

PETRINE

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ST. PETER'S HIGH SCHOOL

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Dear Parents, Students, Staff, and Readers,

September reminded us that education is never a single thread, but a tapestry woven from many kinds of learning – intellectual, cultural, and personal.

It began with our students immersing themselves in literary activities that went beyond the classroom syllabus. The Story Telling Competition and Spell Bee nurtured their imagination and command of language, proving that vocabulary and creativity grow best when given room to play. This same spirit of expression found deeper meaning during Teachers' Day, as we celebrated the Guiding Lights of Our Lives – honouring the educators whose guidance shapes not just what our students know, but who they become.

Even as we celebrated, this month also gave us a moment to reflect on where our institution's journey began, as we remembered the death anniversary of our former Principal, Rev. Fr. G. F. Todd, MHM (Principal, 1960). His legacy is a quiet reminder that every value we teach today is built upon a foundation laid decades ago.

This blend of celebration and reflection continued as our Best Petrines were appreciated and awarded for their exemplary conduct, dedication, and positive contribution – proof that character, much like academic ability, is something a school must consciously nurture and recognise. That same nurturing of identity and expression carried into Hindi Diwas Week, where Vyakaran Vichar, literary podcasts, and Nukkad Natak allowed our students to connect with language not as a subject to be memorised, but as a living part of who they are.

Each of these experiences — storytelling, remembrance, recognition, language, and expression — fed into the same larger purpose: preparing our students not just to know more, but to think, feel, and engage more deeply with the world around them. This is what holistic education truly means, and it is this very foundation of confidence, discipline, and self-expression that our students carried with them into the Mid-Term Examinations at month's end.

I commend every Petrine for the sincerity and focus they brought to their exams, knowing that the values built through this month's many activities were as much a preparation for that assessment as any textbook could be. My gratitude to our parents for their unwavering support and to our staff for nurturing every child with patience and purpose.

Blessings,

Fr. Justin Thiraviam

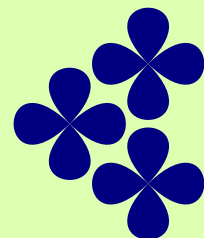
**Principal,
St. Peter's High School**

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2026

Petrines bring home double zonal championship at DJSES Sports Championship

The Petrines of St. Peter's High School, B.C. Road, Jammu, clinched a double victory at the DJSES Inter-School Zonal Level Championships, organised by the Diocese of Jammu-Srinagar Education Society, with matches held at St. Peter's Higher Secondary School, Karan Bagh. The school's cricket team defeated St. Francis Higher Secondary School to claim the Akhnoor Zone title, while the football team beat Vimal Vidyalaya School, Akalpur, to secure the football championship. Both winning squads were drawn from Classes VIII, IX and X, and the school congratulated the victorious teams, coaches and mentors on the achievement.





THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2026

Grade 3C assembly: "The Magic of Kindness"

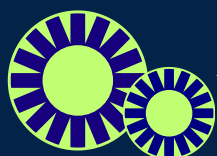
Grade 3C presented a heartwarming assembly on the theme "The Magic of Kindness," conveying that small acts such as a warm smile, a helping hand or a kind word can create ripples of positivity that touch countless lives. The presentation encouraged everyone to spread kindness in everyday interactions.



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2026

Orion House Petrines present Janmashtami assembly

The Petrines of Orion House conducted a spiritually enriching assembly celebrating Janmashtami, the festival marking the birth of Lord Krishna. Through speeches, anecdotes and performances, students shared stories from Krishna's life and his teachings on truth, courage and devotion as reflected in the Bhagavad Gita, reminding the school of the values of faith, humility and the triumph of good over evil.



AM Chimes:
Themes, Thoughts & Trends

SEPTEMBER 2026

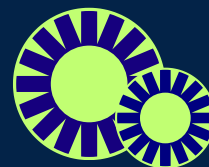
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2026

St. Peter's celebrates Teachers' Day with music and dance tributes



St. Peter's High School marked Teachers' Day with a celebration of gratitude and appreciation for its mentors, featuring soulful singing and vibrant dance performances by students. Each performance served as a tribute to the teachers who nurture dreams and shape minds, with the school extending its wishes to all its educators. Students continued the Teachers' Day celebrations with melodious songs, dance performances and presentations expressing gratitude and admiration for their mentors. The school extended its warmest wishes to all its dedicated teachers for their unwavering commitment and the countless lives they touch.





MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2026

Grade 8 ABC assembly: "Digital Discipline, Use Technology Wisely"

The Petrine Council Members of Grade 8 ABC conducted an assembly on the theme "Digital Discipline: Use Technology Wisely," reminding the school that while technology is a powerful tool for learning, it must be used responsibly. Speakers highlighted managing screen time and using online platforms mindfully, encouraging students to use technology for growth rather than letting it control their time and focus.



Junior Petrines shine at Spelling Bee

The school's junior Petrines took part in a Spelling Bee competition, tackling the challenge with confidence and courage as young spellers delivered notable performances.



Classes 3 to 5 deliver powerful monologues

Students of Classes 3 to 5 took the stage for a monologue performance, showcasing their talent and heartfelt expression. This was part of the literary activity.





Petrines take the stage in Storytelling Competition

Students of Classes 6 and 7 took part in a Story Telling Competition, bringing their stories to life with vivid expression, engaging narration and creative techniques. The school congratulated all participants for their enthusiastic involvement and performances.



TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2026

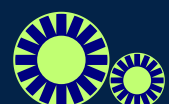
YSM Members mark International Literacy Day

Members of the YSM conducted an assembly on International Literacy Day, highlighting literacy as a fundamental right and a powerful tool for empowerment and social change. Speakers shared how literacy opens doors to knowledge, opportunity and independence, reinforcing the value of education in shaping a brighter future.



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Best Petrines of the Month for August felicitated

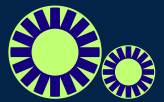
The school celebrated its outstanding students as the Best Petrines of the Month for August were appreciated and awarded for their exemplary conduct, dedication and positive contribution to the school community. The school extended its congratulations to all awardees for setting a shining example for their peers.



Junior Petrines explore the Hindi language family

As part of the school's Language Celebrations, the junior Petrines explored the "Bhasha Parivar," discovering the family of languages related to Hindi.





WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2026

POCSO Club assembly on dealing with study distractions

The POCSO Club conducted an assembly on overcoming common distractions while studying, from mobile phones and social media to noise and wandering thoughts. Speakers shared practical strategies such as setting a dedicated study space, managing screen time and using focused study techniques like time-blocking, encouraging students to build better concentration habits.



NETBALL CHAMPIONS

Jammu District NETBALL Championship was held by the Jammu & Kashmir Sports Council in association with NAKJ (Netball Association of Jammu & Kashmir) at Dogra Ground, Shastri Nagar in which our petrines bagged two silver medals in Netball Inter-District Girls Championship and seven bronze medals in Netball Inter-District Boys Championship. Kudos to the champions!



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2026

Grade 9 Council assembly: "Procrastination Steals Time"

Council Members of Grade 9 conducted an assembly reminding the school that procrastination silently robs valuable time and opportunities, while consistent action paves the way to achievement. Speakers encouraged students to overcome delaying tasks and take immediate, purposeful steps toward their goals rather than waiting for the right moment.



Grade 8 hosts Podcast Sessions and Nukkad Natak for Hindi Diwas Week

As part of Hindi Diwas Week celebrations, the Petlines of Grade 8 hosted a special language activity, presenting podcast sessions on renowned Hindi poets and writers and their literary contributions. The event was further enriched with a Nukkad Natak highlighting the importance of Hindi as the nation's Rashtriya Bhasha.



Watch our full podcast session and nukkad natak on youtube: <https://youtu.be/CdLx0mG8DgU>

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2026

Wellness Team assembly on first aid awareness



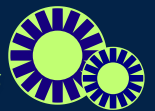
The Petlines of the Wellness Team conducted an assembly on the theme "First Aid: Little Knowledge Today Can Save a Life Tomorrow," highlighting the importance of basic first aid in handling everyday emergencies. Speakers shared tips on handling common injuries and staying calm under pressure, reminding the school that even a small understanding of first aid can empower anyone to help in an emergency.



Kindergarten Petlines recite Hindi poetry for Hindi Diwas

The school's kindergarten Petlines added to the Hindi Diwas celebrations with a poetry presentation, expressing their language and emotions through a heartfelt recitation.





MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2026

Literary Club marks Hindi Diwas with tribute to the language

The Literary Club conducted an assembly celebrating Hindi Diwas, honouring the day Hindi was adopted as one of India's official languages. Through poems, speeches and heartfelt words, students described Hindi as a symbol of the nation's unity, culture and identity, encouraging everyone to take pride in the language and preserve its richness for future generations.



Campus marks Hindi Diwas with poetry and language activities

The campus celebrated Hindi Diwas with special activities organised across grades, opening with a Hindi poetry recitation by students of Class 2. Engaging exercises and activities were also conducted for Classes 4 and 5 to help them explore and appreciate the Hindi language, with students showcasing their linguistic skills throughout the day.







Heritage Club assembly on International Day of Democracy

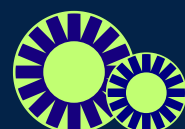
Students of the Heritage Club conducted an assembly on the theme "International Day of Democracy," highlighting the significance of the day observed to promote and uphold democratic principles worldwide. Speakers shared insights on freedom, equality and active citizenship, reminding the school that democracy thrives when every individual participates responsibly and respects diverse viewpoints.

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The Creative Canvas:

Words, Lines & Designs

Where imagination meets the page.

Explore this vibrant gallery of student talent, featuring soul-stirring poetry, compelling prose, and brilliant feats of contemporary newspaper and art work.

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Winning - A Choice

They say when it pains, some quit;
When it's tough, some fade.
But winners never quit.

They aim and persist, they rise and they shine;
They don't waste any time.
That's why they are called winners, as they reach their prime.

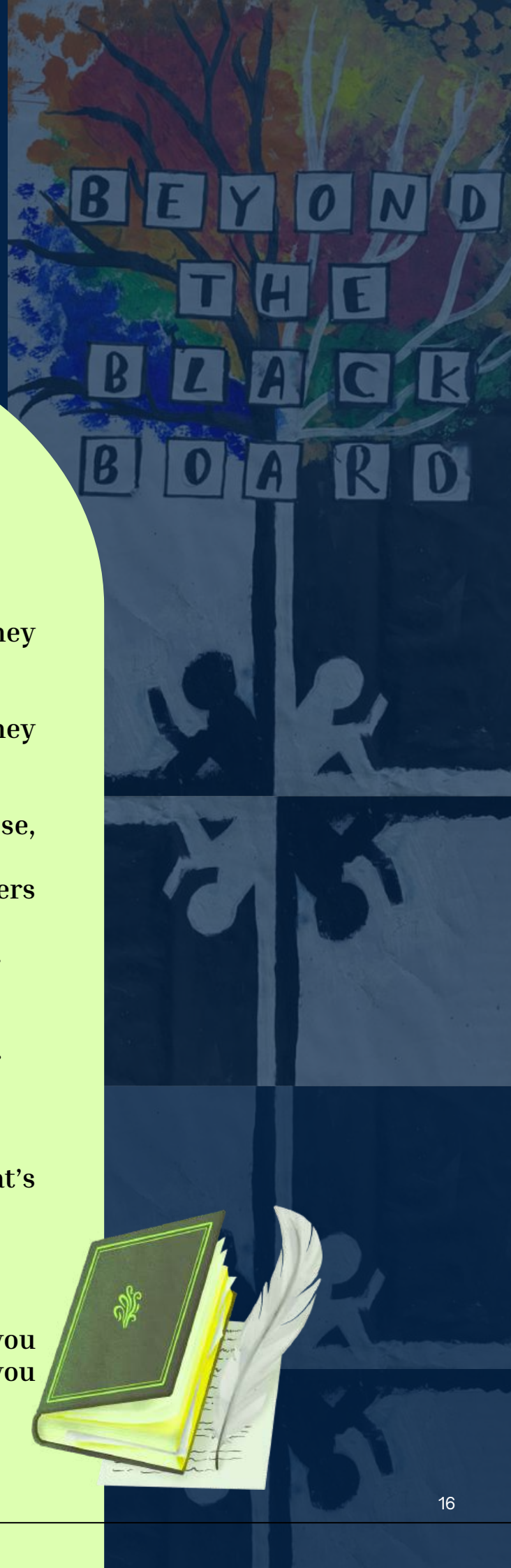
The losers, they quit; the quitters, they lose,
For they lack the will to choose.
The beggars don't choose; the choosers don't beg.
Fear and doubt are what make a loser lag.

People laugh when a loser fails—
It's not their fate, but a choice they made.
Loser or winner, the choice is yours.
Don't tag it fate; the power is yours.

Losers run when the winners endure- that's why they get the prize, pure and sure.
The winners rise when the loser cries;
The winners always touch the skies.

God is with you in every step that you choose-The path to a winner or a loser, you refuse.

-Shobin, X B



Within First

Before you chase the distant stars,
before you seek the sky,
learn to hold your own heart close,
and hear your inner 'why'

For success that blooms
without self-love,
will fade and lose its light,
but roots that grows in
self-worth deep,
stand strong through every fight,

You don't have to burn so bright,
that you forget your soul,
success is shining steadily,
while keeping yourself whole,

It's not the medals,
not the praise,
not how far you go,
it's loving who you are inside,
while learning, while you grow.

-Ayushi Khajuria, IX A

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Modern Vision

India

The visions of India

Monday
13 April
2024

WOMEN EMPOWERING INDIA: A RISING FORCE

The narrative of India's journey towards becoming a global superpower is incomplete without recognizing the seismic shift in the role of its women. No longer confined to the periphery of development, Indian women have emerged as the architects of a new social and economic order. The Rising Force of



From the high-tech corridors of ISRO to grassroots innovations in rural villages, the Rising Force of



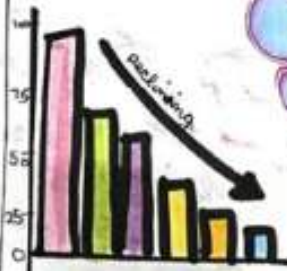
what is possible for the world's most populous democracy and without it, nothing can be done.

In the recent years, the visibility of women in leadership roles has transitioned from "aspirational" to "essential". The corporate and scientific second sectors, once considered male bastions, are now being steered by female visionaries. The Nani Shakti Goston Mahalingam has worked a lot and hopes to work more.

Let's raise
Voice Against
Domestic violence

AI and TECH: NEW PATH

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INDIA

MONDAY APRIL 13, 2026

Life

THE
MODERN
VIEWS



BHAGAVAD GITA Chapter 11 Verse 14

tatah sa vismayavishto kṛishṇa-rōma
dhananjayaḥ pranamya shirasa devam
kṛitānjalin abhashata

tatah - then; saḥ - he; kṛishṇa - dark-skinned; full of wonder
kṛishṇa-rōma - with hair standing on end; dhananjayaḥ - Arjuna, the conqueror of wealth; pranamya - bowed down;
shirasa - with (his) head; devam - the Lord; kṛita - spoke;
-my with folded hands; abhashata - he addressed

TRANSLATION

BG 11.14: Then Arjuna, full of wonder and with hair standing on end, bowed his head before the Lord and addressed him, with folded hands:

RESEARCH HAVE FOUND A DIETARY COMPOUND THAT INCREASE LONGEVITY

A largely overlooked plant compound in common fruits and vegetables is drawing new scientific attention for its potential effects on aging and brain health.

The study highlights microalgae as a promising and sustainable source of this compound. Unlike traditional crops, microalgae grows rapidly, require little land and can produce high concentrations



of beneficial molecules they are already used in supplements and food ingredients.

Word of the Day

RECONDITE

adjective REK-un-OYE
WHAT IT MEANS
Recondite is a formal word used to describe something

that is difficult to understand or that is not known by many people or some only. Recondite is one of those undervalued but useful words that's always a boon to one's vocabulary.

IS IT YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY?

APRIL 13

Influenced by number 4 and the planet Venus, you are active, practical, enthusiastic, authoritative and energetic person. You are intelligent and can do wonders in your profession with your ability and proficiency but you need to control your tendency to become impatient, whimsical and stubborn at times.

MANNAN MOOD PUZZLE

Answers of Previous puzzle

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The vision of India

CHANDRAYAAN-3 DISCOVERS WATER-ICE!

The Chandrayaan-3 mission successfully soft-landed near the moon's South Pole on August 23, 2023. Its Pragyan rover and Vikram lander confirmed the presence of sulfur and provided data

of sulfur and provided data suggesting significant water-ice deposits exist beneath the lunar surface. This is a major breakthrough for future human exploration and

human habitation.



NATIONAL AFFAIRS

NEW INFRASTRUCTURE IN ASSAM

Recent infrastructure developments in Assam include the construction of major bridges across the Brahmaputra River to improve regional connectivity.



START-UP INDIA BOOM



NATIONAL AFFAIRS

New railway station built in Jammu.

Government has made the travel even easier for people now it is a short distance for all. This is again a great achievement of government. People are proud on their choice of electing a responsible government.



UPI REACHES RURAL VILLAGES

The unified payment interface (UPI) has significantly expanded its reach into rural India, allowing villagers to make digital payments using simple QR codes, which promotes financial inclusion.



CULTURE & TRAVEL

Conservation efforts at the UNESCO World Heritage site of Hampi focus on restoring ancient temples and monuments, while the region's rich cultural history.



ECONOMY WATCH: MARKET STRENGTH



Recent market outlooks remain positive as inflation rates stabilize, encouraging growth and investment across various sectors.

SPORTS ROUNDUP: CRICKET FEVER!



Recent international cricket wins have sparked nationwide "cricket fever" with standout performances from top players in global tournaments.

SPECIAL REPORT: CLIMATE RESILIENCE



India is rapidly adopting sustainable solar energy initiatives to build climate resilience, aiming to reach Net Zero emissions by 2070.

WHEN ASHA BHOSLE COLLABORATED WITH AUSTRALIAN SPEEDSTER BRETT LEE FOR A DUET

NEW DELHI: Legendary Indian singer Asha Bhosle passed away at Breach Candy Hospital on Sunday, where she had been admitted on Saturday evening due to extreme exhaustion and a chest infection. Asha Bhosle's passing marks the end of an extraordinary musical journey that spanned over eight decades. Interestingly, she also sang a duet with Australian cricketer Brett Lee back in 2007. The song titled 'You're the one for me' was released in 2007 for the album Asha and friends.



HOROSCOPE

-  **ARIES (The Ram)**: Bold and energetic leaders.
-  **TAURUS (The Bull)**: Reliable, patient and value stability.
-  **GEMINI (The Twins)**: Curious, adaptable and great communicators.
-  **VRGO (The Virgin)**: Analytical, hardworking and practical.
-  **CANCER (The Crab)**: Intuitive, protective and sentimental.

Asha had that crooning shrill like "Haan main tumhara hai, tumhara hi sabunga," with the iconic singer. It became a raging hit with young and old alike when it came out. "I had great time working with her (Asha Bhosle) on the song. We had said back in 2016. He also talked about how the collaboration came together in his autobiography 'My Life'."

FUN MUSIC FACTS

- Asha Bhosle holds a Guinness World Record!
- Asha Bhosle has more songs in her repertoire than any other Indian singer.
- Brief fact!



New perfumes

CLASSIFIEDS

GUITAR FOR SALE:

Minimalist Acoustic; ₹ 5000

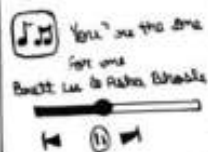
SINGING LESSONS:

Classical and pop ball Hindi

LOST & FOUND:

Red cricket cap near stadium

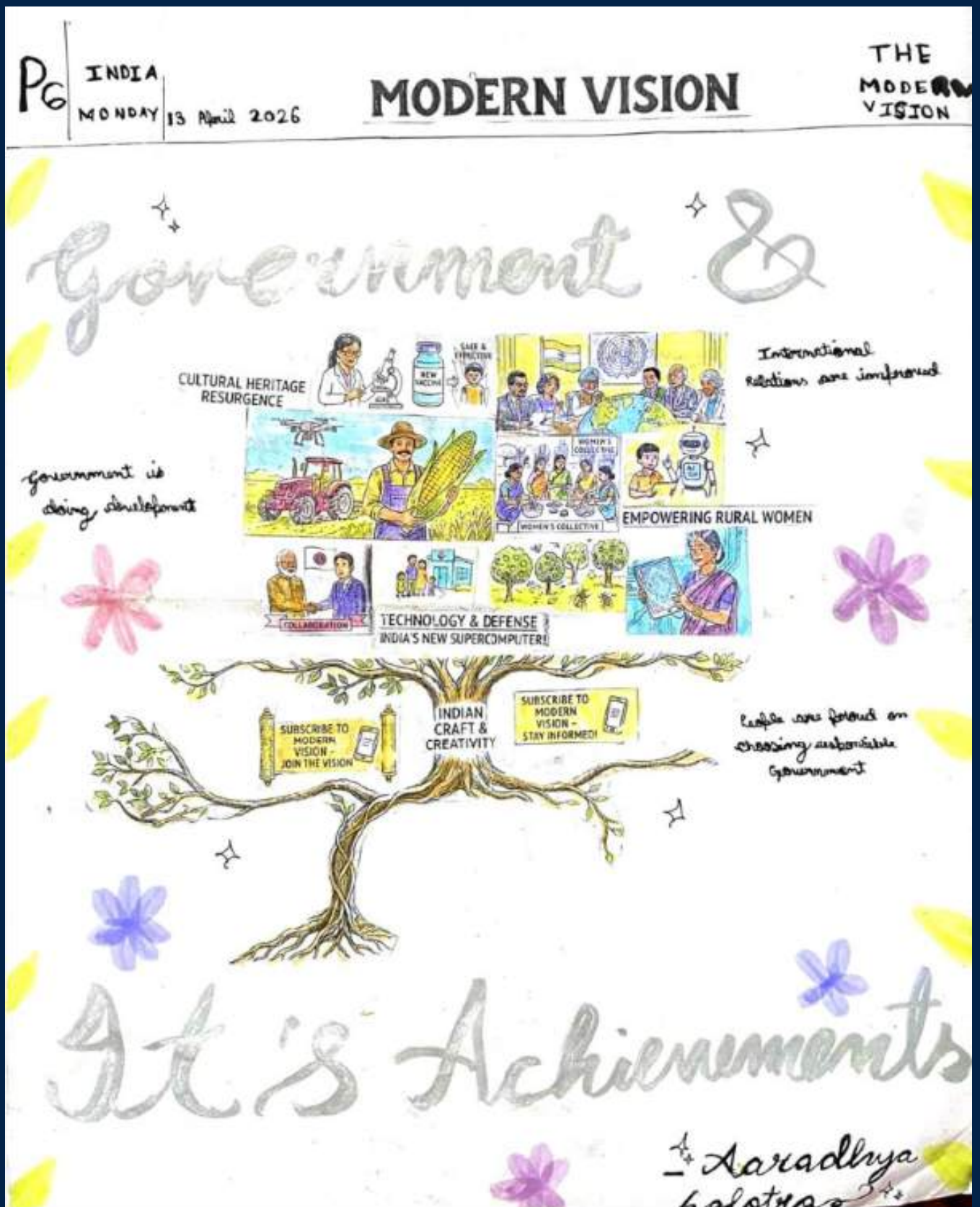
NOW PLAYING



WEEKEND EVENTS

- Poetry Slam - Sat 7pm
- Local Art show - Sun 10AM
- Art Exhibition - Sun - 2PM
- Art show - Sun - 5pm





“Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire – and every teacher carries the flame”



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