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# Principal's Message

It is a matter of great pride for me to command such a distinguished assembly of thoughtful and creative minds. And perhaps no other avenue than the College magazine can showcase a better amalgam of the body and soul of these fine young gentlemen. The overwhelming display of intellect and wit, as visible from the variety of themes picked for articles and poems, is representative of the awareness and grasp of the students on happenings around them as well as a profound inquisitiveness regarding the nature of things. It is by such avenues that the College endeavours to enhance the cognitive abilities of Sargodhians. Moreover, a kaleidoscope of memories, in the form of albums and reports, aptly covers the year round performances chronologically.

I congratulate the Editorial Board for putting together a testimony of the year long performance of the students on every frontier of achievement, be it physical, intellectual or artistic. I'm hopeful that their efforts will surely win the hearts of our esteemed readers.

Regards,

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### FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK



Dear Readers, multi-tasking is the order of the day at the editorial desk where the team nimbly handles

various responsibilities besides compiling this all important document, "Sargodhian" that encapsulates a whole vear of sweet labour. The work of our pre-cadets expresses their perception of life. And it's heartening to note that it oozes a maturity of thought remarkable in someone so young. They have tried their hand at writing biographies, philosophical articles and pure fiction. Their poetic renditions reflect the strong bond they have with their motherland as well as the loving sentiments of an innocent mind. Within the disciplined and well ordered routine of the College are myriads of activities revolving around 400 vibrant souls. Our packed calendar as depicted by our Dairy of Events ensures that no talent or potential remains untapped.

The editorial board is extremely grateful for the motivation received from our Principal, AVM (R) Qasim Masood Khan and his keen discernment as he gave his input at all phases of the year long endeavour. The magazine would not have seen the light of day without the wise counsel of our Vice Principal, Wg Cdr Dr Pervaiz Akhtar. I must also mention the effort of our keen young student editors Muhammad Ayyan Nasir College No 3489-Y and Izaan Ahmed Cheema College No 3474-Mn who took up the typing load of articles and poems

besides giving useful service in initial screening & editing the material submitted for the magazine. No less important was the task carried out by Abdullah Khan College No 3616-Ad and Danyal Shahzad College No 3653-M in painstakingly captioning all the pictures in the Albums' section. The arduous task of proof reading the entire document fell to the lot of our part time faculty member Mr Ali Abbas College No 2717-T (Yunus), an old Sargodhian from 38<sup>th</sup> Entry. He went through it with a fine toothed comb to get rid of all the irritants!

A great deal of thanks is also due to O i/c Photography Flt Lt Allah Dino and Photographers Muhammad Ayub and Snr Tech Muhammad Anwar for their photo coverage of the events of the entire year. The creative work of our computer typist and composer, Mr Mansoor must also be appreciated. The page layout and design, the cover page and colourful separators owe their existence to his adroitness.

Dear Readers as you browse through the magazine you'll find plenty to tempt your palate. Have fun reading the endeavours of youthful minds! Please, do remember to give your valuable feedback for our next issue.

Regards,

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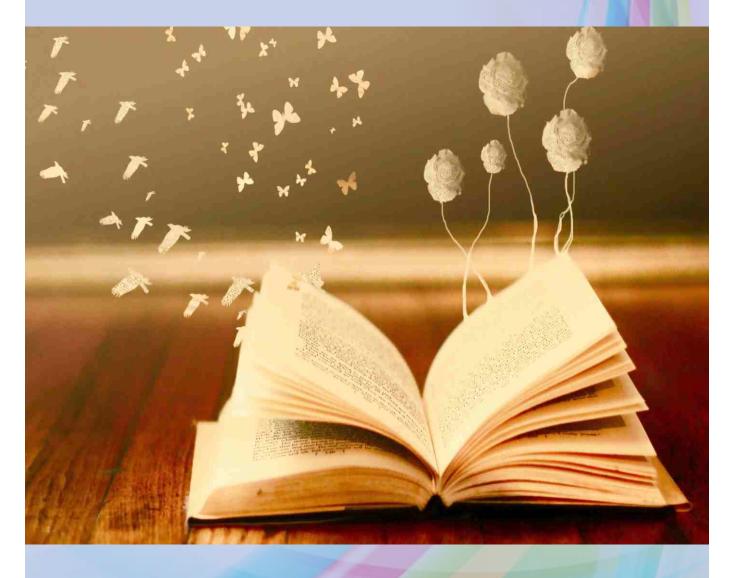
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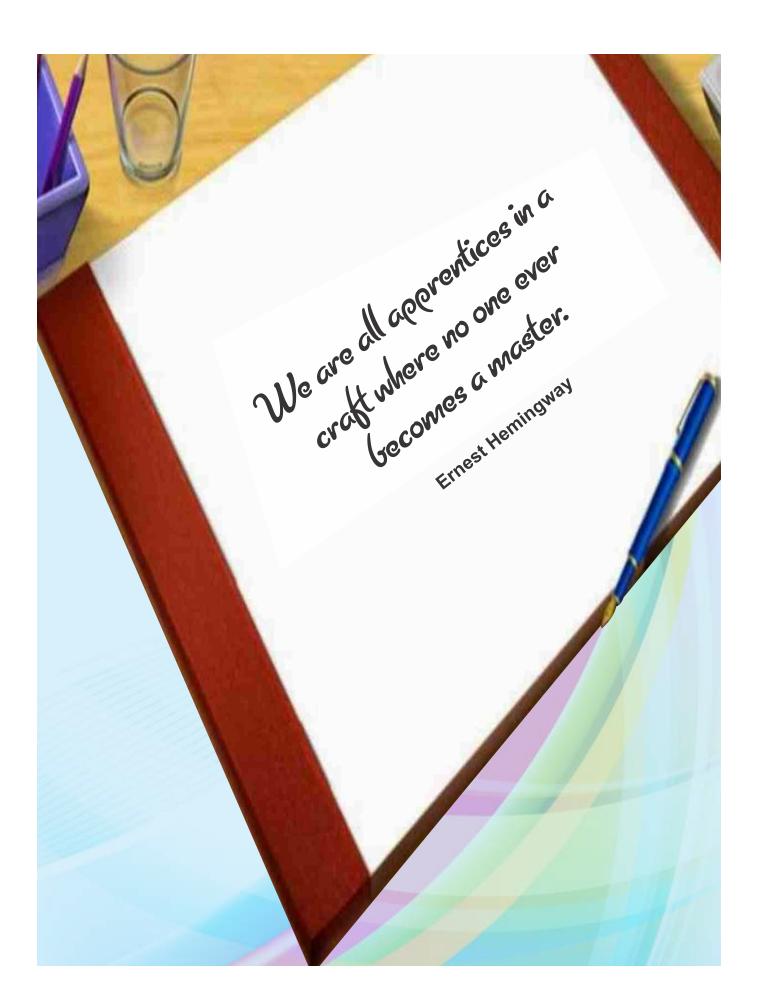
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Life is not often so considerate as to bestow boundless faculties upon singular individuals. Much less is the wisdom gathered to single-handedly hone those faculties to one's benefit. Only a handful get to actually make their mark on the stage of the world. The accomplished pilot, commander, administrator, political stalwart and peace activist, Air Marshal Asghar Khan proved true on all counts.

Born on 17th December, 1921 into an illustrious military family at Jammu, Asghar Khan showed promise from the beginning. He attended the Aitchison College in Lahore, and went on to obtain a place at the Prince of Wales' Royal Indian Military College in 1933, and joined the Indian Military Academy in 1939. Initially inducted in the British Indian Army, he changed track as soon as the Royal Indian Air Force was formed, and the foundations to an illustrious career were laid. After participating in and commanding Air Operations in the Burma Campaign against Imperial Japan during World War II, Asghar Khan went on to complete staff courses at RAF Bracknell, a BSc in Military Ethics and an MSc in Military Administration. He also held the distinction of becoming the first combat pilot from the subcontinent to fly a jet fighter aircraft - the Gloster Meteor III.

After Independence, Air Marshal Asghar Khan opted for Pakistan and oversaw the division of military assets including, at his behest, the squadron he had commanded - the now coveted No.9 Squadron of the Pakistan Air Force. His first official appointment in Pakistan was as the first Commandant of the Pakistan Air Force Academy at Risalpur,

which now bears his name. He then went on to command the Directorate-General of the Air Operations, and then as the Assistant Chief of the Air Staff, established major units and infrastructure including the Fighter Leaders School (now Combat Commanders School), the Air Staff College and the College of Aeronautical Engineering at the Pakistan Air Force Academy.



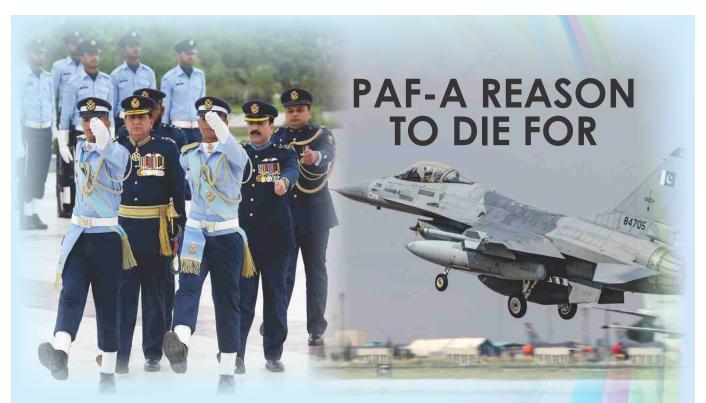
At age 36, he became the first native Commander-in-Chief of Pakistan Air Force. He truly orchestrated the modernization of PAF by not only acquiring the latest weaponry, including the F-86 Sabres and F-104 Starfighters, but also emphasizing on the professional development and operational readiness of the force. The main air bases at Samungli, Peshawar and Sargodha were made operational for an enhanced role on his initiative. He was retired shortly before the 1965 war but such great was his contribution in making the PAF a formidable warmachine second to none, that his successor, Air Marshal Nur Khan remarked that while the Air Force may have fought the 1965 war under his command, it was truly Asghar Khan's Air Force. Revered by all as a strict disciplinarian, a conscientious leader and an upholder of

merit and professional competence, leading from the front, he served two tenures as Commander-in Chief of the Air Force.

However, that was not all. The world had yet to witness the marvels of his administrative skill. After retiring from the Air Force, he ran the national flag carrier - Pakistan International Airlines as its president. He refurbished the mouldy atmosphere of the flag carrier with aesthetic apparel making it one of the finest and most welcoming in the world. Its infrastructure was enhanced and his administrative acumen oversaw a boom in profits of the national carrier, making it one of the safest and most sought international Airlines. Air Marshal Asghar Khan's tenure in the administration of PIA is dubbed its 'Golden Era'.

After his brief stint in the PIA, Air Marshal Aghar Khan made inroads into national politics in 1970. It was a time of political turmoil with the eastern wing of the country on the verge of political separation and military interference from the hostile Indian state. Asghar Khan, the moralist and idealist brought his flair in the political arena and tried to pacify the flames. He led movements to uphold democratic practices during the Bhutto era and Zia regime, and never backed down from criticizing wrongful measures even in the most formidable of circumstances pending incarceration and censure. It was his petition against malpractices of the political-bureaucratic nexus which exposed corruption at the highest levels in front of the Supreme Court of Pakistan. His political party, Tehreek-e-Istiqlal, which he had founded in 1970, merged with Imran Khan's Tehreek-e-Insaf in 2011 and aims to take his vision further for the realization of a prosperous Pakistan.

Leaders and true visionaries like Air Marshal Asghar Khan are seldom brought about on the stage of the world. An inspiring officer, a gentleman to his fingertips, an honest man who genuinely wished to do well by the needy, he will be remembered by all for his competence, vision, and perseverance. He parted from us on the 5th of January this year, that is, 2018. Farewell, Air Marshal! We salute you! May your soul rest in peace, Ameen.



Asif Khan 3448-M 1st Yr B



Today the erudite political world claims a lot of things: democracy, freedom of speech, equality and sovereignty. In reality, today's technological free world is an ingenious modification of the World War times. Now, we've got United Nations instead of the old League of Nations but any student of international affairs will confirm the fact that the United Nations is just another official place for the big powers to disguise and put forward their devious agendas as improvements to the so called liberal world. The truth is even simpler: the only reason North Korea is not burned down to ashes is the fact that they are a nuclear state and they are constantly upgrading their missile arsenal.

If such is the nature of the world in which we live nowadays, then PAF is the reason to die for. If not, then there is no other reason to live.

This mercurial life which now seems full of possibilities, will end for most of us in the same ugly way. An announcement will be made from the nearby mosques: or if you are at my place, an old wagon equipped with a loud speaker will roam the entire city to spread the word. As the news reaches your loved ones, a difficult and painful day will begin for them. But time heals and even they will forget what the world used to feel like with you being around.

Death with dignity is rare. Most people just die. In the 1973 Arab-Israel war, Israel went bankrupt because the then president of Israel, Golda Meyer, had spent all the money to buy planes (warrior aircraft) and tactical weapons from the United States. After the war was won and peace was sought, she was asked during an interview about the reason behind the economic risk she took to win the war for Israel. She said that when the prophet of Islam, Hazrat Muhammd (PBUH) died, his house had no food in it. Neither were there other important commodities of everyday life. However, there were eight shining swords hanging on the wall. Their lustre indicated their price. They were the most expensive in the whole Arab world. That motivated her to go bankrupt so that Israel may win the war.

Fighting and dying for a sacred purpose is the greatest thing a man can do in the cunning world of today. A man who cannot appreciate this fact is not a man at all. When I say PAF is the sole reason to die for, I say it because life experiences have indicated the pointlessness of the alternative paths. I am a member of American Psychological Association and American Society for Physics. I have spent time with all those foolish scientists who pass their stupid ideas as ancient wisdom. They are the ones who will tell you that you shouldn't worship God and worship Math instead, because God used math to create the world.

Life has countless opportunities to offer but death will come in two colors only. Either you die a hero or you live long enough to see yourself become a villain. Pakistan Air Force protects Pakistan and Pakistan is the fort of Islam. Islam is the reason we were created. To die for PAF, is to die for Islam.

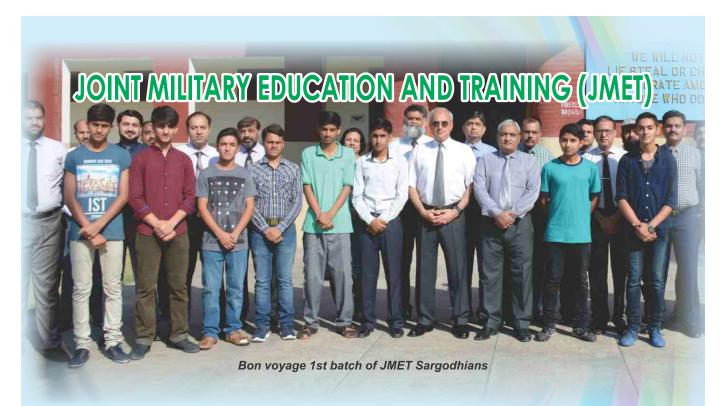
My favourite poet is Dylan Thomas. His poem "Do not go gentle into that good night" motivates me to put a herculean effort to resist death without honour.

Do not go gentle into that good night, Old age should burn and rave at close of day.

Rage, rage against the dying of light.

Though wise men at their end know that dark is right, because their words had darkened no light, they do not go gentle into that good night.





**Sqn Ldr Azra Malik** Oi/c Progress Section



In the current scenario existing at home and on international fronts, there is a need felt to forge greater understanding, unity and cohesion at all levels of the armed forces. Keeping this aspect in view, it has been decided to initiate a Joint Military Training Programme for students studying in the cadet colleges being run by Army, Air Force and Navy.

In this regard, after matriculation, 10 boys from each institution are to be selected for studies and training at institutions of other arms. They will complete their FSc from those institutions and appear for ISSB as per the rules of the Parent institution. This means that our pre-cadets studying at other institutions will appear for ISSB on the same terms and conditions as their own entry at PAF College Sargodha. The fee structure (development charges) will remain the same.

Boys who are selected to represent the Air Force at cadet colleges run by the Army and Navy, will undoubtedly be exposed to a highly enriching experience and will get a wide experience of the dynamics prevailing in institutions run by the other sister services. For our boys, this will create a life long association with colleagues across the three armed forces of Pakistan.

Details of the first batch of these exchange students are given overleaf:

### FIRST BATCH OF SARGODHIAN JMET PRE-CADETS

S No	College No	Name	Foster Institution
1	3445-A	Muhammad Fasih Alam	Military College Jhelum
2	3479-Y	Rana Abdul Moeez	_66_
3	3501-S	Sohail Sadiq	_cc_
4	3503-A	Abdul Mohamin Ibrahim	
5	3519-A	Sheharyar Khan Niazi	
6	3515-Y	Zohaib Muhammad Khan	Military College Murree
7	3457-Mn	Awais Bashir	
8	3473-Mn	Syed Muhammad Sibtain	
9	3410-Mn	Hamza Abdul Rehman	Military College Ormara



















### **JMET PRE-CADETS FROM OTHER COLLEGES**

SN	0	College No	Name	Parent Institution
1		14031-A	Muhammad Qasim	Military College Ormara
2		14039-Y	Zulfiqar Ali	_cc_
3		14057-Mn	Abdul Wahab	-cc
4		625-Ad	Muhammad Usman	Military College Sui
5		8226-I	Muhammad Sirabeel Raza	Military College Jhelum
6		8287-Y	Muhammad Ali	_cc_
7		8297-S	Muhammad Hamza	-66_
8		914-M	Abdul Rehman	Military College Murree
9		918-R	Muhammad Waqas Amin	- ££
10		921-A	Mir Ahtisham Khan	-66
11		928-Mn	Mirza Umair Mehmood Baig	_"























# THE YOUNG SAVIOUR



SITARA E SHUJAAT



BRAVERY AWARD &
YOUNGEST HERO OF PAKISTAN
BY International Human Rights Commission

**Muhammad Arham** 3758-Mn 8th C



Every living creature that breathes on this earth is destined to die one day. Before that time overtakes them some do evil deeds, some do good ones. But some perform such a fabulous feat that they become immortal and their name never dies. I am paying tribute to one such young saviour.

Born in 1997 in a little village of Hangu District in the province of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, this young hero, sacrificed his today to save the tomorrow of 2000 other students of his school. Yes, I am talking about Aitzaz Hassan Bangash Shaheed who was a student at the Government High School, Ibrahimzai.

On 7th January, 2014, Aitzaz was outside the gate of his school with two other schoolmates. Aitzaz had not been allowed to attend the morning assembly due to his tardiness that day. As the friends stood there waiting for the assembly to be over, a man who seemed to be in his early twenties approached the gate and stated that he was there to "take admission". One of Aitzaz's friends noticed a detonator on the man's vest and alerted the other two. Whereupon, Aitzaz's friends ran inside while Aitzaz confronted the suicide bomber. He in fact gripped him in a death embrace. The man detonated his vest!

# Aitzaz died in the hospital. No one else was harmed. Aitzaz's act saved the lives of hundreds.

Scores of people attended his funeral to pay their final respects to the saviour. Many people demanded a Nishan-e-Haider or a similar honour for Aitzaz. The Government of Pakistan bestowed upon him the high-ranking civil award of Sitara-e-Shujaat. The International Human Rights Commission (IHRC) bestowed 'Global Bravery Award' on Aitzaz Hassan. He was named as, "Herald's Person of the year 2014". Herald's annual person of the year is an individual who has profound influence on news.

Aitzaz was just 17 years old but did not hesitate to sacrifice his own life when he saw that his running away would mean certain death of so many others. We are blessed indeed to have young men like him amongst us. He is a beacon of light for all of us. The story of Aitzaz Hassan in fact reflects our resilience, courage and bravery. May Allah grant us the strength to uphold his legacy, Aameen!



Never consider this the work of a mad fanatic or someone trying to fool you. There's some sense to this. If you'll only hear me out.

Tell me something. Don't we all wonder if time travel is possible or not, right? Well, let me tell you something, it is possible. I am actually talking from the future right now. Time travel is actually quite fun. Going in the past and seeing the ancient people and their old technology is quite fascinating.

Lies of historians are all revealed. But behind all the fun, there is a serious catch. Meddling around with time is dangerous. You see, there are certain rules that a time traveller has to follow. And I am breaking one of them right now. We are not allowed to communicate with our past selves. And the penalty for breaking this rule is death. But I am breaking it. That's right, you are talking to your future self right now. I am you, in the future. I am not afraid to face death. By telling you about it right now, I may prevent something even worse than death. I cannot tell you directly what to do, because the filters would catch it. I can, however, send a message.

You should probably read the first word of every paragraph now.

# REMEMBERING JUNAID JAMSHED

Sami Ullah 3728-S 8th C



There's just so much that can't be put into worlds, and that's exactly how it feels when we lose someone, someone who has affected us and who is an inspiration. Yes, I am talking about 'Junaid Jamshed' or 'JJ'. He initially became extremely popular as a pop icon but later on underwent a complete transition and lived the life not only of an Islamic preacher, a Muslim charity organizer but also a successful business man and fashion designer. On December 7, 2016 Junaid Jamshed died in a plane crash at the age of 52. PIA flight 661 was enroute to Islamabad from Chitral when it went down in flames in Havelian near Abbottabad. His legacy will never be forgotten.

It is said about him that if you grew up in the 90's you know Junaid Jamshed as the heart throb lead singer of the musical band 'Vital Signs.' Junaid may have given up singing by the time of his death but hits like Dil Dil Pakistan, Aitabar, Sanwali Saloni and many others will forever remain etched in the heart of every Pakistani. But then his 'naats' also pierced the soul. Can one ever forget the heartwarming beauty of 'mae tu umati huun', 'mera dil badal day' and 'Elahi teri chokkhat pay'? Junaid Jamshed himself was quite open about it as he said:

"I am not ashamed of my past though I might give that impression sometimes; I am 'Dil Dil Pakistan forever".

It must have been a great struggle for an icon in the music industry and at the peak of his career, to turn to religion and completely leave the superficiality and materialism of this world and succumb to Allah's will and be a follower of Holy Prophet's (PBUH) Sunnah. But even when Junaid Jamshed retired at the peak of his career and decided to become more religiously inclined, he remained popular. He, in fact, became a symbol of balance in religion, a beacon of light for the young Muslims. He was seen as a practicing Muslim who smiled, cracked jokes and ran 'J.', an extremely successful fashion clothing line. He always had a smile on his face and oozed optimism. He, with his inspiring personality will always be a reminder of peace and how to do good in this life.

He will live on to be an inspiration for Pakistanis, for Muslims, for humanitarians and for those struggling to find their true identity. He proved to be a living example that if you follow your heart you never regret it. I learned from him the importance of humanity, positivity and staying true to oneself.

I hope you are safe and sound in heaven now and back to where you belonged, close to Allah. Rest in Peace, JJ. We miss you immensely!!

# A LESSON TO LEARN

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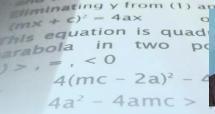
After the independence of China, in 1949, Mao Tse Tung, the first Chairman of the People's Republic of China, was once asked by someone, "Sir, what can you do for your country, as it is already facing a lot of problems? He replied very confidently, "I want to narrate a story. Once there was a village, the villagers were living a happy life, but there was one problem in the village, there was a mountain in the east of the village, so the village was deprived of sunlight. One man of the village, decided to cut it, down. Everyone said it could not be done but he was adamant. He finally convinced everyone by saying, "I am doing my job, coming generations will also do their part, and a time will come when the mountain will be totally cut down". After narrating the story, the Chairman became quiet because he had delivered his message.

It was a time when the Chinese after multi-colonial rule had got independence but were still living a very miserable life as they were backward in every field. The western world was predicting their doom. But the Chinese people decided to prove the world wrong, they mobilized every individual to lift his burden and participate in the great effort of nation-building. Their massive efforts have paid off. Now they are among the most developed nations of the world, they are leading the world's economy and ruling the world's industry. They didn't achieve this success in one day but persistently toiled and burned midnight oil to reach this level of glory.

Pakistan has good relations with China. Both countries are working together on several projects including the proclaimed game changer, CPEC. Many Chinese are also working in Pakistan, but still, we haven't learned anything from them. Once a reporter asked the Chinese Prime Minister a question. He answered it in fluent English. The reporter was surprised and said, "Sir! You speak English so well, so why aren't all your official communications in English". He received an answer which is an eye-opener, "China is not dumb, we have our own language". This is the sign of a true nation, which believes in its own language, culture, traditions and way of life. We, Pakistanis, need to awaken to this reality and promote our own national identity. Furthermore, there is a dire need to heed the golden words of our leader, Quaid-e-Azam, "Work, work and only work and you are bound to succeed". This will surely play an essential role in cultivating the necessary work ethics that will bring out the best in us. There can be no doubt that our nation will prosper and develop once we understand that progress of the motherland is only possible when all of us play our part in nation-building, believe in ourselves and model our lives on the concept of Islam as a complete code of life. It will help to channelize our energies in the right direction and enable us to raise the status of our beloved homeland in the comity of nations. It's a lesson we all need to learn.

# MATHEMATICS: OUR BEST FRIEND

**M Usman Rana** 3459 - A 10th A





"I will never use this math formula in my life! Then why study it?"

"Oh no, not two periods of math today!"

"Time to sleep, math is boring!"

These are the thoughts of many students who hate mathematics. The very mention of the subject makes them cringe and cry. However, math haters fail to realize that not only is mathematics easy, but fun and interesting. Once you understand it, once you see the fun, it becomes your strength!

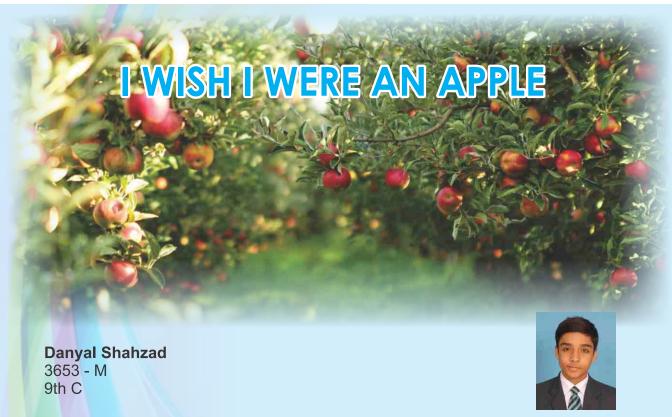
You can become enthusiastic and passionate about Mathematics as it is not only easy to study but it is also easy to score hundred percent marks in it; whereas, in other subjects like English and Urdu it is not possible to score cent percent marks. Moreover, unlike other theory subjects you don't have to spend strenuous hours memorizing details, dates and theories. This is another reason why it is a "strength" because you just have to get the technique and practise it enough so that you don't make a mistake and TADA! You can solve any problem. Math, in this way, is like a silent friend.

Math is just like learning to ride a car or a bicycle. All you have to do is practise riding or driving it on the road and it becomes effortless. Math is exactly like that. It is something you can never forget; all you need is practice. In my opinion it is like a game that one would play. The trickier the challenge, the more tempting it becomes to try to overcome it. It is more of an entertainment of the mind.

Mathematics enables us to become problem solvers in this world plagued with problems. If you are good at mathematics it makes you a smart all-rounder. Research and surveys are being done to prove that practice of mathematics can increase brain activity and make you smarter. These surveys show that even making mistakes in math can help brain cells grow. In this way, even if you lose, you win!

Mathematics can be heart-warming and a motivator to move forward and become the best. People generally think that only smart people can handle math. However it is the other way round. Mathematics makes a person more mentally agile and better able to handle tricky situations. One of my favourite quotes that sums up the beauty of math is,

"Pure Mathematics, in a way, is the poetry of logical ideas."



Apple, or to be more scientific, malus domestica is a very beautiful rounded fruit with a red, yellow or green skin, firm white flesh and a seedy, hard core. Apple is an extremely useful fruit and the thought of being such a salubrious fruit for man forces me to wonder what if I were an apple?

I am pretty sure that while presenting this idea to you, I am giving an impression of being a moron, but believe me it is not as bad as you think, being an apple, I mean! In my point of view, apple is a worthwhile fruit which has innumerable uses which are gradually increasing in number with the incremental elapse of time.

Imagining me as an apple, I see myself blooming beautifully on the apple tree which is a member of rose family. I am pretty sure that people passing by me would look upon the glory of me hanging proudly amongst a multitude of branches - shining brightly, enveloped in due drops and freshly ripened. This feeling of an excess of beauty given to me by the grace of God would force my hands up to lift my collars in pride but unfortunately, neither do I have any hands nor do I have any collars!

Now let's look at the contributions of apple in the field of weaponry. Apple, from the beginning of times, has been used as the most deadly, lethal and powerful weapon against the doctors as per the famous English proverb, "An Apple a Day Keeps the Doctor Away" but the condition is that a magazine of apples should be emptied daily. A thought flashes upon my mind about the so called "Apple Phobia" of the doctors that makes me tremble deep in my soul that how unlucky the doctors of ancient Greece must be, to spend such miserable life because they must have neither been able to propose to any loved one nor would they have been proposed

by a lover as in those days a charming, glittering and bright red apple was used to make a proposal instead of a ring.

Now, let me put some light on the benefaction of apple in the field of physics as an assistant of Sir Isaac Newton. On a very beautiful yet unfortunate day for us students, unluckily Isaac Newton was sitting under an apple tree and co-incidentally, in apple season. The tree was full of ripe apples. Suddenly an apple committed the unforgivable crime of falling down on Newton's head. KABOOM! Gravity was discovered and another chapter was added in our physics book.

In our daily life, too, being related to an apple means a lot. It expresses that our character is magnificently awesome. In other words, we are the most beloved and people care about us, as it is stated in a well-known English proverb - "Being an apple of one's eye." The feeling of being such an important thing from all perspectives makes me overflow with the emotions of happiness and pride till a thought makes me sink in the sea of grief, that once ripened marks the beginning of my end!

I have to bear in mind that after being plucked from my tree abode, all I have to do is just wait for my end; for someone to buy me and cut my body into pieces giving me immense pain and destroying my immaculate beauty. Oh! Just imagine how much pain would it all entail being cut into pieces and chewed into bits but yet, a feeling of pride makes me die in peace that before dying, I have served my purpose not only to keep my master hale and hearty but also in the field of weaponry, physics and most importantly LOVE!!!!





Musab Imran 3462-M 1st Yr A



Life today has become de-limited with multitudes of people, known and unknown all connected in a bizarre way! Relations wrecked or formed, friends made or lost, hugs given or received, everything here is done in a jiffy. It is all just a click away. Welcome to the cyber world, the world of social networking websites which is strengthening its roots in our everyday routine with every passing second. Notifications, comments and invitations to join every alien network or official page of every known or unknown star are right before our eyes. A glimpse at the clock shows that it has been two long hours reading, relishing and replying to all those comments that our friends had given on the recent photo album posted on our wall. A click on the mouse and your relationship status has changed, another click and you have poked a friend, another one has sent flowers to your loved ones and with the final click that shuts the window, your world becomes dark, silent and lonely!

Even when away from network facilities we have the websites subscribed on our cell phones. Unfortunately, indulgence into the cyber world has made us lose our apprehension of the realities of life, the hugs shared and the cares sent via post have blinded us to the bliss and warmth of an actual embrace. It is all now nothing more than a matter of clicks, thanks to these social networking websites. Despite the many economic and social advantages these websites have offered to make our lives all

easier and contended, they have failed to replace the joys that were to share feelings in person and visiting places in person. They may keep us updated with the lives of our acquaintances around the world and may help in enhancing public relations but it is all confined to the windows of these websites. Once you get off, life becomes boring and dull because you have not invested in the reality; you have not made an effort to build a relationship with someone who is right next to you! The websites have proven to be nothing more than incubators where relationships never prosper in their true meaning. It is a world of fallacious elation and a world where amidst millions, one remains alone. It is the cyber world where nothing matters but just a click!!!

# TOLERANCE THE NEED OF THE HOUR

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Tolerance is defined as an attitude of mind which means putting up with other people irrespective of racial, political, psychological and religious differences. Tolerance is the basic principle of ideology of Pakistan because Pakistan was created in the name of Islam. Tolerance is not a weakness; it is the strength of a nation or a society. It can help different races and classes resolve their differences amicably and work together for the well-being of all mankind.

Tolerance was one of the main features of the Holy Prophet's (PBUH) demeanour which distinguish him from the rest. The Holy Prophet Hazrat Muhammad (PBUH) taught tolerance to the people when hatred and apathy were the order of the day. This trait of his personality made his teachings acceptable for

the followers of divergent ways.

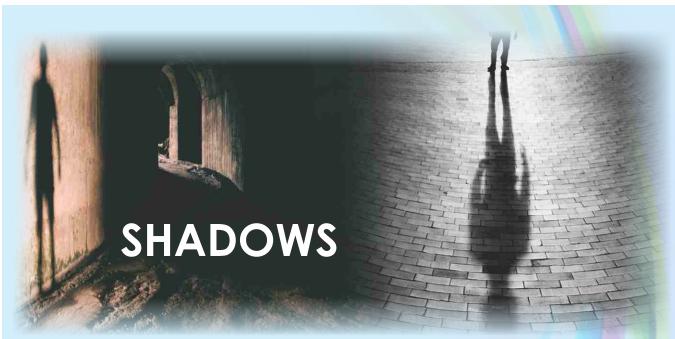
Once a person asked Holy Prophet (PBUH) how often we should forgive our servants. The Holy Prophet (PBUH) replied that eighty times a day. In the light this direction, I don't think there is any justification to maltreat anyone. This is an important lesson of tolerance.

Man is a social animal. He cannot live alone. He must count on others for his survival. He must co-operate and seek help from others. There is no way for him except that he lives peacefully with others. As, there is diversity in thoughts, ideas, ambitions and nature of people living in a society, he must live his life in harmony with those around him.

Nowadays a sad scenario of intolerance prevails. The world is sharply divided into colour, race, sect, religion, to name a few of the causes of embitterment and terrorism. Unfortunately, in Pakistan too, regionalism is emerging, political atmosphere is highly divisive, sectarianism is growing and ethnic feelings are on the rise.

There are two solutions for these problems. One is the Nazi approach which is the extermination of opponents. The second solution is mutual tolerance. Nazi approach has failed to achieve its aim. Now, it is time to adopt the second solution: tolerance. Tolerance is the need of the hour. With substantial exercise of tolerance, we can make ours a strong nation in this world; with tolerance and goodwill, political, racial, social and religious harmony can be achieved. Gratitude, sympathy, courtesy, benevolence, tenderness and harmony are members of the tolerance family. Let's take care of all of them with TOLERANCE!

If we could look into each other's hearts and understand the unique challenges each of us faces, I think we would treat each other much more gently, with more love, patience, tolerance, and care.



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When we mull over the word "Shadow" the first thing that strikes our mind is a dark area formed by the blockage of light. It is indeed true. Or is it something wholly different? Has anybody ever thought of shadows as demons lurking inside one's mind? They must have, but not many people have encountered these kinds of shadows.

Perhaps, shadows are the negative emotions of a person; the least acknowledged aspects of an individual or his weakness. As they can't exist in physical form, they continue as shadows. A shadow breathes within every individual and is a reflection of his dark side. To know himself, a person should acknowledge his shadow for this will help to conquer his fears and become top-notch in every field of life.

Harsh experiences and ordeals play an important and essential role in feeding and fostering the shadows as they become darker and denser. There is a limit to what an individual can endure! These feelings accumulate over time. Now is sown the real peril. The greater the shadow the greater the menace! At the end of the day, the individual snaps and the shadows overwhelm him, dragging him to ruin.

Jung said: "A person who is possessed by his shadow is standing in his own light, falling into his own traps ... and living below his level".

So, we should not give in but struggle to counter our shadow. This can be made possible by keeping calm and being patient. One mustn't take decisions while being crushed by one's shadow.

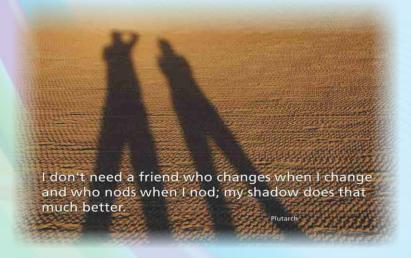
On another note, shadows can be taken as those ghastly memories that haunt a person when he is trying his level best to forget them. These shadows act like shackles that bend to keep one bound to the past disabling him from moving on. It requires a great deal to muster courage and break free from these intangible chains. The shadows of guilt, shadows of betrayal and the shadows of losing someone dear, linger over a person until he is either eaten up by them or is able to vanguish them.

Lady Gaga once said, "One, who is not having a shadow, is not standing in the light." This means that if someone achieves greatness and is successful, he will be rewarded and will stand on a stage in the spotlight and thus will have the greatest shadow of all. This can be comprehended as a positive meaning of shadows.

A shadow can also be considered a shade like that of parents over their children. This shadow acts as a buffer against harms of the world and ensures the survival of children.

A shadow can also be deemed as a cloak of death over every single living person. This shadow looms over one until the appointed time of his demise. This shadow is a natural shield over people and is only removed by God when He wants.

Thus shadows can be of numerous types. No one knows the real identity of shadows in our minds. Science describes shadows as a dark area where there is no light but we can assume so many other possibilities!





Salman Khan 3571-M 10th C



Every day is a new beginning. However, the days of my life begin in the same pathetic manner. Everyday, my sweet dreams are interrupted when the alarm goes off, which is almost simultaneously accompanied by the ear-piercing sound of the rising bell, warning of the aftermath of being late from the morning PT.

But all the sound and fury of the alarm and bell goes in vain as I pull my blanket up to my face, turn a deaf ear to every sound that is bound to vibrate in my eardrum. I get carried away by the world of dreams. Unfortunately, the things I hold dear and the moments I value the most are hated by my housemaster and my seniors. And so, I am dragged back to the cruel world in a wicked manner. I nearly choke to death as one housemate jumps on me and the other pulls off my blanket and the third shakes me vigorously till I, unwillingly, leave the warm comfort of my bed.

Half-awake, I make my way to the bathroom, where I accidently get a chance to see my reflection in the mirror. There stands a pre-cadet whom I certainly don't know! A boy with drooping eyes, drooling mouth, swollen lips and tangled hair. Trying to ignore the fact that I look a terrible mess, I quickly wash my face, brush my teeth and put my track suit on, and a sudden realization horrifies me. My socks are missing!

Where are my socks? Where are they? I recall myself putting them in the box at the back of my cupboard. I frantically pull it out and drop all its contents on the floor. Naah! I run here and there; back and forth in the changing area; in the dorm; on the terrace. Nope! No luck!

I begin to lose hope. And that is when a flash of memory hits me. Yes! I remember now. I had put them in the trunk. I rush to the trunk and there they are. I pull them out and put them on in a flash, and then I shoot out of the house like a wild Cheetah.

I nearly miss my flight. An angry senior awaits my arrival with a scowl on his face. Making a lame excuse, I squeeze myself in the flight...My every day begins with some such pathetic episode. I pity my poor soul. May God have mercy on me!

# FREEDOM AND RESPONSIBILITY



Let us unite and work together to take Pakistan to new heights

Sarmad Murtaza 3614-Mn 9th A



"Look at the sun of the new day!!! The first morning of independence, now we are free. Freedom! We welcome you." A young man joyfully said this to his father on the 15th of August, 1947 when he migrated from India to Pakistan. His jocund mood reflect that his heart was overflowing with joy. But suddenly his mood changed and he stopped smiling. Why do you think he did so? I assume that he must have started thinking about the responsibilities on his shoulders, i.e. to build the newborn nation. This is because freedom and responsibilities seem to be different to some but are, in fact, interconnected to each other.

Freedom means to live without fear of unlawful persecution, to do what you want to do and to give your thoughts a practical shape; and do so without any interference or usurpation of your basic rights. Freedom of a nation or a civilization demands great sacrifice. And once it is achieved the most difficult part is to sustain it according to the ideals for which the sacrifices were given. For this reason, carrying out responsibilities in the best manner is the supreme work of a patriot. A man who does not take good care of his responsibilities is like a creature without organs and mind.

Freedom without a sense of responsibility is dangerous. It is a common saying that, "Happiness lies at busy feet and a busy bee has no time to worry." Only work can make us happy and when work becomes a responsibility its importance increases.

To carry out responsibilities with freedom is a gem that one is lucky to have.

The fortune of a man depends upon how he carries out his responsibilities, that is, his fortune depends upon himself. He himself can make or mar it. In other words, the destiny of a man depends on himself. If he is eager to carry out his responsibilities with utmost care then he will be successful. It will have a great impact on the nation. Nelson uttered a great truth when he said: "England expects every man to do his duty." History is a proof to such statements.

Everyone wants freedom but it comes with the sweet burden of responsibilities necessary to build up the mind, the man and the nation. So we should not shirk responsibility or consider it a tiresome burden. It is the price of freedom and if we desire freedom we should not grudge the price we have to pay for it. Rather we should take up our responsibilities with passion and devotion, by virtue of which our country will advance and make progress in leaps and bounds. If we are responsible our reward will be success. I pray that all of us realize it.



Happiness is desired by all. Everyone wants to live a good and happy life but in this world of chaos, extreme pain and injustice, resources and money are not uniformly distributed. In some places we see people's houses and accounts loaded with uncountable money and unlimited luxuries. They have every comfort and joy of life; we see them living a life of ease and easily fulfilling almost all of their wishes. At one side of the scale of society are these people who are apparently blessed with every beauty of life but at the other end we witness a completely different story

of the people who don't even get dry bread two times a day for their children. These people are embedded in poverty and difficulties. They are constrained to live in this cage of hardships by the demanding and rigorous requirements of their life. They persistently try to break through the bars to live a happy life, but then at the end they have to relinquish their desperate efforts and are bound to live a miserable life.

However, is this really the complete picture of the life being spent by people on the two extreme ends of the scale? Not really! We also see discontentment, depression, anxiety and the rat race to acquire more and more among the people who already have plenty. We see many rich people neglecting their children; we see many falling a prey to experimentation with drugs and other unlawful activities. On the other hand we see concern for humanity, patience and strong family ties among many of those who can hardly make both ends meet.

Now after observing such a terrible contrast the question that keeps on swirling in many heads, whether happiness only belongs to the rich, can be easily answered. And the answer to this question is clearly NO. Happiness cannot be a possession of somebody. Happiness is a free shot for all. Its only requirement is internal satisfaction. It is a very famous and indeed a very true saying that MONEY CANNOT BUY YOU HAPPINESS, but some people still contradict this statement, justifying themselves by saying that a good and happy life can only be lived when you have all the money, facilities and when you can fulfill all of your wishes. This is the wrong thought of people which later on becomes the biggest reason for their misdoings. Then they become crestfallen and lose hope. Well, this is absolutely wrong as one can never get all of his desired things in life. So one has got to learn to make the most of what he has.

So, we must remember, the only way to live a happy life is to be content with what Allah Almighty has blessed one with, thank Him, firmly believe that He grants without limit whomsoever He wants and continue striving for the best using all honest means. Only then one can live a happy life. Thus, anyone can lead a happy life regardless of him being rich or poor. The only requirement is internal satisfaction. Thus, it is clear that it is futile trying to find happiness through money!

As far as you can avoid it, do not give grief to anyone. Never inflict your rage on another. If you hope for eternal rest, feel the pain yourself; but don't hurt others.

## TO EVERY LIGHT THERE IS DARKNESS



Rabeet Zulfiqar 3453 - M 1st Yr C



Shadows are formed when there is absence of light, signifying that to every light, there is darkness and to every rise, there is a fall. Shadows have no mercy. They display life's most cruel realities. Like for example, you can't see your face in your shadow. This is because they tell you that appearances don't matter. You and I ... we have the same shadow. The president of America has the same shadow. So why bark at each other and indulge in debates on each other's differences?

Shadows are like a constant reminder. They are latched on to your back and will keep nagging you just to make sure that they've got you covered in each situation. They are a reminder that wherever there's light, there's darkness. Wherever there is hope, there is fear and wherever there is good, there is evil.

Shadows act as a companion. They're even better than your best friends who leave you just so that they can use the bathroom! Well .... Shadows stick around with you forever. They can be the protagonist of your story. My shadow and other shadows can merge easily. They don't fight over what's mine and what's yours. As all shadows look alike, there's no beauty contest between them.

Shadows are a symbol of wisdom. They know that staying quiet is better than speaking words that you and I don't understand. They are observers and good

secret keepers. They know all your secrets but they can't open their mouths.

Shadows are good mimics. Well, it's part of their job anyway to mimic you. You can't outrun them nor can you fool them. They are like a mirror, trying to act out how you look when you're doing daily chores or just playing. You can learn a lot from them and they are always there to co-operate.

The sad part is that shadows leave you pretty quickly. One moment they're there with you and the next thing, they're gone! The thing is that shadows are lovers of happiness and prosperity. Whenever there's absence of light, they leave you. They like sunshine and happiness. They don't want to be the ally of something evil or something dark. They have a clean conscience too.

Even though shadows are just a result of a physical phenomenon, I think they are more loyal than human beings. They are like a teacher of wisdom and virtues. Alas, we humans don't even talk to each other and our shadows are still loyal and accompany us to our graves. I wish we could be more like our shadows....

## THE RAIN AND MY PAIN

Rana Ahmad Zulfiqar 3576 - R 10th A



We the proud Labradors have faithfulness running in our veins. Wagging my tail, sitting contentedly beside Alan and looking at the rain outside, brings back the bitter sweet memories of what happened to me four years ago.

I was living a splendid life with Jenny, my wife, and Mylo my son. We had the blessing of a great master, Alan and his family. Mylo was a new born, his teeth just beginning to become sharp. He was keen to live free, was passionate about independence and did not want to be confined - a very naughty kid indeed! Alan really cared about us all; canned food, comfortable life, everything was superb. But suddenly all changed. It was Mylo again! This time he crossed his limits and bit Bela, the cute little

daughter of Alan, when she was trying to play with him. Bela was yelling with pain and bleeding. Alan in anguish and anger punished my lad! It was a brutal torture in fact. Alan hit Mylo so hard that he soon stopped yelping and went limp.

He died in front of me! My master killed my son, my happiness, my life! How could Alan do it? Bela was still weeping and screaming which made Alan more furious. He was striking the body knowing Mylo was dead. He was merciless. He had lost his mind completely. Had he forgotten my sincerity? The years of loyalty? My bending backwards trying to carry out every order and command of Alan and his family? He crushed my son, in anger, he did not remember anything.

I somehow managed to get myself free of my leash and ran towards the body, tears running, whining for justice. Even the clouds in the sky cried that day. It was pouring as I left home running towards the highway and crossed the woods. I was hopeless. The clap of thunder felt like Mylo screaming for help. I recalled his every single shriek and roar. I wanted to die, I had no reason to live for. I was going to set my soul free. Every step I moved, I waited for that blessed moment when a car would run me down and take the soul out of my body. Praying, please...hurry up!!! Creator, please, send someone to take me to my son. Please!

Crash!!! Crash...I detected voices around me. Thank God. I am no more. It was quiet and peace. No pain! Soon I will be meeting my real life, my son Mylo. But wait! Nothing had happened to me. No!! No, I barked at the top of my voice. It could not happen. What could be worse than when you were expecting death, life was bestowed on you! Oh God!! Please, why could this car not run me down? I howled in despair. All of a sudden, I saw the heavy rainfall scattering the petals of a flower. The petals fell to the ground, spreading their scent and beauty all around. Flashback!!!The same had happened with my Mylo! His memory showered me with happiness!

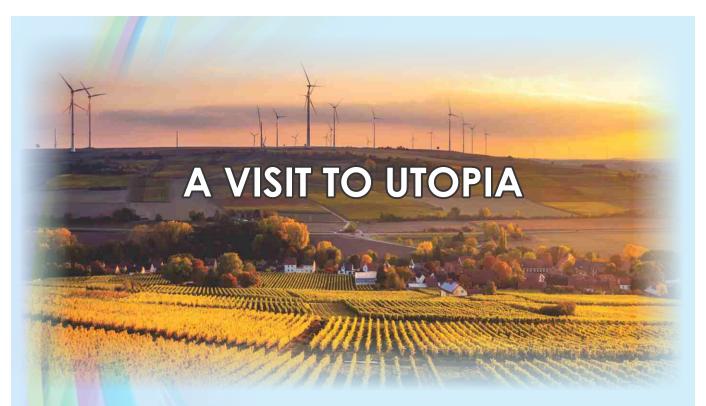
Then I thought of Jenny my life, my partner. What would she do without us both? I was leaving her alone when she needed me the most. I was running away from a difficult situation like a coward and denying the bitter reality. OMG!!! What was I doing?

I remembered that after every rain, the sun shines and a rainbow is formed. This time too will pass. This pain will go away. After every hardship, there is ease. I had to return and had to console Jenny to come back to life. I had to forgive Alan!

Rocky...!!! Rocky! Bela was calling me. I turned back. I know that my pain will lessen, and my sun will definitely shine. I must remember that life is meant for living and pain is what makes life.

So now whenever it rains, my heart fills with a dull ache but I reject it. I shake it off. For pain is like a beast. It will make you its prey. Unless you have the courage to escape, move on, let go and forgive!!!





**Ali Hamza** 3540 - R 10th B



I was walking along the river bank. The clouds were making astounding shapes and mocking my imagination. The wind was nudging the water and making melodious noises. It was striking the boughs of trees, causing the fragile leaves to fall. The leaves that after whirling about the branches finally touched the ground, rustling as if they were whispering their own eulogies to others. The scene was so fascinating that I was totally immersed in the moment. All of a sudden, I saw and then heard something so mesmerizing that I couldn't stop myself from walking towards it. I was completely captivated and enchanted! I found myself engulfed in an inexplicable mist!

I could see nothing around me but darkness. I became frightened. The darkness started to numb my mind. It became filled with frightening questions: "Where am I"? What sort of place is this?" "Am I even alive???" My mind was fully messed up when a ray of light came out of nowhere. I rushed towards it. As soon as I touched it, it pulled me in!!! What seemed to be a tiny ray of hope was actually a portal to another world.

I was amazed to see beautiful fairies with glittering wings on their back gathering around me. It was like a children's dream coming true. I was a little

frightened of them but then I realized that they were even more frightened of me. They took me to their king's palace. I saw a huge gate ahead of me. As soon as the door opened, a very bright light came out of it. It blinded me for a minute or two but when I opened my eyes, I found myself in the great hall of a castle. The hall was covered in red carpets and curtains and it was so huge that even the whole population of Sargodha could sit in it with room to spare. The king stood up in surprise and started walking towards me. He held my hand and said: "I knew it was not just a myth!"

I could not understand him. I asked him what he meant but he changed the topic and told me instead: "This place is known as Kings' Arc. I am the king of this dynasty. Who are you?" I told him my name and told him that I was a human being and I came from planet Earth. The whole hall went silent for a moment. They had believed that humans didn't even exist and were only part of stories told by their elders! There was a buzz of excitement. Then the King said, "Laura"...

And my eyes beheld the most beautiful artwork of nature. A girl with long black curly hair, a wide smile on her face and eyes so beautiful and deep that anyone would love to sink in them, came forward. The King said: "Laura, go with him and let him explore the captivating and everlasting beauty of Kings' Arc".

The king clapped twice and a beautiful carriage, drawn by four unicorns lifting it appeared from nowhere. We sat in it and started our tour. She showed me things that I could only imagine in my wildest dreams. She showed me rivers that flowed uphill, mountains made of chocolate, trees with fruit that were so delicious - nothing like I had ever tasted before - and creatures about which I had only read in fairytales. Kings' Arc was a world where any wish could come true. In short, it was a world of perfection.

Everything was going absolutely fine when all of a sudden the unicorns stopped. Laura, with voice full of fear, ordered the unicorns to turn back. I was curious. I asked her what was wrong but she didn't answer. I poked my face out of the carriage and what I saw was nothing less than the most horrible nightmare I had ever had. A cave filled with darkness, with dark clouds above it and a place as silent as death! She told me that the place was known as Death Cage and a monster lived inside it. It remained asleep for a long time but when it woke up it would come out of its cage and devour many people before it was pushed back into its cage. The whole Kings' Arc feared the Death Cage and who ever entered the cave never came back.

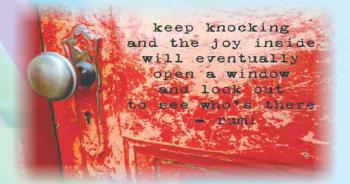
We returned to the palace. In a few days, we forgot everything. One day while I was having my meal, I heard loud sirens, screaming and tolling of huge bells. The king told me that the monster of Death Cage had woken up. I urged him to let me fight against the monster along with them. The king and I ran outside. The soldiers were trying in vain to stop the monster. They were showering him with arrows but seemed to have no effect on him.

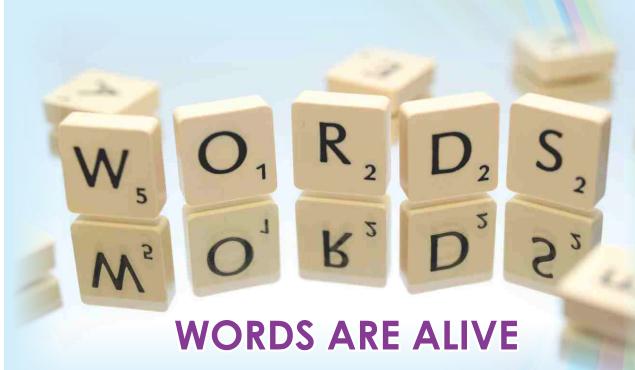
The monster had already gobbled up many people. The king gave me a bow and a few arrows. He told me that the only way to kill the monster was to shoot its left eye but even his most skilled marksmen had been unable to do that. Many had died in their desperate attempt. The fight continued. More and more people were dying; I also tried my best but was unable to kill the monster. I was left with my last two arrows. The king himself was fighting this time and was trying to get near the monster to get an accurate shot. I too tried to shoot the monster but missed yet again. The king was trying his best but the monster was undefeatable. I began to give up when I saw I had only one arrow left. I thought I could do nothing. But then I saw Laura, whose eyes were filled with tears, begging for the life of her father. The monster had grabbed the king and was about to shove the brave king into his belly, when I gathered all my courage and decided to shoot. Just as the monster brought the king up to his horrible mouth, my arrow went through him. Right on target! It hit the monsters left eye!

The monster died at once....peace was restored! The king threw a huge feast to celebrate it. I, being the hero, was the guest of honour. I was sitting on the throne right next to the king and his beautiful daughter, Laura. The king then told me that it had been prophesized that the monster would be killed by a being from another world! That was why he had been so happy to see me! I was not a myth after all! As a reward for ridding his kingdom of the terrible monster, the king announced that he would marry his daughter to me. I was filled with immense happiness. My wish was about to come true.

I went down on my knee and held Laura's hand in mine. As I was about to put the ring on her finger, I heard a strange voice saying, "Get up idiot!!! You are getting late for school!"

Shocked, I opened my eyes and my mom was standing in front of me with a frying pan in her hand! I jumped out of bed and rushed into the changing room to get ready for school. Daily routine's ennui was waiting ahead to kill all my dreams and fantasies once again!!!





Abdul Qadeer 3599-A 10th A



As she put down another one of the novels she had finished reading on her side-drawer and lay down on her bed, she started thinking about the people she encountered in those novels. Multiple thoughts about different characters were making her mind whirl. But it was pleasant for her to re-visit each story!

Recalling different people from her memory, she thought of a girl who left all her wealth and embarked on a quest to find love and happiness. At the same time, she felt sorrow for a boy who had sailed across an entire ocean on his way home but died when he finally reached the land.

She praised the bravery of a man she had read in a book, who stood by and fought for a black man when the whole racist society was against him. Simultaneously, she felt sympathy for a mother who put her hungry kids to sleep every night and sat down by them praying to God until her eyes got too tired to cry.

Like a drug addict, she was addicted to these people in books. They, who only existed on pages, were more real to her than those moving in the streets and roads. They remained with her where ever she went but most of all they remained in her dreams. She compared townsfolk to those people. And as creepy as it may seem, she felt safe with them, those who had allowed her to read about them and had welcomed her into their lives.

She felt good remembering them because she loved them. May be she loved them because a part of her knew that she would never be like them; maybe she loved them so much because she had never seen such audacity and sacrifice. Reminiscing about some character of the novels, she closed her weary eyes and went to sleep.

Early in the morning, she got out of bed in a hurry as if someone was calling her. Skipping breakfast and donning a raincoat, she ran onto the street with rain soaking her face and puddles splashing under her feet.

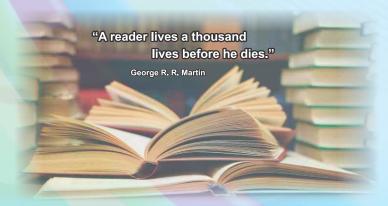
Running the whole way, she reached the town library panting hard. She went in and started searching for new novels to read. Sitting in a corner surrounded by shelves of novels and magazines, a thought grabbed her like a mugger grabs an unsuspecting victim in the dark.

She asked herself why she kept on falling in love with the people who existed only on pages: people whom writers generate: people she'll never meet; people she'll neither see nor converse with. And it would have been better if they weren't the way she imagined or even worse than that. That day she decided to return home without any novel.

But as she faced the mirror, placed on the library wall, she saw what she hadn't seen before. She had thousands of words written all over her skin and she was amazed why the pen never ran out of ink! She would never have enough of them, would she?

Once again, she started yearning for the people trapped in books. Her heart ached for their company and she wondered why she never longed for the people who actually existed in this word. And if she was hit by a truck, she would realize with numbing pain why.

Mulling over such thoughts, she went back to the shelves to pick up a few new novels and went out of the library. On the way home, she realized that sometime words had wounded her and sometimes words had healed her. Somewhere, she had hated them. Somewhere she had loved them so much. The hate came and went but the love she had for words never died out. It was evergreen!



## **VOICES OF THE EARTH**



Muhammad Ali 3401-S 2nd Yr A



"What about sunrise
What about rain
What about the things
That you said were to gain...
What about killing fields
Is there a time?
What about all the things
That you said were yours and mine...
Did you ever stop to notice
All the blood we've shed before
Did you ever stop to notice
The crying Earth, the weeping shores?"

It appeared to me as if the symphony was being played somewhere far off. The voice of the singer was feminine and it reflected a strange melancholy. It was so mesmerizing that nothing else was audible. And then, all of a sudden, total silence. Just faint hiccups could be heard. It seemed as if everything had quit whatever it was doing and was waiting for that voice to start again. For a split second, it seemed as if everything had ceased to exist except those hiccups. I longed for the voice to start again.

I began to collect myself. Where was I? What was happening? A closer insight into the situation nullified the thought that everything was waiting for that voice to continue. Rather it was revealed that they were also crying with it. Those hiccups did not have one source. With the exception of myself, everything around me was crying, shedding tears, and emitting moans. Why? What had happened to them? Who was making them suffer? And before I could think of anything else, they all, in one tone, fired at me, "YOU!"

"Don't accuse me falsely! I did nothing to you! I don't even know you! Who are you?" I enquired. They all shot back, "We are the children of Mother Nature."

The reality hit me like a hard blow. I was standing amidst 'Mother Nature' and was answerable for the atrocities that I, 'the human being' had made them suffer. At that time I heard Paulo Coelho saying, "Everything has a soul, this land, the forests, the deserts, everything. Even there is a Soul of the World." I shuddered as I recalled the lines of the mournful song,

"Did you ever stop to notice

The crying Earth, the weeping shores?"

"Mother Earth!" I called out loud. Wailing sounds. Tears! She was crying in a flow. My Mother! And she was crying because of me! Before long I was also crying with her. Tears of remorse were rolling down my cheeks. And, to my amazement, she got up, came to me, patted my head and wiped my tears. Tears of the very being that had brought her to that state! And then she started,

"It was a long time ago, even before time was created, we were asked which one of us would support life. A warning was given that it would be a matter of giving only. Of all the planets in the whole universe, I volunteered. The day they all came in, all the vibrant creatures made by the Creator, I was fascinated beyond imagination. Colour, creed, species, biodiversity, it was all a whole new pageant of wonder to me. What a splendid scene it was, full of warmth, pleasure and happiness. Everything was just perfect: the serene, scenic, clean, unpolluted atmosphere!

The Crown of the Creations, the Creator's Caliph who was going to take charge of me, also arrived. And the moment I saw him, immense feelings of affection developed inside me for him. That day I decided that I would not be reluctant in providing him with any comfort he required. How I supported him and how he has paid back! It has been a non-zero sum game all along! For quite some time things were absolutely fine. Man lived in perfect harmony with me. Sometimes he wronged me but he acknowledged that and tried to undo it. I liked it and was okay with him.

And one day, somehow or the other, he was replaced with you, the so-called, 'more evolved form'. Yes you were improving yourself and your lifestyle, but in doing so you did not care for me, with whose cooperation it was all made possible. You started balding me by shaving off my forests. I did not protest. You planted industries in order to produce valuable things. Absolutely no problem with that! But you did not pay heed to the destruction caused to me by the toxins emitted by them. You polluted my land and

destroyed my epidermis; you polluted my air and devastated the respiratory system that the creatures use; you polluted my water and thus destabilized the circulatory system due to which life was possible over here. I did not protest. And what about Hiroshima and Nagasaki? And scores of others since: chemical weapons, biological weapons, conventional ones, unconventional ones. You have threatened life to such an extent that you have crippled it.

You have given numerous death blows to my ecosystem. You cannot even reckon how many species you have made extinct due to your evil desires. Not to talk about those endangered. You've even poisoned the rain. All those CFCs and hazardous gases emitted by your machines have murdered its purity. I am not asking you to halt the use of machines. I only enquire wether you have done anything about the waste products. I fear you have no answer. You have even pricked the veil which used to protect me from the harmful rays of the sun. And look, you yourself have suffered because of it.

And now, look, you have damaged me so badly that my soul is visible through the wounds on my body. You are making me suffer total entropy. Does anyone do that to his mother? A mother who provided him virtually with everything? And remember I am not weeping for myself. I volunteered for total submission right at the first moment. I am crying for my children. For all those little creatures, whose sustenance depends on me. What will they do! Where will they go! Okay! Just tell me one thing! Where will you go after I am on the death-bed?" I remembered T.S. Eliot saying,

"We are the hollow men We are the stuffed men."

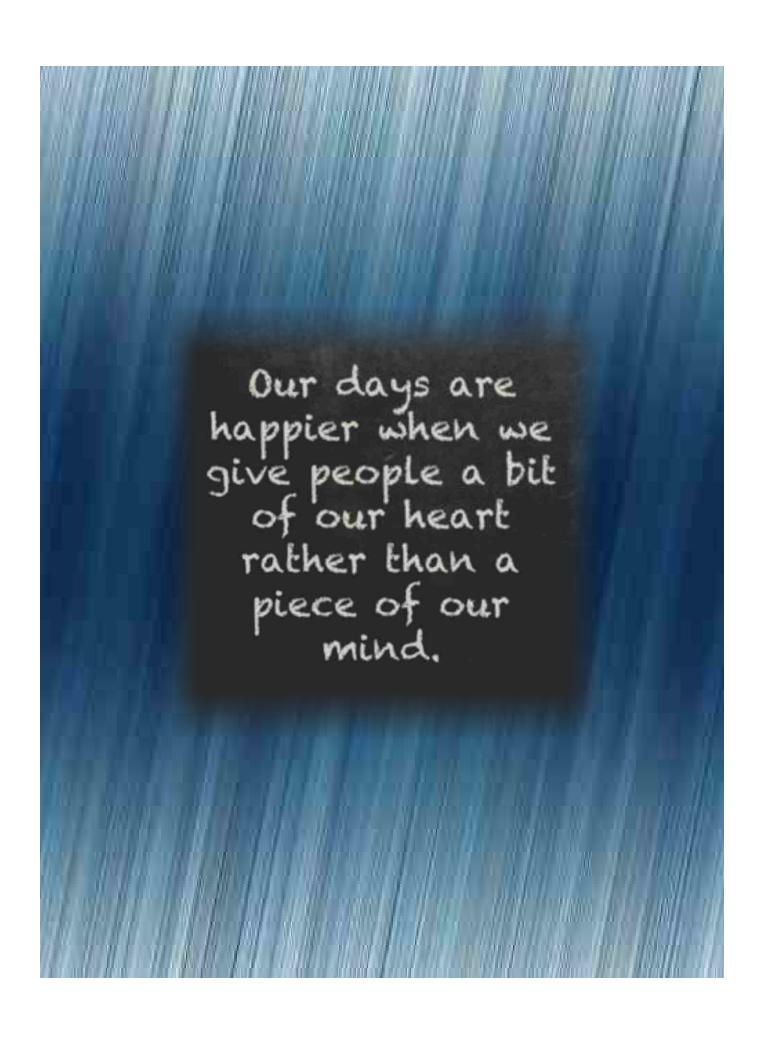
She appeared to have heard my thoughts. She shushed me and said:

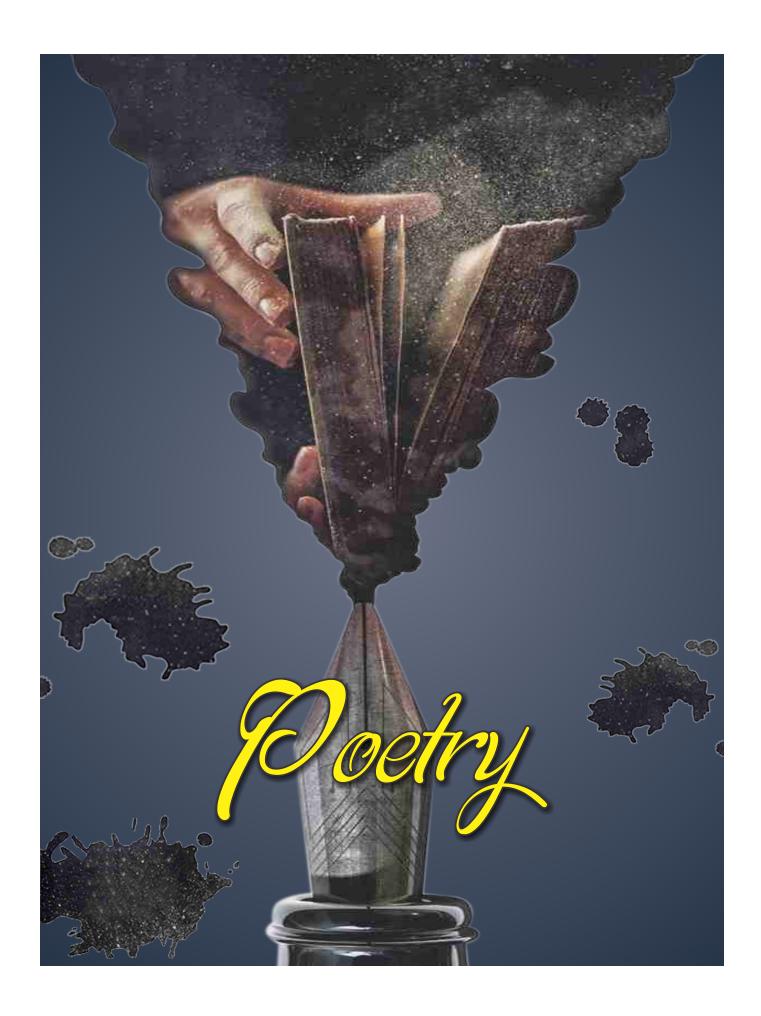
"No, take note of one thing, I will never shirk the responsibility given to me by my Lord Almighty, I am not disappointed at you. I still have faith. Night is the darkest before dawn. I foresee a day when my wounds will be healed. I expect humans to be friendly with me again. You will surely do something about the toxic. I have a hope that where you once wounded me, you will place a healing bandage. That you will pay back. That you will realize your ignorance. That you will surely come back into my lap. I am waiting for that day. And I believe that day is not far.

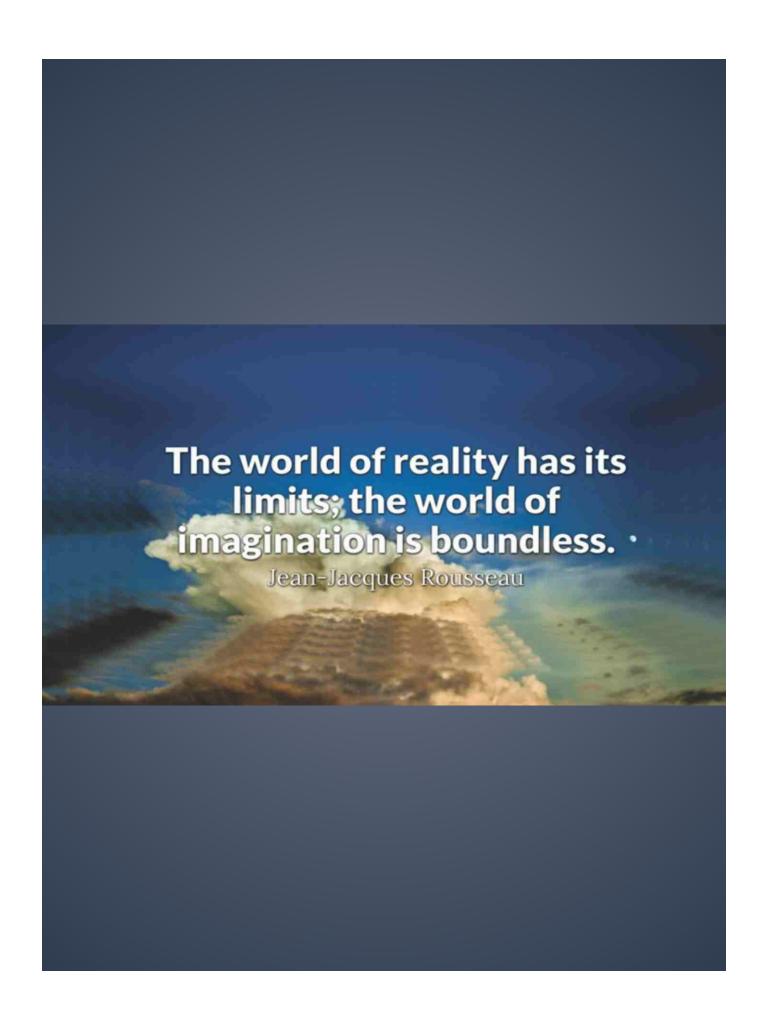
"By fissuring the atom, you have learnt to weep and wail in a loud tone
By fissuring the grain, setting life on foot is a higher deed
Will you be able to split the grain?" (Ahmad Nadeem Qasmi)

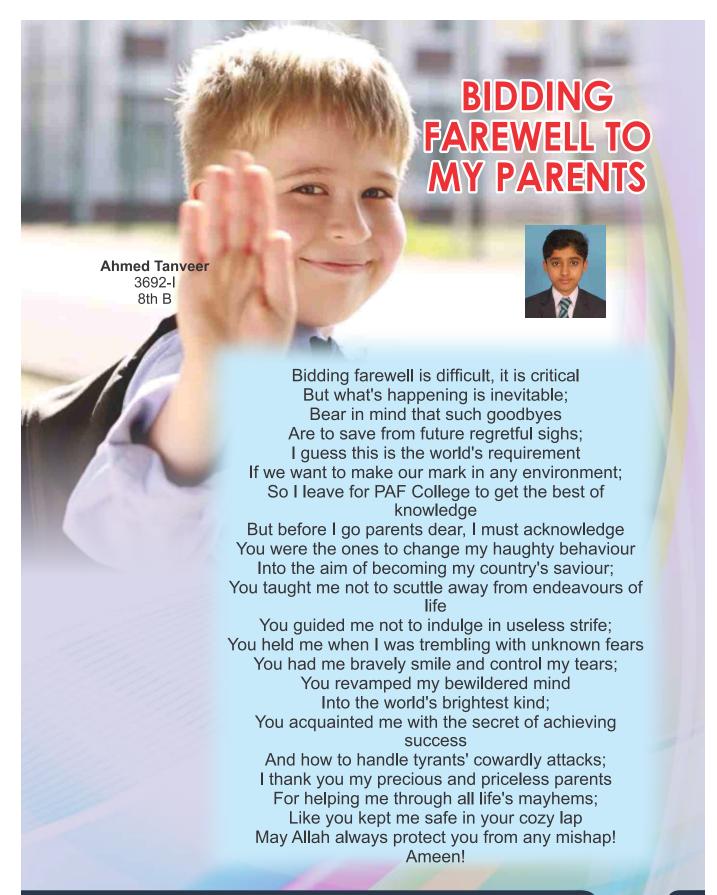
At that time she seemed to be a fairy of Mount Caucasus, her face expressions were full of hope, full of love, full of affection. There was brightness in her eyes that I could not withstand. That day I promised myself that I will pay heed to what my mother, my beloved and caring mother had said. I shall rectify myself. I shall try to undo the devastation caused to her by me. And I shall make my mother proud of me again. May my Lord Almighty help me in doing that. Amen.

(The article won a prize at the creative writing competition held by HRCA)









## **BOLT OF THUNDER**

Humayun Zahid 3532-Mn 10th A



I am a bolt of thunder that falls on its enemies
And leaves them to wonder, "Who did this to me?"
Until they discover, it is I, the nation's defender!
Every time I am hit, I retaliate and become stronger
I am taught by my mentors to never step back, never surrender.

I never lose hope for I dream to be a martyr
Every time I fall I get up to leap further
If someone tries to pull me down I fly higher
If my routine gets tough, I get tougher.
If I'm thrown to the wolves, I bounce back
Leading the whole pack.

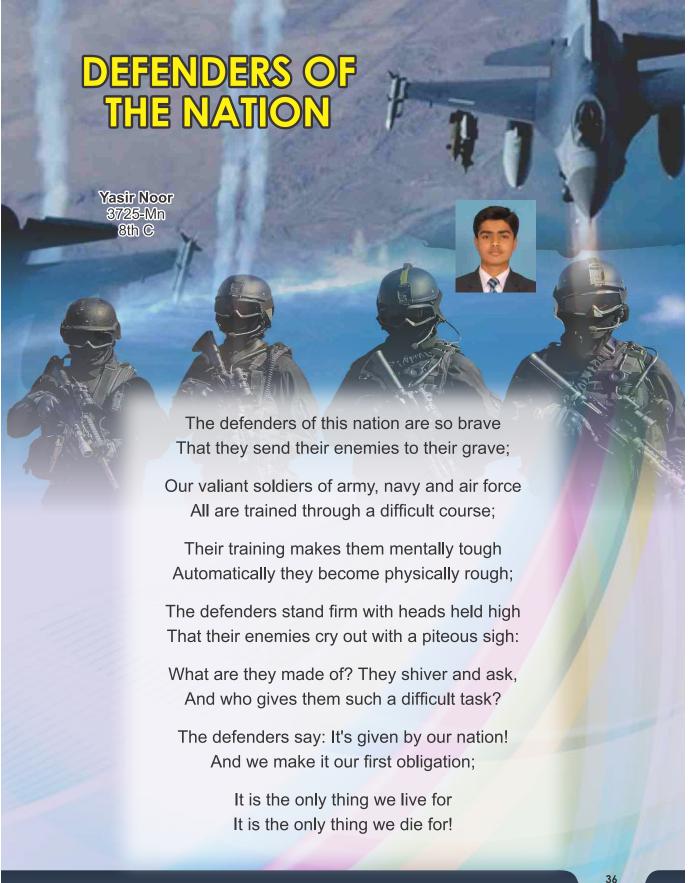
The battlefield is mine to rule and for my enemy to drool!

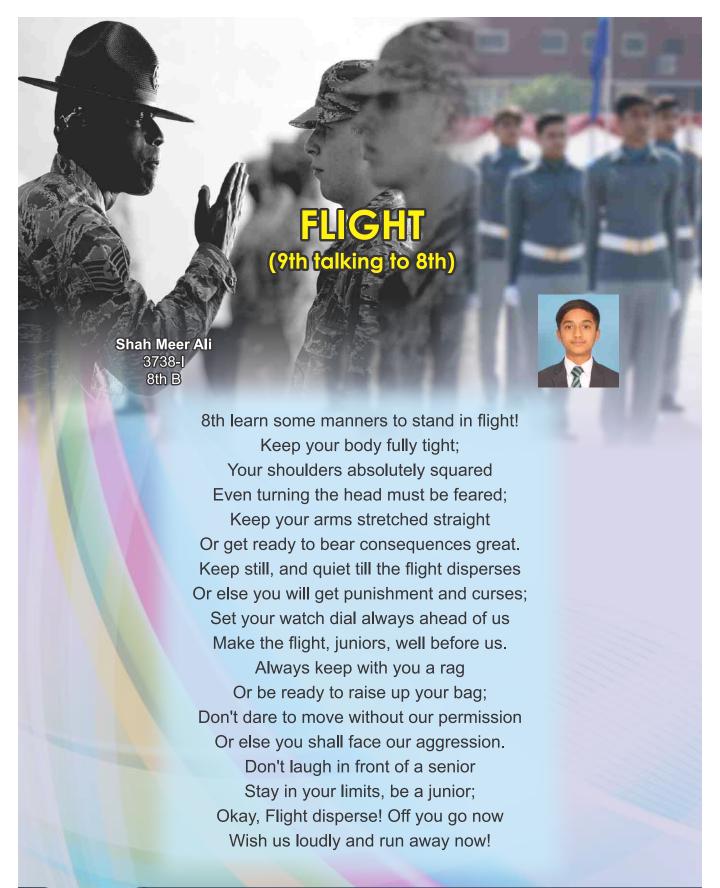
God has sent me down with the order

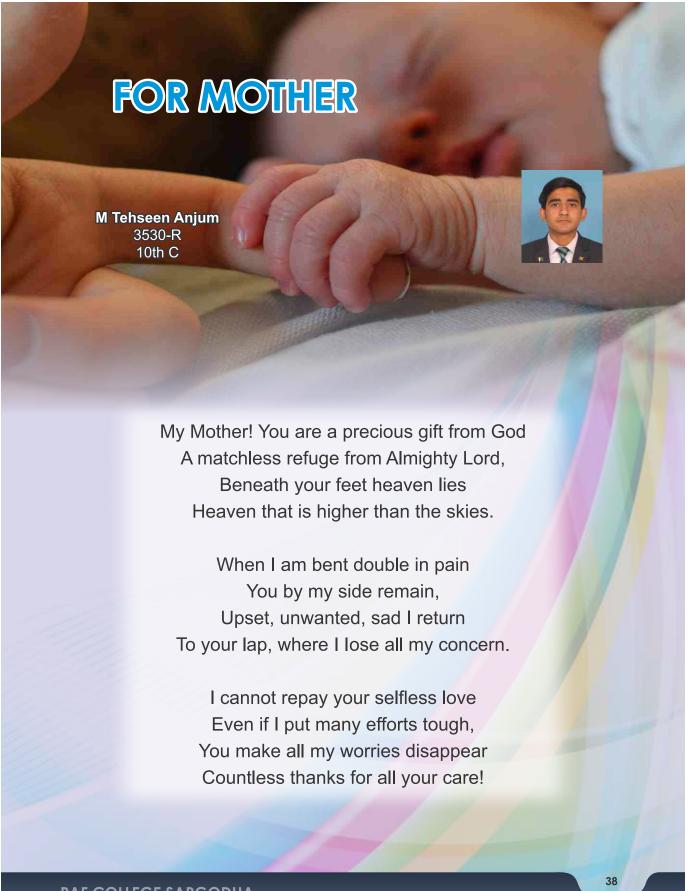
To make safe my motherland's border!

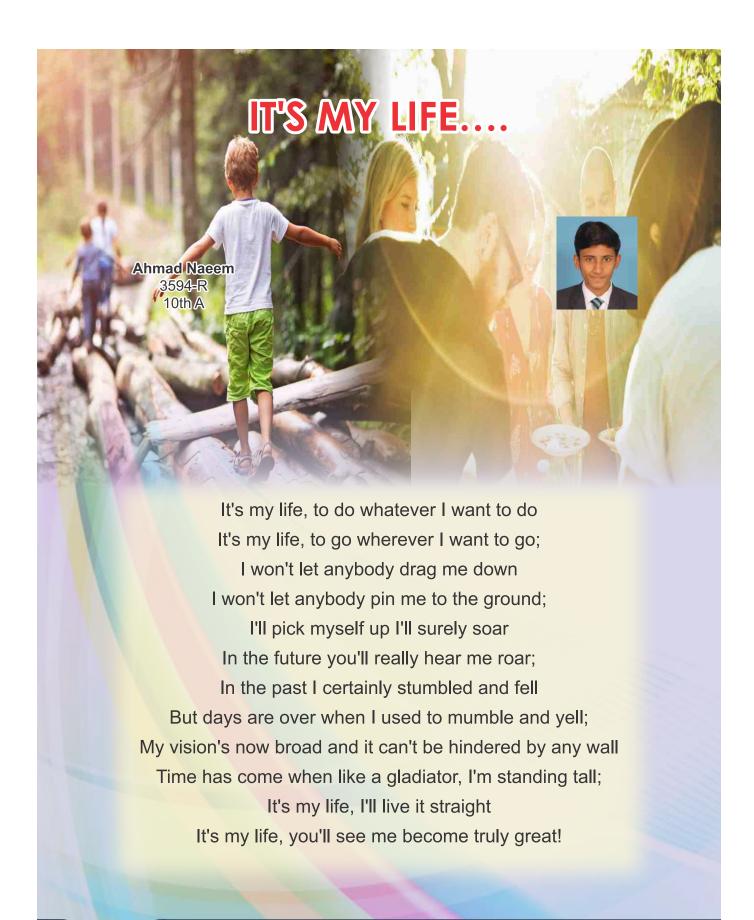
I am the reason my enemies keep at bay,

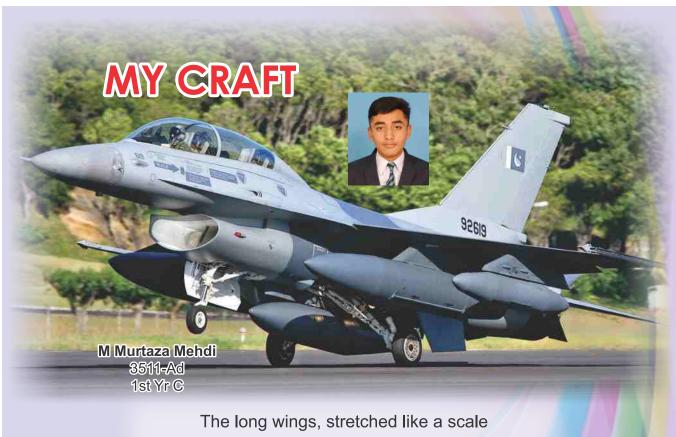
I am the nation's defender, they'd better stay away!











Standing on the tarmac, ready to sail.

Its speed's like a flash of lightning
Its roar, even lions find frightening.

A stream of smoke along its wings
In a barrel roll it banks and swings.

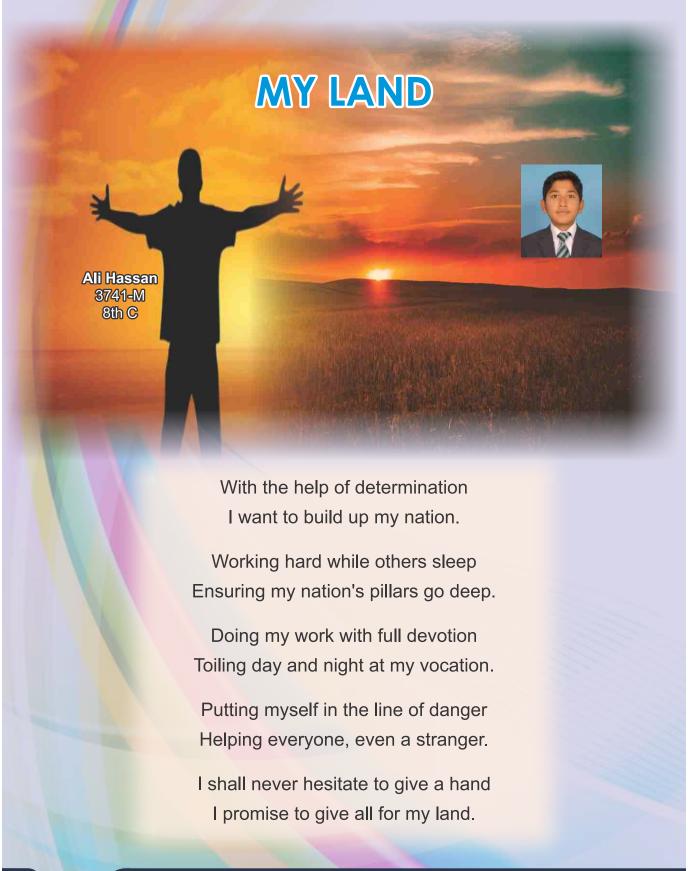
Leaving beneath the sky scraping mountain
The formation breaks like a crazy fountain.

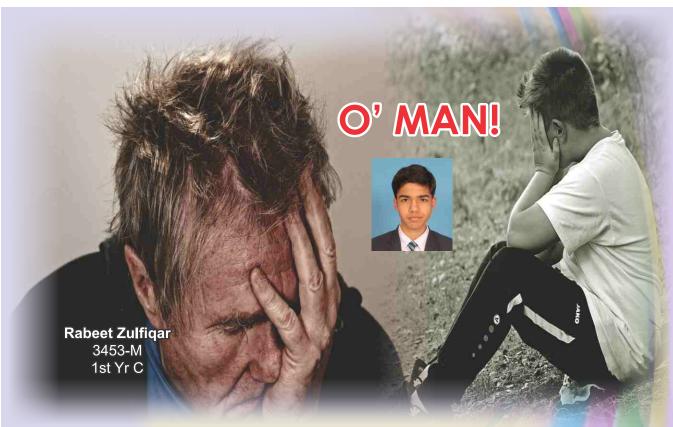
The mission is over, my bird's coming back
With a speed of almost 2.0 mach.

All eyes on it to watch it land
Gears stretched down to touch the sand.

Taxiing with grace it gets into its hangar
No one will disturb its well earned slumber.

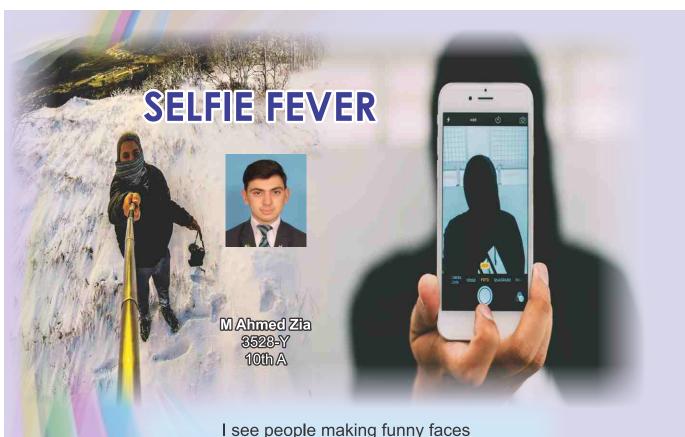
Nothing can match its beauty pristine
That's my craft, the F-16!



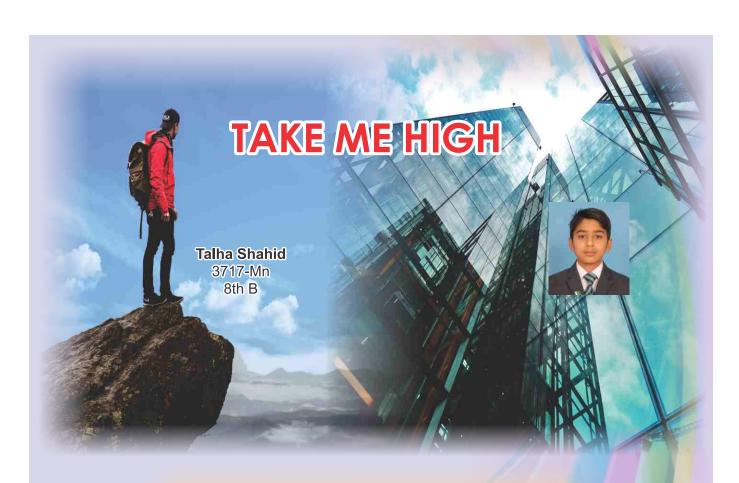


### O' man.....

What have you done in your life's span? You wasted your youth in vain desires Ignoring the good among wicked liars. You forgot your uniqueness, the individuality You did injustice to yourself, now that's a reality. Wake up from this deep slumber Don't try to win for status and number; Learn....for you've still got time Your bones are strong, your head still fine. If there's purity in this beating flesh You can rise and ignore all the mess; If hard work and belief are co-existing Then life's not a pit of distress or suffering; If for once, for evil or happiness you cry Remember one thing; someday we all will die..... So think about all you've done, O' man! What have you learned in your life's span....?



I see people making funny faces Looking grotesque in some cases. Girls are posing forgetting all their graces Of quacking ducks are found in them traces! Boys are busy aping movie heroes Their funny poses making them zeroes! Necks tilted at awkward zones Everyone is dancing to the camera's tones. Sweet selfie, B612, Retrica are there To make your ugly faces crystal clear. Filters are there to make you light or dark And snapchat is there to make you bark. Has the world gone really snazzy? Or only just absolutely crazy? Just then I hear a cry Can't forget it, how hard I try! It's sent down my spine a deathly shiver You can't escape the bug of selfie fever!!!



Take me high, my dreams, take me high
With the winds I will dare to fly
I will for sure touch the sky
So don't be shy and take me high.

I will climb the ladder of success

My soul is for sure free of stress

I will soar over the clouds, defying harm

Reaching the sky's unparalleled charm.

I am the custodian of these aerial fronts
Willing to show off my amazing stunts
So take me high, my dreams, for I want to fly
'Coz I'm a Sargodhian destined to "Aim High"!



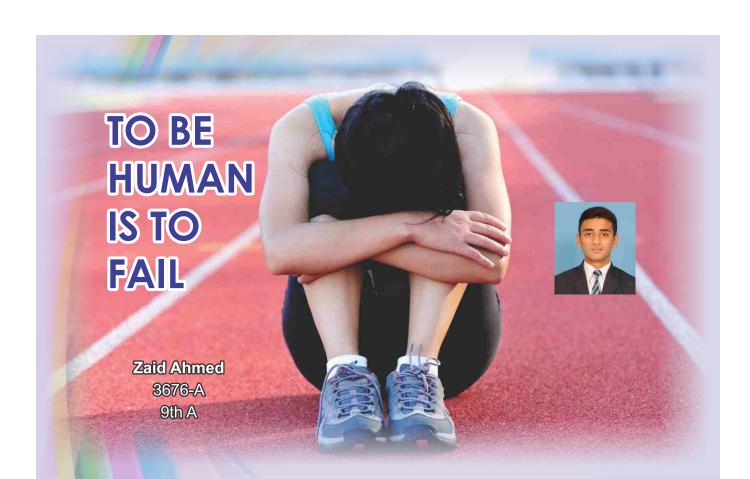
**M Ahmed Zia** 3528-Y 10 A



Waking up to the morning dew, Nature opens its eyes anew; Greeting the dawn in the east, The rays of the sun on darkness feast; Bright light scatters in the sky, And passes through the clouds so high; Sharing their fragrance with the world, The flowers also perk up; Singing in choir praises of the lord, Little sparrows have now woken up; As the leaves start to rustle. The world begins it hustle and bustle! This dawn, man should heed This is the lesson that we need: That even the darkest night has to end in bright daylight! So don't lose hope, continue your fight Until you reach the sky's height; Standing there you will come to know That you and only you can make the dark night glow!



The world's a huge MCQ test which offers only two options The "bad" and "the best"! The choice in our own hand lies To go east or west! "Enjoy yourself", some say And fall into the fiery nest. We should listen to what "The Book" says And follow on with our quest. All nights and days Work hard with zeal and zest Till our fields turn golden Then we can rejoice for good reason. The world's a blessing for those who pass the test But really, really sad for the rest! In disappointment then they cry, "Forgive us! Forgive us! Dear life, Do let us have another try!"



Bear in mind that to be human is to fail So, don't be weepy, don't utter a wail.

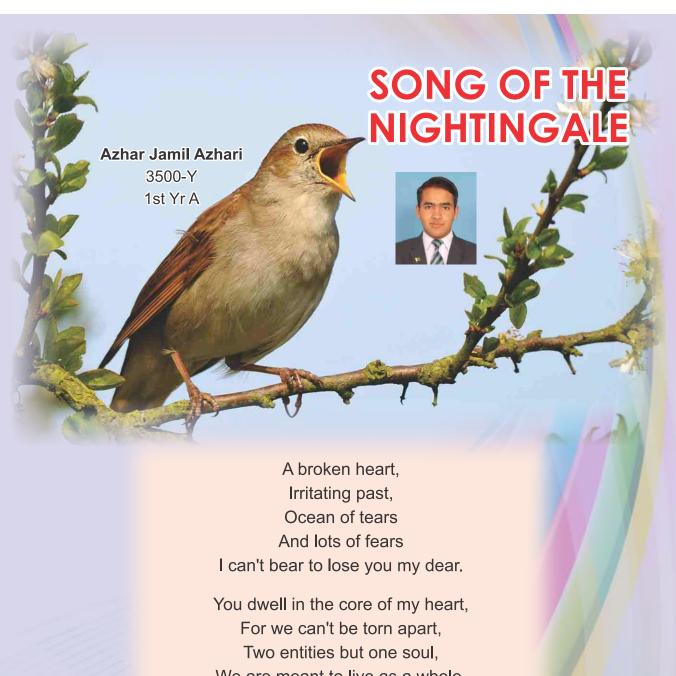
Try to walk if you can't run Even stoop to crawl though it's no fun.

Fight it out, keep your spirits high Go ahead, wipe your teary eyes dry.

If you don't give up and continue to try, You will make your mark in the bright blue sky.

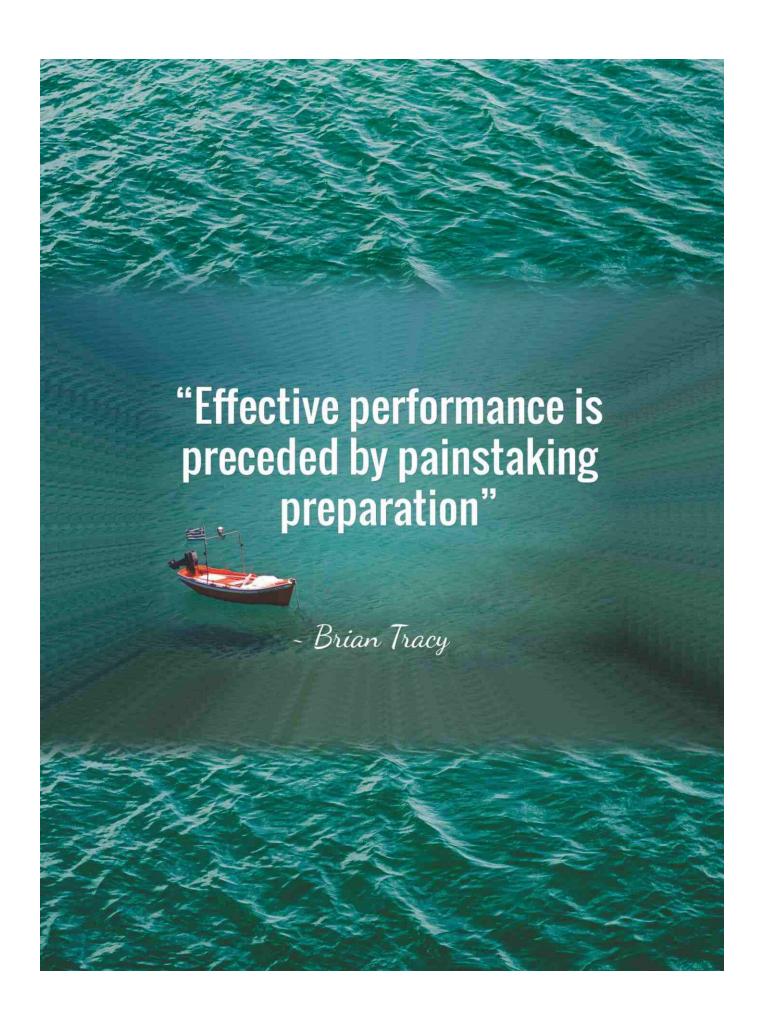
What I'm telling is a universal tale,

To be human is to get up every time you fail!



We are meant to live as a whole, So I can't bear to lose you my dear.

You are the reason I live for, You are the cause, I'm willing to die for. Unsurmountable can be no obstacle, Each one I am ready to tackle, As I can't bear to lose you my dear.



# DIARY OF EVENTS April 2017 to April 2018

EVENT	DAY / DATE
Arrival 50th Entry	April 09
Principal's Dinner for 50 <sup>th</sup> Entry	April 28
Board Exam FSc Part-II (45 <sup>th</sup> Entry)	May 08 - May 22
One Hour Test OHT 1 (8 <sup>th</sup> , 9 <sup>th</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup> & 1 <sup>st</sup> Yr)	May 20 - May 26
Farewell 2 <sup>nd</sup> Yr (45 <sup>th</sup> )	May 26
Announcement of New Appointments 46th Entry	May 26
Board Exam FSc Part-I (46 <sup>th</sup> Entry)	May 24 - June 07
Summer Break	June 01 - September 06
Summer Classes at Lower Topa (46th Entry)	July 17 - August 12
Hiking 46th Entry	August - to August 16
Eid ul Azha	September 02
Gliding (46 <sup>th</sup> Entry)	September - January 2017-18
Training Dinner Alam	September 11
Training Dinner Alauddin	September 12
Inter House Football won by Minhas House	September 13 - September 20
Educational Visit to Salt Mines Khewra 50th Entry (Class 8)	September 13
Picnic Houses (Iqbal & Minhas)	September 17
General Knowledge Quiz-I	September 18
Training Dinner Munir	September 18
Writer of the Year Contest (English & Urdu)	September 21
One Hour Test OHT-I & OHT-II (All Entries)	September 25 - October 02
Sports Gala at Sargodhian Spirit Trust School Rashidabad won by PAF College Sargodha	October 03 - October 09
Entrance Test 51st Entry	October 08
Educational Visit to PAF Base Mushaf 49th Entry (Class 9)	October 11
Sports Gala at PAF College Lower Topa won by PAF College Sargodha	October 13 - October 17
Campfire Night (Safi & Yunus)	October 21
Picnic Houses (Munir & Rafiqui)	October 22
Inter House Hockey won by Minhas House	October 23 - October 30
Educational Visit to PAC Kamra 46th Entry (2nd Yr)	October 26
Picnic Houses (Alam & Alauddin)	October 29
General Knowledge Quiz-II	November 07
Training Dinner Minhas	November 08
Inter House Basketball won by Alauddin House	November 10 - November 17
Campfire Night (Munir & Rafiqui)	November 11

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Training Dinner Rafiqui	November 13
Training Dinner Safi	November 14
Training Dinner Yunus	November 16
Campfire Night (Iqbal & Minhas)	November 18
Picnic Houses (Safi & Yunus)	November 19
ISSB 46 <sup>th</sup> Entry (1 <sup>st</sup> chance) Appeared : 70 Recommended 1 <sup>st</sup> attempt : 57 Best ever result at 1 <sup>st</sup> attempt : 81.42%	November 19 - December 04
Badge Award Ceremony	November 21
Send Ups/Mid Term / OHT-III (9 <sup>th</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> Yr)	November 22 - November 30
Inter House Qiraat Competition won by Alauddin House	December 04
Educational Visit to PAF Base Mushaf 47 <sup>th</sup> Entry (1 <sup>st</sup> Yr)	December 05
Inter House Declamation / Debate Contest won by Safi House	December 08
Annual Drama Urdu & English	December 16
Annual Painting Competition	December 17
Inter House Cross Country won by Alauddin House	December 18
Athletics won by Alauddin House Tug of War won by Alam House	December 19 - December 22
Winter Break / Prep Leave	December 25 - January 03
OHT-III/Pre-board (8 <sup>th</sup> / 9 <sup>th</sup> &10 <sup>th</sup> )	January 08 - January 17
Send Ups (1st Yr & 2nd Yr)	January 10 - January 17
Campfire Night (Alam & Alauddin)	January 18
Educational Visit to Noon Sugar Mill Bhalwal 48th Entry (Class 10)	January 23
PT Competition won by Safi House	January 26
Drill Competition won by Safi House	January 27
College Hobbies Competition	January 29
Inter House Oral Quiz Competition won by Rafiqui House	February 03
Inter House JAM Competition won by Munir House (Conducted on the lines of the popular BBC show "Just a Minute")	February 08
Founders' Day	February 17
Matric Board Exam (48th Entry)	March 03 - March 16
Promotion Exam 50 <sup>th</sup> Entry	March 12 - March 22
9 <sup>th</sup> Class Board Exam (49 <sup>th</sup> Entry)	March 17 - April 03
Spring Break	March 24 - April 01

#### Note:

Sqn Ldr Saeed Hassan SOD on 12 October 2017 / Promoted to the rank of Wg Cdr on 07 December 2017. Sqn Ldr Tahir Sarfraz SOD on 12 October 2017 / Promoted to the rank of Wg Cdr on 07 December 2017. Sqn Ldr Najamuddin promoted to the rank of Wg Cdr on 12 March 2018.

Flg Off Abdul Rehman joined College on 10 August 2017 in the Physics Department.

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Sitting L-R:-

Umair, Shahzeb, Mustajab, Faheem (CP), Sqn Ldr Sabahat (Tutor), Mohsin (HC), Sqn Ldr Ishfaq (HM), Sqn Ldr Furgan (AHM), Flt Lt Mobeen (Tutor), Snr Tech Anwar, Muzammil (H.P), Haseeb (H.P), Hussain Umair, Sohail, Sohaib, Nasir, Rabeet, A. Rehman, Usama, Safeer, Usman, Asif, Waqas, Haider, Salman,

First Row L-R:-

Ahmed

Second Row L-R:- Danyal, Allah Nawaz, Zeeshan, Usman, Danish, Abdullah, Sajawal, Shehzad, Naveed, Omer, Danyal, Abdullah Ibrahim, Faique, Muhadis

Third Row L-R:-

Saleem (Batman), Hamza Haroon, Hammad, Hamza Zahid, Shaheer, A. Wahab, M. Bokhari, Haider, Rashid, Ismail, Abaid ullah, Farhan, Riaz (Batman)

## MUNIR HOUSE

(Fight to the last)

Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Ishfaq Ahmad
Asst Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Furqan Shakil
House Tutor : Sqn Ldr Sabahat Batool
House PTI : Snr tech Anwaar ul Hasnain

House Captain : Mohsin Ali (3437)

College Prefect : Muhammad Faheem (3374)
House Prefects : Haseeb Murtaza (3412)

Muzammil Ahmed (3406)

House Batmen : Saleem and Riaz

Each year starts with renewed energy as a fresh batch of appointment holders take charge of the House.

Our 46th Entry was all geared up for the coming challenges and waited to prove its mettle in all spheres of training. Together they tried to organize the House into the best it could be. They succeeded to a great extent.

First to come was the senior Football championship. Our senior team performed really well

and made it to semi-final. The match was a rigorous one and we had to be content with 3rd position. We were now eager to perform well in Hockey. We reached the semi-final under the leadership of Faheem (3374-M) and Mustajab (3434-M) and grabbed 3rd position with our skill and hard work. Next to come was the Basketball championship. Despite our greatest efforts, we were not able to make it to the semis.

In Athletics, we stood 3rd; Mohsin Ali (3437-M) got 1st position in high jump and broke the College record by making a marvelous jump of 5ft 7in. In the Cross-country championship, our house stood 2nd. Faheem (3374-M), Mohsin (3437-M), Safeer (3509-M), Abdul Rehman (914-M), Muzammil (3406-M), Sohaib (3478-M), Salman (3571-M) and Muhaddis (3558-M) ran in the event and put in their best efforts.



On the co-curricular front, Munirites performed equally well. In Qirat competition, Danish (3622-M) proved his mettle by securing 2nd position; our House stood 5th in Inter-house Declamation contest. Faheem (3374-M) showed his

scholarly skills by grabbing 1st position in Urdu Essay writing competition. Danyal Shehzad (3653-M) secured 3rd position in English Essay writing competition while Asif (3448-M) stood 2nd. The best English Essayist of the year was M. Bukhari (3687-M). Our House performed equally well in Inter-house PT & Drill competition and stood 2nd in both events. House Captain Mohsin Ali (3437-M) grabbed the Best Commander award. Muzammil (3406-M) received the GSK Trophy for his House on Founders' Day.

In English Dramatics, our versatile actors Asif (3448-M), Rabeet (3453-M) and Musab (3462-M) gave a wonderful performance and were very vital members of the Club. Musab (3462-M) was declared the 2nd best actor while Asif (3448-M) grabbed consolation prize.



Munirites also played a vital role in the Urdu Dramatics. The diverse roles of Nasir (3469-M), Danyal Mustafa (3596-M), Ahmad (3588-M) and Hammad (3732-M) were worth appreciating and won a great round of applause. Ahmad Raza (3588-M) won the consolation prize.

Here some individual performances deserve a mention too. Danish (3622-M)

stood 2nd in Photography competition. Danyal (3653-M) was declared the scientist of the year. M Bukhari (3687-M) was declared the JAM King of the College for standing 1st in JAM competition. Mohsin Ali (3437-M) received basketball color while Haseeb Murtaza (3412-M) received the prize for his excellent performance in Karate. Mohsin Ali (3437-M) was also declared Quiz Master of the year.



Our scholarly Munirites sure know how to burn the midnight oil. In F Sc part-II exams Tufail Awan (3307-M) stood 1st in his entry. In F Sc part-I exams, Faheem stood 2nd in his entry. In Matriculation board exam, Waqas Ahmad (3485-M) stood 1st in his entry. M. Abdullah (3581-M) secured 2nd position in 9th board exam. Faheem (3374-M) received the color in academics on Founders Day for consistent brilliant performance in academics. Munirites grabbed the overall Education Trophy after a very long period. It is a matter of great honor that we have accomplished such a wonderful feat.

With firm determination and consistency we were the best in almost all competitions and eventually were the best among all Houses. We were declared the Champions by the grace of Allah Almighty and it was all a result of our efforts and dedication. We are determined to keep our achievements consistent in the coming years.

## SAFI HOUSE



Sitting L-R:-

Ali, Yousaf, Usama, Farhan, Nauman (HP), Flg Off Aftab (Tutor), Bilal (HC), Sqn Ldr Adil (HM), Flt Lt Allah Dino (AHM), Sqn Ldr Khurram (Tutor), Chf Tech Musharaf (PTI), Abdul Manan (CP), Salman (HP), Zeeshan, Ehtisham

Usman, Hammad, Futras, Hamid, Yasir, Atif, Hassan, Ali Sial, Hamza Aijaz, Sarmad, Ahmad Salahuddin, Muhammad Hamza, Aqib, Aadil, Nasir, Huzaifa

First Row L-R:-

Second Row L-R:- Mati-ur-Rehman, Yahya, Hassan, Mansoor, Arslan, Razi, Ahmad Siddique, Rashid, Sibghat Ullah, Hamdan, Adnan, Abdul Rauf, Abdullah, Israr Ullah

Third Row L-R:-

Sajjad Bhai (Batman), Sarib, Sami Ullah, Ahmad Ali, Huzaifa Rawad, Muhammad Ali, Sher, Aarif Bhai (Batman)

## SAFI HOUSE

#### (To What Heights Can We Not Rise)

Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Adil Mahmood

Assistant Housemaster : Flt Lt Allah Dino House Tutors : Sqn Ldr Asif Ali

Flg Off Aftab Hussain

House PTI : Chf Tech Musharaf
House Captain : Muhammad Bilal (3372)
College Prefect : Abdul Manan (3391)
House Prefect : M Nauman Jillani (3384)

Salman Ahmed (3438)

House Batmen : Arif & Sajjad

Being the champion house for the second consecutive year, we the Safiites started off this year full of enthusiasm. The start of the year was not up to our expectations as we stood at 7th, 7th and 5th positions in Football, Hockey and Basketball respectively. The teams were led by Usama (3416) Salman (3428) and Nauman (3384).

The Safiites proved their mettle in the art of oratory as we lifted the Declamation Trophy. Ahmed (3477) and Hammad (3604) were declared best senior and junior Urdu speakers respectively. M. Ali (3401) participated in English category and the team was led by House Captain M. Bilal (3372). We stood 2nd in Qirat competition, Abdullah (3731) participated in junior category; Hamid (3604) our senior Qari was declared the best Qari of the year. Salman Ahmed (3428), Hamza (3454), Usman (3682) and Adil (3550) participated in Quiz competition. We were 4th in the event. We were also good in discipline as we managed 4th slot in the race for discipline points. For our excellent performance in the co-curricular competitions, we were runners up for the GST Cup.

In X-country competition, the Safiites bagged 3rd position in the event. Hamid (3604) was declared the best runner of the year. In athletics, the strong and agile Safiites managed 4th position. Hamid (3604), Zeeshan (3431), Usman (3614), Ehtisham (3417) and Hassan (3470) proved themselves in various events. Hamid (3604) broke the record in 800m race. He completed the track in 2 min 09 sec.

For the first time in our history, Safiites lifted the P.T and Drill trophies. The Drill commander was House Captain M. Bilal. The PT timers were Nauman (3384) and Ahmed (3438). Hamid (3604) was the leader of PT squad. The efforts of House PTI Chief Tech Musharraf are commendable in this regard.

The Safiites proved themselves the best in Academics. We lifted the Board

Exam Trophy and overall Education Trophy. In F Sc. Part I, M. Ali (3401), Salman (3384) and Usman (3416) were among the toppers. In class 10th Board Exams, Yasir (3493), Ali (3447) and Hassan (3470) scored highest marks in their House entry; in class 9th, Adil (3550), Aqib (3537) and Sibghat (3526) were among the toppers. In 8th promotion exams, Usman (3682), Hassan (3619) and Hamdan (3661) scored top grades. We were proud to lift



the coveted Academics trophy for the 3rd consecutive year.

Talented Safites also participated in Hobbies Club competition. M. Yousaf (3368) was declared the best singer of the year. In woodworks, Ehtisham (3417) secured 2nd position. In science models, Farhan (3401) stood 2nd and Nasir (3557) stood 3rd while Sarmad (3461) was declared 2nd best "Clay Modeler" of the year.

Safiites were also a part of College teams. Usama Qamar (3416) was the soul of Football team. He was also given colour in Football for his excellent performance as a striker. A. Manan (3391) was a member of College Basketball team. M. Bilal (3372) and Yasir (3493) were members of Cricket team. Salman (3438) was in College Hockey team.

M. Ali (3401) won gold medal in Essay writing and Usman (3682) won silver medal in HRCA competition. Ahmed Salahuddin (3477) also participated in APDC held at SST Public School, Rashidabad.

We the Safiites, were declared as the runners up for the coveted Quaid-i-Azam Shield. We lost the title of the champions, but still we are enthusiastic and determined to achieve more in the coming years.





# **ALAUDDIN HOUSE**



Sitting L-R:-

Bilal, Salar, Rehman, Fasih (HP), Snr Tech Jamshaid (PTI), Sqn Ldr Khurram (Tutor), Saqib (HC), Sqn Ldr Yasir (HM), Sqn Ldr Kashif (AHM), Fahad (CP), Flg Off Aftab (Tutor), Kamran (HP), Kausar, Ehtisham

Haider, Hamza Ejaz

Ameer, Adeel, Badar, Aryan

Usman, Ali Arif, Adnan, Fasih, Umar Khalid, Ahsan, M Abdullah, Hurr, Sikandar, Ali Gohar, Faizyab, Murtaza, First Row L-R:-

Second Row L-R:- Haseeb, Waqar, Hassan, Rafay, Hamza Riaz, Asad, Abdullah Khan, Ahmed Ch, Fakhar, Umer Haider, Hamza

Third Row L-R:-

Khalid (Batman), Asif, Areeb, Moazzam, Ali Hussain, Azan, Shahryar, Qasim, Sabih, Adan, Saif, Haris, Jabbar (Batman)

## **ALAUDDIN HOUSE**

(Second to None)

Housemaster : Sqn Ldr M Yasir Latif
Asstt Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Kashif Hussain
House Tutor : Sqn Ldr Rehana Alam
: Sqn Ldr Khurram Shahzad

House PTI : Snr Tech Jamshaid
House Captain : M Saqib Sher (3371)
College Prefect : Fahad Amin (3430)
House Prefects : Kamran Ashraf (3420)

Faseeh Aslam (3375)

House Batmen : Khalid & Jabbar

There never was a night that could defeat sunrise!

Mustering up our courage, keeping in mind the previous years, we, the Alauddinians, under the command of house captain Saqib Sher (3371) started this year with full zeal and zest. This year in Talent Hunt Competition the brilliant sportsmen of Alauddin House performed well; in football we made it to the semifinal and with energetic sportsmen like Abdullah (3545), Ahmad (3529) and Ahsan (3564) we lifted the basketball trophy. Their efforts are indeed worth mentioning.

After the clash of small guns, the giant clock sounded for inter house

tournaments. In football, with the efforts of Faseeh (3375), Kamran (3420), and Fasih Abbas (3483) we made it to the semifinals and earned a very respectable 4th. In hockey this year our team comprised of six College team players Kamran (3420), Saqib (3371), Fahad (3430), Salar (3402), Kausar (3435), and Sikandar (3514) made it to the finals and ended up as runners up. In basketball, with the experience gained from the previous sports under the able captaincy of Ehtisham Aamir (3388), we the Alauddinians, were declared the worthy champions. I wouldn't be fulfilling my duty if I didn't mention the name of Agha Hurr (3496) who acted as the pillar of the team; Rehman Nasir (3415), Abdullah (3545), Ahmad (3529), Kausar (3435) are other names who made us earn this title.



Again this year, proving our muscular skills, we the Alauddinians, under the leadership of house captain Saqib Sher (3371), lifted the X-country trophy with our maximum boys making it to the top ten. Fakhar (3534), Asad (3640), Ali Arif (3610),

Badar (3663) were other prominent runners with Fakhar (3534) getting a respectable 3rd. With our heads held high, with the success achieved in X-Country, we started the athletics tournament with the same enthusiasm and like last year stood the worthy champions.



Our great athlete, known as the Usain Bolt of the College, Faseeh Abbas (3483) was declared the best athlete of the year earning gold medals in100m, 200m, 400m, and 4x100m. He earned a very respectable bronze medal in 110m hurdles and shotput. Fahad (3430) the College Prefect, stood first in javelin and 3rd in long jump. Abdullah (3545) stood 2nd in high jump and was declared the best in hop step and jump, his long legs were truly tailor-made for the event. It is all testimony to our great physique.

This made us the champions of sports and we clinched the Chigwell Shield.

On the co-curricular front we were 4th in declamation. Faizyab Ashfaq (3488) and Abdullah Khan (3616) managed to grab 3rd in senior English debate and junior speech competition respectively. In qirat, due to the efforts of Hamza Ejaz (3467) the best qari of the last year, both our boys in senior and junior made it to the victory stand. Ali Gohar (3499) stood 2nd among the seniors and Hamza Riaz (3672) was declared the best junior Qari and we lifted the overall qirat trophy. In quiz, despite putting a lot of effort, we stood 7th. In Drill and PT our House stood at 4th and 7th respectively.

Alauddin House has always had the distinction of producing very fine scholars. This year too our brilliant scholars did well in board and home exams. Saqib (3371), Ehtisham (3388), Kamran (3420) and Fahad (3430) secured excellent marks in F.Sc board exam and secured badges of Excellence. In 10th board exam all 8 boys received Badges of Excellence; Umer Khalid (3451), Hurr (3496), Faseeh Abbas (3483) and Ali Gohar (3499) were prominent in their respective classes. Again proving our mettle, our whole 10th class got badges of Excellence with Umar Haider (3587) standing overall first in his entry by securing 488 marks out of 495. Abdullah (3545), Ahmad (3529), Adeel (3602) are the names worth mentioning. In 8th class promotion exam our four young brilliant scholars got badges of Excellence. Ali Arif (3610) stood 1st in his whole entry. Asad (3640), Abdullah (3616) and Badar (3663) are the others who got the honour.

This year three boys from our House received College colours. Saqib, the house captain received the colour in hockey, Kamran (3420) also received the colour in hockey being the captain of the team. Faseeh Abbas (3483) received the colour of the best athlete of the College. On hobbies front, Alauddinians also proved their worth. Hamza Riaz (3672) got 3rd position in singing, Agha Hurr stood second in calligraphy, Fakhar (3534) stood 3rd in the same category and Faizyab (3488) was declared the best in sketching for the consecutive second year. This is all due to the persistent efforts of the boys.

## ALAM HOUSE



Sitting L-R:-

Gohar, Muez, Afzal, Nouman (CP), Ahsan (HP), Sqn Ldr Amna (Tutor), Salman (HC), Sqn Ldr Javed (HM), FIt Lt Mubeen (AHM), Mannan (PTI), Umais (HP), Ajder, Hubaib, Talha

First Row L-R:-

Ehtisham, Usman, Shahmir, Uzair Abid, Asim, Qasim, Momin, Husnain, Mashood, Ashel, Rasib, Aman, Hamza, Umer Farooq, Obaid Second Row L-R:- Sameed, Talha, Faiz, Abdul Qadeer, Zaid, Sahahram, Ahmed Ali, Uzair Ali Akhter, Shehryar, Ahmed, Lajpal, Adil, Gulraiz

Ejaz (Batman), Fahad, Siraj, Zaigham, Shahwali, Alreeyan, Umer Abbas, Samdani, Owais Hashmi Third Row L-R:-

## **ALAM HOUSE**

(I Will Dare)

Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Javed Aziz

Asst Housemaster : Flt Lt Mobeen

House Tutors : Sqn Ldr Amna Ghazanfar

Flg Off Abdur Rehman

House PTI : Snr Tech Abdul Mannan

House Captain : Salman Zia (3443)

College Prefect : Nauman Shehzad (3382)
House Prefects : Umais Shabbir (3366)

Ahsan Javed (3398)

House Batmen : Ijaz & Ameer

Nothing great has ever been achieved except by those who dared to believe that something inside them was superior to the circumstances" (Bruce Barton)

The year in retrospect began with bidding farewell to the 45th entry and transfer of command to the scholarly and highly talented 46th. Also in the house administration, Sqn Ldr Ishfaq Bali became AHM in the place of Sqn Ldr Khurram. Flg Off Abdur Rehman and Sqn Ldr Amna also took over the posts of House Tutors.

The dawn of the year met with high spirits and enthusiasm. This enthusiasm was much portrayed in the Inter-House Football Championship for the Chigwell Shield. The team played with grit and tenacity under the captaincy of Muez (3427). We reached the final but unexpectedly lost on penalties and were declared runnerups. The efforts of Ahsan (3398) and Afzal (3378) are worth appreciating. The Hockey team led by Gohar (3414) and Ajder (3393) got 6th position. In Basketball Championship, as per our legacy, we aimed for the trophy but unfortunately had to deal with unwanted circumstances. Due to the absence of our key player Afzal (3378) and injury of the captain, Salman (3443) we couldn't achieve our goal but got 4th positon. Despite his absence in two matches Salman (3443) was adjudged 'Best Scorer'. The efforts of Hubaib (3409) are also appreciable.

But this didn't lessen the morale of our senior-most entry and they went on for ISSB with full confidence. Fate compensated them really well as they got 100 per cent result. 10 out of 10 Alamites got recommended. Ma sha Allah!

On the academics front, Alamites were no less. We were 3rd in Board Exams and 4th in Home Exams Trophies and 4th in overall CAS Education Trophy. Umais (3366) made his house proud by receiving Academics Colour. He also got Badge of

Distinction for topping his entry for the third consecutive time. Other scholars of 46th Entry, Nauman (3382), Gohar (3414), Talha (3439) and Ahsan (3398) got Badges of Excellence in FSC-I. Six boys of 47th Entry got Badges of Excellence including a JMET boy Ehtisham (921) from MCM. 48th Entry also produced stunning results as all 10 of them got Badges of Excellence by securing more than 95 percent marks. Mashood (3554) obtained the highest marks in the House. In 8th class Promotion Exam, Shehryar (3612) and Uzair (3628) got Badges of Excellence.

Alamites also performed well in Inter-House Co-curricular activities. In Declamation Contest we stood overall 3rd. Nauman (3382) got 2nd position in Senior Urdu Debate whereas in Junior Urdu Declamation, Uzair (3628) got 3rd position. We got 5th position in Quiz and 6th in Qirat. However, in the newly introduced JAM Competition we secured 3rd position in which Sameed (3710) of 50th entry stood 2nd in his entry. We were 3rd in PT competition but we could only manage 7th position in Drill Competition. Overall, Alamites got a reasonable 4th position in GST Cup.

We got 7th position in Cross-country Competition and were declared 6th in Athletics even though Salman (3443) put great labor in many events. Still we did not lose spur and won Tug of War Trophy under the captaincy of Salman (3443). We were 4th in overall Chigwell shield.

The Alamites also bagged many laurels for their participation in different extra-curricular activities. Five brilliant 46th entry boys got colours at the Founders Day. This is indeed an achievement. Other than that, the performance of Samdani (3756) and Zaid (3676) in English and Mashood (3554) and Nauman (3382) in Urdu Dramatics was really admirable. In Annual Hobbies Competition, Ashal (3472) was accredited 'Best Painter' for his unmatchable artistic skills whereas Muez (3427) was declared 'The Best Photographer'. Ashal (3472) also represented the College at APPC held at Chand Bagh School. Nauman (3382) was a part of the team that participated in the APDC held at PAF Academy Asghar Khan. He also represented the College at Hassanabdal where our team won the trophy. He also got first position at the Elocution Contest held at DPS Faisalabad. He got the colour in Urdu Declamation for his excellent performance during the five year stay. Mashood (3554) got second position in Chess Competition held at DPS Faisalabad.

The House was quite successful in producing a good number of capable sportsmen for College teams. Ahsan (3398) was the captain of Gymnastics Display Team. He was also Vice Captain of College football team. He and Afzal (3378) got Football colour for their outstanding performance in the sport galas. Muez (3427) and Talha (3439) were also part of the playing 11 in football team. Ajder (3393) and Gohar (3414) were vital members of College Hockey Team. Salman Zia (3443) was College Basketball team captain and got his colour for consistently giving an up to the mark performance. Hubaib (3409) was also a member of Basketball team. Usman (3459) was wicket-keeper of College Cricket team. All these players proved their mettle in the sports galas held at SST Rashidabad and PAF College Lower Topa.

## MINHAS HOUSE



Sitting L-R:-

Anas, Askar, Shehzad (HP), Ilyas(HP), Flt Lt Shumaila (Tutor), Hamza (HC), Sqn Ldr Arif (HM), Sqn Ldr Tasavvar (AHM), Snr Tech Faiz (PTI), Yaseen, Ehtisham (CP), Umar, Ali Hassan

First Row L-R:-

Humayun, Fahad, Izaan, Wahab, Zain, Umair, Ayaz, Qasim, Abdullah, Husnain, Faham, Sarmad, Imran, Hammad

Second Row L-R:- Talha, Fayyaz, Karrar, Usman, Abdullah, Danyal, Tallal, Talha, Hamza, Arham, Hassaan, Ahsan, Haseeb

Third Row L-R:-

Ashraf (Batman), Aneeq, Ali, Arham, Yasir, Ahmad, Uzair, Hamza, Ali Hassan, Mohsin, Ali Hammad,

Hashaam, Ejaz (Batman)

## MINHAS HOUSE

(Fight for Truth)

Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Arif Mubeen
Assistant Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Tassavvar Alam
House Tutors : Sqn Ldr Naiamuddin

House PTI : Snr Tech Faiz-ul-Hassan
House Captain : Hamza Ali Akhtar (3365)

College Prefect : M Ehtisham (3397)
House Prefects : Ilyas Khan (3440)

Shehzad Khan (3377)

House Batmen : Ashraf Senior Ashraf Junior



Defeat isn't when you fail; defeat is when you refuse to stand up."

Marshalling up our courage and forgetting the bad luck of the previous year, we the Minhasians, under the command of highly motivated 46th Entry started this year with full zeal and zest. The valiant and geared up appointment holders of 46th entry were ably led by House Captain Hamza (3365), who was also appointed as the Deputy Head boy.

This year, we bade farewell to two of our house-fellows from 47th entry Sibtain (3473) and Awais (3457) who were transferred to Military College Murree under the newly initiated Joint Military Exchange Training (JMET) programme. We also welcomed Umair (928) from MCM and Abdul Wahab (14057) from Cadet College Ormara under the same programme.

The year started with Football Championship. The House team played with grit and tenacity throughout the tournament and the sweaty efforts of daring

Minhasians helped them lift the trophy. This could not have been possible without our valiant and extremely skillful captain Shehzad (3377) and our talented centre forward Anas (3429) who was also declared the "Best Scorer" of the tournament. The untiring efforts of Umer (3425), Ilyas (3440), Qasim (3444) and Ali Hassan (3413) are worthy of note. Football Championship was followed by the Hockey Championship and Minhasians once again proved their superiority in the field by lifting the Hockey trophy. The rising spirit of the Minhasians was too hard to bear for the opponents and no team could stand in front of the jubilant Minhasians although the main reason for such a great success was none other than true sportsmanship, team work and the marvelous performances from our team captain M. Ehtisham (3397), Anas (3429), Imran (3592) and Fayyaz (3605).

It is a matter of immense pride to narrate that the Minhasians won the Football and Hockey Championships after a span of 7 years. Indeed, the 46th entry deserves this credit. Next in line was the Basketball Championship, the Minhasians were highly motivated to lift this trophy as well, throughout the tournament Minhasians competed with full devotion and managed to make it to the final. The well contested final with Alauddin resulted in loss by a narrow margin. Everybody wants to be a winner but sometimes winning is not just about finishing first, the real victory lies in participating wholeheartedly. The efforts of Umar (3425), Zain (3504), Abdullah (3520), Imran (3592), Danyal (3593) and Tallal (3531) deserve praise. Next to come was the X-country Championship. The sweaty efforts of Zain (3504), Abdullah (3520), Umair (928) helped the Minhasians to finish at 4th spot. Then came the turn of highly awaited Athletics Championship. Umar (3425) made us all proud with his scintillating and highly admirable running skills and stamina. He stood 2nd in 100m race 3rd in 200m race, helped grab the 2nd position in 4x100m relay race, was first in the event of shotput and first in 110m hurdles race. The untiring and heart-warming efforts by Hamza (3365), Ilyas (3440) and Anas (3429) helped us in becoming the runner-ups for Athletics Trophy, again in a neck to neck competition. Minhasians proved their muscular skills in the Tug of War competition by securing 3rd position. In this way Minhas House proved to be the undisputed champion of the coveted Chigwell shield after 2 years.

Minhasians also remained prominent in co-curricular activities. In the Declamation and Debate Competition, Umair (928), Aneeq (3690) and Zain (3504) competed well, whereas, Hasham (3674) managed to grab the 2nd position. In Qirat Competition, we were at the 5th spot due to the efforts of Sarmad (3614) and Usman (3547) who got 3rd position in senior category. In Quiz Competition, Minhasians once again proved their extra-ordinary mental abilities by grabbing 2nd position. Qasim (3444) won 2nd position in the senior category which proved his mastery in general knowledge, whereas Izaan (3474) prepared the House for written test.

In the first ever Just A Minute (JAM) Competition conducted in the College, the efforts of our boys are worth mentioning. Sarmad (3614) managed to grab 2nd

position in his entry, the 49th, whereas Izaan Ahmed (3474) was the JAM champion of his entry (47th).

Karrar (3548) and Fayyaz (3605) proved the best in Woodworks. Humayun also stood 2nd in Painting Competition: whereas Izaan (3473) stood 3rd in photography competition. Our intellectual, Husnain (3458) also proved his superb creativity skills by grabbing 3rd position in Urdu Essay Writing Competition.

We were not able to perform well in Inter House PT and Drill competition as we stood 6th in both the events. In the annual English dramatics, Humayun was declared the 3rd best actor of the College, whereas, House Captain Hamza (3365) was the Student Director of the drama. He also had the chance to represent the College in Sri Lanka where he participated in Herman Loos and De Zoysa competitions.

Ehtisham (3397) and Ilyas (3440) got colors in Academics and Gymnastics respectively. The only reason why we couldn't grab a reasonable position in the race for the Quaid-i-Azam Shield was our poor performance in academics this year. The boys were not seen geared up for their academics which earned us the seventh spot in both Home and Board exams Trophy. The result produced by our 49th entry contributed to this weak performance. However, the efforts of scholars like Anas (3429), M. Ehtisham (3397), Zain (3504), Qasim (3444), Wahab (14057), Hammad (3600) and Aneeq (3670) deserve praise.

We are hopeful of improving our academic performance next year. What actually is needed is to motivate the boys, to gain self-confidence, to realize their true potential and to make them realize that they have to show performance in academics. We hope that we will achieve all ambitions of ours and bring several







## RAFIQUI HOUSE



Sitting L-R :-

Subhan, Moeez (HP), Zain, Ali Raza, Flt Lt Shumaila (Tutor), Shoaib (HC), Sqn Ldr Asif Niaz (HM), Hassan Abdullah (HB), Flg Off Aftab (Tutor), Imtiaz (PTI), Abrar (CP), Yasir, Mudassir, (HP),

First Row L-R:-

Ahsan, Hamza, Abdullah, Ahsan Sharjeel, Hassan Shehzad, Waqas, Zeeshan, Danial, Suleman, Zohaib, Huzaifa, Ali Hamza, Ahmed Naeem, Mohsin,

Second Row L-R:- Adeel, Mazhar, Ahmed Zulfiqar, Haris, Tehseen, Saleem, Asad Ali, Faizan, Asghar, Usama, Asad Abbas, Hashim, M. Ahmed, Hammad

Third Row L-R:-

Ehsan (Batman), Waleed, Bilal, Razeen, Huzaifa Salar, Faizan Hassan, Afnan Khalid, Faraz, Afan, M. Zulshamalain, Yahya, Hasnain, Ibrahim, Rab Nawaz (Batman)

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## RAFIQUI HOUSE

(Never Give In)

Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Asif Niaz

Asst Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Ahmad Shahzad House Tutors : FIt Lt Shumaila Nawaz

Fig Off Aftab

House PTI : Snr Tech Imtiaz

House Captain : Shoaib Mehmood (3411)
College Prefect : Ibrar Bashir (3395)
House Prefects : M Mudassir Ali (3441)

Moeez Ahmed (3422)

House Batmen : Ehsan and Rab Nawaz

Rafiquians started the year enthusiastically as 46th entry took charge with an aim to excel in all spheres of training. The year started with the Inter House Football Championship. After a week long struggle, Rafiquians stood 6th. Rafiquians competed in the Hockey championship with great devotion but were disappointed when they could not qualify for the semis and ended up 5th. Mudassir (3441-R) and Zohaib (3482-R) were vital members of the team. But sometimes winning is not just about finishing first. The real victory lies in participating sportingly. In the very next event that was Inter House Basketball, Rafiquians proved their mettle and went on to play the semi finals. Mudassir (3441-R) and Shoaib (3411-R) played a superb game and led the team to the 3rd position. We also performed fairly well in Cross Country and stood 5th. Subhan (3512-R) stood 8th amongst the runners.

In Athletics, we could not perform very well because of the injuries of our two best runners Muddassir (3441-R) and Hassan (3364-R) and ended up 7th in the Competition.

Some of our boys were a part of different College teams. Moeez (3422-R), Hassan (3364-R), M Ahsan (3465-R), Subhan (3512-R), Sulaiman (3486-R) and Waqas (918-R) played Football for the College. Shoaib (3411) played Basketball for the Alma Mater while Zohaib (3482-R) played in Hockey and Cricket College teams. The icing on the cake was when Ali Raza (3405-R) was appointed the captain of the Cricket team.

This year the co-curricular events brought mixed results for Rafiquians. It started off with Debate and Declamation contest. M Ahsan (3465-R) stood second in the English debate category while Hasnain (3735-R) was 3rd in Urdu declamation but overall we got the 7th spot. We could not perform very well in the Qirat competition and stood 8th but our scholarly kids brought home the Quiz trophy. Asad

Abbas (3565-R) was 2nd in junior category while Ibrar (3395-R) was 3rd in the senior category. Our boys participated very well in the newly introduced JAM competition while Ali Raza (3405-R) qualified for the Inter entry JAM final. Drill and PT marked the end of Inter House competitions. Rafiquians jumped and stamped their feet hard for the competition. Their efforts got them the 3rd position in Drill while 4th in PT.

Some Rafiquians also participated in various all Pakistan competitions and brought home laurels. Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) was 1st in APDC at Cadet College Hassanabdal; he also participated at PAF Academy Risalpur. M. Ahsan (3465-R) was 1st in APDC at SST Rashidabad and had an Honourable Mention at Lawrence College Murree. Hamza Jalil (3487-R) participated in the Space week held at Cadet College Hassanabdal and grabbed the 3rd position in the science model making competition. Danyal Ali (3497-R) participated in the space week at IST and his group of four pre-cadets was declared 1st in the aeromodelling competition.

It was a treat to watch Rafiquians utilize their artistic skills in hobbies, dramatics and literary activities held round the year. Shoaib (3411-R) was declared the 'Best Sculptor of the Year' and also the 'Artist of Year' for fourth consecutive year. Zain (3428-R) stood 3rd in the category. Mohsin (3466-R) won the 'Best Calligrapher of the Year' award while Asghar (3561-R) stood 3rd in the painting competition. Subhan (3512-R) stood 2nd in the Music competition with his melodious voice.

Rafiquians also dominated the stage during the Annual English and Urdu Dramatics. Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) won the prize of the Best English actor while Sulaiman (3486-R) and M. Ahsan (3465-R) were vital members in English Dramatics Club and Zohaib (3482-R) participated in the Urdu play.

Ali Raza (3405-R), Hassan Abdullah (3364-R), Mohsin (3466-R), Mudassir (3441-R) and Shoaib (3411-R) received prizes on the Founders' Day.

Academics remained an area of mixed fortunes for the Rafiquians. Although we tried our best but eventually stood 6th in both Board and Home exams. Usama Munawar (3591-R) made us proud by securing 488/495 marks, the highest in the entry, and earning the Badge of Distinction. The performances of Ibrar (3495-R), Danya (3497-R), Mohsin (3466-R), Faizan (3533-R), Yahya (3615-R) are also worth appreciation. Rafiquians must realize that in order to win the coveted trophy they must perform well in Board and Home exams.

We owe many words of thanks to the entire house administration for steering us through thick and thin. Although we could not achieve what we had aimed for, we should never lose hope as our motto states "Never Give in" and try harder, fight further and aim higher, for the next year!

## IQBAL HOUSE



Sitting L-R:-

Abdullah, Tauha, Saqib (HP), Yasir (CP), Sqn Ldr Amna, Huzaifa (HC), Sqn Ldr Javed Altaf (HM), FIt Lt Asim (AHM), Chf Tech Musharaf (PTI), FIt Lt Mobeen, Talha, Ahmed,

First Row L-R:-

Danial, Salman, Mujtaba, Hamza, Anas, Haseeb, Amash, Bilal, Abdullah, Shujat, Rauf, Haroon, Zeeshan, Fasih

Second Row L-R:- Khuzaima, Subhan, Ali, Wahab, Ali, Abdullah, Haseeb, Sirabeel, Abdullah, Hamza, Talal, Usama, Ali Abbas,

Nasarullah (Batman), Ahmed Tanveer, Zuhair, Yahya, Huzaifa Hasan, A. Rehman, Umair, Shahzeb, Zia, Talha Tanveer, Moeez, Fuzail, Shahmeer, Khalid (Batman)

Third Row L-R:-

## **IQBAL HOUSE**

(They Live Who Dare)

Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Javed Altaf
Asst Housemaster : Flt Lt Asim Mehmood
House Tutors : Sqn Ldr Amna Ghazanfar
Flg Off Abdul Rehman

House PTI : Chf Tech Musharaf
House Captain : Huzaifa Shahzad (3376)
College Prefect : Yasir Bashir (3399)
House Prefects : Abdullah Munir (3404)

Saqib Farooq (3367)

House Batmen : Khalid, M Nasrullah

"They live who dare," is the motto that Iqbalians live by and this is the driving force that keeps us enthusiastic to face all the challenges in different spheres of training that our institution has to offer. With eyes at the top slot, geared up and focused to make our mark and be amongst the best, 46th entry of Iqbal house ably led Iqbalians during 2017-2018.

Iqbalians did a better job than last year in the field of academics. Abdullah Munir (3404) and our scholarly 46th entry secured 5 badges of excellence in their inter part-1 board exams. The brilliant 47th entry secured 7 badges with Hamza Ahmed (3446) obtaining 3rd position in his entry. In 9th class board exams, Ali Abbas (3525) got 3rd position in his entry. In 8th class promotion exams, Abdullah (3651) got 2nd position in his entry. We weren't able to make it to the victory stand but we were determined to do well. We were 4th in academics.

In co-curricular activities we could not perform well but efforts of all are worth appreciating. In Inter House Declamation Contest, Ali Abbas (3525) achieved 3rd position and in Urdu Debate Contest we stood 7th. In Quiz Competition, we got 6th position; Hamza Amin (3621) dominated the arena and became the junior Quiz master. In Qirat Competition we stood 7th. In newly introduced JAM competition, Hamza Amin (3621) got 1st position in his entry. We were 7th in JAM Competition. In the race of Joint Chief of Air Staff Cup for being best in co-curricular activities we stood 5th.

In extra-curricular activities, Iqbalians tried their best to get a glorious result. In Talent Hunt Football Competition, our 48th entry were the runners up. In senior Football Championship we stood 5th under the captaincy of Talha Younus (3383). We stood 5th under the captaincy of Abdullah Munir (3404) in hockey and 6th in Basketball and the team was led by Yasir (3399) and Huzaifa (3376). In Athletics

competition, Abdullah Saad stood 2nd in long jump. We got 5th in Athletics Competition and 8th position in X-country Competition. In Tug of War, we stood 7th and hence were only able to grab 8th position in Chigwell Sports Shield.

In P.T and Drill Competition, we were 5th and 7th respectively which was a satisfactory performance on our part. In inter house friendly Cricket Tournament our team combined with Rafiqui House, grabbed the trophy. Haroon (3471) was declared the best scorer.

Talented Iqbalians proved valuable assets to the College. Huzaifa (3376) stood 2nd in the Aeromodelling Competition held at MCJ. Talha (3383), Yasir, (3399), Amash (3502), Haseeb (3460), Haroon (3471), Mehdi (3669) and Sirabeel Raza (8226), a JMET student from MCJ, were important members of different College teams. Also in HRCA Quiz competition, Talha Tanveer (3606) got a Bronze medal, Abdullah (3556) and Hamza (3446) got Silver medals and Ali Abbas (3525) got a Gold medal. Iqbalians also proved their mettle in Hobbies Club competition where Ali Abbas (3525) got 2nd position in woodworks and Huzaifa (3376) got 2nd position in sketching. Also Tauha Soomro (3442) was declared, "Best Aeromodeller" of the year.

Overall, we couldn't get the desired position in the race of Quaid-e-Azam shield and stood 7th in the long run. Although the year wasn't as glorious and bright for us as we had expected, yet we got a lot to learn from our mistakes.

The contributions of our Housemaster Sqn Ldr Javed Altaf, AHM Flt Lt Asim, tutors Sqn Ldr Amna and Flg Off Abdur Rehman are worth appreciating. They helped us in different domains of our grooming. We had a great time this year and savoured every moment of our time. The role of our house PTI and Batmen cannot be ignored who helped us a lot.

Anyone may fall at the bottom, but to remain at the bottom, has never been the legacy of Iqbalians. As our name suggests, we like glory, rise and heights. So with a hope to rise again, we pray to Allah Almighty to keep us safe, determined and give us the strength for not giving up in our upcoming endeavours. May God bless us all (AMEEN).







## YUNUS HOUSE



Sitting L-R:-

Fahad, Wasay, Usman, Shuja, Kashan, Sqn Ldr Khurram (Tutor), Sharoze (HC), Sqn Ldr A. Rauf (HM), Sqn Ldr Iqbal (AHM), Flt Lt Mobeen (Tutor), Snr Tech Zulqanain (PTI), Hammad, Ahmed Jalal, Summama,

Arsalan

M Bin Jamil, Ali Shah, Zulaid, Azhar, Waleed Hasan, Salman, M. Ali, Samrose, Jahangir, Zulfiqar, Ayyan, M. Arslan, Asmar, Abdur Rehaman, Murtaza First Row L-R:-

Zohaib, Hassan, Affan, A. Wahab, Mughees, Hassan Faizan, Arham, Abdullah, Ibrahim, Bilal, Ahmed Zia, Zubair, Wasiq Second Row L-R:-

Ejaz (batman), Aon, Abdullah Tahir, Basit, Umer, Muaviyah, Huzaifa, Sami, Waleed, Areez, Talha Third Row L-R:-

## **YUNUS HOUSE**

(Fight With Valour)

Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Abdul Rauf

Asstt Housemaster : Sqn Ldr Muhammad Iqbal
House Tutors : Sqn Ldr Khurram Shahzad

Flt Lt Mubeen

House PTI : Snr Tech Zulqarnain
House Captain : Shahroz Burhan (3386)
College Prefect : Muhammad Kashan (3436)
House Prefects : Hammad Sadagat (3389)

Shuja Ali (3370)

House Batmen : Ijaz and Ghayoor

"Defeat is not when you fail; defeat is when you refuse to stand up again."

The year 2017-2018 started off with the senior sports tournament. Unfortunately, the Yunusites, despite putting in all sweat and toil, could not manage a good position. In football, we stood 8th under the captaincy of Shahroz Burhan (3386). Same was the result in basketball under the captaincy of Shuja Ali (3370-Y) and hockey under Muhammad Kashan (3436).

Academics are vital in overall nurturing of a pre-cadet's personality. This year the scholars of 46th entry produced brilliant results in F.Sc Part 1 exams where M. Kashan (3436) and Hammad Sadaqat (3389) achieved 90%+ marks. In Matriculation exams, Muhammad Ayyan (3489) and Azhar Jamil (3500) scored 95%+ marks, and contributed positively towards the overall result. In 9th class Board exams, Muhammad Bilal (3535) and Abdur-Rehman (3595) achieved marvelous grades. In 8th class Promotion exams, Waleed Siddique (3680) grabbed the Badge of Excellence.

In extra-curricular activities, Yunus house produced mixed results attaining 8th position in PT and 5th position in Drill competition. In athletics, Shahroz (3386) stood 1st in long jump event and 3rd in high jump and 100m race. Azhar Jamil (3500) clinched 2nd position in javelin throw.

In the field of co-curricular activities, Yunusites proved their mettle. In Inter House Qirat competition, Ibrahim Mushtaq (3664) stood 2nd in junior category. In Inter House Declamation and Debate competition, our House grabbed 2nd position. Muhammad Ayyan (3489) was declared the best English debater of the year and Talha Hassan (3632) was declared the best English speaker of the year in junior category. Our skillful actors left a prominent mark in the sphere of acting where

Muhammad Ayyan (3489), Azhar Jamil (3500), Jahangir Nazar (3463), Arham Akhtar (3559) and M Kashan (3436) played wonderful roles. Kashan (3436) was declared the best Urdu actor of the year and Azhar Jamil (3500) stood 3rd in Urdu dramatics. In Inter-House JAM competition, Yunusites were placed at the second position. Arham Akhtar (3559) and Ayyan Nasir (3489) stood 1st and 2nd respectively in their entries.

Our outstanding Yunusites set their feet firmly not only in local competitions but also in the national competitions. Jahangir Nazar (3463) stood 1st in All Pakistan Painting Competition organized at Cadet College Hassanabdal. Azhar Jamil (3500) grabbed 1st position in All Pakistan Declamation Contest held at Sadiq Public School, Bahawalpur. Muhammad Ayyan (3489) was adjudged as the Best English Speaker in Chenab College, Jhang. He also won a prize money of Rs. 50,000.

In Hobbies Club Competitions, Abdul Wahab (3589) clinched 3rd position in singing competition. Our worthy Yunusites, Muhammad Ayyan (3489) and Muhammad Hassan (3688) won silver medals in HRCA, All Pakistan Quiz Competition, from among 10,564 candidates.

We, the Yunusites, believe that hard work always pays off. Though, this year was a bit hard on us, but we aim to touch the apex of glories in the upcoming year. In Sha Allah.









## **ACADEMICS REPORT**

Sqn Ldr Azra Malik
Officer in Charge Progress Section



PAF College Sargodha is a nursery where young saplings are nurtured so that they turn into stalwarts possessing multidimensional personalities. A Sargodhian is expected to be an all rounder, as opposed to being a lop-sided one showing brilliance in only one aspect of the personality. The busy routine of the Sargodhians toughens them up both physically and mentally. It, in fact, serves to sharpen their intellect as well as their time management skills. It is no wonder then that they move into each new year with a broader horizon and better understanding of their future responsibilities. The academic hours are meant to make students develop agile, fertile minds desiring education not only as a means towards an end but as an end in itself, a meaningful activity to turn them into well-adjusted, learned scholars with strong leadership qualities fully equipped to steer their nation aright. So it comes as no surprise that the Sargodhians excel in academics.

All the four entries that appeared in the Board Exams produced excellent results. In Matric Board Exam, Waqas Ahmed College No 3485-M got 1st position in the entry. In FSc Part II Board Exam, Muhammad Tufail Awan College No 3307-Y got 1st position in the entry. The College is really proud of their achievement.

202 students of the College were awarded academic Badge of Excellence and 04 Badge of Distinction in the year 2016 for achieving 90% and above marks in the SSC Board exams and 85% in HSSC Board Exams. 03 boys of 46th Entry who performed exceptionally well in all the major exams throughout their stay at the College got Academic Colour.

Mr. Hugh Catchpole scholarships are given to the boys who top their entries in Matric and F.Sc Part-I Board exams. The scholarship is for one year. Currently there are 02 recipients of the scholarship: Muhammad Umais Shabbir College No 3366-A who secured top position in the F.Sc Part-I Board exam and Waqas Ahmed College No 3485-M who had 1st position in Matric Board Exam.

Munirites and Safiites have emerged as brilliant scholars this year. The top scorer in Board Examinations was Safi House. The House showed the best results in all Board exams, that is, those of classes 9, 10, 1 Yr, & 2 Yr. The best House in Home Examinations is Munir House. They produced best results in College internal exams, that is, Class 8th Promotion exam, Send Ups, and Pre board exams of Class 9, 10, 1st Year and 2nd year. The Chief of Air Staff Academic Trophy that goes to the

house scoring maximum points overall in both home and board exams, therefore, is shared this year by Munir and Safi Houses.

Detail of the Board results of the College for the year 2017 is given as under.

## SSC (COMPOSITE) BOARD RESULT ANNUAL 2017: 47th ENTRY CLASS SYNOPSIS

Contents	2017 47th Entry
Number of Students in the Entry	72
Number of Students Passed	72
Pass Percentage	100%
Number of Students awarded Grade "A+" (80% to 100% marks)	71
Number of Students awarded Grade "A" (70% to 79.9% marks)	01
Class average marks out of 1100	1023.8
Class average percentage	93.0%
GPA as per Federal Board Criteria	5.9

Position in the College	College No	Name	Marks	%age
1 <sup>st</sup>	3485-M	Waqas Ahmed	1070	97.3
2 <sup>nd</sup>	3478-M	M Sohaib Sadiq	1067	97.0
3 <sup>rd</sup>	3446-I	Hamza Ahmad	1064	96.7







## SSC BOARD EXAM (9TH CLASS) 2017: 48th ENTRY CLASS SYNOPSIS

Contents	2017 48th Entry
Number of Students in the Entry	78
Number of Students Passed	78
Pass Percentage	100%
No of Students awarded Grade "A+"(80% to 100% marks)	78
Class average marks out of 495	472.3
Class average percentage	95.4
GPA as per Federal Board Criteria	6.0

Position in the College	College No	Name	Marks	%age
<b>4</b> st	3587-Ad	Muhammad Umar Haider	488	98.6
1	3591-R	Usama Munawar	488	98.6
2 <sup>nd</sup>	3581-M	Muhammad Abdullah Ansar	487	98.4
3 <sup>rd</sup>	3602-Ad 3550-S 3525-I	Adeel Bin Mohsin Adil Tanveer Ali Abbas	486	98.2













## F Sc PART-II BOARD RESULT SPRING 2017: 45th ENTRY CLASS SYNOPSIS

Contents	2017 45th Entry
Number of Students in the Entry	69
Number of Students Passed	69
Pass Percentage	100%
No of Students awarded Grade "A+" (80% to 100% marks)	19
No of Students awarded Grade "A" (70% to 79.9% marks)	32
Number of students awarded Grade "B" (60% to 69.9% marks)	18
Class average marks out of 1100	826.5
Class average percentage	75.1
GPA as per Federal Board Criteria	5.0

Position in the College	College No	Name	Marks	%age
1 <sup>st</sup>	3307-M	Muhammad Tufail Awan	976	88.7
2 <sup>nd</sup>	3319-S	Danyal Butt	970	88.2
3 <sup>rd</sup>	3306-Y	Muhammad Behram Hamza	953	86.6







## F SC PART-I BOARD RESULT SPRING 2017: 46th ENTRY CLASS SYNOPSIS

Contents	2017 46th Entry
Number of Students in the Entry	72
Number of Students Passed	71
Pass Percentage	98.8%
Number of Students awarded Grade "A+" (80% to 100% marks)	61
Number of Students awarded Grade "A" (70% to 79.9% marks)	09
Number of students awarded Grade "B" (60% to 69.9% marks)	01
Compartment	01
Class average marks out of 520	438.3
Class average percentage	84.2%
GPA as per Federal Board Criteria	5.7

Position in the College	College No	Name	Marks	%age
1 <sup>st</sup>	3366-A	Muhammad Umais Shabbir	491	94.4
2 <sup>nd</sup>	3374-M	Muhammad Faheem	489	94.0
3 <sup>rd</sup>	3429-Mn	Anas Munawar	482	92.7







## ACADEMICS COLOUR HOLDERS OF 46th ENTRY 2017

Position in the College	College No	Name
1 <sup>st</sup>	3366-A	Muhammad Umais
2 <sup>nd</sup>	3374-M	Muhammad Faheem
3 <sup>rd</sup>	3397-Mn	Muhammad Ehtisham







## **BADGE AWARD CEREMONY**









Umais Shabbir (3366-A), Muhammad Ehtisham (3397-Mn) & Muhammad Saqib Sher (3371-Ad) receiving the fruit of their hard work

## SPORTS REPORT

Wg Cdr Amjad Ali Khan
Director of Physical Education



Creative sports activities maintain a healthy competitive environment. These activities boost up physical vigour and keep the young mind agile. Our reward system keeps the students on toes throughout the year to excel in sports. Colour in sports is awarded to the students excelling in all major games namely Hockey, Football, Basketball, Cricket and Athletics. Our pre-cadets have proved their mettle both in home grounds and in sports fixtures / galas played across the country. Their excellent physical training was also manifested through ISSB results. The Sports Section plans all activities well in time to keep the good traditions going and ensure healthy sports environment for grooming pre-cadets.

We went to SST Rashidabad for a mega Sports Gala, in which participating teams besides ours were Cadet College Sangher, Cadet College Petaro and the hosts themselves. We outplayed all the teams and got first position.

The second Sports Gala, we played was at PAF College Lower Topa, in which participants apart from the hosts were Sargodhian Spirit Trust Rashidabad and PAF College Sargodha. Again PAF College Sargodha got first position.

The basic purpose of these Sports Galas was to improve the bond of understanding and friendship between these institutions and it was adequately achieved.

#### INTER HOUSE COMPETITIONS:

As usual, this year too, different Inter House competitions were held at College level. The results of the Inter-house competitions are as follows:-

FOOTBALL: Minhas House got the 1st position followed by

Alam House as the runners up.

**HOCKEY**: Minhas House won the Championship whereas

Alauddin House was the runners up.

BASKETBALL: Alauddin House won the competition and

Minhas House got the 2nd position.

X-COUNTRY : Alauddin House was the Champion.
ATHLETICS : Alauddin House won the 1st position.

## ATHLETICS DETAILS (2017-2018)

EVENT	1st POSITION	2 <sup>nd</sup> POSITION	3 <sup>rd</sup> POSITION	
100m	Syed Fasih Abbas (3483- Ad)	Muhammad Umer (3425- Mn)	Shahroz Burhan (3386- Y)	
200m	Syed Fasih Abbas (3483- Ad)	Anas Munawar (3429- Mn)	M Umer (3425- Mn)	
400m	Syed Fasih Abbas (3483- Ad)	Hamid Nawaz Khan (3604-S)	Salman Zia (3443- A)	
800m	Hamid Nawaz Khan (3604-S)	M Faheem (33374- M)	Salman Zia (3443- A)	
1500m	Hamid Nawaz Khan (3604-S)	Safeer Hussain Awan (3509-M)	M Fakhar (3534- Ad)	
110m (hurdles)	Muhammad Umer (3425- Mn)	Adnan Bashir (3560-Ad)	Syed Fasih Abbas (3483- Ad)	
4x100m	Alauddin House	Minhas House	Safi House	
4x400m	Munir House	Safi House	Minhas House	
Shot Put	M Umer (3425- Mn)	M Umair Shahid (3385-M)	Syed Fasih Abbas (3483- Ad)	
Javelin	M Fahad (3430-Ad)	Azhar Jamil (3500-Y)	M Umer (3425- Mn)	
Long Jump	Shahroz Burhan (3386- Y)	M Abdullah (3404- I)	M Fahad (3430-Ad)	
High Jump	High Jump Mohsin Ali (3437-M)		Shahroz Burhan (3386- Y)	
Hop Step Jump	M Abdullah(3545- Ad)	Mohsin Ali (3437-M)	M Abdullah (3404- I)	
Discuss Throw	Mohsin Ali (3437-M)	Talha Abdur Rehman (3439-A)	Syed Farhan Haider (3403-S)	

- \* Syed Fasih Abbas (3483-Alauddin) was declared the best Athlete.
- \* Hamid Nawaz Khan (3604-Safi) was declared the Best X-Country Runner.

#### **NEW RECORDS**

Hamid Nawaz Khan (3604-S) set a new record by covering the distance of 800m in 02 minutes and 9 seconds.

Mohsin Ali (3437-Munir) set a new record by taking the High Jump mark to 5 ft and 7 inches.

#### INTER HOUSE PT / DRILL COMPETITIONS

- \* Trophy of Inter House PT Competition was won by Safi House.
- \* Trophy of Inter House Drill Competition was won by Safi House.
- \* Mohsin Ali (3437-Munir) was declared the Best Commander.

#### QUAID-I-AZAM SHIELD

\* The most coveted Quaid-i-Azam Shield was lifted by Munir House, the Champion House of the year.

## HOUSE POSITIONS QUAID-I-AZAM SHIELD 2017-2018

HOUSE	SHI	WELL ELD PRTS)	CHAIRMAN JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF CUP (GST)	ATHLETICS	BOARD EXAM	HOME EXAM	CAS TROPHY (EDUCATION)	GRAND	QUAID-I-AZAM SHIELD
MUNIR	3 <sup>rd</sup>	28.5	41	3 <sup>rd</sup>	28	32	60	129.5	Winner
SAFI	5 <sup>th</sup>	22.5	39.5	4 <sup>th</sup>	32	28	60	122.5	2 <sup>nd</sup>
ALAUDDIN	1 <sup>st</sup>	38	26.5	1 <sup>st</sup>	20	16	36	100.5	3 <sup>rd</sup>
ALAM	4 <sup>th</sup>	24	29	6 <sup>th</sup>	24	20	44	97	4 <sup>th</sup>
MINHAS	1 <sup>st</sup>	38	24	2 <sup>nd</sup>	08	08	16	78	5 <sup>th</sup>
RAFIQUI	6 <sup>th</sup>	20.5	31	$7^{th}$	12	12	24	76	6 <sup>th</sup>
IQBAL	7 <sup>th</sup>	17	16.5	5 <sup>th</sup>	16	24	40	73.5	7 <sup>th</sup>
YUNUS	8 <sup>th</sup>	9.5	26.5	8 <sup>th</sup>	04	04	08	44	8 <sup>th</sup>

### **COLOUR HOLDERS 2017-18**

SMo	Name	College No	House	Entry	Team			
1	M Umais Shabbir	3366-A	Alam	46 <sup>th</sup>	Academics			
2	Muhammad Faheem	3374-M	Munir	_"_	Academics			
3	Muhammad Ehtisham	3397-M	Munir	_"_	Academics			
4	Hassan Abdullah	3364-R	Rafiqui	_"_	Best Speaker English			
5	Nauman Shehzad	3382-A	Alam	_"_	Best Speaker Urdu			
6	Salman Zia	3443-A	Alam	_"_	Basketball			
7	Mohsin Ali	3437-M	Munir	-"_	Basketball/Record Breaker High Jump			
8	Muhammad Talha	3383-I	Iqbal	"_	Football			
9	Ahsan Javed	3498-A	Alam	"_	Football			
10	Usama Qammar	3416-S	Safi	-"-	Football			
11	Muhammad Afzal	3378-A	Alam	"_	Football			
12	M Saqib Sher	3371-Ad	Alauddin	_"_	Hockey			
13	Kamran Ashraf	3420-Ad	Alauddin	_"_	Hockey			
14	Ali Raza	3405-R	Rafiqui	-"-	Cricket			
15	Malik Mudassir	3441-R	Rafiqui	_"_	Cricket			
16	Hamid Nawaz Khan	3604-S	Safi	48 <sup>th</sup>	Best Runner in Cross Country/Record Breaker 800 meter Race			
17	Syed Fasih Abbas	3483-Ad	Alauddin	47 <sup>th</sup>	Best Athlete			
18	Ilyas Khan	3440-Mn	Minhas	46 <sup>th</sup>	Captain Gymnastics Squad			
19	Kashan Mehr	3436-Y	Yunus	_"_	Captain Karate Squad			
20	Haseeb Murtaza	3412-M	Munir	_"_	Karate			

## **DECLAMATION REPORT**

Officer in Charge (English) : Sqn Ldr Ishfaq Ahmad Bali Officer in Charge (Urdu) : Flg Off Aftab Hussain Khan



The importance of public speaking cannot be underestimated for the wholesome grooming of a pre-cadet. It lends a lot of confidence to the future leaders and pays huge dividends in real life situations. The College authorities are fully aware of this fact and emphasize a lot on this aspect of grooming.

The College holds Inter House Debate and Declamation Contest in this connection. We also encourage our speakers to participate in All Pakistan Declamation Contests held across the country. Daily speeches in the Morning Assembly also help polish their raw talent and transform them into confident young men.

This year, Inter-House Debate and Declamation Contests took place on 7th and 8th November 2017. The Declamation Contest was meant for 8th and 9th class whereas 10th, 1st year and 2nd year competed for debate in both Urdu and English languages. The top three individual positions in English and Urdu Debate and Declamation Contests are given in the table.

The College received many invitations from prestigious institutions of the country for participation in All Pakistan Declamation Contest. Owing to our packed schedule we could not benefit from most of the invitations. However, Sargodhians performed well whenever they managed to participate in All Pakistan Declamation Contest held across the country. The details are given in the table.



Sirabeel (8226-I)

Khuzaima (3647-I)

Zain (3504-Mn)

### **INTER HOUSE DECLAMATION & DEBATE**

English Declamation					
1	Talha Hassan	(3632-Y)			
2	Hasham Saleem	(3674-Mn)			
3	Abdullah Khan	(3616-Ad)			

Urdu Declamation				
1	M Hammad Bashir	(3634-S)		
2	M Hasnain Shah	(3735-R)		
3	Uzair Ali Akhtar	(3628-A)		

English Debate				
1	M Ayyan Nasir	(3489-Y)		
2	M Ahsan	(3465-R)		
3	Faizyab Ashfaq	(3488-Ad)		

Urdu Debate					
1	Ahmad Salahuddin	(3477-S)			
2	Nauman Shehzad	(3382-A)			
3	Ali Abbas	(3525-I)			

## HOUSE POSITIONS FOR DECLAMATION TROPHY

1	Safi	2	Yunus	3	Alam	4	Allaudin
5	Munir	6	Iqbal	7	Rafiqui	8	Minhas

### **ALL PAKISTAN DECLAMATION CONTEST**

1	Cadet College Hasanabdal	1st in English TEAM TROPHY	Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) Nauman Shehzad (3382-A)
		The Best Delegate In SOCHUM	Rabeet Zulfiqar (3453-M)
2	Lawrence College Murree	Honorarable Mention in PNA	M Ahsan (3465-R)
3	Chenab College Jhang	1st in English	M Ayyan Nasir (3489-Y) Zohaib Mustafa (3482-R)
4	Sadiq Public School Bahawalpur	1st in Urdu	Azhar Jamil (3500-Y) Asif Khan (3448-M)
5	SST Rashidabad	1st in English 2nd in Urdu	M Ahsan (3465-R) Ahmad Salahuddin (3477-S)
		RUNNERS UP	

On the basis of overall performance, Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) was awarded colour for English Declamation whereas Nauman Shehzad (3382-A) was awarded colour for Urdu Declamation on the Founders' Day. M Ayyan Nasir (3489-Y) and Ahmad Salahuddin (3477-S) were given the certificates of Best Speakers English and Urdu respectively on Founders' Day for their brilliant performance in Inter House Debate Contest.

Our speakers performed well at both local and national level contests. We look forward to more opportunities to polish this essential talent of pre-cadets.



Bilal (3372-S)



Talha (3632-Y)

#### HOBBIES CLUB

Officer in Charge: Wg Cdr Najamuddin
NCO in Charge: Snr Tech Aashid Masih

Secretary: M. Shoaib Mehmood (3411-R)



Young Sargodhains are given a chance to test their creative skills and bring their innovative ideas into a practical shape. The College Hobbies Club gives platform to the students in the field of both arts and science. The Hobbies Club is one of those places in the College where boys work most willingly and with full motivation.

This year started off with the renovation of the College Hobbies Club block. Then our talented boys started to work in the fields of Science and Woodworks under the supervision of Flt Lt Mubeen and their instructor Mr Malik Ashraf. In arts, Mrs Shazia Zafar, taught the boys different techniques to present their ideas on the canvas. Sqn Ldr Yasir Latif was the O i/c of Aero Modelling Club this year and under his supervision the boys not only learned the art of flying a plane but also of making it.

M. Shoaib Mehmood (3411-R), being the Secretary Hobbies Club, remained active in all the activities of the Club.

The College held an Annual Painting Competition this year also. Many institutions like PAF College Lower Topa, Cadet College Hassan Abdal and Chenab College Jhang took part in the competition. Overall trophy for the 2017-18 was lifted by Air Base Inter College, Sargodha.

This year some of our boys participated in 'Space Week' held at Institute of Space and Technology. Danyal (3497-R) and Asif (3448-M) participated in 'Aeromodelling and Navigating Google Earth Competition' and stood first in both.

Another Aeromodelling Competition was held at Military College Jhelum. Tauha (3442-I) and Huzaifa (3376-I) participated and learned many things there. In the same way, Ashal (3472-A) and Humayun (3532-Mn) participated in a painting competition held at Chandbagh Public School Muridke where Humayun stood 3rd in junior category.

Annual Hobbies Competition was held this year on 4th January, 2018 among members of Woodworks, Science, Clay Modelling, Painting, Sketching, Music, Calligraphy, and Photography Clubs. The winners were awarded certificates by the Principal.

On Founders' Day, the first position holder of each category was awarded a merit certificate by the Chief Guest, Air Chief Marshal Sohail Aman. M. Shoaib Mehmood (3411-R), Secretary Hobbies Club, was awarded the prize of Artist of the Year, given for consistent remarkable performance during 5 years in the Hobbies Club. The Chief Guest was immensely impressed by the display of Hobbies Club. He was presented his sketch on his visit to the Hobbies Club display area. Begum CAS was presented a beautiful piece of calligraphy made by Mohsin (3466-R).

#### **ARTS CLUB**

Instructor : Prof Shazia Zafar

Secretary: Huzaifa Shahzad (3376-I)



The success of students and vitality of community depends on diverse, progressive educational opportunities provided by schools and colleges that take them beyond the limited focus of the prescribed syllabus books. The arts education in any community often reflects its commitment to complete educational opportunity and demonstrates the quality of life to which its people aspire.

The study of arts plays an integral role in the development of personality. Furthermore, the fine arts also provide learners with non-academic benefits such as promoting self-esteem, motivation, cultural exposure, improved emotional expression, as well as social harmony and appreciation of diversity. Although arts cannot be learned through occasional or random exposure, the students of PAF College Sargodha have proved their capability in all the fields including the fine arts in spite of their otherwise busy schedule. The Arts Club is one diverse wing of the College Hobbies Club which further comprises Painting, Clay Modelling, Sketching, and Calligraphy Sections.

This year, the boys kept working on various projects and learned new techniques in their respective area of interest. New boys of class 8th also joined the club to show their talent and learn some new skills as well.

This year, Prof. Shazia Zafar was recalled for her services before the Annual Hobbies Club Competition and boys performed exceptionally well under her supervision. Like always, the Founders' Day became more attractive by the innovative and colourful arts display, the narrative cannot be completed without mentioning the name of Huzaifa Shahzad (3376-I) whose pencil sketch of the Chief of Air Staff was a fabulous work and it was quite amazing even for those who have been teaching him Arts. Likewise, Faizyab Ashfaq (3488-Ad) made another wonderful sketch of the Chief of Air Staff. This year, Ashal Akhtar (3472-A) stunned everybody with his painting of Lionel Messi. Shoaib Mehmood (3411-R) as always impressed everybody with his magical clay model. Mohsin Khadim (3466-R) artistically wrote Quranic verses and received a lot of appreciation. All these individuals were given a lot of appreciation on the Founders' Day.

In short, we can say that the Arts Club is an integral part of the Hobbies Club and the students' interest toward arts is quite evident from the work they have shown this year.

Prize winners of Arts work in the Annual Intra Club Hobbies Competition 2017-18 are as follows:

#### **PAINTING**

Position	Name	Entry	College No / House
1st	Ashal Akhtar	47 <sup>th</sup>	3472-A
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Humayun Zahid	48 <sup>th</sup>	3532-Mn
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Asghar Ghulam	48 <sup>th</sup>	3561-R

#### **SKETCHING**

Position	Name	Entry	College No / House
<b>1</b> st	Faizyab Ashfaq	47 <sup>th</sup>	3488-Ad
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Huzaifa Shahzad	46 <sup>th</sup>	3376-I
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Ali Hassan Faizan	46 <sup>th</sup>	3413-Mn

#### **CALLIGRAPHY**

Position	Name	Entry	College No / House
1st	Mohsin Khadim	47 <sup>th</sup>	3466-R
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Hurr Mehdi	47 <sup>th</sup>	3496-Ad
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Fakhar Iqbal	48 <sup>th</sup>	3534-Ad

#### **CLAY MODELLING**

Position	Name	Entry	College No / House
1st	Shoaib Mehmood	46 <sup>th</sup>	3411-R
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Sarmad	47 <sup>th</sup>	3461-S
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Zain-ul-Abidin	46 <sup>th</sup>	3428-R

#### SCIENCE CLUB

Officer in Charge: Flt Lt Muhammad Mubeen
Secretary: Farhan Haider (3403-S)



Modern age is an age of science. Scientific inventions and innovative ideas have really brought a revolution in the life of modern man. Scientifically cultivated young minds are the assets of science, so that they can play their role to make this world the best place to live. PAF College Sargodha serves as a nursery for the young minds to explore their hidden potentials in different fields. Science Club is one such source at PAF College Sargodha. It provides the platform to the pre-cadets to learn about the basic scientific principles and put their scientific thoughts and ideas into some practical shape. The Science Club is the best source for pre-cadets to experience the practical usage of scientific rules and ideas.

This year Farhan Haider (3403-S) was appointed as the secretary of the club. Other members include Danyal (3653-M), Shahzaib (3423-M), Nasir (3557-S), Futrus (3572-S), Huzaifa (3597-S), Talha Tanveer (3606-I), Ahmad (3692-I), Shahmeer (3738-I), Fasih (3537-I), Zubair (3544-Y), Hammad (3600-Mn), Arham (3629-Mn), Hamza (3611-Mn) and Sarmad (3614-Mn). This year, following science projects were completed: Computer Numeric Code (CNC) Machine, Radar, Spy Robo, EICPM (Electrical Irrigating Cultivating and Ploughing Machine), Sound Sensor, LED Cube, ECO System, Ultrasonic Range Finder, Vacuum Cleaner, Virtual Reality Goggles, Vocal visualizer, ATM Machine and Laser security alarm.

A competition was held among the club members on 29th of January, 2018. The CNC Machine made by Danyal (3653-M) was considered as the best project of the year. Radar by Shahzaib (3423-M) and Spy Robo by Nasir (3557-S) secured second and third position respectively.

The Club is indebted to the Principal for financial and moral support. The members are enthusiastic to put an even better show next year.





#### **WOODWORK CLUB**

Officer in Charge: Flt Lt Muhammad Mubeen
Instructor: Malik Muhammad Ashraf
Secretary: Ehtisham Dad (3417-S)



Art is the best way to express the inner feelings behind one's thought. Wood work is an art to create and mould raw wood into an image in one's own mind. The Woodworks Club at PAF College Sargodha provides an opportunity to the precadets to explore their talent and create a piece of art out of plain wood. Boys, in fact create master pieces from wood.

This year, Muhammad Ehtisham (3417-S) was appointed as the secretary of the Club. He, along with other members, worked hard to present the Club in the best possible way. Other members were Muhammad Yousaf (3368-S), Ehtisham (3397-Mn), Muaviyah (3609-Y), Hassan (3645-Y), Ali Abbas (3525-I), Fayyaz (3605-Mn), Karar (3549-Mn), Osama (3650-I), Mehdi (3669-I), Bilal (3625-R), Mughees (3574-Y), A Rehman (3595-Y) and Arham (3559-Y).

A competition was held among the Club members on 29th January, 2018. This year, a model of the Blue Mosque made by Fayyaz (3605-Mn) and Karrar (3549-Mn) was declared the best model of the year. Musical drums made by Ali Abbas (3525-I) got the second position. Whereas, third position was grabbed by Optimus Prime made by Ehtisham (3417-S). Other models include Masjid -e- Nabwi, London bridge, Taj Mahal, Burj Al-Arab and London Parliament House. These master pieces really reflect the creativity of the young woodworkers.





The Club acknowledges the services of Woodwork Instructor Malik Muhammad Ashraf who gives his precious time and able guidance to the Club members. The support of College administration is also highly appreciated. Best wishes for the Club members to perform their best in the coming year also.

#### MUSIC CLUB

Officer in Charge: Wg Cdr Najamuddin

Instructor : Asher Zia

Secretary : Salman Zia (3443-A)



In this busy routine of our College, what greater relief can be offered than an upbeat melody of a song with heart felt emotions? The College Music Club greets you with the sound of music and you feel that you have entered a place where there is fun and laughter. Without music life would certainly be dull and insipid.

The young vocalists of our Music Club kept up the tradition and performed throughout the year at all functions and enthralled the audience by adding sobriety and gaiety as the occasion demanded. The functions include Independence Day, Defense Day, Quaid-e-Azam Day and All Pakistan Painting Competition held at our College. The soul stirring performances of Salman Zia (3443-A), Subhan (3512-R), Uzair Ali Akhter (3628-A) and Abdul Wahab (4057-Mn) received generous applause from the audience. Our Music Choir magnificently performed an Air Force song at Founders' Day held on 17 Feb, 2018. The vocalists were: Ali Hamza (3540-R), Haider Ali (3552-Ad), Adul Wahab (3589-Y), Zeeshan Haider (3586-I), Faseeh Akbar (3573-I), Asad Ali (3551-R), Tehseen (3530-R), Asad Abbas (3565-R), Asghar Ghulam (3561-R), Ahmad Naeem (3594-R), Usman Ashraf (3547-Mn), Hamza Riaz (3672-Ad) and M. Zubair Saeed (3544-Y). The song stirred nationalistic fervour in all the guests present on the occasion.

An intra-club competition was also held at the Music Club in which M. Yousaf (3368-S) was adjudged Best singer of the year and received his prize from the Chief Guest, Air Chief Marshal Sohail Aman on Founders' Day 2018.

We, at the Music Club, believe that love and appreciation for music is almost instinctive, therefore, music must be within the reach of everyone. We try our best to make our music appeal to all.



#### **AEROMODELING CLUB**

Officer in Charge: Sqn Ldr M. Yasir Latif

Instructor : Mr Malik Ashraf Secretary : M. Tauha (3442-I)



Flying is the most coveted dream of every Sargodhian. The Aeromodeling Club of PAF College Sargodha provides its pre-cadets with the opportunity to turn this dream into reality. Pre-cadets not only learn how to fly aero models but also learn how to design and build them.

This year, Jumbolon sheet models were introduced which included F-22 Raptor, Biplane, CAP and trainer models. Depron sheet model of F-22 Raptor was also built by the pre-cadets and it was very successful. The Club show-cased its talent on the Founders' Day with both Engine and Electric motor operated models. Although, the Engine powered model faced some technical fault and could not perform as expected, overall it was a good show presented by 02 trainer models of Jumbolon sheet.

Three best aero modelers of the Club: Tauha (3371-I), Huzaifa (3376-I) and Haseeb (3460-I) did take off, flying and landing practice on the radio controlled aero models as well as the newly built electric motor operated trainer models under the supervision of Oi/c Aeromodeling Club and Mr Qamar Zia, a professional trainer from Gujranwala and Mr Hassan Rehan, another professional trainer from Lahore.

The other Club members: Haroon (3471-I), Ali Abbas (3525-I), Momin (3578-A), Hasnain (3539-A), Subhan (3598-I) and Ismail (3699-M) also learned the basic flying and building techniques during the training session with Mr Qamar Zia and later with Mr Hassan Rehan. The practice is still underway and it is hoped that the newly enrolled members will run the Club in an even better way in the years to come.

#### PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

Officer in Charge: Flt Lt Allah Dino

Secretary : Muez Abbas Gohar (3427-A)



This year a new club was introduced in Hobbies Club i.e. Photography Club. Photography is the science, art, application and practice of creating durable images by recording light or electromagnetic radiation electronically by means of a light sensitive material such as photographic film. A photographer has the same eyes as others but sees the world from a different perspective.

Photography has been employed by man in the fields of science, manufacture, business as well as its more direct use for art, film, recreational purposes and as a hobby.

The mission of Photography Club is to provide a supportive environment for its members to show their creativity, knowledge and passion for photography. Students will learn how to improve their picture taking skill, interact with photographers and display their work. This Club allows students to learn about and enjoy photography. The Club holds regular meetings and discussions. The Club covered many College outdoor and indoor events including inter house sports competitions, athletics, tug of war as well as declamation, APPC, qirat, quiz and dramatics etc.

Photography club members are Muez Abbas Gohar (3427-A), Rauf (3518-I),

Abdullah (3520-Mn), Izaan (3474-Mn), Danyal (3592-Mn), Momin (3578-A), Shahram (3584-A), Abdullah (3616-Ad), Danish (3622-M) and Zaid (3676-A). They participated in an intra club Photography competition. Two themes "Sunset" and "the Shuhada Monument" were given to them. Every boy had to take two pictures on each theme. Muez Abbas Gohar (3427-A) was declared the best photographer, Danish (3622-M) was declared second and Izaan (3474-Mn) was third.



Photography Club put a fabulous display on the Founder's day which was especially appreciated by the Chief Guest and all others. All decoration was done by the students themselves.

The Photography Club is very thankful to the Principal for his full support and is fully determined to raise its standard for the next year.

#### ENGLISH DRAMATICS CLUB

Officer in Charge : Sqn Ldr Ishfaq Ahmad Bali Secretary : Huzaifa Shehzad (3376-I)



English Dramatics Club put up its annual performance on 16th December 2017. Air Marshal Arshad Mahmood Malik, HI (M), Deputy Chief of the Air Staff (Personnel) was the Chief Guest on the occasion. This year we adapted the famous British sitcom 'Mind Your Language' that has entertained generations of audience for decades. The idea was to introduce it to the younger generation. 'Mind Your Language' premiered on ITV on 30th December, 1977.

We adapted and edited it to make it a one act stage play and named it "Good Evening". The cast of the play tried its best to do justice to the original cast of this show and made it nothing short of humour par excellence. The audience gave generous applause and found the humour simply refreshing just as we did every single time we rehearsed the play.

The show is set in an adult education college in London and focuses on the English as a Foreign Language class taught by Mr Jeremy Brown who has to deal with a motley crew of foreign students, each with a hilarious sense of understanding and thinking capacity. The situation turns very interesting when an Education Inspector from local Education Authority turns up on the scene to observe Mr Brown's class who takes him for a new African Student and forces him to sit in the class. Comprehending the situation, the Inspector pretends to be a new student. His real identity is disclosed when the principal of the college Miss Courtney arrives on the scene. She apologizes to the inspector but he appreciates Mr Brown's method of teaching and tells the principal that he had thoroughly enjoyed himself in Mr Brown's class.

All members of the Club, though not professional actors and producers, did justice to their allotted roles and manifested wonderful acting and managerial skills that they learned by being members of the Club. Listed below are all members of the Club who put in their best to make it a success.

1	Huzaifa Shehzad	(3376-I)	Secretary English Dramatics Club
2	Hassan Abdullah	(3364-R)	Senior Student Director & Mr Brown (English Teacher)
3	Hamza Ali Akhtar	(3365-Mn)	Student Director
4	M Ahsan	(3465-R)	Stage Manager
5	Khuzaima Khalid	(3647-I)	Prompter
6	M Abdullah	(3731-S)	Prompter
7	Musab Imran	(3462-M)	Miss Courtney (The Principal)
8	Asif Khan	(3448-M)	Giovanni (Italian Student)
9	Sulaiman Qazi	(3486-R)	Danielle (French Student)
10	Ayyan Nasir	(3489-Y)	Ali Nadeem (Pakistani Student)
11	Ahmad Jalal	(3421-Y)	Max (Greek Student)
12	Faizyab Ashfaq	(3488-Ad)	Juan (Spanish Student)
13	Rabeet Zulfiqar	(3453-M)	Mr Kenyon (Education Inspector)
14	Humayun Zahid	(3532-Mn)	Ranjeet (Indian Student)
15	Samdani Butt	(3756-A)	Anna (German Student)
16	Abdul Haseeb	(3751-S)	Jamila (Indian Student)
17	Zaid Ahmad	(3676-A)	Cafeteria Incharge

The cast and the crew worked days in and out to put up the play in the shortest ever span of time. The real task was to make the actors unlearn good English and adhere to the roles of foreign students who have but very poor know-how of the language. Our efforts did bear fruit when we kept the audience mesmerized throughout the performance both on full dress rehearsal and on the final day. Honourable Chief Guest and the principal appreciated our humble effort generously and commended the team for putting up an excellent show.

Wg Cdr Dr Pervaiz Akhtar (Vice Principal), Wg Cdr Shamila Syed (Head of Humanities) and Sqn Ldr Azra Malik (Head of Eng. Deptt) adjudicated the performance. Four actors were nominated for the positions. Asif Khan (3448-M) who really did justice to the role of Giovanni (Italian Student) was given the consolation prize. The third position was won by Humayun Zahid (3532-Mn) whose pithy English amused the audience a great deal. Musab Imran (3462-M) who played Miss Courtney (The Principal) in a befitting way won the second prize. The award of The Best Actor was won by Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) who was tailor-made for the role of Mr Brown (English Teacher).

The Club went out for a dinner, courtesy our honourable Principal. The position holders celebrated their achievement by treating the Club members to a dinner at the Pre-cadets' Mess.

We thank all the people who helped us in putting up this presentation and bow our heads before the Almighty for this successful performance and look forward to putting up yet another show next year.









#### URDU DRAMATICS CLUB

Officer in Charge : Sqn Ldr Muhammad Iqbal

Secretary : Saqib Sher (3371-Ad)



Today's life has become so busy that one finds it difficult to take time out and relax. In order to create an opportunity to do so, the Urdu Dramatics Club staged a sequel to an old drama, performed in 2015, named 'Aks-e-Hayat 2' on 16th October, 2017. The drama, peppered with humour, gave a picture of our society.

To find an appropriate script and team for the drama was a challenging task. We left no stone unturned in finding a suitable script and team. Taking useful input from Secretary Dramatics Club, Saqib Sher, the script was selected and then actors were selected with the help of Student Director Muhammad Kashan.

The action of 'Aks-e-Hayat' took place at a mental hospital where mentally unstable people are brought to the place by two guards Changa (Zohaib Mustafa) and Manga (Mashood Ahmad) headed by Turam Toap (Jahangir Nazar). The doctor named 'DP' (M Nasir Khan) makes the entrance and tells them to do things so that they would know that they are not mad. The situation turns very interesting when these mad people affected by the society in different sectors of life fall deep into emotions that had lead them to this situation.

The Chief Guest, Air Marshal Arshad Mahmood Malik HI (M) Deputy Chief of the Air Staff (Personnel), was full of praise for all the actors and commended them by saying that all of them had showed marvelous acting skills and made the audience emotional at the reality they presented and also made them laugh out loud at the humour they created. The cast with their roles is as follows:



1	Saqib Sher	Tutti Fruiti (a mad transgender
2	Muhammad Kashan	PK (a drunk)
3	Jahangir Nazar	Head of Guards
4	Azhar Jamil Azhari	Patriotic Pakistani
5	Zohaib Mustafa	Changa (Guard)
6	Syed Agha Hurr	Musician
7	Muhammad Nasir Khan	Lady Doctor
8	Arham Akhtar	Mad Actor
9	Mashood Ahmad	Manga (Guard)
10	Mughees ul Haq	Mad Mullah
11	Asghar Ghulam	Helpless Child
12	Ahmad Raza	Mad Reporter
13	Danial Mustafa	Politician
14	Hammad Bashir	Servant
15	Hafiz Hammad	Sheru

The wonderful acting skills of the actors coupled with an emotional theme, kept the audience mesmerized throughout the performance. The Vice Principal, Wg Cdr Dr Pervaiz Akhtar, Wg Cdr Shamila Syed and Sqn Ldr Asif Ali were the judges. They picked four best performers for the first four positions. The Chief Guest gave away the prizes. Consolation prize went to Ahmed Raza who performed the role of a mad mullah, third position was grabbed by Azhar Jamil Azhari who did justice to his role as a mad patriotic Pakistani. At second stood Saqib Sher who played the role of Tutti Fruiti and amused the audience a great deal. On the basis of his excellent acting skills, Muhammad Kashan was declared the best actor.

We bow our heads before the Almighty for the successful performance. Also, we thank Sqn Ldr Asif Ali HoD Urdu Deptt for his kind support and help. Typist Mansoor helped in preparation of brochures. Sqn Ldr Yasir and Sqn Ldr Kashif helped in set design. The Club is thankful to every single person who assisted us at any stage of preparation.



SARGODHIAN HEROES' MONUMENT

# INAUGURATION SARGODHIAN HEROES' MONUMENT



Air Chief Marshal Sohail Aman being received by the Principal, AVM (R) Qasim Masood Khan



The CAS inaugurates the Sargodhian Heroes' Monument



The CAS laying a wreath at the Monument



Col Hamid, brother of Shaheed Flt Lt Saeed Afzal Khan SJ (11th Entry) paying tribute to the martyrs



Brilliant stars from the Sargodhians' Galaxy at the Sagodhian Heroes' Monument

#### **INAUGURATION OF THE HEROES' MONUMENT**

Wg Cdr Amjad Ali Khan
Director of Physical Education



The Founders' Day, an auspicious occasion traditionally, was made even more special this year by the inauguration of the Heroes Monument that preceded the Founders' day programme by the distinguished Guest of Honour, Air Chief Marshal Sohail Aman, NI(M), Chief of the Air Staff.

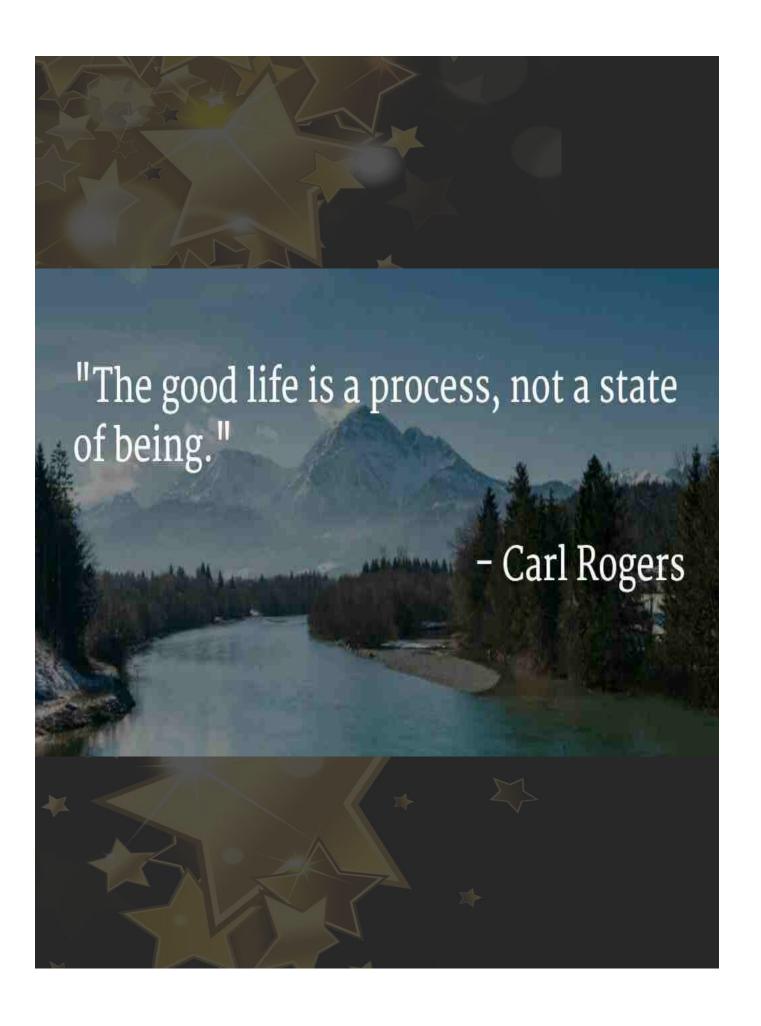
The dedication of monuments is a privileged ritual that reflects the honour we give to our heroes. A grateful nation remembers those who serve it during times of war and peace, whose courage and personal sacrifice defend and preserve its freedom. Therefore, it was no surprise that PAF College Sargodha wanted not only to honour and commemorate its brave sons but also to make their recognition permanent. This monument was constructed to fulfil that purpose.

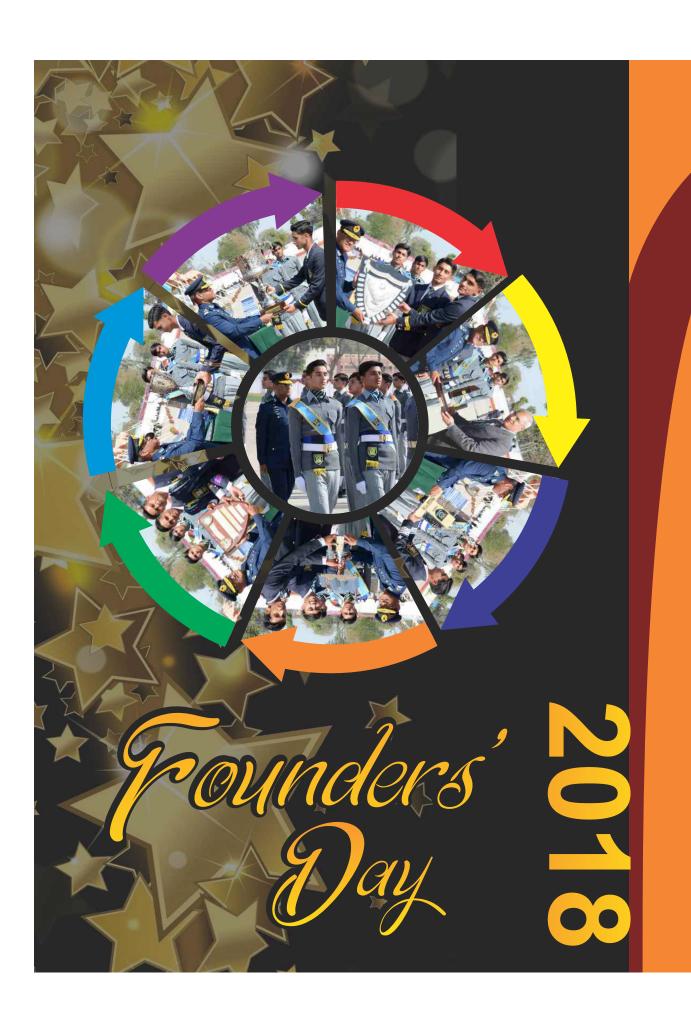
The sombre yet elegant ceremony was graced by the top brass of Pakistan Air Force who gathered to pay homage to the Sargodhian heroes who laid down their lives for their country. The eminent dignitaries included VCAS AM Farooq Habib HI (M), DCAS (Supp) AM Mujahid Anwar Khan HI (M), DCAS (Per) AM Arshad Malik, HI (M), DCAS (Admin) AM Aasim Zaheer, HI (M), T Bt, DCAS (Trg) AM Shahid Akhtar, HI (M), Base Commander Mushaf AVM Irfan, AOC CAC AVM Amir Masood SI (M), SBt, and IG AF AVM Nasser ul Haq Wyne, SI(M). Begum and Mr Anjum Masood, the architect, and Begum and Col Hamid, the brother of Shaheed FIt Lt Saeed Afzal Khan SJ (11th Entry), martyred in the war of 1971, were also there to witness the inaugural ceremony. The distinguished guests were received at the monument by Wg Cdr Shamila Syed, Head of Humanities, and Wg Cdr Azizullah Khan, the College Admin Officer.

At their arrival, the CAS and Begum CAS were received by the Principal, AVM (R) Qasim Masood and Begum Qasim Masood. The inaugural address by the College Head Boy, Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) was followed by the cutting of the ribbon. Then two smart orderlies, Zain Mustafa (3504-Mn) and Usman Afzal (3523-M), assisted the Chief Guest in laying the wreath at the Heroes' Monument. This was followed by recitation and dua by the College Religious Officer, CWO Qari Abdur Rehman. Later, the guests took a round of the elegantly constructed monument and its surroundings.

Nothing could have better represented the hero's grandeur than the central place allocated to the monument. The monument's space is encircled to represent wholeness. The prominent rising column, pays a befitting tribute to the service rendered on ground and in the air by the heroes. The East and West walls signify shields of protection against aggression. Blending into nature, this monument devotedly embraces our heroes' memories.

After the function, the guests headed towards the Parade Square to witness the Founders' Day proceedings.





#### FOUNDERS' DAY PROCEEDINGS

Wg Cdr Amjad Ali Khan
Director of Physical Education

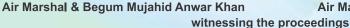


A large number of parents and distinguished guests attended the function. The Chief Guest, Air Chief Marshal Sohail Aman, NI(M), Chief of the Air Staff was warmly received by the Principal, Air Marshal Qasim Masood Khan HI(M) (Retd).

The ceremony started with the national anthem presented by the music band. The Sargodhian commentary team covered the whole event and received appreciation for their crisp coverage.

Pre-cadets of 46th Entry led by Hasan Abdullah (3364-R), the College Head Boy presented a dignified Guard of Honour to the Chief Guest. It included inspection of the Guard of Honour and March Past. A Gymnastics team of 28 boys, under the supervision of their Coach, Nadeem, performed feats that spellbound the spectators. Members of the Martial Arts team performed some very aggressive and skillful actions. These not only spoke of their skill, but also their courage as some of the exercises were decidedly daring. However, all went well, without any mishap, and the performers were greatly appreciated by the parents. A well-rehearsed PT display by 48th, 49th and 50th entries was one of the highlights of the day and was generously appreciated. The College Choir presented a National song. After the musical presentation, The Principal, then read out his report on the various achievements of the College during the past year. At the end, the Chief Guest gave away the trophies and the prizes to the winners. He addressed the gathering and appreciated the progress made by the College during the year 2018.







Air Marshal & Begum Arshad Malik

# SPEECH BY AIR CHIEF MARSHAL SOHAIL AMAN, NI(M) CHIEF OF THE AIR STAFF, PAKISTAN AIR FORCE ON THE OCCASION OF FOUNDERS' DAY FUNCTION AT PAF COLLEGE SARGODHA ON 17 FEBRUARY, 2018

Principal PAF College Sargodha Honourable Parents Dear Sargodhians Ladies and Gentlemen



I am pleased to attend "Founders' Day Function" at PAF College Sargodha. Indeed, the event rekindles the fond memories of my formative years at this prestigious College. I am proud to be alumnus of this Alma Mater and share with satisfaction that PAF College Sargodha has been has been the nursery of hard core professionals, infused with the values of integrity, sincerity, service before self and devotion to duty. No doubt, Sargodhians, on the strength of their quality training, have made immense contributions to wide-ranging fields both in military as well as civil services of the country. Remember it is a Sargodhian pledge to serve the nation at the best of ones abilities even at the peril of his life.

Dear Sargodhians! You are gifted with exceptional talents and potential. The guidance and encouragement of your mentors here will refine you even more to set you on a path that leads to honour. No doubt, your accomplishments in the fieldof academics, sports and co-curricular activities are a great source of pride for your teachers and parents alike.

My dear boys, the world is progressing in every field at a very fast pace. The time ahead will continue to pose formidable challenges before you, but a solid academic foundation and wholesome personality will enable you to face all odds with courage. Thus, it is your responsibility to fully prepare yourselves to cope with these emerging challenges. I would urge that moral strength determines a person's worth in challenging times. Develop your personality to a level that allows you to become an exemplary leader. Remember, great leadership is built around personal example, flawless character, sound integrity, intellectual prowess, adherence to merit, a clear sense of right and wrong and compassion. There must never be a conflict between words and deeds; always do what you say, always walk your talk.

You must build these traits to the highest degree, worthy of setting example to be emulated by others.

Respected Faculty Members! I commend you and the administration for the dedicated efforts to transform the students into wholesome personalities the achievements by young Sargodhians speak of your sincere efforts and dedicated services. However, you must remain cognizant of the latest teaching approaches and techniques. While PAF provides the resources, you must realize their apt utilization. Enable them to explore knowledge, expand their mental horizons and build their capacity for excellence in professional domains and care as well as concern in personal relations.

Dear Parents! I extend facilitations to you on the accomplishments of your children. It could not have been possible without your prayers and persistent support. I can assure you that these young men are fortunate to be at the right place and in the right hands. We value them as future of our country and want to see the successful. Our goal is to strengthen their moral fabric, toughen their physical robustness, and sharpen their mental faculties. The College has been fulfilling its responsibilities with utmost care and has been monitoring every step of their journey towards excellence.

I would avail this opportunity to appreciate all those who contributed to making this day a memorable one, particularly the boys who performed in an exemplary manner. I also commend the faculty and all trainers of PAF college Sargodha for the excellent job done. I congratulate those who won prizes and felicitate the Champion House for lifting the coveted Quaid-i-Azam Shield. May Allah Almighty be with you all the way in your future endeavours.

PAKISTAN AIRFORCE ZINDABAD! PAKISTAN PAINDABAD!



Hasham (3674-Mn)
presenting
a bouquet to the CAS



Muzammil (3406-M) & M Afzal (3378-A) escorting the Chief Guest to the dais



CAS & Begum CAS enjoying the proceedings

#### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT FOUNDERS' DAY FEBRUARY, 2018

Chief of the Air Staff, Air Chief Marshal Sohail Aman Begum Sohail Aman Worthy Parents Distinguished Guests Dear Sargodhians Ladies and Gentlemen,



It is indeed my proud privilege to welcome you all at our Founders' Day. We are indebted to the Air Chief for accepting our invitation to grace the occasion. Your presence, Sir, has always been a source of inspiration and pride for us, in particular to our young Sargodhians. It would indeed be morale boosting for them to know that your 40 year journey to the point of becoming the Air Chief began right here at their beloved Alma Mater, in fact in a building just 50 meters from here, where Alauddin House once used to be.

I am grateful to the parents as well for coming over to see their young sons in action. I extend a warm welcome to our young enthusiasts from Fazaia schools

and their teachers who have especially come to witness the proceedings of our Founders' Day.

We also have the good fortune of having been joined by Col. and begum Hameed Afzal Khan, the family of Flt Lt Saeed Afzal Khan, SJ, from 11<sup>th</sup> entry, who embraced shahadat in 1971 war. I feel truly honoured, sir.

Ladies and Gentlemen, before I present the annual report let me briefly outline the means we employ to turn these teenagers into young adults who will In sha Allah take pride in serving this nation one day. First and foremost it is the College Honour code which determines the limit and extent of their conduct. Then the inter-house competitions provide them ample opportunity to pit their strengths against each other, simultaneously learning lifelong lessons in sportsmanship, team spirit and fair play. While, Academics form a nucleus in the classrooms, character building permeates all activities, curricular and co-curricular. Recreation, too, is catered for in the form of weekly movies, house picnics and camp fire nights. This packed routine leaves little room for idleness. Consequently, by the time their stay comes to an end, we see the emergence of these bright eyed young men, who aim to scale the blue

skies and become the aerial defenders of their beloved homeland.

Now a few words about our academic performance. Last year 69 boys of 45<sup>th</sup> Entry appeared in FSc Part-II examination, 19 passed in A+ grade, 32 in A grade and the remaining 18 obtained B grade. The class average of the entry was a respectable 75.1%. Our 46<sup>th</sup> entry took the FSc Part-I exam, of whom, 61 got A+ grade, 09 got A grade and 01 secured B grade. The entry's class average was again a very good 84.2%- the best ever. The Matriculation exam was taken by 72 boys of 47<sup>th</sup> entry. I am happy to announce that 71 of them passed in A+ grade while one was placed in Grade A. Their class average was a remarkable 93%. 78 boys of Class 9, 48<sup>th</sup> entry were even better and achieved an outstanding high class average of 95.4% with each one of them being placed in Grade A+. Sir, these results are reflective of the consistent hard work by our pre-cadets and their dedicated teachers.

Ladies and Gentlemen! On the co-curricular front, besides putting up high quality stage plays in Urdu and English before an appreciative audience, Sargodhians have remained active in various inter house competitions including Quiz, Qiraat, Art, Science and Declamation. This year we started a new inter house, intra entry competition 'Just a Minute', or JAM in short. We are indeed indebted to AM Masood Akhter who introduced the idea to us. I am happy to report, Sir that the boys have taken to it quite keenly. The extensive activity will certainly enhance not only their linguistic prowess but also their confidence, presence of mind and originality of thought.

Besides these challenging home events, our competitive speakers flexed their muscles in nine different all Pakistan events including our first ever participation in Model United Nations held at Lawerence College Ghora Gali where Rabeet Zulfiqar was declared 1<sup>st</sup> in his Committee and Muhammad Ahsan got an honourable mention. Soon thereafter, our declamation team comprising the Head boy, Hassan Abdullah and Nauman Shehzad, brought laurels home from Cadet College Hassanabdal by winning the overall Champions trophy. Our declamation teams won several other individual positions too; Nauman Shehzad and Azhar Jameel won 1<sup>st</sup> position in Urdu at Divisional Public School Faisalabad and Sadiq Public School, Bahawalpur respectively. While Ayyan Nasir won 1<sup>st</sup> position in English Declamation at Chenab College Jhang and returned richer by 50,000 rupees. Moreover, Muhammad Ahsan was declared the best English speaker at SST, Rashidabad. Needless to say, these competitions have always provided our boys with highly useful and valuable experience of public speaking.

Ladies and Gentlemen, last December, the College also held its Annual Painting Competition. In all, 17 institutions participated in the event, including Cadet College Hasanabdal, Cadet College Chua Saidan Shah, and PAF College Lower Topa. Our own artists got an opportunity to exhibit their talent in the Arts competition held at DPS Faisalabad and Chand Bagh School Muridke as well as at the Space

week held at Cadet College Hasanabdal where Muhammad Jehangir won first position in calligraphy and Hamza Jalil came 3<sup>rd</sup> in the science model competition. Our boys also had the opportunity to participate in the space week held at IST Islamabad where the talented team comprising Asif Khan, Danyal Ali, Hamayun Zahid and Danyal Shehzad beat 30 other institutions in two categories—the best aeroplane design and exploring space heritage. To top it all of, 20 of our boys won gold, silver and bronze medals out of some 40 who participated in the country wide HRCA competition. That was quite a good show put up by these boys.

Ladies and Gentlemen! Coming to sports, at the beginning of October, we saw our active and agile pre-cadets battling real hard in the sports arena. The College participated in a sports gala held at SST Rashidabad, where besides the host teams our boys had the chance to show their prowess in different sporting events against teams from Cadet College Petaro and Cadet College Sanghar. I'm proud to tell you that, PAF College Sargodha emerged as Champions by winning all matches of football, hockey and basketball. This was followed by a second sports gala played at PAF College Lower Topa where once again our versatile sportsmen made a clean sweep against the other participating institution, SST Rashidabad and winning hockey, football and cricket against the hosts. I am proud to report that it was a good year indeed for our sportsmen.

Sir, I'd also like to report two records that were broken during the recently concluded inter-house athletics competition. It would especially interest AVM Raja Aftab, our ex-Principal and record holder in the same sport to know that Pre-cadet Mohsin Ali of Munir House created a new high jump record of 5 ft 07 inches and Hamid Nawaz Khan, also our best qari and the best marathon runner, established a new record in 800 metres of a very competitive time of 2 min 09 secs. Well done boys!

Sir, on the ISSB front, our 45<sup>th</sup> entry appeared in front of the selection board last year. 32 of them got recommended, of them 20 have already joined the PAF Academy, and others likely to join in April this year. This year 70 boys of our 46<sup>th</sup> entry availed their first ISSB chance. I'm proud to tell you that 57 of them have already been recommended. This is a very high average of almost 82% (81.42). The boys will take their second chance in July this year, which will improve these figures even further—In Sha Allah.

Ladies and Gentlemen, I am extremely proud of all the boys who have earned their right to these glittering trophies, colours, prizes and certificates, with passion and dedication. Boys, let me tell you, you have made yourselves, your parents and your teachers truly proud. Well done boys and keep it up.

Dear parents, we regard each pre-cadet an asset to the nation and strive whole-heartedly to turn him into a balanced God-fearing individual, a true patriot and a compassionate human being who is a source of pride for all of us in future. We

have undertaken a tall order and in this regard we need your whole hearted support in guiding your son to truly exploit his potential and exert to achieve excellence in all spheres of his training. Our common objective is to see each one of them live up to the trust that we have placed in them, may Allah be with us and crown our efforts with success, Aameen.

Ladies and Gentlemen, I will not be doing justice if I d not mention the two entities at this institution that will make it all happen for us—our teachers and our administrative staff. The devotion, spirit, commitment and dynamism of our faculty and our administrative officers and staff is exemplary, and I consider this a huge strength for the accomplishment of the mission assigned to this college. Thank college faculty and administration.

Before I close my report, Sir I want to profoundly thank your office and that of the Vice Chief for the generous support that is extended to us to facilitate our task. Most of our requests are readily acceded to and the directions given promptly. I am not going to go into the details, suffice to say that the support we receive from the air staff is immense. I would also like to express my deep appreciation to Base Commander Mushaf for his valuable and continuous support to the college, facilitating us in all ways possible.

Ladies and Gentlemen, I once again thank the parents and all our distinguished guests for gracing the occasion and generously appreciating the performance of our boys. Air Chief Marshal Sohail Aman, Sir, on the behalf of all sargodhians and staff, I thank you again for taking time out and honoring us with your presence here today.

PAF College Sargodha zindabad

Pakistan paindabad

(I'll now request you Sir to kindly give away prizes to these eagerly awaiting sargodhians)

Thank you!





### **GUARD OF HONOUR**



Headboy Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) requests the Chief Guest to inspect the Guard of Honour



Smart, young Pre-Cadets stand tall before their parents



Air Chief Marshal Sohail Aman inspects the Guard of Honour



Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) salutes the Chief Guest after the inspection



46th Entry marching in unison

#### **GYMNASTICS DISPLAY**



Gymnasts performing a tableau



Ilyas Khan (3440-Mn) airborne to cross the horse



Three daring gymnasts jump through the fire ring



Ahsan Javed (3498-A), team captain, jumps through four ignited rings



The gymnastics team forms a minaret & raises the slogan 'Pakistan Zindabad'

#### **MARTIAL ARTS DISPLAY**





Mustajab (3432-M) & Hassan (3470-S) all set to smash a clay plate with a flying kick





Ninjas showing different moves to entertain the guests

Daring ninjas break the bulky tiles



Ninjas breaking ignited tiles

# PT DISPLAY/AEROMODELLING/COLLEGE CHOIR



The PT squad entering the arena Hamid (3604-S) leading the PT squad



Each pre cadet maintains his position after the exercise



PT squad during the five circles exercise



To bulid an aeromodel is something, but to fly one is everything! This Aeromodel was made by Muhamamd Tauha (3442-I)



The College Choir presents a national song



Umais Shabbir (3366-A) receives the academics colour



Waqas Ahmed (3485-M) receives the merit certificate for getting highest marks in his entry in10th board exams



Umar haider (3587-Ad) receives the prize for getting the highest marks in 9th board exams in his entry



Usama Munawar (3591-R) also receives the prize for getting highest marks in 9th board exams in his entry



Muhammad Ali Arif (3610-Ad) receives merit certificate for scoring highest marks in his entry in 8th class promotion exams



Muhammad Faheem (3374-M) gets the Academics Colour



Muhammad Ehtishaam (3397-Mn) gets the Academics Colour



Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) College Head Boy gets the English Declamation Colour



Nauman Shahzad (3382-A) gets the Urdu Declamation Colour



Salman Zia (3443-A), College Basketball team captain, receives the Basketball Colour



Talha Younas (3383-I),
College Football team captain,
receives the Football Colour



Muhammad Faheem (3374-M) gets the prize for being the Best Urdu Essayist of the Year



Ahsan Javed (3398-A) receives the Football Colour



Afzal (3378-A) receives the Football Colour for his outstanding performance during sports fixtures



Usama Qamar (3416-S) receives the Football Colour for his excellent performance



Kamran Ashraf (3420-Ad), College Hockey team captain, receives the Hockey Colour



Saqib Sher (3371-Ad) receives the Hockey Colour



Ali Raza (3405-R) gets the Cricket Colour



Muhammad Kashan (3436-Y) gets the Karate Colour



Ilyas Khan (3440-Mn) receives the Gymnastics Colour



Mohsin Ali (3437-M) receives the Basketball & Athletics Colour



Fasih Abbas (3483-Ad) receives the Best Athlete Colour



Hamid Nawaz (3604-S) gets the Colour for being the Best Runner of College



Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) gets the prize for being the Best English Actor



Mohsin Ali (3437-M) receives the merit certificate for being the Best Commander



Muhammad Kashan(3436-Y) gets the prize for being the Best Urdu Actor



Ahmad Salahuddin (3477-S) gets the prize for being the best senior Urdu speaker



Muhammad Ayan (3489-Y) gets the prize for being the best senior English speaker



Umar Babbar (3425-Mn) gets merit certificate for his outstanding performance in Inter House Athletics Championship



Shoaib Mehmood (3411-R) gets the merit certificate for being the Best Sculptor of the year



Muhammad Yousaf (3368-S) gets the certificate for being the Best Singer of the year



Danyal Shahzad (3653-M) the Scientist of the year receiving his merit certificate



Muez Abbas (3427-A) gets the prize for being the Best Photographer of the year



Muhammad Muddasir (3441-R) gets the prize for his outstanding performance in Cricket



Muhammad Tauha (3442-I) gets the prize for being the Best Aeromodeller of the year



Mustajab Hussain (3432-M) gets the prize for his marvelous performance in Karate



Haseeb Murtaza (3412-M) gets the prize for his excellent performance in Karate



Faizyab Ashfaq (3488-Ad) gets the prize for being the Best Sketch Artist of the year



Muhammad Karar (3548-Mn) gets the prize for being the Best Woodwork Artist of the year



Fayyaz (3605-Mn) gets the prize for being the Best Woodwork Artist of the year



Hamid Nawaz (3604-S) gets the prize for being the Best Senior Qari of the year



Mohsin Khadim (3466-R) gets the prize for being the Best Calligraphy Artist of the year



Ashal Akhtar (3472-A) gets the prize for being the Best Painter of the year



M Bukhari (3687-M) gets the prize for being the Best English Essayist of the year



Rabeet Zulfiqar (3453-M) receives the Prize for English Commentary



Azhar Jameel (3500-Y) receives the Prize for Urdu Commentary



Musaab Imran (3462-M) & Ali Hamza (3540-R) receive the Prize for English Commentary

Danish Shabbir (3622-M) receives the Prize for Urdu Commentary



Hassan Abdullah (3364-R) lifts the Best Boy trophy



Muhammad Ali (3401-S) & M Shahzaib (3423-M)
receiving Education Trophy
for Safi & Munir House



Hamza Ali Akhtar (3365-Mn) & Saqib Sher (3371-Ad) lift the Chigwell Shield for Minhas & Alauddin house respectively



Muzzamil Malik (3406-M) receives the Chairman Joint Chief of the Staff Cup for Munir House



Fahad Amin (3430-Ad) receives the Athletics Trophy for Alauddin House

# **FOUNDERS' DAY**



Proud Munirites Mohsin Ali (3437-M) & M Faheem (3374-M) receiving the Quaid-i-Azam Shield for their Champion House



Principal AVM (R) Qasim Masood Khan presents
Sargodhian Heroes' Monument Model to CAS ACM Sohail Aman

### HOBBIES CLUB DISPLAY



Farhan (3403-S) explaining his project to the CAS



Danyal Shahzad (3653-M) presenting his masterpiece to the CAS



Fayyaz (3605-Mn) and Karar (3548-Mn) present their model to the Chief Guest



CAS ACM Sohail Aman signing his sketch made by Faizyab (3488-Ad)



Huzaifa (3376-I) presents his masterpiece to Chief Guest



Mohsin (3466-R) presents his calligraphic art to Begum CAS

# **FOUNDERS' DAY**



CAS ACM Sohail Aman pens down his views in the Visitors' Book



The Chief Guest, the Principal and the Headboy cut the Founders' Day cake