



**NEW HORIZON TIMES**

A MONTHLY NEWSPAPER FOR THE STUDENTS AND BY THE STUDENTS

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**PROUD MOMENT FOR NEW HORIZON PUBLIC SCHOOL**

Our student, Sindhoora Raja, has been honored with the Pradhan Mantri Rashtriya Bal Puraskar 2024 for her exceptional achievements in AI and technology!



Sindhoora, a past winner of Udaan at New Horizon Public School, developed a remarkable self-stabilizing device for Parkinson's patients and was among the top 100 contenders in the Atal Tinkering Lab Marathon. Her outstanding contributions were recognized at Rashtrapati Bhavan, where she received the award from the Hon'ble President of India and also had the privilege of interacting with the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India.

From Udaan to Rashtrapati Bhavan, Sindhoora's journey inspires us all! Congratulations to her and her mentors!

After weeks of planning and preparing, the weekend had finally arrived. On the 14th and 15th of December, the students with their dazzling smiles, that could light up a whole town, filled the huge quadrangle, bouncing with excitement. The whole school was lit up with dazzling lights. Every direction was packed with stalls, set up and decorated to attract the guests. These stalls were filled with fun games, mouth-watering food and creative artwork bursting with colours. All the hours of hard work of the students, guided by the teachers were about to be paid off.

No sooner had the clock struck 4 than the parents began flowing through the school gates, filled with anticipation. The entire evening was packed with events from the sweet melody of the bands to the graceful movements of the dancers. The cherry on top of all the performances was the hindi skit "Nukkad Natak", which spread awareness on cyber security and online scams which are some of the risks of having easy access to the internet. The parents were left spellbound, each performance reaching beyond their expectations!

The haunted house, filled with cobwebs and creatures crawling added a whole new thrilling experience. The movie screening was also a huge success as hundreds of tickets were sold. By the evening, almost everyone was covered with tattoos, mehendi and face painting which was done by the artistic students themselves. What's more! The cause was noble, the money collected from all the activities was to be donated to NGOs. Overall, it was a splendid weekend spent with our loved ones, which proved that - East or west, NHPS is the best!

**NEW HORIZON PUBLIC SCHOOL**  
(Affiliated to C.U.S.C.E., New Delhi, School Code - KA - 027)  
The Trust is a Recipient of Prastigious Rajawade State Award 2012 Conferred by the Government of Karnataka

**ADMISSION NOTICE  
SESSION 2025 - 26**

Admission for DAYCARE, PLAYSCHOOL, NURSERY & LKG is now open.  
**REGISTER ONLINE**

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100 Feet Road, Indiranagar, Bengaluru - 560 006, Karnataka, India

Scan for Registration

Filed in registration forms to be submitted online on our website or at school reception along with:

- The latest passport size photograph (size less than 100KB in JPEG or PNG format)
- Scanned copy of birth certificate of the child (PDF format less than 1MB)

**NOTE:**

- Registration fee is Rs. 1000/-.
- Concession available for parents sending in Armed Forces.
- We give priority to siblings and Alumni of New Horizon Educational Institutions (NH-EI).
- Admission details will be intimated through E-mail and phone call.

**Age Criteria (as on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2026)**

- PLAYSCHOOL - 2 years
- NURSERY - 3 years
- LKG - 4 years
- DAYCARE - From Playschool to Grade 3 (Slot 1 - 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm, Slot 2 - 1:00 pm to 7:30 pm)

**New Horizon gurukul**  
(Affiliated to CBSE, APJ Kalam Centre for Education)

**ADMISSION NOTICE  
SESSION 2025 - 26**

Admission for DAY CARE, PLAYGROUP, NURSERY, LKG & UKG is now open.  
**Register Online**

Parents seeking admission for GRADE 1 & above are requested to register online from 5<sup>th</sup> November 2024.

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**AGE CRITERIA (as on 1<sup>st</sup> of June 2026):**

- PLAYGROUP - 2 years
- NURSERY - 3 years
- LKG - 4 years
- UKG - 5 years
- 1<sup>st</sup> STANDARD - 6 years

\*for other grades the corresponding age will be taken into consideration.

**NEW HORIZON INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL**  
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**ADMISSION NOTICE  
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Admissions are open for parents seeking admission for NURSERY to Grade X  
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Hennur Main Road, Atrivara, Bengaluru Karnataka - 560077

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- Scanned copy of Birth Certificate & Aadhar Card of the child (PDF format less than 1 MB)

**NOTE:**

- Registration fee is Rs. 1500/-.
- We give priority to siblings and Alumni of New Horizon Educational Institutions (NH-EI).
- Admission details will be intimated through E-Mail and phone call.
- Registration forms will be available online and at the school reception

**Age Criteria (as on 1<sup>st</sup> of June 2026):**

- NURSERY - 3 years
- LKG - 4 years
- UKG - 5 years
- Grade 1 - 6 years

\*for other grades the corresponding age will be taken into consideration

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### JOURNEY TO HAMPPI



**"To experience is to learn."**

Our journey to Hampi was nothing short of learning, in a way that was as thrilling and immersive as it was informative. The travel facilities and accommodations were comfortable enough to make us feel at home, and the food arrangement was divine.

The places we visited left us spellbound by their ancient history and culture, which we understood far better thanks to our tour guides who possessed in-depth knowledge of each destination. As we looked at the now-broken ruins, we could not help but imagine Hampi as it once was- a majestic city that bustled with people and stood tall on the grounds of knowledge and culture, a testament to our glorious legacy and historical brilliance.

**Aditri Singh, 8 B**

### CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION AT NHPS



"The most precious thing in this world is a smile on a child's face." New Horizon Public School celebrated Children's Day on November 20th with a spectacular show organized by the teachers. The event featured a vibrant cultural program, including graceful dances, melodious group songs, and a colourful fashion show presented by the talented teachers. The students were thoroughly enthralled and expressed their appreciation with thunderous applause.

### GRADE 9 TRIP



From November 24th to 28th, 2024, Grade 9 students enjoyed a memorable trip to Dwarka, Somnath, and Gir in Gujarat. The excursion was a combination of education and fun. The visits to the historic temples taught the students a lot about their rich and diverse cultural heritage. The relaxing moments spent at the beaches filled every student with a sense of joy. The adventurous safari in the Gir National Park where many students sighted lions, deer, owls and many more fascinating animals made them realize how beautiful Mother Nature is. These incredible and unforgettable moments spent with their friends will always be treasured by the children.

### A MAGICAL DAY AT THE ENCHANTING ACRES: LKG FIELD TRIP



On 4th November, the LKG students of NHPS embarked on an exciting adventure to Enchanting Acres, a local heaven of nature and discovery. The trip was a perfect blend of education, exploration, and hands-on fun, leaving students with lasting memories. The day began with an air of excitement as the children boarded the bus, eagerly anticipating the adventures ahead. Upon arrival, they were greeted by the friendly staff at Enchanting Acres, who introduced the students to the day's activities. The first stop was the petting area, where the children met an array of friendly farm animals. From feeding goats and sheep to observing clucking hens, camel, emu and iguana, the students learned about animal care and behavior in an engaging, interactive setting. After a morning of exploration, the students enjoyed a picnic lunch. With full tummies and happy smiles, they participated in hands-on gardening activity, where they planted seeds to take home and learned about the life cycle of plants, engaged in pottery and spray-painting greeting cards too! The field trip was not only a delightful day out but also an enriching experience that nurtured the children's curiosity and love for the natural world.

### TINY CHEFS DELIGHT: A FIRELESS COOKING COMPETITION FOR LKG



In a heartwarming and creative celebration of culinary artistry, our little students from NHPS, recently took centre stage at the Tiny Chefs Delight - Fireless Cooking Competition, designed to spark creativity and promote healthy eating habits, the event provided a safe and engaging platform for young children to showcase their budding culinary talents. The competition encouraged children to explore the joy of cooking without the use of fire or electrical appliances. From rainbow salads to mini sandwiches and fruit skewers, the variety of dishes demonstrated the limitless imagination of these young participants. The emphasis was on encouraging the children to take the lead in crafting their culinary masterpieces which highlighted the power of creativity!

## HAPPY NEW YEAR

A new year brings with it, hope and excitement. A new year also means new opportunities, fresh starts, and the beginning of one more journey of making great memories.

Culturally, the beginning of a new year is celebrated differently around the world. January 1st marks the start of the year in Western cultures, while many Asian cultures celebrate the Lunar New Year with vibrant festivals and family gatherings. As families and friends come together, whether it is for sharing a meal, or engaging in community events, or participating in religious ceremonies - all these bring in a sense of belonging. Each celebration, regardless of its timing, emphasizes feelings of renewal, gratitude and hope.

Often, people make New Year Resolutions - a commitment to improve their lifestyle, whether through adopting healthier habits, pursuing personal growth, or building stronger relationships. A new year serves as a reminder of the resilience and adaptability inherent in the human spirit.

As we embrace the start of another year, we need to remember that the journey ahead is shaped by our aspirations and by how we navigate the challenges that come our way. Celebrations will fade, but let the energy of this new beginning be carried into each day of the year.

Get ready to write your own story in the 12 chapters that lie ahead.



## RESPONSIBILITY

Responsibility means taking care of your duties and commitments - doing what's expected of you and doing it on time without being prompted. Responsibility also means owning up to your actions, both good and bad, and not to blaming others for your mistakes.

Responsibility includes taking care of pets and plants, doing chores at home, studying and preparing for tests, helping friends in need, listening to and following instructions, keeping the environment clean and safe, thinking before acting, managing time, and money wisely. All these seemingly insignificant tasks, when done consistently, make a person responsible.

Learning to be responsible is a part of growing up. Responsibility teaches you to make good choices in life, helps you learn and grow and ultimately makes you a better person.

Values Plus team

## WINTER AND DAISY

## CHAPTER 1: MEGHA- THE CHOSEN ONE (CONTINUES)

But luck didn't seem to favour her. She had a lot of homework that day and knew her mother wouldn't let her do any thing else until it was finished. She wrote and wrote—first Math, then Geography, Physics, and Computer Studies. "Urgh! Did all teachers need to give homework today?" she thought.

By the time she was done, it was 7:30 p.m. Her mother called her for dinner, so she had to go and do what she called "a waste of another hour."

After dinner, there was only an hour left before bedtime. She eagerly rushed to her shelf to take out her book, only to be called again: "Megha! You haven't organized your cupboard yet! How long has it been since I told you to?" her mother yelled.

"Hmmm... Yes, Mom... Coming," replied Megha. So, Megha occupied herself for a good forty-five minutes. Just as she finished organizing her cupboard, her mother received a call from Sheela, her classmate. She passed it on to Megha.

"Hi Meg! I just needed a quick favour if you wouldn't mind. You know how forgetful I am? Yeah, so where was I? Yes, I need all of today's classwork and homework ASAP!" That was it. Sheela's mother and her own were best friends, so she couldn't avoid it. She had to spend the remaining fifteen minutes sharing her notes.

That night, as she went to bed, she resolved to read the story the next day. The same things continued for a few days until one day when she forgot all about it. That night, she slept soundly, only to be woken up by an ice-cold hand.

"Who are you, and what are you doing here?" said the girl in front of her.

When Megha asked her name, she said she wouldn't tell until Megha revealed her own identity. Megha told her all about herself. Just then, she caught sight of a cute creature beside the girl. She cried in surprise, "Where am I? How did Daisy get here?" The puzzled girl in front of her asked Megha if she knew Daisy. That was when Megha realized that the girl was none other than Winter. When she told Winter that she not only knew Daisy but also her name, Winter became scared. Just then, Megha woke up with a start. She could swear she had seen the two unknown creatures. How? She kept thinking about it all night and concluded in the morning that it was just a dream. But again, the next night, the same thing happened.

(The story to be continued in the coming edition) Priyanka, 6D

## COMIC STRIP



YOUNG ACHIEVERS



We are happy to share the results of Bifrost - Commerce Fest conducted by St. Joseph Boys' High School. Theme: Phoenix - Product Launch Rithushree D of Grade 9D and Trisha Kamat of Grade 9C have secured First Place. Mahaarth Mada of Grade 10C and Rajat Ajith Kumar of Grade 10C have secured the Runners Up position.



We are happy to inform you that Deekshith MR of grade 8C has secured a "Gold Medal" and a certificate from "South India Open Karate Championship 2024" for Kata brown belt category of Karate competition held at Attibele, Bangalore. Congratulations to Deekshith!



Shaanvi Sahu from Class 3C participated in 14th SCMA TROPHY Open & Age Category Rapid Chess Tournament 2024. She secured 7th position and received a Trophy in the Under-9 girl's category. Congratulations to Shaanvi!



We are delighted to share the exciting results from the Inter-School Skating Competition in the Tenacity category, hosted by White Academy on August 24:

- Sujan Gowda (Grade 1) - 2nd Prize
- Spoorti Vaidya (Grade 1) - 1st Prize
- Nishil Bhandary (Grade 4) - 1st Prize
- Saanvika B (Grade 2) - 1st Prize
- Saarthak Burad (Grade 4) - 2nd Prize

Congratulations to all our outstanding skaters for their impressive achievements!



Pranshu Jain of 2B participated in the National Level Karate and Kung-Fu Open Championship held on 18th August, 2024 and secured second place in Kata category. Congratulations to Pranshu!



Samanth Naidu of Grade 6B participated in Karnataka State Level U11 Chess Championship 2024 at Belagavi from 13th to 16th August. He was awarded a trophy and a cash prize for his performance. Congratulations to Samanth!



Srihan from Grade 4E has won the Gold medal in Kumite, and Abhinav from the same grade has secured the Gold medal in Kata. Additionally, Venya from Grade 4A achieved a Bronze medal in Kumite. These impressive accomplishments were earned at the Inter School Karate Tournament held by Vydehi School of Excellence on August 24. Congratulations to all our young champions!

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