

MIND TREE SCHOOL, Nahan

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS

KINDERGARTEN WING

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2.	Kite Race	Nursery	June 11
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5.	Hop on One Foot Race	LKG	June 19
6.	I am Creative	UKG	June 20
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10.	Hindi Speech	LKG	August 14
11.	Speech	UKG	August 20
12.	Rakhi Making	LKG	August 23
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15.	Puzzle Making (Finals)	UKG	August 31
16.	Walk on the Path Race	Nursery	September 07
17.	Obstacle Race	Nursery	September 14
18.	Look, Read and Run Race	UKG	September 19

PRIMARY WING

Sr. No.	Competitions		Dates
1.	Best Out of Waste	II	June 02
2.	Object Talk (Prelims)	II	June 08
3.	English Poem Recitation (Prelims)	I	June 09
4.	Object Talk (Finals)	II	June 14
5.	English Poem Recitation (Finals)	I	June 15
6.	Ready-Steady-Go Race	I	June 15
7.	Reuse to Recreate-Best Out of Waste	I	August 18
8.	Creative Letter Art	II	August 18
9.	Devotional Song (Prelims)	II	August 21
10.	Devotional Song (Finals)	II	August 25
11.	English Story Narration (Prelims)	I	August 29
12.	English Story Narration (Finals)	I	September 01
13.	Over-Under Relay Race	I	September 01
14.	English Spell Bee-II	I	September 20
15.	Origami-Paper Creation	I	September 29
16.	Go Green Race	I	September 29

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sr. No.		
1.	Parent-Teacher Meeting	Nur-II

Dates
August 25

March 26, 2018: A Pious Entry - Hawan:





The new session 2018-19 of Mind Tree School, Nahan, initiated with a Hawan Ceremony on March 26, 2018. The Management and the Principal, along with all the staff members of the school, offered "Aahutis" to the holy fire and prayed to the Almighty for the phenomenal success, vigour and well being of our school and everyone who is a part of it. The revered chanting of mantras and the smoky fragrance of the sacred fire filled the school campus with auspicious presence of the Almighty and reminded everybody of the importance of prayer and devotion. The ceremony was followed by prasad distribution and lunch.

March 31, 2018: Parichay-A Parent Orientation Programme:



Mind Tree strongly believes in a firm and healthy teacher-parent association. We organised the Orientation Programme for the session 2018-19 where in the parents were apprised of the teaching methods and curriculum, co-curricular activities and evaluation process that will be taken up. This interaction led to familiarisation of teachers and parents and helped them focus on the betterment of their child.

KINDERGARTEN WING

April 17, 2018: Mat Art Competition - UKG:









'Creativity is a wild mind and a disciplined eye'. -Dorothy Parker

Art competitions are always interesting and an eye catching activity. We conducted the first competition of UKG class wherein children were expected to decorate a sheet of table mat size. We were amazed to see our kids participating with such passion and involvement. The results were amazing as the children had let their imagination run wild and created absolute magic. They came up with such beautiful ideas that it took time for the judges to finalize the results. Children who bagged the positions were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Shivansh Garg	Aishve Bansal	Shivank

April 20, 2018: Fun with Colours Competition - LKG:







"Colour is a power which directly influences the soul."

-Wassily Kandinsky

To explore the creative potentials of our young minds, we conducted 'Fun with Colours' Competition. The children showcased their creative skills in colouring and came up with amazing work. The results were a treat to the eyes. The criteria for judgement were based on neatness, creativity, colour combination and the overall impact in colouring technique. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Rannvijay Singh	Nimrit Kaur	Vaishnavi
В	Nidhyati Singh	Inaya Sheikh	Himadri Rajpoot

April 23, 2018: Run! Baby Run! Competition - Nursery:

'Run often. Run long. But never outrun your joy of running'- Julie Isphording

The little ones were brimming with excitement and energy as they competed in their maiden race "Run!



Baby Run!"Children of section A & B participated enthusiastically. It seemed as if they had suddenly developed wings as they flew fast to the finishing line. The best athletes were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Suryansh Sharma Aaradhya Chauhan	Khushhaal Verma Navika Sharma	Krishang Sharma Kavya Tomar
В	Aditya Bhardwaj Pavni Sethi	Kabeer Harish Sukaina Abbas	Shashwat Sahni Nivriti

April 25, 2018: Crafty Ideas Competition - UKG:







'Crafting your heart out makes room for your soul to grow." Sara Lanan

This competition illustrated the creativity of our students in unique designs made by them. They were provided with cut out pieces of different shapes like square, triangle, circle, etc. which they pasted on a sheet to form beautiful images of huts, clown, caterpillar, etc. Such amazing ideas were a result of the well developed imagination of the kindergarteners. All the students participated enthusiastically and the winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Shivansh Garg	Avni Gupta	Uddhav Thakur

April 27, 2018: Hurdle Race - LKG:



Goals are attained not by strength but by perseverance.

Hurdling is the an act of running and jumping over an obstacle. Our tiny tots of LKG enjoyed jumping over the hurdles which built confidence and self esteem as they had accomplished the task which they had never done before. The playground witnessed energy, joy and spirit amongst the competitors. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Aadvika AggarwaL	Lavish	Vaanya Dutt
	Harshit Sharma	Naman Kashyap	Rannvijay Singh
В	Atharva Kaushal	Kanishka	Anaahat
	Himadri Rajpoot	Yuvraaj Singh Rathore	Shreyaan Bansal

May 02, 2018: 'Let's Help Mom' Race - UKG:

We always believe in designing activities which help to enhance the gross Motor skills of the young minds. "Let's Help Mom" race was one of them. The children had to run back to the beginning point after



clipping a pair of socks on a line. All the kids participated with vigour and the children who bagged positions:

1st	2nd	3rd
Aishve Bansal	Kayann Dhiman	Avni Gupta

May 04, 2018: Penguin Relay Race - LKG:

Play is important for a child's mental development. With this view, we organized Penguin Relay Race, which was a fun-filled activity. Our students raced, holding a balloon, between their knees and waddled like a penguin, to reach the



finishing line. The amusing race helped students enhance their gross motor and balancing skills. The students who bagged positions:

	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Nimrit Kaur Harshit Sharma	Aadvika Saini Naman Kashyap	Lavish
В	Srishti Thakur Atharva Kaushal	Nidhyati Singh Tryaksh Sharma	Inaya Sheikh Suryansh Thakur

May 11, 2018: Colouring Challenge - Nursery:

'Colours must fit together as pieces in a puzzle or cogs in a wheel.'-

Children of Nursery participated and displayed their colouring skills through a colouring competition. The kids enjoyed this competition and were able to showcase their imagination, choice of colours and creativity. It was a pleasure to watch them work with such ease. It was an enjoyable day for them. Winners were selected on the basis of overall aesthetic appeal. They were:

		1st	2nd	3rd
	Α	Kavya Tomar	Aradhya Sharma	Kashvi Tomar
Γ	В	Manan Chauhan	Parth Singh	Sumedha

May 16, 2018: English Recitation Competition - UKG:









'Recitation is a mode of expression, a medium to reflect the latent talents of the young ones.'

Recitation is a platform for children to enhance their verbal expression. Keeping this in mind, English Recitation Competition was conducted for UKG children. It was a delight to hear these little ones. The expressive and confident tones spoke volumes of the effort and endeavour of each participant. The winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Uddhav Thakur	Devansh Jain	Divyansh Rana

May 17, 2018: Speech Competition - LKG:

"Oratory is the power to take people out of their sober and natural opinions."- Joseph Chatfield.



Speech Competition on

the topic "My Favourite Toy" was conducted for our little Mindtreeans of LKG. It was pleasing to see our enthusiastic children presenting their speeches confidently. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Vaanya Dutt	Lavish	Manan Bhardwaj
В	Shreyaan Bansal	Tryaksh Sharma	Navya

PRIMARY WING

April 19, 2018: English Calligraphy Competition - Grade II:

'Certainly, the Art of Writing is the most miraculous of all things man has devised.' -Carlyle







Calligraphy is the art of

producing beautiful handwriting. It can be defined as the art of giving form to signs in an expressive, harmonious and skilful manner. To improve the presentation skills and to inculcate the habit of good handwriting amongst students, we organized English Calligraphy Competition. All the students of Grade-II participated enthusiastically and showed excellent creativity through their writing skills. The winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Aaditya Kumar	Arnav Garg	Akshit Tomar

April 21, 2018: English Calligraphy Competition - Grade I:

"Calligraphy is a kind of music not for the ears but for the eyes." -V.Lazursky

To develop creative expression and inculcate the habit of good handwriting among students, an inter-class English Calligraphy Competition was organized at Mind Tree School. Students participated enthusiastically and their mind blowing creativity. The winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Ziya Sheikh	Aarav Gupta	Aditi Sharma

April 26, 2018: Hindi Story Narration Competition - Grade II:







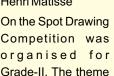


Children have vivid imagination and can weave extra ordinary stories. They are influenced by so many things around them that we adults consider mundane. Therefore they can breathe life into even the simplest of stories and make us wonder. A story-telling event was conducted for Grade II and the students enthralled the audience with their colourful stories. The young Mindtreeans were eloquent and spoke well. The best narrators were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Rijul Bisai	Riana Kaushal	Akshita Bahuguna

April 26, 2018: On the Spot Drawing Competition - Grade II:

"Drawing is putting a line round an idea."-Henri Matisse









of the competition was "Grow Trees, Save Earth." Children participated enthusiastically and showcased their creative skills in drawing and colouring. Winners were selected on the basis of overall aesthetic appeal. They were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Riana Kaushal	Aradhya Matta	Rijul Bisai

May 05, 2018: Hindi Calligraphy Competition - Grade I:

Hindi Calligraphy Competition turns out to be very meaningful for the students since calligraphy not only improves writing skills, but also teaches students about their unique structure and the beauty of the national language. Students of Grade I participated in Hindi Calligraphy Competition to present legible and beautiful handwriting, a talent that can only be mastered through intense practice and patience. Many students produced exquisite written work which seemed like invaluable art pieces. The winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Aditi Sharma	Pragun Rathore	Aarav Gupta



April 06, 2018: Special Assembly on World Health Day:

"It is health that is real wealth and not pieces of gold and silver." – Mahatma Gandhi

On the occasion of World Health Day, a special assembly was conducted at Mind Tree School, wherein Dr. Atul Kaistha, Designated



Officer (FSSAI), Sirmour District Incharge was invited as a special guest to make the children aware of the importance of health in their daily lives. In his talk, he related health with food. He interacted with our young minds and spoke on the importance of cleanliness and healthy food habits. The programme conducted was interactive, and children participated with enthusiasm. He reiterated about the importance of a balanced diet and food safety.

April 10, 2018: Special Assembly on Foundation Day:

Yesterday is a dream, tomorrow is a vision, but a day well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness and every tomorrow a vision of hope. Carrying the same vision, we, the Mind Tree family, successfully



completed its first glorious and tremendous year of existence. A special assembly was conducted on this occasion. The Principal gave a warm welcome to the children and promised to work hard and take the school to the next level of greatness. Students of Kindergarten and Primary presented a foot tapping dance on a number of medleys, rightfully showcasing the delight and thrill amongst everybody in attendance. All the students were given a special treat of chips and muffins - every child's favourite snack.

April 13, 2018: Special Assembly on Ambedkar Jayanti / Himachal Day:

Ambedkar Jayanti was observed at Mind Tree School to commemorate the memory of Dr.B.R Ambedkar on his 127th birth anniversary on April 14. The students presented a lively and colourful dance performance on



the occasion at a special assembly. The function proceeded with a 'Nati' performance by Grade-1 students to showcase the miniature of joy experienced by the people of Himachal on the occasion of Himachal Day. UKG girls performed a resplendent and energetic bhangra, that made for a truly spirited celebration.

April 20, 2018: Special Assembly on Earth Day:

"The earth does not belong to us. We belong to the earth" - Chief Seattle

Earth Day is an annual event, celebrated on April 22. It is a day to inspire more awareness and appreciation for the Earth's



natural environment. A special assembly was held to bring forth the significance of the 'Earth Day'. A short skit was performed by the students of Grade-II wherein they highlighted the conservation of trees. Grade-I students recited a beautiful poem on 'Save Earth' and Kindergarten students gave wonderful dance performances. The Principal appreciated the children for their wonderful effort and made them aware of the importance of saving water and electricity in their daily lives.

April 27, 2018: Special Assembly on Budh Purnima:

"Words have the power to both destroy and heal. When words are true and kind they can change the world". Gautam Buddha

Budh Purnima is celebrated in Vaisakha month and is one of the holiest days in Buddhist calendar. Budh Purnima was celebrated in our school to mark the birth



anniversary of Lord Buddha. Students of Primary and Kindergarten wing enacted the anecdote from his life and his preachings were also shared. Students were told to be kind to other fellow beings, and not to quarrel with each other. The high-spirited assembly inspired everyone and was greatly applauded by one and all.

May 01, 2018: Special Assembly on Labours' Day:

1st May is celebrated as International Labour Day' all across the world. The special assembly on this day was dedicated to honour and thank the helping staff. Special tokens were given by our students to all the helpers. The assembly ended on a happy note as the Principal Ma'am addressed us all and thanked the support staff.



${\bf May\,11,2018:\,Special\,Assembly\,on\,Mothers'\,Day:}$

"God cannot be everywhere, and therefore he made mothers.'

-Rudyard Kipling Mothers' Day is a special day of the year, dedicated to all mothers. It is celebrated all over



the world. Mothers hold a special place in the heart of children. The young, enthusiastic Mindtreeans paid lovely tribute to their mothers through mesmerising dance performances. They also made beautiful cards to express their love and gratitude towards their mothers.