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They imbibed the art skills with acrylics and other craft items. The parents were simply bowled over by the meaningful and fruitful learning experiences of their children.



# KINDERGARTEN WING

### July 10, 2015: Couple Race - Nursery:

Developing Motor skills can be easily achieved through funfilled games. For children, the games are not a matter of winning or losing the competition. It is time to play, enjoy and participate. The happiness, fun and energy level they had while participating in the game could clearly be seen on their faces. Through this race children learnt how to work in a team. In each team there were 2 children, they have to hold their hands and run together. The proud winners were:



	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Arjun Singh Bachhal, Vanisha Raj	Aarav Kapoor, Janya Kaur	Mehrab S Dhanoa, Jasleen Kaur
В	Gurbir S Gill, Tanveer Singh	Rajvir Singh, Tarimanjot Singh	Ahaan Dhyani, Harbin Kaur

## July 16, 2015: English Recitation Competition - UKG:

To enhance the confidence and to reduce the stage fear in the minds of children, English Recitation competition (theme Rainy Season) was conducted for UKG children. Children enjoyed and participated with great zeal and enthusiasm. All the children were very excited and their feeling for the competition was easily noticeable. The proud winners were:



	1st	2nd	3rd
Α			Sukhmani Kaur, Veerkulraaj Singh
В	Ridhwan Arora	Harshpreet S Washist, Tejasvir Singh, Yuvika Sood	Sanehdeep K Gallah, Sartaj S Jammu
С	Waahi Gandotra, Aanya Sharma	Abhinav Sharma, Aditi Yadav	Divyanshi, Amneet Kaur

## July 16, 2015: Self Introduction Competition - LKG:

Self introduction increases the confidence level of every human being. Therefore, Students of LKG class participated in this competition. The performance of the students was above average. It helped to improve students' cognitive skills and language skills. The proud winners were:



	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Vedant Verma	Rai Singh	Gurleen Kaur, Sehajpartap Singh
В	Kawalpreet Kaur	Diljot Kaur	Divanshi Saini, Prabhjeet Singh
С	Sneha Sood	Anshika Bajaj	Amiya Batta, Harmilap Singh

## July 16, 2015: English Recitation Competition - Theme: My Country - LKG:

It is very important to instill the values of the motherland in our children. They should know everything about their country, culture, and people at a very early stage. To keep these things in the mind an activity "My Country" was organised for LKG children prepared few lines on their country, of the students recited beautiful rhymes on the same theme. The proud winners were:

# **FORTHCOMING EVENTS**

### **KINDERGARTEN WING**

Sr. No.	Competitions		Dates
1.	See and Speak	UKG	Oct. 14
2.	Thumbs-Up (thumb printing)	LKG	Oct. 15
3.	Draw and Narrate Theme: 6 & 7	UKG	Nov. 04
4.	Quiz Theme: 1 to 5	Nursery	Nov. 06
5.	Quiz	UKG	Nov. 18
6.	Quizzinca Theme: 1 to 6	LKG	Nov. 19
7.	Bunny Race	Nursery	Nov. 27
8.	Relate and Narrate	LKG	Dec. 03
9.	Story Telling	UKG	Dec. 09
10.	Relate and Narrate	Nursery	Dec. 11
11.	Creative Drawing	UKG	Dec. 16
12.	Creative Drawing Theme: Up in the Air	LKG	Dec. 17

## **PRIMARY WING**

Sr. No.	Competitions	Dates
1.	State-Sure (Extempore) II - II	Oct. 14
2.	Volte Face (2-3 Minutes) IV - V	Oct. 15
3.	Create and Narrate (Story Telling)	Oct. 16
4.	Collage Making (Deepawali)	Oct. 23
5.	Lamp Making (Paper Mache) II - II	Nov. 04
6.	Rangoli Making IV - V	Nov. 05
7.	Inter House Word Yarn I	Nov. 06
8.	EVS Quiz	Nov. 20
9.	Inter House Maths Quiz II - V	Nov. 21
10.	Pitch the Peg Race I	Dec. 04
11.	Poster Making (Human Rights) II - II	Dec. 09
12.	Poster Making (Energy Conservation) IV - V	Dec. 10
13.	Hindi Story Telling II - II	Dec. 16
14.	Aqua-iz (Quiz world water) IV - V	Dec. 17
15.	Brain Twisters I	Dec. 18

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Sr. No.		<b>Dates</b>
1.	Parent Teacher Meeting Kindergarten	Oct. 17
2.	Parent Teacher Meeting Kindergarten	Dec. 05
3.	Parent Teacher Meeting I - V	Dec. 12
4.	Annual Sports Day KG - V	Oct. 31



Summer may be as blistering as it can be but when we want to enjoy, the spirits are all charged up. First week of June is the time when children of Kharar, Kurali and surrounding areas are eagerly waiting for the camp to begin.

This year too, Mind Tree had a very overwhelming response from the parents of surrounding areas. They honed their dancing skills on popular numbers the best was they learnt synchronisation and picked up rhythm though children were all new to each other.

	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Harseerat Kaur, Vedant Verma	Rehanjot Singh, Sehajpartap Singh	Rai Singh, Aarush Bedi
В	Eesha Das, Ramneet S Sangha	Arnav Sharma, Vanya Sharma	Kashvi Sehgal, Prabhjeet Singh
С	Anshika Bajaj, Jasreet K Sangha	Shivansh Mishra, Vanshikha	Prakhar Chhibber, Nimar Kaur

#### July 24, 2015: Table Manners Competition - Nursery:

Teaching the children good table manners is a valuable skill which will benefit them throughout their lives. It is also said that it is never too early to start teaching the basic stuff like washing hands before eating and sitting properly to eat food and so on. So in order to inculcate these basic rules we held the competition. The proud winners were:



		1st	2nd	3rd
	Α	Vanisha Raj	Krishaang Vats	Aarav Arora
I	В	Harbin Kaur	Habika	Anshi Sharma

#### July 29, 2015: Balancing Race - UKG:

Balancing is an art. They learnt to hold spoon in their mouth with lemon on it and they walked the distance between the start and finish line. This race was organized to enhance the gross motor skills of the children. It also made them to learn and check their control over limbs. They also learnt the quality of patience and concentration. They all enjoyed this activity. The proud winners were:



	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Aryan Singh	Navya Thakur	Ishmeet Kaur
В	Aryan Saini	Harsimrat Kaur	Tripti Makkar
С	Kriti Gupta	Harpita Kaur	Aanya Sharma

### July 30, 2015: Garry's Garden (dress up & speak as a vegetable) - LKG:

Fruits and vegetables benefit kids in many ways, including improved nutrition, better performance. The students came dressed up as fruits and vegetables and spoke few lines on the stage about the benefits of that fruit and vegetable. The proud winners were:



	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Vedant Verma, Manheer Kaur	Baani K Ghai, Sehajpartap Singh	Yuvraj Dalmotra
В	Kashvi Sehgal, Vanya Sharma	Lyra Daniel, Ramneet S Sangha	Eesha Das
С	Jasreet K Sangha, Harmilap Singh	Vidit Sharma, Jasmeet Singh	Prakhar Chhibber

### August 07, 2015: Self Introduction Competition - Nursery:

The objective of the competition was to develop their public speaking skills and language skills. Some of the children spoke very confidently and clearly. Children spoke 3-4 lines about their family, school and hobbies. The winners were:



		1st	2nd	3rd
I	Α	Vanisha Raj	Aarav Sharma	Janya Kaur
I	В	Anshi Sharma	Gurbir S Gill	Namit Gautam

# August 12, 2015: Dress Up and Speak Competition - UKG:

To make our kindergarten students aware of the non-political patriots who fought for the freedom of our nation, we organized this competition with a theme-'Non Political patriots'. Children were well dressed up in the colorful costumes of these patriots and they gave speech on it. The main objective was to improve their spoken skills and also to make them



more confident on the stage. Parents' efforts were appreciable. The proud winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Avni Sood	Sukhmani Kaur	Pranav Choubey, Naitik Makkar
В	Ridhwan Arora, Tripti Makkar	Sartaj Singh Jammu	Sanehdeep Kaur Gallah
С	Aditi Yadav, Garvit Sahni	Waahi Gandotra, Kriti Gupta	Divyanshi, Harpita Kaur

## August 19, 2015: Flag Making Competition - UKG:

In order to make children aware of the importance of our National Flag, we conducted Flag making competition. They were also told that it is a symbol of unity, honour and freedom. In this competition, the children decorated our Tri-color flag with various things like beads, buttons,



ribbons, grains, pulses and flowers etc. most of the children really did a fabulous work. The proud winners were:

		1st	2nd	3rd
	Α	Avni Sood, Kashvi Gupta	Snehpal Singh, Gaganpreet Singh	Aarav Chauhan, Pranav Choubey
	В	Vahin Puri	Sanehdeep K Gallah	Tripatjot Kaur
Г	С	Arjun Dhiman	Abhinav Sharma	Aanya Sharma

# August 20, 2015: Rakhi Making Competition - LKG:

India is a land of fairs and festivals. Each and every festival has a significance of its own. Festivals helps preserving our culture and heritage. These festivals keep the children closer to their religion and tradition. Children made beautiful Rakhis and pasted them on the sheets. It was a joyful experience for them. The proud winners were:



		1st	2nd	3rd
A	١	Harseerat Kaur, Yuvraj Chopra	Gurnoor Kaur, Gurkeerat Singh	Japneet Kaur, Jobanpreet S Dhanoa
E	3	Jasleen Kaur, Sukhleen Kaur	Ananya Himta, Prachi Sharma	Simran, Alexa Shah
C	;	Harsimran Ghumman, Maadhav Sharma	Harmanpreet Kaur, Yashita Sharma	Vanshika, Dipanshu Bhardwaj

#### August 28, 2015: Hindi Recitation Competition - Nursery:

What a beautiful way to express something through innocent words and actions in a melody with all smiles and giggles. This is what our all tiny scholars of Nursery did on 28th Aug 2015 with all their confidence and curiously to stand in front of everybody and say it loudly to mark their presence felt. The children were given topics for their recitation like Grandparents and teacher. The children enjoyed the competition. The winners were:



	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Mehreen Kaur, Vanisha Raj	Porush Bansal, Jasleen Kaur, Tanay Mathur	Janya Kaur
В	Keshavi Garg, Habika	Harsondeep Singh, Aarika	Gurbir Singh Gill

#### September 09, 2015: Hindi Recitation Competition - UKG:

Rhymes are the life of Pre-primary classes. They attract all the children. Singing and reciting also bring joy and strengthen their language skills and memory. So in order to judge their level of recitation, we conducted "Hindi Recitation Competition" with the theme 'Birds/Animals'. Parent's efforts were appreciable. The proud winners were:



	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Avni Sood, Aarav Chauhan	Aviral Chauhan	Sukhmani Kaur, Akshit Sharma
В	Sartaj S Jammu, Harshpreet S Washist	Jasparam Singh	Harsh Rajput, Ridhwan Arora
С	Waahi Gandotra, Kriti Gupta	Harkirat Singh, Aditi Yadav	Divyanshi, Arjun Dhiman

#### September 10, 2015: Table Manners Competition - LKG:

Good manners shape the discipline and character of the students. Children should start learning aspects of manners from home with help of their parents and also from their school by taking the help from their teachers, friends etc. We should inspire students to learn good manners to create a good society. The proud winners were:



	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Surgam Kaur	Vedant Verma	Sehajpartap Singh
В	Diljot Kaur	Vanya Sharma	Kavish Sharma
С	Harshvardhan Verma	Harmilap Singh	Kavya Sharma

#### September 11, 2015: Crush Brush and Paste Competition - Nursery:

Nursery class had its Crush Brush and Paste Competition on 11th Sep, 2015. It was meant to develop their gross motor skills. The children were very excited to do this activity as they are very fond of colors. They thoroughly enjoyed the whole session. All the children were observed keenly and the winners were decided. The proud winners were:



	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Jasleen Kaur	Iraj Prajapati	Arjun Singh Bachhal
В	Harbin Kaur	Hukamjit Singh	Bhavnoor Singh

## September 16, 2015: Wise Owl Workouts - UKG:

In this competition students participated with great zeal and enthusiasm. This competition was all about observation and learning by finding the hidden blends in the playstation. Children were encouraging their classmates and everybody was so involved which made the competition a hit. The proud winners were:



	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Aryan Singh	Akshit Sharma	Ishmeet Kaur, Srishti
В	Jasparam Singh	Tripatjot Kaur	Raunak Kumar
С	Gurnaaz Chhabra	Harpita Kaur	Anhad S Gill, Ayush Sharma

## September 17, 2015: Clay Modeling Competition - LKG:

Children discover how to make basic forms as they explore clay materials. They also develop hand-brain coordination, agility, fine-motor skills, longer attention spans and creativity as they have fun with modeling compounds. A great way to keep them entertained for



hours. They came up with beautiful ideas and made different things from clay. The proud winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd	
Α	Vedant Verma, Yuvraj Dalmotra	Yuvraj Chopra, Rai Singh	Aarush Bedi, Gurleen Kaur	
В	Kashvi Sehgal, Ramneet S Sangha	Rehan Raju, Diljot Kaur	Hargun Kaur, Divanshi Saini	
С	Gurnaaz Chhabra	Harpita Kaur	Anhad S Gill, Ayush Sharma	

## September 19, 2015: Visit to Farm - UKG:

Now a days field trips play the most important role in the education of the children as these trips provide concreate knowledge to them. In this way the children feel the things in practical and grasps them gradually. So in order to make the concept more clearly we organized a field trip to the farm house during the theme "Animals". Here



the children got an opportunity to see the farm animals from very close and also learn about their features, characteristics, habitat etc. they learnt and enjoyed the trip a lot.

#### September 28, 2015: Speech Competition - Theme - Healthy Food - Nursery:

The objective of this competition was to develop their speaking skills and to build their confidence to perform on the stage. The children came prepared with their topic and shared the importance of healthy food and ill-effects of junk food. All the children were observed keenly and the winners were decided accordingly. The proud winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
Α	Mehreen Kaur	Iraj Prajapati	Jasleen Kaur
В	Anshi Sharma	Namit Gautam	Gurbir Singh Gill

#### September 30, 2015: Table Manners Competition - UKG:

It is essential to practice proper manners so table manners competition was held for UKG. They learnt how to use cutlery and the basic manners of eating food. Students showed great interest and were very excited about participating in the competition. They all did their best. They learnt to set their tables. The proud winners were:



		1st	2nd	3rd
	Α	Navya Thakur, Krishiv Chawla	Aarav Chauhan	Sanvi Gupta
I	В	Tejasvir Singh	Harsimrat Kaur, Tripti Makkar	Ananya Sharma
I	С	Anhad Singh Gill	Garvit Sahni	Arjun Dhiman

### **PRIMARY WING**

#### July 15, 2015: Spell Bee Competition (Oral) - Grade II - III:

If asked, which subject haunts the students, a general understanding of most of the parents and teachers will lead to answering *maths*. But if students are observed at a closer levels we may find a different answer. *Its spellings!* 

Sometimes the analytic and calculative performance of kids is not as much a difficulty as spellings are. The proficiency of spellings is a multi-layered learning process. That's what we tried to do at the event 'Spell Bee Competition' and we are happy to realize that this effort will bear sweet fruits for a long time. The proud winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Rehaan Sharma, Drishty - II	Rijul - II	Ojasvi Sood - II
Tejpartap Singh - III	Udayvir Singh - III	Charmi, Ditya Gupta - III

#### July 16, 2015: Spell Bee Competition (Oral) - Grade IV - V:

To create interest in English language and to improve their vocabulary Spell Bee Competition was conducted for the students of Grade IV and V. The students had to learn the spellings of 100 words and word origin and word formation. The knockout round followed by semi-final and final round. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Agrim Verma - IV	Arun Guleria - IV	Rishit Singh - IV
Pratham Thankur - V	Amreet K Shahi - V	Sneha Sharma - V

#### July 17, 2015: Origami Competition - Grade I:

Origami is the Japanese art of paper folding, creating shapes of various objects such as animals, flowers, and many other things. It is a very creative way of forming objects just using and folding paper. The objective of the competition was to check the creative skills and imagination of the students. The students were asked to make images according to their own imagination. The proud winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Vaibhav Vatish	Vaishavi Saini	Anikait Singh, Madhav Arora

## July 17, 2015: English Spell Bee (Oral) Competition - Grade I:

The main objective of the competition was to check the cognitive skills of the children and their acquaintance with the spelling being used in daily life. 3 rounds were carried out and children were screened out depending upon their performance. The last round was the buzzer round. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Ashmeet Singh Gill	Tanishka	Anikait Singh

# July 22, 2015: Spell Bee Competition (Written) - Grade II & III:

Language building is a comprehensive process. It includes a wide range of tools and techniques to learn various aspects of a language. It ropes in the knowledge about rules and structure of framing sentences, getting acquainted with vocabulary and learning new words. Thus, not just acquainting with new words is enough but learning their derivations, origins and eventually getting used to spell them correctly is equally important. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Drishty, Rijul - II	Varnika Garg, Ojasvi - II	Rehaan Sharma - II
Kasak Chawla - III	Parneet Kaur - III	Nandini Singh - III

## July 23, 2015: Spell Bee Competition (Written) - Grade IV - V:

Every good mechanic has a toolbox full of tools. Some tools are used more than others, but everyone has a specific purpose. In much the same way, writers have a "toolbox." This "toolbox" is constantly growing and is filled with items like grammar, punctuation, and capitalization rules; figurative language; rhyme; rhythm; and vocabulary. The proud winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Agrim Verma, Harnoor Singh - IV	Arnav Chauhan - IV	Shreya Varshney - IV
Jasnoor Kaur - V	Pratham Thankur, Sneha Sharma - V Karandeen S Dhanoa - V	Amreet Kaur Shahi - V

## July 25, 2015: English Spell Bee Competition (Written) - Grade I:

The objective of the competition is to enhance the spelling and literary skills of children by encouraging them to explore the English language, expand their vocabulary and



improve their communication and comprehension skills. The proud winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Tanudeep Kaur, Tanishka - I Anikait Singh, Kashish Sharma - I	Sarthak Kumar, Gurveen Kaur - I Ashmeet Singh Gill - I	Shubhpreet Singh - I

#### July 25, 2015: Camel Race - Grade I:

The objective of the camel race is to enhance the skill of listening and following the instructions given to the students and to check their locomotive skills and to enhance the spirit of healthy competition among the students. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Bhanuj Rai Sharma	Shubhpreet Singh	Anikait Singh

#### July 25, 2015: Visit to Post Office - Grade I & II:

A field trip is a fun and engaging way for the students to learn how to compare and contrast using the history of postal services and the ways used to send mail. Post-office is very helpful to us. It helps us in many ways. Through post office we send and get our letters. It is a branch of Indian postal department. In past there were no post offices at all. The letters were sent and got through messengers



throughout the countries. The children were also told about the various schemes run by the postal department in the post offices like the PPF, small saving schemes. Sukanya samridhi scheme was explained mainly to the female students and printed pamphlets were given to them for their parent's knowledge. At the end of the visit postcards were bought from the post office and distributed to the students. The students were asked to write a few lines on the post cards by themselves and post them on the school address so that they can have an idea how the information travels from one place to another. The children enjoyed the visit a lot.

#### July 29, 2015: Devotional Song Competition - Grade II - III:

Music is the rhythm of life. Everything in nature follows a harmony. Not only human beings but the flora and fauna are equally affected by the mellifluous tunes. Music connects us beyond boundaries. It is a way to be associated with the Almighty also. The proud winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Sunidhi Sharma - II	Varnika Garg - II	Ojasvi Sood - II
Charmi - III	Udayvir Singh - III	Sargunjit Singh - III

### July 30, 2015: Doha and Shloka Competition - Grade IV & V:

To enhance the language skills Hindi Doha & Shloka Competition was organized for the students of Grade IV & V. The students came well prepared and participated in it whole heartedly. Various Shlokas and Doha's by eminent poets were recited by the students. Their diction and presentation was indeed praiseworthy. The proud winners were::



1st	2nd	3rd
Tejveer Singh - IV	Agrim Verma - IV	Aarushi Kohli, Aaditya Himta - IV Arnav Chauhan, Harsimran Singh - IV Rishit Singh - IV
Aarusha Arora, Amreet K Shahi - V Sneha Sharma - V	Ashmeet K Ghai, Gursahejpreet Singh - V Karandeep S Dhanoa - V	Jasnoor Kaur, Naina Sharma - V Pranjal, Aman PC Joshi - V Sukhmanpreet S Chander - V

## August 05, 2015: Vegetable Jewellery Making Competition - Grade I & II:

Jewellery designing is considered to be an intricate art. It requires aptness and well developed skills. People with practiced eye and good knack of precious metals and gems can only turn a plain looking lump into artistic and wearable ornament. They made necklaces, bracelets, earrings, and other pieces of jewellery from various seasonal vegetables. The creativity shown by students was awe-striking. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Jasleen Kaur, Kulpreet Kaur - II	Varnika Garg, Yashkirat Kaur - II	Yuvraj S Dhanoa, Rehaan Sharma - II Rishik Chawla - II
Kanan Dhiman, Sargunjit Singh - III	Medhansh Chawla, Kasak Chawla - III	Parneet Kaur, Sneha Kumari - III Charmi - III

## August 06, 2015: Salad Decoration Competition - Grade IV & V:

Salad is an amazing treat to the taste. Making salad is not a rocket science, it is as simple as other things we do. It was very well proven by our student in the Salad Decoration Competition. Children showed their creativity and presented a wide variety of salads such as vegetable salad, fruits salad, mixed salads, macaroni salads etc. The proud winners were:



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1st	2nd	3rd
Aarushi Kohli, Japleen Kaur - IV	Arnav Chauhan, Rishit Singh - IV Shreya Varshney - IV	Yashpreet Kaur, Harnoor Singh - IV Tripurari Sharma - IV
Kalpana, Rachita Mittal - V Ashmeet Kaur Ghai - V	Parampal Singh, Naina Sharma - IV	Jasnoor Kaur, Pranjal - V Amreet Kaur Shahi - V

## August 07, 2015: GK and Link Book Quiz - Grade I:

The main purpose of the activity was to inculcate the habit of reading their link books. In the first round, questions related to the school were asked. Out of the six teams, team 5 came out as the winning team. The proud winners were:



# Winning Team Members

Sarthak Kumar, Yamantak Sharma, Tanudeep Kaur, Vanshika, Vaibhav Vatish

#### August 12, 2015: Hindi Spell Bee Competition - Grade II & III:

English is the most preferred language whereas Hindi is our national language. Even parents prefer to teach their children in the schools where the mode of communication is English. Hindi Speaking people are not only treated as rustic but also uneducated. But our students not only participated zestfully but also performed well in it. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Drishty - II	Varnika Garg, Jasleen Kaur - II Rehaan Sharma - II	Rijul, Palakjeet Kaur - II
Kasak Chawla - III	Ishmita Kochar, Parneet Kaur - III Sargunjit Singh, Medhansh Chawla - III	Charmi, Nandini Singh - III Prakriti Sharma - III

#### August 13, 2015: Hindi Declamation Competition - Grade IV & V:

The student of Grade IV & V took part in the Hindi Declamation Competition that was held on 13.08.15. The students took part in a well prepared and in an enthusiastic manner. They learnt to speak confidently and to learn the skills of the language appropriately. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Harnoor Singh, Arnav Chauhan - IV	Rishit Singh - IV	Aarushi Kohli - IV
Aarusha Arora - V	Amreet K Shahi, Jasnoor Kaur - V	Aman PC Joshi - III Sukhmanpreet S Chander - III

#### August 21, 2015: Hindi Calligraphy Competition - Grade I:

Hindi calligraphy activity was held for Grade I on 21st August 2015. They were judged on the basis of the neatness in their work and formation of letters. The proud winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Ashmeet S Gill, Tanishka - I	Aayushi Kalia, Gurveen Kaur - I	Vaibhav Vatish, Sargun - I

#### August 21, 2015: Hindi Recitation Competition - Grade I:

The children were asked to prepare one poem each apart from their regular course and they recited the poems turn wise. They were judged on the basis of their way of rhyming and expressions. The proud winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Aayushi Kalia - I	Shrishti Deshwal, Ashmeet S Gill - I	Sarthak Kumar - I

#### September 02, 2015: Hurdle Race - Grade II & III:

Hurdling, the act of running and jumping over an object at speed. Kids got an opportunity to show their physical agility. They exhibited a good job crossing all the hurdles and reaching to the finishing line. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Sohani Sharma - II	Rehaan Sharma - II	Drishty - II
Aarchi Saini - III	Dhruv Dakonda - III	Medhansh Chawla - III

# September 09, 2015: Beyond Borders Geography Quiz - Grade II & III:

Human beings are not only social but also curious by nature. They love to look around and learn from the people, creatures and things around them. The children were quizzed about our surroundings, neighbouring countries, natural resources and universe, etc. the children zestfully participated in it. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Varnika Garg - II	Palakjeet Kaur - II	Drishty - II
Ishmita Kochar - III	Tejpartap Singh - III	Prakriti Sharma - III

# September 10, 2015: Country Kids (Geography Quiz) - Grade IV & V:

Country Kids (Geography Quiz) was conducted for the students of Grade IV and V. The main objective was to test the general awareness and social awareness of the students. The proud winners were:

1st	2nd	3rd
Arnav Chauhan - IV	Aarushi Kohli, Agrim Verma - IV	Arun Guleria, Ujjwal Kumar Rai - IV
Pratham Thankur - V	Aarusha Arora - V	Sukhmanpreet S Chander - V

# September 10, 2015: Tri-Lead Obstacle Race - Grade IV & V:

The students had to take part in 3 races and the winners from each race had to compete in the final race. Most of the students had a tough time jumping over the hurdles. It was a fun filled competition. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Rishit Singh - IV	Moksh Malik - IV	Arun Guleria, Ujjwal K Rai - IV
Parampal Singh - V	Jasnoor Kaur - V	Aman PC Joshi - V

# September 26, 2015: Useless to Useful - Grade I:

The main objective of the activity was to make the children realize that how the waste material can be used to make something useful and beautiful. The children were asked to bring the raw material from their home and they were given one hour time to make anything according to their imagination and creative skills. The proud winners were:



1st	2nd	3rd
Manya Chawla - I	Vanshika Kumari, Sarthak Kumar - I	Jasleen K Dhanoa, Gurveen Kaur - I

# September 26, 2015: Visit to Railway Station - Grade I & II:

As soon as we reached the station, children were screaming out of joy, when they saw a goods train passing by. They were able to differentiate between a goods train and a passenger train. Children observed foot over, signal, tracks (parallel lines), wheels which are very big and heavy, the engine in the station. The students cleaned up the platform with brooms



and mops. And raised the slogans 'SWACHH BHARAT SUNDER BHARAT' and waved the posters of the same on the railway station. It was indeed a wonderful trip.



#### July 31, 2015: Special Assembly on Guru Purnima:

Guru has a very special place in our hearts and very high pedestal in the society. The legacy has been passed down to each one of us by the socio-cultural arrangements. Here schools have played a pivotal role in imparting these values. Keeping this tradition alive we had a morning dedicated to the selfless devotion of the teachers, their sacrifices and their love for every child



and their concern for every child's welfare. Outpouring of their respect was through lovely songs, skit and articles that they prepared on their own. It was very inspirational indeed.

#### August 15, 2015: Independence Day Celebrations:

The clear blue sky in the morning brought a refreshed whiff of one thing good for the entire day! Yes it was our 69<sup>th</sup> Independence Day. Our children transported us back to the era of freedom struggle, dressed up like Jhansi ki Rani, Chandra Shekhar or any of their likes, their voices loud and full of passion when singing the patriotic songs or reciting poems.



### August 28, 2015: School Project & Exhibition Day "ANANTAM":

The children had been engaged very actively for quite some time, with the help of teachers and very enthusiastically prepared even the smallest of items. The catch of the day was enactments of the social studies projects on saving water and water resources, the



emergence of various rivers, confluences tributaries and states that passed and sea gets it share of water. The working models were very eye catching and they captivated the audience for long. The punctuality of the parents was indeed appreciable and the time they spent with the children trying to know how the things worked was very encouraging. We look forward to the next year with an improved version of our performance.

#### September 04, 2015: Special Assembly on Shri Krishan Ashtami:

It is a continual reminder to each one of us that God came himself to make his men and women more strong in their thoughts and character so that their actions and deeds need to be spoilt with the evils of this earth. The Geeta shloakas took the centre stage as it was a cumbersome task to do it all, but the children surprised everyone with their clarity and diction. The senior children had wonderful renditions marking birth of Lord Krishna and Kabir dohas to pay tributes to the teachers for their hard work and efforts that are putting up with them.



## September 12, 2015: Special Assembly on Grandparent's Day:

The enthusiastic grandparents of Nursery class students were overjoyed to come to the school of their grandchild. The tiny tots of Nursery A and B sections recited rhymes for their grandparents. It was a delightful sight to see the tiny ones up on the stage for the first time and perform so happily.



The surprise event of the day was the Grand mom of Day and Grand dad of the day Event. All the grand moms and grand dads took part in the dance round and the ramp walk along with the members of the school cabinet. The grand dad of the day prize went to Shri Gurmeet Singh Sandhu and the Grand mom of the day prize went to Mrs. Usha Sethi.

# **EDUCATOR'S CORNER**

## August 12, 2015: Workshop on CCE:

Teaching is more inclusive and produces better outcomes when teachers are on the same platform. It reduces disparities in homework and class work and also keeps the parent informed about the approach adopted in the classroom. Here arises the need that every teacher is made aware about the school's assessment and evaluation policies. They should also be made aware of the inferences that are expected from the child after having experienced the content in the class in variety of forms. They were also made aware of the assessing techniques in formative assessment and the grade point system in the summative assessments. The need for every teacher to understand and comprehend such divisions will help them to reduce anxiety and fears towards this evaluation system when they interact with the parents. This would rather help the child understand the need of being regular to school and taking every assessment seriously. Teachers doubts were addressed by the presenter Ms. Karamdeep.

# August 18, 2015: One Day Capacity Building Workshop:

In regular course each one of us needs well-spaced and well guided reinforcement on operational techniques, instructional design, ever evolving class room practices and above all to share from each other and in interactive mode overcome our hesitations and also feel supported and well connected with each other so that every child can be well taught and well received. Ms. Shelly is truly a guiding force and helps our teachers all along in their educational journey by supporting and guiding them at appropriate times. It motivates the teachers and allays their apprehensions if any. This connect serves the school fraternity with great understanding and mutual trust. We look forward for such self-improvisation programmes from time to time.