



CLOSING REPORT | DSS GRADUATION DAY | CLASS OF 2022



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Deerwalk Graduation Day is a stage where the passed out students are awarded on their achievements, and given the token of love as their contributions involved in various clubs. This is a platform where students portfolio in reading-writing and in various skills shown in running various clubs is also demonstrated, how much and what cultural aspects they learned throughout two years in school.

Sifal Secondary School organized ‘Deerwalk Sifal Graduation Day’ on Asoj 1, 2079 (September 17, 2022). The objectives of Deerwalk Sifal Graduation Day is to award students on their achievements ranging from their Academic Performance, Arts demonstration, various skills learned by the students in front of their parents, guardians and teachers.

The school organized the Graduation where the school congratulated the students of 2022 for their huge success. In this event, topper students from each grade 1 to 12 are awarded. Students from grade XII also presented their view what they learnt here at Deerwalk. The program was formal so there wasn’t any cultural programs conducted.

There were 68 attendees including the graduates present at the venue. The program started at 8:45 AM where Alisha Shakya, Admin Officer initiated the program inviting Sagina Maharjan, faculty member of the Chemistry Department where she congratulated and wished them the best for their upcoming future. The speech was followed by Sashwat Paudel, student from grade XII, where he also had his view point on what he learnt from seniors and what he had achieved so far being here. Three of the graduating students Adhit Upadhyay, Binaya Rijal and Rakshit Dahal also shared their views, experiences, what they have learnt, and overall development being in Sifal School. After that, Nirmal Kumar Paudel, faculty member of the Nepali Language Department highlighted some of the important features of how students have built their portfolio being here during their two years tenure ranging from intern to social involvement as community hours.

Ms. Rashmita Adhikari, Parent of graduating student Apurba Adhikari had her views on the school where she highlighted on some of the skills and activities like reading books. She even thanked all teachers and school family for the outstanding performance on academic as well as other various skills development programs and tasks that school have been proliferating. She also congratulated all the graduates on their accomplishments.

After welcome remarks and, speech from parents there was an award distribution ceremony. Students from different clubs were awarded and given the token of love. Moving forward Alisha called Mr. Sarak Dangol faculty member of Mathematics Department on the stage to distribute the certificates and books to the club

presidents. The distribution was supported by Ms. Sagina Maharjan, Ms. Samyo Hangma Rai and Mr. Laxman Jari.

Mr. Madhusudhan Bhusal, Science Department Head distributed awards to the students who were best in practical in labs in science ranging from Physics, Chemistry to Biology.

After Mr Bhusal, Mr. Santosh Kumar Shah was called on the stage to present the certificate and book to the best students in extracurricular activities. After this Alisha called Ms. Bindu Paudel to distribute the books and certificates to the Best readers, writers and speakers in English and Nepali language. Ms. Samikshya Hada, Head of Elementary School (Grade 1-4), Mr. Tej Prasad Kafle, Head of Middle School (Grade 5-8) and Mr. Ujjwal Poudel, Head of High School (Grade 9-12) to present the certificate and book to the toppers of their respective level. The students involved in internship and community hours were awarded by Mr. Ujjwal Poudel.

Ms. Shakya invited Mr. Rakshit Dahal to share his experience as an intern. Next, Mr. Binaya Rijal was called to share his experience working at a remote village as a part of the Community Hours Program. He highlighted how privileged they were compared to the students he had taught. Ms. Shakya then called Ms. Ruby Labh, faculty member of Mathematics Department to present the “Lifer” award to Mr. Adhit Upadhyay for completing his schooling here at Sifal School. Mr. Nirmal Kumar Paudel then delivered his short closing note congratulating all the graduates and wishing them the best for their future endeavours.

Ms. Shakya then called Mr. Bijaya Kumar Shrestha, the principal of DSS at the stage where he presented certificates to the graduates. Mr. Shrestha also awarded the Valedictorian to Mr. Adhit Upadhyay for his overall excellent performance not only in academics but as well as extracurricular activities. Mr. Upadhyay then delivered his Valedictorian speech – he mentioned details of his experience at DSS, from their first day to the last and congratulated everyone on their graduation.

After the valedictorian’s speech, Ms. Shakya once again invited Mr. Bijaya Kumar Shrestha to deliver his speech which was heartfelt to the graduates emphasizing their endurance, significance and encouraging them as they move on to a new chapter in life. Continuing the ceremony all the graduates and the faculty members were invited on stage to take a group photo which marked the end of the program.

To summarize, parents and guardians enjoyed the achievements of their children in the Deewalk Graduation Day. Hard work and coordination of faculty, students, support staffs and management, and support from the parents/guardians led to the grand success of the event. The attendance of parents and guardians and their support was remarkable.

Task Division and Planning

Major work-out was focused on the task division, dividing the tasks into three categories, pre-event, event and post-event. The details of the task division were maintained in a Google spreadsheet [DSS Graduation - Class of 2022](#). A good to go meeting was held where the core members of the event were included.

Schedule

The program started at 8:45 AM and ended at 11:15 AM.

Program Overview

Sifal School hosted the Graduation Day on Asoj 1, 2079 (September 17, 2022). The venue was at the Deerwalk Complex.

Ms. Alisha Shakya, the admin officer of the school was the host of the event. The event started with the introduction of the graduates who then took their respective seats. Then, the national anthem where everyone presented there stood up and sang along showing their deep respect for the country followed by the students who sang the Swasti Bachan which filled the ambiance with tranquility.



Ms. Alisha Shakya | Emcee



Audience

After the Swasti Bachan, Ms. Shakya called Admin initiated the program by inviting Ms. Sagina Maharjan, faculty member of the Chemistry Department where she congratulated and wished the students the best for their upcoming future. The speech was followed by Sashwat Paudel, (Class of 2023) where he also had his view point on what he learnt from seniors and the memories they have made together. Ms. Rashmita Adhikari, Parent of graduating student Apurba Adhikari shared her views on the school where she highlighted on some of the skills and activities like reading books. She even thanked all teachers and school family for the outstanding performance on academic as well as other various skills development programs and tasks that school have been proliferating. She also congratulated all the graduates on their accomplishments.

Moving forward with the program, Ms. Shakya called Mr. Sarak Dangol on stage to distribute the certificates and books to the club presidents. The distribution was supported by Ms. Sagina Maharjan, Ms. Samyo Hangma Rai and Mr. Laxman Jari; Mr. Apurba Adhikari (DSS STEM Club), Mr. Jubin Maharjan (DSS Foreign Language Club), Mr. Rakshit Dahal (DSS Hiking Club), Ms. Anukrama Poudyal (DSS Movie Club), Ms. Arya Khatri (DSS News & Media Club), Ms. Manisha Gurung (DSS Quiz Bowl Club), Mr. Aashutosh Pudasaini (The Deerwalker), Mr. Samyam Shrestha (DSS Art & Craft Club), Mr. Adhit Upadhyay (DSS Basketball Club), Mr. Aashutosh Pudasaini (DSS Coding Club) and Ms. Manisha Gurung (DSS Drama Club).



Mr. Sarak Dangol – Presenting the Certificate and Book to the club presidents

Ms. Shakya thanked Mr. Dangol and called forth Mr. Madhusudhan Bhusal to distribute the certificate to the students who performed the best in academics and practical; Mr. Samrat Nakarmi (Best Lab Work in Physics and Chemistry), Ms. Niharika Shrestha (Best Lab Work in Biology), Mr. Aashutosh Pudasaini (Best Project work in Computer), Mr. Ashwot Acharya (Best project in Physics), Mr. Samyam Shrestha (Best project in Chemistry), Ms. Simon Sangat (Best project in Biology), Mr. Aashutosh Pudasaini (Best project in Maths), Mr. Samyam Shrestha (Best project in English), Ms. Manisha Gurung (Best project in Nepali), Mr. Apurva Adhikari (Best Student in Physics, Mathematics and Coding) and Mr. Samyam Shrestha (Best student in Computer).



Mr. Madhu Sudhan Bhusal – Presenting the Certificate and Book to the academic achievers

After Mr. Bhusal, Mr. Santosh Kumar Sahu was called on the stage to present the certificate and book to the best students in leadership; Mr. Binayak Mahato (Best Class Representative of the Class of 2022) and Mr. Apurba Adhikari (Best Club President).



Mr. Santosh Kumar Sahu – Presenting the certificate and book to the best students in leadership

Ms. Bindu Paudel was then invited on stage to present the certificate and book to the best students in literature: Ms. Anukrama Poudyal (Best reader in Nepali Reading Book), Mr. Samyam Shrestha (Best reader in English Reading Book), Mr. Adhit Upadhyay (Best Public speaking in Nepali), Mr. Aashutosh Pudasaini (Best Public speaking in English), Ms. Manisha Gurung (Best Writer in Nepali Language of the Class of 2022) and Mr. Safal Gautam (Best Writer in English Language of the Class of 2022).



Ms. Bindu Paudel – Presenting the certificate and book to the best students in literature

Moving forward with the program, Ms. Shakya called Ms. Samikshya Hada, Head of Elementary School (Grade 1-4), Mr. Tej Prasad Kafle, Head of Middle School (Grade 5-8) and Mr. Ujjwal Poudel, Head of High School (Grade 9-12) to present the certificate and book to the toppers of their respective level. The following students were awarded; Mr. Ujjwol Dhakal (Grade 1 topper), Mr. Ruhjen Jung Khadka (Grade 2 topper), Mr. Raj Manandhar (Grade 3 topper), Ms. Pasang Doma Sherpa (Grade 4 topper), Ms. Shuvee Lamichhane (Grade 5 topper), Ms. Prasiddhi Dangol (Grade 6 topper), Ms. Aakanchya Khadka (Grade 7 topper), Mr. Sauharda

Bajracharya (Grade 8 topper), Ms. Sunabi Pokhrel (Grade 9 topper), Ms. Muskan Singh (Grade 10 topper), Mr. Aarnov Adhikari (Grade 11 topper) and Mr. Adhit Upadhyay (Grade 12 topper).



The respective HoS – Presenting certificate and book to the Grade toppers

After presenting certificates and books to the grade toppers; Ms. Shakya then called the students who had worked as an intern during their student life; which was presented by Mr. Poudel. Mr. Parikshit Maharjan, Mr. Jubin Maharjan, Ms. Arya Khatri, Mr. Rakshit Dahal and Mr. Binayak Mahato. Mr. Rakshit Dahal also gave a speech about his experience at Deerwalk.



Mr. Ujjwal Poudel – Presenting the award to the student interns

Ms. Shakya then called the students who had participated in the community hours program which was again presented by Mr. Poudel, Ms. Manisha Gurung and Mr. Binaya Rijal. Mr. Rijal also gave a speech reminiscing his community hours' experience.



Mr. Binaya Rijal – Delivering his speech regarding the Community Hours

Ms, Shakya then invited Ms. Ruby Labh on stage to present the **‘Lifer Award’** to Mr. Adhit Upadhyay. The Lifer Award is presented to those students who have spent their student life here in DSS from Grade 1 until Grade 12. Mr. Nirmal Kumar Paudel was invited to deliver the closing note, where he talked about what the students have learned and grown up with excellence in various fields, going beyond academics and achieving a life lesson being at Sifal School. He encouraged students to improve in the same way in coming future. Then, Mr. Bijaya Kumar Shrestha, the principal of DSS was invited on stage to present the graduates with their

certificates. Mr. Shrestha also awarded the Valedictorian to Mr. Adhit Upadhyay for his overall excellent performance not only in academics but as well as extracurricular activities. Mr. Upadhyay then delivered his Valedictorian speech – he mentioned details of his experience at DSS, from their first day to the last and congratulated everyone on their graduation.



Mr. Bijaya Kumar Shrestha – Presenting the Graduation Certificates



Mr. Adhit Upadhyay - Valedictorian | Class of 2022

After the valedictorian's speech, Ms. Shakya once again invited Mr. Bijaya Kumar Shrestha to deliver his speech to the graduates emphasizing their endurance, significance and encouraging them as they move on to a new chapter in life. Continuing the ceremony all the graduates and the faculty members were invited on stage to take a group photo, marking the end of the program.



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Strengths and Areas for improvement

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1	The program was done on time and went smoothly.	The students must gather before hand
2	Remarkable presence of audience regardless of weather	Speech from students to know their view points

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