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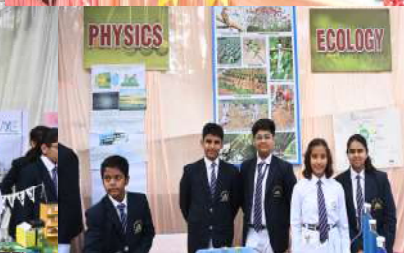


The 129 th Annual Prize Giving Function at Rajkumar College was organised on 20 December, 2024. The event was celebrated with great pomp and enthusiasm. On the 20th of December, the day began with the welcome of the Chief Guest – Raja Shri Tribikram Chandra Deb of Baramba, President, General Council, Rajkumar College Society, Raipur who then gave away the individual Prizes for Excellence in Academics and Co-Curricular Activities, Essay Prizes (Hindi and English), Art Prizes, NCC Prizes, ISC Prizes, ICSE Prizes, Class Prizes and Set Prizes. This was followed by Cultural program wherein the students gave wonderful musical presentations and dance performances on culture, joy, empowerment and ambition. The delightful show was appreciated by one and all.



This was followed by a scrumptious lunch at the Principal's bungalow for the staff and students of Class 12. The day ended with an exciting hockey match between the students of the current batch and the alumni, a celebrated tradition, fondly known as the match of 'Past vs Present.' The match was won by the alumni members and the day ended in joy and mirth.







On December 22, 2024, Padma Shri, Princess Aswathi Thirunal Gouri Lakshmi Bayi of Travancore graced the occasion as the esteemed Chief Guest and conferred awards upon outstanding students in recognition of their achievements. The students of Class 12 were also given mementos, a piece of their alma mater, to cherish as they left. Princess Aswathi Thirunal Gouri Lakshmi Bayi of Travancore addressed the gathering of students and faculty members with an inspiring speech, following which she formally inaugurated the Art and Craft Exhibition. She also inaugurated the Nilgiri E-Library, a digital repository which will help students in the upcoming technologically developing era.



The exhibition featured an impressive array of model presentations by students across various disciplines, demonstrating their intellectual prowess and creative aptitude. Subsequently, the event transitioned into an exhilarating display of physical dexterity, where students exhibited their expertise in Karate, Gymnastics, Equestrianism, and Aerobics. The day culminated in a vibrant cultural showcase, celebrating the rich and diverse heritage of our nation. The Vadya Vrind was the opening act which bewitched the audience with captivating coalescence of perfectly balanced music. This was followed by drama and dances which centered on the value of women empowerment and celebrated various regional cultural legacies.



FROM EFFORT TO EXCELLENCE

Govind Khetpal and Anukalp Agrawal of Class 12 appeared for the CLAT exam and made the school proud by securing AIR 270 and AIR 320 respectively.

Vaibhav Banchor of Class 12 cleared JEE Mains with a 99.3 percentile, bringing laurels to the school.



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TILAK TULSI PREMCHAND JAYANTI



On 1st September, 2024 the school celebrated Tilak Tulsi Premchand Jayanti, a long-drawn tradition, acknowledging contributions of Bal Gangadhar Tilak, Tulsidas as well as Premchand to the literary and cultural heritage of the country. Students presented impassioned speeches, sung Bhajan: Bhajman Raam Charan Sukhdai' and put up the play 'Kazaki' by Premchand, upholding the message of human courage and struggle.

SHINE COSMO MEGA YOUTH FESTIVAL



The Shine Cosmo Mega Youth Festival, organized by the Rotary Club of Raipur Cosmopolitan on 1st September 2024 and attracted participation from many schools not only from the city but also from the state. Students of Rajkumar College, Raipur, put up a wonderful performance in the various categories that they participated in, making the school proud and securing the second place overall.

Quiz Senior Category - 1st Prize

Aarav Jain 11 B

Paridhi Agrawal 11 F

Quiz Junior Category - 1st Prize

Shaurya Jhabak 8 D

Rudra Pandey 8 C

Chess Junior Category - 1st Prize

Lakshya Gupta 8D

Secret Superstar Senior Category - 3rd Prize

Adeya Varghese 9B

Secret Superstar Middle category - 3rd Prize

Atharva Agrawal 8A

Rock Band - 3rd Prize

Asmi Jain 9B

Arham Jain 9G

Ishan Agrawal 9C

Adwit Agrawal 10C

Adian Agrawal 9B



INTERSET CHESS

Chess combines the beauty of mathematical structure with the recreational delights of a competitive game. The inter-set chess tournament was held from 2nd to 9th September, where members of each set put forward methodical and skillful play to overpower the competition. The set positions were as follows

POSITION	SETS
1 ST	ARYANS
2 ND	BIKRAMS
3 RD	RAJPUTS
4 TH	RANAS

Most Promising Player	Aksh Chopda (Boys) Kavya Shukla (Girls)	7 D 9 C	Rajputs Ranas
Player of the Tournament	Lakshya Gupta (Boys) Shweta Singh Deo (Girls)	8 G 12 F	Bikrams Rajputs



INTERSET GIRL'S FOOTBALL

Inter Set Girl's Football was an exciting series of matches from 6th to 18th September that left the viewers on the edge of their seats. After heavy competition from all ends, the **Gangpur Memorial Trophy** for Inter Set Football (Girls) presented by Raja Samerendra Shekhar Deo of Gangpur was won by the Rajputs.

POSITION	SETS
1 ST	RAJPUTS
2 ND	RANAS
3 RD	BIKRAMS
4 TH	ARYANS

Most Promising Player	Aradhya Lakra Siddhi Mehta Simran Painkra	7 F 7 A 7 F	Rajputs Ranas Aryans
Best Defender	Tanushree Gang Deb Manasvi Singh Chawai	12 C 10 D	Ranas Bikrams
Best Midfielder	Yashasvi Upadhyay Tamanna Sidar Shreevidya Singh Deo	11 E 11 A 10 F	Rajputs Ranas Bikrams
Best Forward	Mrinmayee Singh Deo Yashoda Sidar	12 F 11 F	Aryans Bikrams
Player of the Tournament	Chetna Shah	11 F	Rajputs



EDUCATIONAL TRIP- KALINGA UNIVERSITY



On September 10th, 2024, a group of students from the school visited Kalinga University for an educational excursion. The purpose of this visit was to provide students with exposure to the diverse academic and research opportunities available at the university. During the trip, they toured various departments, including legal studies department where they interacted with faculty members and witnessed ongoing projects. The students were particularly impressed with the moot court, modern classrooms, and the university's commitment to fostering innovation and academic excellence.

The excursion also included an interactive session with university students and a Q&A panel with the faculty, allowing the school students to gain insights into college life, admission processes, and career pathways. The event concluded with a campus tour, where students explored the extensive library, sports facilities, and recreational areas. Overall, the trip was both informative and inspiring, motivating many students to consider Kalinga University as a potential destination for their higher education.

HINDI DEBATE COMPETITION



At a debate competition held at Maharashtra Mandal on 10 September, 2024, two of our students participated and performed wonderfully. The motion on the floor was that from classes 1 to 12, teaching of the Sanskrit language should be compulsory. Both our students were declared winners, Palak Nainani was awarded the first prize while Aashi Jain secured the third position.

YOUNGPREENURS COMPETITION

Swarnim Kunj, Harshvardhan Goel, Samrat Agrawal, Rishi Kedia and Jaivardhan Kedia of Class 11 participated in the Youngpreneurs Competition held at Hyderabad Public School, Ramanthapur on 14th September. With their innovative idea and wonderful presentation on reuse of rice husk, they secured the Runners-up position.



INTERSET COOKERY COMPETITION



Inter Set Cookery competition was held on 15th September where the students showed their culinary expertise. In addition to encouraging creativity and boosting team work, the competition promotes essential life skills and supports healthy eating habits. The theme was open and the different sets brought their tastiest dishes forward. Ultimately however, the Rajputs secured the first position.

Rajput's Table A, titled "Indian Culinary Coalescence," highlighted the diverse flavours of India. The menu included Kokum Masala Soda, a refreshing welcome drink from Maharashtra, followed by Aloo Tikki Chaat, a popular savoury street food. For dessert, participants served Rasmalai with a twist. Participants for this table were Damini Devi, Kevin Chawla, Umang Agarwal, Aishwarya Agrawal. Table B by the Rajputs, themed "Table From Levant," showcased flavours from the Mediterranean. The welcome drink was Ayran, a Turkish salted yoghurt beverage. The savoury dish was Pita Pockets filled with Falafel and Hummus, followed by Basbousa, a traditional Egyptian semolina cake, for dessert. Participants for this table were Bhavya Saha Deo, Lakshya Goel, Arnav Daga and Manvendra Chandra Deo. The Rajputs table aesthetics and decorators were Yashasvi Sahu and Aditi Singh Thakur. The final set positions were as follows:

POSITION	SETS
1 ST	RAJPUTS
2 ND	RANAS
3 RD	BIKRAMS and ARYANS



ENVIROTHON



The Chhattisgarh Environment Conservation Board organised “Envirothon” competition on 16 September, 2024 (World Ozone Day) at the Pt. Deendayal Upadhayay Auditorium, Raipur. Based on the theme of “Trash to Treasure”, the objective was to identify valuable resources in waste streams & create innovative multidimensional solutions for their utilization. Participants needed to present their original ideas in front of the judges through a Powerpoint presentation which may be aided by physical models or charts. Rajkumar college participated with a contingent of 15 students in 3 teams of five-member each, under guidance of their teacher Mr. Love. We swept the event securing the 1st, 2nd and the 4th prize impressing the judges and the audience with thoughtful and intricately explained solutions to waste utilization from various sources.



Our winning team’s concept explored ideas to optimize the design of landfills such that multiple issues like leachate, foul smell, greenhouse gas emissions, etc. get addressed all together. The judges were very impressed by the presentation as it addressed one of the core problems facing the city and the country as well. The members of this team were

Adrija Kumari Devi (Team Leader)	Ranas	11 F
Chetna Shah	Rajputs	11 F
Tamanna Sidar	Ranas	11 F
Anushkka Savant	Bikrams	11 F
Pragya Pradhan	Aryans	11 F



The team that won the second prize suggested unique ways to utilize steel slag, which is produced in huge quantities during the process of steel making and is generally discarded as waste. This caught the attention of the judges as its implications for specially Chhattisgarh are significant. The members of the team were

Irina Lodge (Team Leader)	Ranas	11 A
Yashika Agrawal	Ranas	11 B
Mahi Singh Deo	Bikrams	11 B
Gargi Jindal	Bikrams	11 D
Anahita Kapil	Ranas	11 F



The team with the fourth prize came up with idea to use Jute waste as a source of clean energy. India being the top Jute producer country in the world has big potential for the application of this idea and the judges acknowledged its significance. The members of this team were

Mohammad Farhan Ahmed (Team Leader)	Ranas	11 C
Dhananjay Nath Shahdeo	Aryans	11 C
Sabhya Kiri	Bikrams	11 F
Abhishek Goyal	Ranas	11 C
Bhavya Jain	Bikrams	11 B



INTERSET SWIMMING COMPETITION



The Inter Set Swimming Competition was held from 29 August to 12 September, which witnessed participation of talented swimmers from different sets, showcasing their skills and sportsmanship. K. Retheshkaran broke the school's record for 200m Free Style Swimming. While the old record was 2.29.53, he covered the distance in 2.28.09. Several outstanding swimmers were recognized for their performances in various categories.

Most Promising Player	Ayan Agrawal Ranvijay Pinjani Virat Gupta Mayara Soni	III A III A III A III C	Aryans Aryans Bikrams Rajputs
Best Swimmer Junior Girls	Punya Pradhan	III F	Ranas
Best Swimmer Junior Boys	Maneeshkaran. K	V A	Ranas
Best Swimmer Intermediate Girls	Heeya Jain	VIII E	Rajputs
Best Swimmer Intermediate Boys	Upraj Singh Sando	VII	Bikrams
Best Swimmer Senior Boys (IX & X)	Samyak Vaidya	X D	Bikrams
Best Swimmer Senior Girls	Nyasa Paikra	XI	Aryans
Best Swimmer Senior Boys (XI & XII)	K. Retheshkaran	XII B	Ranas
Special Prize for the Most Exceptional Performance	Punya Pradhan Maneeshkaran. K	III F V A	Ranas Ranas

The championship witnessed remarkable performances from young swimmers, with Ranas emerging as the overall winners, ultimately lifting the **Gangpur Swimming Trophy** presented by Regent Rani Sahiba of Gangpur.

POSITION	SET
1 st	RANAS
2 nd	BIKRAMS
3 rd	RAJPUTS
4 th	ARYANS

INTERSET WATER POLO COMPETITION

The Inter Set Water Polo Competition was held on 12th September and show enthusiastic gameplay by students of each set. After a fierce competition, the **Seraikela Water Polo Cup** presented by Raja Aaditya Pratap Singh Deo of Seraikela was won by the Ranas.

Most Promising Player	Pranamya Dhariwal	X	Aryans
Best Goal Keeper	Saharsh Vaidya	XII	Ranas
Best Defender	Roshan Sidar	XII	Ranas
Best Scorer	K Retheshkaran	XII	Ranas
Player of the Tournament	Abhyuday D Diwan	XII	Bikrams

POSITION	SETS
1 ST	RANAS
2 ND	BIKRAMS
3 RD	ARYANS
4 TH	RAJPUTS



CULTURAL OLYMPIAD OF PERFORMING ARTS



The 13th Cultural Olympiad of Performing Arts was organised by ABBS under the patronage of UNESCO in Paris, France. The event was held from 13 to 17th September 2024 and consisted of dance, instrumental and drama. Janhavi Singhania took part in the senior category in Classical Repertory Solo performing Kathak for which she was awarded Bronze medal. It consisted of different age categories including Junior, Senior and open among others and saw participation from diverse cultural backgrounds. Before taking part in this event, Janhavi had cleared qualification rounds and performed in Dubai and Singapore.

INDIAN NAVY QUIZ

Adwitya Swarup Agrawal and Sarth Chandrakar of Class 12 participated in the Indian Navy Quiz THINQ 2024 and qualified to the final round. Both the students performed well and made the school proud. They displayed remarkable enthusiasm, sharp intellect and commendable teamwork. Their impressive performance reflected a strong grasp of concepts and a keen interest in learning beyond the classroom.



SKV SAAKSHYA MOOT COURT COMPETITION



The International Moot Court Competition was held at Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya, Gwalior, in collaboration with BML Munjal University from 19th to 21st September 2024. Rajkumar College participated with two teams comprising Anukriti Shrivastava, Anushkka Savant, Ayusi Sethia, Anahita Kapil, Mrinmayee Singh Deo and Govind Khetpal, under guidance of faculty member Ms. Nikita Sahu.

The teams had to either defend a fictional AI entity or present their case against it in a given scenario. The budding lawyers enhanced their legal and interpersonal skills by interacting with stalwarts of the legal field and the other participants. In attendance were prominent schools from not only across India, but from other countries as well. The students performed splendidly with Govind Khetpal of class 12C being adjudged the Best Speaker.

IPSC STUDENTS' CONCLAVE

“Journalism is asking the right questions, to the right people at the right time.” - Sunetra Chaudhury. The IPSC Students’ Conclave at the Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya (SKV), Gwalior from 7th to 9th October, 2024 was celebration of the art of journalism. The three day conclave was packed with fun activities which delved into topics ranging from “the power of student-led editorials to art and graphics in newsletters and featured a keynote address by Ms. Sunetra Chaudhury, the national political editor of The Hindustan Times. The conclave also included workshops from field experts in design, social media and podcasts — highlighting the ever changing world and the new realm of digital journalism. The conclave ended with the presentation of an e-newsletter and a short video that the teams had created throughout the conference, putting to use the skills they learnt throughout the three days. Rajkumar College Raipur presented its e-newsletter titled “Maurika”, or “The Peahen”, taking inspiration from the beautiful peahens on the beautiful SKV campus.



IPSC VISUAL ARTS



The IPSC Visual Arts Fest 2024 held at Rajkumar College, Raipur from 16th to 18th October, showcased exceptional artistic talent and creativity from students across 17 participating schools. Raja Shri Tribikram Chandra Deb of Baramba graced the event as the Chief Guest and launched '**Abhivyakti: A Compendium of Creative Mastery**,' a curated collection of artistic adroitness of past and present students of our school. The event was graced by Mr. Bijay Biswaal and Mr. Debjit Singh Deo as judges for the 14 diverse categories of events. Our students achieved remarkable success in various categories:

Best Emerging Artist Award for Linocut: Dev Yog, Vikas Singh

Innovative Insight Award for Outdoor Landscape: Riddhima Singh

Innovative Insight Award for Wall Mural: Mrinmayee Singh Deo, Niyati Agrawal

Judges Special Mention Award for Tie and Dye: Ananya Choudhary

Best Emerging Artist Award for Flower Making: Anubhooti Lunawat, Shreyal Jain

Innovative Artistic Vision Award for Photography: Mayank Sahu

Generative Art Award for Tile Mosaic: Avika Bansal, Umang Agrawal

Dimensional Design Award for Sculpture: Dev Yog, Yashika Agrawal

Judges Special Mention Award for Jewellery Designing: Mrinmayee Singh Deo

Most Innovative Concept Award for Dress Designing: Niyati Agrawal, Aparajita Telang, Shreyal Jain



MU 20 OPPORTUNITY SUMMIT

The MU20 Opportunity Summit 2024, held in Indore, showcased creativity and innovation, bringing together over 200 submissions from startups, researchers, and organizations to address societal challenges. The summit expanded its scope, offering diverse opportunities like Model UN, the Impact Challenge for problem solvers, the Theatrics Challenge for creative minds, and the Entrepreneurship Challenge for strategic thinkers. The newly introduced Hackathon Challenge highlighted groundbreaking technological innovations. Cultural diversity was celebrated through the Cultural Walk and MU20-X, where participants shared unique stories and ideas. **Adwitya Sharup Agrawal** made our school proud by winning **the Best Researcher** medal in the Impact Challenge. Our students excelled with creativity and teamwork, supported by teachers Ms. Abhilasha Vikram Singh and Ms. Kritika Saxena. The summit inspired participants to craft impactful solutions, leaving a lasting impression on all who attended.



IPSC MUSIC

The Scindia School, Gwalior, hosted the IPSC MUSIC Fest Saaz-e-Rang 2024 from 27th to 29th October 2024. This grand event brought together exceptional musical talent from different schools. Under guidance of the music teacher Mr. Shreyans Shrivastava, our school participated with a team comprising of Ishika Bhamra, Priyansha Palsania, Ishan Agrawal, Dhyaan Nimani, Asmi Jain, Lakshya Sethiya, Salman Meman, Swarnim Kunj, Abhyuday Dev Diwan, Manan Nathani, Divya Goyal, Pritha Jain, Eklavya Suman, Sahana Mandle, Adeya Varghese, Rakshit Raj Pandey, Aditi Agrawal, Riddhima Bhateri, Kohinoor Kaur Hora. Divya Goyal of Class 12E made us proud by winning the prestigious “Merit” trophy in the Western Instrumental Solo category.



OUTDOOR LANDSCAPE COMPETITION



An outdoor landscape competition was organized from 9th to 11th November. The focus of the painting was the majestic main building of Rajkumar College, Raipur. The participants worked together under the open sky, observing the details of the architecture and tried to bring it to life on their canvases. Everyone put in their best efforts, and it turned out to be a fun, enriching, and memorable task.



MUN AT BHARTIYA VIDYA BHAVAN

The MUN at Bharitya Vidya Bhawan, Raipur was a city based inter-school competition, held on 13th and 14th of November, 2024. A team of 31 delegates went to represent our school and performed immaculately, bagging 4 awards:



Best Campus Ambassador	Drishti Chandak	9C
High Commendation	Rudra Pandey	8C
Commendable Journalist	Adrija Kumari Devi	11F
Special Mention	Agastya Shukla	10B

PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP



A photography workshop was organized on 23rd November by Mr. Anurag Purohit, Mr. Mohit Sahu and Mr. Manoj Thakur director Galaxy Studio. Forty students participated in the workshop and gained knowledge about photography skills through a DSLR camera.

AFS PROGRAMS

The AFS India Regional Meet - Central Zone was held at The Scindia School, Gwalior, from 30th August to 1st September 2024. Lal Dhananjay Nath Shah Deo and Samrat Agrawal along with Mr. Abhinay Sharma attended the event which brought together representatives from 18 schools across the region. The two-day event was packed with insightful activities and sessions focused on environmental conservation, cultural exchange, and leadership development. Mr. Rakesh Khatri, popularly known as "The Nest Man of India," delivered an inspiring keynote speech on bird conservation. In addition to engaging in interactive learning activities, the students also enjoyed a visit to Scindia Fort and a Light and Sound show at Man Mandir Palace.



The AFS National Meet was hosted by Sanjay Ghodawat International School (SGIS), Kolhapur, from 15th to 17th November 2024. Ishan Sarna and Samrat Agrawal along with Mr. Abhinay Sharma attended the event. The event had cultural performances and speeches by distinguished guests, including Mr. Deepak Vora, a seasoned diplomat and expert on foreign affairs, Ms. Diya Badgel, National Director, AFS India, Mr. Jayant Lal, an educational visionary and Executive Director with the Shri Ram Group and Dr. Ameeta Mulla Wattal, a globally recognized educationist and expert in peace and human rights education. There were panel discussions on

"Catalysts for Change" and engaging sessions on Turning Vision into Reality: SDG Action Lab by Mr. Gaurang Das, Well-being Practices by Dr. Roshan Mansukhani and Sustainability Initiatives by Mr. Dilip Kulkarni. It was an engaging experience for the children who came back more enriched.



Lal Dhananjay Nath Shah Deo from Class 11, is currently attending the AFS Long Term Year Program in Italy. His program commenced on 27th September 2024 and is scheduled to conclude on 6th July 2025. We are confident that this experience will greatly contribute to his personal and academic growth.

INTERSET ATHLETICS



The Inter Set Athletics Championship (Boys and Girls) was held from 8 to 16 November 2024, at the Sarveshwar Das Cricket Pavilion, with students of each set competing in various track and field events. It provided an opportunity to them to showcase their athletic skills and school spirit. The event was graced by MR. R Prasanna, IAS, Secretary, Higher Education Department, Government of Chhattisgarh, as the honourable chief guest. The competition commenced with the ceremonial lighting of torch and an oath-taking ceremony led by the sports caption, Roshan Sidar.



Juniors, Girls and each set performed drill, and the **Sakti Physical Training Cup** presented by Raja Bahadur Leeladhar Singh of Sakti was won by the Bikrams. Additionally, the **Hindol Athletic Cup** presented by Raja Naba Kishore Chandra Singh of Hindol was also won by the Bikrams. The Chief Guest and the Principal distributed the prizes and congratulated the winners. The set positions were:

POSITION	SETS
1 ST	BIKRAMS
2 ND	RANAS
3 RD	RAJPUTS
4 TH	ARYANS

New records in 2024

Javelin Throw	Tulesh Podyami	Bikrams	39.00 m
400m Hurdles	Roshan Sidar	Ranas	1:05:35 min
4 X 100m Relay	Roshan Sidar Ansh Banjare Jatin Bhoy Mohd Farhan Ahmed	Ranas	50:41 sec



Most Promising Player (Junior Division Boys)	Ishaan Sharma	5 C	Rajputs
Best Athlete (Junior Division Boys)	Maneeshkaran. K	5 A	Ranas
Most Promising Player (Intermediate Division Boys)	Upraj Singh Sando	7 F	Bikrams
Best Athlete (Intermediate Division Boys)	Satyam Gautam	8 F	Rajputs
Most Promising Player (Intermediate Division Girls)	Navdha Daga Simran Paikra	8 C	Ranas Rajputs
Best Athlete (Intermediate Division Girls)	Preesha Goswami	8 A	Aryans
Most Promising Player (Senior Boys - Class 9 & 10)	Puraan Chandrakar	9 E	Ranas
Best Athlete (Senior Boys - Class 9 & 10)	Pragyan Prakash	9 G	Bikrams
Most Promising Player (Senior Girls)	Chetna Shah	11 F	Rajputs
Best Athlete (Senior Girls)	Shikha Gautam	10 F	Rajputs
Best Athlete (Senior Boys - Class 11 & 12)	Naveen Khute	11 B	Bikrams
Best Javelin Throw	Tulesh Podyami	12 F	Bikrams
Sarangarh Cup for the Best All Round Athlete	Roshan Sidar	12 F	Ranas

INTERSET QUIZ COMPETITION

Inter Set Quiz Competition was held on 6th December, 2024. The students put up a wonderful performance in the quiz competition, showcasing sharp intellect, quick thinking, and excellent teamwork. Their confidence and enthusiasm lit up the stage, impressing everyone with their depth of knowledge. It was a true display of curiosity, preparation, and a passion for learning. The Quiz Competition was won by the Rajputs. The Best Quiz team was won by Prithvi Raj Chauhan and Rahul Modi of the Bikrams, while Govind Khetpal of the Rajputs won the Inter Set Quiz Cup presented by the Old Boys' Association.



INTERSET MUSIC COMPETITION

The Inter Set Music competition was conducted on 7th December, 2024. The air buzzed with excitement as young maestros took the stage, ready to dazzle with their tunes. Our students delivered a mesmerizing performance, filling the air with melody and emotion. Their talent, rhythm, and harmony captivated the audience, reflecting hours of dedication and practice. It was a beautiful celebration of creativity and passion through music. The music competition was a true showcase of talent, with each participant delivering a performance better than the last. The level of skill and dedication on display made it an intense and thrilling event. So close were the scores, and so evenly matched were the top contenders, that the judges found it impossible to pick just one winner. In the end, the first position was shared between

Aryans and Bikrams. **Raja Harihar Singh Mardraj of Khandpara Cup** for Best Vocalist was won by Atharv Agrawal of the Bikrams. The other set positions were:

POSITION	SET
1 st	ARYANS & BIKRAMS
2 nd	RAJPUTS
3 rd	RANAS



ENRICHING EVENTS AND INSPIRING SESSIONS



Geography Lab Event was conducted on the 28th of November, 2024 where Rajkumar College was selected along with only one other school from India region. It saw participation of 60 students from the countries of India, Pakistan, China, Kenya and Armenia. Each school had to prepare a 5-slide power-point presentation on the topic "*Tourism and its impacts on cities*" and each participant had to present it individually under 5 minutes within their allotted chat rooms.

Rajkumar College participated with a strong team of ten students under guidance of their teacher Mr. Love. Five students from the 10th were Shreevidya Singh Deo, Tirth Baradiya, Agaran Prasanna, Uday Singhanian and Raj Agrawal. And the other five from the 9th standard were Pragyan Prakash, Khanak Mundhra, Shubh Khatwani, Aadya Tiwari, and Darsheel Jadwani.

Our students performed splendidly and were often the first speakers and volunteers taking initiatives. The online session proved to be extremely fun and acted as a forum for all the students to share their unique cultural identities while discussing solutions to real world problems that they themselves had observed. It was a unique opportunity for the students to explore, exchange, and learn at a global platform and acted as a significant confidence booster knowing where they stand among the worldwide student community.



On 14 September, Counselling Cell organised an enriching session for students of classes 11 and 12. Ms Harshita, the Deputy Manager at Ashoka University guided the students regarding the career choices they could opt for and how Ashoka university could help them for the same.

On 19 September 2024, Major Amit, a commissioned officer in the Indian army, delivered an insightful talk on career opportunities in the Indian army. His session provided valuable guidance on the process of commissioning and was conducted specially for students of classes XI and XII. This talk aimed to inspire young minds and shed light on a prestigious career path in the armed forces. The session emphasized discipline, leadership and the importance of serving the nation, inspiring many students to consider a future in the army.

UNIVERSITY FAIR

The University Fair was organised by the Counselling Department of our school on 18th November, 2024. The Chief Guest was a renowned expert in medicine, Dr. Smit Shrivastava. This event connected the students with more than 30 universities across the nation under one roof and helped students interact with experts about their future perspectives and career options.



SWACHHTA PAKHWADA



Swachhta Pakhwada, a 15-day cleanliness campaign, was organised with students actively participating to promote hygiene and cleanliness in their surroundings. Each day was dedicated to a specific theme, emphasising unique methods to instill sustainable habits. This well-structured program not only cleaned the environment but also instilled a sense of responsibility in students, fostering a cleaner

and healthier future. Our school's dedication to a cleaner planet is already reflected in its pledge taken every morning in the assembly: Lets vow to green and keep our campus clean!

OBITUARY

Though they sink through the sea, they shall rise again.....

Rajkumar College fraternity mourns the sad demise of

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