



**PODAR
SENTINEL**

A Chat with Miss Calculus

Q.1 In your view how can we, the students improve and perform well in mathematics?

★ First, you should have an interest in the subject. Try to clear all concepts with perfection. Exam point of view, mainly understand the question and answer them. But remember every day practise can only help you to perform well.

Q.2 Can you share any of your experiences as a student or a teacher?

★ I still remember, during my B.Ed. training, my psychology professor insisted everyone to give a speech on the stage. Out of 400 students randomly he called my roll number. I was totally blank and stood one second looking at the audience. Then, I spoke about "importance of teacher training". After the speech the professor came on the stage and praised me a lot, that speech made me the vice chairman of my B.Ed. college .

Q.3 What is your strategy to manage a class with both a slow learner and a intelligent child ?

★ I always give more priority to the slow learners. Again and again repeating same concepts can improve the slow learner. Also I recall their previous knowledge in that topic. At the same time I also try to give some extra knowledge to the intelligent students.

Q.4 Which type of atmosphere do you like friendly or professional?

★ Of course! A combination of both. Whenever they need me as a friend to share something, I am their friend and a guide. Whenever my professional touch is needed, I have to be professional .

Q.5 What, according to you, is the best way of teaching ? Is it traditional or modern way?

★ Frankly speaking, in my 22 years of teaching . I started the modern and the innovative techniques after joining Podar. For this, from core of my heart, I wish to convey my gratitude towards our management. In my opinion, in present generation, these techniques are essential. At the same time do not forget the traditional techniques they should also be preferred as you know "old is gold".

Q.6 Can you share with us what type of child you were in childhood ?

★ I am from a girl convent school. I was studious but very naughty and masti girl.(you can see the mark of 18 stiches on my forehead which had happened when I was fighting with my brother). I was also very brave and I cannot tolerate injustice anywhere.

By- Yash Gite and Yash Chandak (X)



Rapid fire

1.What is your hobby?

-Reading informative books and solving puzzles.

2.Your favourite cuisine.

-Punjabi dishes.

3. One thing or a person without which you cannot imagine your life.

-Of course! My better half(my husband).

4. Your favourite movie.

-Aaradhna !

5. Your role model.

-A.P.J Abdul Kalam.

TEAM OF THE MONTH



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(Principal)

Teacher Coordinator: Mrs. Edna Fernandes
(Event Coordinator)

Team Managers: Miss Pranoti Billade &
Miss Bhakti Rajhans

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| 3.Miss Aanchal Vyas | 11.Master Rishi Nair |
| 4.Miss Shruthy Maria | 12.Master Yash Gite |
| 5.Miss Aishwarya Thakare | 13.Master Yash Chandak |
| 6.Miss Pradnya Bhirud | 14.Master Darshan Deore |
| 7.Miss Anjali Nair | 15.Master Purab Kalro |
| 8.Miss Aditi Soni | |

“Management is doing things right but leadership is doing right things.”

-Peter Drucker

“We should not judge people by their peak of excellence but by the distance they have travelled from the point where they started.”

-Henry Ward Beecher

Diwali

Diwali also known as the “festival of lights”, is an ancient Hindu festival celebrated in autumn every year. Diwali is one of the happiest of holidays in India. Diwali is celebrated by Hindus, Jains, and Sikhs to mark historical events, stories or myths, but they all spiritually mark the victory of light over darkness, Knowledge over ignorance, right over wrong, good over evil, hope over despair.

In Maharashtra, Diwali starts from Vasubaras which is the 12th day of the 2nd half of the

Marathi month Ashvin. This day is celebrated by performing an Aarti of the cow and its calf –

which is a symbol of love between mother and her baby.

The next day is Dhana Trayodashi. Traders and business people give special importance to this festival. It is also considered, an auspicious day for making important purchases, precious metals like silver and gold.

Before Diwali night, people clean, renovate and decorate their homes the festivities start with Dhanteras, Dhanteras usually falls eighteen days after Dussehra. followed by Naraka Chaturdasi on second day, Diwali on the third day, Diwali Padva dedicated to wife-husband relationship on the fourth day,

and festivities end with Bhau-beej dedicated to sister-brother bond on the fifth day.

the divas (lamps) are mentioned in Skanda Purana to symbolically represent parts of sun,

the cosmic giver of light and energy to all life, people buy new clothes for themselves and their families, gifts, appliances On Diwali night, fireworks light up the neighborhood skies.

Later, family members and invited friends celebrate the night over food and sweets.

Things you should do on this Diwali....

1. Give your House a Makeover- Try give your walls a new colour, fill with flowers and lamps.

2. Socialize : It is the best time to catch up with friends.

3. Go easy on the calories : Instead of saying no each time you could opt for dry fruits and roasted stuff instead of fried ones.

4. Indulge in Charity : you can distribute sweets or clothes to poor kids, help the needy ones.

5. Passing on Gifts : If you've got a gift that is too tacky to be used, then throw it away instead of passing it on.

6. Say No to Firecrackers : yes we are aware of adverse effect that firecrackers have on our environment .



Wish you a Very Happy,
Precious and Safe Diwali !!!!!



By-Mrs. Nitu Chetan Agnihotri,
Class Tr : 3 A

Smart parenting for smart kids

Just like with any relationship, building a positive relationship between parent and child is one that requires effort to make it strong and successful. Parenting is a tough job. Here are some simple tips for enhancing the bond between parent and child.

•Separate the Deed from the Doer
Never tell a child that he is bad. That hurts his self-esteem. Help your child recognize that it isn't that you don't like him, but it is his behaviour that you are unwilling to tolerate.

•Use Action, Not Words
Statistics say that we give our children over 2000 compliance requests a day! No wonder our children become “parent deaf!” Instead of nagging or yelling.

•Develop a Working Relationship with Teachers

Many parents feel as if teachers are their opponents and don't realize that we are all here to try and help our children grow in the best way possible. If you think that there may be an issue, it

is a good idea to set up a meeting with the teacher and ask how you can work in harmony

•Disciplining Your Child Without beating and punishing

Punishment makes a child feel like he's a bad person, so he's more likely to repeat the bad behaviour. Some children are afraid of this abuse and it may seem to the parent that this method is working.

“To be in your children's memories tomorrow,
You have to be in their lives today.”



By- Mrs. Poonam Rana



Be Positive

“Thinkers are many but righteous thinkers are a few”. To understand the power of thoughts we must begin to feel and use them for our betterment because all that we are is the result of what we have thought.

In the general scientific theory, negative attracts positive and positive attracts negative, but my theory states that positive minds will attract positive

things. Thinking of problems will create more problems and your solution will come. Thinking won't solve your problems unless you work hard.

Remember you have the power to do anything extraordinary. So use it before it expires. Be optimistic, grateful and stay in the present, but don't forget to stay happy.

By-Vijay K.S IX A



बचपन

नटकट नादानी का बचपन ।
वदिया में जो डूबा तनमन ।

खेलकूद में गुजरा बचपन ।
याद दलिता है प्रतक्षिण ।

रंग- रंगोली दुनयिा में ।
बीता है सुन्दर सा बचपन ।

By-Riya Jaju IV B



“The only worse thing than being blind is having sight and no vision.”

-Hellen Keller

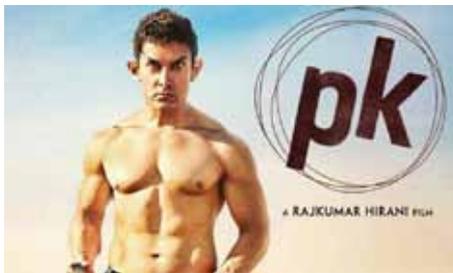
NASHIK NEWS

Well, this month Nashik was busy with many new events and many new surprises. The main news of the month was shooting interruption of the big budget movie, ‘PK’ with main lead by Aamir Khan and Anushka Sharma.

The shooting of the movie was interrupted in Nashik when the crew began to shoot at the famous Kala Ram Mandir on Monday, September 15, 2014. Shooting was not allowed in the temple. When Advocate Nikam objected to the shooting, the crew mentioned that they had already applied for permission to the temple trust on September 2, 2014, and one of the trustees had taken fee Rs. 25,000 and allowed the shoot. This matter turned out to be a case of miscommunication between the trustees. It appeared the said trustee who gave the oral permission did not put up the permission application in the meeting neither did he inform the other nine trustees. “Even the chairman of the trust did not know about the permission that was given”, said Adv. Nikam. However, the trust board allowed the shooting to take place.

They said it was a decision taken in the ‘interest of Nashik’. “A renowned actor like Aamir Khan is shooting at the famous temple in Nashik. We do not want the industry to get a message that Nashik is unfriendly and also we think that the temple will be seen all across through the film. So in the larger interest of Nashik, we drop the issue and allow the shoot to continue”, stated Adv. Nikam.

Well, the issue was solved and once again whole of Nashik was in joy. There are also many talks about our new Prime minister visiting our grape city.



By-Purab Kalr (X) and Rishi Nair (X)

A WORKSHOP CHAT WITH OUR ENGLISH MENTORS...

A ‘workshop’ as we all know is a training program held to inform or teach orientation skills to our teachers. Teachers of our school visit certain workshops to learn new strategies of teaching us, they teach us with straightforward and enthusiastic way of teaching. A few days before English teachers of our school attended a workshop. The information regarding the workshop is as follows:

The workshop was related to ‘The evaluation of answer scripts for English language at ICSE board examination’. It was attended by our well known English mentors, Mr. Chakradhar Ahire and Mrs. Rashmi Joshi. They attended the workshop on 20th of September which was a Saturday. The workshop was held at Fravashi Academy, Nasik. The resource person was Miss. Vimali .A.assistant teacher

in Fravashi Academy.

She gave our teachers very efficient knowledge which helped our respected teachers to implement it in a new and in an elaborated way.

Through this workshop they learnt:-

1. Format of board question paper
2. Penalizing the errors in the answer script.
3. The calculation of error frequency with the help of rubrics followed by ICSE board.

How can they implement the following strategies in the school?

1. Students at the school level will be conditioned with the board format at secondary level.
2. Orientation session for the same to be organized to bring about changes in the teaching-learning sessions.

Art Corner



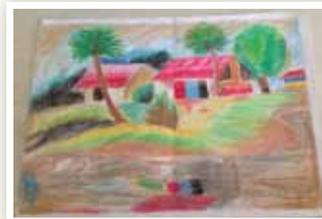
Shreosi Das X



Shruthy Maria X



Yash Singh IX A



Ananya Gawde VIII



Anjali Nair X



Samiksha Jagtap VIII A



Esha Kumar VII



गधेरामजी

गधेरामजी थैली लेकर, पहुंचे मठिया की दुकान।
बोले तोलो गरम जलेबी, हंलिया-हंलियाकर अपने कान।

गरम जलेबी पांच कलियो ले, थैली अपनी भरवाई।
कति हाय! रुपयों की थैली, पॉकटि से गायब पाई।

भालू मठिया सीधा-सादा, बोला कोई बात नहीं।
यह मत समझो, मुझको तुम पर, भैयाजी वश्वास नहीं।

कति यार यह गधेरामजी, नाम तुम्हारा ठीक नहीं।
गधे नाम वालों को जग में, है नसोब भी भीख नहीं।

थैला रख दो अभी यहीं पर, दौड़ लगाकर घर जाओ।
दो सौ रुपए ला दो मेरे, फरि थैला लेकर जाओ।

जबसे गधेरामजी अपनी, कस्मिमत पर चल्लिताते हैं।
ढेंचू-ढेंचू बोल-बोलकर, अपनी व्यथा सुनाते हैं।

By-Karan Chetan Lodaya VIA

“By failing to prepare you are preparing to fail.”

-Benjamin Franklin

Podar Jumbo Kid Corner

Hindi diwas

In hindi diwas celebration, the children spoke our Rashtra bhasha Hindi. They did different activities where they learnt Hindi language in a fun way. Children enjoyed seeing videos on Hindi songs and learnt important Hindi facts playing quiz-Kaun banega gyani, kids also learnt about good manners, go green & healthy food habits through ppt, dramatization & puppet show respectively.



Sing with Parents



Navratri celebrated

Podar Jumbo Kids celebrated a nine days Navratna festival during Navratri by developing the nine intelligences of the tiny tots. The children enjoyed the different activities and participated very well in outdoor fun with parents, sending lovely snaps. Also the children made friends with Mr. Pencil, Eraser, sharpner and book.



Onam



PKJ celebrated onam festival by decorating rangoli with colourful paper and they did pattern rangoli with cutouts of different shapes and design's.

The children enjoyed the boat race by holding the oars. Through PPT children gained the knowledge of knowing the importance of Onam and how the Onam is celebrated for ten days.

“Ability is what you are capable of doing. Motivation determines what you do. And attitude determines how well you do.”
-Lou Holtz



Teacher's Day celebration

Teachers are the second parents and the first friend of a child. A person who helps in shaping our life from our childhood days, a person who wipes our tears and makes us smile, she teaches us, scolds us, plays with us and helps us overcome our fears. These are people specially made by God to look after his small wonders. Realizing the importance of these people in our lives, the students of X organized a party to make the teachers feel special and that they are the best teachers.

The anchors of this special day were Pranoti Billade and Shreosi Das. The program was inaugurated by lighting of lamp followed by a welcome dance by Anjali Nair. A soothing song was sung by Yash Gite. “COMEDY HOURS WITH STANDARD X” was one of the most incredible performances done by students of class X. The teachers were proud to see their children and felt that they were best in whatever they did.

Next, we had a magic show by Yash Chandak and Urnil Vasani. There were interesting dances and comedy shows performed by the marvelous students. The program ended with the citations written again by our enthusiastic ‘shayars’.

Feedbacks by teachers: -

Principal sir: - “It was really marvellous and we couldn't take our eyes off the fantastic program.”

Ashwini m'am: - “It was an outstanding concept and we enjoyed a lot.”

Edna m'am: - “Very entertaining and very heart warming.”

Priya m'am: - “It was superb and very entertaining. They all performed better than the original characters of comedy nights. And ‘Laccha’ was the best.”

By- Pranoti Billade (X) & Tasneem Zakiuddin (X)



School Celebrates Gandhi & Shastri Jayanti

On 2nd October 2014 the school celebrated Gandhi and Shastri Jayanti by organising a short ‘Geet’ Session of all Bapu's favourite ‘Bhajans’ sung by the Principal, Vice Principal, Headmistress PJK, Staff, Students & Administrative staff. The school also went ahead with the ‘Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan’ and as they say charity begins at home, the Abhiyan began from the school premises.



Girls Counselling Cell

A Girls Counselling Cell has been formed in school and Six Staff members namely Mrs.Sreedevi Rao, Mrs. Priti Sonawane, Mrs. Ashwini Kavede, Mrs. Hemangi kulkarni, Mrs. Shofi Dave and Mrs. Edna Fernandes conduct a meeting on the last Saturday of every month to discuss girl related issues and to guide the girls from grade 6 to 10.



“The difference between a successful man and other is not a lack of strength, not a lack of knowledge, but rather a lack of will.”

-Vince Lombardi



OPEN MINDS WEEK



DAY 1



Open Mind's Week 2014 comprises of a series of 5 sessions under the theme 'Family Farming'. These sessions enlightened the students and they learnt that food comes from plants and animals, food is farmed, caught and grown at home or in the garden and how food travels from farm to fork.

They did a beautiful parade in front of the entire school and the parents present over there. The students were cutely disguised in different fruits and veggie clothes. Some looked as wild as tiger and lion. Some looked catty and some looked buzz like the bees.

A special 'zero period' was allotted for the students to perform their activities. They learnt many things during this activity and we hope they will implement this in their daily life.

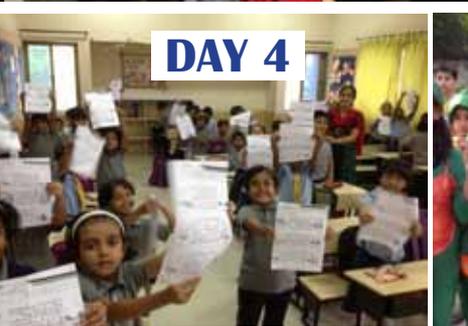
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DAY 2



DAY 3



DAY 4



DAY 5



“Coming together is a beginning, keeping together is progress, working together is success.”

-Henry Ford



The 2014 Champions League Twenty20 is the sixth edition of Champions League Twenty20, an international Twenty20 cricket tournament. It is being held in India from 13 September to 4 October 2014. The tournament features domestic Twenty20 teams from Australia, India, New Zealand, Pakistan, South Africa, Sri Lanka and the West Indies.

Format

The tournament consists of a qualifying stage and a group stage. The qualifying stage consists of four teams playing a round-robin tournament. The top two teams qualify for the group stage, which join the eight teams in the group stage. The group stage has the teams divided into two groups of five teams each. The group stage also follows a round-robin tournament format. The top two teams of each group then advances to semi-finals, with the top team of one group facing the second from the other. The winners of the semi-finals play the final to determine the winners of the tournament. Matches ending with the scores level are decided by a Super Over, where the winners of the Super Over are declared winners of the match.

Points awarded in the qualifying and group stages:

Prize money

The total prize money of \$6 million will be distributed among the Champions League T20 participating teams.

- \$2.5 million – Winners
- \$1.3 million – Runners-up
- \$500,000 – Losing Semifinalists
- \$200,000 – Team Finishing 5th to 10th[4]



SQUAD

Champions League T20 2014:
Complete squads of all teams of CLT20 2014



- Chennai Super Kings
- Kolkata Knight Riders
- Kings XI Punjab
- Mumbai Indians
- Southern Express
- Cape Cobras
- Lahore Lions
- Hobart Hurricanes
- Dolphins:
- Barbados Tridents
- Northern Knights
- Perth Scorchers

By - A.N.Shreyas

Movie Reviews

Daawat -e-Ishq



Cast: Aditya Roy Kapur, Parineeti Chopra, Anupam Kher, Karan Wahi

Direction: Habib Faisal

Duration: 2 hours

Story: Wafting flavours of love simmer via the best-known route possible - stomach. The daawat looks good, but will it leave romantics with an unforgettable taste of love?

Review: Statutory Warning: Do not watch this film on an empty stomach, lest the growling belly overpowers the sweet of this gastronomic love affair

Khoobsurat



Cast: Sonam Kapoor, Fawad Khan, Ratna Pathak, Aamir Raza Husain, Kirron Kher

Direction: Shashanka Ghosh

Genre: Romantic Comedy

Duration: 2 hours 10 minutes

Story: Spirited doctor Mili meets stiff prince Vikram - will their royal love story have a beautiful end?

Review: So, Khoobsurat is pretty - and pretty hilarious. Dr. Mrinalini Chakravarty aka Mili (Sonam) is a physiotherapist, hired to help Rajasthan royal Shekhar Rathore (Aamir Raza). Rani Nirmala (Ratna) and Yuvraj Vikram (Fawad) expect a quiet medic who will blend blandly into royal discipline - but they get a live-wire who teases the dishy Yuvraj, ‘Raja log praja ke saath party nahin karte?’, whose therapy includes drinking wine with her charge, who crushes paapads noisily onto regal china, and who, in striped PJs and cartoon-coloured T-shirts, is no fashionista.

Latest gadgets Samsung galaxy note IV:

Network: - 2G, 3G, 4G

Dimensions: - 153.5 x 78.6 x 8.5 mm (6.04 x 3.09 x 0.33 in)

Weight: - 176 g

Accessories: - S Pen stylus, Fingerprint sensor

Protection: - Corning Gorilla Glass 3

CAMERA

Primary- 16 MP, 3456 x 4608 pixels, optical image stabilization, autofocus, LED flash

Features- Dual Shot, Simultaneous HD video and image recording, geo-tagging, touch focus, face/smile detection, panorama, HDR

Video- 2160p@30fps, 1080p@60fps, optical stabilization, dual-video rec.

Secondary- 3.7 MP, 1080p@30fps,



By- Tanmay Phalke(X)
and A.N. Shreyas(X)

“Obstacles are those frightful things you see when you take your eyes off your goal.”

-Henry Ford

Kudos column

‘Sports’ is a field that makes our school proud of the young sports people of our school. In the month of September young and talented students of our school were felicitated for their praise worthy achievements in this field. These talented students are as follows:

- 1) Mayank Kad of grade VI C has received Gold Medal in District Level Swimming Competition .
 - 2) Lavanya Rao of grade IV C has received Gold Medal in District Level Karate-Sikae Competition .
 - 3) Rishikesh Vishwambhar of grade IX B has received Gold Medal in National Level Under 17 Rifle Shooting (Peep Sight) Competition .
 - 4) Dhruvi Thakkar of grade V II A has received Silver Medal in District Level Sikae Competition.
 - 5) Kartik Kumar Singh of grade II D represented State in Chess Competition and ranked 21st in India out of 138 .
 - 6) Aryan Gahalot of grade IV B has received Silver Medal in State Level Karate Competition.
 - 7) Om Rajput of grade VIII B has received Gold Medal in Rifle Shooting (Open Sight) by securing 192/300 points .
- Lastly, I wish good luck to all who have made are school proud in different fields of sports.

**By- Anjali Nair (X) &
Darshan Deore (X)**

PODAR INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, NASHIK SPORTS ACHIEVEMENT 2014-15

RISHIKESH KISHOR VISHWAMBHAR

Rifle shooting –Peep Sight
GOLD MEDAL
NATIONAL LEVEL
U-17



MAYANK MADHUKAR KAD

Swimming-Diving (Divi-
sional Level)
GOLD MEDAL
U-14



OM H. RAJAPUT

Rifle shooting-Open Sight
(Divisional level)
GOLD MEDAL
U-17



KARTIK KUMAR SINGH

Chess- National Level
Ranking-21out of 138 All
India Level
U-11



DHRUVI N. THAKKAR

Sikae (Divisional level)
**SILVER
MEDAL(SECOND)**
U-14



ARYAN S. GAHALOT

Sikae (Division Level)
SILVER MEDAL (Second)
State-Level
U-11



LAWANYA RAO

Karate-Sikae (Divisional
Level)
GOLD MEDAL
U-14



House Points

House Points for the House
Competition: “Pitch It!!!...
The Clash of the Advertisement”

IGNIS: 63.5
VENTUS: 56.5
TERRA: 65.5
AQUA: 65.5



Mass P.T.

Physical Training keeps us healthy, fit and fine. It helps us in the proper functioning of each and every part of our body. Understanding the importance of this, we the Podarites have started conducting the Mass P.T. This exercise is performed in every week on Wednesday .We conduct this exercise immediately after the assembly all together on the ground. In this mass P.T. we all together from class I to X carry out five standing exercises and some sitting exercises. Each week or the other our P.T. teachers introduce a new standing or sitting exercise. The reason for performing this activity in the morning itself is just because of the fresh air, the energetic rays of the sun and the cool breeze in the morning, which makes our day energetic and throw out all the laziness of the night. Thus, we all should understand the benefits of this Mass PT exercise and should do it regularly to keep us healthy and make our day full of spirit and energy.

By- Akshita Lolage (X)