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EDITORIAL

The early bird catches the worm. A stitch in time saves nine. He who hesitates is lost. We can't pretend we haven't been told. We've all heard the philosophers, heard our grandparents about wasted time, heard the poets urging us to seize the day. Still sometimes, we have to see for ourselves. We have to make our own mistakes. We have to learn our own lessons. We have to sweep today's possibility under tomorrow's rug, until we can't anymore, until we finally understand for ourselves, what Benjamin Franklin meant—"That knowing is better than wondering. That waking is better than sleeping. And that even the biggest failure, even the most intractable mistake is better than never trying."

A TRIBUTE TO TAGORE

"Everything comes to us that belongs to us if we create the capacity to receive it." - Tagore.

The guru was patience, optimism and love personified. He was the one who did not dismiss every morning thinking that it is the same as yesterday but saw everyday as if he was seeing it for the first time like a new born child. Gurudev, as fondly remembered by one and all, believed that love is the only reality and not merely a sentiment. He was a versatile poet, philosopher, educationist, essayist, play wright and a spiritual guru. It is said that his music reached even the drivers of bullock carts and those in the humbler walks of life.



Our Chairperson Ms. Anjali Aggarwal and the Principal Ms. Sheena Kalenga along with Vice Principal Ms. Sabina Shergill with the chief guest lighting the inaugural lamp on the occasion of Tagore's celebration.



The students of our school, paid a floral tribute to this knight of harmony on his birth anniversary and also celebrated the 100 years of his being conferred as a nobel laureate, with reverence and fervour. He won the Nobel Prize for his soulful anthology 'Geetanjali'. The zestful students presented six dances on the songs penned down by Tagore like 'Aaj Dhanu Khete', 'Hare re re re', 'Mon Mor Meghu Sangi', 'Ora Okaroney Chonchol' on 7 May 2013. These dances cast an enigmatic spell on the spectators. Rendition of poems such as 'Where the Mind is Without Fear', 'Sleep Stealer', 'Cloud and Waves' and 'Hard Times' stole the heart and spirit of one and all. 9 May 2013 was marked by the charismatic presentation of the play 'Chandalika' that was performed by the students of class IX and X. A power point presentation on Tagore was also shown to mark the day. Truly, his mortal remains perished but left behind a heritage of verses and music, ideas and ideals to inspire all. This was Tagore, when comes another!

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A spell binding performance given by our students on Tagore Jayanti.



Our dancers putting their best foot forward to mark the day.



The glimpses of a Bengali dance.



The play 'Chandalika'.



Our young dancers swaying to the ethereal Ravindra Sangeet.



A mesmerizing dance performance by our little buds.



BAISAKHI

The harvest festival of Baisakhi, celebrated on April 13 every year, is a time for renewed faith and energy. People of north India, especially in the villages of Punjab, swing to the beats of drums and celebrate the day with great pleasure. This festival was celebrated with immense gusto gaiety and enthusiasm in our school. This year, the students of class VIII of the school participated with great zeal in the Poster Making Competition and exhibited their talent on the auspicious occasion. Their paintings were breathtaking and exhibited the true spirit of the festival. It was a successful event and everyone enjoyed the festivities.



Celebrating the festival of Baisakhi by putting in it colours.

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

15 August is the most important day in the history of India. and is celebrated with great zeal every year.

Our school celebrated Independence Day on 14 August 2013. The day began with flag hoisting by our Principal, Ms. Sheena. It was followed by a short speech given by a student of class V. After the inspiring speech, a patriotic song 'Jai Jai Bharat desh humara' was sung by the students of class II and III instilling patriotism in one and all. It was followed by a patriotic dance performance again by the students of class II and III on the song 'Mile Sur Mera Tumhara' which was truly spell binding. Our Principal addressed the students and urged them to be proud of being an Indian.



Our honeybuns standing in rapt attention during the flag hoisting on Independence Day.



Our Principal Ms. Sheena Kalenga alongwith the Vice Principal Ms. Sabina Shergill unfurling the tricolour.



Unity in diversity.



A dance performance to celebrate the spirit of independence on the auspicious occasion of Independence Day.

JANAMASHTMI CELEBRATION

Krishna Janmashtami was celebrated on 27 August by the teachers of Seedling and Sapling. They donned the roles of Lord Krishna, Gopikas and Yashodha. Shri Krishna's life from childhood as nutkhat bansiwala, makhan chor to young kahna teasing the gopis was depicted. Krishna's mother Yashodha expressing her fascinating love for krishna and that of gopis was also shown in a dance performance. Dressed in the attire of Krishna and gopikas, teachers spread the message of ancient puranas and our traditions. This event brought awareness among the children about traditional custom and won the hearts of the audience. The students of class VII also performed a dance to mark the festival.

HERITAGE DAY

The school celebrated Heritage Day with great enthusiasm on 18 April 2013. Students of classes I, II and III were shown power point presentations explaining them the meaning of heritage, showing various world heritage sites, and the need to protect our heritage. Class IV took part in the Collage Making activity. The students of class V took part in Design a Travel Brochure activity. Each student picked up a city of India and designed a travel brochure for it highlighting its heritage by showing a picture gallery and stating facts of that city.

Winners of Collage Making Activity
Ritika Roy, Saloni Aggarwal and Sanya (class IV A) - I
Ishika Sachdeva, Pari Singh, Anshika Sharma and
Bhramjot Kaur (class IV B) - II
Akshita Bawa, Anchita Bhutani, Aarushi Gupta and
Anika Maniam (class IV A) - III
Winners of Design a Travel Brochure
Kirti (class V B) - I
Dewankshi Ahuja (class V C) - II
Diya Anand (class V B) - II



Collage making activity in progress.



Attentively listening to their seniors and seeing the power point presentation on the heritage sites are the learners of our school.



EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

The wealth of the nation is its air, water, soil, forests, minerals, rivers, lakes, oceans, scenic beauty, wildlife habitats and biodiversity...that's all there is. These biological systems are the sustaining wealth of the world. Earth is the only planet in our solar system teeming with incredible biodiversity. Learning about and protecting this biodiversity is what Earth Day is all about.

Henceforth, Earth Day was celebrated in our school on 23 April 2013. There was a Nest Making Activity for classes VI and IX. The students were divided into groups and asked to make models of birds and nests. The students, using eco-friendly material and with the technique of paper mache, made beautiful models. The students of Class X made powerpoint presentations on nature, environmental protection and problems that are posing a threat to our Mother Earth. Two class representatives from each section went to different sections of class VII and showed their presentation on the smart class screen explaining, discussing and interacting with their junior mates and talking with them about the ways they can adopt to conserve nature. The students of class VII were quite inquisitive and actively participated in the discussion. There was a Poetry Writing Competition for Class VIII where they wrote poems on nature. The students of Class XI staged a street play before the students of classes VII, VIII and IX. The play demonstrated support for environmental protection to sustain the precious natural economy.

The entire primary wing also took part in the Earth Day celebrations held on 22 April 2013.

Seedling classes celebrated Earth Day in their classrooms with fun-filled activities. Children were told about Earth Day like what is Earth, things we should do to protect it etc. Class Sapling was explained how to recycle paper. The students were taken to the recycling room and shown how to recycle paper. The recycled paper was used by cutting it into different shapes and writing slogans on them. Classes I to V took part in various exciting activities which were-Talk on Endangered Species, Tattoo Making, Poetry Writing, Paper Graffiti Competition and News Bulletin. Students of classes III, IV and V also put up a 'Pledge Board' where they wrote a pledge they wanted to take for their planet and pinned it down on the board.



Winners of Talk on Engendered species posing for a picture with the judges .



our young toddlers smiling with paper windmills in their hands to mark the occasion.



Our zealous audience listening to the facts revealed by their peers.



SCIENCE QUEST

Our School, organised 'Science Quest 2013' from 14 -16 August. Different science related activities were conducted for classes VI-XII. A Mini Science Lab was set up by the students of class VI and IX where they conducted multifarious experiments. The objective was to make learning science interesting. Our students also made posters depicting various laws of Science. For students of class XI and XII Debate and Extempore competitions were conducted. Our zealous students shared their view point on topics like Organ Donation, Heredity vs Environment, Space Exploration and Organic Foods. To make them aware about wildlife a 'Collage Making activity was conducted on the theme Wildlife Conservation'. Research done by students on various topics indeed made Science an interesting and innovative subject.



"Science is life" - showcasing scientific principles in a unique way.

Winners of the Inter House Extempore.

Class VII- Collage Making Competition : Sudiksha, Nida, Preeti, Sakshi, Kashish (VII A)- I, Jasleen, Eva, Upasana, Kashish, Muskaan (VII-B)-II, Ishu, Saloni Arora, Shikha, Shruti Srishti (VII-B)-III

Class X- Poster Making Competition : Himani Khatri and Priyal Sobsti (X-C)- I, Deepshi Goyal and Ayushi Singh (X-B)- II, Vaishnavi Singh and Tezal (X-A)-III

Class XII- Inter House Extempore : Shivani Singh (XII-A)-I, Meghna Jha (XII-A)-II, Simran Arora (XII-A)-III

Class VIII- Ad Enactment : Arpanpreet, Apoorva, Gunjan, Ramneek (VIII B)-I POSITION, Vidisha, Prapti, Naina, Saloni (VIII C)- II POSITION, Jasnoor Kritika Kritika Tanishka Jagriti (VIII B)-III POSITION

Class XI- Inter House Debate Competition : For- Mahima Negi (XI-A)- I, Ag- Akarsha Handa (XI-A) -I



The tiny tots getting hands on knowledge about vegetable and money.

SAY 'YES' TO GREEN VEGGIES

Vegetable Vendor Enactment was observed by our Seedling children. The vegetable vendor sold brinjal, cauliflower, gourds, leafy vegetables etc. Children enjoyed buying these vegetables, learning about weight using the weighing scale and building the vocabulary with words like bell peppers, bitter gourd, kilograms and leafy vegetables sold in bunches. It was a new learning experience for the toddlers as they got hands on experience of the weighing scale.



MATHS QUEST

Maths Quest was organized by our school on 13 and 16 August 2013. Students from classes VI to XII participated in the event. Activities like making 3 D Tessellations, Pyramid Gift Boxes, Perpetual Calendars, Copy Cat Coordinates, Paper Constructions, Phrase Making on Mathematical terms were conducted for Classes VI to VIII, and Classes IX to XII participated in the Maths Quiz.

Students of Class VI made Tessellations and represented them as 3D figures. The students were able to exhibit their talent and creativity during this activity. Students of Class VII made pyramid gift boxes which helped them to develop an artistic approach towards mathematics and perpetual calendars through which they were able to explore the cycle of days, months and years. Class VIII participated in Copycat Coordinates wherein the students were first asked to draw a shape and hence represent its image in an enlarged form on a graph or grid. Paper Construction was a fun based activity where in the students were told to form shapes based on symmetry or construct mathematical designs. The activity was well presented and the kids were happy to flaunt their art pieces. In Phrase Making, the students presented the properties and virtues of a self chosen mathematical term in a verse form. Our amateur poets got a chance to show their hidden talent.

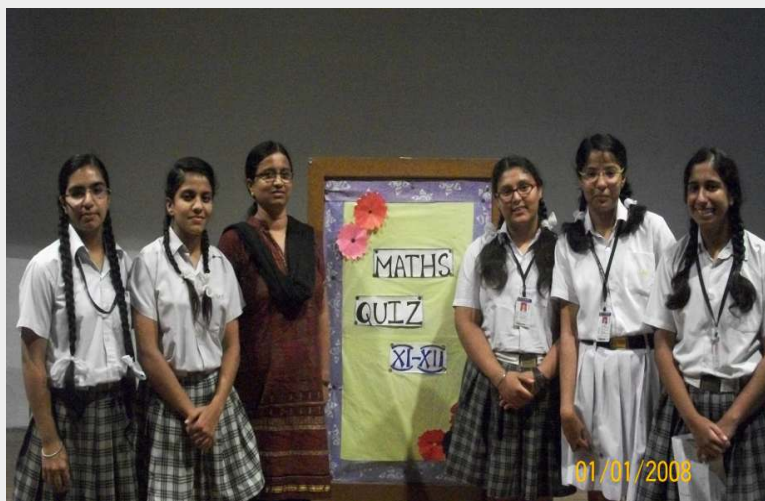
Students of Classes IX-X and XI-XII were made to participate in Maths Quiz wherein they were tested on various skills like Logical Reasoning, Aptitude, Data Interpretation, Speed and Accuracy etc. The quiz was aimed to enable students to enhance clarity in their concepts. The competition was very keenly contested and the participants showed great enthusiasm and also their mathematical talent. The non participating students eagerly participated in the proceedings as supportive audience. All in all the Maths Quest was a huge success and it encouraged the students to further develop interest in the subject.

Winner of Maths Quiz (class XI & XII)

Meghna Jha XII-B, Richa Arora XII-B, Preet Kaur XI-B, Ustat Kaur XI-B, Arpita Sharma XI-C

Winners of Maths Quiz (class IX & X)

Prachi Chaudhary, Eshwin, Nidhi Khurana of class XA and Yukti Dua, Anushka Bharti, Saumya Bhatnagar of class IX-A



Winners of Maths Quiz.



Our young mathematicians exhibiting their geometrical designs.

DREAM YOUR DREAM CONTEST

Art helps children to express and communicate. Through art, we creatively express the desires of our inner heart. Art allows children to creatively explore new ideas. Keeping this in mind, our school organised the Kokuyo Camlin Limited 'Draw Your Dream' contest for classes VI to X on 22 April 2013. The students got a wonderful opportunity to express their future goal in the form of a drawing. The students used the power of colours and let their imagination flow out. The students came out with beautiful expressions of creativity and imagination in the form of art. All in all, the contest was a huge success where the students not only got to display their creativity but also developed a clear vision of what they aspire to become when they grow up.



INTACH ECO AMBASSADOR

It was a moment of honour and pride for our school when one of our talented student Aarushi Mishra was selected as the Delhi Eco Ambassador by INTACH. She became the proud winner of the Essay Competition which was held during the Heritage Week Celebrations. She participated in 'Harit Sankalp' - which is an initiative undertaken by INTACH and INTACH UK Trust. This programme aims at promoting appreciation exploration and conservation of India's natural heritage.

Aarushi wrote her feature on Asola Bhatti Wildlife Sanctuary. Her floral tribute to nature was so much appreciated that she was selected as one of the Regional Winners from Delhi.



Aarushi Mishra XC

The eleven national winners along with the 5 Eco Ambassadors of Delhi were invited to be a part of an exchange programme organised by INTACH. On 2 May 2013 all the winners were taken for a heritage tour where they got an opportunity to witness the rich heritage of Delhi and the need to conserve it. They visited the Anandgram Village, the Teri-Retreat and the Humayun Tomb. On 3 May 2013, awards were presented to the winners by Mr. R Pachauri (Director of Teri-Retreat), Maninder Singh (IAS officer), Rupin Dang (Filmmaker) and Mrs C T Misra (Director of INTACH), The students gave speeches and expressed their concern over the deterioration of our precious heritage. This event added another feather to the cap of our school.

HINDI WEEK

Hindi Week was held in our school from 29 July to 2 August 2013. The week had interesting activities lined up for the students, providing them a wonderful podium to enhance their confidence and help them speak out their mind. The students of classes III to X took part in varied fields and portrayed their inherent talent for their mother tongue in the activities viz., Calligraphy Writing Competition, Spin a Yarn competition, Radio Jockey Competition, Compose a Poem, Short Play Enactment and a Quiz based on the renowned Hindi poets. The students were appreciated for their excellent performance and were awarded with certificates.



Our budding poets presenting their poetry.

HINDI WEEK RESULTS

INTER CLASS HINDI CALLIGRAPHY COMPETITION

Janvi Chhabra (class III-A) - I, Kashish Zafar, (class III-D)-II, Ananya Bhardwaj (class III-A) -II.

INTER CLASS HINDI TANA BANA COMPETITION (SPIN A YARN)

Shriya Gupta (class IV-C) 1, Yashvi Aggarwal (class IV-C), Leena Behl (class IV-C), Asmita Arora (class IV-C), Seerat Kaur Padam (class IV-C) - I.

Harshita Balotiya (class IV-B2), Namrata Bhola (class IV-B), Unati (class IV-B), Mehak Khurana(class IV-B), Varonika Goyal (class IV-B) - II.

Khushi Dagar (class IV-D), Maskeen Kaur (class IV-D), Vanshika Banga (class IV-D), Deepika Brathi (class IV-D), devanshi Singh(class IV-D) - III.

INTER CLASS RADIO JOCKEY COMPETITION

Jasleen (Class V-E), Rhythum (Class V-E), Purvika (class V-E) - I, Ekta Arora (class V-E), Hanshika(class V-E), Muskan (class V-E) - II, Adit (class IV-E), Muskaan Arora (class V-E), Tamana Thukur (class V-E)-III.

INTER CLASS HINDI POEM WRITING AND RECITATION COMPETITION

Jhanvee Khanna (class VI-C), Pyaar Kaur (class VI-C), Gurleen Kaur (class VI-C), Palak Nahata (class VI-C) - I.

Namrata Gulati (class VI-B), Riya Mittal(class VI-B), Vanshika Kaushik (class VI-B), Shruti Ray (class VI-B), Meenal Mathur (class VI B), Khushi Khurana (class VI-B) - II.



Garima Sanger (class VI-B), Ishita Bhambri(class VI-B), Anshita Kushwaha (class VI-B), Khushi Single (class VI-B), Deevanshi Gupta (class VI-B) - III.

INTER CLASS STORY WRITING AND ENACTMENT COMPETITION

Bharti (class VII B), Harshpreet (class VII B), Ishika (class VII B), Kashish Sharma (class VII B), Yashika (class VII B) - I.

Shruti Gupta (class VII-B), Srishti Arora (class VII-B), Saloni Dayal (class VII-B), Simranpreet Kaur (class VII-B) Somya Sharma (class VII-B) - II.



Proud winners of Hindi Gyan Pratiyogita.



Winners of "Radio Jockey" during Hindi Week.

INTER CLASS HAASYA KAVI SAMMELAN

Name	CLASS	POSITION
Anshika Malhotra	IX-C	1
Vanshika Anand	IX-C	1
Harshita Kapoor	IX-C	1
Purva Thakur	IX-C	1
Sanya Jain	IX-C	1

INTER CLASS HINDI DEBATE

Name	CLASS	POSITION
Angela Sehgal	VIII-C	1
Arzu	VIII-A	2
Vidisha Nirmal	VIII-C	1
Ria Jaiswal	VIII-A	2

INTER CLASS HINDI QUIZ

Name	CLASS	POSITION
Anjali Lakra	X-A	1
Divya Miglani	X-A	1
Mahima Boyala	X-A	1
Priya Chopra	X-A	1
Somya Bhatnagar	X-A	1



Winners of Story Writing and Enactment Competition.

19 TH TAFS INTER SCHOOL DEBATE

Our school participated in the 19th TAFS Inter School Debate held on 23-24 July 2013. Shivangi Arora, Shivani Singh and Simrran of class XII brought laurels to the school by securing a position for themselves in the semi finals of this most coveted event. Making a paradigm shift from the traditional format of debate, the emphasis was entirely on content of argument and subject knowledge rather than style and diction .The format engaged the students in bringing to the fore their view points while debating the complexities of real world issues. The school Principal Ms. Sheena Kalenga congratulated the participants and applauded their competence and excellence.



ZONAL BAND COMPETITION

Our school was the host to the Yearly Zonal Band Competition held on 29 August 2013 in which various schools from the zone participated and displayed their talent. Richmond Public School bagged the first prize while the second prize was shared by Doon Public School and Govt. Boys Sr. Sec. School and the third prize was awarded to Shah International Public School.

VIDEO CONFERENCING SESSION

A Video Conferencing Session was organised through Skype chat, for students of class IX and X. in the school's conference room on 17 May 2013. During the session, our students introduced themselves to their partners of Nayang Girls' High School in Singapore. The main purpose of the video chat was self introduction and face-to-face interaction among the students of both the schools before they become penpals. Nayang Girls' High School is a unique school with students participating in various Global Classroom Programmes and by collaborating with such a school, our school wants to give opportunities to our students to embark on learning experiences that will open their eyes to the world beyond the boundaries of India, thereby contributing as world citizens.



Video conferencing session in action.

BACHPAN THEATRE FESTIVAL

Atelier Theatre Group organised Bachpan Theatre Festival 2013 that aimed at providing a stage for the young enthusiastic who are still in school. Supported by the Ministry of Culture, India, this festival aimed to offer a non-competitive space to the young minds to express their creativity on stage. Our school was a proud part of this festival. The young talent of Class VIII presented a comedy play called 'Mind Your Language'. The play was an adaptation of the famous London television series 'Mind Your Language'. In the play young adults from various nationalities come together to learn English language. The perfected acts of the students playing the nuances of the English illiterate adults invited peals of laughter from the audience every now and then. The hilarious play was applauded by one and all sitting in the audience.



'Mind Your Language' - A still from the hilarious play.

'EARTH DAY' COMPETITIONS

THE WINNERS FOR THE RESPECTIVE COMPETITIONS WERE:

Anshula Banerjee (class I E) - I POSITION

Anshula Banerjee (class I E) - II POSITION

Parul Khurana (class I D) and Devina Sharma (I E) - III POSITION

Chesta (class I F), Tanisha Rajpal (class I D), Dhriti (class I F) and Palak (class I F) - Special Prize

Harshita Gulati (class III B) - I POSITION

Janvi Chhabra (class III A) and Vrinda (class III C) - II POSITION

Rhyme and Gauri (class IV C) - I POSITION

Srishti Punj and Tanya Sethi (class IV D) - II POSITION

Shreya Sharma and Prabhain Sehgal (IV D) - III POSITION

Jyoti Chhabra, Vidhi Taneja, Tanishka Kanojia, Urvi Wahi and Monica Pal (class V E) - I POSITION

Lakshita Chhabra, Shreya Chaudhary, Muskan Luthra, Dewankshi Ahuja and Palak Aggarwal (class V C) - II POSITION

Chahat Nihalani, Amisha Bembi, Khushi Gupta, Harshita Kohli and Aastha Bariyar (V A) - III POSITION



INVESTITURE CEREMONY

" You cannot escape the responsibility of tomorrow by evading it today." - Abraham Lincoln

16 May 2013, marked the opening of new vistas for the senior students of our school when they were invested as the new office bearers for the session 2013-2014. The Investiture Ceremony triggered off with the pinning up of the badges followed by the oath taking ceremony. The school Principal, Ms. Sheena Kalenga inspired the congregation with her wise words and urged the students to understand that the price of greatness is responsibility. The new office bearers for the upcoming session are as follows-

DESIGNATION	NAME	CLASS
HEAD GIRL	Shivani Singh	XII-A
VICE HEAD GIRL	Prakriti Gianey	XI-B
CAPTAINS		
SHASTRI HOUSE	Ashveen	XII-A
GANDHI HOUSE	Nishtha Dhingra	XII-C
PATEL HOUSE	Mitansha Chopra	XII-B
NEHRU HOUSE	Abhilasha Gahlawat	XII-A
SPORTS	Geetika	XII-C
ECO-CLUB	Divita Bawa	XI-C
VICE-CAPTAINS		
SHASTRI HOUSE	Namrata Pandey	XI-A
GANDHI HOUSE	Akarsha Handa	XI-A
PATEL HOUSE	Kirtee Kaul	XI-A
NEHRU HOUSE	Disha Batta	XI-A
SPORTS	Ankita Baluja	XI-C
ECO-CLUB	Muskan Ahuja	X-C



Shruti Gulati of class XII B being awarded with a trophy for securing the third position in English Olympiad during the Investiture Ceremony.



The swearing in ceremony of the office bearers.

MEDIA CLUB ACTIVITY

The Life Media Club organised an engaging Video-Making activity for the students in the month of May. The students touched several sensitive and interesting issues pertaining to Indian society such as the condition of Eunuchs, and Delhi being portrayed as the city of crime. Moreover, the students made an attempt to showcase the heritage sites in Delhi and talked about the history of Connaught Place. Some students also showcased the state of slum dwellers in the city. Overall, this activity was an enlightening and informative experience for the students where they got an opportunity to expand their horizons and develop a deeper understanding of the city they live in.

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SPIC MACY CONVENTION 2013

A group of 5 students of class XI attended SPIC MACAY's 1st International Convention from 20 to 26 May 2013 at IIM-Calcutta, West Bengal. They were accompanied by their teacher coordinator, Ms. Anjali Handa. The event was inaugurated on 20 May by the Hon'ble President of India, Shri Pranab Mukherjee.

The students as well as teachers started their day by Naad Yog and Hatha Yog daily, followed by intensives in various art and craft forms, talks by eminent personalities and concerts by world famous maestros. Three of our students attended intensive classes in Kathakali, conducted by Guru Kalamandalam Gopi and the other two gained knowledge on Chittara Tribal Painting of Karnataka from Sri Ishwar Naik and Smt. Saraswati Naik. Their teacher learnt the art of block printing on fabric from Sri Santosh Dhanopia, a national award winner. The students got a chance to watch various dance performances like Kathak by Pt. Birju Maharaj, Bharatnatyam by Smt. Chitra Visweswaran, Mohiniattam by Smt. Hemavathi, and many more. There were edificational talks on painting by Smt. Anjolie Ela Menon and Sri Jogen Choudhury. The students also saw an enthralling puppet show by Sri. Sudip Gupta and the cinema classic, "Bhuvan Shome" by Mrinal Sen.

On the whole, the students had wonderful learning experiences in the field of performing arts.



A snapshot of our volunteers who attended the Spic Macay Convention at Kolkata.

SPIC MACAY PROGRAMME

Under the aegis of SPIC MACAY, our school organised a Kathak Dance Recital by Smt. Rani Khanam on 12 April 2013 in the school auditorium. A Society for the Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Amongst Youth - SPIC MACAY is India's largest voluntary non-profit movement.

The mesmerising performance by Smt. Rani Khanamji in the form of lecture-demonstrations was an eye opener for the students as well as teachers. Rani Khanam is a renowned name in the field of Indian classical dance, Kathak. She is a student of Pandit Birju Maharaj and Reba Vidyarthi. Rani Khanam is also the first Muslim dancer who performs her dance based on Islamic Verses.



KALPANA - THE IMAGINATION UNVEILED

Pablo Picasso had rightly said - 'Art washes away from the soul the dust of everyday life. '

On 27 July 2013, Our school organized a mesmerizing Art Exhibition that reiterated the notion that - A man should hear a little music, read a little poetry and see a fine picture everyday of his life, in order to ensure that worldly cares may not obliterate the sense of the beautiful which God has implanted in the human soul. This exhibition gave our students a platform to exhibit their talent and creativity that captivated the spectators and left them yearning for more. It was as if every student had dipped her brush into her own soul and painted her own nature into her pictures. The art exhibition covered eight rooms with different themes such as Warli Art, Abstract Art and Charcoal Painting, Madhubani and Miniatures, Fabric Painting, Paper Craft and Best Out of Waste. Entering each room was like entering a new world wherein the spectators could find themselves and lose themselves at the same time. Our Chairperson, Ms. Anjali Aggarwal, was the Chief Guest of the exhibition. She was enchanted by the work of the students which reflected their innocence, creativity and boundless love for life. The parents not only witnessed but also participated in the exhibition with great enthusiasm through workshops on Block Printing, Madhubani Painting and a Painting Competition was organized where in the parents got a chance to awaken the artist within them. The resounding success of the art exhibition made one realize that - 'Bread feeds the body, indeed, but art feeds the soul'.



Parents giving their views during the Art Exhibition.



Parents appreciating the artistic Warli Art of our students.



A mannequin attired in a modern dress made from nothing else but newspaper.



The artists of our school presenting the folk art of India.







SANSKRITI UTSAV

India's rich heritage and culture remains unparalleled, and the country's unity in diversity is still being looked at with awe by the entire world. World Heritage Day offers an opportunity to raise public awareness about the diversity of our cultural heritage and the efforts that are required to protect and conserve it, as well as draw attention to its vulnerability. Our school participated in Sanskriti Utsav celebrated at St Mark's Sr Sec Public School, Meera Bagh on 18 April 2013. Competitions like "History comes Alive" for class V, 'Talk on World Heritage Sites' for class VI, Quiz for class IX and Poster Making for class X were held and the students of our school participated in the competitions with great zeal. These competitions gave them a platform to exhibit their talent and creativity. The judges appreciated the efforts of the students and awarded them for their excellent performances.

The following students made the school proud by bringing laurels to the school :-

NAME	CLASS	PRIZE	EVENT
Sharvi Sharma	VI-B	Consolation	Talk on World Heritage Sites
Ishita Bhambri	VI-B	Consolation	Talk on World Heritage Sites
Shambahvi Prabhakar	X-C	Consolation	Poster Making
Tanvi Jain	X-C	Consolation	Poster Making

PRAKRITI UTSAV

"Those who dwell among the beauties and mysteries of the earth are never alone or weary of life." Indeed our earth is a fascinating place, a paradise for all the nature lovers who dwell in the lap of mother nature and it is really fascinating to discover Earth's creatures and secret beauties.

In a heartfelt endeavour to spread awareness about the Earth's vast flora and fauna, the girls of our school participated in a spectacular Prakriti Utsav organized by St. Mark's Sr. Sec Public School, Meera Bagh to celebrate mother Earth and its essential presence in our lives. The event, which took place on 17 April 2013 brought to light the vast species of plants and animals around us and proved to be very informative. Four main exciting events took place-'Know your Flora', 'Quiz Contest', 'Poster Making' and 'Unknown Plants and Animals'. All the events were entertaining as well as informative for the judges as well as the audience. Our students participated enthusiastically and brought laurels to the school. Aanchal Singh of class 9 B and Pranjal Kaushik of class 4 A from our school won the consolation prizes in the 'Poster Making' and 'Know your Flora' contests respectively. The other contestants also did extremely well. It was indeed a unique learning experience for the students.

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY

The first special assembly of the academic session 2013-14 School was held on 16 April 2013. In the Special Assembly, the Best House trophy was awarded to Nehru house. This brought great joy to the members of Nehru house who had excelled in all co-curricular activities -sports, Inter-House Debate, Poetry-Recitation, House Boards etc. Elated with their success, the prefects of the house proudly posed with their trophy given to them by the school Principal Ms. Sheena Kalenga. In the assembly, the winners of the Hummingbird Olympiad were also awarded. They had brought great laurels to the school by securing prizes at the national and school level. Also, several girls of the school had won multifarious competitions in sports like Basketball, Tennis, Leg Cricket etc. The Principal, Ms. Sheena Kalenga gave away the trophies and encouraged the students to continue giving such performances.



A talented student being felicitated with the certificate and a medal for her excellent performance in Lawn Tennis.



ENO TREE PLANTING DAY

ENO Tree Planting Day is an open event for schools and groups interested in environment and peace. It is arranged twice a year, in May and September. The first ENO Tree Planting Day took place eight years ago in 2004.

The ENO Tree Planting Day-an event organised by AEC Project, Fun Page Fun Time was celebrated by the students of class IX and X of our School on 8 May 2013. As a tribute to mother nature, saplings of various plants were planted by our nature lovers. With immense enthusiasm, the students took part in this activity. Later, they took the saplings home in order to nurture them. It was a small initiative towards the preservation of our planet and resurrection of the pollution free environment where all the elements of nature live in harmony.



Inspired by the plantation drive the young earthlings ready to plant saplings.

ART COMPETITION PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

The Art Competition held during the Art Exhibition on 27 July organised by our school witnessed grand participation from parents. The prize distribution function for the competition was held on 5 August 2013 in the school auditorium. All the winner parents were invited. The winners parents were asked to come on stage with their children. The students were elated to see their parents receive prizes. The function culminated with a vote of thanks proposed by our honourable Principal Ms. Sheena Kalenga wherein she thanked all the guests for sparing their valuable time. She also congratulated all the winners for their success.

There were four consolation prize winners :

1. Ms Harmeet Kaur P/O Tanupreet Kaur (III D)
2. Ms Payal Kalra P/O Tisya (II B)
3. Ms Prabhjeet Kaur P/O Barleen (I A)
4. Mr Ravinder Singh P/O Harnoor (Seedling E)

The three prize winners were :

1. Rumia Chatterjee P/O Ishita chatterjee (Seedling A)
2. Mr Anish Mehta P/O Kalyani (IV A)
3. Ms Nikita Johar P/O Kripa and Kavyu (Seedling C)



Our students standing proudly with their parents who won the Art Competition.



ANTI LITTERING RALLY

Look at the sky, then around the trees... and what you'll see is beauty all over.

Now, look at the ground and the surroundings around... and what you'll see is litter all over.

Market places, local parks, bus stands or even outside your own home- there isn't a single place left that one could call spotless. Are we so addicted to littering around that it has become our everyday routine? Our ostentatious attitude of practicing cleanliness under the garb of littering is what characterizes most of us today. Littering is now a common problem faced throughout the country. Although each one of us wants to live in a healthy and clean environment, the present scenario reflects a contrasting picture. Therefore, the students of classes VII and VIII of our school took an initiative towards a cleaner Delhi and took out a rally with an aim to spread awareness among people about the ill-effects of littering on 17 April 2013 near GH-5, GH-6 and GH-7 blocks in Paschim Vihar. The students used placards that displayed inspiring slogans like DON'T THROW IT AWAY, IT CAN BE USED IN SOME OTHER WAY, CLEAN AND GREEN IS OUR FUTURE DREAM, LOOK AROUND WALK AROUND, BREATHE CLEAN AIR, DON'T LITTER THE GROUND etc. to discourage people from littering the roads. Moreover, they encouraged the students of their school to keep the roads clean by refraining from littering the streets as that spoils the beauty of our country.



An effort to save Mother Earth.

WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS

WORKSHOP ON LEADERSHIP SKILLS

One of the test of leadership is the ability to recognize a problem before it becomes an emergency. With this vision, our school conducted a workshop on 'Leadership Skills' on 12 July 2013 for the students of class IX. Ms Suditi Bhaduria from NIE conducted the workshop. How leadership skills play an important role in one's life was explained using different videos. Our enthusiastic students got motivated after seeing those videos. They also asked a number of questions related to qualities of a good leader. They were made to recognize good qualities they already have. The resource person also highlighted the instances from the life of Bill Gates and Barack Obama which made them a successful leader in their respective fields. The workshop was indeed an eye opener for the students as it established the fact that leadership qualities have nothing to do with their academic scores.

ATELIER THEATRE WORKSHOP

A two day Theatre Workshop was organised in the school i.e. on 17 and 18 May 2013 for the teachers under the proficient guidance of Mr Kuljeet Singh, the Director of Atelier Theatre Group. The workshop was attended by twenty five teachers. An English professor at Khalsa College, Delhi University, Mr Kuljeet piloted the teachers on the nuances of theatre. The teachers learnt voice control, stage presence, use of props and lights, right posture, dialogue delivery and much more. The rule that 'there is no thumb rule' in theatrical performances was enlightening. A few exercises like brisk walk on stage, weaving a story, controlling one's chakras, etc. were educative. The impromptu enactment of a story as well as a scene brought out the best in the teachers and let them shed their inhibitions and stage fright. An open house discussion on various mythological characters was engaging. Various queries about script, symbolic props, presentation, etc. were resolved by our eminent guest. The fun filled and resourceful workshop enhanced the skills of the teachers.



CONSERVE NATURE RALLY

Conserve today, for a better tomorrow. Save the earth; it's the only one we have got.

A team of 20 students from class IX and X, representing Kesholoy Eco Club of our school, participated in Prakriti Sanrakshan Prayas Rally organised by St Mark's Sr. Sec. School, Janak Puri on 31 July 2013. The rally was organised to observe World Nature Conservation Day (28 July). The chief guest for the event was District Manager (West) Mr. C.R. Garg, Additional Secretary for CM (Delhi) Mr. Kulanand Joshi, Mr. S.S. Duggal and CEO Parks Garden Society- Mr. Radhey Sham, who encouraged the students towards conservation of natural resources and sustainable development. It was an hour long rally covering different residential areas of Janak Puri with the aim to create awareness among general public on issues like -say no to plastic bags, switch off electrical appliances when not in use, one man one tree and judicious use of resources to preserve mother earth.



Our concerned samaritans making an effort to conserve nature.

'LET'S EAT' AEC GLOBAL PROJECTS

Our students involved in the AEC Global Project LET'S EAT prepared some Indian dishes in the Home Science laboratory with the help of their meal planning teacher Ms. Stuti. It was a great learning experience for the students as they worked together making a cottage cheese salad and sweet coconut balls along with the famous Indian beverage, butter milk (lassi). A video recording of the entire activity was made by these students and was shared on the project website for the students of other countries. 'Let's Eat' is a project which enables the students to know about the food culture and cuisines of different countries as well as enhance their skills in using ICT tools.



Our junior master chefs.

WORKSHOP ON PEER PRESSURE

The age group of 12-16 years is termed as adolescence. This is a highly impressionable and crucial age as there are physical and emotional changes taking place in a child. He gets influenced by his social environment and starts reacting to it. Peer group plays a very important role at this stage. As peer group is of the same age therefore a lot of confusion comes in the mind of a child. He is not able to decide what is right. Sometimes under peer pressure he takes wrong decisions.

Keeping all these points in mind our school conducted a workshop on how to handle 'Peer Pressure'. Ms. Ira Sehgal conducted the workshop for 45 min and discussed about the harmful and good effects of a peer group. Students openly shared their ideas and feelings and found answers to their queries. She also suggested ways about how to draw a line so that the peer group does not influence a child in a wrong way.

LEG CRICKET NATIONAL TRAINING COURSE

Ms Shabnam, the Physical Education teacher of our school, had the proud privilege of guiding the Delhi Leg Cricket Team as its coach in the Leg Cricket National Tournament which was held from 12 to 14 May 2013. This championship was organised by the Leg Cricket Federation of India. Under her able guidance, the Delhi Leg Cricket Team bagged the first position. Their performance was scintillating and showcased Ms Shabnam's expertise in the field.



Ms. Shabnam Khan



CERAMIC POT DECORATION WORKSHOP

HT Pace organised a Ceramic Pot Decoration Workshop for the students of Class-V in the school on 1 May 2013. The students enthusiastically participated in the workshop as they were skilfully guided by the HT Pace Coordinator, as to how to master the art of pot decoration. They had brought ceramic pots of various shapes and sizes which they painted in beautiful colours. Once the colour had dried up, beautiful patterns were artistically crafted with the help of shilpkar clay. These motifs added to the beauty of the pots. Further, the students were taught to paint the pots. As the workshop catered to the interest of the students, they very soon mastered the innovative idea and created wonderful designs on their pots. In the scorching heat, the workshop was like a fresh whiff of breather from the mundane daily schedule. Looking forward to more such workshops, the students carried on creating their masterpiece to master this newly learnt forte.



Our artists decorating their pots with vibrant colours.

TIE AND DYE WORKSHOP

"Art enables us to find ourselves and lose ourselves at the same time." Keeping in mind the significance of art, the school in association with HT Pace organised a Tie and Dye workshop to help children learn a new form of art. It was conducted on 3 May 13 for a few students of classes VIII - IX. The students learnt the process of tying and dyeing a piece of cotton cloth using bright colours. They made beautiful designs and participated enthusiastically in the workshop.



'Art is imagination-our students busy in the process of tying and dyeing dupattas.

PRABHAAV-WORKSHOP FOR TEACHERS

Co-scholastic assessment is an integral part of CCE system. Keeping this point in mind, Ms Monika Sehgal, Ms Manpreet and Ms Shikha of our school attended a one-day capacity building programme on lifeskill, attitudes and values. The programme was conducted by 'Prabhaav'. Various experimental methods were used for training teachers to correctly assess students on various life skills. The session included group discussion, activities and presentations. Handbooks and assessment sheets were also given to facilitate learning. After the workshop the teachers got awareness about different tools and techniques to assess various life skills. The workshop was indeed an eye opener



Our teachers along with their peers attending the workshop.



SHILPKAR BASKET MAKING

Imagination is not a legacy but is cultivated with a harvest of ideas and inspiration. To add a spark to the innovation of our students, a craft workshop was organised in our school on 30 April 13 for class IV by HT PACE. Students made beautiful and colourful baskets using ice cream cups, shilpkar glitters, paints, etc. They enjoyed the activity thoroughly.



The young artists of our school flaunting their little baskets.

PAPER BAG WORKSHOP

Nowadays people have started taking interest in favour of nature. They have started taking initiative to make our environment clean. One such step towards a clean environment is the use of paper bags. HT PACE organised a Paper Bag Making Workshop for the students of class VI on 2 May 13. The students learnt to make paper bags using bright and colourful handmade sheets. They also took a pledge to use paper bags and save our mother earth from the hazards of polybags.



The students displaying their paper bags.

FIRE MOCK DRILL

A great person once said "I always feel the danger because you might always be subject to an unexpected or emergency event."

Truly, disasters are unpredictable and shocking. They bring with them a lot of destruction. It is thus crucial to know how to handle oneself in case of such a devastating event. Keeping the same idea in mind, the school organized a mock drill in the month of April to teach children how to save themselves as well as help others in case of a fire. The students were allotted



Ready to face a crisis-our students rehearsing during the fire mock drill.

specific staircases which they used to exit the classrooms and reach an open area after the fire alarm was rung. The drill thus taught the students basic preventive measures to be taken in case of such an unforeseen emergency without panicking or getting alarmed. The purpose of the drill was hence fulfilled and the students of the school are now better prepared and know how to act in case of any emergency or accident.



TRIPS AND VISITS

HERITAGE WALK TO QUTUB COMPLEX



Appreciating the beauty of the Qutub Minar.

The Eco Club students of classes IX to XI of our school went for a Heritage Walk to Qutub Complex on 18 April 2013 on World Heritage Day. The main purpose of the Heritage Walk was to create awareness among the students to protect the priceless monuments of our country and keep them alive for our coming generations.

As the students walked around the Qutub Complex, they clicked pictures of the Qutub Minar, the tallest minaret in India, gaining more knowledge about the monument, which is one of the three UNESCO World Heritage Sites of Delhi. They also had a close view of the nearby Iron Pillar in the complex, a metallurgical curiosity for all, and the inscriptions on it as well as on the walls of the Minar. They admired the intricate carvings and art work, and realised the importance of this ancient monument which makes India stand tall on the world map.

Thus, by celebrating World Heritage Day, the message of preserving the rich heritage of their country was conveyed to the students.

VISIT TO OLD AGE HOME

'What is the worst of woes that wait on age?
What stamps the wrinkle deeper on the brow?
To view each loved one blotted from life's page,
And be alone on earth, as I am now.'

These are lines said by a wise man which were reflected on the faces of the senior citizens of Sai Vridh Ashram, which was visited by the students of our school on 13 July 2013. The students noticed that the elderly there are alone because they have either lost all their loved ones or have been abandoned by them. This realisation brought tears in their eyes yet they hid them



Lending a compassionate year to elderly.

with their smiles not wishing to demotivate their new friends. The girls had taken with them a few snacks such as biscuits and frooties contributed by the students of the school as tokens of love. This little treat brought smiles on everyone's face. Our girls interacted with their new friends for over two hours who shared with them their life experiences. This interaction enabled the girls to add to their knowledge and gave great pleasure to the elderly. The girls realised that the best gift that we can give to anyone is our time. When it was time for the girls to leave the Old Age Home, they bid goodbye to their dear friends, comforted with the knowledge that they had formed a family of their own at their new home.



VISIT TO RED FORT

A wonderful excursion to Red Fort was organised by the Itihass Group, which conducts study tours at the heritage sites in Delhi. The students of classes VI to VIII went to Red Fort to celebrate Heritage Day on 18 April 2013. They were made aware of various facts like the Red Fort was called QILA-E-MUBARAK or QILA-E-MAULA by the ruler Shah Jahan. The students were shown the Diwan-e-Aam and the Diwan-e-Khas where the emperor met the common people and official meetings were held with ministers. Many secrets of the Red Fort and Emperor Shah Jahan's life were revealed during this walk. They went through the world's first closed market, the Meena Bazaar. They were thrilled on watching the scenic beauty of Shahjahanabad which included the Moti Mahal; the royal hamam (bathroom), the bedroom and the Rang Mahal of Shah Jahan. The Qila-e-Mubarak's basement which is crumbling down to pieces made them think about the loss of heritage with the passage of time. Hence, in order to conserve our inheritance of the past, a group of students were declared as the heritage leaders and they took an oath in the premises to spread awareness in their school about the same. The students' curiosity and adulation towards our cultural heritage helped them to focus on the fading relation with their past. The day was marked with several activities like walk and talk, poster making, tile and cloth (banner) painting where the children enjoyed a lot. This date with history helped them to accumulate the richness of our country and learn about the capital's historical background which added to their knowledge.



Our arduous historians appreciating the architecture of the Red Fort.

CARNIVAL AT CM HOUSE

Our students became a part of the Earth Day Carnival organised by the Delhi Government Eco Club at the Chief Minister's residence on April 26, 2013. There were over 3000 students from various schools of Delhi and 8 different kinds of activities organised by WWF. A group of 8 girls of classes IX and X attended this colourful event. The nature trail at the Chief Minister's residence, which has exotic flora and fauna and indigenous trees besides habitats of bats and various birds, brought them closer to nature. The nature trail was decorated with eco-friendly material and was divided into various parts for activities like story-telling session, making of animal masks, making posters, newspaper habitat game and film screening session. It was an amazing learning experience for the students participating in the various activities as well as seeing puppet show and the heritage of India through bioscope. The students cherished the time spent there and realised that we must be more environment friendly to conserve mother earth and ensure a secure future.



A date with the CM at the CM House.



PICNIC AT WORLDS OF WONDER

Students of class XI and XII of our school went for a picnic on 2 August at WOW, Noida. It was a much needed break for them. Their enjoyment started the moment they boarded the bus. They sang songs, played games on their way to the picnic spot. As they reached the spot, they immediately ran to take rides of their liking. There were a number of adventurous rides which gave them adrenaline rush. In the afternoon the students were served sumptuous lunch which was followed by rain dance where the DJ played music and our



Having fun under the sun.

fun-loving students danced to their favourite numbers while getting drenched in rain water which was a relief in the hot summer of Delhi. The students of class XII were more excited as it is their last year in school. So, to keep their happy memories alive, they clicked a number of pictures with friends and teachers. It was a fun-filled day which the students will always remember.

VISIT TO GOONJ

In its relentless pursuit to sensitize students towards the poor and the under privileged, the school organised a visit to Goonj, an NGO where the students learnt about some of the initiatives taken by Goonj such as : School To School (S2S), Rahat, Not Just A Piece Of Cloth and Clothes For Work. Goonj not only collects and distributes clothes but also turns the old material into a huge development resource. It is an NGO, a voice, an effort that provides amenities for India's so called impoverished millions. It distributes the right thing to the person in need. A heartfelt appeal was made to the students to be mindful of the unused/surplus clothing taking space in their closet right now which could be a treasure for someone in need. The students pledged to contribute as many things as possible to Goonj and also create awareness about its initiatives.



'Goonj'-Lending a helping hand to the needy.

CAMP ANUBHAV, SHIMLA

The students of class VII to IX of the school went for an adventurous camp to Camp Potters Hill, Summer Hill, Shimla from 28 – 31 May 2013. The camp was organized by an adventure based research organization, Rocksport. The students had a very exciting and thrilling experience during the camp which included numerous activities like trekking, rappelling, valley crossing, mountain biking, zip lining etc. Rocksport team consisted of highly qualified professionals who engaged the students in various workshops like 'Wild Life Observation' and 'Samba'. The adventurous trip was full of anticipation and it encompassed great energy and exploring the unknown. The trip was a great success and all the students acquired new learning and new strengths in the wilderness.



Our students pose for a group picture in Shimla.

VISIT TO A FACTORY MANUFACTURING PLASTIC BOTTLES

On 11 May 2013, some of our students involved in the Global Projects-Plastic Fantastic and Picture it Too-visited Vishwakarma Industries in Badli Village, where plastic bottles are manufactured. The main purpose of the visit was to see how plastic bottles are manufactured and gain detailed knowledge of the various steps involved in their making. The students clicked pictures of the processing unit and also made videos of the process, which they later shared with their friends on the websites of the two projects.



Our conservationists on their visit to a plastic bottle factory.

NATIONAL ATHLETIC MEET

"Champions aren't made in the gyms. Champions are made from something they have deep inside them - a desire, a dream, a vision."



Ms. Pratima

This exactly was the belief of our school's teacher, Ms. Pratima when she participated in the National Athletics Meet held at Bangalore from 27 June to 1 July 2013. Not only did she participate in various events but also emerged out victorious.

She took part in the following events :-

EVENT	POSITION
10,000 m	I
5000m	I
1500m	II
Relay-100x400m	I
400x400m	I

KORFBALL NATIONAL

Our school takes pride in mentioning that Ustat Kaur of XI C bagged the second position in the Korfball Senior National Championship held at Rohtak (MDU), Haryana in the month of August.



Our proud winner of Korfball National.



LEG CRICKET TOURNAMENT

Sports are an integral part of our life. The importance of sports in the life of a young student is invaluable. It plays a pivotal role in the making of a young sports person. The fervent students of our school participated in the Leg Cricket Tournament held at Ambala, Haryana. The tournament started on May 8, 2013 and came to an end on May 14, 2013 with the students of our school bagging the first position, instilling thrilling memories in their hearts.

The following students, who were a part of the winning team were felicitated at the Investiture Ceremony for making the school proud of them :- Palak Sachdeva, IX-C, Nidhi Rathi XI-A, Nidhi Grover XI-B, Ustat Kaur XI-B, Ruchika Lakra X-A, Niharika Grover XI-C, Geetika XII-C, Anushka IX-C, Akanksha Choudhary XI-C, Nandini Kaushik XI-C.



Winners of Leg Cricket Tournament.

DELHI STATE TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP

Gold medals aren't really made of gold. They're made of sweat, determination, and a hard-to-find alloy called guts. Sunidhi, a Taekwondo champion from class V-A of our school proved that Taekwondo is yet another sport at which girls can excel. She made the school proud by winning the second prize at the 30th Delhi State Taekwondo Championship held at IG Stadium Complex from 2 August to 4 August 2013 along with Richa Pareek of Class Sapling D.



Sunidhi, V-A
I Position



Richa Pareek Sapling D
I Position

DELHI STATE LEVEL FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

The budding footballers of our school participated in the Football Tournament held at the State level from July 31 to August 2, 2013. This participation helped them to add to their experience and further honed their talent.

The following students participated in the tournament:

Ankita Baluja XI-C, Niharika Grover XI-C, Nandini Kaushik XI-C, Shubhangi Jatav XI-C, Akanksha Chaudhary XI-C, Ustat Kaur XI-B, Mahima Negi XI-A, Prakriti Gianey XI-B, Rashima XI-B, Manvi Bhalla XI-B, Geetika XII-A, Supriya Malhotra X-C, Ritika Lakra X-A, Ashna Suneja X-B, Nidhi Rathi XI-A



Our zealous students who participated in the Football State Tournament.



BASKETBALL OPEN NATIONALS

Another feather was added to the bonnet when our Basket Ball team stood III in the Basketball Open National Championship, held at Ramjas School Pusa Road. Our zealous sportswomen came out meritoriously. The winners are Ustat Kaur XIB, Prakriti Gianey XIB, Akanksha Chaudhary XIC, Supriya Malhotra XC, Rashima Taneja XIB.



"We are the champs"-Our sportswomen who won the Basketball Open Nationals.

BADMINTON ZONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Tommy Lasorda rightly said - "The difference between the impossible and the possible lies in a person's determination." With great determination and girls, the students of our school took part in the Zonal Sub Junior and Junior Badminton matches held from 24 September 2013 to 2 September 2013. The promising Saina Nehwals put in their best foot forward in the zonal round.

The participants in the Sub Junior Category were :-

Prachi VI, Akansha Chaudhary VII, Arzoo VIII, Rhythm V.

The participants in the Junior Category were :

Sarika Singh IX, Deepali Arora IX, Harvinder Kaur IX, Mitali Kamra IX.

Winners - Niharika, Ankita Sanya and Srishti of class XI



Winners of Badminton Zonals (Senior Category).

BASKET BALL ZONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

"Only he who can see the invisible can do the impossible." - Frank L. Gain

Our school which lays a lot of emphasis on the holistic development of students participated in the Zonal Sub Junior and Junior Basketball matches from 29 August 2013 to 2 September 2013. Taking inspiration from the famous Basketball player, Micheal Jordan, the young players put up a tough fight.

The participants in the Sub Junior Category were :- Khwahish-V B, Khushboo Pal-VII A, Shreya Singhal-V B, Aarushi Bhatia-V A, Nidhima Taneja-VIII A, Manya Sharma-VIII A, Vaishnavi-VIII A.

The participants in the Junior Category were :- Mahima Gupta-IX B, Palak Sachdeva-IX C, Sushmeet Kaur-IX C, Saloni SIKka-IX C, Eshwin-X A, Shreya Yadav-IX B, Hansa Kaushik-IX B, Divya Shridhar-IX B, Ashna Arora-IX A, Neha Chugh-X A, Shivani Yadav-IX C, Muskaan Mishra-X B

Winners :- Ustat, Akanksha Choudhary, Manvi Bhalla, Rashima, Prakriti, Nandini Kaushik, Supriya Malhotra XC, Vanshika Garg IXA, Divyangi Kohli XB, Nandita Pandey of class XI.



The winners of Basket ball Zonal (Sr. Category) pose for a picture with a trophy in their hands.



TABLE TENNIS ZONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

The students of our school brought laurels for us in the Table Tennis Zonals held at Bosco Public School in the month of August. Among the juniors, our team comprising of Aashna Khera of 9C, Purva Thakurof 9C, Gauri Sachdeva of 9A and Arushi Mishra of 10 B, secured the second position.

Anushka Yadav of 6C, Khwahish Sukhija of 7C, Prapti Singh of 8C and Mehak Arora of 8C- the team of the sub junior category brought laurels to the school by bagging the first position. The enthusiasts from the senior category comprising of Aakarsha Handa of 11A, Namrata Pandey of 11A, Lakshita Lamba of 11B and Nandini Kaushik of 11C, bagged the first position. Keep it up champs!



'Team work pays' - The team of our Table Tennis players who bagged the first position in the sub-junior category.



Our talented Table Tennis players flaunting their trophy.



The smiles on the faces of these winners exhibit their passion for the game.

INTER SCHOOL TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMNET

“Winning isn't everything--but wanting to win is.”

This is the belief of the students of our school who represented the school in the Inter School Table Tennis Tournament held at Ramjas School, Anand Prabhat from 23 to 27 April 2013. Sports and physical education are necessary components of human development, good health, and companionship. It is necessary to have the spirit of friendly competition. The students participated in the event with great zeal and made the school proud by winning the third position.

The budding team comprised of :-

ADITI SHARMA I-C, SHAGUN ARORA I-D, BISMEEET KAUR I-B, MANJOT I-D



Our chirnbims holding their prestigious trophy in their tining hands.