# **SBDIS Bhadrak**

#### **ANNUAL FUNCTION – 2018-19**

DIRECTOR / PRINCIPAL SPEECH - (2nd Day)

Esteemed Chief Guest Sri Rajesh Kumar Pandit, IPS, Superintendent of Police, Bhadrak, Guest of Honour Dr. G. Thangadurai, Director/Principal Presidency Group of schools Bangalaore/Mangalore, Founder Mr. Anandananda Dixit, the man behind SBDIS, Chairman dear Debasis, M.D. Mr. Bidyadhar, our mentor Prof. Sailendra Kumar Mohapatra, Shradheya Asha, Shradheya Bandita, the entire Dixit family, members of the trust, Vice Principal of SBDIS, Bhadrak & Principal of SBDIS, Jajpur, esteemed Principals of other schools, dignitaries, press, parents, students, ladies and gentlemen.

It gives me immense satisfaction to welcome you all to the JDM Felicitation and Annual Day Celebration of our school. I take this opportunity to extend our hearty welcome to our revered Chief Guest, Sir, Our School is blessed to have you all in our midst today and your presence is a morale booster for each and every one of us.

I also extend a warm welcome to the guests, all esteemed principals, the members of managing committee, Trustee members, dignitaries and parents on this glittering evening, an evening that promises a lot of enthusiasm, vigour, radiance and fragrance.

Well, Ladies and gentlemen, I do not have to take you through the genesis of this school. The journey that we have made together has been spectacular so far. From a sheer number of 300 to 1400 on rolls, from a small building to massive infrastructural additions, coupled with innovation and better use of technology. 6 years of spectacular growth is by no means a small achievement.

We always believe in letting our actions speak for ourselves. Six years ago, this school was set up driven by a mission - a mission to fulfill the dream and aspiration of the people of Bhadrak, a mission to turn this school into a hub of academic excellence. I would like to leave it to you to judge whether we have managed to live up to your expectations. All I can say now is that a beginning has been made and we have miles to go and a lot more to accomplish.

Now, we are a senior secondary school with Science & Commerce. The kind of response we have got over the last two years has been amazing and we will do all we can do to turn this school into one of the best senior secondary schools in the state. All we need is your good will, trust and co-operation.

Dear parents, every child is a genius. The enormous possibilities living inside him/her must be unearthed and given a platform to excel. Since our young and charismatic chairman Mr. Debasis is committed to providing a conducive environment to our kids, I'm sure that your kids will be one among the best in the region. Our Managing Director Dear Bidyadhar, a young and enterprising leader who always comes up with innovative ideas for the betterment of our school, Mrs. Bandita, Mrs. Asha, our young and dynamic vice principal and a team of nearly 80 teachers who work with a lot of enthusiasm and energy day in and day lay out-together we make a great team a team which is constantly driven by the ideals and mission of the school.

Ladies and gentleman, I would like to make a special mention of a man who is behind the establishment of our school. He is none other than Mr. Anandananda Dixit, a man who has always been a source of inspiration & motivation to all of us. I would like to express my gratitude to the intellectuals and well wishers who have shown us light and direction in our journey. Ladies and gentlemen, we always believe that we must reform ourselves to perform to the best of our abilities to transform the lives of young minds. "SBDIS FIRST" has always been our motto and we seek your blessings to help the school reach greater heights of success. Now, I would like to request our V.P., Mr. Hotta to take you through the journey of activities and achievement our school has experienced in the current Academic year.

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## **Good evening Ladies and Gentlemen!**

Dear Parents, as our honourable Director has said, it will be no exaggeration to say that our school has always led from the front - be it scholastic or non-scholastic. We are well ahead of others when it comes to providing innovation in the class room and following student centric approaches. We stand apart as quality assurance and quality maintenance have been our bench marks. Ladies and gentleman, I would definitely not want to bore you by reading out a traditional report that talks about state of the art facilities of the school, Minds spark, Asset, Sportathon, Clash of Pie and many other. In fact, we are the one and only institute in the district to provide all these facilities. Instead, I shall take you through the moments that have made us feel proud, brought us glory and reputation, the experience we have found worthy sharing.

Dear Parents, the session 2017-18 gave us the moments to celebrate when our 3rd batch - X results were out. 16 students secured more than 90% and 80 out of them secured more than 95%. **Our topper Payal Behera with 98%** was the topper in the district. This would not have been possible without sweat, hard work and commitment shown by our students & teachers. I congratulate them all.

Dear Parents, I deem it my proud privilege to announce that our school is one among only three schools in the state of Odisha to have won "International School Award" by British Council. It is that coveted award which every school craves for. The other two schools in Odisha are Sai International School and Kiit International School.

I am proud to announce that our Principal is a CBSE appointed observer for the CBSE conducted examinations like NEET and AIEEE. Our V.P, that is me, is one of the selected resource persons of CBSE to have conducted training sessions and workshops for the teachers all over the state of Odisha.

Dear Parents, it will be grave injustice to the students of our school if I fail to share the glory and recognition they have brought at the state and national level. Remember, I am not boring you by reading the district level achievements.

## Our Shining stars shone this way:

- 1. Adyasha Priyali Participated in National level Science Exhibition held in New Delhi, representing state of Odisha.
- 2. B. Dibyanshi Dixit won the Din Dayal Upadhaya scholarship in Philateli by postal department.
- 3. K. Shruti Chetana won 1st prize in the State level Geeta Recitation Competition.
- 4. Gourav Sahoo became one among the top 10 at the national level in clash of Pie an online Maths test.
- 5. Prayash Mohapatra and Prayash Priyadarshi became national champions in Mind Spark.
- 6. Gitanjali Suar and Samikshya Nayak won 3rd prize in Extempore and Odia speech respectively in state level.

Some others to name are Aryan Hotta, Sudeep Das, Suryasnata Bhanja, Sameekshya Nayak, Preeti Prakash Nayak, Sneha Das, Geetanjali Suar, Subha Sandhya Nayak, Ayush Arman, Sai Jyoti Moharana, Amlan Biswal, Puja Archana Jena, Prachi Kalana Muduli, Sudhanshu Panigrahi, Ayesh Ipsita, Anwesha Mohapatra, Nishikanta Biswal and many more who made us proud.

## Now let me share the glory in sports:

1. Swoyanshu Mahunta, Ashutosh Sahoo and Karishma Desai won bronze medal in Table Tennis Championship at the state level.

- 2. Subhankar P. Khilar brought us glory by creating a Gunnies world record in the Roller skating Championship held in Karnataka.
- 3. Akasdeep Pandit won silver medal in International Taekwondo championship held in Bhutan.
- 4. Sura Subhrajyoti Jena won Bronze medal in the National Taekwondo Championship held in Kolkata.
- 5. Jigyanshu Dixit won silver medal in the National level Archery Championship held in Andhra Pradesh.

Some more names to make us proud in sports are Tanisha Dutta, Himanshu Das, Atal Bihari Barik, Sonam Joholy, Adash Aditya Pati, Deepankar Mandal, Natasha Dutta, Jeeban Mallick, Pratik Sahoo, and many more.

Last but not the least, I am convinced that we are really blessed to have got wonderful students, staff, teachers, parents and above all the management led by a charismatic Chairman and a Managing Director who work round the clock to take this school to greater heights of success. Finally, a big 'Thank you' to the entire Dixit family and Anandananda Sir who has gifted us a beautiful family called SBDIS. Wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year 2019. Thank you and enjoy this colourful evening.

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