



## Celebration of Silver Jubilee Year (2017-18)



# Celebrating 25<sup>th</sup> Years of Chairmanship



It is hard to find a holistic personality of body, mind and intellect to head an educational Institution like ours in Nepal. His life is full of meaning and contentment and many of his contemporaries describe him as a saint in disguise suiting and clothing.

**Ms. Bhubaneshwari Rao**  
Principal

अनिल सरको उदात्त कार्यशैली प्रशंसनीय छ । उहाँ एउटा उद्योगपति भएर पनि वास्तविक शिक्षाप्रेमी हुनु निकै सराहनीय पक्ष हो । उहाँले कार्यसम्पादनका क्रममा आइपर्ने अप्ठ्यारा चुनौतिहरूलाई निकै गम्भीरताका साथ सामना गरेको कैयन् प्रसङ्गहरू मैले देखेको छु ।

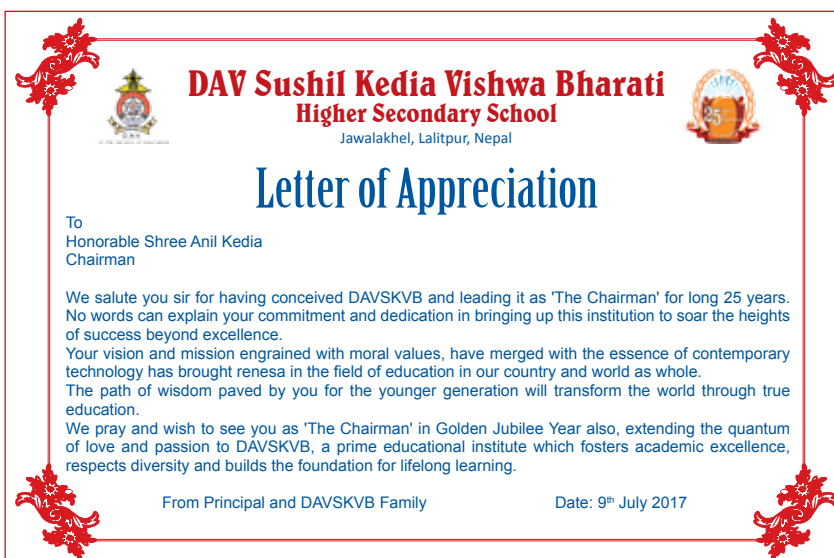
**श्री रामचन्द्र खनाल**  
उप-प्रधानाध्यापक

विद्यालय के अध्यक्ष श्री अनिल सर के कुशल नेतृत्व और मार्गदर्शन में आज हमारा विद्यालय शिक्षा के उत्कृष्ट परिणाम प्रदर्शन करने के साथ-साथ चित्रकला, नृत्यकला, गीत-संगीत, क्रिकेट, फुटबॉल के साथ-साथ अन्य विविध खेल-कूद, आध्यात्मिक कार्यक्रम, अंतर्राष्ट्रीय प्रतिस्पर्धा आदि में भी दिनानुदिन उत्कर्षता की राह पर है ।

**श्री पुरुषोत्तम पोखरेल**, अध्यक्ष, हिन्दी विभाग

Sir, we had started to celebrate our 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary but a big loss came in the form of Janardan sir. It was a big question mark for his family. But the way you led them and this DAV family is remarkable sir. It shows your kind nature.

**Mr. Amrendra Pandey**  
Teacher of Senior School



We would like to express our sincere gratification to our Chairperson Sir and First lady for their wisdom and ambition in establishing a school in Lalitpur which has grown into this wonderful and exciting centre of education.

**Ms. Pratikshya Nepali**  
Teacher of Junior School

एउटा बिस्वा रोपेर हुर्काउन कति चुनौतिहरू आइपर्छन् । परिवारका सबै सदस्य मिलेर एउटा शिशुलाई सक्षम र सफल बनाउन पनि निकै हाम्रो-हाम्रो पछि भने, यति ठुलो संस्थालाई यो ठाउँसम्म ल्याइपुर्‍याउन अनिल सरले कति धेरै अप्ठ्याराहरू पार गर्नुपर्थो होला ।

**सुशीला खनाल**  
शिक्षक, आधारभूत तह

Each one of us have learnt big lessons of life from him and we are really indebted to our sir for helping each one of us to scale greater heights of individual success and excellence.

Honorable Mam, you are not only rigorous mediator but you never sight a frown of anger on your face. You are always smiling keeping the innocent child alive in you till date.

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# Message from the Principal ...



Dear Parents,

I am much privileged to address the entire DAVSKVB school community through this final edition of 'Sandesh', in the silver jubilee year of the school (Session 2017- 18). Last session rolled by smoothly with the corporation and support of the parent's community, teacher's community and the student's community as well the other staffs of the school. The school has crossed 25 years of yardsticks of its longevity very successfully. There is a silver line in the crown of the school and we all feel so proud of it. Now it's again ready with the same enthusiasm and zealot to board on for its journey to reach the Golden Jubilee Year .

Around the year in the Session 2017 - 18, the student community was busy not only with their scholastic activities but also with their co scholastic activities giving much weight age to Sports and other Physical activities. Among all the events and shows conducted the theatre performance of "Twelfth Night or What you will be ", hosted by the Wordsworth English club was "the star", of the years. The glimpses of the round the year activities are brought forth before you through this edition of "Sandesh" .

The school believes in Holistic Development of its students based on the vision of Swami Dayanand Saraswati whose philosophy of education is to merge the best of East with West; "Eastern Heart with Western Minds". In the upcoming session 2018 -19 too the school is committed to keep up the same legacy with due significance to Multilingual Approach and Character Formation.

Every year after the term break the students come back to school with much excitement to unfold for themselves the new programmes in store for them .Such the following new programmes are designed for the students keeping the existing programmes intact.

1. DAVSKVB is ever devoted to inculcate Character Formation in students. Discipline both self and enforced is an integral part of our students and this has been the factor behind all the real success stories of our students in school as well as in their future life. Such this year onwards Children Gratitude Project (CGP) and its



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measurement and rewards will be an exciting part of the student's school life. As gratitude is a complex social behaviour that we must personalize and work at regularly to grow (just like nutrition or exercise habits that lasts), children must cultivate it early while at school.

2. Growth Mindset Program (GMP) will be introduced this session onwards. Under this program student will learn to come out of their fixed mindset and adapt growth mindset to counter the 'fight or flight', response which will help them to view social problems as challenges. This program will also help them to adapt change and grow the chief characteristic of Resilience. When

we promote the belief that people truly have the potential to change, we free up ourselves and others to actually do that.

3. Fail First then Learn program (FFL). This program is designed and introduced to help our students to overcome the "fear of failure". The students must accept their errors and failures particularly in classrooms so that they might translate their skills to the real world. It will be acceptable by their teachers and the school, if the students "Mess Up" or "Caught Failed". There is beauty in vulnerability. It gives us space to find our strength.
4. For many years now 15 different subject clubs have been functioning at the school ,encouraging student leaders to work in the subject of their interest. Keeping in view the growing involvement of students in the clubs and their activities this session onwards every subject club will introduce two more Sub Chapters; which will specifically work for the declared avenue.
5. Theatre classes for Junior, Middle and Senior school. The great William Shakespeare taught the world that, Art is not a mere form of entertainment but based on truth. Theatre is a reflection of our society. It shows the world its issues and makes people aware of how to fix it. Undoubtedly we want our students to have the opportunity to experience and learn from it. Drama tours will be the end goal of this program.
6. Kids are Authors Program . After the huge success of "Read to the Principal", the students have started to achieve accolades even in writing. This program will give a platform to all the budding student authors to publish their writings at the end of the session. They write in their language of choice and get it published using the resources of school.
7. Parents Appreciation Day. DAVSKVB, as a school is blessed with wonderful parent community who are the major stakeholders of the school. And parent's achievements are our

# Message from the Principal ...



kids happiness. Such this program is introduced to come together with the parents and celebrate their achievements in school. It will indirectly make our students understand that their parents who are their Role Models are not only respected by them but by the school too.

8. Cracking Open Kids Brains. Parents and Teachers together make a student strong and bright. They are common partners who share the success and failures of a child. Such this program will bring both the parents and teachers together in the school to attend the workshops and trainings by the eminent guest speakers to understand the latest trends in the area of brain development including other related research works

Education sprouts in many forms depending on how we look at it, our views of what it should look like and how it should

materialize depending on our value of it and our experience with it. According to John Taylor Gatto, teacher should choose the real world over the classroom. Students don't learn to live or survive in a classroom. Such Competency Based Education is the need of the hour. Here we embed assessments in every step of the learning process in order to provide students with guidance and support towards mastery but this does not mean that we ignore the Disruptive Innovation Theory all together. We do believe that there must be ample use of technology with due importance to the value of networking. Children learn both inside and outside the classroom. Learning experiences outside the classrooms are inherently interdisciplinary. When students go out in the world they encounter it as a whole and are forced to engage in multiple modalities, no matter which pair of disciplinary lenses they intended to wear. Adding to this flipped classroom which are due to start will begin from this session especially for the Junior and Middle School.

This classrooms will surely be new and interesting for the students community yet this session (2018 - 19) only twice a month it will be implemented. Similarly the concept of "Gamification" will captivate the students of the Junior School very soon. The concept of gamification is new but the psychology behind it is some centuries old.

I with my team of dedicated educators, qualified and experienced teachers, committed staffs, am trying my best to make the school a place of learning with fun for my loving students who intend to become life long learners. And this effort and purpose will continue till I am here for my children, my future cause as they are the only tools to bring about peace and prosperity in our country and world alike.

Wishing All A Happy and Prosperous New Year 2018

HAPPY READING OF SANDESH.

Sincerely Yours

**Bhubaneswari Rao**

Principal

SEPTEMBER

## Final Round of Read to the Principal for Grade X, XI and XII



The final round of read to the principal for grade X to XII was held in Pratik Hall on September 14.

The finalists were placed in an interview with the Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao,

Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, moderator and the panel of judges. The parents of the finalists along with the selected students of secondary wing were the audience. The management of this programme was done by Mr. Tank Meghji Devji and his team members.

Speaking at the programme, the principal shed light on the importance of book reading culture in today's digital world. She added that the technology has made people slaves. She further said, 'Use of various electronics gazettes and internet has destroyed reading culture, deteriorated students' handwriting, hampered socialization process of children.

She also differentiated between acquiring knowledge through book reading and movie watching. Book reading allows readers to use their own interpretation and imagination and engages brains, according to the principal.

The objective of the programme was to develop reading habits and encourage students to read books of their choice. Principal thanked all the contestants' parents for creating book reading environment at their homes and also suggested gifting books to their children.

The Programme started with light lamping, followed by principal's welcome speech, reading session of the contestants, and concluded with Vice principal's vote of thanks. The finalists of read to the principal from grade X were Arshu Shrestha, Karan Mahato, Sneha Dangol, Sambrid Raj Shrestha, Merina Shrestha, Anubhav Thapa, Similarly from XI were Bishal Gupta and Isha KC and from XII Garima Somani and Komal Karnani. The programme was organized by Helen Keller Library Club and supported by the department of English.

The contestants read out an extract from their selected books and they were questioned on different dimension of the books by the Principal, Vice-principal, HoDs of English and panel of Judges from the English Department.

Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal said that read to the principal is highly academic programme and ranked it as one of the best programme introduced in the school so far. The moderator was Mr. Devraj Gelal, HoD English and the judges were Mr. Narayan Khatiwada academic co-ordinator of IX and X, Mr. Umesh Saud and Ms. Mubina Thapa.

## Inter-section Debate Competition



Wordsworth English Club of secondary wing organized inter-section debate competition for grade XI and XII students in

Jetvan Hall on September 12.

The programme was organized to enhance oratory skills of the students. The

topic of debate competition was 'Does hard work overpower talent?' for grade XI and the topic for grade XII was 'Has technology made man alone?' Kritika Gurung IX D and Anshu Kumar Agrawal XI 'B' were the moderators and Mr. Umesh Poudel and Ms. Leela Subedi were the judges for the debate competition. The audience was the students of grade XI commerce stream.

As per the results, from grade XI, Chitranshi Dokaniya 'D' secured the first position, Aryan Kumar 'B' secured the second position and Bipasha Sharma 'C' secured the third position.

Similarly, from grade XII, Apratim Shrivastav 'C' secured the first position, Komal Karnani 'E' secured the second position and Numa Rai 'D' secured the third position.

## Nepali Debate Competition for Grade X

Devkota Nepali Club of secondary wing organised a debate competition on the topic 'Urban life style versus rural life style' in Indu Hall for grade X- SEE students on September 10.

The competition started with welcome speech and concluded with award distribution. A total of 10 students participated in the competition. For the debate two students (a girl and a boy) were selected from each section. The time given to each contestant was five minutes. The audience was from X SEE. Diyana Parajuli and Anubhav Thapa anchored the programme. Mr. Dipendra



Raut and Mr. Lalmani Panthi, Nepali teachers from the primary wing, were the judges in the competition.

As per the results Karan Mahato secured the first position, Rachel Bania secured the second position, Suyesh Nepal secured the third position and Yugik Agrawal secured the consolation position. Mr.

Tanka Nath Ghimire, S. CCA in-charge, and Mr. Narayan Khatiwada, academic co-ordinator of IX and X, gave away the certificates to the winners and participants.

The objective of the programme was to help students enhance debating skills, according to Mr. Mahendra Neupane, the club in-charge

## Inter-section Extempore Competition

Devkota Nepali Club of DAVSKVB organised Inter-section Extempore Competition for grade IX (SEE) students in Jetvan Hall on September 15.

The programme started with welcoming the guests, and concluded with chief guest's address and prize distribution ceremony. Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal appreciated the extempore speeches given by the students and also suggested some guidelines for extempore speeches. The programme was anchored by Savyata Pathak of grade IX 'B' and Samikshya Rana of IX 'E'. The Judges in the competition were Ms. Shakuntala Ghimire and Mr. Bhuvan Paudel.



As per the results, Palistha Maharjan IX 'D' secured the first position followed by Grishma Shrestha IX 'C' in the second position and Dibya Rayamajhi IX 'B' in the third position respectively.

The objective of the programme was to develop oratory skills of the students and boost their confidence for public speaking.

## Book Review Writing Competition

William Wordsworth English Club of secondary wing organised book review writing competition for grade IX students in their respective classrooms on September 18.

The competition was organized to enable students to write a proper reviews and enhance writing skills, according to Ms. Mubina Thapa. All the students of grade IX participated in the competition. The winners were declared section wise. The English teachers of respective classes evaluated book reviews of the students.

## Speech Writing Competition

William Wordsworth English Club of secondary wing organized English Speech Writing competition for grade XI students in their respective classrooms on September 10.

The competition was organised to enhance writing skills of students, according to Ms. Mubina Thapa, the club in-charge. The topic for speech writing was 'Role of science and technology in 21<sup>st</sup> century'. Participation in the competition was mandatory for all the students of grade XI. The word limit of speech writing was 200 to 250 words. The best four students were selected from each section by the respective English teachers.



## Digital Story Telling Competition



Charles Babbage Computer Club organised digital story telling competition for grade IX to XI in Jetvana Hall on September 13.

The objective of the competition was to enhance narration skills using Information Communication Technologies (ICTs). The programme was anchored by Rachel Baniya and Manu Agrawal. The students from grade IX 'I' and 'J' were the audience in the competition. Mr. Sanjeev Rai (English) and Mr. Debojyoti Chettri (Computer) were the judges in the competition.

A total of six groups, comprising three students in each group, participated in the digital story telling competition. As per the results, XI (science) secured the first position followed by X (CBSE) and X (SEE) in the second and third positions respectively.

## Field Visit to Sitaram Gokul Milk



The students of grade XI 'A' and 'B' (Science Stream), including executive members of Newton Science Club, visited Sitaram Gokul Milk factory at Bhaktepati, Kirtipur, on September 11.

The objective of the field visit was to familiarize the students with the pasteurization method, make students aware about nutrition value, and let them see the process of storage and

packaging milk, according to Ms. Shreejana Rana, club in-charge. A total of fifty eight students visited the factory. At Sitaram Milk factory, quality food managers detailed about the function of various machineries and departments.

The escorting teachers for the field visit were Mr. Kamallesh Kumar Karn, HoD Science, Ms. Shreejana Rana, Ms. Ritu Singh and Mr. Vivek Neupane.

## Best Out of Waste

Mother Teresa Social Service Club of secondary wing organized 'Best out of Waste' in art gallery of secondary wing on September 14.

The competition was organized to enhance creativity of the students in using waste materials to make something useful, according to Ms. Aarti Sharma, Club in-charge.

The students participating in the competition were from grade VI and VII. A total of 36 students took part in this event. Mr. Rajumuni Bajracharya, the HoD of art, was the judge in the competition. The certificate distribution of the competition was held in Jetavan Hall. Mr. Surchen Shah announced the results and Ms. Kaman Adhikari gave away certificates to the winners.

As per the results, from grade VII, Sneha Agrawal and Komal Jaiswal of section G secured the first position, Drishti Gupta and Shakshi Kedia from section I secured the second position. Aayush Agrawal and Mausha Kushwaha from section E and Rishav Chopra and Aakash Goyal from section H secured the third position.

Similarly, from grade VI, Anusha Karki and Somiyawal Shah of section H secured the first position. Aaniya Agrawal and Payal Kumari from section F secured the second position and Mihika Maharjan and Avinab Vaidya from section B secured the third position.

## Science Poster Making Competition



Newton Science Club of secondary wing organized science poster making competition for grade V to VIII in art room on September 13. The students were given away the certificates in Jetavan Hall on the same day.

A total of 100 students took part in the competition. The programme was organized to create awareness among students about environment conservation. The theme of poster making competition was 'Cause and effect of environmental pollution'. Three groups from each section were declared the winners. It was a group work. Mr. Rajumuni Bajracharya, HoD of Art, was a judge in the competition. The results were announced by Mr. Surchen Shah and Mr. Krishna Joshi, lower secondary co-ordinator, gave away the certificates of achievement to the winners.

## Mehendi Art Competition

OBTE Club organized *Mehendi* Art competition for beauty and health science students of grade VIII in the art room of secondary wing on September 8.

The objective of the competition was to enhance the skill for *Mehendi* art. The judges in the competition were Mr. Rajumuni Bajracharya and Mr. Ananta Maharjan.



## Cultural Consciousness Through *Deusi-Bhailo*

Devkota Nepali Club of secondary wing organized *Deusi-Bhailo* competition for the students of grade V to VII on September 24.

The competition was organized mainly to make students respect and follow the culture of playing *Deusi-Bhailo*. *Deusi* and *Bhailo* competitions were organised separately. The competitions were witnessed by Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal, Mr. Tank Meghi Devji and Mr. Krishna Joshi.

The competition started with welcoming guests followed by speeches on the



origin and development of *Deusi* and *Bhailo* in Nepal by Mr. Mahendra Neupane. The

programme concluded with result declaration.

As per the results, in *Deusi*

competition, the group of grade V, VI and VII secured the first, second and third position respectively. Similarly in *Bhailo* competition, the group of grade V students secured the first position followed by VII and VI in the second and third positions respectively. The audience was from grade V to VII. Six groups each in *Deusi* and *Bhailo* took part in the competition. Adwiti Karki VII 'B' and Krisha Rauniyar XI 'B' were the moderators in the competition. The judges in the competition were Mr. Dukendra Ghimire and Mr. Ghanshyam Aryal.

## Rhino Day Celebration



Friends of Zoo (FoZ) members participated in an animal feeding programme organized on the occasion of Rhino Day at Central Zoo, Jawalakhel, Lalitpur, on September 22.

The programme was organized to inform students about the feeding behaviors of

wild animals in captivity and to aware students about wildlife conservation. The students participating in the programme were from grade VI, VII and VIII CBSE. Ms. Renuka Bhandari, a conservation officer, made presentation on conservation of rhinoceros.

## Animal Feeding Programme for FoZ Members



Friend of Zoo (FoZ) members participated in animal feeding programme organised by National Trust for Nature Conservation (NTNC), Central Zoo, Jawalakhel, Lalitpur, at the Zoo on September 6.

The participants of animal feeding programme were VI to VIII (CBSE) students. The objective of the programme was to develop the feelings of love towards all living creatures.

## Antakshri Competition for Middle School Students

Kabir Sahitya Samaj organised *Antakshri* competition for grade V to VIII students in Pratik Hall on September 11.

The objective of the *Antakshri* competition was to develop interest in songs and music. The programme started with a welcome speech followed by major event *antakshri* competition, music video presentation, solo singing and vote of thanks. A total of four groups took part in the competition, according to Hindi club in-charge Ms. Indu Thakur. There were four



members in each group.

As per the results the group of Krishna Giya (V 'E'), Krishna K. Pandit VI 'G', Pragati Dayma VII 'F' and Nandani Gupta VIII 'J' was declared the winner. The audience was from VII CBSE. Ms. Indu Thakur was the anchor of the programme. In the programme, Mr. Purushottam Pokhrel, HoD Hindi, talked about the importance of songs and music. Mr. Surchen Shah and Mr. Dilliram Sharma sang songs on the occasion.



## Family Jamboree of Grade VIII Held

Family Jamboree of grade VIII was held in Buddha Hall on September 20. It is an annual programme of DAVSKVB which gives the students a chance to perform in front of their parents.

In the programme, grade VIII students enthralled the audience with a number of songs and dances. Parents' performances added charm to the cultural extravaganza.

The legendary musician and drum beater Mr. Dev Rana graced the ceremony and performed in the programme. Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao with Vice-principal, CAO, wing co-



ordinators, parents and teachers of respective classes witnessed

the show.

Mr. Rana said that he

was lucky to be a part of the programme. He also appreciated various performances of the students. The programme started with welcoming the guests followed by lighting the lamp by the guest, welcome speech of lower secondary co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi, welcome song, Kollywood dance, Hollywood dance, parents' item, prop dance, prize distribution to the winners of parents item, speech by the chief guest, documentary movie on farmers, Kajara Mohabat Wala (Hindi Song) vote of thanks and the programme concluded with Bollywood dance.

## Fruit and Vegetable Week

Co-curricular Activity Department of primary wing organized fruits and vegetable week for grade III students in their respective classrooms from September 10 to 15. The objective of the programme was to make students avoid eating junk food.

## Children's Day Celebrated



Co-curricular Activity Department of Primary wing conducted various activities for the students of grade I to IV on September 14 to celebrate Children's Day. On the occasion, various fun-filled activities were conducted in their respective classrooms.

## Maths Oral Quiz Contest



Aryabhata Mathematics Club of Primary wing organised Maths oral quiz contest for

grade I and II students in their respective classrooms on September 15.

The objective of the programme was to test students' knowledge in mathematics, according to Mr. Kumar Thapa, the club in-charge, 'Top 3 students were declared winners from each section. The judges in the competition were respective class teachers.

## Science Puzzle Solving Competition



Newton Science Club of primary wing organized puzzle solving competition for grade I and II students in their respective classrooms on September 7. The competition was organized to motivate students to work in team and develop the reasoning skills, according to Ms. Pratikshya Nepali club in-charge. The judges in the competition were class teachers and the club in-charge.

## E-card Making Competition

Co-curricular Activity Department of Primary wing organized E-carding making competition for grade III and IV students on September 17. The competition was



organized to test the creativity and computer skills of the students. The competition was organized in the computer lab of primary wing.

## Nepali Textual Quiz



Devkota Nepali Club of primary wing organised Nepali textual quiz for the students of grade I and II in Jetavan Hall on September 8.

The competition was organised to develop interest in reading Nepali text books. Ms. Basundhara Pokhrel was the quiz master of the competition. The audiences were from grade II. As per the results, section F of grade I and II secured the first position followed by section D of grade I and II in the second position and section A of grade I and II in the third position.





# 25 Years of DAV Movement in Nepal

One of the visionary social activists and industrialists, Late Shankar Lal Kedia thought to establish Anglo-vedic school in Nepal during 1990s. No sooner he thought about this, he came in contact with veteran Sanskrit Scholar late Janardan Ghimire, including distinguished academic leaders from Nepal and India. The idea soon culminated into a concrete reality in the form of first Dayananda Anglo-vedic (DAV) school in Nepal in the year 1993. DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati was formally established in Kalimati, Kathmandu, with 14 students from Nursery to grade IV. It was a time when DAV movement was spreading all over the world.

DAV schools follow Dayananda Saraswati's Ideals – western mind eastern thought. These ideals were later promoted by Swami Vivekananda. DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School is the only school in the country which is committed to provide education needed for the 21<sup>st</sup> century learners without compromising with the Vedic culture and values.

In the last 25 years DAV has not only won the trust and faith of thousands of parents but also made the educationists and academicians believe that DAV is one of the leading schools of the country. While many schools are swayed away by the technological advancement of

the west and focusing on making students learn English forgetting about the richness of Sanskrit language, DAV has given high priority to teaching Sanskrit, Hindi, Nepali and Pali languages. Besides these, DAV also focuses on yoga, meditation, Vipasana, Pariyatti and moral education that sets DAV apart from other schools in the country.

DAV has adopted 'learn by doing' approach and to implement this approach, the school has developed co-curricular calendar, formed 18 clubs and six houses. The clubs and houses are conducting hundreds of activities, competitions, trainings, orientations, etc. The programmes of DAV have been categorised under various topics.

The school is teaching German, French and Chinese as optional language subjects in the middle school and conducts various international educational exchange programmes every year.

The school has adopted European Model of Education and is running both theoretical and practical classes of vocational subjects in regular basis. Vocational subjects cover IT, electronics, mass media beauty and health science and fashion designing. Students have also been exhibiting vocational skills at school and out of the school.

To measure students' academic progress, school has introduced

a system to maintain a separate portfolio of each student. Portfolios help teachers and parents to evaluate students' academic, social, emotional and physical development. To ensure parents' participation school activities, there are numerous programmes such as Parents Teachers Conference (PTC), Orientations, Jamboree and Interaction programmes. The school has so far secured excellent board results among CBSE schools in Nepal and the results of SEE are also outstanding.

The world class infrastructure, visionary chairmanship of Shree Anil Kedia, bold and sound educational background of Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao, dedicated management team, experienced, skilled and energetic teachers and administrative staff and informed parent's community have contributed a lot to make DAVSKVB a brand name in the field of Education.

The journey of 25 long years was not a cakewalk for DAVSKVB, it had to go through many ups and downs. Fighting all the oddities, overcoming challenges and hurdles, DAVSKVB kept on moving ahead undeterred to achieve its mission and vision. DAVSKVB achieved many milestones in the last two-and-half decades but it has yet to add many more pages to its success story.

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## Winners of Principal's Subject Sweepstakes Awarded



The winners of Principal's Subject Sweepstakes of the primary wing were given away the prizes in the morning assembly in Pratik Hall on September, 7.

Mr. Vijaya Tater, the CAO, gave away the awards to the winners. The winners to get prizes were Abisha Tuladhar II 'D', Shilviya Raj Karnikar III 'D' and Dristi Chopra IV 'G'.

On the occasion, Mr. Shankar Bhujel and Ms. Sunita Thapa Magar, the sports teachers, were also honoured with certificates and medals. They got victory in the world championship in the first half of the Silver Jubilee Year.

## Presentation on Scope of English



Wordsworth English Club of primary wing organised presentation on scope of English language for grade III and IV Students in Pratik Hall on September 22.

The objective of the programme was to make students aware about importance of learning English in the present context. The speaker of the programme was Ms. Divya Nakarmi, club In-charge of Newton Science

Club. She also interacted with students during the presentation.

## Wall Magazines for Creativity

Co-curricular Activity Department of primary wing coordinated with students of different houses to post their writings and other creative works on the wall magazines of their respective houses. Students of grade III and IV were seen busy preparing their wall magazines on September 11. Students posted various news, photo essays, articles, cartoons, and puzzles on the wall magazines.

## Inter-Section Nepali Project Work Competition



Devkota Nepali Club of Primary Wing organized inter-section Nepali project work competition for grade III and IV students from 14<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> September.

The objective of the programme was to engage students in creative work, according to Ratna Shova Sangat, the club in-charge. Top three projects were selected from each section. Students were asked to complete project work at home and it was individual task.

The topics for the project work were greeting cards, invitation card, mass media, newspaper front page, pictorial poem writing, cleanliness festivals celebrated in Nepal, etc.

## Science Textual Quiz Contest

Newton Science Club of primary wing organized science textual quiz contest for grade III and IV students in Pratik Hall on September 10.



The competition was organized to motivate students to perform and excel, and to get substantial experience of science subject. The quiz master was Ms. Pratikshya Nepali, club In-charge and Sampriya Dhakal, club president. The audience was from grade III and IV.

The quiz contest helped students to assess their knowledge related with science.

## Teaching Moral Lessons Through Grandparents' Stories

Primary wing of DAVSKVB provided the students of grade II with an opportunity to listen to the stories of grandparents. The story telling programme was held in Pratik Hall on September 24.

Mr. Sambhu Prashad Acharya told a story of a 'palace'. The story revolved round love and respect towards the parents and teachers which brings differences in the lives of children. On the occasion, Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, the Vice-principal also told a story and recited a poem to motivate pupils to learn good habits right from the childhood. The moderator of the programme was Mr. Dipendra Raut.



The objective of the programme was to teach moral lessons through stories.

## Dashain Celebration of Kindergarten Wing



Kindergarten Wing of DAVSKVB organized recreational

activities like kite flying and potluck to mark the beginning of Dashain on the school premises.

Students from Nursery, LKG, and UKG participated in Kite flying and potluck party on September 22. Students were taken in the ground to fly kites and for Potluck party students Shared their lunch and snacks with each other.

## Magic Show for Kindergarten

Mr. Nirajan Verma performed various magic tricks to entertain the kindergarten students in on September 8. It was a calendar based activity according to kindergarten wing. All the students of Nursery, LKG and UKG were taken to see the magic show of Mr. Verma.





## Greeting Card Making Competition to Mark Various Festivals



Uttam Kiran Art Club of Secondary wing organised Dashain, Tihar, Chhath and Mha Puja greeting card making competition for the students of secondary wing just before the vacation on September 22.

The objective of the competition was to make students know more about different festivals through art, according

to Mr. Mangal Krishna Prajapati, art club in-charge. All the students from grade V to XII participated in card making competition in their respective classrooms in 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> period. Best three greeting cards were selected from each section. The judges in the competition were respective class teachers.

## Orientation Session on Blood Donation

Teachers and administrative staffers of DAVSKVB participated in an orientation session on blood donation in Pratik Hall on September 4. The resource person of the orientation programme was Mr. Kalpit Kumar Tripathi, treasure of Nepal Red Cross Society, Balkumari, Lalitpur.



Vice-principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal and Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, senior secondary wing coordinator, welcomed the representatives of Nepal Red Cross Society in the auditorium. In the programme, Mr. Kalpit focused on health benefits of blood donation and history of blood transfusion. The moderator of the programme was Mr. Ghanshyam Aryal, the club in-charge of Youth Red Cross Circle.

## Results of Principal's Subject Sweepstakes Declared



The results of Principal's Subject Sweepstakes were declared in the morning assembly on September 7. The winners were given away the prizes by DAVSKVB school management committee.

The winners were declared through lucky draw as the number of correct entries was more than one. The lucky winners to get prize were Nistha Jain V 'G', Swornim Maharjan VI 'A', Aaditya Rauniyar VII

'E', Gaurav Mittal VIII 'H', Suwanee Shrestha X 'B' and Muskan Bajaj XI 'D'. These winners represent the winner section of their particular class as well. The correct entries were counted section wise and the highest correct entries submitting section's students were made to participate in lucky draw.

However, from grade IX and XII no correct entries were submitted to their class teachers. For the principal's subject sweepstakes a set of questions are selected by the school principal subject wise and those questions are posted on notice boards.

## Certificates of Appreciation to Winners of Chinese Language Examination



The students of grade VII to IX, who produced outstanding results in the first summative exams of Chinese language, were honoured with certificate of appreciation by DAVSKVB in the morning assembly on September 22. The students to secure the first position from grade VII were Aastha Chaudhary, Abhinav Goyal, Meghika Kapri, Priyanshu Shah and Siyon Shrestha.

Similarly, the students to secure the first position from grade VIII were Shristee Goyenka, Devika Agrawal, Sandarva Rajbanshi, Priyanshi Yadav, Samyak Sthapit and Riddhima Kunwar Chhetri.

Likewise, top 5 position holders were Shristika Bajracharya in the first position, Suryans Barmesha and Vanshika Kothari in the second position, Chirag Agrawal in the third position, Kritika Gurung and Jeong Min Lee in the fourth position and Nirupan Karki in the fifth position.

## Temple Area Cleaning Programme

Executive members of Mothers Teresa social Service Club and few selected students of Mother Teresa Social Service Club participated in temple area cleaning programme on September 22. The students were taken to Bhagwati Temple, Dhobighat to clean the area.

The objective of the programme was to make children realize the importance of keeping public places neat and clean, and to make



students responsible towards society.



## Zonal Rank Holders of 2<sup>nd</sup> Level Science Olympiad 2016-17 Awarded

DAVSKVB Management gave away the certificates to the 'Zonal Rank Holders' of 2<sup>nd</sup> level SOF Olympiad in the special morning assembly from September 7. The certificates were awarded to the students by Science Olympiad Foundation, New Delhi, India

The 2<sup>nd</sup> level test of SOF was held in the second half of the academic session 2016-17 at DAVSKVB. SOF 2<sup>nd</sup> level test were held for only the outstanding performers who were selected from the 1<sup>st</sup> level SOF test.

As per the results of SOF, the



number of students to get 'Zonal Rank Holder Certificate' in 2<sup>nd</sup> Level 7<sup>th</sup> SOF International English Olympiad in English is fourteen.

Likewise, the number of students to get 'Zonal Rank

Holder Certificate' in 2<sup>nd</sup> Level 10<sup>th</sup> SOF International Mathematics is fifty.

Similarly, the number of students to get 'Zonal Rank Holder Certificate' in 2<sup>nd</sup> Level 19<sup>th</sup> SOF

National Science Olympiad in Science is fifty.

Likewise, the number of students to get 'Zonal Rank Holder Certificate' in 2<sup>nd</sup> Level 1<sup>st</sup> SOF International Sports Knowledge Olympiad in sports is nine

Two teachers of DAVSKVB were also awarded by Science Olympiad, New Delhi. Teachers to get awards were Mr. R.K. Tripathi as the best zonal teacher in Maths Olympiad and Purnendu Ghosh as the best district teacher in Sports Olympiad. Those teachers were also given away the certificates by DAV School Management.

## A<sup>+</sup> Scorer in Computer Subject Awarded by Educom



Students from DAVSKVB, who secured A+ in SA1 and SA2 examination of the academic session 2016-17, were given away the fourth R-recognised certificates by Educom, Sundhara, in the month of September. DAVSKVB Management honoured them

in the special morning assembly on September 8.

The winners to get Fourth R-recognised certificates are from grade V, VI and VIII only. The winners are Arpan Pandey, Janvi Manandhar, Shrayash Khanal, Anurodh Kanth, Raunak Jain, Amritanshu Pandey, Darshan Ghorui, Ayush Agrawal and Navneet Karna from grade V. Similarly, the students to get fourth R-recognized certificates from grade VI are Krishu Tandukar, Pratuish Shrestha, Saharsha Raj Pandey, Demos Shrestha, Aman Shrestha, Harsh Vardhan Tyagi, Banshika Motani and Bhoomi Dhanuka. Amit Kankarwal from grade VIII is the one to get Fourth R-recognized certificate.

## DAV Students Secure Third Position in Modern Decathlon Competition



Kaushik Chhetri- IX and Aryan Khadka secured the third position in Modern Decathlon Competition held on June 22. They were given certificates and medals in the morning assembly on September 8. The competition was organized by Nepal Olympic Competition. Kaushik got two medals and two certificates and Aryan got a medal and a certificate.

## Participation in Rastriya Model United Nations Conference, 2017

Three students from DAVSKVB participated in a two-day Rastriya Model United Nations Conference- 2017 from July 28 to 30 at Asian Institute of Technology and Management.

The students to participate in conference were Anuska Basnet- IX 'E', Sneha Shrestha- IX 'E' and Prajita Rayamajhi- IX 'E'. They represented Kuwait, Jordan and Bahrain respectively. In the conference students from



various schools represented different countries and put forth their agendas. DAV management honored the participants of the conference in the morning assembly on September 8.

## Sworup Bhandari Bagged Gold and Silver Medals in International Taekwondo Championship

Sworup Bhandari from DAVSKVB bagged gold medal in poomsae event and silver medal in fighting event in 11th cultural expo held in South Korea from July 9 to 18. He was honored in the morning assembly by DAVSKVB

management in the presence of all the students and teachers on September, 7. Sworup not only represented DAV but the country. For his outstanding performance, he got appreciation from Nawa Pucha, Republic of South Korea, as well.

## Winners of 6th Chinese Cultural Performance Awarded

Students learning Chinese language at DAVSKVB participated in various activities of 6<sup>th</sup> Chinese Cultural Performance Competition held in Nepal Academy Hall on September 17. They were awarded in DAV morning assembly on September 20.

Cho-grish was declared excellent in painting and Kritika Gurung won the 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize in Singing. Shreya Agrawal, Aditi Sherpa, Devika Agrawal, Sleshma K.C., Bipasha Sharma, Selin Rai, Kritika Gurung, Amie Sijapati, Dipashma Pokhrel and Ashlesha Shrestha, Sese Hangma Limbu and Sameena Aryal got certificates of participation in various events. DAV school was honoured with token of appreciation for promoting Chinese language. Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal, Vice-principal, received token of appreciation on behalf of DAVSKVB.

## Inter-school Nepali Poem Recitation Competition

Two students from DAVSKVB— Ayushma Dhungana VIII and Deleena Rana VIII— participated in an inter-school Nepali poem recitation competition on July 15.

They were given certificates of participation in the morning assembly on September 8. The competition was organised by Bhanubhakta Memorial Secondary School Panipokhari, Kathmandu. Similarly, Ayushma Dhungana VIII participated in an inter school Nepali poem recitation competition organized by Little Angels' School Hattiban, Lalitpur. She also got certificate of participation.



## Sangha Daan on the Occasion of 51<sup>st</sup> Birth Anniversary of Late Sushil Kedia



DAVSKVB organised *Sangha Daan* to pay tribute to the departed soul of late Sushil Kedia on the school premises on September 19.

A total of 175 monks and nuns were invited for the *Sangha Daan*. The members of DAVSKVB Management Committee, teacher's community, few parents and students, including Kedia family members and administrative staff of Kedia organisation, participated in the programme.

Speaking at the programme, Mr. Anil Kedia, the chairperson, said that the *Sangha Daan* is the greatest daan as propounded by Lord Gautam Buddha. He added it is the responsibility for all of

us to do *Sangha Daan*. He also talked about the animal nature, human nature and divine nature of human beings as described by Lord Buddha.

Similarly, Vikkhu Nigrodha, the Vice-president of Lumbini Development Trust, appreciated the efforts of DAVSKVB in organizing various religious, spiritual and social programmes at school. He also explained the meaning and history of *Sangha Daan*.

Senior Buddhist Priest Dheer Sumedho chanted Buddhist prayers on the occasion. Shreemati Indumati Kedia, the mother of Mr. Anil Kedia, also participated in *Sangha Daan*.

## Floral Homage and Prashad Distribution



All the students from kindergarten to grade XII paid floral homage to late Sushil Kedia on the occasion of his 51<sup>st</sup> birth anniversary.

Secondary wing (V to XII) students paid homage on September 18. Primary (I to IV) and kindergarten (Nursery, LKG and UKG) students paid homage on September 20. After paying homage students received *Prashad*.

Students offered flowers and lit incense stick in front of late Sushil Kedia's photo. Late Sushil Kedia passed away at the age of 17 due to hepatitis. After his death, his father late Shankar Lal Kedia, established DAV School in his memory in the year 1993. It was an attempt to spread the light of knowledge in the society by educating students.

## Third Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter-school Football Tournament to Mark 51<sup>st</sup> Birth Anniversary of Late Sushil Kedia



To mark the 51<sup>st</sup> birth anniversary of late Sushil Kedia, the Sports department of DAVSKVB organized 3<sup>rd</sup> Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter-school Football Tournament on 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> September on the school ground.

A total of 8 schools participated in the tournament. The schools participating were Sainik Awasiya Mahavidyalaya, St. Xavier's School, Modern Indian School, AVM School, Ideal

Model School, IJ Pioneer School, GEMS and DAVSKVB School. Two teams from DAVSKVB participated in the tournament

Sainik Awasiya Mahavidyalaya won the trophy of 3<sup>rd</sup> Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter-school Football Tournament. St. Xavier's ended the tournament as a runner up. The fair play team award was given to Modern India School. Nayab Hussain, a student of grade IX

from DAVSKVB got highest scorer award. He scored 5 goals. DAVSKVB and Modern Indian School were knocked out from the semifinals. The tournament was inaugurated by Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal, the Vice-principal. Mr. Biraj Maharjan, the team captain of national football team distributed trophies, medals and certificates to the winners as well as participating teams in the presence of School Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao and Vice-principal.

At the award distribution ceremony, Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao, the principal, thanked all the participating teams for showing true sportsmanship. She thanked Mr. Biraj Maharjan for being a part of Silver Jubilee celebration of DAVSKVB School.

The referees of the tournament were Mr. Rojen Shrestha and Mr. Madhav Khati. Ms. Rao welcomed all the team in the award distribution ceremony in Jetvan Hall and Vice Principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal offered vote of thanks.

## Eighth Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter-school Table Tennis Tournament



Sports department of DAVSKVB organized 8<sup>th</sup> Inter-school Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter-school Table Tennis Tournament to mark the 51<sup>st</sup> birth anniversary of late Sushil Kedia on September 17.

A total of six schools participated in this tournament. The schools participating in the

tournament were AVM, The British School, Sainik Awasiya Mahavidyalay, Modern Indian School, Shree Gyan Mandir, and DAVSKVB.

In boys U-12 category, Rubin Maharjan from AVM secured the first position. Similarly, in girls U-12 category, Trisha Maharjan from Shree Gyan Mandir Secondary School secured the first position. Similarly,

in boys U-16 category, Sanyog Kapali from AVM secured the first position. Similarly, in girls U-16 category, Aakanchya Karmacharya from MIS secured the first position. In the team event of boys, AVM School secured the first position and in the team event of girls, MIS School secured the first position. First, second and third position holders were given away medals and certificates.

AVM School secured top positions in various categories followed by Modern Indian School. Except The British School, all participating schools returned home with at least one trophy, medals and certificates.

The award distribution ceremony was held in Pratik Hall. DAVSKVB Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia, Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao, Vice- principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal, Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, senior secondary Co-ordinator and SSO, Mr. Prashant Samal were present to distribute trophies, medals and certificates to the winners as well the participants, coaches and managers of various schools. A total of 6 referees were involved in the tournament.

### A One-day Blood Donation Camp



Youth Red Cross Circle of DAV organised a one-day blood donation camp at DAVSKVB on September 20.

The blood donation camp was organised on the occasion of 51<sup>st</sup> birth anniversary of late Sushil Kedia. According to Mr. Ghanshyam Poudel, the club In-charge of Youth Red Cross Circle, more than 50 teachers, staffers, students and parents donated blood. Rakta Sanchar

Sewa Kendra Kupondole, Laitpur, technically supported the programme and the medical team from infirmary department of DAVSKVB and house-keeping department also assisted the programme.

The executive members of Youth Red Cross Circle were involved in registering blood donors' details. The donated blood will be given to the blood bank of the Red Cross.

### Havan Conducted in Pratik Hall



As a part of 51<sup>st</sup> birth anniversary celebration of late Sushil Kedia, the school organised *havan* on September 20.

Kalpna Jung Bahadur Rana, the mother of late Pratik Jung Bahadur Rana also participated in the havan along with school management, teachers and students of XI and XII. The pundits to conduct havan were HoD of Sanskrit Mr. Govinda Ghimire and Sanskrit teacher Mr. Bhuwan Poudel.

### Participation in Exhibition cum Competition

Miraj Maharjan X 'A' and Aarohi Shrestha-VII 'D' participated in Alfresco Open Art: Exhibition cum Competition organized by Alfresco- Media and Event Management Pvt. Ltd. in the first half of the academic session. They were given away the certificates of participation in the morning assembly of September 8.





## Hindi Debate Competition



Kavir Sahitya Samaj (Hindi Club) organised Hindi Debate Competition for grade X CBSE students in their respective classrooms on October 31.

As many as 30 students took part in the competition. The title for debate competition was '*Google Guru kaa esthan lena me samartha hai/ asamartha hai*'. The debate aimed at enhancing logical and debating

skills of students, according to Ms. Indu Thakur, the club in-charge. The competition was organised section-wise and results were also announced section-wise. The judges in the competition were Mr. Dilliram Sharma (Hindi) and Ms. Indu Thakur (Hindi Club In-charge) Mr. Purushottam Pokharel, HoD of Hindi was the moderator of the competition.

## Sanskrit PowerPoint Presentation Competition

Shakuntala Literary Club organised Sanskrit PowerPoint presentation competition for grade IX and X CBSE students in Jetavana Hall on October 29.

To enhance students' ability in Vedic research, the competition was organized, according to Mr. Dayanidhi Gautam, Club in-charge.



The competition was judged by Mr. Vivek Neupane, Ms. Pratima Rai and Mr. Dayanidhi Gautam. Bhumika Adhikari was the moderator of the programme. The audience was from grade IX and X CBSE. It was a group work. As per the result, X 'H' secured the first position, X 'G' secured the second position IX 'J' secured the third position and IX 'I' secured the fourth position.

## 'My Hidden Voice' for Grade III



A PowerPoint presentation programme, 'My Hidden Voice', for grade III was held in Jetavan Hall on October 29. Students made

presentation on the topics of their interest. The programme was organised to develop public speaking skills of the students, according to activity in-charge Ms. Anusha Rana.

It was a team work assisted by their respective class teachers. The topics presented in my hidden voice were classification of animals, solar and lunar eclipses, good and bad manners, physical activity, seven continents and life cycle of a butterfly.

## Results of 'Golden Garbage Can' Declared

'Golden Garbage Can' - a award given to the best section from each class on the basis of classroom cleanliness and management - has been given to I 'B', II 'C', III 'E' and IV 'D' in the morning assembly of primary wing on October 30.

Housekeeping In-charge Ms. Sucheta Shrestha gave away the awards to the winning sections. The evaluation was done by HK Department. The results were announced by Ms. Anusha Rana, activity in-charge of primary wing.



To encourage students to keep their classrooms neat, clean and well maintained 'golden garbage can' is given to the best section from each class.

## English Story Telling Competition

William Wordsworth English Club of secondary wing organised English story telling competition for grade VII and VIII students in Jetavan Hall on October 31.



The objective of the programme was to develop students' oratory skills and boost their confidence, according to Ms. Mubina Thapa, the club in-charge. The judges were Ms. Sashilata Rai and Ms. Dikshya Koirala. Diwama Rai (VIII) and Abipsha Parajuli (VII) were the moderators of the programme.

As per the results from grade VII, Niharika Rana 'C' secured the first position followed by Sneha Manda 'F' Prayana Tamaden Limbu 'I' and Kritika Maharjan 'E' in the second, third and consolation positions respectively. Similarly from grade VIII, Palesha Govardhan 'H' secured the first position followed by Nandani Gupta 'J', Sreyans Lal 'F' and Priyanka Pokharel 'G' in second, third and consolation positions respectively.

## Inter-house PowerPoint Presentation Competition



Gautam and Mr. Modnath Paudel, Ekta Baral IV 'D' and Sankalpa Devkota III 'B' were the moderators of the programme. The audience was from grade III. The presentations were witnessed by Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, Primary Co-ordinator Mr. Andrew Filtz Patrick and HoD of Nepali Mr. Narayan Khatiwada.

As per the results, from grade III, Lhotse House secured the first position,

Gaurishankar House secured the second position and Dhaulagiri House secured the third position.

Similarly from grade IV, Gaurishankar House secured the first position, Lhotse House secured the second position and Dhaulagiri House secured the third position.

Devkota Nepali Club of primary wing organised inter-house PowerPoint presentation competition for grade III and IV students on October 31.

The objective of the programme was to develop presentations skills of the students. The judges in the competition were Ms. Sulochana



## Halloween Day in Kindergarten

DAV Kindergarten Wing organised Halloween day for all the students of Nursery, LKG and UKG in their respective classrooms on October 31. To celebrate the day, teachers painted the faces of the students and made them participate in sheet colouring activities.

## Photography Competition



Sudha Sagar OBTE Club organised photography Competition for the mass media students of Grade VII, VIII and IX in the art room of secondary wing on October 31.

A total of 50 students participated in this competition. Students were informed about the

competition a month before. The objective of the competition was to enhance photography skills such as selection of angle, determination of appropriate light, focus on object and composition. The contestants were also asked to make presentations on the photos they captured.

## FoZ Co-ordinator Attends Workshop



DAV FoZ Co-ordinator Mr. Pradeep Shrestha attended a two-day workshop at Tistung Palung on 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> October.

The workshop was organised by Central Zoo, Jawalakhel, Lalitpur. The workshop was a part of refreshers course based on environment conservation. FoZ Co-ordinators participated in different activities like community survey programme and visited a local school Sunaula Secondary School and participated in tree plantation programme on school premises.

## DAV Video Fest Competition

Charles Babbage Computer Club organised DAV Videos Fest Competition for grade VIII and IX students in Jetavan Hall on October 31.

The objective of the programme was to enhance students' video editing skills and creativity, according to Mr. Rajan Bajracharya, the club in-charge. The judges in the competition were Mr. Tanka Ghimire and Mr. Rajan Bajracharya. As per the results, Nirwan, Sara, Samyam secured



the first position. Devansh, Amit, Priyanshu and Devyansh

secured the second position and Sushrit, Kasturba and

Siddhartha secured the third position.



## Inter-club Solo Dance Competition



Mayur Dance Club organised Inter-club solo dance competition in Buddha Hall on November 23. The key attractions of the programme were welcome dance by Mayur Dance Club, solo dance competition and

modern dance of ASD entertainment group. ASD group members were welcomed by Senior Secondary Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji. The audience in the competition was grade IX students.

## Mass Media Students' Visit to Kamana Publication



Sudha Sagar OBTE Club organized field visit for grade IX mass media students at Kamana Publication House, Kathmandu on November 23.

The objective of media visit was to explore knowledge about print media and observe the situation of print media in Nepal. At Kamana Publication house, students were demonstrated various editing structure, infrastructures and

technologies used for printing press by the journalists.

On the occasion Mr. Derek Lal Shrestha, Head of Kamana Publication House demonstrated the plate used for printing newspapers. As many as 50 students got opportunity to visit Kamana Publication House. The students were escorted by Club In-charge Ms. Rojina Rai.

## Music Workshop for Music Lovers

Natikaji Music Club of DAV organized music workshop for executive members of music club and those practicing orchestra in Jetavan Hall on November 2017.

Senior Musician Mr. Raju Singh made a presentation on various types of music such as eastern, mosaic, Nepali and classical. Pragya presented on eastern classical music, Prasun made presentation on western music and Dewas and Kasturva made a presentation on folk music. The programme was co-ordinated by HoD Mr. Jay Shreevastav. Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal witnessed the presentations. Ms. Bimala Bhusal was the moderator of the programme.



According to senior musician Raju Singh, various demonstrations were also made during workshop. The programme aimed at providing both theoretical and practical knowledge of various music forms.

## HPE PowerPoint Presentation Competition



Vasudha Eco Club organized HPE PowerPoint presentation competition for grade X CBSE students in Jetavan Hall on November 20.

Two groups from each section of X CBSE presented on various issues related with HPE curriculum. The presentations were judged on the basis of content coverage, presentation style and design and layout. HPE PowerPoint presentation

competition was organized as a part of practical assessment for the board examination of X CBSE, according to Mr. Ratna Basnet, HPE club in-charge. HPE department and computer department in collaboration judged the competition. The audience was from X-CBSE. Altogether 8 presentations were made by the students.

## Cycle Rally for Interactors



As many as 70 interactors from DABSKVB attended a cycle rally that started from Tinkune, Kathmandu to Jawalakhel, Lalitpur on November 11.

The students participating in cycle rally were from grade IX to XII. Two routes were offered to the students for the cycle rally — an 11-Km long route and a 25-Km long route. According to

Interact Club co-ordinator Mr. Keshav Dangal, the programme was organized to promote use of cycle in the city to make it pollution-free. The rally started with a slogan 'Dhaumandu lai Kathmandu Banao' which means let's make Kathmandu dust-free. Altogether 300 interactors from various schools participated in the cycle rally.

## Talk Show on Yoga and Sports



Gorakh Yoga Sports Club of secondary wing organized Talk show on 'Scope of yoga and sports' for grade VII students in Indu Hall on November 21.

The resource persons of the talk show were Dr. Surya Bahadur Karki, president of Yoga Sports Association of Nepal and Mr. Chudamani Kharel, general secretary of National Youth Sports Association. Vice-principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal welcomed the guests at the programme. Sneha Agrawal, the president

of Yoga Sports Club delivered welcome speech. The moderator of the programme was Mr. Alok Kumar Mishra, HoD of Yoga. The objective of programme was to make students aware about Yoga. The Yoga Sports Association has decided to conduct yoga as a competition at local, national and international levels.

Mr. Krishna Joshi, Lower secondary co-ordinator gave away the token of love to the resource persons. Mr. Mishra offered vote of thanks.

## Run Solve and Win Competition for Grade V and VI

Aryabhata Mathematics Club of secondary wing organized 'Run Solve and Win' Competition for grade V and VI students on secondary ground on November 17 and 19.

The objective of programme was to develop students' interest in Maths and enhance their mathematical skills and creativity, according to club In-charge Mr. Mahesh Karki. The students participated in 3-legged run, relay race and free race. Participation in the competition was mandatory for all the students. The judges in the competition were Mr. Mahesh Karki, Mr. Indra Jit Mahara and Mr. Bishwodeep



Adhikari. The audience was from grade V and VI. Mr. Surchen Shah was the moderator of the programme. The results were declared section wise for boys and girls. Earlier Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal in the presence of HoD of Mathematics Mr. R.K. Tripathi inaugurated the completion on November 17.

## Inter-section Science Textual Quiz Contest



Newton Science Club of primary wing organized intersection science textual quiz contest for grade I and II students in Pratik Hall on November 20.

The objective of the quiz contest was to promote learning with fun, motivate them to speak in mass and to improve their general knowledge.

As per the results, section C from grade I and II secured the first position. Section F from grade I and II secured the second position and section B from grade I and II secured the third position. The audience was grade I and II students and teachers. The quiz master was club in-charge Ms. Pratikshya Nepali.

## Inter-section Reading Competition



Devkota Nepali Club of primary wing organized inter-section reading competition for grade III and IV students in their respective classrooms on November 30.

Participation in the competition was mandatory for all Nepali

learning students. The objective of programme was to help students develop their reading skills in Nepali language, according to club In-charge Ms. Ratna Shova Sangat. The judges of the competition were respective class teachers.



## Personal Hygiene Inspection

Mother Teresa Social Club of primary wing organized an event to inspect personal hygiene of students from grade III and IV in Pratik Hall on November 27. Students were asked to check personal hygiene of each other. The objective of programme was to encourage students to maintain personal hygiene.



## Names of Students to be Posted in Character Tree Announced

Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao, announced the names of the students to be posted in character tree in Pratik Hall on November 16.

The students with excellent moral values and social behavior were chosen for the character tree. Names for the character tree were announced class wise. On the occasion Ms. Rao also motivated students to work hard to earn the honor in the second half of the academic session.

The students to be posted in character tree from grade I are Prachur Dhakal, Pragma Sibakoti, Sadikchhya Sharma, Bivan Bhandari, Yushna Maharjan, Xin



Yue Liu and Sayush Maskey.

Similarly, from grade II, the students to be posted in character tree are Amogh Manandhar,

Anushka Sah, Samragyi Thapa, Saksham Thapaliya, Hemakshi Agrawal and Sidhant Jha.

Similarly, from grade III are

Sashrouha Maharjan, Ritti Singhal, Sahira Rai, Purvansh Bhatta, Jiya Jha, Dikshit Babu Acharya and Bivana Aryal.

Similarly from grade IV are Jaha Joshi Maharjan, Angel Bajaj, Sudin Chand, Kritik Gyawali, Nilisha Shrestha, Lakshya Singhal and Ayushi Gupta.

Meanwhile guest Mr. Arun Araundaksitan witnessed the programme. He was a guest of honour in the family jamboree of grade III and IV who came all the way from Kerala, India.

The students whose names will be posted in character tree award will be honoured with certificates in the annual day celebration.

## Shape Hunting Competition



Aryabhata Mathematics Club of Primary wing organized geometrical shape hunting competition for grade I and II students on school premises on 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> November.

In this competition students collected and presented drawings of various geometrical shapes they found in their surroundings. The objective of the programme was to familiarize students with different geometrical shapes and figures. The judges of the competition were respective class teachers.

## Nepali Picture Describing Competition

Devkota Nepali Club of secondary wing organized Nepali picture describing competition for grade I to IV students in their respective classrooms on November 16.

The objective of programme was to develop creativity of the students and develop speaking skills of the students. The judges in the competition were respective subject teachers. Top three winners were declared from each section.



## Hindi Story Writing Competition



Kabir Sahitya Samaj (Hindi Club) of primary wing organised Hindi story writing competition for grade III and IV students in their respective classrooms on November 20.

The objective of programme was to enhance writing skills of Hindi language, according to Hindi Club in-charge Ms. Pooja Jaiswal.

## Winners of Vocational Model Exhibition Competition Honored



The winners of vocational model exhibition competition organized for grade VI to IX were honoured with certificates and medals on Novembers 28 in the morning assembly.

Vocational model exhibition competition was held on PTC Day on September 16. The exhibition competition was held separately for

various streams of vocational subjects such as life skills, fashion designing, IT/ Electronics mass media and beauty and healthy science.

Vocational Model Exhibition was held in secondary ground. The exhibitions were observed by chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao and parents.

## Hindi Poem Recitation and Enactment Competition



Kabir Sahitya Samaj (Hindi Club) organised Hindi poem recitation and enactment competition for grade VII, VIII, IX and X students in Jetavana Hall on 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> November

The competition for grade VII and VIII was held on 16<sup>th</sup> November and for grade IX and X on 17<sup>th</sup> November. The objective of the programme was to develop students' poem recitation and enactment skills and to boost confidence of the students, according to Ms. Indu Thakur, the club in-charge.

As many as 28 students recited and enacted different

poems. The competition was judged class wise by Mr. Dilliram Sharma and Mr. Bhuvan Poudel. Sahil and Ritik were moderators in the competition of grade VII and VIII and Chirag and Harshita were moderators in the competition of grade IX and X. The audience was from VIII CBSE, IX 'G' and X 'F'. Meanwhile, Mr. Purushottam Pokhrel, HoD of Hindi recited a poem and praised the students taking part in the competition. The judges also put forth their views on poem recitation and enactment.

As per the results, from

grade VII, Neha Agrawal Sah 'G' secured the first position, Hriday Agarwal 'F' secured the second position, Bhoomi Agarwal 'F' secured the third position and Abhinav Goyal 'I' secured the consolation position. Likewise, from grade VIII Umang Sharma 'J' secured the first position, Piyush Poddan 'J' secured the second position. Barkha Jaiswal 'G' secured the third position and Debadrita Mukherjee 'G' secured the consolation position.

Similarly, from grade IX, Anjani Jaiswal 'J' secured the first position, Nalini Karna 'G' secured the second position, Bibek Kumar Shah 'G' secured the third position and Devansh Agarwal 'I' secured the consolation position.

Likewise, from grade X, Shreeya Chetani 'F' secured the first position, Pratham Agarwal 'F' and Tulsi Kumar Agarwal 'H' secured the second position and Tammy Shambhavi Pandey secured the third position.

## Essay and Drawing Competition



Friends of Zoo organized essay and drawing competition for grade V, VII, VIII and IX students in Jetavan Hall on November 26.

The objective of programme was to create awareness of environment conservation. As per the results of essay competition, Bhoomi Agrawal from grade VII 'F' in junior category and Rewani Guruacharya from grade IX 'J' in senior category were declared winners.

Similarly, in drawing competition, Bijayika Rai V 'A' from junior category and Bijit Lamichhane VII 'D' from senior category were declared winners.

The judges in the competition were Mr. Tankanath Ghimire, Mr. Surchen Shah, Mr. Rajumuni Bajracharya and Mr. Pradeep Shrestha. The competition was organized to select students for inter-school essay and drawing competition to be organized by the Central Zoo, Jawalakhel, Lalitpur on November 29.

## Art Exhibition cum Workshop



A total of 40 students associated with Uttam Kiran Art Club from DABSKVB attended an art exhibition cum workshop organized by Nepal Art Council at Babarmahal, Kathmandu, on November 12.

During the workshop, artists showed presentations to the students. The attraction of workshop was print making art on Zinc sheet, according to Mr. Prajapati. "The objective of programme was to motivate, and train the students in print making," said the In-charge of the club Mr. Mangal Krishna Prajapati.

## Nestle Milo Quiz Contest Results Announced

Results of Nestle Milo Quiz -2017 held on September 25 were announced in the separate morning assemblies of primary and secondary wings on November 20.

Vice-principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal and Nestle Milo Company representative Ms. Aurora KC gave away the medals and certificates to the winners of secondary wing and CCA In-charge in the presence of Ms. KC gave away medals and certificates to the winners of primary wing. The Quiz contest was held for all the students from grade III to VIII. Top three position holders from each class were declared winners. Mr. Tankanath Ghimire announced the names of the winners. The Quiz contest was held on health and sports topic.

As per the results from grade III, Omraj Jha, Aayukt Shah and Dikshit Babu Acharya secured the



first, second and third positions respectively.

Similarly from grade IV, Harshit Bajaj, Abhash Rajkarnikar and Bikash Sah secured the first, second and third positions respectively.

Similarly from grade V, Erica Prajapati, Chetan Parshuramka and Kripal Paudel secured the first, second and third positions respectively.

Likewise from grade VI, Malbi Thapa Magar, Shlesha Tamrakar

and Nasala Shakya secured the first, second and third positions respectively.

Similarly from grade VII, Aashna Mukhia, Naveen Gurung, Teresa Somani secured the first, second and third positions respectively.

Likewise from grade VIII, Sannidhya Bhujel, Aniket Kanth and Inap Maharjan secured the first, second and third positions respectively.





## DAV Makes it to Semis for the First Time in International Cricket Tournament



DAV cricket team achieved a new milestone by entering into the semifinals of an international cricket tournament for the first time. The cricket tournament was organized by Bangladesh Scholastic School, Uttara, Dhaka in Bangladesh, on the occasion of 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the school. 10 teams from Bangladesh and two from India and Nepal participated in the tournament.

DAV team played semi-final match against Aryan International School, India on November 4. DAV team was able to manage only 96 runs in 20

overs and in reply Aryan International School chased it down in 14 overs.

To reach the semi-final, DAV thrashed Turkish Hope International School, Dhaka, on November 3. DAV bowled out Turkish Hope for just 96 runs and chased the target in just 8 overs winning the match by 9 wickets. Sikhar Bothra, the youngest player of the tournament was declared the man of the match. He took 3 wickets giving 7 runs in 4 overs.

Earlier, DAV team beat Sunbeams team on November 2. DAV set a

mammoth target of 217 runs thanks to Meraj Hussain's majestic inning of 96 runs of only 57 balls. In reply Sunbeams was bundled up for just 109 runs. Meraj Hussain was declared the man of match for his outstanding performance.

Similarly, in the two matches played between BYCT and DAV at Bolpur on 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> October, DAV won the toss and decided to bat first. DAV beat BYCT in both matches. Aashutosh Ghiraiya played superbly in both the matches and was declared man of the match in both the matches.

DAV team squad includes Rajat Prashad- Captain, Aashutosh Ghiraiya- Vice-captain, Meeraj Hussain, Aaditya Agrawal, Inap Maharjan, Shikhar Bothra, Saman Shrestha, Ayush Sharma. The team coach of these tournaments is HoD of Sports Mr. Purnendu Ghosh and sports teacher Dilip Yadav is the team assistant coach.

### Mr. Mishra elected as President of Lalipur Yoga Sports Committee

Nepal Yoga Sports Association formed the district committee to run yoga-sports activities in Lalitpur District at Prayagpokhari, Lalitpur on November, 13. The meeting of central committee members and yoga activists of Lalitpur elected HoD Yoga of DAVSKVB, Mr. Alok Kumar Mishra as the President of Lalitpur branch.

## DECEMBER

### Hindi Book Reading Competition



Kabir Sahitya Samaj of secondary wing organised Hindi book reading competition for grade IX and X CBSE students in their respective classrooms on December 15.

The objective of the competition was to develop fluent reading skills of the students. HoD Mr. Purushottam Pokhrel talked about the importance of reading skills and also provided some tips to become a fluent reader. The winners were declared section wise. The judges were Mr. Dilliram Sharma and Ms. Indu Thakur.

## Grade X and XII Students Attend Motivational Speech Sessions

Students of grade X - SEE, X- CBSE and XII CBSE got an opportunity to attend motivational speech sessions conducted by Mr. Saunak Bhatta, one of the young motivational speakers of the country.

Grade XII students attended the session on December 1 while students of grade X CBSE attended the session on December 12.

Mr. Saunak Bhatta along with his team members of 'We Inspire Nepal' conducted the



motivational sessions for the students. Mr. Bhatta, in the programme, talked about positive thinking, goal setting, leadership development, understanding life in better way.

Mr. Bhatta has been campaigning against various social evils and helping young minds find solutions.

Bhatta's motivational session was appreciated by Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao, the Principal. She also talked about the importance of developing leadership skills.

## Pokhara-Ghandruk Tour 2017-18



Students and teachers team of grade X SEE and CBSE made

a tour at Pokhara Valley and Ghandruk, Kaski in the last week

of December, 2017.

Students at Pokhara valley visited Begnas Lake, Mahendra Cave, Chamere Cave, Shanti Stupa, Davis Falls, Gupteshwar Mahadev, Mountain Museum, Fewa Lake and Lake side.

Similarly at Ghandruk they visited Gurung village and from Ghandruk view tower they saw panoramic scene of Mt. Annapurna and Mt. Machhapuchhre.

## Students' Visit to Aviation Museum



Students of grade V, VII and VIII associated with Newton Science Club visited Aviation Museum at Sinamangal, Kathmandu on December 26. The objective of this field

trip was to give practical knowledge about the aircraft to the students. Students were taken to Aviation Museum by club in-charge Ms. Shreejana Rana.

## Maths Quiz Contest



Aryabhata Mathematics Club of secondary wing organized Maths Quiz contest for grade VII and VIII students in Indu Hall December 26.

The objective of programme was to enhance the logical skills and creativity of the students. The chief guest of the competition was

Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal. Mr. R.K. Tripathi, the HoD of Mathematics was judge of the competition. The audience was from class VII (SEE). The moderators of the programme were Tanisha Agrawal and Neha Agrawal. Each team consisted of 4 members with 2 students from CBSE and 2 from SEE.

## Family Jamboree of Grade VI

DAV organised family jamboree of grade VI for the academic session 2017/18 on December 27.

Students performed various dances including Indian classical, Nepali Cultural, robotics, Hollywood, bollywood and kollywood, among others. Students also performed a short drama to spread awareness against girls trafficking. On the occasion, students sang the English song- 'we all are one' and some Hindi



numbers. Parents also showed their participation through games.

The programme was witnessed by the parents of grade VI students,

chairperson, principal, vice-principal and CAO. The winners of parents' game received prizes from the chief guest Mr. Rubeil Dominick.

Earlier, Mr. Krishna Joshi, middle school co-ordinator, welcomed all the invited parents and guests. The MC of the programme was Mr. Surchen Shah, the CCA in-charge of middle school. Ms. Kamana Adhikari, mentor of grade V and VI offered vote of thanks.

## Orientation for Students of Grade VII and VIII



Middle school co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi and CCE Mentor of grade VII and VIII organized orientation sessions for the boys and girls separately in Jetavan Hall.

The boys attended orientation session on December 21 and girls attended orientation session on December 19.

Mr. Joshi talked about declining self esteem of teenagers in boys' orientation. Similarly, Mr. Joshi and CCE Mentor of grade VII and VIII talked about behavioral changes caused by technology and age factor and their impact in the girls' orientation.

The students were made to think on goal of human life and how the school rules and regulations were helping them to build their character. The speaker also motivated students with stories and screened a video titled 'This is why you don't succeed? '.

## Visit to an Orphanage Home



Students of grade V, VII and VIII associated with Mother Teresa Social Service Club visited Srijana Samajik Sewa Anathalaya, Bhudhanilkantha, Kathmandu, to donate food items and clothes on December 24.

The objective of programme was to sensitize the students to

the problems and needs of orphans. A total of 32 students visited the orphanage house. Students departed from the school at 9:45 am for the donation. The students interacted with orphan children at Budhanilkantha. Orphan children performed

Nepali dance to welcome DAV students. The students also visited nearby Budhanilkantha temple. The students were taken to Budhanilkantha by club in-charge Ms. Aarti Sharma and social studies teacher Ms. Sumana Shrestha.



## PHOTO GLIMPSES FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT



Founder of DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati late. Shankar Lal Kedia Addressing the students



A grand welcome been given to a team led by Shree Brij Lal Kedia who visited DAV School Faridabad, India, to start higher education in Nepal in association with DAV, India in 1992 AD. From the Right- Shree Shankar Lal Kedia, Madhav Lal Shrestha (Mayor of Birgunj), Shree Hira Lal Kedia. Shreemati Bina Singh, Shreemati Hemlata etc. welcoming on behalf of DAV Faridabad to Nepali team. As many as 8,000 students are studying in this School.



Founder of DAV School late. Shankar Lal Kedia giving away appreciation letter to the Guest



Founder of the School late. Shankar Lal Kedia in a function at Dasharath Stadium



Chairperson with the students and guest at Dasharath Stadium



Students performing song in the academic year 1997-98



Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia giving away the award to the student in 2003





Representatives of International educational organizations associated with DAV College in New Delhi, India, making commitment to support Brij Lal Kedia Hindu University, Birgunj Nepal. In the first row from the left- Shreemati Seetal Sharma (Co-ordinator of DAV College promotion committee), Shree Narendra Kumar Agrawal (DAV School Biratnagar), Shree Madhav Lal Shrestha (Secretary member, Brijlal Kedia Hindu University), Shree T.R. Tuli (President DAV College promotion committee), Shree G.P Chopra (Vice President, DAV College promotion committee), Mr. Gokul Prasad Pokharel (Member, Brijlal Kedia Hindu University), Shree Shankar Lal Kedia (President, Brijlal Kedia Hindu University), Shree Madan Lal Khanna (General Secretary, DAV College Promotion Committee) and Shree D.R. Gupta (Director College). In the Second row from the left- Shree S.C Nanda (Director Administration), Shree Ratan Kumar Kedia (Vice President, DAV RB Kedia School Birgunj), Shree G.D. Jindal (Director, Public School Second), Shree S.L. Suri (Vice President DAV College promotion committee) and Shree Anil Kedia.



The first lady Ms. Sunita Kedia giving away the Tie & Badge in investiture ceremony



Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao with CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater receiving appreciation letter



Investiture ceremony of the academic year 2004



Students learning music from music teacher in the academic year 1993-94





Students performing in the academic year 1995-96



Founder of DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwo Bharati late Shankar Lal Kedia addressing the annual day at Nepal Academy, Ktm.



Photo of the academic year 1997-98



Photo of the academic year 1997-98



Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia, Founder Principal Ms. Rasmi Chari & the guests in the academic year 1999-2000



Award ceremony for the students



Cultural performance in the academic year 2002-03



Founder Principal Ms. Rasmi Chari addressing the cultural programme in the academic year 1999-2000



Annual day of Kindergarten-2003



Students performing in the academic year 1995-96



Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia giving away the award to the student in 2003



DAV Students welcoming the guest of Vishwo Hindu Parisad in the academic year 2002-03



Students performing song in the annual Day-2007



## CELEBRATION OF SILVER JUBILEE YEAR



Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia addressing the ceremony.



Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao blessing the students in good luck ceremony.



Vice-Principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal addressing the good Luck Ceremony.



CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater addressing the good luck Ceremony.



Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghi Devji giving away the good luck certificates



Students performing during good luck ceremony



Students of grade X CBSE posing for group photo during the ceremony



Students of grade X SEE posing for group photograph with the guests.



Kumari dance of the student in good luck ceremony



Students of grade IX performing modern dance on the occasion.



Students performing classical dance on the occasion



CELEBRATION OF SILVER JUBILEE YEAR



Shree Anil Kedia addressing the audience on the occasion of Thanks Giving Day



Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao addressing the audience on the occasion.



Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal speaking in the ceremony.



House Keeping In-charge, Ms. Sucheeta Shrestha speaking on the occasion



School bus Driver Mr. Sundar Shrestha receiving appreciation letter from the chairperson



Security staffers posing for a group photo on the occasion



DAV management expressing gratitude to support staffers



Support staffers posing for a group photo



Support staffers performing dance on the occasion



Support staffers posing for a group photo on the occasion



Mr. Thakur Simkhada receiving appreciation letter from the chairperson



School support staffers posing for a group photo



Support staffers of canteen posing for a group photo





The audience of Shakespearian Twelfth Night Drama show.



The distinguished guests of the Wordsworth English Clubs Felicitation Ceremony and Theater Show.



Director of the Drama Parikshit Bickram Rana Sharing experience as the director.



One of the comedy incident of the drama.



All the characters of Twelfth Night Theater posing for group photo



Different incidents of the drama.



Stage Manager Arshu Acharya delivering her experience.



The toppers of English in board results 2017-18 posing for group photo with the distinguished guests and DAV Management.







Distinguished guests of Welcome Ceremony



The chief guest of welcome ceremony with the chairperson and Principal posing for the photo



Kids' elegant classical dance on western music



The winners of principal subjects sweepstakes posing for group photo with the distinguished guest.



Students performing fusion dance on the occasion.



Students performing pop songs and music on the occasion.

## GRADUATION DAY OF KINDERGARTEN



Student of Kindergarten wing performing their talents in Graduation Day of Kindergarten



Students of UKG with the Chief Guest and DAV Management and Teachers posing for group photo.



The chief guest Ms. Rubi Thapa with DAV Management Graduating the UKG students.



Awesome Nepali dance of the Kindergarten students



Students' classical dance on western music.



## English Elocution Poem Recitation Competition



Wordsworth English Club of primary wing organised English elocution poem recitation competition for grade III and IV in Pratik Hall on December 1.

The objective of programme was to develop public speaking skills of the students. As many as 14 students took part in the competition. The audience was from grade III. The moderator of programme was Dhara Timilsina from grade IV. CCE mentor Ms. Anamika Limbu and English teacher Ms. Rosa Nakarmi were judges in the competition.

## Classroom Cleaning Programme



Mother Teresa Social Service Club of primary wing organized classroom cleaning programme for grade I and II students in their respective classrooms on December 20. The objective of the programme was to teach the students about the importance of neat and clean surrounding. Students participated in the cleaning activity in groups.

## English Story Telling Competition

Wordsworth English Club of primary wing organized English story telling competition for grade III and IV students in their respective classrooms.

The objective of the competition was to teach moral lessons to the students. The competition was mandatory for all the students. The judges of the competition were respective class teachers.



## Word Puzzle Competition

Devkota Nepali Club of primary wing organised Nepali word puzzle competition for grade I and II students in their respective classrooms on 27<sup>th</sup> December, 2017. The objective of the programme was to help students improve and expand their vocabulary. The judges of the competition were respective class teachers.



Participants of Read to the Principal with DAV management & teachers

## Training cum Workshop on 'Early Childhood Teaching'

Orient Black Swan Publication in association with DAV Sushil Kedia Vishiwa Bharati Higher Secondary School organised training cum workshop on 'Early childhood teaching' for the teachers of pre primary schools in Indu Hall on November 30.

The resource person for the training was Ms. Sheila Kuran. She is the Vice-president of All India School Division, Orient Black Swan Publication. The training began with the welcome speech of DAV Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao. A total of 45 teachers from 20 schools, including DAV, participated in the training. The trainees were given certificates by Orient Black Swan Publication and DAVSKVB.



Mr. Anil Kedia, the chairperson, Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal, the vice-principal observed the training session and offered

warm hospitality to the resource person. The resource person and other guests from India and Nepal were welcomed by

the chairperson his daughter Sashi Kedia and the principal with bouquet and Khada at the beginning of the training session.

Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao talked about the tremendous impact of early quality childhood education on learning abilities of young students. Citing her decade long experience in education sector, she said, "Early childhood education helps in socialization process, develops co-operation, and inculcates values.

In the workshop, the resource person talked about some innovative techniques and methods to teach language to kids.

## Night Stay at Central Zoo



Central Zoo organized Night stay for Friends of Zoo at Central Zoo Jawalakhel, Lalitpur, on December 24.

Before students were taken for Night stay, they were taken to the training hall and Mr. Arun Narsing Rana the conservation officer gave presentation on different nocturnal animals.

After that students were divided into two groups and were taken to watch animals' behavior. The students to participate in the event were FoZ members of grade V to IX. As many as 36 students visited night tour, according to Mr. Pradeep Shrestha, FoZ co-ordinator.

## Talk Programme on Cervical and Breast Cancer



DAV school organized a talk programme with renowned humanitarian and social activists, Ms. Radha Paudel and Ms. Anu shakya on the topic 'Cervical and breast cancer' for grade V to XII female teachers in Jetavan Hall on December 21.

The objective of this programme was to create awareness of cervical and breast cancer among female teachers. The resource persons are professional nurses and health officers. They have been organizing hundreds of training to make women aware about various health issues related with women.

The resource persons were welcomed with bouquet and Khada by CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater. Ms. Shibani was the moderator of the programme. According to Ms. Shibani, the teachers put forth their queries to the resource persons.

## DAV's Journey Ends in Semifinals of Micromax Inter-school Indoor Cricket Tournament

DAV school cricket Team reached semi-finals of Micromax inter-school cricket tournament held at Velocity Arena, Ratopul, Kathmandu, on 16<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> December. The tournament was organised by Bhyagutey Production Pvt. Ltd.

In the first semifinal match, Shekhar Bothra was



declared the man of the match and in the second

semifinal match, Aditya Agrawal was declared the man of the match. The participants of the tournament were Ashish Shah (captain), Saurav Shrestha, Ronak Goyal, Aditya Agrawal, Shekhar Bothra, Inap Maharjan, Sarbochha Basnet, Piyush Shah and Aniket Agrawal.

## Sports Teacher of DAV Secures Second Position in Photography Competition

Mr. Shankar Bhujel secured the 2<sup>nd</sup> position in Indrajatra photography competition held in Basantapur on December 23.

The competition was organized by Jatra Nepal. Mr. Bhujel got certificate and cash prize of Rs 5,000. He presented the photo of *dasabatar with fire in Indrajatra 2074* for the competition. The veteran actor and comedian Mr. Madan Krishna Shrestha gave away the certificate and prize to Mr. Bhujel.

## DAV Cricket Team Finishes as Runner-up Yet Again

DAV cricket team has once again choked to pressure of finals in Brihaspati Vidhya Sadan (BVS) Under-14 Interschool Cricket Tournament 2017. The team lost the finals once again. The tournament was held from 17<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> December on the premises of BVS School, Naxal.

Ronak Goyal was declared man of the match in 2 different matches and he was also declared the player of the series. All the players got medals and certificates. A total of six school participated in the tournament. The schools participating in the

tournament were DAVSKVB, St. Xavier School, Sainik Awasiya Mahavidyalaya, BVS, Kathmandu Model School and Rosebud School. DAV team played this tournament under leadership of team manager Mr. Purnendu Ghosh. Team coach was Mr. Dilip Yadav and captain was Ashish Shah.

Aadarsh Agrawal, Prashiddha Bajracharya, Saurav Shrestha, Shikhar Bothra, Aaditya Rauniyar Piyush Poddar, Sarbochha Basnet, Inap Maharjan, Krish Devkota, Rishon Man Maleku and Ronak Goyal were in the DAV squad.

## Sports Teacher Bags Bronze Medal in Mix Martial Art Asian Championship



Sports teacher of DAVSKVB Mr. Shankar Bhujel bagged bronze medal and certificate in 2<sup>nd</sup> Mix Martial Art (To'ai) Asian Championship. He participated in the under 58 Kg group.

The championship was held in

Mossad, Iran from 6<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> December 2017. As many as 27 countries participated in this championship. Mr. Bhujel also attended a two-day international referee training for mix martial art. A total of 17 players attended the training.



## 'Read to the Principal' for Primary Students Concludes

The final round of 'Read to the Principal' for grade I to IV students was held in Jetavan Hall on December 12.

The objective of programme was to develop reading and comprehension skills of the students. The programme was witnessed by the parents of finalists, chairperson and his son Mr. Ayush Kedia, principal, vice-principal, primary wing co-ordinators, teachers of both primary and secondary wings, students of grade III 'A' including executive members of Wordsworth English Club of primary wing and executive members of Helen Keller Library Club. The programme was organized by Helen Keller Library Club. The Judges were Mr. Dev Raj Gelal, the HoD of English, Mr. Umesh Saud, senior English teacher and Mr. Vivek Neupane, English teacher.



Addressing the audience Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao, the principal thanked all the parents of finalists who encouraged students to read books in spite of all the distraction caused by the technology and internet in today's world. She further said DAV was fortunate enough to

have supportive parents who had developed and strengthened reading habits of the students. She also suggested that parents should set up a mini library for their children at home.

The students in the finals read some extracts from the books and answered the questions asked

by the panel of judges and the principal. The finalists of read to the principal were Aaniya Shwma I 'A', Sudin Kilambu I 'A', Prabhav Gupta II 'C', Alisha Sharma II 'F', Sneha Agrawal III 'A', Miraz Lal III 'G', Anushka Karmakar IV 'C' and Aashif Sharma IV 'E'. Each finalist was given away a certificate and a book at the end of programme. The results of the competition will be announced during annual day programme. Mr. Umesh Saud from the panel of judge thanked the finalists for their participation and also appreciated the students for their outstanding reading skills and confidence shown while reading out the extracts. He gave credit for the success of the programme to the principal, primary teachers and parents. The school is also planning to introduce similar kind of programme for Nepali, Hindi and Sanskrit subjects as well.

## Inter-section Model Making Competition



Newton Science Club of Primary wing organized model making competition for grade II students in their respective classrooms on December 22.

It was a group work. The objective of this competition was to develop students' creativity. The competition helped students to develop co-ordination skills,

according to club in-charge Ms. Pratikshya Nepali.

As per the results, section-C secured the first position followed by section-B and section-A in the second and third positions respectively. The judges in the competition were activity in-charge of primary wing Ms. Anusha Rana and the club in-charge.

## Inter-house Quiz Contest



Devkota Nepali Club of primary wing organized inter-house quiz contest for grade III and IV students in Pratik Hall on December 26. The objective of programme was to enhance the general knowledge of the students. The audience was from grade III and IV. Ms. Chandrakala Basnet was the quiz master.

## Shape Hunting Competition



Aryabhata Mathematics Club of Primary Wing organized geometrical shape hunting competition for grade III and IV students in the school playground on December 26. The objective of competition was to identify and present various objects found in our surroundings which are related geometrical figures. The judges of the competition were respective class teachers.

## Career Orientation for Grade XII Students

Representatives from one of the top ranked universities of India – VIT Vellore of Tamil Nadu, Marshi Markendshwor University of Hariyana, Sona Technical Institute of Tamil Nadu and Manab Rachana University of New Delhi – provided career orientation to grade XII students in Jetavan Hall on January 26.

The representatives were Ms. Supriya Chauhan from Manab Rachana University, Mr. D. Vasanth Kumar from Sona Technical Institute, Mr. Martin Radley from Maharshi Markendshwor University and Dr. C. Vijaya Kumar from VIT University. They talked about the courses and facilities offered by their universities and also detailed about scholarship packages provided to Nepali students in their universities and institutes.

The resource persons were welcomed by senior co-ordinator



Mr. Tank Meghji Devji. Addressing the orientation programme, Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia said that it was privilege to have the representatives of various universities at the school. He said that the students of Nepal were lucky in comparison to Indian students in terms of getting enrolled in top ranked universities because Nepali students get special quota under scholarship

for international students.

Addressing the students in orientation programme, Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao said that students should be wise enough in making good choices and select the best universities. She also added that students during school life were assisted by parents and teachers while taking decisions but now they should be able to take decisions

on their own. She expressed her happiness to see many of the DAV students getting admission in renowned universities of India.

Similarly Mr. Santosh K. Chaudhary from Wide Range consultancy Kathmandu briefed about the silver jubilee scholarship scheme and general scholarship scheme provided by the Embassy of India Kathmandu to post graduate and under graduate students. He advised students to check the ranking of various universities awarded by the government of India before choosing universities or institutes. He also said that DAVSKVB has topped the list of the schools from Nepal to get scholarship provided by the Embassy of India. In the year 2017, as many as 15 students got scholarship provided by Indian Embassy. The moderator of programme was Mr. Tankanath Ghimire, the CCA In-charge.

## Online Classes for Middle School Students

DAVSKVB launched online classes in the new prefab building for the students of grade V to VIII from this academic session as a pilot project.

Selected students from all the sections of middle school will get opportunity to attend online classes. Students are suggested to log in to the

website of Khan Academy for online courses.

According to Middle School Co-ordinator, Mr. Krishna Joshi, all sorts of students such as achievers, average and below average are selected for the pilot project. The objective of the project is to make the students independent learners and



encourage students to explore areas of learning on their own.

Mr. Joshi said if students are willing to learn, there are numerous ways to learn. In this pilot project, students are basically suggested to go through multi-media contents of Maths and Science subjects. The school is bringing changes and innovation in middle school education step by step.

## Hindi Story Writing Competition



CBSE students from grade V to VIII participated in Hindi story writing competition in their respective classrooms on January 28.

The competition was organized section-wise. The objective of competition was to develop writing skills and creativity of the students. The judges of the competition were Mr. Dilliram Sharma and Ms. Indu Thakur.

## Pickles Exhibition

OBTE

students of grade VII exhibited varieties of fruit and vegetable pickles at OBTE office on January 26. On the same day, students also exhibited some of the advertisement drafts designed by them. The objective of programme was to make students learn about



the production, storage and processing of varieties of pickles practically. The pickle exhibition was a part of OBTE syllabus.



## Inter-section Science Textual Quiz Contest



Selected students from grade I to IV participated in an Inter-section Science Textual Quiz Contest in Pratik Hall on January 25.

The objective of programme was to make the students learn with fun, to motivate them to read books related with science.

The teams of students were formed from all the classes of primary wing. As per the results, Section-A secured the first position; section-B secured the second position and section B and D both secured the third position. Ms. Pratikshya Nepali, Newton Science Club in-charge, was the quiz master. The audience was from III 'B', II 'B' IV 'D' and II 'A'.

## Inter-section Story Telling Competition



Students from grade I to IV participated in inter-section story telling competition in their respective classrooms on January 26. The objective of programme was to enhance speaking skills of the students and help them overcome fear and nervousness of public speaking. The judges were Nepali subject teachers of primary wing.

## Sports Day Celebration for Kindergarten



The students of Kindergarten wing celebrated sports day on the school premises on January 26. The events of sports day were ball collection, glass balancing, coin

searching, relay race and dress up race. The sports day was a calendar based activity of kindergarten wing. All the students of KG participated in the sports day celebration.

## DAVSKVB to Represent Asian Schools in PASCH Youth Camp



Four students of DAVSKVB namely Samman Pathak, Dristi Rauniyar, Anuska Chitrakar, Parva Chaowdhury have been selected to participate in PASCH Youth Camp-2018 to be held in Frankfurt, Germany, from 7<sup>th</sup> January to 27<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

The students were selected by Goethe Zentrum, Kathmandu. The visit of the students was arranged by Goethe Institute Maxmuller Bhawan, New Delhi, India. Mr. Sabin Shakya, German Language Teacher will be accompanying the students in Germany.

## Ms. Uprety in 2<sup>nd</sup> South Asian Championship



Ms. Tika Uprety successfully participated in the 2<sup>nd</sup> South Asian Karate Championship- 2018 as a referee. The championship was held in Guwahati, India from 27<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> January, 2018.

The championship was organised by Sports Karate Do Association and Mawate Ka Sito-Ryu Karate-Do Association, Assam. She has been appointed

as referee for various international tournaments but this is for the first time that she got a chance to be a referee in South Asian Championship. From Nepal, an 80-member team, including 8 referees, participated in the championship. Nepal, India, Bangladesh, Bhutan and Sri Lanka took part in the championship. Nepal won one gold medal in the championship.

## Clothes Donation by Mr. Mirdha

DAVSKVB Club Co-ordinator Mr. Narayan Mirdha donated clothes to the underprivileged communities in Bagahai, Rautahat on January 30. The clothes were collected from Dhobighat and Jawalakhel, Lalitpur.

Mr. Mirdha was honoured by Katahariya Municipality for serving the needy communities of Bagahi. He donated clothes to as many as 250 families at Bagahai. During the donation programme, the Chief District officer and Deputy Superintendent Police of Rautahat were also present.



## Mr. Bhujel Declared Best Youth



Mr. Shankar Bhujel, primary sports teacher of DAV School, has been felicitated as the best youth by the defense minister Mr. Bhimsen Das Pradhan in the felicitation programme organized by JCI (Jaycees Club) of Panuti on 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2018, for making our country proud in international arena through sports.

## Letter of Appreciation for Drive Against Drug Abuse



Community Service Center, Sanepa handed letter of appreciation to DAVSKVB School on January 18. The school was honoured for the active participation in awareness

programme against drug addiction. CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater gave away the letter to school Vice-principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal in the morning assembly on January 29.

## Winners of SOF- International English Olympiad Honoured

DAVSKVB Management Committee Members honoured the winners of SOF- International English Olympiad 2017-18 in the morning assembly on January 26.

As many as 21 students got medals of distinction, 59 students got gold medals, 55 students got silver medals, and 58 students got bronze medals. Approximately, twenty five hundred students from grade III to XII had participated in this Olympiad on October 24. Similarly, School SOF In-charge and class In-charges of SOF International English Olympiad were given away



appreciation letters. Olympiad examinations are conducted by SOF Office, New Delhi, India.

## Participation in Inter-school English Speech Competition



Sneha Shrestha IX 'E' and Aaron Pun Magar IX 'C' participated in Inter school English Speech Competition on January 31. The competition was organized by Chong- De Truth Cultural Society. The participants were honoured in morning assembly on January 29.

## DAV Yoga Teacher Secured 3<sup>rd</sup> position in National Championship

Mr. Tej Prashad Dhakal, a yoga teacher of DAVSKVB, secured the 3<sup>rd</sup> position in the 1<sup>st</sup> National Yoga Sports Championship held at Itahari Rangashala, Sunsari, Itahari, on 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2018. Mr. Dhakal secured the 3<sup>rd</sup> position in group event along with Mr. Kabindra Rasthala, Mr. Raj Kumari Odari and Mr. Kedar Nath Bastakoti.

Mr. Alok Kumar Mishra HoD of Yoga of DAVSKVB, who is also the president of Lalitpur Yoga Sports Association, was nominated in the National Selection Committee to select national and international players from this championship.



He was also the judge in this championship. The objective of this event was to establish Yoga as sports which could be organized as a competition at various levels.

The chief guests of this championship were Mr. Keshab Bista, secretary member of Sports Council, Mr. Umang Dawn, vice president of International Yoga Sports Association and Mr. Surya Bahadur Karki president of National Yoga Sports Association. The judges were Dr. Sagram Puri, Dr. Satish Saha, Yogi Shanti Dutt, Mr. Alok Mishra, Mr. Umang Dawn and Ms. Devaki Shrestha.



## 1<sup>st</sup> DAV Inter-school Indoor Cricket Tournament

The final matches of 1<sup>st</sup> DAV inter-school indoor cricket tournament for both boys and girls were held at DAV College of Management, Bhanimandal, Lalitpur on December 25. The prize distribution ceremony was organized in DAV School's Jetavan Hall, Jawalakhel, Lalitpur. Birendra Sainik Awasiya Mahabidyalaya won the tournament of boys' category and Api school won the tournament of girls' category.

Mr. Mahesh Kumar Karki, former Cricketer of Kathmandu in the presence of senior co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji and SSO Mr. Prashant Samal gave away the certificates, medals and trophies to the winners, runner-up and best players.

As per the results of boys'



category, Api School, Dhapasi Height became runner-up, Aditya Thapa from Ujjwal Shishu Niketan, Kirtipur got the best bowler award, Reul Shrestha from Api School got the best batter award and Sushan Karki from Rajan Memorial school got player of the tournament award. A total of 10 schools participated in boys'

category.

Likewise in girl's category, Ujjwal Shishu Niketan became the runner-up. Sudeshna Bhattarai from DAVSKVB got the best bowler award. Sneha Bang from DAVSKVB got the best batter award and Khushi Dangol from Api school got player of the tournament award.

A total of 5 schools were participation in girl's category.

To honour the winners, DAVSKVB organised special ceremony in the morning assembly on 27<sup>th</sup> December. DAVSKVB School Management further motivated them to achieve greater success. During the assembly, Sneha Bang, Pragya Shree Bishwokarma, Sudeshna Bhattarai, Shikar Bothra and Inap Maharjan were honoured by DAVSKVB Mangement.

Similarly Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal received token of appreciation provided by the organizer of 1<sup>st</sup> International Wheelchair T20Cricket tournament on behalf of DAVSKVB. Ms. Vijaya Tater, the CAO gave away the token of appreciation to Mr. Khanal.

## Inter-school *Ghazal* Singing Competition to Mark Moti Jayanti

Devkota Nepali Club organised Inter-school *ghazal* singing competition to mark 152<sup>nd</sup> birth anniversary of Motiram Bhatta in Buddha Hall on September 8, 2017.

A total of nine schools participated in the inter-school *ghazal* singing competition. The schools participating in the competition were AVM, APF, Genuine Secondary School, Modern Indian, Holy vision, Little Angel's, St. Mary's, Aadarsh Himalayan and Green Lawns Academy School.

The programme started with a welcome speech, light lamping, *ghazal* singing and result declaration. Speaking on the occasion, Mr. Anil Kedia, the chairperson, said that *ghazal* directly reaches to heart of the listeners. He sang the all time hit Hindi *ghajal* released during his schooling in India. Dr. Rishiram Sharma, the Head of



the Nepali Department, Mahendra Ratna Campus Tahachal, Kathmandu, appreciated the *ghazals* performed and also hoped for the continuation of such programme to conserve Nepali language and culture in the days to come as well. The performance was witnessed by Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao, the Principal, Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal, vice-principal and

Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, senior secondary co-ordinator. The judges in the competition were Mr. Raju Singh, Ms. Bimala Bhusal and Mr. Ghanshyam Aryal.

Two students, Priya Karna IX and Pragayashree Bishwokarma XII from DAVSKVB performed *Ghajals* as the non-competitor. As per the results, Ritu Rawal from Modern Indian School secured the first position followed by Elisha Aryal from AVM School secured the second position, Sambhav Thapa from Little Angels School secured the third position and Shrela Sapkota from St. Mary's school secured the consolation position.

The objective of the competition was to conserve the *ghazal* genre of literature, remember the contribution Motiram Bhatta made in *ghajal* genre and explore the creativity of the students.

## DAV Extends Warm Welcome to MD of OUP, Prof. Pandey

Managing Director of Oxford University Press, India, Mr. Shivarama Krishnan V paid a friendly visit to DAVSKVB on 7th February, 2018. And to welcome Mr. Krishnan V, the school organized a special programme in Buddha Hall.

The managing director of Oxford University Press (OUP), India, Mr. Shivarama Krishnan V is working with OUP, India, for the last 17 years. OUP is a department of Oxford University, London.

Prof. Beerendra Pandey from Tribhuvan University was also invited to the welcome programme organized on the occasion as a guest of honour.

The students from Kindergarten to grade XII welcomed Mr. Shivarama Krishnan V with Ganesh Vandana, dances and songs.

On the occasion, the winners of Principal's Subject Sweepstakes were given away the certificates and awards. Mr. Krishnan, Mr. Pandey, Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia and Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao shared success stories of successful personalities with the students.

Chair person Mr. Anil Kedia said its privilege to have such renowned personalities in the school. Welcoming the



guest from OUP, he recalled his school days when Oxford dictionary was the only tool for students to rectify language errors.

Speaking at the programme, Principal

Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao said that the relation of DAVSKVB with Oxford was not only commercial but emotional. Ms. Rao urged the students to take inspiration from personalities like Mr. Shiva Ram Krishnan V and Professor Beerendra Pandey. Principal also advised students to develop curiosity and be inquisitive. "The day when you stop asking questions and stop being curious to know, you stop learning," added the principal.

The chief guest, Shivakrishnan appreciated the honour and privilege extended by DAVSKVB family and suggested students that they should have commitments and determination to do something. Professor Dr. Beerendra Pandey suggested Oxford University Press to include such Nepali literature in their school textbooks to make them more inclusive and give a sense of ownership to Nepali students.

The winners of Principal Subject sweepstakes for the month of December were Ayush Joshi II 'F', Ruparna Dey III 'F', Riya Shah IV 'C', Sayaka Maharjan V 'B', Bikash Sarraf VI 'G', Sujal Patwari VII 'I', Sushant Yadav VIII 'B', Garvit Lunia IX 'I', Deeprashan Sijapati X 'C', Trilok Gupta XI 'C' and Atish Agrawal XII 'C'.

## Thanks Giving Day Phase II

DAVSKVB Management Committee organised 'Thanks Giving Day' to honor the office assistants, staffers of housekeeping department, security guards and drivers on September 16.

The school management gave special recognition to the service they provided to the school for more than a decade. Office assistants, members of housekeeping department and drivers who worked for 10 years or more than 10 years were honored with Khada, bouquet and letter of appreciation.

Speaking in the programme, the chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia, thanked each member of those departments for their selfless efforts and contributions to take the school to a new height. He recalled the tough time the school faced in the journey of the last 25 years and also thanked those individuals who wholeheartedly supported the school and contributed from their side to



overcome the difficult time. In the programme school chairperson remember those members who contributed a lot for the school but no longer working at the school.

Similarly, Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao, the Principal, also praised the staffers for their tireless efforts and all the hard work behind the curtains. She said contribution of each and every individual is equally important for the smooth functioning of the school either it be a driver,

housekeeping member, office assistant, or security guard.

The staff working more than 20 years are Ms. Mandira Kunwar 23, Ms. Rajkumari Raut 22, Mr. Tikaprasad Simkhada 21, Ms. Sobita Deuja 21, Ms. Mankumari Magar 21, Mr. Thakur Simkhada 21, Mr. Sundar Shrestha 21, Mr. Nhuchhekrishna Shrestha 21, Mr. Pradeep Sapal 21, Mr. Krishnachandra Shrestha 21, Mr. Hari Maharjan 21, Mr. Ram Bahadur Sapal 20.

On the occasion various songs and dances were performed. Music department sang a song and the members of housekeeping and transportation performed dances in Nepali and Hindi Songs.

Speaking in the programme, one of the most experienced drivers of the school Sundar dai' shared his experience of 21 years at DAVSKVB. One of the senior most office assistants Thankur dai also expressed his gratitude towards DAVSKVB.

SSO Mr. Prashant Samal was highly appreciated for bridging gap in transportation and discipline. All the teachers and administrative staffers witnessed the programme. Vice-principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal also shared his experience and precious memories associated with DAVSKVB. Earlier, the teachers and administrative communities, including school support agencies, were felicitated by DAVSKVB Management Community.



## DAV Students Stage Shakespeare's 'Twelfth Night'



Students of DAVSKVB staged William Shakespeare's comedy play 'Twelfth Night' to mark the silver jubilee celebration of the school. The play was staged in Buddha hall on 9th February, 2018.

On the occasion, Mayor of Lalitpur Metropolitan City, Mr. Chirbabu Maharjan, Professor from Tribhuvan University Ammaraj Joshi and assistant professor from Kathmandu University Tikaram Poudel, President of NELTA Ms. Motikala Subba Dewan, Programme Manager of British Council Ms. Vaisali Pradhan also witnessed the drama show. They were in all praise to the drama participants and expressed their wish to see those participants as theatre artists in

near future.

Addressing the audience, Mayor of Lalitpur Metropolitan City Mr. Chirbabu Maharjan said that the elected team of Lalitpur Metropolitan was ready to partner with DAVSKVB for quality education in the metropolis.

Professor Ammaraj Joshi said that the drama was successfully performed with limited resources. He praised the students for their remarkable performance.

Likewise, Dr. Tikaram Poudel appreciated the performance and said that drama could be a good medium to promote languages and culture. Similarly, Ms. Motikala Subba Dewan, president of Nepal English

Language Teachers Association (NELTA) talked about the glorious friendship history of NELTA and DAVSKVB.

Likewise, Vaisali Pradhan, programme manager of British Council said that the efforts of DAVSKVB students were outstanding.

Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao appreciated efforts put in by each and every individual to make the show a huge success and thanked the drama directors, teachers team of English department and art department for preparing students and necessary props in a very short period of time. The Drama show was graced by school chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia's

gracious presence.

Before the drama show, all four dignitaries, including the senior most teacher of the school Mr. Sanjeev Rai, were felicitated by the school with felicitation letter and shawl for their contribution in the field of English language. They received the felicitation letter and shawl from Mayor of Lalitpur Metropolitan City Mr. Chirbabu Maharjan. Toppers of grade X SEE, X CBSE and XII CBSE were also honoured with medals and certificates by the guests. The programme was organized by William Wordsworth English Club.

Participants of the drama show are as follows:

### Character Name

Viola	Aditi Sherpa
Sebastian	Bibhuti Raj Bhandari
Orsino	Prasun Thapa
Olivia	Kritika Gurung
Toby	Ayoosh Sharma
Andrew	Shreejan Maharjan
Maria	Riteika Thapa
Valentine	Sabhyata Pathak
Curio	Ayan Gautam
Captain	Ridhima Sanba
Sailor	Saurav Agrawal
Fool	Mohit Mital
Antonio	Onip Dhakal
Fabian	Kushal Bajoria
Stage Mangers	Kriti Sharma
	Chitranshi Dokaniya
	Aarshu Acharya
Priest	bhijeet Adhikari
Officer 1	Thinley Palmu Bhutiya
Officer 2	Aakina Singh Suwal

## Family Jamboree of Grade III and IV Held

Family Jamboree of grade III and IV – a cultural extravaganza of DAV school - brought parents, teachers and students together to witness some phenomenal and exiting performances of the students on November 17.

Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao welcomed all the parents and guests. She talked about the role of parents and teachers in making students lifelong learners. She said that the school was putting in maximum efforts for the holistic



development of students. The chief guest Rotarian Dhundi Raj Shrestha and the guest of honour

Arun Arauindaksitan Kedia India also spoke about four programmes of Rotary dedicated

to the young generation.

Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater witnessed the event.

The jamboree started with lighting the lamp followed by principal's speech, free style dance on hiphop, Jatzz and contemporary, Hindi song Barso re Megha barso, cultural dance celebration of Dashain Nepali dance, parents' item, Nepali dance Godavari Banami ma and Chovarko Dadaima

## Good Luck Ceremony for Grade X Students



Good luck ceremony of X CBSE

Students of Grade IX CBSE and IX SEE organised good luck ceremonies for their senior batch i.e. grade X CBSE and SEE in Indu Hall on different dates.

Addressing the ceremony, Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia suggested that students should take advice and suggestions from their senior and elders. '12 level gives students exposure to the outer world and they should prepare themselves to face the ups and downs of life,' he added.

Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao provided tips to prepare board examinations. Observing the stage show, she said that the hard work

and efforts put in by grade IX for the programme showed how much they loved and respect their seniors.

Addressing the ceremony Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal said that learning is never ending process and forms of knowledge keep on changing with changing time. He further said DAVSKVB School is known for value based education and aims at producing good humans. He also suggested that students should continue their 12 education at the institution from where they completed grade X to avoid the hassles they have to go through before joining colleges for higher education.

Similarly spiritual leader Dr. Bashudev Krishna Shastri also motivated students with moral lesson. He also appreciated the value based education imparted by DAVSKVB. Dr. Shastri interpreted Vishwa Bharati as the term related with knowledge and energy, Vishwa Bharati is called Saraswati as per the ancient literature which focuses on mental, physical, social and universal well being. He wished success to all the students taking board examination.

Similarly, Mr. Kashinath Neupane talked about how students of modern generation can be constructive to develop sense of humanity, friendship

and brotherhood in society. He also focused on the importance of moral education in higher secondary level. All the students were given good luck certificates by the guests, management team and teachers. The students of grade IX performed Nepali fusion song, Kumari dance, freestyle dance, Hindi fusion songs, Nepali dances, fashion parade and mix dance in both good luck ceremonies

During the programme, the class teachers also suggested students to be watchful during board examination. Few students shared their memories during the school days.



Good luck ceremony of X SEE

## Graduation Ceremony of Kindergarten Wing

DAVSKVB launched graduation ceremony for the UKG students from the Silver Jubilee Year. The graduation programme was held in Buddha Hall on 6th March, 2018.

The students from Nursery, LKG and UKG performed various dances and songs to entertain their parents, grandparents and teachers. Ms. Rubi Thapa, associate professor from Tribhuvan University along with DAV Management Committee Members graduated the UKG students. The guests of the programme talked about the importance of Kindergarten education to the parents, grandparents and entire teachers and staffers of DAVSKVB.

The Programme formally began with the welcome speech of Kindergarten Co-ordinator Ms. Shanti Gurung.

Addressing the ceremony chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia said from the 25 years of school management, DAV has developed its own principle for Kindergarten wing. And in DAV



they are applying mixed methods of education where both Kindergarten and Montessori methods are adopted to groom up the children. Mr. Kedia also suggested students to engage children to accomplish at least their own work which they can do themselves. Engaging the children in the work will make them responsible and independent in the long run according to Mr. Kedia. He also pointed out that as 50 % mental development of every human takes place in the age of 5. To make the

right development of children it was the responsibility of the family members and school.

Similarly, Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari said this graduation programme for Kindergarten wing was the final programme to celebrate silver jubilee year. She thanked all the Kindergarten team for being honest to set foundation of the children through kindergarten education. She remembered the chief guest Ruby Thapa who was all to set her career in education. She was HOD of English to take her interview as the English teacher at DAVSKVB. She

requested Ms. Ruby to visit DAV time and again and encourage entire family members.

During the programme students performed dance on bollywood Mashup, Bharat Natyam, Kollywood Mashup and sung an English song. The parents dance competition got equal appreciation as to the kids' performance from audience with appraisal. Students fashion parade on invention discoveries was an elegant performance from the immature minds.



## Suddenly Joy Turned Into Tears

**Dristi Rauniyar**

IX 'I'

On 6<sup>th</sup> of January, we left Nepal to participate in PASCH Winter Camp. We felt very exciting at first but when we had to run across the airport in hurry to catch the second flight as our first flight was delayed, we could not enjoy fully and did not have enough time to imagine of our dreamland visit inside aircraft. When we reached to Frankfurt, we did not receive our luggage. When we reached at hostel, the next day we got our luggage. We were surprised to know that Nepal was the first one to reach there.

Again, we had some problems in communicating to the native people in Frankfurt. All the incidents came one after another as unexpected and strange to us. But as soon as we went to the hostel, we got our roommates and started to enjoy and everything went much better.

The first few days were very stressful due to the jet lag, the new food, new routine, new people and new teaching system. But all this changed to gradually became pleasant even though they were difficult to adapt in the foreign land. In the first week, we did not do many activities. Our classes were separated, we were assigned to make a music video as a project work and we had regular classes too. We went for a walk on the bank of the Mein River. Next to our hostel was the Goethe House. We went to visit Goethe House, Main Tower and Lasermax, At Lasermax we had our first party. We went to a really large stadium to



watch a football match, visited Marburg, on old but historically magnificent city.

From the second week we all started opening up a little and talked to each others. The classes went regular in the second week as well. On Monday, we had cultural evening programme where every country had to reflect the culture of their respective country. It was fun in exchanging culture. We went to Romer and Goethe University of Frankfurt, We did ice-skating, made post cards, went for Bowling, went to an ice-hockey match, We got opportunity to see snow in Feldberg from the very near for the first time. We also visited Mathematikum which is a mathematical museum and had our second party in the same museum.

Unfortunately, we had just a week to stay in Germany. We had more classes. We made 'Ojos de Dios', attended exams, had a beauty evening and went to more museums. On the last evening, we had a cultural evening

programme where we had to perform as a teacher in our class, the teachers performed for us. All of sudden joy and fun turned into tears during our last party which went for quite a long time. We had nothing than weeping and crying, when we came to know that the time had come to say goodbye. The goodbyes were the hardest thing for all of us. Three weeks' time had gone by so fast.

This trip taught us a lot of things. It taught us how to be responsible and independent. Staying miles away from home among 60 other new people from 9 different countries was not an easy task but we adjusted in new environment quickly and became friends with kindness. We also improved German language which we had accepted to learn from there, we did have difficulty with things such as the food and weather but the trip overall was very nice. These three weeks went by so nicely, we can call these 3 weeks the best three weeks of our lives so far.

## Germany Visit: An Experience

I am very fortunate as I got a chance to represent in 'Pasch Youth Camp' as a Nepali student. I enjoyed every moment in the camp. I mostly enjoyed the activities like ice skating, swimming, bowling and specially the visit to Maths Museum. The trip to Mathematics Museum was very beneficial. I learnt many new things related to mathematics. The ice skating was also very adventurous. I could skate with the help of my friend from New Zealand. She was very good at Ice Skating. I remember the moments I spent with my international friends. We got very late talking to each other. My roommates were very special to me. We always slept



very late talking to each other. We were very fortunate as DAV got 4 seats, unlike the last year in which only 2 students could participate on this camp from our school. My teacher, Herr Daniel was very friendly to us

and I also loved the education system of Germany. We can share our thoughts and express our opinions. We worked on a project and we made a music video ACHTZIG MILLIONEN. We had worked upon it. And our

video secured the first position. On the day of LANDERABEND, we performed a traditional Nepali German speaking; we also liked to communicate with the betraysers and teachers in German. The days passed very quickly. On the last day, everyone was sad and didn't want to say each other GOOD BYE. Some of my friends wrote for me about the moments I spent with them in the camp. I am remembering them since the day I arrived in Nepal. However, we are connected to each other I try to talk to them every day. We text each other and are connected with them. I got 57 international friends in this camp and I never want to miss them.

## Bhusan and Shristi Win Mr. and Miss DAV Title-2017/18

B. Bhusan Rao and Shristi Rauniyar of Grade XII were declared the Mr and Ms DAV respectively for the academic session 2017-18. They won the titles in a farewell programme organized in Buddha Hall on February 15.

Six nominees were selected for the completion from five sections of grade XII science and commerce streams. The nominees went through introduction, Question-Answer and Talent rounds before the judges announced the winners on the basis of their performances. The judges were CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, Primary Co-ordinator Mr. Andrew Filtz Patrick and Kindergarten Co-ordinator Ms. Shanti Gurung. The nominees for Mr. DAV were B. Bhusan Rao, Prajwal Singh, Aryan Dhungel, Rajat Shakya, Himanshu Gupta and Nishit Agrawal. Similarly, the nominees for Miss DAV were Aanya Baral, Muskan Kumari Gupta, Shristi Rauniyar, Dona Mukherjee, Komal Agrawal and Romika Bansal.



The winner of Mr. DAV was honored with slash and Nepali Dhaka Topi, whereas the

winner of Miss DAV was honored with a crown and slash. They were also given a gift hamper.

## Grade XI Bids Farewell to Grade XII



Grade XI students of CBSE organized a farewell programme for the students of grade XII in Buddha Hall on February 15.

The students of grade XI bid farewell to their seniors by performing various songs and dances. The school handed over mementos and certificates to the students of grade XII and wished them luck for their board examinations starting from March 5.

Speaking at the programme, school Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia and Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao shared some of their memorable moments with the students of outgoing batch. They also suggested the students that they should uphold the values and disciplinary norms learnt during school days and added that values and disciplinary norms must be used as the guiding principles.

Addressing the ceremony chairperson advised students to always obey the elders, especially gurus and parents. He also warned them against becoming slave to technology and suggested them to keep the human values intact.

Similarly, Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao expressed her wish to see the outgoing batch breaking all the past records of the school and set a new

benchmark for the students of upcoming year. She recalled the names of all those students who gave memories to school through their commendable as well as mischievous deeds at the school. She expressed her sincere thanks to wing coordinator, teachers and other staffers for their hard work and dedication shown throughout the year in preparing the students for their board examinations. On the occasion, she also recited a poem which she dedicated to the students.

The school invited spiritual guru Shree Padmananda Dharmacharya as a chief guest for the programme to bless the students. Bhim Upadhyaya, former secretary of the Government of Nepal was also invited to the programme as a special guest to motivate them. Both, the chief guest and the special guest, were in all praise for DAVSKVB seeing the school imparting the knowledge of eastern values, Sanskrit, Pariyatti, and practising Anapana and Vipassana meditation.



## Hindi PowerPoint Presentation Competition



Students of grade IX CBSE participated in Hindi Powerpoint Presentation Competition in Jetavan Hall on 14th February. The topic of the presentations were – 'Role of Hindi Cinemas in the development of Hindi

Language', 'Role of Hindi News Channels in the development of Hindi language' and 'Role of Hindi TV Serials in the development of Hindi language'. The objective of programme was to improve presentation skills and

motivate students in research work.

HoD Mr. Purushottam Pokhrel appreciated the efforts put in by students and also pointed out the areas of improvement for the students. Chiraj Agrawal and Khushi Bansali were the moderators of the programme. The audiences were from IX CBSE. The judges of the competition were Mr. Debyojyoti Chhettri and Mr. Dilliram Sharma.

As per the results, from IX 'G' Vivek Kr. Sah secured the first position. Tarun Agrawal secured the first position from IX 'J' and Isha Jain secured the first position from IX 'I'.

## English Speech Writing Competition for Grade XI

Inter-section English speech writing was organized for the students of grade XI on 25<sup>th</sup> February 2018 during their regular classes.

The students were given the topic 'Growth of Tourism Industry in Nepal' for speech writing competition. The word limit for speech was 250-300 words. Subject teachers of the respective classes evaluated the speeches and the best four students from each section were given the certificates of achievement.

## Story Telling Competition

Kabir Sahitya Samaj (Hindi Club) organized Hindi story telling competition for grade V to VIII CBSE students in Jetavan Hall on February 5.

The objective of programme was to enhance the oratory and narration skills of the students, according to club in-charge Ms. Indu Thakur. The judges in the competition were Mr. Dilliram Sharma and Mr. Bhuwan Poudel. Priyanka Pokhrel and Tavishi Bairathi were the moderators of the programme. The audience was VIII CBSE students. Sanskrit HOD, Mr. Govinda Ghimire suggested that the students should use expressions and gesture while telling stories.

As per the results of grade V and VI, Shekhar Sarawagi VI 'J' secured the first position, Babli Gupta VI 'F' secured the second position and Ayush Shah V'E' and Aditya Kr. Sharma V'G' secured the third position. Similarly from grade VII and VIII, Keshav Khandelwal VIII 'I' secured the first position, Harshika Agrawal VIII 'G' secured the second position and Harshit Agrawal VIII 'J' and Sneha Mandal VII 'F' secured the third position. As many as 15 students participated in this competition.



## Digital Story Telling Competition



Charles Babbage Computer Club organized digital story telling competition for grade VIII students in Jetavan Hall on 27th February, 2018. The objective of the programme was to enable students tell stories using technology.

The competition was organized in the groups. As per the results, the team of Sohail Akhtar VIII 'G' Mohsin Ansari VIII 'G' and Suhrit Ghimire VIII 'H' secured the first position.

Similarly, the team of Rabina Burlakoti VIII 'A', Resna Shrestha VII 'A' Meghna Lama VIII 'A', Samidha Shrestha VIII 'A' secured the second position.

Likewise, the team of Prajit Thapa VIII 'C', Kabin Dangol VIII 'A', Sannidhya Bhujel VIII 'F' and Shreyas Lal VIII 'F' secured the third position. The judges in the competition were Ms. Pratibha Pradhan and Mr. Rajan Bajracharya.

## Flower Vase Decoration and Quilling Competitions

Students of grade VII participated in flower vase decoration competition and students of grade VIII participated in Quilling competition in their respective classrooms on February 12. These innovative programmes were organized to mark the silver jubilee year celebration and to motivate students in creative work. The competitions were organized in group.



## Family Jamboree of Grade VII

Family Jamboree of Grade VII was held in Buddha Hall on February 28.

Mr. Shrawan Kumar Agrawal from Marwadi Sewa Samaj was the chief guest in the programme. As per the theme- 'fusion of eastern and western civilization' for the academic session 2017-18, students performed various songs and dances from home and abroad. The programme was witnessed by Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia. The rehearsal of jamboree was done under Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao's supervision.

The programme started with welcome speech of middle school co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi followed by welcoming the guest and lighting lamp,



Nepali Song, English song, prop dance, Nepali dance, parents programme, Bollywood dance, prize distribution of parents programme, speech of chief guest, Hindi song, Hollywood

dance, thematic dance, vote of thanks and holi dance. The key attraction of the programme was holi dance

Speaking at the event, the chief guest of the programme

Mr. Shrawan Kumar Agrawal talked about contribution of late Shankar Lal Kedia and Mr. Anil Kedia in the field of education. He said that DAVSKVB is the best school in the country to impart value based education based on anglo-vedic philosophy. He also appreciated the school for teaching Sanskrit and practising Vipasana, Meditation and Anapana at school.

Mr. Surchen Shaha was the MC of the programme. Ms. Shivani Mukherjee offered vote of thanks. Ms. Gauri Tamang conducted parents' programme. School Management Committee members welcomed the invited guests and parents to the programme.

## Inter-Section Nepali Quiz Contest



Devkota Nepali Club of Secondary Wing organized Inter-section Nepali Quiz Contest for grade V and VI students in Pratik Hall on February 23. The objective of programme was to empower students with information and general knowledge according to Club In-charge Mr. Mahendra Neupane.

The programme started with welcome speech followed by briefing of rules and regulations,

quiz contest results announcement and vote of thanks.

The quiz master was Mr. Dukendra Ghimire (Nepali). As per the results, Group B from grade VI secured the first position; Group A from Grade V secured the second position. Group A from grade VI secured the third position and Group B from grade V secured the fourth position and Group B of V secured the fourth position. The audience was from VI 'SEE'.

## Inter-class Science Model Making Competition



Newton Science Club of Primary wing organized inter-class science model making competition for grade IV in their respective classrooms on February 23, 2018. The objective of competition was to encourage students to adopt innovative

techniques and develop their ideas and skills. The programme helped students to showcase their skills and talent, according to Ms. Pratikshya Nepali, Club In-charge. The judges of the competition were class teachers of grade IV and the club in-charge.

## English Grammar Competition

Wordsworth English Club of primary wing organized English grammar competition for grade III and IV students in their respective classrooms on February 21. The objective of the competition was to help students use correct English grammar. The judges of the competition were English teachers of grade III and IV. Participation in the competition was mandatory for all the students.





## Elocution Competition



William Wordsworth English Club of primary wing organized English Elocution Competition for grade I and II students in Pratik Hall on February 5.

The objective of programme was to develop public speaking skills of the students. Club president Dhara Timilsina was the moderator of the programme. The judges in the competition were mentor Ms. Anamika Subba and a grade IV class teacher Ms. Isha Tripathi. The audience was grade I and

II students. As per the results from grade I, Kartiken Khatri I 'D' secured the first position, Tshering Dolma I 'C' secured the second position and Pranesh Bikram Shah I 'B' and Sakshi Somani I 'F' secured the third position. Similarly from grade II, Agastya Singh II 'F' secured the first position, Kritika Chaudhary II 'C' secured second position and Shivani Gupta II 'E' secured the third position. As many as 13 students participated in this competition.

## Green Lunch Day

Students of grade IV celebrated 28th February as the Green Lunch Day in their respective classrooms. The objective of programme was to encourage students to take plenty of fruits and vegetables in their daily meal. The programme was able to inform the students about the benefits of fruits and green vegetables.



## Story Writing Competition



Devkota Nepali Club of primary wing organized inter-section story writing competition for grade III and IV students in their respective classrooms on February 9. The objective of programme was to enhance creative writing skills of the students. The judges in the competition were respective subject teachers.

## Inter-house Mental Maths Quiz Contest



Students of grade III and IV participated in inter-house mental mathematics quiz contest in their respective classrooms on February 22. The objective of programme was to provide platform to the students to enhance their IQ, according to Ms. Isha Tripathi, Club In-charge. The judges of the competition were teachers of respective classes.

## Science Model Making Competition



Newton Science Club of secondary wing organized Science Model Making Competition for grade V, VI, VII, VIII, IX and XI students in the science lab on February, 27. The objective of

programme was to encourage students to put the theoretical knowledge of science into practice.

The judges of the competition were Mr. Kamalesh Kumar, HoD of Science and

teachers from the Science department. The competition was organized class wise. Students made science models in group as well as individually. The audience was from grade V, VI, VII, VIII, IX and XI.

## Group Collage Making competition for Grade V, VI, IX and XI

Inter-section group collage making competition was organised for the students of grade V, VI, IX and XI on 28<sup>th</sup> February 2018 during their regular classes. The theme for collage making was Holi festival. The event was organized as a part of Silver Jubilee year celebration. All the participants of this event have been awarded with silver jubilee year certificate.

## Inter-house Basketball Tournament

Inter house Basketball Tournament was organized on 25<sup>th</sup> February 2018 for the Girls of VIII, IX and XI.

The result of the tournament is as follows:

1<sup>st</sup>- Mt. Kanchanjanga House

2<sup>nd</sup>- Mt. Machhapuchhre House

3<sup>rd</sup>- Mt. Lhotse House

4<sup>th</sup>- Mt. Annapurna House

The tournament was conducted with the technical support from sports department.

## Art Documentaries Screened

Uttam Kiran Art Club screened two documentaries about arts to the executive and general members of Uttam Kiran Art Club in Indu Hall on February 23.

The students to watch documentaries were from grade V to XII. The documentaries shown to the students were 'History of World Art' and 'History of Thangka Painting'. Both the videos were 30 minutes long. The history of world art is the documentary of arts available from Stone Age to Renaissance



and Thangka painting was related to the art of Kathmandu valley. The

objective of programme was to motivate students in the field of art.

## DAVSKVB Becomes District Winner in School Immuno Champ -2017



DAVSKVB has topped all the schools of Lalitpur district in School Immuno Champ-2017. The Championship was

organized by Dabur Nepal Pvt. Ltd in association with medical partner Vayodha Hospital, Balkhu, on November 21.

The prize distribution was held in the morning assembly today on February 2. Mr. Saurav Bhattarai, brand manager of Dabur Company, Dr. Omija Shrestha, Medical officer of Vayodha Hospital in the presence of Vice-principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal and Lower Secondary Co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi distributed the prizes and certificates to the winners.

The students of DAVSKVB have produced excellent body Mass Index (BMI) on an average among the schools of Lalitpur district. As per the results, class-wise winners from DAVSKVB are Kaushik Khoshi III 'F', Paridhi Bagaria IV 'B', Abiral Shrestha V 'C', Aditya Joshi VI 'E', Sneha Maharjan VII 'D' and Rabin Kushwah VIII 'E'.

## DAVSKVB Wins Inter-school Open Quiz Contest



The students of DAVSKVB won the Inter-school Open Quiz Contest held on the occasion of Geeta Jayanti. The quiz contest was organised by Jeeyar Educational Trust Nepal Vikasa Tarangini at Prayag Kunja

School Baneshwor on November 29. Vanshika Motani and Tarun Chandak secured the first position and Samridhi Parajuli secured the third position. The winners and participants were given certificates and awards

by Vice-principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal in the morning assembly on February 4. Mr. Khanal received the letter of appreciation on behalf of the school. Ms. Vijaya Tater, the CAO gave away the letter of appreciation to Mr. Khanal. Simmi Singh, Sudeshna Bhattarai and Saakar Agrawal also participated in this open quiz. Similarly, the winners of Principal's Subject Sweep Stakes were also declared. The winners will receive awards on February 7.

## Srijan declared Man of the Match

Srijan Adhikari from DAVSKVB was declared man of the match in 8<sup>th</sup> Loyalty Cup Junior Football Tournament. The tournament was



organised by Loyalty Academy on February 19. Srijan got man of the match award in the match played between DAV and Reliance International School, Kathmandu. He was honoured at the school today (24<sup>th</sup> February, 2018).

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Position in Sanskriti Knowledge Quest-2018

DAVSKVB students secured the 2<sup>nd</sup> position in Sanskriti Knowledge Quest 2018 held at DAVSKVB on February 5. The students to secure second position are Subhojit Ghimire, Kashi Sharma and Subham Kumar Sharma. The winners are from grade XI 'B'. It was a team event and 19 schools of Kathmandu participated in this competition. Winner students received cash prize Rs 12,000.



## Good Luck Havan for Board Bound Students

DAVSKVB Management Committee organized two *havans* to wish good luck to the board bound students of grade X-SEE 2017-18 batch in Pratik Hall on two different dates.

The *havan* were held separately for Grade X SEE and X CBSE. The pundits of the *havan* were the teachers from the Sanskrit department. They



chanted mantras and recited various chapters of the *havan*. Few students from primary wing with their music teachers chanted hymns during the programme. All the teachers and students of grade X-SEE and X-CBSE participated in the *havan*. The students were offered tika and prasad after *havan*.

## Mt. Machhapuchhre Ranked Top in Senior School

Mt. Machhapuchhre House has been ranked first in secondary wing (Grade V to XII) for the academic session 2017-18.

As per the house scoreboard provided by CCA department of secondary wing, Mt. Machhapuchhre has topped the table with 100 points. Similarly Mt. Annapurna scored 60 points

to secure the second position and Mt. Gaurishankar scored 55 points to secure the third position. The house score board is prepared on the basis of results obtained from various inter-house competition conducted throughout the academic session. There are altogether six houses in secondary wing.

## Football Tournament in Senior School

Boys of grade XI and XII participated in inter-house football tournament on 10<sup>th</sup> November. As per the results, Gaurishankar house secured the first position, Machhapuchhre house secured the second position and Dhaulagiri secured the third position in the tournament.

Similarly, on 22<sup>nd</sup> February, boys of grade XI and XII participated in inter house football

tournament. As per the results, Lhotse secured the first position. Dhaulagiri secured the second position and Gaurishankar secured the third position.

Likewise, on 25<sup>th</sup> February, girls of grade VIII, IX and XI participated in basketball tournament. As per the results, Kanchanjunga secured the second position and Lhotse secured the third position.

## Read to the Principal for Grade V, VI and VII Students



The finalists of read to the Principal from grade V to VII read out few pages from the books they chose for Read to the Principal in the presence of Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia, Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao and the panel of judges from the English department. The programme was held in Jetavan Hall on March 15. The contestants were asked various questions related with the books they read for the programme.

During the programme, contestants' parents and the teachers of middle school were invited as the audience. This is a motivational programme of the school aimed making students read more books to develop a reading culture.

As per the results, Neha Kumari Sah from grade VII, Yesha Upadhya from grade VI and Shradhyak Manandhar from grade V won the Read to the Principal Award

title. Similarly, Abhinav Goyal from Grade VII, Yash Manohat from Grade VI and Erica Prajapati from Grade V were declared runner-up of Read to the Principal. The finalists were Snigdha Khadka, Pranita Pokhrel and Banshika Motani from grade VII. Similarly, the finalists from grade VI were Shelsha Tamrakar and Saugat Acharya. And, the finalists from grade V were Aastha Thakur and Ayush Kumar.

## Read to the Principal for Grade VIII and IX



Finalists of Read to the Principal from grade VIII and IX were interviewed by Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao and the panel of judges from the English department towards the end of the academic session 2017-18.

The contestants were asked various questions about the books they read. Executive and general members of Helen Keller Library Club from grade VII, VIII and IX including contestants' parents were the audience in the programme.

Addressing the audience, principal said, 'the objective of this programme is to develop reading culture among the students at present and to make them authors in the long run'. All the finalists were given awards and certificates by the Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia.

As per the results, Aakina Singh Suwal won Read to the Principal title from grade IX. Kritika Gurung secured the runner-up position. Similarly, Aditi Karki won Read to the Principal title from Grade VIII.

Lipika Shaha secured the runner-up position. The finalists of read to the Principal from grade IX were Kaushik Mishra, Smita Paudel, Kritika Gurung, Sneha Shrestha, Amit Kankarwal, Dristi Rauniyar, and Aakina Singh Suwal. Similarly, the finalists of grade VIII were Aditi Karki, Liza Maharjan, Aayushma Dhungana, Diwama Rai and Lipika Singh. The programme was organized by Helen Keller Library Club.

The read to the principal round is conducted after the

several selection rounds. To participate in the final round, the contestants' review of the book is also examined. Finally they have to face interview with the principal and panel of judges. The books selected for read to the Principal were basically concerned with exploring human psychology, spiritual power and adventurous memories. The judges suggested students to read the books suitable for per their age and level

Principal inspired all the audience and said 'Its reading that makes human and machine different'. And thanked all the contestant's parents for creating reading environment at their home

Similarly one of contestant's parent marked read to the principal as the best programme which was developing creativity among students and thanked school management for conducting this programme for the students and further suggested to endorse such programme in the future. The judges of this programme were Mr. Devraj Gelal, HoD English, Mr. Umesh Saud and Mr. Vivek Neupane from English Department.

## Winners of SOF 2017-18 Honoured



Winners of SOF - International English Olympiad 2017-18 and SOF - National

Science Olympiad 2017-18 in junior category were given away the medals and

certificates in the morning assembly by Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal on March 13.

Earlier, as many as 447 students got various medals of distinction, gold medals, silver medals and bronze medals for their performance in English and Science Olympiads from grade III to XII. The winners of middle and senior schools were honoured in the separate morning assemblies.

As per the details provided by SOF-New Delhi, India, 21 students won the medals of distinction in SOF- International English Olympiad. 59 students bagged gold medals in English Olympiad. 55 students got silver medals and 58 students won Bronze medals. Similarly, in SOF- National Science Olympiad 2017-18, 14 students got medals of distinction. 78 students got gold medals. 85 students won silver medals and 77 students bagged Bronze Medals.



## Family Jamboree of Grade I and II



Primary wing of DAVSKVB organized family Jamboree of grade I and II in Buddha Hall on March 5, 2018.

Mr. Devendra Raj Khanal-District Education Officer of Lalitpur, Chairperson Mr. Anil Kedia and Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao talked about the contemporary education lapses in the nation and the necessary solutions to fill the vacuum in education as per the demand of modern generation.

During the programme, students sang English song and Hindi song, performed props dance, classical

dance, Nepali dance, freestyle dance and holi dance. Few parents of the respective classes also performed dance in the jamboree.

Addressing the ceremony, Mr. Devendra Raj Khanal District Education Officer of Lalitpur said that DAVSKVB is the one of the best schools of Lalitpur. He further pointed out the need for the school to partner with underprivileged schools in their communities to enhance quality of such schools. He also said that the present education system had failed to bring positive changes in society and marked the need of restructuring

the education system of the country.

Similarly, Principal Ms. Bhubaneswari Rao said that she had worked with various DEOs and Mr. Khanal was the first to understand the role of top schools in delivering quality education across the nation. She also said that DAVSKVB had organized various programmes to enhance quality of under privileged school in the nation. 'Students interaction programme, donation to underprivileged school, establishment of library at community school, teachers training programmes at different levels are some of the programmes organized by DAVSKVB for the upliftment of community schools in rural areas, the principal added.

The winners of parents dance competition were given away prizes by the chief guest during the programme.

## Mt. Annapurna House tops the table in Junior School

Mt. Annapurna house has become the best house in junior school for the academic session 2017-18.

The ranking of houses is done on the basis of the results of various inter-house competitions conducted throughout the session. As per the report prepared by junior school CCA department, Annapurna with 85 points is on the top. Lhotse with 80 points has secured the second position. Dhaulagiri with 70 point has secured the third position and Gaurishankar has scored 55 points. There are four houses in junior school.

## Extramural Programme Report of Sport Department in Second Half

- On 19<sup>th</sup> November 2017 DAV secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position in Inter School Knockout Football Tournament organized at MIS School. Aman Chaudhary from class 9 was declared the best goal keeper.
- From 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> November, DAV Cricket U-19 team went to Scholastica school in Dhaka, Bangladesh, to participate in inter school T20 Cricket Tournament.
- DAV 1<sup>st</sup> Indoor Inter School Cricket Tournament was held from 19 to 25 December where Birendra Sainik Awasiya Mahavidhyalaya won the title.
- DAV U-19 Boys secured the 2<sup>nd</sup> position in Brihaspati Bidhya Sadan Inter school T20 U-19 Cricket Tournament. Ronak Goyal from grade IX won the man of the series award.
- DAV entered Semifinals of Army In-chief Tournament in Sallaghari, Bhaktapur, from 11<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> February. As many as 16 schools participated in the tournament.



Sports department of DAV preparing girls for extramural programme

- DAV U-19 Cricket team will be participating in a cricket tournament at Tirupati Vidya Nikethan School, Andhra Pradesh, India. DAV school's 13-member-team will be go to India along with two teachers. DAV will play 5 bilateral series.
- Players list**
  - Akit Akhtar Ansari
  - Rajat Prasad (Captain and wicket Keeper)
  - Prashant Yadav
  - Ayush Sharma
  - Raj Gvpta
  - Bikash Sarraf
  - Rohit Raut
  - Arpit Khetan
  - Ronak Goyal
  - Shikhar Bothra
  - Rahul Puniya
  - Chiray Agrawal
  - Shasank Agrawal
  - Harshit Agrawal
  - Aditya Agrawal
  - Purnendu Ghosh (Team Coach)
  - Gautam Hazra (Team Manager)
- DAV lost in pre-quarter final of I.G.P Cup Running Football Tournament-2017 at Dipendra Police School, Sanga, Bhaktapur.
- Srijan Adhikari from grade 6 got the Best Goal Keeper Award in 8<sup>th</sup> Loyalty Cup Tournament-2074 at Loyalty Academy,

## DAVSKVB Wins Various Positions of MIS Inter-school Competition

The students of DAVSKVB won various positions in Essay and Drawing Competitions organized by Modern Indian School, Chovar, Kathmandu, on November 9. The competitions were held on September 15.

Priyanka Pokhrel from grade VIII secured the first position in the inter school English essay writing competition for grade VII and VIII level. Similarly, in the same competition, Komal Agrawal from grade XII secured the third position from grade XI and XII.

Similarly, Rachel Baniya from grade X secured the first position in inter-school Nepali essay writing competition from grade IX and X level. Suhrit Ghimire secured the second position from grade VII and VIII and Manash Jha from grade XII secured consolation position from grade XI and XII. As many as 12 students from DAVSKVB took part in the competitions.



# Board Appeared Students 2017/18

## Best of Luck



Grade X 'A' students with class teacher  
Mr. Binod Kumar Piya



Grade X 'B' students with class teacher  
Mr. Ramesh Gurung



Grade X 'C' students with class teacher  
Mr. Sanjeev Rai



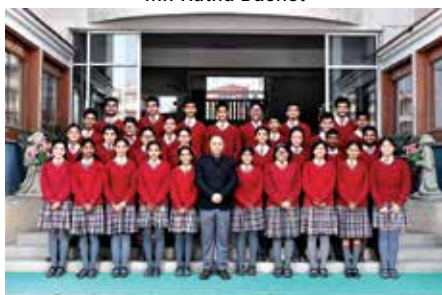
Grade X 'D' students with class teacher  
Mr. Ratna Basnet



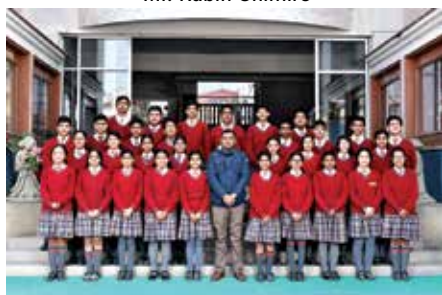
Grade X 'E' students with class teacher  
Mr. Rabin Ghimire



Grade X 'F' students with class teacher  
Mr. Umesh Poudel



Grade X 'G' students with class teacher  
Mr. Bidur Sharma



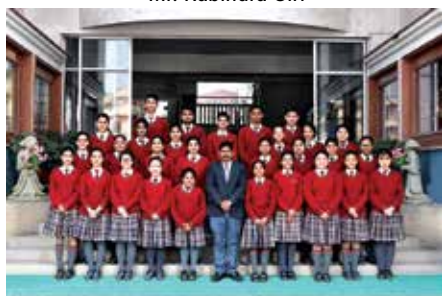
Grade X 'H' students with class teacher  
Mr. Rabindra Giri



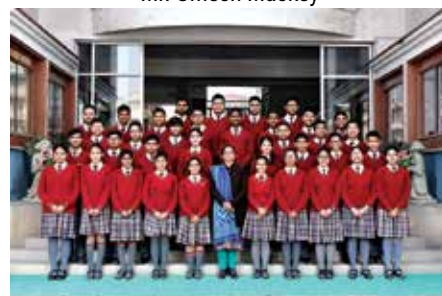
Grade X 'I' students with CCE mentor  
Mr. Umesh Maskey



Grade XII 'A' students with class teacher  
Mr. RB Chhetri



Grade XII 'B' students with class teacher  
Mr. Kamalesh Karna



Grade XII 'C' students with CCE mentor  
Ms. Ritu Singh



Grade XII 'D' students with class teacher  
Mr. Devraj Gelal



Grade XII 'E' students with class teacher  
Mr. Umesh Saud



I appreciate DAV's engagement in creativity and for its efforts for light and learning.



**Amma Raj Joshi**

Professor Tribhuvan University  
(Comment on Shakespeare's Twelfth Night Drama Show)  
09-02-2018

Dedicated teachers and sincere students, good ambience.....



**Dr. C. Vijay Kumar**

VIT Vellore, India  
26-01-018

No words to comment on students' performance.  
D.A.V is the best  
(Comment on Family Jamboree of Grade I and II)

**Ratna S. Gurung**

05-03-2018

It was a pleasure to meet all students and teachers.

I am really impressed with administration and the way teachers extended their support to administration

Thank you so much for the hospitality DAV family, especially Tanka Ghimire Sir!



**Aurora KC**

Nestle Milo Company  
19 - 11- 2017

Excellent arrangement, echo free hall, comfortable seats and hygienic lunch/snacks. Thank you, Chairman Sir, Principal Ma'am and primary wing co-ordinator Mr. Andrew for your warm hospitality and kindness. Unforgettable experience.....

**Neil David**

Orient Black Swan Ltd, Kolkata, India  
30 - 11- 2017

All the best to DAV school!



**Prof. Dr. Beerendra Pandey**

Tribhuvan University  
(Comment on Welcome Ceremony to Oxford University Press, New Delhi, India)  
7-02-2018

Excellent! Keep up!  
(Comment on Graduation Ceremony of Kindergarten Wing)



**Rubi Thapa**

06-05-2018

Wonderful time at DAV with amazing/disciplined staff.....



**Saunak Bhatt**

1 - 12 2017

It was an absolute pleasure to conduct a workshop on pre-primary teaching and learning at DAV School Kathmandu.

Arrangement and coordination were excellent and all the possible assistance was extended to the Black Swan team. We thank the Chairperson, Principal and the Primary Co-ordinator for treating us like family. I enjoyed the ambience and hospitality.



**Sheila J. Kurian**

Orient Black Swan  
30 - 11- 2017

It's an honour to be the part of Jamboree, thanks



**Arun Araundaksitan**

Kerala India  
17 - 11- 2017

Wonderful programme! Students are really creative. I wish for their success in performance art.

**Bishnu Bhusal**

(Comment made on Shakespeare's Twelfth Night )  
09-02-2018

Beautiful performance! DAV's effort must be appreciated.



**Dr. Tikaram Paudel**

School of Education, Kathmandu University  
(Comment on Shakespeare's twelfth Night Show)  
09-02-2018

Very impressed with your school's students.....



**Martin Radley**

Maharshi Markendswor University, Hariyana India, 26-01-018

I salute DAV family. The programmes were just speechless.

I.P.P.S. Regards

Best wishes always!

(Comment on Family Jamboree of Grade I and II)



**Mohita Rana Shah**

Very good performances by the students (Comment on Family Jamboree of Grade VII)



**Shrabana Kumar Agrawal**

24-2- 2018

DAV is a very good place for students to learn and they can do great things in their life.

(Comment on Good Luck Ceremony of Grade X-SEE)



**Kashinath Neupane**

2074-11-21

## VISITORS' COMMENT

Excellent show by the students. I am privileged to be here.  
(Comment on Welcome Ceremony to Oxford University Press)



**Sivaramakrishnan V.**  
7-02-2018

Fantastic show by a fantastic school!



**Mr. Chiribabu Maharjan**  
Mayor of Lalitpur Metropolitan City  
(Comment on Shakespeare's Twelfth Night Drama Show)  
09-02-2018

विद्यालय राम्रोसँग सञ्चालन भएको देख्दा खुसी लाग्यो । विद्यालयले बालबालिकाहरूको सिर्जनशीलतालाई उपयोग हुने शैक्षिक वातावरण सिर्जना गरेको पाइयो । फेमिली ज्याम्बोरी कार्यक्रममा सहभागी हुने अवसर प्रदान गर्नुभएकोमा विद्यालय परिवारलाई हार्दिक आभार प्रकट गर्दछु । विद्यालयको उन्नति र प्रगतिको हार्दिक मङ्गलमय शुभकामना !



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School with excellent facilities.....



**D. Vasanth kumar**  
Sona Technical Institute, Tamil Nadu  
26-01-018

Good to see our children performing and exploring their hidden talent. Thanks for recognizing our struggle and felicitating us. Wish you all the very best.

(Comment on Family Jamboree of Grade I and II)

**Maheshwari Amartya**  
06-03-2018

Thanking you for wonderful event



**Devi Rana,**  
Senior Musician  
20 - 8- 2017.

Feel privileged and honored to be part of the programme, thanks.....



**Dilendra Raj Shrestha**

Wonderful and Massive DAV family and beautiful show

**Motikala Subba Dewan**  
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Amazing/disciplined staff.....



**Supriya Chauhan**  
Manab Rachana University, New Delhi, India  
26-01-018

DAV school is best for value based education.  
(Comment on Good Luck Ceremony)



**Dr. Bashudev Krishna Shastri**  
2074-11-21

## Following Dayananda Saraswati's Path



ASD entertainment group posing for group photo at DAVSKVB



Primary wing of DAVSKVB organized *havan* to pay tribute to the departed souls of late Sushil Kedia and late Pratik Sumsher Jung Bahadur Rana on the occasion on 51<sup>st</sup> birth anniversary of late Sushil Kedia in Pratik Hall on September 18.

The students of grade III and IV, teachers, wing-coordinator, CAO and Vice-principal participated in *havan*. The Pundit to conduct *havan* was Mr. Bhuvan Paudel, a Sanskrit teacher. The students received *tika* and *prashad* after the *havan*.



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