

### FORTHCOMING EVENTS

#### KINDERGARTEN WING

Sr. no.	Competitions	Dates
1.	Colouring Challenge Nursery	January 18
2.	Clay Modelling Competition LKG	January 18
3.	Look and Spell Competition UKG	January 23
4.	100 m Race UKG	February 20

#### PRIMARY WING

Sr. no.	Competitions	Dates
1.	G.K. Quiz Competition (Prelims) I	January 16
2.	G.K. Quiz Competition (Finals) I	January 19
3.	Creative Drawing Competition I	January 19
4.	G.K. Quiz Competition (Prelims) II-III	January 28
5.	G.K. Quiz Competition (Finals) II-III	February 2
6.	Relay Race II-III	February 2
7.	Word Building Competition I	February 6
8.	Declamation Competition (Prelims) II-III	February 11
9.	Declamation Competition (Finals) II-III	February 15
10.	Picture Description Competition I	February 20
11.	Sports Day I	March 2

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sr. no.	Dates
1.	Declaration of Results KG March 22
2.	Declaration of Results I-III March 23

#### October 1, 2018: Special Assembly on Gandhi Jayanti :



Gandhiji once quoted, **“Be congruent, be authentic, be your true self.”** The kindergarten classes remembered Gandhiji and his teachings through a beautiful rendition of devotional songs and dances. Children were given an account of how Gandhiji led our nation in the fight for freedom and sacrificed his life for social equality. The assembly paid homage to Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri on his birth anniversary as well.

#### October 5, 2018: Speech Competition - Nursery:

Preparation is the key to success. We organised a Speech Competition for students of Nursery to equip them with the experience of public speaking and boost their confidence. The best speakers were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Rupanjal	Karmanya Jain	Ruaan Bhola
B	Shaurya Thakral	Kohav Jain	Guransh Valecha
C	Avvyam Kansal	Avyansh Bhola	Reyaan
D	Vrihaan Anand	Advik Gupta	Adit Bhandari
E	Avni	Josheen Kaur	Samarpreet Singh

#### October 12, 2018: Creative Drawing Competition - LKG:

**“Art has the role in education of helping children become like themselves instead of more like everyone else.”**

Students of LKG drew pictures on the given topics with great precision which unleashed their creativity and imagination. By incorporating shapes, designs, figures and colours, they were able to produce marvellous sketches. The most creative artists were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Aadvik Gupta	Ayansh Mittal	Ayaan Mittal
B	Viaan Jain	Aarav Bakshi	Rabya Bajaj
C	Gaurang Nagi	Aaditya Kumar	Alyana Bansal
D	Bhuvika Jain	Om Kapoor	Riaan Rai
E	Ananta	Azeez Kaur Bhatia	Vaanya Behl

#### October 12, 2018: Bunny Race- Nursery:

**“It doesn't matter whether you come in first, in the middle of the pack, or last. You can say, “I have finished.”**

To teach a lesson of sportsmanship and instil a sense of healthy competition, a Bunny Race was organised for tiny tots of Nursery. Children hopped like bunnies to reach the finishing line. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Aanya Sharma Hirday	Japnoor Kaur Lamba Lawrence Brar	Sifat Anand Tegnoor Singh
B	Aarohi Jain Kohav Jain	Ekjot Kaur Yohaana Dhir	Aradhya Gandhi Shaurya Thakral
C	Teesta Chhabra Avvyam Kansal	Aadya Popli Ayaan Chona	Aastha Bhardwaj Dhiren Pratap Singh
D	Naunidh Kaur Arora Bhavik Kudawla	Anushree Samrudh	Laisha Aggarwal Himanshu Gupta
E	Divyanshi Shiven Jain	Asreet Kaur Shivansh Choudhary	Aarohi Garg Samarpreet Singh

#### October 15, 2018: Special Assembly on World Student's Day- Nursery:





**You have to dream before your dream can come true....**

As a loving tribute to the "Missile Man of India", Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, a special assembly was organised in which students were apprised with their roles, responsibilities and duties towards their schools, community and the country. Students paid respect to the **People's President** through songs and dances.

**October 17, 2018: Special Assembly on Dussehra :**



Students, decked up as Ram, Laxman and Sita, performed confidently and presented a heartwarming short scenes from the Ramayana. Our Principal ma'am appreciated the efforts of the students and reiterated the message of victory of good over evil. A dance by the little ones of Nursery, a short act by students of LKG and UKG charged the atmosphere with infectious energy. The festive assembly concluded with the burning of a small effigy of Ravana, depicting the end of all vices and evils.

**October 23, 2018: Special Assembly on Valmiki Jayanti:**

The birth anniversary of the 'Adi Kavi' was celebrated and his teachings were portrayed through an act by the students. They spread the message of the great Sanskrit scholar to fight against injustice and inequality.

**October 26, 2018: Couple Balloon Balancing Race - LKG:**

Squeals of laughter daunted this fun-filled race in which a balloon was placed between the shoulders of two students. They had to race to the finishing line with the balloon intact between their shoulders. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Anmol Kumar Ayaan Mittal	Ayansh Mittal Adhayan Panchal	Nivik Dhawan Arnav Verma
B	Harjot Singh Yaativik Batra	Lavanya Aaradhya Aggarwal	Suhavi Samaira Dhingra
C	Gaurang Nagi Harshil Chawla	Saanvi Gupta Alyana Bansal	Jessica Priti Gulati
D	Harshvardhan Sharma Ridhaan Goyal	Om Kapoor Gurtaj Singh Sandhu	Aayan Kohli Arihaan Dutta
E	Aarvi Anvi Aggarwal	Mehtab Singh Aditya Jain	Gurjot Singh Bhakti

**October 31, 2018: Toran Decoration Competition - UKG:**

When kids are exploring, thinking, experimenting and trying new ideas, then creativity has a chance to blossom. Keeping this in mind, a Toran Decoration Competition was organised. The students came up with amazing art work. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Avya Gupta	Parth Puri	Sidharath Jain
B	Menka Sanan	Navraj Sidhu	Gurman Kaur
C	Sanisha Jain	Bhuvi Bansal	Twisha Jain
D	Veronika Singh	Advit Jain	Jaanya Keswani
E	Aaradhya Gupta	Aaradhya Sharma	Aarush Aggarwal

**October 31, 2018: Special Assembly on Haryana Day:**



Haryana has an undoubtedly rich history and culture. It is the 20th state of India that came into existence in 1966 on 1st of November when it parted from the state of Punjab. Dressed in their ethnic best, students put up an entertaining show through Haryanvi folk dances to celebrate Haryana Day.

**October 31, 2018: Special Assembly on Diwali:**

The much awaited and loved festival of lights was celebrated in all its grandeur. Students of Nursery, LKG and UKG showcased the spirit of Diwali through mesmerising dance performances. The objective of this assembly was not only presenting a cultural extravaganza, but sensitizing students to the ill effects of crackers as well.



**October 31, 2018: Caterpillar Race - Nursery:**

A Caterpillar Race was organised for Nursery kids, where they faced a huge challenge to control their movements while walking at a snail's pace. It was really wonderful to watch them competing with one another while coordinating with their teams. The winners were:

	Winners		
A	Aradhya Singla Rihaan Goel	Medhansh Sanan Aaryan	Raghav Bhola Mridul Pruthi
B	Aarohi Jain Devshree Goswami	Kashvi Jain Shaurya Thakral	Gurshaan Singh Parth Anand
C	Avyansh Bhola Abhir Singh	Saanvika Dhiren Pratap Singh	Gurfateh Singh Ayaan Chona
D	Yashvi Saini Bhavya	Advik Gupta Naunidh Kaur Arora	Vrihaan Anand Inaayat Manchanda
E	Avni Aastik Kharbanda	Divyanshi Manket,	Shivansh Choudhary Haitansh Sharma

### October 31, 2018: Diya Decorations Competition - LKG:

Students showcased immense creativity and imagination in decorating diyas, depicting the festive and colourful theme. Our fabulous decorators were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Aadvik Gupta	Harjap	Saksham Marwah
B	Viaan Jain	Aarav Bakshi	Daivya Malhotra
C	Kridha Bansal	Gaurang Nagi	Alyana Bansal
D	Om Kapoor	Aayan Kohli	Bhuvika Jain
E	Viren Sethi	Yuvraj Sharma	Amrit Kaur

### November 14, 2018: Special Assembly on Children's Day:

**"The foundation of a strong nation depends on the happy state of its children."** Pt. Nehru

A special assembly was commemorated with immense joy, enthusiasm and magnificence. The children were ecstatic to see their beloved teachers perform on various dance numbers. The excitement and enjoyment of the students was visible in their gleaming eyes and wide smiles.

### November 16, 2018: Quiz Competition - UKG:

A quiz is a mind sport, aiming at healthy competition, team building process and great fun to participate in. Keeping these elements in mind, a quiz competition was held for the students where our young minds showcased their intelligence and knowledge. The students - **Ganeev Singh Bindra, Aarush Aggarwal Eshmita, Mohisha Pruthi & Virat Gupta of UKG E** won the quiz competition.

### November 20, 2018: Special Assembly on Id-E-Milad:

The teachings of Prophet Muhammad were spread by the students in the form of hymns sung in his praise. The significance of 'Id' as a festival of happiness, goodwill and benevolence was reiterated through teacher talk and song presentations.

### November 22, 2018: Special Assembly on Guru Nanak Jayanti:



Guru Nanak Jayanti, also called Guru Purab was observed with great devotion and enthusiasm. Hymns were sung in kirtan style to praise the great teaching of the first Sikh guru, Guru Nanak Devji. The festivity of this auspicious day was geared up with poems and sermons presented by the students of Nursery, LKG and UKG.

### November 23, 2018: Knowledge Test Competition - LKG:

Our young kindergarteners put-up a thrilling and exhilarating performance during their Knowledge Test Competition. Students answered a volley of questions showcasing their alertness and knowledge. The winners of the competition were **Viren Sethi, Rehmat Kaur Cheema, Yuvraj Sharma, Ansh Makkar & Lavya Sammi of class LKG – E**.

### November 28, 2018: Story Telling Competition - UKG:

Children have an innate love for stories. Stories create magic and a sense of wonder at the world. Imagine what if children, themselves, become storytellers. To give them an experience of this, a story telling competition was organised. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Moksh Anand	Divyanshi	Ansh Aggarwal
B	Disha Aggarwal	Aarav Bindal	Aarush Aggarwal
C	Akshobhya Rathore	Misha	Siya Pahuja
D	Dhanishta	Dhairya Jain	Aarna Kukreja
E	Eshmita	Shubham	Aarav Gupta

### November 30, 2018: Thumb Printing Competition - LKG:

Children of LKG amazed one and all as they produced majestic caricatures, illustrations of animals and flowers with nothing other than impressions of their thumb. Our artistic printers were.



	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Aishwary Sharma	Arnav Verma	Aadvik Gupta
B	Daivya Malhotra	Aarav Bakshi	Rabya Bajaj
C	Kridha Bansal	Gaurang Nagi	Aaditya Kumar
D	Charmi	Gurman Singh Sandhu	Arham Jain
E	Lavya Sammi	Azeez Kaur Bhatia	Aditya Jain

### November 30, 2018: Join the Dots Competition - Nursery:

There is a plethora of activities which aid in enhancing concentration level in young kids. Join the Dots Competition was held for our little champs where their attention and focus were tested as they rushed to complete the given patterns.

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Aashvi	Mayra	Kriyansh Bansal
B	Kohav Jain	Shaurya Thakral	Mannat
C	Ekam Singh	Somya Puri	Manchet Singh
D	Saujas Behl	Mazin Gupta	Naunidh Kaur Arora
E	Samarpreet Singh	Sanvi Goel	Saanvi Jain

### December 05, 2018: Skipping Race - UKG:

Skipping is more than a game. It is a great exercise and also improves arm and leg co-ordination. A Skipping Race was held with the intention of generating fun and competitiveness. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Vaanya Gulati Parth Puri	Aavya Gupta Ansh Aggarwal	Divyanshi Kushagra Saini
B	Sarbanipreet Kaur Aarush Aggarwal	Disha Aggarwal Vansh Jadaun	Youvika Arora Hemang Gupta
C	Misha Mandeep Singh	Raaisa Dua Vinayak Mohan Datta	Preshti Antarjot Singh
D	Khushi Ahuja Agastya Sharma	Jaanya Keswani Sapeksh Berwal	Aarna Kukreja Aryash Thakur
E	Seerat Dang Aarav Gupta	Aaradhya Sharma Kunal Singh	Chandni Ansh Mittal

**December 07, 2018: Balloon Balancing Race - LKG:**



Students of LKG displayed concentration and coordination as they finished the race while balancing balloons on a paper plates. The victorious balancers were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Vanshika Ayaan Mittal	Aishwary Sharma Yatharth Dhiman	Harjap Aarav Luthra
B	Aaradhya Aggarwal Darsh Bhola	Divyajot Kaur Jappanjot Singh	Lavanya Yaatvik Batra
C	Priti Gulati Harshil Chawla	Kridha Bansal Aaditya Kumar	Jessica Kushaal Kapoor
D	Gunnika Aayan Kohli	Seerat Siddharth S. Chauhan	Ananya Gurtaj Singh Sandhu
E	Azeez Kaur Bhatia Rudra Saini	Rehmat K. Cheema Prabhpas Singh	Bhakti Kunsh Madaan

**December 10, 2018: Special Assembly on Human Rights Day:**

Human Rights Day was celebrated to inspire our new generation to speak up and take action to end discrimination in all its forms whenever and wherever it is manifested. Students depicted the rights of every human in a very special way through dances and a speech.

**December 12, 2018: Little Minds at Work Competition:**



Kids really come out with flying colours when it comes to doing something out of the box. Our Nursery students left everyone spell bound through their stupendous performance in the quiz competition, "Little Minds at Work". The kids responded to every single question with a lot of sensibility and patience. Every team put its best foot forward to ace this competition. Students of **Nursery D** won the quiz competition.

**December 14, 2018: Short Story Narration Competition - LKG:**

**"Those who tell the stories rule the world."**

Impeccable pronunciation, voice modulation and expression were the highlights of stories narrated by the students of LKG. Our best story tellers were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Bhanavi Bhasin	Arnav Verma	Rudhav Kansey
B	Aarav Bakshi	Ridhaan Gupta	Jappanjot Singh
C	Kridha Bansal	Priti Gulati	Harshil Chawla
D	Ridhaan Goyal	Ayansh Jain	Om Kapoor
E	Vaanya Behl	Viren Sethi	Aarvi

**December 14, 2018: Special Assembly on National Energy Conservation Day :**

**Energy saved today is asset for future.**

Kindergarten students created an inquisitive atmosphere where they created awareness about global warming and climate change and promoted the efforts towards saving the energy resources through their performances.

**December 19, 2018: Hindi Recitation Competition - UKG:**

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

Rhymes can prove to be an instrumental stepping stone for young children to develop their verbal skills and boost their confidence. Keeping this in mind, Hindi Recitation Competition for UKG was organized. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Moksh Anand	Divyanshi	Ansh Aggarwal
B	Disha Aggarwal	Aarav Bindal	Shivansh Kansal
C	Akshobhya Rathore	Misha	Bhuvi Bansal
D	Veer Varma	Jaanya Keswani	Aarav Narang
E	Eshmita	Antra Grover	Aarav Kansal

**PRIMARY WING**

**October 01, 2018: Special Assembly on Gandhi & Shastri Jayanti:**



Gandhi and Shastri Jayanti were celebrated with patriotic fervour and zeal. On this occasion, children of Grade ID and Grade IE presented an act and a dance. Through their presentations, the students conveyed the message of non-violence, peace, harmony and universal brotherhood.

**October 05, 2018: Hindi Spelling Bee - Grade II&III:**

**"Words are the only things that last forever." William Hazlitt**

A Hindi Spell Bee Competition was held for the students where students' memory skills and spelling skills were put to test.

**October 15, 2018: Special Assembly on World Student's Day :**



**"The best brains of a nation may be found at the last benches of the classroom."**  
**Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam**

The children of Grade I A highlighted the contributions made by former President Dr A.P.J Abdul Kalam through their inspirational dance performance. The children were sensitised about the contributions of Dr Kalam through their speech, thought of the day and amazing facts.

**October 17, 2018: Special Assembly on Dussehra:**

A spectacular one-act Ramlila was staged by the students of Grade I B in which they presented the scenes from the banishment of Rama from Ayodhya followed by the victory over Ravana. It was followed by speech by Arisha Jain of Grade I B. The Principal addressed the students and told the students that the purpose of celebrating was actually to make students aware of the often repeated message i.e. the triumph of virtue over the vice.



**October 17, 2018: Toran Making- Grade I:**

Students enthusiastically took part in the Toran Making Competition and made many wonderful torans. The competition gave them an opportunity to showcase their creativity. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
I	Aradhya - B	Vihan Bansal - B	Saksham Lamba -A

**October 19, 2018: Science Quiz Competition - Grade II :**

Science is the engine of prosperity. Even since the industrial revolution, scientific research has led to a plethora of inventions that have expedited economic development, the world over. Seeing the importance of Science and to encourage children to study Science, a Science Quiz was organised in the form of Inter House Competition on 17th November, 2018. The quiz-masters kept the students and the audience amused with their questions. After an hour of the battle of brains, Agni House emerged victorious.

**October 19, 2018: 200 mt Race - Grade II & III:**

Sports at primary level is not only about competition but about having fun, being physically active, learning the basics of sports and building co-ordination and motor-skills. A 200 Meter Race was held for the students of Grade II and III. The event gave our ever enthusiastic students an opportunity to display their self- confidence, zeal and sportsmanship. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
II	Daksh Gupta - D Arshiya Jain - E	Parth Utreja - D Avi Raghuvanshi - A	Rehaan Kumar - E Pranya Chhabra - D
III	Akxit Sharma - A Anshika Sharma - A	Divyansh Mittal - B Avani Aggarwal - B	Kanav Jain - A Manya - C

**October 23, 2018: Special Assembly on Valmiki Jayanti:**

Valmiki Jayanti was celebrated with great pomp and show to pay tribute to the great saint Maharishi Valmikiji who is regarded as "Adi Kavi". On this occasion Anvika of Grade I C presented a speech. A poem was also recited by the students.

**October 31, 2018: Special Assembly on Haryana Day:**



One of the many festivals that keep the state of Haryana in a festive spirit almost all the time is Haryana Day.

This festival is celebrated to commemorate the day when the state was carved out of Punjab on 1st November, 1966. Dressed in their ethnic best, students of Grade I D put up an entertaining show through their folk dance performance.



**October 31, 2018: Special Assembly on Diwali:**



**Crackers are of no use, they are just environment abuse.**

The celebration of Diwali, the festival of lights, came alive at Mind Tree as students of Grade I performed an act on the theme of Eco-friendly Diwali. They requested everyone to reinterpret the traditional rituals to safeguard the nature and reduce the level of pollution.

**November 14, 2018: Special Assembly Children's Day:**



The teachers and the children remembered Pandit Jawarharlal Nehru, our first Prime Minister, and celebrated the love that he had for all children with a host of fun-filled activities. The teachers entertained the students by performing rhymes, songs, dances and a comedy act.

It was a visual treat for the students and an occasion for the teachers to express their love and care for their students.

**November 17, 2018: English Grammar Quiz Competition - Grade II:**

*We'll begin with a box, and the plural is boxes,  
But the plural of ox should be oxen, not oxes.  
Then one fowl is a goose, but two are called geese,  
Yet the plural of moose should never be meese.*

Well! The above paragraph is sufficient enough to explain how difficult can English Grammar be. To test their hold on Grammar, Grade II students participated in Grammar Quiz Competition. **Muskaan Goyal - A, Ayansh Chadha-B, Divyanshi Chopra - C, Ishaan Biswas - D & Yuvraj Singh Sarwara - E** were the winners.

**November 17, 2018: Science Quiz Competition - Grade III:**



A Science Quiz Competition was held for the students in order to test their knowledge. **The students Diya Gawri-A, Navdeep Kaur-B, Bhagya Girdhar -C, Gurshehzad Singh Rattol -D & Aastik Arora -E won the Science Quiz Competition.**

**November 19, 2018: Football Match - Grade II&III:**



**It is well said- 'Sports don't build character, they reveal it.'**

A Football Match was held at the school to instil collective sense of honour and physical fitness among the students. **Boys of Grade III-C & II-C, Girls of Grade III-A & II-D** were the winners of the Football Match.

**November 19, 2018: On The Spot English Story Writing Competition - Grade II & III:**

The way to create human beings with imagination is to provide them with opportunities to develop it for themselves when they are very young. These thoughts led to "Build Your Own Story Writing Competition" where students knitted wonderful stories using various open-ended clues. The students showed great enthusiasm and came up with "out of the box" thoughts that speak volumes about how imaginative our students are.

The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
II	Samar Sharma - B	Myra Goel - C	Dhairya Makol - E
III	Vaibhav Gupta - C	Navdeep Kaur - B	Anika - A

# MARY POPPINS

"Every word, facial expression, gesture, or action on the part of a parent gives the child some message about self-worth. It is sad that so many parents don't realize what messages they are sending." - Virginia Satir

The students of Grade II and III celebrated the spirit of childhood and family love with a musical rendition of the famous drama, Mary Poppins. The story revolves around two kids in a rich household in London and a magical nanny, Mary Poppins, who employs music and adventure to help them come closer to their father. The show began with a Ganesh Vandana to invoke the spirit of Lord Ganesh, the Vignaharta. Later, the students presented a one act musical drama in which they displayed marvellous acting and dancing skills, which was ardently praised by the guests and other audience members. The message of the play was clear, "It's all about quality of life and finding a happy balance between work and family."





# Rocksport Adventure Camp

It is the smallest adventures that lead you to the greatest happiness.

Mind Tree School, Ambala City organised a Day Adventure Camp on 8th,9th and 10th December in the school premises for the students of Kindergarten and Primary classes. The camp exposed our young adventurers to a variety of challenging and exciting activities like zip line, hopscotch, burma bridge, commando crawl, rope ladder climbing, zorbing, tent pitching and many more. Our adventure camp tickled their imagination and infused positive attitude by helping them live the uncertain, and accomplish the impossible. This camp was duly supervised by the school teachers & professional instructors from Rocksport, Delhi. Dressed in their athletic best, students had a joyful and enriching experience and were provided refreshment by the school.



**November 20, 2018: Special Assembly on Id-E-Milad:**



Eid-E-Milad marks the birth anniversary of the Prophet. Catching in with the festive tone, students enthralled the audience with their captivating dance to mark the occasion.

**November 22, 2018: Special Assembly on Guru Nanak Jayanti:**



Guru Nanak Jayanti brings Guru Nanak Dev's message of universal brotherhood and peace. The mammoth occasion was kick started by a melodious shabad sung by Grade III-A students. A Prabhat Pheri was also taken out to give students a glimpse of actual Gurupurab celebrations.

**November 30, 2018: Special Assembly on Respect for Elders:**

Our elders and grandparents are a library, the best cooks, supporters, teachers and a world full of love all packaged together. These feelings were once again reinforced by a life skills play on "Respect for Elders" by the students of Grade III - C. They showcased how elders deserve respect and that children can sometimes teach elders some very important life lessons.

**November 30, 2018: English Speech Competition - Grade I:**

A speech competition was organised for Grade I students on the topic "A day in my life as a book". The participants exhibited perfect nuances and finer points that go into making public speech interesting and captivating.

	1st	2nd	3rd
I	Anvi Goel - A	Jaskeerat Kaur - D	Kartik Gupta - B

**November 30, 2018: Cotton Ball Race - Grade I:**

Sports is a very important part of education as it makes students disciplined. A fun-filled "Cotton Ball Race" was organised for Grade 1 children. The best runners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
I	Kushal - A Pavani Rastogi - D	Atharva Aggarwal - B Savitri Tuli - B	Raghav Malhotra - B Aiyra Jain - D

**December 07, 2018: Play on Empathy - Grade II:**

Empathy is a life skill that makes us all truly 'Human'. This value was beautifully depicted by the students of Grade II-C through a play. Situations from daily life were staged deducing the actual significance of the value. The act concluded with a heart-touching song presentation by the class.

**December 10, 2018: Special Assembly on Human Rights Day:**

Schools comprise 45% of any city's population. Thus, schools make the obvious starting point for human rights education. Children were made aware of the same through a short and informative speech by Grade II students and a poem by Grade I students.

**December 14, 2018: Special Assembly on National Energy Conservation Day:**



The morning assembly witnessed a remarkable performance by students of Grade I C who presented an act which carried a lot of information about sources of energy, types of energy and ways to conserve it. The assembly was concluded with a pledge in the form of a song.

**December 17, 2018: English Spelling Bee Competition- Grade II&III:**

In the time and age of auto-correct, predictive text and spell check, the English Spelling Bee competition for Grade II & III students came as a whiff of fresh breeze. The competition made students aware of spellings and the usage of many unfamiliar words.

**December 19, 2018: Hindi Spelling Bee Competition- Grade I:**

Hindi Spelling Bee Competition was organised for Grade I pupils. The competition made students aware of spellings and helped them enrich their Hindi vocabulary.



**Skating Carnival: Blue Bird School and Manav Mangal School:**

The skaters from Mind Tree School participated in a Skating Carnival organized at Blue Bird School, Panchkula and Manav Mangal Smart School, Sector 64 (Phase X) Mohali and excelled in it. The stars were: **Avi Raghuvanshi - II A, 3rd Position (500 mts race & 1000 mts race) & Kanav Sharma - IA 2nd Position (1000 mts) 3rd Position (300 mts).**

**Students Ace at District Roller Skating Championship:**

A number of students from Mind Tree School, Ambala City and Mind Tree School, Panjokhra participated in the 18th District Ambala Roller Skating Championship 2018-19 held on 24th November, 2018 and bagged a multitude of positions in various roller skating events. Team Mind Tree bagged the Overall Champion Trophy. **Vihaan Mittal - UKG-A, 2 Gold Medal & Group Champion Trophy, Kanav Sharma - IA, 1 Silver & 1 Bronze, Avi Raghuvanshi - II A, 2 Gold Medal & Group Champion Trophy, Saanvi Jolly - II D, 1 Silver & 1 Bronze & Rehaan Kumar - II E, 2 Gold Medal & Group Champion Trophy.**

**Victory bends for Mind Tree at State Yog Championship:**

Yog Sport Association hosted the State Level Competition on 24th & 25th November in Sarvodya Public School, Sikri, Karnal where our young Mindtreeans brought laurels to the school by grabbing various outstanding positions. **Suvir Gupta II C 1st Position, Divyanshi Chopra - II C 1st Position, Aalyaa Johar - II C, 2nd Position & Aalyaa Johar - III B, 2nd Position.**

### Star Performers of Inter-School Chess Championship:

Students of Mind Tree School, once again, made their presence felt at the 1st District level Inter School Chess Championship, 2018-19. Students of Mind Tree Chess Academy also lifted the runner's up trophy at the event. **Avi Raghuvanshi II-A Gold Medal, Akxit Sharma III-A Silver Medal & Angadveer Singh III-D Silver Medal.**

### Mindtreeans Excel at the District level Karate Championship:

A total of 62 students took part in the Karate championship and our talented Mindtreeans ended with an impressive show of 47 medals which includes a variety of Gold, Silver and Bronze. The champions ended the day by bagging the runner's up trophy. **Aadit Bansal I-A Bronze Medal, Vaibhav I-E Silver Medal, Saksh Ahuja II-A Gold Medal, Rakshit Aggarwal II-B Gold Medal, Karnik Dang II-B Gold Medal, Atharva Gupta II-B Gold Medal, Aavya Bansal II-C Gold Medal, Ashwin Dhingra II-C Gold Medal, Nabhya Raj II-D Gold Medal, Pranya Chhabra II-D Gold Medal, Bhargavi III-B Gold Medal, Iri Kochhar III-B Gold Medal, Abeer Gupta III-C Gold Medal, Jai Ahuja III-D Gold Medal, Niyati III-D Gold Medal, Sarthak III-D Gold Medal, Shaurya Adlakha III - D Gold Medal, Sahaj Guliani III - E Gold Medal, Triman III - E Gold Medal, Rudransh II - B Silver Medal, Ekagra Goel II-C Silver Medal, Moulik Bajaj II-C Silver Medal, Nishchay II-C Silver Medal, Ashmit II-E Silver Medal, Bhuwan Goyal II-E Silver Medal, Aarav Saini III-C Silver Medal, Aavik Batra III-D Silver Medal, Deepti III-E Silver Medal, Harshdeep III-E Silver Medal, Ayaan Mankotia II-A Bronze Medal, Shaurya Jain II-A Bronze Medal, Dhairya II-C Bronze Medal, Kunjan II-D Bronze Medal, Navya Goel II-D Bronze Medal, Divyanoor II-E Bronze Medal, Nirmitt Puri II-E Bronze Medal, Dikshant Jain III-A Bronze Medal, Shaurya Puri III-A Bronze Medal, Sujal Sabharwal III-A Gold Medal, Anshuman III-B Bronze Medal, Aarav III-E Bronze Medal, Naman III-E Bronze Medal, Raghav III-E Bronze Medal.**

### Students excel in National Yog Sport Championship:

Students from Mind Tree School did extremely well at 3rd Yog Sport Championship organised by Yog Sport association, India from 7th to 9th December, 2018 at Haridwar. **Divyanshi Chopra - II C Gold Medal, Suvir - II C Gold Medal & Aalyaa Johar - II C Silver Medal.**

### Young Students Skate to Success at Gurugram:

**Vihaan Mittal of UKG - A , 2 Bronze Medal & Avi Rajavamshi-IIA 1 Silver Medal 1 Bronze Medal** Mindtreeans pull off a roaring victory at the 32nd Haryana State Roller Speed Skating championship held at Gurugram from 6th to 9th December, 2018.

## EDUCATOR'S CORNER

### Tech-Talk by Dr Stephan K. Thieringer:



**“We need technology in every classroom and in every student and teacher's hand, because it is the pen and paper of our time, and it is the lens through which we experience much of our world.”**

**- David Warlick**

We organised a 'Tech-talk' for teachers on 30th November, 2018, keeping in mind the growing demand of technology in education. Incorporation of technology in the field of education is relatively new but it surely has a bright future and that's what our resource person Dr Stephan K. Thieringer explained our faculty. The teachers were elated and excited, “We consider ourselves really fortunate to have got this opportunity to interact with such eminent personality as Dr Thieringer. This experience was marvellous”, said one of our educators.

### Kissa Goi Session by Mr Irshad Alam:



Bringing an ancient form of story-telling Kissa Goi from the streets of old Delhi to Ambala, the Irshad Talent Group is an NGO of young and dynamic theatre activists. They visited the school on 29th November, 2018 and enchanted their audience with their unique depictions of tales passed on from generation to generation. The young audience from Junior Wing was taken by the colour of their costumes, the rhyming of their words and the co-ordination in their dance movements.

### Maths Workshop for Parents:



A Mathematics workshop was organised for parents at Mind Tree School, Sector 1, Ambala City. The parents were made acquainted with Tape Diagrams, a visual tool used for solving word problems. During this interactive workshop, parents were made to solve a number of word problems using tape diagrams. Later, they were told about the basic tape diagram models taught in grade 4 and how they will aid in improving their problem solving skills.