

#### FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

We at Pearson always teach the children to study to learn and not to earn. What we learn today is what we become tomorrow. In this journey of life – hard work, perseverance, sincerity are the keys to success. Each one of us has to walk the path of life and complete the journey in our own time and at our own pace. We need to have specific targets and goals for us to mark a path and walk towards it. Let's support our children in identifying the right path for themselves and give them help as and when they need it. Let these little stars shine and impart their light to the world. Though it is our responsibility to guide them but we must allow them to stumble and fall and encourage them to get up and move on in life.

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"FAILURES ARE STEPPING STONES TO SUCCESS".

Confucius has rightly said- "Our greatest glory is not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall.

It is more than an opportunity to develop courage. Besides, to succeed in life we need experiences and we gain experience by making mistakes. It is often God's own tool for carving some of the finest outlines in the character of His children. Therefore, never get disheartened by failures; after all we won't drown by falling in water; but by staying in there. So if there's something you want to do and are

unsuccessful, dust yourself off and try again because the only people who never fail are the ones who never try.

One should always remember –with thorns we have roses; with night, we have day; with autumn there is spring; after rain there is a rainbow; in every dark cloud, there exists a silver lining; and if there is winter snow, there is the summer sun to melt it.

"The darkest hour is before dawn".

One has to just remember the arrival of dawn, the sun rising dispelling darkness at that very moment when night seemed the darkest.

So, never ever give up at times of hardships and always strive hard to achieve success at all costs, success in spite of all difficulties, for without success there is no survival.

I would like to sum up with the following lines: every king was once a crying baby and every great building was once a blue print. It's not where you are today, but where you'll reach tomorrow, that counts".

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# **PROGRAMMES AT SCHOOL**

BASANT PANCHMI - "Basant Panchmi" is an occasion which marks the advent of the spring season and is also celebrated to worship Saraswati, the Goddess of knowledge and wisdom..Yellow colour – representing spiritual knowledge, is given importance on Basant Panchmi. This day was celebrated in our school on 1st February 2016 with great fervour and enthusiasm.

The whole school assembled together to pray and attain blessings from Goddess Saraswati to reach the epitome of knowledge. The pooja started with a the Saraswati vandana and after that prasad was distributed among the children. The children felt enlightened by the blessings of Maa Saraswati.



FIRE DRILL - Fire drills are an important part of Health and Safety culture at Pearson. Not only do they ensure that all students, staff and visitors in our premises understand what they need to do if there is a fire, but they also help us to test how effective the fire evacuation plan is and to improve upon the learning of all the stake holders. These drills are a quarterly feature of the school calendar.

The drill for the last quarter was conducted on 1st February 2017.

Once the alarm was sounded the students and staff took the two exits and vacated the building as per the exit plan. Everyone assembled at the Basketball court where the head count was done. The students were then briefed about the precautionary steps to be taken in case of such a situation. The Grade-VIII students were also briefed about how to handle the firefighting equipment.

**FANCY DRESS -FRUIT DAY -** To celebrate fruit day the pre-primary classes had a Fancy Dress competition on 4th Feb, where in the children came dressed up as fruits and spoke a few lines on the same.

Fancy Dress is probably one of the most memorable days in every child's life, which they truly enjoy and cherish.

Our tiny tots really did well. They were all dressed in colourful costumes which threw light on the theme that touched the hearts of one and all. It was a pleasure watching them perform so confidently and with ease on stage. At the same time it was a wonderful learning experience for the tiny tots.

SPORTS DAY - "A sound mind resides in a sound body ". A student's life encompasses the right balance of academic and sports. Academics keep his mind agile, alert and growing whereas sports and games keep him physically fit and help in inculcating sportsmanship, team spirit and leadership qualities.

With this thought in mind the students and staff of Pearson School, Jaipur had organized Annual Sports Day with the theme- "ECO BUDDIES": friends of nature.

We were honoured to have Mr. Sagar Mal Dhayal, Dronacharya Awardee and the National Boxing Coach as our Chief Guest.





The event began with the ceremonial torch lighting and unfurling the school flag followed by a well-synchronized march past by the representatives of the four houses.

Moving on with the events, Grade I and II presented a Drill showcasing a garden full of flowers which was followed by Pre-Primary Races, giving a message to keep the environment clean.

Students of Grade III and IV showcased great co-ordination in the drill presented by them which was followed by Races for Grades I and II, highlighting the importance of keeping oneself "Neat and tidy"

The drill by the girls of Grade V to VIII left everyone spell bound, which was followed by the next set of races for Grades III- IV

Last but not the least; we had a spectacular pyramid display by the boys of Grades V- VIII where we witnessed agility, stamina, co-ordination and team spirit. The students were appreciated for their seamless co-ordination and team work.

Finally, the day came to an end with the announcement of the Champions Trophy to the winning House i.e. Sapphire whose cumulative score for all the co-curricular activities along with the points scored by its members on the sports day put the house far ahead than the others.





OPEN HOUSE, SCIENCE AND ROBOTICS EXHIBITION - Open house was conducted on 25<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2017 to discuss the FA-IV result and the upcoming Summative Assessments. Parents were informed about the areas of their child's strength and weakness and were given specific tips on how to work upon motivating their child to keep on working towards excelling in academics.

On the same day, the school had organized a presentation by the students to showcase the learning of the students through programmes like Yardstick and Robotics, which make concepts easier and enjoyable for the students.

It was a learning experience in itself as the students, under the able guidance of their mentors, made and presented their models in front of the parents and visitors. This helped the parents gain an insight into how these programmes at Pearson School make the learning practical and experiential for the children.



# **Achievers for the Session 2016-17**

## **Best All Rounder**

A special assembly was conducted on Wednesday,8th March to felicitate the shinning stars of Session 2016-17 . Achievers from Grade-I to VIII were awarded in the category – Best All Rounder-



AAKSHI SHRIVASTAVA (GRADE I)



VAIBHAV RAI (GRADE II)



TATSAT VAISHASHT(GRADE III)



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