

# Neerja Modi School

Our newsletter celebrates the key achievements of our students and highlights the various activities going on around the school



## Newsletter for the Month of November



## Pre- Primary

# CHILDREN'S DAY [PUPPET SHOW] GOLDILOCKS AND THE THREE BEARS

Puppets are quick to get the attention of children and develop their imagination. A puppet show on the story of "Goldilocks And The Three Bears" was organized for the Pre-primary children as a part of the Children's Day Celebrations. The children enjoyed a lot and were excited to watch the puppet show.



# Nursery

## AN INTRODUCTION OF 'PET ANIMALS'

An introduction of 'Pet Animals' was done with the Nursery children. They came dressed as their favourite pet animals and also sang rhymes related their favourite animals.



# Nursery

## A SHOW AND TELL ACTIVITY

A show and tell activity was conducted for Nursery class where children brought their favourite farm animal and spoke a few lines about it.



## DECORATION OF GINGER BREAD MAN

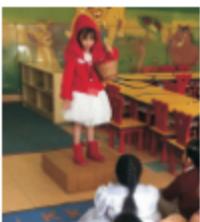
As a follow-up for the theme fairy tales, Jr.kg children decorated the ginger bread man cookies using icing cones, chocolate chips, gems etc. They relished the cookies decorated by them.



## A SHOW AND TELL ACTIVITY

A show and tell activity was conducted for the Jr.kg children where children came dressed up as their favourite fairy character and spoke a few lines. They also brought different objects to enhance their presentation.







The fourth club activity for Grade I was organized on Saturday, November 20, 2016, the theme being 'Winter/Christmas'.

**Speech and Debate Club:** The children were given tips to enhance their public speaking skills. They also played a fun game- Melting Snowman. It was a great pleasure to hear them narrate their favourite Christmas stories. The club concluded with a debate on the topic- 'Winters are better than summers'.

**Science & Maths Club:** The little scientists and mathematicians performed various experiments to understand the phenomenon of 'Surface Tension.' Students were happy to perform the Pepper and Soap experiment. They also learned the trick to turn two circles into 1 square.

**Creative Club:** Our little artists showcased their creative skills by transforming a shuttlecock into a cute, little- Santa Claus.

**Literary Club:** The literary Club members enjoyed a fun animated movie-'Christmas wishes'. They made their wish list on stockings and shared it with all their friends.

**Life skill Club:** The children enjoyed an informative movie- 'Birth of Jesus'. They attended a special talk session where the Club in-charges taught them the importance of sharing. They also learned about- 'What to wear and eat in Winters'.

The Club concluded with their favourite, 'Colouring the Snowman' activity.



Math Fair for Grade I was organized on Monday, November 22, 2016 and was carried throughout the week, where different interesting activities were conducted. Activities like 'Number Art', 'Treasure Hunt', 'Shapelypur', fun filled riddles and Math games were enjoyed by the children. The students were excited to know about the work and life of many great mathematicians.



# Grade I

# HINDI RECITATION COMPETITION

Hindi Recitation for Grade I was held on November 28, 2016 and November 29, 2016. The aim of the competition was to build confidence among the students. The children presented themselves enthusiastically by using different props.

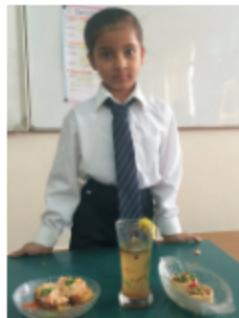


## Grade I & II

## TALENT FAIR

Talent Fair for Grade I & II was organized on Monday, November 7, 2016 and was carried throughout the week, where children got a platform to showcase their talents resulting in an amazing experience for the presenters and the audience as well. The students exhibited their skills and performed exceptionally in various fields like dance, art and craft, singing, skating, cooking and many more.







A Club Activity for Grade II was conducted on November 19, 2016 on the theme 'Halloween'.

The mood of fantasy and folklore of this festival was set by each club through interesting debates, magical experiments, discussion on natural disasters and necessary life skills while interacting with strangers, fascinating stories, delicious recipes and craft work.

The kids enjoyed the spooky day.

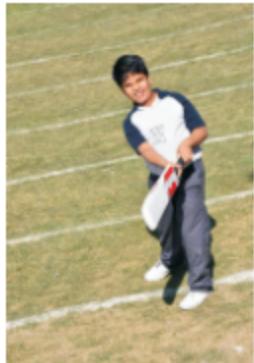




Grade  
III & IV

## CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

Champions League for children of Grade III and IV was organised to promote and inculcate interest and sportsman spirit in various Sports like Basketball, Football, Cricket, Tennis, Lawn Tennis, Carrom, Chess and Skating.



# Grade III & IV

## CLUB ACTIVITIES

The club activity for Grade III & IV was organised on Saturday, November 20, 2016.



The Club Activities for Grade V & VI organised on 20th November 2016.



Grade  
VI - X

## SCIENCE EXHIBITION

Neerja Modi School organized a science exhibition on November 16, 2016 for the students of Grade VI to X. The highlights of the exhibition were 'innovative and out of the box' working and non-working models. The models like hydraulic and magnetic life systems, solar system, space elevators, robot assisted devices, windmills, vacuum cleaners stole the show. The models ranged in different branches of Science. The success of the event targeted not only at motivating students for participating in such activities but also in creating lasting interest. The authorities was highly impressed with the efforts put in by the students.





## SHAKESPEARE'S FAMOUS YET CONTROVERSIAL PLAY, “THE MERCHANT OF VENICE”

Students of class CP 8 staged Shakespeare's famous yet controversial play, “The Merchant of Venice”, on the 18th of November.

The play was wonderfully staged, with the original play's theme of revenge, discrimination, money, love and so called 'justice' being depicted with modern adoptions of social evils like caste , religious discrimination and the oppression of women.

Every child in the class was part of this production, with the children doing everything on their own, from writing the script to designing the props.

The play was enjoyed at an utmost level and was highly appreciated.



Grade  
XI

## STAR CHEF COMPETITION

11 students of Neerja Modi School participated in the Star Chef Competition organized by The School of Hotel Management, Manipal University, Jaipur on November 16, 2016 and November 17, 2016.

Various activities were organized by the University. The students of NMS participated enthusiastically and competed against both university students and other school participants.

The students of Neerja Modi won in various categories.

**3- Course Meal-** 2nd position- Geetika Wadhwa and Nandini Maheshwari (XI-G)

**Salad Making Presentation-** 1st position-

Meetali Goyal (XI-G) and

2nd position- Shrishti Tijaria (XI-G)

**Mocktail Making-** 1st position- Shrishti Tijaria (XI-G)



A stress management workshop was conducted at Neerja Modi School by Amity University on November 11, 2016 for the students of Grade XII. The session was conducted by a renowned psychologist Dr. Shikha Sharma.

Stress management, behaving logically, developing mindfulness and controlling the mind were some key points raised. The session ended with Dalai Lama's words and an inspirational video of the Sprinter Derek Redmond which left the students awe inspired.



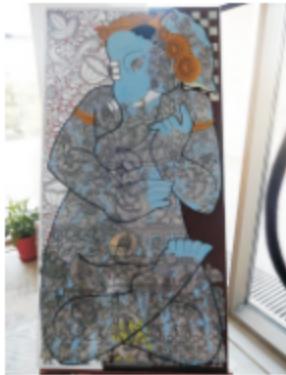
Grade  
XI & XII

THE 11TH  
INTERNATIONAL ART CAMP  
& EXHIBITION ON  
VISUAL ART

The 11th International Art Camp was organized at Neerja Modi School Visual and Performing Art Centre from November 23, to November 28, 2016.

A vast milieu of Indian and International Artists, of powerful credentials such as Mr. Vidhyasagar Upadhyay and Mr. Nathrlal Verma from Rajasthan, Mr. Achuttan Kudallur from Kearla, Mr. Asit Kumar Patnayak from Orissa, Ms. Gogi Sarojpal from Delhi, Mr. K. Khosa from Himachal, Mr. Laxman Aelay from Hyderabad, Mr. Pradeep Puthoor from Trivanduram, Mr. Ramesh Gorjala from Andhara Pradesh, Mr. Jamal Ahmed from Bangladesh, Ms. Vishakha Apte from Maharashtra and Mr. R.B. Bhaskaran from Chennai participated in the six day Art Camp. This Annual Art Camp gives the artists and art enthusiasts a unique opportunity to set up a creative environment where students of our school get a first hand opportunity to witness the creative genius of powerful minds and the techniques they employ for visual expression. The culmination of the art camp resulted in a vibrant final exhibition of the diverse set of art works created by the artists.





## SPECIAL ASSEMBLY ON CHILDREN'S DAY

Students of Grade CP 2 gave an enthralling performance in the Special Assembly, planned on Children's Day. Children were brimming with joy and confidence during the presentation. The theme of the celebration was to convey positive and valuable thoughts to children to groom their personality and who else could be chosen but their best and favourite cartoon characters. The performance was appreciated and applauded by the entire Grade 2.



The lower field of NMS buzzed with great zeal and excitement on November 23rd & 24th, where Grade IV & V Annual Sports Meet was held.

Annual Sports Day commenced with Torch bearing ceremony. The Sports Meet was declared open by our Principal Ms. Indu Dubey. This was followed by beautiful Drill and Yoga display.

The students displayed a wide array of colourful and reverberant races, 100 metre sprints hurdle races, relays etc. They mesmerized their peers and audiences with their energetic performance.

Victorious children rejoiced in the glory of the laurels won.



