



Annual Principals' Meet

The school hosted its 1st Principals' meet of Sarala Birla Group of Schools. It was attended by the very erudite Principals of Birla Vidya Mandir (Nanital), Mahadevi Birla world Academy (Kolkata), Birla Bharti School (Kolkata), Birla Divya Jyoti (Siliguri), Sarala Birla Gyan Jyoti (Silchar), Sarala Birla Public School (Ranchi), B K Birla Center for Education (Pune) and Sarala Birla Gyan Jyoti (Guwahati). Guests were welcomed with a token of appreciation, the School Council presented them with a school report which was followed by a cultural bonanza. The idea of the meet was to to exchange innovations and teaching and management practices. The guests enjoyed the subject exhibitions and were taken for a guided tour round the school laboratories, classrooms and activity rooms. They enjoyed the youthful exchange with the students. The Principals interacted with the teacher incharges of various activities and exchanged novel ideas. It was an enriching experience for all.



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Awards Galore!

Mr. K.K. Thakur was honoured with the Rachnatmak Shikshak Samman Award 2017 which was organized by the Hindi Vikas Manch.

Tatsam Garg of class XII and Gokul Pareek of class XI were awarded the Certificate of Recognition by TERI For 'Best Poster Award' for Pectin based on smart nanocomposite for higher watse retention in soil.

Brainfeed honoured the school with the School Excellence Award in the month of December.

Honourable Chairperson's Visit

Mrs. Jayashree Mohta visited the school in the month of November. She interacted with the teachers, the Student Council and had a one-on-one discussion with the academic scholars and special need students. The students were extremely delighted with the exchange.



The Visit



Annual Sports Day

The school celebrated its much awaited Annual Sports Day on the theme 'BHARAT POSITIVE' on 23 December, 2017. A resounding number of over 1500 students participated in this event. The recipient of the National

Role Model Award, 2017 and Chief of Army Staff Commendation, 2005 - Mr. Navin Gulia an author, adventurer, thinker and social worker graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.

Ms. Shreyansi Singh, a renowned shooter (Silver medalist at Commonwealth, Glasgow) and Mr. Rakesh Pandey (Silver medalist at Para Badminton Championship at Korea) were the Guests of Honour.



The programme began with 'Abhinandan' sung by the school choir to honour and welcome the guests, followed by an introduction to the inspiring life of Mr. Gulia. The meet was then declared open with the Chief Guest lighting the Olympic flame and the torch was carried by the Sports champions of the school. What followed was a galaxy of events which included track events, aerobics, gymnastics, yoga & many more. The chief guest addressed the parents with his inspiring words. The Chief Guest along with the other guests gave away the trophy to the winning house.



Principal, Mrs. Kushwaha congratulated the winners and applauded the participants for their spirit of sportsmanship and camaraderie.

The ceremony concluded with a Vote of Thanks followed by the National Anthem.



'Jingle Bell Rock and Jingle Bell Sleigh!'

Christmas Celebrations

With Christmas just around the corner, the end of December gifted the students a platform to celebrate the festival. The students of classes VI-X participated in a variety of fun activities and performed Christmas Carols in different languages English, French, Spanish and German. A special assembly was held which ignited the Christmas spirit.



Visit by the Heads of JST and Ritzmeikan University
The Anveshika Session 'Minds On, Hands On' headed by Mr. Yuji Nishikawa, director of JST, Japan and Dr. Ashida, India Head, Ritzmeikan University was attended by selected students of VIII-XII. The students showcased a vast variety of Science and Robotics skills through comprehensive models.



Video Conferencing

Tea & Tradition

The students of classes XI and XII were introduced to the traditional practice of 'Chanoyu,' which is a customary tea ceremony of the Japanese. Their visit involved an introductory session pertaining to the historical and cultural details of the ceremony and a firsthand experience of preparing Matcha tea.

Living in Virtual Reality

A virtual exchange programme was held with a Mexican school- The Gesalt Institute. The topic chosen for discussion was Yoga and Meditation. A quiz competition was also conducted between the two schools. It was an extremely exciting exchange. An ice breaker with the students of the Cosenza School, South Calabria, Italy via a video conference for the students of class VI was convened. An introductory cultural exchange, wherein the ancient spiritual health practise of yoga was performed.



Tea at the Japanese Embassy



Mental Health Week

The school took up the opportunity to educate the students about the importance of mental health through a wide variety of activities during the International Mental Health Week in early October. The concept of peer education workshops was employed and proved to be a success among the students of classes VI-X.



Girl Child Week

On the occasion of Girl Child Week, the school structured various events for the students celebrating the spirit of womanhood. The school conceptualised and presented a mesmerizing depiction of 'woman power' through a dance exhibiting how the 'feminine' in our Indian culture and traditions has been synonymous with ultimate power, the vine, the complete being. The students of classes VII & VIII engaged themselves in spreading awareness about the importance of girl lives in the form of a rally & nukkad natak the campaign of 'Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao' in Pushp Vihar. Other activities included poster making, brochure making, debates and discussions, and Youth Parliament.



Girl Child Week



BVNites Once, BVNites Forever



On December 19, 2017, the students that once walked through the school's corridors, reunited to attend Birla Old Students' Association of the class of '92 to celebrate an annual get together. On Christmas too, another batch of students of the class of 2017 attended their first BOSA meet. The event was attended by 220 ex-students along with Mr. Amit Bahl (BOSA President). It was a very fun filled exchange for the ex-students.

Celebrating Childhood

The students of classes VI to VIII, celebrated Jawahar Lal Nehru's birthday with many fun filled activities. This day served as a confluence of melody and rhythm through a solo and group production. A quiz about Nehruji was conducted to engage their minds, while a speech encouraged them to cherish their individuality as the children of the world.

Mr. Yoga Bharti's Farewell

Student's council bid farewell to yoga teacher Mr. Yogabharati, who has been apart of the school since its inception. They presented yoga asanas and a beautiful handmade card to express their gratitude and affection. Principal, Mrs. Meenakshi Kushwaha spoke about the varied contributions of Sir and his role in creating a sound mind in a sound body through the teachings of yoga.

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