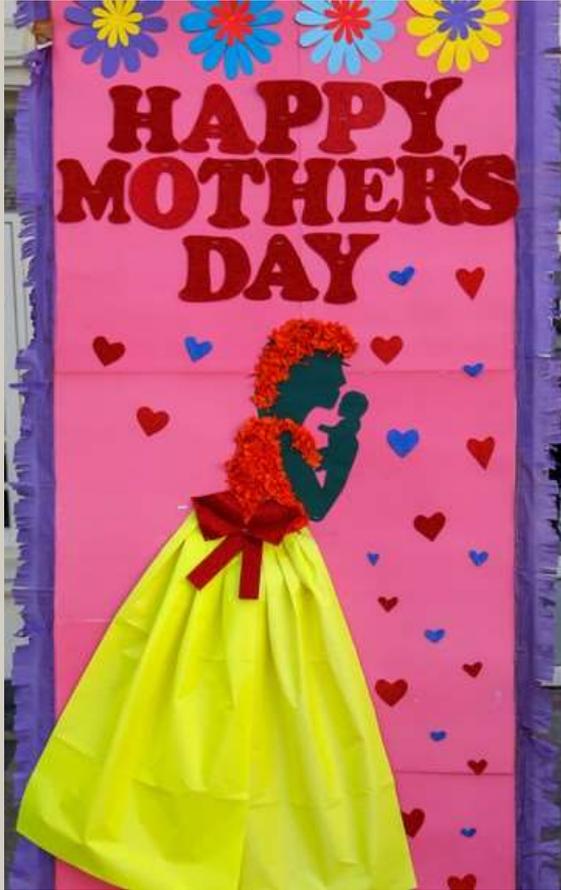


May- The Month of Blessings

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Worship Allah and associate nothing with Him and be good to parents.

Surah An-Nisa verse 36



On occasion of International Mother's day, a special assembly was held to honor the love and sacrifice of mothers across world. Students talked about the importance and significance of mothers in our lives while giving special emphasis to all the motherly figures across the world. Following the same theme, the Department of Art organized a Kirigami competition across all grades. Students participated enthusiastically and made cards depicting the contribution, mothers make to our world.

CONGRATULATIONS

CBSE RESULT – 2023
CONGRATULATIONS TO THE THIRD BATCH OF GOENKANS ON ACHIEVING
100% RESULT IN GRADE X
CLASS X TOPPERS

			
Shalizeh Asifa 94.80% (SST-100%)	Natiq Javid 94.60%	Sehrab Sahir 94.40%	Baseerat Naseer 93.20% (URDU - 100%)

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FIRST BATCH OF GOENKANS ON ACHIEVING
100% RESULT IN GRADE XII
CLASS XII TOPPERS

	
Hamza Hilal 93%	Nadira Mujata 93%

The students of Grade X and Grade XII came out with flying colors in their final examinations. For Grade X, while Shalizeh Asifa and Baseerat Naseer got 95% and 91% with 100% in SST and Urdu respectively, Natiq Javid and Sehrab Sahir scored 94% and 91%.

For Grade XII, both Hamza Hilal and Nadira Mujata topped the list by scoring 93%.

Our Honorable Principal delivered a congratulatory speech appreciating and extending his best wishes to these Goenkans.

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STUDENT COUNCIL ASSEMBLY

On May, 10, 2023, an assembly was conducted by the senior school which was attended by the students, teachers and non-teaching staff members. The purpose of this assembly was to select the Head Boy/Head Girl and General Secretary of the Student Council. The parameters for selection were good Behavior, Leadership Skills, Team-management, Confidence, Communication skills, Politeness, Responsibility and Reliability.

Following were the shortlisted candidates:

Sarim

Haider

shailizeh

Areen

A formal on-spot election was held in which all the faculty members from the senior school voted for their contestants. Basis the above mentioned criteria, following students were selected:

Salim

Shalizeh

The results were announced and the winners were felicitated by our Esteemed Principal.



HOUSE CAPTAINS



On May 16, a general election for the selection of Captains for Yellow and Green Sports Houses was held. The nominees for Yellow House were: Zainab Saleem, Ahmad Sajad and Anum Altaf while as the nominees for Green Houses were Rishabh, Mareeha and Zurain..

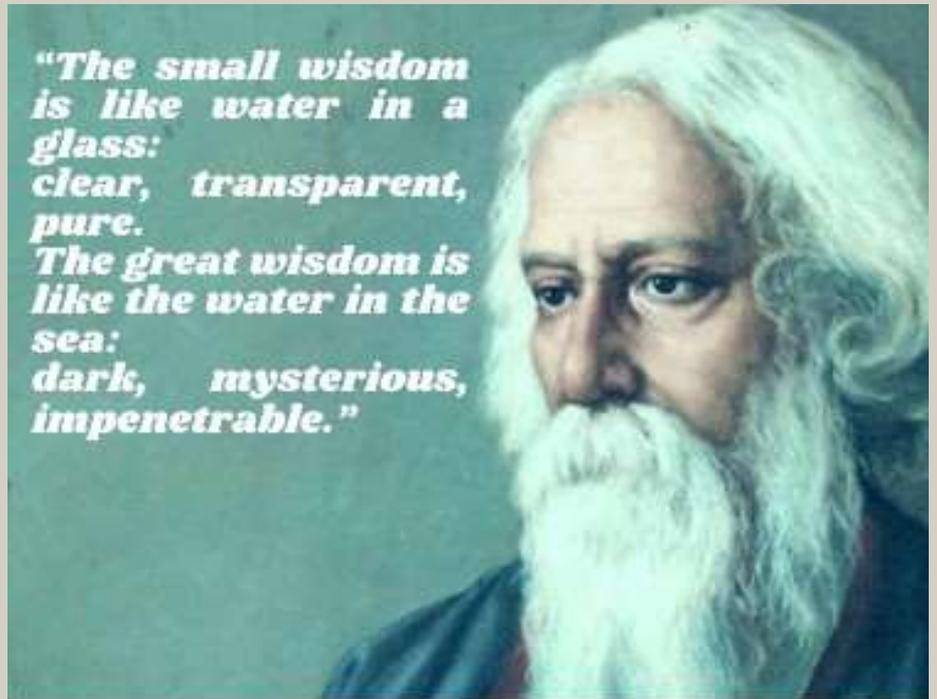
The candidates were given a fair chance to present their skills before the audience which included teaching, non-teaching staff and students from the higher grades. Voting was done and the results were announced by our Honorable Principal.

Following were declared the winners: Anam (Yellow House), Zurain (Green House)



GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Rabindranath Tagore (1861 – 1941), the first non-European Nobel Prize laureate was a Bengali polymath. A poet, writer, philosopher, naturalist and a social reformer is remembered by all and sundry. He is the only person to write the national anthem for two countries, Jana Gana Mana and Amar Sonar Bangla for Bangladesh.



To commemorate his birth anniversary, Grade 7 organized a special assembly on Monday, 7th May, 2023. The students paid honor to the visionary educationist by speaking about his remarkable contribution to literature, music and art. One of his famous poems from his acclaimed collection of poems "Gitanjali" was also read during the occasion. The gathering was reminded of the significant contributions Tagore has made to multiple realms ranging from classroom education to Indian politics.

The assembly concluded with the remarks made by the Honorable Principal.



ZONAL PAINTING COMPETITION



In the Zonal Painting Competition held on Friday, 28th of April at GGHS, Zadibal, Aiyman Ayoob of Grade 10 Jasmine grabbed the First position. As a part of Azadika Amrit Maha Utsaw, the competitors were asked to portray any Indian Freedom Fighter. A number of reputed schools participated in the event and Aiyman's work stood out.

FOOD PRESERVATION EVENT



Approximately, one-third of food produced for human consumption is lost or wasted globally, which amounts to about 1.3 billion tons per year. Food is lost when it is spilled or spoilt before it reaches its final product, and it is wasted when left unconsumed to spoil or be discarded. As an attempt to bring awareness about food security, Grade 4, GD Goenka organized a food-preservation event. The students displayed various methods of food preservation like drying, refrigeration, pickling etc. Food was packed and distributed among various grades later.

FELICITATION

In view of the upcoming G20 Summit, GD Goenka Public School, Srinagar organized a one-week awareness program. The focus was to aware the students and other participants about the theme of India's G20 presidency 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam' (One Earth, One Family, One Future).

The program included discussions, debates, Quizzes etc. On the last day of the program, all the participants and the organizers were felicitated with certificates.





INNOVATION



The senior school GD Goenka organized a special assembly to commemorate the National Technology Day. The theme for this year's National Technology Day is "School to Startups- Igniting Young Minds to Innovate".

On this occasion, many students talked about the achievements and advancements made in the field of technology. They also reminded the gathering of the fact that each year May 11 gives us a platform to acknowledge the contributions of engineers, scientists, researchers, and innovators who have achieved significant breakthroughs in many fields.

The smart city is a newly emerging trend and actively running all over country. The proposed system is best suitable concept to implement and provides optimum solution for the major issue of managing solid waste properly in terms of collecting it and cleaning waste thrown outside the dustbin. Zurain from Grade 10th Daffodil dedicated his innovative product- "A Sensor based Trash Bin" to our Honorable Principal, who while appreciating the student of his scientific skills wished him and other Goenkans a prosperous future ahead.



ART COMPETITION

Art Competition held on the 5th day of the 8th International NBL Conference on the theme : "Nanotechnology for better life" organized by NIT Srinagar in collaboration with IIT Hyderabad and IIT Delhi at common hall NIT Srinagar today.

Out of 5 participants, it is a moment of exhilaration for us to share that we took 1st three best painting positions. **Ayman** from Grade 10 took 1st position, whereas **Farhan** was judged as 2nd and 3rd position was taken by **Aleeza** from Grade 7.



TEACHING AND LEARNING PROCESS

With regard to teaching and learning process, our Honorable Principal conducted a session with the entire staff wherein principles of lesson planning, delivery and feedback mechanism was stressed upon. He focused on the fact that compared to lecture methods, interactive learning strategies increase student engagement, retention of knowledge, communication skills etc.



Also encouraging students to apply and transfer new knowledge through in-depth discussion, collaboration and reflection should be the strategies applied within and outside classrooms.

HR director Mr Adil Zargar also briefed the gathering about approaches to maintaining discipline in school. Sharing his own experiences, he emphasized that staying calm and listening to students concerns, having an emphatic approach and reinforcement techniques ensure that discipline is not compromised.

SCIENCE CLUB



With an objective to reduce the original volume of the waste by transforming biodegradable organic matter into biologically stable material, Science Wing of GD Goenka under the Theme “Biodegradable Waste Management” started its first Composting batch on the 13th of May 2023. The activity was held in presence of mentors and teachers. Many students participated with much enthusiasm.



EXPEDITION

“Travel makes you realize that no matter how much you know, there's always more to learn.”



Picnics are fun! An opportunity to relax, socialize and break the monotony of a dull and drab life.

In order to help our children feel relaxed and explore nature, the school is organizing picnics for various grades. While Grade 3 enjoyed at Botanical Garden, Grade 4 and Grade 5 had an immeasurable fun at BadamVaer(Almond Alcove) and Harwan.

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“You need special shoes for hiking—and a bit of a special soul as well.”

From profound moments of self-introspection, invigorating sights and challenging oneself in nature, trekking comes with a package of benefits. In an endeavor to provide these benefits to our young Goenkans, the school organized trekking for the senior grades.

Through this, many grades got a chance to explore the nature and relieve themselves of the stress and anxiety, thereby filling themselves with fun and gaiety.

