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APS JALANDHAR HOSTS THE 11 CORPS INTER APSS ETHIC BOWL CONTEST: 25-28 APRIL 2023

The Ethic Bowl Contest, 'a debating arena with a difference', was held at APS Jalandhar from 25-28 April'23. Moving away from the stereotype of debating where one team speaks for and one against a given topic, this contest allowed participants the freedom of expressing their views any way they wanted, irrespective of which team they belonged to, resulting in a healthy exchange of views and opinions on the given topics. Contestants counter questioning each other was of course a part of the process. However, a new feature in the form of judges questioning the contestants was also introduced. Six children each, from class IX to XII were part of the teams representing the six APSS of the 11 Corps. The contest comprised three rounds. Round 1 was an Inter School Round. Thereafter the 24 top scorers were randomly divided into 4 teams to battle it out to become one of the 12 top scorers. These 12 became part of the two teams in the final round. The top individual scorers from each of the six schools were ultimately picked out as 'Team 11 Corps' and shall go on to represent 11 Corps at the Western Command level. With regard to team performances, APS Tibri emerged Winner, with APS Jalandhar at Second Place and APS Beas at Third Place. Principal Dr Saksham Singh inaugurated the event, while the final day's proceedings were graced with the presence of Mrs Supreet Batra, Chairperson Vajra FWO and other staff officers and ladies.



Welcome and registration



Contestants on their way to the venue...



...Receiving their identification tags



Lighting of the ceremonial lamp



Team A - APS Firozpur



Team B - APS Jalandhar

Contesting Teams...

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Team C - APS Amritsar



Contesting Teams...
Team D - APS Beas



Team E - APS Tibri



Team F - APS Kapurthala



The teams in action...



The attentive judges...



Mrs Supreet Batra, Chairperson Vajra FWO and other guests enjoying the contest



APS Tibri, Winner
11 Corps Inter APS's Ethic Bowl Contest 2023



APS Jalandhar, Runner Up
11 Corps Inter APS's Ethic Bowl Contest 2023



APS Beas, Second Runner Up
11 Corps Inter APS's Ethic Bowl Contest 2023



Team Vajra ...
11 Corps Representatives for Western Command
Ethic Bowl Contest



A Colourful Finale...



**CBSE WORKSHOP FOR TEACHERS
CAPACITY BUILDING IN EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING
28-29 APRIL, 2023**

A two day workshop was conducted by the CBSE for teachers of affiliated schools on 28 and 29 April'23, at APS Jalandhar. It was attended by 26 teachers from APS Jalandhar and other city schools. The resource persons were Ms Divenaa Shardul, Founder Principal Sri Ram Global School Ludhiana and Ms Vega Sharma, Life Coach. They emphasized upon the importance of use of experiential learning as a regular teaching tool, to help children retain and apply what they learn, in actual situations.



Lighting of the ceremonial lamp



The workshop underway...



The participants sharing their assignments



Building Memories...
The Resource Persons and participants posing with Principal Dr Saksham Singh

MOTIVATIONAL LECTURE BY MAJ GEN R N TIKKU: 20 APRIL 2023

'What exactly is life and how it should be lived the right way'. This is the topic the guest speaker spoke to the children from class X to XII, about. He said that the right mind set and attitude are very important for an individual to be able to achieve what he sets his mind at. Destiny does play a role, but we need to work hard to shape our own destiny and attain success in life. While education is a tool that helps us distinguish right from wrong, what matters most to be successful is, to have a positive attitude, choose wisely and strive for excellence. Through anecdotes from his own life and life in general, he kept the children amused. An inspiring session indeed.



Maj Gen Tikku(Retd) addressing the students



SOF OLYMPIAD TOPPERS FELICITATION CEREMONY: 24 APRIL 2023

The SOF Olympiad 2022, Hindi and Science School Toppers won Gold Medals for their achievement. These were presented to them by Principal Dr Saksham Singh during the morning assembly.



The proud winners posing with the Principal and Vice Principal

**PAYING HOMAGE TO A DEPARTED LEADER...
S. PARKASH SINGH BADAL: 08 DEC 1927 - 25 APRIL 2023**



26 April 2023: The Principal and Staff paying their respects

AWES RAISING DAY : 29 APRIL 2023

To celebrate the 40th Raising Day, of the Army Welfare Education Society(AWES), the managing body of all APSs across the country, a number of activities, based on a related theme were held for children on 28 April'23. On 29 April'23, a Special Morning Assembly was conducted. Here is a glimpse...

POSTER MAKING: CLASS V – VIII, 28 APRIL 2023



Master Ashish Gautam VII



Miss Anuska VII



Miss Aditi Gaura VII

SLOGAN WRITING: CLASS IX, X, XII, 28 APRIL 2023



Miss Shirsti Negi XII



Master Akashdeep Singh Heer XII

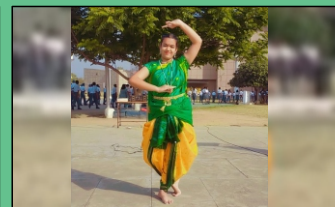


Miss Anjali Singh XII

SPECIAL MORNING ASSEMBLY: 29 APRIL 2023



Tr Ms Bhawna Miglani TGT Ssc talking about the AWES Bharat Natyam Presentation by Miss Arpita, Class X



**CBSE ACTIVITY
POSTER MAKING ON EARTH DAY : CLASS V –XII: 22 APRIL 2023**

For celebrating an Earth day, CBSE activities were conducted for classes V to XII in which various topics were given to every class. The students actively participated and showcased their talents.

Children show casing their creations...



Class V

Class XI

Class XII

**SPECIAL ASSEMBLY PRESENTATION
APRIL 2023**

THEME: BAISAKHI: 15 APRIL 2023



Folk Dances of Punjab being presented by class VIII H

THEME: EARTH DAY: 21 APRIL 2023



Class VII H posing with their posters

15 APRIL 2023

TABLE MAT MAKING CLASS I-IV



Miss Noor Sharma I Master Kartik II Miss Swara III Miss Drishti Priya IV

KUCH MEETHA HO JAAYE CLASS V



Miss Vidanshi V Master Atharv Mishra V Miss Guntas Kaur Deol V

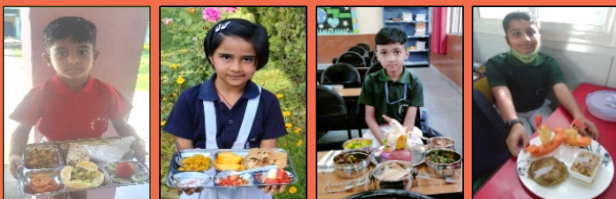
HEALTHY MEAL (COOKING WITHOUT FIRE) CLASS VI-XII



Miss Malvika VIII Miss Kavya Sharma VIII Miss Niharika VIII

21 APRIL 2023

MY HEALTHY PLATTER : CLASS I-IV



Master Sarthak Bais I Miss Mansi II Master Krishna III Master Yash IV

HINDI POETICAL RECITATION CLASS VI-III



Master Rakshit VIII Miss Loveleen Kaur VIII Miss Tanu VIII

PAPER BAG MAKING: CLASS IX-XII



Miss Vritika X Miss Ritu Baghel X Master Ayush Bhomia X

28 APRIL 2023

PHOTO FRAME MAKING: CLASS I-IV



Miss Savreen Kaur I Master Arpit Poswal II Master Divyansh Raj III Miss Deeya Mishra IV

28 APRIL 2023

INTER HOUSE FOOTBALL : CLASS IV BOYS



The matches in progress....



The fifth month of the year in the Julian and Gregorian calendars, May has 31 days. It is named after the Greek Goddess Maia. According to Roman belief, May is named for the 'majores', ie elders (senior citizens). It signifies the onset of summers in the northern hemisphere and winter in the southern hemisphere.



TAURUS GEMINI LILY OF THE VALLEY EMERALD

MAY: IMPORTANT DAYS

- May 1: School Principals' Day
International Labour Day
Maharashtra Day
- May 4: International Fire Fighters Day
- May 7: World Athletics Day
Nobel Laureate Rabindra Nath Tagore's Birthday
- May 8: World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day
World Thalassaemia Day
- May 12: International Nurses Day
(Birth anniversary of Florence Nightingale)
- May 31: World Anti Tobacco Day

FAMOUS HISTORICAL FIGURE

BORN IN MAY

Maharana Pratap

(9 May 1540 – 19 January 1597)

Maharana Pratap was a Hindu Rajput king of Mewar, Rajasthan. He fought several major battles against Mughal Emperor Akbar, including the Battle of Haldighati in 1576 to resist the expansion policy of the Mughal empire and stop their advance into Rajasthan. He became a folk hero for his military resistance through guerilla warfare. Leaders like Shivaji were inspired by him and adopted guerilla warfare as a successful means to fight against the Mughals.





EVERGREEN WORDS OF WISDOM

उपदेशोऽहि मूर्खाणां प्रकोपाय न शांतये ।
पयः पानं भुजंगानां केवलं विपवर्धनम् । ।

हिन्दी अर्थ: मूर्खों को सलाह देने पर, उन्हें गुस्सा आता है यह उन्हें शांत नहीं करता है। जिस प्रकार साँप को दूध पिलाने पर उसका जहर ही बढ़ता है।

English Translation: Advice given to fools, makes them angry and not calm them down. Just like feeding a snake with milk, increases its venom.

विद्या विवादाय धनं नदाय शक्तिः परेषां परिपीडनाय ।
खलस्य सार्धोविपरीतमेतद् ज्ञानाय दानाय च रक्षणाय ॥

हिन्दी अर्थ: दुर्जन की विद्या विवाद के लिये, धन उन्माद के लिये, और शक्ति दूसरों का दमन करने के लिये होती है। सज्जन इसी को ज्ञान, दान, और दूसरों के रक्षण के लिये उपयोग करते हैं।

English Translation: The mischievous use their education for conflict, money for intoxication, and power for oppressing others. Honest ones use it for knowledge, charity, and protecting others, respectively.

STUDENT COUNSELLING SESSIONS HELD DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL 2023 BY THE SCHOOL COUNSELLOR

DATE	CLASS	TOPIC COVERED
05.04.2023	IX G	Class Talk on Career Planning.
	X B	Class Discussion on Self -Motivation and Learning to Adapt.
	XII G	
06.04.2023	V C, V G	Class talk on Understanding Role of Counsellor and How to be Happy.
	IX J,K, X H	Class Talk on Career Planning.
08.04.2023	XA,B, J	Class Talk on Career Planning and Career Counselling Laboratory work.
	XII A, D	Class Discussion on Class Discussion on Self -Motivation and Learning to Adapt.
15.04.2023	IX D XII C,E	Class Activity on Empowering each other by discussing strategies that helped to overcome Academic.
17.04.2023	V C	Class talk on How to be Happy.
	IX E,F	Class Talk on Career.
	XII F	Class Discussion on Self-Motivation and Learning to Adapt.
18.04.2023	IX A X E	Class Talk on Career Planning.
	XI B, G	Class Discussion on Self -Motivation and Learning to Adapt.
19.04.2023	IX C	Class Talk on Career Planning.
	XI F	Class Discussion on Self -Motivation and Learning to Adapt.
	XII G	
20.04.2023	IX-XII	Motivational session on Life and How to Live it Right by Maj Gen R N Tikku.
21.04.2023	IX D,H	Class Talk on Career Planning.
	XI A	Class Discussion on Self -Motivation and Learning to Adapt.
	XII B,E	
29.04.2023	X A,B,J XII A,D	Class Talk on Adjustment issues related to Academics and School Life.

Individual Counselling for the student on Study Skills, Time Management, Career-related queries, and Adjustment issues is being done on case to case basis. During Counselling sessions, all students are encouraged to personally send messages to the counsellor for individual counselling if required and follow-up is being done. Parents Individual Counselling is also being done on a priority basis to empower parents and students to develop skills for creating a healthy and happy environment for improving overall wellness and academics.

IN SERVICE TRAINING SESSIONS ATTENDED BY FACULTY MEMBERS: APRIL 2023

S No	Workshop	Attended By/Venue
1	FDRC Webinar NO 01/2023-24 from 17-21 April 2023 on Secondary and Senior Secondary Stage of Pedagogy	Ms Sunita Sharma, TGT Hindi
2	FDRC Webinar NO 02/2023-24 from 24-28 April 2023 on Middle Age and Secondary Stage Pedagogy	Ms Mamta Gosh, PRT Sanskrit

TEACHING STAFF MEMBERS CONFIRMED AGAINST REGULAR POSTS



Tr Mr Paramveer Singh TGT FA, Tr Ms Sunita Sharma TGT Hin, Tr Ms Puja Rani PGT Eng, Tr Mr Manvendra TGT Ssc posing with Principal Dr Saksham Singh

WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO... FORTHCOMING ACTIVITIES: MAY 2023

05 May 2023: **Mother's Day Celebration:**
Gift for Mother
Design a T-Shirt/Cup
Jewellery Making

12 May 2023 - 29 JUNE 2023: **SUMMER VACATION**



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