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# REPORT OF THE ACTIVITIES OF OSHWAL EDUCATION & RELIEF BOARD











We enjoy teaching and nurturing because these are an instinctive art, cognizant of potential, craving of realizations, a pausing, seamless process.

well and safe. Here are some exciting updates and accomplishments within our school. Our students have shown remarkable dedication to environmental awareness. Through various initiatives such as recycling drives, tree-planting events, and eco-friendly projects, our learners are actively contributing to a greener future. Their enthusiasm and commitment to preserving our planet are truly inspiring. We encourage you to support their efforts at home by practicing sustainable habits together.

hope this letter finds you all

In addition, it is a complete delight to observe the growing bonds between our students and their fathers. Our recent "Father-Child and Grandparents Activity Days" were a resounding success, fostering connections through fun and engaging activities. This events highlighted the importance of spending quality time together and creating lasting memories. We look forward to organizing more such events to strengthen family ties and promote a supportive community environment.

I am pleased to announce that our much-anticipated Musical Extravaganza & Graduation Ceremony was a successful event! This event featured performances by our talented students showcasing their musical skills and creativity. As promised, it was an unforgettable moment filled with melodies and harmonies. Thanks

to all parents and guardians to join us in celebrating the hard work and dedication of our young musicians.

Your presence was greatly encouraging our students and contributed to the success of the event.

Thank you for your continued support and involvement in our school community.

Together, we can nurture our children's growth and development in all areas of their lives.

Mrs. Rooma Mali

Head of School Nursery Campus

# MUSICAL EXTRAVAGANZA

On Saturday, 6th of July 2024, Oshwal Academy Nairobi Nursery hosted a memorable musical extravaganza and graduation ceremony. The entire school, from Playgroup to Reception, along with the IED, showcased wonderful presentations that delighted everyone present. The highlight of the event was the graduation of our Reception learners, marking their transition to primary school. The celebration was graced by the honourable OERB Chairman Mr. Suhash Shah. Vice Chairman Mr. Mukesh Savla, and Office Bearers, Nursery Committee Chairman Mr. Hemal Shah and Committee members, Academic Consultant Mrs. Jyostna Chotai, and sister campus heads, staff and parents.































GRANDPARENTS NAY

Grandparents are like fairies or heroes. Their magical healing charm is hugs, and feel-better pills are cookies. Nothing heals hurts better than a grandparent's hug. Children feel comfortable and secure in their grandparents' love. When grandparents visited their grandchild's school, we were sure that our students had a wonderful day. As a prominent school, we wanted to recognize and love our grandparents, as well as celebrate their importance in our life. On Thursday, 11th July 2024, we celebrated and welcomed the grandparents. These kinds of occasions and events enhance grandparents' well-being and lifespan, thus there are benefits for both. The history, culture, beliefs, and customs of the family are passed down in part by grandparents. It was our pleasure to have the grandparents come to school with their grandkids. Read aloud to students, tell tales, and engage in a variety of other engaging activities that symbolized a great reunion.

#### Nursery



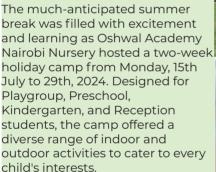


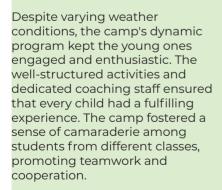












We are immensely proud of the success of the holiday camp and would like to extend our sincere gratitude to the teachers and staff for their exceptional efforts in creating a memorable experience for our young learners.





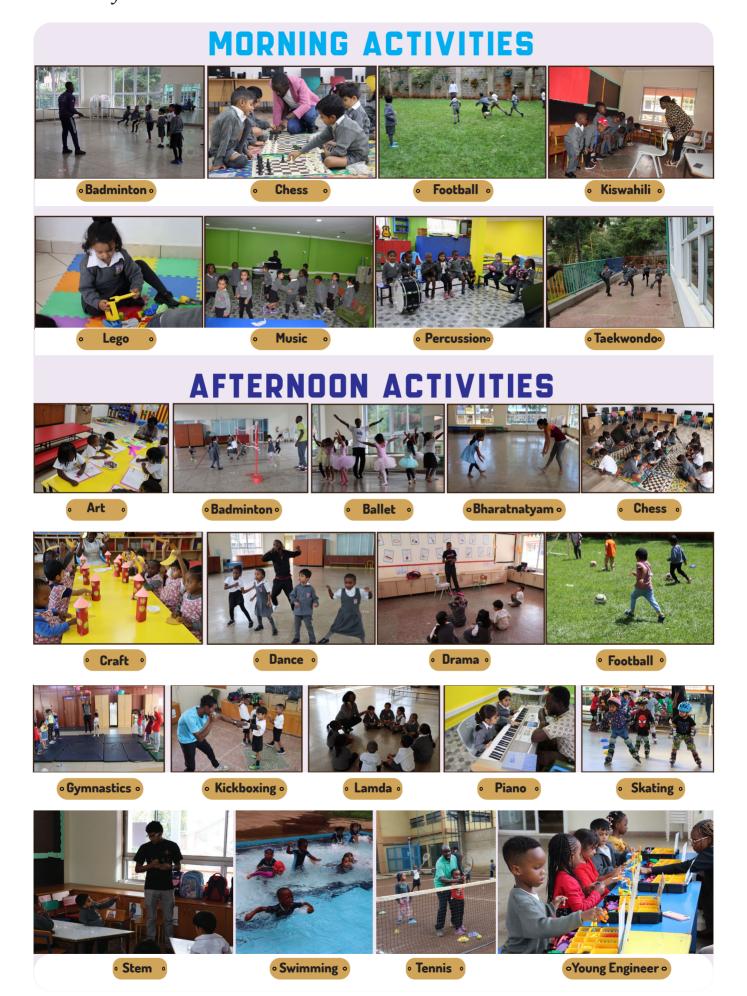














wonderful and productive year that embraced so many achievements to reflect on. As the year ends, I thank our able management the OE&RB and Primary

Campus Committe for supporting us at every point, our Academic Consultant Mrs Jyotsna Chotai for guidance always. We have at this point made an impact with our innumerable accomplishments as a growing school.

All this would not have been possible without the support of our main stakeholders, our Parents, whose unwavering trust has kept us going so far. Our teachers who have sacrificed every bit of their time to ensure that children have an amazingly comfortable time dealing with the demands of not only the curricular but also the

co-curricular activities. Kudos.... to our learners for their unwavering enthusiasm in all their actions that has made us stand for what we represent. Remember there is no 'us' without 'YOU'!...our dear learners.

A salute to all the stake holders at Primary for being a part of this wonderful and successful Academic year 2023-2024. We wish all our learners and teachers a peaceful and meaningful holiday as you recharge towards yet another impactful year. We wish parents and guardians restful and meaningful holidays as you spend quality time with learners. Ensure that you give it your best this holiday. Thank you all and Asante sana for another glorious year of learning. Cheers and we look forward to the new Academic year 2024-2025.

Ms. Anjana Vijayan Head of School Primary Campus

#### Term End Examination

Primary Campus Term End Examination begun on Friday 28th June 2024 and culminated successfully on Thursday 4th July 2024 despite the unforeseen political situations we experienced during the period. Our students demonstrated high levels of preparedness and they wrote their exams with a lot of confidence. We sincerely appreciate the parents for the immense support and guidance accorded to the students during the revision process and the exam period. The results of term end examination obtained by the students was a good evaluation that showed that the students had mastered the concepts and objectives taught throughout the academic year 2023-2024.















#### Reception Parents and New Admissions Transition Meeting

On Friday 5th July 2024, Primary Campus was privileged to host our incoming year 1 parents for the academic year 2024-2025. Our dedicated year one teachers, assistant teachers and the senior leadership team had the opportunity to interact with the year one parents who will form a very crucial year group at primary campus come next academic year. The class teachers and the assistant teachers kept the parents well informed through orientation of the expectations of year one students at primary campus. We sincerely appreciate the reception parents and new admission parents for finding time to attend the transition meeting and a warm welcome to primary campus come next academic year.



Year six shirt signing is one of the best practices at Oshwal Academy Nairobi Primary that has been there for many years. Year six students got the opportunity to have best wishes and good-bye messages written on their shirts by teachers, best friends, class mates and school mates. On Tuesday 9th July 2024 nice messages were penned on the year six students' shirts and signed. Most of the students could not hide their joy and excitements as they watched their shirts being signed. A very symbolic exercise to say a good bye to our dear year six students as they prepare to transit to Junior High School. Best of luck to all the year six students.



# YEAR SIX FAREWELL PARTY AND END OF YEAR CLASS PARTIES

Year six farewell party took place on Friday 12th July 2024. In a very special party, the year six students were hosted by the year 5 students to bid them farewell as they prepare to transit to Junior High School. During the highly charged party, both year 5 and year 6 students enjoyed themselves by dancing and listening to great music of their choice. The year six students shared their experiences for the time they have been at Oshwal Academy Nairobi Primary. Class teachers were not left behind, they spoke well of the year six students and wished them the very best in their next academic journey. It was such a beautiful party that culminated by sharing a meal and refreshments to mark the end of the journey of the year six students at primary campus. Congratulations to all the year 6 students for your achievements at the primary campus and we wish you all the best in your future endeavors.

On the same day, the rest of the year groups conducted their class parties. With colourful and well

decorated classes, it was a moment of sharing among the students and their class teachers to mark the end of the academic year 2023-2024. The students also shared their experiences in their classes throughout the year and wished each other all the best in their next class.



#### Academic Progression Day and **Report Card Collection**

On Saturday 13th July 2024, parents and classroom teachers had a great moment to discuss on the milestones that students have done in academics throughout term three. Areas of growth were pointed out, strengths discussed at length and the general welfare of the child in school and at home deliberated. Parents also got the opportunity to interact with Sports, ICT, MAD teachers as well as some school paid activities vendors and discussed the achievements of the child in various disciplines. We sincerely appreciate our parents for creating time from their busy schedules to attend to their child's school matters.



























#### Primary Campus 2023-2024 **Annual Holiday Camp**

It was two weeks of learning crucial skills in different well-coordinated activities by all the participants who registered to take part in the Annual Holiday Camp. The camp kicked off on a very high note on Monday 15th July 2024. Our primary campus students invited their friends from other schools that made it even more fun and enjoyable. New skills were acquired, new friends made and memories created as the students interacted during the Sporting, Music and Dance, Art and Craft, Home Science, Coding and Lego activities.

The Holiday Camp culminated on Friday 26th July 2024 with an auspicious closing ceremony. The students were very excited to display what they had been doing to their parents during the closing ceremony. All the participants were awarded certificates of participation during the holiday camp. We sincerely appreciate all our students and their friends from other schools, parents and teachers for making the Annual Holiday Camp 2023-2024 a resounding success.

#### **Sports Department**

Sports serve the society by providing vivid examples of excellence – George F. Will.

We made it possible! The Sports program continued to flourish in the 2023-2024 sporting calendar in our school. The coaching staff has been delighted with the attitude, character and intensity in the training sessions throughout the last 13 weeks, with an elite sporting culture developing amongst our young athletes. Building on the previous program, we have also continued to strengthen our pathways and seen more pupils benefit from the training sessions in Netball. Swimming. Basketball. Rugby, Cricket, Table tennis, Badminton and in Football.

We are proud of the athletes! They have done such a great job by staying optimistic during the exams. Our students give us hope as the Oshwal community by showing love, passion and a spirit of togetherness on and off the field. Change starts from the ground up and the growth of our children often shine light on that. The term was concluded on a high

note with the Inter-Class competitions taking place. The participants under the guidance of the Sports department participated enthusiastically and exhibited excellent sportsmanship and skills. All the classes ranging from the I.E.D students, year one to year six students geared up for the internally organized competition.

At the end of the matches, you could see the excellent sportsmanship as the different classes complimented each other on a game well-played. Regardless of whether they won or lost there was no bad blood seen between the classes or the students and words of encouragement were given to those who lost. The

Interclass competitions were concluded with the classes that attained podium positions being awarded with trophies for a job well done.

It's been a wonderful term of sport with lots of individual and team success along with many opportunities for everyone. We are eagerly looking ahead to the 2024/2025 sporting season. Thanks to everyone for your contribution. The staff, parents and students have all been amazing throughout. Our dynamic institution believes in keeping the Oshwal banner flying high always. Overall it was a fun filled and successful term. Viva Oshwal!













End term exams are a critical component of the academic evaluation process. They are typically designed to assess the comprehensive understanding and retention of the course material covered throughout the term. These exams play a pivotal role in determining a student's understanding and academic performance. The primary purpose of end term exams is to evaluate a student's cumulative knowledge and skills acquired over the duration of the term. This comprehensive assessment ensures that students have met the learning objectives set at the beginning of the term. Our student did two types of End term exams Written Exams: for the subjects like English, Math, PDP (Personal Development Program). Written exams test a range of cognitive skills from recall and comprehension to analysis and evaluation and Practical Exams: for the subjects like ICT, Vocational

Skills, Art, Landbase, ADL (Activities of Daily Living) Subjects that require hands-on skills. Practical exams assess the ability to apply theoretical knowledge in real-world scenarios. End Year Party - As the academic year draws to a close, it's time to celebrate hard work, achievements, and the memorable moments we've shared. The end of the academic party promises to be a memorable event filled with fun, laughter, and celebration. It's a time to unwind, enjoy each other's company, and reflect on the wonderful experiences we've shared over the









s the curtains fall for the academic year 2023/2024, I would like to thank you all for your solid support throughout the year. As Junior partners, you

have enabled us to make great progress and I am particularly happy about the positive comments from parents, caregivers and the community at large which reflect the growing confidence in our school.

Our year eleven students completed their five-year stay at Junior High and have now had a feel of the A levels at our Senior High Campus. Again, we received very pleasing comments from our Senior High Management about the outgoing year 11 class. The management has noted that the students are very calm and highly focused.

I am also pleased to inform you that we expect a very plausible performance from this group of the outgoing year 11 come August 13th when we receive the Cambridge 2024 IGCSE results. At Junior High, it is a joy to see students enjoying school every day. Our rich co-curricular activities tailor-made for our age group plays a significant role in making learning come alive. We believe in

a holistic education where every child's interest is provided for as we believe in diversity and realize that all children are not the same. This term, we had very engaging and enjoyable in-house school activities which strengthened our support of students' well-being and resilience. Students also worked very hard to ensure that academic success reached new heights.

Among the activities included; inter-school music recitals, music and dance show, modern foreign languages elocution contests and cultural fashion shows, World Environment Day and contest, and various sports tournaments and fixtures.

I want to thank all those parents who encouraged their children to participate in the various co-curricular activities and especially those whose children were in the various school teams. You truly sacrificed your time to drop and pick them up on most weekends after playing the fixtures and tournaments. Their weekend overnight trips to other faraway schools to play their matches were exciting and tiring at the same time. However, the new friends and memories they made together with the wins will never be compared to the exhaustion!

As we break for the summer holiday (winter in Kenya!), we wish you all a safe and enjoyable break. We also wish our year 11 a bright and successful future at A level and beyond. I hope they look back at their time in Junior High Campus with fondness and happy memories.

To the rest of our students, I wish to see them on Tuesday the 27th of August 2024 for years 8 to 11 and look forward with enthusiasm to welcoming year 7 to our Junior High Campus on Wednesday the 28th of August 2024.

Please don't forget to sample our end-of-year newsletter highlights which capture all the memories of

May I end by thanking all the administrative and support staff at Junior High and all the teachers for their relentless focus on making sure that your children have the very best education.

the term.

Mrs. Sujata Yanamandra

Head of School Junior High Campus

## Junior High

his term has been filled with challenges and triumphs, moments of learning and growth.
Our students have demonstrated resilience and perseverance, tackling every challenge with grace and determination. We are proud of the progress every single student has made, not only academically, but also in co-curricular activities.

Our students have shone brightly in various co-curricular activities; this term, our sports teams have brought home numerous victories, displaying sportsmanship and teamwork. A number of our students have made it to the National level of the Kenya Secondary School Sports Racquet Games, which commences next week. We are proud of them for having made it this far, and we look forward to them bringing home the win.

The annual Music and Dance Show captivated the audience with a harmonious blend of rhythm, movement, and emotion. The performers' energy and passion created an electric atmosphere, drawing everyone into the spectacle. Carefully curated music complemented the choreography, enhancing the narrative and emotional depth. A seamless flow between acts and vibrant stage design further elevated the experience, leaving the audience spellbound. The show's success was evident in the enthusiastic applause and lasting impact it left on the audience, making it a memorable celebration of artistry and performance.

The annual Modern Foreign Language Elocution showcased students' eloquence and command of different languages. Participants delivered speeches and recited poems with confidence and clarity, demonstrating their linguistic skills and cultural understanding. The event was characterised by a diverse range of topics, from poetry recitations to persuasive speeches, each delivered with passion and precision. Judges evaluated students based on their pronunciation, fluency, and expression, appreciating the effort

and dedication of the speakers. The competition not only highlights the importance of language learning, but also fosters a sense of global awareness and respect for diverse cultures. The event's success was marked by enthusiastic participation, a supportive atmosphere, and the inspiring performance of the contestants.

This term Junior High hosted a successful student-led cultural fashion show, organized by our very own Talent and Entertainment Prefects. The fashion show was a vibrant celebration of diversity and creativity and showcased a stunning array of traditional and contemporary attire from various cultures, with each outfit thoughtfully chosen and styled by the students. The students confidently walked the runway, embodying the essence of the cultures they represented. The show was enhanced by captivating music, dynamic lighting, and a well-coordinated presentation that highlighted the rich heritage behind each ensemble. The audience's enthusiastic applause and the participants' proud smiles reflected the show's success. It not only provided a platform for students to express their cultural pride but also fostered a deeper understanding and appreciation of global diversity among Junior High students.

During the World Environment Day celebrations, a group of students spearheaded a campaign to collect and recycle plastic waste, leading to a collaboration between Junior High and Mr. Green, a company that collects and recycle plastic waste into various reusable items. The students' dedication and teamwork led to the collection of a whopping 176kg of plastic waste during World Environment Week. This initiative mobilized students to actively participate in reducing plastic pollution by organizing clean-up drives throughout Junior High and Primary campuses, as well as 1st Parklands Avenue and Visa Oshwal School. The campaign's success is reflected in a cleaner environment and the heightened consciousness among peers and community members about the importance of

reducing plastic usage. It serves as an inspiring example of youth leadership in environmental conservation.

Additionally, during World Environment Day, a river cleanup and tree planting exercise brought together community members in a unified effort to protect and restore the environment. Student volunteers, equipped with gloves and bags, joined others in a diligent effort to collect trash along Thigiri river, removing plastic bottles, wrappers, and other debris. The cleanup not only beautified the area but also improved the local ecosystem's health. Afterwards, students and other volunteers planted native trees along the river and in different locations in Karura forest, contributing to reforestation and enhancing biodiversity. The event was a powerful demonstration of collective actions, fostering a sense of environmental stewardship and community pride. It concluded with a shared commitment to continue these efforts, ensuring a greener and cleaner future for all.

As we conclude this academic year, we reflect on the collective achievements and growth within the Junior High community. It has been a year filled with innovation and success, challenges and opportunities, and as we look forward to the next term, we encourage everyone to continue striving for excellence, embracing new experiences, and supporting one another. Thank you for your unwavering commitment and hard work. Let us all enjoy a well-deserved break and return refreshed and ready for the exciting journey ahead.



Ms. Balraj Bhurji

Co-Curricular Coordinator Junior High Campus

# **Regional Games for KSSSA**



**Dheer Haria** 



Jash Haria

#### NAIROBI REGIONAL GAMES-LAWN TENNIS



Vivaan Sagar



Aum playing Tennis

#### NAIROBI COUNTY REGIONAL BADMINTON GAMES



Dheer Haria 11E, Raghav Gupta 12E, Anoushka Tak 12A Jash Haria 9F



Table Tennis tournament Participants



Table Tennis Qualifiers to the Nationals



**Dheer Haria & Raghav Gupta** 



arm Greetings
from Senior High!
The month of July
brings us to the
end of the
Academic Year.
The better part of
third term of the

Academic year is dedicated to final examination. Both A level and BTEC students completed their exams and course work respectively. They all have worked hard through-out the year. We wish all our students good luck and hope for good results from both AS, A level and BTEC students.

I take this opportunity to welcome and congratulate all the students who have been admitted to Senior High in Year 12. With this new beginning, we look forward to a productive partnership with you to ensure that our students achieve their academic goals.

The orientation period for year 12 students (both A level and BTEC) had been a good time for them to understand the subjects they have chosen for their A' level course. We hope they are settled in their subject choices and preparing to work in time ahead. Teaching has been going on during this time and all students have work to do during this holiday period. BTEC Year 12 students are also settled in their subjects and understand the course requirement.

With the introduction of clubs, each student can find something of his interest to choose from. Club Patrons and officials have already geared up to implement on the activities planned for term one.

The CAIE and IAL A' level results will be released on 13th and 15th August 2024, respectively. BTEC results will be released on 15th August 2024.

We now have holidays, time for rest and rejuvenating after a vibrant year for our school community. We thank all parents for the support given throughout this time – together we are a fantastic OAN – Senior High community. This newsletter will give you a glimpse of the activities held during term 3. Enjoy reading. I wish you all a safe and relaxing holiday period.

Mrs. vibhanshu sharma Head of School Senior High Campus

#### Senior High

#### ORIENTATION OF INCOMING YEAR 12 STUDENTS DAY 1ST

**JULY 2024** 

Before starting the academic year from September 2024, Oshwal Academy Nairobi Senior High held the annual orientation day to the New Year 12 students on 1st July 2024. From the senior management of Oshwal Education and Pelief Board to the Oshwal

and Relief Board to the Oshwal Senior High Leadership Team to all members of staff, everyone worked to see that the day's programmes ran smoothly.

All members of staff were there in handy to welcome the incoming year 12 students at the main entrance and ushered them into the school. At 7.50 am, we all assembled outside the main entrance for a group photo. The programme commenced from 8.00 am with a welcoming speech from the Head of School Mrs. Vibhanshu Sharma. Members of staff were introduced to the students and the students were taken through all the school programmes as well as the daily routine at Senior high.

As part of the preparation for learning, home room tutors guided the students to their respective rooms for more information about learning at senior high and school policies.

Thereafter the students were guided on a school tour and then to the library for issuance of books. In the afternoon, the new students were treated to an exciting







programme dubbed "know your school" or treasure hunt', meant to make the new students know their school environment.

This was really exciting as students moved from one corner of the school to the other. The winners were announced at the end of that exercise and given a token of appreciation.

The day ended on a high note as the students were engaged all through setting the pace of student's life at senior high.















# INTRODUCTION TO CLUBS AT SENIOR HIGH

On 3rd July, 2024, the students were taken through the clubs and societies at senior high. The event was meant to encourage participation in co-curricular activities to

complement the students' academic achievements.
Co-curricular activities allow stu-dents to pursue their interests and passions and perhaps even discover new ones. Universities and colleges want to see students that are well rounded and able to handle multiple responsibilities at once throughout high school, and co-curricular involvement is a sure sign of both. The event was successful as both teachers and students interacted to promote the various clubs at senior high.

# Senior High

#### LIFE SKILLS TALK

On 9th July 2024, Binny Brahmbhatt a renowed speaker delivered an informative and engaging talk to students on the topic of "preventing burnout". The session was well-attended and received positive feedback from both students and teachers. The talk began with an introduction to the concept of burnout, highlighting its symptoms and potential causes. Binny emphasized the importance of understanding burnout in order to effectively prevent it, particularly within the context of academic and personal

life. The talk was of great

importance in developing young peoples' abilities remain resilient.













s we conclude up an eventful academic year filled with unique challenges, we want to express our heartfelt gratitude for the unwavering support and resilience shown

by all stakeholders. A special acknowledgment goes to our students, from playgroup to A-level, who have persevered and successfully completed the year.

Once again, I would like to thank The OERB, Mombasa SMC under the chairmanship of Mr. Tejul Gulabchand Shah and the academic consultant - Mrs. Chotai for the support and guidance towards our school programmes.

I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to the parents for their ongoing support and involvement with the school. We have much to celebrate and be thankful for as part of the OAM family and community.

I am proud of our students for the way they have managed the pressures of the academic year. Oshwal Academy Mombasa has achieved numerous successes, and I extend my congratulations to all our learners. I also commend the staff for their dedication and efforts in supporting these achievements.

We aim to maintain high academic expectations for our students in their performance; participation in co-curricular activities; and fostering an inclusive learning environment as our vision states 'to create responsible global citizens who make a positive contribution to society.' We are committed to enabling our learners be active participants in their learning and nurturing responsible individuals.

We look forward to a positive and vibrant 2024/2025 academic year here at OAM.

On behalf of the OAM community, I wish you all a safe and enjoyable holiday.

Ms. Mildred Aseys

Head of School Oshwal Academy Mombasa

# KG 1S African Play With a Valuable Lesson

Our KG 1S pupils put on a delightful performance at the OAM KG assembly, enacting an African play for their parents and the entire Kindergarten section. Each student dressed as a vegetable and conveyed the valuable lesson that every villager's contribution is essential for a stable community. The assembly concluded with enthusiastic applause from both parents and teachers.





#### **OAM Reception Class Graduation 2023-2024**











# Grandparents Storytelling Day: A Day of Wisdom and Memories

We had the pleasure of hosting grandparents at Junior School for our Grandparents Storytelling Day. The grandparents were delighted to share their life stories and childhood memories with our young students, who listened with fascinating attention and asked questions about days gone by. The guests enlightened our impressionable students with pearls of wisdom, creating a bridge between generations.

The event concluded with a heartwarming photo session, capturing cherished moments with the grandparents, junior school teaching and learning staff, and our librarians.



# Year 6 Farewell Assembly: A Heartfelt Goodbye and Celebrating Achievements

Our KG 1S pupils put on a delightful performance at the OAM KG assembly, enacting an African play for their parents and the entire Kindergarten section. Each student dressed as a vegetable and conveyed the valuable lesson that every villager's contribution is essential for a stable community. The assembly concluded with enthusiastic applause from both parents and teachers.





# OAM Celebrates Swahili Day

OAM, today, celebrated Swahili Day with great enthusiasm and cultural pride. Students and faculty dressed in traditional Swahili attire, adding vibrancy to the day. Junior school students presented a heartfelt poem in Swahili titled "Heshima" (Respect), followed by individual recitations of Swahili proverbs (methali), showcasing their linguistic skills and cultural knowledge. The assembly concluded with a delightful dance performance by Junior School teachers, who donned coordinated traditional Swahili attire called "dera." Their colorful and well-coordinated costumes added to the joy and excitement of the students, making Swahili Day a memorable event for all.





JS Sports Coast Junior Chess Tournament

Congratulations to Jiyaan Chirag Shah for emerging 3rd position in the under 8 category in Coast Junior Chess Tournament which was hosted by Lighthouse Chess Club at the Busy Bee Nyali.

# COAST OPEN BADMINTON TOURNAMENT

Mihika Shah was awarded a medal for attaining 2nd position in the Coast Open Badminton Tournament 2024.

# UNDER 11 FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

Our Junior School girls' football team was also recognized and awarded for clinching 3rd position in the Under 11 football tournament at Kivukoni School.



# Coast Junior Classic Chess Tournament

Vihaan and Eashan clinch the winners' title and the second position, respectively, in the under-10 category in Coast Junior Classic Chess Tournament at Shariff Nasser Girls.





# Year 11's P.A Gold Mt. Kilimanjaro Trip

Year 11 recent trip to Mount Kilimanjaro was a great success. The participants showed incredible resilience and teamwork, especially during the challenging summit. Despite the physical and mental demands, the journey was incredibly rewarding. This experience tested their endurance but also boosted their personal growth and confidence. We are proud of their achievements, special mention Deeya Paras Shah who summited to Gilman's point.









# OAM are MRM inter-secondary schools debate Champions

OAM Senior School wins the MRM annual inter-secondary schools debate competition finals against Mama Ngina Secondary school! Congratulations to the entire team for the grand victory.





#### OAMUN in Partnership with the Interact Club Raised Funds for their EDU Program

Oshwal Academy Model United Nations club in partnership with the OAM Interact club raised funds for their EDU program to help a school in Kanamai called Ufanisi Education Center, with the aim to create a better learning environment for less privilege students. The students managed to collected school bags, books, toys, clothes, water bottles, chairs, and the generous money donation assisted the team to buy shoes, water tanks, soaps and ration like flour, rice, sugar, cooking oil, porridge, detergents and mineral water. A big thank you to all those who donated. participated and made this drive possible. Our team with the accumulated items for donation, seen [from left] OAMUN Advisor Mr. Simiyu, OAMUN secretary General Veer Sennik, Interact Secretary Anita Gadani, Media Director Mehreen Fazil, Neeshi Shavdia, Deputy Secretary General Kreeshna Mehta, Director of New Generations Manan Basnet and Interact Patron Mr. Hassan Bakari.















# OAM Law Club Shines at University of Nairobi High Schools Moot Court Competition

OAM Law Club recently participated in the UoN High Schools moot court competition, showcasing their exceptional skills and dedication. Our students, Jai Vikash Shah, Neeva Shushrut Sumaria and Manan Basnet performed brilliantly, securing the 2nd runners-up trophy, a testament to their hard work and legal acumen.

A special congratulations to Neeva, who received the Best Female Speaker award, highlighting her outstanding speaking and argumentative abilities.
Additionally, our student counsellor, Ms. Mary Mshimba, was honored with a certificate of recognition for her exemplary service as the club patron. We are incredibly proud of our Law Club students for their achievements and commend them for their impressive performance.

#### Kanika Shah represented Kenya at World Scholars Global Round in Stockholm

OAM student Kanika Shah proudly represented Kenya at the recently concluded World Scholars Global Round held in Stockholm from July 12th to 17th, 2024. Her exceptional performance earned her an impressive 2 Gold Medals and 7 Silver Medals, showcasing her remarkable intellectual prowess and dedication to academic excellence. Congratulations Kanika!







#### **Celebrating July Faculty Babies**

OAM student Kanika Shah proudly represented Kenya at the recently concluded World Scholars Global Round held in Stockholm from July 12th to 17th, 2024. Her exceptional performance earned her an impressive 2 Gold Medals and 7 Silver Medals, showcasing her remarkable intellectual prowess and dedication to academic excellence. Congratulations Kanika!



# Dhairyan and Iyanna qualified for National Games



Congratulations to our contingent that represented Mombasa County in the just concluded Kenya Secondary Schools Regional Games held in Hola, Tana River County. OAM players, Dhairyan Shah and Iyanna D'Silva, qualified for the National Games scheduled for Kisii.

# **End Year AP Meeting and Book Fair**

The End of Year AP Meeting for Kindergarten, Junior School, and Senior School held on OAM school premises had a remarkable turnout of parents.

The Kindergarten section also hosted a vibrant book fair, adding an extra layer of excitement to the event. Parents had the opportunity to receive comprehensive progress reports about their children and engage in one-on-one discussions with subject teachers. This personalized interaction allowed parents to gain deeper insights into their children's academic journey.



take this opportunity to welcome back the continuing students and the new students who have joined us this semester! To our returning students, thank you for your continued trust - it's a joy to

have you back. And to the new students, congratulations on securing your place at Oshwal College! Indeed, we are excited to embark on a journey of academic and personal success together.

From its inception, Oshwal College has cultivated an environment where students can thrive in both academics and extracurricular pursuits. Our consistently high pass rates across all programmes are a testament to this. I strongly encourage all students take advantage of this tradition of excellence by approaching studies with unwavering determination and a genuine passion for learning. Remember, you have a dedicated support network at Oshwal - our faculty and staff are eager to share their expertise and help you overcome any academic or personal challenges you may face.

On July 20, 2024, we welcomed prospective students to an open day for the Bachelor of Arts (Hons) Business Administration

programme. During the event, attendees toured the campus and learned about this world-class degree programme, offered in partnership with the University of Hertfordshire in the UK. They also had the opportunity to engage with both tutors and students, as well as experience the College's calm and serene learning environment.

Also, within the month, I&M Bank Foundation representatives met with Oshwal College students sponsored by the Foundation to pursue CPA and CHRP qualifications. The purpose of the meeting was to evaluate the students' academic progress and performance, as well as gather their feedback on potential areas for improvement.

On the last week of July, the College organized a successful outdoor trip to Oloolua Nature Trail in Nairobi's Karen neighbourhood for both new and continuing students. The purpose of the trip was to help students get to know one another and foster new friendships and experiences. Over the coming months, we have planned an array of extracurricular activities, including fun trips, corporate visits, soccer tournaments, club events, and charitable activities. I therefore

encourage all students to stay informed about these upcoming events by regularly checking the notice boards.

I am deeply grateful to all the parents and guardians who have entrusted their children's education to us. Your unwavering support is invaluable, and through our continued partnership, we are confident the students will thrive academically, socially, and personally.

As we embark on this new semester, I am filled with optimism and enthusiasm for what lies ahead. Oshwal College is a place of endless possibilities, and I have no doubt that each one of you will make the most of your time here. Once again, welcome to the July 2024 semester at Oshwal College. Let's make it a memorable and transformative time in our lives.

Mrs. Jayashree Prathap

Principal Oshwal College

### College





# ACCA & FIA NEW STUDENTS ORIENTATION

On July 25th, 2024, Lameck Mito, the Business Relationship Manager at ACCA, facilitated the July 2024 semester orientation session for new ACCA students at Oshwal College. The ACCA/FIA orientation programme is designed to support these students as they embark on their ACCA journey.

During the session, Mr. Mito guided the students through key aspects of the ACCA qualification, including the registration process, available career paths, and strategies for effective study planning.









#### I&M FOUNDATION REPRESENTATIVES MEET SPONSORED STUDENTS

On July 18, 2024, Mr. James Gatere, the Head of the I&M Bank Foundation, met with a group of Oshwal College students sponsored by the Foundation to pursue Certified Public Accountants (CPA) and Certified Human Resource Professional (CHRP) qualifications. The purpose of the meeting was to assess the students' academic progress and performance, as well as to gather valuable feedback from them.

#### OSHWAL COLLEGE BABA OPEN DAY

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