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The children of Pre Nursery ushered in the season of Spring by learning the names of the different flowers and their hues, like lilac carnations, orange gladioli, pink bougainvillea and yellow gerberas. The teachers discussed the different parts of the flowers and the children enjoyed their fragrances. It was a good learning experience.



On 1st March, 2017, the children of Nursery A put up a special assembly for their parents. They recited a poem, sang a song and also enacted a small skit entitled "Chicken Licken". It was a delightful performance and a pleasure to see them blossom into such confident individuals and star performers!



RECITATION COMPETITION IN CLASS UPPER NURSERY - B

The children of Upper Nursery - B recited their poems with great poise, clarity and confidence. The children were so brilliant that it left the judges, Mrs. Nayar and Mrs. Majumdar, awe-struck, and it was difficult to choose a few as winners!



1st position – Advay Bagla, Krishiv Poddar and Reyna Bhawal.

2nd position – Hredaan Bihani and Anvi Surana.

3rd position – Yuvan Pawa.

4th position – Arshiya Zahra Khan, Tanishka Baid and Tridarsh Parakh.

5th position – Patrick A. Ellison and Rajvir Jhunjunwala,

A special Assembly was held by the children of Nursery B on 22nd March, 2017, in the Music room. The children sang songs, recited poems and enacted a short play "The Three Billy Goats Gruff". Their parents were invited for the show and everyone was thrilled at the wonderful performance.





Shivam's mother Mrs Himatsingka, a parent of Nursery B visited the class on March 24th, and shared her expertise as an interior designer. She put forward questions to children about how they would like their room to be. Based on a floor plan designed by her they were asked to place the appropriate furniture in the plan. A mutual design was worked out between the teacher and the children.

A Flight of Imagination

The students of grades Upper Nursery, 1, 2 and 3 went for a contemporary dance performance to Gyan Manch on 2nd March 2017. It was organised by De Stille of Netherlands.



*The presentation was based on a contemporary dance form, expressing various human emotions through music, drama, dance and expression. It was indeed a visual treat for our children to witness this ingenious piece, "**The Flying Cow**". At the end of the programme, the children interacted with the performers and shared their interpretations and figments of their imagination.*



Celebration of Colours

On the 8th of March 2017, the students of Junior School of CIS, welcomed Spring with a vibrant assembly in the AVR. The programme was conducted by Mrs. N. Choudhary and Mrs. R. Dhanuka, in Hindi and the theme was 'Holi - The Festival of colours'.



The students of class 1 presented a dance depicting the colours of Spring.



The Class 2 children, spread the message to the audience to play holi with dry colours and flowers so as to save water.

The Class 3 students presented a skit featuring Holika, to bring out facts as to why during Spring children are vulnerable to various diseases.



The students of Class 4 sang a beautiful song which was an ode to Spring.



The program ended with 'Hasya Kavi Samelan' staged by the students of Class 5. This was a unique presentation and many of us witnessed it for the first time.



All participants, audience and teachers present, enjoyed the variety show put up by the students, where the message was to include every colour in our lives.

Vernacular Elocution Competition

The Vernacular Elocution for the Junior School, was held on the 16th of March 2017, in the AVR. The competition took place class wise and the students participated in either Hindi or Bengali recitation. The children recited their poems with confidence, clarity and correct voice modulation.

The judges were extremely pleased with their performance and Mrs. Nayar, the Junior School Principal, congratulated the winners and encouraged more children to participate in such competition where the mother tongue is used.

Judges Speak

"We all enjoyed listening to the children's poems in Hindi and Bengali. It was a wonderful experience as the competition was of a high standard, the poems were well chosen, different and interesting. The elocutionists were eloquent, fluent and confident even on a wider platform beyond the confines of their classrooms. There was a visible feeling of national pride as the young orators recited in some of their own native languages".



Hindi (Class 1 and 2)

Class 1 : 1st Dhruvanshi Ray, 2nd Ihit Dhar, 3rd Myrah Ali
Class 2 : 1st Aanya Sinha, 2nd Eleena Khan, 3rd Sanjana Shaw
Judges : Mrs Sujata Ahuja and Mrs Chitra Roy



Bengali (Class 1 and 2)

Class 1 : 1st Somovrisho Guha, 2nd Dibyesh Sanyal, 3rd Srijan Saha
Class 2 : 1st Archisha Banerjee, 2nd Kaavin Raja, 3rd Riyan Roy
Judges : Mrs Sharmila Mukherjee and Mrs Sharmila Majumder



Hindi (Class 3 and 4)

Class 3 : 1st Deepto Roy, 2nd Sampreeti Maheswari, 3rd Nehal Saxena
Class 4 : 1st Krishay Sutodia, 2nd Shriyash Dhanuka, 3rd Vedika Varshnei
Judges : Mrs Chitra Roy and Miss Archana Tewari



Bengali (Class 3 and 4)

Class 3 : 1st Aurna Banerjee Chowdhary, 2nd Sayantani Halder, 3rd Rohit Dey
Class 4 : 1st Evangeli Saha, 2nd Hiya Chitra, 3rd Sreeja Sarkar
Judges : Ms Piali Ray and Mrs Kuntala Ghosh



Hindi (Class 5)

Class 5 : 1st Rahini Kothari, 2nd Kushagra Kanoi, 3rd Dhiman Narayan
Judges : Mrs Chitra Roy and Miss Archana Tewari



Bengali (Class 5)

Class 5 : 1st Sara Sengupta, 2nd Sania Fairouz Khan, 3rd Anusree Mazumder
Judges : Ms Piali Ray and Mrs Sharmila Majumder



Inter Class Table Tennis Tournament

An Inter-Class Table Tennis Tournament between classes 4 and 5 was held on the 22nd of March 2017, in the IGR. Amongst the girls the champion was Rahini Kothari 5B, runners up Jeeys Garg 5A and second runners up Evangeli Saha 4A.



Similarly amongst boys the champion was Dhiman Narayan 5B, followed by runners up Devesh Khaitan 5A and second runners up Nilabh Gangopadhyya 4B.



Heartiest congratulations to all the participants and winners!