



Dear All,

Seasonal greetings from Don Bosco Anbu Illam. I pray that in this season of Easter, all of you keeping good health.

Easter is a wonderfully blessed season of hope, love, sacrifice and promise fulfilment. These are the very values that each and every one of us needs to display, not only in our thoughts and words, but also in our deeds and actions. By doing so, we will win confidence of everyone who is in some way or the other connected to us. At DBAI, we seek to inculcate these values in the children thereby in our own small way, we are contributing to societal improvement by making the children in our care, more responsible and more empathetic citizens, which is sadly lacking in mainstream society these days.

Don Bosco said, “You are young, that is enough for me to love you”. My dear people, let us bring back the ideals of loving one another unconditionally irrespective of religion, caste, colour, creed or linguistic difference. Let us together strive to bring love and peace wherever we go and in our own way, we can make our village, town, city, state and country a better place to live filled with the idea of unity in diversity.

May the blessed mother intercede for you and may the Lord bless you always.
Lovingly,

Fr. Andrews Stephen Raj, sdb.



Cheers to one more year!

The birthday celebration of the Superior of the SMA congregation, Sr. Sujigan Sumathy, was celebrated at Saranalayam with the Holy Eucharist and cultural programmes from children on March 21, 2024. The religious and the children of the house gathered around her to pray for her selfless service she does to the well-deserving.



Summer Learnings

Summer may worry us with the heat waves but in no way it stop our learning wave. The children of Saranalayam were taught basic computer skills during this summer through the instrumentality of Sr. Ranjini. God bless their efforts.



Easy English

Seven of our 12th std. students from our Home went to Don Bosco, SIHARAM for the ‘ENGLISH FOR EMPOWERMENT AND EMPLOYMENT’ course to improve their linguistic and communicative skills on April 2, 2024. They completed the course successfully on April 30, 2024, with certificates and good grades.



Match Time!

The Children from Bosco Illam and Saranalayam witnessed the football match between Chennaiyin FC and North East United FC at Nehru Stadium on April 9, 2024. The children enjoyed the LIVE match and it became one of their most exciting experiences.



MATCH TIME

Kabbadi Kabbadi!

Ms. Gayathri from Kannagi Nagar PBGC, participated in Tamilnadu Sub Junior Girls Kabaddi team and camped at Sports Complex, Kannagi Nagar for 13 days. We applaud the players for their efforts.



KABADDI!

Exam preparations

From the 20 Police Boys and Girls Clubs, we have 642 students who appeared for their board exams during the academic year 2023 - 2024. Don Bosco Anbu Illam had arranged for special morning and evening coaching in their centres to give confidence and boost their performance.



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Way to Empowerment!

In the event of the International Women's Day on March 8, 2024, Don Bosco Anbu Illam with the support of YMCA Madras has provided tailoring Machines to 30 women who has completed this course successfully.



Choose your Right Path

Don Bosco Anbu Illam and HOPE Foundation, with the support of HCL FOUNDATION, organized the Career Guidance Workshop for the 10th and 12th-grade students of DBAI, HOPE Foundation, STEDS and SIP at the HCL Sholingnallur Campus on April 21, 2024. 200 students participated actively in interactive sessions and gained valuable insights from Professionals about different streams of Professions. We are grateful to all those who were instrumental in making this great event, a reality.





Golden Kick!

Ms. Varshini from PBGC, Kasimedu participated in the Tamilnadu State Boxing Championship for 'Youth Men and Women 2024' and secured a Gold medal in the weight category of 50 - 52 kg, which was held between March 29 - 31, 2024.



Good Friday



The Don Bosco Anbu Illam community animated the way of the cross in the morning and partook in the Good Friday services in the evening at SM Nagar Parish on March 29, 2024.



Blessed Birthday!

The birthday of Br. Andrew was celebrated wonderfully along with the Children and other religious on April 20, 2024. Everyone wished him Wellness of heart, mind and body to serve the community better.



Easter Blessings!



DBAI children partook in the Easter vigil service with great devotion and shared the Joy of Easter with one another at the SM Nagar Parish on April 30, 2024.



Summer Camp

The Children from both boys and girls Shelter homes were taken to Don Bosco, Pannur for a 13-day Summer Camp from April 24 - May 6, 2024. The camp was designed to mould Children in Personality development, folk arts and Teamwork.



Embracing the journey



International Women's Day was celebrated at Cemetery Road, Thiruvotiyur and Muthialpet respectively on March 9, 10 and 21, 2024. Our Children from the evening study centre staged a cultural performance to emphasize the importance of every Woman from different walks of Life. Around 440 women from three places participated in this meaningful event.



Health is Wealth!

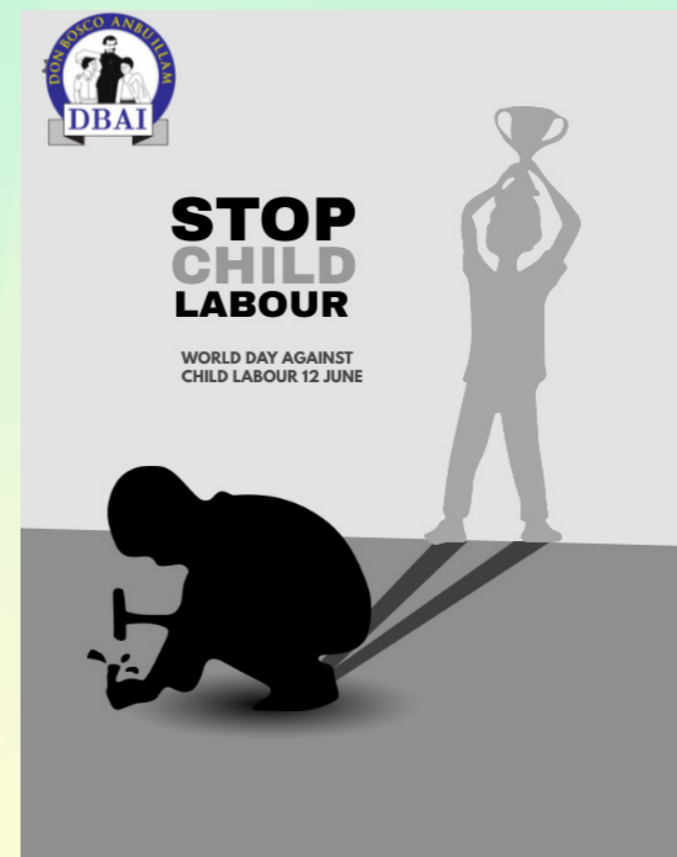
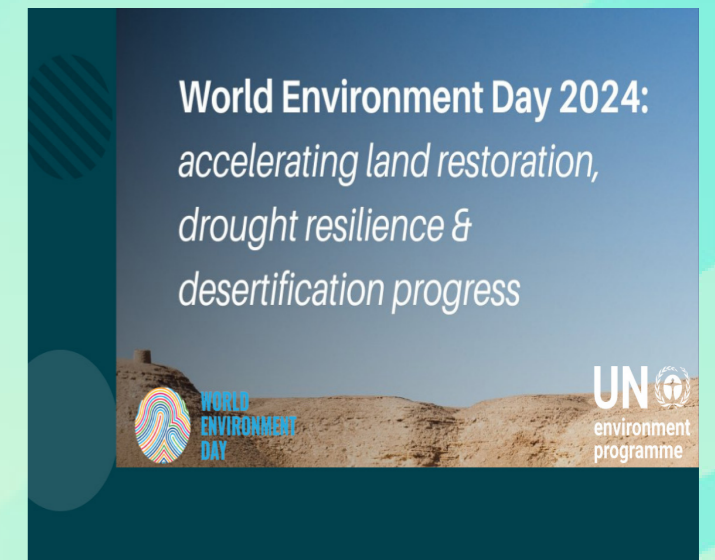
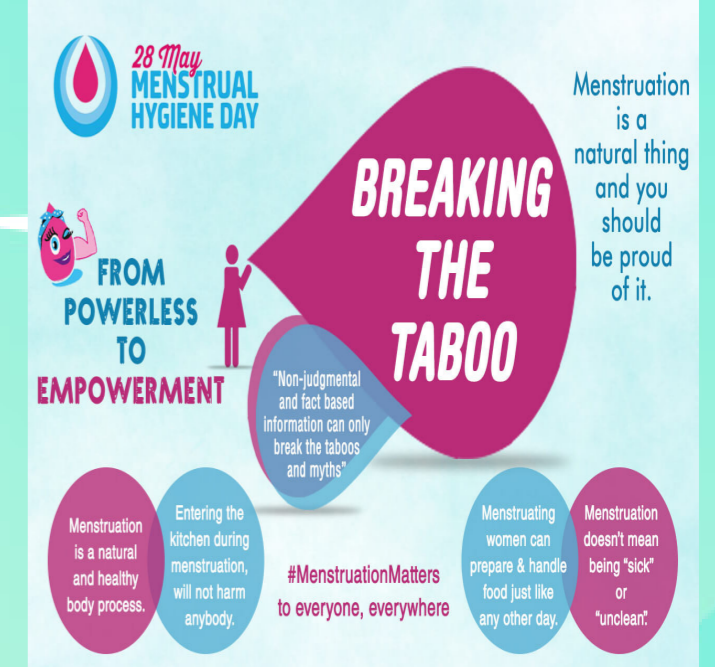


An Awareness program on Health and Hygiene was conducted at Thiruvotiyur on March 15, 2024, and 30 children benefitted through this awareness programme to lead a life without diseases.

"Either you run the day or the day runs you."

—Jim Rohn.

Events & Celebrations





**Be the change
that you wish to
see in the world.**
- Mahatma Gandhi

Thank You Readers

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