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78TH FOUNDATION DAY CELEBRATED WITH GAIETY & FERVOUR

The 78th Foundation Day was celebrated with gaiety and fervor on 01 Aug 24. The main event was held at the Parade ground where the entire School gathered, along with scores of Senior Georgians, for the flag hoisting. The School flag was hoisted by the Principal. The Flag was saluted and the patriotic song 'kadam kadam badhaye ja' was sung. This was followed by an impressive march past led by Cdt Krishna Rathore, the School Vice captain. The School CCA Vice Captain, Cdt Aditya Aryan presented a brief history of the School, tracing its long journey of 78 years and highlighting the many milestones crossed. Addressing the gathering, the Principal while paying rich tributes to the



Commandants/ Principals, teachers and employees of yesteryears expressed the School's resolve to adopt cutting edge technology to further consolidate and complement the curriculum and pedagogy and exhorted the cadets to work unwaveringly to realize their dream. The Principal extended his congratulations to one and all for their honest contribution and dedication in the growth of the institution.

Later, the Raising Day cake was cut by two of the CI VI cadets in the presence of the President and other office bearers of the Georgian Association, Bengaluru and other Senior Georgians besides the Principal and the Staff. It may be recalled that the School was founded on 01 Aug 1946 as the King George Royal Indian Military College, Bangalore.



SCHOOL TEAM REAP LAURELS AT INTER-SCHOOL QUIZ ON MILITARY HISTORY AND AWARENESS

Displaying a fine show of their general knowledge and awareness and Indian military history, the School Quiz team reaped rich laurels at the Inter-school Quiz competition held by 'Colours of Glory', a Chennai based non-profit NGO Foundation on 25 Aug 24 at Basantar Auditorium, Madras Engineering Group & Centre, Bengaluru. As many as 07 teams from CI VIII, IX & X participated in



the Quiz. The following two teams won 4th & 5th positions and won cash awards:

Team	Name	Class	Position	Award
1	Cdt B Sai Sudhamshu Reddy	X	IV	Rs.1000/- Each
	Cdt Ayush Singh Yadav	X		
2	Cdt Nikhil Siradhana	X	V	Rs.1000/- Each
	Cdt Piyush Yadav	X		



The School team comprising Cdt B Sai Sudhamshu Reddy and Cdt Ayush Singh Yadav who won the 4th position qualified for the finals. Over a dozen schools forming 87 teams from the city's leading institutions participated in the Quiz. There were two rounds. The first was a written one, the second, an oral. The teams were quizzed on various battles, pacts, military formations, weapons and technology. The Quiz was a worthy venture to promote awareness of the Indian military's history and heritage among the young generation.



SCHOOL DEBATE TEAM LIFT INTERSCHOOL BHATIA SHIELD

In a fine display of their debating skills, the School's senior debate team put up a brilliant show and reaped rich laurels, lifting the coveted Winners Trophy at the Inter-School English Debate Competition for the Bhatia Shield held on 10 Aug 24 at the School auditorium. While Cdt Kushant, CI XI bagged the 1st prize, Cdt Aditya Aryan, CI XI secured the 3rd prize. The School team was declared the overall Winners. It was a proud moment for the School as



the cadets marched up to lift the Trophy handed over by Mr Anil Sherawat, President GAB. Organised by the Georgian Association, Bangalore, the competition saw an enthusiastic participation by as many as 22 avid debaters from 11 reputable schools of Bangalore. It may be recalled that the Inter-School English Debate Competition for the Bhatia Shield is conducted every year by the Georgian

Association, Bangalore in fond memory of Sh VS Bhatia, former Principal, King George School, Bangalore (now Rashtriya Military School, Bangalore) from 1952-61.



SCHOOL'S JUNIOR QUIZ TEAM LIFT RUNNERS UP TROPHY AT INTER SCHOOL QUIZ BY APS



The School's debaters put their good public speaking skills to excellent use to lift the Winners trophy in Lt Gen Inderjit Singh Gill English Debate held at Army Public School, PRTC on 10 Aug 24 organised as part of MACS EXPERRA 2.0 – a series of Inter School Competitions organized jointly by Army Public School PRTC & Army Public School KKR. While Cdt Yajat Sharma, CI X spoke in favour of the motion, Cdt Aditya Raj, CI X spoke against it. Cdt Shrijan Pandey, CI XI was the interjector. Cdt Aditya Raj was adjudged the best speaker and was presented a token of appreciation.

SCHOOL TEAM LIFTS CHAMPIONS TROPHY AT INTER SCHOOL HOCKEY TOURNAMENT BY APS

The School Hockey team put up a brilliant show to lift the Champions Trophy at the Inter-School Hockey Tournament held at Army Public School, PRTC on 09 Aug 2024, organized as part of MACS EXPERRA 2.0 – a series of Inter-school competitions organized jointly by APS PRTC & APS KKR. In the finals, the School team



RAKSHA BANDHAN BY BRAHMAKUMARIS ISHWARIYA VISHWAVIDYALAYA



Monday 19 Aug 24 was a special day as the Sisters of the Prajapita Brahmakumaris Ishwariya Vishwavidyalaya, the socio-spiritual educational institution, visited the School for celebrating Raksha Bandhan with the cadets and staff. The event, organized at the School auditorium, began with a small introduction to the Brahmakumaris and the social and spiritual work undertaken by them in India and around the world. Later,

rakhis were tied on the cadets who received no rakhi or had no sisters, and also on the staff including officers, teachers, office staff, army personnel and the Gp C employees by the Sisters who also distributed sweets and wished everyone a peaceful, safe and healthy life.



SCHOOL ATHLETICS TEAM REAP RICH LAURELS AT INTER-SCHOOL ATHLETICS



The School's Athletics team put up a superb show at the Inter-School Athletics Championship held at Vydehi School of Excellence, Whitefield on 20 Aug 24. A team of 20 athletes participated in various events in U-12, U-14 and U-17 categories and won 02 Gold medals, 01 Silver and 03 Bronze medals.



Category	Event	Winners	Class	Medal
U -12 Girls	04x100m Relay Race for Girls	Cdt Khushbu Rani Ansari	VII	Gold
		Cdt A Homa Priya	VII	
		Cdt Manasi Shekhawat	VII	
		Cdt Yashika Gehlawat	VII	
U-17	100m Race	Cdt Tushar Dalal	XI	Gold
U-17	Shot Put	Cdt Ankit	XI	Silver
U-17	Long Jump	Cdt Tushar Dalal	XI	Bronze
U-17	04x100m Relay Race	Cdt Tushar Dalal	XI	Bronze
		Cdt Harshit	XI	
		Cdt Pawandeep	XI	
		Cdt Vikram Singh	XI	
U-14	200m Race	Cdt Ansh Kumar Singh	IX	Bronze

78TH INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

The 78th Independence Day was celebrated at the School with patriotic fervour and zeal. The National Flag was unfurled by Lt Col K Anup Nair, Principal. The entire School which had gathered at the parade arena sung the National Anthem proudly as the National Tricolour fluttered in the breeze with abandon. The School cadets, led by the School Captain Cdt Ayush Kumar Singh put up a magnificent parade. Cdt Parth Raina, Cl IX and Cdt Chirag



Choudhary, Cl X, made short speeches, in English and Hindi respectively, paying rich tributes to the freedom fighters and recalling their vision of a secular, democratic and progressive nation. Cdt Awanish Kumar Yadav, Cl X recited a patriotic poem reminding the countrymen of the lofty ideals of the freedom fighters while Cdt Sameer, Cl X presented a patriotic number from a movie. The Girl cadets led by Cdt Suchira Mitra, Cl IX presented a patriotic group song overflowing with love for the motherland. Ms Parul Tyagi, Asst master, delivered a speech paying homage to the sacred memory of those who

made the supreme sacrifice for the nation's cause and reminding everyone of the vital necessity to remain united and work together for the nation's cause. The programme was well-anchored by Cdt Mitul Shah, Cl X.

SCHOOL CONTINGENT LIFTS BEST MARCHING CONTINGENT TROPHY AT STATE LEVEL INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE

The School's Parade contingent of 37 cadets won high laurels at the 78th Independence Day Parade at Manekshaw Parade Ground, Bangalore by winning the Best Marching Contingent Trophy in their category. The School's contingent won wide applause as it marched along smartly with the contingent commander Cdt Aditya Raj, Cl X leading the contingent with soldierly dignity and pride. The Winners' Trophy was awarded by the Chief Minister, Karnataka. Around 20 contingents from various Schools of Bangalore participated in the Parade.



BRIG RANJEET ALVA, SM DY GOC, K & K SUB AREA & CHAIRMAN LBA VISITS SCHOOL



Brig Ranjeet Alva, SM, Deputy GOC, K&K Sub Area & Chairman LBA paid his maiden visit to the School on 24 Aug 24. Addressing a special assembly convened in his honour, Brig Ranjeet Alva exhorted the cadets to emulate their illustrious alumni by scaling the heights of professional success and contributing positively to the nation's growth and progress. Reminding the audience of the vision of the School, he insisted on improvement in academic results & NDA intake. The Officer urged the staff to mould the cadets including the girl cadets to face bravely the challenges of the modern world. The Officer then chaired the LBA meet in which several academic, administrative and financial issues pertaining to the School were discussed and resolved. Later, the Deputy GOC went around the School campus and took stock of the renovation undertaken.



SCHOOL TEAM SHINE AT STATE LEVEL DRAWING & PAINTING COMPETITION



The School's team of budding artists put up a good show at the State level Drawing & painting Competition by TRUST for Rural

Upliftment Strategies, a non-governmental organization, on 09 Aug 24 to mark the World Environment Day. A team of 90 Cadets from CI VI – X participated in the Competition and 06 of them won medals.

Mr Chandan Kumar Dey, Master Gazetted (Art), was awarded 'Certificate of Appreciation' for making the School Environment Awareness Programme 2024 a grand success by mobilizing and motivating large number of children to participate in the competition.

Category	Winners	Class	Prize
1	Cdt Garvit Raj Singh	IX	1st
	Cdt Yashwantara M	VIII	2nd
	Cdt Vishal Katura	X	3rd
2	Cdt Rupesh Kumar	VII	1st
	Cdt K Moksheshwar	VII	2nd
	Cdt Eashan Kashyap	VI	3rd

SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL TEAM PULL OFF BRILLIANT WINS TO BAG TROPHY

Keeping up the School's fine sporting tradition, the Volleyball teams pulled off brilliant wins against some well known school and junior college teams at the Bengaluru Regional Inter-school Volleyball Championship organized by STAIRS Foundation, National Sports Promotion Organisation (NSPO) at SJR Public School on 29 & 30 Jul 24. While the Under 14 team lifted the trophy, the Under 17 team bagged the Runners up trophy. The U-14 team has been selected for the National championship to be held in December at New Delhi.



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