

## INTEGRITY – A MUCH NEEDED YET MISSING VALUE



For me, INTEGRITY is dedication to truth. Dedication to truth always, even when no one monitors us, even when one is all alone, is INTEGRITY. This is what makes a society, nation, person, and an institute educated, developed, and civilized. Lack of this important virtue is often the sole reason for a corrupt society, nation, or a person.

On Saturday, April 29, 2023, our management together with all esteemed members of the staff were elated to see our endearing Petrines of the previous session - class X batch. They were invited so that the school could honour and salute our outgoing Petrines. This was our last JKBOSE batch. This was the first batch of Class X in our much-awaited CBSE journey. This was the batch that proved no pandemic nor lockdowns could ever prevent one from being responsible. This was a greatly-fascinating batch.

Students were highly energetic and ecstatic, delighted and thrilled. They are a great batch, which has many excellent and excelling human persons. To these happy Petrines, I had asked for a guru-dakshina – to be the Petrine ambassadors with INTEGRITY in the broader, wider world of grand opportunities to which now they are sent out to. The Petrine Family wishes God's choicest blessings upon every one of them. Happy life ahead, dear Petrines.

The Petrine Family was blessed with many graces during this week. Our students were engaged in different activities. Petrine Pulse is filled with information of the events of and happenings at the school. Enjoy reading it and give us your feedback. We will appreciate.

One of the major tasks for the Petrine management was to choose a sensible, caring, and efficient Petrine Students Council. There were students - nominated and recommended. We had three unique rounds for the selection process. Students enjoyed the selection process which was, indeed, student-friendly. By the end of the week, we successfully selected a meritorious team of Petrine Students Council, which now awaits consent from their parents. I believe that this team's core strength is the virtue called INTEGRITY. We sincerely thank Rev. Fr. Mariadass for supporting us in this highly -important endeavour.

All the best, dear Petrines. God bless the Petrine Family and our charming City of Temples. Praise the Lord!

Fr. S Joseph

- Principal

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Be not afraid of greatness. Some are born great, some achieve greatness and some have greatness thrust upon 'em.



The English Language Day was celebrated by the enthusiastic Petrines to commemorate the multi-lingualism and cultural diversity by exploring the language. A heartfelt tribute was reminisced to William Shakespeare, world's eminent dramatist, on his birth and death anniversary to recognise and applaud his contribution in the field of literature. The language teachers were told to motivate the students to use English as a medium of communication in the school campus. The team of 'Medium of Instruction' was advised to help students in understanding the language and recognize the opportunities of the same.

# World Malaria Day

World Malaria Day was celebrated by Petrines to raise awareness in the students about the hazardous consequences of this fatal disease. The students were inspired to take preventive measures to curb this disease by displaying a Street Play (Nukkad Natak) on raising awareness against Malaria. They were motivated to take sustainable precautions at school and at home to stay safe. The children were inspired to take prompt action and make the concerned authorities cognizant of discrepancies in their neighbourhood too.





A knowledgeable and an enlightening assembly was conducted by the wonderful Petrines on the importance and benefits of 'Subject Enrichment Activity'. Such activities not only help the students to reignite their interests in the learned topics but it also helps them in making the classroom engaging and interesting by working on their conceptual knowledge and creativity.



## 27 April 2023 Time is the most valuable thing a man can spend.'

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The talented petrines presented a marvellous assembly on the importance of value of time and time-management. Students were advised to value their precious time to create a positive environment around themselves by practicing proper SMART (S-Specific, M-Measurable, A-Attainable, R- Relevant, T-Time Bound) approach to avoid procrastination.





# Inter-school Chess Championship

The shortlisted Petrines of under-14 category went for the Sahodaya Inter-school Chess championship at Heritage School.



The petrines are always motivated for their stern discipline and this time they were appreciated while walking in the right-side of the corridors in the campus.



# The Key to safety is in your hands

World Day for safety and health at work was celebrated by the amazing Petrines to educate their counterparts to understand the role of a safe environment as well as a principle right at the work place. The students were inspired to cultivate a sense of value of human life and treat everyone with respect, dignity and polite gestures.





## When you dance, you can enjoy the luxury of being you

The International Dance day was celebrated with enormous zeal and extravagant joy by the brilliant petrines to celebrate the happiness and enthusiasm amongst the Petrine family. Beautiful dances representing the varied shades of various states of India were displayed gracefully through a ramp walk. The Petrines also performed a beautiful dance displaying the diversity of the culture of our country. They were inspired to inculcate and share the joy of dance in their lives, which is also the theme for the year 2023.



'The real success is always based on a great deal of failure. If you have learnt that the real mistake is to stop trying after a failure, then the purpose of your long stay in the Petrine campus is worth'.

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'- Rev. Fr. S. Joseph

The Petrine family wishes you sayonara, adios, au revoir, alvida on 29 April by honouring the 2022-23 batch of grade 10. This batch was a strongly dedicated and proved themselves being responsible by struggling and winning the hurdles of studying at home during the covid-19 lockdowns. Not only this, but this batch was full of exuberant minds and creative spirits.

Honouring the Ex-Petrines,

Batch - 2022-2023

Weekly Glimpse

#### **Chess Championship Practice Sessions**

The students who had been shortlisted for the Under-14 and Under-17 Chess Championship were shown engaging videos to acquaint them with the desired skill for the competition, which was held at Heritage School Jammu on 27th and 28th April.



#### Inter-school Turncoat Debate Competetion

Debate - Selection Roard. (Jul : Should the use of artificial intelligence be regulated ?

A debate competition, open to all was organised in the school premises on 24 April. Four students had participated and out of them, Cheshta Bhat, a student of grade X C was declared the winner. She participated in the Inter-school Turncoat Debate, that was held at APS Damana under the care of Jammu Sahodya School Complex on 29 April.





#### Sahodaya Debate Competetion

Mrs. Anju Khullar, faculty of English represented the school in the 'Turncoat Debate (English) Competition' that was organised by Jammu Sahodya School Complex at IDPS Akhnoor.

#### Inter-School Basketball Tournament

Ruban Sotra, Sharan Manni, Shubam Basson, Saksham Manni, Dharamveer Singh, Aarush Bhatti, Sharan manni, Eddy Sotra, Harman Slaida, Chaitanya Mehta, Manik Sharma, Karan Sing and Lovish Sandhu were selected for the Under-14 and Under-17 JP Inter-School Basketball Tournament that was held at Birla Open Minds School, Jammu on 27th and 28th April under the helm of Jammu Sahodya School Complex.

## National Astronomy Science Olympiad

Sayam Sharma (VIII A) and Tvishi Sarma (VII C) have been selected for level two of National Astronomy Science Olympiad. Zion Anthony, Ashank Bharti, Kritika jamwal, Manvi Dogra, Alok Badgal, Aditi Barnodia, Neha Kumari, Panya Raina, Ayushi Khajuria, Nakshatra Bharti, Manyata Thapa, Sana Basson, Dheeraj Sharma of grade VI, Bhavik Gandotra, Ananya Thakur, Laksh Banalia, Parineeti Sharma, Suryavanshi Kumari, Anandita Goel, Haneesa Singh, Deevishi Malhotra of grade VII, Yogesh sharma of grade IX and Angel Gupta, Martina Gill, Mohd. Usman, Pranjal Sharma, Visharad kalsi, Sparsh Morris, Sunandi Anthal, Anamika Gupta, Cheshta Bhat, Ansh, Mannat Malhotra, Arshveer Singh, Aneek Meghwan, Prachi, Kanan Bajgal, Karan, Ridhima, Takshm Gupta of grade X for their splendid participation in National Astronomy Science Olympiad for the session 2022-2023.



# An invigilation visit by Mr. Vinod Kumar

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An invigilation visit by Mr. Vinod Kumar in the school campus. He is one of the best mathematician and has published many mathematics books in his career of more than twenty years. He is an asset to maths and an institution of mathematics himself.



#### **Selection of Student Council Members**

This week was also a week for the selection process that underwent three rounds in the finalization of the Petrine Student Council. The first round was based on a written know-how of leadership skills and values that it caters, the second round comprised of the spoken dialect and intellect of the candidate and the third round was all about team spirit, which was projected through role-play. Rev. Fr. Maria Das, Rev. Fr. Eugene and our Principal, Fr. S. Joseph were the part of the team of jury for their selection.

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#### **Periodic Test**

First Periodic Test for the subject Mathematics will be conducted on Monday.

#### Labour's Day

Labour's day will be celebrated in the campus on 1st of May 2023. It is a day to celebrate the hard work, dedication, and commitment of workers across the world who have made significant contributions to their respective societies.



## **ST. PETER'S HIGH SCHOOL**

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