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School Annual Report (2023-2024)

The School Annual Report not only showcases the achievements and glories of the school, but also helps us to analyze and think deeply about strengthening ourselves, in specific and various other areas. We have set standards and goals for ourselves and strive hard to achieve them in various fields. Each year, students have made the school proud with their brilliant efforts in the fields of academics as well as in the co-curricular areas. Here are the glimpses of the combined efforts of all who are selflessly carrying the responsibility to take our institution to greater heights.

Dawn of the New Session...

The new academic session commenced on 5th of April 2023, for Classes PP to 10 and 12 and on 10th of April for Nursery and Pre-school. As per NEP guidelines we have added five Nursery classes from the session 2023.

Development & Infrastructure...

A well-designed and well-maintained learning environment contributes significantly to the academic achievement, cognitive development, and students' overall well-being.

- The pre-primary play area was revamped with vibrant and colourful rubber surface with the play equipment for the tiny tots.
- Total 12 classrooms for Nursery, Pre-school and Pre-primary have been renovated.
- Interactive Panels have been installed in 23 classrooms for audio-visual aid.
- All the washrooms in the school have been renovated.
- Medical room has also been refurbished.
- Main Entrance Gate has been modified to enhance the grandeur and security of the School building.
- The rear gate has been installed with tensile sheet.
- The school facade work is in progress.
- The whole school is under surveillance camera.

Striving for Excellence & Emerging as Winners...

Achieving academic excellence, is the core of our endeavours as educators. It is the ability, to perform to the best, with diligence and passion, by developing one's intellectual potential and skills.

Hence, it was truly a rewarding experience to see our students, who appeared for AISSCE & AISSE in the academic year 2023-24, pass with flying colours.

Ms. Ananya Pankaj Detroja, with highest percentage of 98.6, Ms. Anshita Badhale and Ms. Monisha Mulpuru with 98.2% and Mst. Raunak Raj with 98% were the school toppers in Class 10.

Ms. Samridhi Bhutia, the City Topper in Humanities stream, with 98.6%, Mst. Vedaansh Agarwal with 97.6 % in Science stream, Ms. Richa Tiwari and Ms. Suhani Hatrote in Commerce stream with 97.2%, each were the Class 12 school toppers. All 151 class 12 students, scored first division with 16 students scoring a whopping 100, in various subjects. It is certainly a matter of pride, that many of our students could secure admission in reputed institutes in India, as well as abroad for their higher education.

Hall of Fame with Accolades and Honours...

A few of our achievements from the long list of awards and recognitions received by our school, in the year 2023-2024.

At the Education World School Ranking award functions, the school secured the following:

 In 2023, it was ranked first in Navi Mumbai, first in Maharashtra and third, Pan India, as "Career Counseling Leaders"

According to the survey conducted by Education Today:

The school was placed among the top 20 CBSE Schools and have been ranked 13th in Maharashtra and 8th in Thane.

• We bagged first Rank under the category "Student Advancement and Mentoring", CBSE, Parameter wise in India's Schools Merit Award. This is out of 1859 survey forms in 2023.

India K-12 awards:

• In September 2023, the school was the proud recipient of 'ELDROK' Award for "Adopting Innovative Teaching Methods".

Other than these, the school also received:

- The Maharashtra Excellence award for the "Best Educational Excellence' 'felicitated by the Human Right Mirror.
- The Principal, received "The Best Educator" award by the Chief Minister of Uttarakhand, Mr. Pushkar Singh Dhami during the "The Kauthig Festival",in Navi Mumbai.
- The school also received the 'Aesthetic School Awards, 2023-2024'.

The school was chosen by the CBSE, to host the prestigious CBSE Regional Science Exhibition 2023-24, with the theme, 'Science and Technology for Society.' The Exhibition was held on 15th and 16th December 2023, where 176 students participated from 57 schools of this region. In this highly competitive exhibition, both of our school teams qualified for the National Level.

Our Crowning Jewels... Brilliant Achievements of our Students...

- 1. Tanush Kashyap & Ridaant Bode of Class 1, secured second Prize in Kids Premier League **Story Telling Competition**, "Tell your Tale" organized by Whiz Kids Carnival. Both have qualified for the National Level competition.
- 2. Parin Kumar Jha of class 9 was one of the top 10 winners in the **International Humanity Olympiad**, 2023. The felicitation ceremony was held at Haryana.
- 3. In "Dr. Homi Bhabha Bal Vaidnyanik Competition', Raunak Raj of Class 10, secured Gold Medal and Cash prize of Rs. 3000; and in the same competition, Arnav Yashwantrao & Swayam Trivedi of Class 6, secured Silver Medals. Shrihan Purkar of Class 6, was recently awarded a Bronze medal in 2024 and was honoured as 'Balvaidnyanik'.

- 4. In the "Sustainability Accelerator Program 2023", in collaboration with CBSE, Raunak Raj of Class 10 was recognized as the Sustainability Champion among the group of twenty students at the Aditya Birla Fashion and Retail Limited, corporate office.
- 5. Anushka Shukla of class 12 secured State Rank 1 in "National Assessment for Scientific Temperament & Aptitude or NASTA 2023".
- 6. Bhavishya Gupta of Class 12, secured first Rank in the Zonal level of the **International Commerce Olympiad.** He received a cash prize of Rs. 10,000/- a Zonal Gold medal and a Certificate of Zonal Excellence and Distinction for his outstanding performance.
- 7. Our Students of classes 8 and 9 secured second prize in **Marathi Nukkad Natak** organized by Panvel Mahanagar Palika.
- 8. Sanika Khadke and Pritika Shetty of class 8 secured third prize in the **Jingle Competition organized** by Panvel Mahanagar Palika.
- 9. **Gitanjali The Literary Fest 'Natya abhinay'** was organized by BBPS NTPC, Sipat. Aarya Katti & Mrunmayee S stood First among the 8 participant schools.
- 10. 'Vivekotsav 2024' was organised by Ramakrishna Math & Ramakrishna Mission, Mumbai. Aryan Kumar Shilpshree, Anand Vaibhav Bhadane, Aditi Nilesh Kalekar and Sara Mohapatra were the proud winners.

Sports Champions and their Indomitable Spirits...

School Annual Sports Day and Mini Sports Day, are exciting and action-packed events, for our students to participate. Indeed, the participation of our students in various sports competitions, have brought laurels to the school. A few sports achievements among many are mentioned here.

At 2nd Sub Junior & Junior District Aquatics Championship 2023, organized by Karnala Sports Academy, Panvel: Nabhya Kumar of Class I, earned 4 Gold Medals in U/6 category. Spandan Srivastava of Class I, also bagged 4 silver medals in U/8 category.

Nitya Kumar of class 9, won 3 Gold and 2 Silver Medals.

In Maharashtra State Karate Championship 2023: Liban Shaikh secured 1st Place in Individual Boys event. Swaradhaya Bhunesar secured 3rd Place in Individual Girls event.

In National level Athletics competition organised by SGFI: Nithila Marimuthu of Class 8 participated and secured fourth position in U/14, High Jump.

In WAKO National Kickboxing Championship: Stanley J Varghese of class 10 won 2 gold medals in the U/16 category and has been selected for the International level. Stanley also won 2 Bronze medals in the WAKO National Kickboxing Championship 2023. In addition to that, he won a Gold & a Bronze Medal in the 3rd International WAKO Kickboxing Tournament held at K.D.Jadhav Wrestling Stadium, New Delhi.

Martial Art Championship 2024: Om Shrijit Nair of class 5 won 2 Gold medals, a Silver and a Bronze medal along with a trophy, in the 23rd State level Martial Art Championship 2024, conducted by Indian Martial Art Federation. The school bagged the Overall Runners-Up trophy in NMASA Championship.

In the CBSE CLUSTER held at Shirdi, Ahmednagar Football Boys team under 19 secured 3rd position. In Navi Mumbai Area Sports Association, our students vigorously participated in many events and won prizes and top positions.

BBPS Inter Unit Sports Meet was held in October 2023, at BBPS, Pitampura & BBPS Rohini. BBPS, Navi Mumbai were the winners of the: 2nd place in Volleyball Boys and 3rd place in Volleyball Girls. We also lifted the Runners Up trophy for Athletic Girls' Championship.

Tapping the Talents and Shaping the Inner Strengths...

Bal Bharati aims at the holistic growth of its students. The school strongly believes in all-round development. It helps in exploring the talents and shaping the inner strengths of the students. The students participate in various inter- house and inter- school competitions to get an exposure to the competitive world outside. Inter-house competitions like Elocution, Creative Writing, Debate, Quiz, Art, Role Play and many others are regularly conducted in school. As has been the practice, the parents are invited to judge these competitions. The Annual Day 'Udaan' for classes 10 and 12 was organized in April 2023. For Nursery and PP to Class 3, Annual Days were organized separately, in December 2023, with themes 'The World of Fantasy' and 'The Sleeping Beauty'. The Annual Day 'Folk Lore...the Mosaic', was successfully organized in April 2024 with utmost vibrance and splendor.

Learners Hub...Co-scholastic Activities and Clubs...

The school clubs offer our students a platform to excel, in varied dimensions. Aaroh, the Music Club, Nupur the Dance club, TED Ed Club, United Nations Club, Career Alley Club and other subject related clubs are very active and dynamic clubs, to keep the students regularly involved, in learning new things. Students of classes 11 and 12 Commerce, organized a 'Market Day' with an aim to provide a platform for future entrepreneurs. Our students eagerly participated in the CBSE initiatives like Veer Gatha, NSPSC, Aryabhatt Ganit Challenge Exam, Shramdaan for Swachha Bharat, National Level Dhai Akhar Letter Writing Competition & Parikshe Pe Charcha to name a few.

Real Learning happens outside the Classroom...

Student Council...Leaders in making...

The Student Council body was formed and deserving students were appointed for various leadership posts. The Investiture Ceremony was grandly organized in school, for them to solemnly take the oath, to fulfill their responsibilities whole-heartedly.

Trips and Excursions...

The school every year, organizes field trips, tours, and excursions, such as visit to the Post office, Banks, Places of worship, Adventure tours, Picnics etc. in order to provide exposure and develop life skills in students, by giving them a hands-on learning experience.

Festive spirit is the state of mind that fills us with Celebrations and Jubilations...

Our vibrant teams make every occasion memorable by celebrating the National, State and School functions and events. During the special assembly, the significance of these important days are explained to the students. All National festivals, School Anniversary, Teachers Day, Grandparents Day, Dahi Handi, Dandiya, Enactment of Ramayan, Christmas, Winter Carnival and Farewell are a few events that our students eagerly wait and look forward to. The school also conducts Hawan every year, for the students of Classes 10 and 12 to invoke the blessings of the Almighty.

A Gateway to Proficiency Development...Workshops and Seminars for Teachers and Students...

During the year, teachers, and administrators of BBPS Navi Mumbai attended various workshops conducted by CBSE, NCERT, BBPS Training Centre and other Premiere training institutions. Capacity Building Programme, NEP 2020, Financial Literacy, 21st Century Skills of Teaching and Subject Specific Workshops were regularly conducted. The school had also conducted workshops for students on relevant topics such as Effective Communication, Design Thinking and Innovation, Stress Management, Understanding Puberty, Cyber bullying, to name a few.

Heartfelt Gratitude & Thanks...

All these achievements would not have been possible without the constant support and guidance of the School Management, the President, CES, Mr. Nikhil Channa, Joint Sec. CES, Mr. L.V Sehgal, Chairperson Navi Mumbai Ms. Meenu Goswami and Secretary/Manager, Mr. Arvind Bhatia. They have been the strong pillars of this esteemed institution.

The PTA Members & Parents have always extended their unreserved, unconditional and strong backing to help us in our endeavours.

The **trained staff & well-qualified faculty** is the asset to any school and BBPS has always ensured and maintained, to never compromise on this fundamental aspect, of imparting education to the students. The valuable contribution of all the stakeholders is the key to our success. To conclude, the famous words of Francis Bacon, is pertinent, 'We rise to great heights by a winding staircase of small steps.'

Mrs. Kalpana Dwivedi Principal, BBPS Navi Mumbai

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