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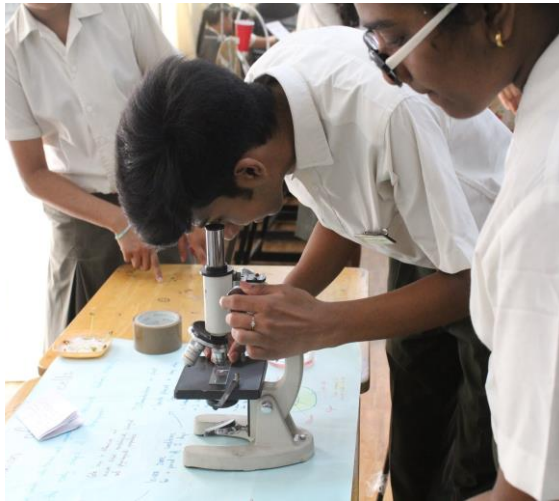
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# 4<sup>TH</sup> TRINS ANNUAL BROADWAY

All the world's a stage



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# SCIENCE FAIR 2K18

There was Einstein. There was Edison. Now it's you

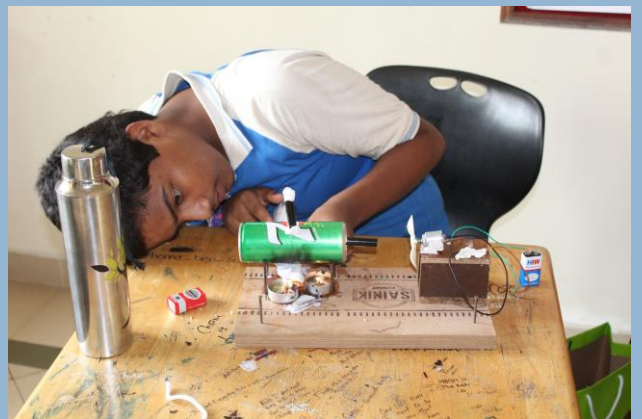
# FLOOD RELIEF EFFORTS

There's a hero in all of us



# SCIENCE FAIR

On the 24<sup>th</sup> of September TRINS held its annual science fair, where fellow students showcase their talents and interests in science. All grades ranging from the PYP to the senior secondary school participated in this event. The students were extremely proud and enthusiastic to take part in this great tradition of the school. The function was inaugurated by our principal Mrs Rupa Sen and the fair was visited by our school's executive director Mrs Sapnu George. The judges of the science fair were our own science teachers from each respective subject. The day went on by the judges taking a look at the projects displayed by the students ranging from DNA extractions experiment to a homemade radar! We saw each and every student bring out the best in him or herself. The science fair greatly benefits many students as not only does it show them science is fun, but also teaches them more about how things work, encouraging them to express themselves, showcase their understanding and embrace their passion. Science fair is in many ways a practical beyond the classroom, thinking outside the box and learning to test limits. The science fair as every year was grand success just as the years before it, bringing out the scientist in every student.





Just last week TRINS hosted its 4<sup>th</sup> annual Broadway and as it always has been for the past four years, it was a great success. We obviously had plenty of fun that day, but we were all also presented with the opportunity to showcase our talents. The event was held, at the Travancore Convention Centre on the 29<sup>th</sup> of September. The show commenced with a warm welcome for the audience by our MC's - Diva, Gabriel & Hrishi. The theme for this year was 'Circle of life' & each of the 4 houses presented a play starting off with Jalam and "Thy Kingdom Come", then Agni with "Punargani" followed by Vayu with "Just Another Story" and finally Prithvi with "The Paradox Of Time".

The students not only put up a good show, but also served a good cause, as the amount from the ticket sales went for charity. This year the proceeds went to the Asha Bhavan, Govt. Mahila Mandiram and Old Age Home, and the General Hospital. The event was truly spectacular with the students transforming into kings, gods, spirits and lots more. The stage transformed as scenes changed due to the brilliant props made by the students, accompanied by dances and songs that dazzled the audience. At the end of the day, Sabari Manoj and Zenya Siyad of 12 IBDP received the best Actor and Actress awards. Agni house bagged home the trophy and the title of Winner, with Prithvi in Runner's up.







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## A VISIT BY OUR HEROES

### AN ASSEMBLY TO REMEMBER

August 15th. Heavy rains all over Kerala. First the yellow alert, then the orange alert, and finally...the inevitable - The Red alert. The dams were almost full, roads were flooded, and water, water was seeping into people's houses as well. People were stuck with no access to food, water and other basic necessities. Citizens of flood free areas were hard at work trying to find necessities for people in relief camps, but what about those that were not in camps yet? Those who were still waiting for a miracle that would take them to the safe haven of the camps?

It is at moments like these that true heroes arise and show themselves for who they truly are. In this case it was totally unexpected and stupefying, someone who nobody would've expected to show up, given their conditions and how doing this wouldn't benefit them in any way. It was the Fishermen.

The ordinary fishermen decided to rise up and act against the problem at hand. They went out to help people stuck in horrify-

ing conditions and reached out to help as many as they could no matter the lateness of the hour and very well knowing the risks of the job, regardless they wanted to help as much as they could, and result was remarkable. Over 300 people saved from disastrous conditions in their homes or public building trapped by the floods.

As a result, we at TRINS decided to tribute these heroes amongst men inviting them to share their experiences. We held a special assembly for the fishermen where they answered our questions and inspired each and every student teacher and faculty that if there was a need they and many more would always be there, the light at the end of the cave, the torch that lit up the dark night that engulfed the state. Each of the fishermen that came were presented with a new mundu spread over their shoulders – a symbol of respect and recognition for their deeds and efforts. In addition, the school presented the heroes with lunch, another way of expressing our appreciation.



On the 5th of September, junior school students held the teacher's day celebration as an occasion to thank the teachers for all the effort put by them. The students also organized and conducted several activities like singing and dancing to entertain and enrol the teachers thereby shifting the scenario into students taking responsibility while the teachers had the time to relax. The students also gave cards to teachers as a token of appreciation and admiration. There was also a twist of surprise as there was special corner where picture of the teachers during their youth were showcased. It was overall a day of appreciation, not just by the students but also by the teachers themselves, for their hard work and determination put into moulding new generation of leaders.



## Junior School Teacher's Day

# STUDENT FLOOD RELIEF EFFORTS

In August Kerala had been hit by a flood, relief efforts began and as a result I, along with a group of friends spanning from the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade became involved in the process of flood relief. We started by dropping off donations of rice, clothes, medicines, in addition to helping pack what we could. However major contributions by us began at a Centre known as B-HUB, in desperate need of volunteers. We joined in the efforts of packing and loading the donations, but we were outmatched by the large inflow of items. As we worked we became more aware of the intensity of the disaster and the energy really came from within to help my fellow Keralites stranded and ravaged by the floods. It was a new experience joining up with people I didn't know to work towards a common cause, each and every one working fervently to build up on the other's efforts. Most of us stayed till dark and when the last truckload of supplies rolled out for the day, all of us had a deep sense of satisfaction that we had done something that would directly help someone else that we would probably never meet, never see and never hear from but the confidence that we were doing this service was deeply satisfying, renewing our vigour to continue the effort the very next day. In addition, Aparna Nair of grade 12 IBDP has taken the initiative of designing cups in tribute of the efforts put in by people to help the flood victims. The cups are sold for Rs350 each whose proceeds go to the government's flood relief fund.





# CONGRATULATIONS

to the toppers at the GCSE AS/A Level and  
the IGCSE examinations, June 2018 !

## Cambridge IGCSE (Year 10)



Govind B  
(8A\*,2B)



Anjali Muraleedharan  
(7A\*,3A)



Rebanth Kanner  
(5A\*,5A)

## Cambridge International AS Levels(Year 11)



Anjali Nair  
(4A)



Kannan M  
(4A)



Bhavana Pulipaka  
(4A)

## Cambridge International A Levels (Year 12)



Manasi Janardanan  
(3 A\*)



Neenu Santhosh  
(2A\*,1A)



Zafar Musaliar  
(3A)