# ANNUAL REPORT

# NEPAL DON BOSCO SECONDARY SCHOOL 2079 (2022)

Honourable Mayor, Mr. Hari Govinda, Fr. Stephen, Fr.Paulson our Administrator, Sr.Bella the Primary Coordinator, Mr.Raju Silwal the Secondary Section Cordinator, Teachers, Staff, Principals, distinguished guests and well wishers and parents, wishing you all a pleasant and enjoyable parents' day program, I, Fr. Binu Jacob, as principal of this educational institute would like to present to you the annual report of Nepal Don Bosco Secondary School.

# This Academic Session started on 3 Jeshtha 2079.

The academic Year is a very special one for NDBS for two reasons: the first one being our own Pioneering Management Committee Member Respected Harigovinda Shreshtha jyu elected as the Mayor of Mahalaxmi Municipality. The second one indeed is the good news that our Fr.Stephen successfully enrolled as a Scholar for Phd in Assam Don Bosco University for the Research on 'Effect of Mass Media in the lives of the youngsters of 3 districts of Kathmandu'.

Now I would like to invite you to make a journey through the main activities of this Academic Session.

# **Joint venture with Salesian Sisters**

A new Era has began for Nepal Don Bosco School, as we have the active collaboration of Sisters from Auxilium Convent, Thecho (FMA), to co-ordinate all the teaching learning process of the Primary section and to take care of the infirmary of the school.

#### **Admissions**

Every year NDBS has vacancy for 120 students at class I and 40 students at class III. This year out of 450 candidates appeared for the entrance test for class I we selected 120 students and out of 150 students came for the entrance test of class III we selected 40 students following the criteria of entrance test and interview.

# **Meetings**

In the Reporting year we had 4 Staff Meetings, 10 Class wise Parents' Meetings and 3 PTA meetings, 3 School Management Committee Meetings.

# **Animations and Trainings**

10 class wise animations were held for parents this year. Thrice animation and Teachers' training programmes were held and teachers were also sent to participate in training programmes held in other institutions such as KUHS, St. Mary's and Rosebud School.

#### School co-curricular Activities

NDBS has the good record of extracurricular activities. In order to reinforce our commitment to extracurricular activities attention was paid to organize and monitor all extracurricular activities. 4 hours per week was allotted for the same under the supervision of special trainers for Tai Kwando, Karatte, Football, Basketball, Table Tennis, Badminton, Cultural and Western Dance, Art and Craft, Gym, Scout and Public Speaking. The objective of these activities is to develop self confidence in every Bosconians. In addition this has enabled our school to perform well in the Interschool Competition organized by various schools in Kathmandu Valley. NDBS was the Winners of Joint School Football Tournament Junior Boys and Senior Boys and Runners up for Basketball, Badminton and Table Tennis. We also became the Runner Up for Fr. Schock Memorial Cup at St.Xviers, Jwalakhel.

#### **Field Visit**

Class I and II students were taken to Botanical garden at the beginning of the session. Class XI and XII science students visited the labs of Kathmandu University as part of their practicals. Like wise Bio Studetns went to the Botanical and Fish Farm of Godavari.

# **Educational Tour**

This year class X (SEE Batch 2079) explored the Himalayan Regions of Mustang. They visited Muktinath temple and spent a day in Pokhara too.

#### **International Events**

5 of our members of Student Quality Circle participated in the International Student Quality Conference held at St.Xavier Godavari. A case study entitled Procrastination was presented by our school team and they secured second in the presentation. In addition Scouts of NDBS participated in the Boscoree organized at Assam Don Bosco University Campus from Poush 14<sup>th</sup> to Poush 19<sup>th</sup>, 2079

# **Major Visitors of our School**

NDBS was blessed with the visit of honourable Mission Councillor from Rome Rev.Fr. Alfred Maravila on 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> of November,2022. NDBS welcomed him and he was felicitated by NDBS Family.

NDBS felicitated the newly elected Mayor of Mahalaxmi Municipality on the Environment and he inaugurated the school policy of planting a plant on the major occasion of the school.

# **School Celebrations**

The school made the following events important as well as celebrative in the past months: The Investiture of Leaders, Environment Day, Children's Day and Teachers' Day, Kite Festival, Christmas celebrations became coveted events this year. On the Environment Day, NDBS committed to the policy of planting a sapling to mark the important event of the school.

# **Infrastructural Developments**

This year all classrooms of NDBS were upgraded into Smart classroom from the beginning of the academic session with the 64 inch interactive smart board. In addition facelift was given to the primary block veranda and class rooms.

#### SEE Result - 2078

2078 SEE batch consisted of 118 students and all of them passed with good grades. Congratulations to 2078 batch! Likewise class XII students made up of 97 students passed with good result and most of them have either cleared IELTS exams and moved abroad or joined higher education in Nepal.

#### **Conclusion**

As I conclude, may I share with you two stories of our past pupils (2069 Batch) that made me feel good. Pujan Dahal a soft engineer now in USA and Ujjwol Ghimire a practicing doctor at B& B hospital came to visit our school couple of months ago. While addressing students they shared the joy that they cherish even now being part of Don Bosco Family. They said that as Don Bosco institutions are round the world they get connected easily with the wide net work Don Bosco has as it is present in 134 countries.

For this Parents' Day, I owe everything to my Vice-Principal Fr. Stephen, Sr.Bella and Mr. Raju Silwal our school coordinators without whose dedication and hard work, nothing was possible. What you witnessed on the stage is not a bought off talents of someone from outside, but total dedication of our teachers, going through all odds and

difficulties, spending hours and hours of commitment. My dear teachers and support staff, I am proud of you. (Clap) Cudos to all our students and participants! We Did It All!

Thanks and God Bless You!