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Events from April 2021 to June 2021

COMMENCEMENT OF NEW ACADEMIC SESSION

With the commencement of another academic year 2021-22, Sant Nirankari Public School, Faridabad welcomed the students whose long awaited tender steps entered the campus with great zeal and zest to unveil the beginning of the new session. After a year of silent hallways and empty classrooms, it was a delight to welcome all of our students back into the building. It was really quite wonderful to see shining eyes peeking over the tops of masks, as students arrived ready for the new school year.

Ms. Lakshmi Ragavan(TGT), addressed the students and welcomed them with words of wisdom and motivation. She gave valuable tips to make the new beginning a disciplined and joyful learning experience. She also educated students about safe health practices and how to follow the guidelines during the pandemic like wearing masks, handwashing, directional flow in hallways, physical distancing etc.

In view of Covid-19, school started new academic session virtually for Classes up to V and on alternate days for students of classes VI and VII.

13th April 2021

BAISAKHI CELEBRATION

Festivals bring joy and happiness. Baisakhi is an important harvest festival of Punjab that has religious value as well. Sant Nirankari Public School, Faridabad celebrated this day with fervour. The school arranged various activities such as:

- **For class 1 & 2**
Dress and talk activity
- **For class 3 - 5**
Making Pakhi (Indian hand fan) and Kalgi
- **For class 6-8**
Kite decoration and Sikhi paper doll chain.



These engaging and fun filled activities were planned in such a manner that students felt connected to each other and to the nation. The motive behind the celebrations was to make students aware of the importance of this festival and apprise them of their rich culture and heritage.

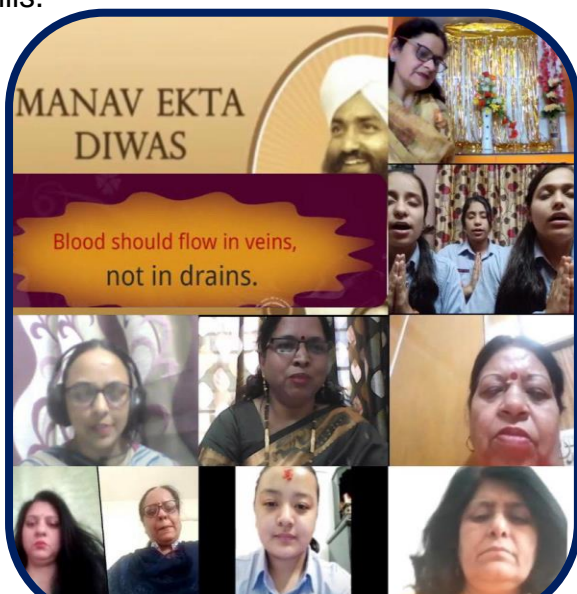
22nd April 2021 EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

Towards a Cleaner and Greener Earth

Amid the COVID-19 global pandemic, Earth Day 2021 Celebration was conducted by SNPS Faridabad on the digital platform for classes I to XII. Beginning the academic day with a Pledge in online classes, various activities were conducted like

- Making bags out of old newspapers.
- Dressing up for Earth day (I-II)
- Watering the plants or planting plants (III -V)
- Making a sun catcher using waste paper and stings (VI-VIII)
- Making a bird feeder using waste cartons etc. (IX-XII)

Students showcased their artistic and intellectual skills.



24th April 2021 MANAV EKTA DIWAS CELEBRATION

24th April is observed as Manav Ekta Diwas or Human Unity Diwas in Sant Nirankari Mission every year. Baba Gurbachan Singh ji Maharaj laid down his life to advocate the cause of unity, harmony and universal brotherhood on April 24, 1980.

Sant Nirankari Public School, Faridabad celebrated Manav Ekta Diwas in remembrance of the lives and sacrifices of all saints and sages including the supreme sacrifice of Baba Gurbachan Singh Ji. The programme started with the shabad by the students of class IX and X. **Ms. Lakshmi Ragavan(TGT)** delivered a speech in which she highlighted the significance of this day in the history of Nirankari Mission. The occasion was filled with devotional songs performed by the students and various inspirational speeches encouraging all to take inspiration from Baba Gurbachan Singh Ji's practical approach to create one universal human family. The students touched the hearts of all attendees with their performance. **Alisha of class IX-C** talked about the blood donation campaigns organized by Sant Nirankari Mission in different countries of the world. According to divine expressions of Babaji's Holiness, "**blood is to flow in veins and not in drains**". The programme concluded with a beautiful poem recited by **Ms. Rita Marwaha(PRT)** in which she persuaded students to preach the values of unity and spread the message of peaceful co-existence, love and harmony.

9th May 2021

MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

“A Mother is she who can take the place of all others, but whose place no one else can take”

Mother's day is a special day, for all children and mothers as, it celebrates the bond of love and affection that is everlasting. Mothers are the emotional backbone of the family, who have the magic touch to heal all wounds and make all things beautiful.

"Never would have thought a life without mother. And surely this lockdown has made us to respect you all the more." So this is how the students of Sant Nirankari Public School, Faridabad extended heartfelt thanks to their respective mothers. Various activities had been organized for all classes, in which the students participated with great enthusiasm.

The students of classes IX to XII participated in writing a letter to their mothers. They also made a gift for her and wrap it in a unique way by exhibiting their creativity. All the students participated in these activities with great enthusiasm. They wrote very emotional and touching letters to their Moms. The hand-made gifts were extra-ordinary piece of art.

The activity for the students of classes VI to VIII was to dress up themselves in party attire and make a video with their mothers by sharing a beautiful message. The students gave amazing performances and filled the air with heart-warming feelings of love, gratitude and appreciation.

The students from I to V made beautiful cards by using their creativity to bring a smile on their beloved mother's face. Mothers would definitely be thrilled by getting a little token of love made by their kids.



The common activity for all the students from I to XII was to 'cook n serve' where the students were engaged in cookery activities and were asked to cook something special for their mom. They were also encouraged for a duet dance performance with their mothers. They displayed a lot of zeal for the same. These activities exalted the mother as God, teacher, friend, philosopher and guide. It also emphasized the truth that a mother's love for her child is incomparable.

13th May 2021

SAMARPAN DIWAS

**"It seems that nothing has been talked about, More than God. Yet,
few care to realise Him."**

Samarpan Diwas reminds us His Holiness Satguru Baba Hardev Singh Ji Maharaj's highest contribution and the deepest impression; he has left in the life of millions. He envisioned us to lead a life full of devotion, embellished with love and being in total unison with the formless Nirankar. The efforts of the Mission, under His guidance, received recognition by the UN as being granted Consultative Status on their Social and Economic Council. He believed that it is through spiritual awakening only that humankind can perceive its true existence and in realm of which man made differences eradicate. Once, one rises above these differences, Oneness

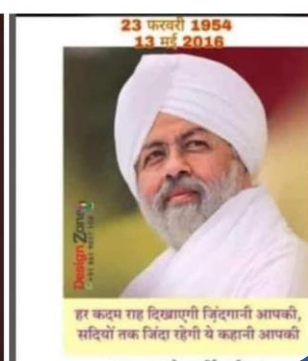
sets in and hatred, prejudice, enmity give in to love, peace, amity and one treads on the path of Universal Brotherhood under Fatherhood of One God. Baba Ji stood committed towards service of humanity by encouraging blood donation drives, tree plantation, cleanliness drives, health awareness camps, women empowerment programmes, vocational and career guidance centres etc.

This year too when the world around is going through so many challenges and stressful times, the students of Sant Nirankari Public School, Faridabad paid a tribute to the Love personified Lord Master His Holiness Baba Hardev Singh ji. His teachings had been recollected on this day and his life video had been shown to the students to learn from his life. A documentary was also shared with the students in their respective class groups depicting the life, teachings and guidance of Babaji. Ms. Reema Chandna recited a remarkable poem in reminiscence of Babaji.

Baba Hardev Singh Ji Maharaj devoted his whole life to fulfill the dream of setting up "**World Peace and Universal Brotherhood of Mankind**". To achieve this objective, He enlightened mankind with the Divine God-Knowledge, all through the 36 years when he headed the Sant Nirankari Mission.

His life and His teachings can never ever be forgotten by the innumerable devotees, who were bestowed and touched with His kindness and guidance. His indelible imprints will be followed with honour and dedication by each and every member of the Nirankari Family.

A Humble Tribute to an epitome of Love, Compassion, Humility and Tolerance His Holiness Baba Hardev Singh Ji Maharaj, 13th May is being marked as "SAMARPAN DIWAS" all across the world under the HOLY AEGIS of HER HOLINESS SATGURU MATA SUDIKSHASAVINDER HARDEV JI MAHARAJ.



5th June, 2021

ENVIRONMENT DAY

World Environment Day is observed on June 5 every year. The purpose of World Environment Day is to spread awareness about the threat to the environment due to rising pollution levels and climate change.

The theme of 47th World Environment Day is Ecosystem Restoration as tackling climate change, and the loss of species is crucial to the restoration of ecosystems. In 1987, the UN decided to rotate the host country for the celebrations of this day.

World Environment Day is a reminder for us to pause and reflect on our actions and their subsequent consequences on the planet.

Ecosystem restoration means undoing the damages caused to the environment by humans and to save Earth.

It was celebrated with enthusiasm; wherein various activities were designed for students to perform from their homes thus



keeping them aware of the environment issues. Tiny tots enjoyed playing online Nature scavenger games and recited poems on Nature. Poster making and slogan writing activities were organized for classes I to V to sensitize them to the issues of climate change, deterioration of natural resources, etc. The activities helped the children hone their creative skills.



20th June 2021

FATHER'S DAY

Father's Day is a celebration honoring fathers and celebrating fatherhood, paternal bonds, and the influence of fathers in society. A dad is someone who wants to catch you before you fall but instead picks you up, brushes you off, and lets you try again.



A dad is someone who wants to keep you from making mistakes but instead let you find your own way, even though his heart breaks in silence when you get hurt. A dad is someone who holds you when you cry, scolds you when you break the rules, shines with pride when you succeed, and has faith in you even when you fail..."

To celebrate this day, we at Sant Nirankari Public School, Faridabad organized various events for our primary classes. They too actively participated in it for making their father feel special on this day. Be it card making or making crowns for their father or cooking their father's favourite dish they all came up with their own unique way of celebrating this day.



21st June 2021

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

Since its inception in the year 2015, June 21st is celebrated as The International Day of Yoga all over the world. This idea was proposed by our Prime Minister, Mr. Narendra

Modi. He said, "Yoga is an invaluable gift of India's ancient tradition. It embodies unity of mind and body; thought and action; restraint and fulfillment; harmony between man and nature; a holistic approach to health and well-being. It is not about exercise but to discover the sense of oneness with yourself, the world, and the nature. By changing our lifestyle and creating consciousness, it can help in well-being."

At Sant Nirankari Public School, we virtually celebrated this day with great pomp and show.



Students performed different yoga asanas and were even told about the importance of yoga in our lives.

Regular practice of yoga will surely help our students achieve a better life, physically, mentally, and spiritually as well.

INCREDIBLE TALENT

Gratitude- Beautiful Voyage - Amrita Sharma (TGT)

Thank you O' Lord my master
For these beautiful lives
Thank you for precious relations
Be friends, family or relatives.

Why do I rue or curse
When everything is in your care
Why do I moan or whine
When you are on my side
Why do I worry or be apprehensive
When you are for amelioration

O' my companion, O' my friend
Enjoy the time whatever you have
Enjoy each moment wherever you
can

O' my comrade, Come, Let's go
Let's move on this beautiful voyage
Full of Love, peace & pleasure
Where there're no worries &
complaints
Where Heart is full of comfort and
compassion
Where there's no place for attitude
Where there's only the Gratitude.

TALENT AND TACT

Talent is power, Tact is Skill

Talent is Weight, Tact is Momentum

Talent known What to do, Tact known how To
Do

Talent makes man respectable; Tact makes him
acceptable.

By Deepanshi Class VIII A

MY INDIA

Goa for Beauty;

Delhi for Duty.

Punjab for Fighters;

Bengal for Writers.

Kashmir for lakes;

Andaman for quakes.

Tamil Nadu for Temples;

Himachal for apples.

Keral for weavers;

Tripura for workers.

Bihar for mines;

Sikkim for pines.

Nagaland for hills;

U.P. for skills.

Haryana for Milk;

Mysore for silk.

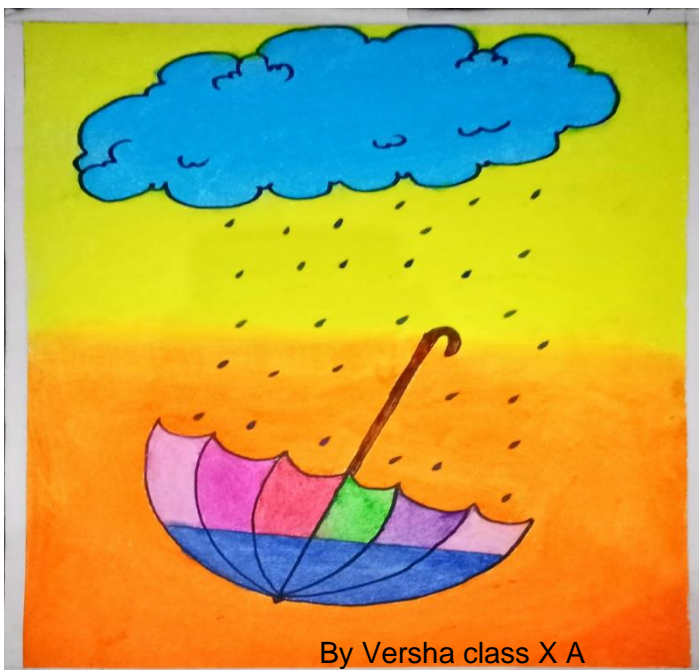
Rajasthan for desert;

Maharashtra for Dessert.

Aligarh for locks;

Ludhiana for socks.

By Komya Verma class VIII B



By Versha class X A



By Anshika Soni class LKG A

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