

Celebration of 50 years of accomplishments with a glorious Annual Day 2024-25

Amidst grandeur, joy, and enthusiasm, Army Public School Akhnoor, a highly revered educational institution in Akhnoor, marked its 50th anniversary with a magnificent annual day celebration that captivated all in attendance. The event revolved around the theme "Swarnim Parkaashtha," infusing vibrancy and energy into the remarkable and resounding festivities. Held on 20th December 2024, the occasion highlighted the school's illustrious legacy and dedication to shaping young minds.

The day was graced by Maj Gen Sameer Shrivastava, VSM, General Officer Commanding, 10 Infantry Division, as the chief guest, alongside other distinguished guests, alumni, and proud parents. The program began with a warm reception for the guests, followed by the ceremonial lamp lighting by the chief guest, accompanied by the Chairman, Principal, Vice Principal, and other prominent dignitaries. Principal Mrs. Geeta Devi welcomed the attendees and presented the school's accomplishments in the Annual Report of the previous session.

The cultural program, centered on the theme "Swarnim Parkaashtha," featured captivating performances such as the "Divine Rhythms Vandana" welcome dance, which evoked a devotional atmosphere, the mesmerizing "Luminous Moves" kids' dance, and a fusion piece titled "Panchkosha Vibes," celebrating nature's beauty and significance. The energetic "Rajasthani Dance" brought vibrant hues and lively moves to the stage, while the orchestra, "Fantasia," showcased students harmonizing musical instruments with the melodious vocals of budding talents. Hindi and English skits highlighted the importance of good deeds, decision-making, and societal transformation, further enriching the thematic narrative. The colorful props, costumes, and synchronized dance movements to lively music added charm to the festive event.

The highlight of the evening was the "Finale Finesse: Sunahre Pal," a breathtaking visual treat that chronicled the school's remarkable 50-year journey, earning continuous applause from the audience. The thematic performances reflected creativity, talent, and meticulous planning, making the evening memorable.

A much-anticipated moment was the unveiling of the school's "Coffee Table Book," commemorating 50 years of excellence. The book, a comprehensive collection of the school's legacy, milestones, and achievements, was unveiled by the chief guest amidst an excited gathering of students, parents, alumni, and staff. It chronicled the institution's evolution from Chenab Public School to its current stature as

Army Public School Akhnoor, highlighting key moments and contributions from educators and students over five decades.

The celebrations also included a prize distribution ceremony, recognizing students for their achievements in academics and various activities during the session. Shivaji House claimed the Best House Trophy in the senior category, while Zorawar House secured it in the junior category.

In his address, the chief guest praised the students for their accomplishments, emphasizing the importance of envisioning the next 50 years of progress. He remarked, "It has been a long journey of 50 years, but it is equally essential to lay the foundation for the next 50 years. We aim to elevate this school from being a prominent name in India to gaining global recognition."

The grand event concluded with a vote of thanks by Vice Principal Dr. Rakesh Chander. The day left an indelible mark on everyone present, showcasing an extraordinary blend of talent, enthusiasm, and celebration.







