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Message from the Editorial Desk

The third quarter of 2026 was filled with meaningful collaborations, learning opportunities, celebrations, and initiatives promoting inclusion.

July saw several activities, including Doctor's Day, Rath Yatra celebrations, participation in Divya Kala Mela, professional workshops, and the inauguration of our upgraded computer room. Students also visited Lemon Tree Hotel as part of our proposed Job Skill Training Programme.

August focused on self-care, play training, autism awareness initiatives in collaboration with Neelachal Centre, and Rakhi celebrations, strengthening community connections and learning.

September featured Parent-Teacher Meetings, Teachers' Day, autism orientation programmes, Adapted Games, professional workshops, and initiatives such as the Adapted Library and Communicative English classes.

Together, these activities strengthened our commitment to education, skill development, professional growth, and building a more inclusive society. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all our families, professionals, partners, and supporters for being part of this journey.

Editorial Team
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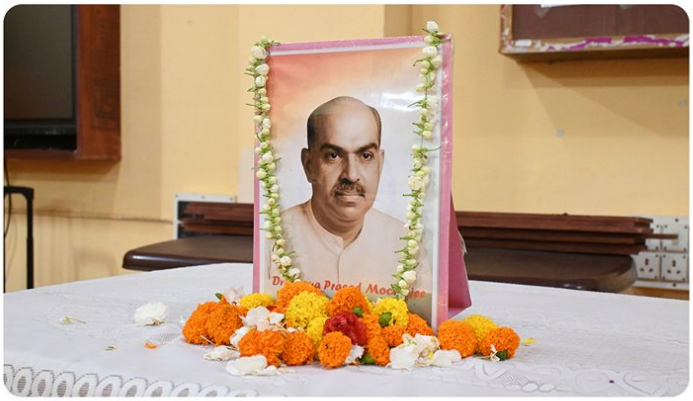
Celebration & Observation




1st July, 2026 ASWB celebrated Doctor's Day, commemorating the birth anniversary of Dr. Bidhan Chandra Roy, renowned physician and former Chief Minister of West Bengal. The occasion recognised the invaluable contributions of medical professionals to society.








6th July, 2026, ASWB commemorated the 125th Birth Anniversary of Dr. Syama Prasad Mookerjee, remembering his life and contributions to the nation through a special observance at the school.




16th July,2026 - ASWB celebrated Rath Yatra on the school premises, engaging students in the festivities and providing an opportunity to experience cultural traditions through shared participation.




28th August - ASWB celebrated Rakhi with students through classroom activities, music, and the exchange of rakhis, fostering friendship, affection, and meaningful social connections.









7th September: ASWB celebrated Teachers' Day, honouring the dedication and contributions of teachers and staff in supporting students' learning, development, and growth.

Workshops & Visits









17th July: ASWB inaugurated its upgraded computer room, with **Mr. Pankaj Kumar,** Chief Executive Officer of IndianOil Petronas Private Limited (IPPL), inaugurating the facility. The initiative aims to enhance digital learning opportunities and support students in developing essential computer skills.





17th July: Representatives from Ruby Hospital visited ASWB, providing an opportunity for interaction and strengthening connections between the institution and healthcare professionals.









25th July: Workshop on Managing Challenging Behaviours
Maliha Zaman conducted a workshop on managing challenging behaviours in mainstream classrooms, sharing practical strategies to promote positive behaviour and inclusive learning environments.




7th August: -Meenakshi Bhadresh Kapoor conducted a session on self-care, emphasising the importance of personal well-being.






24th & 25th August: ASWB welcomed Anjali Joshi for a two-day play training session, focusing on the role of play in learning and development for individuals with autism.




8th September - Autism Orientation for Priyamvada Birla College of Nursing




11th September - Autism Orientation for Priyamvada Birla College of Nursing(Morning)




9th July - Online Session on Developing Play Skill for Individuals with Autism.





18th September: ASWB welcomed Subhendu Moulik for an Occupational Therapy (OT) workshop, providing an opportunity for professional learning and knowledge sharing.









28th September: Team Kolkata Knights Round Table 293 inaugurated the upgraded CCTV system at ASWB, generously donated by them to enhance the safety and security of the school premises.






2nd September: Raajkutir collaborated with ASWB for a special drawing and felicitation programme, celebrating students' creativity and recognising their artistic talents.

Awareness & Outreach Programs





21st August: Orientation Program At Civilian Welfare Foundation





8th August: ASWB, in collaboration with Neelachal Centre, organised an autism awareness programme at Belur to promote understanding, acceptance, and inclusion.









23rd & 24th September: ASWB conducted autism awareness workshops at Belur Polytechnic, promoting understanding of autism and encouraging awareness, acceptance, and inclusion.









14th & 15th July,2026 - Divya Kala Mela,2026 organized by Department of Child Development,Women Development & Social Welfare,Government of West Bengal

CRE Program












21st & 22nd September: ASWB hosted a two-day State-Level RCI CRE Programme titled “Positive Behavioural Support for Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD)”, bringing together rehabilitation professionals for knowledge sharing and professional development.

School Programs





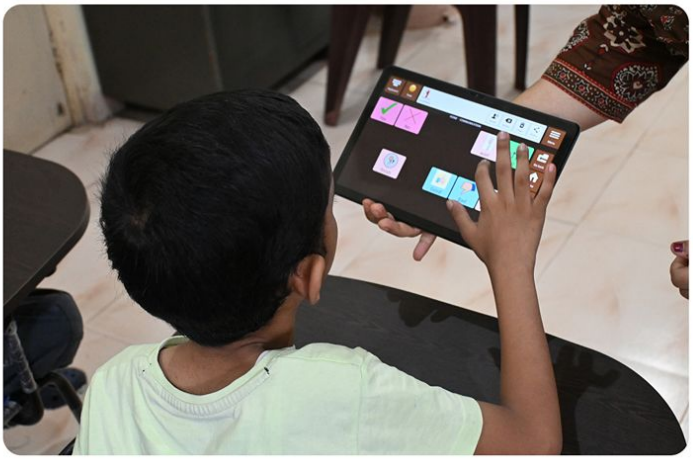

2nd & 3rd September: ASWB conducted Parent-Teacher Meetings for the Junior, Intermediate, and Aarohan sections, fostering collaboration between parents and educators to discuss students' progress and development.







12th September: The Adapted Games Programme concluded with a finale celebrating students' participation, creativity, and achievements through inclusive play.

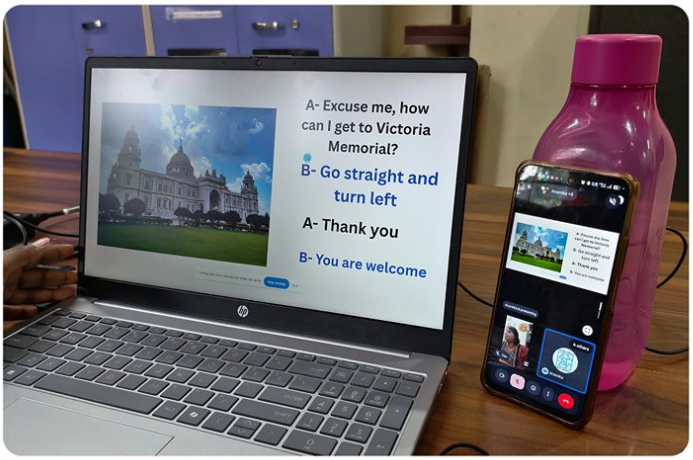


26th September: ASWB organised an Adapted Library activity, encouraging students to engage with books and promoting accessible and inclusive learning experiences.





28th September: ASWB welcomed the first-year students of the Diploma in Special Education programme for an orientation session, marking the beginning of their academic journey in the field of special education.





30th September: ASWB conducted a Communicative English Class, focusing on strengthening students' communication skills and building confidence in everyday interactions.

ASWB Bakery Unit





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How you may help:

As Autism Society West Bengal is a not for profit organization there are several occasions when upgradation of our units are done using gifts in cash and kind from our well wishers.You may help ASWB in many ways. You could help in our fundraising efforts; some of the ways funds may be used are listed below.

1. **For procuring Teaching and Learning Materials**
2. **For purchasing Furniture**
3. **For sponsorship of 10 days of one-to-one intervention for families who might need your help**
4. **For sponsorship of Parent Training for families**
5. **For construction of Building**
6. **For procuring and maintenance of Infrastructure**
7. **For Equipment purchase and installation**

Apart from the above there are others ways to lend a helping hand.

1. You could help in our various extracurricular programmes.
2. You could be a buddy to one of our students.
3. You could buy products made by our students.

4. You could help us connect with CSR funding opportunities.
5. You could organize exhibitions of handcrafted products made by our students.
6. You could support our autism awareness programmes in educational institutions, hospitals, police stations, airports, and railway stations.
7. You could help promote social inclusion.
8. You could volunteer your time and get to know individuals with autism.
9. You could share information about job opportunities in open or sheltered employment.

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