

Curtain Falls on Pilot Project of SIF Vocational Training Programme

The 12th of October was a momentous day for community service in Indus. Though it seemed like an ordinary Sunday morning, the palpable energy that came from within the SLP Room in the Indus Sports Complex was a result of it being the last session of the pilot of the Vocational Training Programme for the local community. For the last six months, 71 students from Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel College were coming to Indus on a regular basis to attend classes that trained them in English, IT and Life skills to prepare them for Higher Education and employment.



Participants of the programme from Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel College smile with satisfaction.

The participants of the programme not only gained new knowledge and skills that would help them in their future but bonded well with their Indus counterparts who were on hand to act as facilitators for most of the weekend sessions. The closing ceremony saw the participants give several valedictory speeches on their experience which was followed by a small ceremonial segment where the Principal of Sardar Vallabhahai Patel College, Prof. Suryanarayana along with Indus International School Vice-Principal Mr Shouquot Hussain gave speeches on their thoughts about the programme. Certificates and small souvenirs were handed out to all participants and the whole programme ended with one final lunch for all.



Indus peer facilitators with their certificates and contented smiles.