



# Annual Report 2018

## "PrayatnaSchool of Excellence" : At a Glance

**"PrayatnaSchool of Excellence"** is an organization which *aims to deliver Excellence in the Education and lay the foundation for the citizens of tomorrow*. Prayatna consists of a group of individuals who could see beyond themselves. The Passion to do something for the society and the zeal to overcome all odds and bring about a much-needed change in the quality of education provided at the primary level in the rural areas. The core team spare their time to change the lives of those who are the future of our Mother Nation. We have the desire to revolutionize the Quality of education at the primary level by the introduction of innovative ways of teaching and learning. The necessity is to develop not just an educated citizen, but to produce a learned individual who can Distinguish between what is right and what is wrong.

Prayatna primary objective is to promote **"Inclusive Education"** by connecting Schools, Corporate, Social change makers, Teachers, Residents and other sections of the community in efforts to ensure **"Inclusive Development"** for the society.

## From Founder's Desk

- ❖ *"Let's explore the more possibilities in imparting education at lowest level, increasing ground root level activities and a bit more focus on technology, social media and partnerships. Now need of the hour is to focus on how we can use the power of technology in learning. We are also moving ahead to rebuild Prayatna by reviewing positively our relationships with existing partners and adding few more partners in last quarter. Sharing good news is we enhanced our capabilities by expanding our team with new talented young professionals, social work and legal advisors and education lovers. Finally, I must say for next couple of months our motto should be scale up the operations at all levels. It should be **Speed Up! Scale Up!**"*

Praneet Sushil, Founder, IT Consultant

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## From Volunteer's/Coordinator's Desk

- ❖ *"Our volunteering experience with Prayatna has been very good. Working with this N.G.O. has given us an opportunity to learn a lot of things about Children and their Psychology. We got a lot of love and affection from kids. These kids are very unprivileged and need special attention. We saw that in Prayatna kids are not just given Bookish knowledge but also given lot of opportunities and guidance so they become successful in their life. I wish them great success in Future"*

**Mrs. Swati Ranghera** Centre Head, SOE-Kadipur

## From Teacher's Desk

- ❖ *"Teaching is the only profession I can think for myself. I can do it day and night tirelessly. Prayatna has given me chance to use my abilities to its fullest by teaching those unprivileged students who really need special assistance. "*

**Anant Pandey**, English Teacher, SOE – Molaheera

### New Joinee –



**Anant Abhay Shankar Pandey** is English teachers in Prayatna SOE. Graduated from Delhi University. At the moment he is also pursuing B.ed from Maharishi Dayanand University. In his own words – “ I don't like anything else except teaching. This is the only profession in which I can imagine myself since childhood. Being part of Prayatna is experience of lifetime for me. Here I got the chance to use my caliber to its fullest. Teaching English to students who don't have exposure of this language is real challenge and taking big challenges is what

define my personality."

## People Who efficiently manage the organization

Prayatna Heads	Core Team Members	Hon'ble Faculty/Trainers
 <b>Mr. Ram K. Mudholkar</b> President	 <b>Dr. Archana Singh</b> Centre Head, SOE-Jharsa	 <b>Ms. Gayatri</b> Lead Teacher, SOE-Jharsa
 <b>Mr. Praneet Sushil</b> Founder	 <b>Mrs. Swati Ranghera</b> Centre Head, SOE-Kadipur	 <b>Mrs. Manisha Mittal</b> Lead Teacher, SOE-Kadipur
 <b>Ms. Shammi Alhawat,</b> Chairperson	 <b>Mr. Arvind Kumar</b> Maths Teacher & Chief Accountant SOE-Molahera	 <b>Mrs. Neha Verma</b> Faculty, SOE-Molahera
 <b>Dr. Sonali Saxena,</b> Vice-President,	 <b>Mr. Anant Pandey</b> English Teacher & HR Executive	 <b>Mr. Neeraj</b> Faculty, SOE-Molahera
 <b>Mr. Ashutosh Tiwari</b> Treasurer		



# Media Coverage 2018



स्तुत कार्यक्रम की करतल ध्वनि में तालियों के साथ स्वागत किया ... प्रयत्न स्कूल ऑफ एक्सीलेंस

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**प्रेरणा**

मोलाहेड़ा की चौपाल से शुरू किया बच्चों को पढ़ाना

## दुकान पर काम करने वाला अरविंद अब 150 बच्चों को कर रहा शिक्षित

पवन कुमार सेठी | गुड़गांव

एक वक्त था जब घर का खर्च चलाने के लिए पिता के साथ दुकान पर मजदूरी करता था। जिस उम्र में हाथ में किताबें होनी चाहिए थीं उस उम्र में कंधों पर घर खर्च का बोझ था। इस दौरान एक व्यक्ति की नजर मुझ पर पड़ी और उसने मुझे दुकान के काम से बाहर निकालकर मेरे हाथ में किताबें थमा दीं। मेरा पूरा खर्च उठाया और आज मैं न केवल शिक्षा पा कर रहा हूँ, बल्कि 150 गरीब बच्चों को शिक्षित भी कर रहा हूँ। यह कहानी है मोलाहेड़ा निवासी अरविंद स्वप्नेना की। अरविंद अब बीकानेर फाइनल ईयर के छात्र हैं और मोलाहेड़ा की चौपाल पर 150 बच्चों को शिक्षा देते हैं।

### 2005 से शुरू की पढ़ाई

22 साल के अरविंद ने बताया कि 2005 में पिता के साथ फुटबॉलर की शॉप पर काम करते थे। घर के



आर्थिक हालात ठीक नहीं थे। इसके चलते पढ़ाई नहीं कर पा रहा था। साल 2009 में प्रनीत सुशील नाम के एक व्यक्ति ने मुझे दुकान पर काम करते देखा तो अपनी संस्था प्रयत्न के साथ जोड़कर मुझे शिक्षा दिलवाना शुरू कराई। पहले उन्होंने मुझे खुद पढ़ाया और प्राथमिक रूप से शिक्षित कर करने के बाद मेरा एडमिशन सरकारी स्कूल में पांचवी क्लास में करा दिया। स्कूल के साथ-साथ वो मेरी पढ़ाई पर खुद ध्यान देते लगे। कुछ समय बाद प्रनीत सुशील के साथ मिलकर मैंने भी आसपास रहने वाले लोगों से संपर्क किया और

यहां बच्चों को शिक्षा प्राप्त करने के प्रेरित किया। इसके बाद मैं संस्था के साथ वालंटियर के तौर पर जुड़ गया और अपने आसपास के क्षेत्र में सर्वे कर उन बच्चों को ढूँढा, जिनमें शिक्षा की अलख जगानी थी। सर्वे में 7 बच्चे ढूँढ निकाले और उन्हें गांव की चौपाल में ही शिक्षा देने लगा। अपनी पढ़ाई के साथ बच्चों को पढ़ाने का मौका मिलने लगा।

### शुरुआत में बच्चों को जुटाने में हुई दिक्कत

अरविंद ने बताया कि शुरुआत में बच्चों को जुटाने में काफी परेशानी हुई। परिजनों के विरोध का सामना करना पड़ा, लेकिन जब बच्चों में शिक्षा के प्रति ललक देखी तो उनके परिजन भी उन्हें रोक नहीं पाए। आज मोलाहेड़ा में ही 150 छात्रों को पढ़ा रहा है। खुद दिल्ली यूनिवर्सिटी से बी कॉम फाइनल ईयर की पढ़ाई कर रहा है। साथ ही दिल्ली से सीए की पढ़ाई भी कर रहा है।

\* Right click on the image and open Hyperlink for full Media coverage.

## National Means Cum-Merit Scholarship Winners

**Lovely and Abhishek** from class 8<sup>th</sup> has won NMMS Govt. Scholarship worth Rs 1000/- per month for next four years. These brilliant students of Prayatna belong to economically weaker section. They have worked hard to earn this reward. Prayatna started separate “Scholarship Classes” to guide them. As result of their hard work and our guidance now they are awarded with Scholarship of Rs. 1000/- per month for their studies from IX to XII in State Government School.



### Student of the Year 2018



(Shilpi Kumari receiving student of the year Award, Molahera 2018)



(Kushi Kumari receiving student of the year Award, Jharsa 2018)





Dr. Archana Singh receiving Best Teacher Award 2018

Dr. Archana Singh is PhD in child rights and Masters in social work. Has done tremendous work in uplifting SOE Jharsa for 2 years. Proud team member of Prayatna team. Congratulations!

### Best Performers of Molahera 2018

S. No	Name	Description	Class	SOE Center
1	<b>Shilpi Kumari</b>	<b>Student of the Year</b> : Good academic performer and well behaved student. She is working hard to improve her in all area.	7th	<b>Molahera</b>
2	<b>Kajal Kumari</b>	<b>Best Academic Performer</b> : She has been the best academic performer for two consecutive years. She scored 95% marks in 2018.	7th	<b>Molahera</b>
3	<b>Shobha</b>	<b>Best student in Arts</b> : She is one of the brilliant students who perform well in both academics and art. Shobha participated in many competitions like – Drama, Poem recitation, Painting etc.	6th	<b>Molahera</b>

## Best Performers of Jharsa 2018

S. No	Name	Description	Class	SOE Center
1	<b>Kushi Kumari</b>	<b>Student of the Year :</b> Tremendous improvement in academic performance and social behaviour is seen this quarter. Also, better concentration power in studies helped her a lot in performing at the school and at SOE centre.	5th	<b>Jharsa</b>
2	<b>Anjali</b>	<b>Best Academic Performer:</b> Begged very good position in the class with her concentration in studies and motivation of the teachers. She is doing well in his academics and we have lot of hopes with her.	9th	<b>Jharsa</b>
3	<b>Akansha</b>	<b>Best student in Arts:</b> Exceptionally well in singing. Performed in many internal and external events.	6th	<b>Jharsa</b>

### Best Academic Performers Jharsa 2018

### Best Academic Performers Molahera

S.no	Name	Class
1	Sahil	1 <sup>st</sup>
2	Khushi	5th
3	Komal	7th
4	Manisha	7th
5	Palak	7th
6	Ritika	7th
7	Anjali	9th
8	Saloni	9th

S.no	Name	Class	
1	Kajal	7th	
2	Akash	9th	
3	Rupa	7th	
4	Nidhi	9th	
5	Shilpi	7th	
6	Lovely	8th	
7	Nikhil	6th	
8	Karishma	6th	

## Prayatna Taekwondo Group

Inter Club	
Shubham	Gold
Amit	Gold
Karishma	Gold
Naziya Khan	Silver
Ankit Morya	Silver

Inter-National Championship		Inter Dojang	
Karishma	Bronze	Shubham	Gold
Shubham	Bronze	Amit	Gold
Amit	Bronze		
Naziya Khan	Bronze		

Taekwondo Global Cup	
Amit	Gold
Shubham	Gold
Karishma	Gold
Naziya Khan	Silver
Aditya	Silver
Soni	Bronze
Sourabh	Bronze
Karan	Bronze
Sangeeta	Bronze

Inter School Competetion	
Om Kumar	Bronze
Naziya Khan	Silver
Sourabh	Silver
Shubham	Gold
Amit	Gold
Ankit Morya	Gold
Karishma	Gold





## Major activities in 2018

### Remedial Classes -

Smart and interactive classes are crucial part of Prayatna remedial classes. Teaching students through audio-visual aids increases their learning ability and interest in the class.

Our goal in the classroom is to make sure that students are having so much fun that they don't realize they are learning.



### Art Festival -

Summer vacation in Prayatna was filled with colours, painting, songs, dramas, dances and musical performances. This time we had opened the doors for all students not only for enrolled in SOEs and feel the waves of competition with others as well. It was held from 1<sup>st</sup> week of May to last week of June at both our "School of Excellence" CDCs. Art is integral part of our life and it is equally important as academic development. We can't expect that every child area of interest is books. Each child have their own interests and we should focus on it. During the period of Kala Mahotasv kids participated in writing competition and showed their writing skills. Other than this kids also recited poem and narrated stories, which was based on moral values of **PANCHTANTRA**. Only motive of all these activities is to develop their overall personality. By participating in these events kids become aware of their interests.



*(Prayatna Kids participated in many cultural Programs in Art Festival )*

Students of Prayatna participated in a competition held by [Association of Writers and Illustrators for children](#). In which Shilpi came first in story making competition. Rupa (senior) & Reshma (junior) had won best reader of the year award. Participating and winning prizes in these competitions increases their confidence to achieve higher goals.





Prayatana celebrated Independence Day successfully. It was heartwarming to see children apply themselves with as much zeal and zest to the Independence Day celebrations. Their effort in decorating the stage and their participation in cultural activities on the 72nd Independence Day revealed their enthusiasm. Not only students but local people also showed full enthusiasm they came in very large numbers and stayed till evening.





“Prayatna students enjoyed and learned a lot in Prayatna Educational Trip. We had visited Lodhi Garden, Nehru Planetarium & National Science Center. Pictures of students reading about scientists, answering quiz and watching 3D movie on Dinosaurs. Educational trip was organized to increase their interest in studies through practical models and movies. Educational trips like this refresh their minds from traditional way of teaching.



On Birthday of [Mahatma Gandhi](#) and [LAL Bahadur Shastri](#) ji, Prayatna paid tribute to these two great souls of [India](#) by Cleaning our localities. By looking at efforts of children many local peoples also helped us and promised to keep their surrounding clean. Prayatna runs a cleanliness campaign like this at least once in every 2 months.



\* Right click on the image and open Hyperlink to watch Video.

Prayatna students performed Haryanavi folk dance in [Gurugram Achievers Award 2018](#). In Gurugram Achievers Award there were many peoples who did extra-ordinary job in their respective fields. Performing in this event was also not an ordinary task. Their performance in such big event took their confidence to next level. Watch their energetic and beautiful dance performance on Youtube.



Watch beautiful documentary film on [Prayatna-School Of Excellence](#) created by [GAR India](#). GAR India supports the running of our Jharsa centre. This documentary will show you how we run our centers and it is just part of many centers we are running.



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Personality Development is a major time-saver. The better you become, the less time it takes you to achieve your goals. "Personality Development & Yoga Sessions" are being held at SKIC Government School Noida by Prayatna Professional team, supported by [Ednextpro Education Pvt. Ltd.](#)





Prayatna students participated and won many medals and trophy in International Taekwondo Championship. Sports is integral part of prayatna curriculum and we pay full focus on it. Cricket and Taekwondo are two sports in which we have won many trophies.

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## Vibrant Democracy at Prayatna

Students selected their **3rd leader ( Pradhan Mitra)**. A prominent sincere student Akash grabs the position along with his "**Mitra Mandal**". Coordinators also took oath on this occasion.

To develop democratic spirit in students prayatna organize election in every 6 months. Children choose their leader among themselves who work for their betterment. **Pradhan Mitra** and **Finance Mitra** collect contribution from students and spend them on students. This collected contribution is only spend on development of center and students. This give them idea that it is their organization and it is for them and by them. Similarly there are other positions too like – **Sahitya Mitra, Kala Mitra, Sawacchata Mitra, Yog Mitra**.



## **“Youth for Seva” Cultural Fest**

Students of Prayatna participated in [Youth for seva](#) program in which they took part in Many competitions, and won many trophies and Medals. Manish and Nikhil came 3rd in Quiz, Ankit came 1st in Yoga, Nazia came 3rd in Yoga, Adarsh Pandey came 1st in Science Project and girls of primary section Chandni, Mamta, Suman, Afreena, Haseena, Ruhi had won two trophies in Dance and Skit. Participating in competitions like this give them proper exposure and confidence to show their talent anywhere.



## **Prayatna 10 years celebration**

On occasion of successfully completing 10 years of Prayatna, School of Excellence, cultural program was organized in Tau Devi Lal Park sector 23. The program started duly by lighting the lamp to Mother Saraswati. Through Dance, Drama and Music students got a chance to show their skills and entertain the respected guests and the audience. Hundreds of people appreciated performance of children with applauses. On this auspicious occasion Prayatna also honoured those personalities who are associated with Prayatna from a long time and working hard for future of children.





## **Best Performers of 10 years**



Since 2009 **Sonu Kumar** is part of Prayatna, first as a student and now as sports teacher. His story is really motivating. He was a child labour working in a shop. His mother felt the need of his education and through her he joined Prayatna. Prayatna helped him with his elementary education and admission in school. Now he is professional sports teacher and Taekwondo Champion. Sonu is a man of multi-talented personality he is also a good actor. He participated in many dramas, Nukkad Natak, and Skits and won many awards. Sonu is black belt in Taekwondo and like him his students are also leaving their mark in every big events.

**"Sonu Kumar"** had participated in **"Taekwondo Championship in Nepal"** at KaathMandu September this year and won Bronze Medal in a very hard battle with similar participants from across the South Asian countries. Prayatna Sponsored him for his entire Competition.



**Rajiv Ranjan** is one of the most creative students of Prayatna. He shows real spirit of Prayatna. He is an all-rounder in true sense. He is with Prayatna since 2014 as student and now as a volunteer. He is dedicated volunteer, social worker, actor and excellent singer. His magical voice is appreciated in many big events. He is a graduate in Music from University of Delhi.



**Sandeep** is part of Prayatna since 2009. He joined Prayatna as a student. He is one of the brilliant students. He had won student of the year award in 2015. He is very good in academics and great in arts. He was an excellent learner and exceptional student. Presently he is volunteering as a coordinator. He also played role of our center coordinator. Sandeep has phenomenal management skills. His service for Prayatna as Organizer, Manager and Volunteer is unparalleled.



**Arvind Saxena** has been associated with Prayatna Since 2012 and he is working as Senior Teacher & Chief accountant of Prayatna. He is very energetic, dynamic and very focused on Career Planning & Mentoring Programs for students. He is involved in overall management of "School of Excellence" Molahera & leading the team of volunteers for various activities held in all centres of Prayatna. Arvind has been teaching in Prayatna since 10th standard and after that teaching and learning became part of his life. His story is inspiration for many students. He is graduated from

Delhi University and at the moment he is pursuing MBA from Welingkar Institute of Management.



**Goldi Singh** is Part of Prayatna since year 2009. She has been one of brilliant students of Prayatna. Along with academics she also participated in extra-co-curricular activities. She is one of the most dedicated volunteer of Prayatna. At the moment she is teaching in Prayatna – Vidyapeeth. She is doing B.com from Delhi University. From last 10 years she is associated with Prayatna first as students and now as a teacher.



**Vishal Rana** is associated with Prayatna Since 2010. He is one of our Brilliant students. With studies he also participated in many big sports events like – Marathon, Race, and Cricket. He is a dedicated volunteer of Prayatna. At the moment he is doing polytechnic from Manesar Government College. In his own words " Prayatna helped me to groom my personality. Joining Prayatna is best decision of my life.

**THANKS**