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A winner is someone who recognises his God-given talents, works his tail off to develop them into skills, and use the skills to accomplish his goal-Larry Bird.

To make a fish to climb a tree and expect it to excel is unfair because the certain failure will be the cause for it to live with the impression of being incompetent. School is the first formal institution a child enrolls to prepare for a successful adulthood. Therefore, their formative years, over the next twelve years, are an important phase, where a strong foundation for a bright future is to be diligently built. Our School believes in giving students a well-equipped platform to hone the talents they have, so that they will make it big and give themselves and the world around them lots of joy to cherish and emulate. This volume of newsletter, we proudly profile some of our students who have excelled in their chosen fields, beyond curriculum, and are on the horizon of Galaxy of Shining Stars.

STARS OF OUR SCHOOL



SAKSHI TANEJA (XII E)



TUSHAR KHANNA (XII D)

KHUSHBOO BHATIA (XII A)

JANVI KALRA (X D)

IDEOLOGUE 2017

'When the roots are deep, there is no reason to fear the wind'.

To give an impetus to our scholars and to inculcate in them a spirit of competitiveness, boundless urge for inquisitiveness and to boost self-confidence, **IDEOLOGUE 2017**, an inter school English debate competition was organized by our school. Our Chairman, Mr. T.P. Aggarwal, Director, Ms. Anjali Aggarwal, Manager, Mr. Rahul Aggarwal graced the occasion. Principal, Ms. Alka Kher and Head Mistress, Ms. Inderpreet Kaur Ahluwalia welcomed the esteemed guests, judges, participants and the accompanying teachers. The competition witnessed a tremendous response as 47 reputed schools from across Delhi participated in the Prelims spread over two days, 04 & 05 August. Each team competed enthusiastically and debated on two relevant topics- 'Free access to information stifles imagination and Innovation' and 'Money spent on space research must be used in protection of environment'. After an intense battle of wits and eloquence, Judges, Dr. Kusum Lata, Associate Prof. (English), Shri Aurobindo College, Ms Vishakha Kardam, Asst. Prof. (English), Bharti College and Mr Lucky Puchhrat, Director Mavericks India Solution selected 16 best teams for the Finals, which was held on 19 August on the topic- 'Civil liberty over nationalism is justified'. Quoting examples from day to day life, the young participants exhibited their awareness of current issues and were enthusiastic in giving their critical views and displayed a deep understanding of the topic. The rebuttals witnessed speakers being challenged on the views expressed. The Rolling Trophy was lifted by Queen's Valley, Dwarka. Ashutosh Verma of Springdales School, Dhaula Kuan was adjudged as the best speaker for the motion. Yatharth Popli of Ramjas School, Pusa Road and Muskan Grover of our School were the first and second runner-up. Medha Sharma of Queen's Valley, Dwarka won the best speaker award for speaking against the motion. Vandana Bansal of the Valley and Aryan Saini of Maharaja Agarsain Public School, Ashok Vihar were adjudged best interjectors. The final round of the competition was judged by a panel of three eminent judges - Prof. Debraj Mookerjee, Ramjas College DU, Ms. Rashmi Govind, Associate Prof., Zakir Hussain College, DU and Ms. Vaijayanti Savant Tonpe, writer and editor of childrens' books and magazines. At the start of the final round, our Director, Ms Anjali Aggarwal enthused the participants to give their best shot. Our Principal, Ms. Alka Kher lauded the efforts of the students and stressed on the importance of the spirit of free inquiry.



Prof. Debraj Mookerjee being welcomed by Chairman Mr. T.P. Aggarwal.



Ms. Vaijayanti Sawant Tonpe being welcomed by Manager Mr. Rahul Aggarwal and Principal Ms. Alka Kher.



Winners of Ideologue



CELEBRATIONS

JANMASHTAMI

To celebrate the auspicious occasion of Janmashtami- birthday of Lord Krishna, students of Class I presented a dance drama based on the childhood and youth of Lord Krishna on 11 August. Their performances included Dahi Handi, Kansa Vadh, Ras leela and Gita Updesh of Lord Krishna. Concluding the celebrations, aarti of Lord Krishna was performed jointly by the school management, staff members and students. The tiny tots put up a scintillating performance and won the hearts of everyone.



INDEPENDENCE DAY

Independence means - enjoying freedom and empowering others too to let them do so. Students of Class VI presented a colourful spectacle of music, dance and drama showcasing the struggle to achieve the dawn of Independent India. The function began with the unfurling of the National Flag by our Chairman Mr. T.P. Aggarwal, followed by musical rendition by our school band and Satyagraha Act showcasing the struggle of the common man against the British. "Pir Manwan" (music and dance act) showcased the spirit of a new and independent nation and the promises which the citizens have to keep. A new definition of what independence means for the contemporary India was given with the classical dance act called '1947'. The entire program filled the audience with zeal, zest and 'josh'. Principal Ms. Alka Kher appreciated the quality of the presentation, which was a reflection of the efforts put in by the students, teachers and the music department.



GLOBAL VIRTUAL CLASSROOM

The GVC Secondary Team of our school won **Gold Award** in web- designing contest 2016-17 supported and sponsored by 'Give Something Back International'(GSBI), Dallas, USA for their website '21 Century Skills'. This is the third consecutive time that our team has been conferred Gold Award. The students used both research work and the arts to explore- 21st century skills and thus exhibited creativity and collaboration in their effort, working in collaboration with **Tajrobawi Girls High School, Afghanistan**. The team was awarded **Monetary Award** Cheque and one Year scholarship to educate a disadvantaged student, for their outstanding accomplishments. All the participants and the teacher coordinator were given Gold Award Certificate. A letter of appreciation was also given to the Teacher Coordinator Ms. Monika Uppal. The team comprised of

Sonal Tamang XB

Mankirat Singh Sehra XIE

Rhea Wadhwa XIIA

Jashandeep Kaur XD

Tushar Garg XE

Aayush Garg XB

Aastha XIA

Ritika Arya XIIA

Dolly Kaushik XD

Anisha Sahni XA

Raj Rajeshwar Singh XIB

Sahil Uppal XID

Priti Tiwari XIIA

Nallini Lalwani XIB

Akshay Kumar XC

Naman Malhotra XIB

Naman Kumar XIB

Akual Chawla XIIC

Riya Gulati XID

Bhavya Gupta XD

Drishti Juneja XB

NATIONAL POPULATION EDUCATION AWARD

2017 World Women Empowerment Summit, under the aegis of Women's Agency For Generating Employment (WAGE) on 11 July awarded various schools, their teachers and other organization who have initiated development of women's skill and empowerment. This international agency is constituted by International Association of Educators of world peace (AEWD) and is affiliated with United Nation – ECOSOC, UNESCO & UNICEF. They conferred the **National Population Education Award** to our school Principal, Ms. Alka Kher and teachers, Ms. Deepa Haruray, Poonam Bhatia, Ms. Archana Puri, Ms. Archana Tyagi & Ms. Monika Uppal for their contribution towards education, skilling and empowering the women and girl child. The summit was attended by Ambassador of Nepal, Venezuela, Niger, Vice-Chancellors of various Indian Universities, Principals & professionals of Indian college and teacher-student delegation of various Delhi Schools.



National Population Award Winners.

As part of GVC, a group of students led by Head Mistress Ms. Inderpreet Kaur Ahluwalia & primary teachers Ms. Ritu Khurana and Ms. Versha collaborated with **Horace Mann Elementary School, Oak Park, Illinois, USA** for the website "Bon Appetite". The topics covered in their website were – parts of meal, recipes, how we get our food, traditional holiday meals, cultural food, etc. They won the Merit Award for Academic Excellence. The participating students were:

Mayank Madaan VID

Naman Mahawer VI F

Lavanya Bharani IX F

Aaratrika Thakur VIII F

Akshita VII G

Daksh Chawla VII A

Aarav Dua VI D

Saransh Gera IX D

Komal Sachdeva IX H

Ojasv Nakra VIII E

Sakshi Kumari VII E

Gunjan Sharma VI D

Shreshth Saxena IX A

Mishti Ohri VIII F

Srishti Sharma VIII C

Vanshika VII F

Dishti Kaushik VI D

Aditya Verma IX F

Ojas Oberoi VIII E

Abhinav Chopra VII G

Suhaani Sachdeva VII F



Bon Appetite members

CBSE CLASS XII TOPPERS



(L – R) - Science Stream – Nikhil Nayyar (94.2%), Shubham Aggarwal (96.6%), Bhavya Babuta (95.4%),
Commerce Stream - Lakshaya Gupta (94.2%), Mandeep Kaur (94%), Bhavya Bansal (93.6 %),
Humanities – Kashika Galhotra (95.4%), Tanya Keswani (94.2 %), Radhika Chuttani (89.6%)

INVESTITURE CEREMONY

Our School held the formal ceremony of conferring the authority and responsibility to the Senior Office Bearers. The ceremony began with unfurling the school flag by the school Chairman **Mr. T.P. Aggarwal** followed by school song. Head Boy, **Karthik M. Panikar**, Head Girl, **Purva Sethi** along with School Captains, Sports Captains and House Captains were honoured with badges and sashes by the Chairman **Mr. T.P. Aggarwal**, **Principal Ms. Alka Kher** and **Head Mistress Ms. Inderpreet Kaur Ahluwalia**. The students council took the pledge to hold the school motto of Loyalty, Truth and Honour in high esteem. Our Chairman appreciated the office bearers for performing their duties efficiently and bringing laurels to the school in different fields-be it academic, literature or sports. He motivated them to inculcate leadership qualities to become a better person in life. Principal reminded them that with position comes responsibility towards themselves, peers and towards their school.

School Captain Samdeesh Mahajan, XII C Sakshi Taneja, XII E

Sports Captain Nishchay Mohanty, XII D Srishty Saxena, XII A

House Captain Divij Malik XII C (GANDHI) Kartik Dutta XII A (NEHRU)

Mehar Lamba XII C (PATEL) Akual Chawla, XII C (SHASTRI)

Discipline Incharges Aman Sachdeva XII C, Grishika Jaggi XII D, Piyush Thapar XII D, Devanshi Ahuja XII E, Rhea Wadhwa XII A, Priya Bisht XII D.



Head Boy Karthik M. Panikar



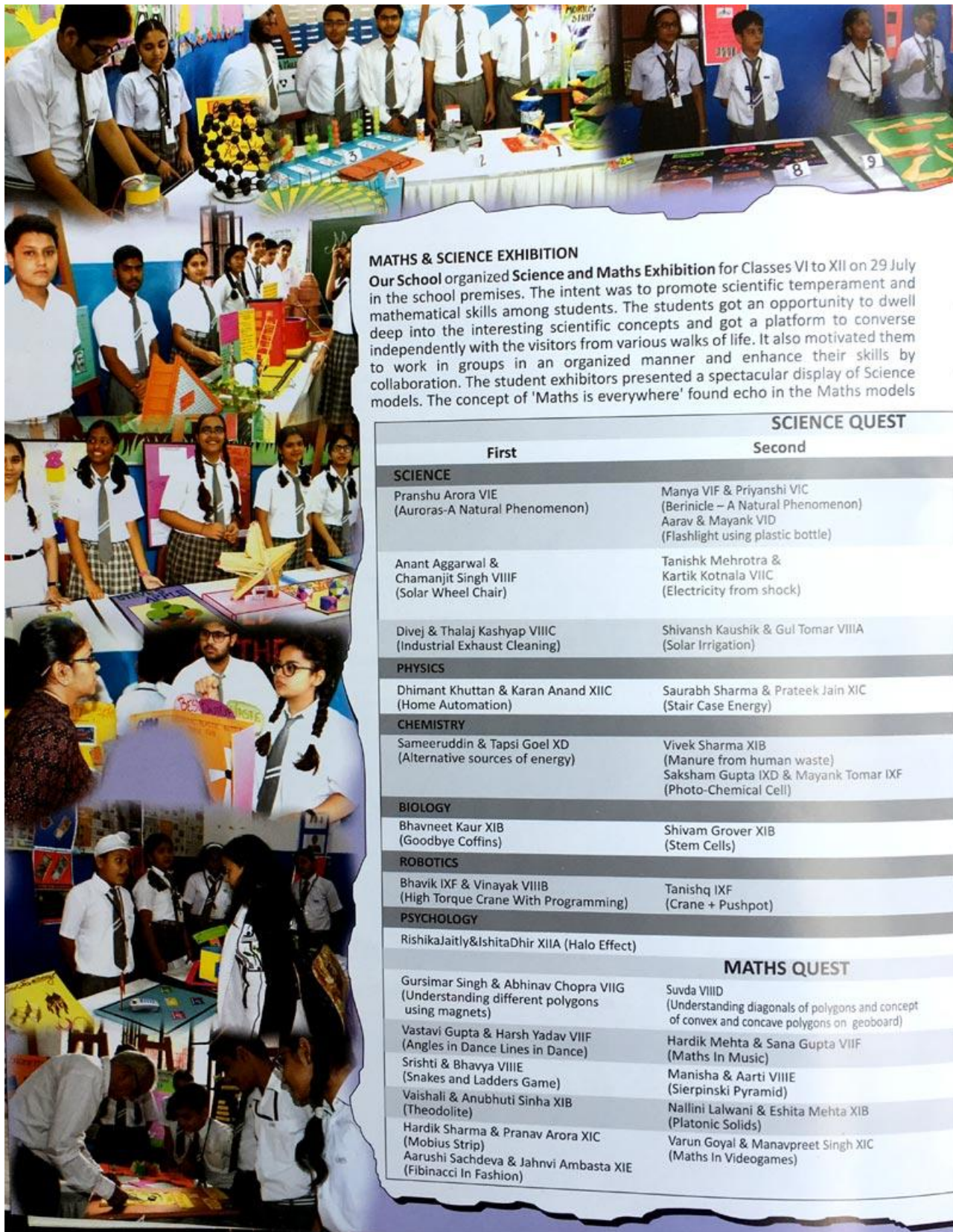
Head Girl – Purva Sethi



School Captain Samdeesh Mahajan



Pledging Loyalty



MATHS & SCIENCE EXHIBITION

Our School organized Science and Maths Exhibition for Classes VI to XII on 29 July in the school premises. The intent was to promote scientific temperament and mathematical skills among students. The students got an opportunity to dwell deep into the interesting scientific concepts and got a platform to converse independently with the visitors from various walks of life. It also motivated them to work in groups in an organized manner and enhance their skills by collaboration. The student exhibitors presented a spectacular display of Science models. The concept of 'Maths is everywhere' found echo in the Maths models

SCIENCE QUEST

First	Second
SCIENCE	
Pranshu Arora VIE (Auroras-A Natural Phenomenon)	Manya VIF & Priyanshi VIC (Berinicle – A Natural Phenomenon) Aarav & Mayank VID (Flashlight using plastic bottle)
Anant Aggarwal & Chamanjit Singh VIIIF (Solar Wheel Chair)	Tanishk Mehrotra & Kartik Kotnala VIIC (Electricity from shock)
Divej & Thalaj Kashyap VIIIC (Industrial Exhaust Cleaning)	Shivansh Kaushik & Gul Tomar VIIIA (Solar Irrigation)
PHYSICS	
Dhimant Khuttan & Karan Anand XIIC (Home Automation)	Saurabh Sharma & Prateek Jain XIC (Stair Case Energy)
CHEMISTRY	
Sameeruddin & Tapsi Goel XD (Alternative sources of energy)	Vivek Sharma XIB (Manure from human waste) Saksham Gupta IXD & Mayank Tomar IXF (Photo-Chemical Cell)
BIOLOGY	
Bhavneet Kaur XIB (Goodbye Coffins)	Shivam Grover XIB (Stem Cells)
ROBOTICS	
Bhavik IXF & Vinayak VIIIB (High Torque Crane With Programming)	Tanishq IXF (Crane + Pushpot)
PSYCHOLOGY	
RishikaJaitly&IshitaDhir XIIA (Halo Effect)	

MATHS QUEST

Gursimar Singh & Abhinav Chopra VIIG (Understanding different polygons using magnets)	Suvda VIIID (Understanding diagonals of polygons and concept of convex and concave polygons on geoboard)
Vastavi Gupta & Harsh Yadav VIIF (Angles in Dance Lines in Dance)	Hardik Mehta & Sana Gupta VIIIF (Maths In Music)
Srishti & Bhavya VIIIE (Snakes and Ladders Game)	Manisha & Aarti VIIIE (Sierpinski Pyramid)
Vaishali & Anubhuti Sinha XIB (Theodolite)	Nallini Lalwani & Eshita Mehta XIB (Platonic Solids)
Hardik Sharma & Pranav Arora XIC (Mobius Strip)	Varun Goyal & Manavpreet Singh XIC (Maths In Videogames)
Aarushi Sachdeva & Jahnvi Ambasta XIE (Fibonacci In Fashion)	

displayed. The exhibits were appreciated and the exhibitors were encouraged by our School Manager, Mr. Rahul Aggarwal, Principal, Ms. Alka Kher and parents. The winners of various competitions held during the exhibition were awarded certificates.

Third

Soham & Nipun VIF
(Vaccum Cleaner with waste bottle)

Sarthak Arora VIIIB & Yash Sharma VIIA (Robot Cleaner)
Ishanika & Sakshi Kumari VIIIE
(Solar Irrigation System)

Antriksh Jain & Priyanka Goswami VIIIA
(Eco Air Purifier)

Harshit Sharma & Narender Pal Singh IXD
(Hydraulic Arm)

Karambir Singh & Abhay Chauhan XA
(Tyndall Effect)

Aniket Goyal & Ganya Dhir XF
(Cyclic Organic Farming)

Yuvraj, VIB & Aditya VIIIE
(Claw Robot)

Soumya VIIID (Triangular and Square numbers
using Peg Boards)

Advaita Kadam & Vanshika Mittal VIIF
(Maths In Banking)

Mayank VIIIC
(Cone and Cylinders)

Vanshika & Aditi Sharma IXD
(Transforming Geometrical Shapes)

Dhruv & Priyanshu IXH
(Rolling Road Roller)



*There are a billion dreams to be realized. There are new frontiers to be explored.
There is a pledge to be redeemed. There is a world to be conquered.*

SAKSHI TANEJA

Sakshi Taneja XIIIE has been consistently performing in the field of classical and light music and has won a lot of laurels, awards and accolades for herself and the School in many interschool and open competitions. On 29 July 2017, Sakshi Taneja secured first position in "AnuvratNyasNaitikGeetGayanPratiyogita (Moral Singing Competition) which was held at Anuvrat Bhawan I.T.O. New Delhi. She received the first prize in the competition, which was presented by Shri. Manish Sisodia, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister and Education Minister, Government of NCT of Delhi at the prize distribution ceremony held on 31 July at Sadhna Kendra, Chattarpur. Sakshi Taneja will be now competing at the National Level, which will be held in Kolkata, in the month of October.

For Sakshi Taneja music is passion. She credits her stupendous rise in her singing talent to her father, who had recognised it and inspired her to excel. Her parents have been supportive right from the very beginning. She has been learning classical music since the age of five. She gave her first stage performance at Iskcon Temple, Punjabi Bagh at the age of six. Subsequently she had won laurels & awards at national, state and inter school level singing competitions. In the year 2013, she was interviewed live by FM Rainbow 102.6 for the programme 'Chhote Ustaad'. She has also given a number of stage performances, as well as performed as a singer at 'Sitaron Ki Khoj' by Ekta Mission and many more. We wish her all the success in future and hope she reaches the pinnacle of her chosen field and garner name and fame for herself, her parents and her *alma mater*.

TANMAY SINGHAL

Tanmay Singhal VIIIIE is another budding singer of our School. He is a multilingual singer bestowed with a very good voice quality. Tanmay's forte is light music and Indian classical music. He has participated in numerous shows and won accolades each time. **He has shared the stage at Durga Puja show with leading singer Sadhana Sargam.** He participated in the Sangam colour show, where he was in the top 8 National level and won third prize. We wish him success for all his future endeavor.



Tanmay Singhal – Crooning Star

TUSHAR KHANNA

Tushar Khanna XIID is a rising Basketball star of our school, who has been member of India Team in an International Championship. He got attracted to playing basketball while in Class VIII. Since then, due to his consistent performance, under the guidance of his Basketball coach Sandeep Singh, his team has won many medals year after year. His team had played at the ADIDAS UPRISING-Delhi 2016 in senior category and the team won silver medal. This year Tushar was selected to play at 7th National Rural Games Championship 2017-18 held at Rising Sun Public School, Karnal, Haryana from 17 to 19 April, where his team won first position. His performance was appreciated and he was selected to represent 3rd International South Asian Rural Championship, 2017 organized by World Rural Game Foundation at Kathmandu Nepal from 17 to 22 July. His team won First position at Kathmandu..Tushar hopes to keep playing to win as for him sky is the limit.

KHUSHBOO BHATIA

It was a wonderful feeling of pride and honour when one of our student, **Miss Khushboo Bhatia** was crowned as Miss Teen India 2017, at an event organized by Alee club. Alee club is a great platform where glamour blends with a cause, i.e. to eradicate AIDS. Khushboo Bhatia had given auditions for Miss Teen India 2017 on 17 June at Technia Auditorium, Delhi. Showcasing her talent she crossed subsequent successive stages of the competition, which included an Indian Bollywood and Spanish dance. The Grand Finale was held on 11 August at Hotel Seven Seas, Delhi.



Rhea Wadhwa- Youth Skilling Volunteer

RHEA WADHWA

Rhea Wadhwa, XIIA has been a volunteer-teacher, to promote and encourage computer competency and skill among youth for a group of girls from different government schools. Rhea's endeavour, was highly appreciated. Rhea was felicitated on 15 July by Mr. Shiv Kumar, CEO of INCEPTION, an organization working towards promotion of skill development among youth, on the occasion of World Youth Skill Day in the esteemed presence of the Mayor of south Delhi Mrs. Kamaljeet Sehrawat. She was presented an appreciation certificate for her work. We are proud of her dedication and inclination towards community service. We wish her well for undertaking such noble deeds in future too.

JANVI KALRA

Janvi Kalra X-D is another sportsperson amongst us who has had the proud privilege to wear INDIA colour in an international championship. As an icing on the cake she returned with the Runner Up trophy. **Janvi was selected to represent INDIA at the Paris World Games in HANDBALL U-17 (women) event held at Paris, France from 6 July to 13 July.** Janvi was the lone representation from Delhi in the team. She was selected in the Indian team after the national camp held at Narwana, Haryana from 15 June to 30 June.

In Class IV Janvi forayed into this sport. Since then under the guidance of Mr. Yogesh Kaushik, our Physical Education Teacher, she and her team has won numerous National and Zonal level Handball tournaments. As advised by her coach, no matter how big or small a match, Janvi always play the game with the vigour of a champion. All wins make her realize her potential and losses are taken as lessons for future. She feels her unwavering concentration on the game, has been possible due to the constant support of her parents, Principal ma'am and teachers, as they have been helping her a lot in coping with the study pressure and the sport not affecting her curriculum, inspite of missing classes, while training hard and participating in matches. Her other achievements this year are as follows:

- ★ Represented Delhi (Sub- junior) Team at the 36th Open National, which secured 2nd position.
- ★ Secured 1st position at Zonal level Hand Ball (sub-junior) tournament, which was held in our school



Janvi Kalra-Handball Champ

NALLINI LALWANI

GO LAADLI " LEAD LIKE A GIRL "

HRIDAY SHAAN organized an activity for students of Classes IX-XII GO LAADLI " LEAD LIKE A GIRL " The aim was to empower bright young girls so that they can be leaders of the future . As part of the activity the students were required to choose a problem being faced by Indian women (child marriage, menstruation , pregnancy at an early age , genital mutilation etc.). As a first step the students were given a questionnaire in which they were to elaborate the perceived problem and its solution as per them. Out of them top 10 entries qualified for the next level, which was an interview before a panel, based on the problem. From this round top 5 entries were given an amount of maximum of Rs. 1,00,000 towards their college tuition fees. Nallini Lalwani XI B was selected amongst the top five. Nallini Lalwani had chosen the topic - pregnancy at an early age, and prepared an action plan on how to generate awareness among teenagers in rural areas.



Nallini Lalwani- Go Laadli

EARTH DAY

The greatest threat to our planet is our complacency that makes us to believe that someone else is responsible to save it for our future generation. As a responsible global citizen, it is our duty to enlighten those amongst us who live in such fallacy and inspire them to contribute towards environmental protection for a better tomorrow.

Keeping this goal in mind, under the auspices of our Eco – Club ' Vasudha' the Primary and Senior wing celebrated Earth Day, respectively on 21 April and 20 April . Earth day celebration is all about appreciating the uniqueness of our planet Earth with its incredible biodiversity.

The celebration of the primary wing commenced with writing slogans on topic 'To Save Mother Earth'. Our Principal Ms. Alka Kher was the first to pen her valuable thoughts, followed by the educational supervisors, teachers and students.

The middle & senior wing students commenced their celebration by taking a pledge to contribute their best to keep their environment pollution free, which was followed by the Eco volunteers of each class expressing their thoughts on a canvas, on the topic ' My role to keep my environment clean.' As part of class wise activities, students of Class VI created beautiful decorative articles using eco friendly waste material. Students of Class VII expressed their dream of the future earth lyrically by composing poems on the themes 'My dream for Greener Tomorrow' and 'I can conserve nature.'

'Oil is like time...once gone will never come back and it is depleting at a very fast rate'. To propagate the awareness of saving fossil fuel and refraining from their excessive / inappropriate use, students of Class VIII prepared informative posters on the topic ' Save Fuel, Save Environment', which was followed by a campaign to spread this awareness. The students interacted with the people driving during rush hours at traffic intersections and shared tips on saving fuel.

The initiative taken by the students of Classes IX to XII was to get their surroundings dirt free. They conducted cleanliness drive in the neighbourhood area displaying their self-made pamphlets on the theme 'My clean and Green Delhi'. They spread the awareness by picking up litter from the road and pavements, while chanting slogans to create awareness amongst the residents. Neighborhood residents of Janakpuri also joined the students with full enthusiasm for the noble cause **Clean Delhi - Green Delhi**.

Ways of e-waste management were explained to the students by showing them power point presentation on their respective classroom smart boards. Beautiful banners were also made by students expressing their imagination about 'My Earth- The way it should be'. The efforts of the students were appreciated by our Principal. The creative effort of the students were displayed during the Parent teachers meeting held on 29 April, and was well reviewed.

ANNUAL PRINCIPALS' MEET

Our Principal, Ms. Alka Kher attended the Hindustan Times- PACE Annual Principals' Meet at Taj Palace Hotel on 20 July, wherein more than 650 Principals from schools across Delhi and NCR had attended. The highlight was an interactive session with Padmashree Dr KK Aggarwal, National President of Indian Medical Association and founder President of the Heart Care Foundation of India. Mr Aggarwal had enlightened the mentors on a gamut of Wellness issue including stress management and substance abuse among others. Dr Aggarwal's message to the students was 'there is no point competing with peers, rather take inspiration from somebody who is 5 years ahead of you'. Dr Aggarwal's talk was well received, as was clear from the lively question and answer session that followed. Our Principal was one of the five winners of the lucky draw contest which was sponsored by KidZania Education Partner of the Meet. For educators it was a memorable rendezvous with Health and Wellness.



Artisans At Work

SCHOOL ENTERPRISE CHALLENGE

Our School is a part of School Enterprise Challenge 2017-18. The School Enterprise Challenge is a global business start-up Awards Programme run by the educational charity - Teach A Man To Fish. The business venture has been named 'Eco Threads' wherein used clothes are recycled into attractive cushion covers, table mats and fashionable bags. A group of 28 students from Class XI along with their teacher Coordinators Ms. Monika Uppal, Ms. Shubham Arora and Ms. Nidhi Jauhari are associated with the venture. The students have been divided into various groups as per associated task viz collection, finance, manufacturing, packaging and marketing. After numerous hours of hard work, brain storming sessions and serious efforts, the Eco Threads team launched their first venture on 29 July in the school premises. It was a grand success and the efforts of the entire team were highly appreciated by one and all. The student members were:

Team Collection & Packaging	Team Finance	Team Manufacturing	Team Marketing	
Palak Sharma XI A	Shivam XI D	Anish Mutreja XI D	Aadhya Arora XI A	Vriti Matka XI A
Yashika Dawar XI A	Lakshay Sandal XI D	Ishaan Sabharwal XI E	Shirin Dasgupta XI A	Mitali Aora XI D
Gehna Sahni XI A	Arush Shukla XI D	Hitesh Sethi XI E	Anushka Bhayana XI E	Kartik Barrot XI E
Jaansi Kaul XI A	Shivam Sharma XI E	Konark Sama XI A	Rohit Beer XI E	Rachit Makkar XI D
Gunjan Aggarwal XI E	Akshit Arora XI E	Harshit Goyal XI E	Sahil Uppal XI D	
Tripti Verma XI E	Saransh Chawla XI E	Lakshay Gera XI D	Diya Vinaik XI D	



Members Of Eco-Thread

GRANDMA'S KITCHEN – A Recipe Book

Grandma's Kitchen an Online Collaborative project was proposed by Ms. Ritu Khurana. Students from more than 30 schools from 22 Countries of Asia and Europe participated in this project. Ms Ritu and Ms Versha were guided by Headmistress ,Mrs Inderpreet Kaur Ahluwalia and this project has qualified for the final awards. Ms. Ritu Khurana will be attending the 13th ASEF Classroom Network Conference in Zug, Switzerland from 8-11 September 2017 for the Award Ceremony



Team of Grandma's Kitchen

CREATIVE WRITING

Gurasis Oberoi VA, Jiya Bajaj VA, Akshara Murali VC, Sagar Kumar Joshi VIIIIF, Kanak Malik VIIIID and Srijan VIIIIF participated in the English Creative Writing Competition, which was organized by Ramjas School, Darya Ganj on 24 April. Topics were given on-the-spot. The competitors were judged on the parameters of originality, expression and command on the language. The topics were -My Secret Talent; If I were invisible for a day; A Day to remember, Parents are my best teachers etc. This competition was meant to ingrain confidence in the students to write impromptu on any given topics thus honing their creative thinking and writing skills.

SPIN-A-YARN

Stories help us to portray our lives and our feelings in any context and visualize how we feel about them, even in the most unbelievable settings. Ishanika Saini VIIF, Sneha Gautam VIIIIE, Aishwarya Nagdev VIIIIF, Aaratrika VIIIIF and Garima Sharma VIIIIF participated in Spin-a-Yarn Competition organized by New Era Public School, Dwarka on 27 July. As part of the competition, a clue or 'opening line' of the story was given to the students, on-the-spot, which was to be spun into a story and narrated. 10 minutes were allotted for creating the story and 5 minutes to narrate it. Participation of each member of the team during narration was mandatory. The judgement criteria were content & structure, expression, diction and confidence.

INTER-SCHOOL FEST –'RENAISSANCE 2017'

Inter school fest 'The Renaissance 2017' was hosted by New Era Public School Sector 24, Dwarka, New Delhi on 26 and 27 July with great pomp and ardor. Competitions such as Web Page designing, Logo Designing, Paper Craft, Kavya Natika, etc tested the imaginative and artistic side of students. On 26 July Aditi Pandey XC and Jashandeep Kaur XD participated in Kala Sangam (Folk art with waste material) and Naman Kumar XI B and Gaurav Gangwani XI D participated in Sanskalan (Logo Designing). On 27 July chic shape fashionistas.- a maths fashion show was organized for students of Classes IV & V. Students walked on the ramp gracefully to showcase their costume designed on mathematical shapes. Parakh Kamra IVF described the properties of shapes worn by the models. Jiya Bajaj VA wore a beautiful dress showing the cube and cuboid. Jasmine Verma VD portrayed the pentagon, Suhani Singh IVC, walked flaunting the cone and triangle costume. Our show stopper was Lavanya Kapoor VA who wore a lovely tricoloured dress made of waste materials depicting the circle and sphere. On the same day Soumya Gupta, IXE participated in Politicoons, a cartooning on politicians. All the participants got valuable exposure and received participation certificates.

RAZZMATAZZ

A team of 5 students – Sneha Gautam VIIIIE; Diya Rajput VIIIIB; Eliena Jindal VIIIIC; Suryansh Singh Rana VIIIIC and Ishab preet Singh VIIIIF of our school had participated in the 'Razzmatazz', organized by St. Francis De Sales School, Janakpuri on 10 August. The Students were given a product on the spot on which they had to create an advertisement including a jingle. The product given to the students was Baba Shamdev Cream. It was interesting and enriching experience for the students.

'RUBINO'

St. Francis De Sales School, Janakpuri celebrated the 40th anniversary of their school by hosting 'Rubino' the Ruby Jubilee Inter-School Competitions from 9 to 11 August in their school premises. Class V students of our school participated in 'Silver Steppers'-Fusion of 2 western dance forms held on 9 August. Our students performed to a fusion of hip hop and robotic dance form. The participating students were: Jiya VA, Lavanya VA, Disha VA, Riddhima VA, Yashasvi Solanki VA, Ananya VB, Varnika VB, Riya VD, Enayat VD, Yashasvi Tomar VB.

JUDO

Our greatest glory consists not in never failing, but in rising every time we fall.

The following judokas of our school won medals in Adharshila Interschool Judo Tournament organized on 5 and 6 May.

Nidhi IIIC	Kanika VD	Navya VF	Krish VD	Manyata VF	Enayat VD
Arijit VC	Shivam VF	Rishabh VIB	Mudra IXA	Shreshth IXA	Amit XC

Zonal Judo Competition was held at Convent of GaganBharti, Mohan Garden from 28 August to 31 August. The following judokas won medals:

Name	Category	Medal	Name	Category	Medal
Saumya Virmani XB	56kg	Gold	Vanshika Garg XIIA	52kg	Gold
Srishty Saxena XIIA	61kg	Gold	Amit Kashyap XC	71kg	Silver
Aakash Bansal XIID	50kg	Bronze	Abhinav Anand XID	71kg	Bronze

TAEKWONDO

Arman Tyagi, VII A won gold medal in 3rd Open India Invitation Taekwondo Championship, which was held at Thyagraj Stadium, Delhi on 29 April and 30 April.

BADMINTON

Badminton Zonal Competition Boys/Girls category was held in SBV 'A' Block Vikaspuri from 23 to 29 August. Following students participated

Senior Boys	Devansh Pathak XIC	Nishchay Mohanty XIID	Vansh Mahajan XD	Tushar Garg XE	
Junior Boys	Anmol Pathak IXH	Pranav Mehrotra IXH	Aditya Goyal XC	Amandeep Singh IXD	Rhythm Bhardwaj XB
Sub Junior Boys	Dev Bahl VIIID	Naman VIIID	Antariksh VIIIA	H Madhavan VIE	Aryan Tanwar VIIIC
Sub Junior Girls	Palak Dhir VIIIC	Vanshika Khanna VIIID	Khyati Goel VIIG		

TABLE TENNIS

Following students secured III position in the 13th Ramjas Inter School Table Tennis tournament, held from 22 to 28 April.

Suhani Singh IVC	Parnavi Bagri IVF	Gurmehar Kaur IVF	Paavni Gupta IVC
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BASKET BALL

Senior Boys Basketball team secured II Position at Zonal tournament held at Brain International School, Vikaspuri from 21 August to 25 August. The team members are

Dikshu XIID	Tushar XIID	Dhimant XI C	Karan XIIC	Karthik XIIA	Paras XIIE	Ansh XIC
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HANDBALL

36th Open National Handball tournament was held in Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh from 23 May to 29 May. Following students of our school were selected to represent Delhi sub junior team. The team secured second position in the tournament

Ananya Gupta IXE	Sania IXD	Shruti Kandwal IXH
Khushi Kandwal IXB	Yamini Solanki IXD	Janvi Kalra XD

16th Mini Open **National** Handball Tournament was held at Hyderabad, Telangana from 4 June to 9 June. Following students of our school were selected to represent team **INDIA**:

Niharika VIC	Tushali Kakkar VIC	Bhumi Chand VIC	Vidhi Goyal VID
Vedika VIE	Ridhi VIIID	Dimple Aggarwal XIB	

Zonal Handball Girls Tournament was held in our school from 16th to 18th August. Our senior and junior girls team secured first position and sub junior girls secured second position. The team consisted of the following players

SENIOR GIRLS

Muskan Kandwal XIB (captain)	Shagun Kumari XID	Nimisha Setia XID	Achint Kaur XIIA
Tripti Verma XIE	Gunjan Aggarwal XIE	Rakshita Bansal XIE	Dhwani Kochhar XB
Kanika Kumari XIA	Jayati Garg XE		

JUNIOR GIRLS

Ananya Gupta IXE (captain)	Sania Singh IXD	Yamini Solanki IXD	Khushi Kandwal IXB
Shruti Kandwal IXH	Janvi Kalra XD	Bhavya Juneja IXA	Stuti IXA

SUB JUNIOR GIRLS

Shagun Shukla VIIIC (captain)	Payal Bhattacharya VIIIB	Deepika Gulia VIII C	Gauri Aggarwal VIIIB
Aditi Singh VIIIA	Priyanka Goswami VIIIA	Aarushi Parhar VIIIB	Anjali Kashyap VIIIA
Arpana Soni VIIIA	Tanya Sharma VIIIE	Shreya Shukla VIIIG	Niharika Sharma VIC
Tushali Kakkar VIC	Shalini Sharma VIIIB	Dimple Aggarwal VIB	Vidhi Goyal VID
			Bhumi Chand VIC

ZONAL BOYS HANDBALL TOURNAMENT was held in our school from 1 August to 3 August. Our Senior and Sub Junior boys team secured first position and Junior boys secured second position. The team consisted of the following players

SENIOR BOYS

Adarsh Shukla XIIA
(captain)

Dikshu XIID

Dwig Malik XIIC

JUNIOR BOYS

Riyansh Prakash IXE
(captain)

Dev Solanki IXH

Milind Sharma IXA

Harsh Negi IXE

SUBJUNIOR BOYS

Anshu VIC
(captain)

Aditiya VIIIB

Sagar VIIIE

Dhimant Khutan XIIC

Nikhil Sangwani XIIA

Samarth Khera XB

Chayan Sehgal IXD

Sunny Sharma IXG

Devansh Sharma IXA

Bigjot IXF

Bharat Malik XIA

Tushar Khanna XIID

Ishu Singh IXD

Tushar Mahana IXA

Mayank Thakur IXG

Yash Solanki IXE

Rakshit Sharma XIA

Lakshay Sandal XID

Yash Thadiwar XID

Keshav Mahana X-B

Aman Rajput IXE

Aman Bhalla IXE

Hardik VIC

Ansh VIIIC

Ojas VIIIE

Abhishek VIIIC

Ankush VIIIB

Prabdev VIIIE

Ojasv, VIIIE

Uday VIIIA

Ishan VIIIA

NCC

Divyanshi X-F, Bhoomika X-F and Rhea Bhan IX-A from our school participated at the CATC-2017, organized by 5 Delhi Girls Battalion of NCC from 13 June to 22 June. Around 545 girl cadets from different schools and colleges from Delhi participated in this camp. The Cadets had opportunity to indulge in various activities, viz. arms training (firing .202 bore rifle), march-past competition, short distance racing and painting competition. The camp culminated with Yoga day celebration on 22 June, during which cadets performed many Asanas.

SWIMMING ZONAL MEET 2017

Zonal Swimming meet was held at GBSS NO-1, C block, Janakpuri on 20 and 21 July 2017 for girls and boys. The following competitors from our school won prizes:

GIRLS

Freestyle U-14, 100 M Palak VIIIC

Back Stroke U-14, 100M Palak VIIIC

Butterfly U-19, 50 M Khushi XIA

BOYS

Back Stroke, U-19, 100 M Sarthak Kedar XIB

Back Stroke, U-19, 100 M Aman Sachdeva XIIC

Back Stroke, U-19, 50M Sarthak Kedar XIB

II Breast Stroke, U14, 50M Akshita VIIIC

III Freestyle, U14, 100M Akshita VIIIC

III

I Breast Stroke, U19, 100M Anshul Mahar XI-B

III Breast Stroke, U19, 50M Anshul Mahar XI-B

II U-19, 4x50 Medley
Sarthak Kedar XI-B, Anshul Mahar XIB Aman
Mehta XID & Loveneesh XIA

I U-17 4x50 Free style relay
Ishu Singh IXD, Samarth Khera XB, Ashank
Shokeen XD & Gautam Joshi XB

U19, 4x50 Free Style relay

Sarthak Kedar XIB, Anshul Mahar XIB, Aman Sachdeva XIIC &
Aman Mehta XID

ZONAL SKATING COMPETITION

Our budding skaters got an opportunity to participate in the Zonal Skating Competition hosted by Adarsh Public School, Vikas Puri on 5 August. The budding gliders of our school displayed great skills and qualities of sportsmanship.

The students who won the competition are as follows:

300 m Race			500 m Race		
CATEGORY	NAME	POSITION	NAME	POSITION	
UNDER-11	Ipshita Malik IIIC	I	Ipshita Malik IIIC	I	
UNDER-17	Tejal Seth XC	II	Tejal Seth XC	III	
UNDER-19	Kanika XIA	III			

Other participants were:

Vansh Nasa VIA

Sanjam Kataria VIIIC

Sparsh XE

Utkarsh Gulia XC

KABADDI.

Interschool girls Kabaddi Tournament was held for Sub-juniors on 21 August and for Juniors on 23 August at SKV, Janakpuri. The team members were

SUB-JUNIORS

Aditi Singh VIIIA

Aparna Soni VIIIA

Tushali Kakar VIC

Payal Bhattacharya VIIIB

Aarushi Parhar VIIIB

Niharika Sharma VIC

Gauri Aggarwal VIIIB

Bhumi Chand VIC

Dimple Aggarwal VIB

Priyanka Goswami VIIIA

Vidhi Goyal VID

JUNIORS

Ananya Gupta IXE

Yamini Solanki IXD

Khushi Kandwal IXB

Anjali Kashyap VIIIA

Sania Singh IXD

Eshika Pawal VIIIF

Shruti Kandwal IXH

जोनल हिन्दी वोकल संगीत प्रतियोगिता

जोनल हिन्दी वोकल संगीत प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन दिनांक २६ अगस्त २०१७ को गवर्नमेंट गर्ल्स सी से० स्कूल न० -२ उत्तम नगर में किया गया। इस प्रतियोगिता में दो वरिष्ठ छात्राओं ने भाग लिया। यह प्रतियोगिता दो वर्गों में आयोजित की गई - सेमी क्लासिकल तथा लाईट म्यूजिक। सेमी क्लासिकल संगीत प्रतियोगिता में साक्षी तनेजा कक्षा XII E, तथा लाईट म्यूजिक संगीत वर्ग में श्रेष्ठा हरिहरण XIA ने भाग लिया। इस प्रतियोगिता में साक्षी तनेजा को प्रथम पुरस्कार प्राप्त हुआ तथा श्रेष्ठा हरिहरण को द्वितीय पुरस्कार प्राप्त हुआ। साक्षी तनेजा ने जहाँ ठुमरी के सुर ताल द्वारा निर्णायक मंडल को प्रसन्न तथा मोहित किया वहीं श्रेष्ठा हरिहरण ने भजन गाकर समां बाँधा।

जोनल हिन्दी डेक्लेमेशन प्रतियोगिता

जोनल हिन्दी डेक्लेमेशन प्रतियोगिता सर्वोदय बाल विद्यालय 'ए' ब्लाक विकासपुरी में 17 अगस्त 2017 को आयोजित हुई थी। सीनीयर डेक्लेमेशन में दृष्टि (कक्षा दसवीं बी) को तृतीय पुरस्कार तथा जूनियर्स डेक्लेमेशन में अक्षिता (कक्षा सातवीं जी) को द्वितीय पुरस्कार प्राप्त हुआ।



जोनल हिंदी वाद विवाद तथा डेक्लेमेशन के विजेता

जोनल हिन्दी वाद विवाद प्रतियोगिता

जोनल वाद विवाद प्रतियोगिता जूनियर्स का आयोजन 22 अगस्त 2017 को GSKV 'ए' ब्लाक विकास पुरी में हुआ। इसमें कक्षा 'आठवीं बी' के दिव्याशु शर्मा ने नोटबंदी सफल या असफल विषय पर पक्ष में, तथा 'सातवीं सी' के तनिष्क मेहरोत्रा ने इसी विषय पर विपक्ष में अपने विचार प्रस्तुत किए।

जोनल हिंदी वाद विवाद प्रतियोगिता में दोनों छात्र विजयी रहे तथा हिंदी वाद विवाद प्रतियोगिता में दूसरा स्थान प्राप्त किया।

जोनल हिन्दी आशु भाषण प्रतियोगिता

जोनल हिन्दी आशु भाषण प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन दिनांक 30 अगस्त २०१७ को सर्वोदय कन्या विद्यालय 'ए' ब्लाक जनकपुरी में किया गया। सीनियर छात्रा प्रतियोगिता में मुस्कान ग्रीवर कक्षा XI C, जूनियर छात्रा प्रतियोगिता में अनुभा सुहाग कक्षा VII G ने भाग लिया।

जोनल हिन्दी वोकल संगीत प्रतियोगिता

जोनल हिन्दी वोकल संगीत प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन दिनांक ३० अगस्त २०१७ को गवर्नमेंट गर्ल्स सी. से० पब्लिक स्कूल न० -२ ब्लाक 'ए' जनकपुरी में हुआ।

इसमें वरिष्ठ छात्र में समधीश महाजन ने तथा कनिष्ठ छात्र में तन्मय सिंघल ने भाग लिया।

समधीश महाजन कक्षा XII C ने क्लासिकल संगीत में अपने हुनर का प्रदर्शन कर सभी का मन मोह लिया। वहीं तन्मय सिंघल ने अपनी सुरीली आवाज में भजन गाकर सभी को मंत्र मुग्ध कर दिया।

समधीश महाजन को इस प्रतियोगिता में द्वितीय पुरस्कार तथा तन्मय सिंघल को प्रथम पुरस्कार प्राप्त हुआ।

अखिल भारतीय राष्ट्र भाषा हिंदी प्रतियोगिता

महात्मा गांधी राष्ट्रभाषा प्रचार संस्था की ओर से अखिल भारतीय राष्ट्र भाषा हिंदी प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन सेंट मार्क्स विद्यालय जनकपुरी में 24 जुलाई 2017 को किया गया। प्रतियोगिता में कक्षा नवी एवं दसवीं के छात्रों ने भाग लिया। इस प्रतियोगिता का संचालन हिंदी विभाग की अध्यापिका श्रीमती अर्चना मिश्रा द्वारा किया गया।

रचनात्मक लेखन प्रतियोगिता

रामजस प्राईमरी विद्यालय दरियागंज, नई दिल्ली में रचनात्मक लेखन प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया गया जो दिनांक 24 अप्रैल 2017 को संचालित हुआ। इस कार्यक्रम में कक्षा चतुर्थ 'ब' के स्तव्य विरमाती, चतुर्थ 'स' की अक्षरा शर्मा तथा चतुर्थ 'एफ' की धृति गुप्ता ने तथा कक्षा आठवीं 'एफ' की मिष्ठी ओहरी और आठवीं 'जी' की प्रिशा बजाज तथा सुवधा विरमानी ने भाग लिया। छात्रों ने रोमांचक यात्रा, मेरा प्रिय व्यंजन, आदि विषयों पर लेखन कार्य कर अपनी रचनात्मक प्रतिभा का परिचय दिया।

हिन्दी काव्य प्रतियोगिता

“वो खुद ही तय करते हैं मंजिल आसमानों की
परिंदों को नहीं दी जाती तालीम उड़ानों की
रखते हैं जो हौसला आसमा छूने का
उनको नहीं परवाह कभी गिर जाने की।”

“इंतज़ार मत करो
जितना तुम सोचते हो
जिन्दगी उससे कहीं ज्यादा
तेजी से निकल रही है।”

काव्य भाषा का वह सुंदर रूप है जिसमें कल्पनाओं की उड़ान की कोई सीमा नहीं होती। कक्षा चतुर्थ से कक्षा आठवीं तक के छात्रों के लिए हिन्दी काव्य पाठ प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया गया जिसमें छात्रों ने देश प्रेम, प्राकृतिक सौंदर्य, मानवता, वैज्ञानिक अविष्कार आदि विषयों को आधार बनाते हुए सुंदर और भावपूर्ण रूप से कविताओं का वाचन किया।

निम्न लिखित विद्यार्थियों को प्रोत्साहन हेतु पुरस्कृत किया गया।

प्रथम पुरस्कार	द्वितीय पुरस्कार	तृतीय पुरस्कार	विशेष पुरस्कार	विशेष पुरस्कार
कक्षा ४ २५ जुलाई तान्या ४ (ए)	अन्विता वासन ४ बी	परख कामरा ४ एफ	अक्षरा ४ सी	हार्दिक सिंह संघु ६ सी
कक्षा ५ ११ मई जसप्रीत कौर ५ ए	लावणया कपूर ५ ए	रिया धिमरे ५ डी	गुरासीस ओबेरॉय ५ ए	अनन्या भल्ला ५ बी
कक्षा ६ १२ मई सहज ६ एफ	प्रियांशी ६ सी	डिम्पल ६ सी	ईशा ६ सी	इशिता ६ बी
कक्षा ७ १२ मई प्रशंसा ७ ए	सार्थक अरोड़ा ७ बी	इशानिका सैनी ७ सी	कृतिका ७ बी	कनिष्का सरोहिया ७ ई
कक्षा ८ १२ मई ऐश्वर्या ८ एफ	उदय ८ सी	दीपान्श ८ ए	सृष्टि ८ ए	सागर कुमार ८ एफ

बीरबल की चतुराई

समय का सबसे कहना है
जीवन की चतुराई न लड़ी अपनी जंग
सारे सैनिका की हो गई प्रतिज्ञा भंग।
बीरबल की खिचड़ी नहीं थी,
थी वो उसकी चतुराई।
जिसने अकबर की आखें खोली,
वही है असली सिपाही।
समय मत बरबाद करो,
करो काम की बात
चतुराई से ना काम लिया,
तो हो जाओगे बरबाद।
बताती हूँ एक समय की बात,
बीरबल की चतुराई ने दिया सबका साथ
अकबर और बीरबल मिलकर बनें एक दल
सारे गांव वासियों की समस्या करी हल
अच्छे काम करोगे तो मिलेगा अच्छा फल
आज का फैसला भला क्यों ले हम कल
तान्या बहल
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प्रतिवेदन

बाल भारती पब्लिक स्कूल, गंगाराम अस्पताल मार्ग द्वारा आयोजित संगोष्ठी
'Role of School in Advancing Global profile of Sanskrit'
की वर्कशाप हेतु दिनांक १७ जुलाई २०१७ को हमारे स्कूल की संस्कृत विषय की शिक्षिका इस
आयोजन में आमंत्रण द्वारा सम्मिलित हुई।
इस वर्कशाप में सी.बी.एस.ई. बोर्ड के अध्यक्ष श्री राजेश कुमार चतुर्वेदी जी, श्री कमलेश शर्मा जी,
श्रीमती हेलेन हार्पर आदि का वक्तव्य एवं मार्गदर्शन मिला। जिसमें संस्कृत विषय अनिवार्य बनाने हेतु
आवश्यक सुझाव प्रदान किए गए।

संस्कृत श्लोक उच्चारण प्रतियोगिता

इंडियन हाईटस विद्यालय में २७ जुलाई २०१७ को संस्कृत में भगवद् गीता के श्लोक उच्चारण प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया गया जिसमें कक्षा दूसरी
डी के छात्र पार्थ कपूर को भाग लेने का अवसर प्राप्त हुआ।

TRANSFORMATIONAL LEADERSHIP

Ms. Inderpreet Kaur Ahluwalia, Headmistress attended the Sankalp Sahodaya Annual Conference, which was meant for Principals and leaders of leading Schools of South West Delhi, at ITL School Dwarka on 22 July. The theme of the workshop was Transformational Leadership. Eminent motivational speakers, viz. Prof. Debashis Chatterjee, Mr. Arunabh Singh, and Mr. Brian Waller addressed the august gathering.

DEALING WITH FAILURES

The educational supervisor Ms. Jyotsna Vishwakarma attended a workshop on the 28 July, on Dealing with Failures-developing resilience in school children. The resource person, Dr. VS Ravindran, informed that in today's world number of suicides amongst adolescents is increasing. This is because these days children cannot take any failure in their stride. Teachers and parents have high expectations from their wards and want them to excel in every field. Unreasonably, high goals are set for them. When they do not perform to these expectations, they go into depression and in some cases attempt suicide. Teachers and parents are to ensure that their wards do not develop uncalled for competitive syndrome, where nothing but success is acceptable as end result. They should be asked to take each and every competitive situation as a part of life, instead of terming as 'competition'.



Edu. Supervisor- Ms. Jyotsna Vishwakarma with Resource person Dr. VS Ravindran.

IN SERVICE TRAINING ● MOTIVATIONAL TRAINING

On 15 May, a motivational workshop on Multiple Intelligence was conducted by Ms. Anjali Singh, who is currently associated with Ratna Sagar. The speaker focused on the 9 levels of intelligence, and how it should be made 'use of to gauge / assess the individual talents, capabilities and qualities of child' and should be appropriately utilized to their optimum level, to bring about positive changes, and develop the personality of child. The seminar was enlightening and highly beneficial for everyone present.



Workshop by Ms. Anjali Singh

● STRESS MANAGEMENT

Everyone of us have felt stressed at some point during our life time. Nevertheless, what exactly is stress? How does it affect our health? And what can we do about it? To answer these questions a teacher-training workshop was conducted, on 16 May, by Mr. Ranjit Majumdar, a Gold Medalist in Sales and Marketing, having forty three years of



Principal Ms. Alka Kher welcoming Mr. Ranjit Majumdar

● BEHAVIOURAL ISSUES OF CHILDREN

A workshop on Behavioural Issues of Children was conducted on 16 May by Ms. Anu Singh. It was an engaging session wherein problems confronted by students as well as teachers were discussed. Multiple ways to handle different situations in a dynamic classroom environment were recommended. It was an enlightening and enriching experience for the teachers who got to learn various new methods to keep pace with the rapidly changing and evolving world of education.

GREEN TO GREY MATTER

Three teachers from our School attended the Annual Conference conducted by the Forum of Public Schools on 5 May at the India International Centre. The Chief Guest for the event was Sh. Ravi Shankar Prasad, Hon'ble Minister for Law & Justice and Information Technology, Government of India. The conference was divided into 3 sessions covering the topics relating to the value of collaboration while creating, value of Sanskrit language and the integration of art into technology to empower our education system. The primary speakers for the same were Mr. Shyam B. Menon (V.C. Ambedkar University), Mrs. Ritika Parikh (Dy. Director British Council), Mr. Kamlesh Sharma (Former High Commissioner of India to U. K.), Mr. S.K. Bhattacharya (President Action Committee), Dr. R. Gopichandran (Director Vigyan Prasar) and Prof. Rajaram S. Sharma (Jt. Director, NCERT). This conference was attended by a huge gathering drawn from the members of over 90 registered schools of the Forum and was a great learning experience.

CYBER SAFETY AWARENESS

A senior Computer teacher from our school, attended workshop on Cyber Safety Awareness by Cyber Crime Cell under Economic Offence wing of Delhi Police on 26 July. Deputy Commissioner Police Mr. K. K. Vyas, Cyber Crime & Economic Offences wing of Delhi Police was the resource person.

CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME FOR PROSPECTIVE RESOURCE PERSONS IN BUSINESS STUDIES

Good teachers are the foundation on which a quality education system rests. With the objective of teachers' empowerment, the Central Board Of Secondary Education conducted a Capacity Building Programme for Prospective Resource Persons in Business Studies -Class XII. Two Commerce teachers of our school attended the workshop. The workshop was held at CBSE Centre of Excellence, Gurugram on 6 and 7 July. The workshop was chaired by Ms. Sugandh Sharma, Additional Director, CBSE Centre of Excellence. The resource persons and teachers discussed the content of the CBSE Curriculum, need of integrating current issues in the curriculum, forming case studies, sample papers, inclusive education and how to make teaching more involving and interesting.



Ms. Vandana Shah and Ms. Ruchika Paul with Mr. Sugandh Sharma Addnl. Dir. CBSE (COE)

ACCOUNTANCY

Orientation programme for Accountancy PGTs was organized by Arya Publication on 22 July at Bal Bharti Public School, Rajinder Nagar. Resource person, Prof D.K. Goel discussed the changes incorporated in the board question paper pattern and topics such as Conversion of Debenture into shares, GST etc.

A PGT Accountancy teacher had attended this workshop and took part actively in the discussions. The workshop immensely helped in understanding the changes and accordingly tailoring the curriculum for the benefit of our Accountancy students.

The same teacher also attended a workshop on Accountancy organized by Sultan Chand on 15 July at India Islamic Cultural Centre, Lodhi Road. It was conducted by renowned authors and resource persons CA(Dr) G.S Grewal and Mr R.K. Khosla. The topics were recent changes in examination pattern and GST.

AN EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE-ED:TECH+

A TGT Computer teacher attended a technological driven educational conference ED: Tech+, A Smart Move Towards Smart Education at The Park Hotel on 18 July. The conference focused on the need of technological growth in the education sector. The eminent speakers were Dr. Sandhya Chintala, Executive Director IT&ITES Sector Skill Council and NASSCOM, Mr. Aurobindo Saxena, Vice President, Technopark and Mr. Manish Gupta, CEO, Videoken. The speakers addressed various Technological Advancements in educational sector. Dr. Sandhya discussed about upcoming technologies like Robotics, driverless transport and 3D printing etc. Mr. Manish gave an overview of the website videoken.com that provides filtered YouTube videos and is used for video editing. Dr. Deepak talked about MOOC-Massive online open courses. He suggested blending teaching lessons with the online material. Overall, it was a wonderful learning experience.

GOOGLE INDIA CODE TO LEARN 2017

As part of the Google India Code to Learn 2017, two Computer Science Teachers attended a training programme on Scratch and App Inventor on May 9, at Indraprastha International School, Dwarka. Both Scratch and App Inventor help Middle School and High School students to develop storyboards, games, Animations and Apps. The Resource person was Mr. Siddhant Aggarwal.

CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME

A Mathematics teacher participated in the Capacity Building Programme conducted by the Central Board of Secondary Education on 21 and 22 July at Sachdeva Public School, Rohini, New Delhi. The resource persons were Mr. Shahid Kalim Qureshi and Ms. Anita Sharma (Principal, S.D. Public School). The workshop emphasized on equipping the participants with the skills and competency required to effectively transact challenging content areas in mathematics, facilitate effectively planning the lessons, sensitizing the participants regarding the issue of gender so that they provide a gender equitable environment in the class rooms, develop expertise in drafting of test papers and provide an environment conducive to shared learning so that the participant could explore suitable strategies to deal with the students misconceptions regarding mathematical concepts.

'WE PLANT'

'We Plant' is a voluntary organization committed to end malnutrition and enhance biodiversity. Planting fruit trees in public places and thus making fruits available and accessible to poorest of the poor is the goal of this organization. They also have a dream of planting more trees than the number of trees cut every day. This precisely is the vision of this organization to see public lands all over India planted with location specific fruits. To accomplish this "We Plant" organized workshop at St. Mary's School, Dwarka on 2 May, which was attended by Tanisha Kapoor IX E and Shashank IX H along with a primary teacher. The workshop was conducted by the "We Plant" founder member Mr. Santosh.

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

Three Physical Education Teachers attended a workshop on Youth Development organized by Ministry of Youth affairs and Sports at Vigyan Bhawan on 22 July. It aimed at promotion of games and sports including scouts & guides, NCC and NSS in schools. Shri S.K. Bhattacharya, Educationist, gave welcome address and keynote address was given by Sh. Vijay Goel, Minister of Youth affairs & Sports, Govt. of India.

TONY BLAIR INSTITUTE

The Tony Blair Institute for Global change organized a daylong teacher-training workshop at Apeejay School, Pitampura on 3 May, which was attended by a teacher from our school. The Tony Blair Institute for Global change is non-profit organization dedicated to making globalization work for the many, not few. The Institute works to provide policy and strategy in support of a vision of globalization designed to improve the well-being of the people, economically, politically, and socially. Ms. Sandhya Gupta and Ms. Ghanapriya, the representatives of the institute spoke about the importance to inculcate tolerance amongst people of different religions. "Let's celebrate differences with equality" is the way to make this world a better place to live in. This idea was the center of discussion. The hands on activities gave a better insight about the vision of the organization. The workshop session focused on the ways quality of dialogue can be improved so that the students demonstrate outstanding dialogue skills in video conferences and digital dialogue. It aimed at providing updates on changes in Generation Global, getting more out of video conferences and digital dialogue and sharing of best practices.

WORLD BOOK DAY

World Book Day is a celebration! designated by UNESCO as a worldwide celebration of books and reading, and marked all over the world. It's a celebration of authors, illustrators, books and (most importantly) it's a celebration of its kind. On 23 April every year children of all ages come together to appreciate reading worldwide. To celebrate 20th World Book Day our school held a book fair, in collaboration with 'Scholastic India' from 24 April to 29 April in the school premises to encourage children to explore the pleasures of books and reading by providing them with the opportunity to have a book of their own. A wide range of books from all disciplines of education and leisure reading were displayed. A lucky draw was organised by Scholastic on the last day of the fair for book lovers. The highlight of the event was the **Classroom Challenge** Activity that captivated the maximum readers to the book stall to grab the title for their class. Fiction saw the maximum takers. The most incredible Class of Readers received a pack of books for their class library and were acknowledged with Class Certificate from Scholastic India.

INTERACTION WITH AUTHORS

Tanya Joshi VIIF, Amitoj Singh VIIC, Soumya Pokhriyal VIIA, Sahej Sahni VIIG and Suhani VIIE visited the Little Theatre Group Auditorium, Mandi House for Scholastic Writers' Award ceremony on 23 July, where they had the opportunity to interact with children book authors, Ms Payal Dhar and Ms Devika Rangachari. It was a literally enriching session, wherein our students were given tips on creative writing by the authors. The visit was an enlightening experience for the young minds gaining immensely from the valuable creative information shared by the authors. Participating in Informative and exciting quizzes, which were also a part of the event, made the visit very useful.

CRACKING BOARDS

A workshop was held for students of Class XII on 1 May on Crack the Boards by a well-known resource person Mr.Nilesh Gulati, a member of knowledge enhancement task force. The students were given tips on time management, preparation and strategy to score more marks in board exams. The aim of the workshop was to nurture a collaborative environment to enhance learning.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Mr. Jitin Chawla, an eminent educationist & career counsellor, and Mr.Alok Bansal, Director at IMS Delhi/NCR, had conducted a workshop on 9 August for Humanities students of Class XII. The workshop focused on the various career options, such as Law, Management, Social Work, Psychology, Teaching, Travel and Tourism, Designing, Advertising, Photography, Chartered Accountant, Nutrition and Diets etc. along with other vocational and management courses. Information regarding various colleges and entrance examination dates were also disseminated. Myths associated with Humanities were also dispelled. It was a very informative workshop. Mr. Sahil Sachdeva of JINA Institute of Professional Studies conducted a workshop on 10 August for the Science and Commerce students of Class XII. The seminar focused on the new and upcoming streams in these subjects, such as Actuarial Science, IPM (IIM Indore) and other professional courses - BMS, BBA (FIA), BBE, BBA, BCA, Law, Mass Communication and Hotel Management. Students' were highlighted about the importance of knowledge in attaining success. The workshop was very informative, as the students need to have a better understanding about the various options for their respective streams were addressed.

CREATIVE ART

As part of summer camp from 15 to 19 May, around 40 students participated in Creative Art workshop. They had the opportunity to indulge in painting (water/poster colour), craftwork and poster designs. On 19 May these students visited National Gallery of Modern Art, Jaipur House, New Delhi.

ITIHAAS

Two students of our school; Abhai Singh Tanwar and Srishti Bahl of Class XIA, got an opportunity to visit the Election Museum in the office of Chief Electoral Officer, Delhi, and participate in a six day workshop as a part of ITIHAAS. It is always said, see it to believe it. The museum showcased India's electoral journey through artefacts, rare photographs, documents and archival film footage. With the use of nearly 200 archived photographs, maps and references, the museum tries to unfold the legacy of electoral process from its inception.

They got opportunity to see metal ballot boxes used in first general elections in 1952, the ones used in 1996 and samples of old election symbols. Information about all stages of elections and its connections with voters in today's time, glimpses on the working of Election Commission and how Election Commissioners are fully committed in ensuring free and fair elections.

As a part of the workshop, students belonging to different schools of Delhi were divided into different groups and each group had to make a presentation on a topic related to the museum. They also interacted with **Dr. Chandra Bhushan Kumar, Chief Electoral Officer of Delhi**, who gave them detailed information regarding the various processes involved in the conduct of election in India, viz. pre election processes, results, historical trip on elections organized in the past, etc.



Conference on Itihaas

GENERATION GLOBAL VIDEO CONFERENCE

"Technology is best when it brings people together"

A video conference was organized on 3 August on the topic 'Festivals' by Generation Global. Besides Students of Classes VII and VIII of our School, **Al Azhar 1 Junior HS Jakarta, City Montessori School, Asharfabad Campus and Chettinad Rani Meyyammai Matric School, CCC Quarry**, participated in the video conference. **The overall objective of the video conference was to engage the students directly with one another in reciprocal dialogue and to learn about each other's culture, in particular festivals, their role, their beliefs and values that play in these festivals.** The students explored new understandings presented by the students on the other side. The response and enthusiasm of students demonstrated the importance of festivals within the community. The insights provided through these findings support a better understanding of other religions.

Anubha Suhag VIIG	Kartik Kotnala VIIC	Akshita VIIG	Rakshita Acharya VIIIF	Garima Sharma VIIIF
Gursimar Singh VIIG	Eliena Jindal VIIIE	Sanya Khera VIIA	Piyush Ladwal VIIIE	
Shreya Bansal VIIIF	Saanvi Sama VIIIE	Aaratrika VIIIF	Anupama Rustogi VIIC	

WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY ACTIVITY

Every Wednesday volunteer parents are invited to conduct Wonderful Wednesday activity for Classes I & II. The volunteer parents conduct activities like storytelling, paper craft, dancing, drawing, thumb painting, yoga, aerobics and singing. The activities are not only refreshing but also give a window to the students creative abilities to develop and grow. The sessions are fun-filled, interactive and educative at the same time. It also helps the parents interact with the little ones and form a strong bond with them. The students eagerly wait for the sessions every week.



Wonderful Wednesday

SEED BANK

"We Plant" a voluntary organization has initiated a campaign to collect one million mango seeds this summer from Delhi. Their mission is to plant million mango trees in rural villages during the monsoon. The campaign in support of the initiative of "We Plant" was flagged off by our Director Ms. Anjali Aggarwal and Principal Ms. Alka Kher. Student volunteers created a Seed Bank. Students from Classes I to VIII collected mango, jamun (Indian black berry) and tamarind seeds for this purpose during their summer vacations. On 25 July our school students handed over about 7800 mango seeds to "We Plant". Following students collected highest number of seeds.

Kristeen Verma IV A-180 seeds, Sambhavi V C-130 seeds, Siddhant VIIID-120 seeds, Himani VIC & Divjot VB-110 seeds



Understanding the Importance of Seed

INDIA-LITHUANIA EDUCATIONAL-CULTURAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

A nine member's delegation led by our Principal Ms. Alka Kher and Global Projects Coordinator, Ms. Archana Tyagi and students Devansh Sharma VIIIIC, Aditya Verma IXG, Aryansh Arya IXC, Narinder Pal Singh IXD, Dhruv Chauhan XD, Aditya Goyal XC, Tiya Sharma IXA, Harsheen XIA and Somaya Dua XIA visited Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia as a part of an educational and cultural exchange program from 22 May to 31 May. The Indian delegation visited Radviliskis Lizdeika's Gymnasium, Lithuania and interacted with the students and staff members of the host school. They participated in the host school activities and attended language, music and dance classes to get a glimpse of the Lithuanian educational system. They also exchanged information about the Indian history and Lithuanian history through power point presentations. The delegates also met the Vice Mayor Mr. Kazimieras Augulis of Radviliskis District Municipality, during which he shared his thoughts about the Lithuanian culture and cities. The Indian delegation got an excellent opportunity to visit the historical sites of Vilnius and Radviliskis. The invitation from Salute Gymnasium added to their knowledge about the education system as they had a close interaction with the small group of students, where the benefits of Exchange Programme for the young generation were shared. The coordinators of the Salute Gymnasium arranged an excellent tour of the city. Visit to the Siauliai College added to their knowledge about the degree programmes for the higher studies. At Siauliai, students had great fun in making chocolates on their own at a chocolate factory. Our students presented a dance performance during the farewell 'Last Bells Ceremony' at the host school, which was appreciated by all the staff members and the parents of the students of the host school. The occasion was graced by the Mayor of Radviliskis, Mr. Antanas Cepononis. The Indian delegates experienced the culture when they visited Riga, the capital of Latvia. They saw the Freedom Monument, National Opera, Kara museum and Cathedral of Dome square. The delegation stayed in Tallinn, the capital of Estonia as well. It was an enriching experience for the group members as they visited Historical sites like Freedom Square, Kadriorg park and Palace, monument Russalka and enjoyed the beauty of old town. They also had a relaxing time at the Baltic Sea. The members were also invited to the Lasname Gymnasium, where Indian student delegates explained our educational system to Estonian students through power point presentation. The exchange programme was a great learning opportunity for the students, which will surely help them in their academic and social development.

BOOK LAUNCH

To celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Indo -Lithuanian -Diplomatic Relations, our school Principal Ms. Alka Kher was invited by the Lithuanian Ambassador to India H.E. Laimonas TalatKelpsa to attend the launching of the book "INDIA & LITHUANIA ; A Personal bond" at India International Centre on 5 April.



INDIA-DENMARK EDUCATIONAL & CULTURAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

In the continuing exchange of India-Denmark Educational & Cultural Exchange Programme, a group of 13 students, Deepali Sharma VIIIA, Komal Sharma IXB, Anish Panjwani IXD, Sahil Nawal XB, Charanpreet Singh XB, Abhinav Anand XB, Bharat Bathla XC, Varun Makkar XD, Jasmine Kaur XF, Ekansh Kalra XIA, Jaaneeta Khurana XIA, Ishita Dhir XIA & Shrishti Aggarwal XIE accompanied by two teacher coordinators; Ms. Ritu Khurana and Ms. Anushree Ghai from our School visited Fredericia Gymnasium, Denmark from 25 March to 03 April.

During the stay in Fredericia, the group not only interacted with the students of Fredericia Gymnasium but also visited another school in Denmark, Vonsild School in Kolding, for two days, i.e., on 27 April and 28 April. The group also visited the City Council Office to meet the Mayor on 27 April. During the visit, the students got an opportunity to interact with local people of the city and understand their culture and lifestyle. During their classroom interactions, students learnt various new forms of classroom interaction styles and got to know about their language and art forms.

After the exchange, the group stayed in Stockholm (Sweden) for two days from 04 April to 06 April and visited many places, viz. Nordic Museum, Vasa Museum, Skansen Open Air Museum and The Royal Palace of Stockholm. The other places visited during the program included cities like Copenhagen, Billund (Legoland), Ribe, Odense, the West Coast and Flensburg (Germany). The exchange program has not only enriched their knowledge about the places they visited but have also opened their minds to other lifestyles in the world.



Visiting group with the Vice Principal Mr. Martin Ingemann



Showcasing the Indian Dance



With Mayor Mr. Jacob Bjerregaard



At a beach in Fredericia

SANSKRITI UTSAV

The heritage of the past is the seed that brings forth the harvest of the culture in future.

Sanskriti Utsav - Inter -School Competition, was organized on 24 April by St. Mark's Sr. Sec. Public School, Meera Bagh to celebrate World Heritage Day and to sensitize the students about conserving our heritage. Our students of Classes VI to XI enthusiastically participated in various activities. The topic for Class VI was - "**History comes Alive**". It was Character Dramatization of various stalwarts of Indian History, who have contributed in a major way during different realms of Indian history, such as Chanakya, Chandragupta, Amarpali, Lakshmi Sehgal etc. Overall the students learnt about various distinguished figures of Indian History. **Aarav Dua VI D & Mouli Sharma, V B** bagged 2nd Prize and **Sahaj Garg VI F** and **Yuvraj Singh, VI B** secured special prize. Other participants were:

Daksh Sachdeva VIA	Deeksha Sharma VIA	Tushar Jha VIA	Rohit Rajput VIB	Diya Chawla VIB
Samarth Sharma VIE	Harshit Dubey VID	Harshita Solanki VID	Shekhar Kumar VIE	Maitreyi Mishra VID

Students of Class VII were required to give a talk on 'World Heritage Sites'. Our students primarily focused on the Indian Heritage Sites, such as Fatehpur Sikhri, Sun Temple (Konark), Indian Mountain Railways etc. **Akshita VII G** and **Saina Bajaj VII F** bagged first prize, and **Vriti VII E** received special prize. Other participants were:-

Ansh Girdhar VIIF	Vastavi Gupta VIIF	Ishanika Saini VIIF	Anubha Suhag VIIG	Daksh Khuttan VIIF
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The event for Class VIII was Power Point presentation on Indian musical instruments and classical dance forms **Sneha Gautam** and **Shreya Arora** of VIIIE bagged II Prize. Other participating teams from our school were:

Lakshit Tandon & Sarthak Aggarwal VIIF	Ekansh Verma VIIF & Anant Aggarwal VIID	Ojjasv Nakra & Piyush Ladwal VIIE	Sannidhi Arora & Aashwarya Nagdev VIIF
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Team from Classes VIII & IX participated in Folk Dance Competition and won III & II Prize respectively. The team members were:

South Indian Dance

Srishti Sharma VIIIA	Parineeta Bakshi VIIIA	Rishika Singh VIIIB	Mahi Garg VIIIB	Palak Dhir VIIIC
Deepika Gulia VIIIC	Shagun Shukla VIIIC	Pridhi Ladwal VIIIE	Saanvi Sama VIIIE	Eliena Jindal VIIIE
Aarti Chawla VIIIE	Manisha Verma VIIIE	Saanchi Arora VIIIE	Aaratrika VIIIF	

Koli Mah Dance

Annanya Tiwari IXA	Janyantika Raghav IXA	Hayi Gosain IXA	Amishi IXA	Khwaish IXA
Prathum IXA	Devansh IXA	Aarti Sharma IXB	Aryan Gandhi IXB	Nitin IXC
Bhavydeep IXC	Yash Solanki IXE	Arpita Uppal IXF	Aryan Singh IXF	

The following students of Class X participated in the quiz competition on the topic HERITAGE OF INDIA.

Team 1- Vansh Mahajan & Priyansha XD

Team 2 Parnika & Minakshi XD

Team 3 Vansh Babbar & Sakshi Neeraj XC

Team 4 Arya Jha & Palak Aggarwal XC

Team 5 Ayush Garg & Harmandeep Singh XB

Team 6 Mehar Sachdev & Dhvani KochharXB

Team 7 Prachi Gupta & Tanushree Bishoi XA

Team 8 Vanshika & Aastha Sachdeva XA

Poster Making Competition for Class XI students brought about awareness in designing posters. **Hardik Sharma** XIC won II Prize and **Naman Kumar** XIB won III Prize. Other participants were:

Namish Guglani, XIB	Anshul Mehar XIB	Saransh Chawla XIB	Pakhi Verma XIB	Simran Navani XIA
Vanshika Jaiswal XIC	Rohit Beer XIE	Gehna Sahni XIA		



Koli Dance



Tushar Jha and Diya Chawla - History comes Alive



South Indian Dance - III Prize

INTER SCHOOL SCIENCE & MATHS FESTIVAL- 'QUEST-2017'

'Science is simply common sense at its best' Thomas Huxley

As an endeavour to encourage building of scientific temper which includes questioning, observing physical reality, testing, hypothesing, analyzing and communicating, St. Mark's Sr. Sec. Public School, Meera Bagh organized a four day Inter School Science and Maths Festival – 'Quest 2017' from 02 August to 05 August. A contingent of 27 students (Classes VI-XII) from our school participated in this competition. 33 schools participated in this event. The students who won prizes were:

Science Quest

Event - Imagine- Invent- Inspire

Aarav Dua & Mayank Madaan VID

Prize

II

Tanishk Mehrotra & Kartik Kotnala VIIC

III

Anant Aggarwal & Chamanjit Singh VIIID

III

Maths Quest

Event - Image- Invent- Inspire

Gursimar Singh & Abhinav Chopra VIIG

Prize

I

Juhi Aggarwal & Kunishka Satija VID

II

Event - Euclid's Paradise Board Game

Disha Goyal & Abhinav Chopra VIIG

I

Event - Mobius Strip and its Applications

Samdeesh Mahajan XIIC and Vidhi Grover XIID

Special

Other participants were:

Pranshu Arora VIE, Dev Bahl VIIID, Priyanshu Bhateja XIIB, Anant Singhal XIIB, Mehar Lamba XIIC, Dhruv S Negi XIIC, Mishti Arya IXC, Bhavya XD, Yashika Dawar XIA, Mitali Arora XID, Arman IXE, Riyansh IXE, Sadika Arora XC, Shubh Hazrati XC, Sheetal Bhatia XIC, Disha Narula XIC, Dhimant Khuttan XIIC, Karan Anand XIIC, Manisha Verma VIIIE, Aarti Chawla VIIIE, Dhruv Sharma IXE, Priyanshu IXD, Dishita Gupta XA, Drishti Juneja XB, Nalini Lalwani XIIB and Eshita Mehta XIIB.

BDMC 2017

Cambridge Foundation School, Rajouri Garden had hosted a fest interschool XV BDMC-2017 during the month of April. As part of the fest, an emoji enactment competition 'Mask your emotions' was held on 27 April. A team of three students - Khwahish Makkar III B; Sairama Parashar III D; Tejasv Pundir III D, represented our school and won **second** prize.

As part of the fest, on 28 April 'Livre De La Jungle' was organized for the students of Class IV. Each student were dressed up as an endangered animal and spoke briefly about it. Tanya IVA of our school won the **second** prize.

As part of the fest, a Musical event "Ethno western Music Makers" was held on 28 April. Vaibhav Kapoor VIII B, Manisha VIII E, Uday VIIIA and Aaratrika VIIIF sung a Baisakhi number, which infused energy and verve in the hall. Their effort was applauded and appreciated by the audience.

WEB CRAWLING

Tarana 2017 -An Inter School Fest was organized by Vishal Bharti Public School on 25 August. Aniket Thapar VIII D and Anant Aggarwal VIIIF won III position in the event 'Web Crawling'-A website designing competition.

SHAKESPEARE QUIZ 2017

To commemorate the 452nd birth anniversary and honour the world's all time great playwright and poet William Shakespeare, our school organized a Quiz on life and works of the great Bard of Avon for students of Classes XI and XII on 25 April. Four teams namely Macbeth, Hamlet, Merchant and Romeo contested in six rounds of the quizzing with great energy and enthusiasm. The Quiz Masters Aman Sachdeva of XIIC and Sakshi Taneja of XIIE by their tricky, intriguing and exciting questioning tested knowledge and understanding of the participants. Both in the Rapid Fire and the Specific Play rounds the team Hamlet took early lead and were declared winners and team Merchant were runners up of the competition. The members of the two teams were:

HAMLET Samdeesh Mahajan XIIC

Harjyot Kaur XIIA

Hardik Sharma XIC

Nalini XIIB

MERCHANT Mehar Lamba XIIC

Navdeep Singh XIIC

Ansh Kher XIIB

Vivek Sharma XIIB

CHARACTER DRAMATIZATION

The students of Class II participated in character dramatization intra class competition held on 3 May. They were dressed as prince, princess, witches, knights, goblins etc. and enacted characters from famous fairy tales like Rapunzel, Sleeping Beauty, The Frog Prince, Jack and the Beanstalk, Hansel and Gretel, Rumpelstiltskin, The Ugly Duckling etc. The students enthusiastically portrayed their theatrical talent and were applauded. The winners were:

I Prize

Siddid Sharma II D

II Prize

Paavni Dhingra II D

III Prize

Srishti Sethi II A

Special Prizes

Asmita II E; Jaiveen II F; Sonakshi II C; Gurbahul Kaur II C; Ambika II A



ENGLISH RECITATION

Poetry is the essence of literature. It is the language of imagination and passion. Reciting poetry is an enjoyment for children. They enjoy the beauty of expression, thought, rhyme, rhythm and music of words. These factors were on display as our students of Classes IV to VIII got the opportunity to exhibit their talent and confidence while participating in the intra class English recitation competition. The competitions were held for Class V on 11 May, Classes VI to VIII on 12 May and Class IV on 25 July. Various topics, viz. friendship, Science fiction / technology, Beauty of nature, dreams, works of famous poets were given as theme for the competition. The participants recited classic poems with expression, modulation and exhibited their confidence and talent. The students were assessed on the basis of four parameters i.e. voice modulation, pronunciation, memory and expressions. The prize winners are:



I Prize

Malishka Bhambani IVA
Jasmine Verma VD
Gunjan VID
Suhani VIII
Aaratrika VIIIF

II Prize

Ayush Utsav IVA
Sambhavi Singh VC
Swastika Maity VIF
Anubha Suhag VII G
Garima Sharma VIIIF

III Prize

Namanpreet Kaur IVF
Jasleen Kaur VA
Utsav Aggarwal VIF
Akshita VIIIG
KavishDhan VIIIF

Special Prize

Manmeet Kaur IVB
Kangna VE
Diya Chawla VIB
Avneet Kaur VIIIE
Priyanka VIIIA

Special Prize

Suhani Singh IVC
Riya Wariyal VD
Nitin Chaurasia VIC
Sakshi Kumari VIIIE
Dev Bahl VIIID



SOLO SINGING & INSTRUMENTAL

Life without music is life without 'harmony', the world would be a very quiet place. Life is a song, sing it. Our school organized a Solo Singing Competition for Classes IV and V on 9 May and Classes VI to VIII on 10 July. The event showcased the talent of students. Their performance left the audience as well as the judges spellbound. Our Principal, Ms Alka Kher and the Head Mistress Ms. Inderpreet Ahluwalia graced the occasion and encouraged the budding talents. The following students won the prizes.

FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	I CONSOLATION	II CONSOLATION
Srijan Pratap Saini IVC Lavanya Kapoor VA	Suhani Singh IVC Navya Yadav VF	Mehak Vashista IVD Rama Chauhan VE	Pranvi Chibber IVE Jasmine Verma VD	Dhriti Gupta IVF Akshara Murli Rao VC
CATEGORY	HINDI	ENGLISH	INSTRUMENTAL	
Prize				
First	Tanmay Singhal VIIIE	Rishi Kumar VIIID	Bhavneet Singh, VIIIG (Tabla)	Suhani Singh IVC
Second	Shalini Kumar VIIC	Disha Goyal VIIIG	Amitoj Singh, VIIC (Drums)	Lavanya Kapoor VA
Third	Uday Meena VIIIA & Disha Meena VIIC	Shubham Choudhary VIIIE	Daksh Arora, VIIIB & Nikshay Kuma, VIIIB (Guitar)	Manisha Verma VIIIE
Special	Manisha Verma VIIIE	Harjot Singh Rishi VIIIF & Sagar Singh, VIIIE	Aarushi Parhar, VIIIB (Congo) Kartik Kotnala VIIC (Guitar)	Shubham VIIIE



FEVER 104 FM

On 24 July, two students of our school became proud participants in the thoughtful initiative of Radio 'FEVER 104FM - 'BHARAT POSITIVE'. The aim of the initiative is to appreciate the 'positives' of our country. In order to appreciate the valour and unflinching determination of our soldiers and the occasion of Kargil Vijay Diwas (KVD), one of the heroes of the Kargil War and PVC awardee Sub. Yogendra Singh was the guest of honour. His story is a true example of courage, determination and love for one's country. Aman Sachdeva, XIIC and Nischay Mohanty, XIID got the privilege to interact with Sub. Yogendra Singh, PVC, and query. A tour of the radio studio was also organized for the participants. Overall it was an overwhelming experience for the participants.

HAWA BADLO CAMPAIGN

Hawa Badlo Campaign is an initiative taken up by Fever 104 FM Radio in association with Gail India Ltd. An edition of the campaign was held in school premises on 21 August, where in Classes VI to X had participated. **RJ Stutee** led a Tree plantation drive during the programme. As many as 21 saplings of different fruit trees and some decorative plants were planted by our Principal and students in the school premises.



INDIAN SCIENCE FESTIVAL

A group of 92 students from Classes III to V accompanied by their teachers visited the Indian Science Festival at Thyagraj Stadium on 10 August. Students enjoyed the array of science exhibits, experiments and got hands-on experience on various live exhibits. The main aim was to familiarise the students with various new scientific technologies through joyful learning.



Hands on Experience at Thyagraj stadium for our little scientists.

KARGIL VIJAY DIWAS

Kargil Vijay Diwas was celebrated by our school on 26 July, in commemoration of the Victory of Indian Armed forces in the Kargil campaign. Various activities were held in our school in which students actively participated and in the process students gained awareness regarding warfare and allied matter. The students of Classes I and II enthusiastically made collage, sketched on the topic, painted the tricolor flag –Tiranga. Students were shown documentary 'KARGIL VIJAY DIWAS', an homage to soldiers who were martyred during the war and images related to war. Students of Classes III and IV actively participated in poster making, composed poems and made cards symbolizing the victory of India. Class V students participated by making cards, pictures, posters etc. The students of Classes VI & VII composed poems in English and Hindi. The students of Classes IX, X and XI recalled the history of the war. Students of Class XII prepared charts related to border incidents.

AUGUST KRANTI DIWAS

On the eve of 75th anniversary of the Quit India Movement, the students of Classes IV and V presented a program on '9 August -August Kranti Diwas'. The August Kranti of 1942 was a swan song of British rule in India in the history of Independence struggle. To mark the occasion, students remembered the heroics of the freedom fighters who sacrificed their life for the country. The Principal, Headmistress and educational supervisor along with teachers and students garlanded the portraits of our great freedom fighters like Mahatma Gandhi, Subhash Chandra Bose, Sardar Patel, Bhagat Singh etc.



Celebrating August Kranti Divas

COMPETITIONS

INTER SCHOOL DEBATE

'Behas', an Inter School Debate Competition was organized by Sri Venkateshwar International School, Dwarka on 14 and 15 April, in their school premises. Karthik M. Panikar XII C, Samdeesh Mahajan XII C and Medha Sharma XII D participated. Our team was one of the best in the preliminary round, Karthik being declared the best debater in the prelims Medha and Samdeesh were also in the top 10 out of the 48 Debaters. The debaters spoke extempore as the topics were announced on the spot. **YWCA Debate Competition** was held at YWCA, Ashoka Road, on 13 July. Karthik M. Panikar XII C, spoke for the motion, Samdeesh Mahajan XII C spoke against the motion. Hardik Sharma XI C, Muskaan Grover XI C and Jhanvi Shori XI B were the interjectors. The topic for the debate was 'Death Penalty should be abolished'.

SPELLATHON

Vishwa Bharti Public School, Secor-6, Dwarka hosted TARANA-2017, an inter-school festival consisting of various competitions on 25 August in their school premises. Krishiv Makhija VB and Pari Kataria VE of our school participated in 'Spellathon'.

SOCIAL STUDIES QUIZ

Inter School Social Studies Quiz 'Ignited Minds- a Quest' was hosted by Indraprastha International School, Dwarka on 04 August for the students of Class V. Chirag Kapoor VA & Shiven Jindal VD represented our school in the competition. The theme for the competition was 'Diversified India'. In a nation that is rich and varied in its culture and heritage, the participants at times encountered both thought provoking and tricky questions, which kept their grey matter working overtime. The quiz had two rounds - 'Over The Edge' (an online round) and Masterstroke (comprising 5 interesting questionnaire rounds).

OLYMPIADS

The proof of the pudding is in the eating. Likewise, the knowledge acquired by the students is tested during examinations. However, in-house examination doesn't provide that challenge which one experiences during Board exam or any open examination. As the students face Boards at the fag end of their school life, it is in the interest of our students that they face at least open exam conducted by other organisations and test their knowledge beyond curriculum. Towards this endeavour, our students are provided opportunities to appear in the various Olympiads in different subjects. The awards won by the students provide impetus and confidence to face even higher challenges.

INTERNATIONAL COMMERCE OLYMPIAD

The result of **INTERNATIONAL COMMERCE OLYMPIAD**, which was conducted for Commerce students of Classes XI and XII by **Commerce Teacher's Foundation**, during November 2016, was declared recently. Vidhi Grover XII D scored 99.3% percentile and her international ranking was 59 among 1700 participants. She was felicitated at grand felicitation ceremony held on 13 May at Chinmaya Auditorium, Lodhi Road. She was awarded a medal, Certificate of Excellence and a Merit Certificate. Saksham Kukreja XIID was awarded Certificate of Excellence.

In the **International English Olympiad** preliminaries held in January 2017, **Samridhi IIB** secured International rank 26 and Zonal rank 5.





COLOUR MY WORLD

On the Spot Competition "Colour My World" was organized by Columbia Foundation Sr.Sec.Public School, Vikaspuri on 13 April. Our students competed in three categories – **Painting**, **3D collage Making** and **T- Shirt Designing**. The following students won prizes: →

The other participants were:

Painting		3D collage Making
I Prize	II Prize	III Prize
Riya Ghimiray VD	Priya Jha IIA	Ananya Raj XIIA
Ekansh Verma VIIID		Pakhi Varma XID
Jashandeep Kaur XD		T - Shirt Designing
Consolation Prize ▶	Manal Goswami IIA	Payal Bhattacharya VIIIB

Painting				3D collage Making
Naman Kumar XIB	Namish Guglani XIB	Aditi Pandey XC	Stuti Mittal IX B	Nitin Malik VIII B
Ayush Pandey IXB	Sayyam Thapliyal VIIF	Rajnandini Singh VI D	Harshit Dubey VID	Vansh Kumar VIII D
Jasmine Verma VD	Ayush Utsav IVA	Hardit Singh IVA	Suhani Singh IVC	T - Shirt Designing
Srishti Sethi II A	Alshifa Saifi III D			Hardik Sharma XI C

POSTER AND SLOGAN

The following students from our school participated in the Interschool Poster and slogan making competition for Classes VIII, XI&X organized by Rainbow Public School, Janak puri, on 10 August. :

Event	Slogan Writing		Poster Making	
Category	Juniors	Seniors	Juniors	Seniors
	Vansh Kumar, VIII F	Pakhi Verma, XI B	Ekansh Verma, VIII D	Jashandeep Kaur, X D

PAPER COLLAGE

The following students from our school participated in the Inter school Paper Collage competition organized by Government Boys Senior Secondary School, Vikaspuri, on 08 August. :

Category	Juniors	Seniors
	Divya Rajput & Manmohan Kaur Bahl VIII -B	Aditi Pandey X-C & Somya Gupta IX-C

PAINTING

Sayyam Thapliyal VII F & Ananya Raj XII A of our school participated, respectively, in Junior category and Senior category of the Interschool Painting Competition held at Sarvodaya Kanya Vidyalaya, Uttam Nagar on 08 August. **Ananya Raj XII A** won II prize. On 15 August, Vishwa Hindu Parishad, Uttam Nagar organized 'On the Spot Painting Competiton- 2017'. Laxhwinder IIE and Jiya Bhola VD won the I Prize (Shield and Certificate) in their respective categories.

PAPER TEARING

Paper Tearing Competition was held in Govt. Boys Sr. Sec. School, Vikaspuri- on 9August. Diya Rajput VIIIB, Manmohini Kaur Bahl VIIIB, Aditi Pandey XC and Soumya Gupta IXE represented our school in the competition.

HOUSE MADE OF WASTE MATERIALS

On 9 August Praneet Kaur and Vanya Sharma of Class IIID participated in an Interschool Competition 'House Made Of Waste Materials' held at St. Francis School, Janakpuri.

PICTURE GALLERY



Zonal Handball Championship in our School



Web Crawling Winners
Aniket(VIII B) and Anant(VIII F)



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