



DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL BANGALORE NORTH

PRIMARY NEWS LETTER

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

December 2016

Dear Parents, Students and Well Wishers,

December was an exciting month with academics, exams and co-curricular activities progressing concurrently. The month of December is a festive month with Christmas celebrations predominating this period. It is traditionally characterized by gifts, greetings, celebrations, spreading the message of kindness, caring and sharing. Children all month long followed the Kindness Calendar and were taught the importance of compassion and kindness in life. They were enthusiastic about it and participated in all of them with a rare vigour. With these rainbow of activities DPS Bangalore North bloomed like a spring with multiple activities. Christmas holidays mark the end of the calendar year and this year too, 2016 was rung out with mixed feelings!

Special Assembly

As we stepped into the final month of 2016, we commenced it with Christmas celebrations with carol singing, guitar playing etc and spreading the message of sharing. This message was articulated very well by the budding stars of DPS, Bangalore North. Santa Claus distributed candies and chocolates amongst all students. They were extremely enthusiastic and filled with unbounded energy.



English Literary Week

“Literature is the most interesting and significant expression of humanity.”

Literature is truly the most beautiful and cerebral articulation of human endeavors in its vast and infinite possible ways, be it dramatics, street plays, books, character portrayals etc. The English Literary Week was celebrated on 14th, 15th and 16th of December with a view to introduce students to the various aspects of literature. They were encouraged to dress up as their favorite fairy-tale characters which needless to mention they enjoyed the most. Soft boards were decorated with grammatical and literary topics. The students of class IV chose to perform the “MAD AD” in which they played with the subject of humor in the world of advertisement. The event was graced by the Head of Department, Mrs. Prabha Srinivasan and judged by Ms. Kuljeet and Mrs. Jothi Darshan. Students persevered by staging ‘Street Plays’ by enacting serious social issues like deforestation, save mother Earth, importance of trees etc.





Ganit Week

Mathematics is the knowledge with which God has written the universe" - Galileo.

Mathematics is the quintessence of all laws that govern this universe. The celebration of GANIT (Growing Aptitude in Numerical and Innovations Training) week, an initiative of CBSE commemorating Srinivasa Ramanujan's Birth Anniversary, had a distinct flavor when tiny hands came together, showcasing the diverse activities and competitions in numeracy. Students participated in large numbers, displaying spirited enthusiasm, absorbing information and enjoying the stimulating exercise of the mind. The students participated in a multitude of events like collage making of different patterns, robot making with geometrical shapes, speech on great mathematicians, skits on mathematical topics and Brainvita . The outer boards of all the sections were well decorated with various Mathematical topics. The Ganit Week celebrations proved to be very special by the presence of our renowned Chief Guest Mrs. Kalyani, the Vice Principal of Kendriya Vidyalaya, Bangalore. It was a great privilege to have her amongst us. It was a fun way of learning math wherein students enjoyed as well as showcased its weft and warp in the laws of this universe.



Doctor's Talk

DPS Bangalore North conducted an interactive session for girls of classes 5 & 6 on 12th December 2016. The session was addressed by Dr. Vijayaprabha on the topic of 'Puberty and Menstrual cycle'. Girls were spoken to about the physical changes they are likely to go through and the myths related to the menstrual cycle. It was an informative and well explained session with the help of PowerPoint slides. Dr. Vijayaprabha answered all queries and doubts of the girls after the session. Overall, it was an important educative session for our growing students.



Organic Farming

The first two weeks of this month was dedicated for composting where children were asked to bring kitchen wet waste in a covered bag or container from home. This was later collected in the compost bin for making natural manure with rotten and decomposed vegetable and fruit peels. Students also learnt the importance of Earthworms to farmers.



Food Fest- A fund raiser

We in DPS, North believe in charity as a sustainable investment for the betterment of mankind. Hence a fund- raising Food Fest was held on 23rd of December. As Christmas is a festival month of caring and sharing, the money collected via food fest was donated to an NGO that works selflessly towards promoting sustainable development.



With the month of December heralding the end of a long and arduous year with promises of a wonderful new year I wish all my valued students and parents good health and happiness in the year ahead!!!

With Best wishes and prayers,

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Principal