

Columbian Chronicles

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Message from the Principal

Dear Columbians

As we approach towards the end of the year under very different and atypical circumstances, I want to extend my appreciation to the parents of our students who worked closely and partnered with our staff to provide our students with opportunities to continue their distance learning in the comfort and safety of their home.

The efforts of every stakeholder involved in the online learning are highly appreciable. The task was difficult but not impossible. We at Mount Columbus School, believe in working hard and accomplishing the goal in a very systematic manner which reflects in the success of the school.

Still we have miles to cover. As a collaborative team we can reach the heights.

With this confidence, I wish you all a very **Happy New Year 2021**.

BUTTON ART ACTIVITY

Mount Columbus School, Dakshinpuri organised the 'Button Art Activity'. This activity was assigned by teachers to class- IV and V students.

All the students of class- IV and V actively participated in this activity and showcased their talent.

Students designed unique emotions showing interjections by using buttons of different shapes, sizes and colours by using waste materials and they also used old papers etc. It was very good to see that our Columbians are too expressive and they understand the value of emotions in our lives.

They shared photographs of their creativity related to button art to their respective teachers.

Today, as we all know that the whole world is facing corona pandemic, our Columbian's are continuously learning new skills and enhancing their creativity. Teachers are continuously showing efforts to develop our students as an all rounder.

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MY DREAMLAND

MOUNT COLUMBUS SCHOOL organized an interesting and joyful activity “MY DREAMLAND” on 16.10.20 (Friday) for our little super stars of class Nursery and K.G. Due to the pandemic spread all over the world we all are locked in our homes and are not able to conduct any stage activities. So, to develop student’s confidence and make them dream, we conducted this activity for our kids to appreciate their imagination. In this activity students had to make a scenery by using cutouts of different geometrical shapes and colours on A3 size sheet.

Students took part in this activity with full zeal and enjoyed a lot. Teacher’s acknowledged the efforts of the students.



I WISH TO BE....

The Mount Columbus School, Dakshinpuri conducted Inter House Activity ‘I Wish to be....Poet, Writer, Singer, Reporter, Dancer and many more’ on 20.10.2020, Tuesday. All the teachers had designed a beautiful activity sheet for the students. ‘My Ambition’ activity was learning by doing activity in which students could show their talents and creativity in a presentable way while staying at home. In this activity students had to choose any one topic to speak few lines on it and make a video.

Judgement criteria of this activity – Confidence, Expressions, Props, Depiction of theme and over all presentation.

Students took part actively and showcased their talent.



ANNUAL DAY – UMEED - 2020

Annual Day forms an integral part of our school activities. It is an occasion of celebration, felicitation, feast and festivity when students present not only their wonderful performances but also receive honours for their curricular and co-curricular achievements.

Mount Columbus School celebrated Virtual 10th Annual Night 'UMEED' on Saturday, **the 12th December, 2020** amidst great zest, vibrancy and elation for the classes Nursery – IX

Mr. Upendra Puri, Trustee of the school was the Guest of honor on the occasion. He stated that he felt highly honored and elated to attend the Annual Day of the school virtually.

The program commenced with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp by the Principal Ma'am. The Principal, Ms. Aditi Roy shared the school's Annual Report for the session 2020-21.

The cultural extravaganza started with the melodious presentation 'Ganesh Vandana' by the students of Class IX.

After the spectacular performance put up by the young Columbians, a prize distribution ceremony was conducted where the meritorious students were awarded with the virtual trophies.

The programme based on the theme **Fighting with Corona** in which the students dressed up in different attires according to the theme and enthralled the audience with their marvelous presentation.

After the splendid performance put up by all the Columbians, the Chairman appreciated of the students, teachers and the management for a classic programme presented. He lauded the vision and the relentless hard work done by students and their mentors for presenting such a programme.

The programme culminated with the National Anthem.



TEACHERS' CORNER

कभी स्कूल न जाने के बहाने ढूँढते थे
अब स्कूल को ढूँढ रहे हैं
कभी खुश रहने के तरीके ढूँढते थे.....
अब जो कर पा रहे हैं उनमें ही खुशियाँ ढूँढ रहे हैं ..
फूल आज भी खिल रहे हैं ... हवाएँ आज भी चल रही हैं
जो रुक गया है वो इंसान है
शायद हम सब इतने स्वार्थी हो गए थे कि ..
भूल गए थे कि यही प्रकृति हमारे लिए वरदान है ..
ये जो महामारी है आयी
शायद इन हवाओं ने नाराज़गी है जतायी
आओ हम सब प्रण लेते हैं
हाथ हमेशा धोएँगे ..
तभी चैन की नींद सोएँगे ...
खुद को सुरक्षित रखेंगे और हर इंसान को भी ...
इन पेड़ों को भी सुरक्षित रखेंगे और इस आसमान को भी ..
जब हम सब एक साथ कदम बढ़ाएँगे ...
तब कहीं जाकर मंज़िल को पायेंगे

– Smita Jha



Rappel d'immunité

RECIPE TO FIGHT CORONAVIRUS

Ingredients

- 5 leaves Holy Basil Tulsi
- 10 leaves Fresh Mint Pudina
- 1 Green Cardamom
- 1 Black cardamom
- 1/4 teaspoon Black pepper
- 5 grams Ginger
- 2 grams Cinnamon
- 2 Cloves
- 3 Munnaka raisins

Instructions

- Crush tulsi/holy basil leaves and mint (pudina) leaves. Place them in a bowl.
- Lightly pound green cardamom, black cardamom, and place them in same bowl.
- Add ginger, cinnamon, cloves, whole black peppers, munnaka (raisins) in the same bowl and soak them in couple to tablespoons of water overnight. I keep them in fridge.
- Next morning in a pan heat 2.5 cups of water add these soaked ingredients along with water in which these are soaked and simmer for 4-5 minutes.
- Drink this hot.

KOMAL PHOUGHTAT
HOD (Social Science)

Story of a life



“A Flower does not think of competing to the flower next to it. It just blooms”

Daylily flowers bloom for a single day before fading, while each large flower lasts only until the sun sets; the plant produces a profusion of buds that last for several months. This plant grows in well-drained soil and tolerates a myriad of conditions but prefers loamy moist soil in full sun.

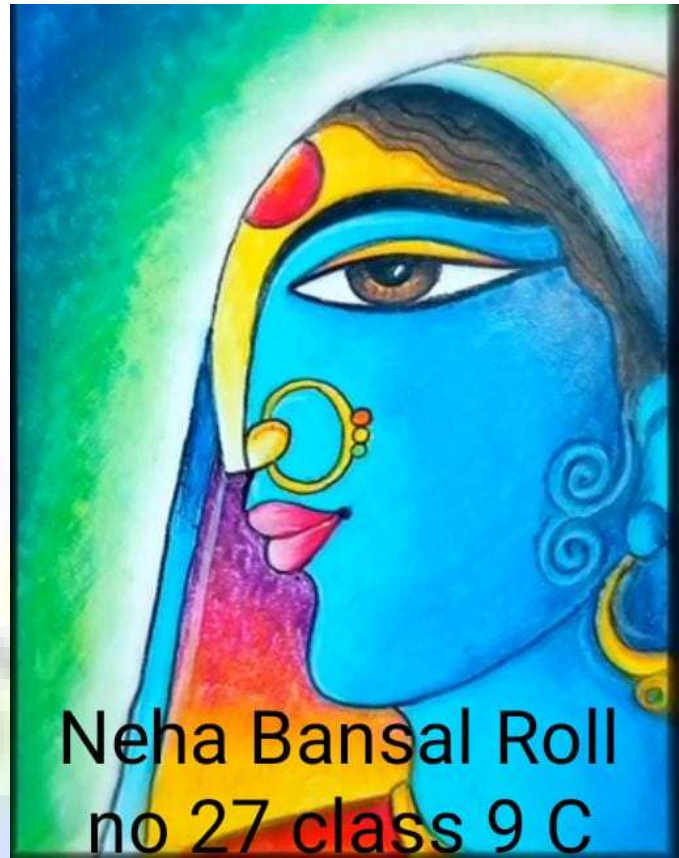
A woman’s life is like a flower, which goes various ups and down. Every new day brings a lot of challenges to us, but don’t forget to bring a smile on face. With full of enthusiasm, we have to begin the work. This is the best example for making yourself worthy, capable and beautiful. It’s not a selfish attitude, but if you truly love others it can be shown by you when you love yourself. Our low self-esteem is a main hurdle which put obstacle in our success.

Ms. Jaya Samant

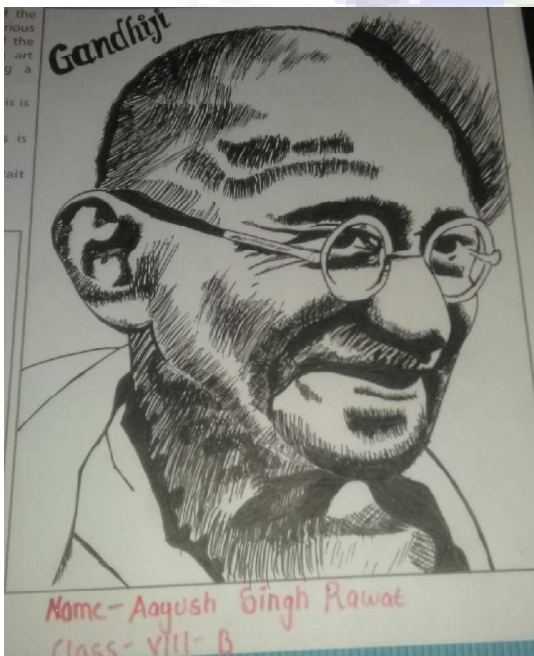
STUDENTS' CORNER



Name - Anvash Kaur
Class - 9th



Neha Bansal Roll no 27 class 9 C



Gandhiji

Name - Aayush Singh Rawat
Class - VIII - B



By - Anvash Singh

Modern Art

