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2025-2027



ASSEMBLY VI-VIII

On 15 April, class VIII B conducted the morning assembly on a thought-provoking debate on the topic "AI Will Replace Human Jobs." The discussion allowed the participants to dive deep into the details of Artificial Intelligence and its potential impact on the job market. The debate highlighted the complexities of AI's impact on the job market. While AI may replace some jobs, it's also likely to create new ones. Students recognized the need to develop skills that complement AI, ensuring they remain relevant in a rapidly changing job market. By exploring the potential implications of AI, students gained a deeper understanding of the benefits and challenges associated with emerging technologies. This assembly encouraged critical thinking, public speaking, and teamwork among students, providing a valuable learning experience. On 17th April, the oratory talents of Class VIII-A students were showcased. Some students led an engaging quiz, while others shared their vocal skills through song. The assembly also featured instrumental music on the flute, artwork displayed by students, and captivating poetry recitations. The position holders of the interclass lawn tennis, badminton, and Table tennis were awarded with certificates.

ASSEMBLY VI-VIII



TEACHER'S TALK VI-VIII

Ms Anu Singh presented a teachers' talk on 11th April on "Time Management". She presented the talk as an inspirational story. Those who manage their time effectively in the present get a better lifestyle for the future. If we design a plan with time management skills, then definitely, nobody can stop us from achieving success in life.

ASSEMBLY IX-XII

Class XII B conducted the weekly assembly with creativity and enthusiasm. They spoke on space exploration, highlighting recent developments and missions. Students showcased how music can be created step-by-step using modern software tools. A weekly news roundup kept the audience informed about current affairs. Insightful speeches on health and wellness promoted physical and mental well-being. Additionally, students presented a book review of titles like *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People*, inspiring peers to read and reflect. The assembly was engaging, informative, and well-received, reflecting the class teamwork, confidence, and awareness of relevant and meaningful topics.



OPEN FORUM IX-XII

An open forum was held at Pragyan School on 11th April, Monday for students of Classes IX to XII, focusing on “The Power of Positive Thinking” and “Time Management for Students.” Students actively participated, sharing experiences, tips, and insights on staying optimistic and managing time effectively during academic life.

The discussion encouraged peer learning and self-reflection, with many students highlighting the importance of setting goals, staying organized, and maintaining a positive attitude. The forum concluded with words of appreciation from Ms. Vinita Arora, the English faculty urged students to apply the lessons shared in their daily lives



MONITOR BADGES FELICITATION VI-XII

On 16th April 2025, Class Monitor Badges were ceremoniously distributed to the newly appointed monitors of Classes IX to XII. The badges were presented by the Senior School Coordinators, Mr. Nitin Sahai and Ms. Roja Ramani, in the presence of the respective class teachers. On 17th April, Senior Headmistress Ms. Seema Sharma presented the monitor badges to the students of classes VI-VIII. This initiative aims to foster leadership, responsibility, and discipline among students. The class monitors are appointed on a rotational basis, allowing more students to actively participate in the smooth functioning of classroom activities.



MONITOR BADGES FELICITATION VI-XII

We congratulate all the selected monitors and wish them a successful and enriching term in their roles.

VI	A	Agrim Dwivedi	Aanishka Verma
VI	B	Nimrit nagar	Verchasya Anand Singhal
VI	C	Aneesh Sethi	Sejal Chaudhary
VI	D	Mysha Loomba	Prashasti Bhati
VII	A	Perksha	Ashvik
VII	B	Manasvi	Shreyash
VII	C	Ishanvi Vaidvan	Shiv
VII	D	Rivaan Singh	Akshayaa Pandey
VIII	A	Navya Sharma	Akshat Gupta
VIII	B	Aarav Mittal	Urvi Gupta
VIII	C	Aarna Saini	Aryaman Gupta

IX	A	Rishika Gupta, Shourya Parmar
IX	B	Aarjav Dikshit, Navya Yadav
IX	C	Bhuvi Pal, Kushagra Chaudhary
X	A	Ananya Deb, Nishchay Kushwaha
X	B	Kabir Khan, Anwasha Saxena
XI	A	Gannav Sharma, Shailika Bhatia
XI	B	Shaad Babbar
XI	C	Vasudha Nigam, Aayan Bhatnagar
XII	A	Reva Sharma, Saatwik Mokashi
XII	B	Ankur Singh, Naina Katiyar
XII	C	Khushi Nagar, Vaibhav Tiwari

GREEN CRUSADERS: THE CYCLING EVENT

On the refreshing morning of 12th April 2025, the school organized a vibrant and inspiring Cycling Event, spearheaded by the Health and Wellness Club in association with the Interact Club. The event kicked off sharply at 6:00 AM, setting an energetic and positive tone for the day. The initiative witnessed enthusiastic participation from all corners of the school community. Approximately 80 students rode their bicycles with great excitement and team spirit, bringing a dynamic and cheerful atmosphere to the school premises and surrounding areas. Their zeal not only showcased youthful energy but also reinforced important messages about fitness and eco-conscious living.

Adding to the spirit of the occasion, around 30 parents and 35 teachers actively participated, many of whom chose to walk alongside the cyclists in support of the cause. Their involvement highlighted the deep sense of community at Pragyan School and a shared commitment to a healthy, active, and sustainable lifestyle.

The event went beyond just physical activity; it was a celebration of values such as environmental consciousness, unity, and well-being. Participants, affectionately dubbed “Green Crusaders,” were served fresh fruit and a refreshing lemon drink after the event, promoting healthy post-exercise habits.

Overall, the cycling event was a grand success, reflecting the collective enthusiasm, teamwork, and progressive mindset of the Pragyan School community. It stood as a powerful reminder that small actions, when taken together, can pave the way for a healthier and greener future.

GREEN CRUSADERS: THE CYCLING EVENT



ACHIEVEMENT

Selection In The Harvard Summer School Programme

Harvard University is a private Ivy League research university in Cambridge, Massachusetts, United States. In the QS World University Rankings 2025, Harvard is ranked 4th. It conducts an academically rigorous on-campus Summer school programs for exceptional high school students from around the world. Harvard's Pre-College Program for high school students is an intensive two-week summer program designed to give a glimpse of college life, where students can choose any one course out of the 30 courses. Applications are invited from around the world. We are pleased to share that our student Reva Sharma XIIA has been selected for the Harvard Summer School Program. She qualified the English proficiency test by Duolingo and was assessed on pre-college essays, the topics given by Harvard University. She will be attending this programme from 22nd June 2025 till 3rd July 2025.



**Harvard
Summer School**

HARVARD DIVISION OF
CONTINUING EDUCATION

ACHIEVEMENTS

Pragyan School Shines at Transformational Teachers Award!

We are thrilled to announce that Pragyan School's esteemed educators have been honored with the prestigious Transformational Teacher Award, hosted by Times of India in association with Sharda University. The awardees include Ms. Ruchika Sharma, Principal; Ms. Seema Sharma, Senior Headmistress; Ms. Rashmi Chugh, Pre-Primary Headmistress; Mr. Nitin Sahai, Coordinator (XI-XII); and Ms. Roja Ramani Revalla, Coordinator (IX-X). The event was graced by distinguished guests, including JK Yadav, Director of CBSE, as Chief Guest, and Shri Dharam Vir Singh, DIOS Gautam Budh Nagar, as Guest of Honour. Notably, over 100 educators nationwide were recognised for their significant contribution.



SCIENCE CLASS ACTIVITY IX

Class IX students visited the chemistry lab for a hands-on experiment focused on determining the melting point of ice and the boiling point of water. The students displayed great curiosity throughout the activity, actively participating in the procedures and observing the changes. Their keen interest sparked numerous insightful questions, demonstrating a strong desire to understand the underlying scientific principles. The lab session proved to be an engaging and informative experience, fostering a deeper understanding of these fundamental concepts in chemistry.



ANNUAL TREK TO BRAHMATAL

We are pleased to announce that the Annual Trek to Brahmatal for students of Classes VIII to XII commenced on 15th April. 30 students, along with three faculty members, Mr Vikas Sharma, Ms Saroj Parashar, Ms. Vineeta Kaushik, and the members of the organising travel agency, Alternate Atlas are on their expedition of 5 nights, 6-days trekking trip to Brahmatal, Uttarakhand, from Tuesday, 15th April to Sunday, 20th April 2025. The trek will involve trekking from Lohajung, through Bekaltal, to Brahmatal, with summit and descent, and then back to Lohajung. The trek starts from Lohajung, with a total trekking distance of around 24 kilometers. This exciting journey will offer students a unique opportunity to explore the pristine beauty of Brahmatal while fostering resilience, teamwork, and a deeper appreciation for nature.



INTACH WORKSHOP

INTACH Heritage Club Incharge, Dr. Veena Singh Tyagi attended a workshop on 17th April at INTACH, Delhi. The event featured enriching sessions by eminent speakers. Ms. Purnima Dutta elaborated on the diverse activities undertaken by INTACH across India. Mr. Anirudh presented an insightful talk on the intricate temple architecture of the Chola dynasty. Dr. Narayani Gupta spoke passionately about the charm and relevance of local history in heritage conservation. Dr. Swapna Liddle concluded with an engaging session on the historical and cultural richness of Shahjahanabad. The workshop offered valuable perspectives on heritage preservation and historical awareness, greatly benefiting all participants.



WORKSHOP ON COMPOSITE CULTURE AND HERITAGE OF INDIA

Pragyan School, Greater Noida, organised a thought-provoking workshop on the Composite Culture and Heritage of India on April 16, 2025, for students of Classes VI to X in the school auditorium. The session was conducted by Mr. Pradeep Sharma Khusro, Founder and President of the Ameer Khusro Academy, and a well-known figure associated with The Times of India, Delhi-NCR. Mr. Khusro engaged the students with insightful discussions on the distinction between history and heritage, and the rich diversity of religions in India. He also shed light on the thousand-year-old journey of the Hindi language and its deep cultural roots. The workshop was interactive, informative, and offered a deeper appreciation of India's rich and layered cultural heritage.



INTERCLASS CHESS COMPETITION VI-VIII

Pragyan School successfully organized an Inter-Class Chess Competition for students of Classes VI-VIII, fostering strategic thinking, patience, and sportsmanship among young minds. The event took place on 07.04.2025 in the school premises and witnessed enthusiastic participation from all three classes. The competition was conducted in a knockout format, with each class fielding their best players after preliminary selection rounds. Students displayed commendable concentration and tactical skills as they competed with great zeal. The atmosphere was charged with excitement as each move brought the spectators closer to unexpected twists and impressive comebacks.

The final round was a thrilling face-off between the top contenders from Class VIIC and Class VIITA. Ruhaan Bhalla from Class VIIC emerged as the overall Winner after a closely contested match, Anantesh Tyagi(VIITA) as Runner Up.



INTERCLASS COMPETITION IX-XII

We are delighted to share that the final selection rounds for the school sports teams in Lawn Tennis and Table Tennis were successfully conducted on 9th and 11th April 2025. These trials witnessed remarkable energy, skill, and sportsmanship from our students of Classes IX to XII. Following the initial trials held earlier this month, shortlisted students showcased their talent in the final rounds. After a rigorous evaluation by our sports faculty and expert coaches, the final team members have been selected who will proudly represent Pragyan School in various inter-school competitions during the academic session 2025–26. We congratulate all the selected students and appreciate the effort put in by every participant. Your passion and perseverance are commendable. We also extend our gratitude to the parents for their constant encouragement and support.

INTERCLASS COMPETITION IX-XII

LAWN TENNIS		
FIRST	BOYS	KRISHIV GOYAL & NEIL SINGH
	GIRLS	PRIYANSHEE AGARWAL
SECOND	BOYS	SURYANSH PATHAL
	GIRLS	LAVANYA
THIRD	BOYS	AAYAN BHATNAGAR
	GIRLS	SHAKTI SINGH

TABLE TENNIS		
FIRST	BOYS	HIMANG SANI
	GIRLS	ANNIKA ANAND
SECOND	BOYS	KUMAR RAGHUVANSHAM
	GIRLS	ANWESHA SAXENA
THIRD	BOYS	AVIKA
	GIRLS	YEVIST SINGH TOMAR

INTER-SCHOOL COMPETITION VI-VIII

The Under-12 team of Pragyan School, with six students from the middle wing, made the school proud. They won the 2nd Runners-Up position at Viraj Khel Utsav on 15th and 16th April 2025. The event was held at Mayoor School, Noida, in collaboration with the Rotary Interact Club. Many schools from the region took part in the event. It gave young players a chance to show their talent and team spirit. The Pragyan team showed great effort, skill, and teamwork during the matches.

This success shows the hard work of the students and support from their coaches and the school. Pragyan School congratulates the team and wishes them more success ahead.

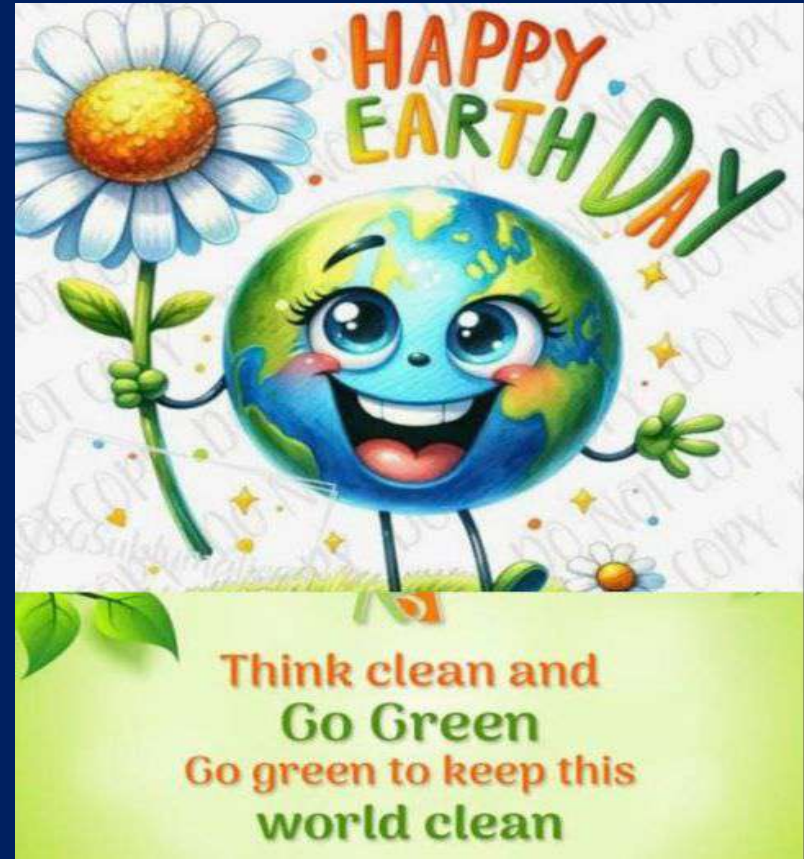


BOOKS DONATION DRIVE

The Interact Club of Pragyan School, in collaboration with Sarvodaya Mamta Foundation, successfully organized a book donation drive on April 12, 2025. Led by Incharge Ms. Roja Ramani Revalla, the Interactors visited the foundation and distributed books for classes 6-12, as well as coloring books for younger children. The books were collected from Pragyan School, Greater Noida, and handed over to those in need. This initiative showcased the club's commitment to promoting literacy and education, while also highlighting Pragyan School's dedication to social responsibility.



ECOLOGY CLUB TIP



CIRCULARS SHARED DURING THE WEEK

- हिंदी वाद विवाद प्रतियोगिता (Classes IX & X) shared on 14th April 2025.
- Pragyan School year book 2025-26 shared on 17th April 2025.

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