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Mr Ashok Pratap Singh and Ms Ketaki Sood, Senior Trustees and Former Presidents, Board of Trustees, Modern Schools, being felicitated by Ms Anuradha Singh, President, Board of Trustees, Modern Schools

THE TORCHBEARERS OF MODERN'S LEGACY

On 12th November, 2021, Modern School organised a Thanksgiving and a Welcoming Function for the superannuating members and the new members of the Board of Trustees, respectively. Modern School celebrated its centenary, the landmark that reflects the school's glorious period to admire the great contribution of so many

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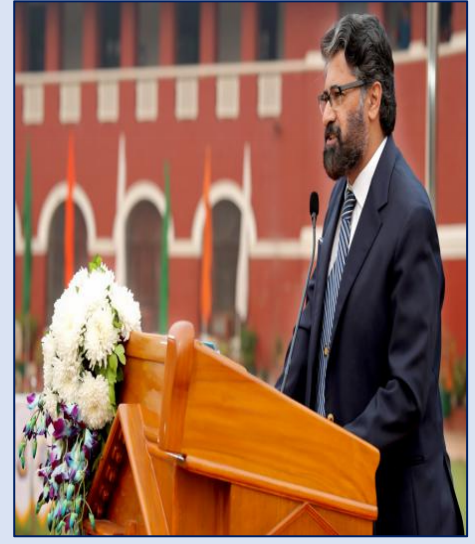
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exceptional individuals. Mr Ashok Pratap Singh, Ms Ketaki Sood and Ms Manju Rajput were bid farewell from their official capacities and were felicitated munificently with a memento and a bouquet of flowers by Ms Anuradha Singh, President Board of Trustees, Modern Schools. They were acknowledged for their assiduous service and the time that they have given to the building of this magnificent institution. The members then addressed the audience with inspiring words reminiscing their years of service at this mighty institution. Col Vijay Chadda, Mr TCA Rangachari, Justice CK Mahajan, Ms Nalini Singh Rajput were embraced as the new members of the Board of Trustees. The event



proceeded with a melodious rendition of the song 'Auld Lang Syne' by students which mesmerised the audience.

The event was concluded with the Vote of thanks by Dr Vijay Datta, Principal Modern School, Barakhamba Road, followed by the National Anthem. It was an indelible experience for all the attendees.



Mr Ashok Pratap Singh, Ms Ambika Pant, Secretary, Board of Trustees and Dr Vijay Datta, Principal, Modern School, Barakhamba Road, addressing the august gathering

AKS LYTHAM SCHOOL ROUND SQUARE CONFERENCE

A delegation from Modern School, Barakhamba Road, participated in International Round Square Conference organised by AKS Lytham School on 15th November, 2021. Following students attended this prestigious event under the guidance of Ms Shalini Dahiya and Ms Anshika Bajaj:

- ❖ Navyansh Pant (S6G)
- ❖ Vania Agarwal (S6B)
- ❖ Kamakshi Gupta (S6I)
- ❖ Kashish Sindhvani (S6G)
- ❖ Angad Wadhwa (S6B)

Organised to understand the significance of democracy in current scenario, the conference provided an environment where the delegates could freely talk and develop a critical viewpoint about political situation of their own countries on a global platform.



Modern School Delegation attending the Conference



Through such a discussion, the delegates got an insight of the legislatures of different countries around the world.

The discussions in the Baraza group ranged from Tweedism and Elitism to Meritocracy and Classism. The Conference was introduced by Ms Mollie McNicholas who delivered an informative address on the need for representation in democracies around the world. Different Ted Talks were shown to enlighten the delegates. The Conference ended with a Vote of thanks given by the Round Square Head of AKS Lytham School. It was an enriching experience for all the delegates.

INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

International Youth Day is an annual festival hosted by the students of Going Global Club, SAI International School.

This year it was held on virtual platform on 20th November, 2021, in collaboration with Junior and Senior High School of Kogakuin University, Japan. This year's topic of discussion was 'Feminism'. The entire event focused on teaching the correct meaning of this term and ways to combat any sort of discrimination against women. Incidences from everyday life were discussed during the Conference, which proved to be eye-opener for the participants about this social evil.



Student participants during the Round Square Conference

Modern School participated in this prestigious programme with its delegation comprising of Amrita Singh (S7C), Devishi Sahni (S6J), Gunraj Singh (S6D), Krishnav Bhatnagar (S6A), Maira Aggarwal (S6A), Parnika Bhardwaj (S6B), Raghav Swaroop (S6G), Sharvi Mittal (S6G), Sukoon Kaushal (S5G) and Tashi Bansal (S6G) along with their teacher incharge, Ms Shalini Dahiya.



NATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT SURVEY 2021

National Achievement Survey (NAS) is a national level survey to assess students' learning, undertaken by the Ministry of Education, Government of India. NAS gives a reflection on effectiveness of school education in India. The results of the survey help to compare the performance across spectrum and across population in order to find the desirable direction for improvement in current education system.

This year, the National Achievement Survey was scheduled on 12th November, 2021. The Assessment Framework was developed by National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) for gauging the competencies attained by the students vis-a-vis learning outcomes for students of Grade 3, 5, 8 and 10 in State Government schools, Aided schools, Private Unaided recognised schools and Central Government schools. Since Modern School was among the sampled schools, students of Classes S3 and S5 participated in this survey in a monitored environment. Mr Pushpendra from IT Department of Bhartiya Vidya Bhawan was appointed as NAS Observer at Modern School Barakhamba Road. Samples of thirty students each were selected from both classes for the survey. The survey was conducted smoothly with adherence to Covid safety guidelines in the Platinum Jubilee Block of the School.

CREATIVE EXPRESSIONS BY AMAARA AHUJA

Amaara Ahuja (S3A) is passionate about painting 'Still Life'. During the online mode of schooling in pandemic time, she has worked to rejuvenate her creative instincts and prepared some beautiful artworks.



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