

SERVICE BEFORE SELF

Dear Parents and loving students,

Today during these troubled times when we are surrounded by enemies from all sides be it **NOVEL CORONA VIRUS OR CHINA THE INVENTOR OF THE VIRUS**. India and its citizens are facing tough times but at the same time we uphold our **BRAVE HEARTS** who are standing tall at the border to safeguard the country.

Recently India lost twenty such **BRAVE WARRIORS** including a Commanding Officer Colonel **Bikumalla Santosh Babu** of 16 Bihar Regiment in a fierce face off with the Chinese in Ladakh's Galwan Valley. We the Indians extend our heartfelt condolences to the bereaved families of the **Martyrs**.

We strongly condemn this hateful and brutal act. In lieu of this brutal assassination we strongly appeal to all the country men to condemn the use of Chinese product completely. China is using the revenue earned from India against India. We can break China's back bone financially to certain extent by not using Chinese goods. Though the government and the defense forces are doing their job to safeguard the borders and reciprocate this fatal and deceitful attack, we can do our bit by completely boycotting Chinese goods. This can be our homage to the **BRAVE HEARTS**.

None the less China should not forget the Sino- Indian war of 1967 also called the second Indo-China war/ Nathu La and Cho La clashes Alongside the Himalayan borders where the Indian troops achieved decisive tactical advantage and defeated the Chinese forces killing 340 Chinese soldiers and 450 seriously wounded whereas the Indian side lost 188 brave hearts and 163 injured . Indian soldiers forced the Chinese troops to withdraw from the Indian land flashing a remarkable improvement in the combat performance since 1962. Since then India has mastered the skill of man to man combat in the most adverse and severe conditions, in the world's highest battle field.

Betrayal, attacking from behind is long historical characteristic of China but times have changed, it is **New India** and we know how to reciprocate. The recent clashes and Martyrdom of the Indian soldiers have not only infuriated the army but also

united the entire country irrespective of political, religious, social and territorial back ground. We all stand tall to confront this shrewd enemy, we support our defense forces and standby the families of the Martyred Soldiers.

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Salute the **Indian armed forces**

for their **Selfless Sacrifice and Bravery.**

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