



## **DELHI POLICE**

### **Special Police Unit for Women and Children**

**PRESS RELEASE**

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- **ORGANIZED 20<sup>th</sup> SELF DEFENCE SUMMER CAMP FOR GIRLS/WOMEN AT 10 DIFFERENT LOCATIONS.**
- **12327 GIRL STUDENTS PARTICIPATED.**
- **CLOSING CEREMONY PRESIDED BY MS. M.C. MARY KOM , AN INDIAN OLYMPIC MEDALIST (BOXING) AND FORMER MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT (RAJYA SABHA) AND MS. SWATI SHARMA, IAS, JOINT SECRETERY, (GOVT. OF INDIA) MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND SH. S. S. CHAUHAN, DY. COMMISSONER, KENDRIYA VIDHYALYA SANGTHAN.**

The only path towards a healthy family, safe society & progressive nation is an empowered woman. The Special Police Unit for Women and Children has been continuously making efforts to empower women and create a sense of confidence, legal awareness amongst them and to address their grievances. To boost their Self Confidence, Self Defence training programmes are held for School & College students, housewives, RWA's etc. The girls are being trained how to make use of things like Dupatta, Pen & Handbags to protect themselves from attacks by anti-social elements, chain or bag snatching, criminal assault etc. The training helps in building up the self-esteem of women so that they do not feel vulnerable & humiliated. So far more than 559546 girls/women have been trained through this initiative.

After receiving lots of appreciation from society and looking at the success of these Self Defence training programmes besides routine camps held from time to time, the annual Summer and Winter camps are also organized by this Unit during Summer & Winter vacations all over Delhi at different venues.

In this series, Summer Camp-2024 was organized at 10 different locations which are :-1. PM Shree KV, Gole Market, Delhi 2. PM Shree KV, sec-3, Rohini, Delhi 3. PM Shree KV, Andrews Ganj New Delhi, 4. PM Shree KV, No3, Naraina , Delhi Cantt, New Delhi 5. Laxman Public School, Houz Khas Delhi, 6. DAV Public School, West Patel Nagar Delhi 7. PM Shree KV, C-2, Janakpuri New Delhi 8. PM Shree KV, No.2, Gurugaon road Delhi Cantt. New Delhi 9. Bal Mandir Sr. Sec. School, Defence Enclave, Vikas Marg New Delhi 10. Sarvodaya Bal Vidhyalya Mehroulli, New Delhi

A total of 12327 girl/women registered through online and offline and benefitted from this Self Defence camp. During the Summer Camp Nukkad Natak and Gender Sensitization programmes and lecture & awareness about new laws were also conducted at all venues.

The closing ceremony of the camp was held today on 13.06.2024 at 08.30 am at PM Shree Kendriya Vidhyalya No.3, Naraina Delhi. On this occasion Chief Guest Ms. M.C. Mary Kom , An Indian Olympic Boxer And former Member of Parliament said determination , discipline, hard work and mental strength can take any individual to achieve the things he/she desires.

Guest of Honour Ms. Swati Sharma, IAS, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Rural Development, GOI gave a highly Motivational speech which was very well received by girl students. She said that she is a product of Kendriya Vidhyalya and this inspired the audience which compressed of many young girls.

Guest of Honour Sh. SS Chauhan, Dy. Commissioner, KVS said that the great initiative of Delhi Police by organizing this camp has made the students Self Confident.

Shri Ajay Chaudhry, Spl. Commissioner of Police, SPUWAC said that Safety of Women is top most priority of Delhi Police that every girl in the audience has the potential to become Ms. Mary Kom and Ms. Swati Sharma during his wonderful speech.

The endeavour of Delhi Police is to ensure that the women of the city are not only safe and secure but, also empowered in every sense of the word and the Special Police Unit for Women and Children is committed towards this goal.

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