

11th July - 10th August 2022-23

Monthly Report

The month of July sets the tone for the entire year as we now set up our school student council and prepare the way for the various sports and cultural activities.

The results of the 2nd, 3rd and 4th round of student council was announced by Principal, Mrs. Seema Sabhlok on 13th July which paved the way for the final round. The selected students sent in their

canvassing videos which were shown to all students

from Std VI - X on 14th July followed by elections carried out through Google Forms on 15th July during school hours. The results of the election round were announced on 18th July. House Captains and Deputy Captains were elected by students of Std VIII & IX on 18th July during the House Meeting.



Student Council Elections – Final Round



Hrishit Shetty won Bronze at National Wushu Championship

We are proud to announce the spectacular success of Hrishit Rajesh Shetty - VI A who won the bronze medal at the National Wushu Championship conducted by Wushu Association of India at Himachal Pradesh in the Sub-Junior category held from 9th - 15th July.

A session on **Synergy** was conducted by Principal, Mrs. Seema Sabhlok for all teachers of the State Board School on 16th July. It was an interactive session with team building activities that showcased the superiority of the team compared to the individual performance.



Session on Synergy by Principal, Mrs. Seema Sabhlok



Trashion pe Fashion conducted by Sanskriti Arts

We achieved outstanding success as well as the **Best School Award** at the **Trashion pe Fashion** competition organized by Sanskriti Arts at Hotel Kohinoor Continental on 16th July. The competition aimed at converting trash into an artful piece with which one could walk the ramp and through the proceeds received for the competition each child would be helping to provide one girl child with her menstrual needs.

S. No.	Winners Names	Position
1	Antara Dalvi - VII D	1st Prize
2	Shruti Thakur - VI C	Best renovation
3	Noor Fatima - VIIA	Beyond imagination
4	Pranit Shetty - VIII E	Best walk
5	Freya Thakkar - VI E	Trash icon
6	Rajvi Khandelkar - VI C	Jury choice



XSeed had a conference called *The Thinking Child* online on 23rd July. The session provided testimonies of students who used XSeed Curriculum, dialogue with experts in the field of education and assessment and live demos of XSeed lessons.



Anti-bullying Session

The Counselling center conducted an Anti-bullying session on 26th July for students of Std IX and X. The students were briefed on the meaning of bullying, its consequences and the BAT policy by Ms. Natasha Mehta and Ms. Nikita Kubal.

To celebrate **World Nature Conservation Day** which is observed on 28th July each class had an activity relevant to nature conservation. Std VI students made bookmarks, Std VII made bird feeders, Std VII made craft planters, Std IX had an environmental rally while Std X made posters on the environment. These initiatives were shared with the Shristizens organisation that organised a monsoon challenge on this occasion.



World Nature Conservation Day Celebration



Orator – Silver Jubilee Oratorical Contest

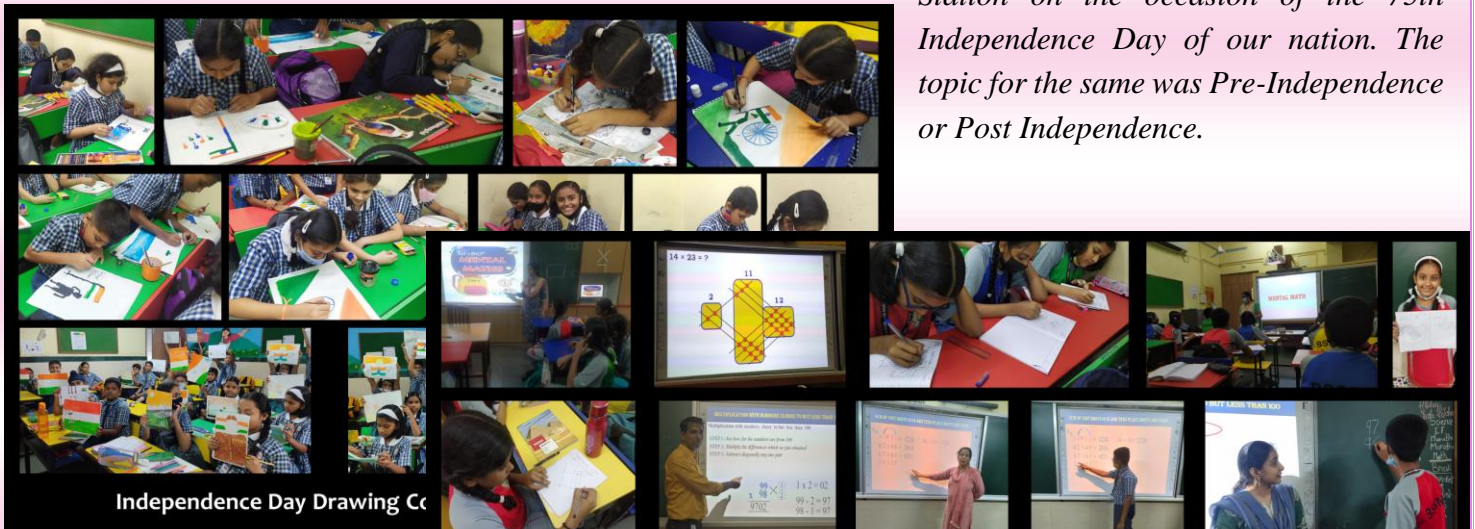
Our students Nupur Sharad Pawar, Johan John Mathew, Dhruv Anil Jain, Vedansh Dilip Jain, Dhriti Harshad Sankhe, Mohammad Hasan Khan participated in the first AFS competition of the year titled - A Diverse World which began with a session online on 28th July and a video submission of an interview with a person from a different culture and faith on 7th August.

The first inter school competition of the 25th jubilee year - 'Orator' was conducted on 30th July. A total of 87 schools participated in the same with 85 student participants and 55 teacher participants. All participants were awarded with participation certificates.

The first prize winner was awarded with a cash prize of Rs. 15000/-, second prize Rs. 10000/- and the third prize Rs. 7500/- along with a citation, trophy and certificate for each winner of the two categories. Two consolation prizes in each category were also awarded. The school with the highest score as sum total in the teacher and student category was awarded with the Orator - Rolling Trophy.

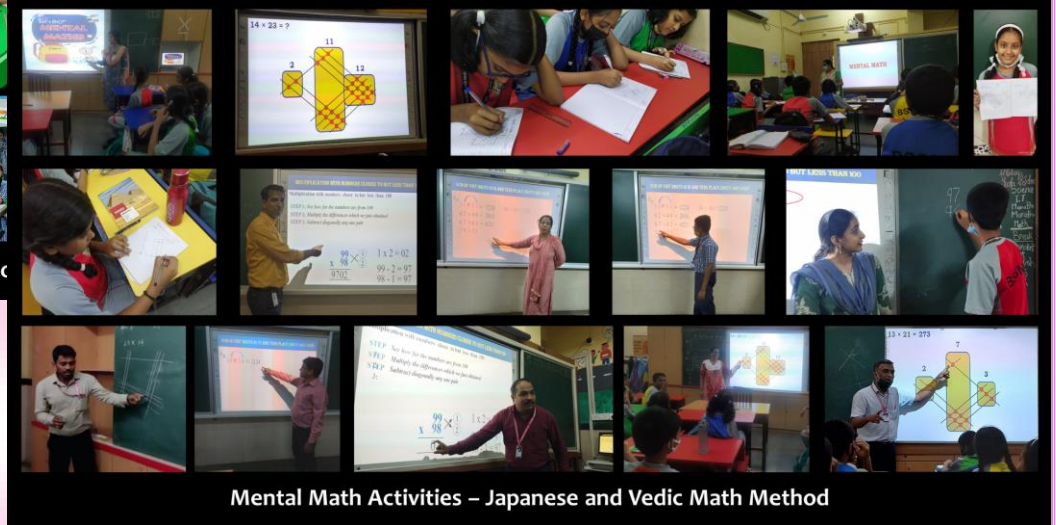
Std VI to VIII began their **First Formative Assessment** and Std IX and X began their **First Unit Test** on 1st August.

A **drawing competition** was conducted for Std VI and VII on 5th August which was organised by the Powai Police Station on the occasion of the 75th Independence Day of our nation. The topic for the same was Pre-Independence or Post Independence.



Independence Day Drawing Competition

The Math Department organised **Mental Math Activities** in Std VI, VII and VIII where they taught the students Japanese Multiplication Tricks and Vedic Math Multiplication Tricks on 4th and 5th August. This technique helped the students to use different methods and also calculate the product quickly.



Mental Math Activities – Japanese and Vedic Math Method



The staff of the State Board felicitated the management with tributes of gratitude on 5th August for the generous raise given in the salaries throughout the institution.

The **Investiture Ceremony** was conducted on 6th August for both the primary and secondary sections. The programme began with a guard of honour to welcome the guests. This was followed by a welcome, prayer and lighting of the lamp, felicitation of guests, address by the Principal, handing over of duties, presentation of insignia and duties and taking the oath of office. The insignia were presented by Chairman, PEC, Shri BR Shetty; General Manager, Academics and Administration, Dr. Sandeep Singh; Principal, International School and Junior College, Mrs. Mildred Lobo and Principal, State Board School and Junior College, Mrs. Seema Sabhlok. The newly elected head boy of the secondary section, the head girl of the primary section and the Chairman, PEC, Shri BR Shetty addressed the audience. The ceremony concluded with a vote of thanks followed by the national song.



Investiture Ceremony

Teachers - Ms. Sarika Lad, Ms Manika Pal, Ms. Rakshanda Shaikh and Mr. Ashwin Jadhav attended the **AFS Regional Meet of West Zone Member Schools** at Children's Academy, Thakur Complex on 6th August. The sessions were based on Instructional Leadership, Futuristic Schools, Internationalism, Collaboration and Embracing Diversity.

The school choir won first place in Folk music, first place in Sanskrit music and second place in Hindi music at the Zonal level of the **National Group Song Competition** conducted by Bharat Vikas Parishad on 7th August.



National Group Song Competition by Bharat Vikas Parishad Zonal Level



Mayank Karekar of IX B won the Silver medal at the **Mumbai Upanagar Cadet and Junior Kickboxing Championship 2022** organised by the Mumbai Kickboxing Association in the Point Fight Category on 10th May.

Mayank Karekar - Silver medal at the Mumbai Upanagar Cadet and Junior Kickboxing Championship 2022



AFS Regional Meet - West Zone Member Schools

The teachers and students of our school participated in an ACS fest '**HOP - High on Passion**' which consisted of many interesting and captivating competitions on 10th August at Pragnya Bodhini High School, Goregaon East.

The month ended on a high note with new horizons being explored and new initiatives being taken.



ACS fest 'HOP - High on Passion'