



# INDIAN SCHOOL SUR

## ACADEMIC YEAR 2019-20

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## ANNUAL DAY 2019-20

Indian School Sur celebrated its 31<sup>st</sup> Annual day with great festivity and gaiety on 14<sup>th</sup> November. Dr. Baby Sam, Chairman, BoD and Mr Gedigeri Managing Director OMIFCO graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and Guest of Honour respectively. The Directors in Charge of the school Mr Nitheesh Sundaresan and Mr Ajith K Panicker were the Augustus guests. The gathering was welcomed by the Head Girl Anany Ashok and the distinguished guests were accorded floral welcome. Our Principal Dr. Srinivasan presented the report and made audience aware of the achievements in academics and co-curricular arenas. Prizes were given away to the toppers in academics and to YCIS volunteers. Children from LKG to XII presented stunning programmes with the backdrop of LED screen visuals. It was an amalgamation of various hues befitting the theme journey through Indian Cinema. The Management of OMIFCO, Sea Pride and KAS company were thanked by the school management for the constant support extended in the flourishing of the school. Academic proficiency awards were given out among the academically excellent students.

The rolling trophy for the best House was lifted by Red and Green Houses. Mr Mohammed Ameen, President SMC thanked the magnanimity of the management OMIFCO for the school buses donated to the school. He gave the parents an insight into the developmental plans that are going to be implemented. Mr Gedigeri appreciated the school for its notable achievements over the recent years. In his message, Dr Sam reminded the students of the value of three Ss- self confidence and reliance, service to the needy and supporting each other. He appreciated the staff for the perfection of the cultural extravaganza. The students presented an extremely vibrant cultural fiesta that made the audience laugh, muse and ponder. Dance dramas, fairy tales, folk tales, dances and music enchanted the audience to the core. The journey through Indian Cinema over a century was the highlight of the cultural extravaganza. The YCIS volunteers put up a 'Sale for Charity' food stall that refreshed the audience throughout the programme. Dhairya Srivastava, the Head Boy proposed vote of thanks. The parent community and the invited guests expressed deep appreciation on the magnificent cultural fiesta.

## PHOTO GALLERY







### 49<sup>th</sup> Oman National Day celebration

Our school took part in the 49<sup>th</sup> National Day Celebration of our second home. The entire campus was decorated with flags of Oman. Whole school assembled for the special assembly conducted to honour the country. The event began with a few verses from the holy Quran by Abdullah of class 6B. Speech in Arabic by Mohammed of class XII and a speech by Hanan of class 6B inspired the students as they highlighted the significance of the day. Head Girl of the school made a speech on the celebrations as thanks giving to His Majesty. This was followed by beautiful song and a colourful dance by students of classes VI, VII and VIII. Scouts and Guides of Classes VI and VII took part in the march past holding the portrait of His Majesty Qaboos Bin Said and holding flags in the campus. This day was celebrated with utmost joy and happiness. On 18<sup>th</sup> November our students took part in the 49<sup>th</sup> National Day Celebration at Aiga Girls' School and presented a Kathak Dance and a unique performance by Dharmik Rajesh of class VII.A. The team returned with immense satisfaction and pleasure.

### Oman National Day celebration

Young learners of LKG had shown progressive path for growth. As a part of Oman National Day activity Palm painting using the colours of the National Flag of Oman was done by LKG kids. They loved to dip their fingers in the given colours. It was a good exposure to them. Children poured variety of inventiveness which gathered accolades from every nook and corner.



### Desalination Plant Visit

Classes XA and XB visited Sur Desalination plant on 19<sup>th</sup> November. The students were given a demonstration of the process of water purification and functioning of the plant.



### Children's Day

Children's Day was celebrated in our school on 21<sup>st</sup> November which marked the International Children's Day. Children had fun filled day witnessing the unique performance by the teachers followed by House wise team games.





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- Our senior team consisting of Nithin of class IX and Arhaan of class IX participated in Times of Oman Quiz on 23<sup>rd</sup> November in Muscat.
- Our young athletes Athul Varayil of class XI and Uthara Abhilash Nair of class V participated in National Athletic Meet on 26<sup>th</sup> November in Chattisgarh India. Athul secured 10<sup>th</sup> position in 5000m under 19 boys category and Uthara Abhilas completed her 3000m race in 15 minutes.

### Constitution Day

In order to highlight the significance of our constitution, to prioritise its value, pledge was delivered in the special assembly on the occasion of the Constitution Day on 26<sup>th</sup> November by Indrajith Babu of class VIIIB. Pragnya Rao of class VIII.A gave an inspiring speech which kindled the spirit of patriotism and to abide by the constitution.

- Class VIII students visited the desalination plant at Sur as part of the educational factory visit programme on 4<sup>th</sup> December.



- Mathematics Olympiad for Classes II to XII was conducted on 5th December. 85 students appeared for the examination.



### ISFF- Short Films

The students of our school had a fun filled and relaxing experience watching the films streamed for them as a part of the ISFF. We received the guidelines from the Board of Directors on the web page and password details. 22 films were streamed for the students of three age groups.

Three venues were arranged for three age groups :

#### Age group 6- 10 - Multi Purpose Hall

The Leader, My Best Friend, Little Big George, Bunny New Girl

Belly Flop, Asteria, Art of Giving

#### Age Group 11- 13 - Audio Visual Room

The perfect Girl, Lunch Bob, My Best Friend, Dog Gone, Black Hole, What Is That

#### Age group 14 to 18 - Class XI Room

Open Doors, My Generation, Cup of Tea, Braed Butter, Blind Girl, Ari, Beautiful Mistake, A Day in the Park, Slackers

### Annual Sports Selection

- Sessions and semifinals of the Annual Sports events 2019 were held from 24<sup>th</sup> November to 5<sup>th</sup> December.

### Participation in Inter School Film Festival

- 4 students took part in the workshop held on film Shooting technology in Muscat on 5th Dec.
- 35 students presented the programme titled **Indian Cinema** over the Decades at Indian School Muscat on 5th December.
- Class IX students were taken for a factory visit to view the processing of fish biproducts. They visted Sea Pride processing unit at Koima, on 7th December.







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### Health and Fitness Programme

A programme to bring about awareness on sports and games was held for the parents on 7 December. Kick to the target, aim the basket and tug of war were the events held for both men and women. The school received an overwhelming response from the parents. The winners were accorded prizes at the closing ceremony of the annual athletic meet.

### SPORTS & ATHLETIC MEET 2019

Indian School Sur celebrated its 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Sports Day on 15<sup>th</sup> December 2019, a day filled with fervour and excitement experienced amidst thrills, shrills and cheers. The Chief Guest His Excellency Sultan Bin Mansoor Bin Nasser Al Gaszeli- Deputy Wali Sur Sharqia was accorded a floral welcome. The Chief Guest declared the sports meet open and released the balloons. Defence Official Abdullah Bin Mohammed Al Ghilani was the guest of the day. School Management Committee members also graced the occasion with their presence. Inaugural function was followed by the National Anthems of India and Oman. Children of different Houses- Green Jade – the winners of last year's March Past- followed by Blue Sapphire, Red Ruby and Yellow Topaz put up a sterling show in the March past, a highly competitive event where the four houses eyed for the first place. The Chief Guest took the salute of the March Past. This was followed by the Torch Relay by the Best Athletes of 2018-19, three glorious students- first torch bearer Giffin of class VII, followed by Fahmeda of class VIII. Priyanti of class VIII lit the flame. Sports Captain Anzala Khalid administered the Oath.

The audience next witnessed various displays the ground sported a colourful look with students displaying Yoga symbolizing alternative sources of energy. Mass Drill by Primary students was a visual treat. Students of classes VI-XII exhibited multitier pyramid to showcase their balancing act. The displays made way for the highly awaited athletic events where competitiveness among the students soared through the air.

Red House and Blue House bagged the limelight by winning first place in the March Past. The audience witnessed the proud achievers receiving their individual as well as House trophies during the prize distribution ceremony graced by the guest Abdullah Bin Mohammed Al Ghilani. The individual championship trophies for the year 2019 were

Winners of Health and Fitness sports events Parent winners were also given prizes.

The day ended with the lowering of the flag by Suneesh Sir. It was a day filled with sportsmanship, enthusiasm and memories to cherish. The Principal of this esteemed institution Dr. Srinivasan, thanked all the teachers for their cooperation and support and advised children to keep up their sportsman spirit.



To see more photos check school website  
[indianschoolsur.com](http://indianschoolsur.com)



### Counselling Session

- Counselling session on time management and stress management was held for class X to XII on 17 Dec by Mrs Anumol Jinz, student counsellor.



- Cyber Olympiad was held for the students of class II to X on 19th Dec.

### Christmas and Year End Celebration

- A vibrant celebration marking the close of the year and Christmas was organised by class V students, on 19th Dec.



- Health and Fitness Programme for the students, teachers and parents was held during the second week of December. The school has been certified as Fit India School by CBSE, after verification.
- Our students took part in the art competition held at Toyota Sur branch on 6th January.



- Class VA students were taken for an awareness programme on 8th January on the reduced use of plastic and environment protection.

