

CSJPPA/CTF SUMMER 2025



Newsletter

GREETINGS

Welcome to the summer edition of our newsletter! We're thrilled to share the latest updates, inspiring stories, and fresh insights from CSJPPA & CTF. In this issue, you'll explore our recent achievements, groundbreaking innovations, and the exciting path forward. Join us as we continue to drive growth and lead transformative change in our schools.

EVENTS & ACHIEVEMENTS:



CSJPPA & CTF Annual General Meeting Recap

On May 10th, 2025, CSJPPA and CTF proudly hosted our Annual General Meeting, marking a significant milestone in our shared journey. This event showcased the dedication and hard work of our entire team, reflecting our unwavering commitment to excellence.

We were honored to welcome Dr. Dhanan Senathirajah, Manager of St John's College, as special guest. His insightful presentation shed light on current challenges facing both schools and the broader education system, enriching our discussions and strategic planning.

The success of the AGM stands as a strong testament to our ongoing commitment to innovation and excellence in serving both schools. As we move forward, we are excited to continue this journey together, driving positive impact and growth in the year ahead.



May 26, 2025: Big Match - Battle of the North & Netball match:

We are excited to share the results of the much-anticipated Big Match held on May 26, 2025. Congratulations to all the teams for their outstanding performances!

Open Team: St. Jon's College emerged victorious in a thrilling contest.

Over 40: Jaffna Central College claimed the win in the Over 40 category.

Over 50: St. John's College secured the championship in the Over 50 division.

Netball: Vembadi Girls High School triumphed in the Netball competition.

We applaud the dedication and sportsmanship displayed by all participants. Stay tuned for more updates and upcoming events!







CGC Ladies Only Walk in the Park – June 14, 2025

On June 14, 2025, CGC proudly hosted its Ladies Only Walk in the Park event, creating a delightful opportunity for connection and nostalgia. The gathering brought back cherished memories of school days as participants enjoyed lively conversations, leisurely walks, and shared lunch together. It heartwarming occasion was strengthened bonds and celebrated friendship in a serene park setting in Richmond Park, London. We look forward to more such memorable events in the future!

Upcoming Events – Join Us in Celebrations and Community!

SEPTEMBER 6. 2025: ANNUAL KOOL PARTY

Cherishing the Seniors & Connecting Generations!

Following the great success of last year's Kool Party, we are excited to invite you once again to enjoy delicious home-cooked Kool and traditional Sri Lankan dishes in the park.

This special event honors our seniors who have paved the way for us all.

Venue: West Harrow Recreation Ground,

Harrow, HA1 4DX

Time: 10:30 am - 2:00 pm

NOVEMBER 8, 2025: ANNUAL DINNER DANCE

An elegant evening awaits! Spaces are limited, so be sure to book early to avoid disappointment.

Venue: Radisson Hotel

Bath Road (Building B), West Drayton, Heathrow UB7 0DU

Time: 6:30 PM – 1:00 AM

DECEMBER 13, 2025: CHRISTMAS PARTY

Bring your family and join us for festive fun, food, and celebration!

Venue: St Andrews Church

89 Malvern Avenue, Harrow, HA2 9ER

Time: 6:30 PM – 10:30 PM

CAROL SERVICE

Date and Venue to be informed soon



SCHOLARSHIP & BURSARIES - 2025

St John's College:

29
04
07
04
44

Seeking Bursaries 06

Chundikuli Girls' College:

No. of students sponsored (Eagle Nest Sponsorship) 11
Seeking Bursaries 05

CSJPPA & CTF extend our heartfelt thanks to our student sponsors and are deeply grateful to our esteemed patrons, Mr. V. S. B. Thuseetharan, Principal of St. John's College, and Mrs. D. Thuseetharan, Principal of Chundikuli Girls' College, for their unwavering support and encouragement.

STUDENTS ACHIEVEMENTS 2025 PRIZE GIVING

Mas Heshanth - Grade 6 He has been selected for the National Pool from the National level examination held on 14th June 2025 in Colombo.

Mas U Birunthan-Grade 11

- General Proficiency, Business & Accounting Studies (EM) and Sinhala Language winners at the schools
- Miruthangam
 Accompanist for
 Flute Instrumental,
 Senior Division in
 All Island Schools
 Carnatic Music
 Competition,
 National Level 1st
 Place



John Nathenia UPVIA represented Sri Lanka in the under - 18 National Hockey Team for the Asia Cup 2025, which was held in China.

CSJPPA, UK CASH AWARD RECIPIENTS, ST JOHN'S COLLEGE - PRIZE GIVING - 2025

Mr. A Pavinthan Mr. S Sapareesan Mr. S Suwasthigan Mr. A Suvethan Faculty of Management Faculty of Engineering Faculty of Medicine Faculty of Technology

G.C.E O/L - 2024

Names & Results:

- 1. Mast. Ilankumaran Akshayan obtained 9A
- 2. Mast. Selvachandran Shrisuwastikan 8A, B
- 3. Mast. Pushpanathan Thumilan 4A, 3B, 2C

G.C.E A/L - 2024

Name & Results:

Mast Packiyarasa Laksuthan A, 2B in the Commerce stream

Gold Medal Awards to Chundikuli Girls' College – Presented By CSJPPA, UK

Best student entering to the Faculty of Management – Miss Veveka Gunapalasingam

Best Student entering to the Faculty of Arts – Miss Aswini Arunthavarajah

STUDENTS ACHIEVEMENTS 2025

Miss Mariyathilakshi
Jeyathilakan - Grade 12
Commerce
Sports & Games:
Shot Put- 1st place - Divisional
Level
Discus throw - 2nd place Divisional Level
Javelin throw- 2nd place Divisional Level

Badminton Team Member -2nd place - Zonal Level Netball Team Member- 3rd place - Zonal Level

Weight lifting (Individual)- 3rd place - Provincial Level
Badminton Team Member - 3rd place - Provincial Level
Positions: Athletic Captain,
College Prefect
Clubs & Societies: Interact
club

Miss Kavipriya Antony Mariathas - Grade 12

Bio Science
Academic: O/L - 9As
Prizes won:
Prize Day - General
Proficiency, Health & Physical
Education, O/L-9As
Tamil Day - Speech - 2nd
place
Science Day - Speech - 2nd
place
Sports & Games: Member of

the Carrom team Clubs and societies: Member of the Interact Club &

Student Parliament

UPDATE ON LATE MR. REGINALD JOHN ROY FUSSEY'S FUND OF £259,503

FURTHER TO OUR LAST NEWSLETTER THAT WAS RELEASED IN MAY, 2025 DETAILING THE HISTORICAL MATTERS INVOLVING WITH THE JOHN FUSSY FUND:

Mr. Bernie Sureshparan, an old boy of St John's College, kindly agreed to act as the liaison between CTF and the then President Mr. Tharmalingam Chrishanthan to bring a final compromised agreement. Mr Sureshparan's role was to ensure clear and unbiased communication, facilitating an amicable resolution between the then CTF President and current CTF.

Steps Towards a Final Compromised Agreement Since the 2025 AGM

First Meeting (30/06/2025): CTF outlined the underlying issues to Mr. Sureshparan and requested that he convey CTF's position to the then President, including the request to transfer the full fund amount from the Eagle Care Trust (ECT) which is a private company account to St John's College.

Second Meeting (08/07/2025): Continued discussions with Mr. Bernie.

Third Meeting: In order to avoid unnecessary legal costs for both parties and to resolve this matter amicably, CTF presented a compromise agreement to Mr. Tharmalingam Chrishanthan and all other parties involved through Mr Bernie Sureshparan. The agreement clearly stated that no legal action would be taken against any party, provided that the funds in question were transferred to St. John's College without further delay.A deadline of 15th August, 2025 was set for compliance. However, once again, Mr. Tharmalingam Chrishanthan has failed to respond or agree to any form of compromise.

CTF's POSITION:

CTF's only objective is to ensure that the funds are restored to St John's College, as originally intended. CTF has no intention of taking legal action against anyone if the funds are voluntarily returned to the St John's College.

Unfortunatly, despite multiple efforts, the funds have been diverted to Eagle Care Trust (ECT), a private company, and have not been returned.

PROPOSED IMMEDIATE ACTIONS

Following these meetings, CTF has identified the below as its priority:

 Initiate legal proceedings to regain the funds that should be handed over to SJC from the ECT funds.

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS FOR MEMBERS:

In 2025, the CTF received two significant letters(Appenidix 2 & 3) regarding the legacy funds bequeathed to St John's College. CTF wishes to share the following critical documents with the CSJPPA and CTF member community for transparency and information:

- Executors' Letter to the then President(Appendix 1)
- Former then President's reply to the executors (Appendix 2) - The then President gave his assurance to the will executors that 100% of the funds would be transferred to SJC.
- Executors' latest Letter, confirming the award of £259,503 was unconditional (Appendix - 3) -Confirmation letter from the executors that the funds were exclusively for SJC and there were no restrictions on the type of projects the fund could support.
- CGC Principal's letter to CSJPPA (Appendix 4) These documents have been shared with certain SJC office bearers.

FINAL NOTES AND APPEAL

FINAL NOTES:

This inquiry is not a personal attack against the former CTF President. The accountability demand come from SJC and CSJPPA UK. It is about facts, proof, and justice — not emotion or sympathy.

Without concrete evidence, the former CTF President risks breaching trust, and his supporters may be complicit if they defend him without demanding transparency.

The current CTF has consistently sought answers from the former President. Since the then president has refused to respond. Therefore, we have no choice but to proceed with legal proceedings to ensure justice is served.

APPEAL:

PAST PUPILS' ASSOCIATIONS WORLDWIDE EXIST TO SERVE THE SCHOOLS WE LOVE—NOT TO EXPLOIT THEM. TO MAINTAIN INTEGRITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY, THIS MATTER MUST BE BROUGHT TO A RIGHTFUL CLOSE.

LET US WORK TOGETHER TO ENSURE THAT THE PRINCIPLES OF TRUST, TRANSPARENCY, AND STEWARDSHIP REMAIN THE FOUNDATION OF OUR SERVICE TO ST JOHN'S COLLEGE & CHUNDIKULI GIRLS' COLLEGE

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Our Ref: RMO/ps/FUSSEY

Your Ref:

Date: 13th April 2017

Chundikuli Trust Fund 21 Gainsboro Gardens Greenford UB6 0JG

Dear Sirs

Re: Reginald John Roy Fussey deceased Date of Death: 21st February 2017

We act for Mr Richard Hansom of this firm who is the executor of the estate of Mr Reginald Fussey who died on 21st February 2017.

In the deceased's Will he bequeathed one third share of the residuary estate to the G R Handy Memorial Trust c/o KPMG Ford Rhodes Thornton Company, PO Box 186, Colombo, 03 Sri Lanka.

We note from our research that G R Handy Memorial Trust is one of the scholarship trust funds within the Chundikuli Trust Fund registered charity number 1009205.

We should be grateful if you would confirm that the G R Handy Memorial Trust is indeed part of the Chundikuli Trust Fund. Also, please confirm the role of KPMG Ford Rhodes Thornton Company in respect of this charity do they administer the Trust in Sri Lanka?

We also enclose our client care letter and terms and conditions of business.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully

Nicholls Christie & Crocker

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Appendix 1: Letter from Executors to former then President



CHUNDIKULI TRUST FUND

REGISTERED CHARITY IN ENGLAND & WALES * NO: 1009205

"Lux In Tenebris Lucet"

"The light shines in the darkness"

Nicholls Christie & Crocker Solicitors 41 Station Road North Harrow Middlesex Ha2 7SX

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Dear Ms. Rachael Oakley,

Ref: Reginald John Roy Fussey Deceased (Dr. G R Handy Memorial Fund)

Further to our correspondence regarding the above matter, I have received the copies of the trust deed from Sri Lanka and am enclosing it herewith. The funds can be paid through the Chundikuli Trust Fund (CTF), UK. We will transfer100% of the funds to St. John's College, Jaffna. This will be a ring-fenced fund and regular updates regarding Dr G R Handy Memorial Fund will be sent to the family of late Reginald John Roy Fussey or designated representative.

The fund transfer to CTF can be made through one of the following methods:

Bank draft or Cheque by post to the following address:
 Payable to :Chundikuli Trust Fund
 Gainsborough gardens
 Greenford
 Middx
 UB6 0JG

Pay directly to the bank /Online transfer Account Name: Chundikuli Trust Fund

Bank: HSBC

Account Number: 42034611

Sort Code: 40-23-13

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

T. Chrishanthan

(23-02-2018)

CTF President

Registered Charity in England and Wales * NO: 1009205

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Appendix 2: Reply from the then President to the Executors

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COMMISSIONERS FOR OATHS

Our Ref. JS/ps/FUSSEY

Your Ref.

Date: 9 July 2025

CTF 1 Beauchamp Court 10 Victors Way Barnet Hertfordshire EN5 5TZ

Dear Sirs

Re: Reginald John Roy Fussey deceased Date of Death: 21st February 2017

Having reviewed the probate file, we are able to confirm that the executors understood, at the time of making the distribution, that The Chundikuli Trust Fund would transfer the full amount to St John's College as per the written undertaking.

Furthermore, the school has full discretion as to how funds are spent for the betterment of the pupils at the school.

We can confirm that no specific instructions or conditions were issued by our firm regarding the application or onward transfer of the funds.

We trust that our confirmation of the above suffices and meets your charity's requirements.

Yours faithfully

Nicholls Christie & Crocker

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Associate solicitor: Julian Stern

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" Forward"

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MRS. S. RAMESH B.A (Peradeniya), M. Phil(NTNU, Norway)

01.08.2025

The Secretary.

Chundikuli St. John's Past Pupils' Association,
United Kingdom.

Dear Secretary- CSJPPA(UK),

With reference to your letter dated 17th June 2025,

I write to confirm that the Chundikuli St. John's Past Pupils' Association (UK) is the officially recognized body representing the past pupils of Chundikuli Girls' College, Jaffna, residing in the United Kingdom and the said Association is authorized to utilize the crest and the flag with the prior permission from the Principal, for any event or fundraising activity.

The college deeply appreciates the commitment and continued support shown by the CSJPPA(UK) towards the development of the school and the welfare of the students, since its inception.

Yours Sincerely.

Principal

Mrs. D. Thuseetharan
Principal
Chundikuli Girls' College
Jaffna - Sri Lanka

Appendix 4: Letter from CGC Principal to CSJPPA

CSJPPA & CTF appreciate the continued support and engagement of all members as we work towards resolving these matters with integrity and fairness. Further updates will be provided as progress is made.