

## ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOL SUNJUWAN



# SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## Independence Day Celebration (15-08-2024)

India Celebrates Independence Day on August 15 every year. On this day we honor the sacrifices of our freedom fighters. Indeed it was a day of joy and pride. To make our students aware of importance of this day and to familiarize them with tricolor a special assembly was conducted where teachers explained the importance of this day. Children performed activities like dance and Kavita Samellan with pomp and joy. To enhance knowledge about Tricolor, hand printing activity was also conducted for students of all the classes.



## Group Song Competition (15-08-2024)



SHQ Bharat Scouts and Guides, Gandhi Nagar organised different activities for the students on the auspicious occasion of 78<sup>th</sup> Independence Day. Our students participated in the category of patriotic singing and secured second position amongst 15 schools who took part in the competition. All the budding singers, through their melodious voices evoked the feeling of patriotism.

## ATL (Atal Tinkering Lab) Adoption Program (20-08-2024)

Learning Links Foundation, supported by Dell Technologies, and the Atal Innovative Mission (AIM) under NITI Aayog organised an opportunity for the students to develop essential 21<sup>st</sup> century skills such as problem solving, collaboration and design thinking through ATL adoption program which was smoothly implemented in APS Sunjuwan in which expert trainers were appointed for developing critical thinking and problem solving skills in the students.



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## Janmashtami Celebration (23-08-2024)



A special assembly was conducted in which students were made aware about the story behind Janmashtami festival. Since Sri Krishna was fond of eating maakhan, teachers showed how an earthen pot / matki is tied high from the ground. Children recited rhymes and also performed dance with pomp and joy.

#### Motivational Talk (23-08-2024)



APS Sunjuwan organised a motivational talk by Master Aaditya, winner of AWES National Ethics Bowl Competition for the students for classes IX &X. Master Aditya has qualified for the admission in Stanford University in Computer Science with a scholarship of 3.2 crore. Students were made aware of the different options in profession and courses they could pursue based on the subject choices they would make. Queries raised by the students were addressed by him.

#### National Sports Day (29-08-2024)

To commemorate the birth anniversary of hockey legend Maj Dhyan Chand, National Sports Day is celebrated across the country on **29 Aug 2024**. This auspicious day was also celebrated at APS Sunjuwan to spread awareness on the importance of sports and physical activities in every individual's life. This year, events like spoon lemon balance, basketball, badminton, archery matches, etc. were organised for students.



#### Sahodaya Inter School Debate Competition (31-08-2024)



Model Academy BC Road Jammu organised an interschool debate competition under Sahodaya on **31 Aug 2024**. Master Daksh Bhardwaj & Miss Aniza of class IX represented our school in this competition and brought laurels by clinching second position among all the 30 schools who participated in the said event.

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### Patron's Visit (31-08-2024)

Maj Gen Mukesh Bhanwala, GOC 26 Inf Div & Patron APS Sunjuwan visited the premises of APS Sunjuwan. During his visit he was acquainted with the comprehensive lay out of the school and upcoming plans and projects. Furthermore he interacted with the students and the Principal briefed him about the optimal utilisation of the school infrastructure for the holistic development of the students.



#### Aryabhatt Ganit Challenge (04-09-2024)



To foster the development of essential competencies in applying Mathematics to everyday situations, APS Sunjuwan conducted Level-1 of Aryabhatt Ganit Challenge for all students of classes VI-VIII. The primary focus of the challenge was to evaluate students' ability to utilize mathematical concepts in practical & real life scenarios. Out of 36 students 3 students. Were selected for second level of CBT online exam.

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#### Teacher's Day Celebration (05-09-2024)

APS Sunjuwan celebrated teacher's day with great zeal and zest on 05 Sep 2024, paying homage to the remarkable Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, a visionary educator, and the second President of India. The event featured captivating performances by students which includes songs, dances and poetry recitals that showcased students love and respect for their teachers making the day truly memorable.



#### Inter District Level Competition in the Sports Discipline of Athletics (06-09-2024)

The District Youth Services and Sports Office Jammu conducted Inter Zonal District Level Competition under all age group (Boys and Girls) in the Sports disciplines of athletics. Students of APS Sunjuwan also participated in various competitions. The audience appreciated the efforts of the students. The main objective of this competition was to select the best players for their further participation in the UT level Inter Division Competition.



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#### Story of (Woodcutter and Three Axis) (09-09-2024)



Stories are the most important and effective tool to draw children's attention to increase their interest and to enhancing their imagination in seeking ideas, developing their language and emotional stability. Keeping this in mind, a story telling session on the "Woodcutter and the three axis" was organized which depicts and proves the fact that "Honesty is the best policy".

#### Drug Awareness Campaign (09-09-2024)

A 'Drug Awareness Campaign' was initiated by Army Public School Sunjuwan from 09 to 16 Sep 2024. The Campaign featured a series of presentations like short movies and lecture by RMO, Capt, Dr Kartik emphasized the importance of awareness, and shared key insights in preventing drug misuse which focused on the causes, effects and prevention strategies related to substance abuse.

In its endeavor to combat drug abuse, a Nukkad Natak on drug awareness was successfully organised in Vivek Vihar and Triveni Vihar of Sunjuwan Cantt on 13 Sep 2024. Students from classes VII-IX in their play urged the public to raise awareness about the detrimental impacts of drugs and also requested them to remain vigilant. The event received positive feedback from the attendees expressing their appreciation for the informative and engaging play. The play portrayed the devastating impact of drug addiction on individual and families highlighting the physical, emotional and societal consequences.



#### Inter School Friendly Volleyball Match (10-09-2024)



An invitational friendly volleyball match between APS Sunjuwan and GMHS Sunjuwan was played on 10 Sep 2024 which was organised by 14 GRENADIERS. This event provided valuable exposure to students of both schools and showcased a tough competition characterized by sportsmanship and skillful play. The match was witnessed by a good gathering of students and sports enthusiasts.

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#### Hindi Diwas (12-09-2024)



APS Sunjuwan celebrated Hindi Diwas on 14 Sep 2024 to pay tribute to our National Language. The morning assembly was conducted in Hindi and a talk about importance of National language was given by Ms Jyoti Salgotra (TGT Hindi). It was a memorable and joyable occasion for the entire school. Number of activities like couplet recitation, poem recitation and declamation were organized. The learners were also acquainted to famous hindi writers, poets and literary figures who have contributed to the preservation and development of the language. Overall, Hindi Diwas Celebration was a great success.

#### Karate Championship (13-09-2024)

Students of APS Sunjuwan participated in 7<sup>th</sup> Jammu Division Open Karate Championship organised by Japan Shotokan Karate-Do-Kanninjuku Organisation J&K which was held at Sports Stadium Bhagwati Nagar Jammu on 13 Sep 2024. The students brought laurels to the school by winning 4 Gold, 2 Silver & 2 Bronze Medals in the championship.



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#### Workshop On 'Story Telling as Pedagogy' (21-09-2024)



Army Public School Sunjuwan, in collaboration with COE Chandigarh organised a one-day 'Capacity Building Workshop' on the theme of 'Story Telling As Pedagogy'. The event began with a welcome address by the Chairman of APS Sunjuwan, encouraging the participants to pursue excellence and leverage education to positively shape future generations. The workshop featured two resource persons: Harleen, Headmistress of Cambridge Innovative School, Jalandhar and Munmun Kohli, Senior Coordinator and PGT English at Jammu Sanskriti School, Jammu. They delivered insightful sessions on how storytelling can significantly contribute to students' academic success and emotional well-being. The workshop offered teachers valuable learning opportunities to adopt storytelling as a powerful pedagogical tool.

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#### Visit of Chairperson FWO 36 Inf Bde (04-10-2024)

On 04 Oct 2024, APS Sunjuwan had the honour of hosting Mrs Deepali Kamatnurkar Chairperson FWO 36 Inf Bde. The visit commenced with a warm welcome by the Principal and other members of the school. She inspected all the labs and library and appreciated the efforts. She interacted with the staff. She gone some valuable suggestions for the upliftment of the students.



#### Inter District Divison Level Basketball Tournament U-14 (06-10-2024)



The District Youth Services and Sport Office Jammu Conducted Inter Division Level U-14 (Boys). Basketball Tournament Shymal Sarwal of class IX Won Gold Medal Of District Level.

As well as Mariyam Shakeel and Sania Fayaz Mir of class X also Participated in District Divison Level U-14 (Girls) Basketball.

#### Dussehra Celebration (08-10-2024)

Dusshera, the triumph of good over evil, is not just a festival; it's a celebration of values and traditions. In APS Sunjuwan, the significance of Dusshera can be introduced in a way that young children can understand and embrace. The teacher narrated the story of Dusshera in a simplified and child friendly manner. Explain the victory of Lord Rama over Ravana, emphasizing the importance of truth. courage, and goodness. Teachers encourage children to make small Ravan effigies out of craft material. This hands-on activity helps them understand the central theme of festival.



#### UT level Inter District Archery Competition (Boys) - (13-10-2024)



Students of APS Sunjuwan participated in UT Level Inter District Archery Competition (Boys) which was held on 13 &14 Oct 2024. Five students of our school namely Kartik, Sam, Swarit of class IX and Jeet and Harshveer of class VII selected for national level. This event provided valuable exposure to students of all schools and showcased a tough competition characterized by sportsmanship.

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## UT level Inter District Archery Competition (Girls) – (16-10-2024)



Girls team of APS Sunjuwan took part in the UT Level Inter District Archery Competition (Girls) which was held on 16,17 &18 Oct 2024. Four girls of APS Sunjuwan namely Kalyani, Mahnoor of class VI, Sahmbahvi of class VII and Antra Rani of class X were selected for national level. The competition ended on a high note with a look of accomplishment and pride on the face of the students.

## Felicitation Ceremony (18-10-2024)

A drawing competition was conducted for all APSs under three categories by Edn Branch on the theme 'Hamara Jawan Desh Ki Shan'. Students of APS Sunjuwan emerged as winners in the following categories:

#### Student

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## Class

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#### Position

#### Category

- Jasraj Singh
- Amandeep Kaur VI
  - Tanya Verma
- First Second First

Category 1- CI I to CI V Category 2- CI VI to CI IX Category 3- CI X to CI XII

All the winners were felicitated at Satwari grn on 18 Oct 2024.



## Folk Instrumental and Group Song Competition (18-10-2024)

Directorate of Samagra Shikha J&K Kala Utsav 2024 organised Folk Instrumental and Group Song Competitions for the students of different schools. APS Sunjuwan also participated and secured first position in the category of folk instrumental and second position in group song amongst 08 schools who took part in the competition. The main objective of the competition was to reveal, support and develop the artistic potential of instrumentalists in preserving the spiritual national wealth.



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#### Adm and Technical Inspection (24-10-2024 To 25-10-2024)



The Annual Adm & Tech inspection was carried out in the school on 24 Oct and 25 Oct 2024. The inspecting team comprised of Brig Sumeet Sharma, Cdr, 3 (I) Armd Bde, Col RS Bhatti (Retd), Dir AWES, HQ Western Command and Mrs Divya Bhardwaj, Principal, APS Nahan. The inspecting team visited both Junior and Senior wings. They visited school premises including all the labs and library and appreciated the efforts of the school management. The appreciation from the inspecting team reflects the hardwork and commitment of the School Community.

#### District Speedball Championship (27-10-2024)

APS Sunjuwan participated in District Speedball Championship which was held on 27 Oct 2024. Students brought laurels to the school by winning 1 gold, 4 silver and 2 bronze medals. The students showcased a great sense of discipline and mastery of skills achieved through months of hardwork.



#### Diwali Celebration (29-10-2024)



Diwali is a festival that celebrates the return of Lord Rama to Ayodhya after defeating Ravana and saving Sita. Diwali, the festival of lights was celebrated in APS Sunjuwan with immense joy and great enthusiasm. The festival spiritually signifies the victory of lights over darkness, knowledge over ignorance, and good over evil.

To mark the occasion a special assembly was conducted in which the tiny toddlers sensitized the students about the illeffects of crackers, they also shared the guidelines of environment-friendly options for celebrating Diwali. Art and Craft department organised different activities like Diya Decoration, Diwali Craft and Interhouse Rangoli Competition for the students of classes I-X.