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#### IRIS NATIONAL SCIENCE FAIR 2015

The IRIS National Science Fair Workshop was held at Modern School, Barakhamba Road. Our student Shreyas Kapur was selected not only to attend the National Science Fair 2015 but he also won the Gold Award for the year 2015 at the IRIS National Science Fair held at IIT, Delhi in December. It was a weeklong fair where students from various schools across the country participated. The project by Shreyas was declared the Best Project by the judges who were scientists from various fields. His work on "CELLPHONE BASED OPTOMETRY USING FREQUENCY FILTERED HYBRID IMAGES" is a part of Team India 2016 for Intel ISEF.

This work is a substitute for the \$13,000 machines that are used to assign eyeglass prescription with a simple mobile app which is very useful to the developing world. There were almost 18,000 students competing from India for this award. If he wins at the ISEF, which will be held at U.S.A., he will have the honour of having a minor planet named after him and a cash award of \$75,000!!



Shreyas Kapur, Winner of the IRIS National Science Fair Workshop 2015

#### **COMMERCE SOCIETY ACHIEVEMENTS**

The students of the Commerce Society, of Modern School, Barakhamba Road, participated in an Inter School competition, 'CONSUMER MELA, JAGRITI- EK AAHVAN',held at DPS Mathura Road on 30th October, 2015. The event comprised of various activities like 'Stand Out, Speak Out- A debate', 'Propertist- A property trading competition', 'Consuminar- Depiction of the Consumer Court' and 'Fast and Curious- A consumer quiz' which aimed at enhancing consumer awareness. Our Students, Dhairye Arora and Manan Katyal won the 1st prize in 'Propertist' and were highly appreciated by the judges. Gaurav Sidhwani, Arushi Gupta, Devyani Jain, Vasu Gupta and Pew Banerjee recieved the 2nd Prize in 'Consuminar'. The team had to study and depict real life cases of a Consumer Court. Sanyam Gupta and Suradhish Vats were also awarded the 2nd Prize in 'Fast and Curious'. The Modern School team won the OVERALL TROPHY

The students also participated in 'BIZ- GEIST', a competition held at The Cambridge School, Indirapuram on 3rd November, 2015. The fest involved multiple competitions, such as: Product Development, AD Acting, Business Quiz and The Economics Symposium. Rohan Aggarwal and Nimar Dang won the 1st Prize in the Economics Symposium wherein they had to present a Power Point Presentation on the topic," Is India Really Shining?". Rohan Aggarwal, also won the Best Interjector Award. Suradhish Vats and Yash Gattani were awarded the 2nd Prize in the Business Quiz.

The students of our society also participated in an Inter School competition held at Convent of Jesus and Mary on 3rd November, 2015. The event, "FOCUS FINANCE" was based on different aspects of business. Competitions like, Crisis Situation, Marketing Sharks, Bulls v/s Bears, 'Escaper', Brochure Desgining and Business Tambola focused on enhancing the entrepreneurial skills of the students. Our students, Utsav Garg and Divyanshu Garg won the 1st Prize in Business Tambola which required the knowledge of business affairs. Modern School was awarded the OVERALL TROPHY.



(L-R) Utsav Gupta, Divyanshu Garg, Arushi Gupta, Ms. Payal, Vanshika Wahi, Neel Mathur and Muskaan Arora with the Convent of Jesus and

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Winners of the All India Basketball Championship 2015

Modern School, Barakhamba Road, U-19 Girls were declared Runners Up of the CBSE cluster which was held at Greenways Modern School, Dilshad Garden from 3<sup>rd</sup> November to 5<sup>th</sup> November, 2015.

The U-19 Boys and Girls Basketball Team of Modern School, Barakhamba Road was declared the **winner** of the **All India Basketball Championship** which was held at Woodstock School, Mussoorie from 3<sup>rd</sup> November to 6<sup>th</sup> November, 2015. **This is their 16th win in a row**.

Devesh Choudhary and Hansraj were selected to play in the Indian Basketball Team which participated in the Pacific International School Games Basketball Championship held at Australia from 21<sup>st</sup> November to 29<sup>th</sup> November, 2015.

Manvika Aneja, Yuvraj Gusain, Gursher Chadha and Kainaat Trehan participated in the SGFI Nationals held at Chattisgarh from 19<sup>th</sup> November to 24<sup>th</sup> November, 2015.

The U-17 Boys team of Modern School, Barakhamba Road was declared the 1<sup>st</sup> Runners Up in the All India IPSC U-17 Boys Basketball Tournament, 2015 held at The Mann School, Delhi from

30<sup>th</sup> September to 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2015. Yuvraj Gusain and Gursher Singh Chadha were selected for the IPSC Team. These students will participate in the SGFI Nationals.

#### **FOOTBALL**

Prukarsh Sharma, Udayan Vundru and Varun Thokchom were selected for the Indian Football Team which participated in The Pacific International School Games to Australia from 21<sup>st</sup> November to 29<sup>th</sup> November.

The Boys and Girls team of Modern School, Barakhamba Road participated in the Football Zonals tournament which was held in our school from 16<sup>th</sup> November to 20<sup>th</sup> November 2015. The U 19 Boys Team was declared the winners of the Zonals. The U 19 Girls team won the Third Position. The U 17 Boys were Runner Up.

Kushaan Nath, Parth Aggarwal, Chennmay and Mohit Jain participated in the Tennis CBSE Nationals which were held at Nagpur from 24<sup>th</sup> November to 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2015.

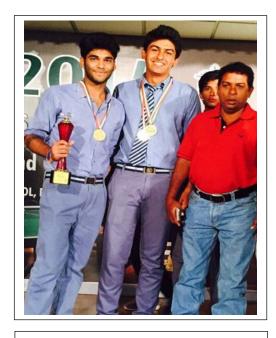
In the All India IPSC Tennis Tournament 2015 which was held at DPS, R.K.Puram, Delhi from 30<sup>th</sup> September to 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2015.

The U-19 Boys Kushan Nath, Parth Aggarwal, Ritik Kapoor and Anav Vadhera were declared the winners.

In the Individual Events:

In the U-19 Boys category Parth Aggarwal was declared Winner and Kushan Nath was declared Runner Up.

In the U-17 Boys category Shaurya Veer Suda was declared First Runner Up.



Parth Aggarwal and Kushan Nath with Mr Vicky.

#### **GYMNASTICS**

Paridhi Jain won 1 Gold and 1 Bronze medal and Aishani Katyal won 1 bronze medal at The Inter Zonal Gymnastics Competition which was held at Sarvodaya Vidhalya, Moti Nagar, Delhi. Both girls have been selected for SGFI Nationals.

#### **HOCKEY**

Modern School, Barakhamba Road U 17 boys Hockey team won the third position in the Verma Memorial Hockey Tournament held at MDC Stadium, Delhi from 2<sup>nd</sup> November to 8<sup>th</sup> November, 2015. Modern School's U 15 and U 19 Boys Hockey team was declared the winner at the Modernites Inter School Hockey Tournament held at Modern School, Barakhamba Road from 17<sup>th</sup> November to 21<sup>st</sup> November, 2015.



U 19 Boys Hockey team with the Principal Dr Vijay Datta