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Date	Event
02-01-2020 to	Assembly Presentation by Grade VIII-A – Topic:
04-01-2020	"Stress Management"
02-01-2020	Show and Tell Competition for Grade I- V
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07-01-2020	Field trip to Birla Planetarium for Grades III and IV
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**Quotable Quote:** "Celebrate ending- for they precede new beginnings"

THE MONTH IT WAZ.... (January 2020

#### Assembly Presentation by Grade VIII-A Topic "Stress Management"



*"It's not the load that breaks you down, it's the way you carry it".* 

The students of grade VIII A conducted the morning assembly from 2<sup>nd</sup> January to 4<sup>th</sup> January on the topic "Stress Management". The students depicted how to prevent, reduce and cope up with the stress through thought, word and article delivering and signifying the same. On the whole it was an informative assembly.

#### Show and Tell Competition for Grade I- V



The art of communication is the language of leadership. Effective team work begins and ends with communication. On 2<sup>nd</sup> January, Show and Tell Competition was conducted for Grade I to V. All the students participated with full enthusiasm. They brought colorful props with them and spoke confidently about it. All the students had lots of fun and exchange of ideas during this activity.

#### Kite making competition for Grade VI- VIII

*"Kite rise against the wind not with it and imagination is the highest kite that can fly."* 

Keeping this thought in mind on 3<sup>rd</sup> January, Kite Making Competition was conducted for Grades VI to VIII. Students made creative and beautiful kites. The event was a grand success.



#### Field Trip to Shilparamam for Grade 1 and 2



The students of grade I & II were taken for a field trip to Shilparamam on 3<sup>rd</sup> January. Shilparamam is a village space that depicts the true cultural heritage of India. The children enjoyed seeing village like set up. They keenly observed cultures and crafts followed in the villages in olden days. The children also enjoyed watching the pet animals. Few children fed the rabbits with leaves. They were excited to see the rabbits nibbling the leaves from their hands.

The children played in the park, sang songs and solved riddles. It was an amazing educational trip.

# Assembly Presentation by Grade II-A and III- B Topic: "Celebration of harvest festivals"



ज़िन्दगी में खुशियाँ जगाए, रूठे हुए को मनाए । घर-आँगन को रोशन कर जाए, देते हैं ये दस्तक ।

सही त्यौहारों का है अपना महत्तव, आओ मनाए उत्सव मकर संक्राति का ।

कक्षा दूसरी और तीसरी के विद्यार्थियों ने 6-1-2020 से 10-1-2020 तक का सप्ताह "कटाई उत्सव" के रूप में मनाया । सभा का सञ्चालन वल्लभा, संयुक्ता, उमिका, वेदा, रेयांश और कुंवर ने किया । अनुष्का, सुहास, नमन, आद्या और अबूबकर ने देश के प्रति सबको प्रतिज्ञा दिलाई । श्रेयसी, अनन्या श्रीवास्तव, विक्शा, हसित और प्रहर्षा ने शब्द भंडार बढ़ाया । समीक्षा, सीरी, अनुराग, सुमांजलि और शंकरा ने प्रेरणादायक सुविचार से विदयार्थियों को प्रोत्साहित किया । अनन्या शुक्ला

**दूसरी के छात्रों ने कविता प्रस्तुत की** । कक्षा दूसरी की छात्राओं ने नृत्य प्रस्तुत किया । भव्या ने सभी को संक्रांति के त्यौहार के बारे में बताया । अध्यापिका अनुनीधि ने सब विद्यार्थियों को लोड़ी के त्यौहार के बारे में बताया । पूरे सप्ताह सभी विद्यार्थियों ने विभिन्न कटाई त्यौहार के बारे में जानकारी प्राप्त की । सभी विद्यार्थियों ने जाना की मीठी बोली**,** मीठी जुबान यही हैं इस त्यौहार का पैगाम ।

#### Field Trip to Birla Planetarium for Grade III and IV



Grade III and IV visited the Birla planetarium on 7<sup>th</sup> January. It was indeed a flight through the universe. This planetarium is the first phase of the Birla Science center in Hyderabad, which was nothing less than a landmark in bridging the gap between science and the common masses. This dome shaped structure was developed with the technological help from Japan. This place presents its visitors with latest information about Universe and about various invention and theories related to it. The students watched a 30 minutes movie in the theatre. This is also known as "The Sky Show". The Sky show is the most attractive feature of the Planetarium. As the lights dimmed and the journey through the stars began, the excitement among the students was

overwhelming. The skies came alive on the massive dome theatre. The dome theatre is in the form of a semi-circle which displays the movie explaining different types of the constellations, planets, galaxies, satellites, meteorites, asteroids and factual knowledge in astronomy in the universe. The students also watched the 3D movie about under water creatures like fish, whales, sea urchins, seal, snakes, sting ray, their feeding habits, and their dependency on each other and adaptations of different marine animals.

Overall it was very informative trip which gave children experiential learning. The trip proved to be an enjoyable learning experience for the students.

#### Field Trip to Rural development Park-NIRD & PR for Grade VI, VII and VIII



"Surely we have a responsibility to leave for future generations a planet that is healthy and habitable by all species".

-Sir David Attenborough. Students of grade VI-VIII were taken to an educational trip to National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj on 7 January. The students were introduced to the Rural Techonolgy Park(RTP) by a brief video presentation. Later, the students were allowed to visit different units like Honey processing unit, Dying unit, Handmade paper unit, Vermi compost unit, Mushroom cultivation, Jute and cloth bags making unit, Papad making unit, solar dehydrators and Freezer unit, Herbal products unit, Neem oil, cake making unit etc. The students

came to know about the making and the usage of products. Each one of us had experienced the learning and had participated with zeal and enthusiasm.

-Article contributed by Medha and Maitri

#### **Extempore Speech competition for Grades VI- VIII**



"Life is like a speech but don't learn it, let it be an extempore."

Keeping this thought in mind an inter-house 'Extempore Speech Competition' was conducted as a part of CCA for grade VI to VIII on 10<sup>th</sup> January. Each house was represented by two students. They were given 2 minutes to think about the topic and 3 minutes to deliver their thoughts. The remaining students were enthusiast listeners. This competition helped the students in boosting their self-confidence and ability to connect with the panel, prioritization and sequencing to display logical thinking and communication skills. The event was judged by Kavitha ma'am and Sirisha ma'am. On the whole it was an informative competition which gave the children the ability to think off the feet.

#### Field Trip to Rashtrapati Nilayam for Grade V



On 10<sup>th</sup> of January, students of Grade V visited Rashtrapati Nilayam along with the teachers. Rashtrapati Nilayam is an official retreat of the President of India. It is located in Bolaram, Hyderabad, Telangana, where the President stays at least for two weeks during winter and conducts official business meetings. The day started with a good note of introduction about Rashtrapati Nilayam by the guide. He shared valuable information about when the Nilayam was constructed, the total area and also about the different zones and divisions of Rashtrapati Nilayam. Students enthusiastically noted down all the important information shared by the guide and then they joyfully explored the place. It is a royal residence and cluster

of lavishly ornate buildings. The 16-room estate is spread over an area of 97.2 acres, consisting of single storied building besides visitors' quarters that can accommodate 150 people. The children were excited to see the tunnel which connects the kitchen and the dining hall. It is considered to be the unique aspect of this place. Along with this, the students also visited the herbal garden which has about 116 species of medicinal and aromatic plants.

The students were thrilled to see such a huge mansion and beauty of fauna. Overall it was a fun filled learning experience. -Article contributed by Master Tarun VA



Sankranthi Celebration

On 11<sup>th</sup> January, Sankranthithe Harvest festival was celebrated in our school with great pomp and joy. A special morning assembly was conducted by students guided by Telugu department. The festive spirit was invoked in each of us by an inspirational thought, word and informative article.

This spirit of enthusiasm was carried further more in the afternoon Pongal celebrations. The entire ground had reverberated with ear catchy songs which were melodiously sung by the choir. A short skit was presented by few students projecting the importance of

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the festival. The festive spirit was enhanced more with a dance presentation and bull entry. On the whole it was an unforgettable memory for all of us. The event was graced by the presence of our Academic Director. - Article contributed by Sreenidhi VIII A

#### Assembly Presentation by Grade VIII- B Topic: "Life, Goals and Aspirations"



"To desire is to obtain; to aspire is to achieve"

The students of Grade VIII B conducted the morning assembly on the topic "Life goals and aspirations" on 17th and 18th January 2020. The students presented articles, thoughts, and opinions on life goals and aspirations. The students understood that Goals and aspirations are a part of everyone's life. Without them we would not know what to work for, to strive for or to try and make a mark in this world.

It was an inspiring assembly with a great understanding of life goals and aspirations.

They concluded the assembly with a quote "Dream is not which you see while sleeping it is something that does not let you sleep."

#### YOP session by Toast Masters for Grade IV to VIII

Fourth session on Public Speaking was conducted by experts of Toast Masters at JHCS kondapur for grades IV to VIII on 18<sup>th</sup> of January. The purpose of this session was to enhance the speaking skills of the students as they were instructed on how to prepare a speech. This sessions was based on structured format of a speech. It was illustrated through a series of real time examples. On the whole it was a wonderful and a fruitful program as students got a platform to participate and showcase their speaking abilities.



Assembly Presentation by Grade I A, B & C – Topic: "We, the Descendants of the Brave"



"A real man smiles in trouble, gathers strength from distress and grows brave by reflection. Bravery is the audacity to be unhindered by failures to walk with freedom, strength and hope in the face of the things unknown."

The students of Grade I conducted the morning assembly on the topic "We, the descendants of the brave" from 20<sup>th</sup> Jan'20 to 25<sup>th</sup> Jan'20.The anchoring, pledge, thought, word, story, article, dance and songs were presented by the students with great enthusiasm. We, Indians come from rich lineage of brave and courageous leaders. The students of Grade-I reminded us once again just how brave we are.

#### Handwriting Competition for Grades- I to V



If you want to change the world, pick up your pen. There is beauty in everything. On 23<sup>rd</sup> January Hand Writing Competition was conducted for Grade I to V as part of CCA. All the students participated with full enthusiasm. They learnt that it's not about perfection it's about effort. And when you bring that effort every single day that's where transformation happens. All the students had lots of fun in this activity.

#### **Essay Writing Competition for Grades- VI to VIII**

Writing is a way of talking without being interrupted and writing is the painting of the voice. With this thought on 24<sup>th</sup> January Essay Writing Competition was conducted for Grade VI to VIII as part of CCA. The students were given four topics to choose and were asked to write an essay in about 300 words. Creativity never goes out of style. All the students participated with great zeal and enthusiasm. The event was a grand success.



#### **Republic Day Celebration**



Students and faculty of JHCS Kondapur celebrated with lot of fervour and joy 71st Republic day of our country. The day started with unfurling of National flag by Principal Mrs Mona Mehdi and Academic Director Dr. Laxmi Rao. It was followed by the national anthem which imparted the spirit of patriotism amongst the audience. The choir sang an energetic and exhilarating song "Desham mande" which echoed in the school. A solo song recitation was performed by Rushil from grade VII, which aroused the patriotic emotions in the audience. Impassioned speeches were delivered by young students in three languages - Hindi, Telugu and English. It inculcated in students the patriotic spirit that raises feelings of loyalty and allegiance towards our country. A power packed dance performance was presented by the students which depicted various cultures, rituals, religions and traditions followed in our

country demonstrating the Unity in Diversity. Academic Director Madam then gave a message that stated that we should pledge to govern ourselves to teach good self-governance skills to our students and transform the country towards morally strong country! She quoted John F Kennedy's famous saying "Ask not what your country can do for you, but what you can do for your country".

The Principal Mrs. Mona Mehdi addressed the students and the staff members. She stated that the students should view the Republic Day Tableaus on Television and learn from them the culture and heritage of different states. Principal also emphasized that to keep India fit each and every individual should keep themselves fit. Students should take care of their health as crucial exams were approaching.

The chefs of the school prepared Tricolor snacks and sweets, which were served to all the students on this occasion.

## Assembly Presentation by Grade VII A – Topic: "Winds of Change"



"The pessimist complains about the wind; the optimist expects it to change; the realist adjusts the sails."

Students of Grade VII A conducted the morning assembly on 27th, 28th and 29th January, 2020 on the topic "Winds of Change" under the guidance of Ms Krishna Veni and Ms Varsha.

The students shared their insightful views on how winds of change can influence one's life through thoughts, words, articles and poems. Overall it was an informative and motivational assembly.

#### **Basant Panchami Celebration**

हलके हलके से हो बादल, खुला खुला हो आकाश। ऐसे सुहाने मौसम में हो खुशियों की आगाज़।। इसी भाव से विद्यालय प्रांगण में 30 जनवरी की सुबह सभी छात्र एवं छात्राओं ने वसंत पंचमी का त्यौहार मनाया। सुबह की सभा का शुभारम्भ विद्यालय गीत गा कर हुआ औरफिर सरस्वती माता की वंदना एवं पूजा की गयी। छात्रों ने रंगा रंग कार्यक्रम प्रस्तुत किया और प्राध्यानचर्या जीं। ने दीप प्रज्वलित किया और सभी ने माँ सरस्वती की पूजा की । प्राध्यानचर्या जी ने सभी को वसंत पंचमी की शुभकामनाएँ दी।

वीणा ले कर हाथ में, सरस्वती हो आपके साथ में । मिले माँ का आशीर्वाद हर दिन,मुबारक हो आप सभी को वसंत पंचमी का दिन ।।



#### **Home Studio Inaugurated**

First of its kind-Concept of "Home-Studio" has been introduced in Jain Heritage- a Cambridge School-Kondapur The auspicious inauguration took place on 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2020; by our Academic Director, Dr. K Lakshmi Rao along with our Principal, Mrs. Mona Mehdi.

Just as a child learns how to be disciplined & behave in a certain manner in school through the guidance of the teachers, similarly the school has taken a creative initiative further to incorporate life skills in students with respect to home environment bv educating them with basic courtesies that need to be displayed at home. The spectrum of the tasks range from learning how to fold the bed sheets, ironing their own



clothes, putting used clothes inside a laundry bag, learning how to tie their shoe-laces & button one's shirt, on one end; to organizing their study table & learning table manner & etiquettes along with proper use of cutlery on the other end.

Imagine the sense of accomplishment which a child/teenager would achieve having done all the aforementioned tasks on his/her own- that feeling would help the child attain greater goals in their day-to-day lives!

Engaging them through this Home-Studio Concept would help our students become more self-reliant and emerge to be more confident human beings.

#### Assembly Presentation by Grade VII B – Topic: "Winds of Change"



*"When you can't change the direction of the wind — adjust your sails"* 

Grade VII B conducted the morning assembly on the topic "Winds of Change" on Jan 30<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup> of January and 1<sup>st</sup> of February. On Jan 30<sup>th</sup> we also celebrated a special assembly on the occasion of "Basant Panchami" worshipping Goddess Saraswati with slokas, songs and a dance .The topic was elevated with nice thoughts, words and wonderful quotes. The students were also informed about the deadly spreading CORONO virus. It was an informative assembly.

### **Awards & Rewards**



Meeha Siya of Grade II of JHCS Kondapur secured first place in Girls below 8 Kata and Kumite category in JKA- All India Karate tournament held at Chhattisgarh.

Ancy Siya of Grade VII of JHCS Kondapur secured first place in Girls below 12 Kumite and second place in Girls below 12 Kata category in JKA- All India Karate tournament held at Chhattisgarh.

Ananya Pulluri of Grade III with Trophy for securing second place in Venu and Murthy academy Badminton Championship under-

10 category.

Principal Mrs Mona Mehdi awarded the assembly prize winners for the month of December with General Knowledge books.

Principal Mrs Mona Mehdi awarded the winners of show and

tell competition (Grade I to V) and kite making competition (Grade VI to VIII) with certificates.

Principal Mrs Mona Mehdi awarded the students with certificates for participating in Times Inter School Quiz by global Tree, ICFAI.













Principal Mrs Mona Mehdi awarded the winners of SOF- International English Olympiad (Grade IV to VIII) with Gold, Silver and Bronze Medal and Certificate of Merit.

Principal Mrs Mona Mehdi felicitated the teachers with IEO appreciation certificates.

Principal Mrs Mona Mehdi awarded the students with participation certificate of colour splash inter school competition conducted by The Times of India.

Best softboard for the month of January went to the court of Abhay house in



Principal Mrs Mona Mehdi felicitated the teachers with 100% attendance.





Junior category and Aditya house in Senior category.

# Star Child of the Week (30-12-2019 to 04-01-2020)



# Star Child of the Week (06-01-2020 to 11-01-2020)



#### Star Child of the Week (17-01-2020 to 25-01-2020)





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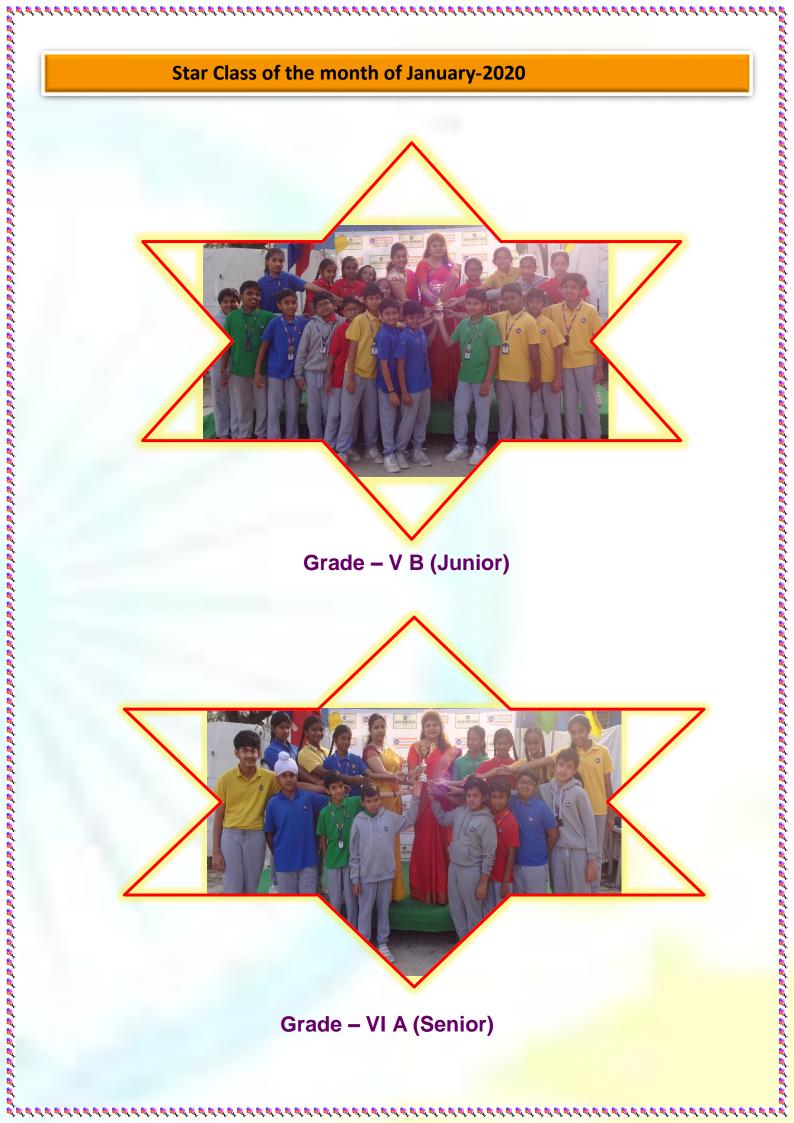






# Star Class Nominations for the month of January





### **Creativity Column**

#### The Fourth Wall: Your True Self

I'm stuck in a room with four walls And two windows standing wide and tall While sitting on this bed like a bean I just noticed that one is yellow and three are green

I've never been so lonely Neither physically nor mentally People call n text you the first day But remember, it's only YOU all the way

While I start to wonder what these walls are like, I think, Would they shout out if given a Mike Or stay silent like a lonely night

Do these walls have feelings too Just the way we humans do Is it their capability to compress it Or our inability to explore it

You may be happy on the outside Broken in the inside, But These four walls Know it all

From when we are a small bean To now being fifteen These four walls have seen you grow And supported you without letting you go Third come your friends because of whom Your days starts with a laugh and the same it ends

Who do you think is the fourth wall That your life depends on Little did you know It's your true self which is yet to be found

How far can the three walls Guide and support you Till their very last breath But what if that's before you

Learn to be strong Learn to be bold In this changing world You, yourself should shine like gold

Stop wasting time on others Work on yourself ;Work on your goals At the end of the day, all that matters is how far you could go

Build these four walls strong and tall and keep in mind Three walls without the fourth will not stand but fall !!!!

Poem contributed by Alekhya - X

I'm not talking about the walls made of brick and cement Talking about those Who are in your life very prominent

First wall stands for your family Who are with you till the very end Next are your gurus Who teach you the difference between right and wrong and good and bad ...

























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