



# ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOL WELLINGTON



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## EMPOWERING FUTURE LEADERS: HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE INVESTITURE CEREMONY

*"Leadership is not about a title or a designation. It's about impact, influence, and inspiration."*

— Robin Sharma

On July 11th, the school proudly hosted its **Investiture Ceremony** for the new student council members. The event was graced by the esteemed presence of Brigadier RK Prusty VSM. The Investiture Ceremony was a memorable occasion, highlighting the importance of leadership and the role of student council in the school community.



## STUDENTS' CABINET

Head Boy	- M Sundramoorthy (XII Sci)
Head Girl	- Shagun Mohanty (XII Com)
Vice School Captain	- Harsh Chauhan (XI Sci)
Sports Captain	- Kabir Malik (XII Sci)
Vice Sports Captain	- Santhara Elizabeth Maria (XI Hum)
Cultural Captain	- L. Priyanka (XII Com)
Vice Cultural Captain	- Lakshita Gangola (XI Sci)
Discipline Captain	- M. Mridhula (XII Hum)
Vice Discipline Captain	- G. Midhuna (XI Com)
Prefects	- Saanvi raj (X) Avika Shukla (IXA)

### GANDHI

Captain	- S. Asha Jennifer (XII Hum)
Vice Captain	- Jaitheerth (XI Com)
Sports Captain	- Samarjith J (XI Sci)
Prefects	- Rithika (X) Kaavya Dutt (IXA)

### TAGORE

Captain	- R. Uma Rani (XII Hum)
Vice Captain	- Allen Jude (XI Hum)
Sports Captain	- Niya Mariam Shibu (IXA)
Prefects	- R.S. Dharsha (X) Anna Joseph (IXA)

### NEHRU

Captain	- R. Rohit (XII Hum)
Vice Captain	- Dhara Menon (XI Sci)
Sports Captain	- Avani Dileep A (IX B)
Prefects	- R.S. Dharsha (X) Nidhi M Krishnan (IX B)

### PATEL

Captain	- A. Sheik Mukhtar (XII Sci)
Vice Captain	- Nikhil N (XI Sci)
Sports Captain	- Sri Nikesh (XI Sci)
Prefects	- K. Pranitha (X) Aada Mehta (IXA)



## UNVEILING NEW HORIZONS: INAUGURATION OF DIVERSE CLUBS

*"Let passion be the fuel that drives our aspirations."*

On the 3rd of July, a momentous event took place as the inauguration of several clubs was held, offering students diverse opportunities to engage in extracurricular activities. The clubs inaugurated were the Literary club, Science Club, Math Club, Quizzing Club, Art and Craft and Photography Club, Dance and Music Club, Entrepreneurship Club, IT and Robotics Club and YUVA Tourism Club. The event commenced with a formal welcome speech by the in-charge of each club who emphasized the importance of these clubs in fostering a well-round educational experience.



## EYE SCREENING: ENSURING VISION HEALTH FOR EVERY CHILD

*"Vision is the art of seeing what is invisible to others."*

*– Jonathan Swift*

On July 3rd, 4th and 9th, a free eye check-up event was successfully conducted by Eye Foundation, Ooty for the students and teachers. The event aimed to provide essential eye care services to the young population, ensuring their visual health and well-being.

## WATER WONDERS: WHY EVERY DROP COUNTS

*"Water is life's matter and matrix, mother and medium.  
There is no life without water."*

*– Albert Szent-Györgyi*

A movie focusing on the critical importance of water and the impacts of water pollution was screened for the students on July 8. The film aimed to raise awareness about the importance of water resources and the need to address pollution issues affecting them. The movie served as an effective educational tool, enhancing students' knowledge about water – related issues and encouraging them to take personal responsibility for preserving this vital resource.



## PRIZE DISTRIBUTION FOR SPELL BEE COMPETITION WINNERS

*"Words are the most powerful tool we have;  
mastering them is the key to unlocking endless  
possibilities."*

The Spellbee International Examination, held in March 2024, recognized its top achievers during the school assembly on 9 July 2024. Students awarded were Thusyanth K.S. from Class X, Prashast Sharma from Class VIII, M. Rajalakshmi from Class V, and R.A. Piranesh from Class VI. Their remarkable performances were celebrated, showcasing their dedication and success in the competition.



# LEADERSHIP AND GROWTH: OUR EDUCATORS' RECENT TRIUMPHS

*"The influence of a great teacher can never be erased; their impact is felt long after the classroom ends."*

On July 9th, our school celebrated two outstanding achievements. Ms. Hema Frank, Principal, received the **"Leadership in Education Award"** from SpellBee International for her exceptional leadership. Meanwhile, Ms. Abhirami, SpellBee Coordinator, was honoured with the **"Guardian of Growth Award"** for her dedication to student development. Both were recognized during the school assembly for their remarkable contributions.



## HONOURING THE HEROES: REMEMBRANCE OF KARGIL VIJAY DIWAS

*"The legacy of heroes is the memory of a great name  
and the inheritance of a great example."*

— Benjamin Disraeli

To commemorate the 25th anniversary of **Kargil Vijay Diwas**, our school organized a series of competitions from 18th 24th July to honour the bravery and sacrifice of our soldiers. The competitions aimed to instill patriotism and educate students about the significance of this day.



## SHIKSHA SAPTAH: A WEEK OF EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE

*"The greatest gift of education is the power to transform  
dreams into reality."*

**Shiksha Saptah**, held from July 22 to 28, 2024, commemorated the 4th anniversary of NEP 2020 with a series of activities including TLM Day, FLN Day, Sports Day, and Cultural Day. These events, organized under the guidance of Ministry of Education, emphasized the importance of education and recognized the contributions of educators and students. The success of Shiksha Saptah was a testament to the collaborative efforts of the school administration, teachers, students, and parents.



## FREEDOM FIGHTERS' PARADE AND PRESENTATION

*"Our freedom fighters taught us that the strength of a  
nation lies in the courage and determination of its people."*

On 24th July, students of Classes 3 to 5 participated in a vibrant **Character Dress-Up Parade and Presentation** as part of an interhouse competition. The theme of **"Freedom Fighters"** was brought to life through engaging presentations in both English and Hindi. The event celebrated the heroic figures of our history, showcasing the students' creativity and understanding of our freedom struggle.





## EMPOWERING GIRLS THROUGH HEALTH AND HYGIENE

*"Good health is the foundation of a bright future."*

On 24th July, Ms. Aakriti Thapliyal conducted insightful counseling sessions for girls of Classes 6 to 8, focusing on grooming, health, and hygiene. The sessions emphasized the importance of self-care and well-being. Ms. Aakriti's practical tips and guidance left a lasting impact on the students, encouraging them to prioritize their health.



## NURTURING STRENGTH AND WELL-BEING

*"True empowerment comes from caring for oneself."*

Ms. Aakriti Thapliyal conducted an insightful session on 27th July 2024 for girls of Classes 9 to 12, focusing on empowerment and self-care. The session emphasized the importance of self-awareness, mental well-being, and physical health. Through engaging discussions and practical tips, Ms. Thapliyal inspired the students to prioritize their holistic development, ensuring they are equipped to face challenges with confidence and resilience.



## STANDING STRONG AGAINST BULLYING

*"Courage is fire, and bullying is smoke."*

From 8th to 13th July 2024, Ms. Aakriti Thapliyal conducted a series of sessions for students of Classes 6 to 10, addressing the critical issue of bullying. The sessions highlighted the importance of empathy, respect, and standing up against bullying. Through interactive discussions and real-life examples, Ms. Thapliyal empowered students to recognize bullying behaviors and take a firm stand, fostering a safer and more inclusive school environment.



## HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE BAGLESS DAY ACTIVITIES

*"Learning is not confined to a classroom; it is an adventure that happens wherever we go."*

The Bagless day activities conducted on 31st July was an engaging and educational event designed to enhance students observational and analytical skills. The activities spanned across multiple classes from III to class IX and XI, ensuring a wide range of student participation.



## SPECIAL ASSEMBLIES

### KARGIL VIJAY DIWAS: A HEARTFELT TRIBUTE TO OUR MARTYRS

*"Our flag does not fly because the wind moves it; it flies with the last breath of each soldier who died protecting it."*  
- Vikram Batra

On 26th July, for **Kargil Vijay Diwas**, the school held a special assembly featuring an inspiring drama by class VIII A. The performance captivated the audience. The assembly concluded with a solemn minute of silence for the martyrs and the National Anthem, uniting everyone in patriotism and respect.



### WORLD TIGER DAY: A MUSICAL DRAMA HIGHLIGHTS CONSERVATION EFFORTS

*"Tigers are not just majestic creatures, but symbols of strength and resilience. Protect them, and we protect the spirit of our natural world."*

On 29th July, **World Tiger Day** was celebrated with great enthusiasm. The special assembly organized to mark this significant day featured a captivating musical drama highlighting the importance of tiger conservation.



## TODDLER'S TOWN

### EXPLORING NATURE: A GREEN DAY NATURE WALK EXPERIENCE

*"In every walk with nature, one receives far more than he seeks."* — John Muir

On **Green Day** the Young Buds of Balvatika participated in a nature walk to explore and observe the various forms of greenery and trees in our local area. The aim was to develop an appreciation for nature and to understand the importance of preserving our natural surroundings.



### COLOUR YOUR WORLD: A VIBRANT ACTIVITY FOR CREATIVE MINDS

*"Coloring is not just a fun activity; it's a way to bring imagination to life and create beauty from within."*

To reinforce the concept of colours through an activity paint applied to the cap of a bottle filled with plain water. When the bottle was shaken, the paint mixed with water, creating coloured water.





## CELEBRATING DIVERSITY: CULTURAL DRESS-UP DAY



*"Cultural diversity is the tapestry of our humanity; each thread adds richness and beauty to our collective story."*

A **Cultural Dress-up Day** was conducted on 25th July. Students dressed in traditional clothing from different regions of India. The event aimed to showcase the rich diversity of our cultural heritage and foster a sense of unity and appreciation among students.

## LITTLE EXPLORERS: HANDS-ON LEARNING ADVENTURE

*"Learning is a journey, not a destination. Sometimes the best lessons are found outside the classroom."*

The **"Bagless Day"** activity was organized for the kindergarten students on 31st July to provide them with a break from their routine academic schedule and to engage them in fun, interactive, and educational activities. The primary goal was to encourage experiential learning, social interaction, and creative expression.



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