

# Ripples

#### MADHUSTHALI VIDYAPEETH

# **December 2023 to February 2024**

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# Words from the Editorial Desk

#### Dear Readers,

As the final pages of December 2023 gracefully turn, ushering us into the folds of February 2024, it's not merely a chronological shift but a poetic transition. Like the unfolding of a well-worn calendar, it symbolizes more than the mere passage of time – it signifies a metamorphosis from the echoes of past experiences to the symphony of new hopes. From the weariness of a tired desk, we step into the rejuvenating dawn of possibilities, transforming rigid duties into the dance of spontaneous responsibilities. As we reflect on the past and look forward to the future, Madhusthali Vidyapeeth remains and will remain committed to nurturing intellects, fostering creativity, and shaping well-rounded individuals.

In this edition, we embark on a creative journey, a bridge across the gaps of limitations, seeking the untold stories that reside between the lines of life's narrative. I am particularly proud to acknowledge the outstanding accomplishments of our students across various disciplines and in the coming months, we are excited about the upcoming events, including seminars, workshops, and cultural programs, which promise to add new dimensions to our academic landscape.

As the members of literary club, let us embark together on a literary odyssey, exploring the untold narratives and weaving the threads of creativity that bind our community.

Warm regards, Somnath Halder Literary -in-charge, Madhusthali Vidyapeeth

#### **School Events and Celebrations**

#### **Christmas Day Celebration**

Christmas celebration was held on 20th December 2023, in the College Auditorium. The school was beautifully decorated with lights from the entrance to the auditorium as the participants were all dressed in red and white. The programme started with a short sharing about Christmas by the anchors Master Rudra Pratap Sahu (VIII) and Drisha Ray (VII). The tiny tots were the first to take on the stage who mesmerized everyone with their good performance. Thereafter, the vibrant voices of the school choir resounded in the entire auditorium with harmonious Christmas Carols. A beautiful skit followed depicting the scenes of the nativity of Jesus Christ interspersed with melodious carols sung and danced by the angels. Right from the conception of Mary to the birth of Jesus, a harmonious story was displayed by the students. Furthermore, dances which included Joy to





the world and Christmas Nagpuri Dance by the middle and senior school students captivated everyone. The event ended with cheerful Christmas Carols as the students danced to the melodious tunes of 'Jingle Bells' and ' We wish you a merry Christmas with the dazzling entry of Santa Claus added to the joy and excitement of the students.





#### **Kids Fun Fest**

Madhusthali Vidyapeeth's Kids Fun Fest, held on 20<sup>th</sup> January 2024, unfolded as a vibrant tapestry of youthful exuberance and creative flair. Enthusiastic participation from students representing diverse schools and classes infused the event with a dynamic spirit. The entire spectrum of festivity, from delectable food stalls to exhilarating joy rides and intricate art and craft exhibits, was impeccably curated by our talented students. Parents actively joined the festivities, deepening family bonds in the joyous ambiance. A particularly thrilling highlight was the lucky draw program, adding an extra layer of excitement to an already unforgettable day. The collaborative efforts of students, parents, and staff members made this Kids Fun Fest a resounding success, echoing Madhusthali Vidyapeeth's commitment to fostering holistic development and joyous learning experiences.













#### **Annual Athletic Meet**













Annual Athletic Meet 2023 was organized on 21st December 2023. Shri. Shabbir Hussain, Hon'ble Assembly Incharge, Madhupur was the Chief Guest of the event along with Shri. Sanjay Sharma, Member of Khel Gaon, Ranchi, Jharkhand was the guest of honour of the day. We were also privileged to have our honourable Chairman Sir who had joined us to grace the event. Along with the different sports, a spectacular taekwondo demonstration was displayed by our taekwondo participants which was followed by the participation of students from various classes according to the event list. The Chief Guest along with guest of honour gave away prizes to the winners led by our respected Chairman Sir.

# **Republic Day**











On the auspicious morning of 26th January 2024, Madhusthali Vidyapeeth celebrated the 75th Republic Day in our school premises. It was a matter of great pride to have with us, Dr. Asha (Deputy Superintendent of Madhupur Subdivision Hospital) as our Chief Guest for the occasion. Besides, we also had the honour to have in our midst, our respected Education Officer, Principal MV, Administrator MIPS, OSD-MITT, MITT and MIPS Staff, MV teachers, well-wishers, parents and our students. The program was led by Ms. Amina Eram Ali and Master Anubhav Kr. Anand of Std. VIII. It started with the Flag hoisting followed by the National Anthem to pay tribute to the motherland, all the three units' staff as well as the students celebrated the 75th Republic Day with great enthusiasm. It ended with the sweet distribution. Our heartiest thanks to our Management, Admin Staff and Teaching Faculty for your relentless support and guidance in making the program a success.

#### **Blessing Ceremony**





On 3rd February 2024, Madhusthali Vidyapeeth organized a farewell ceremony for the students of the outgoing class XII batch of 2023-24. The ceremony was graced by our respected Education Officer Sir and Principal Sir along with our 2023-24 ICSE Students and respective teachers. The young and spirited students of class IX and XI worked in unison to bid a lively and joyful farewell to their seniors and left no stone unturned in giving the best to their deserving seniors. The students of class IX and XI extended a warm welcome to their seniors, who looked no less than a dream in their beautiful attires which they carried with utmost ease and grace. The ceremony commenced with the lamp lighting ceremony which was followed by a welcome address by Ms. Rajeshwari Mukherjee of Std. IX who welcomed the seniors and conveyed her heartfelt appreciation for the valuable guidance they bestowed upon them in their formative years. The gala event kicked off with soul-stirring musical renditions by Std. IX and XI students along with a power point presentation containing sweet memories. In an emotionally charged atmosphere, the Head Boy and the Head Girl, re-lived their bittersweet memories at school and expressed their heartfelt gratitude to this prodigious institution and the teachers for being instrumental in shaping their personalities and providing them with stellar opportunities.

#### Saraswati Puja







Saraswati Puja holds a great significance in Hindu religion as it emphasizes the importance of education and the pursuit of knowledge. This ceremony was attended by the three Unit's teachers, staff and students who devotedly came together on that day (14th January 2024) to worship goddess Saraswati, the Goddess of Knowledge, Art and Music. Campus's Chief Priest along with Rakesh Verma and Mr. Sukumar Chatterjee led the Puja and Hawan in the presence of the students and the staff. The residential students along with the Day Scholars from respective classes offered pushpanjali and prayers seeking blessings for their upcoming exams and well-being. The school temple was beautifully embellished using colourful flowers, bright papers and candles. Devotional songs holy recitations were chanted by the students and staff present. After the hawan, Prasad was distributed to everyone.







#### **Special Assemblies**

#### **Guru Govind Jayanti**

Madhusthali Vidyapeeth radiated spiritual fervor as it organized a special assembly on Guru Govind Jayanti on 17th January 2024. The occasion, held to commemorate the birth anniversary of Guru Govind Singh Ji, was marked by a soul-stirring assembly program. Inspirational speeches, devotional hymns, and reflections on the life and teachings of Guru Govind Singh Ji enriched the atmosphere, fostering a sense of unity and reverence among the students and staff. The event served as a tribute to the profound legacy of the tenth Sikh Guru, emphasizing values of courage, sacrifice and equality. Madhusthali Vidyapeeth continues its commitment to promoting cultural diversity and spiritual awareness through such enlightening celebrations.









#### **Youth Day**









On 12th January 2024, Madhusthali Vidyapeeth vibrated with patriotic fervor and intellectual energy as we celebrated National Youth Day in homage to the great visionary, Swami Vivekananda. The day commenced with a special assembly program that ignited the spirit of youth empowerment and enlightenment. Engaging speeches, thought-provoking presentations, that help us to abide by the ideals of Swami Vivekananda to form a society full of energy. A captivating skit unfolded, paying tribute to Swami Vivekananda's teachings and his profound impact on the youth. Through these activities, we aimed to inspire our students to embrace the values of fearlessness, self-discovery, and service to humanity, embodying the ideals that Vivekananda Swami not just a championed. The celebration was commemoration but a call to action, urging our youth to shape a brighter future by following the principles of this remarkable leader.

#### Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti

Madhusthali Vidyapeeth commemorated the birth anniversary of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj with a special assembly held on 19<sup>th</sup> February 2024. The program resonated with the spirit of valor and patriotism, leaving a lasting impression on the students. Students from different grades delivered insightful speeches about Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj's legacy, demonstrating their understanding of his historical significance.



#### Ravidas Jayanti



Madhusthali Vidyapeeth commemorated the birth anniversary of Saint Ravi Das with a special assembly held on 24<sup>th</sup> February 2024. The program served as a platform to learn about his life and teachings, promoting values of equality, social justice, and spiritual enlightenment. Students from Standard-IX actively participated in the program, showcasing their talents through various presentations. Ravi Das' Dohas were uttered by our Standard-IX student Srija Paul and others. A speech was delivered highlighting Saint Ravi Das' contributions to the society at large.

#### **Seminar and Workshop**

# Seminar On Handling Exam Pressure



Madhusthali Vidyapeeth organized a session on the following topic "Handling Exam Stress for enhanced performance." on 27th January 2024 at the College Auditorium for the Class X students. The session was led by our respected Psychologist Shri. Amitabh Mohan (Founder and Managing Director- HLS, Kolkata) along with our respected Education Officer, Dr. Janardhan Ghosh and Principal MV, Mr. Bitan Biswas. The objective was to enable them with strategies, which will not only help them in the upcoming Board Examination but also in other academic examinations in their lives ahead. Our resource person emphasized on certain essential take away points and tips on how to handle stress and anxiety during preparation for the Board Examinations. The session ended in an open house discussion; while the students exchanged personal experiences, tips and advices that would work wonders for them in the examinations.

### **Educational Tour: Industry**

Visiting the Laopala glass factory was an enthralling experience for our Commerce students from Classes IX to XI led by Mr. R. K. Thakur and Md. Asif. The main objective was to provide the students with an opportunity to learn practically through interaction, working methods and employment practices. It gives our students an exposure to current work practices as opposed to theoretical knowledge being taught in their classrooms. This visit provided students an insight into the real working environment, workstations, plants, assembly lines, machines and interaction with highly trained and experienced personnel. Students got to learn a lot of things.





#### **Educational Tour: Bank**



On 30th January 2024, the Commerce students from Classes IX to XI visited the HDFC BANK Madhupur Branch, led by the Commerce teacher, Mr. Raj Kumar Thakur. The main objective was to enable the students to acquire practical knowledge and information about banking and other relevant updated details leading to experiential learning. The experience was quite an eye-opening as the students gained insights into how the bank establishments operate and the various services they offer to their customers.

#### Republic Day Quiz

To commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India and Republic Day celebration, Class wise quiz competitions on the theme of "Republic Day to recall and honour 75 years of India's Independence and the glorious history of its people, culture, and achievements" was organized on 7th February 2024 led by our Activity Coordinator and teachers of Social Studies. Students from Classes VI to IX and XI participated positively and the winners were felicitated.



#### **World Scouts Day**







Madhusthali Vidyapeeth Bharat Scouts and Guides observed the World Scout Day on Wednesday, 22 February 2024 in the College Auditorium. An assembly of our Scouts and guides was done in remembrance of the founders of this organization Lord Robert Stephenson Smith Baden Powell and Olave St. Clair Soames Baden Powell which is observed world wide as the joint birth anniversary of Baden Powell and his beloved wife. The prayer meeting was attended by our Respected H.R Ma'am, Education Officer Sir, Principal Sir, Administrator Sir, Senior Coordinator Sir, Scout Master, Guide Captain and all Scouts and Guides of our school. The devotional meeting started with a short introduction of the founders by Srija Paul of class IX followed by candle lighting and floral tribute by all our dignitaries.

# **Students ERP Workshop**

The workshop on using the ERP and School website was conducted on 23rd February 2024 by Mr. Suraj Bose, MV IT Coordinator. The session included a detailed step wise explanation of how to use the School ERP and School website, for the students from classes III to V. The following points were covered:

- How to open school ERP through school website.
- How to Check Homework and Classwork, Attendance, Announcement, School fees payment method, Timetable in student's ERP.

Overall, it was an insightful session with a difference.





# Staff Recruitment



Mr. Atanu Das MV Campus Administrator



Dr. Janardan Ghosh Education Officer



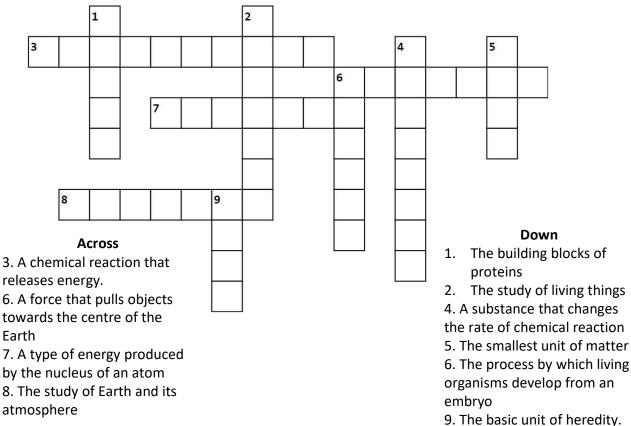
Ms. Nidhi Mishra Assistant Teacher

Madhusthali Vidyapeeth sets sail on a new chapter, adorned with the warmth of fresh faces and exceptional talent joining our esteemed faculty. With great pleasure, we extend a heartfelt welcome to our new pillars of knowledge and expertise.

Let us embrace their unique contributions as we collectively navigate the seas of knowledge, fostering an environment where every student's potential is nurtured and cherished.

"Madhusthali Vidyapeeth extends its heartfelt wishes and support to Mr. Vijay Kumar's new born daughter. Wishing her the very best in her endeavors ahead!"

# Scientific Crosswords



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Answers:
Across: 3. COMBUSTION, 6. GRAVITY, 7. NUCLEAR, 8. GEOLOGY
Down: 1. AMINO, 2. BIOLOGY, 4. CATALYST, 5. ATOM, 6. GROWTH, 9. GENE