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**FACE NEWS**

**Deputy President of Victoria Honours Springdale School, Pass Road**

The Honorable Minister James Merline MP, Deputy Premier of Victoria and Minister of Education, Australia along with his delegation visited Springdale School, Pass Road. A group of 20 students and 4 teachers from colleges of ALKRA, Dombivli, Mumbai Warrier, Lyndhurst are being hosted by the school for a 9 days. The new Victorian Young Leaders (VYL) in India pilot programme offers once-in-a-lifetime opportunity, where students from Melbourne, Victoria, Australia live and attend school in India. Students will experience daily life in an Indian school, explore India's cutting-edge science, technology, engineering and many STEM industries and discover the nation's culture. The Minister was accompanied by Chris Carpenter, Deputy Chief of staff, Jenny Atta and Michelle Wadia.

**Wadia, Principal, Dr. Anurita Mulla Wadia, welcomed all and accompanied the guests for lamp lighting. She spoke of the long and flourishing relationship between Springdale and numerous Australian institutes over several decades. James Merline addressed the gathering and thanked the Springdale School community. The Australian delegation was familiarised with infrastructural facilities and the teaching-learning process in a group setting. Moving this year followed by a great discussion with the Hon. Secretary, Department of School Education, and Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource Development and Dr. Sartho Dahi, Chairperson, National Council for Teacher Education approved the initiative of the National Education Policy and Teacher training in India subsequently. Principals of leading schools in Delhi attended the discussion.**

**Air Force Bal Bharati School Attends 25th Global Edition Celebrations of Women Economic Forum**

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**Thanksgiving Ceremony for Teachers at Sam International School, Dwarka**

Sam International School, Dwarka organised a thanksgiving ceremony to cherish the contribution of teachers. Principal Karuna Verma valued all the teachers for their hard work and dedication. Then she announced five teachers' name for receiving awards for their exemplary services in different fields. Shobha Sharma was awarded for her innovative teaching strategies in Hindi. Kalpana Raghuvanshi, TGT English was awarded for sincere services in media coordination of the school. Shashi Bhatt, The IT Head, was awarded for contribution in the smooth running of the Computer and IT wing. Shalini Malik was awarded for winning various inter-school competencies awards in art. Neelam Verma, PGT Political Science was awarded for her contribution in political science board results. All the teachers received a trophy with certificate by the Chairman Praveen Kumar.

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