

# Deva Matha Central School

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## DMCS INVESTITURE CEREMONY - TERM II, 2019

The Investiture Ceremony of the Student Council Members, for Term II was held at Deva Matha Central School, Banaswadi and Vidyanarayapura, on 19<sup>th</sup> October 2019 and 21<sup>st</sup> October, 2019 respectively. DMCS as a school has always believed in creating surplus opportunities of leadership for its students, thus giving the opportunity to many students to don the mantle of leadership. After undergoing a rigorous electoral procedure of voting by DMCS students, the deserving candidates were rightfully selected for the coveted designations.

At DMCS Banaswadi the Chief Guest for the day was Mr. Balaji Narasimhan, a licensed International football coach who has represented India in many International Football tournaments and brought laurels to our country. The other dignitaries present for the day were Ms. Vrinda Coutinho - DMCS School Director and Ms. Geetha Somanathan - Principal, DMCS Banaswadi. The dignitaries gracefully took the general salute, subsequently followed by the DMCS Flag Unfurling ceremony and a beautiful rendition of the school anthem. The student council members were conferred with the badges and sashes followed by the much awaited Oath taking ceremony of the Head Boy - Shabareeshan S. The School Head Girl - Kamia Sajul gave a promising speech on fulfilling the responsibilities incumbent on the Student Council Members team. The Chief Guest encouraged the students to prove their mettle and revisit their promises of being great leaders. The Chief Guest, the school dignitaries, teachers, parents, students and all the well-wishers were thanked for gracing the occasion and making it a memorable one for all. A warm high tea session for the parents, was duly followed.

Quite remarkably, a School Project Exhibition was meticulously arranged for the Parent fraternity of DMCS Banaswadi. Few of the brilliant projects on display, were spearheaded by the Literary Club, NIE Club, Computer Club, Science Club,

Art & Craft Club, Math Club, Library Club, Heritage Club, Robotic Club & Critical Thinking team. The projects on display ensued many breath-taking moments for the visitors and well-wishers. The DMCS Banaswadi Investiture Ceremony indeed left many lingering memories in the minds of the DMCS family.

At DMCS Vidyanarayapura, the Chief Guest for the illustrious occasion was Captain Vinod Aiyappa - Superintendent of Police and Chief Vigilance Officer at the Karnataka Power Corporation.

The dignitaries panel also included, DMCS School Director - Ms. Vrinda Coutinho, DMCS Vidyanarayapura Principal - Ms. R. Balasundari and DMCS Academic Advisor - Ms. Radha Krishnamurthy. The DMCS School Flag was duly unfurled, followed by the singing of the DMCS School Anthem. The dignitaries inspected the various contingents, namely - DMCS School band, NCC, Scout and Guide contingent and four houses of DMCS, namely - Topaz, Sapphire, Ruby and Emerald. It was followed by the March Past, with the incumbent Captains and Vice Captains heading their contingents. The Student Council Members were thereafter conferred their badges and sashes.

DMCS School Captain, Aryan Shyam led the Oath taking ceremony and gave a thoughtful speech on the roles and responsibilities of the newly elected members. The Chief Guest in his discourse exhorted all the students to inculcate the values that would make them good leaders of tomorrow. The programme rightfully ended with playing of the National Anthem. The DMCS Vidyanarayapura Investiture Ceremony was a well planned event, with many notable memories for the DMCS school fraternity.

**Ms. Suchita Bhatt and Ms. Mumtaz M. H.**

- Faculty Members



**"An Honest Man is always a child"**

**- Socrates**

Children's Day in India is celebrated on 14<sup>th</sup> November every year on the birth anniversary of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, the first Prime Minister of India.

Pandit Nehru advocated for the educational rights of children and was fondly called "Chacha Nehru" by them. Before, the demise of Pandit Nehru, India was celebrating Children's Day on 20<sup>th</sup> November, the date designated by the United Nations. After the death of Nehru in 1964

a resolution was passed to celebrate his birth day, 14<sup>th</sup> November as Children's Day to honour him and also his popularity among the children. It is celebrated by the teachers and students in the schools and colleges with great passion and excitement. Cultural programmes including dances, speeches and short dramas are also organized.

Pandit Nehru was very fond of the children despite his hectic life as Indian Prime Minister. He loved to stay and play with children. Chacha Nehru said that children are the future of the country so it is necessary to love and care for them, until they stand on their own feet. Children's day celebration is a call to everyone to protect their little ones from any harm and save their future.

It has often been said - "Never let the child in you die". I truly believe in this adage and feel that the innocence and straightforwardness of children should always be sought after. There are many qualities that we can emulate from children and as long as we keep rekindling these beautiful virtues that children have been endowed with, the world be a better place to live.



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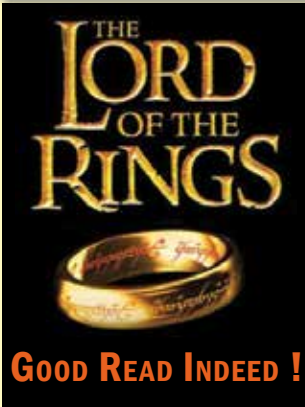
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## PENMAN'S CANVAS



**GOOD READ INDEED !**

The Lord of The Rings is a masterpiece of classical literature, critically acclaimed, and characterized several times, as the greatest work of fiction ever written. It is quite fair to say that JRR Tolkien (the author) has bestowed upon us a work of art so revolutionary, that it changed the way high fantasy, or any fantasy genre for that matter, would ever be written again. It was one of the biggest game changers witnessed in literature in a long time. At the surface, it narrates the tale of Frodo Baggins, who has the gargantuan task of disposing of the ultimate weapon of the dark lord- Sauron. The reader follows the journey and adventures of Frodo and his companions through the realm of Middle Earth, slaying orcs, meeting gallant warriors and manipulating evil kings. But in actuality, it is far, far more than just wizards and monsters. Tolkien paints the ultimate picture in each page. The book is adventurous, gripping and by far, fascinating. The story progresses in a characteristically slow fashion, but it's my honest opinion that that only adds to the ultimate beauty in its essence. It is indeed awe inspiring to know that the author put so much work into the book.

He ended up inventing a nearly-full vocabulary of three fictional languages for the sole purpose of writing the whole manuscript. His imaginary world's history is arguably as deep and precise as our own. Rich language, vivid descriptions, a huge world and undoubtedly the best fantasy plot ever written, is what to expect, when you pick up, The Lord of the Rings !

**Kritin Thakur** - Std. X



### CATCH ME IF YOU CAN ! – SUPERSTAR HIGH FLYER

Pawan Sherawat, nicknamed Hi-Flyer, is a Kabaddi player who currently plays for Bengaluru Bulls in the Vivo Pro Kabaddi League. He is known for his explosive bursts. He is extremely proficient at the running hand touch manoeuvre. He holds the record for the highest raid points in PKL 6 and in season 7, he continued his performance as the lead raid point scorer and top raider. He scored a mammoth 39 raid points in a single match against Haryana Steelers. In the eliminator-1 of the PKL Season 7, he scored 20 raids out of 25, which allowed the Bulls to make a comeback and win the match. He is known as Hi-flyer because he jumped a height of 5.4 metres. I love the game of Kabaddi and aspire to be a great player like him one day.

**Chinmay** – Std. IX

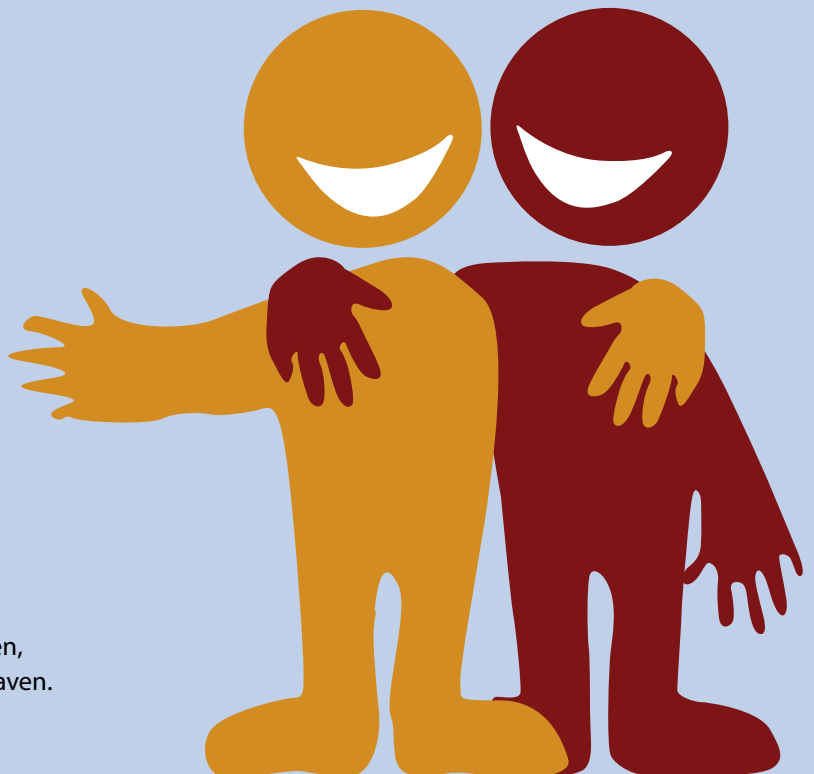
### MY BEST FRIEND

I will be with you,  
Till the end of time.  
When I'm with you,  
Everything is fine.  
Every moment spent,  
With you is fun.  
These memories will last,  
In the long run.

We had fun without any cause,  
Thinking of those memories, with a pause.  
I have stood by you, in moments of distress,  
Loved you to the hilt, even fought for a dress.  
You and me are just the same,  
Once we are together, we go insane.

So tell me, we will be there forever,  
You will hold my hand, whatsoever.  
Friends were the best gifts, God could have given,  
Making sure, we aren't left alone in hell or in heaven.  
We've come together, a long way now,  
You are my best friend, now don't ask me how !

**Tamara Amy Domnic** - Std. X



# GLIMPSES - DMCS BANASWADI - INVESTITURE CEREMONY - TERM II, 2019



# GLIMPSES – DMCS VIDYARANYAPURA - INVESTITURE CEREMONY - TERM II, 2019



# TALENT CORNER

## “Alcohol Monitoring System”

DMCS is extremely proud of its Std. X student, Deva Nanda Nair for bringing unprecedented laurels to her alma mater. She participated for the Inspire Awards 2018-19 which had 3 difficult obstacles to cross, as it spread across the district, state and national level. The national level of Inspire Awards was held at the prestigious IIT Delhi wherein Deva Matha Central School, Bangalore was represented by our student Deva Nanda Nair. Her project was selected for the National Level ( after clearing the District and State Levels). Her inspirational project was named- “Alcohol Monitoring System” – a device deftly



The involvement of drunk drivers in road accidents has been on the rise. Many people die and many are left with permanent injuries. Laws have been made to control drunken driving but have not been successful in curtailing this. This has motivated me to develop “Personnel Monitoring System based on Artificial Intelligence”. An alcohol sensor is attached to the dashboard of the automobile, which



created to control drinking and reckless driving. Quite notably, she was also awarded the “Young Achievers Award” by Dr. Joseph V. G. - Chancellor, Garden City University and Chairman, Garden City Group of Institutions. Deva Nanda profusely thanked her school, teachers and parents for being the ultimate torchbearers of her life.

**Ms. Kokila Vani M. – Library Incharge**



## GUINNESS BOOK OF RECORDS



Florida-based student, Seven Wade, nine-year-old, manages more than 1,000 claps in one minute to break record.

Seven Wade beat the record himself achieving a total of 1,080 claps and won the Guinness World Record.

**Esther H. Wilson**  
- Std. VII



## Did you Know !

### BOOKS DONATED BY MAHATMA GANDHI



The 1,584 books given to M. J. Library, by Mahatma Gandhi, have been digitized and uploaded to the Gandhi Heritage Portal. These books are being digitized by the Sabarmati Ashram. The Ashram is helping the Library preserve the collection. It is said that Mahatma Gandhi extensively referred to these books while preparing his speeches and while writing articles for his journals - Navajivan and Young India !

## PARTNERS IN VALUE CREATION

### DMCS Cricket Camp- Foundation for “Man of the Match”

The much appreciated DMCS Cricket Camp has been diligently training the students across all cricketing skills like - cricket rules and regulations, warm up, batting skills, bowling skills, fielding skills and wicket keeping skills. It is spear headed by Mr. Basavaraj - who himself is a brilliant Cricketer and a certified Referee of the Karnataka State Cricket Association. With a structured time table for Cricket Coaching Classes at DMCS Banaswadi, students greatly look forward to the training on the slated days . DMCS Banaswadi Cricket team has also been successfully registered with KSCA,



to play for Inter-School Cricket Competitions. We wish the very best to the DMCS Cricket team for the forthcoming matches !

**Rohan U.** - Std. VIII

## QUALITY INITIATIVE

### Self Defense Classes – LKG to Std.II

DMCS Taekwondo Faculty Members - Mr. Yoganand and Mr. Shadrach took meaningful and lucid self defense classes for DMCS students from LKG to Std. II. They gave insightful tips to small children on handling strangers. They taught them not to get carried away by chocolates or snacks offered by unknown people. They also gave cues on how to shout out, or physically handle any stranger approaching them. The class was well received and hugely appreciated by the junior members of the DMCS family.

**Ms. S. Aruna** - Welfare Officer



## CURRENT AFFAIRS

### RuPAY Card

India signed an agreement with Saudi Arabia on October 29, 2019 to launch the RuPAY card in the country. The agreement was signed during the visit of Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi to Saudi Arabia on October 29, 2019. This would make Saudi Arabia the third Gulf nation to initiate India's digital payment system. The move is expected to benefit the Indian population living in the nation. The RuPAY card has already been launched by India in four countries – UAE, Bahrain, Singapore and Bhutan.

**Anaamika Vinod**  
- Std. VII



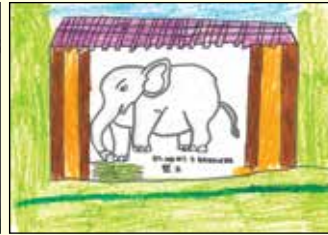
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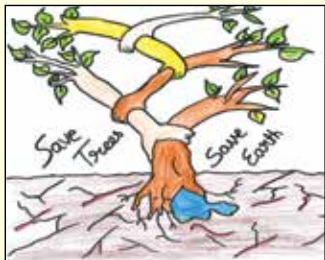
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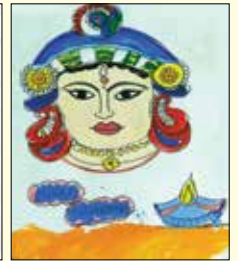
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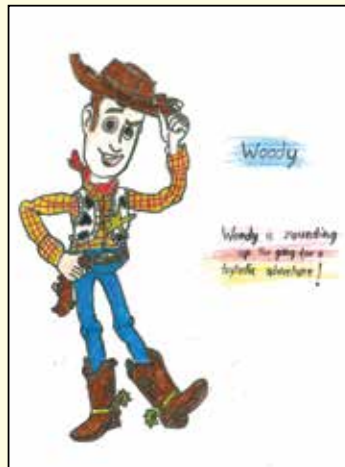
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