Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it.
Proverbs 22:6

4 AUGUST TO 8 SEPTEMBER 2019 • 1PM ONWARDS (ALL SUNDAYS)

WESLEY DEGREE COLLEGE, SECUNDERABAD

(SINDHI COLONY, OPPOSITE OLD ANAND THEATER)

Lots of competitions and loads of prizes to be won!

4 AUG Sun-1pm
- **MEMORY VERSE**
  Beginners • Primaries • Juniors
- **PREACHING**
  Inters • Seniors

11 AUG Sun-1pm
- **BIBLE CHARACTERS**
  Beginners • Primaries
- **SOLO SINGING**
  Juniors • Inters • Seniors

18 AUG Sun-1pm
- **ENGLISH QUIZ (GROUP)**
  Juniors • Inters • Seniors
- **TELUGU QUIZ (GROUP)**
  Two Teams Per Church (across all ages)
- **SKIT TEACHERS**
  One Team per Church

25 AUG Sun-1pm
- **PAINTING**
  Beginners • Primaries • Juniors
- **BIBLICAL ESSAY WRITING**
  Individual • Inters • Seniors
- **SKIT CHILDREN**
  One Team per Church

1 SEPT Sun-1pm
- **MONO ACTING**
  Individual • Inters • Seniors
- **GROUP SINGING**
  One Team Per Church

8 SEPT Sun-1pm
- **CHOREOGRAPHY**
  One Team per Church
- **FILM MAKING**
  Max two films per Church
- **CARNIVAL/GRAND FINALE**
  For All.

COMPETITION RULES & REGISTRATION GUIDELINES

AGE GROUPS
(AS ON 04 AUG 2019)

BEGINNERS: 03 - 06 yrs | ***PRIMARIES***: 07 - 09 yrs | ***JUNIORS***: 10 - 12 yrs
INTERMEDIATES: 13 - 15 yrs | ***SENIORS***: 16 - 17 yrs

REGISTRATION FEES

INDIVIDUAL EVENT : ₹ 50/- per individual
GROUP EVENT : ₹250/- per team

REGISTER ONLINE www.meraevents.com/event/CFC5

MEMORY VERSE RECITATION

(Individual) NIV Bible Version

4 AUG Sun-1pm
- **MEMORY VERSE** Beginners • Primaries • Juniors
- **PREACHING** Inters • Seniors

Who is it for : Beginners, Primaries & Juniors

Portion : Beginners : Psalm 100
Primaries : 1 Corinthians 13: 1-13
Juniors : Exodus 20: 1-21

Time Limit : 3 minutes

Judging Criteria : Clarity, Expression, Accuracy, Actions etc.
Only in NIV (Any version of NIV)

Language : Separate competitions in English & Telugu

PREACHING

(Individual)

Who is it for : Intermediates & Seniors

Rules :
- Max three (3) participants per Church in each category
- Theme to be given one hour before the start of the competition at the venue
- No PowerPoint or videos permitted
- Summary points/notes can be used for reference but reading is not allowed
- No Child can participate in both English and Telugu Preaching.

Time Limit : Five (5) minutes

Judging Criteria : Fluency, Exploration of theme, Relevance, Handling of Scripture, Impact, etc.

Language : Separate competition in English and Telugu

FANCY DRESS BIBLE CHARACTER

(Individual)

11 AUG Sun-1pm
- **BIBLE CHARACTERS** Beginners • Primaries

Who is it for : Beginners & Primaries

Portion : Any Character from the Gospels (Beginners)
Any Character from the Book of Acts (Primaries)

Rules : Two (2) minutes per participant

Judging Criteria : Stage Presence, Dialogue Delivery
Dress Accuracy, Creativity etc.

Language : Combined Competition
Dialogues can be in English, Telugu or Hindi

SOLO SINGING

(Individual)

11 AUG *Sun-1pm*

• **SOLO SINGING**
Juniors • Inters • Seniors

Who is it for : Juniors, Intermediates & Seniors
Rules : Only Christian Gospel Songs
Only one musical instrument allowed
Time Limit : 3 minutes
Judging Criteria : Voice, Intonation, Stage Presence, Rhythm etc.
Language : Combined Competition
(i.e. you can sing in English or Telugu or any language)

BIBLE QUIZ ENGLISH & TELUGU

NIV Bible Version

18 AUG *Sun-1pm*

• **ENGLISH QUIZ (GROUP)**
Juniors • Inters • Seniors
• **TELUGU QUIZ**
Two Teams Per church (across all ages)
• **SKIT TEACHERS**
One Team per Church

Who is it for
ENGLISH : Juniors, Intermediates & Seniors
Two teams per category per Church
Portion : **Juniors** : The Book of Judges
Intermediates : Parables of Jesus in the Gospels
Seniors : 1 & 2 Samuel

TELUGU : Two teams per Church (across all ages)
Portion : **Miracles of Jesus from the four Gospels**
Rules :
- Written (Objective type) question paper of 30 minutes duration
- Entire team needs to write the test together - one answer paper per team
- Each team should have a min of 2 and max of 3 participants
- No changes permitted in the team between prelims and finals
- No Child can participate in both English and Telugu quiz.

Language : Separate Competitions in English and Telugu

Results of Prelims (Written Test) will be announced on the same day at the venue.
The main Quiz event per category follows immediately thereafter.

TEACHERS SKIT

(Group)

Who is it for : Sunday School Teachers
One Team per Church
Theme : Trust & Obey
Time Limit : 5 minutes per skit
Rules :
- Min of 5 & max of 10 teachers per team including narrator
- All participants, including narrator to be Sunday School teachers in the Church
- No pre-recorded audio or video may be used

Judging Criteria : Concept, Adaptation, Acting, Humour, Message, Creativity, Costumes, Props etc.

25 AUG
Sun-1pm

- **PAINTING**
  Beginners • Primaries • Juniors
- **BIBLICAL ESSAY WRITING**
  Individual • Inters • Seniors
- **SKIT CHILDREN**
  One Team per Church

PAINTING
(Individual)

Who is it for : Beginners, Primaries & Juniors

Rules :
- Kids need to bring their own paints / brushes / colour pens
- Drawing paper will be provided
- Theme will be shared on-the-spot
- For Beginners, a sketched outline will be provided for colouring

Time Limit : 60 minutes

Judging Criteria : Concept, Aesthetics, Colour Choices, Visual Impact etc.

BIBLICAL ESSAY WRITING
(Individual)

Who is it for : Intermediates and Seniors

Portion : Topic will be given on the spot
White paper will be provided
Pens will not be supplied

Rules :
- No discussion or browsing is permitted Only original content is required
- Writing time is one hour
- Min of 500 words and max of 1000 words in the essay
- Judging criteria is Conceptual Clarity, Bible Knowledge and Application, Logical Flow and Impact

Language : Competition will be in English only

SKIT
(Group)

Who is it for : One team per Church only (from across all age groups)

Theme : My Peace I Give To You

Time Limit : 5 minutes per skit

Rules :
- Min of 5 and max of 10 kids per team including narrator
- All participants, including narrator to be within the age group of 17 years and below
- No pre-recorded audio or video may be used

Judging Criteria : Concept, Adaptation, Acting, Humour, Message, Creativity, Costumes, Props etc.

MONO ACTING

(Individual)

1 SEPT Sun-1 pm

- **MONO ACTING** One Team Per Church
- **GROUP SINGING** One Team Per Church

Who is it for : Intermediates and Seniors

Theme : Intermediates (Matthew 4: 1-11 Satan tempts Jesus)
Seniors (Genesis 13: 1-11 Abraham and Lot)

Rules :
- Maximum three participants per church in each category.
- No child can participate in both English and Telugu Monoacting.
- Only one person on stage... no other people to come on stage even as props.
- No background music or sound effects - the emphasis is on the acting capability.
- No backdrops permitted. Other props on stage are permitted but need to brought by the participants.

Time Limit : 3 minutes per performance

Judging Criteria : Concept, Stage Presence, Dialogue Delivery, Creativity, Expression, Body Language, Audience Impact.

Language : Separate competition in English and Telugu

GROUP SINGING

(Group)

Who is it for : Only one team per Church

Rules :
- Min of 5 and max of 10 persons per team including musicians
- Only Christian / Gospel songs are permitted
- Participants & musicians to be within the age group of 17 years
- No pre-recorded tracks Max 2 instruments permitted
- 2 minutes only for stage set-up Max 3 minutes performance time
- Merit will be given to voice(s) only

Judging Criteria : Harmony, Voice quality, Expression, Stage Presence, Rhythm etc.

Language : Combined competition
(i.e. you can sing in English or Telugu or any language)

CHOREOGRAPHY

(Group)

8 SEPT Sun-1 pm

- **CHOREOGRAPHY** One Team per Church

Who is it for : One Team per Church
Team consists of min of 5 and max of 10 kids

Theme : "Enter His Courts with Praise"

Time Limit : 4 minutes

Rules :
- Only Christian Gospel numbers are allowed and No live music
- All participants in the dance should be between 3 to 17 years old
- Background song to be given in a USB Pendrive in MP3 format only. No CDs allowed.

Judging Criteria : Stage performance, Coordination, Synchronisation, Song selection and Costumes will be considered

FILM-MAKING *(Group)*

8 SEPT Sun-1 pm

- **FILM MAKING** Max two films per Church
- **CARNIVAL/GRAND FINALE** For All.

Who is it for : Max two film entries per Church

Theme : "The Greatest Sacrifice"

Time Limit : Film duration - 5 min. including credits

Rules :
- Number of actors in the frame - min 5 and max 10
- All actors in the short film to be strictly within 17 years
- Final, edited movie to be submitted in a USB pen drive to registration desk by 2 pm on Sun, 1st Sept., 2019 at the venue (i.e one week before the competition)
- Films should be submitted in the .mov, .avi, .mp4 or .wmv formats only.
- On Sun, 8 Sept, 2019 the films will be screened at the venue and the actors are required to be present

Judging Criteria : Concept, Acting, Impact, Exploration of theme etc.

THE KIDS CARNIVAL & GRAND FINALE

SUNDAY, 8 SEPT, 2019

1 PM ONWARDS

Performances, Prize Distribution & Champions Trophy!

REGISTRATION GUIDELINES (NO SPOT REGISTRATIONS ARE ALLOWED)

Registrations for all competitions will begin from Sunday, 14 July, 2019 at YMCA Sec'bad and on the website / meraevents.
Last date and time for registrations is exactly one week before each competition.

OPTIONS FOR REGISTRATIONS

ONLINE REGISTRATION: (Highly recommended) for all competitions are available at **www.meraevents.com/event/cfc5**
Payment to be made through the facility available at meraevents.com

OR

YMCA: Registration forms duly endorsed by, Sunday School Suptd. or Pastors, may be submitted at YMCA Secunderabad Office and payment made in cash / cheque (YMCA Office is open from 10 am to 6 pm Monday to Saturday.

OR

VENUE: Registration forms duly endorsed by Sunday School Suptd. or Pastor, may be submitted at the Registration Desk available at the venue, Wesley Degree College between 1 – 5 pm on all Sundays between 4th Aug to 1st Sept.
Registrations at the venue are only for upcoming competitions and not for events on the same day.

Hard copies of the registration forms are available at YMCA Sec'bad office or at the competition venue. Soft copy may be downloaded and printed from www.champsforchrist.in

* Unlimited number of entries for all individual competitions (except for Preaching & Mono Acting Competitions)
* Specific number of teams allowed for group events as mentioned against each event rules

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