

### FORTHCOMINGEVENTS

#### KINDERGARTENWING

Sr.no.	Competitions	Dates
1.	BursttheBalloon(L.K.G)	Apr.23
2.	SelfIntroduction(U.K.G)	Apr.26
3.	Colouring(L.K.G)	Apr.27
4.	50metreRace(Nursery)	May4
5.	EnglishRecitation(L.K.G)	May16
6.	Colouring(Nursery)	May18
7.	TableManners (U.K.G)	May18

#### PRIMARYWING

Sr.no.	Competitions	Dates
1.	Calligraphy(I)	Apr.13
2.	Calligraphy(II-III)	Apr.13
3.	Run&RolltheMatRace(I)	Apr.21
4.	SpellingBee(I)	Apr.21
5.	DevotionalSong(PrelimRound)(II-I)	Apr.23
6.	DevotionalSong(FinalRound)(II-III)	Apr.28
7.	BalancingRace(FinalRound)(II-III)	Apr.28
8.	CreativeDrawing (I)	May12
9.	Shoes&SocksRace(I)	May12
10.	Elocution(PrelimRound)(II-III)	May15
11.	Elocution(FinalRound)(II-III)	May19
12.	TugofWar(II-III)	May19

#### SENIORWING

Sr.no.	Competitions	Dates
1.	MaskMaking(IV-V)	Apr.21
2.	MonoActing(IV-V)	Apr.21
3.	WriteUponCurrentAffairs(VIII-IX)	Apr.21
4.	HasyaKavita(VIII-IX)	Apr.21
5.	WriteUponCurrentAffairs(VI-VII)	Apr.27
6.	StoryWriting(IV-V)	May5
7.	Elocution(IV-V)	May5
8.	CollageMaking(VIII-IX)	May19

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sr.no.	Dates
1.	ParentTeacherMeeting(K.G) May25
2.	ParentTeacherMeeting(I-III) May26
3.	ParentTeacherMeeting(IV-IX) May26

### KINDERGARTENWING

#### January23,2012:TracingCompetition-Nursery:

Children of Nursery class had fun during the Tracing Competition. They revealed the best in them by tracing the given picture with full concentration. Little hands showing their tracing talent were worth watching. The result is:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	SavvnieThaper	SuhaanBakshi	PrayaniVohra
B	GarvviJain	SiddharthChhabra	Aryaman
C	Arshneet	RiddhiSingla	ShristiBiswas
D	IyaGuliani	HarmanSahni	AarushBehl

#### January25,2012:SpecialAssemblyonRepublic Day:

Republic Day was celebrated with a feeling of patriotism. Children of Nursery presented patriotic songs 'Taqat Watan ki hum se hai' and 'Lal Kile ke pa hai azaadi ka mela'. L.K.G class presented a cultural dance depicting glory of India 'Aao Bachhon tumhe dikhaein jhanki hindustan ki' with full zeal and zest. Later refreshments were distributed to all the children.

#### January25,2012:ActionSongCompetition-L.K.G:

Children respond to music from a very early age and when they sing melodiously with actions, it adds to the flavour of the song. L.K.G children revealed this inner talent on 'Action Song Competition' day. The result is:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	ShreyusSharma	AvneetKaur	AksharaGupta
B	Sania	SamikshaGulati	MannatSaini
C	RaghavTaneja	MananAggarwal	DivyanshSharma
D	IkjotKaur	AngelAggarwal	AryamKharbanda

#### January27,2012:PictureReadingCompetition-U.K.G:

There are various tools to enhance a child's observational skills and one of them is picture reading. U.K.G children had a Picture Reading Competition where they expertly observed the picture and spoke about it confidently. The result of picture reading competition is:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	SanyaSharma	TaraAggarwal	VanishaJain IyraGupta
B	LakshayRana	MannatArya	AnushkaGupta PrabhreetKaur
C	NabhithSinghal	HunarVohra	BhavyamAggarwal
D	ArpanSaini	AishikaGosain	LakshyaAroa

#### January 30,2012:MagicShow:

Children are fascinated by magic and remember the moments which are unusual and enjoyable. With an aim of making some moments enjoyable for them, a magic show was organized on 30th January for our Kindergartners. They were truly spell bound.

#### January30,2012:FieldT riptoPost Officeand FireStation-U.K.G:





Children were apprised of working process of the Post Office. After that they went to the Fire Station where they saw fire brigade vans and gathered information on how these vans work in emergencies.

**February 10, 2012: Creative Drawing Competition-Nursery:**

Nursery kids revealed the best in them in "Creative Drawing Competition". They brought out their artistic skills and drew beyond our expectation. Judges were highly impressed to see the drawings of these cute ones. The proud winners are:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	SoumilThapar	SavnieThapar	GounSahni
B	DakshSharma	SiddharthChhabra	ParthMalik
C	KaushikiShukla	RushadaHuddar	TanishaBatra
D	Gautam	ArshiyaJain	ArnavAggarwal

**February 16, 2012: Lemon Race-U.K.G:**

There are many interesting activities for the development of motor skills of a child. Balancing lemon on a spoon and walking while keeping it in mouth, needs a lot of concentration. U.K.G kids showed their unbelievable talent in hand body co-ordination through the Lemon Race. The result is:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	AanyaMangal	AkhilMehndiratta	AniketKundawla
B	KovidKumar	PrathamKapoor	VigyatGoaswami
C	NabhitSinghal	AryavJain	NamitAdlakha PiyushAlagh
D	KanavJain	PrabhjotSingh	VedantAnand GurjivanSingh

**February 24, 2012: Dress Up and Speak Competition-Nursery:**

Children of Nursery class showcased their talent by dressing up in various attires of Community Helpers. They enacted doctors, milkmen, gardeners, vegetable vendors, policemen etc. They depicted the significance of these helpers in our lives more over this was a lesson in dignity of labour. The winners are:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	ArshiyaGarg	ShiveshGrover	PrachiBehl BhavikDutt
B	GarrvitJain	DakshSharma	SanyaWadhawan SiddharathChhabra
C	TapmannSawhney	MananMunjial	RanveerWadhawan IshitaUpadhyay
D	VanniJain	ArshiyaJain	RhythmGupta HarshitGoyal

**February 27, 2012: Creative Drawing Competition-L.K.G:**



Children of L.K.G showed their artistic skills and drew various landscapes and objects of interest to them. They brought out their creativity beautifully by adding colours to their drawings. The winners are:

	1st	2nd	3rd
A	RuhaanJain	PiyaRaiDhamija	SarthakSharma
B	TanviGupta	ArshiaNarula	PrajwalTyagi
C	AngadWalia	VaaruniV.Huddar	SamridhiSharma
D	AngelAggarwal	AnshikaSakuja	IkjotKaur

**January 5, 2012: Skating Championship:**



A District level Skating Championship was held in Mind Tree School. In this championship, nearly 150 athletes from over 12 schools participated. There were speed skating and roller skating events. The district level team too was selected after this championship. Our skaters brought laurels to the school by excelling in nearly all the races. The proud winners are:

Gold	Silver	Bronze
GarimaKalra (2)	VarnikaSharma	DirghaGandhi
Rishabh (2)	AnanyaChadha	MananGarg
YethaarthPall	MannatArya	MannatArya
VarnikaSharma		Khushi (2)
Rishabh		AnjilaVaish (2)
		AnanyaChadha

PRIMARYWING

**January 26, 2012: Republic Day Celebration:**

26th January is a day of pride for all Indian citizens. It is this day when freedom actually got its meaning. Instilling values in our kids safe guards our tomorrow. The enthusiasm of the kids matched that of the whole nation. A cultural programme including speeches, poems, skit and songs marked the celebration. Our Principal Mrs Neelam Ohri started the celebrations by hoisting the flag. Children were enlightened about the significance of the Republic Day, made aware of the salient features of our Constitution, Fundamental Rights and Duties. The kids were given sweets and refreshments to celebrate their national festival. The spirit of Nationalism indeed flooded the environment.





# FOND ADIEU to GRADE III

## March 9, 2012: Farewell Grad III:

It was a day of mixed emotions both for the students and staff of the Mind Tree School (Junior Wing). The staff members organised a farewell function for the students of Grade III who will now step up the ladder and move to the Senior Wing. The students were in a relaxed and joyous mood after completion of their examinations. With anticipation of an excellent result and dreams of a bright future in their gleaming eyes, they gathered in the skating rink. They were welcomed by III standard teachers and a brief address by our worthy Principal Ma'am set the ball rolling. The students enthusiastically participated in fun games and let themselves loose to sway on catchy numbers. They were joined by their teachers and Principal. The winners of the games were duly rewarded. With delicious refreshments, a fond adieu was wished to our very special treasure - batch of 2011-12 of Grade III. May God be with them in every walk of life!



## January 30, 2012: Spelling Bee Competition-Grade I:

The listening and writing skills of students were put to test through the Spelling Bee Competition. The students were well prepared and extremely confident. The long list of winning bees is a testimony to this.

With a gleam in their eyes and a smile on their lips, the tiny hands began to work. They wrapped a plain box into an attractive gift. The neatness with which the task was accomplished was the hallmark of the competition. This competition helped the students de-stress themselves during the pre - examination period. The result of the competition is:

## February 2, 2012: Best Out of Waste-Grade I & III:

We, at Mind Tree make the students aware of the social, global and environmental concerns. One such step is the organization of the competition of Best out of Waste. Here the students used their ingenuity to create masterpieces out of waste which we carelessly dispose off. Pencil shavings, egg shells, plastic containers, corks, saw dust and many more were used for this purpose.

	1st	2nd	3rd
I	Shashwat Jain-IC Anurag Kashyap-I A	Japneet Oberoi-ID Nitish Aggarwal-ID	Sarthak Prashar-IB Gautam Garg-ID

	1st	2nd	3rd
II	Ishika Wadhawan-IID	Sukhmannat Kaur-II A	Charika Jain-II A Tanishika Kalra-IID
III	Nandini Kakkar-IIIC	Adit Jain-IIIB	Kriti Gupta-III A Yethaarth Pall-IIID

## February 6, 2012: Special Assembly on Ravidas Jayanti:

A special assembly was held on Guru Ravidas Jayanti. The message conveyed through this assembly was - the great saint always desired for communal harmony and this sentiment is expressed in his songs too. According to his teachings, we all can meet God in our own hearts even if we do not undertake a pilgrimage.

## February 3, 2012: Gift Wrapping-Grade I:



## February 8, 2012: Obstacle Race-Grade I:

The students were raring to go and their enthusiasm knew no bounds. They were well focused and cleared the hurdles confidently. The students who emerged the winners were:

	1st	2nd	3rd
I	Aryan Saini-IE	Ryan Mittal-IC	Rupanshi Goel-IB



# Songs & Rhymes Day









March 28, 2012: Hawan Ceremony:



For an auspicious commencement to the new academic session, a hawan was organised in the school auditorium. The air reverberated with the chants of the holy mantras making the environment pious. The management and staff of our school participated religiously in the ceremony.

**SENIOR WING**

February 3, 2012: Best Out of Waste - Grade VI-VIII:



Our budding Neks excelled in this creative endeavour. Papers, straws, empty cans, bottles, beads, clothes, cardboard etc were all mixed and matched to create wonderful pieces of art. It was amazing to see children showcasing their imagination. The best entries were presented by:

	1st	2nd	3rd
VI	Deergha Gandhi-VI A	Siddak S. Dhaliwal-VIA	Bharat Mittal-VIB
VII	Rouble Vohra	Arnav Goel	—
VIII	Prajwal Arora	Mehak Mittal	Namit Gupta

February 8, 2012: English Declamation Contest - Grade IV & V:



The spoken word holds great value and more so, the way it is spoken. The fourth and fifth graders presented their oratory skills in this competition and came out with flying colours. The results are:

	1st	2nd	3rd
IV	Thwisha Mehta-IV A	Abhishek Aggarwal-IVC	Bhavika Jain-IVB Gazal Chhabra-IV A
V	Khushi Jain-V A	Yajat Dhingra-VB Aarushi Sethi-V A	Varin Kansal-V A

February 10, 2012: Magic Show:



It was fun time for children when they got to see amazing tricks being performed during a Magic Show organized by the Red Cross Society. Children applauded and cheered gustily at the wonders of yards of ribbons coming out of a hat, a bouquet popping out from a thin cylinder and many other tricks. They were spell bound when the magician produced wads and wads of money from a single note or when he read words written by the children from folded piece of a paper. Altogether an entertaining show indeed!

February 3 to 5, 2012: Tennis Stars Do Us Proud Again:



*Uday Sethi*

*Joykirat Singh*

It was celebration time again for our sports lovers when Uday Sethi of VI -A and Joykirat Singh of V - A won the first prize in the Inter School Tennis Championship. This duo has made the school proud in the past also by winning many such championships. Bravo !



# LAURELWONAT State LEVEL REPUBLIC DAY FUNCTION

It was a glorious achievement indeed for the school when our students won the first prize in the state level function at the Police Grounds. The tapestry woven by our young dancers depicted the vibrant culture of India. The peacock dance, Kutchupuddi dance and the energetic Bhangra impressed the audience and this fusion was greatly applauded. The students got appreciation awards and a cash prize of 21, 000 from the Governor. Well done students !! We are proud of you!



## Glimpses of Republic Day celebration at school







Giving and receiving gifts gives immense pleasure to all. An artistically wrapped gift gladdens one's heart even further. To nurture this very talent, a competition of Gift Wrapping was organized. Some out of box ideas created by the students delighted every one. The keenly contested competition made the work of the judges difficult. The result is:

	1st	2nd	3rd
IV	Divita Juneja-IV A	Kinjal Gupta-IV A	Vansh Gandhi-IVB
V	Sukant Jain-VB	Kinshuk Makhija-VB	Aashima Juneja-VB

### EDUCATOR'S CORNER

**February 4, 2012: Workshop on Perspective Building & Evaluation In Senior wing by Ms. Deblina Chakrabarty from Asset (Assessment of Scholastic Skills through Educational Techniques)**

We, at Mind Tree not only aim to polish the 3 R's of the students but also try to make them smart and sharp individuals. With this aim in mind, we hone the skills of our faculty too at regular intervals. The workshop discussed the thinking process of a child based on the evaluation of the Asset examination held a few months back. The workshop was conducted in a healthy and conducive environment. At the end, the resource person stressed that we as teachers should lay emphasis on perspective building and wean them away from identification, especially in the languages. It was indeed an eye opener to know how the children think and would undoubtedly help the teachers to tackle the problem areas.

**March 26&28, 2012: Workshop on Language Skills by Mr. Sahil Mohinder, a qualified Engineer and an Expert Linguist:**



To brush up the English language skills of the staff members, a workshop on English Grammar was organized. The resource person conducted the workshop in an interactive manner. It was indeed a useful exercise for all the educators.

**March 19 to 30, 2012: Workshop for Science Educators:**



An eleven day workshop for science educators was organized with resource persons from SEVA. The idea behind the workshop was to lessen the stress and anxiety of children while understanding the concepts of science. The role of educators was defined as the 'Manufacturers of our Future'. All

through the workshop, an array of energizers and co-operative games were conducted. The aim was to promote healthy classroom relations.



**February 18, 2012: Gift Wrapping-Grade IV-V:**

