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KALEIDOSCOPE - Celebration day



The much awaited day of the year, a wondrous day of celebration of the various talents housed in the school was finally here on the 11 Nov 2017. The celebration day was a time of colours, lights, music, dance and laughter. It was a day on which the children of AMIS displayed their various talents honed by the school. It all began with a welcome dance, a performance of Tandav which portrayed the cycle of creation, preservation and dissolution of the universe.

It was then time for a classic rock number, Winds of Change, a song that promotes unity and peace with heart felt melodies and the raw power of rock. The children performed with utmost excitement and energy all the while keeping in mind the philosophy of the song. It was followed by a folk dance that brought alive the culture of Kashmir, a place regarded as paradise on Earth. The bright, colourful costumes and the graceful dance moves had the audience smiling and swaying in their seats. Next up was a thought provoking mime which conveyed a very important message to the audience. The children showed the grave consequences of mobile phone addiction. It was truly an eye opener. The convincing acting and seamless transition between scenes sent a wave of realization across the audience.

This was followed by a Kannada song, Chappale, which paid tribute to the many heroes of India ranging from freedom fighters, defence personnel, the police force, scientists and our farmers who make our nation so great. The strong, loud and clear lyrics of the song instilled in the audience a sense of patriotism. Next was the folk dance of Assam. The performers successfully captured the essence of the Bihu tradition. The traditional costumes and music coupled with the swift moves uplifted the spirit of the audience.

As children we have all been conditioned to expect fairy tales to end “happily ever after”. The presenters of the English skit had something different in mind. They protested and demanded a change in the age old fairy tales. The fairy tale characters from different stories came together to create their own modern fairy tale. The kids ended the play on a jubilant note with a very entertaining group dance. A fusion song “Main Raasta” which included prominent guitars and fast paced lyrics, a challenge readily accepted by the singers, was performed with high energy and an electrifying stage presence. The song started with a bang and ended on an even louder note. The singers had the parents on their feet, cheering for them with rhythmic applause.

“Jugalbandi” a fusion dance merging two classical dance forms, Kathak and Bharatanatyam was a resplendent sight. The perfection and agility shown by children drew loud applause from the audience. Then came the spectacular conclusion to the evening. The children performed a vibrant Spanish dance with great posture and grace. They were dressed in the traditional Spanish attire which took the performance a notch higher and the jugglers lent it a magical quality.

The much anticipated celebration day was a great success. It ended on a high note with the children gleaming with happiness from the loud applause and the teachers beaming with pride to see their hard work pay off so magnificently. The memories of this fabulous day have undoubtedly left a deep impression on everybody’s mind and can only be replaced by the next celebration day.



AURO OLYMPICS- NURSERY & LKG

Auro Olympics sports day was held on the 25th of November for children of Nursery and LKG. What a fun filled day it was! The playground was adorably decorated with everything that children love: soft toys, hoops, balls and brightly coloured paper. The whistle blew at 9:15 a.m. and the exciting races began. We had our Harvinder Didi, Yamini Didi and parents of the children watched and motivated our little athletes. The Hula hoop display where children displayed excellent balancing skills and flexibility with their hoops was a hit among the audience.

Every race had a theme and participants dressed up in their cute costumes to fit the theme of the race. Some interesting races were Farmer race, Honey bee race, Jelly fish race, Rabbit race, Dolphin race, Kangaroo race, Birthday race and Penguin race. Individual races were followed by team races which included the Boat and ball race, hoop and ball race, weight lifting and passing the ball race.

What a joyous sight it was to watch the children hop, run and jump. Parents were as excited as the children and cheered on happily. A drill performance by children of UKG with their magnificent peacock feathers and a special act that was a combination of Yoga and Gymnastics were both a treat to watch. Parents were invited to give away the certificates to the children who made it to the finishing line first.



AURO OLYMPICS- PRE-PRIMARY



The bright, sunny day of 16 Dec 2017 reflected the cheerful spirit of the children who were eagerly looking forward to their sports day. The school ground was decorated with bright and colourful patterns of balls that represented the different types of sports. The teachers and children were dressed in white. The sports day began with the march past led by students holding the school flag and followed by contingents of classes who held their class flags with pride and joy. The compering team introduced the children holding the school flag and class flags as they marched along. After all the classes assembled in their allotted positions at the end of the parade, the sports oath was

administered. The children were given a loud applause for their splendid march past.

It was then time for the first race which was to select the fastest boy and girl from U.K.G to second grade. The race was followed by a drill performed by children of second grade with boards painted in white and black. The trick was to see if parents could guess what they were representing. The black and white boards symbolized the checkered chess board.

Next a slew of innovative and exciting races like cone trotters, ball balancers, champa express, bucketing balls, dribbling balls, hurdle race, sideways race, skiing, marble collectors, and skipping with hoops had the audience at the edge of their seats in anticipation and enjoyment. All the races were zestful and energetic garnering loud cheering and applause. After the races, children of UKG walked into the ground with brightly painted peacock feathers for another drill.

How could we miss out the gymnastic and yoga demonstration? This finale performance was the cherry on the cake. There was strength, flexibility, power, stamina, co-ordination and concentration in the breath taking display. Certificates were given to children who made it to the finishing line first. The sports day was thoroughly enjoyed by students and parents alike. It served to inculcate in children discipline, cooperation, team spirit and sportsmanship.

Three cheers for the children and Gayathri didi! Hip, hip hooray!



HAPPINESS OVERLOAD- Children's Day



All of us were children once and regard those childhood days as the most wonderful period of our lives. We also share the desire to ensure the wellbeing of every child whose life we touch. On this note, AMIS began the children's day celebration. The children came to school bursting with energy and enthusiasm, as they were eager to see what awaited them! They queued up class by class and seated themselves in the school grounds as the teachers geared up to showcase their talents and make the day memorable for the children.

Teachers opened the show to an enjoyable and lively medley of songs. This was followed by a stunning yoga demonstration by the accounts department and a didi. There was pin drop silence as the children watched the show in total amazement.

Kannada skit which presented a slice of school life– had the children in splits. The children clapped and cheered loudly as teachers sang to different numbers.

The Aunties of AMIS stole the show with a fabulous dance performance and the children were overjoyed at this surprise. The resounding claps were proof of the children's delight! Following closely was a tricky act by Juggling master, who pulled a fast one on the audience. Fantastic dance performances by the Gymnastics and yoga bhaiyas to peppy numbers had the children dancing along . The celebration came to a fitting climax with a stunning rock song rendered by our Music bhaiya who had the children out of their seats and dancing.

The show ended with silence and on a very cheerful note as the children left for their classes happily. We do hope we made their day!!



EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

Children of Grade-1 from Marigold, Rose and Aster visited the Bannerghatta National Park, as part of the curriculum for the 1st graders. This helped the children understand the different kinds of animals and birds, their environment, eating habits etc. They saw the Bengal tiger, Himalayan bear, porcupine, zebra and various species of birds and reptiles such as crocodile and snakes. Children also spotted flightless birds like Ostrich and Emu. The field trip enriched their knowledge.

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ನಮ್ಮ ಶಾಲೆಯ ಆಟದ ಮೈದಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ 30-11-2017 ರಂದು ಕನ್ನಡ ರಾಜ್ಯೋತ್ಸವ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಬಹಳ ಸಂಭ್ರಮದಿಂದ ಆಚರಿಸಿದೆವು. ಶಾಲಾ ಮೈದಾನವನ್ನು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಪ್ರೇಕ್ಷಣೀಯ ಸ್ಥಳಗಳ ಚಿತ್ರಪಟಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಭಾವುಟಗಳಿಂದ ಅಲಂಕರಿಸಲಾಗಿತ್ತು.

ಈ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವು ಹರವಿಂದರ್ ದೀದಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಯಾಮಿನಿ ದೀದಿಯವರ ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯಿತು. ನಾಡನ್ನು ಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿ

ಸುವ ಜಾನಪದ ನೃತ್ಯಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಹಾಡುಗಳನ್ನು ಏರ್ಪಡಿಸಲಾಗಿತ್ತು, ಮತ್ತು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯದ ಉದಯ ಹಾಗೂ ಅಸ್ತಿತ್ವದ ಕುರಿತು ಮಕ್ಕಳು ತಿಳಿಸಿಕೊಟ್ಟರು. ಈ ಮೂಲಕ 'ಕನ್ನಡ ಹಬ್ಬ' ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಸಡಗರ ಹಾಗೂ ಅಚ್ಚು ಕಟ್ಟಾಗಿ ಸುಗಮವಾಗಿ ನೆರವೇರಿಸಲಾಯಿತು.

PICNIC TO BANNERGHATTA NATIONAL PARK

UKG had its most awaited event of the year on 20th December, 2017. Yes, it was a picnic to the Bannerghatta National park. Children enjoyed it to the fullest. They saw a variety of animals and birds like peacock, love birds, Macaw, Toucan, Ostrich, reptiles such as crocodiles and snakes. They were awestruck when they found themselves standing in front of the tiger's cage watching the tiger walk back and forth in its enclosure. The best part was when they heard it roar. Watching one leopard jump over an other was absolutely unforgettable. Children also got to see the Royal Bengal tiger and the white tiger. They wanted to stand and stare at these beautiful creatures a little longer. Even though they were a little scared, they didn't want to lose sight of "SHER KHAN". Butterfly park was a magical experience altogether where they saw butterflies flying all around them, some of the children ran to catch them but missed. This was followed by a visit to a hall showcasing the different species of butterflies and their life cycle. The trip ended with a walk out of the butterfly park. It was an enthralling experience to watch these majestic creatures in flesh and blood, which are only otherwise seen in movies and books.

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मासिक PEP sessions (अभिभावक संवर्धन कार्यक्रम) की श्रंखला को आगे बढ़ाते हुए सितम्बर महीने का संवर्धन कार्यक्रम हमारी प्री प्राइमरी अध्यापिकाओं द्वारा २३ सितम्बर २०१७ को आयोजित किया गया। इस सत्र का विषय था “ हिंदी भाषा में ध्वनियाँ “ “Sounds in Hindi language”। हर सत्र की भांति इस सत्र की शुरुवात भी मौन से हुई। सत्र के प्रारम्भ में सबसे पहले ये बताया गया कि कैसे किसी भी भाषा को सीखने के लिए उस भाषा का उचित श्रवण व् उच्चारण अत्यंत आवश्यक है और विशेषकर हिंदी भाषा की तो ये सबसे जरूरी विशेषता है। अंग्रेजी भाषा से भिन्न, हिंदी भाषा में हम जैसा बोलते हैं वैसा ही लिखते हैं। इसीलिए उचित श्रवण व् उच्चारण का बहुत महत्व है। इस सभा का मुख्य उद्देश्य बच्चों के माता पिता को हिंदी भाषा समझने और सीखने के कुछ सरल उपायों से अवगत कराना था। पहली क्रियाविधि के अंतर्गत अभिभावकों से उनकी आँखें बंद करवाकर उन्हें विभिन्न ध्वनियाँ सुनवाई गयी जिनमें मुख्यतः डब्बों में बंद दालें, सरसों और सिक्कों की गिरने की आवाजें थीं। इसके बाद उन्हें इन आवाजों की पहचान करने को कहा गया। बाद में उन्हें ये समझाया गया कि कैसे लगभग एक सामान सी सुनाई देने वाली आवाजें भी यदि एकाग्रचित्त होकर सुनी जाएँ तो उनमें भी महीन अंतर समझा जा सकता है। यही बात हिंदी भाषा के अक्षरों पर भी लागू होती है। इसके पश्चात् स्वर गीत (जो स्वरों को सीखने का सबसे सरल और असरदार माध्यम है) से भी उन्हें अवगत कराया गया। हिंदी की अध्यापिकाओं ने ये भी समझाया की इन विभिन्न ध्वनियों को उच्चारित करने में हम किस प्रकार हमारी जिह्वा, होंठ, दन्त, मुँह आदि का सहारा लेते हैं व् ये सभी अंग अक्षर/शब्दों के उच्चारण में कितनी महत्वपूर्ण भूमिका निभाते हैं। सत्र के दूसरे चरण में व्यंजनों पर ध्यान केंद्रित किया गया। क और ख, ग और घ और च और छ इत्यादि इसी प्रकार के दूसरे वर्ग के व्यंजनों को सटीक उच्चारण के साथ उनके कुछ सरल अभ्यास बताये गए। इसके बाद एक कार्यविधि के तौर पर अभिभावकों को दो अक्षर, तीन अक्षर वाले शब्द बनाने को कहा गया। सत्र के अगले चरण में उन्हें आसान वाक्य भी बनाने को प्रेरित किया गया। इस कार्यविधि को अधिक रोचक बनाने के लिए आकर्षक फ़्लैश कार्ड्स का इस्तेमाल किया गया। सत्र का समापन व्यंजनों पर केंद्रित जटिल उच्चारण वाले कथनों से किया गया जो बहुत मनोरंजक रहा। सत्र के अंत में अभिभावकों ने भाषा व् अक्षर ध्वनिओं से सम्बंधित विभिन्न प्रश्न पूछे।