

# DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL RAJKOT

Reflections

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#### **Environment Week**

The school went green with gusto as the Environment Week was observed from 11th to 16th July 2016. The green warriors of the school-students of Environment Club, the Students' Council members, staff and the Principal launched the 'Tree Plantation Drive' on the first day. Through the week, Pro Vice Chairman of the school -Mr. Rajendra Kumar, Mr. S. S. Adhikari- Principal, Rajkumar College, Mr. Brijesh Kumar Pathak- Principal, Podar School, Members of the Rotary Club Rajkot Midtown and Col. Baxi and Col. Mahendra Singh from NCC joined hands in this endeavour by planting a sapling each. Nearly 100 plants were added to the school campus within a span of one week.











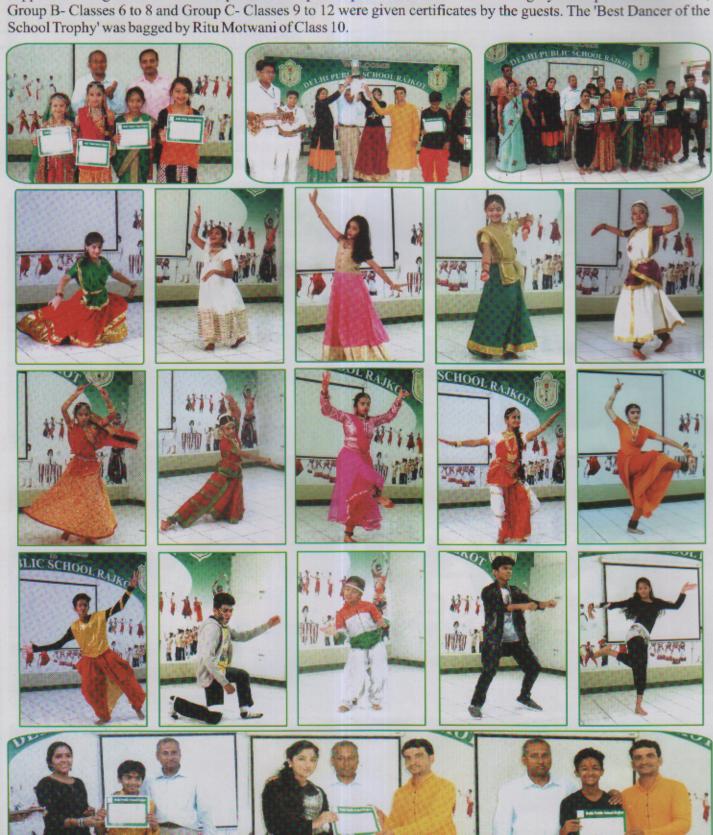






#### 'Best Dancer of the School' Competition

'Best Dancer of the School' Contest was organized in the school on 2nd July 2016 to recognize the Best Dancing Talents in the school. 29 students of the school participated in the final round. The students presented a variety of dance forms like folk, semi classical, classical, contemporary, fusion and Bollywood. The parents of the participants were invited. The Chief Guest, Mr. Ambrish Kumar Gupta, Principal, Kendriya Vidyalaya, Rajkot inaugurated the programme by lighting the lamp. Eminent dancers and choreographers Mr. Jignesh Surani and Ms. Heena Mehta decided the winners. The judges appreciated the performance of all the students and expressed their happiness seeing the talent of the Dipsites. The top three position winners in each category- Group A- Classes 3 to 5, Group B- Classes 6 to 8 and Group C- Classes 9 to 12 were given certificates by the guests. The 'Best Dancer of the School Trophy' was bagged by Ritu Motwani of Class 10.



#### **Achievement in COGNIVISION 2016**

Isha Mohapatra (Class 8) bagged 1st Runners up Trophy in Elocution, Satyam Chhatrala (Class 10) and Niyati Shah (Class 9) were the 2nd Runners up in Graffiti Making and the team of Parth Herma (Class 10) and Naman Kumar (Class 9) stood fourth in the Maths and Science Quiz in COGNIVISION 2016- Interschool Competition at Nand Vidyaniketan- Essar School, Jamnagar on 1st July 2016. Seven schools had participated.







#### **Investiture Ceremony**

Investiture Ceremony for the Students' Council 2016-17 was organized in the school on 28th July 2016. Eighty seven students, from both the Senior and Junior Students' Council, received their badges from the Principal and took the oath of allegiance.



# **Rotary Interact Club Installation**

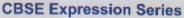
The Installation ceremony for the Rotary Interact Club 2016-17 was conducted on 14th July 2016 in the school in a special assembly. The oath was conducted by Rotary Interact Club Installation Officer Dr. Shamina Mathur. President Dr. Banuben Dhakan gave a motivating speech to the newly appointed Rotary Interact Club students of the school.





#### Bookfair

A Bookfair was organized in the school by Scholastic India Ltd. from 26th to 31st July 2016. The students purchased books for their personal libraries.



Students of the school participated in the CBSE Expression Series on Bal Gangadhar Tilak on 23rd and 24th July 2016.



#### Yoga Day

A special assembly was organized in the school to celebrate International Yoga Day on 21st June 2016. Students and teachers performed yoga together. The yoga teacher explained the importance of yoga to all.

#### **Interhouse Competitions**

- Open Hindi Creative Writing Competition was conducted on 29th June for Classes 4 to 7 and on 1st July 2016 for Classes 9 to 12.
- Interhouse Chess Competition was held on 8th July 2016 for Classes 3 to 12.
- Interhouse Hindi Recitation Competition was held for Classes 4 to 7 on 13th July 2016.
- Interhouse English Recitation Competition was held for Classes 4 to 7 on 20th July 2016
- Interhouse English Debate Competition for Classes 8 to 12 was held on 22nd July 2016.
- Interhouse Quiz Competition was held for Classes 4 to 7 on 27th July 2016 and 9 to 12 on 29th July 2016.



# 3rd Position in Interschool English Solo Song Competition

Shraddha Sinha (Class 11 Science) secured 3rd position and was awarded a Bronze Medal in Interschool English Solo Song Competition at Aditya Birla Public School, Veraval. Eleven schools had participated. The students of our school had also participated in English Debate and Hindi Duet Song Competition organized at the same place.

Shraddha Sinha has also been selected in the semi finals of the city round of The WOW Factor Singing Talent Hunt Competition by The Voice fame-Darshan Rayal.

#### **Group Discussion**

Group Discussions were organized on 2nd July 2016 as per the following topics and classes:

Class 3-Nuclear Family vs. Joint Family

Class 4-Advantages and disadvantages of using mobile phones

Class 5-Advertising: Boon or bane

Class 11 -It is better to be born talented than rich.



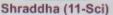
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#### Publications in The Times of India

The publications in The Times of India, NIE for the month of July include: Poem 'Rain' by Shraddha Sinha(Class 11 Science) and photographs by Deep Patel, Siddhraj Parmar and Manav Ukani (Class 9), Sherul Ghaghada, Chandraprakash Madhwani, Preet Jivani and Chirag Bakhai (Class 10) and Jigar Vaishnav(Class 11 Commerce).







Deep (9-A)



Siddhraj (9-A)



Manay (Q.A)



Sherul (9-B)



Chandraprakash (9-B)



Preet (9-B)



Chirag (9-B)



Jigar (11-Comm)



# 'Spectacular World of Chemistry' workshop

Ms. Anita Sharma and Ms. Gayatri Ghadiyali attended the workshop-'Spectacular World of Chemistry' organized by DPS Society from 10th to 13th July 2016 at HRD Centre, DPS Dwarka.



#### **UGC NET Exam**

The school was the Center for UGC NET Exam on 10th July 2016. The Principal was the City Co-ordinator.

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# Felicitation of toppers and students with 100% attendance

The toppers of the school in the Board Exams 2016 (Classes 10 and 12) and the students with 100% attendance in the academic session 2015-16 and their parents were felicitated on 30th June 2016 in a special assembly. The Principal gave the letters of appreciation to the students.





# Educational trip to Kutch

104 students and 8 teachers went for an educational tour to Kutch on 30th & 31st July 2016. They visited the Swaminarayan Temple, Kutch Museum, Prag Mahal, Aaina Mahal, Bhuj Lake and Gandhidham.













# Educational funfilled visit to Ishwariya Post and Chowkidhani

107 students and 5 teachers of Classes 1 and 2 went for an educational fun filled visit to Ishwariya Post and Chowkidhani. They saw the Jurassic Park, enjoyed rides in the Children's Park, watched Rajasthani dance, magic show and puppet show.







# **Mental Maths**

Mental Maths activity was organized for Classes 1 and 2 in the month of July 2016.

# **English Handwriting Competition**

English Handwriting Competition was held for Classes 1 and 2 in the month of July 2016.

# Hindi Handwriting, Creative Writing and Words Recitation

Hindi Handwriting, Creative Writing and Words recitation activities were held for Classes 3 to 5 on 29th July 2016.

Role play, Dictionary and Word Recitation activities in English

Role play, Dictionary activities and Word Recitation activities in English were organized for Classes 3 to 5 in the month of July 2016. Workshop



Ms. Seema Joshi conducted a workshop for teachers on 20th June 2016. She shared the inputs she received from the ECE workshop attended by her recently at DPS HRD Centre, DPS Dwarka. She conducted a workshop on Nutrition for the parents of Pre Primary Section on 2nd July 2016.



#### **Id Celebration**

Id was celebrated with enthusiasm in the school. Some of the students came dressed in traditional attire and exchanged greetings of Id. Students also read articles about the festival in the assembly.

## Visit to Reliance Super Market

The students and teachers of Pre Primary Section visited the Reliance Super Market on 21st July 2016







Surya Namaskar

Surya namaskar was taught to the students of Nursery and Prep in the month of July 2016.







**Hindi Rhyme Time** 

Hindi Rhyme Time Show was held for Class Nursery and Prep on 15th and 16th July 2016 respectively.







Story Telling Show and Introduction Show

Story Telling Show was organized for Class Prep. on 23rd July 2016 and Introduction Show for Class Nursery on 20th July 2016.







# Paper Pasting and Count the Balls

Story Telling Show was organized for Class Prep. on 23rd July 2016 and Introduction Show for Class Nursery on 20th July 2016.

#### Participation in Interschool events

Thirteen students from Classes 5 to 11 participated in Interschool Swimming Competition organized by K.D. Ambani Vidyamandir Jamnagar on 16th July 2016. Six schools had participated. The school bagged overall 5 gold and 4 bronze medals in various categories. Brinda Joshi who won 5 gold medals was declared Best Swimmer in U-17 category.







#### Selections for State Level Games

- The U-14 and U-19 (Boys) Football Team participated in District Level Tournament. Two players from U-14 and three from U-19 team have been selected to play at State Level.
- 15 students (U 14, 17 and 19) participated in District Level Swimming Championship. Six swimmers secured 2nd position and two secured 3rd position. Five swimmers are selected for State Level Competition.
- Eight players (U 14, 17 and 19) (Boys and Girls) participated in District Level Chess Competition out of which six are selected to play at State Level. Three players secured 1st position, two secured 2nd position and one secured 3rd position.
- Sixteen players (U 14, 17 and 19) Boys participated in the District Level Cricket Competition. Five players are selected to play at State Level.
- Fifteen players (U 14, 17 and 19) Boys participated in the District Level Table Tennis Competition. Eight players are selected to play at State Level. Three players secured 1st position.

#### Inter DPS Competition

Two students from Class 11 Science participated in 'Inter DPS National Swimming Meet Girls - 2016 (Open)' held at DPS, Panipat City from 29th to 31st July, 2016.

#### **District Level Games**

- The U-19 (Girls) team participated in Taluka Level Volleyball Tournament and has been selected for District Level Games.
- 16 boys (U-14,17and 19) participated in Taluka Level Athletics Meet. Fifteen are selected for District Level Games.
- Seventeen players of our school (U 11, 14 and 17) (Boys and Girls) participated in District Level Skating Competitions. One player secured 1st position and two secured 3rd position.







#### **NCC Enrolment**

The enrolment process for the new NCC cadets of the school from Class 8 was carried out in June 2016.