MIDDLE DOMAIN
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THE JOURNEY CONTINUES...

Dear Parents,

Term II has been a phase of sustained effort, meaningful engagement, and consistent growth. Our students have embraced every opportunity to learn, explore, and excel across academics, co-curricular activities, and special initiatives. Their enthusiasm, resilience, and achievements have truly shaped the spirit of the months gone by.

On behalf of our Director Principal, Namrata Di, and our Vice Principal, Sonali Di, we are delighted to share with you the many highlights and milestones of this term. Through this edition, we take pride in reflecting on the experiences that continue to shape our students' learning journey and strengthen our vibrant school community.

We started by celebrating our students' remarkable success in the Finland Math Olympiad 2025, held for Grades I–VIII through Eduten's globally acclaimed digital platform. At the national level, we proudly applaud Samruddhi Bandgar (Rank 1), Avidaan Dubey (Rank 5), Darsh Chandak (Rank 8), Arin Dhoble (Rank 7), and Aryan Rajure (Rank 8) for their outstanding achievement and mathematical excellence.

In the first stage of the LogIQids Mental Aptitude Olympiad, Darsh Chandak secured Zonal Rank 1, Nishadaa Patil secured Zonal Rank 6, and Tejas Krishna secured Zonal Rank 5.

Several students have also qualified for the second round scheduled on 10th March, with the top 10 zonal rankers being awarded medals for their exceptional performance.

We also celebrated our students' success in the Open Door Assessment, highlighting their strong logical reasoning and analytical skills.

OBESITY AWARENESS WALKATHON

The Obesity Awareness Walkathon held on 8th November brought together both teachers and students in a shared commitment to health and well-being.
The initiative highlighted the importance of fitness and mindful lifestyle choices, while fostering unity and collective responsibility.

The enthusiastic participation from all members of the domain set a positive and energising tone for the weeks ahead.

SPORTS DAY

This was followed by the much-awaited Sports Day, where students showcased their athletic abilities across various track events. A special highlight of the day was the Victory March, celebrating students who have excelled in diverse sporting arenas including Badminton, Aerodynamics, Tennis, Lawn Tennis, Trap Shotgun Shooting, Ice Short Track Speed Skating, and Taekwondo.
Their achievements brought immense pride to the school and truly reflected dedication, discipline, and sporting excellence.

While the races reflected speed, stamina, and competitive spirit, the major highlight of the day was the much-anticipated Inter-House Drill Competition. The synchronisation, discipline, and precision displayed by each house were truly commendable, making it the standout segment of the event. The coordinated formations, rhythmic movements, and flawless transitions showcased not only physical endurance but also teamwork, focus, and hours of dedicated practice.

DOMAIN ASSEMBLIES

The Grade VII and VIII assemblies highlighted significant national and international observances, including Kartik Purnima, World Science Day for Peace and Development, Indian Flag Day, Youth Day, the International Day of Clean Energy, and Vasant Panchami. In addition, special assemblies were conducted on Obesity Awareness and the Reading Millionaire Scheme, reinforcing the importance of health, fitness, and a strong reading culture. Through these presentations, students strengthened their awareness, values, and confidence in public speaking.

ACHIEVEMENTS THAT INSPIRE

Our assemblies also became platforms to celebrate our shining stars. Maya Davele emerged victorious at the Maya Young Author Quest, a national creative writing competition by Britannica Education. Siddhant Mandge brought great pride to the school by winning 2 Gold and 1 Silver medals at the Open National Ice Skating Championship and representing India at the Inner Mongolia International Mass Short Track Speed Skating Open 2025.

Adding to our achievements, Josh Sahasrabuddhe and Tejas Krishna represented our school as TEDx speakers at The Orbis School under the theme “A Quiet Revolution,” inspiring the audience with their thoughtful ideas and confident voices. Their accomplishments truly reflect the confidence, talent, and determination of our students.

We are equally proud to share that Rishan secured 1st Prize in the Solo Swar Instrument category at the Indira School Music Competition.

Adding to the pride of the occasion, our School Magazine, Orkid Inkspire, was officially launched, celebrating the literary and artistic expressions of our students.

EXPLORING, EXPERIENCING, EVOLVING

Field trips during the term provided enriching, hands-on learning experiences across grades. Class V explored scientific concepts at the Science Park and also visited Shivsrushti Historical Theme Park in October, gaining deeper insights into India's rich history and heritage. Class VIII visited the Centre for Science Education and Communication to enhance their scientific understanding through interactive exposure, while Class VI's visit to the Aviation Centre offered fascinating insights into the world of aeronautics.

These experiential visits reinforced classroom learning while nurturing curiosity, inquiry, and real-world connections.

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As part of the Business City Programme, each Class VII section set up its own stall, with students from Classes IV, V, and VI acting as customers. This hands-on activity helped students learn teamwork, basic business planning, and customer interaction in a real-world setting.

During Math Day, led by the Learn Quest team, students engaged in interactive activities that reinforced problem-solving, logical reasoning, and mathematical concepts, making learning both practical and enjoyable.

CONNECTING, COLLABORATING, CONTRIBUTING

Class V participated in the Sports Twinning Program with students from Sant Tukaram Prathmik Vidyalay, engaging in shared sports activities that promoted teamwork, inclusivity, and sportsmanship. The program helped bridge socio-economic divides while fostering mutual respect and personal growth.

Meanwhile, Class VIII contributed to the community by cleaning their classrooms and floors as part of a hands-on community project, reinforcing responsibility, care, and active participation in maintaining a clean environment.

VOICES WITH A PURPOSE

Class V presented their Christmas Concert, "Harmony of Hope," celebrating unity, empathy, and optimism through music and performance. Held in the school auditorium, the concert beautifully reflected the values of inclusivity, cooperation, and togetherness that we strive to nurture in our students.

Class VI, on the other hand, used performance as a powerful medium for awareness. Their street play on obesity and sugar consumption, staged at Westend Mall, highlighted the importance of healthy lifestyle choices and responsible habits, delivering a strong social message to the community.

LEARNING BEYOND LIMITS

Adventure and outdoor experiences continued to be an integral part of holistic learning this term. Class V and VI students participated in a one-day Adventure Camp at Rocksport, Pune, where they engaged in exciting activities such as zip lining, sport climbing, archery, and various obstacle challenges. Set amidst the Sahyadris, the camp fostered teamwork, resilience, and confidence in a safe and supportive environment.

Class VII students undertook an overnight Rural Camp at Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Baramati, gaining firsthand exposure to rural life, local governance, and agricultural practices. Visits to innovation centres, dairy units, and the Gram Panchayat enriched their understanding of socio-economic structures and sustainable development, making it a truly immersive learning experience.

CLOSING THE CHAPTER, CELEBRATING THE JOURNEY

As we bring Academic Year 2025–26 to a close, we pause to reflect on a journey marked by growth, grit, and countless moments of pride. This year has been one of exploration — where our students stepped beyond comfort zones, embraced challenges, and discovered new strengths within themselves.

From intellectual pursuits and creative showcases to leadership opportunities, sports achievements, community outreach, and experiential learning, each milestone has added a new layer to their development. The Middle Domain has not only witnessed achievement, but transformation — in confidence, in collaboration, and in character.

This journey would not have been possible without the unwavering dedication of our teachers, whose passion and perseverance shape every learning experience. My sincere appreciation to our Coordinator, Shaily Di, for her steady leadership and thoughtful guidance throughout the year.

We remain deeply grateful to our school leadership, Namrata Di and Sonali Di, for their vision, trust, and constant encouragement that enable us to innovate and grow.

To our parent community — thank you for walking alongside us. Your partnership strengthens the foundation on which our students continue to rise.

As one chapter closes, another begins — and we look ahead with renewed purpose, ready to nurture not just achievers, but individuals of integrity, empathy, and courage.

Warm regards,
Rinku Di
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