

THE ASIAN SCHOOL, DEHRADUN

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SCIENCE DAY CELEBRATION ON 29 February, 2016

Week long extensive Science Day Celebrations marked with immense fervor and enthusiasm came to an elaborate close here at the White House Court on February 29, 2016 with an Inter House Science Quiz. The programme commenced with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp by the chief guest Professor Subrahmanyam V . Garimella, (Department of Mechanical Engineering at UPES, Dehradun)

The weeklong celebration included various activities like Model Making, Group Discussion, Science Fiction Writing, Poster Making and Power Point Presentation.

The Inter School Science Quiz for the Sr. Section jointly conducted by teachers of the Science Department where in Ojasvi Jain, Tanish Das, Manan Goyal and Anirudh Jaiswal of Shivaji House with a score of 73 points led the Shivaji House tally; close on heels was Ashoka House with a tally of 63 points represented by Manas Khandwal, Yashi Agarwal, Sumit Yadav, Shivanshu Ahuja.

This Inter- House Science Quiz comprising of the Warm up Round, the Visual and Experimental observations Round in Science, the Scientific Inventions and Discoveries, Science – Fiction and subject – Matter Round, the Rapid Fire Round and the much awaited Chocolate winning Audience Round, saw a neck to neck fight among the contestants.

For their group presentation Sagarika Thapliyal & Isha Bisht of Arjun House & Anirudh Jaiswal & Kanika Joshi of Shivaji House won the First prize in the Middle School & Senior School respectively. Venika Tyagi, & Khushi Malvy of Ranjeet House won the First prize for Science fiction writing. In inter house model making competition Mohit Singh & Sanchit Parshar for their Hydro Robot, Snehil Kinger & Tulika Sharma for Moisture Detector bagged the first prize in various categories.

Speaking on the occasion the Chief Guest, Professor Garimella, thanked the school management and commended the efforts made by the students & teachers in putting the science exhibition giving the examples of great scientists he asked the students to appreciate the progress that mankind has made due to the advancement in the field of science. He was delighted at the enthusiasm of the Asianites and advised them to be more observant for a better understanding of the world.

Earlier, welcoming Professor Garimella ,Mr. A.K. Das, Principal, highlighted his various accomplishments, and observed that his presence on such an occasion as Science Day Celebrations assumed added significance as much as it provided much needed motivation, guidance and advice to the budding scientists in schools.

Later the Principal presented a memento to the chief guest.

The final day Science Celebrations, attended by The Principal, Director, Vice Principal, Coordinator Middle School, and the students from the middle and the senior sections, ended with a Vote of Thanks proposed by Ms. Nicole R. Sangama. The programme was compared by Aditi Varshney, Bidya Adhikari & Sarim Ali Khan .