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Inter House Spell-Bee Competition

Newsletter

A Spelling Bee Competition was organised for students of classes III to V on 1st November 2018 in which spellers of different houses were asked to spell a broad selection of words. The spellers showed great confidence while spelling. It was altogether an alluring and fascinating competition.







World Scholars' Cup

Consisting of 4 Events; Debate, Scholars' Bowl, Scholars' Challenge and Collaborative Writing, The WSC is an annual affair. Our student, Aniket Kumar of Std.8-D partook recently in the capital city, Patna and won 3 Medals in the overall tally and he has been shortlisted for the next round in the National Capital, Delhi to be held in the 3rd week of Nov. 2018 which, if selected, would take him to the international scene in Dubai. We wish him all success.



Rangoli and Face Painting Competition

DPS Gaya organised a Rangoli Making and Face Painting Competition on 02.11.2018. The students from classes VI to XII participated in it with great zeal and zest. The aim was to provide a platform for the budding artists of the school to bring out their latent creativity. The whole event created an aura of festivity in the school campus.





Children's Day Celebration

Children's Day was celebrated in the school campus with great zeal and enthusiasm. Several colourful activities were organised from classes I to IV. The children enthusiastically participated and showed their creativity. Paper Rose and Nehru Cap making activities were the main attractions. The day started with a speech on Children's Day delivered by our teacher. The students were acquainted with Fundamental Rights of the children. They learnt about Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and tried to imbibe qualities of an ideal student.















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Diwali and Chhath Puja Celebrations

Melange of thoughts turn into "I" dias....And DPS Gaya Celebrates, as a matter of fact...pride...and following the rigours of regularity...excels in every arena and all stages. Diwali, the sacred festival of LIGHTS has been celebrated here with good cheer n natural bonhomie amongst the tutors n tutees with loads of great dances, soulful renditions of brilliant songs, apt choreography and fabulous anchoring for one and all. When Diwali is soooo near....How Chatth can be far behind ...? And "Pahile Pahil" was there to remind all about the sacred "puja of Surya Dev" just after the song, "Deepawali Manaye". All the bright faces of the performers as well as the happy audience got brighter when the Honourable Principal, Mr. Sanjeet Soni took the dais to congratulate and bless all and expressed his finest delight in his inimitable style.

























DPSG students won medals in C.B.S.E. National Taekwondo Championship

Eight students of DPS, Gaya took part in the C.B.S.E. National Taekwondo Championship 2018-19 held at Satyawati Memorial Academy, Kiratpur, Bijnaur(U.P.) from 13.11.2018 to 17.11.2018 and achieved laurels for the School. It was a global event as schools from 8 zones of India and 1 Zone of the Middle East also graced the event. Indeed it was a gala extravaganza. Our students performed par excellence and won 3 Bronze medals, thereby, glorifying the name of our school. Dr. Manjeet Singh, Deputy Director, Sports, CBSE was the Chief Guest of this event. Our team was mentored by our teachers Mr Chandeshwar Kumar and Ms Anuradha Vishwakarma. The Bronze Medallists are as follows: 1. Karan Kumar Singh (Under 17 - Boys-51 kg Category) 2. Aditi Senapati (Under 17 - Girls-55 kg Category) 3. Shruti Kumari (Under 19 - Girls -67 kg Category)







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Heritage Walk Bodhgaya

As a part of the celebration of the 'Heritage Week' and keeping with the belief of the DPS Gaya of instilling respect and regard of our culture and heritage, DPS Gaya organised a Heritage Walk to Bodhgaya on 22.11.2018. A group of 40 students from classes VII and VIII along with 4 escort teachers led by Mr. Uday Bhanu Roy, left for Mahabodhi Temple, Bodhgaya in the morning. There is probably no better place than Mahabodhi Temple, Bodhgaya for inculcating the values of Heritage in young minds. The students thoroughly enjoyed their trip and were mesmerised by the divinity of the place. Overall, it was a great learning and eternal experience for the students as well as the teachers who escorted them.



Heritage Walk: At Nalanda

In continuation with the celebrations of Heritage Week, DPS Gaya organized a heritage walk/trip to the ancient site of Nalanda. A group of 39 students along with 4 escort teachers led by Mr. Uday Bhanu Roy left for Nalanda in the morning. After an entertaining bus journey of 3 hours we reached the site. Indeed it is seen to be believed, the unique architectural design and the other features of the ancient university. The students thoroughly enjoyed the glory and heritage of the place. A guide was arranged, who clarified all historical facets of the ancient site to perfection, thereby, enlightening the students about one of the greatest seats of ancient learning. The trip was indeed worth every moment. Truly our country is a storehouse of historical marvels.













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Inter House Quiz Competition

30th November, 2018 is a DATE in the field of Quizzes here at DPS Gaya which would be remembered as a Day of Celebration of Knowledge and Presentation on the Open Stage....four Houses....three categories and Mega Blitzkrieg of Questions by the Quiz Master, Pradip Banerjee, in his inimitable way...... Chanakya House stole the show by grabbing the "Winner" Position in two consecutive categories of Middle (Std.6 to 8) and Senior (Std.9 to 12). In the Junior Category Ashoka House bagged the 1st Position. In the Middle Category Aryabhatta House got the 2nd rank and Buddha House got the 3^{rd} Place. In the Senior Quiz Ashoka and Aryabhatta Houses shared the 2^{rd} and 3^{rd} Position respectively. In the Junior(Std. 3 to 5) rank and file Chanakya and Aryabhatta Houses got the 2nd and 3rd positions pushing the Buddha House to relegation... Honourable Principal Mr. Sanjeet Soni had asked the Very Interesting Inaugural Question. Mr. Shiv Sundar and Mr. Siddharth had very ably provided all the wherewithal and logistics for the smooth presentation. May the unending and effervescent flow and glow of Quizzes continue unabated...





Workshop on "Redefining Learning and Question Paper Framing".

Aiming to provide an intense training to the teachers on how to provide quality education to the new generation students in this highly technological world, DPS Gaya organised a workshop on 1st December, 2018, on the topic "Redefining Learning and Question Paper Framing". The resource person of the workshop, Mr. G Balasubramaniam (the Ex-Director of C.B.S.E-Academics) was graciously invited by the Principal Mr. Sanjeet Soni. The workshop started with an enlightening introductory session in which the resource person highlighted the importance of body language of a teacher while teaching by citing several real life experiences. Discussing further about the academic issues and challenges, he stated the importance of providing Emotionally Competent Stimuli to the students and encouraging them to think, rather than dictating them what to do and curbing their individuality. Further dealing with the topic he reiterated, "Curriculum and text books are like runways for an aircraft to take off" and urged the teachers to bring creativity in their teaching. The later half of the workshop provided a brief idea about the important parameters which needed to be followed while designing a question paper. A special focus was made on the importance of vocabulary, syntax and stimulus words in a question paper as it reflects the profile of a school. The workshop was well appreciated by all the participants who expressed their satisfaction and admitted that the discussion was extremely useful for them.