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## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

The Indian Community School, Kuwait, since its inception in the year 1959, has been exclusively serving Indian Diaspora by the excellent high providing quality education. For over half a century ICSK has been

inspiring students, helping them discover and develop their latent talents and increasing their awareness and responsibility to the community around them and the world at large.

EPICS, the monthly magazine of the school denoting E: Emotional, P: Physical, I: Intellectual, C: Cultural and S: Spiritual, had its first issue in May 2013. ICSK is the only school in Kuwait which has the hard copy of its monthly magazine circulated among the students and a soft copy sent to the parents every month. Coincidently its 60th edition corresponds with the Diamond Jubilee year of the school. The monthly magazine witnesses an astounding exhibit of flair by our exquisitely gifted children from all the departments of Arts, Literature, Science, Language, Humanities and Social Science. The issues present informative reports of all that is happening in and around the campus and also include contributions from the students on a wide array of topics such as Poetry, Riddles, Artwork and inspirational, informative articles. 'EPICS' holds up a mirror for the school to recap and reiterate its activities, and in the process, it also unleashes a wide forum to unveil the array of articles and other literary skills of the students. This magazine exhibits the seasonal glow of renewal and enrichment, with captivating content and new ideas with a fresh perspective. In The Indian Community School (Senior) Kuwait, children are living and learning with 'PRIDE' - our values of Passion, Respect, Integrity, Diversity and Empathy.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the editors

of Epics - Mrs. Srikala, Mr. Joseph Francis, Mrs.Tintu, Mrs. Priya, Mrs. Sicy, Mrs. Susan Rajesh, Mrs.Shyna, Mrs. Susan George & all the student editorial members for making 'Epics' what it is today.

As the school commemorates the 60th year of its glorious existence, grand 60th anniversary celebrations are being organized across the year 2019. The school kicked off its Diamond Jubilee Celebrations in the month of January with a Higher Education Fair - the first of its kind in Kuwait, on the 11th and 12th of January, 2019. The Fair was arranged within the ICSK Senior school campus and displayed universities from across the world made accessible to students in Kuwait. The career fair also featured career counselling sessions and aptitude tests for students to better understand their strengths, so that they successfully find a university tailored to their interests. Amidst celebrations of its 60th anniversary, The Indian Community School, Kuwait heralded the New Year with the extravagant 16th Super Mega Carnival 2019, on Friday, the 25th of January, 2019. This much-anticipated event among the Indian community in Kuwait, witnessed throngs of people from all over Kuwait assembled at the ICSK Senior campus to celebrate the fun and frolic of the lively event. The ICSK Carnival is organized every year for the noble cause of providing free education to underprivileged children through the proceeds collected.

The school is planning to organize various other events such as the Gulf Arts Fest & International Conference for teachers as part of its Diamond Jubilee Celebrations. The official Diamond Jubilee song will also be unveiled this vear.

I would like to take this opportunity to extend my sincere gratitude to all the students, teachers and parents for their unswerving and wholehearted cooperation. I hope that you continue to support us. Your prayers and blessings will help ICSK scale greater heights of excellence in the vears to come.



## **ICSKians, WINNERS OF THE BRAIN GAME**



The students of under-17 category added another feather to the cap of ICSK, Senior and held their head high when they were declared as the unbeatable champions in the chess tournament of CBSE Clusters Kuwait. Apart from the physical training in sports that is provided to the students, the ICSK Senior School also makes it sure that it develops problem solving skills, planning, patience, focus of thought and self discipline. Chess

is one such sport. The antecedents of the current champions had earlier proved their adroitness and now the champions have brought laurels to the school. We have chess wizards and they are beings sculpted under the guidance of expert Physical Training masters. The ICSK family applauds the champions and the drudgery taken up by the members of the Department of Physical Education.

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## **EDITORS' NOTE**

Dear Children

Greetings from the Editorial board!!

Proudly launching the 60th edition of EPICS from the ICSK desk ! With immense pleasure the epics editorial board presents before you the continuing glorious tradition of providing students a platform to exhibit their literary and artistic skills.

Here are a few tips from our side to plan your day to day activities in a more organized manner.

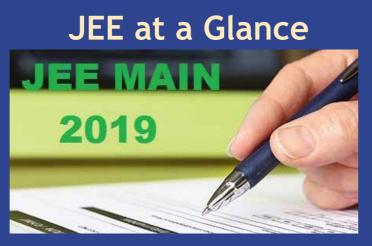
- 1. Do your best ! We all do not have the same abilities, but reaching your potential in all that you do is an important habit to develop for lifetime success. Excellence is a state of mind...make it yours
- 2. Ask for help. No one understands everything. Recognizing what you don't know is as important as recognizing what you do know. There is no shame in needing help. The shame is when you DON'T seek help.
- 3. Kindness is always an option. Not every message you have to deliver will always make people happy, but almost every message can be delivered politely and with respect for a person's feelings.
- 4. Don't fear failure. Try new things ! You won't be great at everything, but the vast majority of successful people say that they learned more from their failures than they did from their successes.
- 5. Learn to work with others. More and more careers require the ability to collaborate on things. Being able to bring a piece of the puzzle to solving problems will make you a valuable colleague. Being able to help others with their piece of the puzzle will make you a trusted colleague. 6. Always thank those who have helped you. Aside from good manners, those people will be that much more willing to help you in the future if they know their assistance was valued the first time.
- 7. Beware of overconfidence. It doesn't matter what the field, activity, assignment, task...there is always someone smarter out there. If you are smarter, have more knowledge or experience than those around you, remember to be humble.

Happy vacation!!!!

Send your valuable contributions to epicseditor@icsk-kw.com



Mrs. Susan George Mrs. Tintu Wilson



The Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India has entrusted the responsibility of conducting Joint Entrance Examination JEE(Main) to the NTA from 2019 onwards.

Admission criteria to Undergraduate Engineering Programs at NITs, IIITs, other Centrally Funded Technical Institutions (CFTI), Institutions funded by participating State Governments, and other Institutions shall include the performance in the class 12/equivalent gualifying Examination and in the Joint Entrance Examination, JEE (Main). The Paper-1 (B. E. /B. Tech.) of JEE (Main) will also be an eligibility test for the JEE (Advanced), which the candidate has to take if he/she is aspiring for admission to the undergraduate programs offered by the IITs.



About JEE (Main)

The JEE (Main) will be conducted twice before admissions in the next academic session. The students will have following benefits of the new pattern:

In first attempt, the students will get a first-hand experience of taking an examination and to know their mistakes which they can improve while attempting for the second time.

If any one missed the examination due to reasons beyond control, then he/she won't have to wait for one full year.

The student's best of the two NTA scores will be considered for preparation of Merit List/ Ranking. The first JEE (Main) will be held in January, whereas the second will be held in April

#### Mode of Examination

#### JEE (Main)-2019 will be conducted in the following mode:

- a) Paper-1 (B.E. /B. Tech.) in "Computer Based Test (CBT)" mode only.
- b) Paper-2 (B. Arch/ B.Planning): Mathematics- Part I and Aptitude Test-Part II in "Computer Based Test (CBT)" mode only and,
- c) Drawing Test --Part III in "Pen & Paper Based" (offline) mode to be attempted on drawing sheet.

## How Scientists Found the First Type **OF MOLECULE IN THE UNIVERSE**



Almost 14 billion years ago, the universe began with a big bang. After around a quarter of a million years the newborn universe had those atoms combined. Specifically, helium ions to make the very first molecule: the helium hydride ion. Then, this molecule went on to shape the first stars and galaxies, and the rest is history. Of course, this story was originally just based on our understanding of chemistry; no one was actually there the far infrared part of the electromagnetic present and future!

found no definitive evidence been sensitive enough to space at all. That is, until now, ions from similar molecules week in the journal Nature, reported that they have finally could exist. because they were created in the lab way back in 1925. It'll react with any other electron will break it apart. In fact, the only thing it won't react with is another positivelycharged ion. So we didn't expect this search molecules form and are destroyed in these to be easyAstronomers are normally able to heavily radiated environments. And now that detect molecules in space by tuning in to the characteristic frequencies that they vibrate at. The problem is, helium hydride vibrates the strongest at incredibly high frequencies more than 2 Terahertz. That puts its emissions in Which is good news for scientists past and

## **Avengers-End Game (Film Review)**

despise at the end.

previous movies.

For those of you who haven't watched the much of Thanos in the movies movie yet, fret not as this is a spoiler free review of the movie.

So many of us have been following the the better as we won't have to Avengers since the first movie, Iron Man (or look at someone we all WILL from the 2012 film The Avengers.

For these people, End Game will not be a happy experience. The unavoidable occurs; something we all feared but knew would eventually happen. After all, every good thing comes to an end.

The movie is three hours long and every moment of the movie is worth watching. The scale of production, the VFX, the cast, etc.



Is very grand as expected from a Marvellpus movie. You will feel a range of emotions throughout the movie. Its a areat blend of action emotion and humor . We

much a Marvel story as a series of calculated payoffs for a decade of Marvel stories. The movie is loaded with incredible set pieces and tons of small character moments that leave you wanting more, wondering won't be seeing about the future of the MCU

have been able to detect far



In a paper published last But we did detect helium hydride ions. And to do it, we used a great piece of cuttingedge tech onboard a flying observatory They collected for over an hour across three detected this elusive ion! flights in 2016. Then, the processed data Now, to be clear, scientists confirmed what astronomers had hoped knew that helium hydride ions to find: that clear spectral signature of the elusive helium hydride ion. This detection has helped put everyone's mind at rest about what happened just after the Big Bang, but that's not the only reason it's important. It's we have the tech to spot helium hydride ions in planetary nebulas, we can really study it. We can start to understand the processes from the dawn of chemistry in more detail.

as much as we see the Avengers. That's probably for



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It does a good job at piecing together the stories that have been created by the

The movie differs a lot from Infinity Wars however. It's not Infinity Wars part 2.

Nothing so far has broken the Marvel formula quite like Avengers: Endgame, which follows Infinity War by diving deep into the previous film's feeling of emotional loss and helplessness, exploring it at length, and then expanding into something that isn't so

## A Beautiful Dream



Beneath the shady trees, I walked on the golden leaves, With the sun's rays peeping Through the pine trees, struggling.

The pathway lead to a beautiful garden, Full of flowers and dancing fairies, Mermaids swam and doves flew, Nowhere had I seen a sky so blue.

The clouds made of cotton candy, Showered chocolates and colourful candies As I was about to treat myself on the delicacies I was awakened from my sleep and fantasies.



We are living in a world full of rapid make the future cars DRIVER-LESS technological and scientific developments and are gradually heading to more and more Yes you read it right DRIVER-LESS . This will sophisticated and intelligent technologies make a revolution in the auto industry and dav bv dav

However, the technology we have right now is far off than what we are expecting to see ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE {AI} and other and experience in the near future ! Shocking right?

The drastic change will actually occur in the field of transportation .

Nowadays, almost all modern cars have CRUISE CONTROL. This feature enables the driver to move his leg from the accelerator and he has to only control the steering wheel, the car drives by itself.

## THE FUTURE OF **TRANSPORTATION !**

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While DRIVER-LESS trains already exist, the cars and taxis too, are not far from it .

Several companies like TESLA MOTORS are already testing out autonomous DRIVER-LESS taxis and cars which will soon be available for the public.

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in turn this can help avoid accidents to a Ultra-High Speed trains and other transportation vehicles will also drastically change the way we move from one place to another. Just as mobile phones became quite common after they were introduced and also they reimagined the way we communicate, similarly AUTO-PILOT cars, trains and busses too will soon become quite common and will help to make people's lives a lot more interesting and easier in moving from one place to another.

> So friends be ready ! THE FUTURE IS AI READY HERE !

## A REVOLUTIONARY CLICK OF A BLACK HOLE

areater extent

sophisticated sensors, programs and

Machine-Learning all together will help

#### SEEING THE UNSEEABLE

Facts are sometimes stranger than fiction. Nowhere is it more true than in the case of bodies of immense gravity black hole. They are stranger than anything which has grabbed the dreamed up by science fiction writers. Black attention of physicists, Holes are incredibly dense objects, created science fiction writers and by the collapse of giant stars.

Recently, a world spanning network of been studying black holes for so long that telescopes called the Event Horizon sometimes we forget that none of us has Telescope(EHT) zoomed in on to the supermassive monster in the core of the galaxy M87 to create the first ever picture of because black holes are notoriously hard to a black hole.



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Black Holes are fascinating readers and curious students AYESHA ZIAN like me myself. We have

actually seen it. "Picturing a black hole is one herculean task" many physicists say. It is so see and understand. Their gravity is so strong that even light cannot escape. The black hole captured by the EHT is located almost 55 million light years away from us. This opens a new era of astrophysics. The EHT team is yet working on another anticipating image of the black hole Sagitarius A, which is the core of our Milkyway galaxy.

Man's ever ending thirst to explore the expanding universe continues with amazing discoveries.....





Best friends stick together till the end. They are like a straight line that will not bend.

They trust each other forever, No matter if you're apart or together.

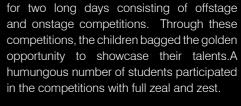
They can be your hero and save the day. They will never leave your side; they are here to stay.

> They help you up when you fall. Your true friends are best of all.

## **ICSK SENIOR ARTS FEST BEGINS WITH A COLOURFUL START**

The Paradigm art fest got off to a colourful for two long days consisting of offstage start on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2019 in four different stages. The gala event was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Mr. Karlfred Bergner who is the German Ambassador to Kuwait. He proudly ranked the Indian society of Kuwait as one of the best community appreciating various social activities, the most prominent amongst On 2<sup>nd</sup> May, 5.30 p.m, a valedictory function them being in the field of education. After the art fest PARADIGM was declared open. the students of ICSK Senior, performed a musical extravaganza, "SOORYAAMSHAM".

The Art Fest Paradigm with full glory and The child prodigies who bagged the first, revel was celebrated with complete grandeur second and third positions in all the three



was arranged for the Guest of Honour, Mr. Mohammed Salah Khureibat. Inspector. Ministry of private Education, who graced the occasion with his esteemed presence.

















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categories were honoured and awarded the Kalathilak and The Kalaprathibha trophies. The house that scored the maximum points in the competitions was awarded the trophy. The best of the cultural programmes were staged as a final showdown to the two day long ethnic and artistic fiesta.





## WHY LISTENING TO MUSIC IS GOOD FOR



1. Music Increases Happiness

This might seem obvious, but the natural chemical reasoning is pretty incredible to think about. If you are ever in need of an emotional boost, let it be known that it only takes 15 minutes of listening to your favorite tunes to get a natural high. This is because your brain releases dopamine, a neurotransmitter that leads to increased feelings of happiness, excitement, and joy, when you listen to music you like.

**Decreases Stress, While** 2. Music **Increasing Overall Health** 

Music has a direct effect on our hormones If you listen to music you enjoy, it decreases levels of the hormone cortisol in your body, counteracting the effects of chronic stress. Stress causes 60% of all illnesses and diseases, so lower levels of stress mean higher chances of overall well-being.

One study even showed that a group of people playing various percussion instruments and singing had **boosted immune** systems compared to the AARON MANOJ people who were passively listening; while both groups

health was positively affected by music, the group playing instruments and/or singing had better results.

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- Teaches rhythm which in turn teaches movement
- Encourages coordination.
- · Can be soothing in anxious or stressful situations
- Builds self-esteem.
- Develops right brain but also develops left brain skills.
  - Teaches interaction with others.
  - Increases expression.
  - Stimulates responses

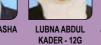
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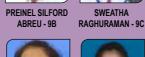


MADINA SHAIKH MUKADAM - 11H



SHAIKA ABDUL

KHADER - 11G





EMMA KURIAN GUINDEEP SINGH EMAN SHARAFAT SAHNI - 8E









2019 included 30 selected The competition was about how to form and sell your product

guidance of Mrs. Musarrat Parkar and Mr. Atig along with our mentors Ms. Sarah and Mr. Abdullah assigned to us by Injaz Kuwait. Our first few Sessions led us to brainstorming various business ideas which resulted in the formation of our company called Ace and our executives.







CEO - Mustafa Ilyas CFO - Mohammed Khalid COO **BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT MANAGER** Angel Fernandes FINANCE MANAGER - Darren Siji SALES MANAGER - Arpita Patnaik MARKETING MANAGER Amreen Aman HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGER Ashley Dsouza SALES-FINANCE MANAGER

### - Luke Palmeira



Failing in our first product didn't stop us instead motivated us to work harder which led to our second product called Capricious.



conducted by Injaz in Safir hotel, Fintas on 26th March. We sold our product for the first time and interacted with our customers. We also attended another fair conducted by boulevard which was a huge success. We completely sold out; this event taught us a lot about our customer and sales.

Finally we competed with 12 schools around Kuwait in the injaz company programme which was held on April 12th and 13th in Salwa Sabah Al-Ahmad Theater & Hall Though we didn't win, we did get nominated for the company with best social impact.

This competition taught us a lot about the practical business world and has enhanced



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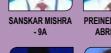
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## **INJAZ'S COMPANY PROGRAMME COMPETITION** ACE: ABILITY TO CREATE EXTRA ORDINARY

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE** 



We made a lot of mistakes and had a lot of conflict of opinions but in the end everything worked out and we can proudly say that this competition helped us shape into better entrepreneurs. We are grateful to our Principal Dr V.Binumon for providing us with this wonderful opportunity and also heartfelt gratitude to our teachers and friends who have supported and encouraged us throughout this journey.

















## **Birthday Arcade - June**

12G - JUN 4

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7C - JUN 4

7A - JUN 5

12H - JUN 8

8B - JUN 10

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7C - JUN 14

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9B - JUN 17

11A - JUN 20

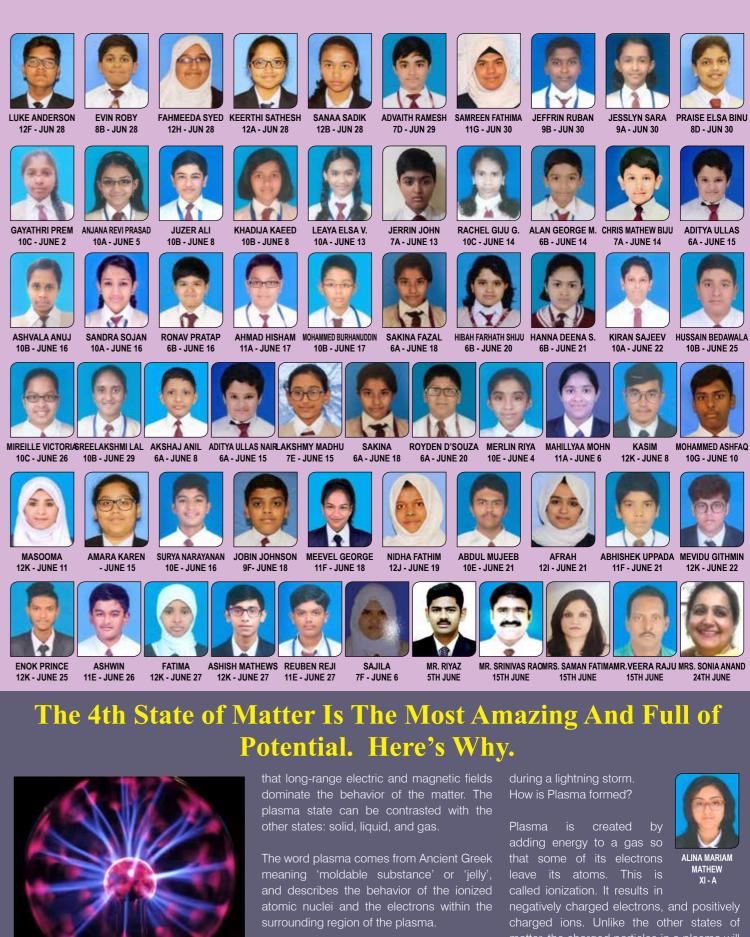
9E - JUN 23

9E - JUN 28

11H - JUN 23



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Plasma is the fourth state of matter in which an ionized gaseous substance becomes highly electrically conductive to the point

we are lucky enough to see the Northern lights, if we look at the Sun through a special filter, or if we poke our head out the window

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matter, the charged particles in a plasma will We rarely encounter natural plasma, unless react strongly to electric and magnetic fields (i.e. electromagnetic fields). If a plasma loses heat, the ions will re-form into a gas, emitting the energy, which had caused them to ionize.





## **Birthday Arcade - July**



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#### Mrs. Srikala Dileep

#### Greetings to EPICS

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It's a privilege and an honor to be part of the 60th edition of epics. The monthly magazine is much awaited in our house as it is like a Pandora box illed with interesting articles, poetry, drawings and achievements of students. talent within them.

Wishing Epics and the school to achieve many more accolades

#### Mrs.Rajashree R

#### Hello EPICS,

through EPICS

## A JOURNEY THROUGH WORDS.

"I hope someday to write something worth plagiarizing."

Mrs. Susan George **Epics** Edito

As the saying goes, mind like parachute works best when opened. This humble initiative is to set the

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egins at 60..



I am very proud to have witnessed the creation and growth of ou r called EPICS. As a student of ICSK, this nove ted my imagination and provided a platform to wity in words. Today if I am able to write articles and write ups it is the confidence I gained from the school. I take this opportunity to wish the EPICS team the very best on this

Diamond jubilee edition. erbury, New Zealan Jacob George

## Mrs. Priya Ashok HOD (English Dept)

The Diamond Jubilee Celebrations of any temple of learning is a joyous occasion and when the institution celebrating it is your own alma mater, the joy is multiplied many times over. It is a matter of great joy & pride for me as the Editor of EPICS (2016-17) that the 60th year of our school, ICSK coincides with the 60th edition of our monthly magazine EPICS. EPICS is more than just the recording of the school's numerous achievements. It unfolds

the unraveled world of the most unforgettable and precious moments of the school.The enthusiastic write-ups of our young writers are undoubtedly sufficient to hold the interest and On this jubilant occasion I would like to extend my warm wishes to one and all and thank all

the students, teachers & parents for their unwavering support and cooperation.

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Greetings to EPICS on its Diamond Edition.

You have done this wonderful miracle of pricking my creative mind, letting it erupt instilled higher confidence in me as a student,widened my awareness ,boosted positive habits like reading, researching, thinking independently and also polishing my imaginary skills. It has helped me express my thoughts clearly

A big thanks to ICSK and all my teachers who have kindled that flame within me

#### Kaavya Vaidyanathan, XI G

I have been writing for EPICS for the last 3 years and I'm very fortunate to have got a perfect opportunity to hone my writing skills. It's once in a blue moon worth of a chance for me to have been entrusted with the job of Student Editor for this notable Diamond Jubilee year of ICSK.

I'm immensely delighted and grateful to the ICSK management for

Sri Lakshmi Annapurna,

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## ICSK STEALS THE SHOW WITH SPECTACULAR RESULTS **IN CBSE** CLASS XII EXAMINATION

## **CBSE CLASS XII- RECORD BREAKING PERFORMANCE -285 DISTINCTIONS OUT OF 296 (96%)**

**Topper-95.6%** 

& Informatics

Entrepreneurship

RACHEL LOURDES

FERNANDES (95.6%)

IOF MAMMEN JOHN

(Psychology

TOPPERS

• Joe Mammen John - Humanities Stream Topper (94.8%)

Kuwait toppers in Accountancy, Business Studies &

• 24 Subject combinations - only school in Middle East.

ALITA JANICE

QUADROS (95%)

(Chemistry)

COMMERCE STREAM - TOPPERS

**100 MARK ACHIEVERS** 

RESHMA S. MATHEW ANITTA ROSE SIB

RUKAYYA M. FAZAL

(94.8%)

(Infomatics)

• Centum scores in Psychology, Chemistry, Home Science

- 285 students scored Distinctions (96%) and all 296 First Rachel Lourdes Fernandes Commerce Stream Class, its a record
- Topper Science (97.6%), Commerce (95.6%) & Humanities - (94.8%)
- 296 Students appeared for the exam, largest number in
- Kuwait.
- Eisha Elizabeth Ninan Science Stream Topper (97.6 %)

## **SCIENCE STREAM - TOPPERS**





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SUBJECT



**HUMANITIES STREAM - TOPPERS** 

JOE MAMMEN JOHN (94.8%)

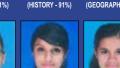


THODI (96.3%)



KYRA HOLLYN SHAIKH KASHIFA RODRIGUES (93.8%) (92.4%)















































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CHADHA (94.8%)



















## **ICSK SENIOR, STRUCTURES A** WORKSHOP FOR THE STUDENTS (Dept. of Psychology)

The Department of Psychology and Counseling of ICSK Senior School structured Technological Gadgets and Its Impact on a lot many activities including the students. Health and Lifestyle of School Students" in the school auditorium on 6th May 2019. Education, Dar-al-Athar-al-Islamiyyah. Dr. Susan graced the occasion and apprised broadened their outlook toward life the students on the impact of technological



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## 90% AND ABOVE



































































gadgets on the lifestyle of school students. The workshop proceeded further with a very a workshop on the topic. "Addiction to riveting interactive session which included The speaker Dr. Susan guizzed the students and gave them multifarious exercises in The resource person to talk on the issue order to boost them up. The diversity in the was Dr. Susan Eileen Day, the Director of workshop on such an intense issue rather proved beneficial to the students and further

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# EPtravel Hopping

#### "To travel is to live "

This year, Epics is introducing to you a new and which can be worth visiting.

This time we have chosen the land which has most likely to be dark and clear. no forests and the country which ranks 4th in terms of being the happiest.....ICELAND

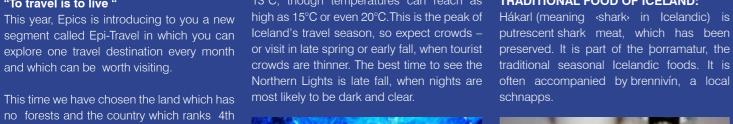


**GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION:** 

Iceland is volcanically and geologically active. The interior consists of a plateau characterised by sand and lava fields, mountains, and glaciers, and many glacial rivers flow to the sea through the lowlands. Iceland is warmed by the Gulf Stream and has a temperate climate, despite a high latitude just outside the Arctic Circle. Its high latitude and marine influence keep summers chilly, with most of the archipelago having a tundra climate.

#### THE BEST TIME TO VISIT ICELAND:

The best time for optimal weather in Iceland is during the high season, particularly July and August when average highs are around





#### PLACES TO VISIT:

- The Blue Lagoon, Iceland
- Gullfoss Waterfall, Iceland
- Grundarfiordur. Iceland
- Mvrdalsiokull Glacier
- Landmannalaugar, Iceland
- Reykjavik



#### 13°C, though temperatures can reach as TRADITIONAL FOOD OF ICELAND:

Hákarl (meaning «shark» in Icelandic) is putrescent shark meat, which has been schnapps.



#### FACTS ABOUT ICELAND:

A majority of Icelanders believe in elves. At about 39,000 square miles, Iceland is small - close to the size of Ohio. There is a volcanic eruption every 4 years on average.

There are no forests in Iceland. The Icelandic language remains unchanged from ancient Norse. That means 1,000-yearold texts are still easily read.

Probably, After reading this ,you should have this beautiful destination in your bucket list for the year 2019.So come on Guys and Girls start packing your bags, booking your tickets and enjoying a lovely vacation with your near and dear ones this summer in ICELAND.

## **GLORIOUS WINNERS OF CBSE KUWAIT CLUSTER 2019-2020**





U-14 BOYS Category - RUNNERS UP





CBSE KUWAIT CLUSTER VOLLEYBALL TOURNAM



U-17 BOYS Category - RUNNERS UP







ICSK DIAMOND JUBILEE YEAR TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT - 2019

UNDER 19 Mixed Category - RUNNERS UP

## Winners of Extempore competition held by Alumni association of St. Berchman's College



Senior Category: Master Deon D'souza. Master Alan D'Silva Junior Category: Master Joven Jose, Master Sanskar Mishra

## **ENTREPRENEURSHIP MASTER CLASS CONDUCTED BY INJAZ KUWAIT**



conducted an entrepreneurship master class innovative and exciting ideas and spent their The children really enjoyed the whole session exclusively for the students of class 9. by 1 hour efficiently under the leadership of and learned more about entrepreneurship in Mr. Abdullah. He introduced the students to their CEOs. They were given three papers to a fun and exciting way. It was surely a day the world of entrepreneurship and business, draw their logos and write down about their and gave them tips to becoming successful companies. The children invested in all their

On 30th of April, 2019, INJAZ Kuwait entrepreneurs. The children came up with ideas and created interesting companies.



well spent!!



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## IMMORTALITY RY 2050





it till 2050.

A LEADING neurologist has revealed the cut-off date for achieving immortality, and we've got bad news for anyone born before the year 1970.

"IF YOU'RE under 40 reading this article, you're probably not going to die unless you get a nasty disease.'

Dr. Ian Pearson says human intelligence, memory, or senses could be connected to external technology by 2050. Within the next few decades, humanity may be able to achieve a sort of immortality by merging our minds with machines, according to a prominent futurist. This technology highly rejuvenates your 95 year old body to 25 or 30 year old one .Even after our bodies die, it allows us to attend our own funerals, and get back to life with a 'highly upgraded scientists are developing a mind blowing technology to achieve this objective but the information about this technology remains

'One day, your body dies and with it your brain stops, but no big problem, because 99% of your mind is still fine, running happily on IT, in the clouds. So keep your brains healthy as Wilder Penfield says that "The brain is the organ of destiny. It holds that will determine the future of the human

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## ICSK SOARS TO GRANDER ZENITH OF EXCELLENCE IN CBSE CLASS X RESULTS





and Sr. Administrator elaborated the benefits of ICSK cloud app. He touched upon the issues raised in last ICSK cloud meeting and the steps taken to resolve them.

Hon. Chairman, Mr. Shaik Abdul Rahiman



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earliest to reap maximum benefits of the app.

Branch coordinators also shared their points on the benefits and issues faced while using the app. They put forward suggestions and modification requests on the app and web portal to make it user friendly.

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# FP COMP OF SUCCESS SIR ISAAC NEWT





1642 - 20 March 1726/27) was an English a sophisticated theory of colour based on notion of a Newtonian fluid. In addition to the observation that a prism separates white theologian, and author (described in his own light into the colours of the visible spectrum. day as a "natural philosopher") who is widely His work on light was collected in his highly recognised as one of the most influential influential book Opticks, published in 1704. scientists of all time, and a key figure in the He also formulated an empirical law of scientific revolution. Newton built the first cooling, made the first theoretical calculation

Sir Isaac Newton FRS PRS (25 December practical reflecting telescope and developed of the speed of sound, and introduced the his work on calculus, as a mathematician Newton contributed to the study of power series, generalised the binomial theorem to non-integer exponents, developed a method for approximating the roots of a function, and classified most of the cubic plane curves.

# **"DON'T JUDGE A BOOK BY ITS COVER"**

are going behind; they are moving very fast" his Dad simply stared at him with so much joy and smiled!

A young couple seated nearby looked at the 24-year old and thought to themselves,

A 24-year old boy looking out through a he's so grown up but so childish, he must train's window shouted, Dad, look, "the trees have a mental disorder for his father not to be bothered.

> Suddenly the young man exclaimed again; Dad, look, "the clouds are running with us" the couple could not resist and said to the old man, why don't you take your son to

# AREA 51

white pickup truck with a tinted windshield peering down on everything below. Locals say the base knows every desert tortoise and jackrabbit that hops the fence. Others claim there are embedded sensors in the approaching road.

#### The Origins of a Mystery

The beginning of Area 51 is directly related to the development of the U-2 reconnaissance aircraft. After World War II, the Soviet Union lowered the Iron Curtain around themselves and the rest of the Eastern bloc, creating a near intelligence blackout to the rest of the world. When the Soviets backed North Korea's invasion of South Korea in June 1950, it became increasingly clear that

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interested in creepy stuff and mysteries. which haven't been solved to this day, these still trying to solve it or have closed the case, there are many famous unsolved mysteries such as the mystery of Bermuda triangle, but the two unsolved mysteries which is totally Grey Man is an inhuman creature that is said on by exhaustion and/or isolation.

Dyatlov pass" and "The Big Grey Man"

The first unsolved mystery "the incident at Dyatlov pass" (case#00-707) On the first American Pacific Northwest, the night of February 1959, nine-ski hikers Big Grey Man has been seen mysteriously died in mountains what is now russia ,On February 26, searchers found the hikers' abandoned tent, which had been ripped open from the inside. Surrounding the area were footprints left as bear-sightings. by the group, some wearing socks, some To all those people out there who are third-degree burns; one had been vomiting blood; one was missing a tongue, and some of their clothing was found to be radioactive. the most strange part about it is that their are incidents or cases to which the police are clothes were found out to be RADIOACTIVE Russian version of the Yeti.

mystery and weird which is "the incident at to haunt summit of the second highest peak in Scotland, Ben Macdui. Like the Yeti of the Himalayas and Big Foot) of the by few people. What makes the

> Big Grey Man particularly frightening is that his physical characteristics don't resemble that of a bear, and thus sightings can't be dismissed

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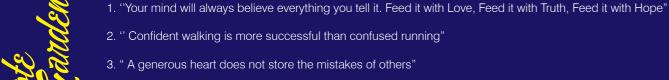
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wearing a single shoe, their foot prints lead Those who have seen the Big Grey Man into the woods, this is where the first two describe it as extremely tall (over ten feet) and bodies were found one of the body had human-like, with short hair, broad shoulders, and long arms. Nearly all reports of sightings include the sound of gravel crunching beneath footfalls. Scientists haven't been able to come up with an explanation for the sightings and the accompanying sounds, although psychologists Theories, drug overdose, UFO, and the have proposed that those who have supposedly seen and heard the Big Grey Man have been in "The Grey Big Man" case #58-244The Big a state of physical and mental anguish brought



In the middle of the barren Nevada desert, there's a dusty unmarked road that leads to the front gate of Area 51. It's protected by little more than a chain link fence, a boom gate, and intimidating trespassing signs. One would think that America's much mythicized top secret military base would be under closer guard, but make no mistake. They are watching. Beyond the gate, cameras see the Kremlin would aggressively expand its every angle. On the distant hilltop, there's a influence. America worried about the USSR's down over Russia.

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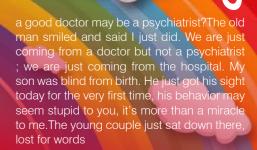


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- 4. " Live to make an impact in others , not for the applause of others"
- 5. " Let your light shine so brightly that others can see their way out of the dark "

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with a mixture of tears and shame in their eyes.

Everybody on earth has a story; don't judge people so fast or jump into conclusion about their private affairs; you don't know where they are coming from or what they have to deal with.

The truth behind their story might surprise you. Take it easy with others, even if you have a perfect life. Let us keep working towards the good of all.



ability to launch a surprise secret place to develop their weapons and area 51 was



#### Making a Myth

U-2 testing began in July 1955, and immediately reports came flooding in about unidentified flying object sightings. Naturally, Air Force officials knew the majority of these unexplained sightings were U-2 tests, but they were not allowed to reveal these details to the public. So, "natural phenomena" or "high-altitude weather research" became goto explanations for UFO sightings, including in 1960 when Gary Powers' U-2 was shot

## "ARCHAEOLOGY IS LIKE A JIGSAW PUZZLE, EXCEPT THAT YOU CANT CHEAT AND LOOK AT THE BOX, AND NOT ALL THE PIECES ARE THERE....."



past and historical era that existed centuries It includes reconstructing extinct ado. cultures from the material remains of past purpose. From these artifacts archaeologists human behavior, or the things people made build a model of what a culture was like. The or used and left behind. These remains are most thrilling part of archaeology is that of called artifacts. Much of what we see around digging! It is full of mystery and exploration us - computers, clothing, food, books, and where you come across a whole lot of

Archaeology is basically the study of all the buildings – are artifacts. Even natural objects, like a stick of wood or a piece of bone, are artifacts if humans have used them for some



today. We have the access to any kind of power of social media is very high and has information at just a button push away. its effects on each individual. It is difficult to effects like cyber bullying, body image issues Anything that is so vastly expanded has both imagine our lives with social media today etc. as well.

physical activities. Wow! I would just love to go to one of those barren lands and start digging into the earth even if found anything or not!!!

The amount of archaeological

land India is vast and varied. It ranges from monuments, statues and paintings to simple tools, scriptures and stones. Being from Kerala, I would like to highlight the archaeological foundations of my state... Some archaeological sites in my state are the Bekal fort, Edakkal caves, Phantom rock and the Vadakkunnathan temple. All these sites are extremely fascinating and visiting one of these places would give you goosebumps as it will take you to another world of mystery ... you will be lost in the hidden secrets of this universe.

and we do pay a price for excessive use

#### Positive Effects of Socia Media

Social media allows the social DEVANSH DOSH growth of the society and also helps many businesses.

It provides tools like social media marketing that can reach a millions of potential clients. We can easily access information and get news through social media. Social media is a great tool for creating awareness about any social cause

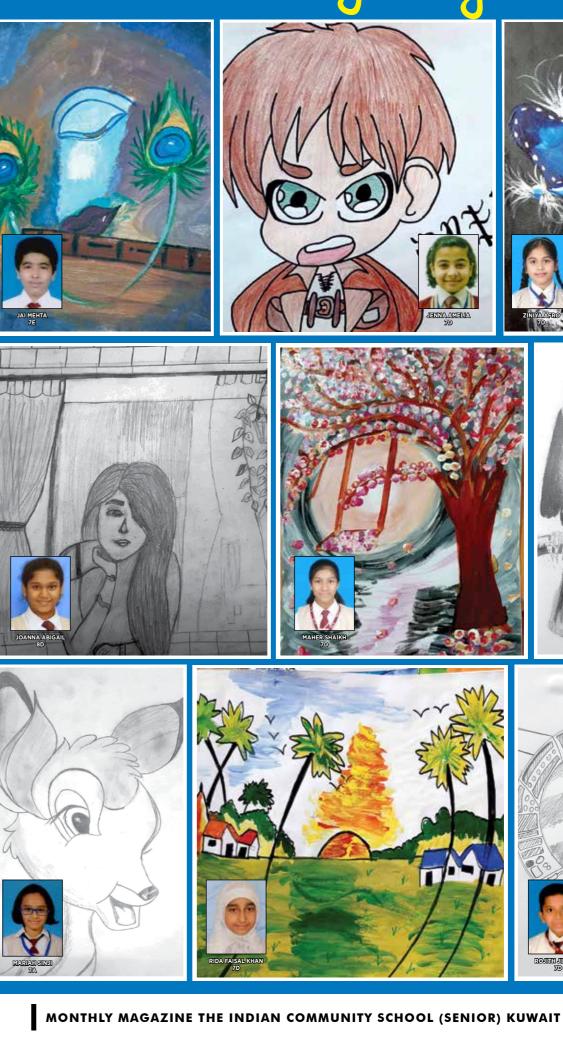
#### Negative Effects of social Media

Many physiatrists believe that social media is a single most factor causing depression and anxiety in people. It is also a cause of poor mental growth in children. Increased use of social media can lead to poor sleeping patterns. There are many other negative





artefacts in our motherland



Art Gallery















# EPIctionary

 Alacrity: Meaning: Enthusiastic and eager willingness to do something. Used in a sentence: Our students

participated in the fancy dress competition with alacrity.

2. Savant: Meaning: A scholar who is specialized in a particular subject.

Used in a sentence: My brother is a verbal savant. He speaks more than 20 languages.

**3. Magnanimous:** Meaning: Someone who is noble, generous and forgiving.

Used in a sentence: Even though the defendant had broken the law, the magnanimous judge gave him the lightest sentence possible.

- 4. Rejuvenate: Meaning: Make someone or something look or feel better or younger Used in a sentence: He tried to rejuvenate himself by performing physical exercises each day.
- 5. Ephemeral: Meaning: Lasting for a short time

Used in a sentence: Fashion is by nature ephemeral.

6. Immaculate: Meaning: Something which is neat and clean

Used in a sentence: The University has large corridors with immaculate gardens.

- Acumen: Meaning: Capable of taking the right decisions quickly at the right time. Used in a sentence: The HR manager of our company has the acumen to recruit right and qualified people.
- 8. Parsimonious: Meaning: A person who is extremely careful about spending money. Used in a sentence: Jenny is so parsimonious that she only makes a list of essentials before she goes shopping.
- 9. Burgeoning: Meaning: Growing and developing rapidly.

Used in a sentence: The burgeoning economics have created employment opportunities in various sectors.

10. Sanguine: Meaning: Optimistic or hopeful

Used in a sentence: Jaden has a sanguine attitude to life.



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SECOND - 12F



THIRD - 11G





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