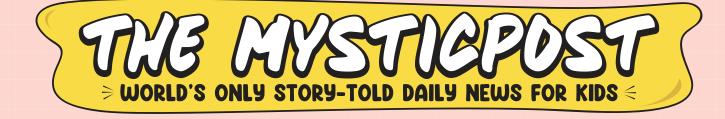


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"Verum?" Scorch said as she gently pushed open her dorm room. "I wanted to talk to you about something. I am very upset right now."

"Sure, Scorch. I am here for you," Verum said. "What happened?"

"A few days ago, a two-day Diljit Dosanjh concert took place at the Jawaharlal Nehru (JLN) Stadium in New Delhi. Dosanjh is a famous Indian singer and actor. Over 70,000 fans attended the concert. But they ruined the stadium, Verum! That is why I am upset," Scorch explained.

"How did they ruin the stadium?" Verum wondered.

"A concert is a live musical performance in public. Musicians and singers stand on a stage and perform for their fans. A lot of food and soda bottles are sold at concert venues," Scorch explained. "And that is where the problem lies.

The fans left empty pizza boxes, water bottles, plastic bags, soda bottles, and other trash at the JLN Stadium after the concert. They said that the stadium did not have dustbins. The next day, when athletes that train at the JLN Stadium arrived there, they were shocked to see the place in such condition."

"That must have been heartbreaking for the athletes! If there were no dustbins at the stadium, the fans should have taken their trash with them. Then they could have discarded it in the nearest dustbin. That is what I would have done," Verum said.

"Yes, Verum!" Scorch said. "The fans had even damaged some training equipment at the stadium and broken a few locks. The athletes said that they respect the stadium a lot. Seeing how the fans disrespected it hurt the athletes.

Fortunately, the Sports Authority of India cleaned up the venue and got it ready in time for upcoming sporting events."

"While we have fun, we must ensure that we do not break anything or litter the place," Verum said.

"Yes, Verum. Thank you for listening to me," Scorch said and hugged Verum.

