



JKPS

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ANNUAL DAY CELEBRATION 2025

“Knowledge, when combined with compassion and integrity, becomes the light that guides life.”

Jaspal Kaur Public School, Shalimar Bagh, celebrated its **38th Annual Day** with grandeur and vibrancy under the enlightening theme “**उद्देश्य – Enlightening Soul, Empowering Life.**” The celebration reflected the school’s vision of nurturing purpose-driven learners who combine knowledge with compassion and integrity.

The event was graced by **Padma Shri and Central Sangeet Natak Akademi Awardee Dr. Shovana Narayan**, a legendary Kathak exponent, as the **Chief Guest**. The **Guests of Honour**, proud alumni of JKPS — **Mr. Shekhar Dalal (IAS, Commissioner of Kumbh Mela, Nashik)**, **Ms. Meenakshi Arora (Deputy General Manager, Tata Power DDL)**, and **Ms. Megha Sidhu Jain (IRS Officer, Ministry of Finance)** — added a special touch of pride and inspiration.

The morning began with a soulful **Shabad recital** followed by the **Lamp Lighting Ceremony**, symbolising the triumph of knowledge and wisdom. Principal **Mrs. Asha Saran Srivastava** welcomed the august gathering with words that resonated with the school’s philosophy of holistic education. The Head Boy and Head Girl then read the Annual Report, presenting a detailed account of the events and achievements that unfolded throughout the year to the parents and guests.

The cultural programme beautifully encapsulated the Annual Day theme through a blend of performances. **The English play “The Two Gentlemen of Verona”** emphasised courage and virtue; the **Punjabi play “Chali Mukte”** paid tribute to the bravery and sacrifice of the forty liberated ones of Sikh history. The highlight of the day was the **Hindi musical dance-drama “Atmantan,”** which explored the harmony of mind, body, and soul.

The **Prize Distribution Ceremony** was a proud moment as academic toppers and achievers were honoured for their **commendable achievements**. Special awards, such as the Bibi Jaspal Kaur Award, Sardar Darshan Singh Ji Award, and Bhai Sahib Ditta Mal Ji Award, were conferred upon students for their outstanding contributions in community service, sportsmanship, and overall **achievement**.

Earlier in the day, the school hosted a vibrant **interdisciplinary exhibition** aligned with the Annual Day theme. Students showcased innovative models, informative charts, and creative displays across Science, Mathematics, Social Studies, Languages, and Art. The exhibits beautifully illustrated the ‘**उद्देश्य**’—the purpose behind learning—emphasising intellectual, emotional, and moral growth. Visitors, parents, and guests were impressed by the students’ confidence, clarity, and creativity.

The unveiling of *Confluence 10.0*, the school’s annual e-magazine, marked a significant moment, serving as a digital chronicle celebrating the creativity and achievements of the Jaspalian community.

In her address, **Dr. Shovana Narayan** commended the school for integrating cultural richness with academic excellence, encouraging students to pursue learning with purpose and humility. The heartfelt **Vote of Thanks** was delivered by the Headmistress, Ms. Shikha Dhameja, followed by the National Anthem, leaving the audience inspired by the spirit of reflection, celebration, and purpose that defines Jaspal Kaur Public School.



