PODAR INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, AMBEGAON

Newsletter

2026-27

Month:

AUGUST

Editor's Desk

August reminds us that
every ending carries the promise of
a beautiful new beginning.

August is often described as a month of warmth, transition, and abundance. It carries the joy of long days while quietly hinting that a new season is just around the corner. The exemplary Principal, Mrs Anagha Gholap of Podar International School, Ambegaon was leading from the front again and demonstrating the 21st century skills.

The activities of August 2026werethe next step of the academic session. Special Assembly on Hiroshima Day, Independence Day, Special Assembly on Rakshabandhan and Narali Pournima and achievements were celebrated in the campus with a lot of enthusiasm.

Let us step into this month with renewed enthusiasm - just as the rain refreshes the soil, may this August refresh our minds and hearts with new ideas and determination.

Hiroshima Day

Special Assembly
Date: 10/8/2026

Podar International School, Ambegaon conducted Special Assembly on Hiroshima Day.

The assembly aimed to sensitise students towards the devastating consequences of war and nuclear weapons and to promote the values of peace, harmony, compassion and global responsibility. The students presented a skit. They highlighted a brief historical narration about the bombing of Hiroshima on 6 August 1945, its devastating impact on human life and the environment. They also presented the suffering endured by the people of Hiroshima and the long-term consequences of the nuclear attack. Through carefully selected facts and visuals, the students helped their peers understand the importance of remembering history and learning from it. It concluded with a strong appeal for a world free from nuclear warfare.





Independence Day

Freedom is not merely a privilege: it is a responsibility.

Podar International School, Ambegaon celebrated Independence Day with flag hoisting followed by the Indian National Anthem. The students presented a colourful array of patriotic performances. The celebration integrated a vibrant dance performance, a skit and a patriotic song. The song was sung by teachers and students. The teachers' soulful rendition of the patriotic song filled the atmosphere with pride. Students from different classes participated enthusiastically, showcasing their talent, deep respect for the nation, the spirit of freedom, unity and love for the nation. On the occasion of Independence Day, class wise activities like Fancy Dress, Extempore, Tricolour Bookmark making, Freedom Fighters Gallery Walk, Tricolour Craft, Poster Making, Wall of Gratitude, Rangoli Making, Mass PT, Dance Competition, Debate Competition etc were organised. The parents were very pleased to watch the performance of the wards. The entire school campus was beautifully decorated with tricolour flags and posters highlighting India's rich heritage. The teachers who have completed tenure of 5 years', 10 years' and 15 years' service at PIS, Ambegaon were felicitated, for long service, by the Hon'ble Management. They received certificates.

The innovative Principal, Mrs Anagha Gholap, addressed the gathering. She wished and congratulated all on the auspicious occasion. She emphasised the importance of freedom, unity and responsibility as future citizens of India. She also reminded students about the value of discipline, commitment and national pride.

The celebration was a memorable reminder of our duties as citizens and the legacy we inherit as Indians. It instilled a deep sense of patriotism and unity among all present.

The future of our nation is shaped in our classrooms today

—let's learn with pride and serve with love.

Jai Hind.





Raksha Bandhan & Narali Pornima

Special Assembly
Date: 17/8/2026

Podar International School, Ambegaon conducted Special Assembly on Rakshabandhan and Narali Pournima.

The assembly aimed to familiarise students with the cultural significance of these festivals and to highlight the values of love, respect, togetherness, gratitude, and harmony. The students presented a skit and a dance. They highlighted the significance of Rakshabandhan and Narali Pournima. The celebration concluded with a message encouraging students to cherish family bonds, respect cultural traditions, and celebrate festivals with joy and responsibility.





Onam

Podar International School# Ambegaon conducted Special Assembly on the occasion of Onam.

The students presented a skit and a dance. They highlighted the significance of Onam, the traditional harvest festival of Kerala, which symbolises prosperity, gratitude and togetherness. It helped students to understand the traditions and values associated with the festival. The colourful presentation reflected the essence of culture and the message of harmony and inclusivity. It also encouraged the students to respect and appreciate he diverse festivals and cultural traditions of India.





Parsi New Year

Podar International School#Ambegaon conducted Special Assembly on the occasion of Parsi New Year.

The school celebrated Parsi New Year with great enthusiasm through a special assembly that highlighted the rich cultural heritage and traditions of the Parsi community. The programme aimed to promote cultural awareness, respect for diversity, and the spirit of unity among students. The ssembly began with an introduction to the significance of Parsi New Year, followed by a thoughtfully presented skit by the students depicting the values, traditions, and cultural heritage associated with the occasion. The students also presented a lively and graceful dance performance, adding colour and vibrancy to the celebration.





Independence Day





Podar International School, Ambegaon conducted Special Assembly on the occasion of Independence Day.

The assembly featured a patriotic speech, highlighting the significance of India's independence and the sacrifices of our freedom fighters. Students presented inspiring patriotic song, celebrating the rich heritage, unity and diversity of our

nation. A special presentation on the spirit of freedom and responsible citizenship further enriched the programme. The celebration also emphasized the importance of unity, discipline, responsibility and love for the nation.

Achievements 2026-27

Music- Inter School Singing



Date : 1/8/2026

Podar International School, Ambegaon is proud to share the achievements of the students in Music Competition.

PIS Ambegaon won 1st prize in Inter-School Singing Competition 2026, 'Swar Samradni'. It was organised by Cambridge Group of School, Akurdi. The artistic choir of the school captivated the audience and judges with their incomparable musical performance andreceived the Winner's Trophy.

Principal, Mrs Anagha Gholap inspired and congratulated the participants. She also wished them success in the future.

Yoga





Arushi Kulkarni

Date : 5/8/2026

Podar International School, Ambegaon is proud to share the achievement of Aarushi Kulkarni.

Aarushi Kulkarni received recognition in participating in a Historic World Record Achievement by performing 21 Yoga Formations along with 21 Pairs within 21 minutes. She received a certificate as Rising Influencer.

Principal, Mrs Anagha Gholap inspired and congratulated her. She also wished her success in the future.

Music- Inter School Singing



Date : 1/8/2026

Podar International School, Ambegaon is proud to share the achievements of the students in Solo Singing Competition and Solo Instrumental Competition.

The students of PIS Ambegaon participated in Inter School Solo Singing Competition and Solo Instrumental Competition. It was organised by Trinity International School, Pune. The students received Trophy and Certificate. The names of the achievers are –

1. Sarvesh Kulkarni (Std VI) – 1st Positionin Solo Singing Competition

2. Ovee Deo (Std VII) - 3rd Positionin Solo Singing Competition

3. Sanayu Bakare (Std VII) - 3rd Position in Solo Instrumental Competition (Tabla)

4. Aaradhya Kunte (Std VIII) - 3rd Position in Solo Singing Competition

5. Lokesh Kolekar (Std X) – 2nd Position in Solo Instrumental Competition (Tabla)

6. Atharva Kulkarni (Std IX) - 3rd Position in Solo Instrumental Competition (Guitar)

Principal, Mrs Anagha Gholap inspired and congratulated the participants. She also wished them success in the future.

Music- Inter School Singing





Date : 28/8/2026

Podar International School, Ambegaon is proud to share the achievement of Ovee Dev.

Ovee Dev (VII) received 2nd position in inter school Solo Singing Competition. She received Trophy and Certificate. It was organised by Dr Kalmadi Shamarao High School, Pune. PIS Ambegaonwas honoured with a School-Level Award for consistent participation in the competition over the past few years.

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