Vishva Hindu Parishad of Australia Inc., WA Chapter

Bal Utsav- 9th of March, 2019

This year we had our Bal Utsav on the 9th of March, 2019 at Mindarie Primary School.

There were 17 children who attended on this day aged between 3 to 13 years. We delivered the event on "Lord Shiva" theme since we were so close to Maha Shiv Ratri and based our event on delivering the essence of Lord Shiva where our art and craft activities were modified to suit the theme.

We made Rangoli, Trishuls and Shivlings. We had a session on Yoga and Meditation which was divided into 2 groups. The older kids were in a separate group from the younger ones.

We invited a community leader person to speak about "Hinduism in today's world" to the older children and the significance of being a Hindu. After this we broke for a scrumptious lunch.

We did Shiva related stories and chants for the younger ones. Everyone had a tea break where the children had milk and biscuits.

It was different this year due to 2 components- it being a theme dominated workshop as well as the external speaker who gave a talk on Hinduism.

