



# DARSHAN ACADEMY

# NEWSLETTER



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## CO - CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

# Sports village program



**DARSHAN  
ACADEMY**



**SPORTZ  
VILLAGE**

# flash back of July 2023

## BREAKING NEWS



"Very glad to share that the episode on Darshan Education Foundation, Darshan Academy has secured a spot in the prime time slot on the National Geographic Channel for telecast. Watch the program on the YouTube channel under the Great Indian Schools Series."



# Co-curricular activities

## Jig-saw maniac feast

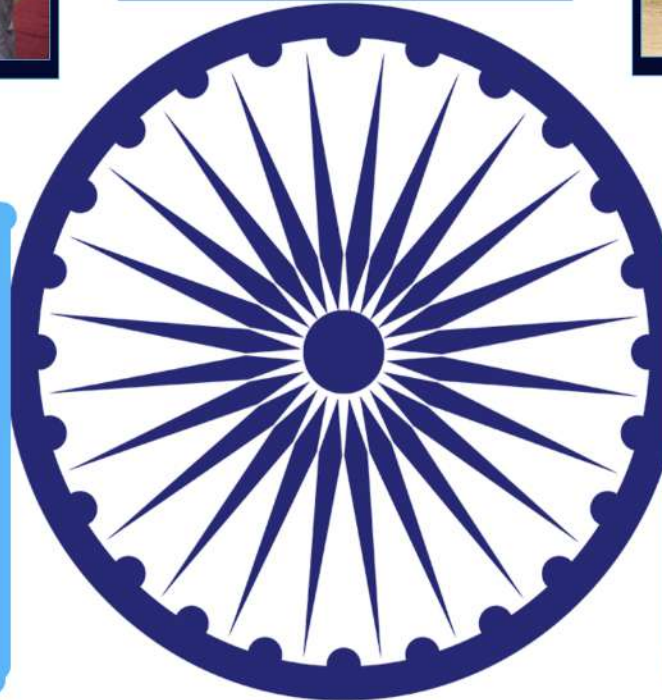
We are thrilled to share the exciting jigsaw puzzle educational activities that took place in our kindergarten campus recently.

The primary objective of the Jigsaw Puzzle Activity was to enhance our students' cognitive skills, problem-solving abilities, hand-eye coordination, and teamwork. Working on puzzles also helps improve concentration and patience, which are essential qualities for our young learners. Students from all classes enjoyed the activity. They seemed very enthusiastic during the activity.



# Co - curricular activities

## मेरा तिरंगा, मेरी शान है



Like every year, this year also, staff and students of our school celebrated Independence Day on 15 August 2023 with great joy and passion.

The sense of happiness and pride could be clearly seen on the faces of all the people as India celebrated its 77th Independence Day.

Our school LMC member Sh. Harbans Lal Ji, Rasik the Principal and Arti (H.M. Jr Wing) unfurled the tricolour together. As soon as the flag was hoisted, everyone stood for the national anthem. The contingent of senior boys performed march past. After that, a well-planned cultural program was presented by the students. Our Principal addressed the gathering by saying that it took hundreds of years for Indians to break shackles of slavery. He told the students about the supreme sacrifice made by the great martyrs of the country who gave their lives for the sake of freedom. At last, he added that the freedom is very precious, and it is necessary to preserve it

# CO - CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

## ਰੌਣਕਾਂ ਤੀਜ ਦੀਆਂ



## HARIYALI TEEJ ਪਿੰਡ ਦੀ ਨੁਹਾਰ

The festival of Teej celebrates the bounty of nature, arrival of rains and greenery surrounded by social activities, rituals and customs. We celebrated Teej with great joy and fervour in the school campus under the theme 'Pind di Nuhar'. Dr. Varinder Kaur, Principal GTB Khalsa college for women as the chief guest and Professor Sandeep Kaur, officiating principal of GTB B.Ed. college as the special guest. All the mothers of kindergarten were invited to the event, who came dressed in traditional Punjabi dresses. Entrance area was decorated displaying Punjabi virsa. To begin the program a special giddha performance was given by the students and our beautiful mothers also performed giddha singing their own beautiful boliyan. Mrs. Teej competition was also organized, which had 3 rounds. First round was to explain and tell the importance of the prop from Punjabi culture, second round was to dance while singing a boli from the word picked by the audience from a bowl and final round was to answer the questions asked by audience related to Punjabi culture and customs. Roopjot and her mother gave a special performance. Addressing the audience, the chief guest, Dr. Varinder Kaur thanked Principal Rasik Gupta for providing her an opportunity to witness this Spectacular Show of Punjabi Culture. She also talked about the importance of the day and mentioned that Teej was primarily a festival celebrated by girls and women with songs and dances mainly in the northern and western parts of India. In her vote of thanks, Arti Sharma, Headmistress, appreciated the performances given by the students and applauded for the mothers who made the event all the more special with their participation.



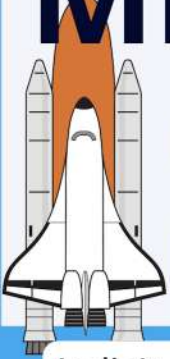
# Co - curricular activities

## Success celebration



# Mission Moon

## CHANDRAYAAN 3 LANDING



India's soft landing of Chandrayaan-3 on the south pole of the Moon was celebrated like a festival at our school.

Although the school remained closed due to the holidays declared by the Punjab Government, Principal Rasik Gupta, while addressing the students online, apprised the students about the importance of India becoming the first country to achieve such a feat.

He credited this historic achievement to ISRO and the scientists of the country.

Principal Rasik Gupta and others during Chandrayaan-3 online medium at our school, said that the world record created by completing this difficult mission in a much less budget than other developed countries will be written in golden letters in history. It has been possible only due to the hard work and untiring efforts of Indian scientists that today India has become the fourth country in the world after America, Russia and China to successfully land on Moon.

### दर्शन एकैडमी दसूहा में चंद्रयान-3 के चंद्रमा पर लैंड करने को त्यौहार की तरह मनाया गया



दर्शन एकैडमी दसूहा में चंद्रयान-3 ऑनलाइन माध्यम दौरान प्रिंसीपल रसिक गुप्ता व अन्य। (झावर)

दसूहा, 24 अगस्त (झावर) : दर्शन एकैडमी दसूहा में भारत द्वारा चंद्रयान-3 के चंद्रमा के दक्षिणी ध्रुव पर सॉफ्ट लैंडिंग करने को एक त्यौहार की तरह मनाया गया।

हालांकि पंजाब सरकार द्वारा घोषित छुट्टियों के चलते स्कूल बंद रहा, फिर भी ऑनलाइन माध्यम से विद्यार्थियों को संबोधित करते हुए प्रिंसीपल रसिक गुप्ता ने भारत द्वारा ऐसी उपलब्धि हासिल करने वाला पहला देश बनने के महत्व से विद्यार्थियों को अवगत करवाया।

उन्होंने इस ऐतिहासिक उपलब्धि का श्रेय इसरो एवं देश के वैज्ञानिकों

को देते हुए कहा कि अन्य विकसित देशों के मुकाबले काफी कम बजट में इस कठिन मिशन को पूरा करके बनाए गए विश्व रिकॉर्ड को इतिहास में स्वर्णाक्षरों से लिखा जाएगा। ये भारतीय वैज्ञानिकों की कठिन मेहनत एवं अथक प्रयासों से ही संभव हो सका है कि आज भारत चांद की सतह पर सफल लैंडिंग करने वाला अमरीका, रूस और चीन के बाद विश्व का चौथा और चांद के दक्षिणी ध्रुव पर लैंडिंग करने वाला विश्व का पहला देश बन गया है। इस अवसर पर समूह स्टॉफ मेंबर भी ऑनलाइन उपस्थित थे।

# Happy रक्षाबंधन



**THE SIMPLE THREAD OF  
RAKHI SYMBOLIZES  
THE SACRED LOVE OF BROTHER & SISTER.**



Raksha Bandhan or Rakhi is a special occasion to celebrate the virtuous bond of love between a brother and a sister which is one of the deepest and noblest of all human emotions. We celebrated the auspicious day of Raksha Bandhan on 29 August 2023. The concept of Raksha Bandhan has much wider concept beyond the raksha of sister by her brother, the mutual commitment of safe-guard, protections, and bonding of all in the family, organization and the society. To create the impression of the same, girls of our school tied Rakhi to Karamvir Singh Ghuman the MLA of our town. As he is taking the responsibility of all the residents of the town and is fulfilling his duties very well, so tying Rakhi to him was a gesture of saying 'Thank You' on behalf of all the residents. Besides that girls also tied Rakhi to our Principal and to the male staff of the school. To reciprocate, the principal gave all the girls small presents as a token of love. Students from classes III-VIII participated in Rakhi making competition and presented their Rakhis in beautiful Thali. Activity teacher from Kindergarten taught students to make a special Vedic Rakhi, which was hand made Rakhi during ancient times. The beautiful festival endearing the bond of brother and sister turned the ambience colourful and emotional.

# National Sports Day



Celebrating National Sports Day:  
Promoting good Health.

We are excited to share with you the highlights of our celebration of National Sports Day, This day holds immense significance as it honors the birth anniversary of the legendary Indian hockey player, Major Dhyan Chand, who was instrumental in bringing laurels to the nation through his remarkable achievements in the world of sports. Our primary goal was not only to celebrate the joys of sports but also to highlight the importance of an active lifestyle in maintaining good health.



# Inter House Spelling competition



We organized Inter-House Spelling competition on 23.08.23 for the classes I- XII. This competition was one of the numerous enjoyable competitions that provided students with a platform to learn spellings in different ways. This competition help students improve their spellings, increase their vocabulary, learn concepts, and develop the use of correct English. Students participated earnestly in the competition. Their efforts and initiative were appreciated by our Principal. The competition comprised of various rounds like Spell Bound Candy Bowl, Bouquet of Flowers, Rapid Fire. The words were extracted from the books in their curriculum. All the respective House teachers encouraged their participants and boosted their moral to perform their best.

The positions of the Houses for the competition are as follows:

- 1st Position- Empathy house
- 2nd Position- Service house
- 3rd Position- Peace house

# HAPPY Teachers Day

Teacher's Day was celebrated with zeal and zest on 5 September 2023. There was an unusual excitement in the school atmosphere which was quite contagious. The students of class XII took over the duties for organizing the program on the special day for the teachers. Students of different classes presented various cultural programs. Kindergarten students came twinning with their respective teacher. Beautiful thank-you cards were made by students in all grades to show their gratitude towards the teachers.

Mr Rasik Gupta, the principal, addressed the entire school, urging students to maintain the bequest of respecting teachers and lauded the entire staff for their contribution and showing the sincerest efforts in playing a significant role in the holistic development of every student. The celebration also included a few games conducted for teachers like arm wrestling, dumb charades and many more to make the child within come alive. Grand lunch and movie for teachers were also a part of the celebration.

Thus, the entire celebration paved a new hope for teachers to rejoice the journey as a teacher.





# Happy कृष्णा जन्माष्टमी



We celebrated Janamashtami in our academy in a vibrant and joyous manner. This auspicious occasion marked the birth of Lord Krishna. School campus was beautifully adorned with colorful decorations and traditional Janamashtami props. The function commenced with the welcome of our chief guest, Sh Sandeep Sharma XEN of Punjab electricity board and with the Arti of all the students who were in the attire of Krishna. A mesmerizing drama song was performed by the students of kindergarten depicting Lord Krishna's friendship. Grade Nursery to V students participated in fancy dress competition where they presented various different characters from Shrimad Bhagvat Geeta such as Sudama, Arjuna, Putna, Gopika and many more. Another exciting moment was the breaking of Dahi Handi. All Krishnas celebrated dahi handi with our Principal which was an icing on the cake.

One of the most heartwarming aspects of our Janamashtami celebration was the sense of togetherness. Differently abled Students from the school for Special Children, Deep School, were invited to be a part of the whole program providing them a lot of happy moments and memories, fostering an environment of unity and harmony.



# FATHER'S SPECIAL EVENT



We hosted a special assembly, a day dedicated to honoring and appreciating the significant role fathers play in our lives.

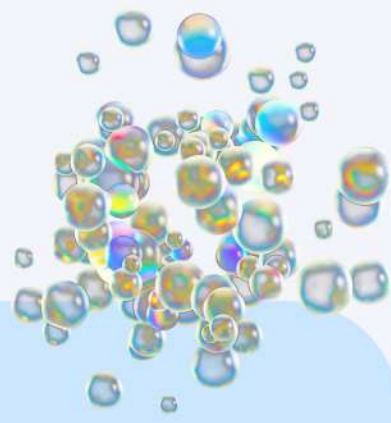
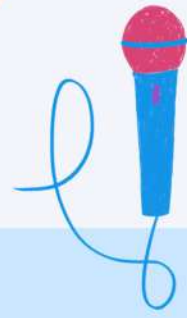
The assembly aimed to make the students recognize the love, guidance, and support that their fathers provide to them. The little Darshanites performed a touching dance, dedicated to fathers, evoking emotions and sentiments of love. Students recited heartwarming poems that conveyed their love and appreciation for their fathers, bringing tears of joy to everyone.

# STORY TELLING COMPETITION



Storytelling is a unique way for students to develop an understanding, respect and appreciation for other cultures, and can promote a positive attitude to people from different lands, races and communities. Competitions are the best way to build the confidence among children. Keeping this in mind, our school organized Inter- House Story telling Competition for the students of classes III-V.

# poetry fest



Poetry is when an emotion finds its thought and the thought finds its words FOR ITS EXPRESSION. A Poet is a person who foresees his soulmate in language and artistic words. Darshanites showed artistic side in poetry which was really commendable. They depicted different emotions and sensations in their poems. It was a wonderful experience listening to our dear angels. Poetry Fest is an annual event conducted in remembrance of the revered mystic poet, Sant Darshan Singh Ji Maharaj. In the ongoing academic session 2023-24, we aim to inspire creativity and literary enthusiasm among students through poetry recitation and composition.



# TESTIMONIALS



Anita Rani

ਸਾਡੇ ਬੱਚੇ ਦਰਸ਼ਨ ਅਕੈਡਮੀ ਦਸੁਆ ਵਿੱਚ ਪੜ੍ਹਦੇ ਹਨ। ਅਸੀਂ ਇਸ ਸਕੂਲ ਤੋਂ ਬਹੁਤ ਖੁਸ਼ ਆ। ਇਹ ਸਕੂਲ ਦਰਸ਼ਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਮਹਾਰਾਜ ਜੀ ਦਾ ਹੈ ਇਸ ਲਈ ਅਸੀਂ ਹਰ ਪੱਲ ਇੰਝ ਲਗਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਬੱਚੇ ਹਮੇਸ਼ਾ ਮਹਾਰਾਜ ਜੀ ਦੇ ਕਰੀਬ ਹਨ। ਇਸ ਸਕੂਲ ਵਿਚ ਅਧਿਆਪਕ ਵੀ ਬਹੁਤ ਹੀ ਵਧੀਆ ਨੇ। ਇਸ ਸਕੂਲ ਅਤੇ ਇਸਦੀ ਵਧੀਆ ਸਿੱਖਿਆ ਬਾਰੇ ਮੇਰੇ ਸ਼ਬਦ ਬਹੁਤ ਘੱਟ ਹਨ।



Parwinder Kaur

I am a mother of two kids both are studying in DARSHAN ACADEMY. My daughter is studying like normal kids. But when I came to know my son named Angad Singh had some communication problems he can't communicate. I appreciate the way school took that as a challenge. They took care. I am happy to tell you that he has started talking and is able to concentrate. Thank you so much for your efforts.

# INTER SCHOOL POEM RECITATION COMPETITION



"Poetry is the rhythmical creation of beauty in words"

Keeping this in mind, Poetry Recitation Competition was organized by Shivalik Hills Sahodaya (Hoshiarpur) for its member schools. The whole competition was divided in three categories- Punjabi, Hindi and English. Each group was given a theme. Students from our school also participated and brought laurels to the school. Jasmeen Kaur from III B participated in Punjabi category and won first prize, Harshdeep from class X participated in English category and bagged third prize and Navni Sharma from VIII participated in Hindi category and received appreciation award.



# Inter House Badminton Competition



Stamina and agility are the key words associated with badminton and that is what players displayed during the Inter-House matches organized at our school on 7 October 2023. Students performed with a lot of enthusiasm. Their relaxed and flexible grips and the shuttle flights kept all awestruck. "Practice makes a man Perfect". The same was seen in most of the players who participated. It was a wonderful display of talent. They took up the challenge and gave their best.



## नवरात्रि पर्व की शुभकामनाएँ

We celebrated Navratri at our school. In order to thank Maa Durga and explain the essence of Navratri to little Darshanites who also staged a lovely role play which was a Visual Treat for all. In a lovely dandiya performance, young girls from UKG performed a mesmerizing show for the audience. Then staff members performed kankaj puja of Holy Nav Durga as a way to pay Tribute to all nine swarupas of Maa Durga.

It was an event which highlighted the hardwork and talent of the students and staff and complete support by the parents of kindergarten at our school. We are proud of all of them.



# EDUCATION FAIR CUM CAREER FEST



Education fair in school brings various Universities and Institutions together of the area to showcase the entire spectrum of courses they offer. It provides the best platform to students to learn about future opportunities and take a right step to have a glorifying future. Keeping the same in mind, we organized Education cum Career Fest for the students of not only Darshan Academy but for the other CBSE Affiliated schools in and around our school as well, on 21 October 2023.



# Annual Function SILVER JUBILEE



## SPARKLING SOULS SPREADING PEACE



We celebrated Annual Day along with the Silver Jubilee of Darshan Education Foundation themed 'Sparkling Souls Spreading Peace' with vibrancy and life being infused into magnificent and reverberating celebrations on 10 November 2023.

Entailing the formal welcome, the lamp was lit for the auspicious commencement of the event. The program was a blend of various hues befitting the theme wondrously. The beautiful show of talent, imagination, and organization was the essence of the evening. Darshanites danced to the tunes of musical ballet and left audience fascinated with their vibrant performances. The props and costumes added colours to the festive occasion with the synchronized dance movements and the foot-tapping music