

THE WINCHESTER SCHOOL, JEBEL ALI

Date: 18th October, 2021

Audience: Year 8 students

Venue: Virtual Assembly Platform through Zoom meeting Phoenix

Title: Breast Cancer Awareness Assembly

Presenters / Conductors: Year 8 students

Aims & Objectives: Raising Awareness on Breast Cancer during the month of October.

Summary:

To celebrate Breast Cancer Awareness Month, the parent of Julianna Ramanayaka of 8A, Sharmen Ferdinand, hosted a Breast Cancer Awareness Assembly for all Year 8 students. In the assembly, the parent discussed the different symptoms of Breast Cancer, the emotional effects, and the treatments of it. The discussion gave the students a broader understanding of what the disease is and helped them see from the perspective of a patient. She expressed the limitless value of positivity, hope and mental strength during times of difficulty and gave them advice that she had learnt through her own Breast Cancer Journey and told them her story. She ended by saying positiveness takes you a long way and that breast cancer can be cured. She being a breast cancer survivor was always positive and lived with the HOPE of being cured. Ms. Amanda and Ms. Brenda thanked Ms. Sharmen for the most inspiring and true story of her journey combating breast cancer.

Pictures / Flyers Etc.:



Student/Parent/Teacher Feedback:

The true story of how to be positive and how she got support from family and children to fight breast cancer was very inspiring, says Anna -Year 8J

The parent gave us an insight to how we should make the person suffering from breast cancer happy -sending notes, chocolates so as to show they are all with her, giving hope that she will be cured, I liked this message and will definitely, go out of my way to make cancer patients happy, says Fatema Zohra- Year 8F

Organized by:

Ms. Amanda and Ms. Brenda

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