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Japanese Style Sports Event in Collaboration with Japan Sports Communication



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Our Inspiration - Our Guide Sri Ch.V.K. Narasimha Rao

In our vision 'Nurture Joyful Learning for Holistic Growth", Holistic Growth is a corresponding requirement that every individual partakes to pursue till he reaches the desired destination. Every individual goes through the process of learning and contributes to one's own evolution. In this process we at Sri Prakash inculcate strong character building processes like life skill based activities, value driven exercises, patriotic edifices with a strong sense of association underlining with persuasive aim of holistic growth for all.

In this process we are ever so thankful to all the mavens who were with us in this journey, to start with I extend my earnest thanks to Hon'ble Kojo Sugiyama, Deputy Consul- General of Japan and Mrs. Deepa Gopalan Wadhwa, Former Ambassador of India to



Mrs. Divya Devaguptapu
An internationally acclaimed Bharatnatyam
danseuse and choreographer

Japan to have graced UNDOKAI, the Indo Japanese Sports festival. My humble thanks also to Sri K. Srinivasan, Regional Officer, CBSE, Chennai to have presided over UNDOKAI, I am also highly humbled by the august presence of Sri Lakshmi Narayana, Retd. I.A.S Officer, Director, A.P. State Skill Development Corporation, Mr. Rajesh Pandya, Japan, Mr. Takaaki Yoneji, President, Japan sports communications, Japan and Ms. Yoko Fukushima, National Selector, BCCI Sri M.S.K. Prasad. I sincerely thank Dr. Pawan G. Agrawal, Ph.d., Dabbawala's, Mumbai International motivational speaker Management Guru, who advised the students to have consistency in their work. I thank Sri Srinivas Laxman, space journalist, contributing regularly to the Times of India, shared predominantly his passion for Space Journalism.

I earnestly thank Prof.B.V.Pattabhiram, Counselor & Director, Indian Institute of Clinical Hypnosis & PrasanthiCounselling Clinic, for enlightening students that real power is the knowledge.

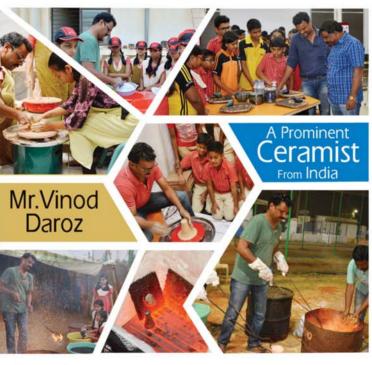
I truly thank **Sri. Vinod Kumar Daroz**, India's popular Ceramist, Member of International Academy of Ceramics, for igniting interest in ceramic art among the students and also thank **Prof. Ravi Shankar Patnaik**, Department of Fine Arts

and Prof. V. Ramesh, Fine Arts, A.U. for their dear presence. I extend my deep 'The thanks to Australian team led by Sri. T. Vijay Vardhan & Mr. Lawry Mahon and Mercerberg Academy, USA, team led by the mentors Mr. Frank Rutherford Director of Institute an ardent lover of Indian Heritage and Culture

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Surgery, Sri G. S. Subrahmanyam, Chief of Bureau, The Hindu and Sri T. S. R. Prasad, Retd. Addl. S.P. Lt. Col. V. S. Srinivas, Admn. NCC Officer HD, GS., Sri Satyanarayana, Director, School of Law, GITAM who graced the occasion. I am truly thankful to Sri Jayanth Sahasrabuddhe, National Organizing Secretary of Vijnanabharati, New Delhi, Sri Vivek Pai from Kochi and Sri Subbaraya Sasrty from Rajahmundry, Prof. Rao Tatavarty,



and career planner, Ms. Rachel' as a part of the Indo-Foreign Educational Exchange Programme. On the occasion of World Dance Day, Manipuri Dance Exponent, recipient of President's Award, Natyashree Sanjib Bhattacharya educated the students with the history and style of the dance form, whom I extend my thanks earnestly. I humbly thank our 67th Republic Day Celebrations guests Sri. Edward Paul, Life Member, INTACH, Prof. Raja Ganapathi Pragada, Gayatri Vidya Parishad, Dr. T. Narayana Rao, Prof. of

Director and Dean of Gayatri Engineering College and Management for enlightening on ancient India and Indian scientists.

The playlet Swachh Bharat made its mark in Nandi Natakotsavam - Winning 3 Nandi Awards that lauded the creativity of the Prakashites with due support of renowned actor and playwright Sri S.K. Misro and directed by Sri Ramana Murthy. I sincerely thank them along with Sri Meegada Ramalinga Swamy for his earnest presence during the celebrations.



I thank Ms. Divya Devaguptapu An internationally acclaimed Bharatnatyam danseuse and choreographer for guiding students in the art of dance. I also thank Shyla Kurna, The Launch Pad & Sri Prabhal Mohanty, CEO, Access Advertisers, for their cordial presence during the School Grand Sabha

We continue to propel such a strong academic foundation with emphasis on holistic development. So let us help the children pursue their choices and aspirations. We hope to go together to make the children ready for the future with the able support and guidance from luminaries, parents, alumni and staff.

- Chitturi Vasu Prakash, Director





Prakashite
Ms. Siya Rana
as delegate to
Broadcom
Masters
International
USA
from India

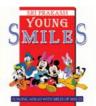




Prakashites with Students & Faculty of Victoria University, Melbourne, Australia

Prakashites with Students & Faculty of Mercersburg Academy, USA





Prakashites march towards modern sciences with VIBHA - swadesi sciences



Vijnana bharati is a science movement with Swadesi spirit for the development of Swadesi Sciences. The organizers of this movement interacted with prakashites. They entered the Guinness book of world records for conducting practical science lessons and creating largest National Building Science movement. It also believes in resilient power of Indian womanhood. Sri Jayanth Sahasrabuddhe, National Organizing Secretary of Vijnana bharati, New Delhi, Sri Vivek Pai from



Kochi and Sri Subbaraya Sasrty from Rajahmundry were also present in the interactive session. Prof. RaoTatavarty, Director and Dean of Gayatri Engineering College and Management presided over the programme. In his interaction, Sri Jayanth spoke about ancient India and Indian scientists. He quoted many examples of J.C. Bose's experiment on wireless transmitters and responded to the student's queries. Students were powered with a new outlook and vision for the upcoming world.

Dr. Pawan G. Agrawal, "Have passion and be the initiative"



Interactions are helpful to the students in changing their mind set, to set a goal and to raise their achievement and development in life. An interaction was organised with Dr. Pawan.G. Agrawal, the President Kamalabai Educational and Charitable Trust & Ph.D on Dabbawalas International motivational

speaker and Management Guru, . He advised the students to have consistency in their work. He emphasised on 100 percent execution, time management and taking responsibility with the help of a video on Dabbawala and cute video on self driven people. He said," Identify your abilities. Do hard work and be committed to your work". He also answered the queries of the students.

Sri Prakash celebrates World Dance Day with President Awardee, Natyashree Sanjib Bhattacharya



On the occasion of World Dance Day, Sri Prakash Vidyaniketan invited Manipuri Dance Exponent, recipient of President's Awardee, Natyashree Sanjib Bhattacharya. His presence rejuvenated the spirit of amateur dancers of Sri Prakash



Vidyaniketan. He mesmerized the students with his spellbinding performance. In his first performance 'Makhan Chor', explained the children how lord Sri Krishna planned to reach the pot full of butter to eat and share with friends. made the students realize the importance of planning and sharing through this performance. The other two spectacular performances were 'Abhinaya' and 'Krishna Rasaleela', the depiction of' Navarasa' and 'ashtapada' respectively.

That wasn't the end, he educated the students with the history and style of the dance form in brief. He even taught them 'Brahma Tala' or the 'Akshara Tala' which involves weaving of the syllables with rhythm. While briefing the four parts of the

Manipuri Dance form, he demonstrated the 'Bhramari' and asked the students to perform the same to learn the dance step. Prakashites tried 'Bhramari' (turning) to match the Exponent. That movement excited everyone. After that, the budding dancers of Sri Prakash Vidyaniketan showcased a performance in the presence of the Dance Exponent. He praised the students for their graceful performance and urged them to open up to



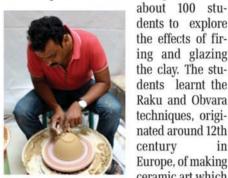
their guru to learn more perfectly and to spend a quality time for learning the dance form. After his performance, the dignitary visited Sri Prakash's traditional Summer Camp through 'Vidyaratham', the chariot of education for the slum children. He distributed snacks to the children and told them the importance of 'mudras' Director, Sri Chitturi Vasu Prakash greeted the children and wished them a better life.

Prakashites unveil their creative skills with Prominent Ceramist Sri. Vinod Kumar Daroz

Sri PrakashVidyaniketan offered its students a unique and a creative workshop on ceramic art as a part of summer camp, capturing the credit of introducing this specific art at



school level in Andhra Pradesh for the first time. The aim of the work shop was to create and develop interest in ceramic art among the students. In a 10 day workshop conducted by Mr. Vinod Daroz, India's popular ceramist and a member of International Academy of Ceramics, students displayed their creative skills, applying their wild childish ideas on the pots, tiles and artifacts. A glance at the exhibits would surely surprise one. This workshop offered an exciting chance to



dents to explore the effects of firing and glazing the clay. The students learnt the Raku and Obvara techniques, originated around 12th century Europe, of making ceramic art which

emerged with gorgeous colors. Students

gained an acceptable level of mastery over a number of skills including clay construction, object decoration and kiln firing. Students, availing this rich experience, prepared handmade tiles, mugs, bowls and toys. The ceramic artifacts by students were exhibited. The exhibition was inaugurated by professor Ravi Shankar Patnaik, Department of Fine Arts and Professor V.Ramesh, Fine Arts A.U. Speaking on the occasion Prof. Ravi Shankar Patnaik appreciated the school's efforts in encouraging the creative skills of the students. Prof Ramesh said that the students were fortunate to be able to interact with such an intellect and must seek advantage of such a golden opportunity. The closing ceremony of the summer camp enthralled the



gathering when Sri Vasu Prakash congratulated the participants and thanked Sri Vinod Daroz for conducting such a unique and interesting workshop.





Prakashites in a rendezvous with Srinivas Laxman a renowned space journalist the Proud Son of R.k. Laxman, Eminent Cartoonist



Prakashites had the opportunity to interact with one of the eminent personalities in the field of Space Journalism, Srinivas Laxman. who shared predominantly his passion for Space Journalism. A keen journalist, contributing regularly to the Times Of India. What

was particularly exciting was to hear about some of his memorable moments. He also shared some interesting facts about the journey from Chandrayaan to Mangalyaan. Students developed a new found respect for Space Research. After such an interaction, it wouldn't come as a surprise if some of the students decide to take Space Journalism!

Dr. B.V.Pattabhiram, "Set a goal which is Smart, Specific, Achievable, Realistic and Time Bound,

Prakashites got a rare opportunity to interact with Professor B.V.Pattabhiram, the hypnotist, author, career guide, counselor and the Director of Indian Institute of Clinical Hypnosis and Prasanthi Counselling Clinic. He said "The real friends are parents and teachers, real power is the knowledge and Examinations are nothing but festivals. Concentrate on one subject and spend more time with family members. Treat AIDS (A-Attractions, I-Inferiority complex, D-



Dissatisifaction, S-Stress) with CURE (C- confidence, U-Understanding ,R- Repeated revision, E- Effective self talk)to face the Examinations boldly." He gave some tips to the children for dealing the examination in a stress free way. He inspired and enriched the children by quoting "Dare to dream and care to achieve, be a pioneer, have patriotism."

He also explained and made the children practice the Number Game to emphasize the concept 'practice makes every one perfect'. He advised the children to set a goal which should be smart, specific, achievable, realistic and time bound.



































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P. N. BHARAT KUMAR

P. GEETA PRIYADARSHINI

SAI ROHIT REDDY

























Prakashites in

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dance by the Japanese group was wonderful. Mementoes were distrib-

uted to the winners. Formal Closing

ceremony was organised. The guests Mr. Rajesh Pandya, Mrs.Deepa

Gopalan Wadhwa, Former Indian

Ambassador to Japan, Sri K.Srinivasan, Regional officer, CBSE,

Chennai, Dr.K.Lakshmi Narayana, Rtd.I.A.S.Officer, Director, A.P.State

Skill Development Corporation were invited on to the dais. Hon'ble Koji

Sugiyama Deputy Consul- General of

Japan spoke in telugu and praised the

oneness of Indians. The guests high-

lighted the importance of games and

sports in students' life. Sri.

.K.Lakshmi Narayana advised the stu-

dents to excel in academics on par

with games and sports. Sri

K.Srinivasan admired the spirit of the

management in giving importance to

sports along with academics. Mrs.

Deepa Gopalan Wadhwa appreciated management for a wonderful efforts.

Young Smiles the quarterly newsletter

was released by the dignitaries. Sri.

Ch. Vasu Prakash Director of the

school was admired by the guests for

his dynamic outlook. The most emotional and sensitising item was the

felicitation of Sri. M.S.K.Prasad. In his speech he instilled the spirit of patri-

otism and advised the students to love

and respect one's own mother where

UNDOKAI-2016 - INDO-JAPANESE SPORTS FESTIVAL TO NURTURE SPORTSMANSHIP AND FUN FILLED FITNESS

Sri Prakash Vidyaniketan celebrated UNDOKAI-2016 at Rajiv Gandhi Port stadium amidst great mirth, verve and merriment. Mrs.Deepa Gopalan Wadhwa, Former Indian Ambassador to Japan, Sri.K.Srinivasan, Regional officer, CBSE, Chennai, Dr.K.Lakshmi Narayana, Rtd. I.A.S. Officer, Director, A.P. State Skill Development Corporation, Mr Takaaki Yoneji President, Japan sports communications, Japan and Ms. Yoko Fukushima opened the festival which was followed by the honouring of Flags and National Anthems of both Japan and India. Mr. Rajesh Pandya declared the meet open Games like Carry the big ball, Sumo, Ball toss game, Beach flag and 4 way tug of war were conducted in a spectacular way. The cultural programmes lent colour to the Sports Day celebrations. Prakashites displayed 'Jaldeep' a brilliant yoga to which the audience gave a standing ovation.It was a feast to the eyes of the gathering. The fast moving aerobic exercise set the tone for other programmes. The flower & star formations by the young prakashites was fantastic. The audience were enthralled when the Prakashites worked wonders with the 'Hoop Exploration'. The Odissee Indian



Aerobic Dance by primary kids

Receiving Guests





Flower & Star formation



Felicitation to Sri.M.S.K.Prasad













ever they would be.

the Japanese Flag National Anthem





Indian dance by Japanese group

4 way tug of war

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Remarkable Achievements





V.Swamy Abhishek Second



Hindu Young World Painting



Jr. Second Sr. Third

TTD Test on Ramayana



K.S.S.P. Priya District First



Association for Improvement of India Mathematics Education (AIMED)



Zefrin Singh T.Manoj District District **First** Third



No Tobacco Day G. Shanmukh



Computer society of India wiz kids 3rd place, K.Arun Teja, V. Amog & B.Sai Rohith Reddy



61St National School Games Roller Skating J.Suvidha Kiran with Bronze Medal

Spark kyrao Scientific Society Science Fair



Project Maltitasking Agricultural Machine. 3rd prize ₹5000 Cash Award N. V.Manou & K.Karthikeya Reddy

Ramanujam Mathematics Talent Test - 2016



Dinesh B. Rohith Andrew AIMED Paul **District First** National Winner Seniors Title winner in All India

K.M. Prajetha

Prakashite Ms. Siya Rana as delegate to Broadcom Masters International USA from India























One Nation, One Vision, One Identity with unity in a Huge Diversity Prakashites Salute the Nation on the 67th Republic Day



day was cele-Prakash Vidyaniketan with great pomp and zeal. The guests of the day Sri. Edward Paul,

by a wonderful march past by the students. On were presented to the participants of 'Nandi

67th Republic the occasion Prakashites shared their idea of being responsible citizens and the pride they brated at Sri take in being Indians. The cultural pro-



grammes colour to the Republic Day celebrations. Prakashites performed a brilliant aerobic exercise

life member 'Ball Aerobics'. The fast moving aerobic exer-INTACH, Sri. cise set the tone for other programmes. The Raja Ganapathi audience were enthralled when the Pragada, Prakashites worked wonders with the 'Hoop Gayatri Vidya Parishad, Dr.T.Narayana Rao - Exploration'. The stage reverberated with an Prof. Of Surgery, AMC, Sri.G.S.Subrahmanyam electrifying Casio Concert by young Chief of Bureau, The Hindu and prakashites. The guests enlightened the stu-Sri.T.S.R.Prasad, Retd.Addl. S.P , lieut. dents with their valuable words. on the impor-Col.V.S.Srinivas, Sri Y.Satya Narayana Director tance of exercise and healthy food, on the School of Law, GITAM graced the occasion. The necessity of the student's role in the developpatriotic aura was felt in the atmosphere with ment of the country by following the rules the vibes of National Anthem. It was followed strictly and not violating the laws. Mementoes







T.Narayana Rao Sri. G. S. Subrahmanyam Chief of Bureau, The Hindu,









petitions like slogan writing and essay writing on the topic 'India of my dream' . Master V.V.P. a memento and Ms.J.Suvidha Kiran bagged a

Natakotsav' and the winners of various combronze medal at the National Level Skating Competition conducted by Roller Skating Federation of India. The programme ended as a Aadarsh who participated in the National level day of learning and celebrations. The students Southern India Science Fair 2016 was awarded dispersed with the images of the fluttering tricolor in their minds.













CHILLING SPLASH IN THE SIZZLING SUMMER

the year, a refuge to

escape and hide from

scorching heat, a

break from school, the

best place to refine

your sports skills, an

opportunity to break

the barriers was in our

camp.

summer

A summer to love..... A summer to get energized...... A summer to play, sing, dance and experiment.... A summer unforgettable through the Summer Camp......





A magic potion to cool our body vated new interests. This helped and mind in the warmest season of students to learn and engage them-



Summer camp was designed to set of activities for each age group help kids to have new experience so that students of all age group get and grow mentally, physically and opportunity to showcase their talsocially. Students got fun filled ents or skills in their peer group. learning experience. In this The camps' success was achieved enrichment session children by striking a balance between eduexplored the new ideas and culti- cation, activities games and fun.





Symmography the String Art



Pools Splash













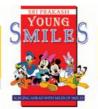






"Our life is what our thoughts make it." - Marcus Aurelius





Prakashites Pay Homage to Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose





Prakashites extend a warm welcome to the Cricket Luminaries of INDIA & SRILANKA







On his 119th Birth Anniversary. Lt. Col. V. S. Srinivas, Admin Officer, NCC, GP, HQ, Garlanded the Statue with the School NCC Cadets



Carrom Champion, Miss Hari Priya Cheered at Sri Prakash Vidyaniketan



Donation of Wheel Chairs to the Physically Handicapped Children by the School Interact Club members in the event of 'Red on a Mission' - Red Magazine

Prakashites enthrall Vizagites with 3 Nandi Awards Winning Playlet on SWACHH BHARAT



21 Prakashites proved their mettle in acting and proved that they are amateurs par excellence when their playlet on Swachh Bharat made its mark in Nandi Natakotsava by winning three awards the best actor, the best production and the third best play. The play which is a beautiful reminder to the fact that any challenge can be faced if everybody works together. The playlet witten by renowned actor and play wright Sri. S.K.Misro and director in drama. The playlet was also viewed and congratulated him.

appreciated by Sri. Meegada Ramalinga Swamy, and Dr. Pawan G.Agrawal C.E.O Mumbai Dabbawala's. The performance was highly appreciated by Parents and guests who witnessed it. Prakashites received accolades from the near and dear ones .The director Sri Ch. Vasu Prakash appreciated the children for their hardwork and thanked Sri. Misro for scripting a beautiful script and Sri. Ramana Murthy for his directorial role. All staff and directed by Sri. P.V.Ramana Murthy highly experienced parents who made this into a successful saga were also















Best Actor

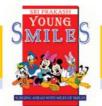


A.V.Jaswanth



Directed by Sri P.V.Ramana Murthy

.... Visit to Visakha Museum





Summer Camp Prakashites

Service towards the community Helping the Poor and Needy Children Through "Sri Prakash Vidya Ratham"

"Vidya Ratham"

 The Chariot of Education for the Children.









Rtn. B.K.Rai & Rtn P.L.K. Murthy

Vidya Ratham, the traditional educating chariot for the under- E.V. Pushpa Vardhan, Dist Asst. Commissioner, Enforcement success stories of legends. The dignitaries interacted with the

privileged rolled its wheels once again during this summer. Dept., Sri. P.Bhaskararao, Rtd chief Manager, Union Bank of children and witnessed their talents. They were encouraged

Sri Prakash Interact Club Members - We share social responsibilities gladly







B.Sri Harsha - X

Learning the fitness mantra



D.L.Hithyshini - X







Kunal Singh - X

N.Sri Viharika - X T V S Manjusha - X







S.Gnaneshwar -X

these children. A

valedictory function

was organised by

the Interact Club

members. Sri. S.

Venkateswara Rao,

Dist.Transport

Commissioner, Sri.

A.H.Khan, R.T.O., Sri.

G.S.Subrahmanyam, Chief of Bureau, The

Hindu

Visakhapatnam and

Sri. T.S.R. Prasad,

Visakhapatnam

Hockey Association

and Dist. Cricket

Association,

Olympic Association

of Visakhapatnam

graced the function.

Sri. Venkateswara

Rao, while addressing the huge gather-

ing of parents and students stressed on

the need of impor-

tance of education,

social behaviour

and team spirit

through such cam-

VidyaRatham and

congratulated the

paigns

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Rtd.

President

Association,

President

President,

Basket

Around 60 children participated in the camp. This tradition India; Col. N.L.Karia, Admin Officer; Sri. B. Ramakrishna, Rtd with various prizes on each day. The members of Interact Club started in the year 2014 with an aim to educate, empower and Chief Manager, Bank of Baroda; Sri. G. Sharath Babu, Rtn. B.K. organized a field trip to Visakha Museum where they educated

enrich the skills of underprivileged children. Interact Club members of Prakash Vidyaniketan initiated the yeomen service to community with the motto to educate and develop their personality they offered four-fold activity plan. It was started with the traditional Indian Sanskrit sloka followed by physical education, flowers work made of papers storytelling sessions. The most

exciting one was the cartoon movie section through audio-visual aids. What else does a child need in this rat-racing world than that? The children were provided with nutritious food for their health which is the basic need to survive on this earth. The members Conducted the



activities in their

Sri. S. Venkateswara Rao, DTC & Sri A.H.Khan, RTO



Sri A.Abbulu Choudhary



Sri. C.V. Narasimham & Sri. K.Siva Kumar







Story of A.P.J. Abdul Kalam by Col.N.L.KARIA

Sri.K.Sarvabhouma Rao Advocate, High Court

Smt & Sri . M.N.A. Patrudu & Sujatha

Sri. Vipin Gupta Architect, Vizag



.... Closing Ceremony

campus itself. Sri. Sanjib Bhattacharva, Manipuri Dancer; Mrs. Rai, Chairman: Rotary Blood Bank; Rtn. P.L.K. Murthy, Asst. children for being part of it. Mr. A.H.Khan, in his remarks, reit-B. Hemalatha, Deputy Inspector of Schools; Sri. M.N.A. Governor, Rotary International Port - 3020, Sri M. Leela Prasad, erated the significance of education combined with co-curricu-Pathrudu, Visakha Musuem Curator & Mrs. M.sujatha; Sri. Sri Seshu, Sri Abbulu Choudhary, Sri K.V. Siva Kumar, Dr. C.V. lar activities, games and sports. Mr. G. S. Subrahmanyam Chandra sekhar, Company secretary; Sri. Vipin Gupta, Narasimham, Ms. Bina, Rtn. K. Narayana visited and inspired advised the underprivileged children to improve their level of Architect; Sri K. Sarvabhouma Rao, Advocate -High Court; Sri. the underprivileged children with their motivational words and confidence and skills through such wonderful programmes.

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learning the concepts of Colour & Seasons



face at the beginning is difficulty in Day, Seasons Day was celebrated to recognising the colours . No doubt good involve the tiny tots to understand and activities and learning environment have feel the warmth and chill of different seamultiple benefits for a child's academic sons. With different activities in interestand emotional development. Colour days ing way which made the learning obviprovide the opportunity to introduce ous. colours and to explore colourful world.



One of the biggest challanges tiny tots School celebrated Red Day and Yellow



NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS -'IT IS ALL ABOUT SCIENCE FROM SOIL TO SPACE'

The greatest of all the experiences is the one with a spontaneous learning. Education goes on expedition when a student is keen on learning without prompting naturally. Such a learning is the real learning. On the occasion of National Science Day commemorating the birthday of Sir C.V.Raman, Students of Classes 1-9 exhibited their



projects and demonstrated 100 plus experiments based on different topics were highly appreciated by parents. Later in the valedictory function which was graced by Dr.Pawan G.Agrawal, C.E.O Mumbai Dabbawalas the children were appreciated by the guest for their exhibits and explanation. As a part of the event competitions were conducted like the quiz, calling of innovative ideas, PowerPoint presentations and the winners were given prizes by the guest. While speaking Dr.Pawan G.Agrawal motivated the children to work for bringing a change without waiting for others and that one is never too young to achieve and bring a change. On the occasion, Director, Sri Ch. Vasu Prakash appreciated the children and congratulated all for their effort.











Memoirs to Cherish

GRAND SABHA - A TRUE LEARNING PLATFORM



The meaning of the word 'Sabha' in Sanskrit is public gathering. The Sabha in our school is a cultural gathering to motivate the students towards boosting their self confidence and to eliminate stage fright. It was conducted in the month of March with a motto of participating maximum students in different level of programmes. Upper kindergarten kids had their proud moments as they were graduated to the next level. Through the patriotic event "MY INDIA-MY



PRIDE', an inspiration from the prestigious IFR, students showcased three armed forces and Kargil combat on the stage which enthralled the audience. Dance and music had brought festivity in Sabha and through story the audience journeyed to the Fairy Land. Puzzle Art was like icing on a cake. Science Fair enabled the children to explore, experience and innovate.









ASHIRVACHAN CEREMONY

ny, the batch of Class X of Sri PrakashVidyaniketan were blessed traditionally by Director Sri Ch. Vasu Prakash, Senior Administrative Officer, Sri K.V.Manohar, Administrative Officers, Principals and teachers. The ceremony started offering prayer to goddess Saraswati, the Vidya Devi. Class IX Students formally welcomed the gathering and wished their seniors in 15 different languages. They even prepared PPT capturing glimpse of important

In an emotionally charged and spectacular ceremo- moments at Sri Prakash. The school choir and the western choir group entertained their seniors with formal and western songs respectively. The outgoing school captains and the captains delivered their emotional valedictory speech highlighting their experiences in the school. Director, Sri Ch. Vasu Prakash motivated the students through videos on success stories. He wished the students for a happy and prosperous life ahead.







Sri S. Venkateswara Rao, Dist. Transport Commissioner, Sri. A.H.Khan, R.T.O conducting awareness on Road Safety for the Prakashites



Prakashites at GD Goenka International Model United Nations - New Delhi













INDO-AUSTRALIAN **CULTURAL EXCHANGE -AN OUTSTANDING INTERACTION**







go around at the end of the day". The world at Sri Prakash rejuvenated with Australian delegates in an interactive session where 13 free learning reflected through this interacstudents from Victoria University shared tive session proved the fact that informal their experiences with prakashites. In learning is deep rooted. The team led by Mr. return, Prakashites showcased their skills Lawry Mahon and Sri.T.Vijay Vardhan, Alex on origami and paper folding. The beautiful shapes of paper folding such as swans, owls, cars, tables, chairs, snakes etc. SarhSullivan, Sharni Molone, Sonia Lopez, impressed the delegates. It was fun to watch Sonia Wilson, Stephani Buck, Tara Clancy the Australian students learning the art and Tom Evens expressed their happiness with interest. Apart from teaching Origami, after attending the cultural exchange prothere was also a presentation on preparing gram with the Prakashites.

"It's different cultures that make the world South-Indian delicacies. The Australian students were also introduced to the art of pottery and weaving cane baskets. A stress Burridge, Carey White, Elise Cullen, Annah Wilson, Holly Grayhart, Kim Milne,

INDO-US CULTURAL EXCHANGE -AN EXCELLENT LEARNING PLATFORM



people from different cultural, religious, geographic and socio-economic backgrounds and in doing so provide the opportunity for students to develop a greater understanding of diversity. The fundamental purpose of a cultural exchange program is for students to share with and learn from others. With this aim an impressive and interesting cultural exchange programme was organised with ten students of Mercersburg Academy, U.S.A. along with their mentor Mr. Frank Rutherford who not only interacted with 100 students of the school but also had a session on the art of Quilling. Students taught amusing to watch the students of Mercersburg present at the interaction.

Cultural exchange programs expose students to Academy learning the art with fun. Apart from teaching Quilling there was also a presentation on the process of preparation of the special breakfast delicacies of Andhra Pradesh like the Idli, Dosa and Vada. The energetic and stress free learning was clearly reflected through the interactive session proving the fact that learning when done informally is deep and natural. The team led by the mentors Mr. Frank Rutherford Director of Institute an ardent lover of Indian Heritage and Culture and career planner, Ms. Rachel and students Danny, Emily, Gerardo, Grant, Hazel, Jane, Javier, Morgan, Olivia & Paul expressed their happiness after attending them how to twirl different paper strips into beauti- the cultural exchange program with the ful shapes like swans, Flower's and Peacocks. It was Prakashites. Mrs. Jayashree Hatangadi was also









Education on Expedition

Field Trips Knowledge acquired by practical experience has an everlasting impression on young minds. Field trip helps the students to explore, discover, share facts and encourage them to expand and enhance their knowledge. Students get an exciting learning experience extending out of the classroom







City Ride



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The hostel which houses numerous children of varied age groups is a perpetual hub of activities like birthday Celebrations, Away from
Training for M.A.D & Sports. The school strives to provide myriad experiences which are a ready amalgamation of a homely, intellectual and rational environment. lectual and rational environment.

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Inspiration



DR. VIKRAM AMBALAL SARABHAI FATHER OF INDIAN SPACE PROGRAM

much ahead of his times. Born into a wealthy business family in India, he enjoyed a privileged childhood and the means to pursue all the education he wanted. From a young age Sarabhai developed a deep interest in sci-

ence and mathematics. He was a very curious child who loved to explore life. After completing his primary education from India he moved abroad for further studies. He became obsessed with science and all that science has to offer over his course of stay in England. By the time he was back to India, he was fixated on contributing something of relevance to the country. He

Childhood & Early Life: He was born as one of the eight children of Ambalal and Sarla Devi in the city of Ahmedabad in Gujarat, India. His family was a very affluent one which managed several textile mills.

After passing the intermediate Science examination from the Gujarat College in Ahmedabad he went to England for his further



He was the man behind the genesis of Operations Research Group (ORG) which was the first market research

studies. He enrolled at the St. John's College, University of Cambridge from where he received the Tripos in Natural Sciences in 1940.

After coming back to India he joined the Indian Institute of Science in Bangalore to carry out research on cosmic rays. This was something he undertook on the advice of the eminent scientist C.V. Raman. His first scientific paper 'Time Distribution of Cosmic Rays' was published in 1942.

He returned to Cambridge in 1945 to further his research on cosmic rays and earned his PhD for his thesis 'Cosmic ray investigations in tropical latitudes'.



Major Works: Vikram Sarabhai is remembered as the Father of the Indian Space Program for his contributions to the field of space science. He founded the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) which eventually became the largest government space agency in the world.

Personal Life & Legacy: He married the celebrated classical dancer Mrinalini in 1942. His daughter Mallika and son Karthikeya too became famous personalities in their own rights.





He was one of the founding members for Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Ahmedabad, in 1961 along with Kasturbhai Lalbhai. This was the second IIM to be established in the Nation.

Vikram Sarabhai was a man began researching on cosmic rays at the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, and such was his dedication that he pub-

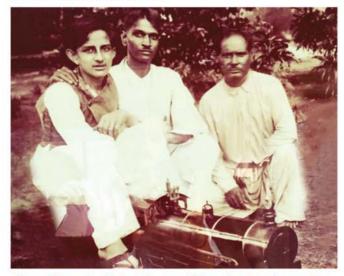


Indian Postal Stamp Featuring Vikran Sarabhai

lished his first scientific paper within two years of starting his research! He once again went to England and returned when India had become independent. Realizing the need for quality research institutions in the newly independent country, he helped to establish the Physical

Research Laboratory (PRL) in Ahmedabad. He also played an instrumental role in the establishment of the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO).

Career: He returned to India when the country had newly become independent. Sensing the need for better scientific facilities in the country, Sarabhai convinced the charitable trusts his family managed to establish The Physics Research Laboratory (PRL) in Ahmedabad in November 1947.



Young Vikram Sarabhai, at the age of 12, on the steam Locomotive Engine that he made himself with teacher, Mr. Karandikar

He was the founding director of the Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Ahmedabad which was the second IIM in the country. Along with businessman Kasturbhai Lalbhai he played a key role in setting up the institute of learning in 1961.

He was the driving force behind the setting up of the Centre for Environmental Planning and Technology University (CEPT University) in Ahmedabad in 1962 which offers undergraduate and postgraduate programs in disciplines like architecture, planning and technology.

In 1965, he founded the Nehru Foundation for Development (NFD) which is dedicated

towards the promotion of basic study on the current problems of societal and individual development.

He completed his PhD in 'Cosmic

ray investigations in tropical

latitudes' under the Doctoral

Advisory of Sir C. V. Raman.

During the 1960s he also established the Vikram A. Sarabhai Community Science Centre (VASCSC) for promoting science and mathematics education among students and the general public. The organization aimed at stimulating interest in science subject among the masses. Sarabhai was fully supported in his ventures by Dr. Homi Bhabha who was a pioneer in the field of nuclear research in India. Bhabha helped Sarabhai in setting up the first rocket launching station at Thumba on the coast of the Arabian Sea. The inaugural flight was launched on 21st November 1963

His most significant contribution to India was the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) which he helped to establish in 1969. The major objective of the organization is to advance space technology and apply it for national benefits.

Greatmen were children one day Children can be greatmen some day

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Indian Space Program Known For

Indian Institute of Management

Ahmedabad



Vikram Sarabhai did not stop till he convinced the Indian government to set up Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO). It was soon after the launch of the Russian satellite Sputnik. that Vikram Sarabhai made it clear to the government that India can also be in the league of nations stepping on the moon. He was only 28 years old then



One of the Greatest Indian Who devoted entire life for the development of Science in India

Awards & Achievements: For his visionary work in the field of space science, Dr. Sarabhai was decorated with two of India's most honorable awards: The Padma Bhushan (1966) and the Padma Vibhushan (awarded posthumously in 1972) & The Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar (1962)





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