FALCON FILMS Film Making & Photography Society of SLC

REPORT OF NATIONAL FALCON FILM FESTIVAL 3.0

Falcon films, The Film Making Society of Shyam Lal College (M) of University of Delhi commenced its journey in 2018. We believe in showing the world through lens, by making short appealing movies giving a social message and that can help create a difference in the world through the innovative and creative ideas reflected in the art of film making.

Falcon Films organised its annual festival 'National Falcon Film Festival 3.0' on 27 February 2021. Keeping the Corona Virus in mind the events were conducted in online mode. It was a national level contest which invited participants from all across the India from various universities. The event received 800+ entries.

The events that were conducted under 'National Falcon Film Festival 3.0' were:

• Jaadu-e-Alafz

It was an **open mic** competition which was conducted in two rounds. In first round Falcon Films team shortlisted few participants which stood out from the rest. Round two was conducted on **27 February 2021** at **11 AM** via **Google meet**. We got to see various types of performances ranging from poetry to rap to standup comedy. The performances that stood out were of, **Shubh Shankar** who bagged **1**st position followed by **Aman Pal** secured **2**nd **position** and **Akash & Harsh** both secured the **3**rd position. Their performances astounding and captivating which set their performances apart from other.

Mehfil-a-Raza

It was a **poetry recitation** competition which was conducted in two rounds. In first round Falcon Films team shortlisted few participants which stood out from the rest. Round two was conducted on **27 February 2021** at **11 AM** via **Google meet** The talent we got to see in this competition was breathtaking, each and every person had their unique style. Style, confidence and uniqueness are the qualities that set the winning entries apart. **Safa Alam** of

Jamia Hamdard University bagged the 1st position followed by Harsh

Pandey of Ramanujan College and **Harshit Bansal** of Dhruva Public School both secured 2nd position and the **3rd** position for taken by **Tripti Yadav** of Shyam Lal College.

• Beyond the Lens

It was an online **photography** contest, we received huge amount of entries and each and every entry depicted creative photography skills, some were abstract pictures some were black and white photography. The themes for this contest were **Travel photography**, **Nature photography** and **Street photography**. The entries that stood apart were of, **Lakshay Anand** who secured 1st position followed by 2nd position bagged by **Saurav Singh** and the 3rd position was secured by **Sachin Sain**. Their photographs were not just photographs, they were an insight into their concepts.

Kalakar

It was a **mono act** competition, and the talent we got to see in this competition was out of the box. Even though it was acting but we could feel the real emotions inside us. This contest conducted via online mode, we received the entries and then they were screened by the Falcon Films Team and the entries that moved us were of, **Anika Sakhuja** of Keshav Mahavidyalaya who bagged the 1st position, followed by **Pratishtha Srivastava** of Shaheed Rajguru College secured 2nd position and **Ansh Bhutani** of Keshav Mahavidyalaya secured the 3rd position.

• Meme-O-Mania

It was a **meme** making competition, we received a good amount of foot fall in this competition. The themes of this contest were ' **The Paradox of Comedy in a Democracy**' and '**The year 2020**'. The memes that we received were hilarious and amusing. The memes that made us crack up were of **Rohan Kumar** who bagged the 1st position followed by **Nishu Singh** who secured the 2nd postion and the 3rd place was take by **Bitarpan Kumar** Singh.

Art from Heart

It was an **art battle**, this contest had three categories i.e. **Painting, Sketching and Doodling.** We received various entries from across the country and there was outstanding participation in this contest. The art that spoke to us and was out of the box were of, **Sachin Sain** of Hansraj College bagged the **1**st position followed by **Komal Goyal** of Shivaji College on **2**nd position and the **3**rd position was taken by **Sachin Chauhan** of Shivaji College.

• Grapica

It was a **digital book cover designing** competition, the entries we received were very aesthetic and innovative. The themes for this contest were to create a book cover on **Children**, **Horror** and **Science Fiction**. The entries which were apart from the crowd were of **Ritul** from USEM, DTU who bagged the 1st position, followed by **Malvika Rathi** of Gargi College on 2nd place and the 3rd place was secrured by **Vikas Kumar** of Dayal Singh College.

All the participants were awarded with **participation certificates** and **winners** with **cash prizes**. Overall the event was a huge success. We received entries from all over the country, it was a very innovative contest. **Falcon** Films put in a great deal of effort. None of this would have been possible without the support of our **principal Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar** sir, our **convener Mr.**

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