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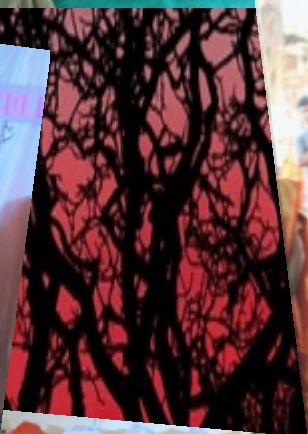
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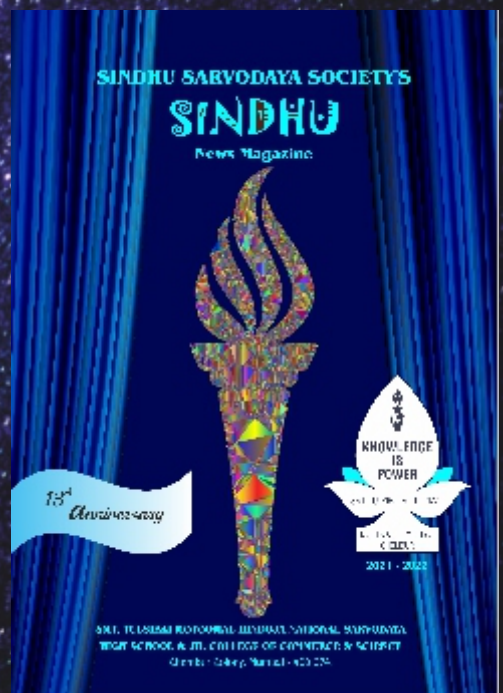
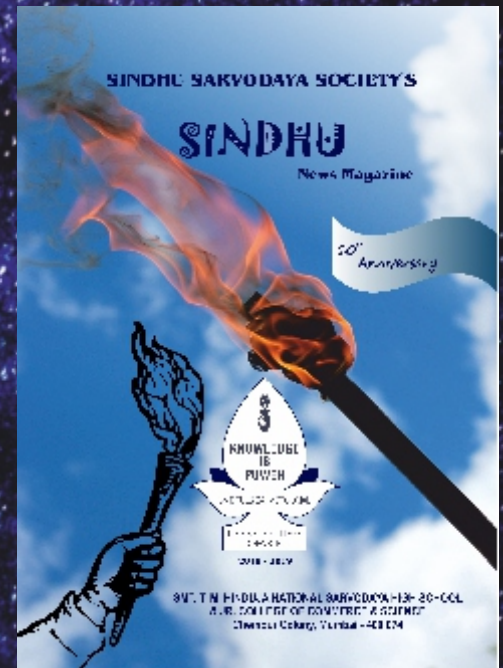




**NAT FEST 5  
2022 - 2023**







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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL



I am delighted to have this opportunity to convey to the teachers of our school, that I want to express my gratitude for all the hard work you have put in this academic year. Your dedication and commitment to excellence are truly commendable. It is a great pleasure to express my heartfelt gratitude and appreciation for your unwavering commitment and dedication to our school.

I would like to express my heartfelt appreciation to the management members for their excellent support and dedication to making our school activities a great success. Their support in providing the necessary resources and guidance to our teachers has enabled them to carry out their duties effectively. Your prompt action in addressing any concerns or issues that arise in the school has helped maintain a positive learning environment for our students.

To the students, I want to say that I am extremely proud of you. You have shown great determination in pursuing your studies despite the many challenges that have come your way. You have demonstrated a remarkable ability to adapt and learn, and you have made great strides in your academic pursuits. You have faced many challenges, yet you have shown great determination and perseverance to overcome them. Your achievements and successes are a testament to your talent, effort, and potential.

To the teachers, I want to express my heartfelt appreciation for your tireless efforts in guiding and supporting our students. Your passion for teaching and your dedication to your profession are truly inspirational. You have gone above and beyond in creating a supportive learning environment that encourages our students to grow and excel. You have challenged them to reach for their full potential and have helped them to develop the skills and knowledge they need to succeed.

As we move forward, let us continue to work together to create a culture of learning that nurtures the potential of every student. Together, we can make a difference in the lives of our students and help them to achieve their dreams.

Your hard work and dedication have not gone unnoticed, and I am confident that our future will be brighter because of you. I am confident that you will continue to achieve great things in the future.

Thank you.

Shri Anil Kriplani  
**Principal**

## EDITORIAL



It is my pleasure to present to you the latest edition of our school's yearly magazine. This publication is a culmination of the hard work and dedication of our entire management and the school community, and I am proud to say that this academic year has been nothing short of exceptional. As the editor of the yearly school magazine, it gives me great pleasure to reflect upon the events and achievements of the academic year that has just passed. Despite the challenges and uncertainties that the year brought, we have much to be proud of, and to celebrate.

Over the past year, we have seen countless achievements from our students, whether it be in academics, sports, or the arts. Our students have consistently demonstrated their ability to excel in all aspects of school life, and it is a privilege to recognize their outstanding efforts in this magazine. Our school community has once again demonstrated its resilience, creativity, and commitment to learning. From academic achievements and sports victories to artistic performances and community service projects, our students have excelled in many areas.

Our school has also been privileged to host a variety of events and activities throughout the year. From our annual sports day to all the other activities, these events have been a testament to the talent and creativity of our students, as well as the unwavering support of our management, faculty and staff. This year's school magazine is a tribute to all our accomplishments, big and small. It showcases the hard work, dedication, and passion of our students, teachers, and staff. It is a testament to what we can achieve when we work together. I am honoured to be a part of this community, and I am grateful to everyone who contributed to this year's magazine.

To our graduating seniors, I offer my heartfelt congratulations and best wishes for the future. You have accomplished so much during your time at our school, and we are proud of everything you have achieved.

Finally, I would like to remind you that this magazine is a testament to our school's vibrant and dynamic community, and I hope that it serves as a source of inspiration and pride for years to come. In closing, I want to express my appreciation for everyone who have made this year's magazine possible. I express my sincere thanks to the Management Members, contributors and everyone who supported us along the way. I hope you enjoy this year's magazine as much as we enjoyed creating it.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Ila V. Vaghela  
**Editor (Former Secondary Section Teacher - Presently Retired)**



## NEW ACADEMIC SESSION

A refreshing start to all the students of the pre-primary students was given - A flower face puppet on the 1st day of the new academic session. Students bloomed seeing their welcome gift with their sweet smile.



## PRE-PRIMARY SECTION



## FRIENDSHIP DAY

Friends are like pearls in our life necklace, as you can see the excitement of celebrating this day by our tiny tots. Friendship in the school is everlasting and it is very important to explain to them the importance of friends and bonding, which leads to years and years of being together, and great memories for all of us. There is no joy like the joy of childhood friends coming together and meeting again for years and years to come.





## PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

### PARENTS - TEACHERS MEETING

It gives us immense pleasure to see the parents of our K.G. students. All the parents were happy and geared up for an exciting beginning of the academic year. Thanks to all for the love and support and trust shown to our Pre-Primary section. A brief explanation about the yearly activities and academic plans was given to the parents. The meeting was well organized and the interaction between our teachers and parents instilled confidence and appreciation among them for our Pre-Primary teachers.



## JANMASHTMI FESTIVAL

The Pre-Primary section teachers hosted and organized the Janmashtmi Festival celebration for our learners. Students were excited to come dressed-up like Radha Krishna and perform pooja.





## NATIONAL FESTIVALS - INDEPENDENCE DAY



National festivals are our pride. The 75th year of Independence was celebrated with great passion and respect, by paying tribute to our National leaders, by our Nursery Students. A rally by Jr.Kg & Sr.Kg students of our school was conducted. Recitation and selfie competitions were held for Students where prizes and certificates were given.



## PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

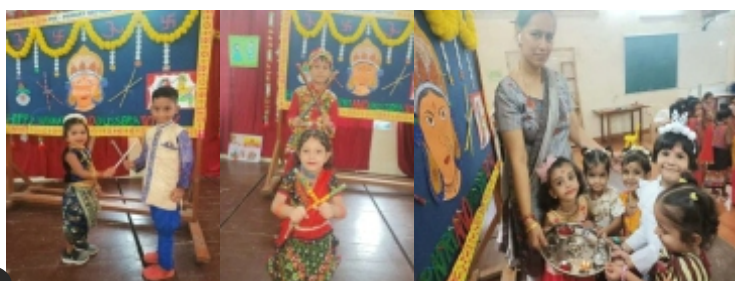
### HAPPY GURU PURNIMA

July 13, 2022, was celebrated as Guru Purnima in the School when students paid respect and gratitude to all the gurus/ teachers of the K.G section and acknowledging their interactions and efforts in their minds.



## DUSSEHRA CELEBRATIONS

To promote the festival of Dussehra Celebrations amongst all students in the Pre-Primary Section, Traditional Day was organized where all the Students participated and we could enjoy glimpses of the students enjoying, celebrating and dancing to Bollywood songs.





## PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

### FESTIVAL OF DIWALI

Diwali, the festival of light became more colourful and bright with our school kids wearing sparkling attire for the Diwali party. It was indeed a beautiful event as their parents also participated in the lantern and greeting card making competition. The students were all excited to receive their Diwali gift and were all ready to enjoy their Diwali Vacations with happy memories.





## PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

### HAPPY CHILDREN'S DAY

On children's day, our Pre-Primary section organised a game section for our young learners. All the children were excited to see and play the games organised for them like 1) Guess the right number of chocolates, 2) Ring & toes, 3) Break the pyramid 4) Aim the ball in the box, and won prizes. They had fun on the trampoline and also received their children's day gifts and puppets.





## PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

### SCHOOL PICNIC

This year the picnic outing was arranged at INOX Mall at Ghatkopar. School is not only about fun and knowing life skills but also creating bond between the students and teachers. The students wall climbing, balancing on rods, balloon room, slides and the Ball-house, all were loads and loads of fun. A dance session was also organised and the students presented a really amazing show.

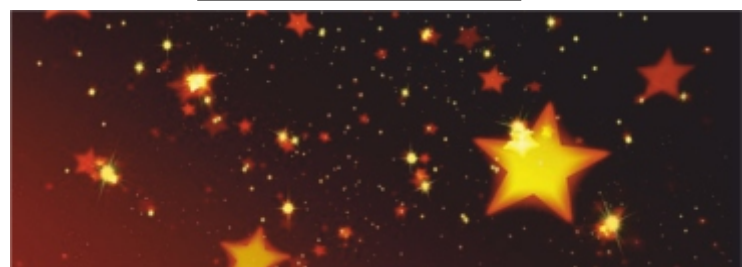


## WINTER SEASON DAY

Students came dressed-up for the warm welcoming of the winter season, wearing shawls, sweaters and mufflers. The purpose of conducting "A Winter Day" was not only experiencing the joys of the winter season, but also to give them an opportunity to speak in front of friends about the feeling and experiences about the winter season.



## STAR OF THE YEAR



Every child holds a special place in the heart of the teachers of the Pre-Primary Section. And being a star, is something that really inspires from within!!! May our shining stars, keep on shining, and show their sparkling light and glitter through the coming days and years at school and even later on in life.





## NURSERY SPORTS DAY

Students of our Nursery gave their best, at the Summer Annual Sports Day. Sports and competitions like flat races, getting ready for school, sunny day, fun in the sun, duck swimming in the pond, etc. were all the activities in which the nursery students participated with belief and confidence in winning. This was the time to enjoy learning through sports beyond classrooms. All the winners were excited to receive gifts & certificates. Drill performance was also displayed by the students. Fun races for the fathers and mothers were also on the list of Sports Events. Energetic performance by the student's parents and lastly by the Staff too, made the event a Memorable Sports Day!





## PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

### SPARKLING STARS OF THE K.G. SECTION

Heartiest Congratulations to all the Champions of the Pre-Primary Sections in the various School Competitions. And the excitement of being 'sparkling stars' is so clear from the expressions of each and everyone in the pictures!





## STAR OF THE MONTH

With the view to encourage students and to boost them to participate in Class activities and to be disciplined in the school - every month "Star of the Month" activities were conducted. Two students from each class were appreciated by honouring them with "Star of the Month" badge.

We are sure and confident the such activities inspire and encourage students to actively participate in the school activities. And also, we very well know that, being selected as winners of the "Star of the Month" badge, and having their photos published in our annual school magazine, will motivate them to do more in the years to come and excel in their performance in all academic as well as co-curricular activities. We congratulate them and wish them all the very best throughout their interactions in school activities in future.



## PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

### NAT FEST - 5

Our Pre-Primary students participated in the annual NAT - FEST celebrations. The programme drew a lot of excitement among the parents as well as students, where the theme 'India at 75' was depicted in a form of story, by our K.G Students through song, dance and skit performances. Students develop confidence by performing in front of peers, group and all other section students. It was truly visual treat to see all the little kids performing to the themes showing emotions and love for the 'Mother-land India'.





**PRE-PRIMARY SECTION**

**NAT FEST - 5 - EXHIBITION FOR PARENTS**





## INTRODUCTION

## PRIMARY SECTION

Teaching and learning is a process that includes many variables. These variables interact as learners work towards their goals and incorporate new knowledge, behaviours and skills that add to their range of learning experiences. Effective teaching involves three major components - learning objectives, assessments and instructional activities. As it is said, "Education is the key to all locked doors of the unknown. So, be educated, so that you can change the world."

### INTER-SCHOOL FOLK DANCE COMPETITION Winners - (Primary Section Teachers)



**To watch the video clip of the winning dance performance by our teachers, click on the image above.**

**"Coming together is a beginning  
Keeping together is a progress  
Working together is a success"**

**"Dance is the hidden language of the soul"**

Teachers of the Primary Section participated in the Inter-school Folk Dance Competition. It was organized specially for the teachers. This competition took place at Holy Family High School on February 15, 2023. It was indeed a tough competition since teachers from 18 schools took part. Our school secured the First Position in this competition. Kudos to our teachers and our Head Mistress, Mrs. Nidhi Balani, for a wonderful performance.

With great pride and admiration, we announce that our school won at the Inter-school Teacher's Dance Competition event. Congratulations to everyone on the achievement of our Primary Section teachers! Winning an Inter-school Competition is no small feat and it's a great honour to hear that our school came out on top. It's the result of hard work and dedication of all our teachers.





## PRIMARY SECTION

### YOGA DAY

**“Yoga is a light which once when lit, will never dim.”**

Every year International Yoga Day is celebrated all over the world on June 21. Yoga has become the best way for physical and mental fitness. It is the best way to release our negative energies and embrace positivity in life. Our aim is to motivate the students to get into the regular practice of practising a fitness regime.

This day was also celebrated in our Primary Section by the students of Std. I to Std. IV. Students learnt many asanas and were happy to be a part of the International Yoga Day.



## PICNIC

The Primary Section organized a school picnic on February 17, 2023, to Shangrila Water Park, for the students of Class I to Class IV. The students were extremely excited to reach the destination. All the students in the buses kept on singing songs and playing games till they reached the venue. They all enjoyed the various wonderful rides in the park. Everyone jumped in the pool with excitement. There was rain-dance, where children could not resist showing their talents. An appetizing lunch was served to the children. Everyone had a great time playing in the water. The day was concluded by thanking the Lord for a safe and wonderful trip.





## RECITATION COMPETITION

**“Poetry is when an emotion has found its thought and the thought has found words.”**

The main purpose behind conducting this competition is to build self-confidence, develop oratory skills and self-expression. It was held on June 28, 2022 for students of Std. I to Std. IV, and the students actively participated in large numbers. Those students who performed well were selected and certificates were given to the winners, with lots of appreciation.



## X-PRESSIONS COMPETITIONS

X-PRESSIONS Literary and Art Competitions were conducted by the Rotract Club on February 18 and 19, 2023 for Std. I to Std. IV. Congratulations to all the winners for their hard work. The winners of these competitions are listed below:

NAME	PRIZE	GROUP	EVENT	STANDARD
Shroff Jiya	First	Group B	Handwriting	I B
Lakhara Priyanka	Second	Group A	Recitation	III B
Tnaviwal	Third	Group A	Solo Dancing	II A

## PRIMARY SECTION

### ENGLISH CALLIGRAPHY COMPETITION

**“Handwriting determines your dream, how beautiful your dream is, so is your handwriting.”**

This competition provides a platform for the students to showcase their writing competency and develop their fine motor skills. This competition was conducted on July 4, 2022 for students of Std. I to Std. IV. All students enthusiastically participated. The best handwritings were selected according to specific parameters, and the students were applauded for their splendid performance, by awarding of Certificates.





## PRIMARY SECTION

## POSTER MAKING COMPETITION

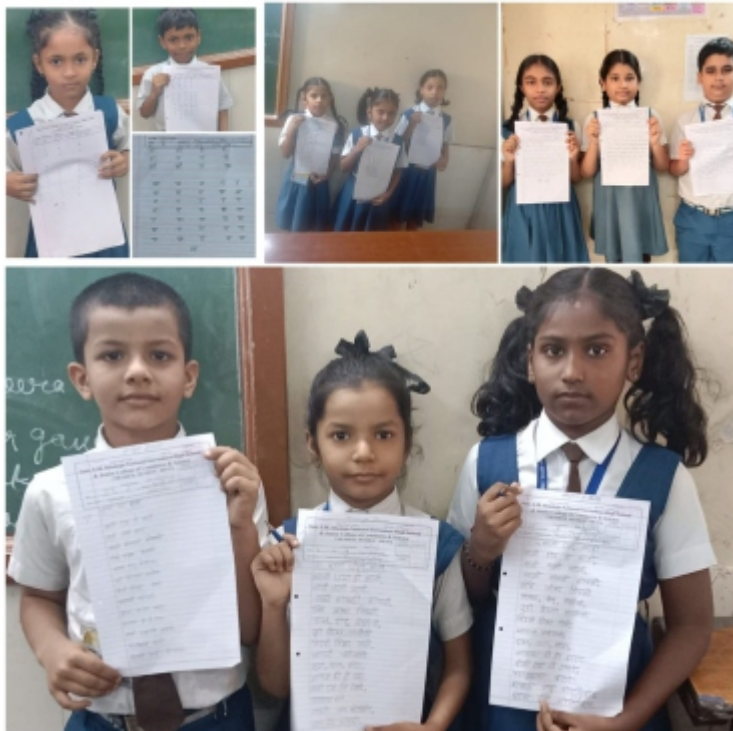
**“Creativity takes courage.”**

These competitions increase the observational skills, response to thoughts, awareness and concern of the students towards global issues. These art and craft activities trigger imagination and bring out the creativity of the young students. Poster making competition was conducted on July 8, 2022, for the students of Std. I to Std. IV. Topics were different for each standard students, and the students drew and coloured them nicely. The students with the best posters were awarded Certificates.



## MARATHI CALLIGRAPHY COMPETITION

Handwriting is an important exercise to develop fine motor skills of students as it activates the brain and contributes to reading fluency and enhance the legibility of their handwriting. With this aim, Marathi Calligraphy competition was held on July 6, 2022. Students of Std. I to Std. IV participated in the same, with a lot of excitement. Certificates were awarded to the winning students.



## HINDI DIWAS COMPETITION

**एकता की जान है, हिंदी देश की शान है**

Hindi is a language of love, togetherness and brotherhood. To pay tribute and to mark the importance of the country's most widely spoken language, Hindi Diwas competition was held on September 14, 2022. Students actively participated and presented their favourite poems. Students presenting the best poems were awarded with Certificates.





## STORY TELLING COMPETITION

**“Stories have the power to create social change and inspire the community.”**

Stories always give wings to our imagination and take us to places beyond the boundaries of the physical world. Competitions are the best way to boost confidence in children. Story telling competition was conducted on February 8, 2023 for the students of Std. I to Std. IV. Students narrated their stories with enthusiasm and impressive expressions. The best stories were selected and Certificates were given.



## PRIMARY SECTION

### MAYOR'S DRAWING COMPETITION

**“One must always draw, draw with the eyes,  
When one cannot draw with a pencil.”**

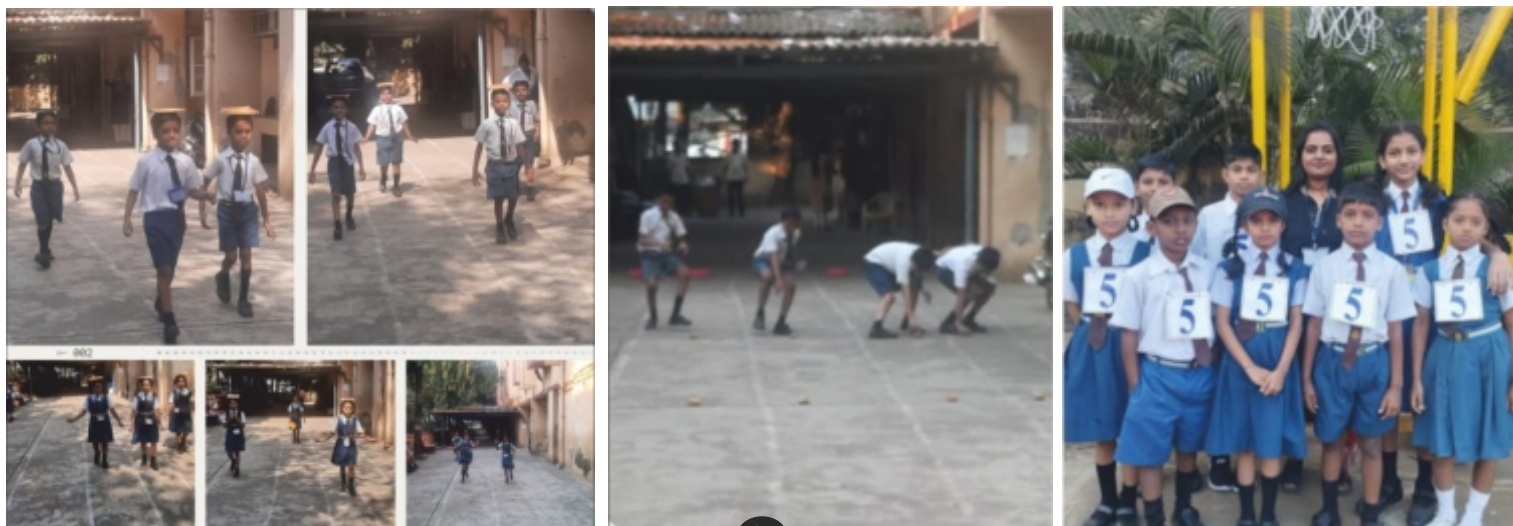
Drawing is important for a child's development. It expresses what children are feeling and thinking. It also helps them to build their knowledge and visual skills. On January 8, 2023, Drawing competition was conducted. Each group had a different topic and maximum children from the M-Ward participated, presenting beautiful and colourful drawings. At the end, Participation Certificates were given to each child.



## SPORTS DAY

**“If you can believe it, the mind can achieve it.”**

Playing various games helps to teach students various life-skills such as team work, leadership, accountability, patience, self-confidence, etc. and prepares them to face life challenges. Students also get a chance to work on their physical and mental abilities to achieve goals in their life. Sports Day was held in our Primary Section, where the games were different for each Standard. All the students actively participated and the winners were awarded Certificates.





**PRIMARY SECTION**

**FLAG MAKING COMPETITION  
ON INDEPENDENCE DAY**

**“Flag Colours tell the Story of our Past and Present Glory.”**

The Indian flag represents the hopes and aspirations of the people of India. It is the symbol of our National pride. Over the last five decades, several people including members of the armed forces have ungrudgingly laid down their lives to keep the tri-colour flying in its full glory. To ignite the spirit of patriotism among our students, our Primary Section conducted a Flag Making Competition on August 8, 2022 for the students of Std. I to Std. IV. All the students actively participated, and from each class, three students were selected and Certificates given.





## PRIMARY SECTION

### ORANGE GLOBAL OLYMPIAD EXAM (OGO)

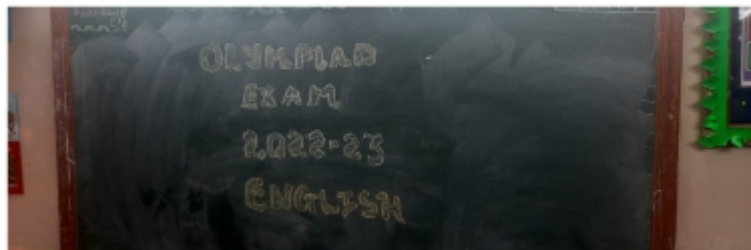
**“Set your goals high and don’t stop till you get there.”**

Olympiads are challenging. It helps the child to build his/ her personality and construct a fulfilling future. It will always keep them aspiring to work harder, to get better, and try to do their best. The performance of the students also gets improved, as these exams hone their thinking and learning levels, which helps them to grasp various concepts better. Olympiad Exam was conducted in our school. Our Head Mistress took the initiative and helped our students to perform well by motivating them.

### TINY STAR AND OTHER SUCCESS STORIES FROM THE PRIMARY SECTION

We are glad and happy to announce and honour our performing 'Tiny Star' student from the Primary Section Kumar Gore Ayush from Std. I B, who has received the highest marks and ranks First in our school. He has also been awarded a cash prize of Rs. 1000/- and a Gold Medal too. It is awesomely wonderful and appreciable. There are many other students who have also given their best, as in the list shown on the right side.

NAME OF STUDENT	MEDAL	STD.
Sharvi Shetty	Gold	II A
Trisha Zanzane	Gold	II B
Shivam Jha	Gold	III B
Priyanka Lakshara	Gold	III B
Patra Samarjit	Silver	I A
Gupta Shaurya	Silver	II A
Kanal Nidhi	Bronze	I A
Bait Harshita	Bronze	II A
Khedkar Sairaj	Bronze	II A





## PRIMARY SECTION

## NAT FEST - 5

Marking the freedom and glory of the nation, the celebration of the 75<sup>th</sup> Independence Day began with full fervour with NAT – FEST 5, i.e. Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav. It was also celebrated in our school, with the idea of igniting love, respect and devotion for India in the minds and hearts of all our school students. A theme was decided for each Section. Our Primary Section teachers had to collect the information about the Prime Ministers (1947 – 2022), and their freedom struggle. It was celebrated on December 23 and 24, 2022. Students of Std. I to Std. IV participated with great zeal and zest, dances of various sections displayed a perfect patriotic spirit. It was really a tribute and admiration for the rich heritage of India.



## ACTIVITIES DURING THE YEAR

Teaching-learning process is the heart of education. It is the most powerful instrument of education to bring about desired changes in the students. Keeping this in mind, many activities were conducted in the Primary Section of our school. Some of these are, Scrap Book Making, Healthy Eating Plate, Healthy Habits, Cleanliness, Tree Plantation Programme, etc.

It is indeed a matter of pride to acknowledge these activities. Competitions were possible due to the hard work and efforts of one and all (teachers, students and parents). Team work makes all these things possible under the leadership of our Madam Mrs. Nidhi Balani, our Captain of the ship, who always says, "Team work divides the task and multiplies the success."





## ACTIVITIES DURING THE YEAR

## PRIMARY SECTION

### AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV



## HAPPY DIWALI

## MERRY CHRISTMAS





**PRIMARY SECTION**

**ACTIVITIES DURING THE YEAR**

**HEALTHY EATING PLATE**





## ACTIVITIES DURING THE YEAR

## PRIMARY SECTION

### HEALTHY EATING PLATE



### GOOD HABITS - CLEANLINESS

### POSTER MAKING COMPETITION



### WHERE DO I COME FROM





## PRIMARY SECTION



*Awarding of  
Certificates*



## HALL OF FAME 2022

### S.S.C. TOPPERS

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|----------------------------|--------|
| 1) Master Jha Deepak Kumar | 91.40% |
| 2) M/s Tanya Mitra         | 89.40% |
| 3) Master Gaikwad Suraj    | 88.80% |

### H.S.C. TOPPERS - Commerce

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| 1) Master Chaudhary Ankit  | 91.83% |
| 2) M/s Maurya Arpita       | 90.67% |
| 3) Master Singhania Tushar | 90.17% |

### H.S.C. TOPPERS - Science

- |                                  |        |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| 1) M/s Jaiswal Nisha             | 93.67% |
| 2) Master Prajapati Sumit        | 87.33% |
| 3) Master Ansari Mohammed Toufik | 83.67% |

## STAR OF NATIONAL SARVODAYA

M/s Nisha Jaiswal from Junior College, Science, secured First position in the H.S.C. Board Examinations, conducted in the academic year 2021 - 2022. She also secured a rank in the top 50 in the Maharashtra C.E.T. Examination. The Management members honoured her with a cheque of Rs. 25,000/- for her outstanding performance.



Shri Dhanraj L. Sahetia Award was given to the toppers by our Management Members. The First Rank holders of S.S.C and H.S.C. were awarded a cash prize of Rs. 1000/- by Mrs. Rajni Talreja, our Trustee Member. Also, Rs. 1000/- was awarded to Master Deepak Jha, our S.S.C. topper by Mr. Ramani, husband of our Secondary School teacher, Late Mrs. Lalita Ramani.

## INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

Our Honourable Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi initiated the World Yoga Day and encouraged the people across the world, including India, to practice Yoga and avail all the benefits of Yoga. This academic year on June 21, 2022, our school organized Yoga practice sessions for our school students. Various Yoga asanas were performed by our students under the guidance of Mr. Ravikant Sir. The programme started at 7:00 am, and the students enjoyed the session.

**CLICK ON THE COMPOSITE IMAGE BELOW TO WATCH THE SHORT QUICK VIDEO CLIP OF MR. RAVIKANT SIR AND OUR STUDENTS IN ACTION ON INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY.**





### WELCOMING STUDENTS

Our students were given a warm welcome on the re-opening day on June 15, 2022, for this academic year, by our school teachers!



### SPOT PRIZES

This academic year, a wonderful surprise awaited our students on the special occasion of Children's Day on November 14. Our School Principal gave away spot prizes to the children from all the classes, on this day!



### ANNUAL SCHOOL PICNIC

This year our students and staff headed for "The Great Escape" for the annual school picnic, on January 13, 2023. As you can see from the pictures below, there was endless excitement and loads of fun happening around. Our staff as well as students had a great time together. After all, besides teaching and learning activities, some other fun activities also need to happen!





## INSPIRATIONAL READING DAY

October 15, 2022, was observed as Inspirational Reading Day in our school to mark the Birth Anniversary of our Late President Shri A. P. J. Abdul Kalam.

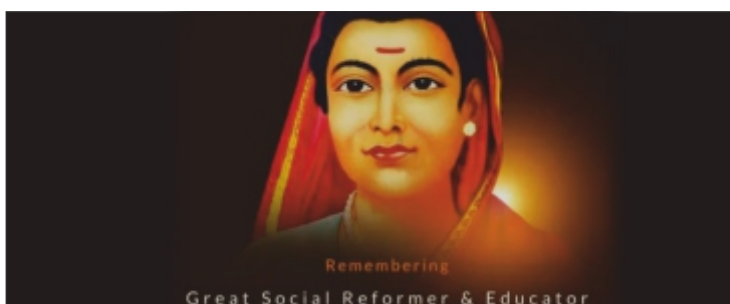


## VACCINATION DRIVE

A Vaccination drive against Covid 19, was organized by the B.M.C. (BrihanMumbai Municipal Corporation) for students above 13 years of age, which included Std. IX, X and the Junior College students (Commerce and Science)

## GYANJYOTI SAVITRIBAI PHULE ABHIYAN

Gyanjyoti Savitribai Phule Lekwachawa Lekshikwa Abhiyan was organized in our school, in the month of January, 2023, by our school teacher Mrs. Shaila Gaikwad. Various activities and programmes were organized during this period to emphasize the importance of "Save Girls and Girl's Education".



## MEENA RAJU MARCH

Under the organizing capabilities of our teacher, Mr. Dhiraj Pawar, various activities were organized by the school to inculcate the importance of gender equality in our society. As we all know, there is rampant bias prevailing in our society in all areas and aspects of life, beginning with birth, education, marriage and life in general, where progress and opportunities are severely restricted against the girl-child and women.

The students took a pledge to bring about change in our discriminatory attitude against the female gender.

## VARIOUS ACTIVITIES AND COMPETITIONS

Our school students took part in various activities and ward level inter-school competitions, like English Elocution, Hindi Elocution, Marathi Elocution Competitions, Nrityanjali - Solo-Singing, Mono-Acting Competitions, etc. during July and also through the academic year, and emerged as winners in many of these competitions. Sadiya Shaikh of Std. X A bagged the Third Prize at the Ward Level English Elocution Competition conducted at Swami Muktanand High School, Chembur, on the occasion of Lokmanya Tilak Jayanti on July 17, 2022. At the Nrityanjali Competitions, Siddhi Singh won the Third Prize for Solo-Singing and Akansha Thore (VIII B) won the Third Prize for Mono-Acting. Prachi Kale (VII B) and Simran Chaurasiya (X A) were also winners in this competition.



The Ward Level Dance competition was also conducted at Swami Muktanand High School, Chembur.

[Click on the image below to watch and listen to the dance performance of our students.](#)



The Ward Level Band competition was conducted at Loretto Convent High School, Chembur.

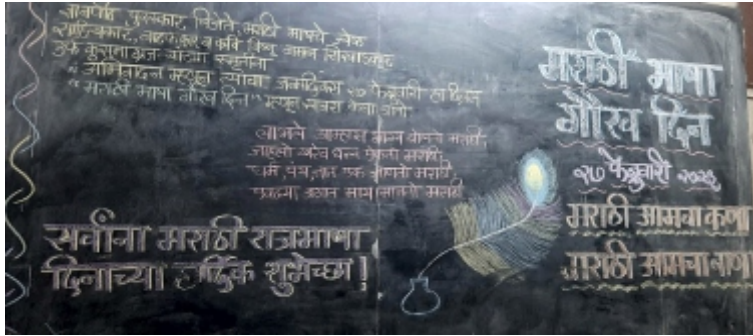
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## MARATHI BHASHA DIWAS - February 27, 2023

Marathi Bhasha Gaurav Din was celebrated at our school on February 27, 2023, with enthusiastic participation by our students and teachers. Watch and listen to the video clip of our students discussing and singing praises for the importance and significance of this day [by clicking on the composite image below](#).



## HINDI DIWAS - September 14, 2022

Well done, and thanks to Krishna Sir, for superbly planning and executing the Hindi Diwas celebration at our school on September 14, 2022. It was great to watch our students narrate and recite on Hindi Diwas, with all the fanfare. Excellent support was given by Prabhudayal Sir, Mishra Sir and others from various sections, for preparing the students with a wonderful programme.

Mishra Sir also gave a presentation at the Akhil Bhartiya Kavi Sammelan organized by "Samrat Information", on the occasion of International Hindi Diwas, on January 10, 2023.

Once again kudos to the enthusiastic and energetic initiative by one and all. Keep going!!!

[Click on the composite image below to watch the video clip of the Hindi Diwas Celebration.](#)





## TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

Teacher's Day was celebrated in our school on September 5, 2022. A small Puja was organized followed by distribution of snacks and felicitation of all the teaching and non-teaching staff, by the Principal and members of the management. Teacher's Day in schools is a significant and meaningful way to honour the teaching profession and recognize the crucial role that teachers play in the development of students and society as a whole.



## EYE CAMP

A free eye-testing and check-up was conducted in our school by RJ Sankara Jhunjhunwala Eye Hospital, New Panvel, for the benefit of our school students and also the people from the community around the school. The camp was successful and beneficial to one and all. The eye-camp was conducted by our school for two days on February 14 and 16, 2023.





## TRADITIONAL DAY CELEBRATIONS

Traditional Day was celebrated in our school by the Junior College students of Commerce on November 30, 2022. Students of the Science Section of Junior college celebrated the same on December 1, 2022. The beautiful fabric of India is woven with the threads of various traditions depicting a marvellous pattern of rich culture. Therefore, in this modern era, in order to inculcate the value of Indian Traditions and keep it alive in the minds of students, the Traditional Day was celebrated.

The Commerce Section organized a game 'Find Your Treasure' for students, which they enjoyed thoroughly. Twenty different questions were asked in each class and on the spot prizes were given to individual students for their quick response. Finally the best traditionally dressed girl and boy were selected from each class, with question rounds. It was a day of gaiety, fun and colour.

Traditional Day for the Science Section was celebrated with great fun and fervour. Our students participated in large numbers and enthralled us with a spectacular display of their traditional costumes. A number of activities were planned by our enthusiastic staff members in order to ensure a memorable experience for everyone. The first activity was the Ramp-walk. Girls and boys wowed us with their 'model' moves. Next in line was an event called 'Know Your Colour', in which students dressed in the same colour would form a group. The group with the maximum participants would win the prize. It was the group with black colour which won hands down. What followed was a quiz round in which teachers took turns to ask witty questions to the student audience. The next round was an innovative one, in which students in the best traditional dresses would come on stage and speak in their mother tongue, to show that there was more to them than just their outward appearance. What followed was an outstanding display of the hidden talent of our students like dance, beat-boxing and the like. The programme finally ended with the distribution of prizes to the best traditional girl and boy from each class. Undoubtedly, the students as well as teachers thoroughly enjoyed the programme. It was a wonderful occasion on which we made memories of a lifetime.

## TRADITIONAL DAY WINNERS

### (Commerce Section)

NAME OF STUDENT	STD. AND DIV.
Manbir Singh	XI A
Sufia Shaikh	XI A
Rohit Dhingra	XI B
Humera Kundankar	XI B
Karan Kurdia	XII A
Nandini Gupta	XII A
Vivek Yadav	XII B
Bhumika Singh	XII B

### (Science Section)

NAME OF STUDENT	STD. AND DIV.
Sudarshan M. Gowda	XI A
Disha P. Saraf	XI A
Athar Sarkar	XI B
Dhani S. Das	XI B
Ankit C. Kesarwani	XII A
Megha R. Pawar	XII A
Ravi M. Gowda	XII B
Soni B. Suryavanshi	XII B





## CMCA ACTIVITIES IN 2022 - 2023



CMCA (**Children's Movement for Civic Awareness**) organizers were delighted to begin all sessions for STD 8 Division A and B) offline as four clubs. The educators were: Brinda Ganesh, Effie Acharya and Parinda Kenia.

Their introduction to CMCA and its activities was through a Quiz followed by naming each club and election of a President. This was followed by Club Launch with skits on Concern, Child Labour and Local Government performed by students for all classes up to 9th Std. Eco friendly materials like clay, paper and flour were used to make the Ganesha's. Some pictures are here as above. This was a Class to Class Campaign as students also talked about the significance of celebrating our festivals in a responsible manner.

The sessions then moved on to understand Change and Development with defining and a game, wherein students had to allot budgets to different ministries and list priorities. Local Government facilities for assistance were taught by providing Helpline Numbers Sheets to each and every student and stressing on the fact that it is important to work with the Government to bring about development.

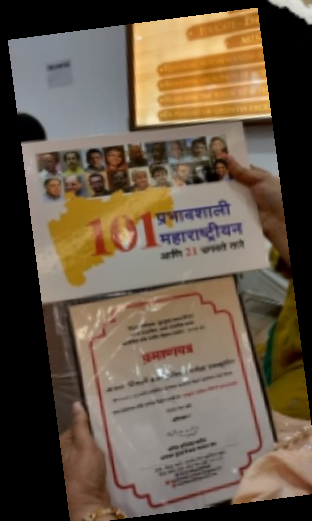
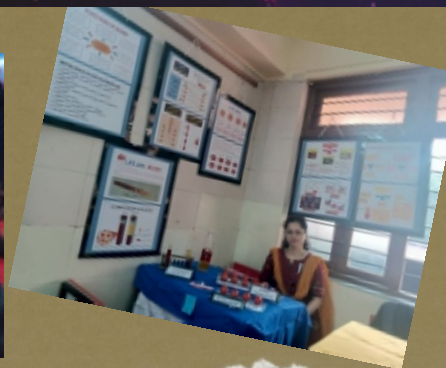
A special session was held on Child Rights and students were enlightened. The Second Term session consisted of sessions on Composite Culture of India, a skit on Child Labour and interactive sessions on Child Rights. Handouts were prepared and given to the children. At the conclusion of the Second Term, a School Profile study was discussed wherein, children get to know about their school, facilities as well as problems.



The Second Term reopened with the students reporting on all facilities available and the excellent staff they are fortunate to have. Other topics covered during this half were on the Composite Culture of India, and celebrating its Diversity, one on Integrity, which will help inculcate values in children life-long, critical thinking and sessions emphasizing on Equality and Empathy, which is the need of the hour. CMCA certificates were given to all students in Std 8 A and B. Master Dhruv Lakhera of STD 8th A used the CMCA helpline No. of BMC to solve a civic issue. CMCA salutes him as an Action Hero and felicitated him.

Spark workshops were conducted, as they are thought provoking. CMCA conducted a one hour Spark workshop in both divisions of std 7th. For Std. 7th A students, a workshop on "Water Consumption" was facilitated by Educator Parinda Kenia. Measures to save water and reduce water consumption were the highlight of this workshop. Other workshop on Child Rights were conducted by M/s Brinda Ganesh for Std 7th B, which enlightened the children on several special rights children are entitled to. In conclusion, it was another eventful and fulfilling year of CMCA activities with National Sarvodaya High School.





**SCIENCE  
EXHIBITION**

### OUR SCIENCE TEACHER AND STUDENT WINNERS AT SCIENCE EXHIBITION

The M-Ward (Ward Level) Science Exhibition was organized on January 4, 5 and 6, 2023 at Saraswati Vidhyalaya, Chembur. Our science teacher M/s Shewani Sharma won the First Prize in the "Teaching Aids Competition" for the Junior Group, for her project titled "Life Line - Blood". Our Commerce student from Std. XI A, Pari K. Bindra was awarded Second Prize in Essay Writing Competition. Our student from Std. VIII B, Ankush Igle received the Third Prize in Poster Competition.

For the M-Ward (Ward Level) Science Exhibition, that was held online during 2021 - 2022, our Kuntal Panchal Sir received the Second Prize for his Science Project for the Senior Group.

The South Indian Organization (S.I.O.) conducted the District Level Science Exhibition at Vani Vidhyalaya (Mulund), on January 23, 24 and 25, 2023.

Kapil Patil Sir gave away a Special Prize to our Science teacher M/s Shivani Sharma, in the presence of Education Inspector, M/s Urmila Padhare, from the Education Department.

### NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY CELEBRATION

National Science Day was celebrated in our school with enthusiastic children taking and active part, making projects and explaining them on February 28, 2023. The theme was "Global Science for Global Well-being". **Click on the composite image below to see the video clip of our students explaining their science projects.**





## AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV

## NATIONAL FESTIVALS

On the occasion of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrations, various activities were organized by our school. On August 10, 2022, Flag making activity was conducted for Elementary and Intermediate Drawing students in our school premises. The teacher-in-charge was Shweta Pawar. A rally was organized for participation by our IX Standard students on August 12, 2022, from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm, from our school premises to Inlaks Hospital and back. Our students distributed National Tiranga Flags to all the prominent shops and stores in the Chembur Camp area, during this rally. The teachers-in-charge were Ravikant Sir, Vinod Pandey Sir and Ware Sir.

National Flags were distributed to all the students from Std. V to Std. X, for the “Har Ghar Tiranga” Celebration on August 15, our Independence Day. All students were asked to post and share their ‘selfie’ with our Tiranga National Flag hoisted in their area/ building/ home. Students posted these photos in their class WhatsApp Groups and the student with the best photo from each class received a special prize. Flag Hoisting Ceremony along with march-past was held at our school on our Independence Day, August 15, 2022. **Click on the composite image below to watch the video clip of the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav rally organized by our school!**





## INDEPENDENCE DAY - August 15, 2022



**CLICK ON THE IMAGE OF OUR NATIONAL FLAG ABOVE TO WATCH AND LISTEN TO THE FLAG HOISTING CEREMONY AND THE NATIONAL ANTHEM.**

India completed 75 years of Independence on August 15, 2022. The central government had started a 75 week countdown in March 2021 for celebrating the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Independent India. They named it “Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav”, which will conclude on August 15, 2023.

Independence Day was celebrated on August 15, 2022. The programme began with the Scouts teams welcoming the management members. Our National Flag was hoisted by Hon. Gen. Secretary Mr. Mahendra Talreja, followed by the National Anthem.

**Click on the composite image below to watch the video clip of Republic Day**



## NATIONAL FESTIVALS



## REPUBLIC DAY - January 26, 2023

Our school commemorated Republic Day on January 26, 2023, with the traditional flag hoisting ceremony, followed by the National Anthem. Students of S.S.C. and H.S.C. (Commerce and Science) were felicitated for their excellent performance in their Board Examinations 2021 - 2022 by the members of the management.

Republic Day is celebrated in India on 26th January every year to commemorate the day on which the Constitution of India came into effect. It is a significant day for every Indian, and celebrating it in schools holds great importance.

Republic Day celebrations in schools provide opportunities for students to take up leadership roles and organize events. It helps in developing leadership skills and encourages students to take responsibility. Overall, celebrating Republic Day in schools is a way of educating and inspiring young minds to be responsible citizens and contribute towards the growth and development of the country.



## IN MEMORY OF DR. SHYAM BULCHANDANI

Dr. Shyam Kishinchand Bulchandani, our beloved Chairman Emeritus, passed away peacefully on 14th February, 2022. He is and will always be remembered for being an exemplary doctor, professor, philanthropist and a pioneer in serving the under privileged and handicapped. He is dearly missed by all. In his honour and memory, a prayer service was held in our school.

**The video clip of the same can be seen by clicking on the image link below.**



## SCOUT AND GUIDE TRAINING CAMP November 23, 2022

Our school is actively involved in enrolling and training our students for the Scout and Guide activities. Here are some pictures from the Scout and Guide Training Camp conducted on November 23, 2022.



## SCOUT AND GUIDE OVERNIGHT CAMP - STD IX January 23 and 24, 2023

Every year, our school arranges and organizes an overnight camp for our Scout and Guide students. Lots of fun activities are the happenings throughout and is really enjoyed by all our participating students. The overnight camp was conducted on January 23 and 24, 2023. Students enjoyed the various Scouts/ Guides activities, games, camp-fire, and also had a music and dance session on a D.J.

**To watch the video clip of the fun times around the camp fire, click on the composite image link below.**







## TOBACCO AND SMOKE FREE CAMPAIGN

A campaign was organized by our school in February, 2023, to highlights the ill-effects of tobacco and smoking on the health of everyone. Tobacco and smoke-free campaigns in schools aim to promote a healthy lifestyle and prevent students from taking up smoking.

Such campaigns have been shown to be effective in reducing smoking rates among young people. By promoting a smoke-free environment, schools can help prevent youth from taking up smoking and ultimately reduce the prevalence of smoking-related illnesses and deaths.

## SCHOLARSHIPS FROM SATYASAI ORGANIZATION

A meeting was conducted by the Satya Sai Organization at the General Education Academy, on Sunday, January 22, 2023, in which five different teams were selected from different schools. This was organized to award scholarships of Rs. 2300/- each, to deserving students, who cannot afford to pay their school fees. At the programme, various people shared their experiences pertaining to education, followed by a speech by the Principal of the General Education Academy. A skit and dance performance was presented by the students of A fac School.

Further, the Satya Sai Organization, conducted a promotion programme, at a later date, pertaining to “Value Education” and conduct a special class to promote all round development of students.



## RETIREMENT

Our Secondary Section teacher Mrs. Ila V. Vaghela retired on 31st December, 2022. A warm send-off was given to her. We wish her all the very best for the future and a very happy and satisfactory retired life.

Mrs. Ila V. Vaghela served for 27 and a half years. She taught English and Social Studies. We wish for her, that her retirement provides her with an opportunity to reflect on her career, celebrate her accomplishments, and plan for the future.

Overall, the retirement of teachers in schools is an important milestone that carries great value for both the individual teacher and the school community. It represents a time to reflect, celebrate, and plan for the future, and to acknowledge the significant contributions that teachers make towards the education of our children.







*“All our dreams come true if we have the courage to pursue them and soar above the pain from the process.”*

Our most zealous and energetic teacher, Mrs. Archana Kumar has always displayed a resolution to grow and exceed by excelling in the field of academics and sports. Her indomitable approach towards accomplishing her aims has been recognised in the form of myriad nominations for National level and State level Teachers Awards.

A teacher who has put in 25 years of illustrious service in the school has done exceedingly well in the field of sports as well. She has won numerous medals at National and State level Badminton Tournaments and Championships. In recognition of her achievements in sports, she was felicitated at Navi Mumbai Sports Association, Vashi, by the Consulate General of Israel, Mr. Kobbi Shoshani for her National achievements in the field of Badminton. In addition to this, she also took part in Asia's most prestigious Tata Mumbai Marathon for 10 Kms, and stood fourth in her category at the Navi Mumbai Marathon event, for 10 Kms, held at Nerul.

Her autobiography got published in a book titled “Women of Substance” which includes the autobiographies of ten profound women achievers from various fields.

Her hard work and perseverance paid off when she was felicitated by the Hon. Speaker of Haryana, Shri Gyan Chand, for her contribution towards Badminton at National level.

We convey hearty congratulations, on behalf of staff and students, for the felicitations and well deserved success. She is indeed a role model and great inspiration for others.



It was a delight to gift the book "Women of Substance" featuring my autobiography to the Arjuna Awardee, World No.1 (WS & Xd), Para Badminton player, Manasi Joshi, on March 10, 2023.

~ Mrs. Archana Kumar ~

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*The National Centre for the Performing Arts (NCPA)*

**DANCE PERFORMANCE BY OUR STUDENTS AT NCPA**



The National Centre for the Performing Arts (NCPA), Mumbai, is India's premier cultural institution. Inaugurated in 1969, it was the first multi-venue, multi-genre cultural centre in South Asia. The NCPA is committed to preserving and promoting India's rich and vibrant artistic heritage in the fields of music, dance, theatre, film, literature and photography, as well as presenting new and innovative work by Indian and international artists from a diverse range of genres including drama, contemporary dance, orchestral concerts, opera, jazz and chamber music. Today, the NCPA hosts more than 700 events each year, making it India's largest and most holistic performing arts centre, as can be seen from the posters above.

This year, the arrangements, practice sessions, rehearsals, and the final performance for the NCPA dance presentation by our students were all well-orchestrated resulting in an extraordinary and incredible display of dance by our students at the National Centre for Performing Arts (NCPA) auditorium in Mumbai, **on March 9, 2023**. Mrs. Anju Dhall, Head of the Pre-Primary Section was the main co-ordinator for the NCPA programme, and was assisted by Mrs. Shewani Sharma.

Besides the practice sessions, workshops and rehearsals in our school, three visits to the NCPA were arranged with all our 55 participating students, along with the Teacher-In-Charge Mrs Shewani Sharma.

A renowned Mexican Folk Dancer from Mexico, Mr. Jaciel Neri, the main artists was invited to conduct a few sessions for our students. Small Mexican folk dance sessions were conducted for our participating students, in our school hall. M/s Dipali Tikam is a Doordarshan Odissi Television Dance Artist and she also conducted a number of lecture demonstrations to train our students and interact with them. Madam Gauri Tripathi, a Kathak Teacher along with Madam Tarini Tripathi had trained our students through out the year, once a week, every Wednesday between 3:00pm and 4:30 pm.

Swapnakola Madam is the Head-In-Charge at NCPA who had taken the initiative and given our students an opportunity to learn about and get connected with the NCPA. Shama Madam and Marian Madam were the coordinators from the NCPA team. Parents were thrilled and overjoyed to see their kids performing. They were thankful too, as the students' performance was outstanding and marvellous.

Certificates were awarded to all the participating students and the Trophy to the school was handed over by the Chief Guest to our Principal Sir Shri Anil Kriplani, and Management Member Aruna Madam.





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**DANCE PERFORMANCE BY OUR STUDENTS AT NCPA**

**CLICK ON THE IMAGE BELOW**, to watch and listen to the composite video file of the rehearsals, practice sessions and the performance of our students for the Dance Programme at The National Centre for the Performing Arts (NCPA)





## GREEN HOUSE WINNERS

Green house was the overall winner of the year 2022-23!!! Hearty congratulations to each one of you who directly or indirectly contributed to it's success....!!! Keep rocking each year... Thank you!!!



## MAHARASHTRA DAY

Maharashtra Day was celebrated with the traditional ceremony of flag hoisting, on May 1, 2023. The day also marks the official completion of the Academic Year 2022 - 2023.



## NAT FEST 5 2022 - 2023

This year the theme for NAT FEST 5 was the vision of our honourable Prime Minister Mr Narendra Modi, i.e "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav" which means elixir of energy of independence; elixir of inspirations of the warriors of freedom struggle; elixir of new ideas and pledges and elixir of Aatmanirbharta.





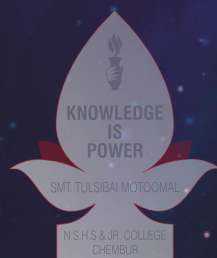


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