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**Appointment of Secondary Level Coordinator**

We would like to inform you that **Mr. Narad Rijal** has been appointed as the Secondary Coordinator since Mr. Umesh Timalisina voluntarily resigned from the same post and started his regular subject teaching. Please contact Mr. Narad Rijal on 9841548353 if you have any concerns regarding your child.

**SEC Preparation Exam**

We would like to remind that the Joint School SEC preparation exam began from Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2017 and it will end on 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2017. We wish all the best for the 14<sup>th</sup> batch for their remaining exams. The result will be distributed on 15<sup>th</sup> February, 2:00 pm sharp. We are also organizing A level Program orientation for the parents on the same day.

**CIE May/June Examination 2017**

We would like to congratulate all the students of A2 Level for their outstanding result of the CIE November series examination. We would also like to inform you that the exam forms of CIE May/June series are submitted online. So it's our request to you all to encourage your child to focus more in academic activities. We are very grateful for your every support to the school and expecting the same in the years ahead.

**New Admission 2017**

The new admission form for Class 1 and Class 6 opens from 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2017 onwards for two weeks for 2017/2018 intake. The entrance exam will be on 18<sup>th</sup> March. We don't have any vacant seats available for other classes now however pre-registration for those classes has opened and we will notify you if there is any availability. Please do register the new applicant's name either by a call to our Administration Section or email the name and class in our school's email address. The number of our Administration Section is 011- 490561 and [kuhs@ku.edu.np](mailto:kuhs@ku.edu.np) is our email address. The priority will be given to the existing parents. The new admission form for A Level will be opened from 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2017.

**Parents' Day**

The annual Parents' Day of our school is on Saturday, 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2017. We would like to cordially request to all the beloved parents and guardians for their compulsory presence and watch their children's performance. We will send the invitation card after few weeks.

**Correction on Dates**

There is a minor correction in our Academic Calendar. 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2017, Shivaratri is scheduled as holiday. Hostellers go home on 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 2017. 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2017 will be our regular school day and 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 is granted a holiday since on 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 we do have Parents' Day programme.

**Revised Schedule of Final Exam 2017**

The final exam which was scheduled on 22<sup>nd</sup> March is preponed and now it begins from 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 parallel with Class 8 District Level Exam routine provided by District Education Office, Dhulikhel, Kavre. 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 which is marked as a holiday in calendar will be our regular school day. The academic session of this year ends on 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 and hostellers go home at 2:00 pm same day. The result of the final exam

will be on Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2017 between 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. The new academic session begins from 25<sup>th</sup> April, 2017. However the end of A Level session will be on 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2017.

### **Dental Check Up**

The school in association with Dental Department of Dhulikhel Hospital is organizing Dental Check up program to all the students from Class 1 to A Level. The programme is followed by lectures on personal dental hygiene. If the students need any dental treatment, Dhulikhel Hospital is beside them, and for this, we have sent a letter seeking your consent with the rates as well. However general screening of teeth for every child is free of cost. Please let us know on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February, 2017 by ticking in the given consent letter if your child needs any service.

### **DoEIA Adventurous Journey of A2**

On 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> of December, 2016 we the students of A2 had our DoEIA journey. Our journey route was from Charikot to Kalinchwok and finally to Jiri. Full of enthusiasm, we started journey from Dhulikhel at about 4.30 am. We reached Charikot by bus around 11.00 am. It took us about 6 to 7 hours to reach Kuri on foot. We set our tents and a campfire to cook food. Even though it was cold, we somehow managed to stay in tents. We warmed ourselves enough with the campfire and the first day of the journey ended.

The second day, we woke up at around 4.00 am and had some garlic soup to avoid altitude sickness. Within two hours we reached Kalinchwok. As soon as we reached the height, we got a chance to view the sunrise. The view was breathtaking and it made us forget about every struggle we face in climbing up the hill. After worshipping Kalinchwok Bhagwati, we headed towards Dolakha Bhimsen. We then moved to Jiri where we set our tents and campfire. To add fun we sang songs and danced till we were tired. Finally, the day came when we headed our home.

This journey not only taught us some leadership skills it also taught us how to work in a team together. The most important part was it taught us some life survival skills which we couldn't learn by reading. The entire journey was adventurous, teaching and we had lots of fun. We thank our assessor and teachers for accompanying us in this journey.

**Ojashwee and Suddhata, A2 Level**

### **A Visit by UK Professors**

On 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2017, we had a session by the two professors from UK namely Dr. Joanne Rose from University of York and Dr. Ksenia Chmutia from Loughborough University of UK. We attended a small talk programme with them. They told a lot of things about student life, teaching style, the subjects they offer, scholarships and a lot more about living in UK. They also told about the importance of good grades for higher studies. It was very informative programme and we would like to thank them a lot.

**Trailokaya and Ankit, AS Level**

### **Seven Days Trip to Darjeeling and Sikkim**

The students of AS level were taken on a seven days' trip to Darjeeling and Sikkim from 23<sup>rd</sup> December to 29<sup>th</sup> December, 2016. Our team comprised of 32 people including the teachers and a travel guide. The students were accompanied by Mr Bishnu Gyawali, Mr Surendra Joshi, Mr Dhirendra Fouzdar and Ms Manisha Pradhananga. It was a blissful experience for all of us to witness the serene view of the places. The mutual culture with a different flavour and homely welcome in those places were a delightful experience. Moreover, we enjoyed ourselves to the fullest, making this trip one of the most memorable trips of our lives.

**Aayushma, Salina, Simran and Nibbana, AS Level**

### **Warning! Robots are Coming**

Warning! Robots are coming because our next generation may see the robots in the labour sector and some risk prone areas. They may also observe the use of robots in every sector that requires beyond the human efficiency. Likewise for understanding the basics of the future overpowered machines, we attended a robotics class to improve our dexterity.

That particular event took place on January 28 and 29 of 2017. It was organized by the brothers and sisters of Kathmandu University from the robotics club. As per the goals, we were intended to learn the basics of the Arduino UNO programming to create a line-following robot with infrared sensors. Amazingly all of us were able to create a line-following robot under the guidance of our brothers and sisters.

Similarly, we were glad to create a line-following robot and it was only possible due to the required support from our school by arranging vital things like bus services and lunch. Also the support from the robotics club of Kathmandu University was astronomically helpful. Finally we would like to request our school to organize this sort of events in upcoming days ahead to shape our attributes.

But remember, “Warning! Robots are coming”

**Anurag Timilsina, AS Level**

### **NCC Camp**

On 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2017, we headed to Hattikhori, Nawalparasi for the awaited 21 days NCC. Camp. With expectations held high we entered the camp. On reaching, we were given our rooms and dining accessories. Our room consisted of ply beds and walls made out of tent and tin roof. There were open toilets.

Our day to day routine was that we had to wake up at 5:00 am in the morning, get dressed and reach the main ground. This taught us the essence of punctuality. Then we had PTs and stretching before breakfast. After that, we had passing out Parade (P.O.P) practice for about 2 hours. It would then be lunch time. This taught us the essence of being able to withstand casualties. Then, we had lecture classes where we were taught about National unity, hygiene and sanitation, disaster management and basic army skills. For a week, we would have sports activities but later we practiced for P.O.P. then we would have our dinner followed by cultural evening where we showcased our talents. Altogether, we even had various sports activities/competitions like football, badminton, volleyball, running etc and model briefing as well where one of the students of our school secured the position of best speakers. Overall we learned many things in this 21 days camp from basic life skills to basic army skills.

Finally, the pain, the sweat, the 4:00 am trips to the toilet, the hard work and the dedication, the hard army routine and most of all the endurance made it all worth it. We would like to thank our dear teachers Rupak Khatri Sir and Usha Madam and efficient instructors for their guidance and not the least our school administration for organizing such programmes.

**Rahul and Simran, Grade IX A**

### **Grade VIII India Tour**

After a year of the earthquake the students of 16<sup>th</sup> batch got an opportunity to visit India for the first time. This all started on 29<sup>th</sup> December, 2016. We gathered at Tinkune waiting for the bus. Our trip began as we went through places such as Muglin, Bhairahawa, Sunauli and finally to Gorakhpur Train Station from where we headed to the City of Dreams; Mumbai. It was really a magnificent city lying beside the beaches. Then we headed to Goa which also had beautiful beaches, Portuguese and Christian culture. We enjoyed playing in ocean and relaxing in the beaches along with night dance parties, cruise, and the dolphin trip. Then we headed back to the north by train seeing change in the life style. We then came to the city of Taj Mahal; Agra. We observed the wonders of Mughal city, Taj Mahal and Agra Fort. Then we headed to Delhi buying Petha on our way. In the

city of Delhi we were given a delightful opportunity to shop in the busy bazaars of Karol Bagh and a ride in Metro. We visited the eternal place of devotion, purity and peace, Akshardham temple which was literally the 8<sup>th</sup> wonder. The water show there was more worth watching for religious and recreational satisfaction. We also saw there the famous Masonry Minaret, Qutub Minar and the Famous India Gate built to honor the victims of war. Our tour ended as we went from Sunauli with rickshaws carrying our load across the border. The trip finally ended as we met our parents back at Tinkune on 11<sup>th</sup> January 2017.

This successful trip was just possible due to the efforts of our dearest teachers. We would like to thank Tejendra sir, Umesh sir, Narad sir, Ganga madam, Uma madam, Prafulla sir, Madhav sir and the entire KUHS family for this golden opportunity. We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to Utsav sir and the entire Watermark Travels for their guidance and excellent management for the whole tour. We hope KUHS will give such opportunity to all the classes for such praiseworthy international trips.

**Amulya, Anmol and Abbal, Grade VIII**

### **Ghorepani Trek**

On 26<sup>th</sup> December, 2016 we set out for Pokhara at around 8.30 am. It was quite a long trip for us. On our way, we visited the Lake Begnas. In the evening, we strolled on the streets of Pokhara. Next morning, we went to Nayapool by bus and our trek began.

We started walking to Ghandruk. It was our first day of walking so, it was quite tiring. In the evening we observed Gurung dance which was performed by villagers. Next day, we went to the Gurung Museum to know more about the Gurung culture. We went to the hotel to try the Gurung dresses as well. We were mesmerized to see the beautiful Himalayas in front of our hotel. The rooms weren't easy to stay but we managed although food was quite delicious. After that we played *antakshyari* and had lots of fun. Another day, the water was freezing cold and the tables outside were covered with frost. We played with it and after sometimes we moved on our way to Ghorepani. We reached Ghorepani earlier than we expected. We had a nice time there and the views were amazing. Early in the morning around 4.30 am we walked up to Poonhill to see the sunrise. It was very cold up there, we also knew that the cost of goods were expensive. After returning from the Poonhill, we headed to Birethanti. It was easier than the other days. In the evening, we all gathered around the campfire and sang songs. Next day, we returned to the Pokhara.

In Pokhara, we went to street festival. We bought many things, had many good foods and had a lot of fun. At 12.00 o'clock we wished each other a happy new year and cut our cake. Pokhara was amazing place at night.

In this journey we learned lots of life skills. Our first trek was very adventurous. We had our highs and lows but we never gave up.

**Anshu M and Abhishikha, Grade VII A**