



St Joseph's College Colombo 10, Old Boys' Union
Ja-Ela Wattala Branch

23rd Annual General Meeting, 19 March 2011
Ramada Hotel , Seeduwa

ANNUAL REPORT

It is my pleasure and honor to present the Annual Report for the period of 1 April 2010 to **31 March** 2011 under the presidency of Mr. Rohan Goonethilleke.

Review of activities for YR 2010/11 is as follows;

- During the year we had 12 Executive committee meetings.
- We continued with our much sought after family outing for ex-co members on 2-3 October. This year the annual two day trip was organized to Anurdhapura and it was yet another wonderful outing with family and friends.
- The end of YR 2010/11 saw the successful completion of ambitious projects to support St. Josephs College- Colombo 10 and our Ederamulla branch.
- Most importantly the Annual Dance 2010 hit a record in our club as the organizing committee succeeded in bringing in a profit near to Rs. 1 Million. The Dance was held on 31st July 2010 at Ceylon Continental Hotel with two bands in attendance. It was a roaring success.
- The website continued to be upgraded with a new re-construction.
- I am pleased to report to the members that we continued with our contributions by donating sports equipment worth Rs. 164,450/- to the Ederamulla branch school.
- The friendly cricket match with the Negombo branch continued. Our credit to the Negombo branch team for their outstanding performance. We will out perform them next year.
- The Christmas party was held on 11 December at Ramada Hotel Seeduwa.
- Over the past year the Wattala Jaela club donate Rs. 10,000/- for SJC- Colombo 10 Christmas Carols and Rs.25,000/- to Josephian Talent fiesta.
- We continued to donate Rs. 10,000/- to Ederamulla branch Christmas Carols
- Donated two bicycles worth Rs. 15,000 / -to a school in Kirinochchi.
- During the year we also donated for SJC Colombo 10 Rugby Development Fund. Rs.25,000/-
- We wish to express our thanks to the Old boys union in Australia for their donation of AUD 350/-

The club is grateful to Fr. Rector Sylvester Ranasinghe and Fr. Ranjith Andradri for their continued support.

To conclude this report , I would also like to thank President Mr. Rohan Goonatilleke for his dedicated, well thought-out work during his term of Office and for all the heartfelt support and guidance extended in performing my duties as the Secretary.

Above all , I thank all our members for their loyalty and support – it is through our togetherness and increase numbers that we are able to continue to make a difference and contribute to develop and enhance our school. St. Joesphs College.

Ranisha Silva
Hon. Secretary