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The one day trip to the Thanjavur Brihadeeshwara Temple was an interesting saunter into the past.

The magnificence of the temple built by the great Chola King Raja Raja Chola was a feast for the eyes. Our thirst for knowledge of the temple's historical past of a bygone era was quelled when we entered the Vimana. The artistic portrayal of the Karanas, so creatively etched on the walls took our breath away. The architectural splendor of this famous place of worship stands as testimony to the engineering prowess that existed among the builders of that great period. These majestic structures are a part of India's heritage and indeed make us very proud.

The sojourn that we took at Hotel Sangam was a balm to our tired senses. Some members had a great time lolling in the swimming pool, while the robust ones treated themselves to a vigorous bout of throw-ball. The lunch and the games that followed brought out the child in all of us. Mention must be made that the most interesting part of this whole outdoor activity was the fun-filled bus journey. The hidden boisterous traits of many of our members, who are otherwise very quiet was brought to the fore.

The trip, in short was a memorable one and I am sure those who did not join us for various reasons have a cause to lament about.



<p style="text-align: center;">Time management and Relationships</p> <p style="text-align: center;">By</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Lena Tamilvanan Editor, Kumudhan, Kalkandu</p>	<p>'Time management' and 'Relationships'- do you find a connection between these two? This month we will be having a famous speaker who will address us on these two aspects that play a very important role in our lives. As women, we face a lot of pressure in our homes and in our professions. There is the health and preservation of our life and of our near and dear ones, their food, their sleep, the expenses and how we get it, our future and theirs, sexual gratification, the well-being of our children and finally a feeling of importance. There are a variety of things that we want to do and a variety of people whom we want to gratify. The speaker is going to show us just that- how to hold people in the palm of our hands while efficiently managing our time, and yet feel good about ourselves.</p>																
<p style="text-align: center;">Date Tuesday, 9th Sept, 2008</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Time 11:00 A.M.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Venue Nanjai Hall, Hotel Sangam</p>															
<p>“Apply these four good working habits: Clear your desk of all papers except those relating to the immediate problem at hand. Do things in the order of importance. When you face a problem solve it then and there. Learn to organize, deputize and supervise.....Do the very best you can: and then put up your old umbrella and keep the rain of criticism from running down the back of your neck.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Dale Carnegie</p>																	
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<p style="text-align: center;">Attention</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A feedback form has been enclosed. Kindly take a few minutes to fill up the form diligently and pass it on to us. • Renewal form has been enclosed with this newsletter. Members may submit this filled in form along with Rs.2250 before Sept 15th 2008. • For convenience sake a counter to collect the feedback form and renewal form will be open on Sept 9th before and after the meeting. 																	