

# FERRANDO SPEECH AND HEARING CENTRE

## ANNUAL REPORT

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## **APRIL**

**05-04-2023**

### **INCLUSIVE FOOTBALL MATCH**

Ferrando speech and hearing centre, organized an inclusive football match for both boys and girls, played between the students of the school with the students of Khrum Diengiei Higher Secondary School, Umbir. The event was organized to spread awareness on inclusive sports. The match ended with the student of FSHC emerged to be the winner in both category, followed by the distribution of trophy to the winner and medals to both teams.



**14-04-2023**

In the afternoon at 2:15 PM the students from Classes IV to XII attended the session on prevention and management of substance misuse. The session was taken by Mrs. Lavinia Marwein physiotherapist at 3:00 PM the session ended. This is part of UDISE programme.



**19-04-2023**

The new director of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre is Sr. Mandiamky Lamin, the teachers and students welcome her during morning assembly Sr. Arda Ryntathieng principal welcome her with words of welcome on behalf of the faculty of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre. The students presented her with a bouquet of flower and sang a welcome song. Then Sr. Mandiamky spoke in brief and the students proceeded to the classroom.



**20-04-2023**

**Conduct of Mock Exercise**

The office of the Deputy Commissioner Ri-Bhoi District Nongpoh, Govt of Meghalaya Kong Kyntiew Wanniang along with four (4) person from Civil Defence Nongpoh and eleven (11) Volunteers visited the School to conduct Mock Exercise. They reached the school premises around 10:00 a.m. They were welcomed by Sr. Arda Ryntathieng, the principal of the School. The students from classes III to XII attended the mock exercise. The activities including Mock Drill on Earthquake was organized in the School building thereafter presentation on Disaster prevention and details on “Do and Don’t” was held in the School hall. The event ended with vote of thank by the principal from the office of the Deputy Commissioner.



The students perform the practical mock exercise from the classroom to the school assembly ground, all the students eager to do the mock exercise and tried to show their ability. The session ended at 2:15 p.m. provided with snack packet for everyone.





**21-04-2023**

Health and wellness session conducted for the students of Ferrando Speech and hearing Centre. The students who attended were from Classes VI to XII the session began at 2:15 P.M to 3:00 P.M the topic was on Nutrition, Health and sanitation taken by Sr. Lily Nonglang a nurse of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre.



**24-04-2023: Introductory call with UCDVO manager**

Today at 2.00am Sr. Mandiamky and Ms. Lavavinia had a video with Hilary, the Manager of University College Dublin Volunteers Overseas. It was an introductory call since Sr. Mandiamky just took up as the Director of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre. They had discussion with regard to the budget for the forth coming summer camp in Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre in collaboration with the UCDVO. Ms. Lavinia also apprised her the progress of the preparation for the camp.

**25-04-2023:** Mrs. Lavinia visited Zero Point for identifying children with disabilities for individual home-based therapy.

**26-4-2023:** Mrs. Lavinia on this day visited Byrwa village and Mawlein village for identifying children with disabilities for the purpose of individual home-based therapy in view of the forthcoming summer camp in collaboration with UCDVO.

**26-04-2023: Eyes Screening and Capacity Building**

A team led by the superior Sr. Sushma Soy and the Director Sr. Mandiamky Lamin left FSHC at 7:00 am for Eyes screening and Capacity Building program to Umkynsier Upper Secondary School, Ri- Bhoi District Meghalaya. On reaching the School, they are welcomed by the school Head Master. Free eyes screening to the students was conducted by Sr. Sushma along with Mr. Firos and Ms. Pronita, where 42 students were screened and 4 spectacles was dispensed. While the Capacity building were carried out by Ms. Elreena Synrem and Ms. Riti Hynniewta. There were 14 teachers who participated in the capacity building program.



**27-04-2023**

Mrs. Lavinia had gone to Mawhati area for identifying children with disabilities for individual home-based therapy.

**28-04-2023**

Mrs. Lavinia paid a visit to Mawbri for identifying children with disabilities for individual home-based therapy in view of the forthcoming summer camp in collaboration with UCDVO in the month of July.

**28-04-2023**

Health and wellness session conducted for the students of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre. The students who attended were from Classes VI to XII the session began at 2:15 P.M to 3:00 P.M the topic was on Interpersonal relationship taken by Miss. Kara Synnah the assistant teacher of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre.





## MAY

### **01-5-2023: Workers Day**

The church keeps the feast of St. Joseph as well as All Workers Day. It's also a day where



we honour all our domestic workers. To mark this day there was a solemn Holy Mass in the morning. The Holy Mass was especially offered for all the domestic workers who helps daily in various departments. Sr. Sushma Soy the superior, presented a gift to all the domestic staff. There was lunch together with children and with all the

domestic staff and the sisters in the school ground. In the evening there was a short cultural programme put up by the children in thanksgiving for all the domestic staff for their service.



### **03-05-2023: Mynken Screening & Capacity Building**

A team was led by the superior Sr. Sushma Soy left FSHC at 9:00 A.M for Eyes screening and Capacity Building program to Mynken Secondary School, Ri - Bhoi District Meghalaya. On reaching the school, they were welcomed by the Head Master of the school. Ms. Elreena Synrem conducted a capacity building for the teachers. There were seven teachers who attended the program.



Free eyes screening to the students was conducted by Sr. Sushma along with Mr. Firos and Ms. Pronita.



### 05-05-2023

The students of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre went to Siloam to perform a prayer dance. During the opening ceremony in the International Seminar of All Indian Association for Christian Higher Education in India & Brinfaight Research Project, University of Hong Kong. The students were eight of them accompanied by Miss. Elreena Ryndem and Mrs. Kara Synnah.



### 05-05-2023



Health and wellness session conducted for the students of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre. The students who attended were from Classes VI to XII the session began at 2:15 P.M to 2:40 P.M the topic was on Value and responsible citizenship taken by Miss. Shidalin Kurbah the assistant teacher of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre.

### 06-05-2023: AIACHE India & BRP Hongkong Visitation

In the afternoon the participants of the international seminar of All Indian Association for Christian Higher education in India & Brinfaight Research Project, University of Hong Kong along with Fr. Joby of St. Anthony's college came to visit our centre. They spend quality time with the children. After the short introduction briefing about their program, tea and snacks was served for the children, which was sponsored by them. The children were happy and contended at their company.

### 07-05-2023: Veneration of the Relic of St. John Paul II



The sisters and the children went for Mass to Grace Villa. The holy mass was solemnized as the Jesus Youth from Shillong brought the relic of St. John Paul II. After the mass the relic of St. John Paul II was brought to Ferrando Speech and hearing centre from Grace Villa. The children and sisters gathered in the portico where there was a short prayer organized by the Sr. Sushma in front of the relic.

Everyone prayed and received blessing from the relic. After the prayer the relic was taken to Shillong.

### 11-05-2023

Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre conducted the rally in honour of World No Tobacco Day 2023 'My Meghalaya, Tobacco Free Meghalaya'. The students from classes III-XII take part in this rally along with 12 teachers. The rally began at 10:40 A.M started from school compus to Umbir shopping area. Every students were enthusiastic shouting 'No smoking' 'No tobacco' reached back to the school campus at 11:50 A.M served with cold drink for everyone.



### 12-05-2023

Health and wellness session conducted for the students of Ferrando Speech and hearing Centre. The students who attended were from Classes VI to XII the session began at 2:15 P.M to 2:40 P.M the topic was on Emotional well-being and mental health taken by Miss.Veelaris Kharthangmaw the assistant teacher of Ferrando Speech and Hearing centre.



### 15-5-2023:- Eyes screening at Mynken

Sr. Sushma Soy along with Mr. Firos and Ms. Pronita left FSHC at 9:00 am for Eyes screening to Mynken Secondary School, Ri- Bhoi District Meghalaya. Free eyes screening to the students who could not do earlier on 5<sup>th</sup> of May was done by Sr. Sushma.

### 18-05-2023

Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre conducted the rally in honour of World No Tobacco Day 2023 'My Meghalaya, Tobacco Free Meghalaya'. The students from classes K.G.I-III take part in this rally along with 8 teachers. The rally began at 10:40 A.M from Ferrando school compus to Umniuh village. Every students were enthusiastic shouting 'No smoking' 'No tobacco' reached back to the school compus at 11:40 A.M served with cold drink for everyone.





**19-05-2023**

In the morning Sir Anup K Singh, the JVS Lead Program of Inclusive Disability Development made a visit to our school. The sisters, teachers and the students welcomed him warmly to the school. Sir Anup had a meeting with Sr. Mandiamky, the Director and Sir Emmanuel, with regard to the budget and how to go about with the Portal that was introduced. After the meeting he also interacted with the children. He spent the night in the centre. The next day he left for Guwahati.



**24/5/2023:- Feast Of Mary Help Of Christians**

Today the Mother Church keeps the feast of Mary Help of Christians. It is also the name feast of our congregation. There was a sharing of fellowship meal together during the day. In the evening there was a solemn mass in honor of the feast of Mary Help of Christians. After the mass there was a cutting of the cake and distribution of the sweets in honor of those children who have celebrated their birthday during this month. Thus the day was spent meaningfully.





### 25-05-2023

On 25<sup>th</sup> May 2023 nine (9) students of Class XI for the Academic year (2022-23) of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre, received the C.M Digital Learning Aids (MTAB) at Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre Umniuh-Khwan. Hope this will be useful for the students to enhance their knowledge.



### 27-05-2023

Sr. Arda Rynthiang, coordinator of Nios and Sr. Mandiamky Lamin the assistant coordinator along with Miss. Elreena Synrem attended the meeting of the coordinators of all the study centers of NIOS of the state of Meghalaya from 3:00 P.M to 5:30 P.M at state Convention Centre, Shillong. NIOS signed the MoU with the state of Meghalaya, after that we discuss the various issues face by the Exam centre and study centre in different areas of the state.



### 30-05-2023

Ms. Anshika and her colleague from the department of Ministry of Home Affairs made a surprise visit to our school at around 12.00 noon. Sr. Mandiamky and Ms. Lavinia brief them with regards to the forth coming summer camp in collaboration with the UCDVO, Ireland, which was the main purpose of their visits.

### 31-05-2023

#### **World No Tobacco Day Award**

The students of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre participated in the signature campaign and rally on World No Tobacco Day 2023, in honour of this the government gave the award. Sr. Quentina and Miss. Elreena Synrem went to receive the award on behalf of the institution, which was held at conventional centre Shillong conducted by the state government of Meghalaya.





**Marian Procession:** Being the last day of the month of rosary in the evening there was Marian Procession together with the children in the compound. There was a procession where the statue of Mother Mary was carried and everyone was with the lighted candles. The rosary was organized by the sisters very meaningfully. After the rosary, there was a talk given by Sr. Sushma Soy, the Superior on our Blessed Mother.



## **JUNE**

### **01-06-2023**

In the morning Ms. Elreena Synrem & Sir. Emmanuel went to Community Learning Centre, Byrwa School to take photo of the assets for the Project Assets Verification which was asked by the CBM for the further confirmation. They returned to the centre by afternoon.

### **02-06-2023: First Friday Mass**

At 9.00 am there was a first Friday Holy Mass in the Hall together with teaching staff and the children. Fr. Pheiga SJ came to celebrate the Holy Mass. After the mass they resume their classes as usual.



### **02-06-2023**

Health and wellness session conducted for the students of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre. The students who attended were from Classes VI to XII the topic was on promotion of healthy lifestyle taken by Mrs. Lavinia Marwein physiotherapist of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre.



### **03-06-2023**

On 03<sup>rd</sup> April 2023, School Screening Camp was conducted at RMSA Secondary School, where 65 students were screened and 8 spectacles were dispensed.

### **05-06-2023 - World Environment Day**

In the morning around 9.30 am Sr. Sushma Soy along with 30 students went to St. Francis Assisi Secondary School to commemorate the World Environment Day. The students of Ferrando speech and hearing centre performed a street play on saving trees and caring the environment. They also participated in the rally. Thereafter they planted trees in St. Francis Assisi Secondary School's compound. There were also other communities and schools who took part on this event.



Our students performed a short street play      Planting trees at St. Francis School, Umbir

### **08-06-2023 - Mawlyndep Eye Screening**

Free eyes screening to the students of Mawlyndep Secondary school was conducted by Sr. Sushma along with Mr. Firos and Ms. Pronita, where 45 students were screened and 8 spectacles was dispensed.

Ms. Elreena Synrem conducted capacity building to the teachers where eight teachers attended.

### **14-06-2023**

Inauguration for the Annual sports of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre began at 9:30 a.m. The M.C was Miss. Barisha Kharumnuid. The chief guest of the event were Sr. Sushma Soy the superior, Sr. Lilly Nonglang the Nurse and Sr. Mandiamky Lamin the Director. The chief guest were escorted by the house captain and principal.





Miss. Barisha Kharumnuid the M.C. greet everyone who have gathered for the function. The sports events that is going to fill everyone with power, self-confident and of course winning spirit.

Sr. Arda Ryntathieng the principal gave a short welcome word for the chief guest and the whole assembly.







**15-06-2023**

On 16<sup>th</sup> June 2023, School Screening Camp was conducted at Mynken RSMA Secondary School, where 34 students were screened and 13 spectacles was dispensed.

**20-06-2023: Meeting on UCDVO Programme**

Sr. Mandiamky had called for a short meeting with regard to the upcoming University College Dublin Volunteers Overseas program. Sr. Arda, Ms. Lavinia and Ms. Dona were present. Sr. Mandiamky brought to their notice that there was a voice call from the UCDVO manager informing about the shifting of the Sumer camp to last week of July due to Visa issues the volunteers are facing. After discussion we came to conclusion to make adjustment to shift to last week of July.

**21-06-2023: Disability People’s Organization**

There was a trainig for the Disability People’s Organization based on the topic on the “Rights of People with Disability”. Ms. Rida Marwein was the resource person for the seminar. Ms. Elreena Synrem was the host for the event. Sr. Mandiamky Lamin the Director gave the welcome speech for the gathering. There were 56 Participants. The seminar ended with a tea and snacks.





**23-06-2023: Cancellation of UCDVO Program**

Today we got the official news of the cancellation of the UCDVO Summer camp due to Visa problem faced by the volunteers though it was proposed of postponing to last week of July 2023

**26-06-2023:- Closing ceremony of the Sports Week.**

The three days sports came to conclusion on this day. The Chief guest for the closing ceremony was Sr. Mandiamky. There was a short message from Sr. Mandiamky where she emphasized on sports help us to learn that we can lose knowing that we are not losers and what matters is the spirit of participation. Soon there was prize distribution followed by the lowering of the flag and announcement of the closing of the Annual sports of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre 2023.



**26-06-2023: Training of trainers and of children North East Zone**

There was a training programme for the trainers and the children from 26<sup>th</sup> June to 28<sup>th</sup> June in Auxilium Reach Out at Chandmari Guwahati. Two of our children Hamsilet and Anamika along with Ms. Elreena Synrem went for the programme. They left to Guwahati in the afternoon. The children took part actively in the activities and return with much enthusiasm and full of insights.



## **26-06-2023 Shillong Commerce College Visit**

In the morning hour at around 11.00 am the students from Shillong Commerce College along with the faculty members came for the educational tour for inclusive education to the centre. The teachers and the students gathered in the assembly hall. There was a short introductory speech given by one of the students about the purpose of their visit. After which Sr. Mandiamky the director gave a zest of the history about the centre and its purpose. There was a general interaction with the teachers and the children.



## **JULY**

### **01-07-2023 - Kid Tarari Choir Visit**

Ferrando Speech and hearing centre is blessed to have one of the Kid Tarari members from Nongstoin along with her family and friends to celebrate her birthday. All the hostellers gathered in the school assembly where there were cutting of the cake by the birthday girl and followed by entertainment by the Kid Tarari team. They sponsored tea and snacks for everyone. They then took leave for Nongstoin.



### **07-07-2023**

Sr. Mandiamky along with Ms. Elreena had gone to meet the Principal of Divine Mercy Secondary school, Lumkeni with regards to the proposal of Divine Mercy school as the community education centre. They met the principal and glad to get a good response and the eagerness to collaborate, and they look forward to carry out the necessary activities and the need of the centre at the earliest.

### **10-07-2023 (Picnic to Sohra)**

The teaching staff and non-teaching staff of Ferrando Speech and Hearing centre left for Sohra at 7 am. They visited Kynrem falls and had lunch in Thangkarang Park. It was a pleasant day and everyone enjoyed. They also visited the students' family where they were warmly welcomed. They left Sohra at 5pm.





### 13-07-2023

Sr. Mandiamky Lamin, the Director had gone for the meeting to the office of the Commissioner for person with disabilities at 11.00 am. The meeting was chaired by Smt. S.B.Marak, Commissioner for person with disabilities. The purpose of the meeting was to review and discuss on identification of post for persons with disabilities based on the new Rights of Persons with disabilities, 2016.

### 21-7-2023

Sr. Mandiamky along with Ms. Lavinia and Ms. Elreena had a short meeting with regard to the forth coming training for teachers on Community Education Centers. They were discussing about the scheduled for two days and it is as follows.

Training on Inclusive Community Programmme

Day 1 (10<sup>th</sup> August 2023)

Timing	
9:00 AM	Arrival/ Registration
10:00 AM	Introduction / Welcome Speech/ prayer dance
10:15-11:15 AM	Types of Disabilities (Ms. Lavinia)
11:15-11:30 AM	BREAK
11:30-12:30 PM	Types of Disabilities (Ms. Lavinia)
12:30-1:30 PM	LUNCH
1:30-3:00 PM	Types of Disabilities (Ms. Lavinia)
3:00-4:00 PM	Special provision& benefits for CWSN/PWDs (Ms. Riti)
4:00 PM	Tea & departure
6:00 PM	Sign Language (Ms. Rosina)
7:30 PM	Dinner

Day 2 (11<sup>th</sup> August 2023)

Timing	
8:00-08:45 AM	Breakfast
9:00 10:15 AM	Classroom Management (Ms. Koina)
10:15-11:15 AM	Participation (Ms. Enisha)
11:15-11:30 AM	BREAK
11:30-12:30 PM	Accessibility (Ms. Colety)
12:30-1:30 PM	LUNCH
1:30-2:30 PM	Accessibility (Ms. Colety)
2:30-4:00 PM	Q&A/Discussion/feedback
4:00 PM	Tea & departure

**22-07-2023 NEHU Students Visit**

In the morning hour at around 11.30 am the M.A students from Department of Adult& Contiuing Education North Eastern hills University shillong of along with the Dr.Jacinta, the HOD came for the field visit cum educational orientation and exposure to the centre.

The teachers and the students gathered in the assembly hall. There was a short introductory speech given by one of the students about the purpose of their visit. After which Sr. Mandiamky the director gave a zest of the history about the centre and its purpose. The M.A students also performed some song entertaining the children. There was a general interaction with the teachers and the children. The snacks were then served to the children of Ferrando speech and hearing centre by the students from Commerce College.



**26-07-2023: Online meeting**

Today at 2.00am Sr. Mandiamky and Ms. Lavavinia had an online meeting with the UCVDVO team. Ms. Lavinia apprised the team once with the plan to carry on with the camp in the midst of September and From the UCDVO assure their help, support and assistance during the camp in the form of online mode.

**27-07-2023: Capacity building**



Ms. Elreena Synrem had gone to Mawhati community school, Mawhati and conducted a capacity building for the teachers. There were fourteen teachers who attended the program.

**27-07-2023- Home based Therapy**

Mrs. Lavinia paid a visit to Raitong for identifying children with disabilities for individual home based therapy in view of the forthcoming summer camp in collaboration with UCVDVO in the month of July.





**28-07-2023: PTS Umran visits**

The Police Training school, Umran had conducted a one-day workshop on “Security and safety of Disable persons”. Ferrando speech and hearing centre deputed two of its staff Ms. Lavinia and Ms. Elreena as resource person for the workshop. In the afternoon the Participants of the workshop including from the rank of constable to Inspector visited the centre for interaction with the students.



**AUGUST**

**03-08-2023: Jirang visit**

Sr. Mandiamky, Ms. Riti and Ms. Elreena left FSHC at 7.30am for Jirang. They visited the following schools Jirang Govt Secondary School, Patharkhmah Govt. Hr. sec School, Umrit Secondary School, Umsong Secondary School and Center Village School. The capacity building was conducted in Jirang Govt. School. There were teachers who participated in the program.



Meanwhile in the centre the Nursing Students from St.Joseph Academy of Nursing Umtrew Ri-Bhoi, came for study tour to understand and learn on Inclusive Education.





## **10 & 11-08-2023: Training for Teachers on Community Education Centres**

A two days training for teachers on Community Education centres was conducted by Ferrando Speech and hearing centre on 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> of August at Siloam, Umnuh. There were 36 participants. There were sessions on 'Types of disabilities' by Ms. Lavinia, Special provision & benefits for CWSN/PWds by Ms. Riti, Classroom management by Ms. Koina, Participation by Ms. Enisha and Accessibility by Ms. Colety.

The participants participated actively and they were acknowledging that they benefited much from the program.

On the last day the program was concluded with the distribution of the certificate to all the participants.



## **12-08-2023 (Shillong Run)**

34 students along with Sir Johnkit participated in Shillong run organized by K.J.P. Synod Sepngi (Agency for sustainable Development Initiative) twelve students got prizes. Banlamjingshai Syiem 1st prize, Moris Taro 2nd, Yabom Bui 2nd, Kateni Ashihrii 3rd and 8 of them got consolation prize.



## **14-08-2023: Pre-Independence Day Celebration**

Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre anticipated the Independence day celebration. In the afternoon at 1:40 p.m. the students perform the march past in four distinguish houses. After the March past there was a short speech by Sr. Mandiamky Lamin, where she emphasized on the two principles that our country and the leader who fought for our freedom stands for that is Truth and Non-violence.





### 15-08-2023

Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre anticipated the Independence Day celebration. In the afternoon at 1:40 p.m. the students perform the march past in four distinguish houses and chosen the best performer. After the march past Hoisting of the National flag by Sr. Sushma Soy superior.



At 10:00 A.M 30 students 14 girls, 16 boys along with 3 teachers Sr. Quentina Taropi, Miss. Rosina Situng and Miss. Ronika Lapasam went to Raj Bhavan Shillong to participated in the celebration of Independence Day.



### 18-08-2023

The nursing students from Rapsbun Nazareth hospital Shillong came to visit Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre as part of their curriculum. Sr. Mandiamky Lamin the director gave a brief introduction about Ferrando institution. The nursing students sang few songs after that they interact with the students. Then they went back.



### **21-08-2023**

Sr.Sushma Soy along with Sr.Tngenlang Sten , Mr Feroz and Ms.Pronita had gone to Mawhati community school for Eye screening. They left FSHC at 7.00 am. There were around 300 students. Free eye screening was given to the students. They could not finish on the same day. They will be going again some other day since there were quite many students.

### **26-08-2023**

Sr. Arda Ryntathiang, Miss. Rosina Situng, Miss. Darihun Kharpor, Pdianghunlang Kurbah, Johnkit Maring and Lalboi Paite went for past pupils meeting to Guwahati



Provincial house organized by Sr. Shiji James the councillor for Education Ferrando Province Guwahati, Pdianghun Kurbah was the interpreter for past pupils from Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre Umniuh and Ferrando Nandannagar, there were eleven school came to attend the meeting. The programme started at 10:15 A.M the session taken by Sr.

Cathrine Joseph general councillor for Education and the selection for the office bearer, Lalboi Paite past pupil from Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre selected as joint secretary.

### **31-08-2023: Visit to CLC, Byrwa**

Sr.Mandiamky, Ms.Elreena along with Ms.Colety went to visit Community Learning centre at Byrwa. At 9.30 am they reached the centre. The children along with teachers and Aganwadi worker were there. They spent some time in the centre. From there they proceeded to Ms.Julinda Shabong's house, with the purpose of learning about her success case story with regard to the help she received through the livelihood project under CBM. After spending time interacting with her they learned that she is very happy and grateful for the help received. They then left and proceeded to Mawbri secondary School to meet the Principal with regard to the program on Blended learning which they plan to conduct in Mawbri School.





## SEPTEMBER

**05-09-2023: Teacher's day celebration** To mark this special day of the Academic calendar the students express their gratitude by welcoming the teachers by putting the batch on them. The celebration began at 9:15 a.m. with the Holy Mass by Fr.P.A. Thomas SDB from Nonglakhiat. Before the Holy Mass Sr. Queentina Taropi read the introduction message. The students sang the hymn beautifully during the Holy Eucharistic celebration. The program started with a prayer dance by the students, a welcome speech by Sr.Mandiamky Lamin, Director of FSHC and a floral tribute to Dr.Radhakrishna Sarvapalli was organized by Sr.Arda Ryntathieng. Message from the students for the teachers was delivered. The Students sang a festal song while the gifts were presented to the teachers which was then followed by the cutting of the cake. The students performed various items from classes Nursery to class XII like dances, short play, jokes, modeling and skits. The programme ended at 2:15 p.m. the teachers and sisters had lunch in the dining hall.



### 07-09-2023

On 09<sup>th</sup> August 2023, Village and School Screening Camp was conducted at Ferrando Inclusive School, Zero Point where 198 students were screened and 16 spectacles was dispensed.

**09-09-2023: New Replacement:** The blue chair from computer room -1 worn out, so they were replaced with 15 new stools.



### 11-09-2023:

**Staff meeting** It was held today at 9:15 a.m. Sr.Mandiamky Lamin Director FSHC attended for the first time. Sr.Arda Ryntathiang started with the sign of the cross then Sr.Quentina Taropi read from the Bible Gospel of St.John 10:11 .Sr.Arda Ryntathiang welcome Sr.Mandiamky Lamin followed by reading the previous report by Sr.Quentina Taropi. The agenda for the meeting was to discuss about the world Deaf Day which will be held on 27<sup>th</sup> September 2023. Sr.Mandiamky Lamin suggested Sr.Maya Pohshna, the Vice provincial of Guwahati province to be the Chief Guest. The past pupils will also be invited. It was also decided to felicitate Lalboi Paite, one of the past pupils from Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre who was selected as Joint secretary for past pupils association in the province level. The teachers were given with various responsibilities. The meeting concluded at 10:45 a.m. with a spontaneous prayer by Sr.Arda Ryntathiang.

Sr.Mandiamky had gone for the three days Economers meet organized by Sr.Ancilla, the General Economer held in Bethel in the evening.





**13-09-2023:** In the Morning Sr.Mandiamky Lamin came back after the three days program in Bethel.

**15-09-2023: Marathon Race:** 10 Students from Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre, 5 boys and 5 girls went to participate in marathon race from Lad-Umsaw to UCC. It was organized by Union Christian College, Meghalaya in collaboration with

Meghalaya AIDS control society. The marathon began at 6:30 a.m. Sr. Luizamoni Rabha, Miss.Rosina Situng, Miss. Pronita Nongbri and Sir. Feroz Marbaniang accompanied the students by sumo. Yabom in the Girl's category got 7<sup>th</sup> position, while Moris, Banlamjingshai and Dali from the boy's category secured 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> position respectively. They had light refreshment and around 8:30 am they came back.



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At 12:00 noon another group of 10 students went by bus to UCC to participate in the Skit competition, District level Red Ribbon Festival (the theme of the skit is HIV free Meghalaya. The students were accompanied by Miss. Elreena Synrem and Miss. Diana Ryndem. The students won the 1<sup>st</sup> prize for skit competition.



**16-09-2023: Distribution of Prize and Trophy :**Mr. A.Banshan. S. Kharkongor from UCC came to hand over the Trophy and certificate of the students who went to participate in the marathon and Skit competition on 15<sup>th</sup> September.



### **19-9-23 Eyes screening and Capacity Building**

A team led by the superior Sr. Sushma Soy, along with Sr.Tngenlang Sten left FSHC at 8:00 am for Eyes screening to Mawhati Community School Ri- Bhoi District Meghalaya. On reaching the School, they are welcomed by the school Head Master. Free eyes screening to the students was conducted by Sr.Sushma along with Mr.Firoz and Ms.Pronita.

**22-09-23: Canonical visitation:** Sr.Liza Chettri, The Provincial of Ferrando province, Guwahati came for canonical visitation to Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre from 21<sup>st</sup> -23<sup>rd</sup> September 2023. Today the 22<sup>nd</sup> of September she addressed the school during the morning assembly at 9:00 am. Sr. Queentina Taropi, the Vice principal welcomed Sr. Lisa Chettri with a welcome note, after that the students sang a welcome song. In her talk she assured them that they are the beautiful creation of God and God wants them to be happy always. She also encouraged them to be focused in their studies and keep up their dreams as they are capable of reaching it.



They then proceeded to the staff room where Sr.Liza Chettri, met the teachers. She interacted with the teachers where six teachers shared their experiences of the challenges they faced in the early years of their teaching and how it has enabled them to be more committed in this noble task. The interaction concluded with a vote of thanks by Mrs.Lavinia Marwein, the physiotherapist.





On the same day, twelve students from Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre left for Shillong at 8:40 a.m. to participate in the State Level skit competition on HIV organized by Meghalaya Aids control society Shillong. They were accompanied by Ms.Elreena Synrem and Ms.Diana Ryndem. Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre has been awarded 1<sup>st</sup> position, in the short play competition State Level rock the ribbon youth fest 2023.



**27-09-23: World Deaf Day Celebration 2023**

The International Day of the Deaf also known as World Deaf Day was observed at Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre on 27 September, 2023 by emphasizing on the theme, *“A world where deaf people everywhere can sign anywhere”*. Several dignitaries like Sr. Maya Pohshna, former principal of FSHC and Mr. Ferdinand Lyngdoh, President of Federation of People with Disabilities and a research scholar were invited as the Guest of Honor and Chief Guest, respectively. The past pupils of FSHC also attended which made the occasion profoundly rich and colorful. Sr. Maya in her speech talked about the significance of familial support, the establishment and pursuance of a goal, pure commitment and dedication. Subsequently, Mr. Ferdinand mentioned about empowerment of the deaf community through promotion of sign language, and all the available opportunities and entitlements. Consequently, Mr. Lalboi Paite and Mr. Rahul Sharma were felicitated during the occasion. Mr. Lalboi Paite in his speech talked about integration, ways to integration, exiting negative social perception against the deaf community, why one should negate that and also extended his gratefulness towards MSMHC. The programme was quite a success as it was not only educative but equally empowering for all the participants. The programme ended with a family meal. The teachers and past pupils had lunch in the dining hall while the students had in the court yard.





## OCTOBER

**03-10-23: Eyes screening** Free eyes screening to the villagers of Umnih-khwan was conducted by Sr.Sushma along with Mr.Firoz and Ms.Pronita. They began at 9am in the community hall of the village. The village Headman was there to welcome the team. The screening was carrying on up to 5pm in the evening. There were around ...people. The medicines and free spectacles were distributed.

**06-10-23: Inclusive Sport** An inclusive sport was organized by Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre between Mynken school and FSHC for both boys and girls at Mynken School. From the boys category FSHC emerge as the winner while the girls bag the runners up. The Trophy and medals were distributed to the participants and the winners.



**11-10-23: DSEO's Visit:** Mrs Phoilinda Nonglait, the District school education Officer from Nongpoh came for a short visit to Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre. She was very glad and surprised to see many students with disability in the classroom. She interacted with students and appreciated the work and services rendered by the institution towards the children with disability. She took leave of the place after spending ample in the centre.

**14-10-23: Arm Wrestling:** Thirty three students from Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre went to participate in the Arm wrestling held in Malki, Shillong. 19 boys and 14 girls had competed in different categories and many of them got prizes. Sr.Mandiamky Lamin, Sir.Freddie Ryntathiang, Sir.Damian Nongtdu, Ms.Ronika Lapasam, Ms.Rosina Situng and Ms.Elreena Synrem accompanied the students.





**13.10.2023: Purchase of materials for CEC:** Sr.Mandiamky along with Sir Emmanuel and Miss.Elreena had gone to Shillong to buy Laptop, almirah and books for library and the TLMs for the Community education centre.

**19.10.2023: Distribution of TLMs:** At 9.00am Sr.Mandiamky along with Sir Emmanuel and Miss.Elreena went to Divine Mercy School, Lumkeni, Umsning ,the Community Education centre to distribute the laptop, TLMs, the Almirah and books for library. They were warmly welcomed by the Principal, teachers and students of the school. Sr.Mandiamky expressed her gratitude for the willingness of the school to collaborate while Sir Emmanuel and Miss.Elreena briefed them with how to use the materials. They, in returned expressed their gratefulness to the centre for reaching out to them.



**25.10.2023: Blended learning:** Blended learning program was conducted for the parents of the students at Mynken School. The program started at 10 a.m. where Sir Emmanuel is the Resource person and Miss. Elreena, the interpreter. There were 37 participants. After the program refreshment were served to all the participants.



**30.10.2023: Eyes screening**

A team led by the superior Sr. Sushma Soy, left FSHC at 8:00 am for Eyes screening to Mawhati Community School Ri- Bhoi District Meghalaya. Free eyes screening to the students was conducted by Sr.Sushma along with Mr.Firoz and Ms.Pronita.

**27-10-23: Excursion to Accoland** Students of classes X, XI, XII of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre went for excursion to Accoland Guwahati. They were accompanied by Sr.Arda Rynthiang, Sr.Mandiamky Lamin, Sr.Tngenglang Sten, Mrs.Shidalin Kurbah, Ms.Barisha Kharumnuid, Mrs.Carolyne Buhphang, Ms.Ronika Lapasam, Miss.Elreena Synrem, Ms.Emesaka Nongtdu, Sir.Freddie Rynthiang, Sir.Johnkit Maring, and Sir Damian Nongtdu. The students enjoyed and spent ample time and reached home around 9:00 p.m.



### **31.10.2024 Children Parliament Meeting**

Children Parliament Meeting was held in FSHC. The program Started at 9.30 am with the registration. There were 43 participants from four different schools namely, Umeit school, Mawlyndep school, Ferrando Inclusive school, Zero point and Ferrando Speech and hearing Centre. The program was based on the UN sustainable development goals (SDG) the morning sessions were given by Ms. Iamonlang Syiem. Lunch was served to the students and the teachers who accompanied the students. The afternoon session was then taken over by Ms.Elreena.

## **NOVEMBER**

**01-11-23: Picnic Day** The Students of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre from classes Nursery to I, went for picnic to Nehru park Umiam at 10:00 a.m. They were accompanied by Sr.Sushma Soy, Sr.Queentina Taropi, and the class teachers. The students had a lot of fun at the park followed by a satisfying lunch before returning to the school at 2.15pm.





**03-11-23: Picnic Day** The Students of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre from classes II to V, went for picnic to Umpohwein, Dawanki resort at 9:00 a.m. They were accompanied by Sr. Queentina Taropi and the class teachers. After lunch they came back to the school at 3:00 p.m.



**Purchase of Projector CEC:** Sr.Mandiamky along with Sir Emmanuel and Miss. Elreena had gone to Shillong to buy projector for the Community education centre.

**6 to 24<sup>th</sup>-11-2023**

**UCDVO Residential camp**

- The residential camp is conducted for 3 groups of children with disability (2-18 years)
- Week 1 – Dt. 6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> November 23 attended by 11 children
- Week 2 – Dt. 13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> November 23 attended by 10 children
- Week 3 – Dt. 20<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> November 23 attended by 7 children and 5 school children
- The team is lead by the Physiotherapy unit under FSHC, Umniuh.
- Physical Therapist ( Lavinia & Donna)
- Occupational Therapist (Reggie CRC)
- Speech & Language Therapist ( Thomson CRC)
- Prosthetist & Orthotist (Lenin)
- Health Care Educator & Nurse (Sr. Lily )

**8.11.2023 Handing over of Projector:** At 9.00am Sir Emmanuel and Miss. Elreena went to Divine Mercy School, Lumkeni, Umsning, the Community Education centre to hand over the Projector and they demonstrated to the teachers how to use it.

**Picnic Day** he Students of Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre from classes VI to IX, accompanied by Sr. Queentina Taropi and the class teachers went for picnic to Umpohwein, Dawanki resort at 9:00 a.m.



**NEHU M.Ed students Visit :**On the same day the M.Ed students from NEHU Shillong came to visit Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre as part of their curriculum and they presented few learning materials for the students.



**13.11.2023 DPO program** The DPO program was held in FSHC where 90 participants of the organization including the parents of the person with disability were also present. The Resource person were Ms.Colety and Ms.Elreena

**29-11-23: Pre-Christmas Celebration** The Final Examination for K.G to IX got over today. In the afternoon the Pre-Christmas celebration in the school was celebrated. At 12:30 p.m. the sisters and all the staffs assembled in the dining hall where the Christmas cake was cut. The gifts were then presented to the teachers followed by a sumptuous lunch together.





When the lunch got over everyone assembled in the assembly ground where the students performed few items. The Christmas message was delivered by Sr.Sushma Soy, the Superior followed by Christmas song, dances from class Nursery, X, XI, XII students' boys and girls as well as from teachers.



## DECEMBER

**1-12-2023 Domestic staff picnic** Accompanied by Sr.Sushma Soy, the Superior, 14 of the domestic staff set out for picnic to Marngar Lake in Nongpoh. They started their journey at 8.00 am. They spent ample time in Marngar lake where they also had their lunch there. As they returned they entered Nongkhrah and Nongpoh community. They returned to the centre at 6pm.

**2-12-2023 Interpreter for one day** Bhakupar Riahtam one of the class X student together with sisters from Umroi, had gone to Guwahati to be an interpreter for the Past Pupil meet of the office bearers of the Congregation as one of the members is Hearing Impaired.



**04-12-2023 World Disability Day:** The Students from Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre went to Shillong state library to participate in the programme organized by the state Commissionaire for disability in honour of the World Disability Day. There were 3 students from class-VIII and 4 from class-IX accompanied by Ms.Rosina Situng, Ms.Ronika Lapasam and Mrs.Carolyne Buhphang.

On the same day 10 students along with Sr.Mandiamky had gone to be part of the celebration of World Disability day organisdd by Umsning block. The students performed a prayer dance

While in the centre to mark this day different outdoor competition were organized during the day and the prized were distributed to the winner in the evening .



**05-12-23 Indus Towers Scholarship Program for person with disability.:** The Students from Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre accompanied by Sr.Luiza Moni and Sir.Johnkit Maring went to Bethany society Shillong to receive a scholarship certificate funded by Indus Towers Scholarship Program for person with disability. 6 students received the scholarship: Dolsikan Rani, Kateni Ashirhii, Lahunshisha Kshiar, Alboreen Nongsiej are pursuing class-XII while Baiahunlang Wahlang, Kapesa Jacinta are pursuing class-XI. Thanks to the effort of Sir John Kit.





**Capacity building** Ms.Elreena together with Ms.Colety conducted capacity building for teachers of different school of Umsning in Dewlieh School. The program is funded by CBM and implemented by Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre. There were 22 teachers participating in it. The topics dealt with were on types of disability and classroom management

**Job mela** The Job mela was organized at Byrwa. The program Started at 10.00am. There were 32 participants. The Resource person was Mrs.Reena Nongrum who enlightened the participants with her knowledge on Pickle making with different kind of ingredients and flavor such as dry fish pickle, pork pickle, bamboo shoot pickle etc.

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## **JANUARY 2024**

**06-01-2024:** The students of class X, XI, and XII were back to the hostel to prepare for the Board examination.

**19-01-2024:** Sr.Arda Ryntathiang went to Social Forum Ramchai Hills Guwahati to attend workshop on Educational Law organized by Assam Catholic Educational trust. The sessions began at 10:30 a.m. up-to 5:00 p.m. Sr. Arda Ryntathiang came back together with the sisters from Nongkhrah.

**22-01-2024:** Sr.Arda Ryntathiang went to Shillong St.Anthony's college to attend workshop on CUET UG which was for Principals of Catholic Institutions organized by the Archbishop House Shillong.

**23-01-2024:** Pre Board Examination for SSLC and HSSLC began today at 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The subject teachers came for the invigilation.



**25-01-2024:** Sr.Arda Ryntathiang went to BRC Umsning to submit the name of the new students 2023, to be entered in the UDISE. After that proceeded to St.Michael Higher Secondary school to pay the centre fee for HSSLC candidates for the Disabled students exempted.

**31-01-2024:** Pre Board examination concluded today for SSLC and HSSLC.

## **FEBRUARY 2024**

**01-02-2024:** class XI promotion Examination began today there are 4 boys and 4 girls. The examination begin at 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.



Entrance test conducted today for the new admission students. There are 9 students for different classes. Miss.Merylyne Nongbsap and Miss.Rosemary Kurbah came for the invigilation and did the correction of the answers script.

**02-02-2024:** Entrance test result announced today all the 9 students were promoted on consideration.

**05 & 06-02-2024:** Renewal and book selling for dayscholar.

**07-02-2024:** Pre Board result was given out today for class X and XII. The students need to work harder for the next session. Sr.Arda Ryntathiang gave a short instruction for the parents of class XII on CUET common university entrance test. Its challenging for our students but no exception since it is the rules for all the students want to pursuit for graduation.



**08-02-2024:** The hostellers were back to convent today from their winter vacation.

**12-02-2024:** School Re-opened today. All the teachers were present and majority of the students were also present except few of them because of the health issue. Everyone were excited to be back to school and begin the new schoolastic year 2024. At 8:45 am Sr.Queentina Taropi vice principal conducted a short prayer service at the assembly ground. Began with a reading from the Bible by Hamsilet Suchiang class X student, followed by lighting of the candle. Sr. Queentina Taropi invited Sr.Arda Ryntathiang principal, Sr.Mandiamky Lamin director, Miss Enisha Kahit teacher's representative and Hamsilet Suchiang student's representative to light the candle. Then Sr.Queentina Taropi made a short prayer and cloncluded with the Lord's



prayer. Sr.Arda Ryntathiang made an announcement and welcome everyone back to school.



Everyone proceeded to the hall for the Holy mass Fr. P.A. Thomas SDB from Nonglakhiat presided over the Holy Mass. He gave a beautiful homily that as students should ask the help and guidance of the Holy Spirit to be filled with wisdom. After the Holy Mass gave short break then the students went to the classrooms the teachers took attendance. The staff meeting began at 11:10 am, students of class X and XII incharge to see the other classes. The Agenda for the meeting were



1. NCERT textbooks followed only for class IX and X.
2. Sports
3. Punctuality
4. School timing
5. Assisting students during break and lunch
6. Information while absent
7. Report card need to make changes.

The meeting concluded with a short prayer by Sr.Luizamoni Rabha. The teachers and students went back home since the school was only upto 12:00 pm.

**15-02-2024:** The promotion examination for class XI was successfully concluded today.



**16-02-2024:** Sr. Arda Rynthiang the Principal went to St. Michael Higher Secondary School, Umsning to collect the Admit Card of Class XII.

**21-02-2024:** The day marks the birthday of Sr. Sushma Soy the animator of the Ferrando Speech and Hearing Center. In honour of her birthday the students put up few items during morning assembly. Students Safinia Thangkiew and Novinus Dhkar were the Main Comentator. There were dances from the kids and senior students, words of appreciation by Napylika and a Birthday message from Sr. Sushma Soy the Animator.



**22-02-2024:** The results of Class XI was declared today to the students.





**23-02-2024:** Class XII began their classes today.

**27-02-2024:** There was a birthday commemoration of Sr. Luizamoni Rabha during the morning assembly. A short entertainment programme was displayed by the students. Student Welkas Kharbuki was the Main comentator accompanied by Ayush Minj for signing. There was one dance, one birthday song and a word of apprciation by Banteilang Lynshiang and Phyrnai Shabong. Sr. Luizamoni Rb delivered a birthday message followed by the distribution of the sweets.



**28-02-2024:** The HSSLC examination began today with the computer Practical at St. Michael Higher Secondary School Umsinng. Sr. Arda Ryntathiang the Principal and Miss Barisha accompanied the students to the exam centre. Sr. Arda returned to school while Miss Barisha remained till the exam was over.

**29-02-2024:** Miss Barisha Kharmunuid went for the meeting to St. Francis Higher Secondary School Umbir inorder to get instruction for invigilation during HSSLC examination.

## **MARCH 2024**

**04-03-2024:** The SSLC Board examination began today. 13 students from Ferrando Speech and Hearing Centre appeared for the examinaton. Miss Barisha Kharmunniud accompanied them to the exam centre. The new beginners for nursery classes began today. After the assembly there was a short opening ceremony for the nursery students in the Hall. Sr. Arda Ryntathiang the Principal welcomed everyone. There was an action song performed by the small kids and one dance from class VIII students which was then followed by lighting of the lamp. It was done by Sr. Sushma Soy, Miss Susie, one parents representatives and two nursery students. Thereafter Miss Pronita Nongbri read out a passage from the Holy Bible and a short reflection delivered by Sr. Arda Ryntathiang. The nursery students came forward and wrote the first alphabet on the rice where Miss Rosemary and Miss Susie helped the students to do it. Then Sr. Sushma Soy prayed over each students followed by the group photo session and then the students proceeded to the class rooms.



**08-03-2024:** There was a staff meeting in the afternoon which was mainly kept for the discussion for upcoming sport weeks.





**13-03-2024:** Sr. Arda Ryntathieng went to MBOSE Shillong to submit the SSLC internal marks for the rectification.

**14-03-2024:** In the afternoon Fr. Sabu Francis MSFS Provincial from Guwahati Province and Mr. Joachim and Mrs. Christina From Germany made a short visit to our school as they were on their way to Shillong. The students welcomed them with a song and garlanded them with a shawl. They spent some time interacting with the students.



**15-03-2024:** The SSLC examination concluded today.

18-03-2024: The Annual Sport weeks began today. There was a solemn inauguration for the event. Fr. Thomas SDB From Nonglakhiat was there to grace the occasion. Miss. Daiana Ryndem and Sir. Freddie Ryntathieng were the Main Commentator. The procedure for the days program was as follows.

1. Welcoming The Chief Guest.
2. Welcome speech by Sr. Mandaimky Lamin
3. Burning of the Torch.
4. Hoisting of the flag
5. School Anthem
6. March Pass
7. Pledge taking
8. Speech by Chief Guest
9. Dance by kids
10. Vote of thanks by Luizamoni
11. Declaration of the sport week.





Thus, the day ended with few games.



**22-03-2024:** Annual sports week closing ceremony. The parents of day scholar were invited on this day to show their support and encouragement for their children. It started with a prayer dance by the students followed by a welcome speech by Sr.Arda Ryntathiang. Prize distribution for kids and sub-junior which was followed by prize distribution for juniors. Speech by Sr.Sushma Soy followed by the dance from kids continued prize distribution for seniors. Dance by Lessa Rang and companions then lowering of the flag, school Anthem, vote of thanks by Sr. Queentina Taropi, announcing of the house winner. The day ended with refreshments for parents, students and staff.





**28-03-2024:** The school began holidays for the Holy week till 1<sup>st</sup> of April.