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EDITOR'S NOTE



e turn 146 this year! The wheel of time goes on and c'est la vie. In life, we meet new people and say adios to some and so it has been at DC this year. The year 2016- 17 saw Dr. Sumer Singh relinquish his post as the Principal. He took DC

to great heights and placed it on a global pedestal. Let me put it simply, the school will miss him. With the new Principal, Mr. Neeraj Bedhotiya, we usher in a new era which holds promise, opportunities aplenty which will enable us to sprint to success. Well, we were not hibernating all this while. A series of triumphs came our way under the stewardship of Mr. Ansari, the officiating Principal.

Don't miss our pages on Culture and Clubs. Feast your eyes on the brilliance of many a trophy and medal that our students have won at home and outside. The virtuoso performers regaling the audience, creating a niche in the international circuit of dance prove that our knowledge of art is not skimpy.

Our section on sports is nothing short of attraction. A bevy of students acing various sports even in foreign lands is testimony to the fact that all is well with sports at DC! Do cast a glance.

One of the crowning achievements of DC is Internationalism. It gives an insight into a new world that our ambassadors trot into. Their first hand experiences like luxuriating at the world's finest of places, trying out new cuisines, doing the most outlandish of things, trying their hands at playing a new sport make this segment a must read. After all you get only one shot at life. Why waste it!

Take a peek into the fun filled and entertaining world of the little ones, our Pre Primary and Primary sections who preferred to eschew stereotyping this time, ran their imagination riot and did the most memorable of things.

There are untoward occurrences in this world and there's so much debilitating insecurity we are hemmed by. Therefore, we, at DC intend to equip our students, boys and girls to combat any unforeseen catastrophe. The introduction of Self Protection Program at school that has become a part and parcel of our curriculum will train the students in learning the fundamentals of defense. Sneak a quick look.

I profoundly thank everyone involved in the making of the yearbook. The Principal, my colleagues, seniors whom I learn from and juniors who are a great support and have helped me in being able to create a miniature DC (metaphorically) with its achievements, the year book that you are holding right now.

Happy Reading!

Shilpa Virmani CHIEF EDITOR

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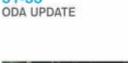
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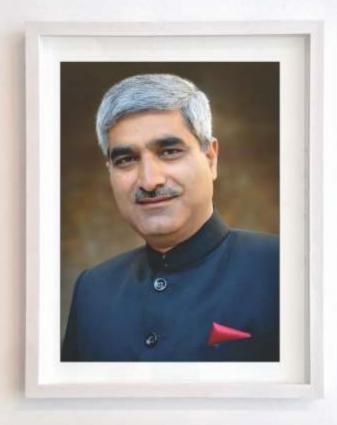
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Message from the Principal

I congratulate the Editorial Board for bringing out this issue of the Daly College annual magazine for 2016-17. As one goes through the publication it becomes evident that school not only provides multitude of opportunities to students but their enthusiastic participation and accomplishments justify our investment in these activities.

We often hear the term '21st century skills' these days. This seemingly complex phrase involves skills such as creativity, communication, collaboration, critical thinking, problem solving, IT and media skills etc. If we look back at our past, gurukul system of education provided the environment for the nurturing of many of these skills which are considered to be 'new'. The British created a factory model of education system based on rote learning. It is on to us to revive our old traditions and refine them for use in modern times. Educating a child ought to be a simpler process.

Staff and I wish to carry forward the rich legacy of DC while also establishing international benchmarks in teaching – learning processes and resources and in pastoral care so our children are well prepared for this century.

Best wishes.

Neeraj Kumar Bedhotiya Principal Daly College, Indore



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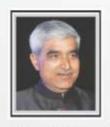
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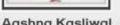
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PRESIDENT'S WELCOME SPEECH

Chief Guest, Your Excellency Melba Pria, My Colleagues on the Board, Distinguished Guests, Ladies and Gentlemen

I feel honoured to extend a warm welcome to you all to the 146th Annual Prize Giving Function of the Daly College!

It is a memorable moment for me to greet and welcome Mexico's young and dynamic Ambassador to India Her Excellency Melba Pria known the world over not only because she uses an autorickshaw as her official transport but also because bilateral ties between India and Mexico have been the best in her tenure. What stands testimony for this is that a large number of Indian companies are investing in Mexico.

It is her Excellency's popularity with our motherland that many of us call her 'Priya' which means beloved and that is exactly how she feels in India. Our nations may be geographically distanced but our cultures are more similar than most people can imagine.

I am also once again very happy to see the effulgent faces of Dalians who are celebrating the 146th anniversary of their Alma Mater. I am happy to know and be part of time which has seen the pursuance of excellence, year after year, in every aspect, by this great institution which had earlier been presided over by my late husband Maharaj Tukoji Rao Puar and now I have the honour of chairing the Governing Body.

I also pray for the continued and sustained progress of DC, for a bright future, for scaling greater heights and moving towards more challenging horizons.

I also take opportunity to congratulate the 1991 Batch which is celebrating its Silver Jubilee and the 1966 Batch which is celebrating its Golden Jubilee.

Thank you all parents and guests for making it to this function

I give everyone my best wishes

Thank you all!



Rajmata Gayatri Raje Puar, MLA President of the Board



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our Excellency Ambassador Melba Pria of Mexico, President of our Board Rajmata Gayatri Raje Puar of Dewas, Vice President Mr. Devraj Singh Badgara, Members of the Board, Mr. Arun Yadav, Parents, Old Dalians, and especially the Golden Jubilee Class of 1966 and the Silver Jubilee Class of 1991, guests, colleagues on the staff, and students.

I thank our very distinguished and charming Chief Guest for having made time for us.

Her Excellency has taken relations between Mexico and India to an entirely new level. Her interest in our country and in our culture is very genuine. That she highlights the need to preserve the environment and sets an example by using a battery operated Indian made 3 wheel vehicle even when travelling to Rashtrapati Bhavan, and that she has exhibited Mexican street art on the vehicle, speaks volumes about her personality.

She is also seen on her bicycle in and around Delhi.

Her Excellency signed up to participate in the Berlin Marathon to raise funds for the Indian Cancer Foundation.

She has earlier served as Ambassador to Indonesia, as General Director of the Mexican Communities Abroad Program in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and has worked in the Mexican Foreign Service as Consultant to the Secretary of Foreign Affairs of Mexico and as Political and Consular Attaché in the Embassy of Mexico in Tel Aviv, Israel. In the Mexican Social Security Institute, Her Excellency worked with the Publications Department as editor and was Chief of Cultural Promotion. She directed the Department of Public Education's Special Delegation in Chiapas for five years. During that time, she acted as promoter of interdisciplinary programs aimed at the state's indigenous children, which contributed to an improvement of school classrooms and to a rise in the instruction levels. Her Excellency has served as General Director of the National Indigenous Institute and was elected Vice President of the Latin American and Caribbean Indigenous People's Development Fund. She also served as General Director of the State and Federal Liaison Office, working in areas such as

coordination and support of local, state and federal officials in international affairs. She received her Bachelor's Degree in Sociology and International Relations from the School of Political and Social Sciences at the National Autonomous University of Mexico. She also completed studies in Strategic Planning and Administration at the Technological Institute of Superior Studies in Mexico City and in National Security and Strategic Studies at the National Public Administration Institute - National Research and Security Center and a Masters Degree in International Studies from Harvard. She is certainly the most popular foreign diplomat on Indian soil and I am sure we are all looking forward to her Address later this morning.

For a change I will commence my Report with Sport:

15 years old MAHAK JAIN, playing Tennis in the U-18 category, won the Japan Open and is now ranked 61 in the world. Earlier this year, she won the Road to Roland Garros, the U16 Nationals, and was India's first seed in the World Group of the Federation Cup in Budapest.

ZAINAB BANDOOKWALA won a Shooting Gold in the World Games in Azarbaijan. She, earlier in the year represented India in the Czech Republic.

MIHIKA POORE represented India in Shooting in Serbia & was ranked 6.

POOJA DODVE was a member of the Indian team that won Gold in the indoor hockey tournament in Indonesia.

SUDIPTI HAJELA won her first World Challenge Bronze medal in Equestrian Sport in the Dressage event.

In the IPSC Shooting nationals, DC boys won the championship for the 9th consecutive year and DC girls won it for the 8th consecutive year. Together they won 41 medals.

In the SGFI nationals held in Hyderabad 5 of our students received medals – Madhvendra & Vikramaditya struck gold, Devangana & Bandhavi Silver and Mihika Bronze.

In the MP state championships, both teams stood first with a haul of 60 medals. We now have 2 international shooters and 41 who have qualified for the nationals.

In the MP State Aquatics, our students returned with 43 medals. Naquiya Barwaniwala and Aaryan Anand qualified for the nationals.

In the State school games DC was overall champion and Naquiya was individual champion.

In IPSC girls, DC was second and Anandi Nair was champion in the U14

In IPSC Basketball, U14 our boys were placed third and our girls were placed 2nd. Drishti was declared Best Scorer. Our U17 girls won a bronze. Boys were 3rd in the Sunita Singh Memorial. The Girls U19 team won the Honoria Lawrence tournament for the 6th time. Asmat was declared the most promising player. They also won the Sunita Singh memorial and Kashvi was declared Best Player. 5 were selected for the nationals: Anushka, Devangana, Kashvi, Dhritika and Asmat.

The following qualified for the Chess nationals: Anush, Ishaan, Nirvaan, and Moksh.

The following qualified for the Football nationals: Anirudh, Rohit, Bharat and Manan. 11 football players were escorted by Mr. Dharam Verma to a camp in Spain.

U19 Girls' Hockey team won the CBSE West Zone and the boys were runners up. Both the teams will play in the nationals.

In Badminton, Aakash Kataria and Shreyas Palod qualified for the nationals.

In the Junior National Squash hosted by DC, Radhika Rathore finished 7th and Sanaya Modi 16th Aryan Khandelwal 23rd.

In the IPSC squash, girls won the U19 and were runners up in U17 and U14. They lifted the overall trophy. The boys also won the overall trophy winning the U14 and U19 and being placed 2nd in U17, medals were won by Radhika, Adwiteya,

Khushi, Anant and Anurag.

We have hosted two internationals who have coached our students: Joshna Chinnappa from India and Peter Winzler from the US.

DC won the IPSC girls Tennis trophy winning the U17 and U19 categories. Mahak and Panya won golds and Jhanvi a silver. In the boys category we won the U14 and came 3rd in the U19. Janith and Manan won silvers and Chaitanya a bronze. Those selected for the nationals are Mahak, Panya, Jhanvi, Chaitanya, Jainath and Manan. Pehal won an AITA crown in her age group in Raipur.

In Gymnastics, Mihir and Abhishek qualified for the nationals.

In IPSC Skating, we were overall second with 27 medals. The following qualified for the nationals – Aadish, Siya, Zuhair, Ananya, Aaryan, Paarth, Shivanshi, Hemant and Zahabiya.

8 Athletes qualified for the nationals- Shlok, Vanremruata, Parinay, Ajit, Atharv, Saisha, Parinav with Soumya as a standby.

In Cricket, Tanish and Shaurya qualified for the nationals. Rakshit is a standby.

In total, over 150 students are playing at the national level and 5 at the international level.

I now move on to Internationalism:

DC hosted the first on campus Junior International Round Square Conference with delegates from Romania, Turkey, Kenya, USA, UK, Canada, Australia, South Africa, Bangladesh, Oman, France, UAE and India.

4 students and 2 teachers attended a Round Square Conference in Germany.

Individual 2 to 3 month RS exchanges saw 7 incoming students from 5 countries and 6 outgoing to 4 countries.

Within India, 49 students and 7 teachers have attended 7 RS conferences.

Woodleigh School Australia and DC have exchanged delegations with each other.

We have also exchanged delegations with Russia, and sent a delegation to Hungary under AFS. Students went on individual exchanges to Italy, Germany, Spain and Canada.

3 Students are currently away on AFS one year exchanges to France, Germany and the US.

4 students are with us for a year from the US and

they are sponsored by the US Department of State.

I attended a European Council AFS Peace Conference in Italy and Sarita Badhwar, an AFS teaching programme in New Zealand.

Asma Ansari visited Universities in Switzerland and Spain.

DC hosted the Global Connections Conference for Heads. Delegates came from Colombia, Canada, Oman, China, USA, Romania, Botswana, Singapore, Croatia, Macedonia, Spain and South Africa.

I attended the G20 Conference in China.

And now for a report on Community Service.

One student went on a service project to Peru, and 7 to Gwalior.

For the 8th year, students from Ermitage School in Paris joined hands with us, Choithram Netralaya and SPO to run an Eye Camp in different slums of Indore. Our group known as ICU has to date disbursed 37,458 pairs of free spectacles and arranged for 1077 free cataract operations.

Our students have raised money and built 16 washrooms in underprivileged schools in order to reduce the dropout rate for girls.

On two of these projects we have been joined by students of DeMontfort University in England and once by students from France.

Our students are involved in many local projects including an ambitious one with the Indore Cancer Foundation.

Moving onto the Cultural Report:

At the all India IPSC Competition, we were declared winners in Patriotic and Folk singing.

Pratyusha Nyati was placed first in semi classical singing.

Aryaman Simhal was placed first in classical vocal. Prakhar Gupta was placed second in Indian instrumental solo.

Our western orchestra was placed second. Our western group singers were placed third. And we won the overall trophy.

In Dance, in Utbhav Utsav 2016 in Gwalior: We were winners in classical dance. We were winners in semi classical dance. And second in folk dance.

DC qualified to represent India at the Shanghai Tourism Festival in China. Our 34 dancers stole the show and thoroughly enjoyed the attention.

In the IPSC Drama festival, we were placed first in mime. We had a visiting drama teacher from Canada.

Whereas every student at DC is trained to be a public speaker, special mention needs to be made of Ankit Attri who was declared best speaker in the finals of the Scindia Platinum Debate, Mrigank Shekhar was the best speaker in the preliminary round of the Oliphant Debate, and Meenakshi Mangal who was placed second in the DF Jack debate.

The students are doing us proud in the intellectually stimulating activity of Model United Nations. In the fourteen MUNs they have attended this year in Dubai and in 10 Indian cities, over 200 have participated and between them have picked up 39 awards.

During the vacation study tours have gone out to France and Switzerland, East Coast of USA, West Coast of USA and the day after tomorrow a group leaves for Australia.

For some years now we have been offering a Certificate course in Indian Culture and Heritage, the most recent group was of 22 from Australia.

We impart 3 Life skills which I am proud of - 3 min public speaking for all. Cooking for all students from classes 7 to 10. Situational self defence for all girls and boys.

By now, Her Excellency must be suspecting that we do not include **Academics** in our school program.

I assure you we do -

In the Cambridge International Exams

ABHI topped India in Maths in A Levels.

SIDHIKA AGRAWAL topped India in IGCSE in English as a second language.

ANJALI JAIN topped the College in IGCSE and also outstanding were the results of Sidhika, Aishwarya and Akshata.

TANMAY topped in AS Level and Jagdev, Palak and Palash did very well.

In A Levels **VEDANT KEDIA** topped and others deserving of special mention are Shreyas, Arnav and Abhi.

In the Class 10 CBSE exams,

25 secured a perfect 10 CGPA and 13 secured 9.8

In Class 12 CBSE exams,

151 SECURED A FIRST, 106 of them with distinction.

24 secured an average of 90 and above Those scoring 100 in a subject are:

NAKUL in Maths

VARUN in Economics

AARUSHI, AYUSHI & SHUBRA in Fine Arts

Stream toppers are:

Humanities: MANVI RATHORE
Engineering: HARSHVARDHAN MODI

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Medical: ANUSHREE TRIPATHI Commerce: AYUSHI PARAS

At the end of the day, parents wish to know the details of College placements.

This year we have enhanced our consultancies, had Canadian & American University reps meeting children in our Auditorium and have signed up with Singapore based Univariety, which implies that we are, through them planning and constructing each child's CV over a four year period and passing these on to private Universities in India and to Universities abroad. It now becomes possible for a child to receive an offer or even a scholarship from a college that he did not apply to.

Placements for the Class of 2016 are as follows:

UC Berkeley –Vedant Kedia University of Michigan- Shreyas Bindal University of Southern California (USC)- Atishay Modi

University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign (UIUC)-Abhi Gupta

Rutgers- Raashi Verma

Pace University- Vidit Bhatnagar, Angad Anand Stony Brooke, New York- Aamir Rampurwala Drexel- Harnish Singh Chhabra Iowa State – Tejas Jhamb

UK

Warwick- Gehna Modi
Nottingham- Tanishqa Badlani, Aditya Dagaria,
Kunal Miglani
Bath- Avijeet Shourya Singh
Birmingham- Divyansh Dhoreliya
Westminster – Peony Hirwani, Prathvi Agarwal
De Montfort Design School- Disha Lulla
De Montfort (DCBS)- Jasleen Kaur Bhatia, Jasraj
Singh, Pankhuri Agarwal, Simran Kaur Chhabra, and
Vedika Mittal

INDIA: Delhi:

Guru Gobind Singh — Ivesh Suri, Varun Aggarwal, Riddhi Kankaria, Vasu Agarwal, Himani Dawar Mata Sundari College: Apoorva Paliwal Jesus and Mary: Sanghamitra Piploda Miranda House- Ayushi Paras Khalsa College- Divyansh Baghel Hansraj- Manvi Rathore Indraprastha- Yashasvi Janeria Ashoka University- Pritika Acharya, Rajyavardhan Singh

ISBF - Yagya Birla

HR - Tanush Hemnani

Mumbai:

Xavier's- Grayden Everett, Harshvardhan Modi Jai Hind – Ayush Jaisinghani, Meghna Kaurani, Vansh Dang Mithi Bai- Kartik Singhal, Sagar Shukla, Jatin Barodia, Vasudha Jhavar, Piyush Surana, Shreyansi Bhandari NMIMS- Udit Naredi, Manobhav Sharma, Mudit Pincha, Nikunj Khetan, Anirudha Singhal, Nishit Khandelwal, Pramaksh Jain, and Archit Asawa Sydenham's- Neil Golcha

ISME Mumbai- Masoom Kalra, Ishu Singhal, Mrinalini Singh, and Manan Kothari

Sofia, Neha Seth

Sofia- Neha Seth

Hotel Management, Oberoi Hotel, Mumbai- Anushka Chokse

Pune:

Symbiosis - Jay Sharma, and Sujoy Desai Symbiosis Fine Arts- Harshaditya Jadeja

Indore:

Prestige- Mudit Johri

Bangalore:

Christ University- Ambika Ahuja, Vedant Goomber, Rohit Mehta, and Akshat Maheshwari Jain University- Dhruv Patel, and Dipesh Patel Alliance University- Hardik Menghani

Engineering:

IIT Indore- Nakul Goyal
IIIT Kanchipuram- Chitrarth Dixit
BITS- Kritika Kasliwal
VIT- Rashi Wadhwani
SRM Chennai- Udit Rathore, Vihaan Manocha,
Vikram Goomber, Hardik Lilani, Priyansh Sojatia
DU Engg- Kushagra Khatri
NMIMS Mumbai : Jatin Ahuja
Manipal- Kanishka Kapoor, Abhinav Pandey, Saurav
Chopra

UPES, Dehradun- Radhika Shah (Petroleum Engg) Medicaps, Indore- Sooraj Dube

Law:

NLU, Mumbai- Arnav Maru Hyderabad Law School- Astha Soni MSU Baroda, Law- Devashish Saxena ICFAI Hyderabad- Ishika Ingle Symbiosis Pune, Law- Muskan Sharma, and Saloni Kasliwal

Design:

ISDI Parsons Mumbai- Shradha Agarwal, Vadanya Shrotiya

NIFT- Aarushi Agarwal

NIFT, Kolkata- Siddhi Kankaria

MSU Baroda- Shubhra Bhatnagar, and Aayushi Jain

There have been some additions to the infrastructure on campus.

Most significant is the Daly College Day School with Indu Kapoor as the founding Head. Its first year has been very successful and its Main Building is now under construction.

Rajendra House is being remodeled and will be reoccupied by the boys in April. There is a new Boarding House with a capacity for 180 students and it is going to serve as a blueprint for future boarding facilities.

The Chefs of DC has become popular and is functioning well. We are now building a pavilion next

to the College Temple so that children can sit in the shade. This is being donated by Ankit Agrawal & Anshul Agrawal.

The DCBS building has been expanded significantly and can now accommodate Undergrad and Postgrad Management and other courses. Also, added are an Administrative Block with a Library and a small Auditorium and also a Food Court.

The Old Dalians' Association is donating a Badminton Complex as this is one facility that we are lacking. The students are keenly awaiting this.

The Silver Jubilee batch of 1991 has donated a life size coat of arms which will inspire & will instill generations with a sense of pride. It will be the selfie corner of the college.

In October, this year I turned 65 and will retire at the end of March 2017 after a very satisfying 14 year stint. Over 2000 Dalians have graduated during this period and over 60% of the built up area on this campus has been constructed with the support of so many of you during this period.

Simultaneously, the approximate committed reserves have increased from Rs. 4 crores to Rs. 13 crores and uncommitted cash reserves from Rs. 13 crores to Rs. 24 crores as on date.

DC moved from outside the charts to No. 1 Daycum-Boarding School in India.

At a National level, at different points, we have been declared the best School in Sport, in Life skills, in Infrastructure and in Internationalism. We have also scored highly in the newly introduced Special Education Department.

We have, during this period introduced Internationalism, Inter House cultural events, Humanities, CIE, Career Counseling, Student Counseling, a College placements Cell, Language Labs, Recording Studio, Green Centre, Athletics Complex, Auditorium, Centre for Performing and Visual Arts, 50 mt pool, Angling, a proper Library, conferencing rooms and the Pre Primary which has now given way to DCDS.

Academic standards have improved and I dare say the children are more motivated and focused, confident and articulate.

Also, I feel happy that I wrote the history of DC and corrected the records pushing our foundation back from 1882 to 1870, reduced pollution and enhanced the security of students on campus, landscaped and greened the campus and increased the wild bird population many fold.

A new and updated history of DC has been written

by Old Dalian Rajendra Singh. It is under print and will be released in the next few months. Advance bookings are now open.

I therefore retire with a feeling of fulfillment after 41 years in the profession and 28 as Head and now look forward to the next phase of my working life as a consultant.

My successor, Mr. Neeraj Bedhotiya, is a former colleague and I have been serving on his Board for the last few years. With his love for children, academics and sport, I am confident that under his stewardship and with support of the Board of Governors and all of you, DC will attain new heights. He is currently Principal of Mayoor School in Ajmer and his wife Vineeta is Principal of Mayoor School in Ganganagar.

I do believe that the alumni of DC are one of its greatest strengths. To enhance connectivity between the College and them and also to encourage networking amongst them, I have requested for a mobile app that not only facilitates this but also makes e-election possible, upgrading to a cleaner, more transparent and quicker process.

I am grateful to Old Dalians who helped with this and am especially thankful to Siddharth Sethi, CEO of Infobeans for the long hours his executives along with Kripal Singh have put in to make this possible. The release of this app is to take place at the AGM of the ODA tomorrow.

This being my final APG speech, I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge my debt firstly to my colleagues on the staff, to the children, to their parents, to the old students, to successive Boards of Governors, and to all my friends in the Central & State Governments and in the Indore District Administration, in the media and in all walks of life who have supported DC and even my most unorthodox schemes.

I thank all those who have educated my son, Jasmer through DC and into DCBS, I have said it before and I will say it again, that as long as we stand together, DC will flourish. Let us not forget that this is a place of Education and it is our duty and responsibility to nourish, through opportunities and guidance, the future citizens of the world. Jai Hind!





CHIEF GUEST'S ADDRESS

Chief Guest, Her Excellency Melba Pria on the occasion of the 146th Annual Prize Giving.

That was hard work, believe me. Prize winning dalians, proud parents, families, alumni, governing body members, distinguished dignitaries and friends. I have spoken before the UN General Assembly but never such a crowd was so daunting! I am honoured and delighted to be here on your 146th college Annual Prize Giving. Yes, I had the idea that you don't study, but you do. And I have been thrilled to personally congratulate the recipients of 200 prizes in different areas, from sports to cultural activities, service in the communities and many more. We are here to celebrate your achievements, the achievements of these young boys and girls. But today, it's also a celebration of the diversity of your talents. Daly College is a recognized school for the academic field. But it is fantastic actually that you are being taught with so much care and guidance to explore all of your different skills. The different versions of you, the different you that you can achieve, the many challenges that you can attempt overcome. Studying is important of course. We pay a lot of money for you to be good students. But what we want from you, young and now the ones that are leaving is that, you become well rounded individuals with a complex in your life with many support systems and who can overcome challenges in many different areas. It does not mean that you have to be good or proficient at every single one of the activities you attempt. You will be good at some and at others, maybe not so good. But the beauty of it and the fun of it is to try out and to defy challenges in many different spheres. Besides my day job as ambassador, I try to have secret identities myself and I make it a point of setting every year for example, a different athletic goal for myself. I am also a singer, a diver and I love the mountains. I believe that these practices of being much more than just your one working self give me true satisfaction and a complete and fulfilling life and it also helps me to focus. Speaking of lives filled with satisfaction, I want to recognize the word and the trajectory of Sumer Singh who so movingly described during his introduction, the passion he has had for serving, for education and specifically for Daly College. Dr. Singh, I am deeply honoured to be speaking at this, which will be your last APG speech. After an intense 41 years of career on doing exactly the most important thing of the world which is raising the leaders of tomorrow and opening the eyes, and the minds and the hearts of young people. Thank you. I want to talk to you about the role that these students, some of which have been given deserved recognitions today will have as leaders of the future and the point of having this distinguished position and the responsibilities that come with it. Girls and boys, young women and young men, you



have had the privilege of being born in a loving family and receiving a world class education. Some of you are out now and going to attend some of the most prestigious universities in India and abroad as we could gorge from the review of the year's placement. This is a privilege that you need to embrace and may count, this sets you on the road to be the leaders of tomorrow, to have all the tools and to reach and achieve whatever you want to set your mind to do. The future requires global citizens, global citizens. What does that exactly mean? What is really the meaning of a citizen of the world. It means having profound love and respect for your tribe, for what you are, for your state, for your nation as part of your fundamental identity but also identifying broadly as members of the human race .Do never forget your languages whatever language you speak and are taught at your home, always use your English but more of that, go out and learn other languages. That begins, first and foremost, by the exposure to the world that surrounds you. I want to commend Daly College for doing such an extraordinary job at this and I was highly impressed I must say by the international activity that this school encourages. The International Round Square Conference, the academic exchanges, so many kids coming back and forth and all of those things to open their minds . Why do you think that Mexicans are called Indians? When I say open your minds and be a global citizen, I am talking 14th-15th century, when one Christopher Columbus set up sail in Spain and thought that he was coming to the Indes. What he didn't know is that he was going to bump in the middle of the ocean with people looking like me. And when he saw people looking like me, brown coloured, dark hair, beautiful people! He thought he found the Indians. And here we are the Mexicans and the Latin Americans called Indians. Thanks to you. That opened the minds of the many many generations to come. Because we discovered that the world was much larger than what we ever thought. Through the



mind of a global citizen, it becomes clear that what we share is larger and more important than the things that divide us. It becomes evident that each one of us and each one of our actions has repercussions beyond our own village or our own country that we have shared challenges and that we can bet on our collective future. I believe that the destiny of the world depends on those global citizens. I am convinced that if we have more global citizens, we will be active in our world and then the major challenges that our planet faces will become solvable. One important example of the need to operate on the minds that recognizes shared challenges and solutions is climate change. For you students ,you might not remember how the climate was when you were small but for this part of the auditorium we remember when it rained, when it was hot, when it was dry , when it was cold and that has changed. Climate change is real. It's not coming it is here, it's happening as we speak and the truth is that my generation has not done enough to stop it.2015 was the warmest year ever registered and it seems that 2016 will be even warmer. The sea levels have risen, the glaciers are melting and constant droughts undermine our ability to feed us. India faces huge challenges from climate change. It is considered among the extreme risk countries where the impacts will be most keenly felt already by 2025.2025.ah too far away! It is less than 9 years, 9 years. That will be the time when those leaving the college today will be starting a family and will be in your professional careers. Kolkatta and Mumbai are cities at extreme risk, according to the UN which will be prone to natural disasters and this scenario repeats itself in Latin American coasts, in Asian and in African regions. I do not agree with the narrative that your generation is too self involved and obsessed with phones that you only care about the world around you. I think there's plenty of evidence that young people care about the state of the world. We are the ones who will actually face the burden of our decision taken today. It is you whose action cannot wait. Discussion should not only be held among the people who will be probably gone before the worst effect of climate is a reality. Your involvement is needed in urgent problems which will be soon irreversible. It is your generation, even for those who are talking at the back who will have the device and we will have a sustainable solution for the concerned well being of both humans and nature. One cannot exist without the other. The earth, natural assets are made of plants, of animals, of land, of water, of atmosphere, and humans. Together, we all form part of the planet's eco system which means it is this biodiversity crisis that are health and livelihood are at risk too. We are currently using 25% more natural resources than our planet can sustain. As a result, species and habitats and local communities are under pressure of direct threat. In India for example, man and animals are in rising conflict over living space, increasing population has been displacing animals from their natural habitat. In three years in India, 190 elephants and 110 tigers were killed in man conflict zones. These are issues that need our urgent attention because as I mentioned the damage may be irresistible. The Bengal tiger is primarily found in India

though you can also find it in East Asian countries such as Nepal and China. As of now, there remain about 2000 Bengal tigers. What does 2000 mean? 2000 are actually the young boys and girls that come to this school. That means 2000. And when these tigers are gone then there will be no more tigers. New boys and girls will come to the school but no more tigers will exist. Bengal tigers in the entire world would be gone. The loss of South Asian region the loss of India will be the loss of the entire planet. This is not only an issue in this region, the same problem arises in most countries. In my country, we have something that is called the 'Vaquita Marina'. It is on a fast road towards extinction. The Vaquita is a very small porpoise that lives solely in the gulf of California, Mexico. The species is critically endangered primarily as result of entanglement in fishing nets. There are only 100 of those animals left in the world. Despite the best effort of the government and the NGO, if a sustainable path is not found soon, we will lose the Vakita and the loss of Mexico will be again the loss of the world, the loss of your children and grandchildren who will never get to know that this animal existed. This past week, world leaders met in the Mexican city of Kankoon to discuss of the solution and the challenges to protect biodiversity. The other issue that has been constantly in the news and recently has become a more pungent sort of an area is air pollution. This is an issue that I know very well because many years ago in 1992, when some of you were not born or were being born, my hometown, Mexico city was declared the most polluted city in the world. Believe me that was not an achievement that we liked. Pollutant readings went off the charts and the issue started becoming a national crisis when birds started dropping dead from the sky and when five year olds were asked the colour of the sky, 80% of them said that the sky was grey, another 16% of them said that the sky was brown. It took constant efforts and 20 years of programs to reach the point in which the levels went under control. Yet the struggle never ends. Today, Mexico city is amongst the 40 best air quality places according to the WHO. But today, I live in Delhi and there, believe me we are going down the same road and even worse because pollutants today are even more harmful than they were before and we have better ways of measuring them so we can tell just how much damage they are doing to us and I am wondering, "Are we waiting in India for birds to drop dead from the sky as well". You must have heard that the days after diwali were especially hard in Delhi .All of a sudden and for several days, the sun vanished and instead we had a thick layer of smog and near zero visibility. We spent the entire week breathless and coughing. The levels of air pollution went off the charts and it turned out to be that we had broken yet another world record. 17 year old record was broken in pollution! It means that this kind of pollution had not been seen in your entire lives. During the first week of November, Delhi average air pollution was 40 times higher than the guidelines of the World Health Organization and around 15 times higher than that of the government guidelines. India at large, has an enormous problem and challenges with air pollution. This malady, this air pollution, caused an estimated of 6,30,000 of premature deaths in India in



2010. But it is not only Delhi. It would be good if we could say that it was only Delhi, it would ,something that we would say it is. According to the WHO, 10 out of the 20 most polluted cities are in India and since a large amount of pollutants that compose the poisonous air is global warming caused by CO2 emissions, both come from largely the same source which is coming from burning fossil fuel but much more of that is also in the air.

I reached what is called, online fame. If you will call it like that mostly because of a video of me using my, what I decided would be my official vehicle. My official vehicle is an auto rickshaw and that's how I travel around Delhi that became viral. I don't know if I am a virus because I became viral. But it doesn't really matter. That auto rickshaw has been painted with Mexican motive and decorated by the Mexican street artists. A friend of mine, who is a creative director of a website said, "This is the story I want to tell and then suddenly I was a success but not me, it was the auto rickshaw that was a success and I was suddenly flooded with requests for interviews and features. I know that it's my auto rickshaw that should be talking to you and not me. During these interviews, the first question that I invariably was asked was, "Why, why are you using an auto rickshaw? Why was I doing this seemingly extravagant action? My primary motivation was promoting Mexico through a beloved Indian icon, such as the auto rickshaw. I will admit that it is also a very efficient vehicle in the streets of Delhi where you have a lot of cars and all that you know and it helps me get to my meetings on time. But above all, I found that it cut one third of my carbon footprint in Delhi and I found that I had a voice that I could use to speak the original cause I care for, which is air pollution. So, I did. I believe we should be able to reclaim breathing as our undeniable right. Breathing is our undeniable right. Air is the most democratic thing in the world. It is that one thing, of the few things that will not differentiate if you are a woman or a man, if you are young or old, your caste or religion, your position or your wealth. We all breathe exactly the same air. And as for future global leaders, I hope you will find a cause in which you believe and you can raise your voice to create a positive change. Creating a positive change starts from a more local, more personal space. We need more awareness that global problems like climate change actually need zillions of local solutions all over the world. You are well trained in the school and educated in social intervention and today's national program, of Washrooms for All was started exactly here at Daly College and it was interesting for me to see today's program where it says, small acts when multiplied by millions of people can transform the world. You didn't need me to tell you this. It is right here. Allow me to finish my intervention by reflecting on the future of these young people. I have made everybody a little worried because I just asked for a microphone. I am sorry for parents and for authorities but this part of my speech I want to go closer to those that are leaving today. I mean you have heard so many of these but this is the last one that they would here. So, I am sorry if I give you my back. In Mexico, we say that angels don't show their back

but people do have backs. I am sorry for the ones that are up there but I am getting closer to these young people who are leaving the school very soon. So, allow me to finish my intervention class 12. Class 12 is there, not you guys. Sorry. Where is class 12? Up there, ok. Allow me to finish my intervention by reflecting on your future. Besides courses, you will need a few personal characteristics that will allow you to be better leaders and trying to make a difference can be a challenge. I would like to share some of a few pieces of advice that I have picked up, personal experience, and that I believe will help you alongside your journeys. Be good listeners. Listen. Listen. Listen. You will be surprised at how much just by listening and paying attention to the body language of the other. Listening is actually the key to my own trait which is diplomacy. It is the key to negotiation and to understanding of others. Be good listeners. Seek balance in your teams. Diversity of personalities and point of view are enriching. Make it a point to include a balance of genders. Why? Well of course because it's fair, it's right and it's just. But more men and women have completely complementary talents that always have a better outcome for the entire team. We cannot fully empower women and girls unless we engage boys and men too. Be respectful to people and to people's opinion even if you disagree with their opinion, be respectful of their opinions, be gentle. You don't have to be rough to be strong. Leadership comes from confidence. You have to build your confidence from within. You know that you can do it. That is a challenging thing in these times where appearance has so much weight, where selfies are the best photos that we take because it's us in them. Make it a personal goal to find your own strength and rely on that strength that is within you. Respect the person that you are then we start loving and respecting others, other people will follow. Do not envy what others have. Jealousy is a worthless passion that takes away time and energy from pursuing your own objectives. Be grateful for the countless, countless good things and blessings in your life. You can pursue your dreams. Be courageous, be bold even, be resilient. The world out there is not always easy. Learn to cope with life as it plays out. The people we interact daily with do not always treat us the way we want them to treat us. But we cannot change them or their behaviour. But we do have the choice to not let other people's behavior affect us. We should learn to take feedback from others, always in a positive sense to help us improve ourselves. Walk the talk. Teach by doing yourselves, become an example. The world is in dire need of you doing just that. Dalians for those leaving today, and for all of you that are still staying: best luck in your journey. You are about to begin a new life. I hope that you will seek the balance for your lives in all areas as you have done here. Find a balance between keeping in mind the global citizen within you but taking solutions that will bring positive change to your immediate community. Work for a more better and more rational life. The community where you are is important. Go out and see the world, engage with others but retain love and respect for your roots. And as your school motto says, 'Knowledge alone is power'. But let the knowledge that you acquire it here become your wings. Thank you for listening.



ANNUAL PRIZE GIVING



ACADEMIC PRIZES

Class VII

I Aakash Chaturvedi II Ranvir Singh Chhabra III Harshita Garg



I Aditva Dixit II Aanika Chandhok III Amitesh Mohan



I Ayushman Choudhary Il Zahra Chandurwala III Archit Asawa



I Gauri Shahra Il Arjun Pasari III Mahika Jain



I Anushka Rathore Il Divnoor Kaur Chhabra III Ishwar Gangwal

IX CIE

I Mithun Devaraya Shreregar Class II Shourya Vikram Singh Chauhan III Naguiya Barwaniwala

X CIE

I Anjali Jain Il Aishwarya Joshi III Akshata Kasliwal

Class XI CIE

I Tanmay Khandelwal Il Jagdev Singh Jhajj III Palak Garg &Palash Garg



I Vedant Kedia Class II Shreyas Bindal XII CIE III Arnav Maru

Class

1st in Commerce Group 1st in Comp. Sc. Group 1st in Biology Group 1st in Humanities Group Rakshit Assudani Arjun Singh Rhythm Tahilramaney Muskan Arora

Class

Ayushi Paras Harshvardhan Modi Anushree Tripathi Manvi Rathore

SPECIAL ACADEMIC PRIZES

(For students who have received the CBSE Merit Certificate)



Ayushi Paras Painting Shubhra Bhatnagar Painting Arushi Agarwal Painting Nukul Goyal Maths Economics

INTER HOUSE COMPETITION PRIZES (GIRLS)

Hockey

2 Basketball Bharati House Bharati House

3 Swimming Ahilya House

Cross Country Squash

Shooting

Indira House

CO-CURRICULAR & CULTURAL ACTIVITIES PRIZES

- Maharani Pushpamala Raje Dewas Prize for the Best Student Artist (Boys)
- Batch of '87 Medal for the Best Artist (Girls)
- Vijayditya Singh Memorial Trophy for the Best artist of the year from classes VII to X.
- His Highness Krishnaji Rao Puar Prize for the Best Student Musician (Boys)
- 5 H.H. Ajit Singh Jhabua Trophy & Medal for the Best Musician (Girls)
- 6 College Prize for Wood Work
- 7 Shri A.M. Lahari Memorial Medal for Hindi Dramatics (Boys)
- 8 Shri A.M. Lahari Memorial Medal for Hindi Dramatics (Girls)
- 9 College Prize for Western Music
- College Prize for English Dramatics (Boys) 10
- College Prize for English Dramatics (Girls)
- Maihar Prize for the Best Hindi Essay (Srs.)
- Maihar Prize for the Best Hindi Essay (Jrs)
- 14 Maihar Prize for the Best Hindi Essay (Sub -Jrs)
- College Prize for the Best Hindi Debater (Srs)
- College Prize for the Best Hindi Debater (Jrs.)
- College Prize for the Best Hindi Elocutionist (Srs) 17
- College Prize for the Best Hindi Elocutionist (Jrs.)
- The Sir Hugh Daly Prize for the Best English Debater (Srs)
- 20 College Prize for the Best English Debater (Jrs.)
- 21 Millennium Batch Medal for the Best English Debater Cambridge Style (Srs.)
- 22 College Prize for the Best English Debater Cambridge Style (Jrs.)
- 23 College Prize for the Best in English Extempore Speech Competition (Srs)
- 24 College Prize for the Best in English Extempore Speech Competition (Jrs.)
- 25 College Prize for the Best in Hindi Extempore Speech Competition (Srs)
- 26 College Prize for the Best in Hindi Extempore Speech Competition (Jrs.)
- Salter-Zutshi Prize for the Best English Essay (Srs)
- 28 Salter-Zutshi Prize for the Best English Essay (Jrs.)
- 29 Salter-Zutshi Prize for the Best English Essay (Sub Jrs.)
- 30 E.C. Marchant Prize for the Best Quizzer (Srs)
- 31 College Prize for the Best Quizzer (Jrs.)
- 32 College Prize for Electronics
- 33 Principal's Medal for MUNning (Boys)

Varun Agarwal

Harshaditya Sinh M. Jadeja

Muskan Sharma

Sana Hasija

Prakhar Gupta

Pratyusha Nyati

Pranjal Pathak

Raghu Raj Singh

Amba Singh

Prakhar Gupta

Vidit Bhatnagar

Himani Dawar

Vaibhav Parik

Aditya Agarwal

Ameya Nambudiri

Madhumita Banerji

Nandini Maheshwari

Sarrah Sethjiwala **Amol Chitale**

Rishabh Shrimal

Anushka Rathore

Neha Seth

Divnoor Kaur Chhabra

Minakshi Mangal

Pradyuman Chandhok

Guneet Kaur Chhabra

Manay Sanghyi

Neha Seth

Shivansh Chandra Bagadia

Zahra Chandurwala

Rishabh Shrimal & Vaibhav Parik

Jogeshwar Singh Gill

Ankit Attri

Sana Hasija

34 Principal's medal for MUNning (Girls) DC YEARBOOK | 2016-17 | 37



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| WINNERS |

- 35 College Prize for Photography
- 36 College Prize for Sculpture
- 37 College Prize for Pottery
- 38 College Prize for Needle Work
- 39 Radhakrishan Rais Shield for the Best Girl NCC Cadet
- 40 College Cup for the Best Army Wing Cadet
- 41 Jamkhandi Cup for the Best NCC Air Wing Cadet
- 42 Mahida Sword of Honour for the Best NCC Cadet
- 43 College Prize for Classical Dance
- 44 College Prize for Non-Classical Dance
- 45 College Prize for the Best Performance for the School Band (Boys)
- 46 College Prize for the Best Performance for the School Band (Girls)
- 47 College Prize for Bamboo Craft
- 48 Amrita Mittal Memorial Gold Medal & Trophy for the Best in performing arts
- 49 King Constantine Medal for Excellence in RS Activities.
- 50 Mrs. Mira Sumer Singh Memorial Medal for Community Service

GAMES AND SPORTS PRIZES

- 1 Vishal Kapoor Memorial Medal for the Best Basketball Player (Boys)
- 2 College Prize for the Best Basketball Player (Girls)
- 3 Wellingdon Cup for the Best Batsman
- 4 Kathiwada Cup for the Best Bowler
- 5 Alirajpur Cup for the Best Fielder
- 6 Sohel Chawla Cup for the Best All-rounder
- 7 Thakur Giriraj Singh Jawasia Prize for Cross Country (Boys) (Srs.)
- 8 Thakur Giriraj Singh Jawasia Prize for Cross Country (Boys) (Jrs.)
- 9 College Prize for Cross Country (Girls) (Srs.)
- 10 College Prize for Cross Country (Girls) (Jrs.)
- 11 College Prize for the Best Football Player
- 12 College Prize for the Best Footballer (Girls)
- 13 Lt. Jayendra Singh Kila Memorial Trophy for the Best Hockey Player (Boys)
- 14 Mr. K.R. Dhabhai Medal for the Best Hockey Player (Girls)
- 15 Shrimati Premlata Bai Holkar Medal and Rajgarh Cup for Senior Squash Champion (Boys U-19)
- 16 Shrimati Premlata Bai Holkar Medal for Junior Squash Champion (Boys U-17)
- 17 Shrimati Premlata Bai Holkar Medal for Junior Squash Champion (Boys U-15)
- 18 Principal's Medal for Sub-Junior Squash Champion (Boys U-13)
- 19 Principal's Medal for the Squash Champion (Girls U-19)
- 20 Principal's Medal for the Squash Champion (Girls U-17)
- 21 Principal's Medal for the Squash Champion (Girls U-15)
- 22 Principal's Medal for the Sub-Junior Squash Champion (Girls U-13)
- 23 Khilchipur Trophy for the Best Marksman (.22 Rifle) Boys Level I
- 24 Narvar Shield for the Best Marksman (.22 Riffe) Boys Level II
- 25 College Prize for the Best in Air Pistol (Girls)
- 26 College Prize for the Best in Air Pistol (Boys)
- 27 Jamnia Prize for the Best in Air Rifle (Girls)
- 28 Jamnia Prize for the Best in Air Rifle (Boys)
- 29 College Prize for the Best Swimmer (Boys) Level I
- 30 College Prize for the Best Swimmer (Boys) Level II
- 31 Smt. Mridula Kasliwal Medal for the Best Swimmer (Girls) Level I
- 32 College Prize for the Best Swimmer (Girls) Level II
- 33 Saluja Cup for Tennis (Jrs.)
- 34 Jobat Cup for Tennis (Srs.)
- Anirudh Singh Hada Memorial Sports Scholarship for outstanding performance in Soccer and Hockey during the year 2015-16

INTER HOUSE COMPETITION PRIZES

- Raghogarh Cup for Football
- 2 Hide Indore Cup for Hockey
- 3 Joy-Bapu Mian Cup for Cricket
- Holkar Nagod Cup for Basketball
 Infantry Trophy for Shooting
- 6 Fitz Cup for Swimming
- 7 Gen. A.S. Vaidya Trophy for Cross Country

Amogh Asawa Shantanu Singh Pradyumna Agrawal

Neha Johari

Priyanka Chouhan

Anuj Palod

Mihir Sonalkar

Anuj Palod

Shradha Agarwal

Sooraj Dube

Yash Verma

Anushka Rai

Ankit Sastiya

Prakhar Gupta

Shreyas Bindal

Shantanu Singh & Aaryaman Simhal

Vishesh Kataria

Dhirul Rathi

Rudraksh Jain

Anirudh Singhal & Priyansh Sojatia

Varun Agrawal

Nitiraj Singh Parmar

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-

Amol Yachi Mathur & Abhimanyu Verma

Mrinalini Singh Jatin Ahuja

Chitrangada Singh Piploda & Pooja Dodve

Uditraj Singh Rathore

Rahil Saboo

Aryan Khandelwal

Anurag Moyde

Adwiteya Kasliwal

Adwiteya Kasliwal

Khushi Rathore

Khushi Rathore

Brajraj Singh

Vikramaditya Singh Deora

Rashi Verma

Yuvraj Sisodiya & Uditraj Singh Rathore

Mihika Poore Anil Kumar

Amaan Chandurwala

Sudarshan Hastak

Tanvi Satish Jambhulkar

Anandi Rajesh Nair

Mahak Jain

Isha Budwal & Aditya Dagaria Rohit Sumra (Football Boys) Abhipriya Verma (Football-Girls) Deepak Chouhan (Hockey – Boys) Pooja Dodve (Hockey – Girls)

Tagore House

Ashok & Vikram House

Tagore House

Vikram House

Ashok House

Jawahar House



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WINNERS |

Ahilya House

Ahilya House

Ahilya House

Indira House Vikram House

Tagore House

Bharati House

Ahilya House

Bharati House

Vikram House

- 8 College Prize for Squash
- 9 College Prize for English Debate (Parliamentary Style)
- 10 College Prize for Hindi Debate
- 11 College Prize for English Debate (Cambridge Style)
- 12 College Prize for Hindi Elocution
- 13 College Prize for English Dramatics
- 14 College Prize for GK Quiz
- 15 College Prize for Academics
- 16 Principal's Cup for Indian Music
- 17 Principal's Cup for Western Music
- 18 College Prize for Dance
- 19 College Prize for Hindi Dramatics

SPECIAL PRIZES

Dewas (Sr.) Prize, Class X Academic Prize

& Special Academic Prize for receiving CBSE Merit Certificate and securing 10 CGPA in Secondary School Examination (Class X)

- 1. Aadarsh Mishra
- 2. Abeer Chawla
- 3. Aditya Agarwal
- 4. Amur Khandelwal
- 5. Aniruddha Nilosey
- 6. Anoushka Dalal
- 7. Chintan S. Makhijani
- 8. Deshna Patni
- 9. Devang Sureka
- 10.Hardik Ojha
- 11. Harshvardhan Bothra
- 12. Isha Alok Kellogg
- 13. Mayank Singh
- 14. Mehul Jaju
- 15. Muskan Jain
- 16. Nehal Kumath
- 17. Pratyusha Nyati
- 18. Rajvir Singh Chhabra
- 19. Rohan Jain
- 20. Sahejveer Singh Kumar
- 21. Sakina Hussain Bandookwala
- 22. Toshith Pawar
- 23. Vishesh Bohra
- 24. Yashodhan Nighoskar
- 25. Yuvraj Neema
- 26. Zenab Hussain Bandookwala
- Special Academic Prize for Outstanding Learner's Award in CIE(AS / A level):
 - a) For the highest marks in Maths in the country in A Level Exam Abhi Gupta

b) For being topper in the country in English IGCSE

Siddhika Agarwal

Her Highness Maharani Ahilyabai Holkar Gold Medal and Sanghi Trophy for the Best Ali-round student in Class X

Devangana Chouhan

Siddharth Verma Silver Medal & Prize for the Best performance in physics in Senior School Examination (Class XII)

Kritika Kasliwal & Saurav Chopra

Shri I.S. Dungarpuria Memorial Medal for highest marks in Class XII in Mathematics

Nukul Goyal

Maharani Indirabai Holkar Gold Medal for the Best Performance in Class XII Board Examination.

Avushi Paras

Maharaja Bhairon Singh Ranawat Silver Medal for the Best Performance in Class XII Board Examination.

Ayushi Paras

Rajmata Devendra Dungarpur Silver Medal for the Best performance in Class XII Board Examination in Science subjects.

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Kritika Kasliwal

Dr. Surendra Singh Chandel Memorial Prize for the Highest Marks in English Class XII

Aastha Soni

Ahana Singh Rathore

Archit Asawa

Ayushi Paras

Jatin Ahuja

Sanghmitra Singh Piploda

20 Banera Cup for Hockey (Past v/s Present)

Ankit Attri & Rishabh Shrimal

18 Narsingarh Cup for the Cock House:

Present

21 Narsingarh Cup for Cricket (Past v/s Present)

10 Vishal Kapoor Memorial Medal for the Best Performance

11 Nikhil Agarwal Memorial Medal and Trophy for Highest

12 Shri Anant Rath Memorial Medal and Trophy for the

13 Commissioner's Cup for the Best All Round progress

All Round Sportsman of the year 2015-2016

14 Sardar Kartar Singh Chhabra Memorial Medal for the Best

15 Sardar Bolia Medal for the Best Girl All-rounder in Sports

16 68 Batch Trophy for the Best in Co-curricular Activities

19 Garha Cup for the Best All-round House amongst Girls

17 Prasad Dasgupta Gold Medal for the Best All-round Student of the

College and Chandok Trophy for the Best All-round Student of the College

in Commerce Stream Class XII

Sarwamitra Sharma

during the year 2015-2016

Vansh Dang

Anii Kumar

Mrinalini Sinh

Muskan Sharma

Tagore House

Bharati House

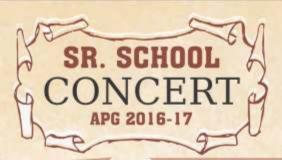
Marks in Computer Science (Class XII)

highest marks in Biology in Class XII

Anushree Tripathi & Jinisha Pahuja

22 Rajgarh Cup for Cricket (Old Boys v/s Staff)

23. The Gold Standard of The International Award for Young People. **Arjun Singh**

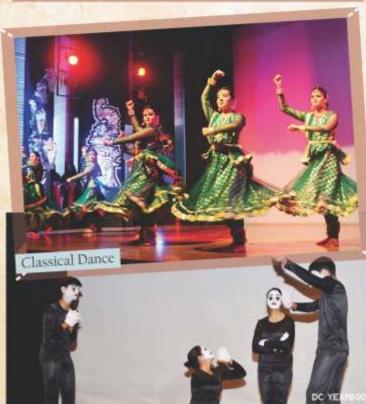


































































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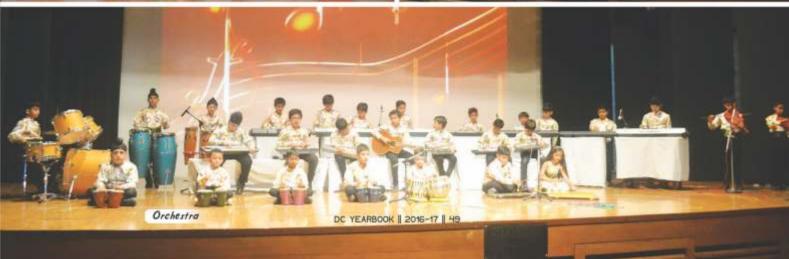


































ODA MEET JAIPUR

An ODA dinner at Jaipur was held at the Four Points by Sheraton. At the event, prominent Old Dalian and Author, Prabhu Ghate presented his book to the honourable Principal, Dr. Sumer Singh. Amongst others present were: Jai Jhabua (Hon. Secretary) and Dheeraj Lulla (BOG). Organised by OD Amit Choudhary & OD Surbhi Manocha Choudhary.





LIVE CONCERT by the great artist LUCKY ALI was organised by Indore Cancer Foundation, in association with ODA.

ODA J.S. ANAND TENNIS BALL NIGHT CRICKET TOURNAMENT

ODA JS Anand Tennis Ball Night cricket tournament started at Daly College on May 1, 2016.









Smt. Mridula Devi Kasliwal ODA Night Football Tournament was played with lot of zeal & zest.

ODA BLOOD DONA

The annual ODA Blood Donation camp on Gandhi Jayanti was a great success! OD's & DC staff came in big numbers for the noble cause.







ODA SUMMER DINNER

The most awaited "ODA Summer Dinner" in association with Punjab Jewellers was held on Saturday 21/5/16.

















ODA Meet Delhi get together on 20/11/16 was at the Air Force Golf Club, Race Course Road. It was a great gathering. All OD's in and around New Delhi had come. It was an overwhelming response.

ODA annual week 2016 was declared open by Dr. Sumer Singh in lush environs of DC cricket ground at Scindia Pavillion with Rajgarh Trophy match between DC staff and ODA team. ODA won the Rajgarh Trophy.









Great sporting day for the ODA - OD's won the tennis and squash fixtures. Present girls won the football match.









ODA ANNUAL WEEK







ng Competition

Banera Cup hockey & basketball girls and boys were also held in the ODA Annual Week.



Narsinghgarh Cup cricket match between present boys and ODA team was held at Scindia Ground. ODA won the Narsinghgarh Cup.



Football match was held between present & old boys. Present won in Penalties.













In the ODA Lunawada Quiz, OD Laxman Singh (Class of 1971) was the chief guest and OD Dinesh Mittal (Class of 1967) was the Guest of Honour. ODA were runners up in

the Lunawada Quiz.

ODA Won Basketball, Squash and Tennis, but lost Hockey and Girls Basketball.

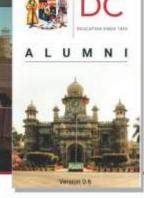






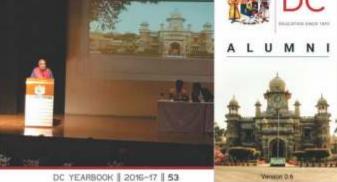
At the ODA Concert, the Old Dalians performed exceptionally. Through acting, dancing, singing & playing musical instruments, they displayed their talents.





New age communication and network medium, DC Mobile app was launched on11th December 2016 by Dr. Sumer Singhji at ODA AGM. You can find this app on google playstore/ apple appstore under name DC ALUMNI.

ODA Annual Dinner was held on Saturday, Dec. 10 at Desai Lake, DC Campus. It was a great evening of meeting Old Dalians across years, decades and generations.









ODA President, Sumit Chandhok and Sports Secretary, Ruchir Jodhani Represented ODA at the Tiger Memorial Cricket Match Between Oxbridge XI & Public Schools XI on 5th January 2017 at New Delhi.

ODA ALUMNI CRICKET BASH

The OD lions are on the prowl!!

Mighty talented and energetic ODA cricket team had gone to Gwalior to play the Alumni Cricket Bash from 16th to 18th December.









ODA committee welcomes our new Principal, Mr. Neeraj Kumar Bedhotiya.

THE ROYAL COOKING FESTIVAL



The Royal Cooking Festival was held on Sunday 15th, January 2017. 50 exotic and sumptuous dishes were prepared by fellow Old Dalians.





















Hon. Secretary Jai Jhabua Representing O.D.A. at The Inaugural Meeting of Alumini Heads organised by the Doon School Old Boys' Society in New Delhi on Wednesday 1st February.

ODA MEET MUMBAI

ODA Meet Mumbai get together was held on 11 March, It was an overwhelming response by the Old Dalians.



Much awaited players bidding dinner for Squash Premier League was held on Saturday 25th Feb 2017. ODA squash champs were being chased by team owners to make a team that wins them the championship.

All this happened at Nakshatra, Brilliant Convention Center. The Matches were played at Dc Squash Courts. Champions of SPL3 were Team Roaring Lions









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क्रमांक 03/27/01/19643/17

यह प्रमाणित किया जाता है कि "The Old Dallans" Association",समिति जो Daly College तहसील इन्दौर जिला इन्दौर में स्थित है, मध्य प्रदेश संसायटी रजिस्ट्रीकरण अधिनियम, 1973 (सन् 1973 कर क्रमांक 44) के अधीन 07 अप्रैस 2017 को पंजीयित की गई



दिनांक 07 अप्रैल 2017

It gives the ODA Committee immense pleasure in informing you that "The Old Dalians' Association " is now a Registered Society with the Registrar of Firms and Societies" This gives us the much needed legal identity which we did not enjoy since our inception in 1928. We Congratulate the entire ODA Fraternity for this Milestone.





ODA committee accorded farewell to Ex-Principal Dr. Sumer Singh and thanked him for his guidance and support to ODA. We wish him all the very best for future!!

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MALWA HOUSE



'A House is not a home unless it contains food or fire for the mind as well as the body-Benjamin Franklin.

End of March 2016, our house, our home away from home, once again came alike with the pitter patter of footstep, laughter and constant buzz of the newcomers and the 'old' ones alike. The new boys, teary eved, were taken in warmly, by the old boys and the house staff headed by our HM Ma'am Pritha. The campus of DC is huge. It is therefore customary for us to go for a campus tour and that helps the newcomers to settle down. The month of April was packed with activities, it was almost at every weekend we attended some programme or the other. Our first outing to Nakhrali Dhani was a memorable one. April ended in a flash and soon we were packed to go home for our summer holidays. Post summer holidays saw a few changes, we all shifted to the first floor as the first floorians shifted to the NBH; the ground floor had classes of the pre-primary section and Mrs. Rakhi Chouhan joined us as the Asst. Matron. The school started in full swing with all the activities and games. The foundation for a learner to the learned, an immature kid to a matured individual was laid as we embarked on our journey in Malwa House. As the campus bathed in the monsoon rains, we settled down with our books in earnest. Sayan, Priyanshu, Kisalay, Shashwat, Arsh, Vansh and Aditya Sultania made us proud with their academic performance. All work and no play is definitely not what we believe in. We have Vansh, Manpreet, Sayan, Aditya Parekh, Chandrabhan, Jatin, Ranvir, Aryan Singh, Priyanshu and Shwaya who gave the swimmers from the other houses a tough fight while bagging positions. Manpreet, Hreem, Mehul, Vansh, Raghay, Adhiraj Hada, Raghumanyu, Adhiraj Singh, Aditya Sultania, Dushyant Pratap played football and performed extremely well. In basketball, Mehul, Manpreet, Priyanshu, Vansh, Vivaan showed great promise. Hockey is a game which is dominated by the boarders of Malwa house in level 3. Mehul along with his team members comprising Pratham, Parth, Giriraj, Aditya Parekh, Shlok, Deobrat, Aditya Singh, Yuvraj, Chandrabhan, Kartikey, Dushyant, Priyanshu, Shatrunjay, Samar Rajput and Gouray Singh is often seen setting the ground on fire with their blazing performances. Mehul was declared the Man of the Match twice and Pratham once while Parth was the highest scorer in the 19th Sub Jr. Hockey Tournament held in Pinegrove. Though the cricket field is dominated mostly by the day boarders Mehul, Pratham, Mithilesh, Priyanshu, Dushyant, Kislay have a lot of potential. In the Athletic Meet, Aditya Parekh bagged the first position while Veer Pratap came second in shot put, level 3. Priyanshu and Aryan Gupta came 1st and 3rd respectively in high jump. In the track events Dushyant Pratap and Manpreet were declared 2nd and 3rd respectively in 100m and bagged the 1st and 2nd positions in 200 m. In 150 m, Aditya Sultania stood 3rd. In 300 m Vansh stood 2nd and in 400 m he stood 1st and Sanyam, 2nd.In both 100 m and 400 m relay, the Rajendrians secured the 1st position while Ashok bagged the 2nd place in 100 m relay. In the prestigious Kishangarh Triangular Meet held at Scindia School (Fort) Gwalior, Pratham was adjudged the best Mid Fielder in hockey while Manpreet was the best Defender in football. Mithilesh claimed 3 wickets against Mayo and Priyanshu claimed 1 against Mayo. In literary and co-curricular activities, Shashwat won the 1st position in English Declamation cum Character Enactment competition, Vansh and Akshat were 1st and 2nd respectively.

In Hindi Declamation, 2nd place was bagged by Shashwat and the 3rd place by Priyanshu. Our quizzards Shashwat, Vansh, Arsh, Priyanshu, Mehul, Pratham, Gouray, Akshat, Sanchit, Adhiraj Singh have made us proud with their performances. Priyanshu Banik represented DG in the Eco Quiz and made us all proud. Shashwat, Vansh, Arsh participated in the Lunawada Quiz with lot of confidence. In the Jr. School Day, Shashwat, Ashwin, Veer, Vansh, Tejasvi, Priyanshu, Vindhyaraj, Adhiraj, Yuvraj, Bhavdev showed their talent in the English and Hindi plays. While Mithilesh, Sanyam and Neil in All for Kids, all the boys of class 4 in dance, Nirmaan, Ramnibahe, Adhiraj, Naman, Arimit, Shivansh and Aditya Sultania in music showcased their talent. We have with us a very talented photographer, Ashvin Gupta who won many certificates in the photography competition. Shivansh Saxena bagged the Principal's Medal for Squash. Last but not the least, Madhavendra Purni won the most coveted and prestigious award of the Jr. School, the Beville Prize for the best All Rounder of 2015-16. With this session coming to an end, we look back at the time gone by with fondness. There were ups and downs, happy times and sad times. We all look forward to the new session ahead with a lot of excitement and eagerness.

Mehul Patwari VI A, Akshat Khandelwal VI C and Apoorva Pansari VI E

NEW BOARDING HOUSE



Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement, Nothing can be done without hope and confidence.

On 27th March 2016, the house came alive with 48 new boys, who entered a new environment with energy and enthusiasm. Initially, some were nostalgic and worried about adapting to the atmosphere of a boarding school. Unlike the past few years, this time the new boys had to settle on their own, without the presence of the old boys to help them do so. Nevertheless, the boys took it as a challenge, and soon settled. There was eagerness in the students to see the sprawling campus. So, the first day of the session started with a campus visit and some fun games for the new boys guided by the old ones. The school also organized a cultural programme. Once everybody settled, numerous cultural and sports activities awaited them. Many students participated in various cultural activities such as debates, extempore, quizzes, music, dance, drama and much more.

In the field of academics, laurels were brought to the house by Akshat Agrawal and Nakul Singh Rathore of class IX and also by Suvrat Agarwal and Harshit Choudhary of class VIII as their academic performance was remarkable. In the Creative Fiesta, Suvrat performed in the Annual Prize Giving in the Indian Orchestra playing the tabla. Samarth Bajpai of class VIII stood 1st in the Inter house English Extempore .He also participated in the Bournvita Quiz Contest 2016-17 and stood 2nd, Nakul Singh Rathore stood 2nd in the Inter house western music competition as a pianist and also in the Inter house English extempore. Later, he was also selected for the IPSC Musical Fest held at the Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya, Gwalior and brought laurels to the school as his team stood 1st. He was appreciated by Mr. A.S. Ansari too. The students performed creditably in the field of sports also. Harshit and Sanchit Choudhary of class VIII participated in the U-14 IPSC as well as the SGFI Basketball Tournaments. Sujal Kataria, Kushal Jain, Shivansh Bansal, Kartikay Agrawal and Sahraj Gill participated in the Junior and Sub-Junior Squash Nationals held at DC. Shlok, Parinay and Atharva went for the U-17 IPSC athletics and Suryaveer and Yugal went for the U-14 CBSE athletics competitions. Shlok and Atharva also went for Nationals. Ishan Agrawal of class IX participated in the U-17 IPSC Badminton Tournament. He ,along with Prakhar Seth, also represented the school at a badminton tournament. Devyash Chouhan, Arshdeep Singh, Sahraj and Nakul participated in the MP State Shooting Competition. Sahraj represented the school at the IPSC Shooting Competition. Yashwardhan Rai, Ekansh Holani and Naman Bhansali participated in the U-17 IPSC Cricket Tournament held at MNSS, Rai. The students also took part in various social and adventurous activities. Samarth participated in the Indian Oil Anti-Corruption Awareness Week. He also went to the Round Square Conference held at Mayo College, Ajmer. Akshat Agrawal attended the Round Square Conference at The Doon School, Dehradun and Anurag Ghai participated in the RS Conference at Modi School, Laxmangarh. Kushal Jain, Shreyansh Sharma and Parth Sharma attended the RS Conference held at YPS, Patiala. Prakhar Seth will be going on exchange programme at Woodleigh School, Melbourne in the next

We, the 2016-17 new batch are proud to be the first residents of the New Boarding House Ground Floor. It's a different experience altogether! We would like to express our gratitude to the house attendants, Mr. Ramesh, Mr. Jagdish and Mr. Lokesh and our loving house staff, Mr. Prashant Tripathi (House Master), Mr. Madhup K. Pandey (AHM) and Mr. Khalid Sayeeduddin (AHM) without whose presence and guidance this year would not be as great as it has been.

- Akshat Agrawal IXA and Nakul Singh Rathore IXB.

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"If what you did yesterday still looks big to you, you haven't done much today, dream the impossible and do the incredible ".

The academic session 2016-17 was full of activities which helped us to understand the real learner in us and grow. Everyone contributed enthusiastically towards the betterment of the house. Yashvardhan and Chayan stood out with their wonderful grades in academics.

Kaustubh, Shaurya, Anay, Shivom and Yashvardhan did extremely well in English extempore while Yashvardhan and Shivom did well in Hindi extempore.

In the level 2 hockey Inter house, Safal, Pranay, Ridhiman, Vaiday were part of the Rajendra house team; Rachit and Suvir represented Vikram house and Shantanu and Tej represented Ashok house. Pranay, Tejrao, Ridhiman, Shantanu, Suvir, Atharava and Safal participated in the District Hockey Tournament and the CBSE Cluster Hockey Tournament held at Dholpur (Rajasthan). Shantanu, Tej, Ridhiman, Safal and Atharava represented the school team in the Banera Cup.

In the Annual Athletics Meet, Rachit stood third in the 800 meter race and he was also part of the Vikram house team which won the Athletics Cup. Safal was part of Rajendra house level 2, 4*100 relay team which stood third. Yashvardhan, Manan and Raghavraj went to Gwalior for the CBSE Cluster Athletics Tournament. Ramit and Prabal participated in the IPSC U-14 Basketball Tournament at Valsad (Gujarat) and also the SGFI Basketball Tournament.

Dev, Kartik, Archit, Vaiday, Vansh and Sparsh participated in the Sub-junior Squash (Open Nationals) which was held in DC. Kartik went to Jaipur for the Jaipur Open Squash Tournament. Vaiday and Kartik also participated in the Hamdard Delhi Open Squash Tournament. Vanshraj, Aryaveer and Rachit participated in the U-14 IPSC Cricket Tournament at Pune.

Shivom went to Miles Bronson School, Guwhati for the IPSC Swimming Tournament in which he won a bronze medal. He also secured gold medals in the District Swimming Zonal Tournament and the State Tournament. Then he got selected for Nationals. Aryaveer, Suryaveer, Vashraj, Atharava and Vedansh took part in the football camp held in Madrid (Spain).

We had a lot of fun and frolic in the night outing held at Mandu. We went for sightseeing and visited various monuments and came back with memorable moments.

We thank Mr. Kamal Kumar Soni, our house master, Mr. Sameer Wilson and Mr. Sijo Mathew, our AHMs and our matron, Mrs. Shree Singh for their help, guidance and support.

-Ridhiman Singh VII C, Yashvardhan Khaitan VII D.

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It was a great start with an altogether New Boarding House and with our ever supportive house staff consisting of Waseem Ahmad (House Master), Rakesh Jain (AHM) and Sandeep Yeole (AHM). We came here after our summer break and had no idea how our house was going to be like. With great efforts and support we ended up having a nice journey in this boarding house. The students of our house excelled in many sports, co-curricular activities and academics. J. Saharsh Choudhary represented the school in many MUNs, quizzes, extempore competitions and bagged many awards and made us proud. Advait Lath took part

in extempore, Manan Leela and Arjun Pasari went for an MUN conference to VHS, Chandigarh.

Some of the shooters wooed the spectators with their sterling performances at various shooting competitions. Priyavrut Singh Shivrati bagged 3 medals at MP States, 3 medals at IPSC, 1 medal at SGFI, participated in all India and qualified for Nationals. He was also awarded college colours for shooting. Adityavardhan Shukla got 3 medals in IPSC, 3 medals at MP States and played all India and Nationals Aditya Pratap Singh was also awarded college colours for shooting. Gandharv Gupta bagged one bronze medal in SGFI, 2 gold medals in IPSC, participated in the MP State Shooting Tournament and qualified for the national level shooting competition. Namdev Singh Chauhan bagged 4 gold medals in IPSC, 1 bronze in MP State shooting and also qualified for the national level. Khush Mutha excelled in tennis and got selected for MP States and the under -14 IPSC. Utsav Ranjan played in IPSC U -14 and U-17 basketball as captain and also participated in the ODA tournament as the youngest basketball player. Suryansh Sinha also played in the U-17 basketball team and did very well. He was also the highest scorer in the Inter house Basketball Competition. Yuraj Singh Bundela also did well in the IPSC, SGFI and National level basketball competitions. Shreyansh Jain and Shreyansh Nema played U-14 IPSC and SGFI basketball. Arjun Pasari and J Saharsh Choudhary stood 2nd and 3rd respectively in the Inter house Swimming Competition. Harshit Singh Malhotra, J Saharsh Choudhary and Advait Lath played the Sub Junior Squash National Competition.

Advait Lath and Daksh Bhanot excelled in badminton and played at IPSC and SGFI competitions. Arjun Pasari played U-19 CBSE hockey and got selected for Nationals and also came 2nd in Inter house athletics. Hiraniya Dev played in U-15 IPSC and U-14 CBSE hockey as the vice captain. Dev Dagaria stood 1st and 2nd in chess competitions held at Katni and at Abhivyakti ,Indore respectively. He also played an international Chess tournament at Delhi. Tanush Samaiya, Suryansh Agrawal, Manan Leela and Rudransh Gupta went for IPSC football and also played in the Subroto Cup Football Tournament. Manan and Nilesh Leela got selected for football Nationals. Ishraj Singh Yadav played IPSC cricket and became the Man of the Match. Devvrat Singh got the 1st prize in both shot-put and discuss throw during Inter house athletics competition.

The students also did well in academics. Arjun Pasari and Advait Lath performed well in 9th and 8th CIE and Daksh Bhanot did very well in 8th CBSE.

We thank our house staff for helping us in every way possible making sure we excel in every sphere. We thank our house staff for organizing many Intra house competitions, matches, parties in the house, providing us flavoured milk at night, organizing great outings every month and many more fun filled activities.

-Ishraj Singh Yadav IX CIE, Daksh Bhanot VIII A

HOLKAR HOUSE



The year 2016-17 started with a lot of enthusiasm. The students of Holkar House Second Floor had put their heart and soul to win every Inter house competition. Under the captaincy of Ranveer Singh, Ashok House whitewashed all the houses in the football Interhouse competition with no house being able to score against them. It was a colossal effort by all the students in the hockey Inter house in which all the three boarding houses acquired the first position! Mohit Patwari captained the Ashok house team in the Interhouse Cricket Tournament and helped the house gain a significant position. Archit Asawa, Ayush Choudhary, Ayushman Choudhary, Parth Agrawal, Vasu Agrawal and Sarthakk Sodani received academic prizes for their excellent academic performances. Ruchil Kotkar and Anirudh Yaday represented the school in the prestigious Kasliwal Football Tournament. Ayush Choudhary, Harshwardhan Patwa, Nikuni Singhal and Veerumdev Singh outshone everyone with their mammoth efforts in the IPSC and the National Level Shooting Competitions and won many medals. The Annual Athletics Meet has been a wonderful experience for all the students of HHSF. The efforts by Keshav Agrawal, H. Vanremruata, Ranveer Singh, Ruchil Kotkar, Digant Raja, Sannchay Jain and Manyendra Singh have been praiseworthy, each trying his best to pull his house up the list. The Best Athlete ,Level II was awarded to Ranveer Singh. The year also witnessed an increasing interest in MUNs with Ayushman Choudhary winning the best Delegate, Mohit Patwari winning High Commendation and Chetanya Singh getting a Verbal Mention. Kaustubh Raj Singh and Digant Raja from class VIII played Nationals in hockey and basketball respectively. Raghvendra Singh, Anirudh Yaday, Kartik Vekaria and Ruchil Kotkar participated in the Subroto Cup Football Tournament. The DC Athletics team, along with Keshav Agrawal, H. Vanremruata, Aditya Singh, Manyendra Singh, played the SGFI, CBSE and IPSC tournaments. H. Vanremruata played the Nationals for athletics. Hemant Mundra excelled in skating by winning many medals in the IPSC and State Championships. There was a display of some good debating and quizzing skills by Archit Asawa, Mohit Patwari, Ayushman Choudhary, Parth Agrawal, Aryaman Singh and Ayush Choudhary, Sannchay Jain, Manvendra Singh and Shubh Patni took part in the IPSC Swimming Tournament in The Assam Valley School, Guwahati. Kushagra Jain and Archit Asawa displayed some good sporting skills in table tennis playing the Open State Championship. In the Annual Prize Giving 2016-17, Nikunj Singhal was part of the Hindi play and had put up a very good and appreciable show. The house performed well under the leadership of Nikunj Singhal and Ranveer Singh with their unceasing efforts. We express our sincere thanks to Mr. Avinash Moyde (HM), Mr. Vijay Thatte (AHM) and Mr. Arindam Chattopadhyay, (AHM) for their unconditional love, care, affection and encouragement.

-Ayushman Choudhary IX G

BHARATI HOUSE JUNIOR



Just like a caterpillar emerges from the cocoon gracefully in the form of a butterfly, we, Bharatians decided to reach the skies this academic year. Our guiding angels this year were Anushka Rai and Anushka Goyal- better known as the two As. As Bharatians, we have always believed in achieving and more than that-appreciating others. So to show our compassionate selves,, we did small deeds like celebrating helpers' day in which we honor our house helpers and like every year. We contributed towards the community by zealously celebrating service day with the homeless. Not forgetting our roots, we also showed respect to the elders by celebrating grandparents' day. There were many activities which took place in Jr. Bharati and just to name a few: soft board making , teachers' day celebration, rangoli and card making competition, cooking, night out and hosting Vantage Hall students. Further on, like every year our house report has reached to that extent where all the readers need to take a deep breath because here we have the plethora of achievements. In the swimming and basketball Inter house competitions Bharati house achieved the third position but then we caught up very soon by securing the prestigious first position in the hockey Inter house. In the Football IPSC Tournament held at MCGS, Ajmer; Gaurika, Anaushka, Aditi and Sharanya were the Runners - up of the tournament. In basketball, 8 girls represented DC in the under -14 IPSC which was held at Ashok Hall. They secured the Runners- up position and Dhritika was adjudged the highest scorer of the tournament. Amisha and Arushi secured 1st position in NCC states. Kirti, Diksha, Nikita and Srishti participated in the CBSE West Zone Hockey Championship at Dholpur and secured the first position. The team was also selected for Nationals. In the annual athletic meet, with contributive efforts from all participants Bharati house was declared the winner not only in the marchpast but also in the meet. The Bharatians have not only made DC proud but have also made a mark for themselves in the nation by representing the school at the national level. Sharanya and Gaurika were selected for football nationals, Dhritika, Arushi, Amisha and Shubhra for basketball, Shiwangi for shooting and Kirti for hockey nationals. Hold your breaths longer for we are still left with the cultural part! In Interhouse activities like the English extempore, Naina received the first position and on flipping the coin in the Hindi extempore Lavanya secured the third position. In the Hindi elocution, Bharati house stood third overall. In the English Cambridge style debate Arushi was adjudged the best speaker and overall Bharati house stood third. In the parliamentary style debate Ashmi stood second, College colors were awarded to Dhritika, Prableen, Saachi, Ishita, Arushi, Amisha, Kirti, Anshika, Sharanya ,Gaurika, Tamanna , Shiwangi, Aditi and Sudipti. Awards for academics were given to Tvesha, Ishita, Shubra, Aditi, Ashmi, Bhavika, Dhwani, Diksha, Tamanna and Arushi. Dhwani and Jhanvi participated in the Shanghai international tourism festival representing India in dance. Tamanna participated in the music IPSC competition held at SKV, Gwalior and stood first in the group patriotic cum folk song. In NCC girls' Army wing, Ashmi commanded her way through and Lakshika and Nandini piloted the squad. Ashmi participated in the Choithram MUN held in Indore and was adjudged the best delegate. She also got a verbal mention in the DCYP. Sia participated in the YPS MUN held at Patiala in which Sia got the verbal mention. Kavya and Charvie participated in the RS leadership programme held at the Doon school. Privanshi and Divyanshi attended the Round Square Conference at YPS while Ishita went for the same at SKV. Ashmi received a silver medal in the IEO. In the graduation ceremony, 20 band girls trumpeted their way through and 7 singers mesmerized the audience with their melodies. With all these wondrous achievements much in place, we didn't forget to thank Goddess Saraswati and celebrated Basant Panchmi- for an enriching past and hoping for an excellent future. So keeping our heads low and spirits high, we are hoping for yet another successful term ahead because just when the caterpillar thought the world was over, it became a butterfly.

-Written By: IX Batch 2016-17

INDIRA HOUSE JUNIOR



Dependent people need others to get what they want. Independent people can get what they want through their own efforts. With this thought our adventurous and successful journey began. Antara Pande came first and Divyanshi S. Solanki came second in the Interhouse Hindi elocution competition and brought Indira House at the first position. Aira won the Consolation Prize in the Inter-house English Elocution and spoke very well. In the Inter house Hindi declamation, Himanshi Assudani won the consolation prize. Our house came first in the English Declamation Competition with great performances by Khwaish Goel and Deeva Bidasaria who won consolation prizes. Indira house also came first in the Inter-house quiz competition.

Vradhi Somani, Twisha Jain and Saumya Rajpal represented Daly College in the football IPSC hosted by Assam Valley School and the team secured the third position. Saumya and Twisha were part of the team that won a gold medal in IPSC Football at Belgam. Saumya Rajpal and Twisha Jain played nationals at Sagar too. Our star chess player, Deeva Bidasaria came second in the Abhivyakti Chess Championship. She came first in the Rapid Chess Tournament for which she won a cash prize and came 3rd in the Open Chess Tournament. Aira Bhatnagar was declared the highest scorer in the Inter house Basketball Tournament.

In the Annual Athletic Meet, Aira Bhatnagar stood third in the 150m, Yashaswini Singh second and Khwaish Goel third in the 50m Race. Indira house won a gold in the 4 x 100m relay. Khwaish Goel stood first in broad jump too. Siya Shahra stood 1st in the 300m and 2nd in the 200m races. Geetika Lath secured the 2nd position in shot put and the third position in high jump. Saumya Rajpal was declared the best athlete in level III for two years consecutively. She bagged gold medals in the 200m and 100m races. Saadgi Garg earned the first position in the Premlata Bai Squash Tournament in the U-11 category. She also participated in the CCI Squash Tournament (Mumbai). How flexible you are was proved by Niyati Surana in gymnastics, where she won a silver and a bronze medal in gymnastics. Siya Shahra stood 1st in the Road Race and in Rink-II. She participated in Nationals in the U-11 category.

Antara Pande secured the 1st position in medley relay and free style in the Annual Aquatic Meet. She also secured the 3rd position in 100m breaststroke in the Indore Open District Swimming Championship. She represented the school in the IPSC Girls' Swimming Competition. Siya Shahra stood third in 100 m freestyle, 50m back stroke, 200m IM and 50m freestyle in the State Swimming Competition. In $4 \times 50m$ free style, she stood first.

Tarini Kohli earned 6 gold, 1 bronze and an individual championship trophy in the 45th M.P. State Swimming Competition. She earned 4 gold and 1 silver and an Individual Championship trophy for second year consecutively in the 45th Indore District Swimming Competition. 4 gold, 1 silver medal was earned by Tarini in the Annual Aquatic Meet. She was declared the best swimmer level III in the

Annual Aquatic Meet. Tarini Kohli qualified for the 4th MP State Ranking Tennis Tournament at Jabalpur also.

Patience, persistence and perspiration make an unbeatable combination for success so judge your success by what you had to give up to get it.

-Divyanshi Singh Solanki VI A and Khwaish Goel VI A



CLASS V

AHILYA HOUSE JUNIOR



Success is not a marathon, it is a sprint and the sprint of Ahilya house begins here....

Yashesvi Verma was adjudged the Best Swimmer level III Girls in the Annual Aquatic Meet held in April, 2016. She stood first in 100 m backstroke and 50m butterfly and second in 100m breast stroke. Yashesvi also won three individual medals in the State Swimming Championships held at Jabalpur in June, 2016. She was awarded college colours for her excellent performance in swimming. Nandika Badjatya won a silver medal in 100m breast stroke and 50m freestyle and a bronze in 100m freestyle while Sahana Jain won a gold in the 50m freestyle in the Aquatic Meet. Sahana also won a medal in 50m backstroke. Alia Ali, Nandika Badjatya and Keya Chandani won bronze medals in the 4 X 50m relay in the Shri Basantilal Sethia Memorial Swimming Championship for non-medalists at Shishukunj. Lavanya Mishra and Samia Parish Qureshi were selected for the IPSC Basketball (U-14 girls) Tournament held at Ashok Hall Girls' Residential School, Ranikhet. They won the First Runners -up Trophy. Our star shuttler, Keya Chandani did the house proud by participating in the Open Indore District Sub Junior Ranking Badminton Tournament held at Raja Ram Mohan Roy Badminton Academy in May, 2016. She reached the semi-finals in the same competition held in December, 2016. She was Runners-up in the Captain Bargal Memorial Badminton Championship in the U-11 category. Vasudha Chaturvedi participated in the IPSC Badminton Tournament at BK Birla School. She and Keya Chandani also participated in the Inter school Badminton Competition held at Nehru Stadium, Indore. Rudrapriya Ranawat was part of the IPSC U-14 football team. The IPSC Tournament was held at Assam Valley School, Assam and the team secured the third position. She was selected to play the Nationals at Sagar. Sahana Jain participated in the District Gymnastics Competition and qualified for states. Alia Ali won a silver and a bronze medal and Umika Mehta bagged two silver medals in the State Gymnastics Competition at Ujjain.

In the IPSC Skating Competition held at Gotan, Rajasthan, Anaaya Jaiswal won one silver and two gold medals. Zainab Barwaniwala won a silver and a bronze medal. In the M.P State Tennis Tournament held at the Emeralds Heights School, she won a gold medal and was selected for Nationals held in Mysore. She was part of the school IPSC U-14 Tennis team. Well done Zainab!

Our house came first in Inter-house basketball with Lavanya Mishra and Samia Parish Qureshi being the top scorers. In the Annual Athletic Meet, Samia Parish Qureshi won a gold medal in shot put and a bronze in broad jump. Yashesvi Verma bagged a gold in high jump and a

bronze in the100m race. Lavanya Mishra won a gold in the 150m race. Alia Ali won a silver medal in the 300m race. Alia Ali did the house proud by securing a top score of 100 in the online second level French Olympiad. Well done Alia! Lavanya Mishra and Radha Dua won consolation prizes in the Inter house Hindi elocution. Yashesvi Verma won the consolation prize in the Inter house Hindi declamation while Sahana won the consolation prize in the Inter house English declamation. Zainab Barwaniwala won the second prize in the Inter house English elocution. We believe that the true sigh of intelligence is not knowledge but imagination.

CLASS V

Radha Dua VI D & Sahana Jain VI A

JAWAHAR HOUSE JUNIOR



"Where there is unity there is always victory" By Pubilius Syrus.

We, the Jawahar house started our year with this thought and remembered it till the end. We have always believed in this thought as it has always proved right. Our house has two house captains and one sports-captain. Aaryan Garg and Prithvi Sudeep of class VI E are the house captains and I, Advaya Goel of class VI A am the sports captain. We all always strove to put in our hundred percent in all house activities ranging from declamations to elocutions to sports and quiz. In sports, we played very well this year and have got positions which made our house masters proud. Our house did exceedingly well in quizzes, elocutions and declamations too. Prithvi Sudeep, Advaya Goel, Tanmay Gupta, Kush Verma, Zuhair Chandurwala, Atharva Agrawal, Suryapratap Daur and Aaryan Garg are some of the students who have performed creditably. Advaya Goel brought laurels to his house as he performed outstandingly well in academics, sports and other curricular activities. He is the school topper in the Math Olympiad and has scored a commendable 54 marks out of 60. In sports, he was one of the best performers in the Annual Sports Meet held at school. He represented the school in the IPSC National Tennis Tournament. He has been selected as the cricket captain for the school team to participate in the Kishagarh Triangular series at Gwalior. Advaya won prizes in the co-curricular activities like the Mosaic Art, English essay writing, etc. Prithvi Sudeep made the house proud by achieving the International Rank III in the International Sports Knowledge Olympiad, 2016 (ISKO). He has scored full marks and will be awarded with a cash prize of Rs. 10000/-, a medal, a memento and a certificate in a ceremony to be held in Delhi. He is the only student in the entire class VI who has qualified for the second level in all the Olympiads like UCO, NCO, IMO, etc. In sports, he cleared the selection trial of gymnastics and represented the school gymnastics team for the Nationals at Sonipat and won a bronze medal. He won prizes in the co-curricular activities like the English Story telling competition, Winter Blooms, etc. The following children are selected for the second level of French Olympiad and have got positions- 1st -Oho Mangal, 2nd- Rudransh Singh, 3rd- Rajveer Singh, Amitesh Wadhwani, Tanmay Gupta and Advaya Goel. Recently, we also went on an educational excursion to Mandu. We had a lot of fun dancing, watching and performing skits, singing and playing. We saw Jahaj Mahal, Baz Bahadur Palace, Rani Rupmati's Palace, Mandu Fort and a few more places. The Mandu trip was organized wonderfully. Our teacher escorts didn't let us get bored. We will cherish these memories forever. Our house would like to thank our Head Mistress, Mrs. Rashmi Ahuja, Mr. Lokendra Dwivedi, our Assistant House Master and our House Master and Head of Science Department, Mr. Kanchan who has supported us all the way and also all the other teachers of the Junior School.

We would like to thank the support staff at the Junior School for keeping the premises so beautiful and clean as it always is and we hope it still stays the same.



All the best to Junior School. Good Bye!

"Success is the result of perfection, hard work, learning from failure, loyalty, and persistence". by Colin Powell.

Advaya Goel VI A & Prithvi Sudeep VI E

TAGORE HOUSE JUNIOR



"Success is the result of perfection, hard work, learning from failure, loyalty and persistence"

We all followed this motivational excerpt. This year we are proud of our skating champion Aaryn Anand - VI A. He is currently No.1 in the state and 7th nationally. In the IPSC- U14 he has won two silvers and one bronze. He has won 3 gold medals in RSFI Nationals and IPSC Nationals each. Aaryn has also shared the title of 'Best Swimmer' Level III with Devansh Chordia.

Devansh has also won medals in the State Swimming Championship. In other sports house activities our house has broken records in swimming, we also stood third in Cricket and Football. In the Inter house Hindi Declamation our house stood first as Pragun Gupta stood first and Mayon Patel stood third. In the Inter house Hindi Elocution also Pragun stood first and the house was declared third with Anshuman Nilosey winning a consolation prize. Apart from this, Pragun stood first in the Inter School English Declamation cum Character Enactment where he represented the school. Pragun was also declared the 'Best Speaker of Hindi'. Aaryn and Pragun were 1st and 2nd in Incredible India competition also. Pragun proved himself again by winning medals in various olympiads. Pragun also stood second in the Best out of Waste competition and won a consolation in Mosaic Art. Our cricket players- Aditya Beesani, Arya Bhatia, Krishneshwar Singh, Ayan Maheshwari, and Rishabh Bokaria are practicing hard and will go for the Kishangarh Shield. Some of them have also played U-14 matches. In the first Inter House G.K Quiz we stood third. In the Eco Achievers Quiz Prithvi Gada of class 5 stood first with the rest of the team and they are now going for Nationals. Abhinandan Bum and Devansh Chordia also participated and were second. Our house scholars received merit certificates and Accolades namely: Abhinandan Bum, Guryash Singh Chabbra and Pragun Gupta. This year our squash players played the Junior Nationals; they were Rudrapratap Singh and Pragun Gupta.

Manthan Goyal was a finalist in the Prem Lata Bai Squash tournament. Our young chess players Sahil Dadwani and Ishaan Sureka played the Rating Chess

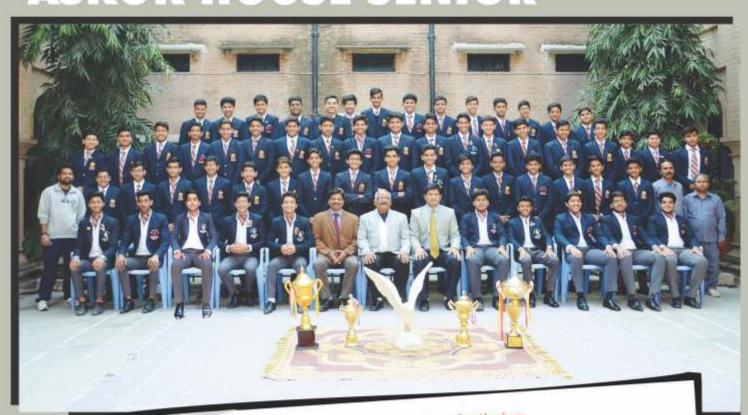
Tournament in Udaipur and D.C came third. Ishaan has also played the U-11 CBSE. Sahil has also represented the state for Chess Nationals.

I thank our house masters, Mr. PK Pal and Mr. Sumant Agrawal for their moral support and for always being with us. This year was a blast and we enjoyed and learned a lot.

Pragun Gupta VI E



OUSE SENIOR



They say success consists of going from failure to failure without any loss of enthusiasm.

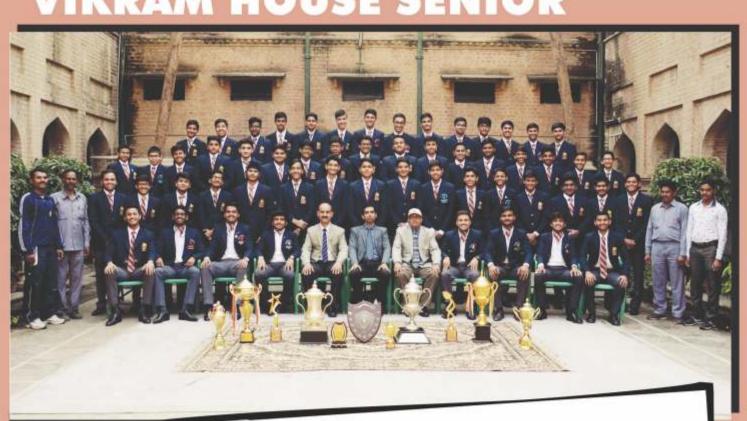
The year began with the following Ashokians being appointed as school prefects and captains; Krishna Tayal (House Captain), Varun Shivhare (House Prefect), Madhvendra Singh Chauhan (Shooting Captain), Nikhil Mehta (Shooting Vice Captain), Aaryman Simhal (Cultural Prefect), Jatin Poddar (Sports Prefect and Squash Captain), Amitabh Charupa (Sports Prefect) and Anirudh Singh Baghel (Football Vice Captain). Starting with the Inter house Music Competition, the Ashokinas did a fantastic job by securing the second position in Hindi genre and third in English genre. As the clock ticked and the hours went by, we Ashokians geared up for the upcoming dramatics competition. With all our dedication and hard work, Ashok house secured the first place in the Hindi category with Madhvendra Singh claiming the best actor's award for his brilliant performance. We got verbal mentions from the vice principal for our heart touching English play but sadly couldn't secure a position. Soon after we finished proving our acting and music skills, it was time for the debaters of our house to flaunt their debating skills. With Pradyuman representing the school at the Hindi debate in Scindia, we had Amitabh Charupa and Abbas Khan who were going to compete with the fellow debaters of our school. Now coming to the category all Ashokians are known for: Sports. The footballers of Ashok House truly mesmerized all of us by securing the first place . Brilliant performances were shown by Harshwaradhan Gautam, Rohit Sumra and Anirudh Singh Baghel. Rohit and Anirudh were selected for Nationals held in Jammu, whereas the footballers also went to Pune for the under-19 IPSC Tournament. The Inter house hockey was no less with Ashokians securing the second place with humungous support from Manuraj Jhalani, Jayraj Khanna and Varun Shivhare. The Ashokians grabbed the basket ball trophy by securing the second position

As we took over the fields, we were no less in the blue waters with Jatin Poddar and Samyak Sanghvi securing individual ranks. The with tremendous support from Rahul Bhati, Srajay Singh and Anirudh Malpani. Inter house swimming competition was truly a battle of the sharks at DC with Ashok House giving a hard time to its rivals. Coming to shooting, the Ashokians have never been defeated so far and so, this winning streak continued with breath taking performances by Madhvendra Singh and Nikhil Mehta These students guided talented marksmen like Brajraj, Nitesh Bhati, Vikram Aditya Singh, Pradyut Singh, Madhvendra Singh and Amitabh Charupa and led them to Shooting Nationals which were hosted in Hyderabad. Taking of cricket, Geetansh Rathore and Nishant Shivhare were chosen for the IPSC U-19 cricket team. Under the captaincy of Jayraj Khanna, the Ashokians performed really well securing the second place in the Inter house with Anuj Palod picking up many wickets and Samyak Sanghvi scoring half a century! Talking about the most awaited event of the year, the Annual Athletics Meet, the Ashokians have always turned out to be superior and continued with their astonishing performance even in the absence of their top athletes. The Ashokians turned out to be the peoples' champions in march-past but unfortunately, got the Runners- up trophy in both march past as well as the Athletic Meet. Ranveer Singh Rathore claimed the trophy for the best athlete in level 2. The Ashokians performed astonishingly well throughout the year in academics with Mayank Singh securing 10 CGPA. Everyone's performance was commendable and with this, the year came to a satisfactory end. We would like to truly thank our house master, Mr. Aseem Saxena, Assistant House Masters Mr. Siddharth Tewari and Mr. Yogendra Deshpande for all their support, help and guidance!

Keep the eagles flying high!!!!!!!

Abbas Khan XI CIE, Ayan Maurya XI E

HOUSE SENIOR



*Never let a single day pass without doing something you can be proud of."

The academic year 2016-17 kicked off with the new 10th coming in and the outgoing batch, class 12 welcoming them gracefully and bidding adios at the same. The graduating batch gave us, the Vikramites just one responsibility, to continue and pass on the legacy.

And as it is said that if you want to accomplish something you need your leaders and we got them in the form of Vishesh Kataria as the House Captain and Abhikaran Deo Agrawal as the House Prefect. Shantanu Singh Baghel was also a part of the Prefectural Board as the SSL (Social Service League) Prefect. The other post holders from the house were the Captains and Vice-captains of several different sports. They were: Vishesh Kataria (Captain, Basketball), Parinav Puthran (Captain, Athletics), Parvraj Patni (Vice-captain, Athletics) and Piyush Singh Bundela (Vice-captain , Hockey).

"Minds are like parachutes; they only function when open."

And with open minds many Vikramites strove for excellence in the final academic results in their previous class. Mithun Sheregar of class 10th CIE topped in class 9th, Vedant Jain also of class 10th secured 9.7 CGPA in class 9th. Aditya Agrawal and Yashodhan Nighoskar both of class 11th got 10 CGPA in class 10th and Katikey Katare of class 11th got 9.6 CGPA in class 10th. Abhikaran Deo Agrawal of class 12th of the Humanities stream also performed very well in class 11th. All these students deservingly got college colors for academics. Also Dev Singhvi of class 10th got a merit certificate for academics. Apart from studies, students from the house secured ranks in the National Olympiads. They were Vedant Jain, Priyam Raj and Somkeerti Vardhan Singh Deo.

And the sports persons from the house were always ready to finish the game. Vishwas Sethi of swimming, Yuvraj Singh of shooting, Parinav Puthran of athletics and Satyavrat Gupta, Shanatanu Singh, Piyush Singh Bundela and Deepak Chouhan of hockey got college colors for their particular sports. Also Shreyas Palod of badminton, Priyam Raj and Nirdwand Singh of football. Dev Singhvi, Kartikey Katare, Divyansh Sinha, Saggar Chahurwani and Vishesh Kataria of basketball and Pratham Pincha, Udit Vikram Singh and Parvraj Patni of athletics were awarded merit certificates for their performance in sports. Also, Vishesh Kataria was awarded the Vishal Kapoor

The Daly College hockey team won the 2nd prize in the CBSE competition and also got selected for the nationals. The participants from the house were Yuvraj Singh, GaurangPratap Singh, Satyavrat Gupta, Piyush Singh Bundela, Shantanu Singh and Deepak Chouhan. In the IPSC Shooting Competition, Sambandh Triloki and Yuvraj Singh were awarded one silver medal each, and in the M. P. State Shooting Competition, SambandhTriloki won a gold medal.,Yuvraj Singh got one gold, one silver and one bronze, UtkarshNandwani got a bronze and Harsh Gupta also qualified and participated in it but couldn't win any medal. Yuvraj Singh and Utkarsh Nandwani also qualified for the shooting Nationals. Udit Vikram Singh who is a shotput thrower was adjudged 3rd and 4th in the SGFI and the CBSE athletics respectively and Parinav Puthran won medals in both the IPSC and the CBSE athletics in which Rahul Nakra, Aditya Pratap Singh, Vedansh Singh Baghel and Pratham Pincha also participated. Apart from these, the students selected for Nationals were Dev Singhvi for basketball and Shreyas Palod for badminton and the ones selected for the M. P. State

Championship are Vishwas Sethi for swimming and Nirdwand Singh and Priyam Raj for football. In the Inter house sports competitions also Vikram house performed very well. To talk in particular, the house stood first in athletics,

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basketball and hockey Inter house, second in the cricket Inter house, third in the swimming Inter house and also performed well in the football Inter house. There were some players who were the highlights and they performed very well for the house. They were namely, Parinav Puthran, Parvraj Patni, Vishesh Kataria, Praham Pincha and Gaurang Pratap Singh in the Athletic Meet, Vishesh Kataria, Abhikaran Deo Agrawal, Divyansh Sinha, Kartikey Katare and Dev Singhvi in basketball Inter house, Meet, Vishesh Kataria, Abhikaran Deo Agrawal, Divyansh Sinha, Kartikey Katare and Dev Singhvi in basketball Inter house, Parvraj Patni, Pranjal Deepak Chouhan, Piyush Singh Bundela, Satyavrat Gupta and Shantanu Singh Deo in cricket Inter house and Vishwas Sethi, Pathak, Yashodhan Nighoskar, Sahaj Singh Anand and Somkeerti Vardhan Singh Deo in cricket Inter house and Vishwas Sethi,

The Vikramites were nowhere behind on the cultural front, Kartikey Singh Rajawat, Abhikaran Deo Agrawal and Ajay Lulla were awarded college colors for dramatics, western music and fine arts respectively. Shantanu Singh Baghel got the 2nd prize in IPSC awarded college prize for dramatics, western music and fine arts respectively. Shantanu Singh Baghel got the 2nd prize in IPSC awarded college prize for dramatics, western music and fine arts respectively. Shantanu Singh Baghel got the 2nd prize in IPSC awarded for community service. Pranjal Pathak got the for pottery, the college prize for pottery and sculpture and the Principal's medal for community service. Pranjal Pathak got the for pottery, the college prize for woodwork. Ajay Lulla secured the second position in the IPSC Visual Arts Competition.

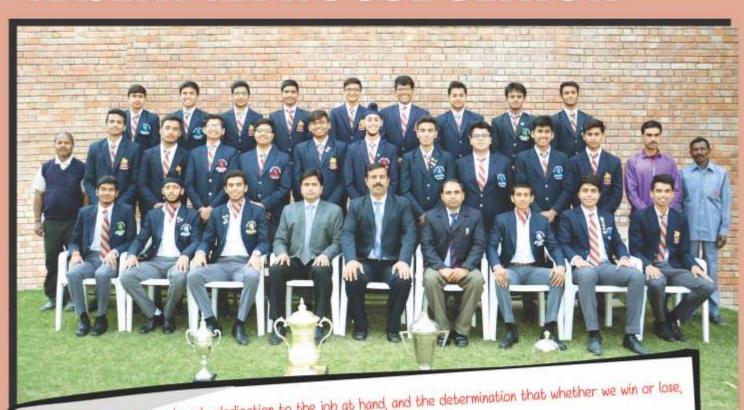
a silver badge for literary activities and Aditya Agrawal won the Intra school Maihar Hindi Essay Writing Competition.

In the cultural Inter house competitions also, the Green Glory was maintained. In the Inter house western music competition we stood 2nd overall with Yaduraj Rathi coming first in western solo, Nakul Singh Rathore coming 2nd in instrumental solo, 3rd in orchestra whose main artists were Shantanu Singh, Vishesh Kataria, Abhikaran Deo Agrawal and Parinav Puthran and also performed well in the western group song. The Vikramites also performed well in the Inter house Indian music. Then it were the performed well in the western group song. The Vikramites also performed well in the English and Hindi dramatics skillful actors from the house who took us by surprise as the house was adjudged 1st and 2nd in the English and Hindi dramatics was the second best performer in Hindi dramatics and Vishesh Kataria was the second best performer in respectively. Parvraj Patni was the best performer in Hindi dramatics and Vishesh Kataria was the second best performer in English dramatics. In the literary competitions, Vikram House got the first position in the English parliamentary style debate english dramatics. In the literary competitions, vikram House got the first position in the English parliamentary and Vedant Jain being awarded the first and third best performer prize respectively. Manas Singh with Parinav Puthran and Vedant Jain being awarded the first and third best performer prize respectively. Manas Singh with Parinav Puthran and Vedant Jain being awarded the first and third best performer prize respectively. Manas Singh with Parinav Puthran and Vedant Jain being awarded the first and third best performer prize respectively. Manas Singh with Parinav Puthran and Vedant Jain came first and third in the Hindi Extempore Competition while Vedant Jain came 2nd in the English Raghuvanshi and Ajay Lulla came first and third in the Hindi Extempore Competition while Vedant Jain came 2nd in the English Raghuvansh

the year.
"Success is not final, failure is not fatal:
it is the courage to continue that counts."
-Winston Churchill



RAJENDRA HOUSE SENIOR



The price of success is hard work, dedication to the job at hand, and the determination that whether we win or lose, we have applied the best of ourselves to the task at hand." -Vince Lombardi

With this thought in mind, the new academic year started with a bang - the appointment of Arjun Singh as the Head Boy, Suryabhan Singh and Gurveer Chaggar as the House Captain and Prefect respectively. Arjun Singh was also given the captaincy of the tennis team and Suryabhan Singh led the hockey team. The academic result this year was appreciable with Arjun Singh topping the PCM stream. Mehul Jaju, Vishesh Bohra, Aditya Mundhra, Rajbeer Singh and Riddharth Jain also proved themselves by getting college colours for their excellent performance in academics. Even after being shifted from our own house, our own castle, to Holkar House, the students were filled with immense house spirit and determination. The house performed really well in the football, hockey and basketball Inter houses. Suryabhan, Arjun, Aditya Bundela, Rajbeer, Aditya Mundhra, Uday and Riddharth played very well and helped the house secure good positions. Mehul, Samarth and Arjun performed brilliantly in the aquatics Inter house. The house also had sportsmen who represented the school in various competitions and continued to impress others. Suryabhan, Devansh, Vishesh Bohra, Yashowardhan and Samarth were part of the college's athletics team. Hrishiraj Singh went for MP State and Nationals and SGF1 Nationals. He showcased amazing skills and secured a silver in the IPSC in the Air Rifle category. In the U-17 CBSE Volleyball Tournament held in Jabalpur, Keshay, Sumeet and Atishay represented the school. Aditya Mundhra and Rajbeer Singh went for the U-19 IPSC to represent the besketball team. Suryabhan and Aditya B, went for the CBSE Hockey Tournament at Dholpur and both were selected for Nationals. Mayank Agarwal also was part of the cricket team. The Kasliwal Football Tournament had four Rajendrians: Riddharth, Science of Stationals, Playant ogal war also was part of the Creeker teach. The Rashwar comban fourbathern flag four Rajendrians. Rodnardt. Shashank, Arjun and Suryabhan in the A and B teams. Furthermore, Suryabhan Singh was adjudged the Best Defender of the tournament. Moving on to cultural activities, the house did its very best in both English and Hindi Dramatics along with Indian and Western Music Inter house with Jai Bharti securing the fourth rank in instrumental solo. Our debate team did a good job with Arjun Singh winning the Best Speaker in the English Cambridge Style Debate and also in the English Extempore Speech Competition. Deshank Agrawal sealed the third spot in Hindi Extempore. Hrishiraj Singh and Aditya Mundhra propelled the house to the 2nd position in the Lunawada Quiz. Samarth Muley represented the school in the IPSC Dramatics Fest held at Gwalior, showcasing his acting skills and stood first in Mime. It was a proud moment when the house did extremely well in the Annual Athletics Meet. Arjun stood first in 1500 meters and gained valuable points for the house. Rajbeer Singh secured the first position in high jump and Aditya Mundhra came first in the 110 meters hurdles. Keshav, Vishesh and Jai also contributed greatly to add to the point tally. The proudest moment for the house was when we won the March Past Cup and regained the glory after 2 years. The hardwork of the students and staff paid off. The students were also active in the field of MUN and RS. Arjun Singh headed the Youth Parliament as the Chairperson of the Lok Sabha Committee. Riddharth went to the VHSMUN and then to the CMUN while Vishesh. Aditya M. and Rajbeer attended the SCIMUN. Mehul and Keshav were part of the RS conference at Bangalore. Suryabhan, Deshank and Samarth did a great job in working for the

the SCIMUN. Mehul and Keshav were part of the RS conference at Bangarore. So betterment of the girl child in the DC-DMU Washroom Project. Aditya Mundhra went to St.Philip's College, Australia and Yashowardhan Kothari went to Germany through RS and AFS respectively on exchange programs. Arjun Singh was a part of the annual DC-Ermitage Eye Camp which helped over 8000 people this year. These services and programs helped the students a lot in shaping up their personalities.

Overall, this year had its own success and failures. But each and every one of us hopes to do better in the upcoming years. We are truly thankful to our house Master, Mr. Rakesh Nagpal and Assistant House Master Mr. Chetan Sharma for their constant support and guidance without whom none of these achievements would have been possible. With heavy hearts we bid good-byes to the graduating batch and wish them success in their life after school.



JENDRA HOUSE MIDDLE



Everyone has the talent and the potential. Just the difference is that how we use it." Another year passed by entailing multitude of achievement and accolades. Our journey started with some surprises. Rajendra house was split and class 9 and 10 came together. With a lot of enthusiasm and speculations, we commenced the new term looking forward to what the future had for us. We set some milestones in the beginning. From academics to sports to co-curricular activities, we transcended the limits of our abilities. The Rajendrians brought laurels to the house in the field of academics. Swaraj Gupta, Khush Bhachawat, Sarvesh Goyal and Kratik Agrawal of class 9 received 'badges of excellence.' From class 10, Devyansh Shukla also performed well and bagged the badge of excellence too. It is further commendable that Khush Bhachawat topped the batch in class 9. The co-curricular activities took off with the participation of Khush Bhachawat, Swaraj Gupta, Paranjai Singh, Ajay Verma and Ajit Solanki in various debates. Swaraj Gupta was adjudged the 3rd and 2nd best speaker in round 1 and round 2 of the Hindi debate competition respectively. Ajit Solanki also stood 3rd in the second round of the Hindi debate. We would like to congratulate Khush Bhachawat and Ajay Verma for their exceptional performances in English and Hindi extempore competitions who bagged 1st and 3rd position respectively. Our budding quizzers namely, Mahiman Tiwari, Paranjai Singh, Khush Bhachawat and Swaraj Gupta also brought laurels to the house. Khush Bhachawat and Mahiman Tiwari participated in the Lunawada quiz and helped the house to win the 2nd position. We would also like to appreciate Swaraj and Khush who participated in inter house music and English dramatics respectively. Several students of the floor took part in Round Square and MUN conferences. Manan Lath of class 10 participated in the RS service project to Rudra Prayag. Swaraj Gupta, Ritesh Jajodia and Kushagra Kesarwani of class 9 took part in service projects at YPS Patiala, Modi School, Lakshmangarh and the VHS, Chandigarh. Khush Bhachawat participated in the Mayo College Girls' School MUN held at Ajmer and in the DC Youth Parliament. At the school level, Yash Pahariya of class 10 and Sarvesh Goyal of class 9 came 2nd in IMO and Khush Bhachawat stood 2nd in NSO. Ankit Sastiya received college prize for bamboo craft. Manan Lath also got a badge for his excellent IT skills. Sports brought to light our sporting talent. Ajit Sloanki was declared as the highest goal scorer in the hockey Inter house, scoring 17 goals in just 4 matches. In the Athletic Meet, Khush Bhachawat came 2nd in 800 m race. It was to everyone's joy to see Lavish Choudhary of class 10 crossing the finishing line and coming 1st in 3000 m race. Yash Pahariya, Saumya Agrawal, Sarthak Thole, Ankit Sastiya, Yashveer Singh Chandel and Arya Saraogi also proved their worth in various Inter houses. We also participated in various IPSC and national tournaments. Arya Saraogi, Ajit Solanki, Udhav Hari Agarwal and Vaibhav Gupta represented DC in the IPSC Basketball Tournament. Ajit Solanki and Yashveer Singh took part in the CBSE Athletics Competition. PVN Siddhartha of class 10th went for the IPSC Cricket Tournament. Prathamaditya Singh Dodia brought glory to the school by participating in the IPSC Squash Tournament and winning a silver medal. Hockey discovered true and lustrous gems: Sarthak Thole, Yash Pahariya, Ankit Sastiya, Lavish Choudhary and Ajay Verma. They all went for CBSE tournaments from where they were selected for Nationals. Yash Pahariya,

Ankit Sastiya and Lavish Choudhary also went to play the State Level Hockey Championship and were the 2nd Runners-up. Prathamaditya Singh, Prashast Agrawal, Khush Bhachawat, Lakshraj Singh, Kushagra Kesarwani and Sarvesh Goyal participated in squash Nationals held at DC. Prathamaditya Singh and Khush Bhachawat reached the 3rd round in the same. We would also like to congratulate Prathamaditya Singh and Khush Bhachawat again for their excellent performances in the Premlatabai Squash Championship, Prathamaditya made it to the finals and Khush Bhachawat reached the semi finals. Our shooters also brought laurels to the house with Paranjai Singh playing the All India Nationals. Yashwardhan Singh Saktawat, Yashwardhan Singh Jodha and Paranjai Singh participated in the States Shooting Championship and performed well. Prathamaditya and Paranjai received college colours for their excellent performances in squash and shooting respectively. Yashwardhan Singh Saktawat received a merit certificate for his dedicated efforts in shooting. The house also boasts of its emerging leadership in the students, Lavish Choudhary, Harshwardhan

We would like to express our sincere gratitude towards our House Master Mr. Indrajeet Hora and Asst. House Master Mr. RK Ojha for Singh Gurjar, Monish Manglani, Yash Pahariya, Vaibhav Gupta, Ankit Sastiya and Dev Agarwal. their unstituted support and guidance. Because of their wise words and pieces of timely advice, we all stand at the end of the term with more confidence and readiness. We really owe a lot to them.

Harshwardhan Singh Gurjar X C, Khush Bhachawat IX D

AHAR HOUSE SENIOR



The way you manage when you have nothing, and the way you behave when you have everything." The year 2016-17 proved to be a fruitful one for Jawahar house. This year Rakshit Assudani and Abhishek Wadhwani were appointed the house captain and the house prefect respectively. To add to the prestige of the house, Ankit Attri was nominated as the deputy head boy. Tejas Gandhi took oath as the club prefect and Raghay Chandhok as the guest prefect. Tanmay Khandelwal was given the post of academic prefect. It was a fantastic start for the year as we performed in sports events like badminton, hockey and cricket. Then commenced the cultural events. Ankit Attri of grade 12 was awarded the best speaker in the Inter house English Parliamentary Style Debate, the house bagged the 3rd position. In the level 1 Hindi debate competition, Ankit Attri bagged the best interjector prize and in Hindi elocution, Jawahar house stood 3rd. In level 2 elocution, Amol Chitale and Chirag Salvan both were placed first! If these many achievements were not enough, Devraj Sood stood second in level 1 Hindi extempore and Ishan Jain was adjudged the overall best speaker. Talking about mesmerising music performances, in the Inter house western music competition, Cammon Everett and Abhishek Wadhwani of grade 12 received accolades in western vocal, instrumental solo and instrumental group. Jawahar house was proudly announced as the overall winner of the event. Rakshit Assudani was adjudged the 2nd best actor in Hindi dramatics and the house stood 3rd. In Indian music once again, Abhishek Wadhwani stood 2nd in Indian instrumental solo and Amol Chitale of grade 9 stood 2nd in light classical. After performing par excellently in school events, our students were victorious at events outside too. Abhishek Wadhwani, Abeer Chawla, Amol Chitale and Cammond Everett returned victoriously from the IPSC Music Fest held at Gwalior. Ishan Jain was adjudged the best speaker at the IPSC

Kamla Jeevan Hindi Debate held at The Doon School, Mrigank Shekhar won the best speaker at The Oliphant Memorial Debate at Welham boys. To add to the glory of the house, this year our students performed remarkably at MUN conferences where Ankit Attri and Ishan Jain were the best delegates at CIMUN. Kushal Kothari and Mrigank Shekhar were given special mentions. Kushal Kothari was also a member of the RS Committee. Mrigank Shekhar, Ankit Attri, Ishan Jain and Amol Chitlae were also awarded college colours.

Heartiest congratulations to the academic achievers of our house! From the outgoing batch of 2015, Chitarth Dixit and Jatin Barodia



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topped in their steams. From grade 10, Abeer Chawla, Amur Khandelwal, Toshith Pawar and Rajveer Singh secured 10 CGPA. Tanmay Khandelwal topped in 11 CIE group and Aishwarya Joshi topped in Physics and Chemistry in grade 10 CIE exams.

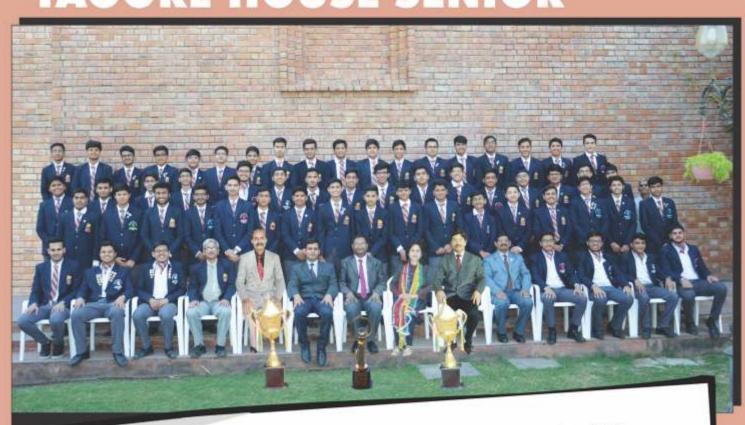
En masse, the year was full of achievements and glories. The house proved to be an exceptional one. The students wouldn't have been apply to prove the providers of the providers of the providers of the providers. able to perform so well without the guidance of our house master, Mr. A.K. Singh, who proved to be a father figure and an inspiration for the house. Our heartfelt gratitude to the assistant house masters/mistress, Mr. K.S Rawat, Mrs. Shilpa Virmani, Mr. Yogesh Fasate and the house staff, Dr. Yogeshwar Shukla, Mr. S.S. Rawat and Mr. Tushar Guha who have always been there for us. We expect an eventful upcoming session.

Ishan Jain XI G, Kushal Kothari XI B





TAGORE HOUSE SENIOR



We embarked on our journey with expectation and decided to give our absolute best and nothing less. Rishab Shrimal took charge as the House Captain and Tanay Mittal was given the responsibility of the House Prefect of the Tagore house. Prakhar Gupta was given the post of Cultural Prefect. Vaibhay Parik became the MUN and Satvik Verma became the Clubs and Societies Prefect. Soham Turakhia became the football captain. With the new session, came an unquenchable thirst for excellence. Our quizzers were fabulous and came first in the Inter House Quiz Competition and the Lunawada Annual Quiz. Tagore House received the College Prize for quiz, In co-curricular activities, many students participated and secured ranks. Manay Sanghyi was ranked first in Hindi extempore. Rohan Jain stood first in English extempore. Rishab Shrimal received the best debater award in the Inter house English debate. The house also performed remarkably well in the Inter house Western Orchestra and Inter House Indian Music competitions. In Class XII, Nishit Khandelwal secured 94.2% in Commerce stream. Nakul Goel secured 91.8% in Science stream and was awarded the Shri L.S. Dungarpuria Memorial Medal for the highest marks in class XII in Mathematics. Abhi Gupta of XII CIE was awarded for securing the highest marks in Math in the whole country in the A Level Exam and Souray Chopra secured 90.2 % Inspired by the efforts of our seniors, we performed extremely well in academics in lower classes too. Prakhar Gupta and Palash Garg received college colors for academics for their outstanding performances in class XI in their respective streams. College colors for academics and Dewas Sr. Prize for academics and Merit Certificate from CBSE were awarded to Anirudh Nilosey, Devang Sureka, Hardik Ojha, Rohan Jain, Sahajveer Singh Kumar and Yuvraj Neema for securing 10 CGPA. Not only the house performed exceptionally well in academics but also performed outstandingly in the field of sports too. The house stood first in the level 1 Inter house cricket and football. Tagore house stunned everyone as the house performed creditably in the Annual Athletics Meet. Yuvraj Bhalla, Vikrant Chimnani Daksh Hemnani, and Yashraj Agrawal represented the school in the IPSC Cricket Tournaments. Soham Turakia, Bharath Satwani represented the school in the Inter school football tournaments. Many other students too represented the school in athletics, shooting, basketball and swimming. Apart from this, Tagore house received

The Raghogarh Cup for football, Joy Bapu Mian Cup for cricket and Narsingarh Cup for the Cock House! At the individual level also, many students brought laurels to the house. Rishabh Shrimal received The Sir Hugh Daly Prize for the best English debater, the E.C. Marchant Prize for the best quizzer and the '68 Batch Trophy for the best in co-curricular activities. Vaibhav Parik received the Maiher Prize for the best Hindi essay and the E.C. Marchant Prize for the best quizzer. Prakhar Gupta got the His Highness Krishnaji Rao Puar Prize for the best musician, college colours for western music (Boys) and the Amrita Mittal Memorial Gold Medal for the best in performing arts. Praduman



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Chandhok received the college prize for the best English extempore speech. Manay Sanghavi got the college prize for the best in Hindi extempore. Jogeshwar Singh Gill received the college prize for Electronics. Sooraj Dubey got the college prize for non classical dance. Rudraksh Jain got the Wellingdon Cup for the best batsman. Priyansh Sojatia received the Kathiwada Cup for the best bowler, Nitiraj Singh Parmar got the Sohel Chawla Cup for the best all round student .Uditraj Singh Rathore received the Shrimati Premlata Bai Holkar Medal and the Rajgarh Cup for Senior Squash Champion and college prize for the best in air pistol. Anil Kumar got the Jamnia Prize for the best in air rifle and the Sardar Kartar Singh

-Aryan Khandelwal received the Shrimati Premlata-Bai Holkar Medal and the Rajgarh Cup for the Junior Squash

"We don't see a global citizen as someone with no identity, but rather someone who has the confidence and is proud of his we use use a ground chazen as someone want no identity, our rainer someone who has the confidence and is product instruction and open to the modern world". Many of our students participated in various MUN(s), Round Square

This would not have been possible if there wasn't the constant backing of our friends, seniors and most importantly our house master, Mr. Ramchandra Chitale; our assistant housemasters, Mr. Sharad Mishra, Mr. Rajesh Dubey, Mr. Ashish Jain, our house tutor, Mr. Vinod Dawar and house staff, Mrs. Ashwini Naphade. They led us on in pursuit of excellence, motivating us, guiding us and believing in us.

"Opportunities don't happen. You create them."

Rohan Jain XI D





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Drawing inspiration from this thought, we, INDRIANS started the year with a lot of zeal and enthusiasm. Something which kept us going was our persistence and self belief. The year commenced with the appointment of Anisha Maheshwari and Rhythm Tahilramaney as the house captain and the house prefect respectively, Ishita Mohta and Sanaya Modi as the sport prefects, Madhumita Banerjee as the cultural prefect and Nehal Bansal as the guest prefect. Chitrangada Singh Piploda, Ishita Mohta,

Mihika Poore and Zahabiya Kunwarji were appointed sport captains in their respective divisions. The Indrians have been fortunate to have Mihika Poore who has brought laurels both to the school and the house by winning two bronze and two silver medals in the individual and team categories respectively at the Shooting Nationals held in Pune. She also won the Jamnia Prize for the best in air rifle (girls). Mihika Poore represented India at The Netherlands as she participated in the Intershoot 40. She took part in the 10m Air Rifle Junior Women's category. In her first match, she won a bronze and in the second, she was the finalist and secured the 5th position. Mihika claimed an individual silver and was selected for the SGFI

We have Mehek Kulkarni as the winner of the WHO Eco Quiz for the year 2016-2017. The Swachh Bharat Abhiyan cast Neha Nationals where she won a bronze medal.

Academics have always been our strength with the house performing exceptionally well in class X and XII board examinations. In the CBSE class X board examinations, Anoushka Dalal and Sakina Bandookwala scored a perfect 10 CGPA, while Divya Sureka, Bansal as their brand ambassador! Ishita Sureka and Madhavi Moyde scored 9.8 and Sana Qureshi acquired 9.6 CGPA. In class X CIE, Anjali Jain and Akshata Kasliwal performed brilliantly scoring 2A*s,7As and 1A*,6As respectively. Moving on to CBSE class XII board examinations, where Shraddha Agrawal scored the highest securing 94.2%, followed by Ridhi Kankaria with 92.8%, Palak Gupta with 92.6%

We performed well on the cultural front too. The house secured the 1st position in the Inter house Cambridge Style Hindi Debate competition level 1, and the credits go to Nishi Fasatey , Madhavi Moyde and Ishita Sureka for their remarkable performance. The house was the best in the level 2 Hindi elocution competition where Mahika Jain was adjudged the best speaker.In level 1 Hindi elocution, Saloni Pandey stood 3rd. The house was also the best in the level 2 Cambridge Style English Debate, where Rajlakshmi was adjudged the best speaker and Gaurika Anand was the 2nd best interjector. Amisha Zalani mesmerized the audience with her melodious voice and secured the 3rd position in the Inter house classical solo. She was also awarded college colours for excellence in music. The house stood 2nd in the Western group singing. College Colours for excellence in dance were awarded to Madhumita Banerjee, Madhavi Moyde and Nehal Bansal, college colours for dramatics was awarded to Nishi Fasatey

and college colours for fine arts were awarded to Madhumita Banerjee and Shubhika Parekh.

The house made remarkable achievement in the field of sport. We stood 1st in the level 2 basketball Inter house for which the house owes its achievement to Asmat Kaur, Sidhi Tripathi, Harshita Garg and Chaheti Agrawal for their extraordinary performances. In the Athletics Meet, there were some exceptional performances from the house, Mahika Jain and Aatreyi Singh were 1st and 2nd respectively in the level 2 javelin throw. Mahika Jain also secured the 2nd position in the shot put event in level 2. Harshita Garg and Rhea Maheshwari both secured the 1st position in the 400m level 2 and discuss throw level 1 respectively,

Coming to performances at the individual level, the Indrians performed remarkably well. Ishita Mohta and Khushi Goyal while Khushi Singh bagged the 3rd position in high jump.

INDIRA HOUSE SENIOR



participated in the IPSC Badminton Tournament and won a bronze medal in the U-19 category. Mihika Poore and Sakina Bandookwala participated in the IPSC Shooting Championship and bagged a gold in the U-19 team category. To add to the glory, Naquiya Barwaniwala and Vedika Dubey participated in the Open States Swimming Championship and won 4 gold, 3 silver and 2 silver, 1 bronze respectively. Naquiya also participated in the IPSC Swimming Championship where she bagged 3 Naquiya also participated in the IPSC Swimming Championship where she bagged 3 nairudh Singh Hada Sports Scholarship for the best footballer (Girls) and her team Anirudh Singh Hada Sports Scholarship for the best footballer (Girls) and her team was Runners- up at the CM Cup and the IPSC Football Championship. She also played the CBSE Nationals. In squash, Sanaya Modi was ranked 15th in the country. Chitrangada Singh Piploda was awarded the Mr. K.R. Dhabai medal for the best hockey player (girls) and she also played the CBSE Nationals. Zahabiya Kunwarji made the house proud by winning 1 gold and 2 silver medals at the IPSC Skating Championship and got selected for Nationals. Indira house also won the Shooting Cup for the first time. We were very ecstatic to have won the cup.

Sanaya Modi went to Spain for an inter cultural exchange. Sumiran Parmar went on a year long exchange to the USA under the British Petroleum and AFS Global Citizens of Tomorrow Scholarship program, 2015. Yashashvi Sharma went on a similar exchange under the AFS Global Citizens of Tomorrow Scholarship program, 2014 to USA. Shubhika Parekh went on a year long exchange to the USA sponsored by the Rotary Club. The deputy head girl of the previous batch, Shraddha Agrawal won the college prize for classical dance. Muskan Sharma received the Batch of '87 medal for the best artist among girls and Prasad Dasgupta gold medal and the Chandok Trophy for the best all round student of the college. Shubhra Bhatnagar was awarded the CBSE merit certificate for painting.

Overall, it was a great year for the Indrians as we were able to understand the fact that 'Past is where you learned the lesson and future is where you apply the

We are thankful to our house staff, Mrs. Sharmila Dominic, Mrs Jaya Chakravarty, Mrs. Veena Roy Choudhary, Dr. Neera Tahilramaney,

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Divya Sureka XI E, Sakina Bandookwala XI E







LYA HOUSE SENIOR



Helen Keller once correctly said, "Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement." On this very note, we began this fruitful term of 2016-2017 where we flourished. This year the girls from Ahilya House who were part of the prefectorial were: Minakshi Mangal as the Head Girl, Divija Goel as the House Captain, Diva Patel as the House Prefect, Muskan Arora as the Round Square Prefect, Tanya Chhabra as the Clubs and Societies Prefect and Palak Garg as the Guest Prefect. This year, Ahilya house is proud again as our ace swimmers proved themselves by receiving the Aquatics cup for the third consecutive time! Our girls received the title for best swimmers in both the categories, Tanvi Satish in level-1 and Anandi

Ahilya House also maintained its pride this year by winning the Inter house Indian Music for the third consecutive year just like the Aquatics cup! Our girls earned positions in both the solo events they participated in, Pratyusha Nyati stood first in semi classical and Ragini Gadgil stood second in classical vocal. With the help of our girls who dedicated their days to

To begin with the level I achievements, we had Aakriti Sikka, Nadia Sheikh, and Raagini Gadgil for Inter house Hindi extempore. Nadia made us proud and secured the second position. Devishi Sood, Ananya Sharma, and Pratyusha Nyati participated in the Inter house Hindi Cambridge Style Debate. In the inter-house Hindi elocution, Sarrah Sethjiwala and Ragini Gadgil stood 5th. Khushi Khandelwal, Divnoor Chhabra and Pratyusha Nyati participated in the Inter-House Cambridge Style Hindi Debate where the team stood 3rd and Pratyusha was adjudged the best interjector.

It was a proud moment for Ahilya House to secure the 5th position in the Inter-house English Parliamentary Debate when Sana Hasija and Nadia Sheikh represented our house. In English extempore, Minakshi Mangal stood second and was declared the best speaker. Congratulations to the level I extempore team: Ananya Sharma, Shreya Sojatia, Ameya Jain, Devyani Sojatia, Minakshi Mangal and Tanya Chhabra! In the inter-house Cambridge Style English Debate ,our team comprising Divnoor K Chhabra, Nadia Sheikh, and Sana Hasija qualified for the next round and Sana Hasija was declared the best interjector. In the final round of the Inter-house Cambridge Style English Debate, Adwiteya Kasliwal, Sana Hasija and Minakshi Mangal participated, where Minakshi Mangal was awarded the best interjector and Sana Hasija was

In Inter house dramatics, Ahilya House stood 6th in both English and Hindi dramatics. Minakshi Mangal was declared the third best performer in English dramatics. In Inter-house western music, Ahilya House stood 5th, and Divija Goel stood 5th in the Solo Instrumental competition and Pramann Bhatia stood 3rd in the Western Solo Singing Competition. In the second Inter house quiz, Sana Hasija, Aakriti Sikka and Muskan Jain represented the house .

Coming to level II, in the Inter house Hindi Cambridge Style Debate, our team which was represented by Sara Qureshi, Adya Singh and Zahra Chandurwala stood 5th and Zahra was awarded the best interjector prize. In the Parliamentary Style Debate, Mahika Vats and Zahra Chandurwala participated and won the 2nd position. Mahika was declared the best speaker.

BHARATI HOUSE SENIOR



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respectively. Devangana Chauhan received the Best All Rounder Trophy in Class X. The Bharatians also excelled in the field of sports. Bharati house won the hockey, athletic Inter houses. The house also did wonders at the Athletic Meet where Isha Kellogg was declared as the Best Athlete Level-1. At the national level Meera, Bandhvi, Swati, Anjali D., Pooja Dodve, Khushi, Bhaavya, Tanishka, Saumya and Anushka Rathore were selected to represent their sport in the Nationals, Khushi, Saumya, Bhaavya, Meera, Bandhvi, Khushi participated and bagged many medals at the IPSC Shooting Competition. The hockey girls participated in the CBSE west zone U-19 where their team secured a gold medal and further got selected for Nationals. It was indeed a proud moment for the Bharatians when Pooja Dodve went to Indonesia representing India in hockey where her team stood 1st internationally and brought many accolades to the country. The girls were also a part of various basketball, swimming, badminton, football IPSCs where they brought laurels to the school. The girls of the house also worked hard and took an initiative to help others by making cards and chocolates for the SSL sale. Teachers' Day and Children's Day brought the staff and the girls in a mood of exultation. Rangoli competition, preparation of delicacies, lighting of lamps and bursting of crackers marked the celebration of Diwali. The Bharatians enthusiastically participate in the group discussions, quiz ,extempore speeches and the cooking sessions in the house. Tears welled up in our eyes

while bidding adieu to our seniors, the outgoing class XII and wishing them good luck. The farwewell party organized by class X and XI at Ujjain started with the visiting of the famous Mahakaleshwar temple by class XII and ended with receiving tokens of love . With the session coming to a close, the Bharatians with their desire to scale greater heights, keenness to strive for the best promised to keep the house spirit up in all their endeavours. A special thanks to all our house staff and support staff for their persistent service and unstinting support. All in all, we need to remember that to make each year successful, the house needs to work as a unit.

GO BHARATI!

-Anshika Chhabra XII G With inputs from Ajitika Singh X C, Pahul Arora X B



JUNIOR SCHOOL UPPATES



JR. SCHOOL DAY 8th December A Report

Come December, the Jr. School is abuzz with the preparation of the Jr. School Parents Evening.

This year we celebrated the Jr. School Parents Evening on 8th December-2016. It was a colourful cultural bonanza with songs, dances, plays, recitation. The program began with the college prayer after the arrival of the Chief Guest Mr. Arun Yadav. With the customary floral welcome and the lighting of the auspicious lamp, the Chief Guest was introduced by the HM Jr. School Mrs. R. Ahuja, Jr. School is a vibrant and happening place- with activities galore – they all found mention in the report of the H.M. The guests got a glimpse of all those and applauded in appreciation.

The cultural programme began with the orchestra which was applauded by one and all. Shiv Vandana set on the Shiv Tandav presented by the student set the tone and we were transported to the melodious world by the budding vocalists who rendered 2 compositions - 'What Makes You Beautiful' and 'Dama Dam Mast Kalander', 'Satyavadi Harishchandra' the Hindi play staged by the students of class 5 and 6 harping on the age old saying ' Honesty is the Best Policy' was well appreciated while the English play a comedy 'The Future of The Past' took the audience into the world of residents of the 'Other World' and addressed the glaring problem of housing. The members of the Helen O' Grady and All for Kids showcased their talent with the rendition of. The children kept the audience mesmerized with their dynamic performance. 'Mash-Up', the choreography had the audience totally glued to the performers they lit up the stage with their wonderful costume, backdrop and performance. The Grand-Finale was a part of the ISA Collaborative activity and had different dance

forms African Zumba.

Vansh Mundhra and Veer Pratap



EUPHORIA 2016 'Blossoms' Parent's evening for classes I to III

dances to some peppy numbers. The Hindi group song 'AAm ke Aam' was melodiously sung. The English play' Blossoms' by class III students was one of a kind play that not only showcased the theme but even left an inspiring message for all. The 'Grand Finale', 'Extravaganza' was indeed – 'grand' with the special effects put in and the dance by the students of class II and III. The evening ended on a very positive note with each one taking back fond memories..

Mrs. Vanessa Scott

Craft, Pottery, Papier Mache



The students of class V and VI are eagerly taking part in the craft activity. They hone their skills by doing paper collage, glass painting, origami, paper craft, stone painting, etc. Students prepare murals, cards, photo frame, paper weight, decorative items and the list is endless. Throughout the year they work for exhibition and each student's work is displayed in Annual Prize Giving exhibition. Over the years students' work is admired and appreciated by parents and guests'. Each child is definitely improving in their skills. Teacher and student share a very good rapport. There is always room for spreading awareness and developing interest in these young minds. It is always fun to be with these cheerful kids.

Rajni Singh Pawar

Pottery is the most creative and fun art among students. Students love to make toy, animals, pots and many more article. Ganesha Idol is famous during festival time. Every year children make eco friendly ganesha and spread awareness in society. Through this art they use their imagination, creativity beyond the limit and also increase their motor skills. Papier mache is also popular hobby among Students. Children learn different variety and technique to make papier mache articles. They use used paper and old magazine to make a pulp for making papier mache which is also eco friendly. Every year they produce articles on a particular theme and which is admired by parents and guests.

Trilok Rathore, Kanhaiya Prajapati

A fragrance with a difference filled the air and enveloped the auditorium on 01.10.2016 as the Jr. School were ready for 'Euphoria' with their theme'Blossoms' Our Chief Guest for the day was Mr. Siddhart Sethi who was impressed with the efforts put in by the teachers and students with the support of Mrs. Rashmi Ahuja (Headmistress) and Mrs. Veena Ghodgaonkar (Co-ordinator). The opening 'Ganesh Vandana' Manglacharanam was breathtaking. The fitness Dance- Zoom Zumba by classes II and III students was worth the watch along with a' Fusion Dance' that kept the audience tapping their feet. The little ones of class I enthralled the audience with their



AWIM club is the place for creative and innovative minds of young students. The year commenced with a number of students booming with energy opting for AWIM. AWIM is an interactive adventure to bring real world experiences into the classroom which makes Science and Maths principles simpler to understand. Young engineers put in effort to explore variety of ideas to design and give shape to their dream cars. Interactive sessions where they discussed new features and questioned each other's brilliant ideas was a step ahead in putting their creative minds to test and thus putting a foot ahead in becoming good engineers.

Prithvi Sudeep-VI E



Wood block printing is a technique for Block Printing printing patterns and designs on paper as Hobby well as fabric. The students were, at first, a bit hesitant to take up this hobby as it required both patience and precision to master the art. But, soon, with practice, they gained confidence and were beaming with pride when it was time for them to display their work of art in the annual exhibition. On paper they has made book marks, greeting cards, file covers and bags using poster colours and on fabric they had done beautiful block printing on handkerchiefs, aprons and pillow covers using fabric colours. Our students Shashwati, Shivanya and Shashwat had worked hard throughout the year and rightly deserved the immense praise for their talent in printing beautiful designs on paper and fabric alike. Mrs. Arpana Singh

Bird Watching Hobby, Junior School 2017 Bird watching hobby is truly inviting your daily participation at all





times of the year. At school, Away from school, At home, Away from home, In the car, From the train, On the play field. You can be a birder and never even step outside, a beautiful thing for people with age or mobility issues. Fortunately, our school, 'Daly College' is very rich in bird life. Around 86 different kinds of birds can be seen on the College campus. DC attracts a variety of birds as campus has bushy area with tall trees and open grass, forest like area, old buildings, water bodies, lawns, gardens, dry scrub land with trees which provide a perfect habitat for birds to live in. Bird watching, or birding, is a form of wildlife observation in which the observation of birds is a recreational activity.

We are 16 children in this hobby, every Thursday visiting different parts of college campus and spotting birds is a unique experience. It is always a thrill to spot a new bird, watch it carefully, jot down observations, click a snap or glimpse through binoculars before the bird dashes off, out of sight and relish the moment. Bird watching often involves a significant auditory component, as many bird species are more easily detected and identified by ear than by eye."Sometimes I think that the point of bird watching is not the actual seeing of the birds, but the cultivation of patience. Of course, each time we set out, there's a certain amount of expectation we'll see something, maybe even a species we've never seen before, and that it will fill us with light. But even if we don't see anything remarkable - and sometimes that happens - we come home filled with light anyway." - Lynn Thomson. We all thank our Principal, Headmistress-Mrs. Rashmi Ahuja, Hobby in-charge-Mr. Giriraj Singh Chundawat for their kind help and support round the year.

Adhiraj Singh Hada VI C, Mehul Patwari VI A, Devwrat Singh VI A Aditya Parekh VI A

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Cookery Club

"This is my advice to people: Learn how to cook, try new recipes, learn from your mistakes, be fearless, and above all have fun"-Julia. Cooking with children is not only a lot of fun but also a very creative and wonderful adventure. Children learn a lot about the food they eat by cooking themselves. It develops a sense of responsibility in them and builds their self esteem. The 'Little Chefs' started their adventure by first discussing the basic rules of cooking i.e. hygiene, precautions, different term used while cooking etc. The children also learnt the names of different equipments used in the kitchen. Putting together interest, skills and imaginations the Little Chefs made different dishes like Strawberry Banana Shake, Bean and Cheese Burger, Noughts and Crosses Pizza, Chilli-Cheese Toast, Chocolate Cake, Vegetable Soup, Banana walnut muffins, Biscuit cake etc. which were appreciated by everyone. The sense of achievement and happiness of successfully making of delicious dishes and being encouraged by all made the Little Chefs work with greater enthusiasm . Antara Pandey, Pragun Gupta, Riddhima Kumari, Aadhya Selvamani and Shaurawardhan Kothari deserve special mention for the effort they made. Most children loved it when they learnt to chop vegetables, peel potatoes and mix batter. Cooking has emerged as an education tool for growing children. Children can be taught skills like counting, weighing, measuring, tracking time and fractioning in an interesting way through cooking. Putting up a cooking stall in the school exhibition was a unique and wonderful experience. Our little chefs wearing their chef caps and aprons looked stunning and displayed with pride their innovatively done charts and recipe books. The recipe books were appreciated and the dishes served at the exhibition won praise by the Chief Guest, Principal and other guests. This beautiful experience will become cherished memories forever. We thank our Headmistress Mrs. Rashmi Ahuja for her support and encouragement. A special and sincere thanks to the college mess for timely arrangements of the ingredients.

Mrs. Namita Rathore, Mrs. Shalini Verma





Design and Technology develops a broad range of skills like problem solving, independent learning, and innovation to name a few. These are essential for a wide range of future careers and higher education courses. A design and technology curriculum is that which is used to plan and apply theoretical knowledge. The core of the Design and Technology curriculum includes the fundamental tools to understand design as a process. Here students prepare models like track vehicle, tower crane, water

sprinkler, hydraulic bridge etc.

Tanmay Gupta-VIB



on Sunday, 12th February 2017, at the Jr. School Daly College. 19 Schools participated in this competition. The Theme was 'Friend's/Friendship/Value of Friendship'. The speakers had to chose either a poem or a passage or an excerpt and speak for 2 minutes. Pragun Gupta represented Daly College. He spoke on Friends, friendship and its value. He was adjudged the best speaker. Mrs. Mona Anil one of the Directors of All for kids spoke about the importance of speaking in English, paying attention to proper pronunciation and diction. Mrs. Rashmi Ahuja, HM Jr. School gave away the prizes. Pragun Gupta, VIE



This club gives a platform to the students where they need to be aware and take action on the environment issues thus developing a passionate feeling about saving the environment. It aims at motivating students to value their environment.

Objectives of our Club

- Increases the student's knowledge with respect to environmental issues.
- They learn and create awareness and sensitivity towards the environment.

Activities of the of the Green Club this year:-

- On Earth Day a special assembly by Green Club members focused on the importance of preserving the environment.
 Talks on saving the earth supported with videos, had lasting effect on the students. The Green Club members gave the mantra -Reduce, Reuse and Recycle. The members demonstrated how an old plastic bottle could be turned into a bird house.
- The members enthusiastically participated in a Best out of waste activity. They used old boxes, CDs, newspapers etc. and turned them into items of use.
- Logo designing: Students of the club felt that the club should have a logo; hence they spent one Saturday designing a logo for their club.
- Recycling of plastic bottles: The students used old plastic bottles and dry leaves to make beautiful bird houses/nests which they took home to hang in their gardens.
- Plantation of small plants and Hibiscus cutting was done with the help of our Jr. School gardener. It was a good learning experience for the students.
- Just a minute: The students spoke about the given topics and made a PowerPoint presentation related to it later.
- Nature walks were an integral part of the club activities.
 Visiting the DC Green Centre helped students understand the process of vermi-culture and practical applications of solar energy. Green Club wishes to develop a vermi-composting pit in the Jr. School in the near future.

"Gentle footprints today, will ensure a path for tomorrow", is what the Green Club members of the Jr. School, believe in. Samia Qureshi VI E - President Green Club ENGLISH DRAMATICS Hobby (Helen O' Grady 2016- 2017)

Helen O' Grady International speech and drama academy conducts annual program every year for

the students of the school, The aim of this well structured program is to develop communication skills, confidence, self esteem and inter personal skills. For last seven years it has been conducted for the students of class 6th and this year (2017-17) it was introduced to classes 4th and 5th as well. This year 45 students participated in this activity.

We culminated our annual program on 16th February. Parents were invited to watch beautiful presentations. This time classes 4th and 5th Children presented an English Play named "CIRCUS CAPERS" and class 6th children performed verbal dynamics-"WHATA NOISE"

There are many children who have attended this program second time this year, Parents shared that they have observed a very positive development in the children.

Alia Ali







Jr. School

2016-17

History is really important because it helps us understand why we live the way we are living and why we are where we are as a species and country. Studying history allow us to learn from the mistakes of our ancestors so we

do not do the same things they did and work to make world a better place. People often say that "history repeats itself," but if we study the successes and failures of the past, we may, ideally, be able to learn from our mistakes and avoid repeating them in the future. These are the reasons why we all wanted to join 'Historical Society' of the Junior School. Society's trips to different historical places like Indore Central Museum, Bhojpur, Sanchi Stupa, Bhimbetka, Lal Bagh, Rajbada, Bhopal Museum enabled us to understand how the world worked then and how it works now. These excursions took us closer to happenings and events in the past we can know about and learn how things have changed ever since, and who were the figures and personalities that helped change the scenario. By learning about the causes and effects of events in history, we can learn



better ways to deal with conflict among nations and individuals. Exploring our college campus buildings like College Main Building, Clock Tower, Darbar Hall, Temple, Mosque (all are more than a century old) was very interesting. Although human behavior is unpredictable at times, a better understanding through the study of history, can provide valuable insight for our future generations. We thank our teachers Mr. Giriraj Singh Chundawat, Mrs. Vandana Singh and Mrs. Renu Parmar for their guidance and support round the year.

Mayurdhwaj Singh Rawal VIB, Akashdeep Chhabra VIB, Adityaraj Singh Ranawat VIA, Ranvir Singh Baghel VIA





The essence of art is expressing oneself and we see this essence budding out from the young ones in our hobby and art class. This year the children were introduced to and experimented in Modern Art, Backdrop of Monuments with blow painting, Musical Instruments with Mix Media, Cone painting in different styles, writing inspirational thoughts and a Blend of Art to uplift and stimulate their creativity. Each and Every person

appreciated their art work, which was put-up for the exhibition and is also displayed throughout the year on the boards in the corridors. Saadgi Garg and Riddhima Jain our Budding Artists won a gold medal in the Akhil Bhartiya Nagrik Vikas Kendra All India Drawing Competition. During the Club Activities the students were taken to the Art Galleries to introduce different type of paintings and appreciate the work of art. They have learnt different techniques in sketching, shading, painting, papier mache, clay modelling, origami, paper cutting, etc. Students were also taken to do outdoor sketches for improving their Art Skills."The purpose of Art is washing the dust of daily life off our souls" and the children put their hearts and souls into the work they produced. Vandana Tripathi, Rajni Pawar, Trilok Rathore, Kajal Pahuja.



Students of the MUN Club eagerly wait for Saturday afternoons. These afternoons really get hot as here current world issues like-wars, demonitization, elections, terrorism, Crisis and rights of people are debated upon. It is an eventful place and the best platform as every child gets a good exposure to public speaking and debating. Each session is an enriching experience as their level of thinking and observing is polished. They not only hone their confidence but also get awareness for social issues and they try to find ways to resolve them. These bright-eyed and bushy tailed delegates are big surprise packages. At this young age they are definitely mature enough to do research work and come up with impressive self written speeches which cause a stir during the sessions and are worth a mention. Always looking forward to more meaningful sessions in 2017.

Dr. Mrs. Renu Patidar I/charge MUN Club Jr. Sc

Needle work Hobby



In today's world the family scenario has changed, families are spread out across the country, and the tradition of passing heritage skills from one generation to the next has almost been lost. Thankfully, the needle work that is taught in the Junior School is experiencing a renewal and we are learning the skill that was once abandoned. Needle work is a handwork that requires some sort of needle or tool and thread or yarn to create an item of decorative or practical use. We started this year with a group of 7 students who enthusiastically learned first about the different tools used in the needle work. This was then followed by the learning of different stitches like running, cross, back, chain, French knot and satin stitch. We also learned patch work and made flowers from satin ribbon. We were also taught how to put different types of buttons on a dress. All these stitches were used in making a lot of items like table covers, mats, bags, cushion covers, pillow covers, hand towels, pouches etc. which were displayed in the annual exhibition this year and were appreciated by everyone. We thank our Headmistress Mrs. Rashmi Ahuja and teacher In-charge Hobby Mrs. Minakshi Rathore for their help and support round the year. Jessica Jahau VIB, Ananya Narayan VIE, Tejasvi Kanesh VIE

Photography allows people to communicate what is important to them. Photography is the science, art, application and practice of creating durable images. It allows us to express ourselves. The students of class V & VI take interest in this club. Our budding photographers visited all the areas in DC like Kataria lake, Desai lake, shooting range, Cactus garden, Temple Scindia pavilion, athletics track and took pictures of the buildings, flowers, grounds and birds. We visited the Atal Bihari Vajpayee Regional Park - also known as Pipliyapala Park or Indore Regional Park.

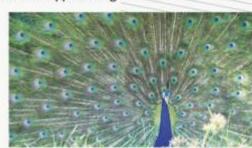
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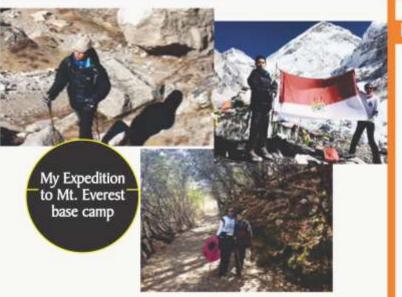


They say a picture is worth a thousand words. For the first time a photography competition was organized at Junior School for the students of grades 5 and 6. 85 entries were received under 9 categories. 16 boys and girls received certificates for securing 1st, 2nd and 3rd position. The enthusiasm shown by the budding shutterbugs was worth appreciating.

Ashwin Gupta VIE

Photography Competition 2016





This year in April as we were scuba diving for my certification as an open water diver, my mother said we have done a lot of things but never trekked! So I said I want to go ... I had no clue what I was signing up for!! When my mother said Everest Base Camp, it didn't really make me feel scared or anxious as I didn't know that this is one of the toughest treks in the world .I was just happy to get a few extra days off from school .We landed in Kathmandu and left for Lukla the next day on a very small plane and landed at one of the most dangerous airports in the world, which my mother told me only after we landed as she didn't want me to get worried . It has a very narrow airstrip and a big hotel building at the end of it, so no room for errors. We did our very first trek as soon as we landed to Phakding. It took us 6 hours or more to trek to our tea house, through cobblestone paths and rocky steps. It was mostly downhill...if this was an easy first day, what was in store for the rest of the days? Our expedition leader told us that day something that helped us keep sane for the rest of the days. Take one day at a time! Yes that's the only way to do it or else it seems impossible. Each day is a challenge of a different kind, some days it's the climb on rocky surfaces, to some days it's the altitude or the never ending trails, some days we had several suspension bridges to cross. That were swinging so hard. Yet there were some beautiful sites on our way, right from lush pine forests to valleys, mountain wildlife, but slowly after a few days the scenery became more stark and the conditions tougher:-Stones, sand, snow and a lot of Jobgyos on the way. Jobgyos are a breed between yaks and cows. They are used to carry things from one place to another. Many a times we had to wait for herds of them to go by before we could resume our walk. It gets colder and the rooms become more basic, like wooden boxes with no attached toilets, plus altitude gets higher so 30 percent less oxygen. Everyday feels like a great accomplishment and we were rewarded every evening with free time to play UNO, read books listen to music and chatter about our days adventure. As long as we didn't think too ahead of ourselves we were fine. One day at a time. The feeling of reaching base camp was indescribable, first I did feel, is this it? I expected it to be full of snow and there wasn't anything extra special about the place itself, but I realised it was the journey, the getting there, which was super special. This wasn't easy but I did it but maybe I did it because I never thought it would be difficult to begin with.

Veer Pratap Raje Bhonsle VI A



"Music touches us emotionally, where words alone can't." There's music in the sighing of a reed, It's in the gushing of a rill It's in everything around us, You'll hear it, if you're still. After the long summer holidays, we all look forward to the opening of school. Once again there's music in the air. The fountains welcome us into the building, the sprightly footsteps and merry chatter, is like music to the ear and a rejuvenation of new energy, as we pick up our instruments and gear up to play our part, beginning with the Assembly. Each year the children improve, and now we have them leading the Assembly, as they play the Hymns and National Anthem everyday. There are regular hobbies and club activities every week, for classes 5 and 6. The students play both Indian and western instruments and have excelled in their performance during the Independence Day and Republic Day celebrations, where they played "Aao Bachcho Tumhe Dikhaye", "Ae Mere Pyare Watan" and "We Shall Overcome". Patriotic Songs sung on these occasions were, "Mere desh Ki Dharti", "Jai Jan Bharat", India is my Motherland", and "The Constitution". The students of classes 1, 2 and 3 mesmerized the audience with their orchestra, performing Tilak Kamod and Holi Holiday, during Euphoria. The synchronization of violins, guitars, keyboards, xylophones, harmonium, congo, tabla, bongo and drums was amazing. The choir sang a peppy Hindi number, "Aam Ke Aam Honge, Guthliyon Ke daam Honge" and the theme song for "Blossoms". The Junior School Day was a big event for classes 4, 5 and 6. A group of students welcomed the guests as they played at the entrance of the auditorium. The orchestra was ready with Vrindavani Sarang and Never on a Sunday, which had everyone enthralled. The Hindi song, "Lal Mori" was a hit and so was "What makes you Beautiful", one of the favourites by One Direction. We were happy to have the famous singer Mr. Shailendra Singh with us .He took an audition of a group of children and gave them some important tips to be a good musician and singer. Just as this report goes in for printing, we have yet one more event to look forward to...the much awaited Musical Afternoon..where there will be solo, and duet performances by the students of Indian and Western Music. Finally, it will be time to gear up for the Annual Exams and so it's goodbye to Music for a while.

Atul Shastri, Avril J Birdsturgeon, Dharmendra Parashar

Awesome
Trip To
'THE FLAME OF
THE FOREST'
Punjpura

Any outing is always fun and exciting but if it is with friends, the fun and excitement is doubled. With the year coming to an end and the weather just perfect, an overnight outing was definitely on the cards. So it was... On 22nd evening, Pritha ma'am called a special assembly and disclosed that we would be going for an overnight outing the next day after lunch. Our excitement knew no bounds, our packing was done in a jiffy and we just waited for the 23rd to arrive. Finally, we, a group of 37 boys with Pritha ma'am, Gaur ma'am, Jadeja ma'am, Rakhi ma'am and 2 IBs left DC at 3:15 pm by our school bus. After 2 ½ hour drive through the villages and the ghats, we reached 'The Flame of the Forest.' The beauty of the place just

bowled us over and we quickly settled down to our allotted rooms after snacking on yummy sandwiches, patties and tea. We were divided into four groups, Rapter Devils, Royal Warriors, Royal Tigers and Sacred Lions. The caterpillar race we played was real fun; even Pritha ma'am and Rakhi ma'am participated in it. The next activity took us by surprise...cooking is not rocket science but definitely not easy. Yes, you guessed it right! Each group was given some vegetables, grains, flour, pulses, spices and some basic utensils. We had to decide on the menu, cook and present our dishes all within an hour. It was no less than a Master Chef competition. We could not take help from anyone. After a frantic one hour activity the four teams were ready with their dishes. Our teachers and the judges were pleasantly surprised by Bhavdev's perfectly shaped and baked parathas, the mixed veg curry prepared by Akshat's and Shashwat's group, potato curry of Vindhyaraj's group and the perfectly baked chapatis by Kislay and Sayan's group. We all shared the lips smacking fare. Dinner was delicious and packed with all our favourite items. We went for the thrilling night walk in the jungle but unfortunately couldn't spot any game. The campfire followed next with songs by Akshat, Veer and myself (Shashwat), dance by Aryan Singh, Vivan, Neil and Archit, comic skit by myself (Shashwat), Akshat and Mahendra and jokes by Ramnibahe. On 24th we got up at 6 and saw a beautiful sunrise. We got ready quickly and went for the obstacle course which had almost 10 obstacles that each team had to cross. It looked very easy but it was easier said than done. Still, my (Shashwat's) team got the 1st position in obstacle course. After a finger licking breakfast, we left for the river crossing activity which was really adventurous. We had a lot of fun exploring the river bank, we even discovered some caves! We snacked with oranges and muffins under the shade of trees as the shutter bugs- Sanchit, Arsh, Kalp, Ashvin, Akshat, Ranvir and Apoorv- captured everything in their camera. After coming back we had a vote on what to do, rappelling or swimming and swimming won hands down. Hungry and tired, we headed for lunch after spending 1/2 hour in the pool. The food, as usual, was mouth watering. It was time to head back for DC and we boarded the bus reluctantly. We munched some goodies and played 'antakshari' on our way back. We reached Malwa House at 7:30 pm. The trip was very well organized and we thoroughly enjoyed it. A big thanks to Ansari sir and Rashmi ma'am and a special thanks to Pritha ma'am for making this trip so enjoyable and memorable.

- Shashwat Shandilya VI D and Sanchit Jain VI C. Pics By-Ashvin, Ranvir, Akshat

Quiz club Jr. School Report 2016-2017

General knowledge has no boundaries and quizzing is like searching for a pearl in the ocean. In today's world where limitless information is available on internet. It is pertinent to design the classroom or session in such a way that it is interesting, child friendly and fun filled. We at quizzing club in the junior school uses many techniques like listen and talk, group discussion, Jam Sessions and solve live quizzes on Internet and also sharing quizzes made by members in form of power points. We select topics like Our Environment, Flora and Fauna, Incredible India, Globe Trotting, Entertainment, Sports and Mythology where each member does research and share it with others during club hours which most of the time turn in to a brainstorming session. Our club members share their experiences on

different topics which are enriching and creating lots of interest and enthusiasm among the club Members. The Major quizzing activities that the club co-ordinated in the session were: IGNITE Quiz: The Daly College, Junior School organized an Inter-School Quiz – 'Ignite' on 1st February, 2017 for the students of classes V and VI. The participation of most of the city's top schools in the programme was an important aspect. Many schools like NDPS, SICA, QUEENS COLLEGE, ST. RAPHAELS etc participated in the quiz. It was a proud moment when the young quizzers- Antara Pandey and Prithvi Sudeep from The Daly College Team, lead all other teams in the qualifying round and then went on to win the Ignite Quiz by defeating 7 other schools in a tooth and nail competition. ECO ACHIEVERS QUIZ,:Saevus magazine, the country's foremost nature and wildlife magazine, in association with Rotary Clubs

and Round Table across the country organized the SAEVUS ECO ACHIEVERS QUIZ, Teams of three comprising students from standards 5th, 6th and 7th standards took part in the quiz championing the cause of the natural world! The theme of the quiz was "Juxta" whereby the students were questioned about nature and wildlife related topics from all walks of life like literature, science, movies, mythology. The quiz was organized in association with Rotary Clubs in 20 plus cities in the country. The Daly College Team Comprising of Mehak Kulkarni of class 7, Prithvi Sudeep of Class VI and Prithviraj Singh Garha of class V stole the show by bagging the first prize. They have now been invited to attend the National Round to be held in Mumbai on 14th April, 2017. We wish them Good luck!!







Report On The Dramatics & Debating Club

"Life is impossible without drama" As we all know, when we talk with each other it's never in the same pitch. Our voice changes according to our temperament at that time – like, our voice may project happiness, arrogance, sadness, lethargy etc. At the same time, our body language and our facial expressions also keep changing. Now, if we think of

these entire major elements, we call it - 'Drama'. If there is no drama, life would be dull and boring. To sum it, life in itself is a drama. I would say, like music has depth in it, drama has life in it. Now, I think this is the reason why this club has been formed, where we get together to breathe life into our everyday acts. Also, we have been introduced into discussing various social issues and values while debating. This club is aimed at bringing to bare our oratory and acting skills, under the guidance of our facilitators - Mrs. PRITHA LAHIRI and Mrs. VANESSA SCOTT. Our teachers ensure that each one of us (25 in all) would eventually be equipped with the necessary skills required to excel in drama, writing or debate. The skills learnt are showcased in our school Annual Function and Club Assemblies. We work hard as our skills are honed for script-writing, stage-craft, the play-production process and public speaking. I would like to thank our teachers for giving us a sense of self-worth and an access to an imaginative life, otherwise not possible in the everyday school curriculum, and also for being an important influence on us by taking up the mentoring role.

Tarini Kohli - VA, Deeva Bidasaria - VIB, Pragun Gupta - VIE.





In the Jr. School the

Scout and Guides activity is organised and co-ordinated by Mr. K.K. Shukla, Commissioner of Central India Scouts and Guide association, District Indore. Scout and Guides activity started in the month of July - 2016 with 75 boys and girls with great enthusiasm. They continued their

training including different activities like Marching drill, Scout training, tent making, different bandages and knots and Scouts Games. Scout boys and girls participated in Guard of Honour on 15th August and Jr. School Day 2016. The Scouts and guides training help the children to learn through activities, outings and serving the needy. These activities promote discipline, service, obedience fun and learning. Keeping this in view a Scout Excursion was organized to "Chayanashram" near Badwah on 18th September, Sunday. A total of 46 boys and 20 girls were escorted by Scout Commissioner Mr. K.K. Shukla, Mr. S.K. Kanchan, Mr. P.K. Pal, Mrs. Ruchi Thakur. On February 16th 2017 the Badge giving ceremony was held in the Jr. School. Our Headmistress Mrs. Rashmi Ahuja gave away the Badges to all the scouts and guides for successfully completing their session in the Jr. School. It was a proud moment for all of us.

Boy Scout Prithvi Sudeep

Educational Excursion of Grade 6th

An educational tour offers an opportunity for a rich experience and a tremendous way to facilitate learning. Keeping this in mind a group of 72 Dalians of grade 6th and 4 teachers went to an educational excursion to Sanchi, Bhimbetka, Bhojpur, The Heliodorus Pillar, Udaygiri and Manay Sangrahalaya (Bhopal) from 23rd to 25th September 2016. The tour was organized in such a way that students experience a firsthand information about cultural and social past of Pre-historic and Ancient India as per the curriculum of subject of 'History' of grade 6th. It was a great learning experience for the Dalians







which they could not have gained in a classroom.

Advaya Goel, VI A Prakhar Jain, VI E Neelambika Kumari Devi VI B

Melbourne Graduate School of Education (MGSE) India Teaching Internship 2016 with Daly College

Teachers studying at The University of Melbourne in Australia have travelled across the globe to work with teachers at Daly College. A group of eight teachers and a Programme Coordinator from Melbourne Graduate School of Education was at DC from 2nd to 9th Nov. 2016. This very productive collaboration stretches back to 2012, when the Teaching Internship was initiated by Professor Fazal Rizvi at The MGSE in collaboration with Daly College. For the past two years it has been led on the ground by Dr John Quay (Senior Lecturer and Research Higher Degree Coordinator MGSE, The University of Melbourne) with the direct support of Mrs. Rashmi Ahuja, Headmistress of Daly College Junior School. The MGSE at The University of Melbourne is a world leader in the field of Education, currently ranked equal seventh amongst all of the major Education schools across the globe. The Teaching Internship provides Australian teachers with opportunities to gain a better understanding of education through experience in a different national system. At Daly College visiting teachers from Australia learn by teaming with their Indian colleagues to teach classes. In addition, they are able to participate in many other significant educational programs undertaken at DC. These programs, such as at Sanawadia Village, express the service the school's students provide to local and global communities, service which is always accompanied by important learning. The Australian teachers' stay also includes introduction to many of the cultural highlights of India and Madhya Pradesh. This programme is an opportunity not only to develop teaching skills but also to know about India and its culture, tradition, heritage, history and society. To know about Indian History, Culture and Society the group visited Mandu, Maheshwar, Kasturba Gram, Lal Bagh palace. Sessions on Indian Caste System, Vedic Science & Maths, Dresses of India, Indian Village Study, Cookery Classes, Kite Flying and Yoga were very helpful. They always return to Australia with many wonderful stories and connections. The Teaching Internship is a highlight of their studies.

ROBOTICS CLUB /HOBBY

WORKING OF KIDS IN ROBOTICS LAB







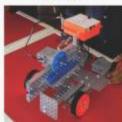
"Science is an imaginative adventure of mind seeking truth in a world of mystery."

Robotics is a great way to get kids excited about science, technology, engineering and maths. Studies show that it is highly effective in developing team- work and self confidence. The robotics program can be incorporated into every subject and the student loves it. Robotics is not just about building robot. It brings together knowledge in different fields by combining mechanical, electrical, electronic and programming skills. Robotics involves verity of maths, information technology and engineering concepts.

Tractor Robot



Push Bot







Concepts learn by robotic club students

- · Programming paradigms
- Decision control structure
- Functions and sensors
- Motion and types of motion
- · Momentum and its conservation
- · Usage of gear systems
- · Different kind of robotics mechanism
- Speed, distance and time

MODELS MADE BY CLUB AND HOBBY STUDENT





Multi Gear Crane





Story telling is an age old tradition and stories have been shared in every culture as a means of entertainment, education, cultural preservation and instilling values. It forms a crucial part in developing a child's overall personality. The purpose of a story teller is not to tell you how to think but to give you questions to think.... We at the story telling club began with arranging our library, learning how to look for the books of interest, watching a few stories, learning about authors and listening to Ted Talks on the experiences of a few writers. we enjoyed our sessions discussing the characters in the stories, doing crafts related to the books read, giving our own endings to the stories, sharing a story from our memory....slowing moving ahead in becoming good story tellers.

Mrs. Shalini Verma



KISHANGARH SHIELD TRIANGULAR TOURNAMENT 2016-17



In its journey of 87 years, the Kishangarh Shield Triangular Tournament which started in 1930 has gone through different formats. This tournament was initially played between the senior schools of Mayo College, Ajmer and Daly College, Indore. Later, the Scindia School Gwalior joined and it became a triangular fixture. Now from the year 2012, it is played among the Junior Schools of Mayo, DC and Scindia. The teams play Hockey, Cricket and Football matches in this tournament. This year it was hosted by Scindia School, Fort, Gwalior from 23rd -25th February, 2017. Performance of Daly College in brief- Cricket- DC played its 1st match against Mayo and Mayo was convincingly defeated by 63 runs. We scored 140 at the loss of 3 wickets. Captain Aviraj Narang scored 48 runs, Arya Bhatia 39 and Advava Goel 19. Mayo was all-out at 77 runs in the 16th over. Mithlesh and Arya Bhatia took 2 wickets each. In the second match against Scindia, DC scored 114 runs for 3 wickets. Arya Bhatia scored 44 runs and Nihaan Jain was not-out for 26. DC lost by 7 wickets in the last over. Ayan Maheshwari was the most economic bowler, 4 overs, 1 maiden, 11 runs, 1 wicket. The Salim Khan Cup for cricket was retained by DC for the 6th time in row. Arya Bhatia of DC







was awarded the Best Batsman of the tournament. Football - Daly College played its 1st match against Mayo and lost by 2-1. Aditya Sultania scored the goal for Daly. In the second match, Daly College won against Scindia by 1-0. The sole goal of the match was scored by Manpreet Singh. He was given the best defender of the tournament award. Raghav Agrawal (Goalkeeper), Guryash Singh Chhabra, Vansh Mundhra, Raghumanyu Singh Chundawat and Mritunjay Singh's performance was worth praising. Hockey- 1st match of hockey between Daly -Scindia was a goalless draw. In its 2nd match, DC lost by 0-1 against Mayo. Pratham Kohli of Daly College was given the Best Mid-Fielder award. Giriraj Singh (Goal Keeper), Mehul Patwari (Captain), Aditya Parekh, Mayurdhwaj Singh Rawal and Gourav Singh were the star players of Daly College.

Mayo College, Ajmer was the overall winner of the Kishangarh Shield 2016-17.

Aviraj Narang VI C, Mehul Patwari VI A, Hreem Mishra VI A























































With bags full of hope and excitement! to the brim, the tiny toes marched in, clad in fresh set of new uniform, a distinctly demarcated pinkt-shirt for girls and blue for boys with denims, in the new school named DCDS, DC Day School, like a seething colony of crawling ants. The introduction to the premises and the teachers was conducted and it was made sure to make the newbie's comfortable in the new arena. The art activities were pre planned by the teachers which the kids attempted with zeal and were overly excited to carry it back home. The new school also brought in fresh and novel ideas to be incorporated in the exciting curriculum.

Yoga was introduced, where in all the classes from Nursery to Class I, exercised their limbs and minds together outside. The involvement of each child to the activities and learning in a play way method has been the focal point of this school. Various activities were planned like the story sessions with puppetry. Tiffin party, Red day, Rattling rains art activity, vocabulary enhancement, Assemblies with presentations of the topics taken in the classes, like Monsoon, table manners, festivals, transport, helpers, magical words, and Field trips. Festival celebrations always bring in a high level of enthusiasm. The Independence day showcased a National song singing performance by all classes, kids dolled up in traditional attires. The presentations were crafted skillfully demonstrating 'India' inclusive of vivid states, food, attires, languages, habits and culture. Quiz sessions were instrumented and the participation was a worth watch. Annual function, the most awaited event by all, Parents, Children and teachers was weaved with various dances and drama, where little feet tapped to the music with perfection and poise. They truly mesmerised the audience.

Dusshera and Diwali were celebrated with a fervour through enactments and presentations and decorated divas at their abode.

Academic sessions were in full swing children in nursery and LKG getting thorough and confident with the phonics and the UKG getting on to the reading. Class I was gearing up for the evaluations. Smooth sailing was evident in every endeavour. The onset of winter brought the Christmas break. The children retired home with Christmas carols and jingling bells awaiting the Santa with cherished gifts on the D. Day.

The mid session of DCDS ended with more promises and accomplishments to be met in the coming months!

We believe, "If the child doesn't learn the way we teach.....
Teach him the way he learns."

Mrs. Shraddha Hasija



Our little ones returned to the school, a tad bit older and wiser, after a much refreshing winter break and slipped into their routine with much ease.

The teachers geared up with the completion of the syllabus but kept the element of fun alive. The good weather was marked with an eagerly awaited trip to the Zoo, where the children were beaming with excitement! Makar Sankrati brought in a change of weather and Kite flying became a new adventure sport, at least for a few days!!

Being a patriotic bunch, 26th January brought in a wave of emotions as the country praises could be heard being sung in the classroom during the "The India Week"!

The winter fest was celebrated with much zeal to the mark the end of the chilly weather! Related art and craft activities were done in abundance. Nature walks, story sessions in the Sun and presentation shown enhance the spirit of winters!

Spring was welcomed with open arms with the Basant Panchami celebrations. Children came dressed in their prettiest yellow and orange shades, adding more colour and sparkle to the Malwa House premises.

With all the ongoing activities, we are still never the ones to let academics take a back seat.

The teachers and students, as a team continue to progress enthusiastically in that arena. After all, moving to a 'Bigger' class is always motivation enough!!!

Mrs. Smity Kasliwal



















CULTURAL ACTIVITIES



From the Deputy Dean's Desk.

No culture can live, if it attempts to be exclusive." - Mahatma Gandhi

Change is quintessential to life and DC with the end of 2016, saw, "....the old order changeth yielding place to new..."

One of the changes was that of Mr A.S. Ansari taking over as the Vice Principal and hence I was given the charge of the Cultural Activities of the School, encompassed in the premises of CTDC.



The Cultural aspect of DC has been strong and I can say with confidence that we have a very talented faculty, housed in CTDC and they have been doing a great job of training students for various competitions along with helping the interested ones in developing their skills.

It would defeat the purpose of the other reports that follow, if I were to enumerate the achievements of the Cultural groups that have made their presence felt and been noticed and applauded in different cities and climes, from the beautiful prize winning Mime at Scindia Fort, to being judged the best IPSC Music team at SKV and wowing the audience down south at Udipi with our graceful dancers, who lifted the IPSC trophy. Suffice to say that the DC teams have done the school proud and have kept the red and white flag flying high. Our team of dancers made it to an International Cultural Festival at Shanghai, representing India and have this year been invited to the International Cultural Festival at Romania and Bulgaria, again bearing the tricolour!

With the passing out of the batch of 2016, we have sent out into the world some of our best musicians and dancers and artists. However the journey of training more hearts, minds and hands is on and it is with great pride and confidence that I say, that the dedicated team of trainers is doing a total hands on job to retain DC's position.

In an atmosphere of international discrimination and hate crimes against people of different races, unleashed after the recent US elections, Mahatma Gandhi's words of no culture being exclusive, gains more significance. Culture is our identity and soul and yet we look at the young ones and see with every batch a new flavour, a new colour, a new dimension being added to how we express ourselves on stage. The coming generations have shown a marked sensitivity to social issues, as was evident from the plays they staged during the inter house events.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all parents for their wonderful support!

Thus it is with great hope that I look forward to the coming session, for there is nothing more wonderful than to see a young one unfurl his inner being and add another tinge, another shade to the rainbow of DC colours and enrich it with their fragrance.

Ms. Priti Sable, Dy. Dean of Cultural Affairs.

English Literary Society

The stifling heat of April brought the first major endeavour of the English Literary Society, the organization of the D.E. Jack Memorial Debate. Daly college had the opportunity to host 14 public schools from all over India. Our debaters gave a tough competition and Minakshi Mangal of Daly College was the first Runner -up. July was packed with in -school activities. The first activity was the English Extempore Speech Competition. Among the 10th graders, Ansh Anand bagged the first prize, Vedant Jain the second while Manan Pahwa received the third prize. Rohan Jain, Abbas Khan and Shubh Parekh of class 11 stood first second and third respectively. Arjun Singh of class 12 was well received by the judges and the audience. He not only stood first but also won the Best Speaker Award. Adya Jha and Minakshi Mangal, also from grade 12, shared the second position. The amazing oratory skills displayed by the senior students of Daly College had raised the bar for the young ones which they certainly lived up to. Among the 7th graders, Naina Karla stood first, Ansh Mohta stood second and Mehar Kulkarni stood third . Samarth Bajpai, Praduman Chandok and Rudra Sehgal of Tagore house stood first second and third respectively from class 8. Among the class 9 participants, Khush Bachawat won the first prize, Nakul Singh got the second prize and Ayushman Chowdhry stood third. The Best Speaker of the competition was Samarth Bajpai. The second activity was the English Debate - Cambridge Style level 1 which ignited great excitement. In this event, Ahilya house stood first, Bharati house second and Tagore house stood third. This was followed by the third activity which was the English Debate - Parliamentary style. Here, Parinav Putran of Vikram house with his sparkling verbosity received the Best Speaker Award; Ankit Attri of Jawahar House with his excellent content won the second Best Speaker Award and Vedant Jain from Vikram House with his powerful eloquence stood third. The standard of debate gave immense satisfaction to the English Literary Society. Equally satisfying was the wonderful show put up by some of our budding debaters in Level II English Debate - Cambridge style. The first position was captured by Indira house, second by Ahiliya and third by Bharti house. In the level II English Debate- Parliamentary Style, Mihika Vats from Ahilya house was adjudged the Best Speaker for her content and delivery. The second Best Speaker was Ashmi Jha from Bharati house and the third Best Speaker was shared by Gaurika Anand and Ameya Nambudari from Indira house . Heartiest congratulations to all the winners! Mrigank Shekhar Singh represented the school at the Oliphant Debate Competition at Welham Boys' Dehradun in which he, with his repertoire, claimed the Best Speaker Award in the Preliminary Round. Ankit Attri, one of our veteran debaters, won the Best Speaker Award (in the preliminary round) at the Platinum Jubilee Debate at Scindia school, Gwalior. Our team of upcoming debators was all set for Col. Frank Von Goldstein Memorial Debate at YPS, Patiala but unfortunately the debate was called off by the host school. This year, a number of prestigious debates like Gibson Memorial Debate at Mayo, J.K. Kate Memorial Debate at Nabha and LKS Gotan had to be dropped as the dates clashed with the dates of our examinations. The ELS also organized the Salter Zutshi English Essay Competition at two levels. The result is still awaited. The VI English Olympiad Exam was held in our school and 316 students appeared in it. The exam was conducted by SOF and British Council, New Delhi. The students won around 19 medals- 8 Gold, 6 silver and 5 bronze. Herman Bagga and Mayank Singh received Rs. 2500/- for winning the Zonal Merit Certificate. Arushi Jain, Arnav Mittal, Janith Madhok, Shivansh Bagadia, Kharissa Mehan, Sara Qureshi won a gold medal for excellence and received a cash prize of Rs. 1000/-. Competitions like these help students to improve their vocabulary ,comprehension and quick thinking. In the coming months, ELS looks forward to send our debaters to various public schools to be a part of their debates. We are also excited to host participants from across the country for the VIII Invitational Debate at Daly College



A REPORT BY Veena Roy Chowdhury I/C Literary Activities

हिंदी साहित्य परिषद् २०१६–१७

महाकवि सुमित्रानंदन पन्त ने ठीक ही कहा है कि हिंदी हमारे राष्ट्र की अभिव्यक्ति का सरलतम स्रोत है और इस अभिव्यक्ति को निखारने में हिंदी साहित्य परिषद् विद्यालय में एक महत्त्वपूर्ण भूमिका निभाता आ रहा है। हर वर्ष की भांति यह वर्ष भी हिंदी साहित्य परिषद के लिए रचनात्मक, ऊर्जा, उत्साह एवं सफलता से परिपूर्ण रहा। विद्यालय द्वारा आयोजित वार्षिक साहित्यिक प्रतियोगिताओं में विद्यार्थियों ने उत्सुकता से अपनी भागीदारी दर्ज कराई तथा अपने साहित्य कौशल का लाजवाब प्रदर्शन किया। हिंदी तात्कालीन भाषण-प्रतियोगिता के जूनियर-समूह में कक्षा सातवीं की संजलि कृष्णा ने प्रथम, आंठवी के वंदित बड़जात्या ने प्रथम तथा कक्षा नौवीं के आयुष्मान चौधरी एवं ऋषिका जैन ने प्रथम स्थान प्राप्त किया तथा संजलि कृष्णा को सर्वश्रेष्ठ वक्त्री का पुरस्कार प्राप्त हुआ। इसी प्रतियोगिता के सीनियर-समूह में कक्षा दसवीं के मानस रघुवंशी ने प्रथम, कक्षा ग्यारहवीं के ईशान जैन ने प्रथम तथा कक्षा बारहवीं की प्रियल गोदावत ने प्रथम स्थान प्राप्त किया।ईशान जैन को सर्वश्रेष्ठ वक्त चुना गया। अंतर्गृह हिन्दी वाग्मिता प्रतियोगिता के सीनियर-समूह में प्रद्युम्न मालपानी ने पहला स्थान प्राप्त किया तथा वे सर्वश्रेष्ठ वाग्मी चुने गए. प्रतियोगिता के जूनियर-समूह में अमोल चितले, चिराग सालवान तथा मानव संघवी ने प्रथम स्थान प्राप्त किया. अंतर्गृह हिंदी वाद-विवाद प्रतियोगिता के सीनियर-समूह में प्रथम चरण में भाव्या परमार को सर्वश्रेष्ठ वादी तथा अनुष्का राठौर को सर्वश्रेष्ठ खंडनकर्ता चुना गया. अंतिम चरण में माधवी मोयदे और निशि फसाटे को सर्वश्रेष्ठ वादी तथा अंकित अत्री और प्रत्यूषा न्याती को सर्वश्रेस्ठ खंडनकर्ता के खिताब से नवाजा गया. इसी प्रतियोगिता के जूनियर-वर्ग में प्रथम चरण में अथर्व येवले के श्रेष्ठ वादी चुना गया. अंतिम चरण में महिका जैन को सर्वश्रेष्ठ वादी तथा जारा चंदूरवाला को सर्वश्रेस्ठ खंडनकर्ता का ख़िताब प्रदान किया गया. प्रतिवर्ष आयोजित होने वाली मैहर हिंदी निबंध प्रतियोगिता के सब-जूनियर समूह में अमेया नम्बूदरी को प्रथम जूनियर-समूह में आदित्य अग्रवाल को तथा सीनियर-समूह में वैभव पारिख के निबंध को पहला स्थान प्राप्त हुआ, द दून स्कूल देहरादून द्वारा आयोजित कमला जीवन अंतरविद्यालयी वाद-विवाद प्रतियोगिता में डेली कॉलेज से गुनीत छाबरा, प्रद्युम्न मालपानी और ईशान जैन ने भाग लिया जिसमें गुनीत व ईशान को प्रथम दो चरणों में सर्वश्रेस्ठ वक्त्री / वक्ता घोषित किया गया। वहीं दूसरी ओर सिंधिया स्कूल, ग्वालियर द्वारा आयोजित अंतरविद्यालय वाद-विवाद प्रतियोगिता में विद्यालय से इशिता सुरेखा, भव्या परमार और मृगांक शेखर सिंह ने शिरकत की एवं अंतिम चरण में अपना स्थान बनाया। इस बार जोधपुर में आयोजित आई पी एस सी लिटरेरी फेस्ट में प्रद्युम्न मालपानी, देवांगना चौहान और लिपि जोशी ने सराहनीय प्रदर्शन किया। डेली कॉलेज द्वारा प्रतिवर्ष आयोजित की जाने वाली पद्मश्री जे.के काटे स्मृति अंतरविद्यालयी हिन्दी वाद विवाद प्रतियोगिता में डेली कॉलेज की टीम विजेता तो न बन सकी परंतु व्यक्तिगत रूप से टीम ए की सदस्य मधुमिता बनर्जी ने सराहनीयं प्रदर्शन करते हुए आरंभ और अंतिम चरण में सर्वश्रेष्ठ वक्त्री का तथा टीम बी के प्रद्युम्न मालपानी ने प्रथम चरण में द्वितीय सर्वश्रेष्ठ वक्ता का खिताब अपने नाम किया. स्वतंत्रता दिवस पर इशिता सुरेखा तथा गणतंत्र दिवस पर अनन्या शर्मा ने विद्यार्थियों को संबोधित किया। दोनों के ही भाषणों को श्रोताओं की सराहना प्राप्त हुई. वार्षिकोत्सव

के अन्तर्गत हिंदी विभाग ने विषय 'कहती हैं स्त्रियाँ' विषय पर कविता पोस्टर की आकर्षक प्रदर्शनी लगायी. हिंदी साहित्य परिषद् द्वारा आयोजित किये जाने वाले सभी कार्यक्रम में प्रत्यक्ष एवं परोक्ष रूप से सहायता व मार्गदर्शन प्रदान करने के लिए प्राचार्य श्री सुमेर सिंह, वरिष्ठ उप-प्राचार्य श्री अहमद सुलेमान अंसारी ,डिप्टी डीन कल्चरल अफेयर्स सुश्री प्रीती साबले, हिंदी

कुसुम हरने, श्री उत्पल बनर्जी, श्रीमती मुदिता पचौरी, श्रीमती अपूर्वा बनर्जी, श्री प्रशांत त्रिपाठी, श्री बृजेश भटोरे श्री विनित वांगे, डॉ योगेश्वर शुक्ला तथा डॉ विजय राजोपाध्याय के प्रति हृदयपूर्वक आभार प्रकट करता हूँ .

प्रद्युम्न मालपानी ११वीं सी आई ई



Quiz

The year 2016-17 was very eventful, especially for quizzing. The DC team participated in many different quizzes in different parts of the country. This year, quizzing saw excellent participation from the Dalians. The year began on a high note as Vaibhav Parik and Rishabh Shrimal qualified to represent DC as one of the 27 teams from all around the country at the India Today News Wiz. The quiz was broadcast on India Today TV channel and they put up a spectacular show. Later, DC finished winners in the Leo Club Creative Quiz. The team comprised — Ishan Jain, Disha Dawar, Anoushka Rathore, Vrinda Verma, Amaan Chandurwala, Shivpriya Singh,

Amaan Chandurwara, Shivpriya Shigh, Siddharth Parik, Ajitika Ajeet Singh, Ansh Anand, Anand Nair, Nishit Mittal, Devansh S. Chauhan, Tanmay Khandelwal,

Arjun Singh, Aaryaman Simhal and Revant Jhalani

Adya Jha, Sana Hasija and Anushree Gupta continued to win laurels for the school as they finished Runners -up at the Psychology Quiz organized in Delhi. The juniors proved their mettle as Mehak Kulkarni won the Eco Quiz and Ansh Sepaha secured the 2nd Runner- up position. In another quiz, Vaibhav Parik and Rakshit Assudani sealed victory in the Lex Quiz organized on the occasion of National Law Day.

The Inter house competitions were very interesting and competitive. In the Lunawada Quiz, Tagore house won the trophy, beating the Old Dalians for the second time in succession. The Old Dalians graciously decided to give up their prize and thus, Rajendra house finished 2nd and Ashok house finished 3rd. Overall, this year was full of achievements and wins. With this generation of quizzers signing off with its share of great achievements, the juniors are becoming ready to step in their shoes and take the baton from them.



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ELECTRONICS

The year 2015-2016 started with the new and the old students giving their best. Electronics is a difficult but an interesting hobby which is full of devices that form the basis for careers related to engineering. As the new Science stream syllabus has the basics of electronics, students are very enthusiastic about Electronics. When a new student joins this hobby he has to learn the basic theory of electronics i.e. capacitors, diodes, transistors, resistors and its colour-code chart and know about coils and transformers too which may be confusing initially, but when they are used in the projects provided, it becomes fun and helps in project implementation. It's a bit risky using soldering iron

but life is boring without the element of calculated risks. All this can be fun particularly under the guidance of our teacher, Mr. A.M. Gandhi.

The Electronics department participated in the exhibition and did extremely well. The projects prepared by the students were highly technical. This year we learnt a little about Robotics & Infra Red System based circuits. The students were applicated by the chief guest and parents. This year Gurushaan Singh Gill got the college prize for the best student in Electronics. For us, sky is the limit and we hope



we can make more sophisticated projects next year. Some of our very talented students, Gurushaan Singh Gill, Aditya Koolwal, Harshen Patel, Aditya Garg, and Shalavya Agrawal prepared wonderful exhibits for the exhibition which include: 10 in 1 Remote Robo Car Project, L-2 Wireless Remote Car, Sound Operated Switch, Water Level Controller, Basic Robo Car, Laser Switch and Burglar Alarm. We thank our mentor, Mr. Gandhi for guiding us at every step and ensuring that we are growing by the year in terms of knowledge.

A REPORT BY
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English Dramatics

"All the world's a stage, and the men and women merely players" William Shakespeare The year 2016-17 was a very successful year for all the hobbies, especially English Dramatics. Our session commenced in the mid of April with different classes being assigned the same task i.e. sing three English/Hindi songs which was the most difficult task for everyone. But as we came towards the end of this ice breaking session, we realized that it was the first and the most important step in English Dramatics. This helped us understand the changes that were required to become better at Dramatics. Our teacher made us understand that voice modulation and getting into that particular character was very important. After this, each of us was assigned to make our own script and the best script was performed in front of Sir. Each class performed a different script like class 7th D and 7th CIE performed, 'The Sweet Seller' which revolved around the life of a sweet seller who used to sell sweets in a village. The idea was taken from R.K.Narayan's great books, "The Vendor of Sweets" which was published in 1967. Class 8th performed, 'The Bank Robbery' and 'Being Strange'. Being Strange was a story about two teen friends one of whom had turned into a werewolf. The other friend helped him to get rid of this situation and always supported him. Using props in our plays was one of the main aspects. After each play that we presented, our teacher pointed out the mistakes and later helped us in improvising them. The level of the students and their spoken English has improved drastically this year. Moreover the quality and the ideas of the play have been one of the best this year. We ended this session with learning a lot about drama under the guidance of our Sir and we hope to continue this next year also. We hope that the upcoming students will take Dramatics to a new level and create an example for the next generation also. At the end, we would like to thank the Deputy Dean of Cultural Affairs, Ms. Priti Sable and our teacher, Mr. Anshul Trivedi for their tremendous support and wonderful opportunities that they have given us. A REPORT BY

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हिंदी नाट्य

हिंदी नाट्य हिंदी नाट्य विभाग के लिए 2016 सफलता से भरा हुआ रहा। सत्र के आरम्भ में हिंदी ड्रामा क्लब में संख्या उत्साहवर्धक रही। भव्या सिंह को सचिव और जूही मांढरे को सहसचिव चुना गया। अंतर्ग्रह हिंदी नाट्य स्पर्धा में अशोक गृह को प्रथम, विक्रम गृह को द्वितीय और जवाहर गृह को तृतीय स्थान प्राप्त हुआ। पर्वराज पाटनी सर्वश्रेष्ठ

अभिनेता चुने गए। देवांगन माधवेन्द्र और रक्षित ने द्वितीय स्थान प्राप्त किया। प्रतियोगिता में सभी का अभिनय सराहनीय रहा। प्रतियोगिता का शीर्षक था

'कोई भी ऐतिहासिक प्रसंग'।

इस वर्ष आय.पी.एस सी ड्रामा फेस्टिवल का आयोजन सिंधिया स्कूल ग्वालियर में किया गया। इस प्रतियोगिता में 13 विद्यालयों ने भाग लिया। प्रतियोगिता में डेली कॉलेज की तरफ से मयंक कूलवाल, प्रदयुम्न मालपानी, निशी फसाटे, सायशा त्रिवेदी, जूही मांढरे, सलोनी पांडेय ने भाग लिया प्रतियोगिता को तीन भागों में विभाजित किया गया था। डेली कॉलेज को माइम में प्रथम स्थान प्राप्त हुआ। जिसमें विभिन्न सामाजिक मुद्दों को गाँधी जी के तीन बंदरों के द्वारा दर्शाया गया। हमारे वार्षिक उत्सव में रामचंद्र चितले द्वारा लिखित और निर्देशित नाट्क 'तलाश एक वर' खेला गया जिसमें अगोल वितले, राधवराज सिंह, शानू सिंह, केशव भटोरे, जयविन गुप्ता, समर्थ मुले, भव्या परामार, खुश भवावत, निकुंज सिंघल, ईशराज सिंह, सूर्याश सिन्हा, सलोनी पांडेय, शैली चौधरी, अलेक्सिस, कर्टनी, जोई, निकोल, महक राचन्दानी और हर्षबर्धन भावनानी ने भाग लिया।

नाट्य विभाग आशा करता है कि भविष्य में अभिनय के क्षेत्र में और नयी संभावनाओं को अवसर मिलेगा और श्री रामचंद्र चितले के निर्देशन में डेली

कॉलेज का नाट्य विभाग सफलताओं ने नए क्षितिजों को स्पर्श करेगा।

A REPORT BY जहीं मांहरे शहशचिव



Fine Arts

"Art washes away from the soul the dust of everyday life." Pablo Picasso

The new session kicked off with resolutions to hone our skills further and thus accomplish new goals. Our art room is a place where we rejuvenate ourselves through new ideas and boundless but channelized energy. Art helps us to be connected, not only with our lives and the world around, but it also makes us confident about other subjects too. Because here we really learn to see. . .learn to

For some of us, art is a hobby and for others it is a subject. However, for the whole year we all were equally involved in the process of learning and creating simultaneously. This year, we played with shades of black and gray in monochrome paintings. We also created marble prints on paper, made colourful owls following the traditional wooden toys of Bengal, then we made collagraphs, but instead of taking prints we coloured the plates which gave a wonderful 3D effect. We experimented with the medium of printmaking by etching on the zinc plates. We learnt to draw human figures, made cartoons and caricatures of famous personalities, played with jute thread and used them as bold lines in our paintings. We created images with different kinds of fabrics instead of colours. Our paper cutting compositions were appreciated by all. A huge Warli painting was done by us on a canvas of 1.52 m x 5 m and presented to the Indore Cancer Foundation. We created beautiful masks, hangings pots with floral and geometric designs, decorative mirror frames, negative and positive designs and portraits of clowns. Our senior students happily spread their wings of imagination on big canvases which resulted into striking and thoughtful paintings. This year, the IPSC Visual Arts Fest, 2016 was held at Mayo Girls', Ajmer. Our talented team escorted by Ma'am Arpita Dasgupta won the overall third position whereas the host school and Mayo Boys' stood 1st and 2nd respectively. Our team consisted of nine children namely, Disha Dawar, Mahak Gupta, Shantanu Singh Bhagel, Muskan Asawa, Ajay Lulla, Madhumita Banerjee, Neha Johri and Shubhika Parekh all from Class XII and Anjali Dawar from Class XI. In the Portrait Study From Life, Disha Dawar stood first, in Macramé, Neha Johari and Anjali Dawar came second, in Pottery, Shantanu Baghel stood second and in Digital Manipulation, Ajay Lulla and Muskan Asawa got the second position. It is indeed the efforts of many that the year has been a successful one. Our profound thanks to each one who has contributed to our success.

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Photography

'A picture is a poem without words!'

The Daly College photography department has been working extremely hard and doing well. The walls of the department showcase the hard work of each and every student photographer. We have come up with new ideas and the credit of our success goes to Mr. Ramesh Gahlot. Students have also made amazing handmade frames and come up with a variety of ideas displaying their work with assistance from our teacher. In order to hone their skills, the department encourages the students to click pictures at various school events. We are not here to show people what they can already see.

We are here instead ,to give them an experience which they otherwise never would. We are here to capture precious moments, preserve them which otherwise would have been forgotten, effaced with the passage of time. Some of our talented photographers are Aditya Singh, Khushi Thakar, Anshika Singh, Lakshika Singh, Reyansh Raj Dhabhai, Parv Bakliwal, Keshav Agrawal, Keshav Kapoor and Kartik Vekaria who have displayed their creative best and are Picassos in the making!

Woodcraft

The new session kicked off with a lot of excitement and enthusiasm. Many new students with tremendous talent joined us. It is one of the favourite hobbies among students. Each year we grow, we learn and come up with new and innovative ideas and so this year too, the students with their hard work and dedication, carved some breath taking pieces of art. Wood craft requires a blend of both strength and creativity and

also a lot of patience and precision. Keeping all this mind,

the students made quite difficult projects involving carving, precise cutting and tracing. This year the college prize for wood craft was received by Pranjal Pathak. Other students who have put in their hard work are Aryaman Singh, Krishant Totla, Digant Raja, Toshan Kumar Pal, Kostubh Singh, Gaurang Goel, Vaibhav Gupta, Priyam Raj, Nirdwand Singh, Saransh Bhachawat, Prashast Agrawal, Anirudh Nilosey, Anirudh Sumanth, Vishwas Sethi and Vivek Jaiswal. Wood craft exhibition this year displayed some very innovative work by the students. We also added a new section to the exhibition which showcased the talent possessed by the students of junior school which was highly praised by the chief guest, Mr. Arun Yadav who himself was in this hobby when he was at school. We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to our teachers, Mr. Sudhir Ranade and Mr. Shankar More under whose guidance we have learnt so much and who have encouraged us to try making something new and different every time. We would also like to thank Ms. P. Sable for her support and motivation.

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Sculpture, Pottery & Ceramics

" It is not always about creativity, it's about the person you are becoming while you are creating ."

Sculpture, Pottery & Ceramics are art forms that ,unlike painting, printmaking and photography exist in 3-dimensional space. Most of the work can be explored from all sides. A 3- dimensional aspect challenges the artist and offers a new set of opportunities for expression. This lesson is meant to introduce the students to some of the more common forms of sculpture, pottery & ceramics as well as to a few of the terms used for description and discussion. We were geared up for the year 2016 which had a lot in store for us. The creativity of the students was at its hilt which could be seen in the exhibits prepared by them. The grand event of the year, The Annual Exhibition had the students working indefatigably to make the exhibition a success and their hard work ultimately paid-off. The students worked enthusiastically expressing their emotions using clay, plaster of Paris, fiber, wire scrap etc. to create real life masterpieces like the abstract form of a deer, tricycle, an angel and so on which were greatly appreciated by the guests at the exhibition. The students could be seen making beautiful and attractive glazed pots and terracotta murals as well as ceramic art of all shapes, sizes, designs and patterns displaying their creativity throughout the year. Shantanu Singh Baghel participated in the IPSC Pottery competition at Mayo Girls' School, Ajmer and received the second position. The students who made remarkable projects are Shantanu Singh Baghel who made a man in a relaxing mood and a tiger, Saloni Agrawal made a deer, Prabal Jhala made a bicycle, Gavya Daga and Kushagra Mittal made joy of life, an exhibit representing friendship, Vishesh Manghani made a dancing couple and Naman Bhansali made a mother and a child. We have some more artists who are doing extremely well. Saumya Agrawal made a ceramic and a terracotta mural, Sanchay Jain made a ceramic model and experimented with shapes and glazes, Saumya Kakani made terracotta masks and Sharya Surya made terracotta coil pots. Our profound gratitude to our mentors, Mr. Santosh Prajapati Mrs. Eshna N. Joshi and Mrs. Anshu Singh for without them, we would not have done so well. We are grateful to Miss Priti Sable for her constant support and cooperation.

A REPORT BY Shantanu Singh Baghel X99 A





Needle Work

Needle work is something very basic and must be known to everyone. Our school promotes this art and we learn about this in our hobby class. It gives us the opportunity to learn many types of stitches and combinations. To name a few, we learnt stem stitch, button hole stitch and some more. We also learnt things such as lamp shades, phone covers, bags and hammocks out of musician threads. Two of stitch and some more. We also learnt things such as lamp shades, phone covers, bags and hammocks out of musician threads. Two of stitch and some more. We also learnt things such as lamp shades, phone covers, bags and hammocks out of musician threads. Two of stitch and some more. We also learnt things such as lamp shades. All secured the 2nd position at the IPSC level held at Mayo College, our seasoned artists, Neha Johari and Anjali Dawar of grades XII and XI secured the 2nd position at the IPSC level held at Mayo College, our seasoned artists, Neha Johari and Anjali Dawar of grades XII and XI secured the 2nd position at the IPSC level held at Mayo College, our seasoned artists, Neha Johari and Anjali Dawar of grades XII and XI secured the 2nd position at the IPSC level held at Mayo College, our seasoned artists, Neha Johari and Anjali Dawar of grades XII and XI secured the 2nd position at the IPSC level held at Mayo College, our seasoned artists, Neha Johari and Anjali Dawar of grades XII and XI secured the 2nd position at the IPSC level held at Mayo College, our seasoned artists, Neha Johari and Anjali Dawar of grades XII and XI secured the 2nd position at the IPSC level held at Mayo College, our seasoned artists, Neha Johari and Anjali Dawar of grades XII and XI secured the 2nd position at the IPSC level held at Mayo College, our seasoned artists, Neha Johari and Anjali Dawar of grades XII and XI secured the 2nd position at the IPSC level held at Mayo College, our seasoned artists, Neha Johari and Anjali Dawar of grades XII and XI secured the 2nd position at the IPSC level held at Mayo College, our seasoned artists, Ne

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Bamboo Craft

At bamboo craft, our year started off with a blast. Our teacher, Mr. Ranade trained the students in making some very fascinating exhibits from bamboo. Manan Oswal made 2 big portraits, Kalas made a lamp and a flower pot and Raghvendra Singh made an incense stick stand and a flower stand. The students take tremendous interest and each year try to experiment ,running their imagination riot. Rohit made a bullock cart ,Samyak made some trays and a helicopter. Class 7 students also made some knives, pencil stands, mats etc. Sarthak made pen stands and a boat which were appreciated by many. Devessh, Archit Asawa, Prateek and Siddhart made some sticks. Ankit Sastiya made a fabulous rocking chair. All the students at bamboo craft, thank Mr. Ranade and Ms. Sable for supporting us throughout the year.



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Music

Music is the voice of our soul. It speaks what cannot be expressed, soothes the mind and gives it rest. 2016 ended as yet another glorious year for the music team of our school. The events started with the new session in April, the first being the Inter house Indian music. It comprised four events. In the

classical vocal solo, Aaryaman Simhal won praises and bagged the first position followed by Ragini Gadgil and Amisha Zalani securing the second and the third positions respectively. The next event was the Indian group song. Ahilya house stole the show with their inspirational song and stood first. The second day of challenges started with the semi classical vocal solo in which Pratyusha Nyati won accolades and bagged the first position followed by Aaryaman Simhal and Amol Chitale. The competition ended with the instrumental solo in which Prakhar Gupta with his par excellent performance on the violin, stood first followed by Abhishek Wadhwani (violin) and Pratyusha Nyati (harmonium). Ahilya house won the trophy for Indian music! Now it was time for the Inter-house western music after the summer break. Yadhuraj Singh of Vikram house surprised the audience by bagging the first position in western vocal solo followed by Mayank Koolwal and Cammond Everett. The next event was the group song in which Bharati house left the entire auditorium awestruck grabbing the first position. The next day began with the instrumental solo, Prakhar Gupta (violin) bagging the first position followed by Nakul Rathore (piano) and Abhishek Wadhwani (violin). The last event was the Instrumental group in which the judges were compelled to give Tagore house the first position. The competition ended with Jawahar house taking the trophy home. The students of Daly College, for the second consecutive year, got an opportunity to perform for the All India Radio at Aakashwani. Aaryaman Simhal sang raag Madhuvanti, Pratyusha Nyati sang a self composed piece, 'Dard-e-Minnat' and Satwik Verma performed a western song. Prakhar Gupta(violin) and Abhishek Wadhwani (harmonium) performed a classical jugalbandi of raag Yaman. In October, the music team comprising 20 students headed to Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya, Gwalior for the IPSC Music competition. The competition included nine events. In the first event which was patriotic cum folk group song, the students of Daly College namely, Aaryaman Simhal, Pratyusha Nyati, Ragini Gadgil, Amisha Zalani, Satwik Verma, Amol Chitale, Tamanna Handa and Kanha Garg stole the show securing the first position. This was followed by light classical solo in which Pratyusha Nyati sang a mesmerising ghazal by Farida Khanum 'Aaj Jane Ki Zid na Karo ' and won the first prize. Aaryaman Simhal sang raag Madhuvanti in the classical vocal solo and he too secured the first position! The piece played by Prakhar Gupta (violin), Abhishek Wadhwani(violin & piano), Amol Chitale (violin) Satwik Verma (guitar), Rohan Mandovara (guitar), Aaryaman Simhal (drums), Nakul Rathore (piano), Amitesh Mohan (piano) in the western instrumental group won everybody's heart and we stood second. Prakhar Gupta added to the chain of successes by bagging the second position in the Indian instrumental solo. He played raag Charukeshi on the violin. Next was the western group song in which our team stood third. The students namely, Pratyusha Nyati, Aaryaman Simhal, Satwik Verma, Cammond Everett, Abhikaran Deo, Amisha Zalani, Ameya Namboodiri, Kanha Garg performed a medley of 'Rolling in the deep, Someone like you and Turning tables'. The audience was impressed by Satwik Verma's western vocal solo 'Hallelujah'. Lastly, Prakhar Gupta played an extraordinary self composed piece on the violin in his western instrumental solo and won applause for the same. The combined efforts of the students and our gurus and loads of practices helped the team lift the overall trophy. Then came the last major event of the year, The Annual Prize Giving. The DC choir performed the famous folk 'Fagunya Mein Rang Ras Ras Barse' which thrilled the audience to the core. The school's orchestra combined the Indian and the western pieces. They played raag Yaman in the former and the latter was a combination

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of the theme music of the movie, Interstellar and the western classical piece, Toccatta. The batch of 2017 has raised the standard of music in Daly College so high that the upcoming batches will have to strain every nerve to maintain the glory or(hopefully) scale even greater heights. All this wouldn't have been possible without our teachers. Our sincere thanks to everybody involved in making us reach wherever we are today and we hope to be even better in times to come.



Dance

'Dancing is not just getting up painlessly like a leaf blown on the wind, dancing is when you tear your heart out and rise out of your body to hang suspended between the worlds.' After winning a national prize in the Udhbhav Utsav, Gwalior held in 2015, the Daly College received an invitation from China to represent India at The Shanghai Tourism Festival. A team of 34 dancers escorted by Mrs. Noopur Dube and Mr. Utpal Banerjee went to China in the month of September. The team

exhibited India's rich cultural heritage by performing different forms of classical dance like Kathak, Odisi and Kathakali and various other folk dances of India. The Daly College dance team consisting of 18 dancers participated in the Udbhav Utsav held at Gwalior, 2016. The team participated in 3 categories namely, pure classical, semi - classical and Indian folk. There were three rounds in which the first round was the qualifying round, second was the national round and the third was the international round. DC was the only team to qualify in all the 3 categories in the 1st round. At the national level, DC stood 1st in classical and semi - classical categories and 2nd in the folk category competing with fifteen teams. In the gala round, which was the final round, DC came 2nd at the international level competing with eighteen teams. The dancers also performed these award winning performances at the Annual Prize Giving. At the Annual Prize Giving, the dancers of DC tried to portray the issues that are rampant in the society like violence, harassment and other such evils concerning women in the Indian society. Through their performances, they tried to express their love and respect not only for their country but for the women of the country too. Some of our seasoned dancers were - Bindiya Jain, Priyal Godawat ,Devyani Sojatia, Chitwan Gupta, Dhruvee Birla ,Vanshika Bhandari, Nandini Maheshwari, Shreya Sojatia, Vidhi Soni, Navyata Jain and Chaheti Agrawal. The dancers also performed authentic and pure form of classical dance form, kathak, which is the heart and soul of the Indian culture. The team consisted of - Madhumita Banerjee, Bindiya Jain, Vanshika Bhandari, Katyayni Singh, Nandini Maheshwari, Yesha Doshi, Vidhi Soni, Navyata Jain, Janhvi Badera and Dhwanika Agrawal. The Daly College dance team brought glory to the school by not only participating but winning the IPSC Dance Fest held in Udipi in the month of December, 2016. The first category was choreography based on the theme "End to Violence". The audience was overwhelmed with emotion seeing the dancers of DC, through their performance, portraying the heartrending terrorism attacks, violence, communal riots and women harassment which have become such common sights in the present scenario. Our school secured the second position in this event and received a lot of appreciation from the schools all over the country. The team comprised Bindiya Jain, Priyal Godawat, Vandini Bhatia, Devyani Sojatia, Madhvi Moyde, Vanshika Bhandari, Vidhi Soni and Navyata Jain. In the western category and the dancers repeated history once again. They presented hip hop and freestyle and this year again, as expected ,their hard work and sincerity paid off when they received the first prize in this category. The group included Bindiya Jain, Madhumita Banerjee, Priyal Godawat, Maanvi Agrawal, Dhuvee Birla, Vanshika Bhandari and Nishant Dawani. Next in the series of performances was the pure form of Rai folk dance from Bundelkhand which comes from the central part of India. The dancers secured the third position and received accolades for their brilliant performance. The members of the folk dance were: Madhumita Banerjee, Bindiya Jain, Priyal Godawat, Vandini Bhatia, Maanvi Agrawal, Chitwan Gupta, Madhvi Moyde, Vanshika Bhandari, Dhruvee Birla and Vidhi Soni. A very proud moment for the dalians was when one of our students, who is a par excellent dancer, Madhumita Banerjee won the second prize for presenting a graceful Kathak solo performance in the category of classical dance category. Continuing the tradition, our school won the overall championship making it our second consecutive win in the IPSC. The dancers of DC received loads of admiration and praise for presenting one of the most entertaining performances of the whole event. The year 2016 was an eventful one as there were achievements aplenty. All these achievements would not have been possible without the hard work and guidance of our dance teacher, Mrs. Noopur Dube. She was the one who directed all the performances where we

A REPORT BY Vanshika Bhandari XD received immense appreciation. This huge victory was impossible without the leadership and efforts of our seniors: Madhumita Banerjee, Bindiya Jain, Priyal Godawat and Vandini Bhatia. Their presence will be missed by everyone in the dance room. Our prefects- Bindiya Jain and Madhumita Banerjee were helpful throughout the everyone in the dance room. Our prefects- Bindiya Jain and Madhumita Banerjee were helpful throughout the year. We wish them luck and all the success for the future. We would like to thank the Dy. Dean of Cultural Affairs, Ms. P. Sable for encouraging and guiding us.

Band

When it's about music, our ears are always listening. From the small bonsai to the great banyan tree ,music is everywhere. Music is something which comes from inside. Someone once said, "Every issue of life can be cured by listening to music". Mr. Ibrahim Khan ,our mentor feels the same. The students this year learned some classic songs such as



Colonel Bogey, Ye Shaam Mastani etc. There was a lot of expectation from them and they tried to live up to the expectations of the teacher and everybody else. In this hobby class, some interesting and intricate pieces were learnt, students honed their skills which in turn prepared them for the various competitions at school and outside. Students also learnt to play the national anthems of different countries such as Australia and China which they presented on different occasions. They even attended the Global Investment Summit. We thank Ms. Priti Sable for her tremendous support and Mr. Ibrahim Khan under whose guidance we have learnt so much.

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Chefs of DC



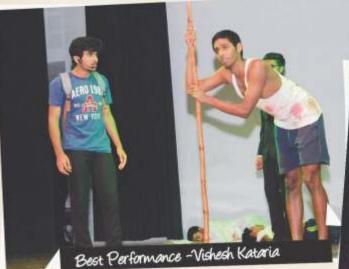
The first year of this new SUPW hobby was a fun filled and fruitful one. The Chefs of DC was started in order to train those students who go out for studies, leaving their comfort zone and be by themselves, during their college years. It's a myth that only girls can take up cooking as a hobby because we saw as a large number of boys opting for the activity. The students learned to cook some of the most amazing dishes which were just as delicious as they looked. They not only confined their cooking to Indian food but also had a chance to experiment the cuisines the world over, under Mr. Balwinder Singh's guidance. The students also had the opportunity to try out new dishes, their own inventions, which were weird but interesting combinations like Pavbhaji Pasta and some more. In all, it has been an amazing year and a lot of new things have been learnt. All these lessons learnt in cooking will definitely help us when we are in dire straits!

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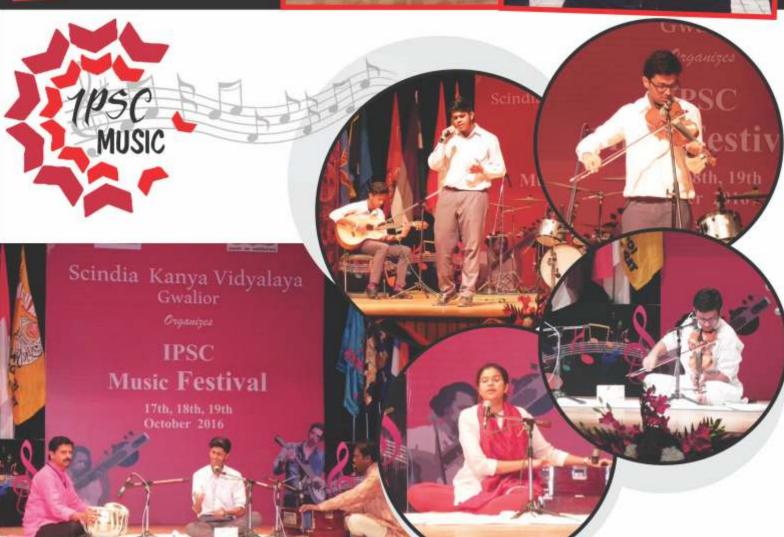




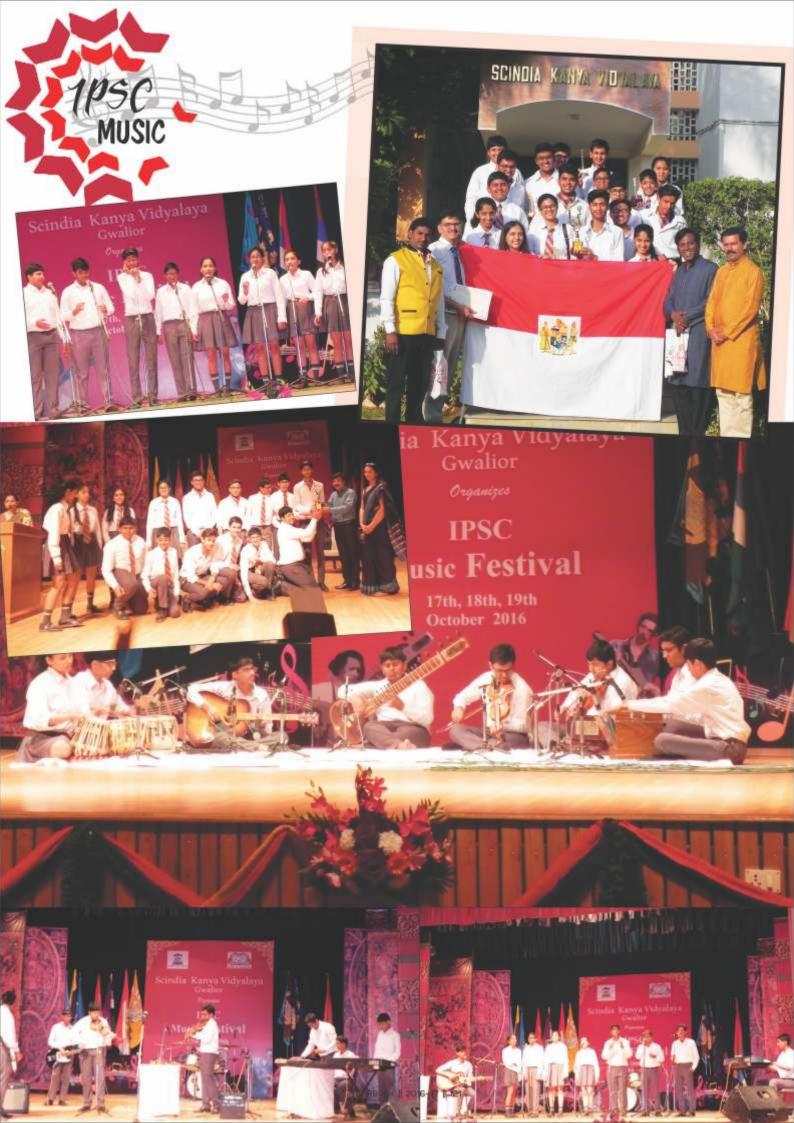




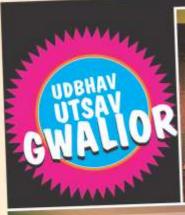




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In this session, Mr. A.K. Singh, the club incharge along with Mr. Sudhir Ranade and Mr. Khalid inculcated discipline, cooperation and coordination among the students which is essential for the students of the adventure club (activities/ sports). The students enthusiastically participated in wall climbing, mountain climbing, trekking, rope climbing etc.

BAKING

There are around 30 students in this club supported by Mr. Benedict John, Mrs. Ragini Norman, Mrs. Neera Tahirlamani, Mrs. Kirti Jain and Mrs. Clover Everett. They have so far made chocolate and sponge cakes, muffins, pizzas, baked vegetables, grilled sandwiches and biscuits.

COOKING

- (1) (Veg Cooking Club Girls) The aim of the children of this club was not only to eat or taste the delicious food made by the whole team but ,also acquire and learn the basic techniques of cooking . The dishes included :- Upma, maalpua, aloo ke paranthe, Suji ka halwa, Poha, Sewai ki kheer, veg cutlets, bread pakora, chole poori and many more.
- (2) (Veg Cooking Club Boys) The teachers helped the students in making dishes like Dal Tadka, Dal Amritsari, Paneer Paratha, Poha, Paneer Chilli. They also taught them how to make dishes without using flame and taught them different types of chopping skills.
- (3) (Non Veg Cooking Club Boys) In this club the boys cooked lots of interesting and tasty dishes from various Indian states. They learnt how to cook Fish Cutlets, Laal Maas, Chicken Korma, Fish Amritsari, Chicken Reshmi Kabab, Chicken Dopyaza, Bhuna Gosht, Omelet, Tandoori Fish Pudina Tikka Spanish Omelet, Fish Fingers etc.

ELECTRONICS

The students learnt the theory of electricity, energy, magnetism, capacitors, resistors, transformers, frequency solar energy. The NVIS Technologies Limited deputed their person with models of the above topics for demonstration. Mr. A.M. Gandhi looks after this activity along with a staff from the NVIS Technology Limited.

DEBATING

The Debating club under the supervision of Mr. Arindam Chattopadhyay and Mr. Sijo Mathew nurture the budding young debaters of DC. The Debating Club proffers the chance to engage the students outside of the formal setting of the classroom and get them thinking about some serious contemporary issues.

MATHEMAGIC

During the course of time, the students discussed mathematical concepts related to their day to day life and nature. The mathematical ideas make children more logically systematic in solving problems in every walk of life. This club helps these young members to connect mathematics directly to their daily lives.

FILM APPRECIATION SOCIETY

The club every year has around 50 members and all of them have had a good learning experience of international and Indian classic movies. Before the movie begins, they all discuss the director, actor, significance, etc. of the movie, and they also share their opinion on the movie after its completion.

ROBOTICS

Children were familiarized with the kind of robots available for performing various tasks; like industrial robots, educational robots, military robots, general-purpose robots, mining robots, healthcare, research & entertainment robots etc. Students of class VII & VIII took keen interest in assembling some of the afore mentioned robots and presented them during the annul exhibition. Mr. Aditya from Scientech India Pvt. Ltd. Indore along with Mr. Rakesh Nagpal, Mr. Sandeep Yeole & Mrs. Kumud Singh guided them.

CREATIVE WRITING

Under the guidance of the HOD, English, Mrs. Veena Roy Chowdhury, the students were asked to write articles, stories, poems and were also asked to debate on several topics. The students also watched certain documentaries, plays by famous authors, and expressed, their views about it.

PSYCHOLOGY

The Psychology club performed numerous activities and have had interactive sessions to enhance and broaden their horizon on the way they look at life. The students particularly enjoyed role playing in groups with topics allocated to them which helped them build life skills pertaining to specific situations in life. Students viewed many movies related to psychology particularly to psychological disorders.

ECONOMISTS' CLUB

Students learnt the importance of economic events like Brexit, Demonetisation, Problems of migration, etc and their relationship to the local, national, and international economy. The club analyzes stock and commodity market trends and how these trends affect individual stocks and commodities. Members of the club have successfully conducted pilot survey and interpretation of the Indore Cancer Foundation.

ENGLISH DRAMATICS

The students of the English Drama club have acquired rudimentary stage skills through the following activities: Body awareness and Breathing Technique; Script reading of The Happy Club; Voice Modulation & Fighting Stage Fear: Playing an Emperor, Ice cream seller, A Garba dancer, A madman; Gothic Makeup Workshop; and Learning to be a Clown. The Nukkad Naatak (bilingual) for the IPSC Drama Competition 2016 was also penned and directed under the aegis of the English Dramatics Club.

ELECTRICAL AND DESIGNING

The students of this club were taught about electric current and safety rules. There were demonstrations of different types of electric wire and transformers installed in Daly College campus. The students visited the Green Centre and were told about the functioning of solar and wind generator. Mr. Soni, through video presentations taught the boys to make a vacuum cleaner using a bottle, to make a small air conditioner at home using a bottle, to make foam cutter at home etc.

PARALLEL TO TECHNOLOGY

In the initial days during this year the basic technologies including Quartz in watches, various types of display technologies (like CRT, LCDs, LEDs, OLEDs, AMOLEDS etc.), various mobile operating systems etc. were taught. Later the focus of this club shifted towards programming and how to use the power of software efficiently, to develop new applications and learn about them. Arjun Singh ,the head prefect ,helped to use smart ways to use modern technology.

HINDI DRAMATICS

This year the Hindi Drama club started with more than 25 children showing their interest in it. Out of the lot 8 students namely, Mayank Koolwal, Kartikey S Rajawat, Pradyuman Malpani, Samarth Muley, Saisha Trivedi, Nishi Fasatey, Saloni and Juhi Mandhare were selected to represent the school at the IPSC Hindi Drama Fest. The students had 3 performances, a one act play, a nukkad natak and a mime. In the mime performance, DC students were the undoubted winners and bagged the first position.

SSL CLUB (Ek Pahel Project)

Almost on every Saturday and Sunday a team of 10 students with their mentor, Ms. Madhuri Moyde had done a lot of activities with the under privileged children of Mayur Nagar, Shiv Nagar, Alok Nagar and Shakti Nagar such as celebrating festivals & special days like New year, Christmas, Rakshabandhan and Ganesh Chaturthi. These children were taught some computer skills like paint and tux, games like football, cricket and basketball. They were also a part of the Young Round Square (YRS) in which students from various countries enlightened them about the cultural differences in the world.

ART APPRECIATION

In the Art Appreciation club this year, the students learned about Negative Positive design composition, calligraphy, pot hangings. They researched and studied about the great artist, Jamini Roy.

FEMINA

The club Femina was founded by Sanaya Modi- also the director of the club- to create awareness about gender discrimination and empower women. There is debating about gender issues, conducting surveys, watching videos that empower women and videos about general awareness. The girls created a video interviewing some of the female helpers of DC who work so hard to make sure the students' stay here is comfortable.

SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

The year 2016-17 brought ample of opportunities for the club consisting of discussions on modern science and scientific facts under the guidance of Mr. Avinash Moyde, Mr. Ravindra Bhavnani and Mr. Brijesh Bhatore. Topics like preparation of soap, science behind spirits, working of electrolytic cells, exploring about explosives made it very informative and interesting. The senior classes mainly focused on the application of electroplating and electrorefining.

READERS' CLUB

The Readers' Club consists of eight members from class VII to X. The teacher incharge ,Mrs. Anamika Ohja supported by Secretary, Abhimanyu Parikh and Joint Secretary, Khushi Khandelwal involves book reading, discussions, watching movies of different genres and playing word games. Some of the books read by the students this year are 'Secret', 'Percy Jackson', 'The Power of your Subconscious Mind', 'Open' (autobiography of Andre Agassi) and many more.

ART POSITIVE

This year the members of Art Positive learned to be valiant and confident in handling of different art media and expressing themselves through the language of Art. As a result some awesome wall hangings with impressive colours and ideas came out. They also tried their hands on original Gond Art, the famous Tribal Paintings of M.P.

PHOTOGRAPHY

This year, the young photographers did a stunning job by clicking magnificent photos in different categories like portrait, scenery, flaura & fauna and conceptual photography etc. The photographers clicked excellent photos with their handy cameras, keeping in mind that it is very difficult to adjust composition, light, and sharpness in these cameras.

QUIZ CLUB

An informal interaction takes place among the members where they discuss some current topics. They then form teams and the Quiz Master conducts the Quiz. In addition, the members do a lot of online guizzes and use the smart board for audio-visual rounds.

BRIDGING THE GAP

The club consisting of 29 students and 3 teachers, Mrs. Sharmila Dominic, Mr. Suniel Rawat and Mr. Neeraj Singh visited Malwa Mill Slum area, Yatan Blind School, State Child Welfare Ashram, National Association for Blind, etc and rendered their services. Recently the students are involved in social work along with IDSSS to support the slum area children in their studies.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The enthusiasm and excitement level has always been high in the historical society, may it be for discussion, watching documentaries or visiting historical places in Indore. This year the members of the society visited the Central Muesum, the Lal Bagh Palace and the Rajwada in Indore.

IAYP CLUB

The club stressed on group discussions, communicative skills, literary activities, service during the RS fete, participation in exhibition and cultural programmes during APG, in various service projects at Inter school level and in various sports tournaments which paved their way finally towards achieving the IAYP award.

MOTOR MECHANICS CLUB

Under the able expertise of the mechanic, Mr Iqbal, the members learnt some knowhow of various parts and working of the engine of a two wheeler and also the functioning of the DC clock.

NEW MUSIC

Under the guidance of Mr. Ibrahim Khan, the students learnt coordination, team spirit and the importance of music. The Daly College Band has got better over the years and every year new students join and make the performance good to one's eyes and ears.



"Education is the premise of progress, in every society, in every family." - Kofi Annan (once Secretary General of the United Nations) The year 2016 is a year of lot of happening. Many people might remember this year for Donald Trump getting elected as the President of the United States, many might remember it for BREXIT or demonetization, but we at the MUN Society remember this year for the achievements and height of success we reached in 2016. This year the MUN society has progressed a lot since last year.

Daly College Youth Parliament 2016

The school had some new experiences this year and the biggest example being the Daly College Youth Parliament, when our school hosted Central India's first Inter School Youth Parliament from 24th to 26th June 2016. It was a landmark conference and we hosted 200 delegates from 17 different schools, which were from India and abroad. Seven vibrant committees were simulated in the conference, which included both Indian committees and the US Senate and the House of Commons. It was a completely student run conference with Dalians as the organizers and the executive boards. The theme of the conference was 'LUVENUS VIRTUTE' which means Youth Power. The conference was a huge success and has marked a new beginning, leaving an appreciable impact on everyone and especially the young delegates who have returned enriched, empowered and ready to bring about a change.



MUN Conferences

Our school won 2 best delegation awards this year, one at National Law Institute and University, Bhopal Model United Nations, where our students competed with college students and yet returned victorious; while the other at Choithram International Model United Nations where our delegates won awards in every committee. This year, 193 students of Daly College have attended 13 MUN Conferences namely,





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- NLIUMUN at the National Law Institute University, Bhopal 13th and 14th February 2016
- MCGSMUN at the Mayo College Girls' School, Ajmer 14th to 17th April 2016
- 3. IHSMUN at the Indian High School, Dubal 28th to 30th April 2016
- DCYP at the Daly College, Indore 24th to 26th June 2016
- 5. PMUN at the Presidium School, Gurgaon 12th to 14th August 2016
- 6. CMUN at the Cathedral and Jon Connon School, Mumbai 19th to 21st August 2016
- 7. DAIMUN at the Dhirubhai Ambani International School, Mumbai 20th to 23rd October 2016
- TRINSMUN at the Trivandrum International School, Trivandrum 5th to 8th November 2016
- 9. CIMUN at the Choithram International School, Indore 10th to 12th November 2016
- 10. YPSMUN at the Yadavindara Public School, Patiala 12th to 14th November 2016
- 11. SCIMUN at the Scindia School, Gwalior 17th to 19th November, 2016
- 12. VHSMUN at the Vivek High School, Chandigarh 18th to 21st November, 2016
- 13. BSMUN at the British School, Delhi 7th to 9th December, 2016









This year also saw an increase in awards with 31 students winning awards from February 2016 to December 2016.

Award Winning students

- Ankit Attri Best delegate at NLIUMUN and CIMUN
- Special Mention at MCGS MUN
- Arnav Mittal Special Mention at NLIUMUN and DCYP
- 4. Pradyuman Chandhok Special Mention at NLIUMUN and Verbal Mention at DCYP and BSMUN
- Mention at DCYP and BSMUN
- 2. Saharsh Choudhary High Commendation at NLIUMUN and 5. Sana Hasija Best Delegate at MCGSMUN and High Commendation at BSMUN
 - Shivam Mulchandani Verbal Mention at MCGSMUN
 - 7. Eshaan Anand High Commendation at IHSMUN
 - 8. Ayushman Choudhary Best Delegate at DCYP

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- Anushka Rathore Best Reporter(Delegate) at DCYP
- Siddhant Parik High Commendation at CIMUN and Special Mention at DCYP
- 11. Yajurva Shrotriya Best Position Paper at PMUN
- Rudra Saigal High Commendation at YPSMUN, Special Mention at DCYP and Verbal Mention at CMUN
- 13. Gaurika Anand Verbal Mention at DCYP
- 14. Yash Verma Outstanding Delegate at TRINSMUN
- 15. Ishan Jain Best Delegate at CIMUN
- 16. Nadia Sheikh Best Delegate at CIMUN
- 17. Ashmi Jha Best Delegate at CIMUN
- 18. Anushree Gupta Outstanding Delegate at CIMUN
- 19. Vaibhay Parik Outstanding Delegate at CIMUN

- 20. Mrigank Singh Outstanding Delegate at CIMUN
- 21. Daksh Maru Outstanding Delegate at CIMUN
- 22. Mohit Patwari Outstanding Delegate at CIMUN
- 23. Rishabh Shrimal Special Mention at CIMUN
- 24. Aishwarya Joshi Special Mention at CIMUN
- 25. Mradul Goyal Special Mention at CIMUN
- 26. Kushal Kothari Special Mention at CIMUN
- 27. Chaitanya Singh Verbal Mention at CIMUN
- 28. Anvesh Singh High Commendation at YPSMUN
- 29. Arushi Jain Verbal Mention at YPSMUN
- 30. Sia Phulambrikar Verbal Mention at YPSMUN
- 31. Nicole McLowskey Verbal Mention at YPSMUN







The MUN Club

Today, MUN is becoming a very important activity in public schools, and thus, the MUN Society has been encouraging more and more children to take part in MUNs. Not only does it help in improving the young MUNners of Class 9 and 10, but also encouraging students from classes 7 and 8, to learn and to look at global problems and situations from a different perspective than what we are used to. It has invariably helped the students to think better and apply their minds to solve even their day to day problems, also adding to their knowledge kitty in turn making them confident young individuals who are ready to take on challenges. The club has 125 members which is one of the largest clubs in the school. Every club day has a new planned activity which is more advanced for the seniors and basic for the juniors. We have activities like Nation Building; Security Dilemma; Position Paper Writing; Resolution Writing; Mock Crisis Simulations, General Knowledge Quiz, Speaking Exercises. The members have had intense discussions on topics like Kashmir and the article 370, Burhan Wani and the uprising of militants in the Kashmir Valley, the Uri attacks and the Istanbul Attacks to name a few. The Club also found solutions for real time crises. This year at the club, our delegates learnt ways and techniques to win awards in an MUN and the efforts definitely paid off as many students from the club won an award in a conference.



We hope that we repeat our successes this year as well as the last year and do even better this year, because learning is a never ending process. The MUN society has organized 2 workshops this year, which include workshops for training the new comers as well as the children who have been going to various conferences. The seniors have also taken various training sessions and have helped the students to understand difficult concepts, such as foreign policy, through various interesting activities.

It has been a good year for the MUN Society and we look forward to having more students being involved and becoming global thinkers.





















9TH DALY-ERMITAGE EYE CAMP

The 9th Daly-Ermitage Eye Camp in collaboration with Choithram Netralaya, SPO and FRS, India was organised at Ganesh Nagar, behind Barfani dham, Indore from February 12, 2017 to February 15, 2017. The camp provided free eye care services to those members of our society who are deprived of the basic medical facilities and lack awareness of the importance of eye care.

The team consisted of 18 Ermitage students, 16 DC Students, 7 Exchange students, 4 NSLI students, 10 teachers, 6 optometrists, 1 doctor and the support staff who cooperated to make the eye camp a memorable one. When the team was constituted, the Dalians spent four days campaigning by going to different slum areas to distribute the flyers. They covered many areas. It was not an easy task going to different places and telling everyone about the camp.

The Dalians were taken to Choithram Netralaya for a training session. They were taught about the defects of vision and the diseases related to impaired vision like cataract. They were taught how to use Snellen's charts to identify the defect of vision and also how to locate cataract in the eye. The optometrists then further examined the patients to assign lenses of appropriate power. They also learned how to deal with the patients. They were shown some videos related to the camp.

During the campaigning, the students realized the significance of the eye camp and eye care. On February 11, 2017 the installation of the camp and campaigning with the Ermitage students began. The team worked out a plan which consisted of distributing pamphlets, going into the localities of the low

income groups and talking to people. During this phase of the camp, all the members had enriching experiences as they met a variety of people.

The camp was organized at Keshar Bai Raghuvanshi Dharamshala, Ganesh Nagar, Indore. The students of Ermitage and DC were separated into two groups: one group for distributing pamphlets and the other for the installation of the camp. The group that participated in the construction had to put up the tents and the chairs the way the departments had assigned. The various departments at work were registration, crowd management, screening and spectacles distribution.

Finally, the day to start the camp arrived, the day we had been waiting for. Mr. Ramesh Mendola, the M.L.A, was the Chief Guest of the function. He appreciated the activities related to eye care that were being carried out by the students of both the schools and how the surrounding population was impacted by this.







The Eye Camp started at 9:00 am to end at 5:00 pm from February 12, 2017 to February 15, 2017. From the registration counter to the spectacles distribution counter, from the beginning to the end, each and every volunteer worked diligently. An efficient team of Choithram Netralaya, from Indore provided free consultation and eye-sight checkup with the help of latest instruments.

The two groups went on separate visits to see the Choithram Netralay, the eye hospital. They learned about eye problems and how the hospital works. We were shown different rooms and met some of the faculty members. A small group got a chance to witness a cataract operation. Later ,they went to visit the Choithram Fountain School next to the hospital.



9TH DALY-ERMITAGE EYE CAMP

They saw many exhibitions on Math, Science, art and dance. After lunch, they visited the school and the hospital's organic farm. It was a great learning experience interacting with the students of the school.

An exciting trip to a shopping mall followed by dinner cheered everyone. Everyone went to the gaming center together where we competed with each other and had a lot of fun. There was a cultural night in the auditorium where the DC students performed dances to give our guests a glimpse of the Indian culture. The students of the Deaf and Dumb School presented an inspiring dance performance. The Ermitage school also sang a song which they had prepared at the last minute. The group had the opportunity to learn Indian art and craft and also cook an Indian meal for themselves at the Chefs of DC.

The Eye Camp was completed successfully with 9003 registrations. 8025 patients were provided with spectacles. Now, the patients could see better due to their corrected refractive vision. 244 patients were identified for cataract operation. All patients went home happily. It is not just eye check-ups and distribution of spectacles, it is the happiness and the smiles of all those individuals whose hearts have been touched and whose lives will change from now on. It is also about bridging the gap between the different sections of the society, developing a sense of responsibility towards the society and much more that cannot be put into words. We are looking forward to continuing to serve the people by making a difference in their lives in the years to come.

Student Committee









DC - LCC -CHOITHRAM - SPO EYE CAMP

"We make a living by what we get, but, we make a life by what we give."

-Winston Churchill

The greatest gift God ever gave man is the gift of sight to see the beautiful and colorful world. Therefore it is the duty of every human being to take care of his eyes. There is a massive need for free eye care in India. This is due to poverty and lack of awareness along with age and gender discrimination. This is where the need for eye camps arises. Keeping this thought in mind, Daly College has been organizing Eye Camps for the last 10 years. The objective of this camp was not just to distribute pamphlets or spectacles. It was the smile and satisfaction on the faces of thousands of people who came with a hope.

The DC - LCC - Choithram - SPO Eve Camp 2017 was held from March 6 - March 8, 2017. Though it seemed to be just 3 days but its preparation began a week before the D-day. Interviews and a few questions by a committee of teachers and the seniors qualified us for the camp. The Dalians campaigned for 4 days before the Lower Canada College students arrived, including a training session at the Choithram Netralaya.

It was an opportunity to know the real India. Interacting with the local people gave an insight into the problems which are often overlooked or taken for granted. When the LCC team arrived, they were welcomed traditionally and trained rigorously. The installation of the camp and campaigning with the Canadians was an amazing experience. It introduced them to our culture. The friendship ties were getting stronger day by day.

The first day enthralled everybody when the day ended with 1720 registrations and 1652 spectacles distributed. The 2nd day recorded a registration of 2606 people in total and 2384 spectacles were distributed. The numbers kept increasing and the growing crowd motivated us tremendously on day 3. We registered 3183 people and 2985 spectacles were distributed breaking all the

previous records. In this Eye Camp, we registered 7509 people, distributed 7021 spectacles and identified 195 cataract patients. The students also visited a shopping mall and spent an evening at the Chefs of DC. At the Chefs of DC, the Canadians were taught the Indian styles of cooking. As the Eye Camp got over, the LCC students went on a trip to Mandu, Maheshwar, Bhimbetka and Sanchi. The experience proved to be a spectacular one.

The highlight of the camp was the hospitality provided by the local public and the satisfaction we derived from the work. The smiles and the blessings filled our hearts with joy. We bonded well with the students of LCC and the

community we worked in. The memories of the camp will be cherished by us forever.









Ishan Jain XI G



Ek Pahel Project –A report

"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others"-Mahatma Gandhi.

This is what we have learnt all these years in the Ek Pahel Project. Interacting with children who aren't privileged like us helped us to grow as sensitive and responsible citizens. For the past few years, almost on every Saturday and Sunday, our team of 10 students with our mentor, Ms. Madhuri Moyde have been doing a lot of activities with the under privileged children of Mayur Nagar, Shiv Nagar, Alok Nagar and Shakti Nagar such as celebrating festivals and special days like New year, Christmas, Rakshabandhan and Ganesh Chaturthi.

These activities aimed at teaching these children some computer skills like paint and tux, games like football, cricket and basketball. Not only this, these children were also involved in Diwali card making, Rakhi making, singing and dancing through which they gave vent to their creativity and also learnt the importance of co-curricular and vocational activities apart from studies.

They were also a part of the "Daly College Conference for Round Square Students Aged 11 - 13" which was held in January, 2016 and in which students from various countries interacted and played educational games with them. They also get the opportunity to interact with various exchange groups of students coming from different countries during the year.

Personally, social service gives me self-satisfaction and immense joy. It has made me understand how fortunate I am and also how to respond to the needs of the less privileged. I hope most of you will contribute to the noble cause and make this world a better place to live in. We would like to express our profound gratitude

to Mr. Dawar and Mr. Fasatey for their support and guidance.

"I slept and dreamt that life was joy, I awoke and saw that life was service. I acted and behold, service was joy." - Rabindranath Tagore.

Raina Modi, IXF











THE GIRLS' WASHROOM PROJECT

- "We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give."
- -Winston Churchill

The quote above is an inspiration to give our best to the society by way of service. It is through serving that we learn to value what we have, and what others are deprived of. Fulfilling the needs of the under privileged gives satisfaction and peace of mind and makes us better human beings. In life we take things for granted till we are deprived of our comforts. Service to our fellow beings makes us better human beings.

The main objective of serving the society is to sensitize students to community service and gain first hand information of problems faced by the less privileged. It was observed that the dropout rates of girls on attaining puberty was the highest in government schools, and the reason was no or inadequate basic sanitary facilities of clean washrooms in schools. Thus, the decision of 'Girls' Washroom Project' was undertaken by Daly College in 2013. This project endeavours to construct two clean washrooms with a septic tank in the surveyed schools after subsequent permissions from the government and the local authorities.

The construction cost for each toilet is Rs. 1.5 lakhs. DC funds for the project were collected by the student committee by organizing Casual Day, Card Sale, Cake Sale, Fete, Brochure and DJ Night.

The project was completed in 17 schools till December, 2016.

- Govt. Higher Secondary School, Village Siya, Distt. Dewas.
- 2. Govt. Malay Girls H. S. School, Moti Tabela, Indore.
- 3. Govt. Girls H. S. School, Sanyogitaganj, Indore.
- 4. Deaf Dumb Association, Indore.
- Govt. Higher Secondary School, Kanadia, Indore.
- 6. Govt. Hindi Primary School, Azad Nagar, Indore.
- 7. Government Hr. Sec. School, Dakachya, Indore.
- 8. Govt. Middle School, Hukmakhedi, Rajendra Nagar, Indore.
- 9. Swami Vivekanand Govt. Adarsh H. S. School, Indore.
- 10. Govt. Middle School, Bisnakheda, Indore.
- 11. Govt. Middle School, Buranakhedi, Indore.
- 12. Govt. Higher Secondary School, Khajrana, Indore.
- 13. Govt. Higher Secondary School, Manglia, Indore.
- 14. Govt. Girls Primary School, Manglia, Indore.
- Govt. Sanyogitaganj Hr. Sec. School, Indore.
- Govt. High School, Pagnispaga, Indore.
- 17. Govt. High School, Jawahar Tekari, Indore.









THE GIRLS' WASHROOM PROJECT

Daly College strongly supports this project and endeavors in eradicating the lacunae of sanitary facilities so that girls may be encouraged to come to schools regularly and in turn may add and support to bear the responsibility to nurture an educated and informed society. FRS has been constantly supporting our project till now and has given an assistance of Rs. 4 lakhs for the same.

We have been getting support from the service (Square Mile) wing of De Montfort University in England. They have participated in the construction of 3 washrooms in the last 2 years.

This year, a group participated in the construction of a washroom at the Govt. High School, Pagnispaga in February-March and another group in November at the Govt. High School, Jawahar Tekari, Indore in collaboration with Round Table India.

One of the students, Thomas Salomon from Ivanhoe Grammar School, Australia who visited DC to attend a Certificate Course on Indian Culture and Heritage, raised a fund of \$ 2450 for the Washroom Project undertaken by DC. He walked 3 km on his hands in the month of August to raise the fund before coming to India to attend the course at Daly College. This is really an emulating step to make a difference in the community.







FRIENDS OF INDORE CANCER FOUNDATION



We, at Daly College believe that there is hardly a family which has not been affected by cancer. Some say it's genetic, others attribute the cause to tobacco abuse and other such habits. Be that as it may, we as a community, are concerned with Awareness, Prevention and Treatment. We would also like to offer time and affection to those who are without hope and without emotional support.

This is an uncaring world and we have formed the DC Chapter of Friends of Indore Cancer Foundation, with a clear objective to spend money and man-hours in furthering the selfless and noble efforts of the Indore Cancer Foundation. Students have participated in the survey which was about tobacco habits and identification of mouth cancer at an early stage. The survey was in the form of a questionnaire consisting of close ended questions. They have also conducted computer classes for the staff and prepared a wall painting for the institute. The student committee decided to paint a huge canvas and present it to the foundation, the color of which will fill the hearts of patients with positive energy and hope for life. The size of the painting was 1.52 m x 5 m and it took about 20 days to complete. Students visiting the art room contributed to the painting. We, along with the Indore Cancer Foundation members, are actively involved in fund raising activities for the new centre being designed by "Fortis Healthcare Limited", a chain of super specialty hospitals in India. The student committee organized various fund raising activities from August 6 to August 13, 2016. The students had prepared chocolates and greeting cards to raise funds. Friendship bands and football bands prepared and sponsored by Mr. Sandeep Gujrati, an old Dalian ,were sold during the Kasliwal Inter School Football Tournament. The students who are members of the Friends of Indore Cancer Foundation had a brain storming session with Mr. Nitish Bharadwaj and Mrs. Yashoda Dharkar of the Indore Cancer Foundation to decide on a short story which will be used to make a short film on cancer awareness. The students submitted short stories out of which one has been selected. The short film will be in collaboration with the DC students who will help in the different aspects of the making of the film.

Student Committee

GIRL ICON PROJECT

Adhering to the spirit of community service, the students of Daly College are engaged as volunteers at different levels of the fellowship programme for Girl Icon. The Girl Icon fellowship is a two year long leadership development program aimed at

adolescent girls who have demonstrated willingness and ability to challenge social barriers that restrict unleashing of a girl's potential in her community. The program is supported by Milaan Foundation, an NGO based in the U.S and Anhad Pravah of Madhya Pradesh. The program was designed to be implemented in 3 stages. The first stage of selection of girl icon fellows had been completed in the month of November, 2016. Stage 2 i.e the launch of Girl Icon Fellowship orientation workshop and the Launch event (welcoming the Girl Icon fellows) was planned from December 13 - 17, 2016 in Daly College. The last leg of the event i.e leadership development training for 6 days would be conducted every six months from June 2017-December 2018. Through this engagement, our students gained insight into a completely different section of the society, develop skills and competencies of working in a team and learn resource management. The programme inculcated the values of empathy, compassion and respect for diverse perspectives along with tolerance and equality which would go a long way in helping us build a better world. The workshop was volunteered by Srajay Singh, Madhvi Modye, Ishika Sitlani, Jhalak Shastri, Ananya Sharma, Bhraghurai Singh, Lipi Joshi, Aakriti Sikka, Mannit Nahar, Bandhvi Singh and Pooja Dodve of our school. The workshop





consisted of 50 girls from different areas of Madhya Pradesh who participated in the workshop which would further help

them to fight for their own and for others' rights. On the 13th of December, the workshop began and the workshop started with the introduction and welcoming of every girl icon. This was followed by asking the icons their expectations during the program and a few team building games. The girls were also told of some rules which would help them throughout their lives. The next day started with an activity called 'Who am I' which was about knowing one's own self which was followed by an activity called 'Gender Web' that was about understanding and analyzing gender norms and gender rules. Understanding marginality was the first activity for the next day which was followed by display of action plans to the icons. On the last day, the icons were taught the principles of facilitation which they would want to implement in their lives which was followed by closure and feedback of the program. At the end of each day, there was a 'Mehfil' set for the icons to perform some culture activities. The workshop ended on the 17th of December and there was a cultural program held on the same day in the evening. During the course of this workshop, all of us learned a lot. We were made a part of each activity which was organized and we feel happy to be a part of such a productive activity. It was a very different experience to be a part of the workshop. Being a part of the group and talking to the icons gave us a very happy feeling. All of us would like to be a part of any program like this. We would like to thank all those who made it possible for us to be a part of this program.



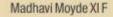
IPSC SERVICE PROJECT SCINDIA SCHOOL, GWALIOR

A team of 7 students namely, Gurleen Kaur Bhatia, Deshna Patni, Shivani Jamod, Madhavi Moyde, Eshaan Sojatia, Saksham Mittal and Siddhika Agrawal escorted by Ms. Madhuri Moyde went to participate in the IPSC Service Project organized by the Scindia School, Gwalior from 24th to 29th October, 2016. It was conducted at Nathon ka Pura village, Gwalior. There was also a great helping hand from the 45 students of 5 different schools which included Maharani Gayatri Devi Girls' School, Cambridge International School, Rajkumar College, Daly College and the host - The Scindia School, offered a helping hand.

Nathon ka Pura village is about 20 km away from the school, 100 odd families of that village live in abject poverty. Majority of them were snake catchers and charmers (a trade which has been banned by the government). From 2012 to 2015, the IPSC teams, along with The Scindia School, wholeheartedly participated in these activities and constructed roads, rooms, walls, lavatories etc. This year, we made water channels on both the sides of the roads in the village and also painted the walls of the village beautifully. In this activity, there were 4 groups of 14 children and they all had to prepare a motivating skit for the villagers to make them aware of the social evils such as Nasha Mukti, Beti Bachao, Jansankhaya Vridhi etc. We also held a session especially for the ladies, to tell them about the importance of education and hygiene. The students, teachers, escorts and also the workers worked hand in hand, with lots of enthusiasm and finished the task of construction in just 3 days. It was indeed a memorable and great learning experience for all the students and teachers.















Exchange to Italy

Italy is much more than pizzas and how I loved it all!

Our exchange to Italy was indeed the most exciting and stimulating experience of our life. The two of us, Dia Patel and I left for Rome on 27th June from the Indira Gandhi International Airport. Recovering from the jetlag, but still high spirited, we were received by the AFS volunteers. The wait was finally over and we went to Pisa. In total, there were 30 delegates from different countries. Our first week was of language orientation and later we took a test of how much we had learnt. We all went to see the new dawn in Pisa and later that evening to The Leaning Tower of Pisa, The Ruler's Palace, the famous Piazza Marvelous Statue and much more. From Pisa we went to Florence and Lucca and did some sightseeing followed by the treasure hunt activity and the most exciting pizza making. After enjoying seven stupendous days in Pisa, we all left for our host families to spend good 28 days there. We were overwhelmed by the welcome we received from our host families. I learnt a lot about their culture, their way of living which was so different and amazing in its own way. My host family was wonderful. In fact, they made me shop and cover almost all parts of Italy. I attended a Rihanna concert which needless to say, was an unforgettable experience. I was both happy and sad; sad, for I was departing and happy because I was going to meet all my friends. The last three days in Rome were wonderful and full of surprises. I couldn't stop thinking and relating my visit to the Vatican City with Dan Brown books and it was so surreal. I made lifelong friends from different places around the world. All of the memories, the opportunities, the knowledge, the relationships and the fun wouldn't have been possible if it weren't for the school authorities. I can't thank the school enough for such an opportunity.



Kanishka Agrawal XI F



Exchange to Spain

Hola, estoy muy agradecido a DC y AFS por hacer este intercambio memorable!

(Hi, I am extremely grateful to DC and AFS for making this exchange a memorable one!)

Short term exchanges can be such enlivening experiences and they can leave you with memories to last for life. After a 13 hour long journey, we finally reached our destination, Malaga for the AFS Intercultural Summer Camp in the month of July. The AFS volunteers welcomed everyone at the airport. We were then taken to our residential school. There were around 50 participants from different countries including Italy, Germany, USA, Canada, Sweden, Malaysia and India. Later, we were introduced to each other through a game and briefed about our activities and the day to day schedule. The school was located opposite Malaga's most prominent beach. On weekdays, we had regular Spanish lessons which were pretty helpful. After that we used to go to the beach, which was one of the best parts of our stay. In the evening, there were some interesting activities organized for us including sports and different intercultural games. On weekends we also visited various Spanish cities like Seville, Cordoba, Granada, Marbella, Nerja and some other small places. All our visits were very well planned. The time spent in Spain would be cherished forever and memories would always be remembered with great joy. We are profoundly thankful to AFS and DC for making this possible.

Aryaman Agrawal XI B



Exchange to Hungary

Certain events change the way we perceive others, their culture and their country, allow us to enlighten ourselves for wider cultural acceptability and peace and brotherhood. Such an experience took place in the summer of 2016 when a group of five students from the Daly College went on AFS intercultural exchange to Hungary, Europe. The trip commenced with a fifteen days' tour of Hungary starting from the grand capital, Budapest, a place where the architectural miracles of the 17th century met with their modern era counterparts, all carved to perfection. Some of them were: Eger, the site of the battle of Hungary against the Ottomans, Balaton: named after its seemingly endless lake; the Lake Balaton, Esztergom: city of the Grand Cathedral and the Castle Museum. Besides visiting the historical monuments, we also did adventure sports like the famous obstacle course, rappelling, rope climbing and paintball. Apart from the country, the companionship we had was also exceptional. We stayed with American, Italian, Belgian, Columbian, Thai, Malaysian, and



Hungarian students. It was a unique experience learning different languages, etiquettes and their ways of living. All this helped us connect with each other better. On the sixteenth day of the trip, after bidding farewell to all those of our delightful companions who made our first 15 days more than just memorable, we left for our host cities for the home stay experience. Attending Hungarian schools with our host siblings was a completely new experience for all of us. All the classes were in Hungarian and the working of the school was very different from what we knew. The more important part of the program was what it made of us. This exchange gave us great memories and experiences, more importantly, it taught us about being independent, receptive to different culture, optimistic, confident and many other life lessons. We left behind stereotypes, differences and what we hope is a positive image of India. At the end of the trip, we came to a conclusion; we learnt: "Strength lies in differences, not in similarities" Stephen R. Covey

Aishwarya Joshi XI CIE, Kushal Kothari XIB, & Nadia Sheikh XI CIE.



Exchange to Germany

Deutschland Ich liebe dich. Danke, dass du mich gut behandelt hast

With a lot of enthusiasm and excitement in my heart, I left for Heilbronn on July 10th. My exchange to Germany was indeed the most exciting and stimulating experience of my life. I was not able to imagine how fast that month passed and I was back in India by August 12th.

People in Germany are very different than us Indians. They are very punctual, straight forward but at same time very sweet and caring. They mostly live in nuclear families and have pets. And yes, 90% Germans hate Adolf Hitler.

I learnt many things during this exchange especially about German culture, environment, sustainable development, etc. Since my host family lived in a different town that I used to have workshops in, I had to catch a train and travel along the towns all by myself, and I admit it was fun! We used to have morning workshops mostly on Germany and its culture, then after lunch we used to go on excursions like we went to a scientific place or a vineyard or a waste recycling plant. The German cuisine has bread and cheese as its major ingredients therefore it is very delicious. They have more than 200 types of bread and 35 types of cheese. The food is all bland. When I made Indian food at my host family's place, they loved it but felt that it was very spicy. My host family treated me like their family member and I loved my stay with them.

On this exchange, I was accompanied by an Indian girl as well and many others from Malaysia, China, Vietnam, Brazil and Turkey. I got to learn the cultures from all these different parts of the world and made good friends. This exchange has surely helped me grow as an individual, an adult who is all set to face the outside world.

Yashovardhan Kothari XIF



Exchange to Irkutsk Linguistic Center Big Ben, Russia

A batch of 14 students and a teacher escort of Daly College visited the Linguistic School at Irkutsk from 6th of May to 16th May, 2016 for an exchange programme. The schedule was worked out very well as it included class room interactions, excursions to places like the museum, circus, historical places as well as places like the world famous lake Baikal. We even got to witness the Victory Day Parade which was very impressive. We were hosted by families of the Russian students. We had a wonderful time with them as the families went out of their way to make sure that we were looked after well and the stay was comfortable. We got to learn a lot about the Russian people and their culture. We even appreciated the Russian cuisine and savoured their dishes. In turn, we got them to taste a bit of Indian snacks which we had carried. We enjoyed every moment of our stay and felt that this was a great learning experience. We developed a life long bonding with our host families and got to learn about our own capabilities to adjust to a new environment. Our two days' stay in Moscow was again a great experience, thanks to the AFS volunteers who very kindly escorted us around the city to explore and enjoy.

It was felt that experiences like these, help in more intrinsic learning than mere sightseeing. Underneath all the differences of culture and language, we, as students realised that family ties and human emotions are the same everywhere and this realisation forges better understanding among people across the world.

Rajlakshmi Bagadia & Dev Singhvi

Irkutsk Linguistic Center Big Ben, Russia to DC

As part of AFS Cultural Exchange Program, 13 students accompanied by a teacher of Irkutsk Linguistic Center Big Ben, Russia visited Daly College from October 27 – November 11, 2016 to learn about the culture, lifestyle and education system of India.

The group visited various places in the state. They spent quality time with the host families and enjoyed the Diwali festival with them. They also tasted the delectable Indian cuisine prepared at home by their host families. The escort teacher, Samsonova shared her experiences with us and also enlightened us on the education system back there in Russia .

They attended regular classes, MUN sessions and the performing and visual art classes at the college and also visited the Lal Bagh Palace.

They went to Mandu where they visited Jami Masjid, Jahaz Mahal, Hoshang Shah's Tomb, Rani Roopmati Pavilion etc. After spending a night at Mandu, they departed for Maheshwar the next day where they visited historical places and enjoyed shopping.

After the Mandu – Maheshwar trip, they also visited the Jaivik Setu, an organic farm where they participated in eco friendly activities. They also interacted with the underprivileged students of Shiv Nagar. Sanchi & Bhimbetka trip was next on the schedule. They were accompanied by the students of Daly College. Monuments at Sanchi and Bhimbetka were appreciated by the Russian group.

Time flies! Finally the day came to say good-bye. A special assembly was conducted to bid farewell to the exchange group. A pleasant and memorable stay in a faraway, unknown land came to an end with a get together organized by the host families.







Introduction

Round Square is a worldwide association of schools of forty countries in five continents sharing unique and ambitious goals. Round Square schools make a commitment much beyond academic excellence for students to develop self confidence and self motivation. It develops an attitude to go beyond their reservations thus moulding them to become humans who are responsible, committed and caring.



To develop these young brains of today into global citizens of tomorrow, Round Square offers many activities.

Round Square, through its ideals, shapes students into global citizens.

The six ideals of the Round Square have a great significance in the lives of the adolescents in a school setup. As the founder of Round Square, Kurt Hahn observed, "The boy growing up in the neighborhood with foreigners, cannot help but learn to care about the rights and the happiness of at least one other nation." Therefore, Internationalism is a powerful tool for the students to know the culture of the other country and learn to know their values, irrespective of caste, creed, race or gender. Round Square provides a platform for the students to express their views on various issues and provides them with an opportunity to develop good communication with others. This develops self confidence in the students which is an essential quality in today's world. Love for nature is another important aspect which Round Square inculcates in students. Mother nature should be taken care of.So, the students participate in projects which teach them to conserve nature and they themselves take initiatives to conserve nature and work towards a sustainable tomorrow. Appreciation of outdoor challenges is a must for growing individuals. This not only gives them the thrill but makes them strong to face the physical challenges in life. In such activities, there may be a calculated risk involved but they are equipped enough to overcome the hurdles in their way.

The mission of modern education is to develop quality leaders for the world tomorrow. Thus, the students participating in various conferences and service projects are taught to handle the responsibility given to them and made sensitive to issues, so that they tackle the real time problems as true leaders. These students who go for Round Square service projects work in a team and carry out projects which are very essential for the community that they serve. This makes them empathetic which is essential for their growth.

At this juncture, in the capacity of RS Rep, I would like to express my profound gratitude to Dr. Sumer Singh who believed in me and assigned this responsibility to me and also to Ma'am Badhwar with whose sincere efforts the school has scaled new heights in Internationalism with each passing year. Had it not been for her, the Round Square Day celebration wouldn't have become a reality. It shall be my endeavour to contribute further to the success of Internationalism at DC.

Mrs. Sharmila Dominic RS Representative

Round Square Student Exchange:

Amaan Chandurwala -Stiftung Louisenlund, Germany, Ritvik Beohar - St. Stithians Boys' College, South Africa, Aditya Mundhra - St. Philips College, Australia, Shaily Choudhary - St. Stithians Girls' College, South Africa, Ansh Anand - The Hotchkiss School, USA, Rajvir Modi -Deerfield Academy, USA

Round Square Group Exchange

05 students and one teacher attended an exchange program at Woodleigh School, Australia which was scheduled from April 25 to May 8, 2016.

Round Square Student Exchange to Daly College

Joshua Casey - St Stithians Boys' College, Dillon Kerr - St. Philips College, Australia, Chante Du Preez - St Stithians Girls' College, South Africa, Finnian Colley - Scotch Oakburn College, Kate Judith Levy - St. Cyprian's School, South Africa, María José Saavedra - Colegio Los Nogales, Colombia, Elias Quentell - Stiftung Louisenlund, Germany, Sebastian Charles Barrett - Scotch College, Australia.

RS Group Exchange to Daly College

19 students & 3 staff members from Ivanhoe Grammar School, Australia attended a Certificate Course on Cultural Heritage of India in September, 2016.

A group of 6 students and 02 adults from Woodleigh School, Australia was on RS Group exchange to DC from September 16 - September 27, 2016

ROUND SQUARE CONFERENCES

Genesis Global School (Noida) hosted the Round Square conference in May 2016. This conference was attended by Ananya Nandi, Madhumita Banerjee, Mohammed Burhaniwala, Sarrah Serthjiwala, Tejas Gandhi, Muskan Arora and Mrs. Kakoli Gupta.

Regional Round Square Conference was held at The Emerald Heights International School from June 11 to 17, 2016. Mehak Kulkarni, Mehar Kulkarni, Advya Goel, Anaya Pahwa, Pratham, Vihaan Sachdeva. & Mrs. Madhuri Moyde attended the conference.

Rajmata Krishna Kumari Girls' School Jodhpur hosted the Round Square Conference from August 12 to 15, 2016. Somya Dengre, Gurleen Bhatia, Saisha Trivedi, Rishika Gupta, Isha Kellogg, Divya Sureka & Mrs. Kirti Jain attended the conference.

Sarla Birla Academy, Banglore hosted a Round Square Conference from October 3 to 5, 2016. Mehul Jaju, Keshav Saraogi, Anirudh Mundhra, Akshata Kasliwal, Amisha Zalani, Devishi Sood, Lavaniya Singh, Lipi Rakesh Joshi, Ajeet Singh Tuteja, Shivangi Chhabra & Mrs Seema Chaddha represented the school.

Mody School, Lakshmangarh hosted a Round Square Conference from November 9 to 11, 2016. Drishti Jain, Dia Kapadia, Siddharth Garg, Mehak Ramchandani, Sakshi Jain, Meera Jhalani, Anurag Ghai, Naisha Jain, Ritesh Jajodia, Vikrant Chimnani & Mr. Neeraj Singh attended the conference.

The Doon School, Dehradun organized a Leadership Training Programme from November 10 to 13, 2016. Akshat Agrawal, J. Saharsh Chaudhary, Raghvendra Singh Rathore, Charvie Shukla, Kavya Kathuria attended the training programme.

Round Square Conference was hosted by Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya, Gwalior from December 1 to 3, 2016. The delegation included Manav Sanghvi, Lakshay Bafna, Anant Kasliwal, Vedika Dubey, Ishita Garg, Anandi Nair & Mrs Clover Everett.

Round Square Conference was held at the Yadavindra Public School, Patiala from December 20 to 22, 2016. Kushal Jain, Shreyansh Sharma, Priyanshi Kothari, Parth Sharma, Divyanshi Nagda, Swaraj Gupta & Dr. Yogesh Shukla attended the conference.

Mayo Global Round Square Conference was hosted by Mayo College and Mayo College Girls' School from January 7 to 14, 2017. The delegation had Aira Bhatnagar, Veer Pratap Raje Bhosle, Ashmit Bindal, Samarth Bajpai, Shreyasi Choudhary, Saachi Vishal Agrawal as its members. They were escorted by Mrs Minakshi Rathore.

Round Square International Conference was held at Stiftung Louisenlund, Germany from October 10 – 16, 2016. The delegation included Nadia Sheikh, Ishita Sureka, Rajvir Singh Chhabra, Amur Khandelwal, Ms Sarita Badhwar, Sr. Mistress & Dr. Sumer Singh, Head.

Round Square International Service Project:

Vrashabh Doshi attended a Round Square International Service Project in Peru from July 27 to August 10, 2016

Regional Service Project -

The 4th Rudraprayag Round Square Social Service Project and Trek was attended by Rajaditya Shrikishan Bajaj, Bhraguraj Singh Baghel, Manan Pawan Lath, Vishvesh Gaurang Patel, Reyansh Raj Dhaybhai & Mr. Manish Daur from March 24 – April 04, 2016.

Round Square Service Project 2016 was hosted by Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar from December 25 to 31, 2016. Raina Modi, Arya Shukla, Vanshika Bhandari, Khushi Goyal, Aryan Jain & Anamika Ojha represented Daly College.

Fund Raising

To raise funds for community service & The Prince Alexander Project, we organized Casual Wear Day on August 13, 2016, the Student Dance Night on September 1, 2016, Traditional Attire Day on November 3, 2016 and Fund Raising Fete on December 4, 2016. Fund Raising Brochure was also printed for the same.



ROUND SQUARE DAY

- A REPORT

The 50th anniversary of Round Square was celebrated with great pomp and gaiety on the 1st of September. The RS committee meeting was held on 23rd August, where the members laid down the list of events and planned out all the activities for the occasion. The events were kicked off with a football match between the Round Square committee members and the support staff of DC. Along with the match, a cake bake sale was organized by the students themselves in coordination with the Chefs of DC. The support staff won the match by 1-0. The students of DC had a fantastic time while watching the match and munching on the snacks.

On 1st of September, a special assembly was conducted where the Principal, Dr. Sumer Singh shared his personal experience with Round Square. He also shared how Round Square transformed his personality into the person he is today.









He felicitated the Round Square members by giving badges to them. The Round Square prefect, Muskan Arora shared her perspective of Round Square and encouraged the students to participate in more of these conferences.

The next set of events for the day was held in the Junior School, in which grade 6 students and the unprivileged children participated.

There were many activities organized by the committee members like, sack race, lemon spoon race, tub race, musical chairs and an art activity. The students enjoyed all the activities and were thankful for the gifts they received from the Headmistress, Mrs. Rashmi Ahuja. Following this, there was a plantation ceremony in which 6 saplings were planted representing the 6 IDEALS of Round Square.

Last but not the least, the most awaited event of the day, the Student Dance was held in the evening. The most fascinating cake with the emblem of the Daly College was cut to mark the 50th anniversary of Round Square. The students had a fun filled evening with a great choice of music and meals.

Mrs. Sharmila Dominic, RS Rep, Daly College

















A tete a tete with Dr. Sumer Singh on Round Square.



HONORARY MEMBERSHIP Dr. Sumer Singh and Ms. Sarita Badhwar are nominated by the region for the Honorary Membership of Round Square.

Q1. For how long have you been a part of Round Square?

The first formal Round Square meeting I attended was at Windermere in England in 1980 when the first service expedition was planned to India.

As a head of school, I have been part of RS when there were only 17 RS schools worldwide.

I served on the Board as the Executive of RS, UK from 2006 till a few years ago.

I am now inducted as an Honorary member.

Q2. How will you describe your experience in a few words?

RS has grown geographically, numerically and in diversification and DC has added a number of activities to the RS calendar, i.e. visiting sports coaches, cultural tour, MUNs and age specific conferences. In 2007, DC was congratulated by the Board of RS for a student managed RS International Conference. Last year, we hosted the first school based RS International Conference.

Q3. Which is your fondest memory?

Meeting the Queen of England and the success of the expedition following the Tsunami. It has been an absolute honour to work with their Majesties, King and Queen of Greece, and all my colleagues on the RS Board.

Q4. Which culture, out of all the cultures you experienced, did you find the most fascinating?

Colombian and Chinese.

Q5. How does Round Square enhance one's personality as a whole?

Parents send their children with great reservation on an international exchange. When they return full of confidence and as an enriched personality the same parents beam with pride. RS has transformed many individuals at DC. Sarita and so many of us, including me helped children become more confident, articulate and multicultural in their approach.

Q6. What changes do you wish should happen in RS in the coming years?

It must remain student and school oriented. There is a danger of growth leading to a disconnect.

Q7. What message would you like to give to the students about RS?

Grab every opportunity that RS offers. This is real education on the plate. Interviewed by Ishita Sureka.





MY EXCHANGE TO ST PHILIP'S COLLEGE, AUSTRALIA

The country of kangaroos and koalas was ready to welcome me with open arms

With my heart filled with great anticipation and curiosity to learn, I started my expedition on April 20. I had the opportunity to spend two months in Australia at St. Philip's College and I was craving to make the most out of it. The infrastructure of the school was similar to DC and the people there were extremely kind which helped me settle in no time.

The school had its own set of courses for students to choose from and they also promoted having interactive classes and discussions which enabled the students to understand better. Apart from academics, the school also gave special attention to sports and co-curricular activities. During my stay there, I was also a part of the senior dramatics crew and the hand ball team of my house. The school had planned many activities for the exchange students including a community service at St. Vinnes which is a voluntary organisation to help the poor and needy. I felt so great to see the smile on the faces of those in need. The school had also planned visits to many places worth seeing. Having a passion for sport, I tried many sports that I had never played before. Playing a football match (Australian Football and not the football as we know in India) every Saturday was so enthralling. From kicking the foot to getting knocked down by someone, the sport was really amazing. The 2 months I have spent there were the most amazing time. I learned a lot and also made such good friends from all over the world.

I thank everyone who is involved in making my exchange such a wonderful one. Aditya Mundra XI B



MY EXCHANGE TO HOTCHKISS

The scenic beauty, walks by the magnificent lake thrilled me beyond measure & I wished I could extend my stay

My exchange to Hotchkiss has been one of the most memorable experiences of my life. I learnt and grew not only as a student but as an individual. Going on exchange is a lot more than it might seem. One gets to gain tremendous amount of knowledge and that too in a foreign country studying with students from all around the world and understanding their culture while living in a boarding; which can sometimes be challenging if it is one's first time, specially challenges such as doing your own laundry and much more. Other than that, living in a hostel for 2 months can really set one straight in terms of discipline, routine, time management etc. The classes which I opted for were Math, Humanities, Photography and Science. It was always fun doing the assignments given by the teachers as they always pushed you to think harder and be creative. Sports was no less, I had taken track and field as my choice of sport while at Hotchkiss, I went for 3 meets in 3 different schools, all three being very competitive and progressive in their approach. One thing that I will really miss about Hotchkiss would be taking walks around the school's magnificent lake which was always very mesmerizing. I made friends and have memories which I will cherish for a lifetime and I hope that I have made our school proud. Ansh Anand X CIE



MY EXCHANGE TO DEERFIELD ACADEMY, DEERFIELD, USA.

The country, home to world class universities motivated me to be part of them, someday

I got the opportunity to go on exchange to Deerfield Academy, Deerfield, USA for 6 weeks in the month of April. I was staying on the campus and it gave me an opportunity to experience the life of a student in the States. I also got an amazing opportunity to play for the Deerfield tennis team. While there, I visited Boston and Harvard Universities, Overall, it was a brilliant experience.

Rajvir Modi XCIE

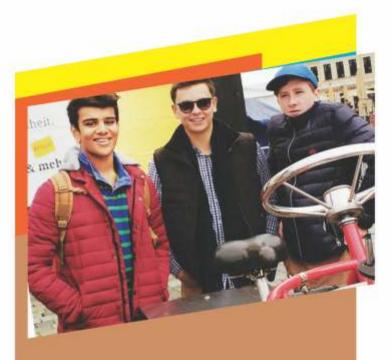
EXCHANGE TO ST. STHITIANS GIRLS' COLLEGE SCHOOL SOUTH AFRICA

Feeding the cheetahs at the Mebula Game Drive thrilled me



I had waited for this moment for so long and finally came May 3 when I was to go on individual exchange to St Sthitians , South Africa. I reached Johannesburg, South Africa after a journey of 9 hours. My host family was already there at the airport to receive me. They were really welcoming and so was the school. The teachers made the classes really comfortable for me by making me feel as part of Saints. There were many activities organized by the school such as, visit to an old age home, cable tower, Google workshop and the best was the Bush School where the students are supposed to live without using technology for weeks. But then, it was fun. My host family had taken me to various places such as Mebula Game Drive ,where I fed the Cheetahs, Sandton city, Mall of Africa and the beautiful Cape Town. The best part of this exchange was attending school at Saints, making friends there and experiencing the African culture. I can say that it was a successful exchange as I made the most of it.

Shaily Choudhary XI C



MY EXCHANGE TO STIFTUNG LOUISENLUND, GERMANY

Danke Deutschland, damit ich mich wie zu Hause fohle. (Thankyou Germany for making me feel at home.)

My six week exchange to Stiftung Louisenlund was awesome. With my bags filled with necessities and heart pounding with excitement, I left India on 24th of April. When I reached Germany, there was a vast expanse of snow blanketing the place but it was breathtakingly beautiful. My host family was really caring and kind, although I would be with them only on weekends. The school was huge and beautiful and had various sports and other activities. I was also accompanied by other exchange students from Colombia, Australia, South Africa and New Zealand. The education system was far different from ours, but was easy. I also visited some cities in North Germany like Hamburg. Dresden and Ekenforde. The German architecture is mind blowing and the lifestyle is incredible. Even the cuisine was really tempting and the people were really friendly. The activities which I enrolled myself in were fishing, sailing, rugby, basketball, golf and fine arts. My stay was really nice and it was a completely different and beautiful experience. It was hard to leave so many friends behind and come back. but this experience changed me completely into a different person who could do things by himself and live his life in his own way. I would like to thank the school for giving me this opportunity and would like to encourage everyone to go on exchanges like these.

Amaan Chandurwala XI B

RS GROUP EXCHANGE

Exchange to Woodleigh School, Australia

Travelling for 15 hours, 3 stops, 5 funky friends and a Physics teacher was an experience of its kind. We left the Indian soil on the 21st of April and landed onto the Australian the next day. We were warmly welcomed by some unexpected rain in Sydney. Temporarily residing in Sydney for 3 days, we went around some iconic spots including the Opera House - maybe the Australian Lotus Temple, The Australian Hawda Bridge which is none other than the Harbour Bridge, The Blue Mountains which weren't even a bit blue but gave a picturesque view and the most awaited spot, the Bondi beach. On the last day



of Sydney, we were invited over for dinner by an old Dalian, Mr. Chaggar and we got to relish some Indian cuisine which, unlike the Australian one was spicy giving us the feel of being at home. 25th was the most awaited day as we finally met our host families reaching Melbourne and going to our respective homes. Staying with a family which is completely unknown to you seems scary as well as exciting and this is what all of us felt. But in due course of time, the initial hesitation, the apprehension metamorphosised into a relationship that would last forever, the feel of being with your own family was too strong. The very next day, we all were geared up. Dressed as young gentlemen and ladies, we assembled at the train station ready to reach the city for a new city bound experience. The trains shocked us pretty much because unlike the Indian ones, because firstly, we got a seat! Secondly, the cleanliness and thirdly, no hawkers yelling and selling the "paanch rupee wali chai". City bound was a compulsion for the students of grade 9 studying at Woodleigh .And therefore, we also took keen interest in participating and overcoming the lunch challenges. They helped our taste buds to acquaint ourselves with different cuisines ranging from Vegan to Japanese and getting an opportunity to relish the authentic Aussie cuisine such as the Australian baraf ka gola which is the slurpee. Moreover one of the other excitements was eating beef which is utterly banned in India! It actually gave us the feel of being in Australia. Talking about city bound, we had to apply more of our geographical skills having a pragmatic approach and being on time BUT as the Indian mentality says it, we were unable to make it on time. Furthermore, we solely felt like Lilliputians as those people were so tall. Also, talking about how fit they were, we couldn't digest the fact that despite eating a whole lot of junk they wore a perfect 0 figure. The interesting part was doing extensive studies on our rich tasks, writing reflections, getting to know the importance of public transport, conducting surveys and safely roaming about in the city which is not possible in India at all as we are never given this kind of liberty. This city bound was not only about travelling places but also about having the feel of professionalism as we had been given deadlines for submission, working from 9 to 5, signing in and out once we were done with work and formally presenting our findings on the very last day. This program taught us the essentials of teamwork. During these 2 weeks we learned how to work in a group and trust our teammates, have patience and bear the responsibility of our teammates for their mistakes and share the credit of our work with our teammates and stay in unity. It gave us a golden chance to go and visit the Australian Court which unlike the Indian, had trivial cases to solve, ranging from disputes between neighbours to apples being stolen from a store. Here, in India, where the cases are pending for years, in Australia, the decision was taken at that very moment.

The Australians express their feelings using the modern day technology called snapchat, the technology that we have just about started to use. These people are extremely generous, welcoming and will always go out of their way to help you. Our hosts took utmost care of us making our trip one in a life time experience. Finally, our wait came to a halt when we went to the school and had a gala time. As we entered the classrooms it was really astonishing for us when we got to see students with their ears plugged in while the teachers were teaching. Moreover they had high speed Wifi which is very rare in our school and a canteen which gave innumerable serves which, I am sure the boarders might be able to relate to better. And the cool part, they could just wear whatever they wanted to. We saw people with funky hair styles including colours like red, pink and yellow. They just had an ideal school but cheers to our school as when we studied their trigonometry, we felt like we were in grade 7. So credits to our teachers who are after our lives but then want to see us go higher. Their school resembled a lot to ours when it came to the open spaces and greenery. On the very last day, we went tree surfing which we thought would be like climbing on trees like monkeys but it was very different, more like an adventure. It gave us a stomach churning feel and we always sent our plump friends on the ropes first to ensure that it could handle the light weight. But overall, this tree surfing thing was fun and a whole new ball game for us. Knowing the fact that we only had 2 weeks with us ,we made the most out of it, we laughed, giggled, made fun of each other, loved and made ever lasting bonds. Bidding adieu to our hosts was the toughest of all tasks, they just felt like parents and family to us. It was a wonderful opportunity. A profound thanks to Ma'am Badhwar for giving us this wonderful opportunity and Mr. Nagpal for escorting us. Nagquiya Barwaniwala X CIE, Meet Khatri X CIE & Khushi Goyal X B

Woodleigh School , Australia to Daly College

India's diversity and secularism always magnetizes people from all over the world. A group of 6 Australian students escorted by 2 teachers visited Daly College as part of a cultural exchange from the 16th to the 27th of September, 2016. They were hosted by 6 students from the Daly College. The Aussies were given a complete exposure of the various facets of Indian culture.

They were taken to some iconic spots including The Lal Bagh Palace and Kaanch Mehal which was followed by short trips to Mandu and Maheshwar. The amazing architecture was admired by the guest visitors.

The guest students were exposed to the Indian education system through classroom learning. They enjoyed bird watching, attended a yoga session and visited the organic farm. A trip to Tafreeh, gave them a glimpse of the Indian way of living. They enjoyed paddling boats, making petite toys out of clay, grinding flour and of course going for a bullock cart ride.



The exchange students spent the weekend with their host families. Everyone did different activities ranging from playing cricket to visiting Nakhrali Dhani. The time spent together has enriched the students and these moments will be cherished forever.

Naguiya Barwaniwala X CIE

ROUND SQUARE SERVICE PROJECT

ROUND SQUARE SERVICE PROJECT VIDYA DEVI JINDAL SCHOOL, HISAR

Round Square Service Project was organized by the Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar from December 24 to December 31, 2016. Students namely, Aryan Jain, Arya Shukla, Khushi Goyal, Vanshika Bhandari and Raina Modi escorted by Mrs. Anamika Ojha participated in the project. The project site was an orphanage named 'Shaishav Kunj' where seventy participants from ten different schools joined hands to construct a multipurpose hall at the first floor of an already existing building.

After the ice - breaking session and the Christmas party celebration, the students were divided into five different groups and briefed about the next day's work. The next day after a sumptuous breakfast, the students were bused to the construction site where they were assigned the work of



carrying bricks to the first floor near the construction site, painting the doors and windows of the orphanage, cooking chapattis for the entire crew, giving dance and drama lessons to the little kids there and painting worthy messages on the walls of the building. The students enthusiastically worked with great team spirit for the remaining five days of the service project. They also switched their groups to savour the fun of working on other tasks. On the fifth day, the students visited a nearby old-age home and met the residents. They served them with snacks and tea, and shared some hearty jokes with them.

On the last day, the students were taken out for a picnic. Despite the extreme cold and dense fog, the students enjoyed the refreshing games and delicious food and shared the warmth of each others' experiences of being at that amazing work place of the project.

On the day of the closing ceremony, the participants were highly praised by the chief guest and the Principal of the school for their selfless work and commitment to this noble cause. Thus, this service project culminated on a deeply satisfying and emotionally beautiful note which brought smiles on the faces of many orphaned children.

This conference provided us with this rare opportunity of learning and enriching ourselves.

-Khushi Goyal XB & Vanshika Bhandari XD

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RSIS PROJECT PERU

Community service is a very enriching experience and with that thought, I started my journey on the 27th of July. With apprehension and anxiety, I landed at my long awaited destination, the ancient land of Cusco, Peru. I was received by the project leader. As soon as I entered the hotel, there they were, the people I instantly fell in love with, my global companions, my new family! The team included 11 people (4 boys & 7 girls) and 3 project leaders. We started off by learning how to play some traditional instruments and also learned how to Incan cosmology works. We also had a spectacular climbing activity of the Via Ferrata, "The iron way", in which we climbed 400m vertically and used zip lines to get down.

After a few days of hiking and climbing, we finally reached our destination, Kanacchimpa. Kanacchimpa is a rural community which housed 100 of the most generous and the kindest people. We were warmly welcomed by the community with confetti, which was followed by a speech by the president of the village in Spanish. We were randomly divided into groups of 4-5 which at least had one leader. Allow me to present ourselves, me and my 4 house mates, Eleanor (England), Antonia (Germany), Jake (America), and Colin (accompanying adult, America). We also had our guide, Maruja with us (also our Spanish speaker). Waking up the next morning just to realize that our tents were covered in molten snow was an amazing feeling. The project site was a 15 min walk up through a hilly path. That day, we also went on a 3.5-hour hike to get an the amazing view from up the mountain the village was built on. The team before us (team Llama), had done the foundation and the wall. Our task remained to complete the school till the window length. We, the team Condor, had to complete the roof and the inner floor. There were two teams that were formed immediately. One did the digging out of the mud (for mud mixing) and the other shifting the mud using wheel barrows to another place. We had the debriefs each evening with a game in which you had to say 3 things that the day's student leaders had prepared. After a few days, we were finished with digging of the mud and started shifting the freshly made bricks closer to the work site. We also helped the villagers to drag large logs down the mountain where we went for the hike. Since it was a very demanding job in terms of stamina and strength, only the boys went up there. After that, we also helped the villagers make rafters out of the logs for the roof. We were also invited to dinner at the President's house. There, before dinner we fed the "cuys" (guinea pigs) which was a totally new experience. For dinner, we had guinea pigs, and some traditional food like rice and vegetables. Our last day there was a special one. We cooked our food in the traditional style and performed in front of the whole community, making use of all we had learned at the start in the sacred valley. We wore traditional costumes and danced along with the community. The next day, we were the privileged ones to be allowed to leave our marks over there with our handprints and names. Next, we took a train from a nearby town of Ollyantay Tambo straight to Aguas Calientes which was just below the UNESCO World Heritage Site, Macchu Pichhu. After a day full of roaming around, chattering and going to sleep in our hotel rather than our sleeping bags, we made it out to Macchu Picchu. As soon as we stepped on the grass of the old sacred city, we could feel the Incan culture and the science used to build one of the seven wonders. The next day, we came right back to the place we started from, Cusco. We had a day to ourselves and in the night, we were going to have our last dinner together. After that, we reminisced all the moments we had together and with a heavy heart and a sore throat, said our last

Not to forget the special mentions, our leaders Andrea Weber, Freddy Tredjor and Colin Donovan who were with us through everything and ensured that we had an experience of our lifetime. They showed us that simple living is the best kind of living and also taught us how life actually is outside our comfort zone.

-Vrashabh Doshi XID





ROUND SQUARE SERVICE PROJECT RUDRAPRAYAG

With rucksacks taller than us, 5 of us namely, Manan Lath, Rajaditya Bajaj, Vishvesh Patel, Reyansh Ra, and Bhraguraj Singh left DC with a heavy heart for making someone happy. Our aim was to reconstruct a school which was demolished by floods in the year 2013.

After a long journey, we finally reached Dehradun, and received a floral welcome from the headmaster of The Doon School. After an exhausting journey we got something to eat and after that we hit the sacks. The next morning, brought us a bagful of happiness, as we were off to Rudraprayag. After reaching Rudraprayg, we had our Ice Breaking session, where we got to know that more than 80 students were participating coming from more than 10 schools, including one from Oman and Dubai. The next morning, we were all off to our working site and started working as per the given instructions to each and every individual. We constructed the school for two consecutive days and then went for trekking. All three treks took us to three different places. We never knew that we would see a beautiful lake named Deoritaal at a height of 4 km, a beautiful temple at a height of 3 km, and last but not the least, trek to Tungnath, which showed us beautiful and scenic views of the Himalayan ranges, 7 km above the sea level! After coming back, the next two days we again started constructing the school and decorated the classes using charts and making paintings on the walls. 3rd April, a grand day for us and the children studying at the Takshila school as it was the day when the inauguration of the school was to take place. At the time of inauguration, we were mesmerized by the performance given to us by the students of the school. The school was located in village Silly, near the river Mandagini. Later, we served lunch to more than 300 villagers. The next morning, we left for Dehradun. After reaching Dehradun we took a campus tour of the Rashtriya Indian Millatry College. This was followed by lunch with our friends for the last time and saying good bye was really heartbreaking for us. But we had to leave and so we did, with a memory of a life time. During this period, we developed our inter personal and co - curricular skills which have completely changed our perspective of the society. Someone has truly said, " Time flies when you don't want it to."









Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya

This year 6 students represented Daly College at the Round Square conference held at Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya from 1st December to 3rd December 2016, It was an enriching

experience for all the participants as it gave us an opportunity to meet so many students from all over India. The anxiety of attending a Round Square conference completely vanished on reaching the venue, which was abuzz with tons of activities like baraza sessions, zumba dance practices, the ice breaking session and much more. On day one, we arrived at Gwalior and were welcomed by the home delegates. After the opening ceremony, we were introduced to the amazing world of medical clowning by the renowned medical clown, Mr. Ashwath Bhatt. He shared with us the tireless work done by the medical clowns to make the cancer patients smile and in bringing hopes in their lives. On day two, after a sumptuous breakfast we had our baraza session where we were divided into groups. We had to prepare charts on the topic, "All the world's a stage". We were also given the red clown nose by Mr. Bhatt as a memento and with a message that we should endeavour to make this world a happy and better place. The day ended with a cultural program performed by the Blind School for Girls and Principal's dinner. On the last day of our stay, we woke up at 6 am for the zumba dance session. We enjoyed the one hour of dancing and sweating. After breakfast, we left for a nearby village named 'Zagra'. We spent the whole day with the villagers, understanding their lifestyle, hardships, needs and how we, as young Indians can help them. After coming back from the village, it was time for the closing ceremony, for bidding adieu to the new set of friends which we had made.

With bountiful of memories, we left the amazing campus which held a lot of good memories.

Vedika Dubey VIII F



The Emerald Heights International School, Indore.

On 11th June 2016, a team of excited delegates from Daly College went to attend a Regional Round Square Conference held at The Emerald Heights International School. The team had Mehak Kulkarni, Mehar Kulkarni, Advya Goel, Anaya Pahwa, Pratham and Vihaan Sachdeva as its members and Mrs. Madhuri Moyde as the teacher escort. There were 13 schools other than Emerald Heights that had come here from different corners of India to be a part of this conference. The theme of the conference was 'Adventure and Environment' based on the ideals of Round Square. The Chief Guest for the opening ceremony was Capt. Navin Gulia who addressed the gathering on the importance of adventure in our life. He not only guided but also

inspired us with his life experiences. Our host school had planned various fun filled and enriching activities for the delegates. The Flow India Organisation conducted an art workshop to show how to present democratic and creative ideas on paper. This was a consolidated, integrated, creative enquiry programme through which the children gained knowledge about experiential project based learning. In the baraza sessions, the students were given practical training as to how to tackle environmental issues. The next day was completely marked for adventure activities. In the Flames of the Forest, everyone was taken outdoors for adventures such as trekking, rock climbing, rappelling etc. The students performed these activities

with the help of experts. This gave a great sense of satisfaction to all.





It was tiring yet exciting and enjoyable. We also visited Kumbaya - an N.G.O and also a true model of 'Service Before Self'. The director of the NGO told us about its history and also made us aware of the problems faced by the deprived section of the society. This session was an eye opener as it helped the students to respond to the needs of the less fortunate. It was an enriching experience for students as well as teachers. That wasn't all because the host school had also planned an awesome evening on the last day to make our visit memorable. All the schools participated in this cultural evening with great zeal and enthusiasm. The event gave an opportunity to the students to come out of their shells, to blossom and to exhibit their talent to the world. A skit and a song based on the theme was presented by the DC delegates which left the audience spellbound.

The Round Square Conference concluded with this mesmerizing event. Then we went to Mandu and Maheshwar for the post conference tour. The entire experience involved great learning and the wonderful time spent with our new friends too made it unforgettable. The conference will always have a special place in my heart.

Mehak Kulkarni VII A



Genesis Global School, Noida.

Focus on the journey, not the destination. Joy is found not in finishing an activity but in doing it."

With our bags packed and hearts pounding with excitement, the delegation of 6 namely, Ananya Nandi, Madhumita Bannerjee, Mohammed Burhaniwala, Sarrah Serthjiwala, Tejas Gandhi and I, Muskan Arora with our escort, Mrs. Kakoli Gupta left for the Round Square Conference hosted by the Genesis Global School, Noida on the 29th of May. The conference had a distinguished theme- Empowerment- spark the light, ignite the dream. Each delegate from our school was given a barazza group and these groups were called by fascinating names like the Hogwarts, the Shire, the Watchtower, Westeros, the Narnias and the Galactic Empire. The conference was a complete package of debating sessions, fun and service hours which made it very successful and memorable for each one of us. This conference has helped us understand as to how each one of us is empowered in a unique manner and how important it is for all of us to own the responsibility of our dreams. It has made us feel the importance of discovering coordination among team members and also innovative ways to complete the target given. The conference was an energy booster and instilled a healthy spirit among all. It had an added spectrum of colours as we could correlate these activities to our lives . We would like to thank everybody who was behind all this, everyone for always believing in us and providing us with this wonderful opportunity of self discovery.



Muskan Ahuja, XII G



Rajmata Krishna Kumari Girls' Public School, Jodhpur.



On August 11, six students Somya Dengre, Gurleen Bhatia, Saisha Trivedi, Rishika Gupta, Isha Kellogg, and Divya Sureka along with Mrs. Kirti Jain, left for RKKGPS, Jodhpur to attend a RS conference. As we reached Jodhpur, we received a warm welcome by the RKKians. There were 19 schools from different corners of India that had come together to be a part of the conference. The whole atmosphere was charged with the spirit of nationalism as the conference was held between 12th to 15th August on the topic 'latitude avec altitude'. Our host school had planned various fulfilled yet enriching activities for all of us. The opening ceremony witnessed speeches delivered by the principal, Mr. Neera Singh, HH Maharaja Gaj Singhji and the eminent keynote speaker, Mr. Pradeep Upadhyay who proved to be a source of inspiration for all as they charged us with enthusiasm.

This was followed by interesting ice breaking sessions and brain storming barazza sessions. A visit to the Umaid Bhayan palace and Mehrangarh fort made us a delve deeper into history and explore the architectural beauty of Rajasthan. A friendly basketball match was organized with an objective to inculcate team spirit among the participants. An art workshop was conducted to present our democratic ideas through posters and street plays. The most enjoyable parts were the zumba dancing sessions, the JAM night and interaction games. The final day, the 15th of August, saw the flag hoisting ceremony and the cultural presentations followed by the closing ceremony. With a lot of happy moments which turned into memories to be cherished, we left the mesmerizing city of Jodhpur. This conference has not only enriched us but has also strengthened our leadership skills.

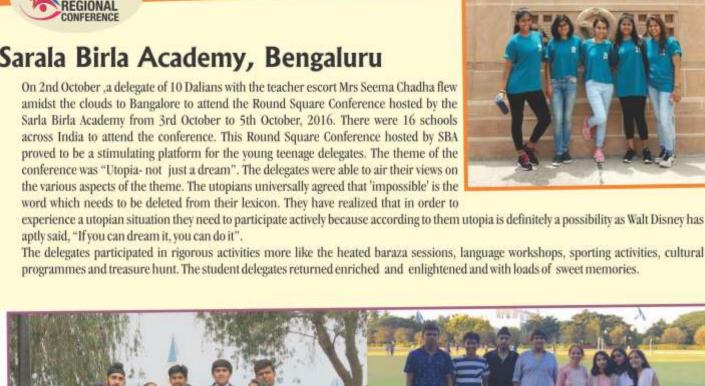
Gurleen Bhatia XI A



Sarala Birla Academy, Bengaluru

experience a utopian situation they need to participate actively because according to them utopia is definitely a possibility as Walt Disney has

programmes and treasure hunt. The student delegates returned enriched and enlightened and with loads of sweet memories.





Mody School, Lakshmangarh, Rajasthan

A team consisting of 10 students accompanied by Mr. Neeraj Singh participated in the Round Square Conference which was held at the Mody school, Lakshmangarh from the 8th to 10th of November, 2016. The first day of the conference started with an ice breaking session, where we got to know students from several cultures. The next day started with our barazza sessions followed



by the opening ceremony and the keynote speaker's address. The delegates also went trekking to an ancient temple at Harsh Parvat Sikar where they had a memorable time. The morning of the last day was well spent at Tal Chappar, after which the delegates heard the keynote speaker followed by a baraza session and a photography contest. A cultural evening, which included a variety of dances and some other performances ,that held everybody captive marked the end of the conference .

Dia Kapadia XI CIE



ROUND SQUARE LEADERSHIP PROGRAMME

The Doon School, Dehradun

A group of 5 students of classes 8 and 9 namely, Charvi Shukla, Raghvendra Singh, Saharsh Chowdhary, Kavya Kathuria and Akshat Agrawal with our teacher escort, Mr. Rajneesh Sharma attended a Round Square Leadership Program organized by The Doon School Dehradun. Almost 13 schools including Sanskar Valley, MGD Jaipur, RKKGPS, and Emerald Heights participated in this workshop.

It was a great learning experience for all. Students were introduced to each other through an ice breaking session held on the campus itself,

The delegates were driven to Maldevta Farms near Dehradun. 3 days were spent at the same site keeping the delegates busy in various adventurous and leadership activities like Burma bridge, commando net, river crossing, rock



climbing, rippling and group discussions, skits etc. The delegates went trekking and also enjoyed the Star Watch with the trainer, Mr. Sandeep Jakhad and his team. Besides some other activities on day 3, we went trekking to the caves to watch the sulphur formation. These three days were enlightening for the team delegates. We imbibed skills like-team work, coordination and leadership. During this workshop, the delegates were exposed to people from various backgrounds and got a flavour of different cultures present in that part of the country.

Kavya Kathuria IXB

Vivek High Conference For Round Square Students Aged 12-14 Years

A team of six delegates namely, Juhi, Ishika, Kushagra, Ranvir, Amitesh and Nandini along with the teacher escort, Mrs. Nanda Jagtap attended a YRS Conference held at Vivek High School, Chandigarh from 13th of April 2016 to 17th of April 2016. The delegates had a fun filled ice breaking session which included activities like endorsing a product, making creative imaging and also musical game. The next day was the opening ceremony where the delegates were enlightened about the theme of the conference, 'Mindfulness'. This was



followed by a talk from Mr. Lama Yashe Rabgye ,the first keynote speaker who was also our guide throughout the conference. After the opening ceremony, the delegates were guided to their respective barazas—where they—had a fruitful discussion on what Mr. Lama spoke about mindfulness. The barazas—were—named after—the trees that grow in Chandigarh. The next speaker, Mr. Ajeet Bajaj, an expeditioner gave an informative talk on adventure and leadership. The second baraza session was followed by a session on creativity reflected in—the form of art with paint and brush. The next day, the delegates left for Solan in Himachal Pradesh. The delegates in groups visited the mountain side and indulged in leadership and team building exercises like trust, fall and archery. On the third day, there was a short session of meditation in the morning and later the delegates brain stormed to frame the baraza statements. The day ended with multicultural performances followed by music and dinner. During the closing ceremony, spectacular performances were showcased by the students of the host school. The delegates had an opportunity to have a brief interaction with Mr. Lama Yashe Rabgaye which was followed by the reading of the conference statement. In all, it was a very fun filled and an enriching experience. The delegates thank Round Square, the Daly College and the teacher escort, Mrs. Nanda Jagtap for her continuous support.



YPS, Patiala

Six students of Daly College attended the YPS Round Square Conference from 20 -22 December 2017. The delegations from 8 schools all over the globe participated in the conference organized around the theme 'Beyond Mundane'. Parth Sharma, Shreyansh Sharma, Swaraj Gupta, Kushal Jain, Priyanshi Kothori and Divyanshi Nagda represented the school at this prestigious event. Dr. Yogeshwar Shukla was the teacher escort with the Delegation.

The Registration, Orientation session, Heritage walk and ice breaking sessions were done on the first day. All these activities introduced the participants to the host schools YPS Patiala. The Conference began officially on 20 December the grand start was with the Grand Opening Ceremony. The young dancers from the junior wing charmed the audience with their performance. The Chief Guest Mr. Manpal Tiwana, Creative Director, The Harpal Tiwana Foundation, Patiala, appreciated the efforts of the delegates. He shared a few moments of his life as a theatre artist. The key of Round Square Conference is its



Baraza sessions. The organizing committee has thoughtfully planned activities for Baraza. The very titles caused a fervor amongst the participants. They essayed the roles of the Conquerors, Veanquishers, Pirates and Dumbledore Army.

During evening, the participants were taken to Quila Mubarak where they took a sneak peek at the well preserved artifacts of the royal family of Patiala. On 21 December the conference had them visiting the school for the physically and Mentally Challenged students. This was a real eye-opener for the participants. There was a Cultural Program organized in the same day evening. The theme for the Program was 'Beyond Mundane'. The audience was given information about various cultural dance, skits and talk show. A talk show was conducted by Daly College delegates on a given theme which bagged them second position. The last day gave a chance to experience Punjab's history from close quarters. The participants were fascinated by the architecture of Chhapar Chiri Memorial based on the life of the Sikh martyr, Banda Singh Bahadur and visit to the Maharaja Ranjit Singh Armed Forces Preparatory Institute, Mohali. In the evening, the participants had the summing up of the Baraza sessions. The conference concluded with the feeling of Beyond Mundane.

Swaraj Gupta Class IX E

The Mayo Global Round Square Conference, 2017

Round Square is a worldwide network of 160 schools in 40 countries across 5 continents. Through its various conferences it aims to mould young minds into innovative people. One such conference was hosted by Mayo College and Mayo College Girls' School, Ajmer from January 8 — January 14, 2017. The delegation of Daly College comprised 6 students namely Aira Bhatnagar, Veer Pratap Raje Bhosle, Samarth Bajpai, Shreyasi Chaudhary, Ashmit Bindal, Saachi Agarwal accompanied by the teacher delegate Mrs. Minakshi Rathore. The theme of the conference was 'making every drop count'. The conference had some notable keynote speakers like Laxmi Dhaul, Dadi Pudumjee, Geeta Ramanujam, Meghna Erande, Siddharth



Chakravarty and Meera Das who, with their efforts conveyed the message of the importance of water through dance, voice artistry, puppetry, story telling and animated films. The students were divided into baraza groups in order to facilitate meaningful interactions and conduct fun activities. Through these different activities there was a greater understanding amongst us about the problems that grip our world. The adventure destinations were in four different opulent heritage hotels of Rajasthan. Our trip included a visit to Deogarh, which is in the Aravali ranges in Rajasthan. It had wonderful places to explore like old temples, bawris and was an excellent place for bird watching. We had a gala evening with the local musicians and performers and the merriment magnified when we had the sumptuous Mewari cuisine. For community services, all the delegates went to different service destinations like-the Badhir Vidhyalaya, Orphanage and centre for multiple disabilities to work and interact with the students in these places. The Mayo boys and girls exhibited a wonderful horse show and a polo match along with some beautiful traditional dances that showcased the different cultures of India. Our host was extremely warm and friendly which complemented the chilly weather. There was a lot of learning, enlightenment, festivity and long-lasting friendships.

Aira Bhatnagar, Veer Pratap Raje Bhosle, Saachi Agarwal, Shreyasi Chaudhary, Samarth Bajpai & Ashmit Bindal.



RS International Conference in Germany

A group of 4 students namely, Amur Khandelwal, Ishita Sureka, Nadia Sheikh and Rajveer Chabra escorted by Ma'am Badhwar and accompanied by Dr. Sumer Singh attended the Round Square International Conference held at Stiftung, Louisenlund from the 10th to 16th of October, 2016 with an aim to achieve



something that will make us stand out from the rest. The theme for this year's conference was "The journey that makes us...", which not only talks about the physical journey, from one place to another, but the personal journey we make in life as well.

At the beginning of the conference, we were divided into various baraza groups. All through the conference we got opportunities to listen to motivational speeches from speakers like Ben Saunders, a polar explorer and professor Manfred Spittzer, who spoke on Neuroscience. We also got a golden opportunity to listen to the experiences of a Syrian refugee and a journalist who had experienced the terror of Taliban and learnt from their journey of life.

Besides this, we went sailing on our activity day on various kinds of boats like the 'Kutter' and the 'Kurt Hahn Motor Boat'. Our service day was well spent by indulging in several activities like fire brigading and tree plantation. Every evening, we attended the baraza meetings to discuss our experiences of the day. On the last day, we were surprised by a food van treat by the host school which gave us a flavour of the German cuisine and culture. The end of the conference was made memorable by an amazing cultural evening followed by a feast and our last baraza meeting. The conference was followed by an educational tour to Berlin where we enhanced our knowledge by visiting several museums and concentration camps. This conference helped us develop our personalities, skills and talents and helped us to think "out of the box" It was an exhilarating and enriching experience and the credit for all this goes to all the people who have supported and guided us all through.

-Ishita Sureka XI C



SELF PROTECTION PROGRAM

Survival of the 'fittest' stays true to the day! Modern day civilizations have sprung up with a plethora of advancement and luxuries making our lives comfortable to the hilt but have also carried along their share of negativities and problems. Hostile neighbourhood, streets, road rage, sexual harassment, kidnapping, murder, fire, emergencies, terrorism and various others security concerns continue to haunt us day in and day out.

Crime, risk situations and mishaps happen when a victim, criminal and opportunity combine. The threat or danger levels aggravate with every tinge of preparedness and equipments / weapons supporting the assailant or the criminal.

A criminal or an anti social person of today is far superior than his predecessor in terms of methodology and technology used to execute an act aimed at harming & intimidating his victim and also getting away with it, because it's their 'way of life' but for us 'it will not happen to me' syndrome makes us lackadaisical.

Self Protection is an endeavour towards preparing ourselves for the bad and the worst so that we rise in the face of threat and don't get surprised. The motto is "mind is the strongest weapon" and we work towards building fearless and confident minds.

The workshops were designed to create an aware mind and an able body to deal with any eventuality in our day to day life. Self Protection is an integral part of the education system because preparing the students to have a successful career and a rewarding life is not complete in itself. Safety is a way of life starting from the basics like safety while driving with your family to safety on the playgrounds moving to the complex situations like a kidnap, bullyism, molestation, road rage and so much more. We had never thought something like this exists and we are sure that this will give us the much needed confidence and courage to stay safe in all given surroundings.

- Bharati House The programme started with girls and eventually took it to the entire school. We have had 4 power packed fun learning sessions with all our participants and have eventually become a part of their lives as much as they have become a way of life for us. Some of the testimonials as follows are the accolades by the students. We had a fantastic session on Self Protection which opened our minds towards the need of safety and the power that lies within us to deal with difficult situations.

Bharati House



As boys, we always thought we can fight our way out of any situation but with this training, we realised that the know how skills are very important because they take away the fear from our minds based on our height, weight, size whatever. It is just a game of mind.- Class 8, New Boarding House

We feel very confident and strong after doing these sessions because we know that we can do it. There are many simple things that can make us strong like our Pen and Pencil. We do not feel afraid anymore.- Class 7, Junior Bharati House

We had never thought something like this exists and we are sure that this will give us the much needed confidence and courage to stay safe in all given surroundings.

- Bharati House



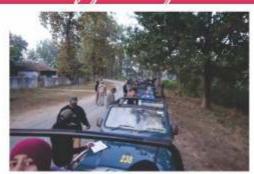




EDUCATIONAL TOURS AND TREKS

students with our escort teacher, am Kanak Ball ,waited with eager ation to board the flight to Raipur our onward journey to the Kanha er Reserve, also called the Kanha ional Park, a tiger reserve which is the largest national park of Madhya radesh in the heart of India,

If you truly love nature, you will find beauty everywhere

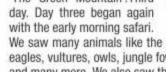


The first day was spent on travelling to Raipur and then to Kanha. On reaching Kanha we had dinner and went quickly to our allotted cottages at the Infinity Resort to pack our back packs for the safari early the next morning and to get a good sleep to be ready for the next day. Second day. We got up at around 4:30 in the morning and moved towards our gypsies, boarded them and set off for a great safari in the wild. The first day was lucky for a few as they spotted a tigress, she was called "tehdipoonch" (crooked tail). They even saw it marking its territory which is an uncommon sight. We also saw the Sambhar, spotted deer, barking deer, and many birds. Breakfast was at the Sonder Camp in the park itself after which we returned

to the resort at 11:30 am. After a bath and a delicious lunch, we got into the cars and drove to

the buffer area for a trek in the forest. Namrata Ma'am, a senior naturalist and Aditi Ma'am told us about the different trees, insects and spiders. We also learnt how an ant hill is built by the termites. A challenge was set up for us and all of us in groups were asked to collect items in a list. We had real fun. In the evening we had the Gond painting workshop taken by a Gond artist. Gond paintings are a form of painting from folk and tribal art that is practised by one of the largest tribes in India with whom it shares its name. Gond comes from the Dravidian expression, 'Kond' which means

'The Green Mountain'. Third day. Day three began again



We saw many animals like the wild boar, spotted dear, sambhar and birds like eagles, vultures, owls, jungle fowls, scarlet minivet, black hooded golden oriole, and many more. We also saw the iconic barasingha, the hard land Swamp Deer, which is the state animal of Madhya Pradesh. In the afternoon we went for a visit to the Baiga village. Baiga is a tribe found in Madhya Pradesh with a population of 2,50,000. We got to know about the culture and lifestyle of the baiga tribe. Then we moved towards a Tribal Museum in Kanha established by the Corbett foundation. A one-of-its-kind venture, the Tribal Museum promises to provide

authentic information about the Baiga and the Gond tribes of Central India to the tourists



around the bonfire. The men and women had put up their tribal dance especially for us. The day ended with a lovely candle light dinner in the open. We went to sleep with lots to dream about. Fourth Day.

Day four was going to be the last day of our stay at Kanha. We woke up reluctantly at around 7: 30. After breakfast, half of us went for bird watching and spotted many birds and the rest of

us had a great experience getting wet in the river. We left for Raipur after drying up and a lovely lunch and checked into the Taj Hotel in the evening. We had a great time at the hotel. Fifth Day The next day, we left Raipur in the morning and reached back home discussing and reminiscing the fun we had at Kanha. We would like to thank ma'am Kanak, the Jungle Roar team and ma'am Preeti Sable for this memorable trip. This trip brought out the true meaning of the famous quote ', We take

photos as a return ticket to a moment which is otherwise gone". We wish we never forget the great times we had with our great mad and loving squad.





.-Dev Neema VII E, Saharsh Choudhary VIII A, Kamya Kaimal VII A, Padmini Jain VII B & Raina Himatsingka VII CIE





May 2016 was a memorable experience for Daly college students . 17 students with two escort teachers travelled via Delhi and Dubai to Los Angeles. The tour began with a visit to UCLA which involved a guided campus tour and first hand information of the courses offered and the admission procedures. The second university visit was at Caltech, where a detailed presentation and face to face interaction proved worthwhile. The visit to the Universities of Stanford and Berkley was an eye opener during the guided campus tour. The best of the remembrances

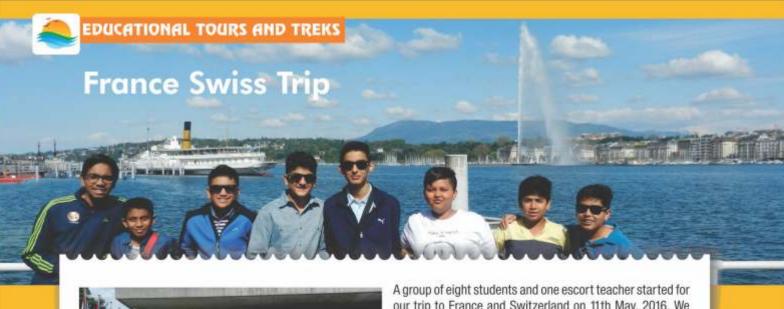
are associated with the visit to Disney World, Universal Studio, Griffith Observatory, Madam Tussauds and Hollywood Boulevard. The visit to Hoover Dam and the Grand Canyon, engineering marvels as they are, left an unforgettable experience. A glimpse of all tech giants and their banner boards with a detailed description during the visit to Intel Museum, Google Office and Apple Headquarters was quite an unusual experience and learning. The breeze at the Golden Gate Bridge and the Fisherman's Wharf Pier, the sight of the sea lion

in the sun on dock boats are worth mentioning. The visit to the West Coast, USA has etched memories that we will cherish for life.

-Eshaan Sojatia XI F









A group of eight students and one escort teacher started for our trip to France and Switzerland on 11th May, 2016. We must admit that the journey to Paris was long. We had a quick city tour which left us absolutely spellbound. Watching astonishing and rich heritage ,we wanted to capture every moment of our stay. The next day, after a continental breakfast, the group left for the Louvre Museum, the biggest museum in the world famous for its statues and paintings. The main attraction of the museum was the world famous paintings of Monalisa and the statue of Aphrodite. It is said that it takes 2 weeks to see all the statues and paintings of the Louvre Museum. After the city tour, the group visited the famous Eiffel Tower, climbed up to the second floor from where one could see the astonishing scenic beauty of the whole city. It was a day well spent. Exhausted, we hit the beds.

The most awaited visit to Disneyland filled the group with fun and frolic. We enjoyed almost all the rides at Disneyland.





After a six hour bus journey the next After sightseeing, we had a boat ride of the highest fountains, as high as 90 special visit to UN, the group headed something which took our breath temperature as low as 3 degrees, the world. On the return journey, in Lucerne, we visited the Lion Monument, Chapel Bridge & Water Tower. The group also visited the Rhine Fall, the Swiss Transport Museum and the Lindt chocolate factory!

In Zugerberg ,at the Montana School, we experienced the Swiss way of education as we attended the Mathematics class .

It was an awesome experience. The group is thankful to the school for giving this wonderful opportunity.

-Hriday Khatri IX B & Swaraj Gupta IX E

day, the group reached Geneva. at the Geneva Lake and reached one meters. After the city tour and a for Zurich. Our next visit was to away, Mount Titlis with which is one of the highest peaks of





pleasant weather as it had rained for one day while we were there. We visited Featherdale Wildlife Park and the Blue Mountains. We saw various animal species found in Australia and fed the Kangaroos. We sat in the Scenic Railway, the steepest passenger train in the world and the Skyway, which was very exciting. The handouts that were provided to students helped them to know the facts and figures of the places and the available career options. Interactive sessions and question answer sessions were conducted after each visit. The next day we went to see the famous Opera House, the Harbour Bridge and the Sydney Tower. Later, we went to the Madam Tussaud's wax museum and the Sea Life aquarium. Our next destination was Cairns. Our stay here was in a beautiful resort with a lot of scenic beauty. The landscape took our breath away .Here ,we went to see the Kuranada rain



each and every member on the tour. It was summer time in Australia. In our two-day trip to Sydney we enjoyed the



forest and interacted with the Tjapukai tribes. The students dined and danced with the tribals which was an exhilarating experience in itself. The next day, we went to the Great Barrier Reef, one of the seven wonders of the world where we saw many species of fish, turtles and corals, which was an amazing experience.

The next stop was at the Gold Coast, where we stayed on the 20th floor overlooking the beach, which was a spectacular sight. The students thoroughly enjoyed the thrill rides at the Warner Bros. Movie World theme parks and got enough time to explore the Australian shopping streets. The meals included mouthwatering dishes and recipes of children's delight. Everyday, separate food for Jain students was served. Sumptuous Indian Cuisine for dinner created a good balance.

The itinerary was very well designed which covered different areas of

interest and faculties of the students keeping them fully engrossed. In the entire trip, the students got a chance to interact with the captain of the aircraft from Guangzhou, crew members of the ship at GBR, helpers at the zoo in Sydney and many other people. The accompanying tour officials, Nakul and Kriti were very friendly and encouraging. During the trip, we all danced, played, ate and shopped together thoroughly enjoying ourselves. A few students who actively participated in the daily activities were rewarded.

En masse, it was an exhilarating and a fantabulous trip and the students had the time of their lives.

-Nimit Sharma IX CIE & Jaivardhan Tibrewal VIII B

The British Council International School Award (ISA) is a benchmarking scheme that accredits schools as having an outstanding level of support for:

a. Nurturing global citizenship in young people.

Enriching teaching and learning.

ISA was introduced in India in the year 2003. The ISA approach to school development is holistic and is rigorous and evidence based. We had won the award for 2014-2017 and this year we went in for reaccreditation. For the ISA the entire school (K-12) was divided into seven groups. Mrs.

Vinita Daudkhane was appointed the ISA Co-ordinator of the school. Project Heads were appointed who sat with their sub-teams of teachers to start compiling the action plan. On the approval of the action plan the teachers began implementing the activities and new pedagogies in their class rooms teaching. A portfolio of evidences or the Dossier of evidences for all projects was compiled and submitted to the Delhi office of the British Council for approval as an e-dossier. On approval of the Dossier, the school will be entitled to the ISA trophy and use of the ISA kite mark on all official stationery and promotional materials.

Overview of the ISA Projects

CURRICULUM ACTIVITY 1: BIRDS OF INDIA AND UK : CLASSES: KINDERGARTEN

This project allowed students of Kindergarten to learn about the birds of both the countries and identify birds with their appearance and call, know their habitat, the food they eat and the need to protect them. There were collaborative activities with our partner

school Peel Hall Primary School, Manchester, UK and William Law CE Primary School, UK. Fun and knowledge went hand in hand. It

and call, know their habitat, the food they eat and the need to protect them. There were collaborative activities with our partner school Peel Hall Primary School, Manchester, UK and William Law CE Primary School, UK. Fun and knowledge went hand in hand. It was fun to actually spot different species of birds and to learn their names which the kids had never heard before. Children learnt about the different types of birds, their beaks, their characteristics, national birds of India and UK

and common birds found in both countries.

CURRICULUM ACTIVITY 2: SOCIAL LIKE IN INDIA AND UK : CLASSES: I AND II

This project allowed students of Class I & II of India and UK to learn from each other about social life in both countries - the people, the food, the clothes, the house types, family systems, festivals and celebrations. Students were able to identify and relate to family life in India and UK, Africa, America and Europe and compare and contrast different houses, dresses, food habits of people in India and UK. Though pen pal activities (sending and receiving Easter, Diwali and Christmas Cards) they were able to make new friends for life with students of partner schools Peel Hall Primary School, Manchester and William Law CE Primary School, Peterborough, UK. CURRICULUM ACTIVITY 3: HISTORICAL MONUMENTS OF INDIA AND UK: CLASSES: III AND IV

The students of Classes III and IV from India and UK learnt about the monumental heritage of both countries and



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in all the activities conducted related to the project. They enjoyed the field trips, to different monuments in the city, talk by avid artist and historian Mr. Rajendra Singh, Skype sessions with partner school William Law CE Primary School, exchanging presentations on monuments of their country with partner school Peel Hall, UK and quizzing sessions on historical monuments.

CURRICULUM ACTIVITY 4: TRIBES OF THE DESERT AND FORESTS OF INDIA, UK AND AUSTRALIA

CLASSES: V AND VI

This Activity helped students of classes V & VI of the three countries to collaborate and learn about life styles of tribes of each country and their contribution to the present world.

Experiential learning was one of the greatest highs of the project wherein an educational tour was organized to Kanha National Park. This tour gave the students a chance to spend a day in a Baiga tribe village and interact with the villagers. Interacting with our partner schools through blogs, emails, Skype and exchange of PowerPoint presentations opened up new horizons for learning.

CURRICULUM ACTIVITY - 5: INNOVATIVE ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMES AND THEIR ROLES IN UNDERSTANDING THE FACTORS AFFECTING ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE

Classes: VII and VIII

This curriculum activity allowed the students of Grade VII and VIII to explore the factors affecting the environmental damage in different countries of the world (India, USA, UK / UAE and understand factors affecting the environment. This project aimed at creating awareness among the people to make the environment eco-friendly. Students realised that environmental education helps them and general public

in creating awareness and sensitivity towards the environment and its applied problems.

CURRICULUM ACTIVITY - 6 SMART STUDENTS FOR SMART CITIES Class: VII and VIII

This Curriculum activity aimed at helping students to explore the digital world and to appreciate the use of technology in Indore and compare it with developed cities across Europe. They were able to understand the need for responsible use of digital equipment and become familiar with the use of technology for maintaining records and understanding the role of technology in smooth functioning of city/ state/ nation. The students got an opportunity to interact with students of different schools in their locality. They got an insight into the ICT tools used in the classroom of various schools of Indore.

CURRICULUM ACTIVITY - 7

HUMAN MIGRATION - A BOON OR A CURSE AND ITS IMPACT ON THE GLOBAL ECONOMY

CLASSES: IX, X, XI, XII

Students understood the term migration and learnt about the types of migration. They were able to identify the social, economic and political causes of migration and identify the effects of migration on the economic development of countries around the world. (Special focus on European Union)

The project activities led to increase in awareness among students about causes and effects of Migration. The first hand experience of conducting a survey made the children realize that this was far more challenging, interesting and full of surprising observations, than the survey done in the class through practice sheets.



ARMY WING

The wonderful year of 2016 started with the enrollment of 24 new cadets from class 8 for their first year on April 2016. The strength of the army wing became 50, consisting of cadets of class nine and eight.

Our regular parade schedule started from August on every Thursday and Saturday. The cadets also worked hard to make the activities exciting, in creating posters and they also participated in the AIDS awareness programme.

The cadets also attended the CAT Camp held at Indore in the month of August 2016 and participated in various events like drill, weapon training, essay writing, poster making etc. Some of the cadets performed exceptionally well during the camp namely, Yashveer Singh, Gurkeerat Singh, Manvendra Singh and Swaraj Gupta. Taking time out of their busy schedule, the cadets involved themselves in tree plantation, go green drive, NCC marathon and other social activities. Our cadets also brought laurels to the institution as well as recognition for themselves. Anuj Palod was adjudged the best cadet for the NCC army wing as well as the best cadet among all the others of the school for the year 2015-16.

All this could not have happened without the support of the principal, vice principal and ANO, Indrajeet Singh Hora. We hope that the coming year will be full of NCC activities and the cadets will keep bringing glory to our institution. Gurkeerat Singh Hora IX B





AIR WING

The new session of NCC started with the enrollment of twenty five new cadets in July last year. These cadets showed great enthusiasm towards NCC activities.

In the beginning, the cadets were introduced to the Indian Air Force and the NCC organization. They were informed about the various career options in the Indian Air Force. The cadets learnt about the various types of aircrafts and the weapons used by the Indian Air Force. They learnt about the importance of discipline and exhibited the same during march past practices. The NCC cadets gave a wonderful guard of honour to the chief guest during Annual Prize giving function. The cadets amazed the audience by exhibiting great discipline and coordination during the guard of honour. Soumya Agrawal of class 9E led the Air Wing cadets during the Guard of honour and demonstrated excellent leadership skill.

The cadets attended aero modelling classes and learnt about making and flying of model aircrafts. They were amazed to see the tiny power plant of the radio controlled aircrafts and their light aerodynamic designs.

18 cadets passed the 2 years training programme with an 'A' certificate this year and six cadets of the second year namely, Vaibhav Gupta, Ujjwal Agrawal, Ankit sastiya, Aditya Chopra, Herambh Singh, and Vandit Jindal appeared for the 'A' certificate examination and are waiting for their result. We wish to thank the Principal, the Vice Principal and the Commanding Officer of The MP AIR SQN for giving our cadets such a wonderful opportunity. Harshwardhan Patwa IX C & Kushal Jain IX B











ARMY WING GIRLS

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This year was full of new experiences and learning. The uniform in itself was what made us different and gave us a sense of pride like no other. The guard of honour

was performed during the APG by the first- year students Lakshika Singh and Nandini Tlwari as pilots and Ashmi Jha holding the prestigious position of the leader to the troop. The fight for these positions proved to be a challenging one and the students had to undergo rigorous training sessions for three days. Also this year, 11 second- year students of NCC got the opportunity to attend the CATC camp organized by the NCC Indore Group with more than 400 students participating from different schools and colleges. The camp was organized from August 1st to August 10th 2016 at the Nehru Stadium. The activities of the camp included weapon training, lectures on social issues, drills, sports activities etc. Friendly competitions of extempore and debates on the commu ity issues were organized where the DC cadets proved their competitive oratory skills and bagged the first and third positions. These

activities helped the

students to learn

discipline, service, teamwork and take both failure and success with the same spirit. The ten days of the camp were extremely hectic as the day would start at 5:30 am with a morning workout session followed by the day's activities and would end at 8:30 pm. The troop this year, during the camp, was led by Priyanka Chouhan. The 11 second- year students appeared for the "A certificate examination" in the month of January 2017 and put in their best efforts. We are grateful to our worthy Principal, Sr. Vice Principal and our ANO s/o Mrs. Savita Kharadkar for their unstint support throughout this journey of learning. We hope that the coming years prove to be more successful for the cadets and they bring more glorious years for our college through their good work and elevated spirit Priyanka Chouhan X B

Juhi Mandhare X E

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HOW WE PLAN TO USE HINDI IN THE FUTURE

NSLI-Y Program: Our Program: The National Security Language Initiative for Youth (NSLI-Y) program is part of a U.S. government initiative sponsored by the U.S. Department of State. It provides merit-based scholarships for eligible high school students and recent high school graduates to learn critical languages during six-week summer and academic-year overseas immersion programs. Our NSLI-Y scholarship is awarded by the United States Department of State, but implemented by AFS or the American Field Service. Together, the two programs have shaped our amazing exchange here at the Daly College.

OUR LEARNING EXPERIENCES

Hindi Class

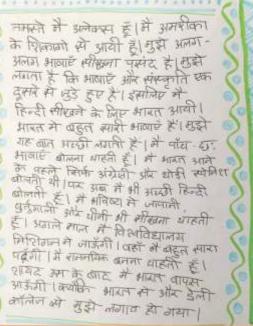
As a part of our program, we are required to take at least two hours of Hindi classes a day, six days a week. In reality, however, our class time often goes far beyond what is expected of us. If Rajopadhyay Sir is in sight, we can always count on him to teach us vocabulary relevant to our surroundings. So for now, we will accept any impromptu lessons delivered by our incredibly passionate and committed Hindi teacher.

मेमा नाम जोई मोरवनेनिटम है। मैं प्रवास्त्री करा पहती है। मुझे मेल खेनाम गाग करना, अमें वह वीजी जानने की नौभिया करना पसीर है। जब मैं मारवामिक पाठशाना में भी, मैंने पुरुष्क म्हेंप्रमा में भारत में बारे में पड़ा और वितिस विषय पड़ते हुए हिन्दू हमों के बारे में जाना, तभी हो में प्रधान भी हिन्दू वर्म में रूपि विशेष विशेष में प्रधान भी भारत भी हिन्दू वर्म में रूपि विशेष वही। मैं प्रधान भी नोतन है कि प्रभी किए मुझे दूसरे देशों में जाना होगा। मैं भारत में बहुत कुछ प्रीष्ट रही है जैसे - हिन्दी आवा मेहरी, नाम आहे। है जी को जेना बहुत कुछ प्रीष्ट रही है जैसे - हिन्दी आवा मेहरी, नाम आहे।



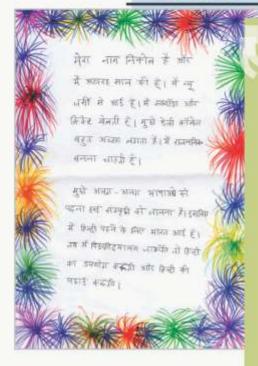
Courtney

I have some friends in the U.S. who speak Hindi and I'm excited to continue to use Hindi with them. I'm considering taking Hindi and Urdu at the university starting in September.



Nicole

Because I am very interested in international relations, languages, and cultures, Hindi will help me with my academic pursuits and career goals in the future. Next year, I plan to major in foreign relations where I can minor in Hindi while using my language skills to connect to Indian exchange students.



30e

I am thrilled to finally be bilingual! The town I live in America is a Refugee Resettlement Community, so I know many Nepalese and some Indian students. I am an assistant teacher in an English as a Second Language class, and I plan to talk with my students in Hindi to make closer relationships and help better teach them English.

नामस्कार में कोटंनी है। में विश्तान से हैं।
में हिन्ही सीखरती है। उपने साम में
म्यूबेंक में नी नीका विश्वविद्यानय में
प्रदूर्णी। मुझे देखना और पहना
पसंद है। में नेरिन पढ़ सकती है।
मुझे नगता है की डेनी नोर्नेक
सीदर है। भारत में मांदू,
भोर कारणकी गर्भा। में दिन्ही और

Alexis

There is almost nowhere in my hometown that I can go without hearing utterings of one of the many Indian languages. Before coming to India, I would go to my favorite coffee shop and try to catch a few of the Hindi phrases spoken by the workers. I plan to use my Hindi to genuinely connect with the people who surround me at home.

After 8 months abroad, we can honestly say that our exchange has been life-changing. For the first 6 months, we lived with host families where we immersed ourselves in Indian culture. For the last 4 months, we live in Bharati House Senior, making new friends and speaking Hindi. During our time in India, we have had the opportunity to learn Hindi through daily classes, bond with our families, participate in various activities at the Daly College, do community service, celebrate festivals, travel around India, and learn from our experiences. Here, we will share some of the most influential and important experiences from our exchange.

An overview of activities and events in the school

Art Class

In art class, Zoe and Nicole created a mural representing America to school, when they were living with their host families. commemorate our exchange. They also helped create a very large tribal drawing for the Indore Cancer Center and revealed it at the hospital where the staff hung it on the wall for the patients.

Focus Class

On Wednesdays, the four exchange students would head over to the junior school to volunteer in the focus classroom. This often involved making crafts with the students, or leading students in culture-based activities. For example, in December, Courtney and Alexis organized an activity about Christmas. While they worked on a fun craft with the students, they discussed the differences and similarities between Christmas in India and Christmas in America.

Woodcraft

In woodcraft, Nicole worked on a profile of Michelle Obama. It is a very interesting and informative class. In the United States, we would not have the same opportunities to learn this craft.

Dance: In the beginning of the year, Zoe and Nicole regularly went to dance during hobby time. They learned a traditional folk dance, Garba, and Dandiya, which they immensely enjoyed. It sparked an fellow students.

interest in Indian dance which they both began participating in outside of

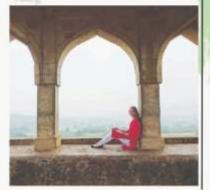
Occasionally, the exchange students are surprised with news that they will be putting on a performance. These performances usually consist of the students singing Hindi songs they don't yet know. During their first few weeks in India, the students learned a classic, Ham honge kamyab. Recently, they were also required to learn kisi ki muskurahaton. They may not be the best performers but that certainly hasn't discouraged anyone from asking them to put on a show!

Cricket Zoe and Nicole have played cricket throughout the year. They both wanted to try the sport, because it is so popular and loved in India. After trying it and realizing it wasn't as similar to American baseball as they thought, they became even more interested. Through many practices of batting, balling, catching, and fielding they have gotten the hang of the sport, if just a little bit.

Squash Zoe and Nicole originally started squash because neither had tried playing the sport before. Their initial visits turned into a love for squash where they have learned new skills from the experienced coaches and practised with

Visit to Mandu & Maheshwar

One of my favorite trips this year was to Mandu and Maheshwar. Mandu was by far one of the most beautiful places I had ever been. It was a very new experience being able to walk on the ruins of Mandu. I have had a lot of un-real experiences during my exchange, and one of them was in Mandu, sitting on a broken down structure, looking at the hills as the sun set pink. After the beauty of Mandu, we boarded a bus to Maheshwar. I didn't expect Maheshwar to be such a historic place so deeply rooted with my host community, but it was. Learning about the history of Indore gave me a newfound appreciation for my new home here in India.



Visit to Mumbai

For my birthday and New Year's, my host family and I went to Mumbai and stayed at the Trident Hotel. The hotel is amazing and looks directly out to the Arabian Sea. Mumbai is absolutely sprawling with three airports and endless buildings. I was amazed by the modern malls and street shopping hubs like Kolaba. I went to the Hard Rock Cafe for my birthday where I danced with my sister, ate dinner with my family, and had a really good time. For New Years, we went to the Taj for dinner which overlooks the Gateway of India, I thought that Mumbai was a beautiful place and was astonished by the liveliness of the city.

Visit to Bangalore

This past week my host brother and I flew South to Bangalore. We went to see my aunt, uncle, and cousins who were visiting from America, as well as my host sister Rani, who studies in Bangalore at the National Institute for Fashion Technology (NIFT). We were only there for about three full days and it was a great trip. City: Coming out of the airport, I felt like I was in California. In the dark, fresh air, surrounded by clean roads and palm trees, I could have been in America.

THE SIGHTS

Adarsh Palm Retreat

Our first view of Bangalore in the daylight was of the gorgeous Adarsh Palm Retreat where the Chatterjees live. It is a beautiful neighborhood of villas situated right next to an IT park. The area looks just like Southern California, with neat, clean, and organized streets.

Lal Bagh Botanical Gardens

Only fifteen miles from our hotel, but an hour drive away, was the Botanical Gardens. Outside was an enormous rock formation- the type you would find in Central Park, and some twisty trees. We saw some great Bonsai trees there. I really enjoyed getting a taste of South India!

Sri Hanuman Temple

On the last day, we visited a Hindu temple dedicated to the monkey god, Hanuman. It was made up of a small mandir, with a life-size Hanuman statue, as well as an enormous 102-foot idol. The Hanuman idol was blue and towered over the neighborhood. Just across the street was another temple with many idols. The building was unlike any other I had seen. Clay sculptures such as gargoyles and grotesques guarded the temple walls. I soon learned that this is a characteristic of temples in Southern India.

National Institute of Fashion Technology (NIFT)

NIFT is one of the most prestigious design schools in India. The campus is lovely. Overall, the college was small, but sweet. It was a nice environment to study and learn about fashion design



NAVRATRI

Navratri is my favorite Indian festival. Not only because it celebrates Durga Ji, my favorite goddess, but because of the lively and exciting nights of Garba. I loved seeing all the traditional Gujarati clothing, the fun and colorful cotton skirts with intricate designs, and jewel studded crop tops and dupattas. We went to Garba three different nights. First, we watched loads of people do dances in one of the circles, and then we got to dance ourselves in the other circle. The second night my host mom and I went to another Garba. This one we could only watch, for it was very professional and fairly exclusive. It was incredible. The air was



alive with spirit and there was a smile on the faces of the dancers and the audience alike. It started out as people doing intricate and traditional dances, in-sync, around the circle. The entertainment was fantastic. At the end, I got to go into the circle (without shoes) because my cousin was in the dance and we prayed to Durga and took some fun pictures. The last

night we went was the final night of the festival, so they went all out. My host sister and I attended. The dancing went from about nine at night to 2 in the morning. Everyone was coordinated in black-based outfits, with other colors splashed throughout. After the start of synchronized-circle dancing, the real entertainment began. There were plays and tricks and, of course, lots of dancing. It was a mix between a musical, an acrobatic show, a circus, and an elaborate dance performance. There were fight-scenes and ladders, dancing on plates and cups, and people breathing fire. The whole atmosphere was that of excitement and celebration. Navratri and Garba were incredible experiences that I will never forget. I hope to come back one day and actually 'play Garba' (participate)!

Eid

On my third day in Indore, we celebrated the festival of Eid. It was really exciting for me because I had been looking forward to celebrating new holidays and learning about different religions since way before I figured out I would be coming to India. The day included lots of house visits and sweets. This day was also coincidentally the first time I ate one of my favorite foods here, pakora. It was really interesting to learn about Islam by participating in festivals with people who practice the faith.

RAKSHABANDHAN

In preparation for Rakhi, my host sister, mother, and I went to about five different shops, all of which sold only rakhis, and examined bracelet upon bracelet. The night before the festival we traveled to my Nani and Nana's town. They live on a farm, right next to a cotton plantation. In the morning, we set up the thali, a tray filled with red paste, rice, rakhi, gifts, coconuts, and sweets. We then started the ceremony. Each sister (including me) dipped her finger in the red paste and put a tilak on her brother's forehead. I then took the rice and put it on the tilak and threw the excess over his head. Next I took a rakhi and tied it onto my brother's wrist. Then we fed each other sweets. I gave my brother a present and a coconut and in return my brother gave me a gift of money and promised to protect me. We then returned to Indore and for the rest of the day we went around to all of our family's houses and repeated this ceremony. We tied rakhi onto our brothers, as well as their wives, and our parents and grandparents too. I had rakhi tied on my wrist as well. The festival was really enjoyable and at the end all of the guys showed off how many rakhis they got. My host brother had 11 bracelets all up his arm and was therefore responsible for the protection of 11 people. Raksha Bandhan was a great holiday for me to celebrate, especially with my new siblings!

DIWALI

It is one of the largest festivals celebrated in India and commemorates King Rama's return after defeating Ravana. I learned all of this in Hindi class and from actually celebrating the holiday. For Diwali, I was in Chandigarh where I lit fireworks, walked around the city watching all the fireworks explode, and met a lot of new people. Throughout the day, I ate a lot of sweets and amazing food. I also wore a new saree that I had bought in Maheshwar. In the evening, I lit candles at the Gurudwara. The candles filled a huge space and glittered so brightly that the entire Gurudwara was lit with only their light. At night, the fireworks around the city were amazing and beautiful, lighting up the dark sky completely. Diwali, along with Navratri, is definitely one of my favorite holidays.

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Visit to Dumb and Deaf School

In September, we all travelled to a Dumb and Deaf School with The GOLDEN Future, an NGO created by our AFS program coordinator. We helped the NGO members with leading an arts and crafts session with the students. We even learned some sign language during our volunteer work and were amazed by the students' intellect and motivation.

Visit to the Village School



After nearly six months of asking, Rajopadhyay Sir finally agreed to take us to his farm. In return for the exciting field trip, he wanted us to attend a school in his village and talk to the children about a variety of topics like cleanliness and feminism. We made some posters, wrote some speeches, and then one day we walked into a classroom full of young and attentive students.

Activities at DC with the local kids

In October, we had the opportunity to meet a bunch of interesting kids from the surrounding local areas. Around thirty students from government schools came to interact with us everyday for a week. We had a great time together. They got to practise their English with us a little and we got to practice our Hindi with them. We did many fun and educational activities as a group. They taught us how to Garba dance, make



rangolis, and sing Hindi songs, and we taught them about various places in America, a few English games, and how to use technology (like set up email accounts).

MUN

In November, Zoe and I traveled to Patiala in Punjab to participate in a Model United Nations Conference with other Daly College students. I represented Russia in the Nuclear Suppliers Group and Zoe represented Venezuela in the Security Council. For me, my school in America doesn't participate in MUNs so it was a great experience to participate in organized debates while meeting new people. This being my first MUN, I learned a lot about procedures, caucusing, and policy-making. Our committee successfully created a resolution with my help and I was even awarded an honorable mention!

Host Families

My host family has been the most wonderful part of my exchange year here in India. I clicked with them from the very beginning and immediately felt like part of the family. My host brother is Siddharth Jain, a smart and caring young man who just passed out of 12th grade (commerce with Math) at DC. I also have the loveliest host parents, and two intelligent and fun older host sisters. I am an only child, and the experience of having siblings has been priceless. My host family is Jain, so I got the chance to visit many Mandirs, as well as celebrate Paryushan. They have also taken me to various extended family events. They helped me celebrate every holiday, from Rakhi to Diwali to Navratri. I have cooked and made chai with my mom, had hilarious conversations in Hindi with my dad, shared funny videos about India and America with my brother, had serious and fascinating conversations with my oldest sister, and tried various foods with my other sister. I shared many of my traditions with my host family as well, such as eating apples and honey on the Jewish New Year, lighting the Menorah on Hanukkah, and eating tons of candy on Halloween. The connections I made with my host family members are forever, and I am infinitely grateful to have them in my life. I have learned an enormous amount about Indian culture, interactions, people, and life in general from my host family. They have been the most important part of my life in India and I will miss them achingly.



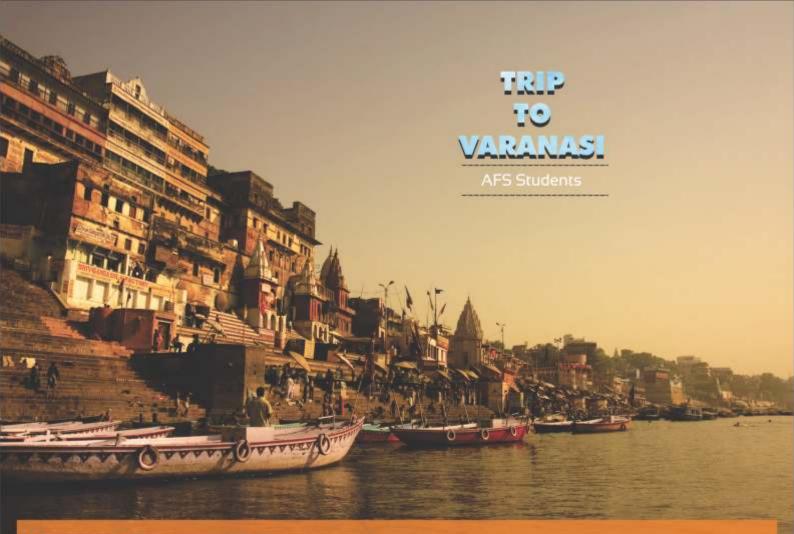


Courtney: Everything I dislike is just an opportunity for me to learn. I told this to a reporter once in my first month here, when the statement was just an improvisation to fill the silence following her question. I didn't believe everything that overwhelmed me in India was an opportunity to examine my preferences and ideals, as much as I saw the examination as unavoidable and wrenching. The reporter laughed but didn't print my quote. Even though it was just something I tossed off, I now believe it is fundamental to my exchange. Being in India has allowed to me to meet people and have experiences I couldn't have ever imagined in the US.

Zoc: I have learned unparalleled lessons during my time in India. My exchange has been filled with new experiences and challenges, and I feel I have grown so much as a person. I have learned different ways of communication (not only Hindi and English, but direct versus indirect), the differences in lifestyle and culture between two societies, and how important it is to see the positives in every situation. Through Hindi, I have been able to have funny and interesting discussions with people who I would not have been able to communicate with at all. I have learned to be more patient and clear as well. I believe one of the biggest things I have learned is how to integrate and understand an entirely different way of life. India has been and continues to test me and excite me, and I am forever grateful for this experience.

Nicole: During my time in India, I have learned invaluable lessons about cultural differences, connecting to different people, and, of course, Hindi. I think that my ability to speak Hindi has really shaped my exchange. By learning Hindi, I have been able to connect to locals, conduct interviews in Varanasi, and make new friends in school. Also, by moving to India, I have learned about the lives of people from various backgrounds, allowing me to accept other perspectives and judge less quickly. I am so glad that I have been afforded this experience and encourage others to study abroad as well.

Alexis: It's hard to describe what I have learned here, while I am still here. India is so different from everything I ever knew before. Exchange isn't like school and I don't think that I will be able to go home and sit down and just start listing off the things that I have learned. Despite this fact, I spend a lot of time reflecting on what I have learned. Here is what I have so far. I have learned a great deal about India and Indian culture. I have begun to understand the value of family and friendship. Through learning Hindi, I have learned that I will often make mistakes, and that it's okay to make mistakes. I have become much better accepting flaws in others and in myself. I continue to grow past harsh criticisms. I have become so much better at listening and processing situations before reacting to them. In a lot of ways, I am simply much more prepared to conquer the challenges I will face in the future.





In 1895, Mark Twain, one of the United States's most famous writers, visited Varanasi and remarked ""Benares is older than history, older than tradition, older even than legend, and looks twice as old as all of them put together". While in Varanasi, I read his writings on his experience there. It was very comforting to spend a day in a whirl of activity and then return to my room at the Sunbeam School to be lulled to sleep by another The American who seemed to have done exactly the same thing over a century earlier. Varanasi seemed practically unchanged in some ways, morning artis being performed on ghats, throngs of pilgrims at mandirs. We scattered at the sight of the cows lumbering down old Varanasi's narrow lanes, but also did the same for motorcycles going at preposterous speeds.

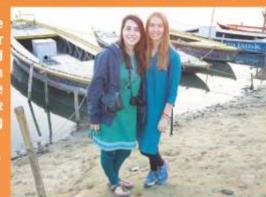
I have never seen a place that looks like Varanasi. From the Ganges, Varanasi forms a crescent moon. Varanasi is a wash of warm sandstone and vibrant shocks of color.

All of the students from NSLI-Y came to create projects on various aspects of Varanasi. Nicole's project was on carpet and sari manufacturing, Zoe's project was on kathak dancing, Alexis's project was on ghats and mandirs, and my project was on *ltra*.

We were able to visit Sarnath, the site of Buddha's first sermon, while in Varanasi. Sarnath is one of the four most important pilgrimage sites for buddhists and many buddhist monks from all over the world were among the visitors to Sarnath's temples.

One of my favorite moments in Varanasi was a complete accident. As we were walking through old Varanasi, a boy in our group decided to go up a staircase almost completely obscured by the wall. He stumbled into a three hundred year old Jain temple. Even with our noisy group inside, the serenity of the mandir was apparent. Alexis was able to interview the monk there about the temple's history. We all left the temple feeling refreshed and reinvigorated.

None of us will ever forget our amazing experiences in Varanasi.



Certificate Course on Cultural Heritage of India A Report

RETURN OF THE AUSSIES The group of 22 Australians from the Ivanhoe Grammar School, escorted by Mr. Chapel, after almost 30 hours of travelling arrived at the Daly College where they spent the next few days.

The group was welcomed with garlands at the commencement of their Cultural Heritage of India Certificate Program, the topics of discussion of which being: Religions Originated in India, Indian Philosophy, God and Goddesses, Indian Art and Sculpture, Indian Dance Forms, Rituals and Rites, Pre-Historic India, Indian Epics and the Indian Wedding. The students took a series of very formal and intensive teaching and learning courses through day long lectures, presentations and questionnaires.

Despite the tiring schedule, early morning yoga sessions had become a welcomed form of relaxation for the group. They actively took part in pottery sessions and painting lessons during which they traced shapes inspired by early Indian art and it was explained that when these artworks are painted in a house, the positive energy used up serves to counter any negative energy brought into the home by the visitor and some of the students were interested to learn this fine art. Students were taught Punjabi folk dance which they later performed on stage clad in traditional Punjabi dress.

The group were fortunate enough to have met Prince Yashwant Rao Holkar at Ahilya Fort, Maheshwar, during their excursion to Mandu and Maheshwar. They also visited the hand loom section of the Rewa society and witnessed the weavers weaving Maheshwari sarees.

On their final evening at the Daly College, the group performed a



dance .The beautiful costumes, makeup made them look stunning. The group did a fantastic job and the audience marveled at how well the group had danced with just a couple of days' preparation behind them, after which the students were presented with their Cultural Heritage Certificates.

The group featured in a number of local newspapers who displayed a keen interest in the purpose of the group's visit and the benefits of intercultural programs.

Tom's initiative of collecting approximately 3000 USD simply by walking on his hands in the city of Melbourne and then donating that money to Daly College for the washroom project for girls in rural areas was widely recognized.



Dy. Dean of Sports FIRST ШОПО



"Every successful individual knows that his or her achievement depends on a community of persons working together".

- Paul Ryan

When I took over the office of the Deputy Dean of Sports, the college had already achieved unparalleled success in the field of sports. Here I would like to quote Benjamin Franklin who said, "Without continual growth and progress, such words as improvement, achievement, and success have no meaning", and here we are in a pursuit to achieve what we haven't so far with the goals set higher.

The session started with DC hosting the 10th IPSC Girls' Shooting Championship in April, 2016, where our girls won the overall championship and in the 13th IPSC Boys' Shooting Championship hosted by The Emerald Heights International School, Indore, our boys' team emerged as the overall champions. The DC boys' and girls' teams won the IPSC Shooting Championship for the 9th and 8th consecutive year respectively. In the 15th MP State Inter-school Shooting Championship and the MP State Open Shooting Championship 2016, Dalians secured 60 medals. Overall 43 shooters participated in the SGFI National Shooting Tournament and the NRAI National Shooting Championship.

Tarini Kohli was declared the best swimmer in the 45th Indore District Age Group Aquatic Championship Trophy in Group IV. The Dalians bagged 67 medals in total. 14 students were selected for the State level Championship and the 45th Open Age Group State Aquatic Championship. The Dalians secured 43 medals. Naquiya Barwaniwala and Aaryan Anand were selected for the Age Group Open National Aquatic Meet. Our team of non medalist swimmers won the Runners up trophy with 35 medals in the Shri Basantilal Sethia Memorial Swimming Competition. Abeer Singh Mehta was adjudged the best swimmer in Group-IV boys.

In the 62nd SGFI State Aquatic Meet, Dalians won 32 medals and Naquiya Barwaniwala won the individual championship in under-17 girls' category.

In the 31st IPSC Aquatic Competition, the boys' team secured 11 Medals and in the 31st IPSC Aquatic Competition our girls won 9 gold, 21 silver and 13 bronze medals. Anandi Nair won the best swimmer award in the U-14 category. The U-17 girls won the Runners-up trophy. Overall, our girls were the Runners-up in the meet.

The DC girls' basketball team lifted the winners' trophy in the Honoria Cup Basketball Tournament at The Lawrence School, Sanawar. They also won the Sunita Singh Memorial Interschool Basketball Tournament. Our U-14 girls' team lifted the Runners- up trophy in the IPSC Girls' Basketball Tournament, Asmat Kaur won a bronze medal at the 62nd National School Games held at Rajnandgaon. Our boys' U-19 team secured the third place in the Sunita Singh Memorial Basketball Tournament and the U-14 boys' team secured the 2nd Runners — up position in the All India IPSC Basketball Tournament.

In the 42nd MP State Sub Junior Chess Championship 2016, Cera Dagaria was the Runner- up. She was also selected in the MP team for national championship. Dev Dagaria won the Best Unrated Player Award at the 2nd Syna Open International Rating Chess Tournament, 2016. Cera Dagaria won the Runner up prize in U-10 girls' category. Cera and Sahil Dadwani participated in the 30th National U-11 and 9 Chess Championship, 2016. Sahil also represented the M.P. State team for the National School Games, 2016. The U-11 mixed team participated in the CBSE West Zone Chess Championship, 2016 and stood 3rd in the tournament and qualified for CBSE Nationals.

Both of our boys football teams secured second and third positions respectively in the Kasliwal Football Tournament. In the Inter school Subroto Cup U-14 boys' Tournament, our team secured the Runners-up position. Our U-19 team also secured the second position at the district level.

Our U-14 girls' football team secured the 2nd Runners — up position in the All India IPSC Football Tournament 2016. The girls' U-17 football team were the Runners-up in the All India IPSC Football Tournament, 2016.

In hockey, the U-19 girls' and boys' teams participated in the CBSE West Zone Hockey Tournament and secured the Winners and the Runners - up position respectively and qualified for the CBSE Nationals. The DC girls' hockey team secured the second Runners-up position at the CBSE Nationals.

In the IPSC boys' Badminton Tournament, the U-17 boys' team secured Rank 3rd in the category. Aakash Kataria and Shreyas Palod qualified for the SGFI Nationals. Also, the U-19 girls' team stood 3rd at the IPSC Girls the Badminton Tournament, held at Pune.

The All India IPSC Squash Championship for girls was played as a team as well an individual event. In the U-19 category, Daly College was declared the winner. In the U-17 and U-14 category, Daly College was the Runners-up. In the individual event, Radhika Rathore and Adwiteya Kasliwal were declared Winner and Runners-up. Khushi Rathore won a silver medal in the U-14 category. DC was adjudged the overall champions. Radhika Rathore and Aryan Khandelwal stood 5th and 8th in The Bombay Gymkhana Maharashtra State Open (seniors & juniors), Mumbai, in their categories. Radhika Rathore and Sanaya Modi finished 7th and 16th in the U-17 Junior/Sub Junior Nationals, 2016. Our boys'



squash team was declared the overall winners in the All India IPSC Squash Championship at PPS, Nabha.

Our tennis players also brought laurels at both the National and the International circuit. In the All India IPSC Girls Tournament, our U-17 and U-19 teams bagged gold medals. In the individual events, Panya Bhalla won a gold medal in U-17; Mahak Jain won a gold medal in U-19. Jhanvi Rajpal won a silver medal in U-17. The DC boys' U-14 team won a gold medal in the All India IPSC Boys' Tennis Tournament. The U-19 team won a bronze medal. Manan Gandhi secured a silver medal in U-19, Janith Madhok secured a silver medal in U-17 and Chaitanya Dev Chauhan secured a bronze medal in U-19.

In The SGFI State Gymnastics Competition 2016, Suhani Pathak and Umika Mehta won a gold and a silver respectively in rhythmic gymnastics. Alia Ali and Niyati Surana grabbed a silver in acrobatic gymnastics. Mihir Sonalkar and Abhiskek Nikhar secured a silver in Artistic Gymnastics. The boys' U-19 team secured the 2ndposition.

In the All India IPSC Skating Competition, the boys' team stood Runners-up in the individual category and the girls' team were the 2nd Runners-up.

Our 7 athletes secured first position in their respective events and secured the berth in Indore division team for the SGFI State Meet. At the CBSE Cluster XII Athletic Meet, our U-17 & 14 boys' and girls' teams won 8 medals in various events. Parinav Puthran won a bronze medal in the All India IPSC Athletic Meet. 9 athletes were selected for the IPSC team to play at the National School Games.

Rakshit Assudani was selected for the IPSC Cricket team as standby in the U-19 category. Vedant Anand was also selected for the IPSC team in the U-17 category and Suryaraj Shaktrawat was selected for the IPSC U-14 Cricket team.

SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENTS AT A GLANCE



92 NATIONAL PARTICIPANTS IN VARIOUS GAMES & SPORTS.



Zenab Bandookwala represented India at the Czech Republic and won a gold medal in the mixed doubles category at the Junior Shooting World Cup in Gabala, Azerbaijan.

Mihika Poore also represented India at the Grand Prix Novi Sad at Serbia. She also participated in the 'Inter Shoot 40' at the Netherlands and won a bronze medal in 10m. Air Rifle Jr. Women category.



Pooja Dodye was selected for the Indian team for the International Six-a-side Tournament at Bali, Indonesia and India won the tournament.

Panya Bhalla played the finals of Nationals from MP state in Hyderabad. She won the Talent Series (AITA) in Gwalior and was the semi-finalist of U-16 at Indore. She won the Championship Series U-16.



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Mahak Jain won the Japan Open Tournament and reached the semifinals of Soly Mania at Cyaro, Egypt. She led the country in the Fed Cup team and played in the World Group at Budapest (Hungary). She was the winner of the road to the Roland Garros U-18 Tournament. She won the Nationals U-16 held at Mumbai.



Sudpti Hajela participated in the Equestrian Premier League and the FEI World Dressage Challenge held at Bangalore winning 2 gold, 3 silver and 2 bronze medals. She also participated in the Junior National Equestrian Championship held at the Army Equestrian Center, Delhi and won 2 gold medals. She also qualified for the EPL Grand finale.

Asmat Kaur and Kashvi Khandelwal were selected for India School team camp 2016-17



Asmat Kaur participated in the 62nd National School Games Basketball Tournament in the U-17 girls' category and won a bronze medal. She also represented the MP State in the Senior Women National Tournament and became the youngest (13.5years) player ever in the country to play at the Senior Nationals. She captained the MP girls' team in the U-14 Open Nationals at Hyderabad.



Parakram Bakiwala played the finals of Championship Series in double in Indore. He was ranked 11 in the Asian Tennis Federation in 2016.He was the Runner-up in doubles in the Super Series in Ahmedabad.

Janith Madhok was the finalist of the Talent Series U-14 and Runner-up U-16 All India Tennis Association at Gwalior.

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he session started with the appointment of Madhvendra Singh and Nikhil Mehta as the Captain and the Vice-Captain of the Daly College boys' shooting team and Mihika Poore and Zenab Bandookwala as the Captain and the Vice-Captain of the Daly College girls' shooting team.

This year, DC hosted the 10th IPSC Girls' Shooting Championship in April, 2016, where our girls performed exceptionally well and secured 7 gold, 9 silver, and 4 bronze medals. DC girls won the overall championship, and were also the winners of U-14, U-17, and U-19 categories. This championship was followed by the 13th IPSC Boys' Shooting Championship hosted by The Emerald Heights International School, Indore in May, 2016, where our boys' team bagged a total of 21 medals. The DC team was the winner of the U-14 and U-19 categories and emerged as the overall champions.

After the summer break, DC hosted the 15th MP State Inter-school Shooting Championship along with the MP State Open Shooting Championship where the Dalians secured 60 medals. Our team also went to participate in the 4th West Zone Shooting Competition held in Ahmedabad, Gujarat. The team members performed to their utmost capacity and ten of our shooters qualified for Nationals.

36 of our shooters participated in the SGFI National Shooting Tournament held at Hyderabad, representing the IPSC and Madhya Pradesh teams, where we bagged 2 gold, 5 silver and 6 bronze medals. Along with this, 26 shooters also participated in the National Shooting Championship Competition (NSCC) organized by the NRAI, where 6 of our rifle shooters qualified for the Indian Squad Trials and Mihika Poore bagged three silver and one bronze medal and Zenab Bandookwala also bagged 3silver and 1 bronze medal. On the whole, we produced a total of 43 national level shooters.

Zenab Bandookwala represented India in a junior International Shooting Tournament at the Czech Republic. She also represented India at the Junior Shooting World Cup in Gabala, Azerbaijan. She brought laurels to the nation as well as DC by winning a gold medal in the mixed doubles category.

Mihika Poore participated in the Grand Prix Novi Sad at Serbia. She was ranked 6th in 10 meters Air Rifle Jr. Women category.

We are the IPSC boys shooting champions for the 9th consecutive year and the IPSC girls shooting champions for the 8th consecutive year.

Our shooting team is grateful to our coaches Capt. K.S. Chauhan and Capt. Charan Singh for their constant guidance and support. We are also thankful to our Dy. Dean of Sports, Mr. Harish Benbi and Master I/C, Mr. K.S. Kapasiya who gave us this opportunity and motivated us to scale new heights.

- Madhvendra Singh XII G



ATHLETICS (Track & Field)



SPORTS UPDATE



he road to success runs uphill."

e season started with the appointment of Parinav Mohan Puthran and Saisha Trivedi as Captains and Parvraj Patni as Vice Captain, Like it happens every year, the long dragging monsoon left very little time to practice. This year DC U-14 and U-17 Track and Field team participated in the CBSE Cluster-XII Athletics Meet, 2016 for boys and girls, organized by the Army Public School, Gwalior, M.P. The team of beginners won 08 bronze medals. Parinav Puthran and Saisha Trivedi led the teams by winning bronze medals in their respective events. The experience gained by the freshers is priceless. A total of 1280 athletes from 77 schools from M.P state participated in the meet. Our athletes participated in the SGFI Inter District Athletic Meet, 2016 held at Malhar Ashram, Indore. Our 7 athletes secured first position in their respective events and secured the berth in the Indore division school team for the SGFI State Meet. The U-19 boys' and girls' team participated in the All India IPSC Athletic Meet held at PPS, Nabha. Parinav Puthran proved his mettle by winning a bronze medal. 9

students qualified for the 62nd National School Games Athletic Meet, 2016 to be held at Pune and Vadodara.

They are: -1. Parinav Mohan Puthran (U-19 Boys), 2. Saisha Trivedi (U-19 Girls), 3. Isha Kellogg (U-19 Girls), 4. Somya Dengre (U-19 Girls), 5. Vedansh Singh Baghel (U-17 Boys), 6. H. Vanremruata (U-17 Boys), 7. Ajit Solanki (U-17 Boys), 8. Shlok Singhvi (U-17 Boys), 9. Athary Sharma (U-17 Boys). The Annual Athletic Meet was inaugurated by Dr. Sumer Singh, Principal, DC, Indore on Nov. 12, 2016 Thereafter, the competition got under way and took on a very festive look. Till the last event, the boys' houses were neck and neck on the point tally. This spirit of the houses and some rigorous practice on each day showed promise for the future. There were 76 events in which the track events included races of 50, 100, 150, 200, 300, 400, 800, 1500 and 3000 meters apart from relays and hurdles. The field events included shot put, discus throw, javelin, long and triple jump, high jump and pole vault. The house contingents were also judged for the March Past. More colors were added to the event by the school band. The participation of dalians has crossed over 850. The closing ceremony was on Oct 16, 2015. The winners were awarded with medals and certificates by the Chief Guest ,Mr. Sukhwant Singh, a prominent old Dalian. This year Parinay Mohan Puthran (Captain, Athletic team), broke the 26 yr old record in 400m hurdles with 1.5 sec. Vikram and Bharati House were Champions of the Athletics Cup and Rajendra and Bharati House won the Inter house March Past Trophy.

The recipients of awards and silver medals were:

Best Athlete (Boys)

Level I - Parinay Mohan Puthran, Level II - Ranveer Singh, Level III - Athary Agrawal,

Best Athlete (Girls)

Level I - Isha Alok Kellogg, Level II - Bhavika Neema, Level III - Saumya Rajpal

Our division would like to appreciate the able guidance of Mr. Yogendra Deshpande and the coaches Mr. Imtiyaz and Miss Latika. We also thank the Dy. Dean of Sports ,Mr. Harish Benbi, and Master I/c ,Mr. R.K. Ojha for their guidance and constant support.

- Parinav Mohan Puthran XII D

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old medals aren't really made of gold. They are made of sweat, determination and a hard to find alloy called guts." These lines are said by Dan Gable.

The session dawned with ample opportunities and new challenges to be faced. The boys' basketball team under the captainship of Vishesh Kataria and vice-captainship of Rahul Bhati participated in the late Sunita Singh Memorial Basketball Tournament hosted by the Emerald Heights International School, Indore. The DC boys' team won the first two matches and made it to the quarter-finals; they secured the berth for the semi-finals. Finally the team secured third position in the Tournament.

In the month of October the U-14 boys' team went for the IPSC tournament to Valsad, Gujarat. They secured the 3rd position by defeating 4 teams in the league.

The U-19 boy's team participated in the IPSC tournament at Delhi and came back with a lot of exposure and inspiration.

We thank Mr. Harish Benbi, Dy. Dean of Sports, Mr. K.S Kapasiya I/C Basketball, our coach, Mr. Vishal Kharadkar and all the other coaches for providing us these opportunities and world class sports facilities which enable us to achieve high goals.

-Vishesh Kataria XII B





BASKETBALL GIRLS



SPORTS UPDATE



his year has been a great year for the DC girls' basketball team in terms of laurels and achievements. The DC girls' basketball team, under the captaincy of Anushka Rai and vice captaincy of Devangana Chouhan, began its success story from the very first tournament of the year. The team won the Honoria Cup Basketball Tournament held at The Lawrence School, Sanawar. Kashvi Khandelwal was adjudged the best player and Asmat Kaur was declared the most promising player of the tournament.

The next coveted tournament of the year was the Sunita Singh Memorial Basketball Tournament held at Indore. A total of 35 teams participated and DC once again topped the ranking by defeating its arch rivals ,The Emerald Heights International School. Kashvi Khandelwal, was, yet again, declared the best player of the tournament.

Our U-14 girls' team participated in the IPSC Basketball Tournament at Ashok Hall, Ranikhet (Uttrakhand). The team displayed extraordinary skills against The Welham Girls' School, Dehradoon and lifted the Runners- up trophy. Dhritika Singh was adjudged the best scorer of the tournament.

The last tournament of the year was played at D.P.S. R.K. Puram, and the team secured overall third position.

This year Aanvi Agrawal (U-19), Kashvi Khandelwal (U-17), Dhritika Singh and Shubhra Jain (U-14) were selected for the IPSC teams. Asmat Kaur participated in the SGFI National Tournament and the team won a bronze medal. Kashvi Khandelwal and Asmat Kaur participated in the Sr. National Tournament also.

The journey of success and scaling greater heights would not have been possible without the unstinted support of our Dy. Dean, Sports ,Mr. H. Benbi, Mr. K.S Kapasiya, coach, Mrs. Savita Kharadkar and master I/c ,Mrs. Anamika Ojha.

- Anushka Rai XII A







he year commenced with great enthusiasm and hardwork. Our team worked round the clock under the captaincy of Gurveer Bhullar and Madhumita Banerjee. Amaan Chandurwala and Shubhi Tripathi were appointed as vice captains.

We started the season with the Inter house Aquatics Meet which was won by Jawahar House and Ahilya House respectively. Amaan Chandurwala and Tanvi Satish were the best swimmers in level II, In level II, Anandi Nair and Ojas Sethi and in level III, Tarini Kohli, Yashesvi Verma, Aaryn Anand and Devansh Chordia were declared the best swimmers. Next was, the Open Age Group District Level Aquatic Meet at Tarun Pushkar, Mhow Naka, Indore. The swimmers performed par excellence! Tarini Kohli was adjudged the best swimmer in group-IV. DC won a total of 23 gold, 29 silver and 15 bronze with 13 qualifications for the State Aquatic Meet. Our swimmers performed well by winning 43 medals. Tarini Kohli was adjudged the best swimmer in U-10 category. Naquiya Barwaniwala and Aaryn Anand qualified for Nationals. 11 swimmers were selected to represent the Indore District team at the SGFI State Aquatic Meet. The team performed commendably well and won 32 medals. Madhumita Banerjee, Naquiya Barwaniwala, Gauri Shahra, Shivom Rathore and Devansh Chordia were selected for the 62nd National School Games at Raikot.

In the Shri Basantlalji Sethia Memorial Swimming Competition, our team secured 12 gold, 11 silver and 12 bronze medals and Abeer Singh Mehta was adjudged the best swimmer. The boys' team participated in the IPSC Aquatic Meet at Miles Bronson School and won 11 medals. Ojas Sethi was selected for Nationals. The cherry on the cake was when our girls' team won the overall Runners -up trophy in the IPSC Girls Aquatic Meet. The team also won the Runner - up trophy in U- 17 girls' and 2nd Runners -up in U-14 category. Anandi Nair was the best swimmer in U-14 category. Tanvi Satish, Naquiya Barwaniwala and Anandi Nair were selected for Nationals.

This year has been extremely successful for our team and we intend to elevate our achievement to greater heights in the future. All this glory could only have been achieved under the guidance and kind support of our coaches Mr. N.K. Saiwal, Mr. Satish Jambhulkar, Mr. Anil Kasbe and Ms Deepa Yadav. A heartfelt thanks to the Dy. Dean ,Sports, Mr. Harish Benbi for his support.









t is a matter of great satisfaction and pride that our young chess players are doing extremely well in national and open international tournaments. In the CBSE West Zone Championship, our U-11 team performed extremely well by securing 3rd rank with qualification for the national championship. Ishaan Sureka was unbeaten in the tournament and won the board prize for 'B' board, In the CBSE National Chess Championship, our team secured 3 wins with 1 draw and 2 lose ? Ishaan Sureka secured the 4th rank in All over India? Overall, the team secured the 11th position.

In the SGFI Tournament, Amur Khandelwal and Sahil Dadwani grabbed the 4th and 5th position in their respective categories. In the Division Level Tournament, Sahil Dadwani was ranked 2nd. Amur Khandelwal was ranked 6th. Sahil Dadwani went on to become the state champion. He also captained the U-14 MP state team at the SGFI Nationals at Telengana. Cera Dagaria secured the 2nd rank in the U-9 girls' category in the state championship and was ranked 18th in the Nationals.

In the National U-11 Chess Championship, 2016, Sahil Dadwani and Cera Dagaria performed well. In the Syna Open International Tournament, Dev Dagaria won a cash prize of Rs 10,000 for the best unrated player. Cera Dagaria won the Runner-up prize in the U-10 girls' category.

In the N.L. Pandivar Memorial International Tournament, our school team secured the 3rd rank in the best school category. In this tournament, Ishaan Sureka has earned for herself the reputation of an international rated player.

In the Sunita Singh Memorial Open Chess Tournament, Sahil Dadwani won the Runners -up trophy and a cash prize. Cera Dagaria was the 2nd Runners- up. Moksh Sanghyi won the 2nd Runners- up prize in the U-8 category.

We now have six international rated players in our school namely, Amur Khandelwal, Sahil Dadwani, Dev Dagaria, Cera Dagaria, Nirvaan Barjatya and Ishaan Sureka.

In the end, we would like to express our sincere gratitude towards our Dy, Dean of Sports, Mr. Harish Benbi and our master I/c, Mr. Brijesh Bhatore for providing us such great infrastructure. This could not have been possible without the guidance of our coach, Mr. Sunil Soni.









he year started with the appointment of Arjun Singh as Captain and Chaitanya Dev Singh as Vice Captain of the school team. This year our tennis players have achieved many laurels both in boys' and girls' categories in the National and International circuit . The first tournament was the girls' IPSC which was held in April 2016 in which the Daly College players performed extremely well. The event was hosted by the Daly College in U-14, U-17, U-19 categories. The U-19 and U-17 teams bagged gold medals and the DC team received the overall trophy amongst 27 schools. In the individual events, Panya Bhalla won a gold medal in U-17. Mahak Jain won a gold medal in U-19. Jhanvi Rajpal secured a silver medal in U-17.

The boys' IPSC was held at the Assam Valley School. Our U-14 team won a gold medal and the U-19 team won a bronze medal. In individuals, Manan Gandhi secured a silver medal (U-19), Janith Madhok secured a silver medal (U-17) and Chaitanya Dev Chauhan secured a bronze medal. (U-19)

In the SGFI Inter School Tournament held the at Emerald Heights International School, Indore, the girls' U-14 and U-17 teams won gold medals and boys' U-17 and U-19 teams also won gold medals.

The following players were selected for Nationals;

Panya Bhalla - MP State team and IPSC team

Mahak Jain -IPSC team Jhanvi Raipal - IPSC team

Chaitanya Dev Chauhan Janith Madhok - MP State team and IPSC team

- IPSC team

Manan Gandhi - MP State team and IPSC team

Mahak Jain played the semifinals of Soly Mania at Cyaro, Egypt in September. She won the road to Roland Garros U-18 tournament at Delhi. She also won the Nationals U-16 held at Mumbai. She had many achievements to her credit. She was the finalist in the ITF Jr. (grade 5) in Indore in the ITF Jr. (grade 2) at Delhi and in the ITF Jr. (grade 3) at Pune and finally was the winner in the ITF at Hyderabad.

Panya Bhalla played the finals of Nationals from the MP state in Hyderabad. She was the winner of the Talent Series (AITA) at Gwalior. She was the semi-finalist of the U-16 All India Tennis Association (AITA) at Indore, She also won the Championship Series in the (U-16) category

Janith Madhok stood Runners-up in Doubles at Indore and was the finalist of the Talent Series U-14 and was also the Runner-up U-16 at the All India Tennis Association, Gwalior.

Parakram Bakiwala played the finals of Championship Series in double at Indore. He was ranked 11th in the Asian Tennis Federation in Pune, 2016. He was the Runner-up in doubles in Super Series at Ahmedabad.

The year had been amazing for the players playing number of matches and getting exposure. We thank the alma mater for believing in us and giving us opportunities. The players will continue with effort and show the results. We thank our Dy. Dean of Sports, Mr. Harish Benbi, Master I/c and our coaches Mr. Saiid Lodi, Mr. Abdul Hanif, Mr. Javed Hanif for their support.





inners never quit and quitters never win"

able Tennis is slowly evolving in DC. We also got our new coach, Mr. Gagan Singh Chundrawat who, with his expertise, has been training players for several years.

Some people think that table tennis is a very easy game which requires no effort but it is the second fastest game in the world and takes many years to be a 'Good' player. Despite not having any Captain and Vice Captain , there is a strict policy of discipline in the division.

This year a team of senior boys and junior team participated in the Inter School State Championship, held at Abhay Prashal, Indore. Archit Asawa, Kushagra Jain, Vishwesh Patel and Karan Mehta in the category of senior boys and Aryaveer Jain, Aryan Dongarwal and Abheer Gupta in the category of junior boys participated in the championship. There were approximately 600 participants from 40 schools who participated under various categories in the tournament which was an all time high in the history of table tennis in Indore.

Both the teams performed very well under the guidance of our inspirational coach. The senior category participants made it to the Quarter finals and the junior category participants made it to the Pre-Quarter finals after toiling . The players this time showed what they can do with a small ball and a small table. There were many young enthusiastic cadet students who joined the division this year and practised as hard as a bull.

This year the DC table tennis team is all set to make its debut at the IPSC level. We would like to thank the Dy. Dean of sports, Mr. Harish Benbi and all those who are associated with our team and we hope to achieve greater heights in future under their guidance.

-Archit Asawa IX A

BADMINTON



he year started with the appointment of Pradyum Agrawal and Aditya Nyati as Captain and Vice Captain of DC boys' badminton team and Ishita Mohta and Jahanvi Agrawal as Captain and Vice Captain of DC Girls' Badminton Team.

The DC badminton team participated enthusiastically and performed creditably in various tournaments.

In the IPSC boys' tournament hosted by Pestle Weed College, Dehradun, our U-17 team made DC proud by performing exceptionally well as they were ranked 3rd in their category. Our players, Aakash Kataria and Shreyas Palod got selected for the SGFI Nationals. In the individual events, Shreyas Palod reached till the Quarter Finals and Aakash Kataria bagged the Runners-up position in the U-17 category.

The IPSC girls, hosted by B.K Birla Centre for Education, Pune, the U-19 team played extremely well and stood 3rd in the team event. The U-14 and U-17 teams gave tough fight till the Pre-Quarters.

The DC badminton team participated in the Inter School Badminton Tournament held at Nehru stadium where the U-14 and the U-19 boys' team and the U-14 girls' team secured the 3rd position in the tournament. The U-17 team performed quite well and bagged the Runners-up trophy in the tournament.

En masse, it was a successful year and we thank all the people who have put in their hard work to make it so.

Ishita Mohta - XII A

GYMNASTICS



he Inter School Gymnastics Tournament was held at Chimanbagh, Indore. The D.C. gymnastics team consisted of 6 boys and 4 girls who performed extremely well in all events in their respective categories. The girls' team also participated in rhythmic gymnastics and acrobatics. All our girls and two boys qualified for the State Level Tournament and represented the Indore team.

The SGFI School State Gymnastics Competition was held at Ujjain. 9 teams from Madhya Pradesh participated in various events. Out of the 9 students, 3 participated in the artistic team, 4 were in acrobatics and 2 in the U-14

rhythmic gymnastics. The medal tally is as follows:-



S.No.	Name	Events	Medal	
01	Suhani Pathak	Rhythmic	01 (Gold) 01 (Bronze)	Individual
02	Umika Mehta	Rhythmic	02 (Silver)	Individual
03	Alia Ali	Acrobatics	01 (Silver) 01 (Bronze)	Individual
04	Niyati Surana	Acrobatics	01 (Silver) 01 (Bronze)	Individual
05	Prithvi Sudeep	Acrobatics	01 (Bronze)	Individual
06	Mihir Sonalkar	Artistic	01 (Silver)	Team
07	Abhiskek Nikhar	Artistic	01 (Silver)	Team

The boys' U- 19 team secured the second position. Mihir Sonalkar and Abhishek Nikhar were on the stand by list for the M.P. school team.

Our 5 gymnasts namely, Mihir Sonalkar, Abhishek Nikhar, Niral Patel, Ujjwal Agrawal, Devesh Chouhan and Praithvi Sudeep representing the IPSC team participated in the 62nd SGFI Gymnastics Nationals held at MNSS Rai, Haryana. Abhishek, Ujjwal and Devesh participated in the U-17 category artistic gymnastics. Ujjwal Agrawal reached the medal round. Mihir and Niral had their events in artistic gymnastics in the U-19

category. We learned a lot and hope to perform well in future. We would like to thank our Dy. Dean of Sports, Mr. Harish Benbi for giving us this wonderful opportunity to showcase our talent. We would also like to thank our coach ,Mr. Manish Daur who supported us throughout the tournament.

-Mihir Sonalkar XI E





very dream doesn't become reality through magic. It takes sweat, determination and hard work. Keeping this motto in mind, we geared up for the year with Shreyam Agrawal and Rakshit Assudani who were entrusted with the responsibility of Captain and Vice Captain respectively under the expert guidance and support of our head coach, Mr. Sanjay Thacker and Master Incharge, Mr. Vijay Thatte.

The cricket team started by practising hard and left no stone unturned for the invitational Madhav Rao Scindia Cricket Tournament but was unable to qualify for the semi-finals despite the magnificent performance by the skipper, Shreyam Agrawal. Though the year did not start as per expectations yet with due commitment on the field, that itself is a victory, we were determined to fulfill our dreams.

After months of practice and hard work, the team entered the IPSC Tournament held at Yadavindra Public School, Patiala. Some of our players like Shreyam Agrawal, Rakshit Assudani, Devraj Sood, Daksh Hemnani, Yashraj Agrawal, Harshit Chugh, Yuvraj Bhalla and Vikrant Chimnani played creditably throughout the tournament. Unfortunately, in the quarter final match, our team couldn't control the nerve. Batting first, DC scored 110 runs and restricted the opposition to the same but the team failed to chase 14 runs in the super over.

Rakshit Assudani was selected for the IPSC team on standby in the U-19 category. Vedant Anand was also selected for the IPSC team in the U-17 category and Surya Raj Shaktawat was selected in the U-14 category. Jayraj Khanna was selected for the Rewa District Cricket Team.

En masse, it was a successful year as the boys gained a lot of experience and improved a lot over the course of time. We played together as a unit and improved our game as well as the sportsman spirit and fell deeper in love with the game. Our thanks to the Deputy Dean of Sports, Mr. Harish Benbi, Master I/c, Mr. Vijay Thatte and our head coach, Mr. Sanjay Thackar for their unwavering support and guidance.

-Rakshit Assudani XII B





FOOTBALL BOYS



'____oming together is beginning, keeping together is progress, and working together is success''

Yes! This is the spirit of our team. This season kicked off with the appointment of Soham Turakhia as the Captain and Anirudh Singh Baghel as the Vice Captain, whose dedication and hard work bore fruits in many events held throughout the year. The football season started from April and stretched right up to the month of August. Every year with the passing out of our senior players, the college team seems to be depleted. The talent hunt began and a few good players with the potential of achieving more were discovered soon and the training started. The basic skills were practised and picked up under the constant support and guidance of our coaches.

We played our first tournament of the season, the U19 - IPSC Tournament, held at the B.K Birla Centre for Education, Pune. The emerging talents got noticed but we were unable to adjust with the conditions and could not perform to the best of our potential. Our hard work was paid off when our team mate, Anirudh Singh Baghel was selected for the IPSC team. Rohit Sumra was also selected for the Madhya Pradesh School team. They represented their teams in the Nationals held at Shrinagar. Next was our most exciting and awaiting tournament of the year, the Kasliwal Trophy, which gave an enthusiastic start to the team. With fervor and enthusiasm, the teams that made their way to the league were: Daly College, Emerald Heights, DC-B, and Army Public School. Down to the finals, the DC-B team played the Emerald Heights team and finished as the Runners -up and the Daly College team secured the third position in the tournament. However, some of our players brought laurels to the school. They were Rohit Sumra and Geetansh Rathore, who were declared the player of the tournament and the best goalkeeper respectively. The contribution of our young footballers to the DC football team is not to be forgotten. Our U-14 school team played the IPSC Tournament held at the Assam Valley School. Moreover, in the Subroto Cup U-17 Football Tournament held at the Emerald Heights School, our team performed exceptionally well. Our U-19 team also secured the second position at the district level.

At last, we would like to thank Dy. Dean - Sports, Mr. Harish Benbi, our coach, Mr. Raman Verma and our manager, Mr. Chetan Sharma for believing in us and giving us such wonderful opportunities.

- SohamTurakhia XI CIE & Anirudh Singh Baghel XI G

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FOOTBALL GIRLS



SPORTS UPDATE



he journey of DC girls' football team started with great enthusiasm under the promising captainship of Anshika Chhabra. The year started with a remarkable performance by the U-14 girls in the U-14 Soccer IPSC tournament which was held in the Assam Valley School, Guwahati in which they were declared the second Runners- up. 7 girls from the U-14 team got selected for SGFI Nationals namely, Anushka Rathore, Neelambika Kumari, Rudrapriya Ranawat, Saumya Rajpal, Priyanshi Sharma, Tejaswi Kanesh and Himadri Rathore.

6 girls from the U-17 team participated in the Inter School State Football tournament which was held at Neemuch (M.P.). The U-17 team also participated in the U-17 Soccer IPSC for girls which was hosted by Mayo College, Ajmer. The team was declared Runners up. 4 girls from the U-17 team got selected for the SGFI Nationals namely, Anushka Rathore, Abhipriya Verma, Gaurika Singh and Sharanya Singh.

The U-19 team participated in the CBSE West Zone Soccer tournament held at the Vidya Bhawan School, Gwalior.

Nandini Nema, Deshna Patni, Dia Kapadia, Ananya Maheshwari and Swarnim Parmar got college colours for their excellent performance in football. Anshika Chhabra and Pihu Mishra got merit certificates for the same.

The team played the ODA match in which they got a walkover and were declared winners. Abhipriya Verma won the Anirudh Singh Hada Memorial Scholarship for the year 2016-17.

We thank our coach Mr. Shailendra Verma for his rigorous training and coaching.

We also thank our incharge Dr. Mrs. Shampa Majumdar for her continuous support.

- Deshna Patni XI B & Nandini Nema XI G





he year commenced with the appointment of Zahabiya Kunwarji as the captain of the Skating Division. From the very first tournament, the skaters of our school brought laurels to the school and made a mark wherever they participated. The first tournament was the All India IPSC Skating Championship held at L K S Education Centre, Gotan (Rajasthan) from Oct. 1 to 3, 2016. The DC Skating team was declared Runners-up in the boys' category and 2nd Runners-up in the girls' category. Overall, team DC secured the Runners-up position in the Championship. DC bagged a total of 27 medals including 13 gold, 8 silver and 6 bronze. Siya Shahra and Zuhair Chandurwala in the U-11 Girls' and boys' (Quads) respectively and Aaryn Anand in the U-11 boys' (Inline) were declared 'Champion of Champions' in the Championship.

The following medal tally displays the achievements of dalians:-

S.No.	Name of the Skater	Age	Type	Position
1	Aadish Jain	U-11	Inline	R-IV- Silver, R-V-Bronze, Road Race-Silver
2	Palash Gupta	U-11	Inline	Rink Race-IV - Bronze
3	Zuhair Chandurwala	U-11	Quads	R-I Time Trial - Gold, R-II - Gold
4	Siya Shahra	U-11	Quads	R Race-II - Gold , Road Race - Gold
5	Anaaya Jaiswal	U-11	Inline	R-IV - Silver, R-V - Gold, Road Race- Gold
6	Zainab Barwaniala	U-14	Quads	R-I Time Trial - Silver, R-II - Bronze
7	Aaryn Anand	U-14	Inline	R-IV-Gold, R-V-Gold, Road Race-Gold
8	Paarth Singh Thakur	U-14	Inline	R-III (TT) -Gold, R-IV- Silver ,Road race-Bronze
9	Shivanshi Goyal	U-14	Inline	R-IV-Bronze, R-V-Gold, Road Race-Silver
10	Hemant Mundra	U-17	Inline	R-V-Bronze, Road Race-Gold
11	Zahabiya Kunwarji	U-19	Inline	R-III (TT) - Silver, R-IV-Gold, Road Race - Silver

Nine out of the eleven medalists had been selected for the SGFI Nationals held in Belgaum, Karnataka.

The Open State Skating Competition was held at DPS, Indore in January 2017. Aaryn Anand secured 3 gold, Aadish Jain secured 1 gold and 2 silver and Hemant Mundra got a bronze. Aaryn Anand and Aadish Jain represented the MP team in the 54th Nationals held at Bangalore where they performed creditably.

-Zahabiya Kunwarji XII B





he All India IPSC Squash Championship for girls was organized in Daly College from 27th - 30th April, 2016. This time we had team as well as individual events. Six schools participated namely, Mayo College Girls' School (Ajmer), Rajmata Krishna Kumari Girls' Public School (Jodhpur), Modern School (Delhi), Emerald Heights International School(Indore), Delhi Public School, R.K Puram and The Daly College (Indore). We started with the team event followed by the individual event. The team results were as follows -in GU-19, Daly College was declared the winner. In GU-17and 14, Daly College stood Runners- up. In the individual event, Radhika Rathore won a gold medal and Adwiteya Kasliwal won a silver medal in the GU-19. Khushi Rathore won a silver medal in GU-14. The Daly College was declared the over all champion of The All India IPSC Squash Championship for Girls, 2016. The school invited Joshna Chinappa, a veteran squash player based in India to train the Daly College Squash Team. She became the world no. 10 squash player in July, 2016. Joshna is the 1st Indian to win the British Squash Championship title in 2003 in the GU-19 category and is also the youngest Indian women's national champion. At the 2014 Commonwealth Games, she, along with Dipika Pallikal, won the squash women's doubles gold medal making it India's 1st ever.

She has won numerous tournaments, The Asian Jr. (2005), The SAF Games Jr. (2004), The Indian National Jr. (2004), Malaysian Jr. (2004), The Indian Nationals Senior (2004) to name a few..

The All India IPSC Boys' Championship, 2016 was organized at the Punjab Public School, Nabha. The team event results are as follows:

The Daly College team won the BU-14 title. The team consisted of Anurag Moyde, Anant Kasliwal, Mradul Agrawal and Roshan Jain. In the BU-17, we stood Runners up and the team consisted of Aryan Khandelwal, Manit Nahar, Prathamaditya Singh Dodiya and Prashasth Agrawal. In the BU-19, The Daly College stood first. The team consisted of Jatin Poddar, Tiksh Doshi, Raghav Khandelwal and Kanha Garg. In the individual event, Anant Kasliwal won a silver medal and Anurag Moyde won a bronze medal in the BU-14. The Daly College was declared the over all champions in The All India IPSC Squash Championship for Boys, 2016. Peter Winzeler, a gap teacher, came from The Hotchkiss School, USA to The Daly College to coach our squash team for a month. He has provided squash training for 11 years and recently received his level 3 qualification and is the youngest level 3 coach in the USA. This year Radhika Rathore and Aryan Khandelwal participated in The Bombay Gymkhana Maharashtra State Open (seniors & juniors), Mumbai, where Radhika Rathore stood 5th in the GU-17 and Aryan Khandelwal stood 8th in the BU-15. In the Junior /Sub Junior Nationals, 2016, held at the Daly College, Indore, Radhika Rathore finished 7th in the GU-17 and Sanaya Modi finished 16th in the GU-17. Radhika Rathore finished 4th and Adwiteya Kasliwal finished 7th in the C.C.I Squash Tournament held in Mumbai.



HOCKEY BOYS



SPORTS UPDATE



he year started with Suryabhan Singh Khichi as the Captain and Piyush Bundela as the Vice Captain of the hockey team. With new dreams and hopes and immense sporting spirit, we then began our session practising hard and trying to achieve new goals. We wanted to make use of every single opportunity that came our way.

In the State U-17 (Boys) Ankit Sastiya, Lavish Choudhary, Vivek Jaiswal, Yash Phariya and Yuvraj Singh played for the Indore division team and won a bronze medal.

This year, our U-14 & U-19 boys' hockey teams participated in the CBSE West Zone tournament which was held at Dholpur, Rajasthan but unfortunately, our U-14 team did not qualify for Nationals. Our U-19 team did wonders with the stick to reach to the finals and secured the Runners - up position and the team was selected for Nationals held at Ludhiana (Punjab). The team performed extremely well at the National tournament also.

The overall journey was fun and taught us a lot of new things which are sure to raise the level of hockey in the years to come. In the end, we would like to express our sincere gratitude to our coaches, Mr. Ashok Yadav and Mr. Mohan Dikhit for their guidance, Master I/Cs, Mr. Tushar Guha and Dy. Dean of Sports, Mr. Harish Benbi for their constant support and guidance.

Suryabhan Singh Khichi - XII G

HOCKEY GIRLS



here are no secrets to Success; it is a result of Preparation, Hard work and Learning from Failure."

The year started with the appointment of Chitrangada Singh Piploda as the Captain and Pooja Dodve as the Vice-Captain of the team.

With more sweat on the fields, the team started to practice hard. This year, our Vice -Captain Pooja Dodve participated at the national level Six-a-side Hockey Tournament and got selected for team India which participated in the International Six-a-side Tournament held at Bali, Indonesia where India was the winner. Our team participated in the CBSE West Zone U-19 hockey

tournament held at Dhaulpur and emerged as winners. After this, our team was all set for the CBSE Nationals held at Ludhiana. We played our first match against SJN, Tamil Nadu which resulted in a draw. The second match was against Haridwar and the third match was played against Kurukshetra which we won by 1-0. With all our determination and hard work, we played the semi-finals. In the hard line match against Doha School, Qatar we won by a score of 23-0. After winning our hard line match, we were declared as the second Runners-up in the CBSE Nationals.

Seven of our girls were selected to play for Indore division team at the State Tournament. The team stood second Runners-up.

The year was very successful for all of us and this would not have been possible without our coach, Mr. Vijesh Rawat, our manager, Mrs. Kirti Jain and Dy.Dean of sports, Mr. Benbi. We would like to express our profound gratitude to them.

Pooja Dodve - XI G





































ANNUAL ATHLETICS MEET























Declaring the Meet Open



The Opening Ceremony

Memento Presentation



The Closing Ceremony



The College Band











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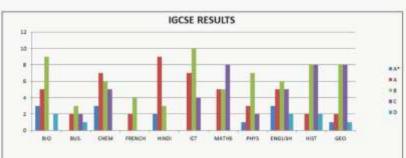




The year 2016 has been another successful one as far as CIE is concerned. All stakeholders, be it students or staff have ceaselessly been involved in the pursuit of excellence and the hard work has borne rich dividends. Just a peep into the following statistics will be evidence enough of their excellence.

A Report by Asma Ansari, Dean CIE & Placements





Some of the highlights of the CIE IGCSE results are:

This year the students got 13 A*, and 49 got grade A, Grade B was received by 69 students. The Toppers were Anjali Jain with 2 A* and 7 As. The others were Siddhika Agarwal, with 4 A* and 4 As, Aishwarya Joshi securing 3 A* and 3 As, and Akshata Kasliwal getting an A* and 6 As.



AS Level-XI S ACC A ICT BIO BS CHEM ECO ENGUSH MATHS PHYSICS

AS LEVEL RESULT

At the AS Level Exam students performed well, with Tanmay Khandelwal securing Grade A in all subjects. Jagdev Jhajj getting grade A in four Subjects, Palak Garg and Palash Garg securing grade A in three subjects each.

A LEVEL RESULT 2016

At the A level Vedant Kedia was the Topper with 2 A* and three As. Shreyas Bindal secured one A* and 4 As. Arnav Maru and Abhi Gupta secured three A* each and an A.

Congratulations!



Abhi Gupta



Siddhika Agrawal

INDIA TOPPERS: Abhi was declared the India Topper in A level Maths.
Sidhika Agarwal was the India Topper in IGCSE English as a Second Language.

PLACEMENTS

Placements for the Year 2016:

The Placements during the year have matched those of the previous years in quality as well as range. Some of the activities that took place to make students aware about different Career Opportunities are Career Seminars, Boot Camp to create awareness about Design, a camp for Business and Entrepreneurship students, Visits by different University representatives from India, USA and Canada, to enlighten the students about Career Opportunities abroad.



DC-Class of 2016

Students have got admissions in Colleges like UC Berkeley, University of Michigan, University of Southern California, University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign (UIUC), Rutgers, Pace University, Stony Brooke, New York, to name a few. Some students have got admitted to UK in Warwick, Nottingham, Bath, Birmingham and University of Westminister, Demontford Design School, UK. In India students got selected to IIT Indore, IIIT Kancheepuram, BITS, VIT, SRM, Manipal. Other students have got admitted to top colleges of Mumbai and Delhi. Xavier's, NMIMS, Jai Hind, Ashoka, Guru Gobind Singh, Miranda, Hindu, Ramjas etc. Some students are studying Law at NLU, Mumbai & Hyderabad Tattended the "International Counselors Forum in Spain and Switzerland", Les Roches International School of Hotel Management campus in Marbella, Spain and Bluche, and Glion Institute of Higher Education, Switzerland.

I also visited New York University campus in Abu Dhabhi to gain information about the campus and courses.

DC-Class of 2016

USA

UC Berkeley-Vedant Kedia
University of Michigan-Shreyas Bindal
University of Southern California (USC)-Atishay Modi
University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign (UIUC)-Abhi Gupta
Rutgers-Rashi Verma
Pace University-Vidit Bhatnagar, Angad Anand,
Stony Brooke, New York-Aamir Rampurawala
Drexel-Harnish Singh Chhabra
Lowa State-Tejas Ashish Jhamb

UK

Warwick - Gehna Modi
Nottingham-Tanishqa Badlani, Aditya Dagaria,
Kunal Miglani, Prathvi Agarwal, Rudraksh Jain
Bath-Avijeet Shourya Singh
Birmingham-Divyansh Dhoreliya
Westminister-Peony Hirwani
De Montfort Design School-Disha Lulla
De Montfort (DCBS)—Jasleen Kaur Bhatia, Jasraj Singh,
Pankhuri Agarwal, Simran Kaur Chabra, Vedika Mittal

India: DELHI:

Guru Gobind Singh: Ivesh Suri, Varun Agarwal Ridhi Kankaria, Vasu Agarwal, Himani Dawar Mata Sundari College: Apoorva Paliwal Jesus and Mary: Sanghamitra Piploda Miranda: Ayushi Paras Khalsa: Divyansh Baghel Hansraj: Manvi Rathore Indraprastha College: Yashasvi Kaneria Ashoka: Prithika Acharya, Rajyavardhan Singh ISBF Delhi: Yagya Birla

MUMBAI:

XAVIER'S: Grayden Everett, Harshvardhan Modi Jai Hind: Ayush Jaisinghani, Meghana Kaurani, Vansh Dang Mithibai: Kartik Singhal, Sagar Shukla, Jatin Barodia, Vasudha Jhavar, Piyush Surana, Shreyance Bhandari HR, Mumbai: Tanush Hemnani, Hardik Jain Mumbai: Daksh Dhawan, Parag Rajani, Yash Pahuja, Karan Hasanandani, Hardik Jain, Muskan Budhrani, Ahana Singh, Piya Sood

NMIMS: Udit Naredi, Manobhav Sharma, Mudit Pincha, Anirudha Singhal, Nishit Khandelwal,

Sydenham's: Neil Golcha ISME Mumbai: Masoom Kalra, Ishu Singhal, Mrinalini Singh, Manan

Kothari Sofia: Neha Seth

Hotel Management: Oberoi: Anushka Chokse

Design

ISDI Parsons Mumbai: Shradha Agarwal, Vadanya Shotriya NIFT: Aarushi Agarwal, NIFT Calcutta: Siddhi Kankaria MSU Baroda: Shubhra Bhatnagar, Aayushi Jain

Bangalore

Christ University, Bangalore: Ambika Ahuja, Vedant Goomber, Rohit Mehta, Akshat Maheshwari Jain University, Bangalore: Dhruv Patel, Dipesh Patel,

Jain University, Bangalore: Dhruv Patel, Dipesh Patel, Alliance University, Bangalore: Hardik Menghani (BBA)

Engineering:

IIT Indore: Nukul Goyal IIIT Kancheepuram: Chitrarth Dixit

BITS: Kritika kasliwal VIT: Rashi Wadhwani

SRM Chennai: Udit Rathore, Vihaan Manocha, Vikram Goomber, Hardik

Lilani, Priyansh Sojatia DU Engg: Kushagra Khatri

Manipal: Kanishka Kapoor, Abhinav Pandey, Saurav Chopra UPES Dehradun: Radhika Shah-Petrolem Engineering

NMIMS Engg: Jatin Ahuja, Nikung Khetan, Pramaksh Jain, Archit Asawa Medicaps Indore: Sooraj Dube

LAW:

NLU Mumbai: Arnav Maru Hyderabad Law: Astha Soni MSU Baroda Law: Devasheesh Saxena ICFAI Hyderabad Law: Ishika Ingle Symbiosis Pune Law: Muskan Sharma Symbiosis Pune Law: Saloni Kasliwal

PUNE:

Symbiosis Pune: Jay Sharma, Sujoy Desai Symbiosis Fine Arts : Harshaditya Jadeja Indore Prestige: Mudit Johri

Report by Mrs. Asma Ansari, Dean CIE & Placements

ANNUAL PRIZE GIVING



Muskan Sharma Best Artist (Girls)



Harshaditya Sinh M. Jadeja Best Student Artist (Boys)



Sana Hasija Best Artist of the year from Classes VII to X.



Prakhar Gupta Best Student Musician (Boys)





Amba Singh Hindi Dramatics (Girls)



Pratyusha Nyati Best Musician (Girls)







Best Performance in Class XII Board Examination

Ayushi Paras







Devangna Chouhan

Best All-round Student in Class X



Tagore House

Cock House











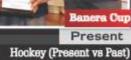
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Best All Round Progress During The Year 2015-16







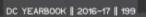








Deshna Patni





Khilehipur Trophy

Brajraj Singh Best Marksman Boys Level I



Mringlini Sinh Best Girl All-Rounder in Sports





Vikramaditya Singh Best Marksman (9.22rifle) -Boys



Rishabh Shrimal Best English Debater (Srs.)





Anuj Palod Best NCC Cadet



Ashok House Shooting





Muskan Sharma

Best All-round Student of the College



Jinisha Pahuja Highest Marks in Biology Class XII





Shri LS. Dungarpuria Memorial Medal

Nukul Goyal

Highest Marks in Class XII in Mathematics



Shantanu Singh & Aaryaman Simhal Community Service





Jawahar House



Best in Co-curricular Activities



Swimming



Mr. Arun Yadav



Sarwamitra Sharma Highest Marks in Computer Science Class XII



Ivesh Suri





Indian Music



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Graduation Ceremony

A Report by
Divya Sureka XI E & Aditya Mundra XI B

The recently held Graduation Ceremony at DC was a very heart touching and prized moment for the batch of 2017. The ceremony was organised with great élan with the efforts of all the teachers and grade eleven students. The graduating batch was the centre of attraction, with every parent looking at his ward with awe, with hope and pride congratulating themselves and the school for the product which was ready to face the outside world.

The programme began with the grade twelve students marching onto the Desai Lake with pride, wearing the red and white cape, where the programme was to be held. Right behind the students were the Principal Designate, Mr. Neeraj Bedhotiya, the Chief Guest, Dr. Baptist Agnelo Menezes, the Principal of St. Xavier's College, Mumbai, Sr. Vice Principal and other teachers, along with the DC band. The venue was very winsome with the decoration adorned it further.









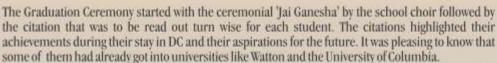
But for them the journey has just begun. Graduation is a joyous occasion for the students and their families. It is the time to collect pieces of advice before the start of a new life, time to listen to the words of wisdom that elders speak to you. The journey further may be bumpy but it will surely be exciting.











This was followed by the class 12 students getting their diyas lit by Mr. Ansari. Ms. Badhwar gave a rose bud each and Mrs. Ansari applied tilak on the foreheads of the students. The diyas were placed at the centre illuminating the place making it look so heavenly. Then was the rendering of blessings in Sanskrit, the exhortation which was read out by Dr. Rajopadhyay in Sanskrit and translated in English by the Sr. Vice-Principal. Thereafter, the chief guest addressed the gathering and told the students to be the flame that lights other flames. One piece of advice that he gave to the students was: 'You should question, you should quest, you should quiz.'

Following this, the school memento was presented to the Chief guest and then the students received their parting gifts from the Sr. Vice-Principal. At the close of the ceremony, the students sought blessings from the teachers and were overwhelmed with emotions thinking about the wonderful time spent in this glorious institution and also because all this was coming to an end.

We wish All the Best to the batch of 2017 for their future!





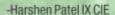
This year has been a rewarding one for the Green Club members. It has been a year of learning and gaining loads of experience. We, being the members and supporters of a green earth did contribute what may seem to be a small effort for the upkeep of our environment but it will surely go a long way and we feel proud it. Many activities took place in the last academic sessions which sensitized us towards a sustainable environment. In this context, we visited a compost making unit located close to Khajarana temple in Indore. It was an eye opener. At that unit, all the biodegradable garbage from

all the temples of Indore and other places is

turned into compost. We felt proud of this fact that the Indore Municipal Corporation had already taken a step earlier than the highly publicized Swatch Bharat Abhiyan. This segregation also motivated us to revive our composting pit located at the Green Centre which we could do under the guidance of Mr. Natwar Singh .The usual activities of plantation drive in the school premises during monsoon kept all of us busy. This included the plantation of rose saplings near the New Boarding House in the same season. At the Green Centre, we also planted and sowed seeds of maize, seasonal vegetables like spinach, coriander, fenugreek tomatoes and onions. The weeding of undesired weeds and small plants and mixing compost is a year long activity at the Green Centre. This ensures propagation of healthy plants. Near diwali time; some students of our school escorted the AFS members from Russia to "Javik Setu" ,an organic weekly market, to sensitize them about organic farming. There, the students were taught how to make seed balls. This is an amazing idea where we collect local seeds of different local trees and put them in soil mixed with compost and make a ball of out it. These seed balls are usually thrown near the roads, forest or near the streams so that later they can germinate under favorable conditions into plant saplings. This act of ours can help in increasing the forest cover of our country. This activity can be taken up at an individual level too. The Green Club members also collected old newspapers from the boarding houses and under the guidance of Mr. Ranade, made paper bags to be distributed at a later date. The activity was carried out to make people aware of the importance of recycling resources.

Some students also helped in putting up a Green Club stall at the Annual Fete of December, 2016. Many students helped in block printing the DC logo on the jute folders. Block printing was truly a learning experience and a fun activity at the same time. The students also painted wooden key chains having DC logo as part of the "Go Green" drive. Our grand finale of the year was a very exciting, useful and learning activity. For the very first time, in India, a concept of bird counting in our local area which we uploaded on "e- bird" website. The students of the green club carried out this activity from February 17 to February 17, 2017. We used to assemble at different locations at 6.30 a.m. and between 3.15 to 4.15 p.m. We were guided by Mrs. Kanak Bali Singh, Mr. Giriraj Singh and Mrs. Richa Chitale. We carried out this activity twice for an hour every day. It was worth all the efforts of getting up early in the morning to see the hiding places of the birds. During this exercise, it was a pleasure to see four Ibis flying over the campus everyday at the same time. We saw many migratory birds which are the regular winter visitors like wagtails, green bee eaters, red start, golden oriole and rosy starling besides many common birds.

The year ended in high spirits and we all are eagerly waiting for the next session to start.















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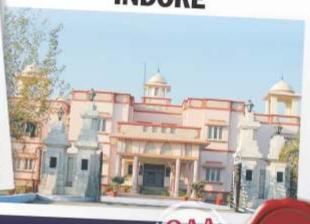


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