

AZADI KA AMRUT MAHOTSAV – ONLINE **INTER SCHOOL QUIZ COMPETITION**

NAVY CHILDREN SCHOOL, KOCHI

The Government of India has initiated Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav on the occasion of 75 years of Indian Independence to rejoice and honour the glory of the country, its citizens, its multi-faceted culture and the varied achievements for the last 75 years. Navy Children School, Kochi celebrated the occasion with various events, with the key focus being an Inter-school Quiz Competition, that paid tribute to the unsung heroes of Pre-independent era and the country's rich culture and heritage as well as the various accomplishments of our country in the ensuing years since independence.

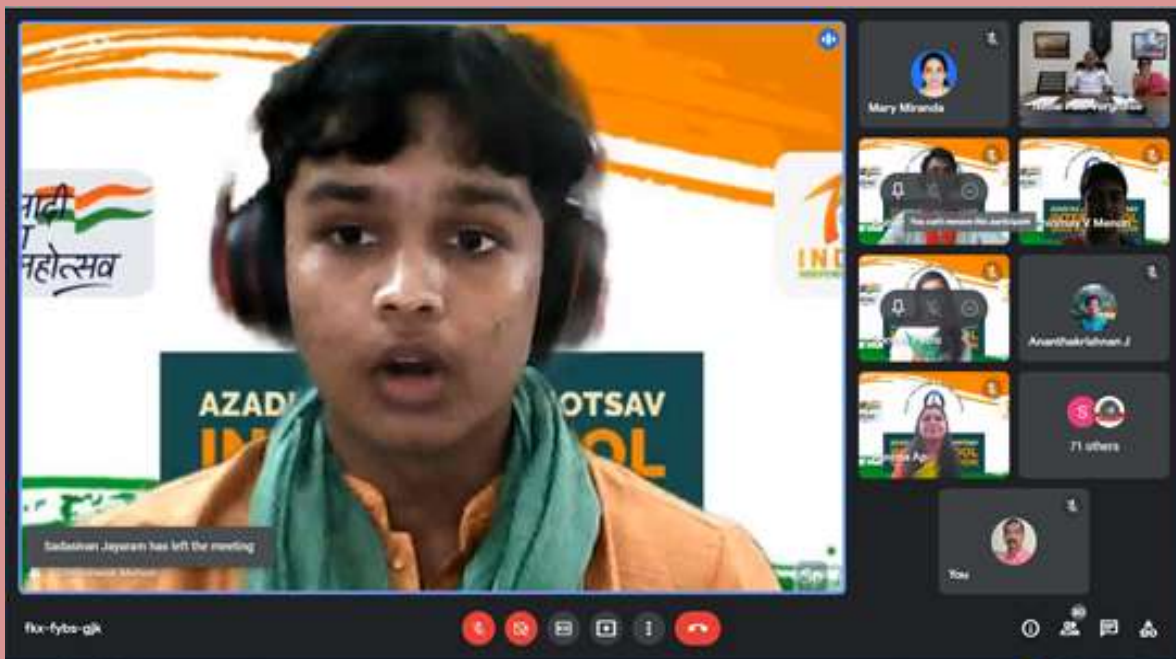
The inaugural ceremony of the event was conducted on 13 August, 2021 at 1500 hrs via the platform of Google Meet. The Chief Guest for the occasion was Cdr Ravi Mishra, Senior Staff Officer, Education, HQSNC & Director, NCS, Kochi.

The preliminary round was conducted at 1400 hrs on 13 August 2021. Eighteen schools from in and around the city participated in the prelims. Each school was represented by 2 students each.

The following schools were participated in the event.

- 1. Bhavans Vidya Mandir, Eroor**
- 2. Bhavans Vidya Mandir, Girinagar**
- 3. Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Vaduthala**
- 4. Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Tripunithura**
- 5. Christava Mahilalayam Public School, Aluva**
- 6. Cochin Refineries School, Thiruvaniyoor**
- 7. Crescent Public School, Aluva**
- 8. Kendriya Vidyalaya, Dronacharya**
- 9. Kendriya Vidyalaya, NAD, Aluva**
- 10. Kendriya Vidyalaya No.1, Naval Base, Kochi**
- 11. Kendriya Vidyalaya No.2, Naval Base, Kochi**
- 12. Mahatma Gandhi Public School, Chottanikara**
- 13. Mar Thoma Public School, Kochi**
- 14. Nalanda Public School, Thammanam**
- 15. Rajagiri Christhu Jayanthi Public School, Kakkanad**
- 16. Rajagiri Public School, Kalamassery**
- 17. Sree Narayana Public School, Poothotta**
- 18. The Delta Study. Fort Kochi**





The schools that qualified to the final round included

1. Bhavans Vidya Mandir, Girinagar
2. Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Vaduthala
3. Kendriya Vidyalaya No.2, Naval Base, Kochi
4. Mar Thoma Public School, Kochi
5. The Delta Study. Fort Kochi
6. Bhavans Vidya Mandir, Erroor

The final round of the quiz was conducted at 1530 hours via Zoom platform. The quiz masters for the occasion were Mr. Sibin Antony and Ms. Savita Menon. The quiz consisted of 7 rounds that dealt with the following topics.

Round 1 – Atmanirbhar Bharat

Round 2 – Celebrating the Unsung Heroes

Round 3 – India’s Rich Cultural Heritage

Round 4 – Ek Bharat Shresth Bharat

Round 5 – Viswaguru Bharat

Round 6 – Khelo Bharat

Round 7 – Swach Bharat

The first position was bagged by **Adithya Anish Nair**, representing Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Vaduthala. The first and second runners-up places went to G. **Krishnakanth**, Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Vaduthala and **Jithin J Joshy**, KV No.2, Naval Base, Kochi respectively.



The valedictory function was presided over by Dr Nellie Paul Verghese, Principal, NCS, Kochi. The valedictory function was conducted via Google Meet.



The winners of the quiz were awarded with certificate of merit, memento and a cash prize of Rs 1,000/- (Rs one thousand only). The first and the second runners up received certificates of merit, mementoes as well as cash prizes of Rs 750/- (Rs Seven hundred and fifty) and Rs 500/- (Rs five hundred) respectively.

