



# **DBIS** Newsletter

# Special Edition

# Quote Unquote

# VOTE OF THANKS By School Captain

Good Morning to all present here. On this prestigious occasion, l, elected school captain deem it a great privilege to have been asked, to extend a vote of thanks to all of you for your love, support and vote. B E L I E V E – these seven letters of the alphabet, combine together to make an achievement to conquer great heights; we must not only act but also dream, not only plan but also

believe.

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# Investiture Ceremony

"A good leader works with the team and follows three S's – Service, Sacrifice and Selflessness. A bad leader works for three P's – Power, Profit and Personal Glory" so said Father Crispino, Director of Don Bosco International School (DBIS), in his inspiring speech at the school's Investiture Ceremony

The Investiture Ceremony marked a significant beginning of the new academic year. It was a solemn occasion where the young students were all prepared to don the mantle of leadership and discharge the responsibilities entrusted upon them by the school. To inculcate leadership qualities in students and give them a feel of leaders, the new student council has been formed for the very first time this year, at DBIS.

The first Investiture Ceremony of DBIS was held on Monday, 31st August, 2017, attended by Rector Father Glenn Lowe, Principal of Don Bosco High School Father Bernard Fernandes, our Respected Director Fr. Crispino D'Souza, our Principal Ms Meena Saldanha, our Associate Principal Ms. Aruna Shetty, parents of the elected council members, esteemed PTA members, teachers and students of middle school (Grades 5-8).

The elected Office Bearers were invested with the official symbols of authority – blazer, sash and badge by Director Father Crispino D'Souza and the core team of the school.

Father Crispino encouraged the felicitated student council members to be committed leaders. Ms. Meena Saldanha initiated the school captains and house captains to take the oath of office. The inducted School Captain Vritee Muni gave an enlivening speech and vote of thanks. The ceremony concluded with the National Pledge and National Anthem.

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I take immense pride in learning that you all believe in me. I promise to be a worthy leader and will always do my best to keep our DBIS flag flying high.

I believe together as team we can accomplish a lot more and pave the path to glory. We are the DBIS family, committed to work as a team to achieve our esteemed school's vision and mission keeping our values and principles upright.

Leadership is not about title or designation; it's about 'impact', 'influence' and 'inspiration'. I promise to be an exuberant leader and at the same time inculcate discipline. Feeling gratitude and not expressing it is like wrapping a gift and not giving it. I would like to take this opportunity to express my heartfelt thanks to God and all the special people in my life who have guided me through my DBIS journey. As a student I have been inspired especially by Rev. Fr. Crispino, Meena ma'am, Aruna Ma'am and all my teachers who have been the roots to hold me up, supporting me. A sincere thank you to the honorable members of the management, our wonderful administrative staff, our hard working ancillary staff, my loving parents and valiant team mates.

Lastly I would like to thank all the guests for gracing this occasion with their presence. Our journey towards our dreams to acquire great things has begun today with the first step - the formation of the DBIS team 2017-18. So team DBIS let's show the world the strength of unity.

#### Vritee Muni



### Office Bearers for the Academic Year 2017-2018



## **DBIS Investiture Ceremony 2017-18**



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