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### FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

*I feel elated and exultant to find a second issue of E-Newsletter (Bimonthly) for year AY 2019-2020 to its fruition. Indeed, it goes without saying that all the concerned have taken gargantuan efforts to compile this issue and bring every minute detail in one format. Rich encomiums to all Teaching and Non-Teaching staff to provide their expertise in their chosen fields. It would be unfair if my dear students are left out to be mentioned in this unending process.*

*Wishing everybody Godspeed in future as well for continuing this process with the same missionary zeal.*

## *Celebration of Teacher's Day*

*On 5th September 2019 NSS volunteers celebrated **Teachers' Day** in the college. **Dr. K. R. Gangakhedkar** presided over the function of which **Mr. A. M. Patki** and **S. M Gaikwad** were the Guests of Honor .The guests were honored with floral bouquet and shawl by the auspicious hands of Principal Gangakhedkar. Mr.Patki spoke on the importance of teachers in the life of students especially during graduation, because the direction of whole life is decided during these three years.*





Mr. S.M. Gaikwad recited his poem based on students' life in his interactive speech which is joyful feast for the students and participants. In the presidential address Dr. Gangakhedkar appealed the students to learn as much as possible from the teachers for the betterment of their life. The programme was organised and conducted by the NSS volunteers.



## Swachhata Abhiyan after Ganesh Visarjan

NSS volunteers participated in the cleanliness drive on the next day of Ganesh Visarjan in the Vazirabad and Banda Ghat region. They voluntarily helped the municipality employees for cleaning the roads and the riverbank on the next morning of Ganesh Idol Immersion Day in Vazirabad, the main market place of Nanded. This move by the NSS volunteers was really surprising for the citizens and municipality as well. The move was appreciated by the Principal of the college and local citizens as well. About fifty girls and boys volunteers actively participated in cleaning and collecting the garbage lying on the road and near the riverbank adjacent to the college campus.





## NEW PLAYERS EMERGE IN INTRA COLLEGIATE SPORTS MEET

A Sports Meet is organized in the College on 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 to promote sports culture among students. 100 meter, 200 meter running, Shot Put, Discus Throw, were the events for individual competitions while Kabaddi and Football were team events. More than 150 students participated in those two-days meet. The winners were felicitated by certificates on the occasion of Marathwada Liberation Day. Dr. D.S.Waghmare took efforts to carry out events successfully.





## Second Place in Taekwondo

**Vaijnath Maroti Zayike**, a student of M.A. First Year got second prize in "C" Zone Intercollegiate Taekwondo Tournament in the appropriate weight category. This is the first time any College student finished on Podium in Taekwondo.



## Satwashila Gacche Third in Long Jump

B.A. First year student **Ms. Satwashila Gacche** got third place in Long Jump event organized by Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded. 4x400 meter relay team also settled for bronze medal. The team comprised of Pradip Jawade (BA TY) Sunil Rathod (MA FY), Sandip Salam (B.Sc. TY) and Deepak Yeole (B.Sc. I year)



## Footballers Again Settled For Third

For the consecutive second year, the College Football Team got third place in "C" Zone Intercollegiate Football Tournament organized by Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded.



## Gold medal won in Youth Festival

Pratibha Niketan Mahavidyalaya,, Nanded won gold medal in Youth Festival organised at Babhulgaon, Latur on 21 to 24 September 2019. Miss Saniya M.Deshmukh studying in B.Sc. second year won gold medal in poster making event. Last year too she achieved gold medal in the same event.

For this Youth Festival activity special efforts were taken by Team Manager Dr. Rahul Varvantikar, Dr. M.K.Malviya, Shri. Dhekne and Miss Shraddha Deshmukh.





## ***NSS Students Induction and Annual Planning Meeting***

*On 4<sup>th</sup> of September, the NSS unit arranged the Induction Session-cum-Annual Planning meeting of NSS Unit of the College .The objectives of the programmes were to explain various regular programmes of NSS to the newly admitted Volunteers. The programme was presided over by Shri. N. S. Gaikwad,. Shri.A. P. Gedam, a Senior programme officer was the speaker of the programme. He explained the history and objectives of the NSS (National Service Scheme). He gave the examples of the NSS volunteers, who achieved the prizes at different level and how they represented the college, university, state and even nation in different programmes organised for the volunteers. Students were inspired to participate in NSS. Chairperson Shri. N. S. Gaikwad explained in short the glorious history of the NSS unit of the college and appealed the volunteers to achieve the various goals through the training in NSS. Mr. M. B. Lute proposed the annual calendar of NSS unit and approved from the students and advisory committee. The programme was organised by the NSS volunteers and the programme officers.*





## ***Mahashramdan at University Campus***

*Volunteers of the College NSS unit participated in the **Mahashramdan** at University Campus on 26<sup>th</sup> September 2019. On the occasion of 150<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of father of the nation Mahatma Gandhi. Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded has appealed NSS programme officers of the local colleges to participate in the **Mahashramdan** in university premises. This was a part of Cleanliness Week Drive from 25<sup>th</sup> September to 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2019. Nearabout 60 volunteers participated in the drive under the supervision of Programme Officers Mr. Maroti Lute and Dr. Shrimant Raut . The programme was graced by the Honorable Vice Chancellor Prof. Udhav Bhosle and NSS coordinator Dr. Shivraj Bokde. Students worked to clean the University Campus and to plant the trees in the Tree Plantation programme during the event.*





## One Day Camp of NSS

On 15<sup>th</sup> September 2019, NSS unit of the college organized One Day Camp for NSS volunteers. During the one day camp volunteers cleaned the whole college campus with the teachers and office persons. They also prepared the Parade ground to celebrate the University Day and Marathwada Liberation Day on 17<sup>th</sup> of September. Volunteers enthusiastically participated and worked during the camp for its success. The teaching and office staff also lent their supportive hands to the students. At the end of the camp a sumptuous meal was also arranged for all in the college campus. It was really a great experience and happy occasion for the newcomers in the NSS unit. Volunteers shared their views and experience during the one day camp.





## *Celebration of NSS day*

*On 24<sup>th</sup> September 2019, NSS day was celebrated by the NSS unit of College. The programme organized was informative and motivational for all the volunteers. The programme was presided over by the Vice-principal Dr. P. V. Lonikar and the speaker of the session was Mr. M. B. Lute, Senior Programme Officer. Mr. Lute put light on the First NSS programme in the country along with its objectives. He informed the various activities of NSS and its role in society and in the life of volunteers. In the presidential address Dr. Lonikar congratulated the newly joined NSS Volunteers and wished best luck for their future activities. All the programme officers were present for the programme.*





## **Celebration of Hindi Diwas In College**

*The College organized a "Hindi Saptah" (Hindi Week) on the occasion of "Hindi Day" on 21<sup>st</sup> September, 2019. During the celebrations, Elocution, Essay Writing and Rangoli competitions were organized. Those emerged as winners were felicitated at the hands of Chief Guests. The Programme was graced under the chairmanship of Principal Dr. K.R.Gangakhedkar and Prof. Dr. Ramkrishna Badne was the Chief Guest of the programme.*

*Dr. Badne in his speech has stressed the importance of Hindi language akin to National Anthem and National Flag. In the presidential conclusion, Principal Dr. K. R. Gangakhedkar greeted the winners and said , "a nation should have one language and use of Hindi language should be enhanced in the field of trade and commerce".*

*In the program, frescoes titled "Women Discourse, Saint Literature and Importance of Hindi" was released at the hands of the Chief Guest and President. During these celebrations of Hindi Day a "Hindi Abhyas Mandal" was inaugurated by Dr.Tasneem Anjum, Vice Principal of the College.*

*Dr. Mrs. K.P. Baheti, Mr. M.B. Lute, Mr. K.B. Kulkarni, Ms. Chandani Sasane, Ms. Vaishnavi Dachawar, Ms. Meghana Kamble, Mr. Mangesh Sasane and Sambhaji Bokare took yeoman efforts to make this function a grand success.*





## *Inauguration Ceremony of Marathi Vangmay Mandal*

*On 4th Oct 2019, Department of Marathi organized inauguration ceremony of Marathi Vangmay Mandal. Dr.Jagdeesh Kadam and Dr. Nagnath Patil were invited for the inauguration. Dr. Kadam expressed in his inaugural speech that a 'poem' is like 'dew drops'. Suitable words often misses you when badly needed. It keeps you waiting till you reach a perfect stage. Dr. Nagnath Patil also expressed his feelings about literature. At that time Principal Dr. K. R. Gangakhedkar, Dr. H.G.Dakore Ex HOD Botany, Dr. Sanjay Hapgunde HOD, Marathi, Dr. B. P. Kachare, Mr. V. D. Jadhav, Miss. Vijayshree Pendkar and Dr. Praveen Pawar were present.*





## **One day study Tour by Department of History**

*On 14<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2019, Department of History arranged one day study tour for M.A. 1st year students to Mahur, Dist. Nanded. The main intention of the tour was to study all historical sites of Mahur. Early in the morning all the students gathered in the college campus and set for Mahur. First, they visited the temple of Hindu God "Dattatray". As per the Hindu mythology it is the birth place of God Dattatray. Then all the students moved towards Renuka Mata, mother of Lord Parshuram. This temple is considered one of the three-and-half Shakti Peethas in the state. After taking lunch, students moved further to visit Ramgarh Fort, which is situated in front of the Renuka Mata Temple. The Ramgarh Fort is very ancient. It is assumed that this fort was built in the Yadav period. Lastly students visited Pandava Caves, which was carved in the 6<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> century during the Rashtrakuta dynasty. There are four caves in that place. There are five sculptures in the caves. All the students gained a first hand experience of the important historical sites and returned with good memories.*





## Lecture on Article 370

Department of Public Administration organized a special lecture on Article 370 of Constitution of India, Dr. Ashok Sidhewad was invited as a Speaker. He enlightened the political and social situation for inclusion of this temporary Article 370 in Constitution on the backdrop of various political considerations. He insisted to think radically instead of emotions. He also discussed two international scenarios at that time. The function is presided over by Dr. P.V. Lonikar. He placed emphasis on Personality Development and Value Education. Dr. D.S. Waghmare anchored the function. On this occasion two bulletins namely "**Bombay High Court: Constitution and Powers**" and "**Political Thoughts of Lokmanya Tilak**" were published.



## A study of "Spending Behavior of College Students" A survey carried out by the students

Students from the Department of Economics at Pratibha-Niketan College in the city have just completed a survey under the "Spending behaviour of College Students in Nanded City" They have selected five colleges for study and 30 students from each college for the study. Total 150 students were selected for study from Nanded city. The pocket money of students, source of their pocket money, spending trends among student etc. information was collected from students. With the help of these data department will publish a report regarding the above subject. This departmental activity includes B.A. 2nd and 3rd year students. A report is being prepared as soon as possible. Students were inspired by Dr. Kishor Gangakhedkar Principal of the college. Dr. P. Neelkant Rao, HOD Economics guided the students to carry out the survey. Dr. Shivraj Aundhekar and Dr. Rajesh Kunturkar helped the students for the survey



## **Guest Lectures on “How To Manage Money and be A Smart Investor”**

Dept. of Commerce organized a special Guest Lecture on “**How To Manage Money and be a Smart Investor**” on 23/09/2019 at 12.30 pm . Mrs. Snehal Apte Madam delivered excellent lecture on the Financial Awareness in the current scenario. She interacted with students on various issues regarding investing pattern and how to choose the correct investment plan for long term investment. For this program total 65 students were present.



## **Consumer Rights Awareness**

The Dept. of Commerce organized a special Guest Lecture on ‘Consumer Rights Awareness’ on 23/09/2019 at 10.30 am. Mrs. Milan Mestry conducted workshop on the Consumer Rights Awareness in respect of Online shopping and frauds involved . Students got knowledge about their rights and queried topics like purchasing, selling of products and service issues .For this program total 65 students were present. In the end of the programme certificates were distributed to the active students.



## **Workshop on "Importance of Communication Skills."**

The Department of Commerce organized a two-day Workshop on the topic of "Importance of Communication Skills". The guest lecture was given by Mr. Rajesh.S.Iyengar, Principal, Srinivasa Computer Typing Institute, Vazirabad Nanded.

On the First Day of Program Mr. Rajesh.S.Iyengar sir elucidated about drafting of letters, Verbal and Non -Verbal Communication Skills, like Listening, Observing, SWOT Analysis and how to improve effective writing skills. On the second Day of program, he stressed upon Body Language Techniques, regarding Personality Development. Further he gave valuable examples regarding Aping Techniques and keen observations and explained art of communication. Total 40 students attended the Workshop.



## **Inauguration of Employment Corner**

The Department of Library has initiated an Employment Corner. This initiative is aimed to foster Employment related activities. By browsing various information sources, such as Newspapers, Periodicals, Websites, the Department of Library presents before its users the employment related advertisements. It includes recruitment, advertisements of different levels. Inauguration of this activity was done at the auspicious hands of Dr. Tasneem Anjum, Vice Principal of college. Principal Dr. K.R. Gangakhedkar, Dr. D. K. Swamy, and other faculties were present for the program along with students.





## **“Wachan Prerna Din” (Reading Inspiration Day):**

To sustain and to promote reading habits among the library users, Birth anniversary of Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam (15<sup>th</sup> October ) has been celebrated as “Wachan Prerna Din” in Department of Library. An exhibition of inspirational books was organized on this occasion. Vice Principal Dr. Tasneem Anjum inaugurated the book exhibition. Students along with teaching and non teaching staff attended the book exhibition.



## **Medicinal Plant Exhibition in Department of Botany**

On 21<sup>st</sup> November 2019, the Department of Botany organized an exhibition of medicinal plants. The exhibition was inaugurated by Dr. K. R. Gangakhedkar, Principal of the college. The exhibition was open for all the students, teaching and non teaching staff and other visitors also. The plants in the exhibition although was of common nature but are found to be underexploited in the eyes of a layman and have been collected from the vicinity of the College. Twenty seven students from different classes displayed their plants in the form of posters and the plant twigs in the form of herbarium. They also collected the information on the uses of these plants especially the medicinal uses. In that they mentioned the uses of all the parts of a single plant at a time. About 150 students and teaching- non teaching staff of the college visited the exhibition throughout the day.



## World Food Day 2019

As a part of **World Food Day 2019**, our college organized a special exhibition of “WFD 2019 Posters” to create an awareness especially among youngsters hailing from farming community, about ensuring a healthy diet for all without damaging the health of our environment and ecosystem. Excellent well illustrated posters specially procured from Food and Agriculture Organisation of World (Rome, Italy ) highlighted about issues relating to diet and public health, transforming our Agriculture to suit our future needs, simultaneously sustainably maintaining productivity of our soils and water bodies. The poster content was presented in an easy language for masses .

The venue for the WFD exhibition was our posh and ultramodern **Pratibha Natya Mandir**, right in the heart of the city .This colorful exhibition was inaugurated by **Dr.Vazarkar** in presence of Prin. Dr.Gangakhedkar ,Dr.Raut, Dr. Lute , Dr.Waghmare, Dr Swami , Dr Malviya, Dr.Deshmukh,Dr.Katti among other staff .The posters were on display for visitors on 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> October 2019 in view of heavy rush. Many visitors complimented our college organisers for sensitising the public on such issues as Food, Social health and Healthy environment . Even the Food and Agriculture Organisation headquarter in Rome ,Italy took a special note of this Nanded exhibition in its world report of events from India and other countries of world.



**Food and Agricultural Organization of United Nations** took a special note of this exhibition and appreciated the efforts taken by the college for sensitizing on the issue of healthy diet, its importance on public health and environmental health .





## **Participation in Refresher Course**

*Dr.S.V.Shinde, Dr.D.S.Waghmare and Mr.R.A.Lathkar have successfully completed interdisciplinary Refresher Course on MooC held at Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad during 10<sup>th</sup> October to 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2019.*



## **Commencement of University Examination**

*Winter-2019 University examination commenced on 10<sup>th</sup> October 2019 as per University schedule. Dr. R.D. Varvantikar and Dr. S. K. Hapgunde are working as Chief Superintendent and Assistant chief Superintendent respectively under the guidance of Principal Dr. K. R. Gangakhedkar. University nominated Dr. K. A. Ahad Najam as Joint Chief Superintendent. Total 1793 students of B.Com. faculty from various colleges are attending the examination .*



## **Free Workshop on Electrical Precautions, Safety and Wiring**

*Department of Vocational Education (HSC-VC) organized free Workshop on the topic of "Electrical Precautions, Safety and Wiring". The guest lecture was given by Mr.Rajendra singh Sahoo, Director, Jaya Electrical And Agencies, Gurudwara Chaurasta, Nanded.*

*On the Day of Program Mr.Rajendra singh Sahoo sir explained about the electrical Skills, like observing, testing, analysis and how to take emergency precautions. He also explained how to free our body from shocks and make it shock- proof . Further he gave valuable examples regarding Electrical Techniques by keen observations and explained about the various tools. All our college students and staff attended the Workshop.*



## **Industrial Visit study Tour by Department of Vocational Education (HSC-VC)**

Vocational Education dept arranged Industrial visit study tour for vocational students at Kohinoor Technical Institute ,Nanded. The main intention of the tour was to study all Electrical, Electronics and Computer Hardware. All the students gathered at KTI and then they visited the Electrical lab of KTI and studied all equipments of electrical appliances. Mr. Joshi explained very well to all students about necessity of electrical appliances and how to operate all electrical appliances. Then all the students moved towards Electronics Lab and then visited the Computer Lab. After taking lunch, students really enjoyed and studied all the Electrical, Electronics and Computers concepts and returned to the college.

