



EDITORIAL

HAR HATH TIRANGA

A MOMENT OF GREAT PRIDE

Every moment was indeed a Jai Bharat moment for Kochi Refinery that celebrated the 76th Independence day of India with complete patriotic fervour.

Employees turned out in huge numbers to join the procession led by our Executive Director and we launched new green initiatives to reiterate our commitment to the nation's vision for Net Zero emissions.

Joining the national campaign Har Ghar Tiranga announced by the Govt of India, we held the flag high during 12-15 August and also supported in distributing the flag to as many communities as possible.

In this special Independence Day edition we bring you the most beautiful moments that filled every one with pride and reminded us of our responsibility of service unto our Nation. Jai Ho!

Warmly,
Editor

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Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited

69th Annual General Meeting

2022

CORPORATE



The 69th Annual General Meeting of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited was organised online on 29 August 2022. In his address, Chairman and Managing Director, Shri Arun Kumar Singh shared that with the recent amalgamation of Bharat Oman Refineries Limited and Bharat Gas Resources Limited with BPCL, the Company stands to reap immense benefits of integration in the form of tax efficiencies, logistics and manpower synergies, as well as capital structure economies and operational flexibilities. On the physical front, BPCL registered improved market sales of 42.51 MMT and crude throughput of 30.07 MMT on a standalone basis, as against 38.74 MMT and 26.40 MMT, respectively, in the year 2021-22. BPCL has achieved the number 1 position in market sales growth amongst the PSU Oil Marketing Companies.

On the financial front, our Profit After Tax on a standalone basis, stood at ₹ 8,789 crore, as against Profit After Tax of ₹ 19,042 crore in the previous year, the decline mainly attributable to one-time gain on the sale of stake in Numaligarh Refinery Limited in the year 2021-22. Besides this, during the year, the gains due to higher refining margins were more than offset by the lower marketing margins and lower inventory gains, dragging our profits down. Continuing our tradition of rewarding shareholders, the Board of Directors declared a total dividend of ₹ 16 per share on earnings of ₹ 41.31 per share for the year. Read his full address [here](#).

Present at the Board meeting were C&MD, Shri Arun Kumar Singh, Director (Finance & HR) Shri Vetsa Ramakrishna Gupta, Director (Marketing), Shri Sukhmal Jain and Director (Refineries) Shri Sanjay Khanna. Company Secretary Smt. Kala V Chandrasekhar took the meeting on record.

Follow this [link](#) to view the BPCL Performance Highlights of 2021-22.



SUKHMAL JAIN, NEW DIRECTOR (MARKETING)

Shri Sukhmal Jain has taken over as Director (Marketing) of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited, a Maharatna and the second largest energy PSU in India.

With graduation degree in Mechanical Engineering from Delhi College of Engineering and MBA from SP Jain Institute of Management & Research, he has held several leadership positions in Retail, LPG and Gas verticals in his 35 years with the company. Before his elevation to the Board, he was Executive Director Incharge (Marketing Corporate) in the Corporate Office and prior to that was the head of Gas Business Unit. He is also the Chairman of Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd (GNGPL). Earlier he has been the Chairman of Central UP Gas Ltd (CUGL) and Director on the board of Bharat Gas Resources Limited (BGRL), a wholly owned subsidiary of BPCL which has recently merged with BPCL. In his illustrious career of over three decades, he has been actively involved in industry defining initiatives, like Give it Up campaign and Pradhan Mantri Ujjawala Yojana, in LPG Business, and has successfully navigated the Strategy and Loyalty Programs in Retail Business.

Under his leadership, Gas BU played an increasingly important role in supporting the Government's aim of developing India as a gas-based economy, which augurs widespread economic prosperity, while also reducing the nation's dependence on oil imports and contributing to reduction in carbon emissions.

BPCL ANNUAL REPORT

Steadfastly anchored to the energy needs of the nation and aligned with global climate action, BPCL has embarked upon an ambitious voyage of energy transition towards a cleaner and sustainable future.

Please click on the book to read our Annual Report FY 2021-22 and to know how we are **unlocking newer possibilities for empowering lives**. You can also read at <https://bit.ly/3oP4BHi>





76
Azadi Ka
Amrit Mahotsav

Har Ghar Tiranga
13th-15th August 2022

"HAR HAATH TIRANGA" AT KOCHI REFINERY

Shri. Ajith Kumar K, Executive Director (Kochi Refinery) unfurled the Tiranga at the grand celebrations of the 76th Day of Independence of our great Nation, at BPCL Kochi Refinery.

Saluting the sacrifices of the great leaders and the valiant heroes of our Freedom struggle, Shri. Ajith Kumar said that, "Today we have the right to speak, to be heard and to live freely, because of their great vision and selfless service. It is our duty to give back to our country, what we rightly should. He urged all to contribute in making our Nation stronger and progressive with our committed service to enhancing productivity, sustainability and ensuring we achieve the Net Zero mission, announced by our Prime Minister and echoed by our C&MD. ED(KR) concluded with his greetings of the day and a reminder "Har ghar Tiranga, har dil Azadi".

Shri. Ajith Kumar also inaugurated two new initiatives by Kochi Refinery, UDHYANAM and ASHOKA MARG, as part of the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, India@75.

Employees turned up in big numbers for the 76th Independence Day celebrations at Kochi Refinery. They also joined the Independence Day procession from the main block to the KR Aangan, waving the tri-colour and happily raising their call of pride Vande Mataram in unison.





The celebrations went on at a high note at other locations too, where employees joined with families. At the City Office in Maradu, Shri. S Mehrishi, CGM (IS) unfurled the Tricolour. At the STF in Puthuvypeen, Shri. S Giridharan, GM (Maintenance) unfurled the Tiranga and also planted saplings. At the two residential colonies, Mr. Suresh John, CGM (RPO) was the chief guest at Vandipettah Quarters and Mr. Sankar M, Chief General Manager (Manufacturing) was the chief guest at the Marine Drive Complex.

At each location, the Tiranga reminded us just what it should, our unshakable pride of being an Indian.

Click the link given below to watch the full video of the 76th Independence Day celebrations at Kochi Refinery:

<https://youtu.be/NoSEj6cpEX8>





UDHYANAM & ASHOKA MARG FOR INDIA @ 75

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Along with Chief General Managers Sarah Thomas (HR), Senthil Kumar R (Technology) and Geeta Iyer (Finance) and George Thomas, GM (PR & Admn), ED(KR) planted rose-saplings at the Udhyanam being developed at the KR Angan. Kochi Refinery plans to create floral meadows across the Refinery as part of the new project Udhyanam. ED(KR) unveiled the logo of the project, while CGM(HR), GM(PR & Admn) and the project coordinators presented the concept replica to ED(KR).

In our readiness to embrace the company's goal of going green and as part of the strategy to amplify the same, we have adopted Greening as the key-theme of the branding revamp planned at Kochi Refinery, which is naturally a green habitat of refining units, water bodies and pristine landscapes. People increasingly want to work for companies who are "doing the right thing." According to Adecco, an international HR company, 52% of employed adults feel their companies should be more environmentally aware. Healthier work environment is a major attraction for aspirants wishing to join companies and also for employees working in the company. Eco-friendly solutions, lively work spaces and green surroundings result in happier and healthier staff. The objective of the branding revamp of Kochi Refinery is to make relevant use of green principles and terminologies to remind us of our commitment to the environment and the **Go Green** mission of BPCL. On the Independence Day, as part of the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, we thus launched **Project Udhyanam** that envisages a 360 degree Refinery rebranding with art-scapes, floral meadows and digital solutions. It is a holistic project to transform Kochi Refinery in semblance of Gul Marg, a complete floral meadow, both literally and conceptually, to appreciate the responsible efforts taken by the Refinery from the moment one enters the premises and through the finer details of space management, displays and office landscaping across all units.

ED(KR) also planted the inaugural Asoka sapling at the **Ashoka Marg**, which is a royal line of trees being developed from the DHDS gate to the MSBP, an approximately 1Km stretch cutting right through the Refinery.





TAKING THE TIRANGA TO TRIBAL AREAS

BPCL along with CADRE-India, an NGO working for the welfare of backward communities is reaching out to the tribal community as part of the Har Ghar Tiranga Mahotsav. Under the CSR initiative of Kochi Refinery, BPCL distributed the tricolour to over 100 residents of the Panthapra tribal colony in Kothamangalam Forest Division of Ernakulam District.

At a function held at the colony on 15 August, Shri. Ajithkumar K, Executive Director, BPCL Kochi Refinery inaugurated the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav celebration in the presence of Smt. Geetha Iyer, Chief General Manager (Finance), Smt. Sarah Thomas, Chief General Manager (HR), Social worker Smt Renu Suresh, representatives of Grama Panchayat and Forest Department. Shri. Manoj Kumar T S, Secretary, SC/ST Federation, Kochi Refinery, also spoke on the occasion. The celebrations also included tribal art performances by the residents.

THAT MORE MAY JOIN THE CELEBRATIONS

On behalf of BPCL, Kochi Refinery handed over 3000 flags to Kochi Municipal Corporation (KMC) to stretch the Har Ghar Tiranga Mahotsav to more households to join the national celebrations of 75th year of India's independence. The flags were distributed to poor households in the municipality. Shri Sankar M, CGM (Manufacturing) handed over the flags to Shri Anil Kumar, the Hon. Mayor, Kochi Municipal Corporation. Shri George Thomas, General Manager (PR & Admn), BPCL, was also present.



Along with Vadavucode Puthencruz Grama Panchayat we supported the distribution of 2000 National Flags to the residents of colonies and school students in the Grama Panchayat as part of the Har Ghar Tiranga Mahotsav campaign.

Smt. Sonia Murugesan, President, Vadavucode Puthencruz Grama Panchayat inaugurated the programme and Shri Mehrishi S, Chief General Manager (IS), BPCL presented the flags along with Shri KK Ashokkumar, Vice President, Vadavucode Puthencruz Grama Panchayat, Smt Elsy Paulose, Standing Committee Chairperson and Grama Panchayat members. National Flags were distributed to the residents at the function.





THAT STUDENTS MAY SPREAD THE PRIDE

A flag to every home, mission was launched as part of Har Ghar Tiranga campaign.. BPCL with Tripunithura Municipality distributed around 2000 National Flags to households through LP/UP students. Shri. Senthilkumar, Chief General Manager (Technology), BPCL Kochi Refinery presented the first flag to a student of Govt. RLV school to open the National Flag distribution in Tripunithura Municipality on 11 August 2022. The programme was inaugurated by Smt. Rema Santhosh, Chairperson, Tripunithura Municipality and Shri. KK Pradeep Vice Chairman Tripunithura Municipality presided. Shri Shri UK Peethambaran Chairman Standing Committee Education, Shri PK Peethambaran, Opposition Leader, Smt. Radhika Varma Ward Member, Shri Abhilash Kumar Municipal Secretary, Smt. Shini Block Resource Center Coordinator, Smt. Vrindha Headmistress Govt. RLV School and Shri. Vineeth M Varghese, Chief Manager (PR & CSR), BPCL Kochi Refinery were also present

BPCL Volleyball champions along with Shri S Mehrishi, CGM(IS) presented flags to young children who joined the voluntary coaching camp initiated by Kochi Refinery for sporting enthusiasts from around the Refinery. Arjuna Awardee George Thomas, GM(BPCL-KR) inaugurated the India@75 Football tournament in Kochi. BPCL supported the Bhagat Soccer Academy as part of empowering sports and football, a much loved sport in particular, in Kerala.





BRILLIANCE OF THE TIRANGA

Kochi Refinery offices were decked in sparkling tricolours for the Independence Day celebrations. The **Har Ghar Tiranga** Mahotsav by the Government of India was to encourage people to bring home the Tiranga and hoist it from 13th - 15th August 2022 to mark the 75th year of India's independence, invoke the feeling of patriotism in the hearts of the people and to promote awareness about the Indian National Flag. In the national flag of India, the top band of Saffron colour, indicates the strength and courage of our country. The white middle band indicates peace and truth with Dharma Chakra. The last band of green, shows the fertility, growth and auspiciousness of our Land.



RESPONSIBLY YOURS

A team of 20 IPS probationers proudly share their Tiranga moment during the Bharat Darshan stop-over at BPCL Kochi Refinery on 12 August. The officers were given a brief tour and presentation of the largest PSU Refinery in India.

SADHBHAVANA DIWAS

"We have to uphold our promise to maintain unity and integrity for our country and our countrymen," urged Shri Ajith Kumar K, Executive Director (Kochi Refinery) at the Sadhbavana Diwas observance in Kochi Refinery. Shri Ajith Kumar, administered the Sadhbavana pledge in English and Shri Rajashekar K, Chief General Manager (Inspection) administered the pledge in Hindi at the KR Main Auditorium.

The birth anniversary of former Prime Minister Late Shri Rajiv Gandhi is observed as Sadhbavana Diwas on 20th August every year. The Sadhbavana is to promote National Integration and Communal Harmony among people of all religions, languages and regions. The idea behind the observance of this day is to eschew violence and promote goodwill among the people. This year the 20th August was a Saturday, which is a holiday for Central Government Offices; and therefore as per Government of India intimation the Sadhbavana Pledge taking ceremony was observed on 19 August 2022.





BPCL'S 8.4 MW DC SOLAR POWER PLANT COMING UP AT KOCHI REFINERY

As part of its commitment towards climate stabilization and use of un-conventional energy, Fortune 500 Company Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited commenced activities to set up a 8.4 MW DC Solar Power Plant at its Kochi Refinery Campus. Ground breaking ceremony was conducted in the presence of Shri Ajith Kumar K, Executive Director (Kochi Refinery) and Shri Shelly Abraham, Head (BPCL Renewable Energy).

The Solar Power plant will be spread out across 25-acres of land at the Irumpanam side of Kochi Refinery. Once completed, the plant will generate about 123 lakh units of electricity annually. The produced electricity will be used for the Kochi Refinery.

Speaking on the development, Shri Ajith Kumar, Executive Director (Kochi Refinery) said, "This is another step towards enhancing the green energy capabilities of BPCL Kochi Refinery. We continue our path towards sustainability, energy conservation and production of green energy through roof-mounted and ground-mounted solar power projects. In 2018 we commissioned a roof-mounted 120 kWp solar power plant and we are increasingly pursuing solar energy options at our Refinery. Recently, we also won the award instituted by Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE), Ministry of Power and Centre for High Technology and Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas for implementing 'Best Energy Efficient Project' under Perform, Achieve and Trade (PAT) Scheme."

Shri Shelly Abraham, Head, BPCL Renewable Energy, spoke about how the Renewable Energy Business Unit of BPCL is pursuing to set up a number of solar power plants across the country. "Apart from Kochi Refinery, we are also looking at setting up such plants in our depots at Tadali, Badnera, Sanganer and Karur. We have established a separate Renewable Energy Business Unit last year to meet the aspirations of BPCL in the field of energy transition and to help in achieving BPCL's aim of reaching Net Zero by 2040 in Scope 1 and 2 emissions. We are now exploring various opportunities to scale up the green energy portfolio of BPCL, including participating in power purchase tenders and studying the feasibility of setting up solar power projects at land banks owned by BPCL. A MoU was signed with Solar Energy Corporation of India (SECI) for leveraging their expertise in developing solar power projects," he said.

BPCL has huge plans to build a strong renewable energy portfolio with an aim to achieve 1 gigawatt of renewable energy by 2025. The setting up of the solar power plant at Kochi Refinery is in line with these plans.





MID-CAREER VIGILANCE WORKSHOP AT KOCHI

Pearls of wisdom were a plenty at Kochi along with raindrops in the first week of August 2022. Set in the idyllic Learning Centre at Kochi, the 2nd mid-career vigilance workshop organized by BPCL Vigilance had interesting sessions by ace speakers and subject experts and the rain outside served as a perfect backdrop to soothe the serious deliberations.



The workshop at Kochi during 3-4 August 2022 in line with CVC module for the same, had participants from almost all BUs and Entities of BPCL. Ms. Meenaxi Rawat, Chief Vigilance Officer and Mr. Ajith Kumar K, Executive Director (KR) inaugurated the workshop.

“Vigilance Administration in BPCL is an integral part of ensuring good governance in the organization,” said CVO Ms. Meenaxi Rawat, IES who emphasized on making preventive vigilance an enabler to businesses and having vigilance at the core of all our works. “This workshop today is to make Vigilance more relevant, so that we can appreciate the systems and processes clearly,” she added.

“Being transparent at work translates to being trusted and respected as a manager. Encouraging transparency eliminates confusion and builds trust with managers and employees, as they work towards establishing a healthy, happy and satisfying work environment,” expressed Mr. Ajith Kumar, who stressed that this is exactly what we have to aim for continuously.

The workshop had officers mainly in job group D to F, who are mostly the final authorities in clearing payments after due procedures. The objective was to bring more control into the system and thereby making BPCL vigilance compliant. In sessions that followed, Mr. Rajiva R. Mandal, GM I/C (Vigilance) deliberated on ‘Vigilance Management in Project, Procurement and Contracts’. The session was interspersed with live examples, learning points, management tools and checklists. Carrying forward the tempo in the second session on ‘Audit Perspective’ was Mr. Subhasis Mukherjee, CGM (Internal Audit), who quoted extensively from past audits.

Live case studies were shared by domain experts from Vigilance HQ. Mr. Skanda Prasad, DGM (Vigilance) took the participants through a case study in Projects, while Mr. Sidagam Sreedhar, DGM (Vigilance) handled a case study on Procurement and Mr. S. Bhattacharjee, DGM (Vigilance) HQ and Mr. Rajiva R. Mandal, GM I/C (Vigilance) explained about LPG & Retail respectively.

Former DGP of Kerala, Dr Jacob Thomas, IPS the guest faculty spoke on the Role of Vigilance in Corporate Governance. He was flooded with questions after his very insightful observations. Opportunities were also taken to review vigilance mechanism of M/s. BKFFL by CVO, who also visited KR and addressed the Refinery Council.

In four groups, participants had to work on relevant topics and finally make a presentation before the expert panel comprising of Ms. Meenaxi Rawat, CVO, Mr. Suresh John, CGM (Refineries Projects Org.) and Mr. S. Sriram, CGM (Engg. & Advisory Services), who gave their valuable thoughts on each.

Kochi Refinery HR team extended full support for the administration and hospitality extended to the faculty and participants of the programme. Kochi L&D team led by Mr. Mohan Varkey, Chief Manager (L&D) coordinated on behalf of BPLC.

CONGRATS ON CROSSING YOUR CAREER MILESTONES

25 years



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MAINTENANCE



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PETER K J
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MOHAN VARKEY
HR



NAVEEN CHANDRAN A
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HSE NEAR MISS AWARDS 2022



Hearty Congratulations Near Miss Award Winners

for the month of May - 2022



Clement KA
MFG-1, DHDS



Eldho Aliyas
MFG-1, DHDS



Abhijith C
MFG-1, DHDS



Bijo George
MFG-1, MSBP

Happy Birthday

WISH KOCHIREFINERS CELEBRATING THEIR
SPECIAL DAY IN SEPTEMBER 2022.

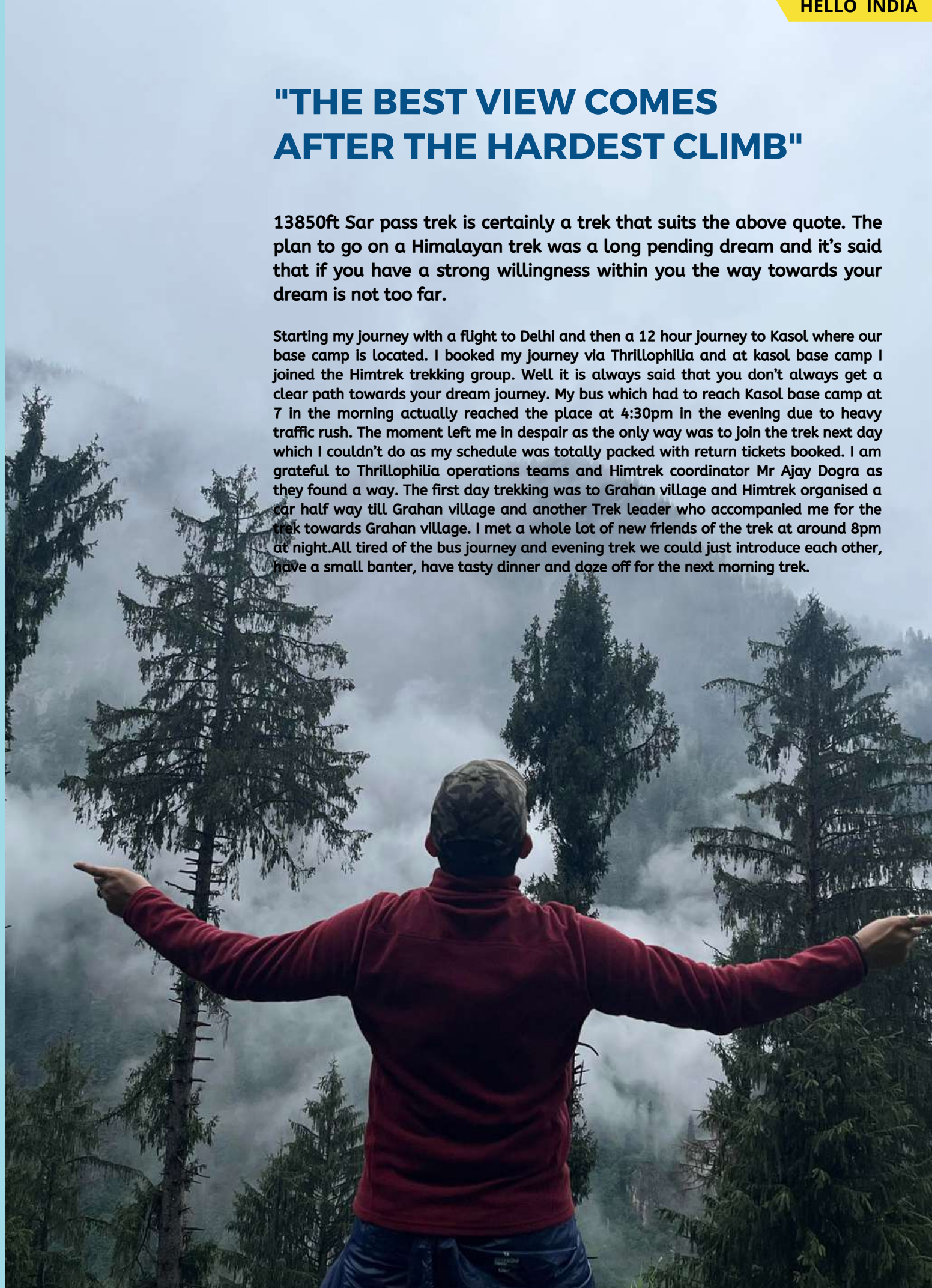
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"THE BEST VIEW COMES AFTER THE HARDEST CLIMB"

13850ft Sar pass trek is certainly a trek that suits the above quote. The plan to go on a Himalayan trek was a long pending dream and it's said that if you have a strong willingness within you the way towards your dream is not too far.

Starting my journey with a flight to Delhi and then a 12 hour journey to Kasol where our base camp is located. I booked my journey via Thrillophilia and at kasol base camp I joined the Himtrek trekking group. Well it is always said that you don't always get a clear path towards your dream journey. My bus which had to reach Kasol base camp at 7 in the morning actually reached the place at 4:30pm in the evening due to heavy traffic rush. The moment left me in despair as the only way was to join the trek next day which I couldn't do as my schedule was totally packed with return tickets booked. I am grateful to Thrillophilia operations teams and Himtrek coordinator Mr Ajay Dogra as they found a way. The first day trekking was to Grahan village and Himtrek organised a car half way till Grahan village and another Trek leader who accompanied me for the trek towards Grahan village. I met a whole lot of new friends of the trek at around 8pm at night. All tired of the bus journey and evening trek we could just introduce each other, have a small banter, have tasty dinner and doze off for the next morning trek.





The trekker and author Pranay, lives the quote by John Muir

"We are now in the mountains and they are in us, kindling enthusiasm, making every nerve quiver, filling every pore and cell of us."

The next day our trek was to start at 8am and I got up as usual at 6 am. The temperature at around 5 degree and I wanted to have a shower. I guess you would have imagined my situation and it was no less than what you thought about but trust me it was the last day out of the 5 days trek when we actually had a shower. Ready and all packed up we left for Mung thach. The trek people were pretty silent and I being a notorious and well trained bathroom singer started off singing and to my surprise the entire energy of the people rose and everyone joined in to the party. It made our trek so very easy and enjoyable . We reached Mung thach at around 3 pm and it was our first day to stay in tents. Rain that day destroyed our plans to actually have a bonfire. Nonetheless we entered in the common tent and sang and danced till evening. Washroom is a challenging portion which I find in such kind of treks but yeah it's not always about butterflies. I will really like to appreciate Himtrek's cooking staff as we had the best food in the entire 5 days of our trek. Having our dinner we entered into our tents and now had to sleep in our sleeping bag. My sincere advise to everyone taking such treks to kindly use the sleeping bags as the temperature falls really low at night.

Our day 3 was Mung thach to Nagaru and was a 4 hour journey. The snow claded Himalayan mountains were visible from the Nagaru camp site and on top of that it was the first place were we could get mobile network. My first job was to call all the near and dear ones to show them the beautiful Himalayan mountains which my eyes just got mesmerised with. The difficult part was about to start on day 4. Our trek leader had informed that from Nagaru to Bisker thach via Sar pass was going to be challenging and that we had to start the journey at 5 in the morning. Waking up at 3:30 and having breakfast at 4:30 we started the trek at 5 with cramped legs,ached back but with spirited emotions. And there came the moment at 11 when we reached the Sar pass height where we raised the flag high, our voice even higher and our photos even brighter in a feeling of accomplishment. Crossing further mountains we reached biskeri camp at 5 in the evening.

When we reached the camp site it had just rained and we could see a bright rainbow right in front of us, A sight of how beautiful life actually is. Though it rained our determination was fired up to have a bonfire that night and we requested the trek leaders for the same. Arranging all the waste stuff of plastic and what not we went on a mission to find dry wood and finally ended up paying the trek leaders to have some wood and drinks being brought from Pulga village. I still feel that night should have never ended at all with the kind of intimacy and dept the fire of the bonfire brought in us. Amidst the stars and fire raise in us an innocence of a child, a wisdom of a grandfather and a friendship of a lifetime.

Day 5 was about going back to Kasol base camp and the difficult part was to trek downwards towards the slope. The notorious group that we were suddenly turned into a conscious gang of people making careful decisions how to go down the slope. Many slips here and there but there we were at 4pm at the pulga village from where we took cab and reached the kasol base camp. Strolling down the market in the city for sometime we all took our bus and reached back home. Indeed what was left behind was not the mountains but our fears and what was gained was a Friendship, a Motivation and obviously memories. And ending my journey with a John Muir's quote

"We are now in the mountains and they are in us, kindling enthusiasm, making every nerve quiver, filling every pore and cell of us."

Pranay Aurora, Procurement Manager, CPO(KR) wins a cool USB to preserve his exciting travel memories. Thanks for sharing this one with JwalaDhwani.





INDEPENDENCE DAY AT CR SCHOOL

Cochin Refineries School joined the Independence Day celebrations with programmes that instilled patriotic spirit among students. Principal, Mala B Menon along with NCC cadets marched towards the flag mast and unfurled the tricolor. The National anthem was played by the School band. Students, teachers and parents pledged to take our nation forward with courage and enthusiasm. The message of school principal echoed the celebrations of the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav. School Captain Adityan K Abhilash delivered a patriotic speech. Students also declaimed the speeches of various freedom fighters. The patriotic songs and the scintillating dance performance hailed the glory of our nation. The day was made memorable when the students made spectacular formation highlighting 75 years of glory. The programme culminated with the flagging off of a cycle rally by the school principal.



NEW STUDENT LEADERS SWORN IN AT CRS

Moulding of a leader needs to be initiated from school days. Cochin Refineries School conducted the 55th Investiture Ceremony on 23 June, 2022. The chief guest of the day was Col Rajeevan, Commanding Officer, 22(K) Battalion, NCC. Principal Mala B Menon administered the oath to the newly elected leaders. The newly elected student council members pledged to work earnestly and uphold the honour and glory of the institution while receiving their badge and sash. Adityan K Abhilash and Neha S Paul were sworn in as School Captains to lead the newly elected student council. The programme concluded with the elected student body rendering the school song.

CRS STUDENTS' COUNCIL 2022-23 : **School Captains** : Adithyan K Abhilash (XIIC) & Neha S Paul (XII B). **Asst. School Captains** : Akash S (XI C) and MV Devika Lakshmi (XI B). **Sports Captain** : Aravind Chandran and Shiba Fathima (XII B) **Arts Captains** : Adithya PS (XI A) and Swathy Umendran (XI B). **House Captains** : **Agni (YELLOW)** : Abhijith KS & Manasa K (XIIA). **Asst Captains** : J Gautham (XIIA) and Feba Maria Regy (XII C). **Gagan (RED)**: Amal Ajay (XII A) and Theertha Sunil (XII B). **Asst Captains** : Albin Binoy (XI C) and Devananda Ajith (XII B). **Prithvi (GREEN)**: Richard Williams (XII A) and Keerthana Rajesh (XII B). **Asst Captains** : Abhinav J (XII B) and Savery CU (XI B). **Sagar (BLUE)** : Sarath SS and Alna Saju (XII A). **Asst Captains** : Gopikrishnan R (XI C) and Sanjana Induchoodan (XII A).

HEARTY CONGRATS



ISMA FATHIMA (Std 5) for the title of *Best Artist* in the Fresco inter-School competition FLAIR ON A SQUARE organised by RAJAGIRI CHRISTHU JAYANTI, Kakknad.



R ANIRUDDHAN & NIHAR SUNIL (Std 8) for your 3rd position in the inter-School event - SHRUSTI-QUIZ COMPETITION organised by BHAVANS MUNSHI VIDYALAYA .



SAYA M TIJU and PEEYOOSHA MARAIM SHAJI (Std-12) for bringing home the prestigious Chinmaya Ever Rolling Trophy for Oratorical contest. (First prize).



T JEEVAN REGHURAM PRABHU (Std 9) and **FEBA MARIA REJI** (Std 12), on winning the second prize for the 'Kavya Koojan' in the 'Krithi' Interschool competition organised by Bhavans Newsprint Vidyalaya, Velloor



CR SCHOOL SHINES BRIGHTER AGAIN WITH OUTSANDING X & XII RESULTS

Students of Cochin Refineries School have once again showcased an exceptional performance in AISSE/AISSCE. In the AISSCE, out of 111 students who appeared for the examination 74 students secured distinction and 35 students secured first class. In the AISSE, out of 83 students, 67 bagged distinction and 16 secured first class. Meet the top performers:

STD XII TOPPERS



SCIENCE (98%)
NIHAR NIRANJAN S
s/o Mr.Sunil P K
(Mfg-1)



COMMERCE (98 %)
GIRIDHAR S
s/o Sunilkumar
K N (Mfg -II)

FULL A-1 (Std-XII)



NIHAR NIRANJAN S



GIRIDHAR S



ANASWARA S P



**ANNA MARIA
SHAJI**



**MANU
PRASHANTH K**



NIKHIL M



**NITHIN
VARGHESE**

STD X TOPPERS



**NEHA
MARIYA (99.4%)**
d/o Suni George,
CPO(KR)



**ADWITHA
P S (99.4%)**
d/o P R Sabu
Quality Control



**NORA MARIA
JIMMON**



SANA PS



**SRADHA
AJITH**

FULL A-1 (Std-X)



NEHA MARIYA



ADWITHA P S



ABHINAND V



ADITHYA A



ANKIT KUMAR



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SRILAKSHMI B NAIR



SWATHY UMENDRAN



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Har Ghar Tiranga
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