



Society of Ex-Budhanilkantha Students (SEBS) *presents*

Grand Alumni Fest

Budhanilkantha School

October 15 – 16, 2022

on the occasion of

Golden Jubilee Celebrations of Budhanilkantha School

Dear SEBSers,

I am 7164D Aakriti, your Chair for the Golden Jubilee Committee. Let me begin by sharing an anecdote. A few years back, over a messenger call with a fellow SEBSer, we imagined what it would be like to go back to Budhanilkantha School and get to live there during our vacations. We imagined that for about 37 minutes and later talked about how we were almost caught with our cell phones and how well we orchestrated the escape. Casual calls with fellow SEBSers. You know how it goes!

The point being, SEBSers are getting to actually stay in the school this weekend – October 15-16! All thanks to the ad-hoc committee who came up with the idea and to the school management for endorsing it.

Months of planning, meetings, rounds of drives from corners of Kathmandu to the school, multiple zoom meetings, and many “*tapai ko balance Rs. 50 bhanda kam bhaisakeko cha*” later – Budhanilkantha School has been lit up to welcome all of us in!

To be honest, we’re not entirely sure how everything will go. But to ensure that you can navigate the fest well, here is a document for you. It shall be your guide throughout the fest. We have tried to include everything that is relevant and important, including emergency contact details.

We are both nervous and excited. We anticipate glitches and oversights. But please bear with us and leave your feedback so that we can keep things in mind for events in the future! And most of all, enjoy to your fullest!

Thank you and can’t wait to see you all in person, finally!

Best regards,
7164D Aakriti
Chair
Golden Jubilee Committee

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Can I attend the event even if I haven't pre-registered?

Yes. Registrations are primarily important for those who want to stay the night. Individuals can show up on the day and register then and there for the event.

2. Can I stay the night if I haven't registered, or confirmed earlier?

In simple words, no.

3. Can I bring my spouse and/or children?

Yes, please do! We can't wait for them to join us in the celebrations! Bring the entire neighbourhood!

4. Do I need to pay for the event?

No. But there are spaces for you to spend your money on. And if you wish to donate to SEBS Golden Jubilee committee, we would be more than grateful.

5. Can I perform in the talent show even if I have not registered?

Hell yes. It is an open platform, and once the line-up is over, the floor is yours.

6. Are both days mandatory?

Neither day are mandatory. As long as your time, energy, mood, prior commitments and external circumstances permit, stay both days. If not, come for as short a time as you can afford!

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CODE OF CONDUCT

As you prepare to join us for the Golden Jubilee celebrations at the Grand Alumni Fest this October, we ask that you endorse this very important code of conduct to ensure a safe, pleasant, and fun experience for everyone attending or involved.

SEBS Golden Jubilee committee is dedicated to ensuring that our events and gatherings are an inclusive, respectful, productive, and harassment-free experience for everyone.

To participate in SEBS event, all attendees, speakers, sponsors, and volunteers must agree to abide by this code of conduct ("Code of Conduct").

The fest will not tolerate any/all harassment and intimidation of a sexual, physical, verbal, emotional or any other nature based on gender, sexual orientation, age, appearance, marital status, religion, ability, or any other excuse at any time of day or night.

Please note that students of grade A1 and A2 will be preparing for their A-levels examinations scheduled for October 17 and children will be present at the event premises.

This code of conduct is not meant to offend anyone who does not mean to offend others. And it shall not get in the way of everyone having a perfectly wonderful time together.

SMOKING, ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION AND INTOXICATION

Budhanilkantha School (BNKS) has strict policies against consumption of alcohol, smoking or consuming any other forms of intoxication within the school premises. If found, fest attendees will be requested to leave the premises.

Substances consumed can not be taken as an excuse.

CONSEQUENCES OF UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOR

Anyone asked by a SEBS ex-comm member or BNKS staff to stop engaging in unacceptable behaviour is expected to comply immediately.

If a participant engages in unacceptable behaviour or fails to comply with expected behaviour at any time during the event, BNKS may take any action it deems appropriate including but not limited to removing the participant from the event.

Event attendees and organizers are also bound by the SEBS Anti-Harassment Policy.

WHAT TO DO ABOUT UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOR

If you witness or are subjected to unacceptable behaviour or have any other concerns at a SEBS event, notify a SEBS ex-comm member or Golden Jubilee committee members as soon as possible.

AGREEMENT

In line with and in consideration for my participation in the Grand Alumni Fest, I accept and will adhere to the Code of Conduct when participating in such event. I understand that SEBS may take any action it deems appropriate, including removing me from the event, should I fail to adhere to this Code of Conduct.

By receiving this, I am committing to upholding this code of conduct to create a safe space.

We appreciate all your support in making this space a comfortable and supportive environment for all the participants and organizers.

ORDER OF EVENTS

Day 1: 15 October 2022

Time	Event	Location	Details
8:00am	Breakfast	Dining Hall	For organizers
9:00am	Registrations Open	In front of the foyer.	Registrations will be open throughout the day. For those staying the night, your rooms and beds will be assigned during registrations.
10:30am - 12:00pm	Formal program inauguration Blood donation drive begins [in the volleyball court]	Assembly Hall	Program content: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welcome by the Principal - Opening remarks by SEBS President - SEBS and BNKS: Vice-principal - Felicitations - Representatives from each batch speaks - Trailers and videos
12:00pm	Official group photograph sessions	In front of the foyer.	Batch-wise [A, B, C, D, E]. In front of the foyer. Certificates will be distributed.
12:45pm	Lunch	Dining Hall	Provided by the school
1:15pm	Stalls and Exhibitions Open	Volleyball Court, Multipurpose Lab, Black Gate	These will remain open throughout the day.
1:15pm	Guided school tour		Assemble in front of the Principal's office.

2:00pm – 2:45pm	Documentary Showcasing by 600A Dhan Bahadur Lama	Learning Resource Center (LRC)	Two documentaries will be shown. One is 8 minutes and the other is 25 minutes.
3:00pm	Talk Program by Sumana Shrestha	Assembly Hall	
4:00pm	Football matches and basketball matches begin	Middle Pitch	
4:00pm	Guided school tour Blood donation drive ends		Assemble in front of the Principal's Office.
5:00pm	Bingo	In front of the dining hall	
6:00pm	Panel discussions	Room no 39, 40, 41, 46, 47	Parallel sessions for experts of various sectors to interact and network. Informal discussion spaces. Medicine & Life Sciences – Room no 39 Engineering – Room no 40 Law, Governance & Policy – Room no 41 Journalism, Arts & Digital Media – Room no 46 Entrepreneurship, Business & Marketing - Room no 47
7:30pm	Dinner	Dining Hall	Provided by school
8:30pm	Talent Show	Assembly Hall	Performances by SEBSers. Open platform for anyone who wishes to jump in!

Day 2: 16 October 2022

Time	Event	Location	Details
8:00am	Breakfast	Dining Hall	Provided by school
9:00am	Guided school tour		Assemble in front of the Principal's Office.
9:30am – 10:15am	Documentary Showcasing by 600A Dhan Bahadur Lama	Learning Resource Center (LRC)	Two documentaries will be shown. One is 8 minutes and the other is 25 minutes.
10:30am	Talk Program by Bhusan Dahal.	Assembly Hall	
11:00am	Stalls and exhibitions open.	Volleyball Court, Multipurpose Lab, Black Gate	These will remain open throughout the day.
12:00pm	Lunch	Dining Hall	Provided by school
1:00pm	Football matches and basketball matches begin	Middle Pitch	
1:00pm	Guided school tour		Assemble in front of the Principal's Office.
3:00pm	Closing ceremony	Assembly Hall	Program details: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Prize distribution for football and basketball matches- Raffle Draw- Vote of thanks
4:00pm	Fest ends officially		

Description of Events

Nostalgia Exhibition

Photos, lots of photos. Old. Many black and white. Rooms filled with photos. Task assigned to you, find yourself and your friends!

Many photos we received were very last minute for us to include them in our in-person exhibition. However, we shall make sure the exhibition turns virtual, which doesn't just allow our SEBSers abroad or SEBSers who are unable to visit the event to enjoy, but will also help us in documenting these images!

Art Exhibition

Art works of your friends, seniors, juniors shall be put up on display. Many shall be on sale too. Come, have a look, and buy if you wish to. If not, do hold on to their business cards because you'll need them soon, trust me!

Panel Discussions

One thing about us is that we are always seeking ways to push our boundaries. With parallel panel discussions on various themes, we want professionals to come together and just talk. Familiarize yourself with your colleagues, juniors, seniors, or enthusiasts.

Talk about what's the most *jaldo baldo* topic in town in your field. Or whatever you wish to talk about.

Exchange business cards or hugs, consensually. Let this be a place where revolutionaries come together, and new ideas innovate.

We have allocated rooms for you, and we hope you make your way there. And do let us know if this model of networking works or not!

Talk Programs

We have identified two SEBSers – Sumana Shrestha and Bhusan Dahal. They have the floor to lead the conversation on making an impact in society, about giving back and inspiring us to relentlessly pursue our purpose.

This is another networking event, where you interact with the speakers and those around you!

Children-friendly activities

Your children, or your mom's third cousin's neighbor's niece is also most welcome. Let them awe at the place you called home for a certain period of your life.

Inflatable bounce houses, Trampoline, Foosball. Hit the Can, Giant snakes and ladder, Jenga. Cotton Candy, Face Painting, Bubble Machine.

Can we be kids again, please?

Entrepreneurship Venture Stalls

Free stations have been provided to our organically crafted entrepreneurs of BNKS. This is where you buy their goods, get hold of their business cards or drop in your CV.

Stalls confirmed thus far:

- 1. Entrada Nepal Hospitality** – 1000E Himalaya Chhetri
- 2. Pashmina & Cashmere shawl store** – 8172D Neha Shrestha
- 3. MeroSiksha Digital Learning Platform** – 7005D Tilak Prasad Dhital
- 4. Ukaalo** – 415A Amod Pyakuryal
- 5. Electric Charging Station** – 6064D Aayush Shrestha
- 6. Bajura Agro Enterprises (Olive Oil)** – 879B Abhishek Basnyat
- 7. Kambal Nepal** – 6068D Biraj Paudel
- 8. Samriddhi Krishi Anusandhaan Tatha Bikaash Pvt Ltd** – 3124D
Nirajan Raj Panta
- 9. Jadun Arts and Crafts** – 738B Shailesh Kansakar
- 10. Zakipoint Health Pvt Ltd** – 514B Sanjay Ghimire
- 11. Genese Solution, IT company** – 900A Prasanna Pokhrel

Sports – Football and Basketball Matches

Teams have been divided and has been communicated to the sportspersons. Confirmations will again be done during registration.

Blood Donations

Blood donation drive will take place from 11am until 4pm. A pulmonary function test will also be conducted there.

Food Stalls

There's never too much food, is there?

1. **Mamagoto** (International Asian Fusion restaurant chain) – 000B Shivant Pande
2. **Bubble Tea** – 700B Pasang Lama
3. **Delish Green Yoghurt & Sweet Fix** – 9182C Surya Karki
4. **Baked Goods** – 6055D Upasana Pandit Chhetri
5. **Smoothies, Berries, Kiwis and Organic Vegetables** – 3124D Nirajan Raj Panta
6. **Nepal Coffee Company** – 300C Abhishek Ghimre

But but but we have a little more! How about we go to the black gate, this time with no such dire consequences, and recreate a few little moments? It's a speakeasy though. Do you remember the holy words?

1. **Chatpate and PaniPuri stalls**
2. **Rame Bhai ko Boso Rahit Mo:Mo**

Talent Show

Excited to see folks perform? We are too! Hope your rehearsals are going great.

And just to reiterate, this is an open platform. The line up may end but we will need you to get up, come up the stage and perform. So, get ready to bring on that *josh* [with your soundtracks if you need one].

Confirmed Performers (thus far):

1057E Shriaansh Gurung

6168D Pratiksha Sharma

768B Chandraman Maharjan

6064D Ayush Shrestha

3082D Sanjay Raj Gurung

554B Suraj Narayan Singh Thapa

1193E Prakriti Baral

764B Niraj Shrestha

1113E Ishan Basnet

661A Sunil Tamrakar

3124D Nirajan Raj Panta

970A Rabindra Pradhan

942B Satyadeep Bhattacharya

ON SALE

So, what can you buy at the venue?

Merchandise: SEBS T-shirts, Hoodies, Tote Bags, Car Stickers, Polo shirts and T-shirts

SEBS Sandhya Tickets – Rs 1000 per ticket

How about we make it more exciting?

Bingo Tickets – Rs 100 per ticket

Bingo Prizes – cash prizes, and also surprises!!!

Raffle Tickets – Rs 100 per ticket

Raffle Prizes –

1. Round trip tickets for two to Pokhara
2. Room with dinner for two at Hotel Thamel Park, Kathmandu
3. Breakfast for two at Rumi's Bistro
4. Dinner for two at Good Mixers
5. Two nights for two individuals, including food at Hotel Jal Mahal, Pokhara
6. One night for two individuals, including breakfast at Mystic Mountain, Nagarkot
7. Electronic gadget
8. Dental checkup at Dr Sneedha's
9. Two pediatric check-ups at Dr Dhurba's
10. QFX movie tickets – 2 tickets for 4 individuals
11. Microwave by Webor
12. Nepali Organic Coffee – 1 packet
13. Two books
14. Lunch for two at Ventures Café

EMERGENCY CONTACT

If anything feels off at the event, or you wish to report any medical emergency or violation of the code of conduct or anything you need help with, these will be your immediate point of contacts.

Directly call folks. Do not leave a text and wait for a response.

Medical Emergency:

Meera Bhattarai - Head Matron - 9841384065

Jeni Gurung – 9863669450

Reporting a violation of the Code of Conduct:

Aakriti Ghimire – 9803035052

Yukta Poudel – 9813923640

Hemendra Bohra – 9851086801

Assistance in registrations:

Jiya Dhakal – 9863595609

Anoma Tuladhar – 9765346909

Assistance in accommodations:

Abhinav Chaulagai – 9847374760

Satviki Aryal – 9803326344

Audio-visual assistance:

Sulav Thapa – 9841068066

Nairiti Rai – 9860081642

Any assistance in the Assembly Hall:

Pragyan Sharma – 9765303792

Swornim Shrestha – 9823694093

Assistance in the Exhibition Stalls and Food Stalls:

Saroj Tamrakar – 9810120978

Prasuna Bhandari – 9860314905

Assistance in Child-friendly Activities:

Yukta Poudel – 9813923640

Aashree Shrestha – 9828781578

Assistance in Football matches:

Nirmal Ghale – 9745722081

Fara Saru Magar – 9746511028

Assistance in Basketball matches:

Pragya Aryal – 9880901643

Riyan Dhakal – 9841307521

Assistance with Guided Tours:

Pratiksha Sharma – 9860138917

Ditya KC – 9810134175

General emergency contacts:

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Hemendra Bohra – 9851086801

Prarthana Udaya – 9861585434

Sulav Thapa – 9841068066