ALWARDAS PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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36 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE

BRITISH COUNCIL AWARD

ALWARDAS PUBLIC SCHOOL HAS BEEN RECOGNISED FOR OUTSTANDING DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNATIONAL LEARNING IN THE CURRICULUM AND WAS PRESENTED WITH BRITISH COUNCIL AWARD FOR 2014 - 17.

MESSAGES

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Even as we impart education to match the advancement in technology and globalization, we at APS march ahead with ethos of moral values and principles. We endeavour constantly to instil these qualities in our children. We strive to help them grow and develop into sensitive and responsible citizens of the next generation. A committed and supportive management, dedicated teachers, caring and co-operative parents blend harmoniously to create a child-centric school.

It is natural to find in this ambience, the intensive use of a variety of thinking activities, strategies and group dynamics so that the classrooms become alive. All these are showcased in the newsletters that are released every year. Each issue of our school newsletter is a milestone that marks our growth, unfolds our imaginations, and gives life to our thoughts and aspirations. It unleashes a wide spectrum of activities our stakeholders participate both at intra and inter school levels. I am very sure through collaborative effort we can achieve more to benefit our students who are the future leaders of tomorrow.

With sincere and warm regards.

Mrs. T. Srivani
Principal

Education is a pretty broad concept that surpasses the four walls of a classroom. The core aim of education is to foster all round development of a child. All round development essentially means intellectual, physical, moral, sensible and social development. In order to achieve these, there is a prime need of striking a balance between syllabus, curriculum, books and also co-curricular activities. A co-curricular activity essentially takes place outside a typical pen and pencil classroom experience. It gives the students an opportunity to develop particular skills and exhibit their non-academic abilities.

At APS, we strike the right balance between curricular and co-curricular activities throughout the year, thereby providing a chance to each and every student to come out with something unique and special. As always this issue of INSIGHT also showcases the myriad mosaic of curricular and co-curricular achievement of our students.

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International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21st June. A session was conducted in the school premises for the staff members and students where the importance of yoga in day to day life was explained.

Interact Club
The Office bearers of the Interact Club for 2015-16 were pinned with badges by the members of the Rotary Club of Hill View on 14th September. They were given the oath by the President of the Rotary Club. Speaking on the occasion the new office bearers were suggested on how they should evolve from the concept of “I” to “you” and then to “we”. As a part of the club’s activities, the office bearers motivated the students of std.VII to XII to collect donations for the “End Polio Now” campaign. A total of ₹43,000/- was collected and handed over to the President of the Rotary club.

Teacher’s Day was celebrated on 5th September. Rich tributes were paid to the best teacher on Indian soil, Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan by the teachers and the students. Students belonging to std.X, XI & XII took up the roles of teachers on that day and took classes. Many games and entertainment programmes were conducted for the teachers.

Investiture
The school captains and group captains were presented lapels and given the oath by the Correspondent of the school, Dr. S. Vijaya Ravindra on 13th July, 2015. The Captains and Vice Captains took the oath to give their best and strive for upholding the Vision, Mission and Motto of the school.

Teacher’s Day

Women’s Day
On the occasion of International Women’s Day, Correspondent of the school, Dr. Mrs. Vijaya Ravindra was felicitated for being selected as Member, Executive Council, Andhra University. Which was a proud moment for APS.

Independence Day was celebrated on 15th August with a lot of patriotic fervor. The tri colour was hoisted by the Chief Guest Mr. Praveen, Director, LG Polymers in the presence of the Correspondent, Executive Director and the Principal of the school. Guard of Honour was presented by students of the four groups. Many patriotic songs, dances and drills were also presented by the students.

Kalam Sir’s Necrology
Rich tributes were paid to Dr. Abdul Kalam by the students of APS in a necrology ceremony organised at IIAM auditorium.

Womens Day

Idol making workshop
In order to promote environment consciousness among the student community, a Lord Ganesha clay idol making workshop was organized on 15th September. Children participated in the workshop with a lot of enthusiasm and zeal. Later the idols made by the students were displayed as an exhibition and a few idols were given to the parents free of cost.

Investiture

A Summer camp was organized in the school campus from May 1st to May 25th. Activities like Karate, Yoga, Art & Craft, Basket ball, Volley ball, Throwball, Handwriting, Spoken English and Western Dance were conducted. More than 200 students participated in the camp.

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Ozone Rally
On 16th September, on the occasion of World Ozone Day a rally was taken out on the Beach Road by the students of Std.VII to XII. The students displayed placards and shouted slogans to bring awareness among the common public on the need to protect the Ozone Layer.

Eye Camp
A free eye checking camp was conducted by Maxi Vision on 6th & 7th October. An awareness session was conducted on how to take care of the eyes by two doctors. Later, the doctors checked the students and gave required suggestions and references.

Children’s Day
was celebrated on 14th November. All the teachers in the school put up an excellent entertainment programme for all the children of the school. Children’s Day wishes were given by the Executive Director. Special prizes were given to the children.

Dental Camp
A free dental camp was conducted for all the students from Std.I to Std.XII by the Denty’s. The camp was conducted by three doctors. The doctors gave a presentation on Oral hygiene before testing the kids. Later appreciation certificates were given to students with good oral hygiene.

Founder’s Day
was observed on 31st October to mark the birth anniversary of the founder of the school, late Sri.S.Alwardas. Rich floral tributes were paid to the founder by the Principal, teaching staff, non-teaching staff and the students.

Gratitude Day
was observed on 03.03.2016 in the campus. A special assembly was conducted where all the helping staff of the school were felicitated. Students expressed their gratitude to the helping staff who contribute in their own way to make their study at school comfortable and smooth.

Christmas
The campus came alive with carols and the jingling of bells as the students and staff members celebrated Christmas on 23rd December. All the boys in the pre-primary and primary classes were dressed as Santa Claus and all the girls as angels. They all danced to various Christmas carols. The Senior students presented a wonderful play ‘The Star of Wonder’ depicting the birth of Lord Jesus in a unique and interesting way. Students sang Christmas carols and were given gifts by ‘Santa Claus’. In keeping with the Christmas spirit, the whole school wore a festive look and was tastefully decorated.

Sankranti
was celebrated on 8th January in a very traditional manner. The celebrations were marked by Rangoli Competition, dances, dramas, mono actions, songs etc. The spirit of the harvest festival was showcased in detail by the students and the teachers. Students and teachers were present in their traditional best for the day. This year the theme was sankranti in different states of India.

Farewell Party
The students of Std.X and Std.XII were bid adieu by the juniors on 7th January in a befitting manner with lot of love and affection. A spectacular programme was arranged in the honour of the outgoing students.
Our Pre – Primary Wing is always bubbling with life. It comprises children belonging to the age group three to five years who need special handling with activities planned for them taking care of their emotional, social and physical well being. The children indulge in multifarious activities throughout the year. These activities are an integrated part of the curriculum and substantiate class room learning, helping in molding the kids into multifaceted personalities.

GRADUATION DAY was celebrated for the pre primary children, as they complete their formative years’ training and step into main schooling. The grand function of the caping ceremony was highlighted by many cultural programmes presented by the tiny tots belonging to Nursery, LKG and UKG. The Correspondent of the school, Dr. Mrs. S. Vijaya Ravindra addressed on the occasion.

PRE-PRIMARY ACTIVITIES NURSERY-LKG-UKG

- Colouring
- Fruit Day
- Flower Day
- Rainy Day
- Christmas Celebrations
- Plantation Day
- Visit to Aquarium
- Swachh Bharat
- Sand Pasting
- Rainy Day

Mr. Chandra Mouli Tippala, CMD, RED MAGAZINE

2014 - 2015

Mrs. Jeeja Valsaraj, Swacha Bharat ambassador

2015 - 2016
We at APS lay stress on the overall development of the child. We believe that there is a “Healthy mind in a Healthy body”. Physical activity results in more concentration, high levels of immunity and keeps infections at bay. Through the year, our children participate in various games and sports that are conducted within the curriculum and outside the curriculum. Many of our students represented the school in various inter school tournaments conducted throughout the year. On 21st and 22nd of December we had the Annual Sports Meet for all the students from Nursery to Std.XII where many games and sports were conducted. Children participated with a lot of enthusiasm and zeal.

The NCC cadets of the school participated in the ATC camp held in the city. Two of our cadets, Mst. Karthik and Mst. Sai Teja of std.IX participated in the National Integration camp conducted at Secunderabad from October 19th to 28th. NCC cadets collected saplings from nurseries and the neighbourhood and planted them in the campus. They took an oath to protect the green cover in the campus and neat their homes.

SPORTS & GAMES
Congratulations
To our students who have participated and won accolades in various competitions...

Horlicks Wiz Kids
A total of 135 students participated in the Horlicks Wiz Kid competition conducted in the month of July. The students won third prize in Free Style Dance competition along with the Most Disciplined School award. I prize in Art Competition was won by Mst. Jyothi Swaroop of 7th Std, 3rd prize in Wiz kids got talent was won Ms. K.S. Sahithi of 10th Std. and I prize in Telugu Creative Writing Competition was won by Mst. S.L. Aditya of 7th Std.
2015 ACADEMIC TOPPERS

I
XII STD (ISC)
S.S.P.BHARANI

II
XII STD (ISC)
K.N.S.ANUSHA

I
X STD (ICSE)
S.CHANDINI VAISHNAV

II
X STD (ICSE)
S.SAI CHARAN

I
X STD (SSC)
J.SAI MANASA

II
X STD (SSC)
S.RAMYA DURGA
The Annual Prize Day was celebrated on 19th March. Winners of various literary activities, sports & games were given away prizes by the Chief Guest Mrs. Mallika Manoj, CMD, Vibhav Jewellers, Correspondent Madam, Executive Director and the Principal. The overall championship award was presented to the group that won the maximum number of points. General Proficiency prizes were also given to the toppers of all the classes during the academic year 2014-15.

A WORD OF THANK YOU

We take this wonderful opportunity to thank every parent of our school for their whole hearted co-operation and tremendous support. We thank each and every child for their enthusiastic participation in all the events and activities and for making sure that the APS flag flies high. We sincerely thank our teaching staff members for their patient contribution in upholding the VISION, MISSION and MOTTO of the school and the non-teaching staff for their contribution in making the gone by year a success.

We assure you that next academic year also will be full of remarkable events and upward growth. *With all good wishes.*