We look forward to hearing from you...

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We held our Annual Sports Day on Dec 26, 2022. Pathshala, Pathbhavan and Churni came together to participate in the event after a 2 year gap due to relaxation of Covid restrictions. It was a resounding success and was great to see the camaraderie between all the children and the staff. The winning house was Mahi.
Srotoshwini Trust instituted a General Body in December, 2021. All our well wishers were invited to join by paying a nominal registration fee. We currently have just under 100 members. All members will be invited to actively participate in our events and activities all through the year. If you are interested in registering, reach out to us. Our first annual general body meeting was held on Dec 12, 2021.
PATHSHALA HOSTEL

INITIATIVE UPDATES

PROJECT FASAL

Fasal is our topic for Project based learning that the children in all classes are participating in. They have been separated in different groups under the guidance of different teachers and are focussing on the different aspects of farming and harvest like -

- Hands on farming on campus growing vegetables, grains and paddy
- Field visits to understand the tools and techniques used by the experts
- Preparing for the model making competition
- Understanding the cultural aspects related to harvest - dance, food, festivals
- Understanding history and regulations around farming

They are taking notes and preparing presentations for all the work they are doing. This 3 month project will be presented in our Annual Festival Udham 2022 to be held on January 16, 2022.
ANISHA PARTICIPATED IN A TV DISCUSSION - "KALA, KARIGIRI ANE MAHILA SANMAAN"

PROJECT ANIMAL - ANIMAL SHELTER VISIT

GARBA

LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP WITH MR. SUKANTO DAS

PATHSHALA CLASSROOM BHOOMI POOJAN

FIRST TERM EXAMS

SHIFTING TO INQUIRY BASED LEARNING

RCBC WORKSHOP LED BY ROTARIANS PRANAV RACHH & NEHA

PATHSHALA HOSTEL OPEN DAY: PARENT-TEACHER-CHILDREN MEETING EVENT

HOSTEL ACTIVITIES

|| October ||
HOSTEL ACTIVITIES

|| November ||

PROJECT BASED LEARNING: TEACHER'S WORKSHOP

CHALO PADTE HAI - DEDICATED READING TIME

DIWALI

SPORTS COACHING

WALL PAINTING - AFRICAN TRIBAL ART INSPIRATION

CUTTING CHAI - RESTARTED

SILENT ASSEMBLY

NEW WINTERWEAR
11 DECEMBER 11
HOSTEL ACTIVITIES

PADDY CULTIVATION

CALLIGRAPHY SESSION WITH PULAK DA

HARVEST DANCE - MANJIRI PATWARDHAN

SPORTS DAY PREPARATION

MUNI SEVASHRAM VISIT

NABANNO - HARVEST FESTIVAL CELEBRATION

CHRISTMAS DECORATION

CALENDARS AVAILABLE FOR SALE

ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING
Initiation of Project Based Learning

Kudos to the teachers

With formal schooling for children in Navprerna School on hold for an extended period of time, we got an opportunity to re-think our teaching/learning process and decided to implement a more hands-on inquiry based learning method under the guidance of Ms. Paras Mahendru. While we’ve had a very able leader in her, the teachers had to unlearn the conventional blackboard style of teaching to playing more of the role of a facilitator in the new methodology. It wasn’t a small or easy task to do it, they should immense commitment to not only learn but implement in a very short period of time.

Kudos to the children

Just like the teachers, the students have had to adapt to the new style of teaching. While children are natural learners, they have shown a lot of initiative to ask pertinent questions, do the required research, do the hands-on activities and truly take advantage of the essence of this style of teaching.
With able to resume our regular schedule in the last quarter, we have been very busy with our academic and activity classes at Pathbhavan. Some noteworthy mentions have been:

- Multiple public speaking activities and group discussions on predecided topics including re-telling our mythological stories.
- Wonderful art class led by Bipasha didi with the use of different materials and subjects for our little ones and middle school children. The children also worked on craft project with lentils and grains.
- We started work on Project Fasal by planting seeds and monitoring and caring for the saplings.
- We also hosted Maths & current affairs competitions.
- We hosted a decoration competition during our Diwali celebrations and our teams made different detailed models.
- The team spent a lot of time practicing for Sports Day 2022 in the evening hours and the children put up an attractive display of march past, acrobatic displays and racing events.
The children cleaned, decorated the field and organized our garba event in the Sanjay Nagar plot. We also celebrated Diwali & Christmas with our children.

We hosted a health camp - eye and blood sugar checkup camp supported by the Lions Club (Sunshine) that benefited our children's families and the residents of the slum. 200+ were benefited from this camp.

Garba performance recording for the international project - Reconnecting with your Culture in collaboration with DPS. Gurgaon

Visit to Department of Archaeology, MSU

The mentors and senior children participated in a Teachers' workshop hosted by Ms. Paras Mahendru on Inquiry based Learning.

Our mentors performed for our children on the occasion of Children's day.
We did an educational trip to Tejgarh Tribal Academy on Children’s day.
Karishma secured 67 % in her first level Autocad exams.
We held math competitions, interactive Maths classes and even celebrated World Mathematics day with full day math based activities that the children enjoyed.
We have very busy weekends with Computer classes and special classes for class X students.
Our working committee was awarded badges by Monali Ma’am.
Kajal, Sanjana, Shilpi, Preeti & Deepa started their internship with Shivnath Children Hospital in their 1 year nursing course.
Project Fasal is an attempt to initiate the concept of project based learning among the children of Pathbhavan and Pathshala. Pathbhavan children have been learning to grow vegetables from seed to fruit. They’ve transplanted their saplings and are monitoring and caring for the plants. They’ve also gone on multiple site visits to learn from the experts about the plants, the techniques and the tools that they use.
Deepak’s wall painting

During Diwali break, Deepak singlehandedly painted this wall using Gond art. He executed the project himself from start to finish after some initial discussion on the style of Art.

Children who refused to burst crackers

These are the children who have not touched crackers during this festive, what they are trained for the environment.

In some cases siblings & parents bursted crackers in front of them. Some of the parents collected crackers from the bungalows they work in, a few children refused that too.
• New location: Our new location will be -
  Sterling Center, First Floor, RC Dutt Road, Alkapuri, Vadodara. Our new location was inag
• Our new location will be inaugurated on Oct 10, 2021.
• In this quarter we've made new collections of Sarees, bags, purses, winter jackets and
  many home decor items like table mats, table runners, cushion covers, bed covers etc.
• More product details available at www.churnicollection.org
An organization always does better when like-minded people put their minds together to achieving bigger dreams and goals. Beyond our immediate volunteers, teachers and mentors, we have an accomplished set of diverse citizens of Vadodara who are our sounding board for ideas and execution details. The diversity of viewpoints they bring to the table, truly challenge us to be better and make more informed decisions.

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