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### FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Dear LWA family,

October was packed with action and celebration.
Gandhi Jayanti, Vijayadashami and Diwali were celebrated with great enthusiasm and joy. The closing ceremony of the LPL, was in the limelight with marchpast, colourful displays and prize distribution by Dyan Chand awardee Mr Ranjith Kumar.
Special assemblies for Gandhi Jayanti, Unity Day and Run and Diwali were the highlights. Do enjoy this edition of

our October newsletter!!

- Ms. Santhi Swaminathan



## Highlights



## **GANDHI JAYANTHI ASSEMBLY**

Class VII - A

Mahatma Gandhi or more lovingly known as **BAPU** by all Indians is widely acknowledged as one of the 20th century's most influential people, who employed non-violent resistance to lead the successful campaign for India's independence from British rule. Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi was born on October 2, 1869, in Porbandar, Gujarat. Gandhi was at the forefront of the freedom struggle against British colonial rule and later inspired movements for civil rights and freedom across the world.

On 2nd October every year, Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi's Birth anniversary, known as **Gandhi Jayanti** is celebrated all over India. This day provides an excellent chance for countrymen to pay tribute to this great leader, who gave his life for the country's benefit. To remark on his remembrance, **students of class VII – A of** *Lightworkers Academy held a special assembly on October 17th 2022. On this day, his 153*<sup>rd</sup> *birth anniversary was celebrated.* 

The day began with singing his most preferred devotional song by the students of Class 7A 'Raghupati Raaghava Raja Ram'. The students made drawings, and beautiful slogans, and decorated pinboards with creative items. Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi is widely recognized as one of the twentieth century's greatest political and spiritual leaders. Honoured in India as the father of the nation, he pioneered and practised the principle of Satyagraha—resistance to tyranny through mass nonviolent civil disobedience. Gandhi Jayanthi is also celebrated as the International Day of Non-Violence by the United Nations.

- Famous and Thoughtful lines by Gandhi:

  Be the change that you wish to see in the world.
- An ounce of patience is worth more than a tonne of preaching.
- In a gentle way, you can shake the world.
- The greatness of a nation & its moral can be judged by the way its animals are treated. It is believed that in the history of the world, there has not been a more genuinely democratic struggle for freedom than ours. Gandhi taught us to always speak the truth. He is said to have always spoken the truth since childhood. "Nothing is or exists in reality except Truth" He also taught that one shouldn't believe anything blind. Always seek the truth through careful examination and an open mind.

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Akshitha Prasanna, 7A





## **AYUDHA POOJA CELEBRATION**



LWA Celebrated Ayudha Pooja on 4<sup>th</sup> October,2022 in the school office. Our Principal, Ms. Santhi Swaminathan, teachers and non – teaching staffs came together to pray for the safety and wellness of all. The school office was beautifully decorated. The celebration ended by serving prasad and gifts to the staffs and workers.















## **HEALTHY VS JUNK FOODS - ACTIVITY**

World Food Day is observed annually on October  $16^{th}$ .

To create awareness among the students on healthy diet, Healthy Vs Junk Foods activity was conducted for class 1 on 28th October 2022. Students were asked to collect Healthy food and junk food wrappers and display them in the class. Also the Students spoke few lines about the benefits and ill effects of healthy and junk foods confidently. Children were asked to bring Healthy foods like vegetables, fruit, sprouts, dairy products, etc., for snacks and lunch. Students participated enthusiastically, and they understood the benefits of eating healthy fresh foods.















## TREE PLANTATION BY OUR TRUSTEE















### **UNITY DAY SPECIAL ASSEMBLY**

Class X

National Unity Day also know as Rashtriya Ekta Divas is celebrated on October 31<sup>st</sup> every year to mark the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabai Patel. This day is all about unifying the people of India and it is an reminder of our true vision.

A special assembly was conducted at LWA by the students of class 10 on National Unity Day. The students highlighted the importance of celebrating Unity Day in various languages through passages and thoughts. The students gave a rocking dance performance with songs from 5 languages – Tamil, Malayalam, Guajarati, Punjabi and Hindi to show linguistic unity. The unity day assembly summarized the importance and significance of unity in the country

















### **UNITY RUN**

Class VI - VIII

On account of Unity day celebration on 31st October, LWA had organised Unity Run for the students. Students from class VI to VIII participated in the Unity Run. Students from each class were encouraged to make placards highlighting the importance of Unity Day. The placards were made with vibrant colours representing unity and with quotes of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. The students did a unity run holding the placards around the school campus. The 12th standard students volunteered for making sure each class participated in the run. Parents who visited the school eagerly watched the students jog around the school. It was a rainy day at the start, by the time when the students started the run, the sky was clear. Also the students understood that National Unity Day is celebrated on 31st October to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. Unity day is also celebrated to convey people that we must be united no matter what comes our way. Unity run at LWA created awareness about the national Unity Day. Always be United, together anything is possible! Jai Hind !!!

### Mahati Jayaprathap VIII-B













### **DIWALI SPECIAL ASSEMBLY**

Class XI

The students of class 11 conducted a Diwali special assembly on 27th of October. The program started with a prayer song by the choir . Then the students presented their speeches on Diwali and the ways to celebrate it. What's a celebration without a dance indeed! The girls of class XI presented their amazing dance performance. Then came the boys with their wonderful mime. The mime was thoughtful and made everyone laugh and gave the knowledge of safe Diwali. As we all know that Diwali is the victory of good over evil ,the girls performed the defeat of kamsa through a dance performance. The assembly came to an end with scripture reading from the holy bible. The Diwali celebration was fun filled and safe for us both in school and home

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### LWA PREMIER LEAGUE

Lightworkers Academy, Uniworldcity, Nallambakkam, celebrated LPL - Lightworkers Academy Premier League-2022 on October 15. Dhyan Chand Awardee, International Para Athelete and National awardee, Shri J Ranjithkumar was the chief guest of the day, Shri R Asokan Rt. Physical Director/ AHM, NLCI Hr Sec. School, Neyveli; Dr MS Nagarajan, Senior Manager, Special Olympics, Managing Committee of LWA were the guests of honour. Principal Mrs Santhi Swaminathan welcomed and led the guests to the stage.

The event started with welcoming the dignitaries by our school Scouts & amp; guides colour party followed by Tamil Thai vazhuthu, Flag hoisting, March Past, Lighting the torch and Oath taking. A welcome dance performed by the pre-primary students, dressed in, with blue pomp pomp's in their hands. Classes 2 and 3 had a display with the chess theme and made a spectacular LPL formation. Classes 4 and 5 displayed with hula hoops, Bamboo sticks, parachutes and ended on a patriotic note with the tricolour formation, Silambam and Karate, brick breaking and a Human Pyramid displays added splendour. Relay race was conducted followed by the award ceremony for various team sports conducted under the LPL Banner.

Mr J Ranjith Kumar spoke about how education and sports go hand in hand in student's life. He insisted that parents should support their wards and encourage them to excel in all fields. He appreciated the efforts of LWA School in promoting sports activities and having an excellent facility for Physical Education .The Overall trophy was bagged by the Ganga house .The event was concluded by Vote of Thanks and the National Anthem.















## **PICK & SPEAK ACTIVITY**

**Class Prep** 

















### **NEWSPAPER ARTICLES**



### FOR THE LOVE OF SPORTS

Lightworkers Academy (LWA), Nallambakkam, conducted LWA Premier League 2022. Mr. J Ranjithkumar, Dhyan Chand Awardee and International Para Athlete, was the chief guest. Mr. R Asokan, Rt. Physical Director/ AHM, NLCI Higher Secondary School, Neyveli and Dr. MS Nagarajan, Senior Manager, Special



Olympics, Managing Committee of LWA were the guests of honour. Principal Mrs. Santhi Swaminathan welcomed the gathering. Mr. J Ranjith Kumar spoke about how education and sports go hand in hand and Mr. R Asokan highlighted the importance of teachers and parents' contribution in the overall wellbeing of the students. The overall trophy was bagged by Ganga house.

## Dussehra special assembly



CHENNAI: Students of class 4 of Lightworkers Academy held a special assembly on the occasion of Dussehra. Students spoke on the significance of the festival and how it is celebrated in the other parts of the country. Significance of the festival was presented by reading out passages in Tamil, Hindi and English. Children performed a musical drama that depicted how goddess Durga killed demon king Mahishasura. Tiny tots were dressed in their best like Shivan, Parvathi, Vishnu, Lakshmi, Brama, Saraswathi and other deities Children in colourful attires presented dances. The festivities were filled with great joy and enthusiasm. Principal Santhi Swaminathan spoke about the importance of good values in life. The programme ended with the scripture reading and National anthem. The assembly was a learning experience for all and enriched the gathering about our ric Indian culture and values. The assembly emphasised not only the victory of good over evil but also the victory of mankind.

### TALENT CORNER

### **OUR PAST**

Poet of the poem: Chirayu, Class IV-B

Our Past, was very vast.

Full of trees and a wonderful breeze.
There were lots of animals and dinosaurs,
You could hear all the thunderous roars.

Many people said, humans at that time were all naked!
In our past there was clean water and air,
Now, people don't even care!
In the past, we could live freely,
Now, we cant even breath properly.

Before, animals species were more than a gazillion;

Now, even less than million. Now, we must try to save our Earth, Or else no more living being's birth!



### Master Kid Chennai Title Wimner Pranav Sreeram ,class II



### Thunderstorms

When the dark clouds come....

Everyone run....

When floods take over the city

People need sympathy...

When they find shelter....

They taste salt water....

When it becomes deadly....

It started to be scary...

When you find an abandoned nation.....

It was just an imagination!

When you see rain

Use your brain!

Poet of the poems: Pradhyun the funny poet Class IV-B

### **Our Future**

We enter the future
No more nature
There will be robotics
With more of technics
You want to go back to nature
you can't even see your furniture
you see a loading bar
It would be a VR! (virtual reality)
Nation is full of radiation
You may forget your destination!

