

Sir Padampat Singhania Education Centre

Kamla Nagar, Kanpur.

School report for the month of September 2016.

1. Activity Report

Date : 01 September 2016

Event : Ganga House Talent Hunt (Primary Wing)

Venue : Basket Ball Court

Details: The talent show was organized by the students of Ganga House on the theme Western India. The programme started with the choir— "The Morning has broken", followed by *Nukkad Natak* - '*Roshini Ki Aur*' based on the problems of terrorism on the border. Then Lavni and Garba, the popular folk dances of Maharashtra and Gujarat were performed by the young children. All the participants enthusiastically played their respective roles. The Principal and Vice Principal appreciated the performance of students.

Date : 02 September 2016

Event : IAYP Orientation Program

Resource Person: Mr. Bivujit Mukhoty

Venue : SPSEC

Details: An IAYP Orientation Program was conducted by Mr. Bivujit Mukhoty – The National Program Manager of the Award in India. He started the session by explaining the paths to achieve the various levels that IAYP offers to students and also how the award is beneficial for career development later in life.

Mr. Bivujit Mukhoty emphasized on the benefits of pursuing this Award at the school level to the students as it adds a positive impact on the overall development of the children and increases the social values in a child towards the needy and society. He also praised the way our school carries forward this international award and is adding feathers to the society by helping the underprivileged and spreading awareness about various social causes prevalent in the society, and making it a mass participating event for our youth.

The Principal and the Vice Principal expressed their gratitude to Mr. Mukhoty for apprising and inspiring the students to join IAYP. Sania Bhatia compeered the event and offered the vote of thanks. The programme concluded with the Principal giving a motivational talk to the students present.

Date : 02 – 03 September 2016

Event : Panorama – A Cultural & Literary Fest

Venue : DPS Kalyanpur

Details: A team of twelve students from our school participated in Panorama, Inter School Fest, organised by Delhi Public School, Kalyanpur and won many prizes:

- 1. Scientifica (Presentation of Science Modal) Satvik Yadav & Naman Samtani of class X stood 1st and received trophy and certificate
- 2. Bob the Builder Naman Samtani won the 2nd position
- 3. Dance Drama -3^{rd} prize
- 4. Tribal $T 3^{rd}$ prize
- 5. Scientific & Techno Overall winner trophy was won by SPSEC

Date : 03 September 2016

Event : Ganga House Talent Hunt (Senior Wing)

Venue : SPSEC

Details: Ganga House Talent Hunt (Senior Wing) was organized on the basketball court. The theme for the house was – Western India. The show commenced with the mellifluous choir singing an English song. Next up was a street play in Hindi in which a foreigner was introduced to western part of India by his Indian acquaintance. He also learned about the magnanimity of Indian culture and few unpleasant aspects of its society, like female foeticide. An English comedy act – Two Lines Vocabulary set the crowd into peals of laughter. The icing on the cake was the dance performance by the students amalgamating the traditional dances of all the four western states – Maharashtra, Gujarat, Goa and Rajasthan. The Principal and the Vice-Principal appreciated the performance of the students and the Principal in his address congratulated the participants for their flawlessly executed talent exhibition.

Date : 04 September 2016

Event : Felicitation Ceremony of teachers.

Venue : Seva Sansthan, Kakadeo

Details: Four teachers of our school were felicitated for their immense contribution in the field of education. They are:-

i. Mr. Neeraj Chaube

ii. Mr. Amit Saxena

iii. Ms. Anuja Kesharwani

iv. Dr. Sunita Srivastava

Date : 05 September 2016

Event : Teacher's Day Celebration & Inter House Dance Competition

Venue : SPSEC

Details: Teacher's day was celebrated in our school with extreme enthusiasm. Teacher's Day was celebrated on Monday, 5th September'2016 with a lot of fanfare at our school. The school captain – Udit Pratap Singh Chauhan started the program with a speech on reverence to teachers quoting the example of Chanakya.

An inter-house dance competition was organized on the theme 'dedication – Samarpan'. All four houses exhibited beautiful dances. Ganga House won the first position.

After this the teachers assembled in the foundation block for a fun filled programmed organized by the student council for teachers.

The Principal – Mr. V.S. Moudgill and the Vice Principal – Ms. Bhawna Gupta thanked the students and congratulated the teachers on the occasion. The staff was given a sumptuous lunch and presented token of gratitude to all the staff members.

Date : 06 September 2016

Event : Clean India Campaign (Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan)

Chief Guest: Mr. Puneet Duggal

Venue : Art & Music Room (Foundation Block)

Details: Sir Padampat Singhania Education Centre organized a cleanliness campaign on Swachh Bharat in the school premises on 6th September, 2016. The programme commenced with a special assembly on Swachh Bharat where the students displayed slogans

related to cleanliness and inspired all to become active participants in this mission. Students delivered a speech remembering Mahatma Gandhi's thought on the importance of cleanliness and sanitation and Prime Minister Narendra Modi's effective nationwide execution of the Swachh Bharat Campaign. A skit was enacted on Swachh Bharat with a message to keep the environment clean and it was followed by a rally in the vicinity. Students held banners and called out slogans using them as an effective medium to keep our country clean.

The main objective of the campaign was to initiate the thought that cultivation of cleanliness should be from within and is reflected from attitude, appearance and habitation. Mr. Puneet Duggal – the Registrar of Companies for UP and Uttrakhand, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Govt. of India was the chief guest and inaugurated the exhibition of paintings, projects and models prepared by the students of classes III – XII on the theme of Swachh Bharat by cutting the ribbon and lighting the lamp. It was a perfect culmination to the week long drive on cleanliness and support of the Swachh Bharat Movement. The Chief Guest appreciated the art work and congratulated the school for its efforts in supporting the clean Indian movement.Mr. Duggal congratulated the work done by students and was mesmerized by the innovation and creativity of the students.

The Principal Mr. V.S. Moudgil, The Manager Mr. A. Bhargava and The Vice Principal Ms. Bhawna Gupta presented collage and paintings on Swachh Bharat to the chief guest.

Date : 06 – 09 September 2016

Event : Curious Minds
Classes : Root, Bud & Bloom
Venue : Foundation Block

Details: Foundation Block of our school organized a fun filled session of activities for the students, details of which are mentioned as under:

- Paint with Ice 06.09.16 Day 1- To provide a sensory, fun and unique painting experience 'Ice painting' activity was organized in the Foundation Block on 6th September, 2016. The activity began with the explanation of primary colours followed by the thrilling ice experiment where they were given coloured ice cubes and the chart papers to paint with the ice and magically creating a new colour by mixing two of the primary colours. Most of them painted until the ice melted. They also learnt about the states of water through games conducted in the class room and water fascinating fun.
- Tooth paste experiment 07.09.16 Day 2 'The healthier the teeth, the happier you look' To develop the habit of oral hygiene for strong and healthy teeth 'Tooth paste experiment' was conducted in the Foundation Block on 7th September,2016. The discussion began with the explanation of how and why to brush teeth followed by the simple experiment using a boiled white egg along with the one soaked in the cola overnight. It was a fun activity for our children as they could see and imagine how a nice pearly tooth can turn to a dour yellow or brown tooth if not brushed properly. They thoroughly enjoyed the brushing activity and learnt the right way to take care of their teeth and the importance of eating healthy food apart from brushing and flossing.
- My Shadow 08.09-16 Day 3 To provide our children the foundational understanding of light by enabling them to explore how light interacts with different objects and to discover relationships between light and shadow 'My Shadow activity' was organized in the Foundation Block on 8th September,2016. The discussion started with a riddle followed by the questions of what is a shadow and how it is formed. They had fun while conducting different experiments with the shadows like interacting while performing simple actions through jumping, skipping, hopping and swimming, observing the sizes by bringing the objects closer and taking far away from the light, playing 'Guess'

the Shadow' game with their teachers, shadow drawing of their favourite animal and making various projections with their hands amongst which cat, horse, duck, eagle, butterfly, crocodile and bunnies were the things imagined and projected.

• <u>Make your own moon</u> – 09.09.16 – Day 4 – To engage students curiosity about the moon and to help build a foundation for learning about the predictability of the moon phases 'Make your own moon' activity was organized in the Foundation Block on 9th September,2016. The priority was to make them notice and describe what the sky looks like at different times. The activity was fun and interesting as our little ones were thrilled to learn about the fact that the appearance of the moon is a little different every day, but looks the same again about every four weeks. Our little astronauts learnt about the phases of the moon while drawing pictures in their art books and by making cookie moons.

Date : 06 – 12 September 2016

Event : Half Yearly Practical – XI & XII

Venue : Science & Computer Labs

Details: The half yearly practical exams for the students of classes XI & XII were conducted in the school to examine their proficiency in the practical application of knowledge acquired during regular learning sessions.

Date : 08 September 2016 Event : Core Skills Workshop

Venue : Guru Nanak Modern School, Bithoor Road, Kanpur

Attended by : Ms. Shaily Nigam

A One day workshop on School Programme Overview was conducted by **Details** the British Council Connecting Classrooms on 8th September, 2016 at Guru Nanak Modern School, Bithoor Road, Kalyanpur, Kanpur. The workshop commenced with the lighting of the lamp and Saraswati Vandana followed by a welcome address and an introduction by Mr. Balwinder Singh, the Principal of GNMS. The workshop was presided over by Ms. Anindita Buragohain, Senior Project Manager Schools-Digital, British Council who apprised the various Principals and teachers of different schools of the city about the various projects taken up by the British Council that works closely with school systems to improve learning outcomes for young people. Ms. Buragohain gave information to the participants about the British Council's Connecting Classrooms, which is a global education programme for the schools and how the schools can become a part of these programmes. The resource person then talked about the need of Professional Development and the various courses that are available with the British Council to help the educators keep themselves updated with the latest trends and deliver the best educational practices to the young students and prepare them for the future. She especially provided details of the three different stages of the Core Skills workshop that is held in various cities every year for the School leaders and the teachers. The workshop culminated with the participants designing a curriculum wardrobe for their students and a quiz on ISA.

Date : 09 September 2016

Event : IIAD Workshop, September'09 Resource Persons: Ms. Nikita Singh & Ms. Vani Dua

Venue : SPSEC

Details: SPSEC conducted a workshop on Art and Design in which the students from Classes V-XII participated with great fervor and showed their creativity by making creative figures through Tangrams and artistic collages.Ritik Jain from Class XII-F was awarded a prize in collage making. Ms. Nikita Singh – Manager Admissions and Ms. Vani Dua – Faculty from IIAD threw light on the under graduate programmes available at their institute.

Date : 09 – 12 September 2016

Event : PI – IIM Venue : IIM – Indore

Details: IIM – Indore organized the 2nd level of PI- Quiz in Indore. In this 3- day fest, 57 students of 16 schools from all over the country participated. Three out of five winners of the preliminary round of Pi-Quiz from our school participated and went to Indore with escort teacher Mrs Kavita Chadha. The students were Anmol Gupta (Class X), Muskaan Singh (Class XI) & Samyak (Class XII). They were a part of activities namely – Treasure Hunt, Game of Shadows and Finopoly.

An interactive session with Dr G Venkat Raman, the esteemed faculty of Humanities in IPM was attended by the students.

Date : 15 – 30 September 2016

Event : SA-1 - Classes I - X, Half Yearly – Classes XI & XII

Venue : SPSEC

Details: Summative Assessment -1 commenced for the students of classes I-X. Classes XI & XII appeared in the half yearly exams that were held from September 17 to September 30, 2016.

Date : 15 September 2016

Event : KSS Cricket Tournament Meet

Venue : SPSEC

Details: SPSEC organized KSS Cricket Tournament Meet in which 20 CBSE schools participated to discuss the organizing details for KSS T-20 Cricket Tournament for the students up to class 8 to be held in our school from October 03 to October 07, 2016. The following points were discussed during the meeting:

- A new pattern is being introduced in which the students below class 6 are also eligible to participate.
- Entry and eligibility details shall be provided to all the participating schools by e-mail
- All the information pertaining to the rules and regulations of the tournament had been dispatched to the participating schools via mails
- Owing to holidays, grace period will be provided to the school on eligibility parameters.
- The fixture was discussed.

Date : 17 September 2016

Event : CTET – CS and Observer's Meet

Venue : Guru Nanak Modern School, Kalyanpur

Details: CTET - Centre Superintendent's and Observer's was held at Guru Nanak Modern School, where the important points were discussed by CBSE Officials for conduction of CTET. Ms. Richi Sharma was attended the meeting.

Date : 18 September 2016

Event : Central Teacher Eligibility Test

Venue : SPSEC

Details: 1200 candidates appeared for CTET in our school premises. The seating arrangement was done in 34 rooms. The invigilation was done by school teachers. 2 observers were appointed by CBSE to monitor the exam. The exam was conducted smoothly.

Date : 22 September 2016

Event : An Interaction with Mohd. Azharuddin

Venue : GHSIMR, Kanpur

Details: Former Indian Captain, Mohammad Azharuddin visited Dr Gaur Hari Singhania Institute of Management & Research Auditorium for an interactive session on 22nd September 2016.

Students of classes 9 to 12 attended the session. The programme commenced with the welcome speech followed by Bouquet presentation by Vice Chairman Mr. Abhishek Singhania. In his interaction with students, Mr. Azharuddin shared his mantras on success.

Mr. Azhar shared inspiring incidences from his cricketing life that inspite of the outfield being unfavourable at Chennai they were able to defeat the Australians and secondly in Sharjah when they were trailing behind with 5 wickets down he kept his cool and attained his target.

The students were exhilarated to see Azhar's fitness and were enthralled by his prompt and witty answers on topics like sports as a career, concentration in studies and overall personality development etc. The vote of thanks was presented by the Principal Mr. Virinder Singh Moudgill. The staff and students took autographs and were excited to be clicked with him.

Date : 25 September 2016

Event : IAYP Bronze Level Certification

Venue : SPSEC

Details: 3 students of SPSEC were awarded Bronze Level Certificate and badges from IAYP. Their names are as under:

- Somya Dwivedi (Class XI)
- Siddhi Shah (Class XI)
- Hemant Kumar (Class XI)

The students worked for 3 months with full dedication in four fields which are covered under this International Award namely, Service, Skills, Physical Recreation and Adventure. This award encourages participation in these fields and improves the performance of the young awards.

Each individual was assessed through the required period on effort, perseverance and progress, as well as on an understanding of the practical, cultural and social aspects of the chosen activity or topic.

2. SPORTS ACTIVITIES:

Date : 29 August – 06 September 2016

Event : Inter House Kho-Kho Championship (Boys and Girls) - Open

Venue : SPSEC

Details: An inter house Kho-Kho championship for students of classes III to XII was organized in our school in which the participants displayed their skills in the game. The results were as followed:

Position	Boys	Girls
1 st Place	Himachal House	Vindhya House
2 nd Place	Yamuna House	Himachal House
3 rd Place	Vindhya House	Ganga House
4 th Place	Ganga House	Yamuna House

Date : 02 September 2016 Event : Kho – Kho Trials

Venue : SPSEC

Details: Kanpur District Association conducted Junior Girls Trials for Kho-Kho in our school. Five girls of our school took part and 3 were selected - Yukti (9F), Priyamvada (9B) and Amishika (8A) for the district team. The association also conducted a camp from 09-15 September 2016 in our school to train the students.

Date : 02 September 2016
Event : Archery Trials
Venue : Palika Stadium

Details: Kanpur Archery District Association conducted trials for district archery team at Palika Stadium in which four students from our school took part and one was selected for Kanpur team. Raj Shiv Bajpai of Class 9E will represent Team Kanpur in the State Championship to be held in Meerut.

Date : 02- 09 September 2016

Event : Inter-house Skating Championship

Venue : SPSEC – Skating Rink

Details: An Inter-house Skating Championship was organized for the students of classes III – V in our school's skating ground. Jasrat (4A) of Vindhya House & Rudraksh (4D) of Ganga House stood 1st in the Boy's event and Akrati (4A) of Vindhya House and Kishnoor Kaur (3B) of Ganga House emerged as winner in the Girl's category.

Date : 03 – 04 September 2016

Event : Athletics

Venue : Lucknow Sports College

Details: Dashmeet Kaur Chawla (Class 10C) of our school represented Kanpur team in Under -16 Girls event in 400 meters race. The State Championship was held in Lucknow Sports College. She also participated in District Cross Country Race and won the third position. She received a trophy and a certificate.

Date : 09 – 12 September 2016 Event : State Archery Championship

Venue : Meerut

Details: Raj Shiv Bajpai (class 9E) represented Team Kanpur in the State Archery Championship held in Meerut. He secured 82 rank out of 372 boys from all over UP. The event was hosted by Satya Kaam International School, Meerut.

Date : 15 – 20 September 2016 Event : Sr. Women's Cricket Camp Venue : Kamla Club, Kanpur.

Details: Ekta Singh of XI-B from our school was selected for the Sr. Women's Cricket Training Camp. She was declared as the best batsman and selected for U.P. Women's Cricket team to be held from 30th September to 10th October, 2016 at Cuttack.

Virinder Singh Moudgill Principal