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# BE PEAKEMAKERS

Dear parents and well-wishers,

Greetings from the Management and Staff of Don Bosco High School & Jr. College, Naigaon.

In an extremely competitive world, it is imperative to prepare our students for quality life and train them to face the challenges that lie before them. We do so by providing them ample platforms and opportunities to display their talents and gain knowledge. It must be acknowledged that at the heart of this institution lies a team of dedicated and hardworking staff members, supported by the Management, who are responsible for the ongoing progress and life-long learning. Along with academic excellence students are trained to understand the challenges they face in life, so that they grow in empathy, social responsibility and learn to discern between the good and the bad and grow as persons of great moral and spiritual character. Our goal is to enable every student of this magnificent institution to excel in all fields and be able to think creatively, and solve the challenges of the present and the future.

We are all set and ready to rejoice and celebrate this wonderful season of Christmas. May the high spirits and positive vibes of Christmas bring love, peace, hope and joy in everyone's life.

Merry Christmas to you and your loved ones and may the new year 2023, be one of peace, health, prosperity and happiness for all.

Editor, Dorothy Fernandes

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# **RECTOR'S MESSAGE**



My dear students, parents and teachers,

This is one of most endeared months for the entire human race and for us Christians in particular. This is the month we await so eagerly, for it is a month where we celebrate Emmanuel, God with us; the Birth of Jesus -Christ.

As we celebrate Christmas, let us focus on giving and not receiving. Let us focus on the welfare of others and not only on self. Let us see the face of baby Jesus in those whom we meet. Very specially the poor, the weak, the sick and the marginalized. Let all our passions, interests, desires, dreams begin and end in Christ, so that this Christmas really becomes a celebration of love, joy and peace.

I am deeply impressed by the commitment of the staff to the growth of an excellent holistic education at Don Bosco's Naigaon. What impresses me about the school is that our staff members take care of the overall development of each and every student preparing them for life. I wish to thank the staff members and parents for unitedly working to give our students not only roots in academics, values, culture and skills, but also wings to fly in providing freedom and opportunities.

I hope and sincerely pray that the school runs true to the principles of Don Bosco, our Father and Founder, focussing not just on academic excellence, but the education of the head and the heart.

I pray to the Almighty that this school marches ahead achieving great success and will be recognized as one of the most sought-after institution, that teaches its students not just, how to make a living but also how to live life.

May God bless you all and your families. Merry Christmas to all.

Fr. Dominic Martis , sdb Rector

# **PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE**



My dear students, parents and teachers,

We are all preparing to celebrate Christmas, and soon we will realize that yet another year has passed with many events touching our lives in different ways. No doubt, this year has brought joys or sadness in different measures to each person, all colouring the memories of the year 2022. Traditionally, we see Christmas as a time of peace and joy, a time to celebrate with family and friends, exchanging gifts and so on. However, Christmas is not just a time for exchanging our gifts.

The true spirit of Christmas is in 'togetherness', 'forgiveness' and 'resilience'. It's in the thought that we put into thinking about others. It's a time of selflessness, where we forgive, take stock of what's important and become better versions of ourselves.

You benefit immensely when you choose to forgive and so does everyone around you. Whether you need to forgive others, or need to forgive yourself, doing so sets you free from the past and enables you to fulfil your true potential. Togetherness, strengthens family and friendship bonds, thus securing our love, trust and hope in each other. With resilience we shall be able to withstand adversity and bounce back and grow despite life's downturns.

Our school provides excellent facilities and opportunities for the students to develop an overall personality. Many students have excelled in co- curricular and extra- curricular activities and this can be seen in the success of various events that were conducted in the school in the past months. However, its time now to focus on curricular activities which are very important. Board exams are soon approaching for the students of Std X and XII and I urge each one of you my dear students to devote your time and effort towards preparing for your exams. I am sure, both our staff and students will always strive hard to uphold the dignity of our school and promote a society based on love, freedom, liberty, justice, equality and fraternity.

Challenges in life are inevitable: being defeated is optional. I hope that you live your life—each precious day of it—with joy and meaning. I hope that you walk without pain, without sorrow and without hurt. I hope that this Christmas brings love, joy, peace and hope for all.

May God bless each one of you. Wishing everyone a blessed and Merry Christmas.

Fr. Anthony Fonseca, sdb Principal

# **VICE-PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE**



#### **Be Heralds of Peace**

Dear teachers, students and parents,

Once more we celebrate the nativity of Jesus Christ. Together we rejoice to hear the proclamation of the angel: "Today in the town of David, Bethlehem in Judea, a saviour has been born to you."

Our world is threatened by darkness. As a community, we recognise that the balance of our environment is being lost; the stability at the international borders is undermined by warfare; the well being of our brothers and sisters is being jeopardised by injustice, malicious intent and selfish indulgence.

We are all facing the challenges of economic hardships after Covid 19. We can all ask the question: Where is the light to be found? Once there rose a star in the east which guided the wise towards the source of Light.

Gratitude is an interior attitude which we must inculcate. We ought to be grateful to God for the wonders of His creation and for giving us life. "Without a constant exercise of gratitude, we would end up simply cataloguing our failures and lose sight of what counts most: the graces that the Lord grants us each day." said Pope Francis. Make a difference to those in need. We do not have to look far to find those in need. It is in the news daily. It is there outside our own door. Our children from the school visited the Old age home run by the Sisters at Naigaon, the joy on the faces of children was immense to see them interacting with the seniors and singing Christmas Carols and ushering the spirit of Joy, Peace and Love. A child from our school asked me, "Why do Seniors have to stay at an old aged home? When children are young, the parents nurture and care for them and when they become old they are displaced from their homes." I answered, "The Lord takes care through the kindness of good caregivers." One of the senior female inmate, aged 95 residing at the home said, "God loves me and I am blessed by the caregivers"

Love and Care cannot be brought by money; it is a personal response of each one of us. Perhaps we all might find some way or sometime in the coming days and weeks to make a difference to the lives of those in need. That would be the best present of all which we can give for Christmas. Christmas calls us back to what is important. It makes grateful for the good things we enjoy. It makes us aware of the less fortunate, and it moves us to help.

Our response this Christmas must be one of respect for all human life, for we have been made in God's image and likeness, I pray this Christmas we may be loving witnesses of God's love to others who are vulnerable and isolated in life, I wish you that joy and peace that come from the great gift of knowing God's love is always present, for he is Emmanuel, God-with-us.

As heralds of peace, let us embrace one and all. "Glory to God in the highest heaven and peace to all people who enjoy his favour"

I wish you a blessed, joyous and peaceful Christmas and a Happy New Year 2023.

Fr. Joaquim Fernandes, sdb Vice-Principal

# ACTIVITIES

# SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR ALL

After two long years of the pandemic, school reopened for all. The atmosphere was practically festive, packed with excitement, bustle and untrammeled joy, with parents, teachers, and students ecstatic at being able to return back to school. Children of all age groups trooped out of their houses to head to school, clad in their uniforms, carrying school bags, water bottles and tiffin boxes. The class teachers welcomed the students with beautifully prepared charts and class decorations.



# **INVESTITURE CEREMONY / ST. DOMINIC SAVIO FEAST**

To inculcate leadership qualities in students and to give them a feel of being an important and integral part of the administrative body, a 'Student Council' is formed every year. It was an occasion where the young students were all prepared to don the mantle of leadership and discharge the responsibilities entrusted to them by the school.



#### **TAGORE HOUSE DAY**

The students of the yellow house, from both sections, (Primary and Secondary) celebrated Tagore House Day, to pay respect to their leader and house mascot, Rabindranath Tagore. The exemplary life and achievements of Rabindranath Tagore was depicted through short skits, poems, song and speeches by the students.



# MODEL UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE AT DON BOSCO INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

Students of Don Bosco High School and Jr. College – Naigaon, participated for the first time in Model United Nations Conference (MUN) held on 19th and 20th August, 2022 at Don Bosco International School - Matunga. MUN is an academic simulation of the United Nations, where students play the role of delegates from different countries. Each participant, who is representing a country, discusses issues faced by humanity and strives to provide solutions to those problems. Participating in MUN, gave our students the opportunity to speak confidently on international matters, and develop the art of conflict resolution through negotiation and debate. Students enthusiastically practiced their skills in diplomacy and improved their negotiation and public speaking skills. Furthermore, in this process they emerged as a good teamworkers and leaders.



## PATRIOTIC SONG AND DANCE COMPETITION

The Inter House Patriotic Song and dance Competition filled the air with a spirit of great pride, love and reverence for our motherland. The students of Don Bosco High School and Jr. College gave scintillating stage performances, which included beautiful pieces of Patriotic Songs and Dance. The confidence, tonal quality, message conveyed and the costumes according to the theme for the day was indeed impressive! Each house performed very well with great gusto, thus making the day a memorable one for all.

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# **13<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST - FLAG HOISTING**

In keeping with the spirit of celebrating the 75th Independence Day of India – Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, the Management, Staff and Student Council of Don Bosco High School and Junior College, assembled at 8.00am sharp, on 13th August, 2022 for the Flag Hoisting. The National Anthem was sung, followed by the Pledge and Universal Prayer, invoking God's abundant blessings upon our beloved motherland, India.



# <u>'HAR GHAR TIRANGA' PRABHATFERI IN PREPARATION</u> <u>FOR THE 75<sup>TH</sup> INDEPENDENCE DAY OF INDIA</u>



India's 75th Independence day was celebrated with great fervor and patriotic zeal. The Chief Guest Rev. Fr. Dominic Martis hoisted the Indian tricolor with great reverence and all in unison saluted the flag, sang the National Anthem and repeated the pledge. A short cultural program followed with a spectrum of heart-touching patriotic songs, dances and speeches presented by students from the Pre-Primary, Primary, Secondary and College Section. Rev. Fr. Dominic Martis addressed the gathering and congratulated the participants. His message highlighted the need for each one of us to be responsible citizens, so as to enjoy the democracy and freedom.



## **SEMINAR FOR TEACHERS**

A seminar was conducted for the staff by Rev Fr. Anthony Dsouza, Director of Premanjali, Nalasopara. Fr. D'souza, enlightened the staff with his compassionate talks and deeply encouraging sessions, which brought about a realization in understanding the difference between 'joy' and 'happiness' thus, creating an awareness of emotionally charged events in one's life.



## GIRL CHILD DAY

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International Day of the Girl Child, was celebrated at school to recognize girls' rights and the unique challenges girls face around the world.



# **RETREAT FOR CATHOLIC STUDENTS**

To refresh, revitalize and give an opportunity for more time spent in prayer and contemplation, and rekindle and deepen their relationship with God, a retreat was conducted for the Catholic students of the school and college section. Fr. Velasli Bandya - Province Vocation Animator, along with his team conducted a spirit-filled retreat for the students. The day concluded with a fun-filled session of quiz, song and action-packed dances, under the guidance of Fr. Joaquim Fernandes.





# **TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATION**

Teachers' Day was celebrated in the school with pomp and grandeur. A well planned and animated program for the teachers was held in the school hall which was beautifully decorated. The students expressed their gratitude to their teachers through speeches, singing and dances. The Rector, Rev. Fr. Domonic Martis addressed the gathering. He said, "Teachers are pillars of strength and the guiding force in a student's life. They are the main contributors to good education in the society." The staff had a great time together, with music and games, followed by lunch.



# RETIREMENT

The Management and Staff bid farewell to our dear teachers, Mrs. Jaswanti Pujari and Mrs. Gail Fernandes who retired this year.



Mrs. Gail Fernandes

Roma Pujari, daughter of Mrs. Pujari, receiving the citation

# **INTER-CLASS FOOTBALL AND BASKETBALL MATCHES**

Interclass football matches have begun at Don Bosco High School, Naigaon. Everyday 2 teams participate in these action-packed fixtures that are played during the recess. The matches are played 6 a side with rolling substitutions being allowed from both the ends. The time duration of the match is 6 minutes.



# HINDI DIWAS

Hindi Diwas was celebrated in school. Students presented their speeches, songs, and poems through the intercom during the assembly.



# WORLD PEACE DAY

To promote and foster the need for peace, 'Peace Day' was celebrated by the students on 21<sup>st</sup> September. The classrooms and corridors were adorned with posters, drawings, paintings and quotes that highlighted the need for peace in our communities, nation and world at large.



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# **GANDHI HOUSE DAY**

The students of the Bellow House, from both sections, (Primary and Secondary) celebrated Gandhi House Day, to pay respect to their leader and house mascot, Mahatma Gandhi. The exemplary life and achievements of Mahatma Gandhi was depicted through short skits, poems, song and speeches by the students.



# **GLOBAL HAND WASHING DAY**

'Global Hand Washing Day', celebrated on 15th October, is an international hand washing promotion campaign that aims at motivating and creating an awareness about the importance of hand washing with soap as an effective and affordable way to prevent diseases and save lives. Students were enlightened about the importance of washing hands at critical points during the day, so as to prevent respiratory and intestinal diseases.



# SALESIAN REGIONAL COUNCILLOR -REV. FR. BIJU MICHAEL'S VISIT TO DBHS NAIGAON

The 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> of November 2022 were red-letter days in the calendar of Don Bosco High School & Jr. College, as the General Councillor for the South Asia region, Fr. Biju Michael Pulianmackal, visited the institution and spent blessed days with the Salesians, parishioners, staff, and students.



# **DIWALI CELEBRATION**

Diwali, the 'festival of lights' was celebrated by the students of the School and College section respectively. The day was marked with a special assembly by each section of the school. Decorated with lights, lanterns and rangolis of vibrant hues, the school had an ambience of joy, togetherness and hope. The assemblies emphasized the message of 'Peace' and a 'Pollution Free Diwali'.

The Rector, Rev. Fr. Dominic Martis, amplified the message of 'Peace' and urged the students to be more responsible and committed towards taking care of the environment. He concluded his message saying, "We live in a civilized society, and it is our duty and responsibility to maintain peace and harmony and care for our environment."

Festive Competitions, like Rangoli and Lantern Making were organized and students delightfully participated. Each class had a get together planned by the class teachers. Music and games were conducted in the classroom and students shared their snacks and soft drinks with each other thus adding to the joy. Gifts were then distributed to the students. The students had a fun filled day of activities.



#### **EXHIBITION - 'BE PEACEMAKERS'**

Don Bosco High School and Junior College, Naigaon, hosted its first-ever interdisciplinary exhibition 'BE PEACEMAKERS' on 26th and 27th of November 2022, to showcase the talents of their students, whilst fostering an atmosphere of peace, harmony and well-being. The logo was unveiled, by Fr. Biju Michael, sdb, General Councillor for the South Asia region, during his Extraordinary Visitation. He congratulated and thanked the management, staff and students and wished them the very best in this endeavor.

The inauguration took place on the 26th of November, by eminent, Senior Scientist (Retd.) at the Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre, Indian Space Research Organisation, Mr. David Samikkannu Antuvan.

Conceptualised by Fr. Joaquim Fernandes, sdb, (Idea Generation and Concept Development), this mega event, was the fruit of meticulous planning and execution. The staff and students were ably led by Fr. Dominic Martis (Executive Director), Tr. Dorothy Fernandes (Head of Exhibition Management), Tr. Supriya Rodrigues (Exhibition Coordinator), and members of the management and steering committee.



# 23rd ANNUAL SPORTS DAY

The much-awaited Sports Day was hosted on 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2022 for the different sections of Don Bosco High School and Jr. College Naigaon. This year marked the 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Sports Day of the school and as such, the celebrations were held with grandeur to suit the occasion, integrating the theme, "BE PEACEMAKERS"

The event on both days began impressively with the fanfare and marchpast of the four houses, a peace float by the primary and a peace walk by the tiny tots of the preprimary. The chief guest on 16<sup>th</sup> December, Mr. Manogaran Pillai , a well-known sportsman, and on 17<sup>th</sup> December, Rev. Fr. William Falcao, sdb, the first principal and pioneer of Don Bosco High School Naigaon, inaugurated the event and declared the sports meet open. Amazed at the progress, achievements and contribution to the field of sports Fr. William Falcao said, "Sports at school level is not about competition. It is about having fun, being physically active, learning the sport and building coordination and so, to give you an opportunity to display your confidence, patience, zeal and sportsmanship. I am proud of the achievements of the school." The rector, Rev. Dominic Martis, welcomed the huge gathering and encouraged the students saying, "Success is a result of repeated failures and just one constant element called - determination. Whether you have won a medal or not, you are all winners."

Several events were conducted and students showcased a great sense of discipline and mastery of skills achieved through weeks of hard work. The principal, Rev. Fr. Anthony Fonseca, congratulated and thanked the staff for working meticulously for the event. He addressed the audience saying, "Sports engender purposeful and meaningful relationships. These relationships provide you highly desirable security, belongingness, and ultimately happiness. Therefore, winning or losing in sports is not at all important, but the happiness originating from the participation in sports is a highly cherished trophy".

The highlight of the day was the track and field events which saw emerging talent sweep the winning trophies. The excitement built up and screams and cheering of the audience grew more frenzied as the relay race between the four houses and the tug-ofwar began. The participants were encouraged and cheered throughout by a welldisciplined audience of students and parents. The tug-of-war between the parents and teachers was yet another excitement that left the audience of students baffled, wondering whom to cheer.

The culmination of the day witnessed loud cheers during the prize distribution ceremony at the hands of the Chief Guest and members of the School Management. The day ended on a high note with a look of accomplishment and pride on the faces of the management, students and staff.

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# 23rd ANNUAL SPORTS DAY

Mr. Manogaran Pillai



# 23<sup>rd</sup> ANNUAL SPORTS DAY

Rev. Fr. William Falcao, sdb



# **SPORTS - WINNERS**

Congratulations to our boys who participated in the DSO and did us proud !!

DSO BASKETBALL UNDER 14, 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE



Brajvansh Jeevesh, Pratham Rajput, Sameer Meena, Amit Raula, Kaustubh Dhembare, Shawn Naidu

# DSO FOOTBALL UNDER 17, 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE



Om Mishra, Kuldeep Singh, Daniel Nair, Noah Almeida, Moses Chettiar, Enoch Goswami, Veehan Puspla, Venantius D'souza, Mohit Puspla, Adarsh Prajapati, Jeet Bhatt, Plavin Thekker, Shawn Lasrado, Manish Shirpurkar, Joshua Almeida, Aadya Patil, Kunal Pillai

#### **CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION**

The school and college celebrated Christmas, ushering in the message of love, hope, good-will and cheer for all. The programme for each section commenced with a commentary about the background of Christmas and the traditions followed across the globe. This was followed by a short prayer service, with intercessory prayers made to baby Jesus. The Rector, Rev. Fr. Dominic Martis addressed the students saying, "Christmas is indeed all about giving, sharing and caring for one another." A skit on 'Sharing and Selflessness' wherein, children beautifully enacted the true essence of Christmas, sent forth the message that the festival of Christmas is about caring for, and loving one another.

The Principal, Rev. Fr. Anthony Fonseca, gave an inspiring talk to the students thanking them for their hard work and enthusiasm. He said, "God humbled himself and came down to earth as man. Therefore, the true spirit of Christmas is in humility where we all need to be humble." Students charmed one and all with their beautifully sung carols. The live band added to the excitement. The entry of Santa Claus took everyone by surprise and was the highlight of the celebration. The school looked gorgeous with balloons, stars, bells, tinsel, the crib and a gigantic Christmas tree. The children in their bright and elaborate costumes were a delight to watch.



# **CAREER GUIDANCE**

A session was conducted by Mr. Prakash Almeida who is presently the Founder and Director at Knowledge Fountain Group of Institutes, Vasai. His session on various career opportunities was comprehensive and an eye-opener in various aspects. He stressed that information is power in the present times. He also spoke at length about the various degrees the students can pursue after grade 12<sup>th</sup> and answered the questions posed to him. It was an enriching session for the 12<sup>th</sup> grade students.



#### **EDUCATIONAL TRIP**

On 17th of September 2022, students along with the teachers of the junior college visited Don Bosco Institute of technology, Kurla. The main objective of the visit was to make the young minds aware about the various courses of study and career opportunities. The programme was coordinated by the Rector, Rev. Fr. Anthony Pinto and the vice - Rector, Rev. Fr. Mario Vaz. The students on reaching the institute were warmly welcomed with tea and snacks. After that the students were divided into groups of twenty accompanied by a teacher and then taken on a tour of the college campus. Teachers also had a fruitful interactive session as they were introduced to a new software named 'Moodle'. The lunch was arranged in the cafeteria followed by a vote of thanks by the students. It was a new, interesting and informative experience for all the students.

The students then embarked on a trip to Nehru Science Centre, Worli. Here the students had a glimpse of the innovations in science. Next the students were taken to the sky-theatre show in Nehru Planetarium. The trip proved to be an enjoyable learning experience for the students.



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# **PRE-PRIMARY SECTION**

# PARENT'S DAY HANDPRINT



# PEACE ACTIVITY







Peace Begins With

**RAKSHA BANDHAN** 

# PAPER CRUMPLING

# PAPER TEARING



**BINDI STICKING** 

**DRAWING & COLOURING** 



# **PRE-PRIMARY SECTION**

# **CARD MAKING COMPETITION**



# **COLOURING COMPETITION**



# **RECITATION COMPETITION**



# PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

CAMLIN COMPETITION

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### FANCY DRESS COMPETITION



# **COLLEGE SECTION**

# **TREE PLANTATION DRIVE**



**CLEANLINESS DRIVE** 



# GARBA



# FUN FAIR



# WAR CAUSES ONLY DESTRUCTION

War is an evil which destroys humanity. It creates unemployment and instability, fear, anxiety, poverty and thereby snatches away our peace. When there is war we only see suffering. It takes a long time to overcome the loses caused by war. War can never be a solution to a problem, so I wonder why are nations at war? We need to cultivate a strong love for peace and brotherhood. Peace must begin first in our very own homes and in our neighbourhood. When we cultivate the habit of being loving, kind, generous and respectful to others, irrespective of caste, creed or religion, we will surely become instruments of 'PEACE'. We can thus spread peace through our good deeds. Peace brings joy, progress and harmony. A home, a neighbourhood, a community and a nation that is peaceful can never be destroyed.

Peace brings Joy, Prosperity, Harmony and Happiness. War can only bring destruction. Let us all live in peace and make this planet a better place.

> JIYA GAWAD IX A



# **TRUTH IS TRIUMPHS**

For centuries, there has been a conflict between what is right and what is wrong. Today's society places a high value for truth and the person who speaks the truth. Truth serves as a foundation of a fair and just society. Truthful people understand themselves better. They know their strengths and weaknesses. Truth matters, and it is important to both - to an individual and to the society as a whole. As an individual being truthful means that one can grow and mature by learning from their mistakes. For society, truthfulness helps in building social bonds.

It is very important to stand for the truth, irrespective of what the situation is. When we know the truth, we shouldn't be afraid to speak it. We sometimes shield a lie or an accusation for our own personal benefits. This is absolutely wrong! Our thoughts should agree with our words, and our words should agree with our actions. Though we can't undo anything we have already done in life, we can face it. We can tell the truth and seek forgiveness. God loves a sincere and truthful person. A person who loses his integrity, loses his identity. Hence, being truthful should be our priority, as 'Truth will make you Triumph'

DEBASMITA MAITY X A



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# **STUDENT'S VIEWS 'BE PEACEMAKERS' EXHIBITON**



Each mind is beautiful and unique. I was glad to help in the way I could.

GAURAV SHARMA – X C



The exhibition gave us a good opportunity to express our ideas and showcase our talents.

BHAVYA OZA – V C



We shared a good rapport with our teachers and were excited to do whatever work was given to us.

YASH SINGH – X A



We were able to help our teachers to make the event a grand success. We were happy to work together.

KULDEEP SINGH – X C



We were entrusted with responsibility and this made us feel good as we realized that our teachers had faith in us.

PRANAV SOLANKI – X A

I was very excited to explain my project and this gave me self confidence.

DHRITI SHETTY – V C

The memories of us working together, sharing our ideas, having fun, helping our teachers, standing at the stalls and selling food will remain forever.

PARI RAY – X A

I felt so confident about myself. I never thought I would be able to talk so confidently in front of others.

SEJAL CHOUDHARY - VI C

I was glad that I got an opportunity to display my talent. We were happy to explain our projects to the elders.

AARYA SHETYE – X A

Planning and preparing our projects and models was fun though it took a lot of brain storming and hours of hard work. I gained a lot of knowledge while preparing the project.

AJINKYA JADHAV – VII B

Peace is what everyone is in need of today. We must all learn to live in peace and harmony with each other if we want to live longer and happier lives.

KHYATI TIWARI – X C

The theme Be Peacemakers is just the right one. The exhibition helped us to introspect on how we need to take care of our creation so as to live in harmony with nature.

ADITI BHATNAKAR – X C

I am proud to be a student of Don Bosco High School. During the exhibition I learnt that no work is too big or small to do. One should always be ready to help others.

MANTHAN GAWDE – X A



My teachers trusted me and gave me responsibilities. REON MORAS – X A



Helping my teachers and classmates to prepare and arrange the classrooms for the exhibits gave me joy.

UJJWAL PATIL – X B



I realized that team work is necessary for success. YASHRAJ SURVASE – X C



We were given responsibilities and we did our work with sincerity. It made me realize that hard work, and determination always pays off.

DEBASMITA MAITY – X A



We enjoyed working together on our projects. When everyone is peaceful there is a lot of fun !

PUSHKAR MHATRE – VII C



My college has etched a place in my heart and mind forever. Each and every moment spent here has given me so much to learn from. I thank my teachers for being supportive and the management for constant help and guidance.

JANELLE FERNANDES – XII SCIENCE



Science is fun! I am able to make my own mini electronic gadgets and video games.

RISHABH CHAUDHARY – VII C



I am so happy to be here. Robotics was very interesting and preparing for my project was real fun. I can use my Robotics Kit to create my own device now.

SARTH NAIK – III C



This is my first year in Don Bosco and I'm very happy to be a student of the Jr.College. The college provides ample opportunity for us to showcase our talents and this makes us so confident.

LIVEE FONSECA - XI SCIENCE



The whole world is in need of peace. We must all work hard to promote peace in our lives and our relationships with others. Only then can the world be rid of hatred, greed and destruction.

SIDDHI SANKPAL – XI SCIENCE



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BLAKE RAMOS – V A



I liked all the land and water creatures that were displayed at the exhibition.

AYANSH MISHRA – SR. KG B



I felt happy to talk about my project.

AVIKA PANSARE SR.KG A



I enjoy all the activities at school. School is fun!!!

# SARA MASCARENHAS SR.KG B



Living in peace and harmony is vital for the world. The exhibition brought to light how science and spirituality must coexist for a peaceful and happy world.

MD. MUDASSIR ANSARI – XII SCIENCE







# Wishing one and all Merry Christmas and a Bright and Prosperous New Year 2023