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VIDYA Bangalore

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A lot of passion and foresight goes into the formation of a state and it is the foremost duty of citizens to appreciate and acknowledge the deeds of the great leaders, whose vision has lead to it. VIDYA celebrated the Karnataka Rajyotsava Day with great spirit and fervor. Presenting Rajyotsava celebrations and other events of the month.....

Celebrations

Karnataka Rajyotsava at Avalahalli

The Avalahalli Govt. School celebrated Karnataka Rajyotsava. The bicolour flag was hoisted by H.M and Panchayati members. This was followed by singing of 'Naada Geethe' ; a beautiful dance performance on the same song was given by students of class VI and VII .Speeches were made and tree planting activity was carried out by teachers.



Children's Day Celebration – Thank you LOADSTAR for providing gifts for all VIDYA students.

VIDYA School @ Drik Viveka Campus: Look at the delight on their young faces! Thanks to the donors - Mr and Mrs Ganapathy for providing the goodies.



Rajendranagara Computer centre: Instilling the right competitive spirit through competitions on Children's Day.



Know the touch:

Good touch, Bad touch session for Girl students of Greenland on Children's Day



Siddapura Govt School:

A renowned magician Mr Nagendra, conducted the magic session at the school. The fun and wonder of the magic tricks amazed the children. It brought out the child in all the adults present. The children received their gifts sponsored by Loadstar. The school staff was very thankful to VIDYA for the most memorable children's day ever.



Avalahalli Govt school students went for a trip to dairy day ice-cream factory. Students were explained and shown how ice creams are made on a large scale. It was a beautiful experience for students. They not only got to taste ice creams but were encouraged to indulge in as many helpings as they wanted.

After the Ice cream factory visit, students were taken to Sri Sri Ravi Shankar ashram, where a Spanish lady taught them meditation.



Gifts were distributed to the very happy children.



PWC volunteers taught children to make bookmarks on children's Day. They explained the use of bookmarks; the creativity of students in making bookmarks was a treat to watch. Students gave some bookmarks to the Headmistress.



Puttanahalli, Arekere, Champakadhama and Divya Jyoti schools came alive with the numerous children's day activities on 14th November. Students participated in a variety of activities and games. Prizes were distributed to the winners



Scholarship Students were addressed by Rekha Srinivasan; importance of putting effort and hard work in the forthcoming exams was stressed by her. Also the importance of having the right attitude and values in life was taken up.



Workshop/Event/Visit

Exposure visit for students of Communicative English Course to Phoenix Mall

Giving an opportunity and setting the stage for building confidence, shunning inhibitions and gaining momentum to speak in English and also a day to merry.





Exposure visit to Hundred hands

Exposure visit for VIDYA vocational students to 'A hundred hands', an exhibit of hand made products instilled innovative ideas, provided tips and knowledge about up scaling waste and unused material.



The students of Spoken English course also visited the nearby grocery store; they were able to put to practice their English vocabulary and learning, in conversations at the grocery store. This activity was a big confidence booster for our students.



VIDYA School Educational field trips: Awareness on community and its workers.

@ the Fire Station



@ the Gram Panchayat



@ the Hospital



@ the Police Station

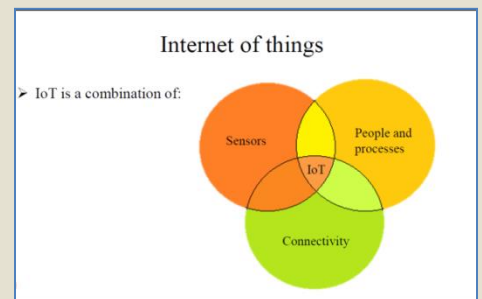
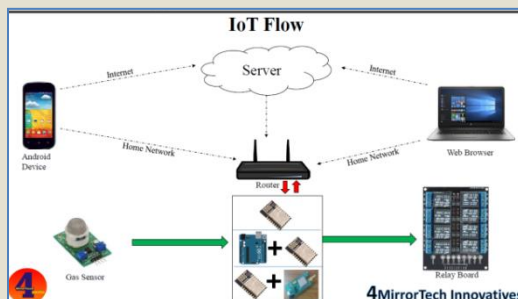
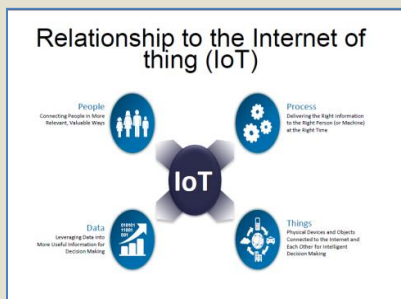


Mr Susheel Warriar, a friend of VIDYA visiting from the US, spoke to the women.



Computer Workshop On IoT

Mr. Ankur Jaiswal conducted a workshop on 'Next generation of future: Internet of things'



English Workshop on Prepositions

Prepositions are often misused in daily conversation and Ms. Priyanka Kaul in her workshop, ensured that students learn the right use of it "In" her session, Priyanka took the students "through" a wide range of prepositions, "across" a huge pile of examples, "in" a detailed manner.



All good things come in small packages, goes a say.

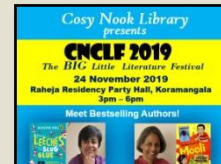
Wrapping a gift holds as much emotional value as the gift itself. Hence, with complete commitment to the cause of environment friendly packaging, a special workshop on gift wrapping and paper bag making using newspapers, was conducted by Ms. Rakhi.

A small effort in making a big difference for the goodness of the environment.



Storytelling and puppet show sessions to kindle the imagination of students through story telling and puppet shows.

The Ejipura Community Centre students attended the sessions at Koramangala.



Students of Vividha participated in the OWC Christmas Bazaar where they met with different groups of people and saw the creative products at other stalls. Students also participated in making products that were displayed at Hundred Hands.



A workshop was conducted on making Terracotta Jewelry.



WELLNESS

Smart women handling smart phones with ease.

A workshop by PWC Volunteers on usage of Smart phones.



Skills for life in Life skills session!



A deeply motivational and highly inspiring interactive session by Ms. Rakhi from 'The Spinning Wheel' was certainly a much needed pep up for our students. It talked about focusing on their work and wading their way towards their goals



Ms Rakhi detailed about her Studio, creative products and was all praise for the two VIDYA alumni, who work at her studio - Shashikala and Aishwarya. The VIDYA duo also spoke about their experiences and shared their journey on how they have transformed and evolved both as individuals and in their creative pursuits.

An attempt to encourage and push the students from their comfort zone to a world of opportunities, challenges and success was effectively done by Ms. Rakhi.

Her words, "To dream, the desire to grow, taking steps towards it, followed by appropriate actions" resonates all through.

Chocolate making session was conducted by the VIDYA alumni Aruna for the 'Shakti' women.



Dental Camp was conducted by the AECS Maruthi Dental College and Hospital for the Shakti women. Health cards were given to all students, who can now avail treatment at the hospital at much subsidized rates.





Achivements:

Another success and some more proud smiles!

Kudos to the proud students for their successful completion of NIIT Computer courses.



Free play with sketch pen caps--Likhit Sai of Nursery @ VIDYA School.

Deft and firm hands, focus, decision making.... When asked what he was doing, pat came the answer- "building a mane (house)". AWESOME !



LOOKING FORWARD TO YET ANOTHER EXCITING MONTH!!

A brief look at our Projects:

- I. *CLRC computer programme for children & residents of the community*
- II. *Beyond School Programme in 12 Government Schools*
- III. *Scholarship Programme for Boys and girls, to pursue higher education*
- IV. *VIDYA Shakti – Livelihood programme for women in the community*
- V. *VIDYA School @ DRIK Viveka Campus*
- VI. *Bhagini- Women's Programme @ VIDYA Centres:*

Academic:

1. *Communicative English- Basic, Advance & NIIT certified SEPD*
2. *Computer Literacy- Basic, Advance, Web design, Tally, Java*
3. *NIOS – X and XII*
4. *NTT- Nursery teacher Training*

Vocational:

1. *VIDYA Vastra- Diploma in Tailoring from Singer.*
2. *VIDYA Varna- Madura Coats certified Embroidery and block printing course*
3. *VIDYA Vividha- Product making in Art and Craft*
4. *VIDYA Vaahan – Driving for women*

5. VIDYA Aahaar- Catering and Cooking

6. VIDYA Shringar – Beautician Course powered by Shahnaz Hussain

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DON'T LIMIT YOUR CHALLENGES;

CHALLENGE YOUR LIMITS.