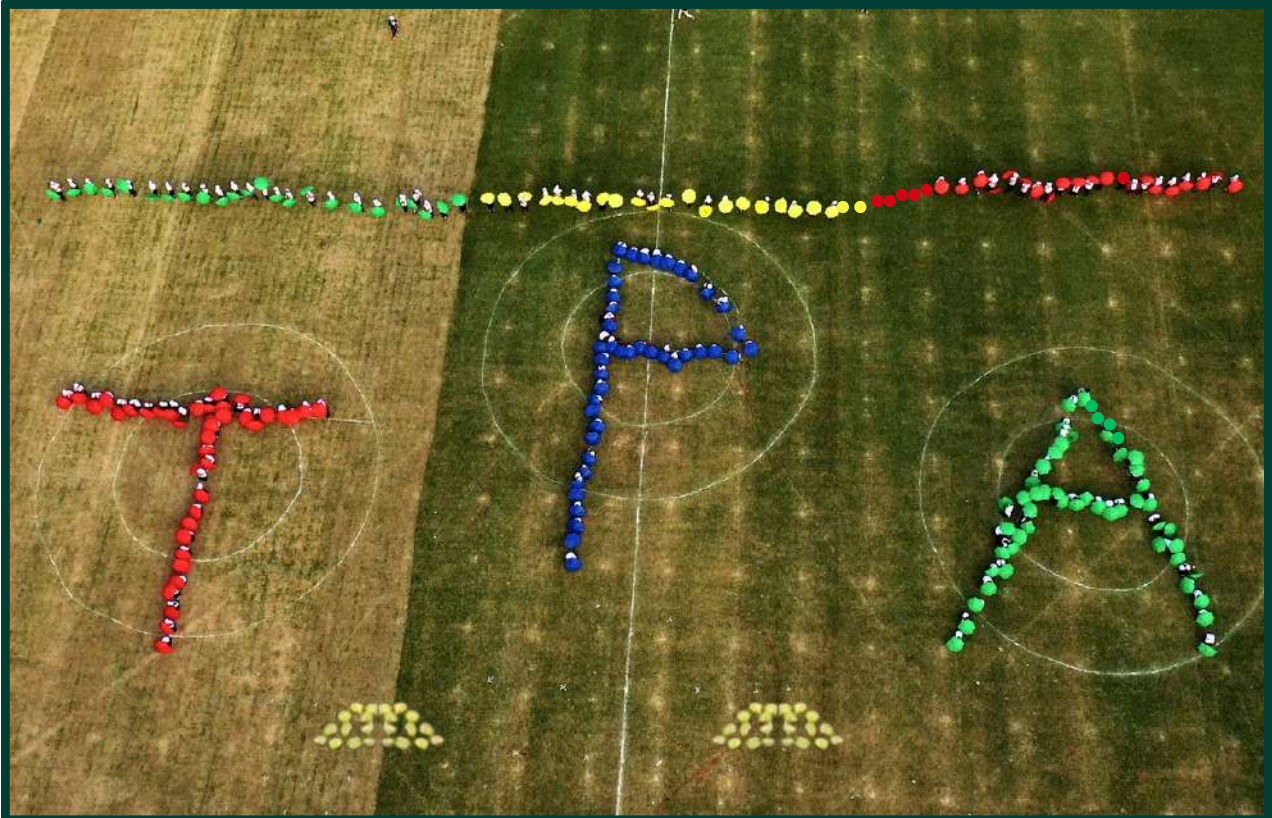


The Premia Academy

# The Premia Pulse

February 2024



**We are the lions, The Premia Pride!**

## From The Principal's Desk

A view that made our hearts swell with pride - the formation of 'TPA' by the students of grades I to IV. What a start to the year 2024 with the grand success of our Annual Sports Day!

This edition comprises an array of talents showcased in the Visual and Performing Arts, innovative business ideas in the Entrepreneurship Finale & achievements! I encourage you to take a moment to appreciate the hard work put in by our students, teachers, and mentors. Three cheers to all!

This is just the beginning - there is so much more in store! Before that, I would like to take this opportunity to send positive and warm wishes to our first batch of 10th & 12th graders as they gear up to appear for the board exams - May Almighty's blessing always be with you & your determination lead you to great success!

- Trupti Rao



# League of the Lions

## Annual Sports Meet 2023-24

The League of the Lions was a roaring success this year - a spectacular showcase at the Gachibowli stadium - and we're so proud of the effort the Premia Pride put into it! We were joined by the Chief Guest, M. Sunitha Anand, a seasoned professional cricketer and analyst associated with the Hyderabad Cricket Association. Ms. Anand inspired the young audience with her valuable insights and experiences in the world of sports. The event was an awe-inspiring display of teamwork and discipline. We express deep gratitude to all the coaches who worked tirelessly to make the event an incredible success!



The school choir delighting the audience, led by Mr. Don & Mr. Abhishek



The school band infusing joy with their tunes, led by Mr. Deviprasad



The Guard of Honour escorting the dignitaries



The MCs - Kaamil & Samyukthaa



Invocation dance, choreographed by Ms. Saraswati



Invocation dance choreographed by Mr. Jinna



Chief Guest Ms. Sunitha Anand, hoisting the sports flag



Our Principal, Ms. Trupti Rao presenting the Annual Report

# League of the Lions



March Past



Assembly of the parade



Declaring the sports meet open with the release of a pigeon!



Colourful balloons representing the four houses!



Oath taking by the student body



Torch relay by the achievers in sports



Pre-primary parade



Pre-primary parade



Pre-primary parade



Pre-primary parade

# League of the Lions



Nursery - Flag Race



Grade II - It takes a village to RAISE a child



Grade I - Balancing the diet



200m Race



Seniors Long Jump



PPI - Rabbit & Carrot Race



PPII - Young Gardeners running to protect the earth



Umbrella Drill



400m Relay Race



Grade III - Kangaroo Race

# League of the Lions



Grade IV - Hurdle Race



Cricket Skill Display, Coach - Mr. M. Sanjeev



Volleyball Skill Display, Coach - Ms. P. Anitha



Basketball Skill Display, Coach - Mr. Venu



Football Skill Display, Coach - Mr. Abdul Raheem



Martial Arts Skill Display, Coach - Mr. Shoukat Ali



Grand Finale



House Champions - Agni



Best March Past - Samudra



Best Athlete Junior- Veer Singh Gulati, Gr VII



Best Athlete Senior- Zoha Shah, Gr IX



Closing Ceremony

# Premia ACE

## Awards for Competence and Excellence

Student Prodigies of the year 2022-23 were adorned with recognition for outstanding performance and consistent efforts towards excellence in Internal & External competitions, School events, Attitude & behaviour towards peer groups & staff, and Laurels for self & school! Their mentors were also honoured to recognise their excellence and efforts!



Imarah Hayat (Nursery)



Mahi Gupta (PP I)



Ditya Dev (PP II)



Dhruv S. (Gr. I)



V. Saanvi (Gr. I)



Hansika Gujja (Gr. II)



Anirudh Raghava (Gr. III)



Shreesha Makwana (Gr. IV)



Viha Chowdary (Gr. IV)



Vardaan Bhattad (Gr. V)



Balahansini Gujja (Gr. VI)



Harini Alwala (Gr. VII)



Riyanka Y. (Gr. VII)



P. Neha Tanmayee (Gr. VIII)



Zaara Ali Syeda (Gr. VIII)



M. Srutika (Gr. IX)



Samrajyo Dey (Gr. IX)



Aaron Maricar (Gr. X)



Sriya P. (Gr. X)



Madhavi Sanskriti (Gr. XI)



Ms. Nandini G.



Mr. Aashutosh V.



Ms. Sowmya Sree Morri



Ms. Shradha Goswamy



Ms. Umayma Dastagir



Mr. Mohd. Basith

# Art-A-Fair

## Visual and Performing Arts 2023-24

All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy, haven't you heard? In the spirit of creativity and mental agility, we curated a visual and performing arts skills display to showcase artists in-the-making. We offer six disciplines - Keyboard, Guitar, Drums, Fine Art, Theatre, and Western & Classical Dance - led by experts in the field to ensure that students receive high-quality instruction and guidance. To add to the excitement, we also had a pottery station this year!



Ms. Saraswati (Classical Dance), Mr. Abhishek (Guitar), Mr. Rajeev (Theatre), Ms. Usha (Fine Art), Mr. Don (Keyboard), Mr. Daniel (Western Dance) & Mr. Devi Prasad (Drums)



# Entrepreneurship Finale

## Bringing to you the Best Business Ideas!

Our students have been exploring their entrepreneurial potential thanks to the partnership with BrightCHAMPS, previously known as Metamorphosis Edu. The students of Grades VI to IX presented their business ideas as a part of the Entrepreneurship Program. We were joined by the judges - Mr. Sharat K, CBO at FeeMonk; Mr. Deepak Bhattad, CXO at Bradsol; Mr. Arun Rao, Founder of Whizzard; and Mr. Varun Reddy, CEO of The Premia Academy. There was certainly no dearth of brilliant business ideas and we're proud to present the winners!

### Grades VI & VII



#### First Place - JigTab

**Anughna, Lalith, Balahansini, Shashwath and Zohair**

JigTab refers to Jigsaw Tables, a unique design concept that allows users to customise the table as per the available space.

They also bagged the **Best Idea** award!



#### Second Place - Imotive-Ematron & Smart Safe Case

**Shreyansh, Palak, Fiza, Arysha**

**Veer, Digvijay, Siddharth, Zohair & Siddhanth**

Smart Safe Case is a phone case packed with futuristic and practical features, and the Imotive-Ematron is a smart watch that helps with emotional regulation.



#### Third Place - Clerob

**Pavitra, Harini, Shreshtha & Spandana**

Clerob is a helpful robot that does all the cleaning for you!



#### Best Presentation - FreeX

**Tannvika & Annika**

FreeX is an app that focuses on cyber security especially targeted at protecting against financial fraud incidents.



#### Best Business Acumen - Job Zoya

The Job app facilitates job searches & online interviews.



#### Most Viable Idea - SMATR

**Abhishai, Aman, Kaif, Reyansh & Taufeeq**

SMATR is a water bottle with a built-in water purification system.



#### Most Impactful Idea - CSR

**Sidhiksha, Sehrish, Samiha & Rida**

CSR stands for a Children's Safety Robot that acts as a safety companion to children.



# Entrepreneurship Finale

## Grades VIII & IX



### First Place - Mindmap

**Zaara, Adiva, Vidushi, Bhavika, Zoha**

Mindmap is a story-telling video game with the protagonist going through adventures while also addressing mental health issues.

They also bagged the **Best Idea** award!



### Second Place - Orgo Bags

**Zaryan, Sohail, Inaabah, Maryam, Miracle**

Orgo Bags is a style of bag that combines easy organisation and technology that appeals to all ages.

They were also awarded the **Most Viable Idea!**



### Third Place - Medmeet

**Harshith, Zaara & Qazi**

Medmeet is the Zomato of hospitals - connects you to the best in healthcare.

They also bagged the **Best Presentation** award!



### Best Business Acumen - Greenkart Universe

**Sanjana, Deekshitha, Sameeha, Neha**

Greenkart Universe is an app dedicated to sustainable shopping.



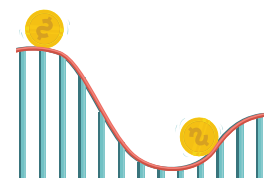
### Most Impactful Idea - Virtual Companionship

**Riyanka**

Virtual Companionship is a global platform connecting student volunteers with the elderly seeking companionship and technical assistance.



# CONGRATULATIONS!



# Deep Dive: AVNI

## What is Avni?

In this month's **Deep Dive Series**, we focus on AVNI, which is a curriculum co-created by Rubaroo and The Premia Academy with the purpose of bringing the 'Sustainable Development Goals' closer to students from Grades I to VIII, introducing the values and principles of these goals right from a young age. Curating a comprehensive and interactive learning experience for students includes informative sessions, student collaborations and presentations, as well as an assessment after the completion of each module.



Team Avni organised a collection drive for an organisation called Goonj to achieve the goal of Reducing Inequalities. Clothes, Toys, and Books were collected to contribute to these goals: SDG 1: No Poverty, SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being, SDG 12: Responsible Consumption and Production. Students also made presentations on the SDGs which deepened their awareness and fostered a sense of responsibility towards creating positive change.



The World Cafe, a student exchange program was conducted where students from Texas International Academy and Grace Model School visited our school to have conversations about career options and quality education, aligning with the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

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“Learning about staying healthy was fun! Learning about healthy and nutritious food and healthy habits of eating all kinds of vegetables is important.”

- S. Dhruv, Gr. II

“We discussed fairness and equality in class. It made me think about how we treat each other, so I try to include others and speak up if someone is being left out. Small actions can make a big change.”

- Siddarth, Gr. VII

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# Initiatives

## Book Donation Drive

We're happy to share that we donated books to an NGO called Asthitvam, which held a book donation drive at our school campus. The books collected by our students were contributed towards setting up a library for underprivileged children.

*A book is a gift you can open again and again - Garrison Keillor*



## The Interact Club: Financial Literacy Drive

The Interact Club members hosted a meeting with the bus drivers of our school, going ahead with their Financial Literacy project and taking another step towards the success of this project. They had an informative discussion with the staff and learned a lot of things that will help their project grow even further. Both the members and the staff were interactive and enthusiastic while answering questions. Overall it was a fruitful day and a great icebreaker session!



## Contribution to the Heal-a-Child Foundation

Our school has been working towards raising funds to contribute to Heal-a-Child Foundation's mission - to save young children from avoidable suffering, especially newborns and preterm infants requiring intensive care.

We are happy to share that we contributed to the care of the baby of Ms. Habeeba Begum, as a part of the initiative that we took up during the Carnival of the Cubs. We're also the first school to have raised the pledged amount; we are grateful to all those who contributed to this noble cause!

**Heal-a-Child**  
Your contribution & prayer counts

**Baby of Habeeba Begum**



<b>Case Number :</b> 970	<b>Hospital:</b> Sowmya, S R Nagar
<b>Gestational Age:</b> 36 weeks	<b>Hospitalization:</b> 11 Days
<b>Birth weight :</b> 2600 grams	<b>HAC Contribution:</b> 75,000/-

**Diagnosis:** Acute Bronchiolitis, Severe Respiratory Distress Syndrome.

**Seen in the picture (L to R):** Dr. Bindu, Ms. Sharvani, HAC Assistant Manager – Operations, Ms. Pooja Agarwal, Teacher, Master Abhishay Gnaan, Ms. Habeeba Begum, mother holding the child, Baby Sruti, Baby Arysha Mishra and Baby Sahasra, students of The Premia Academy.

# Events & Celebrations

## Republic Day

The essence of patriotism reverberated as we gathered to celebrate Republic Day in school. The students paid homage to the leaders of our nation and our diverse culture through an engaging set of performances which included songs, dances and a *nukkad natak* as well! Beyond the festivities, Republic Day holds a deeper significance for us as students. It serves as a reminder of our responsibilities as citizens and the importance of upholding the democratic ideals upon which our nation was founded.



## Founder's Day

On this day, we commemorated the school's achievements as a whole and also reflected on the 4-year journey led by our founders.

We expressed gratitude for their unwavering support and distinct vision and also reaffirmed our commitment to carrying their legacy forward with pride and honor.

Here's to our future together full of academic and holistic endeavours!



# Experiences

## Pre-primary Field Trip: The Secretariat

What an enriching experience it was to take the youngest of our generation to the impressive Secretariat located on the banks of the Hussain Sagar. It is a feat of architecture! They had so many questions about the building and what's inside it, and we tried our best to introduce them to the idea of governance.



## The Young Innovator's Program by CCMB

Harini Alwala (Gr. VIII) has completed a two-week hands-on research program at CCMB, where they carried out experiments such as preparation and analysis of RNA and DNA, preparation, and examination of proteins and cultured cells under electron and fluorescent microscopes. In addition, she also studied a mouse brain, visited the cancer lab and a Covid-testing laboratory. It was a unique experience interacting with scientists and working with them in real-time!



# SOF Olympiad Winners

## General Knowledge and English Olympiads - Results

The Science Olympiad Foundation (SOF) Olympiad is an esteemed academic competition designed to foster a spirit of scientific inquiry and critical thinking among students. It offers a platform for young minds to showcase their aptitude and passion for various disciplines. We congratulate all the students who participated and here are the results!

### IGKO Winners



Grade I: Yuvaan (1st), Harun (2nd) & Driti (3rd)    Grade II: Dhruv (1st), Azfer (2nd) & Nishal (3rd)    Grade III: Hardhik (1st), Sarrinah (2nd) & Diaan (3rd)    Grade IV: Bruhat (1st), Kanak (2nd) & Maryam (3rd)



Grade V: Aradhya (1st)    Grade VI: Divit (1st) & Sidhiksha (2nd)    Grade VIII: Zainab Fatima (1st)    Grade X: Rehaan (1st) & Sadia (2nd)

### IEO Winners



Grade I: Aradhya (1st), Vivikta (2nd) & Yuvaan (3rd)    Grade II: Nabiha (1st), Aman (2nd) & Azfer (3rd)    Grade III: Hardhik (1st), Anayah (2nd) & Hansika (3rd)    Grade IV: Faizeen (1st), Ismail (2nd) & Jaswitha (3rd)    Grade V: Shreesha (1st), Hammad (2nd) & Ifrah (3rd)



Grade VI: Sidhiksha (1st), Srimanyu (2nd) & Nivedh (3rd)    Grade VII: Veer (1st), Sruti (2nd) & Balahansini (3rd)    Grade VIII: Riyanka (1st) & Fauzia (2nd)    Grade X: Sadia (1st) & Prisha (2nd)    Grade XII: Madhavi (1st)

# Recognitions



### The Premia Stars - January 2023

We are proud to announce the results of the Premia Stars of January! Heartiest congratulations to the winners!

## Martial Arts Championship

Our young martial artists, who train under the guidance of Mr. Shaukat Ali, recently participated in a martial arts championship organised by the World Nakayama Shotokan Karate Do in Hyderabad. Veer (Gr. VII) bagged the gold medal; Aarush (Gr. IV) and Faizeen (Gr. IV) secured silver medals; Sidhiksha (Gr. VI) and Aadhya (Gr. III) secured bronze medals. Congratulations!



## STTAR National Teachers' Olympiad

Ms. Akriti Agrawal, our curricularist participated in the NTO organised by STTAR, a research academy, and secured State Rank 13 and All India Rank 234 among teachers who participated from all over India!



*Congratulations!*



# Educational Exploration

## Ms. Sinduri Reddy @ the 19th Leadership Conference

The Association of International Schools of India (TAISI) recently held the 19th Leadership Conference in London, with the theme 'Leadership Excellence'. TAIISI is the first and largest platform in India for international schools to learn from and with each other.

Our Founder & MD, Ms. Sinduri Reddy featured as a panel member amongst other next-gen education leaders. Participating in events like these provides insight into real-time changes in the academic space and creates awareness about the current career-scape around the world.

As mentors, they are on a journey of life-long learning too! There is always something new and the more they know, the better they are able to guide young minds and prepare them for the future.



## Life Sciences Workshop

Ms. K. Suhasini participated in an Advances in Life Sciences workshop organised by India Bioscience at the University of Hyderabad.



## Climate Education Workshop

Ms. K. Supriya, Ms. Rohini and Ms. Nikhila participated in a climate education workshop, held at the Hyderabad Literary Festival, which discussed how to integrate climate change conversations in the classroom.



TO ALL THE STUDENTS WRITING BOARD EXAMS.

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