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“Proud winners of Amity International MUN Conference with Ms. Manpreet Kaur, Dr Vijay Datta, Ms Malini Khatri & Ms Sonia Kapoor”

AMITY INTERNATIONAL MODEL UNITED CONFERENCE 2017

Amity group of schools organized one of the most competitive Model UN conferences in the National Capital Region from 16th to 18th November 2017. Nine students from Modern School participated in the conference and performed exceedingly well, bagging the Best Delegation Award. There were 7 committees out of which Modern School students won in 5 committees. The students were also awarded individual awards.

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1. BEST DELEGATE AWARD- United Nations Environment Program
- *Harsh Beri*
2. HIGH COMMENDATION AWARD -UNECOSOC
-*Sidhant Seth and Dronnit Arora*
3. HIGH COMMENDATION AWARD- National Security Council -*Raunak Rai Maini*
4. HIGH COMMENDATION AWARD- UNGA -*Navya Girdhar*
5. HIGH COMMENDATION-ISC
-*Suhani Jain*
6. HIGH COMMENDATION-UNHRC
-*Shivang Soni*

“Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new” - Albert Einstien



NATURE CLUB - GREEN INITIATIVE

On the pleasant morning of 20th November 2017, Farhan Ahmad, Pradyuman Arora, Zaina Sharma, Anirudh Jain and Ayan Mehra of S3 accompanied by Ms Shalini Dhaiya attended a 'Go Green' workshop at the WWF office at Lodhi Estate, New Delhi on green career opportunities. It was a very creative and interactive session with the guest of honour Ms Megha Aggarwal, author of the book 'The Green Guide to Environment Courses and Careers'.

The interactive session was very enlightening for children since their questions about carbon footprint reduction were answered in great detail by Ms Megha. She also discussed a scenario which she had herself worked on- the problem concerning elephant migration in India. The fun part of the workshop was an activity where children were mixed and divided into groups of four. A fake judicial court was set up with a jury and each group was given a topic to defend or challenge. Four sessions of this activity were conducted on different topics. Some children represented their point of view in the form of a skit, while others spoke about facts. The jury graded every team at the end of the activity and the best teams and speakers were awarded. Pradyumn Arora and Farhan Ahmed were adjudged best speaker and best defender respectively, while Zaina Sharma was the runner up. Anirudh Jain and Ayan Mehra won the prize for 'Best Jury'.



Participants of 'GoGreen' workshop at WWT office

ASIA PACIFIC SCHOOL INITIATIVE

Three students of Modern School Barakhamba Road- Manya Bansal, Shruti Bhardwaj and Ritvik Vasudeva participated in the Asia Pacific School Initiative organised by the Centre of Escalation for Peace. The initiative aimed at community amelioration spanning over eight months with seventy two diverse participants from all across Asia. This Initiative culminated at Vasant Valley School, Vasant Kunj from 19th to 20th November 2017.



Manya, Shruti and Ritvik with the delegation.

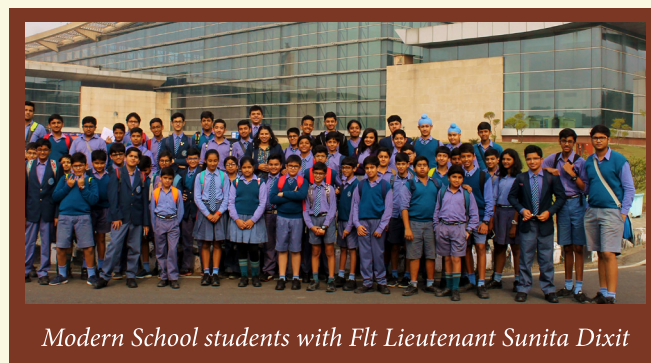
The students showcased their presentations on the community service projects that they had assiduously undertaken with their respective teams in the preceding eight months. Manya Bansal undertook an initiative - 'Solve 2 Evolve' which included teaching under privileged children about health and hygiene, while Shruti Bhardwaj undertook a project to promote financial literacy. Ritvik, on the other hand taught children about water hygiene. The students also participated in numerous simulating activities such as building a Rude Goldberg's machine, truly transcending the traditional scope of their textbooks. The chief guest for the valedictory ceremony was the esteemed General V Namgyal. The director for the CEP and head of Vasant Valley School were also present on the occasion and encouraged the students with their wise words.

" Initiative is doing the right thing without being told"- Victor Hugo



IRIS NATIONAL SCIENCE FAIR 2017

On 18th November 2017 seventy young future scientists of Modern School attended the IRIS National Science Fair 2017 organized by the INTEL group at Manekshaw Center near Delhi Cant. Students had a firsthand interaction with the young inventors and gained knowledge on some unique experiments. Some of the experiments included a 'diabetes detector' using breath organic pesticides, kokum seed covering, tamarind leaves stunk detector, violence detector, emotion detector, degradation of cement dust using microorganism, bed alarm system to avoid bed sores, finger print age detector, and obesity control with algae.



Modern School students with Flt Lieutenant Sunita Dixit

The science fair was very enlightening and futuristic. It displayed various projects of students from all across the country. Participants were extremely motivated to exhibit unique and constructive ideas. The winning prize was a trip to the USA. As a prize the gold winner would also get a minor planet named after him.

AKSHAR 2017 IPSC LITERARY FEST



A group of photograph with the participants of the Literacy Fest

A team of eight spirited literary enthusiasts accompanied by Ms Susan Jose set out for a memorable experience at the Maharani Gayatri Devi Girls' School Jaipur to participate in a linguistic extravaganza, the IPSC

Literary Fest from 16th to 18th November 2017. An action packed, fun- filled event witnessed participation from leading schools of the country like Doon School, the Scindia Fort School and many others.

The event started with an ice breaking session which soon entailed copious and joyous interaction followed by dancing and games. The forthcoming two days were filled with creative and competitive events like English and Hindi debate, Hindi poetry recitation, Slam poetry etc.

The topics were interesting and the competitions both unique and intellectually stimulating. Rishabh Raheja of S6 B won the first prize in slam poetry competition. The cultural evening on 17th November was an entertaining evening with diverse and hindi music. The IPSC literary fest was indeed an unforgettable experience for the students.



Participants of Literacy Fest 2017

"The Science of today is the technology of tomorrow" - Edwards Teller



SPORTS REPORT



DATE	STUDENT NAME - EVENT	CATEGORY	POSITION
5 th Oct. to 21 st Oct. 2017	<i>Zonal Football Tournament held at St. Columbus School, Delhi</i>	U-14 Boys U-19 Boys	Runners up Runners up



DATE	STUDENT NAME - EVENT	CATEGORY	POSITION
1 st Oct. to 12 th Oct. 2017	<i>Zone 26 Tennis Tournament held at Thyag Raj Stadium, Delhi</i>	U-14 Boys U-17 Boys U-19 Boys U-14 Girls U-17 Girls U-19 Girls	2nd Runners up Winner Winner 2nd Runners up 2nd Runners up 2nd Runners up



DATE	STUDENT NAME - EVENT	CATEGORY	POSITION
2 nd Oct. to 6 th Oct. 2017	<i>All India IPSC Yoga Championship held at Mayo College, Ajmer Verdaan Jain (Rhythmic) Karan Anand (Rhythmic)</i>	U-19 Boys U-17 Boys	Silver Silver
9 th Oct. to 10 th Oct. 2017	<i>Zonal Competition held at Sarvodya School, Malcha Marg Tilak Virani (Rhythmic) Srishti Gigwani (Rhythmic) Varnika Gakhar (Artistic) Harshita Gautam (Artistic) Karan Anand (Rhythmic) Saumya (Rhythmic) Nandhini Rastogi (Artistic) Verdaan Jain (Rhythmic) Shivangi Menon (Rhythmic) Maira Chandra (Artistic)</i>	U-14 Boys U-14 Girls U-14 Girls U-14 Girls U-17 Boys U-17 Girls U-17 Girls U-19 Boys U-19 Girls U-19 Girls	Gold Silver Gold Gold Gold Gold Gold Silver Gold Gold



DATE	STUDENT NAME - EVENT	CATEGORY	POSITION
29 th Nov 2017	<i>SGFI Swimming Nationals Championship Yaswani Suhag</i>	U-17 Girls	Bronze

"Talent wins games, but teamwork and intelligence wins championships." - Michael Jordan

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