

FROM THE DESK OF THE DIRECTOR



We are nearing the end of CBS's first, offline and eventful academic year.

From 27th March 2023 onwards, we are introducing changes in our leadership structure, as part of our strategic initiatives.

The CBS team will have a new experienced Principal as the leader of everyday activities at school, and I will continue as the director. We will lead as a close-knit team. The principal's main task is to ensure the quality of the academic deliveries according to the board standards (ICSE and MYP) and extend the partnership with our parent community.

As the Director, I will focus on the strategic direction of our leadership vision, holistic approach to child development and focused learner-centric pedagogy.

We have received a lot of positive feedback via email about the sports day. Thank you! I was pleased too. The day was an essential milestone for the school. Physical education is crucial for the holistic development of every human being (balance between mind and body). Therefore, physical education is part of everyday essentials for all our learners. But motivating the learners to sports on a higher level is also crucial. Sports strengthen the leadership qualities in a child. Therefore, we will initiate after-school clubs in the coming academic year.

We have exciting plans for the new academic year. We will introduce after-school clubs: sports, arts and music, Model United Nations, media and communication, to mention a few.

In the next academic year, we will strengthen our parent involvement by:

- Introducing a Parents' Club for discussion about parenting and education
- Conducting Open House days, where parents can visit the school and observe what is going on
- Communicating daily school experiences (academics and non-academics) with the parents through the learner handbook
- Engaging parents in school activities like technology, projects, and study trips

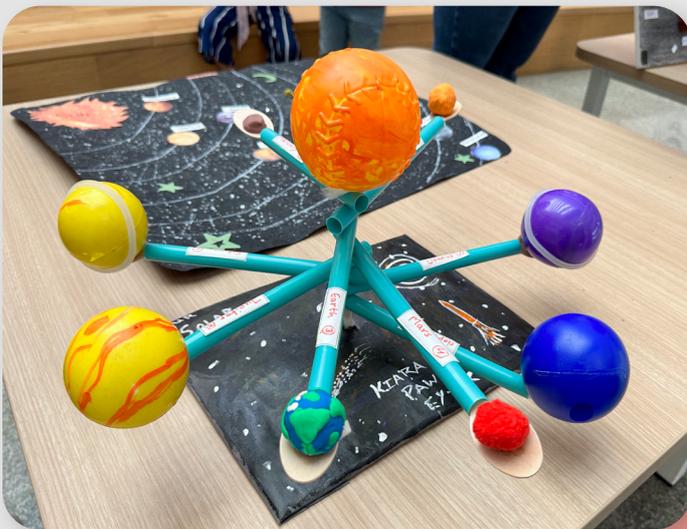
We want to further reinforce our Mentoring program for middle school learners with a focused plan and structure. The Leadership Academy will be a scheduled activity for all middle school learners. We want to be on the cutting edge of digitisation. We are, therefore, launching an AI Lab as an offshoot of the Innovation Lab. I hope you all will be with CBS in these exciting developments.

Together we can create a school that caters to the needs of modern India and give all our learners a solid foundation for life.

**Warm Regards,
Allan Kjaer Andersen
Director
Chaman Bhartiya School**

EY SOLAR SYSTEM EXHIBITION

We recently organised a Solar System Exhibition for our EY learners, where they had the opportunity to construct innovative models and craftworks depicting the solar system. Through this parent child activity, they created models and informative charts with vibrant colours, decorations and recycled papers. Through this engaging activity, they gained a deeper understanding of the workings of the solar system, planets and space. Our learners exhibited outstanding presentation skills and logical reasoning abilities during this event. This exhibition provided them with a platform to express their creativity while also helping them improve their communication skills and confidence.



SPORTS DAY

In February, Chaman Bhartiya School hosted its first Sports Day, CBS Games 2022-23, since its inception. Students, facilitators, and parents gathered for the event, which was graced by Mr Karthik TS, the chief guest.

Karthik TS is a highly accomplished sports coach with 35 years of experience. He has won numerous awards including the Ekalavya and Dasara Awards. He has represented India in several Asian championships and has an impressive track record of 30 gold medals, 22 silver medals, 22 bronze medals, and 5 individual championships.

The Sports day at Chaman Bhartiya School started with an introductory speech, introducing the Chief Guest, followed by the flag hoisting and the school anthem. Post this, there was a march past by students of Grades 3 to 8, followed by the walk past by learners of the Foundational Years, Early Year to Grade 2. This was followed by the oath-taking ceremony by the Vice President, Shaunak from grade 7.

The torch relay commenced, with students from each grade taking part as nominated runners. The torch was passed from one runner to another until it reached the final participant, who ignited the ceremonial flame. The balloons were released, marking the declaration of the sports meet open by our director, Allan Andersen, and Karthik TS.

The school choir then welcomed everyone with a song and Allan Andersen addressed the crowd. Learners from the Foundational Years participated in several fun races and games.

The sports day witnessed a range of track and field events where students from grades 3 to 8 showcased their athletic abilities in races such as the 50m, 70m, 150m, 300m, and relay races. In between these races, the students put on an impressive display of their talents with various drill displays.

The drill displays were the highlight of the day, with students from different grades exhibiting their skills in gymnastics, hula hoop, Zumba, and basketball. The performances included EY3's hula hoop display, EY1 and EY2's chicken dance, 1st and 2nd grade's hands-clap display, 3rd grade's pyramid display, 4th and 5th grade's impressive basketball display, and 6th, 7th, and 8th grade's energetic Zumba performance. The events were coordinated by the PE facilitator, Edwin Franklin. The event also saw a culmination display by all the students and the staff.

This spectacular sports day event was the result of several weeks of intense rehearsals, and practices by students and facilitators alike, to ensure a seamless performance on the sports day. A special mention to Ms Deborah, Mr Maxime, Aradhana from Grade 3, Siddharth and Vivikta from Grade 4, and Anashwara from Grade 5 for compèring the event.

The Sports meet came to a close with the Chief Guest declaring the results for the year 2022-23, followed by a vote of thanks by Ishaani from Grade 3. The closing ceremony was conducted by Edwin Franklin, the PE facilitator and a few students followed by the national anthem. Overall, it was a fun-filled and successful sports day, that brought the school community together.



FIELD TRIP TO PUTTENAHALLI LAKE (PBL)

Learners from grades 3, 4, and 5 went on a field trip to the Puttenahalli Lake at Yelahanka, as part of their water-themed Project-Based Learning (PBL). Through this activity they learned about lake and bird conservation. Our learners understood various factors that affect the lake's ecosystem, biodiversity and the importance of water conservation. Through this intriguing activity our learners were further interested to learn about lakes and they have decided to research on the history of the lake, the ecosystem and the wetlands.



MEET THE STAFF

Praveen Kanchan is part of the finance team at Chaman Bhartiya School. He has prior experience in the field of accounts and administration. With over 12 years of experience, he is an expert in budgeting, auditing and managing payments. He is a passionate finance professional who loves helping us with various administrative and finance functions at school. His hobbies include camping, gymming, playing cricket and listening to music.

