



# VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE

(UNIVERSITY OF DELHI)  
NAAC ACCREDITED – GRADE 'A'

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Vivekananda College was established in 1970 in Gandhi Nagar by the Delhi Administration (now the govt. of NCT of Delhi) out of grants from UGC and Delhi Administration with a specific objective of providing opportunities for higher education to women in the Trans-Yamuna area. The foundation stone of the present college building was laid on 26<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1976 by Prof. S. Nurul Hassan and the building was dedicated by Swami Ranganathananda of the Ramakrishna Mission in 1979. In its five decades of existence, the college has provided intellectual stimulation to countless young women. Our effort attained higher peaks as the college was accredited with an 'A' grade by the NAAC peer team. Today, on the 52<sup>th</sup> Annual Day and 49<sup>th</sup> Sports Day of the college, we are proud to share our continuous aspiration towards more distant skies.

We welcome our honourable Chief Guest, Ms. Pranjal Patil Lahensingh, Honourable Deputy Magistrate, Shahdara District, Government of India. The women of India never cease to amaze us with their achievements. Every day new feats, new goals, new medals, new ventures and new achievements, these trials and triumphs by women fill hearts and inspire women all over India with hope. Our esteemed Chief Guest, Ms. Pranjal Patil Lahensingh, is one such lady who has led a brave and extraordinary of grit and determination. She has always left an indelible mark in all the assignments undertaken in her career. She is a lady of distinction, a fountainhead of ideas, an idol of knowledge and an inspiration to all of us.

Ms. Pranjal did her schooling from Kamla Mehta Dadar School for the Blind in Mumbai. She completed her HSC from C.H.M. College, Ulhasnagar, Mumbai. She graduated from St. Xavier's College and topped the Mumbai University in Political Science in 2010. She completed her post-Graduation from Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi in International Relations. Meanwhile, she joined the most coveted Indian Administrative Services (IAS) in 2017. Since then, she has been posted in various capacities in the Districts of Ernakulam and Trivandrum in Kerala and in Vasant Vihar, New Delhi. Currently, she is serving as the District Magistrate, Shahdara, Delhi, with a belief in never getting defeated and never giving up. Along with the challenges of her job, she has found the time and determination to pursue academics and is soon going to submit her PhD thesis to the Centre of West Asian Studies, JNU.

Our esteemed Guests of Honour are Mr. Subhash Dhingra, Former Chairperson, Governing Body of the college and Veteran Group Captain Ashok Kohli. Both of them have been very generous to the college. Mr. Subhash Dhingra has instituted three awards while Veteran Group Captain Ashok Kohli has instituted one award.

Mr. Subhash Dhingra is an industrialist, businessman par excellence, and a philanthropist. An alumnus of the University of Delhi, he is also a Managing Director at D.R. Dhingra Finance Ltd. and Managing Partner at SNEH Tourist Corporation. He is currently the Chairman of SNEH International School, New Rajdhani Enclave, and SNEH International School, Junior, Jagriti Enclave. Having spent numerous years for the promotion of quality education in India, Mr. Dhingra is Sr. Vice President for Federation of Public schools, Delhi, and Vice-President for Action Committee for Unaided recognized Schools, Delhi. The college, too, benefited greatly under his guardianship as the Chairperson of the Governing Body of the college.

Mr. Dhingra has represented India at various conferences held in countries like UK, USA and Finland. He learned about the global best practices in the field of education and contextualized them into the Indian education system. He is a proud recipient of many prestigious awards like the Mahatma Gandhi Leadership Award in the GLOBAL ACHIEVERS' CONCLAVE, held at the House of Commons, London, UK in the year 2018, Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan Memorial National Teacher Award 2017, and many more.

Realizing his father's dream of educating young boys and girls, he formed the Daulat Ram Education society after the demise of his father. He has instituted numerous awards and scholarships for meritorious

school students. Apart from that, every year, meritorious research scholars of the Department of Geology, University of Delhi are provided scholarships by this society. Sir has also sponsored 3 awards this year for students of Vivekananda College: The Best Student award for Rs. 11,000/-, The Best Sportsman award for Rs. 5,000/- and Best student for outstanding contribution to the college in extra-curricular activities award for Rs. 5,000/-.

He has also been instrumental in inaugurating 'Ishwar-Daulat Charitable Homoeopathy Clinic' at Arya Samaj Mandir, Preet Vihar in the memory of his parents, Late Shri Daulat Ram Dhingra and Late Shrimati Ishwar Devi.

Veteran Group Captain Ashok Kohli completed his graduation in B.Com (Honours) in Business Administration in 1979 from Jaipur. He was very active in the NCC Air Wing and was the Best Cadet of Rajasthan till 1979. He joined the Indian Air Force in 1981 as a Logistics Officer. He has been posted across the length and breadth of the country, experiencing different terrains. Some of his postings have been Devlali (Nasik), Nal (Bikaner), Nainital, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Jodhpur, Gandhinagar, Delhi and Agra. He was actively involved in several operations, including the Kargil War in 1999. He retired in the rank of Group Captain in 2016 and is now settled in Jaipur.

Veteran Group Captain Ashok Kohli has instituted a new scholarship award, the "Best Mathematics Student Award" in our college to provide financial assistance of Rs. 10,000/- to students who demonstrate exceptional academic achievement and potential. This scholarship has been instituted in the memory of his late wife, Mrs. Suneeta Kohli, who graduated from Vivekananda College, University of Delhi in the year 1983. She did her graduation in B.Sc. Honours in Mathematics and was actively involved in co-curricular activities. She believed in the importance of strengthening concepts of mathematics at the formative stage. As the wife of a military officer, she did not allow frequent relocations to daunt her and taught at schools and coaching centres in various places. A great supporter of women's education and equality, she provided educational facilities to the needy free of cost and often distributed books and stationery items. She was a simple and contented person. Had the cruel hands of cancer not snatched her away, she would have turned 60 this year. She is a prime example of humanity in this world and her work is an inspiration to us all. The college is proud of her alumna.

The college is operating in the offline mode now and is again abuzz with myriad activities – both academic and extra-curricular. Sports has again found many enthusiasts who practice regularly and win laurels for the college. Still, we have yet to shake off the after-effects of the Corona virus pandemic completely. A large number of out station students have been unable to join regular classes, while many of them have had to take up jobs to provide financial assistance to their families. However, the teaching and non-teaching staff of the college try their best to ensure that these students do not suffer any loss of studies. Counselling and Mentoring is provided to students to deal with the challenges they face.

This year, the University of Delhi has introduced the UGCF curriculum for students admitted to I year. A large number of our faculty members have been involved in curriculum development and implementation of this in the classroom. There are challenges due to staggered academic calendars and the staff is negotiating these effectively.

We have encouraged our students to take the lead in all programmes and their creativity and enthusiasm has made these very successful. They plan, choreograph and execute the programmes. Cultural societies and sports students perform at various events. Photography has also been taken up by the college photography club entirely. All this helps them gain confidence and skills to take on the world.

A report on the activities of various departments and committees of the college follows.

# DEPARTMENT REPORTS

**DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY**

The Department of Applied Psychology is presently running with seven faculty members. Dr Anita Kant superannuated in the month of May 2022. The department also got its first Professors, with Dr. Vanta Sondhi and Dr. Salma Seth being promoted as Professors. Dr. Shivantika Sharad and Dr. Sunil Kumar Verma were promoted as Associate Professors.

- A talk was organized on October 1 2022 by Dr. Tushar Singh, Banaras Hindu University on “Mindfulness based Strategies for Carrier Success”.
- This year the department launched Departmental Counseling Cell “Convo-care”, under the guidance of Dr. Arpana Beniwal. The cell has organized a number of activities from time to time.
  - “World Mental Health Day” was celebrated in the college along with students from different disciplines, where an activity on “Love and Kindness” and “Self- talk activity” were held.
  - Besides these, workshops were also held in the college to create awareness about mental health issues and emotional well-being.
  - The cell conducted a Workshop on “Over thinking” by the College Counselor Ms. Mala Vohra.
- Dr. Shivantika Sharad completed a course from Conscious Coaching Revolution LLC USA and is now a Conscious Parenting Method Certified Coach. She was invited to deliver a talk on “Mental Health in Youth” by the Chisem Foundation (Mental Health Initiative by the Central Tibetan Administration Mental Health Desk). She conducted a workshop on counselling skills at Ramanujan College. This year the doctoral degree was awarded to her first Ph.D student, Ms. Mayanglambam Omega Chanu.
- Dr. Shivantika Sharad and Dr. Sunil K. Verma are currently serving as Guest Associate Editors of *Frontiers in Pain Research*.
- The faculty of the department has been actively involved in teaching, research and publications. The details are given below.

**Books/Chapters/Articles published:**

- Dr. Vanita Sondhi has published three international papers:
  - Hameed, S & Sondhi, V (2022). Management of Celiac Disease: The Role of Significant Others. *The International Journal of Indian Psychology*, 10 (3) ISSN 2348-5396 (Online) | ISSN: 2349-3429 (Print)
  - Sondhi, V (2022). Rethinking the History of Modern Psychology: A Book Review of ‘Psychology in Modern India: Historical, Methodological, and Future Perspectives’ (Girishwar Misra, Nilanjana Sanyal and Sonali De - Eds.), *Psychological Studies*, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12646-022-00685-4>
  - Mishra, R & Sondhi, V. (2022). Conceptualizing Resilience among Adolescents who are orphaned and Living in Institutional Care in India. *Residential Treatment for Children and Youth*, DOI: 10.1080/0886571X.2022.2097153
- Dr. Salma Seth published one book and one research paper:
  - Seth, S; N.K. Chhadha & Bhatia, H.(2022). Qualitative Methods: A Practical Journey into Research India. Friends Publication.
  - Seth, S. and Agarwal A. (2022) Women in search of self-expression. *International Journal of Educational and Management Studies*. 12(4), 238-244
- Dr. Shivantika Sharad has published two research papers:
  - Co-author with Sorokowski, P., Kowal, M, Sternberg, R.J. et al. (2023). Modernization, collectivism, and gender equality predict love experiences in 45 countries. *Scientific Reports*, 13(1)

- Singh, T., Mittal, S. Sharad, S. et. al. (2022). The silver lining behind the dark cloud: Exploring the psycho-social factors impacting successful adaptation during the COVID-19 pandemic. *Journal of Pacific Rim Psychology*, 16 (04), 1-18
- Dr. Sunil Verma has published two research papers and three book chapters:
  - Bhanot, D., Verma, S.K. (2022) The development and initial validation of the multidimensional socio political empowerment (SPE) scale for Indian stigmatized group. *Current Psychology*.
  - Singh, T; Mittal, S; Sharad, S; Bhanot, D; Dash, S; Verma, R; Kaur, H; Marwah, U; Arya, Y.K. S.K. Verma, A. Jaiswal, B.K. Bharti (2022). The silver lining behind the dark cloud: Exploring the psycho-social factors impacting successful adaptation during the COVID-19 pandemic, *Journal of Pacific Rim Psychology* 16, 18344909221102207
  - Ghosh, D; Raj, S; Singh, T; Verma S.K; Arya, Y.K. (2022). Implementing Mindfulness Based Cognitive Therapy on Dynamics of Suicidal Behavior: Understanding the Efficacy and Challenges in Colin R. Martin; Victor R. Reedy, P; Vinood B. Patel (Ed.) *Handbook of Cognitive Behavioral Therapy by Disorder*. Elsevier London.
  - Ghosh, D; Bhattacharya, S. Raj, S; Singh, T; Verma S.K; Arya, Y.K. (2022). Application of mindfulness based cognitive therapy on suicidal behavior: A case study in Colin R. Martin; Victor R. Reedy, P; Vinood B. Patel (Ed.) *Handbook of Cognitive Behavioral Therapy by Disorder*. Elsevier London.

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

The Department of Commerce organized a series of activities during the year that gave its students an opportunity to demonstrate their potential and utilize their abilities to the fullest:

- “Teacher’s Day” celebrations were held in collaboration with IBS ICFAI Business School on 5<sup>th</sup> September 2022. It was organized on the college campus and was attended by students of all courses.
- A career counseling session was held in collaboration with ICAI Institute on 6<sup>th</sup> September 2022 for students of B.Com. II and III years.
- A knowledge-sharing programme on “Career after Graduation” was organized for final-year students in collaboration with IBS ICFAI Business School on 9<sup>th</sup> September 2022.
- A lecture series on “GST” was conducted for B.Com. students from September to November 2022 by Dr. K.M. Bansal, Associate Professor, B.R. Ambedkar College, DU.
- A lecture series on “Digital Marketing” was conducted for B.Com. students from September to November 2022 by Ms. Vichandana Bothra, Visiting Faculty, Amity University, Noida.
- A knowledge-sharing programme on “Work & Stress Management” was organized in collaboration with IBS ICFAI Business School on 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2023.

## DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

The Department of Computer Science was established in the year 2008. Currently, the department has three faculty members: Ms. Isha Gupta, Dr. Avaneesh Anand Singh, and Dr. Renu Garg (TIC).

- The Department of Computer Science, in collaboration with INFORMATICA – the IT society, organized a “Movie Screening and Quiz Competition” as part of “Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav” celebrations on Independence Day. The event was held on 12<sup>th</sup> August 2022 and the theme of this event was “India First, Always First”.
- Ms. Isha Gupta completed a fifteen-day online National Refresher Course on “Back-end, Front-end Web design & Development and App development using Flutter & Big Data Analytics” which was jointly organized by the University of Delhi and Guru Angad Dev Teaching Learning Centre, SGTB



Khalsa College, DU under PMMMNMTT of the Ministry of Education. It was held from 27<sup>th</sup> October to 11<sup>th</sup> November 2022. Her paper received excellent paper award by the Korea Multimedia Society during a special session held at the Spring Conference on 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022.

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Books/Chapters/Articles published:

- Dr. Isha Gupta has published three international papers:
  - Gupta, I. Chatterjee and N. Gupta, “Sentiment analysis of COVID-19 Tweets” 2022 1ST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON INFORMATICS (ICI), 2022 Organized by Jaypee Institute of Information Technology, Noida, India, Pg: 229-231, 978-1-6654-3722-6 (ISBN) (IEEE Conference, April 14-16, 2022)
  - Gupta, I. Chatterjee and N. Gupta, “Latent Semantic Analysis based Real-World Application of Topic Modelling: A Review Study”, 2022 Second International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Smart Energy (ICAIS), pp. 1142-1149. (IEEE Conference, 23-25th Feb 2022), ISBN: 978-1-6654-0052-7

## DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

The Department of Economics consists of four faculty members: Mr. Gagan Pahwa, Mr. Amit Kumar, Ms. Vandana Rathore (TIC) and Ms. Vishakha Jain.

- The department works towards the holistic development of students and the following achievements could be seen in the year 2022-23.
- In addition, students of B.A (P) have completed various internships and acquired skill sets. Following is the list of students who have completed internships. Divyanshi Tomar (B.A. (P) Third year) has completed her internship in Isourse Technologies Pvt. Ltd. Following students of B.A. (P) Second year have successfully completed internships: Prachi Mittal (NEX GEN), Vridhi Mahajan (GoodSpace) and Aashi Tyagi (TECH Miraculous).
- Books/Chapters/Articles published:
- Ms. Vishakha Jain has published one book chapter in a book ‘Deep Learning Technologies for the Sustainable Development Goals Issues and Solutions in the Post-COVID Era’ (2023) published by Springer Nature (Scopus Indexed).
- Ms. Vishakha Jain has also published a research paper, ‘Understanding the reasons of diarrhoea among children in India: Cross Sectional study using National Family health survey’ (2023) in *Journal of Re attach Therapy and Developmental Diversities* (Scopus Indexed).

## DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

The Department of English conducted the following events during the academic year 2022-2023:

- As part of the week-long Independence Day celebrations of the college, ‘CreatEng’, the English Literary Society of the college organized a talent showcase titled “Expressions of Freedom” for the students of B.A. (H.) English and English Elective on 16 August 2022. More than 100 students and teachers attended the event.
- The Department held a panel discussion on the “Relevance of English in National Education Policy 2020: Through the Lens of Higher Education” on 19 October 2022 on Google meet. It was held with



an aim to encourage one to think about how English can be considered independently of its colonial birth and contribute positively to nation building. Prof. Anil Aneja, Head of the Department, Department of English, University of Delhi delivered the keynote address. Prof. Nandini Sahu, Professor of English, IGNOU was also a panellist. Dr. Mini M. Abraham, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Bharata Mata College, Kochi moderated the discussion. Faculty and students of English across colleges of University of Delhi and others attended the panel discussion.

- A group of students, headed by Mr Yumnam Rocky and Dr Vivek Gupta visited Akshara Theatre, New Delhi to attend the performance of a play titled “Not So Mahabharat” on 14 October 2022. The performance was followed by an enriching interactive session with the actors and the production team.

Books/Chapters/Articles/Translations published:

- Prof. Hina Nandrajog published the following papers/ translations:
  - Prof. Hina Nandrajog and Prem Kumari Srivastava, eds. *Amrita Pritam: The Writer Provocateur*. Routledge, 2023.
  - Prof. Hina Nandrajog translated “Lost Paradise”, *The Silence that Speaks: Short Stories by Indian Muslim Women*. Ed. Haris Qadeer. Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2022, p.202-204. ISBN-1:translation of “Gwachi Jannat”, a Punjabi ) 0190132613-978 :13-ISBN0190132612 .(by Rubina Shabnam short story
- Dr. Jyotika Elhance published the following papers/translations:
  - Translation of “My Share of Happiness” [“Mere Hisse ki Chandni”] by Tasneem Khan, *The Silence that Speaks: Short Stories by Indian Muslim Women*. Ed. by Haris Qadeer
  - “A Recalibration of Traditional Pedagogy through Technology during Covid-19 Times” in *Dogo Rangsang Research Journal* (UGC Care Approved, Group I, Peer Reviewed, Bilingual and Referred Journal) Vol. 13, Issue. 2, No. 04, February: 2023
  - “Digital Innovations and Initiatives: Mapping India's Growth Story” in *Dogo Rangsang Research Journal* (UGC Care Approved, Group I, Peer Reviewed, Bilingual and Referred Journal) Vol. 13, Issue. 2, No. 05, February: 2023
- Dr. Nalini Gandhi Kapoor published the following paper:
  - “The Nature of Love and Marriage - A Study of Kalidasa’s *Abhijnana Sakuntalam*” was published in *International Research Journal of Management Sociology & Humanities*. An Internationally Indexed Peer Reviewed & Referred Journal of Volume - 14, Issue - 1 Jan , 2023
- Dr. Chaandreyi Mukherjee published the following paper:
  - “Aftertaste.” in *The Bombay Literary Magazine*. Issue 53. 14 December 2022. Web. <https://bombaylitmag.com/aftertaste/>“Perumal Murugan’s “Shit” and the Interrogation of Race, Class, Caste, And Gender.” *Feminism in India*. 7 July 2022. Web <https://feminisminindia.com/2022/07/07/book-review-the-othering-of-smell-inperumal-murugans-shit/>

Paper Presented in National/International Seminars/Conferences/Panel Discussion:

- Prof. Hina Nandrajog presented “Divided by Script, United by Translation: Punjabi Stories on the Partition of Punjab in 1947”, ‘Punjab: Past, Present, Future’, Punjab Research Group Conference, (Oxford, UK) 29 October, 2022.
- Prof. Hina Nandrajog presented “Cultural Texts and Contexts: Diversity of the Ramayana”, The 3<sup>rd</sup> IAFOR International Conference on Arts & Humanities (IICAH2023), Hawaii, USA, 05-08 January 2023.
- Professor Hina Nandrajog participated in “Routledge: Writer in Context” session in the Litfest organised by Translation and Translation Studies Centre, Indraprastha College, University of Delhi, 9-10<sup>th</sup> February 2023.
- Dr. Jyotika Elhance presented a paper titled “Technology Today: The Saviour and The Enabler in The Times of Covid-19” organised by Guru Ram Dass College of Education, on 4<sup>th</sup> February 2023.
- Dr. Jyotika Elhance presented a paper titled “Desolation of Muted Gender Trapped in Domestic Spaces: A Study of Women’s Plight in the fiction of Tasneem Khan” in the International Conference on “Revolution in the New Millennium-Innovation, Ethics and Sustainability: A Multidisciplinary Approach” organised by Vivekananda College, University of Delhi, on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2023.

Participation in FDP/Refresher Courses/Workshops/Webinars/Seminars/Conferences:

- Dr. Nalini Gandhi Kapoor completed a one-week online Faculty Development Programme on “We Too Were There: Recapitulating the Role of Women in India’s Freedom Struggle” organised by Ram Lal Anand College in collaboration with Mahatma Hansraj Faculty Development Centre (MHRFDC), Hansraj College from 8th July to 14th July 2022.
- Dr. Sophia Pde completed an online two-week interdisciplinary refresher course “Advance Research Methodology” from 22<sup>nd</sup> November to 6<sup>th</sup> December 2022 organised by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi under the aegis of Ministry of Education, Pandit Madan Mohan Malviya National Mission of Teachers and Teaching.
- Dr. Anchala Paliwal and Dr Chaandreyi Mukherjee attended the international conference on “English Studies in India: Centenary Perspectives” organized by the Department of English, University of Delhi as part of the centenary celebration of the University of Delhi from 28<sup>th</sup> February to 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2023.
- Dr. Chaandreyi Mukherjee chaired Technical Session 6: “Rethinking Pop Fandom Cultures for the Two-Day National Students” seminar on ‘Mediated Displays: The Future of Text After Web 2.0’ organized by Jesus and Mary College, University of Delhi on 28 October 2022.
- Mr. Yumnam Rocky participated in a UGC-Sponsored workshop on “NEP-2020-Changing Roles of Teachers” organized by Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education, Human Resource Development Centre, University of Delhi on 9 September 2022.
- Mr. Yumnam Rocky participated in a UGC-Sponsored workshop on “NEP-2020-Implementation Plan: Strategic Action Plan and Goals on the Theme, Research Innovations and Ranking” organized by Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education, Human Resource Development Centre, University of Delhi on 31 August 2022.
- Mr. Yumnam Rocky completed a one-week FDP on “Academic Research Writing” from 5 to 11 September organized by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College University of Delhi under the aegis of Ministry of Education Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission of Teachers and Teaching.
- Mr Yumnam Rocky attended one day national webinar on “Information Literary Skills” organized by Vivekananda College Library”, University of Delhi, on 17 August 2022.

**DEPARTMENT OF FOOD TECHNOLOGY AND HOME SCIENCE**

Student Enrichment Activities/Workshops/Webinars/Seminars:

- On 2 August 2022, the FT & H.Sc. Department organized its first lecture series on “Genes and Blood Group: Introduction to Genetics”. The teacher coordinator for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri.
- On 8 August 2022, the FT & H.Sc. Department organized its second lecture series on “Mendelian Genetics: Biological Principles”. The teacher coordinator for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri.
- As part of Independence Day (Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav) celebrations, the activities organized from 13 August to 15 August 2022 under the guidance of Dr. Sukhneet Suri and Dr. Arushi Jain were : Tricolour Recipe activity and Har Ghar Tiranga activity.
- On 22 August 2022, the FT & H.Sc. Department organized its third lecture series on “Genetic Disorders”. The teacher coordinator for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri.
- On 26 August 2022, the FT & H.Sc. Department organized a one-day seminar on “Carbohydrate Biochemistry: A Brief Perspective”. The teacher coordinators for the event were Dr. Sukhneet Suri and Dr. Arushi Jain.
- The department organized two mentoring sessions for the students on 27 August 2022 and 20 January 2023.
- On 25 August 2022, a national webinar on the theme “Millets: The Super Crop” was organized in light of the “International Year of Millets – 2023”. Dr. Sukhneet Suri and Dr. Arushi Jain were in the organizing committee.
- During Poshan Maah i.e. September 2022, the department organized a “National Level Recipe Contest: Create a Food Product using Millets”. Dr. Sukhneet Suri was the Convenor and Dr. Arushi Jain was the teacher coordinator for the event.
- On 6 September 2022, the department organized its fourth lecture series on “Biotechnology – Basic Concepts”. The teacher coordinators for the event were Dr. Sukhneet Suri and Dr. Arushi Jain.
- On 9 September 2022, a one-day seminar on “Understanding Biochemical Pathways of Carbohydrate Metabolism” was organized. Dr. Sukhneet Suri was the Convenor and Dr. Arushi Jain was the teacher coordinator for the event.
- On 10 September 2022, the department organized its fifth lecture series on “Advanced Biotechnology – Scope in Agriculture and Human Health”.
- On 12 September 2022, ‘Lecture Series 1 Chemistry’ on “Biomolecules: Structure and Classification” was organized.
- On 16 September 2022, ‘Lecture Series 2 Chemistry’ on “Anomers and Epimers – Oxidation Reduction of Sugars” was organized. The Convenor for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri.
- On 20 September 2022, ‘Lecture Series 3 Chemistry’ on “Formation of Disaccharides and Polysaccharides: Composition of Lipids and Storage Lipids” was organized. The Convenor for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri.
- On 22 September 2022, ‘Lecture Series 4 Chemistry’ on “Amino Acids – Structure, Classification and Ninhydrin Test” was organized. The Convenor for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri.
- On 24 September 2022, the department organized the sixth lecture series “Cell and Various Organelles as it is a Part of the Life Sciences”. The Convenor for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri.
- On 26 September 2022, the department organized a one-day student seminar on the “Importance of Physical Sciences in Daily Life”. The Convenor for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri.
- On 28 September 2022, the department organized a one-day student seminar on “Nucleic Acids and Polymers”. The Convenor for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri.
- On 11 October 2022, the department organized ‘Lecture Series 5 Chemistry’ on “Biodegradable Polymers, the Chemistry of Dye Structure, and Application of Azodyes”. The Convenor for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri.

- On 14 October 2022, the department organized a Quiz Contest on “Millets for Food and Nutrition Security”. The Convenor for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri and the teacher coordinators were Ms. Richa Dhir and Dr. Arushi Jain.
- On 21 October 2022, the students of B.A. (Programme) Food Technology, Semester V, organized a bakery sale trial within the college premises. The teacher coordinators were Dr. Sukhneet Suri and Dr. Arushi Jain.
- On 6 December 2022, the Department organized a “Millet Bazaar Activity”. The patron for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri and the teacher coordinator was Dr. Charu Arora.
- On 23 January 2023, the Department showcased a documentary on “Babies”. The patron for the event was Dr. Sukhneet Suri and the teacher coordinator was Ms. Ridhi Sood.
- On 7 February 2023, the Department organized a Department Fresher’s Party for the students of first year: Batch of 2022. The teacher coordinator for the event was Dr. Arushi Jain.

#### Field Trips/Collaborative Activities/Extension and Outreach Activities:

- Twenty-eight students of B.Sc. (H.) Home Science and B.A. Programme Food Technology Semester II participated in the “World Food Safety Day” celebrations on 7 June 2022. The programme was jointly organized by the Centre for Quality and Food Safety, Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, Manav Rachna International Institute of Research and Studies, IEST, CPRTTF, NITCON and EAT RIGHT (FSSAI). Dr. Sukhneet Suri and Dr. Arushi Jain facilitated the field visit.
- As part of the collaboration (MoU) of Vivekananda College with the Institute of Industrial Development (MSME), fifteen students of B.Sc. (H.) Home Science and B.A. Programme Food Technology participated in the Workshop on “Pradhan Mantri Formalization of Food Microenterprises (PMFME)” on 5 August 2022 at Indira Gandhi National Centre of Arts.
- Fourteen students of B.Sc. (H.) Home Science participated in the National Workshop on “Qualitative Analysis of Carbohydrates” held on 8 September 2022, organized by the Department of Biochemistry, Institute of Home Economics, DU.
- Fifteen students of B.Sc. (H.) Home Science participated in the workshop “Role of Life Sciences in Home Sciences” held on 15 September 2022, organized by the Department of Home Science, Lakshmibai College, DU.
- Twenty-eight students of B.Sc. (H.) Home Science participated in a workshop “Role of Life Sciences in Home Sciences” held on 1 October 2022, organized by the Department of Home Science, Lakshmibai College, DU.
- Fourteen students of B.Sc. (H.) Home Science participated in the workshop on “Quantitative Analysis of Carbohydrates” held on 21 October 2022, organized by the Biochemistry Department of the Institute of Home Economics, DU.
- Seventy-four students of B.A. (P.) Food Technology and B.Sc. (H.) Home Science visited the Global Millet (Shree Anna) Conference/Exhibition on 18 March 2023 organized under the guidance of Hon’ble Prime Minister of India, Narendra Modi ji. It was held at the IARI Campus. The field visit was facilitated by Dr. Suri, Dr. Jain, Dr. Sarika Tyagi and Dr. Charu Arora.

#### Teacher’s Achievements: Awards and Honours:

- Dr. Sukhneet Suri received “Food Safety Mentor” award at the “World Food Safety Day” celebrations held on 7 June 2022. The programme was jointly organized by the Centre for Quality and Food Safety, Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, Manav Rachna International Institute of Research and Studies, IEST, CPRTTF, NITCON and EAT RIGHT (FSSAI).



- Dr. Sukhneet Suri was appointed as NEP Core Committee Member by the Head, Department of Home Science, University of Delhi for: B.A. (Programme) Food Technology and Food and Nutrition – B. Sc. Hons and B. Sc. Programme courses.
- Dr. Sukhneet Suri was appointed as Member, Faculty of Sciences, University of Delhi w.e.f. 16 September 2022 for a period of three years.
- Dr. Sukhneet Suri was the Chairperson at the “Young India Nutrition Contest” – a National Level Competition organized by the Council for Promotion, Research, and Trade in Traditional Foods (CPRTTF) during the Poshan Maah Celebrations held in September 2022.

#### Books/Chapters/Articles published:

- Dr. Sukhneet Suri has published the following research papers:
  - Singh, S., Suri, S., & Singh, R. (2022). Potential and Unrealized Future Possibilities of Browntop Millet in the Food Sector. *Frontiers in Sustainable Food Systems*, 6:974126.doi: 10.3389/fsufs.2022.974126.
  - Rohatgi S, Suri S. and Kumar P., भारतकीस्वास्थ्य नीतियाँ औरकार्यक्रम : पिछलेसातदशक (1950-2021), *Bhartiya Samaj Shastra Samiksha*, Volume 2, Number 9, 2022 <https://sagebhasha.com/Journal/TOC?JournalId=1>
- Dr. Sukhneet Suri and Dr. Arushi Jain have published the following research papers:
  - Suri, S., Jain, A., & Lohia, M. (2022). Determination of Quality of Green Chili Sauce Served by Street Food Vendors (SFVs) in Delhi (India). *Current Nutrition and Food Science*, 18. 502-506.

#### Participation in Workshops/FDPs/Seminars/Conferences:

- Dr. Sukhneet Suri was the Resource Person during “World Food Safety Day” celebrations organized by the Centre for Quality and Food Safety, Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University and Manav Rachna International Institute of Research and Studies held on 7 June 2022.
- Dr. Sukhneet Suri participated in the NEP Implementation Pathway Services (NIPS) ALAP – Academic Leadership Alignment Programme organised by BSM, RFRF, and AICTE from 13 to 14 September 2022.
- Dr. Sukhneet Suri was the Resource Person for the VAC Course, ‘Ayurveda and Nutrition’ Workshop 2 “Practical Pedagogy and Assignments” organized by the Coordination Committee for Value Added Courses, University of Delhi held on 10 November 2022.
- Dr. Sukhneet Suri was the speaker of “Nutrigenomics for Precision Nutrition – Scope, Ethics and Challenges” at the National Conference “Futuristic Strategies for Sustainment of Troops in Different Terrain” held from 7 to 9 December 2022.
- Dr. Arushi Jain participated in a one-day national webinar on “Information Literacy Skills” organized by the Library and IQAC of Vivekananda College on 17 August 2022.
- Dr. Arushi Jain participated in an FDP on the VAC Course “Ayurveda and Nutrition” held on 20 October 2022 organized by the Value Addition Courses Committee, University of Delhi in collaboration with Mahatma Hansraj Faculty Development Centre.
- Mr. Suresh Kumar (Lab Assistant) and Mr. Praveen Kumar Kataria (Lab Attendant) successfully completed a one-week Training Programme for Laboratory and Technical Officials held from 16 January to 21 January 2023 organized by the University Science Instrumentation Centre, University of Delhi.

#### Students’ Achievements:

- Ms. Vidhi Bindal was the co-author of the anthology “Warmth of Words” by The Wordings.
- Ms. Tannu Gupta participated in “Water Quiz 2.0” organized by Jal Shakti Abhiyaan.
- Ms. Shivani Maurya participated in “Swacch Bharat Quiz” organized by the Centre for High Technology.
- Ms. Sakshi Singh completed an online course on “Smart English Basics for Professionals” organized by Great Learning Academy.
- Ms. Aarchi Arora participated in a quiz on “PM Kalyan Garib Anna Yojana” organized by MyGov.
- Ms. Aarchi Arora co-authored the anthology “Fragments Journey” by The Wordings.
- Ms. Chhaya Jha was selected as a Social Media Marketing Specialist Intern at Younity.in.
- Ms. Kahish Gupta participated in a quiz on “Swachh Bharat Mission Grameen Phase II” organized by the Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation and MyGov.
- Ms. Shivani Maurya participated in a quiz on “Lifestyle for Environment” organized by NCERT.

#### Department's Achievements:

- Students participated during Workshop on Pradhan Mantri Formalization of Food Microenterprises (PMFME) – MoU between IID and Vivekananda College
- Bakery Sale Trial Stall conducted by Students of Food Technology and Home Science.
- Tricolour recipes developed by students.
- National Webinar held on “Millets – the Super Crop”.
- Millet Bazar – an initiative to popularize the consumption of millets among youth.
- “Food Safety Mentor” award was conferred upon Dr. Sukhneet Suri.
- Students participated during World Food Safety Day Celebrations held at IP University
- Dr. Suri was a Resource Person during Panel Discussion – “World Food Safety Day” celebrations.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF FRENCH**

- Students of the Department of French of our college actively participated in a social project called “Josuman French Enrichment Programme”. Under this project, students studying French language in various colleges of University of Delhi taught at MCD primary schools of East Delhi zone. This opportunity was offered by the Department of Germanic and Romance Studies, University of Delhi.
- Mehak Malik, Srishti Pandey, Vridhi Mahajan, Khushbu, Saloni Choudhary, Bhavya Shaw of B.A. (Programme) II year and Yashika Sharma, Pragya Yadav, Smriti Singh, Nisha Grower, Payal Pal, Vanshita Sharma, Varinder Kaur, Tashab Solanki of B. A. (Programme) III year participated in this project and taught French language as an activity subject to Grade 5 students from July 2022 till March 2023. The objective of this curriculum was to enrich young minds from the economically weaker community sections with an interest in learning new subjects, to reduce rate of drop-outs of these children from their schools and to give them new hope of being a global and responsible student.
- Ms. Kanika Kumar completed a national refresher course on “Basic IT tools, Advanced Spreadsheet Tools and Statistical Software Package with SPSS” and “Statistics with ‘R’, Financial Database and Analysis Software” which was jointly organized by the University of Delhi and Guru Angad Dev Teaching Learning Centre, SGTB Khalsa College, DU under PMMMNMTT of the Ministry of Education. It was held from 27 October to 11 November 2022.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF HINDI**



The session 2022- 23 was full of various activities and achievements for the Department of Hindi. The colleagues of the department were continuously connected with the teaching related processes and challenges.

- Dr. Saroj Kumari completed a research project under Faculty Research Programme, University of Delhi. Apart from this, her many research articles and books on women storytellers and Dalit writers were published in various national and international research journals. “Working Women’s Struggle” and “Stree Kavi Kaumudi” are her edited books. This year she was also a member of the curriculum framing committee of Hindi Honours’s Asmita Mulak Vimarsh in University of Delhi. It is a matter of great pride for the Department of Hindi that Dr. Saroj obtained the title of Professor this year.
- Dr. Yojana Kalia in order to expand her linguistic boundaries, started studying Punjabi language at the University of Delhi. She presented a research paper in an international seminar titled “The question of language and India of the 21st century”. Dr. Yojana’s research article entitled “Half the Population and Half the Share” was published in the book titled “Working Women's Struggle”. Apart from this, many of her research articles have been published in various research journals. Dr. Yojana has been continuously editing and managing the college’s multilingual wall magazine “Kasturi” for the last 12 years and this journey continues unabated. This year, the University of Delhi has honoured Dr. Yojana by making her a research guide of a PhD scholar.
- Dr. Babita completed an FDP on “Communication, Creative Writing and Personality Development”. She has also done a 7-day workshop on “Creative Writing” organized by the University of Delhi. Apart from this, she was also the coordinator of the “Essay and Poster Making Competition” organized in the college on the occasion of Vivekananda Jayanti.

Apart from this, the colleagues of Hindi department organized lecture-sessions, competitions on many different subjects.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY**

- Dr. Yuthika Mishra and Dr. Sandhya Sharma were awarded Professorship and it was a big achievement for the department and the college.
- The Department of History of our college organized the annual Alka Rani Memorial Lecture in the loving memory of Dr. Alka Rani whose untimely death came as a shock. The lecture was made a part of the Delhi University Centenary Celebrations this year. One-day national seminar on “Celebrating Some Great Historians of India: Personal and Professional Memories” was organized on 23 September 2022. Eight eminent historians from Jawaharlal Nehru University, Ambedkar University, University of Delhi, Jamia Millia Islamia and Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh were invited. Prominent names were Prof. Salil Mishra, Prof. Anirudh Deshpande, Prof. Ranjeeta Datta, Prof. Partho Datta, Prof. Mohammad Sajjad, Prof. Vishwa Mohan Jha, Dr. Pankaj Kumar Jha and Dr Rohma Javed Rashid. In spite of exceptionally heavy rains when daily life was badly affected, six of the invited speakers managed to come. Around 115 students attended the day-long seminar as the speakers could engage the students’ interest effectively. All the teachers of the department and from the college attended the event. The speakers covered the life and times of their teachers who had died in the recent past. It really turned to be a meaningful seminar and a real tribute to Alka Rani.
- The department organized a trip within Delhi for B.A. (Honours) students on 7 February 2023. They visited Qutb Complex, Hauz Khas Village and Humayun Tomb. It was an educational trip as they learnt about the forms of architecture under Delhi Sultans. Around 120 students were escorted by five teachers of the department.

- An educational trip to Rajasthan was planned and organized by Mr. Tulsi Chauhan and Sandhya Sharma, the Teacher-in-Charge extended full support. A group of 31 students escorted by Mr. Tulsi Chauhan, Dr. Shahnaz Begum and Dr. Sandhya Sharma left Delhi on the evening of 17 March 2023 and came back in the morning of 22 March 2023. The students visited Sajaan Garh Fort, Kumbhal Garh Fort, Ranak Pur Jain Temple, Haldighati, and Nathdwara, the historical Srinath ji Temple. The group visited the Eklingi Temple in Kailash Pura which had legitimized the kingship of the Guhila kings in the initial phase in the process of State Formation in Mewar. An enjoyable boating expedition was undertaken in the Fateh Sagar Lake. Saheliyon ki Baadi and Moti Maghrib were fabulous places which the students enjoyed. The visits to the City Palace, Jagadish Temple, Lake Pichhola and Karni Mata Temple were the destinations on the last day. The four days were utilized to the hilt. The students learnt a lot about the Mewar State and the Rajput Culture. They also enjoyed a DJ Night after a whole day's tiring travel. A lavish dinner was arranged at Khamma Ghani for the students. It proved to be an educational cum excursion trip.
- Dr. Swati Ranjan Choudhary presented a paper "Krishi aur Sambaddh Gatividhiyon ke Madhyam se Mahila Sashaktikaran" in the two-day online International Conference on "Revolution in the new Millennium – Innovation, Ethics and Sustainability: A Multidisciplinary Approach" from 2 February to 3 February 2023 organized by Vivekananda College, University of Delhi.
- Dr. Shahnaz Begum published five papers in UGC Care listed journals.

#### DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

- MATHLETICO, the Mathematics Society, Department of Mathematics of our college organized an Intra-college Quiz Competition to celebrate "Independence Day" as part of "Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav" celebrations on 8 August 2022. Approximately 30 students attended the programme. 10 teams registered for the competition out of which 9 teams enthusiastically participated. The programme was conducted under the guidance of Mrs. Anju Nagpal, the TIC of the department. The teacher coordinator was Mrs. Preeti Chhachhia and the student coordinator was Ms. Gungun Pandey.
- "Teacher's Day" was celebrated by the students of the Department of Mathematics on 5 September 2022 to express their gratitude for the immense contribution put forth by their teachers towards their development.
- MATHLETICO also organized a webinar on "Preparing for Placements" for the students on 24 September 2022. In this webinar, the keynote speakers were Ms. Nidhi Nagpal, a Senior HR business partner in Amazon and Ms. Arushi Nagpal, a Senior Strategy Consultant at Deloitte. The teacher coordinator was Dr. Ritika Nagpal. A total of 86 students attended the webinar.
- On 29 September 2022, the Department of Mathematics, Vivekananda College organized a trip to Agra Fort and Taj Mahal. Around 50 students and four teachers including the TIC Mrs. Anju Nagpal went for the trip.
- The Department of Mathematics, Vivekananda College organized an Intra-college "Expository Article Writing Competition" on 9 November 2022 to commemorate the completion of 100 years of the University of Delhi. Approximately 80 students attended the programme. 6 students were selected for the final presentation. The teacher coordinator was Dr. Shivani Dubey and the student coordinator was Ms. Simran Kapoor. The judges were our honorable and experienced teachers, Dr Sandhya Jain, Mrs. Preeti Chhachhia and Dr. Ritika Nagpal. The winner was Ms. Anubha Nagar, a student of B.Sc (Honours) Mathematics III year.
- The Department of Mathematics organized a memorable event to welcome the freshers on 18 January 2023. The teacher coordinator Dr. Ritika Nagpal and the student coordinator Ms. Gungun Pandey made all the arrangements. Ms. Kajal Aggarwal was declared "Miss Fresher 2023" of the department.
- To celebrate the subject of Mathematics in the gaming world, MATHLETICO, the Department of Mathematics of our college organized a "Sudoku" competition in which students of different courses

participated. The teacher coordinator was Mr. Arabind Kumar. The top three winners from the final round were: Ishika Jain (B.Com. Honours III year) who won the first prize, Aashi Singal (B.Com. Honours I year) who won the second prize and Ayushi Verma (B.Com. Programme II year) who won the third prize.

- “Pi Day Celebration” was organized by MATHLETICO on 14 March 2023. The teacher coordinator was Ms. Preeti Chhachhia. 31 students participated in three different competitions and approximately 60 students attended the programme. Three inter-college competitions were held in different categories and the winners in respective categories are as follows:
  - “E-Poster making competition” – Khushi Upadhyay, B.Sc. Maths (Honours) II year, Vivekananda College won the first prize. Khushi Tyagi, B.A Programme, Shayma Prasad Mukherji College (SPMC) won the second prize.
  - “Pie-baking Competition” – Pushpa Kumari, B.Sc. Maths (Honours) II year, Vivekananda College won the first prize.
  - “Treasure Hunt Competition” – Pushpa Kumari, B.Sc. Maths (Honours) II year, Vivekananda College won the first prize. Sejal Kesarwani, B.Sc. Maths (Honours) II year, Vivekananda College won the second prize. Jyoti Kashyap, B.Sc. Maths (Honours) III year, Vivekananda College won the third prize.

#### Teachers’ Achievements:

- Dr. Sandhya Jain has published the following paper:
  - Sandhya Jain and Pankaj Jain, Hausdorff and Dunkl–Hausdorff operators in Lebesgue spaces for monotone functions and monotone weights. Positivity 27 (2022)
- Dr. Ritika Nagpal has published the following paper:
  - Ritika Nagpal, Shibesh Kumar Jas Pacif, Abhishek Parida, Reconstructing cosmic evolution with a density parametrization Mod. Phys. Lett. A3718(2022)

#### **DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC**

- Like previous years, this year also various programmes were organized by the department under the guidance of the Head of the Department, Dr. Neeta Mathur and Dr. Deepa Varshney. A famous singer, Dr. Nupur Singh, gave a mesmerizing presentation of patriotic songs on 13 August 2022 in a concert titled “Har Karam Apna Karengae Ae Watan Tere Liye” under “Azadi Ke Amrit Mahotsav” celebrations in which, along with her, girl students also performed.
- An online webinar was organized on 25 August 2022 by the department on the topic “The form of rainy season in classical and sub-classical music” in which Akashvani and Doordarshan artist, Dr. Mallika Banerjee gave an exemplary presentation of ragas and singing styles related to the rainy season. A large number of girl students participated in this programme.
- Under “Vasantotsav” ceremony on 7 February 2023, Vandana, Sanjana, Diya, Dimple, Divya, Mansi, Pallavi gave a melodious rendition of Saraswati Vandana and compositions invoking the spring season. On this occasion, Officiating Principal, Dr. Hina Nandrajog, Dr. Neeta Mathur, Dr. Deepa Varshney, Dr. Kamini Taneja, Mrs. Anita Bakshi and Dr. Nalini Gandhi Kapoor also expressed their views regarding “Vasantotsav”. Ms. Geetika Mishra, an alumna of the school, gave a beautiful performance of Kathak classical dance.
- Dr. Neeta Mathur’s talk on “Contribution of Brajbhasha in Classical Music” was aired on All India Radio, Delhi on 16 July 2022.

- Dr. Mathur's book "Sun of Classical Music" was released at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi on 4 October 2022.
- Her classical singing performance was telecast nationally on 12 November 2022 on Akashvani, Delhi, in an all India programme of music.
- She gave a classical vocal performance at Swami Haridas Sangeet Sammelan, Mumbai on 19 October 2022. Also, her classical vocal performance at India Habitat Center on 22 November 2022 was appreciated by the audience.
- In 2022, Akashvani Delhi invited her as a jury member in the vocal examination board, which is a matter of pride.
- Department of Music, Mata Sundari College invited her a guest speaker on 17 February 2023 wherein she gave a lecture on the topic of "Vasant and Holi songs" related to the song traditions.

Books/Chapters/Articles published:

- Dr. Neeta Mathur and Dr. Deepa Varshney participated in the seminar from 23 to 24 February 2023 organized at the Faculty of Music and Fine Arts, University of Delhi.

## DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

The Department of Political Science organized many successful events this year and tried to provide a wide range of platforms to the students so that they can learn and grow to be better versions of themselves. The department gave its best in an attempt to make the teaching-learning journey more fruitful and more joyful for the students. The department organized the following activities:

- Independence Day Celebrations: The department celebrated Independence Day by organizing an online inter-college Reels-making competition on the theme "The Idea of India". It was held on 12 August 2022. 23 students from different colleges participated in this competition. The certificates were distributed to the winners on 28 August 2022.
- Career counselling is one of the best practices of the Department of Political Science. The Department organized many lectures related to career counseling under the series "Pathways of Future". This year as well the department organized a career counselling event "Legal Eagles: Careers in Law". One of the most reputed lawyers in India, Mr. Vaibhav Chaddha (Advocate in the High Court of Delhi) delivered a lecture on 12 September 2022.
- The department also organized a counselling session on mental health "Mending Relationships". The renowned Neurologist, Dr. Siddharth (IHBAS) conducted this session on 15 September 2022.
- The department celebrated its annual event – "अपराजिता 2022" on 30 November 2022. The department organized an inter-college speech competition on the topic, "Role of the Constitution: An Instrument of Women Empowerment". 38 participants from various universities and colleges participated in this event.
- The department also celebrated "National Voters Day" on 25 January 2023. The Department organized a quiz competition as part of the celebration. 68 students from various colleges of Delhi University participated in this competition.
- The department organized a Public Lecture by Prof. Perna Malhotra (Department of English, University of Delhi). The topic of the lecture was "बात भारत की नारी की". This event took place on 1 February 2023.
- An educational trip to Lohagarh farm was organized by the department on 28 February 2023. 48 students along with 5 teachers were there. The main objective behind this trip was to understand the cultural diversity of India. Students were very happy with the experience.
- The department celebrated "अपराजिता 2023" on 4 March 2023. The department organized an open-ended debate and discussion on the theme, "Daughters of India". Students from various departments



participated in this event. The event was covered and telecast by Sansad TV ([https://youtu.be/\\_pKyc51Wq\\_Q](https://youtu.be/_pKyc51Wq_Q)) on International Women's Day on 8 March 2023.

## DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

The report of Sanskrit Department is awaited.

## VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE LIBRARY

‘पुस्तकें आपके आसपास की दुनिया की समझ देती हैं। एक अच्छी किताब में चीजों को सोचने, बात करने और विश्लेषण करने के तरीके को बदलने की शक्ति होती है।’

Our college library is fully computerized (Through LSease ILMs) as well as accessible on the smartphone for the millennial generation using its in-house developed website.

### Acquisition & Collection:

- The library has a collection of approximately 66,727 printed books including 76 Braille books along with 16 print journals and audio-visual material. 522 books were added during this financial year.
- Library has reopened all its services after a long gap due to repair work although the repair work is still ongoing. Reading halls on two floors are accessible to students and also the books on three stack areas. College students from NSS, Hindi and Computer Science Departments were a big help in reorganizing the library.
- Library also celebrated Hindi Diwas on 14 September 2022 by exhibiting Hindi books to promote Hindi language.
- Due to repair work and Covid restrictions, the library was subscribing to only two newspapers and also not subscribing to any general magazines. The procedure of purchase of newspapers and magazines once again is under process.
- Millions of e-resources are accessible remotely to the faculty as well as students through Delhi University Library System (DULS), N-List and DELNET. Membership of NList and DELNET has been renewed.
- The major achievement of the library this year is the implementation of Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) technology. It is a kind of technology which helps in the security of the library collection as well as in stock verification. RFID technology eliminates the chances of theft of books from the library. Library checks out books through biometrics along with RFID, which has led to elimination of the redundant process of readers' tickets. RFID also helps in stock verification and in rectification of mis-shelved books. All the library books have been tagged and newly acquired books are tagged simultaneously during their technical processing. A book drop (Self check-in) facility has also been installed in the library to reduce the time taken in returning the books.
- In view of centenary year of Delhi University a one-day national webinar, titled “Information Literacy and Skills” was organized by the Library under the aegis of IQAC and in collaboration with the Indian Library Association (ILA) to celebrate “Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav” and the Centenary Year of University of Delhi” on 17 August 2022 virtually via Google meet. More than 350 participants attended the webinar. The Chief Guest of the event was Dr. Rajesh Singh, University Librarian (DULS); Dr. Pardeep Rai (Sr.Vice President ILA and Librarian, Maitreyi College) was the Guest of Honour.

New Initiative:

- Apart from sustaining the previous initiatives, the library started a new information service “e-Vartalaap”. In this service, the library staff is available online every Friday from 10.45 am to 11.45 am to answer the queries of the users through Google meet. Shortage of staff in the library has led to reimagining some information services and ICT initiatives.

Circulation:

- Library recorded approximately 15,559 footfalls along with approximately 12,600 circulation transactions, inclusive of Inter library loans (Delnet) through Library Management Software (LSEase).

Online services:

- The library website uses mobile technology and is bilingual to disseminate the information. Old question papers have been digitized and made available on the library website, i.e. available on the World Wide Web. QR codes have been generated to access library collection and services. These are displayed outside the library, inside and also on the website.
- Pdf of soft copies of cover page and table of contents of books are continuously prepared and regularly updated on OPAC.
- College faculty were surveyed to find out their satisfaction level and awareness of library online services. The findings revealed that 91.5% of the respondents (faculty) were satisfied and very satisfied with online service and it is a commendable figure for a library to achieve this with limited ICT infrastructure. 75.7% respondents were aware of the library Facebook page, live streaming of college events and information dissemination through it. 85.7% were of the opinion that the library provides information literacy to the patrons.
- The Honorary Internship of Content writing for library social media was given to Ms. Anisha Sen and Ms. Shivangi, students of the English Department.

Professional Growth:

- The Librarian, Dr. Rajni Jindal attended six seminars/workshops, organized one national level webinar, published five papers, one book chapter and four units for school of open learning (SOL) library science courses. She was also the Resource person for the in-service training programme for School Librarians organized by SCERT (20 March 2023 to 25 March 2023).
- Mr. C P Singh and Mr Sudhir Gidh (Library Attendants) have been promoted to the post of Library Assistant.
- The Library staffs keeps attending various capacity building workshops, refresher courses and also attended many webinars during Covid period.
- Our staff always tries to make the library an enriching experience by innovating and maintaining various information services, updating the library collection and providing access to millions of e-resources.



The librarian and the library staff thank our College Principal, a very supportive Library Committee as well as all the faculty members for showing interest in our work and supporting us in our endeavors.

‘लाइब्रेरी, किताब और समाज में ज्यादा फर्क नहीं,  
किताब बताती है, समाज सिखाता है, लाइब्रेरी ज्ञान देती है’

### **International Conference**

An online International Conference on “Revolution in the New Millennium – Innovation, Ethics and Sustainability: A Multidisciplinary Approach” was organized by Vivekananda College, University of Delhi. It was organized on 2 and 3 February 2023, with the objective of bringing researchers, practitioners, academicians, industrialists, and professionals together in a multi-disciplinary approach and to provide a platform for them to meet and interact in fruitful debates and facilitate mutual understanding.

The inaugural session of the conference was begun at 9:30 am with the welcome address by the Officiating Principal, Dr. Hina Nandrajog. It was followed by the introduction of the theme of the conference by Dr. Ranjeeta Phukan, Associate Professor, Department of Commerce. After that, the Honourable Chief Guest, Professor Ganga Prasad Prasain, Vice Chancellor, Tripura Central University and Guest of Honour, Professor Kaup Mohamed, Dean and Managing Director, London, American City College, UAE shared their valuable insights. The keynote speaker of the session was Professor Ajay Kumar Singh, Head and Dean, Department of Commerce, Faculty of Commerce and Business, University of Delhi. At the end of the inaugural programme, the vote of thanks was given by Dr. Anchala Paliwal, Department of English.

The inaugural session was followed by Plenary Session 1, from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm. The keynote speakers were professor Ajanta Borgohain Rajkonwar, Vice Chancellor, Assam Women’s University, Jorhat, Assam and Professor Paresh Shah, Professor and Principal, Rai School of Management Studies, Rai University, Ahmedabad, Gujarat.

Plenary Session 2 of the conference began from 2:00 pm onwards and the keynote address of this session was given by Professor Anil Mehta, Professor, School of Legal Studies, Banasthali University, Rajasthan and Professor Daya Shankar Tiwary, Professor, Department of Sanskrit, University of Delhi. The session was moderated by Mr. Yumnam Rocky, Assistant Professor, Department of English.

The Technical Session 1 on Day 2 of the conference was chaired by Dr. Astha Gupta, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics and Decision Science, Western Illinois University. And it was moderated by Ms. Yugmita Kesh. A total of nine papers were presented in the first technical session.

The Technical Session 2 on the same day was chaired by Dr. Keshav Raj Panthee, Lecturer, Koteshwor Multiple College, Kathmandu. It was moderated by Ms. Priyanshi Bhatnagar. A total of ten papers were presented in this session. It was followed by the valedictory session of the conference. The valedictory speech was given by Professor Jolly Sahni, Director, Jubilation Office (Happiness Office) and Associate Director, Prince Sultan University, Saudi Arabia. It was followed by an enriching discussion on various perspectives. The vote of thanks for the conference was delivered by Dr. Ranjeeta Phukan, Associate Professor, Department of Commerce and the Convenor of the conference.

# COMMITTEE REPORTS

**ACADEMIC DEVELOPMENT & CAREER ORIENTATION COURSES COMMITTEE**

ADCC Committee conducted the following – a meeting to decide on courses to run in the college, and a lecture in association with Bharatiya Shikshan Mandal, Delhi Prant. The details are mentioned below:

- A meeting of the ADCC Committee was held on 21 September 2022 in virtual mode. The following members were present: Dr. Saroj Kumari (Convenor), Mrs. Laxmi (Member), Dr. Vivek Gupta (Member), Ms. Kanika Kumar (Co-ordinator, Part-time German Course)

The following decisions were taken regarding the German Language courses:

- For a Certificate Course in German Language, a minimum of 25 students are required to run the course.
  - Students of our regular courses of our college will pay a fee of Rs 10,000/- and students of SOL, IGNOU, Non- Collegiate Board for Women and others will pay a fee of Rs. 13,000/-
  - In case of cancellation of admission to the course, a student can do so up to 10 days from the date of commencement of the course after deducting an amount of Rs. 500/- as cancellation charges.
- A Lecture on “Rashtriya Shiksha Neeti – 2020 ke Sandarbh me Subhash Chandra Bose ki Pransangikta” by Shri Sudarshan Kumar was organized by Academic Development Committee of Vivekananda College, University of Delhi in association with Bharatiya Shikshan Mandal, Delhi Prant on 29 August, 2022 on the auspicious occasion of the Research Paper Writing Competition ‘Subhash-Swaraj-Sarkar’. The lecture commenced with a welcome of Guests by Dr. Saroj Kumari, the Convenor of ADCC Committee.

**ALUMNAE COMMITTEE**

The Alumnae Committee along with other committees of the college constantly collects the data of college alumnae and acts as an interface for interaction between alumnae and current students by organizing an Alumnae-Meet every year. The Alumnae Committee of Vivekananda College, University of Delhi, organized the Alumnae Meet - 2022 on 5 November 2022.

The entire college campus façades were decorated with colours of hospitality with enthusiasm by student volunteers. The event witnessed great warmth from the auspicious presence of more than 400 guests and hosts. The event was inaugurated with lamp lighting by Chief Guest Dr. Subhash Dhingra, Honourable Chairperson, Governing Body of the college and Officiating Principal, Dr. Hina Nandrajog along with committee members, followed by a melodious Welcome Song presented by students of Classical Music Society, “Dhwani”. The Alumnae from diverse fields enriched the occasion with their valuable life experiences elaborating on their success stories. An energetic folk dance performance by students of Folk Dance Society of the College enthralled the audience.

The vote of thanks was delivered by Committee member Dr. Babita Kumari. The event culminated with a note of jubilant, nostalgic and longing vibes. The lunch organized by the Committee was enjoyed by all. We extend our gratitude and thanks to our college, its alumnae committee members & Student Volunteers for organizing such a fabulous and successful meet.

The event was covered by students of The Photography Society of the college, “Click’o’Mania”.

Alumnae Committee Members: Dr. Saroj Kumari (Convenor), Dr. Babita Kumari, Dr. Smriti Suman, Dr. Ritika Nagpal

Student Co-ordinator: Umaima

Student Volunteers: Tarana, Riya, Pooja Rai, Ekta Sharma, Ritika, Atika, Nisha, Ilamnaz, Bhawna, Hansika

### **AMBEDKAR AND SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE**

Ambedkar and the Social Justice Committee of Vivekananda College organized a lecture via “online mode” on 5 December, 2022. The topic was Aazadi ka Amrit Mahotsav and women empowerment. As speakers, Dr. Chayanika Uniyal and Professor Sanjeev Chandan joined the event.

On the occasion of International Women’s Day, Ambedkar and Social Justice Committee of Vivekananda College successfully organized an International Kavi Sammelan on 28 February, 2023. The poets who recited were from inter-state and international universities. Professor Suraj Bharjatya from Japan and Anuradha Os from Bazpur were the limelight. Many other famous and talented poets and poetess recited in the event.

### **ARCHIVES COMMITTEE**

*Swami Vivekananda: "Arise, Awake and Stop not till the Goal is Reached".*

To realise the vision of Swami Vivekananda for education, Vivekananda College was established in 1970 with grants from the UGC and Delhi Administration. The objective was to make higher education available to young women from the trans-Yamuna area. The Archives Committee is working towards gathering information about the college from various sources and retired teachers and non teaching staff and alumnae. It proposes to bring out an e.book about the college.

### **CANTEEN COMMITTEE**

The College has a large canteen to meet the day-to-day requirements of students as well as college staff. The canteen is very clean space, has an aesthetic ambience and hygienic food items. The canteen is being managed through a contractor to meet the catering services.

Practically zero waste is being generated in the canteen. College also has a plant to convert bio-degradable waste into manure.

### **COUNSELLING CELL**

This year the main goals of the counseling Cell of Vivekananda College were to create awareness about mental health, to accept oneself, to work on different mental health issues, give one-to-one counselling sessions, to provide a comfortable space for students to talk freely. Various experiential activities were conducted under the guidance of Dr. Salma Seth, Convenor, and Ms. Mala Vohra Khanna, Clinical Psychologist along with the Student Coordinator, Yashika. Events like ‘World Mental Health Day’ were celebrated in the college along with students from different disciplines where an activity on “Love and Kindness” was organized for the students which involved picking up a ‘dare from a bowl’ of chits and they had to carry it out there only. For example, one student had the dare to call her loved one and say ‘I Love You’. Another student picked up a dare to buy a coffee/tea for anyone present there. Another task was to write a positive message/quote for the other students as their well-wishers.

“Self-talk activity” was conducted where students were shown mirrors and then asked to write under the sections ‘I AM--’, ‘I AM GRATEFUL FOR--’ and ‘MY BIGGEST FEAR--’; this was done to make these students know themselves better. Another activity was “Self-Love/Care” where students were asked to write down how they dealt with the physical, emotional, spiritual and social domains of self care. This was done to make the students aware about the new ways to deal with such common pressures.

Besides these activities, workshops were also held to create awareness about mental health issues and emotional well-being. Workshop on “Over thinking: How to Handle It” where the resource person Ms. Mala started by explaining the term ‘over thinking’ as well as its detrimental effects and how to cope with it. After conducting a short activity, she suggested some effective solutions to overcome over-thinking. Another workshop conducted was on the topic, “Trauma” where Ms. Mala Vohra Khanna first gave an introduction of the topic and then proceeded with the physical, emotional and psychological responses. She then explained the reasons behind this and its effects. Some students came forward to ask questions at the end of the workshop, too, to get a better understanding and to clear some doubts.

Future plans are made to promote physical, emotional and psychological well-being of students where topics such as stress, grief, nutritional health and other mental health issues would be taken up in workshops and activities.

### **ENTERPRENEURSHIP CELL**

The Entrepreneurship Cell of Vivekananda College, University of Delhi was established in 2022 to empower the skills of entrepreneurship in young minds of students of the college. To proceed on this mission, E-cell organized the following events during the year 2022-23:

- First Entrepreneur-Student Interaction session and its details:  
Title: Struggle Within & Without: The Journey of an Entrepreneur  
Date: 20<sup>th</sup> April, 2022  
Speakers:
  - Ms Monica Gupta (Digital Strategist, Eminent Achiever award in Integrated Marketing Communication).
  - Ms Aakriti (Entrepreneur, Owner of the brand BOGATCHI)

Summary of the interactive session:

- Ms Monica started the session by narrating her journey on being an entrepreneur. She explained the importance of focus, passion and discipline in the life of an entrepreneur. Ms Aakriti explained her business to students; and how to plan for any business was her main focus of the talk. She explained her journey as an entrepreneur as full of challenges turned into opportunities. After the speaker’s session, students interacted with both speakers on various issues related to the market opportunities, professional courses and how to start planning for any business.
- Second Entrepreneur-Student Interaction session and its details:



Title: Entrepreneur Interaction Session

Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2022

Speaker: Mr Shubham Maheshwari (Owner 'Being Chef')

Summary of Interactive Session:

- Mr. Shubham Maheshwari talked about his journey from Mechanical Engineer to an entrepreneur. He also talked about the different revenue streams and investments. Around 100 students participated in the event. The speech ended with some meaningful words of motivation and inspiration to the students which was further followed by a Q&A round.
- Third event: Workshop on generating business ideas:  
Title: Generating Business Idea  
Date: 27<sup>nd</sup> September, 2022  
Speakers:
  - Prof. SK Palhan, Founder Director of Great Lakes Institute of Management
  - Dr. S. Lakshmi Devi, Founder Principal -Shaheed Rajguru College of Applied Sciences for Women

Summary of the workshop:

- The speakers conducted the session and guided the students on how to generate business ideas. Various brain teaser activities such as puzzles, riddles and logic games were conducted to enhance student problem solving and critical thinking skills. Students were also given wasteful items to create a useful product. Around 30 students participated in the event. It was a fun workshop with a lot of learning and insight.

### **FEE CONCESSION AND STUDENT AID FUND COMMITTEE**

The main objective of the Committee is to recommend concessions in fee and fee waiver to the students who belong to economically weaker sections and also to students who have met with any causality making it difficult for them to continue their studies due to financial constraints. The students fill fee concession forms, which are scrutinized by this committee to filter deserving students. This committee also makes a decision regarding the Scholarship given to meritorious students.

- The committee has approved full fee waiver of 22 students who belong to economically weaker sections of society based on their incapability to pay the fees from the "Student Aid Fund" of the College.
- The decision regarding fee concession and student aid fund is under process.

**GANDHI STUDY CIRCLE COMMITTEE**

Gandhi Study Circle of Vivekananda College, University of Delhi, under the convenorship of Ms. Anita Bakshi from the Department of Mathematics and with the support of the committee members Dr. Deepa Varshney, Department of Music, Dr. Dilip Kumar Jaiswal, Department of Sanskrit, Mr. Amit Kumar, Department of English along with student coordinators of the committee organized the following set of events and programmes in the academic year 2022-23:

- “*Essay Writing Competition*” on the theme: ‘Gandhi and his Global Relevance’, held on 2 September, 2022 in the college premises.
- Participation in “*Sadbhavana Sammelan*” organized by Harijan Sevak Sangh at Gandhi Ashram, Kingsway Camp, New Delhi, on 24 September, 2022.
- “*Educational Trip to Gandhi Smriti and Darshan Samiti*”, Tees January Marg, New Delhi on 14 October, 2022.
- Part of “*2-Day National Student’s Seminar*” on ‘Decolonizing the Self: Issues and Perspectives’ held on 4 November, 2022.
- “*Poster-Making Competition*” on the theme: ‘Mahatma Gandhi’s Contribution to the Indian Freedom Struggle’, held on 15 February, 2023 in the college premises.

On 2 September, 2022, Gandhi Study Circle organized an intra-college “*Essay-Writing Competition*” on the theme, *Gandhi and his Global Relevance (Gandhi Aur Unki Vaishvik Prasangikta)*. 19 students registered for the competition out of which 8 participated. The topic for the competition was given on the spot. The participants were allowed to write either in Hindi or English. The time limit for the competition was 45 minutes. The result for the same was declared the following day in the presence of the Officiating Principal, Dr. Hina Nandrajog. Ms. Kanika Singh, a student of B.Sc. Honors Mathematics, III year, bagged the first position, Ms. Aliya Shahjahan from BA Programme, III year was declared second and Ms. Anjali from BA Honours Hindi, III year, got the third position, respectively. All the three winners were given cash prizes and certificates.

In the month of September, 2022, teachers and students from Gandhi Study Circle along with one non-teaching staff member from the college participated in “*Sadbhavana Sammelan*” organized by Harijan Sevak Sangh to commemorate the 90 anniversary of the founding of

Harijan Sevak Sangh by Mahatma Gandhi in 1932 at Gandhi Ashram, Kingsway Camp, New Delhi. Hon’ble Vice President of India, H. E. Shri Jagdeep Dhankar was the Chief Guest at the event alongside Prof. Dr. Shankar Kumar Sanyal, President, Harijan Sevak Sangh. 8 students from the college, 2 faculty members, namely Dr. Dilip Kumar Jaiswal and Mr. Amit Kumar, and one non-teaching staff member, Mr. Udayveer Singh, were present at the programme.

In the month of October, 2022, Gandhi Study Circle organized an “*Educational trip to Gandhi Smriti and Darshan Samiti*”, Tees January Marg, New Delhi comprising 51 college students and committee members. Gandhi Smriti, formerly known as Birla House, is a museum dedicated to Mahatma Gandhi where he spent the last 144 days of his life before his assassination on 30 January, 1948 at the same location. The bus carrying the enthusiasts

reached the venue at 12 noon where they were greeted and divided into two groups of 25 students each by two tour guides. The students were first taken to the Martyr's Column, the spot where Mahatma Gandhi was shot dead. Then the students were taken to the prayer area where Gandhiji would offer his daily prayers. The area and its walls were painted with stories from Mahatma's life which appeared like a motion picture on Gandhi's life. The students were then directed to the multimedia section of the museum which was prepared and designed from the funds of the Indian Government in 2005. The audio-visual technologies used to portray Gandhi's life and his teachings left an indelible mark on the psyche of the students. Later, the students headed towards the library which showcased the books of authors Gandhiji would read and his personal belongings. The trip was very successful in many respects as the students took away many lessons home from Gandhi's life and struggles and were left in awe of this great soul. Students were also provided refreshment on the way.

Gandhi Study Circle was also part of organizing a “2-Day National Students Seminar” on ‘Decolonizing the Self: Issues and Perspectives’, which was organized by the Vivekananda College under the aegis of DU Centenary Celebrations. On the second day (4 November, 2022) of the seminar, Professor Salil Misra delivered a keynote address on “Gandhi's Hind Swaraj: A Framework of Decolonization”. The session was chaired by Dr. Dilip Kumar Jaiswal. Professor Misra argued how Gandhi's *Hind Swaraj* was a tool to counter British imperial policies in India and elsewhere, and an attempt to create an indigenous resistance framework on native lines to mobilize the masses. After the tea-break, the participants presented their papers and the session ended with a vote of thanks to the keynote speaker.

On 15 February, 2023, a “Poster-making Competition” was organized by Gandhi Study Circle in the foyer area of the Big Auditorium. The theme for the said event was Mahatma Gandhi's Contribution to Indian Freedom Struggle (Mahatma Gandhi ka Swadhinta Andolan mein Yogdan). The judge for the event was Mr. Amit Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Vivekananda College. There were 12 registered entries out of which 8 students took part in the competition. The instructions were read out before the event and students were given the topic on the spot. The competition time was one hour. After the submission of entries, Mr. Amit Kumar (Economics) judged the three winners who were Ms. Aayushi Rajwar, first, from BA Honours English, III year; Ms. Ayushi Verma, second, from B. Com Programme II year, and Ms. Aditi Bajpai, third, from B.Sc. Honours Mathematics II year, respectively. The following day, the winners were awarded certificates and cash prizes each in the office of the Principal with the committee members present and they were

encouraged to take part in more such activities organized by the college in future. Also, the student coordinators for the said event, Ms. Ekta Sharma from the Department of Political Science and Ms. Umaima from the Department of Mathematics were handed certificates for coordinating the event.

In addition, the committee held regular meetings to discuss and plan out activities for the students.

#### **GARDEN COMMITTEE**

Our college has been privileged for having a sprawling 5506.27 sq meters of open landscape as Gardens. These gardens are an integral part of our college system. In addition to strategic plantation of trees and plants, colourful birds, butterflies, bees are the jewels of our gardens. Approximately 400 trees and plants belonging to 40 species can be seen in College gardens. To be specific, the College has tried to create addendums to our gardens, not only with the object of beautification but also value additions in the true sense of environmentally concerned organizations. Some of the highlights are:

- Herbal Gardens: Mother Nature's blessings in the form of some medicinal plants are maintained in our herbal gardens. Snake plants, Cardamom, Indian Winter Cherry, Aloe Vera, Cyperus Rotundas, Asparagus are some of them.
- Compost Pit: The garden waste is converted into compost and used in the gardens. The College has a compost pit which turns this waste into nourishments over a period of time. Additionally, a modern composting machine for turning waste into compost is also operational.
- Green House: For proper upkeep of indoor plants, the College has also got a Green House of approximate 400 square feet. It shelters varieties of Crotons, Dry cyenia plants.
- Nursery: The latest addition to our College is the Nursery. It has flower beds and planters like Roses, Hibiscus, Ficus Panda ready to be planted at different locations.
- Garden Tool Room: Regular maintenance of the gardens requires various tools and equipment, their storage, repairs, replacements are done as per need. A proper room is provided to their storage and all norms of DoPT are adhered for repairs, maintenance and new purchases of tools and equipment. Recently all pipelines of the Gardens were replaced.

Composition of Committee: The garden-related work is handled by a Committee of teachers comprising of Dr. Shubhashri Bose (Convenor), Dr. Amit (Hindi), Dr. Omvir Singh and Dr. Uday Singh Meena. Support from the College office for garden related administrative functions are efficiently handled by Mr. Naresh and Mr. Shravan. The College gardeners are Mr. Ram Charit, Mr. Praduman and Mr. Mangal Dass (permanent staff) and Outsourced staff – Mr. Dharampal and Mr. Lallan. A team of student volunteers are Ms. Ekta Sharma, Ms Sakshi, Ms. Priya, Ms. Shreya, Ms. Monika and Ms. Yennie.

Student Related Activities: For imbibing and inculcating a feeling connecting to nature the committee organised a PPT competition on 'Bio-Diversity In India' in March 2022, a speech

competition in September 2022 in addition to the annual 'Vriksharopan' – during monsoons with the saplings provided to us by the Garden Committee of the University; plantations of flowering plants are done in November. A Garden Décor Making Competition was also held in February 2023. The annual garden festival 'Dhaani' was celebrated.

Awards: Our College gardens were honoured with a certificate and trophy as the best institutional gardens by Indraprastha Horticulture Society at Annual Indraprastha Flower Show 2023.

#### **INTERNAL COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE (ICC)**

The Internal Complaints Committee against Sexual Harassment of Vivekananda College, organized a workshop on Gender Sensitization and Responsible Behaviour at Workplace titled “Sexual Harassment Awareness Training: Empowering Women” in its effort to generate awareness amongst women students about identifying and reporting incidents of sexual misconduct and empowering them through corrective information. The ICC invited Dr. Chandrika Gulati, Convenor/Presiding Officer of ICC and Associate Professor at Deshbandhu College and Dr. Surabhi Gulati, Teacher Coordinator, ICC and Associate Professor at Deshbandhu College as resource persons to conduct the workshop for students and staff (Teaching and Non-Teaching) of Vivekananda College on 31 January 2023. Deshbandhu College also brought 9 student coordinators: Tanisha, Nikhil, Yuvraj, Mohd. Ayaan, Biswajit, Parnavi, Sneha, Swati and Saumya Singh. The Teacher Coordinators for the event were Mrs. Vinay Trehan (Convenor), Dr. Muskaan and Mr. Arunabha Bose. The student coordinator was Ms. Aatika Javed. The workshop was attended by 132 students.

### **INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)**

- On the Occasion of the Centenary Celebrations of University of Delhi and ‘Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav’, Vivekananda College library under the aegis of IQAC and in collaboration with ‘Indian Library Association’ (ILA) organized an Online One-day National Seminar on “Information Literacy Skills” on 17<sup>th</sup> August 2022. The Chief Guest was Dr. Rajesh Singh (University Librarian, University of Delhi) and Guest of Honor was Dr. Pardeep Rai (Sr. Vice President (ILA) & Librarian (Prof.) Maitreyi College, University of Delhi). The event began with the address and welcome note of Dr. Rajni Jindal (College Librarian). There were three sessions on the following themes: Information Literacy & Search Strategies; Open Access Scholarly Resources & Basic Plagiarism Ethics and Government initiatives for e-resources and their Access.
- Online lecture on “Use of Official Language Hindi: Challenges and Solutions” was organized on 15 September 2022. The programme was coordinated by Dr. Meena Pandey (Assistant Professor, Department of Hindi) and Ms. Sheena Lama (Assistant Professor, Department of English). It was organized to promote the implementation of the official language, Hindi, and discuss the problems faced regarding its use and the possible solutions for the same. Prof. Kumud Sharma (Professor, Department of Hindi, University of Delhi and Officiating Director, Hindi Medium Implementation, University of Delhi) was invited as the speaker to grace the event.

**INFORMATICA** – The IT society in collaboration with IQAC of the college organized a speaker session on the occasion of National Unity Day (31 September 2022). The theme was “Career Opportunities in Information Technology.”

- A Workshop on “Orientation to Placement” was organized on 8 November, 2022 by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Vivekananda College in collaboration with Catch A Cloud and HuntOver4U to orient students about placements. The speaker of the session was Ms. Anju Sharma, Founder-Huntover4u. The session was very interactive and emphasis was made to make students aware about various placement opportunities available for graduate students. A detailed discussion was held by the speaker with students about their doubts, interests in various fields and their future plans. 36 students attended this workshop. The session was ended with vote of thanks by IQAC Convenor, Dr. Vanita Sondhi. The event was coordinated by Dr. Shafaq Zareen.



- College of Business, University of Buraimi, Oman in collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Vivekananda College, organized an International Workshop on “Qualitative Research, NVIVO and Publishing in High indexed Journals” on 24-26 November 2022. During this workshop, different aspects of qualitative research and publication in high indexed journals were discussed. A total of 270 participants from 14 countries participated in this workshop. The resource person’s team was spearheaded by Dr. Sumit Narula. Dr. Sumit is the Editor-in-Chief, *Journal of Content, Community and Communication*, a Scopus indexed journal. He is also Brand Ambassador for Asia Pacific of Emerald Publishing. In the three days of the workshop series, different aspects of qualitative research along with the prominent software like N-Vivo and tools to detect fake and predatory journals were discussed.

### MENTORING PROGRAMME COMMITTEE

The following initiatives have been taken by the Mentoring committee for the students:

- The committee in association with the Department of Applied Psychology organized a lecture on “Mindfulness-based Strategies for Career Success” on 1 October 2022. Dr. Tushar Singh, Assistant Professor, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi was the speaker. The workshop was well attended by students as well as faculty members.
- In collaboration with MentorW, an interactive session for students was held on 10 November 2022. The topic of the session was “Building Personal and Professional Life” and the mentors for the session were Ms. Geeta Jain and Ms. Indrani Maitra.
- The committee has also created a google form for feedback from students about mentoring received, which has been given to the admin to be circulated via whatsapp amongst student groups.
- All departments have sent their updated mentor-mentee list. Few individual teachers and some departments have also submitted their mentoring report for the last semester.

### NSS ASSISTANCE (NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME)

‘It is a privilege to serve mankind, for this is the worship of god, god is here, in all these human souls.’ Living upto the values of Swami Vivekananda, NSS Vivekananda Unit has

taken up many initiatives to make a little contribution towards making this world a better place.

‘Education through Service’ is the purpose of the NSS. The ideological orientation of the NSS is inspired by the ideals of Mahatma Gandhi. Very appropriately, the motto of NSS is “NOT ME, BUT YOU”. An NSS volunteer places the ‘community’ before ‘self’.

NSS organized as well as volunteered in various events such as Corona Vaccination Camps, Blood Donation Drive with Lions Club, Tiranga Yatra from the main campus of the University of Delhi, Tiranga Yatra with DTU, Nehru Yuva Festival, cleanliness drive at college, Nukkad natak on acid attack on Indian women, cloth donation drive, old age home visit, Aadi Mahotsav, Collaboration with NSUT for plough run as well as cleanliness drive, 5



day programme for primary caregiver at Swabhiman Parisar, inauguration of hockey stadium, Holi festival at Swabhiman Parisar, Constitution Day, etc.

### **PUBLICATION COMMITTEE**

The Publication Committee of Vivekananda College has the following faculty members: Dr. Meena Pandey, Dr. Kamini Taneja, Mr. Yumnam Rocky, Ms. Kanika Kumar with Dr. Nalini Gandhi Kapoor as the Convenor. The committee primarily works to provide an academic platform for the students to showcase their artistic and creative talents. Every year, the committee has been publishing an online E-magazine titled ISHA. The theme of the magazine this year is “Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam” or “One Earth. One Family. One Future” to honour the G20 Presidency for India. The aim of the editorial team of the magazine is to provide the best content to the readers in a creative way, making it possible for them to read and imagine. It also works in preparing and publishing the annual report of the college. The names for the student editorial board are as follows:

- For English
  - Priya Jain, B.A. (H) English, II Year
  - Jaza Mahajan, B.A. (H) English, II Year
  - Aradhna Maurya, B.A. (H) English, II Year
  - Akansha, B.A. (P), II Year
  - Kirti Gupta, B.A. (P), III Year
- For French
  - Manya, B.A. (P) II Year
  - Olivia Sarkar, B.A. (P), II Year
  - Ritu Tomar, B.A. (P), II Year
  - Mehak Malik, B.A. (P), II Year
- For Hindi
  - Neha, B.A. (H) Hindi, II Year
  - Chandni Mehto, B.A. (H) Hindi, II Year
  - Jhankar Dogra, B.A. (H) Hindi, III Year
  - Shikha, B.A. (H) Hindi, III Year
  - Shivani Tomar, B.A. (H) Hindi, III Year
- For Sanskrit
  - Anu, B.A. (H) Sanskrit, II Year
  - Priyanka, B.A. (H) Sanskrit, II Year
  - Nandini, B.A. (H) Sanskrit, II Year
  - Sakshi, B.A. (H) Sanskrit, III Year

The committee also organized activities with an objective to enhance a competitive spirit in the artistic expressions of students. A creative writing competition was organized on 11 November 2022. The themes of the competition were ‘Cultural Diversity: Challenges and Opportunities’, ‘Importance of Yoga and Mental Health’, ‘Role of Women in Nation Building’ and ‘Where there is a Will, There is a Way’. And the winners of the competition are as follows:

- 1st position - a) Priya Jain, B.A. (H) II year

- b) Kshma Tiwari, B.A. (P) III year
- 2nd position - a) Vidhi Bhardwaj , B.A. (H) III year  
b) Prisha Madhok , B.A. (P) III year
- 3rd position - Mahi, B.A. (P) III year
- Consolation - Anshi Saxena, B.A. (P) II year

### RESULT ANALYSIS COMMITTEE

The Committee analyzed the result of May/June Examination 2021 of I, II and III year batches. The Table (enclosed at the end of the Annual Report) shows the number of students obtaining: Distinction (equal to or more than 75%), First Division (equal to or more than 60% and less than 50%), Second Division (equal to or more than 50%, but less than 60%), Third Division (equal to or more than 50%, but less than 60%).

### SOCIAL OUTREACH AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

The Social Outreach and Community Development Committee (SOCDC), Vivekananda College has partnered with Slum Swaraj Foundation (SSF) and Delhi Legal State Authority (DLSA). This committee focusses on bringing awareness among the children, open avenues of opportunities along with self-development and reduce inter-generational academic poverty by conducting regular educational camps for the slum children in Jhilmil Colony. The committee is also spreading awareness about social and legal issues and develop appropriate social values as well as responsibilities in all sections of society. Activities of this session are:

- On 25 July 2022, a “Karkardooma Court Visit”, Shadhara District, Delhi was organized for the students of Vivekananda college. Students visited family court, Civil Court, E-Court and Mahila Court. Students had a conversation with LD. Secretary, DLSA / Legal Service Advocate.
- A “Donation Drive” of stationery items such as books, pencils, colors, erasers and notebooks was held between 24 August 2022 and 31 August 2022. The collected items were later distributed in the Jhilmil camp.
- In collaboration with Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, SSF volunteers conducted a “Survey in Patparganj Slum” on 31 August 2022. 16 student volunteers and 2 faculty members (Dr. Gargi Sengupta and Mr. Jaspartap Singh) visited the area.
- After the pandemic, on 2 September 2022, the volunteers visited the Jhilmil Camp and started offline classes again (Monday to Saturday).
- SOCDC, in association with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Intellectual Property Management Nagpur, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, GoI and Intellectual Property Rights Training, organized an “online workshop” on “Intellectual Property Rights – Patent and Designs Filing” for students and faculty members on 16 September 2022.
- On 21 October 2022, SSF volunteers celebrated “Diwali” with the children of Jhilmil Colony. Activities like painting of diyas, singing and dancing were conducted.
- On 14 November 2022 “Children’s Day” was celebrated in the Jhilmil Camp with a cake cutting.
- SOCDC Volunteers in association with BHARAT SOKA GAKKAI (BSG) conducted an “Exhibition on the theme SEEDS OF HOPE & ACTION” in Vivekananda College between 12-13 January, 2023.

- 25 January 2023, “Republic Day” was celebrated in the Jhilmil Camp.
- A seminar was organized on “Rights of the Acid Attack Victims and Services”, in collaboration with District Election Officer, District Shahdara on 1 February 2023 to create awareness regarding laws and acid attack services.
- On 10 February, 2023, volunteers set up a “Game stall” to collect some funds for the camp.
- In collaboration with District Election Officer, District Shahdara and under the banner of LEAP, an “Add-on Course” of 10 hours on “Legal Awareness” was started on 21 February 2023. The session is still going on.

### SPORTS COMMITTEE

The Sports Committee, Vivekananda College (DU), has the following members: Dr. Ranjeeta Phukan (Convenor) and Mr. Gagan Pahwa, Mr. Arabind Kumar and Mr. Jaspertap Singh as members

Following are the activities/programmes conducted by the Sports Committee from April 2022 to March 2023.

S.No.	Activities/Programme/Participation/Competitions
1.	Programmes Organized by Sports Committee
2.	Details of Students Participation in Sports Events
3.	Facilities Provided/Recommended by Sports Committee:
4.	Recommendation of sports students for annual sports awards for the year 2022-23.

- International Yoga Day Celebration on 21 June 2022 in Vivekananda College. The Sports committee of Vivekananda College, University of Delhi in collaboration with NSS, Vivekananda College celebrated International Yoga Day on 21 June, 2022 at 8 am in Vivekananda College garden. The event started with an introduction to Yoga – A way to Healthy Lifestyle and Wellness. Yogasans were demonstrated that targetted five common lifestyle physical problems. Various postures were demonstrated as part of skill display. Yoga students also explained and performed the correct yogasan and related health benefits. Approx 100 students and college staff members participated in the event. The event concluded with the speech of Officiating Principal – Dr.HinaNandrajog. She expressed her gratitude to students for conducting the event and also expressed her pleasure on the progress of yoga students. Refreshment to all the participants was served after the event.
- National Sports Day celebration on 29 August 2022 at the Hockey Turf, Vivekananda College. The National Sports Day is celebrated on 29 August, on the birth anniversary of the legendary hockey player, Major Dhyan Chand who won gold medals in Olympics for India in the years 1928, 1932 and 1936. All sports students were addressed by the sports committee and the importance of sports and fitness in daily life was emphasized. Yoga students gave a small performance showcasing their skill and art.

- Inter College Yoga Competition on 21 September 2022. An Inter College event was organized in which 8 teams from various Universities of Delhi Colleges participated. The External Judge was Mr. Rahul Kumar. The positions were:
  1. Vivekananda College – First Prize
  2. Shyama Prasad Mukhrjee College – Second Prize
  3. PGDAV (Evening) – Third Prize
- Run for Unity week Celebrations, 25-31 October 2022, at ITI Lawns, ITI VivekVihar, Delhi-110095. The Run for Unity week was celebrated across India from 25 to 31 October 2022. 25 College Sports students from all disciplines (Yoga, Hockey, Athletics, Basketball, Kabaddi) participated in the event. College students ran a 2 km run along with students of ITI- VivekVihar at ITI lawns. The event was addressed by the Principal, ITI Vivek Vihar and participants were addressed on the importance of National Unity.
- Hockey Team Match: Inauguration of Vivekananda College Hockey Turf on 4 November 2022. This Hockey Astroturf was made with the funds allocated by the Hon'ble Speaker of the Delhi Vidhan Sabha, Mr. Ram Niwas Goel. On the occasion of inauguration of the newly laid Hockey Turf, the Deputy Chief Minister of Governemnt of NCT of Delhi, Mr. Manish Sisodia graced the event. The Sports Committee organized a friendly hockey match between Vivekananda College hockey team and East Delhi girl's hockey club. After the match all hockey players were distributed caps as a token of appreciation and refreshment by the Sports Committee, Vivekananda College.
- Run for Nation was organized to mark the Birth Anniversary of Bharat Ratan, Late Sh. Atal Bihari Vajpayee on 25 December 2022 at 7 am from Gate No-1, Vivekananda College, Delhi-110095. Unity Run was organized by Toppers Education Society in collaboration and support from Vivekananda College. 40 sports students from various sports participated in the run. All the participants were distributed T-Shirts, certificates and refreshments after the event.
- Student Participation in various University Sports events:
  - 2 students won silver medal in 100 meters and shot put event in an Inter-college event organized at CWG stadium on 23 March 2023.
  - College Sprint Team won Gold medal in 4\*100 meter event in an Inter College event organized at CWG stadium on 23 March 2023.
  - The College Kabaddi Team won Gold Medal in an Inter College event organized at Noida Stadium on 24 March 2023.
  - 10 students participated in University Hockey Team trials for North Zone Inter-varsity Tournament and 2 students – Diya and Khushi Panwar were selected in the University of Delhi women Hockey Team.
  - 2 students participated in University Swimming Team trialsfor the North Zone Inter-varsity Tournament.
  - 12 students participated in University Athletics Team Trials for the North Zone Inter-varsity Tournament.

- The College Handball Team participated in the Inter College Women Handball Competition on 6 February 2023 held at Rugby Ground, University of Delhi.
- Facilities Provided/Recommended by Sports Committee:
  - An Athletics Training Academy –“Multi Trainer Academy” is running since August 2022 where all sports students are getting fitness training and special training is given to college athletics students.
  - Hockey Turf was made functional with 12 students coming regularly for practice from 7:30 am to 9:30 am.
  - A space was earmarked for yoga practice and 25 students are coming regularly for morning practice from 8 am to 9 am. Yoga Society “SOHO” gets constant support from the Sports Committee for all their requirements.
  - College Hockey Team sports dress, Hockey goalkeeper kit, College Kabaddi Team sports dress, College Athletics sports dress was provided to all respective teams.
  - After-practice diet for sports students was regularized from the month of March 2022. A supplementary diet menu with each sports student getting energy drinks and seasonal fruits is given to replenish necessary nutrition.
  - Among the existing sports students, the Sports Committee has identified 12 elite sports students as per their performance in the last six months. These 12 elite performers are given an extra protein diet 4 times a week.
  - New sports room facility with lockers and changing rooms was made functional from March 2022.
- Recommendation of sports students for Annual Sports Awards for the year 2022-23:

1. Recommendation for the scholarship (newly introduced) Best Sports Person for the year 2022-23.:

S. No	Name	College Roll no	Course/Programme	Sport	Recommendation
1	Manisha Sharma	2020241	B.A. (P) III year	Kabaddi+Athletics	Best sports person of the year

2. Recommendation for cash prize of Rs. 1,500/- per student for exemplary performance in Athletics and Kabaddi tournament for the year 2022-23.

S. No	Name	College Roll no	Course/Programme	Sport	Recommendation
1	Isha Singh Pradhan	2021723	B.A. (Hons) Pol.Sc.	Kabaddi+ Athlectis	1500/-
2	Vaishali	20201046	B.A. (P)	Kabaddi+ Athlectis	1500/-
3	Tarana Khan	2021646	B.A. (Hons.) Hindi	Kabaddi+ Athlectis	1500/-

4.	Kaushiki	2022047	B.A. (P)	Kabaddi+ Athlectis	1500/-
5	Muskan	2021729	B.A. (Hons) Pol.Sc.	Kabaddi+ Athlectis	1500/-

3. Recommendation for S. Neela Scholarship Prize of Rs. 1,100/- for the year 2022-23.

S. No	Name	College Roll no	Course/Programme	Sport	Recommendation
1	MehakBaid	20201059	B.A. (P)	Yoga	1100/-

4. Recommendation for cash prize of 1,100/- for winning gold medal in Inter College Kabaddi Tournament (24/03/2023) the year 2022-23.

S. No	Name	College Roll no	Course/Programme	Sport	Recommendation
1	Sneha	2022097	B.A. (P)	Kabaddi	1100/-
2	Priyanka Kothari	2022430	B.A. (Hons.) Hindi	Kabaddi	1100/-
3	Deepali	2021857	B.A. (P)	Kabaddi	1100/-
4	Deepali Sharma	2021175	B.A. (P)	Kabaddi	1100/-
5	Ruchi Yadav	2021632	B.A. (Hons.) Hindi	Kabaddi	1100/-

5. Recommendation for cash prize of 1,100/- for taking initiative to make a college team (Handball & Basketball) and participating in Inter College and Inter State tournament for the year 2022-23.

S. No	Name	College Roll no	Course/Programme	Sport	Recommendation
1	Ranu Singh	2021298	B.Com (P)	Handball	1100/-
2	Vanshika Sharma	2021508	B.Com (H)	Basketball	1100/-

6. Recommendation for cash prize of Rs 1,100/- per student for selection in University of Delhi women Hockey team for the year 2022-23.

S. No	Name	College Roll no	Course/Programme	Sport	Recommendation
1	Diya	2021229	B.Com. (P)	Hockey	1100/-
2	KhushiPanwar	2022501	B.A. (Hons) Pol. Sc.	Hockey	1100/-



**STUDENTS' UNION ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT**

After the terrible onslaught of the pandemic, the Students' Union Advisory Committee organized its first offline event with the reopening of the college. "Women's Day" was organised on 8 March 2022 on the open stage. Umaima, Priyanshi and Mitushi were the student coordinators for the same. Stalls were also put up by the DM's Office, Shahdara, across the college. The event was a success, with performances by various cultural societies including speeches, poetry, music and energetic dances. At the end, Ms. Pranjal Patil, DM Shahdara, also addressed the students.

As part of the Azaadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, the Students' Union Advisory Committee, Vivekananda College, University of Delhi organized "Independence Day" on 15 August 2022 from 10 a.m. onwards on Google Meet platform. The event was also streamed live on Youtube. The event was hosted by Dr. Chaandreyi Mukherjee, Assistant Professor, Department of English and was anchored by Gaurangi and Mehak, students of Eco Club. Many cultural societies showcased their performances and a video capturing all the activities held during Independence Week 2022 in College was created by Clickomania, the Photograpahy Society and was played for the audience.

The Committee also facilitated an entertaining "Teachers' Day" celebrations on 5 September 2022 in the Sharda Hall where students expressed their gratitude for their beloved teachers.

The Committee organised "Hunar" – the Intra College Talent Competition for the first year students in the offline mode. After the first (quiz) round on 12 December 2022, seventeen students were selected for the second (talent) round. The talent round took place on 20 December 2022 in the Sharda Hall where students showcased their versatility through dancing, singing, playing musical instruments, painting, mehendi desgining, etc. The event was anchored by Sana Ubaid, student of Department of English, and was judged by Mrs. Seema Taneja, Dr. Anjana Kumari and Dr. Chaandreyi Mukherjee. A total of 14 students were selected for the final (situational) round which was held on 6 January 2023 in the Sharda Hall. The event was coordinated by Dr. Chaandreyi Mukherjee, anchored by Divyanshi, student of Elective English, and judged by Dr. Meena Pandey, Dr. Anchala Paliwal, and Dr. Shivani Dubey. Many first year students also showcased their performances as fillers and greatly entertained the audience. Neelakshi was awarded Miss Hunar 2022-23.

As part of the Azaadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, the Committee organized "Republic Day" on 26 January 2023. The students of the cultural societies of the college came together to infuse a spirit of patriotism through various activities and performances. The programme was greatly appreciated by everybody.

The Committee organised "Pallavi – the Annual Cultural Festival" on 12 and 13 January 2023. The theme of the event was 'Adbhut Bharat' and all the cultural societies of the college organised inter-college competitions. It was a truly joyous occasion for students and teachers. The Committee organised a "Freshers Party & Fete" on 10 February 2023. The event was coordinated by Dr. Chaandreyi Mukherjee (teacher coordinator) and Umaima and Mitushi (student coordinators). It was anchored by Bhavika and Diksha. Stalls belonging to young entrepreneurs of the college were set up throughout the campus. A cultural programme was held on the open stage where many students performed dance, music, poetry, etc. The

Committee also coordinated with the Garden Committee who felicitated gardeners and individuals involved for keeping the college campus beautiful and green.

### **VIDYA VISTAR SCHEME (V2 SCHEME) AND NEP**

A National Seminar “United Colours of Languages and NEP 2020” was successfully organized jointly by Vidya Vistar Committee and NEP Committee of Vivekananda College in collaboration with Government Model College, Deithor, Assam on 27 April 2022. Shri Atul Kothari ji was the Hon’ble Chief Guest. Prof Jyoti Prasad Saikia (Hon. Vice Chancellor), Prof. Balram Pani, Prof Ratnabali were the Guests of Honour. Dr Kumud Khanna (Director, Retd. Institute of Home Economics, DU), Prof Vimal Rarh ((Joint Diirector GAD-TLC), Prof Rajeev RR (International Centre for Free and Open Source Software), Dr. Saguna Diwan (Scientist, Inovation Protection Unit, CSIR) were the key invited speakers. Oral paper presentations were also made by several faculty members and scholars.

### **VIVEKANANDA COMMITTEE**

“Swami Vivekananda Jayanti” was celebrated with great enthusiasm on 12 January 2023 from 10 a.m. onwards in the Sharda Hall of Vivekananda College. The event started with an invocation and Vedic hymns by the students. Dr. Neeta Mathur, Convenor of Vivekananda Committee welcomed the Chief Guest, Swami Nityadipanandaji, senior monk from the Ramakrishna Mission and spoke on Swamiji’s association with music and fine arts. Swamiji presented a lecture on Vivekananda ji’s life and philosophy.

The programme also included the reading of passages from Vivekananda’s speeches, a photo exhibition and a power point presentation on the life and teachings of Swami Vivekananda. This programme concluded with an impressive short play on Swamiji’s life by the students of Buniyad, the Nukkad Natak Society of the college. Shaily Khare and Kaumudi anchored the programme and Ekta Sharma and Navtika Saksena were student coordinators. The programme was coordinated by teacher coordinators Dr. Vivek Gupta and Ms. Preeti Chhachhia under the guidance of committee Convenor, Dr. Neeta Mathur.

### **WEBSITE COMMITTEE**

Having a strong online presence is essential for any institution in the digital age. The committee worked arduously to get a new website made. It took a lot of effort to conceptualize and visualize the same. An updated website was jointly envisaged very carefully with clearly organized information, including all the directives and mandatory requirements given by the UGC and the University of Delhi. A detailed framework kept in accordance with the NAAC metrics was developed. From the selection of appropriate images, the organization of relevant information in each tab, highlighting the advancements and achievements of the college, giving due representation to student activities, seeking required, verified information, and the final layout of the website – the dedication and perseverance of the committee made it possible to launch a new website. This bilingual website of the college was launched in online mode. The Chief Guest of the event was Prof. Balram Pani, Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi. He launched the website through Google Meet. (<https://meet.google.com/eca-miwu-piy>).

The website has been designed with our young, tech-savvy generation in mind. Great care was taken to ensure that the site is user-friendly, easy to navigate, and provides all the information quickly that our students need to make informed decisions about the college and its facilities etc.

One of the key features of our new website is its responsive design. This means that the site is optimized for viewing on a wide range of devices, including desktops, laptops, tablets, and smartphones. This will enable everyone to access our website from wherever they are, whenever they want, using whichever device is convenient for them. Maintaining a dynamic website means that the committee will continue to add and revamp information on a routine basis. In addition to these features, our new website also includes a range of other enhancements, such as faster load times, streamlined information, and more detailed information about the college and activities.

We believe that these improvements will help to provide a better experience for all, serve its purposes, and continue to evolve to keep pace with the changing times.

### **WOMEN'S DEVELOPMENT CELL**

The Women Development Cell of Vivekananda College, University of Delhi, organized an inter-college competition, 'Who Run the World 2.0' on 14 October 2022 under the aegis of Delhi University Centenary Celebrations. The theme for this competition was to celebrate inspiring women of the Indian society. The event unfolded the creative and confident side of the participants as they dressed up and enacted the diverse personalities of women like Jeejabai, Rani Laxmi Bai, Draupadi, Medusa, and many more. The sufferings, strengths, valour, intellect, achievements, sentiments, etc. of the chosen real and fictional women were addressed by the performers through extraordinary concepts. The participants were given three minutes each to present themselves on the stage, and the top three winners received cash prizes of Rs. 2,000/-, Rs. 1,500/-, and Rs. 1,000/-, respectively. The competition was anchored by students, Shaily Khare and Deepti Pandey and organised by the WDC Convenor, Dr. Sandhya Sharma and members, Dr. Anchala Paliwal, Dr. Chaandreyi Mukherjee and Dr. Shikha Garg. Dr. Rachna Bimal, Professor, Department of Hindi, Satyawati College, University of Delhi and Ms. Priya Sharma, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Vivekananda College, University of Delhi, were the judges for the competition. Students and teachers of Vivekananda College attended the event enthusiastically. As the scores were collated, Dr. Rachna Bimal addressed the audience with her insights on the theme and remarks for the performers. The competition was an enthralling experience for the performers as well as the audience.

### **WORKLOAD & TIMETABLE COMMITTEE**

The Workload and Time-Table Committee facilitates implementation of the curricula of various courses prescribed by the University of Delhi. Due to COVID-19 pandemic, the academic sessions for different years commence at different intervals and it was a challenge for the Committee to supervise the workload of all the departments and ensure balanced timetables. All the Committee members made all possible efforts to synchronize the overlapping schedules of examination and teaching.

The most challenging job was to comprehend the modalities of NEP which was to be implemented for Semester I students. Dr. Hina Nandrajog, the Officiating Principal, Dr. Yojna Kalia, Dr. Ratish Kumar Jha and Mr. Devender Kumar, along with the Convener, Dr. Sandhya Sharma and other members analyzed the complexities of the NEP structure. The Committee explained the structure and courses as per the given credit scores in various meetings with the Teachers-in-Charge and the Staff Council convened for this purpose. After the commencement of Semester I, google forms were circulated to seek options for Skill Enhancement Courses and Value Addition Courses. The critical aspect was to fix multiple slots for B.A. R(Programme) having major and minor options and for Generic Elective and Skill Enhancement Courses. The members also attended guidance and counselling sessions for implementing the NEP. The Workload & Time-tables submitted by all the departments were cross-checked by the Committee. The NEP schedule was successfully implemented after rigorous exercise during 2022-23.

### **CULTURAL SOCIETIES/CLUBS**

#### **ART AND CRAFT SOCIETY (KALAKRITI)**

The Art & Craft society conducted and organized the following events under the guidance of Dr. Shahnaz Begum.

- Decoration for Pride Jashan on 30 June 2022 in collaboration with the Creative Writing society (Ehsaas) for a Pride parade that was held on 30 June 2022. The team decorated the hall and face painting was also done by members of Kalakriti.
- “Organized Abstract Art Competition on 8 August 2022 on the occasion of Independence Day.
- “Decoration for Teacher’s Day on 5 September 2022.
- “Decoration and Face Painting for Prabha Event on 23 September 2022. The Members of society decorated for the event and also created rangoli in front of Sharda Hall. A face painting stall was also set up by the society members.
- “Set up Face Painting Stall in Meraki Event on 13 October 2022 that was organized by Convocare Society.
- Conducted Lippan Art Workshop on 19 October 2022, which is a beautiful artform created with mud and mirrors.
- Put up a stall in Diwali Carnival on 20 October 2022 of acrylic tattoo designing and face painting in Lingaya’s Lalita Devi Institute of Management and Science.
- Organized a Folk Art Competition on 27 October 2022 on the occasion of National Unity Day. The theme of the competition was the integrity and culture of India. The winners of competition were Vamika, Aayushi and Simardeep.
- Conducted Phad Painting Workshop on 29 October 2022, which is a beautiful traditional art form from Rajasthan.
- Created Rangoli for the inaugural programme of the Hockey Astro turf on 4 November 2022.
- Created Rangoli for Alumni Meet on 5 November 2022.
- Held Kala-ethos – The Art and Craft Exhibition on 5 November 2022. Different types of art such as canvas painting, tote bags, hand created jewellery, etc. were showcased by the members.

- Decoration for Spicy Macy Event on 7 November 2022 in which a Gurbani Recital was made.
- Participated in Cultural Day on 15 November 2022 and set up a face painting stall, doodle painting board and showcased their artworks in the Cultural Day celebration. Decoration of the open stage was also done.
- Conducted an Orientation session on 17 December 2022 for freshers to introduce them to the society and its work.
- Decoration for Vivekananda Jayanti and Annual Fest – Pallavi on 12 January 2023.
- Organized Mehendi Competition on 12 January 2023 under the annual fest Pallavi. Various students from different colleges showed their enthusiasm in this competition and created beautiful mehendi designs. The winners of competition were Ilma, Swasti and Mitushi.
- Organized Rangoli Making Competition on 12 January 2023 on the theme ‘Adbhut Bharat’ under the Pallavi Fest. The winners of competition were Lipika, Jayant and Riddhi.
- Organized Painting Competition on 13 January 2023 on the theme ‘Adbhut Bharat’ under the Pallavi Fest. There were 14 participants from different colleges in the competition. The winners of competition were Nancy, Kriti and Sapna.
- Conducted Auditions on 1 February 2023. Freshers created beautiful painting and craft work in the auditions.
- Ayushi Verma and Karishma secured 3rd position in face painting competition at Delhi Technological University, Rohini (DTU) on 11 February 2023.
- Simardeep Kaur, Jaza Mahajan, Tejaswi Chaudhary and Aastha Rajput secured 1st Position in Graffiti Competition at Kalindi College on 15th February 2023 in their Annual Fest.
- Created beautiful photography-themed rangoli for Click o’mania (Photography society) workshop on 17 February 2023.
- Created rangoli for DLSA event on 21 February 2023.
- Decoration and rangoli at Swabhiman Parisar on 7 March 2023 for an event. Certificates, medals and stipend were provided to students.
- Created Rangoli for G-20 Summit on 22 March 2023 on the theme “Vasudev Kutumbakam”.
- Participated at workshop organized by Culture Council, DU from 21 to 23 March 2023. Ayushi Verma, a member of Kalakriti society attended a 3-day workshop on Drawing and Painting hosted by Sidharth, Zen artist and sculptor.

### **CREATIVE WRITING SOCIETY (EHSAAS)**

- The Creative Writing Club, Ehsaas of Vivekananda College organized a creative writing competition called “Prompting Patriotism” on 8 August 2022, Monday. It was an Inter-college Competition and 16 students registered for the event through the registration link. Ms. Ekta Sharma and Ms. Jahanvi Wadhwa were the student coordinators. Mr. Arunabha Bose was the Teacher Coordinator for the event.
- Ehsaas organized a “Registration and Orientation Programme” to enlist newly admitted I year students on 15 November 2022. Ms. Ekta Sharma and Ms. Palak Bhatia were the student coordinators.



- Ehsaas organized a Graffiti Competition, “Adbhut Bharat” on 12 January 2023 as part of the college Annual Cultural Festival, Pallavi 2023. Participants were given 4 topics on the spot and one and a half hour from the time of commencement to complete their artwork. Participants were adjudged based on the visual impact, originality and thematic adherence of their artwork. The artwork was displayed outside the walls of the College Staff Room. The internal judge for the event was Dr. Rupalee Verma, Associate Professor of History at Vivekananda College and the External Judge was Dr. Rachna Sethi, Associate Professor of English at Rajdhani College, University of Delhi. The winners for the event were: Shikha from Daulat Ram College (First Prize), Ritik Sharma from Bhim Rao Ambedkar College (Second Prize) and Umme Kulsum from Vivekananda College (Third Prize). Ms. Ekta Sharma and Ms. Jhanvi Wadhwa were the student coordinators for the event. Dr. Ratish Chandra Jha, Dr. Omvir Singh and Mr. Arunabha Bose were the Teacher Coordinators.

### DEBATING SOCIETY (ÉNNOIA)

- The Debating Society of Vivekananda College, University of Delhi, organized an “Inter College Turncoat Debate Competition” conducted on 26 September 2022. As part of Azaadi ka Amrut Mahotsav, the topic was “Developing Nations Need Strong Dictatorship” in which participants had to present their views both for and against the topic as per the format of the Turncoat. More than 55 participants had registered and for the competition, 22 students from colleges across University of Delhi were selected. This was a completely new and exciting format where the students had two minutes to frame their points. Then they were required to speak one minute for and one minute against the motion. The competition was anchored by Nidhi Manuja and Hemayushi Gupta, members of Énnoia. Ms. Deboraisha Dutta, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Law, The NorthCap University, Gurgaon and Mr. Abhishek Bhaskar, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Vivekananda College, University of Delhi were the judges of the event.
- Shaily Khare and Deepti Pandey, members of Énnoia, anchored the “Who Run the World 2.0” competition organised by the WDC on 14 October 2022.
- Énnoia organised “Auditions 2022” to include new students to the society on 24 November 2022. Six students were selected on the basis of their performance and welcomed into the team.
- Énnoia held an extempore debate competition on the theme “Wonders of India”/ “अद्भुतभारत” as a part of Pallavi, the Annual Fest of the college. The competition was held on 13 January 2023. The event received enthusiastic participation from various colleges. As per the rules of extempore, teams of two were shown the topic on the spot and were given 5 minutes to prepare and 4 minutes (2 minutes each) to deliver. The student coordinators for the event were Hemayushi and Garima and the anchors were Nidhi and Deepti. The event was judged by Dr. Anchala Paliwal, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Vivekananda College and Ms. Sheena Lama, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Lakshmibai College.
- Diksha, member of Énnoia, co-anchored the “Freshers and Fete” on 10 February 2023.
- A voting procedure to democratically elect the next two student coordinators for the year 2023-2024 was performed on 13 January 2023. Nidhi Manuja and Deepti Pandey were elected as the student coordinators of Énnoia for 2023-2024.
- Nidhi Manuja, student coordinator of Énnoia, participated as the delegate from

Vivekananda College in Lok Sabha in the Inter-College Model United Nations 2023 hosted by Hindu College, University of Delhi.

### **ENACTUS SOCIETY**

Enactus Vivekananda believes in providing opportunities and platforms to students with an entrepreneurial mindset. These young entrepreneurs with their brilliant and thoughtful ideas come together to make an impact on society. Enactus VNC offers an astonishing experience and opens doors to success. From the development of soft skills like communication, confidence, research to professional skills like marketing, strategist, and finance. Our team took various activities to contribute in the same manner with activities, such as:

- A carnival “PRABHA” under Project Kiran – A Ray of Hope, for promoting young college student entrepreneurs and underprivileged women entrepreneurs was organized by Enactus Vivekananda College on 23 September 2022 with the aim to provide opportunities to young entrepreneurs from different colleges/ universities and women from nearby Jhilmil and Mandawali areas so that they can showcase their talent and motivate other upcoming entrepreneurs.
- On 13 October 2022, Enactus Vivekananda College set up “Gaming Stalls” on account of World Mental Health Day and acted as an energizer to the event organized by ‘Convocare’, the Mental Health Society of Vivekananda College. The main attraction of our stall was the quote chart that aimed to promote the mental well-being of the students by providing affirmations.
- On 12 January 2023 Enactus Vivekananda College set up its “Tote Bag Stall” under our new project, Project Tarakki at ‘Pallavi’, the Annual College Fest of Vivekananda College. These tote bags were purchased from a small-scale vendor so as to promote them to step outside from their regular platform for the same. There was enthusiasm among the college individual to buy the tote bags because of their beneficial trending demand.
- Inter-college competition named “THINK TANK, a round table discussion” was held by team Enactus of Institute of Home Economics (IHE), DU on 19-20 January 2023 on the occasion of their annual fest, MELANGE '23 where interested participants got an opportunity to talk through reality on sustainability. Two students from Enactus VNC participated in the competition and secured first and second positions.
- On 29 January and 1 February 2023, Enactus Vivekananda College set up its first ever stall in other colleges under our eminent projects, Project Tarakki and Project Kiran at ‘Chetna Aarohan’, the annual cultural fest event organised by the Cultural Association of Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar College, University of Delhi. Our stall featured ethically sourced products from local beneficiaries. These products included sustainable and economical tote bags, thoughtfully designed teracotta products and scrunchies.

### **FASHION SOCIETY (ALLURING DAZZLERS)**

- On 22 June 2022, the members of Alluring Dazzlers performed on the theme, “Pride” to show support for the LGBTQ+ community.
- The members showcased walks, dressed as teachers on “Teacher’s Day”.
- In the annual carnival “Prabha” organized on 24 September 2022 by Enactus-Entrepreneurship society of our college, the members of Alluring Dazzlers showcased their different walk formations on the college ground,

- On the occasion of “Cultural Day”, held on 17 November 2022, members of our society performed and depicted extravagant makeup skills and walks.
- An event “Semblance” was organized by Alluring Dazzlers on 13 January 2023 under the aegis of the annual festival of Vivekananda College, “Pallavi”. The competition took place in an offline mode where fashion societies from different colleges were invited to perform on various themes on the open stage.
- The members of Alluring Dazzlers also participated in the annual festival “Feria 2023” of the Institute of Home Economics, DU on 10 February 2023 and performed on the theme “Importance of River Ganga”. Our society student coordinator Ishika was interviewed by various news channels and her picture was also featured on the @du.today official instagram handle.
- A “photoshoot” was held from 24-28 February 2023 in collaboration with Click ‘o’ Mania, the photography society of Vivekananda College and Alluring Dazzlers in which each Alluring society model’s portfolio was shot for upcoming events organized by different colleges.
- The members of Alluring Dazzlers participated in the annual festival “Sabrang 2023” of Deshbandhu College, DU held on 11 February 2023 and performed on the same theme “Importance of River Ganga”. The picture of our members (Neha, Sohani and Alina) featured in the newspaper, *Hindustan Times*.

#### INDIAN CLASSICAL DANCE SOCIETY (NRITYAM)

- Nrityam organized Natraja – solo classical online dance competition under the annual festival of Vivekananda college ‘Pallavi’.
- Nrityam celebrated Teachers’ Day in offline mode on the open stage organized by student coordinators of different societies and in the big Auditorium in the event organized by DM Shahdara. The event was witnessed by officials, teachers and students of the college. ‘O richiraiya’ was performed depicting social issues faced by women followed by short expressions in verse showing women empowerment.
- Nrityam performed in mashup in the Bijli Mahotsav in collaboration with Vivacious: Western Dance society and Thirkan: Folk Dance society.
- Members of Nrityam gave a short performance celebrating India’s independence in the event organised by NSS Vivekananda College.
- Independence Day was celebrated in online mode on 15 August 2022. Members of Nrityam gave tribute to indispensable workers, soldiers and essential workers.
- Nrityam celebrated Teachers Day in offline mode. The event was witnessed by many teachers from different departments and the Officiating Principal. The performance commenced with Guru vandana followed by a bengali song, Asatoma Satgamaya.
- Members of Nrityam performed at ‘Prabha’, an intercollege festival organized by Enactus VNC. Nrityam’s first performance was purely technical in which two Indian classical dance forms, Kathak and Bharatnatyam, were showcased followed by Ai Giri Nandini which was done in collaboration with Vivacious, the Western Dance society. The last performance by Nrityam was on ‘O Rangrez’ which was thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated by the audience.
- 4 members performed on Mental Health Day organized by Convocare. The performance was an initiative to make mental health a priority and undo the stigmas associated with mental health.

- Semi classical dance workshop was organized by Nrityam for DU's Centenary Celebrations. It was a one-day workshop. A total of 12 students including the members of Nrityam took part.
- Members of Nrityam performed Saraswati Vandana at the hockey ground inauguration event in the college. The Chief Guest for the event was Mr. Manish Sisodia, Deputy CM of Delhi.
- Nrityam performed for cultural day to promote classical and semi classical dance and to motivate everyone to join the society at the open stage of the college. A total of 11 members of Nrityam gave their contribution to make the event successful.
- Nrityam organized an orientation programme to provide a glimpse and introduction of the society to the I year students.
- A member of Nrityam performed a semi classical dance on the Constitutional Day at the NSS event.
- A solo performance was given on the occasion of Voter Awareness Campaign held at Vivekananda School, Anand Vihar for the Election Commission which was conducted by District Election Officer, Shahdara.
- A solo performance was given on the occasion of Voter Awareness Campaign held at Guru Ram Dass College, Shahdara for the Election Commission which was conducted by District Election Officer, Shahdara.
- Members of Nrityam gave a performance on the occasion of Voter Awareness Campaign at Delhi Technological University, Rohini with 5 different forms i.e. Kathak, Bharatnatyam, Odissi, Sattriya and Mohiniyattam. It was conducted by the District Election Officer, District North.
- Two students from the Nrityam performed in the Ms. Hunar cultural event. One of them performed Saraswati Vandana in the event and second gave a semi classical performance on a song.
- Nrityam organized Natraja – solo classical dance competition under the annual festival of Vivekananda College, 'Pallavi'. The competition took place in an offline mode on the open stage of the college.
- On the occasion of the 13 National Voter's Day Celebrations held at Govt. Boys Sr. Sec. School, Janta Flats, GTB Enclave, Nand Nagri for the Election Commission, two group performance were given, one was on chap tilak and another was on patriotic mashup.
- A member of Nrityam gave a classical dance performance on the occasion of Republic Day at the Hindi Department event "Tiranga – Tera Maan Asmaan".
- Members of Nrityam gave a performance on the retirement ceremony of MCD Employees at Municipal Corporation of Delhi office, Patparganj, New Delhi. It was conducted by Municipal Corporation of Delhi, Shahdara. Nrityam gave three classical performances, Solo on Shrivandav, Duet on Tarana and group on Chhap Tilak.

### **IT SOCIETY (INFORMATICA)**

INFORMATICA, the Information Technology society of Vivekananda College, was established on 26 February 2021 and provides new opportunities to students in the field of information technology by organizing different events and workshops. The Society is coordinated by Dr. Renu Garg, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science with the help of students, namely, Mitushi Sharma, Kirti Gupta, Kashish, Srishti, Nishtha, Sneha,

Wajeetha, Apoorva, Tamnna, Manya, Shivani, Dhanya, Vedanshi, Mahek, Niharika and Disha. The Society organized various events during the period July 2022 to March 2023.

INFORMATICA organized an inter-college reel making competition on 12 January 2023 the occasion of the annual college fest, 'Pallavi' and the theme was about Creating reels for supporting multimedia. The session was conducted in the Computer lab. The judges appreciated the creativity of students and enlightened them about how to showcase their talent by making use of social media and Information Technology.

The IT society in collaboration with the Department of Computer Science organized a "Movie Screening and Quiz Competition" under the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav on the occasion of Independence Day. The event was held on 12 August 2022. The theme was Nation first, Always first.

INFORMATICA, in collaboration with the IQAC of the college organized a speaker Session on the occasion of National Unity Day on 31 October 2022. The theme for this was Career Opportunities in Information Technology.

The team INFORMATICA hopes that it will continue to provide a platform for students to showcase their technical skills.

### QUIZ SOCIETY (SINAV)

The Quiz Society conducted the following event:

- **Objective of the event**

Quizzes are intended to encourage fun learning methods while also enhancing general knowledge. With practicing quizzes students can do critical thinking and get into habit of innovative learning. These quizzes integrate game mechanics into the learning process and help students understand their weaker areas. Quizzes help students identify what they know and what they don't know.

- **Brief information about the event**

On the occasion of Annual Fest 'Pallavi '23' the Quiz Society of Vivekananda College organised an Inter-College quiz competition on 12 January 2023. Overall, 113 students from various colleges of the University of Delhi participated in the competition. The Participants registered online through google forms. Registration was free of cost to ensure maximum number of participations. The competition was written objective type test comprising 50 MCQ questions, each question carrying one marks. It was ensured that there were no malpractices during the competition. Aatika and Mehak, student coordinators worked hard to ensure the success of the competition. Teacher Convenor, Dr. Anjana Kumari encouraged students to participate in events like this in the future as well. Refreshments for all the participants, student coordinators and teachers on duty were served. All the activities of the event were well coordinated by the team.

- **The winners of the competition were as follows:**

1<sup>st</sup> Position – Vikas Kumar, Motilal Nehru College

2<sup>nd</sup> Position – Surbhi Saini, Vivekananda College

3<sup>rd</sup> Position – Priyanshi Choudhary, Vivekananda College

3<sup>rd</sup> Position – Akriti, Vivekananda College



The winners were awarded by the society convenor, Dr. Anjana Kumari.

### PHOTOGRAPHY SOCIETY (CLICK 'O' MANIA)

- “WOMEN’S DAY”

Students of Vivekananda College, DU, celebrated International Women’s Day on 8 March 2022 in high spirits. While other college societies performed plays and dances on the theme of women empowerment, team Click ‘O’ Mania put up two display boards for the same. The whole team joined hands to make a display board of photos with encouraging captions portraying feminine strength and struggles. Another display board had three thought provoking pictures, inviting captions from the audience to be written on post-chits. The caption writing activity received an overwhelming response from college students. The society not only put up these boards but also covered the whole event by taking photos and videos of the same. This was the first successful offline event of the society after two years of the society operating online due to Covid-19.

- “PRIDE EVENT”

On 30 June 2022, a ‘Pride’ event was organized at Vivekananda College. ‘Pride’ month is about acceptance, equality, celebrating the work of LGBTQ+ people, education in LGBTQ+ history and raising awareness of issues affecting the LGBTQ+ community. Click ‘O’ Mania had the privilege of covering this event. The entire day was very colourful, vibrant and free spirited. Several engaging activities were also setup including face paintings, poem recitals, song and dance performances. A joint initiative of all the students helped many people to embrace their sexual identity.

- “TIRANGA YATRA” AND “INDIA THROUGH YOUR LENS” ON AAZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV

On the occasion of 75 years of India’s Independence, an online Inter-college Photography Competition was conducted called “India Through Your Lens” on 16 August 2022. The themes for the competition were Mystic India: Reflection Photography; Unique India: Surrealist Photography and Flavours of India: Flatley Photography. Out of the 27 entries received, 3 winners were chosen. Apart from this, Click ‘O’ Mania also covered and participated in the Tiranga Yatra organized by the University of Delhi at North Campus. The society also set up a display board showcasing the photographs clicked by the members of the society. The objective of the aforementioned board was to portray the different shades of India.

- “PRABHA”

Click ‘O’ Mania was the media coverage partner for the event ‘Prabha’ organized by Enactus on 23 September 2022, VNC under Project Kiran. The fest was organized to promote small businesses. The event kicked off on a note of enthusiasm and high spirits. Moreover, several performances of dance by Nrityam and Vivacious, the classical dance and folk dance societies respectively; music gigs from students of the college as well as by bands from other colleges, beatboxing by RJ Dilli ka Aadi, etc. kept the audience entertained. Click ‘o’ Mania covered these performances as well as the various food and product stalls set up. The society also put up a stall of its own that sold plants with a wide variety to choose from.

- “TEACHER’S DAY”

‘If you are planning for a year, sow rice; if you are planning for a decade, plant a tree and if you are planning for a lifetime, educate people’. To celebrate the wisdom imparted by

teachers, students of Vivekananda College, University of Delhi conducted a fun interactive programme for all the teachers on 5 September 2022. The programme began with a Guru Vandana acknowledging the importance of a Guru in our life and showering thanks upon teachers. In the next hour, students took the teachers through their own lifelong journey in a skit. Later, the teachers shared their life lessons and learnings through games organized by students. Later, the programme concluded with drum beats and voices echoing in the teachers' voices. The whole event was covered by Click 'O' Mania.

- "MERAKI"

On 14 October 2022, Convocare – the Mental Health Society of Vivekananda College, DU organized 'Meraki' on the account of World Mental Health Day. Meraki means to do something with your soul, creativity and love. Team Click 'O' Mania covered the entire event and acted as an energizer to the event. A special parade was organized to break the taboos around mental illnesses and to promote acceptance of them. The event consisted of a Treasure Hunt, dance and music performances, Psychology Quiz and stalls by other societies. The event strengthened people's hope and faith.

- "UNITY PARADE"

A Unity Parade was organized by the NSS of Vivekananda College on 31 October 2022. It was a call for strength, a show of togetherness, and a show of unity of all religions. The parade encircled the campus chanting slogans and holding banners. A play by Buniyaad, the Nukkad Natak Society of Vivekananda College, was also organized to celebrate unity in diversity. Slogans like "*H se hindu M se musalmaan, Joddenge toh ban jayega Hindustan*" were chanted. The event was covered by team Click 'O' Mania. The society also lauded the efforts of the students participating.

- "NATIONAL SEMINAR"

A National Seminar was organised on 3 November 2022 to celebrate DU Centenary Year and inaugurate the Hockey Astro turf of the Vivekananda College, DU. Deputy CM of Delhi, Mr. Manish Sisodia was the chief guest for the event. Many cultural competitions like debates and poem recitation competitions were organized as elements of the National Seminar. Click 'O' Mania photographed the entire event efficiently.

- "ALUMNAE MEET"

On 5 November 2022, Alumnae meet was organized by the college in the Sharda Hall. Alumnae from all departments had come together to share their experiences, challenges and life lessons with the audience. They informed the currently enrolled students about the challenges of the outside world and how the guidance of their teachers helped them navigate their way to success. The coverage of the event was done by the team of Click 'O' Mania.

- "CULTURAL DAY"

On 15 November 2022, all college societies came together to showcase their talents. This was a way of introducing their respective societies to the newly joined I year students. Click 'O' Mania set up a photography exhibition displaying its own photos and showcased its first edition of a travel magazine. Click 'O' Mania also covered the cultural day event marked by performances from all college societies.

- "LAUNCH OF CLICK 'O' IST"

Click 'O' Mania, The Photography Society of Vivekananda College printed its very first travel magazine on 6 December 2022, *Click 'O' Ist*. The travel magazine is an amalgamation of photos of places from across India complemented with shayari, poems, quotes, and historical anecdotes. It is an original Click 'O' Mania creation which is like a travel portal coupled with a tour guide-like experience that shares with you several untold narratives. This

travel magazine is very personal; it is like a memoir of all the places visited by the photographers of Click 'O' Mania. It exposes their favourite parts of their trips, their hideaways and their outlook of the world. The content writers, upon witnessing those expressive photographs, had a thousand stories and interpretations welling up inside them, just waiting to be penned down. Using an amalgamation of self-written poems, shayari, song lyrics and quotes, the content team illustrated the untold history of different parts of India and the photographer's standpoint while covering them. The graphic designers then skilfully sewed together the photos and the tales behind them into this work of art.

- "GURBANI RECITAL"

On the eve of Guru Nanak Singh ji's birthday on 7 November 2022, Spic Macay, a society for preservation of Indian culture organized a Gurbani recital. The shabads or hymns of Guru Granth Sahib known as Gurbani or the Guru's words were sung in a raag, a musical score. This was followed by prasad distribution. The event coverage was done by team Click 'O' Mania.

- "PALLAVI 2023"

Vivekananda College's Annual Fest, Pallavi, on 12 and 13 January 2023 was power-packed with competitions organized and stalls put up by about 25 societies of Vivekananda College, DU. Apart from covering the whole event, Click 'O' Mania organized a thrilling event for the participants called "ODYSSEY – The Photography Bingo". In this, the participants were required to not only decode the riddles correctly but also capture the answers efficiently through photographs. Team Click 'O' Mania also put up a photo exhibition displaying the cultural diversity and richness of India. This was in line with Pallavi's theme of "*Adbhut Bharat*".

- "ANNUAL FETE"

On 10 February 2023, "Annual Fete" was organized in the college premises. It was an event packed with a plethora of colours, with a wide range of stalls set up like accessories, baked items, art stalls, and a thrifty clothes booth. The day was a source of endless enjoyment for the attendees. On this occasion, the society also organized a photography exhibition 'Yaadon ki Mehfil'. The members collected their best portrayals of nostalgia, and a space of meanings filled with photographs, captions and nostalgic memories was created soon enough. The society also set up a bookmark booth where several original Click 'O' Mania creations were sold. The event ended with high spirits and provided everyone with ample of memories.

- "FOLK DANCE EVENT"

On 16<sup>th</sup> February 2023, the Hindi Department of Vivekananda College, DU organised it's Folk-Dance Event in collaboration with Thirkan, the Folk Dance Society of the college. Students from different colleges participated in the event and danced for the representation of their states on the theme "Unity in Diversity". Folk dances of Rajasthan, Punjab, West Bengal, Odisha and Kashmir were performed.

All these dance forms expressed a sense of joy, happiness and an air of positivity in the environment. Click 'O' Mania photographed the event skilfully.

- "PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP"

Click 'O' Mania organized a "Photography Workshop" on 17 February 2023 in collaboration with UDAAN (Unfolding Drama and Acts for the Nation), a socio-cultural organization for the youth. The speakers for the day were Dr. Gagan Gera and Mr. Ayush. Both speakers taught the basics of photography like exposure settings (ISO, shutter speed and aperture), and demonstrated how to experiment with photography to get the best results. A competition for all the audience members was later organized on the theme 'Nature' and 'Nation'. All attendees were given away certificates at the end of the event.

- “ALLURING PHOTOSHOOT”

Click ‘O’ Mania, in collaboration with the fashion society ‘Alluring Dazzlers’ conducted a 3-day photoshoot from 23-28 February 2023. Each day photographers were assigned to models who were given the artistic freedom to experiment and showcase their photography expertise. It was also conducted with hopes of providing new photographers of the society a learning opportunity and some on-field experience. The shoot was a massive success with each photographer bringing out her personal best and discovering new meanings to photography. The shoot has served as a great learning opportunity and was a beneficial collaboration for both societies.

### SPICMACAY

Spic Macay committee of Vivekananda College organized a concert of “Gurbani Recital” by Dr. Alankar Singh (Ustad Bismillah Khan Yuva Puraskar awardee) on 7 November 2022 in the Sharda Hall of College. Dr. Alankar Singh was accompanied on the tabla by Shri Narinder Pal Singh and Shri Sandip Singh on dilruba. Dr. Alankar enthralled the audience with his mesmerizing vocal recital of Gurubani kirtan consisting of traditional ragas and raginis. The programme was attended by a large number of students as well as teachers. Dr. Shahnaz Begum was the teacher coordinator of this event.

### FOLK DANCE SOCIETY (THIRKAN)

- On 1 April 2022 Thirkan participated in “Yuvotsav – Annual Cultural Competition” organized by Maharaja Agrasen College, DU and won 1<sup>st</sup> position.  
Performers: Tanshi, Ananya, Treepti, Navneeta, Shruti, Khushi, Chanchal, Aarti
- On 8 April 2022 two members of Thirkan participated in “Taashi-Duet folk dance competition” organized by Sri Guru Nanak Dev Khalsa College and secured 3<sup>rd</sup> position. Performers: Treepti and Navneeta
- On 9 April 2022 members performed in the Devbhoomi Family cultural event “Bhitoli” organized in Ramjas College at Shankar Lal Auditorium.  
Performers: Priyanka, Preeti, Treepti, Tanshi, Kumud, Khushi, Jyoti, Shruti, Astha
- Thirkan also participated in the cultural fest of Swami Shraddhanand (group folk dance competition) on 13/4/22.  
Performers: Treepti, Navneeta, Kumud, Khushi, Ananya, Aastha, Preeti, Tanshi
- On 21 April 2022 members of Thirkan performed on Annual Day 2022 held in Vivekananda College.  
Participants: Treepti, Navneeta, Khushi, Tanshi, Sakshi, Prachi
- Secured first position in the Cultural folk dance competition organized by NSS unit of Zakir Hussain College on 26 April 2022.  
Performers: Treepti, Navneeta, Priyanka, Kanisha, Tanshi, Khushi Tyagi, Shruti, Aarti
- Two members of Thirkan performed in the Pride Day event held in Vivekananda College on 30 June 2022. Performers: Treepti and Chanchal
- Thirkan also performed in the “Ujjwal Bharat Ujjwal Bhavishya” event held in Vivekananda College on 27 July 2022 where several VIPs attended the event.  
Performers: Treepti, Navneeta, Kumud, Kanisha, Shruti, Khushi, Prachi, Ananya, Chanchal, Tanshi, Tanu
- Performed in the event “Prabha” held in Vivekananda College organized by

Enactus,VNC on 23 September 2022.

Performers: Treepti, Navneeta, Khushi, Kumud, Supriya, Tanshi, Vani, Tanu

- A Workshop was conducted on folk dance on 21 October 2022. Many dance forms were performed before the participants.
- Various folk dance performances were given in “Cultural day” event held in Vivekananda College on 15 November 2022.  
Performers: Kumud, Aarti, Tanu, Tanshi, Kavita, Supriya, Garima,Vani, Bhawana, Khushi Tyagi, Chanchal
- On the occasion of Rani Laxmi Bai Jayanti held in Vivekananda College on 18 November 2022, two members from our society performed.  
Performers: Garima and Arpita
- We performed in Janki Devi Memorial College cultural fest on 11 Jan 2023  
Performers:Yishi, Anushka, Manashi, Diya, Aanchal, Kavita, Garima, Aarti
- On 13 Jan 2023 the society organized “BAWRAA – group folk dance competition” on the occasion of Pallavi 2023, Cultural fest of Vivekananda College.  
Performers: Yishi, Anushka, Manashi, Diya, Aanchal, Kavita, Garima, Aarti
- The members of Thirkan performed at the “13 National Voters’ Day” event on 25 January 2023.  
Performers: Supriya, Tanu, Kavita,Garima,Purvika
- The members performed in “Aarohan – group folk dance competition” organized by “Chetna – Cultural fest of Bhim Rao Ambedkar College, DU on 2 February 2022.  
Performers: Treepti,Kumud, Tanshi, Supriya, Tanu, Shruti, Bhoomika, Yishi, Chanchal, Sandhaya
- Participated in dance talent hunt competition which was organized by the Commerce department of Zakir Hussain College (Evening) on 16 February 2023.  
Performers: Treepti, Kumud, Tanshi, Supriya, Tanu, Shruti, Bhoomika,Vani, Khushi, Navneeta
- The members performed in “Engifest 23 – Group Folk Dance Competition” organized by DTU on 17 February 2023. Performers: Treepti, Kumud, Tanshi, Supriya, Jyoti, Shefali, Bhoomika, Khushi, Navneeta, Arpita
- The members also celebrated Teachers’ Day by giving a retro dance performance in Vivekananda College on 5 September 2022.  
Performers: Treepti, Kumud, Prachi, Tanshi, Aarti, Chanchal, Kanisha, Khushi, Tanush

### THE INDIAN MUSIC SOCIETY (DHWANI)

The Indian Music Society, Dhvani enthusiastically participated in the all college events and functions throughout the year (2022-2023). The society also organized various competitions, workshops, programmes, lectures under the expert guidance of the Convenor, Dr. Deepa Varshney and Co-Convenor, Dr. Dilip Jaiswal.

- On the 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Day and 49<sup>th</sup> Sports Day held on 21 April 2022, students presented a beautiful Vandana and Vedic Mantra.



- Dhvani organized an inter college event ‘Monsoon Special Geet Competition’ on 30 August 2022.
- Society members presented Vande Matram, National Anthem and patriotic songs on the occasion of Independence Day in online mode on 15 August 2022.
- The Coordinator participated in Inter-college Sanskrit Mantra Gayan Pratiyogita organized by Deshbandhu College on 5 September 2022. Mansi Raj secured 3<sup>rd</sup> position.
- Students performed a Sufi song in the event ‘Prabha’ under Project Kiran on 23 September 2022.
- On 30 June 2022 the society participated in ‘Pride Jashan Parade’ held in solidarity with LGBTQ community through a musical presentation.
- On the occasion of National Student Seminar held on 3-4 November 2022 our society presented Vandana, Rabindra Sangeet and Gandhi bhajan.
- On the occasion of the opening of Hockey Playground on 4 November 2022 our society presented a welcome song.
- On the occasion of Alumnae Meet, on 5 November 2022 Society presented Saraswati-Vandana.
- Society organized an Educational Trip to Bangla Sahib Gurudwara on 17 November 2022. Dr. Deepa, Dr. Dilip, Mr. Amit accompanied students on this trip.
- Dhvani organized an Inter-college Music Competition on Sufi and Folk (Group) on 12 January 2023 as a part of Pallavi Fest.
- Society members performed Unity song ‘Sangachhdhvam’ on the occasion of Workshop titled ‘Panchkoshki Avdharana: Charita Nirmane vamvyaktitvaka Samgra Vikas’ on 11 February 2023.
- On the occasion of an Inter-generational Bonding Mela organized by Ministry of Social Justice, Government of India on 7 March 2022 our students presented Ganesh Vandana and Holi-song.

Apart from these activities, our students devotedly performed on different events and programmes like National Voters’ Day, Meraki Event, Cultural Day, Basantotsava, Udaan organized by Photography Society. Our students also participated in events of all departments during the year. The office-bearers of Indian Music Society, Head Coordinators, Mansi Raj and Divya Srivastava and core members Pallavi Singh, Vanshika and Vandana Kaushal played important roles for successfully organizing these events.

## FINANCIAO

The Finance and Investment Cell of Vivekananda College, Department of Commerce strives to promote financial literacy with intriguing knowledge-packed projects. We use our platform to drive awareness towards contemporary concerns of the financial sphere and associate with students and mentors with the same interests to share our mutual enthusiasm on money matters.

FINANCIAO conducted various events during and after May 2022. All these events were in accordance with the motive of our society and were a great way to spread financial literacy among people and help those new to the finance world. The events were conducted both in offline and online modes. Let us look at the summary of all the events conducted by our team since May 2022:

- Speaker session

We conducted a great knowledge speaker session with Mr. Kalyan Kumar Biswal on 2 July 2022. Mr. Kalyan is a full-time content creator with more than 100k followers. He is also a crypto enthusiast and a NISM-certified advisor. The session was conducted online and covered the topics of “investing, content creation, and brand building on social media.”

- Competition: “REELISTIC”

We organised a fun finance competition – “REELISTIC” in the month of August 2022. The participants were given a few finance topics and they were required to make an Instagram reel on their chosen topic. The motive of this competition was to make the participants aware of then trending finance topics in a fun and engaging way.

- Speaker session

Our team organized a special speaker session “SPILL THE CHAI” on 14 September 2022. The esteemed speaker of our session was Mr. Anubhav Dubey. Mr. Dubey is the founder and owner of Chai Sutta Bar, India’s fastest-growing chai chain. He joined us to share his journey and have a chit-chat session with the students. The session surely helped a lot of students in their financial journey

- “FINESSE ’22”

We organized our first-ever two-day event in the month of November 2022. On the first day of the event, we conducted a speaker session with Mr. Bhanu Pathak. Mr. Pathak is a public speaker and content creator with 600k+ followers. He joined us to share his insights on the topic of “NFTs and crypto”. Along with the speaker session, we also organized a fun finance treasure hunt competition where participants had to solve finance riddles to find their treasure. The second day of the event only consisted of a speaker session with Mr. Sarthak Ahuja. Mr. Ahuja is a chartered accountant with expertise in various aspects of finance and a finance content creator with 200k+ followers. He joined us to speak on the topic of stock and personal finance.

- Competition: “BULLS AND BEARS”

We organized a fun finance competition, “Bulls and Bears” on 23 February 2023. It consisted of two rounds. The selection round was a quiz round followed by a mock stock round.

### STUDENT ACTIVITIES

All the events mentioned above contributed a lot to the growth and development of society and its members. Through all the activities of the society, the key insights of the members are-

- Improvement in leadership and communication skills
- Group management and improved problem-solving skills
- Being updated with all the finance matters and also updating others through our social media handles
- Met great personalities from the finance world and got to know more about various matters in finance.

### **DEVBHOOMI FAMILY**

Devbhoomi Family was initiated as a cultural society in the college on 14 November 2022. Its various activities are:

- Contributed in Cultural Day by setting up a registration desk on 15 November 2022.

- Organized an Orientation Programme for our new members on 14 December 2022.
- Members also volunteered in the Foundation Day of entire Devbhoomi Family, University of Delhi on 31 January 2023.
- We conducted our first social work activity on 19 February 2023 by distributing stationery kit, notebooks and other goodies in Ambedkar Basti, Jhilmil Colony.
- We performed in an event ‘Anugraha’ at Swabhiman Parisar on 7 March 23.
- We celebrated our cultural festival ‘Phooldei’ in the college on 15 March 2023.

### कस्तूरी रपोर्ट

कस्तूरी दीवार पत्रिका ने अपने बारह वर्षों की यात्रा को हर पल एक चुनौती की तरह अनुभव किया है क्योंकि उम्र के जिस पड़ाव पर छात्राएं हमारे पास आती हैं, वो समय उनके भीतर बहुत कुछ नव-निर्मित हो रहा होता है। उनका हृदय किसी अनंत गगन में उन्हें उड़ा लेना चाहता है, पर सामाजिक मर्यादाएं उन्हें धैर्य का पाठ पढ़ाने की चेष्टा करते हैं। परिणाम एक अलग तरह का संघर्ष उनके जीवन का अभिन्न अंग बन जाता है। उसी संघर्ष को शब्द देने की कोशिश है कस्तूरी। इस दीवार पत्रिका के माध्यम से रचनात्मक लेखन का प्रयास तो छात्राएं करती ही हैं, साथ ही साथ संपादक, संचालक, और साज-सज्जा जैसे व्यावहारिक अनुभवों का लाभ भी उठाती हैं। समय समय पर कार्यशाला, प्रतियोगिता और वक्तव्य आयोजित कर उन की रुचि और कला को मांजने का प्रयास भी किया जाता है। मशीनीकरण के इस दौर में जब पुस्तकें भी ऑनलाइन मिल रहीं हैं, तब कस्तूरी अपने अथक प्रयासों से शब्दों की खुशबू बचा कर रखने के लिए संकल्प बद्ध है।

यह वर्ष कस्तूरी के लिए विशेषांकों का वर्ष रहा, जिसमें छात्राओं ने विभाजन की त्रासदी से जुड़े चित्रों के आधार पर उस व्यथा को दीवार पर अंकित किया। अगला अंक अध्यापकों को समर्पित किया गया। तत्पश्चात भक्ति परंपरा को आधार बनाकर अंक आया और अंतिम अंक मातृभाषा को समर्पित रहा।

योजना कालिया  
संचालक कस्तूरी दीवार पत्रिका

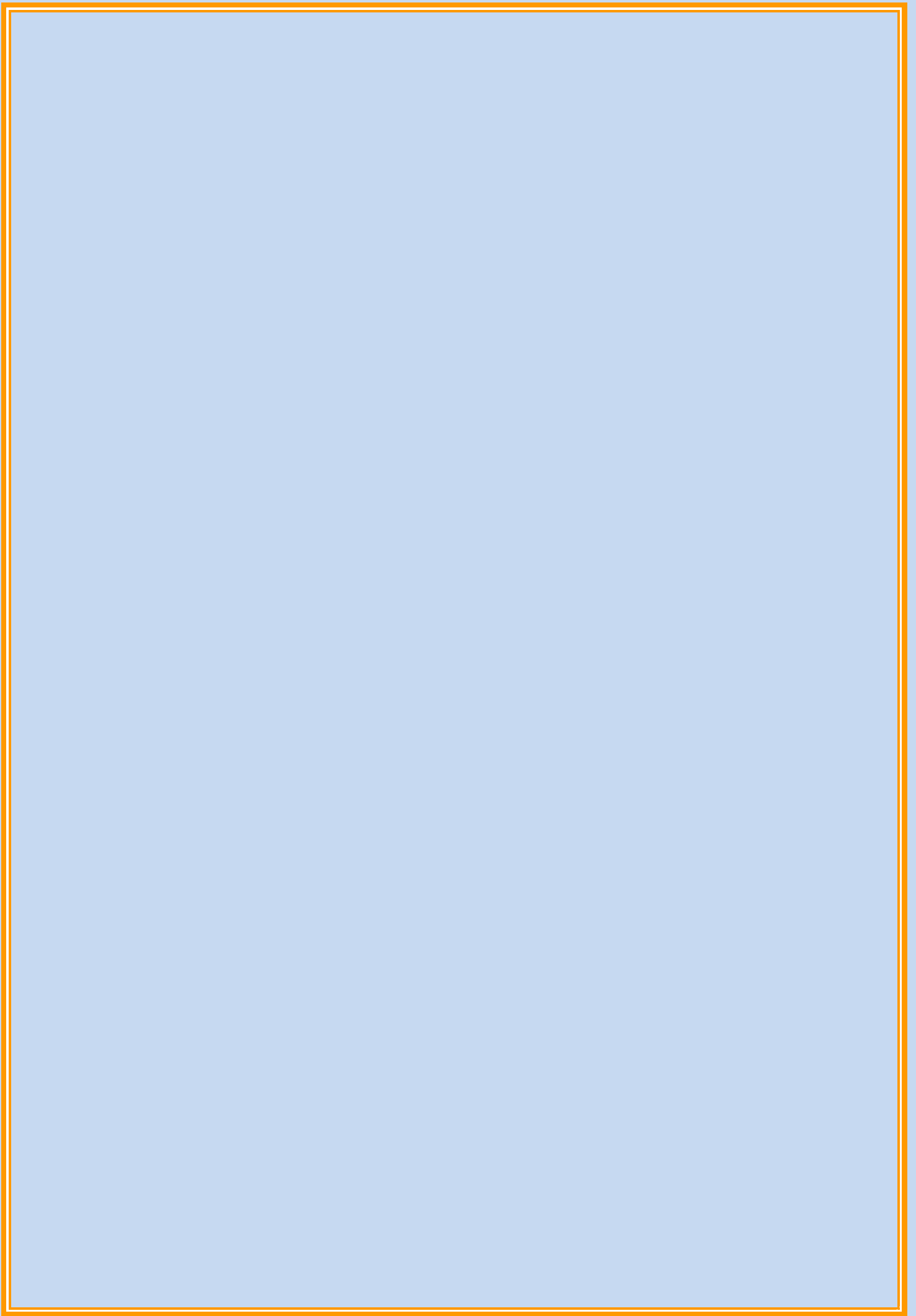
**DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTS**

The Accounts Department has successfully achieved its set goals during the financial year 2022-23. Some of its achievements are as follows :-

- Implemented guidelines of RBI for making online payment through TSA for paying Pension and Salary to the staff.
- Working on new PFMS Portal.
- Started banking with SBI.
- Initiated payments through net banking.
- Online timely payment of all taxes through net banking (94C, 94J, 92A, GST TDS & Reverse GST).
- Online timely filling of Income Tax returns (monthly, quarterly & annually) of the college.
- Online timely payment of college Property Tax.
- Online timely payment of monthly subscription of NPS.
- Successfully enrolled the portal of GoI and all the schemes of GEM, GST and GFR are strictly followed.
- Updated utilities of NPS from time to time.
- Payment of arrears of teachers on account of promotion under CAS-2018.
- Payment of arrears to pensioners on account of fixation in VII CPC.
- Cleared arrears of teaching and non teaching staff from time-to-time.
- Processing CPF/GPF cases.
- Processed GPF/CPF case of Dr. Saroj Kumari.
- Successful in bringing Gratuity for NPS subscribers of the college.
- Long pending adjustments/pending dues of the college from employees have been cleared.
- Extensive usage of Tally software for all the accounts of the college and Tally is also now being used for maintaining books of accounts.
- Started using new salary software and started sending monthly salary slips through email to the college employees.
- Distribution of Form-16 through online mode.
- Adopted new fee structures of DU and made expenditure accordingly.
- Started collecting online fee on new gateway of SBI.
- Settlement of several outstanding audit objections of Accounts Deptt.

Despite being short staffed, the work of finance deptt. of college never came to a halt.

The Accounts Department is heading towards achieving its goal with greater efficiency and smooth management and looks forward to achieving the goal of certifying Vivekananda College as “ZERO AUDIT OBJECTION” College of the University of Delhi.



**DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION**

The Administration Department of the College provides a friendly environment for the students and staff. The online admission process and examination work was carried out smoothly through DU portal along with solving the grievances of the students on time with the cooperation of Admission and Examination Committee.

The promotion process of 08 Faculty members from Associate Professor to Professor under CAS 2018 was successfully completed by Admin Dept. with the effort of Officiating Principal. The process of CPF to GP pension cases is completed and the dues will be released in the month of April, 2023. Applications for faculty positions have been received and are currently being scrutinized for shortlisting. The roster for the Non-teaching posts has been approved and the college has been seeking approval from DU to advertise the posts.

The College purchased many equipment, instruments and software (viz. computers, printers, projector, musical instruments, Food Tech lab instruments & software for admin & accounts dept. etc.) during the year for the benefits of the students & staff with the cooperation of Central Purchase & Stock Verification Committee. A Green Audit of the College was successfully completed and a Building Safety Audit for the Staff Quarters is to be undertaken soon. The college has also conducted an E-Auction successfully to clear unusable items from the college premises.

A newly-renovated Staff Room has been opened with modern facilities. The Food Technology lab is ready and an additional lab has been built for Home Science. Classrooms of the New block have been painted as well as the exterior of the college. Other necessary renovation & repair work in the college building is also under process. The college is gearing up for the NAAC visit.

Admin Department of the College has performed efficiently and in exemplary manner during this year and is aspiring to reach great heights.



## RESULT OF EXAMINATION - MAY/JUNE, 2022

SL. No.	COURSE	YE AR	APPEAR ED	PASSE D	ER/ FAIL	RESUL T (%)	DIVISION			DISTI NCTI ON
							I	II	III	
1	B.A. (P)	I	164	155	9	94.51	144	-	-	7
2	B.COM	I	165	155	10	93.94	138	13	-	5
3	B.COM (H)	I	137	124	13	90.51	117	4	-	8
4	B.A. (H) APPLIED PSY.	I	37	32	5	86.49	29	2	1	12
5	B.A. (H) ENGLISH	I	47	47	0	100.00	32	15	-	-
6	B.A. (H) HINDI	I	48	43	5	89.58	41	2	-	-
7	B.A. (H) HISTORY	I	52	44	8	84.62	25	16	3	-
8	B.A. (H) POL.SCIENCE	I	47	47	0	100.00	45	2	-	1
9	B.A. (H) SANSKRIT	I	13	11	2	84.62	8	3	-	2
10	B.SC. (H) HOME SCIENCE	I	12	9	3	75.00	9	-	-	3
11	B.SC. (H) MATHEMATICS	I	49	48	1	97.96	48	-	-	31
12	B.A. (P)	II	260	239	21	91.92	222	15	1	39
13	B.COM	II	264	259	5	98.11	251	6	2	37
14	B.COM (H)	II	67	64	3	95.52	62	-	-	30
15	B.A. (H) APPLIED PSY.	II	32	32	0	100.00	31	1	-	19
16	B.A. (H) ENGLISH	II	55	52	3	94.55	48	4	-	-
17	B.A. (H) HINDI	II	48	43	5	89.58	35	8	-	2
18	B.A. (H) HISTORY	II	60	57	3	95.00	46	10	-	-
19	B.A. (H) POL.SCIENCE	II	65	62	3	95.38	61	-	-	2
20	B.A. (H) SANSKRIT	II	17	8	9	47.06	5	3	-	-
21	B.SC. (H) HOME SCIENCE	II	18	16	2	88.89	14	1	1	6
22	B.SC. (H) MATHEMATICS	II	32	32	0	100.00	32	-	-	25
23	B.A. (P)	III	140	136	4	97.14	129	7	-	40

24	B.COM	III	113	112	1	99.11	111	1		64
25	B.COM (H)	III	45	45	0	100.00	45	-	-	42
26	B.A. (H) APPLIED PSY.	III	35	34	1	97.14	33	1	-	24
27	B.A. (H) ENGLISH	III	58	55	3	94.82	51	4	-	-
28	B.A. (H) HINDI	III	51	47	4	92.15	46	1	-	8
29	B.A. (H) HISTORY	III	61	61	0	100.00	53	8	-	-
30	B.A. (H) POL.SCIENCE	III	61	61	0	100.00	61	-	-	8
31	B.A. (H) SANSKRIT	III	35	35	0	100.00	33	2	-	5
32	B.SC. (H) MATHEMATICS	III	47	46	1	97.87	46	-	-	44
33	M.A. HINDI	I	25	25	0	100.00	12	12	1	-
34	M.A. SANSKRIT	I	7	7	0	100.00	5	-	2	-
35	M.A. HINDI	II	27	26	1	96.29	24	2	-	-
36	M.A. SANSKRIT	II	7	4	3	57.14	3	1	-	1

**List of Prize Winners of 2022-2023**  
**for Annual Day & Sports Day held on 06.04.2023**

**BEST STUDENT OF THE COLLEGE : 2022-2023**

1. Umaima (2020771) : B.Sc. (Hons.) Mathematics 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr.

**BEST SPORTS PERSON ( in Kabbadi & Athletics) OF THE COLLEGE : 2022-2023**

1. Manisha Sharma (2020241) : B.A. (P) 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr.

**OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO THE COLLEGE (in Extra Curricular Activities) : 2022-2023**

1. Ekta Sharma (2020652) : B.A. (Hons.) Pol. Science 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr.

**BEST MATHEMATICS GIRL STUDENT AWARD : 2022-2023**

1. Kesar Dhamija (2019668) : B.Sc. (Hons.) Mathematics 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr.

**ACADEMIC POSITION PRIZE WINNERS (on the basis of result : 2021-2022)**

SL. NO.	NAME OF STUDENT	EXAM. ROLL NO.	COURSE	YEAR	POSITION
1	Diya Agarwal	21084501042	B.A. (P)	1st Year	1st in the College
2	Ayushi Verma	21084503020	B.Com (P)	1st Year	1st in the College
3	Himani Ahuja	21084503041	B.Com (P)	1st Year	1st in the College
4	Gauri Sethia	21084504045	B.Com (H)	1st Year	1st in the College
5	Kritika Gulati	21084505020	B.A. (H) App.Psy.	1st Year	1st in the College
6	Simran Srivastava	21084511041	B.A. (H) English	1st Year	1st in the College
7	Ravita	21084516028	B.A. (H) Hindi	1st Year	1st in the College
8	Aakriti Singh	21084518052	B.A. (H) History	1st Year	1st in the College
9	Palak Yadav	21084527033	B.A. (H) Pol.Sc.	1st Year	1st in the College
10	Sharda	21084529010	B.A. (H) Sanskrit	1st Year	1st in the College
11	Chhaya Jha	21084561002	B.Sc. (H) Home Sci.	1st Year	1st in the College
12	Aditi Bajpai	21084563001	B.Sc. (H) Maths.	1st Year	1st in the College
13	Karuna Bhatia	20084501086	B.A. (P)	2nd Year	1st in the College
14	Ishupriya Tripathi	20084503085	B.Com (P)	2nd Year	1st in the College
15	Akansha Jain	20084504004	B.Com (H)	2nd Year	1st in the College
16	Akshita Verma	20084505001	B.A. (H) App.Psy.	2nd Year	1st in the College
17	Aayushi Rajwar	20084511003	B.A. (H) English	2nd Year	1st in the College
18	Ritika Mavi	20084516025	B.A. (H) Hindi	2nd Year	1st in the College
19	Shruti Sharma	20084518050	B.A. (H) History	2nd Year	1st in the College
20	Ishika Singh	20084527014	B.A. (H) Pol.Sc.	2nd Year	1st in the College
21	Radhika Gaur	20084527043	B.A. (H) Pol.Sc.	2nd Year	1st in the College
22	Gauri Garg	20084529009	B.A. (H) Sanskrit	2nd Year	1st in the College
23	Aarchi Arora	20084561001	B.Sc. (H) Home Sci.	2nd Year	1st in the College
24	Janvi	20084563013	B.Sc. (H) Maths.	2nd Year	1st in the College

25	Reeti Gupta	19084501030	B.A. (P)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
26	Umangi Gupta	19084503105	B.Com (P)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
27	Ishita Chopra	19084504017	B.Com (H)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
28	Shohini Ghosh	19084505034	B.A. (H) App.Psy.	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
29	Archisha Bansal	19084511008	B.A. (H) English	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
30	Nitya Sharma	19084511035	B.A. (H) English	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
31	Pooja Gupta	19084516025	B.A. (H) Hindi	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
32	Yamini	19084518061	B.A. (H) History	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
33	Aashna Saini	19084527002	B.A. (H) Pol.Sc.	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
34	Suhani Gupta	19084527054	B.A. (H) Pol.Sc.	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
35	Tejaswani	19084529033	B.A. (H) Sanskrit	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
36	Kesar Dhamija	19084563013	B.Sc. (H) Mathematics	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	1st in the College
37	Deepshikha Tiwari	21084713005	MA Hindi	1st Year	1st in the College
38	Tannu Kapoor	21084713025	MA Hindi	1st Year	1st in the College
39	Shruti Tyagi	21084728007	MA Sanskrit	1st Year	1st in the College
40	Shweta	21084728008	MA Sanskrit	1st Year	1st in the College
41	Divya Maurya	20084713007	MA Hindi	2nd Year	1st in the College
42	Sakshi Jain	20084728004	MA Sanskrit	2nd Year	1st in the College



**YOUNG MULTILINGUAL AUTHOR OF THE COLLEGE : 2022-23**

1. Manpreet Kaur (2020/795) : B.A. (P) 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr. :

(i) 'Equality – Journey of women from worth to death' write first book published to world-wide in 2021.

(ii) 'Hope' write second book in 2022 also awarded as a Best Poetry Fiction Book by Blue Rose Publishers

**OUTSTANDING NSS STUDENT : 2022-2023**

1. Kanika Pokhriyal (2020015) : B.A. (P) 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr.
2. Kajal (2020821) : B.A. (H) Pol.Sc. 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr.
3. Sneha Choudhary (2021063) : B.A. (P) 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr.
4. Chanchal Jha (2021714) : B.A. (H) Pol.Sc. 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr.
5. Aanchal Jain (2021364) : B.Com. (H) 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr.
6. Sonali (2021169) : B.A. (P) 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr.
7. Mehak Malik (2021090) : B.A. (P) 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr.

**EDITORIAL SEGMENT FOR COLLEGE E-MAGAZINE – ISHA : 2022-2023**

1. Priya Jain (2021584) : B.A. (H) Eng. 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr. (English Section)
2. Jaza Mahajan (2021570) : B.A. (H) Eng. 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr. (English Section)
3. Aradhna Maurya (2021561) : B.A. (H) Eng. 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr. (English Section)
4. Kirti Gupta (2020037) : B.A. (P) 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr. (English Section)
5. Akansha (2021008) : B.A. (P) 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr. (English Section)
6. Manya (2021002) : B.A. (P) 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr. (French Section)
7. Olivia Sarkar (2021093) : B.A. (P) 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr. (French Section)
8. Ritu Tomar (2020097) : B.A. (P) 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr. (French Section)
9. Mehak Malik (2021090) : B.A. (P) 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr. (French Section)
10. Jhankar Dogra (2020543) : B.A. (H) Hindi 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr. (Hindi Section)
11. Shikha (2020564) : B.A. (H) Hindi 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr. (Hindi Section)
12. Shivani Tomar (2020818) : B.A. (H) Hindi 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr. (Hindi Section)
13. Neha (2021620) : B.A. (H) Hindi 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr. (Hindi Section)
14. Chandni Mehto (2021606) : B.A. (H) Hindi 2<sup>nd</sup> Yr. (Hindi Section)
15. Sakshi (2020828) : B.A. (H) Sanskrit 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr. (Sanskrit Section)
16. Annu Panchal (2021754) : B.A. (H) Sanskrit 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr. (Sanskrit Section)
17. Priyanka (2021762) : B.A. (H) Sanskrit 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr. (Sanskrit Section)
18. Nandini (2021760) : B.A. (H) Sanskrit 3<sup>rd</sup> Yr. (Sanskrit Section)

**SCHOLARSHIP/ AWARDS FOR THE**  
**YEAR 2022-2023**

S.NO.	NAME OF SCHOLARSHIP/ PRIZE	CRITERIA FOR SCHOLARSHIP FOR 2022-2023	NAME OF STUDENTS WHO HAVE SELECTED FOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR THE YEAR 2022-23		
			Name of Student	Course	Year
1	Geetika Nagpal Khurana Scholarship	1) Student of Eng.(H) who has secured highest marks in the first year examination  2) Student of Eng. (H) who has secured highest marks in the second year examination  3) Student of all other Hons. Courses who has secured highest marks in the second year examination and who are not getting any other scholarship instituted by any one for the college  4) If there is a tie in same course, the scholarship will be given to the student, who has secured highest marks in I & II year exam  5) Only B.com. (H) course, the scholarship will be given to the student who has secured second highest position in the College in second year examination.	Simran Srivastava	English (H)	II
			Aayushi Rajwar	English (H)	III
			Anshika Jain	B. Com (H) 2nd Position	III
			Ritika Mavi	Hindi (H)	III
			Shruti Sharma	History (H)	III
			Ishika Singh	Pol. Sci. (H)	III
			Radhika Gaur	Pol. Sci. (H)	III
			Gauri Garg	Skt. (H)	III
			Aarchi Arora	B. Sc (H) Home Science	III
			Janvi	B. Sc (H) Mathematics	III
			Akshita Verma	App. Psy. (H)	III
2	Suniti Goyal Memorial Prize (2006)	1) Student of Hindi (H) who has secured highest marks in the final year examination (Cash prize will be given to the eligible student this year due to pandemic)	Pooja Gupta	Hindi (H)	III (Pass Out)
3	Smt. Swadesh Gandhi Memorial Award (2007)	1) Outstanding Sports Student  2) Sports : Convenor of sports committee will be responsible for awarding sports scholarship	Mehak Baid	B.A.(P)	III

4	Shri J.N. Seth Memorial Scholarship (2008)	1) Meritorious student/s of B.A. (P) II Year who have highest marks in B.A. (P) I Year	Diya Agarwal	B.A (P)	II
5	Prof. V.K. Dublish Memorial Prize (2008)	1) Student of English (H) who has secured highest marks in second year examination	Aayushi Rajwar	English (H)	III
6	Naman & Mehaan Ahluwalia Scholarship (2008)	1) Student of B.A. (H) Applied Psychology III year who has secured Highest Marks in second year examination	Akshita Verma	App. Psy. (H)	III
7	S. Neela Scholarship (2009)	1) The Scholarship will be given to the student of BA (P) IInd Year, who has secured highest marks in Ist year Exam. in Music Or Recommended by TIC of Music	Vandana Kaushal	B.A (P)	II
8	Sultan Chand Draupadi Devi Education Foundation (2010)	1) Student of B.Com.(H) III Yr. who has secured highest marks in B.Com.(H) II Yr. (70% and above)  2) If the student already holds any other scholarship, this will be given to the next eligible student in this category	Akansha Jain	B.Com (H)	III
9	Tejaswani Scholarship (2010)	1) Student of B.Com. III Yr. who has secured highest marks in B.Com. II Yr. (70% and above)  2) If the student already holds any other scholarship, this will be given to the next eligible student in this category.	Ishupriya Tripathi	B.Com (P)	III
10	Sultan Chand Memorial Scholarship Endowment, (2011)	1) Student of B.Com.(H) II Yr. who has secured highest marks in B.Com.(H) I Yr. Semester-2 examination (aggregate of internal and external examination)  2) If the student already holds any other scholarship, this will be given to the next eligible student in this category.	Gauri Sethia	B.Com (H)	II
11	Shri Sultan Chand Memorial Scholarship Endowment (2017)	1) Student of B.Com. & B.Com. (H) who has secured highest marks in B.Com & B.Com. (H) 1 Yr. & 3rd Year examination 2) If the student already holds any other Sultan Chand Trust Scholarship, this will not be given to the concerned student	Ayushi Verma	B.Com.	II
			Himani Ahuja	B.Com.	II

			Umangi Gupta	B.Com.	III (Pass Out)
			Kirti Bansal	B.Com.(H)	II
			Ishita Chopra	B.Com. (H)	III (Pass Out)
12	Dr. Bhola Nath Tiwari Protsahan Puruskar (2012)	1) Student of B.A.(H) Hindi III Yr. who has secured highest marks in B.A.(Hons.) Hindi II Year examination	Ritika Mavi	Hindi (H)	III
13	Lt. Sh. N.N. Roy Choudhury Scholarship (2012)	Best Student of the College for every year Recommended by selection committee	Umaima	Maths (H)	III
14	K.N. Suri Undergraduate Scholarship for Student with special ability (2017)	1) PWD Student of II Yr. who has secured highest marks in I Yr. examination without any ER  2) 15% relaxation for VH  3) In case of tie, scholarship may be given to those who involved in other academic/ extra curricular activities	Ishita Kalra	App. Psy. (H)	II
15	Renu Sahni Protsahan Puraskar (2020)	1) Student of Hindi (H) II Yr. who has secured highest marks in I Yr. examination	Ravita	Hindi (H)	II
16	P.N. Mattoo Memorial Puraskar (2020)	1) Student of Hindi (H) III Yr. who has secured highest marks in II Yr. examination	Ritika Mavi	Hindi (H)	III
17	S.L. Sahni Memorial Puraskar (2020)	1) Student of M.A.Hindi Final Yr. who has secured highest marks in M.A. Hindi Previous Yr. examination	Deepshikha Tiwari	M.A. (Hindi)	Final Year
			Tannu Kapoor	M.A. (Hindi)	Final Year
18	Govt. of NCT of Delhi	1) B.Sc (H) Mathematics II Year Topper Meritorious Student of Academic yr 2020-23	Dolly	Maths (H)	III (Pass Out)
		1) B.Sc (H) Mathematics II Year Topper Meritorious Student of Academic yr 2020-23	Niharika	Maths (H)	III (Pass Out)
		1) B.Sc (H) Mathematics II Year Topper Meritorious Student of Academic yr 2020-23	Shalu Bhati	Maths (H)	III (Pass Out)



		1) B.Sc (H) Mathematics II Year Topper Meritorious Student of Academic yr 2020-23	Vidushi Gupta	Maths (H)	III (Pass Out)
19	Best Mathematic Girl Student Award (2023)	Best performance in Maths recommended by Maths Dept.	Kesar Dhamija	Maths (H)	III (Pass Out)
20	Daulat Ram Educational Society Awards (2023)	a) Best Student Award (Recommended by Selection Committee)	Umaima	Maths (H)	III
		b) Best Sports Girl Award (Recommended by Sports Committee)	Manisha Sharma	B.A. (P)	III
		c) Outstanding Contribution to the College (in Extra Curricular Activities) (Recommended by NSS/SODC/Cultural Committee)	Ekta Sharma	Pol.Sc. (H)	III

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