# Xavronicle

#### **Quarterly Reverberation Of Wonder Time**

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## BEAMING FACES WITH SMILING EYES







"Everything you can imagine is real."

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"Never bend your head. Always hold it high. Look the world straight in the eye.."

## COLLOQUY

"The strength of the team is each individual member. The strength of each member is the team."

To acquaint the parents about the final assessments and to answer their queries pertaining to the final academic assessment, a conjoint session of 'Colloquy- A Cognizance on Assessments' was scheduled for Saturday, 13 February 2021 from 9:30 am onward for the students and parents of Grade III - VIII. The panel included the Headmistress and the teaching faculty of Grades III - VIII. We, at Xavier's, strongly believe that together we can give our children the roots to GROW and the





"Optimism is the one quality more associated with success and happiness than any other."



St. Xavier's High School conducted the magnificent and monumental online epic event: "XAVIER'S GOT TALENT- 2021" - An Intra School Talent Hunt Competition for the learners of Grades-III to VIII. Keeping up with the tradition to Explore, Engage and Excel, started igniting our blooming rockstars to give their best in the field of music, dance and art. Xavier's came up with this incredible extravaganza giving an opportunity to the learners to challenge their uniqueness, unleashing their talent, being what they are and exploring their X factor!

"Always keep your eyes open. Keep watching. Because whatever you see can inspire you."

## MINDING OUR MINDS

"Mental strength is not the ability to stay out of darkness, it's the ability to sit in the darkness knowing that the light will shine again."

It is that time of the year when students start preparing for their assessments. Everyone wants to perform and excel to prove how worthy they are. Every learner who aims to become a high achiever generally experiences exam stress which can be difficult to handle.

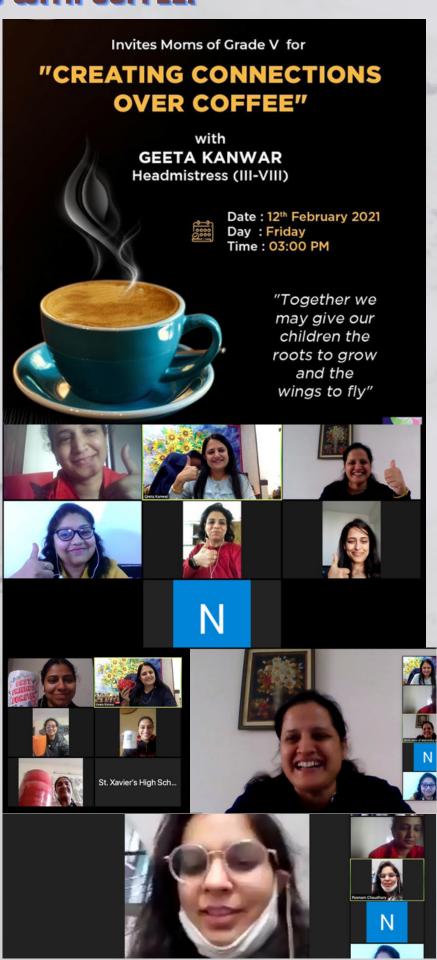
We must not let this stress impact our learners in any way, instead, we must constantly motivate them and reinforce our faith in their abilities. To create a positive impact of assessments on young learners St. Xavier's High School organized an interactive workshop Minding Our Minds: dealing With Examination Stress which was conducted by Ms. Honey Sharma, who is a member of our school's expert faculty of counselling department on 24th February 2021.



# "CREATING CONNECTIONS - POWERED BY LOVE & FUELED WITH COFFEE."

"The children are our priority, the change is our reality, and collaboration is our strategy."

Conversation over Coffee is a great way to get to know each other, share experiences, break all the barriers of communication and let ideas flow seamlessly! We believe that methodologies adapted and designed in collaboration with parents, who carry them out at home, will be unparalleled in yielding better outcomes. Thus, we had another effort collaborative "Creating Connections - Powered by love & Fueled coffee." with the Headmistress, Ms. Geeta Kanwar. All the lovely Moms of Grade V came together for a virtual coffee February 12, 2021, to share the combined efforts which are always directed towards the achievement of the common goal- Our Children! This session definitely created an environment of mutual trust and support between the parents and the school.



"The best time to plant a tree was 20 years ago. The second best time is now."

## INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY



"A strong woman is one who feels deeply and loves fiercely. Her tears flow as abundantly as her laughter. A strong woman is both soft and powerful, she is both practical and spiritual. A strong woman loves, forgives, walks away, lets go, tries again, and perseveres no matter what life brings her."

This Women's Day, every woman of Xavier's community celebrated her journey of womanhood.

Parents shared their moments of extreme happiness, where they did something adventurous or any moment of accomplishment showcasing their strength as a woman.

Xavier's family made this International Women's Day happy and a memorable one, empowering every woman in their lives.

## VIRTUAL MORNING ASSEMBLY



School's morning assembly is the best platform to encourage the students who have achieved something in academics or extra-curricular activities. When the achievers are awarded in front of everyone, they feel encouraged. This encouragement gives them the enthusiasm to achieve more. It also helps students to gather a lot of energy to do well and be good in their day. Grade V presented assemblies for everyone to take a beautiful start for the day.

"Fairy tales are more than true: not because they tell us that dragons exist, but because they tell us that dragons can be beaten."

#### REPUBLIC DAY



# LEARNER INVOLVEMENT ACTIVITES

#### **Craft for the Nation**

The teacher's fundamental task is to get students to engage in learning activities that are likely to result in achieving outcomes. It is helpful to remember that what the student does is actually more important than what the teacher does. Students learning with fun classroom activities should be designed to encourage their creativity and critical thinking. Whether it be recipes intended to highlight the importance of health, or art projects meant to inspire creative writing and enable reading comprehension, there is an activity for all subject matter. Facilitators at St. Xavier's High School engaged the learners in fun-filled activities and filled each one with patriotism.



"There is no way to happiness. Happiness is the way."

#### **SCIENCE QUIZ**

"Knowledge brings more knowledge."

Knowledge and mental stimulation play a huge role in sharpening the gears of every child's brain. If the child is exposed to more knowledge-based stimulants, he/she will have higher thinking ability, comprehensive ability and great communication skills. To engage and enlighten the students, an Inter-Class Science Quiz Tech-Whiz was conducted on 16th January 2020 for the students of Grades III - VIII.









"Don't stress. Do your best. Forget the rest."

# Olympiads

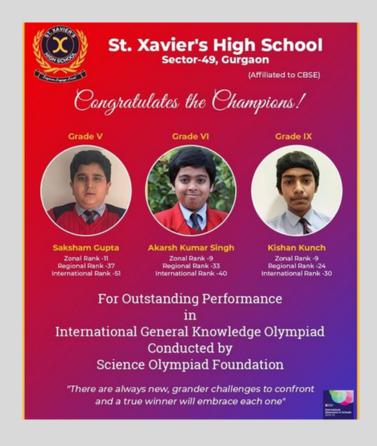


#### **International English Olympiad**

International English Olympiad (IEO) is a two-level competitive exam for classes 1 to 12. exam bv the Science Foundation is a grammar competition conducted in collaboration with the British Council. We take pride in sharing the magnificent news of our student- Master Saksham Gupta of Grade V who brought laurels to the school in the IEO (International **English Olympiad ) Examination by grabbing** Zonal Rank- 7, Regional Rank - 8 and International Rank - 10.

#### International General Knowledge Olympiad

The Science **Olympiad** Foundation the **International** General conducts Knowledge Olympiad for the students of classes 1 to 10. Xaverians are passionate about gaining all the knowledge under the Sun. The outstanding performance of Saksham Gupta of Grade V by bagging the Zonal Rank- 11, Regional Rank- 37 and International Rank-51 IGKO, conducted by Science **Olympiad** Foundation. is a testimony excellence.



#### Accolades for the School



#### 'Spell Bee Competition'

A spelling bee is a competition in which contestants are asked to spell a broad selection of words, usually with a varying degree of difficulty. To compete, contestants must memorize the spellings of words as written in dictionaries, and recite them accordingly. To the vocabulary an Inter-School Competition - 'Spell Bee' was held at The Venkateshwar School, Gurgaon on 16th January'21 where our proficient Xaverians of Grade V showcased a marvellous feat. Aditya Gupta and Mikhail Shah of Grade V stood second in the Inter-School 'Spell Bee' competition bringing laurels to the school.

#### 'Virtual Picturesque Verse Competition'

Adding to it, Aarav Kapoor of Grade V bagged a consolation prize in the Inter-School 'Virtual Picturesque Verse' held at The Venkateshwar School, Gurgaon on 20th January'21 where the children had to click any photograph and add a poetic verse fitting the picture and our proficient Xaverian showcased excellent performance of his creativity and imagination.



#### Accolades for the School



#### 'Festivista' - Every Dress Tells a Story'

It is time to celebrate the victory of our achievers. Our talented Xaverians astounded everyone through their commendable performance at the Inter-school Competition 'Festivista' - Every Dress Tells a Story at Alpine Convent School, Gurgaon on 16th January'21. Master Raunak Ghosh from Grade V, gave a splendid performance and achieved the third position in Group C of the competition.

#### 'FESTIVISTA'

"Desire is the starting point of all achievements, not a hope, not a wish, but a keen pulsating desire which transcends everything."

Talented Xaverians, yet again proved their mettle by bringing laurels to the school. In the Inter-school quiz- 'FESTIVISTA' organised by Alpine Convent School, Gurugram, Xaverians qualified and excelled in the first two rounds held on 16th January and 22nd January'21, made way to the Finals on 30th January'21, and emerged as winners in all four groups of the competition. We had Ram Bhamidipati, Vritti Kumaria, Atharv Upadhyaya and Tvisha Singh from Grade V who made us proud.



#### WEBINARG

"What is expressed by the learner is often more important than what is expressed to the learner."

With technology literally vanquishing the field of education, learning is no longer confined to the walls of the classrooms. As educators and learners, one is observing widespread and dynamic trends emerging in the field of education.

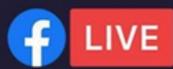
St. Xavier's High School presented a webinar series- "Revamping the Educational Approach" opening with Interlude 1: "Let's Not Confine Education To The Four Walls" on 15th March 2021 which was broadcasted LIVE and Exclusive on our school Facebook page. It indeed was an invigorating session with eminent educationist, Ms. Shalini Nambiar and our valued parent speakers.

#### WEBINAR ON

#### "LET'S NOT CONFINE EDUCATION TO THE FOUR WALLS"

**Guest Speaker** 





IN CONVERSATION WITH



Ms. Shalini Nambiar

(Member - Advisory Board St. Xavier's High School, Gurugram)

Ms. Geeta Kanwar (Headmistress III-VIII)



Ms. Archana Arora (TGT English)



Dr. Sunaina Dua (Faculty, Delhi



Ms. Deepa Rao (Art Coach)



Ms. Sangeeta Rao (Director, Gyani

"You will succeed because most people are lazy."

#### MONTHLY BATTLE- MOST COGNIZANT- A VIGILANT EYE





To encourage the students to widen their knowledge on the latest happenings around the globe, Monthly Quiz- 'MOST COGNIZANT- A Vigilant Eye' on Current Affairs was conducted for the students of grades III-VIII.

"The quest for knowledge, like everything else of value, is not to be obtained easily. It must be worked for, studied for, thought for, and more than that must be prayed for."



### **SHINNING SPARKLES OF V-A**



**Amaira Bordoloi** 



**Bhagya Khandelwal** 



**Hiranya S Hurdale** 



**Myra Sukhija** 



**Ram Bhamidipati** 



**Risesh Singhal** 



**Saumya Srivastav** 



**Vardhan Sharma** 



**Veydant Gupta** 





Vritti Kumaria



### **GHINNING SPARKLES OF V-B**



**Agrima Gupta** 



**Aryan Mokapati** 



**Avni Datta** 



**Dhananjay Verma** 



**Heeral Sondhi** 



**Mahi Katyayani** 



**Naisha Mishra** 



**Rajas M Sansare** 



Sanskar Gupta



Shaurya Saxena



**Shaurya Veer Singh** 





**Tavish Tyagi** 



"You must be the change you wish to see in the world."

### **GHINNING SPARKLES OF V-C**



**Aashna Singhal** 



**Aditya Gupta** 



Darsh Dhingra



**Deveshi Jajodia** 



**Jujhar Singh** 



**Myra Sood** 



**Raghav Goel** 



**Saarthak Dev** 



Saksham Gupta



**Shaurya Bahl** 



**Viraaj Verma** 



**Yashita Shah** 



"Numbing the pain for a while will only make it worse when you finally feel it."

### **GHINNING SPARKLES OF V-D**



**Aanya Singla** 



**Aanya Tyagi** 



**Aarav Chandana** 



**Abhiraj Singh Bedi** 



**Atharv Upadhyaya** 



**Avani Singh** 



**Bhoomika Jangra** 



**Gauransh Bajaj** 



**Jagrit Ahuja** 



**Kairavi Singh** 



**Mahishtha Gautam** 



**Manav Singh** 



**Nandini Rai** 



**Rishyt Prakash** 



Taneesha Singh



**Vansh Manak** 



Vansh Raj Gupta

"Do it with passion, or not at all."



XAVRONICLE: VOLUME IV

## SHINNING SPARKLES OF V-E



**Aarav Bansal** 



**Aarav Kapoor** 



**Arnav Gupta** 



**Devansh Yadav** 



Kritika Sharma



**Mannat katiyar** 



**Manvik Sikka** 



Mikhail Shah



**Raunak Ghosh** 



**Riya Rao** 



Samyak Garg



**Tvisha Singh** 





**Vansh Vijay** 



"If you want to live a happy life, tie it to a goal, not to people or objects."

### **GHINNING SPARKLES OF V-F**



**Abeer Buttan** 



**Ananya Jain** 



Arjun Hanlin Guha



**Arav Patnaik** 



**Avani Bhatnagar** 



**Harshit Yadav** 



**Krishiv Jha** 



**Manya Dixit** 



Nimeesha Gupta



**Rida Asad** 



**Rudra Rao** 



Saarthak Dhoble





Siddhi Mittal



### **GHINNING SPARKLES OF V-G**



**Aadit Sharma** 



**Aarav Avasthy** 



**Anoushka Mishra** 



**Fagun Beniwal** 



**Gauri Agrawal** 



**Jenessa Chawla** 



**Lavanya Yadav** 



**Nehal Gupta** 



**Pratyush Puneet Anand Riddhi Mittal** 





**Shaurya Tomar** 



**Shirin Paul** 



"Never give up on a dream just because of the time it will take to accomplish it. The time will pass anyway."

Thank you so much Ma'am..it was really a grt platform for students to enhance their knowledge thanks for conducting these quizzes you all did a grt job. Kids are learning more things and they are becoming more confident...we look forward to more such quizzes in future... congratulations to all the participants..keep it up

Thank you Neha, Ritika Mam and all teachers who supported this session. It was engaging and full of knowledge. As a parent I saw my kid to prepare for it and it was teachers focus that let it happen. Appreciate all the efforts.

Darsh Dhingra, VC

Hi Neha Ma'am..hope you are doing well..the year has passed by and students are ready to go to next session...want to share my thanks note with you [

During COVID, the way teachers have done a wonderful and one of the toughest job- whether it's teaching, organizing multiple events & providing students different platforms to show their talent was amazing. During this session St Xavier's entire staff acted like a trained army who know how to handle each and every student and keep them engaged with a very new concept'Online Classes'. You have done a fantastic job during online teaching as it is equally new concept to you as to kids

I just want to say that you have made online teaching so smooth that we never realised that our kids are not in school. Neha Ma'am really appreciate the way you teach & explain concept to kids - it's beyond comparison, though you have a very small kid to handle.

Good morning ma'am! Thank you for being a truly outstanding teacher with your never ending support. Your passion for teaching and your dedication to your students is obvious in everything you do. I hope you know the priceless impact you are making in so many lives. Will miss you a lot. All the best and be in touch.

Thanks Yashita's mom♥♥
Yashita VC

I am grandmother of Ghanakshri I appreciate u are so laborious nd caring nd softspoken teacher. When Ghanakshri was in
Agra with me I was daily hear ur way of teaching nd how u encouraged students.my best wishes with u. God showers all happyness on u.

Ms. Saroj singh
(Gramdmother of Ghanakshri V E)

Great efforts put in by the teachers.
This year was difficult but with the teachers' help and support we found this academic year wonderful. As the class teacher you were really kind and supportive and Kritika was very comfortable in speaking with you.
She will definitely miss all the teachers. Thank you Ma'am for your love and support
Ms. Bhawana Sharma
(Mother of Kritika Sharma V E)

Good evening ma'am

Today due to some network issues couldn't connect..

My Husband called me d conveyed ur all remarks...

First of all a very very big Thank you to u for ur hard work n d way u enlightened d students by ur knowledge..

Saarthak admire u very much first because u r his favourite subject teacher n secondly d way u teach Mathematics.....

I hope May Saarthak gets a chance again to learn from u in near future....

Thnq ma'am thnq so much once again □□□n good luck for everything ⊕⊕⊕

Saarthak Dhoble V F

Hi Mam, initially we were not sure how online education will happen and whether samyak will learn anything but now I can say that with teachers like you that's very much possible and kind of efforts made by all teachers are beyond imagination. It was very interesting for me personally to attend few classes with samyak and kind of learning imparted.

Ms. Prisca Garg ( Mother of Samyak Garg V E)

True mam..its our goodluck that our kids are associated with the class teacher like u...UR clear vision..UR way of making them comfortable..UR clarity of voice..UR level of patience...UR understanding of ur subject...UR words of appreciation ....last but not least ..U as the class teacher really means a lot to AASHNA...thanks a ton NEHA MAM...For ur love ,support n ur learning. We will always remain in touch no matters we met physically or not the whole year.

Thanku so much for everything. □◎
Aashna Singhal VC

I am thankful to you Neelam ma'am for giving us support, inculcating moral valuesand teaching grammar part so clearly and thoroughly that he will not forget these concepts in higher classes. Aarav's favourite subject is hindi and he scores highest marks in hindi than other subjects. You are such a wonderful teacher.

Thank you.

Aarav Avasthy, V G

Thanks a lot Ritika mam for your hard work. You have given good opportunities to kids
Ram Bhamidipati VA

Dear Mam, I would like to sincerely express my gratitude for yours and all the subject teachers untiring efforts in this entire session of V-E and helping all kids to grow and upscaling themselves in new ways of learnings. Your guidance and consistent support has really turned my son Devansh to become confident in challenging time and overcome with fears along acquiring focused learning abilities in this new era .. this wouldn't been possible without your support, once again I sincerely appreciate you and every subject teacher for their mentorship, commitments and dedication. Many thanks again and again!!

Mr. Pradeep Yadav (Father of Devansh Yadav) VE

"Sometimes you win, sometimes you learn."

Dear mam ,riya and all students are lucky to have a great teacher like you . your love and care for children is really nice. riya gonna miss you alot mam .so thanks so much all your efforts . thanks alot and God bless you all the happiness.

Ms. Jyoti Yadav (Mother of riya Rao V E)

Dear ma'am, Thank you for inspiring, caring, listening, guiding and shaping our future. I would want you to know that you are without a doubt, pretty much THE BEST TEACHER of all time, in the history of ever. Thank you, Teacher, for being kind, for making lessons fun, for helping me grow. 

Ms. Chetna dhingra

(Mother of Kinisha Dhingra)

"Never apologize for having high standards. People who really want to be in your life will rise up to meet them."

Thank u so much ma'am for everything ,it's been a wonderful year with u .under ur guidance she improved a lot in maths .Thank u for giving her opportunity to participate in interschool competition ,her oratory skills improved a lot .thank u 

Mahi Katyayani VB

Dearest Ruchi ma'am.... this year's classes seem to hv come to an end and as a parent i want to thank you from the bottom of my heart for all the help and guidance that you have provided during this year. Aryan has learnt a lot from you..... we are eternally grateful for the warnth and love and care you have shown ..... thank you ma'am \[ \]

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Aryan Mokkapati VB

"Never apologize for having high standards. People who really want to be in your life will rise up to meet them."

It was a really great association with you ma'am. Your love and care for children is really commendable. Always strive for perfection ©...
we are lucky to have you as class teacher...
Regards
Mr. Ratan Ghosh (Father of Raunak Ghosh VE)

Mam, we would like to thank you for the efforts you have put during the pandemic crisis.

Children are blessed to have you as their teacher. You will be missed by the children and parents of entire class.

Our best wishes to you.

Ms. Isha Bawa
Mother of Kabir Bawa V E)

It was a great opportunity to spend
our 5th grade with you and looking
forward to a very enchanting time
with you again
Tanya Katiyar
(Mother of Mannat Katiyar V E)

Dear Ruchi mam n Sukhbans mam, I have you to thank for inspiring my child to come out of her shell. She loves you so dearly, and she seems to think that you are made of magic. Thank you for being so good and so patient with her. I'm so glad for teachers like you who really make a difference in a child's life.

God bless you more and keep up the wonderful work.

My child has become a better person because of a wonderful person like you.

Thanks." cc : Ruchi Gera Mam.from mahi parent's

Mother of Mahi Katyayani- V B

It was a great year with you mam...virtually my daughter was so connected to u .She gonna miss a wonderful supportingloving and caring teacher. Thanks for everything. Regards Ms. Kanika Bhardwaj (Mother of Mannat Bhardwaj V E)

Dear mam, Thank you so much for giving wonderful opportunities that allowed Aarav to explore and grow. Your hard work and efforts are worth appreciating. Thank you for everything Ms. Nalini Kapoor ( Mother of Aarav Kapoor V E)

Dear ma'am Thank you so much for your efforts. All the teachers have made great efforts to make sure Kritika and all the students understand each concept. Thank you so much for the wonderful academic year. Mr. Sahil Sharma

( Mother of Kritika Sharma)

Sincere gratitude to you Ma'am for your constant support and dedication. **Grade VE journey was full of learning** in an extraordinary year. You have always been so approachable, patient, warm and very welcoming. Best wishes to you for the next chapter :-) Ms. Shikha Chawla (Mother of Mikhail Shah V E)

#### Dear ma'am

Thank you so much for giving all the students these bright opportunities these helped Parth in growing and understanding better.....You take care of children very well.....They'll surely miss you....May god bless you and give you all the happiness you want....Thank you...... Ms. Krishna Tyagi (Mother of Parth Tyagi V E)