

FAREWELL- 2023-24



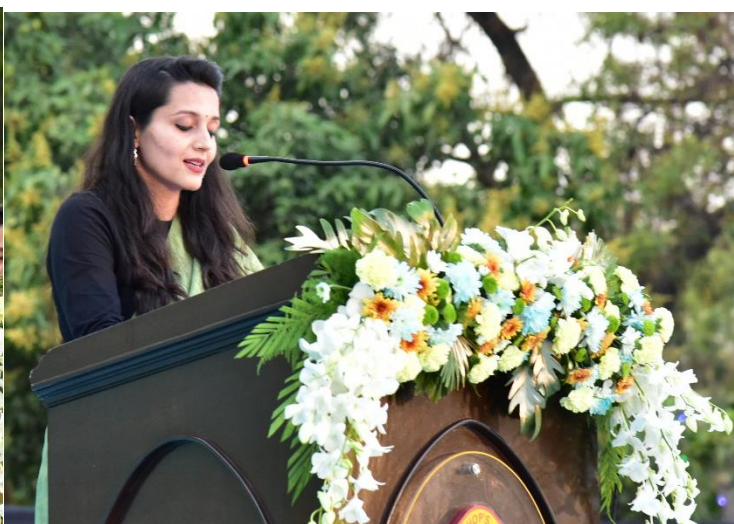
The Bishop's School, Camp, bid adieu to the students of the I.C.S.E. and I.S.C. batch of 2023-24 on the nostalgic evening of February 2, 2024. One last time, they cherished being around their friends and teachers with whom they had forged great bonds and created countless memories.



The event was graced by the presence of Governing Body members, Heads of sister schools, our Principal, Mr Shayne McPherson, and our Headmaster, Mr Christopher Gaynor.

“Time changes things but YOU actually have to change them yourself”, was the theme of this year’s farewell reinforcing the fact that change is a constant and one is accountable for all the happenings in their life. Furthermore, it shed light on the importance of time as a bridge between aspirations and success.

The St. Margaret’s ground was lit up with clocks of various time zones depicting the expanses of geography the students will spread their wings to. Subsequently, the school was led in a customary word of prayer by Pastor James, and the evening’s host Mrs Pooja Mishra, then briefed the gathering.



The event officially took off with the retreating march past when the Prefect Body, led by the Head Boys and the Head Girl, handed over the school flags to its custodian, marking the end of their term as representatives of the student body.



Thereafter, souvenirs were presented class-wise to the students of class X by their respective class teachers. Mr Huzefa Ginwala, parent of Mustafa Ginwala, also addressed the gathering on behalf of the parent body emphasizing his experiences and encounters with the school.

The student choir then sang a mellifluous rendition of 'True Colours.' Followed by which, souvenirs were given out to class XII stream-wise.



The Head Boy, Siddharth Thadhani, and Head Girl, Tanvi Kothari, delivered resonating and heartfelt speeches on their experiences at school and junior college respectively.



Mrs Nandita Warriar, mother of Aarushi Warriar, walked down memory lane, reminiscing the first time she had come to Bishop's two years back. The crowd, then, tuned to an uplifting song by the staff choir - 'Who I'm meant to be'.



The Vice Head Boy of the Senior School, Hallam Hart accompanied by Abdut Tayab Bordiwala, spoke on behalf of all boarders of their batch reiterating how the school has contributed to shaping their personalities and narrated tales of escape and enjoyment in the boarding.



The Principal, Mr Shayne McPherson, then presented souvenirs to the Prefect Body explicitly, for their efficient administration. He then administered the Valedictory Address entailing his debutante experience as the Principal of the outgoing batch.



Finally, the Head Boy, Suhas Pakalpati, extended sincere gratitude to everyone who has been a part of his schooling years. Ranjeet Shinde, the senior-most boarder then led everyone in the Grace and the audience then helped themselves to the lip-smacking dinner.

Students chanted their School Song for the final time followed by the National Anthem to mark a ritualistic end to the farewell, like any other event in school. Each of them encapsulated the thought that their blood was not red but maroon hereafter.

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