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Message from the desk of Principal



It truly gives me unalloyed joy when I see the most beautiful flowers of our garden blossom to their fullest potential despite the challenges created during COVID19 crisis.

We need to take a pause and marvel at the unparalleled energy, profound optimism and awe inspiring zeal of these ambassadors of humanity and compassion.

EBSB is undoubtedly an excellent and much needed platform which allows these students to express their fecund imagination, spectacular creativity and above all fathomless patriotism.

As I pour down my feelings on this paper, I feel deep appreciation for the children who tried to rise to the occasion and proved their mettle in every task that was assigned to them.

While reading this magazine please do also keep in mind the tremendous efforts made by the Editorial Team and the children which was instrumental in giving this Newsletter its present shape.

Happy Reading!

Kalika Prasad

I/c Principal



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INTRODUCTION

Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat programme aims to enhance interaction & promote mutual understanding between people of different states/UTs through the concept of state/UT pairing.

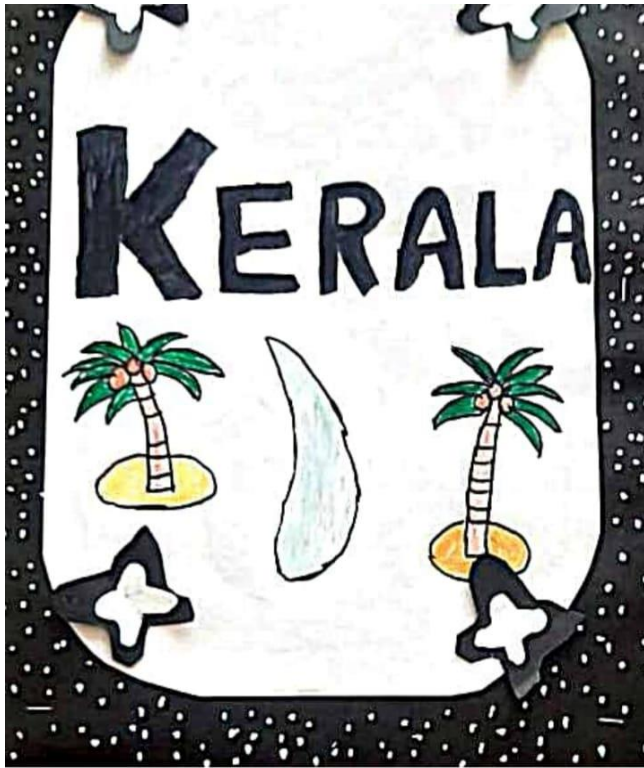
The states carry out activities to promote a sustained and structured cultural connect in the areas of language learning, culture, traditions & music, tourism & cuisine, sports and sharing of best practices, etc.

India is a unique nation, whose fabric has been woven by diverse linguistic, cultural and religious threads, held together into a composite national identity by a rich history of cultural evolution, coupled with a freedom struggle that was built around the tenets of non-violence and justice. The spirit of mutual understanding amidst a shared history has enabled a special unity in diversity, which stands out as a tall flame of nationhood that needs to be nourished and cherished into the future.

Time and technology have narrowed down distances in terms of connect and communication. In an era that facilitates mobility and outreach, it is important to establish cultural exchanges between people of different regions, as a means to further human bonding and a common approach to nation-building. Mutual understanding and trust are the foundations of India's strength and all citizens should feel culturally integrated in all corners of India. Students from the north-east, for example, should not feel like 'strangers in a strange land' when they arrive in Delhi, or a person from Uttarakhand should not feel like an outsider in Kerala.

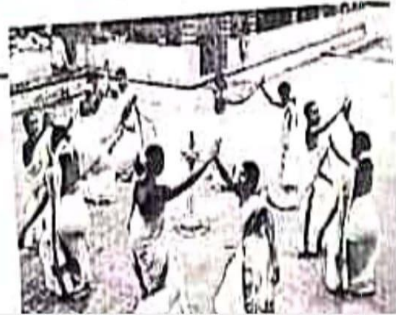


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HISTORY OF KERALA

Kerala is first mentioned (as Kerala-tta) in a 3rd-century-bce rock inscription left by the Mauryan emperor Ashoka. In the last centuries bce this region became famous among the Greeks and Romans for its spices (especially pepper). Thomas the Apostle visited Kerala in the same century (see St. Thomas [Mar Thoma] Christian).



Scrapbook of paired state – 'Kerala'



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MALAYALAM

Malayalam is a Dravidian language spoken in the Indian state of Kerala and the union territories of Lakshadweep and Puducherry by the Malayali people. It is one of 22 scheduled languages of India spoken by 2.88% of Indians. Due to Malayali expatriates in the Persian Gulf, Malayalam is also widely spoken in the Gulf countries.

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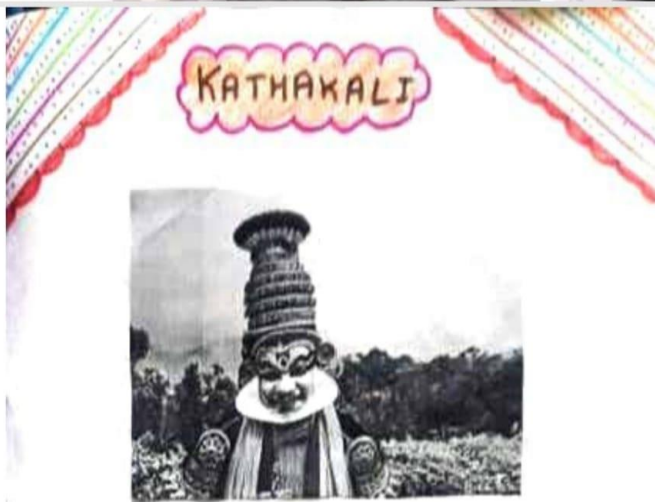
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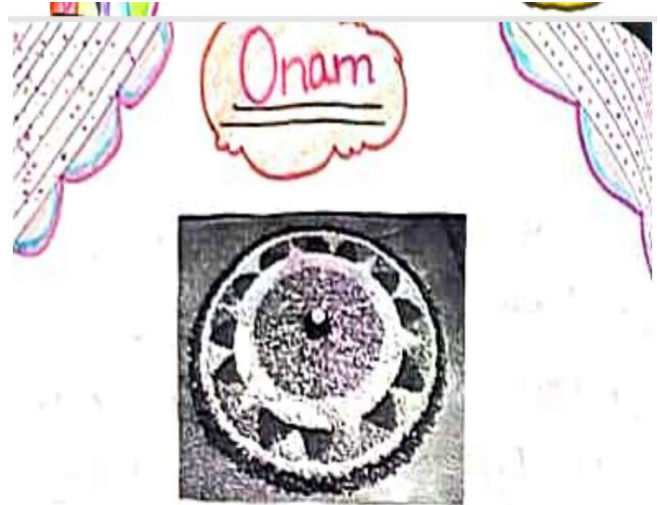


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Kathakali is an impressive form of classical dance originated more than 500 years ago in the southern state of Kerala. Kathakali is a perfect combination of dance, drama, music and religious theme. Kathakali is considered as one of the world's oldest forms of theatre.

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Onam is the official state festival of Kerala. It is celebrated with joy and enthusiasm all over the state by Malayalees regardless of religion, cast or creed. According to a popular legend, the festival is celebrated to welcome King Mahabali, whose spirit is said to visit Kerala at the time of Onam.

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Solo Song Competition



Sensitizing children towards environment



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Talk on Personal Hygiene



Community singing



Screening of films in language of paired state



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Cultural Programme



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