# April & May Highlights

Be of good courage, and he shall strengthen your heart, all ye that hope in the Lord.

Psalm 31:24



## HAPPY EARTH DAY



#### Earth Day

22/4/20: The prevailing lockdown revived the Blue planet naturally. It also taught us to be positive and continue to shoulder our responsibility towards Mother Earth. And we as Educators continued our efforts of spreading knowledge and awareness among our students. From Classes I to V, different innovative activities like Colouring, Bookmark making, Recycling old papers or newspapers to make new products were organized and the participation of students was overwhelming. Students of Classes I, II and III made beautiful table organisers out of waste material available at home during this time. Children enthusiastically participated in an Online quiz organized for them by their teachers. It was a wonderful experience for students, their parents and teachers.





#### Labour Day

1/5/20: Various activities were designed for the students from classes I to V to express their gratitude towards the Corona Frontline Warriors. Students expressed their thoughts and feelings toward them through hand-made Cards, Poster messages, self composed Songs and Poems. Children designed thanks-giving badges for themselves and their family members. They wore these badges, took selfies and used them as their DP on Social Media as a mark of their respect, towards these Frontline Warriors.



9/5/20: On the occasion of Mother's Day, Children from classes I to V prepared beautiful cards for their Mothers. These cards were a medium of expression of their love, gratitude and appreciation for the unconditional love of Mothers round the globe.









12/5/20: Students from classes II to V participated enthusiastically in the firstever *Online* Inter School Competition **Kriti** organised by DAV Public School Ashok Vihar.

Student's Name	Class	Name of the event	Position Secured
Sejal	V-E	Poster Making (Peace in Corona Pain)	3rd
Aadya Mendiratta	II-A	Voice of Universe (short play)	3rd
Prisha Arora	III-D	Appreciate the Angels (speech)	Participated
Ashni	IV-F	Fashion Facing the Fear (modeling)	Participated

15/5/20: Students of classes IV and V participated in *Online* Inter School Competition organised by DLDAV Model School, Shalimar Bagh.

Name Of Participant	Class & Sec	Event	Theme
Varisha Haseeb	IV-C	HASH-Design A Poster	Prevention Is Better Than Cure
Vanshika		BOHEMIA-Drift Into Music ( <b>षडज</b> )	Song Dedicated To Children
Daksha		BOHEMIA - Dance & Dazzle	Freestyle

22/5/20: DAV Centenary Public School, Pashim Enclave organised an Inter School Competition which gave students a platform to showcase their talent.

Following are the names of the participants and their events:

Name Of Participants	Class & Sec	Event	Theme
Kyna Aggarwal	2-B		Tiny Tatvas (Fancy Dress Competition)
Ashni Malhotra	4-F	DAV TECHNOSIS 1.0	FRUITASTIC (Fruit Art using TUX PAINT)

### Online CBSE Workshops & Webinar attended by Teachers

Learning gives creativity, creativity leads to thinking, thinking provides knowledge, and knowledge makes you great.

-Dr. A.J. Abdul Kalam

#### 12.5.20: Workshops & Webinar were attended by teachers on various topics:

Kolb's Cycle of Learning - The workshop was very informative and interactive. It was based on the application of Kolb's cycle of Experiential Learning. Being an interactive session, it provided great opportunity to share new ideas and strategies to critically evaluate the learning provisions typically available to the students and also how to develop more learning opportunities for the students. The workshop reinforces to bring our attention on the identification of learning process which must be child centric for a specific subject.

**Multiple Intelligence**- The workshop discussed about 'The Theory of *Multiple Intelligence*' given by Dr. Howard Gardener in 1983. This theory helps a teacher to observe different abilities of students in a new perspective and how teacher can enhance their abilities in a normal classroom teaching-learning. In this workshop, teacher's role as a motivator and guide was discussed, for enhancing the ability of students.

**Digital Learning and Management -** The workshop was about conducting online classes and making it interactive using Kahoot software an online gaming platform to engage students in the learning process. It includes tools like Quizzes, Puzzles and slides. The website <a href="mailto:exam.net">exam.net</a> a secured platform to conduct online exams was also introduced. The workshop was informative as well as interactive.

**23.5.20:** Ratna Sagar Publication organized a webinar on the topic **Physical Activity and Immunity** Dr. Piyush Jain, Secretry PEFI and Dr. Jogeshwer Goswami, Asst. Director, Amity University were the panelist and Mr. Abid Ansari was the Moderator. Dr. Piyush Jain introduced the topic by briefly discussing about how to maintain health and fitness by doing regular exercises such as Jogging, Aerobics, Yoga etc. One must develop healthy eating habits and avoid junk food, Alcohol, Smoking. Dr. Jogeshwer Goswami took up details by showing slides and explaining how exercising and immunity are inter-related. He also elaborated on how to boost immunity by sensible diet and getting adequate sleep. The Webinar was very informative.

## How to Manage Time Effectively 26<sup>th</sup> May'20 - 27<sup>th</sup> May'20

"A man who dares to waste one hour of time has not discovered the value of life".

~Charles Darwin

The School organised the webinar for the students of Class V on 26.05.2020 and Class IV on 27.05.2020. The topic of the webinar was 'How to Manage Time Effectively'. The School Counselor, Dr. Anu Goel (Clinical Psychologist) addressed the students by discussing about COVID-19 and the effective measures and precautions that they should take during this time of pandemic. She also explained them how to use their time constructively and wisely amidst COVID-19 by indulging in various activities like, learning new language, and skills like Stitching, Baking, Painting, Craft work and laid emphasis on enhancing their habit of reading books etc. She also suggested to refrain themselves from long hours on cell phones, television, and laptops and regulate their screen time. Instead they should keep a check on their Health both Physical and Mental, by practicing Yoga, Exercises, Dance, and other Physical Fitness regimes. Towards the end of the session, students shared their experiences, how they have been spending their time in growing plants, baking cake, making ice cream and many more. She appreciated their efforts and motivated them to utilise their time profitably and more creatively.

This time of pandemic could not stop us, as technology helped the students, parents and teachers to help children enhance their knowledge and exhibit their talents with confidence. The mutual efforts of all are worth appreciating.

