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The academic year 2016-17 was full of exciting and joyous moments for the boys of Durgadas House. It all commenced when the new Mayoites arrived! When we met for the first time, we felt that they already looked enthusiastic and eager to learn something from our school! The journey of a thousand miles always begins with a single step.

They were determined to face the challenges of this great institution. The commitment of the staff and the boys towards excellence has been a major contributing factor to the success that we have achieved. The important thing in life is not the victory but the contest. The essential thing is not to have won but to have fought well.

Our Inter House Competitions started in April with the Inter House Yoga. Aryavardhan, Gaurav, Keshav and Kalash performed very well. The House stood third.

Next was the Inter House Swimming. It saw the boys putting in the best but we secured the third position.

In the Inter House Music DD House boys had show cased their talent. Neel Upadhyaya was declared the Champion in the instrumental Category for Tabla. The House stood third.

Next was the Football Inter House. We had excellent players like Gaurav, Anirudh, Neel and Shalak. We won this Inter House and Gauray was declared the Best Goalkeeper.

We had excellent runners in cross country like Manvendra, Ishaan and Kalash. The House secured the second position.

Inter House Athletics was full of excitement we had exceptional athlete Gaurav. Gaurav broke a very old record in high jump and became the Individual Champion.

Inter House P.T. saw the boys putting in the best but we secured the third position. Aaditvir was the Group Commander

In Inter House Hockey we had outstanding players like Gaurav, Manvendra, Arjun and Adhiraj and the House secured the first Position.

After that we had the Inter House Gymnastics. We had excellent gymnasts like Gaurav, Keshav and Kalash who displayed agility and flexibility. House secured the Second Position.

Next we had the Inter House Golf. Rudransh got the second Position in the Individual category.

In the Individual Boxing students did extremely well. Aaditvir and Kirtivardhan were declared champion in their respective category.

Arjun, Shashwat, Bhuminjay, Jaikrat, Sanskar and Ayaan brought glory to the



Mr Pradeep Upadhyay



Shashwat Bose



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Mrs Rakhee Garg
Mr Akshat Srivastava
Matron
Mrs Ramneck

House Captain

Shashwat Bose

House in the Delhi Horse Show and IPSC.

In Inter House Cricket, we saw excellent batting by Gaurav, Aditya and Neel. Our bowlers like Gaurav, Aditya, Parth and Neel did wonders and we won the Inter House. Aditya participated in IPSC Cricket held at Scindia School Gwalior.

Then came in the Inter House Air Rifle Shooting. We had excellent shooters like Gaurav and Harihar. Gaurav was declared the Individual Champion. The House got the Second Position.

In the Inter House Tennis, boys exhibited their talent and the House stood Second. The emerging player of DD House was Yohance Badyal.

Next was the Inter House Table Tennis. We had excellent players like Neel, Aditya and Ishaan. The House stood Second.

We would like to put on record, the spectacular performance by Gaurav, Manvendra, Arjun and Adhiraj who participated in IPSC Hockey Championship and the Triangular series and helped us to win both the tournaments.

DD House had many stars in academics who are considered to be the core of any academic institution.

Aniruddha Agarwal with his radiant 97% was the brightest gem of the house, closely followed by Keshav with 94%. Kalash, Ishaan and Keshav got 93%, Shashwat and Aditya Ohri got 92% and Parth and Suveer got 91%. Many students secured 90% marks.

Those who proved to be worthy ambassadors of the school were Keshav Beswal, Kalash, Parth and Yuvraj Jindal who visited the United Kingdom along with Siddhant Rathi and Siddhant Chandra Upadhyay who visited Germany as a part of the Student Exchange Program.

The year came to an end but left us with moments of togetherness and camaraderie that we all shall cherish for a lifetime. The House ingrained in us, above all other things, the essential human values which shall last forever. And along with them shall last the lingering sense of belongingness to a House that nurtured us with love and care at this tender age. DD House, you will never be forgotten.





