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GARDENIA JUNIOR 2016-COSMITTO

“I can do things you cannot and you can do things I cannot; but together we can do great things.”

The aforesaid line was the beautiful theme of Gardenia Junior 2016-Cosmitto. Cosmitto symbolises unity and togetherness in the Latin language. DMCS with great aplomb, hosted the two day Inter school fest for the fourth consecutive year on 11th and 12th November, 2016. There was a staggering participation of 24 schools represented by 750 students, across Bengaluru.

Being the host school, DMCS students only participated in the plethora of events, without competing for any of the contests, with its fellow participants. The aim was to hone the leadership and event management skills of DMCS students and give an opportunity to other students to come and compete constructively in the fest.

There were 12 events in the fest that tapped the potential of students in the enticing fields of music, dance, mathematics quiz, ramp walk, cooking, fancy dress, colouring, face painting, nail art and photography.

The inaugural ceremony of Gardenia Junior 2016 was presided by KR Puram MLA Shri B A Basavaraj; accompanied by nominated K R Puram Corporator- Shri P J Anthony Swamy and our Honourable Chairman - Dr. Joseph V.G. The Chief dignitaries were accompanied by our DMES Secretary - Mr. Nainan P Oommen, School Coordinator - Ms. Vrinda Coutinho, Principal-DMCS Banaswadi- Ms. Sujatha K. and Principal - DMCS Vidyananyapura - Ms. Balasundari R.

On 11th November, 2016; there were



2 On-stage and 5 Off-stage events.

The first On-stage event was Group Dance. The participants showcased folk dance of different parts of India. The next On-stage event was Mathematics Quiz. The four teams which qualified after the prelims enthusiastically responded to the questions posed to them.

Simultaneously there were 5 Off-stage events - Face Painting, Nail Art, Photography, Cooking without fire; in which students actively participated and showcased their expertise.

The second day of the fest witnessed 4 On-stage and 2 Off-stage events.

The Solo Dance performances were thoroughly enjoyed by the enchanted audience.

The Fancy Dress competition was unique, as parents got an opportunity to relive their childhood, by participating along with their wards. Parents and kids came dressed as natives of Africa, Japan, England; with impressive props being showcased to the audience.

The various bands played meticulously in perfect synchronisation and

enthralled the audience. The ramp walk saw participants in various contemporary and traditional attires. It was also inspirational to watch DMCS Std. X students, dance to their Signature step and tune, deciphered by themselves, specially for Cosmitto-2016.

On 12th November, 2016; the Off-stage events were Colouring competition and Kinder Chef. Little artists and chefs created magic with their tiny hands.

Quite notably, there was an array of sumptuous delicacies served at various food stalls which were thoroughly relished by everyone.

Apart from food stalls, an attractive flea market set-up; game stalls and photo booths were the highlight of the mega fest.

Amar Jyoti Public School bagged the “Championship Trophy” as well as the “Maximum Participation Trophy”; for the second consecutive year.

The euphoria and exhilaration of Gardenia Junior - 2016 still remains immortal in our hearts, leaving behind enduring memories to cherish and treasure.

Ms. Anitha Madhu
- Faculty Member



Money - A Finite Resource

Money is an economic tool, a "medium of exchange." But money is much more than simply an economic tool. It is also a psychological currency that buys emotional satisfaction.

Ancient Sailors navigated the oceans by using the North Star to establish their bearings so that they would know how to steer the ship to stay on course. Perhaps, money management is a path that is uniquely yours ;because you are an unique individual with attitudes, priority, motives, and values of your own,therefore we need to be focused like the wise Ancient Sailors.

It so happened to me once, while shopping with my six year old child, he was adamant on buying an expensive toy. I tried to explain to him, but my efforts didn't seem to last long.

He showed me an ATM booth to get him the money! Well, that was my moment of truth as the parent of a growing child. When kids see money pop out of the ATM, they don't realize that money is a finite resource. It's imperative to explain them that parents work hard to earn money for a living and the bank is just a place that keeps it safe!

Lets imbibe in our children the value of self realisation and money management, in our day to day lives. Here are a few useful tips:

- ❖ Expand the basics of Mathematics in them. Teach them small money games.
- ❖ Get them a piggy bank and generously explain to them in your own words, how a saving bank is monitored.
- ❖ Familiarize them with the banking activities. Open a

Saving Account in their name.

- ❖ Encourage them to plan their savings and sensible spending on priority with their own allowance.
- ❖ Allow them to dream big and encourage them to save more.
- ❖ Show them the best way to buy things with money in their pockets and advise them that the ATM Cards are used by parents/adults only.
- ❖ Help them to maintain simple record and name it as "My Banking Record."

These genuine, simple methods will help the children learn about handling money responsibly and this would ultimately pave way towards disciplined monitoring of money management, in their adulthood.

"A Penny saved is A Penny Earned."

Deva Matha Central School

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Literary Corner @ DMCS-Banaswadi



"Travel makes a person modest; you see what a tiny place you occupy in the world."

I am a blessed eight year old who had an opportunity to travel around the world and I feel overjoyed to cherish my lovely moments with you.

LONDON MAZE

The first place where I lived outside India was at London in United Kingdom. The places I visited were Big Ben, the Shard, London Eye, Jurassic Coast and Durdle Door. Big Ben is a

MY TRAVELOGUE

big clock tower, which is a famous landmark. London Eye is an enormous giant wheel and Shard is a pyramid like structure, which is the third tallest building in the world. The Durdle Door is a cliff shaped like arch way, where people go sky and scuba diving. I also went on a caravan holiday to Jurassic Coast and got a fossil collection.

SCIARE

SCIARE an Italian word which means SKIING. Sciare took place in Vamalenco, a beautiful village located approximately 1000 m above the sea level. We had to speak in French or Italian with the local people which added to the humor!

LOST IN DISNEY

Next, we travelled to Paris, saw the famous Eiffel Tower and the Disney

Land, a dream come true for every child. The rollercoaster, also called the Big Thunder was another memorable experience.

THE SWIZZ TOOTH FAIRY

Switzerland is a very cold place. Seeing Mount Titlis in a revolving car, was picturesque. Also I lost my tooth there! The Swiss tooth fairy still needs to return that to me though...

USA CALLING

I also went on a trip to USA, one of the largest countries in the world. Visit to the USA monuments like the Empire State Building, Time Square, White House, National History Museum and Statue of Liberty was truly a feast to my eyes.

I love travelling to many places and I wish I will be able to visit every country in this world someday!

Srishti R. - Std.IV

THE BEAUTIFUL RAINBOW

A Rainbow has seven colours. To remember the order of these colours, we use the acronym VIBGYOR.

- ♦ Visualize your dreams says Violet
- ♦ Indigo is my name-but you call me wisdom
- ♦ Blue, colour of the sky and the sea, means intelligence and truth

- ♦ Green, colour of life, that generates energy and ambition
- ♦ Yellow, colour of sunshine, gives happiness and clarity
- ♦ Orange, sensation of creativity, playfulness and control
- ♦ Red, colour of fire and blood, emphasis on power and strength

Colours play an important role in our lives. Different colours symbolize different personalities and also affect our moods differently.

"Add More Combination Of Colours To Your Life."

Anushri - Std. II

Literary Corner @ DMCS-Vidyanayapura



25th December of every year is celebrated as Christmas, the birth of Jesus Christ with love and affection, all over the world. When the advent season starts, we proclaim the coming of Lord Jesus Christ. The

Churches welcome the day with prayers and masses to mark the arrival of the Lord. People rejoice and enjoy by participating in various activities on the eve, and by sharing cake and delicacies with each other. Christmas carols and the decoration of the Christmas tree adds colour to the celebration. Children enact the sequence of the birth of Jesus Christ and bring smile on the faces of all the people around them.

The most popular attraction during Christmas is the Santa Claus. According to tales, Santa got his name from the famous, St. Nicholas. It's a renowned belief that Santa gives gifts to small children and



spreads love and joy around him. Kids make snowman and have a great time with Santa Claus. In schools, during Christmas season, they play secret Santa by exchanging gifts.

**Here is wishing everyone
- Merry Christmas!**

Angle Rose - Std. IX



EVENTS @ DMCS - BANASWADI

WORLD ANIMATION DAY

Deva Matha Central School, Banaswadi celebrated the World Animation Day on 28th October, 2016. The Chief Guest for the day was Mr. Prince Xavier- Multimedia Specialist, Cavalier Animation and Media College. He conducted an impactful workshop and threw light on animated pictures like “Life of Pi, Exodus” to emphasize on the hard work that goes behind the screen, to entertain people at large. Students also showed great interest in developing animation as their career objective.

Ms. Devi R - Faculty Member



CHILDREN'S DAY

Deva Matha Central School celebrated Children's Day with great enthusiasm and elation. Theme based skit enacted by teachers, accompanied with songs and games were the highlight of the day. Children paid homage to Chacha Nehru and sweets were distributed during the celebrations.

*Ms. Gurneet & Ms. Rupali
- Faculty Members*



National Integration Day

The National Integration day was celebrated with great zeal and vigour at DMCS, Banaswadi. A beautiful dance performance, showcasing the concept of “Unity in Diversity” was the highlight of the day.

*Ms. Sangeetha N & Ms. Basanti Naik
- Faculty Members*



National Education Day

National Education Day was observed on 23rd November, 2016 at DMCS Banaswadi. A theme based skit along with a reassuring speech on the importance of education was the highlight of the day.

Ms. Sibi S J - Faculty Member



Kinderfun Annual Sports Meet

Deva Matha Central School, Banaswadi held the Kinderfun Annual Sports Meet on 19th November, 2016. Ms Latha Murthy - a passionate Educationist, at Vish Vin Educational Services, Bangalore was the Chief Guest for the day.

March Past, Aerobic Exercise, Tiara Race, Hat Race, Bursting Balloons, Lemon & Spoon Race, Mask Race, Passing the Ball for (Mother's Category) Pyramid Race (Father's Category) were the main events for the day.

Ms. Shilpa L - Faculty Member



EVENTS @ DMCS - VIDYARANYAPURA



Fancy Dress Competition

Kinderfun children celebrated an enamouring Fancy Dress competition on 11th of November, 2016. They were dressed as different characters like X'mas tree, vegetable queen, honey bee, rocket, gypsy, tree, cow etc. The students came forward displaying their vibrant costumes.

Ms. Sherine- Faculty Member



Creative Writing Competition

DMCS Vidyaranyapura held the Creative Writing competition on 21st November, 2016. It was held for classes VI - X. Students participated with great enthusiasm, as it was an opportunity for them to express their thoughts, feeling and emotions.

*Ms. Nalini
- Faculty Member*

A VISIT TO THE PARK

Kinderfun children were taken for a trip to the park in the vicinity of the school premises. All the tiny tots enjoyed their outing and they were very happy and excited. They played on the swing, slide, monkey bar and engaged in the game of passing the ball. Children also enjoyed the nature walk which was a great way to soothe their mind. They looked like little butterflies in the park.

Ms. Jacqueline-Faculty Member



HANDWRITING COMPETITION

A beautiful hand writing competition was held on 29th November, 2016 at DMCS Vidyaranyapura. All the tiny ones were very excited to write in a neat hand writing. All the students participated enthusiastically in the event.

*Ms. Sumathy M
- Faculty Member*



DRAMATICS

Deva Matha Central School, Vidyaranyapura took part in the inter house role play competition conducted on 26th November 2016. The students from Std. VI - X Std enthusiastically participated in this activity. They showcased good involvement in their characters and exhibited excellent Dramatisation skills.

Ms. Sreeja - Faculty Member



Take Heed Of Your Time

Time is mankind's most precious possession and asset in life. We all have plenty of time to do everything we really want to do. We always succeed to do things which we esteem important.

We need time to work, to rest and to accomplish all the chores of living. We need time to understand the prevailing circumstances and even people. Most of the relationships require more time than what we actually have. Also we need time to produce, maintain and consume things.

The wholesomeness and the harmony of life demand that we have constant and well fixed appointments with time regarding to work, office, feasts, holidays, rest, sleep, meals, meeting other people.

To keep ourselves well balanced and to live with wisdom and moderation and even in good health, we need to pay great attention on how we spend our time.

Time demands that we are fully alive today. This very moment

is our unrepeatable chance to become the person we want to be.

We have only one life
Time is short.
Yesterday is over.

Tomorrow is not yet in our hands.
Live today.

So each new day is an adventure and opportunity to make discoveries and to increase your repository of knowledge and understanding. Permit the thrill of adventure to arouse your tempo for the day.

Talent@ DMCS - Banaswadi

Art and Craft - Creativity Unleashed

“SOME PEOPLE LOOK FOR A BEAUTIFUL PLACE;
OTHERS MAKE A PLACE BEAUTIFUL”

As education is based on all-round development of a child, Craft is one subject that can inculcate aesthetic values in a child's life. This subject brings in joyful learning, as children give in their complete attention in creating something new with their little fingers- like the art of drawing, coloring, paper folding, or cutting them to a shape through self interest, together with the guidance of their Craft Teacher .

As a Craft Teacher, I enjoy teaching children to build in them the spirit of creative skills. Children are given scope for self expression by creating their own craft with quality guidance.



It also builds in them values and team spirit and attributes towards healthy competition, in giving their best. I am very

happy to inculcate such values in my students, which adds a lot of clarity to their creativity streak and sensibilities.



AHAM ARTICLE

Life Skills

Ms Aparna Athreya,
AHAM Co-ordinator

Positive Affirmations - as Sukhi calls them Super Thoughts!!!

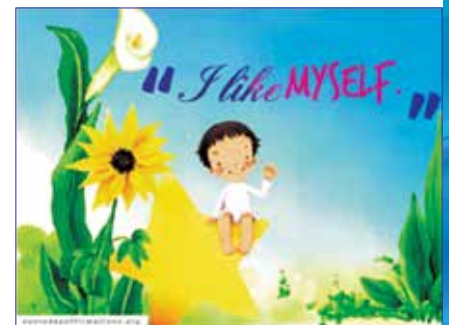
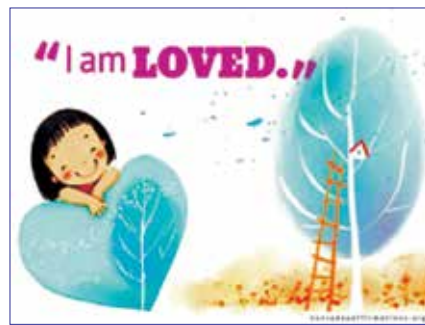
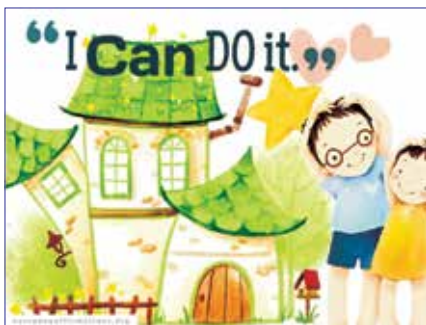
Every child has the right to live life to the fullest. While growing up can be fun, it also brings with it challenging times. Positive Affirmations is the kind of positive programming that helps children establish a positive belief system that supports them in developing a positive attitude to life. By doing so, we can help our children to internalize good values and positive beliefs, which allows them to develop

confidence and a healthy dose of self-esteem.

Positive affirmation is a thought or phrase that you often think about that helps us believe in ourselves. It empowers a child to create positive protective layer around and makes it hard for life's challenges to tear down. Positive self-belief developed in childhood will stay with them throughout their life.



Some examples of positive affirmations are shown below. Other examples include "I can do it", "I am strong", "I can manage my anger", "I am calm" and so on.



Sukhi asks every parent to think of positive affirmations and also help your child think of them too!

SPORTS @ DMCS

Deva Matha Central School is delighted to announce that Mr. Yoganand - School Taekwondo Instructor; participated in the 6th Tirak Taekwondo International Championship, 2016, held on 23rd October, 2016. The venue for the mega event was - John Paul II Sports Centre, Bangkok, Thailand. There were 25 nations, across the world, which participated for the Championship. Our country, India was represented by 25 sports personalities;



Mr. S. Yoganand won a gold medal in Kyorugi (fighting) and bronze medal in Poomsa, category of events. Deva Matha Central School applauds the

great accomplishment by its faculty member and salutes his sportsmanship spirit.

Ms Hemalatha
- DMCS Sports Incharge



My Creative Space



Yashwitha - V



Abhimanyu - II



Aman - II



Ashish Thomas - III



Bless Mariyam Koshy - III



Gaman M - II



Nandita - IV



Gia - UKG



Pournamy - III



Hemanth Gowda - V



Karthik - V



Simone Das - III



Abdul Kenz - III



Stuti Ashtekar - I



Prajwal - III



Venkatesh - IV



Akshita - III

Thank you