



XAVRONICLE

The Xaverian Vibes!

GRADE IX-XII

Aug '20 - Nov'20

Introduction

As is rightly quoted by George Bernard Shaw, “Progress is impossible without change, and those who cannot change their minds, cannot change anything”, and entire Xavier’s family, be it students, parents, teachers or overall School, welcomed this change from physical classes to virtual platform, with open arms because, we all know, “Knowledge is power. Information is liberating. Education is the premise of progress, in every society, in every family.”

Not only, online classes and regular virtual assessments as Pre Mid Terms, Mid Terms and now Post Mid Terms, in the form of Subjective type, Objective type patterns, also, Art Integrated Projects and Viva Voice, all Xaverians, never left a single festival or occasion unattended. We celebrated, Teacher’s Day, Gandhi Jayanti, Dussehra, Diwali, Children’s day, each and every function with full zeal and enthusiasm. Moreover, now Senior Xaverians have become well acquainted with the Webinars by coming LIVE on School Face book Page.

In the month of October, for the First Time in the history of St. Xavier’s, there was a series of thirteen Webinars in a row, under the umbrella name “XAVERIAN XPRESSION” with hundred percent participation of students from Grade IX to XII, wherein all the students displayed a high level of enthusiasm from choosing the theme to making presentations, to conducting surveys, collecting data, collating facts and figures, enacting varied roles, reciting self-composed poems to one Act Plays, disseminating information, expressing opinions, creating humour, showcasing their talents in all forums, the students displayed their well poised personality like never before. Needless to emphasize the fact that Lockdown has proven a blessing in disguise, which taught not only, various life lessons, it even rejuvenated family ties and bonding among friends, but also, helped us in bringing to the forefront our hidden talents leaving all of us Techno Savvy.

Besides this, on various occasions, our school Facebook Page was adorned by the eminent guests from different fields with parents, students and teachers who, came on a common platform, as panels to discuss on important issues like, future Career, Psychological Counselling, rich Culture and Traditions of the country, to name a few.

And now, when we are on the verge of completion of the year 2020 and with that the syllabus, we hope that this virtual journey may soon come out of that ‘Necessity Zone’ and the silent corridors of the school premises get back its hustle and bustle.

Looking forward to meeting all my dear students in person, soon...

Regards,
Dr. Rajni Hoda
Sr.Coordinator

INDEPENDENCE WEEK

The school organized a sequel of Webinars for celebrating India's long freedom struggle. The progression of these webinars sequentially covered significant topics related to India's freedom struggle. This series of webinars started on the 7th of August and came to a close on the 14th of the same month.

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The poster features a central graphic of a globe with a blue and green color scheme. Text on the poster includes: 'ST. XAVIER'S HIGH SCHOOL' at the top, 'The INDELIBLE SACRIFICES' in a stylized font, 'Inter Class Competition' below it, and 'FIRST WORLD WAR & INDIA' in large bold letters. The date '8TH AUGUST '20' and time '2:30-3:30PM' are prominently displayed. A list of Team 1 members is on the left, and 'LIVE on Facebook' is on the right. Logos for the school and an international award are also present.

ST. XAVIER'S HIGH SCHOOL
"The INDELIBLE SACRIFICES"
Inter Class Competition
FIRST WORLD WAR & INDIA
8TH AUGUST '20
2:30-3:30PM
LIVE on Facebook

A sequel of seven episodes

Team 1: Grade IX
➤ Shreya Bhat
➤ Anushka Raj
➤ Divyam Mutreja
➤ Chetan Sarup Mishra
➤ G Likhitha
➤ Kashish Parashar

The first webinar was based on the "Sepoy Mutiny of 1857" and was presented by Team 1 (Khushi Bansal, Arsh Shankar Verma, Devansh Verma, Simran Seth, Avni Singhal and Ayush Singhal) on the 7th. It was followed by the second one based on the "First World War and India" and was presented by Team 2 (Shreya Bhat, Anushka Raj, Divyam Mutreja, Chetan Sarup Mishra, G Likhitha and Kashish Parashar) on the 8th. The third episode was based on "Gandhi Ji and Satyagrah" and was performed by Team 3

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ST. XAVIER'S HIGH SCHOOL
"The INDELIBLE SACRIFICES"
 Inter Class Competition

A sequel of seven episodes

QUIT INDIA MOVEMENT & AZAD HIND FAUJ
13TH AUGUST'20
2:30-3:30PM

Team 6: Grade X
 > Pranjal Agarwal
 > BTSS Alekhya
 > Priyal Yadav
 > Ishaan Dhar
 > Samya Nandwani

LIVE on Facebook

The event was a grand success and a great opportunity for students to come forward to showcase their calibre and creativity, simultaneously appreciating those known and unknown Indians who sacrificed their life so that

All these seven episodes aired LIVE on the Facebook page of the school and were watched by the students and teachers. The efforts put in by the students and teachers in all the episodes to make this series a great success was commendable. The students learnt a lot about the tough independence struggle that India went through.

we can breathe in the air of Independent India.

The winners of this Episodic Series were as follows-

1. 1st position- Team 5 (Aaryan Yadav, Ashnoor Singh, Paridhi Prabhakar, Phenil Bannerjee, Yash Yadav and Navneet Kumar)

2. 2nd position- Team 6 (Pranjal Agarwal, BTSS Alekhya, Priyal Yadav, Ishaan Dhar and Samya Nandwani)

3. Prize for the most correct answers in the quizzes- Chetan Sarup Mishra

The students came to know about those

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GANDHI JI & SATYAGRAH
10TH AUGUST'20
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Team 3: Grade IX
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 > Mayon Sharma
 > Prish Sethi
 > Hrisheek Soni
 > Ansh Arnav Xalxo
 > Sanjhi Wadhwa

LIVE on Facebook

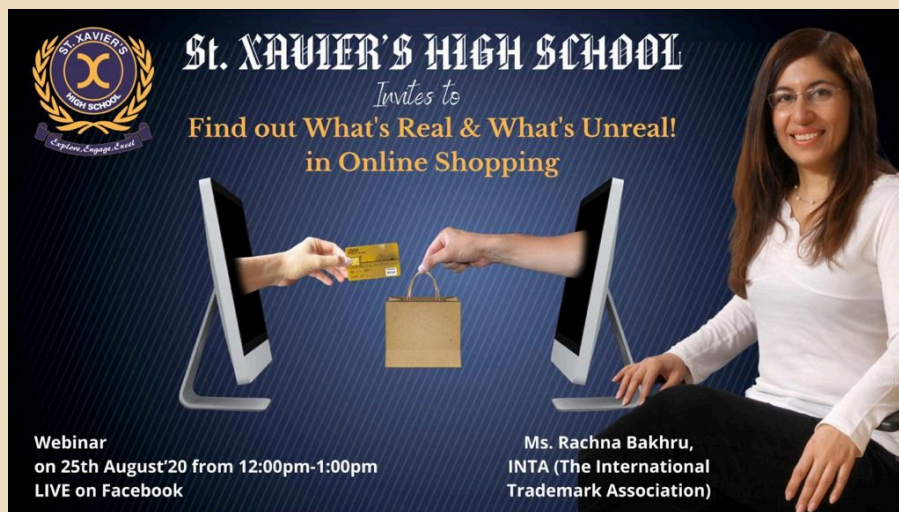
facts which they had never heard before this event.

"We, Xaverians, hope to keep ourselves engaged in such similar activities, exploring the world and excelling in the virtues of life, even in future."

By Chetan Sarup Mishra
IX B

THE UNREAL CAMPAIGN

On 25th August, 2020 St. Xavier's High School, organised a webinar on - "The Unreal Campaign" by Ms. Rachna



counterfeiting is often tied to Child Labour and Organised Crime and how we, together have a responsibility to make a difference on this issue by just saying "NO" to what's unreal.

In the webinar, Ms. Bakhru even showed the students how the counterfeit products look like the original, but is made without the permission of the person who invented the goods or retains the intellectual property of the product.

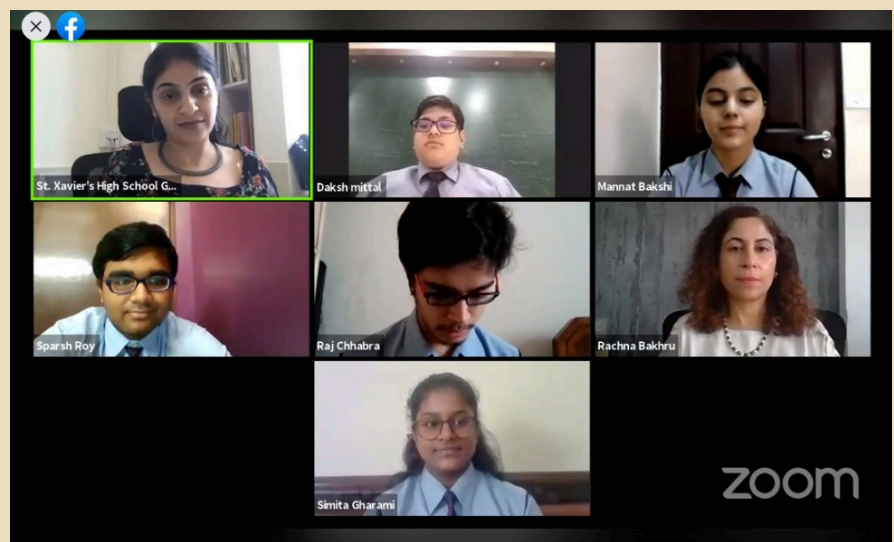
Bakhru. She is a member on the Bar Council of India, Arbitrator at National Internet Exchange Of India, Patent facilitator for start ups appointed by Department Of Industrial Policy & Promotion and also a member of INTA's Unreal Campaign (Asia & Africa Sub-committee).

In this webinar, Ms. Rachna Bakhru elucidated the students through the basics of trademarks, types of marks, signs and symbols.

She drew special attention on counterfeit and forged products. And how these feigned products are not just poorly made but they can be treacherous too.

Forged goods have a cynical economic, health and safety effects on us, our family, our friends and our community. She also notified the student about the fact that how

In the end, the students were given the opportunity to ask the spokesperson, Ms. Rachna Bakhru all kinds of questions related to the unreal campaign.



Such practical and heuristic ideologies shared by her would certainly emphasise the young minds to disdain and shun what's unreal.

By Sanya Sachdeva

Teacher's Day

The 5th of September: A DAY FOR THE MENTORS

The light of the world which beacon in the darkened hope that gives strength to survive, is THE TEACHER. On the 5th of September the Teacher's Day was celebrated in honour of the gifted souls who work every day to make sure that the future is bright for the students. They make sure, their students never take the wrong path, mentor us in ways no one can, they are like the second parents. Teachers are like a candle, who consume themselves to light the way for their students. They guide, where to look for and give the clues and ask to find the treasure to the students, and never take the credit themselves. As Dr. Abdul Kalam stated "Teaching is a very noble profession that shapes the character, calibre and future of an individual".

This year due to the pandemic the celebration of the Teacher's Day was not possible physically, so the students portrayed their thoughts virtually. They made a compiled video with small clippings of the students expressing their love and respect towards their teachers.

Teachers are the backbone of any society, they spear-head change by shaping and building the personality of the students and making them ideal and upstanding citizens of the country.

As no occasion is complete without music,

hence Nathan Philip James, from grade IX-C, a budding artist, presented a beautiful song dedicated to the teachers. Teacher's day is a day filled with lots of excitement as the students are eagerly looking forward to tell the teachers how and why are they special to them. They choose their own way to express, in the same flow, Aishwarya Sharma from grade XI-A gave a beautiful and graceful performance by her classical dance.

The program continued with the announcement of results of Independence

Week Competition by Sr. Coordinator Ma'am Dr. Rajni Hoda. After that, the most awaited affair of the whole program 'THE TITLE GIVING CEREMONY' began, wherein, all teachers were given titles, which were prepared exclusively for individual teachers by their students. The entire event was a teamwork of all the Senior Xaverians together, the value, which is inculcated amongst them by their very own teachers.

"A teacher cultivates a student's mind, like a farmer does to his fields. They are the source of knowledge and wisdom. From the leads, the ideas and the thoughts, that one day each one of us will use to provide back to this society. I would like to extend my gratitude to every teacher for their selfless service and dynamic support. I will always be eternally grateful to all my dearest teachers."

**By Anvitaa Chopra
XII A**



Making Choice to Make Career

The Covid-19 pandemic was like a bombshell dropped on the earth by a flick of the mighty cosmic hand. As a result, high levels of economic, political, and social uncertainty were generated. And for many people, especially students, the virus exacerbated the snowballing sense of uncertainty they already felt in their lives.

With the many unexpected changes that Covid-19 has brought, planning for the future can seem unbearable. Currently,

we are apt to worry about all that might happen, and often do so in a vague, hazy manner. This kind of worry can provoke unwitting reactions and hinder reliable decision making, which is quite problematic in the middle of a global crisis when so much is at risk.

To help students clarify their goals and consider what future they might face, St. Xavier's High School organised an insightful Webinar 2.0 in the Series on Career Guidance on Wednesday, 30th September 2020, MAKING CHOICE TO MAKE CAREER.

Mr. Ajay Mittal, Director of the International Placewell Consultants; Lizzie Rankin from University of London; Savi Aggarwal from Durham University, UK; Barbara Oertle from Anahuac Cancun University, Mexico; Cherie Ng from Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts, Singapore, and Ben Surbrook from Tokyo International Univer-

sity were the esteemed panellists who opened the door to a wide spectrum of possibilities, Xaverians could pursue for further studies and fulfil their dreams.

Established in 1996, International Placewell Consultants is one of the leading Overseas Education Consultants in India representing

over 500 World Premier Universities/ Colleges around the world. For the past many years, they have been sending thousands of students every year to various highly reputed Universities/ Colleges in UK, Ireland,

USA, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, Switzerland, Netherlands, Thailand. IPC has a strong presence all over India with a network of offices located in all the major cities of India. This has enabled them to reach out to a much wider population of the student market and provide them services in the fields of Career Counselling, Visa Assistance, Travel Assistance and Admissions at the Undergraduate and Postgraduate levels. City, University of London is committed to academic excellence focused on Business and Professions and offer academic employment and social opportunities. With over 20,000 students, City is diverse, over 40% of all City students are from outside the UK. City also has the largest Student Sports Centre in London. City offers generous scholarships for highly qualified students and accommodation guarantee for all first-year students.

ST. XAVIER'S HIGH SCHOOL
Making Choice to Make Career
WEBINAR 2.0
Career Guidance For Grades IX - XII

Lizzie Rankin
University of London

Savi Aggarwal
Durham University, UK

Barbara Oertle
Anahuac Cancun University, Mexico

Cherie Ng
NAFA Singapore

Ben Surbrook
Tokyo International University

Ajay Mittal
Director, International Placewell Consultant

Live on Facebook @ 12 noon
Wednesday, 30th Sept '20

ASPIRATIONS - no boundaries !

A globally outstanding centre of teaching and research excellence, a collegiate community of extraordinary people, a unique and historic setting-Durham is a University like no other. Durham is situated in the North-East part of England. Its castle and cathedral have been designated as UNESCO world heritage sites, Durham being a World Heritage City itself. The University is made up of three faculties: Arts and Humanities, Science and Social Science, and Health. It comprises of 16 Colleges with 25 Departments and Schools that come together to offer over 200 Undergraduate

and 130 Post Graduate Courses, as well as Research Programmes. Sport is a key aspect of student's life at Durham where most students regularly participate in one or more sports.

Anahuac Cancun Universities belong to the Top 3 of the best Private Universities in Mexico. In total, there are 18 schools and faculties at the University, with a broad range of subjects from Law, Architecture, and Languages, to Bioethics, Psychology, and Engineering. One of the University's Objective is a Solid Moral Foundation. The Education Model of the University emphasises the development of a Positive Action Leadership. The University is committed to help students who have good academic performance, 40% of the University's students have scholarships. Academic Scholarship Percentage can be from 10% to 80%.

Established in 1938, the Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts is Singapore's pioneer Arts Education Institution. Widely recognised in SouthEast Asia, NAFA's reputation is founded on its innovative curriculum and teaching approaches, as well as its diverse artistic creations. Scholarships are up to full waiver.

Tokyo International University (TIU) is a Pri-

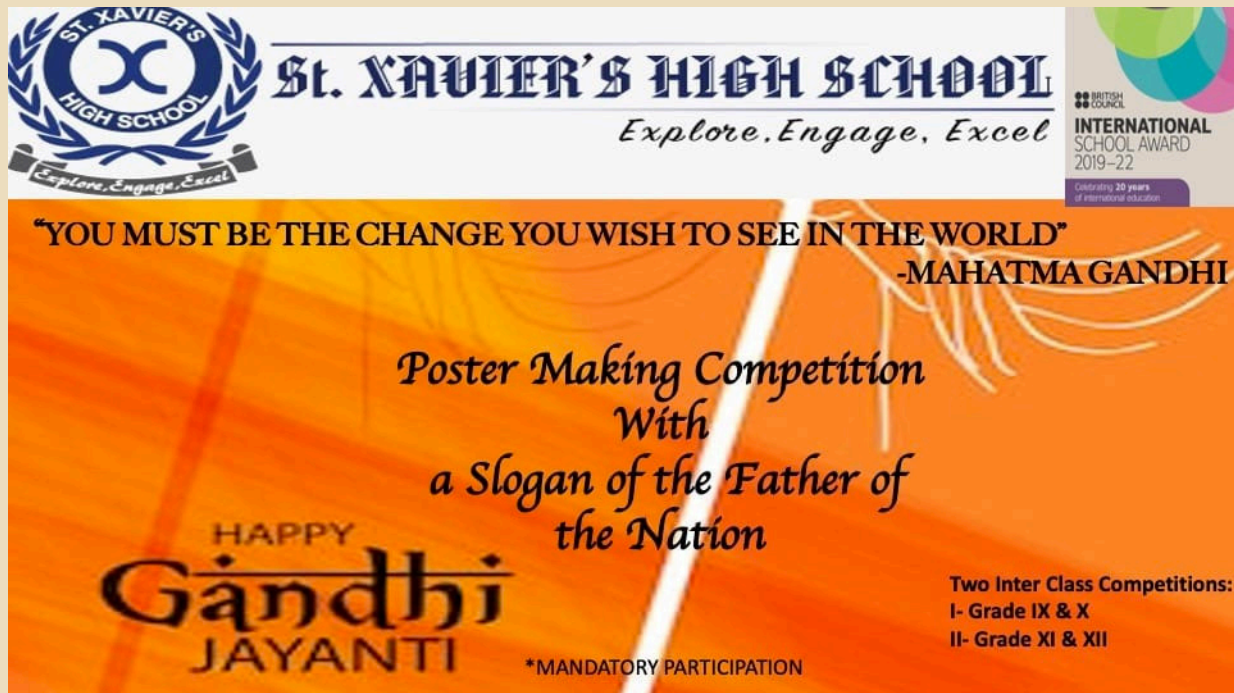


vate University founded in 1965 and is accredited by the Ministry of Education of Japan (MEXT). Since its founding, TIU has grown to encompass five Under Graduate and four Graduate schools, offering study options in Business, Commerce, and Social Sciences. Staying consistent with its Educational Philosophy of "Nurturing truly international-minded people," TIU boasts a highly international learning environment. Of TIU's approximately 6,500 students, roughly 1,300 are international students from 67 countries. Students have opportunities for further study abroad through TIU's impressive study abroad network, including the campus of sister school Willamette University in Salem, Oregon.

BY VANIA NAYAL
IX A

GANDHI JAYANTI

POSTER MAKING



Poster Making Competition with a Slogan of the Father of the Nation, this Inter Class Competition was held on 1st October, 2020 and was celebrated on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti. The competition was organized for two groups, one, for the students of Grade IX –X and the other, for the students of Grade XI- XII.

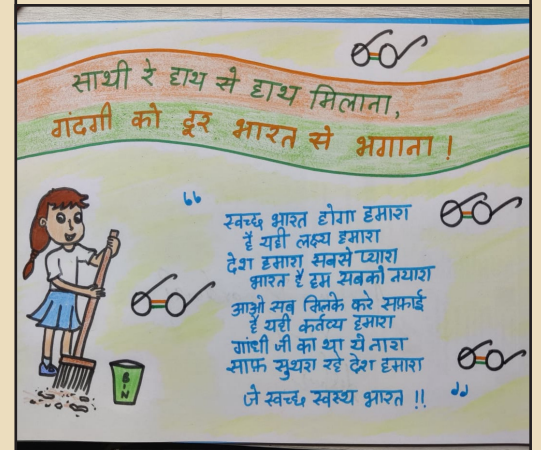
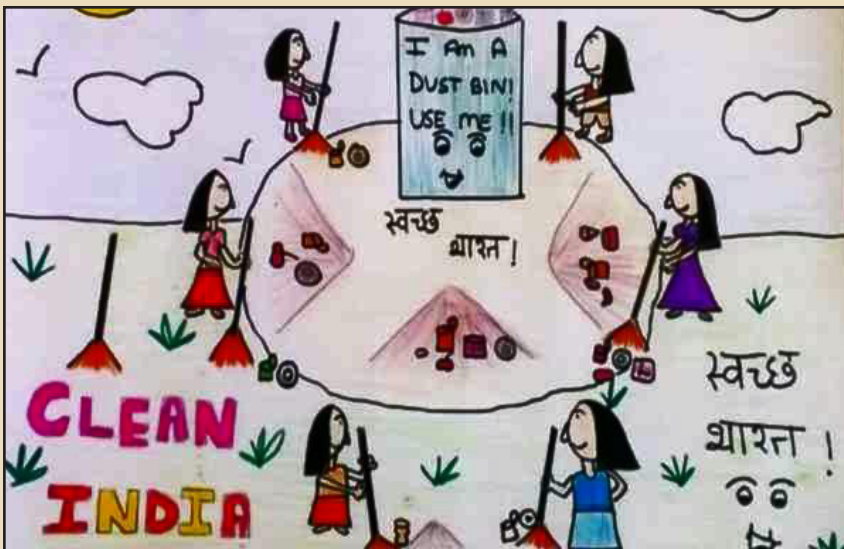
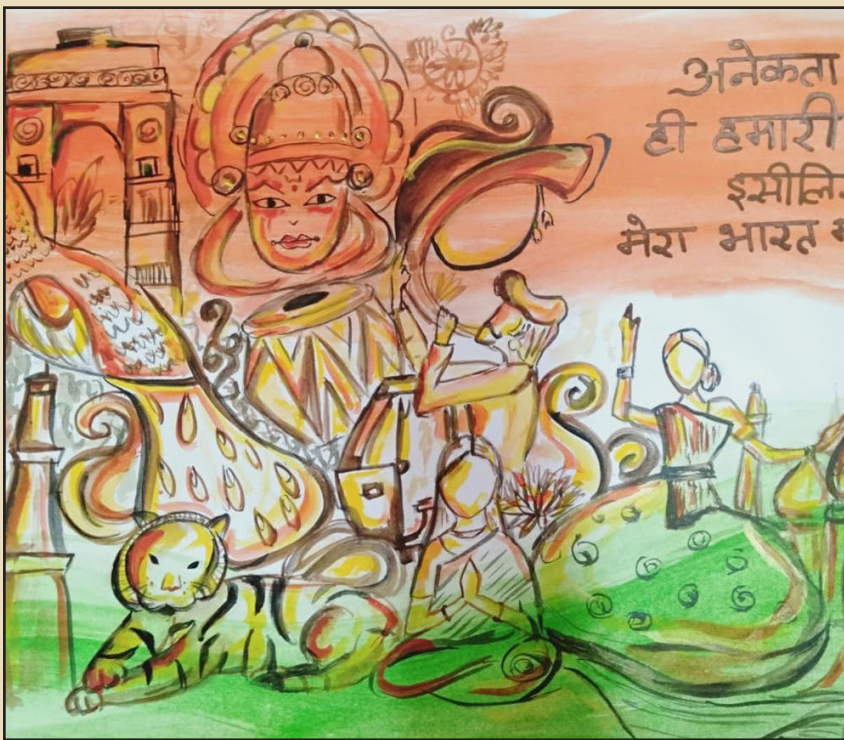
The students were asked to make the posters in their respective classes on any of the following themes:

- Ek Kadam Swachhata Ki Aur
- Ahimsa Aur Satyagrah
- Mera Bharat Mahaan
- Aatm- Nirbharta

All the students participated in the competition with great enthusiasm and

gave their best. Every poster was full of colors and carried inspirational as well as motivational thoughts and slogans. To appreciate the hard work of the students, a video, consisting of posters was uploaded on the School Facebook page. The winners of the competition in Group 1, i.e., Grade IX-X were First position Noor Juneja (IX C) and Second position Samya Nandwani (X B) and in Group 2 i.e. (Grade XI-XII) were First position Anvitaa Chopra (XII A) and Second position Sarah Kurian (XI C). Such competitions organized by the school, help in instilling and developing the creativity among the students and spread awareness regarding the current issues.

By Shreya Bhat
IX A



Top Left: Sneha Kashyup X A , Top Right: Dia Kakkar XII A, Centre Left: Hittesh Kumar XII B, Centre Right: Aeshna Bharadwaj XI C, Bottom Left: Tanvi Khaturia XI C, Bottom Right: Vishal Yadav XII B

XAVERIAN XPRESSION

“Give the youth a proper environment. Motivate them. Extend them the support they need. Each one of them has infinite source of energy. They will deliver.”

In October, the most pressing issues of the current time were summed up by the brilliant minds of Xaverians. They threw light on some critical matters under the expert guidance of their respective class teachers.

From choosing the theme and sub theme to conducting and organizing, the Cent Per cent Participation of all the students from Grade IX-XII, was showcased during these 20 days of LIVE Webinar Series.

On 14th October the first team of Grade XI A students presented their views on the topic “CHANGING INDIA PROGRESSIVELY-MEDIA TRANSPARENCY” wherein they showcased the importance of transparent media for a country to progress.

Most of us only know one story about Diwali i.e., “Ramayana” but the brilliant minds of XI B enlightened us about the not-so-popular legends behind the celebration of Diwali like Samudra Manthan, Naraka Chaturdashi and the release of the 6th guru of Sikhs. Many people think that Gen Z doesn't know and doesn't care about their culture, but they have successfully proven them wrong and in the due course, have also educated their peers about the same through the webinar on 16th October “UNTOLD STORY OF A LEGEND-SAMUDRA MANTHAN”

On 19th October, Team 2 of XI-A students conducted a webinar on the book “Factfulness” by Hans Rosling through the theme “FACTFULNESS-HOW TO CHANGE YOUR WORLDVIEW?” That book shares an insight on 10 basic human instincts and the students have meticulously summarised the entire book in the webinar. It teaches us to seek for facts instead of



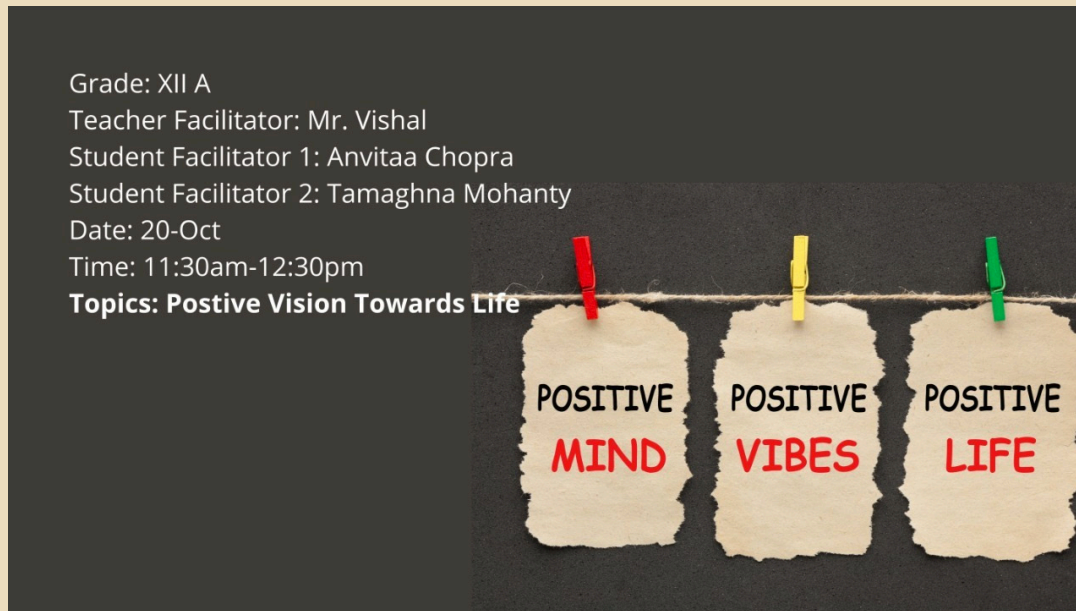
believing over-dramatized media, to not play the blame games and instead look for faults in the system and find solutions. They took a big risk by choosing such a substantial topic but came through with flying colours.

On 20th October, The students of XII-A, with their theme “POSITIVE VISION TOWARDS LIFE” taught how positive thinking is related to positive vision and eventually lead to success. They systematically explained how to perceive and deal with the problems. It is easier said than done but pushing yourself everyday will ultimately make optimism a natural instinct in every situation.

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On 26th October the students of XII-B explained how correct marketing can persuade people to choose their product or service. They talked about the 4 Ps of marketing i.e., Product, Price, Promotion and Place. They showed the creative visual advertisements of

Coca-Cola which uses simple but strong slogans such as ‘Enjoy’ and ‘happiness’ to advertise their products. They also talked about the marketing strategies of the greatest half a dozen companies like, Apple, Nike, Sony etc. under the theme “MAR-



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Festive Special Webinar was conducted on 21st October “GREEN DIWALI- EFFECTS OF CRACKERS ON ENVIRONMENT” which threw light on how to celebrate Diwali in an ecofriendly manner. The students urged the viewers to contribute to save the environment. Through this webinar, the students of class X tried to make everyone realize the gravity of the situation. The Second in line of Festive Special webinars held on 22nd October was “CELEBRATION OF FESTIVALS IN PANDEMIC” in which the students of XB talked about how the colorful, bright festivals of India are being celebrated under lockdown. The festivals which brought together people of different cultures and instilled a sense of brotherhood are now celebrated alone at homes.

KETING TACTICS”

On 27th October, through the patriotic songs, dances, table performance, poetry, drums performance the IX B students promoted the idea that “UNITY IN DIVERSITY” is the true explanation of our country through the diversity, beauty and grace that Indian culture possesses.

On 28th October, IX C walked through the whole pandemic, through the webinar “REWIND 2020-A CATALYST FOR CHANGE”, reminding how India went under lockdown right from March and the frenzy that followed. This webinar truly made reminisce and reflected back on the entire pandemic year.

“You are now on a digital platform and if you are not learning, not laughing and not being inspired, not networking then you are using it wrong” this beautiful thought was delivered by the students of grade IX A through their webinar DIGITAL LITERACY-BOON OR BANE on 29th October. To further

effective manner.

On 31st October, the students of class X A, through CYBER SAFETY, took it upon themselves to educate on cyber-crimes and how to limit the data extraction because criminals now, are using every technology at their dispos-

Grade: XII C

Teacher Facilitator: Ms. Vijayetha Agarwal

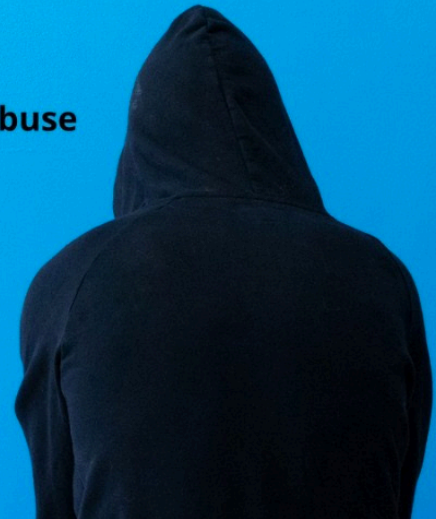
Student Facilitator 1: Snighdha Khera

Student Facilitator 2: Vrinda Sharma

Date: 30-Oct

Time: 1:30pm-2:30pm

Topics: Psychological Disorders and Substance Abuse



drive their point, Xaverians performed a creative fictional skit to lighten up the mood “honest online classes” in a humorous way.

On 30th October, grade XI C threw light on a very sensitive topic “IS SOCIAL MEDIA AS EFFECTIVE AS IT IS KNOWN?” and XII C students talked about “PSYCHOLOGICAL DISORDERS AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE”. The wise students put their best foot forward by touching such sensitive issues and bringing home the point in its most

al to hack into people’s account. They shared an eye-opening story of how a girl named Angela was deceived and a sum of 20,000 dollars was extracted from her by her pen friend.

The series of LIVE webinars of the “Xaverian Xpression” was truly a whirlwind of education.

**By Mishika Agarwal
XI A**

ECO FRIENDLY DIWALI CAMPAIGN



ECO FRIENDLY DIWALI CAMPAIGN (Grade IX-XII)

On 10th and 11th November, 2020, our school conducted an ECO FRIENDLY DIWALI CAMPAIGN, wherein students from Grade IX to XII participated by getting involved in activities which were Quiz Competition, Debate Competition and a Panel Discussion. The events aired LIVE on the school's Facebook page wherein students, teachers and parents altogether participated and made the saga possible. Grade IX students participated in Quiz Competition "TRANS DISCIPLINARY ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS DURING DIWALI"

The results of the competition were:

First position

- 1) Divyam Mutreja IX A
- 2) Riya Arora IX A

Second position

- 1) Arihant Nischal IX A
- 2) Chetan Sarup Mishra IX B
- 3) Kishan Kunj IX A

4) Mehr Behl IX C

Grade X students participated in the Debate Competition on the topic- "CRACKER FREE DIWALI- A PRACTICAL REALITY OR A VAGUE DREAM." Avni

Dadwal, BTSS Alekhya, and Payoja Banerjee spoke for the motion, whereas Palak Gulia, Kiara Sharma, and Phenil Banerjee went against the motion, and Anshika Aggarwal and Aman Jain were the interjectors.

The team for the motion highlighted all the problems faced due to the production and usage of crackers. The horrible conditions that workers are put through during the production of crackers were shared alongwith its already well known disadvantages such as the air pollution caused by the release of nitrogen dioxide and sulphur dioxide from the crackers that might affect asthma patients, chemical hazards such as copper, lead, sodium, zinc, nitrate, and nitrite, noise pollution caused by high decibels that can lead to temporary or permanent hearing impairments to individuals, harm to property and economy, etc. were all spoken about in detail.

On the contrary, the team against the motion called attention to how the burning of firecrackers has been in the Hindu tradition for years. Fireworks have been an inherent part of Diwali celebrations and not just Hindus, but people of other religions equally partake in this festival. The team also emphasized how the overall pollution will remain just as high, whether we stop using crackers or not. That in turn, makes it seem as though using crackers is not

contributing as much to the pollution as one may assume. The interjectors went back and forth in asking the two teams

questions which they all answered adequately.

The winners for the debate competition were as follows-

For the motion:

1st Position- Avni Dadwal

2nd Position- BTSS Alekhya

Against the motion:

1st Position- Palak Gulia

2nd Position- Phenil Banerjee

In conclusion, Grade X was successful in having a healthy debate about the topic and both the teams were able to represent their ideologies in an appropriate manner. Grade XI and XII students engaged themselves in Panel Discussion on the topic:

“DIWALI: FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS AND SWEETS, NOT SOUND AND SMOKE”. They discussed Diwali’s impact on the following:

- Asthamatic and Covid patients
- Helpless Animals and Birds
- Air and Environment
- Burning up money with Crackers

Aeshna Bhardwaj, Prakhar Mittal, Sarah Kurian, Aishwarya Sharma, Tanvi Kathu-

ria, Prisha Celly, Sas-thika Das, Rudransh Gupta, Keyah Singh, Swana Bhullar and Raj Chhabra shared the correlation

between Diwali and an increase in pollution levels, facts about industrial pollution, eco-friendly alternatives to firecrackers, effects of pollution on animals, deaths caused by pollution, extra pollution caused by stubble burning, and the various effects of pollution on asthma and coronavirus patients.

In conclusion, students were able to showcase their own different aspects, ideas and opinions as young thinkers. They not only got a forum to express their views but also helped the viewers expand their horizon of thoughts and beliefs.

**By Mannat Bakshi
XII B**



NRITYA KALAA

A RAY OF HOPE

On 12th November 2020, the school conducted a Diwali Special Webinar on the topic “NRITYA KALAA - A RAY OF HOPE”

The event aired LIVE on the Facebook page of school and was graced

by the guest speaker Ms. Shreewana Rawat who is a young, dynamic, upcoming Kathak Artist. She has performed in various cities in India as well as abroad. She is also associated with a spectacular show ‘Mughal-e-Azam’ directed by Firoz Abbas Khan. She has represented India in Brazil Festival and also performed alongside Mrs. Neeta Ambani and Mouni Roy under Vaibhavi Merchant’s Choreography. All the parents, students and teachers came on a common platform as the LIVE audience to watch the webinar wherein the Xaverian parents Ms. Sheetal Pratik and Ms. Kavita Malik along with the students of grade XI, Aishwarya Sharma, Daksh Mittal, Sohani Bhatnagar and Sujal Kumar had an interactive session with the guest.

The flow of the event started with a pre-

sentation by the students, where they explained the elements of dance and its various forms; classical as well as western. They enlightened the audience with the importance of dance for our health as well as education.

The significance of music and costume in dance was also explained by the students.

For doing visual justice to the topic of the event, Ms. Shreewarna Rawat presented a very informative COVID dance.

After this, the guest addressed the questions of the parents and shared her life journey.

The very awaited results of the Diwali Special Quiz

Competition “Trans Disciplinary Environmental Awareness during Diwali” were also announced by the guest.

Lastly, Ms. Shreewarna lighted up the event by her spell bounding Kathak Dance performance.

This event proved to be very informative and helped all to discover the hidden aspects of dance .



By Aishwarya Sharma,
XI A

ACHIEVEMENTS & NEWS

Besides actively conducting, managing and enthusiastically participating in LIVE webinars, Xaverians have recently earned laurels for themselves, as well as for their school, by participating in various Inter School Competitions, in varied genres like art and craft, coding and designing, debates and extempore, mind games and presentations, based on different themes, all on virtual platforms, and have successfully proven the famous quote of Dana Linn Bailey absolutely right, "IF YOU HAVE DISCIPLINE, DRIVE AND DETERMINATION....NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE."

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Hearty Congratulations !!

Arsh Shankar Verma
GRADE IX

INTERNATIONAL RANK-1
UNICUS CRITICAL THINKING OLYMPIAD
(UCTO-2020-21)

Winner

The award of excellence is presented to
Aishwarya Sharma
for Winning the National Talent Hunt 2020 & Being a
"MISAAL" for noble cause.

Ananya Dalmia
Young India Inspires

Magic Bus CEO
Childhood to Livelihood

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Online Learning Partner

WRITE NOW
a guided writing & publishing programme from
Scholastic-Quill Club Writers

CONGRATULATIONS

To the shining Student of St. Xavier's High School, Gurgaon for successfully completing the guided writing and publishing programme, and soon becoming a published author

Vania Nayal
Grade: 9-A

“ Write Now programme was a blessing in the middle of this pandemic. I was given the golden opportunity to explore the deeply enriching art of writing under the mentorship of excellent and experienced teachers. It was a wonderful platform which gave young students like me the chance to broaden our worldview. The mentors have helped me spark new ideas and nurtured my creative energy, they've given me honest feedback and helped me skilfully mould my writing style. ”

PRAYAG SANGEET SAMITI ALLAHABAD

Examination Session 2019-2020
MARKSHEET

SERIAL NO. : 620726 / PB154 ROLL NO. : 87230

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SON / DAUGHTER OF : K S MISHRA & GARIMA MISHRA

CENTRE NAME & ADDRESS : CHAITANYA KALA KENDRA
GURGAON (HARYANA)

SUBJECT : VOCAL YEAR : FIFTH

	MAXIMUM MARKS	MARKS OBTAINED	
PRACTICAL	100	77	DIVISION : FIRST DISTINCTION : PRACTICAL & TH
THEORY	50	42	
TOTAL	150	119	

GRACE MARKS IF ANY -

DATE : 03-09-2020

(Pradeep Kumar)
Registrar (Examination)

Talented Xaverians



Nathen P. James of IX C singing a song in his breathtaking voice.



Aishwarya Sharma of XI A, in her elegant posture, performing dance



Raj Chhabra of XI B playing synthesizer to express his love and respect to all his teachers on the occasion of Teacher's Day



Shreya Bhat of IX B, taking oath on RASHTRIYA EKTA DIWAS

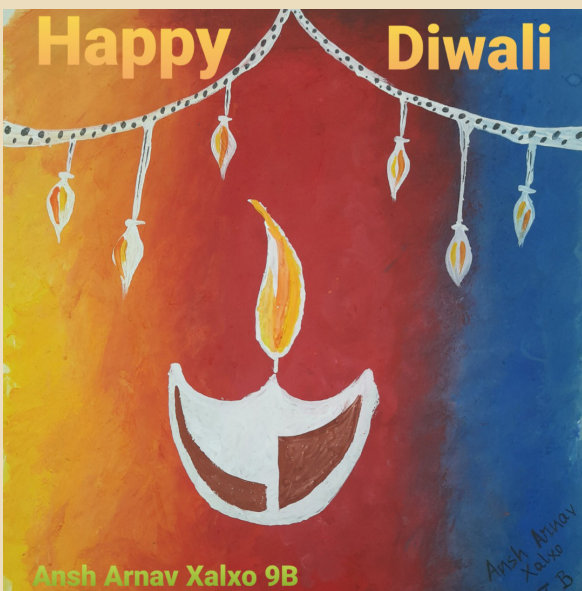
From our Students



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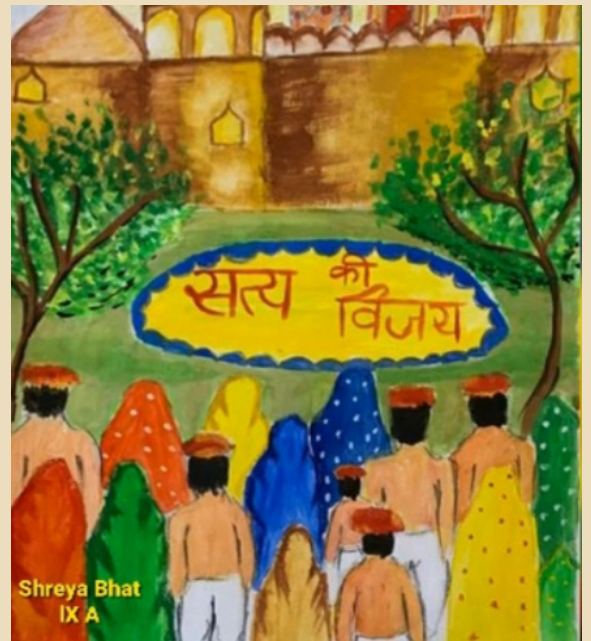
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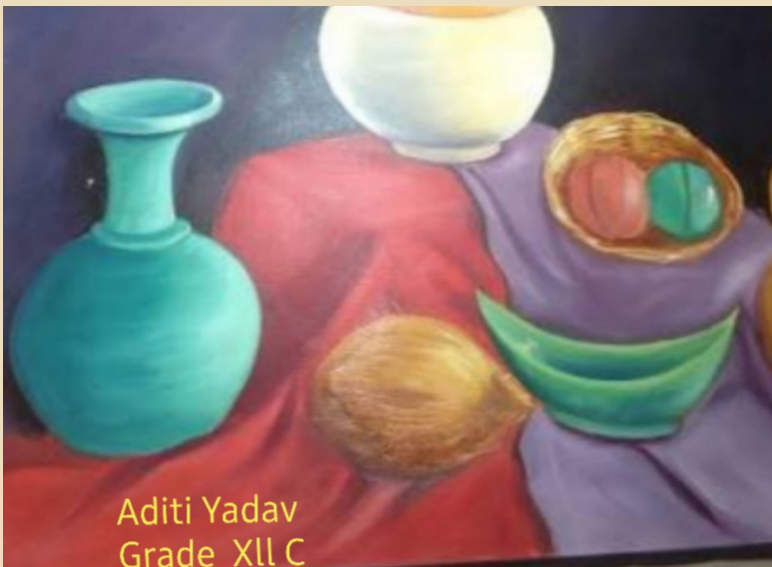
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IX A



Sarah Kuram
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Aditi Yadav
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AISHWARYA SHARMA
Grade XI A

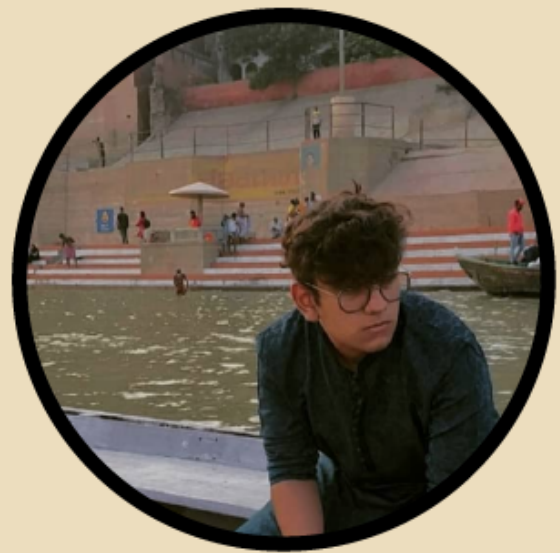
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