



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

"Coming together is a beginning; keeping together is progress; working together is success"

It is great to be back among the happy and cheerful faces of Deenites. I can see determination written all over their faces to do well in the upcoming session and bring laurels to the school. We have nurtured the leadership qualities of our students through the Investiture ceremony to welcome our new council members. At the same time, we recognized the achievers of our school during Founder's Day.

Ayesha Khan - 8A

THE INVESTITURE CEREMONY

The Investiture Ceremony held on the 14th June 2018. Our new student council was appointed on that day. The student council includes students from Grades 8-12. All students were seated house wise for this ceremony. First the student council marched to the front where they waited to go on stage to receive their badges. Every house had their president right at the front followed by the vice president followed by the discipline minister followed by the cultural minister followed by the prefects. Ceruleus house went first then went Rubrus then went Prasinus and then went Flavus who received their badges from Shanthi Ma'am, Anitha Ma'am, Sarala Ma'am and Amritha Ma'am respectively.

Then the president of the house received the house flag and the vice president received the house pluck card from their house masters or mistresses. Nikhil Sir, Prachi Ma'am, Demelza ma'am and Rajita Ma'am are the house heads for blue, red, green and yellow respectively. This time there is a junior student council also which includes students from Grades 5-7 who consisted of a head followed by the prefects. They soon received their badges. They then took the oath and Shanthi Ma'am said few words congratulating the leaders. The choir then sang a melodious song. They were headed by Ujjwal Sir. With The national anthem ended the wonderful ceremony.



-Aria Hemant Kanani (8E)

The Investiture Ceremony was a well organised ceremony and everything was well planned. The very first announcement on this event was all about what is investiture ceremony. Right after that, our principal Mrs. Shanthi Ma'am gave an inspiring speech to all the people who were present at the event and thus, welcoming the huge gathering. The place was packed with eager children. Just after that wonderful speech given by Shanthi Ma'am, the school band was instructed to start the event. The school band was indeed very good. Then the school choir was instructed to go on the stage and sing their melodious song.

I was astonished, and so I believe the others were too! Next the march past and the band began. The student council heads marched forward in perfect rhythm. Soon the president, Advait Navaithe was given a badge, a sash and flag representing the student council. Our vice president, was awarded with a badge and a board representing the vice president. Next our sports captain, was presented with a badge granted by Mrs. Shanthi Ma'am. No later the Caeruleus, Rubrus, Prasinus, Flavus house senior heads were appointed by our senior headmistress Anita Ma'am.

Coming next were the junior caeruleus, rubrus, prasinus, flavus house student council were signed up by our head mistress Sarala Nair Ma'am. Next all the captains were administered the pledge by our principal Shanthi Ma'am. Last but not the least everyone stood up for the National Anthem leading to the end of this wonderful event.



Sonakshi & Yashasvi of 7D



On the 14th of June, Deens Academy had its Investiture Ceremony. All of the elected members of the student council received their badges for the year 2018-19. Our principal Ms. Shanthi Menon had delivered an inspirational speech that motivated all of us to work harder and be the best in whatever we do. The captain, vice captain and prefects of our school, and all the other captains of all four houses deserved their badges as they were honest enough to promise us, that they would do anything for the school/house. The whole student council body took an oath, that they must follow all the rules and make sure that our school's flag will always fly high.

Our ceremony started off with the march past. The members of the student council marched to the beat of the band. Then our principal put on the badges for the members. We felt proud to see our school flag along with all the house flags being raised to the tune of the band. Our school choir "The Notes" performed a beautiful song by the most popular singer Michael Jackson called "Heal The World". After the choir, the national anthem was played and the school assembly was dispersed. We look forward to an eventful year and wish all success to our new student council.



Tanya Vidyadhar -7D



FOUNDER'S DAY

Founder's Day is on 11th June, the date when our school was founded.

We celebrated it with the parents on 13th June. The students who performed very well in their grade and class in the previous year got awards. Grade 6 was awarded by Tejal Ma'am, Grade 7 was awarded by Yasmeen Ma'am and so on. I also got an award for good academic performance throughout the year of 7th grade. It was really nice to go up on stage to receive the award. Students from each class were also given awards for being most regular and most progressive. After these, the 12th graders were awarded for their mind-blowing performance in academics. All of them scored between 96% and 100%! The parents had huge smiles on their faces and so did the winners. They were proud of themselves and so were their parents of them. It was a very memorable ceremony.



- Aria Hemant Kanani (8E)



Deens believes in nourishing students from their roots, only to stop once they have bloomed. Founder's day is indeed one of the most important and special days of the school year. On this day, our heartfelt gratitude towards its founders, Mrs Asma Sadiq and Mr Syed Shah Sadiq Mohinuddin is revived. They have given rise to this institution where every student is delighted to come to school every single day. This is due to the amiable principal Mrs. Shanthi Menon and the considerate staff.

The founder's day award ceremony is truly a day of pride for the entire school, teachers and parents. I remember my first day at Deens. I had never been so far away from home, yet I felt surprisingly close. The years have passed by quickly, and here I am, standing on the stage on Founder's day receiving an award. What better, than to celebrate this day by honouring every deserving member of the Deens family. This award not only acknowledges their hard work, but also acknowledges everyone who has contributed in their achieving it. Including the teachers, parents and students along with their encouraging friends.

Founder's day, celebrated originally June 11th every year marks the day on which the school was founded. Every founder's day, each Deenite is given a snack box, which everyone is highly eager to unseal.

Deens has played an important role in every student's life. Our beloved school, definitely deserves a day of celebration for its birthday, referred to as the Founder' Day.



- Arushi Kumar & Svasti Gupta 7D

The overwhelming feeling of getting an award. I would like to keep this short and simple. I felt very happy and proud of myself. This was my first award for excelling in academics in the 6th grade at school. I was ecstatic on hearing that I was going to receive an award on stage with the whole school sitting in front of me. It was pretty exciting and a moment of great pride. At the same time, I was a bit nervous. Overall, I would say that it was a fun and a learning experience and gave me a feeling of achievement.



Siya Sharma 6D

SPELL-BEE COMPETITION 2018 (G7 & G8)

The Inter-house competition is held in between the four houses of our school- Caeruleus, Rubrus, Prasinus and Flavus. The representatives from each house are as follows:

Caeruleus House: Bhavika and Mrigank
 Rubrus House: Svasti and Aseema
 Prasinus House: Zeba and Adwita
 Flavus House: Samit and Abheer



In the end the judges announced the results:

In the first place- Caeruleus House
 In the second place-Flavus House
 In the third place-Rubrus House
 In the fourth place-Prasinus



Manini & Sneha 7D

TENNIS TOURNAMENT



Charan Vardham (7B) played Under-14 National level Talent series held at Bangalore. He Won the doubles Title and reached Quarters in Singles.

JOURNEY OF FRIENDS

A person who you unknowingly meet,
 at the beginning bitter or sweet.

A person with whom you argue and fight,
 they even forgive you when they are right.

Though sometimes they do not correct you when you are wrong,
 but they know you from the start all along.

You may have similarities, you may also not,
 but you enjoy each other's company a lot.

Gives a thumbs up although the idea was dumb,
 in happiness or sorrow that person will surely come.

That person who sticks with you till the end,
 is who you call a trustworthy friend.



Niharika, 6E

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY G6

Deens Academy, Whitefield

Grade 6 Special Assembly-28th June ,2018

Theme : Conformity

Definition: Compliance with Standards, Rules, or Laws.

The theme 'Conformity' depicted through various dances ,skits and songs made for a successful Special Assembly prepared by the sixth graders on 28th June. It was a one and a half hour progamme wherein 6A depicted a dance on conforming to friendship, 6B displayed a skit on conformity in a family, 6C performed a skit and dance on teamwork, 6D took up classroom rules and 6E displayed the traffic rules. All this was interspersed by Hindi advertisements on Deens products; a rap and song remix in English by few students and a song sung in Kannada. All the parents were regaled in the end by a grand finale.



-Arani Jain of 6A



We started at about 8:30am and about 1 and a half hours we reached the museum, we got off our bus and we were standing for the entry into the museum. On entering we went to the mechanical room and saw a huge dinosaur which was given sound and movements which looked sort of scary, then came different mechanical things, also there was old engines of aeroplane etc, and a ball game where the ball is pushed up and it goes through many turns and finally reaches the end. In the next room was on science in that there were different things like whispering rod through which one person on one side tells something and the other guy hears it on the other side of the room, then there was a ghost room, then a mirror box where the person is inside but you can see all four corners of the room, then there was a machine which showed the amount of water in your body and your weight, there were many more things also it was the most exciting room. Then came the space room where they showed animated space through a hole on a door, working of an helicopter, different satellites of India and many more. Then the next room was the biological room where there were many computers asking question on biology, a microscope, a quiz theatre where there were 2 teams and each team was asked a question, etc. then the final room was the electric room where it showed about how electricity passes through the each device, a device that magnetises the screw driver to pick screws and bolts in a jar, there was also a shock giving instrument which gives small shocks, my friends touched it though we were told not to.



Devavrath, 7E

We went to Visvesvaraya Industrial and Technological Museum for a school field trip on 30th June, 2018. All students of Grades 6th and 7th were part of this trip. Some of our teachers also accompanied us. We boarded the buses at school at around 8.30 am. The bus ride was very enjoyable as we ate snacks, cracked jokes and sang songs. We finally reached the museum. This museum is in Cubbon Park. It is very big and has many different sections like Fun science, Space, Wright Brothers, Dinosaur Alive, etc. These sections had many models, experiments and fun activities to see and do. The museum seems to be very popular as a lot of other school students had also come to visit the museum.

At the entrance, we were divided into two groups, i.e., Grade 6th and Grade 7th. My class, i.e., Grade 7th went to Fun Science section while the other group went to see some other section. In the Fun Science section, we saw an Infinity well. This looked like a bottomless well and seemed endless. This section also had a mirror through which we could see our backs. I had fun trying out the Head on a Plate illusion. I also tried playing the piano with just air gestures. This place also had a machine that could calculate the amount of water present in our body. In the Wright Brothers exhibit, we saw a full scale model of their plane with the Wright brothers in it. This section showed us the structure and working of engines. We also got to see models of various simple machines like lever, screw, pulley, etc. about which we had learnt during the previous years. The next section that we went to was Dinosaur Alive. Here, we saw a moving model of the Spinosaurus. Our last stop was the Space section. Here, we saw a model of the Earth rotating on its axis and revolving around the Sun. This section had a lot of interactive quizzes and games. We were unable to see the other sections as it was time to go back.

On the way back to school, we had our lunch in the bus. Again, we cracked hilarious jokes and sang some really famous songs. The field trip was a blast. We had a lot of fun with all our friends and teachers. The museum was very interesting and a fun way to learn. Back in class, we had some candies and snacks as we were still hungry. We did some bottle flips and had a lot of fun. I hope that we get to go to another field trip in future.



Navya Krishnan -7D

Visvesvaraya Industrial and Technological Museum, Bangalore (VITM) was established in memory of Bharat Ratna Sir M. Visvesvaraya. It is a science museum. My class and I paid a visit to this museum on Saturday (30/6/2018). It is located near Cubbon park. When we entered the museum we saw a statue of a person at the middle of the path, later we got to know that it was Sir Visvesvaraya. As we climbed up the stairs we got to know that the museum was divided into many sections, like:

Wright Flyer: It showed the remarkable aeroplane of the Wright Brothers .

Dinosaur's Room: It was a model of a dinosaur that would howl and move.

Electronic Technology Gallery: It contains marvels of electronics and communication, including classical experiments like Faraday's ring, Barlow's wheel, Oersted's experiment etc.

Fun Science Gallery: It displays sciences of sound with the help of delayed hearing equipment and the music by air tubes.

Space Gallery: Here we got a chance to see a colourful presentation of the solar system, a model of a rocket, as well as a show on the constellations in the sky.



The section which I loved the most was the science section. It was interesting and informative. My friends and I had a great time in the museum. We learnt a lot and in the process had a lot of fun too!

This is a must visit place and I would love to go there once again!

By Poornima T 7E

Visiting a museum is interesting as well as educative. Having knowledge about the various scientific milestones and the brains behind them can make you feel really great. On 30th June 2018 the students of grade 7 were taken to the Vishweshwaraiah Science Museum. On entering the museum we saw a huge dinosaur. It looked quite real. It had moving eyes and claws.

Then we saw the amazing maze of balls. The way the balls moved from one tunnel to another was fantastic. After that we saw the machines of many vehicles. There was a model of right brothers plane. There we saw many things that were kept in glass boxes. When we pressed a button it worked through science. Some of the things that I saw in the glass boxes was, the working of a village where the water was being pumped by people, the cattle was eating grass, etc. After seeing all these things we went to the next room . In this room we saw the evolution of batteries, current etc. In this room we saw how electricity is formed, the formation of lightning. It had all about magnets , when they repel and when they attract .

They had shown an experiment on the magnets. They showed use the different methods through which hydro-electricity, thermal-electricity and solar energy. We went to the next room called fun science. This compartment was the best and the most interesting section of all. In this section there were many things like the magic-tap where the tap was in the air and from nowhere the water was coming from the tap. The other was the whisper dish where if we whispered something the same word was repeated in the other end. there were many more things in this area. There was the bio technology.

This room there was mostly about the blood cells, about tissues etc. The last room was the space technology. In this departments, they have shown the rare pics of astronauts, like first astronaut to go into space, then they have shown how rockets are launched, about astronauts, space programs, satellites, space shuttle and important events of space occurred in the world. There are some quiz questions also in computer there. The whole trip to the Vishweshwaraiah Museum was amazing. We had enjoyed and learnt a lot.



Aashita 7E



'Never judge a book by it's cover'.
or in this case 'Never judge a museum by its look on the outside'

Our trip to the Vishwaswariah museum was one of the best trips ever. Although it took at least an hour to go and come it was amazing. I had been to a lot of museums in the past, so my expectations were quite high. I expected a grand, well maintained palace like structure. But my hopes were drowned when I saw a normal apartment type building which wasn't well maintained from the outside. To make matters worse, the last 15 of us had to stay out because there weren't enough tickets for all of us. We were afraid that we would not get to properly look at the content of the museum, but I was wrong. It turns out the fifteen of us had the best time ever. We had one teacher in charge of us. She was the best guide ever. We started off on the ground floor where I was surprised to see the inside. my partner had told me that the Vishwaswariah museum was amazing but this was at a totally different level. They had dinosaurs heads that moved and roared, levers and gears that when pushed or pulled made different machines move. I stayed close to my guide as she was taking constant selfies of herself surrounded by us. On the basement of the museum was an intricate pattern of hoops through which balls would pass. I think it works on the concept of physics. But you get the point, it was amazing.

Next, we went to the first floor where there was the science section and the electric section. It was amazing! The sciences room was very impressive, they had mirror mazes to wet paints and a haunted booth too. I could not believe, they were able to fit such amazing equipment's in such a small place. In the electronic section, they had everything to do with batteries and electricity, shock giving gadgets and computers with speakers and cameras so we could face time our friends from the other computer. We also took turns pretending to be weather reporters and even came on the news (in the television placed in the room). They even went through all that effort to make very realistic wax statues of women using electricity in their daily lives, and wax scientists discovering electricity. After a little persuasion, we finally got the teachers to let us go to the third floor where there was a biological room and a space room. And they are incredible. The biological room was painted shades of blue and green. even though it was not that great, it was fun. It was nice to have a little less excitement for once. I thought that the space room would not be as amazing as the other rooms, but fate must have had some other plans because the space room was amazing. They had real astronaut outfits and a booth where you could take pictures with very realistic wax astronauts. It is a highly recommended place for anyone with an interest in anything .It may look all rusty and ordinary from the outside but it looks beautiful from the inside.

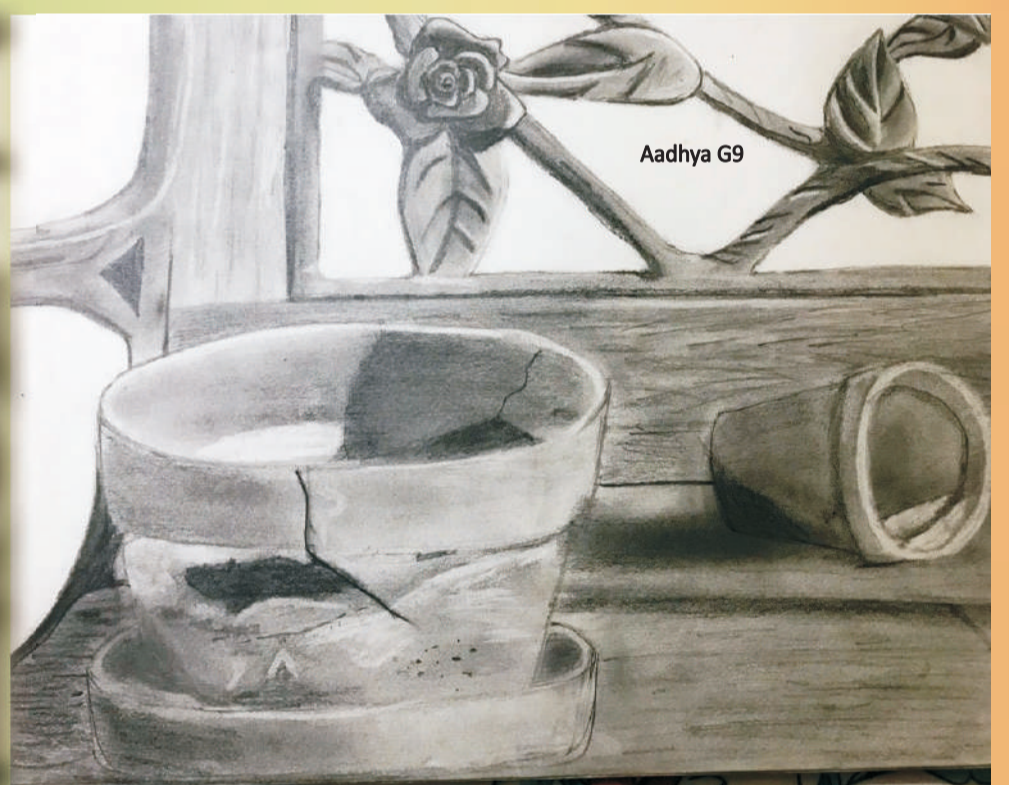


-Vasudha Roy 7E

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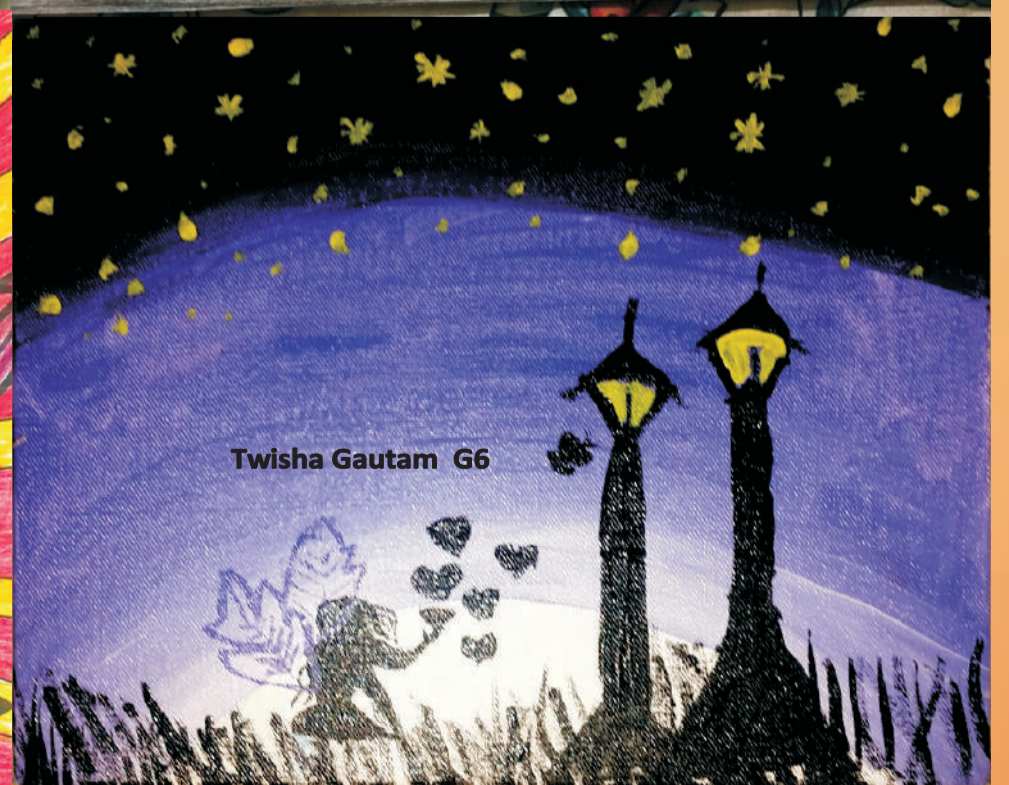
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