

KAHAGOLLA NATIONAL SCHOOL

Blooming Buds



Cadet Corps 2011



Academic staff at Teachers' Day celebration



All Island Third Place Winners at Dancing (K.M.M.V)

Kahagolla National School is one of the leading national schools in Haputale Educational Division which gained the "S6" award in 2010. This school was established in 1928 with 223 students, under Mr. Bagya Dissanayake as its first Principal.



In 1933, during the foreign rule, it was told that "King George The 5th" celebrated his birthday in this school. Thereafter the school was upgraded to the status of Madya Maha Vidyalaya and a three sto-

T.G. Danushka Sandaruwan
1st Place Software Competition 2010

ried building was given as the school had shown more progress.

Additional resources were given such as computer unit and a science laboratory. The school was renamed as B/Kahagolla National School. Presently the school has classes from grade 01 to grade 13 with nearly 600 students and 55 teachers.

Today school provides different kinds of facilities to accomplish the tasks of the students. The school is equipped with large amount of facilities such as science laboratories, IT unit, play ground, aesthetics sections, etc.

During 90's they had over 800 students in the school but in recent year most of the children who could afford the travel-

Principal
M.G. Sugathapala
(SLPS II, 1)Mrs. Kadurugamuwa
Primary Section
Instructor

ling expenses left the school to join the leading school, in search of better education.

Recently, the school is showing very good academic records in G.C.E.(O/L) and G.C.E.(A/L) examinations and its students have archived the highest grades in the provincial ranking. Mas.T.G.Danushka Sandaruwan got the school first ever best result in G.C.E.(O/L) in 2009 and continuing his G.C.E.(A/L) in the same school. He is also a talented computer software designer who won the 1st place in the All Island Computer Software Competition in 2010.

Two brothers, Mas.Y.M.Suranga Yapa and Mas. Ranuka Lakmal Yapa who are from a poor family got through the G.C.E.(A/L) examinations in Commerce stream with 3 A's and entered to the University in the year 2007 and 2010.

In 1995 one of their students won the All Island Gymnastic Championship and brought a great honour to the school.

Scouting is now popular in Kahagolla National School and they have over 13 cubs had their Rover Scout crew Investing ceremony in 2010. They had participated in the 8th National Scouts Jamboree at Hambanthota in 2010. Mas. Tharindu Nilaksha Herath won the President's Scout award and the Assistant District Scout Commissioner Mr.N.H.M.Aruna is in the charge teacher for the scouts.

Kahagolla National School students shine also in Language day and dancing competitions and bring Provincial and National level medals to the school. The junior eastern dancing group consecutively being at the 1st place in the Province and participates the National level competitions.

Kahagolla National School Primary section has organized a language promotion programme, named as "Yathra" which is a language competition and the Prize Giving will be held on 25th of October, 2011. The Chief Guest of the programme is Minister of Parliament Udithi Lokubandara. The School management and the students are warmly inviting all the readers to come to encourage the Blooming Buds.



KONTHAHELA VIDYALAYA

An exemplary village school

Konthahela Vidyalaya is one of the exemplary rural village schools to all the leading schools in the Island, as they built a two roomed house for a poor village student of their school, with the help of all the other students and teachers. Earlier the house was in a poor condition, made with polythene and "Maanang Leaves". The school management and teachers got together and organized a "Students' Welfare Tilt" in each classroom and the students frequently contributed whatever they had. The students' contribution and the donations of their teachers played the major roll in this charitable work.

Konthahela Vidyalaya is a Type II school, situated in the village called "Malitha" in Bandarawela Educational Zone. At present they have only 250 students from grade one to grade eleven. There are 32 teachers providing quality education with some great achievements in the academic field. The present principal is Mr.WR.J.V.Balasooriya (SLPS).

The school was established in 1965 with 14 students. The first principal was Mr.E.M.Siriwardana. During 70's and 80's they had over 500 students in the school. As National schools and Navodya schools developed, the children who could afford the travelling expenses left the school in search of better education and now, only the poor village students remain here.

The school has maintained a good academic records in grade 5 scholarship and G.C.E.(O/L) examinations. This year 03 students got through the Grade 5 scholarship Examination out of 18 while Dinushka Praboda scored 168 marks.

In 2006 Miss Erandika Prasadini obtained the best results in G.C.E.(O/L) and now she is an under graduate at Peradeniya University.

Konthahela Vidyalaya has a famous Elle team, who won so many medals in provincial level.

These students shine not only in sports



Board of Prefects 2011

Principal
W.R.J.V. Balasooriya
(SLPS)

Vice Principal

Students who got through Grade 5 Scholarship
Examination 2010

Students who got through Grade 5 Scholarship Examination 2011

but also in Sinhala Language day, Art and Debate competitions and bring Provincial level medals to the school. Dulani Srimanthi was a very good debating star they had during 2007 and Kalpani

Madushashini was a very good Artist who won All Island medal for the school.

They are hoping to start their Computer unit next year, as they got some computers for the same. They got the entire western band instrument recently from the Ministry of Education and they are making arrangements to form the school western band. Also They have requested the authorities to help to develop the school play ground in the year 2012.

As small village school, when the principal, the teachers and the students holding their hand to stand on their own two feet, we all should help them to provide the basic needs for the school.

Sujitha Miranda



Academic Staff with Principal



Computer Unit



Home Gardening