

INVESTITURE CEREMONY

Leaders pledge to carry out duties with loyalty, diligence



The investiture ceremony was held on August 12, 2022. Students of classes VI to VIII were elected as council members. Students of classes I to VIII were part of this ceremony.

The ceremony started with a melodious and motivational song, followed by the welcome dance. The

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students council marched forward to take over responsibilities. Badges were pinned and the oath administered.

ated. Disha Rao and Kushal Surajkar of class VIII were elected as head girl and Head boy, Shreevatsa Siddharaju as discipline captain, Shreya Shirwadkar as cultural captain and Himani Ravish as sports captain. The House captains and vice captains are Dhruv House - Hema K and Sai Vedaanth, Polaris House - Vidula C H and Kushal R, Indus House - Raulak Bharathi and Tanya Singh, Sirius House - Shaarav Shresta and Anushka M. Prakruthi R was named band captain.

The head girl and head boy gave speeches promising to carry out their duties with enthusiasm and diligence and to follow all rules, help and support everyone.

It was yet another stupendous Thursday on August 4, 2022, as the students' council were awarded their badges of office during the marvelous Investiture ceremony.

The rhythmic accord of the

ANAND SHIKSHA KENDRA

school band along with the synchronized marching of the students was a great visual and auditory

treat. The elected students received their badges from director Renu Kapoor. Principal Neelima Teotia administered the oath and motivated students to keep moving forward, despite all the obstacles and challenges in life.

The students' council took their oath with all sincerity and diligence and promised to uphold the glory of the school.

We wish all the elected students a great tenure of office and good physical and mental health.



The Investiture ceremony for the academic session 2022-23 was held on July 29, 2022. The event was presided over by company secretary and director of Kuruhuna Shetty Kendra Sangha, Devika Satyanarayana, who was the chief guest. The programme was held with a high degree of earnestness and passion.

The ceremony commenced with the lighting of the lamp followed by Saraswati Vandana, which signifies removal of darkness. The elected leaders were conferred with badges and sashes by the chief guest. She congratulated them and advised them to be impartial and honest in discharging their duties. She also exhorted

them to uphold the values of the school. The students' council took the pledge to hold the school motto of Loyalty, Truth and Honour

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in high esteem.

Principal Sharlet D'sa appreciated and congratulated the leaders and advised them to be role models. She extended a supporting hand to the students' council for the smooth running of the school.



School celebrates Kargil Vijay Diwas

The school celebrated 'Kargil Vijay Diwas' on July 23, 2022. NCC Cadets conducted the morning assembly. Students sang patriotic songs, filling the entire atmosphere



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with patriotism. A mime depicting the tough life of Indian soldiers, and a dance were part of the programme.

Principal Kamala Selvarajan, Headmistress Ameeta Rao and ANO Umesh paid floral tribute to martyred soldiers. Cadet Anakha Krishnan spoke on the importance of celebrating Kargil Diwas and on the gallant efforts and sacrifices

of the Armed Forces. She instilled a feeling of patriotism and unity among every student.

Principal Kamala Selvarajan explained the importance of Kargil Vijay Diwas. She succeeded in making every student understand the true value of a great fighter and true soldiers. She urged them to maintain universal brotherhood.

The investiture ceremony was another proud moment for all the cadets, forming its much awaited Board of Prefects. Cadet Prajwal was ranked as Sergeant by the principal. Cadet Alisha and Cadet Shreyas H S as Cadet Corporals, Cadet Vedant, Cadet Thanushree P and Cadet Sivanya S Pillai as Leading Flight Cadets.

The vote of thanks was given by Cadet Corporal Shreyas H S followed by NCC song and National Anthem.

Clubs and activities enhance skill and talent development

Every activity in school life, be it inside the classroom or in the playground, plays a significant role in the development of students. Co-curricular activities are an essential part of school life and help in enhancing the learning process of students at school.



With holistic development of all children as its objective, the school set up a few clubs to conduct CCA activities.

AMRITA INTERNATIONAL VIDYALAYAM, CHOODASANDRA

The clubs are literature club, science and eco club, heritage club and math club.

The CCA classes enable enthusiastic participation of children and ensure both skill development and talent recognition.

Some of the popular and interesting CCA activities conducted this year are character traits tree, warli painting, capillary action, waste management, fireless cooking, pot painting, creating math crosswords, showing stages of germination using pista shells, creating models of volcanoes etc.

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Research scientist with Energy and Wetland Research Group Harish R Bhat and Justice B K Somasekhara, former Judge High Court of Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh, were the chief guests for the programme. Various cultural programmes were conducted. School secretary B N Channappa, joint secretary S Mruthyunjaya, treasurer Lokaprakash, principal Hamsa T M were part of the programme.



BGS WORLD SCHOOL NAGARUR



The school celebrated the 76th Independence Day with patriotic ardour.

SHRI SHARADA VIDYANIKETANA, AREKERE

Secretary C R Narayan hoisted the national flag. The national anthem and the song Jhanda uncha rahe hamara was sung. The students of classes V to X marched in the surroundings of Arekere shouting slogans and holding placards. Principal Sandhya Narayan and headmaster Ravindra C A were present at the celebrations.



SHARADA VIDYALAYA SCHOOL T G HALLI

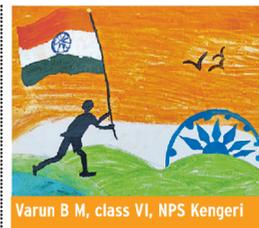
Students commemorated Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav with patriotic fervour. The chief guest Tennis Krishna hoisted the national flag and gave the inaugural address. Principal Vasanti Bhatt inspected the guard of honour. A plethora of events were scheduled with feelings of patriotism running high in the audience. Students, teachers and non-teaching staff together made this event a grand success.



Shamant B Shetty, class IX, Florence Public School



Sumith S Solankar, class IX, SJBS School



Varun B M, class VI, NPS Kengeri



Niharika H, class IX, Carmel High School, Basaveshwaranagar

ANANTHA VIDYANIKETANA



Children displaying the united colours of pride during the Independence Day celebrations

RAINTREE SCHOOL

Independence Day was celebrated with lot of happiness. Our chief guest for the occasion was police Sub-Inspector Saddam Nadaf, accompanied by Asst Sub-Inspector, Tilaknagar, Abdul Rouf. Principal Anthony George was present on the occasion.





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MODRIC, BENZEMA SCORE AS DEFENDING CHAMPS POST SECOND STRAIGHT WIN



Luka Modric

Champions Real Madrid got their second consecutive win of the new La Liga season with a comfortable 4-1 victory at Celta Vigo on Saturday. Croatia midfielder Luka Modric, 36, showed his everlasting value on the pitch by scoring a brilliant goal and assisting Vinicius for another. Karim Benzema opened the scoring for the spot in the 14th minute after the VAR spotted a handball inside the box but Celta equalised nine minutes later with a penalty of their own from Iago Aspas, after another handball. Celta looked to be in control, however, in the 41st minute Luka Modric worked his magic by curling a



Vinicius Junior (R) celebrates scoring their third goal with Luka Modric

shot from just outside the box into the upper left corner.

After the break, Modric teed up Vinicius to score the third in a lightning fast counter-attack in the 56th minute. After shining in Real's come from behind win at Almeria last week, Vinicius had another brilliant performance as he was a constant threat to Celta's defence with his speed and talent. Ten minutes after scoring the third, he created another clinical counter-attack that Federico Valverde finished to wrap up the points for Real.

CELTA OVATION FOR MODRIC

Modric was substituted eleven minutes later and received a standing ovation by Celta fans, who applauded the 2018 Ballon D'Or winner: "It's beautiful when your rival's fans acknowledge the work that you put in," Modric said. "It's special, I'm touched and have no words to thank their gesture... We played a great game, mainly starting from the end of the first half. It's great to start the season with two wins and playing well." Modric played alongside youngsters



Federico Valverde

Aurelien Tchouameni and Eduardo Camavinga in Real's first game without Casemiro. The French duo were solid as they alternated in the defensive midfielder role, but they also added an extra gear and quality that Carlo Ancelotti's team didn't seem to have with the Brazilian. Substitute Eden Hazard had a chance to score with another penalty kick, given for a foul on Benzema, but goalkeeper Agustin Marchesin saved the Belgium forward's effort. AGENCIES

THREE SUCCESSIVE WINS FOR ARSENAL

Arsenal opened a Premier League campaign with three successive wins for the first time in 18 years after Martin Odegaard's brace fired them to a classy 3-0 win at Bournemouth on Saturday. North



Martin Odegaard

London rivals Tottenham Hotspur had earlier moved top as Harry Kane's 250th goal for the club sealed a gritty 1-0 home win against Wolverhampton Wanderers. But Mikel Arteta's Arsenal were far too good for newly-promoted Bournemouth on the south coast and they could have won by more. Fulham maintained their impressive start to the campaign as they beat Brentford 3-2 in an exciting west London derby to move into fourth spot on the table.



Karim Benzema

QUIZ TIME



Mirabai Chanu

Q1: How many kgs did Mirabai Chanu lift in total to win the gold medal for India at CWG 2022?

- a) 201 b) 265 c) 288 d) 240

Q2: Which city will host the FIBA U18 women's Asian Basketball Championship 2022 from September 5 to 11?

- a) Mumbai b) Ahmedabad c) Delhi d) Bangalore

Q3: Which Ireland cricketer announced his retirement from international cricket in August 2022?

- a) Paul Stirling b) Kevin O'Brien c) Simi Singh d) Craig Young

Q4: Which country will host the Sultan Azlan Shah Cup 2022?

- a) South Korea b) Malaysia c) India d) China

Q5: Durand Cup 2022, Asia's oldest tournament, is related to which sport?

- a) Football b) Tennis c) Basketball d) Cricket

ANSWERS:

1. a. 201 2. d. Bangalore 3. b. Kevin O'Brien
4. b. Malaysia 5. a. Football

PLAN WAS TO HIT ONE AREA CONSISTENTLY: SIRAJ

SERIES IN BAG, INDIA LOOK TO COMPLETE WHITewASH ZIMBABWE IN 3-MATCH ODI SERIES



Mohammed Siraj

Following his side's five-wicket win over Zimbabwe in the second ODI, Indian pacer Mohammed Siraj said that his plan was to hit one area consistently. Top knocks from Sanju Samson, Shubman Gill and Shikhar Dhawan coupled with strong bowling from Team India crushed Zimbabwe by five wickets in the second ODI of the three-match series here on Saturday. "The way I was bowling in West Indies and England, especially with the new ball and the way I bowled in the first ODI here, I had a good rhythm. I had a plan to bowl and hit one area consistently," said Siraj.

Siraj delivered a brilliant spell in the match, taking 1 wicket for 16 runs in eight overs which also included two maidens.

Questioned about his good recent performances in white ball cricket, the bowler said that he kept a belief in himself. "Life is about up and downs. I had plans to hit one area consistently, give dot balls and create pressure on batters. When I use the new ball, I can go for wickets. White ball does not swing a lot. So,

I can go for wickets when it swings but when it does not, I focus on hitting one area consistently and delivering dot balls," he added.

Talking about his relationship with stand-in head coach VVS Laxman, Siraj said that he knows him since his playing days at Sunrisers Hyderabad when he was head coach there.



INDIA FAVOURITES FOR ASIA CUP

India will enter the upcoming Asia Cup in the UAE as defending champions. As usual, Rohit Sharma-led side will begin their campaign against Pakistan on August 28.

"He gives me a lot of confidence. It feels good when coaches like this are around," he added. With this victory, India has a 2-0 lead in the series with one match to go.

Zimbabwe were bundled out for 161 in just 38.1 overs. Sean Williams (42) and Ryan Burl (41*) put on some fight but Indian bowlers got consistent wick-

ets. Shardul Thakur took 3/38 for India. Siraj, Krishna, Kuldeep, Hooda and Axar Patel got one wicket each. Chasing 162, India lost KL Rahul early for just one. Following this, Shikhar Dhawan (33) and Shubman Gill (33) rebuilt the innings. A 42-run stand between the two was broken after Tanaka Chivanga trapped Dhawan.

Ishan Kishan and Gill continued forming a 36-run stand. Kishan (6) and Gill fell quickly to Luke Jongwe (2/33) and it gave India a scare. But a 56-run stand between Sanju Samson (43*) and Deepak Hooda (25) took Men in Blue home, though Hooda was dismissed just a few balls before the win. Samson was adjudged as 'Man of the Match' for his 43* off 39 balls. AGENCIES

RACING AGAINST TIME



Japan's rider Ayumu Asaki of Sterilgarda Husqvarna Max leads during the Moto GP race as part of the Austrian motorcycle Grand Prix at Red Bull Ring in Spielberg, Austria on Sunday

KICHENOK, OSTAPENKO CAPTURE WOMEN'S DOUBLES TITLE

Lyudmyla Kichenok and Jelena Ostapenko continued a powerful season by winning their biggest team title so far at the Western and Southern Open on Saturday. Kichenok and Ostapenko defeated Nicole Melichar-Martinez and Ellen Perez 7-6(5), 6-3 in one hour and 24 minutes to capture the WTA 1000 title in Cincinnati.

After finally getting on the court, it was the Melichar-Martinez and Perez duo who originally held the upper hand, breaking Ostapenko in the first game of the match and building a 4-2 lead. Kichenok and Ostapenko, though, got back on serve at 4-4.

In the tiebreak, Ostapenko return gave her team a duo of set points, and Kichenok and Ostapenko transformed the second of the two to eke out the one-set lead. There were no break points through 3-3 in the second set, but after that, Kichenok and Ostapenko cruised to the title, winning the final four games of the match. "It's my biggest title and I'm very happy," Kichenok said after the match. "It's hard to describe, it's amazing. I just can't find the words. I'm still a bit shaky after the match, it's very exciting," she added. AFI



Jelena Ostapenko of Latvia (L) and Lyudmyla Kichenok of Ukraine pose with their trophies