

Dear Parents/Guardians,

As the school year comes to a close, our minds and hearts are filled to the brim. It has been a great year! Together we have learned much and shared experiences that will remain long with us in the years to come. The strength of our community and wholehearted passion to make our school a wonderful place of learning for our children makes KMC School a special place.

This year 146 students of ours have appeared for SEE Board and we are hoping excellent results this year too. They are the group of bright and young students with big dreams and ambitions. KMC School has prepared them to be resilient and equipped them with the grit and determination to succeed and overcome the inevitable knock-backs along the way. I am pretty sure this group of dynamic and creative minds will definitely contribute further in making our society better.

Special thanks to our parents who have contributed in ways small, large, and unimaginable! Thanks for getting our kids to school on time each day and helping your kids in the learning process; the partnership between home and school is important. Thank you for your **suggestions and appreciations** through '**Feedback Forms**' and other means of communication. Thank you parents/guardians for the time you spend with us and the creative inputs you offered for making KMC School a better place for our kids and staff/teachers.

I would like to thank our hard working and caring staff members who have made a huge difference to our students. Their commitment is outstanding and our kids are the beneficiaries. Thank you for providing rich and engaging, well-rounded experiences for our kids and thus helping them in becoming a better person. For these, and many other things, we are truly grateful.

In closing, I take this opportunity to congratulate all students of KMC School. I wish you all a very happy, safe and enjoyable summer. Please be sure to take time as family to talk, play and enjoy together.

Curricular and Extra Curricular Activities

We believe motivational classes for the students are very much essential for the student's growth, development and reinforcement. For the same purpose, we organized "Positive Vibration" classes for the students from Grades VII – X from Mr. Pritam Poudyal. For Parental Counselling, we had Mr. Upendra Adhikari. We have already completed handwriting classes for all the Grades. It has made remarkable change in handwriting of the students. These classes will get continuity in coming session too.

As part of EPH Project Work, students of Grade IX were divided into different groups and were assigned with field study of various organizations during winter vacation. During their visit, the students independently worked as a group without being accompanied by parents or teachers. They made detailed study of the organizations and made presentations in the class after the vacation.

In the month of Poush, the most awaited sporting event of the year was held-The Annual Sports Week. The sports week witness a high level of competition and sportsmanship among all the students competing in various athletic events including football, badminton, tug of war, March past and so on. In the end, Tilicho House became the winners this year closely followed by Phewa House in Second Position and Rupa House in Third.

Annual Sports Week began on Sunday, 14th of Poush and ended with Grand celebrations and Prize Distribution on Saturday, 21st of Paush at Army Sports Complex, Lagankhel. Students from Pre School to Grade IX had taken part in various athletic events, minor and major games as well. Students had

competed for 416 gold, 356 silver and 356 bronze medals. In total, 1128 medals were distributed to the students. Annual Sports Day was conducted at Army Sports Complex, Lagankhel. Mr. Deepak Bista, an Olympian, Asian Games Bronze Medalist and Three Times Gold Medalist in SAFF Games, was the Chief Guest for the Ceremony. In March Past, Tilicho House was adjusted first whereas in drill, Rara House took the first position. The prestigious House of the Year Award went to Tilicho House for accumulating maximum points from entire ECA Activities. The students performed march past, drills, aerobics, martial arts, and competed in athletic events and football matches. The winners were given certificates and medals by Chief Guest of the programme Mr. Deepak Bista.

On Wednesday, 9th of Magh, we organized **Science, Mathematics and Computer Exhibition**. Solid shapes, experiments, puzzles, games, thread art designs, hydraulics, subject related information; photo booth, etc. were the centre of attraction. **Pre and Primary School** had **Annual Exhibition** on Friday, 18th of Magh. Students displayed various items related with various subjects in the programme. On 19th of Magh, students of Grade X were taken on two nights and three days **tour of Pokhara-Ghandruk**. On Thursday, 24th of Magh, **Senior School Parents' Day was celebrated** in a grand way at Nepal Academy Hall. Directors, Academic Advisor and Principal gave away awards to students on different categories. The students showcased their talents and skills through dances, music, drama, anchoring and fashion show. On Sunday, 27th of Magh, we had **Grand Saraswati Puja Celebration** at the school premises. **Aakshararambha** was done for the students who joined Play Group.

We marked 7th of Falgun as **Cultural Dress Day**. Students and Teachers put on traditional clothes reflecting diverse cultural and ethnic diversity of the nation. On 17th of Magh, students of Grade VII were taken for two nights and three days **Scout Camp at International Scouts Training Center, Kakani**. Similarly, the students of Grade VI were taken for one night two days camp at the same venue on Sunday, 19th of Falgun. During the camp, the students were divided into various patrol Teams and were trained in various life and Survival Skills, Team

building and leadership Skills through various adventure and sporting activities. In the end of the program, the Students' Scout Badges were upgraded by their Scout Masters. The student had fun-filled adventurous camp with various activities like rock climbing, abseiling, omega jump, Commando Bridge, superman jump, balancing, tunnel net crossing, and so on.

On Friday, 15th of Chaitra, Pre School organized Pot Luck Programme for the parents of Preparatory. The parents prepared various delicacies at home and shared them with other parents and students of Preparatory, and the teachers too. The programme marked as a Mini Farewell for the students of Preparatory. The ECA/CCA activities for the year concluded with **Pre School Graduation and Parents' Day** Celebration on Tuesday, 19th of Chaitra. Graduation ceremony was held for the students of Preparatory. Students entertained their parents and other guests with various performances related with dance, music, drama and fashion show.



Inter School Activities

In Tokha Children's Literature Fest held on 23rd Feb at Triyog School, many students of KMC School won awards in various categories. From Senior School, Purnika Lamichhane (VII) won First Position in Spelling Snake. Noorshikha Neupane (VIII) won First Position in Nepali Book Reading competition. Angel Karki (IX) won First prize in Extempore Speech. Irashu Karki (VIII), Prerna Yadav (VIII), Sweta Adhikari (IX) and Prayag Nepal (VIII) won First Position in Newspaper Making, Subekshya Baral (IX) won third position in Turn Coat and First Position in Nepali Book Reading. From Middle School, Aparna Nepal (V) won First Prize in Word

Bingo Competition. Similarly from Primary School, Shivanshu Niraula (III) secured First Position in Word Meanings Bingo, Raunak Shah (III) secured First Position in Stop the Bus and Aashruti Ojha (III) secured First Position in Picture Story Writing.

On 27th Magh, National Essay Writing Competition was held at National Higher Secondary School (Under KMC Educational Network), Balkumari. Aabhusan Kafle (VIII) secured second position and won a cash prize of Rs. 12,000.

In the Nation-wide Handwriting competition organized by TC Star Events, more than 300 schools and over two lakhs participants entered the competition. Bibek Magar (X) of KMC School secured First Position among them and won a cash prize of Rs. 25,000.

KMC Pre-Scholars secured First Position in Inter School Quiz Hustle organized by Alphabet Pre School. Three students from Busy Preparatory Master Sriyan Gautam, Aron Ahikari and Sonika Dhakal represented the school in the competition.

In AIA Inter-school Basketball Tournament, Senior Boys Team of KMC reached Semi-final, and secured Fair Play award for their outstanding display of sportsmanship even in defeat.

For the first time in the History of KMC School, the Word Warrior Inter School Slam Poetry was organized and hosted by KMC English Department. Many reputed schools around the valley competed in this event. Akshatra, Triyog School and GEMS school secured first, second and third position respectively. We appreciate our students' "Word Warrior Inter School Slam Poetry" organization team for their outstanding management and leadership role.

Trainings and Development

As part of Teachers Development, we had Professor Natalae Franklin and Peter Aisslinger from Switzerland. They observed classroom activities and had Teachers' Workshops focusing on Students' Engagement in Classroom Activities and designing Interactive Activities.

Hostel Activities

Besides other usual activities, hostel students were taken for two different outings: one was for picnic at Chobhar on 14th of Paush and another was a day trip to Chandragiri, one of the famous recreational centres around Kathmandu Valley, on 24th of Falgun. Like every year, this year too, our hostellers celebrated Holi at the school premises with different colours.

Excursions

Students visited these different places as part of their excursions and prepared report to present in school as following:

Grade	Place	Grade	Place
I	Central Zoo	VI	Fish Farming, Godawari
II	Aviation Museum, Sinamangal	VII	Animal Farming, Khumaltar
III	Tiger Lily Petting Farm	VIII	ICIMOD, Godawari
IV	Central Zoo	IX	Central Horticulture, Kirtipur
V	Godawari Botanical Garden	Pre School	Godawari Botanical Garden

Notice for the New Academic Session

Please note that the School reopens for the New Session on Monday, 9th of Baishak, 2076.

Text books, diary and exercise books are available at Abhishek Book Store (opposite Ratna Rajya School, Mid Baneshwor) from Saturday, 23rd Chaitra, 2075. In case your ward needs to have new measurement for school uniform, please visit school with your ward on Sunday, 24th Chaitra (11 AM – 2 PM).

Summer is a very special time for children and is the source of many happy memories. I hope that you and your children enjoy many opportunities to have fun as a family during this vacation. I look forward to seeing your children in New Session.

Please register your ward by 8th Baishakh, 2076.

We Wish You a Very Happy New Year!



Warmest Regards,

Dwarika Nath Amgain
Principal