

# THE UCF GAZETTE

A Glimpse of the Unlock Creativity Fest



### A GRAND OPENING

By Aanya Narula and Mahika Nagar

#### "The desire to create is one of the deepest yearnings of the human soul."

The Advance Healthcare Foundation's first ever virtual creativity festival- the Unlock Creativity Fest- had a marvelous opening! The event kick-started with a few rousing words from the director of AHC Foundation, Dr. Sreya Chattopadhyay. Advance Healthcare Foundation was privileged to have Dr. Biswajit Saha, Director of Training and Skill at CBSE as the Chief guest and Mrs. Mahalakshmi Subramani, Educational Consultant for Global Schools as the Guest of Honour joining us for the congenial series of competitions. Our honourable guests enlightened the virtual stage with their kind and encouraging words. Both Dr. Saha and Mrs. Subramani were all praises for all the students part of Unlock Creativity Fest, and also offered a few words of advice to inspire students.

As the Adolescence Development Club took over, Club Polymath Megha Chattopadhyay expressed her excitement for the grand fest opening and also credited the core team and volunteers for their active participation. Team members also presented a fun video and beautiful dance performance to highlight the beauties of adolescence, all in one frame.

The event concluded with Core Team Members introducing each event personally to the audience members as well as accommodating them with the competition rules. Dr. Saurabh Kole, Director, Advance Healthcare Foundation, brought the event to a positive end by delivering the Vote of Thanks.

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### WORDS ON A TUNE (SLAM POETRY)

#### By Anupriya Bhatnagar

#### "Poetry is when an emotion has found its thought and the thought has found words." -Robert Frost

The event Words on a Tune was basically a slam poetry event with a twist. The theme provided to the participants was "Life at home during Lockdown". The participants had to write an original piece of prose and then recite it in a video format, with a maximum time limit of 5 minutes. The event saw an overwhelming response from the participants. The entries were uploaded onto the official YouTube channel of the Advance Healthcare Foundation, where the winner was to be decided on the most number of likes, citing public approval and public's choice. The creative entries given by all the participants really gave a new vigour to the competition. The event was finally won by Jishnu Jha. His entry can be viewed on the AHCF official YouTube page.









LIFE IN LOCKDOWN - BY GUNPREET KAUR 2:50

Slam poetry Participant No 6 951 views • 2 weeks ago

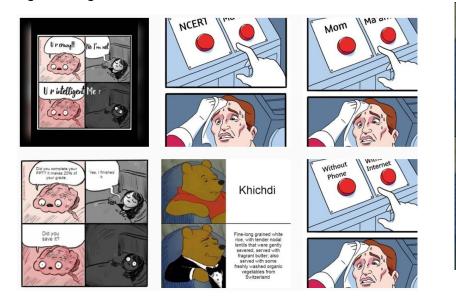
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#### WHAT DO YOU MEME (MEME-MAKING)

By Atharva Yash Shrivastava

"What do you meme?" was a meme making event that showcased the creativity skills of the participants. The participants were given five different meme templates using which they had to make memes within the deadline provided to them. The event was a grand success. The entries were uploaded onto the official Instagram page of the Advance Healthcare Foundation, where the winner was to be decided on the most number of likes, citing public approval and public's choice. The creative entries given by all the participants really gave a new vigour to the competition. The event was finally won by Atharva Yash Srivastava. His entry can be viewed on the AHCF official Instagram Page.





My Friend Who Is Continuously Telling Me De-merits of being active on Social Media with Unknown Friends

Me, who was informed by My Online Friend about the interesting events in A. H. C. F. and the certificates I have achieved

Winning Entry by Atharva Yash Shrivastava

#### **SCRIBBLE STORIES (DOODLE MAKING)**

By Aanya Narula

#### "Doodling is the brooding of the hand"

As toddlers we doodled, scribbled on pages and unleashed the artist in ourselves. The event provided people the opportunity to unleash their inner artist. Doodling is an art, a dexterity that is adored by all. Scribble Stories was especially curated for those who love doodling. Certain people tried their hands on doodling and submitted their beautiful pieces of art. The competition was held on an online portal and all the entries were posted on the official Instagram account of Advance Healthcare Foundation. We came across alluring entries in the competition. The doodle was supposed to be related to the letters "AHCF". Every single entry is worth the appreciation as every participant kept in mind to stick to the idea and added intricate details. Just as the ink of the doodle pen flowed, the thoughts of the participants flowed in their doodles and it was conspicuous. This event was based on the highest number of likes garnered by an entry, according to people's opinion and choice. The event was eventually won by Masooma Raghavana.



### TALES IN MOTION (SHORT FILM-MAKING)

By Mahika Nagar

This event was for budding cinematographers to unleash their creative and directorial skills. The event had the theme "The World of Adolescents". The participants had to send a video entry comprising of the short film of 5-7 minutes. The shoot and storylines of all the entries was really different, unique and mind blowing. There were some of the best and brightest sparks in a sea of creativity, as showcased in this event. The event was judged by **Mr. Harpreet and Mr. Arindam Roy.** The winner of this event was Rida Hasan.



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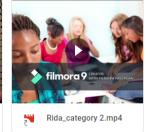
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### **FOOTLOOSE (DANCE)**

By Rida Hasan

#### "Dance is the joy of movement and the heart of life."

This competition was for the ones who are light on their feet. The event had the theme "Unity in Diversity". The contestants could do either some classical dance form or a western dance form, both of which were judged separately. Entries had to be in the form of a video of maximum time limit of

3 minutes. The participants had quite an enthusiastic response. The event was judged by **Dr. Saheli Pradhan**. The winners were Koyena Chatterjee for classical dance form and Tanishq D Bedia for western dance form, and their entries can be found on the AHCF YouTube and Instagram Handles.











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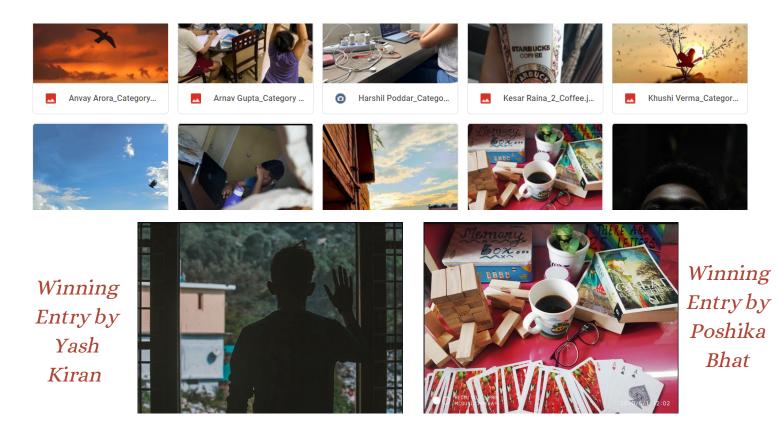
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### PICTURE PERFECT (PHOTOGRAPHY)

By Sagnik Sarkar

**"If a picture is worth a thousand words, photographers are worth a million."— Tupac Shakur** Picture Perfect was a competition for budding photographers. The event had the theme of "Life at Home during Lockdown". The participants had to display their intrinsic and artistic skills to make their entry as distinctive and different as possible. The event was adjudged by **Mr. Sudip Saha** and sir noted that a few entries had writing on them, which reduced the actual value of the picture and the impact it was supposed to have. The participants participated in this event enthusiastically and the winners of the event were Yash Kiran and Poshika Bhat respectively.



#### THE GAME OF VOICES (DUB-MANIA)

By Koyena Chatterjee

Life was having its bad days with the COVID-19 pandemic around, which left everyone feeling demotivated, but not to worry! " Picture abhi baaki hai mere dost!" And with this in mind, Advance Healthcare Foundation brought forth the event "Game of Voices" which was basically a dubbing competition which had 4 famous Bollywood monologues viz. Geet's train monologue from Jab We Met, Gabbar Singh's entry monologue from Sholay, Rakhee's temple monologue from Karan Arjun and Shah Rukh Khan's dressing room monologue from Chak De India! The participants could speak one dialogue each which was to be spoken in two different emotions. The event was adjudged by Dr. Nilanjan, who helped students become aware of the fine difference between dubbing and acting and improve their quality of work. The winner of this event is Mohar Banerjee.





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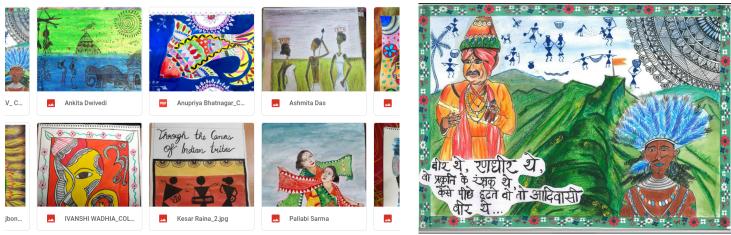


### **COLOUR-O-MANIA (DRAWING & PAINTING)**

By Mahika Nagar

#### "Every canvas is a journey all its own."- Helen Frankenthaler

Color-o-mania was a drawing and painting competition. The theme for the same was "Through the Canvas of Indian Tribes". No specific medium or size of artwork was specified for the participants to follow, so they were expected to let their creative juices flow freely and give beautiful entries that mesmerised the viewers. The participants gave it their all in the various entries given by participants from both categories. The event was adjudged by Ms. Monika Nadar. The winner for this event was Akshata D Yadav.



Winning Entry by Akshata D. Yadav

### ALL FOR ONE (SPILL POETRY)

By Atharva Yash Shrivastava

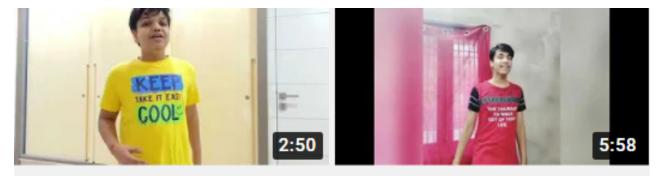
The event All for One was a spill poetry event. The theme provided to the participants was "World of Abstracts". The participants had to write an original piece of prose according to the theme of maximum 20 lines and minimum 10 lines. The event saw overwhelming response from the participants, and were adjudged by **Mr. Arindam Roy,** with the grammatical fluency and adherence to the theme. The creative entries given by all the participants really gave a new vigour to the competition. The event was finally won by Anupriya Bhatnagar.

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### **COMEDY BRUNCH (STAND-UP COMEDY)**

By Maansi Anand

To tickle the funny bone, we came up with our own platform to let aspiring comedians make people laugh. Students of both categories prepared sets of 5-7 minutes on the topic of their choice, and the entries were featured on the official AHC Foundation YouTube channel. On the basis of maximum likes, Siddhant Dwivedi emerged as the winner for this event!



Comedy Brunch Participant 2 (Harshil Poddar) Comedy Brunch Participant 1 (Siddhant Dwivedi)

Finalists of Comedy Brunch (Winner: Siddhant Dwivedi)

#### **EYE-CATCHER (LOGO MAKING)**

By Koyena Chatterjee

In the search of the perfect logo to match the values which make Advance Healthcare Foundation what it is, the Logo Making Competition was specially curated for those artistic minds who can channel our inspiration into an image which captures ones attention. Not only were the contestants responsible for creating a design from scratch, but they also had to think of a fresh idea which caters to the thought behind AHCF. Judged by the expert **Ms. Sayantani Das,** Sainsha Ahuja won the 'Popular Opinion' award and Mahaveera Laddha bagged the Jury's Choice Award.



Winners' Entries: Sainsha Ahuja & Mahaveera Laddha

### **GEEK-O-PEDIA (LIVE QUIZ)**

By Sagnik Sarkar

The blues of lock down became too much for us, and we put our thinking caps on! The 'Live Quiz' event saw mass participation from students all over the country, all excited to take part in Quizzes on all kinds of topics. With a total of 20 quiz topics to choose from, ranging from COVID-19 to K-Pop, the Live Quiz event was an absolute hit amongst students. Below are the topic-wise event

winners:

#### Category 1

#### QUIZ

Sports Books Web Series Patriotism COVID-19 Science & Environment Identify the Logo Indian and Greek Mythology Movies through Emojis Marvel and Potter

#### WINNER

Harshil Poddar Mahaveera Laddha Shreya Maurya Keshav Gupta Amrit Suman Keshav Vinayak Kedia Vinayak Kedia Ipshita Boudh Sanidhya Bhatnagar

#### Category 2

QUIZ

Sports Books Web Series K-Pop & K-Drama Astrophysics Inside the Human Body Identify the Tagline History and Mythology All About UN Marvel and Potter

#### WINNER

Jibin Aadya Kapoor Saumya Shreya Krishnan Riddhi Aggarwal Navleen Bagga Keshav Kapur Keshav Kapur Garima Prakash Janya Sirohi

### WITS ON WAR (LIVE DEBATE)

By Vanshita Bhandari

The Debate, one of the most awaited events of the entire fest, was true to the excitement it bore. All entrants had to first send in a 3-minute video on the topic 'Is Censoring of Online Content Good?' in the form of a Turncoat Debate. Six of these passionate debaters qualified for the Live Finals, in which topics were given to them on the spot and they had to put up a fight. The topics helped the upcoming generation shape their perspective.All the participants spoke very confidently and argued on very logical and valid points during the discussion. The event was judged by **Mr. Aditya Lal** and **Dr. Saheli Pradhan**, who declared Ankita Dwivedi as the winner and Ishan Choudhary as the first runner-up.





#### PEARLS OF WISDOM

I feel that the Foundation is doing an excellent job. On behalf of CBSE, I offer them my heartiest congratulations for such a brilliant endeavour.

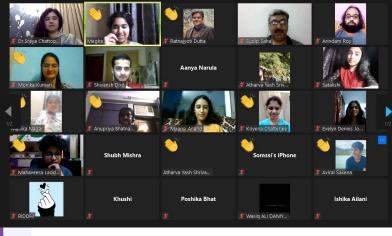
#### -DR. BISWAJIT SAHA, DIRECTOR, CBSE

The Foundation is doing such a wonderful job. The value and importance of creativity can be seen by their wonderful initiative, where they are making sure that students do not miss out on this experience of competing and learning.

-MRS. MAHALAKSHMI SUBRAMANI, HEAD, ARMY WIVES WELFARE ASSOCIATION

## A BIG THANK YOU!

By Koyena Chatterjee and Atharva Yash Shrivastava



### Anonymous Tapes

3..2..1. The curtains (virtual, of course) came down, and the Unlock Creativity Fest came to an end. A month full of exciting events, fun updates and truckloads of competition,
Advance Healthcare Foundation's first ever virtual Unlock Creativity Fest finally concluded with the ever-thrilling Closing Ceremony. In the presence of esteemed Jury Members of all jury-based events, the winners were disclosed and the month-long anticipation and excitement came to an end. The Closing Ceremony began with the wise words of Dr. Sreya

Chattopadhyay, Director, AHC Foundation and Mr. Ratnajyoti Dutta, Advisor, AHC Foundation, who appreciated the hard work of all participants as well as the Adolescence Development Club, who were hard at work all month. Each Jury Member graced the stage with their tips for the students, as well as constructive criticism which may help them improve their performance in the future. The Adolescence Development Club also took this opportunity to introduce another exciting event coming up in the month of Octoberthe online version of our annual Symposium series 'Adolescence- a Period of Bumps and Humps'. With virtual claps and happy smiles filling up our computer screens, this joyous celebration of technique and creativity eventually came to an end. Until next time!



### Thank you for participating! ADOLESCENCE DEVELOPMENT CLUB

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