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ACTIVITIES OF THE STUDENTS

a. अंतर विद्यालय हिंदी वाद-विवाद प्रतियोगिता

आर्मी पब्लिक स्कूल कामठी में अंतर विद्यालय हिंदी वाद -विवाद प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन दिनांक 01.8.22 को किया गया | जिसमें आर्मी पब्लिक स्कूल ग्वालियर, सागर, बबीना, भोपाल, झाँसी, कामठी ने भाग लिया | वाद-विवाद का विषय "शिक्षा में संगीत और कला के बजाय गणित तथा विज्ञान पर ध्यान देना चाहिए" था | आर्मी पब्लिक स्कूल से प्रतिभागी थे कु. जयांशी राणा XIID (पक्ष), शिवांग दुबे XIAA (विपक्ष), कु हिमानी सिंह XIID (अवरोधक) | कु. हिमानी सिंह को श्रेष्ठ अवरोधक के पुरस्कार से पुरस्कृत किया गया | आर्मी पब्लिक स्कूल ग्वालियर ने तृतीय स्थान प्राप्त किया



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b. NCC ACTIVITY OF TREE PLANTATION.

NCC cadets of Army Public School Gwalior carried out a Tree Plantation Drive around the school and their surroundings from 02 Aug to 09 Aug 2022. In this campaign, trees of Neem, Peepal, Ashok and Sheesham etc were planted prominently in the school premises. The idea behind the activity was to

take required action against the problems of global warming & ecological disbalance. Students were told about the benefits of planting trees. Trees provide various types of useful medicines, as well as give pure air. We can also stop global warming by planting trees. The Plantation Activity was helpful in promoting the habit of Environment Conservation among the students.



NCC ACTIVITY OF TREE PLANTATION

c. INTER HOUSE ENGLISH AND HINDI DEBATE COMPETITION .

Inter house English and Hindi Debate Competition was held on 3rd August 2022 in APS Gwalior, for the students of class IX to XII. The topic for English Debate Competition was 'Hybrid Learning vs Traditional Learning- a Way Forward' and the topic for Hindi Debate Competition was 'शिक्षा को संगीत और कला के बजाय गणित और विज्ञान पर ध्यान देना चाहिए ।' The criterion of the judgement were: Organisation and clarity of thought, use of argument, use of cross examination/ rebuttal, and confidence. Three students were selected from each house of grade IX-XII, one for the motion, one against the motion and one interjector. The time allotted to the speakers was 4 minutes and each speaker faced minimum two interjections. The judgment of English Debate was done by Mrs Preeti Sharma, PGT(English), Mrs Bhanu Sahni, TGT(English) and Mrs Neelu Dixit, PRT(English). The judgment of Hindi Debate was done by Mrs Vivian Singh, Vice Principal, Mrs Poonam Dubey, PGT(Hindi) and Mrs Nisha Gautam, PRT(Hindi). The participants exhibited great oratory skills. It was a great learning experience for all the participants and students who viewed the competition.

The result of English Debate Competition:-

Name of the student	Class	House	Position
Dhananjay Garg	XA	Tagore House [best speaker for the motion]	I
Simmi Yadav	IXB	Tagore House [best speaker against the motion]	I
Chettu Pawan Kalyan	IX B	Tagore House [best interjector]	I

Overall House Position in English Debate:-

Name of the House	Position
Tagore	I
Azad	II
Raman	III
Bhagat	IV

The Result of Hindi Debate Competition:-

Name of the student	Class	House	Position
Jagrati Sharma	IXE	Bhagat House [Best Speaker for the motion]	I
Shivang Dubey	XIIA	Bhagat House [Best Speaker against the motion]	I
Prachi Mishra	XIID	Bhagat House [Best Interjector]	I

Overall House Position in Hindi Debate Competition:-

House	Position
Bhagat House	I
Azad House	II
Tagore House	III
Raman House	IV



INTER HOUSE ENGLISH AND HINDI DEBATE COMPETITION

(d) ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION.

Intra class Essay Writing Competition was organized on 3rd August 2022 by Army Public School, Gwalior for the students of Classes VI-VIII. The activity was successfully conducted by the Class teachers in their respective periods where the students wrote their imagination on a piece of paper by giving it the shine of golden words. All the students of class 6th, 7th and 8th have participated in this competition. Topic for class 6th and 7th was- "Students should get limited access to the internet" and for class 8th it was - "प्रेस की आजादी कितनी सार्थक". The objective of the competition was to make the students do research about the internet and freedom of the press. The competition was judged on the rubrics of Content, Organization and Mechanics. They all participated in this competition with great enthusiasm. The competition was of great benefit to them, as it contributed to the development of writing, thinking and creative skills and critical thinking.

The result of the competition is as follows-

Class	Name of the Student	Position
VIE	Ayushi Rajawat	I
VIF	Ekta Singh Narwaria	II
VIE	Rajesh Bolea	II
VI D	Darshika	III
VIB	Simmi Baghel	III
VII F	Anushka Rana	I
VII D	Deepa Rathore	I
VIID	Sonakshi Jadon	II
VII E	Aparna Sharma	III
VII C	Parth Chaturvedi	I
VIIIF	Monu Tomar	I
VIII G	Jaya Tripathi	II
VII H	Vaishnavi Singh	III



ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION

(e) CLASS CONDUCT IN ROBOTICS/ATAL TINKERING LAB

Army Public School Gwalior proudly set its steps into the noble mission of knowledge enhancement. With a vision to cultivate one million child innovators in India, Atal Innovation Mission by NITI Aayog and Government of India envisaged a novel programme - establishment of Atal Tinkering Laboratories in schools across the country. Some activities conducted between 04-07-2022 to 07-08-2022 are as follows:-

Basics of AI: In this class students got to know about the basics of Artificial Intelligence. Students have become able enough to differentiate between Artificial Intelligence and normal computers. They were explained about AI with the help of AI games.

Demonstration of robots and robotic components: In this class the students were shown the practical demonstration of some robots like Robo Crane, Hexabot, Transporter vehicle, etc. and were explained the working of each robot. They were shown the separate components of each robot and other important parts of Robotics.

LED Sequential Control: It was first basic project of ATL in which students were demonstrated how to blink LEDs, using programming in a particular fashion. In this project students learned about breadboards, circuits, Arduino Uno, Jumper Wires, LEDs, Resistors, etc.

Introduction to Python: In this class the students were given some basic introduction of a high level programming language Python. They were imparted knowledge how to install Python on any computer and how to start Python. Robotics Faculty has started to teach Python Language Basics and the School will proceed gradually by conducting more innovative classes



CLASS CONDUCT IN ROBOTICS/ATAL TINKERING LAB

(f) GUEST LECTURE ON PROMOTION OF START UPS.

A guest lecture was organized on August 5, 2022 in ATL Lab of Army Public School Gwalior. Mr Raunak Singh (Business Incubator Manager, College of Agriculture, Gwalior) was the resource person. Students of Class XI got the opportunity to be benefitted by the means of this guest lecture. He enlightened the students about "Agribusiness Incubation and Entrepreneurship". He told that their program was purely based on the concept Vocal for Local. He informed the students about the unlimited opportunities of entrepreneurship, market linkages, development of value chains, creation of agriculture business ecosystem and linking the farmers to the markets. He told the students how they can get employment by Agri Business. He told, about various steps followed in Incubation Program and also about the support provided to them by the Government or other sectors. The lecture aimed to instill the value "Be a job creator, not a job seeker". It also aimed to make the students understand the "Vision of Atma Nirbhar Bharat". The students were enlightened to know a new stream of business which will make the backbone of their country's economy strong.



GUEST LECTURE ON PROMOTION OF START UPS

(g) AMITY UNIVERSITY MADHYA PRADESH MODEL UNITED NATIONS 5.0 AUMP MUN 5.0 WAS ORGANIZED BY AMITY LAW SCHOOL,

Amity University Madhya Pradesh, Gwalior from 04-05 August 2022. 15 students from classes IX, X and XII of Army Public School Gwalior participated in the event along with the students of other prestigious schools and colleges of Gwalior, Jhansi, Delhi and Khandwa .There were total 350 students from all over India who participated in the event. The team members of APS Gwalior received participation certificates and three students were awarded with the following awards:-
Mr Kapil Pal of class X D was awarded with Cash prize of Rs. 1000/- and Special Mention Award.

Mr Abhay Pratap Singh Chauhan of class XII C was awarded with Verbal Mention Award.

Mr Sumit Singh of class XII D was awarded with Verbal Mention Award.

This conference brought together the bright and inspiring minds of all over India and provided a forum for meaningful debate on issues significant to the international community. It also helped to know about the various perspectives of the art of diplomacy, value leadership profoundly. It infused the team spirit and inculcated oratory skills and research methodology among the students. It also taught the skills like Public Speaking, Debating, Critical Thinking and Leadership among the students.



AMITY UNIVERSITY MADHYA PRADESH MODEL UNITED NATIONS 5.0

(h) GUEST LECTURE ON MERCHANT NAVY.

A guest lecture was organised in ATL , Army Public School Gwalior by Mr Kaushal Pratap Singh Singh, Assistant Manager - Cadet Recruitment Anglo Eastern Ship Manager ,Delhi, on 08 August 2022. The workshop aimed at raising awareness about the Merchant Navy as a rewarding, responsible and lucrative profession that can be embarked upon after Class 12. The workshop became very interesting and interactive with the power point presentation showed by the resource person. By means of a Utube Video, a mariner's contribution to society was also highlighted during the session which provided a brief introduction to the Merchant Navy. The lecture helped students to take a judicious decision regarding their careers once they leave high school.



GUEST LECTURE ON MERCHANT NAVY

(j) FELICITATION CEREMONY OF VEERGATHA AWARDEES.

Students of Army Public School , Gwalior Class XI witnessed the Online Felicitation event of Veergatha Awardees in the School Conference Room on 12 August 20 22. Online Veergatha Project was held by CBSE in November 2021. The students from all over India had participated in it by uploading Poems, Essays, Paintings and Multimedia presentation (Video) on CBSE Veergatha Portal. The event was witnessed online by means of a webex link created by MoD . The programme had a Trial Run on 11 August 2022 .The link was provided to the Nodal Officers for NCC, Sainik School Society and CBSE schools. The students present there showed their zeal by waving tricolor flags. Students of different schools also showed their enthusiasm by waving tricolor flags. They were enthused to behold the Ceremony and got motivated to be the part of such competitions further that will inculcate the spirit of Nationalism and Patriotism among them.



FELICITATION CEREMONY OF VEERGATHA AWARDEES

(k) PLEDGE BY NCC STUDENTS FOR “ NASHA MUKTI”.

On 12 August 22, NCC Cadets of Army Public School took a Pledge against “Use of Drug and Alcohol” and became an active part of Nasha Mukti Campaign. The problem of drug and alcohol addiction has become a serious menace threatening the future of our youth. Sensual drugs and alcoholic drinks play havoc with the body and mind of the users. The pledge was taken in School Assembly. Students from Class VI to XII became a part of this pledge and determined not to use any Narcotic Element in their life. The students of Class VI to XII also took this pledge online by means of a link//pledge. mygov.in/ fight against drug abuse. The students uploaded the certificates and became an active participant of Nasha Mukti Bharat Abhiyaan organised by Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment. The students felt united to take a pledge under the Nasha Mukti Bharat Abhiyaan to make our community, family and friends free from the use of drugs.



PLEDGE BY NCC STUDENTS FOR “ NASHA MUKTI ”

(l) INTER CLASS POEM RECITATION COMPETITION.

Poetry Recitation Competition was held in Army Public School Gwalior for classes I and II on 13 August on the Theme “War Heroes/Patriotic Figures”. Recitation activities help students to build confidence as they learn to speak more accurately and persuasively about any piece of writing. Keeping this in mind, English Recitation Competition was organized. Children astonished everyone with their voice modulation and amazing memorizing skills. This activity aimed to commemorate the sacrifices of great patriotic heroes of our country and inculcate the same feeling among students too. Mrs Bhanu Sahni, TGT English and Mrs Nitya Sharma, TGT Music were the judges for the Competition. The Rubrics for the Competition were- Physical Appearance, Voice and Articulation Relevance of the Theme and Overall Performance.



INTER CLASS POEM RECITATION COMPETITION

(m) INTRA CLASS STORY TELLING COMPETITION.

Intra Class Story Telling Competition was organised in Army Public School Gwalior on 12 August 22 for Class III, IV & V. The suggestive theme for the Competition was “War Heroes/Patriotic Figures”. The competition aimed to recall the sacrifices of great patriotic heroes of our country and inculcate the feeling of patriotism among students. The Rubrics for judgment of the best performances under the discernment of Mrs Vivian Singh, Vice Principal, Mrs Bhanu Sahni, TGT English and Mrs Sonali Mangal, PRT in collaboration with CCA I/C (3 to 5), Mrs Divya Singh Chauhan were Characterization and Presentation, Plot and Setting of the Story, Voice modulation and Accuracy, Use of Language and Enactment. The students enacted the stories of war heroes and patriots wonderfully. The zeal seen in the students was really appreciable. It gave an exposure to all the participants to showcase their talent.



INTRA CLASS STORY TELLING COMPETITION.

(n) HAR GHAR TIRANGA PROGRAMME.

Army Public School, Gwalior celebrated Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsava by becoming an active participant in “Har Ghar Tiranga Campaign”. The School Staff and Students hoisted Tiranga at their homes from 13 August 2022 to 15 August 2022, as a mark of respect for their nation and its glorious history. They showed their commitment to the programme by pinning a flag and uploading a selfie with the national flag on the website “harghartiranga.com”. The programme aimed at inculcating the value of patriotism and to promote awareness about The Indian National Flag among the students and it was successful in doing the same.



HAR GHAR TIRANGA PROGRAMME

(o) INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION AND MINI FETE.

Army Public School Gwalior felt elated to celebrate Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav on August 15th 2022 in order to commemorate 75 years of Independence. The day brought back the memories of freedom struggle undergone by Indian Freedom Struggle War Heroes and Indian Citizens. The programme started by Flag Hoisting by Mr Arvind Kumar Sikarwar, Principal accompanied by Mrs Vivian Singh, Vice Principal. The students presented cultural programme after the National Anthem. The School Principal enlightened all with his motivational speech. A Mini Fete was also organized on the same day involving the participation of teachers as well students of Primary Classes in the Assembly Area of Main Building of the school. Few stalls including food, beverages and games were set up under the guidance of teachers for the enjoyment of pupils. The Teachers of Primary Wing were the Stall Incharges for the sale of items. The Chief Guest of the Programme was Mrs Somya Verma, wife of School Chairman Brigadier Sandeep Verma. The students presented Cultural Programmes Mini Fete was announced open by the Chief Guest for everyone present there. Coupons were purchased by Parents and students for purchasing the food items or playing games. There was a spirit of enthusiasm and fervour. Furthermore, it gave them a chance to come out of their monotonous routine.



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION AND MINI FETE

(p) INTER CLASS MASK MAKING COMPETITION.

Army Public School Gwalior is a pioneer in experiential learning. As a pilot experiential project, a 'Mask Making Activity' was conducted on 17th August 2022 for Classes 3rd to 5th. The theme of the activity was "War Heroes & Patriotic Figures". The students participated in the icebreaking activity, 'Masking your Emotions'. A detailed mind map outlining the purpose, process and learning outcomes of the activity was discussed. Most of the students came prepared with their research work detailing their groups plan of action. They shared presentations, explaining their ideas and plan of action for the project. Finally the students were ready with the final masks. Informative research work and enlightening podcasts were shared by them. The activity, ended with a cat walk. The children walked with some music wearing their masks. The feedback was later shared by the students through a Padlet. It was an interactive and enriching session. The happiness of 'learning by doing' was apparent on the faces of the students. It was an enriching experience both for the learners as well as for the educators. The best mask out of each class was judged by Mrs Vivian Singh, Vice Principal and Mrs Indu Rao, Art and Craft's faculty. Assessment was based on the parameters like- Design, Theme, Presentation skills, Creativity and Neatness & Utility.



INTER CLASS MASK MAKING COMPETITION

(q) BLEND ART COMPETITION.

Interhouse Blend Art Competition was organized on 17th August 2022 by Army Public School, Gwalior. The activity was successfully conducted by the CCA Incharge Ms Renu Singh, where there were 15 students from each house, i.e. Azad, Bhagat, Raman and Tagore. Students with the help of different art forms, performed well and all of them showed their active participation. The theme of the competition was - "Patriotism". The objective of the competition was to inculcate the feeling of patriotism among the students. The competition was judged on the basis of Presentation, Creativity, Dress & Make-up and Relevance with the theme. The students were prepared for the competition by their respective House Masters and Mistresses. They all participated in this competition with great enthusiasm and the competition led to the learning of the importance of the country's pride as well as they got chance to learn different art forms. The result of the competition is as follows.

Name of the House	Position
Tagore	I
Raman	II
Bhagat	III
Azad	IV



BLEND ART COMPETITION



(r) ONLINE DEMONSTRATION OF THE DEBATING SOCIETY ISDS .

An Online Demonstration of the Debating Society ISDS was organized on 18 August 22 in the conference room of Army Public School. The Education Officer, Captain Shiva Porwal, School Principal, Mr Arvind Kumar Sikarwar, Vice Principal, Mrs. Vivian Singh, HOD English Department Mrs Preeti Sharma and Mrs Sonali Mangal,PRT & Mrs Bhanu Sahni,TGT English attended the Demo Session. The School Chairman Brigadier Sandeep Verma attended the session online. The Debate Club (students IX- XII) of the school was present to attend the session. Mrs Ragini Shriniwas was the host of the Zoom Meet. Mr Atul R.H Team Manager, Team India 22, HOD Curriculum and Training Society was the leader of the Meet. Mr Atul demonstrated an activity in which he showed the video clippings of three students delivering speeches for the post of School Representative. The Activity was "Listen critically and make notes of their speeches." After each speaker's speech the students were asked to discuss the negative and positive aspects of his/her speech. The students actively participated in the interaction with the instructor. Then the students were asked to analyse the three speakers comparatively. He asked the students which speaker would they vote for the post of School Representative and why ? Then he discussed about the Structure of Speech, Importance of Structure, Introduction of Speeches, Power Statements etc. through a means of PPT. In the end the students were invited to ask their queries. He shared the mail id of their Debating Society where students can ask their queries or share their opinion. The Session was interactive. It provided a wonderful opportunity to all the students to learn and develop public speaking skills.



ONLINE DEMONSTRATION OF THE DEBATING SOCIETY ISDS

(s) INVESTITURE CEREMONY(INDUCTION OF STUDENTS COUNCIL 2022-23)

To inculcate the leadership skills in the students and to give them a feel of administration Army Public school organized Investiture Ceremony for the academic session 2022-23 on 20 August 2022. The school Prefectorial Board was formed after online voting, scrutinise interviewing and selection. The Chief Guest of the programme was the School Chairman Brigadier Sandeep Verma. The parents of the new Council members, Toppers of Class X & XII and their parents were also the guests in the programme. The programme started with the lighting of the lamp by the School Chairman Brigadier Sandeep Verma & his wife Mrs Somya Verma. Lamp lighting signifies the removal of darkness and continuous upward movement of the flame denotes the path of wisdom and divinity. It was followed with a rendition of a prayer by the School Choir. Then Felicitation of the students was done for their Academic Excellence & Co Curricular Activities. The Toppers of Classes X & XII were felicitated with gifts as a reward of their hard work. Their parents felt elated and honoured to witness the moment. It followed with the speech of the School Principal Mr Arvind Kumar Sikarwar. Newly appointed Head

Boy Master Anuj Tomar & Head Girl Kumari Sapana addressed everyone present there. All the newly elected student council members were given sashes and badges by the Principal and the Vice-Principal. All the four newly appointed house masters and mistresses handed over the house flags of their respective houses to the new House Captains and Vice Captains. The Chairman administered the oath to the student council. He congratulated the elected Student Council and reminded them that they are the torch bearers of all the values that the school stands for and urged them to take up the responsibility with commitment and integrity .It was a proud moment for all the parents to witness their children being invested with new responsibilities as they embarked on a new journey as leader. The ceremony concluded with the national anthem.

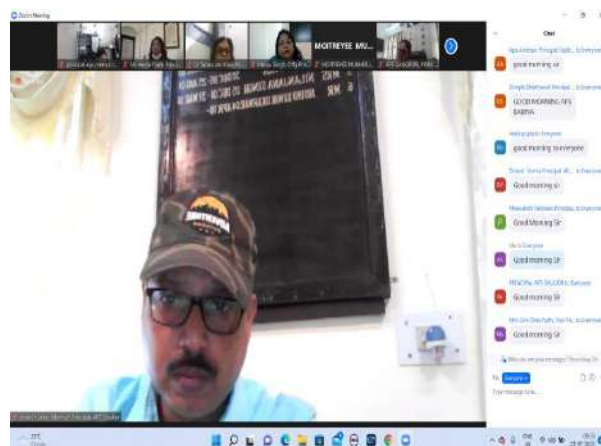
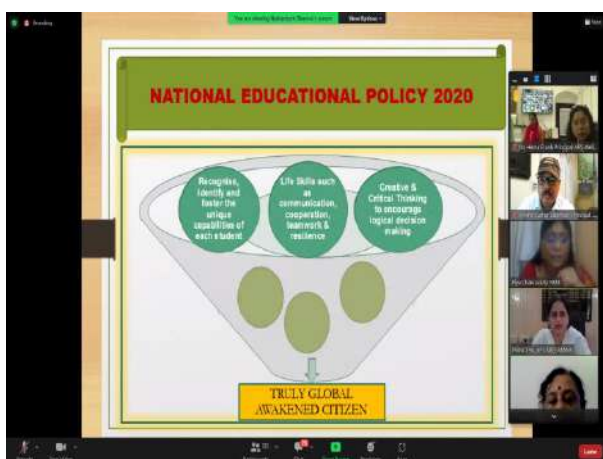


INVESTITURE CEREMONY(INDUCTION OF STUDENTS COUNCIL 2022-23)

WEBINARS/ WORKSHOPS FOR FACULTY ENRICHMENT

(a) CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAM FOR SCHOOL LEADERS(WEBINAR NO.7)-

The Principal of Army Public School Gwalior, Mr. Arvind Kumar Sikarwar attended a 5 days webinar from 25 July 22 – 29 July 22. It was organised by AWES HQ. for School Leaders. The workshop aimed to imbibe leadership skills to achieve the desired outcome in the management of resources in school. The participants learnt how to apply knowledge and skills to the development and implementation of an action learning project. Levels of Capacity Building ie. Institutional Level, Policy Level, Individual Level were discussed at length. The core objective of the program , “ Developing Schools as Learning Organisation” was briefed by the speakers. The Program included sessions on Leader Ship Skills, Experiential Learning, Planning and Execution of Systems to make school safe and effective place for learning. It was an enlightening session for all the attendees.

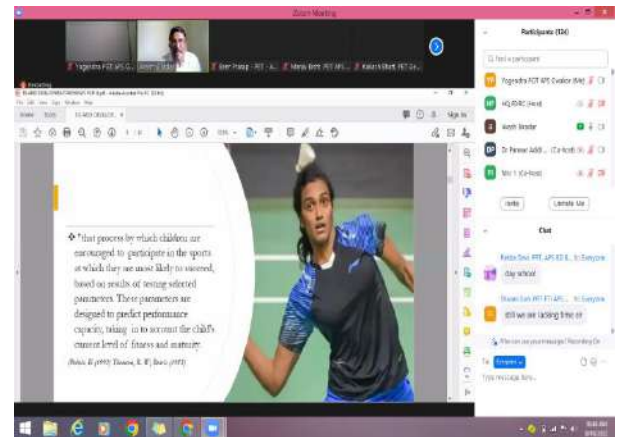
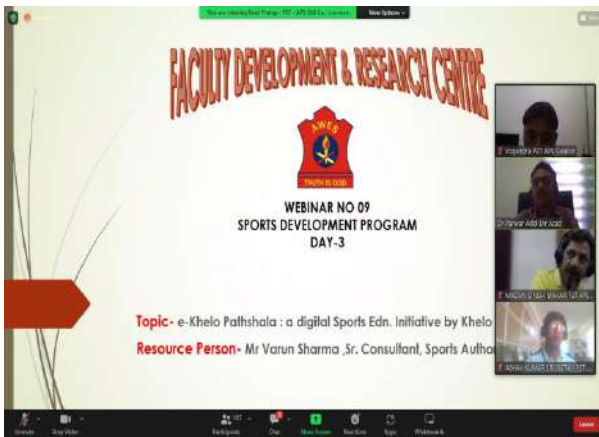


CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAM FOR SCHOOL LEADERS (WEBINAR NO.7)

(b) ERSTWHILE PHYSICAL WORKSHOP AWES INITIATIVES –

Sports Development Programme for TGTs(Webinar No.9/22-23) Mr Yogendra Singh Chauhan (HOD Sports Department) attended the Webinar conducted by FDRS from 16 August 22 to 18 August 22. The webinar started with opening address by MD AWES. The other session was taken by Dr. R.S. Panwar (Addl Dir Acad HQ AWES, Delhi) on the topic Scientific Temper for Sports, Dr. G Kishore - Principal LNCPE Thiruvananthapuram and SAI LNCPE regional Head – imparted knowledge about Opportunities in the Field of Sports Govt of India Sports Initiatives. He enlightened all the participants about the practical way of nurturing the future medalists of National & International level from Army Public Schools. Group Discussion took place about the opportunities at Army Public Schools in the field of sports. Mr Varun Sharma Sr Consultant, Sports Authority of India told about E-Khelo Pathshala, a digital sport .He imparted knowledge about the initiatives taken by Khelo India & the opportunities at Army Sports Node for APS students. It was stated that team should be prepared with a proper test. If the students have any misconception then teachers should give them scientific knowledge without pin pointing or hurting any student. Emphasis was laid on how to select and produce high level athletes from

grass root level. Special attention was given on Khelo India Games and E- Khelo Pathshala. This platform would provide the students opportunity to show their talents and to get scholarship and physical education .Even teachers would have the opportunity to learn some new games and get the certificate.The session enriched the participants to enhance their knowledge and skills. The webinar provided a good learning experience.



ERSTWHILE PHYSICAL WORKSHOP AWES INITIATIVES SPORTS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME FOR TGTS