Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today." —Malcolm X. Merit Eve holds a place of pride among all the school events as it celebrates the indefatigable endeavour of our ace pratapians who have shown remarkable grit and determination in transformingchallenges into opportunities.

This year's event carries added grandeur as it coincides with the centenary birthday celebrations of Dr R S Bhatia, the visionary who conceived the idea of Pratap Public School and nurtured it with his foresight and dedication. Thanks to his dream the school has scaled great heights scripting success stories year after year.

Today as we celebrate the resounding victory of our young brigade whose meticulous planning, rigorous practice and undying optimism helped them carve a niche in the arena of academics, sports and co-curricular activities, it becomes a befitting tribute for the man who envisioned it all decades ago.

We are proud to announce to the august gathering here that our academic results continue to surpass national and regional averages.

The strenuous efforts put in by the brilliant pratapians & their mentors paid rich dividends in Board exams. In the session 22-23 and 23-24 the school produced district toppers in Commerce stream.

Among our glittering stars of the Sector 6 branch, Ridhima led the way with an impressive 98.6% to bring home the coveted tag of district topper in Board Exams 22-23. She got cent per cent marks in painting and 99 marks in English and Accountancy. Komal followed with 95.4% while Aayush Kakkar and Jahnvi Sharma shared the third position with 95%.marks.

At the Secondary level, Harshita and Pearltopped the school with 96.2% marks while Yashika and Himanshi came second with 95.6%, and Harsh Punia claimed the third position with 95.4% marks.

At the Jarnailly Colony school two of our brilliant pratapians, Deepanshu and Khushi of XII Commerce scored 97.4% to claim the first position while Palak, Mannat and Dhani shared the second position by scoring 96.6 each. Snigdha scored 96.4 to bag the third spot. . In class X Devanshiscored 96.8% marks to win the first position. Soumil came second with 96.2% marks while Namish, Samdisha and Gurdiksha shared the third position with 96%.

We are delighted to sharewith our distinguished guests that in the session-2022-23, 63 of our students of class XII and a record 86 students of class X scored 90% and above.

The school flag fluttered high even in the session 23-24. The young Pratapians continued their winning –streak in both grade X and XII Board Exams.

This year's spectacular results in the XII Boards were highlighted by our young prodigy – Arushi Bansal from Jarnailly Colony School who topped the district in commerce stream with 98.6% marks. Nikunj and Sparsh followed closely with 97.2% marks each, while Jannat secured third position with 97%.

At sec 6 branch, in grade XII, Sonakshi topped the school with 95.6% marks, Dhriti, Manya and Shubham Tripathi scored 94.8% each to claim the second position, while Vartika and Bhavya jointly stood third with 94.4% marks.

The brilliant performance of the Senior Secondary Level was perfectly replicated by the students at the secondary level. At sector 6 branch Ishika of grade X scored a resounding 97.6 % and decorated the top spot. Close on her heels was Sanyam with 97.2 % marks, while Kripa stood third with 96.2%marks. At Jarnailly colony school Paras Saroha topped the school by scoring a blistering 97.4% while the second position was won by Divija and third by ChetanyeVashist with 97% and 96% respectively.

It is a matter of great pride that in the session-2023-24, 69 of grade XII students and 80 students of class X scored 90% and above.

More importantly, in both the academic years we had a rich haul of cent percenters. Many a student scored 100 on 100 in various subjects. In the session 2022-23 7 of our students namely, Deepanshu, Dhriti, Khushi,Laisha, Ishpreet Kaur, Rupali, and Yuv scored a perfect 100 in Business Studies. Dhani and Karan got full marks in Political science while 9 students scored 100 in Painting. In class X Devanshi Aggarwal secured 100 marks in Social Studies. 16 of our students scored cent percent in Artificial intelligence while two students made it in IT.

In the academic session 2023-24 Sparsh Garg one of our toppers achieved the rare distinction of scoring cent per cent in both Economics and Accountancy.

Aakansha Singh and Pavithra made us proud by scoring a remarkable 100 in Pol. Sc and Accountancy respectively while Shubham Tripathi secured full marks in Music. 13 of our students got a perfect 100 in painting.

In grade X, 14 of our students secured 100 per cent marks in AI, AayanMehla made us proud by scoring 100 marks in General Science and Social Science whereas Mitul, Sanyam, Divija, Tanushi, Tanisha and Keshav got 100 in Mathematics. Our school Topper IshikaMehla secured 100 in Social Science.

The academic years 22-23 &23-24 witnessed scores of bright Pratapians entering the portals of high-end professional colleges. Our pride Jhanvi Sharma of XII NM entered the precincts of the prestigious IIT Ropar.

J.C: In the year 2023 Siya Gupta made us proud by cracking the IP-MAT exam and securing admission in the BBA-LLB program at distinguished IIM-Rohtak. Three of our young prodigies namely Sparsh, Jai Mehndiratta and Anmol are doing B. Com. Hons from the prestigious SRCC Delhi.

Our district topper Ridhima has joined the reputed Lady Shri Ram College, Delhi and is doing B.Sc. Mathematics whereas Aayush Kakkar is pursuing B.Com Hons from Kirori Mal College, Delhi.

AmanSingh has succeeded in seeking admission to the Hindu College, Delhi while Anusha Verma, Navish and Nikunj have joined Hansraj College, Delhi and are pursuing B.Com (Hons.) & BA respectively. Aditi Sharma is pursuing Chemisry (Hons) while Karan Chaurasia is doing B.com from the reputed Ramjas College, Delhi.

Achievements and accolades in academics were perfectly supplemented with an equally spectacular performance in the co-curricular and extracurricular activities. Ria Grover, one of our prodigies from class XII showcased her talent at the national level by winning the top spot in Veergatha Project: 2.0 organised by the Ministry of Education in all CBSE schools across the country. She was invited by the prime minister' office to witness Republic Day Parade.

At the International Abacus and Vedic Maths Competition organized by Mathemagic hub, our brilliant mathematician Vismay of VIII bagged first position while Yash Dogra also of grade VIII was awarded the 'Best Performer Award' in the 20th National SIP Abacus Competition held in Hyderabad.

It gives us immense pleasure to proclaim that Utkarsh Negi of grade VIII, a true virtuoso & musical maestro, won multiple online musical competitions. He was declared London Young Musician for the year 2024 after his impeccable performance in a Grand Piano competition held in London.

Likewise, Pratham of class 8th, the Michael Jackson of Pratap, bagged the All India Junior Dancer Award with his electrifying performance at the All India Dance ka Mahakumbh held in Delhi.

AcePratapians Tanya Sikri of grade VIII & Vanshika Bansal of IX secured 3rd position in the 10th International Humanity Olympiad, organized by Satyug Daesh Trust SDT, Faridabad. Both the winners were awarded 5G smart phones & certificates. Tanya Sikri excelled at the

state level and bagged the third position and a cash prize of Rs. 2,100 in the National Open oratory contest on Spiritual Eloquence

Ishika of X made us proud by winning a Defence Service Academician scholarship of Rs.5000 towards academic excellence for the session 2023-24. We are thrilled to announce the success of Diya Raman, who made us proud by being the sole student from the Panchkula region to win the Level-2 Reading Challenge.

Hansika, a promising orator, secured third place and a cash prize of Rs. 1200 in the National Level Online English poetry recitation competition. Showcasing their mastery of scientific principles & keen intellect 28 of our students earned gold medals for their outstanding performance in the National Science Olympiad.

Our prodigious sports persons brought accolades by proving their mettle not only at the state but also at the National & International Levels.

The biggest sporting achievement of the session 2022-23 was the swashbuckling performance of our ace shooter Samrat Rana. He won 2 gold medals in the ISSF World Championship held in Cairo, Egypt. At the Asian Air Gun Championship held at Daegu, South Korea, he made the nation proud by winning 2 gold medals and 1 silver medal. In session 2023-24 he won a Silver Medal and a cash prize of Rs. 60, 000 in a National Level shooting championship.

Yuvraj Rana, another of our promising sharp shooter brought laurels and fame to the school by winning a Silver Medal in the CBSE cluster Meet Shooting Competition while Aayushi of class X hit the bull's eye and won gold medal in the CBSE North Zone -II Championship held at Mandi Gobindgarh. She has also participated in CBSE national shooting championship held in Bhopal. Devanshi of XII Med. and Jashan of XI Hum Participated in 66th National Shooting Championship held in Bhopal.

After winning a gold medal at the State Level, Avni of XII NM clinched a silver medal in ring race in the CBSE National Skating Championship held at Belgaum, Karnataka. Our martial art prodigy Adhyan of class VIII participated in Sub. Jr. National Fencing Championship held at Ernakulum, Kerala and won Gold medal. Ashmit of class XII won the second position in the Haryana State volleyball championship held in Gurugram. He also participated in the National Volleyball Championship held at Mehsana, Gujrat. At the National Level Taekwondo Championship Swastika and Naitik of grade IX and Mansi of grade VII outshined their competitors and won a gold medal each. Another remarkable achievement was the feat of Lakshita of grade X who added a feather to our cap by winning a silver medal in a state-level athletic event organized by Haryana State Federation in Jind. She will represent Haryana at the National Level. The exceptional skill and strength of our accomplished

boxer, Yash Mann of 12th grade, has earned him a place in the upcoming State level boxing competition. Divyanshi of Class VI, Kovid of Class VII, Vineet and Utkarsh of Class X participated in the State Level Swimming tournament held in Ambala, while Saksham of Class VII took part in the State level championship in Sirsa. At the State Level Roller Skating Championship Lakshay Gandhi of Class VIII won a silver medal. Vaishnavi Rana of grade IX outplayed her opponents at the State Level tennis tournament held at Panipat and got a bronze medal.

With his outstanding performance at the Badminton Open Tournament held in Delhi Shaurya Bhatia of IX has assured himself a place in the nationals.

Six of our prodigious cricketers represented Karnal District at the State Level in the U-14 Cricket Tournament conducted by the School Games Federation of India. Tanishq Malhotra, Ranjod Singh and Parth Miglani participated in the U-17 State Level Football Tournament while Yash Dogra, Yash Kumar, Nikunj, and Kabir andTejas participated in the State Level U-14 Basketball Tournament. Arindam Kumar of XI Com, Akshit of XI Hum, Ananya of class X and Tanvi of IX participated in the Haryana State Basketball Championship. Ronit:Our promising artist Harman of XII Hum was placed 2nd in a painting competition organized by Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan. She received a cash prize of Rs. 7500. In the Golden Brush Competition organized by Kalp Group (Karnal Artist League Patrons), she clinched the first position in Group D and was awared a cash prize of Rs. 5000 and a bicycle.

In Group A Zashn, of grade II bagged the first position. He received a cash prize of Rs. 3000 and a bicycle whereas in Group C Lavanya of Class VII made us proud by standing first. She got a cash prize of Rs. 5000 and a bicycle. Stuti of class X brought a crowning achievement to PPS by bagging the first position and was awarded a cash prize of Rs. 11000/- in the Interschool English Debate Competition held at Sainik School, Kunjpura.

Parth Vashisht of grade III was awarded a "Certificate of Achievement in a Quiz Competition" organized by the National Board for Quality Promotion, Quality Council of India.

Besides these, our students have consistently showcased their skills and intellect at various other district-level competitions organized by Bal Bhawan & Sahodaya Schools Complex Karnal, however, the constraints of time don't permit us to dwell on them now. As we reflect on the past, we celebrate a time of transformation, resilience and growth that has set the stage for an even brighter future.

The dazzling splendour of our achievements only whet our appetite for more and to set new benchmarks to conquer every year. Withevery milestone achieved, we push boundaries and set new standards of excellence.

We feel honoured and proud to be a part of such an institution that continues to inspire, holding high the school motto 'To Grow in Wisdom'

(ALL)We salute and express our sincerest reverence to this esteemed organization.