

## Sir Padampat Singhania Education Centre

Kamla Nagar, Kanpur.

## School report for the months of June & July 2018.

## 1. Activity Report:

Date : 28 June 2018

**Event : Staff Reporting to School** 

Venue : SPSEC

**Details**: A Meeting was held where the staff members were motivated to channelize their work energy for the betterment of the institution. Certain new initiative were also undertaken.

Date : 28 – 30 June 2018

**Event** : Extra classes for class XII

Venue : SPSEC

Details : Extra Classes were held for Class XII students from 28.6.18 to 30.6.18 from 7:45 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. The core subjects were taught by the subject teacher.

Date : 30 June 2018

**Event : Singing Competition** 

**Venue** : Ragendra Swaroop Auditorium, Civil Lines.

Details : A Singing competition was held at Ragendra Swaroop Auditorium Civil Lines on 30th June, 2018. Prerna Shekhar of Class V-C added a feather of victory by winning the first prize (Group A category) in Kanpur's Superstar 2018.

Date : 02 July 2018

**Event** : School re-opens for the students

Venue : SPSEC

Details : Vacations were over and students headed back to school, oozing with enthusiasm and instilled with confidence to face the challenges of life. The Assembly Dais echoed with the warm words of welcome by the Officiating Principal, Ms. Bhawna Gupta.

Date : 08 July 2018

**Event : Result of International Mathematics Olympiad Competition** 

Details : SPSEC propounds plenteous opportunities to our learners to participate in various Olympiads which provides rigorous standards - based challenges in all disciplines and they get an early exposure to learning and competitions. They derive the skills and masters the technique to answer the wide varieties of questions. Through Olympiads students can analyse their performance at school, city, state, national and international level. Navya Agarwal of class VII participated in International Mathematics Olympiad Competition and with her marvellous performance secured International rank 174 and zonal rank 18 in U.P. and Uttarakhand Zone.

Date : 10 – 11 July 2018

**Event : Activities Based on Social Science** 

Venue : SPSEC Classes : VI - IX

**Details**: 'Etudes Sociales' - Activities related with Social Science was conducted on  $10^{th}$  and  $11^{th}$  July 2018 from classes VI to IX. The details of the activities conducted are –

Class	Activity Conducted
VI	traffic rules and symbols
VII	Pollution and its hazards
VIII	Population Explosion
IX	FIFA World Cup 2018

Students actively participated by making posters, writing slogans and making collage. Quiz was also conducted in the class. Special assembly was conducted on 11<sup>th</sup> July 2018 as the day was being observed as 'World Population Day'.

Date : 10 – 12 July 2018 Event : Creativity Corner

Venue : SPSEC

**Details**: Students of Primary Wing participated in "Creativity Corner" activity and were asked to draw and colour on activity centric topic - "Means of Transport", "Save Water" and the "4R's". It gave them an exposure to get information about the environment and also to learn the art of presenting information. The students enjoyed the activity as it provided an opportunity to unleash their talent and imagination for boundary less creativity.

Date : 11 – 13 July 2018
Event : Summer Splash
Venue : Foundation Block
Classes : Root, Bud & Bloom

**Details**: Summer is the perfect time for having fun with water. Water play activities in young children strengthen motor skills, build balance and have the ability to propel and navigate. To enhance their eye hand co – ordination, strengthen their physical skill and to beat the heat 'Summer Splash Activity' was organized for the children of Root, Bud and Bloom from 11.07.18 – 13.07.18 in the Foundation block.

Children came to school wearing their swim suits with sunglasses and slip – on. They were briefed about the clothes, drinks, food and accessories related to summer season. A beach scene was created for them and the pool side was abundantly decorated with colourful umbrellas, balls, sunglasses, coconut trees, attractive selfie corners for an alluring and pleasing ambience. Bubbling with excitement and enthusiasm, in their colourful swim suits the children thoroughly enjoyed the summer splash activity. They jumped and romped in the water, loved splashing water on each other and had great fun playing together with their friends, though there were some who were a little scared to step in. The celebratory music beats at the party made the surroundings more delightful. They relished snacks and refreshing drink to enjoy the relieving activity in the monotonous routine and welcoming the showers of rain with their first pool activity.

Date : 12 July 2018 Event : Charity Day

Venue : Jyoti Badhir Vidyalaya (Deaf and Dumb School)

Class : VIII

**Details**: On 12<sup>th</sup> July, 2018 students of class VIII went to Jyoti Badhir Vidyalaya at Bithoor. Our students interacted with the students of Jyoti Badhir Vidyalaya and observed their skills and experience in screen printing and leather products. Our students made graffiti on the wall of the

Vidayalaya which was enjoyed and appreciated by the students there. The children of our school also learned symbols for all the alphabets. It was an invaluable experience for our children to interact with the underprivileged and observe the way they live their life.

Date : 14 July 2018

Event : KSS Inter School English Story Writing Competition Venue : Maharana Pratap Education Centre, Keshavpuram

**Details**: KSS Inter School English Story Writing Competition for classes VI to XII was organized by Maharana Pratap Education Centre, Keshavpuram, Kalyanpur. Two students, Anandita Vishnoi (Class VIII in Group A) and Amrita Pathak (Class XI in Group B) represented our school. Several reputed schools of the city were a part of this competition. The topics for the story writing were – **When I was Lost** and **Travelling to My Country Ten Years from Now** for Group A and Group B respectively which were given on the spot to the respective groups. The word limit for Group A was 350-400 words and for Group B was 500-550 words. Participation certificates were given to each participant after the competition ended. Anandita Vishnoi bagged the first consolation prize.

Date : 16 July 2018

**Event : Felicitation Ceremony** 

Venue : GHS-IMR

**Details** SPSEC hosted the 'Academic Felicitation Ceremony' at GHS-IMR to honour the prodigies and the stellar performers for their excellent academic feat in AISSCE 2018, AISSE 2018 and the qualifiers of IIT, NEET and CLAT. The ceremony commenced with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp by the Chief Guest Mrs Manorama Govind Hariji Singhania followed by the school choir rendition of the school song set an inspiring tone for the proceedings of the day. The proud parents of the achievers witnessed the ceremony were all in praise for the school and its staff for the excellent academic result of the school. The Officiating Principal Mrs Bhawna Gupta, a proud mentor, in her welcome speech congratulated the students and their parents for the excellent results. She said that SPSEC is the nurturing ground of scholars and these high number of achievers bore the testimony to the same. She anticipates that the students would continue the pursuit of excellence all through the life and perdure to make alma mater and parents proud. A souvenir of appreciation was conferred upon 79 students who walked to the dais majestically with their parents to be honoured in various categories such as Class XII – 10 toppers of science and commerce stream, Class X toppers, subject toppers, qualifiers of prestigious IIT, NEET and CLAT examinations. Congratulating the young achievers, the Chairperson Mrs Manorama Govind Hariji Singhania, encouraged the students to explore various vistas, achieve success in all that they do and at the same time add value to the society and to the lives of their parents who have always been the source of support and inspiration. The Vice Chairman Mr Partho P Kar regaled the audience with anecdotes from his life, encouraging the students to find their niche first and foremost and then learn to innovate and take risks. He acknowledged the efforts of the students for their incredible performance and asserted that excellence in education requires the input and dedication of the teachers, parents and most importantly the students. The Director Mr N.P. Agarwal applauded the students on their success and asked them to make good use of the roots and the wings. The stressed that all students have some potential and all are equally capable. He wished the awardees very best for a bright future.

Date : 17 & 18 July 2018 Event : Planting Seeds Classes : Root, Bud & Bloom

Venue : SPSEC

**Details**: The best way for preschoolers to learn about the natural world is through hands- on activities and experiences. Planting seeds is one of their favourite activity. After planting the seeds children learn the importance of taking care of them while observing their growth. They are fascinated how the seeds are tucked into the soil and they take great care by watering them daily, waiting for them to grow.

Root, Bud & Bloom sections of Foundation Block conducted Seeds and Plants activity in which children learnt planting seeds, watering them and seeing them grow as well.

Date : 20 July 2018

Event : Visit to a School for special children Venue : Prerna School, Cantonment, Kanpur

Class : IV

Details : To develop the spirit of sharing and empathy, our school had organized a visit to Prerna School for special children on 20th July, 2018. It was an enlightening trip as students learnt the virtue of empathy by spending time with the special children and entertaining them with their own performances as well.

Students enthusiastically participated in the activity. They distributed many useful things to the children. Students also appreciated the handwork and craftwork done by the children of the spastic centre.

Date : 20 – 21 July 2018

**Event : Biotechnology Awareness Program** 

Venue : CSJMU, Kanpur

**Details**: A two-day event was organized on 'Biotechnology Awareness Program' by the Department of Biotechnology, CSJMU, Kanpur. IT was sponsored by DBT, Ministry of Science and Technology (Govt. of India). The events were organized by Dr Varsha Gupta [Biochemistry Department]. The events were debates, quiz, essays and model making. Three of our students participated enthusiastically in the essay writing and quiz competition. Siddharth Chaudhary of class XII (student of Bio-Tech) won the prize for the best essay on the topic 'Biotechnology and Sustainable Agriculture'.

Date : 21 July 2018

**Event** : KSS English One Act Play

Venue : UP Kirana Seva Samiti Vidyalaya, Tatya Tope Nagar

**Details**: UP Kirana Seva Samiti Vidyalaya, Tatya Tope Nagar organized Inter-School KSS English One Act Play on the theme 'Slavery'. 23 schools participated in this competition. 15 students represented our school in this contest. Our team won the Runners-up Trophy.

Date : 21 July 2018

**Event : Felicitation Ceremony** 

**Organiser**: Sewa Sansthan

Details : Sewa Santhan organised a felicitation ceremony for honouring the Meritorious students of class X on July 21, 2018 in which 60 meritorious students from Kanpur City were awarded with mementoes and certificates by an IPS Officer Mr. Alok Singh. Five top scorers of SPSEC –

1. Isha Singh

2. Aditya Garg

3. Samriddhi Kanojia

4. Simran Mishra

5. Simran Kaur

Date : 23 July 2018

Event : 'Say No to Plastic Campaign' by Amar Ujala

Venue : Kamla Nagar, Kanpur

**Details**: Singhanians actively participated in the 'SAY NO TO PLASTIC' campaign initiated by Amar Ujala. The initiative focussed on reducing the indiscriminate use of plastic bags and promoted the alternative material like jute, cloth and paper. The students walked the streets raising the slogans and holding placards creating awareness and among the people of Kanpur. They also distributed paper bags to the vendors and shopkeepers in the vicinity and took assurance from them to adopt this positive change.

Date : 25 July 2018

**Event**: First Round of Pi-Quiz

Organizer : IIM- Indore Classes : IX – XII Venue : SPSEC

**Details**: SPSEC conducted the first round of the Pi-Quiz organized by IIM-Indore in the school premises. 94 students of the classes IX to XII marked their participation in the quiz. Question booklet comprised of 40 questions which were related with logical skills, reasoning abilities and mathematics. The test was of one-hour duration. Result awaited.

Date : 27 July 2018

**Event : Brain o Brain Practice Session** 

Venue : SPSEC

**Details**: Brain o Brain organized a practice session for classes VI to VIII for the participants of Brain o Brain in the activity and the first period. They explained the students how to solve the question paper and about negative marking. The session was conducted by Brain o Brain where students asked their queries. They practiced in their practice booklets. It was a successful session.

Date : 27 July 2018

**Event**: 56<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Kanpur Sahodaya Schools.

Venue : The Ganges Club Attended by : Ms. Bhawna Gupta

**Details**: 56<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Kanpur Sahodaya Schools was organised by Sky Valley International School at The Ganges Club, Kanpur. 65 Principals of various CBSE schools of Kanpur attended.

The minutes of the meeting held earlier were discussed. Forthcoming KSS Activities were also discussed and Observers for the events were finalized. Information pertaining to CBSE circulars was discussed.

Date : 27 July 2018

Event : Community Helpers Classes : Root, Bud, Bloom Venue : Foundation Block

**Details**: The Students of Root, Bud & Bloom came dressed as Community Helpers. Some came dressed as law keeping policeman, while the others were dressed up as dutiful doctors and sincere teachers. The students talked about the significance of the role played by these helpers and demonstrated a clear understanding of how we are interdependent in a community. They not only spoke confidently but also articulated their ideas, about what they see and observe in day - to - day life regarding the community Helpers.

Date : 28 July 2018

**Event : KSS Inter School Debate** 

Venue : DPS Azad Nagar

**Details**: KSS Inter School Debate Competition was hosted DPS Azad Nagar in which 20 schools from the city participated. The topic of the debate was 'Media in Today's Era has become Irresponsible and Incendiary'. Sanya Bhatia spoke in favour of the motion and Kritika Soni against the motion. Our school secured first runners-up position and received trophy and certificate for the same.

Date : 28 July 2018

**Event : Result of Blog Competition** 

Venue : SPSEC

**Details**: In the pursuit of giving exposure to the students and to give vent to their expressions, monthly blog writing competition is conducted. The topics for three levels were as follows –

Pool A - The Funniest Moment of My Life.

Pool B - My Travel Blog

Pool C - I had to go off who I was to become Who I am

With creative bent and flouters flow, the budding writers who emerged winners were –

Pool A: Suhani Arora – V - D Pool B: Chirag Chandak – VIII - B Pool C: Meenakshi Chugh - XI - H

Date : 29 July 2018

**Event : Gratitude to our Soldiers** 

Venue : Brigadier Headquarter, Cantt., Kanpur

**Details**: In a major initiative to reach out to the troops guarding nation's border pertinaciously day and night and to make the festival of RAKSHA BANDHAN indelible and memorable for the contingents, the students of SPSEC rendered their honour and respect by vivaciously participating and joining hands in the praiseworthy step taken by Dainik Jagran. Our young SINGHANIANS presented rakhis made by them to the Brigadier - Mr. Naveen Singh at the Brigadier Headquarter, Cantt., Kanpur. It was an attempt to express the gratitude and respect for the guts and gallant shown by our protectors in their services.

Date : 31 July 2018 Event : Rainy Day

**Details**: Due to Heavy rains, the school was closed on July 31, 2018 for all classes.

## 2. SPORTS ACTIVITY:

Date : 04 – 10 July 2018

**Event : Inter House Table Tennis Tournament** 

Venue : SPSEC

**Details**: SPSEC organized an Inter House Table Tennis Tournament for boy and girls under Senior and Junior Group. In an intense competition, Vindhya House bagged the first place in Senior Boys and Girls Group while Yamuna House emerged victorious in the Junior Group.

Date : 08 – 09 July 2018

**Event : Kanpur District Under-16 Boys Football Team Trials** 

**Organizer**: Kanpur District Football Association

**Venue : Green Park** 

**Details**: Kanpur District Under-16 Boys Football Team Trials were organized by Kanpur District Football Association at Green Park. One of our school's student Vansh Bhatia of Class VIII – B was selected for Kanpur District Under – 16 Boys Team. Vansh Bhatia participated in state championship and represented Kanpur.

Date : 10 – 13 July 2018

**Event : Inter School Invitational Football Competition** 

Venue : PCVN, Kanpur

**Details**: Inter School Invitational Football Competition was organized by PCVN, Kanpur in which football teams from various schools of the city participated. Our school won the match against Allen House by 3-0 in a tie-breaker, but could not overcome the host school in the second match.

Date : 15 July 2018

Event : Under-25 Chess Selection Tournament Venue : Vedic Dharam Sabha, Govind Nagar

**Details**: Under-25 Chess Selection Tournament was held at Vedic Dharam Sabha, Govind Nagar in which 37 chess players participated. Four chess players represented SPSEC. Anirudh Agarwal of class X secured the second place and was selected in Kanpur District Team for the upcoming State Tournament. Other three students – Prakhar Singh (Class X) secured fourth place while Ayush Sachan (Class X) and Ujjwal Sinha (Class IX) bagged ninth and twenty-first place respectively.

Date : 26 – 27 July 2018

**Event : Inter School KSS Chess Championship** 

Venue : Allen House Public School

**Details**: Inter School KSS Chess Championship was organized at Allen House Public School in which 41 schools participated. Our school team lost in the finals and stood forth out of forty-one teams. Overall, our school team won four out of five rounds. Anriudh Agarwal was awarded 'Best Player of the Tournament' out of 20 players.

Bhawna Gupta Officiating Principal