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MEET AGAIN



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 **BABY'S
NIGHT OUT**
ENJOYING AN
EVENING AT JHPS



Theme-Enormous Enthusiasm-Indian Literati

As the morning bell rings, the students start moving towards the assembly hall putting an abrupt halt to girls gossiping with friends, finishing homework on the eleventh hour, students loitering around the school, etc. School assemblies play a significant role in helping the school to grow and develop more. Morning Prayer is an important thing in the curriculum of assembly as it helps to keep the mind stable so that students can concentrate in their studies. To break the monotony of the assembly, school authorities also involve every class to conduct the assembly so that pupils find it interesting to be a part of the session. Students are given the task of reciting poems, performing skits and delivering speeches in the assembly session. In this way, students also get an opportunity to show their talents and a motivation to actively participate in the assembly.



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Enormous Enthusiasm- Indian Literati



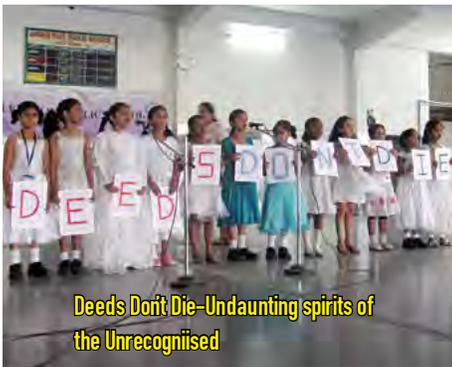
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Each one teach one -Catch them young



Deeds Don't Die-Undaunting spirits of the Unrecognised



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From the Editors' Desk...

The element of our emblem has long been revered in our Indian culture.

Our emblem depicts a jyoti (source of light), a book and the legend "asatoma satgamaya".

The jyoti symbolises the light of knowledge which dispels the darkness.

The world we live in can also be termed as the virtual world as we are drawn into the fantasy of gadgets, that is, technology.

The tradition, never diminishing, ever enriching, alone is potent enough to drive away all the darkness and give the soul true freedom.

This venerable seat of learning aims at training the pupils to light the path and conquer the unending frontiers of knowledge.

Tradition is like the flow of certain practices from distant past that receives both acquiescence as well as acceptability among social beings, tradition stands for a set of beliefs or customs passing from one generation to the next. Technology, on the other hand, too has its roots in the past, but not based on some hearsay or puerile perception. It is a result of constant questioning and experimentation that we call scientific study.

Working on the 8th edition of the school magazine, hill side news, was an exquisite opportunity and a privilege indeed. Its great to witness how sheer talent emanates from the young enthusiastic JHPians.

HILL SIDE NEWS magazine is proud to release the 8th edition on the cover story "TEENAGERS IN THE TECH-WORLD"

We would like to express our gratitude to the authors of all the articles and the active participation of the students in the release of this issue. It is a generous contribution.

Read this edition to see how our school follows its slogan "TRADITION AND TECHNOLOGY", and how we prove that knowledge can also be learnt from the interactive system in this virtual world.

Dive into the virtual world now.....

Happy reading

JHPians...

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INTERNET CHILDREN



"The real danger is not that computers will begin to think like men, but that men may begin to think like computers."

- Sydney J. Harris

We live in a society dependent on technology. Technology therefore is an inevitable tool in today's world. The present generation is exposed to technology right from their birth and all the innovative technical gadgets like smart phones, I pads, etc have replaced the traditional toys.

The present generation of children can be termed more as internet children than intelligent children. We are living in an age of information revolution and this is because of internet. Every student has now become global. They insist on instant access and exchange of information.

Proper use of technology for the purpose of study would bring an enormous advantage to the children but at the same time if it is used solely for entertainment, considerable harm can be done to the students' career and also to their physical health. It is said that technology is creating an easily 'distracted generation' which loses focus on its academic career.

Today's children are very fast in adapting to technology, sometimes even the parents and teachers are left behind. It is therefore necessary that we, the parents and teachers, update ourselves with the tricks and terminology of technology and be on par with them.

Let us hope that we at JHPS make the best use of technology without losing track of our tradition!!!

A. Murali Mukund
Chairman
Jubilee Hills Public School

eINDIA EDUCATION SUMMIT 2012

Sri. Mukund was invited to speak on 'Blended Learning Curriculum & Supportive Teaching: Tools to Promote Student Engagement' at the 'Education Leaders' Conclave' of the eINDIA EDUCATION SUMMIT 2012, the eighth edition of India's largest ICT event. It was convened on 15th and 16th November 2012 at the Hyderabad International Convention Centre, Hyderabad.

Representatives from ICT Industry, academia and private sector, etc for India and across the globe shared their best practices and digital opportunities for development. They exchanged knowledge and ideas that would help shape the future of the global ICT landscape.

Sri. A. Murali Mukund, Chairman, Jubilee Hills Public School and Secretary, Jubilee Hills Education Society is the pioneer in introducing Smart Boards and e-technology for all classrooms in our school in the year 2008. This has set the trend of e-learning in Hyderabad. He believes in the philosophy of tradition and technology for providing complete education.



JHPS FLAG SOARS HIGH

MAINTAINING CLEAN AND HEALTHY JHPS – THE SCHOOL BAGS SANITATION AWARD

Good Schools need Good Students and Good Students need Good Sanitation. Sanitation is at the core of human dignity and human progress. Recognizing the key significance of sanitation and the role of students as Agents of Change, the Central Board of Secondary Education in collaboration with Ministry of Human Resource Development, Ministry of Urban Development and GIZ launched the National School Sanitation Initiative in 2009.

Jubilee Hills Public School has been conferred with The First National School Sanitation Award 2012 for attaining 'Blue Category' under the National School Sanitation Rating 2012.



The memento and the certificate conferred to Jubilee Hills Public School

Dr. M.M Pallam Raju, Honorable Minister for Human Resource Development presented Ms. M. Varalakshmi, Principal with a memento, certificate and a cash award of Rs. 60,000 on 28th Nov. 2012 at New Delhi. Sanitation and hygiene are the keys to our survival, development and growth. JHPS believes in increased awareness and the need to develop a more permanent strategy to lead towards good health, well-being and dignity for all. These values are inculcated in the students' right from the Pre Primary level. Healthy living leads to happy living!

JHPS stands 67th in India

A survey was conducted by 'Centre for Forecasting & Research Pvt. Ltd (C Fore) on various parameters and released the annual Education World India School Rankings. Among the best ranked schools in India, Jubilee Hills Public School has been ranked 14th in the State and stands 67th at the National Level. The school goes hand in hand with tradition and technology. It has completed twenty seven years and is still marching towards greater heights.



Principal Ms. M. Varalakshmi receiving the award from Dr. M.M Pallam Raju, Minister for H R D

INTER SCHOOL COMPETITION FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

Inter School Competition 'Ignited minds' was conducted in the school on 10th & 11th October 2012. Students from different schools participated with enthusiasm in various competitions like Group Dance, Collage, Vegetable Printing and Fancy Dress. JHKS won prizes in Folk Dance, Fancy Dress and Vegetable Printing.



Fisherman dance



Vegetable Printing

SPORTS MEET

We are the achievers



Bridge Relay with hoops

Sports Meet was conducted for kindergarten children in the month of December 2012 to enhance gross motor skills and competitive spirit. Children were made to participate in individual and group events like running race, Bridge Relay with Hoops, etc. Trophies for Individual championship were given for LKG and UKG classes. They were overwhelmed with joy to receive the medals and cups for their achievements.



Running Race

A TRIP TO NEHRU ZOOLOGICAL PARK



Kindergarten students were taken for a field trip to Nehru Zoological Park on 23rd November 2012 as part of the theme animals. Children were taken around the zoo in a van to see and observe different kinds of animals, birds and insects. The trip was educative and informative.



Fun time at the zoo

QUIZ COMPETITION FOR JHKS



Quiz competition

Quiz - a Brain Storming competition was held on 30th January 2013 for kindergartners. Children enthusiastically participated by involving themselves in different rounds like puzzle making and answering to the audio and video questions. There was tremendous competition between the sections.



Video and Audio round

PONGAL CELEBRATIONS



Dressed as Haridas

Pongal, a harvest festival was celebrated on 4th Jan 2013. Children were dressed in traditional attire. They performed dances and enjoyed the 'Bhogi Mantalu'. They were blessed by their grand parents who had them joined on the occasion.



"Bhogi Mantalu"

CHRISTMAS

Kindergarten buddies enjoyed the Christmas celebrations by singing the Christmas carol "JINGLE BELLS". Children performed a skit on JESUS CHRIST'S BIRTH, which helped them understand the story. Folk dance was the highlight of the show.



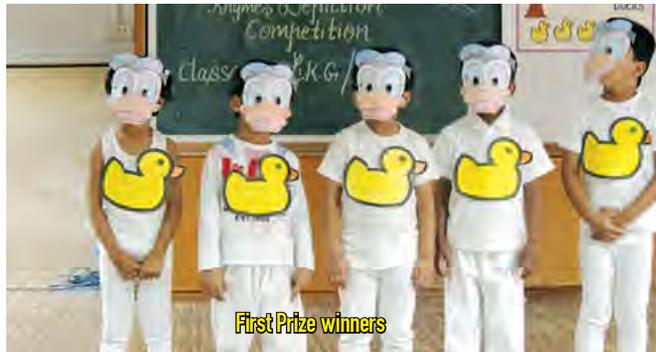
Angels Dance



Christmas Skit

INTER CLASS RHYMES DEPICTION

An inter class rhyme depiction competition was held for the students of UKG. Children of different sections were dressed in various costumes and used props according to their rhyme. Few children recited the rhyme while others enacted the same. They enjoyed the show and learnt new rhymes. Children enjoyed the show and tried to learn new rhymes by watching others.



First Prize winners



Rhymes recitation



“INDRADHANUSH” GRADUATION DAY



Graduation is a moment of pride in any student's life. It was rather a joyous moment for the tiny tots of JHPS to step on the stage, to finally receive the graduation certificates.

Jubilee Hills Kindergarten School organized “INDRADHANUSH” Graduation Day ceremony on 16th March 2013 for the children who have completed their UKG with great pageantry. The programme started with a prayer song.

The Headmistress, Ms. T. Lakshmi Sri welcomed the gathering. The Chairman, Sri. A. Murali Mukund and other members of the Managing Committee graced the occasion. The Chairman congratulated the teachers and advised the parents to monitor the children properly as sometimes technology can have an adverse effect on them.

The Chief Guest Justice, Sri. P. Shankar Narayana, former Judge High Court of Andhra Pradesh, congratulated the teachers for the performance of the children. He stressed on the fact that there should be good communication between the parents and their wards.



Chief Guest Presenting the certificate

With the Black Gown and Cap, the children's faces were lit with happiness while receiving the Graduation Certificate. Children of LKG and UKG entertained the audience by performing various cultural programmes which were appreciated by the parents. The programme ended with a vote of thanks by Ms. Arunmayi, Pre-primary HOD.

Archana.K and Swechcha.K



Traditional dance

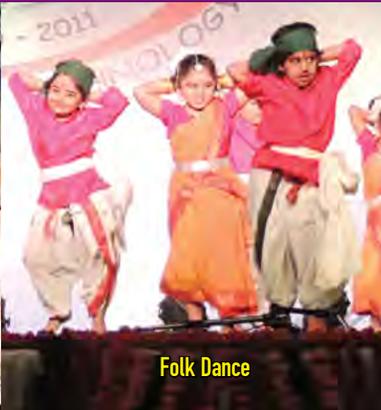
ANNUAL DAY



Chief Guest Sri Dinakar Babu lighting the lamp



Coconut Dance - Pol Kottu



Folk Dance



Pranav Nuti receiving the award for Top Scorer in CBSE Board 2012

The school celebrated 'Annual Day' on Friday 24th January, 2013 in the school premises. Sri A. Dinakar Babu, IAS, Collector & District Magistrate, Medak was the Chief Guest for the day. The members of the committee, the Principal and the student council warmly welcomed Sri A. Dinakar Babu, Smt. Anuradha Dinakar Babu and the other dignitaries. The programme started with the lighting of the lamp.

The Principal Ms. M. Varalakshmi, in her speech, highlighted the school's progress, the achievements of the students and inspired them to work towards their goal. The head, JHSDC Ms. G. Sree Devi in her speech accentuated that students should be empowered to meet challenges of the 21st century. The Chairman Sri A. Murali Mukund, in his speech emphasized that education has a broader connotation. The focus should not only be in the completion of syllabus or participation in sports but the students should imbibe values and be socially responsible.

The Chief Guest Sri A. Dinakar Babu reiterated that education brings out the best in us but the need of the hour is that one should be a global citizen. Parental support and school socialization brings out the personality of the child. He appealed to the students that they should look for ways to tackle the social evils that still prevail in the society. Awards to the outstanding students were given away by the Chief Guest. The Chairman, Sri A. Murali Mukund gave away the awards to the teachers who have put in 100% attendance during the academic year. The President, Sri. Kode Satyanarayana gave away the President's Best Student Award and Best Boy Student Award.

The audience was enthralled by the variety of programmes presented by the children. The function was attended by the parents, alumni, media people and other dignitaries. The Senior Head Boy K. Pradyumna Rao and the Head Girl, Swechha K. proposed the vote of thanks.



President's Best Boy student award to J.M.R.Manish



President's best student award to P.Veena Saroj



Surapaneni Radha Devi Memorial Award to Mrunalini. M

'Ignited Minds', a two day interschool competitions were conducted by our school on 10th and 11th of October 2012. The event began with the opening ceremony on 10th October. Various competitions were held in which students from 13 schools participated and put forth their talent through dance, art, singing, quiz and other thrilling activities.

There was a stiff competition among the students. Sloka recitation for the tiny-tots from the lower and upper kindergarten of different schools mesmerized the audience. The students enthusiastically recited the slokas and also gave the English translation. JHPS stood first in sloka recitation.



Lighting the lamp

Unlike other competitions, here the participant was given a topic and he/she had to speak both 'for' and 'against' the topic. The competition was quite tricky and tested the students' talent to the fullest.

Other competitions organized were solo singing, group singing, and group dance. The fusion concept

Words of praise from the contestants of 'Ignited Minds'

Nikhita, IX and G. S. K. Sankalp, X

'Ignited Minds' was greatly acclaimed by all the schools and had a positive feedback for its worth that brought out the hidden talent in the young ones. And we whole heartedly wish that this initiative continues and goes a long way in the future too.

"Very impressive to invite other schools."

- Maharshi Vidya Mandir

"Very innovative and new events conducted like photography had impressed us. We are happy to see children getting chance to show their talent and the school has presented the event well with their volunteers taking charge."

- Meridian, Banjara Hills

"Nice organization of events and the volunteers are very friendly."

- Hillside Academy

"Overall good performance."

- Meridian, Madhapur

"Very nice programme. This event should be conducted every year."

- Vignaan Jyoti

IGNITED MIND

DISCOVERING THE YOUNG TALENTS



Students in 'Wealth Out Of Waste' Competition

The other competitions were designed to test the thinking skills of students. The students who participated in competition, 'Just a Minute' had to speak on a unique topic given to each of them for one minute. The students were given 10 minutes to sketch their own perspective on the topic. Students looked quite fearless and confident and moreover, they were encouraged by our school audience. To test the senior students, an exceptional competition 'Turn Coat' was organized. The name itself gives a clear idea about this competition.

with the blend of Indian and Western dance forms was appreciated by all. The blindfold dance which was a very unique performance given by Jhpians, gained immense appreciation. The tiny tots also presented a dance which was not possible without the tireless efforts of our teachers. Students' knowledge on current affairs was tested in the G.K. quiz competition. The debate raised proved to be one of the finest and took interesting turns throughout. Our school won the first prize in coming up with some good argument while speaking 'for' and



Fancy Dress Competition



The Debate in session



Vegetable carving



Participants from various schools



Mamma's kitchen – Fancy Dress

'against' the motion. Technology skills were also tested by the digital art and photography competition. Our school students proved themselves in both the competitions.

The competitions continued for two days providing a varied platform to the students to showcase their skills and talent. The audience from our school encouraged and supported the participants throughout. The visitors were highly impressed by the management of the event and

especially the contribution of our school volunteers. The event was given a perfect ending by drum beats and the songs sung by Jhpians. The active participation and cooperation of the management, teachers and the students brought about the success of the event. The programme came to an end after the Chairman Sri. A. Murali Mukund gave away the prizes to all the winners.

- J. Pushpanjali, D. Raaga Madhuri and Archiki Prasad

RECONVENING THE JOYS ALUMNI MEET 2012-13

The Alumni meet was organized on 15th December 2013. It was a wonderful occasion to meet and share the experiences with the Alumni who have passed out from the institution. It was a day for old friends, old reminiscences and anecdotes. The lighting of the lamp was done by The Chairman, Sri A. Murali Mukund, Vice President Sri. B.N. Murthy Sri. P. Subba Rao, Joint Secretary, Sri T. Harischandra Prasad and Managing Committee Member, Sri. Krishna Murthy. The alumni president Mr. Seshagiri welcomed the gathering.

The Principal, Ms. M. Varalakshmi addressed the gathering and shared her views about the growth of the school and also wished the students success in their lives. There were special moments in which the Alumnus shared their memories of the school with their friends. The cultural programmes presented by the students and the Rock band organized by the JHPS Alumni Association enthralled the audience. Siddharth of class X gave a fabulous performance on drums. The evening was filled with fun and frolic.



Distinguished Managing Committee Members, Alumni association members and Principal



Rock Band

BABY'S NIGHT OUT

ENJOYING AN EVENING AT JHPS

It was a 'Baby's Night Out' for children of classes I and II on February 2nd and 3rd, 2013 at Jubilee Hills Public School. The Principal, Ms. M. Varalakshmi in her welcome speech said that this kind of programme encourages the children to become bold, responsible and confident. Every year this exciting and adventurous camping experience is organized to bring in a sharing, caring and friendly attitude amongst the children.

The children had packed all their basic things for the night and came on Saturday 2nd Feb at 3.00 p.m. The tiny tots were warmly welcomed by the Head Mistress Ms.T.Lakshmi Sree and the teachers to spend their night at school along with their friends. The evening started with a variety of rides such as 'Giant wheel', 'Merry-go-round', 'Pony' and 'camel' rides. A variety of fun games were organized to entertain the little ones.

They enjoyed the evening snacks at 5.00 p.m. The children then joined the evening's most awaited event the 'campfire' where they danced, yelled and enjoyed with all the energy they had. A delightful dinner was served for them. They watched their most favourite cartoons, movies and spent their time chatting with their friends. Then children listened to stories and a lullaby from their teachers and went to bed.

On Sunday morning, children woke up with a traditional song of 'Suprabatham' followed by jogging, meditation, and yoga. They were then served breakfast and given a gift. The parents thanked the School Managing Committee for organizing such an event to inculcate a feeling of responsibility.

REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATION OF PATRIOTIC FERVOR

An air of patriotic fervor pervaded all over the school premises on 26th January 2013 as the JHPians celebrated Republic Day. The Chief Guest, Sri Kodali Nageswara Rao, Senior Consultant, Seed Processing & Technology, the distinguished managing committee members of Jubilee Hills Education Society, parents, staff and students graced the occasion.



The chief guest hoisting the National Flag

The Principal, Ms. M. Varalakshmi welcomed the gathering and wished everyone on the occasion. The Chief Guest, Sri Kodali Nageswara Rao unfurled the National Flag. The programme started with a patriotic song 'Jai Jawan –Jai Kisan' a slogan which means 'hail the soldier and hail the farmer'.

A lively cultural programme mesmerized the audience and reflected the feeling of patriotism amongst the students. The Chief Guest in his speech related his own life's experiences and advised the students to make maximum utilization of the skill development centre which would assist them in the future.



Presenting a dance ballet



Here we go round and round!



At the bouncing castle



Enjoying the camel ride

'WE PART ONLY TO MEET AGAIN'

The students of class IX and XI bid a grand farewell to their seniors of class X and XII in the school premises. Students of class IX welcomed the seniors and expressed that bidding farewell to seniors is very painful and that they would always remain in their hearts even after leaving the school. A few students of class X shared about their experiences in the school. They said that the school had given them the best teachers, superb friends and a platform to prove themselves.

The Principal wished the students good luck for the future and said that

the world they are stepping into will be full of challenges which they have to conquer through the noble values they have imbibed in JHPS. She also highlighted the importance of commitment and asked the students to work hard to achieve their goals.

The Chairman, Sri A. Murali Mukund and the Managing Committee members were also present for the occasion.

The head, JHSDC Ms. G. Sree Devi in her speech accentuated that students should be confident to meet the challenges in the future.

The outgoing students along with their teachers enjoyed the cultural programmes organized by their juniors. The tradition of crowning Mr. and Miss JHPS, Mr. and Ms. Affable was decided on the basis of 'Cat Walk' followed by various rounds of questioning. Ms. JHPS title was won by G. Bhavisha and Mr. JHPS N. Siddharth of class X



Receiving mementos

and Ms. Affable by Sanjana and Mr. Affable by Akshay of class XII. As a token of love, the outgoing batches were given mementos as sweet memories of the school.



Dancing to a foot tapping number



Mr. and Mrs. JHPS with Mr. and Mrs. Affable

BOOKS ARE OUR BEST COMPANIONS



Participating in the 'DEAR' programme

The joy of reading books can't be described in words. It is something that you can understand only by actual experience. Reading books gives you that much needed break from the chaos in your life. It instills peace inside you, makes

you relaxed and also exercises your brain in the process. The habit of reading good content daily will act like an exercise for your mind and keep you mentally fit and flexible. If you have never given it a try then always remember that it's never too late to start a good habit.

'Adhyayan' – the knowledge fest (book week) was organized in the school from 28th November to 1st December in order to inculcate reading habit and hone the creative skills of the students.



Book mark competition

During the week different competitions such as recitation of poems, storytelling, book mark preparation, book review and quiz competitions were held for the students at different levels. Prizes were given to the students as a mark of appreciation.

DEAR – Time (Drop Everything and Read) was held on 28th Dec in order to promote reading habit in students and each and every person in the school actively participated in the event.



Enjoying reading

THE QUEST FOR THE BEST ENDS HERE - BOOKS AND ART EXHIBITION

**“Feed a man a fish, and you feed him for a day.
Teach a man to fish, and you feed him for his life”**



unique array of books for all age groups. These books, along with various others were displayed in the exhibition. Students, as well as the parents were mesmerized by the variety of display.



They say “When you open a book, you open a new world”. Well, who will not agree with this? Books have become inevitable to mankind. For most of us, it is a part of our everyday lives. To me, books are one of the basic necessities of life and are also one of life’s simple pleasures. A book is like a companion, be it a baby’s bedtime story, a toddler’s picture

book, a child’s comic book, a teen’s young fiction or our very own academic books. Books are most often our best pastime, or rather our best friend, the only difference is that the latter will never part or walk away from you.

Our school organized the Book exhibition on 6th October 2012. The school Library consists of a

“A single artwork speaks of a whole book.” Art is a medium to bring out the creativity in an individual. A piece of art may mean nothing to a person, but it means everything to the person who made it. So, to bring out the creativity in the students, an art exhibition was organized at our Mini Auditorium on the same day. Students from all the classes displayed their talents with great enthusiasm in the exhibition.

Archana Kasturi, X C

SUCCESS BEGINS WITH HEALTH

A health and wellness workshop themed “General Nutrition & Fitness” providing good health awareness was organized by our Health Counsellor Ms. T. Aarti in the school premises on 4th October 2012 in the Mini Auditorium.

A group of doctors from Apollo Hospitals enlightened the senior students about healthy diet and natural ways of staying fit. The importance of natural herbs and spices in curing diseases was highlighted by Dr.Nalini Reddy. Dr.Aruna Sandhya explained the importance of physical activities in our daily life. Dr.Sindhu enlightened the audience on different nutritional requirements in different stages of life. Dr. Neelem spoke about prevention of cancer and highlighted the key role of a balanced diet to prevent and cure cancer. The misconception about the intake of oils and fats was cleared by Dr. Archana who said that they are equally essential to keep the body in a good shape. Students were briefed about the importance of vitamins by Dr. P. Kalyani and Dr. Manasa, while Dr.Tarannum emphasized the importance of water and fibers. Dr.Swetha and Dr.Sneha measured the body mass index (BMI) of the students and recommended suitable diets.All this was imparted to the students in an interactive way through several games, activities and quiz.



CELEBRATING NATIONAL MATHEMATICAL YEAR

"Mathematics does to the mind, what music does to the soul, and poetry to the heart."

The year 2012 was declared as the National Mathematical Year commemorating the 125th birth anniversary of the Great Indian Mathematician, Srinivasa Ramanujan, and 22nd December 2012 was celebrated as the National Mathematical day. A special assembly was organized during which students spoke on the importance of mathematics. The teachers of Math department briefed us about the importance of the subject in our daily lives.

Here's what some of our teachers had to say-

Divya Bhavani, IX

"Mathematics is an integral part of our daily life and there is NO ESCAPE!" We don't realize that we use mathematics even while tackling every day simple tasks".

There can be a Math scholar if he/she:

- Knows the basics
- Understands the concepts and practices

So, aim for it, kids!

Ms. N. Vasantha Lakshmi

"As soon as we come across the word 'Math', we tend to associate with numbers. Numbers play a major role in our daily lives. Numbers are used in every single subject. Nobody has analyzed these facts yet. Students think Math is too difficult, because they don't dare to do it. I request every student to enjoy math, have fun in the way of finding the solution and feel the beauty of Mathematics."

Ms. P Deepa

"The most fundamental contribution from ancient India was mathematics. It was the invention of decimal system of enumeration, including the invention of zero.

The famous Indian mathematicians who contributed immensely were Aryabhata, Brahmagupta and Bhaskaracharya.

Ms. Sharon Joy



How many of us realize the importance of Mathematics in our daily life? This is a subject that is applied to every field and profession. Without the application of Math, no field or profession is complete. Carl Friedrich Gauss referred to Mathematics as "The Queen of the Sciences". Building a strong foundation in Math requires a systematic approach. It develops logical thinking.

The present global scenario requires students to have a practical approach to Math. Therefore, it needs to be relevant in their everyday lives. Students enjoy experimenting. To learn mathematics, students must be engaged in exploring, conjecturing and thinking rather than adopting rote learning of rules and procedures.

Ms. G. Durga

"Few facts of this amusing subject!"

- The letter 'A' does not appear from numbers 1-999.
- The name of a popular search engine 'Google' came from a misspelling of the word 'Googol' which is, 1 followed by 100 zeros.
- Among all shapes with same area a circle has the shortest perimeter.
- Among all shapes with the same perimeter, circle has the largest area.

Ms. P Sidevi

"Mathematics is an essential tool in various subjects. It has a practical connection to one's life. To promote such an important subject, India will come to know of many mathematical wonders this year, being the National mathematical year."

Ms. Meenal Deshpande

FAREWELL MEET



Chairman addressing the audience



Mrs. Gobinath parent of Harinni sharing her experiences



K. Swechcha sharing her experiences



Committee Members, parents at the Farewell Meet

The farewell meet for parents and students of outgoing batch of class X was conducted on Saturday 23rd February 2013 in the school premises. It started with a prayer to the lord requesting him to bless the outgoing batch in writing their examinations well. Then Principal Ms. M. Varalakshmi welcomed the parents and shared her experiences with everyone. It was followed by reminiscence by teachers, where they shared the experiences they had with students. Sharing her experiences Head Girl, K. Swechcha quoted the way JHPS instilled leadership qualities in her and how it has made her sportive enough to accept defeat. Few more students also shared their experiences in the school. They said that the school had given them the best teachers, superb friends and a platform to prove themselves.

Mrs. Gobinath, parent of Harinni Gobinath shared her experiences about the school. She was highly appreciative about the support the school has provided in grooming the children to face the challenging world in future. Ms. G. Sree Devi, Head, Jubilee Hills Skill Development Center, in her speech said that the school welcomes everyone warmly and they get bonded to the school easily. She also emphasized CBSE's new pattern of plus 1 and plus 2. She also spoke about the courses

like IIT-JEE, CA-CS that will be provided in the school during the next academic session (2012-14) by well trained teachers.

It was followed by a key note address by Sri A. Murali Mukund, Chairman, JHPS. In his speech, the Chairman reiterated that the Managing Committee leaves no stone unturned to provide the best infrastructure and academic staff for the students. The technology provided in the school surpasses the facilities provided in any other educational institution. The teachers too are well trained and motivate to take up a challenging role in bringing out the best in every student.

The Annamacharya keerthana by T. Sai Nikitha of class IX and the classical dance performance by Vishnu Priya enthralled the audience. The parents then interacted with senior secondary teachers about the amenities the school was providing for the 11th and 12th graders.

The students, parents, and teachers enjoyed thoroughly and remembered the experiences they had shared with each other. The parents felt that programme was a relief for their child as well as for them. Students took blessings from their teachers and left the school with a heavy heart.

G. Shiva Ranjith Babu, X



An Interaction Session

THINK, BEFORE YOU CLICK...

Deloitte an IT firm conducted a workshop on internal security for the students of classes IX to XII in our school as part of the IMPACT Day on 23rd November 2012. Recognition of original sites, e-commerce and the various softwares needed for the proper functioning of the systems like anti-virus and anti-spyware was explained. The students were enlightened about malpractices on the internet, the disadvantages of using social networking sites and problems one encounters downloading pirated versions. The interactive workshop in the form of quiz and rapid fire rounds threw up many questions to the students which were answered with great enthusiasm and the students were awarded with prizes. Both the employees and the students thoroughly enjoyed this interactive session.

K. Pradhyumna Rao - X
K. Kamalika - IX
G. Reeshmika - IX



Students actively participating

CONSERVATION OF ENERGY

CONSERVE ENERGY TODAY FOR FUTURE SURVIVAL

Conservation of energy has become important for a bright future. Sri. P. Gopala Krishna, Assistant Divisional Engineer Operations-Banjara Hills, A. P. Central Power Distribution Co. Ltd. visited our school and explained the students that our state is facing severe power crisis due to many reasons. These reasons include in power demand, scarce coal supply, exhaustion of natural gas, insufficient inflows to the hydel reservoirs. They also emphasized that the power cuts in our state is increasing drastically, mainly due to the increase in unnecessary usage or wastage of electricity.

At this juncture, it is best to plan ahead for the future and take up responsibilities to conserve and use energy efficiently, and schools are the best places to start these activities, as children are keen with what they would want to do. They stressed that if each student starts saving 100 units of energy per month, then a school alone can contribute to save up to 2.5 lakh units every month.

This can actually be achieved by making very tiny, innumerable differences to our daily life. The government would be glad to meet the demands of the citizens,

It is like a service to one self, to the society around us, to the state and eventually to the country, as for sure a future without energy is not called a future.

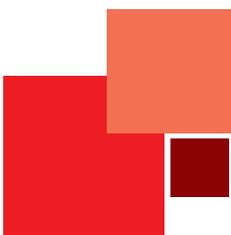


A HEALTH TALK

SURVEY BY CVR HEALTH CHANNEL



The CVR channel conducted a survey about the positive and negative usage of mobile phones. They interviewed the students and teachers in different areas and asked them their views about it. Many students expressed their views about the advantages as well as the disadvantages of mobile phones for a student. This interview was telecasted on their channel.





Girls in traditional attires dancing to the rhythms of sankranthi songs



Children reminiscing saint Thyagaraja by singing his keerithanas

Special assemblies



Students and teachers actively taking part by singing melodiously on Thyagaraja Aradhanaotsavam



Students enthusiastically participating in the celebrations of Sankranthi



JHPians contributing to the Glory of Indian culture

KNOWING MORE ABOUT JOURNALISM

"NEWS IS NOT JUST ABOUT REPORTING, IT'S ABOUT CREATING"

What is journalism? Who are journalists? What is the use of a journalism club in our school? These questions were duly answered in a journalism workshop presided by senior correspondents Mr. Lokesh Thakur and Ms. Arpita from The Times Of India on 2nd November. The responsibilities, qualities, vocabulary and language used by journalists were aptly shared. The duo explained how interviewers have to work and deal with interviewees. The budding journalism students were enlightened on the collective spectrum of topics, ideas formation ranging from news collection to designing, photography and feature writing. This program encouraged the students to improve their creative writing skills, to think out of the box and also helped them to explore their journalistic aptitudes.

Archana Kasturi, X



Journalism workshop



Explaining about journalism

CONTEMPORARY CARTOGRAPHERS



D. Raaga Madhuri, B. Kirti and K. Sri Lakshmi, with their certificates

The Indian National Cartographers Association conducted a Map Quiz for the students of 8th, 9th and 10th classes on 8th September at Survey of India, Uppal, Hyderabad. More than 400 teams participated at the state level quiz and 4 teams made it from JHPS. The quiz comprised of three rounds - the written round, the treasure hunt and the 'bird's eye view' round. Our students D. Raaga Madhuri, B. Kirti and K. Sri Lakshmi made the JHPians proud by securing the 9th place of the 30 teams selected for the National level quiz.

D. Raaga Madhuri, IX

Great teachers help create great students. In fact, research shows that an inspiring and informed teacher is the most important school-related factor influencing student achievement, so it is critical to pay close attention to how we train and support both new and experienced educators.

Teacher Preparation

The best teacher-preparation programs emphasises subject-matter mastery and provides many opportunities for student teachers to spend time in real classrooms under the supervision of an experienced mentor. Just as professionals in medicine, architecture, and law have opportunities to learn through examining case studies, learning best practices, and participating in internships, exemplary teacher-preparation programs allow teacher candidates the time to apply their learning of theory in the context of teaching in a real classroom.



Department of Telugu



Department of Physical Education

IN SERVICE TRAINING- 6th June 2013

A workshop on 'Techniques of Dance' was conducted for the teachers of Dance Department. The resource person was Ms. N. Suvarnalatha.

The resource person apprised the teachers that the technique of dance is based on practical knowledge and has science included in it. Tradition and guruparampara is a must for any form of dance. The Natyasastra

is a common text for all the forms of dance. The respective style has to be maintained by every form of dance. Book knowledge should be 25% and practical knowledge should be 75%. Try to find ways to incorporate the styles that you like into your own dancing. She also gave suggestions on teaching dance to the students.

The Dept. of Science had 'Core Teaching Skills' as their topic for their In Service Training Programme. The resource person Ms. J.Kamakshi

focused on the important aspects of teaching skills. A teacher requires three competencies and they are:

- a) Content competency
- b) Communication and
- c) Teaching competency

The resource person emphasized the need to possess the various skills.

1. The main objectives of these skills are;
 - a. To understand the concept of each core teaching skills



Department of Social Science



Department of Science



Department of Math

- b. Understand the components of each core teaching skills
- c. Prepare micro lesson plan for each core teaching skill
- d. Observe the micro lesson of each core teaching skill
- e. Give feedback for each core teaching skill
- f. Integrate all core teaching skills in a macro lesson to make it effective and become better teachers.

The resource person discussed about the new version of Bloom's Taxonomy and stressed on the objectives and specifications while planning and executing a lesson plan.

A workshop for the teachers English Department was held on topics 'Teaching Grammar through activities' and 'How to Develop Writing Skills'. Mr. Renis Joseph was the resource person.

He briefed the teachers about the various problems faced by them while teaching English like- influence of mother tongue on the language, poor vocabulary, lack of reading habit, use of inappropriate language, lack of communication skills, fear of making mistakes, etc.

Mr. Renis guided the participants on teaching grammar in an interesting way. He enlightened the



Department of Computer

teachers about the shortcomings of the teaching and examination methods which cripples the learners' thought process. The participants were then divided into small groups and given the

'Managing e-Books' was the topic taken by Dr. Indira Koneru at the training programme for Dept. of Library. The points she discussed were

- How to Search e-books on Internet using different web browsers.
- How to download the useful content and where to Store.
- How to manage e-Books.

A workshop on "How to create Interest in Music in Students" was conducted for the Music Department teachers. The resource person was Mr. V. Dayasagar.

Importance of Music:

The Indian classical music is mostly related to the devotion and it is the shortcut path of reaching the god and moksha. A teacher should not exhibit his high professional talents in front of students. He/She should get down to the level of students and the teaching should start initially in a simple manner how a student can understand, and in the entertainment angle. So that a student can slowly improve his/her interest among the particular art.



Department of Art



Library Department



Department of Dance



Department of Music



JUBILEE HILLS SKILL DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

Jubilee Hills Education Society strives relentlessly to ensure the dissemination of knowledge to students. In this endeavour The Jubilee Hills Skill Development Centre was started in 2010 with the objective of giving the best to the students. In its quest for this, it felt that two criteria had to be met; teacher training and student enrichment. The need of the hour is to empower the teacher facilitator to be of maximum assistance to the students for a student centric learning to take place. There is a need to equip teachers with the required skills and tools to promote maximum and meaningful student involvement and participation.

The Jubilee Hills Skill Development Centre caters to the various needs of the teachers in their empowerment by giving them in-house training, observing their classes and giving them Feedback, inviting Resource Persons from outside as well as sending teachers to attend workshops, training sessions or seminars in the City and outside.

A facilitator's role has become multifaceted. He/She has to make sure that the Student is not only proficient in academics but is also adept at the various life skills. The teacher facilitator has a great responsibility- of being a role model; a role model to look up to, whom the students can safely emulate. At the same time he/she has to help the student cope with academics, peer pressure, emotional problems and also keep



the students grounded and humble. The Student centric **Strategic Teacher Empowerment Programme (STEP)** began with a view to enhance teacher awareness in all the relevant and important areas required to interact and handle the 21st century student.

The STEP program aims to enable the teachers to explore the students' hidden potential, bring it to the fore, thereby giving them a sense of belonging and infusing them with a sense of empowerment and responsibility. The various topics covered in the programme are Phonetics, English Grammar and Modules based on Behaviour Management, Anger and Stress management, Class Discipline and Teaching and Learning Methodology. Teachers are also given opportunities to pass on their insights and qualities that make children want to learn from them.

But in this, as in every good thing, there is no excellence without labour, there is no royal road to success. The JHSDC realizes this and strives to help the teachers put the students above everything else.

Transformational Teaching

A workshop on "Transformational Teaching" was conducted by The Jubilee Hills Skill Development on 22nd September, 2012. The resource person was Mr.Satish Govindan from Sixth Sense Strategies Pvt Ltd.

Mr. Govindan spoke about the 'I Am Gifted' program which believes that children are born gifted and possess gifts of learning, creativity and leadership.

He guided the teachers on how to gain self-confidence, participate whole heartedly without any excuses or complaints and become better human beings by having a positive attitude towards everything. He suggested that for the holistic development of a child, the intellectual as well as the emotional sides need to be nurtured and stimulated.

Shift In Paradigms

The Jubilee Hills Skill Development Centre conducted a workshop on "Strategic Teacher's Empowerment Programme" on 24th November, 2012. The resource person was Ms. Suneeta R., Academic Coordinator, Jubilee Hills Public School.

The workshop dealt with changing the mindset of the teachers for which "A shift in Paradigm" and "Empathy" is necessary. She also emphasized on Static Knowledge being useless, and stressed how Knowledge should be dynamic for it to be effective.

TEXT IN CONTEXT

A two day state level workshop was conducted at GITAM UNIVERSITY, Hyderabad on 4th and 5th January 2013. The topic was- 'Text in Context: Contemporary Perspectives in Teaching English'.

The first session was taken up on the topic 'Literary Competencies

He presented on the topic 'Communication Skills for Better Human Relations'.

The following points were discussed by him.

- Communication is the exchange or expression of ideas and information through language, signs or behaviour.
- It projects the inner personality

- A resourceful teacher can tap the resources available apart from the text.
- Students must be encouraged and supplied with sufficient support material for writing a writing skill and not be encumbered with being precise with vocabulary, etc.
- Students should be provided

HONING THE SKILLS OF OUR TEACHERS

Our teachers attended various seminars and conferences which helped them to be familiar and updated with the new trends in the educational sector.

and Selection of Text' by Prof. Sumita Roy. She highlighted that for every English teacher every context is a text for learning.

The second session was taken up by Sri. P.C. Reddy on the topic 'Developing Critical Thinking and Analytical Reasoning in English Classroom'.

He said that-to teach, one should preach but if they want to preach they should teach.

Thus the Philosophy of teaching is –

- The attempt to understand life in all its aspects
- Expansion of knowledge and understanding
- Specialized knowledge
- Rationalization is questioning not for questioning but for understanding.

The third session was conducted by Dr. Prabhakar Korada, Consultant Psychiatrist, Narayana Hrudayalaya.

and the value system of an individual.

Dr. Sunita Mishra presented on the topic 'Critical Thinking On Material Production'. She said that teaching should have a practical approach wherein the students can relate easily. She suggested not to follow books that convey negative feelings.

The next topic discussed was Task Based Learning. Language can be learnt best by performing and not by learning it. It is important to move away from formal learning and not burden child with rote learning method. Grammar should not be taught formally.

The following points were discussed during the panel discussion.

- A text without context has a number of meanings.
- Language learning should be holistic.

with enough knowledge and be prepared to face the challenging career in future as the reality lies in how they face the career industry once they are independent.

Prof. Vishweshwar Rao in his speech highlighted the following points.

- Communication is sharing and empathizing with the students.
- The plurality and diversity of the country is reflected in our classroom.
- Learning takes place in a harmonious atmosphere.
- Clarity of language is very important in communication.

The workshop concluded with positive feedback from all the participants. It was very interesting and informative. The workshop was attended by Ms. Deepa Mathur, Dept. of English.

'PANEL DISCUSSION ON PROMOTING MATHEMATICS USING TECHNOLOGY'

Ms. M. Varalakshmi and Ms. Prasantha Sandhya attended a panel discussion on "Promoting Mathematics Using Technology" on 13th June 2012 at 2 pm at Taj Krishna, Hyderabad. It was attended by experts and professors from many parts of the country.

Some of the members who spoke in the discussion were:

Dr. Rajnish Sharma, Professor at Chitkara University, Himachal Pradesh emphasized that Math lessons should be explained through real life examples.

Dr. Selvam, professor in Anna University insisted that there should be some value added courses (Diploma course) to teach mathematics using technology. Technology can help to change fear to fun while learning different concepts.

Dr. Sanjay discussed various reasons for the 2nd year students of private engineering colleges not clearing the examination in Mathematics. Some of the reasons are negative attitude, not completing their home works, work load of teachers, late admissions, etc. Effective use of Technology can help to overcome many of these factors making the subject more interesting and simplifying complex topics. He insisted the teachers to encourage logical thinking in students.

Dr. Rajput from NCERT said that Math concepts are more abstract from 6th class onwards. The use of technology can help to teach math in concrete way for these classes. Teachers should have positive attitude towards technology. Finally the panel coordinator concluded that no technology can replace teacher but deficiencies of teachers can be taken care by technology.

This was followed by launching of scientific calculator for higher education by Dr. Purandareswari, Minister of state for HRD (higher education).

A workshop on "Activities for primary and middle classes" was conducted on 10th November, 2012 at Hotel Celibrity, Begumpet, Hyd. It was organised by Britanica Publishers. The resource person, Mrs. Jharna De, enlightened the participants on how to make the concepts easy, effective and interesting. It was attended by Mrs. M. Sailaxmi and Mrs. P. Deepa.

The workshop ended with a question-answer session after which the resource person, Ms. Jharna De concluded that it is of high importance to make the students understand the concepts in a better way through activities.

Mathematics workshop was conducted on 23rd November, 2012 in Pearl Regency, Lakdikapul organized by Oxford University press and conducted by resource person Mr. Jose Paul on teaching of mathematics at primary and middle school level. It was attended by Mrs. Sabitha and Mrs. Vasantha which was quite informative and also enlightened us.

The workshops conducted by Mr. Jose Paul primarily focused on developing the qualities of teachers and teaching of mathematics at primary and middle school level.

More focus was given on methodology in which he showed different activities from different topics to understand the concepts which were effective and useful for class room teaching and he even told that activities are beautiful approach on numbers.

Mathematics teachers today experience major challenges not only with the content they teach, but also the way they teach it. Another major concern is the decreasing level of interest that the students show in the subject.

To address these challenges, Educational Initiatives (EI) conducted a workshop for Mathematics Teachers from various schools on the topic 'Misunderstanding to Deep Understanding' at Hotel Marriott, Hyderabad on 24th November, 2012. It was attended by Ms. Prasantha Sandhya, Ms. Lakshmi Sudha and Ms. Swathi.

The following points were discussed:

- State of Maths Learning
- Impact of Maths Learning in Schools.
- How to leverage technology to address student misconceptions
- Challenges of Maths teaching
- How to address student misconceptions

To help clear the misconceptions and misunderstandings, Questioning was suggested as an effective tool. Student can be asked questions which lead to the concept instead of directly explaining the concept.

IMPORTANCE OF HEALTHY MIND & BODY DURING EXAMS'

Mr. Syed Sultan Ahmed was the resource person for the workshop on 'Importance of Healthy Mind & Body during Exams' held on 7th February 2012 at Hotel Taj Banjara, Hyderabad. The resource person is the publisher of MENTOR MAGAZINE and creator of SCHOOL CINEMA. He is popular host of events like Horlicks Wizkids, Pogo Funtakshari, Classmate Ideas for India, Infosys Young Achievers Award etc. He spoke about the importance of good teaching practices and also reiterated that they should be properly documented. These teaching practices should be adopted after appropriate research.

The other topics he discussed in detailed were:

Study skills : There are five broad modes of learning: visual, aural, read/write, kinesthetic or tactile, and multimodal. (VARK, Neil Flemming.)

Concentration: Students should have classes of work experiences to increase concentration levels. Suggested some traditional music (symphony) to increase the concentration levels

Mental health: Children do not perform well without pressure. Optimum level pressure is required. Meditation, yoga should be integral part of the life

Physical Health: Spicy food, Oily and heavy food should be avoided during exam times. More water and liquid diet is advised. Should allow the children to play. Should not cut the PT periods for class X and XII. They should have physical exercise.

Motivation: Motivation is a psychological factor that causes people to act towards a goal, and then sustain that goal towards directed behaviour.

This workshop helped the teachers on how to guide and help the students to handle exam stress and to overcome anxiety during exam.

Inauguration of Vyomanut Astronomy club & Interaction with Dr. Tessy Thomas, AGNI - V. programme was conducted on 22nd August, 2012 at Rosary Convent High School, Abids.

Two students, Vinay Aditya of class VIII B and Abhinav VIII A participated along with Ms. P. Kanchana Valli of Social Science Dept. the resource person was Mr. N. Sri Raghunandan Kumar, Founder of Planetary Society. The

Chief Guest for the day was Dr. Tessy Thomas, the first woman scientist to head a missile project in India.

The main objectives of the programme were to

- Engage students with current scientific research knowledge, information of events in Cosmos, observe various celestial events etc., Training for the students who join the club, Benefits for Students – access to unique material, Research visit etc.

POETRY

LIFE IS JUST FLOWING RIVER

Life is just a flowing river
 Passing fields as a blossom giver
 Seems like its innocent when it starts
 the journey
 But as it drifts and slips it's demanded
 to be sturdy
 As it moves it faces
 The sorrows of the greatest'
 But you're meant not to shiver
 'Cause life is just a flowing river
 The path might be paining
 But it's not going to be staying
 Enjoy the sky
 When the sky is high
 Because life is just a flowing river
 And it's not going to still forever.
 Swechcha Kurapati, X

I HAVE A DREAM

I have a dream,
 Which is like a stream?
 Every night when sleep
 That beautiful time
 Which I love the most
 The time when I can see,
 My eyes start smiling
 The time when I meet you
 My heart starts singing
 Why this happens
 Even I don't know
 Is this the best feeling?
 When I have met you
 May be that's why you are called GOD
 Because I believe that you won't hurt
 That's I like the soul in the world
 -C. Divyajothi, X

“TEENAGERS IN THE TECH-WORLD”



To all the teens reading this—How many of you believe you can go through a single day without the use of technology? But you’re sure to think you can resist a day without going out to play in the garden or meeting friends?

When we look at the world around us today, we are struck by the use of the word ‘technology’. Gone are the days when technology was a luxury, now it is a necessity. The world has become digital, and so has the perception of people living in it.

The digital world that we now live in has its own advantages and disadvantages. Let us find out how it affects the lives of teenagers for whom technology is a need, an interest, an entertainment, an educator and...a distraction.

The use of technology has made life a lot easier and interesting for teenagers. The cool gadgets with which we now communicate around

the world and explore the world around us have changed the life of all of us especially teenagers.

The advancements in technology have incredible educational advantages for teens.

While a tuning fork is a perfectly acceptable way to demonstrate how vibrations make sound, it’s harder to show students what evolution is, how molecules behave in different situations, or exactly why

mixing two particular chemicals is dangerous. Digital simulations and models can help students understand the theories better and also make it easier to remember what they learn. Videoconferencing also helps interaction. Exposure to other cultural perspectives makes it very easy for the exchange of information based on cultural diversities and languages. Multimedia is an excellent form of project-based learning that teaches teamwork. It’s a good way to boost the interest of students who love creating things virtually. In addition, it makes sense to incorporate a component of technology that has become so integral to the world outside the classroom. Students who do not have access to library have easier access to technology, hence not stunning the opportunity to improve knowledge.

Internet, a whole new world that technology introduces the teens to, is as discussed and proved both a boon and a bane. Internet provides one of the greatest benefits when used for educational purposes, it is a great forum to discuss and discover new ideas, but if we talk facts, internet has also increasingly become an addiction. In today’s





digitalized world, teens are the ones who are most prone to danger. Teenage life is a critical point in every student's life when complex decisions have to be taken and time has to be used productively. But modern development in technology has left 60% of teenagers addicted to the internet.

While cool gadgets can make you look a lot cooler around friends, they stand as no. 1 distracters. The technological world is ever advancing, bringing out new gadgets every day. But gadgets, just like internet, have both pros and cons. In fact, gadgets are the most extensively used devices to access internet! Studies have proved that students, who get used to gadgets and the media to which they are exposed to through gadgets, find it rather difficult to live just 24 hours without them. Elimination of gadgets from their lives may arouse feelings of failure, confusion,



distress, boredom and isolation. Now, should we really let gadgets have that much of an effect on our lives? Isn't it dangerous to the evolution of brain for the coming generations?

In this tech savvy world, no one expects you to live without them completely, but like someone said "love people, not things; use things, not people". Let not technology become a necessity in life. Social life is a very integral part of living

in society, but technology should not be the most extensive way to socialize. Do remember you can also socialize with your neighbors, your family sitting next to you on the couch or meeting with people in person. Learning is interesting through technology, but the lesson settles in your brain only when you go through the strain of hunting for the information you require in books made of papers than bytes. It's all on yourselves to determine the affect of technology on you. Remember, time flies like an arrow and you better get out of the cocoon of technology and enjoy real life before life demands other serious things from you and you have no time to enjoy things you once had a chance to enjoy. You are 'the now' teens, you are the foundation to 'the next' generation.

Swechcha K. & Siri S. - X
Radhika Shenoy & Kirti B - IX



HONESTY, INTEGRITY AND HARD WORK WOULD TAKE THEM TO THE COMPETITIVE WORLD

Justice P.S. Narayana, former judge of High court of Andhra Pradesh, is currently a member of Mahadaji water dispute Tribunal, New Delhi. He was a national record holder and a figure of recognition in the Limca book of records for having authored most titles on Law between 1993 and 2007.

Two students from our school had an opportunity to interact with Sri P.S. Narayana, here are a few excerpts from the interview.



I continue to maintain my time discipline. I spend most of my day concentrating on book work. That is why I could subsequently contribute to writing books.

WHAT INSPIRED YOU TO TAKE UP THIS PROFESSION?

A judge has few limitations. Even after retirement, he is guided by discipline. A person should pursue a career that he is most interested in, though I've tried various options in life; I ended up failing in those trials as they were of least interest to me. At the end, my destiny had been decided, and it was of my best interest. That was how I pursued a career in Law.

WHO ARE YOUR ROLE MODELS?

There had been some outstanding judges in the Indian judicial system. It was not important to know them personally, but their works were well-known. The judgments they made were powerful, and I was very much inspired by them.

WHAT IS THE IMPORTANT PRINCIPLE THAT FUELS YOUR WORK?

Throughout my life I believe in the concept of discipline, especially Time Management. Wherever life might take you, discipline will always be a crucial part of one's life.

WHAT DOES AN IDEAL SOCIETY MEAN TO YOU?

The linguistic issues have risen over the world. Each one wants their own language to be superior. So, one should not have animosity, if we may term it as an 'Ideal society' it

is a principle society where certain moral values have to be followed.

COULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR MOST SATISFYING ACHIEVEMENT?

I continue to maintain my time discipline. I spend most of my day concentrating on book work. That is why I could subsequently contribute to writing books. I started it as an additional activity, which later became a more crucial part of my life. The continuous activity of book writing never disturbed my main activities.

WHAT IS YOUR MESSAGE TO THE YOUNG STUDENTS?

Students are expected to have both broad and narrow visions. Honesty, integrity and hard work would take them to the competitive world. One must be jealous in a positive way and have the competitive spirit. The competitive spirit is necessary for the students to excel themselves.

Sri P.S. Narayana, at this age continues to have that glint in his eye with a smile and enthusiasm. We should be proud to have him maintaining the law of our country. We were fortunate to have him as the Chief Guest for the Jubilee Hills Kindergarten Graduation Day. All the students will surely emulate him as the man of confidence and justice.



LIGHT A LAMP, FORGET THE SPARKS

Diwali, the festival of lights was celebrated enthusiastically in our school. Continuing with the tradition of showing our respect and affection towards the noble citizens of our country, the student council visited the offices of various civil servants and shared their happiness with them. These are the people who are always on their toes, round the clock for our safety.

The students met officers at the Banjara Hills Traffic Police Station and Jubilee Hills Police Station. They wished Mr. P. Devender, C.I. Traffic, Jubilee Hills, Sri. Pradeep Kumar Reddy, C.I., Jubilee Hills

Police Station, Mr. K. Balakrishna Reddy, C. I. Traffic(W), Banjara Hills, Mr. K. Saidulu, S.I. Jubilee Hills Police Station and offered sweets to them. Mr. K. Saidulu was very pleased with the kind gesture and quoted, "Jubilee Hills Public School is the first school to wish us!" The students also met other police officers, Mr. G. Ravi, Mr. Md. Shabbir and others, and offered them sweets.

The students of our school thus got the proud privilege of expressing their gratitude to these citizens who work with undaunted spirit and selfless attitude for the society.

D. Raaga Madhuri, IX



Offering sweets to Sri. P. Devender, C. I. Traffic, Jubilee Hills



With Sri. Pradeep Kumar Reddy, C.I. Jubilee Hills Police Station



With Sri. K. Balakrishna Reddy, C.I. Traffic(W), Banjara Hills



With Sri. K. Saidulu, S.I. Jubilee Hills Police Station



EDUCATIONAL TOURS ACROSS THE COUNTRY

EXPLORING NORTH INDIA



Class IX Students during the tour at the Taj Mahal

The class IX students enriched themselves with North India's rich heritage from their visit to Delhi, Jodhpur, Jaisalmer, Jaipur and Agra. They started off to Delhi on 15th October and at Delhi, they had a lot to explore one of them being a haven. The Akshardham, which has a peaceful and devotional atmosphere free of loud prayers, where the true meaning of life can be learnt. The metro ride and the shopping was full of fun and a whole new experience. The next on the itinerary was the beautiful city of Jodhpur. The view from the top of Mehrangarh fort was exhilarating. Later the next visit was to Jaswanth Tada, a beautiful tomb where great respect was given to its surroundings. The Jodhpur fort was incredible to watch. It is a huge complex and the possesses many of the artifacts

used by the Rajputs. The artifacts and photos spoke volumes about the history of the Rajputs. The visit to the current residence of the king of Jodhpur was quite informative. The entire city is beautiful and well maintained. The following day the trip was to Jaisalmer. The Sam sand dunes are the true part of the desert and the camel ride was great fun. The setting sun shining on the sands was a beautiful sight to see. The following day was spent in the 800 year old amazing fort of Jaisalmer. It has earned its place in history as being the only fort where the common people used to live with the king.

The Pink City

A Traveller's Harbor, Land of Rajputs, City of Victory, Feel the Character, Live the History. Jaipur city that overpowers and intoxicates

any traveller who ventures into its vicinity. The historic city boasts of its grand palace and rugged forts.

Jaipur, the pink city was the next to be explored. Jaipur has the Jal Mahal situated in the middle of a beautiful lake. The visit to the Jantar Mantar, where time is predicted by the shadow of the sun was an interesting sight. The glimpse of the Hawa Mahal was excellent and the museum in Jaipur has artifacts from near and far which speaks volumes about the history of the place and its foreign connections.



Students and teachers at Hawa Mahal

The most awaited place on the list was the Taj Mahal. It is truly an awesome and breathtaking sight. The beauty of the monument stunned us and left us speechless. It is truly an awesome and breathtaking sight. The students came back carrying beautiful memories in their hearts, memories of an unforgettable trip.





Enjoying Kerala's backwaters

The students of classes VII and VIII had a cherish able trip to Kerala, God's own country with spectacular landscapes. The group started from Hyderabad on 13th of October and reached Cochin. The Kerala Cultural Centre there has a lot of information about the artists of the Kathakali the dance form of Kerala. The artists exhibited the students some of the interesting expressions of that dance form and also told them from where the dance form had originated. There was an overnight stay at Cochin. The next day the students reached Munnar. This was followed by a visit to a martial art studio where the people of Punarjani village displayed a spectacular sword fight and depicted animals like Tiger, Cheetah and Leopard. The Ernakulam National Park which should not be a place to be missed where the students could see the Nilagiri goat, is one of the rare and beautiful species. Thereafter, the students visited the tea museum and

enjoyed a delicious tea. This sought after hill-station destination is famous for spices, green tea and homemade chocolates.

The next day's visit was to Alleppey, with the Arabian Sea on the west and a vast labyrinth of lakes, lagoons and several freshwater rivers criss-crossing it. Alleppey's immense natural beauty was best enjoyed by the students by setting out in a two hours cruise in Kerala's backwaters. The students spent the next day at Kerala's most popular amusement park the Veegaland (Wonder La) India's first water theme park. It was sheer enjoyment in the pools, the fun filled water rides and slides and the adrenaline pumping rides which were most exhilarating. The most famous ride here is the Spinning Coaster in which the capsule containing people twist and turn over 300mt coaster. The day was filled with fun and frolic! The students stayed in the amusement park till late in the evening and visited a light show. The tour was a cherishable one.





Basking in the joys of nature and the glories of history

The theme of the excursion for classes X – XII to Delhi, Amritsar, Wagah border and Dalhousie was experiencing the patriotic history and heritage. The students started off on this expedition on 13th October to Delhi, and the first to visit was Akshardham temple. The students were spellbound by the magnificent carvings on the hundred acre monument. After a brief shopping at Sarojini Nagar

market the group started off their overnight journey to Amritsar. In the morning at Amritsar (a monument that reminds us of the cruel massacre that took place there) the students travelled by tongas to Jallianwala Bagh and went to the Golden Temple in traditional attires. After lunch the students reached Wagah border – the India-Pakistan border. The students danced to the patriotic beats and watched the sunset ceremony which takes place every day with utmost patriotism. During the next 3 days the troupe went to the picturesque hills of Khajjiar and Dharmashala,

where the students visited the Tibetan temple and shopped on the beautifully decked streets of Dharmashala. The visit to the Bhagsunath Temple gave insights of the traditions followed and the trek to Bhagsunath waterfalls was exciting. Thereafter the students reached Delhi on 20th October and visited the historical monuments Redfort, Raj Ghat and India Gate and understood their importance. It was a wonderful and memorable tour and the students got greatly influenced by the culture, tradition and history of the different places.

Southern Sojourn

The school organized an educational tour to Madurai-Palani-Kodaikanal for the students of classes V and VI. The student s boarded the train on 14th October 2012 and reached Madurai. They visited the Tirumala Nayak Palace where the history of the palace was explained to them in the form of light and sound show. It was followed by the visit to the Madurai Meenakshi temple. Later, they left for the hill station Kodaikanal with an excellent scenic drive. On their way, they spotted the Thalaiyar falls and the 100-year old Shenbagur museum which displays the different stages of the growth of a baby. Then, they visited the Brynt Park and the Kodai Lake. The students involved themselves in activities singing and dancing beside the bonfire. The students had a wonderful and memorable experience.



A DAY OUT FOR CHILDREN'S DAY

The seniors at Dhola-ri-dhani - A flavour of Rajasthan

On the 9th of November celebrating Children's Day, the students of class VIII, IX and X were on a trip to Dhola-ri-dhani. Far from the city lies Dhola-ri-dhani, a place full of pleasant surprises with the essence of Rajasthan. After a warm Rajasthani welcome the students were led to an auditorium where a pot full of fun was awaiting. The next hour went by with various events like magic show, puppet show, Rajasthani folk dances. We were then taken to the dance floor to tap our feet to a few good numbers. That was not all; there was the boat rides, rain dance, camel rides and also a few games to try out our luck.

The students got a chance to interview a few artists who performed and got insights of their lives and goals etched out of the traditions. Some of them have mastered the art of Rajasthani peacock dance and the skill of handling puppets and aiming high in life. The overall experience of the visit was very enriching.

Radhika Shenoy, IX



Artists presenting a Rajasthani folklore



Students enjoying the trip



Shilparamam arts and craft village

An exposure to the rural art & crafts – The primary students at Shilparamam

The school organized a trip to Shilparamam on the 9th of November for the primary classes. The students enjoyed themselves a lot playing to their heart's content in the lush green lawns. They enjoyed the scene at the pond watching the birds. They walked by the various stalls shopping for a while. They also witnessed a glimpse of village life, they saw a potter's house, the village market and the artist's house. The scenes were quite different from the comfortable city lifestyle that the students are used to, hence it was very new to them. They had fun and also came to know about the varied culture and diverse traditions of India.

Abeer Mathur, IV

Reminiscence of the Nizams – Students at Golconda Fort

The school organized a trip to Golconda Fort and the Qutub-Shahi tombs on the 9th of November for classes VI & VII. We started for the trip from the school at 8:15a.m, We enjoyed our way to the fort. 'The Golconda Fort', is worth seeing, taking a walk up the long flight of steps is fun. We stopped at the armory and took a glimpse of how massive the armor and the weapons

were and also saw the jail where Ramadasu, the well known poet who had devoted his life to serve Lord Rama was imprisoned for many years. The sight from the top of the fort was really mesmerizing and beautiful, it made all of us think



Hyderabad's glory-Golconda Fort



Inside the Golconda Fort

that we owned the city. Later we went to the Qutub-Shahi tombs and saw memorials -the tombs of the great kings and queens of the Qutub Shahi dynasty.

N Deepak, VI

VISIT TO THE TIMES OF INDIA PRESS

“A person without any ideas but with an ability to express them; a writer whose skill is improved by a deadline; the more time he has, the worse he writes” this great quote is said by Karl Kraus.

The budding journalists of Jubilee Hills Public School made a visit to the “The Times of India” campus to know how the press works and what efforts and stages go behind every article that finally gets in the print as news. The Chief Editor at the campus detailed the team on the many new procedures involved in transforming a picture on the computer into a newspaper. The most commonly used CTP (computer to plate) technology explained how the reports and articles on the computer gets printed onto the aluminum plates. This gets washed into four colors black, magenta, yellow and red and



The JHPS Journalism Students and the teacher coordinators at The Times of India Press

then the plates are used to print the newspapers, the entire procedure takes 6 hours. This visit provided good insights on the print media and the technologies employed for getting optimum and timely results.

Divyajyothi, X

A VISIT TO CENTRE FOR CELLULAR AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY



A visit to the CCMB at Hyderabad was organized for class VIII students to give them exposure to the advancements in sciences. The students keenly observed the various displays portraying the structural biology and advance technology equipment like electron microscopes. A film showing the researches and achievements by CCMB in the field of forensic science, DNA structure and invention of Shanavac-B vaccine was quite informative. The researchers conducted a few experiments and showed the students the different stages of the life cycle of an insect under the microscope and demonstrated the technology used to study DNA. The students gained good knowledge on the advancements in sciences through this trip.

Kavya B, VIII

SCIENCE ON WHEELS!

Coinciding with the COP-11 Meeting, the Science Express - Biodiversity Special (SEBS), the most visited mobile science exhibition in India mounted on a specially designed 16 coach AC train. It was stationed at Secunderabad from October 9th

to 19th 2012 for public view and awareness. Our School students participated in the joy of visiting Science express in batches of 20 and found it very informative. Students and people from all walks of life were enlightened with facts related to biodiversity conservation issues

and challenges. The SEBS team explained the facts and the models to us and briefed us about the issue. It was a very good approach to conserve our nature and its natural resources.

M.Sreethi, VIII



Promoting conservation of tigers



Science express



The view inside science express

COMMUNICATION SKILLS OF INDIANS ARE SHARP



FILM IT

Indian National Trust for Art & Cultural Heritage (INTACH) conducted a one day workshop for teachers and students on 4th September 2012 in Meridian Public School, Hyderabad. Our students (Arjun, Suman, Mahitha, Nageshwar, Prasanna & Anvitha) participated in this workshop along with students of seven other schools. The workshop was organized by Ms.Purnima Dutt, Director, Heritage Education and Communication Service(HECS), INTACH. The workshop had a content and technical session. In the content session we were shown a presentation about heritage and how we can save it. The technical session was taken by Mr.Edward Stevenson, of 'Pondfreaks Entertainment' who is a professional short film maker. He explained the various guidelines to be followed before and after making a movie. Ms. Purnima Dutt then concluded by telling us to work together to save our heritage.

Arjun Chintalapati, VIII



Ms. Purnima addressing the participants



Students from JHPS at the workshop

Ron Wojcik, the communication skills teacher of our school is from Poland. He has joined our school in the month of June and has been teaching students of classes V to XII. The various activities in the classes help us to improve pronunciation, listening and speaking skills of the students. His efforts have brought a good progress in communication skills of the students. His hobbies include- Travelling, cycling, reading and learning about different cultures. Here's a tête-à-tête with him.

WHY DID YOU CHOOSE TO COME TO INDIA?

I have been to India 13 years back. I liked the country a lot, especially the culture, food and the climate. So, I decided to come back and work here.

HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN TEACHING COMMUNICATION SKILLS?

It has been 5 years since I have started teaching. I taught at the University of Punjab and this is the 1st time I am working at a school.

HOW IMPORTANT ARE COMMUNICATION SKILLS FOR THE STUDENTS OF INDIA?

Communication skills are very important. It has been observed that 75% of Indian graduates can't find jobs because of their poor communication skills. Though their technical knowledge is remarkable, their communication skills are the reason for their failure.

WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT THE COMMUNICATION SKILLS OF INDIANS?

The communication skills of Indians are sharp. There is an influence of mother

Tongue while they speak. But, when compared to countries such as China and Spain, Indian communication skills are better.

WHAT DO YOU FEEL ABOUT THE TRADITIONS FOLLOWED IN INDIA?

Indians are very polite and respectful. They are extremely smart and very well aware of their rich history of traditions. The festivals celebrated here are very colorful and exciting.

SINCE COMMUNICATION SKILLS ARE VERY IMPORTANT FOR US, PLEASE GIVE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE STUDENTS OF OUR SCHOOL?

While you are communicating, speak slowly and maintain clarity. Open your mouth wide and be loud. That will be the success mantra for good communication skills.

G. Reeshmika & T.Sai Nikhita, IX

GSLV AWARD FROM SATISH DHAWAN SPACE CENTRE

“The essence of knowledge is to have it and to apply it, if you do not have it confess your ignorance”. M. Pranav Nuti Our Head Boy (2011-12), of class X proved it by winning the GSLV award at the talent exam and quiz conducted by Satish Dhawan Space Centre on October 4th & 5th on the occasion of the 13th World Space Week for class X's toppers of 2012 from 23 districts of the state Andhra Pradesh. Other winners of this event were two students of Vishaka Valley School, Vishakapatnam.

S. Sameer Krishna, IX



TRAIN GREEN PROGRAMME ♡



The Train Green Programme was initiated by the HSBC Company from 4th July 2012 to 24th Feb 2013, in four quarters, in order to create an awareness among the school students and also to the public about the environmental issues and the impact of human activities which are causing destructions of biodiversity and pollution of the natural environment. Human activities are causing carbon foot print to large extent are a major cause for global warming and climatic changes. These are the main cause of concern for the common people to be aware of. Our school participated in the programme and had a chance to interact with nine other schools about how they created awareness and actions done by them

to conserve and protect the environment. Ten students from our school participated in the programme as the change agents. They are M. Mahima Reddy, Bhavya Singh and G.Sai Siri of class VIII. Archiki Prasad, Allen Thomas, D. Raaga Madhuri, Md. Arsalan Uddin, B. Kriti, P. Sandesh Reddy and K. Archit of class IX. The teacher coordinator was Ms. N. Vanitha.

Mentors from HSBC—Ms. Swarnalatha, Mr. Ahmed, Mr. Joe, Mr. Srikanth guided the change agents throughout the programme and for the project work undertaken by the change agents.

The chief guests were—Mr. Mushtaq & Mr. Ravi—Corporate Sustainability Champions. The school was awarded the best school to participate and G. Sai Siri of class VIII was awarded the best change agent with a memento and cash prize of Rs.5000.

Allen Thomas, IX



INTER-HOUSE SPORTS MEET

The Inter-House sports meet was held on 8th December 2012 with great pomp and show in the school premises. The event was inaugurated by our principal Ms. M.Varalakshmi unfurling the school flag.

This was followed by the march past by the student council. Lighting of the torch by the sports captains, sport secretary and secretary senior secondary and the oath by the sports secretary marked the beginning of the sports meet. The competitions began with the track events for classes V – XII. Tension and anxiety mounted the air with the competitors facing tough challenge from their co-participants of different houses. The audience thoroughly enjoyed the events cheering their respective house representatives on the track. Prizes were given away to the winners of the 4 houses for their creditable performances on the track. The track events were followed by the field events which also included finals of various games of different categories between two houses.

K.Pradhyumna Rao, X



↗ The Principal, Vice Principal and Headmistresses lighting of the torch



The student council marching proudly

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS

Students from our school leave no stone unturned while preparing for any competition. This is clearly shown by the various distinctions in various fields of sports. Students from our school have proved their mettle and have been applauded in the CBSE Sports Meet. Students participated in VOLLEY BALL, SWIMMING, HAND BALL, BASKET BALL, BADMINTON, TENNIS, ATHLETICS and the girls showed their spirit of FOOTBALL, by participating at the CBSE level.

Out of the many students who attended the athletic meet, 10 students from classes VI to X qualified to the state level. In the 2nd State Level Karate Championship held on 3rd & 4th December, 2012 At Kukatpally, seven students from classes VI to X have bagged I, II and III prizes in different events. Students also bagged prizes at the 14th KBI National Selection Karate Champion Ship 2012-13 Talkatora Indoor Stadium, New Delhi.

In the field of Badminton, P. Sreya of class IX qualified to the National level. K. Sampath Kumar Reddy of class VIII participated in All India Ranking Championship Series of Tennis for U/14 boys. He won a prize money of Rs. 1000/-. Ruthvika Shivani of Class XI is an International Badminton player and has bagged two international Under 19 Badminton titles and four State Championships in 2012-13.

Archery championship was held in early October, our school won the OVERALL CHAMPIONSHIP. M. Sai Karthik, and E.V.S Abhishek won the IIIrd place in 4 different competitions

of archery of different measures. N.V Ashish of class IX won SENIOR NATIONAL RANKING PARTICIPATION. Cricket is the life of India, and students from our school have made it to the District level. K. Prajwal and Uday Goud of class VIII have both been selected for the district level competition. The school has received Rs. 10,000/- for participating in the St. Andrews Cricket League Matches.

K. Tejashwini of class V won II prize in the Hyderabad Inter School Taekwondo Champion ship held at K.V.B.R on 16th and 17th February 2013. In the Hyderabad District Athletic Association Athletic Meet held at L.B. Stadium on 24th Nov, 2012 K. S. N. Vara Prasad received 1st, M. Asta Lakshmi 2nd, M. Amrutha and K. Meghanath Reddy stood 3rd, in Long Jump. In the 4X100 Mts our two teams secured 3rd position in both the boys and girls categories. Similarly, our young athletes have secured II and III positions in the Long Jump and 4x100 mts in competitions conducted by Glendale Academy Open Challenge Athletic Meet, 2012 held at Glendale Academy on 30th Nov & 1st Dec, 2012.



District Athletics place



Under 14 hand ball runners



Under 14 ThrowBall Team wins the 3rd at District Level



Principal presenting the Inter School U-17 District level throwball shield to the winners



Inter House Basket Ball Match

OUR CHAMPS AT NCC ATC XI LRDC 2013

Troop No. 26 attended the Annual Training Camp XI Local Republic Day Camp from 18th January to 27th January 2013 at Bison Training Ground, Secunderabad. Twenty five cadets from our school attended the camp, where they have undergone training in Weapon training, Drill, Map reading, field and battle raft, firing, flag area, extempore, games, tent lay out, cultural events, National integration Awareness programme and have come out with flying colours.



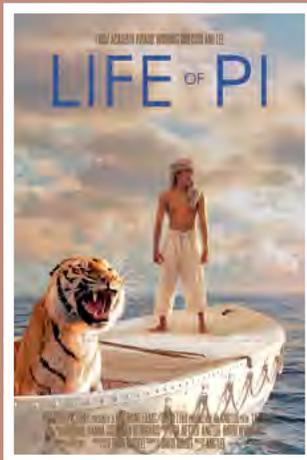
Throwball team receiving the shield from the Principal winning at NCC camp



Arman Hyder receiving the medal for Extempore winning at NCC camp from the Principal

- Our cadets stood third in Drill, and eight girls and four boys were selected for the next year Inter unit drill competition.
- Cadet Bhavya Singh was awarded with best Contingent Parade Commander and has won a Gold medal.
- Cadet Arman Hyder received Gold medal in extempore.
- Bhavya Singh stood second in Flag area and received Silver medal.
- Cadet Amulya stood second in extempore in Junior wing category.
- Cadet Bhavya Singh received Silver medal in firing with grouping of 6 cm.
- In Throw Ball competition our girls won the competition and stood first.

MOVIE REVIEW



“An irrational name, and an irrational story”, is a reaction of a practical man after listening to, reading or even watching the astounding ‘Life of Pi’. This mystical man-booker prize winning novel by ‘Yann Martel’ tells the story of 16-yr old boy stranded at sea in a lifeboat, with a Zebra, Orang-utan, a hyena and a ferocious Royal Bengal Tiger. The

inconceivable part being that he survives the journey and even lives on to tell the tale to the author. But, it’s a waste if we watch or read this book with a logical mind. It is for the refreshment of our souls, our faith in god and hope. It is all about how we perceive things, our beliefs in people and even in animals. The novel was discarded as practically impossible to convert into a film, but the only person who could do it, was ready for it.

Ang Lee, from ‘crouching tiger, hidden dragon’ fame, was and is the only person who could and who ‘did’ justice to the novel. The Oscar undoubtedly went to the director; the movie also bagged prizes for the best visual effects, which you would not disagree with after watching the film. There are certainly some aspects in the novel, which have been missed out in the film A conversation between Pi and an imaginary character whom he perceives to be Richard Parker (yes! That’s the name of the Tiger!).

The movie however features Pi’s love interest, which makes it even harder for him to leave the country. The best part about the movie is its amazing visual effects, which dominate most of the movie, and I would prefer mentioning the “Tiger” as a great contender for the “best supporting actor” during the academy awards Now, for the spiritual and religious part, the movie showcases, Pi’s interest in various religions, his want for hope in people and animals. Yes, the movie can make you believe in God, but it is completely up to you to do the same. It gets you into sync with a teenager’s belief in God and his faith in his only acquaintance.

Shrey Som, IX

A fun-filled time with friends and teachers

Jubilee Hills Public School organised a 'Party Night Out' for children of classes I and II at the premises recently. The principal Varalakshmi in her welcome speech said that this kind of programme will encourage the children to become food, responsible and confident. Every year this



evening started with a variety of games such as 'pass the parcel', 'memory game', 'post and parcel' etc. A variety of programmes were organised to entertain the little ones. The children then joined the evening's most awaited event 'Dance' where they danced, sang and enjoyed the evening with all the energy they had. A delicious dinner was served for them. They watched their favourite cartoons, movies and shared with their friends. The children danced to the music and a variety of

entertaining and adventurous camp experiences is organised in bringing in a fun, learning, caring and friendly environment for the children.

The children packed all their belongings for the night and came on Saturday at 1.30 pm. The day was warmly welcomed by headmistress Lakshmi and the teachers to spend their night at school along with their friends. The

their teachers and went to bed. The Sunday morning, children woke up with a traditional song of 'Saraswati bhajam' followed by yoga, meditation and yoga. They were then served breakfast and given a gift. The parents thanked the school managing committee for organising such an event to instill a feeling of responsibility. Jubilee Hills Public School

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Farewell Meet

Jubilee Hills Public School conducted 'Farewell Meet' for the students and parents of class X in the school premises recently. The chairman, A Murali Mukund and the managing committee members greeted the occasion. Students of class X shared their experiences about the school. They said that the school had given them the best teachers, superb friends and a platform to prove themselves. A Pragn, parent of G Harini appreciated the teachers for their co-operation and support given to their wards. The teachers also shared their experiences. The principal, M Varalakshmi wished the students success in their lives.



The outgoing students along with their teachers enjoyed the cultural programme. Jubilee Hills Public School

Inter-school tournament

BSE South Zone Tennis Academy organised Inter School Tennis Tournament for under 14 for boys (single and doubles) which was held at SDAT Tennis Stadium, Nungambakkam, Chennai. Many



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School reunion



Jubilee Hills Public School celebrated the annual alumni meet 'Reunion 2K12', a day for old friends, old reminiscences and anecdotes. Many students from 1994 batch to 2012 batch had the opportunity to meet their old friends. The lighting of the lamp was done by the chairman A Murali Mukund, the vice president B N Muthy & P Subba Rao, the joint secretary T Harishandra Prasad and managing committee member Krishna Murthy. The alumni president Seshagiri welcomed the gathering and presented a bouquet to all the managing committee members.

The principal, M Varalakshmi welcomed the gathering and shared her views about the growth of the school and also wished the students success in their life. There were special moments in which the Alumnus shared their memories of the school with their friends.

The programme started with a prayer song. There were many cultural programmes presented by the students and the Rock band organised by the JHPS Alumni Association enthralled the audience. Siddharth of class X gave a fabulous performance on drums. The evening was filled with fun and frolic. Jubilee Hills Public School

Jubilee Hills Public School celebrated Republic Day in the school premises. An air of patriotic fervor permeated all over the atmosphere. The chief guest Kodali Nageswara Rao, senior consultant, Seed Processing & Technology, the chairman A Murali Mukund, distinguished managing committee members of Jubilee Hills Education Society, parents, staff and students graced the occasion. The principal M Varalakshmi welcomed the gathering and wished everyone on the occasion. The chief guest unfurled



the national flag. The programme started with a patriotic song 'Jai Jawan 'Jai Kisan' a slogan which means 'hail the soldier and hail the farmer'. Porush Sood of class X gave an inspiring speech on the occasion of Republic Day. A lively cultural programme mesmerised the audience and reflected the feeling of patriotism amongst the students. Prizes were distributed by the chief guest. The chief guest in his speech related his own life's experi-

Impact Day conducted

A student awareness programme on 'Internet Security' taken up by the Firewall Threat' was conducted by the members of the Deloitte Company in the Jubilee Hills Public School premises recently. They enlightened the students of classes VIII-XII on how to safeguard their personal information from cyber crimes and shared many ideas to stop the same. The students interacted on the present day cyber crimes and internet security and gave their views. The students got prizes for the queries they answered. The session was not only entertaining but informative as well. Jubilee Hills Public School



Knowledge fest



A 'dhyayan' - the knowledge fest (book week) was recently conducted in Jubilee Hills Public School in order to inculcate reading habit and hone the creative skills of the students. The celebrations began with a dance about Dwadass Saraswathi Slotram. During the week different competition such as recitation of rhymes, sloka recitation, storytelling, book mark preparation, book review and quiz competitions were held for the students of different levels. This created awareness about the importance of reading books among the students. Prizes were given to the students as a mark of appreciation. DEAR - Time (Drop Everything and Read) was held in order to promote reading habit in students and it was a successful event. The chairman A Murali Mukund, teachers and the administrative staff also participated in the DEAR programme. Jubilee Hills Public School

Sports Meet



Jubilee Hills Public School celebrated 'Sports Meet' in the school campus recently. The joint secretary, T Harishandra Prasad, principal M Varalakshmi, vice principal, headmistress (primary & secondary) teachers and students attended the programme. The principal M Varalakshmi unfurled the school flag followed by the impressive march past amidst the band display. It was an exciting day in which children had an opportunity to participate in various field and track events. The children competed for a variety of sports events like table tennis, basket ball, handball, football, throw ball etc which generated a lot of enthusiasm in the students. The children showcased their talent in all areas. T Harishandra Prasad distributed prizes to the winners. Jubilee Hills Public School

School bags sanitation award

Good schools need good students and good students need good schools. In 2009, Jubilee Hills Public School has been conferred with The First National School Sanitation Award 2012 for attaining 'B' category under the National School Sanitation Initiative. M M Pallam Raju, Minister for Human Resource Development, Government of India presented M Varalakshmi, Principal of Jubilee Hills Public School with a memento, certificate and a cash award of Rs 60,000. Sanitation and hygiene are key to our survival, development and growth. Increased awareness and the need to develop a more permanent strategy would lead towards good health, well-being and dignity for all. Jubilee Hills Public School



A colourful cultural evening



The school celebrated a vibrant cultural evening. The students showcased their talents through various performances including dance, music, and drama. The event was a great success and provided a platform for the students to display their creative skills. Jubilee Hills Public School



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FACILITIES

- Smart boards are available in all the class rooms
- English lab for better communication skills
- Spacious playground with sports such as Tennis, Basket ball, Cricket etc.
- Career counselling and guest lectures are organised.

ELIGIBILITY

Students completing class X from all boards in March 2013 should visit the school with report cards of classes IX and X along with 3 passport size photographs.

*Note: Admissions are purely based on merit & interaction.
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