



Happy
Dashain
Tihar
& Chhat



The best news was the promulgation of the new constitution on 20 September. This was a historic day and signaled the end of 10 years of transition and 7 years of constitution-making process. Even though it is not a perfect document (as I also have reservations on a number of articles), the document marks a significant step forward so that people can start focusing on economic development.

From the Executive Chairman

Prof. Dr. Sriram Bhagut Mathe

2015 will always be a memorable year – for the good that happened as well as the very unfortunate events that the country and all the Nepalese had to suffer.

Let me start with the good news. Little Angels' College and Xavier Academy, both of which have a proven track record of academic excellence for the last 18 years, decided to enter into a strategic partnership with Kathmandu Don Bosco College (KDBC), with 17 years of equally creditable track record. As per this strategic partnership, KDBC's MBA classes were relocated to XA premises from the beginning of this year. It is under this new avatar, that the MBA spring 2015 intake as well as EMBA intake were conducted. The 19 students who enrolled for the MBA and 16 students who enrolled for the EMBA can be considered as the Pioneer Batches under the strategic partnership. It is probably because of this partnership that the 30 students quota for MBA fall 2015 intake was filled up in record time with some students in the queue for the next intake.

After almost 6 months of transitioning from the old Koteswore location to the new Lazimpat location, KDBC has an academic calendar, which is being followed strictly. The teaching-learning environment has improved significantly. The students now are much happier. They will be even happier when the new MBA/EMBA dedicated wing on the 5th floor is completed and they can start studying in the new facilities.

Now for the bad news! Nepal was devastated by the April 25th earthquake of 7.6 magnitude, as well as numerous aftershocks including another big aftershock of 6.8 magnitude on 12th of May. The devastation was unbelievable. A total of 8,790 people lost their lives, 22,300 were injured, over half a million houses were destroyed. Nepal lost many priceless historical buildings. While the Nepalese had yet to recover fully from this devastating earthquake, many Nepalese are having to cope with a huge man-made disaster resulting from unacceptance of the new constitution by disgruntled and agitating groups living in the Terai-Madhesh belt, who have resorted to bandhs and blockade of the main southern trade/transit routes. These people are purportedly supported by India, which seems to be very peeved that the Nepali politicians, who were mostly at their beck and call, have suddenly begun to ignore their advice and even behave independently, befitting a sovereign nation.

It is in this context that I am writing this message. Let us hope that the political problems are resolved soon as we are staring at a huge humanitarian disaster due to shortage of fuel, cooking gas, medicines and necessary daily commodities.

Let us pray and hope that the current situation improves soon. Let us resolve to work together to create a self-dependent, peaceful and prosperous country.

“AND SO EVEN
THOUGH WE FACE
THE DIFFICULTIES
OF TODAY AND
TOMORROW, I
STILL HAVE A
DREAM.”

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.



FESTIVE GREETINGS

Dear Students, Parents, Faculty, Staff and all the Well-wishers of Xavier Academy and Kathmandu Don Bosco College.

The country is going through a very difficult period due to the blockade of the many trade/transit points in southern Nepal. Daily life is becoming more and more difficult by the day. Unless resolved, we could face a major humanitarian disaster. It is most unfortunate that this has come 5 months after the big earthquake, which caused tremendous loss of precious lives and significant loss and damage of property mostly in 14 worst affected districts.

Against this backdrop, it is with a very heavy heart that I, on behalf of XA and KDBC family, would like to wish you all DASAIN, TIHAR and CHHAT GREETINGS.

The human spirit is indomitable and the Nepalese are known for their courage and resilience. I am sure all Nepalese will have the strength and courage to cope with the difficulties that we are facing. Let us all go out of our way to help all those who are in need!

Prof. Dr. Sriram Bhagut Mathe
Executive Chairman, XA & KDBC
On Behalf of the Boards of Directors

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WE ARE NOW TOGETHER
TO ENLIGHTEN OUR STUDENTS



NEWS & EVENTS

XAVIER ACADEMY

CLASS XI ENROLLMENT

Out of 583 students, who applied for admission to Class XI Science and Commerce in the current academic year, 135 and 98 students are currently enrolled in Science and Commerce respectively. In Science, 94 students (69.6%) secured Distinction in the SLC exams with 5 students getting more than 90%. In Commerce, 30 students (30.6%) have secured Distinction in SLC exams, with another 40 students (40.8%) securing between 75%-79%. The enrolled students come 107 schools. XA would like to urge all the Class XI students to focus on their studies inspite of all the political problems and social distractions so that they can do well in their studies and achieve their dreams.

TOTAL ENROLLMENT

XA enrollment, after excluding those students who have left or were asked to leave, is 233 in Class XI and 210 in Class XII giving a total enrollment of 443 students.



CLASS XII HSEB RESULTS

HSEB published the Class XII Science and Commerce results on 28 August 2015 and 7 October 2015. A total of 108 and 116 students gave the Class XII exams in Science and Commerce. After the supplementary examinations, XA results should be 93% and 98% pass in Science and Commerce. XA would like to congratulate all those students, who passed the Class XII exams and would like to wish them the very best as they take the next significant step in their career. To those few, who were unsuccessful, XA would urge them to try harder so that they complete their Class XII and pursue their dreams.



Academic Calendar and 1st Term Exams

In spite of all the problems including bandhs and numerous holidays, XA managed to complete 68 class days for Class XII and 56 class days for Class XI, including 4 substitution class days during the weekends. The 1st term assessments as well as the extra-curricular activities were completed as per the NEF academic calendar. The students are currently busy with the 1st Term examinations, which started on Wednesday, 7th October, and will finish on Monday, 12th October. The last couple of weeks have been very difficult for all students, faculty and staff due to the severe fuel shortage. XA would like to thank all the students, faculty and staff, who have coped with the numerous obstacles and challenges to comply with the academic calendar. XA would like to wish all the students all the very best in their 1st Term examinations.

KATHMANDU DON BOSCO COLLEGE

START OF CLASSES OF DIFFERENT SEMESTERS

22 June	Start of 3rd Semester 2014 Full Intake
10 August	Start of 3rd Semester 2014 (Spring Intake)
1 September	Start of 1st Semester MBA 2015 Full Intake
21 September	Start of 2nd Semester MBA/EMBA 2015 (Spring Intake)

GUEST LECTURES & WORKSHOP

- Guest lecture by Dr. Biju Thapaliya
(Former Dean of Purbanchal University)
- 13th August 2015
- Guest lecture by Prof. Dr. Keshav Jung Baral
(Former Vice-Chancellor of Pokhara University)
- 8th June 2015
- Workshop on Thesis Proposal and Report
Writing
- 14th September 2015

SEMINAR SERIES

- **Operation Management** : 1-8 Sep 2015
Roshan Shrestha
Management Consultant, ISO 9001:2008, Lead Auditor
MBA 3rd Sem (2013/Fall)
- **Retail Management** : 7- 14 Sep 2015
Dr. Biju Kumar Thapaliya
Former Dean, Faculty of Management, Purbanchal University
MBA 2nd Sem (2014/Fall)
- **Behavioural Finance and Corporate Governance, Corporate Social Responsibility**
: 9-15 Sep 2015
Prof. Dr. Rajan B. Paudel
Public Youth Campus, Faculty of Management, T.U.
MBA 4th Semester
- **Current Issues in Marketing Communications**
: 9-15 Sep 2015
Prof. Dr. Bhoj Raj Aryal
Head of Central Department of Management, T.U.
MBA 4th Semester
- **Leading People in Organization**
: 25 Sep -2 Oct 2015
Roshan Shrestha
Management Consultant, ISO 9001:2008, Lead Auditor
MBA 2nd Semester (2015/Spring)
- **Technology and Innovation Management**
: 8 October - 2015
Prof. Dr. Pramod Bahadur Shrestha
Former Head of Dept., Mechanical Engg.,
Director, CARD, IOE, TU
BA 3rd Semester (2015/October)



ACTIVITIES TIMELINE

KATHMANDU DON BOSCO

XAVIER ACADEMY

6 March 2015
EMBA Formal Inaguration

17 & 18 April 2015
EMBA 1st Batch & MBA 11th Batch Orientation Program, Nagarkot

10 May 2015
Earthquake Relief Program conducted at Dukuchhap Village, Lalitpur

22 June 2015
Start of MBA 3rd Semester (2014 / Fall Intake)



10 August 2015
Start of MBA 3rd Semester (2014 / Spring Intake)

14 – 16 August 2015
Domestic Tour To Pokhara (MBA 8th Batch)

22 – 24 August 2015
Orientation Program (MBA 12th Batch), Gokarna

1 September 2015
Start of MBA 1st Semester (2015 / Fall Intake)

3 September 2015
Research Cell Meeting

8, 23 & 24 September 2015
Career Talk Show Program "BBA, A Step towards realizing your dreams" by Sriram Bhagut Mathe for 10+2 graduates

21 September 2015
Start of MBA/EMBA 2nd Semester (2015 / Spring Intake)

22 September 2015
Management - EMBA Student Meeting

26 September 2015
Management - Faculty Meeting

2 – 9 November 2015
International Tour to Thailand & Classes at Panyapiwat Institute of Management (Bangkok) for MBA Students



30 June 2015
Grade XI - Entrance Examination

3 July 2015
Grade XII - Orientation

5 July 2015
Grade XII - Class commences

16 July 2015
Grade XI - Orientation

23 July 2015
Grade XI - Class commences

31 July 2015
Grade XI - Class commences

2 – 4 August 2015
Grade XII- 1st Assessment Exam

6 August 2015
Inter Class Art Competition

14 August 2015
NEF-CCN Inter College Art Competition - Bhanubhakta Memorial College

18 – 20 August 2015
NEF-CCN Inter College Debate Competition - Asian Institute of Technology & Management

4 September 2015
Inter Class Quiz Competition

6 September 2015
Inter Class Essay Competition

11 September 2015
NEF-CCN Inter College Essay Competition - Xavier Academy

18 September 2015
NEF-CCN Co-ordinators' Meeting - 1st Term Question Finalization, LAC
NEF-CCN Inter College Quiz Competition, Ideal Model College

23 – 25 September 2015
Grade XI & XII - 2nd Assessment Exam

7 – 12 October 2015
Grade XI & XII - First Term Examination

UPCOMING EVENTS

28 October 2015
College Resumes

7 November 2015
1st Term Exam Result, 8-10 am

NEF AWARDS

Chandra Bhuwaneswari- Parshuram Mathema Award

Topper in Class XII Science Board Examination:
Bikash Thapa (2012-2014)

Krishna Kumari- Juddha Bahadur Shrestha Award

Topper in Class XII Commerce Board Examination:
Aayusha Poudel (2012-2014)

NEF Chairman's Award

Topper in Class XI Science Board Examination:
Ranjan Thapa (2013-2015)

Umesh Shrestha Award

Topper in Class XI Commerce Board Examination:
Ronit Shrestha & Suman Mainali (2013-2015)

Mohan Bir Singh Award

Overall Best Student:
Lakpa Chamjy Sherpa (2013-2015)

NEF- CCN Inter College Art Competition

14 August 2015

Pencil Art

1st : Stoj Shakya (IMS)
2nd: Prakas Tamang (BBMC)
3rd : Shreyashi Karki (XA)

Water Colour

1st : Maya Devi Budhathoki (IMS)
2nd : KelsangTshering Lama Sherpa (XA)
3rd : Ruben Napit(LAC)

NEF-CCN Inter College Debate Tournament

28 August 2015
ENGLISH

1st: Ideal Model School (IMS)

Prakash Neupane
Sanaya Joshi
Navid Ahmed

2nd: Bhanubhakta Memorial College (BBMC)

Ujjwol Deep Tripathi
Bhawana Pandey
Meera Shrestha

NEPALI

1st : Xavier Academy (XA)

Narayan Adhikari
Manisha Shrestha
Viraj Khadka

2nd : Bhanubhakta Memorial College (BBMC)

Prajita Ghimire
Archana Bhattarai
Namuna Shrestha

Individual Categories

Best English Speaker : Sanaya Joshi (IMS)
2nd Best English Speaker : Ujjwol Deep Tripathi (BBMC)

Best Nepali Speaker: Prajita Ghimire (BBMC)
2nd Best Nepali Speaker : Pradeep Dahal (WhiteHouse)
Parachute Hunter : Navid Ahmed (IMS)

NEF- CCN Inter College Essay Competition

11 September 2015

English: National Unity For Development

1st: Tejaswini Khadha (XA)
2nd : Megha Shilpakar (AITM)
3rd : Laxmi Joshi (BBMC)

Nepali : जालवायु परिवर्तन र यसका प्रभावहरु

1st : Yubesh Acharya (LAB)
2nd : Pradid Neupane (AITM)
3rd : Prem Bahadur Rawal (LAB)

NEF-CCN Inter College Quiz Competition

18 September 2015

1st: Ideal Model School (IMS)

Sujit Manandhar- Science XII
Suyogya Rimal- Science XII

2nd : White House College (AITM)

Anusha Niraula- Science XII
Mahim Aryal- Science XII

3rd : Xavier Academy (XA)

Bardan Rayamajhi- Science XII
Birendra Shrestha- Science XII

PHOTO MONTAGE



MBA 2015 Batch Orientation Group Photograph



EMBA Inaugural Ceremony



KDBC Research Committee Meeting



Farewell Program Award Recipients



NEF Day & Freshers' Welcome Award



XA Farewell Program