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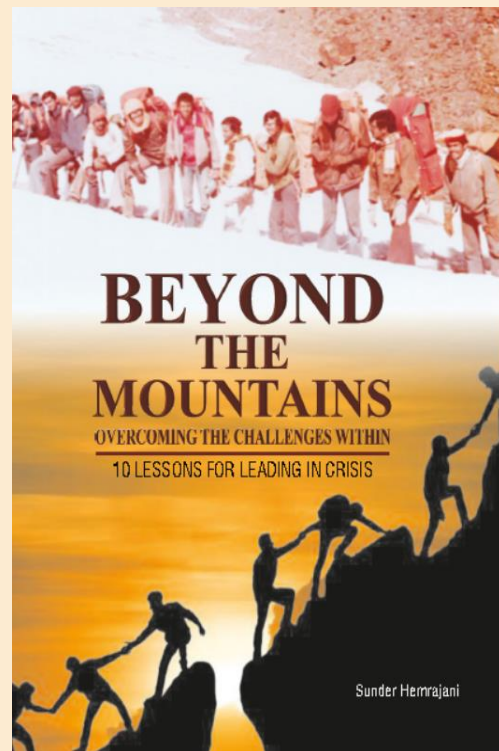
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### A WORLD BEYOND

The virtual book launch function of “Beyond The Mountains-Overcoming The Challenges Within – 10 Lessons For Leading In Crisis”, written by Modern School alumni, Mr Sunder Hemrajani took place on 6<sup>th</sup> March 2021 at the FMS Forum. A leading figure in the industry, he is also, the President of MSOSA, and Term Trustee, Board of Trustees, Modern School. A copy of the book was presented to the Principal Dr Vijay Datta. His book, written in a narrative style, targets the younger generation of students and executives who are beginning their careers. Mr Hemrajani says that organising and mounting a high-altitude trekking expedition to the Himalayas is no less than leading and managing a business enterprise in a high-risk environment. In his book ‘Beyond The Mountains -Overcoming The Challenges Within’, he emphasises that emerging leaders can take away key lessons, from trekking expeditions like collaboration, empathy, teamwork and commitment. He credits his school trips for his enduring love for the mountains.



*My love for mountains started with the school trips at my alma mater Modern School, where I got exposed to trekking in and around Nainital and Dalhousie (Khajjiar, Chamba). Passion for the mountains has been a constant theme of my personal life.*

*Mr Sunder Hemrajani*



# ACHIEVEMENTS IN SPORTS

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## Equestrian Laurels

Adding another feather to the cap, Master Amartya Aggarwal, S3E, and Master Agastya Aggarwal, S3H, of the Equestrian Club, won laurels for Modern School at the Anand Delhi Horse Show 2021 hosted by the Army Polo and Riding Centre, on 27<sup>th</sup> March 2021. They won medals in the categories tabulated below:



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Ms Anmol Lehal of S4 participated in APRC Hacks confined event and won the Bronze medal, on 2 April 2021.



## The Arrow finds its Mark

Ms Arshiya Choudhary secured a Silver medal in the ( U-21 category ) in the just concluded 41<sup>st</sup> NTPC Junior National Archery Championship organised by the Archery Association of India and sponsored by NTPC Ltd, held at Dehradun from 7<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> March 2021. It is the biggest national archery competition in India and Arshiya's Medal win will remain a proud moment for Modern School, Barakhamba Road.





## YOUNG ACHIEVER

Master Maadhav Goel, S5D, was recently awarded by the Government of Delhi for holding 1st rank in Delhi state in Badminton boys( U13) category. He has been awarded a cash prize of ₹ 2,00,000 along with a letter of appreciation from the Deputy Chief Minister Shri Manish Sisodia for his extraordinary achievements as a budding sports person.



## ADIEU !!!



Ms Kavita Shelly, a senior Teacher of the Department of Hindi, Modern School, Barakhamba Road, attained age of superannuation on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2021 after a fruitful tenure of 17 years in the school.

The Principal, Dr Vijay Datta, felicitated Ms Kavita Shelly and presented her with a memento. The Modern School fraternity wishes her the very best in this new phase of her life.

## NEW CHALLENGES, NEW TOOLS

Inventure Academy, Bangalore partnered with other Round Square schools to co-create an Educators' Conclave

to reinvent and co-create the future of education in the spirit of New World, New Learning. The theme of the conclave was Transforming Education beyond 2020 by reimagining the future of learning and education. The motivation for this conclave was the belief that when teachers upgrade their skills in teaching, education is enriched.

The online event was inaugurated by Ms Meenakshi Myer, Principal Inventure Academy. She applauded all the participants for their enthusiasm towards the event, as here the Educators would learn and get to share their experiences of the past year. The first topic of the session held on Feb 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021, was: Innovative Practices in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. One of the discussions was on the various blended techniques, adopted by teachers during the pandemic to enhance their teaching.

On 5<sup>th</sup> March, the session was on Teacher Reskilling- Best practices and professional development'. The session emphasised on student centric and learner friendly approaches, collaboration and reflection among teaching professionals to create an optimum environment conducive to teaching learning activities, self- assessment and so on.

The theme for the session on 26<sup>th</sup> March was "Physical, Social, Emotional wellbeing of students / teachers". The Speakers focused on how the social-emotional competence and wellbeing of teachers strongly influenced their students.

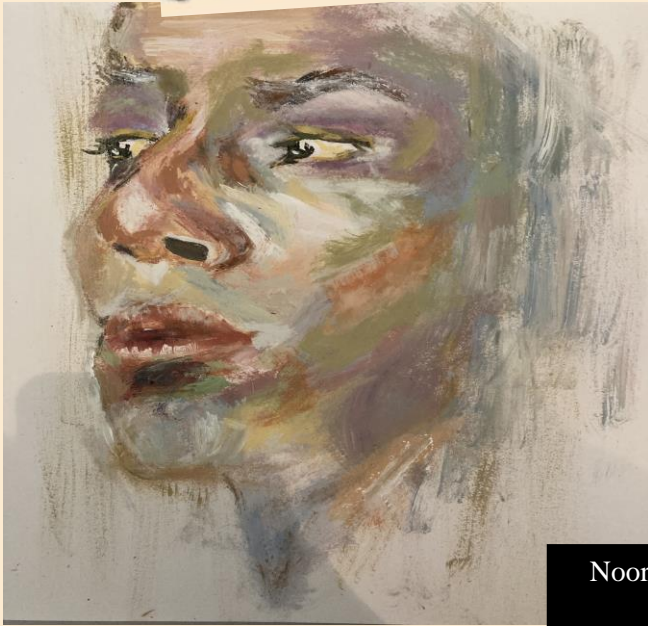
The conclave was attended by Dr P.P.Vermani, Ms Manpreet Kaur, Ms Shalini Dahiya, Ms Himani Bakshi, Ms Indu S, Ms Divya Aggarwal, Ms Dale Sharma, Ms Shweta Kapoor, Ms Deepika Masiwal and Mr Nitish Chandela of Modern School.



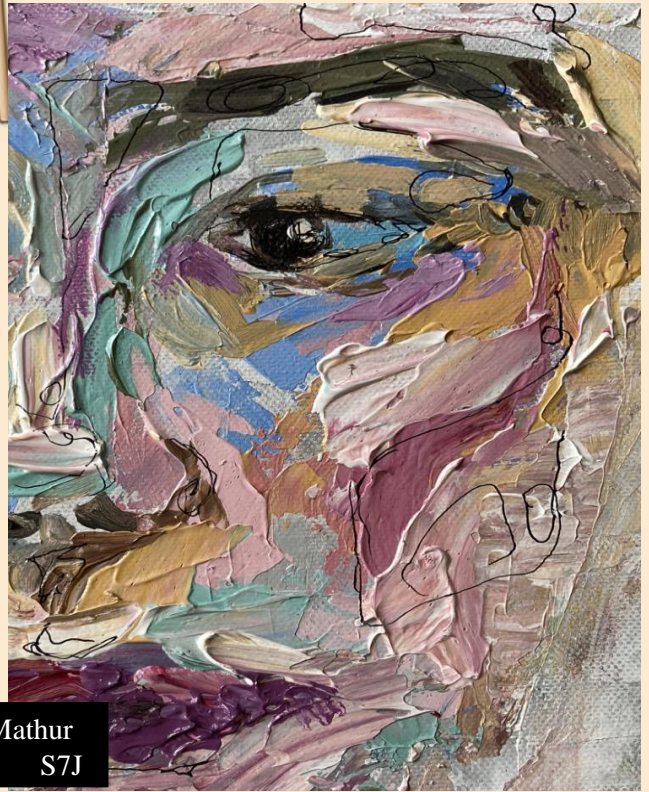




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