Annual day celebrations

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mity International School, Lucknow celebrated its first annual day on 12th March, 2011. The day was devoted to the creator—Lord Brahma, his creation and five elements of life—Jal, Vayu, Agni, Akash and Prithvi that are essential for “Shrishti Ka Shrijan”. The evening started with accordance of traditional welcome to the Chief Guest Mrs. Lema Johri, Sactary, Home, Government of Uttar Pradesh; Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools; Ms Aseem Chauhan, Chancellor, Amity University, Rajasthan and Chairman, Amity University, Lucknow along with other dignitaries.

Mrs. Johri, was highly touched by the special attention rendered to each and every child by the Honourable Chairperson. She appreciated the institution of awards under good values and varied personality category, apart from academics, which reflected the right kind of development imparted at Amity. Speaking on the occasion, Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan said, “Believe in yourself and God will lead you to success. It’s not only the marks but the values instilled during childhood that enable them to become good human beings and responsible citizens.”

The evening ended with a Peace Appeal March by the students. The conference facilitated by Amity Education Resource Centre saw participation from seven different schools including France namely Gimnazija Kues-G., Germany; The Grammer School, Cyprus; Institut de Genech, France; and Amity International School, India.

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Taking YRoNS a step ahead

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ve students from Amity International Schools - Aayush Das (AIS Gur-43), Sahil Gandhi (AIS Saket), Jumed Queelid (AIS Saket), Shaashank (AIS Noida) and Prithvi Tayal (AIS YU 6) along with their teacher Dr. Alka Saxena, participated in YRoNS 2010 held at Institute de Genech, France from 10th April 2011 to 17th April 2011.

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YRoNS Young Researchers of Natural Science – An International Science Conference, organized by Evrotos Josef G., Hungary, was initiated in the year 2007 with the view to encourage and motivate students to take keen interest in the field of science and provide them with a platform to meet, interact and learn from their international counterparts.

The conference has seen keen participation from countries in Europe and it was in the year 2010 that for the first time Amity International School (the only school from Asia) participated in this conference in Cyprus. It’s a matter of great pride that the conference would be hosted by Amity International School for the first time in India. YRoNS also provided the participants an opportunity to experience a new culture during their stay with host families. The host institute also organised visit to Lille & Paris in France, Brussels & Bruges in Belgium, the Eiffel Tower and the famous MONA LISA. Shares Prithvi Tayal, “It instilled me a sense of pride and achievement to represent my country and school at YRoNS 2011. Participating in Science Symposium not only enriched me but also enhanced my appetite to learn more in chemistry.”

Chairperson, a Mother to ALL

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sandhara Sec-I conducted a special assembly on May 3, 2011 to celebrate Mother’s Day. The celebrations coincided with Chairperson Dr. (Mrs) Amita Chauhan’s birth- day. The assembly which began with a prayer saw Vinita Chauhan (VII-A) reciting a self composed poem on Mother’s Day, followed by a dance per-

formance by Dvyanshi of class III-A. However, the highlight of the assembly was a PPT presentation by Sheerya Trivedi (VII-B) dedicated to Dr. (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, the guiding light and a mother figure to all Amities. The presen-
tation also praised the initiative under-taken by her under AMITASHA. The assembly concluded with the address by school Principal Mrs. V Balachandran on the importance of MOTHERS in our lives and how children can do their best for their mothers.