

## **BHARAT SCOUTS AND GUIDES, CHANDIGARH DIVISION**

KVS Bharat Scouts & Guides, Chandigarh Region is keeping the spirit of Lord Baden Powell alive through the Scout Guide events throughout the year. Various activities are carried in all schools under Chandigarh Division. The enrollment process for Scouts, Guides, Cubs and Bulbuls start in the month of April with the new academic session. The enrolled scouts and guides achieve various levels of expertise by passing Pravesh & Pratham Sopan at school level, Dwitiya Sopan & Tritiya Sopan at District Level and then they are ready for Rajya Puruskar at Divisional level. Those who clear Rajya Puruskar participate at National Level for Rashtrapati Award.

The Region holds various levels of Training courses for Basic and Advance level for teachers from time to time. Workshops are also conducted for brain storming and discussions regarding the Scout Guide movement such as "Free Being me & ABC" and Trainers Meet at Regional Level. The ASOC's attended the Trainers Meet at National level held at Varanasi. The Regional Committee for Scout Guide Meet from time to time to discuss the progress of the movement.

Scouts and Guides Movement brings the overall development of the child. Children participate in various camps and associate themselves with social work like spreading literacy, Swacchh Bharat campaign, Planting trees, maintaining discipline, giving First Aid in emergency situations and being true to their Motto of 'Be Prepared ' always.

Cubs and Bulbuls are also primary part of this movement. Our region is keeping up with cubs and bulbuls activities at school and regional level. Some of the activities of Cubs and Bulbuls are tree decoration, den making, nest building, salad preparation etc. They are also taught how to make the maximum use of the minimum resources provided to them in case of adverse situations. Camps are held in the school as well as outside the school to test these skills. Cubs and Bulbuls Utsav is celebrated at Cluster/ Vidyalaya level every year.

Scouts and Guides made improvised temporary tent like shelters and cooked food with the minimum resources available. Troop meeting is regular feature in every school. Events like Thinking Day and Flag Day are celebrated at school level for maximum participation of all students. Every school has well-kept Scout Guide corner for school activities. Scouts and Guides movement in Chandigarh Region is trying its level best to influence Young Minds in positive way and work for overall development of the child in terms of thoughts, words and deeds.



