Weekly Newsletter



The staff and students of Dungtse CS take this opportunity to bid farewell to our vice principal, now principal of Bartsam CS. We will miss your leadership and company. We wish you and your family a great future ahead.

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Chapter 9: My World of Fascination

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With the brilliant morning sun shining down on me, I was prepared to go to work. Prior to that, though, I paid respect to my god in the changing room for the vibrant outcomes. I ran down to where Make was waiting for me outside. She was quite confident in her own abilities, so I didn't see any fear on her face. I also desired to possess her strength. Since it was getting late, we decided to take the bus. When we arrived at work at 7:50 a.m., we had breakfast at a nearby restaurant. She was the one who provided me with some motivation when I told her about the results; all she said was, "It will be good; we both have worked hard for this." We returned to our work after finishing our meals. Time always seems to fly by when we are anticipating something exciting or inquisitive, and that is exactly what happened to me. It was already 1:50 p.m., and we were told that our results would be released at 2 p.m. Time seemed to accelerate without seeming to brake. Make and I waited patiently for two o'clock in the afternoon. When the clock finally reached two, Make and I took turns punching our student IDs into the link. She checked her result first because she was so confident from the start, then I checked mine. I simply punched in my student ID, let Make view my results later, closed my eyes, and prayed to God for favourable outcomes. She then instructed me to open my eyes after a while. When I slowly opened my eyes, I saw Make, who had a dejected and disappointed expression on her face. Now that my results had come out worse, I was positive that there was a problem with them. After some time of waiting patiently for her to speak, she finally said, "Jigme, the thing here is." She paused, and I asked, "What Make? I'm getting really nervous about you. Tell me how my results are, please." And she gave my eyes a quick look before yelling, "JIGME!!! CONGRATULATIONS, YOU DID IT!" Tears of happiness were streaming down my cheeks, but I was too happy to stop smiling. I thanked God right away for helping me get to where I am now by showing me his love, concern, and support. "THANK YOU, GOD." When I called my mother as soon as I got the good news about the results, she congratulated me and sent me lots of love. I then gave my father a call and told him as well. Once more, it was only natural to feel that time is flying by when we are ecstatic; it was already 5 p.m. when I had to leave for home. Once I boarded the bus, I couldn't help but smile all the way to my flat. Upon arriving at my flat, I noticed that all of the lights were off, which was unusual for us as we usually leave one light on. Our home appeared quite drab. In addition to being terrifying, it wasn't time for my parents to return home. I was hesitant to enter for a while, but after taking a deep breath and mustering the bravery to open the door, my eyes widened, and I was genuinely shocked! Do you know what happened next???????

Chapter 1: The Family

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Born in 1984, Pema Dorji is a man married to Namgay Zangmo, a stunning woman. For many years, they planned for a bright future while living a happy life. They soon had three gorgeous

sons and one stunning daughter, making four amazing children. Sangay Thinley Dorji is the name of the eldest son, Tandin Tshering Dorji is the next in line; Namgyal Wangchuk Dorji is the youngest son; and Chimi Peldon Dorji, the most beautiful daughter, was born on May 17, 2009, the Ox year. Her presence in their family was truly a blessing for all of them. Since she is their only daughter, they greatly value and cherish her. To her father, the superhero, she was like a heart. Although they all led happy lives, Chimi's parents divorced when she was only four years old. The kids started crying uncontrollably, tearing apart their lovely family. It wasn't good for Chimi, the daughter, because her mother didn't give her the kind of bonding love she always desired, but she didn't care too much because her father showed her enough affection. She felt unhappy since her mother had abandoned her with her father when she was little, and it took her nearly three years to meet her mother when she was seven years old. She was even avoiding looking at her. She still missed her mother's comforting embrace and wished for her parents to be together, but it was not possible. She hasn't needed her mother's approval to pretend to be normal and blend in with society up until now. The girl was raised by a single parent and is currently in the process of maturing. She wanted her dreams to come true, no matter how challenging they might be!

Be fearless and learn good things

Sonam Peldon 9C

My parents used to frequently tell me that they didn't like how introverted I was becoming as I grew older. They said that I used to be a very talkative girl and would talk to anyone when I was younger. They used to ask me why. However, I stated that I was ignorant of that and didn't know. As I get older, I can also see that I'm starting to become a more introverted person, which is bad. I'm still doing everything I can to improve my communication abilities and become more outgoing than I once was. It is only now that I have the answer to my parents' query. I was starting to become more of an introvert due to fear. I was afraid of what people would think of me if I shared my opinion, which turned out to be incorrect. One of the reasons I became an introvert as I grew older was that I worked in a position where pleasing other people was my responsibility. Growing up, I developed the habit of living my life according to what other people find enjoyable. Rather than inhabiting my own world, I was living in someone else's. I started to feel as though I didn't belong to me. I don't feel afraid anymore. I don't worry about other people's hurtful remarks or about being wrong in my own opinion because I have to live my own life. I have the feeling that if I work hard and am resilient, I can truly make a beautiful difference in my life. I am also fearless when it comes to learning good things. Knowing who you are will help you define your life's purpose and personal mission. Knowing yourself is crucial. If I were to describe myself, I would say that I am a life observer. I don't pass judgement on other people's lives because I am living my own, which I value greatly. Every moment we have in life is incredibly valuable since it will pass away, and we often feel guilty for having lived someone else's life. If you are someone who makes

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snap judgements about other people's lives, strives to win over others, or simply follows orders from others, you are living someone else's life rather than your own.

It was during an English lesson, and we were going to study a story in the language from the textbook. The title of the story was "I've got Gloria," and my English teacher allowed us to discuss our initial thoughts on the subject. Along with a few of my friends, I also volunteered. However, my response caused my friend to start laughing. I mentioned that when I initially read about the subject, I believed that the main character in the narrative might be developing Gloria's illness. When my teacher inquired about the nature of the illness, I replied that it was similar to HIV/ AIDS and that vaccination was one way to treat it. My friends informed me that the illness I was speaking of was actually Gonorrhea rather than Gloria after I had finished expressing my viewpoint. However, my teacher thanked me for voicing my thoughts in front of the class and warned us that there would be some confusion if we had learned anything. I was a little bashful when I said, "Down," but I was glad I had the courage to speak up and share what I knew. Most people are afraid to learn positive things, but if they learn something negative, they will have the courage to act on it. One of my favourite authors from India, Robin Sharma, beautifully shared a profound quote in one of his books: "Discover your destiny with The Monk Who Sold His Ferrari." His quote reads, "Life is a treasure, and you are so much more than you know." It is encouraging to believe that you are more than you know and to treasure and cherish your life to the fullest extent possible, as the majority of people lead difficult lives because they are unsure of who they are.

Fear is simply the emotion you experience when you lack the confidence to act appropriately. The majority of people are afraid of failing. They are afraid of not succeeding. In my life, I have also failed numerous times. The majority of students in this school consider failure to be limited to a bad grade on an exam, even though that is all that is wrong. Failure is more than just that. I have occasionally failed to be a good daughter for my parents, a good granddaughter for my grandparents, a good sister to my brother and sister, and many other things. As you can see, despite my many failures, I still possess a great deal of courage to go on and overcome my anxiety in order to become a better version of myself. Failure, in my opinion, is the key to developing courage and changing oneself. You will become a better version of yourself than you realise if you are willing to take risks and learn worthwhile things. Life is, after all, a journey that you must take alone and through both positive and negative experiences. I want to make the most of every moment of my life. However, on occasion, it's turning me into a fighter so that I can defend myself and take control of my own life. Sometimes the pain of that fight is too much for me to handle, but that's okay because I have the courage to fight. I hope every one of you has the utmost success in life!

My 892 days as Dungtsean: The Peak of Learning

Jigme Pema Wangmo 9A

I mean, how amazing is it that I made it through over 800 days at Dungtse Central School? The heavenly location is where I have both happy and sad memories. Memories last a lifetime, but time flies by at breakneck speed, much like a summertime river. I completed my grade VI education at Phongmed Primary School in 2021. As a young girl, I made many memories there with my friends, and I didn't really understand why I was in school. My results were rather good when they were released at the end of the year. I had always waited for the opportunity to move to Dungtse because I had witnessed the majority of my seniors graduate from grade VI and move to Dungtse, while I was an immature student. That year, my dream came true. It was finally time for me to return to school after a month, and I will be attending Dungtse as a grade VII student. That particular morning, the winds blew very quickly, like the quick sounds of music to my ear, and the sun shone very brightly, as if it were smiling at me in the cold morning air. I believed that joining Dungtse would provide greater enjoyment than attending my former school. As time went on, I realised that my initial assumption was never accurate. The most important lesson I've learned in life after spending a full year in Dungtse is that we need to compete with ourselves as well as with others in order to advance. I made a lot of new friends in that brief amount of time by meeting lots of new people. While it's common for all students to feel inferior to someone who performs better than them, I experienced both happy and unhappy moments.

First of all, I felt happy for those who accomplished more than I did, but I was also depressed because I was beginning to lose hope in myself. However, the amount of love and work that my beloved parents, instructors, and friends—who inspired and motivated me—put in lifted my spirits. As the years went by, I discovered that I was falling more and more in love with this school. Time was flying by, and I was ready to continue learning at Dungtse in the years to come. In 2023, a new year began, and even though I wasn't happy with my grades, I enjoyed returning to school. I learned more lessons this year, which helped me realise that life is teaching us more and more lessons. There are countless lessons I have learned over the years, but the most important one was about conducting an interview, which was facilitated by our amazing school counsellor. When I was a new student the year before, I knew very little about guidance and counselling. However, as time went on, I learned more and came to believe that the subjects' contents were the primary reason I was studying other subjects. I study other subjects in order to get ready for a fruitful future, and guidance and counselling taught us exactly that. I became increasingly interested in that topic after that year.

Furthermore, I have to admit that our school's counsellor has had a very positive influence on both my academic career and my overall education. He is one of the people who really inspired me to keep going and discover more. "The kind of counsellor that anyone could hope for." I participated

in a variety of activities throughout the year because I was an all-arounder. During my elementary school years, I was a very shy person who lacked the confidence to speak up in front of large groups of people. However, after arriving in Dungtse, a lot of doors opened for me, and I never hesitated to walk through them, which is how I am now. The legendary "DCS" altered my way of life. And just as the sun sets after a long day, so too does that particular year come to an end, and another one begins, this one ranking as the second most senior in the school. By then, life didn't seem to be the same as before. I was bound by lots of activities, assignments, and explorations. It's interesting that even though I had been learning additional subjects that I had assumed would be the hardest, everything seemed normal by the time I gave it my all. I have always benefited from having parents, friends, mentors, and instructors who helped shape and continue to shape the gentle flow of my life. Above all, I want to express my gratitude to "DUNGTSE CS" for supporting my development as a person up to this point; you have my parents, teachers, and friends' admiration.

It's not too late to start

Pema Deki 10B

Hi everyone who reads this. I'm writing this post today because I've been thinking about it a lot and I want to share it with all of you. Since it's still possible to feel regret, come to realisation, and start a new chapter in our lives, I'd like to suggest that you do so right now.

I truly believe that a student's life is more valuable than anything else in the universe, as I always remind myself of. Everything noteworthy and significant in this world begins its existence in school. From the school comes every great person. Thus, as a student, I am incredibly happy and content to be learning under outstanding instructors or leaders who are always there to support and mentor us along every step of the way. The most precious and significant thing is that they are always available to inspire and support us in becoming better. I see that I have room for improvement and that I must make an effort when I reflect and look in the mirror of my mind. Before I can try to change and care about others, I really need to cultivate a growth mindset inside of myself.

When I have the chance, the appropriate setting for learning, and the appropriate amount of time to dedicate to something, it is undoubtedly my turn to reflect on my own strengths and weaknesses. I want to use this to tell all of my close friends that being a student is not meant to be a hassle. This is a fantastic time to learn new things and equip ourselves with the tools we need to overcome any challenges we may encounter. We can learn anything we want to know there. Yes, I am aware that there are instances when we are faced with numerous obstacles and find it difficult to move forward when others move forward. But before we act, exercise good judgement and foresight. Listen to your intuition when it warns you that you are headed down the wrong path,

then make a U-turn and choose the right course. The answer will present itself, and you won't have to bear that weight indefinitely. It will fade eventually. Thus, we should constantly strive to advance and locate a peaceful meadow where we feel comfortable and motivated, as we have done thus far.

Feel privileged, be eager to learn new things, and take pleasure in attending school. If you've had negative thoughts or intentions regarding school, get rid of them right now. Consider school as either your home or a haven. Start now to gain knowledge and seize the chance. Let's all move together!

Instil in yourself a sense of curiosity

Sonam Peldon 9C

Are you curious to read this article right now? Actually, you ought to be since a lack of curiosity will prevent you from understanding the true meaning of what you read because curiosity is the key to all great knowledge and it distinguishes a true learner. While I acknowledge my lack of intelligence, I feel that I have sown one of the most valuable seeds in the world—one that most others found difficult to sow. I've given that seed a lot of attention and good nurturing. In addition to growing physically, I am also developing intellectually and mentally as that seed grows. In actuality, we all carry this seed within us, but because people are so lazy these days, most of us fail to properly tend to and grow it. Most individuals live their lives involuntarily, and when they arrive at their destination, they simply look back and exclaim, "Oh!" "Life is so miserable!" Life is not miserable, but we make it.

In "The Monk Who Sold his Ferrari," a book written by Robin Sharma, Julian Mantle gives up everything he has ever owned to seek the truth and discover who he is. He travelled through India and met a group of sages in the Himalayas who taught him many lessons that Julian had never learnt in his life, including the great meaning of life. He became the best version of himself after going through a total metamorphosis. One thing, though, was asked of him by the Himalayan sages: to impart to the global populace what he had learnt from them. After accepting the request of the Himalayan sages, he set out to become a teacher, helping those who had forgotten who they were in this world when he arrived at his true home. His wisdom, which he had acquired from the Himalayan sages, transformed a great number of people.

Thus, it is evident that Julian Mantle was driven to transform himself and had a curiosity about himself, which gave him a great deal of wisdom and the ability to transform those who had lost themselves in this world. In a nutshell, Curiosity + Determination = great Wisdom.

Dear friends, it is never too late to start a journey of self-discovery and curiosity within yourself. I challenged everyone to be curious and learn new things because, as you will soon discover, doing so will lead to an incredible life!

Dreams as fuel for a better future

Tshering Deki 10A

Dreams are the main thing.

That can motivate us.

With dreams, we get self-employed.

It's mandatory to have

Dreams in our lives

Which will lead us to a better future?

Life is a car, and dreams are the fuel.

Fuel is available. A car can move or work.

Like that, we have

Dreams in our lives can

Lead to a better future.

Dreams can truly inspire us.

Don't keep your dreams as dreams.

Let it lead to achievement.

Making the right choice

Tashi Lhamo 8C

Our lives are full of choices.

Whether we make the right choice or
Wrong choice, and it will
Help or not.

If we are wise people,
We have to know,
Making the right choice and
What are the benefits of
Right choice.

From a hundred and a thousand
Friends, we have to choose
Right friend that will
Benefit to us.
If we cannot make

Right choice
There will be a negative impact.
If we made the right choice
There will be no problem.
Like that, we have to
Think well and choose.

Letter to my teacher

Choki Wangmo 10A

The darkness of death is like the evening twilight. It makes all objects appear lovely to the dying. Likewise, my days in school are coming to an end soon. The beautiful sunshine will be behind the mountains. Saying that night is approaching. I will be missing my beloved teachers. Who had helped me through the ocean of problems? To succeed in the boat of hope Tears start pouring from my eyes. When I remember my 'TEACHERS' I worship you, my teacher. For saving me from the world of burden, You are the wisest of all godly forms, Teaching me the ethics of life. I pay my outmost gratitude to you, For leading me to view the world, Thank you, my lord. For sacrificing your time to guide me. Thank you, teacher! 'My teacher is a creator that makes my life better' First you learn, then delete 'L'

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