-board &

Improvement Examination Result

16th –31st Dec : Winter vacation

Highlight of the month (High School Section) November

1st -6th November : Exam for Minor Subjects (Cl-III to Cl-VIII)

14th November : Children's Day/Cultural day 15th November : Issue of admit card for Final

Exam(Class III-7)

16th -30th Nov : Final Exam (Nursery to Cl VII) 29th November : Graduation Day for Foundational

Session/Issue of admit card for Phase-II

Exam(Cl VIII&IX)/Model Exam Cl X

December

1st /2nd week Dec : Final Exam Phase-II (Cl-VIII & IX)/

Improvement Exam(CI-X)

5th Dec : Declaration of Final Result (Nursery to Cl-VII)

6th Dec : Winter Break (Nursery to Cl-VII)

3rd Week : Special Class for Cl-X

15th Dec : Declaration of Final result (Cl-VIII to Cl-IX)/

Improvement Exam CI-X

16th Dec : Winter Break

To Look Ahead (Higher Secondary) January

1st - 9th January : Winter vacation

10th January : Re-opening/ Reporting for Teachers/ HoD's

meeting/ Staff meeting

11th January : Starting of special classes

17th January : Issue of Admit card for Model Test

22nd - 31st January : Model Test

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