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The Prefects of Batch of 2024 on Graduation Day

GRADUATION CEREMONY 2024

The Graduation Day at Modern School, Barakhamba Road, marked a momentous occasion as the batch of 2024 bid farewell to their alma mater. Mr Ajay Verma, Senior Advocate and Arbitrator, Delhi High Court graced the event as the Chief Guest. Notable guests included members of the Board of Trustees and office bearers of MSOSA. The ceremony began with the grand entrance of the dignitaries, followed by the felicitation of Mr Ajay Verma, Mrs Gauri Verma, Col Vijay Chadha, and Mr Rohit Jain, President of the Modern School Old Students Association. The Modern School Orchestra mesmerised the audience with a beautiful symphony based on Raag Kirwani, composed by Mr Rais Ahmed Khan . Following this, the Principal, Dr Vijay Datta

addressed the gathering, emphasising the transformative power of achieving goals.

The valedictory speeches by accomplished students including Kartikeya Shankar Rastogi (XII-E), Reva Babbar (XII-D), Kanha Arjun Jain (XII-C), Myra Srivastava (XII-J), and Himani Sardar (XII-J), added a personal and emotional touch to the ceremony. Each speaker shared memories, dreams, and gratitude, reflecting the diverse talents within the graduating class of 2024.

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Mr Rohit Jain, President, MSOSA, in his address welcomed the batch of 2024 into the alumni world, highlighting the association's role as a guiding force for graduates. MSOSA has truly been the backbone of this prestigious institution.

Then, the Chief Guest, Mr Ajay Verma, shared insights into his journey from being a Modernite of the batch of 1979 to becoming a Senior Advocate and Arbitrator in the Delhi High Court. His inspiring words resonated with the audience, emphasizing his enduring connection with Modern School, Barakhamba Road.

During the candle lighting ceremony, the Principal, Dr Vijay Datta passed on the **'light of knowledge'** to the representatives of the graduating class, Adhiraj Mahajan (XII-I) and Riya Sachdeva (XII-I). This created a visually striking moment as all students participated by lighting the lamps given to them.

Aarav Bajaj(XII-D) then took the Graduation Oath on behalf of the Class of 2024, emphasizing their commitment to the values instilled by Modern School.



The chief guest, Mr Ajay Verma arriving for the ceremony(left) and The Principal Dr Vijay Datta presenting the school memento to the chief guest Mr Ajay Verma (right).



The candle lighting ceremony



FAREWELL CEREMONY 2024



The Principal Dr Vijay Datta addressing the gathering

Modern School, Barakhamba Road bid a heartfelt farewell to the graduating batch of 2024 in a grand celebration filled with emotions, memories, and a mix of nostalgia and excitement. The afternoon commenced with an address by the Principal, Dr Vijay Datta followed by a beautiful mashup of songs by the students of Class XI, setting the tone for a bittersweet yet celebratory occasion, and invoking a wave of nostalgia and emotion among the gathering.

The highlight of the day was the eagerly awaited title distribution ceremony, acknowledging the diverse talents and qualities of the graduating seniors. Notable titles - such as Mr MHS, Ms MHS, Jewel in Modern's Crown, Dancing Diva, Mr Personality, Ms Congeniality, and Modern's Ace among many others - were awarded to deserving students, acknowledging their outstanding contributions to academics, sports, and arts.

Amidst the title distribution ceremony, several performances including a musical ode by the Class XI students, added a musical flair to the emotional atmosphere. The crowning glory of the day was the Farewell Dance. The Principal, Dr Vijay Datta, added a surprising twist by joining the farewell dance at the end of the ceremony. The moment was nothing short of fantastic, as the entire hall erupted in applause and cheers.

As the event concluded with the afternoon lunch, the sentiment in the air was a mix of celebration and sombre reflection. The departing batch of 2024 was reminded to carry forward the legacy of shared triumphs, enduring friendships, and unforgettable moments. The ceremony concluded, leaving an indelible imprint on the hearts of all present, as the school bid a reluctant farewell to the Class of 2024, extending heartfelt wishes for their future endeavours.



GLIMPSES OF FAREWELL CEREMONY 2024

