

# The Oliphant

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## Think About It...

*Fear thy tongue. It is the most nasty weapon.  
Once loosened can not be harnessed.*

- Hazrat Ali

## EDITORIAL

It's the season of love, and here I am doing what I love most- writing. And since I am writing in the year 2G, its obvious that I am Y2K compliant, and as for the rest of the board, flip through the rest of the Oliphant and don't be surprised at what you find!

Things are a bit cold this time around, a bit too cool actually. We now have an intimate idea as to what a gruesome summer was like in the ice ages. Cold winds coupled with chilled rains had more than dampened the Welhamite's spirits, as every one stuck to the hostels. The fields remained deserted as the cricket enthusiasts took to the corridors of Triveni, the "Lords" of Welham.

Even the Prefects were disturbed in their work as rain played havoc with their otherwise indestructible plans. But not for long, as Saturday saw the whole school go through the grind of punishment. Better luck next time!!

The board exams are here to haunt us once again. And all aspirants can be seen sweating, in trying to differentiate between a co-valent bond and Subhash Chandra Bose's conquests! Best of luck, and if you do survive them, then we will sit and drink (SPRITE) another time, otherwise it was nice knowing you while it lasted.

Valentines Day is here, an opportunity of resurrection for all love sick souls is at hand. Got any one playing Beethoven with the chords of your heart, or is your girlfriend playing ball with your sentiments? My word of advice is, Be frank now or you might have to wait for another year.

Things on the international front are not so hunky dory. From being dogged by USA, being blasted by Pakistan, to being white washed in Australia. India is getting a whipping on all fronts.

Perhaps things will be a little better in the future.

Things back home are worse as India is once again being thrown into turmoil by various and everlasting conflicts of the third kind. This country appears to be becoming a far-cical model of democracy,

who says India is the world's largest democracy. Frankly speaking it is heading to be the world's largest hypocrisy. You can't make a film exposing ancient and barbaric practices without 10,000 people lunging for your throat. People are dying of the cold and yet the Republic day is celebrated with more pomp and show than usual. Believe me India is more beautiful closest to the Rashtrapati Bhawan and things get grimmer as you move away. Indian society can clearly be divided into two unequal

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... IS NOW Y2K COMPLIANT

halves. One, of the haves and one, of the have nots. We are out to review the constitution. I say what is the use when the fault lies deeply embedded in the Indian mind.

Some of this has unfortunately rubbed off on some of us Welhamites. As evident from our continuous fall from grace, some Welhamites are no longer interested in certain aspects of their student life. Their world revolves around the words "Aish

and Masti", as if education is made for the birds. Their performance on the games field is abysmal and academics standards are likely to be affected. But then let us hope, it's not too late for us to wake up.

Enough of that senti stuff, I wish you could see the tears in my eyes, but for now just enjoy reading....

- Azar

## Welham Now

### 1) Games Captains - 2000-2001

1. Athletics- Mehul Khati
2. Basketball- Karn Singh
3. Football - Mukti Bikram Shah
4. Cricket- Shubham Saurabh
5. Hockey- Amit Prashar
- 6 Squash- Gurkripal Singh Mann
7. Badminton-Kunal Virmani
8. Gym-Nitin Bansal
9. Aquatics- Bishesh Shreshtha

10. Table Tennis-  
Diwas Singh Bam

11. Lawn Tennis-  
Anant Dwivedi

12. Chess -  
Divitya Agarwal

13. Volley Ball-  
Parimal Piyush

14. Taekwondo-  
Mukti Bikram Shah

2) InterHouse  
Cricket-  
Junior

Best Batsman -  
Rajeev Ranjan

Best Bowler -  
Shomit Bakliwal

Best All Rounder -  
Pslam Dastoor

Trophy-ganga

3) Mohnish Rathi  
has been appointed  
monitor for the LRC

and Diwas Bam for the Science department.

4) The Limca book of records has written a paragraph on Mr. Khaira for watching the maximum number of movies. His paragraph is on page no. 308 and on page no. 35 in the paper back edition in the Limca book of records.

(2)

The paragraph is....

### MOST FILMS SEEN

**Surjeet Singh Khaira, Head of Geography Department, Welham Boys' School, Dehradun has maintained a meticulous record of all films he has seen since 1970. Starting with Haqueekat on July 6, 1970, he had seen, till December 19, 1998 a total of 1, 010 films working out to an average of 56 films a year and four films a month.**

5) We welcome Mr. S. Sahi who will be teaching English. He would also be a co-ordinator between the Primary Wing and the Secondary Wing.

6) We welcome Mr. George Ingledew from Eaton College who has come here for a couple of months.

7) Mr. Ghosh has gone to United States for an year to do his Phd in Economics.

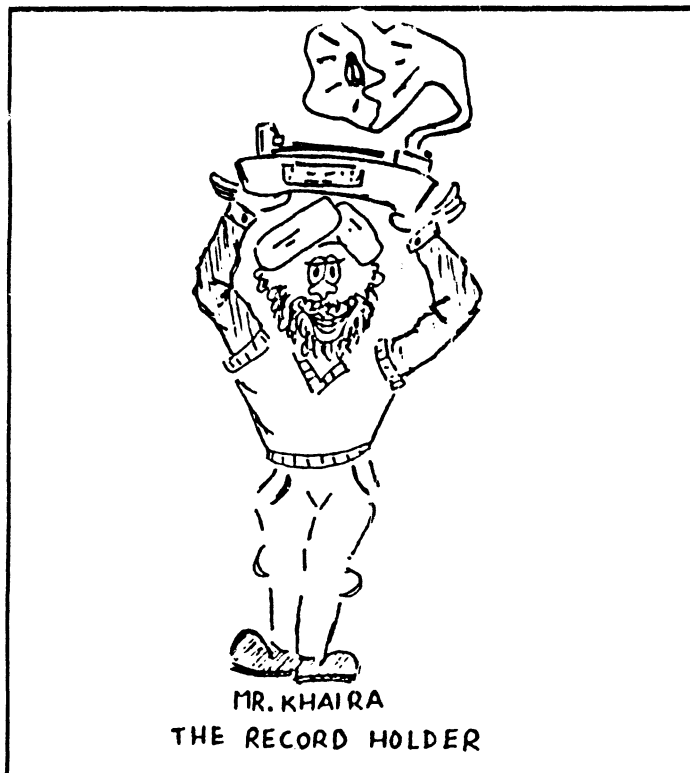
8) Mrs. Tripathy has filled up Mr. Ghosh's place.

9) We congratulate Mrs. Anand and Mrs. Chandna on their daughter's marriage,

which took place during these holidays.

10) The construction of the subway started in the holidays and hopefully it will be completed by April.

11) A transformer room has been built near Krishna House.



# W.O.B.N.

1) Minutes of the Meeting held on the 31<sup>st</sup> October 1999, Venue: L.R.C., Time: 12:30 Noon  
The President Mr. Darshan Singh welcomed all members present to the AGM.

The House stood in silence to condole the passing away of Bawa Daljit Singh-1940 & Chaitanya Sud-ICSE 1999.

The President in his brief statement started by welcoming all the members who had come to attend the AGM from far & near & said that, "The Strength of today's attendance shows that the society is moving from strength to strength"

1. The President asked the House if there was any matter arising from the minutes of the meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> November 1999 AGM & then confirmed the minutes, as no serious matter was pending to be discussed at this AGM.

2. The President in his Brief Report on the activities of the society during the year 1999 and in his tenure as President of the society for last 2 years stated that the Society had taken shape & a lot of ground had been covered in various spheres especially in building and upgrading the Data Base which is the life line of any society. This was achieved partly by organizing get-togethers of its members from time to time in various regions.

He Quoted "The purpose of any society is to support itself first then its members & when it is strong financially it should do something for the school and by getting together in various regions we have now started activating members by being in touch with them as our Data Base is becoming updated."

He emphasized that the compiling of the new directory (WOBS Register) was a Herculean task undertaken by Mr. Raju Verma in a short time with the help of the DataBase from both the Dehra Dun Secretariat as well as his records. "Well Done". This register will have a lot of mistakes but it is a starting step to a new one which hopefully in the next few years will be fully undated with all members addresses, telephone numbers, e-mail addresses etc. The last page of the directory has a form for change/correction of addresses to be mailed to the Secretary WOBS Dehra Dun. "It needn't be just your address but also of other members with whom you are in touch so that our next register shall have fewer errors."

Another major achievement was making of the Memorandum of Association of WOBS to finally register it as a society. "We have also made guidelines for gentlemanly running of the society", he said. The President would hold the post for 2

years and then would not stand for re-election & the Vice-President who would have worked under the President for the last 2 years would automatically take over as President. He further stated that he would like to see people coming up the ladder-First as active member then as Regional Representative, further moving onto the Executive Committee & finally looking forward for becoming the Vice President & the President of the Society.

3. The Vice President Mr. Tanuj Sethi in his brief report told the house that he had learnt a lot under Mr. Darshan Singh-about how to function & work to strengthen the Society. He thanked him. He further went on to say that in his tenure as Vice-President he worked in close contact with the President & other Executive Committee members but his main work was concentrated in organizing and coordinating the working of Regional Representatives. From a few of them he got a good response but some of them didn't even bother to respond to his letters.

Mr. Darshan Singh said, "It has been minuted in the last AGM point 6 b. made by Mr. S. Kandhari Suggesting that non active representatives should be voted out & more active ones to be appointed in place of them." So in the case of non active members we need to make certain changes as a non active regional representative can really bring a set back in activating his area.

He, with the help of the President had been also dealing with the proposal from Standard Chartered Bank & and other various banks to have Welham Boys' Affinity Card. As any progress is made on this field I shall inform all members regarding it.

4. In a brief report by the Regional Representative of Dehra Dun chapter Mr. Raju Verma reported that during the year this region had 3 successful get-togethers with Old Boys from nearby towns also attending them. He said members had decided in one of these get-togethers that they would hold two get-togethers in town & one in the campus during the year & the one held in campus would have teachers who have done 10 & more years as special invitees.

5. In a brief report by Mr. Nikhil Kriplani about the Delhi region, he said that due to personal reasons he had not been able to take active interest in the chapter but despite that they had a good gathering in September this year. He further stated that due to personal reasons he would like to step down as Delhi Representative.

6. The new Articles & Memorandum of Association

was tabled & Mr. Darshan Singh said that "A lot of hard work had gone into drafting & then finalizing the Memorandum of Association which are now finally being tabled in the house for the house's approval. This document was read & re-read & changes made in a series of Executive Committee meetings held from time to time in Delhi & I hope you will put your approval to it & then Mr. Prashant Kochar would register it in Dehra Dun." He then asked Mr. Kochar read out the Guidelines to the articles.

Mr. Prashant Kochar read out the Guidelines for the WOBS.

7. The Secretary/Treasurer Mr. Jagjit Singh presented the budget of the society for the year 1999-2000. The President asked for the approval from the house, which was seconded by Mr. Prashant Kochar member of Executive who is advisor in all- financial matters of the society.

8. The new directory was released & circulated to all its members and the President said that it would be sent to all members free of cost by Mr. Raju Verma who took up the great challenge in producing a wonderful directory in a short span of time. He further said that the society would bear the cost of mailing of the directory to all its members.

9. Bursaries for sons of deserving Old Boys.

Mr. Darshan Singh said that the society must first build up its corpus & then only it can think of utilizing its spare funds in giving bursaries to the needy candidates.

Mr. Haripal Gill said that it could lead to a bad trend if a bursary was given to anyone as the sole purpose of the Old Boys fund is for development use for its school.

10. Reconfirmation of regional representatives

Delhi :

Delhi university: Dhruv Dhidnsa

Punjab :

Haryana :

Chandhigarh: Harbeer Batra

Himachal Pradesh: Anup Singh

Mumbai : Narendra Kandhari

Mumbai University:

Lucknow & Kanpur:

Manipal:

Moradabad:

Muzaffarnagar:

Calcutta :

North Eastern States:

U.S.A. : Mansingh/Jaisingh

Pakistan : Rafat Khan Daha

Dehradun : Raju Verma, Manit Arora

11. Election of office bearers.

The President informed the house that the people who are aspiring for posts in the society

should be financially stable. They need to run their office with a certain amount of correspondence with each other. These members from time to time have to attend Executive Committee meets. In time to come we would try & set up a secretariat in Delhi where the Secretary shall be paid by the society.

Right now Mr. Jagjit Singh the Secretary was doing honorary service to the society, being a member of it, and it was expected that all members correspond with the President and the rest of office Bearers once elected for smooth running of the society's affairs.

The house elected the following members.

President: Mr. Tanuj Sethi

Vice President: Mr. Haripal Singh Gill

Hon. Secretary/Treasurer: Mr. Jagjit Singh

Members of the Executive Mr. Nikhil Kriplani

Mr. Prashant

Kochar

New Appointees to the EC.

Mr. Raju Verma

Mr. Lokesh Vashisth

Mr. Vivek Mittal

Mr. Chirdeep Prashar

Mr. Rahul K. Munjal

Mr. Ashutosh Goyal

Mr. Mahesh Panjwani

Ex-Office Member (past Presidents)

Mr. S. Kandhari

Mr. Darshan Singh

12. A vote of thanks to the out going office bearers was given by the incoming body

13. Mr. Prashant Kochar CA was appointed auditor to the society.

14. Any other business with the permission of the chair

Mr. Arvind Agarwal said that the prime responsibility of the society was the school & only then could one could think about channelling money elsewhere, bursary etc. He further said that the corpus fund should be first offered to the school & then let the school decide on its utilization for development purposes.

Mr. Ashutosh Goyal suggested that a post-card should be sent to all members asking them for their change of addresses to update our DataBase. The President said that he would look into the suggestion.

Mr. Arca Prabha Dutta complained that he was not receiving the Oliphant. The President told him that the magazine is the school's magazine & the Old Boys society is only funding its printing & so when it gets the Dehra Dun Secretariat tries to post it to all its members. But at times it does not reach you & we are trying to streamline the posting

process. All members were requested on their part to kindly update the addresses to which the magazine is to be posted as most of the Oliphants are coming back.

Mr. Prashant Kochar suggested that house & batch representatives should be appointed & at the coming Founders we should have more attractions like house dinner.

Mr. S. Kandhari the Principal Welham Boys' School informed the house that during the course of the Founders celebrations he had held meetings with various parents & well wishers of the institution & a committee of them was formed. The committee suggested that- "The school will be a No SMOKING ZONE".

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

2) The Executive Committee meeting was held on 13<sup>th</sup> December, 1999 At 5 P.M.

Venue: E-252, Greater Kailash- II, New Delhi.

The Meeting was chaired by the President Mr. Tanuj Sethi along the matters discussed, the following committees were formed:-

- a) **Finance Committee**  
Haripal Singh Gill  
Rahul Munjal

- b) **Regional Representative Committee**  
Mahesh Panjwani  
Tanuj Sethi
- c) **Data and Membership Committee**  
Raju Verma  
Prashant Kochar  
Jagjit Singh
- c) **Affinity Card Committee**  
Vivek Mittal  
Lokesh Vashisth  
Tanuj Sethi

3) We deeply regret to advise of the sad demise of Arvind Chaturvedi Ex 114 batch of 1984 on 6<sup>th</sup> of Feb.2000. Our deepest condolences to the bereaved family.

4) Our heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Mohd. Asad Shamsi (batch of 1993/ex. 375G) on being blessed with a baby girl on 15<sup>th</sup> January,2000.

5) Our heartiest congratulations to Dhiraj Kakati on his marriage with Nandini Barua which will take place on 23<sup>rd</sup> February.

6) Our heartiest congratulations to Abhimanyu Singh on his marriage with Sumukhi Jassowala which took place on 28th January. We wish them a happy married life.

## ***RSC- OMAN***

**The Indian Region Round Square Conference, 18<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 2000. The Indian School, Al Ghubra, Sultanate of Oman**

The theme of the conference: "To rejoice in life, to find the world beautiful and delightful to live in, is the mark of our spirit which distinguishes it from all that has gone before."

The Round Square Conference, India Region was held at the Indian School Muscat, Oman from the 18<sup>th</sup> Jan to 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan 2000. The Welham Boys' Delegation comprised Mr. S.K.Kandhari, Mrs. Usha Kandhari, Mr. Oswald Das, Aatir Ansari, Abhishek Agarwal, Anant Golyan, Anubhav Mehta, Ashim Bhat, Fatehpal Singh, Pranay Patodia, Samarjit Singh, Sumit Gupta, Tarunjot Juneja.

The Chief Guest to the Conference was H.M.King Constantine accompanied by Mr.Terry Guest, Director Round Square and Mr Gulab Ramchandani, Round Square Representative India.

The first Kurt Hahn Lecture was given by Mr. & Mrs. Hanne and Jane Eriksen on 'Wildlife in Oman with special emphasis on the bird life'.

Mr. & Mrs. Eriksen came to Oman in 1986 when Jens was appointed Associate Professor of Chemistry at the Sultan Qaboos University. They have since travelled extensively in their spare time all over the Sultanate in search of birds in their

natural habitat and photographed them. They have presented an exhaustive book to the Welham Boys' Library on their research.

On Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> Jan the second Kurt Hahn lecture was given by Mr. Michael Cross on 'What is the purpose of Life?' This he explained with the help of a poem 'Fulity' by Wilfred Owen. He was a Flaming Scholar and a MA degree in Chemistry from Hertford College, Oxford. He has also been the Rector, St.Paul's School, Darjeeling and at present looking after the affair of the Varky Group of Schools in the UAE.

The Barasa (discussion Groups) met at 11.30 am and discussed and debated on the theme "To rejoice in life, to find the world beautiful and delightful to live in, is the mark of our spirit which distinguishes it from all that has gone before."

The groups were named after the historic towns of the 'Sultane and of the school houses. They were Ibri-Khasab, Muscat-Nizwa, Salalah-Seeb and Sohar-Sur. These speak for the diversity and history of this wonderful country and take us into every corner of Oman.

On 20<sup>th</sup> Jan Thursday we drove along the coastline to Sur an old town that once famous for shipbuilding. The drive offers a glimpse of the beautiful natural desert landscape of Oman. Re-

cently a Liquid Petroleum Gas Plant has been set up by a multinational company and will be a rich source of revenue to the country.

Sur is also famous for the wild life beach especially reserved for marine turtles that come ashore to lay their eggs. It was a great moment when we witnessed turtles come ashore and lay eggs and then return to sea only to return to the same spot years later. The Government is very sensitive in protecting the fragile environment in Oman and has invited noted research scholars in this endeavour.

On 21<sup>st</sup> Jan Friday we drove back from Sur and were invited to one of the governor's residence for lunch. In the afternoon we had the opportunity to visit the modern commercial centre existing in harmony with the traditional market places called

'Souq'. These Souqs are markets where fruits, vegetable, fish & meat and house hold utensils are sold. The Bedouins in the past generally came to these centres to trade or buy their daily needs. Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan was the final day of the Confer-

ence and there was plenty to do still. We were taken on a sea cruise to watch nature's most fascinating marine mammals - 'The Wild Dolphins' in their natural habitat feeding on schools of tuna fish.

The afternoon was spent preparing for the plenary session. The Valedictory function was at 6 PM and the Chief Guest was HH Sayyid Haitham Secretary General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs. The Conference was brought to a close by various thanks giving speeches and an entertainment programme by various schools. Farewell dinner and goodbye followed.

The Welham Boys' delegation stayed on for another three days and had the opportunity to visit the famous round tower Nizwa fort and the Souq famous for ornamental silver jewellery and intricately hand carved daggers. The students also got the opportunity to visit various local towns in around Muscat and buy gifts for their loved ones

The delegation returned safely to Delhi on the 26<sup>th</sup> January.

- Round Square Representative

## ***RSIS- OKHIMATH***

The three of us, Mehul Khati, Divya Agarwal and Himanshu Gupta went for RSIS Project which was held in Okhimath, about 40 kms from Dehra Dun. There were various schools from different regions of the world. The eminent schools amongst them included Southport from Australia, Lakefield from Canada, Scindia School from Gwalior, St. Lawrence School from Sanawar, Doon School, Vivek High from Chandigarh and ourselves.

After equipping ourselves with all the requirements for the camp, we left for our destination on 9<sup>th</sup> December, 1999, from Doon School by bus. Enroute, there was an accident which blocked our path so we were accommodated in a rest house near by to spend the night.

The next day, we reached Okhimath and put up our tents. Nestling in nature's lap, Okhimath was a landscape of aesthetic beauty with lots of greenery in the vicinity. Mr. Stephen Erdley, our project in charge accustomed us to the work which had to be done in the village. Our task was to build a community centre in the village and to repair a near by school which was destroyed by the earthquake.

Our work mainly consisted of transporting building stones and bricks to the construction sites. Our whole team was divided into five groups of about ten students each, headed by an escort. We formed chains and thereby transported the bricks. The task was rather tedious as we had to work in continuity for hours at the same place. Some of us also joined in carpentry work, some opted for masonry, and some students switched over to stone-

breaking etc. We even had some skilled people to help us construct the building. In addition to that, we had to transport several bags of sand from the top to the site of construction. It was exhilarating task since the villagers joined our hands and made the work easier. Talking with the village-boys and other people revealed to us, the grim reality of life.

There were several cultural and entertainment programmes put up by the villagers and the RSIS team in the evening for recreational purposes. Everyone actively participated in the programmes. We also had group discussions with the villagers, staff and amongst ourselves to create a sound understanding and encourage interaction.

We developed harmonious relations and shared our views with each other. Interacting with people from diverse regions and culture was a stupendous experience. The time went on so fast that we never realised that we had constructed a big community centre of bricks and cement, and that too, with our own hands. It was really worth having a look at, and we all could feel the cord of joy strike inside us. We returned to school on the 21<sup>st</sup> of December. On the whole, the RSIS project was a project which will always be cherished in our memories. It gave us an opportunity to enhance our skills, interact with different people from the world, adapt to our surroundings, and above all to work as a team to help the needy. It is surely an unforgettable experience.

- Divya Agarwal

# LAMPOON: MILLENNIUM

Write like a butterfly,  
Sting like a bee,  
It's not Mohammed Ali,  
It's just good ol' me.

A new term, another year and arguably a new millennium. Back to school where it's cold like hell. Let you inform you guys that the Oliphant is Y3K ready and the present board is going quite steady.

We are all lucky to be alive and escape all kinds of natural and man made disasters that were supposed to happen as predicted by numerous messengers of god with qualifications such as PhD in gossip and who have done quite a lot of MD in time pass bakwaas. All the nuclear weapons were supposed to blow the world to eternity. Infact the devil had planned a vacation on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Rock from the sun. followers of different cults had proposed their own theories of death and destruction that never took place. Every one from priests to pujaris and astronomers to astrologers had a spicy story to tell.

Apart from us Indians all others were at peace. Thanks to the lovely New Year gift given to us by the Pakistanis. Three dangerous millitants, at the cost of a 150 innocent people. Branded as a soft state it's time we did something hard-core, in the democratic way ofcourse.

But then the gloom cast over by the hostage crisis was soon over shadowed by the New Year blasts. That's one thing the Welhamites are real serious about and so are the exies. After all we are all a dedicated republic of party cultists. It goes along well in history that a Welhamite lives with the motto "PARTY-MY WAY OR THE HIGHWAY". It 'was great to see those record breaking 24 hour dance parties all over. Legend has it that an average Welhamite can have fun and freak out through out his life, but when it comes to standing in lines in

assembly he is pathetic. If the Principal arrives late by chance, you get to see sagging bodies crying for medical help (is the Red Cross doing anything about it?).

Changes are quite evident in school too. A couple of new faces and all from different races. Then ofcourse you get to see the ongoing construction of the subway. It's really a state of the art one. That's because with the number of stray dogs ever rising, one day you might find it to be in good use. 'A hang out place for all stray dogs in the Doon Valley' it should provide the poor creatures refuge in winters.

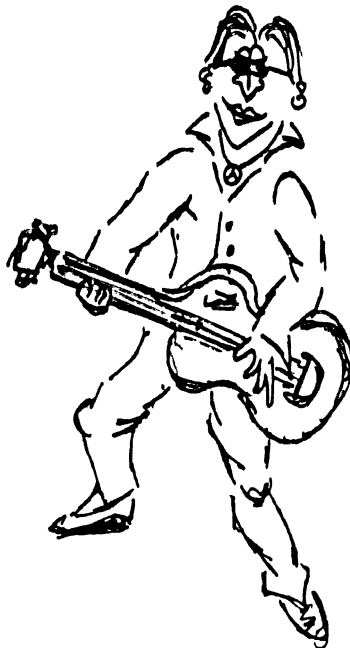
Seriously speaking it will be a very useful addition to the school. Talking about the weather, it's changed too, very chilly here. All the surrounding hills covered in snow and the rains never go. But then the guys have nothing to worry about "RAIN OR SHINE, ALL IS MINE". Go watch THE WORLD IS NOT ENOUGH, if you are a movie bluff, it's been released in Hindi ofcourse and is all about 007 and woman force.

The boards are just around the corner. All those who are cursed this year have now re-

torted to psychological healing. It's been provided free of cost by my over experienced batch mates. Just remember that, NO MATTER HOW HARD YOU TRY, MAYBE EVEN DO OR DIE, THE BOARDS ALWAYS GO BY, ON THE SLY. BY HOOK OR BY CROOK, EVERY WORD YOU LOOK, ALL THAT YOU SEE, WRITE AND STORE IN YOUR LONG TERM MEMORY.

No matter how much the hype, no matter what it's type. It's the same old story and the same old song 'n' dance, beware of this fatal MILLENNIUM hypnotic trance. It'll be there the next year too, dying to catch you.

## THE SECOND COMING OF



EL-KANISH-KO !!!  
..

- The Afroangel  
Kanishk Kaushik

# Separated At Birth !!

Usamah Burza  
Sudanshu Modi

Jimmy Ray  
Gangadhar, of Shaktimaan fame.

## THROUGH THE KEYHOLE !!!

**On his return from his trip to Mussorie**

**Ruchit:** Guys! Do you know that there were HAND-SOME GIRLS in Mussorie!!

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**Overheard at the Archies Gallery while browsing for his Valentine.**

**Ijlal:** "FOR THE ONLY GIRL IN MY LIFE"- can you please pack twelve of these.

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**Kanishk:** You know Mohammed Ali is suffering from the Parkensons syndrome.

**Azar:** So is the Pope!

**Ijlal(confused):** Is he also into boxing??!!

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**Mr. Joy Arora's class while lecturing to Class XII.**

**Mr. Joy:** .....needs necessary auditing by a qualified CA.

**Gurkirpal(baffled):** Who's he?

**Mr. Joy:** Corruption Advisor!!

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## VALENTINE SPECIAL: THE CHEMISTRY BEHIND THE WOMAN

(This write up is fictitious and bears no resemblance to any member of the female sex, dead or alive)

**Boiling Point:** Extremely low.

**Reactivity:** High affinity for any male.

**Structure:** 36-24-36 (The ideal figure)

**Melting Point:** Melts at any senti moment ( even a fake one would do).

**Density:** Very high with abundant traces of make up.

**Colour:** Wheatish, due to excess of foundation & Pale, due to tightness of clothes.

**Odour:** Usually horrible when artificial fragrance not used.

**Taste:** Highly cheap. (That's why they choose you and not me).

**Solubility:** Highly insoluble. Never get along with prevailing conditions.

**Combustibility:** Highly combustible, even in the absence of oxygen.

(Editor's Note: In case of an emergency, use "Cease Fire".)

**Disassociation:** Disassociates freely anytime, anywhere at the sight of a wealthier male.

**Type of Bond:** (FULL WALLET FORCE) Weak bond. Exists on basis of sharing pocket money, not electrons.

**Action on Indicators:** "The Axe Effect." A fat wallet turns thin in their presence.

Yours Reactively,  
First Half of the "Chemical Brothers"

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