

AUGUST NEWSLETTER



15th August Patriotic Songs Competition

On the auspicious occasion of India's Independence Day, the atmosphere at Shri Ram Centennial School resonated with patriotism and pride as the four houses came together to celebrate the spirit of freedom through a melodious rendition of patriotic songs. The event, held on August 15th, was a heartfelt tribute to the nation's rich heritage and the sacrifices of its freedom fighters. The celebration took place in the school's assembly area, adorned with tricolor and symbols of patriotism. Each of the four houses prepared and presented a selection of iconic patriotic songs that have served as anthems of inspiration for generations. The performances displayed the unity, diversity, and cultural richness of our nation. The event concluded with a heartwarming feeling of unity and patriotism, reminding everyone present of the value of freedom and the importance of preserving it. The results of the competition are as follows:-

Phoenix:- 1st

Griffin :- 2nd

Unicorn :- 3rd



Shri O.P. Garg Memorial Football Tournament

The Shri O.P. Garg Memorial Football Tournament took place from August 1st to 7th, 2023, featuring 18 schools competing in two categories: U-14 and U-18. Welham Boys School emerged victorious in the U-14 final against Raja Ram Mohan Roy Academy. In the U-18 final, Indian Public School secured a win against Nirmal Deep Ashram. The event was graced by former International football player Mr. Manish Maithani as the Chief Guest, who encouraged the participants. The event concluded with prize distribution and a vote of thanks by the Sports head.

IDP Education Fair held in Dehradun

It was a great opportunity for students interested in studying in Foreign Universities. The fair took place at the Ramada on Tuesday, August 1st, 2023. IDP Education organized this event and invited various schools to participate. 70 students from your school registered for the fair. During the fair, the students got the chance to interact with representatives from different universities. This interaction provided them with valuable insights into various aspects of studying abroad, such as study prospects, campus life, application processes, and financial aid options. The fair also aimed to guide students in selecting the right programs and institutions based on their individual interests and aspirations. Overall, the IDP Education Fair in Dehradun appears to have been a beneficial event for students seeking to pursue higher education in leading universities, as it provided them with a platform to gather information, clarify doubts, and make informed decisions about their academic future.

Field Trip Report: Exploring the Wonders of Science at the Regional Science Center



On August 2, 2023, the young minds of SRCS embarked on an educational journey filled with excitement and curiosity as they visited the Regional Science Centre for a day filled with scientific exploration and learning. Students from classes 6, 7, and 8 participated in this enlightening field trip, which aimed to introduce them to various scientific concepts through engaging and interactive exhibits. The students were exposed to a diverse range of scientific concepts, each presented with a touch of wonder and excitement. One of the highlights of the day was a presentation on the development and potential of artificial intelligence (AI). The students were introduced to the scope and miracles of A.I., an intriguing topic that resonated with their young and curious minds. The presentation highlighted the evolving nature of A. I in the modern world, displaying its remarkable capabilities and the potential it holds for shaping the future. In conclusion, the field trip to the Regional Science Center was an enriching journey for the students of SRCS. The engaging exhibits, interactive presentations, and immersive experiences left an indelible mark on their young minds, igniting their curiosity and enthusiasm for the world of science and technology. The trip undoubtedly reinforced the school's commitment to fostering a love for learning and encouraging hands-on exploration of the wonders of science.



Walkathon

On August 6, 2023 the students of SRCS joined a nationwide Walkathon with 26 other cities to mark National Vascular Day. On this day they pledged for an 'Amputation -Free India'

Field Trip Report: Visit to Regional Science Centre Jhajra Dehradun



On the vibrant morning of August 18, 2023, a group of 78 students from Classes 9 and 10, accompanied by three dedicated teachers, embarked on an exciting educational journey to the Regional Science Centre in Jhajra, Dehradun. The trip aimed to provide students with an opportunity to explore and learn about various scientific concepts through interactive exhibits and specialized sessions. Students were divided into three groups and were sent to three different venues. The first set of students went to the AI skill lab for a session on Artificial Intelligence. The second set of students was taken to the brain science lab for a session with one of the faculties who taught visual learning. The third set of students was taken to the fun science gallery, Himalaya Gallery, frontiers of technology gallery. Throughout the visit, students actively engaged with the exhibits, asked questions, and absorbed knowledge in an engaging and interactive manner. The experience was both educational and entertaining, creating a memorable day for all participants.

Field Trip Report: Visit to Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology

On the rainy morning of August 04, 2023, a group of 65 enthusiastic students from Grade VII and VIII, accompanied by four dedicated teachers, embarked on an educational journey to the Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology located on G.M.S. Road in Dehradun. The visit aimed to enhance the students' understanding of geological concepts through practical demonstrations and interactive learning. The visit proved to be an enriching learning experience, with Mr. Yadav and his team providing comprehensive explanations and demonstrations on a range of geological topics. The concepts of Pangaea, Tethys Sea, Laurasia, Gondwanaland, Angaraland, Plate Tectonics movements, Minerals, Rocks, Drifting Continents, Eocene Vertebrate Fossils, Origin and Evolution of life, Geographical Maps, and seismograph techniques were all presented in an engaging and accessible manner. The trip concluded as the students departed from the Wadia Institute with a wealth of newfound knowledge and an enriched perspective on geology and Earth sciences.

Boarders Outing to Pacific Mall -A Day of Fun, Bonding, and Learning

On the cheerful day of August 20, 2023, the residential students of Shri Ram Centennial School embarked on a delightful outing to Pacific Mall. This exciting event brought together 47 students and was chaperoned by a team of 4 teachers. The outing offered a refreshing break from routine and an opportunity for students to enjoy leisure and bonding outside the school premises. As the students delved into the various offerings of the mall, each found their own way to make the most of the day. Some chose to catch up on the latest cinematic releases, with movies like "Gaddar 2" and "Jhoomer" gracing the big screen. Others indulged in thrilling games at Funky Island, engaging in friendly competition and laughter. The students had the chance to practice skills such as budgeting and time management as they made decisions about how to spend their time and resources.

हिंदी कहानी- लेखन कार्यशाला

दिनांक 27 अगस्त 2013 को विद्यालय छात्रावास के छात्रों के लिए हिंदी कहानी लेखन कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया। जिसमें छात्रों को हिंदी कहानी लेखन से संबंधित विभिन्न तथ्यों से अवगत कराते हुए विचार विमर्श किया गया। इस दौरान छात्रों को संकेत बिंदुओं के आधार पर कहानी लेखन कार्य पूर्ण कराया गया जिसमें छात्रों ने अपनी बोधात्मक एवं कल्पनात्मक क्षमता के आधार पर कहानी लेखन कार्य पूर्ण किया।

State Judo Championship 2023

Congratulations to the SRCS judokas for their outstanding performance in the State Judo Championship 2023. Their impressive haul of 11 medals across various categories truly highlights their dedication and determination. Kudos to them and the school for their unwavering support.

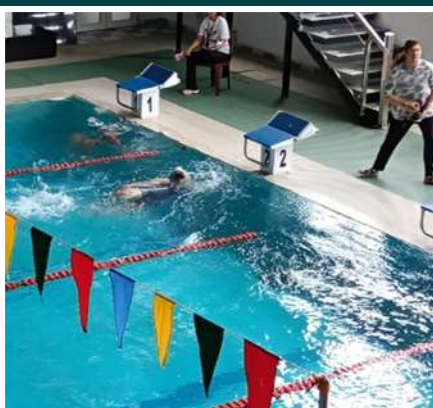


EUPHORIA INTER SCHOOL COMPETITION

The students of Shri Ram Centennial School showcased their remarkable talents and creativity at the "Euphoria 2023: Inter School Art and Cultural Festival" held on Saturday, August 19th, 2023, at the DIS Riverside Campus in Dehradun. This festival provided a platform for students to exhibit their artistic and cultural prowess, fostering a sense of healthy competition and camaraderie among participants. In the "Creative Construct" senior category, three talented students, Yamini Semwal, Aabhya Maikhuri, and Humera Parveen, secured the 3rd position. Participating in the "Impressions" (poster making) competition, senior category, Adya Singh and Nivedit Bora clinched the 1st position. The theme, "Heal The World," was masterfully depicted by these students in vibrant colours and a well-composed layout. Their creative interpretation displayed the depth of their understanding and artistic capabilities. The Shri Ram Centennial School students displayed their talents across various other categories, including Dance, Drama, Paper Folding, and Dimensional Visions, leaving a lasting impression with their performances.

- Adya Singh XI

Swimming competition at Wynberg Allen and Gyananda School



Shri Ram Centennial School participated in the Interschool Swimming Competition (girls) held at Wynberg Allen on 20th August 2023. In Junior Category Namya Mahto won 2 bronze medals in the 100m individual medley and 50m butterfly. In the Senior Category, Prisha Rana won bronze in the 50m breaststroke. Shri Ram Centennial School also participated in another Interschool Swimming Competition held at Gyananda School on 18th August 2023. In the Under 10 Category Manya Chauhan won the silver medal in the 25m backstroke. In Under 12 Namya Mahto won the bronze medal in 25m freestyle. In the Under 16 Category Prisha Rana won bronze in 50m freestyle and silver in 50m breaststroke. SRCS had a successful participation in the Interschool Swimming Competitions at Wynberg and Gyananda. Namya Mahto, Prisha Rana, and Manya Chauhan achieved notable results in various categories and events. Congratulations to them.

Felicitatation by Amar Ujala

Congratulations to Dr. Arvindanabha Shukla, the Principal of SRCS, for his well-deserved felicitation by Amar Ujala. It's great to see his remarkable contributions to education being acknowledged. Kudos to the Grade 10 and 12 students as well for their achievements. This celebration of excellence in education is truly inspiring.



CISCE Regional Sports

Namya Mahto and Prisha Rana Shine at CISCE Regional Sports and Games UK_UP Region 2023. In a remarkable display of talent and determination, the students of Shri Ram Centennial School have left an indelible mark at the CISCE Regional Sports and Games UK_UP Region 2023. Namya Mahto and Prisha Rana, two exceptional athletes from our school, showcased their aquatic prowess and emerged as shining stars in the competition. Namya Mahto's clinched a well-deserved gold medal in the 200m Butterfly stroke, demonstrating her mastery over the demanding stroke. In addition to her gold, Namya also secured a bronze medal in the 100m Breaststroke event. Prisha Rana, made her mark with a gold medal in both the freestyle and medley relays in the Under 17 category. Her participation and victory in the relays highlighted her teamwork and coordination. In the individual events, Prisha secured a silver medal in the 100m Breaststroke, showcasing her exceptional swimming capabilities across various disciplines. As Namya Mahto and Prisha Rana advance to the national level, they carry with them not only their medals but also the unwavering support and admiration of their school community.



Unison World School MUN

The students of SRCS made an everlasting impression on the students that had participated in the UWSMUN that is the Unison World School MUN that took place on the 7th and 8th of August 2023.

The students Rudra Gupta, Atharva Singh, Palashika Senger, Atharva Singh, Siddhi Khurana, Vivan Nagpal, Stuti Gupta, Adya Singh, Preesha Jindal, Vanshika Chaudhari, Prisha Rana, Urvashi Baskandi - made use of their ultimate skill set in the committees. These committees were as follows-

- United Nations General Assembly
- United Nations Security Council
- Lok Sabha
- United Nations Commission on Artificial Intelligence United Nations Human rights council
- Warren Commission International press corps

Our students made powerful statements and debated through each caucus in the Unison World School igniting the stage with their ideas and under the guidance of their mentors- Mr. Sudhir Upadhyay and Mrs. Tara Mehta as well as Ishan Ali the MUN chief. They made the participation in the event a huge success. The SRCS family wishes that the MUN club keeps making such prospers and builds glory of the school in the field of other upcoming Model United Nations debates or discussions.

- Adya Singh

Splendid Impression Illusion Art

The Inter House "Splendid Impression Illusion Art" Competition for students in grades 9 to 12 was an exciting event held at our school from August 10th to August 11th, 2023. Two of the four Houses were granted an additional day to complete their entries due to certain conditions. The competition took place in the art room from 2:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m., with the entire event being hosted by Mrs. Seema Dhanola, the Head of the Art Department. Throughout this captivating competition, the school's talented artists showcased their skills, creating mesmerizing artwork that left a lasting impression. Observing the event was a true pleasure, as we watched these artists pour their creativity and effort into transforming a blank canvas into a masterpiece. The dedication and passion they exhibited were truly commendable. At our school, S.R.C.S., students are consistently provided with many opportunities to display their unique talents. This competition is a testament to the school's commitment to nurturing and encouraging students' artistic abilities. The results of the event are as follows:

Phoenix House -1st **Unicorn -2nd** **Griffin -3rd**
- Srinika Jyoti Singh



Inter-House Pottery Competition

To practice ART no matter how well or badly, is a way to make your soul grow. So, do it. On 24th August, 23 an Inter-House Pottery Competition was organised in the School. Students from all the four houses participated in it with absolute zeal and enthusiasm. The theme was FLOWER VASE With 3D design.

1st position - Phoenix House

Deepanshu Shekhar, Advik Khattri

2nd position - Sphinx House

Yamini Semwal, Devansh Bidla

3rd position - Unicorn House

Palashika Sengar, Preesha Rana

3rd position - Griffin House

Bhavya Soni, Vivaan Bhasin

On the Spot Portrait Making Competition

"You can't do sketches enough. Sketch everything and keep your curiosity fresh." John Singer Sargent

On 8th August 2023 'On the Spot Portrait Making Competition' was organized by the Art department for grades 6 to 8. Two participants from each House participated in the event. Students were told to sketch a portrait of a model sitting in front of them. Students put a lot of effort and dedication into sketching the portrait. Each participant's creation has shown their individual expression in the entire process. The Principal, Shri Arvindanabha Shukla, and the judges, Mrs. Komal Sharma, Mrs. Tara Mehta, Mr. Ajay Prajapati were amazed by the unique performance of each participant. They praised everyone for giving their best shots. Overall, the competition was a great success and exciting. Following is the result of the competition held:

1st- Phoenix House – 155 Points

2nd- Griffin House – 152 Points

3rd- Sphinx House – 139 Points

Inter-House Yoga Competition

Inter-House yoga competition took place on 18th August, 2023 in the Sports Complex, for classes 4 to 12. All the four houses Sphinx, Griffin, Unicorn and Phoenix participated in this competition. Total 27 participants participated in the event. Each one of them gave their best and performed the yoga mudras (asana) gracefully. The results being as follow: Ariptra Roy of Phoenix House was the best performer.

1st- Sphinx House

2nd- Griffin House

3rd- Unicorn House

Mind Spree: Business Quiz



Our school emerged victorious at the Mind Spree interschool Business Quiz held at St. Jude's School on August 17, 2023. The competition included ten schools, each represented by a team of three students. SRCS was represented by the students of Class XII Drishita Banik, Aditya Pundir and Suyash Wadera. The event comprised subject rounds focused on Commerce, Economics, and Accounts, with two questions each. These rounds evaluated participants' understanding of abstract concepts and practical applications, emphasizing their critical thinking abilities. The high-stakes Rapid Fire Round, in which competitors had 100 seconds to answer 10 questions, was the competition's climax. Under pressure, this segment assessed rapid thinking and knowledge. An unexpected tiebreaker heightened the competition, demonstrating our school's remarkable collaboration and analytical abilities. The intense round involved three participating schools: St. Judes School, Wynberg Allen School, and Shri Ram Centennial School. In a nail-biting finish, both St. Judes School and Shri Ram Centennial School emerged as winners, securing the top spot despite the fierce rivalry. The event not only offered an environment for students to demonstrate their business acumen and understanding of the subject, but it also allowed for peer interactions and learning opportunities. Our victorious triumph in this difficult competition demonstrates the dedication and effort of our students, mentors, and institution.

Participation in Mindspre-2023: A Day of Learning and Achievements

On Thursday, August 17, 2023, a group of 25 students from Classes 9 to 12 embarked on a journey of intellectual engagement and creativity as they participated in the prestigious Mindspre-2023 event held at St. Judes School. The event provided a platform for students to showcase their talents and compete in a variety of contests, fostering a spirit of healthy competition and camaraderie. The dedication and hard work of the participants paid off, as several students demonstrated exceptional performance in their respective contests. Among the notable achievements, the students of Class 12 - Drishita Banik, Suyash Wadera, and Aditya Pundir - secured the first position in the Business quiz, displaying their depth of knowledge in the business world. Taranpreet Kaur, from Class 12, achieved the first position in the Individual art competition, highlighting her artistic prowess and creative expression. While a few students emerged as champions in specific contests, all participants received recognition in the form of participation certificates. This acknowledgment celebrates their efforts, dedication, and enthusiasm to be a part of such an enriching event.



Rakhi Competition

Rakhi Making Competition was held for the students of Rainbows on 25th August and for classes IV onward, on 26th August. All students from M2 to V, took part and made beautiful Rakhis using different articles like silken thread, ribbon, etc. Interested students from classes VI to XII participated in the event. They came up with very creative ideas. Following are the Results of the Competition:

Class M2:		
1st- Swastik	2nd- Ameya	3rd- Rudra & Rihan
Class 2A:		
1st- Advik Sharma	2nd- Riyansh	3rd- Aayansh
Class 2B:		
1st- Ahaan	2nd- Baani	3rd- Shaurya & Abhiraksh
Class 3:		
1st- Neerav Rohilla	2nd- Souvik Pal	3rd- Arjav Rohilla
Class 4A:		
1st- Inaaya Chaudhary	2nd- Wamika	3rd- Aprajita Singh
Class 4B:		
1st- Vedhansh Nagpal	2nd- Ridhisha	3rd- Anagha Kale & Jagrit Gupta
Class 5A:		
1st- Swarnika Joshi	2nd- Prisha Datta	3rd- Aarav Negi
Class 5B:		
1st- Anukriti	2nd- Aadya	3rd- Vivaan & Rohan





Class 6:		
1st- Aradhya Sharma	2nd- Aarna Mittal & Ananya Tripathi	3rd- Sarthak
Class 7:		
1st- Shaurya Singh	2nd- Aarika Prajapati	3rd- Suraj Raj Baluni
Class 8:		
1st- Akshita Raman	2nd- Assiah Chachra	3rd- Vibha
Class 9:		
1st- Ananya Gosain	2nd- Aaradhay Rawat	
Class 10:		
1st- Aashwika Aggarwal	2nd- Anviti Tripathi	
Class 11:		
1st- Debanjan Shyamal		

श्री रामचंद्र शुक्ल अंतर्विद्यालय वाद-विवाद प्रतियोगिता

आज दिनांक 12 अगस्त 2023 को श्री राम सेंटिनियल स्कूल द्वारा आयोजित श्री रामचंद्र शुक्ल अंतर्विद्यालय वाद-विवाद प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया गया। जिसमें देहरादून और मसूरी के 13 प्रतिष्ठित विद्यालयों के प्रतिभागियों ने 'विश्व शांति एक मिथ्या अवधारणा है' इस विषय पर 'पक्ष व विपक्ष' पर अपने-अपने विचार प्रकट किए। सभी छात्रों का प्रदर्शन सराहनीय था। इस अवसर पर स्कूल के प्रधानाचार्य डॉक्टर अरविंदनाभ शुक्ला और मुख्य अतिथि के रूप में श्रीमान मुनीराम सकलानी उपस्थित थे। सम्मानित निर्णायक मंडल के निर्णय के अनुसार आर.आई.एम.सी को प्रथम व वेनबर्ग-एलन को द्वितीय तथा श्री राम सेंटिनियल स्कूल द्वारा तृतीय स्थान प्राप्त किया गया तथा सर्वश्रेष्ठ वक्ता (पक्ष) के रूप में द टॉस ब्रिज की मन्नत कौर व श्रेष्ठ वक्ता (विपक्ष) के रूप में आर.आई.एम.सी के कैडेट सुमित राज्याण को चुना गया। अंत में विद्यालय के प्राचार्य डॉक्टर अरविंदनाभ शुक्ला तथा मुख्य अतिथि श्रीमान मुनीराम सकलानी द्वारा विद्यार्थियों को सम्मानित किया गया तथा प्राचार्य जी द्वारा समस्त विद्यालय परिवार का धन्यवाद करते हुए मध्यान भोजन के साथ कार्यक्रम का समापन किया गया।



Workshop Report: Exploring Tutor Roles and Responsibilities in Boarding Schools

On the vibrant Saturday morning of July 29, 2023, a workshop of great significance was hosted at Selaqui International School. The event was graced by the presence of Principal Dr. Arvindanabh Shukla, Mr. Ravi Joshi, and Mr. Narendra Singh Jhinkwan, who brought their insights and experiences to the table. The focal point of this enlightening workshop was to delve into the roles and responsibilities of tutors in the unique context of boarding schools. Dr. Arvindanabh Shukla, a distinguished figure in the educational realm, presented a guest lecture that aimed to provide a comprehensive understanding of the intricate role that tutors play in the lives of students residing in boarding schools. With his wealth of experience, he delved into the multifaceted challenges encountered by tutors and offered practical solutions to navigate these challenges effectively. In conclusion, the workshop at Selaqui International School on July 29, 2023, provided a platform for a profound exploration of the roles and responsibilities of tutors in boarding schools. Principal's guest lecture, brimming with wisdom and practical insights, illuminated the challenges and solutions in this unique educational context. The session's interactive aspect added an element of creativity and collaboration, making it a holistic and enriching experience for all attendees. As the participants departed, they carried with them a renewed sense of purpose and a toolkit of strategies to better serve their roles as tutors in the realm of boarding schools.



Launching the Collaborative Parents Forum

A new initiative at our school called the "Collaborative Parents Forum" was introduced on August 5, 2023. The aim was to foster a stronger and more meaningful connection between our parent community and the school. This initiative was designed to create an open and friendly platform for dialogue, where we can collectively work towards enhancing the educational experience for our students. Following the ice-breaking interactions, the event seamlessly transitioned into the core discussion segment, "Sharing of Experiences." During this segment, parents shared their thoughts on various aspects of the school, including its strengths and areas that could benefit from improvement. The tone was kept positive and constructive, aligning with the initiative's intention to create a collaborative and non-complaint atmosphere. Parents provided valuable insights into their perceptions of the school's strengths, highlighting effective teaching methods, extracurricular activities, and the supportiveness of the school community. They also raised thoughtful suggestions for enhancements, ranging from increased parent-teacher communication to incorporating more interactive learning techniques.



Basketball Tournament

It's fantastic to hear about the impressive performance of both the Under 17 and Under 19 teams! Under 17 secured a silver medal, and Under 19 emerged as champions with a gold medal. It's also worth celebrating the individual achievements of Sarthak Bhandari (12C) and Aditya Raj Singh Tomar (12H), who were selected for the Cisce nationals. This year's improved team performance and results are a testament to their hard work and dedication. Well done to all the players for their outstanding efforts!

अन्तर्कक्षीय हिंदी कविता वाचन प्रतियोगिता

दिनांक 21/08/2023 को हिंदी विभाग की तरफ से, श्री राम सेंटिनियल स्कूल, देहरादून में कक्षा 4 व 5 के छात्रों के मध्य अंतर्कक्षीय हिंदी कविता वाचन प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया गया। सभी छात्रों ने इस प्रतियोगिता में प्रतिभाग किया। छात्रों को दिए गए विषय मित्रता व वीर सैनिक पर छात्रों ने बहुत ही सुंदर कविताएँ प्रस्तुत की। बच्चों के आत्मविश्वास, हाव-भाव और अभिव्यक्ति की “निर्णायक मंडल” के द्वारा सराहना की गई। इस कार्यक्रम को सफल बनाने में स्कूल के माननीय प्रधानाचार्य जी, कला विभाग एवं निर्णायक मंडलों ने अहम भूमिका निभाई। प्रतियोगिता के अंत में प्रधानाचार्य महोदय एवं निर्णायकों ने सभी प्रतिभागियों को अपने आशीर्वाचनों से संबोधित किया, उन्हें प्रतियोगिता का महत्व समझाया, साथ ही हमेशा आगे बढ़ते रहने की प्रेरणा दी एवं उनके उज्ज्वल भविष्य की कामना करते हुए उन्हें आशीर्वाद भी दिया। प्रतियोगिता के परिणाम इस प्रकार हैं -

कक्षा 4	कक्षा 5
प्रथम - आर्या भयाना, ध्रुव श्रीवास्तव	प्रथम - शौर्य चौहान
द्वितीय - चैतन्या बिष्ट	द्वितीय - विवान उनियाल
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