

# The Daly Prophet

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# AU REVOIR!

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Writing a farewell note is not easy. In fact, when we, as graduates, write our final note as the editors-in-chief, nostalgia and excitement fill our hearts. Reminiscing our diligence, enthusiasm and wonderful memories throughout our school journey and also in the Daly Prophet, we hope to pass on the same elan to our juniors for their scholastic sojourn.

The Daly Prophet is a publication for the students, by the students. We envisioned it as an opportunity for Dalians to express the Dalian ethos with passion, enthusiasm and a journalistic approach. Every page speaks volumes about the charisma this institution beholds and we hope that the pages to come are only filled with stories that are bigger, brighter, and more magnificent than ever before. Signing off with love!

Saadgi Garg and Gauri Chaturvedi  
Editors-in-chief

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### Ansari Sir's Farewell Assembly – Risha Chaurasia 11A

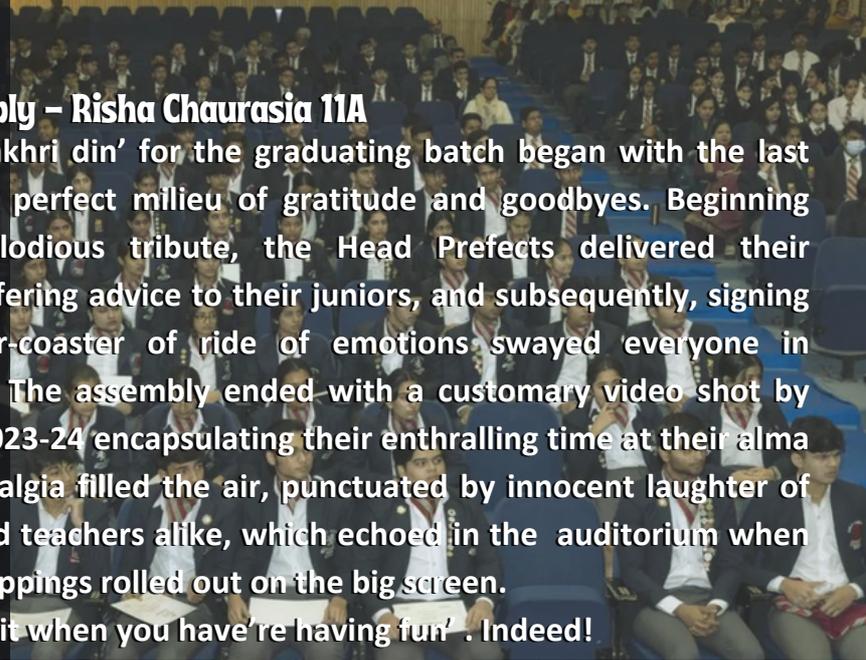
Emotions ran high, as the school bid farewell to DC's stalwart Ansari sir. The assembly began with a beautiful rendition of 'You Raise Me Up' by the school choir in a perfect tribute. The students were taken through sir's journey at school, ending with a speech delivered by sir followed by the principal. Sir's witty humor persisted throughout his speech which will be missed dearly by all, for sure. The assembly culminated with a farewell video, marking the end of an era Ansari sir's glorious time at DC.



### Last assembly – Risha Chaurasia 11A

'School ka akhri din' for the graduating batch began with the last assembly, a perfect milieu of gratitude and goodbyes. Beginning with a melodious tribute, the Head Prefects delivered their speeches offering advice to their juniors, and subsequently, signing off. A roller-coaster of ride of emotions swayed everyone in attendance. The assembly ended with a customary video shot by the batch 2023-24 encapsulating their enthralling time at their alma mater. Nostalgia filled the air, punctuated by innocent laughter of students and teachers alike, which echoed in the auditorium when the video clippings rolled out on the big screen.

'Tempus fugit when you have're having fun'. Indeed!  
Adios, batch 2023-24, until we ,meet again!



### House Parties – Kanishka Garg 11A

The end of an academic session marks a poignant moment of bidding farewell to our seniors who have been the guiding stars for us. While weaving together the tapestry of our bonding with our seniors in terms of shared values and emotions, we don't even realize that one day will have to bid good bye to them. The traditional farewell house-party is an opportunity to express our heartfelt gratitude and honour for our seniors for their contributions which marks our unity, love, care and camaraderie. Where the girls' houses bid adieu to the seniors with sashes adorning their shoulders and a parting gift hampers affectionately prepared by the juniors; the boys' houses offered their sincere tribute to the seniors in their own touching ways. Heartfelt conversations on shared memories palpitated throughout their house-party. We bid adieu to our seniors with hearts brimming with gratitude and goodwill with a promise to carry on their legacy of good work in future.



# SONDER

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~ Raashi Gaur 11CI

Right now I feel as if I will never move on from the break-up of my 15 year relationship.

~ Geetika

Perhaps the only time when the day of the last board exam will be a sad one because, it signifies the end of a golden chapter; one I am not willing to let go of as yet.

~ Saadgi

Mixed emotions filled with pride and the feeling that my school life is over but I'll always cherish and miss the golden time of my life in this institution.

~ Keshav

School and all is fine, but samosa ki bahut yaad aayegi.

~ Mrityunjay

After boarding life, Balancing independence and dependence like a pro!

~ Ansuya

I got wings as I graduated; a caterpillar turning into a butterfly.

~ Arsh

Leaving school; where hallways echoed with laughter and last benches held secrets and friendships.

~ Rabnishq

Graduating is all fun and games until you realise you won't be able to walk with your favorite person after dinner anymore!

~ Riddhima kumari

A journey which is hard to part with. Honored to be a part of this grand legacy. Will miss everything about DC. Go DC!

~ Zuhair



# Memo







### High-Tea Highlights

Kanishka Garg IIA

The end of session for the graduating batch was full of nostalgia and ecstatic events. The Principal's High Tea eventually marked the batch 2023-24 stepping into a brand new world of adulthood with a lot of hope and sense of responsibility. The batch's high tea was the most awaited event. Euphoria and anticipations amalgamated into memories for a life-time.



### A KODAK MOMENT!



### Graduation Ceremony

-Adrika Yeole IIG

As we come to the dénouement of the academic session, we reach the most anticipated and the most dreaded bit, the final soirée, the one where they bid a ceremonious goodbye.

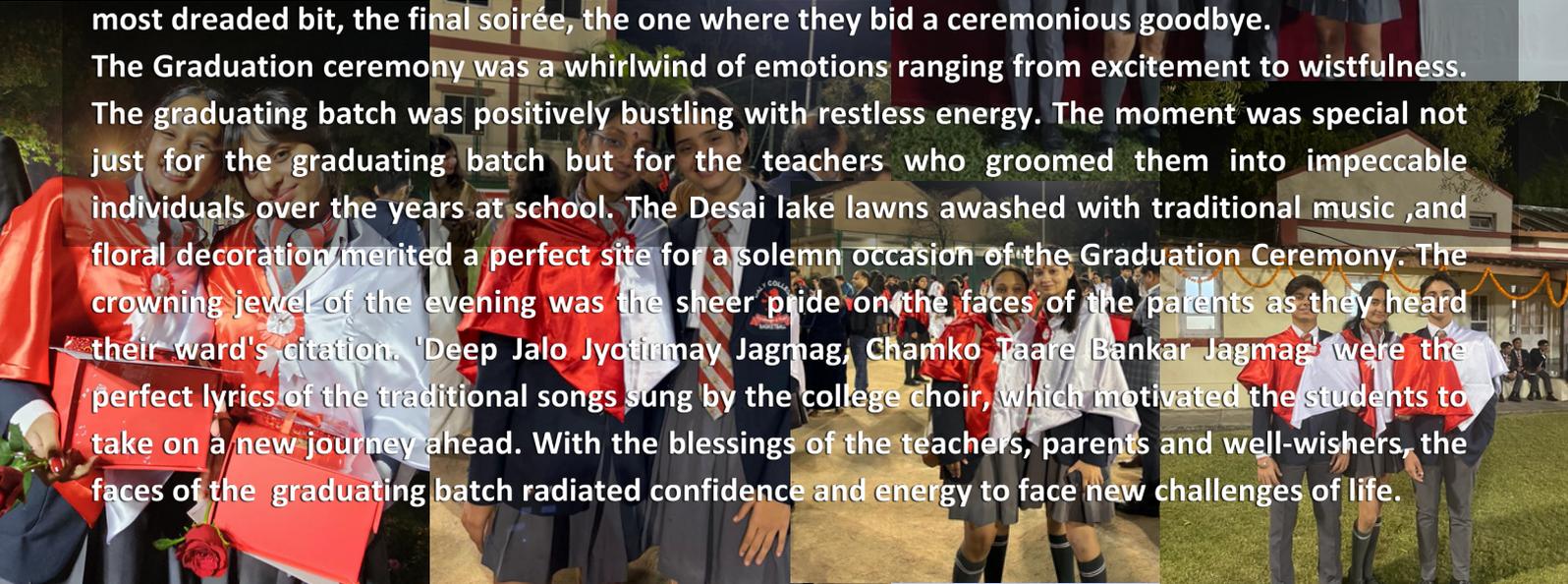
The Graduation ceremony was a whirlwind of emotions ranging from excitement to wistfulness.

The graduating batch was positively bustling with restless energy. The moment was special not just for the graduating batch but for the teachers who groomed them into impeccable individuals over the years at school.

The Desai lake lawns awashed with traditional music ,and floral decoration merited a perfect site for a solemn occasion of the Graduation Ceremony. The crowning jewel of the evening was the sheer pride on the faces of the parents as they heard their ward's citation.

'Deep Jalo Jyotirmay Jagmag, Chamko Taare Bankar Jagmag' were the perfect lyrics of the traditional songs sung by the college choir, which motivated the students to take on a new journey ahead.

With the blessings of the teachers, parents and well-wishers, the faces of the graduating batch radiated confidence and energy to face new challenges of life.

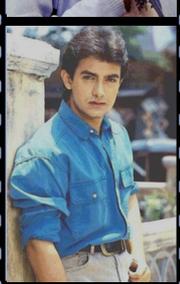
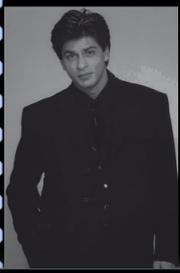


# Bollywood Trivia

-Advika Mohan 7CI



1. Which is the first Hindi movie to have not one but two intervals?
2. For which Blockbuster bollywood movie was Tom cruise approached for the role of the lead actor?
3. Which is the longest Bollywood film?
4. Which movie holds the Guinness book of world records 2002 edition for winning the most number of awards for a movie (92 awards)?
5. Which actor comes from the pedigree of a very famous revolutionary eminent writer, none other than, Maulana Abul Kalam Azaad?



## BREAKING NEWS!



### International News

- Climate activist Greta Thunberg is acquitted after a London protest trial.
- Michelle O'Neill makes history by becoming the first Irish nationalist leader of Northern Ireland.



### Science News

- China Launches 9 satellites into orbit on the Jielong-3 rocket.
- The James-Webb telescope has revealed the intricate structure of 19 spiral galaxies.



### \*Sports News\*

- Sources have been confirmed that Lewis Hamilton will be joining Ferrari in 2025.
- Named after Tendulkar, Sachin Dhas scores a century on his fathers birthday.



## BOX OF MEMORIES



The round square international conference with Jaanvi, deep conversations and gossip sessions with Tarini and the shooting nationals championship with Gagandeep.  
-Umika Bhalla

Playing football with Pratyaksha Bhaiya, Raghu Bhaiya, and Dushyant Bhaiya.  
Camp at Imphal with Dushyant bhaiya, playing FIFA with Pratyaksh bhaiya, Raghu bhaiya guiding me throughout the year.  
-Somesh Garg

Discovering the world of hockey with Ansuya di, Pranit bhaiya and Fateh bhaiya's encouragement after witnessing my acting skills, and Ahilya di being a constant friend, not to mention her generosity in sharing granola bars.  
-Sonia Dodve

Playing football with Dushyant, Nixa, Gaurav and Patni bhaiya, badminton matches with Vansh and Krishnam bhaiya, and the DCMUN experience with Saadgi di, Rishima di, Karan bhaiya and Tanay bhaiya.  
-Rajaryan Agrawal

# Reflections

Our hearts are filled with gratitude as we reflect on our journey. Saying farewell is as challenging for us as it is for our mentors. From admiring our seniors to stepping into their shoes, the transitional feeling is profound.

As 11th graders, we acknowledge the remarkable contribution of our seniors and honor the duty entrusted to us of upholding the traditions set by our predecessors. With gratitude and determination, we embark on our own journey, knowing that each batch leaves its indelible mark on our school's tapestry of rich legacy.

As the exams draw close, let's channel our focus and determination to achieve the best academic results surpassing the previous ones. Additionally, we eagerly await and prepare for the upcoming session 2024-25 with unbound joy and anticipation. With a myriad of exciting events such as inter house competitions, MUN, IPSC, RS conferences and friendly rivalries awaiting on the horizon, this year promises to be even more exhilarating and rewarding.

With best wishes for board and annual examinations, Au revoir...we'll meet very soon.

“The bad news is time flies. The good news is you are the pilot. - Micheal Altshuler”

Adrika Yeole 11G & Raashi Gaur 11CI  
Student Editors

## Cheat Sheets!

Topics to pay special attention to for the upcoming exams:

- Grade 11: Note Making and Grammar  
~ Shilpa Ma'am
- Grade 9: Population and Human Resource  
~Gaurav Sir
- 1- Take a deep breath  
2- Trust your instincts  
3- Work smart  
4- Leave the rest on your neighbours... 😊😌  
~ Anamika Ma'am



## Roll the Credits!

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## SHOUTOUTS!

My favorite senior is Tirth bhaiya, his personality and serene voice inspire me every day.  
-Jenisha Khanuja 10 CI

My favourite senior is Raghumanya Bhaiya and Amey bhaiya because we went to the Shooting IPSC together, TWICE!  
-Abhyuday Singh Parihar 9D

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