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Dear Parents and students,
Greetings from Indian School Salalah!

From the day the school reopened after long spell of covid-19 uncertainty, once again the campus has become vibrant with various academic and CCA activities. The entire school building is filled with beaming faces- curious to grab the missing classroom environment

Though the pandemic had subsided, the school has taken a cautious approach; Covid-19 safety protocol is maintained until we felt it was safe for the students and the staff. Health and safety of the students and staff are our paramount responsibility. And in this direction, we have taken a proactive step by renovating the old block of the school building. In addition to waterproofing the roofs, the ceiling and the walls are repaired, and the washrooms are renovated. The entire school building has been repainted to give it a facelift.

The past few months have been packed with activities and celebrations. The 40th anniversary celebrations commenced with a blood donation camp in May 2022. A series of activities are lined up to make it a memorable year.

Our school has crossed many milestones during the past four decades. The most cherishing one among them is that the school has been successful in producing thousands of good human beings who are serving in different parts of the world. From a remote, interior school, Indian school Salalah has risen to become a reckoned name among the Indian School system in Oman.



The founders of Indian School Salalah had envisaged to provide quality education to its stake holders. In order to achieve this goal, the school has been working towards getting it accredited by the NABET (National Accreditation Board for Education & Training, a constituent board of the Quality Council of India) In this direction, the school has moved a step closer to achieve the NABET accreditation, as the assessment team (New Delhi) inspected school and interacted with the parents and students on 24th and 25th August, 2022. The school has also received the extension letter of the CBSE Affiliation till 31/03/2028.

The CBSE Board results of classes X and XII (2022) gave a moral boost to the parents, students, and the staff. Despite all the odds, the students were able to put an end to all the speculation with their brilliant performance.

The past couple of months witnessed excellent performance by our students in various interschool and intra school competitions. Our students have won accolades in the Ambassador's polemic challenge, STAI and AKAM (India @75).

The forthcoming months are crucial for the students both in academics and co-curricular activities. Let them make the best use of each moment they spend at Indian School Salalah and make the school feel proud of them.

Wishing you all a successful academic year.

Deepak Patankar

Principal, Indian School Salalah

AMBASSADOR OF INDIA TO THE SULTANATE OF OMAN VISITS INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH

It was a moment of pride and ecstasy when the Ambassador of India to the Sultanate of Oman, His Excellency Shri. Amit Narang visited Indian School Salalah along with the Embassy officials Mr. Praveen Kumar and Mr. Jayapal Manik Dethe, Second Secretaries, Embassy of India, Sultanate of Oman on 19th April 2022. The President of the School Management Committee Dr. Syed Ahsan Jamil and other esteemed members of the committee, Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar and Assistant Vice Principals Mr. Vipindas and Mrs. Anita Rose, extended a royal and cordial welcome to His Excellency to the school campus.

The first five toppers of each section of grade IX and XI (commerce stream) got an opportunity to interact with His Excellency. The coordinators of classes IX and X were also present for the session.



The interactive session commenced at 5 pm in the Audio-Visual Room. Assistant Vice Principal Mrs. Anita Rose delivered the general welcome and Dr. Syed Ahsan Jamil, President of the School Management Committee formally welcomed the dignitaries. In his speech, he proudly highlighted that His Excellency Shri. Amit Narang was India's lead negotiator at the United Nations for the Sustainable Development Goals. Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar introduced His Excellency to the students. He appreciated His Excellency's dedication, contribution and service to the Indian community in Oman.

It was then followed by the much-awaited interactive session with the students. In his address, His Excellency appreciated the Indian Education System in Oman for providing a high-quality education and also acknowledged the merits of Indian School Salalah. He stressed on the fact that the phase of education has changed and the teachers are working hard to overcome the new challenges. He advised the students to learn new things and acquire new knowledge. He emphasized on the need to believe in hard work. He also said that learn, unlearn and relearn should be the motto of all the students. During the interactive session, students asked few questions to His Excellency for which he answered to their utmost satisfaction. While answering the questions of the students, his Excellency highlighted the need to develop the skill of language as one lives in a global world.



He also specified that Sustainable Development is not just about environmental development, it is also about Women Empowerment too. He also advised the students to follow their passion with hard work and determination to achieve their goals.

Indian School Salalah was extremely delighted to receive a book on Himalayas from His Excellency as a token of his love and respect to the school. The interactive session concluded with the vote of thanks by the Assistant Vice Principal Mr. Vipindas.

Overall, the session was a very exuberant and a fruitful one. The sagacious words and thoughts of His Excellency inspired and motivated every single person present there.

INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH ACCOMPLISHES EXCELLENT RESULTS IN CLASS X & XII CBSE BOARD RESULTS 2021-22

This academic session brought many unexpected changes in the pattern of CBSE EXAM due to the new normal. Class X & XII students appeared in Term 1 and Term 2 Board Exam this year. In the CBSE Final results released on Friday, 22nd July 2022, students of Class X & XII showcased an outstanding execution of hard work with laudable results. Once again, the students earned a comprehensive range of excellent individual scores that epitomizes excellence and dedication. Indian School Salalah's top academic performers excelled in CBSE Board examination.



Abhinav Sunil Vidula Mahesh Akhila Anoop Ruthik Maruti

New academic records have been set by the school. History created by the topper of Class X, Master Abhinav Sunil Prasad with 99.4% marks who broke the previous records and set new benchmark for future as well as he bagged the second position among all the Indian Schools in Oman. Adding to the record, is the number of centums in different subjects- 7 centums- two in Science, one in Mathematics (Standard), one in Social Science, two in Arabic and one in French. Master Abhinav Sunil Prasad topped the school with 497/500 marks (99.4%) followed by Miss Vidula Mahesh Rao securing second position with the score 491/500 marks (98.2%). Miss Akhila Anoop and Master Ruthik Maruti Kambali shared the third position with 485/500 (97%).

Indian School Salalah set a remarkable record with an unprecedented number of high achievers and an overwhelmingly impressive overall pass percentage of 98.5% in Class XII Board Results setting another benchmark of excellence in academics despite the difficulties and shortcomings faced due to pandemic. Students also created record in class XII scoring two centums each in Business Studies, Computer Science and Psychology and one centum in Entrepreneurship enhancing the accomplishment of the batch that faced unprecedented academic years.

In the Science stream, Master Abhinav Suresh and Master Amiya Chowdhury topped the school with 483 marks (96.6 %) followed by Miss Ananya Ganesan Viswanathan with 479 marks (95.8%) and Miss Sona Deyo with 478 marks (95.6%). In the Commerce stream, Miss Afiya Sultana topped with 481 marks (96.2%) followed by Miss Aswathy Anish Kumar and Miss Athulya Nedumankuzhiyil Aju both with 479 marks (95.8%), and Miss Karen Premkumar with 471 marks (94.2%). In the Humanities stream, Miss Adiba Guchia topped with 462 marks (92.4%) followed by Master Muhammed Abrar Kaliyarakam with 458 marks (91.6%), and Miss Hajira Khan with 427 marks (85.4%).



Abhinav Suresh



Amiya Chowdhury



Ananya Ganesan



Sona Deyo



Afiya Sultana



Aswathy Anish



Athulya Nedumankuzhiyil



Karen Premkumar



Adiba Guchia



Muhammed Abrar



Hajira Khan

CLASS X TOPPERS OF 2020, 2021 FELICITATED AT A SPECIAL CEREMONY

The meritorious students of Indian School Salalah were given a befitting honour at a special Award Ceremony held on Monday, 25th April 2022 at 8.00 a.m. in the School's Audio Visual room. Around 50 academic toppers of Class X, including the Subject toppers of the CBSE Board Examination for the academic years 2019-20 and 2020-21 were awarded certificates and mementoes.

The Chief Guest for this prestigious event was Dr. Syed Ahsan Jamil, President of the School Management Committee, Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Dhofar University. Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar, Assistant Vice principals Mr. Vipindas and Mrs. Anita Rose were also present to celebrate this moment of pride along with the staff and students.

Mr. Binoy C A, faculty in English formally welcomed the gathering.

In the 2019-2020 class X batch, Miss. Samyuktha Venkatesan topped the school securing 98.6%. Miss. Sona Deyo, Master Abhinav Suresh and Miss Manithra Camelia Augustine stood second with 97.8% and Miss Adila Shirin Basheer, Miss Linete Lisa Saju, Miss Arundthathi Palanivelu, Miss. Janani Srinivasan Anusha and Miss. Muthu Valliammai secured the third position with 95.8 % of the marks.

Master Ayush Raj topped the school in the class X board examination securing 98.2%. Miss. Hana Hazem Ahmed Moustafa Habib secured 97.6% and Master Vineet Vatsal with 97.4% stood second and third respectively for the academic year 2020-21.

The meritorious students, including the school toppers and subject toppers, were given mementoes and certificates by the honourable chief guest Dr. Syed Ahsan Jamil, President of the School Management Committee, Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Dhofar University in the presence of Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar, Assistant Vice principals Mr. Vipindas and Mrs. Anita Rose.

The Chief Guest, Dr. Syed Ahsan Jamil, in his address lauded the students for their impressive achievements. Mr. Deepak Patankar, the Principal congratulated the entire teaching community for their unstinting hard work and the parents for their constant support for their children. The programme concluded with a photo session.

Renovation of Indian School Salalah building roof and repaint of the school

In order to provide a facelift along with ensuring the stable, safe and comfortable learning environment to the students, Indian School Salalah is in the process of maintenance and painting work at school. The school has been preparing for this herculean task for the past couple of years but due to Pandemic and other constraints the work got postponed. Finally, the maintenance work started in the month of June 2022 and at present most of the work is completed.

The project ensured the refurbishment of toilets, water supply passages, drainage maintenance work, roof slab, terrace maintenance along with water proofing, fire fittings, and other MEP related work. The new painting is giving a splendid look to the school, the outer of the school is yet to be accomplished as the weather condition is not conducive for the task.

The school management committee and the Administration of the school is highly obliged to all the stakeholders for their strong sense of responsibility and responsiveness for this project.



INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH KICKS OFF 40th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS WITH BLOOD DONATION CAMP



Indian School Salalah completed its 40 glorious years in 2021. Indian School Salalah, since its inception, has grown steadfast in its purpose of spreading light, apt to the motto of the school, "Tamasoma Jyotirgamaya". From humble beginnings in 1981 with around 56 children, the school today is the largest co-educational institution in the Dhofar region with nearly 4000 students. Indian School Salalah kicked off the yearlong fiesta of 40th Anniversary celebrations to commemorate the four decades of magnificent achievement with the most virtuous deed on earth, i.e., donating blood selflessly, on 21 May 2022.

The inaugural function commenced with the school choir's musical rendition of the school Anthem, 'We the Children...'. The eminent guests of honour were Mr. Rakesh Jha, the President Indian Social Club, Dr. Sanathanan, Honorary Consular Agent, Embassy of India to Oman, esteemed members of the School Management Committee, the Principal, and the staff of Indian School Salalah. Mr. Anto Lalu, faculty, Commerce Department, formally welcomed the gathering. The President of the School Management Committee, Dr. Syed Ahsan Jamil, the Deputy Vice-Chancellor of Dhofar University, addressed the gathering. In his address, he called the 40th year of ISS a Saga and also recalled the struggles faced by the pioneer SMC Presidents, member SMC

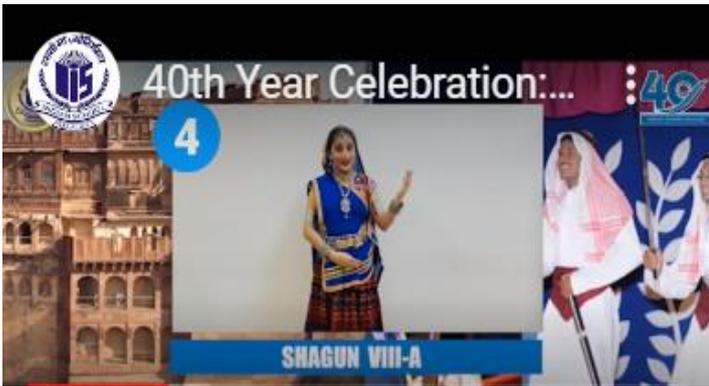
Principals, and the staff who strived to build this temple of learning and sustain it for 40 years and thanked them wholeheartedly for their contribution and sacrifice. Dr. Sanathanan conveyed his best wishes for the yearlong celebrations to mark the 40th year. Mr. Rakesh Jha expressed his joy in being part of this grand celebration and promised to contribute to the school in the best possible manner. Principal Indian School Salalah Mr. Deepak Patankar, in his address, thanked the President, SMC, and the staff members for their initiation to mark the saga of 40 glorious years. He expressed his joy in being able to be part of this grand celebration.

Thereafter, the President of SMC, Dr. Syed Ahsan Jamil, and the Principal, Mr. Deepak Patankar, felicitated the non-teaching and the teaching staff for their 32-year long association with the school, namely Mr. P. T. Ismail (Senior office clerk), and Ms. Winnifred Lobo, Faculty Department of Mathematics, thrice-nominee for the Naveen Asher Kazi Award.

They have served this prestigious institution with great dedication and commitment. The formal programme anchored by Mrs. Tabassum Farhan (Faculty, English dept) concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Mr. Parvinder Singh, Faculty Department of Physical Education.

The Blood Donation Drive was the main objective of the inaugural function. In the next segment, the celebration continued as the donors with smiling faces wholeheartedly volunteered to donate their blood to save precious lives. The team of Blood Bank of Sultan Qaboos Hospital Salalah, led by Mr. Ansari rendered their free service to this noble cause. The SMC members Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Singh (Vice-President of SMC) and Dr. Abubacker Siddique (Treasurer of SMC), Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar, Assistant Vice-Principal Mr. Vipindas and around 34 staff members contributed to this virtuous cause. While the day's proceedings concluded with the Blood Donation Drive, the yearlong celebrations will continue to keep the staff and the students on their toes. The galore of events will culminate with the Grand Carnival on 22 December 2022.

INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH CELEBRATES 40 YEARS IN 40 LANGUAGES



Every success story always starts with a dream. Indian school Salalah was also started with a dream to accomplish its vision, mission and quality of educating students not only in academics but also to prepare them as global citizens who make a mark where ever they go. The alumni of the school spread out in different parts of the world keep the flag of Indian School Salalah flying high.

What better way could the students find to be a part of this gala event, than wishing their Alma Mater in their own language? The school caters to students from many different nationalities who come under the roof of the school as one beautiful family. Forty students were selected across all the classes – from kindergarten to high school. Each of them wished the school on its anniversary and also expressed their pure love for this institution.

The videos of the students dressed in their traditional costume and wishing their school presented a perfect example of Unity in Diversity as students wished their school in many Indian languages like Hindi, Marathi, Tamil, Malayalam, Sindhi, Punjabi, Odiya, Assamese. Students also wished in Russian, Chinese, German, Syrian, Spanish, Kenyan, Arabic etc. All the videos were compiled and was shown to the students on 1st June 2022. It was well received and appreciated by all.

INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTION 2022-23

The Student Council is part of an attempt to democratize governance and leadership roles within the school campus. The objective of appointing the Student Council is to provide a platform to the students to develop leadership qualities by organizing and carrying out school activities and service projects. In addition to planning events that contribute to school spirit and community welfare, the Student Council is the voice of the student body. It also provides an opportunity to the students to witness and exercise their fundamental right to vote.

Student Council election for the academic year 2022-23 was held online on **Wednesday, 17th August 2022** at 4pm on Zoom Platform. 27 students contested for various coveted positions. Students of grades XI and XII got the privilege to cast their valuable votes. Though the entire polling process was done online, it was in all respects a democratic one. Students exercised their right to franchise by choosing the candidates of their choice. Finally, the most awaited results were declared by the Principal, Mr. Deepak Patankar. The following students were elected for various posts



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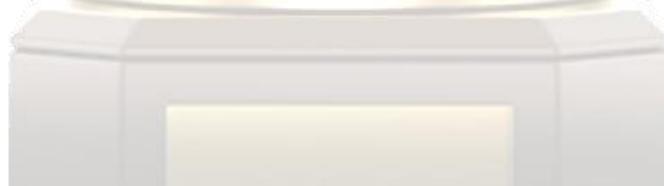
MRS.SREEVIDYA BAGS WINNER AWARD IN AN INTER SCHOOL TEACHER EVENT!



To commemorate Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav - India@75 celebrations the Board of Directors, Indian Schools in Oman organized a competitive event for teachers as part of Navin Asher Kazi Awards for Excellence in teaching 2021 on 21 November 2021.

The event was a virtual presentation over Zoom platform on the topic "Evolution of Education in India over the last 75years culminating with NEP 2020" Amidst the 33 teachers from different Indian Schools in Oman who presented, Mrs. Sreevidya S. (TGT) of IS SALALAH was adjudged the WINNER in this event.

This is such an exhilarating news for IS SALALAH which is celebrating 40 years of academic excellence. The school management, Principal and staff congratulate Mrs. Sreevidya S. for bringing glory and honour to the school





INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH BAGS SECOND POSITION IN HINDI QUIZ



In the inter school Hindi Quiz for class IX to XII organised by Indian School Wadi Kabir , our school represented by **Master Kashif Firoz (XII C)** and **Miss Sanchita Anil Agte (XIB)** won the **SECOND PLACE!** Many congratulations to the proud winners who have brought glory to **INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH**

Congratulations!

INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH EXCELS IN AMBASSADOR'S POLEMIC CHALLENGE



INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH



Congrats ISS

MANY CONGRATULATIONS to our school ISS for consistent achievement in inter school competitions! In the Ambassador's Polemic Challenge inter school debate competition organized by BOD through the host school Al Ghubra today in Muscat, our school student Master Ruthik Maruti Kambali of 11 A won the **BEST SPEAKER (BEST DEBATER) AWARD** competing against 32 participants from 16 Indian Schools. A proud moment for our school which has been consistently bagging awards in Ambassador's trophy for the last six years. The topic of the debate was 'Social media has brought the people together than before' and our Winner boy spoke for the motion. Our school team was represented by Master Samved Shaji Nambiar of 12 C and Master Ruthik Maruti Kambali of 11 A.



INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH EXCELS IN STAI - 2022 COMPETITIONS ORGANIZED BY INDIAN SCHOOL DARSAIT



To showcase the talents of the craving young minds in the areas of Science, Technology and innovation, Indian School Darsait, under the aegis of the Board of Directors, Indian Schools in Oman hosted STAI 2022. The competitions were conducted in hybrid mode with few events online and rest offline. Mobile App Development, Code Wars, Science Skit and Science e-Magazine were conducted online and Digital Symposium, Science Exhibition and Mathematics Exhibition, were the conducted offline. Students of Indian School Salalah enthusiastically participated in all the events and received merit certificates. The results are as follows.

The team consisting of Aman Jahfar, Marshall Angelo Christopher and Savio Xavier of class XII secured A grade for Mobile App Development. The Code wars team secured A grade and the team members were Bavish Mangalore Manjunath, MD Neamur Rabbi and Savio Xavier of class XII. The team members of the Science Skit were Neeraj Nitha Raveendran Nair, Advait Manoj, Sreedarsh Kaitheri Manikoth and Sreenanda Kaitheri Manikoth of class IX, Lekshmi Roj S, Mohnish Kumar Hemnani and Sadhya Garg of class XI and Pradnya Upadhyay of Class X and they secured B grade. Mohnish Kumar Hemnani, Neelesh Kumar Kataria and Fizza Basheer Njavarattil of class XI received Participation Certificate for Science E magazine.

Muhammed Shamlal of class X, Mohnish Kumar Hemnani of class XI and Samved Shaji Nambiar of class XII secured A grade for Digital Symposium which was held on the inaugural day, that is, 27th August 2022. The team that represented for the Maths Exhibition was Niyathi Nambiar of class V, Dharsha Vigneswari Saravanan of class VII and Nuwaif Tauseef Ahmed Ansari of class VIII secured A+ grade. Anushka Onkar Naik of class IX and Aswin Venkata Subramanian of class X received Participation Certificate for Science exhibition. The Maths and Science exhibition was scheduled on 3rd September 2022 and the day marked the end of STAI 2022. The students were appreciated by one and all for their wonderful achievements. This platform aided the curious hearts and the creative minds to explore their scientific, technical and computing skills.



Congratulations!

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INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH EXCELS IN AKAM (INDIA@75) INTERSCHOOL EVENT

Under the aegis of the Board of Directors, Indian Schools in Oman, Indian School Muscat organized AKAM (India@75) interschool competition on 3rd September 2022. The competitions were conducted under three categories - senior, junior and open category. Students from Indian School Salalah participated in various events such as Ted Talks, Prop Box Play, Poem recitation (Self composed), Medley of Patriotic songs, Painting and Sports events – Football junior & senior and Basketball seniors (girls). Meghalaya, the state which Indian School Salalah got for pavilion was the showstopper of the event. The major attractions of Meghalaya were well exhibited by the students through models, paintings, songs and dance performance in their traditional costumes. The students' creativity and elucidation of each and every exhibit of Meghalaya was well appreciated by all who visited the pavilion. The pavilion team consisting of Jannet Amy Jobis of class XI E, Aardra Harikumar of VIII E, Parvathi Unikkat of VIII E, Abhilash Kurungotte of IX A, Aysha Mehrin Nariyampully of IX C, Hanna Maria of VIII D and Bhagialakshmi of class XD secured A++ grade for their outstanding performance.



Zaina Fathima of VIII C secured A++ grade and Aradhya Ganesan Viswanathan of V G received A grade in Ted Talks junior category. Samved Shaji Nambiar of class XII C secured A+ grade and Ruthik Maruti Kambali of class XI A secured A grade in Ted Talks senior category. Siddhi Manish Pitroda of class IX E (senior category) secured A++ for Poetry Recitation (Hindi), Zaina Fathima of VIII C and Yazhini Panbu Premkumar of VII B secured A grade for Poetry recitation in the junior category and Ruthik .M.K of XI A, J. Raizel Rayna of XI A, Hazel Babu of X E and Kanan Bhatia of class IX D (Hindi)) secured A grade for Poetry Recitation in the senior category. The team consisting of Fizza Basheer Njavarattil of XI A, Thamanna Nishthar of XI B, Sam George Thomas of XI B, Riya Khan K.V of XI E, Rachel Jeanna Meeran of IX G, Arjunn Konduru Mohindhar of VIII A, Daksha Pillai of VIII D, Ritika Jethin of VIII E, Aksa Susan Manoj of VII D and Hamna Nishthar of VII F secured A++ grade for their exuberant Medley of Patriotic Songs (Open Category) The events were a fusion of talent, imagination, creativity and alertness and the students got a great exposure to participate offline, after the Covid 19 pandemic.



SPORTS UPDATE

The Indian School Muscat under the aegis of Board of Directors organized Amrit Ka Manthan to mark the 75 glorious years of India's Independence on Saturday 3rd September 2022.

Our school football (junior and senior boys) and Senior girls basketball team participated in the inter school tournament. Among all 14 teams competed for the football championship in the junior category, our team reached the quarter finals. In the senior category 13 schools participated and our team reached the semifinals.

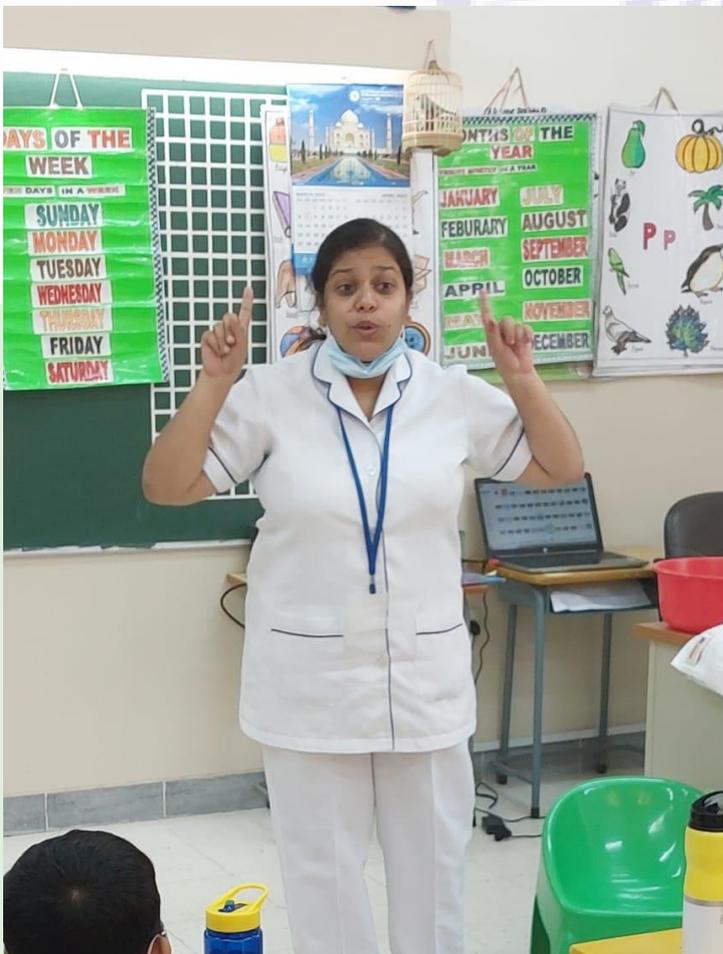
The Girls Basketball team participated in the senior category.





NEWS FROM THE KINDERGARTEN

To make children socially responsible citizens and to create awareness about COVID-19, a demonstration by school nurse on how to wash hands and proper use of masks was done in classes. The children were asked to follow the same.



The main objective of celebrating Earth Day is to create awareness about the earth and to cherish its greenery. Children wore green coloured dresses and headgear and danced to the tune of Green Day song



To inspire kids to remain pure and noble at heart and to make them understand the meaning, purpose and importance of Ramadan, Eid was celebrated on Thursday, 28th April 2022. Children enjoyed doing craft work and colouring related to Eid. Omani teachers distributed sweets to the children.





The bond between the mother and the child is divine. To celebrate this everlasting bond of love and affection, Mother's Day was celebrated on 8th May 2022. Special greeting cards were made by the children.

INTERNATIONAL FAMILY DAY (15/05/2022)

To make the students understand the value of family in providing a sense of belonging and a unique identity, International Family Day was celebrated on 15th May 2022. Children dressed up as different family members spoke about the same.



Fruits are an essential aspect of a healthy diet. To explore fruits which are good for health, fruits skewers and fruit salad activity was done in the classes.



VEGETABLE DAY (25/05/2022)

To explore the wonderful world of vegetables, parents prepared vegetable salad and vegetable sandwich. Children helped their parents in peeling the vegetables. Overall, it was an activity which made learning fun.



BLUE DAY CELEBRATION (26/05/2022)

Blue colour is often associated with depth and tability. To understand the significance of this colour, children were asked to do activities like sponge painting and spray painting. Children brought Blue coloured toys from their home. They wore blue dresses and danced to the tune of the Blue Day



WORLD 'NO TOBACCO DAY' (31/05/2022)

World 'No Tobacco Day' is celebrated every year on May 31st to highlight the harmful and deadly effect of consuming tobacco products. Children did colouring activity with a message to their parents.



GLOBAL PARENTS' DAY (01/06/2022)



To honour the parents and their commitments to children across the world, Global Parents' Day was celebrated on 1st June. As an activity, children drew pictures of their families and made a card. They also took photographs of candle light dinner with their parents on the same day.



ART INTEGRATED ACTIVITIES

Arts and craft activities help to instill a sense of achievement and pride among children, boosting their self-confidence.



FINE MOTOR SKILL ACTIVITIES/LIFE SKILL ACTIVITIES

The objectives of life skill activities include building self-confidence, encouraging critical thinking and fostering independence and developing fine motor skills that involve the use of the small muscles which control the hands. They help children perform important tasks like feeding themselves, grasping toys, buttoning and zipping clothes, writing and drawing.

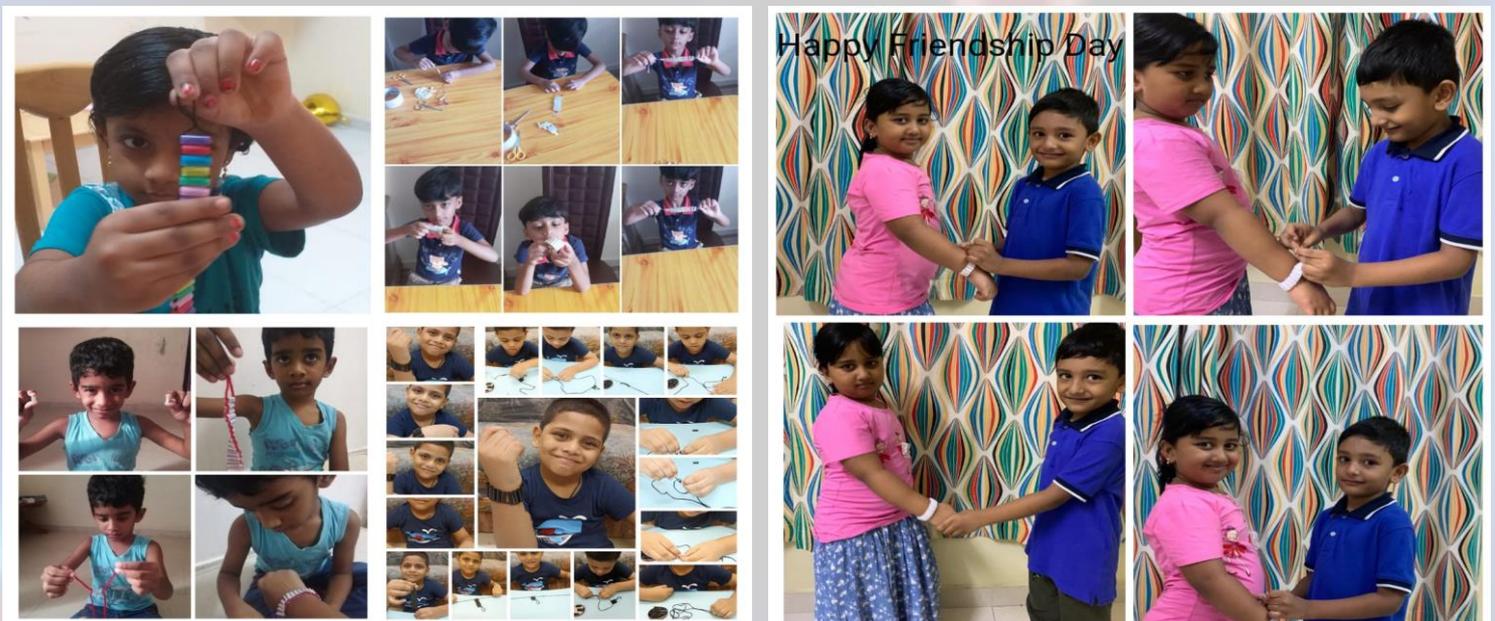


Brain gym exercises are short and easy activities that children do to release stress and enhance learning.



INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP DAY (30/07/2022)

Without friends, people would feel lost and lonely. Friends cheer up our life and bring joy. Hence, this special day is necessary to celebrate all the important friends in our life. Friendship helps children develop important life skills like getting along with other people and sorting out conflicts and problems. Children made beautiful bands for their friends on this special day.





Children were dressed in different hues and tints of yellow on the Yellow day celebration. The motive of celebrating this yellow colour day was to make the children aware of yellow colour, its significance and to develop fine motor skills among the students. They spent the day with utmost enjoyment. Children did craft work and prepared food and juice based on yellow theme.

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION



Independence Day activities were conducted to inspire our children to learn and understand the true meaning of freedom. Children were also taught about the history of Indian civilization and its diverse culture through various activities.

The aim of the seed germination activity is to get to know about the planting value of a seed and compare different seed lots. Seeds, soil, disposable glasses were provided to the children. They performed the activity and kept the glasses under sunlight. The plants grew within a week and the children could observe germination practically.

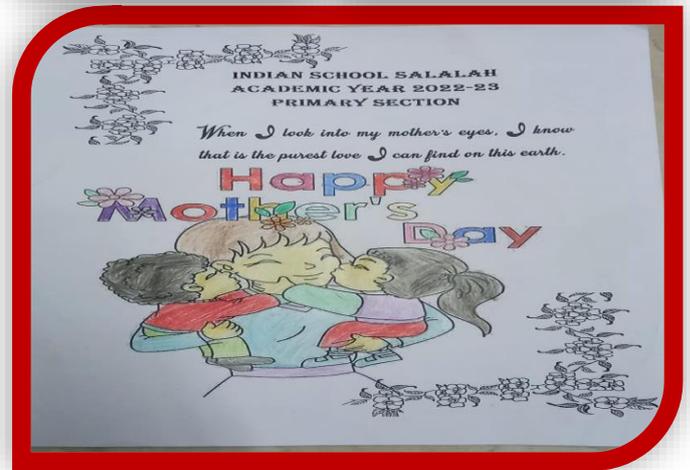
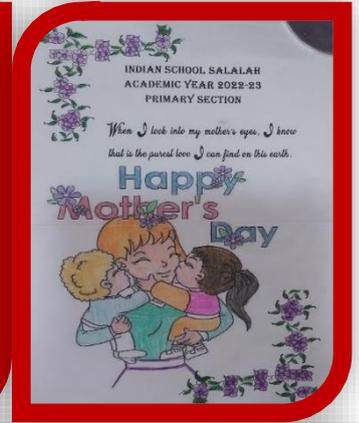
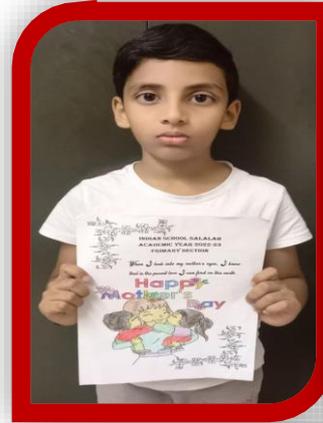


A colorful graphic for a primary school event. It features a large white oval frame with a thick black border. Inside the frame, at the top, are two cartoon girls: one with blonde pigtails reading a yellow book, and one with dark hair holding a pink book and a red pencil. At the bottom, there are two cartoon boys: one with black hair holding a yellow pencil, and one with brown hair. In the center bottom, there is a red gift box with a blue bow, overflowing with yellow pencils and a red apple. The background is filled with various school supplies like pens, pencils, a ruler, a clock, and a calculator. The text 'PRIMARY EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES' is written in white capital letters on an orange rectangular background in the center of the oval.

PRIMARY EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

MOTHERS' DAY BY GRADE I AND II

Mothers' Day is a celebration honoring motherhood and the influence of mothers in society. It is celebrated on different days in many parts of the world. Mother's Day in ISS was celebrated on May 8th 2022. Children made a greeting card in the class and presented it to their mother, expressing their gratitude.



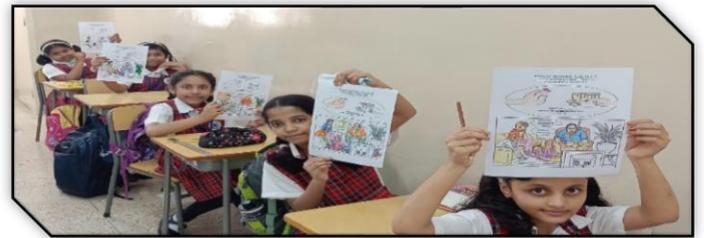
INTERNATIONAL DAY OF FAMILY

The International Day of Families was observed on 15th May 2022 to raise awareness of the significance of having families. The children watched a video and made a Family Tree. They also learned the song; We are a family together.



WORLD NO-TOBACCO DAY

A special assembly for World No-Tobacco Day was conducted on 31st May 2022 by the students of class 3C. Children carried placards to all classes to spread awareness of the causes and effects of tobacco. They also coloured a poster in the class.



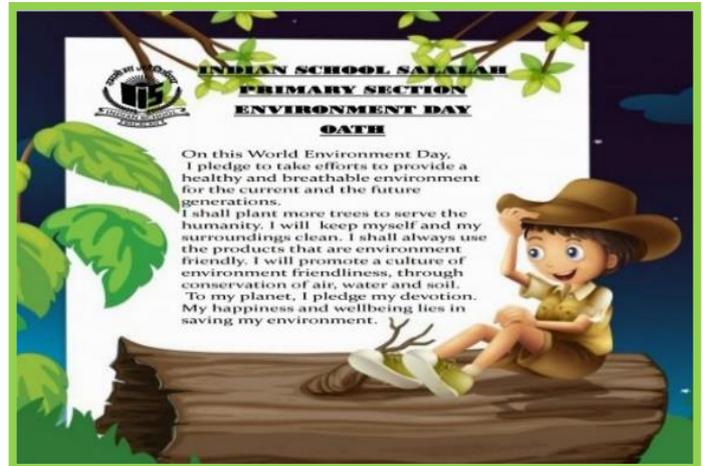
EARTH DAY

Earth Day was observed on April 22nd 2022. Students participated in Earth Day parade and presented Role Play in the class. They also made a poster captioned – Save the Earth. The students of class 4 E conducted a special assembly on Earth Day. Children switched off the lights, fans and ACs for 15 minutes to spread awareness among the students about energy conservation.



WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

World Environment Day celebration started by taking an oath on the conservation of the environment by the students of classes 3 and 4. Children made a poster on saving the environment in the classrooms. The students again switched off lights, fans, and ACs for 15 minutes on 2nd June 2022 to create awareness among the kids about energy conservation.



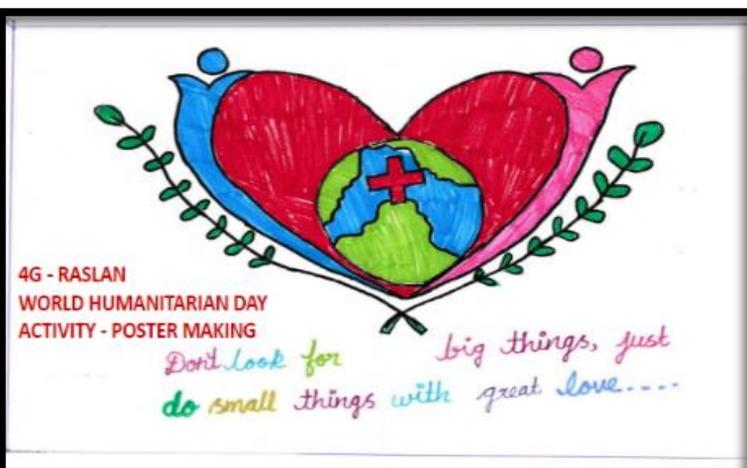
INDEPENDENCE DAY

The students of Classes 3 & 4 participated on Independence Day by rendering a melodious patriotic song - 'Ae watan, watan mere...' and a speech.



WORLD HUMANITARIAN DAY

World Humanitarian Day is celebrated every year on August 19th 2022. ISS observed a week-long activity in the Primary Section to spread awareness on humanity. The activities included listening to stories; poster making, clay modeling, drawing, colouring, etc. The words for the week were corelated to Humanitarian Day. The students of Class 3E conducted a special assembly on Humanitarian Day



EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING ACTIVITIES- MATHS



ANGELO 3E



ANSHIL 4 G
CLOCK MAKING
ACTIVITY



4H - SUHANA - MATHS ACTIVITY



EVAN ROY 4 C
MULTIPLICATION
WHEEL

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING ACTIVITIES- ENGLISH



AHNVIN JEEJO

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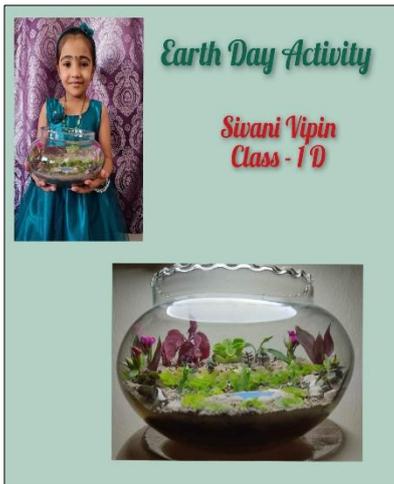
EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING ACTIVITIES- EVS



SEED GERMINATION

EARTH DAY

As part of the Earth Day celebrations, on April 22nd, an activity to make a terrarium was given to students and a tree planting activity was conducted in all the classes on 24th April.



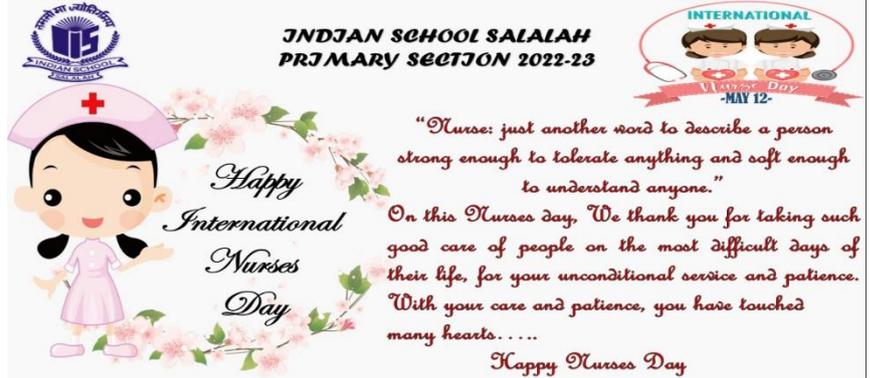
MOTHER'S DAY

Mother's Day was celebrated on 8th May. Mother is the first teacher and a true friend to every child. To show their love to their best friend, Mom... a colouring sheet based on the same was given as a class activity.



INTERNATIONAL NURSES DAY

International Nurses Day was celebrated on May 12. To appreciate and honour the service of Nurses, a banner was sent in class groups.



INTERNATIONAL DAY OF FAMILIES

15th May is celebrated as International Day of Families to raise awareness on the significance of families. An activity to 'make a family tree' and a song about families to learn was given to children on the occasion.



ANTI TOBACCO DAY

To raise awareness among the kids on the harmful effects of tobacco, Anti-tobacco Day was celebrated on 31st May. A Video on 'No Tobacco Day' was shared in all the class groups and a colouring activity was conducted in the class for the same.



WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

As part of Environment Day, on June 2nd a paper bag making demo was conducted by class teachers in the class and instructions were given to the students to prepare a paper bag at home and upload the picture in the Google classroom on June 5th 2022.



INDEPENDENCE DAY

76th Independence Day of India was celebrated in a grand manner in the KG block. Selected children from classes 1 and 2 participated in a patriotic dance.



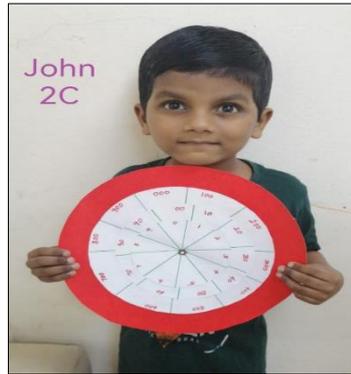
WORLD HUMANITARIAN DAY

As part of Humanitarian Day, Primary section observed a week full of activities starting from 21st August to 25th August 2022. Each day some activities connected to the topic were posted in all class groups for children to do from home and 'Word for the day' was also prepared based on the same theme. Videos and songs related to the theme were also posted in class groups on 19th August.



ART INTEGRATED AND EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING ACTIVITIES

To align with the Vision and Mission and the quality objectives of the school, various activities are done in each subject, thus creating interest in students towards learning and making them active learners.



HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Holidays are always fun. To make the holidays more memorable, few activities were given to the students that help to inculcate good values and to make them responsible children. The theme of this year's Holiday activities was 'Gratitude/ Thank You'. Activities included thanking different helpers and family members by presenting a 'Thank You card' to them, making a reading corner for themselves, planting a sapling which will give shade shelter to other animals too in their hometown.



CLASS ASSEMBLY

The first class assembly of this academic year was conducted by class 2A on 30th August 2022.



INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH CELEBRATES 76TH INDEPENDENCE DAY WITH PRIDE AND PATRIOTIC FERVOUR



Indian School Salalah celebrated 76th Independence day on 15th August 2022 in the KG block and the celebration was truly significant as it marked the 75th anniversary of India's Independence. The entire school reverberated with the patriotic feelings and pride for the love of the nation. Around 100 students from the primary, middle and secondary sections presented a vibrant programme and performed with great excitement and enthusiasm.

The Vice President of the school management committee Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Singh, (the chief guest for the occasion) esteemed members of the school management committee, Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar, Mr. Rakesh Jha, President of Indian Social Club, distinguished guests and dignitaries graced the occasion with their august presence. On this significant occasion, Dr. Muhammed Yousoof, Convenor, SMC and Mr. Yaser Mohammed M.V (member, SMC) accompanied by Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar, presented a sapling and a memento to the chief guest Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Singh (Vice President, SMC) as a token of love and gratitude.



Vice President Mr.Sanjeev Kumar Singh in his address mentioned about the progress of India in these 75 years and hoped that this new generation will take India to great heights in sports, information technology, telecommunication etc . He concluded his speech with a message to all the students –‘make India proud’. While addressing the gathering, Principal Mr.Deepak Patankar said that Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav has given a wonderful opportunity to bring all the cultures together. He said that skill education which is highly relevant in today’s job market will be introduced in Indian School Salalah from the forthcoming academic year 2023-24with the support of community, SMC and teachers.

The celebrations began with the prayer song by the school choir followed by the Omani National Anthem and Indian National Anthem which filled the hearts of the audience with true patriotic spirit and pride. Miss. Rachel Jeanna Meeran from class 9 G extended a hearty welcome to the gathering. The tiny tots of class 3 and 4 mesmerized the audience with their excellent rendition of patriotic songs and the students of 1&2 enchanted the gathering with their enthralling dance performance. The audience were captivated when the students of classes 8 and 9 rendered a song which conveyed the beauty of India from Himalayas to Kanyakumari.



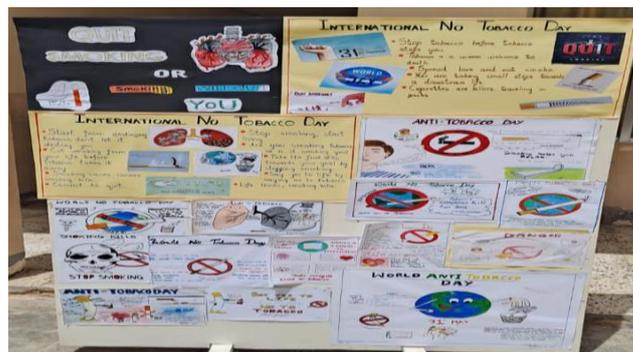
The talented actors of classes 8 and 9 performed an English skit titled 'India@76' that depicted the progress of India. The eloquent speakers of the primary section Sree Nidhi B from 4 G, Vedika Vipindas from class 4 E, Yazhisai Maniraj from 4 C and Priyal Manish Pitroda from 4 H stirred the patriotic spirit through their powerful speech. The students of classes 8 and 9 thrilled the audience through the mime - A Timeline of India's Progress.

Kanan Bhatia of class IX D delivered an energetic speech in Hindi highlighting the significance of the celebration.. The occasion was well anchored by the team of students Jhanvin Mary, Vareesha Javed, Ethan Emmanuel Carneiro, Hemapriya, Advait Manoj, Shagun Nilesh Rajyaguru, Aardra, Shivani. Siddhi Manish Pitroda from class 9 E proposed the vote of thanks. Altogether, it was a memorable event.

INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH OBSERVES WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY

Indian School Salalah observed the World No Tobacco Day on May 31st to create awareness among the students about the health risks associated with the consumption of tobacco. Followed by the initiative taken by WHO, World No Tobacco Day is observed globally to spread awareness regarding the ill effects of smoking and convince people to quit smoking and adopt a healthy lifestyle.

The students of classes VII and VIII in collaboration with Social Science department presented a series of events projecting the need to stay away from the use of tobacco products. The students made a concerted effort in this direction through various programmes that included 'Campaign against the use of tobacco', Placards display, Chart display and a video presentation thus, educating the students of Indian School Salalah on harmful effects caused by the use of tobacco.



The student volunteers, carrying the placards throwing light on the importance of staying away from the use of tobacco, visited the students in the classrooms and meticulously conveyed the significance of 'No Tobacco day' through their thought provoking speeches. The highlight of the programme also included an informative video presentation.

The events, being well organized, were well appreciated by the community for having successfully served its purpose. Principal, Mr. Deepak Patankar expressed his gratitude to all students and the faculty members for making the programme a grand success.

YOGA FESTIVAL AT ISS

Under the broader ambit of “**Azadi ka Amrit Mahatsav, India @75 years**” the Embassy of India has launched a unique “**Muscat Yog Mahotsav – festival of peace, health and wellbeing**” on 8th April, 2022 as a run-up to the 8th International Day of Yoga. **The Muscat Yog Mahotsav** will feature 75 curated Yoga events in the coming 75 days till 21st June, 2022 as we celebrate 75 glorious years of India’s Independence. As part of the Yoga Festival under the aegis of the BOD, Indian School Salalah, in collaboration with Indian Social Club, Salalah (Sanskrit Wing) held Yoga sessions on 10th May and 11th May, 2022.

Mrs. Bharti George, Indian Social Club (Sanskrit Wing) welcomed the participants. Mr. Rakesh Jha, president, Indian Social Club Salalah, highlighted the importance of yoga in daily life and the significance of International Day of Yoga. Dr. Abhishek Dubey, Convener -Indian Social Club- Sanskrit Wing briefly addressed the gathering about the history of origin of Yoga in India. Speaking on the occasion Mr. Deepak Patankar, Principal Indian School Salalah urged students to learn and benefit from this Yoga festival of health and well-being and in due course make Yoga – a Lifestyle. Mr. Ishar Deshmukh, H.O.D Physical Education Department of school stated that Yoga connects us to our inner self and acts as a catalyst for overall health.

The sessions on both these days were well planned; yoga experts were all around guiding students and helping them in performing / understanding asanas. All the students participated enthusiastically. Two days event concluded with vote of thanks by Mr. Pravin Chadrapeta, who extended his gratitude to School Management Committee, Principal, Admin and logistics team for their constant support throughout in order to make it a successful event.



TEACHERS' DAY 2022 CELEBRATED AT INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH



Grade XII Students of Indian School Salalah celebrated Teachers' Day with great enthusiasm on the 5th of September, 2022. The event was held at the school's KG Block at 12.40 pm. The students here dedicated the day to their teachers in recognition of their noble services in moulding them into fine personalities. September 5 also marks the birth anniversary of Dr Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, who was the second President of India and a well-renowned educationist.

The special guest of the occasion was Mrs. Ashwini Sawrikar, Finance Director, Board of Directors, Indian Schools Oman. Mr. Sanjeev Singh, Vice-president, School Management Committee, Dr. Abubacker Siddique, Treasurer, SMC, Mrs. Harmit Pal, member SMC and Dr. Shaji Sreedhar, member SMC attended the function along with Assist. Vice-principals Mr. Vipindas and Mrs. Anita Rose, teaching and non-teaching staff.

The cultural show presented by the students had a series of events which enthralled both the teachers and the students alike. The show began with the welcome note by Jeni Magdalene of class XII A. The colourful fusion dance and group song by class XII girls added charm and beauty to the occasion. Miss Um-e-safa from XII D, with her superb singing, amazed everyone. The fun-filled and hilarious games in the form of riddles and teachers' voice recognition were a true tribute to the teachers and it indeed was a source of great amusement to all present.

Thunderous and power-packed drum solo performance by Master Ben Moses of XII D related the entire audience to the next level of enjoyment. The center of attraction, the flash mob by class XII students immediately after the recess in school's quadrangle was truly entertaining as they danced to the medley of foot-tapping numbers.



The special guest, Mrs. Ashwini Sawrikar, Finance Director, BOD, while addressing the gathering, told that teachers play a vital role in students' life. She further added that as potters, teachers mould and shape children to help them develop their future. As a token of love and appreciation, Members SMC with the AVPs presented a memento to Mrs. Ashwini Sawrikar.

The tiny tots of kindergarten, primary and middle section also celebrated Teachers' Day. Assistant Vice Principals Mr. Vipin Das and Mrs. Anita Rose graced the occasion. The students performed various programmes like speeches, action song and dance. The programme was very colorful and Mrs. Anita Rose, AVP appreciated all the participants and on the occasion she greeted the teachers.

The Teachers' Day 2022 celebration for seniors came to its end with the vote of thanks proposed by Assist. Vice-principal, Mrs. Anita Rose.

TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATED FOR THE FACULTY OF INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH & THUMRAIT BY SMC OF INDIAN SCHOOL



Teachers impart not just education but also values. They are the backbones of our education system and support the upbringing of numerous students. The birthday of former President of India Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan (a great scholar and a visionary educator) is celebrated as Teacher's Day in India every year on 5th September to appreciate the role played by teachers in life of students who will be the worthy citizens of tomorrow.

To mark the occasion of Teacher's Day, the President, Principal and members of the school management committee of Indian School Salalah hosted the teaching faculty of Indian School Salalah and Indian School Thumrait in order to appreciate their hard work and unwavering commitment for the mission and vision of their school through an evening of celebrations and blessings, fun and frolic on Friday, 16th September, 2022 at Hamdan Plaza. The event was attended by school management committee and staff of Indian School Salalah as well as school management committee and staff of Indian School Thumrait. The whole event was meticulously planned by Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar, AVP Mr. Vipindas and AVP Mrs. Anita Rose of Indian School Salalah.

Mrs. Elizabeth Philips and Mrs. Sherly Mathew compering in charges for the occasion started the evening on a cheerful note. Mr. Yasser Mohammed, SMC member, chairman CCA-sub committee formally welcomed the gathering.

Mrs. Harmit Pal, Chairman, Academic Sub Committee in her address highlighted the vital role played by a teacher in a student's life. The duties of a teacher are neither few nor small, but they elevate young minds and build the character she added.

The cultural extravaganza started with a song in mesmerizing voice of Mrs. Bindukala, captivating classical dance performance by Mrs. Dhanya Mukesh, flute rendition by Mr. Narayan kutty, solo song performances in regional languages by Mr. Harish .K.P, Mr. Parvinder Singh, Mr. Mukesh Mohan, Mr. Sunil (IS Thumrait-self composed poem) Mr. Saji and a musical fusion by Mrs. Deepthi left everyone spellbound.

An entertaining skit with a great message on paramount role of teachers in educating as well as for the holistic development of a child by President Dr. Syed Ahsan Jamil and Vice President Mr. Sanjeev Singh was a pleasant surprise and the play was well received with a standing ovation. A classical dance performance by Mr. P.L. Eapen member SMC of I.S.Salalah brightened up the spirits of all gathered. It was followed by a soulful medley by Mr. Farhan and Mrs. Tabassum and a foot tapping group song by Mrs. Deepthi and ladies staff. Several games played on the occasion for delighting staff by the team of Mr.Ishwar, Mrs. Rachel Sajith, Mr. Pramod, Mrs. Reeshma and Mrs.Vidya kept everyone on the toes and added spice to the event. Indian School Salalah SMC appreciated and honoured Teachers with appreciation letters from Board of Directors, Muscat and Principal, IS Salalah for their tireless efforts in making STAI 2021 a great success.

AVP Mrs. Anita Rose officially proposed the vote of thanks and congratulated teachers for inspiring and nurturing students in various capacities. The entire programme was applauded by everyone and will always remain a beautiful memory to all.

EDUCATIONAL TRIP TO INDIAN NAVAL TRAINING SQUADRON SHIPS AT SALALAH PORT



Pursuing the Mission – Vision and Quality objectives of the school, the Indian School Salalah had arranged a visit to the Naval ships that were anchored at the Salalah Port – Oman for the 12th graders of science batch on Tuesday, 19th April 2022. Ships of the First Training Squadron of the Indian Navy, INS Tir, Tarangini, Sujata and Coast Guard Ships Sarathi called on Salalah Port, Oman on 18th April 2022 as part of their overseas deployment. The 12th graders of the science batch of Indian School Salalah had the opportunity to visit the Indian naval ships Indian Navy, INS Tir, Tarangini, Sujata and Coast Guard Ship Sarathi. The students had excellent and informative sessions with the naval officers.

The students were explained the basic functions involved in sailing of a ship by officers of the ship. Several students cleared their doubts and interacted with the officials. Tarangini, on the other hand, is one among a few engine-manned sails ships. The students were taken around onboard and got to see the naval galley and how they ration food for long trips. They also got to see the newly fitted radar and the one-ton anchor of the ship. The new updated Tarangini was deployed and commissioned in 2010.

The students expressed their gratitude to the Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar, AVPs Mrs. Anita Rose and Mr. Vipindas for providing such an opportunity, the memories of which the students will cherish for the lifetime.

INTERACTIVE SESSION WITH PARENTS OF GRADE X & XII (2022-23)



The first onsite interactive session with Principal for the parents of grade XII & X was held on 31st May 2022 from 5-7.30 pm in the school auditorium. A lot of parents attended the session. Assistant Vice Principals Mr. Vipindas and Mrs. Anita Rose, Heads of the various Departments and the Class Teachers of Grade X and XII were present for the session. Class X coordinator welcomed the parents. Head of the English department Mr. C.T.Ramasamy, Head of the Social Science Department, Mr. Unnikrishnan and the Head of the Hindi Department Mr. Balasubramanian alerted the parents on the importance of systematic learning, They also highlighted on Time Management and the need of proper notebook maintenance and submission of activities and projects given. Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar briefed the parents on the ways and methods the school is planning to take up this academic year to bridge the learning gap for the academic progress of the students. Principal then answered the queries of the parents. The interactive session wound up at 7:30pm. The session has given an insight to the parents and the need of their regular follow up with their children as well as with the teachers for the academic progress of their wards.

ISS ORGANISES CYBER SAFETY AWARENESS SESSION FOR STUDENTS



“CYBER SECURITY IS ALL ABOUT PROTECT, DETECT AND RESPOND”

In this digital world, where children are increasingly wired to social media and the internet, the concerns of cyber security, cyber bullying, and cyber hygiene are pertinent. The Students need to be well-informed of what steps they can take to keep themselves safe. With this notion, Indian School Salalah hosted an interactive session by Mrs. Anita Rose, AVP & Senior Faculty of Computer science Department Indian School Salalah for the students of classes V to VII on 18th, 19th and 24th May respectively in the school auditorium.

The Cyber Safety week was an initiative taken by Computer science Department led by Mr. Mohammad Javed, HOD Computer science Department.

This session proved to be a fruitful one, which was very evident from the response received from students during the interaction between the session. These kinds of sessions are a boon to students who are completely clueless about the right usage of internet. In this session Mrs. Anita Rose hinted on the do's and don'ts while using internet.

INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH –A STEP CLOSER TO OBTAIN NABET ACCREDITATION

Indian School Salalah underwent its final inspection from the NABET on the 24th and 25th of August 2022. The two-day inspection was held by a team of three members who assessed the total functioning of the school. NABET (**National Accreditation Board for Education and Training**) is a constituent Board of **Quality Council of India** that offers an accreditation program for schools with a view in providing a framework for the effective management and delivery of the holistic education program aiming at the overall development of students.



As a prime motive to provide quality education and improve its overall effectiveness with the desired student outcomes, Indian School Salalah has been undergoing the accreditation process with NABET for the past 18 months. The first phase of the assessment was held on the 24th and 25th of October 2021 through Online mode.

During the final visit, the assessors' team witnessed various school activities including the school assembly, carried out classroom observations and visited the labs and the library. The Accreditation Coordinator Mrs. Anita Rose presented the opening presentation to the team supplying all the details of the school's functioning on the first day.

The Key Process owners comprising 8 members were interviewed by the team and the documents were cross-checked which covered the basic fifteen standards. Later the team had interactions with School Management Committee members followed by the Admin team of the school. The team also had an interactive session with the parent community on the second day of the visit in the KG block. A special interactive session was also held with the student council on the same day.

The inspection got successfully culminated on 25th August, Thursday at 2.30 pm with the closure meeting which was conducted by Ms. Madhu Ahluwalia, the Senior Advisor of the NABET team. Dr Syed Ahsan Jamil, President of the School Management Committee congratulated the entire staff of Indian School Salalah for their selfless dedication and commitment in regard to the accreditation process. Principal Mr. Deepak Patankar appreciated the effort of the NABET core team members and commented that this process will act as a platform for sharing new ideas and involvement in an active discussion about promoting and achieving support from all stakeholders to improve quality.



EXTENSION OF AFFILIATION FROM CBSE FOR ISS TILL 31 MARCH 2028



A year of celebrations and achievements!!

Indian School Salalah has received the extension letter of the CBSE Affiliation till 31/03/2028. Kudos to the admin, SMC, staff and parents!

After the submission of all the relevant documents for affiliation, academic scores released by CBSE were high. The schools whose scores are higher are exempted from the physical inspection and Indian School Salalah too fall under this category.

Many congratulations to all the team concerned for working towards achieving the best score, for their untiring contributions, ensuring that the process is completed well within the time frame and the consistency is maintained.