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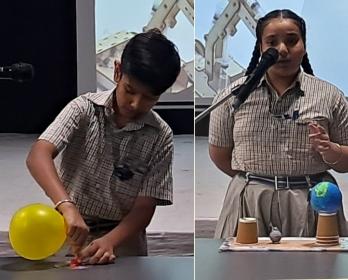
HIGHLIGHTS

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Sr. No.	Competition	Date
1.	Kavita Path Pratiyogita - Finals IV - V	January 18
2.	Best Out of Waste IV - V	January 18
3.	Tri-colour Badge Making IV - V	January 26
4.	Best Out of Waste VI - VIII	January 26
5.	Drawing and Painting IX - X	January 26
6.	Techno Buzz Quiz - Finals VI - VIII	February 01
Sr. No.	ANNOUNCEMENT	Date
1.	Child-Parent-Teacher-Dialogue Day VIII - IX	March 26
2.	Child-Parent-Teacher-Dialogue Day IV - VII	March 27

Young Innovators Showcase Scientific Brilliance - Grade V:







Science Tinker Fest was organised for the students of Grade V. The event aimed at sparking curiosity and promoting a deeper understanding of key scientific concepts among students. The event provided the students with the opportunity to display their projects creatively; enabled them to apply theoretical knowledge to real-life scenarios. The Director Principal Ms Sudha Mathur praised the event, describing it a 'celebration of young minds exploring the wonders of science.' The fest was a success, fostering a deeper passion for science and reinforcing the dedication of school to holistic learning, with a newfound appreciation for the magic of scientific discovery.

ACHIEVEMENT

October 04, 2024: - Mind Tree Scholars Illuminate the World Scholar's Cup Regional Stage.



"Greatness is not in reaching the summit but in the courage to climb." – World Scholar's Cup

On the 4th and 5th of October 2024, the scholars of Mind Tree School embarked on a journey of intellectual discovery at the World Scholar's Cup, Regional Round - Delhi, held at Maxfort School, Dwarka. Competing against 26 esteemed schools, our Junior and Senior teams emerged triumphant as Global Qualifiers, securing their path to the coveted Global Round.

Their brilliance shone brightly across challenging events like Team Debate, Scholar's Bowl, Collaborative Writing, and the Scholar's Challenge. Displaying mastery in diverse fields such as Science, History, Literature, Art & Music, and Social Studies, they amassed an impressive collection of gold and silver medals, along with acclaimed trophies.

A standout moment was the exceptional performance of Adviti Bharti Gupta, our Head Girl, who was crowned Debate Champion in the senior category. Her eloquence and intellect earned her the rare privilege of presenting an impromptu debate during the grand closing ceremony.

This remarkable feat is a testament to our students' perseverance, teamwork, and boundless pursuit of excellence. As they ascend to the global stage, their journey inspires us all, proving that true greatness lies in daring to dream and striving to achieve!

October 09, 2024: Mind Tree Innovators Make Their Mark at Youth Ideathon 2024!



"True leadership is defined by the courage to innovate."

We are proud to announce that three remarkable teams from Mind Tree School have achieved a place in the Top 500 of the Youth Ideathon 2024, India's largest platform for school students focused on innovation and entrepreneurship. This prestigious milestone earned our students the honour of attending an award ceremony at IIT Delhi on October 9, 2024, one of the nation's leading institutions for technology and innovation. As part of this notable accomplishment, each of the Top 500 teams received a Prototype Development grant of INR 1,000 to advance their inventive projects. This recognition fills our school with pride and fuels our young innovators to explore and expand their creative and entrepreneurial potential. We extend our warmest congratulations to these teams and wish them tremendous success in Round III of the Youth Ideathon 2024. Keep reaching new heights and inspiring everyone around you!

October 26, 2024: Techno Buzz Quiz: Celebrating Computer Knowledge-Grades IV-V:

Mind Tree School hosted the Techno Buzz Quiz for Grades IV and V, where students tested their knowledge of computers and technology. Students demonstrated great enthusiasm and understanding as they answered a variety of questions. We are pleased to announce the winners:

		Winning Team Members
	IV	Atharv Mehta - C, Avyansh Bhola - C, Aradhya Bansal - C, Advik Gupta - C
Ĭ	٧	Kaira Chawla - A, Hridyam Narang - A, Hetaksh Mehra - A, Jasjot Kaur Sandhu - A

October 26, 2024: Illuminating Creativity: Candle Decoration Competition for - Grades IV-V:



The school recently organised a Candle Decoration Competition for Grades IV and V, where students showcased their creativity and artistic skills. The event featured a variety of designs, with students using different materials and colours to transform simple candles into unique works of art. From intricate floral patterns to vibrant, festive themes, the candles reflected the imaginative flair of the participants. Congratulations to the winners given below and all the participants for their remarkable contributions, making the event a truly shining success!

	1st	2nd	3rd
IV	Kohav - D	Manchet Singh - B	Adah Gupta - A
٧	Aaradhya Yadav - B	Aekayani - A	Vihaan Gulati - A

October 26, 2024: Story Writing Competition: A Showcase of Creativity - Grades IV-V:



The school recently held a Story Writing Competition, where students displayed their creativity through captivating tales built around morals. The event saw impressive participation, with stories ranging from heartwarming to adventurous. After careful evaluation, the following winners were announced:

		1st	2nd	3rd
r	IV	Amaira - B Adah Gupta - A	Rupanjal - C Vrihaan Anand - A	Shanaya - B Gursaanjh - D
	V	Yashasvi - A	Saanvi - D Ayansh Jain - A	Gurman Singh - D Rudhav - C

October 26, 2024: - Celebrating Legacy: The Heritage Quiz for Young Scholars - Grades VI-VIII:

The Heritage Quiz for Grades VI, VII, and VIII aimed to ignite curiosity and pride in India's rich cultural tapestry. Organised by the Social Studies Department, this engaging competition tested students on architecture, historical icons, festivals, and classical art through lively rounds like audio-visual, buzzer, and rapid-fire. The event saw enthusiastic participation, with students showcasing impressive teamwork and quick thinking. The victorious teams are as follows:

	Winning Team Members
VI	Advik Bansal - A, Vihaan Mittal - B, Siya Pahuja - D, Eshmita - C
VII	Aradhya - A, Diya - C, Aadya - B, Ayaan - D
VIII	Aasma Bakshi - A, Ahem Garg - B, Divyam Mehta - C, Sanyam Bansal - D

October 26, 2024: - Speak Your Mind: Extempore Competition for - Grades VI-VIII:

The Extempore Competition for Grades VI-VIII was a dynamic display of quick thinking and articulation, as students tackled topics with only moments to prepare. Aimed at enhancing public speaking skills, the event saw participants demonstrate creativity, confidence, and clarity. The praiseworthy orators are:

		1st	2nd	3rd
I	VI	Ansh Aggarwal - D	Medhansh Goel - B Harshita Mehndiratta - C	Ridhi Garg - B Agastya Sharma - A
l	VII	Vihaan - D Simarleen - B	Pavni - D Japnidh Singh - C	Anhad Kaur - C
	VIII	Ayaan - A	Suvir Gupta - A Divyanoor K Dhindsa - A	Rishima - C

October 26, 2024: Penning Perspectives: Creative Writing Competition - Grades VI-VIII:



"The beauty of writing lies in capturing the world in a few thoughtful words." The Creative Writing Competition for Grades VI-VIII provided students with an opportunity to showcase their skills in concise and impactful writing. Participants were given thought-provoking topics, encouraging them to express their ideas clearly and creatively within a limited word count. This event highlighted the students' growing command of language and expression. The most impressive writers are:

	1st	2nd	3rd
VI	Priyanshi Dutt - B	Raasiha Dua - B Sonanshi Singh - D	Aarna Kukreja - A Harshita Mehndiratta- C
VII	Grishika - C	Simarleen - B Tiana - C Pavani Rastogi - D	Nayonika - A Suhana - B Garima Narula - D
VIII	Suvir Gupta - A Ayaan Mankotia - A Manvi - D	Sanshia Jain - D Rishima - C Mehrit - C	Agamjot Singh - D Gaurang Chitkara - B

November 06, 2024: Assembly on 'The Basics of Financial Literacy – Understanding money, savings, and budgeting' - Grades VIII-X:







Introducing financial literacy at a young age equips students with the knowledge to manage their finances effectively. Reva Bhasin of Grade IX D highlighted that skills such as creating budgets, recognising the importance of saving, and making informed spending decisions are crucial for achieving financial goals and avoiding unnecessary debt. Sanvi of IX D expanded on this by stating that financial literacy transcends mere money management; it's about making conscious decisions that lead to overall financial well-being.

November 07, 2024: Assembly on 'Dowry Prohibition' - Grades IV-V:







The dowry system involves the transfer of parental property, wealth, or gifts from the bride's family to the groom's family upon marriage. Hrihaan of V C propelled his thoughts on the dowry system and advocated for a multifaceted approach to eradicate this social evil. Aradhya of V C presented a compelling speech that delved into the historical context of the dowry system, its adverse effects on individuals and communities, and the legal measures in place to combat it. The highlight of the assembly was a heartfelt poem recited by Inayat of V C, capturing the emotional and societal impact of the dowry system.

November 07, 2024: Stargazing Night-A Magical Night Under the Stars: Grades IV-V:









Mind Tree School hosted an unforgettable Star Gazing Camp for Grades IV-V.The programme commenced with an engaging astronomy session. The event organisers—Mr Atharva Pathak, Mr Sarang Vandana, and Mr Devashish Sarnaik were graciously welcomed by Grade IV students Aarohi Jain, Jai Krish Bansal, and Adit Bhandari, who extended their gratitude on behalf of the school. The experts then captivated the students by unravelling the mysteries of constellations, planets, and the universe. Their interactive presentations and quizzes ignited curiosity, making the wonders of the cosmos both accessible and inspiring for the students.

November 08, 2024: Exploring the Cosmos- A Night of Discovery: Grades VI-VIII:











The evening began with an enthralling session on astronomy that captured the imagination of all present. The event organisers—Mr Atharva Pathak, Mr Sarang Vandana, and Mr Devashish Sarnaik were greeted with great enthusiasm by Grade VI students, Aditi and Medhansh Goel who conveyed their sincere appreciation on behalf of the entire Mind Tree School Community. The experts delved into the captivating world of celestial bodies, working out the secrets of constellations, planets, and the vast expanse of the universe. Through lively presentations and engaging quizzes, they sparked curiosity and encouraged a deeper understanding of the cosmos, leaving students inquisitive and eager to explore more.

November 12, 2024: Assembly on Interesting Numbers – Highlighting Fascinating Numbers in Mathematics - Grades VI - VII:



We all know that numbers are everywhere—they help us count, measure, and solve problems. But some numbers are so special, they seem to have a magic of their own. Vihaan Madan of Grade VII D began by sharing how these "special" numbers appear across various branches of mathematics, from geometry to algebra, and even in nature and art. Raghav Malhotra of Grade VII D added that some numbers follow patterns that continue forever, while others are simply "one of a kind." Aadvik Jindal of Grade VII D then discussed the significance of Zero, emphasizing that without it, we wouldn't have the number system as we know it. Aarav Bansal and Bhavika Bhaskar of Grade VII D thoughtfully explained that zero is the foundation of place value and makes essential arithmetic operations like addition, subtraction, and even multiplication possible. Rimisha of Grade VII D took the assembly on a fascinating journey into the world of imaginary numbers. Prisha Jain of Grade VII D expanded on this by sharing that imaginary numbers are used in fields like engineering, physics, and computer science to model complex systems. Finally, Pavani Rastogi of Grade VII D concluded by saying that numbers are not just symbols on a page—they have stories to tell and help us understand the world around us.

November 13, 2024: Assembly on 'World Kindness Day' - Grades VIII - X:



Our school gathered to celebrate the World Kindness Day, a special occasion dedicated to spreading kindness and positivity within our school community and beyond. Nitya from X A shared her heartfelt thoughts on the power of kindness, describing it as "a ripple in a pond." She stated that even the smallest acts, whether helping a friend with their homework or simply smiling at someone can make a significant impact. Navya Jain, also from X A, urged everyone to make kindness a daily habit, noting that it doesn't just benefit the receiver but also brings joy and fulfilment to the giver.

November 14, 2024: Children's Day-Celebrating Joy, Creativity, and Togetherness:



Children's Day at our school was a joyous occasion filled with laughter, fun, and unforgettable memories. The day was dedicated to honouring the spirit of childhood with a variety of exciting activities, fun games, and more. The day was a delightful reminder of the energy and enthusiasm that our students bring to school every day. It was a celebration of childhood, brimming with joy, learning, and a sense of unity.

November 16, 2024: Unveiling Haryana's Heritage – An Educational Journey to Kurukshetra-Grade V:





Mind Tree School embarked on an insightful trip at Kurukshetra, exploring iconic sites such as the Kurukshetra Panorama and Science Centre, Sri Krishna Museum, and Dharohar Cultural Museum. The excursion offered a vivid exploration of Haryana's rich cultural, archaeological, and architectural heritage. This unique journey sparked a newfound curiosity and a profound respect for the treasures of the past.

November 16, 2024: Exploring the Rich Culture of Rajasthan -A Trip to Chowkidhani, Panchkula - Grade IV:



Our visit to Chowkidhani was a wonderful opportunity for Grade IV students to immerse themselves in the vibrant culture and heritage of Rajasthan. This unique cultural village beautifully showcases the region's traditions, arts, and cuisine, offering a firsthand experience of what makes Rajasthan so special. The trip was completed with a delicious Rajasthani feast. The bold and aromatic flavours offered the students a true taste of the region's culinary traditions. They had a great time exploring the rich culture and diverse heritage of Rajasthan, gaining valuable insights that brought the traditions of the region to life.

November 19, 2024: Assembly on 'International Men's Day'- Grades VI-VII:



The school community came together to observe International Men's Day, a day dedicated to recognising the positive contributions of men to society while also encouraging discussions about their well-being and equality. The assembly began with a thoughtful message by

Vaibhav of Grade VI A, who highlighted how this day provides an opportunity to value the diverse roles men play in our lives, from being caregivers and mentors to leaders and innovators. Sonanshi of Grade VI D spoke about the importance of acknowledging men not just for their achievements but also for their resilience and emotional strength. Varun Chauhan of Grade VI A delved into the broader purpose of the day, underlining the need to create an environment where men feel supported in expressing themselves and stepping beyond traditional expectations. Ansh Aggarwal of Grade VI D shared insights that helped the audience gain a deeper understanding of the importance of fostering respect, equality, and support for everyone, regardless of gender.

November 20, 2024: Assembly on 'Importance of English in Global Communication' - Grades VIII-X:

In today's interconnected world, the ability to communicate effectively across borders has become more important than ever. Ashmit Verma of X B shared his perspective on how English has become a universal language, bridging cultures and



bringing people closer. Vidya of Grade X B presented her talk, focusing on how English fosters understanding and collaboration in a multicultural world.

November 22, 2024: Assembly on Alternatives of fossil fuels - Grades IV-V:



Fossil fuels play a critical role in powering our modern world, and their significance was the focus of an informative assembly held at our school. Saanvi Aggarwal of IV A expressed her views on how fossil fuels, such as coal, oil, and natural gas have been the backbone of industrial progress and spoke about their importance in our daily lives. Vrihaan Anand and Aranya of IV A spoke about the challenges associated with fossil fuels, discussing their environmental and economic impact. The assembly concluded with a beautiful poem recited by Myra of IV A which creatively summed up the discussion and encouraged the audience to think about conserving energy.

November 26, 2024: Assembly on 'The Mystery of the Bermuda Triangle' - Grades VI-VII:

The Bermuda Triangle, a mysterious region in the North Atlantic Ocean known for the unexplained disappearances of ships and aircraft, was the focus of a captivating assembly held at our school. Raghav Aggarwal of Grade VI D introduced the topic by



describing the eerie phenomenon, highlighting how numerous vessels and planes have vanished under mysterious circumstances while travelling through the area. Jaanya Keswani of Grade VI D then elaborated on the various scientific studies which suggest that the release of methane gas from the ocean floor could contribute to these incidents, offering a more rational perspective on the mystery.

November 28, 2024: Assembly on 'Why do we Have Dreams When we Sleep?' - Grades IV -V:

Dreams have always fascinated people, sparking curiosity about their origin and purpose. Somya Puri of Grade IV B offered a thoughtful perspective on the nature of dreams. "Dreams are a way for our brain to process emotions, memories, and



experiences," she stated. Saujas of Grade IV B delved into the scientific side of dreams, explaining the different stages of sleep and their connection to dreaming.

November 30, 2024: Learning Through Adventure: A One-Day Adventure Excursion - Grades VI -VII:

















A refreshing one-day excursion to the serene Shivjot Farms, Panchkula was organised for the students of Grades VI-VII. The day was a tapestry of excitement, featuring activities like zip-lining, rope walking, bamboo balancing, roller ball, and commando net. From energising adventures to shared moments of joy, the trip created cherished memories for everyone involved.

November 30, 2024: Adventurous Escapades: A One-Day Adventure Excursion - Grades IX-X:

















Mind Tree School organised an exhilarating one-day adventure trip to Golf Course for the spirited students of Grades IX and X. The day unfolded with a series of adrenaline-pumping activities, including ziplining, rope walking, bamboo balancing, roller ball, sky cycling, tug of war and navigating the commando net. This adventure proved to be a perfect blend of a spirit of camaraderie, thrill, and unforgettable experiences.

December 03, 2024: Assembly on 'International Day of People with Disabilities' - Grades VI - VII:

Grade VI D marked the International Day of People with Disabilities with an insightful and inspiring session that left a lasting impact on the school community. Siya Pahuja, shed light on the significance of inclusivity and





understanding in society. The talk was followed by a powerful thought of the day presented by Arnav Jain.

December 04, 2024: Assembly on 'Promoting Sustainability with Reduce, Reuse, Recycle'- Grades IX - X:

Rishika Saini of Grade XC took the stage to deliver an inspiring talk on practical tips for Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, emphasising the importance of sustainable living. The effective thought of the day was shared by Harshika. The





session was a timely reminder of our responsibility to protect the environment and adopt eco-friendly practices in our daily lives.

December 05, 2024: Assembly on 'Exploration of the Wonders of Space'-Grades IV-V:



The students of Grade IV C captivated the audience with an engaging talk presented by Yashvi Saini, Adit Bhandari and Kuvam Wadhwa on facts about space exploration and recent discoveries. The presentation covered fascinating milestones like the presence of water on the moon, discovery of Exoplanet K2-18b and the James Webb Space Telescope's groundbreaking images of distant galaxies. Aadvik Aggarwal presented a beautiful poem. The assembly concluded with the thought of the day presented by Aradhya Bansal. The efforts of Grade IV C were applauded for sparking curiosity and enthusiasm about the mysteries of the cosmos.

December 05, 2024: Mind Tree's Stellar Success at HTSE 2024:



Ayansh Jain



Priti Gulati



Ayan Chakrabarty



Aarush Aggarwal



VI B



Dhanishta VI B



Raaisha Dua VI B



Guransh Singh VI D



Aasma Bakshi





Jeshna Ajmani VIIIA



Piyush Ahuja



Suvir Gupta



Samarth Sharma



Ruhin Jain IX D



Naman Bansal



"Achievement stems from preparation, persistence, and determination." We are overjoyed to announce that 17 remarkable students from Mind Tree School have progressed to Stage II of the Haryana Talent Search Exam (HTSE) 2024. Their dedication to academics and unwavering pursuit of excellence have brought great honour to our school. Sincere felicitations to our brilliant performers! May this milestone pave the way for even greater victories. Best wishes for Round II - continue to soar high and shine bright!

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS

September 11, 2024: Triumph on the Chessboard: Mind Tree Shines at CBSE North Zone Chess Championship:





IX A



Kartik Sehgal IX A



Smarth IX A



Akxit Sharma IX D

The students of Mind Tree School have once again brought laurels to the institution by emerging victorious in the CBSE North Zone II Chess Championship, held from September 11 to September 13 at Khalsa Public Senior Secondary School, Sangrur. The school's Under-17 Boys Chess Team secured the third position in this prestigious event, showcasing exceptional strategy, determination, and teamwork. Congratulations to the proud winners!

October 01, 2024: Varenya Mittal Excels in Inline Skating:

Varenya Mittal of Grade VII secured second place in the Under-14 Boys Inline Skating event on September 2, 2024, and earned a spot in the Haryana State School Games. His impressive performance reflects his dedication and skill in the sport. Congratulations, Varenya, and keep skating toward success!



October 08, 2024: Mind Tree Shines at SGFI Haryana Tennis Championship:



Raaisha Dua VI B



Avya Verma VII C



Tiana Nayyar VII C



Arshiya Jain VIII B

Under-14 Girls Tennis Team from Mind Tree School emerged victorious at the SGFI Haryana School District Tennis Championship, held on September 2, 2024, at Alta Tennis Academy, Ambala City. The team, comprising Arshiya Jain (VIII B), Tiana Nayyar (VII C), Avya Verma (VII C), and Raaisha Dua (VI B), displayed remarkable skill and teamwork to secure the first position. Congratulations to the team for their exceptional performance and inspiring dedication!

October 22, 2024:Mind Tree Students Shine at SGFI Haryana School Tennis District Championship:



Agastya Sharma VI A Under 14



Vinayak M Datta VI A - Under 14



Divij Chotani VII C - Under 14



Ameya Gupta VIII A - Under 14



Raaisha Dua VI B - Under 14



Sahaj Deep Kaur VI C - Under 14



Avya Verma VII C - Under 14



Tiana Nayyar VII C - Under 1



Arshiya Jain VIII B - Under 14

Mind Tree School proudly celebrates the outstanding achievements of our students at the SGFI Haryana School Tennis District Championship, held on September 2, 2024, at ALTA Tennis Academy in Ambala City. Our talented U-14 boys' and girls' teams displayed exceptional skill and perseverance, capturing the top position in the competition. Heartwarming kudos to all the participants for their hard work and dedication!

October 22, 2024:Mind Tree U-17 Girls Shine in SGFI District Tennis Championship:



Akshadha Arora X D - Under 17



Namya Saxena - X A Under 17



Shreya - X C Under 17



Japleen K Sabherwal X D - Under 17



Bhawya Sharma X B - Under 17

The outstanding U-17 Girls' Tennis Team from Mind Tree School secured the top spot at the SGFI Haryana School Tennis District Championship on September 2, 2024, at ALTA Tennis Academy in Ambala City. Their flawless teamwork and unwavering commitment on the court made the school incredibly proud. A heartfelt congratulations to the entire team on this impressive win!

October 22, 2024: Mind Tree U-17 Boys' Tennis Team Clinches Victory at SGFI District Championship:



Ritvik Gupta X B - Under 17



Sabr Bedi IX D - Under 17



Arham Garg X C - Under 17



Aarav Sirpal VIII A - Under 17

The talented U-17 Boys' Tennis Team from Mind Tree School earned an impressive first-place finish at the SGFI Haryana School Tennis District Championship, held on September 2, 2024, at ALTA Tennis Academy in Ambala City. Their outstanding teamwork and strategic gameplay propelled them to a well-deserved victory. We are incredibly proud of their remarkable achievement!

October 22, 2024: Mind Tree U-19 Boys Triumph with Tenacity at SGFI Tennis District Championship:



Tanveer Singh X D - Under 19



Karnik Dua - X D Under 19



Parth Jindal - X D Under 19

"True strength lies in rising again, even after being knocked down."

The skilled U-19 Boys' Tennis Team showcased remarkable tenacity and grit, claiming the runner-up position at the SGFI Haryana School Tennis District Championship. Held on September 2, 2024, at ALTA Tennis Academy in Ambala City, the team impressed the spectators with their strategic approach and relentless drive. Their efforts were rewarded with well-deserved recognition for this outstanding performance. Congratulations on this impressive accomplishment! Keep up the winning spirit!

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