Genesis 2k16
Jointly organized by MSI, MSIT & MSIP
On 4-5th Feb 2016

Report

Genesis is the annual cultural and social fest of Maharaja Surajmal Group of Institutions. Genesis is the mega cultural fest which showcases the combined prowess of all the institutions under the Maharaja Surajmal banner. This year's edition, Genesis 2k16, took place on the 4th and 5th of February 2016. Genesis saw a milieu of interactive events showcasing a number of activities ranging from abstract events like face painting competition named *Mukhakriti* and tattoo designing competition named *Inkredible* to cultural events like Battle of Bands and *Alaap*- the Western and Hindustani Music Competition also to fun events like *Futsal, Devils Circuit* and *Beg, Borrow, Steal.*

Jatin Kotia(BCA 3rd year) and his team created the website www.genesis2k16.com which presented all the information regarding every Event rules, Schedule ,event heads details and posters of the events. This website also contained Collage of last year Cultural Fest Genesis 2k15 pictures in a beautiful way.

The two day fest started on the 4th with the inauguration and lightening of the lamp ceremony by the **Chief guest- Shri Kaptan Singh ji**, Vice President Surajmal Memorial Education Society and presentation of a bouquet to chief guest- Shri Kaptan Singh ji by Ms. Rhythm Choudhary, Convenor Genesis 2k16. The students from B.Ed department presented **Saraswati Vandana** to heighten the grace of the auspicious occasion. The inauguration ceremony came to a close with **Ganesh Vandana** presented by Megha Panjwani from BCA department.

Moving forth from the Inauguration ceremony brought us to the very first event of the day, the *'Solo Dance'* competition which showcased elegant and graceful performances leaving the audience mesmerized. **Mr. Govind Kumar**(Dance Teacher & Choreographer) from St. Thomas School, New Delhi was the judge for the Event. It was followed by the spectacular event, 'The Battle of Bands', the live performances left everyone captivated and awestruck.

The organizational prowess and combined efforts of students and teachers of the organizing committee resulted in the beautiful completion of day 1 with a total of 10 events held at various venues with total coordination and control. These events included one of the most extravagant events like the streetplay competition- *Sangharsh,* Monoacting competition- *Adaakari, Pirate Flex*- entertainment quiz and *Devils Circuit*. The newest edition to the colorful plethora of events and the most successful of events was the event *Devils Circuit* which had a total **participation of 72 teams.** Pirateflex as funky as the name is so was the event; aka entertainment quiz comprised of over 15 teams in the prelims out of which 6 qualified for finals. The competition was tough but healthy and neck to neck with three rounds.

As a venture the Adakari-Mono Acting event was successful. The participants were enthusiastic and participated in high sprit. The acts show cased were blooming with talent.

The second day started with *Alaap* - the solo singing competition which saw participants from all the institutions under the Surajmal banner. *Alaap* consisted of both Indian and western singing competition showcasing exquisite performances. **Guru Jaidev Ji** (Music Director and Composer) served as an EXPERT JUDGE for the event. It was followed by a special performance by Priyankit Jaiswal from BCA. The first mega event of the day *BEE-BOP*, the group dance competition saw a total number of 8 groups performing in front of the cheering crowd and a full packed auditorium. **Mr. Suraj Kumar Paul** (Dance teacher and Choreographer) from Dancetrax Academy, New Delhi was the judge for the event. One of the most opulent group performances was by the group **MUTANTS** who depicted, through dance and music, in a refined way the reformation required in today's society. **Shri S. P. Singh ji** (President, SMES), **Shri J. S. Dalal ji** (Treassurer, SMES), **Prof. B. S. Panwar**(Director General) and **Prof Rajesh Kumar Tyagi** (Director, MSI) an graced this event with their presence and complemented the students for breathtaking performances. This fabulous event was followed by a group performance by the hostelier students named **HAWABAAZ**. The final event of the fest was the biggest attraction, the mega event, *Mr. and Ms. Genesis2k16*. **Farhan Khan** (Fitness Model) and **Ruhman Ahmed (Model)** were the external judges. This event saw the rise to fame of some of the exceptionally talented students who received a platform to showcase their outstanding talent in front of the entire institution. Sarthak Joshi & Kritvi Paliwal of BBA department (MSI) was the winners of the Mr. & Ms. Genesis title. Other titles of the event were MR. & Ms. Swagger, Mr & Ms. Talent and Mr. & Ms. Charming. Winners awarded with Mementos and Cash Prizes. The second day of the fest saw a total of seven events including magnificent events like *Beg, Borrow, Steal, Futsal* and *Rangoli Making Competitions*, which in themselves are remarkably impressive. *Futsal* Event which is introduced this year received great response, with 18 teams registered from the three institutes. More than 100 students turned up to enjoy the football crazy event.

The two day mega fest culminated with the Prize Distribution and Closing Ceremony. **Shri Ajit Singh ji** (Secretary, Surajmal Memorial Education Society), **Shri J.S. Dalal ji** (Treasurer, SMES), **Shri Kaptan Singh ji** (Vice President, SMES), **Shri Prem Singh Shokeen ji**, (Joint Secretary, SMES), **Shri Y.P.S. Verma ji** (Member, SMES) and **Shri Jaipal Vidyalankar ji**, (Editor, Suraj Sujan) accompanied by **Prof. Rajesh Kumar Tyagi** (Direstor MSI), **Prof. Poonam Bansal** (Direstor MSIT), **Prof. Pratibha Nand** (Diretor MSIP) graced the Ceremony with their presence and showered their blessings on the students and winners. Winners of all 17 events awarded with attractive cash prizes and certificates. Chief Advisors and Chief Organizers from all the three Institutes are also awarded mementos and certificates for their excellent organizing skills and successful management of the fest. This ceremony came to a close with **Prof. Rajesh Kumar Tyagi** (Director, MSI) expressing a vote of thanks and gratitude towards Ms. Rhythm Choudhary and Ms. Deeba Naqvi and the entire Organizing Committee for the successful accomplishment of Genesis2k16.