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The best way to find yourself
is to lose yourself in the service
of others

HAPPY
Gandhi
JAYANTI



GANDHI JAYANTI CELEBRATION

DPS Harni celebrated Gandhi Jayanti with great enthusiasm. Students actively participated in a cleanliness drive (Shramdan), where they diligently cleaned both the areas within and outside the school premises, as well as in the surrounding neighborhood. Furthermore, girls from classes 6 to 10 showcased a variety of self-defense techniques, placing a strong emphasis on Gandhiji's ideals of women's empowerment.

The National Cadet Corps (NCC) cadets of our esteemed school have undertaken a commendable initiative to engage in the comprehensive cleaning and beautification of the environs surrounding Harni Pond.

With unwavering commitment to environmental stewardship and community welfare, our NCC cadets have wholeheartedly dedicated their time and effort to address the pressing issue of cleanliness in the vicinity of Harni Pond.

The cadets have undertaken a rigorous regimen of cleaning, waste disposal all executed with meticulous care and attention to detail.

Their efforts not only contribute to the enhancement of the local environment but also instill a profound sense of civic duty among our student body.





NAVRATRI CELEBRATION 2023



DURGA PUJA

A vibrant slice of Bengal's famous Durga Puja came to life at DPSH as the staff celebrated this festive occasion with deep religious fervor on the 28 of October 2023.

The school reception area was transformed with traditional decorations, featuring chandmalas, marigold strands, and intricate white rangoli designs. An array of cotton sarees worn by Bengali ladies and artefacts from Shantiniketan and Bishnupur added to the festive ambiance.

The morning commenced with the rhythmic beats of the Dhak, setting the tone for the Puja and Aarti, which were conducted by Principal Ma'am and teachers. The sacred chants of MAHALAYA and CHANDIPATH filled the air with spirituality, and the teachers, dressed in red and white sarees, looked absolutely ethereal.

The event also featured captivating attractions like the DHUNUCHI dance, the resonant notes of the SHANK DHWANI (conch shell), and a sumptuous feast comprising rasagollas, coconut sweets, and other delectable Bengali savories.

This celebration provided a wonderful opportunity for all to put aside their cultural differences and immerse themselves in the worship of the powerful goddess, fostering a sense of unity and shared spirituality among the staff. It was a moment of cultural exchange and collective reverence for the goddess of power, MAA DURGA.



MENTAL HEALTH SEMINAR

A thought-provoking mental health seminar unfolded on the 20th and 21st of October, specifically designed for students from classes VII to XII. What set this workshop apart was that it was orchestrated by the diligent students of class XII at DPS International in New Delhi.

The highlight of this event was the engaging game, 'MENTAL HEALTH JEOPARDY,' which served as a unique educational tool to inform students about various common mental health conditions. Conditions like Depression, Anxiety, Autism, Savant Syndrome, Bipolar Disorder, Bulimia, Self-Harm, and Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder were explored. Through this game, students not only became aware of the symptoms associated with these conditions but also learned how to approach and support individuals who may be dealing with them, whether in their family or workplace.

Encountering people with such disorders is a common occurrence, and fostering awareness is the crucial first step. By spreading knowledge, we can diminish the stigma and discrimination linked to mental illness, encouraging people to seek the treatment they need. This collective effort allows us to be more compassionate and patient with those facing such challenges, ultimately contributing to a better world for all.



Parent Teacher Meeting



ACHIEVEMENTS

VIVA SPORTS Swimming Competition organized on 21st Oct 2023 by Vibgyor School. In this competition Arya Chanchalani class VII F~ under 17~ got 3 medals in different events.

- ◆ 50mt free style-1st
- ◆ 50mt breast stroke-2nd
- ◆ 100mt free style-2nd



Delhi Public School Harni football team stood runner-up at VIVA football tournament organized by Vibgyor School on 21 October 2023.

Hirst Suthar awarded Best Striker with 9 Goals in the tournament.



DPS Society Basketball Tournament

The Delhi Public School Vadodara had organized DPS Society Basketball Tournament Girls (open) -2023 on 13th to 15th October 2023. DPS Harni girls team had participated in the competition.

Participation details:			
S.N.	Name of the Student	Age	Date of Birth
1.	AANCHAL GURU PRASANNA SINGH	15	23-05-2009
2.	NEHAL DADHICH	18	04-11-2005
3.	PRUMA PRUTHVISHI SHAH	17	23-02-2006
4.	SRINIKA GOVINDARAJ	14	17-11-2010
5.	VRISHTI RITESH PARIKH	14	29-09-2010
6.	ADEEBA SAYEED SIDDIQUI	13	07-09-2011
7.	PRIYANI BHAVESH LOHANA	15	29-06-2009
8.	DISHNA NIMESH BHATT	13	30-04-2011
9.	KEYA NIRAV SHETH	13	29-07-2011
10.	RIYA PUNJABI	15	19-10-2009
11.	MUBASHSHIRAH GULAM KADIR SHAIKH	14	28-12-2010
12.	SHAKSHI NIDHI	14	14-12-2010



THE PINNACLE 2023

Our young enthusiastic students took part in 'The Pinnacle 2023' organized by Cygnus World School on 28th October 2023.

Delhi Public School, Harni kids showcased their outstanding skills and brought wealth of medals and Certificates. We are delighted to announce the champions in various categories:

- Ahana Dave , Class V - 3rd Position (Book review)
- Swara & Pavani, Class VIII- 2nd position (Panorama of Thoughts)
- Ashmita Prabhat, Class I -Appreciation certificate (Kavyanjali event)
- Jaineel Joshi,Class VI- Appreciation certificate (Scientist impersonation)
- PusplataJadon - 2nd Position (Co-creative with veggies)



Arya Mukesh Patil has successfully participated in **Blockly Advance ICode Global Finals** organized by **Global Hackathon 2023** and secured 4 rank out of 780 students.

Anand Vidya Vihar MUN Competition



Six students participated in Anand Vidya Vihar MUN Competition held on 4 and 5 octobe2023. They participated in different completions.

Vani Singh of XI D won as Best Jury Recommendation award.

Anoushka Rath of IX E won as Best Speaker award.

BML MUNJAL TINKERPRENEUR TOWARDS TOMORROW- COMPETITION

BCM School in Ludhiana organized a prestigious National-level competition on October 21, 2023, called "BML Munjal TINKERPRENEUR Towards Tomorrow." This event featured participation from 33 schools across the nation.

Notably, students from our school,

Shreya Kumari from class 11C and Nikhil Godhwani from class 12C, achieved an impressive third position in the "Conventional to Contemporary" event.

In this competition, they presented an innovative business idea related to the evolution of business culture, focusing on the concept of a co-working space. Their achievement is a testament to their creativity and entrepreneurial spirit.



CBSE CLUSTER XIII ATHLETICS COMPETITION

DPSH students have participated in CBSE CLUSTER XIII ATHLETICS Competition held at LAXMI INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, SARIGAM, VALSAD, GUJARAT.

There were more than 4400 participants in the competition and the following are the glorified winners of DPSH.

Aniket Singh, Amritpal Singh, Harman Mulchandani and Moksh Nirvan Participated in 4*400m Relay Race and secured Third position.



Amritpal Singh is selected for SGFI Nationals in Cricket Competition.

Mohd Ajmad secured 1st Rank in Shot-put Throw competition by throwing 9.88m and 2nd Rank in Discus Throw competition by throwing 25.95m in CBSE CLUSTER XIII ATHLETICS . He got selected in CBSE National Level Shot-put Throw Competition.



Mohd Ajmal also secured 2nd position in Shot-put Throw and selected for SGFI National Competition.

Delhi Public School Harni's girls successfully participated and won the Kabbadi championship in CBSE Cluster-XII-2023 held on 18 to 20 October at Surat.

Now entire team will represent Gujarat in the National Level at Punjab.

Dhanshree Patil from class XII got best raider of the tournament award.



Four students participated in West Zone Swimming Competition, Bhopal Mp U 11 held near AIIMS Saket Nagar, Bhopal.

RANYA KULKARNI - A TEENISTANI WRITER'S DEBUT NOVEL

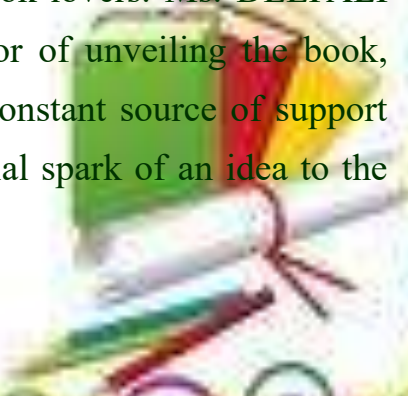
Listless, golden eyes stared blankly at the snow falling. Weak and cold, the golden-eyed boy had no place to go. but he did what he did best, and pushed these thoughts away deep into his mind.

His surroundings blurred all around him, as he got pulled back into his day-dreams. He saw the snow turn into flakes of ash, and watched how the white flowers blossomed from the unremarkable wall in front of him. The air turned misty, and the sky turned grey. The pavement on which the golden eyed boy was resting turned into a cinder-stained street, lined with empty cathedrals. If you look up, you won't see the calming blue sky. Instead, the sky would be a dark, cloudless grey, leaving you to wonder just how this City was cursed with rains of ash.

Which empire had forged this City? Which demon had destroyed this City? The answers to those questions lay in the broken mind of the golden-eyed boy.

If you think you were diving into the pages of a Rick Riordan novel, pause and think again. This is an excerpt from "THE CITY OF ASH," a creation of our very own RANYA KULKARNI, a talented student from Class XI-HUMANITIES.

The book embarked on its literary journey with a grand launch on October 27th at CROSSWORD, Vadodara. The event brought together a diverse audience, including family, friends, schoolmates and book-lovers. Ms. DEEPALI SEKHON, Principal of DPS HARNI, had the honor of unveiling the book, joined by proud family members who had been a constant source of support throughout the entire creative journey, from the initial spark of an idea to the final draft.



The launch event also featured a captivating reading by the author herself, followed by an interactive question and answer session. The program culminated with the audience eagerly purchasing copies of the book, which Ranya Kulkarni graciously signed, filled with pride.

The protagonist of "THE CITY OF ASH," EMRYS, was born during the unique days of the COVID pandemic, when school went virtual, homework was scarce, and there was plenty of free time. From this blank canvas, EMRYS evolved, with his own set of virtues and flaws, likes and dislikes, reservations and certainties, fears and strengths. He found a home in a city, on a plot of land, and a family to belong to, marking the beginning of his extraordinary journey.

Ranya's inspiration for her creation stemmed from the mythological stories her grandmother shared during her formative years. As an avid reader, she also drew from various authors she admired. Her journey from conceptualization to compilation, and eventually to publishing and launching the book, spanned two and a half years of patience and unwavering dedication.

The DPS HARNI community wishes Ranya the best of luck and eagerly anticipates the arrival of more of her literary works in the years to come.



PRE-PRIMARY ACTIVITIES AND CELEBRATION

PINK DAY CELEBRATION



BROWN DAY CELEBRATION



GANDHI JAYANTI





NAVRATRI CELEBRATION



WALL OF LEARNING



BOOK FAIR—Scholastic India

Delhi Public School Harni in collaboration with Scholastic India Inc. organized a book fair for Classes Nursery to II. Parents and students enjoyed surfing variety of books.

Book fair was to enhance more reading and get acknowledged with various kinds of books like phonetics, writing, reading and fun activity books. At this early stage it is very important to get acquired with books.

The colorful ambience of the book fair attracted the students a lot to get involved with books.



Teachers

We should always respect our teachers,
Because they give us knowledge and fill us with many features.

We study many things from them and learn many things
more,

That's why in exams we get high scores.

Because of them we can crack big exams like NEET, IIT and
so on,

So that when we grow up, we could relax in beautiful lawns.

They adore us but sometimes get harsh,
All because they want to see us shining like stars.

We should always make our teachers feel proud,
As they nurture us and make us capable to stand out in the
crowd.

DEDICATED TO ALL THE TEACHERS OF D.P.S HARNI

Rachit Jha

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