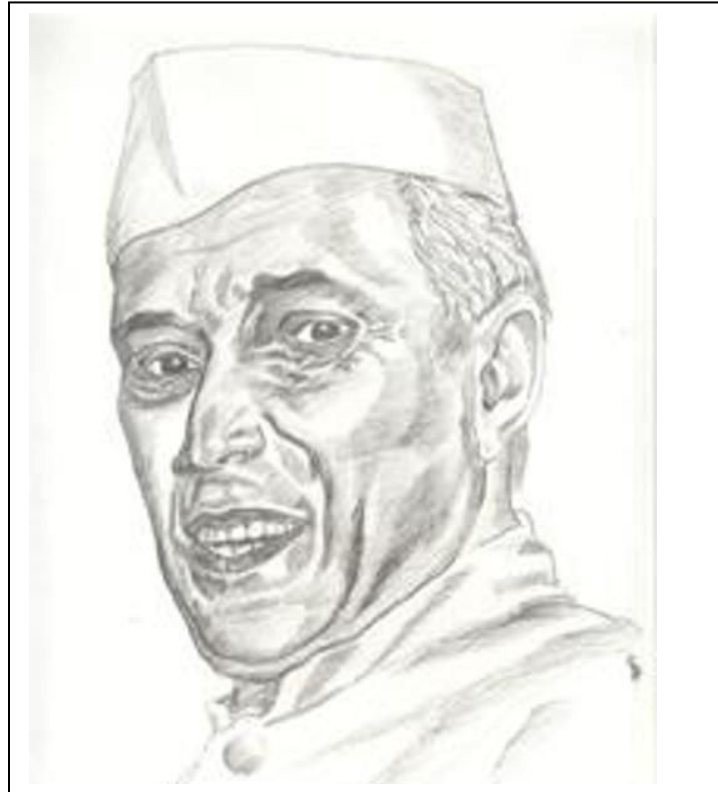




“Bharati” a glimpse....



Pundit Jawaharlal Nehru
First Prime Minister of India
By: Kirthi Deshpande

From the editor of team “Mukti”...

As it is the month of elections and every one of you is busy deciding the best team to lead the ISA for the year 2007-2008, here is a small attempt from team “Mukti” to make things easier for you.

I *Kirthi Deshpande*, on behalf of my team would like to share some ideas we have for the newsletter “Bharathi”.

Keeping things straight, we would like;

- To encourage students to develop their writing and creative skills
- To keep you updated with all the important events associated with ISA and also Texas Tech
- To release Bharathi at least once in two months (If time permits we will try to get out a monthly issue)
- To make ISA a better organization.

World Cup Fever!!!!

World cup cricket is one tournament that keeps all fans at the edge of their seats. This is one of the most keenly awaited and widely competed tournaments in the history of the game. A team can take part and win all other major tournaments, but world cup cricket is the only tournament in the field of cricket that will give them the tag of being world champions. World cup cricket event that is held after every four years is organized by cricket governing body, International Cricket council better known in cricketing circles as ICC.

The first world cup tournament was organized in the year 1975. The event was organized by ICC and was held in England, the country that is considered to be the home of cricket. The world cup cricket that year was won by the West Indies and Australia finished as the runners up. Eight world cup tournaments have been held until now and each world

cup event threw up some surprise or the other for fans. The 9th ICC world cup cricket will be held in the West Indies in the month of March in 2007.

India, Pakistan and Sri Lanka are the three teams that have won world cup cricket only once. These teams would certainly like to change the records and win the coveted trophy once again this time in the West Indies. All these countries have players of world class quality in their line up and if all of them perform to their potential in the tournament, no one can stop them from winning the title. However, we all know that it is crucial for every team member to perform consistently well to win the cup and this is what is found to be lacking in most of the teams.

Let's hope that the best team wins and I will be ready with my popcorn and my eyes glued to the television set.

Sharat Menon

Events to take place and final farewell....

Firstly, I would like to introduce you to the teams participating for the ISA elections 2007-2008. The teams have named themselves as "Mukti" and "Sangam".

Position	MUKTI	SANGAM	Independent candidate
President	Ajay Kapare	Ananth Krishnan	Vinayak Anvekar
Vice President	Chaitanya Kasarkod	Vijay Kumar Kaithi	-
Activity Coordinator	Pooja Krishnan	Srinivas Bajjuri	-
Secretary	Rahul Jain	Vadlamani Kalyan Ram	-
Public Relation Officer	Sharat Menon	Pinky Raju	-
Webmaster	Naveen Kumar Gopala	Satish Vellanki	-
Treasurer	Selvakumaran Senapathy	Sundeeep Yanamala	-
Editor	Kirthi Deshpande	Swetha Siddavatam	-

As these are the days of election campaigning you all must be familiar with these people. I am not going to further trouble your minds by going into the details. I sincerely wish good luck to every one of them.

No matter which team wins let us pledge today that together we will strive to make ISA the best organization, which is our ultimate goal.

Secondly, I would like to thank and congratulate each and every member of the present ISA team for their efforts and accomplishments. I personally thank the faculty advisor, ***Dr. Padmanabhan Seh Saiyer*** for his valuable time and his priceless advice. Let us all take the good from them and try to make a sincere effort to improve the organization.



Finally, I would like to thank all the members of the ISA organization without whom there is no ISA.

This was just an attempt to remind ourselves about our goals and we are not here to fight for a mere position. I am taking the liberty from each and every contestant here to say that we all share just one dream and we will sincerely try to make the dream come true.

As we represent our organization, we would present our best before the society.

With this I leave you guys with your thinking process to choose the best team to serve you. If I have offended any one of you, then it was not intentional and I hope you will forgive me. Adios people...and enjoy the Elections day!!!