

TOTAL LUNAR ECLIPSE – JAN 31, 2018

Report

GENERAL DETAILS

- Name of the School: **DAV Public School, Sector-49, Gurugram**
- Name of Educators Conducted: **Pooja, Sakshi and Astha**
- Date & time of conduction: **31st January 2018 (5:00 pm-9:00 pm)**
- Name of School Principal: **Mrs. Charu Maini**
- Name & Designation of Chief Guest: **Captain Indu Boken, Block Education Officer**
- Name & Designation of Guest of Honour: **Ms. Anshumala Gupta, Founder Director of Joy of Learning.**
- Number of Participants (give best estimate): **600 plus**

BRIEF DESCRIPTION

- Brief Description (in 50-100 words):
Students of DAV Public School, Sector-49, Gurugram participated in the event along with their family and friends to view the rare spectacle of the Blood Moon. People from near by society and schools such as DAV Sector 14 Gurugram, Amity International School, Sector 43, Gurugram, DPS Sushant Lok, NC Jindal School etc. also participated in the phenomenol event.

Various other activities such as Train like an Astronaut, Weigh on different Planet, Mass of different planet, Universe In 3D, astrophotography, destroy the space rocks, and Quiz on Eclipse were also organized for participants. Students also get themselves clicked with an Astronaut and Rocket cutouts. People also participated in Chand Ka Langar activity with full enthusiasm and broke the myth that one should never eat during an eclipse.

Apart from this students from Astronomy Club used their 50mm telescopes for observing Eclipse. Students also did wide-field and afocal photography of Eclipsed Moon.

- Special Highlights of event:
Captain Indu Boken, Chief guest of the event gave an inspirational speech to motivate students and accompanied audience. Each and every person present in the audience participated in chand ka langar activity. Observation site was the place where maximum number of people were gathered. Students brought their cameras for photography and observed the Moon using their Telescopes.

School Principal and SPACE team also shared their views about the Eclipse during media interaction .

Conduction Photographs:



Participants got themselves registered for total lunar eclipse at DAV Public School, Gurugram



Ms. Charumani, Principal of DAV Public School, Gurugram was welcomed by SPACE Team



Ms. Indu Boken, Block Education officer, Chief Guest of the event enlighten everyone with her inspirational words



Our esteemed guest and participants during the interactive session on Eclipse



Participants observed Moon during the eclipse



Pooja Tiwari, SPACE educator, was explaining the reason behind eclipse



SPACE astronomy club member Gori Manchanda of DAV Public School, Sector 14, Captured Eclipsed Moon



Students got themselves photographed as Astronauts



Students had a fun time while observing celestial objects through 3D goggles



Astronomy club students observed Eclipsed Moon through their 50mm telescope



Eclipsed Moon Clicked by Astha Talwar, SPACE Educator



Eclipsed Moon Clicked by Sakshi Sharma, SPACE Educator

○ Feedbacks from participants:

1. It was really very fascinating experience. We thank SPACE for conducting this event - Anurag, IX-A
2. It was actually a wonderful event. This experience is truly marvellous. We have never had such kind of experience earlier . A good effort by the team. – Sonal, School Teacher
3. It was, awesome! I saw it for the first time. I thank you for such event. – Vanshaj, VI-A