



APOLLO INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL - KANDANA

Newsletter

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"Whenever you find yourself on the side of the majority, it's time to pause and reflect"

-Mark Twain-



would like to share with you the real life story of engineer John Roebling. Since I too am an engineer, I was inspired by the facts. In 1883, John Roebling, a creative engineer, was inspired to build the Brooklyn Bridge connecting New York with Long Island.

However, bridge experts throughout the world told him that this was an impossible task. John couldn't ignore the vision, so he persuaded his son Washington to work alongside him. Working together for the first time, the father and son developed concepts of how it could be accomplished and how the obstacles could be overcome.

A few months later, John died of a tragic accident. Later on, Washington too was injured and left with brain damage which resulted in him being paralyzed. In spite of his handicap, Washington was never discouraged. As he lay on his bed, he came up with an idea to communicate with his wife. With only a tap on her arm he devised a method to give instructions to the engineers to start work on the bridge.

For 13 years Washington tapped out his instructions, until the bridge was finally completed in 1883. Today, the spectacular Brooklyn Bridge stands in all its glory as a tribute to the triumph of one man's indomitable spirit and determination not to be defeated by circumstances.

Perhaps this is one great example of a never-say-die attitude. Often when we face obstacles in our day-to-day life, our hurdles seem very small in comparison to what others have faced. This story could remind us that dreams that seem impossible can be realized with determination and persistence no matter what the odds.

Message from our Patron
Dr. Mohan Lal Gero



SCHOOL EVENTS

WESAK CELEBRATIONS

Wesak Bakthi Gee Event was held in school main hall on the 17th May, 2022. It was a charming event with wonderful singing performances from Primary Students.



FALUDA DAY

Pre Primary Activity for Ramzan, Faluda Making Day was held during the month of May. It was a tasty treat for all.



NEW LIBRARY OPENED FOR STUDENTS

Reading is an important aspect in learning. Keeping one more step forward, a new library was opened for students from the new term. It is a pleasing sight to see the students read with much enthusiasm.



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MESSAGE FROM THE ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT

Parents are requested to paste the bank slips of the Term Fee Payments on the SRB (Pages 67, 68 & 69).

Dear Parents,

When you give a telephone call to the school (for any reason), please be kind enough to mention your child's name and class.

READING SQUAD

Reading is the basic and the most important aspect of learning. We at Apollo International School Kandana is looking forward to make every individual a better reader. A team of teachers are now acting as our reading squad to give further guidance and support for the children who need extra help in reading. Looking forward to see them improve!



UPCOMING EVENTS

MONTH OF JUNE - 2022

01 nd June	May Monthly Test (Day - 01)
02 nd June	May Monthly Test (Day - 02)
06 th June	Sinhala Best Speakers' Contest - Finals
10 th June	Parent Teacher Day Pre Primary Exhibition
13 th June	Poson Celebrations
24 th June	Grade - 2 Assembly

GENERAL REMINDERS

- Bring hand sanitiser bottles with no spray nozzle. The sanitiser gel or the liquid with no atomizer is recommended.
- Parents and students are advised to cross the road from the zebra crossing (near the school) by setting themselves as an example to others.



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GENERAL QUESTION AND ANSWERS

Question - Who was the artist who created the state emblem?

Answer - S. M. Seneviratne

Question - When was the state emblem introduced?

Answer - Was designed in order to celebrate Sri Lanka becoming a republic on the 22nd of May in 1972.

Question - Which African nation is famous for chocolate?

Answer - Ghana

Question - What makes up (approx.) 80% of our brain's volume?

Answer - Water

REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT RECEIPT

Please see that you keep this receipt very carefully. If you do not produce the original receipt, Apollo International School will not be able to refund this payment back to you.

MONTHLY TEST - MAY 2022 (PHYSICAL EXAMINATION)

01 st June	English (7.45 - 9.10 a.m.)	Maths (9.10 - 10.25 a.m.)	Social St. (10.55 - 12.15 p.m.)
02 nd June	Sin. / Tamil (7.45 - 9.10 a.m.)	Science (9.10 - 10.25 a.m.)	-