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"Laugh, Play, and Dream Big – Because Every Child Deserves a Day to Shine!"

The Children's day event was celebrated with great pleasure in our school on 15th November 2023. All the Pushkarnians were dressed in their best looking outfits. The day started with students spending time with their class teachers. After a short snack break, everyone gathered in the assembly hall. Around 10:00 AM the celebration began with the melody of the teachers' choir. Then multiple games were conducted. We enjoyed a graceful dance by the teachers. This was followed by a narration of a familiar story with a twist to give wonderful morals by our beloved principal, Harshida ma'am. A humorous mime performed by our teachers got an enthusiastic response from the students. The celebration continued till the lunch break and the high school students had an extended community lunch. The day was filled with tons of fun and enjoyment.

-Neela 9C



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CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF KARNATAKA

Kannada Rajyotsava was celebrated on 24th November in the Pushkarini school premises. It was celebrated with grandeur and with great enthusiasm by the students and staff of our school. The programme commenced with a melodious prayer song by the choir. The Karnataka flag was hoisted followed by the singing of the Naada Geethe. Unnathi R of class 10 B compered the day's programme. An inter-house dance-drama competition was also held on this occasion. The four houses of the school - Nilgiris, Vindhyachal, Himachal and Sahyadri, performed wonderful dances in resplendent costumes along with astounding plays, fiercely competing with each other.

Nilgiri house performed the various dances of Karnataka, stunning the audience with Bharatanatyam, Yakshagana, Dollu Kunitha, Veeragase and more. Vindhyachal house presented an impressive act on the theme of Shiva and Sati enhanced with breath taking performances of the Shiva Tandava. Himachal house presented a marvellous act on Devi Chamundeshwari and Mahishasura and mesmerizing dance forms of Karnataka like Bharatanatyam, Kodava dance, Kolatta, Yaskshagana and so on. The last performance was given by Sahyadri house who presented a thrilling act on

Bhakta Prahlada, followed by dances of Karnataka like Bharatnatyam, Coorgi dance and Kolatta. The judges were the hosts invited. Nilgiri house won the first place, followed by Sahyadri, Himachal and Vindhyachal. The programme ended with the vote of thanks.

-Deepasri 9D



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INDIA'S INTERNATIONAL MOVEMENT TO UNITE NATIONS (IIMUN MYSORE)

The I.I.M.U.N(India's International Movement to Unite Nations) session, Mysore was conducted in Manasarowar Pushkarini Vidyashrama on 17th, 18th and 19th November. Over one hundred students from schools all over Mysore participated in this event, contributing to its great success. Students debated over topics ranging from the Indian Premier League (IPL) to the International Monetary Fund (IMF), Prime Minister's Special Summit (PMSS) and International Consortium of Investigative Journalists (ICIJ).

The hardcore dedication of students and teachers made this session as a platform, not only for delegacy and diplomacy but also for overall development with interpersonal skills, public speaking and a whole lot of fun! The three-day session also had many interesting attributes like yoga, cultural programs

and guest speech. The whole session reflected the U.N, students taking up roles of delegates and offering brilliant solutions for existing problems.

-Vidvath 9C



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GAME ON: SCHOOL SPORTS DAY

2023 - 24!

The most awaited sports season has already begun in Pushkarini !!

The sports league for the academic year 2023-24 has kicked off in Pushkarini. The students and all teachers are excited for this action-packed league. The students of all the four houses, the Nilgiris, Vindyachal, Himachal and Sahyadri, are striving hard to win the 'Best house of the year' title. The students are trying to give their best approach to win the league. This year the tournament is played in the form of league, where all the four houses compete against each other. The sports played in the league are Throwball, Basketball and Volleyball. The students of all the houses are contesting with zeal to triumph in the championship.

-Shanavi 9C



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SRI LANKAN TOURISM IN FOR A MAKE OVER?

The Sri Lankan government is set to launch the 'Visit Sri Lanka' app, targeting five million tourists. President Ranil Wickremesinghe announced that the app will be released in the upcoming months and claims that the app is in the final stages of development. The Government targets to bring in almost 5 million tourists highlighting that the industry is an important economy booster. It has also recognized the diverse culinary style of the country and shall henceforth make more developments in the culinary sector. This move is being expected to make a rebound in the economy of Sri Lanka that recently collapsed due to a number of reasons. Plans to develop Lanka's tourism sector is anticipated to plant new hopes on reviving the financial stability that crashed last year.

In 2016–2017, a drought ruined crops and weakened the farming industry. Politics also was a factor, with a sudden, unexpected change in government in 2018, and terrorist attacks by Islamic fundamentalists in 2019. Major tax reform contributed to a weakened budget. Hence, the improvement in the tourism and hospitality industry is being looked forward to promise a gradual recovery of the economy of Sri Lanka.

-Deepasri 9D



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THREAT ON HUMANITY

The root cause of the Israel-Palestine war can be traced back to the ownership of land that is today recognised as Israel. Although controversial, the land was initially occupied by Palestinians for over a millennium but this land was united as a country under the flag of Israel in 1948. The regions of West Bank and Gaza strip were inhabited by the former Palestinians, who were now Israeli citizens.

A few Islamic activists of Palestine, who did not accept this change formed an organization called Hamas. Hamas aimed to create an Islamic state in the region of present-day Israel. They have made the Gaza strip and West Bank as their frontiers, planning and executing their attacks from these places.

This war is threatening the lives of tens of thousands of people, not only of the armed forces but also of innocent civilians. The United Nations Security Council is trying hard to communicate with both Israel and Hamas and convince them to stop the war. At the least, the Council is requesting the parties to give 'humanitarian pauses' through the Gaza strip to provide civilians with desperately needed aid.

"War may sometimes be a necessary evil. But no matter how necessary, it is always an evil, never a good," said Jimmy Carter. War is not the ultimate solution for any problem. Let the world look for a peaceful way of dealing with our differences rather than picking up arms to destroy humanity.

-Vidvath,9C



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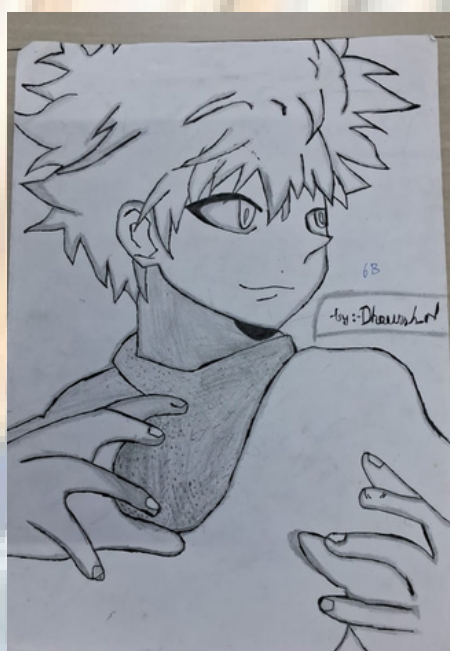
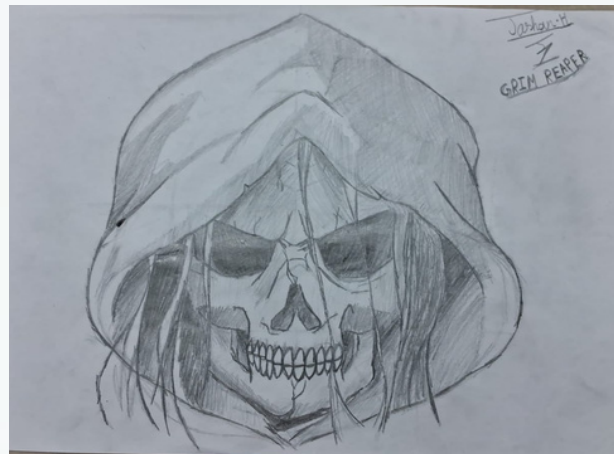


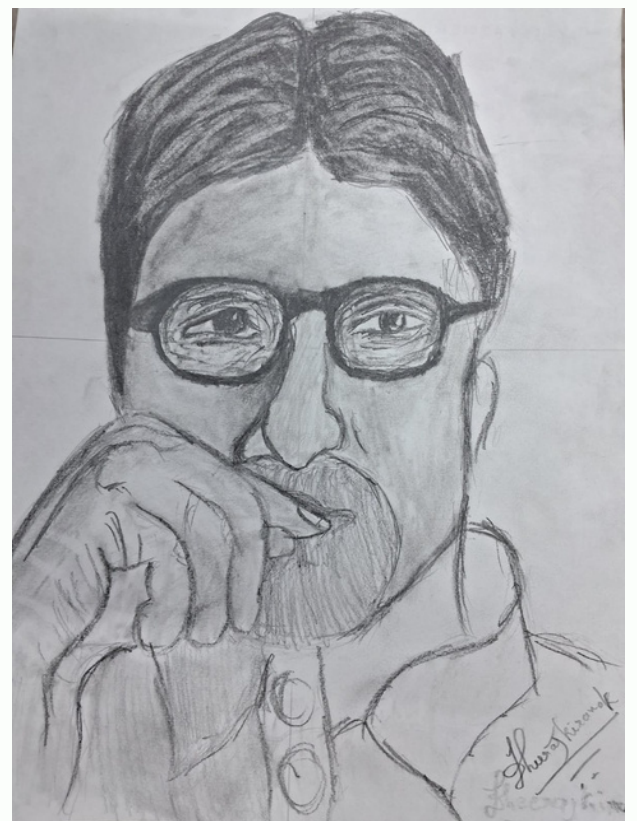
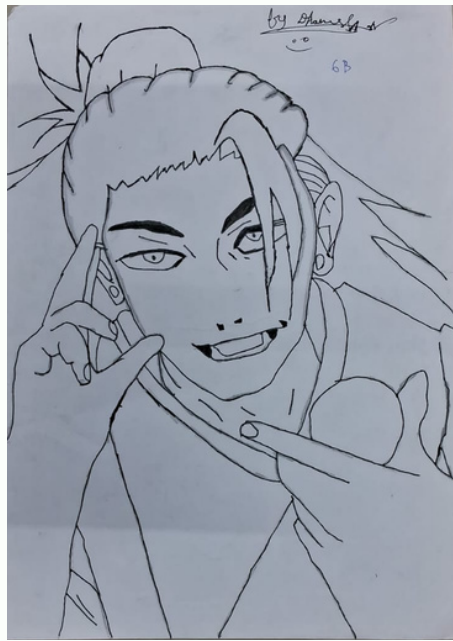
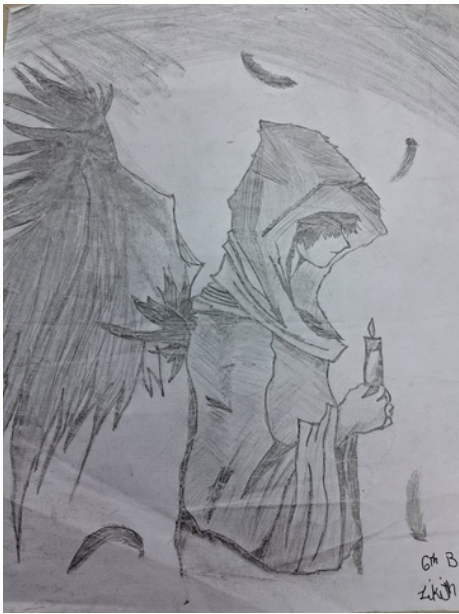
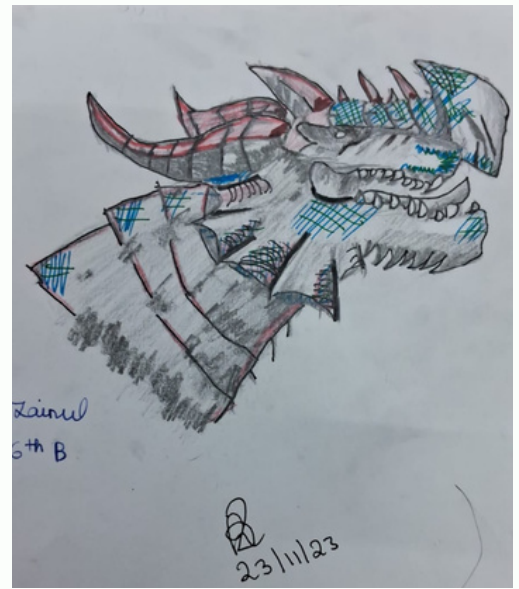
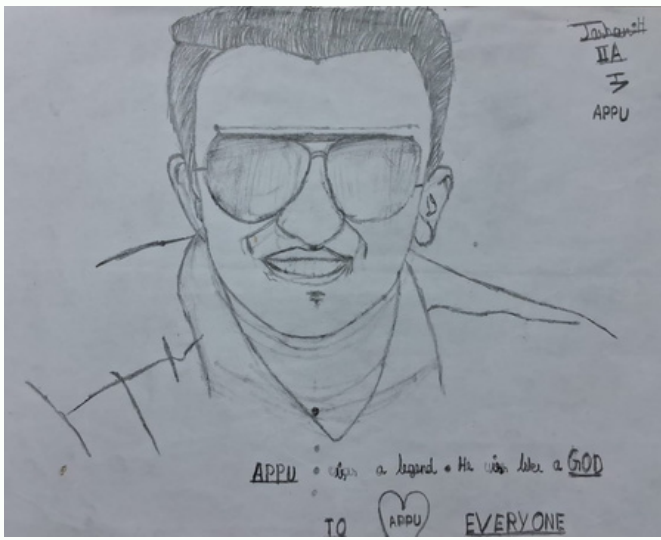
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