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From the Headmistress Desk

Dear Readers

At Bal Bharati, our endeavor is to not only impart knowledge to our children, but to be a big part of their all-round development. All-round development refers to development in social, emotional and cognitive aspects. We believe that your child's school in addition to his/her home has a vital role in inculcating values and tradition. Our goal is to help create a well-informed and responsible next generation. We want our children to be part of a that not only respects but also celebrates diversity of thought and culture.

Our Annual Exhibition this year for example promoted internationalism. Extra-curricular activities such as Table-tennis, Chess, Yoga, Skating, Football tournament and Swimming are just some of the activities that allow our children to express themselves as well as be a part of something bigger. In the recent past, we have introduced new initiatives such as 'Shin Program', a holistic programme which engages students in Mathematics hand-on Activities through innovative group learning methodology; 'Spectrum Growth', a comprehensive programme to enhance the English conversation skills of the students; 'Plastic-free and Green Campus Campaign'; 'Thought for the day' & 'Grandparents Meeting' to name a few. Taking part in these initiatives not only helps children think out of the box but also instill qualities like respecting others and the environment. We hold donation drives with Goonj and Toy bank and organise visits to orphanages and old age homes. It is important that as their educators, we stress equally on developing them as responsible citizens of the country & the world and as always, we appreciate your contributions and help in making our efforts successful.



Sunita Gehani
Headmistress

Winter Carnival

The School organised the Annual Winter Carnival themed 'Water World' on 15.12.19. On the occasion, the 'Interact Club' of our School donated money, along with stationery items. Toys were donated to the NGO, 'The Toy Bank'. Students of Montessori and Primary Department dressed up as mermaids and fish, presented a Musical Parade. Mr. L. R. Channa, President, CES and School Chairman; dignitaries from CES along with the school Principal Mr. L. V. Sehgal released the Souvenir 2019. The occasion was also graced by esteemed members of the Managing Committee and Principals of different units of BBPS.



NPSC Annual Essay Writing Competition

Ms Rita Sharma and Ms Rachna Chaudhary were felicitated at the Award Ceremony of the 47th Annual Conference of NPSC held on 11.02.20 for their essays, ranked 'Third' and 'Fifth' respectively in the 'NPSC Annual Essay Writing Competition', 2019-20.

The best 30 entries which also include the essays contributed by Ms Pushpinder Kaur, Ms Bhawna Kapoor and Ms Sanya Dang will be published in the NPSC Annual Book of Essay - 'Leading the Change Within'.



Bonding with the Nature

In a ceremony held on 26.12.19, the PTA donated some plants to the office bearers and prefects. The occasion was graced by Headmistresses, Ms. Sunita Gehani and Ms. Neelam Ahuja; PTA members, Ms. Shashi Ahuja, Ms. Nidhi Marwah, Ms. Sucheta Bajaj and Ms. Ruchi Gupta along with other staff members & club masters. The vibrant animal-shaped planters donated by the PTA signified how the animal kingdom makes the earth bright and colourful. The office bearers along with all present in the ceremony pledged to take care of the plants and nurture them. The pledge was followed by a live demonstration on making compost at home by Angad Singh (III F) and Samaira Nagpal (III A) which displayed simple steps of making compost at home using materials like vegetable peels, wastepaper, dry leaves etc.



Festin - O - Beat

This year the theme for the Annual Music and Dance Programme – ‘Festin – O - Beat’ was – ‘Nationalism’. The programme commenced with lighting of the ceremonial lamp by the Headmistress Ms. Sunita Gehani followed by ‘सरस्वती वदना’ by the school choir. The choir also presented a melodious song – ‘गुण-गान भारत का’, which captured the essence of the diversity of our country. The musical treat was followed by a street play which highlighted the menace of plastic pollution in our lives and was aimed at sensitizing the students. The Grand Finale was an enthralling dance performance by a group of talented dancers. The presentation was an amalgamation of dances from Punjab, Rajasthan and Garhwal. The programme concluded with an address by the Headmistress who applauded the effort of all the students and teachers for putting up a spectacular show.



Children's Day Celebration

To mark the Children's Day Celebration in school, an Art Competition was organised for the students on 16.11.19 along with a host of activities which included ‘Cooking Without Fire’ and ‘Craft Activities’. The most loved part of the day was the visit of the PTA members who distributed sweets to the children. The overwhelmed children carried back home fun-filled moments to cherish forever.



Grandparent-Teacher Meeting

In an endeavour to celebrate the contribution of grandparents in the upbringing of our students, they were invited for the Result Declaration of Term III scheduled on 27.12.19. The overwhelmed grandparents attended the PTM and interacted with the teachers. They were presented a beautiful Thank-you card made by their grandchildren reflecting their gratitude and immense love.



Plastic-free and Green Campus Campaign

Glimpse of the Journey

- The students were sensitised through classroom interactions, teacher-talk, videos and PPTs.
- Their bag was made plastic free.
- A workshop on waste management and composting was organised for the staff members including support staff.
- Plantation Drives were organised.
- Green and Blue bins were provided in the classrooms to facilitate proper segregation and disposal of waste.
- Street Play at Nehru Park, New Rajinder Nagar in collaboration with the NGO 'Gali Paathshala' was organised.
- Inter-class competition was organised for the students of Classes I, II and III and classes actively participating in the campaign were declared winners.
- The PTA donated some plants to the office bearers and prefects who have pledged to take care of the plants and nurture them.

Plantation Drive



Nukkad Naatak in the neighbourhood



Pledge taking ceremony to protect and nurture plants



Waste Segregation- Dry and Wet



We, at B.B.P.S., are learning eco-friendly environmental skills at our school, itself."

Future Ready

- WATER BOTTLE (stainless steel)
- BAG (cloth)
- TIFFIN BOX (steel)
- PENCIL POUCH (cloth)

Bal Bharati PUBLIC SCHOOL
Green over plastic

Mock Drill

To educate and train the students for an unforeseen emergency, the school conducted a mock exercise and evacuation drill on 16.10.19. After the mock drill all the students assembled in the school playground where they were introduced to some of the practices and behaviours that are expected of them in case of emergency situations and during practice of such mock drills.



Goonj Initiative

The school organised donation drives in month of November and December, 2019 and engaged the students in community service initiatives – ‘Vastradaan’ and ‘Donate your Woollens Campaign’, in collaboration with the NGO - Goonj. The NGO, channelizes vital resources lying in excess in urban households to rural India. It endeavours to provide clothes and other amenities to the far-flung villages by collecting, processing and then distributing it. The students generously donated usable clothes, woollens, blankets, shoes etc. to help the underprivileged and the needy.



Spectrum Growth

To culminate the language skill programme - Spectrum Growth, an Interactive Session with the parents was organised on 11.10.19. The mentor, Ms. Ira Sehgal interacted with parents and briefed them about the different activities in which the students were engaged during the programme. She highlighted the importance of experiential learning for enhancing the communication skills of the children. Individual progress of the participants was also discussed by her and various measures for language upskilling were suggested.

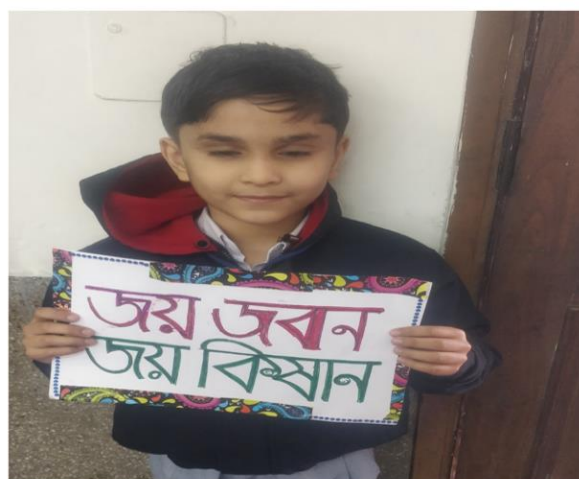


Bal Sabha Activities

Date	Class	Activity
7.11.19	I,II and III	विरासत-बाल भारती का स्वर्णिम इतिहास
5.12.19	III	Show and Tell
26.12.19/6.02.20	I/II,III	Total Recall
26.12.19/16.01.20/6.02.20	III,II,I	Quizzania
13.02.20	I,II and III	Annual Art Competition
27.02.20	III	Technophillia

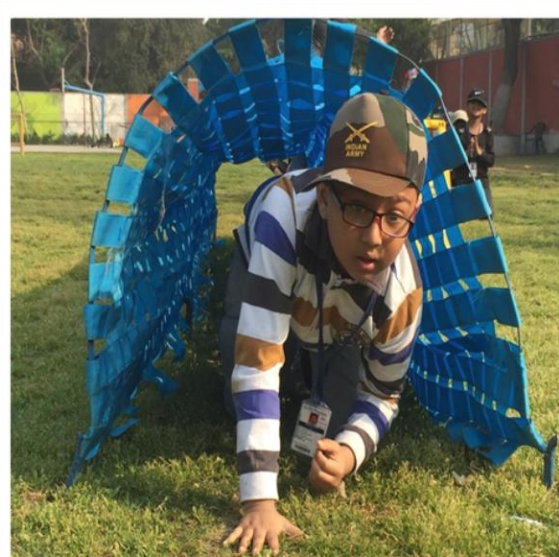


A Peep into the Club Activities



Sports Mania

Various competitions and activities were organised for the students to develop and enhance skills like strength, speed, endurance, agility, control, balance and flexibility in them.



Excursions at a Glance

Date	Class	Venue
25.09.19	I	Traffic Training Park
31.10.19	I	National Bal Bhawan
27.11.19	I	Fire Station
3.12.19	III	Humayun's Tomb
7.02.20	I	Aapno Ghar
14.02.20	III	Kidzania
19.02.20	II	Mughal Gardens
28.02.20	II	KidZania



Workshops for Students

The students of Class III were sensitised about good and bad touch through a special Workshop held on 20.02.20 and 5.03.20 for girls and boys, respectively. A workshop on Social skills and Civic Awareness was organised in the school for the students of Class III in collaboration with 'HINDU, NIE' on 27.11.19. A group of Class III students participated in a special workshop – 'Ways to say, Thank You' and reading session on 'Tankful of Thankful', organised by 'TIMES, NIE' at India Habitat Centre on 30.11.19.



New Initiative – 'Thought for the Day'

A new initiative – 'Thought for the Day', was introduced in the month of October, 2019 to impart moral values to the children and enhance their public speaking skills. This initiative wherein they are given a motivational thought to ponder and speak about in the class has provided them a platform to hone their speaking skills without the pressure of being judged or assessed. It has boosted their confidence and has also resulted in improved academic performance.



Inter School Achievers

Technovanza

Inter-school Competition – Technovanza was organised by our school on 22.11.19. The competition offered a wonderful opportunity to the students to showcase their knowledge in computers and unleash their creativity. Angad Singh (III F) won the First prize in 'TechPoster' category and made the school proud.

Yoga

Name of the event	Date	Name of the participants	Category	Result
Central Delhi District Yogasana Competition held at BBPS GR Marg, Delhi.	29.11.19	Himanshu(I F) Mohd. Barik(II E) Srestha Pore(III B) Naksh(III D) Manya Khandelwal(III G)	U-14	11 Position (Merit Certificate) Participated Participated Participated Participated

Inter School Competitions

Event	Date	Participants	Category	Result
Basketball				
Interschool Basketball League held at R.S. Junior Modern School, Humanyun Road, Delhi.	19.10.19	Aakansha Rai (III F) Toshit Betala (III F) Harsheen Kaur Pruthi (III G)	U-8 Shooting U-8 Dribbling U-8 Dribbling	First First Second
		Aarush Sai Gupta (III G) Aryan Gupta (III C) Agrima Singh (III C) Hirdyansh (III G) Kirti Bali(III F)	U-8 Shooting U-8 Shooting U-8 Shooting U-8 Dribbling U-8 Dribbling	Participated Participated Participated Participated Participated
Taekwondo				
Event	Date	Participants	Category	Result
11 th International Tangsoodo Championship 2019 held at Talkatora Indoor Stadium, Delhi.	18.12.19	Ddhravin Pujara (III G) Ddhairyan Pujara (III G) Bhriti Sehgal(III H)	U-10	Bronze Bronze Silver
2 nd Bharat Samrat Sports Jeet Kune-Do Championship held at Talkatora Indoor Stadium, Delhi.	22.12.19	Shivansh Bhasin (III B)	Sub Junior Boys	Gold

Art Competitions			
Competition	Hosted by	Name of the Participants	Result/Prize
On the Spot Painting Competition 2019 (19.11.19)	St Mark's Sr Sec School, Janak Puri	Neel Hait (I G) Nidhaan Choudhary (III C) Triaksh Chhabra (II A) Akkruti Paul (I C) Advay Gupta (II F) Tavish Gupta (III A)	Consolation Consolation III Participated Participated Participated
Mitsubshi Asian Children's Eriki Festa 2019-20 February, 2020	Confederation of UNESCO Clubs and Associations of India	Nidhaan Chaudhary (III C)	Awarded at Preliminary level
Painting Competition (29.01.20)	Spring Dales ,Pusa Road	Neel Hait (I G) Triaksh Chhabra (II A)	Third Participated
Rangoli Making Competition (20.10.19)	Bharat Vikas Parisadh , Rock Garden Park, West Patel Nagar	Shubh Saini (III G)	Consolation

Camel Art Competition (23.09.19)

Group- B

Best 11 Entries at School Level

Advay Gupta (II F), Triaksh Chhabra (II A), Jianna Nagpal (II B), Ishya Jain (II F), Mehak Malhotra (I I), Ananya Bajaj (II C), Vrinda Sethi (II G) , Rohit Loomba (I E) , Ditya Bokadia (I D) , Rudransh Sachin Suroshe (II G) and Krishiv Goyal (I C)

Group- C

Best 12 Entries at School Level

Tavish Gupta (III A), Nidhaan Chaudhary (III C), Ayaansh Gupta (III F), Angad Singh (III F), Divyanshu Khairwal (III A), Banee K.Singh (III A), Mannat Maheshwari (III E), Anaya Chachra (III D), Dhriti Gupta (III E), Geetika Parakh (III D), Deeva Kaim (III F) and Radhev (III D)

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