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सुधा स्कित

मन्स एकं वचस एकं, कर्मन् एकं महात्मानं, मनस अन्यथा वचस अन्यथा, कर्मन् अन्यथा दुरात्मानं.

Those whose mind, words and deeds are in complete accord are high-souled beings. The wicked are those whose thoughts differ from their words and actions. Hence every person should strive to achieve unity in thought, word and deed. That is the hallmark of humanness.

EDUCARE- enkindling the latent goodness

How do you want to be remembered?

More than a decade ago, a man was reading his morning newspaper. To his surprise and horror, he read his name in the obituary column. The news papers had mistakenly reported the death of the wrong person for sure. He was shocked to read news headline about his death. When he regained his composure, He read it to find out what people had said about him.

The obituary included sentences like, "Dynamite King Dies." and "He was the merchant of death." The man was the inventor of dynamite and when he read the words "merchant of death," he asked himself a question, "Is this how I am going to be remembered?" he asked himself. He decided that this was not the way he wanted to be remembered and he decided to change.

From that day on, he started working toward world peace. His name was Alfred Nobel and he is remembered today by the great Nobel Prize, the greatest of all the prizes.

The Nobel Prize has been honoring men and women from all corners of the globe for outstanding achievements in physics, chemistry, medicine, literature, and for work in peace since 1901. The foundations for the prize were laid in 1895 when Alfred Nobel wrote his last will, leaving much of his wealth to the establishment of the Nobel Prize. It is never late to start

You may not be able to go back and make a brand new start. But, you can start now and make a brand



TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

"It is the supreme art of the teacher to awaken joy in creative expression and knowledge."

Students and Management of New Horizon Gurukul enthusiastically celebrated Teachers' Day with great gusto and gaiety on September 5, 2019. Students put up a scintillating cultural show to showcase their love, respect, acknowledgement, and recognition of the hard work put in by their teachers towards their holistic development. The grand cultural show included skit, dance and songs. This reflected the fact that, teachers play a crucial role role in making their pupils responsible citizens of tomorrow. Their selfless service and total commitment lay a solid foundation of values and knowledge for the students for a lifetime. Students took the role of Principal, Coordinators and teachers. They conducted classes and meetings



in various classrooms and this gave them an opportunity to understand the role and work of teachers. All the teachers enjoyed the programme to the fullest and appreciated the students' efforts. The program concluded with a sumptuous and grand lunch arranged by the Management for the teachers.

SWACHTA PAKHWADA

Emphasis on external and internal cleanliness has always been the norm in New Horizon Gurukul and every attempt to ensure its effective inculcation among students is infused with true spirit.

Swatchta Pakwada -2019, cleanliness drive was undertaken in NHG from classes 1 to 10 on 9th September 2019. All students across 77 sections actively participated in cleaning their classrooms and its immediate surroundings. The activity which lasted for about 1hr 30 min had students very actively involved in clearing trash from their classroom bins, cupboards, mopping their classroom floors, cleaning window panes and chalkboards. Every student was made to involve enthusiastically with a short motivational talk by class teachers to ensure effective learning and awareness about Swachta.





An extension of the drive was also done wherein students from 5th to 8th standard drafted 1100 letters to their relatives to share their experiences which were later bulk posted creating awareness about the Indian Postal Services among students.







Admission Circular

FOR PLAYGROUP, NURSERY, LKG AND UKG FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21

Registration forms for admission for the academic year 2020-21 for PLAYGROUP, NURSERY, LKG & UKG can be downloaded from 5th September 2019 onwards from the website www.newhorizonvidyamandir.in

only. The registration fee is Rs.500/-. Parents can take a tour of the campu after the submission of registration forms.

The timings are: 9.00 am to 2.30 pm.

Please submit the filled in registration form with the following enclosed:

- The latest passport size photograph of the child
- 2. Photocopy of the birth certificate
- 3. Aadhar copy of the child

The child should have completed 1 year 10 months on 1st June 2020 for admission to Playgroup. For admission to Nursery, the child should have completed 2 years 6 months on 1st June 2020, for LKG and UKG the corresponding age will be considered.



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CONQUERING THE CUBE

In our lives, all of us have held a Rubik's cube in our hands at some point. With 43 quintillion possible combinations, the puzzle is now a worldwide phenomenon. The man who came up with the idea that fascinated millions, Erno Rubik, was only intending it to be a teaching aid for his students! The classic 3x3x3 cube consists of 6 faces with 9 stickers on each, the objective being to line up all the stickers of a color on a single face. When the puzzle was originally introduced, it boggled the minds of many and took one month to solve it for the first time! Since its invention in 1974, the cube has taken the world by storm, selling over 350 million units and is now called the most popular toy in history.

There are currently numerous variations of the Rubik's cube, such as the mirror cube, the 4x4, the Megamix, the 2x2, the Pyramix and many more that have skyrocketed the sales of companies making them. The increasing popularity of the Rubik's cube is also accompanied by the increasing number of methods to solve the Rubik's cube. There are a variety of methods to solve the Rubik's cube like the Beginners method and the F2L.

Our school has also fallen prey to this 'Cube Fever'. Be it in the bus, classrooms playground or the canteen, it's to be seen in many a hand. The feverish pace and excitement that prevails around the cubers are a sight to watch. What is a matter of pride is few of our follow students have walked away with titles and prizes in the same prizes in the same







Gautam Prateep & Arun Prasath , 9B

watch. What is a matter of pride is, few of our fellow students have walked away with titles and prizes in the state level as well as national level competitions. Old Erno has truly made an impact on us Gurukulites!

The puzzle is showing no sign of stopping its worldwide dominance, with newer variations and shapes being developed every month. It still holds its charm and appeal, 40-odd years since its invention. We hope that it continues to inspire us, and would like to see more and more Cubers emerge and experience the joy of seeing the cube solved and beating their friends at it. Keep Cubing!

GREEN INITIATIVE

"With the active involvement of Green ambassadors of New Horizon Gurukul, Green initiative was organized on 7th September 2019 under SwachtaPakhwada Drive to promote awareness about environmental issues, cleanliness and for creating a greener world for tomorrow.

300 students from Std 5th to 10th participated with absolute zeal and enthusiasm in planting saplings and sowing seeds in school's terrace garden. Active participation of students in making potting mix with soil and compost and team work was observed. Initial success of the activity became evident, day after the activity wherein students ensured watering plants, creating shady canopy for seedlings. It can be firmly concluded that high spirit of enthusiasm will continue and would become natural in student's daily activities in the days to come at NHG.









GUNS AND GLORY

Chinmayee Dandibotla XC

The blood that trickled across the soldiers' foreheads

As they lay on the battlefield pretty much dead

Is the same blood that flows through me

The symbol of unitedness that marked us free

The soldier stood with his comrades not knowing his plight

Of the next week or even the very next night

Remembering the grief, the sorrow, the pain

Of his brothers and sisters, his brave brethren

He marched with confidence, his head held high

To defeat the oppressors with all his might

But with a heavy heart, I should have to say

That many didn't return, their assaults astray

The British remained unjust and unaffected

By the lives that were lost and the tears that were shed

Every passing moment meant losing time

To seize our independence by murder or by crime

After many sacrifices and many hearts broken

After the tedious spell of struggle unbroken

After hunger and hardship and misery and dread

After revolts of the people and suffering unsaid

On one starry midnight, we gained our birthright

We basked in the glory as our flag unfurled

With its three colors and story of our new free world

Our nation's independence, a future of resplendence

But to me, this is a lie

We respect and personify

The nation as our mother, but as we turn one after another

Towards the dark side of reality

As we bury ourselves deeper under the debris

Of nasty cheating and corruption, to quench our thirst for power

Shall I call this freedom?

As we seize our own rights

Shall I call this fraternity?

As I see endless fights

Is this what the brave men intended?

Those who laid down their lives

For the safety and happiness of their kindred

Would continuing these lives really suffice?

The rest is for you to decide

To destroy our nation or to revive.



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MANAGING FAILURE

Failure is defined as the state or condition of not having met the desired goals and objectives. It's the fear of failing at something, which restricts people from taking risks or venturing into a new project. In some other cases when we ourselves have set certain standards, it is the fear of not being as successful which might restrict us. The pressure of not being able to perform as well as before can be extremely frightening and overwhelming.

Coping with failure in a healthy manner helps to take the fear out of failing, develops a success mindset and helps you to bounce back in a better manner. The first step towards managing failure is accepting the emotions you are feeling rather than dwelling on the failure itself. Failure is generally accompanied by a variety of emotions, which could be embarrassment, anxiety, anger, sadness, or shame. These feelings are uncomfortable and would make you feel bad, but accepting them would make you work harder and come up with better solutions the next time. The feeling in itself can be motivating. The second step is to understand that failing at one task doesn't make you a failure. It is just a setback for that particular task. It was a try towards achieving the objective and a step towards succeeding at it. Lastly, we need to identify the Trouble areas. We need to try and learn from the experience, understand what went wrong and develop a plan of action to achieve the desired outcome.

"Failures are Finger posts on the road to Achievement"- C.S. Lewis

– Sanjana Nair

Special Educator



LEARN, LIVE AND INSPIRE

One of the things that keep me going is my curiosity. The curiosity to know how machines work, how our universe works at the largest scale including galaxies, black holes to the smallest scale where quarks and leptons are present, why things around me are the way they are..... etcetera.

The main thought which drives me is the want (which is a need) to find solutions to various problems we find in our day to day life which dramatically affect our surroundings. Few of the crises include Global warming (the biggest one according to me), poverty, education and the education system and healthcare.

Failures are not setbacks but are the best teachers one can have. Every time you fail at anything or did not do as well as you expected, reflect upon it; analyse where you had gone wrong and could have done better and during the next attempt make sure you don't repeat it.

"If your dreams do not scare you, they are not big enough. The biggest achievers are often the biggest risk-takers. There's no going big without any risks. Elon Musk almost went bankrupt investing in Tesla and SpaceX when they were failing to perform and look how that turned out.

When you think big, dream big, believe big and take big actions the results will be big. Even small actions taken daily will give you a better result than no action taken at all.

The definition of success is different for everyone. But one thing everyone has in common is happiness and being content. The path they take to achieve this may differ; many find happiness in doing simple social services and others do it by changing the world for the better. The spreading of positivity is something I strongly believe in. The atmosphere you're surrounded plays an important role in building one's mindset and character. I strive to create a positive atmosphere and inspire others to dream big and be limitless in their mind.

– Shreyas Srinivas 10 C

हिन्दी दिवस 2019

न्यू हॉराइज़न गुरूकुल(माध्यमिक और उच्च माध्यमिक विभाग)

दिनांक-११ सितम्बर २०१९

न्यू हॉराइज़न गुरूकुल' वह संस्था है जिसमें विद्यार्थियों को अंतर्राष्ट्रीय सोच के साथ-साथ भारतीय संस्कृति और मूल्यों का आदर व पालन करने की प्रेरणा बालपन से दी जाती है। इसी परंपरा का पालन करते हुए ११ सितम्बर को ही माध्यमिक और उच्च माध्यमिक कक्षाओं के विद्यार्थियों की निश्छल आवाज़ों से सभागृह गूँज उठा।

उच्च माध्यमिक वर्ग के विद्यार्थियों ने सभी को हिन्दी दिवस की बधाई देते हुए अपनी मधुर वाणी में 'हिन्दी हैं हिन्दुस्तानी' गीत गाकर सबका मन मोह लिया। माध्यमिक वर्ग के विद्यार्थियों ने 'लड़का –लड़की एक समान' भावना से ओतप्रोत एक नुकड़ नाटक प्रस्तुत किया एवं हिन्दी भाषा की व्यापकता तथा सौहार्दता के विषय में बताकर उपस्थित श्रोतागणों को गर्व से भर दिया।

सभा के समापन में विद्यालय की प्रधानाचार में हिन्दी दिवस की बधाई देते हुए हिन्दी भाषा का महत्त्व बताया और एक स्वरचित कविता सुनाई जिसकी एक-एक पंक्ति में हिन्दी के प्रति प्रेम परिलक्षित हो रहा था।

न्यू हॉराइज़न गुरूकुल की विलक्षणता भी दकयोतक है कि किस प्रकार सभी भाषाओं का सम्मान करते हुए भी विद्यालय के बच्चे अपनी जड़ों को नहीं भूले हैं। वे संसार में भारत और भारतीय संस्कृति के सच्चे वाहक हैं।

ऐसी रही हिन्दी दिवस की सुबह

ಬಂಧನ

ನಾವು ಪಕ್ಷಿಗಳು ನಮಗೆ ಬೇಡವೆ ಸುಂದರ ಜೀವನ । ನಿಮ್ಮ ಸ್ವಾರ್ಥಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ನಮಗೇಕೆ ಈ ಬಂಧನ। ನಿಮ್ಮಂತೆ ನಾವು ಸೇವಿಸುವೆವು ಆಹಾರ ನಿವೇಕೆ ಮಾಡುವೀರಿ ಗದಾ ಪ್ರಹಾರ। ನಾವಿರುವೆವು ನಿಮ್ಮ ಸುತ್ತ ನಮಗೆ ಬೇಕು ಬಂಧ ಮುಕ್ತ ।

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LAUNCHING MILLION DREAMS

Chandrayaan 1 is an Indian lunar probe which was launched on 22 October 2008 by the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO). Chandrayaan 1's primary objectives were to analyse the surface of the moon, search for lunar water-ice, create organised data of the lunar chemical and mineralogical imaging and to understand the moon's evolution. After analysing the data given by Chandrayaan 1 which had provided high-resolution spectral data on the mineralogy of the moon, it was revealed that the moon was once completely molten. The probe had also discovered traces of water-ice on the moon. The moon impact probe, had been giving data to Earth for about 312 days, after which communication was completely lost. It was expected to function for up to 2 years, but the mission was called a success as it had completed 95% of its planned objectives.





Chandrayaan 2 is an ambitious sequel of the Chandrayaan 1 mission. Chandrayaan 2 was launched on 22 July 2019 in the Satish Dhawan Space Center in Sri Harikota by GSLV Mark III, one of the most powerful rockets of ISRO. Chandrayaan 2 was to be the first probe to make a soft landing on the moon. Chandrayaan 2 consists of a lunar orbiter, Vikram lander and the Pragyan Rover, which have different yet important roles in the Chandrayaan 2 mission.

On August 20, Chandrayaan 2 performed the trickiest manoeuvres to enter the Lunar Orbit and sent its first picture of the moon. The Vikram lander which was expected to make a soft land on September 7 at 1:55 AM. The PM along with 60 online space quiz winners witnessed the landing, as the mission control in the ISRO center in Bengaluru. But after all the nail-biting moments, ISRO revealed that communication had been lost at the altitude of 2.1 km from the surface of the moon. Recent updates suggest that the lander has been found to be in a tilted position and some of its equipment may have been

damaged. The life of the Orbiter has been extended to 7 years opposed to the expected 1 year, to further study the moon's atmosphere and the lunar map.

Manufacturing every part for the mission in India, and achieving a huge step in the matters of Outer Space is indeed a proud moment for all Indians, and ISRO has managed to do this with a budget way lower than the budget of Endgame!

- Srihitha, 10D



ACHIEVEMENTS

1. In Spell Bee International competition held on 9th September 2019, 507 students from grade 1 to 10 actively participated and won medals and appreciation certificates.

Nine School Toppers were awarded with *School Topper Medal and *Certificate of Achievement with School Topper Seal. The winners of Spell Bee Competition are as follows;

Archita Jayatheerthan	Std I
S. Shravan	Std II
Sarvesh Agrawal	Std III
Vivaan. K	Std IV
Sai Sri Pranavi	Std V
Rudra Milankumar Sheta	Std VI
Aaron Kuruvilla	Std VII
Devadath Sabarish	Std VIII
Chinmayee Dandibhotla	Std X

- Gurukul's Under-12 Boys Kabbadi team emerged as WINNER in Kabbadi Tournament held in Wahe Academy, Bangalore.
- On the occasion of Hindi Diwas 2019, Madhuban Publications felicitated the best Hindi teachers in India .Out of 150 awardees,

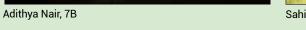


- Ms. Sangita Kolte of New Horizon Gurukul was awarded for her contribution as a seasoned Hindi Teacher
- 4. Master Vineeth Bhat and Master Arjun Khade of class 10th (2018-19 batch) were also felicitated by Madhuban group for their excellent results in CBSE Std X Board examination, 2018-19.



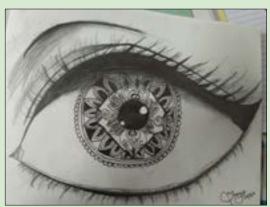








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