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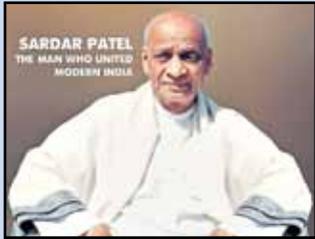
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16 October, 2014 was one of the historic days for Gujarat Law Society. Amidst the presence of various dignitaries, principals and heads of all the institutes of Gujarat Law Society and various invited guests, N R Institute of Business Management organized the third convocation ceremony for the students of Post Graduate Diploma in Management of its batch 2012-14.

Post Graduate Diploma in Management is an AICTE

approved 2 years post graduate programme in management, which has been recognized as equivalent to MBA by Gujarat University.

The chief guest for the day was Shri Pankaj Patel, Chairman, Zydus Cadila Group, and the President of the function was the chief mentor of Gujarat Law Society, Shri Sudhir Nanavati.

The convocation began with group photograph and procession to auditorium. In his directors address, Dr. Hitesh

Ruparel, shared various milestones achieved by the institute during his tenure of association with Gujarat Law

Society. He congratulated the students and parents on this joyful day and remembered the founders and chief luminaries of the Institute. He highlighted that within a short span of five years, the PGDM programme of NRIBM has been ranked as number one in the state of Gujarat and attributed the success of the programme to the hard work of students and commended their performance. In his unique style, he advised the graduating batch to be focused, hardworking, team spirited and tolerant to be successful in life.

Dr. Rajesh Asrani, Professor and Co-ordinator of PGDM programme highlighted the ideologies of the programme as
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Congratulations to Shri Sudhir Nanavati, Executive Vice-President, GLS for being named as one of the leaders for the "Swachh Bharat Abhiyan" by the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Gujarat, Smt. Anandiben Patel. The GLS family will wholeheartedly support you in this role.

FESTIVALS OF LIGHT

By Jean Dsouza

"In the dance of Your festival of lights, let me place my own little lamp..." – Tagore

The end of a year brings with it two prominent festivals, both of which are somehow connected with Light – Diwali and Christmas. Light has always been more symbolic than any other symbol. Sometimes we even forget that it is a source of brightness that enables us to see: all that it brings to our minds is the fascination of its beauty, its hypnotic charisma, its association with divinity.

Light is at once both obvious and mysterious. We are bathed in yellow warmth every day and stave off the darkness with



incandescent and fluorescent bulbs. But what exactly is light? We catch glimpses of its nature when a sunbeam angles through a dust-filled room, when a rainbow appears after a storm or when a drinking straw in a glass of water looks disjointed. These glimpses, however, only lead to more questions. Does light travel as a wave, a ray or a stream of particles? Is it a single color or many colors mixed together? How much of light is

non-material, and how much of it is physical? Does light have qualities that we usually see in God? Why do all religions have such a significant presence of light in rituals and practices?

You might think scientists know all the answers, but light continues to surprise them. Here's an example: We've always taken for granted that light travels faster than anything in the universe. Then, in 1999, researchers at Harvard

University were able to slow a beam of light down to 38 miles an hour (61 kilometers per hour) by passing it through a state of matter known as a Bose-Einstein condensate. That's almost 18 million times slower than normal! No one would have thought such a feat possible just a few years ago, yet this is the capricious way of light. Just when you think you have it figured out, it defies your efforts and seems to change its nature.

Read on to find out more about different festivals of this enigmatic and mysterious phenomenon called LIGHT!

(The writer is Associate Professor of English at HACC)

CONTINUED FROM PAGE-1 ▶ Plink (Playful thinking), self reflection, transparency, softskills and team work. He also briefed about several internationalization activities initiated by the institute including the 2nd India NewZealand Business Forum. He further gave a brief about the research initiatives, and exceptional placements at the institute, with more than 100 organizations having visited the campus this year.

In his presidential address, Shri Nanavati stressed on various points titled in 'P's. The advices included:

- Importance of Proper Planning
- Having Proper Perception

- Positive and Out of the box thinking
- Positive thinking
- Preparation and Hardwork for success
- Possibility of wrong attraction and its avoidance
- Perfection as a method of life long with these words of advice, He also shared various anecdotes from the lives of general people as well as his own experiences which also yielded important messages.

In his convocation address, the chief guest Shri Pankaj Patel highlighted his own success mantras worded in different 'A's. His message of success was focused upon:

- Action to achieve and connect



dreams
 • Attitude towards success
 • Acceptance of mistakes
 • Adaptability to change
 The graduating students and participants were mesmerized by the choice of words and style



of delivery by the chief guest, and his address was widely appreciated.

The vote of thanks was delivered by Dr. Dharmesh Shah, Professor, NRIBM.

Finally the diplomas and

certificates of merit were conferred upon the graduating students in proper protocol and the convocation was concluded amidst happy and cheerful emotions of the passing out students.

HACC HOSTS GUETA SEMINAR

Gujarat University English Teachers' Association (GUETA) and HA College of Commerce jointly organized a one-day State Level Academic Faculty Seminar on "TEACHING OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE & LITERATURE" on 12 October at HH Auditorium, GLS. The seminar intended to cater to the enhancement of subject knowledge of the teachers of English. GUETA aimed to inspire the young teachers in

student-centric activities as well as to appreciate the academic work done by teachers who devoted their lives to the profession of English teaching.

The seminar was inaugurated by the Vice-chancellor of Gujarat University, Dr. MN Patel. Prin. Dr. Starpayallyer, President, GUETA, Dr. Sanjay Vakil, Principal, H A Commerce College and Vice-president, GUETA, and Dr. PK Mehta, founder president, GUETA, graced the dais.

The keynote address was delivered by Dr. P. K. Mehta, Former Pro VC, IGNOU, New Delhi and the founder President of GUETA. He briefed the audience about the history of GUETA and also emphasized on making class-room teaching of English lively. Pointing out at the short-comings of present semester system, he advised the professors to make the best of the current situation.

The other dignitaries present at the inaugural function were Dr. Digvijaysinh Gohil, Member, Executive Council,

and Chairman, Board of Studies (English), Guj. Uni., Dr. B. H. Joshi, Registrar, GLS, Mr. V. B. Patel, Coordinator, GLS Colleges.

A faculty from Eng. Dept. from Smt. Sadguna C U Arts College for Girls, Mr. Nitesh Solanki, was felicitated for creating the website -www.englishgueta.in. Mr. Solanki and his team of experienced teachers from different colleges of the university have created this website for faculty and students. It contains University Question Papers of previous Years and the current year from various colleges of Gujarat University, Updated Syllabi, a Question-bank, Research related guidelines/circulars, links to the syllabus related videos, etc. They also plan to create e-content for the students and introduce Online Interactive sessions, Online Quiz for MCQs, Mock tests for students and online assessment, the online registration of teachers and students, etc. It should be noted that such a subject-specific website has been created for the first time in the



history of Gujarat University.

The two academic sessions (Pre-lunch and Post-lunch) comprised of various scholarly papers focusing on the different aspects of teaching english language and literature. The two sessions were chaired by Dr. Shobhana Nair and Dr. Jean D'Souza.

The valedictory function started with vote of thanks by Dr. Alkesh Patel, Secretary, GUETA, who appreciated everyone's contribution associated with the seminar. Dr. Indira Nityanandam and Dr.

Ranjana Harish were felicitated for their invaluable contribution in the field of teaching. Dr. Nityanandam reiterated her involvement with the teaching of language and literature, and her association with the teachers of English everywhere.

The future plans of include a forum called GUETA TALKS (An Interactive Discussion Session), GUETA Workshops on Research Publications and Research Projects, and GUETA Online Interactive Sessions.



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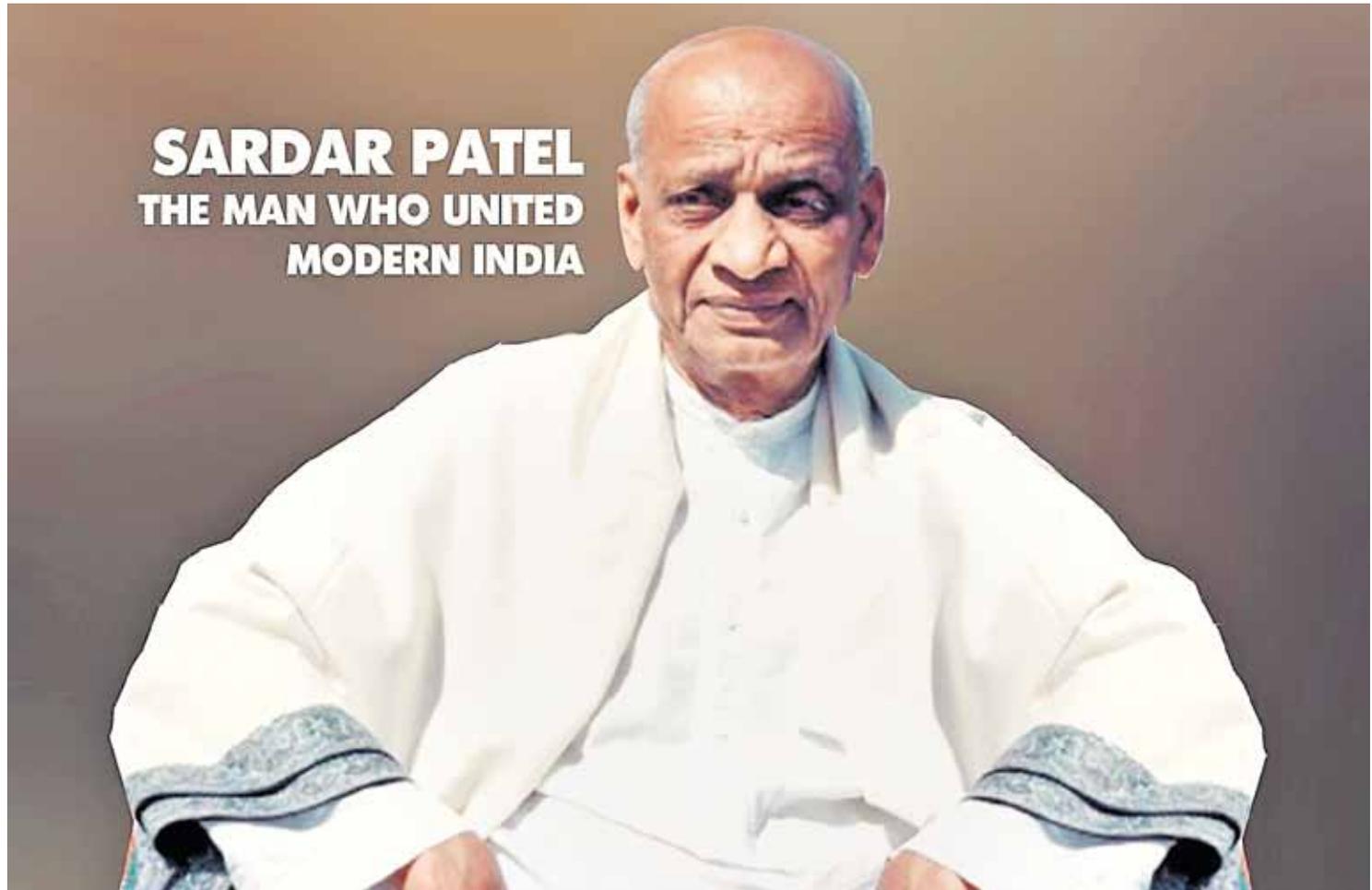
STRENGTH AND GRIT GENETICALLY AT GLS FROM A FOUNDING FATHER

SARDAR VALLABHBHAI PATEL (1875-1950)

It is alright for all Indians to state that Sardar Patel is the Iron man of India, the one who integrated the many fragments of the country, which was at that time battered by British Rule and partition, into one united whole.

But it is us at GLS who can claim a much, much closer and intimate connection with Sardar. He is one of the founding fathers of Gujarat Law Society together with Ganesh Mavlankar and Kasturbhai Lalbhai. These three visionaries and other philanthropic elite of Ahmedabad of the time came together to establish what is now considered one of the premier educational trusts of the country. Not only did Sardar envision GLS, it was also at his behest that Gujarat University was conceived.

So it one thing to say that Sardar was the first Home Minister of independent India, and the Deputy Prime Minister of the country as well. But it is a whole new feeling to think of the iron man of India as our “baap”, our founding father.



**SARDAR PATEL
THE MAN WHO UNITED
MODERN INDIA**

HOW LIGHT WORKS

Over the centuries, our view of light has changed dramatically. The first real theories about light came from the ancient Greeks. Many of these theories sought to describe light as a ray -- a straight line moving from one point to another. Pythagoras, best known for the theorem of the right-angled triangle, proposed that vision resulted from light rays emerging from a person's eye and striking an object. Epicurus argued the opposite: Objects produce light rays, which then travel to the eye. Other Greek philosophers -- most notably Euclid and Ptolemy -- used ray diagrams quite successfully to show how light bounces off a smooth surface or bends as it passes from one transparent medium to another.

Arab scholars took these ideas and honed them even



further, developing what is now known as geometrical optics -- applying geometrical methods to the optics of lenses, mirrors and prisms. The most famous practitioner of geometrical optics was Ibn al-Haytham, who lived in present-day Iraq between A.D. 965 and 1039. Ibn al-Haytham identified the optical components of the human eye and correctly

described vision as a process involving light rays bouncing from an object to a person's eye. The Arab scientist also invented the pinhole camera, discovered the laws of refraction and studied a number of light-based phenomena, such as rainbows and eclipses.

By the 17th century, some prominent European scientists began to think differently about



light. One key figure was the Dutch mathematician-astronomer Christiaan Huygens. In 1690, Huygens published his “Treatise on Light,” in which he described the undulatory theory. In this theory, he speculated on the existence of some invisible medium -- an ether -- filling all empty space between objects. He further speculated that light forms when a luminous body causes a series of waves or vibrations in this ether. Those waves then advance forward until they encounter an object. If that object is an eye, the waves stimulate vision.

This stood as one of the earliest, and most eloquent, wave theories of light. Not everyone embraced it. Isaac Newton was one of those people. In 1704, Newton proposed a different take -- one describing light as corpuscles, or particles. After all, light travels in straight lines and bounces off a mirror much like a ball bouncing off a wall. No one had actually seen particles of light, but even now, it's easy to explain why that might be. The particles could be too small, or moving too fast, to be seen, or perhaps our eyes see right through them.

As it turns out, all of these theories are both right and wrong at once. And they're all useful in describing certain behaviors of light.

(Source: <http://science.howstuffworks.com/light1.htm>)

SARDAR VALLABHBHAI PATEL

A TRUE SATYAGRAHI WHO BECAME THE IRON MAN OF INDIA

The General of Bardoli, the Lion of Gujarat, the Mighty Architect of Modern India, a true follower of Gandhi and a successful barrister, not for making big fortune, but to serve his motherland.

This legendary leader from Gujarat was a strict follower of Satyagraha from his childhood. Once a teacher was black-marketing text-books and pencils, he piloted a six-day strike in the school against the teacher and he had won his first Satyagraha fight in his school days only.

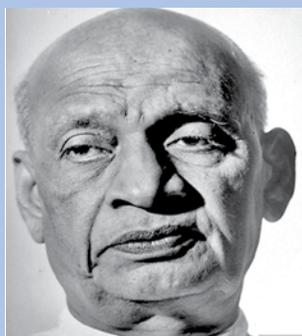
Sardar Patel was one of the most trusted lieutenants of Mahatma Gandhi in the freedom struggle. After the historic trial and imprisonment of Gandhi, leadership of the Congress fell on Sardar Patel's shoulders. Gandhi and Patel made a strong team for the welfare programs for the people of Gujarat. A true disciple of Gandhi, he was also sent to jail for being a die-hard Satyagrahi.

A great symbol of hope and strength for the farmers of India; this son of soil stood with the farmers against the injustice of the Britishers in Gujarat and forced the then British Government to withdraw their exploitative tax policy.

For the British Government, the Bardoli hero was a mass mobilizing rebel, a clever non-co-operator and a destructive critic. But for his countrymen he was a devoted statesman, a great administrator and a superb organiser. If Subhash Chandra Bose had formed "Azad Hind Fauj" then the Sardar was Grand Commander of Dandi March. If Nehru was the leader of elite then the Sardar became the saviour of common masses. If Gandhi is the Father of Nation then the Sardar can be called Bismarck of United India.

This lion hearted freedom fighter roared, "Swaraj is our goal. There cannot be the slightest modification of that goal." The architect of United India was absolutely clear about his vision for the nation and he once angrily told Mohammad Jinnah, "We shall fight all those who come in the way of freedom of India."

Sardar Patel was a pillar of strength. In addition to an exchange of 40 to 50 lakhs of people on each side at the time of partition, he carried out peacefully the separation of armed forces between India and



Vallabhbhai Patel

Deputy Prime Minister of India

In office

15 August 1947 – 15 December 1950

Minister of Home Affairs

15 August 1948 – 15 December 1950

Born

31 October 1875
Nadiad, Gujarat, Bombay Presidency, British India

Died

15 December 1950 (aged 75)
Bombay, Bombay State, India

Profession

Lawyer

Pakistan. Even a Cavour would have trembled before so marathons a task.

The peasant leader's towering personality was a terror for his enemies but at the same time a great heart for his friends. Independent India saw a dynamic Sardar. Through a bloodless revolution unseen in history ever, he welded 562 princely States together with the rest of the country and laid down the foundations of the greatest democracy of the world. The Iron Man of India was a Colossus in our freedom struggle and a master-architect in the integration of this nation. He would inspire us for the generations to come to strive for the unity of our motherland!

*By Manohar Sagara
(An 11th std. student of M.K. Secondary and Higher Secondary School)*

N. R. PRIMARY SCHOOL

DIWALI CELEBRATION AT N.R.PRIMARY SCHOOL



Diwali is the Queen of all festivals. It is one of the most colorful, scared and the loveliest festival. This time, N.R.Primary school also celebrated Diwali. An Aarti was

done to please Goddess Lakshmi and invoke her blessings. Students along with their teachers lit and enjoyed fire-works. The significance of the auspicious day was explained.

Sweets were distributed among the children. The children created colourful rangolis and greeting cards, painted colourful diyas and decorated puja-thalis to keep up the festive spirit.

A FITTING TRIBUTE TO THE IRON MAN OF INDIA

On 27th September students of Std 8 visited the Sardar Patel National Memorial museum located at Shahibaug. It is also known as Moti Shahi Mahal, constructed by Emperor Shahjahan in 1618. Today, the building is used as a memorial for the Iron Man of India.

We saw the central hall of this palace that was filled with portraits of the Sardar and his family. His personal possessions, pictures and information were displayed. We read the descriptions of the periods of his life which gave us a lot of information about his contribution during the movement of Indian independence. The attractive mural of Sardar and statues of the three national leaders - Gandhiji, Sardar and Nehru - were fascinating. The multimedia features showcasing the contribution of Sardar was an attractive presentation. It was indeed an enthralling experience.



N. R. PRIMARY SCHOOL

LET'S LEARN ABOUT BANKING



The Financial needs of a person are very important in order to enjoy a comforts and ease in life. In order to provide some basic information about banking facilities, the students visited the Bhartiya Mahila Bank on C.G.Road on 14th October 2014. The bank staff was very co-operative. Shri Jitendra explained the different facilities provided by the Bank, like loans for education, house, vehicles etc. Facilities like A.T.M., debit and credit cards,

deposits etc. were also explained. He gave us an idea about demand drafts, pass books, cheque books, etc. He stressed on the need to save money thus making us understand the vital role of bank in our life. We are thankful to our school for broadening our outlook and understanding the concept better. It was a great experience & we look forward for such events in our school.

*Students of STD 8
N.R.P.S*

DIWALI FUN AT CU SHAH PREPARATORY SCHOOL



THE SPARKLE IN THE EYES OF THESE TINY TOTS SHOWED HOW DIWALI SHOULD ACTUALLY BE ENJOYED FROM THE HEART.

C. U. SHAH PRIMARY SCHOOL

BEYOND THE HILLS



By Pearl Rodrigues

“The world is like a book and so those who do not travel read only one page” – Augustine Hippo

The realm of education lies beyond the constraints of cemented walls, drab and barren pages of books.

To help students explore, experience and encode information, C. U. Shah Primary School organises entertainment based educational tours to different locations across the country every year.

This year, students of grades VI, VII & VIII were taken on a four day trip to Lonavala, Panchgini and the theme park ‘Imagica’.

Students first visited ‘Imagica’ which they were

looking forward to since a very long time. Imagica is India’s first and only International theme park on the Mumbai – Pune Highway. It is spread across a large expanse of 300 acres. It features 26 attractions and five theme based restaurants. Of all its novel lures, one should not miss the opportunity of being in the ride based on Bollywood’s film - ‘Mr. India’, and Nitro, India’s biggest floorless roller coaster.

The park that is based on the theme ‘where stories come alive’ has entertainment to cater to all age groups.

After spending the entire day at Imagica, the tour moved towards its next destination ‘Panchgini’.

Panchgini is a famous hill station nestled in the Sahyadri

Mountains. It is topped by Asia’s second longest volcanic plateau. Known for its exhilarating climate and enticing scenic beauty, it is also fabled for its strawberry festival, Mapro & Mala’s production units and premier residential educational institutions.

The last day of the tour was spent at Lonavala – the city of ‘chikki’. After visiting local sights like the cliff of the Duke’s nose, Tiger’s leap, Bhushi dam and the famous celebrity wax museum, students went shopping and then enjoyed playing at the resort’s own water park.

Four days passed off within the blink of an eye but left behind engraved and long lasting memories of fun & frolic.

K. N. PRIMARY SCHOOL



The students of K.N.P.S went on an excursion to Lonawala, Imagica & Panchgini, and thoroughly enjoyed the educational trip.

We left Ahmedabad on 5th October by Duranto Express. The train journey was an exciting experience for the

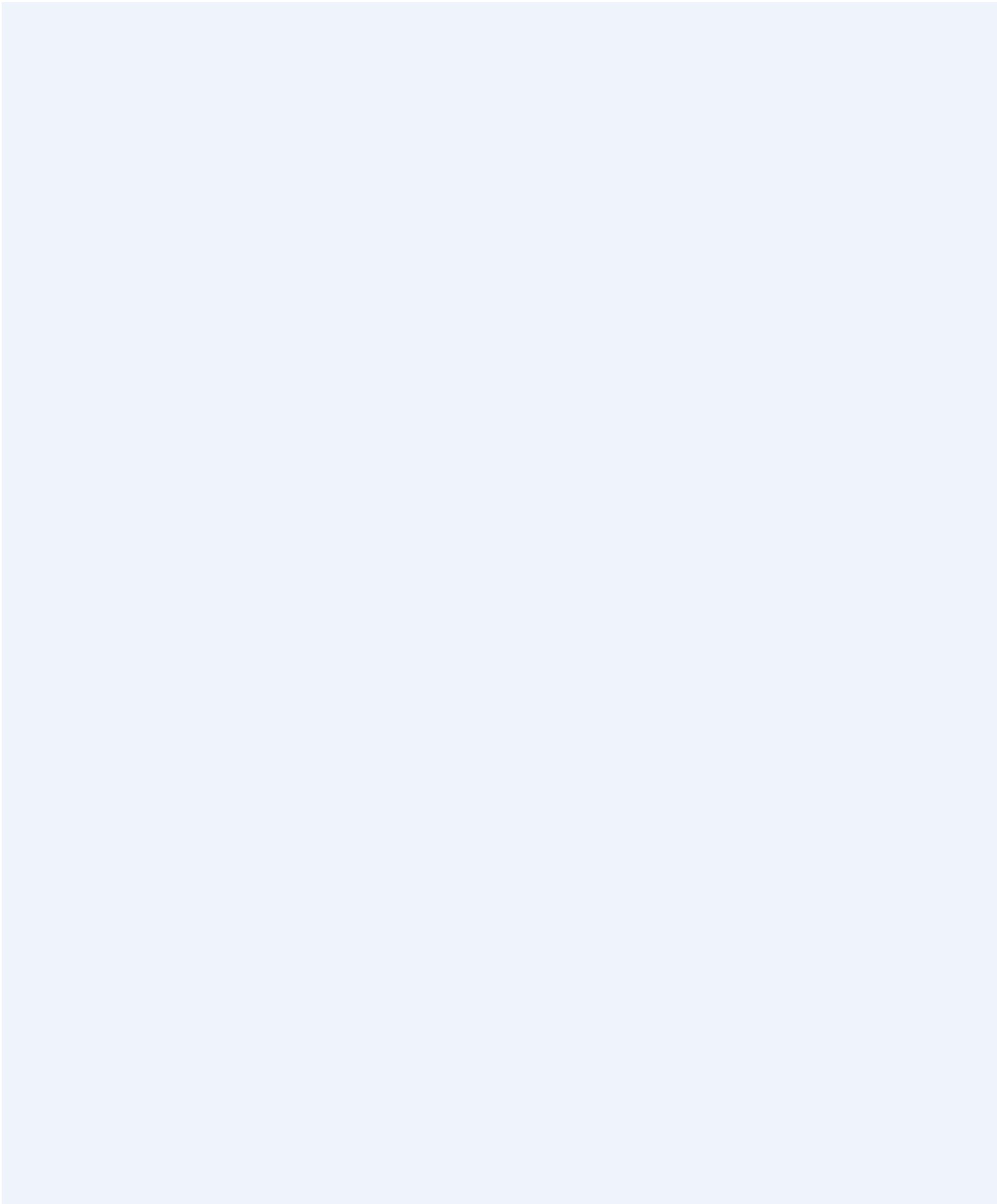
students.

We stayed in a beautiful resort with water rides which were amidst beautiful and sprawling lawns.

Imagica by Adlabs was a thrilling and an adventurous experience for the students. There were rides like Dare to

Drop, Scream Machine and Haunted house. At the end, all the artists and cartoons paraded in the lawn area with wonderful music playing in the background.

The trip really boosted our morale and was a wonderful experience.



દીપોત્સવી પર્વ

વિક્રમ સંવતનો છેલ્લો દિવસ એટલે આસો વદ અમાસ એટલે કે દિવાળી. આમ તો અમાસ એટલે અંધારી રાત્રી. પણ આ આસો વદ અમાસની રાત્રી અજવાળી રાત્રી તરીકે ઓળખાય છે. આજનાં શુભદિને તમસો મા જ્યોતિર્ગમય ।

એટલે કે 'અંધારામાંથી અમને ઉજાસ તરફ લઈ જાવ' એવી ઈશ્વરને પ્રાર્થના કરવાની. દીપાવલી પર્વમાં દીપમાળા પ્રગટાવવામાં આવે છે. દરેક ઘરનાં ટોડલે દીપ ઝળહળી ઊઠે છે. આપણા હૃદયમાં પણ શ્રદ્ધાનો, આશાનો દીપ પ્રગટાવવાનો છે. દીપાવલી પર્વ આપણા મનમાં રહેલાં નકારાત્મક વલણો, હતાશા

અને નિરાશાનાં અંધકારને દૂર કરી જ્ઞાનનો પ્રકાશ રેલાવવાનું પર્વ છે. આપણે એવા દીવાનો પ્રકાશ ફેલાવવાનો છે કે જેથી આપણાં અને આપણાં પરિચયમાં આવનાર સૌના જીવનપથ ઝગમગી રહે, ઊરનાં અંધારા ઉલેચાય અને આતમદીપનું તેજ રેલાય.

દીપોત્સવી પર્વ એટલે અંધકાર પર પ્રકાશનો વિજય. ભારતીય સંસ્કૃતિની વિચારધારા મુજબ મૂળ તો આ પર્વ માટીના કોડિયામાં રૂ ની દિવેટ મૂકી તેલ પૂરી દીપ પ્રગટાવવાનો રીવાજ છે. અર્થાત આ માનવદેહ રૂપી માટીનું કોડિયું અને રૂ ની દિવેટ એટલે જીવનદીપ. જીવતરનાં દીવામાં સ્નેહરૂપી તેલ પૂરી પ્રકાશપુંજ પ્રગટાવવાની ભાવના.

દીપક એ ઈશ્વરની સર્વવ્યાપી ચેતનાનાં તત્વનું તેજ છે. આપણાં ભક્તકવિ નરસિંહ મહેતાએ પણ કહ્યું છે કે દેહમાં દેવ તું, તેજ માં તત્વ તું, શુન્યમાં શબ્દ થઈ વેદ વાસે (અખિલ બ્રહ્માંડમાં) દીવાની જ્યોતમાં ઈશ્વરનું પ્રગટપણું છે એમ વિજ્ઞાને પણ સ્વિકાર્યું છે. દુનિયાના દરેક ધર્મમાં જ્યોતિસ્વરૂપ પરમ તત્વનો સ્વીકાર કરવામાં આવ્યો છે. કોઈ પણ શુભ પ્રસંગ હોય તો દીવાની જ્યોતિની હાજરી આવશ્યક છે. તેના વિના કાર્યો અધુરા ગણાય છે. કોઈ પણ ધાર્મિક કાર્યમાં દીપકને શુભ તત્વનું પ્રતિક સમજી તેની હાજરીમાં દરેક સંસ્કારો કરવામાં આવે છે. શુભ કાર્યનો આરંભ દીપ પ્રાગટ્યથી જ કરવામાં આવે છે અને

શુભ કરોતિ કલ્યાણમ્ આરોગ્યં ધનસંપદા. શત્રુબુધ્ધિ વીનાશાય દીપકાય નમોસ્તુતે.

ની પ્રાર્થના કરવામાં આવે છે. તેની પાછળની ભાવના એવી છે કે હે પરમજ્યોતિ સ્વરૂપ ઈશ્વર અમારા સૌનું કલ્યાણ કરજો. આરોગ્ય, ધન, સંપત્તિ, સ્વાસ્થ્ય વગેરેનું રક્ષણ કરજો અને અમારી અંદર રહેલાં ષડરિપુ તત્વવાળી બુધ્ધિનો નાશ કરી સદબુધ્ધિ આપજો.

આમ દ્રશ્યમાન જ્યોતિસ્વરૂપ અગ્નિ છે, સૂર્ય એ જ્યોતિ છે અને જ્યોતિ એ સૂ્ય છે. દીવાની જ્યોત નીચેથી ઉપર તરફ જાય છે એવી રીતે આપણાં જીવનમાં પણ નીચેથી ઉચ્ચવિચારો અને આચરણ વડે

ઉર્ધ્વગતિ કરવી જોઈએ.

જોકે સમય સાથે પ્રકૃતિના બધા તત્વોમાં પરિવર્તન આવ્યું છે. માટીના કોડિયાની જગ્યા એ આજે મીણબત્તી કે ચાઈનીઝ દીવા બજારમાં ઉપલબ્ધ થયા છે. છતાં, કોડિયાનું મહત્વ અદકેરું છે.

'આદર્શો ઉર રાખી ઊંચા, વીર બનો નીરખીને દિવાળી, ભેખ ધરી સંસ્કૃતિ કાજે, દીક્ષા લઈ ઊજવો દિવાળી'



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*"Let me light my lamp",
says the star, "And never
debate if it will help to
remove the darkness"
-Rabindranath Tagore*

*"A painter should begin
every canvas with a wash of
black, because all things in
nature are dark except
where exposed by the light."
-Leonardo da Vinci*

*"Darkness cannot drive out
darkness: only light can do
that. Hate cannot drive out
hate: only love can do that."
-Martin Luther King Jr*

*"All the darkness in the
world cannot extinguish the
light of a single candle."
-Francis of Assisi*

*"And still, after all this
time, the Sun has never said
to the Earth,
"You owe me."
Look what happens with
love like that.
It lights up the sky."
-Hafez*

સરદાર પટેલ અને ટાઈમ મેનેજમેન્ટ



યત્ર યોગેશ્વરો ગાંધી, વલ્લભશ્રધૂર્ધરઃ
તત્ર શ્રી વિજયોભૂર્તિ ધ્રુવાનિર્તિમર્તિ
મમ

હુ નુમાનજી વિનાનાં રામજી,
અર્જુન વિનાનાં કૃષ્ણ
કે વિવેકાનંદવિનાનાં
રામકૃષ્ણની કલ્પના કરી શકાય ? તો
પછી સરદાર પટેલ વિનાનાં ગાંધીજી
ખીલ્યાં હોત ખરાં ? ઈસુખ્રિસ્તનાં
જીવનમાં જે સ્થાન જહોન ધ
બાપ્ટિસ્ટનું હતું, તે સ્થાન ગાંધીજીનાં
જીવનમાં વલભભાઈનું હતું.

કોઈપણ સુ-શાસક પાસે ત્રણ
પ્રકારની શક્તિ હોવી જરૂરી છે.

- ૧) કોનફિલક્ટ મેનેજમેન્ટ
- ૨) ક્રાઈસીસ મેનેજમેન્ટ
- ૩) ક્રાઉડ મેનેજમેન્ટ

શાસનની વાત આવેત્યારે એટલું
યાદ રાખવું જ પડે કે દક્ષતા અને
દીર્ઘદષ્ટિનો કોઈ વિકલ્પ નથી.
વલ્લભભાઈ પાસે આ ત્રણેક પ્રકારની
શક્તિ હતી. તેઓ સમસ્યાના મૂળ
સુધી જઈ તેનો સાચો ઉકેલ શો હોઈ
શકે, તેનો વિચાર કરી પોતાની
બધી જ તાકાત સમસ્યા ઉકેલવામાં
લગાડતા. કટોકટીની પળે મક્કમતા
બતાવતા અને લોકોમાં વિશ્વાસ
જગાડતા. પોતાની ધારદાર વાણીથી
જનસમૂહને પ્રોત્સાહિત કરી, ઉત્સાહ
સાથે અનુશાસનનો મેળ પાડતા- આ
ત્રણેય બાબતો સરદારનાં નેતૃત્વને
એક અનોખા અને ઉચ્ચસ્તર પર
મૂકતી હતી.

આજના વિષયને સમજવા
માટે આઝાદીની ચળવળના કેટલાક
કિસ્સાઓ પર નજર નાખવી જરૂરી
છે. દરેક વ્યક્તિ પોતાના કામ પૂરા

કરવા માટે ટાઈમ મેનેજમેન્ટ કરતી
હોય છે, પણ યોગ્ય સમયે, યોગ્ય
કામ કરવા માટે યોગ્ય નિર્ણય લેવાય
એ ટાઈમ મેનેજમેન્ટની મૂળ વાત છે,
જે સરદાર સાહેબના જીવનમાં સુપેરે
જોઈ શકાય છે.

બારડોલી સત્યાગ્રહ હોય કે, ખેડા
કે બોરસદ સત્યાગ્રહ હોય, હિન્દુ
મુસ્લિમ એકતાનાં પ્રશ્ન હોય કે દેશી
રજવાડાના વિલીનીકરણની વાત
હોય, સરદાર સાહેબે દરેક પ્રશ્નમાં
ધીરજ અને બુધ્ધિપૂર્વક ઉકેલ લાવવા
માટે યોગ્ય સમયે યોગ્ય પગલા લીધા
છે.

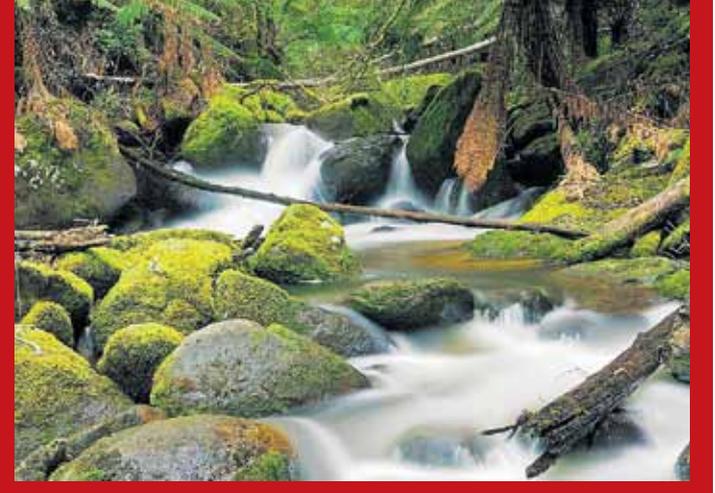
સરદાર પટેલ જલદીથી રીઝીજાય
તેવા ‘આશુતોષ’ન હતાં, પણ
ગેરસમજો, નિંદા અને વાસનાનાં
જેરને પી જનારા ‘નીલકંઠ’ હતા.
ત.ઓ એક રાજકારણી નહિ પરંતુ
રાજપુરુષ હતા. અ.મનાં ઉપચારો
આકરા જણાતાં, પરંતુ લાંબેગાળે
પરિણામદાયી સાબિત થતા. એમની
નજર જટાયુના ભાઈ સંપતિની
માફક બહુ દૂરનું જોઈ શકતી-પ્રશ્ન
માત્ર દેશને સ્વતંત્ર કરવાનો ન હતો,
પરંતુ આળસ, વહેમ, અજ્ઞાન અને
અવિશ્વાસમ સબડતી પ્રજાને જાગૃત
કરી સ્વારાજ મેળવવાનો હતો. જે કામ
સરદાર સાહેબે બારડોલી સત્યાગ્રહથી
આદર્શ્યું, બારડોલી સત્યાગ્રહના
વિજયથી વિશ્વનાં નકશામાં બારડોલી
‘ગામ’ને બદલે ‘ઘટના’ તરીકે
ખ્યાતિ પામ્યું. જે સરદાર સાહેબની
સમયસૂચકતાને આભારી છે.

કાશ્મીરનો પ્રશ્ન યુનો સમક્ષ
મૂકવાનાં નિર્ણયો સરદાર સાહેબે
વિરોધ કર્યો હતો. છતાં લોર્ડ બેટનની

સલાહથી શ્રી નહેરુએ આ પ્રશ્ન
યુનોમાં રજૂ કર્યો, જેનો આજ દિન
સુધી કોઈ ઉકેલ આવ્યો નથી. જ્યારે
જૂનાગઢ અને હૈદરાબાદનો પ્રશ્ન
સરદાર સાહેબની દીર્ઘદષ્ટિ અને
કુનેહથી સમયસર ઉકેલાયો – જે
સરદાર પટેલની સમયબધ્ધતા સૂચવે
છે.

રાજ્યનો વહીવટ ચલાવવામાં
સૌથી વધુ જવાબદારી ગૃહપ્રધાનનાં
શિરે હોય છે. જે રાજ્યમાં કાયદો
અને વ્યવસ્થા કથળે તે રાજ્ય નબી
શકતું નથી. બ્રિટિશરો એ દેશને
આઝાદ કરતી વખતે બે ભાગલા પાડી
દીધા. હિન્દુસ્તાન અને પાકિસ્તાનની
સરહદો નક્કી થયા પછી પ્રજાની
હિજરત વખતે પંજાબ, બંગાળ અને
ઉત્તરભારતમાં જે ભયંકર ઉત્પાત થયો
તેમાંથી દેશને સલામતીની વ્યવસ્થા
માટે સરદાર સાહેબે પૂરતું લક્ષ આપ્યું
હતું અને તે પણ પોતાના જીવનમાં
જોખમે. સરદાર સાહેબે યાણક્યપણું
દાખવી એક કર્મયોગીની જેમ નિષ્ઠા
બતાવી છે. દેશના લોકો જ્યારે પણ
દેશ પર આપત્તિ આવે ત્યારે આજ્ય
સરદાર પટેલને યાદ કરે છે. બધી જ
હતાશા અને આકુળતા વચ્ચે પ્રજાની
આંખો સરદારની ખુમારીને ખોળતી
રહે છે. હજાર વર્ષે દેશને બીજા
સરદાર મળશે કે કેમ, તે એક સવાલ
છે. એમનો શબ્દ એ જ એમનું કર્મ-
સરદારનું સાચું સ્મારક એટલે અખંડ
ભારત. સલામ છે એમની કાર્યનિષ્ઠા
અને સમય સૂચકતાને !

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કુદરતના સાનિધ્યમાં વિતાવેલ પળ,
એ જ સૌથી મોટી સંપત્તિ અને એ જ સૌથી મોટું બળ

છેડ્યો છે આજે કોઈ રાગ મલ્હાર
ને આકાશી વાદળીએ ખૂલ્લા કર્યા દ્વાર,
ખેતરે ખેડુંએ હાથે લીધા હળ;
એ જ સૌથી મોટી સંપત્તિ અને એ જ સૌથી મોટું બળ,

તળાવમાં જોને કેવા ઉગ્યા છે કમળ;
ને પાસે ચમકી રહી સોનેરી વમળ,
સમુદ્રને જો તું વહે છે ખળખળ;
એ જ સૌથી મોટી સંપત્તિ અને એ જ સૌથી મોટું બળ,

વગડા માં જો ઉગ્યો છે કેસુડો;
ને કોયલનો ટહુકો લાગે કેવો રૂડો,
ભલે છળ તો છળ, આજ તું જો મૃગજળ;
એ જ સૌથી મોટી સંપત્તિ અને એ જ સૌથી મોટું બળ,

બદલાય મોસમ, પલટાય કુદરતના પાસાં;
ક્યારેક પાનખર તો ક્યારેક કુંપળની આશા,
લાવ ઘડીક હાસ્ય, ઘડી થા ઝળ - ઝળ,
એ જ સૌથી મોટી સંપત્તિ અને એ જ સૌથી મોટું બળ,

ખાબોચિયે પણ તરે આજ નાનકાની હોડી;
ઈન્દ્રદેવે સાંબેલાની ધાર એવી છોડી,
ભૂલીને દુનિયા, પોતાને તું આજ મળ,
એ જ સૌથી મોટી સંપત્તિ અને એ જ સૌથી મોટું બળ,

જળધોધ નદી કાંઠે મચાવે ઉત્પાત;
ક્ષિતિજનો સંગાથ કરવા રંગો આવ્યા સાત,
મેઘધનુષ્યનો એક રંગ બની તું આજ ભળ,
એ જ સૌથી મોટી સંપત્તિ અને એ જ સૌથી મોટું બળ,

કુદરતના સાનિધ્યમાં વિતાવેલ પળ,
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- જૈમિલ જોષી

(એલિસબ્રિજ દક્ષિણ ઝોન, યુથફેસ્ટીવલ વિજેતા,
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એસ.એમ.પટેલ ઈન્સ્ટી. ના ભૂતપૂર્વ વિદ્યાર્થી)

WHAT'S TRENDING...

With the new Vikram Samvat, GLS Voice has brought in a new feature with this month's issue. This is a feature that tells you what the current trends on the internet are. The topics of interest and their websites are given here, together with a few lines. If you find the topics interesting, we urge you to visit the website and learn more about it!

Emma Watson's "HeforShe" Speech as UN Women Goodwill Ambassador



By UN Women
unwomen.org
Featured in: Leadership & Management
Actor and UN Women Goodwill Ambassador Emma Watson gave a game-changing speech at the UN about feminism and the need for gender equality. Her speech kicked off the HeforShe campaign, which encourages...

9 Annoying Things Every Designer Does – Infographic



By Spiralytics
www.spiralytics.com
Featured in: Design
Spiralytics' resident

designer lists down 9 common designer habits that non-designers find annoying. Does any of these sound familiar?

Top 100 Tools for Learning 2014



by Jane Hart, Independent Advisor, Writer, International Speaker on new trends, technologies and tools for Workplace Learning at Centre for Learning and Performance Technologies
www.c4lpt.co.uk/top100tools
Featured in: Education
The Top 100 Tools for Learning was compiled by Jane Hart from the votes of 1,038 learning professionals from 61 countries worldwide - in both education and workplace learning...

21 Happiness Quotes To Make You Feel Good



by Barrie Davenport, Blogger and Certified Life Coach at Live Bold and Bloom
21 feel good happiness quotes @coachbarrie live bold and bloom
Featured in: Lifestyle
Here are my favorite 21 Happiness Quotes. These are guaranteed to make you feel good.

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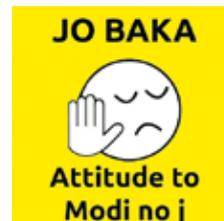
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Case Study IT Business Dot Com Alibaba. Com
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JO BAKA

In the last few days, WhatsApp and Facebook are over loaded with the funny character 'Jo Baka.' A phrase that translates roughly to 'Look, my little friend,' the omnipresentBako, the everyman of Gujarat, comments on various situations with a candid sense of humour.

Very few know that Jo Baka, along with Bakudi and Bhurois the brain child of a team of software engineers and entrepreneurs from Ahmedabad, Rajkot and Mumbai. They are VivekSancheti, KaushalGajjar, Harsh Kansagra, Hemratna Bhimani and MitThakerThey created these for fun but today the website and application for creating the 'Jo Baka' meme has crossed 3.5 lakh other unique memes created by users.

VivekSancheti, a team member, said 'Baka' is a very typical Gujarati word, sometimes not properly understood by non-gujaratis. "The first meme was of course 'Jo Baka, Takleef to Rehvani'



which got popular primarily on WhatsApp and Facebook. While explaining it to friends late one night, we created our own meme retaining the sagely wise guy with his palm towards the viewer and with black text on a yellow background. It was simple and very effective," he said.

The group of friends circulated it among their friends and in 24 hours received more than 5,000 likes. Such a rousing response set the ball rolling and

the team quickly created a website allowing users to create their own 'Jo Baka' punch lines. Within four days in early September, Bako was everywhere on the net. The Baka phenomenon has also reached US.

The positives are that the Ahmedabad City Traffic Police are using it to spread the message. It has also resulted in a mobile game and will soon be visible on merchandise like T-shirts.

RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

By Dr. Sarla Achuthan

Opportunities for Students:

- Scholarships for International Students**
at Falmouth University in UK, 2015-2016
How to Apply: Applications should be submitted by post or email.
Scholarship Application Deadline: The application deadline is 29th May 2015.
Read more: <http://scholarship-positions.com/scholarships-for-international-students-falmouth-university-uk-2015-2016/2014/10/11/#ixzz3G0b3wxwc>
- Oxford-Indira Gandhi Graduate Scholarships for Indian Students in UK, 2015-16**
Scholarship Application Deadline: The application deadline is 9th January 2015.
Read more: Oxford-Indira Gandhi Graduate Scholarships in UK, 2015 Scholarship Positions 2014 2015
- CWIT Scholarships for Indians in UK, 2015/16**
Scholarship Application Deadline: The last date to apply is 15th November 2014.
Read more: CWIT Scholarships for Indians in UK, 2015/16 Scholarship Positions 2014 2015
- Hon. Gujarat CM Scholarships Scheme**
For degree education who have passed 12th Std. from the schools of Gujarat State.
Read More: <http://scholarships.gujarat.gov.in/cmsscholarships>
Last date for registration is 15/11/2014.
- Swami Vivekananda Scholarships for Single Girl Child for Research (Ph.D.) in Social Science**
UGC has invited online applications for the above scholarship. Last date: 30th November 2014. For details visit www.ugc.ac.in
- Chevening Awards**
Chevening has invited applications for its one-year scholarships for postgraduate studies in the UK. For details visit: www.chevening.org/india.

Opportunities for Students / Teachers:

- Asia Foundation Development Fellows Program in Asia and USA, 2015**
Read more: Asia Foundation Development Fellowships, 2015 Scholarship Positions 2014 2015
Online Application: The mode of applying is online.
Scholarship Application Deadline: The application deadline, including two letters of recommendation, is November 12, 2014.
- OCSI Scholarships**
The Oxford and Cambridge Society of India Scholarships are part-cost awards for undergraduate, second undergraduate, graduate study and research in any subject available at the Universities of Cambridge and Oxford, UK.
The process for the 2015-16 academic year will commence in January 2015, when the application forms and guidelines will be available on this website.
Read more: www.oxbridgeindia.com
- Asian Youth Leaders Travel and Learning Camp (AYLTLC) 2015.**
AYLTLC is an annual gathering for student leaders from Top Universities around the world. The said camp provides our participants an exceptional opportunity:
 - To Network with student leaders from Top Universities
 - To Learn about the Key Success which shaped one of Asia's most progressive nations, Singapore - a multiracial, multilingual & multicultural society - from various perspectives
 - To Develop themselves to be effective future leaders
 Read more : www.ayltlc.com
- ICAI Accounting Research Foundation (ICAI ARF) has invited applications for Research Scholars under Flexi-Working Arrangement. For details visit www.icaiarf.org.**

(The writer is Director, GLS Centre for Research and Development.)

ACHIEVEMENTS & EVENTS

SARDAR PATEL JAYANTI CELEBRATIONS AT HACC



On the occasion of Sardar Patel's birth anniversary on 31st October, HACC organized a programme to commemorate the life of the iron man of India. The programme included a book exhibition of

the books on Sardar, a talk on the life and character of Sardar Patel by Shri Jagdish Chaudhari, Principal of SV Arts College, and a film show of the movie Sardar. Prin. Vakil said that this programme was organized at the behest

of the central government in order to create an awareness and an awakening amongst the students about the greatness of this son of the soil. The programme was graced by Dr. Bhalchandra Joshi, Registrar, GLS. The

students and the staff participated in this programme even though it was a holiday, which was appreciated by Dr. Joshi because Sardar Patel, the great freedom fighter and the unifying force of independent

India, is also a founding father of GLS. The programme ended with an oath-taking ceremony wherein all those present pledged to contribute towards building the integrity and strength of the nation.

SMPIC

COMPREHENSIVE BANKING PROGRAM



With a view to impart knowledge beyond the four walls of the classroom and to move out of the prescribed academic syllabus, SMPIC has started a Certificate Course in Banking. Prin. Dr. Ashwin Purohit envisions main objective of this course is to make the student ready for the job market

in banking sector as soon as he completes his graduation. This course is designed in such a manner so as to balance between theoretical and practical aspects of modern banking. With lot of avenues opening up the first batch of 60 students will be ready to face the challenges of banking arena.

PROTSAHAN 2014



SMPIC students participated in "Protsahan 2014", National Level Management and Cultural Festival organised by V.M. Patel Institute of Management and Centre for Management Studies (Ganpat University) on 26th and 27th September 2014. Kunal Shah from Sem-3 won the third prize in Business Quiz

Competition, in which around 150 students from B-Schools participated. Vivek Pabla from Sem 3 and Priya Pandey from Sem 5 won Special Appreciation prizes for their Commendable performances in various events. Another team from Sem 1 also reached to the Finals in "Prarambh-the Product Launch Competition".

SMPIC PHOTOGRAPHY ACHIEVEMENT

Kensville Golf & Country Club had organized a photography competition at Kensville Golf Club, Dev Dholera near Ahmedabad. It was an open event and Viveksingh Pabla of SMPIC was shortlisted among the top 50 photographers from all over Gujarat, who were selected on the basis of their work, experience, skills, equipment etc. Later on from around 13000 photos which were clicked on the spot, Viveksingh's photo won the competition in the category of



Architecture Photography. He was awarded with prizes worth Rs. 10,000 and a certificate of appreciation.

Sports:
Viveksingh Pabla participated in Khel Mahakumbh 2014 and secured 3rd prize in Javelin Throw event in West Zone.

I M Nanavati Law College



Mr. Kalpesh Baraiya won the gold medal and secured the first position in the senior level at the second state-level open Karate championship held at Kalol on 31st August 2014.

EMPOWERMENT WEEK AT SMPIC

S. M. Patel Institute of Commerce organized three day lecture series called 'EMPOWER WEEK' from 26th to 28th August, 2014 at GLS Auditorium. Experts like Mr. Jagdip Bhatt, Mr. Vivek Nehlani and Ms. Rini Bahal Purohit were invited to deliver sessions on 'Corporate Communication Skills', 'Stress Management and Goal Setting' and 'Presentation skills'.



Mr. Jagdip Bhatt laid emphasis on Communication skills to be successful in the corporate world. In today's scenario we see that youngsters have Hurry sickness, hypertension and stress related problems. To address these issues, Mr. VIVEK NIHALANI gave some practical points for DESTRESSING. He emphasized that how

INTELLIGENCE and good health can make students life calmer and smoother. To give direction and bring focus to the lives of students and channelize their skills, the second part of the session made GOAL SETTING a more achievable thing. Ms. Rini Bahal Purohit focused on the importance of presentation skills and discussed how to deal with podium panic, how to maintain eye contact with the audience, importance of Body Language and visual aids. Overall, students received important tips to be successful in their professional life.

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENT



Alumnus and Part-time lecturer of Sir L. A. Shah Law College, Shri Vipul M. Pancholi, has been elevated as a Judge at the High Court of Gujarat. After having pursued LL.B. and LL.M. from Sir L. A. Shah Law College, Shri Vipul Pancholi rendered his valuable contribution as a Part-time Lecturer for more than 21 years at the college. The GLS family and L A Shah Law College are proud of him.

NAADSETU SANGEET AND NATYASAMAROH



NAADSETU is an annual event of enchanting and beautiful classical performing arts programme organized by Gujarat Law Society.

The intention of organizing such a programme is to create a platform for talented students who have developed their expertise in classical music, classical dance or any performing art form. The function this time covered 17

performances and 30 students participated from different institutions of Gujarat law society. The programme included Ganpati Stotra, Bhakti Geet, Sugam Sangeet, Classical

Sangeet, Classical dances and two group performances of Tabla. The chief guests at the function were Shri Aniketbhai Khandekar, Shri Salilbhai Mehta and Ms Mrudulaben Parikh. The driving force

behind this program were Shri Sudhirbhai Nanavati, executive vice-president, GLS, Dr. Bhalachandra Joshi, Registrar, GLS, and Prin. V.B. Patel. Dr. Jyoti Thakkar was the incharge of this event.

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