



PRAGYAN
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WEEKLY CIRCULAR SENIOR

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MORNING ASSEMBLY [IX- XII]

2 December 2021 – 23 December 2021. "For God did not give us a spirit of timidity, but a spirit of power, of love and self-discipline."- Timothy 1:7.

Each day we begin our work by remembering God. This week it was an assembly of grade IX-B. Students started each day with a morning prayer followed by an inspirational thought and some amazing facts to know. They also presented oratory skills through various forms like debate, talks and an activity titled: 'Why it named so'. The topic for the debate and talk was 'sale of PSUs by a govt. was not a wise move' and 'Satya Nadella' respectively.



SPECIAL ASSEMBLY [VI- VIII]

It's Christmas time!
It's the most wonderful time of the year!
It's a season of love, joy, peace and cheer!!!

On 24th December 2021, a special assembly was conducted by the students of classes VI-VIII to celebrate Christmas in all its joy and happiness. The festive spirit was witnessed among all. The managing trustee of the school Mr Ram Chand and principal Mrs Ruchika Sharma marked their gracious presence. The students celebrated Christmas by exhibiting their talent through skits, songs, poems and dance performances. The students enthralled the audience with a winsome skit that explained the real essence of celebrating Christmas. Students added gaiety and were vibrantly dressed for the theme. They emphasized the importance of caring and sharing and spreading goodness all around. Mrs Ruchika Sharma praised and appreciated the efforts of the participants and the teachers.

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY [VI- VIII]



SPECIAL ASSEMBLY [IX- XII]

“Christmas is not just a time for festivity and merry making. It is more than that. It is a time for the contemplation of eternal things. The Christmas spirit is a spirit of giving and forgiving.”

Christmas is the spirit of giving without a thought of getting. On the occasion of Christmas, the senior students of Pragyan School, Greater Noida presented an assembly on 24th December 2021 with gaiety and enthusiasm. The program began with an enthralling dance performance ‘Jingle Bells fusion’. It was followed by an informative talk by the students of 11-B wherein they spoke about various important characters from bible. Then came the contemporary dance spreading joy and cheer amongst the audience. The piano performance by Adhya Saxena and Ira Joshi and Duet performance (vocal) by Aadya Sinha and Yuti Behl were incredible. The Fusion Symphony music piece played by the instrumentalists of class 11 again left the audience mesmerized. The importance of Christmas was explained by the students of 11-C through an interesting skit. The presentation given by the students of 11-A on modern Santa Claus summarized the whole idea of celebration. They made a special mention of all new age Santas and heroes of covid times who rose above self and saved so many lives. The emphasis was on the fact that if we can imbibe and cultivate the pious habit of generosity, we all can be someone’s Santa. The children carried home the message of sharing and caring as well as the pleasure and pride of spreading cheer, true to the spirit of the celebration.

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY [IX- XII]



ATAL LAB INAUGURATION

24 December 2021. A moment of ecstasy and joy was witnessed by Pragyan School when Mr. Arvind Kumar Mishra, Asst. Secretary CBSE Noida visited the premises to inaugurate the Atal Tinkering Laboratory of the school. He was welcomed by the head boy and head girl with a beautiful welcome song, a tilak and a bouquet of flowers. The ceremony started with cutting a ribbon followed by a small tour to the laboratory where the students of grades VI -XII showed various equipment like a solder station, 3D printer, robotics and electronic kits. They also explained the working of various models, speedster, sweeper and scooter along with their artistic skill through 3D pens. The school thanked him for his visit and making the inauguration successful.



ATAL LAB INAUGURATION



ATAL LAB SESSIONS [VIII]

During this week, students of class 8 attended the introductory session of ELECTRONICS in Atal Tinkering Lab. The basic concepts of electronics, resistor, current, transistors, transformer, and capacitor were explained to the students.



ATAL LAB SESSIONS [IX]

During the ATAL sessions, students of class IX AB this week made self models which were highly appreciated and well made.



ORGANIC FARM VISIT CLASS: VI-VIII



The students of classes VI-VIII visited the Organic farm of the school during this week. They were explained about seasonal vegetables and different factors (soil, water, temperature etc), which are important for the growth of these vegetables. They were also acquainted with the importance of organic farming in our society.

ORGANIC FARM VISIT [VI- VIII]

They also harvested vegetables like radish, turnip, potato, fenugreek, and mustard. Some of the students also sowed seeds and saplings of various crops.



INTERCLASS ENGLISH DEBATE [VI- VIII]

Debating Matters because Ideas Matter...

On 17 Dec 2021, an inter-class debate competition was conducted for the students of classes 6 to 8.

The young debaters of class VI and VII debated upon the topic 'Social media is deteriorating human interactions' and class VIII debated on the topic 'Competition is a necessary ingredient to excel in life'. The students were well prepared and undoubtedly convinced the audience of their beliefs and views. The participants, armed with statistics and data, made their arguments more emphatic with their righteous facial expressions and voice modulation. They exhibited great oratory skills. The competition was an enthralling experience for the speakers as well as the listeners. The awards for the best speakers for and against the motion in both the categories VI-VII and VIII are as follows:

INTERCLASS ENGLISH DEBATE [VI- VIII]

WINNERS (VI AND VII)

POSITION	NAME OF THE STUDENTS	CLASS
<u>FOR THE MOTION</u>		
WINNER	Master Vinayak Mehra	VII-C
RUNNERS UP	Nandini Singh	VI-B
<u>AGAINST THE MOTION</u>		
WINNER	Vallari Jha	VII-A
RUNNERS UP	Ayan Agarwal	VII-C

WINNERS (VIII)

POSITION	NAME OF THE STUDENTS	CLASS
<u>FOR THE MOTION</u>		
WINNER	Reva Sharma	VIII-A
RUNNERS UP	Jia Sharma	VIII-B
<u>AGAINST THE MOTION</u>		
WINNER	Roshi Jain	VIII-A
RUNNERS UP	Sidhant Wadhwa	VIII-A
	Aaruni Mehta	VIII-B

WORKSHOP ON MENTAL WELLBEING IX-XII

On 21st December 2021, the Interact Club of Pragyan School organized a workshop on mental well-being. The workshop was conducted by Mrs. Pallavi Joshi, consultant psychologist, and spiritual consultant. Mrs. Pallavi Joshi has been on the panel of Action Balaji Hospital, Paschim Vihar since 2014. The workshop was attended by the students of classes IX to XII. This interactive session turned out to be very fruitful for the students as they learned how mental health includes emotional, psychological, and social well-being. Students also learned the significance of mental well-being in daily life situations and how it affects the way one thinks, feels, and acts. The workshop reflected the importance of mental health at every stage of life.



CAREER COUNSELING SESSIONS [X]



ARTIST OF THE MONTH [DEC]

Zoya Awasthi of class IXB is the best artist of December month. She is very creative and grasps the techniques very quickly. She is always keen to learn and come forward for new tasks. Best of luck for her future.



SOCIAL CLUBS

CLASS VI- XII



- DEBATING AND JOURNALISM CLUB
- INTERACT CLUB
- HEALTH AND WELLNESS CLUB
- ECOLOGY CLUB

DEBATING AND JOURNALISM CLUB [VI-VIII]



Student members of Journalism and debating club made the best use of their club meeting by contributing in the compilation of the school's annual magazine 'Udaan'. They enjoyed playing the role of editor of the magazine.

INTERACT CLUB [VI-VIII]

The need of the hour is the universal adoption of safety measures. As prevention is better than cure, it is essential to wear masks. The students of the 'Interact Cub' had conducted an awareness drive for wearing masks in the school premises. The creative learners have created thought-provoking posters to be displayed in the school premises as a reminder to follow safety measures at all times.



INTERACT CLUB [IX – XII]

Pragyan School was invited to the Annual conference of Robin Hood Army on Saturday, 18th December held at Sanfort World School Greater Noida. The Interact Club of Pragyan School is a proud member of the Robin Hood chain. The school was felicitated for its unwavering active support and regular contribution in providing surplus food to feed the less fortunate sections of the society. The conference was attended by the Interact club in charge Ms. Rojaramani.



EACH ONE TEACH ONE: INTERACT CLUB INITIATIVE

The School believes that the education bereft of community service is incomplete and so we sensitize our students to consistently contribute to the improvement of society through their philanthropic actions. Intune with this belief the students of the interact club paid a visit to Jonas nursery on 21 Dec 2021 and tried to be a part of their community by showing involvement through various activities like calligraphy, card making, and translations of certain Hindi sentences. The ecstasy brought not only smiles to the faces of those children but also gave a joyous day to Pragyans. On Friday 24th December, students of Interact club, taught the under privileged children residing in and around the Jonas nursery simple calculations, General Knowledge, and helped them in reading story books. It was a very rewarding experience for the Pragyan Students.

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HEALTH AND WELLNESS CLUB [VI-VIII]



In the Junior Health and Wellness Club meeting held on 23rd December 2021, students of classes 6-8 prepared the Posters on "Healthy Eating Habits" to show their artistic skills. The quotes were written on the posters to spread awareness among the students for a healthy lifestyle



ECOLOGY CLUB [VI-VIII]



Eco club held the session on ' water conservation ' on 23/12/21. Students made posters on water conservation and displayed in on various water outlets present on the school campus. Their poster included a slogan based on water conservation. Students were made aware of water conservation practices that can help them in saving water on a regular basis.

HEALTH & WELLNESS CLUB



The Benefits of Getting Enough Sleep



Good health

1

2

Improved mood

Increased productivity

3

4

Clearer mind

Enhanced memory

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ECOLOGY CLUB



TIP OF THE WEEK



Parenting Hack:

When punishing your kids, don't take away their electronics.

Just take their charger and watch the fear in their eyes as they use it less and less while the battery slowly dies!

