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Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia is addressing the Investiture Ceremony of Junior School.



The Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao is honouring Miss Fresher at Welcome Programme of Grade XI



Heartwarming Gesture of the Principal to Grade I students during their visit to the Principal's Office



Students from Grade V to XII are presenting Thematic Yoga of Patanjali Rishi at International Yoga Day and World Music Day, 2025.



Tiny Toddlers of DAV Kindergarten are celebrating International Yoga Day and World Music Day, 2025.



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Celebration of International Yoga Day and World Music Day, 2025.



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"GUIDING CHILDREN IN THE AGE OF AI: A SHARED JOURNEY OF PARENTS AND SCHOOLS"

Dear Parents, Guardians and Friends of DAVSKVB,

At the outset, I extend my heartfelt greetings to each one of you. I wish to sincerely thank you all for standing by the school in both good and challenging times. Your staunch support, trust, and constructive suggestions have been the true strength of DAVSKVB. With your continued partnership, I am confident that our school will scale newer heights, nurturing not only academic excellence but also the values and character that shape responsible global citizens.

As we close the first semester of 2025, I want to share a vision for learning that places curiosity, partnership, and thoughtful use of technology at the heart of every child's experience. The world our students are growing into is changing quickly: classrooms are blending in-person and digital learning, AI tools are entering everyday instruction, and educators worldwide are placing social-emotional learning, project-based experiences and personalized pathways at the centre of good practice. Our shared task — school and home together — is to make these changes serve deeper learning, creativity, and wellbeing rather than distracting from them.

Schools worldwide are increasingly embracing innovative practices to enhance learning. The use of AI and adaptive learning tools is growing rapidly, providing instant feedback, personalized practice, and reducing teachers' grading workload so they can focus on higher-order coaching, though guidance emphasizes ethical and age-appropriate use. At the same time, personalized and competency-driven pathways are being introduced, using data-informed diagnostics, micro-learning, and mastery checkpoints to ensure students progress based on demonstrated understanding rather than seat-time. Instructional approaches are also shifting towards curiosity-centred and inquiry-based learning, with project-based activities and design challenges placing students' questions and investigations at the heart of learning, thereby boosting motivation and transferable skills. Furthermore, stronger home-school partnerships and culturally-



Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao
(Principal)

responsive engagement are recognized as key to improving outcomes, with schools collaborating closely with families while respecting their cultures, languages, and contexts. Alongside these shifts, there is also a growing emphasis on AI literacy and digital citizenship, with global recommendations highlighting the importance of teaching students to critically evaluate, use, and create with AI while understanding data privacy, bias, and ethical implications.

These trends are opportunities. But they require careful choices and shared responsibility between teachers and parents.

So, how parents can help — practical strategies

Your role at home is powerful. Here are practical, research-backed ways you can support learning:

1. Model curiosity, not just answers. When a child asks "why?", show how you would explore the question together — look up a fact, design a simple experiment, or ask what they think before searching. Small modeling of investigative behavior builds a lifelong habit.
2. Ask open questions and encourage thinking time. Use prompts like "How might we test

that?” or “What other possibilities are there?” — and allow pauses. Children need time to form ideas.

3. Partner on real projects. Encourage family projects (plant a small garden, plan a simple recycling drive, build a model) that integrate reading, maths and planning—this brings school skills into meaningful contexts.

4. Set routines that support focus. Regular reading time, a homework spot that’s calm and well-lit, and predictable bedtimes improve attention and learning stamina. Evidence shows consistent parental involvement improves engagement even when the help is not content tutoring.

5. Learn with your child about AI and online safety. Be curious together about tools your child uses: ask what they ask an AI, how it decides, and what it might get wrong. Treat AI as a collaborator to be checked, not an unquestioned authority.

6. Celebrate effort, curiosity and persistence. Praise process: “You tried different ways—that’s great!” This builds resilience and willingness to take on challenging tasks.

Hence, How the school will support families (and how parents can connect)

We are committed to creating a seamless partnership with families. This 2nd semester the school will:

1. Offer short, practical parent workshops on “AI basics for families” and “How to ask powerful questions with your child.” These will include demonstrations of safe, age-appropriate tools and how we use them in classrooms.

2. Share simple guides that show how to turn everyday activities (shopping, cooking, travel) into learning experiences and curiosity prompts.

3. Continue to use formative assessments and provide clear, constructive feedback designed to support growth rather than only give grades. We will communicate what skills we’re assessing and how you can reinforce them at home.

4. Strengthen two-way communication practices — quick surveys, virtual drop-ins, and culturally-responsive family outreach — so our strategies are inclusive and realistic for our community.

Using technology and AI wisely — simple rules to be implemented both at home and school

Technology can accelerate learning when used intentionally. We will follow clear guardrails and ask families to join us in these practices:

1. Purpose before tool. Always ask: what learning goal does this serve? Choose tools that support that aim.

2. Teach students to verify. Encourage cross-checking AI outputs and sources; discuss bias and limitations.

3. Limit passive screen time; increase productive use. Active creation (writing, coding, designing) beats passive consumption.

4. Protect privacy. Help children understand personal data and ensure apps meet safety and age-appropriate standards.

A final note — learning as a shared adventure

When school and home work as partners, learning becomes a shared adventure: a child whose questions are noticed, whose mistakes are celebrated as steps, and whose use of new tools is guided thoughtfully will thrive. Over the coming months, we will keep the parents and gurdians informed of practical workshops, short guides and simple classroom routines you can bring into your home.

Thank you for your continued partnership, trust and energy. Together we can make Session 2025-26 a year when our children not only learn facts, but learn how to wonder, investigate and use powerful tools responsibly.

With warm regards,

Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao

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59th Birth Anniversary of Late Sushil Kedia

Sacred Observance of Sangha Daan and Dharmadeshana



DAV Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia along with his all Family members organised the much-awaited Sangha Daan and Dharmadeshana programme on the auspicious occasion of 59th Birth Anniversary of Late Sushil Kedia at the school premises on 22nd September, 2025.

According to the Buddhism, Sangha Daan is regarded as the most noble and sacred act, leading towards the attainment of Nirwanprapti for the departed soul.

The Sangha Daan was graced by the presence of Venerable Bhikkhu Nigrodha, Bhikkhu Vimalo, Bhikkhu, Prof. Dr. Sankichcha Bhikkhu, Bhikkhu Sagar and Bhikkhu Uday Bhadra in the long list. The programme also witnessed the participation of Bhikkhus from Sri Lanka, Thailand, Germany, and France. More than 150 Bhikkhus and Bhikkhunis representing Bishwoshanti Bihar, Baneshwor; Munni Bihar, Bhaktapur; Mangalsiddhi Bihar, Harisiddhi, Lalitpur; and Dharmakirti Bihar, Tha Hiti took part in the sacred offering.

The Dharmadeshana commenced with a warm welcome extended by Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia to all the distinguished Bhikkhus, spiritual seekers, and the entire DAV family. With deep reverence, he, together with the staff members, prayed for the Nirwanprapti of his beloved brother Late Sushil Kedia and their revered parents, Late Shree Shankar Lal Kedia and Late Shreemati Indumati Kedia. In his address, he earnestly requested the Venerable Bhikkhus to shed light on ways

to overcome human sorrows through the Dharmadeshana.

The formal programme began with the ceremonial lighting of the lamp by Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia. Addressing the gathering, Venerable Bhikkhu Nigrodha warmly welcomed everyone and praised DAV for successfully organising numerous national and international programmes, while upholding the essence of moral and spiritual education through meditation and Eastern philosophies. On behalf of all Bhikkhus, he commended DAV SKVB School for its commendable work under the leadership of Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, and CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater.

The gathering then observed the recitation of Panchsheel Prarthana. The keynote address of the Dharmadeshana was delivered by Venerable Bhikkhu Vimalo, who lauded DAV for nurturing an environment of spirituality and for promoting Vipassana meditation. Aligning with Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia's reflections, he dedicated his discourse to explaining how the teachings of Buddhism guide humanity in overcoming suffering and sorrow. He particularly noted the significance DAV attaches to Sangha Daan and commended the Chairperson for consistently organizing this sacred programme every year.

During his sermon, Bhikkhu Vimalo elaborated on profound Buddhist principles, including Daan, Sangha Daan,

Daan Paramita, Sheel, Samadhi, Pragya, as well as the concepts of Lobh, Dwesh, Moha, the 31 Bhuvanas, Manushya Lok, Deva Lok and Brahma Lok, as taught by Lord Gautam Buddha. He inspired all present to practise Daan and Sheel, emphasising the Arya Ashtangika Marga as the only true path to transcend sorrow and suffering in human life.

As part of the Sangha Daan, the Bhikkhu and spiritual seekers collectively recited the Paritrana Path. Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, the First Lady Shreemati Sunita Kedia and their beloved son Shree Ayush Kedia, along with all members of the Kedia family, reverently participated in Ashtapariskar Daan, followed by Punyanumodan, Bhojan Daan, and Sangha Daan.

The programme concluded with prayers offered by all the distinguished Bhikkhus and Bhikkhunis, together with Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, for the peace, happiness, and prosperity of all who were present.

The Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, SSO Mr. Prashant Samal, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, Human Resources Manager Mr. Ashish Rai, along with Faculty Heads of DAV College, were present to extend warm hospitality and heartfelt welcome to the invited monks and nuns.

Floral Homage and Prashad Distribution Ceremony



Teachers, staff, and students gathered to offer floral homage and take part in a Prashad distribution ceremony in memory of Late Shree Sushil Kedia on September 23. The programme was organised as a part of the 59th Birth Anniversary Commemoration of Late Shree Sushil Kedia.

59th Birth Anniversary of Late Sushil Kedia

1st Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Taekwondo Championship Completed with Grand Success

The 1st Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Taekwondo Championship 2025 concluded with resounding success at Indu Hall on August 9.

The event witnessed spirited participation from 185 players representing 9 different schools, with the championship expertly managed by a dedicated team of 18 jury members, referees, and technical staff.

The competition commenced at 8: 00 a.m. with the ceremonial lighting of the lamp, paying homage to the departed souls, the founders of the school, and the Almighty. This solemn ritual was performed by the Head of Sports Department, Mr. Purnendu Ghosh. The championship was graced by the esteemed presence of Mr. Hemant Dangi, Central Member of the Nepal Taekwondo Association, as the Chief Guest, whose presence added dignity and vibrancy to the dynamic sporting atmosphere of DAV School. The winners were honoured by the Chief Guest in the presence of Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and Mr. Ghosh.



In the overall results, Shree Bishnudevi Secondary School secured the championship title with an impressive haul of 14 gold, 3 silver, and 4 bronze medals. DAV School claimed the second position with 8 gold, 9 silver, and 37 bronze medals. GEMS and Jugal Nawa Gurukul shared third place. GEMS won 6 gold, 2 silver, and 7 bronze and Jugal Nawa Gurukul won 4 gold, 12 silver and 2 Bronze. Notable individual accolades included Barshika Mahara of Shree Bishnudevi Secondary School, who was named the Best Female Poomsae Player in the Under-12 Individual category; Garima Pun of DAV School, awarded Best Female Kyorugi Player in the Under-23 kg

category; Navyam Lama of Bodhi Briksha Secondary School, crowned Best Male Poomsae Player in the Under-10 category; and Aayam Paneru of GEMS, who earned Best Male Kyorugi Player in the Under-72 kg category. Akshunna Rai of DAV School was recognised as the Emerging Player of the Championship.

A wide range of participating schools achieved commendable results in various individual categories across both Poomsae and Kyorugi events. The championship featured competitions in multiple age groups, separately for boys and girls, showcasing the talent and determination of young taekwondo enthusiasts.

2nd Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter-School Basketball Tournament



The award ceremony of 2nd Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter-School Basketball Tournament was held at Basketball Court Covered Hall, Kirtipur, Kathmandu, immediately after the final match on 15th August 2025.

On behalf of school management, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji and National Basketball Player Mr. Abhishek Singh presented the awards to the winners.

A total of ten schools participated in the tournament in both the Under-18

Boys and Under-18 Girls categories. In the Boys' category, LRI School emerged as the champions, with Gyanodaya securing the runners-up position. In the Girls' category, GEMS claimed the Champions Trophy, while Gyanodaya Secondary School finished as runners-up. The winners in both categories were honoured with trophies, medals and merit certificates.

Individual awards were also presented to outstanding players. In the Boys' category, Rakesh Bhujel of LRI School received the

Most Valuable Player award, while his teammate Ryuchi Shrestha was named Highest Scorer. In the Girls' category, GEMS players excelled, with Dibyansa Karki winning the Most Valuable Player award and Roisha Dhakwa securing the Highest Scorer title.

The three-day tournament, held from 13th to 15th August 2025, saw the participation of 120 players officiated by three officials from Nepal Basketball Association. DAV School teams put up commendable performances but were lost in the semi-final stage.

During the award ceremony, Senior School Co-ordinator and Mr. Singh congratulated all the winners and wished them continued success in their sporting journey. They also praised the remarkable sportsmanship displayed by all participating schools throughout the tournament.

59th Birth Anniversary of Late Sushil Kedia Award Ceremony of 14th Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Table Tennis Tournament



The 2-day 14th Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Table Tennis Tournament concluded with grand success at DAV School on 11th August 2025. The event witnessed the enthusiastic participation of 135 players representing 15 schools from across the Kathmandu Valley.

The award ceremony was graced by Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, who emphasised school's commitment to promoting sports and physical education. They congratulated the winners and praised the spirited participation of all the players, noting that their talent and dedication made the tournament both competitive and enjoyable to witness. The champions were honoured

with trophies, medals, and certificates immediately after the final matches.

In the boys' team event, United School secured first place, followed by Shristi Academy in second place, while AVM and DAV shared third place. In the girls' team event, AVM claimed first position, United School came second, and Pushpasadan School along with MIS shared third place.

In the boys' under-12 singles category, DAVSKVB clinched first position, AVM secured second, and Kavya School along with Delight Kindergarten High School shared third place. In the girls' under-12 singles category, AVM impressively claimed both first and second positions, while Pushpasadan School and MIS shared third place.

In the boys' under-16 singles category, Shristi Academy emerged victorious in first place, AVM took second, and Ideal Model School together with United School shared third place. In the girls' under-16 singles category, AVM once again claimed both first and second positions, with DAV and Little Angels' School sharing third place.

Individual accolades were also presented to the outstanding players. The Best Player Awards went to Nirbhik Shakya from Delight Kindergarten High School, Anuska Shah from Shristi Academy, Trijal Chaudhary from Kavya School, and Pramisha Pun from Toran Navjeevan Secondary School in their respective age groups. The Rising Player Awards were conferred upon Sarurat Gautam from United Universal School, Rumani Pathak from DAV, Aaron Maharjan from Pushpasadan School, and Sneha Kumari Mahato from DAV. Meanwhile, the Emerging Player Awards were secured by Kavya Shakya and Shirish Raj Shakya from AVM School.

The tournament was officially inaugurated on 10th August by Mr. Purnendu Ghosh, Head of Sports Department, and Mr. Sanjay Aryal, Table Tennis Teacher, in the presence of referees, officials, and table tennis teachers from the participating schools. The matches were officiated by a dedicated team of six referees and officials, ensuring fair play and smooth coordination throughout the competition.

9th Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Futsal Tournament

The Award Ceremony of 9th Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Futsal Tournament was held at School premises immediately after the final match on August 20.

The ceremony was graced by Mr. Ganesh Thapa, former Captain of the National Football Team and former Chairperson of the All Nepal Football Association (ANFA).

As per the results, Kanjirowa School lifted the prestigious winning trophy, while Modern Indian School secured the runner-up position. DAV School's Team A achieved third place this year. A total of 17 leading schools from across the Kathmandu Valley took part in the tournament. The winners were honoured with trophies, medals and certificates of achievement by the Chief Guest in the presence of Vice-principal, Mr. Ramchandra Khanal.

Individual awards were also presented to outstanding players. Aryan Jha from DAVSKVB



was named Best Goalkeeper. Dipankar Bhusal from Modern Indian School received the Highest Scorer Award. Tushar Giri from Kanjirowa School earned both the Emerging Player Award and the Man of the Final Match title, while NK Memorial English Preparatory School received the Fair Play Team Award.

The Chief Guest and the Vice-principal congratulated all the winners and wished them continued success in their future endeavour.

Mr. Thapa highlighted DAV School's remarkable contribution in raising the standard of sports at the international level, bringing recognition to the nation through sporting achievements. He also praised all the participating schools for their active involvement in the tournament and sincerely thanked the DAV School Management for inviting him as Chief Guest. In his remarks, he warmly appreciated the encouraging sports environment at DAV School.

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2nd Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter-School Badminton Tournament

The award ceremony of the 2nd Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter-School Badminton Tournament 2025 was held in Indu Hall on 17th August.

Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, in the presence of Head of Sports Department Mr. Purnendu Ghosh, honoured all the winners with trophies, medals and merit certificates. He congratulated the winners and extended best wishes to all participants, praising the sportsmanship and discipline shown by students from 12 participating schools. The tournament was officiated by five referees, officials and technical personnel associated with the Nepal Badminton Association.

Nepal Police School emerged as the overall team champions and lifted the Champion's Trophy. St. Mary's School secured second place, while Kendriya Vidyalaya claimed third. These schools were also recognised with trophies, medals and merit certificates.

Individual awards were presented to outstanding players. Sumir Dhakal of DAV School was named Best Player in the boys' category, while Nikita Yadav of St. Xavier's School received the same honour in the girls' category. The Rising Player Award went to Ayush Poudel of DAV School in



the boys' category and to Bijal Khatri of St. Mary's School in the girls' category.

In the boys' under-12 category, Rashis Jung Shiwakoti and Shriresh Subedi of Nepal Police School won first and second place respectively. Nandu Raj Ishar of Bright Future School and Kush Rijal of St. Xavier's School shared third place. In the girls' under-12 category, Yumika Sampang Rai of St. Mary's School secured first place, followed by Nayima Budhayer of Bright Future Secondary School in second. Archana Magar and Bidushi Gyawali of Galaxy Public School shared third place.

In the boys' under-14 category, Samyam Bhandari of Nepal Police School came first, while Aarav Shakya of Ideal Model School finished second. Third place was shared

by Aayush Kushwaha of Modern Indian School and Samriddha Karki of St. Xavier's School. In the girls' under-14 category, first place went to Shivalika Rai of St. Mary's School, and second to Yushna Maharjan of DAV School. Third place was shared by Irada Timsina of Deerwalk Sifal School and Yojana Magar of Galaxy Public School.

In the boys' under-16 category, Ishan Giri of Nepal Police School secured first place, with Rayan Nath of Modern Indian School in second. Third place was shared by Harshvardhan Rathi of DAV School and Pranav Acharya of GEMS. In the girls' under-16 category, Devangee Deka and Ananya Deka of Kendriya Vidyalaya claimed first and second place respectively, while third place was shared by Smriti Yadav of St. Xavier's School and Sadichhya Sharma of DAV School.

Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Sports Gala- 2025 Concludes, Police School Crowned Cricket Champions



The first Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Sports Gala, 2025 concluded with grand success with closing ceremony of 7th Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Indoor Cricket Tournament at School's main ground on 27th August, 2025.

The tournament, held from 8th to 27th August, witnessed the participation of 91 schools' team competing in six different sports events. The Sports Gala, 2025 featured Taekwondo, Table Tennis, Badminton, Basketball, Football and Cricket.

In cricket, Nepal Police School clinched the title by defeating LRI in the final. Aryan Shah of Police School delivered an outstanding performance in the final, while Abhi Thapaliya of LRI was declared the best player of the tournament.

The winners were felicitated with trophies, medals, and merit certificates by Senior School Co-ordinator, Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, in the presence of Mr. Purnendu Ghosh, Head of Physical Education and Sports Department.

In the final match, Nepal Police School registered a convincing victory by 48 runs over LRI School.

Individual awards were also presented to outstanding players. Aarush Jha of DAV School (Team A) won the Best Batter award, Aryan Sah of Nepal Police School was named Best Bowler, Dikshant Mishra of GEMS received the Best Wicket-keeper award, Sanatan Nepal of Radiant Readers Academy earned the Emerging Player award, and Avi Thapaliya of LRI School was declared the Player of the Series.

Additionally, Aryan Sah of Nepal Police School was adjudged the Player of the Final for his brilliant performance, scoring 31 runs and taking 4 wickets.

The tournament was officiated by officials and referees affiliated with the Cricket Association of Nepal (CAN).

Happy Readings of SANDESH

Welcome to SANDESH, Issue I, 2025! This platform brings us together to celebrate achievements, share updates, and strengthen the bond with our DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School family.

It gives us immense pride and pleasure to share that the educational model DAV has been advancing for the past 33 years has now become widely recognised, both at home and abroad. Our unwavering commitment to Sanskrit and Vedic education, activity-based learning, culture-integrated teaching, ICT and Anglo education, along with comprehensive skill development, has been meaningfully reflected in our theme-based academic year.

The theme for the academic session 2025–26 is “EACH” – Empowering Each Student’s Academic Excellence, Cultural Sensitivity, and Holistic Well-being. This transformative initiative is a visionary step under the leadership of scrupulous Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao.

During the second semester, Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia addressed the students, teachers, and parents on several occasions, highlighting the vision behind DAV School’s establishment by his father, Late Shree Shankar Lal Kedia. His vision was to provide an education embedded in Eastern values and Vedic wisdom while embracing the scientific and technological advancements of Western education. This philosophy, pioneered by Dayananda Saraswati as the Dayananda Anglo-Vedic (DAV) model, has today permeated into a network of nearly 900 DAV Schools and 75 universities/colleges worldwide. DAV Kathmandu is proud to be a part of this vast and prestigious network.

The academic session 2025–26 commenced with Vidya Subharambha Havan, symbolising DAV’s strong foundation in Vedic traditions. In the academic sphere, the school attained remarkable results in both SEE and CBSE examinations. Out of 227 students in SEE Board, four secured a perfect 4 GPA, and 110 students achieved an A+. Similarly, in CBSE Grade XII, 10 Science stream students and 7 Commerce stream students scored above 90%, while in CBSE Grade X, 23 students out of 109 achieved the same milestone. Consequently, both Grade X and XII achieved 100% results.

Beyond the academics, DAV School celebrated global days such as World Earth Day, World Environment Day, World Population Day, International Friendship Day, International Yoga Day, and World Music Day to name a few for citation. These programmes, involving all students in creative activities and competitions, aimed to instill awareness and responsibility towards the global community.

Equally vibrant were the celebrations of cultural events and festivals according to the Hindu calendar. Programmes such as Teej, Krishna Janmastami, Janai Purnima, Matatirtha Aunshi, Buddha Purnima, Shrawan Somwar, Kushe Aunshi, and Gaijatra reinforced DAV’s belief in keeping culture alive for future generations. Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia has reiterated consistently on the importance of imparting the science and values behind such festivals to our students.

In the first semester alone, around 400 co-curricular activities were organised, from Nursery to Grade XII, most of which were showcased on School’s website and social media platforms.

Our achievements extended far beyond the school gates. DAV’s Cricket Captain, Prasiddha Jaishi, represented the national U-16 cricket team, while several other students played in provincial tournaments. Teachers and students also participated in the prestigious Dana Cup in Europe. DAV teams in cricket, football, taekwondo, basketball, and badminton excelled in inter-school championships, while students shone in poetry, extempore, art, essay writing, swimming, and other competitions, both within and outside Nepal.

None of these accomplishments would have been possible without the visionary leadership of our Chairperson, Principal, Vice-principal, CAO and the dedicated efforts of our entire school administration. We also sincerely acknowledge the collaboration and support of our teachers and parents.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to making the first semester of 2025–26 a grand success. Let us continue to inspire and ignite young minds, and work together for a more fruitful and engaging academic year ahead.

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Annual Review Meeting of the Academic Session 2024/25



The annual review meeting for the academic session 2024/25 was held from 24th to 27th March, 2025.

Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, Principal Dr.

Bhubaneswari Rao, along with key school authorities and teachers, participated in the meeting to assess the past year's progress and outlined the roadmap for the academic session 2025/26.

As part of the review process, Head of Departments, Team Heads, Class Teachers, Club In-charges, and House In-charges delivered presentations to the Chairperson, Principal, and school authorities. They highlighted key achievements of the session as stated in the preview meeting at the beginning of the academic year 2024/25.

During the presentations, school leaders provided valuable insights and suggestions for enhancements in the upcoming session.

Overall, the school authorities, including the Chairperson and Principal, commended the teaching community for successfully meeting the set objectives and encouraged them to maintain the same rigour and enthusiasm as they move forward.

PTC and Exhibitions, 2025

The final Parents-Teachers Conference (PTC) of the 2024/25 academic session, along with three distinct exhibitions—Science, Art, and Vocational—were held on March 30 at the school premises.

As a part of the PTC day, parents and guardians visited the school to collect students' results and engaged in interactions with class teachers and school authorities. DAV Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao and Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal visited classrooms

and exhibitions interacting with teachers, students, and parents as well.

The exhibitions showcased students' talents across different disciplines. The creativity and innovation demonstrated by the students captivated their parents, teachers, and top management, who expressed their admiration and appreciation. The Visitor's Book received a total of 181 remarks, praising different exhibitions.

On the same day, the school presented students' portfolio files, highlighting their academic progress and achievements



in both scholastic and co-scholastic areas. Additionally, the school's official newsletter, SANDESH was released, marking another significant highlight in the event.

2-Day Socialization Programme for Prefect Council Students at Nagarkot, Bhaktapur



The Prefect Council Team successfully conducted a 2-day socialization programme for the Prefect Council Students of Grades V to IX at Nagarkot, Bhaktapur, on 23rd and 24th March, 2025.

The students departed for Nagarkot immediately after their final examination

at 12:30 PM on March 23. Before their departure, Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, and Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal extended their best wishes, emphasizing the importance of experiential learning beyond the classroom. A total of 60 students participated in this initiative. The objective of the programme was to enhance teamwork, leadership, and social skills of the Prefect Council students.

Upon reaching Nagarkot Shangrila Resort, the students were welcomed with refreshments. The first day was dedicated to interactive activities, including a musical chair competition and a hot potato game, followed by a

campfire session with music and dance to encourage bonding among students.

The second day began with a nutritious breakfast followed by a one-and-a-half-hour walk for sightseeing and exploring the local village. The trip concluded with a relaxed lunch at the resort before the group returned to school at around 2:30 PM.

The socialization programme was led by SSO Mr. Prashant Samal, Prefect Council Team Head Ms. Shreejana Rana, and Prefect Council Team Members- Ms. Anusha Rana, Mr. Debojyoti Chhetri, and Ms. Samita Raut. The trip was efficiently managed by Mr. Prashant Sharma from Discovery Tours and Travels Pvt. Ltd, Kathmandu.

6th Late Shankar Lal Kedia Memorial Inter Lions-Leo Futsal Tournament, 2025 Organized to Support School Development Project in Pyuthan

The 6th Late Shankar Lal Kedia Memorial Inter Lions-Leo Futsal Tournament, 2025 was successfully organised on April 26th at DAV School premises. The event brought together enthusiastic participants and spectators, all rallying for a noble cause. The primary objective of the tournament was to raise funds for the School Development Project in Lumbini Province, Pyuthan district.

DAV Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia along with social workers from different fields joined hands together in this noble initiative. As per the results, in the Leo's

category, the Leo Club of Prayasnagar emerged as the winner, demonstrating outstanding skill and teamwork. The Leo Club of Janmabhumi secured the first runner-up position, while the Leo Club of Gunakeshari claimed the second runner-up title after a series of spirited matches.

In the Lions category, the Lions Club of Khotang Halesi clinched the championship, with the Lions Club of Kathmandu Eureka finishing as the runner-up. The competition witnessed high levels of sportsmanship and camaraderie among all teams.



A total of 12 teams participated, contributing to the event's success and supporting the important cause of enhancing educational infrastructure.

Active Participation of DAV Students in Balbalika tatha Yuba (Ba Yu) Sambaad



On 26th April 2025, a team of six students from DAV, accompanied by School Counselor and TGT Social Science Mr. Karthik P., actively participated in the Balbalika tatha Yuba (Ba Yu) Sambaad 2025, a national-level programme at Mt. Everest Hotel, Kathmandu.

The event was graced by the presence of several distinguished personalities,

including State Minister Ms. Rupa BK from the Ministry of Forest and Environment, Dr. Hari Lal Lamsal, Secretary of the Ministry of Youth and Sports (MoYS), Dr. Maheshwar Dhakal, Joint Secretary of the Ministry of Forest and Environment (MoFE), Rakshya Rajyashwori Thapa-Asia Regional Climate Advisor, UNICEF and Ms. Alice Akunga- UN Resident Coordinator in the long list. Approximately one hundred delegates gathered to voice their agendas at Ba Yu Sambaad.

In total, ten students participated in this event. The students representing DAV were Khushi Jha (Grade VII 'B'), Upagya Dahal (Grade X 'B'), Darshil Agarwal (Grade X 'F'), Liberty Gurung (Grade X 'F'), Divyansh Jha (Grade X 'G'), and Keshavi Somani (Grade XII 'A'). Representing DAV School, Liberty Gurung and Divyansh

Jha actively voiced their concerns and perspectives at Ba Yu Sambaad.

The programme aimed to assess the present situation, engage with future perspectives, and develop youth-friendly policy solutions and initiatives, including discussions around NDC 3.0 and the National Youth Policy. According to Mr. Karthik, children and youth are at the heart of Sagarmatha Sambaad, 2025: Mountain, Climate Change and the Future of Humanity.

DAV School's Cricket and Football Teams Return Home from West Bengal with 1-1 Victory and Cherished Memories



DAV Cricket and Football teams, comprising fresher students, returned home on 5th April after securing a 1-1 win in each of the Cricket and Football bilateral series in Shantiniketan West Bengal, India.

The students participated in different matches, gaining valuable experience in the neighbouring land. It was a wonderful opportunity for the freshers to learn the values of sportsmanship, teamwork, and discipline away from home.

Beyond the field, the students also explored the scenic beauty of Digha beach, blending adventure with learning. They were accompanied by 6 coaching faculties.

Avanie Rai Clinches U-19 Title at Junior Open Golf Tournament

Avanie Rai, Grade IX student, claimed a remarkable victory at the Arshiya Presents Nepal Women's Open Golf Tournament held at the Royal Nepal Golf Club on 13th April. She secured the Under-19 title with an impressive score of 34 points.

In recognition of her outstanding performance, she was awarded a cash prize of NPR 25,000 and a gift voucher worth NPR 25,000.

The tournament also served as a qualifying round for the top 10 golfers who will progress to the final round scheduled for Sunday. With this win, Avanie successfully secured her place among the top qualifiers.

The prestigious event brought together 60 women golfers from across the



country. The prize distribution ceremony was graced by prominent personalities, including acclaimed actress Manisha Koirala, Justice Sapana Pradhan Malla, RNGC President Madhukar Yakthumba, Captain Mithun Rai, Lady Captain and chief organiser Arshiya Banu, and Nepal Golf Association President Tashi Ghale, among others.

Ashtakundiya Vidya Subharambha Havan Marks the Beginning of the Academic Session 2025/26 at DAV School



'Ashtakundiya Vidya Subharambha Havan' was held at Indu Sadan and Shankar Sadan on 20th April 2025, marking the beginning of the academic session 2025/26 at DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School. For the past 32 years, the Havan tradition has been an important part of school's Vedic and Sanskrit-based education system.

Late Shankar Lal Kedia had a visionary belief in Anglo-Vedic education. He strongly felt that combining Vedic values with modern education would help prepare the younger generation to succeed in an increasingly globalised world influenced by Western models.

During the ceremony, Vice-Principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal addressed the students, parents, and teachers. He shared that each academic session at DAV begins with the Vidya Subharambha Havan. He also highlighted that DAV

Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School is a part of the wider DAV family, which includes over 900 schools and more than 75 universities and colleges worldwide. He emphasised that DAV School is a memorial school that follows the Dayananda Anglo-Vedic model, blending Vedic wisdom with modern learning.

Addressing on the auspicious occasion, the Chief Guest, Prof. Dr. Priyavada Kafle from Nepal Sanskrit University spoke on the importance of Havan, Sanskrit education, and the rich culture of Bharatbarsha. She explained how using ghee from native cows in Havan can purify the environment. She cited the Bhopal gas tragedy as an example, noting that a family performing Havan using local ghee in the area daubed by cow dung remained unaffected by the disaster.

Dr. Kafle also encouraged the practice of Sanskrit education alongside local cow farming, highlighting the many benefits cows offer to humanity. She gave examples of how students brought up in Sanskrit traditions have become role models in various professions. She advocated teaching Ramayan and Mahabharat shlokas from an early age through oral methods to help students later explore deeper Vedic texts like the Vedas and Upanishads. She firmly stated that Sanskrit is a world language, and mastering it can open the doors to learning other languages.

Students from Grades VII to XII participated in the Havan at Indu Hall, while Kindergarten to Grade VI students joined in Pratik Hall. The Yajaman for the Havan at Indu Sadan was Vice-Principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, while Mr. Narayan Khatiwada, SEE In-charge for Classes IX and X, served as Yajaman in Pratik Hall.

The Sanskrit HoD, Mr. Purushottam Rijal, along with the Sanskrit faculty, performed the rituals following traditions from the Rigveda and Shukla Yajurveda, according to the Arya Samaj teachings of Maharshi Dayananda Saraswati. Students from the Natikaji Music Club and teachers from the Music Department, guided by Music HoD Mr. Jay Shreevastav, added a joyful musical touch with devotional hymns.

Throughout the ceremony, students, parents, and teachers took part in the sacred rituals under the guidance of the pundits. The influence of Maharshi Dayananda Saraswati's promotion of the Havan culture continues to inspire and shape the spiritual and educational ethos of DAV schools across the globe.

Teachers' Recreational Visit to Mirabel Resort, Dhulikhel, Kabhre



On 3rd April, DAV School Management organised a refreshing and rejuvenating day out for the teaching

community at Mirabel Resort, Dhulikhel, Kabhre.

The visit began with a warm welcome, where teachers were greeted with refreshments and given a brief overview of the day's itinerary. It was a wonderful opportunity for everyone to relax, recharge, and embrace fresh energy for the upcoming academic session of 2025/26.

To enhance the experience, the school authorities arranged engaging activities and friendly competitions,

adding excitement and a joyful atmosphere to the event.

The esteemed delegation accompanying the teachers included DAV Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, SSO Mr. Prashant Samal, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, and HR Mr. Aashish Rai, along with all the co-ordinators.

Celebration of Matatirtha Aunshi (Aamako Mukh Herne Din), 2082



Despite his busy schedule, DAV Chairperson, Shree Anil Kedia, graciously attended the event to extend a warm welcome to the mothers and praised the organising committee for curating such a remarkable celebration.

On 27th April 2025, DAV School organised a special event, Mothers Worshipping in Vedic Traditions, to mark the celebration of Matatirtha Aunshi, also known as Aamako Mukh Herne Din.

heartfelt hospitality to the distinguished guests and attending mothers. It was truly inspiring to see the Principal and school authorities personally encouraging the tiny toddlers of Kindergarten, along with junior students from Grades I to IV, to actively participate in the Vedic rituals and worship ceremonies.

values, enabling students to develop strong ethical and moral foundations. Dr. Nepal remarked that if schools across the nation could emulate the efforts of DAV, it would greatly aid in safeguarding the Eastern values and cultural heritage currently facing the threat of extinction.



The Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao welcoming the chief guest Dr. Januka Nepal and guest of honour Shreemati Sunita Kedia (First Lady) at the programme.

The formal proceedings commenced with an introductory speech by the Head of the Nepali Department, Mr. Narayan Khatiwada, followed by the ceremonial lighting of the lamp and a welcome address by the Head of Hindi Department, Mr. Purushottam Pokharel. This was followed by the chanting of Swasti Baachan and the invocation ritual, Aawahan.

Vice-principal Mr. Ram Chandra Khanal lauded the commitment of the mothers who, despite their busy lives, made time to attend the programme. He highlighted the invaluable role of the Parent Community in supporting the school's mission to blend education with cultural and moral values. He reiterated DAV's unwavering commitment to "Education with Culture and Moral Values."

During the programme, Ms. Nujan Sharma (Senior Nursing Officer) and mother of Astik Sharma Jha, expressed her heartfelt appreciation for DAV's education system and praised the Mother's Day celebration. She expressed her hope that such meaningful events would continue in the future.

The event was graced by the esteemed linguistic expert Dr. Januka Nepal, the Guest of Honour Mrs. Sunita Kedia (First Lady), and representative mothers from all sections of the school, from Kindergarten to Grade XII.

Despite his busy schedule, DAV Chairperson, Shree Anil Kedia, graciously attended the event to extend a warm welcome to the mothers and praised the organising committee for curating such a remarkable celebration. His visionary leadership and unwavering dedication to value-based education continue to enhance DAV's standing as a dream academic institution for countless parents across the country.

The Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, and Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal extended warm and

As a part of the celebration, two representative students from each section honoured their mothers with deep reverence and received abundant blessings in return. According to Mr. Purushottam Rijal, Head of Sanskrit Department, all rituals were based on Vedic traditions, specifically from the Shukla Yajurveda.

In her address, Chief Guest Dr. Januka Nepal praised the cultural richness of the programme. She remarked that celebrations of Mother's Day at DAV play a vital role in counteracting the adverse effects of modern education, guiding the younger generation along the paths of Vedic tradition and Eastern philosophy. She further emphasised that such initiatives contribute significantly to preserving eternal religious and cultural

The aim of the Mother's Day Celebration was to instill in students the importance of respecting elders and seniors, thereby nurturing these values from an early age. Adding a melodious touch to the occasion, students from the Natikaji Music Club performed the heartwarming song "Mata Timro Aashish Pau Ma, Juni Juni Timro Bhajan Gau Ma," dedicated to all mothers, enhancing the beauty and emotional depth of the celebration.

In addition to this spectacular event, all the students from Nursery to Grade XII enthusiastically took part in greeting card making and poem writing competitions themed around Mother's Day, further enriching the spirit of the celebration.

10-day Educational and Cultural Tour of Europe

A group of eight enthusiastic students from DAV School, accompanied by Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, embarked on an enriching 10-day educational and cultural exchange tour across France, Switzerland, and Belgium from 7th – 16th April, 2025.

This exciting experience was made possible through the collaborative efforts of SEPR Lyon and Lefrehindi. The tour commenced in Lyon, France, with school visits and cultural immersion. On 9th April, students received a warm welcome at SEPR with an introductory presentation, followed by an engaging ATF workshop and a vibrant performance of Nepali dance. The day concluded with a visit to the historic Institut Lumière and shopping at the popular Part-Dieu Mall.

On 10th April, the group travelled to Geneva, Switzerland. Highlights of the day included visits to the iconic Broken Chair Monument, the Red Cross Museum, and the world-renowned CERN research centre. Students rounded off the day with some souvenir shopping before returning to Lyon for dinner.

The 11th April itinerary offered a rich cultural experience of old Lyon. Students explored the city's charming streets, took a funicular ride to the Fourvière Basilica for a panoramic view of the city, and visited the Roman Theatre Arena. A guided tour of the Musée des



Confluences was followed, and the day ended with a delightful Hyderabad biryani dinner, specially prepared by a local Indian chef.

On 12th April, the group boarded a high-speed TGV train to Paris. Upon arrival, they enjoyed a packed schedule featuring a visit to the Eiffel Tower and a scenic cruise along the Seine River.

The following day, 13th April, the students set off for Brussels, Belgium. There, they explored the city centre and participated in a fun-filled treasure hunt before returning to Paris that evening. On 14th April, the group spent an unforgettable day at Disneyland

Paris, enjoying the thrill of rides and the magic of the world-famous park. The final day, 15th April, featured a guided industrial visit to the Fragonard Perfume Factory, luxury shopping at Galeries Lafayette, and a visit to the iconic Sacré Coeur Basilica, before departing for Charles de Gaulle Airport to return to Nepal.

Overall, this international education exchange programme gave students a wonderful mix of learning, exploring new cultures, and growing as individuals. It left them feeling inspired, more aware, and full of unforgettable memories.

World Earth Day Activities and Competitions



On the occasion of World Earth Day 2025, students of DAV School actively participated in a series of activities and competitions on April 22. These events were organised in alignment with the school's theme "EACH" and the global theme for the year, "Our Power, Our Earth."

The activities and competitions were co-ordinated by the respective activity in-charges, from the Junior to Senior School levels, in collaboration with the Vasudha Eco Club. As a part of the awareness initiatives, Vasudha Eco Club conducted a special morning assembly for the Senior School, which included thought-provoking messages to raise awareness about environmental issues.

One of the key highlights of the World Earth Day was a cycle rally involving 35 students from the middle and senior school. The rally began at the school's Gate No. 2 and passed through notable landmarks such as Ganeshtan, St. Mary's Chowk, Damkal Chowk, Kaan Devata Chowk, Thado Dhunga (Big Mart), Sanepa CG Chowk, Heritage Garden road, and Jhamsikhel road, eventually concluding at Gate No. 1 of the school. In the Junior School, Grade I and II students enthusiastically took part in a hand printing activity, while students of Grade III and IV expressed their creativity in a poster-making competition. Additionally, all Junior School students were shown a documentary film aligned with Earth Day themes to enhance their understanding of environmental conservation.

In the Middle School, Grade V students engaged in a hands-on activity to grow seeding in cotton, gaining insights into the germination process. Grade VI students took part in a drawing competition focused on the Earth Day theme, while Grade VII created posters, and Grade VIII students watched an educational movie tailored to

their level of comprehension. At the Senior School level, Grade IX students designed and explained global unity flags or logos on paper, creatively expressing their ideas. Grade X students participated in a debate competition, with two representatives from each section presenting arguments on the topic, "Will a Zero Waste Society Ever be Possible?" Meanwhile, Grade XII students showcased their research and presentation skills in a PowerPoint presentation competition based on the theme "Our Power, Our Planet," with two teams from each section participating. In total, 20 students competed in this event.

The school also introduced common programmes for all students from Nursery to Grade XII. These included a green lunch initiative, a classroom cleanliness inspection, and a 30-minute power cut programme observed from 11:00 to 11:30 a.m.

Overall, the World Earth Day successfully instilled a sense of environmental responsibility and awareness among the students. Winners of all the competitions were awarded certificates of achievement in recognition of their efforts.

General Meeting and Preview Presentation of the Principal for the Academic Session 2025/26



Chairperson encouraged teachers to teach with passion and dedication, fostering deeper understanding and knowledge retention among students.

The General Meeting and Preview Presentation of the Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao for the Academic Session 2025/26 took place in Buddha Hall on 2nd April.

On this significant occasion, Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia extended a warm welcome to all teachers, including newly appointed faculty members. He emphasized the importance of reviewing past achievements and previewing future plans for the growth of any organisation. Highlighting the invaluable role of teachers in shaping young minds, he shared an inspiring quote: 'Teachers who love teaching make children love learning.'

Chairperson Kedia stressed that the fundamental requirement of today's education system is to ensure that every child feels happy at school. He encouraged teachers to teach with passion and dedication, fostering deeper understanding and knowledge retention among students. Additionally,

he expressed concerns over declining concentration levels of the children of the present time, noting that many children struggle to focus on studies for extended periods. He firmly stated that the key to addressing this challenge lies in motivating students towards academics, which, in turn cultivates concentration, perseverance, and creativity.

Reaffirming school's commitment to academic excellence, he urged the teaching faculty and management team to prioritize academics while maintaining a balanced approach to co-curricular activities. He also underscored the significance of competitive examinations and the practice of meditation to enhance students' overall development. Furthermore, he commended the faculty for their insightful presentations, reinforcing the idea that learning is a continuous process that fosters innovation in education.

The Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao warmly welcomed the teaching fraternity and marked the commencement of the new academic session 2025/26. She expressed heartfelt appreciation for the teachers' dedication and hard work in successfully concluding the academic session 2024/25.

In her address, the Principal presented a detailed preview of the academic

session 2025/26 under the theme EACH. She introduced the portfolio holder teachers for the session, along with newly promoted faculty members and new appointments, including Team Heads, Class Teachers, House In-charges, and Club In-charges. Aligning with Chairperson Kedia's vision, the Principal emphasized a strong academic focus for the upcoming year. She also elaborated on how the school aims to achieve academic excellence through various strategic programmes under the EACH theme.

Before the General Meeting, from March 24 to 27, all Heads of different Departments (HoDs), Team Heads, Club In-charges, House In-charges, and Class Teachers conducted a thorough review of their assigned responsibilities.

The school management reaffirmed the continuation of the theme EACH for the session 2025/26, representing Empowering Every Student's Academic Excellence, Cultural Sensitivity, and Holistic Well-being.

During the meeting, HoDs from English, Nepali, Mathematics, and Foreign Language departments, along with Team Heads from Parental Involvement Team, School Display Team, and Classroom Walkthrough Team, shared their reviews of the academic session 2024/25. Club In-charges from the Mother Teresa Social Service Club, William Wordsworth English Club, and Kabir Sahitya Samaj (Junior School), as well as representative teachers from Grades IV and V, also presented their insights.

The general meeting concluded with a closing remarks from Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, who sincerely congratulated everyone on the successful completion of the session.

Teachers expressed great enthusiasm for the upcoming changes and showed strong support for the school's vision. The meeting set a positive tone for the new academic session, fostering collaboration and teamwork to achieve shared educational goals.

Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia Declares 2025 a Golden Year for DAV in Cricket at the Award Ceremony of the 2nd Jay Kumar Nath Shah Cricket Tournament, 2082

On 13th May, 2025, Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia declared the year 2025 as a golden one for DAV in the realm of cricket during the Award Distribution Ceremony of the 2nd Jay Kumar Nath Shah Cricket Tournament.

The tournament was organised by Kathmandu District Cricket Association. In his address to the students and staff, Shree Kedia expressed immense pride in reading the newspaper headlines that morning which read "DAV Wins Cricket Tournament", despite having already known the result a day earlier. He offered heartfelt congratulations to the players and coaches, acknowledging their effort in making 2025 a landmark year for DAV's sporting achievements since the school's inception.

Chairperson extended his sincere appreciation to Mr. Purnendu Ghosh, Head of Sports and Physical Education; Cricket Coach Mr. Dilip Yadav; and Assistant Coach Mr. Durgesh Thapa for their dedicated mentorship. He also commended Prasiddha Jaishi, Kritik Gnawali, Kamal Shahi including all the Cricket players, for raising DAV's profile in cricket within the capital.

Meanwhile, he encouraged all the students to show similar dedication, hard work, and passion in their own pursuits. In a special emphasis he noted that the discipline, attitude, and values are essential ingredients for success anywhere in the world, and urged them to uphold these values throughout their academic journey. He further emphasised DAV's long-standing commitment to nurturing strong moral character among its students.

In similar spirit, DAV Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, and Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, along with the rest of the school leadership, praised the cricket team's victory and extended their best wishes for future success.

DAV team clinched the championship by defeating Gateway by 7 wickets in the final match held at the Lower Mulpani Cricket Ground on 12th May 2025. Their journey to the final included a 6-wicket victory over



Sainik Awasiya Mahavidyalaya in the semi-final. In the earlier stages, DAV won against Angel Academy by 53 runs, while their match against Peakpoint Academy was abandoned due to rain, with DAV having set a target of 196 runs for the loss of 5 wickets. In the opening game, they outplayed Nexus Academy, winning by 69 runs.

Prasiddha Jaishi, the captain of DAV, won the Man of the Match in three matches for his outstanding all-round performance, scoring 300 runs and claiming 8 wickets throughout the tournament. Kamal Shahi was awarded Man of the Match in the third match for his impressive four wickets and an unbeaten 29 runs off 28 balls.

For their excellent performance, DAV received a cash prize of Rs 1, 50, 000. Prasiddha Jaishi was awarded the Player of the Tournament trophy, a medal, and a cash prize of Rs 10,000, while Kamal Shahi received the Best Bowler Trophy and Rs 5,000 in cash.

The victorious DAV team comprised: Prasiddha Jaishi (Captain), Kamal Shahi, Aarush Jha, Prasanga Poudel, Satyam Basnet, Farhan Ansari, Ayush Sagar Patel, Saphal Adhikari, Shashank Jha, Tanish Kumar Shah, Mayank Kumar Shah, Keshav Agarwal, Prince Sah and Bikesh Kumar Jaiswal (Wicket Keeper). The Award Ceremony was compered by Mr. Ghosh, Head of the Sports Department.

Supriya and Era Attended 'A Day with the Vet'



Supriya Yadav of Grade VII 'B' and Era Tamrakar of Grade VII 'C', representing Friends of Zoo (FoZ) Club, participated in a programme titled 'A Day with the Vet' held at the Central Zoo on 5th May.

The session was led by Dr Parbat Jung Thapa aiming to familiarise students with zoo animal care and management. According to Club In-charge Mr. Pradeep Shrestha, the programme was designed to raise awareness among students about animal health and welfare within a zoo setting.

During the visit, students learned about various animal diseases, their treatment, and the techniques used in rescuing wild animals. A total of 33 schools participated in this educational initiative.

Principal Announces Stellar CBSE Board Results of Grade XII and X



In Grade XII Science, Gaurav Kumar Agrawal secured the first position with an outstanding 96.6% and in Grade XII Commerce, Sharad Kabariya secured the first position with an impressive score of 95.2%.

The Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao with immense pride and joy announced the stellar CBSE Results for the academic session 2024/25 encompassing both of 12th and 10th Grade in the special assembly on 14th May, 2025. The Board results of both Grades were published on the CBSE Website on 13th May, 2025. DAV School has successfully achieved 100% board results in both Grade XII and X CBSE.

Out of total 138 students appearing in the Board examination from Grade XII, 10 students from Science stream and 7 students from Commerce stream have achieved 90% above results.

In Grade XII Science, Gaurav Kumar Agrawal secured the first position with an outstanding 96.6%, followed closely by Paridhi Sarawagi with 96.0% in second place. Utkarsh Tiwari earned third rank with 95.6%.

The 90% above scorers in Science are Aastha Thakur with 95.0%, and Isha Modi with 94.6%. Nandini Rai with 94.0%, Ronak Kedia with 93.8%. Rishi Nath Kumar Singh with 93.4%, Muskan Poddar with 92.8% and Utsav Jha with 91.0%.

In Grade XII Commerce, Sharad Kabariya secured the first position with an impressive score of 95.2%. He was followed by Roshan Kumar Mittal in second place with 93.2%, while Tushar Agarwal and Poojnesh Kumar Mahato both secured the third position, scoring 91.2%.

The 90% above results scorers in Commerce include Nistha Jain with 90.4%, Harsh Joshi and Yash Agrawal both with 90.2%, completing the list of high scorers above 90%.

In Grade X CBSE, a total of 109 students appeared in Board examination where 23 students have achieved 90% above results. Leading the batch of Grade X, Naitik Ranka and Purvansh Bhatta shared the first position, both achieving an impressive percentage of 97.4%. They were followed closely by Jiya Jha, who secured second position with 95.4%. Aditya Bastola claimed the third position with 95.0%.

The 90% above scorers in Grade X are Shiven Bairathi and Vedanshi Kedia both with 94.8%, Abhishek Agrawal with 94.4%, Sonali Jakhar with 93.8%, and three students—Aarju Agrawal, Jigyasa Agrawal, and Pratik Kunwar—each earned a sumptuous 93.0%.

Mansi Singh and Rohit Sah both scored 92.8%, Piyush Karnani scored 92.2%. Chirayu Patel and Razit Man Singh both achieved 92.0%.

Rishab Sancheti secured 91.8%, while Raushan Kumar Jha and Subhecha Patra scored 91.2% each. Naitik Modi followed closely with 91.0%, sharing the same score with Vidushree Pareek. Shambhavi Basyal earned 90.4%, and, Aditya Kumar achieved 90.0%.

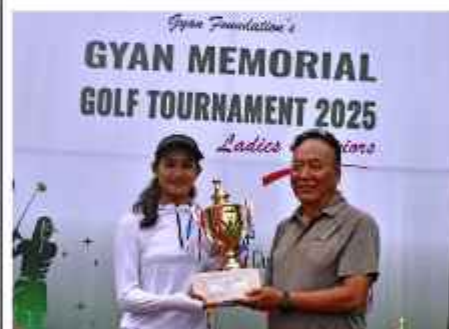
The Principal extended heartfelt congratulations to all the toppers and graduating students for delivering exceptional results. On this momentous

occasion, she also acknowledged the invaluable contributions of parents and the entire teaching faculty—from Kindergarten through Grade XII—expressing sincere appreciation for their unwavering support and dedication.

In her address, the Principal remarked, "These results not only reflect our students' academic brilliance but also reaffirm DAV School's reputation as a premier institution in Nepal under the CBSE board." She further inspired the junior students to surpass these achievements in the years to come and to continue making their parents and teachers proud.

Concluding her message, the Principal offered a prayer for divine blessings upon all students in their future endeavours. To honour this outstanding accomplishment, the School Management declared a celebratory holiday on 15th May 2025.

Avanie Rai Bagged Under-18 Girls' Title at Gyan Memorial Open Golf Tournament



Avanie Rai, a Grade IX student, emerged victorious in the Under-18 Girls' category at the 3rd Gyan Memorial Open Golf Tournament, held on May 3 at the Royal Nepal Golf Club.

The tournament saw participation from approximately 100 golfers and non golfers. Avanie secured the U-18 girls' title with an impressive 31 points. The tournament was organised in memory of former Inspector General of Police and diplomat GB Yakthumba.

On behalf of the school community, we extend our heartfelt congratulations to Avanie and wish her continued success in all her future endeavours.

DAV Students Participate in Lord Gautam Buddha Painting Workshop for Grand Exhibition in Lumbini

On 5th May, 2025, a total of twenty students from the middle and senior school participated in a Lord Gautam Buddha Painting Workshop for the grand painting exhibitions in Lumbini. The exhibitions in Lumbini will be held on the auspicious occasion of Buddha Purnima on May 12.

The Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, visited Art Hall and observed students' creative work. Meanwhile, she appreciated the beautiful paintings and congratulated each student, motivating them to continue growing in the field of art and craft. The workshop was organised by Mr. Rajumuni Bajracharya, Head of the Art Department and Ms. Samita Maharjan, Uttam Kiran Art Club In-charge.



According to Mr. Bajracharya, the canvases were provided by the Embassy of India, Lainchaur, Kathmandu, while

the school arranged all other art materials. The artwork exhibited by students in Lumbini will later be placed

at different locations within the premises of the Embassy of India in Lainchaur, Kathmandu.

Manpreet and Redan Participate in Bird Identification Training



Manpreet Singh of Grade VIII 'G' and Redan Shah of Grade VIII 'H' took part in a Bird Identification Training organised by the Central Zoo, Jawalakhel, on 7 May.

The training was conducted for members of Friends of Zoo (FoZ) Club. According to FoZ In-charge, Mr Pradeep Shrestha, the main objective of the programme was to raise students' awareness about different bird species. A key focus of the session was to train students in using the 'Chhimeki Chara App' and to help them connect with the birds commonly found in their surroundings.

Students from a total of 33 schools participated in this informative and engaging event.

Akshunna Rai Shines at Invitational Taekwondo Championship



Akshunna Rai, a bright student of Grade IV 'F' demonstrated her wonderful talent at the Ward No. 1 Invitational Taekwondo Championship held at Mahalaxmi Municipality-1, Lalitpur.

She won the Gold Medal (1st Position) in the Female under 12 Years Poomsae category and a Silver Medal (2nd Position) in the Female under 33 Kg Kyorugi (Fight) category. On behalf of DAV School family, we extend our heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to Akshunna in her future endeavour.

Workshop on American Sign Language



On 9th May 2025, the Mother Teresa Social Service Club organised a workshop on American Sign Language for the students of Grade VIII. The event took place in Jetavan Hall in the presence of Vice-Principal, Mr. Ramchandra Khanal.

The session was facilitated by a team comprising Nuwan Kulung Rai, Aayushree Acharya, Aasra Manandhar, Saanvi Mishra, and Apurva Maharjan, who served as the resource persons for the workshop.

The team was warmly welcomed by the Head of the Social Studies Department, Ms. Aarti Sharma. The programme concluded with closing remarks delivered by the Club In-charge, Mr. Shreedhar Subedi.

Dharmadeshana on the Auspicious Occasion of the 2569th Buddha Jayanti



The Dharmadeshana gained momentum as Shree Kedia humbly requested Bhikshu Bimalo to begin his sermon. The Venerable Bhikshu shared key insights into Lord Buddha's path, guiding students on how to cultivate the qualities of a 'Buddha Purush'.

On the auspicious occasion of the 2569th Buddha Jayanti, DAV School had the honour of welcoming two esteemed Bhikshus—Venerable Bhikshu Bimalo Mahaasthabir and Bhikshu Nayako Asthabir—who conducted insightful Dharmadeshana sessions at the school on 11th May 2025.

Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia warmly welcomed the distinguished Bhikshus, expressing his deep gratitude for their presence and teachings, especially amidst their demanding schedules. He conveyed his personal joy and privilege in being able to receive such profound spiritual guidance.

Students from Grades IX and X attended the session led by Bhikshu Bimalo in Buddha Hall, Shankar Sadan, while Bhikshu Nayako Asthabir addressed the students of Grades VII and VIII in Indu Hall.

In his address, Shree Kedia emphasised that Buddha Purnima and the Sangha Daan programme are among the most revered events celebrated by the DAV community. "It is essential for both students and teachers to follow the teachings of Buddha in order to truly understand the distinction between 'Vidya' (knowledge) and 'Avidya' (Ignorance)," he stated. Shree Kedia also offered a simplified interpretation of Lord Buddha's teachings,

drawing from his own deep study and practice of Vipassana. He shared his aspiration to inspire students, educators, and spiritual seekers by reminding them that being born as a human, encountering Buddha's teachings, and dedicating oneself to Dharma are rare and precious opportunities.

The Dharmadeshana gained momentum as Shree Kedia humbly requested Bhikshu Bimalo to begin his sermon. The Venerable Bhikshu shared key insights into Lord Buddha's path, guiding students on how to cultivate the qualities of a 'Buddha Purush'. His teachings included the Five Great Renunciations (Pancha Maha Parityag), the various types of Buddhas—Shravaka Buddha, Sambodhi Buddha, and Brahmachitta Buddha—as well as concepts such as Bodhi Gyan, the Four Noble Truths (Chatur Arya Satya), and the Five Precepts (Panchasheel Marg).

He poignantly noted that the true success of the 2569th Buddha Purnima would be realised only when each of us offers to others the same kindness, speech, and behaviour we wish to receive—and refrain from giving what we ourselves would find unpleasant.

Bhikshu Bimalo also highlighted the extraordinary potential of human life,

explaining that by living with mindfulness and compassion, one may achieve a state of honour even greater than that of the gods. Shree Kedia reflected on the Bhikshu's emphasis on the values of loving-kindness (Maitri), compassion (Karuna), generosity (Daan), and renunciation (Tyag), describing them as deeply moving.

The Venerable Bhikshu Bimalo and Bhikshu Nayako expressed their sincere appreciation for the warm and respectful environment at DAV and praised the dedication of school's students, educators, and leadership towards Buddha's teachings.

Meanwhile, Bhikshu Nayako Asthabir led a separate Dharmadeshana session for the younger students of Grades VII and VIII, offering them foundational guidance in Buddhist philosophy and practice.

Concluding the event, both the Bhikshus, accompanied by Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia and Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, paid floral homage to the statue of Lord Gautam Buddha in front of Principal's Office.

Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji along with all school authorities were present to extend warm hospitality to the Bhantes. The moderator of the programme in Buddha Hall was Head of Nepali Department Mr. Narayan Khatiwada. Similarly, Hindi HoD Mr. Purushottam Pokharel, Sanskrit HoD Mr. Purushottam Rijal and TGT and Senior School Counselor Mr. Karthik P. moderated the programme in Indu Hall.



Investiture Ceremony and Club Induction – Middle School (Grade V to VIII)

The Investiture Ceremony and Club Induction for Middle School (Grade V to VIII) were held in Buddha Hall on 27th May, 2025. This significant occasion was graced by the presence of Mr. Chakra Joshi, Superintendent of Police, Lalitpur District, who served as the Chief Guest alongside the Guest of Honour - Chairperson, Shree Anil Kedia.

The programme commenced with a warm and inspiring welcome by the Principal, Dr Bhubaneswari Rao. She addressed the newly appointed student leaders, reminding them that they had been selected not only for their talents but also for their honesty, commitment, and the trust placed in them by their teachers and peers. She emphasised that the badge they now wore symbolised responsibility and trust.

The Principal further encouraged the student leaders to lead with kindness and to be role models. She urged them to support their classmates not only in academic matters but also in personal growth, and to contribute to a school environment where every student feels respected, heard, and valued.

Following her address, the Principal formally handed over the School and House flags to the newly elected Head of Student Council and administered the oath of office to the newly appointed members of Student Prefect Council, along with the Executive Representatives of the Houses and Clubs for the academic year 2025–26.

Badges were ceremoniously presented to the new student leaders by the Chief Guest, Chairperson, and other esteemed



dignitaries, marking their official induction into their respective office.

In his address, the Chief Guest, Mr. Joshi, expressed his sincere appreciation to the school for the invitation and said he was honoured to be part of such a well-organised and meaningful event.

Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia also congratulated the newly appointed student leaders and extended his best wishes. He spoke about the importance of discipline and highlighted the need for students to communicate in English within the school premises to prepare themselves for the global competition.

A highlight of the ceremony was the announcement of the Inter-House Competition results for the academic session 2024–25. Mt. Machhapuchhre

House was awarded the Best House Trophy with 420 points. Mt. Machhapuchhre was closely followed by Mt. Gaurishankar House with 400 points.

The event also featured captivating cultural performances. Students presented a graceful Bharatanatyam recital and traditional Nepali dances that celebrated the country's rich cultural heritage and national pride.

Parents and guardians of Student Prefect Council, as well as House and Club representatives, were invited to attend the event and lend their encouragement to the young leaders.

The ceremony was efficiently anchored by Mr. Surchen Shah, Activity In-Charge for Middle School, and Ms. Pratikshya Nepali, Senior School Teacher.

Four Students from DAV Selected for Men's Under-16 Provincial Cricket Teams



Four cricketers from DAV School were selected to represent their provinces in the TB Shah Memorial Men's Under-16 National Cricket Tournament, held in Surkhet from 2nd to 14th June 2025.

From Bagmati Province, Prashiddha Jaishi (Grade X) and Kamal Shahi (Grade VII) secured places in the team, with Prashiddha also appointed as captain. Kritik Gnawali (Grade XII) was named a reserve player.

Representing Karnali Province, Kunjan Acharya (Grade X) earned his place following an outstanding performance in the provincial selection tournament.

In addition, DAV School Cricket Team captain Prashiddha Jaishi was later selected for the Men's Under-16 National Team and represented Nepal in the ACC Men's Under-16 East Zone Cup.

Principal Announces Student Council Election Results for Senior and Middle Schools

The Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, announced the results of the top portfolio holders of the Student Council for both the Senior and Middle Schools for the academic session 2025–26 during a special morning assembly on 5th May 2025. The elections for the key positions—Head Boy, Head Girl, Cultural Captain, and Sports Captain—were conducted over a 2-day period, from 2nd to 4th May 2025.

For the Senior School (Grades IX to XII), the newly elected leaders are Darsh Agrawal as Head Boy, Malavika Rao as Head Girl, Kritik Gnawali as Sports Captain, and Yukta Ghimire as Cultural Captain. Remarkably, all four students hail from Mt. Dhaulagiri House, marking the second time that a single house has secured all top positions—an achievement the Principal described as truly admirable and rarest.

In the Middle School (Grades V to VIII), the elected members of the Student Council are Noah Gabriel Khaling Rai as Head Boy and Seema Thakur as Head Girl, both representing Mt. Kanchanjanga House. Shekhar Sah, from Mt. Lhotse House, has been elected as the Sports Captain, while Eva Fatima of Mt. Annapurna House takes on the role of Cultural Captain. The Principal extended heartfelt congratulations to all the winners and



applauded every nominee for their enthusiastic participation, emphasizing that this is just the beginning of their journey in understanding leadership and democratic values.

The Principal also took a moment to inspire every student, reminding them that each one holds the potential to be a leader. She encouraged all the students to stay disciplined, focused on academics, and committed to personal growth, reinforcing the idea that leadership is a responsibility everyone can aspire to.

On this occasion, the Principal also announced that the elected council members, along with the Prefect Council, Executive Club leaders, and House representatives, will soon be formally inducted in a grand Official Badging and Cultural Programme. However, due to ongoing construction work in the school grounds, the Investiture Ceremony will not be held outdoors this year.

In closing, the Principal offered her heartfelt blessings to all the students, wishing them success and fulfilment in their future endeavours.

DAV Secured 3rd Runner-up Position in 1st Kathmandu District Level Taekwondo Championship

DAV Taekwondo players secured the 3rd runner-up position in the 1st Kathmandu District Level Taekwondo Championship, 2082, held on 29th May, 2025. The event was organised by Bishnudevi Taekwondo Dojang at Tinthana-15, Chandragiri. A total of 11 schools and clubs from across the Kathmandu Valley participated in the championship, which featured around 250 players. DAV was represented by 27 players.

The championship turned out to be a proud moment for DAV as 19 players won medals and certificates in various categories. In the individual category, Akshunna Rai earned a gold medal in the female under-9 years poomsae category. Kyozan Tamang secured a silver medal in the male under-30 kg fight category, while Agramshu Prosper Ghimire won third position in the male under-45 kg fight category. Other bronze medalists included Suruchi Thakur (female under-25 kg), Garima Pun (female under-22 kg), Priyal Rijal (female under-28 kg), Prayan Sibakoti (male under-38 kg), Abnish Tamang (male under-32 kg), Ojashwi Dangol (female under-45 kg), Aayushree Banstola (female

under-15 years poomsae), and Sherolene Rana Magar (female under-41 kg).

Agrim Budhathoki delivered an exceptional performance, winning a gold medal in the group poomsae under-11 years category, a silver in pair poomsae under-11, and a bronze in individual poomsae under-11 years.

In the pair poomsae events, Syna Shrestha and Aavash Moktan won bronze, while Shreya Bajracharya and Aayan Shrestha secured bronze in the under-15 years pair poomsae category.

In the team events, Aaradhya Khadka, Aangsuk Lama, and Agramshu Prosper Ghimire claimed second position in the male group poomsae under-13 years category. Similarly, Tanishqa Shah, Asmina K.C., and Pritha Gurung took second position in the



female group poomsae under-13 category. Syna Shrestha, Jhalak Regmi, and Shreya Bajracharya achieved third position in the female group poomsae under-15 years category, along with Nikita Thakur, Pragya Sibakoti, and Nihujala Shrestha. In the male group poomsae under-15 years category, Aavash Moktan, Aryan Shrestha, and Abhinamra Paudel secured third position.

Principal Announces Head Boy and Head Girl for Junior School



The Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, announced the names of the new Head Boy and Head Girl of the Junior School's Student Council for the academic year 2025-26 during the morning assembly on 9th May 2025.

The announcement came after the student council elections held on 3rd and 4th of May,

2025. Out of ten students who stood for the election, Norha Shrestha was elected as the Head Girl with 142 votes, while, Aarav Bamrel was elected as the Head Boy with 134 votes.

The Head Boy and Head Girl, along with the prefects and student leaders of houses and clubs, will take their oath during the

upcoming Badging and Cultural Ceremony in Buddha Hall.

In her address, the Principal thanked the teachers for guiding the students and helping them understand leadership and the election process. She congratulated the winners and praised all the students who took part in the elections. She also appreciated all the voters for their crucial roles in the election process.

In addition, the Principal encouraged all Grade III students to start preparing for leadership roles next year and aim to be a part of the Junior School's Student Council.

The Principal was excited to learn the feelings of Head Boy and Head Girl after their win. The Principal ended her motivational address by wishing all students a happy and successful year with abundant blessings.

Participation in Hindi Literature Festival at Nepal-India Friendship Library

Five students from DAV School, accompanied by two Hindi language teachers, participated in the Hindi Literature Festival at Nepal-India Friendship Library in Kathmandu on May 31.

The participating students were Riya Ambastha (Grade IX-G), Sakshi Shah (Grade IX-I), Nabya Gupta (Grade IX-I), Aaditya Raj Thakur (Grade X-H), and Subh Dhanuka (Grade XI-A). They were guided by Mr. Purushottam Pokharel, Head of the Hindi Department, and Ms. Indu Thakur, Hindi Language Teacher. The festival was organised in honour of renowned literary figures Acharya Mahabir Prasad Dwivedi, Sumitranandan Pant, and Kaifi Azmi, whose birth anniversaries fall in the month of May.

The programme was graced by several dignitaries, including Shri Bashista Nandan, First Secretary at the Embassy of India, who chaired the event. Mr. Prakash Sayami attended as the Chief Guest, while Dr. Sweta Dipti from the Central Department of Hindi, Tribhuvan University, was the Special Guest.

The event also saw active involvement from Himalini magazine and Radio Nepal (Hindi programme). The esteemed guests



spoke eloquently about the profound literary contributions of Dwivedi, Pant, and Azmi.

Students from CBSE-affiliated schools across Kathmandu, as well as Hindi literature enthusiasts, took part in the programme. Several students recited poems dedicated to the revered literary figures.

Dr. Dhanesh Dwivedi from the PIC Wing of the Embassy of India served as the moderator for the event. Additionally, the student poetry recitation segment was successfully anchored by DAV student Subh Dhanuka. The event concluded

with a vote of thanks delivered by Mr. Sachchidanand Mishra, Managing Director of Himalini Monthly Magazine.

According to Mr. Pokharel, the Hindi HoD at DAV, the students were thrilled to take part in the programme. They heartily enjoyed the experience and gained valuable insights into the diverse forms of Indian literature.

Similar literary events are scheduled to be held monthly in Kathmandu, aiming to honour notable literary personalities whose birth anniversaries fall within that month.

External Audit for ISO 9001:2015 Certification Successfully Completed

DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School, the first ISO-certified school in Nepal, successfully completed the second stage of the external audit for ISO 9001:2015 Certification on 27th May 2025.

The audit started on 26th May, 2025 with Opening Meeting at 11 AM at Principal's Office. During the Opening Meeting, there was also an interaction with the senior management of the School. The Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, presented the School's Vision, Mission, and the theme for the Academic Session 2025–26. The theme, titled "EACH", stands for Empowering Individuality through Academic Excellence for Cultural Sensitivity and Holistic Well-being.

The audit was conducted over two days by Head of Quality Management System (QMS) Department Mr. Laxmi Narayan Gupta, in co-ordination with QMS Team Member and HR Manager of DAV School, Mr. Ashish Rai.

The formal closing ceremony for the ISO 9001:2015 Certification process for the Academic Session 2024/25 took place at 5 PM on the final day of the audit.

Speaking at the closing ceremony, Mr. Gupta noted that the meeting marked the conclusion of the audit process. He provided a concise summary of the audit's findings, commending the school's highly experienced faculty for their professionalism and support throughout the process.



Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia reflected on DAV School's proud history, recalling its distinction as the Nepal's first ISO-certified educational institution two decades ago. He expressed his appreciation for Mr. Gupta, who was instrumental in guiding the DAV School for ISO certification.

Shree Kedia also acknowledged the efforts of Mr. Ashish Rai, whose leadership was pivotal in resuming the ISO process after interruptions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. Chairperson expressed heartfelt joy at seeing many staff actively undergoing with ISO process for more than 20 years with sincere dedication. Emphasizing the importance of the audit process,

he remarked that "unless something is documented, it holds no value."

Similarly, Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao shared her reflections, offering insightful remarks on the ISO Audit. She made a formal request to Mr. Gupta to consider facilitating a training session on ISO 9001:2015 standards for the entire school's teaching faculty.

The ceremony was attended by Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, SSO Mr. Prashant Samal, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, Co-ordinators from Kindergarten to Middle School, Head of Departments and Activity In-charge.

Tiny Toddlers of Kindergarten Participate in 3-day Primary Colours Activities



In a delightful celebration of creativity and joy, the young learners of DAV Kindergarten enthusiastically observed Primary Colours Day from 20th to 22nd May 2025.

As part of their activity-based learning approach, the kindergarten organised Red Day, Blue Day, and Yellow Day on the 20th, 21st, and 22nd of May respectively. Both the students and teachers embraced the theme by dressing in the designated colour each day, creating a cheerful and visually striking atmosphere throughout the school.

These colour-themed activities serve as an important milestone in children's early education, introducing them to the fundamental concept of primary colours in a fun and engaging manner. Each day was filled with hands-on activities tailored to the specific colour being celebrated. It was heart-warming to see both students and teachers bringing red and yellow fruits to school as part of the festivities.

According to Kindergarten Coordinator Ms. Shanti Gurung, the primary aim of the event was to help children become familiar with the basic colours—Red, Blue, and Yellow—laying a strong foundation for future learning.

Kaivalya Wins Silver at 2nd Asian Yogasana Championship in New Delhi, India



Kaivalya Pant, a student of Grade VIII, Section A, has brought pride to the school by securing the silver medal at the 2nd Asian Yogasana Sport Championship, 2025. The event was held from 25th to 27th April at I.G. Stadium, New Delhi, India.

Kaivalya represented Nepal in the Junior Boys (10–18 years) category and achieved second position in the Traditional Group event. He also won the fourth position in twisting category in the same event.

The championship witnessed the participation of yoga enthusiasts from 21 countries. The event was organised by Yogasana Bharat in the benign presence of Swami Ramdev ji Maharaj, President of World Yogasana, Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya, Union Cabinet Minister, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India alongside different Ministers from Central and State governments.

The distinguished personalities from Yoga and Sports were Dr. Jaideep Arya- Secretary General, World Yogasana, Dr. Sanjay Malpani- President, Asian Yogasana, Mr. Udit Seth- President, Yogasana Bharat and Mr. Umang Dawn- Secretary General- Asian Yogasana in the long list.

On behalf of School Family, we extend our heartfelt congratulations and best wishes for his future endeavours.

'Pratik Scholarship' for the Academic Session 2025–26



Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, Principal, announced the recipients of 'Pratik Scholarship' for the

academic session 2025–26 during a special morning assembly on 5th May 2025.

This year, the prestigious scholarship has been awarded to Darsh Agrawal (Science Stream) and Angel Bajaj (Commerce Stream), currently in Grade XII. Darsh achieved a commendable 90% and Angel secured an impressive 94% in the final examinations of Grade XI (academic session 2024–25), earning them this recognition. They are the toppers of their respective stream.

Addressing the students, the Principal encouraged all Grade XI students to remain dedicated from the very first day and strive to earn Pratik Scholarship in the coming year.

Pratik Scholarship was instituted in memory of Pratik Jung Bahadur Rana, a bright student of Grade XI who tragically lost his life in a road accident. It honours his spirit and aims to inspire academic excellence in the students.

Media House Visit



On 16th May 2025, a total of 26 Grade IX students studying Mass Media visited Nepal Television (NTV) as part of the annual OVTE (Mass Media) programme.

During the visit, the students gained valuable insights into the day-to-day operations of NTV. They explored key areas including the programme studio, newsroom, control room, main control room, satellite system, antenna, and broadcasting room, among others.

The technical head of NTV provided detailed explanations about the roles and functions of various departments. Students also had the opportunity to ask questions and clarify their doubts related to television media.

The visit was a resounding success, with students expressing a strong desire to revisit the place in the near future. They were accompanied by Mass Media teacher Ms. Shreejana Bajracharya and IT and Electronics teacher Mr. Jonish Raj Lama.

A Short Trip to the Fish Tunnel at Jawalakhel



Vasudha Eco Club arranged a short trip for Grade V and VI students to the Fish Tunnel at

Jawalakhel, Lalitpur on 9th May, 2025.

The trip provided students a wonderful opportunity to see and learn about water animals in real life. The main objective of the trip was to observe different kinds of fish and learn more about them. The students tried to link what they had learned in their science books with what they saw during the visit. The students were accompanied by the teachers' team of Grade V and VI.

Investiture Ceremony and Club Induction of the Senior School (Grades IX to XII)

The Investiture Ceremony and Club Induction for the Senior School (Grades IX to XII) was held today, 19th May 2025, in the auspicious setting of Buddha Hall.

The solemn occasion was graced by the esteemed presence of Mr. Shyam Krishna Adhikari, Senior Superintendent of Police, Lalitpur District, who served as the Chief Guest. Also in attendance were our revered Chairperson, Shree Anil Kedia, Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, SSD Mr. Prashant Samal, and Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji.

The programme commenced with a warm welcome address by the Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, who underscored the vital role of the Student Prefect Council in fostering leadership and responsibility throughout the academic year.

Following the formal proceedings, the Principal ceremoniously handed over the School and House flags to the newly elected Head of the Student Council and administered the oath of office to the newly appointed members of the Student Prefect Council, as well as to the executive representatives of the Houses and Clubs for the academic session 2025–26.



Badges were conferred upon the newly elected student leaders by the Chief Guest, Chairperson, and all the dignitaries, marking their official induction into office.

Inspiring addresses by the Chief Guest, Chairperson, Principal, and Vice-principal served as key highlights of the event. The speakers collectively encouraged the student leaders to exemplify discipline, integrity, and dedication, urging them to serve as role models for their peers throughout the year.

Meanwhile, the Principal announced most awaited results of Inter house Competitions of the Academic Session 2024/25. As per the results, Mt.

Kanchanjanga House with 345 points won the Best House Trophy for the session 2024/25. Mt. Kanchanjanga was followed by Mt. Annapurna House with 290 points.

In addition to the formal investiture, the audience was treated to splendid performances that showcased the school's cultural vibrancy — including an elegant Bharatnatyam and traditional Nepali dances over poured with nationalistic feelings.

To further motivate and celebrate this important milestone, parents and guardians of the student leaders were invited to witness and support their children's journey of leadership.

Celebration of 2569th Buddha Purnima with Enthusiasm



DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School joyfully celebrated the 2569th Buddha Purnima on 11th May, 2025.

All the students came together to show respect and remember the life and teachings of Lord Buddha. The

main objective of the programme was to help students to learn values like peace, kindness, and wisdom.

As a part of celebration, all the students, from Kindergarten to Grade XII, took part in floral homage and

prashad distribution ceremony.

Students in Grades I and II coloured and painted Lord Gautam Buddha's pictures in their classrooms, helping them stay calm and creative. Students in Grades III and IV watched interesting documentaries about Lord Buddha in Pratik Hall.

Students of Grades V and VI started the day with a flower offering on the main ground, then watched a documentary in Buddha Hall. Grades VII and VIII also offered flowers and then listened to a special talk on Buddha's teachings (called Dharma Deshana) by Bhikshu Nayako Asthabir in Indu Hall.

Senior students from Grades IX to XII joined in the flower offering. A key highlight of the day was Dharmadeshana by Bhikshu Vimalo, Mahasthabir in Buddha Hall.

Investiture Ceremony and Club Induction – Junior School (Grade I to IV)



The Principal further added, "Let this ceremony not just mark a beginning, but a promise—a promise to lead, to serve, and to make DAV SKVB proud. With this, I declare the Investiture Ceremony 2025–26 open and wish each one of you the very best in your new roles."

The Investiture Ceremony and Club Induction for the Junior School (Grades I to IV) took place on 16th June, 2025 in Buddha Hall. The event was graced by the benign presence of the Chief Guest, Mr. Nanikaji Thapa, Inspector of Police, Sanepa Police Office, the Guest of Honour, Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia and the Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao.

The programme commenced with an inspiring welcome address by the Principal. She warmly welcomed the Chief Guest, invited dignitaries, esteemed parents, teachers, and students, acknowledging their vital role in this momentous occasion of the academic year 2025-26.

In her address, the Principal emphasised the values of leadership, stating, "To our new leaders—I urge you: wear your badge not on your chest but on your heart. Lead with wisdom. Act with courage. Speak with kindness. And never forget—you are the torchbearers of our values."

The Principal further added, "Let this ceremony not just mark a beginning, but a promise—a promise to lead, to serve, and to make DAV SKVB proud. With this,

I declare the Investiture Ceremony 2025–26 open and wish each one of you the very best in your new roles."

Following her speech, the Principal officially handed over the School and House flags to the newly elected Head of the Student Council and administered the oath of office to the newly appointed Student Prefect Council members, as well as the Executive Representatives of various Houses and Clubs for the academic year 2025–26.

The Chief Guest, Chairperson, and other distinguished guests then presented badges to the new student leaders, marking their official induction into the office.

In his address, Chief Guest Mr. Thapa expressed gratitude to the school for the invitation. Drawing from his experience in police force, he emphasised the importance of moral education and social discipline, particularly among today's youth. He encouraged parents to spend quality time with their children, sharing stories from sacred texts such as the Ramayan. He also extended his heartfelt congratulations to all the newly

appointed student leaders and conveyed his best wishes to those aspiring for such roles in the future.

Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia reflected on the importance of Investiture Ceremony, describing it as a defining moment wherein the school entrusts students with the responsibility to think independently, organise, and manage various co-scholastic activities. He spoke about the innate potential within each child and urged parents to entrust their children with responsibilities. He also highlighted that qualities such as attitude, empathy, behaviour, and characters are all outcomes of discipline. Concluding his address, he congratulated and extended his best wishes to the newly appointed student leaders, as well as to those yet to receive such responsibilities.

A key highlight of the ceremony was the announcement of Inter-House Competition results for the academic session 2024–25, with Annapurna House being awarded the Best House Trophy by the Chairperson.

The event also featured vibrant cultural performances. Students showcased a graceful Bharatanatyam recital alongside traditional Nepali dances, celebrating the country's rich cultural heritage and fostering a sense of national pride.

Parents and guardians of Student Prefect Council members, as well as House and Club representatives, were invited to attend and lend their support to the young leaders.

The students were given away the badge by the Chief Guest, Chairperson, Principal and CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater. SSO Mr. Prashant Samal, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, Middle School Co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi, Junior School Co-ordinator Mr. Andrew Fitz Patric and Kindergarten School Co-ordinator Ms. Shanti Gurung were there to extend sincere hospitality and warm welcome to all the parents.

The ceremony was efficiently anchored by Mr. Surchen Shah, Activity In-Charge for Middle School, and Ms Pratikshya Nepali, Senior School Teacher. The formal proceedings concluded with a Vote of Thanks delivered by Ms Anusha Rana, Junior School Activity In-charge.

51 Students from Grades V to XII Visit National Art Exhibition

On 11th June, Art and Craft Department, in collaboration with Uttam Kiran Art Club, organised an educational visit to National Art Exhibition held at Nepal Academy of Fine Arts (NAFA), Balmandir, Naxal. A total of 51 students from Grades V to XII took part in this enriching experience.

According to Mr. Rajumuni Bajracharya, Head of Art Department, the students had the opportunity to explore a wide variety of artworks, including paintings, sculptures, folk arts, handicrafts, Paubha and Thangka arts, as well as installation art—representing all seven provinces of Nepal. The students were both excited and inspired by the diverse expressions of artistic talent on display.



The visit aimed to broaden students' understanding and appreciation of art and craft, while also encouraging their creative pursuits. Ms. Samita Maharjan,

Uttam Kiran Art Club In-charge, noted that NAFA hosts this prestigious exhibition and competition annually, featuring both traditional and contemporary works by artists from across the country.

Adhira Paudel Achieves 10th Position in 20th Annapurna School National Chess Competition, 2025



Adhira Paudel, a student of Grade IV 'B', secured 10th position out of 23 participants in the 20th Annapurna School National Chess Competition, 2025, held at Annapurna Secondary School, Jyatha, Kathmandu, from 6th to 8th June 2025. She competed in the Under-9 age category.

Her commendable performance was recognised during the Junior School morning assembly held today (9th June 2025).

Aarav Barmel Shines at the 1st Male and Female Kyokushin Karate and Kata Demonstration Championship, 2025



Aarav Barmel, Head Boy of Junior School and a student of Grade IV 'C', secured second position in the 1st Male and Female Kyokushin Karate and Kata Demonstration Championship, 2025. He competed in the Kata Demonstration – Under 30 kg category.

His outstanding achievement was recognised during the Junior School morning assembly held on 9th June 2025, where he was warmly congratulated and wished continued success and a bright future.

Aryasri and Asmina Represent DAV in Inter-School FOZ Model-Making Competition



Aryasri Bajracharya of Grade VII 'A' and Asmina K.C. of Grade VIII 'A' represented DAV School in the Inter-School FOZ Model-Making Competition held at the Central Zoo on 3rd June.

Participants were required to create models using only plastic waste, promoting the theme of World Environment Day 2025 — "Ending Global Plastic Pollution." The event aimed to raise awareness about plastic pollution and encourage creative solutions to environmental issues.

The students were accompanied by Mr. Pradeep Shrestha, FOZ Co-ordinator of DAV School.

Celebration of the 11th International Yoga Day and World Music Day, 2025



The Chief Guest Swami Panchasheel shared insights on how yoga can transform negative emotions such as desire (kaam), anger (krodha), and greed (lobha) into positive energy, and overcome inner weaknesses (doshas). He further spoke on the intrinsic connection between yoga, wisdom (Rishi), and agriculture (Krishi).

DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School, Kathmandu, joyfully celebrated the 11th International Yoga Day and World Music Day on 20th June 2025 with great enthusiasm and delight. Students from Nursery to Grade XII actively participated in a range of yoga and music-related activities. This year's Yoga Day was observed with the theme, "Yoga for One Earth, One Health."

The event was graced by the esteemed presence of Chief Guest, Shree Rishi Kumar Swami Panchasheel from Hansada Ashram, Banepa Kavre; Special Guest, Mr. Kedarnath Bastakoti, Chairperson of the Bagmati Province Yoga Sports Association Nepal; and Guest of Honour, Mr. Dev Rana, the legendary singer and drummer. They were warmly welcomed by the school's Chairperson, Shree Anil Kedia, Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao and Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal.

The celebration commenced with a melodious orchestral performance, followed by a vibrant series of presentations. Highlights included a yoga-themed dance by students of Grades VII and VIII, a yoga display by DAV

Kindergarten, yoga with live music, a lively Zumba session by Junior School, rhythmic yoga by Grades IX and XI, and aerobic yoga by Grades V to XI.

On this special occasion, the school also conferred the Annual Yoga and Music Academic Awards to outstanding students from Grades V to XII for the academic year 2024/25. All stage performances were judged as part of the competition, with the Junior School's Zumba Yoga Dance being declared the best performance. The panel of judges comprised Ms. Vijaya Tater (Chief Administrative Officer), Ms. Shivani Mukherjee (Assistant In-charge, Examination Cell), and Ms. Aaradhana Chand (Assistant Administrative Officer).

Awards were presented by Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia and Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao in the presence of distinguished guests. In her short address, the Principal extended her heartfelt congratulations to all the awardees and applauded the dedication and spirit of the performers, encouraging them to carry forward the same energy in their future endeavours.

The Chief Guest Swami Panchasheel conveyed his blessings and highlighted the significance of yoga in uniting the body, mind, and soul. He shared insights on how

yoga can transform negative emotions such as desire (kaam), anger (krodha), and greed (lobha) into positive energy, and helps overcome inner weaknesses (doshas). He further spoke on the intrinsic connection between yoga, wisdom (Rishi), and agriculture (Krishi).

Guest of Honour Mr. Dev Rana expressed his delight at being part of the celebration, lauding the performances and school's sincere efforts. He further captivated the audience with a live musical performance, showcasing his exceptional talent as a renowned singer and drummer.

The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from yoga and music enthusiasts across Kathmandu, including parents, teachers, and students. A collective breathing yoga session added a serene touch to the day's proceedings.

SSO Mr. Prashant Samal, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, HR Mr. Aashish Rai along with all the co-ordinators from Kindergarten to Middle School were present to extend sincere hospitality and warm welcome to all the invited guests and parents.

In essence, the celebration was a resounding success, embodying the spirit of unity, creativity, and holistic well-being for the entire school community.

Rejoy Thapa Wins First Position in Lalitpur District Taekwondo Championship



Rejoy Thapa, a student of Grade IV 'C', secured first position in the Lalitpur District Taekwondo Championship, 2082, organised by the Lalitpur District Taekwondo Association and Badikhel Taekwondo Dojang.

She was honoured for her outstanding performance during the Junior School morning assembly held on 9th June 2025.



DAV School earned the prestigious runner-up position in the Basketball Cup 2025, organised by Modern Indian School, Chovar, Kathmandu, on 20th June. Demonstrating exceptional teamwork, skill, and determination, the DAV basketball team delivered an impressive performance throughout the tournament.

The students who represented DAV and contributed to this commendable

achievement were: Nishant Modato, Dibyanesh Shah, Sanju Shrestha, Warish Raja, Samartha Shakya, Swadesh Thapa, Shantanu Yogi, Denith Baid, Sumit K. Sah, Aron Maharjan, Muhammad Ali, and Bishal Bhadel.

The MIS Cup 2025 brought together ten leading schools and over 600 students from across the capital, making it a grand celebration of inter-school sportsmanship and talent.

Akshunna Rai Wins First Position in Kathmandu District Taekwondo Championship



Akshunna Rai, a student of Grade IV 'F', secured first position in the 1st Kathmandu District Level Taekwondo Championship, 2082, organised by Bishnudevi Taekwondo Dojang on 24th May 2025.

She competed in the Female Under-9 (Individual Poomsae) category and was specially honoured for her achievement during the Junior School morning assembly held on 9th June 2025.

DAV Students Excel in Inter School Badminton Cup of MIS



Four students from DAV School achieved top honours at the Inter School Badminton Cup, 2025, organised by Modern Indian School, Chovar, Kathmandu, on 20th June.

In the Under-15 Girls category, Yushna Maharjan of Grade IX secured first place. Neeva Thapa Magar, also from Grade IX, claimed first position in the Under-17 Girls category. Harshvardhan Rathi, from Grade IX, earned third place in the Under-17 Boys category, while Sadichhya Sharma secured third place in the Under-16 Girls category.

The MIS Cup, 2025, featured strong competition with participation from 10 schools and 600 students across the capital.

Visit to Mcube Art Gallery at Chakupat



On 11th June, a group of 51 students from the Uttam Kiran Art Club visited Mcube Art Gallery, located in Chakupat, Lalitpur. The visit was led by Head of Art Department, Mr. Rajumuni Bajracharya, and Club In-charge, Ms. Samita Maharjan.

During the visit, students had the opportunity to view a diverse range of contemporary artworks created by emerging young artists. They also engaged in meaningful interactions with the officials of Mcube Art Gallery, gaining deeper insights into the world of contemporary art.

According to Mr. Bajracharya, the primary aim of the visit was to inspire students to explore and understand various concepts and ideas within contemporary art.

Celebration of World Environment Day 2025 (KG to Grade XII)



This year's theme, "Putting an End to Plastic Pollution," was thoughtfully integrated into various hands-on learning experiences designed to enhance students' understanding and dedication to environmental sustainability.

DAV School marked World Environment Day on 5th June 2025 with great enthusiasm, organising a range of engaging and educational activities for students from Kindergarten to Grade XII. The day commenced with a special assembly conducted by the Vasudha Eco Club in the Senior and Middle Schools.

Following the assembly, the Vice-principal, Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, inaugurated a cycle rally in which 23 students from Grades VII and VIII participated. The rally route began at School Gate No. 2 and passed through Ganeshtan, St. Mary's

Chowk, Damkal Chowk, Kaan Devata Chowk, Thado Dhunga (Big Mart), Sanepa CG Chowk, Heritage Garden Road, and Jhamsikhel Road, concluding at School Gate No. 1. Vice-Principal also joined the Vasudha Eco Club's executive team in a tree plantation programme, reaffirming school's commitment to environmental awareness.

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members of Vasudha Eco Club, along with Grade VIII students, conducted a cleanliness drive at Saraswati Temple near to school's precinct. Students from Grades XI and XII viewed documentaries titled "World Environment Day 2025 Theme: End Plastic Pollution – Fact Noodles" and "Plastic Disaster – An Ocean Pollution Documentary."

Grade VIII students took part in a poster-making competition, displaying their work in the school corridors, while Grade VII students showcased creativity in a 'Best out of Waste' model-making competition. Grade VI students participated in a story writing competition focused on animals affected by plastic, and Grade V students created collages on the theme 'Control Plastic Use'.

According to Ms Kusum Lama, In-charge of Vasudha Eco Club, all the programmes aimed to celebrate World Environment Day through eco-friendly activities that raised awareness about nature conservation, encouraged sustainable habits, and fostered creativity, responsibility, and community spirit among students.

In the Junior School, students of Grades III and IV engaged in an Inter-house MS Paint competition based on the World Environment Day theme and also participated in a collaborative classroom activity titled 'Scraps to Splendor'. Grade II students expressed their creativity through a poster-making competition, while Grade I students explored nature through a germination activity. Kindergarten students enjoyed colouring and printing activities centered on the environment, making the celebration both joyful and educational across all age groups.

Celebration of the 628th Kabir Jayanti



The 628th Kabir Jayanti was celebrated with deep reverence and enthusiasm by students of Grades IX and X associated with the Kabir Sahitya Samaj on 11th June.

The programme commenced with the ceremonial lighting of the lamp by Mr Purushottam Pokharel, Head of the Hindi Department. To honour the occasion, a group of eight students presented Doha—a musical tribute dedicated to the saint-poet Kabir Das—followed by a brief biography presentation by Subh Kumar Dhanuka of Grade X. Additionally, students viewed a documentary highlighting Kabir Das's life and contributions.

The Doha was presented by Anushka Bhansali and Shiksha Sharma from Grade VIII 'H', Pratikshya Shah from Grade VIII 'G', Sakshi Shah and Nabya Gupta from Grade IX 'I', Riya Ambastha from Grade

IX 'G', and Sakshi Gupta and Chanchal Mohta from Grade IX 'H'.

According to Ms Indu Thakur, the Kabir Sahitya Samaj In-charge and Master of Ceremonies, the main objective of the event was to share the timeless values and teachings reflected in Kabir Das's life and literary works.

Kabir remains a revered figure in Indian literature, celebrated for his spiritual wisdom and powerful verses. His works have been widely translated and published in numerous languages across the globe.

Grade XII Boot Camp 2025 Concluded Successfully at Nagarkot

The Grade XII Boot Camp 2025 concluded successfully after a four-day retreat held amidst the serene hills of Nagarkot on June 4.

The programme brought together Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, trainers from India, the dedicated CBSE +2 teaching team, and enthusiastic students for an inspiring and enriching experience.

A major highlight of the camp was the life skills training led by Mr. Issac Martine and Mr. Vignesh Palani from VetLife, India. Their engaging sessions on teamwork, creativity, critical thinking, and problem-solving helped students grasp the importance of these essential skills beyond academic learning.

Addressing the students, DAV Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia spoke meaningfully about the purpose of human life and encouraged each student to embark on a journey of self-discovery. He expressed his firm belief that the boot camp would serve as a stepping stone for students to understand who they are and what lies ahead in life.

The entire boot camp was actively overseen by the Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao. In her concluding remarks, she congratulated all participants on the successful completion of the programme, stating, "This boot camp was not just an event; it was a transformational journey—a journey of self-discovery, learning, friendship, and



growth. And today, as we celebrate its success, we must acknowledge the people who made it all possible."

The camp's daily routine included morning yoga, aerobics, and various workshops focused on goal-setting, time management, and mindfulness—all designed to instill discipline and lifelong values in students.

Special appreciation was extended to Mr. Tank Meghji Devji and his management team for their exceptional leadership in ensuring smooth organisation. Teachers were applauded for their continuous support, and the administrative team was commended for flawless co-ordination.

Heartfelt thanks were also offered to the Ratnagiri Resort, especially the owner Mr. Gopal Prasad Nepal and the ever-helpful Arogya, for their warm hospitality, delicious

meals, and thoughtful arrangements that made the stay both comfortable and memorable.

Away from digital distractions, the camp allowed students to reconnect with nature and with one another. Nature walks, group games, talent shows, and trekking helped build friendships and develop resilience, independence, and a spirit of community.

In her closing message, the Principal encouraged the students, saying, "Now, as you return to your daily life, I want you to carry the essence of this boot camp with you. Bring the discipline, the enthusiasm, the unity, and the mindfulness into your classrooms, your homes, and your communities."

The four-day boot camp was a resounding success, leaving everyone inspired and hoping for more such transformative experiences in the future.

Grading of DAV Taekwondo Academy Students



A total of 25 students from DAV Taekwondo Academy were successfully promoted during the belt grading and test conducted by the Nepal Taekwondo Association. The grading event took place at the school premises on 14th June 2025. Grading examiner was Black belt fourth Dan and international referee Ms. Bachan Magar.

According to the official results provided by the Nepal Taekwondo Association, the following students achieved promotions:

- From Green/Blue Belt to Blue Belt: Aavash Moktan and Shreya Bajracharya
- From Green Belt to Green/Blue Belt: Tanishqa Shah, Nikita Thakur, Aaradhya

Khadka, Satyarth Prakash Adhikari, Abhinamra Paudel, Asmina K.C, and Jhalak Regmi

- From Yellow/Green Belt to Green Belt: Aangsuk Lama, Prayan Sibakoti, Kyozan Tamang, Sherolene Rana Magar, Pragya Sibakoti, Arya Pradhanang and Nhujala Shrestha
- From Yellow Belt to Yellow/Green Belt: Maruti Jha and Suruchi Thakur
- From White Belt to Yellow Belt: Ojashwi Dangol, Priyal Rijal, Garima Pun, Abnish Tamang, Rechak Chapagain, Siddhartha Gautam, and Reeva Shrestha

Taekwondo Coaches -Ms. Ranju Tamang, Mr. Hem Raj Shah and Ms. Ashmita Tamang were present during the grading test. The academy extends its congratulations to all the promoted students for their hard work and dedication.

Himalini Magazine Honours Grade X Students Scoring above 90% in Hindi in the CBSE Results



Himalini Magazine, an edition of Dr. Krishnachandra Mishra Publication Pvt. Ltd. honoured the students who scored above 90% in Hindi in the CBSE Grade X Board Results, 2025 during a special ceremony held at DAV School on 27th June 2025.

The event was graced by the presence of Shree Vashishtha Nandan, First Secretary (PIC Wing) of the Embassy of India, as the Chief Guest. The Special Guest of the

occasion was Shree Anil Kedia, Chairperson of DAV School and Colleges. The programme was chaired by Er. Sachchidanand Mishra, Managing Director of Himalini Magazine.

A total of 44 students from DAV and other CBSE-affiliated schools in the Kathmandu Valley were felicitated for their outstanding performance in Hindi. Hindi teachers were also recognised for their commitment and contribution to language education. Mr.

Purushottam Pokharel, Head of the Hindi Department at DAV, was presented with the Bhasha Gaurav Shikshak Samman, 2025.

Shree Anil Kedia extended heartfelt congratulations to all the award-winning students and teachers, commending their hard work and dedication, and wished them continued success in their future endeavours. Chief Guest Mr. Vashishtha Nandan also addressed the gathering, sharing valuable insights on the global relevance and application of the Hindi language.

Distinguished attendees included Ms Vibha Lal (Academic Coordinator, Modern Indian School), Mr. A. Gerald (Principal, Kendriya Vidyalaya), and Dr. Dhanesh Dwivedi from the Indian Embassy. The enthusiastic participation of parents further enhanced the warmth and celebratory spirit of the event. The programme was hosted by Dr. Shweta Deepti, Editor of Himalini Magazine.

The honoured students from DAV included: Jiya Jha, Abhishek Agrawal, Vedanshi Kedia, Jigyasa Agrawal, Vidushree Parikh, Aman Krishna Shah, Piyush Karnani, Chirayu Patel, Ashish Kumar, Shiven Bairathi, Ishika Bhandari, Aarav Beriwal, Naitik Ranka, Noor Jamal Ahmad, Sonali Jakhad, Naitik Modi, and Akshat Mishra.

Industrial Visit for Grade VII and VIII Mother Teresa Social Service Club and VIII CBSE Students



As many as 60 students associated with Mother Teresa Social Service Club along with VIII CBSE students were taken to Patan Industrial Estate, Lagankhel, Lalitpur on June 13.

The purpose of the visit was to enhance students' understanding of the role of industry, as outlined in the Social Studies and Human Value Education curriculum.

The visit provided students with valuable practical insight into the functioning of various industries. The tour commenced at 10:00 a.m. and was supervised by four faculty members—Mr. Shreedhar

Subedi, Mr. Aakash Bishwokarma, Mr. Dilip Acharya, and Ms. Renu B.C.

During the visit, students had the opportunity to observe several industrial units including Shree K.B. Pet, Shree Araniko Stone Carving, Shree Purna Wood Carving, Shree Saraswati Textile, Shree Ananda Plastic, and Shree Purnamet Concern.

The school expressed sincere thanks to Patan Industrial Area authorities for their kind support and co-operation in making the visit a meaningful and educational experience for the students.

Participation in 1st NTA National Team Kyorugi (Fight) Championship



Three students from the school participated in the 1st NTA National Team Kyorugi (Fight) Championships held on 15th and 16th June 2025. The participants—Priyal Rijal, Ojashwi Dangol, and Garima Pun—competed in the Under-14 Girls Category. Their involvement in this national-level event reflects their strong commitment to the sport and underscores school's continued encouragement and support for sporting excellence.



Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia is receiving a token of love from Bhikkhu Vimalo Mahasthabir during Dharmadeshana Programme at School.



Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao is witnessing 'Lord Gautam Buddha Painting Workshop' on the occasion of 2569th Buddha Jayanti.



DAV Team performing dramatic poetry at Inter School Dramatic Poetry Competition on the occasion of 212th Bhanu Jayanti



Students are showing their talent in the Classical Evening of Raag and Taal, 2025.



Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao is bestowing Annual Awards to the winners in the Award Ceremony of Prayaag Sangeet Samiti, Allahabad, India.



Students are celebrating victory after winning Interschool Cricket Tournament.



The Chief Guest and Chairperson are making their entry in Grade VI Jamboree.



Bollywood Dance - Family Jamboree of Grade VI



Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia is addressing the Special Assembly during the honouring and felicitation ceremony of Jay Kumar Nath Shah Inter School Cricket Tournament.



The winners of Jay Nath Kumar Shah Memorial Interschool Cricket Tournament are posing for a group photograph with the Principal and Vice-principal.



Grade IV students are performing a beautiful Bollywood dance in their Family Jamboree.



Grade VI students performing Nepali Patriotic Dance in their Family Jamboree.



Grade VI students are presenting a Season Theme Dance in their Family Jamboree.



Bollywood Dance - Family Jamboree of Grade X



Students are performing a Nepali Cultural Dance in the Family Jamboree of Grade X.



Grade XII students are presenting their talent in the Welcome Programme for Grade XI students.



Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia is welcoming a Grade XI student and presenting a token of love in the Fresher's Day – Welcome Programme.



Grade III and IV Students presenting Zumba Dance on International Yoga Day and World Music Day, 2025



The Ambassador of Germany to Nepal, His Excellency Dr. Michael Koch, is posing for a group photograph with Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia during his school visit.



Grade XII students are presenting Mash up Dance (Hindi, Nepali and South Indian) in the Welcome Programme organized for Grade XI students.



Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia is bestowing the Best House Trophy to the winners of the Academic Session 2024/25.



Students are presenting Nepali Patriotic Dance in the Investiture Ceremony of Senior School.



National Anthem presentation during the Investiture Ceremony of Middle School.



Students are presenting Robotics Dance in the Family Jamboree of Grade VI.



The Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao is honouring the winner of the Principal's Subject Sweepstakes (Mathematics).



Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia is giving away badge and T-shirt to portfolio holder in the Investiture Ceremony of Junior School.



Freshers of Grade XI are posing for a group photograph with the Chairperson and School Authority.



Chief Guest Ms. Januka Nepal and Guest of Honour, the First Lady Shreemati Sunita Kedia, are attending Mother's Day Celebration (Matatirtha Aunshi).



Mr. Fresher, Miss Fresher and all the contestants are posing for a group photograph with the School Authority.



DAV Team is presenting a Nepali Ghazal in the Interschool Nepali Ghazal Singing Competition.



Vidya Subharambha Hawan of the Academic Session 2025-26.



Students are celebrating Matatirtha Aunshi, 2082.

Participation in International Yoga Day Celebration Organised by the Embassy of India

A total of 62 students from Grades IX and XI of DAVSKVB took part in the International Yoga Day Celebration organised by the Embassy of India at Kendriya Vidyalaya on June 13.

As part of the celebration, the students were introduced to basic yoga practices and were briefed on the significance of yoga in daily life. They were also guided on how yoga can serve as an effective tool to manage academic stress and enhance overall well-being.

In addition to yoga demonstrations, the event also placed special emphasis on the health benefits of millet consumption. Yoga professionals highlighted how increased millet production and its proper inclusion in daily diets can promote a healthier lifestyle. Each participant received a booklet detailing the importance of millets in human health.

One student representative from each school was invited to share their reflections on the programme. Representing DAVSKVB,



Jiya Jha of Grade XI 'A' eloquently expressed her thoughts on behalf of her peers.

The event featured prominent yoga professionals from both India and Nepal and was attended by school officials and teachers from various institutions, who

also found the session enriching and insightful.

DAVSKVB students were accompanied by Senior School Teachers Ms. Pratikshya Nepali and Ms. Ranju Shrestha, along with Sports Teacher Mr. Prabin Karki.

DAV Secures First Place in MIS Inter-School Futsal Cup



DAV School triumphed at the Inter-School Futsal Cup organised by Modern Indian School (MIS), Chovar, Kathmandu, on 20th June.

The victorious team comprised Sambeg Thapa (Grade XII), Sunil Kumar Shah Thakuri (Grade XI), Jenis Dawadi (Grade XI), Naman Mahato (Grade XI), Suyog Regmi (Grade X), Monti Das (Grade XI), Aaryan Jha (Grade IX), Manas Bam (Grade X) and Sajan Rajali Magar (Grade X). They were supported by Team Coach Mr Yaman Maharjan and Team Manager Ms Riya Dahal.

According to Coach Maharjan, the tournament featured eight schools competing across Junior and Senior categories. In the Junior category, DAV played three matches on 17th June and progressed to the semifinals.

Similarly, the Senior boys' team advanced to the semifinals after playing three matches on 18th June, achieving two wins and one draw.

On 19th June, the Senior team reached the final following a notable victory over VS Niketan. However, the Junior team was defeated by Modern Indian School in their semifinal match.

The grand final on 20th June saw DAV face Modern Indian School in a tightly fought contest. Ultimately, DAV clinched the championship trophy by winning through a penalty shootout. Additionally, DAV's Sunil Kumar Shah Thakuri received the Top Scorer Award. The MIS Cup 2025 attracted participation from 10 schools and 600 students across the capital.

DAV Students Shine at MIS Inter-School Table Tennis Cup



Five students from DAV School secured top honours at the Inter-School Table Tennis Cup organised by Modern Indian School (MIS), Chovar, Kathmandu, on 20th June.

Reevan Muni Bajracharya claimed the gold medal in the Boys Under-13 Singles category, while Nirvana Bajracharya secured gold in the Boys Under-17 Singles. Cyun Raj Bajracharya earned the silver medal in the Boys Under-17 Singles. In the girls' categories, Ayushree Bastola won the bronze medal in the Under-13 Singles, and Sneha Kumari Mahato took bronze in the Under-17 Singles.

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DAV Surpasses All Previous SEE Records



The SEE batch of 2024/25 brought immense pride to the DAVSKVB community by surpassing all previous records in school's history. Out of 227 students who appeared from DAV, four students—Apekshya Shah, Nuwan Kulung Rai, Sankalpa Mani Devkota and Soyana Khadka—secured a perfect 4.0 GPA, topping the school.

Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, the Principal, formally announced the Secondary Education Examination (SEE) results for the academic session 2024/25 during a special assembly on 30th June 2025. The results were published earlier on the official website of the National Examination Board on 27th June, 2025.

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The overall performance was remarkable, with 106 students achieving a GPA between 3.61 and 3.96. Presenting a detailed GPA analysis, the Principal shared that 110 students earned an A+ Grade (GPA 3.61–4.0), 89 students achieved an A Grade (GPA 3.21–3.60), and 28 students received a B+ Grade (GPA 2.85–3.20).

To honour the occasion, the school invited the SEE batch of 2024/25 to the campus. The Principal extended a warm welcome to the toppers and all the graduates, congratulating them for their exemplary achievements. She also took the opportunity to express heartfelt appreciation to Mr. Narayan Khatiwada (Grade IX and X SEE In-charge), Mr. Tank Meghji Devji (Senior School Co-ordinator), Mr. Ramchandra Khanal (Vice-principal), and the entire team of dedicated teachers of Grade X. She further acknowledged the unwavering support and contributions of the students' parents, calling their involvement instrumental in this success.

In a special announcement, the Principal declared that all students who scored a 4.0 GPA will be granted scholarships on tuition fees in Grade XI (CBSE) for the academic year 2025/26. Among the beneficiaries is Shambhavi Gurubacharya of Grade XI 'C' (CBSE), who achieved a 4.0 GPA while studying at GEMS.

Addressing the wider student body, the Principal encouraged all students to emulate the dedication of their seniors, urging them to give their utmost in learning and strive to make their families proud.

Before revealing the school's results, the Principal also presented national data from

the SEE 2081 B.S. A total of 4,38,896 regular students appeared in the SEE nationwide, out of which 2,71,299 students (61.81%) passed, while 1,67,597 students (38.19%) were non-graded.

During the assembly, the Principal offered a platform for Grade XI CBSE students—who had previously appeared in the SEE Board—to share their results with the school community. It was truly inspiring to witness top-performing students from various regions of Nepal choosing DAV CBSE as their academic destination.

To commemorate this historic achievement, the Principal announced a celebratory holiday for all students from Kindergarten to Grade XII on 1st July 2025.

Meanwhile, Mr. Narayan Khatiwada, SEE In-charge for Grades IX and X since 2015, shared his reflections based on years of experience. According to him, the positive and collaborative environment between students, teachers, and parents was a key factor in producing such exceptional results.

Temple Area Cleaning Programme



On 5th June 2025, the executive members of Vasudha Eco Club, along with some Grade VIII students, participated in temple area cleaning programme at Saraswati Mandir, Jhamsikhel, Lalitpur — located near the school.

This initiative was a part of DAV School's World Environment Day Celebration programme. The cleanliness programme aimed to highlight the importance of civic responsibility and promote the need for a clean and healthy environment.

The students enthusiastically contributed their best efforts, demonstrating a strong sense of commitment and environmental awareness. They were guided and supported by Middle School Activity In-charge, Mr. Surchen Shah, and Vasudha Eco Club In-charge, Ms. Kusum Lama.

Traffic Awareness Programme for Grades VIII and IX Students

Mother Teresa Social Service Club of DAVSKVB organised a Traffic Awareness Programme for the students of Grades VIII and IX on 18th June 2025 in Buddha Hall. The event was graced by the presence of Superintendent of Police Mr. Deepak Giri from the Kathmandu Valley Traffic Police Office, who served as the keynote speaker. He was accompanied by Senior Sub-Inspector Mr. Rajib Bista.

Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and Senior School Coordinator Mr. Tanik Meghji Devji warmly welcomed the guests. The formal programme commenced with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp, singing of the national anthem, and a welcome address delivered by Mr. Shreedhar Subedi, In-charge of the Mother Teresa Social Service Club.

In his address, SP Mr. Giri expressed his appreciation to DAV School for the opportunity to deliver a session on road safety and traffic awareness. He encouraged the students to disseminate the knowledge they gained within their homes and communities, highlighting the collective responsibility of all citizens in promoting road safety.

During the session, SP Mr. Giri and Senior Sub-Inspector Mr. Bista presented an informative and engaging talk. They outlined the duties and responsibilities of Nepal Police as stipulated by national law, noting that all citizens, including police personnel, are equally bound by the law.

SP Mr. Giri explained fundamental traffic concepts in a clear and accessible manner, covering topics such as the history of traffic management in Nepal, the role of traffic



police, traffic signals and lights, categories of road users, causes of different types of road accidents, and essential rules and precautions for both motorists and pedestrians. He also discussed key behavioural practices that can help prevent accidents and save lives.

To further enrich the session, students were shown several educational traffic awareness videos.

Speaking on behalf of school, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal highlighted that many road accidents occur due to carelessness, even among those who are aware of traffic rules. He stressed the need for such awareness programmes to be conducted regularly to foster greater alertness among students and the wider community. He also shared

statistical data on daily road accidents in 2023 and 2025, and commended the Nepal Traffic Police for their success in reducing accident rates through sustained awareness efforts.

The executive members of Mother Teresa Social Service Club had the privilege of capturing a memorable moment with Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, who was present in Buddha Hall to witness the grand rehearsal for the upcoming International Yoga and Music Day, scheduled for 20th June 2025.

The traffic awareness session was effectively moderated by Middle School Activity In-charge Mr. Surchen Shah. The volunteers of the programme were Ms. Laxmi Chaulagain and Ms. Asmita Jha.

DAV Teams 'A' and 'B' Emerge Victorious in the Interschool 4th Community Service Centre Futsal Cup



DAV Team 'A' claimed the championship title in the Interschool 4th Community Service Centre Futsal Cup, 2082, defeating its own home side – DAV Team 'B' – with a convincing

3-0 scoreline in the final match held on Saturday. The futsal cup organised to mark the celebration of International Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking Day that falls on June 26.

Representing the School Management, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal attended the award ceremony with football coach Mr. Yaman Maharjan.

The tournament witnessed participation from 14 schools across Kathmandu valley.

DAV Team 'A' secured their spot in the final after a 2-0 victory over Grace Academy in the semi-final. Earlier, they defeated Pathshala School by 5-0 in the quarter-final, and began their campaign with another 5-0 win against Tika Vidyashram.

Similarly, DAV Team 'B' reached the final by overcoming Phinix School 4-0 in the semi-final. In the quarter-final, they edged past Nile School with a narrow 1-0 win, following a commanding 7-1 victory over Avenz School in the opening round.

DAV Team 'A' lifted the champions' trophy, while DAV Team 'B' proudly took home the runners-up trophy. All the players were individually honoured with medal and merit certificate.

The students were mentored by the Senior School Team Coach, Mr. Bijay Maharjan, along with assistant coaches Ms. Chandra Bhandari and Mr. Yaman Maharjan.

Workshop for the Teachers of Mathematics Department



DAV School successfully organised a one-day Mathematics Teachers' Workshop on Friday, 27th June 2025. The event was held in Jetvan Hall and Grade X 'E'. The workshop ran from 9:30 am to 4:30 pm.

Mr. Hukum Pd. Dahal, a renowned author associated with Vedanta Publication, served as the resource person. He provided valuable insights and shared effective teaching methodologies aimed at improving classroom delivery and student engagement in mathematics.

The opening and closing ceremonies were conducted in the presence of Vice-principal, Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and Human Resources Manager Mr. Ashish Rai. Mr. Tankanath Ghimire, Co-Curricular Activity In-charge, was also present in the workshop.

A total of 29 teachers participated in the workshop. Each participant was awarded a certificate of participation by Vedanta Publication, recognising their dedication to professional development and academic excellence.

Achievements for DAV Students in 1st Fr. Arulanandam S.J. Inter School Badminton Tournament



Three students from DAV School secured top positions at the 1st Fr. Arulanandam S.J. Inter School Badminton Tournament, held on 20th June 2025 and organised by St. Xavier's School, Jawalakhel, Lalitpur.

Yushna Maharjan of Grade IX claimed first place in the Under-14 Girls category, while her fellow Grade IX student, Neeva Thapa Magar, finished as the runner-up in the same category. In the Under-16 category, Sadichhya Sharma, also from Grade IX, earned third position.

In addition to these achievements, other DAV students took part in the tournament, including Aarin Gurung (Grade IX), Ayush Poudel (Grade VIII), Aarogya Subba (Grade IX), and Harshvardhan Rathi (Grade IX). Their participation contributed to the strong representation of DAV School in this competitive event.

Litter Pick Activity for Grade IX Friends of Zoo (FoZ) Members

On 3rd June, the Grade IX students associated with the Friends of Zoo (FoZ) took part in a litter-picking activity out of the school premises.

The event was organised in observance of World Environment Day 2025. According to the Club In-charge, Mr. Pradeep Shrestha, the primary aim of the programme was to raise public awareness about the importance of maintaining a clean and healthy environment.



Magic Show for the Kids

On 13th June 2025, the little children of Kindergarten enjoyed a fun-filled magic show as part of their recreation day at school. The event was organised by the Kindergarten wing and featured magician Mr. Nirnajan Verma, who amazed the students with his fascinating tricks.

Mr. Verma also invited a few excited children on the stage and involved them in his magical acts. The show aimed to spark creativity and imagination in the young minds, showing that magic is not just fun, but also a skill and an art. It was delightful to see children's excitement and hear their cheerful applause throughout the performance.



Family Jamboree Begins for the Academic Session 2025/26

The annual cultural celebration, popularly known as the Family Jamboree, commenced for the academic session 2025/26 with a vibrant and outstanding performance by the students of Grade X. The event took place on 5th June 2025 in Buddha Hall.

The programme was graced by the benign presence of the Evergreen Action Hero of Nepali Film Industry, Mr. Shiva Shrestha, alongside special guests: Shree Bimal Kedia, social worker and former Constituent Assembly member; Dr. Mohan Regmi, Executive Director of Civil Hospital; and Mr. Angdawa Sherpa, social worker. DAV Chairperson, Shree Anil Kedia attended the event as a Guest of Honour further adding ecstasy and elegance into the atmosphere.

The audience comprised primarily the parents and guardians of Grade X students, with a few Grade IX parents specially invited to assess the performances as judge parents.

The event opened with a melodious mashup English song, followed by the formal proceedings which included the welcome of distinguished guests, ceremonial lamp lighting, rendition of the national anthem, introduction of the parent judges, and a welcome address by Ms. Aarti Sharma, Social Studies HoD.

The cultural showcase featured a dynamic range of performances: classical Indian dance forms including Bharatnatyam and Kathak, a lively parents' game competition, traditional Nepali cultural dances, international dance numbers, a heartfelt Nepali duet song dedicated to the Chief Guest Mr. Shiva Shrestha, a Nepali mashup song, thematic dances, and energetic Bollywood performances.

In his address, veteran actor Mr. Shiva Shrestha expressed his heartfelt delight at being invited to witness the cultural programme. He shared how visiting schools always evokes deep emotions in him, and fondly recalled his connection with the late Founder of DAV School, Shree Shankar Lal Kedia, as well as his



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The winners of the parents' game competition were awarded immediately after the event by Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, in the presence of all honoured guests.

The Family Jamboree is the visionary initiative of Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, and has become a signature event that sets DAV School apart, both nationally and internationally. The

performances were staged only after Principal was fully pleased with the rehearsals and readiness of all the participants.

Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal delivered the formal vote of thanks, expressing heartfelt appreciation to the distinguished guests and parents for their valuable presence and continued support to school's cultural endeavours.

The event was further supported by the presence and warm hospitality of CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, SSO Mr. Prashant Samal, Senior School Coordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, HR Mr. Ashish Rai, Faculty Heads, and all the school authorities.

The evening's proceedings were skillfully moderated by Mr. Shovan Bhandari (Science) and Ms. Diksha Koirala (English). The parents' game competition was led by Mr. Binod Piya (Science).



Pragya and Siwani Emerge Victorious in Inter-School Chess Cup at MIS

Pragya Pant claimed the championship title in the Inter-School Chess Cup 2025, organised by Modern Indian School (MIS), Chovar, Kathmandu, on 20th June. Showcasing remarkable strategic skill and focus, she secured the winner's position among strong contenders.

In the same tournament, Siwani Rai delivered an outstanding performance and secured the runner-up position, further highlighting DAV's excellence in chess.

The MIS Cup 2025 witnessed participation from ten prominent schools and brought together over 600 students from across the capital, making it a memorable and competitive event.

Corridor Ceremony Honours DAV's Victories in Inter-School Futsal Tournaments

A special Corridor Ceremony was organised to celebrate the remarkable achievements of DAV School in two prestigious Inter-School Futsal Tournaments held in the Capital during the month of June.

The Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, along with Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, extended heartfelt congratulations and felicitated the players for bringing glory to DAV in the field of sports.

DAV's football team emerged victorious in the Inter-School Futsal Tournament organised by Modern Indian School, Chovar on 20th June, where ten prominent schools from Kathmandu competed against each other.

Further adding to school's sporting accolades, DAV's Team A and Team B secured the Winner's and Runner-up trophies respectively in the 4th Inter-School Community Service Centre Futsal Cup 2082, jointly organised by the



Community Service Centre, Sanepa and Sanepa Police Office on 26th June. The tournament featured participation from fourteen schools.

In her address, the Principal commended the players for their exceptional sportsmanship and team spirit. She also expressed gratitude to the Head of Sports

Department, Mr. Purnendu Ghosh, and football coaches Mr. Bijay Maharjan, Ms. Chandra Bhandari, Mr. Yaman Maharjan, and Ms. Riya Dahal for their dedicated efforts in guiding the teams to success.

The corridor ceremony was hosted by Mr. Purnendu Ghosh, HoD, Physical Education and Sports.

DAV Students Excel in 20th Annapurna National School Chess Competition



Five talented students from DAV School showcased remarkable skills at the 20th Annapurna National School Chess Competition, held at Annapurna School, Jyatha, Kathmandu from 6th to 8th June 2025.

In the 13 years and above category, Harshvardan Ralhi of Grade IX secured the third position with an impressive performance, winning six out of seven matches. Pragya Pant from Grade X also performed commendably, securing the fifth position by winning four games and drawing one out of six played. Similarly, Siwani Rai, also from Grade X, earned eighth position with four wins out of six matches.

Continuing school's success, Stuti Rasaili of Grade IX achieved tenth position in the Under-13 category, winning four out of ten matches. In the Under-9 category, Adhira Paudel from Grade IV (Junior School) also secured tenth position among 23 participants.

Other enthusiastic participants from DAV included Aarohi Thapa (Grade IX), Sauryal Thapa (Grade VIII), Anvit Sunar (Grade VIII), and Kavalya Raj Pant (Grade VIII), all competing in the Under-13 category. Aarohi and Sauryal each won four matches out of seven, while Kavalya and Anvit secured three victories each from the same number of games.

The competition witnessed participation from over 75 schools. The students were guided and supported throughout the event by Sports Department teachers, Mr. Hem Raj Shahi and Ms. Rhea Dahal.

All the winners, participants, and their dedicated mentors were honoured in school assembly.

Musical Chair Competition, 2025



On 25th July, the Kindergarten wing of DAVSKVB hosted an exciting Musical Chair Competition in school premises. Students from Nursery, LKG, and UKG participated enthusiastically in the event.

The game began with the children standing in a circle around the chairs, with one fewer chair than the number of players. As the music started, the children walked around the circle, eagerly waiting for their chance to sit. To ensure fairness, the teacher controlling the music was blindfolded, unable to see who was closest to the chairs.

When the music stopped, the players rushed to find empty chair, sparking a delightful frenzy. The judges paid close attention to ensure the safety of the little ones, mindful of the possibility of trips or falls. In each round, the player unable to secure a chair was eliminated, and one chair was removed, continuing the process until only one winner remained.

The event was filled with laughter, excitement, and healthy competition, creating unforgettable memories for both the children and their teachers.

Grand Fresher's Welcome Programme for Grade XI Students

The Principal, in her address, extended a gracious welcome to all and encouraged students to embrace their journey at DAV with pride, purpose, and integrity.

In keeping with the cherished cultural legacy of DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School, Grade XII students organised a grand Fresher's Day celebration to warmly welcome the newly enrolled Grade XI batch.

The event was graced by the benign presence of Honourable Chairperson, Shree Anil Kedia, who served as the Chief Guest. The Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, SSO Mr. Prashant Samal, and Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji were warmly invited as the special guests. The event was meticulously planned and exquisitely executed by the students of Grade XII.

The formal programme commenced with the traditional welcoming of Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia with a bouquet and khada, followed by a tribute to the nation through the national anthem, ceremonial lamp lighting, and a warm welcome speech from a Grade XII student. On behalf of Grade XII, Suraj Purbey of XII 'B' delivered a heartfelt address of welcome to the freshers.

In his inspirational speech, Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia warmly welcomed the new students and commended their choice of joining one of the finest academic institutions. Emphasizing the importance of the +2 years, he described this phase as a crucial transition from adolescence to maturity and advised students to make wise decisions during this period. He cautioned against the illusions of social media and encouraged students to stay focused on their personal and academic growth.



Highlighting the school's ethos, he expressed pride in DAV's strong value system and academic environment, not only in Nepal but across India and other parts of the world. He praised the school for producing a large number of successful professionals, especially in the medical field, and reminded students of the importance of listening, discipline, and maintaining professional relationships – even within the family. A particularly moving moment came when he advised students to start by listening to their mothers as a foundation for becoming better listeners overall.

The Principal, in her address, extended a gracious welcome to all and encouraged students to embrace their journey at DAV with pride, purpose, and integrity. She reminded them that education is not merely about earning a livelihood but about building a meaningful life. Applauding the commitment of Grade XII students for organising the event, she urged them to match their enthusiasm with academic sincerity and character.

As part of the cultural segment, the Chairperson presented tokens of love to all Grade XI students. The programme featured

vibrant performances by Grade XII students, including mash-up songs and dances that reflected joy, creativity, and camaraderie.

A highlight of the day was the Master and Miss Fresher's Competition. After impressive performances and interactions, Purvansh Bhatta (XI 'C') and Jiya Jha (XI 'A') were crowned Master Fresher and Miss Fresher respectively. They were honoured with sashes and gift hampers by the Chairperson in the presence of school's esteemed management.

The judges for the competition were CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, Junior School Co-ordinator Mr. Andrew Fitz Patric, and Dance HoD Ms. Shreejana Shrestha. The programme was moderated by Moli Nevatia and Yazat Dev Bhatta of XII 'A', along with Saksham Kumar Gupta of XII 'C'. A vote of thanks was delivered by Aarya Thapa of XI 'A'.

The event concluded with a lively performance by the Kalapanik Band, who entertained the audience with melodious English, Hindi and Nepali numbers. The vibrant celebration came to a close with a joyful closing party in school premises, marking a memorable beginning for the new batch of Grade XI students.

Delightful Interaction Session with Principal



On 4th July, the young learners of Grade I, Sections A and B, enjoyed a heartwarming interactive session with Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, during their special visit to her office.

The children enthusiastically engaged filling the room with joy and excitement. Some of them sang cheerful songs, while others showcased their talents through dance and short enactments, creating a lively and memorable atmosphere.

The Principal, in turn, captivated the students with a delightful story about a parrot family. She also gently quizzed them on their observations within the Principal's office, encouraging attentiveness and curiosity. Furthermore, she spoke briefly about the importance of good habits, contrasting them with undesirable ones. Before concluding, she assigned the students a thoughtful task – to list five good and five bad habits and submit it to their respective class teachers on the following school day.

Character Tree Award Presented to Middle School Students for Exemplary Discipline and Moral Values



Continuing the commitment of fostering moral integrity and good conduct, DAV Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao in the presence of Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and Middle School Co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi honoured the meritorious students of middle school (Grade V to VIII) with the Character Tree Award for Semester II (October 2024 to March 2025).

This award is recognition of students who have consistently demonstrated commendable character, discipline, and positive behaviour throughout the academic term. A Character Tree Award is bestowed to a student of each section in a semester.

From Grade IV, the awardees were Shaurya Bikram Thapa (IV 'A'), Surakshya Adhikari (IV

'B'), Rishav Poudel (IV 'C'), Binisha Shrestha (IV 'D'), Evan Silwal (IV 'E'), Navya Rajgadiya (IV 'F'), Shashank Jung Shah (IV 'G'), Ojashwi Dangol (IV 'H'), and Swopnil Poudel (IV 'I').

Similarly, the students honoured from Grade V included Chhoyongree Thing (V 'A'), Aayushman Kushwaha (V 'B'), Pranaya Maharjan (V 'C'), Tosha Adhikari (V 'D'), Aarav Jaiswal (V 'E'), Pransha Bhandari (V 'F'), Reubena Rajlawot (V 'G'), Avni Agrawal (V 'H'), and Aarav Rajbanshi (V 'I').

In Grade VI, the awardees were Aarsh Ghimire (VI 'A'), Aditi Thapa (VI 'B'), Ditthi Maharjan (VI 'C'), Arpita Rana Magar (VI 'D'), Eliza Khanal (VI 'E'), Jyotsna Mahato (VI 'F'), Prayush Adhikari (VI 'G'), Abhishek Mangla (VI 'H'), Stuti Suman (VI 'I') and Nilisha Sharma (VI 'J').

From Grade VII, the students receiving the award included Manasi Thakur (VII 'A'), Raina Shrestha (VII 'B'), Bishaj Bhadel (VII 'C'), Ayan Yadav (VII 'D'), Eva Pokhrel (VII 'E'), Kirtesh Chaudhary (VII 'F'), Anshu Sharma (VII 'G'), Aashish Jha (VII 'H') and Yatharth Agrahari (VII 'I').

The school administration congratulated all the recipients for their outstanding character and encouraged them to continue setting example for their peers through their values and conduct.

Nabya Secures Third Position in Wildlife Drawing Competition



On the occasion of World Environment Day, celebrated on 5th June 2025, the Central Zoo organised a prize distribution ceremony to honour the winners of various events held throughout the academic year 2024-25.

Nabya Gupta of Grade IX 'I' secured the third position in the Inter-school FoZ Wildlife Drawing Competition. Her achievement was recognised during the ceremony. The objective of the award ceremony was to promote awareness and appreciation of wildlife conservation among students.

DAV Help ICAN Team 11 Clinch Indian Ambassador Cricket Cup



The Indian Citizen Association of Nepal Team 11 (ICAN Team 11), featuring a strong representation from DAV School, emerged victorious in the Indian Ambassador Cricket Cup 2025. The team was led by three experienced cricket coaches—Mr. Purnendu Ghosh, Head of Physical Education Department at DAVSKVB School, along with Mr. Dilip Yadav and Mr. Shankar Poudel. They were joined by DAV alumnus Mr. Bhabya Sharma and two talented members of DAV Students' Cricket Team, Mr. Shreyash Agrawal and Mr. Ajay Khandelwal.

The tournament was held from 31st May to 8th June 2025 at TU Cricket Ground and was organised by the Embassy of India, Lainchaur, Kathmandu. Teams representing the Foreign Ministry, the Corporate Sector, the Indian Embassy, the British Embassy, and the media fraternity competed alongside the ICAN team.

In an exciting final match, ICAN Team 11 secured the championship by defeating the Indian Embassy Team 11 with a commanding lead of 78 runs.

Closing Ceremony of English Week, 2025



In his address, Chief Guest Prof. Dr. Rijal expressed heartfelt joy at being invited to what he described as one of the most meaningful programmes of his life.

The closing ceremony of English Week 2025 was held successfully in Buddha Hall on July 28.

The event was graced by the Chief Guest, Prof. Dr. Rishi Ram Rijal. He was joined by the Guest of Honour, Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, and special guests Mr. Nishant, Delivery Head at TCH, India; Mr. U.S. Gaikwad, General Manager at Edcil (I) Ltd., under the Ministry of Education, Government of India; and Mr. Subodh Kumar from the Embassy of India.

The Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, along with Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and Chief Administrative Officer Ms. Vijaya Tater, warmly welcomed the distinguished guests and the invited parents and guardians to the programme.

A key highlight of the event was the showcase of winning performances from various competitions held during English Week, which ran from 21st to 25th July 2025. The award distribution ceremony honoured the outstanding talents of students who participated in the biography speech competition, monologue competition, skit performance, musical band performance, and short film review writing. Winners were felicitated with certificates and

medals in recognition of their creativity, effort, and preparation.

The formal programme commenced with a lively musical band performance ("Always" and "Snooze"), followed by the welcoming of guests, ceremonial lighting of the lamp, the national anthem, and an official hearty welcome address.

Among the standout performances were a Bharatanatyam dance set to English songs, presentations by the top three winners of biography speech and monologue competitions, a dramatic skit titled 'Good Night Princess', and a closing musical band performance of 'Have You Ever Seen the Rain?'

In his address, Chief Guest Prof. Dr. Rijal expressed heartfelt joy at being invited to what he described as one of the most meaningful programmes of his life. He likened the students on stage to his own grandchildren and lauded the DAV School Management and faculty for nurturing globally competent and responsible citizens. He emphasised that education should go beyond the mere delivery of knowledge to instill wisdom and creativity, and he praised school's practical approach in this regard.

Reflecting on his extensive career

spanning 42 years and visits to 70 districts of Nepal, Dr. Rijal remarked that he had not witnessed such a high standard of education in any other school. He commended the school management, stating, "You have been igniting minds and setting a remarkable example for the entire educational system." He concluded his speech by wishing all the students and faculty continued success in their future endeavours.

Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghi Devji, Acting HoD of English Mr. Anjal Tajpuria, Wordsworth English Club In-charge Ms. Sashilta Rai, Publication Team Head Mr. Jonash Lepcha, and the entire English faculty were in attendance to ensure the smooth conduction of the programme.

The event was smoothly moderated by Pushpanjali Sinha (Grade XII 'B') and Kinsha Maharjan (Grade X 'C'). Chanchal Mohta (Grade IX 'H') delivered a welcome speech with Sofiya Baniya (Grade IX 'C') contributing in the cultural programme. The audiences of the programme were the students of Grade IX and XI. The formal programme concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks delivered by Ms. Sashilta Rai, In-charge of the Wordsworth English Club.

DAV School Celebrates 212th Bhanu Jayanti with Great-Grand-Daughter of Bhanubhakta Acharya



Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal reflected on Bhanubhakta's role in guiding Nepalese society towards the path of devotion (Bhakti Marg) during a time of national turmoil.

The Nepali Department and Devkota Nepali Club of DAV School organised Kathmandu Valley Level Interschool Nepali Verse Poetry Recitation and Enactment Competition on the occasion of the 212th Bhanujayanti on 13th July at the school premises.

The programme was graced by the esteemed presence of renowned literary figure Ms. Prabha Acharya Bhattarai, a great-grand-daughter of the first Nepali poet, Bhanubhakta Acharya. She was accompanied by School's Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, Head of Nepali Department Mr. Narayan Khatiwada, as well as principals, co-ordinators, heads of departments, and Nepali language teachers from 12 different schools across the capital.

During the competition, students beautifully recited and enacted poetic verses from the Ramayan along with compositions by other prominent Nepali literary figures. Some even performed the works of their own teachers, adding a personal and heartfelt dimension to the event.

The formal proceedings began with the welcoming of the Chief Guest, the lighting of the ceremonial lamp, and the singing of the national anthem.

In her address, Ms. Bhattarai expressed immense delight in being part of the occasion, remarking that she had never before witnessed such a meaningful programme in Kathmandu Valley involving young learners upto Grade V in Nepali verse recitation and enactment. She praised the variety of poetic selections, creative use of props, and impressive presentation skills demonstrated

by all the participating schools.

As the great-grand-daughter of Bhanubhakta Acharya, Ms. Bhattarai shared fascinating insights, noting that Bhanubhakta translated the Ramayan from Sanskrit to Nepali while in prison. She encouraged the students to engage in good deeds that would ensure they are remembered long after their physical presence, just as Bhanubhakta was inspired by a farmer's desire to dig a well and leave behind a legacy.

She also highlighted that Bhanubhakta's literary journey began with his grandfather, who took him to Banaras to study Sanskrit. In addition to the Ramayan, Bhanubhakta significantly contributed to women's education and authored Bhaktamala, which further solidified his place in Nepali literature. She captivated the audience with a moving recitation of her poem 'Mero Sano Bhai', along with other engaging and humorous poems.

Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal reflected on Bhanubhakta's role in guiding Nepalese society towards the path of devotion (Bhakti Marg) during a time of national turmoil. He noted that Bhanujayanti is observed wherever the Nepali community resides across the world. He expressed deep gratitude to the Chief Guest for prioritizing this event over another invitation at the President's Office and recognised her as a contemporary champion of Nepali verse poetry. He also extended heartfelt appreciation to all the participating schools, commending the excellence of their presentations.

Mr. Narayan Khatiwada, Head of Nepali Department, shared that DAV School has been hosting this interschool competition for junior students for the past 15 years. He expressed pride in the legacy of Bhanubhakta Acharya as a distinguished figure from Nepali linguistic community and affirmed that the competition aims to build a solid foundation in Nepali literature among young learners. He also honoured the Chief Guest as a true teacher to all.

As per the results, Modern Indian School (MIS) secured first position, followed by Nepal APF School and Panini School in second and third places respectively. Bhanubhakta Memorial School received the award for Outstanding Recitation, Bijayswori Sainik Gyan Maha Vidyalaya was recognised for Outstanding Enactment, and Little Angels' School earned the Most Captivating Presentation award.

All participating schools were commended for their outstanding performances. Certificates of Participation were awarded to Kanjirowa Secondary School, Global Pathshala School, Nirvana Academy, Machhapuchhre IB School, Pathshala School, and Akshara School. DAV School also presented a performance as a non-competing participant.

The competition was evaluated by Mr. Raju Singh (Senior Music Composer), Mr. Dambar Bikel (Nepali Language Teacher), and Mr. Purushottam Rijal (Head of Sanskrit Department). The event was eloquently moderated by Yukti Sharma of Grade XI 'E' and Samipya Poudel of Grade X 'E'.

19th World Sanskrit Conference Held at Nepal Academy and DAV School

The 19th World Sanskrit Conference, held from 26th to 30th June 2025, marked a historic milestone as it was hosted in Nepal for the very first time. Nepal Academy and DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School, Jawalakhel, served as the major academic venues for this prestigious global gathering.

Organised by Nepal Sanskrit University, the five-day event brought together scholars, researchers, and Sanskrit practitioners from across the globe, with notable participation from India, Europe, and the United States.

The inaugural session was graced by the presence of The Right Honourable President Mr. Ram Chandra Poudel. The conference was chaired by Dr. Luigi Miraglia, a distinguished Sanskrit scholar. Professor Dr. Kashi Nath Neupane, Head of Buddhist Studies Department at Nepal Sanskrit University, remarked, "We are honoured to host participants from across the world."

Over the course of five days, the conference facilitated profound academic discussions on a wide range of topics including Vedic literature, classical Sanskrit, digital humanities, philosophy, linguistics, and more. The opening and closing ceremonies



were held at Nepal Academy Hall, while DAV School served as a vibrant hub for academic sessions and cultural performances.

Shree Anil Kedia, Chairperson of DAV School, played a pivotal role in providing a world-class platform for this international conference. His vision and dedication ensured a smooth and enriching experience for all delegates.

Among the presenters was Mr. Karthik P, a PhD scholar at Lumbini Buddhist University

and School Counselor at DAV, who delivered a paper titled "Buddha Teachings and Sanskrit Teachings: A Study in Parallel". His work explored the philosophical and linguistic intersections between the two traditions, underlining Nepal's deep spiritual and academic heritage.

The event was a proud moment for both Nepal Academy and DAV School, showcasing their rich cultural legacy and academic excellence on the international stage.

Celebration of First Bagless Day and International Friendship Day (Grades I to IX and XI)



DAV School celebrated the first Bagless Day of the academic session 2025/26 alongside the International Friendship Day for the students of Grades V to IX and XI through a variety of engaging activities.

According to Senior School Activity In-charge, Mr. Tankanath Ghimire, only students from Grades IX and XI took part in the celebrations. During the first half of the day, they participated in friendship band-making and exchange activities, alongside classroom events organised by their respective class teachers. In the afternoon, the students

watched the full-length film Little Heroes, which highlights the significance of friendship in human life. Additionally, short films titled The Buddies and The Hands were screened on smart boards within their classrooms.

Students in Grades VII and VIII also engaged in friendship card-making and exchange activities, accompanied by a talent show dedicated to their friends, as well as a potluck party held in their classrooms. Furthermore, Grade VIII and sections 'I' and 'J' of Grade VII viewed friendship-themed movies via smart boards in their respective classrooms. Meanwhile, Grade VII students from sections A to H were taken to Indu Hall for a special movie screening.

For Grades V and VI, all students participated enthusiastically in band-making and card-making competitions in their classrooms. Approximately two hundred students also demonstrated keen interest by participating in football and basketball tournaments.

Similar excitement was seen in Junior School (Grade I to IV), where the students participated in different worksheet based activity in their own way.

DAV Students and Coach Depart for DANA Cup 2025 in Denmark



Three students from DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School – Agramshu Prosper Ghimire (Grade VIII), Aashutosh Bhandari (Grade VIII), and Merish Chaudhary (Grade X) – along with Senior School Football Coach Mr. Bijay Maharjan, departed for Denmark on 19th July to participate in the prestigious DANA Cup 2025.

DAV to Continue 'Fight Back' Training for Grade V to IX Girls



DAV Chairperson, Shree Anil Kedia, in the presence of the Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao and representatives from Fight Back Nepal, officially announced the continuation of the Fight Back Training Programme for Grade V to IX girls on 2nd July, 2025.

Addressing the gathering, Chairperson remarked that this empowering initiative was first launched at DAV a decade ago. He noted that the programme has since been instrumental in equipping girls with essential skills to defend themselves against

harassment, violence, and inappropriate behaviour that sadly still persist in society.

The Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao emphasised that the Fight Back Training is a joint endeavour between DAV School and Fight Back Nepal. She stressed the importance of raising awareness about such training, particularly in societies where many girls remain silent about the challenges they face, even within their own families and teachers. The programme, she affirmed, not only builds confidence but also prepares the girls to respond effectively when necessary.

Representing Fight Back Nepal, Mr. Bikrant Pandey outlined the structure of the mental, vocal, and physical self-defense training designed for the 2025/26 academic year. He engaged with the attending teachers, aiming to tailor a specialized curriculum that aligns with the needs and expectations of DAV girls.

The session was attended by the entire middle school teaching team, marking a continued commitment to student safety and empowerment.

Devi Sri Niharika Ganja Wins Gold in Thailand



Heartiest congratulations and best wishes to Devi Sri Niharika Ganja and all the Taekwondo players for their outstanding achievement of securing five gold medals and a total of eight medals at the 8th Heroes Taekwondo International Championship held in Pattaya, Thailand.

Devi Sri clinched the gold medal in the Under-17 Single Poomsae category on August 10. The championship witnessed the participation of over 3,000 players from 27 countries.

Educational Excursion to Military Museum, Chhauni, Kathmandu

Mother Teresa Social Service Club of Senior School organised an educational excursion to the Military Museum in Chhauni, Kathmandu, on 23rd July.

According to Club In-charge Mr Shreedhar Subedi, the primary objective of the visit was to enable students to explore old manuscripts, inscriptions, and archaeological artifacts, thereby deepening their understanding of historical studies. The excursion also aimed to broaden students' knowledge of national history and instill a sense of respect for the sacrifices made by the armed forces in the service to the nation.

A total of thirty-four students from the Club participated in the programme, accompanied by Mr Shreedhar Subedi and Ms Renu BC.

During the visit, students studied a comprehensive timeline of Nepal's military history and explored various displays, including historical artifacts, memorabilia, and accounts of valour demonstrated by Nepali soldiers across



different eras. The exhibits spanned a wide range of topics, such as Gurkha legacy, significant battles, traditional and modern weaponry, and the overall evolution of Nepalese Army.

DAV School continues to organise educational tours, visits, excursions, and field trips both within the country and abroad every year. Such initiatives play a vital role in enhancing students' character development and expanding their learning beyond the confines of the classroom.

Family Jamboree of Grade VI

Dr. Govinda Tandan fondly remembered King Birendra Bir Bikram Shah Dev, Yogi Narahari Nath, and the late Shree Shankar Lal Kedia, founder of DAV School, for their significant contributions to the establishment of the World Hindu Organisation and Nepal's first World Hindu Conference.

The Family Jamboree for Grade VI, for the academic session 2025/26, was celebrated with great enthusiasm in Buddha Hall on 23rd July, 2025.

The event was graced by the esteemed presence of distinguished spiritual and religious guide Dr. Govinda Tandan, who served as the Chief Guest. Special guests included DAV Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia and Shree Basanta Kushwaha, Honourable Minister for Tourism and Commerce, Madhesh Pradesh. Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, warmly welcomed all the honoured guests and the respected parent community to the occasion. Middle School Co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi, in his welcome address, highlighted that the Family Jamboree is a signature event of the school, envisioned by the Principal exclusively for parents. Only the parents or guardians of Grade VI students were invited as the audience for the programme.

The formal programme commenced with customary rituals, including the welcoming of guests and parents, the ceremonial lighting of the lamp, and the singing of national anthem.

The students presented a remarkable array of performances, including classical dances inspired by the Ramayan and Mahabharat, featuring elements of Bharatnatyam and Kathak. A patriotic Nepali song celebrating national pride, as well as a melodious Hindi song, further enriched the cultural showcase. A thematic presentation exploring the relationship between robots and humans captivated the audience and encouraged thoughtful reflection on the future of humanity. The students also brought global diversity to the stage through international dances, an English song, and an energetic Bollywood performance that concluded the programme on a vibrant note.

Some enthusiastic fathers participated in entertaining games, uplifting the spirit of



the audience and encouraging students' participation. Winners were honoured immediately after the competitions by the distinguished guests.

Addressing the gathering, Dr. Govinda Tandan, spiritual guide of DAVSKVB School, praised initiatives such as traditional Yagya at the start of the academic year and school's vegetarian ethos. He emphasised that religion is rooted in kindness, love, and non-violence. He expressed great appreciation for the portrayal of Ramayan and Mahabharat through dance and patriotic Nepali performances.

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Dr. Tandan also commended Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia for sincerely following in his father's footsteps in the fields of education, spirituality, and social service, and extended his heartfelt best wishes for his continued success on that noble path.

Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, along with Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, expressed deep gratitude to Dr. Tandan for blessing the DAV community with his words of wisdom. Dr. Tandan is widely honoured for his dedicated work with the Pashupati Area Development Trust, Ram Mandir, and his initiatives in supporting street children and integrating various spiritual and educational efforts across the country. He also gifted his recently published book to the school library. CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater and all the School authorities were present to extend warm hospitality and welcome to the invited parents.

The Family Jamboree successfully rekindled a spiritual and cultural atmosphere among the parent community, in alignment with the ideals of Dayananda Anglo Vedic (DAV) movement.

Harsh Vardhan Rathi Secures First Position in Under-15 Himalayan 100 Rajendra KC Memorial Chess Tournament



Harsh Vardhan Rathi, a student of Grade IX 'G', clinched the first position in the

under-15 Himalayan 100 Rajendra KC Memorial Chess Tournament, held in the capital on 20th July. In recognition of his outstanding performance, he was awarded a cash prize of Rs. 5,000 along with a trophy. The school community extends its heartiest congratulations to Harsh Vardhan and wishes him continued success in his entire future endeavour.

DAV SKVB Celebrates Guru Purnima with a Heartfelt Tribute to Its Teaching Fraternity



DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School marked the auspicious occasion of Guru Purnima with a grand and emotionally resonant celebration on the evening of 9th July in Buddha Hall, paying homage to its revered teaching community — the true pillars of the institution.

The event was graced by the esteemed presence of Hon'ble Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia and the First Lady Shreemati Sunita Kedia, alongside Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, SSO, HR Officer, wing and faculty co-ordinators, and the entire teaching and administrative staff.

A highlight of the evening was the ceremonial felicitation of the Chairperson and the First Lady. The administrative team honoured them on stage with traditional khadas, bouquets, and shawls, followed by a standing ovation from the entire faculty. They were hailed as the first Gurus of DAV SKVB — visionary figures whose steadfast dedication and values have been the guiding force behind the school's growth and excellence for over three decades.

The programme commenced with a heartfelt welcome and expressions of gratitude to the educators who have tirelessly nurtured generations of learners and contributed to DAV's global reputation. In a deeply moving address, the Principal paid tribute to the teaching fraternity, describing them as "guardians of wisdom, carriers of culture, and builders of character."

In his address, the Chairperson reflected on the noble stature of the teaching profession, asserting that it is the most respected of all. He highlighted the pivotal role of teachers in shaping individuals of character and humanity. Citing the

remarkable achievements of DAV alumni across the globe, he expressed pride in the fact that many have been admitted to and are working in world-renowned institutions. He emphasised that such accomplishments would not have been possible without the unwavering commitment and values instilled by the teachers.

Drawing from his vast knowledge of Hindu and Buddhist traditions, the Chairperson shared the spiritual significance of Guru Purnima and expressed particular appreciation for the 10-day Vipassana programme recently introduced at DAV, hoping for the continuation of such meaningful initiatives in the future.

Reflecting on the role of educators in an increasingly dynamic world, the Principal remarked, "While machines can deliver information, only a teacher can awaken minds, nurture resilience, and shape dreams." She underscored the indispensable human touch in education, even amid the wave of technological transformation.

Quoting the timeless Sanskrit verse — "Gurur Brahma, Gurur Vishnu, Gurur Devo Maheshwara" — the Principal eloquently conveyed the spiritual and cultural reverence bestowed upon Gurus in South Asian tradition. Teachers, she affirmed, are not only academic guides but moral beacons, empathetic mentors, and silent heroes whose sacrifices often go unnoticed.

She also acknowledged the increasing challenges faced by educators today — from evolving classroom dynamics to rising societal expectations — and praised their patience, perseverance, and quiet strength as the true architects of the nation's future.

Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal also extended his best wishes to all teachers on

this special day. He reiterated that DAV was founded with a noble vision and commended the teachers for transforming that vision into reality, making DAV one of the most distinguished institutions in the world.

Adding to the celebratory spirit, the prestigious Star Teachers Award for the Academic Session 2024-25 was conferred upon outstanding educators who have made a significant impact on the lives of hundreds of students. Adding to this, all the teachers were honoured with a memorable gift by the School management.

The evening featured captivating performances by teachers from the Kindergarten, Junior School, Middle School, Senior School, Dance Department, and Music Department. Through songs, dances, and enactments, they showcased their creative talents and deep commitment to the school community.

The event concluded on an uplifting note, reminding all that every act of teaching is a seed sown for future transformation. Following the celebration, a joyous get-together and feast were organised in the school canteen, where all teachers gathered to continue the evening in fellowship and appreciation.

Participation in Solid Waste Management Training



Parthana Shrestha of Grade IX 'C' and Sansi Maharjan of Grade IX 'F', representing the Friends of Zoo (FoZ), took part in a Solid Waste Management Training held at the Central Zoo on 3rd July.

According to Club In-charge Mr Pradeep Shrestha, the primary objective of the programme was to educate students on the various types of solid waste, the adverse effects of improper disposal, and effective methods for proper waste management.

Results of the Principal's Subject Sweepstakes of Mathematics for Middle School



The much-awaited results of the Principal's Subject Sweepstakes for Mathematics in the Middle School were announced in a special morning assembly. Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, in the presence of Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and Middle School Co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi, honoured the winners for their commendable participation and performance.

The awardees of this year's Mathematics sweepstakes were Lrina Thapa from Grade V 'E', Sumer Bajracharya from Grade VI 'A', Hapija Sekh from Grade VII 'H', and Jay Naulakha from Grade VIII 'J'. As per the guidelines of the sweepstakes, one student from each grade receives the award through

a fair and transparent selection process.

Middle School Activity In-charge, Mr. Surchen Shah, informed that the sweepstakes witnessed enthusiastic participation from hundreds of middle school students. A large number of students successfully solved and submitted the answers, making the competition highly competitive. Therefore, a lucky draw was conducted among the eligible participants to determine the final winners.

During the ceremony, Principal extended her heartfelt congratulations to the winners and applauded the effort of all participants. She also encouraged students to continue engaging in such learning activities with enthusiasm and curiosity.

Pragya and Harsh Vardhan Secure Third and Fourth Positions in Inter-School Chess Competition



Pragya Pant of Grade X 'C' and Harsh Vardhan Rathi of Grade IX 'G' achieved remarkable success by securing the third and fourth positions respectively in the 5th Triyog Inter-School Chess Competition, held at Triyog School on 20th and 21st July 2025.

Competing in the senior category among 400 participants, both students stood out for their strategic skills and focus. A total of 15 students represented DAV School in the event—seven in the junior category and eight in the senior category. They were accompanied by Mr Sanjay Aryal and Ms Rhea Dahal from Physical Education and Sports Department.

The DAV School family proudly congratulates Pragya, Harsh Vardhan, and all the participating students for their commendable performance and wishes them continued success in their future competitions.

Results of the Principal's Subject Sweepstakes for Mathematics (Grades IX to XII)



The results of the Principal's Subject Sweepstakes for Mathematics were announced during the morning assembly on 23rd July 2025.

The recipients of this prestigious award were Sayusa Maskey of Grade IX 'E', Kristika Yadav of Grade X 'A', Shambhavi Gurubacharya of Grade XI 'C', and Nikhat Banu of Grade XII 'A'.

As per the rules of the Sweepstakes, one student were selected from each grade. According to the Activity In-charges, hundreds of senior school students participated enthusiastically in the competition. Since a large number of students submitted correct answers, a lucky draw was held to determine the winners.

Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, in the presence of Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, congratulated the winners and presented them with their awards immediately after the announcement.

DAV School organises the Principal's Subject Sweepstakes for English, Science, and Mathematics each year with the aim of broadening students' horizon of knowledge. Only students who solve and submit correct answers are included in the final lucky draw.

Grade I 'D' and 'H' Students Enjoy Heartwarming Interaction with the Principal



On July 28, 2025, the students of Grade I 'D' and 'H' sections had the delightful opportunity to spend quality time with their Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, in her office.

During the visit, the Principal warmly interacted with the young learners, eager to know how they were feeling. The students joyfully expressed that they were happy, bringing a smile to Principal's face. With genuine curiosity, she encouraged them to observe and share what they could see around Principal's Office. The children excitedly pointed out small objects and details from every corner of the room—a moment that their class teachers, Ms. Radhika Ale and Ms. Jamita Khanal, described as truly heartwarming.

Principal also asked the students if they

knew the name of school's Chairman, and invited them to share a story with her. One enthusiastic student stepped forward and narrated a story, which the Principal listened attentively and appreciatively.

Before they left, Principal warmly encouraged the students to visit her office again in future. The visit was facilitated by Junior School Co-ordinator Mr. Andrew Fitz Patric, along with their respective class teachers. The group was warmly welcomed to Principal's Office by School Admin Officer, Mr. Abhinav Mulmi.

Upon returning to their classrooms, the children expressed how sweet and kind they found the Principal to be. They were especially touched by the love and affection she showed towards their class teachers, deepening their admiration for her.

First Bagless Day of the Session and International Friendship Day Celebrated at DAV Kindergarten



On 31st July 2025, DAV Kindergarten marked the First Bagless Day of the session alongside the celebration of the International Friendship Day in a unique and joyful manner.

Bagless Day, also known as "No School Bag Day," encourages students to attend school without their usual backpacks and textbooks. Instead, they engage in activities that foster hands-on learning, skill development, and holistic education.

To commemorate the International Friendship Day, the kindergarten teachers took the children to Jetavan Hall at the Senior School for a special programme titled Movie with My Bestie. The little ones delighted in watching the movie Mufasa while enjoying popcorn and juice. The celebration also included the exchanging of friendship bands and cards, strengthening bonds of friendship among the students.

DAV School Celebrates France's National Day



On the occasion of France's National Day, La Fête Nationale, the Department of Foreign Languages at DAV School organised a vibrant and intellectually enriching programme featuring a French Orientation Session and a French Quiz Challenge. This special event

aimed to deepen students' understanding of French history, language, and culture while promoting global awareness and intercultural appreciation.

La Fête Nationale, widely known as Bastille Day, commemorates the Storming of the

Bastille — a defining moment in the French Revolution and a symbol of the universal values of liberty, equality, and fraternity. To mark this historic occasion, an engaging orientation session was conducted to introduce students to the cultural and historical relevance of the day. The session aimed to broaden perspectives, encourage cultural respect, and promote knowledge of Francophone traditions.

Complementing the orientation was the French Quiz Challenge, designed to make learning about France an enjoyable and interactive experience. Students enthusiastically participated in the quiz, which tested their knowledge across various themes including French history, famous personalities, landmarks, brands, and general culture.

Nepali Dance Wins First Position in Grade VI Family Jamboree, 2025

The results of Family Jamboree of Grade VI were announced by Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, in the special morning assembly held on 30th July, 2025. Nepali Dance emerged as the winner, securing the first position among eight vibrant performances.

Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and Middle School Co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi presented medals to the winners in recognition of their achievement.

The performances were evaluated by a team of parents from Grade V, who assessed each entry with great care. Following Nepali Dance, Bollywood Dance claimed the second position, while Bharatnatyam secured third. In total, the jamboree featured six dance performances and two songs, each showcasing the creativity and enthusiasm of the students.

In addition to student awards, Mr. Sujit Ranjitkar, a choreographer of the winning



Nepali Dance, was presented with a token of love for his guidance and dedication that led his team to victory.

While addressing the assembly, Principal praised the overall quality of all the performances, noting that each dance and song was commendable in its own right.

However, as per the rules of the competition, a winner must be selected. She encouraged students to continue pursuing music, dance, and enactment with the same spirit and passion reminding them that every participant has the potential to win the first position in future jamborees.

Celebration of World Population Day 2025 (Grades III to XII)

To mark the World Population Day, DAV School organised a series of engaging and awareness-raising activities for students from Grades V to XII on July 7. The global theme for this year's observance was "Empowering Young People to Create the Families They Want in a Fair and Hopeful World." In alignment with this theme, students enthusiastically participated in various class-specific events aimed at enhancing their understanding of population-related issues.

As a part of the celebration, students of Grades III and IV were shown a video to raise awareness about population explosion, its consequences, and the importance of balancing population growth with available resources. Meanwhile, Junior School Activity In-charge, Ms Anusha Rana, delivered a presentation highlighting the significance of World Population Day.

Students of Grade V watched a documentary related to population and global concerns, followed by a reflection-writing activity to express their thoughts and insights. Grade VI students took part in an Inter-section Quiz Competition, which included a wide range of questions related to health, environment, and population.



Grade VII students participated in a Comic Strip Competition in pairs, illustrating topics such as "The Future We Choose" or "Dream City." Meanwhile, Grade VIII students showcased their oratory skills in an Inter-section Speech Competition on the theme "Educate, Empower and Embrace Change for a Better World."

In the senior school, Grade IX students created Timeline Infographics depicting the population growth of any country over the past five decades. Grade X students engaged in a lively Inter-section Debate Competition on the thought-provoking topic "Population Growth: Crisis or Opportunity?"

Continuing the celebration, Grade XI students took part in a Poster Making Competition in which they presented five creative slogans based on the World Earth Day theme. Finally, Grade XII students demonstrated their critical thinking and writing abilities through an Essay Writing Competition on the topic "Overpopulation versus Overconsumption: Which Threatens the Planet More?"

All these activities were meticulously planned by Senior School Activity In-charge, Mr. Tankanath Ghimire, under the guidance of School Management. The winners of each competition were felicitated with certificates of achievement in due course.

Shree Krishna Janmashtami Celebration at DAV Kindergarten



DAV Kindergarten joyfully celebrated Shree Krishna Janmashtami on 15th August with a series of fun-filled competitions and activities. The young learners participated with great enthusiasm, showcasing their talents and festive spirit.

The Dahi Eating Competition for UKG B witnessed lively participation. Among the boys, Nischal Lakandri secured the first position, followed by Shorya Jangir in second place and Bishwas Bhatta in third. In the girls' category, Prasiddhi Khatiwada

stood first, while Aarya Pandey and Ashlesha Acharya claimed the second and third positions respectively.

The Radha Krishna Attire Competition for UKG B added a traditional charm to the event. In the boys' category, Shorya Jangir won first place, followed by Nawanit Tandukar in second and Ribic Maharjan in third. In the girls' group, Ashlesha Acharya came first, Sarvatmika Basyal secured second, and the third position was shared by Kairavi Rishal and Prasiddhi Khatiwada.

The Nursery students also participated with equal excitement. In the Radha Krishna Attire Competition, Jeevika Shrestha and Rishav Karna jointly secured first place, while Ujjawal Karki and Viraj Jain stood second and third. In the Dahi Eating Competition for Nursery, Rishav Karna claimed first position, followed by Jeevika Shrestha in second and Anvi Singh in third.

For the LKG section, the Attire Competition was won by Akshdeep Chaudhary, with Bhola Thakur and Yanjina Rokaya taking second and third positions. In the Dahi Eating Competition for LKG girls, Yanjina Rokaya stood first, Mia secured second place, and Sadhvi Bajracharya came third. Among the boys, Arham Rahman claimed the first prize, while Urgen Thokar and Diviyansh Bishwokarma secured second and third positions.

Similarly, in the Krishna Attire Competition for UKG A, Aaravi Tiwari won first place among the girls, followed by Aslesha Khadka and Manan Sthapit. In the boys' category, Kuljam Khatrī stood first, with Shreyas Shrestha and Machhindra Nath securing second and third positions respectively.

Inter House Stand-up Comedy held to Celebrate Gaijatra Festival



The Inter-House Stand-up Comedy Competition, organised as part of the Gaijatra Festival 2082 celebrations, was held in Jetavan Hall on 11th August in the gracious presence of Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal.

A total of 24 selected students from Grades V to VIII participated, each representing their respective houses. The competition provided a lively platform for students to showcase their wit and creativity, with performances infused with humour and satire highlighting various social issues. The event was adjudicated by

Senior School Activity In-charge Mr. Tanka Nath Ghimire and Senior School Nepali Language Teacher Mr. Dambar Bikel.

In Grade V, Saurabi Karki of Mt. Dhaulagiri House secured the first position, followed by Samarpan Thapa of Mt. Gaurishankar House in second place and Chandrima Ghosh of Mt. Lhotse House in third. From Grade VI, Sugam Adhikari of Mt. Lhotse House claimed the top spot, with Kritisha Lamsal of Mt. Dhaulagiri House and Tejash Shah of Mt. Gaurishankar House taking second and third positions respectively.

In Grade VII, Shivansh Man Kayastha of Mt. Lhotse House emerged victorious, followed by Dilip Chandra Pahadi of Mt. Kanchanjunga House in second place and Nischal Adhikari of Mt. Gaurishankar House in third. From Grade VIII, Namanshu Mishra of Mt. Kanchanjunga House won first place, while Sonam Yadav of Mt. Dhaulagiri House and Aadishree Paudel of Mt. Gaurishankar House secured the second and third positions respectively.

In the overall house tally, Mt. Lhotse House claimed first place, followed by Mt. Dhaulagiri House in second and Mt. Kanchanjunga House in third.

Addressing the gathering, Nepali Department Head Mr. Narayan Khatiwada expressed his delight at students' ability to engage with contemporary social issues through humour and satire. He also provided a brief insight into the origins and significance of Gaijatra Festival, explaining its cultural relevance and the important role that humour plays in uplifting society. His address concluded with an appreciation of the enthusiasm displayed by the participants and an encouragement for them to continue honing their creative expression.

Shrawan Celebration, 2082 at DAV School

DAV School celebrated the auspicious month of Shrawan with a vibrant cultural programme on 4th August 2025, honouring its female teaching staff and embracing one of Nepal's cherished traditions. The event highlighted the spiritual and cultural essence of Shrawan and featured a series of engaging and joyful activities.

The programme was graced by the esteemed presence of the First Lady, Shreemati Sunita Kedia, as the Chief Guest. She was warmly welcomed by Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, Chief Administrative Officer Ms. Vijaya Tater, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, and the entire teaching fraternity.

The celebration commenced with a traditional welcome of the First Lady, including the offering of a bouquet and khada, followed by the ceremonial lighting of the lamp. Ms. Renu B.C., Head of Mentorship Team, formally welcomed the guests and participants with a heartfelt speech.

The day was filled with an array of cultural performances. Teachers showcased their



talents through solo dances and ramp walk competitions, while groups from the Kindergarten, Junior School, and Middle School mesmerised the audience with their energetic dance presentations. Prior to the main event, a Mehendi Art Competition was organised in Pratik Hall, drawing participation from 57 female teachers.

The Shrawan Celebration was conceptualized by Principal, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, with the vision of strengthening the cultural bond among

teachers and aligning with the school's core theme as highlighted by Ms. Renu B.C.

The celebration concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Ms. Anamika Limbu, Junior School Management Representative. Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal expressed sincere gratitude to the First Lady for her gracious presence and lauded the teachers for their enthusiastic participation. He also reflected on the deeper value of such cultural observances in fostering community and connection.

Teej Especial Programme, 2082

DAV School joyfully organised a Teej especial Programme on 24th August in Buddha Hall, celebrating the vibrant spirit of the festival with great enthusiasm.

The event was graced by the benign presence of the First Lady, Shreemati Sunita Kedia, who attended as the Chief Guest. The programme, dedicated to the female teachers and mothers of DAV School, became a heart-warming occasion as she extended her affectionate wishes to all present, emphasising the values of love, care and togetherness that Teej embodies.

As a part of the celebration, teachers from Kindergarten to Senior School presented enchanting Teej songs and dances, beaming the hall with cultural vibrancy and colours. Adding further charm and delight, the invited mothers participated in a graceful ramp walk competition and dance performances, creating an atmosphere of elegance and joy.

Despite his demanding schedule, Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia attended the celebration to honour the female teachers and mothers of DAV. In his address, he highlighted DAV's initiative



to celebrate diverse festivals as a way to preserve cultural heritage and pass it on to future generations. He reflected on the spiritual significance of Lord Shiva and Goddess Parvati, encouraging everyone to understand the deeper essence of Teej. Stressing the importance of respecting women, he beautifully remarked that divinity resides where women are revered. He further captivated the audience by reciting two soulful shayaris, which added poetic grace and joy to the celebration.

The festival was thoughtfully planned under the leadership of Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, strengthening the sense

of family, unity and cultural pride among teachers and parents alike. Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater warmly welcomed the Chief Guest and invited mothers. The moderators of the programme were Mr. Narayan Khatriwada (HoD, Nepali) and Mr. Purushottam Rijal (HoD, Sanskrit), who kept the audience engaged throughout. Ms. Shanti Gurung (Kindergarten Coordinator) delivered the welcome speech, while Ms. Renu BC (Head of Mentorship Team) proposed the vote of thanks. The celebration concluded with a sumptuous delicacy Teej feast served at the school canteen.

Classical Evening with Raag and Taal and Annual Award Ceremony

Sushila Arts Academy, in collaboration with DAV School, organised a Classical Evening of Raag and Taal along with the Annual Award Ceremony of Prayaag Sangeet Samiti, Allahabad, on 17th August at the school premises.

The event was graced by Ms. Yulia Koirala, Founder of Sushila Arts Academy, Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, the Principal of DAVSKVB School, and Shashi Ji Ramesh from Prayaag Sangeet Samiti, Allahabad, India. The presence of Ms. Anju Bhattarai, Founder Principal of Akshara School, and actress Ms. Niti Shah from the Nepali Film Industry added charm to the occasion. Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater, along with school authorities and teachers, warmly welcomed the invited guests, parents and well-wishers.

The cultural programme began with Raag Bhupali, followed by the national anthem and a welcome speech delivered by Ms. Yulia Koirala. Students then presented a variety of performances, including a Kathak group dance, a Bharatnatyam group dance by beginners, a duet song, a solo Bharatnatyam performance by Jiya Jha, a Bharatnatyam dance by Grade IV students, a solo Kathak performance, a vocal solo Naam Gum Jaayega, a Bharatnatyam dance by senior students, and a special Bharatnatyam solo by the guest artist from India.

The highlight of the evening was the Annual Award Distribution Ceremony. Certificates were presented to students pursuing the Diploma Course of Prayaag Sangeet Samiti, Allahabad, India. The students who completed the first-year Diploma Course were Sambidhi Giri, Mona Mishra, Arshiya Poudel, Aarohi



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Devkota, Samyukta Thapa, Sadira Thapa, Anushka Bhansali, Chahat Rakhecha, Shanaya Agrawal, Hemakshi Agarwal and Shambhavi Basyal.

Students who completed both the first and second-year Diploma Courses were also honoured. They were Prashreka Dangol, Rasuka Dangol, Rihansee Mehta, Manasweenee Raut, Nibha Dangol, Anushree Karki, Nidhi Das, Ananyaa Risal, Minoli Karki, Pragalva Luitel, Aanya Jha, Ananya Gupta, Ganga Nahata, Khushi Goyal, Ruparna Dey and Vedanshi Kedia.

In addition, Anaya Singh, Jiya Jha and Ananya Singh were recognised for successfully completing three years of the Diploma Course. Ms. Shreejana Shrestha, Dance HoD of DAV School, guest artist Shashi Ji Ramesh, and the teachers of Sushila Arts Academy associated with DAVSKVB School were also felicitated with tokens of love and appreciation.

The evening also included a competition. In the dance category, Jiya Jha won first place, followed by Rasuka Dangol as first runner-up and Anya Jha as second runner-up. In the Kathak category, Lavya Nidhi secured first place, with Krishma Shrestha and Sayamta Budhathoki as first and second runner-up respectively. In the vocal category, Hanaa Maharjan was declared the winner, while Preetishree Shrestha and Rihana Mangranti won the first and second runner-up positions. All the winners were honoured with trophies and certificates. The first position winners in each category were specially recognised with a one-year scholarship.

The programme concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Middle School Co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi. The moderators of the programme were Prince Agrawal and Angel Bajaj of Grade XII 'C'.

Fun Swimming Day for DAV Kindergarten Students



On 6th August, the little children of DAV Kindergarten (Nursery, LKG, and UKG) enjoyed a fun swimming day at Bulls Club, Nakhhu, Lalitpur. The event was planned as a fun and relaxing activity, giving the children a chance to play in the water safely.

Mr. Purnendu Ghosh, Head of the Sports Department, said the aim was to let the children enjoy swimming in a simple way, without focusing on formal lessons.

Kindergarten Co-ordinator Ms. Shanti Gurung and all the Kindergarten teachers went along to take care of the children and make sure they were safe.

Ms. Gurung shared that the children made the pool lively with their happy splashes and laughter. The teachers also said it was a joy to see the children having such a great time in the water. The day was full of fun and laughter, and the children went home with happy memories.

Me and My Profession: A Talk Programme with the Parents of Different Profession



DAV School organised a series of "Me and My Profession" programmes- a talk programme with the parents of different profession from 12th to 15th August 2025 for students of Grades V to XII.

This initiative, led by the Parental Involvement Team, aimed to inspire students through interactive sessions with professionals, who are all proud parents of DAV School. The programme offered students valuable exposure to diverse professions, highlighting the skills, qualifications, and dedication needed to succeed in different fields.

On 12th August, sessions were conducted for Grades V and VI. Dr. Puja Shrestha, a Public Health and Infectious Diseases Specialist and Researcher, interacted with Grade V students, while Ms. Neelam Sarawagi, a Wellness Trainer, addressed Grade VI. Both speakers engaged students enthusiastically, encouraging them to ask questions and fostering curiosity about their future careers.

On 13th August, the programme continued for Grades VII and VIII. Mr. Sanjay Kumar Dahal, Officer at the Nepal Telecommunication Authority, Babarmahal, Kathmandu, spoke to Grade VII students, while Mr. Dipesh Bhattarai, Academic Supervisor at Global College of Management, Kathmandu, addressed Grade VIII. They broadened students' perspectives on their respective fields and encouraged them to develop the essential skills for success.

On 14th August, the focus shifted to the senior school, with sessions for Grades IX and X held in Indu Hall. Mr. Rajesh Khanal, Head of Department (IBDP) at Ullens School, Khumaltar, Lalitpur, spoke to Grade IX students, sharing his professional journey and the dedication required to excel. Mr. Prasanna Krishna Das, Former Executive Member of the Nepal Bar Association, inspired Grade X students with insights into the legal profession, its challenges, and rewards.

On 15th August, students of Grades XI and XII had the opportunity to learn from distinguished professionals. Dr. Rajesh Gurubacharya, Paediatrician at Nirvana Child Health Clinic, Kathmandu, addressed Grade XI, highlighting the importance of compassion and skill in medicine. Mr. Keshav Raj Gnawali, a Research Consultant from Kathmandu, engaged Grade XII students with his experiences across teaching, telecommunications, and research, stressing the value of critical thinking and innovation.

Across all sessions, the guest speakers were warmly welcomed on behalf of School Management by Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, Middle School Co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi, and SEE In-charge of Grade IX and X Mr. Narayan Khatiwada. The speakers praised DAV School for providing such a meaningful and inspiring platform and expressed their hope that the programme would continue in the future.

Visit to Nepal SBI Bank Ltd, Patan



The Department of Social Studies organised a bank visit for the 30 selected students of Grade X (CBSE) to Nepal SBI Bank Ltd., Patan Branch, on 19th August, 2025.

The objective of the visit was to familiarise students with banking activities. During the programme, the students had the opportunity to interact with the Bank Manager, Mr. Arun Man Kayastha, Credit In-charge Ms. Suruchi Shahi, Operational In-charge Ms. Shriya, and Customer Service Officer Ms. Diksha Paudel.

Through these interactions, the students gained a clearer understanding of banking processes as the officials explained various aspects in detail.

The students were accompanied by HoD of Social Studies Ms. Aarti Sharma and Social Studies Teacher Mr. Aakash Bishwokarma.

DAV School's Support for the Educational Initiative of Nepali Movie "Mohar"



All the teachers and staff of DAV School, together with Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and CAO Ms. Vijaya Tater attended a special screening of the educational Nepali movie "Mohar" at QFX Cinema, Labim Mall on 21st August 2025.

Prior to the screening, the film's director and story writer, Mr. Om Prateek, along with producer Mr. Chumban Jung Shahi and legal advisor Ms. Shristi Raut, visited the venue. They expressed heartfelt gratitude to school management and teachers for their encouragement and support, and invited the audience to share

their feedback through the film's official Facebook pages. On this occasion, DAV Chairperson and Principal also engaged in a brief interaction with the team and conveyed their best wishes for the success of the project.

In a similar gesture, the lead actor of the film, Mr. Paul Shah, visited the hall before the intermission and warmly thanked DAV family for taking time to watch the movie. Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia and Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao, in turn, extended their good wishes to him for continued success in his film journey.

The film "Mohar" reflects the realities of Old Nepal and sheds light on the practice of Deuki Pratha, while also addressing the struggles of girls burdened by poverty, early marriage and lack of educational opportunities. It stars Mr. Paul Shah, Ms. Niti Shah and Ms. Benisha Hamal in the long list.

According to production team member, Ms. Raut, the funds collected from the film's screenings in the USA and Canada will be directed towards supporting the education of children in rural and remote areas of Nepal.

Vedanshi Secures Third Position in Inter-School Nepali Poetry Competition



Vedanshi Dumre, a student of Grade V 'A', secured third place in the Inter-School Nepali Verse Poetry Recitation Competition organised by Kanjirowa School to mark the 160th Motijayanti Celebration.

The competition witnessed the participation of 21 schools from across the Kathmandu Valley. Vedanshi was awarded a certificate, a medal, and gift hamper for her achievement. She was accompanied by Nepali language teacher Ms. Sangita Thapa.

Sharing and Caring at the Orphanage Home in Nakhudol



The Mother Teresa Social Service Club organised a visit to an orphanage home in Nakhudol, Lalitpur, on 28th August, 2025.

A total of 33 students from Grades V to XII, together with three teachers — Ms. Arati Sharma (HOD), Ms. Kusum Lama, and Mr. Shreedhar Subedi — participated in the programme. On this occasion, the club members donated stationery items, storybooks, and lunch boxes to the children of the orphanage.

The orphanage, which currently shelters around 40 children, is managed by Ms. Rita Rai. She shared with the visiting teachers how she has been caring for the children with dedication.

According to the Club In-charge, Mr. Shreedhar Subedi, the students interacted warmly with the children, introducing themselves and learning about one another's lives. Within a short time, they built a strong bond and enjoyed dancing together. The students also served lunch prepared for the children and joined them in singing and dancing, creating an atmosphere of joy.

The programme reflected the school's theme EACH, which inspires students to cultivate cultural sensitivity and social responsibility. Many students were deeply moved to see how the children lived without parents and expressed their wish to spend more time with them.

Celebration of 8th Janardan Smriti Sanskrit Diwas, 2082

DAV School celebrated the 8th Janardan Smriti Sanskrit Diwas on 28 August, inviting 19 Sanskrit Gurukuls and schools to take part in the event.

The programme was graced by the presence of Chief Guest Prof. Dr. Jagat Prasad Upadhyaya from Nepal Sanskrit University, along with DAV Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, Vice-Principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, Ms. Rita Ghimire (spouse of Late Janardan Ghimire), Associate Professor Mr. Prem Raj Neupane from Nepal Sanskrit University, and Mr. Rohini Raj Timilsina, Assistant Lecturer at Tribhuvan University.

The school organised inter-school competitions in three categories: Sanskrit Extempore, Shlokbachan and Bhajangayan. The Shlokbachan competition witnessed the participation of 21 schools, while 13 schools competed in Bhajangayan and 10 schools in Extempore.

The judges for Shlokbachan were Mr. Prem Raj Neupane, Mr. Narayan Khatiwada (Head of the Nepali Department, DAV School), and Music Teacher Mr. Saroj Adhikari. The Extempore judges were Mr. Rohini Raj Timilsina, Ms. Shanta Kumari Thapa and Mr. Sudarshan Adhikari. The Bhajangayan competition was judged by Mr. Raju Singh, Mr. Purushottam Pokharel and Mr. Ramhari Poudel.

In the Sanskrit Extempore competition, Aachal Basel from Wag Gurukulam secured first place, followed by Vinay Shree Sapkota from Mahesh Sanskrit Gurukulam in second, Mahendra Acharya from Sanskrit Madhyamik Vidyalaya in third, and Pranav Dhungel from Naimisaranya Sanskrit Gurukulam receiving the consolation award. Anish Tripathi from Nepal Ved Vidyashram won the Best Speaker Award.

In the Shlokbachan competition, Nepal Ved Vidyashram secured first position, followed by Mahesh Sanskrit Gurukulam, Gagadguru Aadarsha Sanskrit Gurukulam and Jugal Nawa Gurukulam in second, third and consolation positions respectively. Nirmal Khanal from Shree Venkatesh Gurukulam Vidyalaya received the Melodious Shlokbachan Award.

In Bhajangayan, Apex Life School won first place, followed by Naimisaranya Sanskrit Gurukulam in second and Panini School in third. Khushi BK from Jugal Nawa



Reflecting on DAV School's journey, Shree Kedia emphasised that the institution has been teaching Sanskrit for 33 years, and he expressed delight at seeing many schools across Nepal now teaching the subject

Gurukulam won the consolation award, while the Melodious Bhajangayan Award went to Nepal Ved Vidyashram.

In the overall results, Nepal Ved Vidyashram claimed first place and was awarded the running trophy of the 8th Janardan Smriti Sanskrit Diwas and Inter-School Sanskrit Competition.

Addressing the gathering, Chief Guest Prof. Dr. Upadhyaya warmly appreciated DAV School for keeping the legacy of Late Janardan Ghimire alive. He fondly remembered him as a devoted Sanskrit scholar who made remarkable contributions through his published book *Shabda Sandoha* and his establishment of the Gaurishankar Sanskrit Gram in Dolakha. He also recalled Swami Dayananda Saraswati, who spread the Vedic and Sanatan civilisation to the Western world. Prof. Dr. Upadhyaya highlighted that Sanskrit is not just a language as it also embodies culture, science and civilisation itself.

Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia, with deep gratitude, recalled his father, Late Shree Shankar Lal Kedia, who founded a Sanskrit school at a time when Western civilisation was overshadowing the East. As the founder of the World Hindu Organisation, Shankar Lal Kedia had initiated many revolutionary actions to preserve and

promote Vedic civilisation and culture. He had also built a close bond with Late Janardan Ghimire due to their shared vision.

Reflecting on DAV School's journey, Shree Kedia emphasised that the institution has been teaching Sanskrit for 33 years, and he expressed delight at seeing many schools across Nepal now teaching the subject. He praised Janardan Ghimire's immense contribution towards preserving and promoting Sanskrit and firmly stated that learning Sanskrit helps individuals become spiritual, disciplined, moral, cultured, and ultimately saintly. He further remarked that DAV students have excelled globally due to the cultural foundation instilled in them and heartily welcomed all Sanskrit scholars to visit the School time and again.

Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal extended heartfelt gratitude to all dignitaries and participants for their presence at the programme held in honour of Late Janardan Ghimire. He further stressed that the vision of establishing Sanskrit Grams must be carried forward as a shared responsibility of all eminent scholars.

The closing ceremony was moderated by Mr. Purushottam Rijal, Head of Sanskrit Department, and Mr. Niranjan Khatiwada.

Kathmandu Valley Level Inter School Nepali Ghazal Singing Competition on the Occasion of 160th Motijayanti



The Chief Guest Mr. Gautam expressed his delight, stating that he had never witnessed a ghazal programme of such scale and standard in Nepal before

Nepali Department and Devkota Nepali Club of DAVSKVB School organised Kathmandu Valley Level Inter School Nepali Ghazal Singing Competition on the occasion of 160th Motijayanti in Buddha Hall on August 24.

The programme was graced by the presence of renowned ghazal writer and singer, Mr. Thaneshwor Gautam, and Vice-principal, Mr. Ramchandra Khanal. Out of 35 schools that showed great interest in participating, 10 schools were selected on a first-come basis. DAV School also presented a ghazal as non-participant.

According to Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, the main objective of the competition was to honour the contribution of the youth poet Motiram Bhatta, the first ghazal writer in Nepali literature.

The participating schools included Modern Indian School, Nirvana Academy, Pathshala School Baneshwor, Aadarsha Vidya Mandir, Little Angel's School, Bijeshwori Gyan Mandir Sainik Mahavidyalaya, Kanjirowa National School, Panini School, Jugal Nawa Gurukul and Ujjwol Tara School. Students performed timeless Nepali ghazals along with some popular modern ones.

The Chief Guest Mr. Gautam expressed his delight, stating that he had never witnessed a ghazal programme of such scale and standard in Nepal before. He also shared that ghazal singing can be pursued as a profession, noting that his own ghazal performances have taken him to more than 50 countries. To the audience's joy, he performed two of

his most popular ghazals—Birseyera Sringarma Gazal Lagaenachheu and Bechera Sapana—which added further charm to the celebration.

Vice-principal praised the Chief Guest for establishing a unique identity in the field of Nepali ghazal and noted that many young people consider him an ideal ghazal singer for his depth and devotion. He further expressed hope that such competitions of the students would inspire Mr. Gautam to bring more ghazals into Nepali music industry. He also highlighted that the tradition of organising this programme began 15 years ago and has since been conducted every year on the occasion of Motijayanti, with 10 schools participating on a first-come basis.

Head of Nepali Department, Mr. Narayan Khatiwada, welcomed the guests and briefly spoke about the role of Motiram Bhatta in introducing ghazal to Nepali literature through the formation of Moti Mandali. The panel of judges included Mr. Purushottam Rijal, Mr. Ramhari Paudel and Mr. Damber Bikel.

As per the results, Bedraj Dhungana of Modern Indian School (MIS) secured the first position. Grishma Adhikari of Bijeshwori Gyan Mandir Sainik Awasiya Mahavidyalaya and Pragvik Khatiwada of Ujjwol Tara School won the second and third positions respectively. They were awarded trophies, medals and certificates of merit by the Chief Guest and Vice-principal.

Special awards were also presented to deserving participants. Khushi BK of

Jugal Nawa Gurukul won the Melodious Singing Award, while Rushma Paudel of Panini School received the Emerging Singing Award. From DAV School, Pragyan Adhikari won the Outstanding Singing Award with his captivating performance, supported by Aarsh Ghimire on the flute and DAV's music teachers.

The moderators of the programme were Samipya Paudel of Grade X and Sarbani Subedi of Grade IX. Overall, the Kathmandu Valley Level Inter-School Nepali Ghazal Singing Competition and the celebration of the 160th Motijayanti was a grand success.

Culinary Workshop on the Eve of Janai Purnima



On 8th August 2025, a total of 20 selected students from Grade V and VI participated in a special culinary workshop held in Home Science Lab of the Senior School to mark the eve of Janai Purnima (Rakshya Bandhan).

Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal visited the workshop, offering words of encouragement to the young participants. Delighted to see the students preparing varieties of foods alongside their teachers, he engaged them in conversation, inquiring whether they assist their parents in the kitchen at home. He expressed his wish that they continue to help their families with the same enthusiasm they displayed during the workshop.

According to Vasudha Eco Club In-charge and HPE teacher Ms. Kusum Lama, the event aimed to celebrate Janai Purnima while enhancing students' culinary skills. The collaborative spirit between teachers and students, as they prepared and enjoyed the foods together, made the day both joyful and memorable. It was truly inspiring to witness the dedication and excitement of all the students.

Outstanding Performance by Shivansh in Inter- School Swimming



Shivansh Man Kayastha, a student of Grade VII 'E', delivered an exceptional performance in 4th School Level Swimming Championship 2025, held on 2nd August at Tushal Multi Venue, Manamaiju, Kathmandu.

Representing DAV School, Shivansh competed in the Under-12 Boys' category in the 50-meter butterfly, 50-meter freestyle, and 50-meter backstroke events, securing gold medals and first positions in all three. Additionally, he participated in the 100-meter freestyle mixed relay, where his team secured the fourth position.

In recognition of his remarkable achievement, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji congratulated and honoured Shivansh during the morning assembly on 6th August 2025. Shivansh's overall performance earned him the fourth position in Inter-School Championship.

Labour Donation



Mother Teresa Social Service Club organised a Labour Donation Programme on 7th August 2025 at Saraswati Temple, Jhamsikhel. Sixty-one selected club members from Grades V to XII participated in the event with great enthusiasm and joy.

DAV Crowned Cricket Champions



DAV clinched the title of the first RRA Running Shield Cricket Tournament on Thursday, 15th August, 2025, defeating LRI by 51 runs. The match was held at the ground of the organiser, Radiant Readers Academy. The champions, DAV, received a cash prize of Rs. 30,000, while the runners-up, LRI, took home Rs. 15,000.

Batting first, DAV scored 84 runs for the loss of 5 wickets in the allotted 10 overs. Prashiddha Jaisi contributed 37 runs off 13 balls, while Farhan Ansari added 11 runs from 6 balls. LRI's captain, Abhi Thapaliya, took 3 wickets.

In reply, LRI were all out for just 33 runs in 9.4 overs. Abhi was the top scorer with

6 runs. For DAV, Prashiddha Jaisi took 3 wickets, while Kamal Shahi claimed 2.

Prashiddha was named Player of the Tournament, having scored 135 runs and taken 8 wickets. He was also awarded Best Batter. LRI's Abhi Thapaliya was recognised as Best Bowler.

The winners were awarded by Roshan Singh, Vice President of the Cricket Association of Nepal; DK Dhungana, Founder Principal of Radiant Readers and other dignitaries. The tournament featured 15 teams, including two from the organisers, competing in a combination of league and knockout format.

Sahil Singh Ujjain Won Third Position in Inter School Poem Writing Competition

Sahil Singh Ujjain, a student of Grade XI, secured third position in Inter School Hindi Poem Writing Competition held at Nepal-India Friendship Library on August 23. He was honoured with a certificate of achievement and awards immediately after the competition.

The event was jointly organised by Himalini Gyankunj and the Embassy of India. The competition saw the participation of students and teachers from all CBSE schools across the Kathmandu Valley. From DAV, Akshat Mishra of Grade XI and Vaibhav Agrawal of Grade XII also took part, reciting a poem written by Atal Bihari Vajpayee. The Hindi Language Teacher of DAV School, Ms. Indu Thakur, gave a presentation on the biography and literary contributions of the late Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee, who also served as the Prime Minister of India.

Since 2025, Himalini Magazine, in collaboration with the Embassy of India, has been organising monthly literary gatherings in the capital to honour the contributions of renowned Indian literary figures whose birth anniversaries fall in the respective month.



Inter-House Swimming Competition, 2025



The Department of Physical Education, in collaboration with Sports Club, successfully organized Inter-House Swimming Competition, 2025 at Bulls Club, Nakkhu, Lalitpur, on 5th and 6th of August.

The event was conducted separately for boys and girls, with boys competing on 5th August and girls on 6th August. Participation was open only to students who could swim independently. According to Mr. Purnendu Ghosh, Head of Sports Department, the competition saw the active participation of 75 boys and 56 girls from Grades V to XII. Additionally, 16 young swimmers from Junior School (Grades I to IV) also took part, bringing the total number of participants to 147.

The swimmers competed in three different categories—Freestyle, Breaststroke, and

Backstroke — organised class-wise. Sports teachers accompanied and supervised the participants throughout the event.

Mr. Ghosh stated, “The objective of the Inter-House Swimming Competition was to promote swimming as a complete physical activity that helps in building muscular and skeletal strength through aerobic exercise.”

Winners of the competition were awarded certificates of achievement in recognition of their performance.

In addition to the competition, Kindergarten students were also taken to Bulls Club on 6th August for a fun and recreational swimming experience, allowing the youngest learners to enjoy water play in a safe and joyful environment.

Krishma Shrestha Named 'Star Performer for the Month of July 2025' in Kathak



Krishma Shrestha, a student of Grade IX 'E', has been awarded the prestigious title of Star Performer for the Month of July 2025 in Kathak by Sushila Arts Academy.

In recognition of her achievement, Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji honoured Krishma during the morning assembly held on 6th August 2025. He congratulated her on this accomplishment and extended his best wishes for her continued success in the field of classical dance.

Inter Club/Inter House Rakhi Making Competition

In accordance to Nepal Panchanga Nirnayak Bikash Samiti, the Rakshya Bandhan Festival was celebrated on 9th August (Shrawan 24, 2082).

To commemorate the occasion, students from Grades V to XII enthusiastically participated in an Inter-Club and Inter House Rakhi Making Competitions held on 7th August in the school auditoriums. The celebration of such national festivals reflects the school's mission to connect students with their country and society, fostering pride in their heritage, culture, and identity. In line with this vision, DAV School has adopted the theme EACH—Empowering Academic Excellence, Cultural Sensitivity, and Holistic Well-being of Each Student—for the current academic session, with this programme forming an integral part of the theme's objectives.

A total of 156 students from Grades V to XII took part in the competition, showcasing

their creativity and the spirit of siblinghood through vibrant and artistic rakhis. The event was organised by the Uttam Kiran Art Club in the presence of Senior School Activity In-charge Mr. Tankanath Ghimire, Grades VII and VIII Activity In-charge Mr. Surchen Shah, and Grades V and VI Activity In-charge Mr. Santosh Rai. The panel of judges comprised Art HoD Mr. Rajumuni Bajracharya and Uttam Kiran Art Club In-charge Ms. Samita Maharjan.

In the Inter-Club category, the Mother Teresa Social Service Club secured first place, followed by Kabir Sahitya Samaj in second place, while six different clubs shared third place. In the House category, Mt. Annapurna House won first place in the Grades V and VI category; Mt. Dhaulagiri House claimed first place in the Grades VII and VIII category; Mt. Dhaulagiri House also topped the Grades IX and X category; and Mt. Kanchanja



House emerged victorious in the Grades XI and XII category. The second and third position holders across all categories were equally appreciated for their innovative artistic talent.

Rakhis crafted by the students were displayed on the school display boards at the entrances and corridors of both Shankar Sadan and Indu Sadan. The winners were honoured with merit certificates in recognition of their outstanding work.

Dance Teachers from Kathmandu Valley Participate in a One-Day Workshop on Dance and Movement at DAV



Dance teachers from 29 well-known schools and dance academies across Kathmandu Valley took part in a one-day Workshop on Dance and Movement at DAV School on 18th August, 2025.

The workshop was jointly organised by Sushila Arts Academy and DAV School. Ms Yulia Koirala, Founder of Sushila Arts Academy, warmly welcomed the teachers and wished for the successful completion of the programme. She highlighted the importance of such workshops, training sessions and interactions among schools in building a strong network of dance teachers who can share their knowledge and experiences.

The session was conducted by Sashi Ji Ramesh from Prayaag Sangeet Samiti, Allahabad, India. She gave insightful presentations and involved the participants in various dance styles, including Bharatnatyam, Kathak, Odissi, Russian Ballet, Nepali and Hip-hop. The workshop was held from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

At the end of the programme, all the participating teachers were awarded Certificates of Achievement. Altogether, 58 teachers attended the workshop.

The schools and academies that participated included Deerwalk Sifal, Parijat School, Sushila Arts Academy, DAV School, Budhanilkantha School, Akshara School, The British School, Police School, Ullens School, Savayta School, VS Niketan, Ideal Model School, Sainik School, Aastha Kala Kendra, St Mary's School, Little Angels' School, Pathshala Nepal, Pragati Adarsh, Nepal APF School, Kathmandu Pragya Kunja School, Reliance School, Kantipur School, Kendriya Vidyalaya, Embassy of India, Kathmandu University High School, Nepal Police School, Apex School, Chelsea School, APF School and Kamyak School.



Students are presenting a Cultural Programme in the Investiture Ceremony.

Prasiddha Jaishi Honoured for Exceptional Performance in ACC Men's Under-16 East Zone Cup



Prasiddha Jaishi, Captain of DAV Cricket Team, was felicitated by Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao with a token of love in recognition of his outstanding performance in the ACC Men's Under-16 East Zone Cup, held in Malaysia. The felicitation ceremony took place in the presence of Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal and Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji.

The Principal commended Prasiddha for his remarkable contribution in the tournament and lauded his dedication, skill, and sportsmanship. She also extended her heartfelt wishes for his continued success and a bright future in the cricket.

An Outstanding Aerial View of DAV Futsal Ground



School Inaugurates Futsal Ground on the Occasion of 9th Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Futsal Tournament



DAV School formally inaugurated its futsal ground on 18th August 2025, marking the

beginning of the 9th Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Futsal Tournament.

The inauguration was led by Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal in the presence of Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji and Head of Physical Education and Sports Department, Mr. Purnendu Ghosh. Hindu rituals and worship of the ground were performed as part of the ceremony.

The rituals were conducted by Sanskrit HoD Mr. Purushottam Rijal along with Sanskrit teachers Mr. Niranjana Khatriwada, Mr. Sudarshan Adhikari and Mr. Sudheep Mishra, who recited Swasti Bachan and guided the worship.

Following this, the opening ceremony of 9th Sushil Kedia Memorial Inter School Futsal Tournament was held. In his address, the Vice-principal warmly welcomed the players from all participating schools. He spoke about the importance of fair play in building a successful sporting career and extended his best wishes for the smooth and successful completion of the tournament.

Family Jamboree of Grade IV, 2025

The Family Jamboree for Grade IV, for the academic session 2025/26, was held on 8th August 2025 in the gracious presence of Mr. Bholanath Ojha, Campus Chief of Janamaitri College, Kuleshwar, Kathmandu. The event took place in Buddha Hall, amidst an atmosphere of warmth and celebration.

The Family Jamboree is an expression of students' innate talents, offering parents a unique opportunity to witness the grooming and holistic development of their wards. It is also a vibrant musical extravaganza, where students take parents on a captivating journey across the world through diverse cultural and social performances.

The formal programme commenced with an English song, followed by the lighting of the ceremonial lamp, the welcoming of guests, and the singing of the national anthem. Thereafter, the stage came alive with a series of mesmerizing performances, including a graceful Kathak dance, energetic hip-hop, a thematic dance on friendship, traditional Nepali dance, Bharatanatyam, a melodious Nepali song, and a grand concluding act blending Bollywood and Tollywood styles.

As an integral part of the Jamboree, a recreational game competition for parents was organised, continuing a cherished tradition of the event. The winners were honoured with awards by the Chief Guest, in the esteemed presence of Vice-principal Mr.



Ramchandra Khanal and Chief Administrative Officer Ms. Vijaya Tater.

In his address, Chief Guest Mr. Bholanath Ojha expressed heartfelt nostalgia as he reminisced about his own school days in Damak, Jhapa, and his teaching experience at Birendra Sainik Awasiya Mahavidyalaya. He emphasised the vital role of moral education in shaping human character, urging parents to spend quality time with their children to avoid future regrets. He advised that children's mistakes should be corrected promptly and constructively, and encouraged parents and educators to recognise each child's unique potential,

nurturing their skills without comparisons. He further stressed the importance of addressing children's questions at home, highlighting that both school and family share the responsibility of shaping capable and compassionate future leaders.

The event was graced by Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji, Middle School Co-ordinator Mr. Krishna Joshi, Junior School Co-ordinator Mr. Andrew Fitz Patrick, Kindergarten Co-ordinator Ms. Shanti Gurung, Human Resource Manager Mr. Ashish Rai, and all faculty heads, who extended a warm welcome and sincere hospitality to the invited parents.

DAV SKVB School Honoured with ISO 9001:2015 Certificate



The Quality Management System of DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati School, Jawalakhel, Lalitpur, Nepal, has been formally assessed and certified as meeting the requirements of ISO 9001:2015.

Mr. Ajay Bhandari, Station Manager of ICS-Nepal Branch, presented the certificate to Chairperson Shree Anil Kedia in the presence of Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao and Human Resources Manager Mr. Ashish Rai at the Principal's Office on 21st September, 2025. The certificate had been officially issued on 22nd July, 2025.

DAV SKVB School holds the distinction of being the first ISO-certified school in Nepal. In line with the provisions of International Certification Services Pvt. Ltd., the school diligently updates and audits its processes every year within the designated timeframe, ensuring its continued commitment to quality excellence.

Rohini, Polly and Labhaya Shine as Star Performers of Sushila Arts Academy

Rohini Mishra and Polly Jha of Grade IV 'E', along with Labhaya Nidhi of Grade IV 'F', were honoured with the Star Performer Awards of Sushila Arts Academy for the months of July and August, 2025.

The Principal Dr. Bhubaneswari Rao warmly congratulated the young achievers and conveyed her best wishes for their continued success.

Rohini received the Star Performer Award in Bharatnatyam, while Polly earned the recognition in Vocal for the month of July. Similarly, Labhaya was awarded the Star Performer Award in Kathak for the month of August.



DAV School and Students Honoured for Exceptional SEE Results

DAV School has earned widespread recognition and accolades across multiple prestigious platforms for its remarkable academic achievements in the Secondary Education Examination (SEE) 2081.

The first honour was bestowed at the SEE 2081 Outstanding Award Programme organised by the Private and Boarding Schools' Organisation Nepal (PABSON), Lalitpur, on 12th July 2025 at Mahal Banquet. The ceremony, graced by Former Education Science and Technology Minister Mr. Raghuj Pant as Chief Guest, celebrated exemplary schools and students. Representing DAV, four GPA achievers — Apekshya Shah, Nuwan Kulung Rai, Sankalpa Mani Devkota, and Soyana Khadka — were felicitated in the presence of their proud parents, Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal, and SEE In-charge of Grades IX and X, Mr. Narayan Khatiwada. DAV School was also awarded a Letter of Appreciation for its distinguished results, accepted on behalf of the institution by Mr. Khanal and Mr. Khatiwada. Of the 227 students who appeared from DAV, an impressive 110 secured A+ grades, each receiving Certificates of Appreciation.

Further acclaim followed on 15th August 2025, when the Lalitpur Metropolitan City Office held



a felicitation ceremony at its premises. Mayor Mr. Chiri Babu Maharjan and Deputy Mayor Ms. Manjali Shakyaj Bajracharya jointly honoured the four GPA achievers with prestigious cash prizes of NPR 2 lakhs each. On this occasion too, DAV School was recognised with a Letter of Appreciation, received by Vice-principal Mr. Khanal on behalf of the school.

The most recent recognition came on 23rd August 2025, when the PABSON Lalitpur

Metropolitan City Working Committee hosted an award ceremony at Staff College to celebrate academic excellence within the metropolitan area. In the dignified presence of the first President of Nepal, Dr. Rambaran Yadav, and Mayor Mr. Chiri Babu Maharjan, the four GPA achievers of DAV were once again felicitated with Letters of Appreciation and Tokens of Love. The school itself was similarly honoured, with Vice-principal Mr. Khanal receiving the accolades on behalf of the management.

Assembly Honour for Bibhuti Nepal

The morning assembly of 4th September 2025 paid special tribute to Bibhuti Nepal, a student of Grade V 'F', for her remarkable achievement in Inter School Poetry Competition.

Bibhuti secured the first position at 11th LA Poetry Recitation and Enactment Competition, 2082, organised by Little Angel's School, Hattiban, on August 29. Vice-principal Mr. Ramchandra Khanal in the presence of Senior School Co-ordinator Mr. Tank Meghji Devji warmly congratulated Bibhuti and extended best wishes for her future endeavours.

At the request of the assembly, Bibhuti once again recited and enacted the poem

"Bhanubhakta ra Ghashi", written by Kabiraj Narnath Acharya, the same piece that won her the top position in the inter-school competition. Her melodious and captivating performance earned resounding applause and admiration from the entire gathering.

The inter school competition of LA witnessed participation from 12 schools across the Kathmandu valley. For her outstanding performance, Bibhuti received a certificate, medal, and a cash prize of NPR 8,000. She was accompanied in the competition by a dedicated team of music and Nepali language teachers.



VISITOR'S COMMENT



डिएभी सुशील केडिया विश्व भारती स्कूलले लिएको उद्देश्य र गरिराखेको कार्य सौँचै नै अनुकरणीय छ। ज्ञान, विज्ञानलाई सँगसँगै लिएर अगाडि बढ्दै विद्यार्थीहरूलाई जसरी ललिरहेको छ, त्यो प्रशंसनीय मात्रै होइन उदाहरणीय र अनुकरणीय छ। भविष्यमा पनि यसैगरी उत्तरोत्तर प्रगत र अध्यात्मको बाटोमा मार्गदर्शक बन्ने छ भन्ने पूर्ण विश्वास छ। विद्यालयका अध्यक्ष आदरणीय श्री अनिल केडिया, प्रिन्सिपल डा. भुवनेश्वरी राव लगायत सम्पूर्ण विद्यालय परिवार धन्यवादका पात्र हुनुहुन्छ। उहाँहरू सधैँ नै अभिन्नदयी हुनुहुन्छ।

(कक्षा ४ को प्र्यामिली जम्बोरी कार्यक्रममा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)
गोविन्द टण्डन

प्रशुपति क्षेत्र विकास कोषका पूर्व अध्यक्ष, धर्म, शिक्षा तथा समाज सुधारक र लेखक
२०८२-०४-०३



११२औँ भानुजयन्तीका पाँचौँ दिनमा यस सरस्वतीको मन्दिरमा उपस्थित भई सरस्वती माताका अवतार स-साना बाबुजानीका अभिनयपूर्ण, सङ्गतिबद्ध सुमधुर कविता वाचनको प्रत्यक्षदर्शी बन्न पाएकोमा यहाँहरूलाई मनैदेखि आभार प्रकट गर्दछु।
(११२औँ भानुजयन्तीको अवसरमा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

प्रभा भट्टराई आचार्य
साहित्यकार
२०८२-०३-१९



अन्तर्राष्ट्रिय योग दिवसको अवसरमा यस डिएभी स्कूल जावलाखेलमा विश्व योग दिवस मनाउने कार्यक्रममा उपस्थित हुन पाउँदा अत्यन्त खुसी लाग्यो। डिएभी स्कूल एक वैदिक सनातन पद्धतिलाई आत्मासाथ गर्दै आएको अत्यन्त प्रसिद्ध स्कूल हो। यसले भविष्यमा योग दर्शन, वेद वेदान्त जस्ता ज्ञानहरू अभन धेरै विद्यार्थी भाइबहिनीलाई प्रदान गर्नमा सफलता मिल्दै जाओस्। यस स्कूलका विद्यार्थी भाइबहिनी अत्यन्त ट्यालेन्ट र सस्कारी भएको महसुस भयो। हार्दिक बधाई तथा शुभकामना।
(अन्तर्राष्ट्रिय योग दिवसको अवसरमा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

ऋषिकुमार स्वामी पञ्चशील
हंसदा योग आश्रम
श्री चरित्रव्योति महाविध
चरित्रपुर, वनेप १०, जनागाल
२०८२-०३-०६



डिएभी सुशील केडिया विश्व भारती विद्यालयका कक्षा ४ मा अध्ययन गर्ने विद्यार्थीहरूले अभिभावकलाई आफ्नो प्रतिभा प्रस्तुत गर्ने कार्यक्रममा मलाई प्रमुख अतिथिका रूपमा सहभागी गराउनुभएकोमा विद्यालय, कक्षा ४ का विद्यार्थी र अभिभावकहरूप्रति कृतज्ञ छु। यी साना बानीहरूले आ-आफ्नो क्षेत्रमा राष्ट्रको सेवा गर्ने अवसर मिलोस् अनि विद्यालयको अभन उत्तरोत्तर प्रगति होस् यही छ मेरो शुभकामना।
(कक्षा ६ को प्र्यामिली जम्बोरी कार्यक्रममा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

सोलाताथ ओझा
क्याम्पस प्रमुख, जनमैत्री क्याम्पस, कुलेखर काठमाडौँ
२०८२-०४-२३



डिएभी सुशील केडिया विश्व भारती विद्यालय, संस्कृत विभाग र जनार्दन संस्कृत समूहद्वारा आयोजित अष्टमो जनार्दन-स्मृति-संस्कृत दिवस २०८२ को समापन समारोह २०८२ भाद्र १२ मा प्रमुख अतिथिका रूपमा सहभागी हुन आउँदा यस विद्यालयको शैक्षिक, भौतिक, प्रशासनिक र व्यवस्थापकीय अवस्थाका बारेमा जानकारी प्राप्त गरियो। महोदय दयानन्द सरस्वतीको पौरुष ज्ञान र विज्ञानलाई पारचात्य र आधुनिक ज्ञान-विज्ञानसँग जोडेर आफ्नो मौलिक संस्कार संहिताको शिक्षा दिनुपर्छ भन्ने भावनाबाट उत्प्रेरित भएर यो विद्यालय सञ्चालन भएको पाउँदा हर्ष लाग्यो।
म यस विद्यालयको उत्तरोत्तर प्रगतिको कामना गर्दछु।
(अष्टमो जनार्दन-स्मृति-संस्कृत दिवस २०८२ मा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

प्रा.डा. ज्ञानप्रसाद उपाध्याय
२०८२-०४-१२



यस प्रसिद्ध विद्यालयले ट्राफिक (सवारी सम्बन्धी) नियम तथा ज्ञान विद्यार्थी भाइबहिनीहरूलाई अवागत गराइदिने अवसर दिनु भएकोमा हार्दिक धन्यवाद तथा कृतज्ञता ज्ञापन गर्न चाहन्छु। डिएभी स्कूल असाध्यै प्रसिद्ध र विश्वसनीय विद्यालय हो। आगामी दिनमा पनि विद्यालयको प्रगतिको कामना गर्दछु धन्यवाद।
(ट्राफिक नियम सम्बन्धी वनचेतनामूलक कार्यक्रममा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

प्रहरी उपरीक्षक दीपक गिरी
काठमाण्डौँ उपत्यका ट्राफिक प्रहरी
कार्यालय, रामशाल्छ
२०८२-०३-०४

VISITOR'S COMMENT



DAV School is doing great in the field of quality education. In addition, the school is engaging in various extra-curricular activities which enhance discipline, team work and wellness among the students. Thank you so much.

Er. Basant Kushwaha

Honourable Minister for Tourism and Commerce,
Madhesh Pradesh

*(Commented on the Family Jamboree Programme
of Grade VI)*
7th July, 2025



अन्तर्राष्ट्रिय योग दिवसको हार्दिक मङ्गलमय शुभकामना ।
“सिंहो पूर्वोको लागि योग भन्ने मूल नाराको साथमा यस पटक
११औं अन्तर्राष्ट्रिय योग दिवस मनाइँदै छ । आज यस डिएभी
स्कूलले आयोजना गरेको योग दिवस र विश्व सङ्घर्ष दिवसको
सबै कार्यक्रम अत्यन्तै सुन्दर र विशेष बनाउनु भएकोमा पनि
आभार व्यक्त गर्दछु । जय योग, जय सङ्घर्ष, सबैको जय होस् ।
(अन्तर्राष्ट्रिय योगदिवसको अवसरमा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

केदारनाथ बस्नाकोटी

२०८२-०३-०६



I got a golden chance to visit this school on the occasion of English week. I feel honoured to be a part of this meaningful programme and witness various events performed by the students. I found them excellent in their performance and felt that they have learnt the 21st century skills. I'm sure that they can cope up with any problem ahead of them with the wisdom, creativity and developed skills in this school. Thank you very much

Prof. Dr. Rishi Ram Rijal

*(Commented on the Closing Ceremony of English
Week, 2025)*
28th July, 2025



Thank you DAV School for providing an opportunity to work with your students and teachers. The Boot Camp of Grade XII Students of DAV Sushil Kedia Vishwa Bharati, Kathmandu, Nepal will be in our memory for ever. We were impressed by the enthusiasm of all the students and teachers.

Mr. Issac Martine

Mr. Vignesh Palani

Vetlife, India

*(Commented on the 4-day Boot Camp of Grade
XII held at Nagarkot, Bhaktapur)*
4th June, 2025



DAV School has wonderfully contributed to raise the height of sports in international level. It gives me immense pleasure to know DAV alumni Palesha Govardhan winning the historic medal for the country in para-olympic alongside so many pass out students representing the country in the international championship in different sports.

Thank you DAV School for creating a vibrant sporty environment in the country.

Mr. Ganesh Thapa,

Former Captain of National Football Team
and former Chairperson of All Nepal Football
Association (ANFA)

*(Commented in the Award Ceremony of 9th Sushil
Kedia Memorial Inter School Futsal Tournament)*



डिएभी विद्यालयको नाम सानैदेखि सुनेको थिएँ । यस विशाल विद्यालयको अन्तरविद्यालय गजलगायन प्रतियोगिताको प्रमुख अतिथि हुन पाउँदा अत्यन्तै खुसी लागेको छ । नेपालमा यस स्तरको गजलगायन कार्यक्रम मैले देखेको थिइनँ । विद्यालयको उत्तरोत्तर प्रगतिको शुभकामना ।
(अन्तरविद्यालय गजल गायन प्रतियोगितामा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

शान्तेश्वर गौतम

गजल गायक

काठमाडौँ

२०८२-०५-०८



It was a wonderful moment for me to get warm hospitality and support from the School Management and all the departments during my 2-day audit.

Mr. Laxmi Narayan Gupta

Head of Quality Management System (QMS), New
Delhi, India

(Commented during his Visit for ISO external audit)
26th May, 2025



विद्यालयको यस महत्वपूर्ण इन्भेस्टिचर सेरेमोनी कार्यक्रममा प्रमुख अतिथिको रूपमा निमन्त्रणा गरी आउ नो विचार, अनुभव र प्रहरी र समुदाय विचको सम्बन्धको बारेमा विद्यार्थी, शिक्षक र अभिभावक सम्म राख्ने मौका दिनुभएकोमा विद्यालय परिवारप्रति आभारी छु । पोर्टफोलियो प्राप्त गर्ने भाइबहिनीहरू र आगामी वर्षको पोर्टफोलियो प्राप्तिको लागि तयारी गरिरहेका सम्पूर्ण भाइबहिनीहरूको उत्तरोत्तर प्रगतिको कामना गर्दछु ।
(जुनियर स्कूलको इन्भेस्टिचर सेरेमोनीमा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

नानीकानी थापा

(इन्स्पेक्टर, सानेध प्रहरी कार्यालय)



Thank You DAV School for your commitment to nurturing global citizens by embracing international cultures and fostering linguistic diversity within the academic environment. All the best wishes in all your future endeavour.

Mr. Sylvain Choin,

Director of Alliance Française de Kathmandu
*(Commented on the Celebration of National Day
of France)*

14th July, 2025



डिएभी विद्यालयले विगत लामो समयदेखि बुद्ध शिक्षा, ध्यान, विपाशना लगायत विभिन्न आध्यात्मिक कार्यक्रमहरूमा प्रति विद्यार्थीहरूलाई वीक्षित गरिरहेको देख्दा विद्यालयप्रति गर्व लाग्छ। हामी मानिसहरू अरुबाट जस्तो व्यवहारको अपेक्षा गर्छौं अरुलाई पनि त्यस्तै व्यवहार गर्ने सक्छौं भने मात्र पनि २५६९ औं बुद्ध जयन्तीलाई सार्थक बनाउन सक्नेछौं।

(२५६९ औं बुद्ध जयन्तीको अवसरमा आयोजित धर्मदेशना कार्यक्रममा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

भिष्णु विमलो महास्वामी
काठमाडौं

बैशाख २८, २०८२



सुरील केडिया विश्व भारती विद्यालयमा आज भएको विद्यार्थुभारम्भ हवनमा उपस्थित हुँदा राम्रो अनुभूति भयो। हवनका लागि स्थानीय जातका गाईको संरक्षण गर्नु अत्यन्त आवश्यक भएकाले एउटा नेपाली गाईको गोशाला चलाउन सके अत्यन्त राम्रो हुन्थ्यो भन्ने लाग्यो। साथै संस्कृतको पठनपाठन समेत हुने हुँदा सानैदेखि संस्कृत पढाउन व्यावहारिक संस्कृत पुस्तकहरू पनि पाठ्यक्रममा समावेश गर्ने उचित हुने देखियो।

(विद्यार्थुभारम्भ हवनको अवसरमा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

प्रा. डा. प्रियंवदा काफ्ले
नेपाल संस्कृत विश्वविद्यालय
२०८२-०१-०७



Thank you DAV for giving me invitation as a guest in your school's popular cultural programme 'Family Jamboree' which I had not imagined before. Thank you for all the honour.

Mr. Dev Rana, Legendry Singer and Drummer
(Commented on the Celebration of International
Yoga and World Music Day, 2025)
20th June, 2025



बुद्ध जयन्तीको अवसरमा आयोजित धर्मदेशना कार्यक्रममा बुद्ध शिक्षा र जीवनीबारेमा आफूले पढेका बुद्धका अभ्यास गरिरहेका जीवनोपयोगी पद्धति, विचारहरू प्रस्तुत गरेर विद्यार्थीहरूको असल चरित्र निर्माण गर्ने प्रेरित गर्नुभएकोमा विद्यालय परिवारलाई धन्यवाद र उत्तरोत्तर प्रातिको शुभकामना।

(२५६९ औं बुद्ध जयन्तीको अवसरमा आयोजित धर्मदेशना कार्यक्रममा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

भिष्णु ताम्रको अध्यक्षी

२०८२/०१/२८



डिएभी विद्यालय परिवारले चलचित्र मोहरप्रति देखाउनु भएको सद्भाव, होसला र सम्पन्नता हामी सम्पूर्ण निर्माता समूह कृतज्ञ छौं। हजुरहरूको महत्वपूर्ण सुभचन हाम्रो लागि मार्गदर्शन हो।

(मोहर फिल्म शोको अवसरमा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

ओम प्रतीक - निर्देशक तथा कथा लेखन

चुम्बत जङ्गल राह्री- निर्माता

सृष्टि राउत- कानुनी सल्लाहकार

पल शाह- ताम्रको

२०८२-०५-०५



डिएभी विद्यालयको प्यामिली जम्बोरी अवलोकन गर्दा मेरो विद्यार्थी जीवन, शङ्करलाल केडियाको सम्मना र उहाँका छोरा अनिल केडियासँग जोडिएका अविस्मरणीय क्षणहरू प्रतिबिम्बित भएका छन्। विद्यार्थी भाइबहिनीहरूले जुन स्तरको नृत्य, सङ्गीत अभिनय र कला मिश्रित प्रतिभा प्रदर्शन गर्नुभयो, म आफैँ कलाकारको रूपमा आफूलाई त्यहाँ भेटाउन सकिनँ। विद्यार्थी भाइबहिनीहरूलाई उत्तरोत्तर प्रातिको शुभकामना र विद्यार्थीहरूलाई यस स्तरसम्म पुर्‍याउनुहुने प्रिन्सिपल लगायत नृत्य निर्देशक, शिक्षक, शिक्षिकाप्रति हृदयदेखि आभार प्रकट गर्दछु।

ओम साईराम!

Love All, Serve All

(कक्षा १० को प्यामिली जम्बोरी कार्यक्रममा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

शिव सुन्दर श्रेष्ठ

अभिनेता

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सुरील केडिया विश्व भारती विद्यालयमा मातृ पूजन कार्यक्रममा उपस्थित भएर यस विद्यालयले शुभारम्भ गरेको संस्कार र संस्कृत उत्सवको कार्यक्रमबाट म अत्यन्त प्रभावित भएँ। आधुनिक शिक्षाले ल्याएको विज्ञानलाई विद्वै पूर्वाय दर्शन, वेदलाई अनुसरण गर्दै सनातन धर्म र संस्कृतको रक्षा गर्दै विद्यार्थीलाई नैतिक मूल्यमान्यता सिकाउन सक्षम भएको पाउँदा अहं विद्यालयले पनि यसको अनुसरण गरेर प्रयोगात्मक विधिबाट शिक्षा प्रदान गर्दै ल्याउँदै जान लागेको पूर्वाय संस्कार र संस्कृतलाई जगेर्ना गर्नुपर्ने देखिन्छ।

(मातातीर्थ औसिको अवसरमा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

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डिएभी विद्यालयले संस्कार सञ्ज्ञितको गुणस्तरीय शिक्षा विगत तीन दशकदेखि प्रदान गरिरहेको छ। विद्यालयको इन्भेस्टिचर सेरोमोनी अत्यन्त सम्पन्न र भव्य लाग्यो। सम्पूर्ण विद्यालय परिवारलाई उज्ज्वल भविष्यको शुभकामना।

(निम्न माध्यमिक तहको इन्भेस्टिचर सेरोमोनी कार्यक्रममा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

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सम्मानित, अनुशासित र मर्यादित यस संस्थाको संस्कार देख्दा साँझै खुशी लाग्यो। यस संस्थाले भविष्यका होन्हार नानीबाबुहरूको उज्ज्वल भविष्य निर्माण गर्ने कार्यमा अर्भै नवीन कार्य गरी यस संस्थाको प्रतिष्ठा उच्च राख्ने कार्यमा सदा तत्पर रहने विश्वास व्यक्त गर्दै यस संस्थाको उत्तरोत्तर प्रातिको कामना गर्दछु।

(माध्यमिक तहको इन्भेस्टिचर सेरोमोनी कार्यक्रममा व्यक्त प्रतिक्रिया)

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