

WIZNEWS

VOLUME 01 | ISSUE 23

THE WISDOM NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER EDITION #1

SHUBHA SHARADIYA



At The DN Wisdom Tree Global School, our calendar marks all manner of traditions and special occasions. And as is our wont, we ushered in the festive Puja season today, before the holidays, with an endearing celebration that children and mentors put together with great elan. Vivacious children and vibrant mentors in beautiful costumes, invoked the Divine Shakti through shlokas and mantras that tugged at our hearts. And then came the song and dance performances that gave us goosebumps. Swirling, twirling, doing groovy steps, in eye-catching traditional wear, dressed to the T, Wisdomites had us all clapping in accompaniment throughout. Presentations by grade mentors followed, reminding us of the joys that this season brings, the collective enthusiasm of marking our rich heritage in multifaceted ways. The very special highlight that closed the celebration was the Dhunuchi dance performed by two of our grade mentors. So intense were the moments, that by the time the Dhunuchi ended, we were all teary eyed. And so our festive season has taken off, with smiles and shining joy.





SHUBHA SHARADIYA





SHUBHA SHARADIYA



A SCIENCE EXHIBITION WITH A DIFFERENCE

AND REPORT CARD DAY (PRIMARY & MIDDLE SCHOOL)



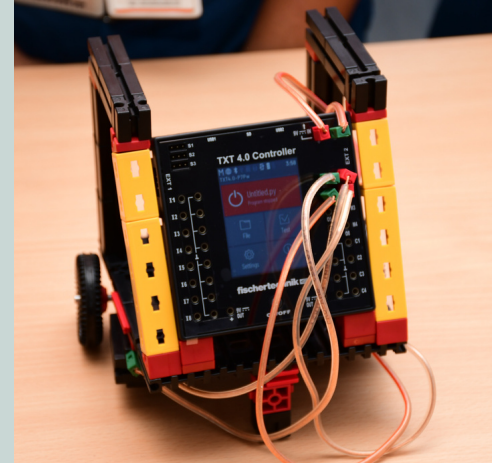
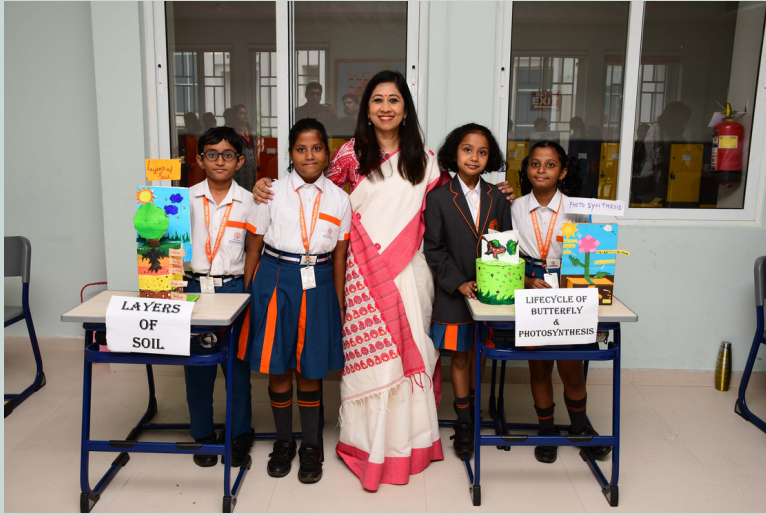
The DN Wisdom Tree Global School was abuzz and festive, all day today. The classrooms were vibrant and humming with energy. There were lively conversations at every turn, as parents strolled through the school, taking in the working model projects that our young Wisdomites had created. The excitement itself was thrilling for all of us adults, as were the many interactions with the presenters from each grade. Well modelled working projects and confident presenters with cogent scientific explanations of their work – the Science Exhibition at The DN Wisdom Tree Global School today was an outcome of academic calibre which made us all very proud.

So here's a big shout out to all our Wisdomites and mentors. Shine on. We look forward to your learning accomplishments in the days and seasons ahead.



A SCIENCE EXHIBITION WITH A DIFFERENCE

AND REPORT CARD DAY (PRIMARY & MIDDLE SCHOOL)



Learning by Doing



CELEBRATING OUR WISDOMITE'S ROLLER SKATING TRIUMPH!



Our hearts swell with pride when our Wisdomites mark up achievement milestones, as they grow in their life journeys. We are thrilled that Shrivin Mohanty has won a bronze in the 1st All Odisha Inter Club Roller Skating Championship held on 8th October 2023 at Indian Institute of Technology Bhubaneswar (Argul Campus) in the 8–10 years age group.

Way to go, Shrivin! Shine on.

Parent-Teacher Meeting

Happy Children = Happy Parents = The DN Wisdom Tree Global School

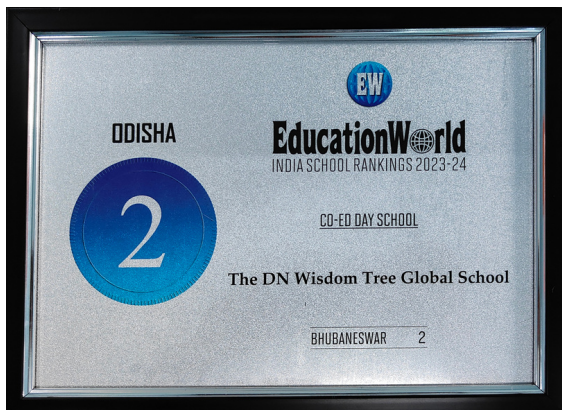
We are grateful to all our beloved parents for their continued faith and their affirmations about the institution. Your encouragement inspires us to be better versions of ourselves. Immense gratitude!



THE DN WISDOM TREE GLOBAL SCHOOL SHINES BRIGHT WITH THE PRESTIGIOUS EDUCATION WORLD AWARDS 2023



It is with great pride and delight that we share this wonderful news - The DN Wisdom Tree Global School is the recipient of two prestigious awards from Education World. Our young school has been adjudged #2 Co-ed Day School in Bhubaneswar and Odisha. And even better, we have been ranked #8 in India and #1 in Bhubaneswar and Odisha by the Grand Jury amongst Best Emerging High Potential Schools in the country. Our hearts did a little jig when our Vice Chairperson, Panchami Manoo Ukil went up to the Education World Awards 2023 stage and received the Ranking as well as the Grand Jury commendation. We would like to thank all our stakeholders at this very special moment of pride for the institution.



Our Warmest Birthday Greetings



Hon'ble Chief Minister of Odisha
SHRI NAVEEN PATNAIK

We wish our beloved CM Sir a very Happy Birthday and many more healthy years ahead. Prayers to Lord Jagannath to grant him unending strength to lead Odisha

AN ENCHANTING WORLD OF BOOKS

THE WISDOM LIBRARY SESSIONS



Reading from an early age helps children acquire a larger vocabulary, stronger reading abilities and better comprehension skills. While developing important literacy skills, and fostering imagination, creativity, and critical thinking, reading inculcates a lifelong love for learning that serves children throughout their lives.



At The DN Wisdom Tree Global School, we believe that in this age of instant gratification and technology, every child must be fostered with a love for books. The enchanting world of books must be sustained in order to enable generation next to explore the calm and relaxed activity of reading. In order to inculcate the reading habit and set a reading culture, several specially curated reading programmes are woven into our unique curriculum so that children seamlessly engage with books and emerge as competent readers. No modern gadgetry can ever replace the quaint and comforting warmth of reading a book, as a family, as parent and child, or simply in solitude.

Invigorating reading sessions are part of our days. The school library is one of the best places for children to be and we make sure that their interest is kindled and their curiosity appetite grows amid books.

Now you know why we say we are a school as Unique as your Child!



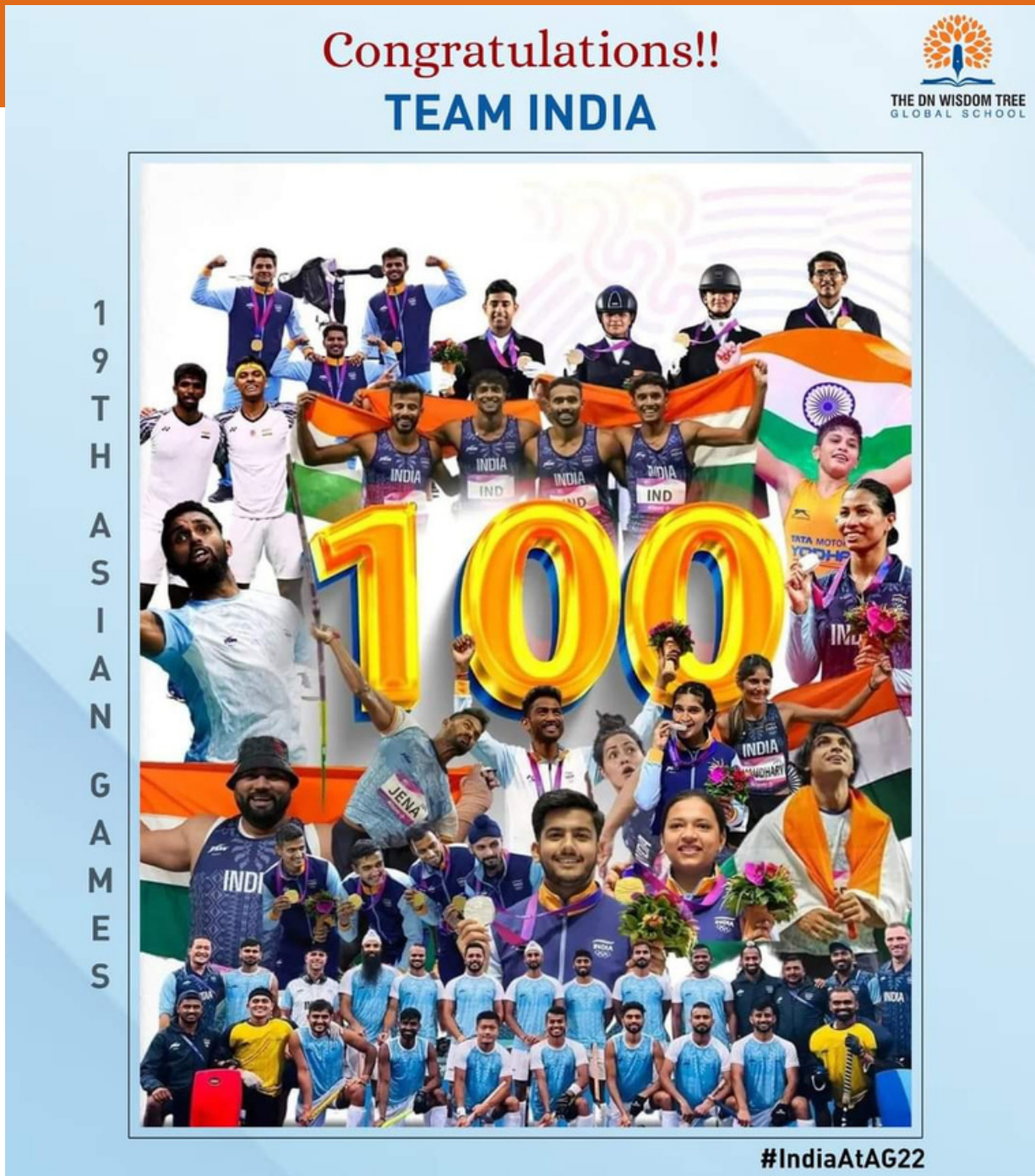
Shot on OnePlus
Powered by Triple Camera



HISTORY IS MADE AS INDIA GETS 100 MEDALS AT THE ASIAN GAMES 2022!

This is a testament to the power of dreams, dedication, and teamwork of our athletes involved in the achievement of **#TEAMINDIA!**

Let this achievement inspire generations to come - showing that with hard work and passion, anything is possible!



Horse-Riding



At The DN Wisdom Tree Global School, activities are designed keeping in mind the wider perspective.

Horse-Riding is first and foremost an activity that defines man-animal relationship. To understand the animal, its moods and body language with empathy is the starting point for horse riding. Today this familiarisation process was gently inculcated in our children. There was nervousness, excitement and delight as children were introduced to the beautiful black and white horses and took some rounds in the field.

Children learn best when they are happy. And joyful learning is the way we go at **The DN Wisdom Tree Global School** - a School as Unique as your Child!



THE WISDOM FINISHING SCHOOL PROGRAMME SEASON IV (WFSP4)

ODISHA, *Our Land*

The DN Wisdom Tree Global School has constantly endeavoured to provide a unique learning experience for our beloved Wisdomites, and this finishing school programme benchmarks holistic education in the truest sense of the term. Possibly, the only mainstream school in the country, to embed a finishing school programme for children within the framework of the regular academic schedule, it gives us a sense of deep gratification to know that this unique programme has positively impacted our children and parents, thereby reaffirming our commitment to a transformative system of education.



In its fourth season, WFSP has focused on our state Odisha and its multifaceted heritage, its ancient legacy and its contemporary strengths. We explored the geography of Odisha through this session - Odisha, Our Land. We learnt about its geological features, abundant mineral resources as well as some of the most ancient rock formations. From rivers to forests, from mountain peaks to river basins, lakes and the coastline, children got acquainted with all the geographical uniqueness that makes our state Odisha.



As the fourth WFSP season unfolds, we are all excited about the amazing journeys of learning and interaction that await Wisdomites, mentors and parents.



SEASON IV
(WFSP4)

THE WISDOM FINISHING SCHOOL PROGRAMME

Odisha's Art Heritage - Sculpture

A specially curated one-of-a-kind interactive programme, WFSP is designed to inculcate a wholesome world view, enable global exposure and encourage personality development by taking children through a gamut of presentations and activities on different subjects of interest. The topics are selected and customized after significant brainstorming and research by an able team of mentors, in making sure that there is great value-add to children's general knowledge.

In its fourth season, the present WFSP lens is on Odisha's heritage. As part of the 'Our State is Special' series, this session revisited Odisha's ancient sculptural heritage, starting with Ashokan Rock Edicts, and Emperor Kharavela's stone friezes in Udayagiri Caves, through the Ratnagiri Mahavihara to the Konark Sun Temple, known as poetry in stone. Together, we saw and heard the stories of how these ancient sites were built and how they flourished, and eventually became heritage milestones in the practice of sculpture. We meandered through the legends and the narratives of the key characters, and learnt of the links to contemporary art practice in today's Odisha. As part of the session, children learnt the rudiments of creating sculptures, duly facilitated by mentors in activity time, post the presentation.





Needless to say, the vibrance of the sessions speaks of the excitement of new discoveries, kindling curiosity in young minds, and nothing could be better on this journey of learning.

SEASON IV
(WFSP4)



CELEBRATING BAPU'S BIRTHDAY WITH CHILDREN & CHARKHA



"Charkha is the symbol of the nation's prosperity and therefore freedom. I am confident of earning its blessings for suggesting a revival of the Charkha. I stake my all on it. For every revolution of the wheel spins peace, goodwill and love."

(M. K. Gandhi, Young India, 1921)

Rarely has a device charged a quest for freedom and defined independence for a nation like the simple spinning wheel - the Charkha. It was Bapu's ingenuity that deployed the Charkha as a symbol of political emancipation, and economic self-reliance. Bapu adopted the Charkha as a tool to highlight homespun Khadi and dismiss the yoke of foreign products, to help create financial liberty for every Indian, and to lodge a method of nonviolent protest. Soon, the Charkha became an icon of the Swadeshi movement for a new, self-reliant India, creating an enduring impact and leaving an indelible imprint on our country. Ever since, it has been an integral part of our Indian identity.



This year, Gandhi Jayanti celebrations at The DN Wisdom Tree Global School were marked by a unique programme. We celebrated Bapu's birthday with children and charkha. Specialist Charkha spinners were brought in from Ganjam, one of the last bastions of practice in Odisha, to demonstrate the art of Charkha weaving to children, and help them learn a few hacks. The buzz in the gathering of our little people was palpable to say the least. Children, all agog with excitement, took turns to handle spinning the cotton, alongside master artisans. And there were goosebump moments for the adults.

Working on the Charkha is a meditative experience. It helps improve concentration, balance and coordination. Children develop skills and values for the long term, and understand the importance of self reliance. They learn the pride in wearing what has been handwoven, it inculcates the love of handlooms and handicrafts.

As we concluded Bapu's birthday commemoration, we were sure that many such activities will now be embedded in our calendar, promoting the joy of our roots through rekindling of heritage traditions.





IRA the DOLPHIN
Our School Mascot

The Irrawady Dolphin is found in the waters of Chilika Lake. It is a threatened species in need of preservation and conservation.

Dolphins are the most intelligent creatures in the animal world, second only to humans. Some scientists say that the brain of dolphins is bigger than humans, making them more intelligent than humans. They are extremely social animals and display exemplary and complex group behaviour like empathy. If a dolphin mother has a baby then the entire group protects and nurtures the baby. They are playful and great communicators. They recognise each other across the sea through their signature whistles.

- **Intelligence / Wisdom**
- **Empathy**
- **Collaboration**
- **Happy / Playfulness**
- **Communication**

These are some great skills that we look forward to inculcating in our WISDOMITES.

By adopting IRA the Irrawady Dolphin as our mascot, we are raising awareness about the need of conservation of this dolphin species as well as other threatened species of wildlife, reiterating our commitment towards green ethics and towards building a band of eco-ethical global citizens of the future.



Seasons greetings and best wishes.



DUSSEHRA HOLIDAYS

20TH OCTOBER TO 29TH OCTOBER 2023

SCHOOL REOPENS ON 30TH OCTOBER 2023 (MONDAY)



THE DN WISDOM TREE
GLOBAL SCHOOL

DASARATHI NAIK FOUNDATION FOR EXCELLENCE

Jagadish Prasad Naik
Founder & Chairman

Panchami Manoo Ukil
Vice Chairperson

Ratnamala Swain
Trustee

Minati Naik
Trustee

Rita Chatterjee
Director-Principal

The DN Wisdom Tree Global School

📍 Plot #740/1363, Sundarpur, Khandagiri - Chandaka Rd, Bhubaneswar, Odisha 754005

☎ 9439070000 ✉ enquiry@wisdomtreebbsr.com

