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READING COMPETITION

IN MEMORY OF G M YOGANANDAN

ON 25TH MARCH 2024

At our school we have a small library which is in one of our classrooms, and our students can borrow and change the books to read each week.

We were asked by Arjuna Yoganandan to have a reading competition in memory of his father, who was a keen reader, and taught his children the importance of reading and how so much can be learned through reading.



The students were very keen to have the competition and each student in each class read to their teacher and the rest of the students.



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When it was near to the competition time, there was a short list of 21 students who the teachers thought were the best at reading in their class, and after that it was short listed to 3 in each category.



For the Junior Champion the age was up to 10 years old
The Intermediate Champion the age was 11 years up to 15 years old.
The Senior Champion the age was 15 years and above



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For each category 3 students took part, and they had to read a book in front of the audience. As there were 9 students in total reading a book, they had to choose a short story and read it from start to finish.



They all did extremely well, and it was decided that the winner in each category should be chosen by Arjuna and May Zaw Paing.

May Zaw Paing came from Yangon to attend the reading competition and then award the Cup and book token to the winners.

However, all 9 students were able to choose a book which they would like to read whilst the 3 winners were able to choose 2 or 3 books.

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The rest of the donation in memory of G M YOGANANDAN is going to be spent on more books for the library, which we are very grateful for.



The Reading Competition was a huge success and from now on there will be a Reading Competition on 25th March each year.

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