

# MY MEMORABLE PICNIC

Since my childhood I have been listening to stories of my mom's school picnics. But unfortunately I couldn't go for a school picnic in the first five years of my school life. All thanks to the devil corona. It was one of the happiest moments of my life when we got our yearly schedule from school and it mentioned that this year there is a school picnic scheduled on 21st July. I bragged about it to my cousins and friends during summer vacations but because for some reason the picnic was not organized on 21st July, I was very sad. But then finally after some days we got the message about the school picnic to be held on 27th Sep. I started daydreaming about it. Two weeks before the picnic my paternal aunt called from Dubai. She informed me that she is coming to visit us for three days i.e. 27th to 30th Sep and she was expecting me to miss my picnic for her. I couldn't say yes and I couldn't say no. That night I was very upset. But the next day my aunt called me and said that she was just kidding and she will be very happy if I attend and enjoy my picnic. I was overjoyed.

Only one day was left for my picnic. I was so excited. But I was sneezing and my mom saw it. My overprotective mom asked me to avoid going to the pool. I promised her the same.

Finally the big day arrived. I got up in the morning at 5:30 AM. I was very sleepy but also very excited. Me and my mom left for school at 6:30 AM. We reached school by 7 o'clock. Just like me, many students had arrived on time. All of my fellow schoolmates were excited and cheerful. We boarded the buses according to our roll numbers. Rushita and Shivika sat along with me. After the bus started we played antakshari. It was so much fun. The antakshari was between third class and fourth class students. We lost the game as third class students knew more songs than us. There was another surprise waiting for us. As we were taken to Mulberry Bush Resort and not Serene Aravali Resort as mentioned in the school notice. The resort was extremely green and beautiful. The resort was decorated for us and we were served with welcome drinks. Teachers were welcomed with beautiful bouquets. We loved the way dhol were

played around us for our welcome.

It is part of Rajasthani tradition. We felt like we were some princesses. Then we were taken to the banquet hall where we enjoyed our welcome drinks.

I sat with my group of friends. Then breakfast was served. It was a buffet. Breakfast included my favorite dishes i.e. sandwiches, honey chilli



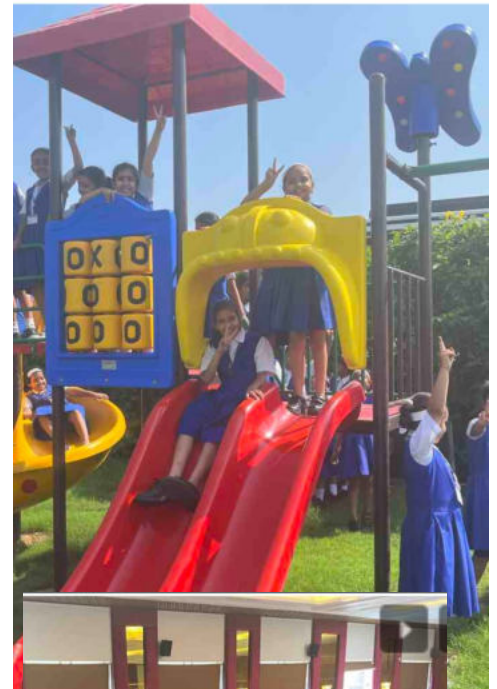
potato and French fries. After having our breakfast we got ready for the dance party. Then the DJ party started. Our favorite music was played esp. Black pink songs . We danced in groups in front of the giant golden mirrors which were on the walls of the hall.

Dance party was followed by the magic show. The magician was an expert and he was so good at his job that we kept guessing his tricks. He was quick and funny too. He kept multiplying pigeons and coins and that too within a few seconds. I would love to learn some interesting tricks like this. It's very fascinating . After that we left for our adventure rides. First we enjoyed camel cart rides. I was a little scared in the beginning but after a few minutes I started enjoying the ride. After the ride, the next activity started ie playing on bounce. We were asked to go according to our bus number. As bus number 1 and 2 took a lot of time, we missed our chance to play on the bouncy. So Instead we played on the slide and swings.



After that we got ready for the pool party. As I had promised my mom that I would not go in the pool I did not go even though mom was not around me. I never lie to her and I can never break her trust. Obviously she knows what's best for me. Instead of going in the pool I sat on the chair and enjoyed the view of my friends having fun in the pool. Their happiness made me happy. After changing their swimming clothes we all went to the banquet hall again to have our lunch. Again it was a buffet. We were served with dishes like pav bhaji, chowmein and pink sauce pasta. After we enjoyed our meal, we played memory games. Nobody could remember their names. After that we went to the garden where we played ice water and tug of war. Then we went to

the banquet hall and danced again to our favorite songs. I realized that just like me my fellow schoolmates also love dancing. After that we went to the trampoline. It was very small but we had fun. After that we went for the horse riding activity. Unfortunately because of some confusion I didn't get a chance to enjoy horse riding. Instead of horse riding, I sat on the ground and played fun games with



friends. Then we were again served with snacks i.e. French fries and ice creams. Soon we realized that the picnic was about to end. Though we were tired, we didn't want the picnic to end . Then we sat in our buses to return and most of the girls fell asleep in the bus. Hope so next

time our picnic will last for at least 3 days.

Thanks to my teachers and friends who made my first school picnic a memorable one. This day will remain in my memories forever.

