

Rang-e-Rukhsat – Bidding adieu to the Outgoing Batch of APS Jammu Cantt 2024-25

The air was filled with a sense of nostalgia and excitement as APS Jammu Cantt gathered to bid a heartfelt farewell to the 12th class students on their momentous day of passing out. The farewell ceremony was an emotional occasion, marking the end of a significant chapter in their academic journey and the beginning of a new adventure in life.

The event began with an elegant and grand entry by the 12th class students, as they walked into the venue amidst cheers and applause from their juniors and teachers.

An auspicious ritual of lamp-lighting marked the onset of the event, symbolizing the beginning of a new chapter and the hope for a bright future.

The ceremony took an emotional turn as a tribute was paid to late Ajay Kumar, a beloved student of class 12th. His absence was deeply felt and the heartfelt words spoken during the tribute resonated with everyone present. His memory was honoured with a moment of silence and reflection, reminding everyone of his impact on their lives.

Titles were then announced celebrating and highlighting the diverse personalities and contributions of the students. The Principal along with the senior faculty members assigned these titles to the outgoing batch. Each title was met with cheers and applause. These fun and light-hearted awards added a sense of excitement, amusement and camaraderie, making the event more memorable for everyone.

The atmosphere became lively as the students performed a Bollywood dance. Full of energy and colour, this performance showcased the vibrant spirit and the audience was thrilled to witness the talent and enthusiasm of the dancers.

A lively Bhangra performance ensued, where students of 11th class danced in perfect harmony. The beats of the traditional Punjabi music had everyone clapping and cheering along, creating an electric atmosphere.

A power packed performance was also given by the Dance teacher, Mr Akshay Kumar, mesmerizing everyone present with his moves.

Fun-filled games followed, where the students had to act out famous dialogues from Bollywood movies and guess famous movie titles based on emojis. Laughter filled the air as the students showcased their acting skills and sense of humour, adding a playful touch to the event.

The school's band then took the stage, filling the room with soulful and energetic music. Their performance was a musical tribute to the graduating class, symbolizing the strength and unity they had cultivated over the years.

The event was further enriched by a touching video montage featuring the students' journey from the first day of school to their final day in 12th class. The montage brought smiles, tears and laughter as it captured the memories of classroom moments, school events and the invaluable friendships formed over the years.

The much-anticipated 'Miss and Mr APS Jammu Cantt' and 'Miss and Mr Personality' titles were next, which added a sense of pride to the occasion, where students were awarded based on their overall personality, charm and contributions to school life. The ceremony crowned the most deserving students - Miss Priyanka Kumari and Mr Narinder Pal Singh of Commerce stream as 'Miss and Mr APS Jammu Cantt'. Along with that 'Miss and Mr Personality' titles were bagged by Miss Lakshita Bisht and Mr Harshdeep Singh of Humanities stream.

The farewell ceremony came to a poignant close with a heartfelt address by the Principal, Ms Puneet Kaur. With a mixture of pride and sentimentality, the Principal reflected on the growth of the 12th class students, acknowledging their hard work, perseverance and the challenges they had overcome during their years at school. Their achievements, both academic and personal, were celebrated, and the Principal expressed confidence that they would continue to excel in their future endeavours. With words of encouragement, the Principal also reminded them of the values learned at school and how they would guide them as they embark on their next journey.

As the day drew to a close, there was a final round of emotional goodbyes. The students, many of whom had spent over a decade together, shared hugs, laughter and promises to stay in touch. The bond they had created at school was evident as they prepared to embark on different paths—some heading toward higher education, while others looking forward to various career opportunities. Regardless of their individual journeys, it was clear that the memories created here would remain with them forever.

In conclusion, the farewell ceremony was not just a celebration of the students' accomplishments but also a reflection of the impact the school had on shaping their lives. As they prepare to step into the future, the 12th class students will always carry with them the lessons, experiences and friendships that have enriched their lives.

The entire school community wished them a bright and prosperous future as they move forward with determination, courage and the invaluable lessons learned at APS Jammu Cantt to make their mark in the world.



