Conference held on Drug Addiction at Doon School

By OUR STAFF REPORTER
DEHRAWDUN, 10 Aug: The Human Rights and Social Justice Association, in collaboration with The Doon School, organised a Conference on Drug Addiction in the school premises on 8 August. The conference was attended by Ajay Bhat, State President of BJP, Finance Minister Prakash Pant, DIG Pushpak Ajyoti, Piyush Malaviya, Director of Public Affairs, Doon School, Dr. Dinesh Mohan Kala, social activist.

Among others who attended the conference were Philip Burrell, 2nd Master of The Doon School, Dr. Nishant Naveen, an Old Boy of the School who is an eye surgeon and social worker. The seminar was organised by Ankit Burrell, Social Service Coordinator of the School, Sneha Jain and her husband, Madhu Jain, of The Human Rights and Social Justice Association.

Minister Pant mainly talked about doing away with the liquor shops opened near the schools and also gave many interesting examples from Gandhiji’s life. He also assured all the organizations present that the matter would be raised by him in the public. Ajay Bhat talked related with the Indian mythology and ‘Samadhi’ and told everyone to stay away from drugs.

Pushpak Ajyoti spoke about the parental aspect on drugs and the need for them to connect with their children.

Dr. Dinesh Mohan Kala talked about the effect of drugs on the human body and there were no withdrawal symptoms after leaving cigarettes and only will power was required to give up the tobacco habit.

Doon School wins Selaqui Soccer Tournament

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DEHRAWDUN, 10 Aug: The 4th All India Selaqui International Soccer Tournament U18 Boys is being held by Selaqui International School, here. It is being conducted with the special support of the Uttarakhand Football Referee Association.

In the final played today, The Doon School beat Selaqui International School, 3-1. The scorers for Doon School were Ishan Roy, Kshitij Goel and Kushesh, and for Selaqui, it was Vikram Jeet.

The Best Player of the Tournament Award went to Vikram Jeet Singh Mehta. The Best Goal Keeper of the Tournament was Anish Bide, while the Fair Play Trophy was awarded to Indian Public School.

The Chief Guest, today, was Headmaster of Selaqui International School, Rashid Sharifuddin, who gave away the awards. The Guest of Honour was Senior Minister Deepak Sharma.

The referees were Nashad Nanda, Gopil Thapa, Aman JKhmola, Pradeep Negi, Roshan Chand, Aashish Bhador and Mita Nerd. The winner of the tournament also received a prize money of Rs. 2 lakh, while the runners-up got Rs. 50,000.

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