

# KATHMANDU UNIVERSITY HIGH SCHOOL

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## Absent

Absence in the school is strictly prohibited without any serious reasons. And we discourage taking leaves. But if you have a grave reason to remain absent, please do not use the staff bus from Kathmandu when you come back to school since we don't have availability of seats in the bus. Sorry for any inconveniences.

## Telephone Service

As you all know that the school remains closed after 4pm to 8am in the morning. But if you have any queries to be answered in between those hours and vacation period, please feel free to call on **011-685694**.

## Series of Workshop

Last week, 7 series of workshop was held in KUHS for primary section staff. The teacher trainers were Mr Aidan Warlow (former Director of KUHS) and an experience teacher Mrs. Mary Barber (specialist in Early Years Education) from the UK. The training was specially focused on the following themes and was based on the book '*Better Classroom, Better Learning*' (BCBL) written by Mr. Aidan Warlow.

1. Introduction of the book (BCBL)
2. Better Handwriting in Primary School
3. English/Nepali
4. Practical Maths
5. Experimental Science
6. The Library
7. Role of a Class Teachers

This training has given us enough insight and confidence to excel in our teaching.

**Naresh Pradhan**

**Primary Coordinator**

## Walking Towards the Tower

We started this exciting hike from our school. We walked towards the nearest hill and went ahead. Most of us did not know what a phenomenon we were going to experience. We were actually going to visit the place where Prithivi Narayan Shah used to make his army ready for the battle. We had to walk a long way and we also enjoyed equally. When we looked ahead of us the way till the tower was way too long. Some of us stared at it agape. We were warbling along the way for time pass. After we reached the tower, some of us rather wanted to rest down. We went down at the plain field and played *kabbadi*. It was really fun looking at the boys tumble, kick and fall too. It was like a zany act. While returning we came in the jungle way and returned to our school safely on time. We would like to thank school for letting us experience all of these and hope to go in other similar places.

**Priyanka Thapa, 6A**

## Practice Journey of International Award

On Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> Feb, 2014, students participating in International Award from grade 8 and 9 along with 3 teachers Niva Shrestha, Mohan Pradhan and RC Parajuli went to Namobuddha for our practice journey. The students were divided into three groups with three different routes. All the groups had their own objective, we gathered a lot of information about history of Namobuddha, the story related with this historical place. We got to know about the life style of the monks staying there. We had a lot of fun and clicked lots of photos in the way. We had a hectic day but still had unlimited fun. The students participating in International Awards are really glad. They got an opportunity to experience this journey and they are looking forward to their upcoming journey. We would like to thank our school for providing us with this ample opportunity.

**Swarnima and Ritika, 9A**

## 4<sup>th</sup> KU Staff Cup

On Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2014, Kathmandu University High School organized it's 4<sup>th</sup> KU staff cup. Class 9 boys organized the programme under the co-ordination of Mr. RC Thapa (Sports Teacher). Dhulikhel Hospital, Kathmandu University of Medical Science, Kathmandu University and Kathmandu University High School had brought their sporty teams. The buzz around the ground became louder around 9 O'clock as all of the invited

teams arrived. Everything was well managed and the tournament kicked off with KUHS and KU at 9.30am. The match was competitive and the match was won by KU.

The second game was between DH and KUSMS. It was an eventful match which ended at 3-0 and DH won the game. Both the winning team reached the final after beating their respective opponents. The match in the final was between DH and KU. It was exciting and anticipating. As the final whistle was blown by the referee, the score line read 0-0 and the game advanced to extra time of 54 mins. in each half. When the extra time also couldn't decide the winner, the game had to be decided on penalties. After the penalty shootout, KU was victorious over DH beating them by 4-3 and they were crowned the champions. That was it and we had our champion of 4<sup>th</sup> KU Staff Cup. Anyway, it was an historical event for KUHS.

**Bibek and Aayush, 9**