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Senior School

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At a Glance



68th Republic Day Celebration



Graduation Ceremony 2017



Farewell 2017



Anugoonj 2016

Details of the events and more pictures inside.

Shishyans clear Stage 1 of NTSE Exam

Shishyans Bhavya Sikarwar, Abhimanyu Sethia, Vinamra Chhabra and Aryan Gupta cleared NTSE Stage I for the session 2016-17.



Scholarship for Higher Studies



Pragma Bhagat of Class XII has received the Financial Aids Awards Scholarship worth \$ 65495 to study Economics from Vander Bilt University, Nashville.

Shishyans excel in Commerce Olympiad

Shishyans bagged eight of the top twenty positions at the Commerce Olympiad 2017.



Sudhanshu Jain - First Position



Priyanka Rajput - Second Position



Naman Biyani - Fourth Position

Other position holders: Manthan Ostwal, Mihir Zaveri, Nandini Zalani, Parth Dhakad and Vinayak Bansal.

Out in the Wild

Students of Classes VI and VII enjoyed a fun filled overnight stay at Safari Activity Park. Tent pitching, rock climbing, flying fox, Tarzan jump were some of the activities they were involved in. The mud run and the rain dance were the icing on the cake!



Students of Classes VIII, IX and X went to adventure camps in Dharamshala, Junga and Kambre. Rafting, rock climbing, rope exercises and trekking tested their endurance and taught them survival skills. Pitching their own tents and cooking their own meals during the night-out was a novel experience.

Shishyans Go Organic

Shishyans plunged headlong into the Science British Council Project titled 'Go Organic - It's the New Way to Go!'



The students researched the organic farming techniques in UK, USA, New Zealand and India and also tried



their hand at organic farming in school. Group discussions, guest lecture, site visits, poster making, etc. were part of the project.

Visiting 'Jaivik Setu' for first-hand knowledge of organic farming and the products grown by them organically.



The students grew seven different varieties of vegetables organically in the school garden.



Poster-making

Junior Bal Vigyan

Shishyans enthusiastically participated in the competition and presented the project- Decentralization of Waste Management- the Need of the Hour. The project was adjudged as one of the Best Three Projects.



The presenters were Hiya Aidasani – VIII B, Kritika Gupta – VIII B, Saumya Pandey – VIII D, Deepanshu Binniwale – VIII G. The students who worked behind the scene and contributed in making the project successful were Shrey Modi – VIII F, Amey Choudhary – VIII A, Yashika Dawar VIII C, Tamanna Nain – VIII C, Asmi Manudhane – VIII F and Reetika Gupta – VIII B.

CBSE Regional Science Exhibition

Shishyans came out with flying colours in the CBSE Regional Science Exhibition. The



Juhee Goyal - XI E
Riddhi Singhania – IX D

theme was 'Science, Technology and Mathematics for Nation Building'. Both the Chemistry and

Physics projects were highly appreciated by the judges as well as the audience and were selected for presentation at the national level.



Abhimanyu Sethia – X B
Kartik Devpura- X C

Math on the Sports Field!

The mathematics department integrated its British Council project with sports on the topic 'The Incredible Ball: The Pivot of the Game'.

Students of Classes IX and X researched on the national games of England, France, India, China and Lithuania; the evolution of the balls used in different games and the reasons for the usage and association of a specific ball to a particular game. The project gave an insight into the various scientific and mathematical concepts used while designing a ball for a particular game.



Students of Classes IX and X played interclass matches with balls that were

not tailored for that particular game. For example cricket was played with a hockey ball and football with a basketball and so on! The students experienced the absolute lack of thrill and fun of the game when it is not played with the ball actually designed for it. Students then learnt about the scientific principles behind the making of the ball. A quiz was conducted to assess their learning. Students love sports, but never had they given so much thought as to how the ball with which they play is made and why it is the way it is!



*What's happening?
I used to be good at this!*



Project on Indian Architecture

The British Council Social Science Project 'Indian Architecture - An Amalgamation of Various styles' aimed at introducing students of Class VIII to the various styles of architecture in India and the foreign influences on them.



Shishyans meticulously researched on the various styles of architecture in India:

Persian, French, Portuguese and British. The project involved not only research but also making of calendars, quizzes, site visits, community service and a guest lecture by an eminent historian, Mr. Rajendra Singh. The creative work of the students was displayed



in "Jharokha", the exhibition. The collaboration with schools in Pakistan gave the project an international dimension.

All students worked on every aspect of this



project with great zeal and enthusiasm and surely developed an appreciation and sensitivity towards the architectural heritage not only of India but of other countries as well. Monuments will now have a new meaning for all students who have been involved in this very interesting study.



Work presentation by School
Educator's Nest, Pakistan

Sports Update

Table—Tennis

Janvi Nadkar of Class VI A, won the under 15 girls category tournament at the Inter school competition

organized by Shri Guru Harikishan Public School. She was also awarded with a cash prize for her performance at this tournament.



Basketball

Prachiti Suri of Class VIII A and Manvi Agarwal of Class VIII D, represented the Indore Division Girls Basketball team, which became the champions at Shri Atalbihari Bajpai Sports festival, organized by MP Govt. at Ujjain.



Inter-House Matches

Cricket

Level I:

Dhyanchand House—First Position

Kalam House—Second Position

Kurien House— Third Position



Level II:

Narayanmurthy House—First Position

Kalam House—Second Position

Kurien House— Third Position



Football

Level I:

Kurien House—First Position

Narayanmurthy House—Second Position

Kalam House—Third Position



Republic Day

The 68th Republic Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm in a short yet impressive function.



The tricolor was hoisted by Mr. Indrapal Yadav, a humble and hardworking worker of the school.



Administering of the pledge by the Students Council.



Inspiring speech by Jai Joshi, Class X F



Original composition of the National Anthem comprising of five-stanzas sung by the choir and explained to the audience.



Rajasthani Patriotic Song



Dance Performance



Republic Day



Harshi Agrawal received the
Bronze Award for IAYP



The Compere



House with Highest Attendance
Kalam House



House with Best Performance
Kalam House



Meritorious students who scored 10 CGPA in Class X in 2015-16



Participants of Bal Vigyan

Anugoonj 2016

The cultural extravaganza of the senior school – Anugoonj 2016 showcased over 700 students of the senior school participating in a variety of programmes to present before the parents an evening of dance, drama and music.



The orchestra performance celebrated the bond between the human soul and music. From Rag Kirvani to the Pirates of Caribbean theme captivated the mysticism of nature.



In a jugalbandi of Bharatnatayam and Kathak called Tal-taringini, God's blessings were evoked by offering an unflinching devotion towards the Almighty.



Anugoonj 2016



That one should believe in oneself to unleash the potential within and accomplish what one intends to, was the theme of the junior English play: 'I Am Possible'.



In the great amphitheatre of the world we stand as the symbol of natural beauty, unparalleled secularism and absolute and undifferentiated consciousness. This flavour of India was brought out in Samvet Gaan Tu Zaria hai, Mai Zaria Hoon.



The effulgent flames of 'Gadar ki Chingaariyan' ignited the spirit of patriotism by bringing forth the latent and unheard-of strong feminine protests against oppression.



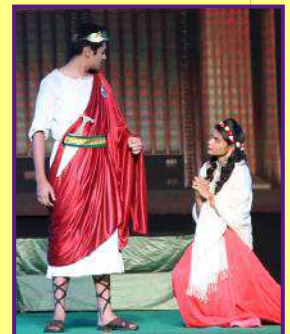
Anugoonj 2016



The Western Dance infused with elements of jazz and hip hop, conveyed how employees of the corporate world mortgage their souls to cut throat competition and long for liberation from the same.



The English Play, 'The Eternal Shakespeare', showcased the timeless relevance of the Bard by drawing a parallel between power-politics in the past and the present.



Anugoonj 2016



The folk dance was truly the divine dance of bliss with Mahua falling all about and around.



'Marz' - a Hindi satire, brought out a subtle humour in seriously conducted and taken formalities in the Indian socio-cultural background.



The Anchors

Anugoonj 2016



The country-style western dance was a classical fusion of the Spanish fiery Flamenco and USA's soulful ballet.



Shishyans celebrated the resurrection of Qawwali and through it highlighted the way with which learning takes place in the campus.



Graduation Ceremony

Graduation Ceremony 2017 was a solemn and elegant ceremony graced by Hon. Minister of State for Tourism and Culture, Mr. Surendra Patwa and eminent cardiologist, Dr. Idris Ahmed Khan.



Farewell

A fond farewell was given to Class XII by students of Class XI in a fun-filled evening.



Educators' Night-Stay

The educators had a rejuvenating night-stay in the school campus. This not only refreshed them individually but also instilled greater camaraderie among them. The get-together enabled them to welcome the new academic session with renewed vigour and enthusiasm.

