HIGHLIGHTS APRIL & MAY 2024



Dear Students,

We heartily welcome you to the new academic session filled with enthusiasm and learnings! We're excited to see you grow and achieve great things this year and always.

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Let's make this year memorable by striving for excellence, embracing curiosity, and fostering a positive learning environment together.

As the summer vacation approaches, be filled with joy, laughter, and create wonderful memories. Wishing you a vacation full of sunshine, laughter, and happiness. May it be a time of rejuvenation and relaxation and lots of quality family time.



We are extremely proud to share that, incollaboration with **Blue Planet**, our school has set a **Guinness World Record** for the maximum paper recycling, showcasing our commitment to environmental sustainability. Thank you for your dedication to making a positive impact on our planet. Cheers to this extraordinary accomplishment!

Earth Day Celebration 22nd Apríl 2024



Earth Day is an eagerly anticipated week long celebration at our school, dedicated towards raising awareness about environmental conservation and sustainability. Throughout the week, students and teachers came together to participate in various eco-friendly activities and initiatives. Our purpose is to foster a sense of environmental stewardship among our students, encouraging them to be mindful of the impact on the planet and to take meaningful steps towards a sustainable future.



Spic Macay



To promote cultural awareness among students, Queen Mary's School Northend, in association with SPIC MACAY, organized a lecture-cumdemonstration for the dance club members of our school on 22nd April' 2024 in the school auditorium. The students from neighbouring schools were also invited to be a part of this event.

The interactive lecture-cum-demonstration was taken by renowned *Kathak Dance Exponent Ms. Saswati Sen* along with her co-artist Shri Utpal Ghoshal, Shri Jaywardhdan Dadheech and Shri Shanky Singh. The session was a great learning and an unforgettable experience for the students as they were exposed to the rich cultural heritage of India.





World Heritage Day

World Heritage Day, celebrated annually on April 18th, is a day dedicated to raising awareness about the diversity of our cultural heritage and the efforts required to



declamation, special assembly, and a movie screening were organised aiming at fostering appreciation for our rich cultural heritage.

The World Heritage Day celebration provided students with a platform to learn, appreciate, and actively engage with our cultural heritage. Through a diverse range of activities and initiatives, the event fostered a sense of pride and emphasised on the importance of preserving it for future generations.



World Book Day

To foster the adoration of books and instil the love of reading, DEAR (Drop Everything And Read) programme was conducted on the occasion of World Book Day on 23 April 2024 for all the staff and students. During the allotted time all the students and staff read the books of their choice to make this event successful.





Book Donation Drive

Our book donation to the Delhi Council of Children Welfare was a meaningful contribution to support young readers in need. By providing books, we aimed to ignite imaginations and promote literacy among the underprivileged. These books will open new worlds of knowledge and inspiration, fostering the love for reading and learning. This Book donation drive reflects our commitment to empower children through the magic of books, encouraging a brighter future through education.

18th Ramjas Inter School Table Tennis Tournament 2024

29 April 2024 to 6^{th} May 2024

With immense joy we share that students from class (IV-D) Heer Vohra, (IV-E) Aamaya Sharma, (IV-E) Amaira Saluja, (IV-E) Prajanya participated in the tournament in under 10 girls category and won 3rd Place.







World Dance Day was celebrated with great fervour at our school on 29th April' 2024. The event showcased the rich diversity of dance forms around the globe, highlighting the cultural significance of movement and expression. Students from different classes participated, presenting mesmerizing performances ranging from classical ballet to traditional folk dances. The celebration was not only a display of talent but also an opportunity for students to appreciate different cultures through dance.



Congratulations Award Ceremony

"Do the best you can until you know better. Then when you know better, do better." Maya Angelou

Queen Mary's School, Northend organized the Award ceremony to appreciate the outstanding achievements and contributions of our star performers in the session 2023-24 on 29th April & 1st May' 2024.

The students were honored with awards recognizing both their academic achievements and their participation in co-curricular activities.

The event left a lasting impact, inspiring all attendees to strive for greatness and embody the spirit of achievement in all aspects of life.









who work hard to make this life

so much better for each one of us.

Special assembly on *International Labour Day* was organised to develop a deep sense of gratitude and appreciation for all the workers in society who work hard to carry the nation forward. Children were given knowledge about Labour Day and its importance. Primary coordinator Ms. Astha Parashar spoke about the dignity of labour and said it is our duty to respect and appreciate the hard work and dedication of all our helpers and caregivers.

SCREENING OF THE MOVIE 'Appu: Elephant Lives Matter' 8TH MAY'24 TO 18TH MAY'24



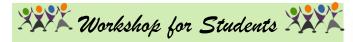
Field trips give students educational experiences away from their regular school environment and provide alternative educational opportunities.

As part of a recreational activity, special screening of a popular movie '**Appu: Elephant Lives Matter**' was arranged at Cinepolis, Pacific Mall, NSP for students of classes I to V.

This movie gives a powerful message about the importance of protecting our planet's wildlife.

It was a fun-filled day with a great learning experience for them.





6.5.24: *Leadership Training workshop-* Ms. Tamanna, a psychotherapist by profession conducted a workshop on leadership for the newly appointed students' council. She was highly instrumental in inculcating the leadership skills and making them understand the importance of teamwork, collaboration and coordination to achieve fruitful results. Students were engaged in various group activities and discussions around these skills. It was a great learning experience for all of them.





Story Time!

7.5.24: To foster the skills of listening and reading, a storytelling session by *Ms. Simi Srivastava* a passionate storyteller and a talented theatre artist, was organised for the students of classes III to V.

The session was based on the jungle story 'the Bear Hunt' in which students actively participated and enjoyed. Through the story, they were exposed to the basics of theatre, voice modulation and the rhythm of storytelling. Developing communication skills and expanding the realm of their imagination was the main objective of the workshop. Overall, it was a great learning experience which was thoroughly enjoyed by the children.

PUPPET SHOW

10.5.24 - The school organised Puppet Show for the students of classes I and II. The show was full of joyful learning experience for the little audience. The students had the pleasure of watching their favourite *story 'The Bear and Two Friends'*. The effective use of creative and colourful puppets by the puppeteer engaged the students in the interesting story.

The twinkling eyes and the laughter of the students was a proof of the joy they experienced during the show.



FULL DOME MOBILE PLANETARIUM SHOW Classes I – V (30th APRIL TO 6th MAY, 2024)

In association with LEO PLANETARIA, the school organised **Full Dome Digital Mobile Planetarium Show**. It aimed to take students on an exciting journey through different astronomical sky simulations. It has brought fascination of the night sky into a dome thus helping students to connect themselves with the world of Astronomy. Topics for various classes were as follows:

Class I - Puppy on the Moon- 'Directions up and Down'

Class II - Chandamama Shapes- 'Lunar Calendar and Phases of Moon'

Class III – Constellations- 'Concept of Stick Figure Constellations'

Class IV – Finding Dhruv Tara- 'Finding Pole Star in Different Seasons and from different Places'

Class V- Journey to Wonderland- 'Solar System Model'

The show was followed by a planetarium quiz. Students participated in the quiz with great zeal and enthusiasm. It was a fun filled, joyful and informative experience for all the students.



Inter-House Declamation Competition

10th May, 2024

Inter-House Declamation competition was organised in the Helen Jerwood Auditorium for the students of classes I to V. Students participated with great zeal and fervour.

Various themes and topics for the competition were-

		Class	Торіс	Theme
		I	Elements of Life	Precious Gifts of Nature
	8	V II	Neighbourhood Services	Indispensable Vicinity
	SG 0		Be Safe and Healthy	Health and Harmony
		🦉 IV	Diverse	Majestic Indian
			Indian Monuments	Monuments
		V	Earth is the only thing we	Planet Vs. Plastic
•			have in Common	



Investiture Ceremony

Investiture ceremony for the session 2024-25 was held on 17th May, 24 in the school auditorium. The ceremony holds immense significance as it is a formal event during which students are entrusted with positions of authority and responsibility. By honouring students with leadership positions, the school reinforces the importance of leadership and provides them with opportunities to develop and nurture essential leadership skills among the students.

Our honourable Principal ma'am Ms. Anupma Singh along with the school coordinators badged the newly appointed student council which enforces a sense of pride and unity among the school fraternity. This was followed by an oath led by Principal Ma'am where each member of the council pledged to perform their duties with honesty and diligence. On this momentous occasion the Senior and Junior School Head Girls delivered heart touching speeches.





May the holiday season fill your home with joy, your heart with love, and your life with laughter.