

SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP FELICITATION CEREMONY (2023-24)

The Sports Scholarship Felicitation Ceremony was held on **05 February 2024** at Army Public School, Dhaula Kuan to laud the efforts of achievers in various sports competitions held at national and international level. The event aimed to celebrate the dedication, hard work, and accomplishments of these talented individuals.

Guest of Honor and Co-Founder of Dhingra Foundation, Mrs. Komal Chander applauded the efforts of 25 student-athletes by presenting them with Rs. 15000/- scholarship and certificates.

The event not only recognized their accomplishments but also inspired and motivated them to continue striving for excellence in their future endeavors.



WEBINAR / WORKSHOP

20 January, Nest Making Workshop, Raina Auditorium

Mr Rakesh Khatri popularly known as the Nest Man of India conducted a workshop on Nest Making specially for sparrows. The workshop was organized in the Raina Auditorium on 20th January for the students of class 8.

80 students had participated who were further divided into groups of four. Mr Khatri gave a hands-on experience to the students for making nests, the children made 20 nests and enjoyed the experiential learning. The eco-friendly materials used for nest making made the children understand the importance of blending with nature.



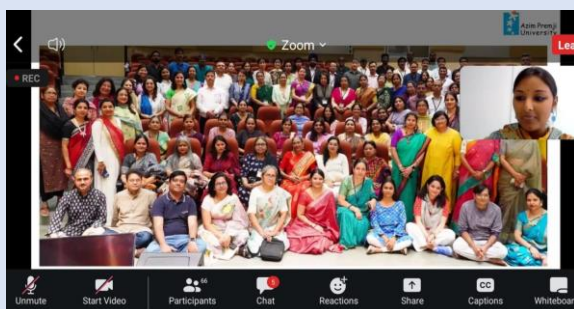
21 to 27 January 2024: Competency Based Test Development

Competency Based Test Development training was organised by CBSE and three teachers from Army Public School, Dhaula Kuan got nominated. This was four months Pan India training that CBSE had outsourced to Azim Premji University, Bengaluru. The contact classes were held at the University from 22 January to 26 January. The three teachers who were nominated and completed the four months training are Mrs Sanghamitra Roy, Mrs Poonam Rani Mujoo, Mrs Madhu Mrinal Mohan. The training was mainly to make the teachers understand NCF and NEP 2020 and to incorporate the Curricular Goals, Competencies in test development. A total of 100 teachers have been nominated for this training. Dr. Pragya Sinha, Director Assessment CBSE and Dr Shweta Singh Joint Director Assessment addressed the teachers during the contact classes at Bangalore, they interacted and took the feedback from the teachers. The teachers stayed inside the university campus and attended the training from morning till evening. Madu Mohan gave a presentation, Poonam recited a poem and Sanghamitra performed a kathak recital on the closing day of the workshop, this extra participation by the teachers made everyone applaud the school.



02 February and 07 February, Competency Based Test Development

Three teachers; Sanghamitra Roy, Poonam Rani Sinha Mujoo, and Madhu Mrinal Mohan who were part of the CBTD, attended two webinars on 2nd and 7th February as part of their 4 months training in Competency Based Test Development. These two webinars marked the end of the four months training program by CBSE.



12 February, Assembly Ground APS DK

Students Drill: Facing an unforeseen terrorist attack on school

A drill on **How to Tackle a Terrorist Attack** was conducted on 12 February, by Maj Paul Joseph, an alumnus of Army Public School, Dhaula Kuan. He is a trained Black Cat Commando and is posted at NSG Manesar. The school had organized a drill for the teachers, staff, and students of class VI-VIII, on the 12 February 2024 in the school assembly ground. Maj Paul had taken the session and guided the students on how to face an unforeseen event of a terrorist attack on the school. The students and staff members were guided on how to counter any sort of terrorist invasion in the school premises. This guidance was conveyed through methods that were not only easily understood by students but also demonstrated in practical terms.

An easy to remember **3 Step Action Plan** was discussed with the students along with separate instructions for the teachers and staff as well. This activity not only helped the students understand the ground reality in such a situation but also prepared them to act cautiously.



The **3 Step Action Plan** was instructed as follows:

RUN:

1. Running to a safe place to hide from the eyes of the invader/terrorist and which would protect you from gunshots. Preferably indoors.
2. Run in the opposite direction from the place where you can hear the gunshots.
3. Avoid running in the open areas like ground.
4. DO NOT run towards large rooms like auditorium, halls, etc. as the invaders can easily hold you a hostage and many others in a large room
5. If someone gives you any bag or object to handle DO NOT open it or do anything with it.

HIDE:

1. Find a place to hide from the sight of the attacker which can also protect you from gunshots.
2. Use desk, chairs, tables, or any heavy furniture available in the room to block the doors.
3. Put your Mobile Phones on Silent but DO NOT switch them off as it can be the only medium of contact for you and others with you.
4. Be smart to analyse and hide in a place where no one can see you.

FIGHT:

1. This should be your LAST OPTION when you cannot run or hide anywhere.
2. Decide sensibly which available item around you or with you can help you unarm the attacker. (Ropes/stone/clothes, bag, etc)
3. Be cautious of protecting yourselves and others.

BENEFITS:

- You can limit the terrorists and save lives if handled sensibly.
- Limit the casualties.
- Identify the attackers and help the authorities.
- Provide important information to the authorities.



INTER SCHOOL (Ramakrishna Mission, New Delhi)

28 January: Inter School Recitation Competition

An interschool competition was held at Ramakrishna Mission and the felicitation was done on 28 January 2024. Five of our students made us proud by winning in English, Hindi, and Sanskrit poem recitation to celebrate 161st birth anniversary of Swami Vivekanand. The mentor teachers were Bhumika, Arushi Rathi, Anup, and Shashi.

1. Sarah 8-B 2. Niranjana 9-L 3. Samarjeet 10-E 4. Aditya K Dubey 7-J 5. Sahana 7-E



State Level Science Debate

Ujjwal Sharan of class XII K brought laurels to the school by securing **Second Position** at State Level Science Debate organized under the aegis of Directorate of Education NCT Delhi.

He will be representing school at the National level in the upcoming month.



State Level Science Competition (Science Exhibition)

State level Science Exhibition was held on 31 January by Directorate of Education

The State level Science Exhibition was conducted on 31 January and our school bagged the first position. Gurakshat and Aryan from Class 10. The teacher mentor was Mr Avnesh Kumar TGT Physics.



17 January, ADG Excellence Award

NCC Girls

Two NCC girls, Cadet Tanishka and Cadet Laalima Razora of our school received ADG's Excellence Award on 17 January at NCC Directorate. Cadet Tanishka received the award for EBSB Culturals and Cadet Laalima Razora for participating in PM's rally.



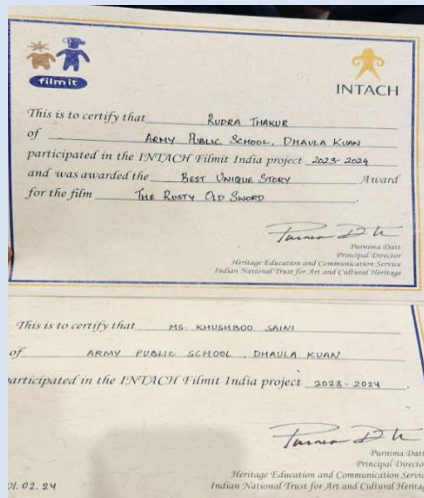
01 February, INTACH Filmit Festival

The Intach club children had participated in movie making. The movie was one of the selected ones that was screened at INTACH Filmit Festival.

200 schools participated in the project. Rudra(7A) got featured on a renowned platform and made us proud as we own the Best Unique Story for Rudra's Rusty Sword.

The chief guest of the event was Ms Rintu Thomas, Dr Parul Munjal, and Ms. Himanshi Saini, who are prestigious members of the film making industry.

Our students interacted with Purnima Ma'am, The Director of INTACH. The dignitaries who were present on the stage were K. N. Srivastava (Retd IAS), Ms Purnima Dutt (Principal Director), Dr. Parul (Renowned Conservationist), Ms. Himanshi Saini (Film Maker), and Ms. Bhadra (Journalist).



07 February - State Volley Ball Competition

Our children with specials went for Delhi State Volleyball Competition today. And made us proud as Danish Hussain of class 8 - A got 2nd Position in Delhi State Volleyball Championship and Anushka Raj of class 12 - L was selected for the National Camp of Volleyball organized by Special Olympic Bharat.

The volleyball coach, Ms. Shweta, was mentoring our CWSN with great patience and our children made us proud.



IMPORTANT EVENTS INTRA SCHOOL / SPECIAL ASSEMBLIES

09 January 2024: Cleanest Class Competition

A competition on the cleanest class for the students of classes 6 to 10 was conducted on 09 January. Children kept their classes clean and ensured a spic and span environment.



13 January 2024: Army Day Parade at Parade Ground, Delhi

On the eve of Army Day, a remarkable parade unfolded at the Parade Ground in Delhi. Attended by 82 students ranging from classes 6 to 9, and accompanied by five dedicated teachers – Ms. Anjali Vasisht, Ms. Mamta Kumari, Ms. Vibha Sharma, Ms. Jessica, and Mr. Anup – the event was a testament to the admiration and respect for the Indian Army.

The parade showcased the indomitable spirit of the armed forces, with various contingents and regiments displaying precision and discipline. The atmosphere resonated with patriotism as the tricolour unfurled, and the parade ground reverberated with the rhythmic footsteps of marching soldiers. The participating students actively engaged in the event, absorbing the significance of Army Day. Their presence added a dynamic element, symbolizing the unity and appreciation for the armed forces.

This educational experience, led by the dedicated teachers, not only paid tribute to the bravery of the armed forces but also instilled a sense of pride and gratitude among the students.

The event was a harmonious blend of patriotism and learning, fostering a strong bond between the armed forces and the younger generation. The Army Day Parade at Parade Ground, Delhi, on January 13, 2024, not only celebrated the courage of our soldiers but also served as an impactful educational platform, leaving an indelible mark on the minds of the attending students who represent the future of our nation.



Lt Bhupendra Nautiyal, ANO SD APS Dhaula Kuan was felicitated by the ADG Delhi Dte and CM Delhi on 13 Jan 2024 during RDC 2024 for his remarkable contribution to the NCC and outstanding performance in the PRCN and Refresher course.



17 January 2024: Interact club - Panel discussion on the Book, 'Nation First'

The Interact Club of the school organized a panel discussion on the book, 'Nation First'. The students discussed the book and the chapters in details. The students of class 9 had participated for the panel discussion.



25 January, 2024: Interactive Session on Women Empowerment by Interact Club

An Activity on Women Empowerment was conducted on 25 January in the AV room as part of Interact Club activity.



27 January, 2024: Cariappa Parade Ground

PM RALLY was organized on 27 January 2024 at the Cariappa Parade Ground. 67 students and 3 teachers went to witness the rally. Students thoroughly enjoyed the program starting from NCC Movie to the Cultural Program. The event started at 4:30 P.M with the arrival of The Union Minister for Defence - Shri Raj Nath Singh, Director General of NCC - Lt. Gen. Gurbirpal Singh, Union Minister of State for Defence - Shri Ajay Bhatt, Chief of Defence Staff - Lt. Gen. Anil Chauhan, Chief of Army Staff - Gen. Manoj Pande, Chief of Air Staff - Air Chief Marshal V R Chaudhari, Chief of Naval Staff - Admiral R. Hari Kumar and Defence Secretary - Shri Giridhar Aramane and The Prime Minister of India - Shri Narendra Modi. The Prime minister addressed the annual NCC PM rally and witnessed the cultural program and presented the Best Cadet Awards. He also flagged in Mega Cyclothon by NCC Girls and Nari Shakti Vandan Run (NSRV) from Jhansi to Delhi. While addressing the gathering, the Prime Minister said that as a former NCC cadet himself, it is natural to recall the memories when he is present among NCC cadets. "Being present among NCC cadets highlights the idea of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat", the Prime Minister said as he observed the presence of cadets from different parts of the country. He expressed happiness that the sphere of NCC is constantly growing and said that today's occasion marks a new beginning. The event included a cultural programme on the theme 'Amrit Kaal Ki NCC' showcasing the contribution and empowerment of the Amrit Peedhi. In the true Indian spirit of Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam, more than 2,200 NCC cadets and young cadets from 24 foreign countries were a part of this year's rally. Overall, it was a refreshing experience to be present at the event among people who serve and devote themselves to the country to safeguard the people.



29 January, 2024: Pariksha Pe Charcha

13 students of class 11 along with 2 faculty members, Ms. Sonali Malik and Ms. Komal Dabas attended Pariksha Pe Charcha, a unique interactive session held at Bharat Mandapam organized by the Prime Minister of India on 29 January 2024. It aimed at addressing the stress and anxiety faced by students during exams. The event provided a platform for students to interact with the Prime Minister and share their thoughts, concerns, and experiences related to examinations. The event served as a forum for students to engage in a candid conversation with the Prime Minister, seeking guidance and encouragement.

Key Highlights/ Objectives:

- To alleviate exam-related stress and anxiety among students.
- To inspire and motivate students to perform their best in exams while maintaining a healthy physical and mental balance.
- Parents to play equally important role in taking care of physical and mental wellbeing of students.
- Teachers to establish relations with students beyond books and syllabus. Teachers play an important role in guiding young minds and nurturing a good citizen for society.
- Need for healthy competition amongst students and be surrounded by people who encourage you to do your best.
- Living life outside the technological world and making sure to get adequate rest along with studying.
- Address by the Prime Minister on the importance of exams and ways to manage stress.
- To provide a platform for students to interact with the Prime Minister and seek guidance.
- Panel discussions featuring educators and experts sharing tips for effective exam preparation.
- Cultural performances by students to promote creativity and talent.

Exhibition

The Pariksha Pe Charcha 2024 session was accompanied by an awe-struck exhibition held by various schools demonstrating the new face of Bharat. The students had prepared models of AI bots, space satellites and some famous state arts.

Pariksha Pe Charcha 2024 was a resounding success, serving its purpose of addressing exam-related stress and fostering a positive environment for students. The students of classes 6 to 10 watched 'Pariksha Pe Charcha' on live streaming of Youtube.



01 February 2024: Ops Sadhbhavna visit of children from Arunachal Pradesh

Op Sadhbhavna visit : Every year the school organizes a visit as part of OP Sadhbhavna. This year 39 students, 4 teachers, one officer, two JCO, two OR visited Army public school, Dhaula Kuan on 01 Feb 2024. The children visited us from Govt High Secondary School, Aalo, Arunachal Pradesh. The team visited the school campus and was welcomed by The Principal, Mrs. Meetu Rathore. The team paid their tribute to the martyrs at the school's martyr's gallery. They experienced an audio-visual class that was conducted by Mrs Soni Pradhan, the children watched a movie on the history of the school that was created by Renu Barrot. They visited the ATAL Lab, Primary Wing and Raina Auditorium, where they were welcomed with a cultural program that was showcased by the dance and music society of the school. They interacted with our students and exchange their ideas over light refreshments. A memento was presented by the team to the Principal, Mrs. Meetu Rathore. The teachers expressed their heartfelt gratitude towards the principal, teachers, and students for organizing such an interactive and informative visit for the team.



09 February 2024: Siri Fort, The Indian Navy Symphonic Orchestra

The Indian Navy Symphonic Orchestra played at the Siri Fort Auditorium. 44 students and 3 teachers from our school attended the event on 09 February 2024. The students received refreshment packets. The three teachers namely Sakshi Tomar, Jessica and Khushboo Saini attended the event with the children. The INDIAN NAVAL SYMPHONIC ORCHESTRA captured the hearts and minds of the music enthusiasts.



13 February 2024: Eklavya Park , Army Public School , Dhaula Kuan

A team building activity was organized for the class teachers of classes IX and X on 13 February 2024, at **The Self Learning Eklavya Park**. A game was played as an ice breaker. All the teachers were awarded with a title and light refreshment was arranged for the teachers. This activity helped in bonding and in enhancing inter personal relationship. The Academic and Discipline coordinator for classes IX and X, Mrs Savita Khokhar, addressed the teachers, she motivated them and thanked them for the completion of a successful academic year.



Team bonding and Educational Excursion

Staff of Senior wing went for Educational and adventure trip , an annual year end team bonding exercise , to Tribal Fest organised by Government of India on 13 Feb 2024.



14 February 2024: Basant Panchami, Special Assembly

At the onset of Spring, a special assembly on Basant Panchami and Saraswati Puja was organized on 14 February. The school choir sang Saraswati Vandana and the students from classes VII and VIII recited Saraswati Slokas. Anushka from Class 8 was dressed up as Saraswati. The teachers were dressed in the shades of yellow to welcome Spring. The teachers and students enhanced the spring fervor with traditional food items made on Basant Panchami.



20 February 2024: Story Weaving Activity (Interact Club)

Books not only transport us to different worlds but also have the remarkable ability to connect people across time and space. Through the art of storytelling, books weave together the threads of imagination, emotion, and wisdom, leaving an indelible mark on our lives. Being able to write meaningful and influential stories is an essential human pursuit.

One such event of Story Weaving was organized for students of class 6th, 7th and 8th with the aim to enhance their creative and imaginative skills by encouraging them to write creative content in the form of a story.

Theme for the event was literary genre ‘Fiction, Horror, Sci-Fi, or Mystery’. The participants then had to weave their own original story by placing exciting points and their right emotions in 40 minutes time. The participants made captivating stories by harvesting their emotions and unique imaginations and shared them with all which left an impressionable remark on our hearts.



21 February 2024 and 26 February 2024

The class 10 CBSE Board Examination commenced on 21 February 2024. The class teachers of all 12 sections, the TH of class X Mrs. Mohita Sharma and the coordinator Mrs. Savita Khokar went to the examination centre at Kendriya Vidyalaya No. 3, Naraina to wish good luck to our children. Hindi examination was conducted on 21 February and English language and literature was conducted on 26 February. Prior to the examination, the subject teachers conducted online doubt clearing classes on the official online platform , Microsoft Teams in order to relax the children and clear their doubts.



21 February 2024: Experiential and Educational outing - Tulip Festival and Dilli Haat

Teachers teaching classes VI to X went for an Experiential and Educational outing on 21 February. The teachers visited **The Delhi Tulip Festival** which made them appreciate the nature and the beautiful tulip garden, this experience made them understand how the tulips from Holland were made to bloom in India.

They visited **Dilli Haat** and experienced the beautiful art and culture of various states across India. The teachers enhanced the business of the artisans and took lessons from them on the process of various art forms and entrepreneurship. The teachers enjoyed the ambiance of Ek Bharat Shresth Bharat, they visited the food stalls of Nagaland, Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, and Rajasthan and enjoyed the traditional food of these states. As per NEEP 2020, art integrated teaching learning process has been given a lot of importance, therefore this educational outing helped the teachers in understanding the various ways where art can be integrated seamlessly in academics. The teachers in support of the Kashmiri artisans strengthened their optimism by enhancing their business and later celebrated by wearing the Kashmiri work.



14th March 2024 : Address by Mrs. Sudha Murthy

20 enthusiastic girls from our school eagerly made their way to the renowned Manekshaw Auditorium , where the esteemed author Mrs. Sudha Murthy mam graced the stage to speak about women empowerment and shared her life experiences .



Fostering Integrity: Inauguration of The Honour Shop at Army Public School, Dhaula Kuan

On the 19th of March 2024, a beacon of integrity and honesty illuminated the halls of Army Public School, Dhaula Kuan, as Lieutenant General Bhavnish Kumar, VSM, GOC Delhi Area, Senior Patron of the school, Mrs. Shalu Kumar, Zonal President AWWA, and students of Army Public School Dhaula Kuan unveiled 'The Honour Shop.'

The Honour Shop emerged as a transformative initiative aimed at instilling core values of honesty, truthfulness, companionship, and integrity among the student community. Functioning as an unmanned stationery store within the school premises, it aims to provide students with essential stationery items during school hours. The process is simple yet profound: students can select the items they need, deposit the appropriate payment in the money box, and retrieve their purchases.



A distinguishing feature of The Honour Shop is the Honesty Bar Graph, which will be meticulously maintained by a committee comprising students and teachers. This visual representation of honesty and integrity will serve as a testament to the school's collective commitment to ethical conduct, fostering a culture of accountability and transparency.

During the inauguration ceremony, Lieutenant General Bhavnish Kumar commended the student council for their initiative and dedication in realizing the vision of The Honour Shop.

His words of encouragement served as a catalyst for the student body, inspiring them to uphold the values of integrity and excellence in all their endeavors.

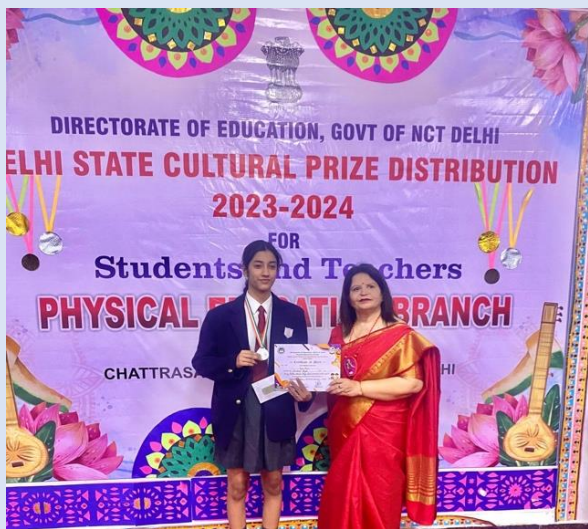
As The Honour Shop commenced its journey, it symbolizes more than just a retail outlet—it embodies the spirit of integrity, trust, and community that defines Army Public School, Dhaula Kuan.

VISIT OF ARMY COMMANDER



STATE AWARD – DOE

Syna Kaur of Class XII F brought laurels to the school by securing Silver Medal, Cash Prize And Certificate of Merit at the State Level Declamation Competition . The award ceremony was held at Chhatrasal Stadium , Model Town. In the three step competition, she stood first at both Zonal and District level.



PTM : 26th MARCH 2024

Session ends with PTM and congratulating the students for the promotion to next class.

SPORTS REPORT - JANUARY (2023-24)



SONAL - (BOXING)

Secured 2nd position in SGFI national boxing championship



SHRESHT IYER - SQUASH

1. Scottish junior open- winner.
2. British junior open- 9th position .

SPORTS REPORT - FEBRUARY (2023-24)



KSHAMA IYER - SWIMMING

1. 2ND Position 4:06.94 in 4*100m free relay event in the bimstec aquatics championship 2024



PRINCE NIRWAN (MARTIAL ARTS)

Won gold medal in martial arts organized by Delhi Olympics Association

SPORTS REPORT FOR CWSN - (2023-24)



Danish of class 8TH got 2ND position in Delhi state Volleyball championship and Anushka Raj of class 12TH __ selected for the national camp of Volleyball organised by Special Olympic Bharat.



1. Danish Hussain (8th A) 2nd position
2. Saiyyam (7th D)- 1st position
3. Kashish (7th G)- 1st position in football organised by Special Olympic Bharat.



1. Ridhi - 1st position
2. Anushka - 1st position
3. Khushboo - 1st position
4. Kashish - 4th position & doubles events
1. Ridhi & kashish - 3rd position in athletics organised by Special Olympics Bharat