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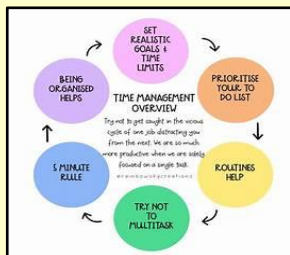
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PREFACE

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visits
- Adm & Tech Inspection
- Sports Achievements
- Youth Merit Award
- Rajya Puraskar
- PTM
- Celebrations
Gandhi Jayanti
Dussehra
Diwali
Pink Day



“Show me a professional who manages time effectively, and I will show you a professional who has achieved great success in their field”

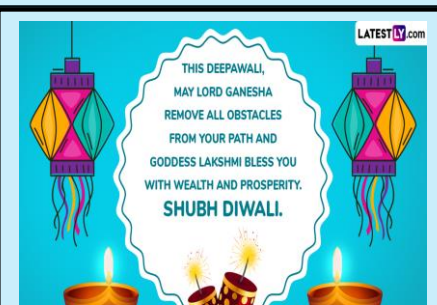
— Kolawole Ibrahim

Dear Readers, the month of October was chock-a-block with notable events like the Chairman’s visit, Adm & Technical inspection, Rotary Club sports competitions, and the much-awaited Dussehra & Diwali celebrations. The school management, teachers, staff, and students displayed excellent resilience and enthusiasm to come out in flying colours on all fronts. We believe that time management played a pivotal role in achieving our goals.

Prioritizing tasks, creating a schedule with realistic goals, collaborations & delegation were some time management skills applied by the educators to deal with back-to-back activities and successfully balance adm and teaching workloads. They were able to meet the deadlines for visits & inspections, achieve teaching goals, provide progress reports to management and parents, celebrate festivals and also able to maintain a healthy work-life balance contributing to the overall job satisfaction.

Time Management allows educators to lead by example, instilling in students the importance of organized, purposeful, and efficient use of time – an invaluable lesson that transcends the classroom and prepares students for success in their future endeavours. We hope to motivate you to elevate your time management skills and bring unparalleled energy to the profession of your choice!

Team APS Gopalpur



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STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS

The month of October had a remarkable sporting calendar with interschool competitions in Handball, Badminton & Kho Kho conducted by the Rotary Club, Berhampur. The finals were held on 27 Oct and APS Gopalpur bagged the Champions Trophy. Congratulations to the champions and coaches for the outstanding performances. We are PROUD OF YOU !!!!!



CHAMPIONS IN GIRLS' KHO KHO



CHAMPIONS IN GIRLS' BADMINTON



RUNNERS UP HANDBALL



WINNER - YOUTH MERIT AWARD



2nd POSITION ENGLISH EXTEMPORE & CONSOLATION PRIZE

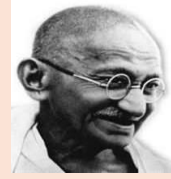


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CELEBRATIONS

October 2 marked the 153rd birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, the father of our nation. The students celebrated Gandhi Jayanti with great fervour and the tiny tots deserve a special mention as they showcased different activities with aplomb and enthusiasm.



"Happiness is when what you think, what you say, and what you do are in harmony."
- Mahatma Gandhi

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DUSSEHRA - RAMLEELA PERFORMANCE - 4 Oct

The victory of good over evil is the essence of this festival. Our students dressed as various characters from the epic Ramayana including Rama, Sita, Lakshmana, Ravana, & Hanuman. These performances, along with their rehearsals, prop-making, costume selections, scripts & acting on stage are the highlights of student life.

In today's world, where there are many challenges & struggles, the importance of Dussehra is very relevant. It is an affirmation that regardless of how challenging things may seem, goodness will always triumph!



PINK COLOUR DAY- CELEBRATING THE BEAUTY OF COLOURS - 28 Oct

The aim of colour day activities is to make the young students identify the beautiful colours of nature and understand their significance in our lives. They were taught that pink colour signifies love, beauty, & kindness and it is important to express love and kindness towards others.

The activities revolved around the development of cognitive & motor skills, as well as bonding with their classmates and teachers.

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VISIT OF THE CHAIRMAN

The Chairman of the school, Brig Jagdeep Chauhan, BGS, HQ Army AD College, visited the school on 1 October and on 15 October. He visited all the departments, laboratories, sports grounds, and the classrooms. He appreciated the facilities and the efforts of the staff. He took a keen interest in the upgradation of student facilities like the Computer, Artificial Intelligence, Science and Language Laboratories.

"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world."

— NELSON MANDELA



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ADM & TECHNICAL INSPECTION

22 & 23 October



The inspection team comprised of the Presiding Officer, Brig Rakesh Sharma, Comdt JAK RRC, and Members, Lt Col Anirudh Anand, Edn Officer JAK RRC and Ms. Dharamshella Pandey, Principal APS Danapur.

Inspections involve intense examinations of the teaching-learning process and school practices by experienced educators and stakeholders to provide comprehensive reports on strengths and weaknesses, and recommend steps that the schools can take to improve instruction, methodologies as well as student outcomes.

The Adm & Tech Inspection Team examined documents, test scores & lesson plans, visited classrooms and interacted with the teachers, school leaders & students. The presiding officer shared his views on the pivotal role encouragement plays in the life of students.



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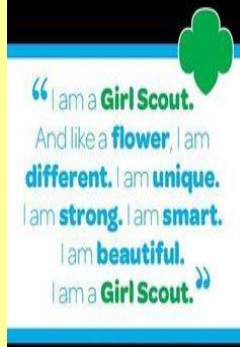
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ACCOLADES

DISTRIBUTION OF RAJYA PURASKAR CERTIFICATES – SCOUTS & GUIDES

The Rajya Puraskar examination is a part of Bharat Scouts and Guides (BSG) Programme, which aims to develop young people into responsible citizens through a range of activities, skills, and services.

The Rajya Puraskar Award is one of the highest honours at the state level. Congratulations to the Scouts, Guides and their mentors. We are very Proud of You!!!!



Scout Leader Master Tanish Kumar Pradhan receiving Rajya Puraskar Certificate from Hon'ble Governor of Odisha S.J. Raghubar Das at Raj Bhawan, Odisha on 14th May 2024



Winners of Kargil Vijay Diwas Drawing Competition

Class- XII	Class- XI	Class- X	Class- IX
<i>Petu Roy (XII-Sc)- First</i>	<i>N Deepika (XI-Hum)- First</i>	<i>P Shaikhi (X-B)- First</i>	<i>Sahil Ku Nayak (IX-A)- First</i>
<i>Shagun Tarini (XII-Sc)- Second</i>	<i>Sneha Pradhan (XI-Com)- Second</i>	<i>Ganga Singh (X-C)- Second</i>	<i>Tanu Kalafkar (X-A)- Second</i>



Class- XII

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ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOL GOPALPUR RAJYA PURASKAR AWARDEES- 2024

Guides (From Left): Supriyarani Nayak, Arpita M Shikarkhane, Sneha Behera, N Pallavi, Heer Bibi, S Iokeswari
Scouts (From Left): Akshit Kumar, B Manjit, Anyan Kar, Tanish Kumar Pradhan, Rohan Kumar Gouda, P Ritik Kumar Patro

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CELEBRATIONS CONTINUED.....

DIYA MAKING COMPETITION – 30 October

As part of the Co-Curricular Activities, the students of classes III to V participated in Inter House Diya Making competition.



PARENTS -TEACHERS MEET (PTM) – 30 October

PTM was conducted for Playgroup, Balvatika I to III, Classes I & II to discuss the holistic growth of the students. The teachers discussed the progress of the students, answered queries on various activities, and shared their thoughts.

When teachers share their perspectives, they do more than just present data. They shed light on the myriad nuances of a child's journey—their enthusiasm for certain subjects, their struggles with specific concepts, their interactions with peers, and many more! The parent-teacher meeting in school transcends the confines of report cards; it provides a 360-degree view, focusing on every facet of the child's development, both academic and personal.



“Parent-teacher unity forms an unbreakable chain, ensuring our children’s dreams are secured.”

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