

THE FORBES ACADEMY, GOKAK FALLS

ANNUAL REPORT 2020-2021

Success is the result of hard work combined with the desire to excel and unfailing dedication. Our school strength lies in 40 committed teachers who go beyond their call of duty to nurture 955 children in classes LKG to XII. Our 34th batch of 60 smart and creative students of Class X will take up the challenge of the Board Examination this year and we are confident that they will surpass our expectations. Our fifth batch of Class 12 students has performed their best. Our students have actively participated in various online inter house school competitions and the results here are also pleasing especially during the pandemic. Facing a lot of hiccups initially, due to lack of sufficient mobiles, poor network, lack of interest and new technology, however, students managed successfully to switch over from offline to online mode. Teachers worked relentlessly to reach each and every child. Students were kept busy through various hands on activities within the limits Computer. Art and Physical Education classes were also held online. Age appropriate activities like-PowerPoint presentations, posters, experiments, speech and such other activities were held throughout the year for various classes.

NCC troop for the year 2020-21 was formed virtually and regular online classes were taken for them. Students have participated actively in the various competitions held virtually- be it Pariksha Pe Charcha, various quiz competitions - Discovery School Super League and webinars. Regular PTA meetings were held to discuss the teaching mode and ways to improve to suit the students. Its commendable to note the way some students learnt more than academics- like coding, Taekwondo, creating own you tube channels (solving 8 different kind of cubes and performing various science experiments) or gaming. It was a collaborative effort of parents and students that we could sail through this year successfully.

SMC Meeting was conducted twice in this year. The important decisions taken are to construct a shed in the assembly area, replacing water pipelines of the entire school.

Celebrations

All the important days were celebrated in school following the Covid-19 protocol.

- National festivals- Independence Day, Republic Day, were celebrated in school with minimum attendance of teachers. Principal addressed the audience virtually.
- Various birth anniversaries like-Teachers' Day, Children's Day Mahatma Gandhi Jayanti, Kanakadas Jayanti were celebrated virtually.
- International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21st of June2020. The P.E. Instructor gave a demonstration on online platform which was followed by the students and their parents at the comfort of their house.


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ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS:

Rural IT Quiz:

Dheeraj D. Angadi and Abhishek K. Vannur bagged 2nd place in National Level Rural IT quiz and won a cash prize of Rs. 50,000 held at Bengaluru, organized by the Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of Karnataka. This is the first time in the history of The Forbes Academy.

Carnival:

In the interschool competitions held at the Chhatrapati Shahu Vidyalaya, Kolhapur, Master Aditya R Gavimath of Grade VIII A bagged 3rd place in Fabric painting. In Toran making competition, Miss Rakhi A. Andani of class VIII has won 2nd place. In skit competition, our students, Aryan R. Antin, Arpita R. Hadagalli, Aryan A. Nagannavar, Goutamkumar Choudhari, Sukhil P. Shiralkar, Aaruni S. Shivarai, Riddhi S. Shah, Sumit S. Chougule and Aditya K. Khandale have bagged 3rd place. Our Art teacher Mr. Vittal R. Badiger has won 1st place in fabric painting and 1st place in Canvas painting.

Other competitions:

1. In speech competition conducted by Mayur English Medium high school Ms. Chinmayi V. Naik bagged 2nd place.
2. Sharadha P. Karkannavar won first place in debate competition conducted by Venugram Sahodhaya held at Chikalgud.
3. Prerana PU College and Thought flow, organized Quiz competition on General Science and Mathematics in which Master Tarun . T. Chavan won 3rd place.
4. Janhavi S Ankalagi, presented Bharatnatyam at The Kannada Sahitya Sannam and received appreciation.
5. Union Bank of India organized an Essay competition in which Sumayya A. Attar, Suzna Nimra, Nisarga M. Savadatti, Aditya B. Munavalli and Shivani M. Kamat bagged I,II,III place respectively.
6. Shri Mahavir English Medium Residential School, Raibag organized Debate competition in Which Chinmayi V. Naik and Supiya S. Jagadal won 1st and 2nd place respectively.
7. In Drawing competition organized by Shri Raviverma Academy Trust Shimoga, Aradhya Mathpati of class. I bagged 11th place at District level.
8. In drawing competition organized by Shri Raviverma Academy Trust Shimoga, he bagged the 1st place with cash prize of Rs.1000/- in the State Level.



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NCC:

The school has a NCC Air Wing troop of 50 cadets. 25 cadets of class 9 attended annual training camp in Belagavi. In the competitions held during the camp Varshini A. Jaddinnavar bagged the 1st place in public speaking, in Essay Competition Vinay V. Matade, won the 2nd place. Girl Cadets Varshini A. Jadinavar, Janhnavi S. Ankalagi and Sampurna R. Karadigudi attended three RDC camps held at Belgaum and Dharwad and IG RDC at Bengaluru.

NATIONAL CHILDREN'S SCIENCE CONGRESS (NCSC):

Karnataka Rajya Vijnana Parishat, Bengaluru organized Karnataka Children's Science Congress. Shivani M. Kamat and Pavitra S. Kedari of Class9, participated at 27th National Childrens' Science Congress 2019 at The National Level In Thiruvananthapuram at the Senior Level and Shambhavi S. Naik Rashmi R. Muddavvagol of Class 7 Participated at The State Level in the Junior Category, held At Adichunchanagiri under the able guidance of Dr. Balaji S. Kulkarni, Professor, Dept of Floriculture and Landscape Architecture, University of Horticulture Science, Bagalkot, Mr. Amit V. Kulkarni, Agriculturist, Chikkanandi and Mr. M. M. Nadaf,. Asst Director of Agriculture, Gokak and with the efforts of our abled teachers Mrs. Lalita T. Chavan and Mrs. Sharada A. Kulkarni.

K.C.MEHRA COMPUTER SCHOLARSHIP:

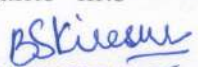
One student of the school scoring the highest marks in a qualifying examination is selected for 'K.C.MEHRA COMPUTER SCHOLARSHIP' every year. A scholarship of Rs.1000/- is awarded till they complete his/her studies in The Forbes Academy. Om K. Gongle receives the cash prize of Rs.1000 as he was the winner in the year 2018. Siddeshwar S. Kotewale of Class 9 has won the scholarship this year. Md. Shayaan P. Hudli of Class 4 has won in the junior category.

- **Environment Education:** Planted trees on the occasion of Vanamohotsava including NCC cadets, Classes 9 to 12 observed Swacch Pakhwada in the month of October 2019.

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS:

Our Annual Sports Day was organized on 20th of December with Mr. Satyendra Verneker, Dy. Range Forest Officer, Kakati region, Belgaum, as the Chief Guest. Our team of Athletes' had participated in CBSE Cluster VIII Meet held at Shivamoga , among them Master Prem U. Bhovi bagged Bronze medal in 400 mts. Our football team comprising of Ajay S. Shirgoankar, Adarsh N. Bagai, Rihan S. Ankalgi, Aman A.Choudhari, Sanganbasava K. Magi, Sachin M. Vannur, Bhuvan F. Pujer ,Prem U. Bhovi, Siddique R. Peerjade, Anis A. Kudachi, Anudeep V. Koujalgi, Suprit R Sanadi, Saad R. Killedar, Danesh M. Kolavi, and Satish S. Bekkari participated in Mahakali Football Tournament, Gokak Division held at Gokak and emerged as winners. Our students toiled hard and made it remarkable in a game like


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Taekwondo. In District level Taekwondo Championship Held at Annapurneshwari English medium School, Pattankundi, Chikkodi our students Kumarvenkatesh S. Durdundi bagged Silver Medal under 46 Kg wt category. Anuska V Talwar Bagged Silver medal under 32 Kg.Wt Categori, Adith Prajwal S. bagged bronze medal under 26 kg wt. categories. Arjith V. Talwar bagged Bronze Medal under 22 kg.wt categories. Sahana Y. Makkalageri participated in 11th State Karate Championship held at Bengaluru and won 3rd place in fight and 2nd place in Karate demonstration. Ujwal S. Boodhihal participated in 500 metre open district rollers skating championship 2019 held at Belagavi in the age group of 11-14 years and bagged the second place.

'Fit India Freedom Walk' on 30/09/2020:

1. **Innovations** : Art Integration and Experiential Learning.
2. **Overall results** : 100% in Class 10, and 80% Class 12.
3. **PTA Activities** : Open house after each test/ examination,
Parent-Teacher Virtual meets are being held regularly during this pandemic.
4. **Number of students** : 997

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