

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

KINDERGARTEN WING

Sr. No.	Competitions	Dates
1.	Quiz (Prelims) UKG	November 14
2.	Quiz (Finals) UKG	November 16
3.	Knowledge Test (Prelims) LKG	November 20
4.	Knowledge Test (Finals) LKG	November 26
5.	Story Telling UKG	November 27
6.	Thumb Printing LKG	November 29
7.	Join the Dots Nursery	November 30
8.	Little Minds at Work (Prelims) Nursery	December 03
9.	Skipping Race UKG	December 05
10.	Balloon Balancing Race LKG	December 07
11.	Little Minds at Work (Finals) Nursery	December 12
12.	Short Story Narration LKG	December 14
13.	Hindi Recitation UKG	December 19

PRIMARY WING

Sr. No.	Competitions	Dates
1.	English Grammar Quiz (Prelims) II	November 12
2.	English Grammar Quiz (Finals) II	November 17
3.	On the Spot English Story Writing II	November 20
4.	English Speech (Prelims) I	November 28
5.	English Speech (Finals) I	December 01
6.	Cotton Ball Race I	December 01
7.	English Spell Bee Competition I	December 22
8.	Hindi Spelling Bee Competition I	December 29

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sr. No.	Dates
1.	Parent-Teacher Meeting Nur-II December 22

May 25, 2018: A Field Trip to the Fire Station and the Bus Stand - LKG :



The main objective of conducting a field trip for children is to reinforce experiential and contextual learning. Children of LKG visited the fire station to extend their knowledge of fire fighters. They got a hands on-experience on fire safety and the very important community helper- the fire fighter. They watched how fire-fighters use their fire-truck in an emergency. The fire fighters showed them the different equipment used by them, and demonstrated the use of a fire extinguisher. To instil practical knowledge, they were shown how hose pipe is connected to a tanker. On their way back, they were also shown the Bus Stand.

It was a fun-filled informative experience which the children can use to associate with their immediate environment.

May 21, 2018: Friendly Flyers Race - Nursery :



The main objective of any sport is enjoyment and development of basic skills . Sports play an important role in our life as it keeps us healthy, wealthy and active. Sports shape the body and makes it strong and active. Being good at sports is a strong social asset. Keeping this in mind, we conducted the "Friendly Flyers Race". It was alluring to see the little ones in action. The champions were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Rajneesh Yadav Nancy	Suryansh Sharma Navika Sharma	Naitik Arora Kavya Tomar
B	Aditya Bhardwaj Kavya Soin	Soham Dutt Eshal Ansari	Kabeer Harish Gauri Gautam

May 29, 2018: A Field Trip to Flour Mill - UKG:



Children were taken on a trip to a Flour Mill at Satiwala, Nahan. The visit was organized with a perspective of learning and helping students with better understanding of the manufacturing of the wheat products. They learnt about the milling process and the different stages of product development. The complete process of converting wheat into its products was shown and explained to the students. This trip provided them information and added to their knowledge.

May 31, 2018: A Field Trip to the Fire Station - Nursery:



“The more you read, the more things you will know. The more you learn, the more places you’ll go.”

Field trips give students educational experiences away from their regular school environment, and give a break in routine classroom study. Our tiny-tots were taken on a trip to a local fire station. The primary reason for this trip was to familiarize the children with the reality of the fire-fighters, and to help them understand that they are our supporters in times of need.

The students got the opportunity to have a closer look at the fire engine.

Children enjoyed as well as learnt about how to keep safe in case of any fire.

Overall it was a day of learning, excitement and adventure where they practically saw a fire station.

June 4, 2018: Kangaroo Race - Nursery:



Jumping for Joy is a good exercise. The tiny-tots enthusiastically took part in the Kangaroo Race. They enjoyed jumping like a kangaroo to reach the finishing line. The kids who quickly hopped across the finish line were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Abhay Thakur Agriya Tomar	Naksh Panwar Aarohi Rajput	Ahaan Nancy
B	Manasvi Singh Manan Chauhan	Sumedha Kabeer Harish	Gauri Gautam Amogh Chauhan

June 5, 2018: String the Aqua Beads Competition - LKG:



For children, there is nothing more enjoyable than playing in water. This was an excellent competition promoting children’s development of fine motor skills and visual - perceptual skills. The children thoroughly enjoyed stringing the beads into the thread by taking them out from the water tub. It was a thrilling experience for them. The winners were:

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	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Nimrit Kaur	Vaanya Dutt	Sarah
B	Inaya Sheikh	Yashika Rathi	Shreyaan Bansal

June 12, 2018: English Recitation Competition - LKG:



“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, an English Recitation Competition for LKG was organized on the theme ‘Flower’. The children enthusiastically participated in the competition as they got an opportunity to exhibit their talent with confidence. The eye catching props added icing to the cake.

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Vaanya Dutt	Sarah	Lavish
B	Shreyaan Bansal	Tryaksh Sharma Anaahat	Yashika Rathi

June 11, 2018: Kite Race - Nursery:



Physical fitness is one of the most important elements for leading a healthy life. Playing games gives children the opportunity to develop sporting skills and maintain fitness. To keep the little minds and bodies occupied, we organised a Kite Race. Children participated in it, holding a kite each, and trying to be the first to reach the finish line. The little champions who excelled were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Rajneesh Yadav Aaradhya Chauhan	Suryansh Sharma Aradhya Sharma	Shivam Thakur Agriya Tomar
B	Gauri Gautam Kabeer Harish	Somya Chhetri Soham Dutt	Devanshi Pathe Shashwat Sahni

June 13, 2018: Hoop the Fish Race - UKG:



Races are always fun for children. We conducted "Hoop the Fish Race" for UKG kids. The children competed against one another, with hoola hoops, to complete the specified distance by stepping into the hoops and bringing along the artificial fish.

Children participated in it with zeal, and enjoyed this activity. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Manas	Shivansh Garg	Kayann Dhiman

June 19, 2018: Hop on One-Foot Race - LKG:



The proverb "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" holds true even for the young learners. Sports, whether team based or individual, are great fun for children as they provide not just physical activities but also help build children's self esteem, confidence, social skill, and motivate them to excel in life.

One-legged racing has been one of the most mischievous and fun-filled games for young children. We organised this fun-event keeping in mind that children always try to innovate new ways to entertain themselves. The winners of the race were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Nimrit Kaur	Rannvijay Singh	Harshit Sharma
B	Atharva Kaushal	Anaahat	Navya

June 20, 2018: I Am Creative - UKG:



"It's not just about creativity; It is about the person you're becoming while you are creating."-Charlie Peacock

Encouragement of developing creativity from an early age is one of the best guarantees of growth in a healthy environment of self-esteem. Art gives an expression to our understanding, imagination and creativity. Children were given a chance to explore their imaginative and creative skills as they created beautiful playground scenes. The best artists were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Shivansh Garg	Akshit Baluni	Aishve Bansal

June 22, 2018: Hindi Recitation Competition - Nursery:



Poetry is the essence of literature. Memorizing and reciting poetry inspires and builds confidence in the students. It teaches them to string words rhythmically to capture emotions and ideas in lyrical phrases. In order to develop love for poetry, Hindi Recitation Competition was organized. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Khushhaal Verma	Aditi Singh	Kavya Tomar
B	Shashwat Sahni	Devanshi Pathe	Takshak Upadhyai

August 6, 2018: Backward Race - Nursery:



Races are organised to develop the spirit of sportsmanship and instill the value of physical fitness and health amongst the students. The little minds enjoyed running backward and had a lot of fun. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Khushhaal Verma Aaradhya Chauhan	Abhay Thakur Aarohi Rajput	Naksh Panwar Kavya Tomar
B	Somya Chhetri Mohd.Ahil Imran	Dakshita Verma Shashwat Sahni	Manasvi Singh Kabeer Harish

August 13, 2018: Building Blocks Race - Nursery:



Playing with blocks helps children improve their early math and engineering skill, and even teaches them about gravity and balance. We conducted 'Building Blocks Race' for Nursery class, and our little minds enjoyed placing the blocks in order. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Navika Sharma Abhay Thakur	Aaradhya Chauhan Rajneesh Yadav	Kavya Kashyap Khushhaal Verma
B	Sanvi Tomar Parth Singh	Eshal Ansari Aditya Bhardwaj	Devanshi Pathe Amogh Chauhan

August 14, 2018: Hindi Speech Competition - LKG:



An intra-class Hindi Speech Competition on the topic 'Any National Hero' was organised for our young minds of LKG. The competition was very interesting. It was pleasing to see so many enthusiastic participants speaking their heart out for their National Heroes. All the participants gave their best and performed very well. The best orators were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Sarah	Vaanya Dutt	Nimrit Kaur
B	Tryaksh Sharma	Atharva Kaushal	Navya Shreyaan Bansal

August 20, 2018: English Speech Competition - UKG:



'The child begins to perceive the world not only through his eyes but also through his speech.' -Lev Vygotsky

Initiating all the children into actively participating and honing their oratory skills, a Speech Competition on the topic 'Favourite English Movie Character' was organised for the UKG children. It was pleasing to see our little orators talking about their favourite movie characters like, 'Simba-The Lion King', 'Spiderman', 'Superman', 'Moana', etc. The students were quite confident and energetic. The audience and the judges were highly impressed with their performance. The best orators were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Triaksha Sharma Aishve Bansal	Uddhav Thakur	Devansh Jain

August 23, 2018: Rakhi Making Competition - LKG:



'It was a day when our tiny-tots turned into little artisans, with creativity and colours-red, yellow and cyan.

It was a day when celebration of love between brothers and sisters began, And making the best knot of protection was the only plan'.

A 'Rakhi Making Competition' was held for LKG students. Children participated enthusiastically in it. They used different materials to decorate their Rakhis. The best artists were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Lavish	Nimrit Kaur	Vaanya Dutt
B	Navya	Lavanya Vishwakarma	Srishti Thakur Atharva Kaushal

August 24, 2018: English Recitation Competition - Nursery:



Poetry is the essence of literature. It is the language of imagination and passion. Reciting poetry is an enjoyment for children. They enjoy the beauty of expression, thought, rhythm and music of words. Taking all these facts into consideration, our tiny scholars of Nursery got the opportunity to exhibit their talent and confidence in the English Recitation Competition. The children enthusiastically participated in it with great zeal and zest. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Naksh Panwar	Aryash Sharma	Vihan Bhatt
B	Soham Dutt	Parth Singh	Animesh Sharma

August 31, 2018: Puzzle Making Competition - UKG:



'It's always the small pieces that make the big picture'.

Puzzles give an opportunity to the young children to focus on an activity that has an ending. Young minds of UKG participated enthusiastically and remained involved in it throughout solving a jigsaw puzzle. The kids who were able to put the puzzle in correct order were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Kayann Dhiman	Akshit Baluni	Shivansh Garg

September 7, 2018: Walk on the Path Race - Nursery:



The tiny-tots of Nursery class exhibited their skills of fitness, strength and agility as they participated in the 'Walk on the Path Race'. 'This race helped the students enhance their coordinative abilities, team work and other fitness components. Everyone enjoyed the race. The ones who reached the finishing line were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Kavya Kashyap Shivam Thakur	Navika Sharma Abhay Thakur	Kavya Tomar Dhanush S. Panwar
B	Somya Chhetri Kabeer Harish	Eshal Ansari Parth Singh	Devanshi Pathe Takshak Upadhyai

September 14, 2018: Obstacle Race - Nursery :



Games play a very important role in teaching us the life lessons like failure, passion, joy, excitement, winning etc. To develop gross motor skills, the children of class nursery participated in an Obstacle Race. The children were enthusiastic and full of energy. The winners of the race were:-

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Suryansh Sharma Aaradhya Chauhan	Naksh Panwar Medhavi Aggarwal	Rajneesh Yadav Navika Sharma
B	Shashwat Sahni Sumedha	Kabeer Harish Nivriti	Manan Chauhan Somya Chhetri

PRIMARY

September 1, 2018: English Story Narration Competition - Grade I :



Story telling is a great means of transmitting ideas. Children relate to a story better than they relate to adults, and keeping this in mind, a fascinating English Story Narration Competition was organised for our young minds of Grade I. The children presented stories with great enthusiasm. Proper pronunciations, with voice modulation were the highlights of the competition. Such competitions help the children develop their speaking skills and build their confidence in using the English language. The best narrators were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Aditi Sharma	Riyansh Thakur	Arnav Patial

June 2, 2018: Best Out of Waste Competition - Grade II :



"Creativity, as has been said, consists largely of rearranging what we know in order to find out what we do not know. Hence, to think creatively, we must be able to look afresh at what we normally take for granted."--- George Kneller.

BEST OUT OF WASTE is one such craft which follows this environmental friendly principle and at the same time creates useful and picturesque objects out of waste products. In order to make children aware of the uses of the waste material, and to give them a lesson on reducing waste to save our future , a 'Best Out of Waste' Competition was organized for pupils of Primary. Brilliant ideas were executed by deft fingers of the students. Right from waste plastic bottles, paper cuttings, ice-cream stick, card boxes, CD's, etc. were all transformed into useful and beautiful articles. The creativity and artistic streak of the children was displayed . The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Rijul Bisai	Akshadha Pundir	Vanshika Kanwar

June 14, 2018: Object Talk - Grade II :



An 'Object Talk Competition' was held for 2nd Graders. In this competition, every student described the objects given to them, innovatively and creatively. They even managed to include a social message in the descriptions. They spoke about the life of a pen, matchbox, candle, noodles and their favourite gadgets like a mobile, camera, to name a few.

Students were very excited and participated whole-heartedly in this competition. This competition helped the students gain confidence and improve their vocabulary, and skills of public speaking. The best speakers were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Rijul Bisai	Aaditya Kumar	Riana Kaushal Daiwik Kashyap

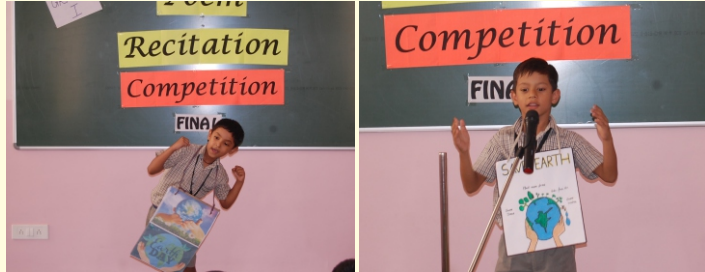
June 15, 2018: Ready-Steady-Go Race - Grade I :



Sports activities are fantastic in helping children learn to focus, follow instructions and work as a team – all whilst having lots of fun. A ‘Ready-Steady-Go Race’ was conducted, where young minds participated with excitement and energy, and displayed a fine sporting spirit. The children who soared over the finish line were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	Mihika Chauhan Riyansh Thakur	Latika Arnav Patial	Vaanya Thakur Aarav Gupta

June 15, 2018: English Poem Recitation Competition - Grade I :



Poetry is the rhythmical creation of beauty in words. To reiterate this, children of Grade I got an opportunity to exhibit their talent through the English Recitation Competition, the topic of the poem was “The Earth”. Children participated in it with a lot of zeal and enthusiasm. The best reciters were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Arnav	Vaanya Thakur	Pragun Rathore

June 25, 2018: Field Trip to R.N.T Factory - Grade II :



An educational field trip can be an integral part of the instructional programme. Field trips provide unique opportunities for learning that are not available within the four walls of a classroom. The purpose of the trip is usually observation for education, and experiences outside their everyday activities. Keeping this in mind, we took our children to R.N.T Factory, where they saw the distillation process for obtaining Turpentine oil and Rosin. They were also shown the processing of Phenyl. Overall, it was an informative and exciting trip for the kids.

August 18, 2018: Reuse to Recreate-Best Out of Waste Competition - Grade I:



Creativity is making Marvellous out of the Discarded’.

In order to make children aware of the uses of waste material, and to give them a lesson on reducing the wastage of our resources, “Best

out of Waste Competition” was organised for first graders. The Little hands and imaginative minds came together in a creative burst of energy on this day.

Each student came to school armed with re-usable and re-cycled items like cardboard boxes, plastic bottles, newspapers, disposable cups, ice-cream sticks and much more. From these, they created some amazing objects to be displayed. The winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Arnav Patial	Riyansh Thakur	Rudraksh Sharma

August 25, 2018: Devotional Song Competition - Grade II:



‘Words make you think. Music makes you feel. A song makes you feel a thought’.

A ‘Devotional Song Competition’ was conducted for the pupils of Grade-II. The competitors came out with a variety of devotional songs and made the whole atmosphere melodious. The young maestros sang to their level best and were well appreciated by the judges. The winners were:-

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Chaitanya Dogra	Akshadha Pundir	Rijul Bisai

August 18, 2018: Creative Letter Art Competition - Grade II:



‘Creativity is taking a simple thing, and bringing it to life’.

To explore the artistic talent of the children, a ‘Creative Letter Art Competition’ was organised for second graders. The students participated in the Competition, enthusiastically and innovatively. The budding artists decorated a given word beautifully using crayons, paints, stickers and other decorative material.

	1st	2nd	3rd
	Akshadha Pundir	Aradhya Matta	Aaditya Kumar

Celebration & Jubilation

June 5, 2018: Special Assembly : World Environment Day:



Nurture Nature for Our Future.

To sensitize students towards nurturing of environment, we celebrated the 'World Environment Day' on 5th of June, 2018 with full vigour and enthusiasm.

The students of Grade II shared their views on the importance of 'Clean Environment' through their skit. Grade I kids rendered a mellifluous poem that highlighted 'Better Environment, Better Tomorrow'. Kindergarten children gave beautiful dance performances based on the theme "Protect Environment" and 'We love our Mother Earth'.

June 15, 2018: Special Assembly : Id-UI-Fitr :



Celebrating multifarious cultures and festivals symbolises the unity of a secular country.

To commemorate the occasion of Eid, a special assembly was conducted on the 15th of June with great fervour and gaiety. The celebrations began with a special dance performance by UKG kids. It was full of energy, vibe and devotion. The audience was enthralled by the scintillating performances of the Nursery and the LKG children.

The special assembly was successful in conveying the significance of Eid, and was much appreciated by the Principal Ma'am, who encouraged children to follow the path of peace, love and friendship.

August 14, 2018: Special Assembly : Independence Day :



Independence is happiness.

Nothing is more precious than independence and liberty.

Independence Day is one of the most memorable days in our Indian history. This day reminds us of the supreme sacrifice of the freedom fighters. Through the special assembly, the little ones celebrated and exhibited their spirit of patriotism.

An impressive skit by LKG children on 'Unity Amongst Different Nations' and dance performances by UKG, Nursery and Primary children exuded the patriotic fervour. Students were filled with a feeling of patriotism and love for the country.

August 21, 2018: Special Assembly : Bakr-Id :



School is a place where children learn new things. Celebrations of different festivals are one of the major activities which enable them to develop an awareness of the world around them.

Mind Tree School takes pride in celebrating multifarious cultures and festivals that showcases unity and integrity.

One such occasion was the Eid, a festival that upholds the spirit of brotherhood and love. It was celebrated on 21st August with much gaiety and fervour. The celebrations included dance performances by children on various 'Sufi songs'. Children had a gala time on this special occasion.

August 24, 2018: Special Assembly : Raksha Bandhan :



'The paths may change as life goes along, but the bond between a brother and sister remains ever strong.'

The joyful festival of Raksha Bandhan, showcasing the innocence of the sacred bond between siblings, was celebrated by the little ones through a fun filled assembly in the school premises on 24th August. It is a tried and tested way to make the children understand our Indian culture and its importance. Such celebrations in school teach students about our traditions.

The colourful celebrations began with scintillating dance performances by Grade-I and II students followed by beautiful and well coordinated dances from Kindergarten children as well.

The children were absolutely thrilled and had a gala time.

August 31, 2018: Special Assembly : Janamashtami :



"When a person is devoted to something with complete faith, I unify his faith in that. Then, when his faith is completely unified, he gains the object of his devotion." Shree Krishna

Janmashtami, celebrated on the eighth day of Shrawan month, marks the birth of Lord Krishna. A special assembly was conducted on this occasion. Dressed as Radha and Krishna, our little minds gave a traditional touch to the entire celebration. The air was filled with joy and festive spirit, when the children of Primary and KG grades gave beautiful dance performances on the songs dedicated to Lord Krishna.

September 4, 2018: Special Assembly : Teachers' Day :

A good teacher can inspire hope, ignite the imagination & instill a love of learning.

—Brad Henry.

Teachers' Day is celebrated to mark the birth anniversary of Dr. S. Radhakrishnan, who was our second President great teacher and



philosopher. Teachers' Day at Mind Tree was celebrated with great gusto and gaiety. The day began with a mellifluous song 'We love you, Teacher' by Grade-II students to express their love, respect, acknowledgement and recognition of the hard work put in by the teachers towards their development. It was followed by a foot-tapping dance on the song 'I love my Teacher' by first graders. Kindergarten children gave beautiful recitations and short speech in honour of their class teacher.

The programme concluded with Principal's address; she spoke about the significance of the Teachers' Day and emphasised on moral and ethical values, which she expects the students to follow. She thanked them for organizing such a wonderful programme. The programme ended with the National Anthem.

September 7, 2018: Special Assembly - Grand Parents' Day :



Grandparents are a delightful blend of laughter, caring deeds, wonderful stories and love.

Grandparents are a family's greatest treasure, the founders of a loving legacy, the greatest storytellers and the keepers of traditions. Grandparents are a family's strong foundation. Through their special love and care, grandparents keep a family close - knit .

To honour them, a special assembly was conducted on 7th September, 2018.

The function started with a beautiful song dedicated to the Grandparents by Grade-II students. Then the kids of Grade I recited poems filled with love and respect for their grandparents, whereas our little ones from Kindergarten performed dances on this special occasion. The general mood was one of exultation, and everyone seemed truly happy.