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Foreword ✨

A month is more than just the days on a calendar. It is about the experiences we have and the memories we make along the way. August brought many such moments to BVS, giving us plenty to celebrate, learn from and remember.

The excitement surrounding Annual Day could be felt across the school as weeks of rehearsals, practice and preparation gradually came together.

~Sesheka Pradeep-11A

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Highlights of the issue

- Annual day
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- Humanitarian day
- Samskrutham Department Inauguration



Annual Day

"The Night We Came Together"

The stage was set, the lights were ready, and after months of rehearsals, our 8th Annual Day had finally arrived. As a Class 12 student and one of the formal anchors, the evening was especially meaningful to me, knowing that it was my last Annual Day at Babaji Vidhyashram.

The evening began with the School Prayer, followed by the lighting of the Kuthuvilakku, the inaugural song and dance, and the presentation of the Annual Report by our Principal and Vice Principal. We were then honoured to welcome our Chief Guest...

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~Griha Mohana Krishnan 12B

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Independence day

On 15th August 1947, India officially became a free nation. This freedom did not come easily but was earned by the sacrifices of the countless freedom fighters. Independence day marks the freedom of our struggle after the long colonial British rule in India.

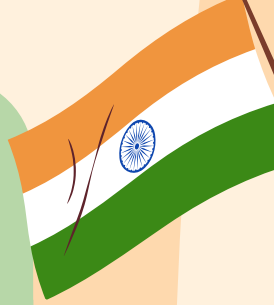
We celebrated this day as the ceremony began with the Prayer song and Tamil Thai Vazhthu followed by the Flag hoisting.

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- Amana Madhu, Anushka Joshi

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Samskrutham Department Inauguration

This month has been filled with immense joy and celebratory spirit as our school marked a momentous milestone on the auspicious occasion of Guru Purnima.

With the grand inauguration of the Amruthavani Samskrutham Department, students from across grades came together to bring the rich heritage of the language to life through vibrant performances.

- Aditi Balabhadra 9E

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Humanitarian Kindness In Action



As Mahatma Gandhi said, "The greatness of humanity is not in being human, but in being humane." From 12 August to 19 August, our school celebrated World Humanitarian Day, emphasising the importance of humanity, compassion, and helping those in need.

The initiative began on 12 August, when the boxes for donation were placed in our assembly area. Each box was dedicated to one of our four houses.

- Sahana Sudharsanam 8C

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Social Science

Exploring India : One Landform at a time

India is known as a land of geographical diversity. From the snow-covered Himalayas to the sunny beaches in the south. Instead of reading about this land of marvels in textbooks, the students of Grade 4 were able to explore it in a much more exciting way, through a map activity. This helped them apply their knowledge of map reading and geographical skills through hands-on tasks.

-Raaisha Kadi : 8B

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MATH IN ACTION

$$1 + 2 = 3$$

At Babaji Vidhyashram, mathematics transcends beyond a subject in the classroom; we treat it as a part of the whole, with students learning how integral mathematics is in general life. Students from Grades 1-9 took part in carefully curated activities, designed to combine mathematics with real-life applications and simulations. All in all, rest assured that mathematics at Babaji Vidhyashram is never boring.



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-Sanjika R.A.K 11B

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BALVATIKA BUZZ

The month of August has been a vibrant journey of pride, culture and grand celebrations at Balvatika, filled with joy and enthusiasm. The festivities began with the Annual Day. After weeks of practice, our talented students took to the stage with incredible confidence. From energetic dances to creative skits and anchoring, every performance showcased their growing talent, teamwork, and creativity.

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-Sahithi Balabhadra 9D

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SCIENCE ON SPOTLIGHT



“As Carl Sagan once said Science is a way of thinking much more than it is a body of knowledge.”

This month has been filled with excitement from Grade-1 all the way to Grade-12 as students engaged in hands-on scientific activities. From Grade-1 shape walks to Grade-12 research projects, this past month proves that science thrives richly when students actively construct, research, test, and observe. This is truly how science becomes interesting to students.

-Posina Sri Sanvika 9C

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ELEMENTARY BRAGBOARD

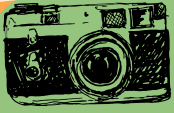


This month was filled with fun and enriching experiences for the elementary students as they took part in cultural events and special assemblies. It was a month that was radiating with joy and excitement as each week brought its own unique events and spirit.

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-Shivani Logesh
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CREATIVITY THROUGH THE LENS

Celebrating World Photography Day



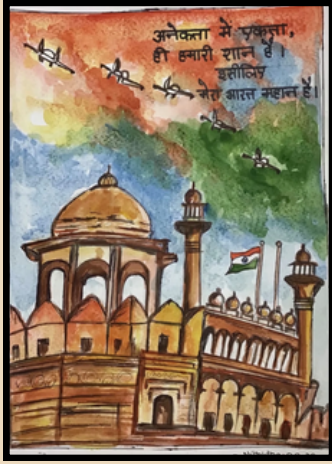
Home is more than just a place. It is the people, moments, memories and stories we carry with us. It is where you can return as a thousand different versions of yourself and still be welcomed by the same warmth.

This was the theme chosen by our school for this year's World Photography Day. We are beyond grateful to have VISCOM in our school and to contribute to this special day through photographs and posters, where each of our creativity was brought to life through the lens!

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-Sahana 8C, Harshitha 9D

हमारी रचनाएँ, हमारे विचार



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தமிழ்க்கதம்பம்



வந்தே மாதரம்!

சுடர்விட்டு பறக்குது தேசியக்கொடி!

அதை ஏற்றிட நம் முன்னோர்கள்
பெற்றது தடியடி;

சிந்தியது இரத்தம்,
சிவந்தது பூமி!

வெடித்தது புரட்சி,
தளர்ந்தது அடிமை விலங்கு!

பறந்தது வெள்ளைக் கொடி,
பிறந்தது சுதந்திரக் காற்று!

ஆம்!
இன்று சுடர்விட்டு பறக்குது
நம் தேசியக்கொடி!



தமிழ் விடுகதைகள்

அறிவோம்!
விடுகதைகள்!!

1. கதவு இல்லாத வீட்டுக்குள் மஞ்சள் விளக்கு. அது என்ன?
2. நான் பிறக்கும்போது உயரமாக இருப்பேன்; வயதாக வயதாகக் குட்டையாகிவிடுவேன். நான் யார்?
3. தண்ணீரில் பிறந்து, தண்ணீரில் வாழ்ந்து, தண்ணீரைத் தொட்டால் இறந்துவிடும். அது என்ன?
4. பற்கள் நிறைய உண்டு; ஆனால், என்னால் உண்ண முடியாது. நான் யார்?
5. நான் பேசாமட்டேன்; ஆனால், உங்களுக்குச் செய்தி தவறாமட்டேன். நான் யார்?

கத்திரி தின கவரப்பத் தகவல்
நம் இந்திய தேசியக் கொடியை ஒதுர்முதலில்
வடிவமைத்தவர் பிங்கலி வெங்கையா!
அவர் ஒரு விவசாயியும், கத்திரிப் போட்ட ஈரமும்
அவர் பல ஆண்டுகள் ஆய்வு செய்து, இந்தியாக்கவர்
கொடியை வடிவமைத்தார்.
கவரப்பம்: பிங்கலி வெங்கையா பல நாடுகளின்
தேசியக் கொடிகளைப் பற்றி ஆய்வு செய்த பிறகே
இந்தியக் கொடியை வடிவமைத்தார்
நம் கொடியின் பின்னால் ஒரு பெரிய வரலாறு
இருக்கிறது!

- கவின் அண்ணாமலை 9A

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Design Thinking

Art and craft

Grade 7 students created a wonderful range of handmade crochet products. With attractive designs and colour choices, each piece reflected their creativity, skill, and attention to detail—a wonderful showcase of patience, precision, and craftsmanship in every stitch!

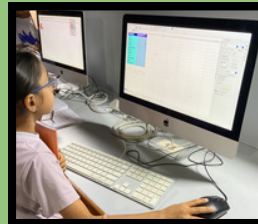


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ROBOTICS

Grade 1 and 2 students had an exciting hands-on robotics experience as they designed and created their own robots using junk and recycled materials. Using carton boxes, plastic materials, LEDs, and other creative resources, the children transformed everyday waste into imaginative robot models.

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Grade 3 students participated engaging spreadsheet activities. In the Outdoor Data Collection Activity, students visited the BV Block, collected data through observation, and entered their findings into a spreadsheet and formatted their data. In the Pixel Art Activity, students used cell addresses to colour specific cells and create a pixel art design. These activities helped students develop their data entry skills and become familiar with rows, columns, and cell addresses in a fun and interactive way.

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Terrace Thoughts

Parenting a responsible designation



Parenting a responsible designation varies across generations. The parents of past generations didn't have much challenges because the society in which they lived didn't have so many diversions and exposure. But this generation parents face challenges in upbringing. We as parents must teach our kids the traditional good habits that we learnt from our parents and grandparents. There may be a few which don't fit today's children, in that case it okay to leave it.

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By **S.Karpaga Shanthi**

Mother of S.Sivanesh - Grade 7A.



WORD OF THE MONTH

Anemoia (noun) - It means a deep nostalgia for a time or place you have never actually known or experienced. It perfectly captures that strange, whimsical feeling of looking at an old black-and-white photograph or hearing a vintage song and missing an era you never lived through

~Nayonika 9B

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Achievements



Hemanth of class 8B participated in the CBSE Clusters cricket tournament and won a silver medal.



Sankeerth of class 8B won a silver medal representing India in an International Karate Tournament and broke a world record.

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