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Must listen
patriotic
songs

- 1 Aye mere watan ke logo
- 2 Sare jahan se acha
- 3 Jhanna daal daal par
- 4 Hum honge kamyab
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School Lounge

Wassup

Robotics champs



Winners pose with their robots with their principal Ameeta Mohan

AIS Pushp Vihar

Siddhartha Jaitly

Amity group Robotics instructor

Shreshth Tuli (XI D), Nikhil Rath (XI B), Anuj Aggarwal (XI B), Shikhar Tuli (XI D) and Chitwan

Bansal (XI B), AIS PV brought laurels to their school by winning the national championship 'FIRST Tech Challenge' on February 10, 2014 at Pune. The team built their winning robot under the guidance and support of Siddhartha Jaitly, robotics instructor at Amity Group and Rashmi Sherawat, a teacher at AIS PV.

FIRST Tech Challenge (FTC), a student-centered activity is mentor supported and aims at providing students a unique and stimulating experience.

The students along with their mentor's guidance designed, built and programmed their robots to compete with other teams. It took the team several weeks to develop sketches, CAD Models and simulations for testing and then finally creating the robot. This was followed by development of various algorithms, testing of the robot's stability, speed, accuracy and timings. The team was well prepared technically and mentally to give their best. Many special tips and tricks were discussed and practiced during the training period. Finally the team was all set to establish themselves in the record book of FTC by winning the championship.



Apoorv receives the trophy for securing first position in the olympiad

GLOBE science olympiad

AIMC

Cadet Apoorv Chauhan of Amity Indian Military College (AIMC) secured first rank in GLOBE Science Olympiad 2013. The competition was organised by the Indian Environment Society. The purpose behind holding the science olympiad was to encourage students to explore, discover, and learn more about the environment. A felicitation ceremony was held at

Hotel Mapple Emerald, Delhi to felicitate the winners. Some eminent guests present on the day included Dr. Tony Murphy, director, GLOBE Program USA and Dr Deshbandhu, director, GLOBE Asia-Pacific regional office. Dignitaries from 12 different countries were also present. Apoorv won an all expenditure paid trip inclusive of stay, meals, travel, etc to participate in student's conference in Kathmandu.



The dignitaries at the junior annual day celebration

Junior annual day

Basking in the celebration of the annual day, Amitians won hearts with their performances

AIS Pushp Vihar

Amity International School, Pushp Vihar celebrated its Junior Annual Day- 'The Magical Umbrella', for the session 2013-2014 on February 13, 2014.

The occasion was graced by chief guests Dr Vasant K Bunwaree, minister of Education & Human Resources, Govt. of Mauritius and Sangeeta Verma, economic advisor, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Govt. of India. The programme began with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp. School Principal Ameeta Mohan shared her vision for the future of the school. She also spoke about the ideologies of the institution. She said the institution believes that humanity lies in divinity and no amount of intelligence,

success, achievements are of any worth if children are not kind and loving at heart. The school orchestra enthralled the audience with the soulful rendition of fusion music 'Suro ki Chatrachaya'. The young students proudly recollected the achievements of the trailblazers of their school in their annual report.

This was followed by a truly spectacular show 'The Magical Umbrella' which was a heartwarming story of laughter, honesty, love, care and many other virtues that would help young students tread on the path of happiness and also sow the seeds of peace.

Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools presented the vote of thanks. She commended the students on the brilliant portrayal of the concept.

Eat healthy be healthy



Kids dressed as fruits & vegetables

AIS Noida

Usha Verma, AIS Noida, Teacher

Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools, ardently advocates that a healthy mind resides in a healthy body and supports all endeavours related to

holistic learning. Keeping this in mind the students of Classes I and II of AIS Noida enthusiastically observed the 'Eat healthy be healthy week' from February 3-7, 2014.

The Class I students put up a colourful treat by dressing up in vibrant costumes that depicted various fruits and vegetables. The Class II children brought healthy food items and had a class presentation on healthy and junk food. Each and every child participated enthusiastically in the event. Through this activity they were motivated to eat healthy food. The purpose of celebrating the 'Eat healthy be healthy' week was to encourage children to eat healthy food to attain good health.

On a shopping spree!

AIS Vasundhara 6

Tiny tots of Amity International School Vasundhara 6 had a field day during Amity Mart held on February 26, 2014. Armed with colourful shopping bags and pockets filled with make-believe rupee notes, the students of Class Nursery went on a shopping spree at an artificial market set up in the premises of the school.

The primary aim behind organising this event was to make the children aware of the value of money, its judicious use, instilling decision making skills and prioritising their wants.

The colourful market was dotted with stationary shop, toy shop, mehandi stall, tattoo maker stall, bakery shop, etc. Parents were also invited to be a part of the



Tiny tots enjoy shopping to the hilt at Amity Mart

event. The ambiance of the market left them enthralled. They were extremely impressed to see their children confidently go from one stall to the other to buy items of their choice.

They thoroughly enjoyed seeing their children shop wisely. They were also amazed to see the toddlers handle money and spend it judiciously within the limited budgets.

Strokes of genius

AIS Vasundhara 6

The students of AIS Vasundhara 6, Chaitanya A K, Class IX bagged the first prize while Nishtha Gupta, Class VIII and Bhanvi Kapoor, Class V A won consolation prizes at a national level painting competition held at Sangeet Natak Academy, Lucknow. Chaitanya also received a cash award of Rs 10,000. The annual painting competition was organised on theme of 'energy conservation' by Ministry of Power, Government of India in three categories for students of Class VII - IX (Category 1) and Class IV - VI (Category 2). Around 17 lakhs students from across the country par-

Painting: Chaitanya AK



icipated in the event which has the patronage of the honourable President of India who believes that, "Today's children are the citizens and the nation builders of tomorrow. The involvement of school children in spreading the message of energy conservation in the country is commendable." The judges for the event included B J Sharma, secretary, Bureau of Energy Efficiency; K K Chakravarti, energy economist, Bureau of Energy Efficiency; P T Bhutia, dy secretary, Ministry of Power and Anil Sharma, project coordinator.

Chaitanya A K

Heritage celebration

AIS Pushp Vihar

Under the esteemed guidance of Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools, the students of AIS Pushp Vihar celebrated the heritage festival - 'Our heritage- Hamari Dharohar.' Through this celebration, they shared their year long learning of the heritage of Indian states namely Uttar Pradesh, Maharashtra and Kerala. Students performed with gaiety and zest, leaving the

audience enthralled. The school wore a festive look with the art and craft of all the three states put on display. The beautiful cultural amalgamation of the states was a sight to behold.

The celebrations began with the Ganesh vandana. It was followed by the famous Braj dance of Uttar Pradesh, Koli dance performed by fishermen community of Maharashtra and Onam dance of Kerala. The folk song from Uttar Pradesh, 'Baandh ke preet ki dor' was a treat to the ears.



Kids in traditional gear