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**EMPOWERING**  
**Young Minds**



## Message from Rector & Correspondent



Dear Parents.

Cordial Greetings from DBX.

We are at the close of the Academic Year and we are with a sense of achievement and a sense of gratitude. At the end of the year, we had the School Annual Day, Certificate Day and Graduation Day for Senior KG students. All these events were culmination of what our students learned and honed the entire year. You might have noticed that, during our Annual Day, all the students of the school participated at least in one programme. We are convinced that the stage belongs to everybody. 'Empowering young minds' is the soul-slogan of the institution. Nurturing and enhancing the students' mind and heart are the sole goal of the Don Bosco School.

It is not that one more year of schooling is over, but one more year of intellectual growth, emotional maturity, physical fitness, cultural appreciation and many more. All these makes our children stronger and braver to lead a healthy and compassionate life. Educating young people is effective only if it is a collective action and we were able to do it with your great partnership and parenthood. Thank you so much for being co-teachers.

We wish you all happy summer holidays.

**Fr. Ricopar Royan**  
**Rector and Correspondent.**

## Message from the Principal's Desk



### VACATION A GAME CHANGER

I fondly remember the summer holidays that we had as children. We did not travel to exotic places. Nor did we enrol in fancy summer camps. Yet we were happy. We had cartloads of fun with the friends in our neighbourhood. Villages had ample opportunities to keep us occupied and to spend the time leisurely. Kabadi in a rough soil ground, cricket with the coconut branch, football with the stuffed clothes, pallanguli with pencil drawn circles, marbles in the muddy sand, hide and seek with chums, touch me not with neighbours are few games to mention which really made us all happy, united and connected. Now a days the children are busy with gadgets with iPhone, iPad, iPod, laptops, computers and so on. The ramifications of these activities physically do not contribute much to their growth process. All their actions ruffle a few feathers to parents and elders. It's a hard nut to crack situation in the families these days.

To solve this tricky situation, I would like to suggest these activities for this summer.

1. 'Idle mind is the workshop of the devil', said Don Bosco. These wise words of Don Bosco remind us that we need to learn something new even during vacation. Even marginally improving our knowledge and skills will be a laudable action. Learn something that interests you.
2. Visiting new places gives us joy. Change in the routine life style and meeting new friends and family members will rejuvenate us and make us happy and remove all our obnoxious thoughts and actions.
3. Reading habits will scale up our knowledge level because new books will give us new perspectives to our outlook.

Let's brush aside everything and focus on what is essential because holidays are change of occupation. Lets this vacation be a game changer in our lives.

**Fr. Martin**  
**The principal.**





## BIRTHDAY OF FR. RENI

Birthday is a very special day for everyone who celebrates it. Birthdays play an essential role in everyone's life. It helps people feel special on that day and makes them more grateful. It makes the person feel loved and accepted. Most importantly, birthdays call for celebration. We celebrated the birthday of Fr. Reni our Administrator on 4th January 2023. We appreciated and rendered our gratitude for his immense contribution to the students and to the teachers.



## SPECIAL ACTIVITIES BY THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

The teachers of English Department to put the house in order and to emphasis the importance of English, conducted special activities for the primary children on 11<sup>th</sup> January. The teachers invigorated the events with colourful hands-on experience for the students.







## PONGAL CELEBRATION

Pongal celebration is a traditional thanksgiving occasion to the nature and to the animals. The festival of Pongal is held dear particularly by the farming community in Tamil Nadu as it marks the end of harvesting season. On 13th January, we in DBX celebrated pongal with traditional games, like breaking the pot. Kolams were drawn to add to the aesthetic value to our school. We enjoyed making pongal in the traditional mud pot.



## SPECIAL ACTIVITIES BY THE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Department of Science teachers took up the challenge of teaching the children how to think, learn, solve problems and make informed decisions through special activities on 18th January. They took the words of Jules Verne, "Science my lad, is made up of mistakes, but they are mistakes which it is useful to make, because they lead little by little to the truth." It was a wonderful experience for the students to make mistakes and to learn from them.





## BIRTHDAY OF FR. RICO

Birthdays are important as they are momentous occasions that commemorate a person's birth anniversary. It helps people feel grateful for everything they have and reflect on everything they have been blessed with to celebrate. We celebrated the birthday of Fr. Ricopar on 19th January, 2023 to whom we are indebted. Rev. Fr. Ricopar Royan, the green activist, the ecologist, the conservationist, philanthropist and what not. He is our first inspiration. We thank God for giving him to us an opportunity to watch and observe him and lead a worthy life.



## ORANGE COLOUR DAY FOR JKG

JKG tiny tots in DBX had Orange Colour Day celebration on 20th January. The main motive was to acquaint the little ones with the concept of colours and objects related to it. The children had various activities to help them to understand the positive impact of orange colour.







## CLAY MODELLING FOR SKG



The SKG students of DBX participated in the clay modelling event enthusiastically on 20th January. Clay modelling can make the children more powerful and creative. It not only caters to the needs of pre writing skills but also smoothens wrist and finger muscles preparing them for the formal writing. The little artists had time to explore and use their creativity and created many master pieces. We witnessed the improvement of the fine motor skills in the students.



## FLAG DAY FOR SKG

Flag Day was celebrated in SKG on 20th January to express our gratitude to military personnel of our country for their valuable service they render in safeguarding the nation. The students participated enthusiastically and prayed for the military personal.







## CLAY MODELLING COMPETITION FOR JKG

The students of JKG actively participated in Clay Modelling competition conducted on 27th January. It was well participated by the students giving their best in realizing their creativity. It was a great way to develop imagination and sparkle creativity to think out of the box.



## EDU AUSSTELLUNG - SCIENCE AND ART EXHIBITION



On 28th January our school organized a science exhibition on the title "EDU AUSSTELLUNG" in our school premises. Dr. Justin Ruben, Assistant Professor of English, in the Department of Humanities at Coimbatore Institute of Technology was the chief guest and Mr. Dhivyanathan, retired Regional Head of Indian Bank in Coimbatore and Mrs. Josephine Lucy, retired Maths teacher in Government school were the Guests of Honour. The judges were called from Kumaruguru College of Technology and from Avinashi Lingam College. Many parents, well-wishers and students from other schools witnessed the great event and appreciated the hard work of the students and their magnificent displays.







## FEAST OF ST. JOHN BOSCO

31st January, The Feast Day of St. John Bosco is a memorable day for all of us in DBX. It is the day that brings joy and happiness as we celebrate our Father and Founder St. John Bosco. Fr. John Joseph Stanis, VG of Coimbatore diocese was invited as the Chief Guest to celebrate the Holy Eucharist. Well-wishers, friends, family members of our staff were invited for the Holy Eucharist which was followed by the dinner.



## BALLOON DAY CELEBRATION FOR SKG



Balloon Day, an innovative programme was celebrated in DBX on 7<sup>th</sup> February to impart knowledge about the colours, air & environment. SKG students decorated their respective classrooms with colourful balloons with the help of the teachers. The class teachers taught the children about the air, used to fill balloons, importance & benefits of oxygen and environment through this program.







## BROWN COLOUR DAY FOR JKG



As part of the colour day celebrations, DBX students in JKG celebrated "Brown Colour Day" on 07th Feb 2023. Brown is a colour that evokes relatability, strength and helps us to relate with mother earth. It was an enjoyable day for the JKG kids as all of them were dressed up in brown colour clothes. It was fun-filled and a day of learning for the students.

## BLACK AND WHITE COLOUR DAY FOR PRE KG



Colours are wavelengths reflected by objects to the human eye. White is pure light and black is the absence of light. We cannot think of a world without black and white colour, which are essential and part of our life. Our Pre KG students celebrated the Black and White Day on 10th February 2023 in school. The learners were dressed in black and white attire. They were shown different black and white objects such as white paper, black pen, white paint, black paint, white and black grading rings and black and white wool to recognize and to know the colour. It was indeed a fun-filled learning day!





## DRAWING COMPETITION FOR SKG



"Every child is an artist" said Pablo Picasso.

Keeping this in mind and to explore the creative potential in the young minds of SKG children drawing Competition was conducted on 14th February 2023.

The children showcased their creative skills in drawing and the result was amazing art work. This fun filled activity witnessed an enthusiastic participation by all students.



## COLOURING DAY FOR PRE KG

"Colours are brighter when the mind is open". We at DBX believe that every child has an ocean of inner strengths. Colouring competition was conducted for Pre KG-Children on 17th February, 2023. Children participated with zeal and showed their talent. It helped them in exploring new ideas, creativity as well as a sense of colours.







## TO GRADE XII

With heavy hearts we bade farewell to our first batch of DBX who will be going out this academic year 2022-2023. The Farewell meeting was organized by the grade XI students. We appreciated their contribution to the school and to each individual in the school. It brought nostalgic feelings to the students. It was the moment of sharing and joy.



## BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION OF FR. MARTIN

Celebrating birthdays is an expression of thanks to God for allowing us to be born as well as still being alive. It is also an occasion to rethink our life. It is a great time to reflect on our past, evaluate our present, and make plans for our future. We celebrated the birthday of our pedagogy leader, Rev Fr. Martin on 23rd February 2023. We are always grateful for his guidance and support.





# SCHOOL ANNUAL DAY



Annual day forms an integral part of our school activities. It is an occasion of celebration, felicitation and festivity when students present not only their wonderful performance but also receive honours for their curricular and co- curricular achievements. The annual day function of our school was organized on 25th February 2023. Dr. Lovelina Little Flower, Head of the Department of Social Work in Bharathiyar University was the Chief Guest. Rev. Fr. Arul Kumar SDB, The Rector of Manikandam community was the guest of Honour. The theme of the Programme was "Celebrating Life with Emotions and Colours." We witnessed a plethora of talents as they showcased the programs with the amalgamation of nine emotions.



## DRAWING COMPETITION FOR PRE KG



To give additional creative potential to the Pre KG students we organized drawing competition on 3rd March. The children enthusiastically participated in the competition.







## CERTIFICATE DAY – PRIX D' EXCELLENCE

To honour and to appreciate the students who excelled well in the curricular and extra-curricular activities, were given medals and prizes. The winning team of the year was also announced and given the trophies.



## KG FUN Day

A day of excitement in the open. On 18th March, the tiny tots of DBX enthralled their parents, grandparents, uncles and aunts with their cute performances. They sang, danced, drilled, participated in games, won laurels and taught the adults how to handle the loss: well just smile at it and carry on as though nothing happened just like how the little angels did.







## FAREWELL TO TEACHERS

The best way to bring out the gratitude in children is to give them an opportunity to show it. On 24th March we bid a tearful farewell to the teachers who will not continue with us the next academic year. The students reminisced the time spent with them, thanked them and wished them good luck.



## BLACK AND WHITE COLOUR DAY FOR JKG



Our JKG students celebrated the black and white day on 23rd March 2023 in school. The learners were dressed in black and white attire. They were shown different black and white objects. It was indeed a fun-filled learning day!







## ANNUAL ASSESSMENT



Exams are intended to develop a sense of responsibility among the learners. It develops confidence, increases a student's personality. They realise the importance of hard work and perseverance. The students from class I to VIII had annual examination from 25th March to 31st March 2023.



## GRADUATION DAY



Kindergarten graduation is an exciting milestone for pre-primary children as it's their first step towards a future full of hopes and possibilities. It marks a new beginning that adds new dimensions to their school life and the journey they begin towards knowledge and education. On 3rd April, the KG wing of DBX Coimbatore celebrated Graduation Day with a lot of stage activities portraying yearlong learning of the KG students.





Summer in DBX is always filled with cool activities. We provide the space and time to our students to stand apart, ignore their head and follow their heart. Summer Camp with all the exciting activities started in DBX from 10th April onwards. The sports and talent coaching helps the children find their latent talent and enhance their natural gifts.







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