HPY: The fun way to learn

By A Staff Reporter

The event that marked the Silver Jubilee of Holiday Programme for Youth (HPY), which is an initiative to help Parsi and Iranian children who have completed their SSC to put their free time to good use, showed the enthusiasm and pride that the HPYites experience on being part of this programme.

The energetic performances by the children were enjoyed thoroughly by the audience. Further, the felicitation of those who have been a part of the HPY and have done their bit to make the programme a success gave the members the recognition and appreciation they deserve.

“HPY is a four-week programme, where the participants are kept busy throughout the day with several activities like aptitude tests, competitions in the arena of academics and sports, social service projects, etc. It is an action-packed programme where there is lots of fun and bonding,” informed Diana Marfatia, mentor, HPY.

HPY has certainly been well-received by the community as the number of participants has gone up from around 80 in the year 1987-88, when this was started, to over 200 now. “The participants come not only from the city but from all parts of the country,” added Marfatia.