

LUNN HOUSE LIFTS THE VICTORY CUP, AFTER STARTING THIRD



The Bishops Co-Ed School, Kaylaninagar hosted the Inter-house swimming finals at the Parsi Gymkhana pool on November 5th, 2022. The chief guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jolly, were welcomed by the principal, followed by the opening ceremony.

Records were broken in individual freestyle, breaststroke, and backstroke events. Archita Kapil, Tanish Shetty, and Ananya Kapil were some of the noteworthy record breakers. The Bishops Co-Ed School, KLN broke the Inter-school relay record set by The Bishops School Camp in 2019. In the staff-student relay, The Bishops School Camp triumphed.

The Inter-house relay races were a highlight. In the U-19 girl's inter-house relay, Freese house set a new record of 49.77 seconds, the previous being 56.49 seconds set by Freese house itself. The past boys beat the present team in the Past vs Present relay, and the ISC girls beat the ICSE team in the ISC vs ICSE relay.

The Swimming finals were won by the Lunn house.

A SPLASH OF COLOURS

The junior section of the Bishops Co-Ed School, KLN performed an adaptation of the Disney movie Encanto on November 17, 2022. The opening prayer was led by our principal, followed by the introduction to the concert by Mr. Gavin Godfrey. The concert's narrators took over the microphone and guided us to the enchanted realm of Encanto. The program started with a mesmerizing dance to the song, 'Family Madrigal'.

The creatively created props gave the theatre a vibrant and lovely appearance. The choir was the concert's unsung hero since they sang tirelessly and did a terrific job. The crowd's favourite performance was the dance to the song Surface Pressure. The main character, Mirabel, was superbly portrayed by Innaya Sachdeva (Class 5E). The vivid and distinctive clothes had a particularly alluring appearance.

The board members of The Bishops Schools sincerely enjoyed the concert. The audience members praised the show as being perfect, magnificent, and wonderful. Everyone was in awe following the incredible performance. The young actors' remarkable recall of lines at such a young age without the use of prompts really astounded the audience.

The concert was "Just Fantastic."

"It was an amazingly organized event. 20 minutes in, we could not decide which stall to visit first!" ~ Parent

As part of their SUPW, the students in classes 9, 10, 11, and 12 set up booths for the parents and classmates of the Junior school on Friday, November 11th.

Each class set up stalls in the food, game, and eco-friendly categories. Simple foods like nachos and more sophisticated foods like brownies were available at the food vendors. The cold coffee was a common favourite. The educators commended the students' altruism. The pupils knew they wouldn't make any money, yet they still did such a terrific job, according to Miss Khambe.



The photo booth was set up on stage, and other kids and teachers joined them to take silly photos while utilising props. Simply put, this event was a success.

“Make the most of the days which permit you to explore your true self” - Our Principal.

On November 14, 2022, our reporters had a special interview with our school heads.

Mr. McPherson, our principal, enjoyed seeing the energetic kids and thanked the staff for making their days special. He predicted that the future months will be jam-packed with activities, including discussions, class picnics, sports day, and the school musical. He continued by stating that a special celebration was being prepared for the class 12 prefects and graduating students. He controls his hectic schedule with a straightforward cup of coffee. Mr. Eates, our headmaster, spoke about development plans for the playpark's expansion and the addition of several activities during the winter break. After waiting two years, our Headmistress, Mrs. Dunn, was happy to see the celebrations taking place and wished everyone could fully appreciate their special day.



“We wanted this Club to have madness, the Rick and Morty type of madness and passion.” -Dev & Shagnik on STEM Club

The president of the STEM Club Dev Gala and Vice President Shagnik Dasgupta talk about how there was a need of a club dedicated to pure sciences. Shagnik and Dev share that scientists around the world have kept their inner child alive by wanting to explore as much as possible and is always curious which drives their aim to build curiosity and creativity.



The club stages new problems and new solutions and is for everyone, not just for the academically gifted in science and math. They have a dream to publish a thesis of their work in the future. The club encourages collaboration and team work. They have also planned many outreach programs including teaching basic science concepts to under privileged children to instill in them a love for science. Shagnik and Dev strongly believe that science and business go hand in hand, hinting at an interesting collaboration with the BEC club of The Bishop's Co-Ed School. In this Club, students have gained a lot of knowledge, laughed, broken test tubes and broken the laws of science – which is exactly the way to build a love for science. The technology is managed by Akshaj Kashyap



Dev Gala states – “We wanted this Club to have madness, the Rick and Morty type of madness and passion.” One question that everybody has, “Does science rule the world?”. Shagnik Dasgupta replies, “Science makes tools that rule the world”. Dev Gala in response says, “Science is the world!”

“Our goal was to allow complete freedom to the children for the rest of the day”~ Our Headmistress



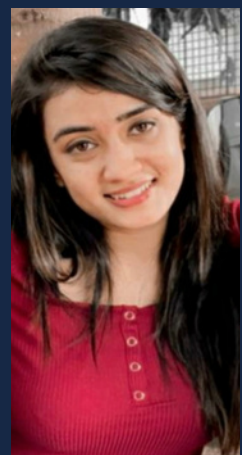
The Children's Day on November 14, 2022 took off with a special assembly. After the usual morning prayers, Mrs. Jovia D'souza took over as the anchor. The celebration started with a short speech and a beautifully sung song by the staff choir. The best part was the teachers' dance.

The children danced along to the PTI's aerobics dance, showing off their groovy moves. Like every year, there was a lucky draw conducted where one child of each grade got a gift. The teachers of the Junior classes indulged in games with the students. School got over early and each child got a snack packet at the end of the day.



Interview with the new teachers at The Bishop's Co-Ed School Kalyaninagar, Pune

When you enter this loving school consider yourself one of the special members of an extraordinary family. Teaching can be stressful at times, but our teachers accept it and enjoy it with the children with all their heart. We have interviewed some of the new teachers who have joined in the year 2020 and later; they have shared their experiential and thoughtful replies.



Shreya Sharma (Class 9 and 10 Commerce and Economics teacher)

She says that her experience has been pretty good, with a few ups and downs. During the lockdown, she was not very satisfied with the online teaching method since the one-to-one connection between the teacher and the student was missing. She believes that offline classes are better since Economics and Commerce are new subjects for the students and require more attention in the initial stages.



Shivraj Patil (Class 9 and 10 Hindi teacher)

Mr. Shivraj Patil began teaching at our school in August 2021 and believes that our school has the best education system. He says about his teaching experience, "If I had to say from good, better, best, it would be better".

Kamini Gosar (Class 8 and 9 Maths teacher)



Ms. Kamini Gosar has taught in quite a few well-known schools before joining Bishop's KLN, but according to her Bishop's is the best school so far. She further speaks about how the management is very organised and classes are quite interactive.

Monica Tiwari (Class 9 and 10 Geography teacher)



Ms. Monica Tiwari has been involved in managing and coordinating not only the teaching activities but also in the non-teaching activities of the students. She believes that the teaching process must not be a reading exercise for the teachers but rather an interactive learning and growing process. Overall, she enjoyed the whole process.

Nisreen Furniturewala (Class teacher of 5 B)

Ms Nisreen Furniturewala's experience in the Bishop's School has been enriching in different ways by encouraging and engaging the children in multiple creative activities for their betterment. Teaching here makes her reminiscent of her childhood learning experience.

She says through her experience that the teachers have worked very hard to make the online teaching experience lively and brought innovative ideas to make them interactive. However, the offline mode allowed them to connect better with the children and guide them on a one-to-one basis.



Ganesh Pawar (11 and 12 Physics teacher)

As a youngster who enjoyed physics Mr. Ganesh Pawar shares his own perspective towards physics saying, "It is the most logical subject and relatable in day-to-day life". He appreciates the Bishop's KLN by saying, "You enter with a plan and an objective and there is no interference whatsoever". He also describes science as a subject which has vast scope across the world. He believes that learning is a never-ending process and thinks of himself as a student of physics forever.



Mrs. Aisha Siddiqui (9 & 10 Geography teacher)

Mrs. Aisha Siddiqui has been associated with Bishop's for over a year and so far, she has only great things to say about her experience. She believes that the school emphasizes the importance of values and builds leaders through each of their activities. She loves how the school balances sports as well as curriculum as studies is not the only thing that grooms a student. She looks forward to a wonderful tenure with the Bishop's school..

Jovia D'Souza (Class 9 and 10 English teacher)

She started off by complimenting the staff members for their co-operation and guidance. So far it has been a little challenging but a great learning experience. She wants to inspire the students to do their best, make them better individuals both inside and outside the classroom. She appreciates the robust reporting system in the learning process of the students.

Ajinkya Bahule (Boxing coach)

He says that boxing means everything to him just like any other boxer or a boxing coach. He further continues that some kids might get overconfident and lose their bouts but currently children are in the learning phase so eventually with time they will do better, so it's a coach's responsibility to train them well.

Sheetal Bhatt (class 7 and 8 Hindi teacher)

She comments on the staff for their hard work, co-operative, welcoming and helpful nature. The students are gradually improving and are interactive. She continues that being a very high-standard standard school, the staff members are very humble and work distribution among the staff is very well managed.

Manasi Singh (Class teacher of 3 D)

According to her, attending Bishop's opens up a lot of doors for academic success as well as extracurricular opportunities. "I am truly content and joyful," she declares. here and it has been amazing to be a part of extra curricular activities as a mentor". She expresses that she gets a lot of positivity from the students who attend school daily.

Bhawna Mehra (P.ed teacher)

She stated that she wants to change the perspective of students that physical education not only involves practical but also theory. She believes that theory and practical should go hand in hand. As of now, her experience teaching in this school has been good.

Persis Sunderajan (Class teacher of 10 D)

She said that her experience has been excellent and she has learnt as much as possible from the students as well as the staff. While she believes that the traditional teaching system is foolproof, nowadays the teachers must focus on the psychological developments and needs of the students.

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