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# MESSAGE FROM EDITOR'S DESK

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"Nothing is more rewarding than the opportunity to shape the minds and lives of young children."

Education is not only about academic qualifications or what happens within the four walls of the classroom but also about personal qualities like leadership, teamwork, and self-confidence. In Swarnprastha we exactly work on these skills to inculcate the virtue of leadership, responsibility, and benevolence in the hearts of our young aspirants.

Swarnprastha Public School set out on its annual voyage with an Orientation Programme followed by Shala Pravesh in the month of April. A platform was provided for various activities to sculpt the personality of our students through multiple activities like pool party, best out of waste, and Earth Day celebrations. The school, in its continuous endeavour to bring the best and the latest in the field of education for its students, organized a Summer Camp. Students of classes V-XII went for the Leadership Camp at Nainital to have first-hand experience of leading from the front and spend a few days in the laps of nature in the beautiful hills and valleys of Nainital.

Through this edition of the Newsletter, we have tried to create a world of emotions and memories for our students and parents. We are sure that Swarnprastha will continue to grow in the coming months. I express my gratitude to all the members of the School Management Committee, Director (Acad.) and HoS, Headmistress and to everyone concerned with the publication of this literary work.

We wish our lovely students a healthy, safe and happy life.

God Bless!!!

**Shavi Mahajan**

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Swarnprastha Public School organized a **Parent Orientation Programme** on **April 01 and 02, 2022** to form a stepping stone in cementing the teacher-parent partnership, enabling them to work together for the students in unison. The goal behind the orientation was to ensure a positive atmosphere for learning as well as building up a healthy relationship between the parents, teachers and students. An overview of the long journey of 17 years of Swarnprastha Public School was showcased to the audience through an eye-catching PPT by the faculty members. The Cultural Programme, for which the students toiled hard day and night, was highly applauded by the parents. In this event, students presented their multi-talents in the form of dance and songs.

Welcoming the parents, students and the school management to the new academic session, the Director Academics and Head of school, spoke at length about the benefits of effective communication between parents and teachers.

The Orientation Programme proved to be a sincere effort made by the school in educating the parents to look after and guide their children in a proper manner. Overall, the orientation programme served as an important interface for the students, their parents and the school authorities to connect and plan for the upcoming academic session at Swarnprastha Public School.



# PARENT ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

“A parent is a teacher at home and a teacher is a parent in school and the child is the centre of our universe.”



# SHALA PRAVESH



School is a place where children attain knowledge and when a child enters a new class for the first time is a very important occasion and it has to be done at some auspicious moment. Continuing the tradition of years, **Shala Pravesh** for the session 2022-23 was held at sacrosanct premises of Swarnprastha Public School on **April 06, 2022**. The ceremony started with the auspicious aroma of Hawan in the presence of Director Academics and Head of School Dr. Ajay Sharma Shastri. New entrants of SPS family participated devotedly in Hawan Ceremony to seek blessings of the Almighty. The ceremony was performed religiously with divine fervor and spirituality. The students and the staff offered sincere prayers for good health, wisdom, courage and success. It was indeed a wonderful start to the session 2022-23.





# THE THIRD DST SUPRABHAT WORKSHOP ON AERODYNAMICS



“An Airplane always takes off against the wind, not with it.”

To promote scientific and logical aptitude in children so as to make them self-reliant and confident decision-makers in the future, the third workshop of the series was organized by **Suprabhat Ek Naya Savera Society**, Delhi under the supervision of Captain Harish, from the Ministry of Defence on AERO MODELLING, in Swarnprastha Public School on May 25, 2022. The project was catalyzed and supported by NCSTC, Department of Science and Technology, Govt of India.

Fifty students from classes VIII and IX participated in the workshop wherein interesting team-building activities on drone making and discussion of its aerodynamics were undertaken by Captain Harish.

He enlightened the students on the history, evolution, types, and materials used for the construction of various aerodynamic models which the world has witnessed so far. The students thoroughly enjoyed the paper-based drone-making activity carried out in the workshop.

Swarnprastha Public School organised a Leadership cum Adventure Camp at Nainital. The excursion was divided into two groups – the first group comprised students of classes X and XII and the second group comprised students of classes V to IX. The first group of 101 students and ten teachers with instructors had fun from 29 May to 02 June in the forested hills of Bajoon (Nainital). The second group comprising 131 students and twelve teachers with instructors left on 03 June and returned on 07 June.

The best part of the excursion was that it had the amalgamation of adventure, education, religious fervour and a feeling of preserving nature and above all delicious and nutritious food with a variety. Five - day stay away from the parents and family members taught them how to live an independent life. They learned about team work.

The students stayed in the tents in the camp and participated in various activities including Zipline, Foxline and free fall, night trekking, commando training, bonfire, cultural programmes, bird watching etc. The students were woken up at 5.00am and their activities started at 6.00am followed by breakfast and other activities. The students were appreciated and given prizes for their performance.

In their visit to Nainital the students enjoyed boating in Naini Lake, visited Nainadevi Temple, Gurudwara on lakeside, Neeb Karori Baba Ashram at Kainchi Dham and did shopping at The Mall. The last night stay was at a Jim Corbett Resort where the students enjoyed the DJ Night and, in the morning, cooled themselves in the swimming pool. The journey in the AC luxury buses made the travelling comfortable. It was an excursion to cherish forever.



# LEADERSHIP CUM ADVENTURE CAMP AT NAINITAL

# SUMMER CAMP & CULMINATION CEREMONY

“Culmination - is a celebration - of everything learnt, gained and attained!”



Summer camp is an essential part of school life that should not be ignored among the hustle and bustle of academic life. These activities help children identify their passion and the skills they are good at. Keeping this in mind, Swarnprastha School organized a summer camp in the school campus which started on **1st June 2022** and concluded on **10th June 2022** for classes **Nursery to VI**. During the camp, students were given a huge bunch of activities to choose from, which included **Dance Junction, Table manners, Quilling Art, and Flameless Cooking**. It helped children in the development of fine motor skills, gross motor skills, hand-eye coordination, self-confidence, communication, concentration, presence of mind, logical thinking, social behaviour, and carrying out daily tasks with vigour and alertness. These hobby classes re-energized their inner selves, brought bliss and provided opportunities to explore their interests and abilities.

This summer camp was concluded with a beautiful **Culmination Ceremony** on Friday i.e. **10th June 2022**. All the staff members joined the Culmination Ceremony enthusiastically awaiting to see the performance of the kids, wherein the children shared their wonderful experiences and showcased their astonishing talent and many more things which mesmerized the audience. Everyone enjoyed the Summer Camp presentations presented by the concerned teacher in charge.

On the basis of regularity and punctuality, certificates of participation were given to a number of children which was a great moment for them.



# HOOKED ON LEARNING

## WORKSHOP-‘LEADERSHIP AND TEAM BUILDING PROGRAMME’



Swarnprastha always takes an initiative to keep their educators updated about the changing trends in education across the globe. Under the same umbrella a workshop was conducted on **June 13, 2022** to upgrade the skills of the teachers on the topic **‘Leadership and Team Building Programme’**. **Ms. Bindu Sahdev** was the resource person of the workshop.

The session was highly interactive in which importance of teamwork and workplace ethics were discussed. The session started with an ice-breaker group activity. Around 4 activities were conducted to equip teachers with varieties of ideas in teaching and learning. The objective of this interactive session was to create love and passion for the teaching and workplace. The session concluded with thought provoking and reformative practices for the teachers to take purposeful actions to produce optimistic, independent, compassionate and life-long learners.

# POOL PARTY

## KALEIDOSCOPIIC WORLD OF SWARNPRASTHA

“One can’t have more fun than playing with water on a hot day in a splash pool.”



Water play activities in young children strengthens the motor skills and builds balance. Keeping this in mind, a **Pool Party** was organized for our tiny tots of classes **Nursery – I** on **April 26 and April 27, 2022**.

Kids enjoyed the party in their colourful swim suits and umbrellas with lot of excitement. They filled the pool with their giggles and laughter. Melodious music rocked the party with happiness all around.





Stories play an important role in our lives. People share their experiences, feelings and values through stories. We all remember the tales and stories told to us by our grandparents in childhood. Moreover, children have an innate love for stories. Keeping this in mind, 'Story Enactment' was organised on **11 May, 2022**, for the students of **Nursery to II**. To make this show exemplary, a beautiful jungle scene was created by Art teachers. The Pre-primary teachers enacted the story through their remarkable actions, gestures and dialogues by donning themselves into the characters of famous story, "चिड़ियाँ और बहेलिया". This enactment helped students to enhance their listening skills. They also gained moral value '**Unity is strength**'. Students also learnt that in our difficult times, we should not lose hope and courage. It was an interesting enactment which was enjoyed by the students.

Our esteemed guests Sh. Amit Saxena ji (Vice President), Education Sparsh Group, Sh. Anmol Kedia ji (Management Committee member) acknowledged the event. Dr. Ajay Sharma Shastri (Director Academics and Head of school) and Ms. Megha Kaushik (Headmistress Junior Wing) motivated and appreciated the efforts of all the teachers and shared the insights on stories that they give wings to the students imagination and transport them to places beyond the boundaries of their physical world. It was a remarkable day for little Swarnprasthians.



## STORY ENACTMENT

"The best way to teach students is by enacting a story."



## ROSY RED PARTY

"Colours are indeed the smiles of nature."

**Red Colour Party** for **Nursery** students was conducted on **May 20, 2022**, to introduce children with the mesmerizing realm of colours. Red colour symbolizes enthusiasm, life and vitality. To mark this day very special, students and the teachers dressed up in red attire. The day started with singing Red Day song '**Red Red Apples....**'.

Later the students were engrossed in making the red day craft (umbrella). Students showed their red-coloured objects and eatables eagerly and enthusiastically. Paper crumpling activity was also conducted which was enjoyed by the kids. The Red Colour Party proved to be a wonderful learning activity that helped children to sort and classify objects based on colours. It also added to the development of fine motor skills. Overall, it was a kick to learning.





# HINDI POEM RECITATION

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

Beauty is the realm of poetry. Children enjoy the beauty of expressions, thoughts and feelings of words while doing rhythmical compositions. Recitation helps students to boost up their confidence as well as public speaking skills, as they learn to speak more accurately and persuasively on any topic. It also helps to get rid of stage fear. Taking all these factors into consideration, ‘Hindi Poem Recitation’ was organised for Classes LKG – II on **May 19, 2022** and **May 23, 2022**.

Students touched different areas like nature, family, weather etc. with their impressive poems. Props used by them enhanced their presentation. They were judged on various parameters like memorization, clarity, loudness, expressions, actions and props. All of them participated enthusiastically as they got an opportunity to exhibit their talent and confidence.





## SPECIAL ASSEMBLIES

### AMBEDKAR JAYANTI, MAHAVIR JAYANTI, VAISAKHI, HANUMAN JANMOTSAV, AND EASTER

A special assembly was organised in the school to celebrate - **Ambedkar Jayanti, Mahavir Jayanti, Vaisakhi, Hanuman Janmotsav**, and Easter on **April 16, 2022**. The students from classes **III to X** along with the teachers witnessed an amalgamation of different religious events in the auditorium. The children put up a multi-ethnic cultural show on the stage and the school choir group sang a melodious song.

In the end, Director (Academics) and Head of School gave an enlightening speech highlighting unity in diversity in the Indian culture and urged everyone to love and respect India's glorious cultural heritage. As per the custom of the school, students were offered sweets before leaving. It was a memorable day.

## EARTH DAY

**“We do not inherit the earth from our ancestors; we borrow it from our children.”**

We all celebrate our birthdays, anniversaries or other special days like Mother's Day, Teachers' Day etc. Then why not the Earth Day! Our mother earth provides us with all the necessary requirements to survive. So, it becomes our moral duty to inculcate love for it amongst all children. With this intention, Swarnprastha Public School planned a special assembly on 'Earth Day' on April 22, 2022. A special assembly headed by Lakshay House was held to celebrate the Mother Earth wherein the school choir presented a mellifluous song which was followed by a thought-provoking speech dedicated to our blue planet. Students enthusiastically participated in various activities to commemorate our benevolent Mother Earth. Students also witnessed a power point presentation on the importance of the Earth Day and the students took a pledge to preserve and conserve their self-sustaining planet. The events of the day rekindled emotive concerns and instigated the youngsters to save, love and respect Mother Nature with all their heart and soul.





## INTERNATIONAL LABOUR DAY AND EID

“No Human masterpiece has been created without great labour.”

Festivals promote feelings of social cohesion and harmony. Echoing this sentiment of celebrating festivals, a **special assembly on Eid and Labour Day** was conducted by **Prayaas House** in **Swarnprastha Public School** on **May 02, 2022**. The assembly commenced with the School Prayer, followed by a speech to enlighten the students about the contribution of labourers to our society. The children expressed their gratitude to the helpers by presenting hand-made thanksgiving cards and gifts. The students pinned up handmade badges to the facility staff members as a mark of respect for their services. Students participated exuberantly in various dances and skit to showcase the importance of the labour community to society and nation.

To commemorate the occasion of Eid-ul-Fitr, Advika Sharma of class VII recited a beautiful and soothing poetry to reaffirm faith in God. The beautiful ceremony concluded with the eloquent words of the Director (Academics) and Head of School. He wished “Eid Mubarak” to all to instill secular values in the students. A festive aura was created and the erudite students learned the worth of sharing and giving. It was heartening to see the Swarnprasthians soaring high.





# BUDDH PURNIMA AND INTERNATIONAL FAMILY DAY

“Health is the greatest gift, contentment the greatest wealth, faithfulness the best relationship”

Swarnprastha Public School, conducted special assembly on **May 16, 2022**, to acknowledge the significance of **Buddh Purnima and International Family Day**. The assembly commenced with the Morning Prayer which is believed to provide peace and serenity to our minds and souls followed by narration of news and amazing facts to generate awareness among the children.

Students also made an earnest effort to instill the importance of Buddha Jayanti in everybody's life through effective thematic presentations, dramatization, poem, and speech. They presented a short skit on Buddha Purnima, enrapturing the audience. Each one of them enacted their part with great enthusiasm and enthralled the spectators. A speech and poem were also presented to honour the occasion of International Family Day, to provide importance to families and the issues faced by them, and to increase knowledge of the social, economic, and demographic processes affecting families. Children's performances were applauded by all the teachers. The assembly was undoubtedly a result of immense efforts put together by all the members of Vishwas house.



# MOTHER'S DAY AND RABINDRANATH TAGORE JAYANTI CELEBRATIONS

“God could not be everywhere, therefore he made mothers”

Mother's Day is a celebration to honour the mothers and emphasize the influence of mothers in the society. On **May 9, 2022**, a special assembly was conducted to acknowledge the selfless love of the mothers in the school auditorium. The programme began with reciting of school prayer followed by generating awareness among the children through narration of news.

Students also made an earnest effort to instill the importance of mother in a child's life through mellifluous singing, effective thematic presentations, graceful dance performances, dramatization and speech. Heart-warming feelings filled the air with intimacy, gratitude, appreciation and acknowledgement when the little ones proudly echoed “let's love, respect and care for our mother everyday”. A speech was also presented to honour the auspicious occasion of Rabindranath Tagore Jayanti, the birth anniversary of the poet, scholar, novelist, playwright, and Nobel laureate and to appreciate his highly influential contribution in bringing Indian culture to the West. It was an enjoyable and memorable day for each and every child which left an indubitable mark on the innocent hearts.



# COMPETITIONS



## BEST OUT OF WASTE

In an effort to spread the message of curing the declining health of mother earth 'Earth Day' was celebrated on **April 22, 2022**. An array of creative activities was organized. Students of classes Nursery to II participated and prepared beautiful craft items by using waste material. Whereas an Intra-Class 'Best out of Waste' competition for classes III to VIII was held to invigorate the young minds towards the conservation of wildlife, forests and natural resources. The students turned trash into treasure and learnt the art of reducing, reusing and recycling. Director Academics and Head of School further adorned the competition by awarding the winners with certificates for their splendid performance.





# FOOTBALL

An electrifying **Inter-House Football Match** was held in Swarnprastha campus from **April 28-30, 2022**. The match was full of thrill and elation. This sport attracts a large number of students at Swarnprastha Public School. Swarnprastha's Football team was divided into three groups, under-12 (Sub-junior group), under-14 (junior group), and under-17 (senior group). The event was much awaited by the Swarnprastha family. This event was an attempt to bring them back into their physical routine. All the teams tried their best to win and showed their proficiency and laudable performances. Director Academics and Head of School congratulated the **winning team- Prayaas House and Runners-up team Lakshay House**. He appreciated the efforts made by all the young players and for their great achievement and wished them many more laurels for the forthcoming events.





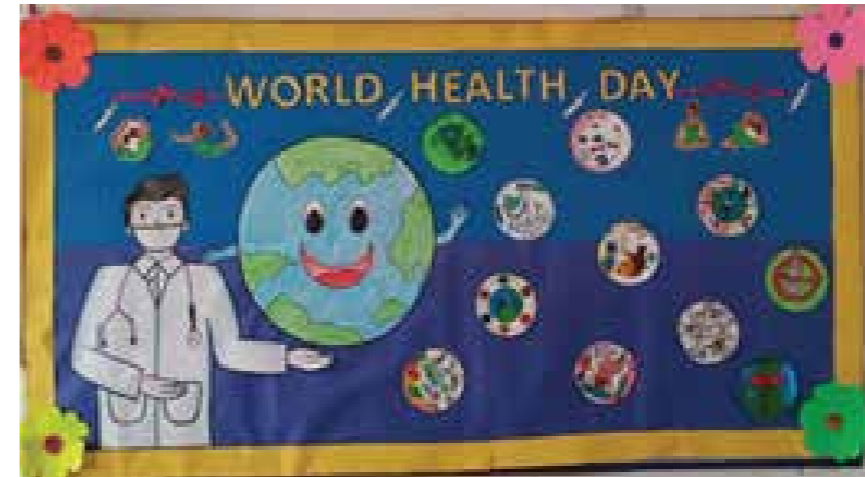
# CRAFT MAKING



**Mother's Day** is a great time to show that mother holds a special place in her child's heart. Those were the most emotional moments in Swarnprastha Public School when students paid tribute to their mothers by creating delightful Craft Items on **May 06, 2022**. Children are the most creative beings that ever existed. They all proved it by creating wonderful masterpieces in the form of crafts. Children were excited while preparing this token of love for their mother. All the participants competed with a talented pool of contestants from all the Houses and they enthusiastically expressed their love for their mother.



# DISPLAY BOARD COMPETITION



**Display Board Competition** was held in Swarnprastha Public School on **May 14, 2022**. It is one such competition where all the students with their class teachers eagerly wait to exhibit their creativity. Different themes were given to both the Junior and the Senior wing 'Welcome back to School' and 'Recreation at par' was the theme for juniors and 'Health Awareness' and 'Gender Equality' was the theme for the senior wing for the competition. The boards adorned with vibrant pictures and vivid borders were prepared by the students. All the classes displayed their teamwork, talent, creativity and aesthetic skills to make their boards. The outcome of the effort was stupendous with artistically presented display boards with not just the pictures, but also a lot of information on the topic. Class V-D and IX-B bagged the First Position, followed by VI-C and VII-C who bagged the Second Position. The Third Position was bagged by IV-A and VIII-A respectively.

# CELEBRATIONS

## FARE-THEE-WEIL

“THERE ARE NO GOODBYES FOR US.  
WHEREVER YOU ARE, YOU WILL ALWAYS  
BE IN OUR HEARTS.”



It was a day of mixed feelings when the students of class XI organized a Citation Ceremony for the students of class XII. It was a beautiful and bright afternoon, the students showed up in lovely attires. Elegantly dressed, the outgoing students entered the school premises on **April 23, 2022** at 2 pm and they were well received by Class XI students with a ceremonious tilak. The young ladies glowed in their beautiful attire and the gentlemen looked handsome in their outfits. The students of class XI organized the show with great enthusiasm and of course, endeavoured to leave a trail of nostalgia behind for the twelfthies. The most beautiful time period of a student's life was coming to an end. And hence they were given an opportunity to enjoy to the maximum to take with them all the memories of their wonderful school. There were games for them, an opportunity for all to express their feelings and it was followed by a captivating dance performance by the students of class twelve along with their juniors. Some of the students spoke their hearts out, some got emotional and they all expressed their gratitude towards their teachers. **Mr. Swarnprastha and Miss Swarnprastha titles were bagged by Yuvraj Kamboj and Diti Ahuja respectively.** At the end, the students had a delicious lunch along with their teachers. Indeed, it proved to be a jubilant day for all the students.



## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

“CHESS IS THE  
GYMNASIUM  
OF THE MIND.”  
-BLAISE PASCAL



Inter-School Chess Tournament is one such competition, to evaluate the acumen of the participant in a game, which is considered to be one of the oldest games in India. District Inter-School Chess Championship 2022-23 was held on 28th & 29th May in Gateway International. Children from different schools of Haryana participated in this competition. We feel proud in announcing that Samarth of class IV-D won a GOLD Medal and Dhairya Sehgal of Class-IV- C won a BRONZE Medal. The Headmistress (JW) Ms. Megha Kaushik and the School Management congratulated the aspiring champions for their stupendous triumph.

“With courage you will dare to take risks, have the strength to be compassionate, and the wisdom to be humble. Courage is the foundation of integrity.”

-Mark Twain

