

# Amity International School, Sector 46 , Gurgaon

## List of Special Events 2013-14

| S.N o. | Event  | Date and Day                                | Teacher Incharge  |
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| 1      | Orientation - Parents of Class XI  | Saturday, April 06, 2013                    | Manisha Khanna  |
| 2      | Orientation and Prize Distribution of Class V  | Saturday, April 06, 2013                    | Ms. Manjula   |
| 3      | Farewell Class XII - outgoing batch 2012-13  | Thursday, April 11, 2013                    | Ms. Manisha Khanna  |
| 4      | Orientation and Prize Distribution of Class VI   | Friday, April 12, 2013                      | Ms. Sangita Behl  |
| 5      | Prize Distribution - Jr and Sr - Classes II,III,IV,VII,VIII,X and XII                            | Tuesday, April 16, 2013                     | Ms. Parvathi<br>Ms. Manjula<br>Ms. Pooja Puri<br>Ms. Sangita Behl<br>Ms. Nirmala Sharma<br>Ms. Manisha Khanna |
| 6      | Orientation - Parents of Class IX  | Saturday, April 20, 2013                    | Ms. Nirmala Sharma  |
| 7      | Orientation - Parents of Class I   | Saturday, April 20, 2013                    | Ms. Parvathi  |
| 8      | Human Value Week   | Monday , Aprill 22 to Friday April 26, 2013 | Ms. Parvathi<br>Ms. Manjula<br>Ms. Rachna Pachori   |
| 9      | Spic Macay   | Thursday, April 25, 2013                    | Ms. Sonia Jagga   |
| 10     | Reading Mahotsava  | Tuesday, April 20 to Friday May 10, 2013    | Ms. Sonia Jagga<br>Ms. Chanchal Tiwari  |
| 11     | Astromy Day Celebration with the students of class VI  | Tuesday, April 30, 2013                     | Ms. Arti Kaushik  |
| 12     | Visit of Author - Ms. Rupa Gupta and Ms. Surekha Panandekar on the occasion of reading mahotsava | Friday, May 03, 2013                        | Ms. Sonia Jagga<br>Ms. Chanchal Tiwari  |
| 13     | Session with students and Parents Separately with Rakshit Tandon on Cyber Safety and Cyber Laws  | Saturday, May 04, 2013                      | Ms. Richa Bhatnagar   |
| 14     | Workshop by Ms. Neelam Mehta - soft skills and social etiquette trainer                          | Tuesday, May 05, 2013                       | Ms. Padmini Das   |
| 15     | Visit of Author - Ms. Deepa Agarwal on the occasion of reading                                   | Wednesday, May 08, 2013                     | Ms. Chanchal Tiwari   |

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| 16 | Prize distribution for Earth Day Celebration at Bal Bhavan  | Wednesday, May 08, 2013                   | Ms. Sonia Jagga |
| 17 | Astronomy workshop Classes I to V, spread across in 7 days, for all the students in 51 sections of Classes I to V | Thursday, April 25 to Tuesday May 7, 2013 | Ms. Neerja      |

### A Sentimental Adieu

The farewell to the outgoing batch of class XII, 2012 – 2013 was organized on Thursday, April 11, 2013 in Amity International School, Sector – 46, Gurgaon. The proceedings began nostalgically with the multimedia presentation reminiscing the past year. The E-magazine – Glocal Amitians was also released during the program by the honorable guest, Mr. B N Bajpai, Advisor R & D of Amity group of schools and our Respected Principal, Mrs. Arti Chopra. The students witnessed a cultural program, which included a skit, a dance and the presentation of titles. The ramp walk by the outgoing batch culminated in the crowning of the winners with Prabhkirat Singh and Mannat Mantoo walking away with the coveted titles of Mr. &Miss Amity. The refreshments followed by the DJ and photographs brought the curtains down on the event.



### The Reading Mahotsava '13

With the intention of inculcating reading habits in young students and fostering in them love and respect for the written word, the Reading Mahotsava '13 was organized by Amity International School, Sector 46, Gurgaon, from 30th April to 10th May 2013. The mainstay of the event were the activities and competitions such as making comic strips, an Inter-house literary quiz, designing book jackets, crossword puzzle competition, collage making, scene-wise enactment, literary quiz, role play, badge making, designing of book covers, etc. A book fair was also organized to make books available to children.

A prize distribution ceremony was held to felicitate the prize winners of the various competitions. The chief guest, Ms Surekha Panadikar and the guest of honor, Ms Rupa Gupta, both very well known authors for books for children were invited to give away the prizes to the deserving winners. The event became even more special with the gracious presence of the Chairperson of all Amity schools, Dr. Amita Chauhan and Ms.Jaishree Chauhan.



The event which began with the lighting of the lamp showcased the journey of books down the ages, from papyrus manuscripts to the e books in vogue today. The authors encouraged students to read with them, after which the audience was entertained with the enactment of stories by students. Not only were the great Indian epics that are inextricably woven into the fabric of India's culture presented, the authors gallery presented authors of both Hindi and English to readers of today.

The respected Principal of AIS, Sector 46, Mrs. Arti Chopra, expressed her views on the importance of creating a literary bent of mind in young students. A dance presentation, focusing on the Education of the Girl Child was followed by the speech of the Respected Chairperson, wherein she stressed upon the role that good reading habits play in the inculcation of good thoughts, advising parents to stress upon good reading habits in their children. Whilst the most voracious readers from each class were handed over library duties as members of the library squad, The guest authors were felicitated by the respected Chairperson Ma'am and the Principal. The school song followed by the national anthem brought the curtains down on the event.



## **The Earth Week and Value Week'13**

The 22<sup>nd</sup> of April, 2013, was celebrated as the Earth Day, under the sagacious guidance and enterprising leadership of the respected Principal of Amity International School, Sector 46, Gurgaon, Mrs. Arti Chopra, who inspired the students to not simply celebrate a day, but the entire week commencing from April 21 to April 25 as Earth and Human Value week. The activity was undertaken with the specific aim of sensitizing children towards ecological imbalances and needs and strengthening the ethics and value system required to take strong measures and walk the road ahead.

The students participated with enthusiasm in activities such as street plays, poster making, cleanliness drive and extempore speaking among others. The importance of conserving energy was stressed upon by switching off lights and fans ten minutes before break. The enthusiasm and excitement of the Principal, staff and children was so infectious and every corner of the school

seemed to be resonating with the celebration of the essence of life and every heart, full of gratitude toward Mother Nature, pledged to conserve it.



## The Youth Parliament '13

Amity International School, Saket hosted The Youth Parliament, an interactive interface for young parliamentarians from all Amity schools across NCR. The unbridled enthusiasm of students resulted in energetic and heated debates and discussions on topics ranging from ‘Waste Management’, ‘RTE Act and its implementation’, ‘will interlinking of rivers solve the water crisis?’ , expanding scope of nuclear energy’ and ‘is population a boon or a bane?’ - took place. While there was always a spirited exchange of ideas, the ruling party and the opposition, continuously leveled allegations against one-another. The two day event included The Question Hour, Debate sessions, the Calling Attention Motion, The Zero Hour and the RTE bill put up for discussion. The RTE bill was finally passed after the honourable speaker made one of the most awaited announcements- ‘the ayes have it’. The chief guests Mr Arjun Ray (a member of the parliament elected from Sitamarhi, Bihar) and Mr Amrish Singh Gautam (the deputy speaker of the Delhi assembly) gave motivating and inspirational speeches. Ten participants were selected for individual prizes, the joy of the students of AIS, Sector 46, Gurgaon knew no bounds as they succeeded in bagging the silver rolling trophy for the best team.



## Felicitation Ceremony Class X & XII (2012-2013)



Amity International school held a Felicitation Ceremony on 12<sup>th</sup> July, 2013 for the students of Xth & XIIth who had brought laurels to the school and themselves. A traditional welcome was given to the Parents & Students of class Xth & XIIth. High tea was served to the guests. The ceremony started with lighting of the lamp by the Chairperson Ma'am who was accompanied by Mr. T.P Chauhan, Mr. Bajpai & the school principal Mrs. Arti Chopra . This was followed by an instrumental music performance by the budding musicians of AIS-46. In her welcome address, the school principal Mrs. Arti Chopra welcomed all and praised students and the teachers or their hard work.



She aimed at the spiritual, physical, emotional, cognitive and creative growth of the students. She also announced the launch of Facebook for the alumni. There was a Kuchipudi dance performance by Vaishnavi of class XI which enchanted the audience. Vande Matram a dance composition by the students was presented followed by Felicitation of students and the teachers. Muskan Chauhan, school's skating champion was also felicitated by the Chairperson Ma'am. In her blessings the Chairperson Dr. Amita Chauhan praised the efforts of students and teachers. She praised the strategy of Principal Mrs. Arti Chopra and asked students to pursue their dreams with hard work. She urged the school to aim for better result.



Mrs. Deepti Chandra, mother of Shashank Chandra praised the hard work of teachers and thanked the school. Mr. Gajpal, father of Shreyas Gajpal thanked the school for its support. Shashank has got admitted in VIT Vellore. Shreyas has bagged IIT Khargpur. The students Manisha Jaggi (science), Shreya (commerce), Rahul Yadav (synchro) thanked the school to help them achieve their dream.



The ceremony ended with school song followed by National Anthem.