



## BIRLA VIDYA NIKETAN

Sarala Birla Group of Schools

Activity Report- FEBRUARY, 2018

### EVENTS/ACTIVITIES AT BVN

DATE	EVENT	DESCRIPTION	ATTENDED BY
3 <sup>rd</sup> February, 18	Foreign Language Orientation	The Orientation was held to brief parents about the existing foreign languages like French, Spanish and German and also informed them about the newly introduced language which is Japanese.	Students and Parents of Class V coming to Class VI
5 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Entrepreneurship Award Ceremony	The 6 finalist teams of Classes IX & XI were each given Rs. 10,000 to form a startup and manage their respective companies. The teams were mentored by Favcy. First position was bagged by COSMOHUT Team of Class IX, Second position was won by CRAFTTEC Team of Class IX. Chief Guest Mr. Gaurav Mehta inspired the audience with his speech and also announced the prizes.	Students of class- IX
22 <sup>nd</sup> February, 18	Pooja and Havan	Pooja and havan was done to seek blessings of the Almighty.	Senior school staff members
28 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Farewell -Mrs Vinita Kaul	Mrs. Vinita Kaul was bid adieu by school staff. Her contribution towards school was acknowledged. Some students of her first batch were also there to bid her farewell.	All Staff Members
28 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Holi celebrations	Holi celebrations also took place. The staff members enjoyed the occasion with flowers.	All Staff Members

### WORKSHOPS

DATE	WORKSHOP	ORGANISED	DESCRIPTION	ATTENDED BY
1 <sup>st</sup> February, 18	Visit to Qutub Minar	BVN	Heritage walk - History and the monument's architectural details were discussed.	Students of class VII

2 <sup>nd</sup> February, 18	-'Art of Filming and films as a Career' - Interactive Session	BVN	Assistant. Director of the film 'Bajirao Mastani' and BVN Deputy Head Boy (2003) Abhinandan Gupta took this interactive session	Students of class XI
6 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Visit to Peru Embassy	BVN	Students interacted with the first secretary Mr Intis Zavellous. They confidently spoke in Spanish, watched the museum and history of Peru and has a Quiz session in the embassy	students of class VIII
6 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Movie Screening	UNIC	Special Movie screening- Padman for Principals	Ms. Minakshi Kushwaha
7 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Creating a Safe Internet For Our Children	Conference by le Thinc Indian Express	The dangers of digital world like cyber bullying and harassment, the screen's effect on behavior and learning were discussed. Teachers and parents were guided to help children to understand the real world consequences	Ms. Deepika Pareek, Ms. Vidya Bakshi
16 <sup>th</sup> and 17 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	NPSC Annual Conference	Indian International Centre, Lodhi Estate	NPSC Annual Conference Theme- Leadership For a vibrant School Culture.	Ms. Gaytri Kapur, Ms. Mona Chopra And Ms. Sumana Ganguly
6 <sup>th</sup> and 7 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Capacity Building Programme	ITL Public School, Dwarka	The resource persons gave an incisive study of the common mistakes made by students and how to counter them. They dissected each question at length and then gave comprehensive answers.	Bulbul Butail and Shreya Kapoor of class XI- G
8 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Visit to the Aravali Bio- Diversity Park	Aravali Bio- Diversity Park	The students were introduced to the Butterfly Garden and were told about the cycle, their host plants and their breeding practices.	15 students of Eco Club accompanied by Ms. Seema Dutt & Ms. Shipra Malhotra
9 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Counsellors and Teachers Conclave 2018	Vedatya Campus, Gurugram	Discussion on creating learning content and delivery process that can empower the learners. Significance of interdisciplinary modules in enabling students to	Ms. Mridusmita Hazarika  Ms. Munmun Sharma

			acquire skills that matter in real life and careers was emphasised upon.	
13 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Workshop On Health And Hygiene	BVN	The focus of the workshop was on oral health and hygiene and how to maintain cleanliness. Good and bad habits for teeth were also discussed.	Students of class VIII
17 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Art of Communication	BVN	The workshop focused on the significance of body language for teachers and how good teachers use a blend of verbal and nonverbal communication techniques to improve classroom management and enhance the learning experience for their students.	Primary and Middle school teachers
18 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	A Meeting with Mr Ruskin Bond	Residence of Mr Ruskin Bond Landour, Musoorie	The author was visibly impressed by the way the students introduced themselves and asked him an array of questions ranging from his childhood to his journey as an author. They also got their books autographed by Mr Bond.	12 students with two teachers
24 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Young Change Makers Conclave	Indira Gandhi Stadium	Students attended the UN Young Change Makers Conclave and got the opportunity to listen Mr. Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada speaking on the topic- Social Impact and Innovations: Agenda 2030	Students and Teachers
27 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Teacher's Talk	BVN	The basic aspects of sexual behaviour of school children and the need for sex education in school were discussed by Ms. Mridusmita. A talk on emphasis on moral education was conducted by Mr. K.K Thakur.	Senior School Teachers

### INTERSCHOOL COMPETITIONS

<u>DATE</u>	<u>VENUE/</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>PARTICIPANTS/POSITIONS</u>
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	<u>ORGANISER</u>		
16 February, 18	Directorate of Education (DoE)	Boys folk song competition	<p>Position -2<sup>nd</sup> Following students were awarded with the certificates and the cash prize of Rs. 7500</p> <p>Prakhar Kumar(XG), Prabhjeet Singh (XG), Priyanshu Kumar (XF), Prachetas Sharma (XG), Nitesh Kumar (XD), Hardik Sharma (XC), Sandeep Mohanty (XG), Mridul Mohanta, Gagan Thakur(XF), Anuj Pillai (XIE), Aditya Chaudhary( XI D), Sharad Sharma (IXE), Raghav Singh (IXF), Kaustubh Swain (VIIIH), Pritwish Bhattacharya (XA), Ansuman Kar (VIII B), Devansh Khanna (VIII C), Ayushman Vaid (VIII A), Harsh Chandra (XE), Yatharth Lal (VI F)</p> <p>Following students were awarded with the cash prize of Rs. 750 individually:</p> <p>Poetry Recitation (English) 2<sup>nd</sup>: Ananya Vig (class VIII) Category: Junior girls</p> <p>English Declamation 2<sup>nd</sup>: Swaanshi Jain (class VIII) Category: Junior girls</p> <p>Visual Art- On the spot Painting 2<sup>nd</sup>: Himakshi Singh (class X) Category: Senior girls</p> <p>English Essay Writing 2<sup>nd</sup>: Akshat Singh (class VIII) Category: Junior boys</p>

13 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Science Exhibition	Students were amongst the finalist for the CBSE National Level Science Exhibition. There Model- 'Terracotta Heater' got selected.	Soumyadeep Mondal and Piyush Joshi- VII- H
5 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	The Times of India – NIE , Star Reporter event at the Amity University sector 125 , Noida	It was titled 'Newsmakers Meet' where Mr. Puneet Jain , Marketing Manager TOI , Mr. Deependra Pathak IPS special Commissioner Police , Dr. Mrs. Balvinder Shukla Vice Chancellor Amity University, Mr. Nikhil Chopra a well-known cricketer and Mrs. Poonam Singh, Editor In Chief, NIE addressed the queries posed by students from over 50 schools for Delhi –NCR. The competitive event started with a challenging quiz on varied topics.	Only ten top participants were selected to be 'Star Reporters'. Bulbul Butail of XI G ,was awarded a certificate , a hamper of Cookies from Mr. Baker's bakery, a gift coupon from barbeque Nation and an editor's kit.
8 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	International Finance Olympiad by PRATHAM in collaboration IIFM at India habitat centre	About 200 students participated in the competition	Sejal Ahuja (X A) won the regional topper award. She has also won cash prize of Rs. 3,000 and a certificate. <b>Teacher Incharge-</b> Ms. Seema Duggal
15 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	ASSET talent search program.	Students are invited to attend a 3 week residential summer programme 2018 that blend academic activities with extracurricular activities to provide academically advanced and holistic learning environment by Educational initiatives which will held at Manipal University in Karnataka from 13 <sup>th</sup> May to 2nd June 2018.	Following students were declared as winners for the <b><u>Year -2017</u></b> Krish Kapasi (VII B) Mathangi Saji (VII B) have received merit certificates in recognition of accomplishment in asset talent search 2017- 18. <b><u>Year-2016</u></b> Aditi Gupta (VII) <b><u>Year 2015</u></b> Devansh Bhutan (VII D) Harsh Bharia (IX H) Manas Narang(IX G)

18 <sup>th</sup> November, 18	MINDSPARK	An Online program to improvise student's mathematical ability nationwide through a series of exhaustive logical and critical thinking based challenging mathematical questions.	Aashman Metha (VI F) emerged as the National Sparkie Champ and received the Sparkie badge, merit certificate and a poster in recognition of his exceptional potential in mathematics.
23 <sup>rd</sup> February, 2018	Centre for Soil and Material Research Station(CSMRS)	8th State Level Painting competition	Three students have qualified for the state level competition Supriya Baital (VIII D) Jiya Bhardwaj (VIII A) Swastik Sajwan (VII H)
30th January 18	Institute of Company Secretaries of India	Commerce Olympiad	-Shubh Goel of XII E secured Rank 1 at all- School, Zonal & International level. He won cash prize of Rs. 25,000, International Gold medal and a certificate. -Nishit Gupta of XII D secured School Rank 2, Zonal Rank 3 & International Rank 8. -Abhienav Bhuvania of XI F secured School Rank 1, Zonal Rank 8, International Rank 14 - Ishaan Mittal of XI D secured School Rank 2, Zonal Rank 12, International Rank 60. Four students won gifts worth RS.1,000 each- Abhienav Bhuvania, Ishaan Mittal, Nishit Gupta and Ayush Monga. Many students won Certificate of Distinction, medal of Distinction and certificate of Zonal excellence.

## INTER SCHOOL COMPETITIONS (SPORTS)

DATE	VENUE	DESCRIPTION	PARTICIPANTS/POSITIONS
31st Jan. To 8th February, 18	New Delhi	First Khelo India School Games Represented Delhi in Football	<u>Boys Under-17yrs.</u> <b>Hemanya Baweja</b> <b>X E</b> (3 <sup>rd</sup> Position)
31st Jan. To 8th February, 18	New Delhi	First Khelo India School Games Represented Delhi in Badminton	<u>Girls Under-17yrs</u> <b>Vidushi Singh</b> <b>IX E</b> (Participation)

## ASTRONOMY CLUB

DATE	EVENT	DESCRIPTION	PARTICIPANTS
6 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Astronomy Day Celebration	Students celebrated Astronomy day in the school. Students showcased their learning through various activities like comet making, rocket propelling, etc.	All Students of module 1 and 2
10 <sup>th</sup> February, 18	Overnight Observation	Students along with the school teachers travelled to Astroport, a dark sky observation site near Sariska National Park, for overnight sky observation session.	All Students of module 1 and 2