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MODERN SCHOOL BARAKHAMBA ROAD

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Est. in 1920

CENTENARY INAUGURAL CEREMONY



THE PRESIDENT, BOARD OF TRUSTEES, MODERN SCHOOLS MS KETAKI SOOD, PRINCIPAL DR VIJAY DATTA AND THE OTHER DIGNITARIES

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Established in 1920 by Lala Raghubir Singh, Modern School Barakhamba Road flagged-off its Centenary Celebrations with the hoisting of the Centenary Flag on 21st October 2019 by the Chief Guest, Ms Ketaki Sood, President, Board of Trustees, Modern Schools in the presence of Col Vijay Chadda, Chairman, School Management Committee, the Principal Dr Vijay Datta, Ms Ambika Pant, Ms Anuradha Pratap Singh, Ms Meera Pradeep Singh, Mr Sunder Hemrajani and Mr Vineet Sahai Sareen and other dignitaries.

As the flag unfurled, the horse riders of the School cantered along presenting a standing salute, signifying the School's commitment to take greater strides in times to come. The event saw the School choir sing the school song 'Balwaan Bano' written and composed by Shri Ved Vyas, a former Hindi teacher at Modern School, Barakhamba Road and the first Principal of Modern School, Vasant Vihar. The procession of students tracing the March of students in 1920 from 24 Daryaganj to Barakhamba Road was lead by eminent guests to the Shankar Lal Hall. The students also presented a cultural programme tracing the history of Modern School and celebrating the visits of great leaders like Gandhiji and Rabindranath Tagore to the School in the years 1935 and 1936 respectively.



ANNUAL BLOOD DONATION CAMP 2019



CHIEF GUEST AND THE PRINCIPAL DR VIJAY DATTA INAUGURATING THE BLOOD DONATION CAMP

Interact Club of Modern School organized its 38th Annual Blood Donation Camp on 19th October 2019. Mr Ram Mohan Mishra, Additional Secretary to the Government of India and Development Commissioner for the Ministry of MSME, Ms Ambika Pant, Secretary, Board of Trustees, Modern Schools, Mr Suresh Bhasin, District Governor of Rotary District 3011 and Mr Anup Mittal, District Governor Nominee of Rotary District 3011 graced the occasion with their presence.



INTERACT CLUB OF MODERN SCHOOL WITH THE TEACHER IN-CHARGES

The Annual Blood Donation Camp which is organized at our School every year in association with the Rotary Blood Bank and Rotary Rendezvous is the most awaited event in the Interact Calendar. Due to the increasing awareness of our initiative, the numbers contributing to the noble cause also continue to grow. Flower arrangements, rangolis and posters by the students of different classes were also showcased during the event.



INTER HOUSE MUSIC COMPETITION



WINNERS OF INTER HOUSE MUSIC COMPETITION

The Inter House Music Competition was held on 25th October 2019. After a grand ceremonial opening of the Diwali Fair by the Principal Dr Vijay Datta, each House geared up to showcase their singing talents through some melodious renditions. Participants from all fifteen Houses participated in the solo and group performances. The genres ranged from old timers to contemporary to country pop. The judges for the competition were Ms Beeba Sobti, Ms Neha Jindal and Ms Shalini Dahiya.

The competition concluded with the declaration of results by the Principal Dr Vijay Datta. Raag Suri (S7H) from Tilak House won the First Prize for the solo performance. Under the same category, Divyesh Taneja (S6G) of Gandhi House was awarded the First Runner up and the prize for the second Runner up was bagged by Abeer Chopra (S4E) of Ashoka House. In the group performance category, Ranjit House was awarded the First Prize, Nehru House won the First Runner up and Subhash House was declared the Second Runner up. All participants were encouraged and applauded for their respective performances and the excellent show each one had put up on the occasion. The winners were also awarded cash prizes.



THE PRINCIPAL AND THE HEADMISTRESSES WATCHING THE BUDDING ARTISTES PERFORM



ROUND SQUARE SERVICE PROJECT TO VRINDAVAN



PARTICIPATING STUDENTS WITH THE TEACHER IN-CHARGE

Modern School Barakhamba Road has recently become a Global Permanent Member of the Round Square. Six students of S6 accompanied by the teacher escort Ms Deepa Kapoor, represented the School at a Regional Round Square Conference at Vrindavan for a service project. The event was organised by the Shri Ram School , Aravali for four days from 21st to 24th October 2019 .

The theme of the programme was “Touching other’s lives and transforming your own”. The students got an opportunity to do various activities like construction , clay and pottery arts ,teaching, ploughing of a field , painting the temple and volunteering in a health camp.

The students interacted with the women who’d lost their husbands and are now living at Madham Chhatikara, a shelter house for single women and guild for service. Through their interaction the students learnt about the hardships of life and ways to face them. The interaction helped to ease the pain of the women in the shelter house. The students also learnt how to make cement and the necessity for the bricks to be proportionate, which is a task of utmost patience, concentration and a lot of hard work for the construction.

The students interacted with the children between the age group of 2-9 years who were being day schooled at Madham Chhatikara. It was heartening to see how the children at such tender ages were keen and willing to learn and interact with other students.