Celebration of ISLM at BVB Vidyashram Pratapnagar

Malala Once Said, “One Child, One book, and One pen can change the world” and not just her everyone believes that Childhood being the crucial stage in development an individual’s personality, calls for new ideas, and the right guidance can affect them or perhaps the entire mankind greatly. One such place where they shape their future is library. A school library is a library within the school premises for use by the students and the teachers. Students can gain knowledge by reading school library books. Every educational institution has a library of its own. The Library of Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan Vidyashram Pratapnagar pays special attention in encouraging the habit of reading among children, helping develop their talents and understanding of the world around them, as well as sparking their imaginations. Carrying and encouraging the same feeling in students hearts Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan Vidyashram Pratapnagar commenced with 3rd Edition of International School Library Month with Book Mark Exchange Project.

Under the banner of ISLM, Inter-section Book Mark designing contest for classes VI-VIII was held on 10th October, 2017 where nearly 80 students took part in marking the pages with colorful exhibits of theirs. Topics for class 6 was (My “favorite character”), for 7 (“My favorite book”) and for 8 it was (“My Library-Green library). Not only this, nearly 40 of these bookmarks were sent to Sandringham College, an Australian School that was a part of collaboration.

Next in line of celebration was a three day book fair organized by Presha Books that is held annually in school premises. It saw an overwhelming response from students and parents who had come to attend the PTM. Students browsed a wide range of books from all disciplines of education on display; however, fiction saw the greatest takers. Books ranging from various subjects and catering to the taste of every age group were displayed. The aim was to encourage and inculcate the love of reading among the students.

Tell a Tale activity (Story telling competition) was also held where students of classes’ I-II narrated their favorite stories and amused the audience. The confidence, the sprit exhibited by these tiny-tots was appreciable.

Book Jacket Designing which was conducted for classes IV-V gave wings to kid’s imagination and they drew attractive book jackets. Nearly 50 students participated and the best of Book Jackets were chosen for felicitation.

One may be thereupon interested in knowing the perspective of such avid readers and so, Inter house book discussion was organized for classes 9-10, where the 4 groups discussed on their favorite books.

Blind date with a book was conducted for classes 8-9 where as the name suggests, the students were made to read a book surprisingly. The epoch of celebration turned out to be the book launch of “A runway world of Worlds” by the budding author “Tanisha Bhargava” the short stories and poems were highly appraised by the readers. The book is a publication of authors paradise was also available for sale on Amazon and this event managed to set high people’s expectation.