

# SCHOOL TIMES



The teachers of our school say thanks to the great performers who showed their talents at the 8th March concert. Don't be afraid to demonstrate your skills in singing, dancing, reciting poems and even doing acrobatics. It's really a great pleasure to watch your fascinating performance.



## Important Dates

### The 8th of March - Women's Day

Nowadays Women's Day is considered to be an international holiday, however, the beginning of this celebration goes back to 1908 when the women of New York City held their first meeting as a social political event. In 1909 it was announced as a national holiday in America.

The idea of international celebrating of the women's rights belongs to a German communist activist **Clara Zetkin**. (By the way, her ashes were placed in the Kremlin Wall Necropolis in Red Square in 1933.)

Russian women observed their first International Women's Day in 1913. It was declared a national holiday in the Soviet Union in 1917.

Today the focus of celebration is different. In some countries the day lost its political flavour and became simply an occasion for people to express their love for women. Thus, it is similar to a mixture of Mother's Day and Valentine's Day. In other regions the political and human rights theme runs strong. Some people wear purple ribbons to bring out the social importance of the struggle of women for their rights worldwide.

## SPELLING BEE

It was an amazing spelling battle between the students of primary school as well as the 5-6th formers. They had a really hard preparation, they had to learn a lot of new words to spell them correctly.

And the winners 2017 are **Berezovskiy Nikolai (4A)** and **Mikhina Aleksandra (6V)**



## CONTEST

opinion: «I liked this contest very much because it was very funny and interesting. When I entered the assembly hall, I was really shocked as the advertising posters were so bright and eye-catching! I enjoyed taking photos with the bees in colourful costumes. I'd like to thank our teachers of English for this unforgettable event and a chance to take part in this contest. However, I'd like to see more bees next year and may be even the bee houses but it's not necessary, it's only my dream. Bees Forever!

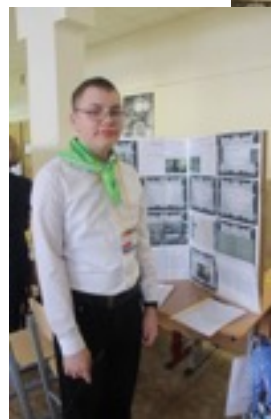


Valera Loginov from the class 4V shares his



In March we took part in the Scientific-practical conference « The Combined knowledge". This year the Conference was attended by representatives of educational institutions of Romania, Abkhazia, The UK, the Netherlands, India, the Czech Republic and China. And ,of course by us!) We were the ones from the greatest!!! It was really difficult to withstand competition giving a two-hour speech in defense of the project. But it was worth it. I feel proud of myself and all my schoolmates who are interested in this serious work.

Biryukov Gleb (7V)



format of the online broadcast. But I we think the experience was successful. Great Thanks to our technical specialists, the organizers and the jury!

On March 16 the students of 9 B class took part in the open scientific-practical conference-contest "Electronic Russia: the choice of the youth» with the project « The Web quest: a safe environment" The competition was held in collaboration with the project « The School of new technologies". The main objective is the creation of conditions for the development of research and creative design activity of school students with the intensive use of ICT. The participation in the conference has a strong influence on the future professional life of the participants. Many of the winners of the first conferences have now become the

programmers, designers, managers of ICT projects and analysts working in ICT companies, creative studios, the Internet-projects and ICT-consulting.

This is the first experience for us - a scientific conference in the



We wish our success to be continued in other project and research activities!

The supervisor teacher-psychologist Klinkova E.A.



## A BOOK IN THE MASK

Reading books is my favorite pastime and I was really happy when my teacher suggested me participating in the literature festival «A Book in the Mask». The first stage was held in our school library and I scored a success ! Then the qualifying round of the festival took place in the Children's library No. 236 where 15 students of the 6-7th grades tried to do their best in the art of reading. According to the results of the competition 5 contestants were chosen who performed the most vividly and emotionally while reading some extracts from unknown literary works. The jury appreciated our reading technique as well as our artistic skills I was lucky to be the winner together with Sergeeva Nastya from class 7B.



All the participants were given books as presents. We hope for further cooperation with Children's library No. 236 and are waiting for new invitations to such exciting events!

Anna Kostina , 7A

## THE MATHS BATTLE

On March 18th the mathematical games between the pupils of the 6 -7 th classes were held by the teachers of the Moscow state University. This year our school participated in this tournament for the first time. The game was attended by five teams.

Before the competition the organizers draw a map of the "Capital States» which indicates the start positions of the teams. The participants must capture and hold as many territories as possible answering questions quickly and correctly.

Actually, the Math battle was quite tense but really interesting, we were involved in doing different tasks where the guys required not only the knowledge of mathematics but also the ability to work as a team. All of our teams were successful, but most importantly, the students got a great pleasure from solving interesting problems.

**Karpova Nastya 6 A**



## FIREFIIGHTERS' JOB IS REALLY TOUGH

Our class went on an excursion to the Fire Station № 39 next to the metro Planernaya . It was amazing to feel the atmosphere of really tough work of firefighters. Our Guides were the firemen who showed us the fire engines, personal protective equipment, fire hoses and other specialized equipment .They also revealed the activities of a daily service which include a regular inspection and cleaning of the apparatus and equipment as well as continuing education in the fire service . Of course, there are weekly drills in which firefighters practice their professional skills. Actually, we were very interested in listening to exciting stories about fighting fires and rescuing people. But the highlight of our visit was the opportunity to deal with all the equipment and protective suits for firemen, sit in the fire truck and even try to extinguish the mythical fire using the fire hose. Many thanks to the staff of a Fire brigade No. 39 for the interesting and informative tour. Luckily, there wasn't any emergency calls to put out fire immediately but we shouldn't forget that the job of a firefighter is tough and risky but demanding and rewarding.

**Boris Yashin 7B**

## SUCCESSFUL DEBUT IN DEBATING

We were happy to participate in Russian nation-wide school parliamentary debates which were held in the context of Plekhanov University of Economics project contest. First of all we were taught the basics of public speaking theory and argumentation and then we demonstrated our speaking skills in real discussion of a parliamentary bill. To be honest, we were the best thanks to our teachers of English Olga Yevgenjevna and Tatyana Nikolayevna. **Our school is great!**

