

P.G.D.A.V. COLLEGE (EVE.)
(UNIVERSITY OF DELHI)
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Achievements of the teaching faculty:

Department of English:

Ms. Renuka Dhar Bazaz, from the Department of English, was part of a panel discussion on “The Truth behind Kashmiri Pandit Genocide in Kashmir” in March 2022. It was hosted by Hindu Janjagriti Samiti. In April, she was interviewed by India Today, ANI and several other news channels for her views on “The Kashmir Files”.

Ms. Priyanka Chatterjee was resource person for Bangla under the “Language Teaching Learning Programme” of the college. The online class for the course took place weekly from 5th August, 2021 to 28th November, 2021.

Department of History:

Dr Mridula Arora, from the Department of History, contributed a chapter in a book published by the Publication Bureau of Punjabi University, Patiala, 2021. The title of the chapter was “Dara Shukoh: Quest for Interfaith Understanding.”

Dr Shruti Vip delivered a series of lectures as a part of the online lecture series of UGC, CEC from April 2021 to April 2022 on the topics “Inequality and Difference” (4 lectures) and “Women in Indian History from 1500-1950 CE” (10 lectures). She delivered a special lecture on International World Heritage Day 2022 on 18th April 2022 under the aegis of Inter University Accelerator Centre, UGC, CEC initiative of distance learning. She delivered a special sign language lecture on ‘Colonialism and Nationalism’ on 4th April 2022 under the aegis of Inter University Accelerator Centre, UGC, CEC initiative of distance learning, as well as a lecture on International Women’s Day on March 8th 2022 under the aegis of Inter University Accelerator Centre, UGC, CEC initiative of distance learning. Dr Vip delivered special lectures on “Elimination of Violence Against Women” on 25th November 2021 under the aegis of Inter University Accelerator Centre, UGC, CEC initiative of distance learning and on “Human Rights” on 10th Dec 2021 under the aegis of Inter University Accelerator Centre, UGC, CEC initiative of distance learning. She prepared the question paper for Open book Examination UG Courses May-July, 2022 as the Convenor of the paper “National Liberation Movements in 20th century.”

Department of Economics:

Ms. Geeta Ahuja, from the Department of Economics, was promoted to Associate Professorship during 2021-22

Department of Mathematics:

Lt Hari Pratap, from the Department of Mathematics, published his research paper titled "Comparative Study of DST Interpolation Approach of Fractional Order" in the Journal of Mathematics and Computational Sciences, 2021. His paper on "Design Flaws and Cryptanalysis of a Lightweight Mutual Authentication Protocol for V2V Communication in Internet of Vehicles Number" was accepted in 3rd International Conference on Machine Learning, Advances in Computing, Renewable Energy and Communication in 2021.

Department of Hindi:

Dr Dimple Gupta, from the Department of Hindi, presented a research paper on the topic "Tejindra Sharma in the context of Pravasi Literature" in the two days International Conference organised by the Department of Hindi of Janki Devi Memorial College in collaboration with the Literature Accumulation Dialogue Foundation on 30 -31 Oct 2021. The said paper was published in the book named " Samkalin Sahitya Avem Hindi Paridrishya", printed by the publishing house Sahitya Sanchay, Sonia Vihar, Delhi in the year 2021. Her article titled, "Aadivasi Sahitya Aur Sanskriti" was published in the book named "Aadivasi Samaj Aur Sahitya" by the publishing house Anugya Books, West Gorakh Park, Shahdara, Delhi in the year 2021. Dr Gupta's article titled, "Chhayawadi Kavi Nirala ki Rashtriya Chetna" was published in the peer - reviewed research journal Sahridya, Part 1(July -Dec 2021) edition.

Department of Commerce:

Mr. Ramesh Kumar, from the Department of Commerce, published the research paper entitled

‘A Study on significance and impact of Corporate Governance: A Generic Analysis’ in Empirical Economics Letters (ABDC Index Journal) a monthly international Journal of Economics, Special Issue 2, October 2021 "Practices of Business Management and Economics in Research, ISSN 1681 8997. He published a chapter in a book entitled ‘Role of E-Marketing in Education sector during Pandemic, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.52458/9789391842567.2022.EB> ISBN: 978-93-91842-56-7. He issued the following patents: Patent (2021105621)- ‘A System of Basel 5 Accord for Risk Managements in Banks,’ Patent number (2021104461) Derivative Trading Assessment System and Method Based on Machine Learning. Mr. Ramesh Kumar attended the Online National Workshop on Research Methodology & Data Analysis held from February 22-28, 2022, BPSMV Sonipat. His books entitled Security Analysis and Portfolio Management, Scientific International Publication House (SIPH), ISBN: 978-93-92992-67-4 and Business Finance, Scientific

International Publication House (SIPH), ISBN: 978-93-94002-25-8 were published. He was also the editor of the book entitled 'E- Learning Management - A Modern Approach to Digital India & Challenges in 21st Century' DOI: <https://doi.org/10.52458/9789391842567.2022.EB> ISBN: 978-93-91842-56-7.

Dr Sonika Nagpal published a research paper titled "Impact of Pandemic Communication on Brand-Specific Outcomes: Testing the Moderating Role of Brand Attitude and Product Category" in "Journal of Creative Communications", January 2022.

Dr Karishma Saraswat published a research paper on the topic "Strategic Analysis of Merger between Kotak Mahindra Bank and ING Vysya Bank using CAMEL Approach - for 5 years Pre and Post merger" in a peer reviewed journal named "Empirical Economics Letters" Vol. 20 (ISSN: 1681-8997) during May 2022.

Department of Environmental Studies:

Dr Mayank Pandey, from the Department of Environmental Studies, published the article "Impact of Covid-19 induced lockdown and unlock down phases on the ambient air quality of Delhi, Capital City of India" in *Urban Climate* 39, 100945 and नवीकरणीय ऊर्जा संसाधन in Publications Division, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Govt. of India. ISBN: 978-93-5409-172-8. He was awarded the First Prize at National Level under 'Akshay Urja Yojana (अक्षय ऊर्जा योजना)' by Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Govt. of India for the book नवीकरणीय ऊर्जा संसाधन (Publications Division, Govt. of India ISBN: 978-93-5409-172-8). Dr Pandey participated in the online two-week refresher course on "21st Century Environmental Issues, Challenges and Solution" organized by Teaching Learning Centre and Department of Environmental Studies, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi under the aegis of Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching, Ministry of Education from July 15 to July 29, 2021. He participated in the one-week online Faculty Development Program on "MOOCs and e-learning in context of National Education Policy" organized by Delhi School of Public Policy and Governance, Institution of Eminence, University of Delhi, in collaboration with National Law University and Judicial Academy, Assam and Bhartiya Shikshan Mandal and National Institute of Open Schooling, Ministry of Education, Government of India from October 18 to October 24, 2021 as well as the three-day Online Process Orientation Training Programme on "Child Centric Disaster Risk Reduction" jointly organized by the National Institute of Disaster Management and Central University of Jharkhand from October 20 to October 22, 2021 and the online two-Week Inter-Disciplinary Refresher Course (Environmental Studies) on "Environment and Human Health" organized by Teaching Learning Centre and Department of Environmental Studies, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi under the aegis of Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching, Ministry of Education from March 28 to April 11, 2021.

Department of Physical Education:

Dr Parmod Kumar Sethi from the Department of Physical Education was appointed as an external expert to evaluate the synopsis of the PhD scholars in the department of Physical Education by the Vice-Chancellor, DAV University, Jalandhar, Punjab on 8 & 9 April, 2022. He was appointed as of examiner for evaluation of the Ph. D thesis of Physical Education of Mewar University and Bhupal Nobles University, Rajasthan, 2022. His research paper titled “Technological Advancement in Olympic Weightlifting” was published in the peer reviewed and referred Journal of Sports Science and Nutrition, Vol-2, Issue-, Jul-Dec, 2021. Another research paper titled “Relationship between Quadriceps, Gluteus and Hip flexors Muscle Power and Olympic Weightlifting skills Performance” was published in the peer reviewed and refereed International Journal of Physiology, Nutrition and Physical Education, Vol-7, Issue 1, Jan-Jun 2022. His book titled “Basic Principles of Sports Training” was published in Sports Publication, 7/26, Ansari Road, New Delhi, 2022. Dr Sethi delivered a guest lecture on “Sports Training” at Department of Physical Education, DAV University, Jalandhar, Punjab on 8 -9 April, 2022. He was appointed member of Committee of Delhi University Sports Quota Admission, 2021-2022, Convenor of selection trial committee of Delhi University weightlifting team which participated in all India inter-university championship by Delhi University Sports Council, University of Delhi, 2021-2022 and as member of selection trial committee of Delhi University Judo team which participated in all India inter-university championship by Delhi University Sports Council, University of Delhi, 2021-2022. He was appointed as a Convenor and Member of Board of Examiners to set the theory question paper of B.A (Prog) Delhi University as well as Internal Examiner to Practical of B.A (Prog) 4th & 6th semester students of our College 2021-2022, External Examiners to Practical of Master of Physical Education (MPS) 4th Semester and B.Sc. Physical Education & 6th semester students of India Gandhi Institute of Physical Education and Sports Sciences, University of Delhi, paper setter for B.A 2nd (Yoga) by Examination Controller at Sree Kalla ji Vedic University, Chittorgarh, Rajasthan.

Report of the College Cells, Clubs, Committees and Societies:

Culture and Ethics Cell **Bazaz**

Convenor: Ms. Renuka Dhar

The ‘Culture and Ethics cell’ of P.G.D.A.V Evening has organised many informative, grounding and panoramic events vis-a-vis our cultural ethos. For instance, on the occasion of

International Mother Language Day, a folk song singing programme was held, in which both the students and faculty took part enthusiastically. Mr Anil Swadeshi, Ms. Renuka Dhar Bazaz and Professor Sanjay Kumar as Convenors, along with Dr Gangmei Angela as Co-Convenor, made sure that the event went on smoothly along with managing it with great fervour. The Principal Professor R.K. Gupta, presided over the event and added value to the discussions. The Chief Guest for the event, Mr Ravinder Sharma also contributed constructively to the discussions while ardently adding the folk flavour of Punjab in the event. The idea of India as a storehouse of multi-cultural identities was celebrated with great fervour. The event was enlightening and threw light on how crucial it is for us to keep our uniqueness intact, how in order to reach our full potential, we need to whole heartedly accept our roots and show consideration and sensitivity for all indigenous cultural practices. It is not just about weaning ourselves from the global, it is more about finding a fine balance between the local and global and ultimately aiming for a 'conversation between equals' in every true sense. Then, on February 25th, 2022 a programme was held in the honour of our college's patron saint Maharishi Dayanand Saraswati Ji, to mark his birth anniversary. The event saw a plethora of wonderful facts related to the life of both our patron saint and the Vedas. The significance of the college's name (Pannalal Girdharilal Dayanand Anglo-Vedic) and how greatly the tenets of its workings are influenced by the persona and teachings of Maharishi Dayanand Swami was explicated with great passion and gratitude. The event was very well managed by Professor Sanjay Kumar, Dr Yogesh Sharma, Ms. Renuka Dhar Bazaz, Dr Mita Bhatnagar as Convenors and was presided over by our respected Principal Sir, Dr Ravinder Kumar Gupta. The major highlight of the event was the manner in which the Chief Guest, Dr Kamdev Jha (DAV College, Pehowa, Haryana) introduced so many eye-opening facts about our Vedas and their teachings. He drew many analogies from the current world crisis and how the very key to resolving such skirmishes and conflicts lie in the study our Vedas as propagated by Dayananda Swami. He gave marvellous examples of how the Vedas lead us to a better understanding of the principles to be followed in order to accomplish the ideals of women empowerment and equality. The event was both enlightening and instructive for all the audience, no doubt. On the 14th of March, 2022 the 'Culture and Ethics Cell' held an introductory talk in order to introduce an add on course on 'Mind Management through Bhagavat Gita' in collaboration with ISKCON. The event was nothing short of a mesmerising experience of enlightenment and exhilaration and was held under the Convenorship of Ms. Renuka Dhar Bazaz, Dr Meena Sharma, Dr Krishna Sharma, Dr Mita Bhatnagar, Dr Sanjay Kumar and Dr Yogesh Sharma. There were two chief speakers, H.G. Umapati Das and Nitin Prabhu both from ISKCON. The event was presided over by the Principal Professor R. K Gupta. Both the speakers inspired everyone with their vast knowledge in all walks of life. H.G. Umapati explicated very many secrets to a balanced life in all its vastness. Mr Nitin Prabhu not only inspired as a spiritual guide but baffled everyone with an impeccable academic career. Along with his association with ISKCON he continues to awe inspire everyone with his versatile personality manifesting the conjunction of science and spiritualism in all its uniqueness. The 'Culture and Ethics Cell' strives to continuously work for the betterment of students in particular and the society in general.

Commerce Association

Convenor: Dr Anita Bajaj

President: Hemant Bisht

The Commerce Association organised a sphere of activities, innovative ideas, and a plethora of educative and informative sessions. After intensive personal interviews on 10th August 2021, 18 deserving Cabinet members were inducted in the commerce association for the academic year 2021-22, in an investiture ceremony aptly titled 'Enthroned'. The association also launched the inaugural issue of our bi-annual newsletter "Vanijya". It was followed by an orientation programme on 23/09/21 for all the newly recruited cabinet members who participated with great zeal and enthusiasm. They were briefed about the dynamics of the association and the working of its various departments and the importance of leadership and team work to bring out the best result. The association organised an online quiz competition from 1st-3rd September 2021, called "insQuiz" which was advertised through social media handles like Instagram, Facebook and LinkedIn. On each day of the quiz, questions were asked from different domains and more than eighty students participated. An online workshop on a very pertinent topic of "LinkedIn Profile and Network Building" in collaboration with "The Mister Intern Project" of the Rotaract Club was organised on 12/09/2021 on Google Meet which garnered an overwhelming response from the students. The speaker was Ms. Dhairya Gangwani, founder of "Dhairya Decodes" who has one of the top 15 LinkedIn profiles in India. She is also working as SAP Analyst at KPMG. She briefed the students on how to build a good profile on LinkedIn. Another feather in our cap was a series of "Start-Up Tales" which featured a case study analysis of Zerodha with its founder Mr Nithin Kamath on 27/09/21 who heads India's largest stock brokerage firm based in Bengaluru, Karnataka. It provides financial services like retail brokerage, currencies and commodities trading, mutual funds and bonds. The Zero Commission model has attracted consumers and provided tough competition to other brokers. Another Start-Up talk show, "Candidly" was also organised on 28/09/2021, with Ms. Shivani Khatri, the founder and owner of "Be You", an online accessories store. She shared her story and experiences and provided insights behind the formation and operations of a start-up with the students in a live session. She runs a start-up along with working at Accenture. Such motivating talks by entrepreneurs create a meaningful learning experience for the students interested in becoming successful entrepreneurs in the future. A webinar on "When and How to make your First Investment?" by Arpit Gupta, Alumini IIM Lucknow, a financial literacy coach and co-founder of Cerebro Team was organised on 24/11/2021 on Google Meet platform. The main objective was to inculcate a system of financial planning and investment for students to make them financially literate. He also gave valuable insights about the investment acumen in students. Continuing with the edition of Start-Up Tales, a case study of SHARE CHAT a content sharing platform, was conducted on 19/11/2021. It is an inspiring story of an Indian Social Networking Media whose founders are three IIT graduates Ankush Sachdeva, Farid Ahsan and Bhanu Singh who created the Moj App. It has 250 million monthly active users across 15 Indian languages. These case studies help inculcate an entrepreneurial mindset in

the students. A recruitment drive was conducted for our enthusiastic and dynamic first year students who wanted to be a part of “Club Elite” on 19/12/2021. They went through rigorous personal interviews and group discussion sessions which enhanced their in-house exposure and real time learning experiences. An online Orientation Programme was organised on 9/1/2022 for the newly recruited members. They were acquainted with a comprehensive list of activities undertaken by the association. Regular updates on the highlights of the week in business are posted on our social media handles. A new segment “COMMPEDIA” – The Commerce Encyclopaedia was launched on 17/01/2022 on Instagram for sharing content relating to finance, marketing, HR and management and CSR. These were segmented in the week as “ Marketing Monday” with snippets from the latest marketing and branding strategies in the corporate world like deciphering the hidden meanings in logos etc., “Finance Friday” explained in a subtle way the nuances of how Finance and Economics regulate are day to day lives and decision making like Offsetting Behaviour, Rational Choice Theory, Shadow Bank, The Output Gap etc., HR and Management segments relating to leadership, mentoring, Competence Management and Performance Evaluation, CSR series related to the various measures to improve corporate governance in India. The much-awaited annual festival, COMMANTRA – 22, of the Commerce Association was organised on 12th and 13th February 2022. A new benchmark was set as we received more than 2000 entries pan India for our innovative and extremely informative events. These were, ANVESHAN – Research Paper Presentation, SQUID GAME – a survival of the fittest ubiquitous game, which was a stress buster for the participants, DECIPHER – O – SITCH – a case study solving competition which was an extremely vigorous and gruelling event, ADSTA LA VISTA – ad making competition whose tagline was “ Creativity without strategy is called act, but creativity with strategy is called advertisement”, INVEST – O – LEAGUE “Plan the trade and trade the plan” was the tagline of the event, while the main objective was researching and analysing financial concepts and investment decision, OTAKU KONEKUTO- The Anime Quiz wherein Anime fans competed to find their one piece. The resounding success of the event was indicative of a record number of entries received for all our events. It kept the students and the faculty members captivated and enthralled with the enormity of information available in the corporate universe. The participants came from every corner of India including all colleges of DU, IIMs., and other management institutes. Our educational partner was WEGROW’, media partners and sponsors were Final Revise, Ensemble, Start-up News, DU Competition, Festmate, DU Unify, Social Media Agency, DU News UpToDate and Competition Generator. “Abhinandan”, the online Fresher’s Party was organised on 9/04/2022 on Google Meet. The enthusiasm and participation of the first-year students was contagious and is definitely a precursor to what the future holds for them in the college. The event had various entertaining and intellectual rounds to find the best among them. The IQAC, Buniyad Education Society and Commerce Association jointly held a webinar on the topic “FUNDAMENTALS OF SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT” on 12/4/22 on the online platform Google Meet by Professor Nachiappan Subramaniam [Operations and Logistics Management and Supply Chains Science Policy Research Unit] University of Sussex Business School, England was the keynote speaker of the program. He elaborated and delivered detailed knowledge about various aspects of Supply Chain Management. This eventful year culminated with a farewell and felicitation ceremony “KRITAGYA” in

appreciation of our effervescent, dynamic, and enthusiastic members of the Commerce Association. Their tireless efforts and full cooperation extended towards the association at all times is creditable.

Marketing and Consumer Awareness Club

Convenor: Dr Anita Bajaj

The objective of the Marketing and Consumer Awareness club is to provide information and insights into paradigm of research and the contemporary issues and trends in the area of marketing like holding seminars and webinars for the benefit of students to broaden their understanding of various concepts of marketing and providing them a platform to exhibit their skills and apply their knowledge. The students are given exposure to the latest trends in marketing like Digital Marketing, Affiliate Marketing, Experiential marketing, Buzz Marketing, Relationship Marketing, Green / Sustainable Marketing, CRM, Rural Marketing, Influencer Marketing, Cause Marketing, Sports Marketing and Guerrilla Marketing etc. This is a vibrant and dynamic club which polishes the managerial and leadership skills of students and contributes to their holistic development. With the objective of providing information and insights in the field of research and trends in marketing, Zest – The Marketing and Consumer Awareness Club of P.G.D.A.V College (Evening) was formed in 2018. In furtherance of this objective the club organised two competitions for the students on January 20th and 21st, 2022, virtually through Google meet. The event started with a formal welcome note by Dr Anita Bajaj, the convenor of the Marketing Club. She acquainted the attendees with the major idea behind organizing these competitions. The events were organized with a student-centric approach and the main objective was to broaden their understanding of various Marketing concepts and provide a platform where they can apply their knowledge and sharpen their skills, she said. The first competition was Mark-Quiz, The Marketing Quiz Competition, which was organized on Jan 20th, 2022 at 11:00 am so as to test the knowledge and skills of students in the area of Business and Marketing. More than 60 students registered for the event. The students were sent a Google Form containing certain questions which they had to answer and send their responses within the allotted time limit. The first three winners of this competition were Kritika Gupta, Sachin Kathuria and Vikhyat Mishra who submitted their response in record time. The second competition was Bizz-Pitch, The Business Plan Competition, which was organized on Jan 21st, 2022 at 10:00 am. The idea behind this competition was to provide a meaningful learning experience to students interested in pursuing an entrepreneurial opportunity at some point in their careers. The participants had to conceive an idea of a new service or product offering and create a viable business plan and successfully pitch it through an appealing presentation. Pranav Gaur and Kashish Singh, the hosts of the event then invited the participants to present their business plans on the allotted product lines. The participants outperformed the expectations of the audience with their presentations through PPTs. They explained their proposals with the major focus on the Marketing and financial projections so as to make a compelling argument for their business ideas. The winners of the competition were Shashank Pathak and Nikhil Bansal who presented their ideas on creating an organic beverage and a fungible car respectively. The event concluded with the valuable feedback of the judges Dr Sonika Nagpal and Dr Karishma

Saraswat and a formal vote of thanks by Hemant Bisht, the student coordinator of Zest. Zest-The Marketing Club, Career Guidance Committee and Skill and Innovation & Entrepreneurship Cell (SIEC) of P.G.D.A.V College (E). Under the guidance of the Convenor Dr Anita Bajaj, the club organized a webinar on Digital Marketing on November 24th, 2021 on the online platform Zoom. Dr Kalpana Kumaran, Associate Professor and HOD-PGDM Digital Marketing & Transformation, ITM Business School was the key speaker of the program. She elaborated various aspects of Digital Marketing such as the difference between e-commerce and e-business, shifting from e-commerce to e-business, interrelation between smart phones, internet and data, loosing privacy due to internet, artificial intelligence, search engine optimization and significance of truthfulness of information. While mentioning the example of the company TARGET, she emphasized upon the importance of Information as money and lifeline of Digital Marketing. She also elaborated on various advantages of Digital Marketing e.g.: a two-way communication, faster ROI, targeted audience causing lesser wastage of money and higher probability of prospects turning into buyers followed by the need of matching skill set with industrial expectations and exponentially increasing role of Digital Marketing in almost all the industries. She also enlightened the students on practical approaches as well as future scope of this domain. The event concluded with a question-and-answer session in which the students satisfied their inquisitiveness by asking several interesting questions about digital marketing from the speaker. The program concluded with a vote of thanks to the organizing team and all the participants of the webinar.

Srishti – Environment Society

Convenor: Dr Mayank Pandey

Srishti - the Environment Society, in collaboration with '*Bhartiyam*' – an organization working for the development of urban forests and lake rejuvenation, conducted a plantation drive to convert wasteland into an urban forest on July 16, 2021. The Principal Professor R.K. Gupta, Dr Mayank Pandey, Dr P.K. Sethi, Mr Vijay Pal and Team *Bhartiyam* were present along with a large number of student volunteers from Srishti- the Environment Society of the college during the plantation drive. Nearly 60 saplings of native species were planted including *Jamun*, *Bamboo*, *Ashwagandha*, *Bel* etc. The event was covered broadcasted by the reputed electronic media – AAJ TAK. Under Project *Ashiyana*, student volunteers of Srishti made durable artificial nest of different materials which will be installed at various places in the college premises to provide shelter and food for the birds. On the occasion of Global Tiger Day, a webinar was organized virtually on July 29, 2021 (Thursday) from 11:00 am onwards via Google Meet. Mr Deb Ranjan Laha, Project Co-Ordinator, MS.TrIPES, WII-NTCA Tiger Cell, Dehradun was invited to give a talk on 'Carnivore Conservation in India'. Nearly 70 students participated in the webinar. On the occasion of International Day for the Preservation of Ozone Layer 2021 (World Ozone Day 2021) a webinar was conducted jointly by Srishti, SAVI and IQAC on September 17, 2021 (Friday) from 11:00 am onwards using Google Meet Platform. The topic of the webinar was Ozone for Life: Preserving Ozone Layer. The speaker of the webinar was Dr Kirpa Ram, Assistant Professor, Institute of Environment and Sustainable Development, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi. Total 74 students and faculty members were present during the webinar. In

collaboration with the 'Harela Foundation' represented by Mr Sandeep Balyan, Srishti conducted a plantation drive on September 20, 2021 from 5:00 pm onwards within the college premise wherein a variety of native plant saplings were planted. Principal Professor R.K. Gupta, Dr Mayank Pandey, Convenor, Srishti and 10 student volunteers of Srishti were present during the plantation drive. Under the Vidya Vistar Scheme, Srishti, in collaboration with the IQAC and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav cell, organized a webinar on Pond Rejuvenation on September 30, 2021 (Thursday) via Cisco Webex platform. Mr Ramveer Tanwar (Pondman of India) was the speaker during the event who spoke about the water conservation through pond rejuvenation. Total fifty-two participants were present during the webinar. IQAC Convenor Dr Sanjay Kumar, Dr Mita Bhatnagar (Nodal officer, Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav), Dr Krishna Shukla, Coordinator, Vidya Vistar Scheme and Dr Mayank Pandey, Convenor, Srishti were present along with the members of the colleges under Vidya Vistar Scheme. Under the aegis of Srishti, a bird watching club was established on October 23, 2021 (Saturday) in the presence of Dr Mayank Pandey, Convenor, Srishti and Mr Sumit Kumar, wildlife photographer, birding expert and life member of Bombay Natural History Society (BNHS). A presentation on basic aspects of birding was given by Mr Sumit Kumar before the students. After that, Dr Mayank Pandey and Mr Sumit took the group of students to a round of the college campus for field exposure where students learnt about the basics of birding and recognized thirteen species of the birds. This is a continuous process and various birding events will be conducted by the club in future. Under the Vidya Vistar Scheme, Srishti, in collaboration with the IQAC and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav cell, organized a webinar on 'Snow Leopard and its Conservation in India' on October 27, 2021 via Cisco Webex Platform. Dr Yash Veer Bhatnagar, eminent scientist, Nature Conservation Forum (NCF), Mysore was the invited speaker of the webinar who spoke about the Snow Leopard, their ecosystem, threats to the snow leopards and their conservation strategies. A large number of participants joined the webinar along with the Principal Professor R.K. Gupta, Dr Mita Bhatnagar, Nodal officer, Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, Dr Krishna Shukla, Coordinator, Vidya Vistar Scheme and Dr Mayank Pandey, Convenor, Srishti. Fifteen students of Vihang club visited Okhla Bird Sanctuary on October 30, 2021 and did birding from 7:30 am to 1:00 pm. Dr Mayank Pandey, Convenor, Srishti and Mr Sumit Kumar Sum, eminent wildlife photographer, life member, BNHS and birding expert were present during the trip. The Govt. of U.P. organized a 'Run for Ganga' at the Okhla Bird Sanctuary on 3rd November, 2021 from 7:00 am to 8:00 am onwards for creating mass awareness for Clean River Ganga. Eleven students participated in the event. Under the Vidya Vistar Scheme, Srishti, in collaboration with the IQAC, Waste Management Committee, NSS and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav cell, organized a webinar on 'Waste Segregation, Reuse and Recycling: Biggest Challenge and Opportunity for Waste Management' on November 08, 2021 (Monday) from 11:00 am onwards via Cisco Webex Platform. Dr Suneel Pandey, Director, Environment & Waste Management, TERI, Delhi was the invited speaker of the webinar who spoke about the solid waste management which has become a nuisance for the entire globe. A large number of participants joined the webinar along with the Principal Professor R.K. Gupta, Professor Sanjay Kumar, Convenor, IQAC, Dr Mita Bhatnagar (Nodal officer, Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav), Dr Krishna Shukla, Coordinator, Vidya Vistar Scheme, Dr Punit Chandala, Program Officer, NSS and Dr Mayank Pandey, Convenor, Srishti and Waste Management

Committee. Under the Vidya Vistar Scheme, in collaboration with the IQAC and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav cell, organized a webinar on 'Introduction to Birds and their Conservation' on November 13 via Cisco Webex Platform. Mr Arvind Mishra, eminent Ornithologist and also known as the 'Birdman of Bihar' was the invited speaker of the webinar who spoke about the introduction of birds and their conservation. A large number of participants joined the webinar along with the Principal Professor R.K. Gupta, Dr Mita Bhatnagar (Nodal officer, Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav), Dr Krishna Shukla, Coordinator, Vidya Vistar Scheme and Dr Mayank Pandey, Convenor, Srishti. Under the Vidya Vistar Scheme, Srishti – the Environment Society of the college, in collaboration with the IQAC and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav cell, organized a webinar on 'Sarus Crane – An Icon of Wetland Ecosystem' on February 2, 2022, Wednesday (World Wetlands Day 2022) from 11:00 am onwards via Cisco Webex Platform. Dr Samir Kumar Sinha, Head of Conservation, Wildlife Trust of India' was the invited speaker of the webinar who spoke about the role of wetlands in the conservation of Sarus Crane. A large number of participants joined the webinar along with the Principal Professor R.K. Gupta, Dr Sanjay Kumar, Convenor, IQAC, Dr Mita Bhatnagar (Nodal officer, Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav), Dr Krishna Shukla, Coordinator, Vidya Vistar Scheme and Dr Mayank Pandey, Convenor, Srishti. This event was also registered with the official website of World Wetlands Day under Add your Event Section (https://www.worldwetlandsday.org/displayevent?p_p_id=eventDisplay&eventEntryId=966938&redirect=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.worldwetlandsday.org%2Fevents%23event966938).

The Principal Professor R.K. Gupta also made the official declaration about the formation of *Vihang* – the birding club of Srishti. A video clip on Vihang club was also screened and uploaded on the YouTube Channel (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OB11XdevOqk&t=2413s>) of the college. On the occasion of WWD 2022, Srishti also organized Srijan – Best out of Waste – an inter-college competition where the society received twenty-four entries out of which best three entries were selected as winners for the first, second and third position. Cash prizes and certificate of merit were given to the winners while all the participants and volunteers were awarded certificate of participation and certificate of appreciation respectively. *Vihang* – the birding club of Srishti participated in the global event, Great Backyard Bird Count 2022 from February 18 – 21, 2022 within the college premise where the *Vihang* members identified different bird species. The list of identified bird species has been uploaded on the e-bird app. The college has been awarded certificate for the same activity. The student's team of Srishti and Vihang participated in DDA's Celebration of "Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav" held at Yamuna Biodiversity Park "*Jagrukta Abhiyan*" on February 26, 2022. Students did birding in the first and second phase of the park followed by nature's walk within the first phase of the park. Students also visited the Nature Interpretation Centre (NIC) of the park. Dr Mayank Pandey was present along with twenty-four students from the college. Dr Faiyaz A. Khudsar, Dr Ekta Khurana, Dr A.K. Singh from the park addressed and guided the students. Print media covered the entire event.

Students of Vihang club visited Okhla Bird Sanctuary on March 05, 2022 and did birding from 7:30 am to 1:00 pm. Dr Mayank Pandey, Convenor, Srishti and Mr Sumit Kumar Sum, eminent wildlife photographer, life member, BNHS and birding expert were present during

the trip. A seminar was jointly organized by Rashtriya Swabhiman Andolan and Yamuna Mission on April 12, 2022 (Tuesday) at Talkatora indoor stadium (Delhi) from 10:00 am onwards to make people aware about the pathetic conditions of Indian rivers. Eminent scientists and workers presented and discuss about the issues and challenges of Indian rivers and their practical solutions. Dr Mayank Pandey represented the college in the seminar. Total thirty-one students of the college participated in the seminar.

Waste Management Committee
Pandey

Convenor: Dr Mayank

The college has collaborated with 'Jagruti' - waste paper recycling services for effective waste paper management. For the collection of paper waste, 'Jagruti' staff visited the college on September 27, 2021 and collected 1896.04 kg of waste paper. In return, 'Jagruti' provided 30 reams. of A4 paper (70 gsm) and certificate of recycling to the college. The biodegradable waste (kitchen waste, left-over food, gardening waste etc.) of the college is converted to manure using in-house compost pit. At present, 350-400 kg (approx.) compost has been formed, which will be used as manure for gardening purpose. Also, the WMC and ENACTUS (Convenor- Dr Sonia Dhingra) jointly came together to make packets of manure (5 kg each) formed in the compost pits and sell the packets to the teaching & non-teaching staff, students and outsiders at highly subsidized rate (Rs 30 per kg). Scrap disposal drive was carried out on March 04, 2022 where various scrap was sold to the local scrap dealer. Sum of total Rs 14350.00 (Fourteen Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty only) was given by the scrap dealer. Under the Vidya Vistar Scheme, *Srishti*, in collaboration with the IQAC, Waste Management Committee, NSS and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav cell, organized a webinar on 'Waste Segregation, Reuse and Recycling: Biggest Challenge and Opportunity for Waste Management' on November 08, 2021 via Cisco Webex Platform (Link: <https://pgdaveevening.webex.com/pgdaveevening/j.php?MTID=m58c22e7bde6237a7fb478e8d01e5c8fb>). Dr Suneel Pandey, Director, Environment & Waste Management, TERI, Delhi was the invited speaker of the webinar who spoke about the solid waste management which has become a nuisance for the entire globe. A large number of participants joined the webinar along with the Principal Professor R.K. Gupta, Professor Sanjay Kumar, Convenor, IQAC, Dr Mita Bhatnagar (Nodal officer, Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav), Dr Krishna Shukla, Coordinator, Vidya Vistar Scheme, Dr Punit Chandala, Program Officer, NSS and Dr Mayank Pandey, Convenor, Srishti and Waste Management Committee.

SAVI – Students' Association for Verbal Interaction

Convenor: Dr Mayank Pandey

On the occasion of International Day for the Preservation of Ozone Layer 2021 (World Ozone Day 2021) a webinar was conducted jointly by Srishti, SAVI and IQAC on September 17, 2021 (Friday). The topic of the webinar was Ozone for Life: Preserving Ozone Layer. The speaker of the webinar was Dr Kirpa Ram, Assistant Professor, Institute of Environment and Sustainable Development, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi. For the year 2021, Vigilance

Awareness Week 2021 was observed from October 26 to November 1, 2021 with the theme Independent India @75: Self Reliance with Integrity (स्वतंत्र भारत @75: सत्यनिष्ठा से आत्मनिर्भरता). Students' Association for Verbal Interaction (SAVI), IQAC and Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav cell of the college observed Vigilance Awareness Week 2021 in collaboration with the Central Bank of India on the same theme. SAVI conducted inter-college competitions (quiz and Just-a-Minute) on October 28, 2021 in the Old Seminar Hall of the college. The winners were awarded with cash prizes and certificate of merit while the participants were given the certificate of participation. SAVI organized its annual function in physical mode on September 13, 2021 onwards in old seminar hall of the college. The programme officially started by P.G.D.A.V. College (Evening) Gaan and later, SAVIans gave presentation on their activities and achievements. Principal Professor R.K. Gupta delivered his speech and interacted with the students. Trophies and badges were awarded to the past and present office bearers. Mr Vinod (Computer Lab) did the recording of the event. Library committee, in collaboration with the IQAC, SAVI, IT Cell, YUVA, Computerization and automation committee, Vidya Vistar Scheme and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav organized a webinar on Library Automation using KOHA (Open-Source Software) on March 16, 2022 on Google Meet. Mr Rajib Dutta, KOHA expert, Avior Technologies Pvt. Ltd. was the guest speaker of the webinar. On the occasion of *Bhartiya Nav Varsh* and Arya Samaj foundation day, a seminar was organized in collaboration with IQAC, YUVA, Culture and Ethics Cell, SAVI, Udaan, Sanskrit Parishad and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav on BHARTIYA NAV VARSH KI VAIGYANIKTA (भारतीय नववर्ष की वैज्ञानिकता) on April 06, 2022 in the college auditorium from 2:00 pm onwards. Shri Shankaranand, All India General Secretary, *Bhartiya Shikshan Mandal* was the guest speaker of the session. SAVI annually conducts inter-college competition – 'Tejas' which is very famous among the university students. This year also, SAVI virtually organized TEJAS MK VI on April 25, 2022. The competition was organized in two tiers; tier 1 – quiz and tier 2 – turncoat. More than fifty students registered themselves for the competition. Three winners (first, second and third prize) were awarded with prize and certificate of merit while the participants were awarded with the certificate of participation.

Cultural Committee

Convenor: Ms. Udita Agrawal

As part of the celebrations of 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav', the Cultural committee, in collaboration with NSS, Nepathya, Sankalp, NCC and Sports committee of the college organized an Online Cultural Program 'Prabodhan' on Aug 14, 2021. On this occasion (Retd.) Lieutenant General V.K. Chaturvedi was invited as the chief guest. A cultural programme was organized in which students of different societies of the college exhibited patriotism and sense of pride for the nation through songs, speeches and plays. A short play on the legendary freedom fighter Lala Lajpat Rai was presented by the students of 'Nepathya', the theatre team of the college. A presentation was made on 'Unsung Heroes' to commemorate the immortal sacrifices of those who gave their lives for the nation during the freedom struggle and remained unknown or unheralded. On November 23, 2021, the Art and Craft society, 'Indradhanush' along with the Cultural and Ethics Cell of the College organized a talk-cum-workshop on the topic 'Culture of Bharat and Folk Paintings'. The

guest speaker was Dr Ved Prakash Bharadwaj, an artist, art writer and a curator. There was 50+ registrations and the students participated with zeal and enthusiasm. Dr Bharadwaj beautifully explained different kinds of art forms. such as Madhubani Art, Gond Art, Warli art and many other forms. of folk art. He also demonstrated Warli and art forms. in front of the audience. Every year, the Cultural Committee of P.G.D.A.V. College (Eve.) hosts the much anticipated 'Talent Hunt', an annual event dedicated solely towards bringing out and highlighting the hidden talent as well as building up confidence in the freshers. This year too, this event was organized from 11th to 16th January, 2022 via virtual mode, under the expert leadership of Ms. Udit A Agrawal, the Convenor of the Cultural Society. Professor R.K. Gupta, the Principal of the College, graced the Closing Ceremony by addressing the attendees and inspiring the students with his words of wisdom. The 5-day event comprising of 10 competitions witnessed a huge participation with around 200 freshers exhibiting enormous zeal and enthusiasm in all the competitions. These competitions served as an opportunity to the freshers for showcasing their brilliance in several creative fields like singing, playing musical instruments, Indian and western dance, debate, poetry, essay-writing, story-telling, poster making and rangoli. Diversity was seen in the performances of all the participants, who gave their best in showcasing their hidden talents and outperformed everybody's expectations. The Cultural Committee, in collaboration with Gandhi Study Circle of P.G.D.A.V College (Eve), IQAC, Vidya Vistar Scheme and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrated Martyr's Day to pay homage to Mahatma Gandhi and to all the freedom fighters who fought and sacrificed their lives to provide freedom, welfare and progress of our country on January 30, 2022. Our Principal Professor R.K Gupta, the teaching staff along with students paid a floral tribute to Mahatma Gandhi. The program started with Gayatri Mantra and a formal welcome note by Ms. Sangeeta Sharma, the convenor of Gandhi Study Circle who well spoke about Mahatma Gandhi's works and all the landmark events. Dr R. K. Gupta, Principal of our college, graced the students with his words of wisdom. The NSS unit of college and 'Shadaj', the Music society paid tribute to Gandhiji through their video presentation and melodious songs. The Cultural committee of the college organized its annual cultural festival FALAK, on 15th -16th April, 2022. In the series of events marking *Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav*, the theme for the fest was taken as '*Bharat - Swarnim Itihas se Swarnim Bhavishya ki Or*'. Taking into account the Covid situation, this year's annual festival was conducted in virtual mode, and an overwhelming response was received from the participants with more than 600 entries in the 20 competitions. The two-day extravaganza provided a platform to the students from different colleges of the University of Delhi as well as other universities located in and around the National Capital Region of Delhi, to showcase their talents in a number of activities like solo and group dance, singing, instrumental music, debate, creative speaking, poetry, photography, poster making, rangoli, mehndi and many more. The inaugural ceremony was graced by Bhajan Samrat Padma Shri awardee Shri Anup Jalota ji, a renowned Indian singer and musician and actor. He began his address by highlighting the importance of art and music, especially spiritual music in our lives. He cited a few incidents from his life while highlighting the importance of spirituality and faith in what we do and also encouraged the students to make efforts while enjoying the things they like to do. He inspired the students to learn about the culture and the values of the nation and understand its importance, as it could lead them forward in their lives. He praised the college

for the theme of the festival and also appreciated the way our college encouraged the competitive spirit while emphasising that participating is more important than winning the competition. After his very erudite address he graciously accepted the request of our principal Dr R.K. Gupta, to sing a few lines from one of his most popular bhajans. In order to increase the viewership of this cultural extravaganza, the programmes were live streamed on YouTube. In addition to this, the students of the cultural society also brought laurels to the college by participating and winning prizes in several inter-college competitions throughout the year. The committee also conducted an online program on Feb 11, 2022 wherein the representatives of Ministry of Culture made presentations regarding the National Level

Competitions organized by the government under the initiative of Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav.

The resource persons informed the students about the competitions such as composition of Lori, Patriotic songs and Rangoli making and resolved their queries on these.

Internship and Placements Cell **Convenors: Dr Mridula Arora and Dr Anita Bajaj**

The pandemic proved to be very trying times as far as the opportunities for placements were concerned. Despite there not being many opportunities available, Shubham Kinger was selected for American Express, Rishabh Narula got selected in KPMG as Audit Analyst and Harshit Shukla got selected in Nulearn technologies. A team of Investors Clinic physically visited our college on 3 March 2022 and 33 students were short listed for the above company. Our cell had collaborated with Internshala which is a leading recruitment and training platform. In times of the pandemic this has functioned as a meeting ground of job seekers and internship seekers with start-ups, Corporates, SMEs, NGOs, and education institutes etc. the cell is proud to declare that it's all India ranking was 247 out of 1200 participants and the North zone ranking was 68 out of 488 participants.

FinShala – The Finance Club

Convenor: Mr Ramesh Kumar

An orientation programme of the club was organized on October 16, 2021 with the welcome of newly joined members of FinShala. In the orientation program the finance club also conducted events for the students. A webinar was organized on the topic 'Strategy and Guidance for MBA Aspirants' on November 9, 2021. The speaker of the webinar was Mehar Sindhu Batra, founder of MSB vision & career coach. She discussed in details the MBA entrance exam, admission procedure, strategy and institutions in India and foreign countries. On January 22, 2022 the club organized a webinar on the stock market. The speaker Mr. Venkata Sri Harsh, founder of Shine Projects delivered a lecture on career opportunities in the stock market. He also discussed the trading procedure in the Indian stock market. 'Vittamanthan' is an annual inter college national event of the FinShala, (finance club) of the Department of Commerce. On March 5th, 2022, the FinShala Club organized the 3rd edition of "Vittamanthan" this year in online mode. The event began with a welcome note from the

convener Sh. Ramesh Kumar in the presence of faculty members, office bearers and the students. There were four events scheduled simultaneously which immediately started after the opening ceremony. More than 1600 registrations were received for VittaManthan this year from all over India. Dr. Meenakashi Yadav was the teacher coordinator of VittaManthan22. The fest was organized for one day along with many competitions to encourage the students to find out their hidden talent and showcase their creativity. Mr. Aditya Jhawar was the Chief Guest of Vittamanthan 22. He is a youngest CA, CMA, and CS in the country. A large number of students participated in the event that reflected their passion and interest. The Chief Guest, Mr. Aditya Jhawar, gave a motivating speech. There were a total 3 rounds of competitions. Round one was elimination round (QUIZ). This was held on D2C Platform on 3rd March 2022. Round two was a binding round in which participants have to choose the sectors according to them but with a situation: IF Common Sector, Low Budget. IF Unusual Sector, More Budget. In the final round the participants had to bring their start-ups with the budget and sectors provided to them. Our honorable Principal, Prof. R.K Gupta, inspired and guided the students with his motivating words during the opening ceremony. The event was concluded by the feedback of the participants who were delighted with the event and appreciated the entire team for organizing such an event which encouraged them to learn more and explore their imagination. This annual fest was followed by a closing ceremony. A formal vote of thanks was presented by the FinShala Chief Coordinator Mr. Punral Gupta.

Virasat – The History Society

Convenor: Dr Mridula Arora

When the college opened for physical classes on 17 February 2022, an inter-section competition amongst the students who had History of India c.1700-1950 was held. The topic given was “India: A Pioneer of Other National Liberation Movements of the World in the Second Half of the 20th Century.” From the three sections approximately nine students participated in this activity. As James Bond movies are in the history syllabus in the context of the Cold War, so a collective screening was organised for the students of “Issues in World History: the 20th century” on 20th April 2022. The movies shown were ‘The Spy who loved Me’ and ‘The Golden Eye’. On the theme of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav students were asked to prepare posters for a month-long period (March to April) on different dimensions of Indian National Movement. In this activity they partook quite enthusiastically. Students of Radio and cinema students were shown the oldest silent movie ‘Jamai Babu 1926’ on 21 April, 2022.

Kautilya Parishad

Convenor: Ms. Geeta Ahuja

Kautilya Parishad, the society of the Department of Economics of our college, organised an online talk on the topic 'Indian Economy: Pre & Post Covid.' It was held by the Kautilya Parishad and the T.I.M.E Institute on 12 November, 2021. The guest speaker for the session was Tarannum Naseem Raza who is an engineer (Electronics & Telecommunications) plus an MBA. Ms. Geeta Ahuja, the Convenor, also guided the Kautilya Parishad in organizing a

webinar on "Career Options in Economics after Graduation" on 16th February, 2022. The speaker was Mr Neel Panicker, a senior faculty member at the T.I.M.E. Institute. Before the web talk, Harsh Raj and Shreya Thakur were announced as President and Vice President respectively. Ms. Tarannum started the talk with a presentation on what economy is and how it got impacted by COVID. She explained clearly how the poor people suffered. She also talked about how India tackled the situation and how the economy is coming back on track slowly. She also discussed how the world is taking various measures to tackle the situation caused by Covid and how the vaccine and vaccination is helping in boosting the economy. After she ended with this, students asked her various questions and she answered them all. The talk was a very informative and useful one enlightening everyone a lot about the economy and how we have taken steps to get back to normal.

Fractals – The Mathematics Society

Convenor: Lt Hari Pratap
President: Abhishek Kumar

Fractals, the Mathematics Society of P.G.D.A.V. College (Evening), organized many academic activities in the session 2021-22. It started its activities for the session, with the Freshers' Welcome "PRABHAV" on 22nd January 2022. On 12th March 2022, the Department of Mathematics and the Commerce Association, jointly organized a webinar on the topic "Optimization and Its Applications" in which Professor Aparna Mehra (Department of Mathematics, IIT Delhi) was the main speaker. Fractals organised its annual mathematical fest FUNDAMENTA-2k22 on 30th of April 2022. Various Inter-college competitions like Mathematical Quiz, Vedic Gyan and Mathematical Presentations were organised in FUNDAMENTA, in which students of Delhi University as well as many other universities also participated. Finally, Fractals organised its annual feature, the "Blessings party" for the outgoing Final Year students titled "SUBHECHHA" on 5th of May 2022.

Mother Tongue Cell

Convenor: Mr Anil Kumar Swadeshi

Co-Convenor: Dr Angela Gangmei

The cell started off with an event organised on 9th April, 2021 under the guidance of Principal Sir, where students of the college were invited to speak on the topic "My country My Pride" for 2 minutes in any regional/local language of India except English. Participants of the programme were students and teaching and non-teaching staff of the college, all of whom spoke proudly about the country's rich heritage of diversity in their respective mother tongues. The programme was a great success. The second programme organised by the cell was "Language Teaching Learning Programme". Students were given a choice of languages to opt from. The objective of the programme was to introduce students to the other languages of India besides their mother tongue. The first language to be taught was Bangla by our faculty member, Ms. Priyanka Chatterjee from the department of English. The class took

place once in a week. It started from 5th August, 2021 to 28th November, 2021. Another language, Punjabi, was also introduced soon after. The classes started on 21st August, 2021 to 12th February, 2022. It was taught by Parmeet Sir, faculty member, Department of Political Science. A Folk Song Singing programme was organised to celebrate “Matribhasha Diwas” on 21st February, 2022. Mr Ravindra Sharma, Programme Officer, North Zone Cultural Centre, Patiala was the chief guest of the programme. Students and teaching and non-teaching staff participated in large numbers and the programme was much-appreciated by the viewers.

MENTOR-MENTEE REPORT

Convenor: Ms Udit Agrawal

Co-convenor: Dr Uday Sharma

The college wishes to provide its students with an ideal, stress-free atmosphere, proper guidance, and counselling (academic as well as non-academic), the college has been following a mentor-mentee practice for the last few years. We have divided the students of the college into small groups and each group is allotted a member from the teaching faculty as MENTOR. Under the system, the information of mentor-mentee is displayed on the college website through two notices, one notice for the mentors along with the department wise teacher list was attached with it, in which in front of the teacher’s name their mentees class and roll numbers were given and another notice for the students along with the class wise list of students was attached, in which their mentor name was provided. The college also sent the email to the entire students, which contain the name of their mentor name and email id. The information of mentees, their phone number, and email ids are shared with the entire teachers through email. The list of mentees with their phone no. and mail ids for respective mentors is available on the college portal. So that mentor-mentee can meet each other frequently. If a girl student hesitates to share her problem with the male mentor, then she can share her problem with any female mentor. The MENTOR-MENTEE ratio for the session 2021-22 is 40.

Feedback Committee

Convenor: Ms. Udit Agrawal

Co-convenor: Mr Aditya Pratap Singh

P.G.D.A.V. College (Eve.) is taking feedback from the students for both semesters (even and odd) since the 2015 - 2016 session. After taking feedback through pen paper for one semester the whole process was shifted online. First online feedback was taken for odd

semester Jan - May 2016. Since then, the process is continuing. The feedback by students having at least 50% attendance in that particular semester is analysed. We also try to improve the feedback form based on changes in the college and other factors. Due to Covid19 circumstances, this year various parameters of feedback were based on online teaching learning process. College has started taking feedback from parents and employers this year and the process of taking feedback from Alumni is about to start. Feedback till even semester 2020 (i.e., Jan - May 2020) have been analysed and all the feedbacks till November - December 2021 has been collected from the students. Feedback analysis from July - November 2020 onwards are under process and will be completed very soon.

Enactus

Convenor: Ms. Sonia Dhingra

The Enactus team of twenty students of the college participated in Enactus India National competition held from 14- 21 August, 2021 and got participation certificates. The subject of the project was 'Leaf Plates'. A webinar was organised on 'Skill Improvement and Upskilling during Global Crisis' on January 15, 2022 in which Prof Khushboo Verma from ITM business school Navi Mumbai was the key speaker. Also, students had put up stall in college premises for sale of their products (pencil pouches, tote bags, grocery bags, lunch bags and masks) on 14th March, 2022, 29th March, 2022 and 12th April, 2022. The products were made out of surplus fabric in canvas material and denim under the ongoing project 'Vastu'.

Skill Innovation and Entrepreneurship Cell (SIEC)

Convenor: Ms. Sonia Dhingra

SIEC organised a webinar on topic 'Social Entrepreneurship' on 9th November, 2021 in which two budding entrepreneurs were the key speakers. Another webinar was organised on the topic 'Digital Marketing' on 24th November, 2021 in which Dr Kalpana Kumaran from ITM business school Navi Mumbai was the key speaker. A third webinar was organised on the topic 'Skill Improvement and & Upskilling During Global Crisis' on 15th January, 2022 in which Professor Khushboo Verma from ITM business school Navi Mumbai was the key speaker.

Institution's Innovation Council/NISP **IIC**

Ms. Sonia Dhingra President,

Dr Sonika Nagpal Nodal Officer, NISP

The Institution's Innovation Council of PGDAV College (E) constituted for the implementation of National Innovation and Start-up Policy of the Innovation Cell of Ministry of Education in the college, organized the following events under the guidance of Ms. Sonia Dhingra, President, IIC and Dr. Sonika Nagpal, Nodal officer, National Innovation & Startup

Policy (NISP): The cell organized a webinar on 'Social Entrepreneurship' on Nov 9, 2021. Mr. Shekhar Suman and Mr. Brijesh Juneja, Co-Founders of ISERD Analytics were invited as the speakers for the webinar. Mr. Shekhar spoke about the various steps involved in entrepreneurial process and emphasized upon the need of scalability and sustainability of any venture. Later, Mr. Brijesh discussed about the domain of Social Entrepreneurship and its relevance in the current scenario. He also talked about the Government initiatives such as Startup India, Standup India and explained the process of registration in the Startup India Portal. The cell, in collaboration with Zest- The Marketing Club and Career Guidance Committee of PGDAV College (E) organized a webinar on 'Digital Marketing' on November 24th 2021. Dr. Kalpana Kumaran, Associate Professor and HOD-PGDM Digital Marketing & Transformation, ITM Business School was the key speaker of the program. She elaborated various aspects of Digital Marketing such as the difference between e-commerce and e-business, shifting from e-commerce to e-business, artificial intelligence and search engine optimization. She also highlighted the benefits of running business on digital platforms. The cell in collaboration with Enactus, IQAC and Vidya Vistar Scheme, organised a webinar on the topic 'Skill Improvement and Upskilling During Global Crisis' on January 15th 2022 at the online platform Zoom. Prof. Khushboo Varma, an IT professional and full-time soft skills trainer at ITM Business School, Kharghar, Navi Mumbai was the key speaker. She elaborated the importance of upskilling soft and hard skills in the post-Covid times. She also mentioned about the importance of social media and networking sites in developing contacts with the professionals and the skills required to create good impression on people.

Industry Institution Interaction Cell **Sharma**

Convener Dr Jay Shankar

The industry institution Interaction Cell (III cell) was started in the year 2018 under the guidance of the Principal Prof. R.K Gupta, to cultivate symbiotic relationship between college and industry as well as college and other research institutes. The objectives of the cell is to provide ample opportunities for industry exposure to student and faculty through industry visits, summer internship and industry projects, to involve industry professionals in curriculum design, delivery and assessment so as to make student industry ready, to help industry professionals to upgrade their qualification, knowledge and skill through higher education, continuing education and training to help industries to solve their problems through research, training and consultancy. In light of the above-mentioned objectives, the cell organized a Virtual Trip To Textile Industry Of Kashi (Varanasi) on 29th Nov 2021. The guest speaker for the same was Mohd. Kaleem (Entrepreneur Trainer and Master Weaver). The activity was conducted on Zoom with approximately 90 students participating. As the result of the virtual trip students were able to know about the following features related to textile industry: knowledge of textile production process, names of different types of yarns, parts of knitting machine, washing and ironing, how to set up the industry etc. It was a beneficial virtual visit for the students as they interacted with the workers and gained practical knowledge about garment production right from the fabric to finished product.

Film Appreciation Committee
Mishra

Convenor: Dr Shruti Ranjana

The objective of this committee is to instil the spirit of nationalism, commitment towards their duties, sensitivity, and, philanthropy among the students of the college through exceptional films, in order to make them responsible citizens of our country. Developing and nurturing the creative abilities of the students is also an aim of this committee. In order to achieve the objectives, the committee conducted interviews to appoint student office-bearers, for the first time, in the months of December 2021 and January 2022, in which students from all three years were appointed to different posts like convenor, co-convenor and the like.

In order to educate students about the technical aspects of animated movies, the Committee organized a talk titled, 'A Rendezvous with the world of Animation' on April 11, 2022. On 8th and 9th of May 2022, the Film Appreciation Committee, in collaboration with Delhi Film Society (related to *Bhartiya Chitra Sadhna*) organized a two-day Short Film Exhibition Festival. In the festival, short films on various themes like 75 years of Independent India, Vocal for Local, Indian Culture and Values, Innovation, Family, Environment, Energy, Education and Skill Development, etc., were shown. The event was well appreciated by the students and faculty.

Ritva

Nodal Officer: Dr Dimple Gupta

Student Representatives: Stuti Dwivedi and Saloni

Tiwari

Ritva Society is a non- profitable organization whose objective is to create awareness in the society regarding menstruation, to make them understand that they should not feel guilty at the time of menstruation. Also, girls should follow cleanliness and should take full care of their health at the time of menstruation. An online inter-college debate competition 'Break The Silence 'was held on 7th November, 2021 by Ritva on the given topic. Students from different colleges participated in this debate competition with great spirit. Moreover, this competition motivated the young generation to think deeply on this sensitive issue. It was a great pleasure that along with the girls, the boys also participated in the competition. Adarsh Singh got the first prize in this competition. Ritva has been renamed as "Eartha" on 14th November, 2021 with an intention to expand its horizon and improve its ways of working in order to make it more effective and result oriented. In this series Eartha organised an online lecture on "The Role of Women in Freedom Struggle" on the occasion of "Rashtriya Balika Diwas.' In this lecture, Professor Nisha Rana from D.D.U College, who is also the Convenor of Medhavini Delhi Prant, was also present as keynote speaker. Ms. Shivangi Kharwal, Joint Secretary of DUSU, was also present as a speaker. Professor Nisha Rana motivated the students by giving the e.g., of Lakshmi bai, Mata Jijabai & Rani Chenamma, Rani Ishwari Devi, Rani Draupadi and Begum Hasrat Mahal. Around 130 students participated in this lecture. This programme was very successful.

Red Ribbon Club (RRC)

Convenor: Dr Meenakshi Yadav

Red Ribbon Club is a movement started by the government of India in schools and colleges through which students spread awareness over HIV/AIDS and it stands in support of those who suffer from AIDS. It envisages to inspire students to extend their able help towards developing healthy lifestyles. The role of RRC in educational institutions is to educate youth with correct, concise and adequate information and increase their level of awareness about HIV/AIDS. On 14th September 2021, a webinar was organised under the banner of Red Ribbon Club and IQAC of the college on “Role of Youth in Mitigating HIV/AIDS” by Mrs Sujita Gahlaut, Assistant Director Youth Affairs (DSACS). She made students aware about what AIDS is, its symptoms, and prevention of HIV/AIDS. The Convenor of IQAC, Dr Sanjay Kumar greeted and welcomed the speaker and, after the interactive session, the formal vote of thanks was delivered by Dr Meenakshi Yadav, Convenor of RRC. A poster making competition was organised along with a webinar in the college on 14th September 2021, in which students participated enthusiastically. The winners of the competition were Samridh Ranjan of B. Com (H) 2nd Year (1st position), Naman Wadhwa of B. Com (H) 3rd Year (2nd position), Harshpreet Singh of B.com(H) 3rd Year (3rd position). A blood donation camp was organised by RRC in collaboration with Rotaract club of college in association with Rotary club of Delhi North in the college premises on 13th April, 2022. The camp started at 10:00 am in the morning and went up to 4:00 pm in the evening. The camp was fully organised and proper check-ups were conducted before the donations. A total of 112 donors came forward to give their contribution towards this noble cause. The principal Professor R.K. Gupta, Convenor of RRC, Dr Meenakshi Yadav, Convenor of Rotaract Club Dr Krishna Murari was also present to monitor the event and motivate more and more pupils to join the cause. For this, the club provided certificates and medals to the donors.

Drishyam – Film Making and Photography Cell

Convenor: Lt Hari Pratap

Co-Convenor: Ms. Garima Bharadwaj

Drishyam, the Film making and Photography Cell focuses on film shooting and photography, backed by interested and enthusiastic students of the college. This year the cell launched the official logo of Drishyam Cell and distributed official T-shirts of Drishyam to all the members. The cell organized a webinar in offline mode on exposure and mobile photography with a special guest on 17th November 2021. The cell organized a tour to Red Fort and Jama Masjid with the members working under the cell and learnt many things. It organized a cultural fest under Falak 2022 and an inter-college photography competition. The cell recently created an introduction video explaining certain objectives and significances of Drishyam Cell. It adopted a theme-wise posting strategy on social media platforms. on regular basis, an initiative which got good response from the viewers. Drishyam Cell is passionately working towards the skill enhancement of the students of the college in the

world of film making and photography as well as providing them a platform to come up with their own ideas and visions.

Instagram

Handle

Link-https://instagram.com/drishyam_pg2daveve?igshid=YmMyMTA2M2Y=

Drishyam

Logo-

<https://drive.google.com/folderview?id=1D48vKcH6KyQvQvzJjc3JhAqbLSwyz3td>

Gandhi Study Circle

Convenor: Ms. Sangeeta Sharma

P.G.D.A.V (Evening) celebrated the 152nd Birth Anniversary of our dear Father of the Nation - Mahatma Gandhi on 2nd October 2021 on online platform of Google Meet in a programme - "Remembering Bapu" which was devoted to the incredible life and principles of Mahatma Gandhi ji. GSC, in collaboration with the Cultural Committee, IQAC, Vidya Vistar Scheme and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav organised a Prarthana Sabha on Martyr's Day, 30th January, 2022 to pay homage to Mahatma Gandhi and to all the freedom fighters who fought and burnt like midnight oil to provide freedom, welfare and progress of our country. The Principal Professor R.K Gupta, the teaching staff along with students paid a floral tribute to Mahatma Gandhi. The programme was inaugurated with Gayatri Mantra and a formal welcome note by Ms. Sangeeta Sharma, the convenor of Gandhi Study Circle who spoke about Mahatma Gandhi's works and all the landmark events. The Principal, Dr R.K. Gupta also addressed the students on the occasion. Gandhi Study Circle and NSS unit of the college, through their video presentation, honored the efforts of Mahatma Gandhi. The team of Shadaj Music Society sang the bhajans and patriotic songs to pay tribute to Martyrs who sacrificed their lives for the nation. The vote of thanks was delivered by Ms. Sana and it was followed by the National Anthem.

Discipline Committee

Convenor: Lt Hari Pratap

The Discipline Committee of the college is an important component related to the smooth functioning of all the activities of the college. The Discipline Committee kept a strict control on all the activities of the students by watching over the entry and exit points and deputing its members on specific days of the week to take turns in supervising the college premises. The convenor attended a special meeting at the Proctor's office, North Campus, before Holi and the special directives issued were successfully implemented during the festival along with issuing notices and posters warning possible miscreants of serious disciplinary action. The Discipline Committee also, in collaboration with YUVA and the N.C.C, organised a webinar on Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's 150th birth anniversary 'Netaji Subhash Babu: The Real Leader' on 23rd January, 2022. The chief guests for the function were the celebrated Colonel V.N. Thapar and Professor Pawan Kumar from Rajdhani College, University of Delhi and College Vidyarthi Prant Pramukh, Delhi Prant. The webinar was heavily attended by the students of the college. The Principal, Professor R.K Gupta, also addressed the students on

this occasion. Apart from this, the Discipline Committee has maintained overall discipline during all the events and programmes of the college that were held during this academic year.

COVID-19 Task Force

Convenor: Prof. B.N. Chaudhary

In response to developing COVID-19 outbreak the PGDAV College (Eve) has convened a Covid-19 Task force in the year 2020 to deal with the situation arising due to pandemic and to make recommendations so that the academic activities are maintained and the administrative responsibilities are taken care of in view of the constantly emerging circumstances. The Covid-19 task force central focus was on protecting the health and safety of students, faculty and staff, to aware the stakeholders about the COVID-19 protocols provided by the health authorities for educational institutions, to reduce the student dropouts during the pandemic due to the financial crisis, to ensure college is ready for reopening, to implement the advisories and guidelines issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of NCT of Delhi, Ministry of Education, University Grants Commission and University of Delhi from time to time so that the Covid related preventive protocols were adopted in letter and spirit and the students and faculty were protected from undue hardship. The Principal Prof R K Gupta, the Covid-19 task force Convenor Prof B N Choudhary and members discussed collaboratively on objectives and came up with various measures to control the spread of COVID-19 in the college premises and providing a safe environment to the students, faculty and staff. In continuation of that before college in offline mode we conducted an interaction program with all the stakeholders at college premises. In that the total number of participants were 150 approximately. The Covid-19 Task Force worked on the above-mentioned objectives and came up with the following measures to maintain the academic and administrative activities in the college - awareness program for all the stakeholders in library and college, distribution of laptop to those students who have lost their parents due to pandemic, monthly financial assistance, free Metro/Bus pass facility, free stationery. PGDAV College (eve) announced fee waivers for students who lost their parents to COVID-19 or who were affected seriously by COVID-19 and provided books for the whole semester. PGDAV College(eve) has made arrangements for continuous and free vaccination (for all eligible age group) as well as booster dose facility for the students, faculty even for the general public. Proper sanitization of Administrative and Institutional buildings was conducted at regular interval. Thermal scanning as well as sanitization provided at all entry points at to handle the large crowds of both students and staff.

Under the guidance of Lieutenant Hari Pratap and Lieutenant Renu Jonwall, the flag of Unity and Discipline was held high by the 3 P.G.D.A.V COY. The cadets, under the leadership of SUO Varun Kumar Pandey and JUO Ekta, participated in various NCC activities and camps. All the cadets spread the message of 'Yoga – For Wellness' on the occasion of the 'International Yoga Day' on 21st June, 2021 by performing Yoga and spreading awareness about its benefits by creating and sharing videos of performing various asanas. Be it physical training or seeking opportunities digitally, NCC cadets have shown equal enthusiasm on all the platforms. The SDs and SWs of 3 P.G.D.A.V COY, wrote articles, poems, and created videos for the NCC digital forum and registered their presence in a large number digitally during July, a month-long activity, where the last submission was done on 30th of July 2021. Physical fitness and always being ready to act is what makes NCC cadets stand out from the crowd. Our NCC cadets proved that they are physically as well as mentally fit by showing enthusiastic participation in large numbers during the 'Fit India Campaign' held between 17th of August to 2nd of October 2021. The regular data of this 2.5 month-long campaign was maintained meticulously of the daily physical exercises performed by our cadets like cycling, running, walking etc. Various 'Ek Bharat Shreshth Bharat' camps were organised virtually. 18 SD Cadets and 4 SW Cadets attended these camps and marked their presence by performing activities like presentation and poster making.

- SD: - EBSB Odisha: 20-24 April, 2021 - 6 Cadets
- EBSB Maharashtra: 19-24 July, 2021 – 2 Cadets
- EBSB M.P and Chattisgarh: 20-25 September, 2021 – 4 Cadets
- EBSB Uttarakhand: 19-24 December, 2021 – 4 Cadets
- EBSB Kerala and Lakshwadeep: 25-31 October, 2021 – 2 Cadets
- SW: - EBSB Odisha: 26-30 April, 2021 – 2 Cadets
- EBSB Maharashtra: 23-26 August, 2021 – 2 Cadets

Arduous conditions are the most required elements to shape the true qualities of a NCC cadet. Our brave cadets did not only undertake the adventurous trekking camp but also adapted extraordinarily to the harsh conditions of various trek ranges. 9 SD cadets and 4 SW cadets actively participated in 'Trekking Camps' held at various Directorates.

- 'UP Trekking Camp': 8 October-16 October 2021: SUO Varun Kumar Pandey and Sgt Aditya S B Dass
- 'Shivaji Trekking Camp': 24 November-4 December 2021: JUO Hari Om, CHM Rupesh Ram and CQMS. Ritik Roshan
- 'Bihar Jharkhand Trekking Camp': 1 December- 10 December: CQMS. Nitin Singh, CDT Kunal Singh, CDT Aniket Prasad and CDT Sonu
- 'Darjeeling Trekking Camp': 15 November- 22 November 2021: LCPL Puneeta Goswami and CDT Riddhi Ravi

- ‘Ajmer Trekking Camp’: 17 November – 24 November: LCPL Riya Bhati and CDT Preeti

For the preparation of B-certificate theory and practical exam 95 SDs and 15 SWs cadets attended Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC). Following are the details of the CATC

- CATC: 24 -27 September, 2021: - 5 SWs
- CATC: 7 – 13 October, 2021: - 59 SDs
- CATC: 26 October -2 November, 2021: - 10 SWs
- CATC: - 25 November- 4 December, 2021: - 35 SDs

Imparting the military’s meticulous lifestyle is one of the many aims that NCC serves. Our SUO Varun Kumar Pandey seized this hard-earned opportunity by attending the prestigious ‘Indian Military Academy Attachment Camp’ held between 21 December 2021 to 8 January 2022. JUO Ekta, with her willpower and strength, completed two cadres of ‘Para-Slithering’ held between 20 December, 2021-12 January, 2022. On the auspicious occasion of Parakram Diwas, that is on 23rd January 2022, a webinar was organised on Netaji Subhash Chandra, the real leader. Our chief guest was ex-army officer veteran Col. V.N. Thapar who made a high ‘josh’ with his words. NCC cadets have actively participated in it with full josh and discipline and learned lot about courage and ethics of Indian army. To march on the Rajpath is a dream of many but very few can make the dream come true with their hard work and sweat. JUO Sudhir Singh Chauhan and JUO Ashish Datt Bhatt marched on the Rajpath with pride in their eyes and JUO Priyavansh led the PM rally Contingent of Delhi Directorate and marked their presence in the prestigious ‘Republic Day Parade Camp’ held between 18th of December, 2021 to 29th of January, 2022. 11 SW cadets participated in the practice camp for Republic Day Camp held between 13th of September to 17th of September at the 3 DELHI GIRLS BATTALION. Our college ex-NCC cadet Gaurav Rana, who passed out in 2016, led the marching contingent of Assam rifles as a Captain which increases the pride of 3 P.G.D.A.V COY manifold. The PM Rally camps were held with gust and vibrancy like every year combined along with SNIC where cultural and adventurous activities were organised and the cadets of 3 P.G.D.A.V COY seized them with the best of their performances. It was conducted from 1 December to 29 January 2022. 10 SDs JUO Hari OM, LCPL Dheeraj Singh Rawat, Laxman Kumar Solanki, CDT N. Karan Singh Jhakhari, CDT Ritik, CDT Santosh B K, CDT Ved Dwivedi, CDT Vinay Kumar Jha, CDT Madhur, CDT Rohit and 4 SW Cadets LCPL Aancha Gupta, CDT Preeti, CDT Samiksha, CDT Bhumika attended the PM Rally Cultural Camp. JUO Hari Om and CDT Preeti achieved the prestigious ‘ADG appreciation Award’ for their contributions in the ‘PM Rally Cultural Camp’ on 29th January. Sgt Kartik Bhati, Sgt Aditya Dass, CDT Abhishek Chauhan, CDT Reshav Aanand Mandal attended the PM Rally Ushering which took place on 28 January 2022. 5 cadets participated in ‘Vijay Parva’ held on 12th of December whereas 25 Cadets marked their presence in the ‘National Youth Festival’ held on the 12th of January 2022. On 14th Feb NCC cadets paid floral tributes and saluted sacrifices of 40 martyrs who lost their lives when a suicide bomber rammed an explosive-laden vehicle into a CRPF bus which was part of a convoy travelling from Jammu to Srinagar. From attending online NCC classes every Saturday and aiding the government by attaining the COVID 19 training on the Diksha app on 24 April 2021 to

undertaking adventurous camps like trekking, the Cadets of 3 P.G.D.A.V COY. presented their greatest adventurous spirit and discipline as well as maintained their zeal to keep striving for the better.

SANKALP- COLLEGE CADET CORPS (CCC)

Teacher coordinator- Mr. Manoj Kumar

Student Representatives- Gulshan Jha & Anandhi

A distinct 'in-house' body of P.G.D.A.V (Evening) named 'Sankalp- College Cadet Corps' intrinsically offers a platform for the students to enroll for physical training as the National Cadet Corps. It is meant for those students who are unable to join the NCC. Since, the outbreak of Covid-19 and it led to 'nation-wide lockdown' that put human life restricted to their homes. All activities of the college, including Sankalp, were conducted through the digital media. The inaugural lecture was delivered by Dr Suresh Chandra Sharma. He tried to inculcate the basic values of physical training, i.e., discipline and regularity in students. This year 46 students were enrolled. Under the guidance of the convener of the society Mr. Manoj Kumar, the students were trained throughout the year. For the first time, a joint venture between NCC and Sankalp was started for the physical training of students with the consent of our Principal Prof. R K Gupta. The cadets participated actively in the vaccination drive for Covid-19 in the college.

Yoga Club

Convenor: Dr Shruti Vip

President: Mansi Verma

Certified Trainer: Pushp

The Yoga Club of P.G.D.A.V College (Evening) has been organizing online classes since 9th August 2021 which have been attended by the interested students in which they are taught several yogic practices like the Bhastrika pranayama and its different types of mudras like Chin mudra, Chinmaya mudra, Padmasana and the like. On 9th September 21, P.G.D.A.V. Evening organised a Google Meet webinar on the theme "Protect Yourself Against 3rd Wave of Corona" in which Yoga Club played a vital role. Dr Seema Kapalia explained how to use masks, sanitizers in the correct way. Mr Ajay Dube presented few yoga asanas, pranayam and tips to boost our immunity. The webinar was attended by 60 students. On the occasion of Gandhi birth anniversary, 2nd October, 2021, Yoga Club collaborated with Gandhi Smriti Circle with more than 50 participants. Yoga trainer Pushp explained several asanas and pranayama. Our Principal Professor R.K. Gupta also presented their views on principles of Gandhi ji. From January 22, 2022 online yoga classes were resumed under the guidance of trainer. On 14 January 2022, the yoga club of P.G.D.A.V. College (Evening), in the process of celebrating Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, and in order to contribute to the Surya-Namaskar

program initiative by Ayush Ministry, organised an online event “A Tribute on 75th Anniversary of Independence- 75 crore Surya-Namaskar” as per the prescribed guidelines of performing 13 rotations of Surya Namaskar daily for a period of 21 days, starting from 14th Jan 2022 at Google Meet online platform. Later, On 26 Jan 22 Yoga Club celebrated Azadi ka Amrit Mohotsav on Republic Day. The program was inaugurated with a welcome speech delivered by Samiksha and ‘Gaytri mantra’ by Abhijeet Kumar. Principal Professor R.K Gupta and Dr Shruti Vip encouraged all the participants by their words of wisdom. Pushp, the yoga trainer, demonstrated the rules and regulations and the ways of performing Surya-namaskar with scientific techniques. All the participants continued with performing 13 rounds of sun-salutation with music as directed by the trainer followed by Sukhasana. From 1st Feb 2022, Yoga Club took an initiative called ‘Fitness Morning’ for regular classes from Monday to Friday in which students were advised to make a timetable in which they could choose exercises to achieve specific goals. The Yoga Club, in collaboration with Rotaract Club and WDC, organized a 'Brain storm' quiz competition in which there were 18 participants and ‘Yogasana Pratiyogita’ - a yoga competition with 8 participants on 2 May 2022 in offline mode in the college seminar hall. There were more than 40 students who attended the event. It was followed by lecture-cum-demonstration by an ex -student and a certified yoga trainer, Mr Ajay Dubey. Dr Krishna Murari encouraged the students with his introductory speech. The Principal Prof R.K Gupta apprised the audience with the benefits of regular yogic practices.

Department of Physical Education and Sports Sciences

Director: Dr Parmod Sethi

A Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) has been signed this year with Delhi State Volley Ball Association and Delhi State Taekwondo Association to start Swami Dayanand High Performance Sports Training Academy in the college. Nineteen students have taken admission through Sports Quota in Judo, Volley Ball, Basket Ball, Cricket and Weightlifting, Sports and Game in the college. Arjun Sharma of B.A (Prog) 2nd year represented Delhi and participated in National Weightlifting Championship 2021-2022 at Bhubaneswar, Odisha and also represented Delhi University and participated in the All-India Inter-University Weightlifting Championship at Chandigarh. Deepak Yaduvanshi of B.A (Prog) 2nd year represented Delhi University and participated in the All India Inter University Taekwondo Championship at Kerala University. The Volley Team (M) secured 3rd Position in Delhi State Youth Volley Ball Championship.

Twitter Account

Convenors:Dr Sonika Nagpal

Dr Shruti Vip

Under the guidance of Principal Prof. R.K. Gupta and the convenorship of Dr. Shruti Vip and Dr. Sonika Nagpal, the Twitter account of the college was opened on Mar 24, 2021, with the main objective of strengthening the presence of the college on Social Media. Since the opening of the Twitter account, the college has been posting and sharing information regarding the important activities of various cells, committees and departments along with the achievements of its students and faculty members with its stakeholders. In addition to this, the relevant information posted by the University Grants Commission, University of Delhi and Ministry of Education is also shared through retweets.

Twitter handle- @PGDAVEVE_DU

It must also be mentioned that PGDAV College Evening got registered under The National Youth Parliament Scheme of the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Government of India in May,2022. The first Youth Parliament session will be organised in the college premises very soon.

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