



Our Inspiration Our Guide

Sri Ch.V.K. Narasimha Rao

15 years of educational saga and outstanding achievements are only due to the exceeding efforts to stand by the Vision - Nurture Joyful Learning for Holistic Growth. The motto behind all these activities and

academic achievements our students have shown their mettle. I sincerely thank **Dr. Chou Chien-Heng**, Vanung University Taiwan, **Dr. Sudhakar C. Agarkar**, Professor and Dean VPM's Academy of International Education and Research, Thane, Maharashtra, **Dr. Janchai Yingprayoon**, Suan Sunandha Rajabhat University, Bangkok, Thailand, **Ms. Dee-Jean Ong**, Head-Curriculum Curriculum Development & Training R.E.A.L. Education Group, Sdn. Bhd., Malaysia, **Prof. Vijaya Shankar Varma**, Advisor Planning Ambedkar University, Delhi **Dr. Terence Lilian**, American Embassy School Delhi, **Prof. G.S.N. Raju**, Vice Chancellor, Andhra University, who appreciated the methodologies followed in the school and **Sri O. Naresh Kumar**, CEO, Symbiosis Technologies, for their august presence on the inaugural of ICASE (International Council of Associations for Science Education) Centre. I extend my true thanks to **Padmashri**



Dr. Chou, Chien - Heng, Assistant Professor,
Dept. of Electro-Optical Engineering Van-Nung University Taiwan



SRI PRAKASH
VIDYANIKETAN
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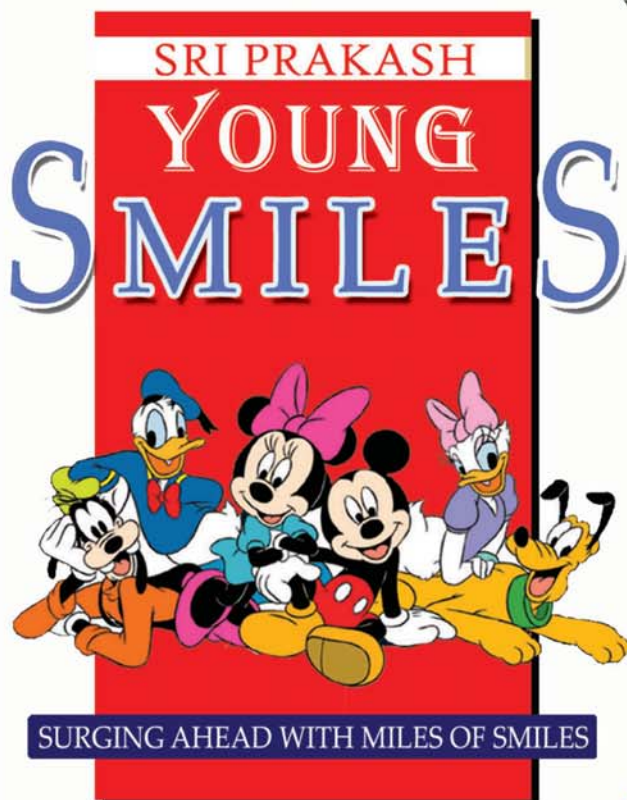
"SRI PRAKASH VIDYANIKETAN" Bagged 3 Nandi Awards

for "Telugu Nandi
Natakotsavam-2015-16"
Presented by
Govt. of Andhra Pradesh at Tirupathi
in which
12 dramas were played
from all the over the A.P.
"Swachh Bharat"
the Playlet was enacted by Prakashites....



Sri Rajesh Pandya, for enlightening the Prakashites on the Japanese technique for a long and healthy life, Radio Exercise - 'RajioThaiso' and **Mr. Takaaki Yoneji**, for instructing the students to daily practice it to improve their thinking skills. I am also thankful to **Mrs. Divya Devaguptapu**, an internationally acclaimed Bharatnatyam danseuse & choreographer based in San Diego, USA and Chennai, for bringing in enthusiasm among students regard-

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Inauguration of ICASE Centre

(International Council of Associations for Science Education)

16-18 November 2015 - Prakashites with the Delegates

Prof. Vijaya Shankar Varma, Delhi **Dr. Terence Lilian**, Delhi,
Dr. Chou, Chien - Heng, Taiwan **Ms. Dee-Jean Ong**, Malaysia **Dr. Janchai Yingprayoon**,
Thailand, **Dr. Sudhakar C Agarkar**, Mumbai & **Ch. Vasu Prakash**, Director, Sri Prakash Vidyaniketan

All India 1st Place

Prakashites

M.SAI ASHISH,X
& **S.MRINAL,IX**

bagged All India 1st Place
in "15th BHARAT KO JANU
Quiz Contest - 2015-16"
held in Agra among
lakhs of Students in India.



Koneru Rama Krishna Rao, an eminent educationist, **Sri Aravindan Arumugam**, a multi disciplinary Artist, **Dr. Sultan Ahmed Ismail**, Director Eco-Science Research Foundation, **Dr. S. Vijaya Kumar**, Chairman, Vijay Nirman Pvt. Ltd., for gracing the occasion of our KIDS DAY with valuable messages rendered to our parents. I extend my true feeling to **Sri M.Murali**, CEO, Shriram Properties Ltd., to face challenges to lead them to success. I humbly thank **Prof. Miriam Amit**, Dean, Ben Gurion University, Israel, **Dr. K.Lakshmi Narayana**, Retd. I.A.S, Director of A.P. State Skill Development Corporation, **Prof. Ghanta Ramesh**, Emeritus Professor of Education, Dept. of Education and Training, Maulana Azad



Prof. Miriam Amit, Dean, Ben Gurion University, Israel

ing various art forms. I sincerely thank **Sri. Ganta Srinivasa Rao**, Minister for Human Resource Development of A.P. for blessing the Budding Artists of tomorrow.

All the success that we have been able to achieve holds good with the hard work, good will and support extended by all the luminaries parents and staff. The academic augmentation is an incessant process that we intend to burgeon with the support extended.

- **Chitturi Vasu Prakash**, Director

National Level Painting Competition On Energy Conservation



B. Tejasri,
4th Consolation
Cash Prize of ₹10,000/-

encouragement from the stalwarts in various fields, teaching fraternity, parents and prakashites making a small yet fundamental difference to the society in and around them. Be it science related competitions, sports, dramatics, singing, dancing, quizzes and

rendezvous is the holistic development of our students who have been able to absorb and exceed with outstanding outcomes nationally and internationally. Students have been in the achievement spree with out-

National Urdu University Hyderabad, **Dr.C.V.Narasimham**, Principal, Ramanath Secondary School, **Sri.T.S.R.Prasad**, Retd. Addl. S.P., to have graced our Annual Day Celebrations - AROMA. I am truly thankful to **Smt. B. Sumidha Devi**, I.R.S.Joint Director

B.Swetha & P.Ramya bagged 1st & 2nd Prize in
State Level Painting Competition conducted by
Ministry of Water Resources, Govt. of India



Calendar and motivating our students to chase their dreams. I truly thank **Sri. Ch. Raghavendra Rao**, Chairman, VSP Co-op. Bank and **Sri. J.V.S. Satya Narayana**, Asst. Secretary State Council CPI, for being a part of Each one - Care one. I extend my deep thanks to

General, Central Excise, Intelligence, Bangalore, **Rtn B.K. Rai** and **Ms. Deeksha Rai**, M.B.A. from IOWA University, for releasing our School



Sri Ganta Srinivasa Rao
Minister for Human Resource Development of A.P.
Lauded the Doodle 4 Google Winners.

'UNDERSTANDING SCIENCE IS EASY'

Seminars in the schools cover technical subjects and can keep the students up to date on the latest state



Dr. Terence Lilian, American Embassy School, Delhi

of the information. Prof. Vijaya Varma, Advisor Planning Ambedkar University, Delhi enlightened the students on understanding concepts easily by using a piece of paper and simple folds of it. It was really a thought provoking session for both the teachers and students. Dr. Terence Lilian, a retired Teacher of French in American Embassy School, Delhi and an artist at present interacted



Prof. Vijaya Shankar Varma Advisor Planning, Ambedkar University, Delhi

with the students and introduced the famous artist Andy Goldsworthy and his sculptures with the help of a power point presentation. Students were encouraged to draw the art by identifying the natural-shapes in nature and surroundings. They were also asked to identify the techniques of doing the art.



Do your best, leave the rest - Sri M.Murali, CEO Shriram Properties



Said CEO of Shriram Properties Ltd., Sri. M Murali. He is perhaps the first person who interacted with students against the race of marks. He insisted the students on learning under pressure which will help to face challenges in



life. During his interaction with the students, he questioned them on their knowledge of cricket and also informed them more on the world of cricket. That gave the students a boost to listen to what he had said, because it is their favourite cricket. Comparing the World Class cricketers' hard work and perseverance with that of their own education, he made them realize how much hard work they should put in to reach their level. He stressed on a 3-point formula;

1. Put your best. 2. Never get disheartened by your poor performance 3. And finally take pressure positively. In his conclusion, he advised the students to embrace the pressure as and how it comes and that would automatically lead them to success.

Expressive movement - Language of Bharatnatyam in Devaguptapu's steps



It was a dream come true for more than hundred young bharatnatyam enthusiasts when they got a chance to interact with Mrs. Divya Devaguptapu an internationally acclaimed Bharatnatyam danseuse and choreographer based in San Diego, USA and Chennai. The interaction was a beautiful synthesis of performance blended with knowledge. Mrs. Divya performed pushpanjali and said that dance is also

learning of Mathematics and Science. Different attributes of Ganesha were discussed where she enlightened the students with different mudras depicting different facts about Ganesha's grandeur. The program was highlighted with an ecstatic synthesis of Kathakali and Bharatnatyam depicting the story of Pregnant deer who is surrounded by dangers from all directions but at the end saved by Mother nature. Mrs. Divya Devaguptapu was welcomed with a performance Alaripu Todai Mangalam which was appreciated by her. It was a beautiful opportunity for the amateur dancers to have interacted with the danceus.

Science made simple by Dr.Chou Chien Heng, Taiwan



As a part of international exchange program, a workshop with the concept of teaching science concepts in a playful manner using low cost materials was conducted by Dr. Chou Chien-Heng. He said, "text book is inadequate for the present knowledge of the students." He explained Newton's second law with the help of a long string of beads, conversion of kinetic Energy into electrical energy, wind energy into electric energy, electromagnetic

wave, how generator produces electricity, AC and DC current by using simple devices made of low price equipments. All the experiments created interest among the students and made the Science concepts easy and simple. The workshop helped the students to think out of the box.

'Explore the world of science with fun'- Dr.Janchai Ying Prayoon, Thailand

A pin hole camera with a bottle lid, simple microscope with ice cream sticks and science came into life when the little ones started interacting with the magician of sci-



pin, calculation of birthday with the help of simple calendar and many more interesting activities were eye openers to the fact that science is omnipresent be it cooking or learning. Dr.JanchaiYingPrayoon made Prakashites explore the world of science with fun. The interactive and informative world of

ence. An experience that brought the world of science into the classrooms. Dr.Janchai's presence was a wonderful reminder to all that a classroom can be brought into life only with perseverance and interest. A classroom can be a place of learning only if it is also a place of learning for the learner.

Robotics a blend of Mathematics, Physics & Mechanics



Centre's Standing Committee, focusing on Robotics. Students were divided into groups with four in each and each group was given a laptop and Arduino UNO Board, a basic kit of Robotics. The workshop focused on the usage of Arduino board, its software, the brain of robot, motor, LED bulbs, microcontroller. The students were explained programming

Robotics is a field where we can apply our knowledge of Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Electronics, Mechanics etc. Robotics motivates children understand how things work and encourages them to use their creativity and imagination skills. A workshop was organized for Prakashites, conducted by Dr. Janchai Yingprayoon, ICASE Chair of Science and Technology

with LED bulbs, the method to create movement in the robot, the way to change the tunes of the buzzer and creating a variety of tunes by mixing many tunes. He said that Robotics is a step by step learning process but can't be jumped to further without mastering over the previous step. All in all it was a creative and unique workshop for School Students.



Toying with science- Ms Dee-Jean Ong, Malaysia



Dee Jean Ong, the Head of Curriculum Development and Training (CDT), R.E.A.L Education Group Sdn. Bhd. in Malaysia conducted a workshop for the tiny tots. The students enjoyed the workshop thoroughly as it dealt with items which they see in and round them every day. She used bookmarks and decorative ice-cream sticks in her experiments. Her spinning

seed, helicopter, glider mesmerized the students. Her videos, especially coke with menthol was interesting. It even demonstrated the ill-effects of adulterated food stuff. It is said that curiosity kills the cat and we are sure a curious child would surely experiment them at home and will try his hands on new fads.

Remarkable Achievements

Sania Agarwal & D.Sree Harshini Project on Dermatoglyphics selected in CBSE Regional Level Science Fair held at Hyderabad and would present their Project in National Level Science Fair.



Petroleum Conservation Research Association



Y.Sai Gayatri
3rd Prize in National Level Essay Writing Competition (Telugu). She was awarded with a Cash Prize of ₹ 12,500/- and a Samsung Tab with trophy



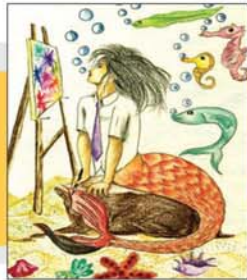
"Save The Small Wild Cats Art Contest"
Grand Prize Winner
NANDIRA DEVI



"Save The Small Wild Cats Art Contest"
Best Fishing Cat Artwork
LICIA SAIKIA



1st in National online painting competition by Design school of arts, Chennai Upasana Nonia under the theme 'I am a Mermaid'



Bharat Vikas Parishad
Hindi and Sanskrit
State Level National group
Song Competition
bagged 3rd Prize



Bhagavadgita Recitation Competition conducted by Tirumala Tirupathi Devasthanam in association with Hindu Dharma Prachara Parishad P.Geetha Priyadarshini, P.Bhagya Rani & A. Vidyadhari 1st Prize, K.Ravi Teja, 2nd Prize, P.Bhuvan, 3rd Prize



Project on
General Expansions
by Siya Rana
Participated at the National
Level IRIS Competition



S. Akruti, First International performer from visakhapatnam who gave Kuchipudi, Kathak & Odissi dance performances at Vietnam National University on the invitation of University of Social Sciences & Humanities.



Hands on experiments - Scientific craft and models exhibited by Prakashites during Indo-Thailand Science Projects Exhibition



Students from Thailand explaining how complex science concepts can be done in simple and playful manner



Educational Exchange Programme with Thailand
We thank Teachers & Students of Triamudamsuksa School, Bangkok & Paphayompitayakyom School, Phattapung -Prakashites



Project on Life Style and Carbon Foot Print got selected for the Southern India Science This project got selected out of 248 projects in the State Level Competition, under Environmental Science. V.V.P. Adarsh



Best Cadet Corps Award presented to M.Keval Sai Kumar by Navy Wing Cdr. V.V.S.Raju on NCC Day



District Level Chess Competition
V. Samruth 1st Prize under 12 Category



N.Sai Charitha in Gita Test Conducted by ISKCON to promote awareness on Bhagavadgita and to develop Philosophical and Spiritual Values in Human Society.

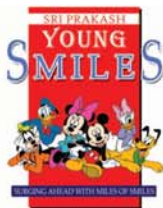


Skating Competition conducted on the eve of Children's day- (Under 12-16 Age Group) J.Kishore, 1st P.Hemanth, 2nd A.Narasimha, VIII, 3rd, T. Shalini, 1st (8 -10 Age Group)

District Balbhavan Painting competition
1st,V.Sailatha Ani, 2nd-K.Sai Pranav Murthy (Juniors) 1st-P.Devi Ganesh & 2nd G.Shanmukh

G. Sruthi, Kuchipudi Dance Performed in 5th Cultural Olympiad Performing Arts, Bangkok, Thailand selected for International Competitions to be held at Hongkong in Dec. 2016 among 600 participants conducted by ABSS (Akhila Bharata Samskruthic Samstha) Pune





It's Kids' Day of the Kids for the Kids and with the Kids...

Sri.Arvindan Arumugam
A Multi Disciplinary Artist
Rusty Triangle Films (P) Ltd.



Padmashri
K.Rama Krishna Rao
Chancellor, GITAM



Dr. Sultan Ahmed Ismail
Director, Eco-Science Research
Foundation, Chennai



Dr. S.Vijay Kumar
Chairman
Vijay Nirman Company Pvt. Ltd.



Prakashites celebrated 'Kids Day', 'A Journey through learning with immense splendor in the presence of distinguished guests- Padmashri Koneru Rama Krishna Rao, an eminent educationist. Sri Aravindan Arumugan, a multi disciplinary Artist, Dr. Sultan Ahmed Ismail, Director Eco- Science Research Foundation, Dr. S. Vijaya Kumar, Chairman, Vijay Niram Comapany Pvt. Ltd. The art and craft exhibition depicted 'Trash to Treasure' All the distinguished guests and parents were

their children values and a purpose to overcome emotional problems. Dr. S.Vijay Kumar stated that parents must always spend their time with the kids for them to acquire self discipline and attain the ability to do of whatever they are doing. Dr. Sultan Ahmed Ismail explained about how parents can have a 3 dimensional talk with their children that

and took the people on a mesmerizing journey through their 'Learning Train'. The first destination was 'Kinder Land' an action rhyme world, followed by 'Fantasia, a land of a fairy tales where everyone met Cinderella and her seven sisters. 'Krishna Leela Tarangam' a magnificent performance was given by the students in the form of Classical

none, with this message students enacted a mime 'Harita'. The last destination of the train was 'New Delhi', where students joined hands for Swachh Bharat Abhiyan. Speech given by the student attired as our Prime Minister, Sri Narendra Modi got a very good response. The fest came to an end with the patriotic rejoice. All this fervor was enjoyed with excitement including the choir in between and anchoring by the students conveying their astounding messages in their most



warmly received by the kids with a beautiful song with the message 'Athithi Devo Bhava'. The programme commenced with the tiny kids melodious musical orchestra and the Key Board Symphony. Valuable messages were rendered by the distinguished guests followed by the release of Sri Prakash in house magazine 'Little Creators'. Arvindan Arumugam advise parents to teach

helps them in their growth. Padmasree K. Rama Krishna Rao said that children must be made aware of their culture and traditions. Guests were honoured with mementoes. Tiny tots of LKG to V seized the attention of the overwhelmed audience

Dance and took all the viewers to Brundavanam. In 'Ruchi'- Little chefs in colourful aprons and caps cooked fun and served joy to the audience. Sita Rama Kalyanam was a feast to the eyes. 'Trees are precious. Each one-Plant one-Grow one-Cut

adoring costume making it the most memorable event at Kalavani. The features that stole the show of the cultural fest were distribution of 2000 seeds to all the audience as part of the 'Plantation Drive', inspiring messages delivered by the eminent personalities, music, songs, lights, dance and joy.



Orchestra



Fantasia



Welcome Dance



Sri Krishna Leela Tarangam



Art & Craft Exhibition



Humpty Dumpty



Seetha Rama Kalyanam



Ruchi - a land of food



Mime - Harita



Cinderella



Symphony

RING OUT 2015 RING IN 2016
NEW YEAR CELEBRATIONS



Prakashites celebrated the New Year's Eve in an enthralling and mystical way. The whole ambiance was filled with festive mood. The enthusiastic and excited young kids, parents and guests participated actively in the fest. The program began with a skit by the young artists showing the birth of Jesus and heralding the news of his birth followed by melodious carols. The fancy show in which children from L.K.G to 3rd class dressed fancifully added colours to the event. The festival was also highlighted by the mesmerizing 3D paintings made by the students depicting a shark out of water and a

fissure on the earth's surface. The realistic pictures attracted many to pose for a photograph. The various mouthwatering delicacies of the food fest were enjoyed by all the gourmets. The setting of various dishes was a feast for the visitors. The Idly Cat and the tri-coloured idlies depicting national flag attracted many. The fun filled games like 'Mom-hockey' and 'Hit and Win' gave a lot of entertainment to all the participants. The program came to a close with a colorful carnival by the kids bringing joy and smile to everyone present there.



ZERO TO ZENITH
GANIT WEEK CELEBRATIONS

The word 'Mathematics' always points towards ancient India. No other country has contributed as much as India has. "Small minds discuss persons, average



minds discuss events, great minds discuss ideas. But really great minds discuss Mathematics" and that one great mind was Srinivasa Ramanujam Iyengar, a great Indian Mathematician and an autodidact who made extraordinary contribution to Mathematics, to commemorate his Birth Anniversary, GANIT (Growing Aptitude in Numerical Innovations & Training) Week was organized. During which quiz, magic puzzles, origami, interactive sessions were conducted where in the Prakashites participated with great enthusiasm. The origami activity was a group event, students were asked to prepare 3-D models of their choice. Their interests and their ideas and the overwhelming colorful models were a feast to the eye



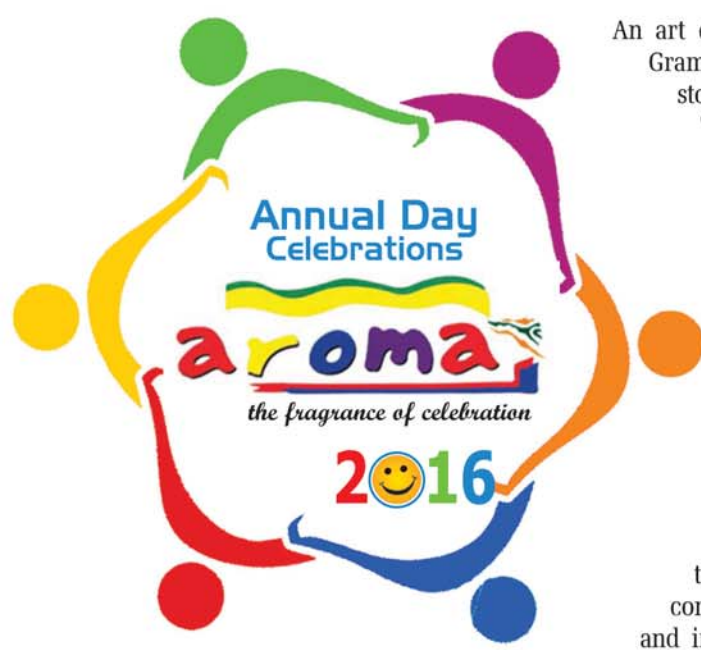
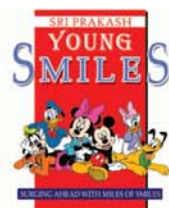
when they were kept on display in the exhibition.. They tried to explore from pin to piano with the help of paper-folding with their nimble hands. Solving Rubik's cube" and creating magic squares, interactive Session on mathematics based on Pascal's triangle and Vedic mathematics, Mathematical games such as Sudoku and Kakuro were also conducted. On the last day of the week, the Math Relay Race was exceptional. Students were grouped house-wise and were asked to solve puzzles at different levels and Grades. The valedictory function of the event started with the garlanding of Srinivasa Ramanujam portrait and few power point presentations by the students. A group of students explained sutras of Vedic Mathematics, Ekadhikena Purvena, Nikhilam Navatascharamam Dasatah and UrdhavaTriyagbhyam, which are very much helpful in doing calculations in Mathematics. It created opportunity for building an awareness of concepts and developing positive attitude towards Mathematics. The winners of the week were given achievement cards as a mark of appreciation.



Cakes, treats and candies galore..... This is the season all adore. Loads of fun, games, food, joy and many more..... It's Christmas time, come let's care and share. Christmas was celebrated with gaiety and enthusiasm by Prakashites, Parents and staff in the school premises. Students attired as Joseph, Mother Mary, Wise Men, shepherds and the angels attracted the attention of the audience. All the students dressed up colorfully to reflect the spirit of Christmas eve. A musical drama on the birth of Jesus Christ was beautifully performed by the students. Every where it was decorated with bright and colorful bells, balloons, stockings, stars and snowman. Students sang Christmas carols, played Jingle Bells tune on keyboard and danced to the numbers like 'Jinge- rella', 'Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer'.

The whole school echoed with the holy hymns recited by the students. Moms were thoroughly entertained with Bowling and everyone had a good time enjoying interesting logical games which improve thinking and observation skills. Parent and child as partners played 'Precious Catch' and 'Hoop the ball' which was thoroughly enjoyed. "Ornaments give beauty to one's personality" - to make that happen, students crafted quilling ornaments like ear-rings, pendants and finger-rings which received appreciation. To add a cherry on the cake, the winners were appreciated with prizes. To delight everyone's taste buds a food fest was arranged by the students of Cookalicious Club. Children received gifts from their favourite...SANTA CLAUS.





An art exhibition on the theme Grameena Bharat, based on story boards under the title "Every Problem has 360 Solutions", cultural programme and speeches by eminent personalities made Aroma-2016 the Annual day of the school an unforgettable and special moment. Art exhibition provided an opportunity to express themselves, develop self confidence and persistence and further more to strengthen communication, exploration and imagination. School choir took the audience to the land of

music on the wings of melody. The cultural programme provided a stage to the students to perform various dance forms. 3D water fall street painting, which produce three dimensional impressions on a two dimensional horizontal surface, by the budding artists at the entrance of the venue stole the heart of the visitors and spread the joy of taking unlimited memories.



Rock the Beat



3D Art



Art Exhibition

Dr. C.V.Narasimham, Principal, Ramnath Secondary School, advised the parents on the need of spending quality time with children, which gives immense pleasure and happiness to them. He also quoted that "Values are caught not taught". He suggested parents to give chance to children to ask more questions. Dr. K.Lakshmi Narayana, Retired I.A.S, Director of A.P. State Skill Development Corporation, stated 'It is the classroom culture that determines the outcome of the curriculum we use' and appreciated the school class room culture which reflects multiple intelligence. Talking about today's trend, he further said 'Internet may give connectivity but not bondage'. Many of our parents want their children to be at the top to fulfill parent's dreams. This leads to an unhealthy individual for the future society. He finally suggested the parents to encourage the students to learn mother tongue and quoted that Sri Prakash classrooms are designed to mould a child to adjust well and to build a caring society. Sri.T.S.R. Prasad, Retired Addl. Superintendent of Police, spoke about classroom policies and



programmes. He appreciated the school for creating a more fluid learning environment. He supported the school teaching methods which allow for learning through self-motivation, not by imposition. He encouraged the students to join the Indian forces and serve the motherland. Prof. Miriam Amit, Dean, Ben Gurion University, Israel, spoke about current educational needs. We now live in an increasingly diverse and globalized

environment. Students need to master the 3 C's - Communicate, Collaborate and to be Critical. She further said "As a teacher and parent we have to identify the unique feature of every child and should encourage them to master in it". She finally quoted 'Sri Prakash Vidyaniketan is th brain for knowledge and heart for values'. Prof. Ghanta Ramesh, Emeritus Professor of Education, Dept. of Education and Training, Maulana Azad National Urdu University Hyderabad, stated that 'self-expression, keen observation and sense of appreciation helps a child to become a good human and art alone helps to develop these qualities. Child's interest and proper guidance are the two traits teachers need to blend together to train the future citizens. He also suggested the parents to give freedom to children and to encourage their interests.

The Guests were immensely impressed by the big picture of Dr.A.P.J. Abdul Kalam with a motivational song by the School Choir. Prizes were distributed to all the winners in different activities followed by the Cultural Festival that commenced with Swagatam and provided refreshing entertainment with the events- Know to Grow, Classical Fusion, Art with Heart, Sree Krishna Leelalu, Sankranthi Sambaralu, Rock the Beat and Hum Hindustani.



Kids Melody - School Choir



Swagatham



Know to Grow



Art with Heart



Hum Hindustani



Classical Fusion



Sankranthi Sambaralu



Sri Krishna Leelalu



A TRIBUTE TO THE FATHER OF INDIAN ECONOMIC REFORMS

Rich tributes were paid by prakashites to the ninth Prime Minister late Sri Pamulaparti Venkata Narasimha Rao on his 12th death anniversary in the presence of Andhra

University Vice Chancellor Dr.G.S.N. Raju, APCC General Secretary Sri Dronamraju Srinivas, DCC President and former minister Sri P. Balaraju, Former Vice Chancellor of Acharya Nagarjuna University, Sri V. Balamohan Das, former Rector Andhra University Sri A. Prasanna Kumar, Former Additional SP Sri TSR Prasad, Congress party leaders, BJP City president Sri P.V. Narayana Rao and Assistant Governor Rotary Club Rtn. P.L.K. Murthy. The revolutionary statesman deeply venerated by leaders across the political spectrum was an inspiration for all age groups. His contribution to Telugu people continues to be a source of inspiration till date.



**TAKE RISKS IN YOUR LIFE...
IF YOU WIN; YOU MAY LEAD...
IF YOU LOSE; YOU MAY GUIDE...
- SWAMI VIVEKANANDA**

National Youth Day was celebrated with great joy and enthusiasm to commemorate the birthday of Swami Vivekananda, the maker of modern India. A special assembly was conducted on the eve. Students dressed in Swami Vivekananda robes performed the assembly highlighting the history and the importance

of the day and the great contribution made. Students reflected the spirit of the great monk's words through a role play where a child spoke the speech at the world parliament of religions, Chicago. It was a pleasure to watch children promoting the great saint's thoughts. Later, essay writing, painting and poem writing competitions were conducted depicting their knowledge on Swami Vivekananda.



... National Youth Day ...

Swami Vivekananda

(January 12, 1863 - July 4, 1902)

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Birth Anniversary



KNOW YOUR CITY TRAFFIC

Acknowledging that children are the best medium to apprise their parents and family about traffic rules and regulations, the traffic police have chalked out an educational programme on road safety. According to the department, the traffic educational programme will make city streets safe for everyone. Under the supervision of Mr.

Mohammad Ghouse, ASI, IV Town Police Station around 150 children were sensitized on traffic rules who in turn were expected to educate others. The police officials stressed on the road safety norms and traffic awareness and also answered to children's queries.



Prakashites salute the Indian Navy at 'Day at Sea'



Bangal. Prakashites enthusiastically participated in the event and knew about the fleet review. Navy conducted various evolutions including missile firing by naval ship, the fly-past by the naval aircrafts over the ships and rescue operations from aircrafts. In this event, the students had an opportunity to seize a glimpse of the naval operations in which the officials and sailors of the ships are involved throughout the year.

As the ships flagged off into the sea all young voyagers were reminded of the truth that nothing can repay the hard work and sacrifice of the Indian Navy and coastguards saving the country 24x7. The Day at Sea program for the school children conducted by Eastern Fleet to show the power of Navy left a deep and unfathomable memory for the school children. Four war ships of Eastern fleet displayed this maritime process through various maneuvers and evolutions. The day started with the ships casting off and entering the Bay of



SANKRANTHI SAMBARALU



Our Country..... Our Culture..... Our Students.....
We celebrate different festivals in the school to make the students understand India's vast tradition and culture and to motivate them to conserve the same. Sankranti Celebrations encouraged the children to wear traditional dress. A power point presentation was shown to make them understand the significance of this harvest festival. The whole School was decorated colorfully. Village scene was depicted in one corner. Toys were arranged by students to follow the tradition of 'Bommala Koluvu'. The highlight of the celebration was the unique style of 'Bommala Koluvu' which was presented in the form of the model of a village celebrating Sankranti. Kondapalli toys and the other wooden toys reflected the culture and tradition of our state, Andhra Pradesh. Colorful and attractive 'Rangolis'

were made by students and they decorated Rangoli with flowers and Gobbemmalu. Each state celebrates Sankranti in its own way. Students prepared Sankranti special dishes of different states. The celebrations reached its heights with the Bhogi Fire, Bhogipallu, and folk characters like Pittaladora, Budabukkalavadu, Sodemma, Haridasu, and Gangireddu reflecting the village atmosphere. The performance of Haridasu summed up the BhakthSampradayam of villages. A group of children presented folklores related to the occasion. To promote the age old custom of kite making and flying, the older children taught the younger ones how to make kites. On the whole the celebrations fascinated the parents and enlightened the children about our culture and tradition.





"Happiness doesn't result from what we get, but from what we give." True happiness lies in giving and it gives happiness not only to the givers but to the receivers too, who are actually in need. Each one-care one, with this motto the students along with the School Interact Members, stepped forward towards a great way of helping out the community by giving blankets to the poor children in extremely cold areas in the vicinity of Vizag. Blankets distributed by the students lit the spark of joy in the less- fortunate lives. More than 1000 blankets were distributed among the under privileged



Blankets Distribution - Sri J.V.S. Satyanarayana, Asst. Secretary State Council, CPI, Sri Ch.Raghavendra Rao, Chairman, VSP. Co-op. Bank present on the occasion



"You know you are a science teacher when 'you hear hail hitting the car outside and instinctively you run outdoors with a frozen bowl to catch some for class", said Michelle Thereso. Dr Sultan Ahmed Ismail, Director, Eco Science Research Foundation became one such in the seminar hall when he displayed an endless effort,



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This formula of vision + Research + Hard work = Kidumatica has

ference between cow plough and tractor plough-and their impact on the soil layer, Importance of top soil- 1 inch of top soil formation in 250 years to 300 years, use of fertilizers and the harm caused by them, Marigold plant working as a pest repellent, harms of fruit ripening by Calcium carbide, 508 Earth Worms in India and their been founded by Prof. Miriam Amit, Dean, Ben Gurion University, Israel. Here the students were not taught Mathematics from the curriculum. In fact, they were given situations and pictures to think on their own to solve the problem. The child without applying formulae tries to solve it with the help of his own calculations. An active child in Mathematics is presented with a T-shirt with a problem printed on its back. It is just as good as a social advertisement to encourage Mathematics amongst the public. Wherever the child goes leaves

Education, the ultimate weapon to change the world

coming down to the level of the students to explain them. No words to describe; it was just excellent. The topic was not only science but also value-based. That's what the generation needs! According to Dr. Sultan Ahmed Ismail, it is "Thinking differently". He demonstrated them an array of experiments connecting one another meticulously to keep them live without diverting from the concept. He explained them many concepts such as Energy flow in nutrient cycle- biotic and abiotic, Eco-Ecology-Economy, example of cow and its defending mechanism, dif-

classification, Vermitech at home-using 7 pots named from Monday to Saturday, R BGH used for cattle, 'How to make - rain gauge, green house effect at home, hromatography experiment on chalk and many more. What else a child needs! He educated them about the safety of environment, ecology and the science behind it.

his surroundings to think, think and think.... This way the whole nation is left to think to do something more in the field of education. Prakashites, tried to solve all the problems given by Prof. Amit.

Small Change



Prerana S. Madan class VIII student, is trying to make a small yet very important difference to the world around. She took a rally on the awareness of menace caused by the open drains .She intends to create an awareness against the deaths because of open drains . Prerana said," Due to the recent incident of Adithi, I took this initiative to create awareness ." She has been highly appreciated for her efforts by the GVMC Commissioner to whom she has submitted her plan of action further.

'Prerana' for a good cause

Sri Prakash invites such aspirants as Prerana who will shoulder social responsibility. This 'Small Change' corner is dedicated to encourage and accept such endeavour by any of our Prakashites in future too.



International Council of
Associations for Science Education

for learning
science
concepts playfully

An International Council of Associations for Science Education (ICASE) Centre was inaugurated with a week-long educational exchange program with the Thailand students. The objective of the program is teaching complex science concepts in simple and playful manner. Dr. Chou Chien-Heng, Dr. Sudhakar C. Agarkar, Professor and Dean VPM's Academy of International Education and Research, Thane, Dr. Janchai Yingprayoon, Suan Sunandha Rajabhat University, Bangkok, Thailand, Ms. Dee-Jean Ong, Malaysia, graced the occasion. Speaking on the occasion Dr. Janchai Yingprayoon shared his experience with ICASE in other countries and explained how science can be fun. Dr. Chou Chien-Heng explained the Newton's Laws, Electrostatic Force, Conversion of Wind Energy to Electric Energy through brainstorming experiments. The experiments motivated and created interest in students which would allow them to think beyond the school



Dr. Sudhakar C. Agarkar, Mumbai, **Dr. Chou Chien-Heng**, Taiwan, **Dr. Janchai Yingprayoon**, Thailand, **Prof. G.S.N. Raju**, Vice Chancellor, Andhra University, **Sri O. Naresh Kumar**, CEO, Symbiosis Technologies, **Ms. Dee-Jean Ong**, Malaysia



curriculum. The international exchange program got off to an interesting start with a series of workshops with a view to teach science concepts in a playful manner using low cost materials. Closing Ceremony included of interactive sessions for both the teachers and students with the ICASE Team. Speaking on the occasion, the Chief Guest Prof. G.S.N. Raju, Vice Chancellor of Andhra University, appreciated the methodologies followed in the school by injecting informal education in formal education. Sri O. Naresh Kumar, CEO, Symbiosis Technologies, announced Rs.10,000/- reward for them. He had also promised Rs.20,000 reward for the student's excellence in the field of Science and Art. The School Newsletter - YOUNG SMILES was released by the guests.



A workshop was conducted for Prakashites by Mr. Rajesh Pandya and his team from Japan. Mr. Takaaki Yoneji, President, Japan sports communications, Japan, demonstrated Radio Exercise which is also called Rajio Thaiso in Japan. He also said that a Japanese woman's life has been extended up to 88 years on an average and the

radio exercise is being practiced by various companies in Japan. He said, "The prime minister of India also started following it". He also advised the students to practice this exercise for 3 minutes every day and to make it a routine to be benefited with better ideas and improved thinking skills.

RED DAY

Colours, colours, pretty colours..... will you play a game?
Colours, colours, pretty colours..... can you tell its name?



Identification of colours is one of the most important skills to be developed in the students of lower kindergarten. This skill is developed in the students through the celebration of specific color day. This time the tiny ones took a plunge into the world of Red colour where everything was in red, the tables, chairs, balloons, objects and the children themselves!!! Little ones enjoyed

the dab paint and thumbprint art, tapped their feet on 'Red Colour - Theme Song'. At the end of the day each child returned home with a cute smile and beautiful, red head gear and a watch as return gifts. The display of a variety of objects available in red color and playing identification games once again emphasized on the fact that learning is deep when it involves activities.



LEARN 3D PAINTING WITH TRACY LEESTUM & SHRYN CHAN

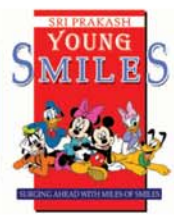


School Programmes are one of the most significant elements of the learning for any student. one act play is a wonderful method for learning that it is the "Play and fun way" to education. As in the part of Sabha activities Prakashites performed one act plays based on ever green classic comedies from English literature. Prakashites also present-

ed concept songs which created an opportunity to understand different topics through a song. This programme indeed helped the students to enhance communication skills, encourage positive self-esteem, assist in decision-making and increase self-confidence, all of which are pre requisites for effective learning.

SABHA





“ Nandi Natakotsavam 2015-16” “Swachh Bharat”
the Playlet was enacted by Prakashites..



Release of School Calendar - 2016
Vital Virtues for Vibrant Future



New Year Calendar was released in the presence of Smt. B. Sumidha Devi, I.R.S. Joint Director General, Central Excise, Intelligence, Bangalore, Sri T.S.R. Prasad, Retd. Addl. S.P., Rotarian B.K. Rai and Miss. Deeksha Rai, M.B.A. from IOWA University, USA. The Calendar pictured with the activities of students at school titled "Vital Virtues for a Vibrant Future". portrays the theme of motivational concepts such as Courage, Perseverance, Discipline, Focus, Compassion, and Integrity. On the occasion, Prakashites who received

Consolation Prize at NASA Space Settlement Contest and those who represented 48th Joint Science exhibition at Hong Kong were also awarded during the event. Smt. B. Sumidha Devi interacted with students and educated them on taxes and various policies of the Government. She advised the students to read newspaper every day to gather knowledge on the policies and day-to-day happenings in the country. Young Rotarian Deeksha Rai advised prakashites to chase their dreams.



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Central Excise Intelligence



Ms. Deeksha Rai,
M.B.A. IOWA University, USA



Sri. T.S.R. Prasad, Retd., Addl S.P



COURAGE



PERSEVERANCE



INTEGRITY



DISCIPLINE



COMPASSION



FOCUS



Poster Release - Save a Precious Life
Donate a Blanket & Save a life this Winter

Field trips "What you see is what you observe" and when they observe well, it is imbibed in the young minds. That is why Field Trips are part of our school curriculum where children learn how to go and find things what they want to learn through their own interest and experience.



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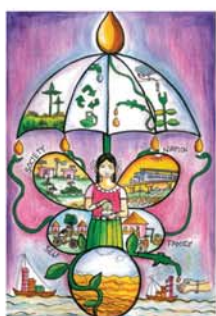
Indira Gandhi Zoological Park



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**Home
Away from
Home**

The hostel which houses numerous children of varied age groups is a perpetual hub of activities. The school strives to provide myriad experiences which are a ready amalgamation of a homely, intellectual and rational environment.





**SARDAR VALLABHBHAI
JHAVERBHAI PATEL**



The Iron Man of India

Popularly known as the Iron Man of India, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel was one of the founding fathers of the Republic of India. A statesman of integrity, he played a quintessential role in helping India garner independence from the British rule. However, his role in the independence struggle did not end with just that as he was the man who guided the country to become a united, independent nation. Born in a Gujarati family, Patel was academically trained to become a lawyer. However, inspired by the works and teachings of Gandhi, he switched to give his life for the Indian struggle for independence. One of the leaders of the Indian National Congress, he raised to prominence in his



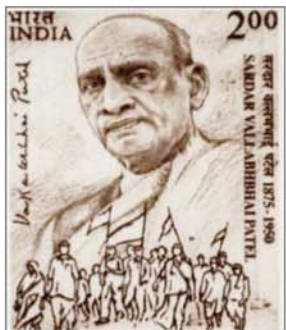
home state for his outstanding work of saving peasants of Gujarat from the oppressive policies imposed by the British Raj, through non-violent civil disobedience. It wasn't long before Patel became the trail-blazer in the nationalist movement. It was for his ability to lead from the front that he was given the forename, Sardar, meaning Chief. Patel is also credited for establishing modern all-India civil services and for the same, is remembered as the 'Patron Saint' of India's civil servants. It was his sheer sense of wisdom, practical acumen, sharp mind, great organizational skills and political insight that helped Patel become one amongst the greatest leaders of India.

Education : He used to help his father in farming and studied in a school at N. K. High school, Petlad. He passed his high-school examination in 1896. Throughout school he was a very wise and intelligent student. In spite of poor financial condition his father decided to send him to college but Vallabhbhai refused. Around three years he stayed at home, worked hard and prepared for the District Leader's examination, hence passing with very good percentage.



Sardar Varllabhbhai Patel the iron-man of India was born on 31st October, 1875, in a small village in Nadiad. His father Jhaverbhai Patel was a simple farmer and mother Laad Bai was a simple lady. From his childhood itself, Patel was a very hard-working individual. They lived in the village of Karamsad, in the Kheda district of the Bombay Presidency, where Jhaverbhai owned a homestead. Somabhai, Narsibhai and Vithalbhai Patel (also a future political leader) were his elder brothers. He had a younger brother, Kashibhai and sister Dahiba.

Social Works: He started his practice in Ahmedabad and soon he became aware of the local life, activities and people's problems. He became an extremely popular person and he got elected in the Municipal Corporation in 1917. Around 1915, he came across Mahatma Gandhi. The Swadeshi Movement was at its peak. Gandhiji gave a lecture at a place in Ahmedabad where Patel heard him and was very impressed and started actively participating in the freedom movement. The British government's atrocities were increasing. The government declared to confiscate all the lands of farmers. He forced the British government to amend the rules. He brought together the farmers and encouraged them and hence got the title of 'Sardar' and thus became famous.



Political integration of India : This event formed the cornerstone of Patel's popularity in post-independence era and even today, he is remembered as the man who united India. The Congress as well as senior British officials considered Patel the best man for the task of achieving unification of the princely states with the Indian dominion. Gandhi had said to Patel "the Problem of the States is so difficult that you alone can solve it".



Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Family

Quit India: On the outbreak of World War II Patel supported Nehru's decision to withdraw the Congress from central and provincial legislatures, contrary to Gandhi's advice, as well as an initiative by senior leader Chakravarthu Rajagopalachari to offer Congress's full support to Britain if it promised Indian independence at the end of the war and install a democratic government right away. Gandhi had refused to support Britain on the grounds of his moral



opposition to war, while Subhas Chandra Bose was in militant opposition to the British. The British rejected Rajagopalchhari's initiative and Patel embraced Gandhi's leadership again. He participated in Gandhi's call for individual disobedience, and was arrested in 1940 and imprisoned for nine months. He also opposed the proposals of the Cripps mission in 1942.

Somnath temple Restoration:-

Sardar Patel ordered Somnath temple reconstructed in 1948. Junagadh was especially important to Patel, since it was in his home state of Gujarat and also because this Kathiawar district had the ultra-rich Somnath temple which had been plundered 17 times by Mahmud of Ghazni who broke the temple and its idols to rob it of its riches, emeralds, diamonds and gold.

Greatmen were children one day
Children can be greatmen some day

BORN ON	31 October 1875 AD
BIRTHDAY	31st October
	Famous 31st October Birthdays
DIED AT AGE	75
BORN IN	Nadiad
DIED ON	15 December 1950 AD
FATHER	Jhaverbhai Patel
MOTHER	LaadBai
SIBLINGS	Dahiba, Kashibhai, Somabhai, Narsibhai, Vithalbhai Patel
SPOUSE:	Jhaverba Patel
CHILDREN	Maniben Patel, Dahyabhai Patel
EDUCATION	Middle Temple
AWARDS:	1991 - Bharat Ratna

Fighting for independence :



Patel won an election to become the sanitation commissioner of Ahmedabad in 1917. Patel gave a speech in Borsad in September 1917, encouraging Indians nationwide to sign Gandhi's petition demanding Swaraj independence from the

British. Meeting Gandhi a month later at the Gujarat Political Conference in Godhra, Patel became the secretary of the Gujarat Sabha a public body which would become Gujarati arm of the Indian National Congress at Gandhi's encouragement.

Satyagraha in Gujarat:-



Supported by Congress volunteers Narhari Parikh, Mohanlal Pandya and Abbas Tyabji, Vallabhbhai Patel began a village-to-village tour in the Kheda district, documenting grievances and asking villagers for their support for a statewide revolt by refusing the payment of taxes. Patel emphasized potential hardships with the need for complete unity and non-violence despite any provocation. He received enthusiastic responses from virtually every village.

LEADERSHIP QUALITIES

- ✓ HONESTY
- ✓ EMPATHY
- ✓ FORWARD - LOOKING
- ✓ FAIR MINDED
- ✓ MOTIVATING
- ✓ INTELLIGENT
- ✓ STRAIGHT FORWARD
- ✓ IMAGINATIVE
- ✓ NEVER ENDING
- ✓ WINNING SPIRIT
- ✓ COURAGE

NATIONAL UNITY DAY

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel
-October 31, 1875 - December 15, 1950



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