

Deva Matha Central School Gems

Leaving An Impression



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Emphasis is on life

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DMCS INVESTITURE CEREMONY 2019-20

Deva Matha Central School, Vidyanarayapura and Banaswadi organised the Investiture Ceremony (Term 1) for academic year 2019-20, with great aplomb and sincerity, on 15th June and 18th June, 2019 respectively. The esteemed Chief Guest for DMCS Banaswadi was Dr. Topaz Dharmaraj- Ph. D, DMP, NBS, an educational psychologist and consultant. DMCS Vidyanarayapura was delighted to welcome Mr. Manjunath B Gunjekar- Deputy Superintendent of Police in the Office of IGP Central Range, as the Chief Guest.

The Chief Guests duly inspected the four houses (Topaz, Emerald, Ruby, Sapphire), School Band and the Scouts and Guides squad. They were witness to the grand salute and an immaculate March Past showcased by the DMCS students, a visual treat to the enraptured audience. The hoisting of the DMCS school flag coupled with a melodious rendition of the School Anthem, was a beautiful moment to be reminisced. At DMCS Banaswadi, Founder's Day was also celebrated on 18th June 2019 with great solemnity and jubilation. A heartfelt prayer and speech soaked in gratitude for our beloved Chairman, Dr. Joseph V.G. was one of the best highlights of the day. A graceful dance performance by DMCS student brought lot of jubilation and mirth to the occasion. Dr. Topaz Dharmaraj in his highly spirited speech

emphasised upon the importance of uniqueness of each student and the umpteen ways in which he or she is made special by the Almighty. He quoted many anecdotes and was addressing a very captivated audience. Mr. Manjunath spoke about the inspirational role of a leader and also covered on the menace of electronic gadgets and its ill effects on children.

DMCS underwent a stringent process of school campaigning and elections, wherein the students duly voted and elected their deserving student council members. The newly elected student council members – Kalki Eshwar D. (School Captain - DMCS Banaswadi) and Shriya Iyer (School Captain - DMCS Vidyanarayapura) in their emphatic speech, pledged to work earnestly and uphold the honour and glory of their alma mater in the forthcoming years. The Student Council members duly received their prestigious badges and sash from the Chief Guests- a momentous occasion witnessed by the dignitaries, parents, staff members and fellow students.

It was indeed a day marked by great responsibility and inspirational leadership, deriving its strength from the school mission- Emphasis is on Life.

Ms. Savita Shankar and Ms. Suchita Bhatt

- Faculty Members



MY TRYST WITH READING

I am a book lover and I love to read books. But have you ever wondered, how making a habit of reading book helps us? Well I am going to show you how reading helps and benefits us.

READING BOOKS HELPS TO BUILD PERSONALITY:

This point demonstrates the concept- 'You become what you read'. A good book can unfold you into a better person. It will enhance your emotional development, social involvement, cultural awareness, industrial intelligence and much more.

READING BOOKS IMPROVES COMMUNICATION:

Books are the best way to get acquainted with extraordinary words in the English language. Reading books will help you to learn new words and demonstrate in different ways in which you can use them in your daily expression. This will ultimately improve your personal vocabulary.

READING BOOKS SAVES YOU FROM BOREDOM:

When the long days of summer become difficult to pass by, even with all that the social sites have to offer, books work like magic. You only need to be patient at the beginning. The rest will just be a time travel into another world of euphoria - the choice is yours!

READING BOOKS IMPARTS KNOWLEDGE:

There is no denying the fact that reading imparts knowledge to a person. Gaining knowledge makes you feel confident about the subject and involves your interest into deeper topics.

Well if you have understood the importance of books then grab a book and start reading!

"I have always imagined the paradise will be a kind of LIBRARY."

- Jorge Luis Barges



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PENMAN'S CANVAS

THE 3 MIGHTY HEROES

Today I am going to share my views on the 3 mighty heroes, I have always looked upto. They are Reduce, Reuse and Recycle. The concept of 'Reduce' talks about buying and using only which is necessary. The concept of 'Reuse' emphasizes on making best use of waste things - eg. using glass bottles for storage, plastic cans for growing plants and old clothes for making bags. 'Recycling' is the method of creating the best out of waste. These three mighty heroes will give us a better, cleaner and greener earth. I have personally tried the concept of Reuse and I look forward to using the other two concepts very shortly. Will you too?!

Ahaan Sarangi - Std. IV

THE BLUE WATER

Life exists on earth because of water. Although we find it everywhere, the irony is that we lack clean drinking water in our day to day lives. Three fourth of the earth is covered with water, but unfortunately very little is available for safe usage. The usage of water is never ending. We should be worried for our future generation and try to conserve and use optimal water. Water pollution should be stopped and rain water harvesting should be encouraged on a mass scale.

Sameeksha - Std. IV



LIBRARY LIBRARY !

Lovely and incredible books that equip kids like warriors,
Interested kids right from Juniors to Seniors.
Books that cover topics so wide,
Reading them is a rule that I abide.
All books give so much delight,
Reading the books teach us not to fight,
Yes, these are the books that make us so bright !

Pragathi R. - Std. V

IMPORTANCE OF NEWSPAPERS

Newspapers are the eyes and ears of the society- a ready reckoner for everything under the sun!

Newspapers are the most effective medium of expression of public opinion, they encourage social reforms.

Newspaper records the day to day activities happening across the world, and also gives us the first hand opinions and observations of great thinkers.

The modern newspapers contain varied snippets of interest like Government policies, developments in science and technology, peace and war, finance, sports, education and entertainment like movies, music and food.

Though we can find all of these on the internet, we must remember that people in villages may not have access to internet, but they have access to newspapers.

Newspapers play an important role in a country. So friends, I suggest that we all start reading the newspaper.

Chinmayee Joshi - Std. IV



THE NEEDLE TREE

There were once two brothers who lived at the edge of a forest. Unfortunately, the elder brother was very mean to his younger brother. He ate all the food and took all his brother's good clothes.

One day the elder brother went into the forest to find some firewood to sell in the market. As he went around chopping the branches of a tree, he came upon a magical tree. The tree said to him, "Oh kind Sir, please do not cut my branches. If you spare me, I will give you a golden apple." The elder brother agreed, but greed overcame him, and he threatened to cut the entire trunk, if the tree didn't give him more apples. The magical tree, instead showered needles upon the elder brother. He lay on the ground, crying in pain as the sun began to go down on the horizon.

When he did not return home, his younger brother became worried and went in search of his brother. He found him lying on the forest ground, groaning in pain. He lovingly helped him to get up and asked what had happened. He begged the tree to cure his brother. The magical tree obliged. The two brothers then went home. The elder brother realised how unjust he had been. He begged his brother to forgive him and the two lived happily ever after.

Ashish - Std. VI

TALENT CORNER

KALARIPAYATTU

Kalaripayattu is an Indian Martial Art form, emanating from God's own country, Kerala. It's been my absolute privilege to be trained on this martial art form, for 3 years now. It greatly improves flexibility and strength. It also fosters agility and hugely cuts down the laziness quotient. I have huge admiration and respect towards this art form. After each class, I feel more evolved and transformed as a better individual. There are many levels in Kalaripayattu- and I am presently pursuing Level 4, Short Sticks (Cheriyu Vadi). Every weekend we have about 45 minutes of exercise sessions, whereafter we begin with the regular practice. I would like to profusely thank my parents for introducing me to this Martial Art form. I promise, I will try my best to take it forward to the highest level possible.

Dhruv Guru Prasad – Std.VII



GUINNESS BOOK OF WORLD RECORDS

The most backward body skips in one minute is 46 and was achieved by Sakthi Balasubramani (India) in Coimbatore, India, on 18 October 2015.

A backwards body skip is a full 360-degree revolution of the arms. The arms are passed over the head, behind the back and under the feet while remaining connected.

Extremely flexible Sakthi Balasubramani discovered his talent at a school sports day but only recently thought of its potential to earn him a Guinness World Records title. B Sakthi, a civil engineering student of SNS College of Technology broke the record of Brittany Boffo, an Australian (40 skips in one minute).

Geethanjali K. - Std. VI



HAPPY FOUNDER'S DAY - 18TH JUNE 2019

On the ecstatic occasion of DMCS Founder's Day, DMCS students visited the Sunshine Home, orphanage in Kalkere, Bangalore. The orphanage has 40 inmates who are treated with lot of love and care by the caretakers. DMCS students organised many playful games and showcased a very interesting magic show, which was thoroughly enjoyed by the residents. A warm cake cutting ceremony was held for the children and there was the memorable occasion of planting a guava sapling in the campus of the orphanage by DMCS Head Boy, Head Girl and children of the orphanage. Many books, notebooks, daily usage items were also distributed to the inmates of the orphanage. A well thought prayer session for the health and happiness of the Honourable Chairman, was also held at the orphanage. It was a heart touching moment when the children of the orphanage cordially invited DMCS students and staff to revisit the orphanage and spin many more beautiful memories.

Ms. Kokila Vani M. - Library Incharge



Visit to Sunshine Home Orphanage, Kalkere

As a part of our Founder's Day celebrations, students of DMCS Vidyanapura, visited an Old Age Home called -Chiraashraya Senior Citizen Homes at Kenchenahalli, Yelahanka New Town.

The old Age home has 9 inmates, who are showered with lot of love and dedication. The home is very well maintained with all the facilities needed for the people. Hygiene and care is one of the priorities of the old age home. The old age home is voluntarily run by an individual who is quite dedicated in serving these people with very nominal amount. It was a such a wholesome experience for our children to interact with the people. The children also presented a small cultural program with song and dance to make the inmates feel relaxed and happy.

The inmates were very happy to interact with us. Each inmate spoke about their daily schedule and the family background they belong to.

Our children were very touched by this experience. This experience will also have an impact on children in making them more sensitive towards relationships and value their parents and elders.

Ms. Swetha - Special Educator



Visit to Chiraashraya Senior Citizens Home- Kenchenahalli, Yelahanka

DMCS BANASWADI – EVENTS

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY – 21ST JUNE 2019

Deva Matha Central School, Banaswadi celebrated International Yoga Day with great delight and solemnity. It was a beautiful amalgamation of yoga classes, postures and techniques that students learn under the able guidance of DMCS Yoga instructor. Different Asanas were practiced during the morning assembly, wherein everyone witnessed an overwhelming participation by the students. The most important highlight of the day was that all DMCS students from Std. I to X, performed Yoga asanas under one roof, a visual treat to one and all.

Ms. Smita Edwin - Faculty Member



KINDERFUN FATHERS DAY – 22ND JUNE 2019

DMCS celebrated Kinderfun Father's Day with lot of joyfulness and excitement. Theme based songs and dances revolving around the theme of love of fathers, made the day very emotional. A gleeful Ramp show wherein the father and child walked together, was one of the most cheerful moments of the day. An intriguing quiz session on the father-child rapport was also conducted. EduSports team arranged for many fun activities for the overjoyed father fraternity.

Ms. Shalini Peter - Faculty Member



DMCS VIDYARANYAPURA – EVENT

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY – 21ST JUNE 2019



DMCS Vidyaranyapura -NCC Cadets participated in the International Yoga Day. Students assembled in the Manekshaw parade ground for a yoga display organised by the National Cadet Corps, Karnataka and Goa Directorate of Karnataka. Jeyani Shekar of class VIII explained the importance of practicing yoga. A theme driven assembly based on the different postures of Yoga was also organized at the DMCS Vidyaranyapura Campus.

Ms Roopalakshmi - Faculty member

EDUSPORTS

We take great pleasure in informing that EduSports- the Sports Education Organisation has been roped in to take over the structured sports curriculum for DMCS Vidyanayapura, for the academic year 2019-20. They will be covering grades from Kindergarten to Std. X, wherein they will be introducing multiple health and wellness programmes for the students. Through an array of well – organised sports activities they will be able to work on the physical, emotional and social skills of the children. Needless to mention, EduSports has already been showing great progress



with children belonging to the DMCS Banaswadi Campus. We wish them all the best !.

Ms. Mumtaz M. H. - Faculty Member

QUALITY INITIATIVE

FIRE SAFETY DEMO:

On 26th June 2019, Deva Matha Central School Campus was abuzz with excitement. The reason—the fire- fighting squad were visiting our school to give us a demo on fire - fighting techniques. They explained to us that fire can be categorized into three types-A B and C. 'A' is a solid based type of fire caused by burning paper, cloth, plastic etc. 'B' is liquid based type of fire caused by petrol diesel, kerosene, while 'C' type of fire is gaseous in nature - like LPG. Fire can also be caused by short circuits in electrical appliances. The methods of fighting the different types of fire is different. We learnt how to use a fire extinguisher. It was exciting to learn to aim the nozzle of the extinguisher at the base of the fire and not at the flame. There were a host of other important ideas and views shared with us. We also learnt that if flames are 3 to 4 feet high there will be a lot of smoke, so the best way to get out of the place safely and prevent asphyxiation, is to cover the mouth and nose with a cloth and crawl out of the place. We must never use the lift in case a building is on fire but use only the staircase. One must not panic and try his/her best to evacuate the place as quickly as possible. We were instructed to dial 101-toll free number of the fire brigade and take all precautionary measures. Everyone in the school tried to take input from the fire drill ,so that loss to life and property – due to fire,could be minimized!

Shriya S. Iyer - Std. X



CURRENT AFFAIRS

CLIMATE CHANGE:

Climate Change refers to the drastic change in the temperatures of the earth. Climate change occurs when changes in the Earth's climate system result in new weather patterns that last for a few decades.

India is among the countries most vulnerable to climate change. The effects of global warming on South Asia include steady sea-level rises, increased cyclonic activity and changes in ambient temperatures. Is there anything that can be done to halt this alarming trend?

Humans have the solutions to address climate change but do we have the will? We are left with no choice now but to assert the will if we are to save humans and the earth from the consequences of climate change.

Responding to climate change will involve a 2 tier approach:

1. Mitigation: Reducing the flow of greenhouse gases into the atmosphere.
2. Adaptation: Learning to live with and adapt to the climate change already set in motion.



Recycling and more fuel efficient cars are examples of behavioral changes.

Climate change is a global phenomenon and therefore requires a globally coordinated response such as international policies and agreements between countries. It needs a push for cleaner forms of energy and local efforts, at the city and regional level. We need more efficient public transport, energy efficiency improvement and sustainable city planning. Long way to go!

Jeyani Shekar - Std. IX

CREATIVE KIOSK



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RAHUL - IX



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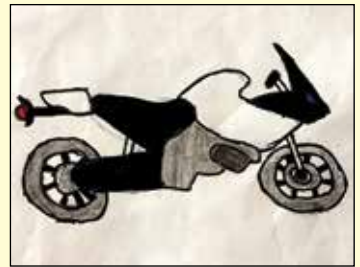
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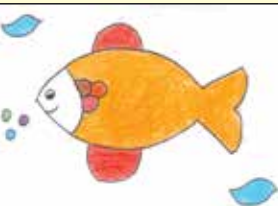
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Thank you

Did you Know !

THE FIRST COUNTRY TO CONSUME SUGAR

India is the first country to develop extraction and purifying techniques of sugar. Many visitors from abroad learnt the art of refining and cultivation of sugar from us.

