Today’s General Assembly was taken by surprise when we realised that the executive committee had managed to contact the United Nations 9th Secretary-General Antonio Guterres. He sent a wonderful video message which was played for all the delegates to view.

He likes a true leader, went straight into his point. He said that the world today is interconnected in many ways and we all have common problems. “Conflict, environmental destruction, poverty and injustice affect everyone.”

He broke down the several problems that plague the world today. He spoke on behalf of the whole world and said how we should work for a common cause: common humanity. He told the delegates how all parents want a better life for their children.

“All religions want peace.” He managed to eradicate all traces of racism that was present in the room with those few words. He shed light on how everybody wants the same thing just in different ways which is the main issue in today’s world. We all need to make sure that we work together as a team and towards a common goal. The path to success is only through walking together as a team.

At Model UN, you broaden your horizon by learning and networking you can be part of UN’s peace, secure human rights and help all people live in peace. He spoke of the UN helping people improve their living conditions and trying to avoid all conflict in the world today. He encouraged all the delegates to follow their dreams and use their enthusiasm to help make the world a better place.

The conference was further surprised when the executive committee speaker announced another message by the very well-known Jayathma Wickramanayake, United Nations Secretary-General’s Envoy on Youth. She was very encouraging and kicked off by congratulating all the executive committee members of EAMUN and the organizers for a job well done. “The united nations is turning 72 this year, but is growing young every day” said Ms. Wickramanayake. She told us how we are a better and a larger generation who are well equipped to bring change to the world today.

She put across the point that has been one of the most spoken points this week which is how the world has become a global village and we have become global citizens. She told us how as the youth we have the responsibility to act with dignity and act for the betterment of our communities’. MUN is a step forward to becoming change makers. She asked everyone to keep on participating and be aware of all the real-life issues that are pressing the world today.

She concluded by saying, “We have the power to impact the world we call home and the UN charter starts with ‘we the people’ which sets the idea that we are all the same and are binded by the same emotion called humanity.” She ended by asking us to keep the UN principles at heart and let this conference be the stepping stone to our shared future.

“All religions want peace.”
The Executive speaking today was Khilen Patel. His compelling speech caught the attention of all. "How many speeches have inspired you this week? Some of you asked when are these speeches going to end.... While the speaker is frustrated about severe problems you're frustrated about the latest Snapchat updates."

His thought-provoking words stabbed some of us for it was truth. He went on by saying how words have power. They are tools that one can use to inspire. Although this is true, actions themselves are the driving force of the power of the words. How many leaders have had the diplomatic conversations that haven’t been backed up by action. Words, in all honesty, bring little change. “Abstract change fulfills ego, not humanity,” says Khilen.

He shared a personal experience from childhood of how he expected so much from the world. And just like everyone else, he was waiting for that “someone” to come and change it. No one wants to be that person. Most of us are held back by fear; fear of embarrassment, fear of being judged. At the end of his first MSMUN Conference, he compared himself to the best speaker. Having not spoken at all, he asked himself: if he can speak in such a way, why can’t I?

Khilen spoke of how we as people need empathy, we all need to care. We need to bypass the diseases like fear and regret. First, we need to believe in ourselves. We must take action to help ourselves. We tend to judge ourselves heavily and crushing hopes before they begin to stem. “If you believe in yourself as much as your parents believed in you, your friends believed in you, you would accomplish amazing acts.” He says we can’t move on to the next chapter by re-reading the last.

Trying is the first step. The fact that you failed shows that you attempted the impossible. Every time you wake up, you must ask yourself, how bad do you want the change? The work, sweat and tears are all worth it. With each new day you have only one job: be better than yesterday.

He went on about generosity and gives an example of the executive, Asiyah, who managed to get the Secretary General to address the MUN. The video was played and inspirational words were conveyed. By bringing it home to one of the executives, he said: “If she can do it, so can you.”

He laid emphasis on being a good person. The easiest way to change the world is by being kind. He completed with quote by Ellen Degeneres: Be kind to one another.

GLOBAL HEALTH COUNCIL

This being the last day of the EA-MUN conference, as imagined there is excitement everywhere. Today’s GHC section of the conference tackled the topic of whether or not patients with cholera should be quarantined.

The delegates proposing this motion stated that for a long time, people have had cholera which can easily be cured. They went on to argue that people who have cholera will be quarantined individually so that they would not spread the disease.

The opposing side put up a strong argument by saying that cholera could easily spread, if you put victims of the disease together with those who are getting cured. It may affect them and will cause them to fall ill again. Hence that will be unfair for them. Adding to that, they argued that it would isolate those who are unfortunate enough to catch the disease. Putting them in quarantine would pull them away from their everyday lives.

Overall, both the sides put up a very strong argument and I strongly believe that the GHC is very capable of making a change.
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- NETHERLANDS
- KIRIBATI
- WORLD BANK
- MAURITANIA
- MOROCCO

**POLITICAL COMMITTEE**
- GUATEMALA
- SINGAPORE
- SOUTH KOREA
- TURKEY
- BOLIVIA

**SECURITY COUNCIL**
- RUSSIA
- SWEDEN
- UKRAINE
- CHINA
- JAPAN

**HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE**
- SOUTH SUDAN
- ETHIOPIA
- GRENADA
- LIBERIA
- MALAWI

**ECOLOGY COMMITTEE**
- COTE D'IVOIRE
- TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO
- NETHERLANDS
- INDIA
- RUSSIA

BEST SPEAKERS

**ECONOMIC COMMITTEE**
- KAZAKHSTAN, HARSHIL VED
- INDI, MIA C. SMITH
- SERBIA, RUSHIL B. MALDE

**ECOLOGY COMMITTEE**
- DOMINICA, MOHAMMED FAIZAN
- CANADA, ONYOU NA
- KUWAIT, LAUREN SCHOOLEY

**SECURITY COUNCIL**
- EGYPT, KARTIK SAIGAL
- UKRAINE, ZACK BROGDEN
- CHINA, SEBASTIAN PEARCE

**POLITICAL COMMITTEE**
- TONGA, LOUIS MWIA
- PAKISTAN, AUSTIN MBODO
- ARGENTINA, NJERI NJOROGE

**HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE**
- THAILAND, ROHAN LAKHANI
- NIGERIA, CHETANYA SAXENA
- USA, LARA TAMIM
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HONORARY MENTIONS

**ECONOMIC COMMITTEE**
- QATAR, ARMAAN JAMAL
- TONGA, KARAN KHANGRANA
- WORLD BANK, ELIZABETH MUENSTE

**POLITICAL COMMITTEE**
- PERU, MARGARETH BARAKA
- UAE, KHUSHBU, KOTAK
- SAUDI ARABIA, TIFFANY MWAKISHA

**HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE**
- GEORGIS GINNAKIS
- DHIR BID
- NEHA DUKKIPATI

**ECOLOGY COMMITTEE**
- AUSTRALIA, RADHIKA PATEL
- ALGERIA, SIDDHANT CHAWLA
- COMOROS, IMRAN KARIM

**POLITICAL COMMITTEE**
- PERU, MARGARETH BARAKA
- UAE, KHUSHBU, KOTAK
- SAUDI ARABIA, TIFFANY MWAKISHA

**SECURITY COUNCIL**
- JAPAN, BILHAH ONTIRIAH
- CHINA, NOAR PEARCE
- SWEDEN, LUCA PARLOVIC

**BEST SECRUITARIES**
- ALBERT CROCE
- THABISO MORETI
- MUJAHID MITHUANI
- RUTH BUWALDA

**BEST PRESS CORPS**
- SHAMSA AHMED
- SANAM SHAH
- MAWEU TITO MWALW’A
- VINCENT MUTUA
- IMRAN KURIA KASUMBA

**SPECIALISED COMMITTEE AWARDS**

**ICJ**
- NIKOLI EMMANUEL
- YASMIN LIDOW
- CIRRO THUO

**MCC**
- GURRA EFENDIJA
- DAVID CASSELS
- MAYA SHAH

**SPECIAL SUMMIT**
- KEIRAN DARLINGTON
- MWAWASI MKABDASI
- WANGECHI MWURA

**6HC**
- QATAR, KEMAL GAYE
- SOUTH KOREA, BRIJ SHAH
- JAPAN, EMMANUEL DAVID

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