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# Expressions

News Letter

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Dear Parents

Endorsing the spirit of learning ceaselessly, our students make the most of all opportunities they avail. This edition of our monthly newsletter yet again offers you the glimpses of our accomplishments at Kasiga.

We hope to keep the trail ablaze with fruitful efforts and glorious feats!

**Student Editorial Board**



## Inter-House Swimming Gala



Kasiga magnificently held its annual Inter-house Swimming Gala in the midst of mirth and cheer. The participation was highly competitive and the atmosphere wore a carnival spirit. Eager participants put their best foot forward to reach the finishing line while their House members in the galleries cheered them on loudly.



By the end of the Gala it was Everest House that topped the table with a whopping score of 243 points, followed by Nile House with 134 points, Pacific House with 108 points Amazon with 104 points.

## Workshop on Safe Campus

As an integral part of Life Skill education, a workshop by Disaster Management and First Aid group was organised to educate the students of Kasiga on a number of things, including health issues and critical situations. The students from classes IV to XII took part in the session enthusiastically and gained insights on dealing with sudden unfavourable circumstances.



## Community Outreach Program



In order to generate awareness on waste segregation, the student volunteers from Green School Committee participated in the Community Outreach programme.

Kasigans went to Rajkiya Government School and explained to the students about the significance of waste segregation. They did an interactive activity called Waste Relay Race wherein the students segregated the waste as per its category of Biodegradable, Recyclable and Non-recyclable.

The students really learnt a lot and enjoyed the interactive session.

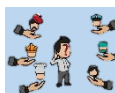
## Trip to FRI



The school organized a trip to the FRI - Forest Reserve Institute Museum for students of classes VII and VIII. One of the prime attractions of FRI is its beautiful building which is larger than the Buckingham Palace.

Students enjoyed and learnt from various sections of the museum namely - Pathology Museum, Social Forestry Museum, Silviculture Museum, Timber Museum, Non-Wood, Forest Products Museum, and Entomology Museum.





## Career Counselling workshop

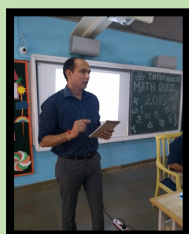


A career counseling workshop was conducted by Mr. Ravindra Ghorshi, a representative from Univariety. It was conducted in the school premises for the students of classes IX to XII, who are at a vital juncture of making career choices. The first session of the workshop had grade based objectives such as for Grades 9 and 10 it was stream selection and subject combination. For grade 11 and 12, the workshop touched upon various aspects such as the best college admission plan.

The second session was only for the students of Grade 12. It was an ICT based session where-in the students worked on the computers to develop their portfolios more effectively based on their desired university. The workshop was quite informative for the students and led to a lot of curiosity among students. All the queries and doubts were resolved by the workshop leader to offer clarity and ease the pressure.



## Inter-House Mathematics Quiz



The School organized an Inter House Mathematics Quiz for the senior students, where in they were quizzed and rattled with numbers. Quizzes help in the acquisition of logical skills, proficiency and aptitude; therefore they have become an integral part of the academic curriculum. The event was hosted by Mr. Surendra Singh Bisht. Mr. Kamal Dewan was the tabulator and Mr. Sachin Sharma was the time keeper for the event. The competition ran neck to neck among all the teams but in the end, the battle was won by the Nile House in a tie breaker. The Second and Third positions were bagged by Amazon and Everest House respectively.

## Best Principal Award



We are proud to announce that our Principal, Mrs. Sonali Sinha, has been felicitated with the Best Principal of the Year 2019 Award by State Law Commission, Uttarakhand in association with Human Rights Protection Centre, Uttarakhand. It is a proud occasion for the Kāsiga family as we make our mark yet again with awards being bestowed upon us.

We congratulate her once again for her remarkable achievement.

## 50 Effective Principals 2019 Award



Our Principal, Mrs. Sonali Sinha, was conferred with the award - **50 Effective Principals 2019 by the Education Today magazine** - yet another feather in her cap.

She has been awarded for showing exemplary traits of sincerity, dedication and hard work in the field of education.

Mrs. Sonali Sinha is indeed an inspiration for all the Kāsigans.

We thank her for her unparalleled allegiance and perseverance towards Kāsiga School.

### Inter – House Coding Competition



Kasiga, for the first time, organized an Inter House coding competition.

Students took part in it enthusiastically and performed wonderfully. The results are-

First position was bagged by Everest house  
Second position was bagged by Pacific house,  
Third position was bagged by Amazon house

### Book Discussion – Roald Dahl



Two of our teachers, Ms. Ranjana and Ms. Priyanka along with students of Kasiga participated in the book discussion of the eminent author Roald Dahl organized by the Booknerds, Dehradun. Roald Dahl was a British novelist, short story writer, poet, screenwriter, and fighter pilot, a popular author of ingenious literature and children's books. He was also the author of Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Matilda, etc. The children read out their favourite excerpts from the books, discussed their favourite characters, designed bookmarks, participated in a quiz related to Roald Dahl books, coloured Roald Dahl themed illustrations and played other fun games. It was an enriching experience for our students and motivated them to read more books.

### DDJC U-18 Basketball Tournament



Our school basketball team took part in the under -18 DDJC tournament which was held at Welham Boys School. The team reached the semifinals and two of our students, Manish Singh and Yazan Khan have been selected for the junior state championship.

### Education World Ranking



Kasiga School is proud to receive Education World India School Rankings Awards 2019-20. It has been rated amongst the top 10 co-ed boarding schools in India

Way to go Kasiga!!!