

ST JOSEPH'S CONVENT SCHOOL, BATHINDA



SOLARIS SDG SUMMIT

2nd to 4th November 2023



A LAUNCHPAD TO BRILLIANCE

The school embarked on the journey to unveil talent of pupils. Chief Guest Mr Raghavendra P. Tiwari, Vice Chancellor of Central University of Punjab, Bathinda; Principal Sister Ophilia Lobo along with other Sisters, flagged array of events which were administered for three days.

Over 800 PARTICIPANTS from 10 SCHOOLS

presented their ideologies on ushering a credible present and sustainable future.



THE GLOBAL GOALS

17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS



16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS



15 LIFE ON LAND



14 LIFE BELOW WATER



13 CLIMATE ACTION



12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION



11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES



10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES



9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE



8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



1 NO POVERTY



2 ZERO HUNGER



3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



4 QUALITY EDUCATION



5 GENDER EQUALITY



6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION



7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY



ORATORY ODYSSEY

Super active group of classes III-V showed great ardour by participating in Oratory Odyssey (Speech Competition). Many schools from the town and the surrounding areas showed active participation. Gestures and body language of the young speakers impressed the

knowledge and updates to the bench. Seeing the zest and the zeal of the participants, it becomes necessary to give the pupils more of such platforms to express what they think and feel for their 'Mother Nature'. Kudos to these young aspirants taking initiative by



judges Ms Fiza Chaudhary, Mr Madhav and Mr Abhay with their sound grooming for the event. Participants covered almost all the 17 goals of SDG. These modern day youngsters aptly acted as the ambassadors of various SDGs and brought in a variety of

speaking on the most important global concerns and hopefully they will be the ones who would act as the future harbingers of change for the betterment and sustainability even of the human species along with the much lost and needed resources.

TALENT & CO.

St Joseph's set on a journey to discover talent of children which laid buried. The enthusiasts from classes III-V left the spectators awestruck with their talent. Participants unveiled their potential via dance, singing, poster making, puppet show, yoga, drawing, dramatics etc. The participants were segregated in two categories. The children exhibited their unique potentiality under the close supervision of the judges Ms Cheshta Dabra, Ms Asmita Chugh and Ms Khushi Jain. Although onetime assessment is not the lone criteria to analyse ones talent, yet the norms of the competition were followed and the result was calculated as per the rubrics formulated for the event. The winners were awarded by KG Headmistress Sr Helima with a certificate and trophy. The school believes its each aspirant to be a winner.



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SOLARIS MODEL

UNICEF confabulated on formulating a plan of action to provide rights to children to prevent a life of deprivation with special emphasis on refugee children.

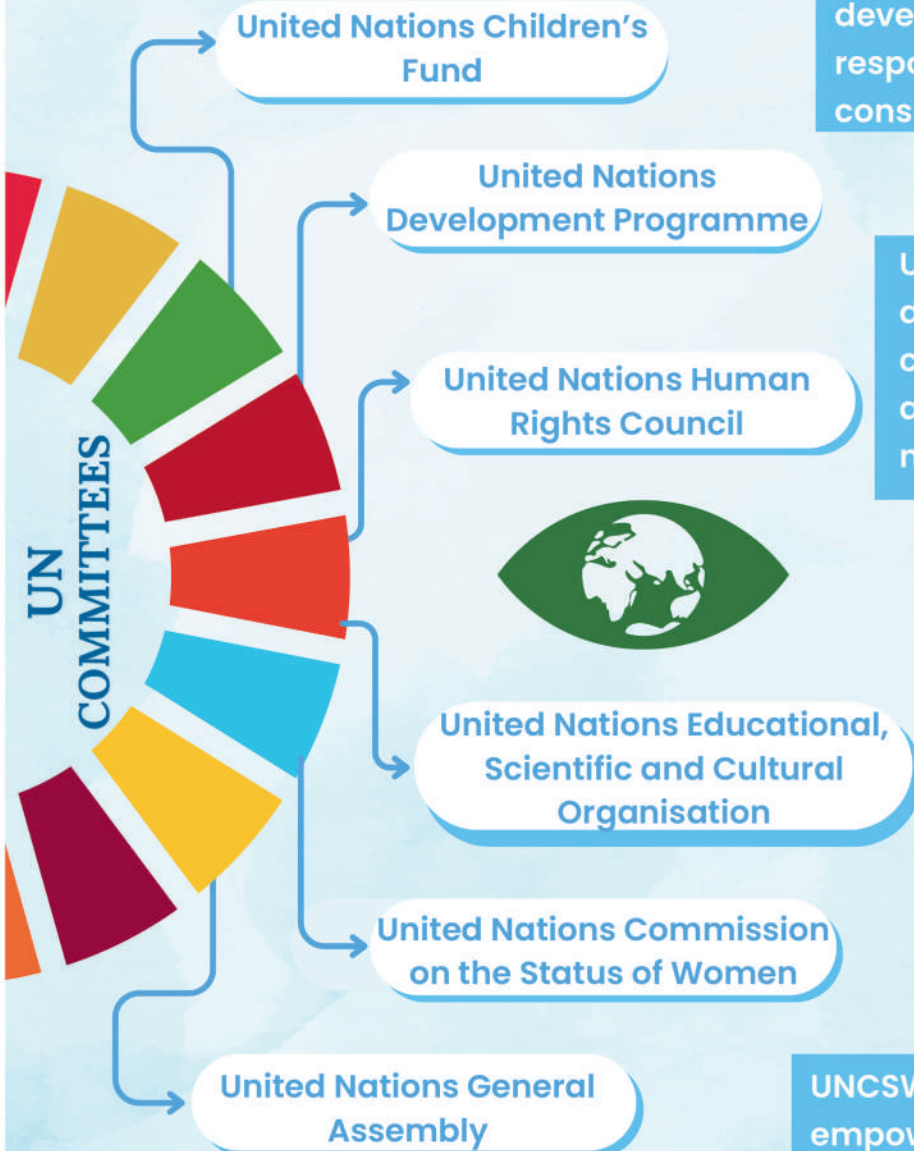
UNDP covered the agenda for formulating the measures to ensure accountability for sustainable development with emphasis on responsible production and consumption.

UNHRC centered their idea upon the deliberation concerning the root causes of human rights and abuses against Rohingya muslims and minorities in Myanmar.

Agenda of UNESCO covered the right to free speech and expression with special emphasis on promoting the safety of journalists and combating impunity for those who attack them.

UNCSCW centered their idea on empowering rural women through better management of natural resources to build a sustainable domestic economy.

UNGA centered their agenda of increasing international cooperation with all countries in order to reduce money laundering in terrorism.



UNITED NATIONS

The appointed political leaders of Lok Sabha came up with their opening statements on the agenda - Sino Indian relations. The house soon charged up with counter statements.

The agenda for AIPPM was to improve religious representations in places of governance with special emphasis on religious minorities.



Photographers were assigned to submit 65 photographs of different committees, OC Members, teachers and working staff.

Journalists were assigned the task to submit report of various committees in 250 words in digital format.

Lok Sabha

All India Political Parties Meet

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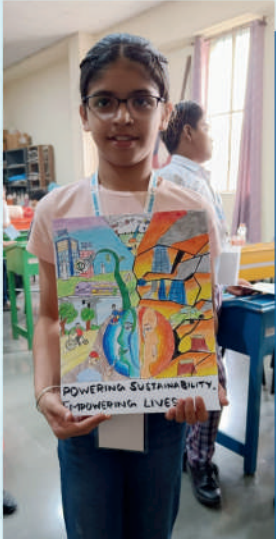
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INTERNATIONAL
PRESS
COMMITTEE



ART ATTACK



Not all thoughts can be articulated in string of words. Some ideas can be best depicted artistically. Children from classes III-V painted sheets based on topics like 3Rs, Clean Energy Green City, Water Conservation Matters etc. Children painted posters in vibrant hues in span of two hours. Ms Vyomika judged the skill of the students. The intriguing and superlative ideas made the judgement a strenuous task indeed.



THE RHETORIC RUMBLE

"Rhetoric Rumble: A place where minds collide, ideas converge, and arguments emerge."

About 70 students from classes VI-VIII participated to openly present their views. Clash of brilliant minds was witnessed as



they deliberated and delivered their perspective. It was a herculean task for the jury to finalise their opinion but of all odds few students emerged as winners. Certificates and trophies were awarded to the winners.



THE GREAT DEBATE

The competition consisted of 27 participants from classes IX-XII of various schools. The challenge initiated in the morning with disclosure of ten topics based on sustainable development. The debaters were judged on the basis of two rounds. The first round was 'Extempore'. The qualified students were promoted to the second round 'Turncoat'.

Infinite information, ardent articulation of words, roof touching energy were the few factors that made judgment complex for the event judge, Mr Krishnasheesh Dutta.



MOOT COURT

The heart of the competition was a meticulously crafted hypothetical case that raised complex legal issues. The highlight of the event was the oral argument phase. The judges Mr Jesus Goyal, Mr Samridh Sindhu and Ms Manvi Gulati guided the participants from classes IX-XII and gave their feedback which would facilitate them in their future legal and leadership avenues. This event served as a valuable lesson in courtroom etiquettes and decorum. After intense rounds of arguments, the judges deliberated and declared the winners. The winners received accolades for their elocution skills.



CLOSING CERMONY



Solaris SDG Summit was carried out in the campus of St Joseph's Convent School, Bathinda for three days with full throttle. The event comprised of cluster of events for the students of classes III-XII. The school was indeed victorious in accomplishing its vision of providing a platform to the children for boosting their knowledge and creativity. Principal Sr Ophilia Lobo, faculty incharge teachers Ma'am Satwant Maan and Ma'am Ashu Garg, team Aspirant Learning along with the members of the Organising Committee designed the plan of this Summit and continued to diligently work till the last moment. The school faculty equally shouldered responsibility in this endeavour.

Apart from the educational affairs, the participants relaxed their nerves through social evening, movie night and high tea.

The participants of the events returned home with a gleaming face and a spark in their heart to tread on the path of learning.

Prize Distribution



Social Evening

