



G.D GOENKA PUBLIC SCHOOL, SARITA VIHAR

EVENT NAME: Yuri's Night (Excursion to Nehru Planetarium)

DATE: Thursday, APRIL 12, 2018

VENUE: Class II (Class room), Class VIII (Nehru Planetarium)

Participants In Event: Class II, Class VIII (Five Students)

Name Of the participants:-1. Rhea Jain

2. Ishwari Mashelkar

3. Aryan Bhargav

4. Aleena Hassan

5. Prithvi Sachdeva

EVENT REPORT

Students of class's II celebrated Yuri's Night where they were introduced with work of First Man in Space "Yuri Gagarin" .Students of Class II watched a presentation and wrote messages in the memory of Russian Cosmonaut Yuri Gagarin.

Five students of class VIII-A attended "Cosmonautics Day" event at Nehru Planetarium, New Delhi on April 12, 2018.

Nehru Planetarium, in collaboration with Russian Centre of Science and Culture and #SPACE-India organized the event. It was conducted to celebrate Yuri Gagarin's milestone travel to space on April 12, 1961. Space flights of famous astronauts like those of Valentina Tereshkova and Rakesh Sharma were also celebrated.

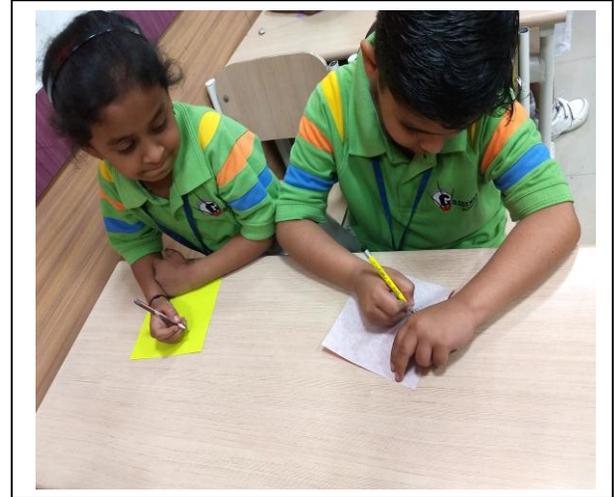
Students were shown animated astronaut movie in dome shaped Sky-Theatre. Further, Aleksey Shaposhnikov, Head of Science and Technology section of Russian Centre of Science and Culture presented a movie on Yuri Gagarin. The movie shed light on how Gagarin sailed through tough selection procedure and rigorous training course to become first person to go into space.

Mr. Vikrant Narang, senior educator from SPACE-India cleared doubts asked by astronomy enthusiasts while Dr. Nandivada Rathnasree, Director of Nehru Planetarium left students scratching their heads with her questions. The event culminated with students writing messages for their favorite astronauts and enthralling rocket launch demonstration.

PHOTOGRAPHS:



Students of class II-VII wrote messages for Yuri Gagarin



Students of class II made beautiful cards of Yuri Gagarin



Students of class VIII visited Nehru planetarium



Students of class VIII got chance to meet Aleksey Shaposhnikov, Head of Science and Technology section of Russian Centre of Science and Culture