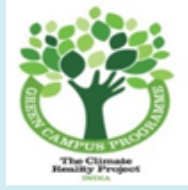




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"We are not what other people think of us.
We are in reality only what we are in the eyes of God"

-DADA J.P.VASWANI

MEATLESS DAY

Rev. Sadhu Vaswani's 144 th Birth Anniversary

On the divine occasion of Rev. Sadhu Vaswani's 144th Birth Anniversary, we at SVISG embarked on a sacred mission to rejuvenate and breathe new life into our world. With the eternal protection of our beloved Guru, we dedicated ourselves to extending a healing touch to our ailing Mother Earth. Each intricately crafted activity served as a seamless bridge between heart-centred education and the cultivation of intellectual faculties. These transformative experiences, rooted in the realm of practical learning, enriched both emotional and cognitive capacities, providing the requisite knowledge and skills to contribute meaningfully to the creation of a more compassionate and enlightened world.

These purposeful activities were meticulously integrated into the curriculum, showcasing a commitment to holistic education in line with the principles laid out in the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. Each event, spanning a spectrum from academic pursuits to artistic expressions and sportsmanship, reflected a harmonious blend of tradition and modernity. The academic planner provided a robust framework for infusing reverence for Rev. Sadhu Vaswani into our educational tapestry.





To defend the weak, to guard those that are below us in the scale of evolution, is to grow in the nobility and strength of life.

JR. ANNUAL FUNCTION

Joie de Vivre – Vision to Fruition



On November 05, 2023, unparalleled joy permeated the air as the gates of SVISG, Primary Wing welcomed an unforgettable day of festivity. Aptly titled, Joie de Vivre, the school premise was transformed into a vibrant showcase of talent, creativity, and vitality. Through an enthralling blend of song, music, aerobics, dance, drama, and yoga, the event radiated a kaleidoscope of emotions, leaving an indelible mark on the hearts of all attendees, bringing the theme, 'Vision to Fruition' to life.

The esteemed presence of the members of the School Management Committee added a note of elegance to the occasion. School Principal, Dr. Santosh Vyas extended a warm welcome and acknowledgment to the distinguished Chief Guest, Ms. Manvi Gupta, Co-founder, Head Counselling and Parent Coaching, Parwarish. Dr. Vyas, in her stellar Annual Report, not only underscored the school achievements but also emphasized the significance of fortitude, integrity, and resilience, fostering a collective commitment to growth and innovation.

Notably, the events Chief Guest, Ms. Manvi Gupta, delighted the audience with her affable presence, praising the school's holistic approach to education and its emphasis on "celebrating the uniqueness of every child". Ms. Gupta's impassioned call for comprehensive education resonated deeply, inspiring the audience to contemplate the role of adults in shaping a more conducive society for our children.



The dance performance, Avighna by the young ones served as a tribute to Lord Ganesha to elevate our intellect, clarity and understanding. Our young yoga practitioners displayed a remarkable presentation, showcasing their dedication to this ancient discipline. The soulful melody presented by our young singers dedicated to the Mira Movement aimed at uplifting young girls, was a powerful testament to the transformative impact of education in dismantling social obstacles.

Set to the lively tune of Zumba High, our young enthusiasts delivered a vibrant and fluid sequence of alternating high and low movements, showcasing their extraordinary flexibility as a part of Aerobics routine. The Prize Distribution Ceremony crowned the commendable achievements of both students and staff, highlighting the school's commitment to academic excellence and holistic development.

Concluding the day festivities, Headmistress Ms. Deepti Sharma expressed heartfelt gratitude, urging all to continue exploring new horizons and embracing the interconnectedness of our shared cultural heritage.

At its core, the SVISG Primary School Annual Function served as a radiant beacon of optimism, reinforcing the significance of community, values, tradition in the hearts and minds of our young learners while celebrating the empowerment of girls that began with an altruistic vision in 1933.





SR. ANNUAL FUNCTION

Joie de Vivre – Vision to Fruition

On 4th November 2023, the Senior Wing of Sadhu Vaswani International School for Girls, Shanti Niketan, celebrated its Annual Function with great enthusiasm and zeal. The entire Senior Wing worked wholeheartedly towards the success of this grand event that celebrated the **90 glorious years of the Mira Movement**. The triumph was possible by the relentless efforts of the Principal – Dr. Santosh Vyas. Dr. Jitendra Nagpal, Senior Consultant Psychiatrist, Moolchand Medicity, New Delhi graced the occasion as the esteemed Chief Guest for the event. In his discourse, he motivated the audience to take up challenges positively and excel in life. Mrs. Vimla K Datwani, Trustee, Sadhu Vaswani Mission and Dr. Nina Lakhani, Treasurer and Member, Sadhu Vaswani Mission were the guests of honour for the event.



School Principal, Dr. Santosh Vyas, a seasoned scholar formally welcomed and felicitated the eminent guests and read the Annual Report of the school highlighting the various achievements and exemplary performances. The event commenced with the spectrum of events which inundated the audience. The theme for the Annual Day was '**Joie de Vivre- Vision to Fruition**'.

The show began with a musical blend of cosmic tune and divine music where the school orchestra brought live on stage Raga Kalavati, Yaman and Keshavam representing the evolution of Mira Movement. Spanish dance interpreted "Vida' (life) with grace, precision and a touch of our own magic which held the audience spellbound. The school's choir group sang a motivating song which captivated everyone in its music and beauty. The next performance, a lyrical and contemporary dance was a tribute to women who fought for freedom, equality and equal rights for education in a society ruled by patriarchy. The young dancers through their performance 'Gyan Ki Roshni' conveyed a powerful message that to move ahead girls have to listen to their heart, get educated and be a warrior to attain their dreams.

Gracefully dressed in colourful costumes, the young girls transported the audience to the streets of Paris through a vivacious French Dance performance. The participants were energetic and performed their dance moves with poise. Uniting with the purpose of the vision of the School for holistic development and girl empowerment, the young yogis displayed their meticulous skills. The highlight of the function was the multilingual play, 'The Legacy of Learning' that depicted the origins of the Mira Movement in Education. This dynamic production accentuated the vision of Revered Sadhu T. L Vaswani, its commitment to inclusive and innovative education practiced. The Annual Prize Distribution Ceremony was a moment of pride and honour for all the winners and achievers of the school.



He is truly great who greatly serves.



Bhartiya Bhasha Utsav



In the 2022-23 board exams, our school's students excelled not only in various subjects but also achieved commendable results in Hindi language, with 90% or more marks. As a recognition of their achievements, 23 students and 3 teachers were honored with medals and certificates at the 'Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav' on December 6, 2023, at Talakatora Stadium, Delhi. The event, attended by the President Ram Nath Kovind, involved participation from around 200 schools in Delhi,

State Champion



R. Abhirami, a seventh-grade student, clinched victory in the state-level cultural competition 2023-24 for Jr. Girls, organized by the Directorate of Education, excelling in the instrumental/percussion category. Her remarkable prowess in this specific event highlights her dedication and musical talent, earning her well-deserved recognition at the state level.



SCHOLAR BADGE

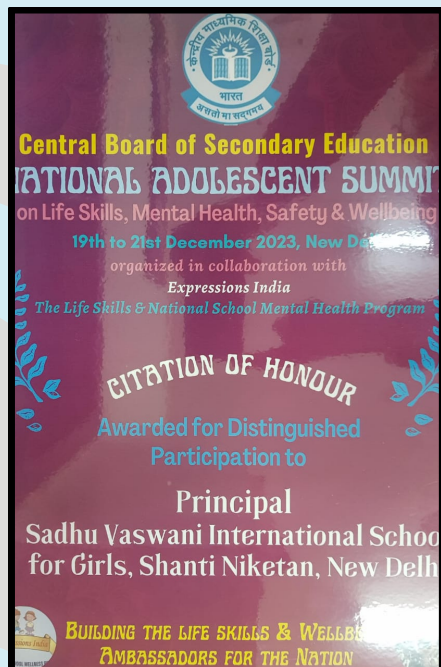


The Scholar Badge ceremony conducted for different sections of the school celebrated the remarkable academic achievements of students who consistently secured exemplary grades across all subjects throughout the year. The event was a testament to their unwavering dedication and hard work. Proud parents, teachers, and students gathered to applaud these outstanding scholars. The ceremony not only honored academic excellence but also motivated others to strive for similar success. It showcased the school's commitment to nurturing a culture of learning and achievement among its students, fostering a positive and competitive academic environment.



AWARDS AND ACCOLADES

SCHOOL AWARDS



CBSE National Judo Championship



Yashi Tokas of class IX won the Gold medal in the national CBSE Judo championships held at Modern School in Noida in November 2023.

Lavanya of class VI won the Silver at National level and Jivika Tokas of class X won the Bronze in the same event.

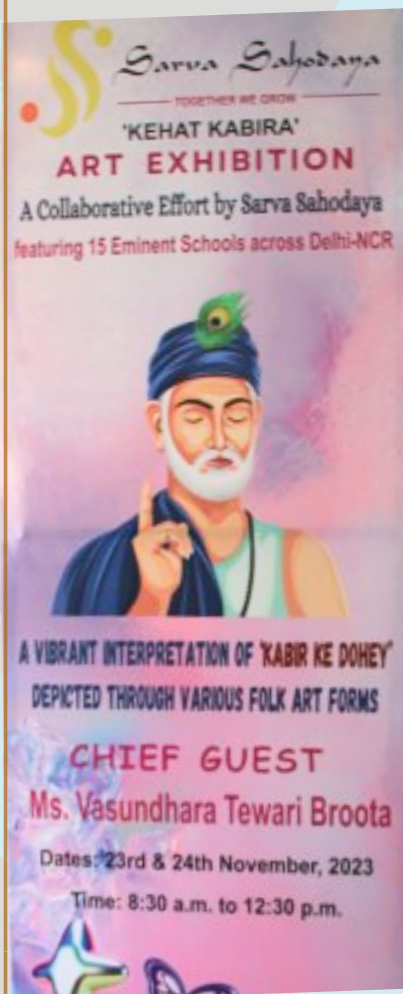
The overall championship trophy for girl's category was lifted by SVISG in the CBSE National Judo Championship.

SARVA SAHODAYA ART & PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION

The creative spirit soared to new heights at SVISG, New Delhi during the Sarv Sahodaya Art and Photography Exhibition where students of member schools had the chance to embrace their creative impulse on November 23rd and 24th, 2023. The event commenced with the traditional lighting of the lamp, symbolizing the enlightenment of creativity, illuminating the path of our young artists. The host Principal, Dr Santosh Vyas extended a warm welcome to the illustrious gathering, acknowledging the presence of the Chief Guest Ms. Vasundhara Tewari Broota, an eminent artist. Gracing the occasion were dignitaries, Ms Neera Chopra, Education Analyst, Ms Mallika Preman, Principal, Tagore International School, EOK, Ms Madhulika Sen, Advisor, Tagore International School, VV, Ms Richa Sharma Agnihotri, Principal, Sanskriti School, Mr. Rajat Sharma, Principal, General Raj School, lending their distinction to the event.

An acclaimed artist, Ms. Broota, was felicitated for gracing the occasion with her presence. This gesture underscored the importance of honouring those who inspire and elevate the artistic landscape.

At the end of the event, participants were appreciated for showcasing vibrant interpretations of Kabir Ke Dohe through diverse folk art forms. This celebration mirrors Kabir's syncretism, reminding one of the unique potential of art to bridge divides. Participants were lauded for ingeniously capturing human emotions through their lenses, creating shared experiences that contribute to the collective narrative of one world.





Simplicity is the secret of true beauty.

Annual Athletics Meet

The SVISG Annual Sports Meet 2023 unfolded as a breathtaking spectacle, radiating grandeur and unwavering enthusiasm. The entrance of the Chief Guest and dignitaries, escorted by impeccably disciplined Guard of Honour, set the stage for a day filled with riveting displays of athleticism. The ceremonial proceedings commenced with the traditional lamp lighting and seeking blessings of our revered Gurus, Sadhu Vaswani and Dada Vaswani. School Principal Dr. Santosh Vyas and the esteemed Chief Guest presided over the awe-inspiring March past by the four houses of the school, led by the School Council.

Chief Guest Dr. Laxman Singh, in a symbolic gesture, hoisted the school flag, an emblem of the pursuit of excellence that defines SVISG. Dr. Santosh Vyas, in her eloquent welcome address, expressed not only pride but a deep sense of honor in the students' achievements, highlighting the pivotal role of parental involvement in nurturing the indomitable spirit of sportsmanship.

The Vice Principal, in an articulate introduction, portrayed the Chief Guest, Dr. Laxman Singh, Supervisor, Physical Education Zone 19 as a beacon of inspiration for the budding athletes. This paved the way for a stellar presentation of the Annual Sports Report by Sports Captain Divjot Kaur Bajaj, showcasing a narrative of determination and triumph.





Dr. Laxman Singh's declaration, pronouncing the Annual Sports Meet open, resonated with an insightful emphasis on the profound importance of physical activities in shaping the holistic development of the students. The Torch Relay ignited the flame of fervor and passion for the sporting spirit. It was a relay that conveyed a message of peace and harmony, marking the inception of a day filled with sporting excellence.

The oath administered by the Sports Captain, was a ceremonial commitment yet a resounding pledge to adhere to the rules and embody the true essence of sportsmanship.

The subsequent events were nothing short of a spectacular showcase. The band rhythmic performance was a mesmerizing display of musical prowess. The skaters, not merely demonstrating precision, but executing their maneuvers with elegance on a challenging rough surface, left the audience in awe. Taekwondo and self-defence techniques were powerful exhibitions of skill and resilience. The aerobics performance, an energetic routine was a testament to the vigor and enthusiasm embedded in every participant.

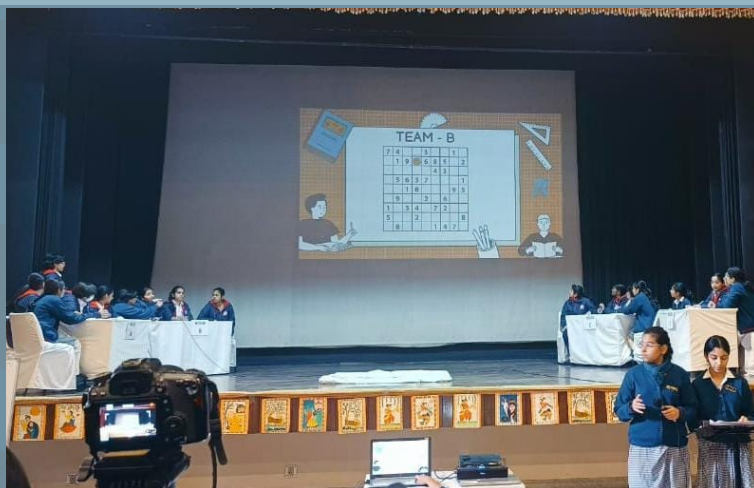
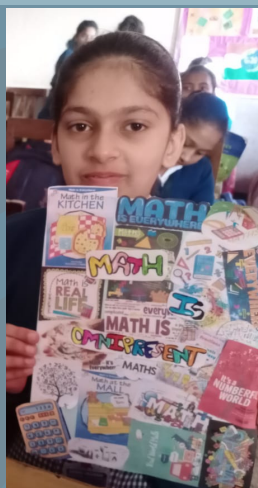
The Grand Finale, a spirited welcome to 2024, marked the beginning of the track events, setting the stage for yet another year of sporting excellence. Sindhu House's triumph as the Best House in the March Past was a reflection of their commendable hard work and coordination.



Education should be related to life and not be an academic study.



GANIT WEEK



Mathematics is crucial in daily life, impacting various fields. The school celebrated GANIT WEEK from December 18 to 22, 2023, honoring S. Ramanujan. The activities aimed to foster innovation and a positive attitude towards Mathematics, connecting concepts to real-life. Events like Math Quiz, Math-e-Couture, and more engaged students from Pre-School to XI, making the week a success. Dr. Santosh Vyas, the school principal, praised the initiative for providing a platform to appreciate numerals and understand the practical relevance of mathematics.

NATIONAL ADOLESCENT SUMMIT - 2023

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The CBSE National Adolescent Summit held at Bal Bhawan from 19th to 21st December 2023 was a significant event focusing on life skills, mental health, gender safety, and overall well-being. The summit aimed to address the multifaceted challenges faced by adolescents and promote their holistic development.

One of the standout features of the summit was a captivating dance performance by the girls of participating schools. The performance put up by students of our school portrayed the journey of the girl child through adolescence, highlighting themes of awareness, responsibility, and empowerment.

The participants comprised of educators, policymakers, and students from across the country, who joined the summit for meaningful interactions towards holistic development of adolescents.

ALUMNI MEET

The much-anticipated Alumni Meet on December 9, 2023, was a delightful journey down memory lane. The event commenced with the ceremonial lighting of the lamp by esteemed school Principal, Vice Principal and distinguished alumni, Ms. Pooja Sharma and Ms. Deepti.

The audience was taken on a nostalgic ride, witnessing the school's progress and the incredible journey of success and growth.

Ms. Shinjini, an alumna who took the stage after 21 years, mesmerized everyone with a spectacular Kathak performance. Extending a warm welcome to the alumni, the Principal, Dr Santosh Vyas highlighted the importance of keeping interests alive, encouraging students to share their experiences and create lasting memories.

Srishty, a proactive alumna, expressed her desire to talk about HPV, underscoring the importance of health and well-being in the society.

The Alumni Meet concluded on a high note with the vote of thanks delivered Ms. Rajni Tekchandani, leaving everyone with a sense of nostalgia and renewed connections.



FAREWELL

Hasta La Vista: Farewell Ceremony

The Senior School bid adieu to the Class of 2024 in a splendid farewell event held on December 30, 2023. Head Girl 2023 extended a warm welcome to the dignitaries and the outgoing batch, setting the tone for an unforgettable day. Principal Dr. Santosh Vyas graced the occasion, offering congratulations to the students and emphasizing the significance of hard work in their future endeavours. The event commenced with a dazzling display as students elegantly walked and placed earthen lamps on the visually enchanting floral school logo, symbolizing their enduring commitment to their alma mater.

The evening unfolded with three intense talent rounds, culminating in the crowning of Pranjal Kaur as Ms. SVISG, Head Girl of Batch 2022-23. The former student council members were honored with the prestigious Smt. Sucheta Rana Chanda Awards for Excellence in Leadership, recognizing their outstanding diligence. Yashi Sharma, Vice Head Girl proposed the vote of thanks. A sumptuous and hot lunch was served, providing a delightful break before the students energetically took to the dance floor, adding a vibrant rhythm to the celebration. The farewell marked a grand culmination, fittingly encapsulating the spirit of a year well spent.



HERITAGE QUIZ

The CBSE Heritage India Quiz 2024, hosted by Sadhu Vaswani International School for Girls, co-presented by Geetam University, saw teams from various regions compete. Spring Dale Senior School, Amritsar emerged as champions, with Raghuvansh Wadhwa, Gursidak Boparai, and Nitya Singhania displaying exceptional knowledge. The principal, Dr. Santosh Vyas, expressed gratitude to CBSE and acknowledged the meticulous planning involved.



Ms. Nidhi Chibber, IAS, Chairperson, praised all participants and commended the host school. The chief guest, Dr. Joseph Emmanuel, Director Academics, and other dignitaries were honored for their support in making the event successful. In her closing remarks, Principal Dr. Santosh Vyas, along with Manager Sunita Malkani, extended appreciation to the chief guest, Dr. Joseph Emmanuel, Director Academics, and other dignitaries for their invaluable support. The event showcased the dedication, determination, and knowledge of the participants.

DAYLIGHT VENTURES: EXCURSIONS



HIGHCOURT

On 28th August 2023, students of classes XI and XII, who have opted for Legal Studies and Political Science, went on a fruitful expedition to the Delhi High Court to get conversant with the Indian Judicial system and witness legal proceedings happening in real time. The students had a befitting opportunity to witness a case proceeding with the Honourable Chief Justice of the High Court presiding over the bench.

After getting an extensive tour of the enormous courtrooms and numerous wings, the students witnessed the colossal library of the Court wherein there was a huge conglomeration of books constituting the earliest and the most novel case laws.

At the end of the tour, the students interacted with a civil litigation lawyer and shared their fervour and enthusiasm regarding the field of law.



VISHALGARH



Classes VI and VII embarked on an educational trip to Vishalgarh Farms in Gurugram, a 15-acre haven of greenery, escaping the city's hustle. Departing at 8:15 am, the journey was filled with joyous singing. Upon arrival, a delightful breakfast awaited, followed by diverse activities like Puppet shows, Folk dances, and Archery. The excursion proved a refreshing break, introducing students to new experiences, fostering camaraderie, and offering insights into Rajasthan's rich culture. Overall, it was an enriching adventure, blending fun and education seamlessly.

CHOWKI DHANI



Students of Class VIII and IX recently visited Chokhi Dhani in Sonipat, immersing in cultural activities and traditional Rajasthani cuisine. The trip provided a blend of entertainment and education, fostering a sense of cultural awareness. Students engaged in folk dances, puppet shows, and savored regional delicacies, enhancing their understanding of diverse traditions.



VIDHAN SABHA



The students got an opportunity to visit Delhi Vidhan Sabha. It was an insightful journey into the functioning of our democratic institution. From the moment we arrived, the stringiest security checkup highlighted the importance of safeguarding the institution. As we delved deeper into the working of Vidhan Sabha, we gained deeper understanding of how laws are formulated and enacted to serve the citizens. The speaker of the Legislative Assembly highlighted the importance of committees dedicated to scrutinizing legislation, examining budgetary allocations, and investigating matters of public interest. We were led through the corridors adorned with portraits of eminent leaders and historical moments, narrating tales of Delhi's political evolution.



It was an enriching journey that provided us with valuable insights into the functioning of our democratic institutions. It reinforced our belief in the power of democracy.



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