



DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, GBN

"You can never appreciate the shade of a tree unless you sweat in the sun."

- Anonymous

THIS NEWS LETTER APPRISES YOU OF THE ONGOING EVENTS OF THE SCHOOL IN THE MONTH OF APRIL & MAY-2016.

THE MISSION STATEMENT FOR DPS, GBN.....

To create lifelong learners, independent, confident, resilient, empathetic and enlightened global citizens, capable of ushering in a better social order.

Scholar Badge Ceremony



"Success is to be measured not so much by the position that one has reached in life as by the obstacles which he has overcome."

Delhi Public School, Gautam Buddh Nagar celebrated its 4th **Scholar Badge and Achievement Awards Ceremony** on 12th and 13th May'16, respectively in the **School's Tagore Auditorium**. The academic achievers of the 2015-16 Session were awarded for their scholastic and co-scholastic accomplishments in a grand ceremony. It was indeed a proud moment for the parents,

teachers as well as the School to see the young geniuses acknowledged for their hard work and perseverance. The event on the 12th of May was graced by the presence of **Ms. Poonam Chaubey, former Principal, Greater Valley School, Greater Noida** as the **Chief Guest**. **Parent Reps Mr. Pramod Mohanty, Mr. Anurag Goel, Mr. Ashutosh Sharma** representing classes 1, 3 and 4 respectively, joined the celebrations as **Guests of Honour**. The students of **classes III to V** of the previous session were felicitated with scholar badges, class, section and subject proficiencies.

The **Chief Guest** of the event on 13th of May was **Ms. Geeta Shankar, an eminent educationist**. **Parent Rep, Mr. Pramod Mohanty** was present as the **Guest of Honour** and **Ms. Palluvee Ahluwalia, Parent Rep**, presided over the function. The students of **classes I and II of the previous session** were awarded all rounder trophies as well as section and subject proficiencies. On both the days, the celebratory occasion was made memorable by the School Choir which presented an inspirational song before the audience. The students of classes IV and V performed a skit on the **preservation of environment, titled-** "It's our turn to lead."

English Literary Week-A Tribute To The Bard



The **English Literary** week was celebrated from 11th- 13th April 2016 with great enthusiasm by the students of classes III to X. The students paid a tribute to the '**Bard of Avon**' **Shakespeare**. They were engaged in fun filled activities so that their reading, listening, speaking and writing skills could be enhanced. On 11th April the

Slogan Writing Competition was conducted in classes **III-X**. The students wrote on various topics based on Moral values, United World and Global Citizens.

On 12th April children were engaged doing worksheets on Homophones, Antonyms, Anagrams and Poetic devices which helped in enhancing their vocabulary skills. The Literary Week culminated on 13th April with a special assembly conducted in the amphitheatre, where the students paid a tribute to the **Bard-William Shakespeare**. The assembly made the children aware about the life and works of Shakespeare. Students presented an enactment from the famous play of **Antony and Cleopatra** followed by a rendition of a **Soliloquy** by Sarojini Naidu, which mesmerised the audience and was appreciated by one and all. The brain storming session which was open for both teachers and students was fun filled and interesting.

Another feather in the cap of DPS, GBN.....



The **British Council International School Award 2015-16** has approved the portfolio submitted by DPS, GBN, and our school has been successfully awarded with the **British Council International Award for the period 2016-19**. The school will very soon receive the ISA mark. We did 7 projects in all. Out of which three were collaborative projects. We partnered with Stockport school, UK and Yonder Secondary school, Istanbul, Turkey. The seven projects were so designed that they covered all classes from Pre Primary to Class X. We also ensured that all the subjects were also covered in these projects. Hard work has no substitute! Kudos to the Principal, students and the faculty!

Inter-House Art & Craft Competition



An Inter-House Art & Craft competition was successfully conducted on 19th April, 2016 at DPS, GBN. The theme of the competition was "**Mother Nature Beckons**" where the students from classes III to V displayed their creativity with clay, paper and colours. The **best creations from each class were displayed, house-wise**, on their respective floors in the extension block. The students were **judged on the basis of originality, presentation and the use of natural/eco-friendly decorations** on their model(s). The competition was aimed to express the concern and care for our mother Earth amongst our children. The winners were chosen from each house, class-wise.

Urban Gardening Workshop



"He who plants a tree, plants a Hope"

An informative **workshop on Urban Gardening** was conducted on 19th April, 2016 at the School by Mr. Gaurav Gurjar and Ms. Deeksha Bhatia from the renowned **NGO - "Swechha - We For Change"**. The workshop started with the importance and traditional ways of gardening. Students of **Young Scientists Club** from classes III to V participated in this workshop. Students learnt the need and importance of urban gardening and were taught **how to make bottle planters**. Children learnt to put waste bottles to an effective and a creative use. The workshop was extremely interactive in nature; the facilitators lent a keen ear to each and every query of the students and did justice to them.

EARTH DAY 2016

The celebrations of **Earth Day** began with the **special assembly conducted on 22nd April, 2016** by the students of class IV-V. Students presented an extremely **heart-touching and thought provoking skit** where emphasis was laid on 3 R's - Recycle, Reuse and Reduce. The importance of recycling and reusing of **eco friendly materials** was explained and the need



for reduced usage of plastic and non-biodegradable substances was encouraged by the children. After the assembly, our honourable **Principal ma'am planted a few saplings** in the school garden along with some students and teachers to express her support to the cause. The concern for our planet Earth and our mother nature was not only confined to a special assembly but could be seen all over the school. Boards with the creative works of our students were displayed across the school. Children made posters and clay models to exhibit their concern for our mother Earth and to suggest ways to save it. "Sooner or later, we will have to recognize that the Earth has rights, too, to live without pollution. What mankind must know is that human beings cannot live without Mother Earth, but the planet can live without humans." "We are the future and it's our turn to lead." Bearing these thoughts in their minds and hearts, the children committed themselves to recreate a healthy and a highly sustainable planet for a better today and tomorrow! The Pledge of the session 2016-17 was solemnly taken by the students which is- 'Jal hai to kal hai; Save Water'!



Nurturing Leadership- Student Council Elections- 2016-17

The process for the appointment of the **student council** for session 2016-17 began with distribution of forms on 18th April, followed by submission of the candidature forms on 19th April. After careful scanning of the candidates' profile, short listing was done. The **shortlisted students were interviewed by the coordinator and Principal ma'am**. This process began on 21st April and lasted for two days. All the candidates started campaigning on the 26th of April. Polling was done on 27th April. Students from classes III – V cast their valuable votes in favour of their preferred candidates. Results for the Junior Head Boy and Junior Head Girl were announced on 28th April. The new student leaders are:



JUNIOR WING STUDENT COUNCIL

HOUSE	PROFILE	NAME	CLASS
	Head Boy	Atulya Ranjan	V – D
	Head Girl	Alaina Goel	V - A
	Vice-Head Boy	Amay Joshi	IV – B
	Vice-Head Girl	Rupashi Tyagi	IV – E
JHELUM	HOUSE PREFECTS – V	Ansh Chauhan	V – E
SATLUJ		Niya Bansal	V – A
YAMUNA		Parth Varshney	V – E
GANGES		Simran Vohra	V – D
CHENAB		Nayanika	V – A
JHELUM	HOUSE PREFECTS - IV	Shivanshekhar Singh	IV – A
SATLUJ		Anindita Basu	IV – D
YAMUNA		Abir Singh	IV – A
GANGES		Naina Malhotra	IV – C
CHENAB		Akshant Singh	IV - B

INTRA CLASS KARATE COMPETITION



An Intra Class Karate Competition was organised by the school on 28th April, 2016 to **encourage the skill of self-defence** among the students of classes III - V. The competition was organized at the sports room by Mr. Ajit, Mr. Yuvraj and Mr. Ram. The competition commenced with the briefing of the rules by Mr. Ajit and was also adjudged by him. Mr. Yuvraj played the role of the referee. It was a wonderful display of swiftness and courage by the participating students. After various rounds, the results were announced.

10th U.P State Inter School Karate Championship – 2016

10th U.P. State Inter School Karate Championship – 2016 was organized on 5th and 6th May at Noida Stadium, Sec-21 A, Noida. In this two days event, various schools had participated. Our students proved their mettle by bagging gold and silver medals in different categories and made our school proud. The proud winners are:



S. No.	Name	Class	Award / Medal
1.	Dea Sharma	V – D	Gold
2.	Avishka Nayal	V – D	Silver
3.	Rahul Thapa	III – E	Sliver
4.	Yashoda Thapa	V – B	Bronze
5.	Zia Akhtar	V – A	Bronze
6.	Atulya Ranjan	V – D	Bronze
7.	Adam Iqbal	IV – A	Bronze

WINNERS ALL THE WAY!



On 14th May, 2016 students of grades 3 and 4 participated in **Playbotic League** organized by Sapphire International School, Noida. Our team of **Technocrats** which included Ashar Khan, Garvit Arora, Bhavya Nepali and Akshant Singh won the **Best Project Award** as a result of their flawless presentation. Approximately 150-200 students from more than 20 schools participated in the event. The competition comprised of two parts, first part being presentation and second was a game, Probot and Beebot (floor robot). Overall, our team got the **First Runner up award**.

Heartiest congratulations to the achievers!

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY ON DISCIPLINE BY CLASS V-C



A special assembly on Discipline was conducted by Class V-C on 28th April, 2016. Students educated the gathering on the need and importance of discipline in our lives. The message was conveyed using daily- real life examples.

Open House

The first PTM of session 2016-2017 was successfully conducted on 7th May, 2016. On this occasion, **in house baked cakes, candles and Jute Bags were** displayed for sale, prepared by the students of **DPS, GBN** under the guidance of the talented faculty **as a part of the Schools Enterprise Challenge**. The proceeds of the sale were donated towards **Bal Sahyog**. Parents appreciated the endeavour made by the school, to teach its students to work for a noble cause and inculcate the values of service. **Yes, we reiterate, "Service before Self."**

Pulse 2016 –An Inter School Event

Bal Bharti Public School organized its annual event "PULSE – AN INTER SCHOOL EVENT" from 4th – 6th May 2016. Urmi Bhattacharjee (III – A) participated in **AD Bonanza** and Zoha Khan (III – J) & Shreya Rani (III-D) participated in **Creative Hands – Basket Decoration** held on 5th May, 2016. Students performed well at the competition and were encouraged with participation certificates for their performance. Ms. Sarita Singh and Mr. Vijay accompanied our students at the event.

TEACHERS' WORKSHOP

A leadership training program on '**Performance Management of School Staff and Students**' was conducted by Quality Education Asia on **2nd May, 2016**. It was hosted by Lotus Valley International School. Two coordinators attended the workshop from Delhi Public School, GBN - Ms. Rina Das (Coordinator Pre-Primary wing) and Ms. Shikha Rathi (Coordinator for Classes 3-5). Ms. Ankita Peter (Counsellor) attended a workshop on Child Abuse & Posco Act on **28nd April, 2016** at ICC YMCA New Delhi.