

Sincere note of appreciation to Raymond Santiago

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It is very heartening to note the sound financial status of our Alumni Association. Our contribution towards College Reserve Fund, Establishment of Memorial Prize at the College Annual prize-giving and Vanni Scholarship Trust Fund redoubles my joy as a committee member and I'm sure our fellow committee members & Patricians share the same sentiments.

This year we were able to generate significant revenue through our St. Patrick's day celebration held in March. The concerted efforts of our committee members and hard work of our fellow Patricians enabled us to reach higher standards including in the field of finance. As we are all well aware, one of the key factors in income generation for the Alumni Association is Ticket Sales. The story of Funds to our Association will not be complete without singularly mentioning our President – Evergreen Patrician – Mega Fundraiser Raymond Santiago.

Raymond, you have been not only a century batsman in cricket but also a century ticket seller for the sake of our Alma Mater. For the last March gala night you sold more than 100 tickets to take our Association to further heights. Needless to mention, the revenue generated through your efforts help our Association in a big way to lend a helping hand to our noble college in Jaffna.

People who have been working with you are unanimous in their praise. You have earned the respect and admiration of Patricians as well as other well-wishers of our noble school. You have been our primary ambassador representing our Alma Mater in many forums and gatherings. You consistently go an extra mile to bring fame and name to our Alma Mater.

Keep up the great work Raymond. Thank you for being our mega fundraiser. You have limitless faith in the capacity of Patricians as we continue to admire and respect your passion towards our Alma Mater.

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