



# THE MORAVIAN STAR

MORAVIAN INSTITUTE, DEHRADUN

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## WORLD PREMIERE OF MODBOX HELD AT MORAVIAN INSTITUTE

Moravian Institute witnessed on Sat 18<sup>th</sup> Feb 2017, a public performance of ModBox, the world premiere of Modified Boxing. Mr Sumit Aggarwal and Mr Paul Perkins (former boxing Australia National Coach) congratulated Moravian Institute for a spectacular performance. ModBox is supported by the aid programme of the Australian Government through the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) within its Asia Partnerships (ASP) Initiative in collaboration with SEDA –India (Sports Education Development Australia) based on research conducted by the University of Canberra.



Coach Paul Perkins beginning the boxing performance

Paul Perkins introduced each aspect of the Public Performance: warming up, skill demonstration and one on one performance. Moravian institute coaches, Mr Raju Thapa and Mr Namsinrai Kamei, led 21 senior girls of the Moravian Institute in delivering the Public Performance.



Mr Paul Perkin with the pupils and the school coaches

## ISC FAREWELL 2017



ISC Pupils cutting the Farewell cake

This year the ISC-12 farewell was held on 20<sup>th</sup> February to bid goodbye to the outgoing pupils. As always, it began with prayer by Rev Thsespal Kundan, followed by the cake cutting by two pupils of Class 12. The Class 11 pupils presented a short entertainment programme comprising of some songs and dances. At the end, the staff members also joined the pupils on the dance floor for some fun and frolic. The atmosphere became a bit emotional after the closing prayer and everyone parted with a heavy heart.

We hope and pray that our outgoing pupils will have done their final (March-April) exams well, and will find success in life and bring laurels to their alma mater.



Class 12 girls performing for the last time



**The outgoing (2017) ISC-12 batch with the staff**

**2<sup>nd</sup> SISTER RUBY MEMORIAL INVITATIONAL HOCKEY TOURNAMENT**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Sister Ruby Memorial Hockey Tournament was hosted by St Agnes Inter College from 17<sup>th</sup> April to 21<sup>st</sup> April 2017. Our boys and girls teams both moved from the league round to the semi-finals and then the final too. Moravian Girls played against Welham Girls-A in the final, and unfortunately lost. Moravian Boys played their final against St Agnes-A, and again were runners-up. Our boys and girls played very well and wish them better luck next time.

**TEACHER EDUCATION WORKSHOP**

Moravian Institute hosted a week-long residential workshop from 9<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> January 2017 for teachers from half a dozen schools in Garhwal as well as Moravian teachers. The teachers learnt skills of Personal Management, Classroom Organization & Management, and Curriculum Development. We hope that the workshop and subsequent classroom observation and feedback from mentors will continue to help teachers improve their skills and result in more positive outcomes in pupils' learning.



**Faculty, Mentors and Teachers**

**INTER CLASS CHART COMPETITION**

An inter-class Chart Competition was held on 5<sup>th</sup> May in the school. The classes were divided into three groups and assigned different themes for preparing the charts. Classes 1 and 2 prepared charts based on the theme **Evergreen**, Classes 3-5 on **Nature**, Classes 6-8 on **Pollution**, and Classes 9-12 on **Science & Technology/Indian Economy**.



**Judges observing the charts**

Among the junior classes class 2 and class 3 won in their respective categories. In the middle school class 8 was adjudged as the winner and in the senior section class 12 won the competition. Mr Raju Thapa and Mr Lazar Gengmei were the judges for the chart competition.

**MR DAVID INGLIS MEMORIAL HOCKEY TOURNAMENT**

Senior Moravian boys participated in the David Inglis Memorial Hockey Tournament hosted by Wynberg-Allen School, Mussoorie. Moravian Boys reached the semifinals, but unfortunately lost 0-1 to Wynberg-Allen A. We wish our boys better luck next time.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- **An Alumni Reunion is scheduled to be held on 11<sup>th</sup> May 2017 at Moravian Institute.**
- **ICSE and ISC Board results are expected to be announced in the third week of May.**
- **The school will close for summer vacation on 13<sup>th</sup> May. Boarders will return on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July; and lessons will resume on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2017.**