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Welcome to the world of YSA...

Young Scholars Academy is a six year old school, set in the peaceful environs of a sprawling campus. Many scholastic and non-scholastic activities have taken place in the school every year.

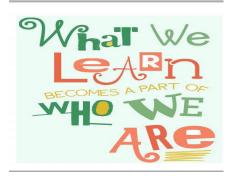
The Management is pleased to enlighten the parents with a bird's eye view of the activities that have comprised the school curriculum during the present academic year.

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World Environment Day

"We won't have a planet to live on, if we continue to destroy the environment".

To emphasize the significance of this thought, World Environment Day was celebrated in the school on 5th June 2017. This year's theme was 'Connecting People to Nature'. Keeping the theme in mind, we decided to have a celebration of the day in the school with several activities.

We had invited the area Corporator, Mr. Rajashekar as the Guest of Honour. The day started with a prayer and the lighting of the lamp.

Cultural events during the celebrations included the recitation of songs, speeches and a skit in Hindi. A speech was given on 'Reduce, Reuse and Recycle'. The Chief Guest in his speech expressed his pride in being a part of the programme. Our Chairman Mr. Ravikumar Raju, encouraged children to plant more trees and also gladly distributed a sapling to each student. In her speech, our Principal Mrs. Jayashree Ananth said that the day's celebration begins with us and also encouraged to reuse and recycle the waste materials.

The formal function ended with the planting of saplings by the Chief Guest followed by a few children, concluding with the rendition of the National Anthem.





Teacher's Day Award It is a matter of great pleasure and honour for the Management of Young Scholars Academy to announce that Mr. Kumar Saurav and Mrs. Rehana Begum were the recipients of the Best Teacher and the Best Non-Teaching Staff Award respectively, given by the BEO at the Taluk level on Teachers' day, which was conferred on 20th September 2017 and 23rd September respectively. The Management and all the staff members unite in congratulating them for this distinctive honour and for bringing laurels to the school.



World Environment Day ended up with complete participation of our students with the community to promote the noble cause.

Competitions Galore

Grade I to III – Colouring Grade IV and V – Poster making Grade VI and VII – Slogan/Poem writing Grade VIII – Collage making Grade IX – Extempore Grade X – Survey

Grade X children went on a survey to take stock of the usage of paper bags used in the neighbourhood shops. They encouraged all the shopkeepers to use paper bags and in turn received a very good response from them. They distributed paper bags with the school logo on them which were prepared by the students and the teachers of the school.

NAGAPANCHAMI

'Nag' means snake and 'Panchami' means the fifth day and therefore, on this day, snakes who have a lot of holy importance are offered milk and rice and prayers are offered to give protection to the family and the clan in totality. Across India and Nepal, Nag Panchami is celebrated in a variety of ways. In some places, snake worship is done on Chaturthi and is also called Naga Chaturthi.

In the school, Naaga Panchami was celebrated on 27th July 2017 during the assembly. A special assembly was conducted by grade IV A children. They presented a drama based on Naaga and also explained the significance of the importance of snakes in the Hindu religion.

DIYAS

Diya, an icon for 'Light, the incandescence that dispels the gloom of darkness and radiates the knowledge of light,' was decorated with various kinds of ornamentation as students vied with one another to excel in the 'diya' making competition which was held in Young Scholars Academy under the canopy on 14th October, 2017.

Achiever's Meet

"The difference between setting a goal and achieving it is in having a good plan and working it" - Les Brown.

One of the unique practices at Young Scholars Academy is to have an Achievers' Meet in which a renowned person who has achieved greatness in his chosen field is invited to our school and felicitated.

This year we invited our Chairman Mr. Ravi Kumar Raju on 10th June 2017 to inspire and motivate the students regarding his achievement and the goals he had set himself, the reasons for embarking on this journey, founding and establishing a great educational institution like this in such peaceful environs and equipped with the state-of-the-art infrastructure. The Chairman's speech was inundated with excerpts from his own life situations and the Question-Answer session that followed enlight-



ened the students about the expectations of the society from them in school and at home and elsewhere. The children were enthused as they listened to such nuggets of wisdom.

WORLD OZONE DAY

The World Ozone day is celebrated on 16th September all over the world to mark the importance of the ozone shield that absorbs most of the sun's ultra violet radiations.

The students of Young Scholars Academy celebrated the same on 15th September 2017, in which during the morning assembly, students of grade VII conducted a special session which was informative regarding the ozone shield, in order to mark the day way back in 1987 when the Montreal Protocol was signed.

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY



Derived from the Sanskrit word 'yuj', Yoga means union of the individual consciousness or soul with the Universal Consciousness or Spirit. Yoga is a 5000-year-old Indian body of knowledge. Though many think of yoga only as a physical exercise where people twist, turn, stretch and breathe in the most complex ways, these are actually only the most superficial aspects of this profound science of unfolding the infinite potentials of the human mind and soul. The science of Yoga imbibes the complete essence of the Way of life.

An active practitioner of Yoga, Mr. Arun Suren-

dran from the Art of Living Institute, joined us during the observation of International Yoga Day on 21st June 2017.

He started the session with the chanting of Shanthi Manthra 'Om Om purnamadah purnamidham purnaapurnamudachyate Purnasya purnamaadaya purnamevaasashisyte' and explained the meaning of the scope and significance of Yoga in today's world and displayed various asanas, inspiring the students to do the same.



Dr. Gururaj Karajagi CHAIRMAN Academy for Creative Teaching

Dr. Gururaj Karajagi, a doctoral degree holder in Chemistry from Karnataka University, has published over 22 research papers in International journals. He has served as a member of several prestigious Educational and Governmental committees. He is a life Fellow of the Electrochemical Society of India. He is on the boards

of Management of a few Medical Universities. Dr. Karajagi also served as a member of the State Resource Group (SRG) for the implementation of Total Quality Management (TQM) in the colleges of Karnataka. Dr. Karajagi is a well-known columnist who writes for a popular daily and has completed more than 1500 columns. His books entitled "Karunaalu Baa Belake" (Volumes 1 to 10) are immensely popular and have seen several editions. Through the Academy for Creative Teaching, Dr. Karajagi is instrumental in building over 86 schools of very high quality all over the world. He is also a member of the Karnataka Jnana Aayoga. Dr. Gururaj Karajagi started the orientation session with a sloka...

Lalayth pancha varshani Dasha varshani thadayeth Prapthe thu shodashe varshe Putram mithravadh achareth

It means: Indulge a child for the first five years of his life, for the next ten years deal firmly with the child. Once the child is sixteen, treat him as a friend.



Parent Orientation by Dr. Gururaj Karajagi

We aim to provide quality holistic education with the able guidance of

It augurs well for an educational institution to have a Parent Orientation at the beginning of the academic year. A parent orientation was conducted in our school on 17th June 2 017. It was specially designed for parents and other adult family members of the students. The program gave the details of aim, goal, vision and mission of the school. Such orientation programs are fantastic opportunities for parents to know what to expect in the coming year and also equip them for it. They also get to know the teachers in the different classes.

The parents were made aware of the pattern of the conduct of tests and exams as per the CBSE norms. This orientation was conducted in two sessions.

The eminent educationist, Dr. Gururaj Karajagi started the session with a shloka 'Lalayth pancha varshani, Dasha varshani thadayeth, Prapthe thu Shodashe varshe, Putram mithravadh achareth' and enlightened the parents regarding their role and contribution in co-operation with the school rules, to mould their off springs.

He further added that the teachers of Young Scholars Academy had reached a high level of proficiency through mentoring and CTM (Cre-

Academy for Creative Teaching.

ative Teaching Models) to enhance the learning skills of the students.

The session included a series of videos, discussions, live examples and PPT. Later there was a Question- Answer session in which the parents participated actively.

An unexpected pleasure awaited the fathers as their children greeted them with

a lovely hand-made greeting card, wishing them on FATHERS' DAY, in token of love and gratitude for being there for them, mentoring and guiding them throughout their lives.

Some postive learning points were discussed.

- Learn to listen
- Avoid duel parenting
- Anticipatory behaviour.
- Do not make a child as a status symbol
- Teach the child to compete with himself/ herself.

The session concluded on a note of eager expectation and happiness expressed vividly on the countenance of the parents.

To bring up a child in the way he should, go travel that way yourself once in a while - John Billings.

Following were the points discussed as a part of Art of Parenting.

- Parents to spent time with the children.
- No fighting in front of the children.
- Do not overreact on the words said by the child.
- Do not shout at the children.
- Don't worry about the incidents but worry about the trends
- Let the child be open to the society.
- Parents were also told how labelling emotions is important and the same was explained by a video.

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YSA - WINNERS ENERGIANS 2017

A science exhibition organised by St. Claret School in which 45 schools participated.

The Management, staff and students take pride in congratulating the participants for thier triumphant achievement.

Students of Grade -VIII

- 1) Neemah Mariam
- 2) Haadia
- 3) Madhumita
- 4) Mehnaz
- 5) Amna Bushra

Students of Grade - IX

- 1) Mohammed Afnan Kazim
- 2) Ayman Khan
- 3) Aman Aiyappa
- 4) Maaz Shahed Hussain







Science Exhibition

"Displaying and exhibit may be a matter of moments. But the work that lies behind it is a matter of a days, weeks and months of research and industriousness".

A Science Exhibition was organised (hosted by) St. Claret School on November 22, 2017 in association with Paryavaran Mitra, Foundation Schneider Electric India, 4 R Recycling and WOW (Well- being Out of Waste). The theme of the Exhibition was ENERGIANS 2017 and the models had to be based on conservation of energy. 45 schools participated in the event displaying their innovative talents. The key objective was conservation, creating more awareness on a safe, reliable, affordable and sustainable future. The participants were given time to display their models in the places allotted.

Very useful and informative lectures were given by eminent personalities during the seminar that followed on Energy Conservation and Efficiency. After the seminars, the top 10 schools were selected based on the write ups and efficient models that were displayed. Our school entry was selected as one of the top 10. Then the participants of these 10 schools were asked to explain their projects. The model presented by our students was based on 'Conservation of Energy in the field of Agriculture and Safeguarding Trees'. The models were 'AGROBOT and TREE UPROOTER'. Our students performed marvellously before the judges from 'Schneider Electric' and were declared the WINNERS, bagging the FIRST PLACE.

It was a spine-chilling breath –taking experience when the Young Scholars received the huge cup from the Principal Rev.Fr. Joshi KX. The day's programme came to end with a vote of thanks and the rendition of the National Anthem.



Congratulations ! Congratulations !! Congratulations !!!!



ID-MILAD

Most of the religions in the world celebrate their founder's birthday. To emphasise the secular nature of our school, Id-Milad, the birthday of Prophet Mohammed, the founder of Islam, was celebrated on 01.12.2017, in the morning assembly. Madhurnath of Grade – VI gave a talk about the importance of Id-Milad. Boys and Girls of Grade – VI sang hymns in praise of Prophet Mohammed, which was very meaningful and melodious.

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Kreeda Sanjeevini

"Sports do not build character. They reveal it".

Gold medals aren't really made of gold. They're made of sweat, determination and a hard-to-find alloy called guts.

The Annual Sports Day is an important event in the life of every school. Sports themselves have a vital role in making a child sound, physically and mentally. The much -awaited Annual Sports Day was held on Tuesday, 14th November 2017, marking the celebration of Children's day. The unexpected turnout from the parents and the pleasant weather were the perfect boost for the students on this day who vied with one another to exhibit their prowess at various events. The Chief Guest of the day, Mr. Manjunath – ACP, JC Nagar, Bengaluru, the Chairman, Mr. Ravi Kumar Raju, Secretary Mrs. Tara and the Principal Mrs. Jayashree Ananth took the salute as the smartly clad Young Scholars marched by impressively in tandem to the beat of the marching music played by the school band. They entered into the spirit of sportsmanship as the school sports captain administered the oath at the end of the March Past. Games were conducted for the parents and they remarked that such games rejuvenated their spirits and filled them with nostalgic reminiscences of their student days. The various drills performed by the different segments of the student community was a pleasant sight for the spectators. The relay events for both the boys and girls made the students applaud thunderously and cheer their teams sending an upward shot of the adrenaline.

The highlight of the programme was the muchawaited moment when the announcement was made regarding the houses which bagged the winner and runner up position. The captains of MORALITY house and CLARITY house along with



their house mistresses seemed to touch cloud nine as they received the rolling shield and rolling trophy respectively.

To add colour to the programme, a few alumni had also graced the occasion and spoke about their previous experiences in the school.

Kannada Rajyotsava

Kannada Rajyotsava was celebrated on 2nd November 2017 during the morning assembly. The entire assembly consisting of news, thought, other information and workshop for the day etc. was conducted in Kannada. The students were given the following thoughts to ponder on

> Let us listen before we speak Let us think before we react Let us earn before we spend Let us nurture discipline and Let us find solutions to our problems.

Mrs. Jayashree Ananth, the Principal invoked the blessings of Goddess Bhuvaneshwari by garlanding a framed photo of the deity. The children were given a motivational talk regarding the significance and the beauty of the Kannada language. The students also contributed by sharing their knowledge regarding the reasons for the celebrations.

The famed number 'Taye Ninage Nityotsava' was melodiously rendered by the students of grade X. The highlight of the assembly was when the students of Grade – X enacted the popular skit 'Nanda Gopala' by Kuvempu, concluding with the State Anthem



Ramzaan was celebrated during the morning assembly on 23rd June 2017.

Students of Grade VIII sang a song highlighting the importance of Ramzaan. An unexpected feast for the eyes unfolded as Harini of Grade VIII made the visual architecture of a Mosque with thread painting. What a feast for the eyes to behold her deft fingers envision the final picture.

A very challenging task indeed!







Mother's Day Celebration

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Investiture Ceremony

To inculcate the leadrship qualities in students and to give them a feel of functioning of the administrative body, the student council was formed at YSA.







Investiture ceremony is an occasion for the members of the student council to feel dignified and proud regarding the mantel of responsibility that has been vested upon them.

In our school, this ceremony was conducted on the 7th of July, 2017 marking the significant beginning of a new academic year.

Ms. Trisha, Director of YSA was the Chief Guest. The guest was escorted to the stage by a group of students marching slowly. The event started with the lighting of the lamp, March Past, Pinning the Badge and Oath Taking. Ms. Trisha, in her speech, appreciated the efforts by the school for providing opportunities to the students. She also congratulated the newly appointed Student Council Members. The Principal Mrs. Jayashree Ananth encouraged the students to be committed to important issues and to always remember that leadership comes with integrity.

The following were elected as the Student Council Members:

Head Boy : Abdullah Hussain Grade X - CBSE Head Girl : Sharfunnisa Grade X - CBSE Discipline leader : Joshika Grade X - CBSE Cultural Captain : Suraiya Afreen Grade X - CBSE Sports Captain : Prem Abhilash Standard X - State The Head Boy Abdullah and the Head Girl Sharfunnisa solemnly vowed to discharge their duties and vouchsafed to be the bridge between the student fraternity and the teaching faculty and thus ensure that the flag of YSA is held aloft.





R A N G O L I

"What is this life, if full of care, We have no time to stand and stare?"

Thus quoth the renowned bard William Henry Davies.

Rangoli is a decoration with coloured rice, dry flour, coloured sand and flower petals beckoning the onset of good luck. The students of YSA competed with one another to present the best decoration during the Rangoli competition to make one and all take time to stand and stare at the multifarious designs and colours intricately woven into eye-catching patterns of birds and animals and on themes like "Save the Earth".

This competition was conducted under the canopy on 23.09.2017 (Saturday) for students from Grade VII to IX between 10:00 am and 11:00 am on an individual basis.

MOCK PARLIAMENT

"The Supreme Legislative body of The Republic of India is the Parliament whose working is a matter of enigma for a budding learner".

Hence we decided to hold a Model Parliament session for the students.

The working of the student committee began with the Mock Parliament conducted on 8th July 2017. Office bearers Head Boy Abdulla, Head Girl Sharfunnissa, Cultural Captain Suriya, Sports Captain Prem and Discipline Captain Joshika Assumed the various portfolios like Prime Minister Finance Minister, Sports and Education Minister, Ministry, Foreign affair, Home Ministry.The remaining students gathered, according to their Houses which became political parties for the occasion.

During the Zero hour, questions were shot from different parties concerning the various demands laid by them. In the next session, the ministry gave a befitting reply to all the questions. The enthusiastic forum gave an insight into the working of a democratic institution and about the importance of participation in the governance of any organisation.

The students had a hands-on experience of administration.



SHRI KRISHNA JANMASHTAMI

Krishna Janmashtami, also known simply as Janmashtami, is an annual Hindu festival that celebrates the birth of Krishna, the eighth son of Devaki and the eighth avatar of Vishnu. It is observed according to Hindu lunisolar calendar, on the eighth day (Ashtami) of the Krishna Paksha (dark fortnight) in the month of Shraavana of the Hindu Calendar, which overlaps with August and September.

In the school, Janmashtami was celebrated during the assembly on 11th August 2017, by the students of Grade III A. Two students each clad as Krishna and Radha adorned the stage. A brief information on the festival was given. To mark Krishna's avatar to annihilate the evils of ambition, ego and chauvinism prevalent in the society, the corridors of the school were decorated with little Krishna's footsteps awaiting his arrival.

Brightly clad little Krishnas were the cynosure of all eyes in the assembly.



VARAMAHALAKSHMI POOJA

Varamahalakshmi Pooja is a festival to propitiate the goddess Lakshmi, the consort of Vishnu, one of the Hindu Trinity. Varalakshmi is one who grants boons (Vara). It is an important pooja performed by many women in the states of Karnataka, Andra Pradesh, Telangana and Tamil Nadu.

It is believed that worshiping Goddess Varalakshmi on this day is equivalent to worshiping Ashtalakshmi – the eight goddesses of Wealth, Earth, Learning, Love, Frame, Peace, Pleasure and Strength.

We celebrated Varamahalakshmi pooja on 4th August 2017. A special assembly was conducted by Grade IV B students in which brief information about the festival was given and the well known number 'Bhagyada Lakshmi Bramma' rendered by the students, transported the listeners to a realm of reverence and adoration.

COOKING WITHOUT FIRE

"The way to a man's heart is through his stomach".

This ancient adage seemed to be poignantly meaningful as the students of YSA wound their way into the hearts of the teachers by exhibiting their culinary skills through a competition conducted on 12th August 2017, in which the food that was dished out was made without fire. This 'Cooking - without - Fire Competition' was conducted for students from Grade IV - X both as an individual and a group activity and the teachers had their pallets tickled and their hearts yearning for more, as they tasted the delicious chats, salads, milkshakes, sweets etc. dished out to them.

PRATHIBA KARANJI

An interschool talent fest was conducted at the cluster level by the BEO on 23rd August 2017 at Government School, Hebbal in which Aafiya Naaz of Grade VII bagged the I prize in 'Dharmika Patana' (Arabic) and Harini. B.C of Grade VIII bagged the II prize in rangoli competition.

The higher level of the same competition (Taluk level) was held at Stella Mary's School on 12th September 2017 in which Aafiya Naaz bagged the II place in 'Dharmika Patana'.

National Library Day

"A Library is a perfection of the tranquility of life".

125 years ago, Dr. S.R. Ranganathan, hailed as the Father of Library Science, took birth in this soil, making his existence profoundly significant and useful, especially to the student generation, by his contribution towards the field of Library Science. To mark his birth anniversary, we celebrated Library Day on August 12th 2017.

In the morning assembly, the students were given brief information of the importance of libraries as vehicles of change in bringing about development of the Nation.

This profound contribution, made precise in the 5 laws of Library Science, were an eye opener to the students who took an oath to improve their reading habits.



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

'Glory to God in the highest; peace on Earth and goodwill to all men'. These words, heralded by a host of angels was vividly depicted by the students of Grade IV on 21.12.2017 during the morning assembly. It was a lovely sight to behold the manger scene with Mary and Joseph, little baby Jesus, the Wise Kings and the Shepherds, accompanied by the melodious carols which concluded with the popular Jingle Bells with Santa and his little helpers and their antics sending everyone into peals of laughter, tapping their feet to the catchy number.

DUSSHERA

Dussehra also known as Dashahara, Dashain (inNepal) Durgotsav, Navratri or Vijayadashami is one of the greats Hindu festivals celebrated on the tenth day of Shukla Paksh of Ashwin and is celebrated in a variety of ways in India and in the neighbouring countries where Hinduism is followed.

The festival of Dussehra occurs during the end of September or the early part of October. The word 'Dussehra' is derived from two words 'Dus' meaning ten and 'Hara' meaning defeat, symbolizing the slaying of the ten-headed demon king Ravana by Lord Rama, the seventh incarnation of Lord Vishnu. It is also celebrated for the victory of Goddess Durga over the buffalo demon Mahishasura.

In the school Dussehra was celebrated on 22nd September 2017 by Grade VIII students. They presented two dramas about the victory of Rama over Ravana and Goddess Durga over Mahishasura. The dance that followed vividly depicted the various human emotions in a colourful display.

ONAM

Onam is the biggest and the most important festival of the state of Kerala. It is a harvest festival and is celebrated with joy and enthusiasm all over the state by people of all communities. According to a popular legend, the festival is celebrated to welcome King Mahabali, whose spirit is said to visit Kerala at the time of Onam.

Onam is celebrated in the beginning of the month of Chingam, the first month of Malayalam Calendar (Kollavarsham). This corresponds with the month of August-September according to Gregorian Calendar.

In our school, Onam was celebrated in the assembly conducted by the students of Grade II on 4th September 2017.

They enacted the drama which narrated the origin of Onam. The girls of Grade II, beautifully clad in the traditional Kerala style, enthralled the audience with a scintillating dance.

A brief information regarding the festival was also given by the Principal.

A 'pookolam' (floral rangoli) artistically done by the teachers enhanced the beauty of the glistening floors.

All the teachers attired in resplendent Kerala style sarees added colour and beauty to the occasion, filling the entire day with a festive spirit.



GURU POORNIMA

"India, the land which produced students like Ekalavya, whose reverence towards his guru is worthy of emulation, is filled with students who draw inspiration from their gurus, who are epitomes of the towering personalities of humanitarian virtues".

'Guru' is a Sanskrit term that connotes someone who is a 'teacher, guide, expert or master' of a certain field of knowledge. In pan-Indian traditions, guru is someone more than a teacher, traditionally a reverential figure to the student, with the guru serving as a 'counsellor, who helps mould values, shares experiential as well as literary knowledge, an exemplar in life, an inspirational source and one who helps in the spiritual evolution of a student'. The term also refers to someone who primarily is one's spiritual guide, who helps one to discover the same potentialities that the gurus have already realized.

Guru Poornima is celebrated in the memory of the birth of the great sage Veda Vyasa.

This year Guru Poornima was celebrated on 10th July 2017.

A small skit was presented by the students of Grade VI.

The moral of the story says that God is everywhere. No one can do anything hiding. If no one is seeing you, there is always God who has an eye on us.

MORNING ASSEMBLY AT YSA

The students of YSA are exposed to a variety of programmes during the morning assembly which makes it Unique. News reading in different languages, depiction of the weather and sports news through a display of games and the weather forecast highlighted with appropriate clothing were the attractions of the news reading session. Children who celebrate their birthdays are greeted by the entire school with a Sanskrit song 'Janma dinam aho' to which the regular features of 'thought for the day, word for the day, shloka chanting, rendition of State Anthem, National Song and National Anthem are also added.

The poignancy of the assembly gets highlighted by a talk given by the Principal on Mondays and by teachers on Wednesdays.

The jewel in the crown is the Creative Assembly on every Friday during which the theme of the month is highlighted through songs, skits and pictorial representations accompanied by lectures. The theme for every month during the academic year is tabled below:

	Theme
June	Self discipline, I am Special, My Home
July	Devotion and Guru, My neighbourhood
August	Patriotism, Sustainable Bangalore
September	Kindness
October	Faith, Health and Hygiene
November	Work is Worship, Sustainable Karnataka
December	Being Good, Globalization
January	Resilience and Sacrifice, A World of Tomorrow
February	Creativity and Innovation, The Tall and Proud Indians.
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