

Press Release
14th Founder's Day Celebrations
30 th October, 2013

In keeping with its tradition The Asian School celebrated Founder's Day event to commemorate its legacy and success.

The theme of the 14th Founder's Day celebration was **Disaster in Uttarakhand** which provided an opportunity to not only sensitize the public but also recognize the hard-working army personnel, volunteers and community partners for their outstanding service in rebuilding the state.

The function began with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp by the chief guest **Brig. S. Mohan**, which was followed by the welcome address by the President Mr. Amar Jeet Singh. He proudly announced the achievements of the young Asianites in all the spheres of school life. Looking back at the time of its inception he expressed a deep sense of satisfaction at the achievements of the Asianites who are growing from strength to strength in various walks of life, making it the third best coeducational school in the state which was greeted by a standing ovation by the audience.

The Chief Guest, Brig. S. Mohan, Commandant Military Hospital, Dehradun for the Founder's was rightfully chosen who had the first hand experience of rescuing the marooned and providing the medical care to the victims. Speaking at the ceremony he shared the tragic moments and the colossal suffering of the fellow citizens and rescue operations undertaken by the Indian Army. The young and courageous Capt. Vikram Jeet highlighted the same through a slide presentation. Brig S. Mohan appreciated the concern shown and effort made by the Asian School under the able guidance of the principal Mr. A. K Das.

He also released Colours- the Annual School Magazine.

The Principal Mr. A. K Das presented Annual Report and recounted the prominent achievements of the school past year. He proudly announced the names of the state toppers- Shurti Balaji, Prachi Das, Bidisha Sen. Abeer Husain, The recognition given to the Asian School as the 3rd best co-educational institution in the state and the 1st position gained by the school in recently held Hindi essay competition by the Hindustan times.

The event planned for the evening included Speeches and Prize Giving. The immaculate Musical rendition, scintillating popular English number by the Junior students and Play in English- Comedy of Errors were the main attractions. The grand finale, a vibrant fusion of dances and drama on the devastation Uttarakhand- Abode of Gods enthused the public with tears in their eyes An extravaganza of entertainment was conducted from very young ones to Class XII comprising of 600 hundred students. Students brimmed with pride and ornamented the Asian Acres.

The Function was attended by many dignitaries of Uttarakhand, Board of Governors of The Asian School, parents, students and the entire staff.

The Head girl of 2013-14 Kankapriya delivered extremely emotional speech and the vote of thanks was proposed by the Head Boy Sharvil Kala brought this wonderful evening to a close.