

IIM DC Quiz Contest “Metallica 2013”

A Quiz Contest “**Metallica 2013**” for school students was organized at *The Indian Institute of Metals – Delhi Chapter* on 7th September 2013. The basic objective of the Quiz Contest was to motivate and encourage senior level school students for associating themselves in future



growth in the fields of Metallurgy & related disciplines. The broad syllabus of the Quiz was circulated to the schools, in advance, to enable the students to prepare for the quiz.

A team of two students each of the following thirteen schools from National Capital Region of Delhi participated in the Quiz Contest:

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| 1 Amity International School | Gurgaon |
| 2 Andhra Education Society | Karol Bagh, New Delhi |
| 3 Apeejay School | Pitampura, New Delhi |
| 4 Cambridge Foundation School | Rajouri Garden, New Delhi |
| 5 Delhi Public School | Mathura Road, New Delhi |
| 6 G D Goenka Public School | Rohini, New Delhi |
| 7 G D Salwan Public School | Rajinder Nagar, New Delhi |
| 8 Manav Sthali School | New Rajinder Nagar Delhi |
| 9 Mount Carmel School | Anand Niketan, New Delhi |
| 10 N C Jindal Public School | West Punjabi Bagh, New Delhi |
| 11 Rukmini Devi Public School | Pitampura, New Delhi |
| 12 St. Paul's School | Hauz Khas, New Delhi |
| 13 The Indian School | Sadiq Nagar, New Delhi |

At the outset, Chairman IIM DC Shri S C Suri welcomed the teachers and the students of schools who were participating in the Quiz Contest. He briefly described the activities being undertaken by the IIM fraternity. He also spoke about the importance of metallurgy in the industrial activity of our country. Shri G I S Chauhan, Hony. Joint Secretary, IIM DC, explained the modus operandi of the Quiz Contest to the students.

Shri Vipin Jain & Shri G I S Chauhan, Hony. Jt. Secretaries of Delhi Chapter and Dr. (Mrs). Malti Goel & Mr. G. Panwar, members of Executive Committee IIM DC conducted different rounds of the Contest.

The contest consisted of two phases. In the *Elimination round*, thirteen teams were divided into two groups. Each group was administered a written test of 35 questions, independently. Two teams out of each group were selected for *Final round*. In the Final Round, four teams (Apeejay, G D Goenka, Indian School & St. Paul's Schools) were administered various questions through different modes of quiz (viz. direct questions/pass-over questions, buzzer & fire mode questions and tie-breaker questions). After completion of the *Final Round*, Evaluation Committee (comprising Shri V C Singhal Vice

Chairman, Shri Manoranjan Ram Hony. Secretary, Shri Vipin Jain Hony. Jt. Secretary and Dr. Malti Goel from the Delhi Chapter) evaluated the performance of the four teams.



Simultaneously, when the evaluation of the performance of the four teams was in progress, the interim time was utilized by Shri G I S Chauhan by asking various *Open House* questions from individual students. These questions were basically focussed on the general knowledge related to Metals and Metal Industries. A cash award of ₹ 100 for each correct answer in this *Open Round* was awarded. Shri K L Mehrotra Vice-Chairman also interacted with students during this period, highlighting various aspects of Metallurgical industries in India.

After evaluation of the performance of the four teams, the team of two students namely **Vivek Goyal and Milli Rawat of G D Goenka School** was adjudged the **Winner Team**. The team consisting of *Sidharth Rawat and Arush Harit of St. Paul's School* was declared the *Runner-up team*.



The winning team was given a cash prize of ₹ 5000/-. The Runner-up prize of ₹ 3000/- was given to Runner-up team. ₹ 1000/- each was given to the remaining two participating teams in the *Final Round* viz. Apeejay & The Indian School, as Consolation Prizes.



All the individual students who took part in the Quiz were given Certificates of participation. In addition, teachers of all the participating schools were handed over suitable mementoes for retaining in the schools, on behalf of IIM Delhi Chapter.



The quiz event was suitably photographed.





For the last few years IIM DC has been organizing the Quiz Event every year. This is the first time that as many as thirteen schools have participated in the Quiz Contest.

Several members of the IIM DC and the Executive Committee members participated in the event. About 70 persons participated in the Event.