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TEACHER FACILITATORS Ms. Seema Arora Ms.Rashmi Kohli Ms.Shimpi Kalsi Life is not a bed of roses. A man's journey is full of ups and downs. He has to encounter difficulties and hardships at some stage of his life. Therefore, in order to live happily and freely, a man must have a sense of humour. This humour can lighten his burden as well as take away all his worries for a little while. The best person in the world is the one who doesn't laugh at others but laughs with others and has the ability to laugh at himself also. This ability is a rare gift. Some people are so self – conscious that they cannot take a joke at their expense. They are always serious and make life doubly hard for themselves because of their inability to see humour. A great person is able to laugh at absurd and illogical things. He does not allow life to steal his cheerful laughter. He is a lively and cheerful person who is undoubtedly loved by all. A man with a sense of humour will definitely sail through life with less difficulties than a man who is always serious and tense. Humour has a great practical value. It helps to maintain mental balance and gain friends. These two things are very essential for happiness.

'Humour is the salt of life'- as it adds a fantastic flavour which helps a person to swallow bitter realities of life with a smile.

# JHANKAR- THE CELEBRATION OF DANCE



East meets West- beautiful fusion

"To dance is to be out of yourself. Larger, more beautiful, more powerful. This is power, it is glory on earth and it is yours for the taking."<u>Agnes de Mille</u>

A Dance Festival 'Jhankar' was held in our school on 12.3.2013, in which approximately 300 primary students participated. The programme started by paying a tribute to Goddess Saraswati which was followed by various dances presented by our dance enthusiasts. The audience not only savoured classical dances such as Bharatnatyam, Kathak and Manipuri, but also enjoyed western dances such as Ballet and Salsa. The festival also included International Folk dances like the Peacock dance of China, the Arabian and the Lithuanian dance.

This was followed by 'Taal'-an Indo Western fusion dance. The celebration of 100 years of Hindi cinema was the real treat to the eyes of the audience as they witnessed three performances each of the black and white era, the coloured era, the golden period and the modern period. The transformation from the 40's to the 21<sup>t</sup> century left the audience awestruck. The finale was a tribute to the great showman 'Raj Kapoor'. The programme ended with the rendering of a beautiful and melodious song 'We are the world' by the school choir. The audience was mesmerized by the entire programme and the hall reverberated with their whole hearted appreciation.



The classic beauty of Bharatnatyam on stage.



The Peacock Dance of China.



The madness of Shammi Kapoor spreads on stage with 'Suku-Suku'.

# AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE



Our Principal Ms. A. Aggarwal, receiving the award for Excellence in School Education A double bonanza for our school as both the school as well as the Principal, Ms.A. Aggarwal, received the Quality Initiative Mission Awards 2013. The school was awarded for Teaching Learning Methodology in Schools while Ms.A.Aggarwal was awarded for Innovation and Excellence in Education.

The glittering award ceremony was held on the 4th of March 2013 at Alliance Francoise, Lodi Estate. The award was presented to the school and Ms.A.Aggarwal,Principal, by P r o f . B . P . K h a n d e I w a I , n o t e d educationist.Prof.Khandelwal,former Chairman, CBSE and former Director, National University of Educational Planning and Administration, NUEPA, is currently the consultant of Council of Boards of School Education, CBSE.

#### YET ANOTHER LAUREL

An award and pledge ceremony with the Chief Minister of Delhi was organised by INTACH on the 13th of February, 2013. Aryan Chawla of Grade 4 received the Special Mention Award in Painting Competition from the Chief Minister, Ms.Sheila Dixit. Christina Sharon, Vice Head Girl, and 34 students from other schools of Delhi took a pledge along with the Chief Minister to honour and protect Delhi's Heritage.



Our Young Artist – Aryan Chawla receiving recognition from Chief Minister Sheila Dixit.

MEDIA CLUB RELEASES SMS XPRESS

#### MITSUBUSHI ASIAN CHILDREN'S ENIKKI FESTA 2012-013

Students of our school participated in the Mitsubushi Asian Children's Enikki Festa 2012-013 wherein they sent their art work with a few lines describing the work. Tanishq Juneja,Grade 6,received the Local Organizer's Award for his art work.



The team that made SMS Xpress Possible

On January 21,2013, Students'Media Society, the Media Club of our school released the first edition of 'SMS Xpress'. The Special Guest of Honour present for the release was Dr. Anubhuti Yadav, Professor, C.I.E.T, N.C.E.R.T. The event saw the members of the Students' Media Society sharing their experiences in not only making the newspaper but also the other activities that they undertook throughout the session. Dr. Anubhuti Yadav complimented the school and the students for their hardwork and sincere efforts put into the making of the newspaper. She also gave some valuable tips to the students for further activities to be done by the Society. The newspaper was a result of the hard work put in by the sixteen members who comprise the Students' Media Society. The students

got a first hand experience in all aspects of making a newspaper ranging from designing the newspaper, interviewing people and making illustrations. The students also raised money through advertisers to cover the printing costs of the newspaper. The students who comprise the Students' Media Society are-Roshni Khatri, Jyotsna Arora, Ria Nagpal, Charulata Mukherjee, Akansha Goyal from class 11,Shivangi Arora, Palak Hajela, Kirti Suri, Shantav Jatav, Shubh Dhingra from class 10 and Siddharth Bose, Ishan Arora, Manan Jain, Shelly Gupta, Sanjana Choudhary and Suasha Girdhar from class 9.

#### 'BUDDING ARTISTS'- A CREATIVE ART CONTEST

"Painting is poetry that is seen rather than felt"... Leonardo da Vinci.

The school ground of our school became abuzz with colours and excitement on 02.2.2013 when an Inter School Painting Competition "Budding Artists" was organized. 240 students from classes IV to XI gave a beautiful form to their creative expressions using different mediums like water colour, acrylic and oil pastels. Students painted on various interesting topics like a market scene, nature, celebrating womanhood, mythological scenes to name a few. The venue was decorated with replicas of paintings made by the celebrated painters of the world. Eminent painters Dr.B.S.Chauhan, Associate Prof. College of Arts, Mr.Jagmohan Bangani, Freelance Artist and Ms.Vandana Bist, an illustrator cum creative writer, were the judges of the event. The added highlight of the event were paintings made by the eminent judges, the staff members of our school as well as the teachers of the participating schools.(Details of Prize Winners of our school on pg.16).

**LEXICON 2012-2013** 





Keen eyes watching the strokes of Dr B.S. Chauhan , Associate Professor, College of Art.

. Our Principal, Ms. A. Aggarwal, welcoming Mr. Jagmohan Bangani, Freelance Artist.



Popular fictional characters.

"Books are the carriers of civilization. Without books, history is silent, literature dumb, science crippled, thought and speculation at a standstill. They are engines of change, windows to the world, lighthouses erected in the sea of time." Barbara Tuchman. The new year began on a positive note when approximately 25 schools from all over Delhi participated in LEXICON-A LITERARY AND LANGUAGE EXTRAVAGANZA, an Inter School event organized by our school from 18 Jan'2013 to 23 Jan'2013. More than 900 students participated in the event which was divided into 3 categories primary, middle and seniors. The little ones captured everyone's attention by

reciting poems confidently while the students of classes 4 and 5 presented plays based on children's literature. Students of class 6 dramatized immortal fictional characters. Class 7 students showcased their presence of mind and speaking skills in extempore. Students of class 11 participated in the quiz on" William Shakespeare", while students of class 8 had a quiz on" Books and Authors.' The highest form of art, Theatre was once again celebrated as students of classes 10 and11 presented plays on the theme-A Flight of Fantasy. Debate and Poetry Enactment were enjoyed by the audience and the judges alike. The judges were eminent personalities from the world of literature, theatre and education. Ms.Vinita Zutshi, children's writer, Ms.Ira Sehgal, Consultant, NIE, Ms.Vandana Tandon, Consultant, NIE, Ms.Garima Arya, theatre personality, Mr.Tariqh, theatre personality, Mr Shekhar Murugan, theatre enthusiast from Yatrik Theatre group, and Ms.Rita Roy Chowdhary, Consultant, HT, to name a few. The event culminated on 23-1-2013 with the Prize Distribution Ceremony. Ms Anju Sehgal Gupta, Literature & Language Expert, School of Humanities, IGNOU and Ms. Sara Aulin, First Secretary, Cultural & Commercial Affairs, Embassy of Sweden, were the special guests of honour. St. Mark's Girls Sr. Sec. School, Meera Bagh, bagged the best school trophy! (List of Prize winners of our school on pg 21.)

# **BOOK WEEK**

Every year we organize a Book Week to enhance the literary skills of our students and to inculcate in them good reading habits. Keeping with the tradition, Book Week for the session 2012-13 commenced on 11 December, 2012. The event, that was inaugurated by our Principal, Ms.A.Aggarwal, was graced by the presence of Ms.Valentina, an eminent script writer and a great storyteller. Following this was a chain of week long competitions and events. While the tiny tots of class I enjoyed a story telling session with Ms.Valentina, there were various other competitions such as Poetry Recitation, Character Dramatization, Show and Tell, Grammar games, Complete the Story, Draw and Paint your favourite storybook character for the students of classes II to V. Students of classes VI to VIII participated in Character Dramatization, Quiz on Books and Authors, Treasure Hunt and Enact a Proverb, in which their linguistic and creative skills were showcased. Students of classes IX to XI took part in Book Review, Mastering Idioms & Phrases and a Quiz on Literary devices and Idiomatic Expressions. Amidst all the competitions, selected students from class VIII also got an opportunity to learn the nuances of cartoon making with the famous Cartoonist Mr.Ajit Narayan. The members of the Readers' Club, 'Odyssey,' had an interactive session with the renowned writer Ms .Devika Rangachari. Selected students from class IX attended an interactive Writing session with Ms. Vinita Zutshi, an eminent writer of Children's books. It was a week full of fun and learning, which culminated with the prize distribution ceremony on 14 December, 2012.(Results on pg 22).







The Story Telling Session by Ms. Valentina.

#### INTERNA TIONAL COMPETITION-QUANT

A team of 7 students of class XII comprising of Kashish Grover (XIIG), Vibhor Goel (XIIG), Lakshay Singh (XIIF), Anurag (XIIF), Bharat Aggarwal (XIIH), Prashant Vashisht (XIIH) and Anish Sharma (XIIF) led by their Physics Teacher Mr.S.Arora participated in an International event QUANTA 2012 held at City Montessori School, Lucknow from 16th to 18th December 2012. Students from around 60 schools from various countries and all over India participated in the event. Our students participated in Quizzes (Science, Maths, Mental Ability), Debate, Model Making from Computer Junk and a Boat Race. Kashish Grover and Vibhor Goel from XIIG won the first prize in Aqua Challenge (Boat Race). It was not just a competition but a unique chance to interact with the students and teachers from various countries. It was a rewarding exposure for all.



Our Team at Quanta-2012

#### **BRIDGING BOUNDARIES**



Our Principal, Ms. A. Aggarwal visited Khuda Ki Basti, a school in Lahore, Pakistan which comes under the DIL (Development in Literacy)programme initiated by the Government of Pakistan. She was welcomed by Mr. Sherin Khan, Chairman of School Management Committee. The other dignitaries present during her visit were Ms.Shakila Asghar, Principal, Mr.Ali Ijaz, DIL and Ms.Bushra Ahmed. The students of the school sang songs and also presented her with a beautiful handmade poster giving the message of peace between the two countries. She toured the school and interacted with the students. Coordinated beautifully by Ms.Alema Yousuf, iEARN, Pakistan, the visit by Ms. Aggarwal would perhaps be successful in bridging the gap between the two countries.

Our Principal, Ms. A. Aggarwal, in Khuda Ki Basti School, Pakistan.

#### WE HOST A DELEGATION FROM SWEDEN

A fifteen member student delegation from Ebba Pettersson Privatskolan, Gothenborg, Sweden visited our school.They accompanied were by Ms.Eva Daveus, Principal, Mr. Kenneth Stalnacke, Ms. Berit Andersson and Ms.Ingela Ohman.The Swedish students, who were hosted by their Indian counterparts from our school got a taste of Indian life style, education system, customs and traditions of India. During their sta in India, they not only visited all the monuments in Delhi but also visited Jaipur and Agra. Whether it was the henna on their hands or the elephant ride in Jaipur, the Swedish students indeed had a memorable time in India One of the highlights of the visit was the presence of Ms.Sara Aulin, First Secretary, Culture and Commerce Embassy of Sweden, who during the formal exchange of mementos, emphasised on the power that students have in making the world a better place to live in. Ms.Sara Aul also appreciated the work done by the two schools in bringing the two countries closer.



Our Global Connection with Sweden.



Our Global Coordinator, Ms. G. Rajan, voicing her opinion at the National Conference on Environment

# WE VOICE OUR OPINION

On 20 February 2013, students of our school alongwith their Eco Club Incharge, Ms.M.Pathak, attended a one day National Conference on Environment Education in Schools held at India Habitat Centre. Organised by Toxic Links in collaboration with N.C.E.R.T, the Conference saw the presence of Ms.Brid Coneelly, Director FEE, Denmark, Mr.Hem Pande, MOEF, Ms.Jaishree, N.C.E.R.T, Mr.B.K.Tripathi, N.C.E.R.T, and Mr.P.S.Sodhi, C.E.E. Our Global Co-ordinator Ms.G, Rajan, was also one of the speakers. The topic was issues and challenges faced by educators regarding implementation of Environment Education in schools. Shivangi Arora, (X A), also spoke about the challenges that she faces as a Green Ambassador of her school. It was an enriching experience for the students and teachers of our school as they could voice their opinion on an issue about which the whole school is passionate.

# **CITATION CEREMONY**



Ravit Malik (School Captain) and Kashish Grover receiving their Citations.

On 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> of February 2013, Citation Ceremony for students of class 12 was held. The Citation Ceremony is a solemn affair and is the school's way of acknowledging its students, wishing them luck and loads of love in the journey of their life. The presence of parents made the ceremony really special. The ceremony saw the students and parents sharing their experiences of being a part of the SMS fraternity. Ms.Inderpreet Kaur Ahluwalia, Ms.Beenu, Mr.N.K.Maithani and Mr.Rajesh Joshi were some of the parents who talked about their journey as a member of the SMS framily, making everyone nostalgic and emotional at the same time. Members of Atoot Bandhan, the school's Old Students' Association, also spoke about their golden years in the school. The students were presented with a memento along with the citation. The Principal, Ms.A. Aggarwal and the Vice Principal, Ms.V. Wahi wished the students the very best in life.



Harnoor Sethi and Parneet singh being felicitated during the Citation

# WE BID ADIEU TO CLASS XII STUDENTS

On 9<sup>th</sup> February 2013, we bade farewell to the students of the outgoing class 12. It was a very touching moment for all teachers and students as the students narrated their journey right from class 1 to class 12. The Principal, Ms.A. Aggarwal addressed the students and wished them the very best in their future endeavours. The students also paid special tributes to the school for having turned them into confident young individuals. The teachers blessed the students and expressed their happiness to see them develop into good human beings.

# **CHRISTMAS CELEBERATIONS**

The students of classes IV and V celebrated Christmas with a festive spirit in the school premises. The students of class IV presented a nativity play about the birth of Jesus Christ. The choir group of classes IV & V sang carols with excellent musical accompaniment that gladdened the hearts of all present.



The birth of Jesus Christ was beautifully enacted.



The joy of Christmas.

# **CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL**

Amidst dance and music Fun and frolic CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL arrived All around cheer and joy thrived Held on TWENTY-NINTH Day of December Organized by classes First to Fifth Indeed, an affair to remember All games interesting and captivating Some games of skill, some patience testing What a grand extravaganza! Giving opportunity to win bonanza! Everyone's palates had a time galore With their taste buds wishing for more Delicious dishes mouth watering snacks Left everyone with finger licking smacks.

The carnival was a great success. We would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to the parents, students and the teachers involved in this gala event.

# **REPUBLIC DAY**

The students of the middle section of our school celebrated the 64th Republic Day with great enthusiasm and zeal. Mr.H.K.Pandey, Education Officer (Retd.), graced the occasion with his presence. The colourful presentation which was a beautiful amalgamation of dance and music was so very pride instilling. Songs like "Ekla Chalo", "Vaishnavajan", "Sarfaroshi Ki Tamanna", made the atmosphere patriotic. The entire presentation by the students was melodious and foot tapping. The programme culminated with a colourful drill and a small felicitation ceremony for the young French learners who received Gold, Silver, and Bronze medals for their exemplary performance.



Lovely performance during Republic Day celebrations.

#### WE WELCOME BASANT



Class I students display the yellow flavour of Basant on their Canvas

Basant Panchami was celebrated in our school by the students of class I. They came attired in yellow-coloured clothes. A small temple with an idol of Goddess Saraswati was set up. Principal, Ms.A.Aggarwal, gave her good wishes on this occasion. An Intra- Class Drawing Competition on the theme 'Nature' was held in the school ground and the students participated with great zeal and enthusiasm.

## **OUR THEATRICAL FEAT**

A team of eight students participated in the finals of Annual Inter School Drama Festival organized by the British Council on 02.12.2012 in Kolkata. Out of 188 schools which participated in the preliminary round and 45 in the semifinals, 8 schools from all over India participated in the finals. Prior to the finals, the students attended a theatre workshop which was conducted by the theatre experts, Ms.Jade Turner and Mr.Gavin Carver from the Manchester Metropolitan University, England.



Our Principal and Educational Supervisor with the theatre enthusiasts at Kolkata.

#### **OUR TEACHERS ATTEND THE 5TH EDU CONVEX**



Two teachers, Ms.A.Mishra and Ms.B.Taneja, of our school attended the 5 th Edu Convex organized by Planet Edu, affiliated to the University of Cambridge at India International Centre on 08.2.13. It focused on 'Leadership in Education'. This was followed by citations and awards wherein our school received the International Award for implementing the Cambridge **ESOL** Examinations.

Our teachers felicitated

#### OUR STUDENTS WIN IN ROBOTICS

Members of the 1 of the Level Robotics Club of our school won the first prize at the Inter School Robotics Competition held at Bal Bharti Public School, Dwarka, on 24.1.2013. The students of class VI who formed the team were Manan Goel(6A.)Kunal Singh(6B),Raunaq Singh(6B),Kabir Singh(6F).



We Shine at the Inter School Robotics Competition.

# **OUR YOUNG ACHIEVERS FELICITATED**

On 12.3.2013, an Award ceremony to felicitate the outstanding students of primary classes was organized by our school. The awards were given by the former Education Officer Mr.H.K.Pandey and the Principal Ms.A.Aggarwal. The categories in which students were awarded were: Regularity, Excellent Behaviour, Responsibility, Neatness etc. The award winners were:-

#### Regularity

Jasraj Singh,IC Tanisha Malik, IIE Pratham Aggarwal,IIIG Prashant Choudhary,IVE Siya Bajaj, VE **All Rounder** Palak Mahajan, IE Yash Bansal, IIB Yagat Dayal, IIIF Ishita Arora, IVC Vishruti Priyanshi, VA **Excellent Behaviour** 

Kanisha Khurana,IG Rushil Sharma, IIC Prithika Ghosh, IIID Japneet Kaur, IVF Gurveen Kaur, VB **Avid Reader** Lakshay Bansal, IA Vishwesh Kr.Gupta,IIA Saahil Limone,IIIA Sarthak Sahni, IVB Vishesh Malik, VF Responsibility Udeyvir Singh,IF Bhumi Sinha,IIF Priyanshi Goel, IIIB Pearl Lamba, IVG Ishika Chauhan, VD Neatness Prisha Jain,ID Dishant Goel,IID Sangam Koundal,IIIE Arnav Kumar ,IVH Kashish Koul,VE

#### **Star Performer**

Sanchita Sharma,IB Kayna Leekha, IIB Radhika Ahuja, IIIC Bryan Rose,IVI Manpreet Kaur, VC





# Primary Award winners.

WE ARE PROUD OF OUR TENNIS CHAMPS



Our young Tennis Champs make us proud.

The voung Tennis players of our school made the school proud by bringing laurels to the school. After the qualifying rounds in each category - Junior, Middle and Senior, the tennis champs of the school participated in the Masters level of the competition. The Middle School Team (girls) comprising of Urvi Goel. Madaan Jhanvi and Simran Vohra and the Senior School Team (boys) comprising of Ankit Bajaj, Ishant Dabas, Arsh Tayal, Aman won the II Runner's Up position.

#### **ANNUAL SPORTS MEET**

Sports is an essential part of the curriculum which inculcates sportsmanship, discipline and team spirit in students. Keeping this in mind, our school organized the Annual Sports Meet for Seniors and Juniors. The games were organized in Sub– Junior, Junior and Senior categories. The students participated in large number in many different games like Football, Cricket, Basketball, Volleyball, Shot Put, etc and also athletic events. They participated enthusiastically and received prizes and medals for their achievements. The Best Players of each sport were awarded with special trophies. The Juniors also came together for their sports meet on 26 February, 2013 wherein the students of the primary section participated in events like Athletics, Skating and Lawn Tennis. The Principal, Vice – Principal and Educational Supervisor gave away the prizes and medals to the proud winners in the Prize Distribution Ceremony.



The Best Players of various games - Sr. & Sub Jr. Categeory.

#### SPORTS DAY RESULT

50 MTS. FLAT RACE (BOYS) CLASS I HARDIK GUPTA I D CLASS II ROHAN JHANWAR II H

CLASS III AYUSH BANERJEE III B CLASS IV VAIBHAV KAPOOR IV B SHIVANG SHAH V F CLASS V 50 MTS. FLAT RACE (GIRLS) SNEHA SINGH I F CLASS I JANNAT KAUR DHINGRA II H **CLASS II** CLASS III ARSHPREET KAUR III F AAKRITI DADHICH IV D **CLASS IV** CLASS V MINAL ZIYA KHAN V B **BALLOON RACE (BOYS)** DAKSH DADHICH IA CLASS I CLASS II SUJAL ARORA II A **BALLOON RACE (GIRLS)** CLASS I SNEHA I G CLASS II MANSI ASWAL II D **HOPPING RACE (BOYS)** MAYANK III E CLASS III **HOPPING RACE (GIRLS)** ISHITA GOEL III D CLASS III THREE LEGGED RACE (BOYS) CLASS IV SAHEJ PREET SINGH IV D PRIYANSHI BANSAL IV D **THREE LEGGED RACE (GIRLS)** CLASS IV MEHAK GUPTA IV E SWEKSHA GUPTA IV D

HURDLE AND SACK RACE (BOYS) CLASS V ANEESH GUPTA V D HURDLE AND SACK RACE (GIRLS) CLASS V MANYA SINGAL V D

#### II

YASH LAKRA I D DISHANT GOEL II D

SHASHANK MANGWANA III B RAGHAV BHATIA IV C AYUSH V A

ADITI GOSWAMI I B GURNOOR KAUR II C ADITI NEGI III C SHRUTI RAWAT IV B SIMRAN VOHRA V A

VIVEK PASRICHA I B JASPREET SINGH II E

ANSHIKA SAGGAR I A AASHI GUPTA II E

SHIVANSH III F

ANSHIKA MALHOTRA III F

HARSH BEDI IV I SHREY SINGHAL IV I

SHIFALI DUTT IV B NANCY GOEL IV E

ARYAN ARORA VA

DIVYANSHI ARORA V C

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TARANJEET SINGH I G NITISH KUMAR II G VEDANT DUTT II D DHRUV BHATIA III A KRISHPREET SINGH IV A RAHUL ARORA V E

KASHISH I F SRISHTI II F MEHAK III B MUSKAN AGGARWAL IV B ISHIKA CHAUHAN V D

VAIBHAV SINGH I B JAGDEEP SINGH II E

> VAISHNAVI I G MANYA GOEL IIA

> DEVANSH OSTWAL III G

NITYA MAHAJAN III F

BRYAN ROSE IV I ADITYA KUMAR IV A

DIYA BUDHIRAJA IV H KASHVI AHLAWAT IV H

VANSH GAHLOT VC

KASHISH LONGIANY V D

# SPORTS DAY RESULT

	RACE (BOYS)		
CLASS I	NEHRU HOUSE	SHASTRI HOUSE	GANDHI HOUSE
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	ADITYA VIJ I C	KAMESH IG	GURMEET I E
	SARTHAK BAJPALLE	KRISH VISHWAKARMA I D	KRISH I G
	PRANAYA GAHLAWAT I F	VARUN I F	GARVIT BHATIA I D
CLASS II	PRANAYA GAHLAWAT TF PATEL HOUSE VANSH GUPTA II B DIVIT BISHT II F VAIBHAV YADAV II C VANSH II F PATEL HOUSE ARYAN MARWAH III D	GANDHI HOUSE	SHASTRI HOUSE
	VANSH GUPTA II B	TARUN KUMAR JHA II E	KRISHNA PAWAR II H
		DAKSH P. JAIN II H	ASTITVA GAUTAM II F
			LAVIK SHARMA II C KAVYA BAJAJ II A
CLASS III	DATEL HOUSE	SHUDH MAHAJAN II G	GANDHI HOUSE
	ARYAN MARWAH III D	KARTIK III D	GARV KATHURIA III G
	NIKHIL MAURYA III A	PRATHAM AGGARWAL III G	ANSH GARG III E
	ARYAN SAXENA III A	KRISH VISHWAKARMA I D VARUN I F <b>GANDHI HOUSE</b> TARUN KUMAR JHA II E DAKSH P. JAIN II H VANSH II F SHUBH MAHAJAN II G <b>NEHRUHOUSE</b> KARTIK III D PRATHAM AGGARWAL III G ADITYA WADHWA III A	ARYAN LOHIA III E
	PRASHANT LAKRA III E	SHUBH MAHAJAN II G <b>NEHRUHOUSE</b> KARTIK III D PRATHAM AGGARWAL III G ADITYA WADHWA III A VIBHU III A <b>NEHRU HOUSE</b> KARTIK S INDURA IV B CHETAN LAKRA IV I HRAYANK DUA IV I KARTIK ROHERA IV C <b>PATEL HOUSE</b> SANSKAR CHOPRA V E	SANCHIT SAXENA III F
CLASS IV	SHASTRI HOUSE	NEHRU HOUSE	PATEL HOUSE
	ARYAN GAIND IV E	KARTIK S INDURA IV B	KARTIK S INDURA IV B
	SIDAK SINGH IV C		
			UDBHAV BHOWMICK IV F UTKARSH SOLANKI IV F
CLASS V	GANDHI HOUSE	PATEL HOUSE	NEHRU HOUSE
OLAGO V	SOUMAY HANDA VE	SANSKAR CHOPRA V E PULKIT MAHAJAN V A	JATIN BANSAL V E
	PRATHAM SHOKEEN V B	PULKIT MAHAJAN VA	ASHISH CHUGH V E
	KUSHAGRA JAIN V B	RITIN DHAKA V E NIKHIL KUMAR V D	ANGAD BHALLA V A
	KUSHAGRA JAIN V B NITIGAYA DUTT V D	NIKHIL KUMAR V D	KRISHNA MARWAH V C
	RACE (GIRLS)		
CLASS I	GANDHI HOUSE		
	GANDHI HOUSE TANYA NEGI I E KAVYA I E KASHISH SETH I F SHWETA JHA I E PATEL HOUSE		TISLEEN KAUR IG
	KASHISH SETH LE	ARTIIG	KOMAL I E
	SHWETA JHA I E	VANI BALUJA I B	RIYA I F
CLASS II	PATEL HOUSE	NEHRU HOUSE	SHASTRI HOUSE
	ANJALI CHOUDHARY II C	RASHMITA II A	ALFIYA II A
	NISHTHA NANGRU II H	ISHIKA II D	DIVYJOT II C
			LAVANYA II H PRABHJOT KAUR II C
CLASS III	DATEL HOUSE	PRIYA I G ARTI I G VANI BALUJA I B <b>NEHRU HOUSE</b> RASHMITA II A ISHIKA II D MISHI GUPTA II G TUBA II A <b>SHASTRI HOUSE</b> PRIYANKA MALAKAR III B DIRTI VERMA III E	NEHRU HOUSE
CLASS III	APARNA KAI RA III A	PRIYANKA MALAKAR III B	DIVANSHI THAKKAR IIIA
	TISHA BHOLA III F	DIPTI VERMA III E	DIYA SHARMA III B
	POULINA BANERJEE III B		UNNATI III B
	NETRA SHARMA III C	BAANI DHALL III D	SHREYA SINHA III D
CLASS IV	SHASTRI HOUSE	PATEL HOUSE	GANDHI HOUSE
	KANAN BATRA IV C	MUSKAAN HARJALIV F	MUSKAN IV C
	CHETALI DUA IV A VANSHIKA TAHROOR IV H	GAURI SALUJA IV H SANVI KHANDELWAL IV C	RIYA IV G SAMIKSHA KUMAR IV H
	DISHA SOLANKI IV E	VRISHTI GARG IV E	BHAVINI DEWAN IV E
CLASS V	SHASTRI HOUSE	NEHRU HOUSE	PATEL HOUSE
	NAVYA AGGARWAL V F	MANPREET KAUR V C	PALVI BATRA V B
	SHAMBHAVI RAI V F	ISHA KUMARI V F	SNEHA SHARMA V D
	UTSAVI MAKKR V C	LAKSHYA SALUJA V C	RASHMEET KAUR VE
	SACHMEET KALSI V E	KHUSHI SALUJA V D	KASHISH KUMAR V B
SKATING QU			
CLASS I	MANNAN ÁGGARWAL TA GURSAHEJ SINGH TE	ABHIMANYU BHANDARI I C PUKHRAJ HUNJJAN I A	VANSH GUPTA I B KESHAV GOEL I C
CLASS II	YASH BANSAL II B	KONAARK BERWAL II H	REGHAV GUEL I U
	DIVIJ PURDANI II E	YASH GUPTA II C	ANISH SEHGAL II D
	SAHEJ DHINGRA II E		
CLASS III	MANMEET SINGH III A	TANMAY AGGARWAL III B	HARDIK GARG III B
CLASS IV	AKSHAT BHANDARI IV A	DHRUV BANSAL IV D	ARSHPREET SINGH IV A
CLASS V	JASKIRAT PAL SINGH V C	LAKSHAY AGGARWAL V D	GAUTAAM BAAHL V C
	MANMEET SINGH V D	TARANVEER SINGH VA	

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QUADS (GIRI	5)		
CLASS I	PRISHITA JOSHI I G		
	ANANYA MITTAL TA		
	JAHNAVI KALRA I B		
CLASS II	VAIBHAVI MEHENDIRATTA II G	MEHAK II C	
	PRABHLEEN KAUR II G		
CLASS III	NEHAL GUPTA III E	TAMANNA MOHAN III A	DHWNI DANG III D
CLASS IV	SHIVALIKA JAMWAL IV H		
CLASS V	YASHIKA MITTAL V B	SUPRIYA ARORA V C	MEHAK SHOKEEN V B
ADJUSTABLE			
CLASS I	SHAURYA GABA I F	AGAMJOT SINGH I B	
	MANJYOT SINGH ANAND I C	YASH JANGIR I E	
CLASS II	LAKSHAY MALIK I D BRAHMJOT SINGH JAGGI II A	KESHAV LAMBA I A PRADEEP KR. KASHYAP II E	
CLASS II	PRIYANSHU II B	RAVI KANT II B	FALKEET SINGH II F
	GUNEET SINGH II E	MANNAR SACHDEVA II G	TALKELT SINGIT IT
CLASS III	JAGJEET SINGH III A	SARTHAK UPPAL III F	DEV KAPOOR III B
CLASS IV	MANMEET SINGH IV A	NISCHAY DHAMIJA IV A	ARSHDEEP SINGH IV G
CLASS V	DIVYAM BEHL V F	HARDIK KOHLI V C	DEVVRAT SINGH V D
ADJUSTABLE	E (GIRLS)		
CLASS I	GUNGUN I E	JASKIRAN KAUR TA	
	AKSHADHA DHAND I C	ISHIKA I G	
	SAANVI BHATNAGAR I A	PRISHA JAIN I D	
		DHRUVIKA MANOJ I A	
CLASS II	CHARU II D TANISHA II E	PARIDHI II F DISHA BALI II B	BHUMIKA II C KHUSHI GUPTA II E
CLASS III	JIYA MITTAL III F	GARIMA JAIN III E	PALLAK SIKKA III G
CLASS IV	KIRTI CHUGH IV A	YASHIKA YADAV IV B	ANUSHA MAHAJAN IV G
CLASS V	SANAH MALIK V C	RIDIMA KAPOOR V E	DHRITI DHAMIJA V E
INLINE (BOYS			
CLASS I	RAO VISHWADITYA I B	GARV PAHWA I B	SURYANSH VOHRA I G
CLASS II	SANJEET MALIK II B	PRATHAM II D	HARJAS SINGH II E
CLASS III	MADHUR SHARMA III D	ANIMESH PUNDIR III D	HARSHITA BHATT III G
CLASS IV	NIMIT GOEL IV H	KANWARPREET SINGH IV G	
CLASS V	ANMOL CHAUDHARY V C INDERJEET SINGH V B	PRITHVI MEHTA V D	HARDIK SETHI V D
INLINE (GIRL			
CLASS V	NISHTHA RAJPAL V D		
	E TENNIS (BOYS)		
CLASS III	SHASTRI HOUSE	PATEL HOUSE	
	VIDUR NARULA III C		
	ANTARIKSH GOEL III A	PURAV GUPTA III E	GARVITII
			ANURAG BATRA III E
CLASS IV	VIKALP RAJ III A <b>Gandhi House</b>	ANSH WASAN III F SHASTRI HOUSE	PATEL HOUSE
CLASSIV	ARUSH SOBTL IV A	PRATEEK YADAV IV I	HARMEET SINGH IV B
	ARYAN AHUJA IV F	SAIYAM KALRA IV F	VANSH CHADHA IV F
	PARTH DHAWAN IV E	VAIBHAV KOHLI IV F	RAGHAV TALWAR IV G
	MANAN IV		SHIVAY VINAIK IV D
CLASS V	GANDHI HOUSE	PATEL HOUSE	SHASTRI HOUSE
	SARTHAK MADHWANI V D	LAKSHAY MAJETHIA VB	ANIRUDH CHHILWAR V E
	ABHINAV GUPTA V A	RUSHIL MUNJAL V B	HARPREET SINGH V C
	ADITYA GAKHAR VE	KESHVEY KAPOOR V C	SAHIL GOYAL VB
	NAKUL NISCHAL V D	KARTIK JAIN V D	
GIRLS APTIT	MUSKAN GOEL III D	PRITHIKA GHOSH III D	
		AVANI SURI III D	
CLASS IV	SHAUNIKA SHOKEEN IV E	JANVI BATRA IV C	
			INSHIKAA MADAAN IV B
CLASS V	AKSHITA CHOPRA V E	PALAK DHALL V E	
		BHAVYA V	

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4 × 100 MTS. SUB JR. BOYS	TARUN JAIN VII E KIRIT SETHI VII C SHUBHAM RAWAT VII A MANINDER PAL SINGH VII	<b>4 × 400 MTS. SR. BOYS</b> G	SIDHARTH SHARMA X D SIDHARTH SOHAL XI F ADITYA GOYAL XII D PUNEET GULATI XI C	
SHOT PUT SR. BOYS SHOT PUT JR. BOYS SHOTPUT SUB JR. BOYS SHOT PUT SR. GIRLS	SAHIL SAREEN XI E SAKSHAM NAGPAL IX F SANCHIT DAHIYA VII E ROSHNI KHATRI XI A	4 × 200 MTS. SR. GIRLS S 4 × 200 MTS. JR. BOYS	CAKSHI GUPTA XII E SAKSHI DAGAR XI E DIKSHA SOLANKI X E SOMYA MAHENDRU XI B SHIVAM GUPTA IX B TARUN KUMAR IX D SHIVAM GAUTAM IX C MAGHAV GOYAL IX D	
SHOT PUT JR. GIRLS	AISHWARYA GARG IX E	4 × 200 MTS. SUB JR. BO		
SHOT PUT SUB JR. GIRLS 800 MTR. SENIOR BOYS 800 MTR. SR. GIRLS	SANYA BATRA VII F ADITYA GOYAL XII D	4 × 100 MTS. SR. BOYS		
800 MTR. JR. BOYS	SAKSHI DAGAR XI E MAGHAV GOYAL IXD	4 × 100 MTS. JR. BOYS	AMAN CHHABRA IX B SHREYAS CHOPRA VIII B	
600 MTR. JR. GIRLS 600 MTR. SUB - JR. BOYS	DHAIRYA TANEJA IX E ARPIT GUPTA VII A LS RINKY NAYYAR VII D MEHUL MITTAL XI C NISHTHA GUGLANI XI B	`100 MTS. SR. BOYS	SAGAR SHOKEEN IX E HARDIK MALIK IX F MEHUL MITTAL XI C	
600 MTS. SUB JUNIOR GIRI 200 MTS. SR. BOYS		100 MTS. JR. BOYS 100 MTS. SUB JR. BOYS	DEEPAK SHARMA IX A TARUN JAIN VII E	
200 MTS. SR. GIRLS		100 MTS. SR. GIRLS	AANCHAL NARAD XII H	
200 MTS. JR. BOYS	DEEPAK SHARMA IX A	100 MTS. JR. GIRLS	RIYA SHARMA VIII F	
200 MTS. JR. GIRLS 200 MTS. SUB JR. BOYS	SANYA SHINGARI VIII B	100 MTS. SUB JR. GIRLS 400 MTS. SR. BOYS	RINKY NAYYAR VII D ADITYA GOYAL XII D	
200 MTS. SUB JR. GIRLS	TARUN JAIN VII E	400 MTS. JR. BOYS	MAGHAV GOYAL IX D	
4 × 100 MTS. SR. GIRLS	DEEKSHA MUNJAL VI G	400 MTS. SUB JR BOYS	JASMEET SINGH VII B	
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4 × 100 MTS. JR. GIRLS	MONICA KAPOOR XI B SIMRAT KAUR XII C MUSKAN SHAH VIII A SHAMBHAVI GAUTAM VIII I	400 MTS. JR. GIRLS 400 MTS. SUB JR. GIRLS E 4 X 100 MTS. SUB JR.G I		
	PRATISHTHA VIJ VIII B SUJATA MAHAJAN VIII C		JYOTI MAURYA VII F SANYA ARORA VII F MUSKAN SHARMA VII C SRISHTI JAIN VII D	

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BEST PLAYERS BADMINTON	SENIOR	JUNIOR	SUB - JUNIOR	
BADMINTON BOYS GIRLS VOLLEYBALL	ASHISH BEHL XII E NIKITA BANSAL XII A	SHUBHAM WADHWA VIII D SANYA SHINGARI VIII B	SHUBHAM SEHRAWAT VIII A CHINMAYEE VERMA VII F	
BOYS GIRLS	AKASH ARORA XI B DIKSHA SOLANKI X E	AAYUSHMAN PARASHAR XC VERONICA KAPOOR XA	KSHITIZ SOLANKI VIII D BHARTI THAKRAL VIII G	
BASKETBALL BOYS GIRLS	TANVEET SINGH XI C BHARTI GOYAL XII C	ALIND SINGH X B MANVEEN KAUR X D	MOHIT ARORA VIII D TANYA BATRA VII F	
TABLE - TENNIS BOYS GIRLS FOOTBALL	VISHAL LAKHOTIA XII H SHIVANI WADHWA XII C	ANMOL MALHOTRA IX A CHESHTA KAMRAN X B	PARTH KHURANA VII C SANCHITA GUPTA VIII A	
BOYS GIRLS CRICKET	ROHIT BHATIA XII A SHELLY GUPTA IX A	DHRUV DABAS X F	MAYUR CHAUHAN VIII F	
BOYS GIRLS	SAHIB BHATIA XII C -	KARTIK VERMA X E -	LUSHIN KATARIA VIII A -	
BEST ATHLETES BOYS GIRLS	SAURABH MAITHANI XII ( AANCHAL NARAD XII H	GDEEPAK SHARMA IX A DHAIRYA TANEJA IX E	TARUN JAIN VII E RINKY NAYYAR VII D	
LAWN TENNIS BOYS GIRLS BEST PLAYER OF TH BOY GIRL OUTSTANDING PLAY NATIONAL PLAYERS	MEHUL MITTAL XI C SRISHTI GHAI XII E YER ADITYA GOYAL XI DHAIRYA TANEJA I	X E SKATING	ISHANT DABAS VI B URVI GOEL VIIC	
	KARTIK VERMA XI ABHINAV NAGPAL SANYA SHINGARI	X F CRICKET		

# **RESULT OF INTER SCHOOL PAINTING COMPETITON- BUDDING ARTISTS**

CLASS IV ARNAV KUMAR (IV H) SPARSH PAHWA(IV D) CLASS V MANPREET KAUR(V C) SANAH MALIK(V C)	POSITION I SPL. PRIZE POSITION II III	CLASS IX MEHUL SOI(IX C) SUNIYA NARANG (IX C) ARUL DAHIYA(IX B) CLASS X	POSITION          POSITION
CLASS VI ACHHYUT JOLLY(VI A) VARUN SETHI (VI C) NEHA KHANWANI(VI F)	I POSITION I III SPL. PRIZE	MANVEEN KAUR(X D) GARIMA PHUTELA(X D) <b>CLASS XI</b>	spl. prize Spl. prize <b>Position</b>
CLASS VII JYOTI MAURYA(VII F) CLASS VIII POSIT SUPREET KAUR(VIII G) RASHI AGGARWAL(VIII E)	<b>POSITION</b> SPL. PRIZE	DEEPIKA MATANGE(XI B) CHARULATA MUKHERJEE(XI A) MANISHA GUPTA(XI C)	li SPL. PRIZE SPL. PRIZE

The Winner's Trophy was bagged by St. Mark's Sr.Sec. Public School, Janak Puri

# CONFERENCE ON PRE PRIMARY EDUCATION

The International Conference of Pre-Primary and Primary Principals was held in City Montessori School, Lucknow from 9th to 11th February 2013. About 186 National and 32 International Schools participated in the event out of which 25 schools were from Delhi. Ms.M.Bose, teacher of our school participated in the Conference, which covered topics like 'Fostering Global Citizens' by Dr.Jagdish Gandhi wherein he stressed on giving balanced education to the learners; 'An Overview of Pre-Primary and Primary Education in Mauritius' by Mr.Madhukar Narain, Chairman of Early Childhood Care and Education Authority, 'Use of Story Telling Technique' by Ms.Maria Laura Fuertes, Fullbright Scholar, Argentina and 'Sensitizing Teachers Towards the Role of Environment in the Development of Child' by Ms.Nita Ganguli, a fullbright Scholar in the 'Climate Project of India'.

# WORKSHOP ON ENRICHING EDUCATION

Ms. G.Rajan, Global Co-ordinator, attended a workshop on Enriching Education which was organized by the British Council. The three day workshop, held at Trivandrum from 15-17 March 2013, aimed at teaching educators from all across India, the importance of International learning & Global Citizenship. The workshop also gave an in depth knowledge of British Council's flagship projects-School Enterprise Challenge & 100 words.

# **ORIENTATION PROGRAMME**

The Orientation Programme for class I was held on 16.3.2013. The Principal Ms.A.Aggarwal, welcomed the parents. She introduced the Primary Educational Supervisor, Ms.A.Gupta and the other concerned staff members. She briefed the parents about the history of the school, the multifarious activities organized and the important guidelines to be followed. The parents were then escorted by the class teachers to the respective class rooms, where the teachers further guided them and resolved their queries.

# **TEACHERS ATTEND WORKSHOP**

Nexus Education held a workshop on 16.2.13 to introduce Technology Lab. Mr.Sachin and Ms.Shubhra attended the same. It was an interesting workshop which aimed at nurturing the creativity of the children. Hands on activities and creating models were a part of the workshop and it centered around Design and Technology.

# INTERNATIONAL HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE DAY

27 January is observed as the International Day of Commemoration in memory of the victims of the Holocaust by the UN. Thirty students of class XI, alongwith Ms.S.Malik, were fortunate enough to witness the programme, 'Rescue during the Holocaust: The Courage to Care'. A tribute was paid to all those diplomats who risked their lives and their families to save Jews and others from almost certain death during the Nazi rule. The ceremony began by lighting seven candles which symbolized the killing of 7 million Jews. A docu-drama 'The Rescuers' was shown to the students. It told them about a few of those unsung heroes whose courage and compassion was saluted. The ceremony ended with a question answer session wherein students' questions were answered by Yahel Vilan, Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of Israel. The students were given a candle each and were asked to light them up at their homes in remembrance of the victims.

# FUN n FROLIC AT ANNUAL PICNIC

The students of classes I to V of were taken on annual picnic from 08.2.2013 to 12.2.2013 to Fun 'n' Food village. It is an ideal amusement park for students to spend the day. All the joy rides such as mono rail, flying carpet were fun filled. After the lunch, there was a Dance competition wherein all the students as well as the teachers participated and won prizes. The students had great fun!

# WORKSHOP ON MULTIPLE INTELLIGENCES

Our Educational Supervisor, Ms.R.Anand, alongwith Ms.G.Chandra and Ms.M.Mehra of our school, attended a workshop on 'Multiple Natures' at Maharaja Agrasen Adarsh Public school on 08.12.2012. The workshop organized by Forum of Public Schools was conducted by Mr.Steven Rudolph. It focused on the challenges schools are facing to enable learning relevant for students. It demonstrated how everyone has unique abilities, which when recognized and engaged can unleash their hidden potential and take learning and teaching to a new level. They emphasized on how identifying MI and MN in students and teachers is important to engage their talents in a meaningful way. These models can lead to co-operation amongst staff and students, improve discipline, increase motivational level, help students find right learning path and make learning exciting for everyone. It can also help them to choose the right career.

# WORKSHOP ON ENGLISH

An interactive workshop on English Language Teaching was held on 22.12.12 by Ms.Sabina Pillai, an Associate Professor of English, SBSE College, D.U. She gave innovative ideas for teaching English. The session was very interactive and filled with activities.

# WORKSHOP ON LEARNING DISABILITIES

Keeping in mind the increasing learning disabilities among school children, our school organized a workshop on 1.12.12 for parents, giving them tips to help them deal with learning problems. This workshop was in association with Orkids, a multidisciplinary clinic dealing with children facing learning issues. The hour long workshop focused on learning disabilities and surrounding implications. It was an eye opener for most of the parents who were pleased to see such an organization working in the school for the benefit of the students. Ms.Reena Abbasi, Chairperson Orkids Foundation and Ms.Arti Johar, an eminent special educator, enlightened the parents with useful information.

# WORKSHOP ON 'SUSTAINABILITY'

Ten students of Earth Saviours Eco Club of our school attended a workshop on "Sustanability" organized by TERI at Bloom Public School, Vasant Kunj, on 24.1.2013. The eminent speakers shared their experiences with the children about practices in sustaining the environment and natural resources. They talked about the extremes where 1000 litres of water is wasted on luxury items like pepsi, whereas the fields of farmers dry up in need of water. The speakers urged everyone to adopt simpler life styles to reduce carbon footprints.

# LINKING FAITHS AND BELIEFS

The Face to Faith community of our school participated in two Video Conferences in a span of a fortnight. **The first VC, on 22** January 2013, was with City School, Bhit Shah, Pakistan and Rani Meyyammai High School, Madurai, India. SMKN 51, Indonesia could not participate due to heavy rains and floods in the region. Students started their communication with what they like best about their communities and what they would like to change in their communities. They spoke honestly about no more discrimination against people of different castes, race, and gender. The students also discussed how their values inspire or motivate them to change the world in which they live. It was an impressive session with students linking their faith and beliefs with their attitudes and actions.

The second VC, on 7 February 2013, was with The City's School Bhit Shah, Pakistan, DAV Multipurpose PS Sonipat, Xavier – Ateneo de Cagayan, Philippines. The students spoke about their own experience of festivals. Then, they discussed the ways in which festivals provide an opportunity for joyous celebration and for spending more time with family members and friends. Students gave some excellent stories associated with each festival, as well as discussed how they are celebrated. It was wonderful to see the questions and comments that followed. The session ended with reflections on the importance of festivals from a personal perspective.

# INTERNATIONAL COMMERCE OLYMPIAD

Commerce students of classes XI and XII of our school participated in the International Commerce Olympiad conducted by Commerce Teachers' Association (CTA) on 30 November 2012. In class XI, Kashish Anand (XID), who scored 98.9% was the overall school topper and in class XII, Srishti Mittal (XIID) was the topper with 88.4%. Merit Certificates were also given to the following students – Akshat Gupta (XID) 94.2%, Anshul Bhatia (XID) 92.3%, Simardeep Singh (XID) 89.6%. The participants got a good experience of giving a competitive exam.

# **OUR STARS AT MATHEMAKID 2012**

Students of our school participated in "Mathemakid 2012"- a Maths based competition organized by ibrands, for classes VI to IX, in three different phases. Students who qualified were Manan Jain (9F), Pritish Seth (8E) and Saksham Bhagat (8E). Manan Jain (9F) stood as the top scorer in Delhi in the written phase. He went to Mumbai for Phase 3, where he qualified for semi-finals with the highest score.

# WE SHINE IN SILVERZONE OLYMPIAD

The primary students of our school appeared in Computers, Science, Maths, English and G.K. Silverzone Olympiads. These Olympiads enhanced the level of all the students beyond their regular studies, paving way for them to go international. The students enjoyed their success by qualifying for the First level and most of them appeared for the second level Olympiads too.

# SCIENCE AND MATH OLYMPIAD

The students of classes VI to XI participated in the Science and Maths Olympiad, conducted by Humming Bird Education Pvt.Ltd. on 21.1.2013 in the school premises. The students performed extremely well and won many prizes. Some outstanding achievements are as under:

Maths Olympiad	Class	School Rank	National Rank	Science Olympiad	Class	School Rank	National Rank
Saatwik Bhatnagar	6A	1	7	Joshua Aditya Joseph	6B	1	3
Kaushik Koul	7C	1	10	Acchyut Jolly	6A	2	10
Manan Jain	9F	1	2	Saksham Bhagat	8E	1	10
Srishti Jain	11E	1	3	Tushar Vashist	9E	1	7

# WE CONDUCT LOGO AND MS PAINT COMPETITION

Students of class III of our school participated in Inter Class Logo Competition and two students from each section of class II participated in an 'Inter Class MS - PAINT Competition' on 25.2.2013. It was an exciting experience for all of the participants as it helped them to display their technical skills. Also, it helped them to refine their aesthetic sense. The prize winners are:

#### LOGO COMPETITION:-I prize Antariksh Goel (3A) MS PAINT COMPETITION:-I prize Harshal Dutt (2A)

**II prize** Yajat Dayal (3F)

Kabir Batra (2H)

II prize

III prize Hardik Garg (3B)

# **POWERPOINT PRESENTATION**

Students of classes IV and V participated in Power Point Presentation held on 27 Feb.2013. 18 teams comprising of 2 students each participated in the competition for class IV and 12 teams comprising of 2 students each participated in the competition for class V. 2 hours were given for preparation and each team presented the same within 5 minutes. The judges appreciated the performance of the students for the style, clarity and confidence. The prize winners were:-

I Prize II Prize III Prize

**Consolation Prize** 

Class IV Arnav Kumar (IVH) Gaurika Gupta (IVH) Aditya Anand (IV F) Udbhav Bhowmick (IVF) Aryan Chitkara(IVI) Vernika Gupta (IV-I) Sanat Vadhera (IVE) Mehak Gupta(IVC) Shubham Khanijo (IVC) Class V Manpreet Kaur Sehmi(VC) Divyanshi Arora(VC) Saaransh Marwah(VF) Yash Aggarwal (VF) Kartik Jain (VD) Khushi Jain(VD) Abhinav Arora(VF) Khushdeep Dhir(VF) Supreet Arora(VB) Nischay Vij(VB)

#### SEMINAR ON GREEN SUSTAINABLE BUILDINGS

Ms.M.Pathak and Ms.S.Kaur attended a seminar on 'Green Sustainable Buildings', which was organized by Blue Star at the 'The Grand', Vasant Kunj, on 19.2.2013. Mr.Karan Grover, an eminent architect, talked about the importance of Heritage buildings and the perils of glass houses built by contemporary architects. These buildings increase the temperature inside thereby increasing the use of cooling equipments

# **OUR GREEN CONCERN BRINGS US LAURELS**

Students of classes III to XII participated in Saviours 8th Environment Competition held on 31.10.12. Saviours is a non funded NGO which works for the noble cause of eradication for environmental cancer. Our students have come out with flying colours in showing their interest and concern on the environmental issues.

The results are as follows :		
National Toppers	Rank	Class
Pranav Mittal	55	4C
Manpreet Kaur	90	5C
Arshnoor Singh	49	6B
Samiksha Makol	1	10B
Gaurav Kalra	17	10B
Tejswini Mehra	38	11A
Mohit Mehta	38	12G
Sabhya Dhingra	23	12D
Aryan Goel	102	11A
Samiksha Makol of class XB has won cash prize of Rs	s.5100/- for holding first rank a	t national level.
School Toppers Group	Rank	Class
Gaurav Cheema	1	5B
Nischay Vij	1	5B
Keshvey Kapoor	1	5C
Tushar Mohan	1	6A
Akhil Kharbanda	1	10B
Utkarsh Bhardwaj	1	12
Sushmita Sharma	1	12G
Kashish Grover	1	12G

# THE GREEN WARRIORS AT WORK

As a part of sustaining green environment on earth, Earth Saviours Eco Club members did their bit for mother earth. They collected old mobile phones and accessories related to mobile phones. Students were encouraged to bring old phones, which were handed over for recycling to Nokia as a part of the campaign "Planet Ke Rakhwale". These phones will be recycled properly in the Chennai plant. This would prevent illegal recycling of waste which is hazardous for children who are forcefully made to do that.

# **OUR YOUNG ARTISTS MAKE US PROUD**

An 'On the Spot Painting' Competition, which was organized by Paryavaran Mitra, was held on 03.12.12 in Science Express. The students participated in two categories: Group A "Energy and Environment" and Group B "Save Fuel-yaani Save Money". Following students won at Delhi Level.

Group A Srishti Mondal, IVC I prize

Group B Siddharth Chugh, VIIIG III prize

Srishti Mondal got a cash prize of Rs.1000/- and Siddharth Chugh got a cash prize of 600/. Congratulations to both of them!

# **STUDENTS VISIT NGO**

On December 15, 2012, Ms.M.Parashar, alongwith the students of class-IX of our school, visited the NGO, V–care, the Vincent De Paul's Centre for Animation, Rehabilitation and Empowerment at H-1, Jahangir Puri, New Delhi. V-care is a non-profit making charitable organization working for the welfare of the poor in the urban slums of Delhi. It imparts education to children and also counsels the parents to send their children to their centres for education. They provide nutritious food as mid day meals. To enhance the confidence of the youth to become socially productive persons, they impart vocational training in courses like typing, tailoring, computer training and beauty culture etc. They also provide ration, medicines and shelter for the HIV/ Aids patients. Our students appreciated their concern and care for the HIV/ Aids patients and also their efforts in educating the children of rag pickers.

# WE EXTEND A HELPING HAND

Ms.S.Malik and Ms.M.Parashar attended the 14 <sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration of Goonj, an NGO working for poor and destitute people all over India, at Sarita Vihar on 24.2.2013. Our efforts in helping Goonj to convert urban waste into rural resources were appreciated. Our school regularly contributes in the form of old clothes, stationery items, bedsheets, etc. which is channelized by the NGO in their initiatives like cloth for work wherein they pay rural people by using cloth as a parallel currency and initiate rural development projects like digging up wells, building a pucca road, beautifying an anganwadi using local people and local resources. It was a great experience as stories of real life heroes who are working for betterment of under privileged section of society were shared.

# HERBAL HOLI COLOURS

Members of Earth Saviours Eco Club made herbal holi colours using natural things like turmeric, gram flour, chandan powder, dried petals of rose and marigold etc. They were also told about the negative impact of chemical holi colours on

# THE COMPASSIONATE SIDE OF GEN Y

On 24.12.2012 and 24.1.2013, students of our school sent around 80 bags of old woolen clothes to their brothers and sisters living in villages to fight the bitter cold in winters. We hope these little acts of kindness will instill a feeling of compassion and brotherhood among the younger generation.

# **INTER ZONAL CRICKET**

An Inter Zonal Cricket Tournament was organized by Directorate of Education, for Under14, 16 and 19 categories. The following students of our school were selected and represented the Zone XVII team under the following categories:

Under- 19 Boys Sahib Bhatia, XIIC Mayank Rajpal,XIC Lakshay Arora,XIC Bhumanyu Singh,XIE Mehul Mittal,XIC Under – 16 Boys Hardik Tara,IXF Ayush Dutt,IXF Kshitij Atrishi,IXD Deepak Sharma,IXA Abhinav Nagpal,XF Kartik Verma,XE Under – 14 Boys Parth Sharma, VIC Kushank Arora, VIIE Pawan Gidwani, VIIC Lushin Kataria, VIIIA Sushmit Vaish, VIIIC Vansh Garg, VIIIC Sehaj Chhatwal, VIIIC

# NATIONAL CRICKET TOURNAMENT

U-16 National Cricket Tournament was organized by DDCA in Delhi. Kartik Verma of class XE was selected in Delhi team as standby against Karnataka. The match was played from 09.1.2013 to 12.1.2013 at St. Stephen's College, Delhi University.

# LEXICON RESULT

CLASS I-ENGLISH RECITATION	POSITION	CLASS VII- EXTEMPORE	POSITION
Aryan Randhawa(I C)	II	Urvi Goel(VII C)	I
Sanchita Sharma(IB)	Spl.Prize	CLASS VIII- QUIZ ON BOOKS & AUTHO	RSPOSITION
Lakshay Bansal(IA)	I	Riya Nagpal(VIII B)	I
CLASS II-ENGLISH RECITATION	POSITION	Siddharth Chugh(VIII G)	I
Kayna Leekha(II B)		Rashi Aggarwal(VIII E)	II
Rudransh Anand(II B)		Aastha Nagpal(VIII D)	II
Ridhima Choudhary(II A)		<b>CLASS IX- POETRY DRAMATIZATION</b>	POSITION
CLASS III- ENGLISH RECITATION	POSITION	Suasha Girdhar(IX D)	II
Priyanshi Goel(IIIB)		Sanjana Choudhary(IX B)	II
Garvit Singh(III E)	Spl.Prize	Ishan Arora(IX A)	Spl.Prize
CLASS IV- ENGLISH RECITATION	POSITION	Rushali Seth(IX D)	Spl.Prize
Prashant Choudhary(IV E)	FOSITION	CLASS XI- QUIZ	POSITION
Bryan Rose(IV I)	Spl.Prize	Ayushi Sharma(XI A)	Best Team
		Sarthak Bhatnagar(XI F)	
	ATION POSITION	CLASS XI- ENGLISH DEBATE	POSITION
Nishtha Vashisth(VI C)	I	Anya Arora(XI F)	II
Muktesh Sharma(VI C)	I	CLASS IV & V-PLAY	POSITION
Pratishtha Verhwani(VIG)	Spl.Prize	The Story of a Boy( IV F & VB)	II
Manas Mehta(VIG)	Spl.Prize	CLASS X & XI-PLAY	POSITION
		All the World's a Stage- Your Highness!	II Runners U



Class IV bagged the Second prize in English Play Competition during Lexicon.



Proud Winners of Quiz on Books and Authors-Lexicon 2013.



Poetry Dramatization Winners- Lexicon 2013.

# **BOOK WEEK RESULT**

Competition	l Prize	II Prize	III Prize	Spl.Prize		
Poetry Recitation	Karanam Sai Neal,IA	Lakshay Bansal,IA	Varun,IF	Shivansh Agarwal,IC		
Class 1	Aryan Randhawa, IC		Kashish Seth,IF	Daksh Dadhich,IA		
Character Dramatizat				,		
Class 2	Jannya Behra,IIA	Devanshi Gupta,IIC	Mehak Dhanuka,IIE Abhishek Arora,IIB	Yash Bansal,IIB		
Show and Tell Class 3	Rupanshi Mehra,IIIC Hardik Nayyar,IIIC Sanya Behera,IIIA Saahil Kr. Limone,IIIA	Ansh Bhatia,IIIF Tisha Bhola,IIIF	Chetan Singh,IIIB Sahil Singh,IIIB			
Grammar Games	Harmeet Singh,IVB	Harshit Arora,IVG	Divyansha Ralhan, N	√C		
Class 4	Nehal Nagpal, IVB	Mehar Singh,IVG	Ishita Arora,IVC			
Complete the Story Class 5	Sarthak Sachdeva,VA	Abhinav Arora,VF	Ishan Aggrawal,VC	Sanskar Gupta,VF Simran Vohra,VA		
Draw & paint a favou				_		
story book character	· Manpreet Kaur, VC	Muskan Goel,VD	Ritesh Jalutheria,VF			
Class 5						
Character Dramatizat						
Class 6	Nikita Arora,VIE Naman Arora,VIE	Pratishtha Verhwani, Ria Bhatia,VIG	VIGParth Sharma,VIC Shubho Roy,VIC	Riddhirup Bera,VIF		
Quiz on Books and A						
	Ananya De,VIIB	Tanya Batra,VIIF				
Class 7	Namita Goyal,VIIB	Keshav Nagpal, VIIF				
Treasure Hunt	Sabyasachi Chand, VIIC		Tarushi Pathak, VIIE			
Class 7	Sanchit Nanda,VIIC	Bharat Kawatra, VIIB	Ishaan Sachdeva,VI	IE		
Enact a Proverb Class 8	Lakshit Jindal,VIIIA Paras Pruthi,VIIIA Anjali Labh,VIIIA Shresheth Chhabra,VIII	A				
Book Review	Ishan Arora,IXA	Lakshay Arora,IXB	Shelly Gupta,IXA	Manan Jain,IXF		
Class 9 Mastering Idioms and		, <b>,</b> ,		Aayushi Goel,IXF		
Class 10	Shivangi Arora,XA	Tanya Gupta,XA	Sarthak Saxena,XA			
		Tanya Gupta,7A	Kirti Suri,XC	Megha Raheja,XF		
Quiz on Literary Devices and						
Idiomatic	Rohit Raman Banerjee,	XIF				
Expressions	Prateek Bajaj,XIF					
Class 11	Nishant Goel,XIF Nihit Sethi,XIF					



Our very own Jim Carrey performing ' The Mask'.

Show and Tell Competition (Class III).

#### OUR PHILANTHROPIC SIDE



Our school surpasses all as it gives the largest contribution to SOS.

Sharing is a part of our value system and is engrained in the ethos of our school. The school has been actively contributing to SOS Children's Village, an NGO which works towards fulfillment of rights of children in need by providing them the love, care and security of a family. On 12.3.2013, the SMS Family yet again proved its commitment to social causes by presenting a cheque of Rs.5,58,573/- to Ms.Yasmin Riaz, Dy.National Director – Fund Development and Communication, SOS India. She expressed her gratitude to the students of our school and said that this is the highest collection made by any school of Delhi. The top 5 collectors were :-

Pahel Gulati (IIIG) Dhananjay Chawla (IID) Dhiren Chawla (IVG)

Rs.9,600/-Rs.7,000/-Rs.6.200/- Lisa Gandhi (IIG) Mehar Bhutani (IVH)

Rs.6,000/-Rs.6,000/-

The highest amount of Rs.22,640/- was collected by class IIIG. The Class Teacher Ms.Meena Sharma, was also given a token of appreciation for the same.

# HERITAGE CLUB MEMBERS VISIT FEROZ SHAH KOTLA

Around 50 students of class X, accompanied by Ms.P.Minocha and Ms.V.Lala of our school,visited Feroz Shah Kotla, the place where there are remains of a city constructed by Feroz Shah Tughlaq, a Delhi Sultanate ruler. The highlights of the walk were the visit to a Mosque, a pyramidal structure and the Ashokan Pillar within the fort. It was an enriching and valuable experience for both students and teachers alike.



Exploring the History of Feroz Shah Kotla.

#### ANNUAL ECO CLUB MEET

Four students along with a teacher of our school attended the Annual Eco Club Meet cum Exhibition organized by Deptt. Of Environment on 13.2.2013 at Talkatora Stadium. There were and exhibits stalls displayed by the school children and NGOs depicting work done by Clubs Eco and organizations like TERI, CEE, Green Bandhu etc. for the environment to sensitize students towards the importance of using natural things and preservina natural resources.



Annual Eco Club meet at the Talkatora Stadium.

#### ECO CLUB MEMBERS AT AN ART EXHIBITION

30 children of Earth Saviours Eco Club accompanied by Ms.S.Kaur and Ms.M.Pathak. went to see an Art Exhibition on 2 Feb 2013 in Chinmaya Mission ,Lodhi Road. The topic of the Art Exhibition was 'Effect of Climate Change on Animals'. The paintings were made by African children who had beautifully depicted African and other animals, discussing the effects of climate change. Children learnt about such a serious concept of global warming in a very light manner. The paintings were bright and very symbolic. The exhibition was sponsored by TERI and the Norwegian Embassy.

#### SEMINAR ON WASTE MANAGEMENT



Our Students explaining the model on Waste Management to CM Sheila Dixit.

On account of National Science Day, Ministry of Environment and Forests organized a Seminar on 28.2.2013 at Delhi Secretariat. 5 students and 2 teachers, Ms.S. Kaur and Ms.M.Pathak, participated in the seminar and the model presented by them was "Waste Management Through Biotechnology". Hon'ble Chief Minister of Delhi, Ms.Sheila Dixit, was the Guest of

Honour. She saw all the models with keen interest and wished the student a bright future.

# VISIT TO YAMUNA BIODIVERSITY PARK

50 children of Earth Saviours Eco Club accompanied by Ms. M. Pathak and Ms S. Kaur, went to Yamuna Biodiversity Park situated in Buradi. It was a clear sunny day, ideal for a nature walk in the man-made forest exhibiting the natural biodiversity of Delhi, NCR region. It is a park spread over 457 acres of land and has successfully recreated the Delhi Yamuna's Native Ecosystems. Through the efforts of DDA and Delhi University scientists, this once barren area now has 1500 plants, insects, birds, fishes and mammal species. During winters, it is a home to more than 5000 birds from Siberia, Europe and China. It has over 60 species of butterflies residing in the premises. It was a wonderful trip where in children came close to nature and learned quite a few new things about Delhi Ecosystem. Things once seen and experienced are seldom forgotten. After this visit children would surely become more sensitive towards nature.



The Eco Club Members at the Yamuna Biodiversity Park

#### COMPANIMALS CLUB MEMBERS VISIT ANIMAL SHELTER



Members of the Companimals Club (VI-VIII) went to Sonadi Animal Shelter on 20.12.12. They were welcomed by Ms.Vandana Sen, Caretaker of Sonadi Charitable Trust, and Ms.Sita, a young lady with a selfless, caring attitude. They gave students a detailed account of the functioning of the shelter. The students were inspired and motivated to work for the noble cause of valuing life in various forms.

They also visited Sanjay Gandhi Animal Shelter Care to donate blankets on 19.2.2013.The students saw different rescued animals like turkeys, camels, parrots etc. and many sick animals that were brought for medication and vaccination. The students were moved to see their condition and were filled with compassion. They spent their time feeding and tending to the animals.

Our Animal Lovers Campaign for a Home for the Homeless

# WORLD SPARROW DAY

20 March 2013,was observed as World Sparrow Day. The Eco Club members took a nature walk around school and saw many birds like yellow footed green pigeon, red vented bulbul, great grey shrike ,ashy prinia, besides the very common rock pigeons and crows. It was sad and surprising both not to spot any sparrow, the reason of which could be lack of nesting places and the electromagnetic waves of mobile towers. It was quite a revelation for all bird lovers.

# NCC RALLY

A Republic Day camp organized by Delhi Directorate was attended by 1500 Cadets from all over India and neighbouring countries. 780 Cadets including 25 from the junior wing of our school performed a wonderful aerobics show amidst some other mesmerizing performances from other Directorates. The show was witnessed the Hon'ble Prime Minister ,the Defence Minister and the Army, Navy and Air Force Chief alongwith the Director General (NCC). The Cadets performed with full enthusiasm.

# **VISIT TO THE WORLD BOOK FAIR**

On 6<sup>th</sup> February 2013, 35 students of our school accompanied by three teachers visited the World Book Fair at Pragati Maidan. The students attended interactive story telling sessions held by Michael Malinowski, Polish Storyteller and Sangeeta Sethi, Indian Storyteller, alongwith illustratorsRavi Paranjpe & Ramendra Kumar. They also visited the various book stalls and bought some wonderful books for themselves.



Our Readers' Brigade at the World Book Fair

#### **OUR FIRST e-MAGAZINE**

The academic session came to an end with the release of the first ever e-magazine of our school, 'Magz-Making Myself Heard...'.The e-magazine is a collaborative effort of students from Denmark, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Indonesia, Italy, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Slovenia, Sweden, Turkey, United Kingdom & India. The e-magazine has been made under the banner of Asia Europe Classroom Network for its project with the same name.



# A CHAMP IN THE MAKING

Sanya Shingari, of class VIII-B, brought laurels to the school as she represented the Delhi State in the National Level Badminton Championship. She participated in the tournament that was held from 02.12.12 to 11.12.12 at West Godavari in Andhra Pradesh. It was a proud moment as she reached the Quarter finals and won the second position in individual matches. We hope she continues with her winning streak in future.

On 30.12.2012, students of our school participated in the semifinal of The Rocksport Challenge at Tyagaraj Stadium. They had to run 1600m and there were many hurdles in their way to success. The team which consisted of four members, secured a position amongst the top 3. The final round ,which was in Camp Tikkling, Gurgaon, on 19.1.13, had rock climbing, crossing the commando net, Kargil heights crawl in wet mud to complete 3 km of race. Students had a lot of fun and even got to meet Rannvijay Singh, the winner of They bagged the second Roadies 1. Runners Up position and received a gift voucher. The team members were Pratishtha Vij (8B), Mohit Arora (8D), Sanchita Gupta (8A) and Bhvya Jaggi (8G).

# THE ROCKSPORT CHALLENGE



The Winners of Rocksport Challenge with their rewards

# **OUR BUDDING CRICKETER**

Abhinav Nagpal of class XF was selected in the 15-15 National Cricket Championship held at Srinagar, J&K. He represented Delhi State team in the U-16 Cricket championship. It was a great experience for him to be part of the Delhi team. He was awarded with a certificate of participation.



Abhinav Nagpal (X-F) Best Cricket Player of the Sub Jr. Category.

Our Master Blaster- Sahib Sethi(XII C)



Tennis Champs with their medals.

Proud winners of 100m race (Class IV).

# PRAMERICA SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARD CEREMONY

On 31 March 2013, the Pramerica Award Ceremony was held at Epicentre, Gurgaon. Our school once again showed its presence as our students won Bronze Medals in both individual and group category. DLF Pramerica Awards are given to acknowledge the contribution of the student community in rendering social service and to give these budding community service providers a recognition globally. The award ceremony started with welcoming the Chief Guest for the evening, Ms. Sharmila Tagore and was witnessed by some great personalities from all over India. The winners from our school were Sarthak Kathuria(11C), Kartik Butani(10B), Malika Saini(10D) and Riya Khurana(10A).



Star Performers at Book Week.



Kudos to the Winners of the Art Contest.



Winners of International Commerce Olympiad.





Winners of Character Dramatization Competition Class VI- Lexicon 2013.



Dr.Anubhuti Yadav (N.C.E.R.T.) releasing the 1st edition of SMS Xpress.

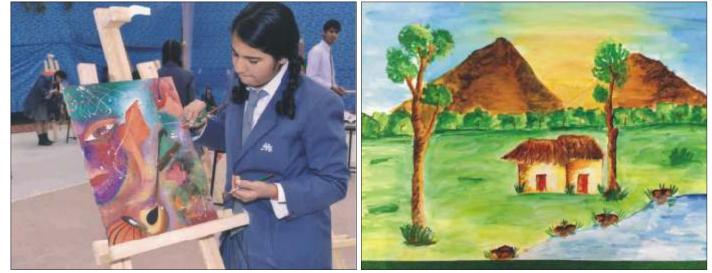




Artists at Work.



Creativity at its Best – Paintings By : Varun Sethi (6 C) and Acchyut Jolly(VI A).



The colourful strokes of young hands



The Choir ushering in the fever of Christmas.



Saluting our 'National Heroes' through a soulful rendition of 'Bharat Maa Tujhe Naman'



Our young sprinters with their medals



The Orchestra lending music to Republic Day Celebrations.



Students dancing to the beats of patriotic songs.



Best Players (Basketball) - Tanveet Singh and Bharti Goyal.



Hot Wheels on the Go.





The Winning Streak- Nehru House Girls' Basketball Team.



The graceful 'Oui Ma Oui Ma' from Parasmani



Winners of Relay Race - Class V



Kathak Dance in progress.