

BAL BHARATI PUBLIC SCHOOL, DWARKA

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

INDEPENDENCE DAY AND INVESTITURE CEREMONY (AUGUST 10, 2022)

School celebrated Independence Day and Investiture Ceremony on August 10, 2022. The chief guest Smt. Sweety Changsan, Additional Secretary Ministry of Education bestowed the Badge of Honour to members of the Student Council and appreciated their patriotic zeal depicted through the various cultural events.

COMMONWEALTH CONNECTIONS PROJECT

As the lead collaborator for Commonwealth Connections Project, the school facilitated multidimensional cultural exchanges among 12 Indo British cluster of schools. The school initiated Indo-British classroom connect, cultural, sports, yoga exchanges and leadership training with British Athlete Mentor Jenny Wallwork. The school won Grant of 3050 GBP for cluster partnership project which entailed cross-cultural learning of British Musical theatre by Indian Schools and Indian Bollywood dances by students in Birmingham schools. British Council extended full support to this initiative by facilitating visit of UK Theatre Artist to New Delhi to provide musical theatre training to Students in all six schools. The Culmination event was held on 22 Aug 2022 at British Council to showcase musical theatre productions of all 6 Indian Cluster schools.

ADOPT A TREE CAMPAIGN

With an aim to inspire harmony with nature, to energize our immediate eco-systems and reduce our personal footprints Bal Bharati Public Schools organized Adopt a Tree Campaign in association with My Tree Program by The Satsang Foundation.

The campaign began with Vriksha Bandhan (Adopt a tree) leading to Vriksha Daan (Neighbourhood tree plantation). All children of the school participated enthusiastically in this massive campaign by planting and adopting a tree. Students from class Pre-School to XII took care of their adopted plant in the school for a week's time and then planted it in their neighbourhood.

MY TREE PLANTATION DRIVE (AUGUST 17, 2022)

The school, in collaboration with The Satsang Foundation under MY TREE PROJECT, organized a Tree Plantation drive on August 17, 2022. The students were given a variety of saplings by the MY TREE Foundation, to plant at various spots in the school ground. Students, also took an oath to look after the planted saplings, plant more and more trees. The drive concluded with the plantation of mango trees in the loving memory of the three pillars of Bal Bharati Parivar - Shri L.R Channa, Dr. V.K Ahuja and Shri S.K Bhattacharya.

SELF DEFENCE CAMP

The school endeavoured to organize a Self Defence Camp for the students of classes XI & XII in order to equip them with the skills techniques of defending themselves when trapped in a difficult situation. Ms Poonam Yadav, Head Constable conducted an insightful and interesting session.

'NANHE KRANTIKARI' AT BBPS, GANGARAM (AUGUST 6, 2022)

Ms. Pushpinder Kaur (TGT Hindi), Ms Neelam Sehgal (TGT Hindi) and Ms. Sapna Saxena (PRT Hindi) attended the staging of the play titled 'Nanhe Krantikari', performed by the students of Dramatics Club at BBPS, Gangaram. Written and directed by Dr. Ankush Sharma, the play captured the unrecorded aspect of the Indian independence through its portrayal of unsung heroes.

"HAR GHAR TIRANGA"

To honor the National Flag, the Government of India planned the **"Har Ghar Tiranga"** program under **Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav** activities. It envisaged inspiring Indians everywhere to hoist the national flag. This initiative not only inculcated the feeling of patriotism in the hearts of students and promoted awareness about National Flag but also became a symbol of our commitment towards nation building.

Following activities were conducted on August 13, 2022 to promote this initiative:

S. No.	ACTIVITY	CLASS/TIMING
1	PRABHAT FERI WITH SLOGANS CHANTING	IX to XII
2	TIRANGA FACE PAINTING	VI to VIII
3	POEM RECITATION & ANTAKSHRI ON TIRANGA (BILINGUAL)	VI to VIII
4	SLOGAN WRITING ON NATIONAL FLAG	VI to VIII
5	QUIZ ON NATIONAL FLAG	VI to XII
6	DISPLAY BOARD DECORATION COMPETITION IX - Contribution of Indian Sports in past 75 years X – Importance of Indian Flag XI – Freedom fighters of India XII – India's Space Ventures	IX to XII
7	COMMUNITY LUNCH	VI to XII
8	CREATING A SELFIE CORNER IN CLASS	VI to XII

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REVISITING INDIA'S INDEPENDENCE

As a part of the celebration of 75th Independence Day celebration, a School Preamble Making Activity was conducted for the students of classes VI-IX. Students drafted a preamble for school, highlighting the core values and principles of the institution.

HINDI WEEK (AUGUST 22 TO 26, 2022)

The following activities were conducted during the Hindi Week to promote the love for the language and to enable the students to learn and adopt the correct usage of the language :

ROAD2RECOVERY

International Research Project: MissionROAD2RECOVERY Project was launched in collaboration with 22 schools pan India focusing on three priorities:

Mending the Academic, Social and Emotional Learning Gaps.

Preparing and Supporting Teachers.

Parents Participation and Involvement

To work in tandem for a better world, the following activities were conducted:

Students Voice- Students shared a 30-50second video answering the question- 'How can you solve the problem of paper waste?'

Creative writing- Students researched and then wrote the journey of the paper from a tree to being a page.

Poster Making- Save paper, save trees, built a better world.

ACTIVITY: MINI FIELD TRIP (Class: VI A, C and D)

Students of class 6th explored evacuation plans on the third floor in corridors next to their class. Teacher facilitated how maps are different from plans and situations where plan was used.

EC-22 ONLINE INDO –JAPAN EXCHANGE PROGRAM (AUGUST 8 TO 11, 2022)

Online International Exchange was initiated between Japanese and Indian students of Bal Bharati Public School, Dwarka (India); Seinan High School (Japan) and Shri Gurumuki Vidhyasshram (India). Students participated in online discussions on various topics like- Indian students shared their Favourite Indian food, and answered queries about prevalent social issues like Poverty, Racism. Japanese students talked about Climate Change, School schedules and less sleeping hours.

ART AND CULTURE PRESENTATION BY DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL GROUP (SOCIETY) AT SRI-FORT

AUDITORIUM (AUGUST 26, 2022)

Art Department Faculty visited Sri Fort Auditorium for an Art and Cultural Exhibition, organized by Delhi Public School Group. A weeklong workshop was organised by their society to celebrate 75 years of Independence i.e Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav. Around 32-35 Art Teachers and 70 selected students participated in the workshop and Cultural Program, presented by professional classical artists.

MONTESORI DEPARTMENT

SLUMBER PARTY (PYJAMA PARTY) (JULY 29, 2022)

There was an amazing blend of colourful pyjamas, mushy pillows and soft toys. Children were dressed up in their sleepwear cuddling their favourite toys and were thrilled to play games like building a pillow fort, passing a toy.

FRIENDSHIP DAY (MY BEST BUDDY) (AUGUST 5, 2022)

Students celebrated friendship day with love and harmony. Friendship bands were made and exchanged amongst children. Collaborative art activities were done to foster friendship.

TIRANGA TREAT (COLD COOKING) (AUGUST 8, 2022)

Tiranga Treat activity was enjoyed by the kids as its motive was to make them understand about the ingredients, different kinds of food items, process to make sandwich, and learn about different colours which constitute our National Flag.

KHUSHIYON KA TYOHAR (RAKSHA BANDHAN ASSEMBLY) (AUGUST 10, 2022)

Our young folks performed rhymes and Hindi Poem recitation on the occasion of Raksha Bandhan. They conducted a beautiful dance and a short enactment that demonstrated the significance of the Raksha Bandhan festival.

RAKHI- BOND OF LOVE (Rakhi Making Activity) (AUGUST 10, 2022)

To celebrate the virtuous bond of love between siblings, Rakhi making activity was organized. Children made Rakhis using eco-friendly decorative material, displaying their creativity and artistic zeal.

MY INDIA MY PRIDE (INDEPENDENCE DAY ASSEMBLY) (AUGUST 12, 2022)

The school celebrated Independence Day with great joy and pomp. The dance performances of children painted the school with tri colour. Children were also told about the struggle of our freedom fighters to gain independence.

PROUD TO BE AN INDIAN (TRI COLOR KITE MAKING ACTIVITY) (AUGUST 12, 2022)

An activity of Tri colour toy kite making was organized for classes preschool and preprimary. The three colours of tiranga and their importance was discussed during this activity. Students also

enjoyed a short story on Independence Day followed by a special assembly on this occasion.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY KRISHNA (PRASAD MAKING ACTIVITY) (AUGUST 17, 2022)

To celebrate Krishna's birthday in an exciting way, Janamashtmi Prasad making activity was organized for students of pre-school & pre-primary. Learners made panjiri Prasad in small groups & then the Prasad was distributed amongst children. Devotees were invited from Iskcon temple & they sang bhajans along with children.

MILK DAY (MILK CORNER) (AUGUST 17, 2022)

"KANHA KI GOSHALA" i.e. Milk Corner was organized for cute little munchkins. Children enjoyed drinking their favourite flavoured milk. They were told about the special bond between Lord Krishna and cows.

BANSURI CRAFT (AUGUST 18, 2022)

Janmashtami was celebrated on August 18, 2022 with mirth and joy. The fragrance of flowers, soothing aroma of camphor and the jingle of bells filled the air. Students decorated their own paper flute.

PAPER LOOPS (CRAFT ACTIVITY) (AUGUST 25, 2022)

An interesting and fun filled activity Paper Loops, craft activity was organized for Preschool and Preprimary students. Children showcased their creativity by making butterflies with paper loops and decorating them using ice-cream sticks, colourful stick-ons and other decorative material. They also watched a small story "Bella the butterfly" and recited a rhyme.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT

INNOVATIVE TEACHING

HAPPY CAMPERS

Day camp for the students of classes I to V was organized in the school premises to celebrate the fun and frolic, mirth and innocence of the children. A plethora of fun – filled activities like 'Heal the Body, Heal the Soul'; 'Pretend Play Food'; 'Hobby Lobby'; 'Freeze the Hour' etc. brought cheer and celebrated the exuberant spirit of togetherness.

ADOPT A TREE CAMPAIGN

With an aim to rejuvenate degraded land, create green belts to neutralize the impact of global warming and climate change, school organized 'Adopt a Tree Campaign' under the My Tree Project. Children of classes I to V participated enthusiastically and their involvement showed that the need to raise awareness about environmental issues is well understood by them.

KHILONA – AN EXHIBITION (AUGUST 27, 2022)

‘Khilona – an Exhibition’ was organized for the parents which witnessed the creative display of toys and games prepared by children of classes I to V under the able guidance of their teachers.

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

As a part of the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav and Har Ghar Tiranga campaign initiated by the government, a plethora of activities was planned for the students by the school to celebrate the glorious history of the people, culture, and achievements of India and further honour the national flag. It brought children closer to the tricolour, invigorating the spirit of national pride and belongingness.

FRIENDSHIP AUR FUN by POGO (AUGUST 30, 2022)

The school initiated a programme, in collaboration with the POGO network, specifically intended to promote the value of camaraderie and teamwork. In "Friendship or Fun," second grade children learnt the subtleties and power of friendship through a variety of entertaining activities.

ACTIVITIES GALORE

FRIENDSHIP DAY CELEBRATION ACTIVITY - CLASSES I & II (05.08.22)

In an endeavour to celebrate friendship day, friendship band making activity was organised for the students of classes I & II. Children enjoyed making colourful friendship bands for their buddies.

PAPER BAG MAKING ACTIVITY - CLASS V (10.08.22)

Students of class V made paper bags and envelopes using old newspapers. These were then given to nearby shopkeepers for use as an alternative to plastic bags. This small step towards conservation of the environment received a special mention by CEE and Eco-School India on their Instagram page.

THE WIZARDRY WORLD OF HARRY POTTER

The Primary Wing organized ‘Harry Porter and His World of Sorcery’ during July 25 to 29, 2022. The week commemorated Harry Porter’s birthday anniversary, celebrated on July 31. The week long activities helped build students’ confidence, enhanced their critical thinking and imagination. Overall, The Wizardry World of Harry Potter encouraged reading of the genre of fantasy writing like ‘Harry Porter’.

Class II: The Wacky Wand

Class III: The Sorting Hat

Class IV: Phoenix-The Shrunken Head (Create Your Own Pet)

Class V: Expecto Patrorium- The Tricky Tricks (Be a Magician)