The Inter PSBB Grand Slam Rally

The fourth edition of Sportlight, an inter PSBB annual sports quiz competition was conducted virtually on the 16th of April 2021. A Diamond Jubilee initiative of the group of schools, the Quiz was conducted over three separate categories- sub junior, junior and senior. The four branches, KK Nagar, T. Nagar, Nungambkkam and Siruseri, were represented by three participants each, in each level. The event saw the presence of our Dean and Director & Correspondent Mrs. Sheela Rajendra, Executive Trustee Mr. Y G Rajendra and Heads of PSBB Group of Schools.



The session commenced with an invocation to the almighty,

followed by a welcome



address, giving us an introduction of the quizmaster, Mr. Venkatesh Srinivasan. Mr. Srinivasan, an alumnus of PSBB KK Nagar of 1994 batch is the CEO and co-founder of Nexus Consulting, a Bangalore based knowledge - enhancement firm. He is a seasoned quizzer and a Quiz Master and has conducted various quizzes across the country.

The Sub-Juniors and Juniors Quiz consisted of 2 rounds, clockwise and reverse, with twelve questions each. The questions were versatile, yet captivating enough to keep the

audience and the

participants engrossed in the proceedings. The topics covered ranged from popular sports like cricket and football to obscure sports like croquet.

The seniors Quiz session was graced by Grandmaster Sundararajan Kidambi as the Chief Guest, another illustrious alumnus of KK Nagar branch. The quiz included an additional written round, reminiscent of a conventional quiz. The questions picked on nuances that included even the clothes worn by the players in

This is the cover of one of the many books he has written over his successful career. You could say that this title is technically wrong, by omission.

Who? Why?

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A rally of questions, a heated senior round

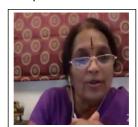
matches. Participants of all levels showcased immense competitive spirit and came up with intelligent and at times amusing answers which impressed the quizmaster himself.



Chief guest, Grand Master Sundararajan Kidambi

In the Valedictory ceremony that followed, the Chief Guest lauded the students on their transcendent performance, and praised the Quiz Master for his well-crafted questions. He commended the participants for having a vast repository of information at their disposal, and was pleasantly surprised at their innate presence of mind.

Mr. Venkatesh Srinivasan was amazed at the high standards of quizzing exhibited by the students, especially considering that it was a solo quiz. He mentioned how privileged each and every student of



Mrs. Sheela Rajendra, Dean and Director

PSBB is and how they must make good use of the opportunities presented to them by the school. He said that the school has never ceased to go beyond expectations and he thanked the organizing committee for conducting a remarkable quiz this year, despite it being online.



Quiz Master, Mr. Venkatesh Srinivasan

Mrs. Sheela Rajendra, a national level baseball player, urged students to broaden their knowledge on sports, if not play a sport and was appreciative of the tireless efforts of the teachers who made the event a success. She extended her gratitude to thechief guest and congratulated the participants for taking part in the quiz.

Mr. Y. G. Rajendra was astounded by the exemplary performance of the students and praised the participants on their awareness of sports at the national and international levels. He gave a heart-warming speech, vouching for more inclusion of girls in the sports sector.

The first-place winners for the sub junior, junior and senior divisions were Murari Anand (KKN), Dhruva Seshadri Anand (T Nagar) and Gunin Midha (NGM) respectively. Live youtube streaming of the entire quiz programme was arranged and was watched by students of all the four branches. Overall, it was a fulfilling experience.



Mr. Y. G. Rajendra, Executive Trustee