

# NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER

September days are here...

Summer's best of weather and autumn's best of cheer!

## TEACHER'S DAY

Teacher's Day was celebrated amidst great pomp and fervour on 5 September 2017. The teachers sportingly adhered to the dress code with the theme: Bohemia-Land of the Gypsies.

The day was marked with special assemblies, cultural programme, a cake cutting ceremony, a lavish buffet and ofcourse, the highlight of the day-the awards for the best dressed teachers who were 'divergent' in their theme dressing style. The winners were Ms. Deepika Mehndiratta, Mr. Meghansh Thapa and Mr. Alok.

The event ended with the students and teachers setting the dance floor on fire with their spectacular dance moves in sync with popular soundtracks. Kudos to the students for putting up an exceptional show and all the hard work and heartfelt sentiments!

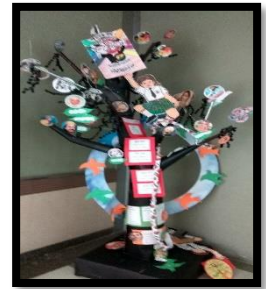
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### कविता का पुरुत्थान: भिन्न विचारधारा के साथ



सनसिटी विद्यालय में सात व आठ सितंबर, २०१७ को हिंदी दिवस की खूब धूम रही। कक्षा एक से दस तक के विद्यार्थियों ने आयोजित विभिन्न गतिविधियों, प्रतियोगिताओं और रंगारंग कार्यक्रमों में बढ़-चढ़ कर हिस्सा लिया। इस बार हिंदी सप्ताह का मुख्य विषय था- कविता का पुनरुत्थान (कवियों का कमाल, शब्दों का धमाल)। कक्षा एक तथा दो ने वीर रस की कविताएँ मजेदार ढंग से प्रस्तुत कीं। कक्षा तीन से पाँच तक ने विभिन्न कवियों तथा उनकी रचनाओं को रोचक ढंग से पेश किया जिनमें माधुर्य भाव

के साथ-साथ ओज, भक्ति का पुट भी था। सात तारीख को कक्षा एक से पांच के विद्यार्थियों ने प्रार्थना सभा में अपनी प्रतिभा का लोहा मनवाते हुए रोचक कार्यक्रम प्रस्तुत किए। कनिष्ठ वर्ग की हिंदी अध्यापिकाओं के निर्देशन में बच्चों ने सामूहिक ईश प्रार्थना, सुविचार, 'हिंदी की बिन्दी' नृत्य नाटिका तथा अन्य कार्यक्रम प्रस्तुत किए। कनिष्ठ वर्ग की हिंदी उद्घोषणा गाकर सबका मन मोह लिया। कार्यक्रम की मुख्या अतिथि महोदया सुश्री विक्की आर्य थीं।



इसी दिन कक्षा छह से दस तक के छात्र-छात्राओं ने हिंदी साहित्य काल खण्डानुसार वीर गाथाकाल, भक्तिकाल, रीतिकाल व आधुनिक काल के साथ प्रगतिवाद व सम-सामयिक विषय की कविताएँ गाकर तथा कला-चित्रण के साथ प्रस्तुत कीं। कक्षा में पाँच-पाँच बच्चों के समूह बनाए गए थे और प्रत्येक बच्चे को उस कवि या कविता तथा भित्तिचित्र के बारे में बोलना था। सनसिटी विद्यालय का प्रत्येक गलियारा हिन्दीमय हो गमक उठा गया जब आकर्षक भित्तिचित्रों (पोस्टर) से उन्हें सजाया गया।

आठ तारीख को कक्षा छह से दस (वरिष्ठ वर्ग) की प्रार्थना सभा आयोजित की गई जिसमें नई व पुरानी कविता के संघर्ष पर नृत्य हिंदी पर संगणक प्रस्तुति, ब्रजभाषा, पंजाबी, उद्घोषणाएँ व अन्य साथ प्रस्तुत किए गए। कवि श्री अमित दहिया भूरि-भूरि प्रशंसा की तथा सन्देश को उसका आनंद लेना चाहिए तथा अपनी मातृभाषा से स्नेह रखना बहुत आवश्यक है।



नाटिका 'कविता का पुरुत्थान', 'विदेशों में मेट्रो में विभिन्न हिंदी बोलियों यथा हरियाणवी आदि में मजेदार कार्यक्रम आकर्षक मंच संचालन के सभा के मुख्य अतिथि सुप्रसिद्ध बादशाह जी थे। उन्होंने कार्यक्रम की देते हुए कहा कि कविता में रस है और बच्चों

आदरणीया प्रधानाचार्या महोदया जी ने उनका स्वागत स्मृति चिह्न के रूप में 'कलाकृति' भेंट कर किया। उन्होंने बच्चों को आशीर्वचन देते हुए कहा कि आज कई भाषाओं को सीखने का ज़माना है। उन्होंने हिंदी सीखने पर बल दिया। कार्यक्रम की सफलता पर उन्होंने हिंदी विभाग को बधाई दी।



## LUNCH WITH THE PRINCIPAL- TERM ONE



Achievers get motivated when their work is acknowledged. What could be better than having the opportunity to have Lunch with the Principal! The proud children of the Primary were taken to BBQ Factory and the Seniors were taken to Impromptu, a fine dining, where they enjoyed the food served to them and took pride in the fact that they were having it with the Principal. They displayed their sanskaars, table manners and etiquettes and did not forget to thank the people who served them. The Lunch with the Principal, Ms. Rupa Chakravarty,



was a great source of inspiration not only for those who had the chance to go with her for lunch but also for those who did not get one, as it would inspire them to achieve more.



The Lunch had been organized in two slots, Primary Grades on 22 September 2017 and on 26 September 2017 for the MYP and High School students.



## **CAREER COUNSELLING FOR SENIOR STUDENTS**



The Guidance Counselling Cell of our school organised a presentation for students of Grades XI-XII by representatives of German and Hungarian University -University of Debrecen. The students were brought up to date with the latest developments in subjects and careers. They were also informed about various scholarships.

## **FIRE SAFETY DRILL**

A fire safety drill was conducted by the school alongwith the resource experts from the Fire Department in the last week of September. The fire alarm was rung and the school faculty and students followed the apt protocol as required during emergencies and assembled in the school grounds.

Fire extinguishing methods were demonstrated and safety guidelines were provided to the staff and students.

## **PRIMARY PROGRAMME**

### **SPEAK UP SPEAK OUT EVENT**



‘Speak Up Speak Out’ –an inter-section speech event was organised for Grade V on 22 September 2017. The selection of the participants was done after holding the same as an intra-section event and the students that emerged as finalists were Rishika Dhar from V-A, Lakshya Kapoor V-B, Arsh Punj V-C, Yuvraj Sohu V-D, Angad Singh V-E, Pehu Gupta V-F and Ved Krishnagiri V-G.

The students spoke exceptionally well and displayed their oratorical skills to the hilt on contemporary topics. The winners of the event were Yuvraj Sohu (first), Arsh Punj (second) and Angad Singh(third).



### **PARENTS’ WALK-IN GRADES II-III**

The unique concept of Parents’ Walk-in was centre stage with Grades II-III inviting their parents to showcase their integrated and inter-disciplinary learning on 27 September 2017.

The students performed a welcome song and led the eager parents to the classrooms wherein they made their subject presentations around the theme of the month-Food. The parents appreciated the confidence and quality of activities conducted. They found the experience enriching and meaningful, especially with the role reversal of students leading the teaching.

### **MOVIE OUTING**

The students of the Upper Primary went for their English and Science Week Outing to watch an English movie, ‘Penguins of Madagascar’. The movie was an absolute delight to watch with 3-D effects and was an enjoyable outing for the students.

## ALEKHYA, ART FEST

On 27 September 2017, Pathways World School, Aravalis, organised Alekhya, an Art Fest for Primary schools. Ten schools, including Pathways and its branches, Kunskapskolan, Scottish High, Lancers International, Shiv Nadar, Gems International School, took part. Our school was represented by the following students:

### Landscape:

Aishwarya Bhargava: III D

Paridhi Bansal: III C

### Book cover Design

Akshara Mohanty : III E

Priyal Gupta: III F

### Rangoli

Devika Jain: V E

Sukriti Gupta: V E

### Poster

Mimansa Singh: IV B

Shiven Gupta : IV B

The theme of the fest was Peace. Suncity School walked away with three prizes. Sukriti Gupta bagged the second prize in Rangoli Art. Priyal Gupta won the second place in Book cover design. Mimansa Singh bagged the third position in poster making. All of them put in their best and deserve praise for their high standard of work.



## EARLY YEARS PROGRAMME INTER-SCHOOL 'MI-me' EVENT 2017



We, at Suncity School, firmly believe that Multiple Intelligences approach can enable each child to maximize his/her achievement. We all know that children are blessed with their unique quality and ability as Howard Gardner rightly defines; "It is not how smart you are, it is how you are smart."

With this thought in mind, 'MI-me' event was organized by the Elementary Years Programme on 1 September 2017.

The following schools participated in the event, including Suncity School:

1. Blue Bells Public School, Sector 10
2. Blue Bells Preparatory School, Sector 4
3. DAV School
4. Delhi Public School, Sushant Lok
5. DPS International
6. G D Goenka Public School
7. HDFC School
8. K R Mangalam World School
9. Manav Rachna International School, Sec-46
10. Manav Rachna International School, Sec-51
11. St. Xaviers High School
12. The Maurya School



All the competitions held in this event were based on 'Multiple Intelligences'. Two students from each school participated in the following competitions:

### **Pre – Nursery**

- 'Foodicature'
- 'Aqua Marina'
- 'Creepy Crawlers'

### **Nursery**

- 'Mishmash Medley'
- 'Nesting Lodge'
- Fix 'N' Whizz

### **Kindergarten**

- 'Anywhere Door'
- 'Robbo-ignitors'
- 'Stunner Runner'

The last exclusive category was 'MI-me' Champion of the day for Nursery and Kindergarten where only one child from each school participated in all the above competitions.

The programme started at 09:30 hours with Lighting of the Lamp ceremony which was followed by the prayers and a scintillating dance performance by the students of Suncity School.

Children from 'B G Foundation', a non-profit organization, were invited and were provided a platform to showcase their talent. They gave a laudable performance. Various entertaining performances were given by the children of Suncity School which were appreciated by all.

The event was graced by the presence of our esteemed Chief Guest, Ms. Leena Thukral, Honourable Guest, Mr. Nicholas Gomes along with the esteemed judges, Ms. Sonia Singh, Ms. Shivani Mehn, Ms. Bandana Sharma, Ms. Shalini S. Vichitra, Ms. Noreen Tung and Madam Namrata Goel.

All the competitions took place at their respective venues. The participating students performed enthusiastically and gave their best.

The MI-me Champion of the Day Rolling Trophy for Nursery was won by Aanya Mittal, from Suncity School. Being the host school, the rolling trophy was passed on to Raunak Jha of Blue Bells Preparatory School.

The MI-me Champion of the Day Rolling Trophy for Kindergarten was won by Yuan Choukiker from Suncity School. Being the host school, the rolling trophy was passed on to Alveera Kaur Sodhi of DAV Public School.

### **The following students from Suncity School made us proud by bringing laurels:**

'FOODICATURE' (Pre-nursery) –Angel Sabarwal (Second Prize)

Aryash Singh (Consolation Prize)

'CREEPY CRAWLERS' (Pre-nursery) - Ayanna Garg (Third Prize)

'AQUA MARINA' (Pre-nursery)- Khushmita Khanna (Third Prize)

'MISHMASH MEDLEY' (Nursery) - Jasveen Kaur (First Prize)

Anezka Dubey (Third Prize)

'NESTING LODGE' (Nursery) - Ranveer Kapoor (First Prize)

Aarav Jain (Second Prize)

FIX 'N' WHIZZ (Nursery) – Deeva Kapur (First Prize)

Darsh Kumar (Second Prize)

'ANYWHERE DOOR' (Kindergarten)– Hrishaan Choudhary (First Prize)

Aaradhya Kaur (Second Prize)

ROBBO-IGNITORS (Kindergarten) - Arnav Jain (First Prize)

Samar Bhartiya (Second Prize)

The event concluded on a happy and positive note. It was a great learning experience for the children. All the children performed with great confidence and enthusiasm. The dance performance by Kindergarten children was appreciated by the teachers of participating schools. Suncity parents were thankful to the school for giving this platform to their children where they could showcase their talent.

**MI – me 2017**  
**RESULTS FOR ALL THE EVENTS**

Class	NAME OF THE COMPETITION	WINNERS	NAME OF THE SCHOOL
Pre-nursery	FOODICATURE	CONSOLATION- Vanishka Kalra Aryash Singh  3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE- Gauranshi Kapoor 2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE – Angel Sabarwal 1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE – Avantika Gulati	G D Goenka Public School <b>Suncity School</b>  Blue Bells Preparatory School  <b>Suncity School</b> Blue Bells Preparatory School
Pre-nursery	AQUA MARINA	CONSOLATION – Ishanveer Kataria 3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE – Khushmita Khanna 2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE –Pratishtha 1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE – Rishaan Singh	G D Goenka Public School  <b>Suncity School</b>  Blue Bells Preparatory School  Blue Bells Preparatory School
Pre-nursery	CREEPY CRAWLERS	3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE – Ayanna Garg 2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE – Arihant Lamba 1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE – Mohd. Arham Khan	<b>Suncity School</b>  K R Mangalam World School  Blue Bells Public School
Nursery	MISHMASH MEDLEY	CONSOLATION – Veer Khanna 3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE – Smyra Alreja Anezka Dubey 2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE – Vivaan Sharma 1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE – Jasveen Kaur	G D Goenka Public School Manav Rachna International School-46 <b>Suncity School</b> Delhi Public School,Sushant Lok <b>Suncity School</b>
Nursery	FIX ‘N’ WHIZZ	3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE – Annant Agarwal 2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE – Darsh Kumar 1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE – Deeva Kapur	HDFC School  <b>Suncity School</b> <b>Suncity School</b>
Nursery	NESTING LODGE	CONSOLATION – Titiksha Chopra 3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE – Ishaan Sachdeva 2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE – Aaradhya Malik 1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE – Ranveer Kapoor	The Maurya School  DAV Public School  DAV Public School



			<b>Suncity School</b>
Kindergarten	ANYWHERE DOOR	CONSOLATION – Shagun 3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE – Aarav Shankar 2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE – Aaradhya Kaur 1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE – Hrishaan Choudhary	Delhi Public School, Sushant Lok St. Xaviers High School  <b>Suncity School</b> <b>Suncity School</b>
Kindergarten	ROBBO-IGNITORS	CONSOLATION – Neil Yadav  3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE – Unnati Sharma 2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE – Samar Bhartiya 1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE – Arnav Jain	Manav Rachna International School-46  Blue Bells Public School  <b>Suncity School</b>  <b>Suncity School</b>
Kindergarten	STUNNER RUNNER	3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE – Poorvi Sehwari 2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE – Jhanvi Sharma 1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE – Soham Bhardwaj	K R Mangalam World School Manav Rachna International School, Sector 51 Blue Bells Preparatory School
Nursery	MI-me Champion of the Day	1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE – Aanya Mittal Raunak Jha	<b>Suncity School</b>  Blue Bells Preparatory School
Kindergarten	MI-me Champion of the Day	1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE- Yuan Choukiker Alveera Kaur Sodhi	<b>Suncity School</b>  DAV Public School

## **MOVIE OUTING**

As part of an educational outing, the children of Nursery and Kindergarten visited Raheja Mall to watch a movie on 20 September 2017.

The title of the movie was 'Cars 3'. The story was about the legendary car Lightning McQueen that was thrown out of its favourite sports by the new age cars. It takes the help of an eager young technician and sets out to prove to the new generation of racers that it is still the best racing car in the world.

The animations and effects were beautifully portrayed and the visual effects were enhanced with 3D glasses. The children enjoyed watching the movie. It was a thrilling experience for the kids.

## **MANNER DEVELOPMENT OUTING**

A manner development outing was organized to Bikanerwala on 22 September 2017 for the little champions of Elementary Years Programme.

The teachers sensitized the children in the class during the circle time about good manners and the appropriate way to behave at a public place.

On their way to Bikanerwala they wished everyone. They were served 'Aloo-Puri', juice and sweets. They all used the magic words like thank you, excuse me, please, kindly etc. The trip was a very fruitful one. We not only succeeded in inculcating good manners in them through experiential learning but also in creating the bond of love, care and friendship with each other.

## SPECTACULAR SPORTS

### INTER-HOUSE SWIMMING COMETITION



Inter-House Swimming Competition was held on 8 September 2017 and it was a great opportunity for the students to display their sterling swimming skills. Arctic and Pacific House emerged as the winner

The winners were felicitated with certificates by our Principal Ms. Rupa Chakravarty and some guest grandparents.



### CBSE LEVEL SWIMMING COMPETITION



Our Suncitizens carried on with their enthusiastic participation in various sporting activities. They participated in CBSE North Zone Swimming Tournament in Pathankot on 17-21 September 2017 and won medals.

Sia Prathambir (IX B) won 3 gold and a bronze, Veera Prathambir (IV G) won a silver, Kritika Mann (X B) won a silver and a bronze medal.

They all did us proud as they were selected for nationals.



## INTER-CLUB GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP



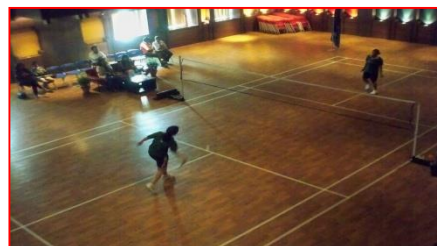
Our budding golfer, Palakshi Sehrawat of Grade VG, did us proud by bagging laurels for the school in the Inter-Club Golf Championship held at Manesar on 16 September 2017. She won a gold medal for her brilliant performance.



## FOURTH INTER-HOUSE BADMINTON TOURNAMENT

The fourth Inter House Badminton Tournament was played on 9 September 2017. The match began with Ms.Mansi Goel and our Principal, Ms. Rupa Chakravarty declaring it open and striking the shuttle.

The match began with a lot of enthusiasm displayed not only by the players but also the spectators. Their relaxed and flexible grips, the shuttle flights and their avoiding the wobbling of the shuttle in flight, kept all awestruck.



The match results:  
SUB- JUNIOR:-  
BOYS:- VARUN MITTAL – Indian House.  
GIRLS:- TANVI NAGAR – Indian House.  
JUNIOR:-  
BOYS:- SUYASH LOHIA – Pacific House.

GIRLS:- HARSHDA GHAI – Indian House.

SENIOR:-

BOYS:- ADITYA GUPTA – Artic House.

GIRLS:- KHYATI JAIN – Atlantic House.

The certificates were presented by Ms.Mansi Goel & Principal Ms. Rupa Chakravarty. The tournament was quite a learning experience for the teams.

## STATE LEVEL SKATING COMPETITION



Aditi Garg of Grade IX C reached the National Skating Championship did us proud by achieving a gold and 2 silver medals at the State Level Skating championship held on 18-21 September 2017. She performed exceptionally well and will now participate in the Nationals that will be held on 8 December 2017 at Belgaum.



## INTERFACE SWIM MEET

Interface Swim Meet was held at Ardee School, Five schools participated in the same. Sixteen students from our school participated in the competition.



The results were as follows:-

S.NO	NAME OF THE STUDENT	GRADE	CATEGORY	Result
1.	FREYAA	III C	U-9	Silver
2.	ANNIKA DUGGAL	III C	U-9	Bronze
3.	KHUSHI MEHTA	IV D	U-12	Silver
4.	MAHIP REEN	VI B	U-12	Silver
5.	TVESHA GHOSH	V F	U-12	Silver
6.	VEERA PRATHAMBIR	IV D	U-12	Silver & Bronze
7.	SHUBHI TIWARI	VIII E	U-15	Silver

## CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

NAMES	WORKSHOP	DATE	ORGANISER
Ms. Reetinder Mahajan Ms. Sapna Bakshi	Coreskills	20 September	British Council
Ms Deepali Singh	Australia Business Week	29 September	Australia Business Week

Autumn...the last of nature's most radiant, colourful, resplendent smile! The school geared up for the much-awaited Dussehra Break and Durga Puja festivities.

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