



Sir Padampat Singhania Education Centre

Kamla Nagar, Kanpur.

School report for the month of July 2016.

1. Activity Report

Date : 02 July 2016
Event : Workshop by SEBI
Venue : School Library
Attended by : 50 teachers.

Details : A workshop for the teachers was organized by Securities and Exchange Board of India in the school's premise. The motive behind this workshop was to spread awareness about multiple investment tools available in the market for the investors. The Resource Person Mrs Niharika addressed the gathering and told them the merits of starting early investments and how to go about choosing right asset allocation for their hard earned money. She also linked diminishing returns from asset instruments that offer meagre rates of interest to increasing inflation and how inflation manages to eat into the real returns. This informative session was highly appreciated by the teachers who benefitted from her advice. The second round of the workshop will be conducted in August, 2016.

Date : 04 July 2016
Event : Students Reported to School
Venue : SPSEC

Details : The school re-opened after the summer vacation for the students who returned to school after a long break. The school was abuzz with their enthusiasm and reverberated with boundless energy. There was a spring in their step as they trotted to their respective classes to get immersed in the ocean of knowledge.

Date : 06 July 2016
Event : Happy Face Handprint
Classes : Root, Bud & Bloom
Venue : Foundation Block

Details : The students of Root, Bud and Bookl came to school on July 6, 2016 after long summer vacation. To welcome our little ones and make them feel happy the entire foundation block was decorated with emoticons. Welcome songs and rhymes were sung for them during the assembly time. They also danced to music and had fun. They did finger print activity on the cut out of giraffe and enjoyed making their own stories and discussing with their friends using their finger puppet. An extension to our welcome party 'Happy Face Handprint' activity was also organized where discussion regarding the different emoticons was done in the classroom. They could very well express their feelings and enjoyed the group activity with their friends. They made happy face handprint wreath and butterfly which they carried back home.

Date : 08 July 2016
Event : Workshop on Accountancy
Attended by : Accounts Teachers – Dr. D.P. Singh and Mr. M.V. Singh
Venue : Swaraj India Public School, Kakadeo, Kanpur

Details : A knowledge sharing workshop was organized by Sultan Chand & Sons Pvt Ltd (New Delhi) at Swaraj India Public School, Kakadeo. Representatives from over 100 schools

from the city were a part of this workshop. The Resource Persons were CA (Dr) G.S. Grewal and Mr R.K. Khosla. They apprised the participants with the changes in pedagogical dispensation of knowledge in accountancy in CBSE board. They advised the teachers to keep themselves abreast with the new trends and changes brought forth by the board every year and device ways to implement them in their mode of instruction to the students for a better learning process. They also suggested ways that could be incorporated while making a difficult topic in a subject easy to understand for all. The students are faced with a challenging task of delivering the learning in the most suggestive way and most of the time they are not able to do it owing to multiple factors like difficulty in comprehending the changed pedagogical pattern. The workshop was extremely informative as it touched all the aspects of fine teaching and the resource persons answered all the queries of the participants to their satisfaction.

Date : 11 – 16 July 2016
Event : Social Studies Week (Junior & Senior Section)
Venue : SPSEC

Details : Social Studies Week, a non-competitive event was conducted in our school. On 12th July, a public speaking activity was organized for classes I – V on the topics – ‘Pollution – A Health Hazard for Children’. The students participated with enthusiasm and gained information on the ill effects of a contaminated environment. The second event was on 15th July on the topic ‘India – Our Motherland’, in which students were asked to express through the following activities:

Slogan Writing – Classes I – II – Topic ‘India’
Cartoon Making – Class III – IV Topic – ‘Swatch Bharat’
Chart Making – Class V – Topic ‘Global Warming’

The students portrayed the information innovatively.

In the senior section a number of activities were conducted in the classes VI – X. The topics were as follows:

Class VI	Chart making on ‘Unity in Diversity’
Class VII	Poster making on ‘Natural and Man Made Hazards with preventive measures
Class VIII	Collage on ‘Pride of your City’
Class IX & X	Cartoon Making on Indian Politicians

The students decorated the bulletin boards with their work and were judged under ‘House Activity’.

Date : 11 – 15 July 2016
Event : Public speaking activity
Classes : Root, Bud & Bloom
Venue : Foundation Block

Details : A week long activity from 11.7.16 – 15.7.16 “public speaking activity” was organized in Root, Bud & Bloom section of the foundation block. This activity was organized keeping in mind the motive of encouraging public speaking skills in the little ones. This activity was divided into five different activities to be conducted for five days. On the first day of the activity i.e. 11.7.16 “this is me” activity was organized. In this children learnt to speak about themselves and also they coloured a cut-out of mirror on sheet and drawn their picture on it and spoke few lines about themselves looking the mirror. They also learnt the poem ‘I am special’ as they are our special someone’s. On day two i.e. 12.7.16 “my best friend” activity was conducted in which said lines about their best friends and also did a craft sheet on the topic friend. On day 3

13.7.16 “my neighbour” activity was organized. In this activity children learnt about their surroundings as well as neighbourhood. They also learnt the importance of keeping their surroundings clean with the help of a sheet also by sticking the trash in the bin. They also did sheet about learning their house number street and town name. On day 4 i.e. 14.7.16 “my pet” activity was organized. In this activity they discussed about pet animals in the class by drawing them on board as well as in their drawing books (by Bud & Bloom). Root children made paper bag puppets of a dog. On day 5 i.e. 15.7.16 “Grandparents’ Day” activity was organized. In this activity class discussion was done regarding their grandparents in which they learnt their name, their likes dislikes, things they love to do with them and most important their importance and respecting them always. They also prepared a card for their grandparents wishing them a happy grandparent’s day.

Date : 15 July 2016
Event : 2nd Series – Avishkar Quiz
Classes : I to X
Venue : Class Rooms

Details : The 2nd Series of Avishkar Quiz Competition to promote creativity and innovative spirit among school children in the areas of Science, Mathematics and Technology started with a school level competition in the premises of our school. The children were allotted 40 minutes to complete 20 objective questions. The numbers of participants from each category were:-

Primary I – V	-	750 students
Middle VI – VIII	-	550 students
Secondary IX – X	-	1100 students

1700 students participated enthusiastically in the quiz. The theme for the quiz was ‘Atmosphere’. The major areas covered were layers of atmosphere, temperature of the layers, ozone layer and its depletion, global warming – its causes and consequences. The idea was to judge the general awareness and the aptitude of the children; arouse concern about the environment and the changes it is undergoing. The quiz was successfully completed with details uploaded on CBSE website.

Date : 15 July 2016
Event : Workshop on ‘How to Remove Stage Fear?’
Resource Person : Mr. R.J. Rohan from 92.5 Red FM
Venue : SPSEC

Details : A workshop on ‘How to Remove Stage Fear?’ was organized in the Junior Section of our school. Mr. R.J Rohan from 92.5 Red FM (Lucknow) was the Resource Person. The workshop was meant for the students of Classes III – VIII. The students came on the stage and sang and interacted with Mr. R.J Rohan. He spoke at length about his story from an average child to become one of the successful RJ’s in the capital city. He gave students three mantras of success – Respect parents, teachers and elders, obey them and never try making fun of underprivileged people. He regaled the attendees with his hilarious anecdotes and won over their hearts with his gift of gab. It was an eventful session.

Date : 15 July 2016
Event : A VISIT TO RAJAPURWA FOR THE "SCHOOL ON WHEELS"
INITIATIVE BY THE IAYP STUDENTS
Classes : IX & X

Details :16 students of Sir Padampat Singhania Education Centre enrolled in IAYP (International Award For Young People) were taken to "GYAMSHALA" - a school run for the underprivileged children of the Rajapurwa Basti. Children had an interactive session with these

kids and distributed crayons and colouring sheets and also taught them the basics of how to colour, the colour schemes and names of colours. This was the first initiative for this session under the social programme "School On Wheels" where the IAYP students volunteered. The students were from classes 9th and 10th.

Date : 16 – 22 July 2016
Event : AISSCE & AISSE Compartment Examination 2015 – 16
Venue : SPSEC

Details : Our school was the centre for AISSCE Compartment for the students of class XII and AISSE Compartment Examinations 2015-16 for the students of class X. 315 students registered and appeared for the examination out of which 296 were for class XII and 19 for class X. The academic staff invigilated the proceedings that culminated into a successful exercise.

Date : 16 July 2016
Event : Felicitation of Meritorious Students
Venue : Seva Sansthan, Kanpur

Details : Seva Sansthan organized an event to honour to felicitate meritorious students from the schools of Kanpur. Overall 60 students were recognized for their diligence and exemplary performances. Four students from our school; Parth Agarwal, Madhav Paliwal, Mradushi Shukla and Alankriti Shukla were awarded certificates by the Mayor of our city Captain Pandit Jagatveer Singh Drona. The students felt proud and happy upon receiving the award.

Date : 19 July 2016
Event : IAYP Award Winners
Venue : SPSEC

Details : Two students of our school have received the IAYP award namely Kabir Singh Bakshi (Class XII) – Silver Standard and Samyak (Class XII) – Bronze Standard.

Date : 21 July 2016
Event : Charity Day
Classes : IV & VII
Venue : Spastic Centre, Kanpur

Details : To develop the spirit of sharing and empathy, our school organized a visit to 'Spastic Centre' which is a rehabilitation centre for the handicapped children. 124 students from all the sections of class IV were a part of this trip aimed at promoting charity and compassion. Upon reaching there, the students were received by the Centre Director Mrs Naronha. She told us about the mission of her centre that they strive to provide person with cerebral palsy and other disabilities, with opportunities to recognize and enhance their abilities to attain their maximum potential and integrate into larger community, thereby improving their quality of life. Our students enthusiastically participated in charity activity. They brought with them many useful things like stationaries, eatables, etc. for the special children. The students returned to school with an invaluable lesson learned in humanity.

Date : 21 July 2016
Event : Investiture Ceremony (Primary Wing)
Venue : Basket Ball Court

Details : The Investiture Ceremony of the Primary Wing was held in the basketball court with great enthusiasm. The day started with a motivational song 'When the sun shines on the mountain' followed by a warm welcome by Sampoorna Rastogi of Class 5-C. Our Vice-Principal

Ms Bhawna Gupta gave away the badges to the following House Mistress for the year 2016-17 – Ms Parlika Tiwari (Vindhya), Ms Kavita Arora (Ganga), Ms Savita Mishra (Himachal) and Ms Meekanshi (Yamuna). Amidst thunderous applause, our Principal Mr V.S. Moudgill, presented the respective badges to the members of the newly elected Student’s Council of 2016-17 and they were – Vinayak Gupta (5-C) & Vanshika Agarwal (5-D) [School Captain], Revant Khanna (5-D) [School Prefect], Harshit Singh (4-B) & Taranpreet Kaur (4-C) [Vice-Captain], Shresth Singh (5-C) [Sports Captain] and Gunjan Gupta (4-B) [Sports Vice-Captain]. It was followed by the oath-taking ceremony by the heads of the student’s council. The Principal, in an inspiring speech, urged the leaders to accomplish their targets with diligence and dignity and set an example for the others to follow. The vote of thanks was delivered by Vanshika Agarwal.

Date : 21- 22 July 2016
Event : Spot Evaluation Compartment Examination Class – XII
Venue : Guru Nanak Modern School & Delhi Public School, Kalyanpur.

Details : Teachers from our school went for spot evaluation of compartment examination for class 12th to different centres in the city. Dr Devendra Pratap Singh was sent as the Head Examiner for Business Studies at Guru Nanak Modern School, Bithoor while Mr Kunal Khera, Mr Sanjay Sharma and Mr Gunjan Dua were examiners for EP and Mathematics respectively and went to DPS Kalyanpur.

Date : 21 July 2016
Event : Workshop on Law as Career Option
Speaker : Ms. Pious Shukla (Alumni) & Mr. Anmol Dwivedi (Alumni)
Venue : SPSEC

Details : A workshop on ‘Law as a Career Option’ was organized in our school for the benefit of the students of Legal Studies and Commerce of classes XI and XII. The Resource Persons were Professor Ms. Pious Shukla and Mr Anmol Dwivedi. In an interactive and engrossing session, they informed the students what law is and its importance and also when is the right time to start studying law. They also told them about multiple sections in CLAT entrance examination and how to prepare for it. The students could relate to what they told as both were ex-students of our school.

Date : 22 July 2016
Event : Gaurav Chicker’s Workshop
Classes : XI & XII
Venue : School Playground

Details : The students of class 11th and 12th assembled on the school ground in the morning of July 22, 2016. The event was a talk by Mr Gaurav Chicker, alumni of our school, 1999 batch. He has set up Manya Education Private Limited. Manya is a partner of Princeton Review in South Asia. It has established itself as the go-to-admission-consultation and test preparation provider for SAT, ACT, AP, IELTS and TOFEL. It was an encouraging and motivating session. The main aim of the talk was how to get into prestigious institutions worldwide like MIT, Harvard University and cracking of various examinations, criteria of selection of students, scholarships, passing various mock test, their requirements and the required mindset of the students interested in this direction. A number of students cleared their doubts. They asked the questions enthusiastically and were satisfied with Mr Chicker’s responses. The students were advised to give equal stress on the co-curricular activities and that they should maintain a balance between academics and co-curricular. The students actively discussed various college options and the different streams they could opt. The talk ended with clearing more doubts through e-mails. The students were benefited a lot from this talk and looked forward for more such talks for their future growth.

Date : 22 July 2016

Event : Himachal House Talent Hunt (Senior Section)
Classes : VI - XII
Venue : School Playground

Details : The school witnessed the Himachal House Talent Hunt on 22nd July 2016 in the presence of Principal and the Vice Principal. The theme allotted to the house was 'Southern India'. Keeping the theme in mind the house presented various programs. The comperes Bhaskar and Sanya were dressed in the traditional attire. The program began with the mesmerizing music by the choir on the English song 'I have a dream'.

Next in row was the '*Nukkad Natak*' which highlighted that how technology has overpowered human beings and we need to get back to our roots. The traditional folk dance '*Bharatnatyam*' sizzled the floor to the beats of '*Teen Tana Na Teen....Tana Na Na*' .

The Principal appreciated the House for their commendable performances and informed that they had set a benchmark for other houses to perform better. His words of wisdom enlightened the students and motivated them to participate in such events in the future. The vote of thanks was delivered and the program culminated with the National Anthem.

Date : 23 July 2016
Event : Investiture Ceremony – Senior Section
Venue : Basket Ball Court

Details : Sir Padampat Singhania Education Centre observed the Investiture Ceremony for the new Student's Council of 2016-17. Leadership is a trait that sums up an extraordinary ability to stand-up, direct, take charge and deliver. A leader is a one who knows the way, shows the way and goes the way. The school serves as a cradle that cultivates and grooms a future Person-in-Charge and provides a platform to showcase the abilities acquired and then channelize them into the veins of posterity. The Investiture Ceremony is a process that involves thrifty selection of the potential future leaders and bequeaths them with the powers and positions to serve their peers with ingenuity and distinction.

The Investiture Ceremony of the Student Council 2016-17 was conducted with the highest degree of sincerity and enthusiasm on 23rd July, 2016 in the school premises. The programme commenced with a prayer. Bharat Sharma (Class 10) and Alankriti Shukla (Class 11) compeered the event.

The Principal Mr. V.S. Moudgill affixed the badges to every member of the student's council and congratulated them on their selection. The Vice-principal Ms. Bhawna Gupta conferred the responsibility for the new session to the House Mistresses of all the four houses, namely, Ms. Beena Khatri (Vindhya House), Ms. Anila Chandak (Himachal House), Ms. Vinita Dixit (Yamuna House) and Ms. Soumi Mishra (Ganga House).

Announcing the names of the new members of the Student's Council, Udit Pratap Singh (Class 12) as School Captain, Anuj Pratap Singh (Class 12), Saumya Dwivedi (Class 11) and Parth Agarwal (Class 11) as Vice-Captain, Rishi Raj Singh Rajput (Class 12) as Sports Captain and Hemant Kumar (Class 11) as Sports Vice-Captain were delegated positions and responsibilities by the Principal.

The newly appointed School Captain pledged that the new Student's Council will carry out their obligations with steadfast resolve, discipline, honesty, integrity and passion. He acknowledged everyone for their faith in him and threw light on the future course of action to uphold the glory of our institution. The Principal Mr. V.S. Moudgill shared his experiences with students and encouraged them to deliver the expectations invested in them with utmost sincerity and commitment. The event concluded with the school song followed by the national anthem.

Date : 26 July 2016
Event : Himachal House Talent Hunt (Primary Wing)
Venue : Basket Ball Court

Details : The Talent Hunt show was organized by the Primary Wing of Himachal House in the basketball ground. The theme of the programme was based on 'Southern Region of India'. Our Principal Sir and the Vice- Principal Ma'am graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and the Judges were – Ms Gauri Pathak, Ms Anshuma Mishra and Ms M Tandon.

The event commenced with a welcome address by Revant Khanna. This was followed by the House Choir – 'We are the world', that conveyed the message of unity. Language chauvinism is a big issue in Southern India. To depict this problem 'Nukkad Natak' was presented by the budding artists of the house, which was highly appreciated. Next on cards was 'Bharatnatyam' – a classical dance form of Southern India. All the participants enthusiastically played their respective roles.

At the end, the vote of thanks was delivered and our Principal Mr V.S. Moudgill appreciated the performances and encouraged the participants with his motivating words. The talent hunt proved to be a successful event on all parameters.

Date : 26 – 27 July 2016
Event : Newspaper Swirls
Classes : Root, Bud & Bloom
Venue : Foundation Block

Details : Newspaper is an effective tool for various brainstorming activities. To enhance the developmental and motor skills, Newspaper swirls activity was organized for our children in the foundation block. To have fun, a newspaper table was set up for our children and they were asked to search specific words and letters. A cut out of tie was given to them to colour and do the paper tearing activity. Kids were delighted in tearing paper because amidst all that fun, they were actually developing muscles in their hands and fingers. They all were thrilled and looked graceful in their lovely neckwear.

Date : 26 – 27 July 2016
Event : Moot Court (A Legal Aptitude Based Competition) – 1st Intra School Event.
Venue : Class Room

Details : Sir Padampat Singhania Education Centre organized 1st intra-school two-day event named Moot Court 2016 (A Legal Aptitude Based Competition) in its premises. The motive behind this event was to encourage and aware the students about enormous opportunities existing in legal service sector and how they can benefit the most from it. This competition gave the participants a virtual set-up of the inside of a courtroom, where the students dressed in counselor's attire engaged in war of words on the real cases of fundamental rights. This competition gave students a platform to showcase their talents in both research work, case study and tactical verbal assaults based of statistical evidences on their competitors and win their argument.

SPSEC is the first school to conduct such activity at school level to impart practical knowledge of legal studies. Twelve students undertook six different cases in a space of two hearing sessions that were conducted for two consecutive days on 26th & 27th July 2016. The Judges who presided over the sessions were Advocate Sudhir Singh (Criminal Lawyer), Advocate Ankaj Mishra (Criminal Lawyer) and Advocate Dr. Som Dutt (Criminal Lawyer). They were thoroughly regaled by the verbal jousting between the students and appreciated their efforts in bringing the cases and courtroom to life. They also encouraged the students to take up courses in the legal service sector and wished them luck for their future endeavors.

The Principal Mr. V.S. Moudgill and the Vice-Principal Mrs. Bhawna Gupta extended their gratitude to the Judges for taking time out of their busy schedules and gracing the virtual courtroom with their presence. All the participants were given the certificates and appreciated for their diligence.

Date : 26 July 2016
Event : 2nd Series of Avishkaar Quiz
Venue : Computer Lab

Details : The second round of the competition was conducted in the form of an online quiz on 26th July 2016. The winners of the first round participated enthusiastically. The online quiz was organized in three slots – Primary, Middle and Secondary Level. It was a wonderful experience for the students as they eagerly await their results.

Date : 27 July 2016
Event : International Equanimity Olympiad
Participants : All the sections of Classes IX & X
Venue : SPSEC

Details : All the students of classes IX and X wrote the examination in their activity period. This Olympiad was based on questions related with humanity, morality and ethics. It was organized by Satyug Darshar Trust, Faridabad. OMR sheets were given and tabulation time was 45 minutes that comprised of 75 questions.

Date : 29 July 2016
Event : Students selected for Kanya Vidya Dhan

Details : Twenty two girl students of our school from Class XII were selected for the government grant “Kanya Vidya Dhan Scheme”, aimed at providing monetary benefit towards achieving educational endeavours. The list of the selected students was forwarded to DIOS Office to expedite the fund release process.

Date : 31 July 2016
Event : Regional Workshop
Venue : Vidyut Parishad Inter College
Organized by: National Children Science Congress
Resource Person: Mr Rishabh Mathur and Mr Satish Chandra
Attended by : Mrs. S. Khare

Details : Mr Satish Chandra, the state co-ordinator of NCSC addressed the gathering and discussed about the current topic in an elaborated manner. He also heard the problems faced by the teachers and students and gave the solutions to it. The focal theme for the year 2016-17 is ‘*Science Technology and Innovation*’ and the sub themes are – Sustainable Development, Energy Management, Health and Hygiene, Lifestyle and Livelihood, Disaster and Traditional Knowledge System.

2. Sports Activity Report :

Date : 08 July 2016
Event : Tae-Kwon-Do Award Ceremony
Venue : Bal Bhawan, Kanpur

Details : Our school won the Best School Award for promoting and outperforming in Taekwon-do for the year 2015-16. Our students along with the mentor Mr Pradeep Chauhan received trophies, shields and certificates for their outstanding performance from the Kanpur Taekwando Association.

Date : 16 July 2016
Event : KSS Skating Championship
Venue : U.P. Kirana Seva Samiti

Details : The Singhanians broke all the records at the KSS Skating Championship. The students of S.P.S.E.C. brought laurels to the school as they bagged the Runners Up position at the KSS Skating Championship held at U.P. Kirana Seva Samiti School on the 15th & 16th July, 2016. Class 8 and 9 students enthralled everyone with their amazing performance at the various events held for different age groups. Amongst the 22 participants 4 of them won gold medals, 3 silver medals and 6 bronze medals in various events like incline, adjustable and quads.

Names of the winners are as follows :-

Gold Medal winners - 4 - *Divyansh Singh, Swarnim Gupta ,
Amrita Pathak & Siddharth Khare*

Silver Medal winners - 3 - *Anvesh Tiwari, Asmi & Prashast Pandey.*

Bronze Medal winners - 6 - *Nida-E-Zehra Zaidi, Hunar Kalra,
Samardeep Singh, Rishi Pandey,
Siddhant Seth & Aditi Pandey*

The Principal and the Vice Principal of the school congratulated the students on their success.

Date : 21 – 22 July 2016
Event : KSS Inter-School Chess Tournament (Junior)
Venue : DPS Azad Nagar

Details : KSS Inter-school chess tournament for the juniors was organized by DPS Azad Nagar in which 24 teams participated. Our school chess team secured 7th position. Ananya Mishra of class IV – D played four matches and won all.

Virinder Singh Moudgill
Principal