

SETU MARCHES

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From Program Co-ordinator Desk

Dear Reader

Wishing you a very happy and prosperous New Year! Last quarter of the year 2019 was fun filled and included lots of celebrations and events at Setu. Hope you will enjoy reading the special moments spent with our beneficiaries.

Major Activities of the quarter

- Distribution of uniform, stationery and Steel water bottle
- Diwali Mela
- Inter School Competition
- Annual Day
- Annual Painting Competition
- Birthday Celebration
- School picnic
- Workshop on cyber safety
- Christmas Celebration

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Distribution OF Uniform & Stationery

An initiative to keep environment free from plastics we are trying to keep Setu plastic free. To achieve this we have distributed steel water bottles to all students.



Setu School Village Nithari Noida celebrated its **Annual day** on 29th Nov 2019. A day were the students preached thru dance, drama and songs to keep the environment clean. Students from Prep I to Class 12 mesmerized the audience with their performance. The event also marked honouring the achievers for the year 2018-2019 and finally winter uniform was distributed to students.



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Diwali Mela

School Students along with their teachers organised Setu Diwali Mela for the Community at Village Nithari Noida. A day of enjoyment, fun, food, music, dance, games, gifting and finally new learning for the senior students. Participation by beneficiaries of Setu Centre for People with Special needs, Setu Skill centre at Village Nithari and Sadarpur and Setu School Noida.



Birthday Celebration

We celebrate monthly birthdays on 4th Saturday. Children whose birthday falls in one month cut the cake and teachers organise some games for them.



Workshop On Cyber Crime For Primary Students

An interactive Session of Cyber Crime was organised during the quarter for our school students.



Inter School Painting Competition

In an interschool competition our student of class 3rd won the 3rd prize in a poem recitation competition. All students who participated in events got participation certificate.

The 12th Setu Shiksha Jyoti Inter School Painting competition was organised at Mayo School Noida on 22nd November 2019. This enabled the children to express their thoughts, feelings, creativity on canvas while splashing the atmosphere with colours. Over

400 students from various schools of Noida participated in the competition. The purpose of the competition was to create awareness towards the education of the children from the weaker sections of society so that they could also lead a life to build a great nation. The yearly shield School

was awarded to Gaur International School, among NGO schools to NaiDisha School and in the Special School Category to Rotary Special School

all from Noida. The Prizes were handed over by Ms. Shazia Amanat Pearl, Dr Poonam Minhas, Vice Principal, Mayo School, Mr. Vijay Rao Motivational Speaker, Mr. Ravi Kaul and Ms. Sanjina Wali Trustees along with management team members of Setu Ms. Jyotsna, Geetanjali and Manisha Pandey Lastly I would also like to thank our guests, Management and staff of Mayo school, all our volunteers, the SETU team and finally Mentor Graphics for ensuring the organisation of this Mega event.



बच्चों ने पेंटिंग से जताई प्रदूषण पर चिंता

नोएडा, (पंजाब केसरी): शुक्रवार को सेक्टर-126 स्थित मयूर स्कूल में सेतु फाउंडेशन के द्वारा पेंटिंग प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया गया। जिसमें शहर के विभिन्न स्कूलों के छात्रों ने हिस्सा लिया। पेंटिंग प्रतियोगिता में ज्यादातर स्कूली बच्चों ने पर्यावरण बचाने का संदेश दिया। जिससे साफ पता चल रहा है कि दिल्ली एनसीआर के प्रदूषण का एक गम्भीर मुद्दा है। प्रतियोगिता में विजयी बच्चों का पुरस्कार देकर सम्मानित किया गया। सेक्टर-31 स्थित निटारी में सेतु फाउंडेशन की ओर से निःशुल्क शिक्षा उपलब्ध करायी जा रही है।



नोएडा के सेक्टर-126 स्थित मयूर स्कूल में सेतु फाउंडेशन के तत्वावधान में आयोजित पेंटिंग प्रतियोगिता में भाग लेते बच्चे।



Courtesy some of our individual donors the Students of Setu School and the Staff at Setu concluded a picnic cum educational visit. Students of Prep I to I went to the Meghdootam Park, Noida. Students of Classes 2 to 5 were taken to Rail Museum, Delhi. Students of Classes 6 to 12 went to Humayun Tomb and India Gate Delhi.



It was a great learning experience for all students. Why should the Staff be left behind, all staff members of Setu - the changemakers had an outing at Pratapgarh Farms in Jhajjar. Enjoyment, fun food and games for all. A first for Setu were all students and staff had a grand picnic.



Christmas Celebration

Christmas was celebrated on 24th December and students were given gifts. Kids have performed on this occasion.



Mr. Olaf Schwabe CEO Dr. Willmar Schwabe GmbH & Co Germany visits Setu School Village Nithari, Noida and interacts with the students.

He was briefed on the journey of Setu School and the students thanked him for provided an upgraded computer lab to the school. Students of primary wing presented a dance imbining protection of our environment - "Say no to plastics". He was accompanied By Mr Ashish Kumar and Mr Akhilesh Tripathi CFO Schwabe India.



Happiness Class And Academics

Happiness Classes: On weekly basis class teacher takes one topic and discuss it in detail with her class. She tells story and shows videos related to that topic. In the last week students share their story. They share how it has impacted on their behaviour and in daily lives. Students are acknowledged in assembly for their best practices..

Academics: Monthly tests are being conducted and final exam will be held in Feb 2020. New session will start in third week of March 2020. Remedial classes have started for weak students to improve their performance.

Skill Diwali Mela

Students school and Skill students along with their teachers organised Setu Diwali Mela for the Community at Village Nithari Noida. A day of enjoyment, fun, food, music, dance, games, gifting and finally new learning for the senior students and skill students



*“Skill Students
At Diwali
Mela”*

Convocation

Four Hundred and Eleven students received their certificates on completion of their course across Setu Skill Centres. - At Nithari Village Centre in Noida the certificates were handed over by Mr Vivek Agrawal MD & Chairman, LIQVID - At Sadarpur Village Centre Noida the certificates were handed over by Mr. Raju Taneja and Ms Sanjina Wali Trustees Setu and - At Village Davas Centre in Jaipur Ms Neetu Kumari and Mr Ravi from Met-lifeGosc presented the certificates.

At all locations the Tailoring and Fashion Design students organised a cultural show and also displayed the garments they had created thru a fashion show. We wish a successful future to all the students.



9 PwD students participated in 5th Annual Special Sports Meet 2019 organized by Sunrise Learning Foundation on 7th Dec 2019 at Sarvottam International School, Greater Noida. More than 15 Schools from Delhi, Ghaziabad and Noida participated in the meet. The main objective to send our students to this sports meet was to motivate them to perform, do their best and boost their self-confidence. Our students have won 7 prize in 9 events they participated and Our team also received Good Performance Trophy. The team displayed the best of sportsman spirits and enjoyed their success. The students also participated in other activities in leisure like singing, dance and colouring. Kudos to all students – Cheers

Career Counseling Session



For our Skill students we arranged guest lectures in all different courses. This helps both trainers and students to upgrade their vocational skills and knowledge.



Christmas Celebration At all skill Centers

To make their training interesting and lively trainers involve students in different activities. In this quarter we celebrated Christmas across all centers in the form of competition. Students decorated the centres according to the theme and also presented various cultural programs.



Interaction Session with Stratford University

Setu Students got an opportunity to interact with foreign students studying at **Stratford University** and learnt about the culture of the countries they came from.



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Exposure Visit

Students of our IT Centre went on a corporate visit wherein they were explained about corporate working and corporate culture. This help motivate them to take up jobs after completing their courses.



Movie Making Workshop



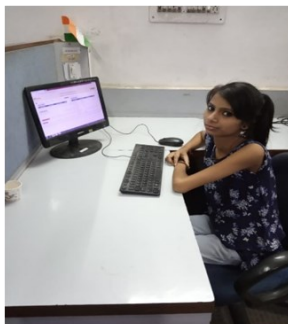
IT students of Nithari and Sadarpur went for movie making workshop at Delhi. They learnt handling DSLR camera and were also shown Short movies.



Success Stories



Shivani is a 19 years old responsible girl who is moving ahead in the race of life with full determination & commitment. Shivani lives in a village called as Nithari with her family of 4. Both of her parents are working with the thought of giving a better life to their children. Shivani also has a younger brother who is studying in 12th class. Shivani's mother works in Kavita Enterprises, an electronic company where she get Rs. 9000 per month as salary. Her father works in an export company as Export Incharge at a salary of Rs. 12,000 per month. The family lives in a rented house paying Rs. 4500 as rent per month. Shivani could see her parents struggling financially to give a better life to her & her brother & so she decided to work after completing her 12th.



Shivani joined SETU center in January 2019. She got to know about the training program from a friend who also took training from the center. Her reasons for joining this program was simple; she wanted to improve her computer skills & wanted a job related to computers. She has this dream of being a MIS Executive in a big company one day. She joined NSB BPO in the month of May'19 as a Data Entry operator where she currently get Rs. 9000 per month With her current job as Data Entry operator with NSB BPO & her dedication to grow every day, it seems that the day is not far when she'll be living her dream.

Shivani feels that she has become more career oriented & focused after attending the training program & getting a job she wanted. She was a regular student during her training & now she is maintaining the regularity at her workplace; she enjoys the appreciation that she gets when she is able to complete her work on time.

Shivani

**Manju Devi****Summary of the Student**

She always wants to become independent and help her family for betterment so she enrolled herself for Sewing course so that she can learn basic concepts and equipment's used in her profession which is important for finding a good job. After successful completion of Sewing course from SETU. She worked hard by stitching and now is a self-employed and works from home and earns Rs 3000/Month.

Personal and Family Background

Her Husband works as Shopkeeper. Her family's annual income is Rs. 80,000/- which is insufficient to fulfill the basic need of a family of 8 members. She always wants to improve her family's financial condition. So she joined this course. Her family income has increased by 25% after completing this course and doing her work.

Change Noticed Through this Course

She was very hard working and dedicated women who always remain eager to learn new thing. After joining this course she learns basic knowledge of sewing to improve her skills. In addition she also got knowledge o personality development which helps her to improve her personality.
