

CLEANLINESS CAMPAIGN BY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, BHOPAL

“A clean India would be the best tribute India could pay to Mahatma Gandhi on his 150 birth anniversary in 2019”. To commemorate this event, Municipal Corporation, Bhopal initiated bunch of activities on 21st September 2019, ‘World Clean-up Day’. The day witnessed the most significant cleanliness campaign, which included cleanliness drive, cleanliness pledge and various activities which focussed on making citizens aware of the benefits of clean living and promoting citizen participation and awareness towards a cleaner India in selected 150 places across Bhopal.

St. Montfort School, Bhopal actively participated in the drive and contributed toward a cleaner Bhopal. The cleanliness activities in the school premises were carried out by the students in the morning with pioneering zest and keenness. This was followed by a cleanliness pledge dictated by school authorities. To involve parents to participate in the drive, students were given cleanliness affidavit to be submitted the very next day duly signed by their parents. A sense of responsibility had been evoked among the students through the cleanliness campaign.

After the Oath taking ceremony, the students proceeded on a rally spreading the tenets of “ Hamne Yeh Thana Hai, Bhopal Ko Swachh Banana Hai, Samaz Ko Rakho Saaf, Varna Bavishya Nahi Hoga Maaf”. Students displayed their creativity in the form of banners and slogans on the rally. The rally was flagged off by the Vice Principal, Rev. Bro. Bala Joseph enthusiastically! children participated in the Oath taking ceremony and the rally which aimed to clean up the streets, roads and infrastructure of Bhopal city. The Principal Rev. Monachan K.K. motivated these students to spread the message of Mission Swachh Bharat, School Scout & Guide wing along with its students also participated in a big way and made this event worth memorable. This drive was carried out from 8 AM to 2 PM at allotted places across Bhopal.

This largest cleanliness drive on ‘World Cleanup Day’ aimed to achieve Swachh Bharat by 2019, as a fitting tribute to Mahatma Gandhi on his 150th Birth Anniversary.