



Jaffna Central College
Old Boys' Association - Colombo Branch

Annual General Meeting

2025



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Old Boys' Association - Colombo Branch
“Established in July 1913”

Annual General Meeting 2025

Saturday, 26th April 2025 at 5.15 p.m.

At
The Auditorium
The Organizatin of Professional Associations of Sri Lanka (OPA)
No. 275/75, Prof. Stanley Wijesundera Mawatha, Colombo - 07

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2nd April 2025.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2025

Saturday, 26th April, 2025.

**At the Auditorium,
The Organization of Professional Associations of Sri Lanka (OPA)
275/75, Prof. Stanley Wijesundera Mawatha,
Colombo 07.**

The 112th Annual General Meeting of The Jaffna Central College, Colombo Old Boy's Association will be held on **Saturday, 26th April, 2025**, commencing from 5.00 pm. onwards at the "Auditorium", The Organization of Professional Associations of Sri Lanka (OPA), No.275/75, Prof. Stanley Wijesundera Mawatha, Colombo 07, followed by fellowship and dinner.

Tentative program:

5.00 pm - Registration
5.15 pm - 112th Annual General Meeting
7.00 pm - Conclusion of the Annual General Meeting
7.15 pm - Fellowship and Dinner

The agenda of the Annual General Meeting, audited accounts for the year 2024, other relevant documents will be made available on that day. These can also be viewed at our website www.jccoba.com.

Fellowship Dinner Tickets are nominally priced at Rs.1500/= and are limited, therefore please purchase before 19th April, 2025.

Tickets can be purchased by depositing the total purchase to "Jaffna Central College Colombo OBA", A/c No. 1106002211, Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC, Colombo 4, and sending the deposit note by whatsapp to 0773540587.

Tickets will not be available at the entrance.

The President and the Executive Committee invite all members and old boys and look forward to receiving you at the Annual General Meeting.

Thank you,
Yours truly,

V. J. Forman
Secretary

Agenda

1. 5.15 p.m. Call the meeting to order
2. One Minute's Silence in Memory of the Departed
3. Welcome Address by President, Mr. A. T. David
4. Reading of the Minutes of AGM 2024 held on 6th April 2024 by Secretary, Mr. V. J. Forman, and adoption by the House
5. Secretary's Annual Report and adoption
6. Adoption of Annual Audited Accounts for the year 2024
7. Presentation of unique projects by chairman of subcommittee
8. Election of a pro-term Chairman and new Office Bearers/Ex-Co for 2025/26
9. Appointment of External Auditors
10. Address by Patron Mrs C. S. R. Selvagunalan, Principal, JCC
11. Address by Chief Guest Prof. Dr. M. Thirukumar
12. Address by the Newly Elected President
13. Adoption of the Proposed COBA Constitutional Amendments
14. Any Other Business
15. Vote of Thanks by the Outgoing Secretary
16. College Song
17. Fellowship and Dinner
18. Curtain comes down at 9.30 p.m.

COLLEGE SONG

Wet the ground and wind opposing,
Just ten minutes yet to play;
Play up Central, no reposing
On the gains of yesterday.
Now's the time for combined action;
Pass the ball from man to man;
Never selfish play nor faction,
Proved worthwhile since sport began.

Chorus:

*Central! Rally for the school then,
Take the field with one accord;
Keep your courage cool and clean then
Central's flag must ne'er be lowered.*

On the field of life when striving,
Keep your honour true and bright.
Play up, Central! Ever thriving
On the fruits of grace and light;
For your comrades of the old days,
Scattered far though they may be;
For your school, and for her true praise,
Live in service glad and free!

Chorus:

COLLEGE HYMN

Lord of our life, on this glad day,
Praise we Thy name, and humbly pray
That grace divine and godly fear,
May crown, the labours of the year.

The best and highest glory, Lord
Help us to seek; Thy strength afford
With noble toil and joyous praise
Gladly to fill our round of days.

Let Central's sons afar who dwell,
In distant homes, the chorus swell;
Bless Thou their toil, and bind as one
Those present here, those long since gone.

Teach us to serve the land we love,
Steadfast for truth, all things to prove;
Bid us in dark or light to stand
In honour firm, a chosen band.

Teachers and taught may wisdom guide,
Through all the years with us abide;
Let this our College ever be
Home of one pure fraternity.

Message from the Patron

Mrs C. S. R. Selvaganalan



It brings me immense pride and joy to send this message to the Annual General Meeting Magazine of the Jaffna Central College Old Boys' Association – Colombo Branch.

As the present custodian of this great institution, I am ever grateful for the unwavering commitment and heartfelt contributions made by the Colombo OBA in nurturing and sustaining the legacy of Jaffna Central College.

Founded in 1816 by Rev. James Lynch, and later transformed under the visionary guidance of Rev. Dr. Peter Percival, Jaffna Central College has stood as a beacon of knowledge, discipline, and progress. It was Rev. Percival who, with deep foresight and dedication, laid the groundwork to elevate the "English School" into what eventually became Jaffna Central College in 1869 — an institution that has since produced generations of distinguished alumni across the world.

Our Old Boys' Association, first formed under the stewardship of Rev. W.M.P. Wilkes in 1906 and later expanded to Colombo in 1913, has grown into a dynamic and generous body. Over the past 111 years, the Colombo OBA has remained a steadfast pillar of support, upholding the school's values and helping it navigate through changing times.

The Colombo OBA, in particular, has been instrumental in contributing towards scholarships for university and A/L students since the year 2001, providing career guidance and counselling, managing vital resources, and establishing a skill lab to empower students for the future. Your nutritional programmes, support for cricket coaching, and generous involvement in Teachers' Day celebrations have all made a significant impact on the morale and achievements of our students — both academically and in sports.

On behalf of the entire school community, I extend my heartfelt gratitude for your continuing efforts and deep sense of duty towards our alma mater. It is your dedication and unity that help JCC to flourish and maintain its proud legacy.

May the spirit of Rev. James Lynch, Rev. Dr. Peter Percival, and Rev. W.M.P. Wilkes continue to inspire us all in our shared mission to uphold the light of knowledge and service.

With blessings and best wishes,

Mrs. C. S. R. Selvaganalan

B.A., Dip-in-Ed., M.Ed., PGDEM, SLPS - I
Principal
Jaffna Central College

Message from the Chief Guest

Professor Markandu Thirukumar



It is with great honour and deep affection that I extend my warm greetings to the Jaffna Central College Old Boys' Association – Colombo Branch, on the occasion of your Annual General Meeting.

As an old boy of JCC, my heart swells with pride whenever I reflect on the values and vision instilled in me during my formative years within its historic halls. Jaffna Central College did not merely shape my academic foundation; it nurtured my character, strengthened my discipline, and sowed the seeds of lifelong learning and service.

This Association, now over a century old, stands as a testament to the enduring spirit of Centralites. Your unwavering commitment to supporting the school and empowering its students through scholarships, mentorship, skill-building programmes, and health and nutrition initiatives is truly commendable. You have carried forward the torch handed down by our founders and educators with great care and vision.

As we gather in unity to celebrate our shared legacy, let us also reaffirm our responsibility to uplift the next generation — not just in academics or careers, but in values, compassion, and civic consciousness. In an ever-changing world, our strength lies in collective action and purposeful service.

I am glad to learn the launch of skill lab at the school by Colombo old boy's association. Undoubtedly, we can improve academic achievement in our schools, and a Skill Lab can become a powerful tool in that journey— even in low-resource settings like ours.

To truly improve academic outcomes, we must move beyond just textbooks and start building core academic skills. The students must combine academic learning with cognitive, emotional, social, and life skills. Therefore, the Skill-Based Learning is the real game-changer. In a school context, a Skill Lab can be a simple, low-cost but high-impact learning space—a place where students develop the core abilities that truly drive academic success. A single room, a motivated teacher, and a clear vision can be enough: No expensive equipment or buildings are needed.

Let's talk about the kind of skills we can nurture through the skill lab in our school. The Cognitive Skills, Emotional Skills, Social Skills, Life Skills and more importantly Academic skills such as Self-Directed learning, Active Learning and Effective Study Habits.

Dear friends—success is not about talent alone. It's about habits. And habits are formed through repeated effort and the right guidance. While sports and extra activities are valuable, we must

re-balance our priorities and protect academic time. Every hour spent wisely can move a child closer to success.

Dear Principal and teachers—your role is central. I urge you to embed this Skill Lab model into your school's routine, not just pass, but thrive. Let's create thinkers, problem-solvers and responsible learners.

Let's help our students to take charge of their learning. Set goals. Use their time wisely. Build strong study habits. And always believe that their best is yet to come.

Let us proudly uphold the Central College spirit, where the banner is never lowered and our service is always for the greater good.

In Gloriam Dei Optimi Maximi

(Unto the Glory of God, the Best and the Highest)

Warm regards,

Professor Markandu Thirukumar

Professor in Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Faculty of Health Care Sciences,

Eastern University, Sri Lanka

Honorary Consultant, Teaching Hospital – Batticaloa

About our Chief Guest . . .

Professor Markandu Thirukumar

Professor Markandu Thirukumar, a proud alumnus of Jaffna Central College, is a distinguished academic and clinician in the field of Obstetrics and Gynaecology. Born and raised in Urumpirai, he received his primary education at Urumpirai Chanthirothaya Vidyasalai and completed his secondary education at Jaffna Central College, where he excelled in academics and demonstrated strong leadership abilities.

He entered the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Jaffna and graduated with an MBBS degree with honors. Driven by a deep passion for women's health and medical education, he specialized in Obstetrics and Gynaecology. He went on to obtain his MD from the Postgraduate Institute of Medicine, University of Colombo, and later completed advanced clinical training at the National Women's Hospital in Auckland, New Zealand.

Currently, Professor Thirukumar serves as a Professor of Obstetrics and Gynaecology at the Faculty of Health-Care Sciences, Eastern University, and as an Honorary Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist at the Teaching Hospital in Batticaloa, Sri Lanka. Renowned for his excellence in teaching, he plays a vital role in educating both undergraduate and postgraduate medical students, contributing significantly to curriculum development, clinical training, and examiner responsibilities at multiple institutions. He is also a key contributor to research in maternal health, with several publications and conference presentations to his name.

A passionate advocate for maternal safety, Professor Thirukumar has led numerous national and regional training programs in emergency obstetric care. He has pioneered simulation-based training for healthcare providers, particularly in resource-limited settings. His recent initiatives include workshops on communication skills for medical professionals and training programs for midwives aimed at enhancing maternal care in the region.

He is actively involved in public health outreach, quality improvement initiatives, and clinical audits to improve maternal health outcomes. As a dedicated mentor, he supports and guides many young professionals in their careers.

Professor Thirukumar is a strong proponent of community service and educational empowerment. His work extends beyond the hospital and academic institutions, aiming to bridge disparities in healthcare access and education throughout Sri Lanka. He collaborates closely with NGOs, professional bodies, and academic institutions to create lasting, meaningful impact.

His unwavering dedication, leadership, and humble service to medicine and education have earned him widespread respect both locally and internationally.

Message from the President

Thushy David (A.T.David)



As the President of Jaffna Central College Colombo Old Boys' Association (JCC – COBA), I am honored and privileged to pen this message to the booklet of JCC-COBA Annual General Meeting April 26th 2025.

It is an honor to be associated with an association established in 1913 with long heritage and history and it's a privilege to carry the baton passed by our predecessors who have taken this association to where it is today.

Colombo OBA had been providing Thought Leadership for the college development. I'm pleased to pen down Key initiatives, Pioneering projects and Long-term projects undertaken by COBA.

Key initiatives

1. **Membership drive & Succession planning** – It is imperative for the Exco to have members with specific skill sets to support the long-term projects undertaken by the Exco. A mix of young talent and men with experience and wisdom in our Exco would ensure, we have an effective succession plan to take up leadership positions and carry on the baton passed on by our predecessors. Exco members need to allocate two hours monthly on third Saturday to attend Exco meetings and commit approximately two to three hours per month to do their assignments in the sub committees. If work is shared among all members, there will be less burden on a few who had to shoulder the work. Allocation of work evenly will encourage more old boys to join the Exco. We have been successful in scouting a few old boys with specific skill sets to support our skill lab project as well as undergraduates who are recipients of our scholarship program to our Exco.
2. **Zoom license to facilitate Hybrid meetings** - We have hybrid (In person & Virtual) Exco – meetings which helps Exco to source membership in any part of the Globe where members of COBA who are passionate to support the specific projects can join the Exco to contribute and join the meetings via Zoom. We have currently participants from Jaffna and Quarter and expect a member from Canada to join as well. Zoom meetings also help Exco members residing in Colombo to join virtually in case of tight family commitments ensuring broader participation of Exco members.
3. **Constitutional Amendments** – We are proposing constitutional amendments to be adopted in 2025 AGM, for Exco to function efficiently in modern times. For more details refer Constitutional Sub Committee report.

Pioneering Projects

1. **Scholarship for bright and needy AL and University students.** Colombo OBA was the first to offer scholarships to the students. Program commenced in 2001 by establishing a Scholarship Trust which had been financially supported by Canada OBA, Sydney OBA and London OBA as well as many old boys from across the globe. These donations bears testimony of Colombo OBA's professionalism in handling finances in a trustworthy and transparent manner. Funding is placed in

a fixed deposit and interest earned is disbursed to the bright and needy AL and undergraduate students. Since the establishment of the Scholarship Trust, 587 AL students and Undergraduates have benefitted from the program. For more details refer Scholarship Report.

2. **Nutritional Program for Sportsmen** - Colombo OBA pioneered and commenced the nutritional program in 2015 providing nutritional supplement for cricketers on the day of the practice and later expanded to the soccer players.

Long Term Projects

1. **Wholistic Resource Management Project (WRMP)**– This is an initiative commenced by Colombo OBA in November 2022 and have progressed well over three transitions in College Administration. WRMP proposal was accepted by the then Principal Dr.Elilvendhan, implemented during the time of Principal Mr.S.Indrakumar and is now endorsed to be a vital tool for the much needed donations and to be continued by the Principal Mrs.Selvagunalan supported by the school Management & Development Committee. All the OBA's have expressed their gratitude to Colombo OBA for having initiated this project and commended the principal for allowing J A Partners to conduct independent audit which is helping them to solicit donations for the development of the college. At the request of the Colombo OBA, college is now in the process of obtaining Ministry of Education approval to install a donor management software to improve efficiency, transparency and accountability for the donations received and to provide timely and accurate reports to the donors. For more details, please refer Wholistic Resource Management Project report.
2. **Skills Lab** – Colombo OBA has successfully established a Skills Lab at college. Skills Lab creates a well-structured career path for all students of JCC with the aid of advanced diagnostic tools to identify the students talent at an early stage (grade 9) and structure a career path with the support of the college administration, student's parents, Ministry of Education – to set up the first ever Skills Lab in Sri Lanka for this purpose, Department of Education, Career Guidance unit – facilitation, Industrial Development Board – to set up Student Entrepreneurship Circle, Vocational Development Authority – to award Internationally recognized certification in chosen fields as per career diagnostic results of the student and Center for Children's Happiness – Technical guidance and coordination will enable all students to find suitable paid internships while attending the program, and placed in well-paid jobs when completing the program and possibly finding skilled migrating opportunities overseas. For more details, please refer Education Committee report.

All activities of COBA are captured in detail in the relevant subcommittee reports by the Chairmen of the sub committees in this booklet. I would like to thank all office bearers and committee members of Exco, College Principal and staff, donors and well-wishers for the support extended to execute the activities of Colombo OBA successfully

I would like to conclude this message by congratulating Principal Mrs.Selvagunalan on her appointment as the first lady principal of our college. Colombo OBA will support the principal's vision for development of our beloved Almer Mater.

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Honey. Secretary's Report - 2023/24

Mr. V. J. Forman



Since the last AGM on April 6, 2024, COBA has been actively engaged, beginning with the first Executive Committee (Exco) meeting on April 28, 2024. Monthly meetings were consistently held at the Methodist Memorial Church, Wellawatte, with the exception of December 2023 and January 2024 due to unavoidable reasons.

Key Administrative Decisions:

- The Exco WhatsApp group was designated strictly for official communication to enable timely decisions via message circulation.
- Exco members were required to respond to approvals within 3 days.
- Meetings to be held in a hybrid format to encourage broader participation.

To streamline operations following Committee & Subcommittees were established:

1. Scholarship Trustees:

President – Mr. Thushy David | Secretary – Mr. V. J. Forman | Treasurer – Mr. T. Vaseeharan
| Members – Mr. S. Poongunran, Mr. J. Pirathaban

2. Scholarship Committee:

Chair – Mr. T. Vaseeharan | Secretary – Mr. S. Poongunran | Members – Mr. D. Thambiapillai, Mr. T. Renushankar

3. Education Committee:

Chair – Mr. T. T. Mayuran | Members – Mr. A.T. David, Mr. T. Renushankar, Mr. A. Justin Densing

4. Sports Committee:

Chair – Mr. M.G.M. Jameel | Members – Mr. R. Bhaskaran, Mr. A. Justin Densing, Mr. J. Pirathaban, Mr. M. S. Aboobucker

5. Wholistic Resource Management:

Chair – Mr. Thushy David | Members – Mr. S. Poongunran, Mr. M.G.M. Jameel, Mr. A. M. Naushad, Mr. A. Justin Densing

6. Membership Committee:

Chair – Dr. A. Sivasothy | Members – Mr. B. Ravindran, Mr. R. Punniyamoorthy, Mr. R. A. Evarts

7. Events Committee:

Chair – Mr. A.M. Naushad | Members – Mr. M. Sathananthan, Mr. J. Pirathaban, Mr. R. Punniyamoorthy, Mr. B. Nanthakumar

8. Website Committee:

Chair – Mr. S. Poongunran | Members – Mr. T. T. Mayuran, Mr. D. Thambiapillai

9. Fund Raising Committee:

Chair – Mr. G. J. David | Members – Mr. T. Vaseeharan, Mr. A. T. David, Mr. B. Ravindran

10. Constitutional Amendments Committee:

Chair – Mr. A. T. David | Members – Mr. G. J. David, Mr. S. Poongunran, Mr. A. M. Naushad, Mr. S. S. Sivakumar

Summary:

The 2024/25 year was marked by consistent progress, active engagement, and successful events. Thanks to the dedicated efforts of the Exco, COBA achieved financial growth, increased membership, and enhanced support to the college.

All activities are further detailed in the AGM 2025 booklet.

Appreciation:

Sincere thanks to all Exco members for their support and commitment throughout the year.

Wholistic Resource Management Project (WRMP)

Message from the Chairman - Thusy David (A.T.David)



As the Chairman and founder of the (WRMP), I am very pleased to pen this message to the booklet of JCC-COBA Annual General Meeting April 26th 2025. I would like to first acknowledge and thank the immediate Past President Mr. Victor Forman, COBA Exco 22/23 & 23/24, Former College Principals Dr.Elilvendan, Principal Mr.S.Indrakumar, and Present principal Mrs.Selvagunalan, College Staff, School Development Society, J.A Partners and Global OBA's for their support for this project to have succeeded thus far.

Birth of Wholistic Resource Management Project (WRMP) – A proposal titled Wholistic Resource Management Approach for Jaffna Central College was presented by self at the Exco meeting held on November 19th, 2022 outlining a systematic approach of capturing comprehensive resource requirements of the college and sharing with all the OBAs of JCC spread across globally to fund college requirements in a sustainable, accountable and transparent manner by utilizing technology and smart sourcing combination for a pragmatic solution. When I presented the proposal to the Exco, I myself doubted the chances of this dream project being a reality, so was the Exco. However, Exco approved to proceed with the initiative and gave me a free hand.

Then COBA President Mr.Victor Forman didn't waste time and got an appointment for a meeting with the college then principal Dr.Elilvanthan on November 29th, 2022. Self and Mr.Victor Forman visited Jaffna with an offer letter titled Wholistic Resource Management offer to Jaffna Central College by Colombo OBA, highlighting the objective, benefits and the requirements we need from the college administration to commence the project and requesting the principal to countersign the offer and return a copy of our proposal if the offer is acceptable. Principal called the POG and shared the proposal and we discussed the practicality of implementation of the project. Principal was satisfied and countersigned the offer signifying acceptance of our proposal.

Wholistic Resource Management Project - Purpose of this project is to have a credible process to capture comprehensive requirements of the college from the college administration, sharing the requirements with all the OBA's, obtaining funding required from the OBA's directly into the School Development Society Account, provide acknowledgement to the donor immediately and have a process to update the donor of the status of utilization of funds by providing an expense report, project progress report, providing a by annual inventory inspection report for the equipment supplied. All the work relating to the process to be inspected by an independent audit firm based in Jaffna named J A Partners under a service agreement, for a fee to be borne by COBA. This project is successfully implemented since March 2023.

Wholistic Resource Management Process - utilizing technology (Google sheets) and ***smart sourcing***.

Technology - Google Applications contain many tools, one of them being Google sheet which can be shared with multiple OBA's. When google sheet is updated by one OBA it can be viewed by all other OBA's in real time. Therefore, Google sheet facilitate all the OBAs to view the college requirements in real time as well as transparency which OBA has committed for a project and what are the projects available for sponsorship. If the value of a project is too high for one OBA

to handle, multiple OBA's can take part.

Smart Sourcing – Diverse skill set is required to handle Wholistic Resource Management Process. College administrative structure has limited capacity and OBAs will have annual election of office bearers so that sustainability of an OBA handling the work load is not a reality. Out sourcing the work to a credible independent professional firm under a service agreement with clear roles and responsibility ensures sustainability of work being carried out as desired. J A Partners, an audit firm based in Jaffna had been tasked with handling preparation of the expense report, project progress report and inventory inspection report to be shared with the donors.

Alignment of Global OBA's – When launching the WRMP, concept of WRMP had to be socialized with all the OBA's to ensure they understood the concept and are willing to wholeheartedly support the initiative. COBA had to have individual meetings with each of the OBA president & secretary and take them through the concept and obtained each OBA's consent to be part of WRMP. As the next step, we had to form a forum named Global OBA Presidents and Secretaries headed by the principal of the college, to unitedly to address the needs of the college as per WRMP. This is a historic milestone and a feather in the cap of all the OBA's being able to come together to achieve a common goal coordinated by Colombo OBA. Since forming of the Global OBA Presidents and Secretaries Forum, we have had 6 meetings headed by the principal. Colombo OBA being the coordinator, sets the agenda for the meeting in consultation with the principal, drives the meeting, take minutes and follow up on the action items agreed to ensure execution of the WRMP. Meeting minutes are adopted at the next meeting for accuracy and then shared with the respective OBA's. At the request of the Principal, Edu Care and the Bus society were included to this forum due to their significant financial contribution for education and support service for sports respectively.

Global Stakeholder Forum – After the Principal Mrs.Selvagunalan took office in March 25, she included the school management in the Global Forum to create transparency within the school management and the donor community and added Jaffna OBA and the Centralities Sports Club to create a comprehensive college community and donor forum. Name of the forum was appropriately changed to Global Stakeholder Forum. To create sustainability for the coordination of the Global forum it was suggested at the Colombo OBA Exco meeting that the current coordinator and President of the Colombo OBA will remain as the coordinator of the Global Stakeholder forum and a Deputy coordinator to be chosen from another OBA on the same basis whether they hold office in their respective OBA or not they will remain the Deputy coordinator. Proposal was tabled at the Global Forum meeting held on Feb 25. Proposal was accepted and London OBA President was unanimously elected as the Deputy coordinator. We expect the first meeting of the Global Stakeholder Forum to take place in the month of May 25.

Global OBA Code of Conduct, Ethics & Governance Structure – We had to form a value system, ethical practices and a governance structure to promote unity and uniformity in the way all the OBA's function. First version of this document was adopted unanimously by COBA Exo at the first Exco meeting of the current office bearers held on March 25th 2023 and shared with all the OBA's for adoption. Amended second version of the document was approved and adopted unanimously by the COBA Exco on March 16th, 2024 and adopted as a resolution at the AGM held on April 6th, 2024

Current status of WRMP – Comprehensive college requirements were captured in Google Sheets with categorization of urgent needs and requirements that are to be met after urgent needs are met. OBA's have already taken up projects that are within their financial means. College principal

had been active in soliciting support from various batches, old boys and well-wishes in meeting some of the needs that were not met by the OBA's. An inventory inspection was carried out by J A Partners in October 24.

Quarterly reports are prepared by J A Partners for the donations received donor wise and purpose wise and funds utilization report purpose wise with donor balances left any. Quarterly reports are shared with the OBA's 2 weeks before the Global Forum meetings to give sufficient lead time for the OBA's to review their own contributions and revert if there are any omissions to highlight. This process had been in place since March 2023 and reports had been accurate thus far.

Future Plans – Installation of Donor Management Software

On October 1st, 2024, President of the Colombo OBA had a progress review meeting with the College Treasurer, Teacher in charge for accepting equipment to the college and the principal. A request was made from the college administration on the possibility of automation of donor management to improve efficiency, accuracy and to save precious time spent on the process by college administration.

A vendor based in Jaffna who has experience in developing donor management system has been chosen by Colombo OBA for the development, training and help capture data from March 2023 in the system and ensure support during the initial period. Software will be developed at a cost of Rs.500,000.00 with a fixed cost of Rs.36,000.00 p.a. for web and a maintenance fee of Rs.50,000.00 p.a. David's family (3 sons and 2 daughters of late Mr.A.M.David) have come forward to fund the software development cost through the Colombo OBA in memory of their late father Mr.A.M.David, an English teacher and POG at JCC during 1972 to 1984. Colombo OBA will pick the fixed cost of Rs.36,000.00. Proposal was made to the Global forum to share the maintenance cost of Rs.50,000.00 p.a. and the fee of J A Partners Rs.120,000.00 p.a. as a mark of solidarity and ownership of the project. Some OBA's have responded positively while with the others, its being put forward to their respective Exco's for Approval.

Since this is a high cost project Colombo OBA approved the donor management project on the condition that College Management, School Development Society and the Ministry of Education approves the installation of software and commitment from the college to utilize the software to ensure the implementation of this project is successful and sustained through the transitions in college administration. College is in the process of obtaining these approvals.

Donor Management System overview

It's a web-based system which could be accessed by anyone from any part of the globe. System will show all the funding requirements of the college. If a donor is interested in a particular project, he can choose the project he wishes to contribute. When choosing a project, system will require the donor to do a self-registration by providing the donors name, address, mobile no and e mail address. Once the self-registration is done, system will allow limited access to the project by indicating the amount of donations already contributed towards the project. Donor can contribute an amount he wishes by making a payment directly to the School Development Society account. College administration will receive an alert of the donation from the system. College administration will validate the receipt of funds by checking the bank account on line and will acknowledge receipt once the funds are received. Once college acknowledge receipt of funds, donor will have live access to that project indicating the amount of donations received

and the amount of funds disbursed at that point in time. Every 15th of the month J A Partners will inspect and verify the expenses to ensure independent verification and accuracy of the data in the system in relation to the expenses. Once the project is completed, after J A Partners verification, all the donors of that project will receive a detailed expense report and a project progress report by e mail.

Benefits of the system

1. Transparency
 - a. Potential donors can view the total amount required for the project and the donations already received and how much more is required.
 - b. Donors are able to view the disbursements made under the project and project progress live in the system
 - c. On completion of the project all the donors will receive an e mail with an expense report and project progress report after inspection and approval of Audit Firm J A Partners
 - d. All donations of goods Smart Boards, photo copiers etc are verified by an annual inventory inspection by J A Partners and a report submitted to the donors with the status of warranty and service agreement expiry
2. Accountability – Audit by an independent professional audit firm J A Partners based in Jaffna
3. Access worldwide – Software is web based and could be accessed by Old boys of JCC, Various batches of JCC, All the OBA's worldwide and well-wishers who wish to support the college development
4. Improved donations – Given the worldwide accessibility, transparency and accountability donors will feel comfortable to donate for college development

In conclusion, I hope installation of the software, utilization of it by college administration together with unanimous alignment of Global Stakeholder Forum members supporting the vision of the principal to develop the college can accelerate development of the college.

Thusy David

Chairman

Wholistic Resource Management Project

Skills Lab | Jaffna Central College

Develop Employability Skills and Enhance Career Potential among students at Jaffna Central

Annual Progress Report 2024-2025

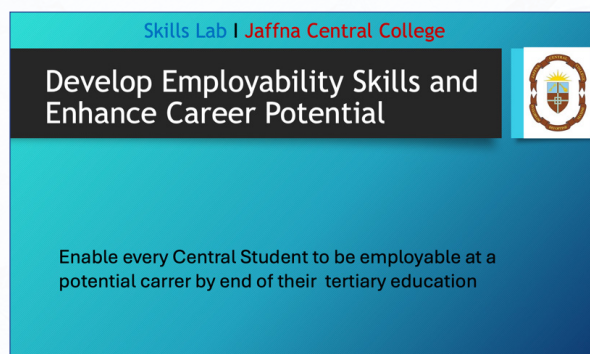
Education Committee : Colombo Old Boys Association of Jaffna Central College

Project: Skills Lab for Employability and Entrepreneurship Development

1. Introduction

The Education Committee of the Colombo Old Boys Association of Jaffna Central College has initiated a visionary project to establish a Skills Lab at Jaffna Central College, with the overarching goal of enhancing employability and career readiness among its students. Endorsed at the 2024 COBA Annual General Meeting with the proposal of Mr Amithanayakam, the Skills Lab aims to provide students—especially those aged 14 to 16, and school leavers—with career guidance, vocational training, exposure to industry pathways, and mentorship.

By 2030, COBA aspires for every Jaffna Central College graduate to secure meaningful employment or be well-positioned in entrepreneurial ventures, regardless of their socio-economic background or academic track. This annual progress report outlines key activities, milestones achieved, partnerships formed, and outcomes recorded as part of the initial phase of this strategic initiative. The skill lab initiative was introduced to whole school on 1.10.2024.



2. Key Developments of Skills Lab with School Management

- An orientation meeting was successfully held with the Principal and School Management Team, where the objectives, structure, and long-term impact of the Skills Lab were introduced.
- The school administration responded positively and extended its full support. The Vice Principal was appointed as the official focal point, supported by the Sectional Head and two designated teachers.
- A mutually agreed Venue was allocated within the school, and a formal Offer Letter was signed, symbolizing a strong institutional commitment toward the Skills Lab's development and operation.



3. Career Education Program and Student Engagement Activities

- Career Orientation and Assessment Program was conducted for 135 students, helping them explore their strengths, interests, and career paths through professional tools and guided reflection.
- Career voting was introduced to the grade 9 students to aware their career choices
- Monthly career guidance and skill development activities were conducted at the school for the grade 9 students. This has developed the insight of the students to focus on their career choices.



4. Career Development Camp

Outdoor Career Development Camp was held at Karisal Resort, engaging 59 students in interactive learning, career goal setting and team-building exercises facilitated by experienced career development professionals. The event created extreme interest in career and skill development among the students of grade 9.



5. Fundraising and Financial Progress

- A dedicated fundraising event was held in Colombo, with active participation from COBA members and supporters.
- The President of COBA successfully led efforts to secure the initial phase of funding required for infrastructure setup, resource development, and program delivery.
- A long-term fundraising campaign has been launched, targeting recurring and future financial needs with an emphasis on sustainability and donor engagement.

6. Development of Strategic Partnerships and External Stakeholder Network

A strong network of external stakeholders has been established to provide expertise, support, and delivery of future training programs. This includes:

- Department of Education, Career Guidance Unit.
- Vocational Training Authority of Sri Lanka
- Industrial Development Board – North
- University of Jaffna – Career Guidance Unit
- Skills Unit – Center for Children's Happiness
- District Secretariat – Human Resource Development Officers
- Sri Lanka German Technical Training Institute

These collaborations will help ensure that students have access to relevant qualifications, hands-on experiences, and eventual employment or apprenticeship opportunities.



7. Development of Content, Tools, and Curriculum

- A Technical Curriculum Development Team has been formed, comprising experts in career guidance, vocational training, and educational content creation.
- The team has designed a foundational curriculum covering:
 - Employability Skills (communication, digital literacy, teamwork, critical thinking)
 - Career Readiness (interview prep, resume writing, goal setting)
 - Vocational Pathways (sector-specific exposure in IT, mechanical, design, services, etc.)
- Tools for career assessment and program evaluation have also been developed to track individual student progress and overall program impact.

8. Course Planning and Infrastructure

- The infrastructure planning for the Skills Lab has been initiated with provisions for:
 - A career resource corner
 - Interactive learning spaces

Report from the Events Management Committee - 2024/25

Mr. A. M. Naushad - Chairman



As Chairman of the Events Management Committee of the Jaffna Central College Colombo Old Boys' Association (JCC – COBA), it is my privilege and honour to present this report for inclusion in the JCC-COBA Annual General Meeting Magazine 2025.

It is truly a great honour to be part of an Association with over 110 years of rich heritage and tradition. I take pride in serving an association that is both well-established and exceptionally well-organized.

The new Executive Committee was elected at the Annual General Meeting held on April 6, 2024, and sub-committees were appointed during the first Ex-Co meeting following the AGM. I am pleased to share the key events we successfully organized during our tenure:

1. Felicitation and Dinner with the Past COBA Executive Committee –

To honour and reconnect with our past leaders—including former presidents, secretaries, treasurers, and executive members—we organized a Felicitation Dinner at the Bambalapitiya Flats Community Centre Hall. The event was well-attended and offered a valuable opportunity to share past experiences, laugh over cherished memories, and reflect on how far our Association has come. A notable guest was Mr. Nithy Kanagaratnam, a distinguished JCC old boy, songwriter, and singer, along with many other esteemed alumni.

2. Founder's Day Service –

Jaffna Central College, founded on 1st August 1816 by Rev. James Lynch, is honoured annually through our Founder's Day Thanksgiving Service, held on the 1st of August at the Methodist Memorial Church, Moor Road, Colombo 06. This solemn occasion is attended by many old boys and their families, serving as a moment to remember our roots, express our gratitude, and rekindle long-standing friendships. As customary, refreshments were served to all attendees.

3. Fundraising Movie Screening – “Soppana Sundari” –

As a fundraising initiative, we organized the screening of the locally produced action-comedy Soppana Sundari at Savoy 2 (formerly Roxy Cinema), Colombo 6, on 8th October 2024. The proceeds from this event are earmarked for the establishment of a Soft Skills Lab at JCC. I am proud to report that with the full support of our Executive Committee, we successfully raised approximately Rs. 700,000 after expenses.

4. Annual Joint Carol Service with Vembadi Girls' High School PPA – Colombo –

For the past 13 years, the Joint Carol Service has been held annually on the second Sunday of December. This year's service took place on 8th December 2024 at the Methodist Memorial Church, Moor Road, Colombo 06. Members from both associations began practices in October

- Digital learning tools
- A flexible training room with equipment
- Plans have been developed for short-term and long-term certification courses, including NVQ (National Vocational Qualification) programs.
- Initial dialogue has begun with external service providers and vocational institutions to deliver modules starting from mid-2025.

9. Conclusion and Way Forward

The Education Committee of COBA is proud of the progress made within the first year of the Skills Lab initiative. From establishing foundational partnerships and securing funding to engaging students and creating technical content, the project has made significant strides toward fulfilling its mission.

In 2025, the focus will be on:

- Finalizing infrastructure and operationalizing the Skills Lab space under the current school management.
- Launching pilot training programs and certification courses.
- Strengthening mentorship and student-employer networking mechanisms.
- Building a digital platform (Learning Management System) for career support and resources.
- Introduce career development plan, open to any student above grade 9 at Jaffna Central College.
- Development of JCC Skills Lab management team with potential career professionals who are old Boys of JCC - for ensuring the sustainability of its function and financial support.

The Education Committee extends its gratitude to the school leadership, stakeholders, donors, volunteers, and professionals who have supported this transformative journey. We remain committed to ensuring that every Central student has the opportunity to discover their potential, develop their talents, and step confidently into their future.

Submitted by:

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Chairman

Education Committee

Colombo Old Boys Association (COBA)

Jaffna Central College

Date: 18th April 2025

under the guidance of Mr. Vipulananthamoorthy. I extend my heartfelt appreciation to everyone who dedicated their time and effort. The event was graced by members, special invitees, and representatives from other Jaffna school-based OBAs and OGAs in Colombo. The service began and concluded punctually, followed by a warm and engaging fellowship filled with games, activities, and a delicious dinner.

5. Farewell Party to outgoing Rev. K. Karunasekera –

Jointly Organized with Vemabdi PPA Colombo, a grand farewell party was held on 14th December 2024 at the Memorial Church Car Park. It was attended by the Executive Committee members of both the associations and a grand lunch was served. Token of appreciations too were handed over to Rev. K. Karunasekera and his beloved wife.

In conclusion, I extend my sincere thanks to all Executive Committee office bearers, committee members, the event management team, the College Principal and staff, donors, and well-wishers. Your unwavering support has been instrumental in the successful execution of our events throughout the year.

With gratitude,

Mr. A. M. Naushad

Chairman – Events Management Committee
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Venue : Savoy Premier (Roxy),
Colombo - 06

Date : 21 Sep 2024

Time : 7.00 p.m.

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STORY & SCREENPLAY: JOEL CHEZZ
CINEMATOGRAPHY: CHAMAL H. WICKRAMASINGHE EDITOR: MATHAVAN MAHESWARAN COLOURIST: DINENDU JAGODA
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செயலாளர் அறிக்கை | யாழ்ப்பாணம் மத்திய கல்லூரி



வருடாந்த முன்னேற்ற அறிக்கை 2024-2025

விளையாட்டுச் செயற்குழு: யாழ்ப்பாணம் மத்திய கல்லூரிப் பழைய
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செயற்றிட்டம்: சத்துணவு நிகழ்ச்சித்திட்டம்

கடந்த 2017 மற்றும் 2018ஆம் ஆண்டுளில் யாழ்ப்பாணம் மத்திய கல்லூரியின் கொழும்பு பழைய மாணவர் சங்கத்தால், துடுப்பாட்ட அணிக்கும், காற்பந்தாட்ட அணிக்குமான சத்துணவுச் செயற்றிட்டம் ஆரம்பிக்கப்பட்டு, இத் திட்டம் அதன் விளையாட்டு நிறைவேற்றுக்குழுவால் செயற்படுத்தப்பட்டு வருகின்றது.

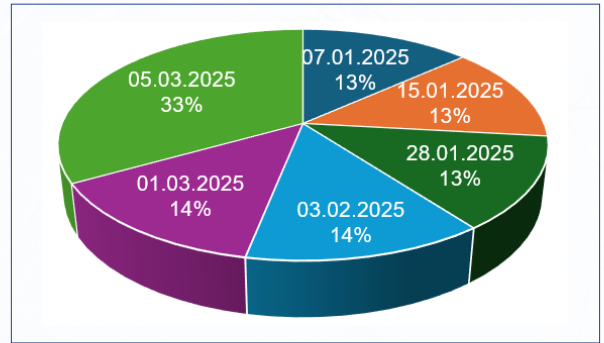
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ஒரு விளையாட்டு வீரனின் ஆளுமை என்பது விவேகத்துடனும், வேகத்துடனும் கூடிய ஆட்டத்துடன் தொடர்புறுகிறது. அவ் வீரனின் செயலாற்றுகை ஒழுக்கத்துடனும், கல்வியிற் சிறந்தும், தாய்தந்தையருக்குக் கட்டுப்பாட்டும், சமூகத்தில் நற்பிரஜையாகவும் செயற்படுவானாயின் அவன் தனது கல்லூரிக்குப் பெருமை சேர்ப்பது மட்டுமன்றி, எதிர்காலத்தில் சிறந்த ஒருவனாக உலகெங்கும் வலம்வருவான் என்பது உறுதி.

மத்தியின் வீரர்களைச் சிறந்த வீரர்களாகவும், நற்பிரஜைகளாகவும் உருவாக்கும் நோக்கில் எமது சத்துணவுத் திட்டம் இடம்பெற்று வருவது குறிப்பிடத்தக்கது. இத் திட்டம் சற்று விரிவாக்கப்பட்டு கொழும்பு போன்ற தூர இடங்களுக்கு வருகை தரும் அணியினருக்குத் தேவைப்படும் வசதிகளையும் நாம் வழங்கி வருகின்றோம்.

எம்மால் மாதாந்தம் வழங்கப்பட்ட உதவி தொடர்பான வரைபு அருகில் தரப்பட்டுள்ளது, அதன் பிரகாரம் மாபெரும் துடுப்பாட்டத்தை அண்மித்த மாதங்களில் அவர்களுக்கான உதவிகள் அதிகரிக்கப்பட்டு வீரர்கள் ஊக்கமளிக்கப்பட்டுள்ளனர்.

மேலும், வாராந்த அடிப்படையிலான வழங்கல்களும் கீழே அட்டவணையில் தரப்பட்டுள்ளன.



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Weekly Cost	7,840	Sugar	2.5 Kg	2.5	250.00	625.00
Monthly Cost	31,360	Green-gram	0.5 Kg*3	1.5	750.00	1125.00
Total Cost	62,720	Chick Peas	0.5 Kg*3	1.5	650.00	975.00
		Cowpeas	0.5*3	1.5	750.00	1125.00
Total (Weekly)						7,840.00



இப்பயணத்திற்கு கல்லூரி நிருவாகமும் அதன்பதவியினரும் வழங்கும் அளப்பரிய ஆதரவினையும், இவற்றுக்கு நிதி வழங்குவோருக்கும், செயற்படுத்த உதவும் அனைவருக்கும் இத்தருணத்தில் நன்றியினைத் தெரிவித்துக்கொள்கிறேன். இத் திட்டத்தால் எமது வீரர்கள் தமது உயந்தபட்சத் திறமைகளை வெளிக்காட்டி, எதிர்வரும் வீரர்களுக்கு முன்னுதாரணமாக விளங்கி வெற்றிகள் பலவற்றைப் பெற்றுத்தர வாழ்த்துகள்.

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திகதி: 19 ஏப்ரல் 2025

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Constitutional Amendments Sub Committee

Message from the Chairman - Thusy David (A.T.David)



As the Chairman of the Constitutional Amendments subcommittee, I am pleased to pen this message to the booklet of JCC-COBA Annual General Meeting April 26th 2025.

I would like to first acknowledge and thank all the Exco members, including the Vice Patrons for their time and valuable input for the proposal for amendments as well as the two lawyers and Colombo OBA members Mr.Prabaharan and Mr.Gnasekaram for their support for the legal review of the amendments.

Two of the main reasons for considering the constitutional amendments were

1. We have Colombo OBA members based in Jaffna working on our nutritional program and Skill Lab projects as well as some members living overseas passionate to support the Colombo OBA's projects. Obviously its not practical for them to be physically present at the Exco meetings but they could effectively contribute via Virtual means. Hence, we wanted virtual presence to be counted for quorum for Exco / AGMs.
2. We had bad experience in the past where members are elected to the Executive Committee not knowing their responsibility and commitments where some members did not show up even for one Exco meeting. Colombo OBAs involvement in long term projects requires committed persons with the right skill sets are selected and elected through a democratic process to the Executive Committee. Therefore, the Exco decided to follow the practice of professional associations where nominations are called for the office bearers and committee members by notice to the members well ahead of AGM. Persons wishing to be in the Exco have to fill in nomination forms supported by two members and the nominees undertaking to devote their time to serve the Exco. Members will be elected by the nominations committee based on the criteria set out by the Exco. This process is expected to have the right resources in the Exco where work is shared and efficiently executed.

Apart from the above key changes we had proposals adopting best practices which are included in the amendments and notice was sent as per constitution to all the members on April 5th, 2025.

Thusy David

Chairman

Constitutional Amendments Sub Committee

Scholarship & Trust Committee Report - 2024/25

Mr. T. Vaseeharan - Chairman



We are pleased to submit the report on the Joint Scholarship Scheme of the Jaffna Central College Old Boys' Association – Colombo Branch Trust for the year 2024.

Trustees – 2024/2025

During the year 2024/2025, the following were appointed as Trustees of the Jaffna Central College Old Boys' Association – Colombo Branch Trust:

Mr. Thusy David
Mr. T. Vaseeharan

Mr. V. J. Forman
Mr. S. Poongunran

Mr. J. Pirathapan

Scholarship Committee – 2024/2025

The following members were appointed to the Scholarship Committee for the year 2024/2025:

Mr. T. Vaseeharan – Chairman

Mr. S. Poongunran – Secretary

Mr. T. Renushankar - Member

Since 2001, one of the key initiatives of the Jaffna Central College Old Boys' Association – Colombo Branch has been the successful implementation of the Joint Scholarship Scheme, initiated through the Colombo Branch Trust. This scheme provides financial assistance to deserving, bright students of Jaffna Central College, enabling them to pursue their higher studies in Sri Lanka. Scholarships are awarded to students studying at the Advanced Level and University levels.

Financial assistance is disbursed twice a year, during the months of June/July and November/December. In 2024, each eligible University student received Rs. 18,000/- per year, while Advanced Level students received Rs. 15,000/- per year.

Applications for the scholarship are invited via newspaper advertisements, school notices, and announcements made by the Principal at school assemblies. Selection is carried out by the Scholarship Committee based on the following criteria:

- Academic performance in G.C.E. O/L and A/L examinations
- Family income
- Number of family members
- Physical disabilities (if any)
- Duration of study at Jaffna Central College
- Recommendations from the Principal and the Grama Sevaka
- All selections are made strictly on a merit basis.

Disbursement Summary – 2024

No.	Donor	Fund as at December 31, 2024 in Rs.
1	Colombo OBA Fund	1,402,121
2	Canada OBA Fund	2,106,190
3	UK OBA & GA Fund	1,015,858
4	JCC Sydney OBA Fund	4,320,832
5	Dr.S.K.Maheswaran Fund - USA	2,497,032
6	Dr.Ragunathan Memorial Fund - Australia	565,157
7	Mr. Kumararajaah Fund - Australia	283,270
8	Mr.Lingernathan Fund - Colombo	710,155
9	Mr.V.Ganesh Fund - Colombo	658,165
10	Mr.Noel Arsaratnam Fund - UK	110,925
11	Mr.Balasundram Sivakumar Fund - Colombo	110,925
12	Mr.S.S.Sivakumar Fund - Colombo	696,779
13	Mr.Morgaser Gunaratnam and Mrs.Annaratnam Gunaratnam	753,973
14	Mr.Hudson Selvarajah Melbourne Fund	270,143
Total Fund		15,501,525

- Advanced Level students: Rs. 15,000/- per student per year, totaling Rs. 300,000/-
- University students: Rs. 18,000/- per student per year, totaling Rs. 567,000/-

The Joint Scholarship Scheme continues to be supported by many generous donors. A detailed report of their contributions, as of December 31, 2024, is attached separately.

We take this opportunity to express our sincere gratitude to the Principal, teachers, donors, and members of both the Trust and Scholarship Committee for their dedication and tireless efforts in successfully executing the Joint Scholarship Scheme during the year 2024/2025. This initiative carries forward a proud legacy of over two decades, built by our esteemed predecessors.

Mr. T. Vaseeharan
Chairman – Scholarship Committee

**JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION
COLOMBO BRANCH
AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED
31ST DECEMBER 2024**

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**AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOY'S
ASSOCIATION - COLOMBO BRANCH**

We have examined the Statements of Financial Position of the Jaffna Central College Old Boy's Association – Colombo Branch, for the year ended December 31, 2024 and the related Income and Expenditure Account, Fund Movement Analysis and the Notes to the Accounts, all of which are annexed hereto.

We have examined the Assets & Liabilities and the Income & Expenditure appearing in the books, along with the respective records, vouchers and other documents which in our view were necessary to form an opinion on the adequacy, and efficiency of the accounting systems control, reliability, accuracy of entries and genuineness of the transactions.

In our opinion, so far as it appears from our examination, proper books of account have been maintained by the Association, and to the best of our information and according to explanations given to us, the said Statement of Financial Position and the Income & Expenditure Account which are in agreement therewith, read together with the notes referred to therein, give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Association, for the year ended December 31, 2024.

SR Associates



CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Date: 25th April 2025.

Colombo.

JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION - COLOMBO BRANCH

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2024**

		31.12.2024 LKR	31.12.2023 LKR
	Notes		
Assets			
Office Equipment	1	22,200	29,600
		<u>22,200</u>	<u>29,600</u>
Non Current Assets			
Investment - Fixed Deposits	2	4,709,909	4,709,909
Investment -JCC 1979 Batch Sports Fund	3	1,716,392	1,247,436
Current Assets			
Advance for AGM 2024		-	5,000
Carol Service Advance		37,500	-
Cash & Cash Equivalents	4	2,826,475	2,013,561
		<u>9,312,477</u>	<u>8,005,505</u>
Funds & Liabilities			
Accumulated Fund	5	1,124,090	959,024
OBA Life Membership Fund	6	734,206	725,206
General Fund	7	6,069,493	4,754,512
COBA Multipurpose Fund	8	211,800	331,800
		<u>8,139,588</u>	<u>6,770,542</u>
Current Liabilities			
Payables	9	175,663	73,000
JCC Colombo Branch - Trust	10	997,226	1,161,964
Nutrition Program Control A/C	11	-	-
		<u>1,172,889</u>	<u>1,234,964</u>
		<u>9,312,477</u>	<u>8,005,505</u>

Principal Office Bearers are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these financial statements.

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PRESIDENT

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SECRETARY

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TREASURER

Colombo
25th April 2025.

STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

FOR THE PERIOD ENDED

31.12.2024

31.12.2023

Income	Notes	LKR	LKR
Donations	12	80,000	47,700
Interest on Fixed Deposits	13	115,330	199,744
Interest on Savings Account		64,604	37,969
AGM Income	14	239,500	102,000
Carol service income	15	93,050	169,000
Necktie sales	16	15,000	14,000
Thamil Maalai Program	17	-	108,000
Exco Refresh		-	1,000
Get Together - Contribution	18	-	375,750
Get Together - Ticket sales	18	-	204,000
Movie Screening Income (Skill Lab Fund Raising Event)	19	748,500	-
Other Income - uncollected refund of membership fee		-	1,000
		<u>1,355,984</u>	<u>1,260,163</u>
Less: Expenses			
AGM Expenses	14	100,750	100,435
Zoom License/Website Hosting		51,966	-
Felicitation for Senior Members at EXCO - Dinner		30,000	-
Felicitation for Senior Members at EXCO - Hall Booking Charges		7,500	-
Farewell Expenses to Methodist Church Paster		10,340	-
Domain renewal		5,000	-
Donation to Methodist Church		18,000	18,000
Website hosting/ Development charges		-	25,000
Audit Fees		60,000	55,000
Bank Charges		5,450	6,350
Courier charges		600	-
Wreath for Funeral		7,800	21,100
Carol services 2023 expenses	15	80,663	127,693
Professional fees		30,000	-
Founders day expenses		20,500	-
Biscuits and Drinks for Players for SJC Cricket Tournament		-	4,200
Printing charges - Exam papers & Receipt books		720	24,400
Withholding Tax		-	1,898
Thamil Maalai Program	17	-	136,175
Advertising for Scholarship program		5,730	4,969
Annual Get-together expenses	18	-	347,950
Skill Lab Fund Raising Campaign (Movie Screening) Expenses	19	200,134	-
Depreciation	01	7,400	7,400
		<u>642,553</u>	<u>880,569</u>
Less: Transfer of Income over Expenditure of COBA Get-together	18	-	231,800
Less: Transfer of Income over Expenditure of Skill Lab Fund Raising Campaign (Movie Screening)	19	548,366	-
Excess/(Deficit) of Income over Expenditure for the year		<u>165,065</u>	<u>147,794</u>

JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION - COLOMBO BRANCH
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2024

	Notes	31.12.2024 LKR.	31.12.2023 LKR.
Note :- 01			
Office Equipment			
Toshiba 1TB External Hard Disk		13,500	13,500
Toshiba 2TB External Hard Disk		23,500	23,500
Depreciation for the year		(14,800)	(7,400)
Written Down Value		<u>22,200</u>	<u>29,600</u>
Note :- 02			
Fixed Deposits			
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No.3106024293		50,000	50,000
Late Mr. Chinnaiah Memorial Fund			
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No.3106024293		300,000	300,000
Late Mr. Vadivetkarasan Memorial Fund			
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No.3106024325		500,000	500,000
(Mr.Thiru Dushyanthiran-Australia)			
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No.3106029597		1,109,483	1,109,483
(JCC Sydney OBA - Sports Activities)			
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No. 3002673463		250,000	250,000
(Mr. Segarajasingham - Memorial Award at Annual JCC Prize giving for best Sports & Academic Excellence)			
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - Money Market A/C No.2106025733		70,426	70,426
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No.3106024294 - JCC OBA		680,000	680,000
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No. 3002673425 - JCC OBA		400,000	400,000
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108253865248		250,000	250,000
J. K. Premachandran,Melbourne & Sivathasan Sivakumar,Col 04.			
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251227937 - JCC OBA		300,000	300,000
M/S David family - Sports Fund	2.1	800,000	800,000
		<u>4,709,909</u>	<u>4,709,909</u>
Note :- 02.1			
M/S David family - Sports Fund			
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251263995		300,000	300,000
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108253865283		500,000	500,000
		<u>800,000</u>	<u>800,000</u>
Note :- 03			
JCC 1979 Batch Sports Fund			
National Development Bank PLC - Savings Account No. 115510076364 (Note 4.1)		816,392	847,436
National Development Bank PLC - FD No. 112510362236		400,000	400,000
National Development Bank PLC - FD No. 112510729792		500,000	-
		<u>1,716,392</u>	<u>1,247,436</u>
Note :- 04			
Cash & Cash Equivalents			
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - Savings Account No.8106024295		2,851,875	2,135,559
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - Current Account No.1106002211		(25,400)	(127,998)
Cash in hand		-	6,000
		<u>2,826,475</u>	<u>2,013,561</u>



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Note :- 05

Accumulated Fund

Balance Brought Forward	959,025	811,231
Income over Expenditure	165,065	147,794
Balance Carried Forward	<u>1,124,090</u>	<u>959,025</u>

Note :- 06

OBA Life Membership Fund

Balance Brought Forward	725,206	714,206
Mr. Sujeevan Nagendram	-	1,000
Mr. T. Renushankar	-	1,000
Mr. R. Sivakumar	-	1,000
Mr. T. Suganthan	-	1,000
Mr. T. Athithithan	-	1,000
Mr. Aiyathurai Sivachandran	-	1,000
Mr. R. Logendra	-	1,000
Mr. A. Manivannan	-	1,000
Mr. Saifuddin Dawood Bhai	-	1,000
Mr. A. H. A. Akeel	-	1,000
Mr. Shabbir Hussain Sarafally	-	1,000
Mr. J. Jeyakumar	1,000	-
Mr. A. J. Sabesan	1,000	-
Mr. K. Sajiram	1,000	-
Mr. R. Vipushan	1,000	-
Mr. S. Kajarirooban	1,000	-
Mr. Sebastian Manoharan David	1,000	-
Mr. K. Janarthanan	1,000	-
Mr. Nishanthan Visvalingam	1,000	-
Mr. Jegasothy	1,000	-
Balance Carried Forward	<u>734,206</u>	<u>725,206</u>

Note :- 07

General Fund

Late Mr. Chinnaiah Memorial Funds - to support Education	7.1	72,793	68,865
Late Mr. Vadivelkarasan Memorial Funds to support Education & Sports	7.2	302,930	305,065
Mr. Thiru Dushyanthiran - Australia Fund to support Education & Sports	7.3	503,782	513,533
Sydney OBA - Sports Fund	7.4	1,349,777	1,257,255
Mr. N. Segarajasingham Memorial Award at Annual Prize giving to the best "Scholar and Sportsman" Student	7.5	320,261	307,637
M/S David Family - Sports Fund	7.6	800,282	800,300
JCC OBA - Canada remaining Fund		8,870	8,870
JCC OBA - Canada Fund - Education Support		31,800	31,800
Canada OBA-Sport Support Under 17 Team & Student Scholarship		16,450	16,450
JCC OBA Canada - Mahilagam Project	7.7	20,907	20,907
J. K. Premachandran, Melbourne & Sivathasan Sivakumar, Col 04.	7.8	250,430	253,560
Mr. Varatharajan (Malaysia) - Support for Education		126,000	-
JCC 1979 Batch Sports Fund	7.09a	454,138	454,138
JCC 1979 Batch to meet sports Expenses	7.09b	578,308	706,132
JCC 1981 Batch	7.09c	10,000	10,000
Dr. Ethirweerasingam Memorial Fund	7.10	194,800	-
Support to CA Student by Mr. Vaseekaran	7.11	80,000	-
Skill Lab Fund	7.12	947,966	-
		<u>6,069,493</u>	<u>4,754,512</u>

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Note :- 7.1

Late Mr.Chinnaiah Memorial Funds - to support Education

Balance Brought Forward	68,865	62,277
Add: Interest for the period - 4293	3,928	6,588
Balance Carried Forward	<u>72,793</u>	<u>68,865</u>

Note :- 7.2

Late Mr.Vadivetkarasan Memorial Funds to support Education & Sports

Balance Brought Forward	305,065	305,540
Add: Interest for the period - 4293	23,565	39,525
Less: Nutrition support for Cricket Team	(15,700)	(10,000)
Less: Purchase of Foot Balls & Coaching Fees	-	(30,000)
Less: Under 10 Coaching Fees	(10,000)	-
Balance Carried Forward	<u>302,930</u>	<u>305,065</u>

Note :- 7.3

Mr.Thiru Dushyanthiran - Australia Fund to support Education & Sports

Balance Brought Forward	513,533	517,908
Add: Interest for the period - 4325	45,249	70,625
Less: Nutrition support for Cricket Team	(15,000)	(25,000)
Less: Purchase of Foot Balls	-	(50,000)
Less: Under 10 Coaching Fees	(40,000)	-
Balance Carried Forward	<u>503,782</u>	<u>513,533</u>

Note :- 7.4

Sydney OBA - Sports Fund

Balance Brought Forward	1,257,255	1,186,897
Add: Interest for the period - 9597	92,522	155,358
Less: Support for JCC U-18 Team's participation in Div 1, all-island	-	(85,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>1,349,777</u>	<u>1,257,255</u>

Note :- 7.5

Mr.N Segarajasingham Memorial Award at Annual Prize giving to the best "Scholar and Sportsman" Student

Balance Brought Forward	307,637	277,262
Add: Interest for the period - 3463	22,624	40,375
Less: Payments for Segarajasingham Memorial Award for best scholar & Sportsmen	(10,000)	(10,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>320,261</u>	<u>307,637</u>

Note :- 7.6

M/S David Family - Sports Fund

Balance Brought Forward	300,300	347,739
Add: Interest for the period - 3995	26,243	46,271
Balance Brought Forward	500,000	500,000
Add: Interest for the period - 5283	43,739	77,119
Less: Meals for Cricket First XI in Col. Invitation Soccer T'ment	-	(42,000)
Less: Purchase of Foot Balls & Coaching Fees	-	(50,000)
Less: Nutritions for under 18 Soccer Team	-	(42,830)
Less: Nutritions for under 19 Cricket Team	(25,000)	(36,000)
Less: Support for Karate National Level Competition under 16,18 & 20	(45,000)	-
Balance Carried Forward	<u>800,282</u>	<u>800,300</u>

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Note :- 7.7

JCC OBA Canada - Mahilagam Project

Balance Brought Forward

Add: Received during the year

Balance Carried Forward

20,907	20,907
-	-
<u>20,907</u>	<u>20,907</u>

Note :- 7.8

J.K Premachandran, Melbourne & Sivathasan Sivakumar, Col 04.

Sports Fund

Balance Brought Forward

Add: Interest for the period - 5248

Less: Purchase of Foot Balls & Coaching Fees

Less: Under 10 Coaching Fees

253,560	250,000
21,870	38,560
-	(35,000)
(25,000)	-
<u>250,430</u>	<u>253,560</u>

Note :- 7.09a

JCC 1979 Batch Sports Fund

Mr. Kandasamy Balendran, Norway, JCC 79 Batch

Mr. Nadarajah Sivanesan, Sri Lanka, JCC 79 Batch

Mr. M.Ganesan Anurudran, USA, JCC 79 Batch

Mr. Pathmanathan, UK, JCC 79 Batch

Mr. Dharmarajah Raveendran, Canada, JCC 79 Batch

Mr. Sasitharan Thilirajah Australia

Mr. Anurudran Ganesh

99,600	99,600
10,000	10,000
82,634	82,634
87,024	87,024
75,000	75,000
35,080	35,080
64,800	64,800
<u>454,138</u>	<u>454,138</u>

Note :- 7.09b

JCC 1979 Batch to meet sports Expenses

Balance Brought Forward

Mr. Karen Peter Pushka, UK, JCC 79 Batch - 09.02.2023

Mr. Karen Peter Pushka, UK, JCC 79 Batch - 12.04.2023

Mr. Karen Peter Pushka, UK, JCC 79 Batch - 30.08.2023

Mr. Baleswaran, JCC 79 Batch Re-union - 23.04.2024

Mr. K. Sivakanthan

Interest on Savings Account

Interest on FD - 112510362236 - JCC 1979 Batch

Interest on FD - 112510729792 - JCC 1979 Batch

Interest on Savings Account

Interest on FD - 112510362236 - JCC 1979 Batch

Invitation Soccer T'ment

Less: Under 18 Soccer team Nutrition items

Less: Support for Under 20 Divi 1 Soccer Tournament

Less: Donation of 25 Tables & Chairs

Less: 90 School Bags & Shoes for privileged Students

Less: Support for JCC U-10 & U11 Soccer matches

706,132	-
-	600,000
-	400,000
-	600,000
450,000	-
45,000	-
29,845	-
37,943	-
22,140	-
-	32,609
-	18,159
-	(239,670)
-	(51,365)
-	(388,600)
-	(265,000)
(483,814)	-
(228,939)	-
<u>578,308</u>	<u>706,132</u>

Note :- 7.09c

JCC 1981 Batch

Balance Brought Forward

JCC 1981 Batch

Donation of 25 Tables & Chairs

10,000	-
-	265,000
-	(255,000)
<u>10,000</u>	<u>10,000</u>

	31.12.2024 LKR.	31.12.2023 LKR.
Note :- 7.10		
Dr. Ethirweerasingam Memorial Fund		
Mr. David	50,000	-
Dr. K. Gnanakanthan	50,000	-
Mr. Dubsy Kanagaratnam	50,000	-
Mr. Vivekanandan - Canada	44,800	-
	<u>194,800</u>	<u>-</u>
Note :- 7.11		
Mr.T.Vaseekaran - Tutition Fee support to CA Student K. Sajiram	120,000	-
Less: 4 months payment (September, October, November, December 2024)	(40,000)	-
	<u>80,000</u>	<u>-</u>
Note :- 7.12		
Skill Lab Fund		
Donations		
Mr. Vernon Fernando	25,000	-
Mr. Amirthanayaham	200,000	-
Mr. Goonaratnam	100,000	-
Mr.Sathananthan	50,000	-
Mr. Shabir Hussain Sharaffaly	15,000	-
Mr. Sivakanthan	15,000	-
Mr. Punnyamoorthy	10,000	-
TGE Express	15,000	-
	<u>430,000</u>	<u>-</u>
Excess Income over Expenditure from Fund Raising Movie Screening	548,366	-
	<u>978,366</u>	<u>-</u>
Less: Launch Expenses	(30,400)	-
	<u>947,966</u>	<u>-</u>
Note :- 08		
COBA Multipurpose Fund		
Donation from Well-wisher	100,000	100,000.00
Excess Income over Expenditures from COBA Get-together	231,800	231,800.00
Less: Under 10 Coaching Fees	(105,000)	-
Less: Support for Karate National Level Competition under 16, 218 & 20	(15,000)	-
	<u>211,800</u>	<u>331,800.00</u>
Note :- 09		
Payables		
Audit Fees	60,000	55,000
Reimbursable of Scholarship Payment	60,000	-
50%of Carol Serives Expenses to VOGA	37,663	-
Donation to Methodist Church	18,000	18,000
	<u>175,663</u>	<u>73,000</u>

Note 9.1: As per Dr. Ahilan's request, Rs. 60,000/= has been paid to two students by Mr.J.Pirathapn to meet the urgent timelines. This is to be reimbursed.

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Note :- 10
JCC Colombo Branch - Trust

Balance Brought Forward	1,161,964	651,832
Interest on Fixed Deposit - 108380103317	51,966	76,947
Interest on Fixed Deposit - 108251625398	38,571	66,187
Interest on Fixed Deposit - 108250139514	16,538	29,295
Interest on Fixed Deposit - 108250168573	27,017	54,666
Interest on Fixed Deposit - 108250240398	20,957	36,100
Interest on Fixed Deposit - 108251984967	190,213	336,936
Mr.Morgaser Gunaratnam and Mrs.Annaratnam Gunaratnam	(60,000)	(90,000)
Transferred from COBA to Trust	(450,000)	-
	<u>997,226</u>	<u>1,161,964</u>

Note :- 11
Nutrition Program 2024 Control A/C

Balance B/F	-	47,725
Mr. Thiru Dushyanthiran - Australia Fund to support Education & Sports	15,000	-
Late Mr. Vadivethkarasan Memorial Funds to support Education & Sports	15,700	-
M/S David Family	25,000	36,000
Mr. T. Vaseekaran	-	10,000
	<u>55,700</u>	<u>93,725</u>
Expenses - Nutrition Program - 2024	<u>(55,700)</u>	<u>(93,725)</u>
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION - COLOMBO BRANCH
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE PERIOD ENDED

	31.12.2024 LKR	31.12.2023 LKR
Note :- 12		
Donations		
Donation - Mr. M. G. M Jameel - Website Advertisement		5,000
Donation - Mr. Aiyathurai Sivachandran		10,000
Donation - Mr. Hariharan - Website sponsorship		10,000
Donation - Mr. Shabbir Lukmanjee - Website sponsorship		5,000
Donation - Mr. R. Everts		1,000
Donation - EXCO Fellowship	30,000	-
Donation - Mr. R. Vipushan	50,000	-
	<u>80,000</u>	<u>31,000</u>
Contributions - Founder's Day		
Mr.T.Vaseekaran	-	5,000
Net Hat-collection	-	11,700
	<u>-</u>	<u>16,700</u>
	<u>80,000</u>	<u>47,700</u>
Note :- 13		
Interest on Fixed Deposits		
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No.3106024294	53,414	89,590
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No.3002673425	36,199	64,600
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251227937	25,716	45,553
	<u>115,330</u>	<u>199,744</u>
Note :- 14		
AGM 2024 - Statement of Income & Expenditure		
AGM Income		
Donations		
Mr. Thushy David	10,000	10,000
Mr. S. S. Sivakumar	20,000	10,000
Mr. M.G.M Jameel	15,000	3,000
Mr.V. Ganesh	25,000	25,000
Mr. Shabbir Lukmanjee	10,000	-
Mr. R. Everts	1,000	1,000
Mr. T. Vaseeharan	25,000	10,000
Mr. Pirathapan	5,000	-
Dr. Sivasothy	3,000	-
Mr. David	15,000	-
Mr. Amirthanayagam	10,000	-
Mr. Hensmorn	5,000	-
Mr. Dinesh	1,500	-
Mr. Vernon	25,000	-
Sale of Tickets	69,000	43,000
	<u>239,500</u>	<u>102,000</u>



	31.12.2024	31.12.2023
	LKR	LKR
AGM Expenses		
Hall hire charges	25,000	22,500
Advertising charges	-	7,935
Sound	15,000	20,000
Food	60,750	40,000
Photocopy charges	-	4,800
Helper	-	2,000
Banner	-	3,200
	<u>100,750</u>	<u>100,435</u>
Income over Expenditure	<u>138,750</u>	<u>1,565</u>

Note :- 15

Carol service 2024 - Statement of Income & Expenditure

Carol service 2024 - Income

Donations

Mr. R.Everts	-	3,000
Mr. T. Vaseekaran	-	5,000
Mr. S. Sivakumar	12,300	15,000
Mr. M. Sathananthan	-	10,000
Mr. Gerard David	-	10,000
Mr. Thuraisingham Vicknorajah	-	50,000
Mr. Pirathapan	-	5,000
Mr. Nanthakumar	-	5,000
Dr. Sivasothy	2,300	-
Mr. Gearard David	7,300	-
Mr. Jegasothy	5,000	-
Mr. Thusy David	5,950	-
Mr. Victor Thurai	20,000	-
Mr. Ganesh	3,650	-
	<u>56,500</u>	<u>103,000</u>
Sale of Tickets	36,550	66,000
	<u>93,050</u>	<u>169,000</u>

Carol Service 2024 - Expenses

Dinner & other expenses	67,663	81,950
Tips & other expenses	-	27,373
Ticket & Banner printing	-	3,370
Raffle Draw Prizes	13,000	15,000
	<u>80,663</u>	<u>127,693</u>
Income over Expenditure	<u>12,387</u>	<u>41,307</u>

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Note :- 16

Necktie Sales

Cash - 13,000.00 - 13 Ties - 28.02.2023	-	13,000
Cash - 1,000.00 - 1 Tie - 05.03.2023	-	1,000
Cash - Ties for 1979 batch	15,000	-
Surplus from tie sales	15,000	14,000
Balance number of ties	41	43
Less: Free issue of ties as approved by EXCO	15	-2
Balance number of ties	26	41

Thamil Maalai 2024 Program

Note :- 17

Income and Expenditure Account

Income

Contribution

Dr. Anushyanthan	-	25,000
Mr. T. Vaseekaran	-	10,000
Mr. Gerard David	-	10,000
Mr. B. Nanthakumar	-	10,000
Mr. Victor Forman	-	10,000
Mr. S. Sivakumar	-	10,000
Mr. M. Sathananthan	-	20,000
	-	95,000
Sale of Tickets	-	13,000
	-	108,000

Less: Expenses

Hall booking charges	-	25,000
Welcome Dance - Sage Academy - Wattala	-	30,000
Violin Musical Recital	-	25,000
Music	-	11,000
Flower Garland	-	4,000
Hall Late fee	-	5,000
Tips for Hall Staff	-	2,500
Photographer	-	6,000
Banner printing charges	-	4,120
Expenses - Common share of Rs. 32,805/- balance paid to - JVGHS - PPA	-	23,555
	-	136,175
Excess/(Deficit) of Income over Expenditure	-	(28,175)

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Note :- 18

Annual Get-together - Statement of Income & Expenditure
Income
Contribution

Mr. T. Vaseekaran	-	5,000
Mr. Gerard David	-	10,000
Dr. Sivasothy	-	4,000
Mr. Gunaratnam	-	94,000
Mr. Thusy David	-	25,000
Mr. Dubsy Kanagaratnam	-	72,000
Mr. Sathyendra	-	20,000
Mr. R.Everts	-	4,000
Mr. Shabbir Lukmanjee	-	10,000
Mr. Kubendraraja	-	10,000
Mr. Vernon Fernando	-	10,000
Mr. V. Ganesh	-	50,000
Mr. A. H. A. Akeel	-	5,000
Mr. Hensman	-	5,000
Mr. Sivakumar	-	27,750
Mr. Nanthakumar	-	7,000
Mr. Amirthanayagam	-	7,000
Mr. Shabbir Hussain	-	10,000

Ticket Sales
Less: Expenses

Food	-	223,200
Hall charges	-	25,000
Payment for chasers	-	6,000
DJ & Entertainment	-	65,000
Dressing room	-	5,000
Mementoes	-	18,750
Tips	-	5,000
Total Expenses	-	347,950

Excess/(Deficit) of Income over Expenditure

	-	231,800
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Note :- 19

Sponsorships

Platinum - Telesee Marketing	100,000	-
Gold - NMW Packages	50,000	-
Gold - National Development Bank PLC - Colombo 06	50,000	-
Silver - Trinity Shipping Colombo	25,000	-
Silver - Sportee - Kandana	25,000	-
Silver - Health & Glow Pharmacy - Wattala	25,000	-
Silver - Elixir Helathcare	25,000	-
Silver - Poobalasingam Book Depot	25,000	-
Silver - Global Towers Management	25,000	-
	<u>350,000</u>	<u>-</u>

Ticket Sales

Mr. S. Sivakumar	20,000	-
Mr. M. G. M. Jameel	20,000	-
Mr. T. Vaseeharan	15,000	-
Mr. Rajkumar	15,000	-
Mr. Gerard David	15,000	-
Mr. Thushy David	35,000	-
Mr. Ravindran	30,000	-
Mr. Eric Hensman	7,500	-
Mr. Aboobacker	7,500	-
Mr. Basharan	15,000	-
Mr. Nanthakumar	15,000	-
Mr. Victor Forman	20,000	-
Mr. J. Pirathapan	35,000	-
Dr. Sivasothy	15,000	-
Mr. Dinesh Thambipilai	15,000	-
Mr. T. T Mayuran	35,000	-
Mr. T. R. Shankar	20,000	-
Mrs. Joyce Thushy David - 7 Tickets	10,500	-
VOGA	23,000	-
Mr. S. Kajanana	30,000	-
	<u>398,500</u>	<u>-</u>
Total Income	<u>748,500</u>	<u>-</u>

Less: Expenses

EAP Films - Theater Charges	100,000	-
Municipal Tax	51,734	-
Ticket Printing	7,050	-
Production cost for screening movie	41,350	-
Total Expenses	<u>200,134</u>	<u>-</u>
Income over Expenditure	<u>548,366</u>	<u>-</u>

**JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION
COLOMBO BRANCH TRUST
AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED
31ST DECEMBER 2024**

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**AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOY'S
ASSOCIATION - COLOMBO BRANCH TRUST**

We have examined the Statements of Financial Position of the Jaffna Central College Old Boy's Association – Colombo Branch Trust, for the year ended December 31, 2024 and the related Income and Expenditure Account, Fund Movement Analysis and the Notes to the Accounts, all of which are annexed hereto.

We have examined the Assets & Liabilities and the Income & Expenditure appearing in the books, along with the respective records, vouchers and other documents which in our view were necessary to form an opinion on the adequacy, and efficiency of the accounting systems control, reliability, accuracy of entries and genuineness of the transactions.

In our opinion, so far as it appears from our examination, proper books of account have been maintained by the Association, and to the best of our information and according to explanations given to us, the said Statement of Financial Position and the Income & Expenditure Account which are in agreement therewith, read together with the notes referred to therein, give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Association, for the year ended December 31, 2024.

SRA associates



CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

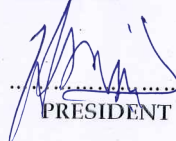
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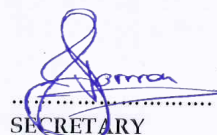
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JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION - COLOMBO BRANCH TRUST
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2024

		31.12.2024 LKR	31.12.2023 LKR
	Notes		
Assets			
Non Current Assets			
Fixed Deposits	1	14,458,593	14,061,695
Current Assets			
JCC OBA Colombo Branch Current Account		997,226	1,161,964
Cash at Bank-Bank of Ceylon - Current A/C No.1630568		62,207	158,628
		<u>1,059,433</u>	<u>1,320,592</u>
Total Assets		<u>15,518,026</u>	<u>15,382,286</u>
Funds & Liabilities			
Accumulated Scholarship Fund	2	15,501,526	15,382,286
Scholarship payment payable		16,500	-
		<u>15,518,026</u>	<u>15,382,286</u>

Principal office bearers are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these financial statements.


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PRESIDENT


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SECRETARY


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TREASURER

COLOMBO
25th April 2025

JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION - COLOMBO BRANCH TRUST

STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2024		31.12.2024	31.12.2023
Income	Notes	LKR	LKR
Interest Income	3	1,278,239	1,911,533
		<u>1,278,239</u>	<u>1,911,533</u>
Expenses			
Scholarship Payments	4	1,158,000	1,272,000
Bank charges		1,000	500
		<u>1,159,000</u>	<u>1,272,500</u>
Income over Expenditure for the year		<u>119,239</u>	<u>639,033</u>

JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION - COLOMBO BRANCH TRUST
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2024

	Notes	31.12.2024 LKR	31.12.2023 LKR
Note :- 01			
Investments			
Fixed Deposits	1.1	13,328,593	12,931,695
Treasury Bills	1.2	1,130,000	1,130,000
		<u>14,458,593</u>	<u>14,061,695</u>
Note :- 01.1			
Fixed Deposits			
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108250240398 - Mr. S. P. Kumararajaah - Australia		200,000	200,000
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108250115925 - Dr. Ragunathan Memorial Fund - Australia		980,537	823,981
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251227964 - Mr. S. P. Lingernathan - Colombo		500,000	500,000
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251924916 - Canada OBA		1,000,000	1,000,000
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251868088 - Mr. Noel Arsaratnam - UK		100,000	100,000
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251868118 - Mr. Balasundram Sivakumar - Colombo		100,000	100,000
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251914546 - Mr. S. S. Sivakumar - Colombo		500,000	500,000
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108380103317 Mr. Morgaser Gunaratnam and Mrs. Annaratnam Gunaratnam Memorial Scholarship		565,300	565,300
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108253955606 Mr. Hudson Selvarajah Melbourne Fund		250,000	250,000
UK OBA & GA	01.1.1	1,000,000	1,000,000
Sydney OBA	01.1.2	3,706,747	3,656,998
Colombo OBA	01.1.3	1,569,039	1,466,086
Dr. S. K. Maheswaran - USA	01.1.4	2,306,968	2,219,328
Mr. V. Ganesh - Colombo	01.1.5	550,000	550,000
		<u>13,328,593</u>	<u>12,931,695</u>
Note :- 01.1.1			
UK OBA & GA			
Bank of Ceylon -FD 70299951		500,000	500,000
Bank of Ceylon -FD 70687165		500,000	500,000
		<u>1,000,000</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
Note :- 01.1.2			
Sydney OBA			
Bank of Ceylon -FD 7030126		728,030	678,281
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251388348		759,750	759,750
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251984967		2,218,967	2,218,967
		<u>3,706,747</u>	<u>3,656,998</u>

		31.12.2024	31.12.2023
	Notes	LKR	LKR
Note :- 01.1.3			
Colombo OBA			
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No.3106002242		1,376,109	1,273,156
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108250139514		192,930	192,930
		<u>1,569,039</u>	<u>1,466,086</u>
Note :- 01.1.4			
Dr. S.K. Maheswaran - USA			
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No.3106002789		1,171,428	1,083,788
Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC - FD No.3106005054		395,515	395,515
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108250168573		310,975	310,975
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251625398		429,050	429,050
		<u>2,306,968</u>	<u>2,219,328</u>
Note :- 01.1.5			
Mr. V. Ganesh - Colombo			
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251278248		350,000	350,000
National Development Bank PLC - FD No.108251926633		200,000	200,000
		<u>550,000</u>	<u>550,000</u>
Note :- 01.2			
Treasury Bills			
Bank of Ceylon PLC - Treasury Bill - Canada OBA		840,000	840,000
Bank of Ceylon PLC - Treasury Bill - Colombo OBA		290,000	290,000
		<u>1,130,000</u>	<u>1,130,000</u>
Note :- 02			
Accumulated Scholarship Fund			
Accumulated Scholarship Fund Opening Balance		15,382,286	14,743,253
Income over Expenditure for the year		119,239	639,033
		<u>15,501,526</u>	<u>15,382,286</u>
Accumulated Scholarship Fund Closing Balance	2.1	<u>15,501,525</u>	<u>15,382,286</u>
Note :- 02.1			
Accumulated Scholarship Fund			
Colombo OBA Fund	02.1.1	1,402,121	1,453,810
Canada OBA Fund	02.1.2	2,106,190	2,159,225
UK OBA & GA Fund	02.1.3	1,015,858	1,039,801
JCC Sydney OBA Fund	02.1.4	4,320,832	4,269,113
Dr. S. K. Maheswaran Fund - USA	02.1.5	2,497,032	2,462,736
Dr. Ragunathan Memorial Fund - Australia	02.1.6	565,157	453,601
Mr. Kumararajaah Fund - Australia	02.1.7	283,270	292,313
Mr. Lingerathan Fund - Colombo	02.1.8	710,155	685,294
Mr. V. Ganesh Fund - Colombo	02.1.9	658,165	645,429
Late Mr. Noel Arsaratnam Fund - UK	02.1.10	110,925	110,153
Mr. Balasundram Sivakumar Fund - Colombo	02.1.11	110,925	110,153
Mr. S. S. Sivakumar Fund - Colombo	02.1.12	696,779	671,040
Mr. Morgaser Gunaratnam and Mrs. Annaratnam Gunaratnam	02.1.13	753,973	762,007
Mr. Hudson Selvarajah Melbourne Fund	02.1.14	270,143	267,612
		<u>15,501,525</u>	<u>15,382,286</u>



	31.12.2024 LKR	31.12.2023 LKR
Note :- 02.1.1		
Colombo OBA Fund		
Balance Brought Forward	1,453,810	1,409,761
Add: Interest Income	144,311	233,549
	<u>1,598,121</u>	<u>1,643,310</u>
Less: Bank Charges	(1,000)	(500)
Less: Scholarship Payments	(195,000)	(189,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>1,402,121</u>	<u>1,453,810</u>
Note :- 02.1.2		
Canada OBA Fund		
Balance Brought Forward	2,159,225	2,163,663
Add: Interest Income	147,965	289,561
	<u>2,307,190</u>	<u>2,453,225</u>
Less: Scholarship Payments	(201,000)	(294,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>2,106,190</u>	<u>2,159,225</u>
Note :- 02.1.3		
UK OBA & GA Fund		
Balance Brought Forward	1,039,801	1,057,092
Add: Interest Income	99,057	87,709
	<u>1,138,858</u>	<u>1,144,801</u>
Less: Scholarship Payments	(123,000)	(105,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>1,015,858</u>	<u>1,039,801</u>
Note :- 02.1.4		
JCC Sydney OBA Fund		
Balance Brought Forward	4,269,113	3,987,764
Add: Interest Income	303,719	530,349
	<u>4,572,832</u>	<u>4,518,113</u>
Less: Scholarship Payments	(252,000)	(249,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>4,320,832</u>	<u>4,269,113</u>
Note :- 02.1.5		
Dr. S. K. Maheswaran Fund - USA		
Balance Brought Forward	2,462,736	2,280,721
Add: Interest Income	184,296	308,015
	<u>2,647,032</u>	<u>2,588,736</u>
Less: Scholarship Payments	(150,000)	(126,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>2,497,032</u>	<u>2,462,736</u>
Note :- 02.1.6		
Dr. Ragunathan Memorial Fund - Australia		
Balance Brought Forward	453,601	427,506
Add: Interest Income	156,556	53,095
	<u>610,157</u>	<u>480,601</u>
Less: Scholarship Payments	(45,000)	(27,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>565,157</u>	<u>453,601</u>



	31.12.2024 LKR	31.12.2023 LKR
Note :- 02.1.7		
Mr. Kumararajaah Fund - Australia		
Balance Brought Forward	292,313	286,213
Add: Interest Income	20,957	36,100
	313,270	322,313
Less: Scholarship Payments	(30,000)	(30,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>283,270</u>	<u>292,313</u>
Note :- 02.1.8		
Mr. Lingernathan Fund - Colombo		
Balance Brought Forward	685,294	627,372
Add: Interest Income	42,861	75,922
	728,155	703,294
Less: Scholarship Payments	(18,000)	(18,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>710,155</u>	<u>685,294</u>
Note :- 02.1.9		
Mr. V. Ganesh Fund - Colombo		
Balance Brought Forward	645,429	641,970
Add: Interest Income	45,736	81,459
	691,165	723,429
Less: Scholarship Payments	(33,000)	(78,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>658,165</u>	<u>645,429</u>
Note :- 02.1.10		
Late Mr. Noel Arsaratnam Fund - UK		
Balance Brought Forward	110,153	110,908
Add: Interest Income	8,272	14,245
	118,425	125,153
Less: Scholarship Payments	(7,500)	(15,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>110,925</u>	<u>110,153</u>
Note :- 02.1.11		
Mr. Balasundram Sivakumar Fund - Colombo		
Balance Brought Forward	110,153	110,908
Add: Interest Income	8,272	14,245
	118,425	125,153
Less: Scholarship Payments	(7,500)	(15,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>110,925</u>	<u>110,153</u>
Note :- 02.1.12		
Mr. S. S. Sivakumar Fund - Colombo		
Balance Brought Forward	671,040	614,315
Add: Interest Income	43,739	74,725
	714,779	689,040
Less: Scholarship Payments	(18,000)	(18,000)
Balance Carried Forward	<u>696,779</u>	<u>671,040</u>



	31.12.2024 LKR	31.12.2023 LKR
Note :- 02.1.13		
Mr. Morgaser Gunaratnam and Mrs. Annaratnam Gunaratnam		
Balance Brought Forward	762,007	775,060
Add: Interest Income	51,966	76,947
	813,973	852,007
Less: Scholarship Payments	(60,000)	(90,000)
Balance Carried Forward	753,973	762,007
Note :- 02.1.14		
Mr. Hudson Selvarajah Melbourne Fund		
Balance Brought Forward	267,612	250,000
Add: Interest Income	20,531	35,612
	288,143	285,612
Less: Scholarship Payments	(18,000)	(18,000)
Balance Carried Forward	270,143	267,612

JAFFNA CENTRAL COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION - COLOMBO BRANCH TRUST

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2024	31.12.2024 LKR	31.12.2023 LKR
Note :- 03		
Interest Income		
Colombo OBA Fund	144,311	233,549
Canada OBA Fund	147,965	289,561
UK OBA & GA Fund	99,057	87,709
JCC Sydney OBA Fund	303,719	530,349
Dr. S.K.Maheswaran Fund - USA	184,296	308,015
Dr. Ragunathan Memorial Fund - Australia	156,556	53,095
Mr. Kumararajaah Fund - Australia	20,957	36,100
Mr. Lingernathan Fund - Colombo	42,861	75,922
Mr. V.Ganesh Fund - Colombo	45,736	81,459
Mr. Noel Arsaratnam Fund - UK	8,272	14,245
Mr. Balasundram Sivakumar Fund - Colombo	8,272	14,245
Mr. S.S.Sivakumar Fund - Colombo	43,739	74,725
Mr. Morgaser Gunaratnam and Mrs. Annaratnam Gunaratnam	51,966	76,947
Mr. Hudson Selvarajah Melbourne Fund	20,531	35,612
	1,278,239	1,911,533
Note :- 04		
Scholarship Payments		
University Students	753,000	477,000
Advance Level Students	405,000	795,000
	1,158,000	1,272,000



Central's flag must never be lowered

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