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*SBIOA
INTERNATIONAL
SCHOOL*



**EDUCATION IS THE MOVEMENT FROM DARKNESS
TO LIGHT.**

- ALLAN BLOOM

Academic Programmes

- ◆ **Science Olympiad** was conducted for the students of std I-VI on **15.11.18**
- ◆ **Annual Inspection** of the school was conducted on **16.11.18** by a team headed by Mrs. Radhika Unni, Principal SBOA JC and Dr. Indra Jayaraj, Vice Principal SHARPEN. The panelists comprising of Compartment Heads and Academic Supervisors of Various SBOA Schools observed the teachers and inspected the records.



A review meeting was also conducted in the evening.



- ◆ Unit Test IV for std VI commenced on **26.11.18**

Extra-curricular Activities

Unit Test IV for std VI commenced on **26.11.18**

G. Ananya of std VI *won II prize* in the **Energy Conservation State Level** painting competition conducted by **Ministry of Power, Govt. of India**. She was also awarded a cash prize of Rs. 2000/-

“What you do makes a difference, and you have to decide what kind of difference you want to make.t.”

Inspired by great thoughts of great men, **G. Ananya** donated her prize money in the form of books to the school library.



Thematic Observances

- ◆ **Festival of Lights ‘Diwali’** was celebrated with fun and laughter by the Dept. of Kindergarten on **02.11.18**.

Students in colourful attire assembled in the ground and witnessed the display of fire crackers.

KG teachers advised them on the safety precautions to be taken during the bursting of crackers.

World Savings Day



World savings Day was observed on **14.11.18**.

They had an interaction with the personnel at the bank and came to know about savings, filling up of challans and other simple procedures of the bank. **Mrs. R. Bhuvaneshwari, Dept. of. Maths** accompanied the children to the bank.



Children's Day

Children's day was celebrated in a fabulous manner on 14.11.18.

President of the SBIOA Educational Trust, **Mr. R. Balaji**, delivered the special address. Associate Secretary **Mr. S. Tamilventhan**, and Correspondent of SBIOA International School, **Mr. A. Ravichandran** graced the occasion and felicitated the children.



The **Art Gallery** which showcased an array of paintings and art models by the students was inaugurated by Mr. R. Balaji, President SBIOA ET.



IT Project presentation was officially declared open by Mr. S. Tamilventhan, Associate Secretary, SBIOA ET. Students of std V & VI presented their projects to the guests.



Winners of the Children's Day competitions were awarded certificates and prizes. Teachers presented a cultural show to entertain the children on their special day.

Science for Peace and Development Day was observed on 16.11.18.

In the special assembly, that was organized for the occasion students of std VI presented a song 'Make the world a better Place'. The need to use Science and technology for the benefit of the mankind was stressed by a speech presented by Kayalvizhi, a student of std VI.



Class Library Day was observed on 19.11.18.

Students learnt about the importance of reading books and the need to maintain a personal and a class library. Through a speech delivered by Kaushik of std VI students realized that books are treasure houses of knowledge that man should seek to enhance his skill and intelligence.



Heritage Day & Unity Day were celebrated on **20.11.18** during the morning assembly as twin programme.

The theme of the **Heritage Day** was 'Heritage for Generations'. It was observed to raise awareness about the diversity of our cultural heritage, monuments, sites and the efforts required to protect and conserve it and to draw attention towards its vulnerability.



Holding placards, students spoke about the role of younger generation to protect our Heritage.



Sanjana of std VI and **P.S. Arshitha** of std V gave inspiring speeches about our cultural heritage.

National Unity Day focused on the efforts taken by Sardar Vallabhai Patel in **unifying India** and the need to stay united in spite of our cultural and regional differences.

Information on the newly erected statue of Sardar Patel was shared by **Hannah Blesson** of std V.



National Constitution Day was observed on **26.11.18** to **commemorate the adoption of Constitution of India**.

Prashith Kumar of Std IV shared information on our constitution and how it came into effect on 26th January 1950- Republic Day during the special assembly.



International Vegetarian Day was observed on **27.11.18**

The health benefits of adopting vegetarianism was stressed during the session. **G. Ananya** of Std VI spoke about the '**Advantages of vegetarian diet**'.

Dietary charts and pictures of vegetables rich in minerals and vitamins were displayed for the benefit of students.



Farmer's Day was celebrated on **28.11.18**

To highlight that farmers are the founders of the civilization, special assembly was arranged for the celebration.

Gaurav and **Larish** of std IV recited a Tamil poem on farmers.



International Mathematics Day was observed on **29.11.18**

The day was observed to introduce **Srinivasa Ramanujan**, Indian Mathematician to primary students.

His contribution to Mathematical analysis, number theory etc., was highlighted during the programme.



Vihaan & Sri Lalitha of std I talked about 'Shapes'.

Hasini and Jerone of std I spoke about Abacus concepts.

Poems and riddles were presented by std IV students **Gaurav, Thushith, Prashith Kumar, Subbulakshmi & Dhatri**.



Language Week

English Language Day was celebrated as 'Celebrate an author' programme on 12.11.18.



Students came to know about **Rudyard Kipling** -an English author famous for an array of works like 'Just So Stories' and 'The Jungle Book' and Nobel Prize winner in Literature.

Poetry recitation, Singing and skit were presented to celebrate the author.

Competitions like Spell Bee and Hand-writing were conducted for the students of std I-VI.



Tamil Language Day was celebrated on 15.11.18.

Students attired in the costume of **Ovaiyar, Bharathiyar** and other great Tamil scholars stole the show with their remarkable performances of recitation of **AAthisoodi and Bharathidasan's poems**.

Thirupugazh verses were sung and children presented **Gummi Dance** with the song.

Competitions were conducted to mark the event.



Hindi Day was celebrated on 19.11.18

A special assembly was organised to celebrate the day. Students attired in the costume of National Leaders like **Subash Chandra Bose, Jhansi Rani, Gandhiji, Nehru and Indira Gandhi** delivered speeches in Hindi.



Digital /IT Day was celebrated on 26.11.18.

The explosion of Information Technology was highlighted in the speech presented by **Dhanshuga of Std V**.

Siva Shrivatsav of std V as **Bill Gates** drew the attention of all the students. His speech delved into the thought of becoming an **entrepreneur in the field of computers**.

Students **Sajeev & Roshan** of std V dressed up as latest **Robots**, made an entry into the celebration and explained about the features of their model.



SwacchClassroom-

Winners-

Week II – Std IV

Week III- Std V



Youth Parliament

The monthly meeting of the Youth Parliament was conducted on **30.11.18**

Head Girl & Head Boy read out the events of the month. Leaders gave an oral report about their role in guiding their friends during the events.



Out-reach Programme

Mr. R.V. Vijaya Sagayaraj, Dept. of Music visited the Panchayat Union Primary School, Sonalur on **29.11.18** as part of the out-reach programme.

With the musical instrument (Key-Board), he taught the children to sing ‘**Thamiz Thai Vazhu**’ and a special song on ‘**Spreading love and kindness.**’



Field Trip

Students of Std V & VI were taken on a site visit to 'Hatsun Agro Products' on **01.11.18**. Std IV was taken on **2.11.18**.

The trip proved very fruitful and effective as the children got firsthand knowledge on Pasteurization of Milk.



They were able to understand the safety and precautionary measures taken while handling milk products and other perishable items.

Students also understood the nutrient value of dairy products.



Seminars

Mr. R. Raghunathan and Mr. C. Shankar, Dept. of Tamil attended a seminar on the topic **Karkka; karpikka** that was arranged by SHARPEN, SBIOAET. Dr. K. Balaraman, Lecturer, Nandanam Arts College was the resource person.



Staff Meetings

Headmistress convened meetings for

- ◆ For the teachers on **08.11.18** regarding **Children's Day celebration.**
- ◆ For the teachers on **12.11.18** regarding **Annual Inspection.**
- ◆ For gentlemen staff on **17.11.18** regarding **Mega Mela sponsorship and sale.**
- ◆ A short meeting on **26.11.18** for the class teachers regarding **the date for the Mela.**
- ◆ For Std VI handling teachers on **28.11.18** regarding **Mid-Term examination.**