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PPS VIBES – JUNE 2021

Welcome 2021-2022

Dear Parents & Children,

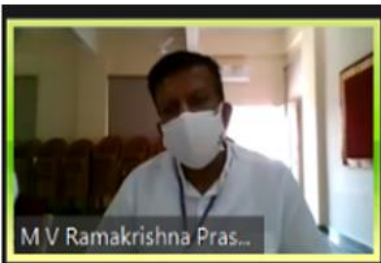
This year we are planning for the academic year like no other year. Children are adapted and adopted to the new norm of learning. The teachers have brought in new expertise in to the class rooms. Optimistically hoping for restoration of normalcy at the very earliest and placing before you'll a new era of digital VIBES, the volume for June month - the 'one stop shop' to get connected and stay informed. Happy reading.

A Parent Teacher Meeting was held for the parents and students of Class X (2020-2021) on 05/04/2021. The meeting was convened by the Principal, Smt. B Nanda, to orient parents towards preparedness of students for the new academic year. The role of parents, students and their responsibilities with regard to academic and non-academic aspects, the dos and don'ts for effective online learning, importance of preventive measures for tackling COVID 19 were discussed.

On 29/05/2021, Assistant Secretary of PPS, Sri M. V. Ramakrishna Prasad Commandant 3rd Bn. had a virtual interaction with the class X students and parents to prepare them ahead for the new academic session. During his address, students were advised on tips and strategies to improve academic performances, and made aware about the newly laid out CBSE assessment policy. General concerns with regard to the conduction of online classes, regularity in attendance and student behaviour were also addressed.

World Environment Day was celebrated with zeal and enthusiasm on 05/06/2021 in the school following standard COVID protocol. The event commenced with the planting of a coconut tree sapling by Sri. Alok Kumar, IPS, ADGP, Smt. Preethi Potupu Reddy, Pranah Social Association, Smt. and Sri. Chalapathi, Civic leaders, Sri. MV Ramakrishna Prasad Commandant 3rd Bn., Sri. Raghunath K S, Commandant 4th Bn, Police officers, staff and extended family from 3rd and 4th Bn, KSRP, trainees from Police Training Institute, 3rd Bn, Frontline warriors of BBMP, parents and entire staff of PPS were part of this great event.

The Chairman inaugurated the seed-sowing programme by planting the seeds of Simarouba Glauca (Lakshmi Tau) which has anti-cancer properties, a bio fuel and a medicinal plant. This was followed by massive seed sowing (1000 numbers) programme by police personnel, staff and parents.

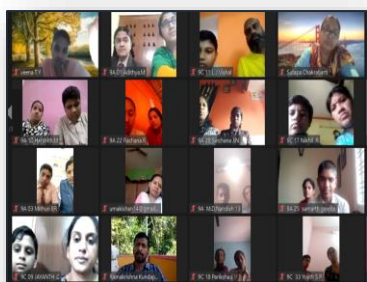




Around 1300 Lakshmi Taru seeds were generously donated by Smt. Preethi Potupu. She thanked the school and KSRP for inviting her to be part of the beautifully executed program. In her speech she emphasised how planting of seeds would be beneficial for the future generation and should inspire the young minds. The Chairman in his presidential address appreciated the environment friendly initiatives of KSRP. He also inaugurated the newly constructed Cycle Stand for 70 cycles, donated by Citizen for sustainability, an NGO. A talk was given by Sri. Halappa regarding usage of cycles in protecting environment. The Chairman distributed food grain kits to frontline warriors of BBMP. Sri M.V. RamaKrishna Prasad, Asst. Secretary, PPS & Smt. B. Nanda felicitated the Chairman and Smt. Preethi Potupu respectively. Sapling plantation near Police Training Institute was carried out by Smt. Chalapathi, Principal, VP, HM and Police personnel. Vote of thanks was proposed by Smt. Vaishali and programmes were compered by Sri Nagesh P.



On the same day, students and teachers of Police Public School took to the virtual platform to highlight the significance of the day. Students of Class X enthusiastically took part in creative activities like Face Painting, Model Making, Power Point presentation to spread awareness on environmental issues related to our planet. Students used natural and vibrant colors to paint their face and hands beautifully with an informative message on how to protect our Earth. They also addressed various issues on environmental damage like depletion of resources, extinction of wildlife, destruction of ecosystems through shadow play, models & mask making. PPT presentations were demonstrated by students on melting glaciers and their effect on sea level rise, global warming and in understanding global scale climate change. Teachers spoke on this year's theme 'Ecosystem Restoration' and students took oath to conserve their planet Earth. The celebration also was an occasion for students and teachers to bounce back with fun, exciting and creative ways to learn from nature.



Assessments are integral part of learning. The first online assessment was held for Class X from 01/06/2021 to 05/06/2021.

Parent orientation for Class IX was held through virtual meet on 06/06/2021. The Principal addressed parents & students of Class-IX regarding the general guidelines to be adopted by them. Parents were briefed about their roles & responsibilities to support smooth learning for their wards. Students were appraised about the netiquette for online learning.

On 07/06/2021 online classes commenced for Class IX.

World Ocean Day was celebrated through virtual meet on 08/06/2021. Virtual celebration was made highlighting this year's theme "Life and Livelihoods". Students of Class IX & X participated in Poster Making competition, Slogan writing & Drawing to create awareness about saving oceans. Pep talks and songs were part of the celebration.





World Day against Child Labour was observed through virtual meet on 12/06/2021 to raise awareness to prevent child labour. Slogan writing activity for Class IX and Poster Making for Class X were held. Power Point Presentation by teachers took children through the significance of the day, causes of child labour, Acts which protect child rights, world statistics and role of humans in eliminating child labour.

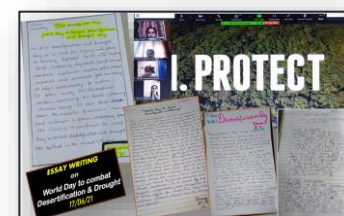


A webinar was conducted by PERC (Personalized Education Research Centre) on 13/06/2021. The Resource person was Shri Rahul Singh, Founder, PERC. The webinar was held for Class-IX students to facilitate a roadmap to excel in any field by improving concentration & focus. Key points were inculcating endurance & proper planning to achieve goals by channelizing mind in right way & not to fear failure.



Parent orientation for classes Nursery to Class VIII was held on 14/06/2021 to orient parents and students for the new academic year 2021-22. Class teachers welcomed the gathering and gave instructions with regard to conduction of classes, discipline, role of parents & students for an effective academic session.

On the World Day to combat Desertification & Drought, a virtual session was conducted on 17/06/2021 to raise awareness of the presence of desertification & drought. Various activities were held for Classes V to VIII as follows: Class V & VI - Drawing / Poster Making, Class VII & VIII – Essay writing on the topic. Teachers gave a brief talk on the topic, highlighting methods of preventing desertification and recovering from drought through sustainable management of natural resources and thereby protect the planet from degradation.



National Reading Day week and month was organised from 19/06/2021 to 18/07/2021. To commemorate the day, various online activities were organised for classes Nursery to Class X as follows: *Online pledge for students from Class VI to X (19/06/2021 & 20/06/2021), *Quiz on topics GK, Science & Technology, Current Affairs, Logical reasoning for Class VI to X (21/06/2021 – 26/06/2021), *Open Art activity on Nature – for Kindergarten, 'My own Art' for Classes I & II, Art on 'Future of the World'/ 'Landscape of India' for Class III to V, were held on 23/06/2021.



On account of International Yoga Day, virtual celebrations on 21/06/2021 was done to promote the valuable message of health & fitness to all. Special Yoga demonstrations by Sri. Halappa, Yoga instructor & PE instructor, Ms. Tejaswini were presented to the audience virtually. Children were taken through simple Pranayama exercises, Surya Namaskar, sitting & standing asanas and made aware of the various benefits of practicing Yoga. Students from Kindergarten to Class X joined these sessions and enthusiastically followed the Yoga poses from their home. Teachers talked about the significance of the day & encouraged students to make Yoga a part of their daily life. In observance of International Yoga Day a joint celebration was held at KSRP 3rd Bn, which was attended by the Principal, VP and HM.





Awakened Citizen Programme (ACP) organised by Ramakrishna Mission is a 3-year programme held for middle school students that seek to empower students as enlightened citizens who can stand on their own feet and make responsible choices. A 2-day online Faculty Development Workshop was held for the PPS teachers from 22/06/21 to 29/06/21. Teachers were trained on the various ACP modules and were taken through ACP Class Facilitation by Teachers for students. The Year 1 programme was attended by Smt. Chaitra, Smt. Swathi, Smt. Sarah & Smt. Lini K.C. Smt. Asha, Ms. Deepika attended Year 2 programme and Year 3 by Smt. Jyothi. Teachers also received participation certificates on successful completion of the workshop.

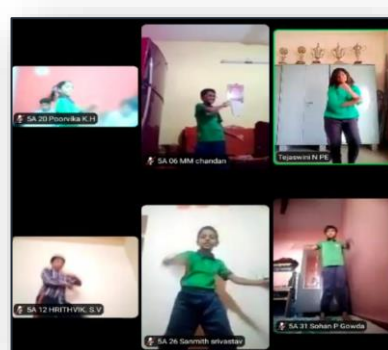


It was a proud and momentous occasion for PPS on 27/06/2021 as our beloved Principal Smt. B. Nanda, the navigator of PPS, was honoured with the *Leadership Rising Star Award 2021* by DK Education for her exemplary leadership skills and tireless effort in the development of the school. She received the prestigious award from Dr. Dakshayini Kanna, Director of DK Education for her dedication, deep sense of commitment, contribution in nation building, as a torch bearer of change, leading the team in achieving the mission and vision of the school and encouraging young leaders in the making. She has empowered and inspired many and created leaders along with her progressive journey. With 23 years of teaching experience and mammoth administrative skills her unceasing and motivational work is admirable. It's rightly said that "Success doesn't come from what you do occasionally. It comes from what you do consistently." It is indeed a great moment of pride and honour for her to have shared the platform with eminent stalwarts of many other reputed institutions. The award is a benchmark of excellence that PPS always strives for in the field of education. May her guidance take PPS to exalting heights of success. Hearty Congratulations Ma'am and wishing you a glorious future ahead.

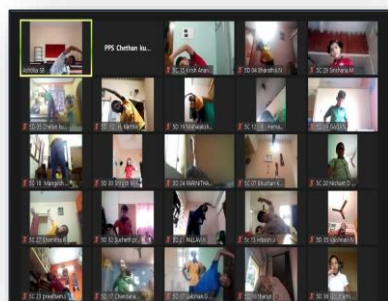


Online Assessment -2 for Class X was held from 28/06/2021 to 02/07/2021.

Pandemic can lock the playgrounds but cannot dampen the spirit of sports. To promote physical fitness, PE classes were introduced comprising of Free Hand exercises, Aerobics & Yoga for Classes III to VIII from 28/06/21 under the guidance of the PE teachers.



Teachers at PPS have been continually refining their teaching skills by engaging in various professional development workshops. Below listed are few online workshops attended by our educators during the month of June: Health promoting Schools, Integration of Art in English, Experiential Learning in practice, Teaching & Learning Styles, Practicing Blended Learning, 21st Century Skills, Story Telling in Classrooms, Preschool Teaching methodologies, How to Use Online Resources, AI integrated multidisciplinary pedagogies, Implementing Game Based Learning assessments in Indian Classrooms, Connecting & Communicating with parents, Working with learning disabilities and Effective Communication skills.



That's all for now. There's lots more to come in the following volumes..
Until then stay home, stay safe!