

## 7 DAY CAMP ENDS IN SHIVALIK PUBLIC SCHOOL, MOHALI

With a stern commitment to serve the nation , the 7 day National service scheme (NSS) camp ended successfully in Shivalik Public School, Mohali. The ongoing NSS camp ended up with great valour and enthusiasm .The concluding day kicked off with the active preparations by the student volunteers of the school NSS Unit. The auditorium was decorated beautifully with buntings and festoons to welcome the Guest of Honour , Ms SumandeepKaur, of Shivalik Institute of Education



and Research, Mohali , Mr Rajeshwar Singh, Law Officer, The State Legal Services, Chandigarh and the school Principal, Ms AnupkiranKaur who graced the occasion as the honoured guests of the day. The NSS volunteers gave a warm hearth welcome to everyone. The event began with the recitation of the auspicious school shabad 'Deh Shiva BarMohelhe' for blessing the humans with wisdom to work for the welfare of the humanity. Mr Rajeshwar provided interesting but important information about LokAdalats, Cyber crime and preventing social media account from hacking.

At the concluding function ,the uncountable successes of the NSS camp were narrated . NSS volunteer Mannat and MishumeetKaur presented the day wise 7 Day report of the

NSS camp , wherein the stern hard work and the pious work done by the volunteers was truly narrated and showcased with the help of the PowerPoint Presentation. The inspirational poetic recitation by Aaisha and Shreyamotivated everyone to excel in their lives. The students also showcased street play on 'Prevention of Stubble Burning' which was well appreciated by everyone. It needs to be mentioned here that the volunteers of SPS, Mohali got the opportunity to visit many places during these 7 days' camp tenure including the



school for the blind in Sector 26, Traffic Park, Verka Milk Plant, Paraplegic Rehabilitation Center Mohali, PrabhAsra Mohali and exclusive visit to the historical Gurudwara Sahib, Daon. In addition, a rally was taken out in the village and a street play was also showcased there to create awareness against the stubble burning among the residents.

The following students were honoured for their dedicated work and sincere efforts:

Best Volunteer- Amarvir Singh

Best in Social Work- Arunjot, Khushi

**Best Speaker- MannatVerma**  
**Best in Poster Making- Shreya**  
**Best in Discipline- Yuvraj Singh**

In her address, the worthy Chief Guest applauded the efforts put in by the volunteers to make it a success. Vote of thanks was given by the Respected Principal, Mrs AnupkiranKaur in which she inspired the volunteers to perform exceptionally well in every task whatever was bestowed upon them. The curtain on the function came down with the singing of the national anthem

### INTERSHIVALIK SHOW AND TELL COMPETITION (CLASSES I-II)

Inter Shivalik show and tell competition was organized for classes I and II. The students showcased real objects based on the themes “My Favorite Game” and “Means Of Transport”. The competition helped the students to gain confidence and improve their vocabulary skills. Principal Ms. Anupkiran Kaur appreciated the efforts of the students and encouraged them to improve their communication skills. The

results are as follows:

CLASS I- Viraj, Saharsh and Sartaj got 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> position respectively.

CLASS II- Vidhushi, Sneha Gupta and Ashmit got 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> position respectively.



### PRESS RELEASE ON SPORTS DAY(NUR-II)

The school playground of Shivalik Public School was filled with great zeal, excitement and frolicsome atmosphere on 18 December 2018 as the school primary wing (Nur-II) celebrated its annual sports day. The celebrations began with a flag hoisting march past by tiny tots of class II . The students displayed a wide array of colourful



and reverberant events.

They mesmerised the audience with their energetic performances: “ The lazium and dumbles drill” , Zumba dance performances using colourful balloons and balls, yoga, formation of different pyramids remained as the main attraction of the mega event. The programme commenced on the medal ceremony along with the appreciation certificates to the winners.

School Director Mr. D.S BEDI appreciated the efforts of all the participants and said that we all learn more outside the classroom through the medium of sports which is like a rejuvenating therapy for all.

## RALLY FOR ANTI – STUBBLE BURNING

### -BY NCC CADETS

### SHIVALIK PUBLIC SCHOOL, MOHALI

In order to create awareness among people, Mass Awareness Rally on ‘Anti – Stubble Burning’ was carried by NCC Cadets of Shivalik Public School, Mohali.



The Principal of the school, Mrs. Anupkiran Kaur, Mr. Gurjot Singh and Jasbir Singh motivated cadets to preventive measures



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against stubble burning . Slogan writing and poster making competitions were conducted on harmful effects of stubble burning. It was a great opportunity to encourage the youth to say no to this cause. Refreshments were offered to the cadets. The event was well received by the cadets and they were motivated to think about the environment.

## ATAL TINKERING LAB INAUGURATION

Creativity is thinking up new things. Innovation is doing new things



In an endeavor to inculcate and develop scientific temperament in the young learners of today. , Shivalik Public School Mohali proudly set its steps into the noble mission of knowledge enhancement. It was indeed a proud moment as they witnessed the inauguration of the Atal Tinkering Lab .With a vision to cultivate one million child innovators in India, Atal Innovation Mission by NITI Aayog and Government of India envisaged a novel programme - establishment of Atal Tinkering Laboratories in schools across the country. The lab was inaugurated by Mr InderBir Singh Passi , Honorary professor IISER, Mohali, Indian mathematics professor. Recipient S.S. Bhatnagar prize Council Scientific Industrial Research, New Delhi, 1983.The programme commenced seeking the divine graces through a melodious school shabad . This was followed by an exuberant floral welcome .Presentation was showcased by ATL in charge to enlighten about the ATL lab. The Chief Guest Mr Inder Bir Singh Passi congratulated the school and wished the students many happy hours of tinkering .ATL Mentor, Niti Ayog Mr Bikramjit Singh also addressed



and motivated to tinker the lab.After which the dignitaries proceeded to symbolically inaugurate the Laboratory .

The lab will boost scientific innovation at the school. The lab is equipped with ‘Do-it-yourself Kits’ and all the instruments related to Science along with an Ideation Studio. The main attraction of the

lab was a 3-D Printer and Sticker printer. 3-D printing is the crusade of technology in recent time. The school is truly making all sincere efforts to create innovators for a skilled India. All students from Class VI-XII will benefit from the lab. The lab is designed to inculcate skills such as design mind set, computational thinking, adaptive learning etc., to be in synch with the global scenario.. The young innovators were confidently handling the queries of the guest and audience. Mr Passi not only asked questions but also gave each one inputs on how to further improvise their innovations. He went round saw the models made by the

students and interacted with them. He gave various tips to the students.

Director of the school Mr DS Bedi said they are proud of being one of the schools selected under the Atal Innovation Mission . The lab is an approach of Central government of India to create an environment of scientific temperament, innovation, creativity amongst Indian Students. It is a step towards a new India. ATL lab would teach students essential 21st-century skills which will help them in developing their professional and personal skills. Skilled India is the need of the hour and each step taken this dream should be welcomed and we should work towards it together for a better India .He urged students to make best use of this lab and wished all the success for their future endeavors,”

### SPORTS DAY -JUNIOR SCHOOL

The school playground of Shivalik Public School, Mohali was filled with great zeal, excitement and frolicsome atmosphere on 27th November 2018 as the Primary School celebrated its Annual Sports Day. Almost 400 Students of the Primary School participated in the Sports day events. All students especially the participants were really excited about the event. The programme began with vibrant energy and enthusiasm The Chief Guest, Mr. D.S Bedi , Director Shivalik Public Schools graced the occasion with his presence. The Chief Guest in his key note address emphasized that Annual sports day is a red letter day in each child's life and sports are equally important for the all-round development of children. The celebrations began with the symbolic lighting of the sports torch, flag hoisting, march past by all the four houses Pratap ,Azad, Ranjit and Subhash and the Oath taking ceremony. The events filled in the hearts of everyone with the spirit of sportsmanship and unity .The students displayed a wide array of colourful and reverberant events. They mesmerized the audience with their energetic performances .Sports events such as 100m race, 50m race, ball in the bin, shuttle run etc were held. The Chief Guest Mr. D.S Bedi was delighted to see the large number of young children participating enthusiastically. He appreciated the efforts of the participants and said that we all learn more outside the class through the medium of sports which is like a rejuvenating therapy for all. The day ended with the singing of the National Anthem.

### TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATIONS

“The greatest joy one can derive is from turning lives around. Nothing is as exciting and rewarding as being the cause of somebody’s success. Only a teacher is bestowed with this unique gift.”



To commemorate the selfless profession of teaching, the staff of Shivalik Public School, Mohali came together to celebrate this pious occasion where the teacher, a second mother to a child, is thanked and the spirit of teaching earns appreciation and accolades by means of special efforts put up by the students in the honour of them. The day was initiated with the students playing the roles of the teachers. It proved to

be quite interesting and fruitful exercise which was enjoyed by the teachers as well as the students.

Gratitude and respect towards pathfinders was also expressed with joy and celebration as the Shivalik Public School, Mohali students also presented tokens of love in the form of bouquets, cakes and gifts to their teachers.

Teaching faculty of Shivalik Public School, Mohali celebrated Teacher’s Day by organising a unique get together dedicated to the teachers. The proceedings commenced by seeking the divine blessings followed by a floral tribute to the great teacher- President of India late Dr Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan, who was a staunch advocate of education, intellectual, and above all a Teacher. The teachers’



roles in 21st century were reminded through different presentations. Teachers also showcased their talent through different dance presentations on the rhythm of the foot tapping music. Later each and every teacher was presented with a gift by the management of the school





Appreciating the efforts of the students in organizing all the events, the Principal, Mrs Anupkiran Kaur, while quoting an example of selfless and humble DrRadhakrishnan, championed the essence of educators who ignite the intellect and amplify the prospects of future millennium. She commended the students for their impeccable special role performances as the teachers.

The Chief Guest for this occasion was the Revered Director, Shivalik Public Schools, Shri D S Bedi , who graced the Teacher's Day celebrations with his esteemed presence. He showered his blessings on the congregation wishing everybody a prosperous and healthy life. Emphasizing on discipline, simplicity and amassing knowledge, he conveyed his vision of achieving even better with every passing year. He, in his address, thanked all the teachers for the wonderful work they are doing and said that a good teacher heals ignorance and inspires creativity. The message of the Director, Shivalik Public Schools rejuvenated the teachers to feel bound to the noble profession.

The day got over with the sumptuous high tea organised by the Shivalik management for the teachers.

### LECTURE –CUM-DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM

Chandigarh Chapter of the National Academy of Sciences (NASI), India, organized Lecture –cum-Demonstration program for 200 students of Classes XI and XII of Shivalik Public School, Mohali and Chandigarh, as a part of its outreach program in Shivalik Public School, Mohali.. The main objective of this program was to promote Academic activities at the school level and to motivate students to take up basic science subjects, through arranging lectures and demonstration of scientific concepts through simple experiments.

Dr. M.S. Marwaha, Principal (superannuated), Sri Guru Gobind S ingh College, Sec-26, Chandigarh , who is well known for his demonstration of various physics experiments with simple equipments, demonstrated various physics principles, like Newton laws, effects of



surface tension, Archimedes Principle, Superposition of waves, Lateral inversion, Formation of stationary waves, Fictitious forces, Sound, Pseudo forces etc.

The program ended with vote of thanks by Mrs. Anupkiran Kaur, Principal, Shivalik Public School, Mohali and Prof. K. N. Pathak, Professor and Former Vice Chancellor, Punjab University, Chandigarh wished all the students a bright future, thanked the school for hosting the program.

### CELEBRATING INDIA'S SOVEREIGNTY

Shivalik Public School celebrated the 72nd Independence Day of India with utter zeal, fervour and exhilaration. The school campus, adorned with national flag, presented a euphoric ambience. At the very onset Director Mr.D.S.Bedi, hoisted the tri color amidst strains of National Anthem and took ceremonial salute at the March Past in the playground.

All the students marched every inch towards perfection personifying their march towards success, and achievement in real life. Thereafter the cultural celebrations shifted to the spruced up and decked up school auditorium. The auditorium was gladdened with the high-spirited stage



performances delivered by the students .on the day we commemorate the legacy of India's freedom fighters, whose message of non violence established a united, secular, republic and served to inspire leaders from around the globe. Since 1947,India has stood as a beacon for the world: as an economic power that prides innovation, as a resilient democracy in the face of terror. Furthermore, The colorful bonanza consisted of speeches, group songs, poems, mime, dances and skits which replicated the struggle and contribution made by our National heroes to earn India's sovereignty and Home-rule. Skits and role-plays lent a rip- roaring flavor whereas literary items reflected the feelings in a sought after yet relevant manner. Patriotic group songs and dances were also show cased. Everyone seemed to be swaying in the mixed emotions of joy, hope and pride. NCC contingent of the Shivalik students and the band Bhangra boys brought laurels to the school as they showcased impressive



performance at the District Level Independence Day Celebrations organized at the Govt. College Phase-6. They were bestowed with the commendations and the trophy. Shivalik students kept everyone attuned and grooving to the patriotic rhythm. Director, Shivalik Public Schools, Mr.D.S. Bedi commended the combined efforts of the students and teachers for presenting the wonderful show and emphasized the need of maintaining peace and communal harmony in the nation. The function which was a huge success ended with the singing of the National Anthem and distribution of sweets among the students.

### INTER-SHIVALIK SKIT COMPETITION :IGNITING STAGE WITH WIT & ACTING PROWESS

To encourage dramatic imagination and love for drama and theatre in the hearts of the students, Shivalik Public School, Mohali ,today, organized an "Inter-Shivalik Skit Competition" .The English skits were showcased in the auditorium of the School and Punjabi skits were well taken care of at the basement stage of the auditorium of the host school , i.e. Mohali branch. The skits highlighted social evils and how to make society a positive & better place to live in. The young brigade of the Shivalik Public Schools once again caught the rapt attention of the audience. The powerful performances of the budding actors transported the audience to the realm of the stage show. The day though was thoroughly



entertaining but it was also hugely successful in providing food for thought. Such is the power of effective use of stage. The topics for the event were carefully chosen and mirrored the concerns of the society at large. It was a novice experience. The participants presented a marvellous show sending out a strong message that moral values should be followed to strengthen good and healthy human life. Although, the event was competitive in nature, the thunderous applause that each team received by the gathering was testimony to the fact that each one of them was a winner, as all the plays had conveyed a powerful message. Children displayed

tremendous energy and enthusiasm in performing the event. The audience highly appreciated the performance of the participants and gave them a big hand after each item. The judges in their brief but impressive speech applauded the efforts of the schools and the performance of the child artists. They encouraged them to sharpen their intellect to achieve better and higher standards both in academics as well as in cultural activities. The respected Director, Shivalik Public Schools Mr D S Bedi applauded the efforts of the students and in his address added that such an event would go a long way in stimulating the importance of social harmony amongst the students.

Winners of the program would be bestowed with the certificates for their lively performance.

The result are as under:

LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

Category: III-V

SKIT: KING AND HIS DAUGHTERS

BEST EXPRESSION: Ravya (V-C)

BEST IN DIALOGUE DELIVERY: AnanyaAngra

BEST ACTOR (BOY): PriyanshuNailwal

BEST ACTOR (GIRL): AvniSaini (III-M)

BEST STAGE SETTING: The Emperor's Seed

BEST ATTIRE : Pukhraj Singh (V-A)

Category: VI-VIII

SKIT: MACBETH

**BEST EXPRESSION: Ananya**

**BEST IN DIALOGUE DELIVERY: HargunKaur**

**BEST ACTOR (BOY):Shashank**

**BEST ACTOR (GIRL): Kavya Sharma**

**BEST STAGE SETTING: Macbeth**

**BEST ATTIRE : Khushdeep**

**Category: IX-X**

**SKIT: Medical Fantasy**

**BEST EXPRESSION: GurmeharKaur**

**BEST IN DIALOGUE DELIVERY: IshitaPradhan**

**BEST ACTOR (BOY): Raghav Singh Pathania**

**BEST ACTOR (GIRL): Yashvi Singh (X-S)**

**BEST STAGE SETTING: Medical Fantasy**

**BEST ATTIRE : Tanveer Singh (IX-M)**

**LANGUAGE: HINDI**

**Category: III-V**

**SKIT: SatyaMarg**

**BEST EXPRESSION: Nachiket**



**BEST IN DIALOGUE DELIVERY: Neeraj Sharma**

**BEST ACTOR (BOY):Divyam**

**BEST ACTOR (GIRL):Stuti**

**BEST STAGE SETTING: Eidgah**

**BEST ATTIRE : Vidhil**

**Category: VI-VIII**

**SKIT: Social Media kajiwan par prabhav**

**BEST EXPRESSION: Parth Sharma**

**BEST IN DIALOGUE DELIVERY: Navkaran Singh**

**BEST ACTOR (BOY):HimashuSaini**

**BEST ACTOR (GIRL): SanjanaRana**

**BEST STAGE SETTING: Social Media kajiwan par prabhav**

**BEST ATTIRE : Lavneesh Sharma**

**Category: IX-X**

**SKIT: Chai Pani**

**BEST EXPRESSION: Sumit and Mritunjay**

**BEST IN DIALOGUE DELIVERY: Abhijeet**

**BEST ACTOR (BOY): Varun**

**BEST ACTOR (GIRL): Chetna**

**BEST STAGE SETTING: Mahatavkansha**

**BEST ATTIRE : Aditya Singh**

**LANGUAGE: PUNJABI**

**Category: III-V**

**SKIT: SO KYON MANDA AKHIYE**

**BEST EXPRESSION: Amritpal Singh (V-M)**

**BEST IN DIALOGUE DELIVERY: GurmannatKaur (SPS- 41)**

**BEST ACTOR (BOY):Harshanveer Singh (V-A)**

**BEST ACTOR (GIRL): MahiBrar (V-M)**

**BEST STAGE SETTING: So KyonMandaAkhiye**

**BEST ATTIRE : Takdeer Singh ( V-A)**

**Category: VI-VIII**

**SKIT: EHE A SAADA JEEVANA**

**BEST EXPRESSION: GurnoorKaur (VIII-B)**

**BEST IN DIALOGUE DELIVERY: Sukarman Singh**

**BEST ACTOR (BOY):Ayush (VII-S)**

**BEST ACTOR (GIRL): Antam Gill (VIII-S)**

**BEST STAGE SETTING: Ehe a saadaJeevana**

**BEST ATTIRE : Akashdeep Singh (VI-B)**

Category: IX-X

SKIT: Main Punjab BoldHaan

BEST EXPRESSION: KushseeratKaur

BEST IN DIALOGUE DELIVERY: Rajat (IX-B)

BEST ACTOR (BOY): Harsh (X-B)

BEST ACTOR (GIRL): Geetakshi(X-B)

BEST STAGE SETTING: Main Punjab BoldHaan

BEST ATTIRE : Sahiljot Singh (IX-M)

### NATIONAL SPORTS DAY

Shivalik Public School, Phase 6 Mohali celebrated National Sports day to commemorate the birth anniversary of the



hockey wizard Major Dhyan Chand on August 29,2018 to inculcate and develop the spirit of enthusiasm ,sportsmanship, comradeship and team work.



Various , activities and competitions were conducted which included Badminton, Carrom , Chess. Students actively participated in the competitions. Students were divided into three groups classes III-V,VI-VIII and IX &X and their results are as follows:

POSITION	BADMINTON GIRLS	BADMINTON(B OYS	CARROM(BOY S)	CARROM(BO YS)
FIRST	HARLEEN- V A	MONISH- V C	CHINTAN- V C	OM- V C
SECOND	NAVNEET -V A	SARIM-V A	NACHIKET- V C	MEET- V C



THIRD	SACHPREET-V			
	GUNTASS-V A	C		

POSITION	CHESS BOYS	CHESS GIRLS	BADMINTON (BOYS)	BADMINTON(BOYS)
FIRST	AYUSH- VII S	PALAK- VII M	AKASHVEER- VIII A	SUMRITA- VII M
SECOND	AMITAJ-VIII S	AKSHITA- VIII S	DAKHHVIR- VI M	HARKIRAT- VIII A
THIRD	VINEY-VIII S	GARIMA- VII S	AKSH GOEL-VIII S	NYSHAL- VII S

POSITION	CARROM BOYS	CARROM BOYS	CARROM BOYS	BADMINTON (BOYS)	CHESS (BOYS)
FIRST	GURDAN- VIII B	JASLEEN- VII S	ARUN-IX	BHATGAV- IX	TANVEER- IX
SECOND	KRISHNA- VI B	SANJANA- VIII S	ISHAAN-IX A	RAGHAV -IX	VISHVJIT- IX C
THIRD				ANKUSH-IX	YUVRAJ- IX C

## RHYME TIME

One of the best predictor of how well a kindergartner will learn to read, is if he knows his nursery rhymes. Rhyming is fun and it's a very important part of reading success.

Shivalik public school, Mohali, observed rhyme time for its kindergarten wing ,where the function started with the prayer in the all mighty's adulation .Children danced and sang and traversed all over the stage on different rhymes like 'boys and girls', 'everyday everyday', 'hello hello', 'hop a little ,jump a little', 'ten little fireman', 'farmer plant a seed' and so on.

Children were dressed up in beautiful white costumes and were made more resplendent by the starry crowns on their head. The rich and intricate decoration added to the charm of the occasion.



Concluding the show in a few words, Principal “Mrs. Anupkiran Kaur” further emphasized that such activities are encouraged asa part of our course curriculum and should be an integral part of every child's formative education.

All in all, it was an enjoyable and memorable day for our young innocent souls.

## ANNUAL SCIENCE, EVS AND MATHS EXHIBITION

In its initiative to promote participatory and hands-on learning in Science, Shivalik Public School, Mohali hosted its annual Science, EVS and Math Exhibition. The exhibition aimed at providing a common platform to the students to exhibit their innovative ideas and learn from a gamut of science and mathsenthusiasts present under one roof.

The students presented their exhibits under different sub-themes like structure of heart parts of flower, Pythagoras theorem, geometrical shapes and hydraulics etc. displaying an array of projects conceived by the young minds. The exhibits were well judged and were placed under different positions. In the end, the judges gave valuable inputsto the students and lauded



their exceptional efforts in presenting their projects. These exhibits were modeled to provide solutions to many present and future natural, environmental and other relatedproblems, particularly those confronted in the rural areas. The exhibits helped the students understanding and realizing the importance of integrating scientific ideas in daily lifesituations.

This exhibition culminated with the appreciating and motivating words of the Respected Director, Shivalik Public Schools, Mr D S Bedi highlighting the need of such efforts for the students .The judges were also given a Thanksgiving note for taking the time out and for judgingthe event with patience and grace. Worthy Principal Ms. Anupkiran Kaur n her address, emphasized upon theimportance of science in our daily lives and expressed her belief that it is the reason for our existencein today's day and age. She extolled the efforts of all those who worked tirelessly to give a toughcompetition to the others albeit learning a lot from their competitors.

The guest of the day interacted with the students and touched a chord in every heart. The young participantscould relate to his inspiring words. In his address, he said that science needs to be studied beyondcurriculum and requires inquisitive thinking minds. . After the valedictory ceremony, hevisited the shortlisted exhibits, acknowledging the enthusiasm and hard work of each participant andtheir vision illustrated in the models.

This exhibition witnessed much fanfare with young science enthusiasts giving a toughcompetition to one another. They left with a dream that the hues of science would help them have abetter understanding of the innovations they could venture into. The exchange



of ideas and thoughtsempowered the future torch bearers and they bid adieu with a hope to gather again to foster a hope tolearn more. The experience was enriching for one and all.

### TREE PLANTATION DRIVE BY NCC CADETS

“We make the world we live in and shape our own environment”

In order to strengthen the need to preserve nature and environment among the students, the NCC Cadets of Shivalik Public School participated in tree plantation drive on July 18, 2018 under the guidance of 3PB (I) NCC, Ropar. The occasion was graced by the Principal of the school, Mrs. AnupkiranKaur, Hav. Ramlal Prajapati, caretaker Mrs.Karamsheel and Mr. Jasbir Singh. The programme was arranged to create environmental awareness in the cadets.

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मोहाली | फेज-6 स्थित शिवालिक पब्लिक स्कूल के एनसीसी कैडेट्स की ओर से पौधे लगा कर पर्यावरण को बचाने और उसे संभालने का संदेश दिया।

### INVESTITURE CEREMONY

John F. Kennedy once said ‘Leadership & Learning are indispensable to one another.

The quality of a leader is reflected in the standards they set for themselves, for leadership is the capacity to translate vision into reality. A leader is not only a dealer in hope but also a visionary, a dreamer, an innovator, a mentor,an educator, an effective communicator and a facilitator. Shivalik Public School, Mohali, envisions the students to come ahead



and communicate ideas and thoughts which plays significant role in functioning of the school system. The school fosters leadership and co-ordination skills in portraying the child, not only as a student but also as a partner and contributes towards the growth of the school. The new academic session 2018-19 ushered the formation of a new Student Council Body with a

promising bunch of students with immense potential and outstanding leadership qualities imbued in them. The School bestowed the deserving young talents of the school with the responsibility of leading their school with commitment, confidence and competence. The investiture ceremony marked the inauguration of the student council for the academic session 2018-19. The showcase of an impressive Investiture Ceremony was conducted amidst an air of enthusiasm and anticipation. The last week saw selecting activity in the school auditorium. The selection process began with the naming of the students from X and XII classes for the appointment of the student council members under the able guidance of the Principal, Shivalik Public School, Mohali, Mrs Anupkiran Kaur who ensured a fair selection for the appointments of the school leaders and the captains of the four houses of the school, namely Pratap, Azad, Ranjit and Subhash. The selection of these students was based on their academic performance, creative abilities and their conduct. The day commenced with the rendition of the recitation of the school Shabad 'Deh Shiva Bar Mohelhe'. The programme of the one hour voyage commenced with the lighting of the lamp followed by a melodious chanting dedicated to the Goddess Saraswati.

A total of 14 new Student Council members were given their respective sashes and sworn in, beginning with the Head Boy, Rubal Raina (XII) and Head Girl, Asavari (XII), followed by Discipline Leader, Armaan Noor Singh Brar (XII), Activity Leader, Sakshi (X), Sports Leaders, Parth Bramta (XII) and Amreen (X). This was followed by oath taking ceremony for the various prestigious posts for the four Houses viz. Pratap, Azad, Ranjit and Subhash. Kunal Kansal and Bhavjot Kaur (Pratap House), Sumit Yadav and Noor Mehta (Azad House), Daksh and Yashvi Singh (Ranjit House), Abhijeet Dhaliwal and Chetna (Subhash House) were sworn in as House Captains for the four houses respectively. All the Council Body members & House Captains headed by Rubal Raina & Asavari promised to discharge their duties and responsibilities in the most upbeat and assiduous manner. The chief guest for the day was the Revered Director, Shivalik Public Schools, Mr D S Bedi, the dynamic leader who spearheads Shivalik scaling higher and higher, handed over the badges of responsibility and sashes of obligation to the new student council members. He, in his inspiring speech, advised children to become good human beings imbued with high moral values and positive attitude in their life and to focus on their mission which can

only be attained with clear vision. An oath of allegiance was administered to the student council members by him. He blessed the students with his prized words of motivation and encouragement. He gave the new cabinet members valuable tips on being successful leaders and progress in life through their ability.

Respected Director, Mr D S Bedi in his address said that leadership comes from integrity. Quoting examples from history, he exhorted the young leaders to be good human beings. The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Ms. Hardip Kaur. The programme was brought to a close with the singing of the national anthem.

### IN-SERVICE TEACHER TRAINING PROGRAMME

With the changing times, the responsibilities of a teacher are also growing. Therefore, it has become very important for teachers to hone their teaching skills now and then so that they can satisfy the curiosity of the enthusiastic students. For evolving such an important factor Shivalik Public School Phase VI, Mohali initiated its Annual INSET Programme which will continue from 28<sup>th</sup> May to 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2018 for around 300 teachers from all the branches of Shivalik Public School located in Chandigarh, Nawan Shehar, Patiala and Mohali. The programme aims at training the teachers to be adept with 21<sup>st</sup> century tools and teaching skills. The day began with the school prayer, thought of the day and moral story teaching the life skills. Yesterday's proceedings were well recapitulated before starting the day's session. Mr. D.S.Bedi, addressed the teachers with a motivating and inspiring message highlighting the fact that "If teachers don't act as learners, they cannot keep themselves abreast with the 21<sup>st</sup> century pedagogical developments". The second day of the programme has been very fruitful as Dr. Anupama Mankotya, from Oxford University Press, showcased quite an interactive and interesting learning session on "Being an effective teacher for 21<sup>st</sup> century." The faculty members of the Mohali branch also gave illuminating PowerPoint Presentations on the Digital tool and classrooms of 21<sup>st</sup> century. The afternoon session was headed by Mr.





Sandeep Sharma focusing on the need to “Learn, Unlearn and Relearn.” On the whole the day provided the teachers with a 21<sup>st</sup> century learner’s perspective to integrate digital technology within their classrooms. An interesting and enriching approach towards education was well progressed today.

### FANCY DRESS COMPETITION (III - V)

To inculcate and encourage the feelings of confidence and presentation among the students, Fancy Dress Competition was organized in Shivalik Public School, Mohali for classes III to V on May 24, 2018. The inactions comprised of many issues like female feticides, save girl child, injustice, save earth, importance of water, environmental pollution, famous personalities like Bhagat Singh, Subhas Chander Bose, Rani Laxmi Bai, donate eyes, donate blood, and over usage of technology like- facebook and whatsapp etc. It was a delight to watch the children as they came up and spoke about the characters they were dressed up as.



Winners of the competition were as follows:  
Class III winners were:

First Prize Winners – Avni, Diya, Mehak, Aditi, Harseerat Kaur  
Second Prize Winners – Aanya, Sarah, Ekampreet Kaur, Ritisha, Shaurya  
Third Prize Winners – Pratyush, Prabhjot, Advika, Gurleen, Sukhmanjot Singh  
Over all the Best – Diya

Class IV winners were:

First Prize Winners – Shreyasi Sajta, Himanshi, Anshil, Atulya  
Second Prize Winners – Prishita, Gurkirat, Shruti, yash  
Third Prize Winners – Natwarjot, Anushka Sharma, Anhad, Aradhya, Sehar, Aditya,

Sharin,

Aditi

*Over all the Best – Ananya*

Class V winners were:

First Prize Winners – Amrit Pal Singh, Kinjal, Harshaanvir, Aishvi Thakur, Nachiket

Second Prize Winners – Ravneet Kaur, Vansh Raina, Gurbaz Singh, Chavvi, Sana Nahar, Ravia

Third Prize Winners – Vaibhav, Parminder Singh, Jai, Sehajbir, Nimrat, Jasmeet, Mannat, Avni

*Overall- Ritika*

### SEMINAR ON THE IMPORTANCE OF PHILATELY

The Philately members of the Indian Post Office, from Sector 17 Head Office organized a seminar on the theme of “Stamps as a tool of education” in Shivalik Public School, Phase 6 Mohali. During the seminar Mr. Rakesh Walia a renowned Philatelist enlightened the students by sharing his knowledge and experiences in the area of Philately. He told the students about the collection and study of stamps through the Postal History. It was an informative and enriching session which inspired the students to develop the hobby of stamp collection. He shared how time after time the Postal Department has been launching stamps elucidating the rich and incredible culture and History of India along with stamps paying homage to the great Indian Leaders. The efforts of Sumit Yadav and Hetal Thakur of class IX were also appreciated as they were the winners of the scholarship worth rupees 6000 as they participated in the Philately Project under the Deen Dayal “SPARSH YOJANA: - 2017-18. The students were actively engaged in the session which included an interesting quiz based on Philately. As an encouragement students who answered correctly were awarded with special stamps which included – Abhi Kansal, Ayush Sharma, Ankita Pandey and Sumit Yadav. There was a magnificent display of a huge collection of rare stamps which fascinated the students. The students as well as the staff were captivated by the enthralling experience which gave them an opportunity to enhance their knowledge.



## WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY CELEBRATION

“Tobacco Companies Kill their Best Customers and Once You Start; It’s Hard to Stop...”

To highlight the health risks associated with tobacco use, WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY, designated by the World Health Organization is observed every year . In sync with the directives of CBSE to generate awareness on this issue, the NSS volunteers of the school , started the Anti Tobacco Campaign under the able guidance of respected Principal, Shivalik Public School, Mrs Anupkiran Kaur .The students were explained the harmful effects of smoking and other tobacco products through various videos and presentations. An Essay Writing Competition was organized for the students of Classes XI and XII on the theme – TOBACCO KILLS on May 25, 2018. The students articulated their thoughts and emotions well and presented thought provoking write-ups on the theme. Not only the Poster Making and Essay Writing, but the NSS volunteers of the classes XI and XII also formulated report writing with the broad theme – MEDIA AND TOBACCO : HOW THEY GET THE MESSAGE ACROSS.

A Special Morning Assembly was organized on May 25, 2018 where the focus was on creating awareness among the students and teachers on the use of tobacco products. An informative talk was also given , wherein some statistics were shared about the tobacco use in India along with what really tobacco is, its effects on the nervous system, its physical effects and its effects on our academics and social life.

The Principal of the school complemented the students by adding that Shivalik Public School, Mohali students took up this mammoth task on their shoulders to fight this deadly menace which is gnawing at the vitals of our society. Se said, “Everyone should take an Oath to create awareness about the ill-effects of tobacco consumption.” The Assembly closed on a promising note with a SIGNATURE CAMPAIGN. The response of the students was overwhelming. This will be one drop in the ocean to create aware and empowered adolescents who will be prepared to combat this devil of tobacco use with ease. The Campaign contributed in spreading awareness against the use of tobacco.



## WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY CELEBRATION

Environment is very important existence of the living beings. To emphasize the need and to create the awareness among the students World Environment Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm and concern by the Eco Club volunteers of Shivalik Public School, Mohali. Students took out the rally in the periphery of the school. They held the banners in the or hands and raised the slogans and displayed posters showcasing their mission to reach people around to apprise them with Go Green Theme. Respected Principal, Ms.Anupkiran Kaur interacted with the students and shared her feelings about the threats to the environment . In addition, the Eco Club also organized Poster making , Hand- out making and slogan writing competition . Students enjoyed the activity understanding the importance of 3R'S- Reduce, Reuse, Recycle. The students also expressed their involvement in saying No to the Plastic". The Principal complimented the efforts of the Club members and usage them to work more for the betterment of the planet earth.



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## NATIONAL TECHNOLOGY DAY

Shivalik Public School, Phase VI, Mohali celebrated the National Technology Day on 16th May, 2018 in order to acquaint the students with 21 st century tools and technology. Inter Shivalik Technology based competitions were organised in the school wherein different branches of Shivalik Public School were invited.It included a number of theme based competitions for classes III to VIII like TuxPaint - IPL, Ms Word Poster Making -Common Wealth Games, MS





Word Article writing -Gender Equality , On the spot PPT Making-21st century educational tools, Power Point Presentation-Offline to Online Technology and Cyber security, blog creation - ICT Transforming Life. The students learnt how technology has revolutionised the world and globally connected us. students.

In the Tux Paint category Avni won the 1st prize, Arnav Gupta and Bhavik of class III won the 2nd and 3rd prize. In MS Word Poster Making Competition Aarav Baliyar, Mohammad Riaz and Manreet Kaur won the 1st, 2nd and 3rd positions respectively. In Monologue Theme: IT Mobile APPS category Nachiket Pathani stood 1st, Eishvi Thakur and Lakshya Verma stood 2nd and 3rd respectively. In MS WORD ARTICLE WRITING-GENDER EQUALITY competition Mishthi Piplani stood 1st, Divyanshi and Nehal stood 2nd and 3rd respectively. PPT Making-21ST Century Education Tools Competition Lizza stood 1st, Divnain and Kapish stood 2nd and 3rd. In Powerpoint Presentation - Offline to Online Technology Category Hargun & Avishi stood 1st, Abhilasha & Khushi stood 2nd and Drishti & Antam stood 3rd. In Powerpoint Presentation - Information Security competition Tanveer & Shivank stood 1st, Nandita & Samridhi stood 2nd and Varun & Harmilap stood 3rd. In Blog Creation -ICT Transforming Life competition Lakshay stood 1st, Abhishek and Piyush stood 2nd and 3rd respectively. The School Principal Mrs. Anupkiran Kaur congratulated the winners and appreciated the efforts made by the students. The students were encouraged to use more and more technology and be 21st century learners. students.

### MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

The primary wing of Shivalik Public School, Mohali celebrated Mother's Day today at the school premises. To mark the celebration fun filled activities were arranged for the mother's.



The students prepared special cards to show their love, respect and appreciation for them. Mothers enjoyed playing Antakshri, tongue twister and many more exciting games were played. All the mothers participated enthusiastically and it was a pleasure watching the super

excited moms with their dynamic performances. At last the worthy Principal Ms.AnupkiranKaur wished all the mothers a very “ Happy and Healthy” mother’s day.

## ORIENTATION FOR THE PARENTS OF SENIOR SCHOOL

### (XI-XII) STUDENTS

Shivalik truly believes that the school shares a common treasure with the parents - the child. In pursuance of its commitment to excellence in education and seeking the partnership as well as collaborative participation of parents, the Annual Orientation Programme for parents of classes XI - XII students was held in Shivalik Public School, Mohali on 28th April 2018 in the school auditorium under the able guidance of our Revered Director, Mr D S Bedi. The programme also aimed at to acquaint them with the different evaluation patterns set by CBSE for XI -XII. In the welcome address, the parents were explained how every brick and building block of the school has risen out of its

Managing Director, Mr D S Bedi's commitment to the cause of education and deep concern for the welfare and well-being of each Shivalik child. In order to allay all parental doubts and in anticipation of the usual parental queries, the parents were thoroughly acquainted with the routine of curriculum, school rules, marking schemes



board exams’ different subjects through well prepared PPTs. Ms. Daisy, provided the parents with an Insight on school curriculum.. Another segment of Orientation Programme was counselling tips well handled by the school counsellor. The importance of time management was also discussed. The orientation was successful in its objective as the parents became aware of the different tools used in the assessment procedure and also learnt about the key areas in which a child's evaluation is to be carried out. Through the PPT, teachers further outlined the broad categories which constituted the health tips, adolescence psychology etc. The parents were guided about the experiential and thematic curriculum that is being followed in Senior Secondary to ensure the wholesome and holistic development of each

student. The parents displayed their keen interest in parenting tips which can help them in overcoming the stress and anxiety among the students & cope up with challenging environment for the students. This is a transitional stage which the parents need to understand & accept that change is a developmental phenomenon.

The vote of thanks was proposed by the principal of the school by complementing the parents for sparing their valuable time for their children. In the concluding address, Mrs AnupkiranKaur, The Principal, Shivalik Public School, Mohali, emphasized upon the pivotal role played by parents in the upbringing of children and in helping them to tide over the cares and concerns related to adolescence. Overall, it was quite satisfying experience for the parents as they were provided with the detailed information related to the Senior Secondary classes.

### WORLD EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

Today the Eco club members of the Shivalik Public School Mohali congregated in the state the art auditorium to commemorate the Earth Day.

celebrations took a befitting start with the recitation of the school shabad by the enthusiastic students. It was followed by the thought of the day depicting the concern of students towards the mother earth. Almost an hour long function included a perfect blend of presentations, poetic recitation, speeches and a teacher talk. Each and every aspect of the program was very well organized and well practised. At the end of the celebrations, the Principal of the school, Mrs AnupkiranKaur administered the pledge of allegiance to the students to work wholeheartedly for taking care of the planet as it is echoing for the help of its inhabitants



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The Green ambassadors pledged to work in an environment friendly manner which includes

usage of paper bags, steel lunch boxes, water management, saving electricity and other activities.

The activity ended with the singing of the national anthem.

In overall, it was a fruitful day in Shivalik.

### WORLD BOOK DAY

Shivalik Public School Phase VI, Mohali celebrated Library week to commemorate World Book Day. The school aim to building a global community that reads and writes together . Keeping this in mind many activities were organized for students. book exhibition was organized for four days to



browse books for classes III- VIII. The school organized a special assembly for classes VI and VIII focusing on inculcation of reading habit among the students. This was followed by a discussion on benefits of reading . Student administered a pledge to become avid reader and add reading to their daily routine. A number of activities were conducted on this occasion – Book mark making competition for classes I- V. Poster making, slogan writing , book jackets, Information Hunting and book review competition were also organized for classes VI – VIII. The children came first in each activity were Class VI- Ananya, Samriti, Munisha, class VII- Urmila, Bikram, Divnain, VIII- Gurnoor, Sahilpreet Singh, Chetna, Shiny. The main aim of the celebration was to encourage children to explore pleasures of books and gaining new experiences.

### SHIVALIK PUBLIC SCHOOL, MOHALI CELEBRATES ITS 48TH FOUNDER'S DAY AND BSAKHI WITH GREAT POMP AND SHOW

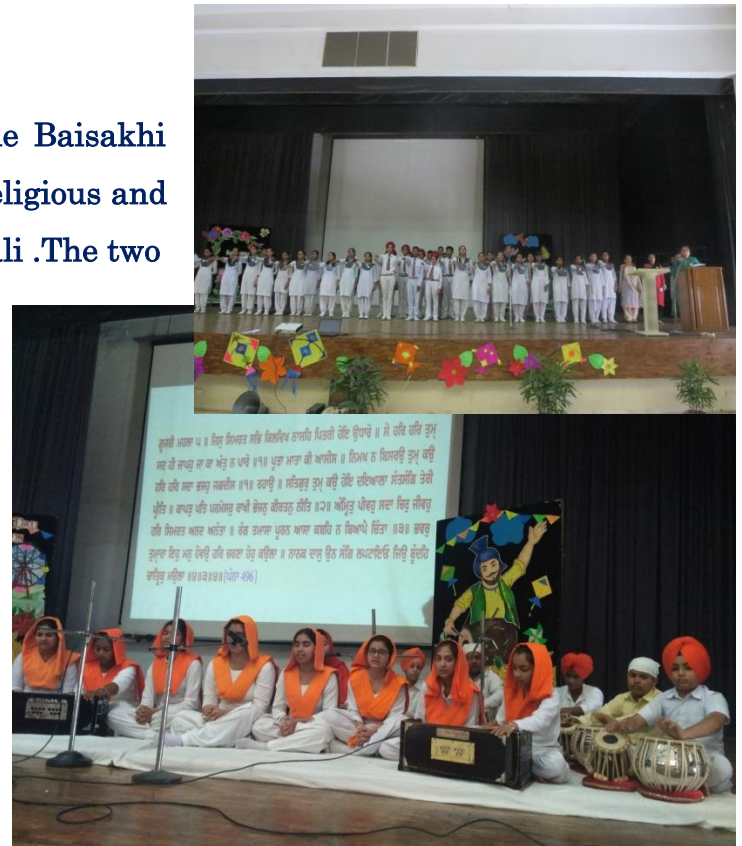


Today, the 48th Founder's Day along with the Baisakhi festival was celebrated with a mixed blend of religious and cultural fervour at Shivalik Public School Mohali .The two

fold amusement for Shivalikians gave them unforgettable memories of the day. The entire school was tastefully

decorated with charts, buntings made by the students. This gave the school premises, a festive look with the compound decorated with items depicting the heritage of Punjab. The staff and the students were dressed tastefully for the occasion. The revelries of the

day began in the school Gurudwara Sahib with the Bhog ceremony of the Akhand Path of Guru Granth Sahib Ji. 'Prashad' was served to the congregation after the ardaas. Then the venue of the merriments shifted to the state of the art, the school auditorium where the concluding part of the religious function commenced with the recitation of the school shabad'Deh Shiva....'. This was followed with the Sangrand celebrations of the month 'Vaisakh'. The Punjabi language teacher explained its meaning very well for making the students understand the significance of the current month.The Punjabi faculty explained to the students about the importance of the day. She explained how the tenth Guru of Sikhs Guru Gobind Singh Ji created KhalsaPanth at ShriAnandpur Sahib to fight against the injustice and to protect the weaker sections from the atrocities of the tyrant rulers of those times. The 'KirtaniJatha' of the Hazoori Ragis and students recited Shabads which swayed everybodyto the bliss of the divine world. Then speeches, poetic recitations and the power point presentations were elucidated by the language teacher and the students who expressed their sentiments on the historical importance of the Baisakhi Day. In the second segment of the function, the students of the school presented a colourful cultural program highlighting the importance of the day. The motive behind the celebrations was to apprise the children of their rich culture and heritage. This culturalbonanza included speeches, poetic recitations,songs,dances and the power point presentations which highlighted the



accomplishments made by the Shivalikians in different spheres of life. Each and every performance had an elegance of its own. A presentation exhibited the strides taken by the school since its establishment 48 years back. The two hour long function concluded with the foot tapping Punjabi



Dance 'Aayee Baisakhi' (Bhangra) a celebration which is symbol of Baisakhi, the harvest season. The students attired in traditional dress performed it exceptionally well. Dhol beats and Punjabi folk music added to the excitement and compelled the audience to get ecstatic. The well organised festivities were well complemented with the address of the Director of the school. The Director, Shivalik Public Schools, Mr D S Bedi wished everybody Happy Baisakhi and Founder's Day. Cherishing the memories of Founder's Day he added that foundation stone of Shivalik was laid 48 years ago on this day by five students amidst recitation of Gurbani. Since then this prestigious institution has endeavoured to channelize the energy and the creativity of young minds towards their overall development and perfection. He appraised students and staff members for their efforts and motivated the students to follow the path of truth and moral values. He conveyed his best wishes to all. The curtain on the function came down with the singing of the National Anthem.