



Dr. Anupama Mishra Principal



Dear Sunbeam Varuna Family, In the realm of education, where minds are likened to flames awaiting ignition rather than vessels to be filled, I extend my heartfelt gratitude to the dedicated staff and students of Sunbeam School Varuna. Their unwavering commitment to fostering an enriching atmosphere, where ideas are not only encouraged but flourish, deserves commendation. As we traverse the intricate journey of learning, it becomes evident that the expression of thoughts is paramount. Our school transcends traditional boundaries, embracing a holistic approach to education that nurtures intellectual, emotional, and social growth in every student. Amidst the ever-changing landscape of education, Sunbeam School Varuna stands as a beacon of adaptability. We gracefully embrace change, guided by foresight, and adjust our methods to align with the evolving needs of our students and the educational community at large. Our dedication extends beyond academic excellence to instilling moral values and principles, fostering character development alongside intellectual growth. At the heart of our endeavors lies the profound responsibility of guiding students to become conscientious and compassionate citizens. Beyond mere academic achievements, our focus is on equipping them with the resilience, integrity, and sense of purpose necessary to navigate life's challenges with confidence and determination. As we continue this journey of cultivating brilliance and compassion, let us unite in celebrating the enduring values that define Sunbeam School Varuna. May our school always serve as an inspiration, where every learner discovers the joy and depth of lifelong learning.

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Film making at Good Cinema Festival



We are delighted to share the exciting news of our students' participation in the Good Cinema Festival, hosted at Sunbeam Suncity. The festival provided a captivating platform for our students to delve into the enchanting world of film making, where they not only gained valuable skills but also explored meaningful storytelling. The event commenced with an inspiring inaugural ceremony, setting the tone for an enriching cinematic journey ahead. Our students actively participated in various workshops and activities, where they honed their storytelling abilities and learned essential

techniques of film making. As part of their immersive experience, our students had the opportunity to watch a selection of award-winning movies that shed light on real-life societal issues. From Majidi's poignant masterpiece, **'The Blue Girl'**, to the compelling narrative of 'Birds of Passage' from Belgium and France, each film left a profound impact on our students, inspiring them to reflect and engage with the world around them. We are immensely proud of our students for embracing this unique opportunity and delving into the art of film making with enthusiasm and creativity. Their participation in the Good Cinema Festival exemplifies our school's commitment to providing holistic education and nurturing talent beyond the classroom. Let us continue to support and encourage our students as they embark on their artistic endeavors, striving to make a positive impact through their creativity and storytelling.

Storytelling Session with Renowned Storyteller Ms. Renu Chamarty

We are thrilled to share the delightful experience our students of classes IV and V had during a captivating storytelling session hosted by the esteemed **Ms. Renu Chamarty**, a renowned storyteller and puppeteer. Ms. Chamarty's storytelling session took our students on a magical journey filled with adventure, imagination, and important life lessons. Through her captivating narrative, she effortlessly wove together tales that kept our young audience fully engaged and enthralled from start to finish. What truly made this event special was the active participation of our students. Ms. Chamarty's storytelling was not only enthralling but

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also interactive, ensuring that every student was fully immersed in the experience. The use of puppets added an extra layer of enchantment to the stories, making the session even more captivating and memorable. Ms. Renu Chamarty's exceptional storytelling skills were on full display, effortlessly bringing the stories to life and transporting the students into the heart of the action. It was an experience that left a lasting impression on everyone present, fostering a love for storytelling and creativity among the young minds at Sunbeam School Varuna. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Ms. Renu Chamarty for sharing her talent and inspiring our students with her enchanting stories. Such experiences enrich our students' learning journey and contribute to their holistic development. Let us continue to nurture and encourage the creative spirit within our students, providing them with opportunities to explore, imagine, and learn in unique and exciting ways.

PROTSAHAN - 2024 : Celebrating Excellence

We are thrilled to share the highlights of our mega Annual Prize Distribution Ceremony, PROTSAHAN-2024, where we celebrated the remarkable achievements of our young stars from the Sunbeam Group of Educational Institutions. The event, held amidst a gala fanfare at Ninaad in Sunbeam School, Varuna, on April 13th, 2024, was a testament to the dedication, hard work, and excellence exhibited by our students throughout the session 2023-24. The ceremony honored our Super Achievers from all fields of excellence, including academics, co-curricular activities and sports. It was a joyous occasion as we applauded the outstanding accomplishments of our students and celebrated their commitment to excellence. We were privileged to have the dynamic edupreneur, Mr. Shikhar Malhotra, CEO of HCL Healthcare, Chairman of Shiv Nadar School and Chancellor of Shiv Nadar Institute of Eminence, as our Chief Guest for the ceremony. His presence added great prestige and inspiration to the event, inspiring our students to reach greater heights in their pursuits. Here are a few glimpses from the event : [Include images or descriptions of some of the highlights from the ceremony, such as students receiving awards, performances, speeches, etc.] The Annual Prize Distribution Ceremony, PROTSAHAN-2024, was a memorable and uplifting event, where we celebrated the spirit of excellence and achievement within our Sunbeam family. We extend our heartfelt congratulations to all the award recipients and commend them for their hard work, dedication, and perseverance. We also express our gratitude to all the parents, teachers, and staff members whose unwavering support and guidance have played a pivotal role in nurturing the talents and abilities of our students. Let us continue to inspire and empower our students to pursue their dreams and aspirations with passion and determination.





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Empowering Students for Success : CUET



We are excited to share the enriching session conducted for our Class XII students (Science, Commerce & Humanities streams) on the Common Universities Entrance Test (CUET). This session, led by Mr. Sandeep Sethi, provided valuable insights into the importance, syllabus, and process of CUET, equipping our students with essential knowledge and guidance for their future academic endeavors. Mr. Sandeep Sethi expertly apprised our students about the significance of CUET and elaborated on its syllabus and examination process. His informative session empowered our students with the necessary tools and strategies to prepare effectively for this crucial entrance test. Additionally, we were honored to have the Director of Sunbeam Group of Educational Institutions, Ms. Amrita Burman, grace the session with her presence. Ms. Burman emphasized the importance of regular hours of study and consistency in achieving success in any desired area. Her insightful words of wisdom resonated with our students, inspiring them to strive for excellence with dedication and perseverance. As a school committed to providing holistic education and preparing our students for future challenges, sessions like these play a vital role in guiding and supporting our students on their academic journey. We extend our sincere appreciation to Mr. Sandeep Sethi and Ms. Amrita Burman for their invaluable contributions to the success of this session. Their expertise and guidance are instrumental in shaping the academic and personal growth of our students. Let us continue to empower and inspire our students to excel academically and pursue their aspirations with confidence and determination.

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Empowering Youth :

- Self-Esteem
- Impression Benefit



We are thrilled to share the highlights of a thoughtprovoking session conducted by Mr. Sandeep Mukherjee, C.O.O. Administration and Finance, Sunbeam Group of Educational Institutions, for our students of classes VIII & IX. The session focused on the intriguing concepts of impression management and self-esteem, which have been chosen as our Target Words of the Year. Mr. Mukherjee elucidated how impression management and self-esteem are interconnected and play a pivotal role in personal and professional development. Through engaging discussions, he emphasized the significance of understanding and applying these principles in everyday life. The session shed light on how mastering impression management techniques can empower individuals to make a positive impact on their social health, mental well-being, and career progression. Similarly, nurturing self-esteem fosters confidence, resilience, and a sense of self-worth, essential qualities for success in various aspects of life.Students actively participated in the session, expressing their queries and concerns. Mr. Mukherjee addressed their questions with clarity and insight, leaving them convinced and inspired to incorporate these concepts into their lives.Overall, the session proved to be enriching for everyone involved, providing valuable insights and guidance for personal growth and development. We extend our gratitude to Mr. Sandeep Mukherjee for his expertise and engaging session, which has undoubtedly left a positive impact on our students.Let us continue to empower our youth with knowledge and skills that will enable them to navigate life's challenges with confidence and resilience.

Dharohar Gujarat 2024

We are delighted to present the highlights of Dharohar Gujarat 2024, a celebration of Gujarat's rich cultural heritage and traditions, hosted at MJS Hall, Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya. The opening ceremony commenced with great fervor and pride as our students showcased their school spirit through flag-bearing marches. We were honored to have Mr. Umang Hutheesing as the Guest of Honour, who delivered an inspiring presentation titled "From Indus Valley to Viksit Bharat," highlighting Gujarat's profound cultural legacy. Throughout the day, various events unfolded, each resonating with melodious tunes and artistic expressions. Gujarati Sugam Sangeet solo performances, Mata Ni Pachedi and Lippan Art captivated the audience with their beauty and intricacy. Additionally, embroidery and Ajrakh block painting sessions added a creative flair to the festivities, showcasing the artistic talents of our students. In the evening, the Gujrati Folk Dance took center stage, mesmerizing the audience with vibrant displays of energy and cultural essence. The day concluded with a lively dinner at the badminton court, where Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya students enchanted everyone with their melodious songs and an engaging open mic session, making the first day of Dharohar Gujarat 2024 truly memorable. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all the participants, organizers, and guests who contributed to the success of Dharohar Gujarat 2024. Your enthusiasm and dedication have truly brought the spirit of Gujarat to life within our school community. Let us continue to celebrate and preserve our cultural heritage, fostering a sense of pride and unity among our students.



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Star Gazing @Varuna





We are excited to share the highlights of a captivating Star Gazing Activity conducted at Varuna, where our KG II students embarked on an unforgettable journey through the cosmos. The Star Gazing Activity combined hands-on exploration with creative expression, providing our young learners with a unique and engaging experience. Donning costumes resembling celestial bodies, our students immersed themselves in the wonders of the universe, igniting their curiosity and imagination. Under the guidance of our dedicated teachers, students had the opportunity to observe the moon through telescopes, marveling at its beauty and mysterious allure. This hands-on approach allowed them to develop a deeper appreciation for the vastness of space and the joy of discovery. The activity not only fostered a sense of wonder and curiosity but also

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encouraged creative expression as students dressed up as stars, planets, and galaxies. Through imaginative play, they embodied the celestial bodies they had learned about, further enhancing their understanding of the cosmos. We believe that experiences like the Star Gazing Activity are essential for nurturing a love for science and exploration from a young age. By providing opportunities for hands-on learning and creative expression, we inspire our students to dream big and reach for the stars. We extend our gratitude to all the teachers and staff involved in organizing this enriching activity, as well as to our enthusiastic students for their active participation and curiosity. Let us continue to encourage curiosity and exploration, guiding our students as they journey through the wonders of the universe.

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AFS India Regional Meet North Zone: Selaqui International School, Dehradun

We are thrilled to share the highlights of the AFS India Regional Meet North Zone, hosted at Selaqui International School, Dehradun, where participants gathered to explore the theme of "Inclusion." The day began with an inspiring inaugural ceremony centered around the theme of "Inclusion. "Classical performances filled the air with melody and grace, setting a harmonious tone for the day ahead. Mr. Sanjeev Chopra's keynote address further illuminated the importance of inclusivity in fostering a diverse and equitable society. A panel discussion followed, delving into the nuances of inclusivity and diversity, where participants engaged in meaningful conversations and shared their perspectives on creating inclusive communities. Mr. Satyam Shankar Sahai's motivational speech resonated with attendees, emphasizing the power of passion and resilience in overcoming challenges and achieving success. The day concluded on a serene note with the Ganga Aarti at Har ki Paudi, a spiritual experience that left attendees feeling rejuvenated and connected to



the essence of the divine. This was followed by a delightful dinner hosted by **Mr. Arpit Panjwani** at Maa Anandamayee School, where participants had the opportunity to unwind and connect with one another. Despite the fatigue of a long day, attendees left feeling enriched and inspired, having gained valuable insights and forged meaningful connections. The spirit of camaraderie and learning prevailed throughout the day, reflecting the ethos of AFS India and the values of inclusivity and diversity. We extend our gratitude to all the organizers, speakers, and participants for making Day 1 of the AFS India Regional Meet North Zone a resounding success. Your enthusiasm and dedication to fostering a culture of inclusion are truly commendable. Let us continue to champion the values of inclusivity and diversity, creating a world where everyone feels valued, respected, and celebrated.

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Celebrating Success: Centa International TPO Achievers



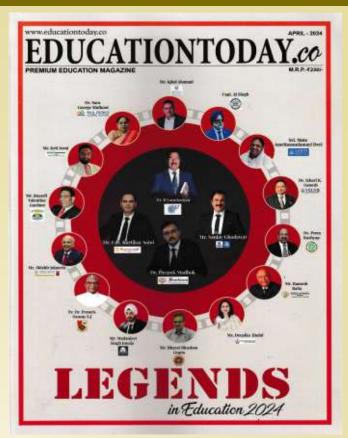


We are thrilled to present the finalists of the Centa International **TPO (Teachers' Proficiency Olympiad)**, a testament to the dedication and excellence of our educators. As we celebrate the achievements of our students, we also recognize the invaluable role played by our teachers in shaping their success. Behind every successful student is a dedicated teacher who guides, inspires, and empowers them to reach their full potential. We extend our heartfelt congratulations to all our educators who have been instrumental in nurturing and supporting our students throughout their academic journey. To our esteemed teachers who have emerged as finalists in the Centa International TPO, we wish you the best of luck for the finals. Your commitment to continuous learning and professional development is truly commendable, and we are proud to have you represent our school on this prestigious platform. As we eagerly await the results of the finals, let us continue to support and celebrate the achievements of our educators, whose tireless efforts contribute to the academic excellence and holistic development of our students.

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Celebrating Our Chairperson : Dr. Deepak Madhok

We are thrilled to share a moment of immense pride for all Sunbeams as our Chairperson, Dr. Deepak Madhok, is featured in the Legends of Education 2024 by Education Today, a leading premium education magazine. From his days as a brilliant student to his role as an amazing mentor, Dr. Madhok's journey is a shining example of dedication, perseverance, and excellence. His inclusion in the Legends of Education 2024 is a testament to his remarkable contributions to the field of education and his unwavering commitment to empowering students and educators alike. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Madhok for always leading by example and for being a constant source of inspiration to us all. Under his able mentorship, we are privileged to work and learn in an environment that fosters growth, innovation and excellence. Thank you, Sir, for giving us reasons to celebrate and for your relentless dedication to the vision and values of our school. Your leadership continues to guide and inspire us on our journey towards excellence.



Date : 24 April 2024

SPIC MACAY at Sunbeam Varuna : A Cultural Extravaganza

We are delighted to share the wonderful experience of hosted a SPIC MACAY event at Sunbeam Varuna (School & Hostel), where our students had the unique opportunity to perform alongside renowned artists. Under the aegis of SPIC MACAY, our students had the privilege of performing with Pt. Rajendra Prasanna, a Sangeet Natak Akademi Awardee, accompanied by Pt. Lalit Kumar on Tabla and **Pranjal Singh** on Flute. The event was a celebration of Indian classical music and culture, bringing together artists and enthusiasts from diverse backgrounds. Our students showcased great enthusiasm and interest as they performed alongside



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these esteemed artists, immersing themselves in the rich traditions of Indian classical music. It was a valuable learning experience for them, allowing them to not only hone their artistic skills but also gain insights into the nuances of classical music performance. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to SPIC MACAY and the participating artists for providing our students with this enriching opportunity. Events like these play a crucial role in nurturing a love for the arts and fostering cultural exchange and appreciation among our students. We are proud of our students for their dedication and passion, and we look forward to more such enriching experiences in the future.

Date : 25 April 2024

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"Big Fight 2024: Sunbeam Varuna Panel Discusses North East India Refugee Crisis"



Empowering Discourse: BIG FIGHT 2024 Panel Discussion at Sunbeam School & Hostel Varuna We are delighted to share the highlights of the esteemed panel discussion, **BIG FIGHT 2024**, hosted at Sunbeam School & Hostel Varuna. This engaging event provided a platform for our humanities students of class XI and XII to delve into a thought-provoking topic: "Reviewing the status of refugees and IDPs with special emphasis on North East India. "This year's panel consisted of fifteen wonderful speakers who engaged in insightful discussions and debates, presenting well-researched content, data, and facts to the audience. The professionalism and discipline displayed by the panelists, as they respected each other's opinions and maintained decorum throughout the discussion, were truly impressive. The discussion unfolded over three rounds: Introduction, questions and suggestions and concluded with informative insights provided by the speakers. The event was adjudicated by Mr. Jonathan Albert, a professor of Political Science at Sunbeam Women's College Varuna, who brought expertise and fairness to the judging process. We are proud to announce the winners of BIG FIGHT 2024: 1. Best in Research: Miss Saumya 2. Best in Presentation and Relevance: Miss Aashi Kushwaha 3. Most Consistent Speaker: Miss Vaibhavi Anand Additionally, two consolation prizes were awarded to deserving participants, recognizing their contributions to the discussion. We extend our heartfelt congratulations to all the winners and participants for their outstanding performance and commitment to meaningful discourse. Events like BIG FIGHT provide invaluable opportunities for our students to develop critical thinking skills, research capabilities, and public speaking abilities. We express our gratitude to the organizers, judges, and participants for making BIG FIGHT 2024 a resounding success and for fostering an environment of intellectual engagement and dialogue within our school community.

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Triumph in Chess : Sunbeam Varuna Shines at District Chess Championship 2024



We are thrilled to announce the exceptional performance of our students at the **District Chess Championship 2024**, organized by the Varanasi Chess Association. Our students showcased their talent and dedication, bringing home several accolades and leaving a mark of excellence on the chessboard. Heartiest congratulations to **Master Svar Srivastava** from **IV-B** for clinching the title of District Champion and earning a well-deserved spot in the **UP State Chess Championship**. Your dedication and strategic brilliance have brought pride and honor to our school. In addition, we applaud the outstanding performance of our young chess enthusiasts in the **U-7 category:- Master Himendra Singh** secured **3rd place- Master Nilendra Singh** achieved **4th place- Master Shamit Agarwal** claimed **5th place**. Your impressive achievements reflect your hard work, perseverance, and love for the game of chess. We commend you for your remarkable performance and wish you continued success in your chess journey. To all our chess champions, keep embracing the magic of chess and let your passion for the game guide you to even greater heights. May your future endeavors be just as brilliant, filled with victories and memorable moments. Once again, congratulations to our talented chess players for their outstanding achievements at the District Chess Championship 2024.

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Sunbeam Varuna Teachers Excel in CREST International Teacher Olympiads (CITO)



Sunbeam Varuna proudly announces the outstanding performance of its teachers in the **CREST International Teacher Olympiads (CITO)**, underscoring the school's commitment to academic excellence and educator development.Congratulations to our esteemed teachers for their remarkable achievements in the CITO, a testament to their dedication, expertise, and passion for education. #CRESTOlympiads #SunbeamVaruna #Number1 School in Varanasi #bestcbseschool

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Celebrating Excellence in Chess : District Championship

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Congratulations!

Ms. Aishani Pathak (VIII-F) as she got 1st Prize in District Chess Championship (under-17) Girls Category

Mr. Hardev Sahai 🚥 🕫 got 4th Prize in District Chess Championship (under-17) Boys Category



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We are thrilled to extend our heartfelt congratulations to two of our outstanding students for their remarkable achievements in the District Chess Championship (Under 17)! Ms. Aishani Pathak from VIII-F has secured the prestigious 1st Prize in the girls' category, showcasing her exceptional talent and dedication to the game of chess. Additionally, Mr. Hardev Sahai from XI-C has demonstrated his skill and determination by clinching the 4th prize in the boys' category. Their achievements are a testament to their hard work, perseverance and strategic brilliance on the chessboard. We applaud their outstanding performance and commend them for their dedication to excellence. Ms. Aishani Pathak and Mr. Hardev Sahai, your achievements inspire us all to strive for greatness in our endeavors. We encourage you to continue embracing the magic of chess and to pursue your passion with enthusiasm and determination. May your future endeavors be just as brilliant, and may you continue to shine brightly in all your pursuits.

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