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75TH INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION- SALUTING THE SPIRIT OF COURAGE AND SERVICE TO NATION

WHAT'S NEW AT MODERN

- ❖ **75TH Independence Day Celebrations in School- Pg.1 and Pg.2**
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“Ask not what your country can do for you, ask what you can do for your country”- Jawaharlal Nehru

Offering heartfelt tribute to our doctors and medical fraternity who selflessly and tirelessly battled the Covid 19 crisis, Modern School dedicated the 75th Independence Day celebrations to their undying spirit and staunch resolve to overcome the adversity. Their courage and valour in saving humanity, reminds us of our brave freedom fighters who sacrificed themselves to grant us our freedom and independence.

The 75th Independence Day was celebrated in the School premises on 13th August, 2021, with much gusto and fervor. The Chief Guest for the day was (Hony) Brigadier Dr Arvind Lal, Padma Shri, Executive Chairman, Dr Lal Path Labs Ltd., and the Guest of Honour was Dr Sanjay Sachdeva, Principal Director of ENT Department at Max Healthcare. Other distinguished guests present on the occasion were Mr Ashok Pratap Singh, Senior Trustee, Board of Trustees, Modern Schools; Ms Ambika Pant, Secretary, Board of Trustees, Modern Schools; Ms Mira Pradeep Singh, Treasurer, Board of Trustees, Modern Schools; Mr TCA Rangachari, Chairman, Modern School, Vasant Vihar; Mr Sunder Hemrajani, President, MSOSA; Ms Nalini Singh Rajput, Headmistress, R.S. Junior Modern School, Humayun Road and Ms Abha Sadana, Principal, Modern School, ECNCR, Kundli.





WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT THAT INSPIRE EACH MODERNITE



THE CHIEF GUEST, DR ARVIND LAL ADDRESSING THE GATHERING

The celebrations began with the hoisting of the Tricolour. The programme commenced with the Equestrian event, a splendid display by the members of the Equestrian Club. The various maneuvers showcased the perfect harmony between the rider and horse. The mellifluous songs sung in dulcet tones by the choir evoked patriotic fervor in the audience.

The Chief Guest, Dr Arvind Lal, in his speech took a trip down memory lane while exhorting the students to be leaders. The Guest of Honour, Dr Sanjay Sachdeva, spoke about how he remembered his days in the school and urged the students to cherish their time in School.

The Principal lauded the efforts of the medical fraternity, who rose to the occasion and defended the nation against the deadly virus - COVID-19.

The guests then proceeded to see the exhibition set up by the Creative Wing, bringing together the creations of students done during the lockdown. Later they witnessed a virtual presentation which was an in-house production. The chief guest and guest of honour were felicitated with artworks created by Aashna Backliwal of S7 E.

These celebrations of the 75th Independence Day were broadcasted live for the students who saw it through the virtual medium.



GLIMPSES OF THE CELEBRATIONS HELD IN SCHOOL.





**DR NARESH
TREHAN, HON
CHIEF GUEST
FOR THE
VIRTUAL
CELEBRATION
ADDRESSING
THE
STUDENTS**

VIRTUAL INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

The virtual Independence Day celebrations flagged off on 13th August, 2021, with a congratulatory note by **Honourable President Shri Ram Nath Kovind** who complimented the Management, Principal, staff and students at Modern School **on completing 100 years of excellence in education.**

Dr Naresh Trehan, was the (Hon) Chief Guest for the virtual celebration. As an illustrious alumnus of the school, he shared his reminiscences on how Independence Day was celebrated when he was young. He also gave the message of upholding hope and optimism in these difficult times and encouraged the students to develop a well- rounded personality by balancing academics with sports and co-curriculars.

Ms Ambika Pant, Secretary, Board of Trustees, Modern Schools, applauded the modernites for their positive determination and optimism. She motivated the students to emerge as responsible and confident citizens of India.

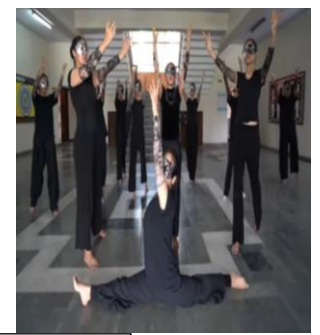
Dr Vijay Datta, Principal, Modern School, Barakhamba Road, in his virtual address, reiterated gratitude and appreciation for the medical fraternity and scientists and lauded the inspiring performances of Indian players in the Tokyo Olympics, thus upholding the spirit of hope over despair.



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**DR VIJAY DATTA
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THE VARIOUS HUES OF PATRIOTISM AND HOPE.



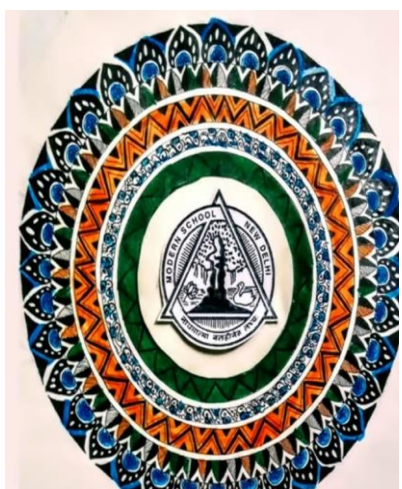


CREATIVE EXPRESSIONS BY STUDENTS OF MODERN SCHOOL

The creative wing of the school left no stone unturned to capture the spirit of courage and resilience this Independence Day. Students participated enthusiastically and passionately in organising the event, attending the school for practice sessions and creative inputs, while strictly adhering to the Covid norms and regulations. Our young dancers portrayed the essence of patriotism and undying spirit through a brilliant and dynamic choreography of Indian classical and contemporary dance forms. The choir complemented the dancers with their mellifluous renditions.

The virtual exhibition showcased a kaleidoscope of creative expressions through art, graphics, paper technology, fashion technology, sculptures, photography and cuisines. In sync with the theme of the day, these mediums were used by the students to express their hopes for the future and the optimism to face every adverse situation. The play 'Hain Taiyyar Hum' by our theatre club commemorated the courage of the health professionals during the pandemic. The message of hope and positivity shone through these myriad expressions. Our students seemed to internalize and reflect the words of Nelson Mandela-

"The greatest glory in living lies not in falling, but in rising every time we fall."



MYRAID EXPRESSIONS OF CREATIVITY UPHOLDING THE SPIRIT OF PATRIOTISM AND HOPE FOR FUTURE.

