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SCHOOL ACTIVITIES FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL & MAY 2018
APS BIRPUR

1. **Atal Tinkering Lab Community Day Celebration** Science teacher, Mrs Vidya Anil along with 10 students from class IX, X & XI went to KV FRI for Atal Tinkering Lab Community Day Celebration on 13th April 2018. Atal Labs have been set up by NITI Aayog to foster curiosity and imagination in young minds. Mr Amit Kumar, PGT Physics of KV FRI along with a creative team of students organized a workshop and gave hands on experience to our students where they demonstrated the use of 3D printers, robotics and use of parking sensors in cars with light and sound. The students enjoyed this learning experience extensively.



2. **Inter Class –Bookmark Making And Stone Painting Competition.** On 12th April 2018 following competitions were held during the zero period in primary wing of APS Birpur:-

(a) **Bookmark making competition for class 1st and 2nd** in order to encourage the children to use the bookmarks in their day to day life. The creativity shown by the children was mind blowing.

(b) **Stone painting competition for class 3rd to 5th** was a fun and memorable way to show one's creativity. The beautiful creations on stones mesmerized all.

3. **Inter House Collage Making & Essay Writing Competition** It was held on 12th April 2018 for classes VI-XII.

(a) **Inter House- Collage Making Competition** was organized to enhance the creativity of students. Students participated with lot of enthusiasm and zeal. 10 students of each house of classes 6th, 7th & 8th took part in collage making competition, which showcased their innovative ideas on topics such as Peace and Justice, Good Health & Well Being-Life on Land, Industry, Innovation & Infrastructure. Thimayya house stood 1st while Raina house stood 2nd & Manekshaw and Vaidya House took the 3rd and 4th place respectively.



(b) **Inter House- Essay Writing Competition** was held to enhance writing skills, power of expression and thinking ability. The students of class IX- XII took part actively with great fervor. Topics were allotted to them on the spot. The position holders were- 1st Lijin Nair (Raina), 2nd Ayush Anil (Manekshaw) Shakshi Rawat (Manekshaw) Akriti (Vaidya), 3rd Tejal (Thimayya) Akhilesh Sajwan (Vaidya) Himanshu (Vaidya).



3 **Inter House -Tournament Basketball (Girls) & Football (Boys).** An inter house basketball competition for girls and football competition for boys (both senior category), was organised from 19th April to 21st April 2018. The teams participated with great zeal and guts bringing out the true spirit of the games.

(a) **Basketball Senior Girls.** Manekshaw house stood 1st with Vaidya & Raina House taking the 2nd & 3rd place respectively.



(b) **Football Senior Boys.** Raina house stood 1st beating Thimayya which stood 2nd and Manekshaw 3rd. The participants played with full zeal displaying good sporting spirit.



- 3 **Live Painting Competition.** On 22nd of April Earth Day was celebrated by hosting a 'LivePainting Competition'. 76 students participated enthusiastically. The topic chosen was "ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY". Students brought their own material (drawing sheet, colors etc) The result was categorized class wise.



- 4 **Welcoming Class I.** New session for CI-I students commenced from 09 Apr 2018. They were welcomed by their respective class teachers. Welcome cards and balloons were given to make them feel special & happy. They were shown cartoon movies and fun songs to make them comfortable with school life.



- 5 **Know Your School.** On 10th Apr 2018 Class V students took class 1st students around the school under "Know Your School" campaign. In order to make class 1st students comfortable and to make class V students responsible, the students were taken to visit the senior and middle section and they were also accompanied by their class teachers. They visited all the areas of the school (i.e. library, assembly ground,

playgrounds, Principal's office, academic office, reception, sick room etc). They were introduced to the staff of the school as well.



6 **Counseling for class XI Stream Selection.** On 6th & 7th April a counseling session for stream selection was conducted for students of class 10th awaiting Board result and seeking provisional admission in class XI. The Session was taken by Mrs Neha Gupta (Vice-Principal), Dr (Mrs) Rashmi Wadhwa, school counselor and by the subject HOD of respective streams. Students were given an aptitude test on the basis of their liking & behavior. After interaction with each student and keeping in mind their potential and scores, the streams were allocated to students.



7 **School Annual Theme Unveiled:** APS Birpur organized a special assembly on 17th April 2018 where the annual theme Envision -2030 of the School was unveiled and displayed in front of the entire school. The theme is based on the 17 Goals of Sustainability Development (SDG) given by UN. These SDG's are also known as "Millennium Development Goals" and are interconnected. The banners of each month's themes were made and students one by one introduced it in the assembly. The 17 goals are incorporated into planner month wise so that every month has a specific goal to achieve, the planner will help students to understand the importance of these SDG's and thus lead to learning beyond 4 walls and make the school a future ready school. All the literary activities to be held in session 2018-19 will be based on these goals.



8 **Earth Day.** To mark Earth Day on 22nd April 2018, a rally was organized by the teachers and students of VI to VIII. They prepared “Go-Green” quotes and placards to make a tangible environmental impact. An **eco-drive** was conducted under which each class was allocated flowerbeds and the children planted saplings, which were brought by them. An assembly was also organized to make the children understand and realize the importance of global warming and cleanliness of earth



9 **Club Report.** APS Birpur lays great emphasis on extracurricular activities along with academics. The school offers a plethora of opportunities through various clubs, which provide a platform for the overall development of students. The students are encouraged to take up activities as per their interest. They are provided a conducive environment through various activities of the clubs to hone their skills. Taking this forward, the first club meeting for the session 2018-19 was held on 19th April where in Venue for the clubs were allotted. This session the following clubs would be functional:-

NDA	Competitive	Cooking without fire	Music
RIMC	Dramatics	Tod-fod -Jod	Pottery
TED,	technocrat	Health & Wellness	Eco
Math	Editorial	Entrepreneur	



10 **AWES Day.** AWES DAY was celebrated with great enthusiasm and spirit on 27th April as AWES Day. A special assembly was conducted in which all the three sections- primary, middle and senior gathered. The NDA Club students conducted a quiz based on ‘Defense Forces’. A brief history of AWES was then read out followed by a pledge on one’s duty towards the nation taken by all. Finally the AWES song was sung followed by a group patriotic song.



11 **ASHA School Visit**. 15 Students of Class V visited ASHA School on 11th Apr 2018. They interacted with the differently abled children and learnt various ways of their learning methodologies. They were accompanied by PTI Mrs DurgaThapa. The students helped the special children in solving mathematical sums and reading English textbooks. It helped our students to develop a sense of empathy.



12 **POP Session from Class I to XI**

(a) **POP Session Class I**. APS Birpur primary section conducted a POP for the parents of Class I students on 9th Apr 2018. With the session beginning for CII on 9th Apr 2018, there was a great need for correct guidelines and school rules to be delivered to the parents. Ms Priyanka Behl (APS Primary Coordinator) & Ms Sangeeta Limbu(PRT) briefed the functioning procedures, discipline and the setup of the school to the parents.

(b) **POP Session Class – II to IV**. Another POP for the parents of Class II to V students was conducted on 18th Apr 2018 at the Birpur Auditorium. Ms Priyanka Behl (APS Primary Coordinator) briefed the functioning procedures, discipline and the setup of the school to the parents.



(c) **POP Session Class – VI to VII**. The Middle section conducted a POP for Class VI to VIII students on 16th April 2018. The session was taken by Mrs Neha Gupta (VP) and Dr (Mrs) Rashmi Wadhwa, school Counselor. The main agenda of the POP was to make parents aware of the new events and achievements of school and to provide them solutions to handle the adolescent issues.

(d) **POP Session Class IX**. The Principal, Dr (Mrs) Bindu Sharma addressed class IX parents where she made them aware of the school system and the

latest changes in the assessment model introduced by the Board. She also talked about how to deal with adolescents in present day scenario.



13 **Career Counseling.** On 16th April APS Birpur teachers Ms Malvika Panwar (PRT) & Mrs Parul Rawat (Special Educator) attended the session on career counseling at APS Clement Town conducted by a team from Mind Square, Ambala Cantt. The session aimed at educating students, teachers and parents about choosing a career after XII and their future prospects and different career options students could pursue after class 12th.

14 **Teacher Training on Solid Waste Management.** 'Waste Warriors' is an NGO and registered society committed to tackling India's waste problem and has conducted numerous educational programs for schools and colleges. They attended teacher training session at Manav Bharti India International School on 16th & 17th April, which was part of a waste management education initiative by 'Waste Warriors', keeping in spirit the 'Swachh Bharat' campaign. The teacher training was conducted by a professional teacher trainer Ms Neha Sachdeva from Delhi. In this training 40 teachers participated from 27 schools which included APS Birpur. Further, in the program, all these trained teachers were to conduct these toolkits in their respective schools, educating entire students and staff. Also there would be events done by schools like clean up drives, plastic bottle drive, e-waste drive, best out of waste, etc which would make this program very interesting and engaging for the students.



15 **DEAR (Drop Everything and Read).** DEAR was taken up in on 19th April 2018 for Classes VI-XII. In this the children & teachers as well as Gp-D staff all picked up reading material, be it a newspaper, magazine or any book and read with interest. The children brought story books of their choice and read it thoroughly. This activity is an initiative to inculcate the habit of good reading and to make books their best friends.

16 **Motivational Talk for APSS.** A motivational session was held for students of class IX and XI at HQ 116 InfBde Auditorium from 0930 h to 1030h where Hav Raju Rawat of 56 Engr Regt (HQ 14 RAPID (S)), an international Canoe medalist and cancer survivor shared his life's journey which, highly motivated the students. The students came up with a number of questions related to the low period of his life and how he emerged as winner. Hav Raju Rawat informed them by talking about his inner strength and support of his family and colleagues that helped him survive and fight back cancer and bad phase of his life. The session was appreciated by all the attendees. A memento was presented to Hav Raju

Rawat as 'Token of Appreciation 'by Dr (Mrs)Bindu Sharma,Principal along with Mrs Neha Gupta , Vice Principal of school.



17 **Inter House – Calligraphy and English Poem Theaterization Competition.** On 26th April, 2018, Inter House Calligraphy and English Poem Theaterization Competition was conducted successfully. The competition was conducted in order to develop confidence in children and to improve their public speaking skills. They were judged on the basis of the creativity, formation of letters, expression, voice modulation, choice of poem respectively. The children were divided into two groups:-

- (a) Group A- Class I and II
- (b) Group B- Class III to V



18. **Labour Day Celebration.** On 1st May 2018 Labour Day was celebrated at APS Birpur with full aplomb. The function kicked off with a speech welcoming the workers. The special assembly marked the beginning of the Programme followed by a role play by primary student's .The students with their rhythmic steps magnificently showcased their skills and then a song by Mr Milan Deep Azad music teacher respectively lauded the ceaseless efforts of the work force of the school. At the end the school Principal congratulated the workers and thanked them for their, selfless services and presented gift to each of them.



19. **Career Counselling Session For XI and XII.** By TIME Institute was organized on 4th May 2018. Mrs Dubey discussed various career options that students could choose from. She informed students that they must first identify their likes, abilities and skills before making a choice of stream and career. She clarified when deciding on course or college after + 2, one must choose on college as a good college can offer better prospects. When asked which all their first preference, the boys unanimously showed their desire for NDA while more girls wished to be designers. The session was a fruitful one which benefitted students and cleared their doubts and gave them more scope to focus on the future.

20. **Parent Orientation Programme (POP) for CI-XII.** A POP for parents of class XII students was organized on 5th May 2018. The Principal Dr (Mrs) Bindu Sharma informed the parents about the school rules, the new planner, and asked parents to check the exam dates and plan vacation keeping them in mind as academics the most important aspect. She asked parents to keep good understanding relations with their wards as they are growing up and should be aware of the adolescent issues. Thoughts and opinions were expressed and expectations were also voiced. Overall, a session which generated better understanding. Parents expressed their happiness on such an interactive parenting session and desired to look forward for more such sessions.



21. **"Rabindranath Tagore Week"**. A special assembly was organized on 7th May 2018 to mark the 157th Birth anniversary of Rabindranath Tagore. A speech on the life and works on the Nobel Laureate was read out and his inimitable poem 'Where the mind is without fear' from 'Geetanjali' too was recited. The week from 7th May to 11th May 2018 was celebrated as 'Rabindranath Tagore Week' where different activities such as poetry writing and story writing competitions were also organized. Class – wise quiz on Indian writers in English and spell bee too took place to promote the spirit of Literature and the beauty of his writings.



22. **Special Assembly in “National Technology Day” Assembly.** Special assembly was held on 14th May 2018 to mark technology day. A speech on technology was delivered by Ayushi of class 6E. A skit was also performed by students of the TodFodJodclub to introduce the concept of TodFodJod to the students which stressed on that we can make something useful for our learning from broken things also and nothing is waste.

23. Inter House – Free Hand Drawing and Colouring and Book Cover Making Competition On 15th May, 2018 the Inter House Free Hand Drawing and Colouring and Book Cover Making Competition was conducted successfully.

The competition was conducted in order to develop the skill of abstract thinking and bring out the creative side of the students. It enhanced their thinking and comprehending skills and somewhere induced them to read the books. The children were divided into two groups:-

Group A- Class I and II-Free Hand Drawing and Colouring

Group B- Class III-V--Book Cover Making



24. **Elections 2018-19.** APS Birpur takes the opportunity of electing the students council 2018-19 along with school Advisory to teach all the students about the importance of the whole election process starting from filling up of forms to Nomination, from allotment of symbols to withdrawal of names, from announcement of agendas to interviews of advisors and followed by Campaign to convince students and teachers to vote for them. Election Day i.e. 11th MAY 2018 was the final day when all the students and teachers casted their secret vote through EVM (Electronic Voting Machine) which was prepared by IP students in the proper set up of polling Booth under the supervision of presiding officer, polling officer 1 & polling officer 2. This year teachers had more vote share to ensure that the right and deserving candidate get selected. The action of conducting this event was successful as all the students became aware of the whole election process much before they are officially allowed to cast their vote. Step by step, process was followed during the elections so that students can be made aware and finally concluded with the announcement of result by Principal Dr (Mrs) Bindu Sharma in a special assembly.





25. **Investiture Ceremony.** “Leaders are not born but are made by their experience in life”. To inculcate the leadership qualities in students and to give them a feel of functioning of the administrative body, a school cabinet was formed at APS Birpur and the investiture ceremony was held on 19th May 2018 with great pomp and dignity in the Birpur Auditorium. Brig & Mrs R.S.Manral was the Guest of the day. Other officers from 17Kumaon, 1/6 GR,Principal from different prestigious schools also became the part of the grand event. It was conducted with the high degree of Earnestine and passion. It commenced with the welcome speech by Mrs Neetu Uniyal followed by Eco Greeting, Lighting of Lamp and followed by Sarswati Vandana.

The elected leaders profile was displayed on the screen. They were conferred with badges and sashes by Honorable Brig R S Manral and Mrs Geetanjali Manral. After that our respected Principal Dr(Mrs) Bindu Sharma administered the Oath to the Members of the Council. Brig R S Manral, Chairman of School appreciated the efforts of the school for providing opportunities to the students to take part in such activities. He advised them to be a role model and extend a supporting hand to the students Council for the smooth functioning or running of the school .He congratulated the Principal, APS Birpur for providing such an exposure to the students, which he had never seen before. Senior

Co-ordinator Mrs Archana Chettri proposed the vote of thanks and the programed with the tune of the National Anthem and followed by Tea Party for guests, Parents and staff, Refreshment was given to the students also .





26. **Visit To Temple.** On 17th May 2018, Heritage Club of APS Birpur took the opportunity to take the students of club to "Durga Temple" nearby. The original temple was constructed in 1938 by Subedar Major & Hony Capt Dhanraj Mall in 1969. It was decided to renovate after the construction was over the temple re opened on 10th July 1970. The students of Heritage Club of Army Public School visited the temple offered their prayer and meditated and offered their "Shramdaan". It was altogether a spiritually cleansing experience for the students and teachers.



27. **Mother's Day Celebration 2018-19.** Mother's Day is a special day of the year, dedicated to all Mothers. It is celebrated all over the world. Mothers hold a special place in the hearts of children. APS Birpur organized a special assembly to celebrate Mother's Day on 14th May 2018. Children were given an opportunity to show their appreciation for their Mothers. To show their love and respect for their Mothers, the young and enthusiastic Apsians made beautiful cards. There were speeches and poem recitation by the students. They were very eager, happy and bubbling with energy. They were carrying vibrant look upon themselves and showcased love and care for their parents.

28. **Diagnostic Test.** The Examination department conducted the diagnostic test of Maths and English for classes VI-X on 9th& 10th May 2018 respectively. Diagnostic test empowers teachers to take action to improve the learning outcomes. It also helps the teachers to identify the present knowledge of learner. After analyzing the result of the student's school provides the empowerment classes for slow learners to enhance their present maths and language skills.

29. **Budget Presentation (2017-18).** In an attempt to make teaching learning an interesting affair, Students of humanities and commerce of class XII presented an annual budget for the year 2017-18 on 16th May 2018 under the guidance of their mentor and class teacher. The main aim of the presentation was to make the students enough competent to understand the terms and procedures of making budget and to be able to analyze the outcome. Students started the presentation by giving the introduction of the Annual statement and explained the components of budget to the well versed audience. The Power point templates were also shown slide by slide so that they can make audience understand the formation of entire annual Budget of the country. The following areas were discussed in detail in the session:-

- (a) Objectives of budget
- (b) Receipts and Payments
- (c) Tax Rates
- (d) Govt. Budgets
- (e) Requirements of the budget
- (f) Budget structure like Revenue and Capital
- (g) Fiscal tools

30. After discussion and understanding of these all components detailed comparative analysis of previous year union budget and current Union Budget year was also taken into consideration to make the presentation more impactful and interesting. On completion of the presentation quiz was conducted and questions were asked for the audience. The purpose of the Budget session was to teach students beyond the four walls without text books and to give them a brief and comprehensive idea about budget and related terms.

31. **Science Symposium.** On 16th May 2018, the Science department organized first Annual Science Symposium in the School Library for the students of classes XI and XII sciences. The theme of the science symposium was "Food Quality and Consumer Protection". Total eight speakers deliberated on the various topics under the broad umbrella of this year theme namely:-

- (a) Meaning of food safety.
- (b) Food Safety and Standards Authority in India.
- (c) Doubts raised over food safety in India.
- (d) Use of technology to enforce food safety.
- (e) Food regulations: The current scenario in India.
- (f) Food safety in India: Status and challenges.

Besides explanations and presentations by the speakers on the given topic, projects models and poster making on the same topic were also put on display by the students. The students conducted various tests and showed and explained the adverse effects of harmful and adulterated food. The aim of the Symposium was to help students to acquire knowledge about food quality and consumer protection besides helping them to hone skills like presentation skills, oratory skills, organizational skills and developing their overall confidence.



32. **PTM.** The PTM was held for classes I-XII on 5th May 2018 as per the schedule given in ANNUAL PLANNER. The agenda of the same was:-

- (a) Welcome to 2018-19.
- (b) Expectations from students and parents.
- (c) Fee deposit-Procedure.
- (d) Summer Camp.
- (e) Holiday Homework.
- (f) Website-Almanac-Datasheet and Syllabus.
- (g) Extra Classes.
- (h) Empowerment Classes.
- (i) Checking of I-Card data.
- (j) Cyber ethics.

Parents of new admitted students have appreciated the initiative taken by the school for conducting the monthly test this time .They are liking the system of school planner and every details given in the almanac

The turnover was 84.6%

33. **Monthly Test and Extra classes.** Monthly Test CI-IX-XII /Extra classes for CI IX-XII were conducted from 21st May to 26th May 2018. Thereafter there were extra classes for XII- from 26th May to 10th June 2018 for Mathematics, Chemistry and Physics.

34. **Career Counselling Session by FUEL.** On 24/5/18, a career counselling session for 10th and 11th was taken by FUEL .The interactive session was taken by resource persons from Hyderabad. It was based on the aptitude test taken by FUEL. The session was about choosing the streams according to their aptitude and interests and not to on peer pressure or parents interests. The PPT presentation and videos shown during the session were so interesting that students were compelled to ask more questions related to a particular career in which they were interested. The practical information was given by resource person about time management and working with Left and right brain and how students can bring balance in the brain to improve their grades. The students individually took counselling about career choices based on their aptitude test. At the end of session, Vice Principal Ms Neha Gupta delivered a vote of thanks.



35. **“3 days Aptitude Workshop” for class XII.** 3 days aptitude building workshop was organized at APS Birpur from 22nd - 24th May 2018. The workshop primarily looked at building up aptitude and language skills required for cracking competitive exams along with honing personality development and interview skills. Details is as under:-

(a) **Day 1.** On 22nd May 2018, a session on **Quantitative Aptitude** was organized for class 12th students. Mr Udit from TIME Institute stressed on the significance of building stronger aptitude in competitive examinations. He emphasized on stepping up and honing skills for the competitive world. For this he recommended Vedic Math and gave a demo of it and taught how to solve mathematical problems in less time through it. The focus was on the preparation for IITs and medical entrance examinations. But he also said that many engineering colleges which have cropped up all over the country would be soon shut down. In the end the students were happy to receive answers to all their queries.



(b) **Day 2.** On 23rd May 2018, another session on **English Language Ability** and its significance in competitive examinations was highlighted. Mr. Suraj, a graduate from IIT Roorkee also from TIME Institute, elaborated on the need to upgraded grammar and language skills as it is a common subject for many competitive exams. He guided students on various career options, which could be availed such as clearing UPSC, CLAT and others to have a bright and satisfying career. He advised students to choose a course and career wisely, one that made you happy. Students put up queries and received satisfactory answers.

(c) **Day 3.** On 24th May Mrs. Divya Dubey from **TIME** again interacted with students on building up post written exam clearing skills. She involved students in GDs and informed them on how to be active participants in them. She stressed that one's ideas should be expressed through clear conversation, which could be built with strong language and communication skills. Further, she told students not to be dominating but listening to everyone's views and getting involved in the debate with Confidence. Such sessions from time to time, clear apprehensions of students who have set goals and prioritized them. They guide and help students in accelerating the pace of hard work and achievement



36. **Session on Goal setting by DrMukul Sharma Known Psychologist.** On 25th May 2018, students of 11th and 12th were counselled on obedience and good habits for paving a path to a better tomorrow by the well –known clinical psychologist, Dr Mukul Sharma. He advised students to keep away from the virtual world and live more in the real world, to give up being glued to mobile phones and gaming, to obey parents and teachers. On being asked by a student how to stay focused, he advised that one should play outdoor games to develop mind and body, as today kids had given up on physical activities. He further stressed on qualitative learning and not quantitative cramming. This was a fruitful session, which would help students to add on to their everyday learning.



37. **Hand on demo on First Aid by 214 FdHosp for students of class IX-XII.** On 26th May 2018 students of 9th to 12th CI were given a hand –on- demo on First–Aid by 214FdHosp staff. This session provided valuable information to students and teachers on how to give medical assistance in case of an emergency and when medical aid was awaited. They demonstrated the technique of giving chest compression and mouth –to mouth resuscitation in case of a cardiac arrest, drowning or seizure, the students got thoroughly involved by being active participants and took keen interest in it.





37. **Faculty Development Program.** 5 days Faculty Development program was held in APS Birpur from to enhance the skills of the faculty & to keep them abreast of changing scenario .the following session were taken:-

- (a) **Session on Teaching Methodology.** Ex-ret DIT Doon Captain (IN) Ajay Swaroop (Retd),took session on Teaching Methodology. He apprised the faculty about certain ways and means, which should be adopted by us in the current scenario, where education has shifted from teacher centric to learner centric. Teaching is now two way traffic, where both the facilitator and the learner play equally important roles. He cautioned the teachers against conditioned teaching method, and focus on holistic development of the learner.Classroom dynamics are vital, where the teacher has to create a congenial atmosphere for learning to take place. Rote learning should be replaced by active learning where the teacher must focus on Active learning and children are not divided into groups rather totally involved. Teacher should adopt slow learners, give them a feeling of belongingness and lift them up to the level of the class. Here the teacher is like a Devil's Advocate, who handles such children with empathy. Dictionary should be mandatory as the learners need not be spoon fed.The workshop was indeed an eye opener for everybody.



- (b). **Session on Presentation Skills.** The session on “Presentation skills” was given by Ms Kshitiya from Times of India .It was very interesting and fruitful .She apprised the teachers of how to improve their presentation skills while teaching. She told the teachers to be organized, Vivid and energetic to cater to the needs of their learners. She also apprised teachers of the do's and don'ts to be followed in the classroom. It was indeed an interactive session.



(c). **Session on Value Education.** “Values are caught not taught”. The FDP Programme was taken by Mrs Neha Gupta, Vice Principal to inculcate and make the students understand the value of “Value Education.”

(d). **Session on “How To Be Positive and Happy”.** A session was conducted on 23rd May 2018 by Dr (Mrs) Bindu Sharma. It was a very interactive and interesting session in which she gave tips and suggestions to all the teachers about how to keep oneself happy and positive despite work pressure and high expectations. She emphasized on finding happiness in smaller things rather than always cribbing for bigger things. Real happiness is in enjoying every moment of life and in being positive in all situations. The teachers were asked to make the children realize the importance of being good human being and to have the moral ethics so that they have successful and bright future. To make the session more interesting the presentation slides were also shown and discussed.



(e). **Session on Digicamp.** 2 days session on the central ERP solution (Digicamp) being run by AWES was organized for teachers teaching VI-XII by IT Supervisor Shiv Kumar re-apprised teachers of the different modules present in digicamp and its efficient use. The teachers had hands on experience.

38. **Summer Camp.** A summer camp is being run under aegis of APS Birpur for school going children of CI- I to VIII from 21st May to 02 June 2018. The following activities planned are as under:-

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| i. Health & Fitness club | ii. Creative club | iii. Personality development |
| iv. Spoken English | v. Music&Dance | vi. Cooking without fire |
| vii. Dramatics | viii. Robotic/STEM | ix. Computer |

The camp was inaugurated by the Principal and she bestowed her motivational words for the vibrant starting of the summer camp 'Summer Splash'.

(a) **First Aid Session:** The session was taken by 414 Field Hospital in which they apprised children about bandage and fracture. They guided the students about the steps to be taken during fracture. They also told about air bag and how to use it for a fracture movement. In this session children were told about the 7 steps of hand wash. They gave them the demonstration as well as the students also came and performed all the steps of Hand Wash. In this session children were also told about how to deal with 'Heat Stroke'. They have been shown various pamphlets and posters by which the students got to know about all the precautions and remedies to deal with heat. Children also took keen interest in interactive session. In this session children were told about 'Master Bandage'. In this session they have been guided about the right procedure and posture to put on the bandage. In this session children were guided about 'Basic Toilet Etiquettes'. They were given all the instructions briefly about how they can live a healthy life if they will be hygienic. They also conducted an interactive session with students and all the students participated actively.

(b) **Mango Raseela Party.** The aim of the activity was to make the students aware about the different usage of our national fruit 'Mango', different items made of mangoes were displayed and students were given brief about it by Ms. Neeta Bahukhundi. Students of class 1st and 2nd performed on Mango song. Rain Dance was organized for students and they all participated enthusiastically. Sliced mangoes and mango candies were distributed to students to develop their inter and intra personal skills of sharing and caring.