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THE DOON GIRLS SCHOOL

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END OF TERM PROGRAM May 21, 2022



The onset of summer vacations, for the students of The Doon Girls' School as well as Dehradun Boys' School was marked by the end-of-term programme that was put together by the enthusiastic pupils. This was presided over by the chief guest, Dr. Urvashi Sahni, a renowned educationist, social entrepreneur and women's rights activist. Prior to the event, an exhibition showcasing a gamut of products, hand made by the students, was also conducted. It comprised home-decor items made up of clay, diaries, journals, tie and die suits and dupattas, articles made from bamboo, wood, hair accessories, masks and so on. What caught everyone's eye were the beautiful products designed by the productdesigning team.

The theme of the programme was 'Our home, our world' which is symbolic of the beautiful relation that the children share with the school and everything associated with it.

The event began with the recitation of a beautiful Sanskrit hymn- ' Sangachhadhwam samvadadhwam' to incite a sense of unity and brotherhood amongst everyone present. Thereafter, the Director (Strategy and Planning) of the school, Ms. Monisha Datta shared the school report with all the guests. This was followed by a musical skit on 'Kabuliwala' which is a hearttouching story written by Rabindranath Tagore.

Subsequently, the audience was addressed by the chief guest, who commended the students for their hard work. The event concluded with words of gratitude by the principal, Mrs. Sumali Devgan.





























"MUN" AT THE OASIS - THE OBERAI SCHOOL OF INTERGRATED STUDIES Aug 5, 2022

MUN was organised at The Oberai School of Integrated Studies on 5th August'2022 in which a group of students from Class 8 and 9 participated. MUN is a good opportunity for students to gain a better understanding of the inner workings of the United Nations and build skills in diplomacy, compromise and decision making, so they will have the opportunity to make changes and solve problems. The participants of MUN were Saima Arora, Kavya Chugh, Saumya Nayak and Saisha Jain from Class 8, and from Class 9 we had Chahna Gandhi, Vibha Gupta, Arushi Jakhmola, Chahak Agarwal and Mahi Rastogi as participants. It was a highly educational programme for the students from which they learnt a lot.



AZADI KA AMIRIT MAHOTSAV BY KALAKSHETRA FOUNDATION, SPAIN Aug 9, 2022

Art, Dance and Music is the most overwhelming combination mentally and spiritually. It touches that part of our soul which cannot be reached otherwise. Kalakshetra Foundation gave us an opportunity to familiarise ourselves with the culture of Spain through the art of performance. It was a wonderful experience for all of us as we all got a chance to peep into the world of talent and skills. We all danced and sang along with the performers and found the entire event extremely engaging as we all got to be a part of it and learn certain things which will stay with us throughout our lives.











INTER SCHOOL ENGLISH ELOCUTION COMPETITION Aug 22, 2022

The 12th Inter School English Elocution (Jr) was organised and the school came alive with poetry. 15 schools participated with great gusto. Each student was enthusiastic to be participating and showcasing what they had worked hard and prepared. To judge the contest we had the famous author Ms. Bijoya Sawian,





Ms. Anita Roy, Mr. Janajit Ray and our much loved Mrs. Pooja Sharma.

The winner of the trophy was Brightlands School and the replica of the running trophy was handed over to the previous year winner, DIS, City Campus. This year PYDS came in second and DIS, city campus came a third.

















UTTARAKHAND YOGA CHAMPIONSHIP Sept 4, 2022

Yoga is not about touching your toes; it is what you learn on the way down. It is about learning physical, mental and emotional balance and how to acquire inner strength by strengthening yourself from the outside. And I honestly believe that this is exactly what we all experience while practising yoga on a regular basis. Uttrakhand Yoga Championship was a significant platform for us as we got a chance to exhibit our talent and skill on a larger platform. It was an honour for us to be a part of such a big platform. The participants were

SPIC MACAY PERFORMANCE AT THE RAJ BHAWAN Sept 14, 2022

A group of fourteen girls along with two teachers, Ms. Rupika and Ms. Versha went to Raj Bhawan to attend a Manipuri Dance performance by Dr. Manju Elangbam. Dr. Manju Elangbam is the grandson of the renowned Late Guru Elangbam Anganghal Singh, a doyen of Sankirtana and an expert of Cholom. Manju grew up surrounded by an artistic Mellisa Mathew (Grade 5), Vanya Agrawal (Grade 6), Garvita Waldia (Grade 6), Jia Agarwal (Grade 5), Afifa Fatima (Grade 6), Christine Neelam (Grade 2) and Yashaswi Yadav (Grade 1). While all the participants gave their best, Yashaswi Yadav and Christine



Neelam made us all extremely proud by bagging bronze medals at the event.



family of dance and music right from an early age. He has performed as a soloist and group artist at various places in India and abroad.

He is a recipient of Ustad Bismillah Khan Yuba Puraskar, Sangeet Natak Akademi, New Delhi, Manipur State Kala Akademi Award Manipur, National Young Artist Scholarship, Ministry of Culture and Devdhara award, among many more. He commenced his performance with Dashavatar from Jayadeva's Gita Govindam, where he depicted the ten avatars of Lord Vishnu. Later, Manju and his wife performed Radha Avisar, which was appreciated much by one and all present on the occasion.







SPIC MACAY PROGRAM AT THE DOON SCHOOL Sept 21, 2022

An experience of a kind, a mesmerising evening with a legend; something which can only be felt but never expressed enough in words. That's what listening to the legendary flautist, Pandit Hariprasad Chaurasia ji was like!

The children got an opportunity to sit at his feet and listen to his compositions and I'm sure they'll hold this evening very dear to their hearts.

An added blessing was to meet and hear Dr. Kiran Seth, founder of Spic Macay (Society for the Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Amongst Youth); who at the age of 73 years has decided to cycle from Kashmir to Kanyakumari. His journey began on August 15, this year and will end on December 31. He also spoke about the importance of health and simple living for the youth.

The words of wisdom he shared with the students will stay with them for a long time. Thank you Spic Macay and The Doon School for giving us this opportunity.





CAREER GUIDANCE SESSION BY MINDLERS Sept 28, 2022

A highly innovative and interactive session was conducted by Mindlers for all the students and staff members as well. Both the sessions had different agendas keeping in mind the audience for whom it was structured. The agenda for the students' session was Group Career, Report

Interpretation & analysis. Whereas, the agenda for session conducted for staff members was New Age Careers & Career Landscape. It was an informative session which gave everyone a lot to think about and ponder upon certain aspects of our lives, which probably require more attention



INTERACTIVE SESSION WITH MR. AKASH KHURANA Sept 29, 2022

We honestly couldn't believe our eyes when we saw Mr. Akash Khurana walking in our school's corridor. What a star moment it was! Seeing somebody on screen and then to see that same individual walk amongst you is a once in a lifetime opportunity. He is a man of art and intellect, something we all realised when we witnessed him recite a few lines from his new book " Mentormorphosis". It was a wonderful session in which we got to ask him all kinds of questions and get a glimpse into the life of a celebrity author.



















Our design team secured the Second position in the Product Design Category in the all-India Schools competition organized by The Assam Valley School, SRIJANYAM 2022-Connecting Creative Cultures. They created the chair in a record breaking three days! Super proud of our students and Mr. Paul Damle.



Finally the life-size chair made with the combination of different shapes and a traditional scarf worn by the ladies of Uttarakhand



The Assam Valley School Protein SRIJANYAM 2022 Connecting Creative Cultures



PURULIA CHHAU DANCE BY TARAPADA RAJAK AND GROUP - BY SPIC MACAY Oct 02, 2022

A most enthralling morning; it was mesmerising to a point of encapsulating and completely hypnotising all of us. The music, choreography, background effects, everything was completely out of the world. An experience of a kind. Thank you Spic Macay for getting Purulia and the Chhau dance to our school.













WILDLIFE WEEK CELEBRATION Oct 3-7, 2022

India celebrates Wildlife Week with an aim to protect and preserve the country's fauna. The Doon Girls' School has been an active participant of this celebration since 2015. During this week we witnessed an informative photography exhibition, talks and discussions on biodiversity and



eco system, a very interesting talk by a Gujjar community representative Mr. Taukir and on the last day we had an interactive session with the renowned author and wildlife photographer Mr. Shiv Kunal Verma. It was a week of knowledge, awareness and understanding of the working of our biodiversity. We got an



opportunity to feel closer to nature and understand our role in the functioning of our ecosystem. We learned how we need to become active participants in the conservation and preservation of nature and increase our contribution as students by taking little steps each day.









MUN'22 AT YADAVINDRA PUBLIC SCHOOL, PATIALA Oct 6, 2022

The royal city of Patiala was once again in the limelight when in the month of October, the 3rd Edition of MUN'22 was held at Yadavindra Public School to celebrate its 75th Foundation Day. Thirteen girls from Grades 8 and 9 participated in the conference. The ceremony was witnessed by around 500 attendees which included esteemed guests, teachers and student delegates. The involvement of our girls was appreciated and acknowledged by the secretary and the chairperson also.

This experience gained by our girls filled them with a new vision.



SESSION AT RAJ BHAWAN DURING WILDLIFE WEEK CELEBRATION Oct 6, 2022

Our students got a chance to attend the Closing Ceremony of the Wildlife Week celebrations at Raj Bhavan on Oct. 06, 2022. Governor Lt-General Gurmit Singh (Retd) chaired the program. He honored those who have done excellent work in the field of forest and wildlife conservation by awarding them. He also unveiled three departmental short films: Gartang Gali Track, Secure Himalaya, and Foot Soldier. A Photo exhibition on the theme "Fearless Tiger" was organised on tiger conservation and awareness with the joint efforts of Doon Art Council and Rajaji National Park. It was indeed an informative and inspiring event for all the students.





VIRASAT SADHANA Oct 10-12, 2022

A celebration of dance, music and culture, Virasat Sadhana was organised at Dr. Ambedkar Stadium. It was the event of the year in which we got to display our art and experience the serenity of dance. This event was attended by the students of Grade 6, 8 and 9. The participants were; Rishita Pal (Grade 7), Arushi Jakhmola (Grade 9), Gaurangi Rastogi (Grade 7) and Chahna Gandhi (Grade 9). Our friends gave one of the most memorable performances of their lives, something that we will remember. It was an honour for us to be a part of this big stage. They say music brings everyone together as it touches a part of our soul, and when it is combined with dance then it leaves us absolutely mesmerized.



13TH INTER SCHOOL TEK CHAND MEMORIAL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT (U-12 GIRLS) Oct 10-13, 2022

The tournament is conducted by the 'District Basketball Association'.

This is an annual tournament which is organized in the memory of Late Shri Tek Chand Dang, father of the Chairman of the





School – Mr. C. P Dang. This year the participating teams were Convent of Jesus & Mary, Dehradun, The Doon Girls' School, Wynberg Allen School, Mussoorie, Olivia International School, Haridwar, Army Public School,



Birpur, Dehradun. In the finals Olivia International School won the match by 10 points defeating Wynberg Allen School, Mussoorie.

























21st OPEN UK STATE ROLLER SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP Oct 15-16, 2022

Skating works nearly every muscle group in the body, and gliding requires synchronized movement of the legs, which is important for joint flexibility. It also builds up the leg and abdominal muscles. Like any workout, skating is great for cardiovascular health – it gets the blood pumping and brings the heart rate up. Our school came



out with flying colours in the 21st Skating Championship. It was a moment of pride for all of us when we saw our students perform so well. Prarthna (Grade 9), Ananya Bansal (Grade 9) and Tenzin Choizom (Grade 2) bagged gold medals. Aradhya Kanchan (Grade 3), Vani Singh (Grade 7) and Chahna Gandhi (Grade 9)



bagged silver medals at the event. It is heartwarming for our school to have students who made us all so proud by giving one of the best performances and bagging bronze medals.

The students who received bronze medals were Tenzin Choizom, Ankita Das, Chahna Gandhi and Kiran Singh.



INTER SCHOOL ATHLETIC MEET AT WYNBERG ALLEN MUSSOORIE Oct 17, 18 & 20, 2022

An Athletics Meet was organized by the Wynberg Allen School from Oct 17-20 in which many prestigious institutions of Dehradun participated and showed the true spirit of sportsmanship. Many events were organised by the school authorities to involve students on



a larger scale and help them display their skills and talent in the most efficient manner. There was shot put, long jump, relay and many other events in which students participated with great enthusiasm. Students who bagged positions were; Ojasv Singh (Gold), Shaurya Kumar



(Silver), Vidushi Priya (Bronze), Shaurya Kumar (Bronze), Chahak Aggarwal (Bronze) and Sehaj Kumar (Bronze). Our School also bagged positions at the team events as we won a Silver medal in the Junior Relay Team Girls' category and Boys' Sub Junior category as well.







MILITARY HISTORY SEMINAR AT WELHAM BOYS SCHOOL Oct 31, 2022

Military History Seminar 2022-23 We attended a seminar on Military History which was conducted by Welham Boys' School. The two day event covered various topics related to Indian Military History. The seminar was well-organised and had a diverse group of speakers including the former Air Chief Marshal Rakesh Kumar Bhadauria as well as personalities

DISTRICT ATHLETICS MEET - RIMC Nov 5, 2022

The Annual District Athletics Meet was held at the Rashtriya Indian Miltary College on 5th November, 2022. Our children participated with great zeal and enthusiasm and made us proud of their achievements.

Ojasv (Grade 6) won a gold medal in Shot Put. Rishit Duggal, Reddish Pal, Ojasv Singh and Mayank Yadav came 1st in the Boys' U-12 Relay Race.

Ojasv Singh was declared the 'Best Athlete' in the Boys' U-12

DEHRADUN LITERARY FESTIVAL Nov 14, 2022

Some lucky few got to be a part of Dehradun Literary Festival, Valley of Words. They were privileged to meet and listen to the legendary Shovana Narayan and spent some interesting moments chatting with her. like Admiral Karambir Singh, Lt. Gen. Mohinder Puri, Major General Yash Mor.

The first day of the seminar started with a keynote speech on the importance of Military History and its impact on the present and future.

It was a real pleasure to know what our 'faujis' have gone through, what they have seen, experienced, felt and the snap judgements they took during various situations, which we had only heard and seen in the movies.

This seminar gave us immense pride and awakened that patriotic soul inside us which had almost died within.

The seminar provided a valuable opportunity to learn about military history and its relevance to the present and future.



category and Dehradun Boys' School won the Overall Champion Trophy in the U-12 Category. The Doon Girls' School won the 'Fair Play' Trophy. We are very proud of them.

They were also a part of the book launch ceremony by Rajinder Pal Devgan Indostani - an autobiography by Mr Shiv Kunal Verma.







ANNUAL SPORTS MEET Nov 26, 2022

The Doon Girls' School celebrated their 11th Annual Sports Day on 26th November 2022. The occasion was graced by Chief guest Mr Phillip Burrett, former Deputy Headmaster, The Doon School. Sports teaches us to learn fair play, cooperation, sportsmanship. They help students understand the true meaning of team work and discipline. The School Flag was unfurled by the chief guest and the Chairman Mr. C.P. Dang. The events of the day started with March Past by all the four houses Koel, Myna , Robin and Myna House of The Doon Girls' School and Prabhakar and Bhaskar House of the Dehradun Boys' School. It was an honor for School to have the band from the 8 Garhwal Rifles play for the March Past. The day was full of fun filled



events for students including Roll the Ball, Blast the Balloon and Lemon Spoon race along with track events such as Hurdles, Relay and 50m, 100m, 200m races. Everyone present there observed the great level of enthusiasm by students and a sense of team spirit that can only be seen in sports.

In the girls' section, the Overall Trophy was won by Robin House,









while Prabhakar House bagged the overall trophy for boys. The Best Athlete trophies were awarded to Chahak Agarwal (Girls' Category) and Ojasv Singh (Boys' Category).

The second part of the day was a display of skill and coordination by the students. There was Yoga, PT, Karate, a wonderful

synchronized show on skates by the boys to a song sung by the school choir which impressed everyone.

The Annual Sports Day concluded with the chief Guest, Mr. Philip Burrett awarding the athletes and uplifting the spirit of the children with a motivational speech.



A MEETING TO REMEMBER Dec 09, 2022

On her two day trip to Uttarakhand in December 2022 honourable President Ms. Droupadi Murmu spent some of her time with a few school students.

In life, we all come across a lot of people who encourage us to be a better human beings. But to meet somebody like Ms. Droupadi Murmu at such a young age leaves a unique impression on an impressionable mind. Garvita Waldia, a Grade 6 student of our school had the privilege to spend some quality time in the presence of our President on the







December 9, 2022. She returned a completely different person determined, and inspired to make a difference. Her major takeaway was "simplicity has power!"





SESSION TAKEN BY UTTARAKHAND FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES Feb 8, 2023

The fire department addressed the whole school during assembly on 8th February, 2023 and spoke on how to prevent fires from spreading and what to do in case of one. It was an interesting session and the students asked very thoughtprovoking questions. An eyeopener indeed!



MAD CAP SESSION Feb 10-12, 2023

MAD-CAP (a camp on campus) new students enjoyed their time at school.

Our mentors Yami Agrawal (Grade 3), Divishtha Mittal (Grade 5) and Ishwar Sandhu (Grade 5) welcomed them and took them on a school tour, showed them around, introduced them to their friends and taught them what they have learned here. Three fruitful days of creation, laughter and fun!













'QUEST' – 14TH INTER-SCHOOL (JR.) SCIENCE QUIZ COMPETITION Feb 10-12, 2023

After a gap of 3 years, we hosted 'Quest', the 14th Inter-School (Jr) Science Quiz. 20 renowned schools of Dehradun participated and left us all in wonder at their knowledge and enthusiasm towards science.

Convent of Jesus and Mary bagged the trophy followed by Welham Boys' School.

We all have the potential to make a change, hence happened the 'ChangeMaker Campaign'. 10 schools participated in this contest.



Sustainability is the new buzz word and everything that needs to change starts from here and us!

The trophy was bagged by Purkul Youth Development Society, but each one shared something which was innovative and creative.

Thank you, Mr. Suniti Bhushan Datta, Ms. Anchal Sondhi and Ms. Richa Pant for taking out time and judging this contest.











VISIT TO SURVEY OF INDIA Feb 28, 2023

On Science Day, our students of Grade 8 and 9 visited Survey of India and tried out their hands at the various instruments.











TREE PLANTATION AT BADDIWALA, RAJAJI RAGHATI BIOSPHERE Mar 4, 2023

Our students went for tree plantation at Baddiwala, Rajaji Raghati Biosphere, a rewinding and co-existence initiative. "Learning by doing and doing till you learn", our motto to be the difference.

Thank you Mr. Asad Khan for giving them this opportunity.













WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATION Mar 11, 2023

In the spirit of celebrating women empowerment, on March 11, 2023 we had the privilege of inviting the three larger than life heroes for a heart to heart conversation at The Doon Girls' School. They spoke to our girls about their childhood dreams and adulthood struggles and gave us lessons for life.

Mountaineer Mamta Rawat who saved over 1000 lives during the flash floods of Uttarakhand told our girls to never give in to what people say; in her words "Earlier people could not understand why



Dehradun based Paralympics shooter Dilraj Kaur is the first female para-rifle shooter from India. She has, in her 17-year career won 28 gold, 5 silver and 6 bronze medals, including the World Games of 2007 in Taiwan and 2015 in Bengaluru. She paved a new way not only for herself but for many more in the years to come who would follow her path. Her story moved all of us and filled us with gratitude.

Our other guest Gullista Ansari left her job of Rs 5000 per month, took a loan and bought an erickshaw and became the first woman to be driving an erickshaw in Dehradun at the age of 26 years.

"I think some people find it difficult to accept that I'm doing what has traditionally been regarded as a man's job. But then there are those who tell me that I'm an inspiration".



ORIENTATION PROGRAMME Mar 27, 2023

It is that time of the year when we admit new students to the Doon GIrls' family and the campus comes alive with new children, parents and grandparents. The school organised an orientation program for new students and a counseling session for parents. The event was aimed at introducing the school's policies, academic programs, and activities to new students and addressing







the concerns and queries of parents regarding their child's education and well-being.

Our present students also put up an entertainment programme including a wonderful play 'The Awakening'

An informative and engaging event, providing a glimpse of the school's environment and culture to new students and parents.























GANGA PUJA Mar 28, 2023

In our Indian culture any new venture begins with the inaugural pooja. Before starting their journey in the fresh environment, the new children, escorted by a group of teachers went to Rishikesh on Mar 28, 2023 to receive the blessings of Mother Ganga.

Children offered their prayers to the holy river with traditional ceremony.



Experiential Learning Experience Mar 31-Apr 02, 2023

Thanks to the mid-term trips and various organisations creating immersive and experiential learning experience for the students, nature association remains alive. Walking in the field, breaking fruits and eating it off the branch, understanding the nuances of farming, living in a real haveli, and



seeing heritage at such close quarters are experiences that are made special by your presence. We are sure these few days will leave a different impact and impression on their minds. Atleast, they'll know the difference between a peach and a plum now! And feel the joy of walking on the burma bridge. Zip



lining and seeing the world is an all-together different experience. Mid-terms carry learning from indoors to outdoors.







Some Glimpses from Mid Term Trip





























BALSABHA Apr 5, 2023

Balsabha! An event where all the new students put up a talent show and once again win our hearts, was held this year on 5 April, 2023. This is a very talented and entertaining batch. From songs, dances to yoga and public speaking they managed it all effortlessly.











RAPHAEL RYDER CHESHIRE HOME - 64TH FOUNDER'S DAY CELEBRATIONS Apr 5, 2023

Raphael Ryder Cheshire Home, a place where one realises that nothing is impossible if one has the desire, drive and patience to achieve.

It was their 64th Founder's Day celebrations and what we saw left each one of us mesmerised and awed. The hardwork put by everyone and the happiness was visible on each and every face.



As every year this year too our students participated in their Founder's Day celebration and put up a kathak performance.







'MARATHON OF HOPE - THE TERRY FOX RUN' Apr 14, 2023

Our students joined in the 'Marathon of Hope - The Terry Fox Run' run, which is held by the 'Terry Fox Cancer Foundation' in support with The Doon School. Being a part of this run after three long years was refreshing for these young minds.





SCHOOL PREFECTS' WORKSHOP Apr 13-16, 2023

On the auspicious morning of Baisakhi, our Head Girl Chahna Gandhi, Vice Head Girl- Saima Arora, Sports Captain- Prarthna Rastogi and Sports- Vice Captain Kavya Chug stepped out of their comfort zone to be a part of a leadership training program. They had the privilege to attend a three day workshop organized by Boarding Schools Association of India (BSAI) at Khan Farms, Bandarchud, located adjacent to



Rajaji Tiger Reserve. A perfect location amidst nature and in the company of students from the other boarding schools from across the country, is what one would require to lay the foundation of leadership in the budding minds. With the theme of team management, trust building, understanding the schools' expectations and getting out of the comfort zone, the workshop was not only engaging



but also an empowering one. The difference is evident in the students after the workshop; they are taking accountability and helping others to do the same; after all in the words of Jack Welch, former GE chairman and CEO "Before you are a leader, success is all about growing yourself. When you become a leader, success is all about growing others."

















SCHOOL BIRTHDAY, INVESTITURE CEREMONY, RUPALI MEMORIAL INTER SCHOOL ART COMPETITION & SPIC MACAY PERFORMANCE Apr 17, 2023

Another year added in the cap of the school as it celebrated its birthday.

School birthday is synonymous with the investiture ceremony. The new council was handed over their badges and took an oath to take the school to greater heights.







Anvetiture Ceremony





Rupali Memorial Inter School Art Competition















The biggest attraction of the school birthday was a performance by Central Sangeet Natak Akademi Bismillah Khan Yuva Puraskar Awardee (2013) Lakshmi Parthasarathy Athreya ji, a noted Bharatanatyam soloist of her generation.

She is a senior disciple of the Bharatanatyam legend Guru Smt. Chitra Visweswaran in Chennai for over 35 years. In addition to dance, she is also trained in Nattuvangam, dance theory and stagecraft at Smt. Chitra's Chidambharam Academy of Performing Arts. Her architectural education at the School of Architecture, CEPT, Amdavad, opened her world of art 360 degrees and more. She was accompanied by her team.

Nattuvangam -

Smt. Vidya Ravindran Anand

Mridangam -Sri. M. Dhanamjayan

Vocal and Violin -Smt. Ila Sangeeta Dileep



















MY GOOD SCHOOL RETREAT Apr 18-21, 2023

It was an honor for The Doon Girls' School to organize a Retreat for students of various day and boarding schools across India in association with My Good School Alliance. Over 50 students and teachers were part of this Retreat. Everyone stayed on the school campus and participated in the 5 day exchange program. It was an immense learning not only for the visiting students and staff but also for our students and teachers. The groups bonded well with each other and it was difficult to part ways. The schools that were a part of this retreat were: Gyanshree School-Noida, Satya Prakash Public school-Jabalpur, Hyderabad Public School-Hyderabad, Pestaklozzi Home-Dehradun, Gyanuday School-Dehradun, Blossoms School-Meerut.

















THE MUSIC OF THE SPHERES Apr 21, 2023

Music and nature, the biggest healers! That's why we celebrate the Earth Day as a 'Music Festival'. The Fifth Edition of The Music of the Spheres was organised on April 21, 2023 by The Doon Girls' School. The amphitheatre resonated with songs sung by the







various schools. The musical extravaganza sparked an air of merriment and positivity. Whilst participating with enthusiasm and gusto, all the students demonstrated their progress and development through their mesmerizing performances.



Besides many renowned schools from Dehradun City, outstation schools under the 'My Good School Retreat' student exchange programme also participated in this non-competitive event. The enthusiasm shown by the students won many a heart.



ALUMNI TALK BY EX DGS – SUCHI GUPTA Nov, 2022

Being motivated by the alumni of the school is the best form of motivation.

Thank you Suchi for making the Children's Day special by interacting with your juniors.



INCLUSION MATTERS May, 2023

One of our students was called by the Russian delegates, as he has shown major improvement in multiple walks of life.

The boy, his parents and the entire teaching community who have die-hard faith in his abilities need to be congratulated for his marked improvement.

Thank you dear delegates for patting his back.

EX-DYNAMO - DR. VEDVI GUPTA Mar 13, 2023

When we have one of our students visit us after 16 long years, those years don't seem so many, especially when all they want is their Sunday tuck.

Thank you Dr-Vedvi Gupta for visiting us and spending quality time.





NO CLIMB IS TOO HIGH

May, 2023



Words from an old parent like the ones below, make our hearts smile with pride. Thank you Mr. Navin Gattani for sharing this with us and for your kind words.

"Your old student Tanushree Gattani made it to Everest Base Camp yesterday. She is in standard XII at Mayo College EVEREST BASE CANPA

Girls School and was also made the House Captain. We (father and daughter) started our journey from Lukla (2840 mts). The trekking started from there and after 8 days of trekking we made

yesterday. Thanks to you for your guidance when she was there in The Doon Girls School."

Way to go girl! Do not forget to thank your parents, Tanu, who have always encouraged you to see and achieve the unachievable.





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