

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

SANKALP SAHODAYA DWARKA AND WEST DELHI CLUSTER

The meeting of Sankalp Sahodaya was held at 3:00 pm on Tuesday, 10 July, 2018 at Basava International School, Sector 23, Dwarka, New Delhi. The meeting was attended by 17 members.

Ms.Sudha Acharya, President (Principal ITL Public School) and Dr.Manimala Roy, the Principal of the host school Basava International School extended a warm welcome to all the members. The meeting started on a musical note with the presentation of Raag Todi by Basava International School.

1. The meeting formally commenced with the members unanimously approving the minutes of the meeting held on April 27, 2018 at Brain International School.

2. The members upheld the celebration of Founder's day on 27July 2018 to be hosted by Mount Carmel School, Dwarka and conveyed their appreciation to Principal Ms. Sunita Howell.

3. The Theme of the celebration was approved as 'Ek Bharat, Shreshtha Bharat'. The President Ms. Sudha Acharya reiterated the maximum participation and presence of member schools to make the celebration a grand success.

4. The members also agreed to give a chance to those schools who were not able to participate in the previous founder's day celebration to ensure equal participation of all member schools.

5. They further planned and approved the event itenary in the following manner:

- Programme to include Dance Performances , and exhibits on depicting the various states of India.
- Programme to get a headstart by an introduction of a street play (prelude) presented by SVIS.
- A flag march of all the member schools to showcase collaboration and team work to add wings to the grand finale.

6. The following member schools volunteered for the dance presentations:

- Gujarat Garba- Maxfort School
- Punjabi folk- Brain International School
- Kerala dance form- Sachdeva Global School
- J&K dance form- Pragati Public School
- Rajasthan- Queen's Valley School
- West Bengal – N. K. Bagrodia School
- Manipur – Venkateshwar International School
- Assam – BGS Intl School
- Goa – G.D. Goenka Public School
- Tamil Nadu – Mt. Carmel School

The dance would be of 3 minutes inclusive of entrance and exit. There would not be more than 8 students accompanied by 1 teacher. Handheld props would only be allowed for the performance. Music to be carried and submitted to the host school well in advance.

7. The following member schools volunteered for Exhibits :

- Karnataka- Basava International School
- Himachal Pradesh-N K Bargodia Global School
- Madhya Pradesh- R D Rajpal School
- Delhi- MDH Intl School

- A painting exhibition by Delhi International with contribution from Shiksha Bharati Global School

The size of the exhibit would be ascertained at a later date and the same communicated to the schools. . The Exhibits would include a showcase of the socio, political, physical and cultural realms of the depicted state. The exhibits were to reach the venue before the event and set appropriately 1 day prior to the event. There would be 2 students and 1 teacher from each school for the exhibits. Ms. Priyanka Bhatkotji, Principal of Maxfort School Dwarka, proposed the use of portable soft boards for presentation, which was later approved.

8. The members suggested the Saahodaya Anthem to be played by the Mount Carmel school Orchestra along with other schools. Schools were requested to send 2 students each for participation on a voluntary basis.

9. It was agreed that the states which could not get covered in the dance or exhibition would be covered by means of paintings, volunteered by Delhi International School.

10. The flag march in the end would only have 1 student either Headboy or Headgirl carrying the school flag.

11. It was decided that the programme would start at 10.00 a.m. sharp, while the students with their respective teachers to reach the venue at 9.00a.m. The Principals were requested to reach by 9.30 a.m. in the specified dress code of a white sari with a golden border.

12. The rehearsal date was fixed at 26, however practice session would be held on the 25 July

13. Ms.Nita Arora, Vice President and Principal of SVIS suggested the presence of two guests for the event. The members unanimously seconded the suggestion and even finalized the name of Mr. Joseph Emanuel as the chief guest. She also suggested the use of e-invites for the event with video presentations which was accepted by all.

15. The budget for the event was also finalised, it would be inclusive of the costs incurred due to: Banner, Mementos, Bouquets (only for VIPs), & food packets for the students which was to fall in the range of Rs. 50-55per student.

15. Ms. Archana Narain, Secretary and Principal of The Indian Heights, affirmed that allotment of the respective duties would be confirmed at a later date to all. She also asked the member schools to deposit the annual membership fee at the earliest to ascertain the financial status of the sahodaya and communicate the same to the members.

16. The members arrived at a consensus to do away with sponsors and manage only with the available funds.

17. It was shared by the President, that treasurer, Ms. Sudha K (Principal- St. Thomas School) has resigned from her post. The members accepted the resignation of treasurer Ms. K Sudha of St. Thomas school and formally proposed the name of Ms.Monika Mehan of M.L Khanna DAV School for the post of the treasurer which was unanimously approved by all the Members.

18. The name of M.L Khanna DAV School was also seconded as the host to the September meet of Sankalp Sahodaya.

19. The members also discussed the health and wellness programme initiated by the CBSE. Ms.Sudha Acharya, Principal ITL Public School asked the member schools to download the format to upload their assessment. She further affirmed that all the institutions were doing their best, but it was advisable to form a committee to document the evidence in an appropriate manner.

20. Ms.Priyanka Bhatkotji, Principal of Maxfort School, Dwarka with the permission of the chair also initiated a discussion on Disaster Management to which the members responded in the affirmative on all the precautions and steps taken in the same direction.

The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks from the Secretary, Ms. Archana Narain. She also thanked Dr. M.Roy for successfully hosting the event.

President
(Sudha Acharya)

Vice President
(Nita Arora)

Secretary
(Archana Narain)