**Chairman’s Message**

A warm welcome to all members of Kalyan Bharti Trust and their families.

In June 2013, another feather was added to the cap of Heritage Group of Institutions. We got the approval from the Cambridge Board to commence IGCSE Programme.

Another significant happening during the period was the renaming of Management Education Centre, Heritage Institute of Technology (HIT-K) to Heritage Business School, thereby making it a separate entity.

I would also like to express my thanks to all members of the Trust, Management, Faculty and Staff for their dedication, hardwork, creativity and innovation that has helped us to scale greater heights of success. I believe and trust that Heritage Group of Institutions will continue to prosper and serve the country and add to its glory.

H. K. Chaudhary

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**Introduction of IGCSE Programme at The Heritage School (THS)**

[Image of certificate]

**Congratulations to the Toppers**

**ISC 2013**

- Sachit Murarka (Com.) 97.5%
- Avarna Agarwal (Sc.) 96.5%
- Adrija Maitra (Hum.) 95.8%

**ICSE 2013**

- Pulkit Jajodia 96.6%
**Student Achievements**

Ayush Goyal, an alumni and a founder student of THS, topped in National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test 2013 for medical education.

Vatsala Khetawat, an alumni of THS, graduated with ME (Aerospace Engineering) from the University of Sheffield, UK. She bagged a scholarship to attend International Space University’s MSc Programme in Space Studies from September 2013 in Strasbourg, France. She had the privilege of meeting Dr. A.P.J. Kalam, former President of India at his residence in New Delhi.

Varun Chatrath, ISC 2013 pass-out from THS, bagged a scholarship for higher education (SHE) under Innovation in Science Pursuit for Inspired Research (INSPIRE) by virtue of performance within top 1% of the School Board at Class XII examination.

Sanjoli Mitra, a THS student, won bronze at the 58th School National Archery Competition held between 18th Feb and 23rd Feb 2013 at the Sports Authority of India Complex, Salt Lake, Kolkata.

**International Affairs**

22 students and 2 teachers of THS visited Sophie Scholl Gesamtschule KGS, Wenningsten from 21st May to 30th May 2013 under Years 8/9 Exchange Programme PASCH 3.

Professor Ibrahim Agboola Gambari, Former Under-Secretary-General/Special Adviser on Africa, United Nations, New York along with Mr. Tokunbo Falohun, Minister, Nigeria, High Commission, New Delhi visited The Heritage School, Kolkata on 20th June 2013.

Mr. Shishir Goel and Ms. Clara Mazzon (first and second from left) from Global Sustainability Solutions Pty, Australia visited 100 KWP solar power plant on the Roof Top of The Heritage campus on 18th Feb 2013.
Members from World Bank and MHRD visited HIT-K on 23rd Feb 2013 under TEQIP-II Programme

Dr. Tobias Linden (First from the left)
Lead Education Specialist
The World Bank

Dr. Sajal Dasgupta
(Department of Instrumentation and Applied Physics, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore)

Prof. (Dr.) N. C. Shivaprakash
(Department of Instrumentation and Applied Physics, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore)

Prof. Victor Hruby from University of Arizona visited HIT-K on 7th Feb 2013 during an interactive seminar jointly organized by the Department of Chemical Engineering and the Department of Biotechnology under TEQIP-II.

12 members (MLAs) of Standing Committee on Higher Education, West Bengal visited HIT-K on 27th Feb 2013.

B.Tech (ECE) students selected for AISEC Global Community Development Programme

Swapnadeep Poddar
University of Nottingham, Malaysia Campus

Jishnu Ganguly
Bangkok

Indranil Banerjee
Bandung, Indonesia

Aditya Roy
Ningbo, China

National Board of Accreditation (NBA) Expert Committee visited HIT-K from 5th to 7th April 2013 for NBA Accreditation. The expert Committee included 12 experts from eminent technical institutions of the country specializing in different disciplines.

12 B. Tech students participated in Summer Research Programme at New Jersey Institute of Technology on 21st June 2013.

NJIT Summer Research Programme 2013

National Board of Accreditation (NBA) workshop was organized by UGC Staff Academic College, Jadavpur University in association with NBA and West Bengal State Council of Higher Education from 21st to 23rd March 2013 at HIT-K. Hon’ble Minister of Education, Govt. of West Bengal Prof. Bratya Basu, Chairman, West Bengal State Council of Higher Education Prof. Sugata Marjit and Chairman of NBA Dr. D. K. Paliwal addressed the delegates. The programme was also significant for Bengal as at the workshop NBA officially declared West Bengal State Council of Higher Education as their NBA Nodal Center for the State.

Prof. Souvik Bhattacharya
VC, Jadavpur University

Dr. D. K. Paliwal
Chairman NBA

Dr. Harish Chaudhry, Department of Management Studies, IIT Delhi conducted a FDP for faculty members on 22nd Feb 2013 under TEQIP-II.
**News Snapshots**

International Theatre Workshop organized by Bratyajon was held on 30th April 2013 in the campus. Prof. Bratya Basu, Hon’ble Minister-in-charge, Dept. of Education addressed the participants.

Workshop by Dr. Kaizer Dopeshi, Principal of Singapore International School on International Baccalaureate Diploma programme was held from 26th April 2013 to 29th April 2013 at THS.

A Mathematics workshop was organized for the Junior School Teachers at THS by Jodogyan. It was addressed by Mr. E. K. Shaji, eminent mathematician.

A workshop on “Autonomy” was addressed by the Director of Technical Education, West Bengal, Dr. Sajal Dasgupta on 15th March 2013.

NATCONIC (National Conference on Instrumentation and Control) 2013 was organized by Department of Applied Electronics and Instrumentation Engg. HIT-K during 26th and 27th Feb 2013. The inaugural function was addressed by Prof. (Dr.) Biswajit Ghosh from School of Energy Studies, Jadavpur University, and Prof. (Dr.) Kalyan Kumar Mallick from Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering, Jadavpur University.

**Happenings & Celebrations**

Prize Day in Junior and Senior section of THS was held on 24th and 25th June 2013 respectively. In the Junior School, Chief Guest for Prize Day was Ms. Mary Ann Dasgupta, educationist and Managing Trustee, Sharehouse Charitable Foundation, Kolkata. In the senior School, Prize Day was addressed by Mr. Fabrice ETIENNE, Consul General, Consulat general de France as Chief Guest and Mr. Gauthier KRIN, Attache for Cooperation in French language, Consulat General de France at Kolkata.

**Congratulations**

Pulkit Jajodia (HSIE topper won the Chairman’s Trophy

Anushka Pal of Class V won the Sudakshina Laha Memorial Award for All Round Best Performance

Yash Dhanuka won the Outstanding Student Personality Trophy

Nayanica Banerjee won the Chhoti Devi Agarwala Trophy for the Student with Best Conduct

Aniket Dalmia won the P.D. Chitlangia Memorial Trophy for the best sports person

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Hon’ble Deputy Mayor Ms. Farzana Alam at the Junior School Prize Day
Blessing Ceremony was organized at THS on 6th Feb 2013 for Class X & XII of students ISC and ICSE Exam 2013.

The Heritage School students were delighted at the presence of Dr. Malabika Sarkar, Vice Chancellor, Presidency University as the Chief Guest during the Investiture Ceremony on 16th May 2013 to elect the Student Council leaders.

It was celebrated at HIT-K on 26th Feb 2013 in association with National Environment Science, Academy West Bengal Chapter. Students participated in a lively debate on “Pricing of Drinking Water”.

Bridging the Gaps (Parent Orientation Programme) for New Parents was held in THS on 27th April 2013.

Student Council of HIT-K organised Third Film Festival on 19th & 20th April 2013. The inaugural address was delivered by Ms. Aditi Roy, eminent Director of the Film “Aboshese”, eminent Photographer Mr. Asis Sanyal & Prof. Shyamal Sengupta, Satyajit Ray Films & Television Institute (SRFTI) Kolkata.

Summer Camp was organized in THS from 20th May to 28th May 2013. It included various creative activities like robotics, drama, dance, swimming, adventure sports etc.

Gurukul, a 5-day Residential Skill Development Programme in Football, Cricket and Archery was organized at THS from 20th to 28th May 2013.

As previously, WBJEE 2013 was conducted in the The Heritage Campus on 21st April 2013. More than 700 students sat for the exam at our centre.

pondicherry University Exams were conducted at THS on 26th May 2013. About 1500 students took their exam at The Heritage Campus.

Havan was performed on the Foundation Day 25th June 2013, which was attended by Shri Vikram Swarup, Chairman, THS and Shri Sajjan Bhajanka, Secretary, KBT.
Happenings & Celebrations

Youthopia 2013
Youthopia 2013 Annual Cultural Fest of THS was celebrated from 3rd May to 5th May 2013. During the fest Eminent Cricketer Laxmi Ratan Shukla andTabla Maestro Bikram Ghosh were felicitated. There were 14 participant schools & 37 innovative activities.

Eminent Cricketer Laxmi Ratan Shukla
Eminent Tabla Maestro Bikram Ghosh (Fourth from the Right)
DJ Harish performing during the fest

Eclecia 2013
Eclecia 2013 HIT-K annual cultural fest was held during 4th May to 6th May 2013. There were 30 number of activities and 20 participant colleges. The closing ceremony of Eclecia witnessed a marvellous performance by Bombay Vikings which included Neeraj Sridhar and his team

Students engaged in different activities during Eclecia
Bombay Vikings Mr. Neeraj Sridhar performing on the last day

Elastico 2013 Inter College Football Tournament won by HIT-K

Epignosis 2013
Epignosis 2013, THA Annual Cultural Fest was inaugurated by Mr. Aparuv Chakraborty, India Indore Team Captain, and Mr. Dinesh Das, an eminent social worker from Aikatan Sangha on 22nd Feb 2013 and continued till 24th Feb 2013. Cactus Band performed live on 24th Feb 2013 after the closing ceremony of Epignosis 2013.

Well-known football player Jose R. Bareto visited HIT-K during the prize distribution and inauguration of Annual Sports Meet on 22nd Feb 2013

Epignosis 2013

Prarambh 2013
Prarambh 2013, the Management Fest of Heritage Business School was organized on 1st and 2nd March 2013. The fest included 20 innovative activities and had various B-schools as participants. The closing ceremony of Prarambh witnessed a dazzling performance by eminent Bengali band Bhoomi.

Director of Heritage Business School Prof. (Dr.) Aloke Kr. Sen felicitating the winners in Prarambh 2013

Fashion Show

Cactus Performing

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Felicitation of the winners in Prarambh 2013

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Computer Awareness

Computer Awareness Training for members of staff under TEQIP-II was organized on 23rd Feb 2013. It was addressed by Mr. Anjit Chakrabarty, Technical Assistant, Department of Computer Science & Engineering, IIT-K.

Health Check-up

Health Check-up Camp to check Blood Sugar, ECG and Eye was organized at the Heritage campus in association with Lions Club of Calcutta Adarsh on 3rd February 2013.

Vigyan Prasar Documentary

Suryakiran students were highlighted in a documentary film on Health and Hygiene arranged by Vigyan Prasar, a unit of Department of Health and Hygiene, Govt. of India.

Our Social Initiatives

The Third Alumni Meet for HBS was organized on 9th Feb. 2013, which gave an opportunity for the existing batch of students to interact with their alumni who are presently working for various reputed corporate houses.

We participated in various Education Fairs organized by Career Planner in the month of May 2013 at Ranchi, Patna, Siliguri and Kolkata. We also participated in Education Fair organized by ABP at Kolkata during the same time.

Visit for the Suryakiran students was organized to Rose Valley Park.

Students during the Shooting

Shri M. K. Jalan, Trustee (KBT) and Chairman, The Heritage Academy (THA) addressed the MBA students on “Entrepreneurship” on 14th March 2013 which gave the students a new perspective towards entrepreneurship.

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To mark World Cancer Day on 4th Feb 2013, 
Dr. Vikas Agarwal, Chairman, Global Cancer 
Trust addressed the students and faculty of 
Heritage Institute of Technology (HIT-K).

Cancer Awareness Programme was also organized 
at The Heritage School (THS) which was addressed 
by eminent actor Bobby Chakrabarty, on 5th Feb 
2013.

Suryakiran Annual Sports on 22nd Feb 2013

The Heritage School adopted 33 schools in rural and tribal areas of West Bengal under One Teacher School (OTS) Project w.e.f. April 2013 for one year.
New Responsibility

After a period of distinguished service to the Heritage Institute of Technology, first as Principal and HOD, Mechanical Engineering Department and then as Deputy and Joint Director, Prof. Dulal Chandra Ray retired from service on 30th April, 2013 on attaining the age of 70.

Subsequently he has been appointed Emeritus Professor & TEQIP Co-ordinator with effect from 2nd May, 2013.

You made us proud

IEEE EDS invited Professor Atanu Kundu, Dept. of Electronics & Communication, HIT-K to attend the June 2013 IEEE EDS Board of Governors and Regional Chapters meeting series at Hongkong Polytechnic University on June 1st & 2nd 2013.

Completion of Ph.D

Dr. Koushik Dutta
Associate Professor
Heritage Business School

Dr. Poulami Das
Assistant Professor
Department: Computer Science Engineering

Obituary

Dibyendu Ghosh, a Post Graduate (2nd year) student of IT department suddenly left us for his heavenly abode on Tuesday, 7th May, 2013. Our deepest condolences to the bereaved family. May his soul rest in peace.